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Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., OCT. 4, 1894.

The base ball season here has closed.

Wm. P. Hamilton was over from Detroit last Tuesday.

Miss Mabel White has been quite sick the past week.

It is reported that little Jim Palmer has typhoid fever.

Miss Jennie Hause has been on the sick list a few days.

F. D. Lancaster made a business trip to Toledo last Monday.

A Mr. Roberts, of Texas, was looking the town over Tuesday.

Hiram Saxton and B. G. Woodward are buying apples here.

Mrs. M. B. House had friends from away with her over Sunday.

Doc White is getting the material on the ground for a new barn.

Fred Kensler, of Manchester, was in town on business Tuesday.

Miss Morrell, of Warren, Ohio, is now assisting in the Local office.

Mrs. Chas. Embler is recovering rapidly from her prolonged illness.

Mrs. Van Houten, of Grass Lake is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Corwin.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks is visiting friends at Leoni and Grass Lake.

The ball boys expect to give a fine entertainment in the near future.

Mrs. E. R. Smith entertained a friend from Detroit the last of the week.

Geo. DePuy left Monday for his annual visit with Kent county friends.

Mertille Stitt now occupies a part of the Johnston house on church street.

Will H. Katner is negotiating with Chas. G. Ward for his Tuscola county farm.

The woolen mill company are connecting 24 lights to the village electric plant.

Prof. Beck, assisted by his wife, gave an entertainment at the town hall last night.

Fred Bradner, a dental student at Chicago, is visiting his grand father, J. W. Bradner.

Nelson Miller and wife, of Ridgeway, attended the Congregational society's semi-centennial Tuesday.

Miss Sadie Jackson has severed her connection with the Local office and returned to her home in Macon.

Dan R. Gibson is still supplying his many customers, both here and at Tecumseh, with elegant grapes.

There will be several autoes to the Tecumseh bicycle races Saturday, from here. Both ladies and gentlemen.

Wm. R. Muir is now meat cutter for the Clinton Provision Co. It seems natural to see him again at the block.

Fitz Webber, of Webber, Grimm & Co., of Jackson, bought 40 head of fat cattle from Van Tuyle & Palmer last Saturday.

E. W. Freese & Son have their east show window handsomely filled with Dewey, H. P. Downs and his cobbler's bench. Very unique.

Ira Monroe Fatty, as he is called the fruit tree man, is once more with us, taking orders for the Although Co. He is as jolly as ever.

The game of baseball last Saturday between Bridgewater and the Clinton Juniors resulted in a victory for the Juniors. Score 20 to 24.

Madison Lane returned home from Ann Arbor, where he had an operation performed on his left eye last Friday. He hopes soon to be out again.

Father O'Reilly, of Adrian, will deliver a lecture in the Town Hall Oct. 10th, for the benefit of St. Dominic's church. Subject: "The Irish Away From Home."

Mrs. Mary Haxon had the misfortune to break one of her wrists Tuesday forenoon. Owing to her extreme age, being 94, her recovery will undoubtedly be slow.

Mrs. Abraham Parker, who lived east of town, passed away Monday morning aged 61. She outlived her husband only six weeks. The funeral was held at the house yesterday afternoon at two o'clock.

J. Morrill Estabrook, accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Josephine Cook, left Monday to attend the funeral of his brother, Joseph, at Olivet. The Professor was well known to our citizens, having formerly lived here, and was wherever he was known, very popular.

Mrs. M. Rose has greatly improved the old postoffice building, both interior and exterior. Taking down the old porch has improved it wonderfully, and with the use of paint, both inside and out, and a new floor, it now is one of the most attractive buildings in town.

Eugene Smalley, who is the possessor of one of the largest and finest of the Edison phonographs, is this week taking in the fair at Dowagiac. He will be able to furnish concerts for societies, churches, etc. He has left the mill owing to his health, and hopes by being out doors to become more rugged.

Ted Colling is busy at work getting the Schmidt building, on Jackson street, in shape for a meat market. He hopes to be ready to wait on his customers next week. A. W. Muir will buy the stock and dress it for him. Ted's friends, and they are many, are glad to see him embark in business for himself.

At a meeting of St. Johns Junior Auxiliary branch last Monday, it was decided to ask Miss Doeller, of Grass Lake, and Miss Cobb, of Jackson, officers of the society in this convocation, to come to Clinton for the October monthly meeting. If the officers accept the invitation the meeting will be on the last Wednesday of the month and further notice will be given.

When Senator Loxow gets a little leisure he should investigate professional base ball.

If there is anything that makes a very poor man feel sarcastic it is to read advice to rich men on how to secure a good appetite.

Johnny: 'Papa, when is a person in his dotage?' Papa: 'A man is in his dote age, Johnny, when he is going with his first girl.'

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

The semi-centennial of the dedication of the Congregational church, Clinton, which has been looked forward to with so much interest, was celebrated September 30th and October 2.

The church had been newly papered and painted and presented a very pleasing appearance. The floral decorations were done by a committee of the Y. P. S. C. E.

The Sunday services were conducted by the pastor. In the morning there was a very large audience. Prayer was offered by Rev. G. E. Wilson, and the sermon was preached by Rev. E. W. Miller, of Eaton Rapids. The text was Matt. 18:33. The subject, "The Growth of the Kingdom of God." The preacher after stating that only a perfected society could correctly understand christianity, went on to show how the religion of Jesus Christ had gradually overcome the great evils that existed in the world, and predicted that it would continue its beneficent work until society was thoroughly purified. In the Sunday school, after the review of the quarter's lessons, short addresses were given by Revs. G. E. Wilson and E. W. Miller.

The church was crowded at the evening service, chairs having to be placed in the aisles. The introductory service was conducted by Revs. E. W. Miller, C. M. Stout and D. L. Ramsdell. The sermon was preached by Rev. G. E. Wilson, of Clyde, O. The text was Mark 9:2. After describing the transfiguration scene, the preacher showed how anxious the three disciples were to stay on the mount in holy communion. But the Master had work for them to do in the world. He said that when the christian was privileged now to hold communion with God he desired to stay in that condition, but there were duties to be performed, and the Master would have us take these up and do them thoroughly. He went on to show that the world needed earnest, consecrated workers today, and closed with an appeal to all christians to do what they could to make society better. Special music was rendered in a very efficient manner by the choir at both services.

October 2nd the services began with a meeting in the afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance. After singing, Heb. 1 was read by Rev. G. E. Wilson, and prayer offered by Rev. E. W. Miller. The pastor made a few remarks, and then the history of the church was given by Mr. J. F. Weiss. He began by describing the organization of the church in 1848, and the erection of the house of worship in 1844. In a very interesting manner he traced the subsequent events, having something to say about each pastor, his peculiarities and his work. The history indicated that although the church had had its trials, yet there had been continual prosperity.

Mrs. H. R. Williams, wife of the late pastor, read a poem, composed by herself, entitled "The Church of Christ." It dealt with the lessons to be learned from the history of the past fifty years, and was much appreciated. This was followed by a solo by Miss Grace Davis, of Detroit, "The Beautiful City."

Reminiscences of the past were then given by Dea. G. Calhoun, Dwight Hause, Gelbert Halladay, Mrs. J. Clark and Mr. L. Conklin. They all had sad things to say of the pastors. The pastors present then told of some of their experiences, and spoke in high terms of the kindness of the people among whom they had labored. This proved one of the most interesting features of the celebration.

Prof. Estabrook had been expected to take part in the proceedings, and much regret was expressed at his death. He had sent just before his departure, a message to be read at the meeting. This message was performed by Rev. H. R. Williams, an old friend of the deceased, who spoke very lovingly of his noble and loving life.

Letters were read from Revs. A. S. Kedzie and J. Swandt, explaining the cause of their absence and conveying their greetings. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Ramsdell, Sr.

An adjournment was then made to the parsonage where a reception and supper was held. This was in charge of a committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. and they did their work very creditably. The tables were decorated with flowers and presented an attractive appearance. About 150 sat down to supper, and a very pleasant time was spent in meeting old friends and recalling the memories of the past. The evening meeting was opened with singing, and prayer by Rev. D. L. Ramsdell. Letters were read from Revs. S. S. Hyde, and J. A. Barnes expressing their regret at not being able to be present, and conveying their good wishes. The first speaker was Rev. G. E. Wilson. He recited the prophecy of Ingersoll made some years ago, that christianity would soon be a thing of the past, and then showed how history had belied it. Christianity was more powerful and popular today than ever, and millions of hearts were loyal to Christ.

Rev. E. W. Miller said we might learn much from the history of the past. We had no right to reject a thing because it was old, or accept a thing because it was new. The beaten track along which so many had walked safely might be the best for us. The true principal was, "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good."

A solo, "Ascension of Jesus," was sung by Mrs. G. E. Wilson, and this was followed by the closing address, given by Rev. H. R. Williams. He said it was a comforting fact that while pastors and members came and went, the church remained to carry on its blessed work. It was impossible to estimate the good done during fifty years. It was in reality a succession of time and another half century would soon be gone. If they were faithful, more could be accomplished than ever before. He urged the church to be loyal to the pastor, and to pray for him continually.

With the singing of "God be with you till we meet again," this memorable occasion was brought to a close.

—BOOK BINDING.—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Bicycle Races Saturday 1:30 p. m.

Harris and Dixon was the battery for the boys to-day.

Alf Jaynes and wife of Manchester were in town yesterday.

S. W. Anderson is now in New York buying the latest novelties in dry goods and cloaks.

The ladies' race will be one of the leading features of the tournament next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellsworth, nee Storey, of New York city, attended the funeral of Frank Hughes.

The prizes to be given at the bicycle tournament next Saturday are now on exhibition at Anderson's store.

The meeting Wednesday evening, called for the purpose of organizing a Democratic club, was adjourned to some future time. The date will be given hereafter.

Rev. C. M. Brown, having completed his arrangements, will begin his course of illustrated lectures on the "Life of Christ," at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

Next Monday morning, at 9:30, the pastors of Tecumseh and surrounding community will meet in the parlors of the Methodist church to organize a ministerial association.

Admission to the races next Saturday afternoon will be 25 cents. Grand Stand free to the ladies; gentlemen, 50 cents. School children under fifteen, 25 cents to the grounds.

Take your eggs and poultry to L. D. Dewey. He is the man that pays more than the rest and keeps the prices up. Patronize the man who patronizes you. His prices are what the farmer wants.

Frank Hughes, whose tragic death occurred at Adrian Sunday morning, and which seems shrouded in mystery, was the son of John Hughes of this place. He was found early Sunday morning by his brother Raynor, who had stayed at a neighbor's over night. He was lying on the bed, his dog was lying by him, a loaded revolver, a hammer and a bottle of chloroform, nearly full, were found near him. The first supposition was that he had committed suicide and many sensational reports were circulated, but the friends are satisfied that there had been foul play and will have the affair thoroughly ventilated. Frank Hughes was 20 years of age and a baker by trade. He was married at Adrian a year and a half ago to Bessie Storey, daughter of Charles Storey. The body was brought here for interment, the funeral being held at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Whitney of the Baptist church, Adrian, his pastor, officiating.

Rev. C. M. Brown returned home last night from an absence of several days.

Ed. W. Scott, of the firm of A. D. Ellis & Co., and J. G. Kerner of Blissfield are in town to-day.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt and Miss Florence Burlingame, of Cadillac, Mich., arrived this a. m., for a visit with Tecumseh relatives.

Ruth, the 14 months' old daughter of Wallace Tilden, died Tuesday morning of cholera infantum. The funeral was held at the residence, west of town, at 10 a. m. to-day, Rev. Charles M. Brown officiating.

The clergy of the Southern convocation of Michigan met in St. Peter's church last Thursday for their regular quarterly work. A celebration of communion was held in the morning at 10 o'clock, at which there were 30 communicants. In the afternoon the principal work was discussion upon and arrangements for missionary work by the clergy, in the way of giving services to the many scattered church people within the conventional limits, who are deprived of the benefits of the church by living miles away from organized congregations. At evening the addresses were given by the Rev. B. B. Beleon of Jackson and the Rev. H. Tatlock of Ann Arbor. The same day a quarterly meeting of delegates of the junior anxiliary within the convention, was held in the reception room of the armory. Delegates were present from Detroit, Grass Lake, Jackson, Clinton and Tecumseh. A very successful work was accomplished, and the President, Mrs. Richard McCauley, of Detroit, went away very well pleased with the interest taken and also the work of the young ladies of St. Peter's branch. The Junior anxiliary is a society of young ladies in the church, formed for the special purpose of creating interest in mission work. Obtaining money is not the first object of the organization, but nevertheless a large sum is contributed yearly to the work.

—The Raisin Flouring Mills are now prepared to do feed grinding every day in place.

High School Happenings.

Watch out now for that fire drill.

Miss Edith Ingersoll visited school Tuesday.

English III are reading the life of Samuel Johnson.

Harold Hatch left school Monday to attend Ann Arbor High Schools.

Falling bodies and laws pertaining to it is attracting the attention of Philosophy class.

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BICYCLE MEET.

Prize List of the Tecumseh Association Events.

The Tecumseh Bicycle Association will give their first annual meet at the race track in this village, next Saturday. Below are the prizes:

ONE MILE NOVICE—OPEN.

Gold watch and plush case	$31.00
32 calibre double action, nickle plated, pearl handled revolver	15.00
Box of fifty choice cigars	3.50

ONE MILE—OPEN.

Diamond ring	45.00
Pearl Stud	25.00
Box of fifty choice cigars	3.50

ENTRANCE FREE—ONE-HALF MILE—OPEN ONLY TO LADIES.

Lady's solid gold watch and plush case	$50.00
Lady's emerald ring	15.00
Lady's silk umbrella	5.00

ONE-HALF MILE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Solid gold, diamond mounted and engraved medal	$50.00

ONE HALF MILE—OPEN.

Diamond pin	$10.00
Split second timer	20.00
Box of fifty choice cigars	3.50

ENTRANCE FREE—ONE-HALF MILE—OPEN ONLY TO BOYS UNDER 17.

Bicycle suit	$15.00
Bicycle sweater	5.00
Little Gem cyclometer	2.00

TWO MILE OPEN.

Diamond ring	$50.00
Diamond stud	25.00
Bicycle lantern	5.00
Box of fifty choice cigars	3.50

Prizes will be on exhibition, for inspection of contestants, one week prior to races. Address all communications to Tecumseh Bicycle Association, Tecumseh, Mich.

If any of the Chinese leaders were to be arrested for disturbing the peace we don't think he could be convicted.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 14th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Phebe Ann Fowler, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alice S. Squire, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that a certain instrument now produced and filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that she may be empowered to execute said will according to law, and that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the said executrix, without giving security, and that the petitioner may be empowered to sell the real estate of said deceased described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the Eighth day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 17th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of Robert Service, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary M. Service, administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, praying that she may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased described in said petition for reasons therein set forth.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the Eighth day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The recent rains make wheat look fresh.

Farmers are busy husking and digging potatoes.

G. C. Amer is slowly recovering from his sickness.

Prof. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, was home over Sunday.

Eva Hindes is quite sick at present writing with lung trouble.

Mrs. Besemer, of Harvey, Ill., visited Mrs. Daniel Linn Sunday.

Several from here took in the bicycle races at Tecumseh Saturday.

Lelia Sutton was under the doctor's care the fore part of the week.

Richard Cadmus, of North Harvey, is visiting old time friends at present.

Mrs. T. H. Montgomery was under the doctor's care a part of last week.

Mrs. Samuel McClure, of Tecumseh, called on friends last week Thursday.

Edna Swick, of London, visited at the home of Daniel Linn over Sunday.

Edith Collins was in Blissfield last week with her mother who was quite sick.

Miss Emma Miller returned Saturday from her visit at White Hall and Detroit.

Mrs. Lewis Miller went to Detroit Sunday to visit her children for a few days.

Grandma Rappleye went to Ypsilanti Saturday to stay with her son, E. W. Rappleye.

At the official board meeting held Monday night it was decided by vote to have free pews in the church the coming year.

Lou Arner went to Detroit Wednesday to visit relatives. She will also visit her brother, A. R. Arner, at Ionia before her return.

Mrs. Simon Gould, who has been in very poor health for several months, has failed very rapidly for the past few days with no hopes of recovering.

Mrs. Lizzie Clack-Felt, of New Boston, Mich., visited her friend, Clara Temple, Tuesday. She, with her husband, Dr. F. R. Felt, expect to leave for India in a few weeks as missionaries.

Our citizens were very much surprised Tuesday to learn of the death of Wm. Cornell. He lived in the village here until about six years ago when he moved to Stoney Creek where he was living at the time of his death. He leaves a widow and two little daughters to mourn his loss. Heart trouble was the cause of his death. The funeral services were held at the Stony Creek church and the remains were interred in the village cemetery here.

MACON MUSIC

Miss Jane Langan returned from an extended visit to Douglas last week.

Seeding is late, not all done yet. The protracted absence of sufficient rain the cause.

Miss Mary Owen, from southern Missouri, is visiting her brother, Joan C., at her aunts, Mrs. Ann Hendershot.

The next regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. John Kirchhofer on Wednesday, Oct. 17.

We are glad to be able to report an improvement in the critical condition of Hebron Camburn, who is suffering from an abcess of the lungs.

The Epworth League are preparing an interesting programme to be given at the M. E. church on Friday evening, Oct. 12. Admission, 10 cents.

A birthday party was given Mrs. Holmes on the 2d. A large number of friends were present, including a number from the scene of her former home.

A special meeting of the W. C. T. U. is called to meet at the Reformed church on Friday afternoon, Oct. 19, at 2 o'clock. It is to be a business meeting.

Mrs. Abraham Parker died at her home, two miles north of Macon, on Monday last, of consumption. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the house.

The next monthly W. C. T. U. tea meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Hendershot, on the Ridge. It is to be a Mothers' meeting and should be largely attended.

One genial friend, Bert Day, of Tecumseh, wheeled through town Monday selling tickets for the Tecumseh lecture course. Bert is always active in good work. He is president of the Tecumseh Prohibition club among the rest. All such work builds character.

Rolfe A. Mills and Wm. P. Hall came down from Ann Arbor to attend the Prohibition club meeting at Will Morgan's on Saturday evening, last. Rolfe says a vigorous club is to be organized at the U. of M. on Monday next and that Wm. B. Hatch is "bulletined" for an address.

The W. C. T. U. meeting at Isaac Hendershot's on Friday afternoon last was well attended, despite the inclemency of the weather. A pleasant feature of the meeting was an encouraging address by Mr. John Lewis, of Nebraska, formerly of this place and now here with his wife on a visit.

The Reformed church of East Macon will hold a Box Social at the Depot corner church on Friday evening of this week, Oct. 12. At the same time a fancy quilt, which has been in process of making for some time, will be disposed of by tickets. All are invited to attend and take part in the social. By Order of Com.

BRITTON BUDGET.

See Stacy's Snap Shots.

Go to Stacy's Snap Shots to-night at Exelby hall.

Eugene Zeluff, of Toledo, visited his parents, John Zeluff, over Sunday.

Don't forget to attend Stacy's Snap Shot Story the remainder of this week. They are fine.

Give the Maccabees a benefit by attending the Snap Shot Story at Exelby hall this week.

Stephen Plews is now agent for the Detroit Tribune. He is a hustler and everybody should help him.

F. E. Morrell gave us a ripe strawberry which he picked from his vines last Monday. It was perfect and reminded us of spring.

What is the cause of so many groups of people, all earnestly discussing some subject? any stranger would ask. It is quickly answered: they are talking of election.

Rev. E. Mudge returned from the Michigan Christian Conference on Saturday and left Sunday evening for Haverhill, Mass., where he is in attendance at the Quadrennial meeting of the American Christian Convention as delegate from the Michigan Christian Conference. He will return some time next week.

Our ball team went to Tecumseh last Thursday for the third game with the T. H. S. The day was very cold and disagreeable and the game was full of errors on both sides. Dixon helped the T. H. S. while "Bomshell" assisted the Brittons. The score was 9 to 9. Batteries, Brunskill and Lowe, Harris and Dixon. Umpire, McClure.

The counting of the beans at Lee Brothers' came off Friday evening. Total number of beans was 12,185. Mrs. Chester Lynn was the lucky person, her guess being 12,199. The committee appointed to count them were H. Cranshaw, Dr. E. E. Hendershott, L. C. Hoagland and Arthur Curtiss. Total number of guesses was 8,641, ranging from 540 to 62,000.

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All those indebted to me please call and settle. DR. P. B. HAZEN.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Holloway has awoke.

See the sports this week and next.

Remember the Snap Shot Story the 15th, 16th and 17th.

The Junior Endeavorers cleared about $7 at their exhibition Monday evening.

Tonight the Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a social at the residence of Geo. Kishpaugh at Raisin Center.

Mr. Hagerman, a former spiritualist, gave a history and expose of spiritualism at the Free Methodist church last Tuesday evening.

Miss Hattie Haskell, nee Doty, after spending two or three pleasant weeks with her friends and folks here, left for home last Tuesday evening.

Grant Fellows is billed to speak in the public hall here to-night. Let everyone come out and hear this excellent exponent of Republicanism.

Next Saturday a free-for-all horse race, pace, run or trot, will be indulged in in this place. Let everybody bring out their old plugs and do 'em a whirl.

Patronize the K. O. T. M.'s and attend their benefit. Review the scenes once passed through at the World's Columbian Exposition. The 15th, 16th and 17th at Holloway.

Monday, Harvey Hartman took his son Clyde to the school for the blind at Lansing. Clyde has had several operations performed but no hope of his receiving his sight is entertained, so thought it best to go to Lansing.

The ball game last Saturday was a hastily contested one; the "Benedicts," however, scooped the "Bachelors," the score standing 18 to 15. Next Saturday another contest between the same people will take place on the same grounds. Come and see them.

SPORTING NEWS.

The Makers of Victor Bicycles Commence the Manufacture of Sporting Goods.

The Overman Wheel Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass., makers of the Victor, the best and most favorably known bicycle manufactured, have entered the sporting goods trade, and will hereafter manufacture a complete line of such goods as base balls, base ball bats, base ball gloves and mitts, tennis rackets, tennis balls, tennis nets, footballs, football suits, boxing gloves, athletic and gymnasium shoes, sweaters, etc.

The aim of the Overman Wheel Co. will be to have Victor Sporting Goods as widely known as Victor Bicycles, and their guarantee better goods than are now offered by other manufacturers.

Any article bearing the Victor trade mark will be as good as it is possible to make it, and all athletes and lovers of outdoor sports will welcome the advent of Victor Sporting Goods.

The new Victor line is complete, as a glance at catalogue will show, and this, together with the fact that impartial comparative tests have demonstrated the superiority of Victor Sporting Goods over other sporting goods, makes a clear field for the new Victor product.

Their reputation as builders and users only of the best, combined with unlimited facilities, assures the Overman Wheel Company of success in their new departure.

Dr. Parkhurst shows a level head in seeking the aid of women in his reform.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

DOMESTIC.

FEARING burglars Wesley Adamson, a Brazil (Ind.) farmer, secreted $900 in a stove. His wife started a fire and the money was burned.

THE government receipts during the first three months of the current fiscal year were $97,848,174, and the expenditures were $98,628,237.

THE house of B. B. Pierce at Wilmot, Wis., was burned, and his three sons and a daughter of John Frank perished in the flames.

THE First national bank of Fayetteville, N. Y., closed its doors.

AT Dorchester, Neb., Joseph Krob shot and killed Lizzie Brabeck and then killed himself. He asked her to marry him and she refused.

TWO PASSENGER trains collided at a crossing at Sunbury, Pa., and all the passengers were shaken up and ten severely injured.

SOME thirty substantial buildings at Wichita, Kan., besides innumerable barns and outhouses, were demolished or injured in a greater or less degree by a tornado and two men were killed.

H. O. HAVEMEYER and J. E. Searles, of the sugar trust, were indicted for refusing to answer questions put by the senate investigating committee.

THE total money circulation of the country was placed at $1,655,038,982—a per capita of $24.07, against $1,596,049,983 October 1, 1893.

POST OFFICE department officials in Washington forbid a contemplated Sunday parade of letter carriers in Chicago.

SIX PERSONS were badly injured in a freight train wreck at Mansfield, O., and twenty cars were demolished.

MRS. J. C. GILES, of Belvidere, Ill., went to bed with good eyes and woke up in the morning totally blind. The physicians were baffled.

A MONUMENT to Maj B. F. Stephenson, founder of the Grand Army of the Republic, was dedicated at Petersburg, Ill.

PROF. VINCENNES BOTTA, the celebrated linguist, fell three stories from his residence in New York, sustaining fatal injuries.

EMMA JACOBS, of Lamont, Ia., aged 7 years, saved a Chicago Great Western train from being wrecked on a burned bridge.

WILLIAM PUGH, of Ohio, has been appointed superintendent of income tax collections by Secretary Carlisle.

A STAGE running between Yreka and Fort Jones, Cal., was held up by a lone highwayman, who stole the treasure box.

SOLLY SMITH and Frank Erne fought a terrific ten-round battle, ending in a draw, at Buffalo, N. Y.

MARTIN IRONS, once a famous labor leader, was in jail at Fort Worth, Tex., charged with assaulting a little girl.

CHAMPION CORBETT issued a challenge in which he agreed to meet all comers in the prize ring next July, one each night until all were disposed of.

TROTTING queen Alix, 2:03¼, and trotting king Directum, 2:03¼, have been matched to race for $2,500 a side.

NEAR Pawnee, Neb., a cyclone killed John Nelson's 9-year-old girl and seriously injured five other members of the family.

IN a fight between "Denver Ed" and "Larry" Farrell for $5,500 at Denver the former won on a foul.

GOADED by intimations of cowardice Corbett has decided to accept the challenge issued by Fitzsimmons.

THE twenty-ninth annual reunion of the Army of the Tennessee convened at Council Bluffs, Ia.

NINE persons were killed and property worth $1,000,000 destroyed by a cyclone at Little Rock, Ark. The main portion of the business center of the city was practically in ruins.

THE fire losses for the week ended on September 30 entailed a loss of $5,010,000, of which fires doing damage of $10,000 or more contributed $4,670,000.

AT Portland, Me., Directum trotted a mile in 2:03¼, defeating Nelson and lowering the record for New England.

AT the Farmers' national congress at Parkersburg, W. Va., resolutions were adopted favoring protection to wool and cotton.

PRAIRIE fires devastated a large tract of land in the Black Brook country near Grantsburg, Wis.

BEFORE the Lexow committee Mrs. Urchittel testified that police of New York put her children in an asylum in order to extort money from her.

G. HERMAN & CO., fruit dealers at Tehichipi, Cal., failed for $250,000.

IT was reported that the steamship Chattahoochie, overdue at Savannah from New York, had been lost with all on board.

A. J. LIEM, a wealthy resident of Liemville, Pa., and his wife were killed by an explosion of nitroglycerine in their home. The perpetrators of the deed were unknown.

JIM and Marion Crutchfield (brothers) and Will Mitchell, all negroes, fought near Denton, Tex., and all were killed.

BEFORE the Lexow committee a woman testified that the New York police had forced her to buy diamonds for them and furnish their houses to secure their protection.

A NEW counterfeit five-dollar national bank note was discovered on the Citizens' national bank of Niles, Mich., check letter B, series of 1882. The entire face of the note is brown, instead of black.

AN entire business block was destroyed by fire in the village of Buckhannon, W. Va.

AT Bloomfield, Ind., the safe of the bank was blown to pieces by robbers and $5,500 carried away.

The Last Game of Base Ball.

The Base Ball season practically closed last Thursday, Oct. 4th, when the Britton's crossed bats with the High School team. The weather was very disagreeable. It was damp and very chilly and both spectators and players found it very difficult to keep comfortable. At the east end of the grand stand a fire was kept going all through the game. With the atmosphere as frigid as it was the attendance was very light and confined almost exclusively to small boys and base ball cranks. A very few ladies were brave enough to come out. While fine ball playing was out of the question and many errors were made, particularly by the Britton team, they having 16 charged up to them still there was some almost phenominal plays made by both teams. Although our boys won the game by a score of 9 to 8, so declared by Umpire McClure, they were not entitled to any credit really, for they did not have an earned run and only made 5 hits off of Brunskill (who pitched an elegant game,) and these were made in as many innings—one hit each in the 2nd, 4th 5th, 7th and 9th. Had Brunskill had any support our boys would not have been in at and up to the 9th inning it looked as if the Brittons would win the game in spite of their many errors. Harris did not pitch as well as usual for ten hits were made by the Britton's, among them being 2 base hits by Lee and Lowe and 3 base hits by Larrabee. At times the game was interesting and exciting. Dickson and Lowe both caught well.

A Piano at a Nominal Price.

Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, has moved into a magnificent new building. They have a number of slightly used and second-hand pianos returned from World's Fair renting, etc., etc., which they have determined to sacrifice rather than to try to make room for. These instruments comprise Square pianos at $40, $65, $100 and $125. Upright pianos at $125, $140, $150, $165, $180, $200, $225, $240 and upward. Grand pianos at $200, $250, $300 and upwards. Nearly all originally sold for from two to four times their present price. Almost all prominent makes (in squares and uprights) are represented, including among numerous others Chickering, Knabe, Steinway, Weber, Decker, Steck, Fisher, etc. This is an opportunity that will not occur again, as Lyon & Healy have not moved for twenty years. Immediate attention is therefore necessary. A good plan will be to order a piano, leaving the selections to Lyon & Healy. However they will send a list and full particulars on application. Any piano not proving satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address at their new salesrooms, corner Wabash Avenue and Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle in taking advantage of this remarkable chance to obtain a piano, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. If you do not already know them by reputation any banker will assure of Lyon & Healy's entire responsibility and record of over a third of a century for honorable dealing. Write to-day so as to avoid disappointment.

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Raisin Valley Seminary.

H. I. Bowens attended Hillsdale fair Thursday.

Miss Glenn Ketcham took dinner with Miss Emma Hayeock Sunday.

Miss Elv is took tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Salter last Tuesday evening.

Misses May Wood and Olive Meade, class of '94, and Mrs. Babcock, class of '88 and Edith Bailey visited the seminary on Friday.

Mr. Edward Comfort, of Nebraska, who is visiting friends and relatives near Tecumseh called at the Seminary Tuesday evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hammess was saddened Tuesday evening by the news of the death of their son Stanley, who returned to California last fall.

Prof. Reynolds, of Adrian College, will deliver a lecture for the Prohibition club of Raisin Valley next Saturday evening Oct. 13th, at 7:30 o'clock at the Seminary. Kirk's "one man band" will furnish music. All are invited.

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

Mrs. Ives Wilkins and children, of Ithaca, are visiting friends here and will remain two or three weeks.

The ball game between Lake Ridge and Milan, Saturday, resulted in a score of 9 to 3 in favor of Lake Ridge.

Farmers are plodding along with heads down (looking for the lost vote) putting in wheat for a 60 cent market, while whisky brings $2 per gallon—"that's the stuff."

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The Democrats of New York seem to be getting together and the indications now point to a red hot campaign and a very uncertain one.

Levi Parsons Morton has never held an office for which he did not pay with an enormous contribution to the campaign fund—that is, to the Bosses and the Boys.

The New York World expresses the truth in a nut shell, when it says: David B. Hill has his faults, as all of us know, but the man who beats him in New York State has got to hustle.

Labor is the foundation stone upon which the superstructure of civilization is built. Let this foundation be injured or crushed and the entire beautiful structure falls into ruin.

No matter what is said in Morton's favor it cannot be denied that he represents Bunghole politics, and no matter what is said against Hill no one can say he owes his prominence to a barrel.

Plutocracy is the rule of wealth, as Democracy is the rule of the people. A plutocrat is a man who seeks power or distinction through the use of money, either in subsidizing party machines or in corrupting the legislatures or the suffrage of the people.

The Louisville Courier-Journal seems to be in favor of free coinage of silver, but it is evenly balanced between the silver and the newspaper issues of the day, as compared to its contemporaries. The Courier-Journal has the eloquent of columns, the news columns give evidence of a strong gold policy.

The New York Voice, as the organ of the Prohibitionists, recalls the fact that some of the barrel for the sake of Platt's long-staved nomination. Mr. Morton came into it as profits on the sale of rum at the Shoreham. That is perfectly true, but the Voice fails to recall the still more damaging fact that Mr. Morton persistently boarded in ordinary New England rum, the ingredients of which cost 20 cents a drink.

Mr. William L. Wilson never appeared to greater advantage in his career as American and as a Democrat than in his speech at the dinner to him on the 29th on the 29th inst. in London. As the guest of the occasion he was modest and dignified, but he did not forget his country. We warned the gentlemen who were his hosts that his call to the tariff reform were intended and calculated to enable the United States to wrest from Great Britain her commercial and maritime supremacy.

The little sketch of Gen. Weaver taken from the Iowa Press, to which is not a western man. He was New York and educated in Pennsylvania. He settled in Iowa as a practicing lawyer. He is a Rocky Mountain region because of his health.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Oct. 5, 1894.

That "politics makes strange bedfellows" is an adage that has grown trite, but it did not seem possible a little while ago that politics could ever make bedfellows of Senator Hill and President Cleveland. Yet a movement is now under way to do that very thing, and many politicians believe that it is going to succeed. The idea, according to your correspondent's information, is that Mr. Cleveland is to use the influence of his administration to help elect Senator Hill governor of New York and that in the event of his election he is to announce that he prefers remaining in the Senate and resign the governorship, allowing Congressman Dan Lockwood, the candidate for lieutenant governor, who is a strong friend of Mr. Cleveland's to become governor. Secretary Lamont is now in New York working on this scheme, which will, if successful, call off all the democratic opposition to Hill.

The grand shake up in the Treasury department is over. The bureaux which the Dockery committee recommended should be abolished are no more. Advantage was taken of the reorganization to make about 500 changes in the classification of the clerks in the Treasury, mostly in favor of the clerks who belong to the dominant party. There is a wide difference of opinion as to the reorganization. Some contending that it will be beneficial to the government as well as those who do business with the government, while many predict that the removal of checks and safeguards upon the expenditure of public money is a hazardous experiment to make, one that is likely to encourage recklessness. Time will tell which is right.

The wording of the indictments found this week by the Washington grand jury against Havemeyer and Searles, investigating committee sounds very much in places like a political campaign document, although there is no good reason for believing that the lawyers who drew them had any such intention. The indictments open by giving the terms of the 1st section of the McKinley tariff law and say that Havemeyer, Searles and possessors of [illegible] a portion of said act were of great benefit and advantage to the interests of a certain corporation called the American Sugar Refining Co. the [illegible]

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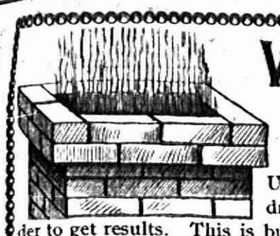

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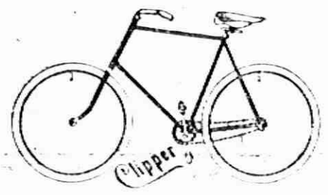

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MR. WILSON.

"A chilly town! A chilly town!" murmured H. Pemberton Wilson as he limped around to the sunny side of warehouse F and slowly let himself down to a recumbent position on the hot, tarry boards.

"A chilly town. That's what. Even in the summer time," said H. Pemberton Wilson as he threw a stray nail into the muddy slip and lazily watched the rings enlarge and lose themselves in faintest ripples. "You take any train, and it lands you here, and the only comfort of being here is that there's so many trains out. I s'pose my stomach thinks I'm tryin to go without anything for a week just on a bet. The country lanes must be sighin for me. I wonder if turnips are getting large enough?"

To designate H. Pemberton Wilson as a hobo would simply corrobbrate his opinion of himself.

He has carved "Hobo Wilson" on many a section shanty and milepost between Scranton, Pa., and Council Bluffs, Ia., and there were friends who knew him as Rooster.

On one Indiana trip he had earned the title of Come Again Wilson because he had a persistent way of getting on a train after once being put off.

Like many another of his class, he was not devoid of sentiment or philosophy. He carried in his breast pocket a speckled volume of Burns' poems. He had forgotten to return it to a public library in southern Illinois. The book opened of itself at the lines, "A man's a man for a' that." Hobo Wilson read the poem as he lay with his back against the warm boards of warehouse F, and then he put the book back into the pocket of his coat, which he had thrown down beside him.

At the bend in the river a coal vessel was being unloaded. The click of the machinery and the noisy dumping of the big buckets at the regular intervals became rather soothing when the rhythm was understood. Hobo Wilson tapped with his thumb, keeping time, and looked through the rigging of a lumber schooner in the second slip beyond at the coughing smokestack which reached up from a small planing mill. The mill was buzzing in changeable tones, like a nest of disordant bumblebees.

The smoke rolling from the stack drifted through the rigging, where the yards and netted lines seemed to cut into irregular shapes. Hobo Wilson watched drowsily until to his blurred vision there were many fantastic forms floating in the foggy maze. And he was not greatly surprised when one of these forms took on the outline of a dwarfish human being and floated slowly toward him. It paused for a moment above a hawser timber and shook itself, a shower of soot falling from it. Then it settled into a comfortable sitting attitude and looked at him.

"Well, Rooster, how's everything?"

The voice was rather small and shrill. Hobo Wilson could not answer at once. He was marveling at the appearance of his strange visitor. The little man was hardly three feet high. Under the slouch hat was a good natured and wrinkled face, decorated on the chin with a tuft of beard, which might have been gray at one time, but which was now blackened and dusty, the same as his face and clothes. The latter were of rough quality—a hickory shirt, a shoddy pair of trousers fringed at the bottoms and held up by one suspender, and a pair of worn shoes much too large and laced with hemp twine.

"Are you down on your luck, Rooster?" asked the little man.

"I'm livin on the air," said Hobo, "but where did you come from?"

"I just dropped in with the smoke. Don't know me, eh?"

"That's what I don't."

"Listen, Hobo Wilson. Do you remember last Saturday morning when you were at Hammond and divided your handout with a brother who alighted from a box car a day out from Louisville and very hungry?"

"I do. 'A man's a man for a' that.'"

"True enough, Rooster. That was a good deed. More than once I've seen you give a comrade a good place on the truck."

"Where was you?"

"I dare say you didn't look up into the rolling cloud of smoke to see the good fairy of the hoboes."

"Fairy!"

"Sure. You didn't expect the guardian fairy of the hoboes to tear around the country in all kinds of weather with a little white robe and some ostrich feather wings?"

"I s'pose not."

"Hobo Wilson, I've watched you. I never saw you do a yard any dirt. The good things of this world must not all be given to brakemen and tramps and people who work. Are you hungry?"

"Sure!"

"Then feel in the pockets of that coat beside you and believe me when I tell you that every man must live before he does."

"Suffering hoboes' beans!" gasped Rooster as he drew in one pocket after another their contents followed back into it. He had a tramp's knife, a fork, a spoon, some nails, twine, a jackknife, a pair of worn shoes much too large and laced with hemp twine.

"So it's drifting in this way, now, my lad—never again in a boiler. Dirty, you've been."

But when he looked up again the old gallant fairy had disappeared, and the smoke which pushed through the rigging and trailed away was blacker than ever.

He put all the money in his pockets, first throwing away the balls of twine, the old pack knife and the needle and the old watch about a foot cork.

On the street car he could find no bill less than $5, and the conductor grumbled about the change.

"Give me the change, confound you," said Mr. Wilson, "or else I'll have that number off your cap."

Thereupon the conductor quieted down and gave him his change. Mr. Wilson tossed 10 cents to a baby on a seat in front of him and then settled back to enjoy his ride. He had never known of a more beautiful day. He observed with much satisfaction that every one else seemed as happy as he. The women in the doorways were smiling, and children romped along the sidewalks. He counted the money from one pocket and found that it amounted to $65, or 1,300 glasses of beer. The other passengers watched him curiously.

He alighted at Polk street and walked over to Dinny's place. The old crowd was there.

"Come up, you fellows," said Mr. Wilson, "and drink all you can hold. I mean it," he added as they did not seem willing to stand up and take chances. "Here's the stuff."

He dribbled out on the bar the silver which the conductor had given him.

There was a rush, and Dinny began setting out rows of schooners.

"Drink up that money!" shouted Mr. Wilson, "and say, Dinny, give me a good cigar."

While the boys were taking away the "scuttles" as fast as they could be passed up, Mr. Wilson went out to purchase a wardrobe. He knew the place to go, because he had stood before it many a time looking at the brilliant neckties and white collars. The proprietor met him gruffly, but melted into smiles when he saw the roll of money.

"Fix me up from the skin out," said Mr. Wilson. "Give me the best stuff you've got and hand it out quick. Have you got a back room?"

Certainly he had a back room. Mr. Wilson was shown to that apartment and was treated to every courtesy. One by one the necessary articles were pushed into the room. At the end of ten minutes he was a new man. His neck felt the dignified embrace of a collar for the first time in years. The stiff shirt had straightened him up. He put his money into his new clothes and strolled out. The big officer who had once kicked him moved respectfully aside to allow him to pass.

"I'll hire some one to lick that fellow," said Mr. Wilson as he directed his steps toward a fancy barroom.

He drank cocktail after cocktail, and the only effect was to increase his general cheerfulness and make every one around him more attentive to his wishes.

"Where's the best restaurant in town?" he asked, leaning over the bar and familiarly addressing the man in the white garments.

"It's two blocks down."

"I'll show you where it is," said a man who wore clothes almost as good as those of Mr. Wilson; "come with me."

Mr. Wilson locked arms with the gentleman, who introduced himself as president of a bank and said he was proud to be allowed to walk along the street with Mr. Wilson. They met several distinguished citizens whose names Mr. Wilson had read in scraps of newspaper around the lodging house.

They met the mayor, the postmaster, Mr. Armour, Mr. Field, Mr. Pullman and others. Every time Mr. Wilson was introduced the whole crowd went and had a drink. Mr. Wilson showed them how much money he had, and they slapped him on the back and said he was a good fellow.

At last Mr. Wilson and the banker sat down to dine. They had lobster and pie and champagne and all kinds of drinks, and Mr. Wilson gave the waiter a dollar to fan him while he was eating.

Mr. Wilson ate two lobsters, for they were the first he had tasted in ten years, and every one in the house watched him when he pulled out such a lot of money and demanded to know how much he owed the place.

After that he and the banker went riding in an open carriage, and all the people along the street stopped to see them go by. They halted in front of a saloon and had the bartender bring three bottles of champagne out to the carriage—one for Mr. Wilson, one for the banker and one for the driver.

While they were drinking the champagne out of the bottles a crowd gathered around. Mr. Wilson ordered a policeman to disperse the crowd, and he did so promptly.

"Now, what shall we do next?" asked the banker, putting his arm around Mr. Wilson's neck.

"Oh, take a little ride and then have something more to drink. Drive up there!" and he stood up in the seat and kicked the driver in the back.

So they drove up one street and down another, while the bands played and women at the windows waved handkerchiefs. Mr. Wilson leaned back in the cushions, thoroughly happy and counting his money, when he felt a sudden pain in his right foot.

The pain became more sharp.

He raised himself to his elbow.

He was getting the "hot foot." A heavy policeman was pounding the sole of his shoe. The club was lifted again, but Hobo Wilson drew back his leg.

"Go wan, now! Get a move!" said the policeman, giving him a kick with the broad of his foot.

"Well, I'm goin," whined Hobo Wilson, whose head was all in a whirl as he came to his feet. He picked up his coat and limped around the corner of warehouse I, and at each step the cruel truth became clearer to him.

"Thank goodness for one thing," said he, "I can still taste the lobster."

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WHEELMEN TO THE FRONT.

The Bicycle Tournament Held at Tecumseh Last Saturday a Grand Success.

The Tecumseh Bicycle Association are to be congratulated for the grand success of the tournament, Saturday last. There was no error in judgment in selecting the officers, committees and officials of the races. They proved to be the right men in every instance and to their untiring and ceaseless efforts are we indebted for the most successful tournament of the kind ever held in the state. The track was in perfect condition—could not have been better, was the verdict of all those who participated in the races; many of whom had frequently been in contests of like character in this and other states, and they pronounced it the most complete in arrangement and the most courteously and impartially conducted meet they had ever attended. Several noted bicyclists who had entered were not present, the rains of Thursday and Friday leading them to believe that the track would be exceedingly heavy and that the races would not come off, consequently did not put in an appearance. For this same reason, no doubt, a large number of people remained at home who would have been present had the weather been pleasant Friday, and indeed it was a great surprise to all to find the grounds in such fine shape. Aside from its being chilly, the day was perfect. It is only necessary to state that the seventeen heats were made in two hours and ten minutes, to show how perfectly system ruled everything must have been. Owing to the large number of entries, several of the races were divided into heats; the three first in each heat to go the final one.

First event was the one-mile novice, open. First heat was won by Elmer Beneway, Tecumseh; time, 2:51. Scott of Morenci, 2d, 2:52 1-4, and Church, of Tecumseh, 3d, 2:55. The second heat was won by Stoffet, of Ann Arbor; time, 2:50; Fisher, of Plissfield, 2d, 3:01 1-2; Hiser, of Britton, 3d. In this heat Bert Day of Tecumseh and Leon Clark of Clinton collided on the back stretch. Aside from several bruises and broken wheels no serious damage was done. They were, on this account, permitted to go in the final heat, which resulted as follows: Stoffet 1st; time, 2:44 1-2; Scott 2d, 2:49 4-5; Day 3d, 2:50. The prizes were: 1st, gold watch and case, $15; 2d, pearl handled revolver, $10; 3d, box of cigars, $3.50.

The next was the one mile open. 1st prize, diamond ring, $40; 2d, pearl stud, $25; 3d, box of cigars, $5.50. Herman of Toledo won the first heat; time, 2:30 3-5; Stoffet 2d, 3:05 3-5; Wolcott of Gibsonburg, Ohio, 3d, 3:06. In this heat, when entering the stretch, Guy Davidson took a "header," which fortunately resulted in only a general shaking up, but he did not continue in the race. In the second heat Bernhart of Toledo was 1st; time, 2:37; Cull of Norwalk, Ohio, 2d, 2:37 2-5; Hoachstetter 3d, 2:38 1-2. The final heat was won by Bernhart in 2:37 1-5; Cull, 2d, 2:38 2-5; Herman 3d, 2:39.

Then came the ladies' one-mile open. First prize, solid gold watch and case, $50; 2d, emerald ring, $15; 3d, silk umbrella, $5. Miss Rena Stoffet of Ann Arbor demonstrated that she was a strong rider, and won easily in 1:21 1-5; Miss Millenbarn of Detroit 2d, 1:38 4-5; Miss Winter of Clyde, Ohio, 3d, 1:45.

Next came the one-half mile county championship, which Davidson won in 1:13, defeating Matthes and Ackley of Adrian. The prize was a solid gold diamond-mounted medal, which the people generally seemed pleased to have remain here.

The one-half mile open was the next on the programe. First prize, diamond ring, $40; 2d, split second timer, $10; 3d, box of cigars, $3.50. Wolcott of Gibsonburg, Ohio, won the first heat; time, 1:18 3-5; Herman 2d, 1:18 4-5; Stoffet 3d, 1:21 1-4. The second heat was won by Bernhart; time, 1:14 2-5; Hoachstetter 2d, 1:19 1-5; Cull 3d, 1:24 1-4. In the final heat both Wolcott and Herman took a tumble as they were entering the stretch. For a time there was intense excitement, people fearing they must be seriously injured, as they were going at terrific speed. It was thought that Wolcott was badly hurt, but he soon rallied, though unable to race any more. Herman was badly bruised and cut but showed great pluck and appeared in the next race as though nothing had happened. Bernhart won the final heat and race; time, 1:13; Cull 2d, 1:15; Hoachstetter 3d, 1:22 1-4.

The first heat of the race for boys under 17 was won by Leon Rosarians of Tecumseh, time, 1:11 3-5; Leon Temple, Tecumseh, 3d, 1:26 3-5; James Dibble, Holloway, 3d, 1:31 1-2. The second heat was won by Herman in 1:16 3-5; Bradford of Adrian 2d, 1:21 1-5; Leon Clark of Clinton 3d, 1:24 1-4. The final heat was won by Herman in 1:12 4-5; Bradford 2d, 1:20 1-5; Rosacrans 3d, 1:28. The prizes were: First, bicyle suit, $15; 2d, sweater, $5; 3d, cyclometer.

Then came the final race, with four prizes, two miles open. In each heat but two contestants appeared. Bernhart won the first heat in 5:37 1-2; Matthes 2d, 5:37 4-5. Hoachstetter won the second heat in 5:33; Cull 2d, 5:33 1-5. Bernhart won the final heat in 5:12 1-2, and the diamond ring worth $50. Hoachstetter 2d, 5:25 2-5, and diamond stud, $25; Cull 3d, 5:28 1-2, and took the bicycle lantern. Matthes finished 4th, capturing the box of cigars.

After so successful a meeting the management may feel assured that at their next tournament there will be a large number of entries by the best wheelmen and an immense crowd of spectators. This meet was also a success financially.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Sutton's Opera House was well filled Monday evening with an intelligent, thinking audience, composed of representative men and women of this vicinity to hear the opening speech of the campaign from a democratic standpoint. The speaker of the evening, Hon. Thos. E. Barkworth of Jackson, nominee for Congress on the Democratic ticket in this the second district, has a very pleasing manner, is a rapid talker, a clear, concise and logical reasoner, and held his audience from first to last as if by magic. He is among the best speakers of the State and made an enviable reputation. While a member of the State Legislature, being the recognized leader of the Democratic side of the house. Mr. Barkworth's speech was entirely free from satire or ridicule when speaking of other parties. He had no stale jokes or stories to tell, no slurs for or abuse of those differing in sentiment from himself. He simply confined himself to the questions before the people of today.

After several pieces nicely rendered by the band, the meeting was called to order by Alva Spayde, who in a very neat manner introduced the speaker. Mr. Barkworth after paying a glorious tribute to America, the freedom of its institutions as compared with other countries, its boundless resources and opportunities, went on to say that with the universal freedom and great individual responsibility. We must think, act and vote according to the dictates of our unbiased reason, and that we should accord to others the same honesty of thought and purpose that we claim for ourselves, and not stamp them as enemies of our government, or treasonable sentiment simply because they saw things differently. In the discussion before us he desired to state nothing but truths and facts that could be substantiated, did not want to deal in myths or cunningly devised fables designed to deceive, but wished to treat the questions at issue fairly, honestly, candidly, and declared it the duty of the voters to investigate carefully and thoughtfully for themselves, unbiased and impartially the positions of the different parties on the questions now before the people and then vote according to their best convictions. He then went on to say that unlike many of his opponents, he considered the coming campaign one of the most important of any preceding it, for matters of vital importance confronted us, such as the tariff, the currency and pensions. He then spoke of the tariff bill just passed. Though not all that we hoped for, yet it was a step in the right direction and already we were beginning to experience and see some of its beneficent influences, notwithstanding the combined efforts of Wall street together with the trusts, monopolies and money interests to thwart its efficiency. He deprecated the state of affairs when a few thousand men could say to our Government you shall legislate as we direct or will overrule you all. He did not believe in legislation for the classes but for the whole people. He did not believe with his Republican friends that previous to 1893 all was prosperous, and that the Democratic party was responsible for the late depression and business stagnation, but it was the result of unwise legislation, the natural result of a high protective tariff, and by the trusts, monopolies and combines. He then quoted from a speech of Ingalls, one of the recognized leaders of the Republican party, made in the Senate in 1891, wherein he said the tendency of the times was radically wrong. Already mutterings of discontent were heard coming from the laboring classes, and the farmers and that the rapid growth of trusts, combines and millionaires, long centuries that something must be done speedily or disaster would follow. He said that the farmers and laboring classes were not afraid that the Democratic party would bring disaster upon the country, for they had by their vote in '92 expressed their confidence in their judgment and ability to legislate for the whole people, but the cry came from the money centers of the east, who saw that they could no longer dictate to the Senate how they should legislate; said farther, if the Republican party during its long term of legislation, had brought peace and universal prosperity to the people they would not have been defeated in '92; had the people been satisfied with the workings of the tariff they would have been continued in power, but the facts were this depression and business stagnation was inevitable under the existing laws and legislation, and cited his hearers to the city of Pullman and the mining regions of the upper peninsular, where after only a few weeks of being out of employment the cry of distress was heard from the masses. Said of course the year previous to the World's Fair there was a temporary revival of trade, but that it was only temporary. During all the changes and amid the hard times the capitalist still drew his dividends. Said that corporations and men of great wealth were not generally actuated by philanthropic motives, as was clearly demonstrated in the Pullman investigation, from which he frequently quoted. He stated that previous to the change in the administration there was discontent and strikes, notably the Homestead strike, and showed that though many industries asked protection from the government against those of foreign countries, they took the foreign laborers in to the exclusion of our home-born laborers; said farther, that the friends of high protection seemed to forget the golden rule and other texts, taught our children in the Sunday school, seemed to have no compassion for the sufferings of others, so long as they were protected. Showed that a general exchange of commodities was a benefit to all, and that the price of wool had advanced in price as soon as the passage of the Wilson bill as amended by the Senate, was an assured fact, that our woolen and other industries were in a more prosperous condition.

He then spoke on the subject of currency, said he was in favor of free silver and defined his position on this and the pension question at some length.

He thought there ought to be some radical changes in the Patent office laws, and expressed his views very clearly and forcibly. In conclusion he spoke of the sugar question, thought what tax there was on sugar would be paid willingly by the people, for they knew that it was a source of revenue to the government and consequently caused a corresponding reduction in taxes. While there was not that boisterous enthusiasm often seen in a heated campaign, the audience frequently showed their approbation of the sentiments uttered by suitable applause. The audience paid the speaker the highest of compliments by paying the closest of attention from first to last. The people, irrespective of party would be pleased to hear Mr. Barkworth again.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

MARRYING A MAN TO REFORM HIM.

Girls! Read Carefully, Ponder Thoughtfully.

A good man may be made better by association with a good woman; a man with repressed evil tendencies may have them held more firmly in check by his wife's restraining influence; but a woman who undertakes to "make over" a man who has given away to the wicked passions of his being until they are beyond his control will not make him a reputable member of society, and a bright and shining light to the community in which he dwells, by marrying. He does not go into the new life as a sort of Keeley cure—a reformatory institution. A woman's strongest and weakest point is her power of idealizing every cold fact with which she comes in contact. She loves a handsome roue. He tells her that if she will but take him in training, she can make a new man of him; that her fair hand can wipe all the dark spots from his past life, smooth the rough places, and elevate the depressions in his character until it will once more be goodly to contemplate. And over the stereopticon view of the man his fiancee throws the rose-colored light of her idealistic lantern, and believes all he says. She would think it cruel practicality and injustice were some unprejudiced observer to suggest that if he cannot change his life when the possibilities of winning her are at stake he will hardly do so when the prize is his own.

My heart aches when I think of the women who began the work of reformation with hope, and laid it down with despair at the end of a life that made them "turn weary arms to death" with a sigh of welcome. On the table before me stands the portrait of one such woman. When she was a merry-hearted girl she fell in love with a handsome, brilliant young fellow, whose only failing was a fondness for liquor. He loved her deeply—better than anything else in the world—except drink. Nevertheless, he promised to overcome even this passion for her sake. In vain did her family plead and protest. Her only answer was:

"Harry cannot keep straight without some one to help him. I must marry him now. He needs me."

Two years after her marriage she died of a broken heart, whispering at the last to a dear friend that she "was not sorry to go, but would be thankful life was over if she were only sure that her year old baby would not be left to Harry's care."

Yet he was, in most respects, tender and considerate. The only trouble was that his devotion to her remained at the point at which it stood when he became her husband. The habit of intemperance grew.

Suppose that, added to this great fault, had been others still more vicious. Had his been a course, brutal nature, would not the idea of reformation have been still more hopeless?

A woman, in tying herself for life to an unprincipled man, forgets that he has lost, to a great extent, his better nature, and is now hardly responsible for his actions. The spirit may, indeed, be willing, but the flesh is lamentably weak. The appetites that have been long indulged do not relinquish their claims after only a few months' restraint, and when the girl for whose sake they have been repressed is won, they will return to the swept and garnished room, and the last end of their victim will be worse than the first.

I often wonder what a good, pure woman promises herself when she proposes to twine her clean life with one that is scarred, seamed, and blackened. Evade the truth as she may, there are but two courses for her to pursue: She must either live a lonely life apart from her husband, silently showing disapproval of his habits; or she must, to preserve peace and the semblance of happiness, bring herself down to his level, and become even less delicate and more degraded than he. In the one case her husband will hate her, while in the other she will lose his respect and will despise herself.

There is another aspect of the case to be considered. The American girl of to-day seldom takes the possibility of offspring into her matrimonial plans. They are not only a possibility, but a probability, and it behooves every woman to cast aside false modesty, and with a pure heart and honest soul seriously consider if she is not doing irreparable wrong to unborn children in giving them an unprincipled father. Is she willing to see her children's blood tainted by his vices, their lives wrecked by evil temptations inherited from him? She must, indeed, be a reckless woman and a soulless one who, with this thought uppermost, can still say, "I will marry this man, let the consequences be what they may."—Marion Harland.

Mothers, it is your business to know where your boys are in the evening, what company they keep and what they are doing. If they know that they are welcome at home, from little boyhood to manhood, it will save them from sin, crime and disgrace, and you from heart ache and heart break.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 11, 1894

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Mr. James was in Adrian Monday.

New fall advertising is coming in lively.

P. J. Farley has received an increase of pension.

Albert N. Fowler, M. D., of Clinton, was in town yesterday.

There was a big crowd in town last Saturday to witness the races.

Mr. James moved his effects from the old to the new office yesterday.

Voters must remember that an entire re-registration is required this year.

Miss Winnifred Carpenter, of Adrian, is visiting Tecumseh friends this week.

Will Hayden and his sister, Mrs. Lizzie Ware, drove over to Ann Arbor yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Stead, of Raisin, was a pleasant caller at the HERALD office last Monday.

Marvin Hayden and Mrs. Lizzie Ware of Grand Rapids, are visiting their parents this week.

A. W. Slayton is now occupying his pleasant rooms in the James block. He moved in yesterday.

Frank Snedecor has got moved into his new barber shop. It makes a beautiful tonsorial parlor.

Rev. W. R. Blachford spent Tuesday and yesterday in Hudson. While there he sold his house and lot.

Rev. D. C. Jacobs, of Ishpeming, Mich., was the guest of Rev. C. M. Brown the first of the week.

Miss Ida Kirchgessner and Miss Clara Smith, of Clinton, visited Libbie and Augusta Kirchgessner Tuesday.

Invitations are out for a grand reception to be given by the Masonic fraternity of Adrian to-morrow evening.

Rev. C. M. Brown and Dr. W. A. Frost went to Alma Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Synod of Michigan.

Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, speaks at Adrian to-day. Half rates are given on the railroads and it will be a big day for Adrian.

Wm. VanCamp of Detroit, who has been spending the last ten days in Tecumseh, has found lots of old friends to shake hands with.

Subjects at the Universalist church next Sunday. Morning Lessons from the Harvest Home. Evening: What we owe to Universalism.

Five safes were put into the new James block yesterday, Garlinghouse & Co. 1; A. W. Slayton. 2; Wm. DeMott, 1 and Alf James 1.

Moses Long, the harness maker on East Chicago street, has decided to change location and goes to Onsted this week. We are sorry to lose him.

This is the best time of the year to use a good blood purifier. Ask your druggist what he thinks of Dr. Mixer's C. & S. S. as a good blood medicine?

From the number of iron safes that were being run around the streets yesterday morning, one would think there had been a large fire, or else some one was moving.

J. B. Collier, of Macon, is giving a graphophone concert which is said to be a very fine entertainment. It will be given next Monday evening in the Culverson school house.

Rev. E. C. Andrus is attending the Universalist state convention this week, at Charlotte. Misses Nina Hanford and Carrie Smallidge represent the Tecumseh church as delegates.

Will Walker, of Elgin, Ill., a brother of Scove Walker's, was in town Tuesday, having secured a weeks lay off to visit the old home. He is chief engineer of the electric light plant at Elgin.

The October meeting of the Equal Suffrage Society will be held at Anna Bryant Smith's on Saturday, October 13th, at 3:30 p. m. All ladies interested in the cause are invited to be present.

The illustrated lecture did not take place at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening, owing to the escape of the hydrogen gas. A fresh supply will be made and the lecture will be given next Sunday evening.

Henry Nyland, who for over 30 years has been engaged in the shoe business here has withdrawn from that branch of trade, as his other interests demand his entire attention, and he has sold his stock of boots and shoes to Karner Brothers of Blissfield. The invoice was taken yesterday.

The funeral of Rev. J. O. Heck was held last Friday afternoon in the Baptist church and was largely attended by friends from Tecumseh and elsewhere. Rev's Whitney of Adrian, Stone of Milan and Hodder of Rome were present and assisted in the services. A bright life and one of ambition and promise, is thus cut short in its earthly career. The bereaved wife and parents will receive the sympathy of all in their affliction.

Wm. R. Bresie is shaking hands with friends for a few days.

Mrs. Margaret Beamish was visiting a sister at Albion last week.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M. tomorrow evening.

Miss Mary Brown, of Adrian, was visiting Tecumseh friends Saturday.

D. A. Hodges is spending a couple of weeks with his wife at G. W. Jackson's.

Mrs. J. T. Clark and Miss Laura Clark were visiting friends in town Monday.

Tecumseh young people will hold a Silver Medal contest on Friday evening Oct. 26th.

Do you want a new stove this fall? Then consult Whitenack & Co's new card in another column.

Anderson & Co., have a new card this week in which they give the public some hints on underwear.

The Baptist church has three new deacons: Dr. L. G. North, A. K. Waldron and A. VanValkenburg.

Four hundred and fifty season tickets to the lecture course have already been sold, they are rapidly going off.

A number from Ridgeway, Macon, Britton, Tipton and Clinton attended the Democratic Rally Monday evening.

Mrs. E. B. Wood is attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at Grand Rapids this week.

Geo. A. Kies and Wm. H. Beehler of Clinton, attended the special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M. Tuesday evening.

Next Sunday evening, at the Methodist church Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Young Men and the Saloons."

We call your attention to the change in ads of McCann Bros., Harris & Hiteshu and D. L. Whitenack & Co. They speak volumes.

In the race for the fall trade Harris & Hiteshu are bound to lead the procession. Read their new card elsewhere if you doubt it.

Rev. H. A. Smith left yesterday morning for Wilmot, Wisconsin, called there by the illness of his daughter Bessie. He hopes to be able to bring her back with him the last of the week.

We have received a copy of Miss E. Cora DePuy's story, "The Workingman's Tariff." It is a very fascinating story and presents the tariff question in a light that will be new to many.

Fred A. Maynard, of Grand Rapids, will open the campaign for the Republicans at the Opera House to-night. Later—The meeting has been postponed as Mr. Maynard could not be here.

Quite a crowd gathered at the Chicago street crossing to see Gov. McKinley as he passed through to Jackson to-day. He was accompanied by R. A. Alger. Both appeared on the rear platform of the coach and bowed to the people.

Mrs. John S. Wells, of Ridgeway, brought into our sanctum the other day two mammoth peaches of different varieties. They were beauties and excelled anything we have seen this season. The late Crawford measured 9 1-2x9 3-4 and the Stump the World 9 1-4x9 1-2. Can anyone beat this?

The partition has been moved out of the rear end of McCann Bros. store, thus enlarging their store room about one third. The increased room was absolutely necessary for their increasing trade, and they will now have one of the finest locations in town. They are putting in a mammoth stock of fall goods. Read their new card elsewhere.

An Ann Arbor mail carrier found a lady's gold watch in one of the mail boxes lately. He made a careful search for the woman, and failing to find her, called "time" and reported his find to the postmaster, who has been scrutinizing the postal regulations to determine what class of mail matter it is.—Adrian Press.

The furniture store of Keenan & Jahn, 213, 215 and 217 Woodward avenue, Detroit, was totally destroyed by fire Saturday morning. The flames made rapid headway, though four companies were on the spot in a very few moments. The firemen had barely got thoroughly at work when the entire structure collapsed, and about twenty men were carried down amid the brick and timbers, while the horrified spectators could only shout their consternation at the fate of the poor fellows crushed to death in doing their duty. Six more brave men will never answer another fire alarm.

The following clipped from the Jackson Patriot of October 5th, will be interesting news to Mr. Ham's many Tecumseh friends. "As has already been announced in the Patriot, the firm of Chas. A. Ham & Co. has been dissolved, Chas. A. Ham becoming sole proprietor. The 'closing out' sale came to an end with the change of firm, and the window sign was removed. Mr. Ham said to the Patriot yesterday, that at no time had he been willing to leave Jackson, its pleasant people and the fine trade the old firm had built up in the short space of time they had been in business. As soon as he saw an opportunity to secure entire control of the business he did so. He then became free to act in the matter of 'closing out,' and the best recommendation for Mr. Ham's sincerity of purpose throughout is the announcement that he will remain in the city. He has already commenced restocking the store and extends to the ladies of Jackson a cordial welcome."

L. C. Wolcott was an Adrian visitor Monday.

S. W. Temple went to Detroit on business last Monday.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter to-night.

The Clinton plow walked off with the blue ribbon at the fair.

Dr. North visited Michigan's great seat of learning Tuesday.

Chan Bills, of Chicago, arrived Tuesday night for a short visit with Tecumseh friends.

The Republican Rally that was to have been to-night, has been postponed indefinitely.

Ben Garlinghouse and Robe Hosmer attended the Hillsdale fair last week with the Stimpson scale.

Garlinghouse & Co., are now nicely settled in their pleasant office in the James block, and are ready to receive their friends. Call on them.

A petition is being circulated asking the Lake Shore railroad to build a new depot. What will that amount to? The Common Council should look up the legal rights of the corporation in this matter and then proceed to enforce them.

The Ladies Aid Society, of the M. E. church will hold their second monthly tea, in the church parlors, Wednesday Oct. 17. Business meeting at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Primrose's committee will serve supper from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are invited

The Blissfield Canning Co. distributed nearly one thousand dollars among their employees last Monday, being the pay-roll for the previous two weeks. Quite a little wad of money, and most of it, if not all, will be spent for necessities of life among the merchants of the village.—Blissfield Advance.

Mr. E. R. Tidball left here Tuesday morning for Henderson, Ky., where he joins the Southern Circus for the coming season. We regret to have him leave, but he can do so much better financially that we were reluctantly compelled to part with him. May success attend his present venture.

For the first time in his literary career Jerome K. Jerome is about to write directly for an American audience. This work consists of a series of papers similar in vein to his "Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow," but addressed to American girls and women. The articles will begin shortly in The Ladies' Home Journal, which periodic l will print the entire series,

The school savings bank system, editorially referred to in The Times some weeks ago, has been introduced in four of the Grand Rapids schools, and is proving such a success that the system will be universally adopted there. No figures are yet given of the collections made, but the bank says the receipts are three times greater than expected.—Adrian Times.

O. R. Pierce took possession of the postoffice last Monday, and is now custodian of the mails in this city. He received permission to move the office last Friday, and with the consent and co-operation of the outgoing postmaster, the office was moved on Sunday and ready for business the next morning. The new quarters are convenient, and so arranged that the postmaster has a private office.—Hudson Post.

Prof. Kellogg, of Tecumseh, furnishes some of the progressive young teachers who go out from his school, simple philosophical and chemical apparatus, whereby the teacher is able to illustrate some of the elementary principles of chemistry and philosophy. It is one of the best evidences of merit on the part of a teacher, when he or she give an intelligent attention to such work and thereby inspires an interest and zeal among the pupils. A progressive teacher is never a laggard.—Adrian Press.

Last Friday, between the hours of 6 and 8 p m. about $15 was taken from the Globe Mill. The loss was discovered by Will Hayden, who remembered that he had left a $10 gold piece and some change in the drawer and went down to put it in the safe. To his surprise it was no where to be found. After looking around and finding no damage done to anything, concluded whoever took it had a key. Having his suspicions as to who it might be, quiet investigations were instituted, and in a short time they had the culprits who made a full confession not only to this, but also to being the ones who were guilty of a like offense on a former occassion. The boys, Fred Burrel and Oscar Hall, were taken to Adrian, and now are awaiting their trial.

A number of ministers of the Gospel assembled in the parlors of the methodist church of Tecumseh, Oct. 8, 1874, and formed at that time a ministerial association, by adopting the following constitution:

Art. I. The name of this association shall be the Ministerial Association of Tecumseh and vicinity. And its object shall be the Christian fellowship and mutual improvement of its members.

Art. II. Only ministers of the Gospel in good standing in their several denominations, shall be eligible to membership, and they only by giving their assent to the following doctrines of our common faith:

1. Inspiration of the Holy Scriptures.
2. Trinity of the Godhead.
3. The natural depravity of the human heart.
4. The need of its Regeneration by the Holy Spirit.
5. Salvation through faith in the Divine, human Redeemer, Son of God.
6. The resurrection of the body and the final judgment.
7. The Eternal separation of the righteous from the unrighteous.

High School Happenings.

Miss May Shier, of Tipton, entered the High School Monday.

Kittie Bowers, after several days' absence, has returned to school duties.

Harry Goff is absent from school with an attack of rheumatism peculiar to his left hip.

Prof. Kellogg proved the laws of the pendulum to the philosophy class Monday and Tuesday.

The boys of the High School were treated to an instructive lecture by the business men of the village last Tuesday night.

The teachers of the school made their annual visit to foreign schools last Friday. Several went to Toledo and two went to Hudson.

Bret Harte is writing a story of American life and incident for The Ladies' Home Journal.

—Clothing Sales Agent wanted for Tecumseh and vicinity. Liberal commissions paid, and we furnish the best and most complete outfit ever provided by any house. Write at once for terms. Send 2 or 3 references.
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—Farmers should investigate the advantages of the Homestead Fertilizer before purchasing. It is the best article now on the market. I have it to sell in large or small quantities.
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—A new No. 8 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine can be bought at a bargain The machine may be seen at this office. Call and examine it.

—New Goodrich, New Home, Domestic, Household, Eldridge B. and a number of other machines from $18 upward at Coller's Music Store.

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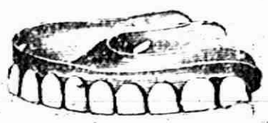

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LIVES CRUSHED OUT.

Terrible Disaster at a Big Fire in Detroit.

Walls of the Burning Building Collapse, Burying Fifteen Men, Six of Whom Are Killed—Nine Others Badly Hurt.

DIED WHILE ON DUTY.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 8.—Six dead and nine injured is the record of the fire which destroyed the furniture store of Keenan & Jahn at 7:30 a. m. Friday. The dead are:

Lieut. Michael H. Donoghue, chemical No. 1. Richard Daly, pipeman No. 9. John Pagel, pipeman No. 9. Frederick A. Bussey, spectator, died at Grace hospital; Mike Ball, pipeman No. 9. Julius Cummings, of No. 2.

The injured are:

Mike Gray, probably fatally; Lieut. O'Rourke, of engine No. 8. Pipeman P. Stock, No. 8. Pipeman C. Crohin, No. 8. John B. Nowell, truck No. 2, injured about the head. Thomas Garry, substitute, badly bruised. Leslie McNamara, No. 2. Henry Kimberly, No. 2. Henry Herig, leg broken.

Employes Get Out with Difficulty.

The fire was discovered in the shipping room in the basement at the back of the store. An alarm was promptly turned in, but by the time the engines arrived the fire had gained considerable headway, having run up the elevator shaft, and the entire upper floor was a mass of flame and smoke when the first stream was thrown. There were sixty employes in the building and most of them had great difficulty in escaping. The building, an old five-story structure, was soon gutted and the stock ruined. At 9 o'clock the front wall of the building tumbled into Woodward avenue. It came in the shape of a collapse, and the mass of debris did not spread beyond the curb. The firemen working in front of the building were warned and retreated as rapidly as possible. Some got out from under, but a dozen or more were unable to do so on account of the piles of brick, glass and burnt timbers.

Stampeded by Electric Wires.

A yell of horror went up from the throats of the thousands who were in the street, and then there was a crash like an earthquake. The air was filled with dust and sheets of flame and smoke. Some of the falling wall broke the heavy electric wires and the trolley wire. A flash of sputtering electric fluid lighted up the scene, and people crowded and surged to get into the stores and down the side streets to escape being shocked. A number of men, women and children were trampled under the feet of the frightened spectators, but none was seriously hurt.

Taking Out Victims.

Rescuers were immediately at work. The first man taken out from under the debris was Lieut Michael H. Donoghue, of chemical No. 1. He was dead. The next body found was that of Richard Daly, pipeman of engine No. 9. It was lying under two iron columns, and the head and back were frightfully crushed. The next body to be taken out was Pipeman John Pagel, of No. 9. He was crushed by the crumbling walls. Frederick A. Bussey, a spectator, was taken to Grace hospital, where he died. Mike Gray was also taken to Grace hospital. The last named was found to be so badly injured about the head that he may die. Mike Boyle, pipeman of No. 2, and Julius Cummings, of company No. 2, are still in the ruins and are certainly dead.

The aggregate loss on building and stock is estimated at $80,000; fully insured.

Cut Her Throat with a Razor.

MONROE, Oct. 8.—Kate Dusseau, 22-year-old daughter of County Superintendent of the Poor Peter Dusseau, of La Salle, made a desperate, and what must prove a successful, attempt at suicide Sunday morning. She snatched a razor from her brother, who was shaving, and cut a gash in her throat 6 inches long, completely severing the windpipe, and barely missing the jugular vein. The young lady began showing symptoms of insanity several months ago, after a severe illness, and only returned from an asylum Saturday evening. She had several times threatened to take her life.

Will Meet in Grand Rapids.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Oct. 5.—The national executive committee of the American Republican College league has decided to hold the next annual convention of the league at Grand Rapids, Mich., on Friday, April 5, 1895. Among those expected to speak on the occasion are Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley, Jr., Thomas B. Reed, Julius C. Burrows and Chauncey M. Depew.

Minister Held Up and Robbed.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 5.—Rev. Mr. Bullock, a Baptist minister of Salem and a well-known Christian Endeavor worker in this state was held up by three men and robbed of his watch and chain and some money. They threw him down, knocking out his front teeth and cutting his face. He was walking home from Pittsfield Junction, on the Ann Arbor road.

Drugged, Beaten and Robbed.

STURGIS, Oct. 6.—A young man by the name of Wills, of Sherman township, was found at 11 o'clock Friday night wandering about the court yard in a dazed condition. He had been struck in the face and his revolver and ring were gone. He said he drank something out of a bottle, but did not know who gave it to him.

Christian Endeavorites.

CADILLAC, Oct. 8.—The state convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was held in this city Saturday and Sunday, 100 delegates being present. Papers on appropriate and interesting topics were read and addresses were delivered by clergymen and delegates.

The Marquette Prison.

LANSING, Oct. 8.—The biennial report of the Marquette prison shows expenditures of $27,012.45 for 1893-94. A special appropriation of $9,000 for buildings, etc., is asked for.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Paragraphs Compiled from the Michigan Press.

Over 36,000 baskets of peaches were shipped from Fennville this season.

Eleventh district democrats nominated William B. Hudson for congressman.

Banking Commissioner Sherwood has called for a report of the condition of all the state banks at the close of business Tuesday, October 2.

A company, of which Fred E. Lee, of Dowagiac, is president, has been organized to build a railroad to run between Buchanan and Benton Harbor.

Rev. W. D. Simonds, for five years pastor of the Independent Congregational church at Battle Creek, has accepted a call to the Unitarian church at Madison, Wis.

Sent back to flag a train, Brakeman Allen, of the Bay City branch of the Michigan Central road, went to sleep upon the track near Columbiaville, and was cut to pieces.

The old mail route from Middleville to Yankee Springs, Orangeville and Gun Marsh has, after being fifty years established, been changed from the former place to Hastings.

It cost the city of Battle Creek $68,444 to run the public schools last year. It required sixty-five teachers to look after the 2,793 pupils actually enrolled. The total census of the city shows 5,867 children of school age.

POISONED HER ONLY SON.

Now Pronounced Sane and Will Be Tried for the Crime.

LANSING, Oct. 8.—Interest in a most atrocious murder committed near this city about fifteen months ago is again aroused by the trial of Mrs. Minnie Herre, which is to take place here this week. The woman poisoned her only son, a lad of 12 years, and at the same time killed several pigs and other farm animals. At night she stole the body of the boy out of a window and threw it into a deep well, nearly frightening the watchers to death by breaking the windows in the house and extinguishing the lights at dead of night. She made a full confession of the crime, and was adjudged insane and confined in an asylum. The institute physician now pronounces her sane, and her trial will take place this week.

THE WRONG MAN.

William Trombley Proves That He Did Not Murder Chauvin.

DETROIT, Oct. 8.—William D. Trombley, the nephew of Charles Chauvin, the murdered hermit, who was arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the murder, has been released, no evidence being found against him.

When located by J. H. Seitz, a wealthy Detroiter, who has an interest in the case, Trombley was a waiter in the Sinclair hotel at New York, where he had been employed for eight months. Trombley says that he had not heard of his uncle's death until informed by Seitz. The latter purchased some time ago for $2,000 all of Trombley's interest in the Chauvin estate and the nephew says he is to receive $25,000 more from Seitz.

FATALLY CLUBBED BY THIEVES.

Samuel Hotchkiss, a Michigan Farmer, Is Killed for Resisting.

UTICA, Oct. 5.—Two masked men entered the house of Samuel Hotchkiss, a wealthy farmer near here, at midnight Wednesday, and, at the point of a revolver, held the entire family up. Hotchkiss made some show of resistance, and was struck on the head with a club and fatally wounded. The men then ransacked the house, securing about $350 in cash and a large amount of jewelry. When they departed they politely bade the family good night. A posse was organized and is now in pursuit of the thieves. No clew to them has yet been found.

Notorious Counterfeiter Caught.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 7.—Chief Hazen, of the United States secret service, has received a telegram announcing the arrest at Bay City, Mich., of Hamilton Block, the noted counterfeiter. Block is said to have made four very dangerous counterfeits bearing the photographic Garfield head, which have caused the office much trouble. It is regarded as a very important arrest. Block was the leader of the gang which a few months ago broke jail in Milwaukee, and escaped in a yacht.

Reappears After Thirty Years.

DETROIT, Oct. 5.—Thomas Cooney vanished from the sight of his relatives here thirty years ago and was not again heard from until Thursday, when he walked into his brother John's house. He had been mourned as dead. He says that he went from here to the Ohio oil fields and, though he wrote letters home for some time, they were all returned to him through the dead letter office. Since then he has traveled around the world.

Convicted an Innocent Man.

ST. JOSEPH, Oct. 6.—Lewis Robb, in an interview, stated that William Vance, who was captured and sentenced to twenty years' hard work at Jackson prison, was innocent and that he had nothing to do with the attempted assassination of Mayor Fred A. Hobbs. Vance was convicted upon circumstantial evidence.

Banqueted Minister Thurston.

ST. JOSEPH, Oct. 6.—A brilliant reception and banquet was tendered to L. A. Thurston, Hawaiian minister to the United States and Portugal, and wife, of Honolulu, Friday evening at the Lake View hotel in this city. Short remarks were made by prominent gentlemen of St. Joseph and Benton Harbor and by Mr. Thurston.

A New Counterfeit.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 6.—A new counterfeit five-dollar national bank note has been discovered on the Citizens' national bank of Niles, Mich., check letter B, series of 1882. The entire face of the note is brown, instead of black.

OR. RANSOM NOT DEAD.

New Mystery Added to the Case by a Michigan Lawyer.

SOUTH HAVEN, Oct. 5.—The mystery surrounding the sudden disappearance in Chicago of Dr. W. C. Ransom, the head of the "Around the World" company formed here, has been in a measure cleared up. E. P. Townsend, attorney for Ransom, was on the stand in a garnishee suit, and without prelude declared Dr. Ransom was alive and that the witness had known of his whereabouts and been in communication with him ever since his dropping out of sight last summer while in Chicago on business. Mr. Townsend did not reveal Ransom's location or tell an intensely astonished public the causes that led to his dropping out of sight, and later refused to give any further information. Ransom had property interests here and owned a share in the schooner Wrenn, which was to take the company around the world. As he had $500 in cash in his pocket it was naturally believed he had been murdered. The cause for his act is still a mystery. Townsend refuses to express an opinion regarding Ransom's return, saying when the doctor desired to take the public into his confidence the public would be notified.

PRISON CONTRACT LABOR.

A Peculiar Legal Blunder Abolishes It in Michigan.

LANSING, Oct. 8.—Attorney General Ellis, in examining the statutes relative to the management of the prisons of the state, has made the startling discovery that by a blunder on the part of the legislature of 1893 the convict contract labor system in this state has been abolished. Attorney General Ellis bases his conclusions on the recent opinion of the supreme court in the case of Warden Parsell, of the Ionia reformatory. It was held in that case, Mr. Ellis says, that the 1893 revision of the laws relating to the prisons of the state superseded all previous laws on this subject, and as one of the previous laws provided in detail the manner in which contracts for the labor of convicts should be let, he claims that such law was repealed. Inasmuch as the new law is silent on the subject of contracts, it is held by the attorney general that convicts can now be employed on state account. Contracts existing at the time the law took effect are valid until the expiration of the time for which they were made. But none executed since that time are legal.

BROUGHT BACK.

Lindholm, the Embezzling Deputy Secretary of State, in Lansing.

LANSING, Oct. 5.—August W. Lindholm, the defaulting deputy secretary of state who ran away last March, has arrived in Lansing from Sweden in custody of Deputy Sheriff Wright and Chief of Police Sanford, who went to his mother country after him six weeks ago. He admits that he is short in his accounts from $900 to $1,200. It was believed that Lindholm knew something about the manner in which the fraudulent canvass of the returns upon the salaries amendment were made, as the canvass was conducted by clerks in his charge, but he professes innocence of the affair. He was arraigned on Thursday and pleaded not guilty and was held for examination October 17. Bail was fixed at $5,000, which has not yet been furnished.

BIG DEAL IN COPPER LANDS.

Cleveland Syndicate Purchases Property in the Calumet and Hecla Belt.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 8.—A large deal in valuable copper lands has been consummated in this city. A syndicate of Cleveland citizens has purchased 4,080 acres for $81,500. The land purchased is located in Ontonagon county, Mich., and was bought from the estate of Alex. B. Hallowell, deceased, and Alfred Meads. The property is located in the Calumet and Hecla belt of copper mines and is said by experts who have examined the property to be one of the best parcels of copper land in Michigan. An extensive paint will be equipped in the immediate future and the mining of copper will be pushed. It is stated a number of copper veins, containing large quantities of mass copper, have been opened already.

Will Try the State Courts.

LANSING, Oct. 7.—Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, through Prof. Kent, special counselor for the city of Detroit in its street railway litigation, has requested Attorney General Ellis to begin quo warranto proceedings in the state supreme court to test the question of the present validity of the ordinances of the Citizens' Street Railway company.

Struck by a Stray Shot.

CHASSELL, Oct. 3.—Engineer Ray, of the steamer Canisteo, lost an eye Sunday by having it struck by a glancing shot from the gun of a man named Wyckoff, who was hunting ducks. The Canisteo, which loaded lumber here for Cleveland, was passing through Portage entry when the bullet struck Engineer Ray.

Diphtheria Epidemic at Kalamazoo.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 8.—Typhoid fever and diphtheria are epidemic here. There are twenty cases of fever, nearly all attributed to drinking surface well water. Five deaths occurred last week. The diphtheria has just broken out in fatal form, one girl dying in two hours after being taken sick.

To Stop Sale of Liquor to Students.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 9.—A reform league has been organized here, composed of nearly all the temperance and Christian societies in town, and they announce their determination to secure the enforcement of the law forbidding the sale of intoxicants to students.

Destroyed by Fire.

ESCANABA, Oct. 5.—The saloon and residence of Michael Kirby, of Lathrop, a small town 35 miles north of this city, was destroyed by fire. Mr. Kirby's aged mother came near losing her life. The loss is $30,000; no insurance. It is thought to be the work of incendiaries.

How to Avoid Farm Work in Summer.

It never gets so hot in the South as it does in the North. There are never any sunstrokes in the South. The hotter the weather the harder the Northern farmer has to work to save his crops, while down South the farmers do their farm work during the Fall, Winter and Spring, when the weather is cool, and during the Summer they take it easy. It is always cool in the shade down South, and the nights are always cool. The thermometer seldom gets above 90. The hottest day during the past five years was 97 degrees.

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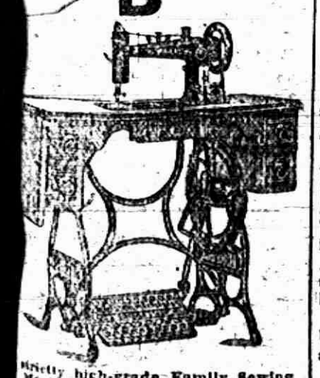

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DOMESTIC.

FEARING burglars Wesley Adamson, a Brazil (Ind.) farmer, secreted $200 in a stove. His wife started a fire and the money was burned.

THE government receipts during the first three months of the current fiscal year were $97,848,174, and the expenditures were $88,628,237.

THE house of H. B. Pierce at Wilmot, Wis., was burned, and his three sons and a daughter of John Frank perished in the flames.

THE First national bank of Fayetteville, N. Y., closed its doors.

AT Dorchester, Neb., Joseph Krob shot and killed Lizzie Brabeck and then killed himself. He asked her to marry him and she refused.

TWO PASSENGER trains collided at a crossing at Sunbury, Pa., and all the passengers were shaken up and ten severely injured.

SOME thirty substantial buildings at Wichita, Kan., besides innumerable barns and outhouses, were demolished or injured in a greater or less degree by a tornado and two men were killed.

H. O. HAVEMEYER and J. E. Searles, of the sugar trust, were indicted for refusing to answer questions put by the senate investigating committee.

THE total money circulation of the country was placed at $1,655,038,982—a per capita of $24.07, against $1,596,049,983 October 1, 1893.

POST OFFICE department officials in Washington forbid a contemplated Sunday parade of letter carriers in Chicago.

SIX PERSONS were badly injured in a freight train wreck at Mansfield, O., and twenty cars were demolished.

MRS. M. C. GILES, of Belvidere, Ill., went to bed with good eyes and woke up in the morning totally blind. The physicians were baffled.

A MONUMENT to Maj. B. F. Stephenson, founder of the Grand Army of the Republic, was dedicated at Petersburg, Ill.

PROF. VINCENNES BOTTA, the celebrated linguist, fell three stories from his residence in New York, sustaining fatal injuries.

EMMA JACOBS, of Lamont, Ia., aged 7 years, saved a Chicago Great Western train from being wrecked on a burned bridge.

WILLIAM PUGH, of Ohio, has been appointed superintendent of income tax collections by Secretary Carlisle.

A STAGE running between Yreka and Fort Jones, Cal., was held up by a lone highwayman, who stole the treasure box.

SOLLY SMITH and Frank Erne fought a terrific ten-round battle, ending in a draw, at Buffalo, N. Y.

MARTIN IRONS, once a famous labor leader, was in jail at Fort Worth, Tex., charged with assaulting a little girl.

CHAMPION CORBETT issued a challenge in which he agreed to meet all comers in the prize ring next July, one each night until all were disposed of.

TROTTING queen Alix, 2:03¾, and trotting king Directum, 2:05¼, have been matched to race for $2,500 a side.

NEAR Pawnee, Neb., a cyclone killed John Nelson's 9-year-old girl and seriously injured five other members of the family.

IN a fight between "Denver Ed" and "Larry" Farrell for $5,500 at Denver the former won on a foul.

GOADED by intimations of cowardice Corbett has decided to accept the challenge issued by Fitzsimmons.

THE twenty-ninth annual reunion of the Army of the Tennessee convened at Council Bluffs, Ia.

NINE persons were killed and property worth $1,000,000 destroyed by a cyclone at Little Rock, Ark. The main portion of the business center of the city was practically in ruins.

THE fire losses for the week ended on September 30 entailed a loss of $5,010,000, of which fires doing damage of $10,000 or more contributed $4,670,000.

AT Portland, Me., Directum trotted a mile in 2:08¼, defeating Nelson and lowering the record for New England.

AT the Farmers' national congress at Parkersburg, W. Va., resolutions were adopted favoring protection to wool and cotton.

PRAIRIE fires devastated a large tract of land in the Black Brook country near Grantsburg, Wis.

BEFORE the Lexow committee Mrs. Urchittel testified that police of New York put her children in an asylum in order to extort money from her.

G. HERMAN & Co., fruit dealers at Tehichipi, Cal., failed for $250,000.

IT was reported that the steamship Chattahoochie, overdue at Savannah from New York, had been lost with all on board.

AS J. LIEM, a wealthy resident of Liemville, Pa., and his wife were killed by an explosion of nitroglycerine in their home. The perpetrators of the deed were unknown.

JIM and Marion Crutchfield (brothers) and Will Mitchell, all negroes, fought near Denton, Tex., and all were killed.

BEFORE the Lexow committee a woman testified that the New York police had forced her to buy diamonds for them and furnish their houses to secure their protection.

A NEW counterfeit five-dollar national bank note was discovered on the Citizens' national bank of Niles, Mich., check letter B, series of 1882. The entire face of the note is brown, instead of black.

AN entire business block was destroyed by fire in the village of Buckhannon, W. Va.

AT Bloomfield, Ind., the safe of the bank was blown to pieces by robbers and $5,500 carried away.

THE bodies of fifty persons, victims of the recent tropical storms, were washed ashore near Key West.

In a very short time the Emperor, if he desires to be really severe with Li Hung Chang, can deprive him of his winter flannels.

There is this much to be said in favor of General Yeh: he died with his boots on.

JOSEPH MATCHET, a farmer at Bulger, Pa., was robbed of $5,000 by a pickpock. He had taken the money with him to a fair expecting to purchase some of the exhibition cattle.

CHARLES E. DAY, a lamp trimmer, was killed by an electric light wire in Boston and a man who attempted to rescue Day was also killed.

SIX persons were injured, three of them fatally, by the collision of a locomotive and street car in St. Louis.

THE commissioner of Indian affairs in his annual report says special advancement has been made in Indian education. The aggregate enrollment for the year was 21,451, with an average attendance of 17,096, against 21,117 enrollment and 16,308 attendance for the previous year.

THE ship City of Athens sailed for the United Kingdom with the first cargo of wheat shipped from Tacoma, Wash., amounting to 1,800 tons.

THE axle works of J. R. Johnson & Co. were destroyed by fire at Richmond, Va., the loss being $100,000.

THE first of the seven baseball games of the Temple cup series between the New York and Baltimore clubs was won by New York by a score of 4 to 1.

FLYING JIB paced a mile at Chillicothe, O., with a running mate in 1:58¼. The previous best record at this style of going was 2:01¼.

ENGINEER MICHAEL KETCHUM, Fireman Thomas Warren and Brakeman M. E. Hummel were killed in a freight wreck at Southfield, Mo.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 5th aggregated $999,555,127, against $825,401,482 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 11.1.

WILLIAM NIXON'S chestnut mare Quirt ran at Vallejo, Cal., the two fastest half-mile heats on record. She won the first heat in :47¼, the second in :47¼.

THERE were 219 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 5th; against 235 the week previous and 320 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THE second of the seven baseball games of the Temple cup series between the New York and Baltimore clubs was won by New York by a score of 9 to 0.

NEAR Knoxville, Tenn., two farmers, Charles Perky and Jones Overton, fought over the line of a fence and killed each other.

THE national convention of the nonpartisan Woman's Christian Temperance union will begin at Washington, Pa., November 13.

THE commissioner of the general land office in his annual report recommends measures of relief for the forest fire sufferers in Wisconsin and Minnesota. During the year the total cash receipts of the office were $2,777,824, a decrease of $1,711,909 over the previous year; total agricultural patents issued, 86,255, a decrease of 8,429.

FIVE men were indicted for wrecking a Big Four passenger train at Fontanet, Ind., during the great railroad strike.

AT Nashville, Tenn., the Young Men's Christian association building was totally destroyed by fire.

COFFIN & STANTON, a stock brokerage firm in New York, failed with liabilities of $3,600,000.

FIRE in the business district of New Haven, Mo., destroyed nine buildings.

SEAVETT'S stave factory at Vernon, O., was burned and five horses perished in an adjoining barn.

WILLIAM VANCE, sentenced to a term of twenty years at St. Joseph, Mo., for attempted murder, is now said to be innocent.

SIX PERSONS were killed and a number injured by falling walls during a fire in a furniture store in Detroit, Mich.

MILL operatives numbering 26,000 in New Bedford, Mass., were advised by their leaders to accept a reduction and end the strike.

THE boiler in Schultz's sawmill near Parkersburg, W. Va., exploded, killing three men and fatally injuring two others.

WILLIAM HERRICK, a machinist at Indianapolis, has fallen heir to a fortune of $300,000, left by a relative in England.

A COMPANY was organized at Indianapolis which will practically give them the monopoly of the wheel business in the country. D. N. Smith, of Jackson, Mich., was elected president.

GEORGE NEERR, aged 60, a saloonkeeper at Indianapolis, Ind., fatally shot his wife and then killed himself. A quarrel was the cause.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

GOV. MCKINLEY opened the republican and Senator Vest the democratic campaign in Missouri, the former speaking at St. Louis, the latter at Kansas City.

MRS. KATHERINE MEDILL, wife of Joseph Medill, editor of the Chicago Tribune, died at Elmhurst from consumption, aged 63 years.

THE republicans of the Thirteenth Ohio district nominated S. R. Harris for congress and in the Fourteenth district the democrats nominated Thomas Y. McCray.

THE following congressional nominations were made: Michigan, Fifth district, I. G. Rutherford (dem.); Eleventh, Mayor Anderson (pop.); Twelfth, Rush Culver (dem.). Ohio, First district, H. D. Peck (dem.); Second, M. O. Oliver (dem.); Third, A. L. Harris (rep.); Seventh, M. K. Gantz (dem.). Illinois, Twenty-second district, F. M. Youngblood (dem.). Maryland, Second district, J. F. C. Talbot (dem.); Third, H. W. Rusk (dem.); Fourth, John Cowen (dem.). Massachusetts, Third district, J. A. Walker (rep.); Fourth, J. S. Desmond (dem.); Twelfth, Elijah Morse (rep.). Connecticut, Fourth district, F. J. Hill (rep.). Pennsylvania, Sixteenth district, Fred Leonard (rep.).

THE republicans made great gains in the municipal elections throughout Connecticut.

THE republicans of South Carolina will not nominate a state ticket, but candidates will run in each congressional district.

THE following nominations for congress were made: Illinois, Twelfth district, T. S. Donovan (dem.). Wisconsin, Seventh district, Michael Griffin (rep.) Nebraska, Fifth district, W. A. McKeighan (dem.-pop.). Massachusetts, Second district, F. R. Gillette (rep.). New Jersey, Fifth district, Preston Stevenson (dem.).

RETURNS from all except two out of 164 towns that held elections in Connecticut show a republican gain of twenty-three towns.

PROF. DAVID SWING, the eminent preacher and theologian, died of cholemia at his home in Chicago, aged 64 years.

AT the state election in Florida B. G. Lyddon (dem.) was elected justice of the supreme court without opposition.

MRS. MARY SHEEHAN died at the almshouse in Pottsville, Pa., aged 102 years.

WILLIAM Y. ATKINSON (dem.) was elected governor of Georgia by a greatly reduced majority, owing to his unpopularity.

CANDIDATES for congress were chosen as follows: Ohio, Tenth district, J. O. Yates (dem.). Michigan, Eleventh district, W. E. Hudson (dem.). Minnesota, Second district, H. S. Kellogg (pro.); Fifth, T. Reinstadt (pro.). Maryland, Fourth district, R. H. Smith (rep.). Arkansas, Third district, W. R. Hull (rep.). North Carolina, Fifth district, W. Merritt (pop.). New Jersey, Third district, B. F. Howell (rep.).

LATER reports from the Georgia election show that the populists made gains in almost every county in the state and that the democratic majority would probably not be more than 15,000, against nearly 70,000 at the last general election.

THE following congressional nominations were made: Illinois, Third district, H. R. Belknap (rep.). Ohio, Eighth district, E. T. Dunn (dem.). New York, Thirty-first district, H. C. Brewster, (rep.). Massachusetts, Fifth district, H. A. Little (dem.).

COL. W. L. STRONG, president of the Central national bank, was selected for mayor of New York by the republicans and the committee of seventy.

JUDGE GAYNOR, nominated for judge of the court of appeals of New York by the democrats, has declined to make the race.

FOREIGN.

A WATERSPOUT near Valencia, in Venezuela, killed more than 150 persons and caused a loss in crops of $400,000.

BY the overflowing of rivers in Cuba 200 persons lost their lives, and property was damaged to the extent of $4,000,000.

SHANGHAI dispatches intimate that the emperor of China may be deposed in favor of Prince Kung's son.

ADVICES from Cuba state that the little town of Dagua was destroyed by fire and 200 lives were lost.

THE Italian government gave to Krupp, of Berlin, an order for the coinage of 10,000,000 nickel lire.

FRANK DUPRE, a commercial traveler from Rochester, N. Y., was sandbagged and robbed of over $1,200 at Toronto, Ont. He may die.

THE northeast end of Cuba was visited by a terrific hurricane which destroyed or badly damaged all the banana plantations and many houses were blown down.

SEVERAL towns were wrecked along the Russian coast by a hurricane and many lives were lost.

THE Hungarian diet passed a bill granting liberty of worship to all creeds, despite the opposition of the clergy.

LATER.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, the famous poet, essayist, philosopher and scientist, died at his residence in Boston of heart failure. Dr. Holmes was born in Cambridge, Mass., August 29 1809.

FIRE in a frame barn in Chicago resulted in the death of thirty-five horses.

CUSTOMS receipts under the new tariff were not as large as expected and the condition of the treasury was again serious.

SENATOR MCPHERSON, of New Jersey, has written a letter declining to again be a candidate for the office.

DAVID BENNETT HILL formally accepted the democratic nomination for governor of New York. Charles F. Brown was nominated by the state committee for judge in place of W. J. Gaynor, who declined to accept.

A TRAIN on the Georgia Southern was wrecked in a cut near Bristol, Tenn., ten passengers being injured and eight coaches burned.

JOHN TIERNEY and his wife were found dead at Middletown, N. Y., and were believed to have been murdered.

IT was discovered that prison contract labor has been abolished in Michigan by an error of the legislature.

AT Powers Station, Ky., seven negroes were killed for insisting upon riding in a car with white men.

FOUR young children of John D. Chandler, of Smithsonia, Ala., were cremated. The parents left the house, locking the little ones in, and when they returned the dwelling and all its contents were in ashes.

MISS BEATRICE VANDECESSDEN, aged 17, fell from a parachute, 1,600 feet, at Buffalo, N. Y., and was instantly killed.

DISPATCHES from Shanghai state that seventy Japanese war vessels bearing 30,000 soldiers were moving on China.

REPUBLICANS of Massachussets in state convention at Boston renominated J. T. Greenhalge for governor.

THE third of the seven baseball games of the Temple cup series between the New York and Baltimore clubs was won by New York by a score of 4 to 1.

IN the Rahway (N. J.) road race Thomas Hughes covered the 25-mile course in 1:09:27, a new world's record.

ANDREW G. CURTIN died at his home in Bellefonte, Pa., aged 79 years. He was governor of Pennsylvania from 1860 to 1866, and in 1869 Gen. Grant appointed him minister to Russia. The death of Mr. Curtin leaves but one war governor living, Sprague, of Rhode Island.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	4 40 A.M.	2 05 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon.....	5 00 "	2 20 "	1 17 "
Norvell.....	5 07 "	2 34 "	1 27 "
Manchester.....	5 25 "	2 50 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	5 40 "	3 05 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh.....	5 49 "	3 15 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	6 07 "	3 53 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	9 50 "	6 20 "	.....
Toledo.....	7 20 "	4 40 "	10 25 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 2:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 30 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 29 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton.....	12 39 "	9 33 "	7 35 "
Manchester.....	12 55 "	9 48 "	8 05 "
Norvell.....	1 10 "	10 05 "	8 45 "
Napoleon.....	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 00 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith.....	1 55	
	A. M. 1 39		Yorkville.....	1 14	A. M.
A. M. 7 20	2 07		Battle Creek.....	12 45	1 35
8 22	2 55		Marshall.....	12 14	12 30
9 11	3 55	3 18	Homer.....	11 46	11 48
9 45	4 42	4 37	Hanover.....	11 14	11 00
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison.....	10 46	10 15
12 05	10 41	4 23	Devils Lake.....	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted.....	10 14	9 38
....	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake.....	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton.....	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh.....	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway.....	9 33	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton.....	9 28	8 30
3 10	12 14	5 33	Rea.....	9 15	*8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee.....	9 05	7 57
3 15	7 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 20
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:26 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	3:15 p m
†No. Mail and Express	6:55 p m

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GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,
6:46 A. M., 11: 5 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,
—FOR—

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GOING NORTH.

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6:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 8:22 p. m.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., OCT. 11, 1894.

Miss Mame Bradner is on the sick list.

Chas. H. Thompson is having a touch of malaria.

Mrs. Don Palmer, of Norvell, was in town yesterday.

Geo. Van Geison is buying apples in the northern country.

Mrs. Josephine Cook is visiting friends at Port Huron.

James Bostedor returned from his trip to Nebraska Monday.

Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh is visiting Dundee friends at present.

Hause Bros. are grinding out a large quantity of cider these days.

Doc J. E. White and L. W. Kimball drove over to Ann Arbor Monday.

Mrs. Charlotte C. Silvers was the guest of Norvell friends last week.

Mrs. Blachford and children visited Clinton friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

Wm. C. Rogers, east of town, is entertaining a brother and wife from Tuscola county.

Mrs. John Wilson and Fred left for their home in Canon City, Colorado, Monday.

Dan R. Gibson left for Stanton, Montcalm county, Tuesday. He will buy potatoes.

Mrs. Martha Camburn and son, Henry, of Macon, visited Will Niblack and family Sunday.

James Hogan left Tuesday for different points in Ohio, for the purpose of selling potatoes.

E. L. Clapp, of Evans Lake, has sold his entire crop of celery to D. Smeltzer & Co., Kansas City, Mo.

E. F. Muir and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Johnston, of Detroit, are visiting Mrs. Chas. Parker, at Hillsdale.

Fay H. Palmer, who has been with Sun Bro.'s circus the past season, arrived home Tuesday night.

Do not fail to hear the eloquent speaker, Rev. Chas. O'Reilly, at the town hall Tuesday evening.

Will H. Katner is now the owner of the Ward farm in Tuscola county but still owns his residence here.

Miss Pet VanDeMark spent Monday and Tuesday with her friend, Miss Florence Cadwell, at Adrian.

Mrs. Dr. White is at Grand Rapids attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Carrie Kelly, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Kies, returned to her home in Bay City Tuesday.

Geo. Chandler, of Ann Arbor, and sister Abbie, of Saline, visited their grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies, the first of the week.

A. J. Sinclair, the state agent of the Home Insurance company, was in town yesterday. His headquarters are at Grand Rasids.

Our people and the traveling public generally are pleased to know that Eugene R. Palmer will continue to run the Hotel Edrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers were in Ann Arbor Saturday. They saw Floyd, as he was there with the base ball team from Orchard Lake.

G. D. Ellis is moving his cigar factory into the Rose building on Chicago street lately occupied by the postoffice. He will have a model place.

Florence Hale, Ora Hickok, Clarabel Parsons and Zoe Corwin were the guests of the latter's cousin, Grace Corwin, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Wm. English, who is an assistant Matron in one of the homes at Detroit, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jeff Fisk and son Albert English.

Miss Dora Marrion, who has been living at Tecumseh, was taken sick recently and her people had her brought home. She is now recovering nicely.

S. W. Demuth and Robert Bauer went duck hunting at Evans Lake Tuesday. They did not have exactly fisherman's luck—but you know how it was yourself.

Mrs. Jas. B. Hause and mother, Mrs. Roff, returned from their visit to Washington, D. C., Monday night. Their return was hastened by the illness of Jennie.

Next Monday evening Eugene Smalley gives one of his unique phonographic concerts at the Methodist church, under the auspices of the Epworth League.

The many friends here of she that was Lida Wilkerson, now Mrs. George Pulver, of Dundee, will be pleased to know that a fine baby girl arrived Sunday morning.

S. W. Demuth and David Woodward spent Sunday at Evans Lake, and some way the fish were so enticing they could not resist their chances to capture a fine lot of them.

Codling & Machin—Ted and John—have opened their business on Jackson street and are running in fine style. They have a Bijou of a market Call, look around and you will buy.

Will McAdam, yesterday, while standing by Jennie Burroughs horse in front of F. D. Lancaster's store, was quite badly hurt. The horse was fighting flies and kicked sideways striking Will on the leg. He will be lame for some time.

Thos. A. Barkworth by his pleasing manner, his clear and logical reasoning captured the heart of his audience Tuesday evening. Even his opponents politically acknowledge him to be a clean, honest and earnest talker and admired him.

Ed VanDeMark had a barrel of grape juice and one of wine vinegar at the south side of the house. Saturday night some one rolled the latter away. Sunday afternoon it was found in the grainery of Lancaster's livery barn. How it got there still remains a mystery.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer entertained Conductor Horace Cooper's wife and daughter, of Jackson, the last of the week. Mrs. Cooper is a cousin of Eugene's. Mr. Cooper has been conductor on the Ft. Wayne branch for years and is now on the Jackson branch Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Prepare to attend Stacy's Snap Shot Story of the World's Fair, illustrated by stereopticon views. The series will be given Oct. 23, 24 and 25, for the benefit of the K. O. T. M. It is very interesting and given entire in three evenings.

St. John's Episcopal Society propose giving a musical entertainment at the town hall Saturday evening, Oct. 20, the proceeds to go for choir seats. It is only necessary to state that it is under the direction of Mrs. Blanche Kimball, Miss Grace Stevens and Rev. W. R. Blachford to assure our people that it will be a rare treat and a great success. We hope to give full details and programe next week.

Quite an excitement was created in this vicinity when the report came that the family of Geo. Helmendinger, Sr., who lives southwest from Manchester, were afflicted with smallpox. At first it was supposed to be and was called erysipelas by the attending physician, consequently many friends and neighbors were in and out. George, who lives just east of town with his wife and two children, were on their way there when he was told it was pronounced that dread disease, so he escaped having his loved ones exposed, as he returned home.

To Down Spooks.

A wealthy bachelor declared that a horrid hag had glared at him through the night. His friends laughed at him but he insisted that the house was haunted. He grew ill, complaining of extreme heaviness in the stomach, his appetite failed, he grew sallow, emaciated and despondent, believing he was going to die, the spook being a warning, and declared he could hear funeral bells ringing in his ears, and even hinted at suicide. A friend induced him to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and he rapidly grew well, spooks and all his distressing symptoms disappearing. A torpid liver and dyspepsia caused his sufferings and the medicine cured both. A pamphlet free or a large book, on liver and stomach diseases and how to cure them (186 pages) for 6 cents in stamps. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y.

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State Sunday School Convention.

To the Sunday-school workers of Michigan: We take pleasure in announcing that the 34th annual convention of the Michigan S. S. Association will be held in the city of Grand Rapids, Nov. 13, 14 and 15. The first meeting, on Tuesday evening, will be held in Lockerby Hall, and addressed by Major General O. O. Howard, U. S. A. The subsequent sessions will be held in the First Baptist church. The indications are that this will be the most largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the kind ever held in Michigan. We would remind you that this convention represents the unified Christian forces of the state in aggressive S. S. work; that it is thoroughly interdenominational, therefore promotive of abiding social and spiritual fellowships; also that it will be highly stimulative, educative and helpful to all S. S. workers.

The program will be rich and varied, and ably sustained by representative talent both in and out of the state. We ask you to note the growing popularity of our state conventions. The attendance at the Lansing convention, in 1890, was about 500; at Muskegon, in 1891, 736; at Bay City, in 1892, 820; at Hillsdale, in 1893, 1,050. The representations in our state conventions heretofore have excelled those of Ohio. At their last convention they enrolled 1,521 delegates. At our forthcoming meeting we want to register 2,000 delegates. We can do it.

Our Grand Rapids friends guarantee free entertainment to all accredited delegates whose names are sent to Elmer E. Stanton, 151 Ottawa street, on or before Nov. 10th. Programs with full particulars will soon be out. Note the following: The Honorable Secretaries of the London S. S. Union, have designated Sunday and Monday, Oct. 21 and 22, as days of universal prayer for Sunday schools. All Christians everywhere, are urged during those days frequently, in private and public ways, to pray for Sunday schools and S. S. Missions throughout the world, and for all S. S. teachers, officers and scholars, and especially for a speedy and great outpouring of the Holy Spirit, and the conversion of many souls.

TABLE TALK.

For the housekeeper and the mother, the October issue of "TABLE TALK" holds much of interest. For the help of the former, three dozen tested recipes are given in the Inquiry Department, as well as Menus for many occasions, while the latter will eagerly read much in "The New Bill of Fare" and the Fashion Department. "Another View of Woman's Work" is given by Helen Campbell, our great authority on Domestic Science and Economy. It is well worth the small charge of 10 cents a number, or $1.00 per year. A sample copy, free, is offered to our readers by Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
The Lilley State Bank

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, October 2, 1894.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 45,123 16
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	27,456 08
Overdrafts	6 40
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	783 39
Due from banks in reserve cities	59,608 39
Checks and cash items	1,071 97
Nickles and pennies	15 16
Gold coin	19,837 50
Silver coin	498 80
U. S. and National Bank Notes	6,178 00
Total	$ 162,193 87

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	3,200 00
Undivided profits	3,571 89
Commercial deposits subject to check	93,193 80
Commercial certificates of deposit	22 223 38
Total	$ 162 193 87

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of October, 1894.

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Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Oct. 10, 1894.

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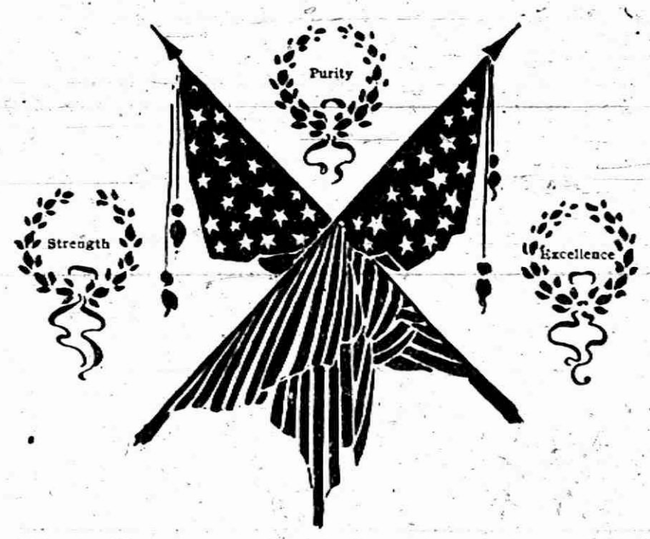

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 15th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Phebe Ann Miller, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alice S. Squire, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and charges thereof incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of the last will and testament of said deceased and that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court may seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 15th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted,

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register

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If Goods are Not as Represented, Return them and Get your Money Back.

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FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.

1 BODY BRUSSELS Carpets, Former Price,	$1.35,	Reduced to	69c
" " " "	1.15,	"	59c
" " " "	1.00,	"	49c
Extry Brussels " "	.85,	"	42½c
" " " "	.65,	"	39c

A Good Line to Select From for Early Buyers. Come at Once Terms, CASH. Many Other Goods Correspondingly Low.

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Postmaster Santus was in Adrian Saturday on business.

Undertaker S. P. Smith is improving the convenience of his barn by an addition.

A. C. Arner, who has been at Saline for several days past, returned home Monday.

The church is undergoing a thorough renovating from belfry to furnace room.

There were a good many friends from Tecumseh at the funeral of Mrs. Hall Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Wright and sister, Miss Frazier, of Tecumseh, were library visitors Monday afternoon.

When you are in the postoffice ask the postmaster for a sample of those fresh candies just received.

F. N. Miller, of Angola, N. Y., visited her sister, Emma Miller, over Sunday, returning home Monday.

Ralph VanVleet and wife, of Battle Creek, visited his sister, Miss S. A. VanVleet, and brother John, last week.

Kittie Clark, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Detroit for the past three weeks, returned home Monday.

There was a goodly number of the neighbors and friends from Cone in attendance at Mrs. Gould's funeral Saturday.

The ladies of the Home Missionary Society sent fifty quarts of canned fruit to the Deaconess Home at Detroit last week.

Mrs. Isaac Pennington and daughter, Anna, and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Macon, visited their niece, Mrs. Daniel Allen, last Thursday.

Mrs. J. O. Shepard, who has been with her mother at Flint for the past month, returned home Wednesday night of last week.

Relatives from Brooklyn, N. Y., Dixon, Ill., and Ypsilanti and Raisin were called to the saddened home by the death of Mrs. Hall last week.

Leila Sutton, with her friend, Fred L. Cook, of Lansing, visited their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorton, of Ypsilanti, Monday and Tuesday.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Simon Gould, who has been sick for the past two months, peacefully passed away at 7 o'clock Thursday morning. She leaves a husband and four sons to mourn her departure. The funeral services were held at the church Saturday forenoon, Rev. Sargeon, of Rea, officiating, assisted by Rev. Cansfield, the interment taking place in the cemetery on the Ridge. She was a member of the M. P. church at Cone, and was an earnest christian and worker, always speaking words of cheer and comfort to all. She leaves a large circle of friends at Cone, who feel their loss very deeply and sympathize with the bereaved family in their affliction. Although her stay among us was short, she made the friendship of all who made her acquaintance.

William A. Cornell, whose death we mentioned in last week's issue, was born in the town of North Crosby, Canada, August 21, 1861, being 33 years, 1 month and 22 days of age at the time of his death. He came to Michigan with his parents in 1865. He was united in marriage to Nancy E. Allison, of Ridgeway, July 3, 1880. He was a member of the Presbyterian church of Stoney Creek, in good standing, living a good christian life and dying with the belief that for the christian there is rest for the weary. He was a member of the A. O. U. W. for the past four years. He leaves a wife and two children, also a father, mother, three brothers and four sisters, who mourn his loss. The funeral services were held at Stoney Creek and the interment took place in the Ridgeway cemetery, Oct. 11.

Mrs. Lydia Hall, after several week's of severe illness, passed to the spirit land on Friday morning, the 12th inst., where we now think of her life as reunited with those of loved ones gone before. She was a kind neighbor and dear friend, always giving words of comfort and hope to those in distress. The home circle will miss a mother's counsel and advise in the hour of trial. All the means known to tender hands were employed to rob death of its terror. The beautiful home from whence she was about to be bourne showed the helpfulness of many friends. The casket rested in the front parlor amid a profusion of floral pieces, roses and carnations, mingled with smilax and ferns, the most beautiful expression of friends, young and old. Seats were reserved in the parlor where the casket reposed for the intimate friends from Raisin. The beautiful music of the quartette, the fine tribute paid by the Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, and the heartfelt prayer by Rev. Cansfield were very impressive. Words seem vain to express the deep sorrow and wide spread expression throughout the village and vicinity for the bereaved family in their sad affliction. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday afternoon and the remains were consigned to the tomb Monday morning at the cemetery in Raisin, to await the resurrection morn. Mrs. Hall was born Aug. 24, 1817, being 77 years, 1 month and 17 days old at the time of her death. She was united in marriage to Jonathan Hall when 19 years of age and began married life in the pioneer's home on the farm where she had lived at the time of her death for nearly sixty years. She gave her heart to Jesus when about seventeen years of age and united with the Presbyterian church at Tecumseh, where she has many warm friends. Her husband was called to his rest April 26d, 1882. She leaves three daughters, two brothers and three sisters, who mourn her departure.

MACON MUSIC.

Plin Hoag, of Cone, is visiting in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Warren Lewis returned from Petoskey last Saturday.

Dr. Chas. Waldron, of Tecumseh, was in the village Thursday.

Born, on Sunday, Oct. 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilbert, a son.

Will Whiting, of Tecumseh, spent Thursday at J. C. Mills'.

John and Charley Oven are visiting their brother at Dearborn, Mich.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Bulah Harriot as quite sick at present writing.

Mrs. Mary Pennington and daughter, Anna, were in Adrian Thursday on business.

Mrs. Margaret Maples, of Tecumseh, was calling on her old friends in the village last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Berdan, of Saline, and son Ed Berdan, of Chicago, were guests at J. C. Mills' Thursday.

Miss Jennie Mills is receiving musical instruction on the mandolin. Miss Phelphs, of Tecumseh, is her teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burleson visited Ernest Kemp, in Tecumseh, Sunday. Ernest is seriously ill with malarial fever.

Misses Carrie Hoag, of Tecumseh, and Georgie Shuffle, of Elkhart, Ind., are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Maria Mills, this week.

C. M. Mills, Will Gibson and Dill Burleson were among the number who drove over to Adrian Thursday to her Gov. McKinley.

Mr. Matilda Lindsly, of Oakville, and Mrs. Maria Sickly are visiting their daughter and niece, Mrs. Dr. Brakey, at Alma Center, Wis.

The shocking news of the death of Mrs. Mary Gould, wife of Simon Gould, and sister of Joseph Dorrell, came over the wire Thursday morning. Her's was one of those ever genial natures, always bestowing a kind act when the opportunity presented itself, thus unconsciously strewing the pathway of others with sunshine. She had many sincere friends in this vicinity, who extend their sympathy to the bereaved family. Mr. Gould leased his farm and moved to Ridgeway in the spring.

BRITTON BUDGET.

F. M. Link is home again.

Miss Marvin, the assistant in our school, visited her parents at Azalia over Sunday.

Thomas Lee is taking good care of a large boil on his limb; he is very choice of it and allows no one to touch it.

We understand that Prof. G. G. Brown starts a course of lectures on phonology, commencing last night.

Our brick mill is now in full operation and doing good work. They started to burn their first kiln of tile yesterday.

Miss Emma Hause went to Clinton last Sunday where she has a position in the Woolen mill. We wish her success.

What makes Geo. Clark limp around so? Oh, nothing only he was making about a three minute gate on his wheel, the wheel stopped, Geo. went on. He is home now.

We forgot to mention last week that Albert Kniffin brought home three blue ribbons from the Adrian county fair; they were on draft and general purpose horses. Good for you Albert.

S. C. Stacy's Snap Shot Story was not very largely attended on account of the rainy weather. They only nicely covered expences and gave the K. O. T. M. about $12. Nevertheless the entertainment was very good and worth any person's time and money to attend.

We understand that a couple of men in our neighborhood, while husking corn thought that a jug of cider would help out a little, but they emptied the jug too early, and in a little while they were both in the middle of the road scrapping in a mud hole. No one hurt, but their clothes were a sight.

The social given by the lady Maccabees last Tuesday evening in honor of the Sir Knights, was a grand affair. About 200 were present. A literary program was given, which was very good, after which coffee and sandwhichs were served, which discounted all the rest. These kind of socials are just what we want to advance our Tent and increase our number.

—All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once.

JAMES HAIGHT.

All those indebted to me please call and settle. DR. P. B. HARDY.

Raisin Valley Seminary.

Miss Edith Bailey made a short visit at Willis last week.

Miss Edwards spent Sunday with Miss Taylor at Tecumseh.

Prof. White and Mr. Binford visited Adrian College on Monday.

Misses Minnie Eddy and Leora Reynolds Sundayed with Miss Lillian Miller.

Prof. Bailey, of Cleary's Business College, gave the Seminary a call last Thursday.

Miss Luella Clark, '94, has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Haviland, near Adrian.

Misses Blanche Coffin and Glenn Ketcham were guests at Mr. T. G. Mead's Saturday and Sunday.

The Senior Class received a letter from Harry Rogers, who was formerly "one of them". He is now an agent in Ontario, Canada.

Life is awfully full of politics nowadays.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

ONSTED ODDS.

Frank Aldrich is the evil one in the News office.

J. E. Gibbs is with the supervisors, at Adrian, this week.

Work is being rushed at Ed. Baker's celery farm these days.

Editor Raikes reports a great increase in his publishing business.

This village was visited by two life insurance agents last week.

Miss Daisy Aldrich visited a lady friend in West Rome last week.

The brick and tile works of Hand & Howard is about closed for this season.

The young people enjoyed a dance at Fred Woodin's Thursday evening of last week.

L. D. Palmer received last week a nice assortment of footwear for cold weather.

The youngest child of Jack Ayers, living north of town, was buried on Saturday.

The second degree was conferred on a candidate at the regular meeting of the Masonic lodge here last week.

A special meeting of Finch Lodge No 407 F. & A. M. was held on Wednesday evening to confer the 1st degree.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Abbott, of Hudson, came out to attend the funeral of Mrs. Farnsworth, the women being sisters.

John Baker and family took the train here on Monday for Vicksburg, Kalamazoo county, to make that place their home.

Mr. Mapes, an early settler of Rome township, was buried Sunday. The funeral was held at the church in North Rome.

Moses Long, of Tecumseh opened up a harness shop in town last week, and moved his family here. We wish him success.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mann report a new little girl at their home in North Rome, and when it grows up it will probably be some mans little woman.

One of the twins of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Turner, who lives on the west town line, was buried on Monday of this week. The cause of death was brain fever.

Mrs. Charity Farnsworth, who has been sick for several weeks at the home of her mother in this village, died last Tuesday and was buried here on Friday of last week.

Powell's Pocket Rate Book

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Powell's Pocket Rate Book is the only one of its kind ever published. It tells you at a glance, so to speak, how much it will cost to advertise in any of the leading magazines in New York, Boston, Chicago or other cities, as well as the principal dailies and weeklies throughout America.

Nearly one-fourth of the entire 200 pages is devoted to New York City publications, for here it is that the great national publications are mostly issued, including such as Harpers, Scribners, Cosmopolitan, and others of this class.

The low price for which the book is sold, 50c a copy in flexible silk cloth binding, brings it within reach of every business man in the land. Published by G. H. Powell, Springfield, Mass.

SPORTING NEWS.

The Makers of Victor Bicycles Commence the Manufacture of Sporting Goods.

The Overman Wheel Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass., makers of the Victor, the best and most favorably known bicycle manufactured, have entered the sporting goods trade, and will hereafter manufacture a complete line of such goods as base balls, base ball bats, base ball gloves and mitts, tennis rackets, tennis balls, tennis nets, footballs, football suits, boxing gloves, athletic and gymnasium shoes, sweaters, etc.

The aim of the Overman Wheel Co. will be to have Victor Sporting Goods as widely known as Victor Bicycles, and they guarantee better goods than are now offered by other manufacturers.

Any article bearing the Victor trade mark will be as good as it is possible to make it, and all athletes and lovers of outdoor sports will welcome the advent of Victor Sporting Goods.

The new Victor line is complete, as a copy of catalogue will show, and this, together with the fact that impartial competitive tests have demonstrated the superiority of Victor Sporting Goods, over other sporting goods, makes a clear field for the new Victor product.

Their reputation as leaders and makers only of the best, combined with unlimited facilities, assures the Overman Wheel Company of success in their new departure.

SIGNAL TRIUMPHS WON

By Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Two signal triumphs have been achieved by Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. First it received highest award and diploma at the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893. Next it secured highest award and gold medal at the California Midwinter Fair of 1894. At both Fairs it surpassed all competitors in every respect. The award, in each instance, was for strongest leavening power, perfect purity and general excellence. It was sustained by the unanimous vote of the judges.

The victory at Chicago establishes the supremacy of Dr. Price's as "The Foremost Baking Powder in the World." The triumph at San Francisco confirms and emphasizes it.

If Mrs. Willie K. can secure $800,000 a year without any divorce thrown in we advise her to do it and do it quick.

A Piano at a Nominal Price.

Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, has moved into a magnificent new building. They have a number of slightly used and second-hand pianos returned from World's Fair renting, etc., etc., which they have determined to sacrifice rather than to try to make room for. These instruments comprise Square pianos at $40, $55, $100 and $125. Upright pianos at $135, $140, $150, $165, $190, $200, $225, $240 and upward. Grand pianos at $200, $250, $300 and upwards. Nearly all originally sold for from two to four times their present price. Almost all prominent makes (in squares and uprights) are represented, including among numerous others Chickering, Knabe, Steinway, Weber, Decker, Steck, Fisher, etc. This is an opportunity that will not occur again, as Lyon & Healy have not moved for twenty years. Immediate attention is therefore necessary. A good plan will be to order a piano, leaving the selections to Lyon & Healy. However they will send a list and full particulars on application. Any piano not proving satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address at their new salesrooms, corner Wabash Avenue and Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle in taking advantage of this remarkable chance to obtain a piano, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. If you do not already know them by reputation any banker will assure of Lyon & Healy's entire responsibility and record of over a third of a century for honorable dealing. Write to-day so as to avoid disappointment.

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A rare treat is in store for the teachers of Lenawee county, as well as for all others who take especial interest in educational progress.

The school commissioner, in conjunction with the state superintendent of public instruction and Superintendent Walker, of the Adrian city schools, has arranged an "Inspiration Institute," to be held at Adrian, Nov. 1st, 2d and 3d. The institute will be opened Thursday evening, Nov. 1st, with an address by Dr. A. G. Boone, principal of the State Normal school. The address will be delivered at the Baptist church and will be of a popular character.

Hon. H. R. Pattengill, superintendent of public instruction, will himself conduct the institute. The day sessions will be held at the high school building on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 2d and 3d, and the instructors will be Col. Parker, principal of the Cook County Normal School, Chicago; Dr. Hinsdale, of the University, professor of the Science and Art of Teaching; Dr. Boone and Miss Coffin, of the Detroit schools, and Superintendent Pattengill.

With such talent as the above the rally must necessarily be productive of a general awakening on educational matters in the county. Most of the schools in the county will give their teachers a holiday to attend the rally and it is expected that the attendance will be very large.

There will probably be a popular lecture on Friday evening also.

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Spencer O. Fisher is making a rattling canvass. The more people become acquainted with him, the more they recognize his fitness.

The campaign in New York is waxing red hot. Senator Hill is making some very able speeches, and the contrast between his vigorous talk and Morton's silence must be very humiliating to the latter.

David B. Hill is making the fight of his life down in New York. However people may have regarded his political methods heretofore, they cannot but admire his undaunted courage in the present crisis.

Voters should not forget our own state affairs in casting their ballots this fall. National issues will be the controlling factor in the election of Congressmen, but state issues should govern in choosing the state ticket.

Senator McPherson, of New Jersey, has had enough and declines a renomination to the Senate. It will be remembered that his son and hired girl speculated in sugar stocks during the formation of the Brice-Gorman tariff.

Neither science nor Christianity demand the servitude of the many that the few may dwell in demoralizing ease. And history proves the fatal results which follow such conditions in all ages and under all forms of government.

Congressman Wilson has Gladstone's indorsement for the assertion that in lowering the tariff this country is paving the way for its own commercial supremacy in the near future. But then every one who is not either a blind man or a Republican can see that.

There is no question but that the workers in every calling are getting poorer and poorer, while every chartered monopoly is steadily increasing its wealth. The gulf between the producing industry of the country and the controlling wealth is steadily widening. What is to be the result?

Carlyle says: "The great man shapes the age;" Herbert Spencer says: "The age shapes the great man." Probably both are right and both are wrong. A great man is the product of past influences acting by means of heredity, which give the peculiar organism which operated on by present conditions, results in the development of the peculiar cast of character referred to.

The October number of the Arena comes filled with good matter as usual. The article which will and ought to attract wide-spread interest is "Plutocracy's Bastiles" by Mr. B. O. Flower. It is a subject to which Mr. Flower has given much time and study, and of which he writes in no uncertain words. We wish every intelligent individual in this country could read this article and learn its momentous significance. The Arena is the one great reform monthly.

The St. Louis Republic says: Here is another object lesson in the tariff reform. One of the great dry goods houses of St. Louis has a letter from the New York concern, William and John Don and Company, which says that since the passage of the tariff bill they are able to reduce quotations of crashes ten per cent. The house-wife understands the tariff question from such lessons, and is the tariff reformer who will drive protection out of politics.

The Democratic State Platform adopted at Grand Rapids, June 28, 1894, says: "We declare in favor of the free, unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio that will permit the debtors to pay their debts upon the same basis on which they were contracted. We demand that henceforth the issuing of all circulating medium be made under the acts of Congress, through the National Treasury, in such amounts as the business wants of the country may require and it shall be full legal tender."

The Providence Journal says: The tone of the speech in which on Saturday Senator Hill formally accepted the nomination which he still insists, of course, was thrust upon him against his will, indicates that he will make as aggressive a fight as is possible, notwithstanding the discouraging circumstances in which he finds himself. Enough depends upon the issue to bring out all the strongest fighting qualities which he possesses, and that means that the Republicans, even with the drift of events going their way, will have to exert themselves to defeat him.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Oct. 12, 1894.

Two distinguished officials have during the present week made statements on the same subject that are difficult to reconcile. Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, who is chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, said that there never was a time when it was so difficult to get contributions from Federal officials, and that about the only ones who had contributed what might be considered their quota were the employes at the capitol. There is quite an interesting little story about the manner in which the contributions of the Capitol employes, some 1300 in number, were secured. It is said that each of them agreed to chip in $30, and that the money was paid, with the understanding that a joint resolution would be put through Congress allowing them an extra month's pay. The resolution was introduced all right enough, but owing to opposition in unexpected quarters it failed to pass. But to return to those opposite statements—it is gathered from that of Senator Faulkner that the government employes are not contributing. Now, look at the other side. Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt said, in a published interview, that the commission was having no end of trouble because of the political assessment of government employes and that he did not recall any non-presidential election year in which the commission had had so much trouble from that source. One or the other must be either badly informed or have wrongly summed up the facts.

The populists are, as the saying is, "just tickled to death" over Secretary Hoke Smith's explanation of the falling off of the democratic majority in Georgia. They say if Mr. Smith will only do a little more explaining of the same sort he will make populists out of thousands of democrats in the Southern States. He says in effect that the vote in Georgia has convinced him of the necessity of the democratic party standing up squarely for the Cleveland silver policy. Mr. Smith is being roundly abused by the silver democrats for what they call his impolite utterances against silver" in the midst of a campaign in which that party expects to elect two-thirds of the members it will have in the next House with the votes of men who believe in free and unlimited coinage of silver. It is hinted that it was the indiscreet nature of Secretary Smith's speeches that caused President Cleveland to order that members of the administration should not take active part in the campaign.

A quorum of the Cabinet have gone to Batavia, N. Y., ostensibly only to hear Secretary Carlisle deliver a carefully prepared address on the life and character of his distinguished predecessor of revolutionary fame, Robert Morris, but it is regarded as altogether probable that they will take advantage of the opportunity to put in a few licks that will help along the New York campaign, now just getting on a full head of steam.

The Mexican minister to the United States is in a bad state of mind, because of a publication stating that Mexico was plotting to annex all the rest of the Central American republics. He denies the story and says there was no foundation whatever therefor. If the minister is correct the man who furnished the details with which the annexation story abounded is gifted with an extraordinary imagination.

A gentlemen who visited the democratic and republican Congressional committee headquarters says that he received substantially the same answer at both places to his question as to the present outlook and that stripped of all verbiage it was: "We are certain to control the next House, if the populists do not elect enough members to hold the balance of power." Odd, wasn't it.

Those politicians who thought that Senator Cameron was only making believe that he intended to enter the field as a candidate for the Presidential nomination of his party, basing his claims for the nomination on his favoring free coinage of silver, are slowly getting their eyes opened to the fact that whatever others may mean, Cameron means business and is really out for that nomination. Thousands of free documents are being daily sent out from Washington under Senator Cameron's frank. Senator Cameron cannot compete with the orators of his party who are seeking the Presidential nomination, but he has a long head, and a longer purse, and will be heard from when the delegates to the national convention are rounded up.

The general impression in Washington is that the independent democratic candidate for governor of New York will not get enough support to make him a factor in the fight. Both democrats and republicans seem to be of the opinion that he will only get the votes of those who would not under any circumstances have voted for either Hill or Morton.

TABLE TALK.

For the housekeeper and the mother, the October issue of "TABLE TALK" holds much of interest. For the help of the former, three dozen tested recipes are given in the Inquiry Department as well as Menus for many occasions, while the latter will eagerly read much in "The New Bill of Fare" and the Fashion Department. "Another View of Woman's Work" is given by Helen Campbell, our great authority on Domestic Science and Economy. It is well worth the small charge of 10 cents a number, or $1.00 per year. A sample copy, free, is offered to our readers by Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia.

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MONOPOLY SLAVERY.

The New York Sun states that the annual income of John D. Rockefeller is $20,000,000. This requires the constant labor of 54,794 laborers at $1 per day. Surely this control of labor by the control of money is more profitable than to own the laborers as chattel slaves. The wealthiest slave-holder of the South never dreamed of being able to hold 50,000 slaves under the system of unrestricted chattel slavery. But under our present system of debt and wage slavery it is not unusual. It requires the labor of one man six days at $1 per day to furnish John D. Rockefeller his income for one second. And Rockefeller is but one of thousands of monopolistic masters of greater or smaller dimensions. Is it strange that the slaves are not satisfied?

Men are not usually to blame for taking advantage of circumstances or conditions, and it is not against such men that reform measures are directed. It is against the laws which make such conditions. Good men often make the mistake of assuming that these demands are aimed at the millionaires personally. It is not true. It is directed against that system of national economy which makes these millionaires. Mr. Rockefeller is here; by some means he has amassed a large fortune. Under the law it is his. These reform measures do not propose either to hang him or take away his property. But the people don't want any more of his kind, nor will they permit him to use this immense lever to enslave his neighbors. It is proposed to wipe out a system that will bring about such results. Who will gainsay that doctrine?—The Watchman.

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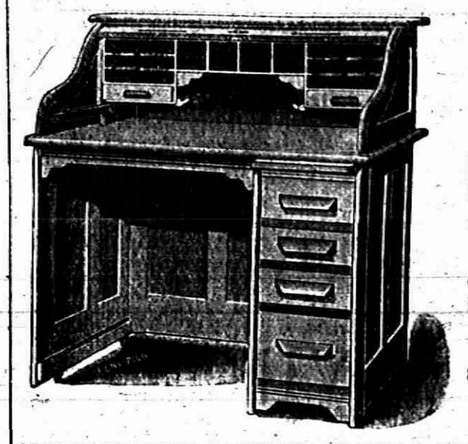

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For he knew the music fine
Was the soul of her dear shade,
Hour by hour he wooed her well,
That she might not wholly fade;
Kept the reed against his lips
And so held her spirit near,
If perchance by some strange spell
She, repentant, reappear.
Still he calls upon her name,
Counting not his vision gone,
But he may not bring to life
And her, living, look upon.
Yet he hopes to, and so sings
Here and there by tempest tossed,
What the heart with love pursues
Never can be wholly lost.
Die it cannot while we hope,
Through a shy, elusive gleam
It must haunt the sunny heights
Near the valleys where we dream.

—Chicago Record.

PRICE OF BETRAYAL.

"And what do you say your numbers are?"

"Twenty-two, excellency, myself included, but I"——

"No need to say anything further at present. It is for you to prove yourself worthy of our confidence and of the czar's clemency."

"I assure you we had no political aim in view."

"I cannot listen to that. Have you made out the list you promised?"

"It is here, excellency."

The chief of the secret police took the paper handed to him and silently compared it with one on his desk.

"Dostoieffsky," he read and looked up inquiringly, "is he one of you?"

"One of the society, but it was only to read Fourier and Proudhon we met"——

"I cannot hear you, I have told you already. Be silent and answer my questions."

Then he again scrutinized the list and muttered to himself, "Bardin, Loubanoff, Sobotin—I was not aware of these last. You have done well, Radovitch, and you will find that the czar's government is not unmindful of those who serve it well. Your recent action will atone for your past errors and merit reward besides."

"Might I venture to suggest one thing to your excellency?"

"Speak out, man. What frightens you now? I have told you that you have nothing to fear, and I can make my word observed."

"That I know well, and yet, and yet"——

"Well?"

"My life will not be worth a day's purchase if it is known that it is I who have furnished this information."

"You should have thought of that before joining their society. I see you have something to suggest. What is it?"

"That when the seizure by the police takes place no distinction be made between me and the others."

"Of course you will be apprehended with them."

"And tried?"

"Yes, if you wish it, and condemned, too, for that matter. Anything further?"

"And pardoned along with the less guilty of the others, so as to avoid all suspicion?"

"I quite understand you. Rest assured you will have no reason for fear in that respect."

"I thank your excellency. Any further orders?"

"None; you may go."

The chief of police smiled to himself as the spy took his departure.

"And so you want to be treated like your fellow conspirators, that you may not be found out by such as escape us. So be it. You will have all you have bargained for, my man."

That very evening the police raid took place. Taken as they were by surprise and unconscious of any treachery on the part of one of their number, the little coterie of students, artists and young doctors found themselves bagged, without a single exception. They indignantly denied the charge of conspiring against the government. Their discussions were social, not political, they asseverated. But General Garashinin's myrmidons merely shrugged their shoulders deprecatingly, perhaps incredulously. They had heard that sort of thing before, and it had meant Siberia for many, if not a more summary fate. Among the 22 was Radovitch, who was also among the loudest in protesting innocence.

In a month the trial took place. Radovitch was not called to give evidence, but took his place among the accused, and, like his companions, had to plead guilty or not guilty to the charge of conspiring to subvert the government. For weeks the trial dragged its slow length along, for, though few witnesses were or could be called beyond the police who effected the arrests, there were hundreds of documents, many of them immature essays, and most of purely academic interest, to be read, which, in a way that only one of the prisoners understood, had come into the hands of the prosecution as well as brief minutes of their proceedings obtained in the same way.

At length the whole 22 were adjudged guilty. Twelve were sentenced to Siberia, but not to the mines, as the clemency of the czar provided. It was with a thrill akin to horror that Radovitch heard himself sentenced to death, along with the other nine, though conscious that it only formed part of the arrangement that he himself had suggested to General Garashinin.

"Sentence to Siberia would have served the purpose equally well," he muttered to himself, and turning to look at his companions he found himself wondering if his own face was as deathly pale as each of theirs. "To be shot on the glacis of the fortress at sunrise tomorrow morning," he kept repeating to himself, though assuring himself that the words could have no reference to him, for the czar must keep troth even with traitors, or none would be found to serve him in future.

Dostoieffsky and the others calmly accepted their fate, and after a hurried farewell to their more fortunate fellows were conducted to their cells for the last time.

Some of the prisoners slept soundly, as though entirely unconcerned in the grim tragedy to be enacted on the morrow. Not so Radovitch. From side to side of his narrow cell, like some caged wild animal, he paced, listening the while intently for the footstep of the messenger that was to recall him to freedom and to the joys of life. The long night passed, all too quickly for him, for whom the messenger so unaccountably delayed. He had seen General Garashinin in court from day to day, and once a glance of intelligence, he persuaded himself, had passed between them. Vainly the two warders, whose duty it was to watch him, sought to induce him to take rest.

"He may come at any moment," he kept saying to himself, "and I had better keep awake in case of any misunderstanding."

His throat was parched, and his tongue clove to the roof of his mouth, but he refused every offer of water or wine, overcome as he was with the terrible anxiety of impending doom, an anxiety rendered all the greater by the conviction that such doom was not intended for him.

At last a faint grayness began to manifest itself through the close bars of his cell. It was the light, the herald of a new day, the last for the condemned men. And now Radovitch began to explain, in husky tones, that his conviction was all a blunder. The two men looked intelligently at each other and pityingly upon the wretched prisoner, but said not a word.

In a few minutes all the ten were assembled in the courtyard of the prison, nine of them calm and collected, for the bitterness of death was already past, one a prey to mortal fear and sickening terror and evidencing it all too plainly in his trembling limbs and livid countenance. In the hurried goodbys they exchanged with each other Radovitch came in for more than his share of attention.

"Come, Dimtri," said one, "we all owe nature a death. As well pay it now as later."

"Cheer up, comrade," whispered another. "It makes these hirelings rejoice to see you afraid."

"It's all a mistake," mumbled the wretched man. "Where is General Garashinin?"

"He is never present at executions," replied the soldier he addressed. "He issued his final orders last night."

And then a melancholy procession began to move toward the glacis of the fortress prison. A priest led the way, holding aloft a large cross before the eyes of the doomed men, who followed in single file, their ordinary dress covered with a long robe of white linen, at once a covering for the living and a shroud for the dead. The morning sun had not yet risen as the procession wended its way slowly to the place of execution, their life's span narrowed to a few minutes and narrowing with fearful rapidity at every step they took.

At last they reached the place appointed. Five stakes had been driven into the ground near the summit of the long, even slope of the rampart. To these they were bound in couples, facing the east, now kindling with the warm flush of the rising sun, whose coming was to be the signal for their death. Ranged in front of them, at a distance of 15 yards, was a company of soldiers with loaded rifles, whose captain, standing a little way apart, held in his hand a white handkerchief, at whose fall 60 tongues of fire would leap forth and 60 bullets seek the hearts of the unhappy men.

There was still time for the last scene but one in the tragedy before the sun should rise. The cross was held before the lips of each man for a final kiss in turn. Then a dagger was broken over their heads by a soldier detailed from the thousands drawn up to witness the vengeance of the czar. At that moment the sun seemed to bound into space, and every heart almost stopped.

But the officer has not let the signal handkerchief fall. Instead the retreat is sounded on a score of bugles, and the troops march off the ground. The kneeling men were informed that the emperor had been graciously pleased to grant them their lives. They were unbound, and, as if in a dream, tried to realize all that had happened and to congratulate one another ere the last couple had been reached. One of these had fallen forward on his face as far as his bonds permitted. It was Radovitch.

"He has fainted," said a soldier. "Bring me some water, sharp."

"No need to trouble," said the doctor, who had rapidly examined him. "He is dead. The fright has killed him."

It was too true. The chief of the secret police had carried out his promise only too literally. The spy had no longer any reason to fear his betrayed comrades' revenge.—London Tit-Bits.

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He Surprised Her.

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OBITUARY.

In the death of Rev. G. P. Tindall, the Presbyterian church in California lost one of its ablest preachers and best men. His services for the Master were given in several different fields widely separated from each other, and extended through a long life. He was born in New Jersey, April 29, 1802, and died in Sacramento, Cal., September 8, 1894, being 72 years, 4 months, and 10 days old. He was enabled to continue in active service until about a month before his death. For fourteen months he had been preaching in the Presbyterian church in Placerville, and on his last Sabbath there, he was too weak to preach, and had a fainting spell in the pulpit. Two days later he went to Sacramento, hoping to be benefited by the change, but he grew gradually weaker, and passed peacefully away on the evening of September 8th, attended by his two daughters, Lizzie H. and Ann L. Tindall, who are the only surviving members of his family. Shortly before his death he asked one of them to pray with him, and among his last words was the prayer; "O Lord, take us into thy holy keeping. Mr. Tindall was a man of ability and scholarly attainments. He received his collegiate education in the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, and took his theological course at Union Theological Seminary, New York. He was for some time pastor of the Presbyterian church in Dayton, Ohio, from which he was called to the Second Presbyterian church of Indianapolis, in which Henry Ward Beecher once preached, and as the successor of Rev. C. E. Babb, D.D., so well known as one of our ablest writers for the religious press. While here, there was a remarkable revival in the church. It continued for thirteen weeks, was carried on by the pastor and people, and Mr. Tindall preached constantly night after night during all this time. From here he went successively to the churches of Ypsilanti and Flint, Michigan, where he preached to large congregations and did excellent work. In 1881 he came to California and took charge of the Placerville Academy. In this work he was assisted by Mrs. Tindall, who died about four years ago, and by his two daughters, one of whom had been educated at the State University, and the other at the State Normal School in Michigan. In 1890 he became pastor of the Fourteenth street Presbyterian church in Sacramento and remained until the spring of 1893, when he resigned and closed his labors there on the fortieth anniversary of his ministerial life. Soon after this he began preaching in Placerville where he remained until a few weeks before his death. His funeral was held in the Presbyterian church at Placerville, September 11th. It was conducted by Rev. James Curry of the North Temescal Presbyterian church, Oakland, Cal., assisted by Rev. R. D. Sinclair of the Placerville Presbyterian church, and was attended by a large audience of friends who held him in high esteem. It may be said of Mr. Tindall first of all that he was a Christian of true and humble piety. He was an able preacher also. He preached the pure gospel, had a comprehensive view of the truth, presented it in clear and forceful language, and applied it with good judgment and often with great power. He was a man of scholarly attainments. He had a good education, was well read and capable of imparting information on almost any subject, and as principal of Placerville Academy did a good work in the education of young people. He was a manly man. He had a splendid physique that made him everywhere noticable, he met his fellow-men with a dignity and frankness that commanded their respect, he took much interest in all matters of importance in the community where he lived, and was ever ready to lend a helping hand where he could. He was a true friend. With a large heart and kind affections, he won many friends among old and young by whom he will long be remembered with highest respect and esteem. His life and character were such as to make most appropriate to him the words of the text from which his funeral sermon was preached: "Well done, good and faithful servant, * * enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.

JAMES CURRY.

This well known clergyman and scholar died at Sacramento last Saturday, the 8th inst. Suddenly prostrated at morning service of the Presbyterian church about four weeks before his death, he reluctantly suspended his ministerial duties here for a rest and a possible recovery of health and strength among his former parishioners in Sacramento. But the race of the strong was run and he passed from the altar of his devotion to his supreme reward. The summons found him ready and waiting. A long and useful life of seventy-two years had been rounded out in the Presbyterian pastorate of Placerville, and hither he was borne by loving hands, that laid their funeral offerings on bier and grave. Where five weeks before he closed his long and faithful ministry, his friend and brother, Rev. James Curry had come from his distant charge at Oakland with greetings of love and hope for the living and the dead. His last message "Well done, good and faithful servant," was wafted on wings of faith to his friend in Heaven. There came also the sorrowing daughters, Lizzie and Anna, to mingle their tears in the shadow of a double bereavement by the graves of father and mother. And now, alas! a broken household has left its sacred memorials of church and school and gentle images of joy and sorrow, in every heart and home of the city.—Sacramento Paper.

He spent his boyhood days in Tecumseh, was a graduate of our high school when it was a branch of the University under the management of Prof. Harvey. After teaching a few years he entered the University as a sophmore. A brother of E. Tindall, our townsman, by whom he was helped in his starting for an education, and was left an orphan at nine and a half years of age.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hayden left for their home in Grand Rapids this morning.

Mrs. G. R. Garlinghouse and Mrs. Dr. Hamilton attended the Baptist convention at Lansing.

D. T. Hall and wife and Marvin Hayden and wife attended the VanVleet-Welliver wedding last evening.

A. P. Coddington and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Finch are attending the Baptist State convention at Lansing this week.

Subjects for next Sunday at the Universalist church, Morning: A great man's place. Evening: Let us be standard bearers of the truth.

At the meeting of the Executive Board of the Tecumseh Library Association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Hardenburgh.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. J. D. Shull.
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Ex. Com.—Mrs. C. A. Wright, Mrs. E. R. Wood, Mrs. J. F. Hicks, Mrs. Geo. Merritt and Miss Sena Hosmer.

High School Happenings.

Harold Hatch called on 10th grade room last Tuesday. He starts in Ann Arbor schools next Monday.

Glen Jackson has been absent the past few days.

Philosophy class finished Energy Tuesday and took up Machines.

Miss Ora Bowen visited the High School Wednesday afternoon.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

Queer, Isn't It?

BY HATTIE HORNER LUTHAM.

["The saloon burns up $23,000,000 of our national resources every week—and yet we are excited over a few forest fires."—Editorial note in The Voice.]

Lo, a Northern forest burns,
And the startled nation turns,
Views with wonder and with fear
Desolation far and near;
Sees the homeless people flee,
Counts the loss of property,
Shudders at the ruin rife,
Sad bewails the loss of life,
Then toward the stricken land
Stretches prompt and helpless hand.

There's a wilder, hotter fire,
Sweeping farther, leaping higher,
Round the nation, through the land,
Each saloon a burning brand.
Loss of life there is, and bane;
Women, children, hopeless roam;
Lo! there follow in the glare,
Ruin, madness, grim dispair.
She may count, if loss she seek,
Twenty millions every week!
But the nation only sighs,
Folds her hands and shuts her eyes!

CHICAGO, ILL.

A Supreme Issue.

One issue is still supreme in American politics: Shall this Government continue to be run by the ginmills? Look for reform in whatever direction we may, this issue confronts us. Citizens' movements, good government clubs, the reorganization of political parties, with the saloon left in, are all powerless to effect any permanent or radical reform. Like the lions in the pathway of Christian, the saloon bars the way to honest government—and the saloon is unchained!

Do honest democrats and republicans desire the election of good men to office? The saloon, with its hold on the democratic and republican caucuses, dictates the nomination of the men who are "safe" from the saloon point of view, and such men are rarely if ever safe from the point of view of the honest citizen. Do the people in non-partisan elections unite to overthrow ring rule? They find the center of "ring" power, with its source in the ginmill, and the ginmill protected by the politicians of both the leading parties. Do the good government clubs seek for an available candidate to represent the mass of hard working citizens and tax-payers? They find that "availability," so far as it implies the securing of any great percentage of the vote of either old party, means a candidate that will not disturb the ginmill in its defiance of the law. Do men seek through the slow medium of public education the elevation of the masses? They find the ginmill keeper and the brewer on guard. And if he cannot succeed through the politicians in keeping the school accommodations far below the demand, with saloon accommodations far above it, he sees to it that teachers and superintendents are secured who will be "easy" on the liquor business. The neglect to teach in any adequate way the effects of alcohol upon the human system, as required by law in most of the states, is due to the presence and power of the ginmill in "school politics."

The saloon has America by the throat to-day, and the saloon is determined to keep its grip. Does brave Bishop Watterson send forth his discriminating regulations against Catholic rumsellers and Monsignor Satolli sustain him? The defiant ginmill threatens till an explanation is secured that the Catholic Church doesn't intend to harm the rum traffic. Does a sturdy presidential candidate refuse to lick the boots of rumsellers in his letter of acceptance? The power of the ginmill is evoked to teach him a lesson, and whipped Grover Cleveland crawls, cur-like, in the dirt to accept from Washington Hesing an "anti-sumptuary" declaration for his second letter, on the strength of which he wins the Presidency.

To-day, if politicians wish to win, what power do they court? Is it the hard-working farmer? Is it the moral churchman? Is it the keensighted business man? Is it the laborer who toils for wages? No; the power which makes and unmakes the fortunes of political candidates is none of these. If the politician wants to win, he goes to the saloon-keeper, the poisoner-general, the corrupter of youth, the destroyer of manhood, the despoiler of womanhood, the man whose victims will take the crust and the last drop of blood from their loved ones to fill the till of the ginmill. This is the malevolent genius who determines the destiny of American states and makes and unmakes American policies.

And this malevolent genius holds sway over the destinies of the greatest nation on earth, because good men, like Dr. MacArthur and Dr. James M. King, are content to cast their votes for Rumseller Levi P. Morton upon a platform which saloon-keepers helped to frame, and other good men, like Abram S. Hewitt, are content to vote for "whiskey's Governor."

—NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—

Having purchased the formula, together with the right to manufacture and sell Hanson's Magic Grease Eradicator, I wish to announce to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity that I am prepared to clean and renovate clothes and dress goods of any description, at my residence on West Kilbuck street. This preparation will positively remove grease from any kind of fabric without injury to the cloth. J. C. SCHERDEL.

$225,000 CLOTHING FAILURE.

THE NEW YORK CLOTHING CO. ASSIGNS TO R. P. M'CARTHY.

No. 4 Monroe Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, for $225,000.

To settle with the creditors, and by order of the court, this immense stock of merchandise, consisting of $225,000 worth of clothing, hats and furnishing goods, will be sold within the next thirty days at twenty-seven cents on the dollar. These goods are of the latest and most fashionable cuts and of the best materials. They are now on sale at No. 4 Monroe avenue, Detroit, and can be examined at your leisure. If you are in need of any article of clothing do not delay in visiting this great bankrupt sale, as no such opportunity has ever before been offered to the people of Detroit and vicinity to buy clothing at such sacrificing prices as will be offered at this sale. THEY ARE ASTOUNDING, AMAZING AND INCREDIBLE.

Mr. R. P. McCarthy, assignee of the Bankrupt Clothing Co., has been appointed by the court to dispose of this stock, and a guarantee is given that every article is exactly as represented or money refunded. Get in early, for the most marvelous bargains ever offered in the clothing world.

Following are a few of the many thousands of bargains offered at this great sale.

Read price list and description of goods carefully and bring this list with you for comparison.

2,000 men's dark and light Cassimere Suits that sold at $6 and $7 now going for $1.89.

Men's fine Cheviot Suits, former price $10 and $12, at this sale for $3.95.

Men's extra fine all wool Sack or Cutaway Suits, plain colors or fancy mixtures, former selling price $15, now being slaughtered at $6.37.

Men's fine Clay Worsted and Tricot, In sack, Regent, cutaway or Prince Albert suits, former price from $20 to $28, go at this sale for $8.36 and $10.25.

1,500 men's heavy overcoats, former price $6, now going at $1.85.

800 men's Storm King Ulsters, former price $8, now selling at $2.37.

Men's fine Dress Ulsters, all wool Chinchilla and Beavers, former price from $10 to $18, now selling from $4.15 to $6.75.

An elegant line of men's fine Kersey, Meltons and Beaver Overcoats, worth from $15 to $22. These beautiful and elegantly finished garments are in all the new styles and fashionable patterns and will be sacrificed at one-quarter the cost of manufacturing them. Also about 2,000 boys' and children's overcoats in all styles that formerly sold from $2.50 to $12, now going at from 88c to $3.95.

Men's good heavy working pants, former price $1.25, now go for 59c.

Men's Cassimere dress pants, former price $2.50, now going for 98c.

Men's fine all wool pants in fine Cassimere and fancy worsted, former price $7, now being sacrificed at $2.27.

Children's Knee Pant Suits that sold at $2 go at this sale for 49c.

Boys' Long Pant Suits that sold at $5 now selling for $2.15.

Boys' Fine Suits in Cheviot and Tricot goods, age from 13 to 18 years, former price $9, now selling for $4.35.

3,000 Children's knee pants at 17c.

1,500 Children's knee pants, all wool Cassimere, at 49c.

Men's fine stiff hats, former price $1.50, now selling for 59c.

Men's fine fur stiff hats, all the latest styles, formerly sold from $2 to $4, now selling for $1.15.

Men's fine soft hats, all shapes and styles, former price from 75c to $3, now selling at from 25c to $1.

3,000 boys' fall caps and hats will be slaughtered at 19c.

2,000 men's and boys' working shirts at 17c.

1,000 unlaundered white linen shirts at 29c.

800 fine laundered dress shirts at 42c.

Men's good, strong socks, 4c per pair.

Men's fine dress socks in black and light colors, former price 35c, now selling for 13c.

Men's fine, strong overalls, 24c.

Men's good suspenders, 9c.

Men's fancy silk web suspenders former price 50c, now selling for 19c.

Men's fine linen handkerchiefs, 6c.

2,000 splendid umbrellas, former price from $1.50 to $3.50, now being slaughtered at from 49c to $1.25.

5,000 pieces men's and boys' fall and winter underwear in fine balbriggan, natural wool and scarlet flannel, will be sold at 25c on the dollar of the cost of manufacturing.

500 dozen men's linen collars at 5c.

500 dozen men's linen cuffs at 9c.

200 dozen men's all wool socks, former price 50c, now going at 22c.

1,000 dozen men's and boys' fine neckwear in all styles, shapes and colors, will be slaughtered at one-quarter the manufacturer's cost.

An immense line of men's fall and winter caps in fine silk plush and all wool cloths, will be closed out at 25c on the dollar.

1,000 men's Rubber Coats, warranted strictly waterproof, formerly sold at $3.50, now being slaughtered at $1.48.

750 men's elegant Macintosh Cape Coats being closed out at $3.85, $4.37 and $5.50, formerly sold at $8, $10 and $14.

Remember there are 20,000 other bargains which, for the want of space, cannot be mentioned.

A large force of polite salesmen have been engaged to meet the rush so that all can be waited on promptly.

In order to close out this stock as soon as possible the assignee offers special inducements to out-of-town people, namely: Every customer after making a purchase of $10 will present this coupon at the desk and railway fare will be paid one way, but not to exceed sixty miles distance from Detroit; and to purchasers of $15 or over their railway fare will be paid both ways.

Don't forget the number, 4 Monroe avenue, Detroit, Mich., next door to the German-American Bank and opposite the Soldiers' Monument.

R. P. McCARTHY, Assignee.
W. J. CONNOLLY and
HILBERT W. HOWARD, Managers

READ READ

We have Enlarged out Store, and it is Filled with NEW WINTER GOODS to OVERFLOWING.

We Have the Latest IN Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits

With Prices Lower than EVER Before.

We have bought a Very Large Line of

OVERCOATS !

And have put a MARK on them that will sell everyone of them. A Large Line of UNDERWEAR, Caps, Gloves and Mittens, in fact Everything that can be found in a First-Class Clothing Store. Call and see us before buying, as we can Save You Money by trading with us.

Respectfully,

McCANN BROS.

THE ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS.

We ARE NOW SETTLED IN OUR .....

New Double Store.

IN MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK,

And can Show our Patrons the Largest and Finest Assortment of

Clothing, Boots & Shoes

AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

EVER Brought to this Market.

Overcoats Overcoats !

TILL YOU CAN'T REST.

It Will do you Good to Inspect our line of Overcoats.

Yours for Trade,

Alva Spayde.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

OIL BURNER

MADE FOR ANY STOVE, FURNACE OR ENGINE. ONE-HALF CHEAPER THAN WOOD OR COAL. NO SMOKE OR ODOR. A PERFECT FIRE.

WANT AGENTS on salary or commission. Send for Catalogue of Prices and Terms.

NATIONAL OIL BURNER CO.
692 CEDAR AVE.,
CLEVELAND, OHIO.

ECIAL NOTICES.

RENT—Two houses cheap.
A. W. SLAYTON.

SALE.—The E. E. Blood Estate Farm
be bought at a low figure this fall. 60
with good buildings; or more land, if you
Inquire of (oct18t4) C. H. BLOOD.

NUAL MEETING—The Farmers' Mu-
al Fire Insurance Company, of Lenawee
, will hold their annual meeting at Dean's
ouse, in the city of Adrian, Mich., Mon-
ember 26, 1894, commencing at 2:30 o'clock
or the election of a president and five
ors; also to take action on amending sec-
of the company's charter in relation to
ion of directors, and such other busi-
as may properly come before the meeting.
J. M. JUDSON, Pres.
E. COCHRANE, Sec'y. oct18t3

e Tecumseh Herald.

CUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 18, 1894

CAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

you our Indian Summer?

ne Root, of Addison, was on our
s Monday.

't forget the Demorest medal con-
here next week.

alter Burridge was in Adrian Tues-
on legal business.

ie Kellogg, of Memphis, Mich.,
in town the past week.

dies do not fail to attend Mrs. Free-
's opening the balance of the week.

on Hardenburg may now be found
nd the counters at Anderson & Co.'s.

iss Mamie Monaghan visited John
eder's family Tuesday and Wednes-

rs. S. V. Wastell and Mrs. S. Parker
linton, were shopping here yester-

r readers will regret to hear that
Farley is very sick with typhoid

rs. Fred. B. Wood, of Adrian, is
ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R.
ley.

rs. N. M. Sutton returned Tuesday
a visit with friends at Battle Creek,
Jackson.

v. J. P. Varner spoke for the Pro-
tionists at the Gurnee school house
day evening.

out twenty from here attended
er O'Riley's lecture at Clinton last
day evening.

ss Bertine Brewer entertained a
ber of young friends at her home
day evening.

ong the Clinton visitors Monday
Rev. D. H. Ramsdell and wife and
Florence Green.

r. C. M. Brown and family now oc-
the residence of Mrs. D. W. Clark,
wawatamie street.

member Mrs. M. A. Freeman's
ing of fancy Millinery goods Fri-
and Saturday of this week.

rs. M. A. Freeman's display of
nery goods to-morrow and Satur-
will eclipse all former openings.

atio Keyser left yesterday morn-
for a visit with friends at Buffalo
other points in the Empire State.

F. Kirchgessner and sisters, Libbie
ussie, attended the 10th wedding
ersary of a sister at Chelsea, Sun-

illustrated lecture at the Presby-
church Sunday evening was
attended. The stereopticon
ll well.

Board of Supervisors have elect-
M. Hensel of Blissfield, as county
examiner, to succeed Professor
ls of Clinton.

Ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity
no doubt been waiting anxiously
rs. M. A. Freeman's millinery open-
It will occur to-morrow and next

s. Hannah Sloan went to Ypsilanti
week. She will take up her resi-
there so that her children may
educational advantages there
d.

s. Wm. A. Wood, of Ulrichville, O.,
ed in town Tuesday evening, and
pend a few days with her aunt,
Judge Stacy and other Tecumseh
ds.

s. J. R. Hialey and daughter Mrs.
R. Wood, will receive their friends
e former's residence on South Pearl
t, Friday afternoon from 5 to 7
ck.

n. Geo. Spaulding and Burton Par-
of Monroe, will address the citizens
cumseh at Sutton's Opera House
evening. They also speak at Brit:
his afternoon.

e grand lodge of Odd Fellows meet
week at Grand Rapids. They cel-
e this year the fiftieth anniversary
e organization of the order in Mich-
There are 450 lodges now in the

rs. Mary Shull and Mrs. Abbie Fish-
ll give a reception at the latter's
ence, West Chicago street, this af-
on for their elderly friends, and
day evening at the same place
their younger ones.

Fred Milnes, the Republican nomi-
for lieutenant-governor, was quite
ppointed when he arrived here
rday, to find no arrangements had
made for his addressing the people.
ently a mistake by some one.

e First Winter Term of the Fayette
nal University begins Nov. 6th.
dreds of successful students testify
the superior advantages of this
ool. Make a study of its plans and
hods and take your friends with
for a few terms of vigorous, enjoy-
e work.

Fred B. Wood was in town over Sunday.

Nellie Conklin had charge of Coller's store yesterday.

George Wilson and his household goods leave for Mecosta to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr attended the wedding of a cousin at Albion, yesterday.

Rev. J. Phelps has been having a serious time with his heart the past week.

Ralph VanVleet, of Battle Creek, has been visiting his brothers the past week.

Little Maud Jordan spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Grace, at Clinton.

John Campbell went to Clinton this morning to help Editor Blanchard on the Local.

Mrs. Friend McNeil returned from Clinton to-day. She has been with her daughter Grace all the week.

Have you seen Karner Bro.'s new sign in the window at Nyland's old stand? It's a beauty.

A reception in honor of Miss Dunlop from Hamilton, Ontario, will be given at Armory Hall to-night.

The members of the Royal Arcanum give a box social at their hall to-morrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

At the residence of Thomas Welliver in Raisin, last evening, occurred the wedding of his daughter Mary and Jared VanVleet.

Friend's church will begin special services next Sunday night, to continue indefinitely. David J. Lewis, the pastor, will be aided by one or more workers from Cleveland. All are cordially invited.

Last Sunday evening, at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner gave the young men a description of the evils of the saloon. Next Sunday evening he will tell them why the saloon is legalized and protected by law.

Dan Hall and Bert Baker went out for a hunt Tuesday. They traversed a large part of Franklin township returning home at night laden with the fruit of their toil—one little squirrel. It is reported that it took both of them to carry it.

Mesdames Skinner & Knapp, Adrian Mich., respectfully invite ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity to attend their Fall and Winter opening on Friday and Saturday of this week, 19th and 20th. Elegant Patterns, new and artistic in designs will be shown.

The Tecumseh Prohibition Club will meet at the residence of Wm. Smith, west end of Logan street, Monday evening, Oct. 25, at 7:30. An interesting program will be presented. The Prohibition Quartette will sing. A cordial invitation is extended to all who believe in the outlawry of the liquor traffic.

People possessed of sign lore predict a hard cold winter. The goose bone is white, corn husks are of extra thickness and the maize has put on an extra overcoat to protect itself from the cold blasts to come. Woodchucks and chipmunks are buiging out with fatness and their fur is dense, fine and soft. Last but not least these observers have noticed that the price of coal is advancing, which clinches the argument.

"There is a striking contrast between the way in which religious work is done in England and America," says a writer in a recent number of the Outlook, and he might have added with equal truth, that there is a striking contrast in the way in which the work is done in the same country at different periods. New resourses and inventions should contribute to religious knowledge and instruction as well as to arts, sciences and business. That this should be so, was fully demonstrated by the large congregation that listened so attentively to Rev. Chas. M. Brown during his illustrated sermon on the Life of Christ last Sunday evening. The illustrations were fine and no one who was present could fail to have a better understanding of the country made sacred by the ministry of Christ, and that knowledge must contribute to a better understanding of his character. The stereopticon is used in the larger churches in all cities as a means of religious instruction, and Mr. Brown's successful efforts were thoroughly appreciated by all who heard him last Sunday evening.

The Republicans fired the first gun of the campaign on their side last Monday evening when Hon. James O'Donnell, of Jackson, addressed a good audience at Sutton's opera house. The city band gave some of their best selections with which to open the meeting. Dr. George Howell presided, and introduced the speaker in a few happy remarks. Messrs. Lucius Lilley, D. T. Hall, H. C. Conkling and Thos. Elliott occupied seats on the rostrum. Mr. O'Donnell gave a good speech from a Republican partisan standpoint, which seemed to give satisfaction to his party friends. It was not a speech, however, that was calculated to make converts, nor one which did justice to the speaker himself. He spoke with that partisan feeling and disregard of historical facts, and with appeals to a dead past, which mark the lawyer who knows he is on the wrong side of a lawsuit. However, he made some good points and it is not our province to criticize him. We believe in the fullest liberty in political discussion. Let the facts on all sides be fully presented and then the voters can decide intelligently as to how their votes shall be cast.

S. W. Temple took a business trip to Detroit Monday.

Bert Garlinghouse was in Detroit on business Monday.

Will Hall, of Clinton, was here Monday transacting business.

Robert Bauer, of Clinton, is at present assisting at the Tiffany Iron Works.

Leon McNeil spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. C. L. Silvers, at Clinton.

Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark and Mrs. Geo. A. Kies, of Clinton, were in town Monday.

A silver medal contest will be held in the Opera House, Friday eve. Oct. 26. Admission 10c.

Will Osgood, of Britton, makes prime apple jelly. We know, for we have sampled some of it.

Mr. R. V. Wilson, of Toledo, was home on a few days vacation last week and returned Monday.

Supervisor Thos. Elliott is attending the October meeting of the board of supervisors this week.

Mrs. Mary P. Hobart and daughter and Mrs. W. P. Howley, of Jackson, are visiting at L. L. Bates.

The place to buy furniture cheap for the next thirty days is at A. J. Palmer's factory. Call and see him.

There will be a special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M., Friday evening for work in the 1st degree.

'Public Opinion' is the best publication of selections now printed in this country. It will be sent ten weeks on trial for fifty cents. Published at Washington, D. C.

A. C. Huntington and daughter Sadie, Fred Breese' W. H. Beehler, Peter Alexander and E. L. Parker of Clinton, attended the Republican rally Monday evening.

Take your eggs and poultry to L. D. Dewey, he pays seven cents for chickens and seventeen cents for eggs; he is the man that pays the big prices. Patronize the man that works for you.

The free reading room at the Universalist church is an established fact. All are welcome. Come and bring your friends. Open from 4 to 6 and from 7 to 9, sun time.

ELMER C. ANDRUS, Pastor.

Died at Sorrento, Florida, Sept. 22nd. of pneumonia, Mrs. Julia Bumann, wife of Frank Bumann, aged 65. Frank was for many years one of Tecumseh's leading business men, and his old friends here will deeply sympathise with him in his affliction.

The W. C. T. U. elected delegates to Co. Convention at Blissfield, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 and 2, as follows: Mrs. Kellogg, Mrs. Coddington, Mrs. Millis, Mrs. North. Mrs. Ide. Alternates, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. A. B. Smith, Grace Bryant, Mrs. J. Osborne, Mrs. Varner.

The undersigned will close their stores at 8 o'clock, sun time, commencing on Monday, Oct. 22, 1894, and continuing until April 1st. 1895, excepting on Saturday, the night before Thanksgiving and the week before Christmas.

ALVA SPAYDE.
HARRIS & HITESHU.
MCCANN BROS.
KARNER BROS.

Henry L. Harrison, of Saginaw, Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger of Foresters, is in town endeavoring to form a court here. He is much pleased with the prospect and expects very soon to have one formed. While it is a fraternal society and a beneficiary one it differs from most others, as there are no death assessments. You pay monthly and do not have to die to win as it is on the endowment plan, and has $1,000,000 reserve fund. Mr. H. is a very genial man and a good talker.

Miss Agnes Woodward and friend Miss Agnes Dunlop of Hamilton, Ont. are visiting the former's parents, Doctor and Mrs. C. M. Woodward. They will remain over this week. Miss Dunlop is a singer of marked ability. Her voice is a rich contralto, pure in tone, of great volume and range. Her manner is very pleasing, enunciation clear and distinct and her work is given fine expression. She rendered a fine solo at St. Peter's church last Sunday morning very artistically.

The leading article in The Forum for November will be "The Political Career and Character of David B. Hill," by an annonymous writer, who will attempt to make an independent measure of Senator Hill's position and influence in national politics. In the same number, Ex-Senator Edmunds will discuss the question of the popular election of United States Senators—a noteworthy article from perhaps our highest constitutional authority, and a man who has himself had long Senatorial experience.

A book attacting a subject that has never before in the history of this this country been more vital and immediate and insistent, is Wealth against Commonwealth, by Henry Demarest Lloyd (Harper's.) It is the most complete history in existence of the great combination of brains and capital which still remains the type and model of all trusts or monopolies. Mr. Lloyd has traced the growth of this institution from its origin, in the sagacity of one or a few business men of Cleveland, to its vast proportions now, when it controls the oil markets and trade of a continent, and is perhaps the most influencial power in America. The methods and practices by which all corporate privileges have been grasped, all corporate responsibilities have been successfully defied, form an absorbing romance of the business world.

Mont. Rowland was in Adrian yesterday.

The Italian Band will furnish the music for the hop this evening.

Jared VanVleet and bride left this morning for an Eastern trip.

Rev. E. C. Andrus is permanently settled as pastor of the Universalist church, consequently regular services hereafter are an established fact.

The remains of the late Frank Hughes were buried Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Storey, of Adrian, father and mother of Mrs. Hughes, were present at the interment.

The drawing of that $35 Eclipse range at Geo. N. Smith's hardware took place Friday afternoon. Check 288 was the lucky number and was held by Mrs. C. L. Albaugh, of this city. The above is taken from the Hillsdale Standard. Mrs. Albaugh's friends here, among whom she mingled so many years, will be glad to know of her good fortune, and that Charley will no longer have to eat burnt pie crust.

—You will need a new Overcoat. Why not leave your order with
JONES & ROGERS,
The Leading Merchant Tailors.

Bret Harte is writing a story of American life and incident for The Ladies' Home Journal.

—The Raisin Flouring Mills are now prepared to do feed grinding every day pispatch.

—I have a large and complete assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings in Samples, embracing every design and quality, from which I offer to make Gent's Clothing in the best and newest style of art and fashion, and the very lowest prices possible. Come and see me. Richard's Block, up-stairs, opposite Anderson & Co's dry goods store.
J. C. ECCLES, Tailor.

—For a big white loaf
And a light loaf too,
You must use the Globe
Mill's Flours.
They are the best for the price,
They are really again as nice
As those of the competitors of ours.

—I keep on hand sausage, lard and everything in the meat line. Call at my market and let us get acquainted.
W. W. SHURTZ.

—E. L. Teeple continues his cut prices for another month, till Oct. 1st., but not a day longer—don't miss it. Best Cabinets at $2.00 per dozen.

—Why do we lead all others? Because we do better work at lower prices, and aim to please. Call and see us,
JONES & ROGERS,
Leading Merchant Tailors.

—Leave your order with C. A. Slayton for the very best grades of Anthracite, Cannel and Soft Coal and wood. Charcoal for starting your fire.

—Farmers go to the Steam Mills to get your feed ground—Grinding every day. CHAS. HECK.

—You can get feed ground every day at the Steam Mills and work guaranteed to be first-class or no pay.

—The Steam Mills does feed grinding every day just as cheap as anyone.
CHAS. HECK.

—GET YOUR SUNDAY PAPERS SUNDAY. Detroit Sunday News—Tribune or Free Press, 5c per copy, $2.00 per year delivered at your door the same morning they are printed. Give location of residence and address, M. A. NAY, Agent, Holloway, Mich.

—Look over my stock of plush and fur robes and horse blankets before buying. Something new in buffalo robes. Bottom prices. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Get your pictures framed at Teeple's gallery. He has the finest mouldings ever brought to this village and prices are way down. Call and it will pay you.

—Suits and Overcoats away down Cheaper than the Cheapest. Save your money by calling on
J. C. ECCLES, Tailor.

—Farmers should investigate the advantages of the Homestead Fertilizer before purchasing. It is the best article now on the market. I have it to sell in large or small quantities.
S. W. TEMPLE, Agent.

—$18 buys the best machine in the market for the price, at Collers' Music Store.

—For fresh and salt meats of all kinds, call at my Market, Dickinson's old stand. W. W. SHURTZ.

—A new No. 8 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine can be bought at a bargain The machine may be seen at this office. Call and examine it.

—New Goodrich, New Home, Domestic, Household, Eldridge B. and a number of other machines from $18 upward at Coller's Music Store.

I WANT YOU
To give me a trial on your laundry work. I am doing an extra fine quality of work as one trial will convince you.
C. H. RUDE, Star Laundry.

—L. M. Waldron has a full line of wood pumps, tubing and repairs on hand.

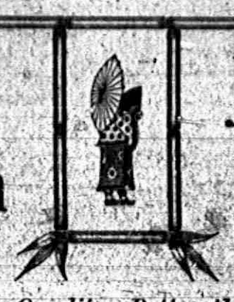
—Farmers remember nature's power is always ready to assist in grinding your feed at the Globe Mills.

—Fine Photographs that suit, at low prices, at BROWN'S PHOTO. PARLORS, near the Opera House, Adrian, Mich.

Just Arrived

A Large Invoice of the New Crop

Royal Garden Japan Tea.



Finer in Quality; Better than Ever.

To those who have been using the Royal Garden Brand, it needs no recommendation; those who have never used it, one trial will convince them that it is the Best Tea on the market to-day. Ask for the Royal Garden at

McCLURE BROS.

NOTICE—On and after October 15, our Store Closes promptly at 8 o'clock.

HEATING STOVES

HEATING STOVES

See Our Line of Heating Stoves before Purchasing.

We have an Elegant Line of
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

We carry the VERY BEST
OIL HEATING STOVES.

We also have a Most Complete Line of
BLANKETS AND ROBES.

A Specialty of
TIN, SHEET IRON AND FURNACE WORK.

Satterthwaite Bros.

$20.00 Given Away!

On and after AUGUST 31, we will give to each purchaser of $1.00 or over, a KEY, one of which, out of the entire lot, will unlock a box containing

20 SILVER DOLLARS

Commencing JANUARY 2nd, you can try your keys, and the person holding the key that unlocks the box is entitled to the $20.00 Silver Dollars.

Kennedy & Rogers.

THE NEW GROCERS.

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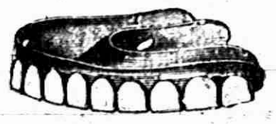
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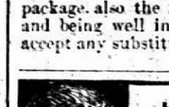
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GOES BACK ON HIS BARGAIN.

W. D. Trombley, Who Sold His Birthright, Desires to Back Out.

DETROIT, Oct. 13.—William D. Trombley, one of the heirs of Charles B. Chauvin, who sold his birthright to John H. Seitz, now desires to back out of his bargain and has commenced suit in the Wayne circuit court to have set aside the deed to one-half of his uncle's estate given to Mr. Seitz. E. W. Pendleton appears as Trombley's attorney. Ira W. and C. C. Buell, of Chicago, attorneys for Barnaby Trombley, are interested with Mr. Pendleton in the conduct of the case. Trombley estimates his share of the estate at $80,000. Then the story of Mr. Seitz's purchase of the prospective inheritance is given in detail. Seitz, so Trombley claims in the bill, offered in 1890 $2,000 for the conveyance of one-third part of the prospective inheritance. The offer was accepted and the deed was made out and signed. Trombley claims that Seitz represented that the property was of no greater value than it was when Trombley left Grosse Pointe years before. Trombley received $900 down to bind the bargain, and has received only $300 since. Trombley seeks to excuse his action in selling his inheritance so cheaply by pleading ignorance. He claims to be illiterate, and to read and write with difficulty. Trombley relates the circumstances of the second meeting when Seitz offered $20,000 for a deed to a full half interest in the estate. Trombley accepted that offer. Three $5,000 notes and one for $4,000 were by given Mr. Seitz to Trombley, and the mortgage given to secure them was on the estate sold, so only $1,000 passed.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 15.—The coroner's jury at the inquest regarding the murder of Charles Chauvin, the Grosse Point hermit, did not succeed in solving the mystery of his death. The verdict was that he died at the hands of an unknown person.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 14.—It is established beyond a doubt that Frank Trombley, who lives with a depraved woman on a houseboat at the foot of Walnut street, in this city, is a nephew of Charles Chauvin, the wealthy hermit, who was murdered at Grosse point or Hog island, near Detroit, a short time ago. Trombley gives an account of his family, and there is little doubt that his statements are correct. He says that his mother was a sister of the murdered man, and was in fact owner of half the estate.

PLOTTERS CAPTURED.

A. R. U. Men Arrested for Causing a Fatal Wreck.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—Four members of the American Railway union have been arrested by Mooney & Boland's railway detectives on warrants charging them with murder, train robbery and conspiracy to rob trains. The principal charge against them relates to the wrecking of train No. 6, the Atlantic express on the Chicago & Grand Trunk road at Battle Creek, Mich., July 16, when the fireman, Thomas W. Crowe, was killed and nearly a score of persons more or less seriously injured. The wreck was caused by the removal of a fishplate, thus loosening a rail and ditching the train. The men are Stanley J. Knowles, John Bodewig, George W. Johnson and Ernest Jewett.

All of these men had been in the employ of the Chicago & Grand Trunk road. The wreck occurred at 3 o'clock on the morning of July 46, when the great railroad strike was practically lost. The Grand Trunk's trains had been tied up near Battle Creek for several days, but had resumed business a few days before. American Railway union meetings were being held every day in Battle Creek and incendiary speeches were the rule rather than the exception.

Knowles and Bodewig in their confessions say all the men interested were members of the American Railway union and that the plan of wrecking the train was made in and about the meetings held by the men in the midst of the excitement incident to the strike. The men claim they were induced to do the deed by the incendiary speeches made at the meetings.

Fusion in Michigan.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 12.—The democratic state central committee met here Thursday and decided to put the name of Perry Mayo, of Calhoun county, on the state ticket for lieutenant governor to succeed J. Milton Jordan, declined. Mayo is the populist candidate for the same office. The committee accepted the resignations of C. C. Casterlin, of Mason, and Samuel Robinson, of Charlotte, and elected James J. Fahey, of Marshall, and Frank G. Rounsville, of Fowlersville, to the vacancies.

Electric Railroad Will Be Built.

MONROE, Oct. 13.—The Toledo, Monroe & Detroit Electric railway is an assured fact. President Clarke, of Toledo, who has been in the east negotiating bonds, telegraphs that money has been secured and work will be commenced at once all along the line. The company will also put in a street railway here. The road will be both a passenger and freight carrier.

Michigan Stock Fed on Wheat.

LANSING, Oct. 13.—Reports made by several hundred correspondents from as many sections of the state show that 18 per cent., or one-fifth, of the wheat crop of Michigan is being fed to stock. Most of this is now being fed to hogs. Later it will be fed more extensively to other stock and the percentage will materially increase.

Michigan Crops.

LANSING, Oct. 13.—The Michigan crop report for October estimates the total wheat crop of 1894 at 21,637,649 bushels with an average yield per acre of 16.79 bushels. Oats are expected to yield 28¼, barley 18¾ and corn 40 bushels ears per acre. Of wheat 1,523,271 bushels are reported marketed in September.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

Interesting Information from All Parts of the State.

A waterworks system will be established in the town of Oxford.

John McConnell, of Lowell, dropped dead while loading gravel recently.

Claims of Ann Arbor letter carriers for arrears in pay for overtime amount to $4,000.

The late Silas Hubbard, of Kalamazoo, bequeathed $30,000 to the First Unitarian church of that city.

The state school for the deaf at Flint has 352 pupils. There is pressing need of more accommodations.

Frank Sumner was convicted of arson at Kalkaska and sentenced to serve five years in the Jackson prison.

In a saloon fight at Calumet Herman I. Lahti was shot and seriously wounded by Matti Talso. The latter is under arrest.

Marion Saunders, of Ludington, has been arrested at Defiance, O., for horse stealing. He demands a requisition.

During a fit of mental aberration, Carl Berger, aged 19 years, living near White Pigeon, shot himself recently.

Prof. Ancaersoper, an aeronaut from Saginaw, was so badly injured at Vancouver, B. C., that he may not recover.

William B. Wilson, of Edwardsburg, was acquitted of the charge of attempting a criminal assault on a young girl.

Farmers in the vicinity of Blissfield are realizing $100 per acre from their tomato crop, which they sell to the canning factory.

The third annual convention of the Ionia county Sunday school association will be held at Lake Odessa October 29 and 30.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Michigan Sunday School association will be held in Grand Rapids, November 13-15.

H. Row, of Lansing, has been appointed a member of the state insurance commission, vice John F. Murray, of Detroit, resigned.

The Saginaw Coal company of Sebewaing will abandon its mine workings, as there is danger of a collapse of the walls and roof.

Thieves stole a safe from the Congregational church of St. Joseph, which contained the benevolent and missionary funds of the church.

It is estimated that from western Michigan orchards during 1894 there were shipped to other states a total of more than 400,000 bushels of peaches.

Mary Smith, of Grand Rapids, arose at night to take a dose of medicine. In the darkness she swallowed carbolic acid by mistake, and died a couple of hours later from the effects of the poison.

At the recent session of the Michigan grand chapter of the Eastern Star, held in Grand Rapids, Mrs. Louise A. Turck, of Alma, was elected worthy grand matron. The next session will be held in Saginaw on the second Wednesday in October, 1895.

THE THREE LINKS.

Michigan Odd Fellows Assemble at Hillsdale—Officers Elected.

HILLSDALE, Oct. 13.—At the grand encampment of the I. O. O. F. the grand secretary said the total membership December 31, 1893, was 3,778, against 3,916 one year ago. The total receipts for the year ending October 1, 1894, were $1,727.99. The following officers were elected: Grand patriarch, Josiah Dandy, Grand Rapids; grand high priest, Henry Lever, Newaygo; G. R. S. W. Frank Shepard, Cheboygan; grand scribe, E. H. Whitney, Lansing; grand treasurer, Andrew Harshaw, Alpena; G. J. W., William Skinner, Port Huron; grand representative, J. B. Penfield, Vicksburg. The encampment adjourned to meet in Ann Arbor next year on the second Tuesday in October.

MICHIGAN FACTORIES.

Report of the Bureau of Inspection Reduction in Wages.

LANSING, Oct. 13.—The Michigan factory inspection bureau reports that in 1,644 factories, or a trifle more than half the total number in the state inspected to October 1, there has been a reduction in wages of from 5 to 25 per cent. since last year, when an average cut of 10 per cent. was made. The inspection found 1,106 factories running full time, 394 part time and 144 idle. The number of operatives employed was 25,305 less than if the factories were running to their full capacity. The annual loss to labor by this condition of affairs was $10,316,910, or nearly 35 per cent.

A Farmer Bunkoed.

ADRIAN, Oct. 11.—Andrew Hood, a farmer of Rome township, drew $1,000 from an Adrian bank and deposited it with another thousand placed in a paper box by a couple of strangers, to whom he had sold his farm. The deposits were to bind the bargain. Hood took the box home to keep. On reaching home the farmer found he had been swindled. There was nothing in the box.

Blinded by a Poacher.

MONROE, Mich., Oct. 13.—Gamekeeper Boyse, of the Erie Shooting club, found a poacher on the club's preserves and began to drive him off when the fellow raised his gun and fired at Boyse. The charge of duck shot struck the gamekeeper in the face. The sight of both eyes was destroyed. The poacher made his escape.

An Enormous Cabbage.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 15.—J. P. Kreiger, living near this city, brought here from his farm a cabbage head which measured 3 feet in circumference and weighed nearly twelve pounds. This is the largest head of cabbage ever known to have been grown in this section.

McKinley in Michigan.

DETROIT, Oct. 13.—Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, made a brief visit to Michigan during the latter part of the week. He delivered short addresses at Ann Arbor, Adrian, Detroit, Mount Clemens, Pontiac, Jackson, and Grand Rapids.

MICHIGAN Y. M. C. A.

Its Jubilee Anniversary Celebrated at Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 15.—The fiftieth convention of the Young Men's Christian association of Michigan began Tuesday evening with the college delegates. Exercises on Thursday, Friday and Saturday consisted of hearing addresses and reading papers on topics of general interest relative to association work. On Sunday the delegates took possession of the various churches and in each one conducted a special service with a union meeting in the First Methodist Episcopal church addressed by C. K. Ober, of New York city, secretary of the international committee. State Secretary Clark said in his report that there were now thirty-four associations in the state against thirty-two last year. Of these twenty-three are city, ten college and one railroad organizations. There are thirty-four paid officers in the state associations, including the general secretary, five physical directors and many minor officers.

BAY CITY, Oct. 14.—The state convention of the Young Women's Christian association closed a three days' session here Saturday. Officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Grace Evans, of Detroit; vice presidents, Miss Strong, of Ypsilanti; Miss Haynes, of Olivet; Miss Bartram, of Albion; secretary, Mrs. W. H. Gustin, of Bay City; assistant, Miss Carne, of Detroit. The secretary's report showed that there are nineteen associations with a membership of about 2,000 in the state. Belding association is the newest one. To carry on the state work this year $1,920 is needed.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Wife of Ira Hurd and O. W. Ludlow Betrayed by Their Letters.

ALLEGAN, Oct. 11.—The sheriff has arrested Mrs. Ira Hurd and a man named O. W. Ludlow for murdering Ira Hurd. The woman was taken in her home and the man from the hotel at the depot, where he was stopping. Ludlow is about 28 years of age and was engaged in apple buying. His home is in Benton Harbor, where he has a wife. The officers are reticent as to the evidence in their possession, but claim they have sufficient to convict. It is claimed the officers have letters that passed between the two making assignations, also that the ownership of the revolver has been traced to Ludlow. Ludlow appears very calm, but Mrs. Hurd is prostrated. The arrests were made as the result of the investigations of Detective Vannatta, of Chicago.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 15.—Several hundred business men and prominent citizens here have sent a united protest to Allegan officials and citizens regarding the treatment their townsman, Orin W. Ludlow, is receiving while under arrest on suspicion of complicity in the murder of Ira Hurd at Allegan a few weeks ago. Legal help has been sent by citizens to see that justice is done.

MICHIGAN BANKS.

Some Interesting Statistics as to Their Condition.

LANSING, Oct. 13.—In response to the commissioners' call for a showing of the condition of Michigan banks at the close of business October 3, the following statistics have been received:

The banks of Detroit had $14,760,000 in loans and discounts; $1,856,000 in lawful money reserve, of which $1,200,000 is in gold; and $10,330,000 in individual deposits. The average reserve was 28.66 per cent.

The Bay City banks show $2,718,119.61 as against $3,553,251.63 for July, or a gain of $164,867.98. The loans and discounts are also proportionately higher and the rediscounts lower.

The comparative statement of the condition of the national and state banks of the Saginaw valley indicates that there is an increase in the aggregate amount of deposits over that shown by the previous statement of July 18, of $424,084.62. The Saginaw banks show a deposit line of $5,733,375.33 as against $5,474,659.29 in July, or a gain of $259,215.04 in less than three months.

COULDN'T FACE DISGRACE.

School Inspector Lichtenburg, of Detroit, Attempts Suicide.

DETROIT, Oct. 11.—After being out for twenty-four hours the jury in the case of School Inspector Lipphardt, one of the four boodling members of the board, returned a verdict of guilty. Julius Lichtenberg, one of the school inspectors under indictment for receiving a bribe, shot himself in a fit of depression over the adverse verdict. He may die.

Found Dead.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 15.—Willard M. Johnson, a farmer living near Burr Oak, was found dead in the St. Joseph river near Colon. He had been shot through the heart and his body thrown into the river. Suspicion has fallen on some of his relatives, with whom a lawsuit was pending, as his watch and money were not taken.

Killed Herself in Jail.

SAGINAW, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Charles E. Shorts, arrested while flourishing a revolver about at her home here, hanged herself with strips of her skirts during the night. She had but recently returned from an asylum.

Small Blaze at Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 15.—At 1 o'clock Sunday morning fire destroyed the plant of the Plymouth Air Rifle company. Loss, $9,000; insured for $1,500 in the Ætna, of Hartford, Conn.

Left a Horrible Confession.

DETROIT, Oct. 12.—George Van Taylor, of this city, suicided in jail, leaving a letter in which he confesses to having committed twelve murders. His confession is not credited.

Killed in a Mine.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Oct. 13.—Michael Perli fell 100 feet in a mine here and was killed. Charles Mattson was fatally injured by a fall of 85 feet.

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DOMESTIC.

THE International Typographical union met in annual convention at Louisville.

THREE men were killed and four others seriously injured by the bursting of a steam pipe in the rail mill in Chicago of the Illinois Steel company.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 8th was: Wheat, 78,642,000 bushels; corn, 3,005,000 bushels; oats, 8,658,000 bushels; rye, 458,000 bushels; barley 2,709,000 bushels.

A ROCK ISLAND freight train was wrecked near Seymour, Ia., and three train hands were killed and one injured.

THE strike of the New Bedford (Mass.) spinners, which involved 30,000 persons, was ended, a compromise having been effected.

A RECEIVER was appointed for the Peoria (Ill.) Iron & Steel company, the liabilities of which were put at $209,686.

RAYMOND MARTIN and Robert Rye, living near Henderson, Ky., fought a duel with axes about a girl and killed each other.

A MOB broke into the jail at Irvine, Ky., and lynched Alexander Richardson, a white man, who had been arrested for murder and attempted assault.

SEVENTEEN members of Battery D in Chicago were dishonorably discharged for refusing to drill because they had not received pay for service.

THE University Press of Cambridge, Mass., the oldest printing establishment in America, founded in 1639, was forced to assign.

THE South Carolina supreme court handed down an opinion upholding the constitutionality of the Tillman dispensary law.

THE National Horseshoers, association convened at Boston.

IN his annual report Gov. Hughes protests against the return of Geronimo to Arizona and the proposed withdrawal of troops. During the past year the gold output was $2,050,250; silver, $1,700,800, and copper, 42,876,500 pounds.

THE engineer and two of the crew of a runaway train near Asheville, N. C., were killed.

THE fire losses in the United States for the week ended on the 6th aggregated $1,288,000, of which those entailing a loss of $10,000 or more made up $958,000 and the smaller fires $330,000.

FOUR persons were killed in a wreck on the Rock Island road near Harvard, Iowa.

THE acting attorney general has rendered an opinion that the word "wool" in the tariff act refers to the hair of sheep only.

CONTRACTS for the second section of the Hennepin canal have been confirmed by the government and the work will be pushed.

MARY KERSKE was killed by Frank Bezick at Scranton, Pa., because she would not marry him. The girl arrived from Germany only a day or two before.

THROUGH its minister the Chilian government has paid into the state department at Washington $245,564.35, in satisfaction of war claims.

FOUR miners were hemmed in by flames in a colliery at Shamokin Pa The carpenter whose carelessness caused the fire was suffocated.

A HURRICANE struck Pensacola, Fla., wrecking many buildings and forcing a suspension of business. Several vessels were wrecked.

GEORGE REAMS, a farmer living near Charles City, Ia., murdered his wife with a razor and then cut his own throat.

THE wholesale business in New York of Hilton, Hughes & Co., the old house of A. T. Stewart & Co., is to be closed out.

BENJAMIN MUSGRAVE, of Terre Haute, Ind., while drunk fatally injured his mother with a hatchet.

THE corner stone was laid of the commercial travelers' home at Binghamton, N. Y.

WILLIAM BECK and Richard BROWN were sentenced to two years' imprisonment each at St. Louis for attempting to wreck a Missouri Pacific train during the recent labor troubles.

ALL the cloakmakers in New York, some 12,000 in number, went on a strike for a ten-hour day and abrogation of piece work.

IT was reported that during a heavy wind in New York city two houses were blown down and twelve persons killed.

JAMES CHAMBERS, a democrat, shot and killed William Weaver, a populist, in Early county, Ga., in a quarrel over the election results. Both were prominent farmers.

THE National Association of Agricultural Implement manufacturers met in annual convention at the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago.

GOVERNMENT returns for October show a slight gain in the percentages of all crops excepting cotton.

IT was reported that forty old soldiers had been robbed and murdered at the national military home in Dayton, O., in the past few years and only passing notice taken of the crimes.

FIRE destroyed the establishments of the Cleveland Foundry company and the Enterprise Desk and Stamping company in Cleveland, the loss being $125,000.

THE annual meeting of the American board of foreign missions commenced in the Congregational church at Madison, Wis.

TROOP L, the last of the Indian companies, has been disbanded, the government considering them poor soldiers.

THE twentieth annual convention of the American Banker's association was opened in Baltimore with 300 members present.

Life is awfully full of politics nowadays.

Friend. "Do you notice any difference in the way you feel since you've been riding a bicycle?"

"Do I? I have fifteen empty arnica bottles."

THE twenty-fifth annual convention of the North American Beekeepers' association met at St. Joseph, Mo.

TWENTY-FIVE railroad men, including E. V. Debs, were indicted by the federal grand jury in Milwaukee.

THE eighteenth annual meeting of the American Humane association convened at Evansville, Ind.

GEORGE VAN TAYLOR, of Detroit, Mich., committed suicide in jail, leaving a letter in which he confessed to having committed twelve murders.

AT the annual convention of republican league clubs of Illinois, held in Springfield, C. W. Raymond, of Iroquois county, was elected president.

AN unfinished building in New York was blown down by the wind, killing six persons and injuring thirteen others.

THE American Debenture company of Chicago, one of the largest concerns of its kind in the country, went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $1,500,000.

MRS. MILLER, wife of Lon Miller, a wealthy farmer near Liberty, Ill., and her 10-year-old daughter were killed by robbers.

AMES MYSON for the murder of Dudley Carcey and Jackson Hicks for the murder of James Preel were hanged at Union Springs, Ala.

AT an incendiary tenement house fire in Boston two men leaped to death and two others were fatally hurt.

THE Lakeport stage was held up by a lone bandit near Pieta Station, Cal., and the Wells-Fargo express box stolen.

FIVE men were killed, two fatally hurt and several more seriously burned by a boiler explosion at Shamokin, Pa.

CORBETT and Fitzsimmons signed articlee to fight after July 1, 1895, at Jacksonville, Fla., for a purse of $41,000 and $10,000 a side.

THE steamer Hartford went upon the rocks near Woodville, N. Y., and Capt. O'Toole and his crew of six men were lost.

MAJ. GEN. SCHOFIELD, in his annual report to the secretary of war, asks for an increase in the national forces, says state troops are not enough and that the government should be all-powerful against uprisings.

JULIUS LICHTENBERG, a Detroit school inspector indicted for receiving a bribe, shot himself fatally.

IN a pacing race between Robert J. and Joe Patchen at Sioux City, Ia., the former won three straight heats, making the last one in 2:03¼.

AT the annual session in Evansville, Ind., of the American Humane society J. J. Shortall, of Chicago, was reelected president.

FURIOUS gales swept Lake Erie and lower Lake Huron, disabling several large boats and injuring a number of sailors.

J. J. P. ODELL, of Chicago, was elected president of the American Bankers' association in session at Baltimore.

CHARLES B. ALLEN, alias Harry Conway, leader of a gang of bank swindlers, was arrested in Chicago and confessed his crimes.

NATHAN GREEN, Elsworth McAfee and William Green perished in a burning hay mow in Mercer county.

OFFICIAL estimates of the wheat crop in Ohio place it at 50,852,433 bushels, the largest in the state's history.

THE First national bank of Kearney, Neb., suspended because unable to make collections.

ON account of the failure of the corn crop all the hogs in Nebraska were being shipped into states where feed can be secured.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 12th aggregated $927,428,877, against $999,555,127 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 3.0.

NEGRO Catholics, in national convention at Baltimore, petitioned the president to protect colored men.

THE report of Commissioner of Pensions Loehren for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, shows that the number of pensioners on the rolls at that time was 959,544. The amount paid for pensions during the year was $139,804,461, leaving a balance in the treasury of $25,205,713 of the appropriation.

THERE were 231 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 12th, against 219 the week previous and 398 in the corresponding time in 1893.

ONLINE paced an exhibition mile at Sioux City, Ia., in 2:04, lowering his own world's record of 2:07¼.

THE striking spinners at Fall River, Mass., voted to accept a reduction of 10 per cent. and return to work.

GOV. MITCHELL says he will convene the Florida legislature if necessary to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight in that state.

PROF. DAVID SWING'S death ends the organization in Chicago of the Central church. No successor will be named.

A LABOR parliament will be held in Chicago on November 13, at which the relations of labor and capital will be discussed by leading thinkers from all standpoints with a view to bettering present conditions.

THE schooner Sea Foam capsized at Shears, in the Delaware bay, and the captain and crew of five men perished.

DECEMBER wheat sold down to 56¼ cents in New York, the lowest price in the history of the market there.

SEVEN masked robbers held up a fast mail train near Quantico, Va., and rifled the express car and mail pouches, securing probably $50,000.

FURTHER advices state that the two bandits who robbed the Overland express near Sacramento, Cal., secured between $50,000 and $75,000.

WHOLESALE grocers of Chicago are leaders in a revolt against the sugar trust which is spreading over the entire country.

THE will of Richard Smith, the wealthy typefounder, leaves more than $1,000,000 to the city of Philadelphia.

G. W. HOWARD, vice president of the American Railway union, had his pocket picked in Chicago of a book containing forty railroad passes.

THE federal grand jury at Madison, Wis., found indictments against fifty-eight persons charged with stealing land.

THE Buffalo county national bank at Kearney, Neb., closed its doors.

ARMED tramps took possession of a freight train in Ohio and terrorized the crew and passengers for an hour.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

PAUL BERGER, the oldest negro minstrel in America, died in Philadelphia, aged 70 years.

ANTI-HILL democrats of New York agreed on Everett P. Wheeler, of New York city, for governor and he will make the race.

CAPT. WILLIAM COBA, the oldest captain in the employ of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, died at San Francisco.

LEVI P. MORTON has written a letter formally accepting the republican nomination for governor of New York.

FUNERAL services of the late Andrew Gregg Curtin, the war governor of Pennsylvania, were held in Bellefonte.

THE funeral services of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes were held in Boston. They were simple and largely attended.

NOMINATIONS for congress were made as follows: New Jersey, Sixth district, T. D. English (dem.); Eighth, C. N. Fowler (rep.). Rhode Island, First district, Melville Bull (rep.); Second, W. O. Arnold (rep.). New York, Seventh district, Franklin T. Bartlett; Eighth, James J. Walsh; Ninth, Henry C. Miner; Tenth, Daniel E. Sickles; Eleventh, William Sulzer; Twelfth, George B. McClellan; Thirteenth, Amos J. Cummings; Fourteenth, John Connolly; Fifteenth, Jacob A. Cantor, all democrats.

PERRY MAYO, of Calhoun county, has been placed on the Michigan democratic ticket for lieutenant governor to succeed J. Milton Jordan, declined Mayo is the populist candidate for the same office.

ATTORNEY GENERAL MOLONEY rules that Illinois women must furnish their own ballots and not vote with the men.

CHARLES F. DURSTON, aged 54, warden of Sing Sing (N. Y.) prison, died after two weeks' illness with malignant typhoid fever.

UNCONTRADICTED rumors were to the effect that Nellie Grant Sartoris was to marry Gen. H. K. Douglas, of Baltimore.

FOREIGN.

MINISTER DENBY has warned Americans that Pekin is likely to be attacked by the Japanese. Removal of women and children is urged.

THE military barracks at Granada, Nicaragua, were blown up and 200 persons were killed and much of the city destroyed.

Prof. ZACCHARIN was said to have informed the czar of Russia that his malady was incurable, though his life might be prolonged.

DISPATCHES from Shanghai state that 40,000 Japanese troops had been landed on the Chinese boundary.

IN a railway accident at St. Anne, Que., three men were killed and three others fatally injured.

THIRTY persons lost their lives and many vessels were wrecked in a gale which swept the coast of Newfoundland.

AN alleged plot to kill the czar was discovered in Russia and many arrests were made among army officers.

KAFFIRS entered the port of Lourenzo Marquez, burned several buildings and murdered seventeen persons.

ENGLAND was endeavoring to enlist other powers in an effort to stop the Chinese-Japanese war.

OWING to the abrogation of the reciprocity treaty with Brazil, importers of that country will sue the United States for duties which have been paid.

LATER.

DURING a riot among drunken Slavs at Maltby, Pa., a boy was shot dead, two girls fatally wounded and two persons badly hurt.

THE French boat Alice was sunk by a collision in a fog near Antwerp and six of her seamen drowned.

COL. BRECKINRIDGE was suspended from communion by the congregation of Mount Horeb (Ky.) Presbyterian church until February.

FRANK MCINTYRE, James Ford and Frank Britton, of New Brighton, N. Y., were drowned by the capsizing of a boat.

SNOW fell in many counties of Pennsylvania to the depth of 3 inches.

OSCAR MORTON, a wealthy resident of Stanton, Ky., shot and killed Sheriff William Simms as the result of an old feud. A mob took Morton from jail and hanged him.

ORAN FOLLETT, a prominent official and newspaper writer of Ohio, died at Sandusky, aged 95 years.

MRS. ADA WEINER, who shot and killed her husband at San Francisco while he slept, was sentenced to life imprisonment.

RADICALS and Irish were moving to crush the English house of lords and would force Rosebery to act or resign.

IN the Fourth New York district the democrats nominated W. J. Coombs for congress and in the Sixth James R. Howell.

TWENTY-ONE persons were seriously injured and property worth $40,000 destroyed by a train collision at New Orleans.

HENRY H. GREEN, a classmate of Gen. Grant at West Point and a Mexican war veteran, died at Mora, N. M., aged 71 years.

TWO YOUNG daughters of John N. Scatcherd and Miss Emily Wood, Mrs. Scatcherd's sister, were killed by an engine at a crossing in Buffalo, N. Y.

EXPERIMENTS at an Omaha distillery of making spirits from beet sugar molasses proved very successful.

INVESTIGATION showed that the soldier's home at Dayton, O., was haunted by thieves who rob the inmates on pension days.

EXPERTS discovered that Stark county, O., had been robbed of $17,000 by dishonest officials.

AT Ogden, U. T., De Camp, McConnell and King were found guilty of attempted train wrecking during the A. R. U. strike and King was sentenced to four years and De Camp and McConnell to twelve years each in the penitentiary.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect May 27, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 40 A.M.	2 05 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon.....	5 00 "	2 35 "	1 17 "
Norvell.....	5 07 "	2 34 "	1 27 "
Manchester.....	5 25 "	2 50 "	1 50 "
Clinton.....	5 40 "	3 05 "	2 06 "
Tecumseh.....	5 49 "	3 15 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	6 27 "	3 53 "	4 00 "
Detroit.....	9 50 "	6 30 "	.....
Toledo.....	7 20 "	4 40 "	10 45 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 2:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 114. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	8 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 30 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 29 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton.....	12 39 "	9 33 "	7 25 "
Manchester.....	12 54 "	9 45 "	8 05 "
Norvell.....	1 10 "	10 05 "	8 40 "
Napoleon.....	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 00 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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EAST. No 25 Exc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith.....	1 58	
	A. M.	1 39	Yorkville.....	1 14	A. M.
A. M.	7 30	2 07	Battle Creek.....	12 45	1 25
8 20	8 15	2 28	Marshall.....	12 14	12 33
9 11	8 55	3 06	Homer.....	11 35	11 48
10 15	9 42	3 57	Hanover.....	11 14	11 08
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison.....	10 49	10 15
12 05	10 44	4 33	Devils Lake.....	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted.....	10 14	9 36
..	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake.....	10 07	9 25
1 06	11 20	4 51	Tipton.....	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh.....	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway.....	9 33	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton.....	9 28	8 30
3 09	12 14	5 33	Rea.....	9 15	8 10
3 24	12 27	5 42	Dundee.....	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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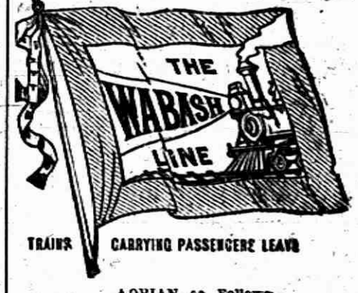

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*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN, 6:40 A. M., 11: 5 A. M., 5:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., OCT. 18, 1894.

See Stacy's Snap Shots.

John Palmer was in Jackson Monday on business.

The Episcopal social is at Mrs. W. C. Rogers to-day.

Milton Davenport, of Macon, was in town Tuesday.

Allie Chase, of Ypsilanti, was here Tuesday and yesterday.

S. W. Demuth, wife and Willie, visited Battle Creek last week.

Mrs. Charles Ellis is again with her sister Mrs. Jennie Kimball.

Henry Rice and family, of Tecumseh, are visiting Frank and family.

Mrs. Charles Silvers has had her mother visiting her this week.

C. L. Silvers and wife entertained her brother, Leon, over Sunday.

Mott S. VanDeMark, of Detroit, visited Clinton relatives over Sunday.

Charles Parker and family, of Hillsdale, are visiting Clinton friends.

D. H. Davis visited Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor on his wheel the first of the week.

Miss Yale, a professional nurse from Ann Arbor, is careing for Mrs. Kimball.

Albert Rowland and son Charlie, of Caro, Mich., are visiting old friends here.

B. F. Greenleaf and family are visiting friends at Leonidas, their former home.

Tom Biggins, Jr., and family now occupy Alice Winger's house on Coman street.

Miss Mame Bradner has so far recovered from her illness as to be able to get out.

Mesdames S. Parker, Sarah Wastell and C. M. Green were in Tecumseh yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, of Nebraska, are visiting friends in and around Clinton.

Mesdames Laura Tuttle, Lizzie VanDeMark and Delia Kies were Tecumseh callers Monday.

Mr. Peter Kishpaugh drove to Dundee Monday and returned Tuesday, bringing Mrs. K. with him.

Mrs. Ham D. Niblack is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ames, at Ypsilanti, this week.

E. P. Allen will discourse upon the beauties and benefits of Protection at Town Hall, Oct. 22nd.

Grace McDermott's little sister, Maud, of Tecumseh, was with her from Saturday till Monday.

There was a special meeting of Clinton Lodge, F. & A. M., last evening. Work in the 3d degree.

James Hosley is spending the week at Grand Rapids. Clarence is at Demuth's during his absence.

Mrs. Carrie Draper has disposed of her livery barn property on Jackson street, to W. D. VanTuyle.

The supper of the B. O. T. M.'s at town hall Saturday evening was very pleasant. Some $18 was taken in.

Geo. Newcomb came up from Blissfield Saturnay and spent Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark.

Nate Schmid, of Manchester, was in town Monday on business pertaining to his office, viz, Internal revenue collector.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner returned from Grand Rapids the last of the week. Her visit was shortened on account Mame's illness.

Mrs. Esther Coykendall, of Lawton, VanBuren Co., is making a visit with her brother W. S. Kimball and other relatives.

Do not fail to attend the entertainment at town hall Saturday night. It will be very interesting and the object is a very worthy one.

The Congregational society gave a chicken pie supper at town hall yesterday evening. The way the good things vanished was a caution.

Miss Etta Halladay, daughter of Ed. and Mary Halladay, of Napoleon, was married Tuesday last. She is well known to our young people.

Floyd Rogers who is attending school at Orchard Lake, came home Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents. He looks well in his military dress.

Chas. Keyser and family have moved their household goods back from Blissfield, and once more will reside here. They will soon occupy the Strum building on Jackson street.

Eugene Smalley's Phonographic concert at the M. E. church Monday night, was well attended. He gave one at Saline last night. Next week he is in the south-west part of the county.

Clinton will soon have another blacksmith shop. The barn of Ed Semark on Brown street, is being converted into a modern shop. When finished it will be very convenient. It will be occupied by Moulton & Son.

L. J. Leek's residence is in the hands of James Gillen & Son, who, by the liberal use of paint and brush, are working a great transformation. The Quintette club, who hold frequent seances, will be quite puffed up.

Mrs. J. E. White reports a large attendance at the Grand Chapter O. E. S. at Grand Rapids last week. She says the sessions were very interesting and that the delegates were nicely entertained while there. She called on Mrs. Mary Burroughs at the Masonic Home. She returned Saturday.

Below we give the program of the Musical entertainment, to be given by St. John's Episcopal society, Saturday evening—go and hear it:

Blue Bells of Scotland (Har)	Choir
Fairy Fantesma	St. John's S. S.
Instrumental Duet	Miss Alberta Johnston, Miss Clyde Marsteller
Recitation	Mrs Geo. Hard
Vocal Solo	Miss Grace Stevens
Instrumental Duet	Miss Kate Hard, Mrs. L. W. Kimball
Dialogue	Miss Nellie Whittlesey, Miss Grace Whittlesey
Vocal Duet	Mrs. L. W. Kimball, Mr. Blachford
Instrumental Solo	Miss Alberta Johnson
Instrumental Duet	Miss Maggie Collins, Mrs. L. W. Kimball
Instrumental Solo	Miss Clyde Marsteller
Recitation	Mrs. C. P. Clark
Vocal Solo	Mr. Blachford
America	

James Blanchard, of Adrian township is visiting his son J. R. and family.

G. M. Hard and family were in Toledo yesterday, and S. W. Demuth in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Jennie Kimball, who has been ill so long, submitted to an operation yesterday afternoon. Although she lies in a very critical condition, she withstood the strain beyond all expectation.

Will P. Cotton and Will Langan, of Macon, and about twenty Masonic brethren from Manchester, were present at the special meeting of the lodge last evening. They had a pleasant time. The supper was furnished by the Congregational ladies in the hall below.

The Maccabees of Clinton have made arrangements to present to our people Stacy's Snap Shot entertainment on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week, for the benefit of the Tent. This entertainment is very highly recommended by those who have listened to it and our citizens can rest assured of a treat. Turn out and give the Maccabees a benefit.

The Woman. "I'll be ready in just one second, dear."

The Husband. "Then I'll have time to run down town and get shaved before we start, love"

NOW AN ASSURED THING.

The much-talked-of Toledo, Monroe & Detroit electric railroad now seems to be an assured thing. Late last evening City Attorney Golden received a message from Dr. Gardner, of Toledo, president of the company, and who has been in the east for some time furthering the interests of the project, with a view to placing the bonds of the company, saying that the money necessary to build and equip the road has been secured, and that the work of construction will begin this fall. Besides the road running north and south of Monroe to Toledo and Detroit, the company will build lines in the city boundary at the west of the piers, thus opening up and facilitating travel to the popular resort. The company already has a franchise granting the use of certain streets for their line. They will build and open for public use a handsome steel bridge over the river Raisin. The citizens are elated to know that the enterprise is at last an assured thing.

Harvard Professor. "What degree of cold can a man stand?"

Student. "I don't know, sir. I'm not acquainted with any of the Boston girls yet."

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says the great Shakespeare, but he did not have in mind a coated tongue or torpid liver, with all the symptoms of biliousness, so common in this country. All this and more, can be cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a purely vegetable compound, which restores the action of the liver, gives tone to the flagging energies of the dyspeptic's stomach, and thus enables "good digestion to wait on appetite, and health on both." By druggists.

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Niece. "I haven't met a wise one yet, aunt. It seems to me that as soon as they grow wise they leave off marrying."

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DOMESTIC.

The International Typographical union met in annual convention at Louisville.

Three men were killed and four others seriously injured by the bursting of a steam pipe in the rail mill in Chicago of the Illinois Steel company.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 8th was: Wheat, 73,642,000 bushels; corn, 8,905,000 bushels; oats, 8,658,000 bushels; rye, 453,000 bushels; barley 2,700,000 bushels.

A Rock Island freight train was wrecked near Seymour, Ia., and three train hands were killed and one injured.

The strike of the New Bedford (Mass.) spinners, which involved 30,000 persons, was ended, a compromise having been effected.

A receiver was appointed for the Peoria (Ill.) Iron & Steel company, the liabilities of which were put at $203,630.

Raymond Martin and Robert Rye, living near Henderson, Ky., fought a duel with axes about a girl and killed each other.

A mob broke into the jail at Irvine, Ky., and lynched Alexander Richardson, a white man, who had been arrested for murder and attempted assault.

Seventeen members of Battery D in Chicago were dishonorably discharged for refusing to drill because they had not received pay for service.

The University Press of Cambridge, Mass., the oldest printing establishment in America, founded in 1639, was forced to assign.

The South Carolina supreme court handed down an opinion upholding the constitutionality of the Tillman dispensary law.

The National Horseshoers, association convened at Boston.

In his annual report Gov. Hughes protests against the return of Geronimo to Arizona and the proposed withdrawal of troops. During the past year the gold output was $2,050,350; silver, $1,700,300, and copper, 42,876,500 pounds.

The engineer and two of the crew of a runaway train near Asherville, N. C., were killed.

The fire losses in the United States for the week ended on the 6th aggregated $1,288,000, of which those entailing a loss of $10,000 or more made up $958,000 and the smaller fires $330,000.

Four persons were killed in a wreck on the Rock Island road near Harvard, Iowa.

The acting attorney general has rendered an opinion that the word "wool" in the tariff act refers to the hair of sheep only.

Contracts for the second section of the Hennepin canal have been confirmed by the government and the work will be pushed.

Mary Kersee was killed by Frank Bezick at Scranton, Pa., because she would not marry him. The girl arrived from Germany only a day or two before.

Through its minister the Chilian government has paid into the state department at Washington $245,564.35, in satisfaction of war claims.

Four miners were hemmed in by flames in a colliery at Shamokin Pa. The carpenter whose carelessness caused the fire was suffocated.

A hurricane struck Pensacola, Fla., wrecking many buildings and forcing a suspension of business. Several vessels were wrecked.

George Reams, a farmer living near Charles City, Ia., murdered his wife with a razor and then cut his own throat.

The wholesale business in New York of Hilton, Hughes & Co., the old house of A. T. Stewart & Co., is to be closed out.

Benjamin Musgrave, of Terre Haute, Ind., while drunk fatally injured his mother with a hatchet.

The corner stone was laid of the commercial travelers' home at Binghamton, N. Y.

William Bick and Richard Brown were sentenced to two years' imprisonment each at St. Louis for attempting to wreck a Missouri Pacific train during the recent labor troubles.

All the cloakmakers in New York, some 12,000 in number, went on a strike for a ten-hour day and abrogation of piece work.

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MONOPOLY SLAVERY.

The New York Sun states that the annual income of John D. Rockefeller is $20,000,000. This requires the constant labor of 54,794 laborers at $1 per day. Surely this control of labor by the control of money is more profitable than to own the laborers as chattel slaves. The wealthiest slave-holder of the South never dreamed of being able to hold 50,000 slaves under the system of unrestricted chattel slavery. But under our present system of debt and wage slavery it is not unusual. It requires the labor of one man six days at $1 per day to furnish John D. Rockefeller his income for one second. And Rockefeller is but one of thousands of monopolistic masters of greater or smaller dimensions. Is it strange that the slaves are not satisfied?

Men are not usually to blame for taking advantage of circumstances or conditions, and it is not against such men that reform measures are directed. It is against the laws which make such conditions. Good men often make the mistake of assuming that these demands are aimed at the millionaires personally. It is not true. It is directed against that system of national economy which makes these millionaires. Mr. Rockefeller is here; by some means he has amassed a large fortune. Under the law it is his. These reform measures do not propose either to hang him or take away his property. But the people don't want any more of his kind, nor will they permit him to use this immense lever to enslave his neighbors. It is proposed to wipe out a system that will bring about such results. Who will gainsay that doctrine?—The Watchman.

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Carlyle says: "The great man shapes the age." Herbert Spencer says: "The age shapes the great man." Probably both are right and both are wrong. A great man is the product of past influences acting by means of heredity, which give the peculiar organism which operated on by present conditions, results in the development of the peculiar cast of character referred to.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Griswold, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Griswold and William Waldron, executors of the last will and testament, and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, and all the legacies mentioned in said will have been paid, and that they are now ready to close the estate and to render their final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned according to the terms and conditions of the will of said deceased, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

J. O. Shepard left for Flint Thursday.

Bert Gould was in Hudson Tuesday on business.

Chas. Foote's family have the scarlet fever in a light form.

Farmers are busy husking their corn and digging potatoes.

S. P. Smith has an apricot and two pear trees in blossom.

A heavy thunder storm visited our village Tuesday evening.

Chas. Foote and T. H. Temple were in Ypsilanti last week Friday.

Dr. R. H. Nelson, of Hudson, called on friends here last week Friday.

Geo. Dibble, wife, and daughter, Ada, of North Adrian, visited relatives over Sunday.

D. W. Smith and Ella Southard Sundayed in Ypsilanti, at the home of the Rappleye sisters.

Mrs. Mary Jackson and daughter, Gertrude, of Wilmington, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

Dwella Hodges, wife, and son, of Tecumseh, called on relatives and friends Friday afternoon.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, will address the citizens of Macon on Temperence next Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenner Palmer left Monday for a few days visit in Detroit, with their daughter, Mrs. Lewis Priest.

Our hustling news agent, Lawrence Rappleye is the possessor of a sweater, as a premium from the Youth's Companion.

Surprises are the present passing events among the students. Daisy Riggs and the Boyd sisters are victims up to date.

Mrs. Catherine Cox had a serious time bleeding at the nose, Monday afternoon. She bled for six hours before a stop was successful.

Ripe strawberries were picked from Mrs. John Arner's garden a few days ago, and self sown lettuce is a frequent relish at tea.

When a man has his mind over taxed with coming events, that he forgets to carry his milk to the creamery, it is getting quite serious.

Bert Snedicor, of Howell, who attended the VanVleet-Weaver wedding last week, visited friends of the village Thursday and Friday of last week.

S. P. Smith has moved his old store back near his barn for a hearse house, and will build a brick building for his furniture and undertaking business in the place of the old store.

Miss Florence Thompson, of Blissfield, will assist Miss Lillie Dershem in the millinery business, as Miss Collens' health will not permit her attending to the work for the present.

The temperance committee of the church have secured Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, for a temperance address, to be given in the church next week Friday evening. A good attendance is desired.

Dr. Mineker, who has been at Onsted for several weeks, returned last week for the balance of his dental fixtures. He will make Onsted his headquarters for the present. Dr. is the right man in the right place, if you don't believe it try his teeth-drawing without pain.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Twins at G. W. Alleh's—they belong to the old cow.

Mrs. McCook is visiting at her daughters, Mrs. F. Marshall's.

The Lyceum will be held at B. Bamkin's Saturday evening.

Mrs. Fred Davenport is entertaining her father, Mr. Robinson.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner has not been so well for more than a week.

Mr. Elmer Skeese and wife drove up to their grandmother's Sunday.

Rev. Stout, of Clinton, called on parishioners in this vicinity recently.

While at Adrian, not long since, we observed that the grass was growing in her main street.

Mrs. Wm. Fisher and Mrs. S. N. Munger drove to Ypsilanti Saturday, returning Monday.

Henry Allen's team ran away Tuesday, just west of Tecumseh. Henry's hand was severely bruised.

A party, accompanied by two dogs, hunting coon Monday night, succeeded in treeing a cat and shooting a mephitis.

Joint Sale at Auction.

The undersigned will sell on the place known as the Beecher Lighthall farm, 2 miles east and 1-2 mile north of Britton, on Tuesday, Oct. 30th, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property: brood mare, 10 yrs. old; sorrel colt, coming 4 yrs. old; black colt, coming 3 yrs. old; pair of colts, coming 2 yrs. old, sired by Merry Legs; sucking colt; 85 sheep, 32 half bred lambs; 40 breeding ewes, 6 yearlings; good cow; calf 6 months old; 2 yearling steers; large boar hog; breeding sow; 7 shoats; 500 bushels corn in ear; 1500 bundles corn stalks; 5 tons clover hay; several swarms bees; single harness; lumber wagon; hay rack; light wagon; land roller; plows; drag; cultivators; log boat; corn sheller; 2 ladders and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale—All sums of $5.00 and under, cash. Over $5.00, 12 months' credit on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before removal.

GEO. L. OLIVER,
BEECHER LIGHTHALL.

Frank Davidron, Auctioneer.

There seems to be a good chance this year to cut off the tail of the Tammany tiger close up behind his ears.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Quite a number went over to Adrian last Tuesday.

Farmers in this vicinity are nearly through corn harvest.

Our plating works are now running on full time, we understand.

Miss Myrtle Sowles is visiting relatives at North Farmington.

F. E. Morrell sports a new Milburn wagon, bought of Hoagland.

We understand the Christian church is to have a new furnace in the near future. It is needed.

Geo. Smith has just finished husking 40 acres of corn which turned out very well. He had 3500 bushels.

Prof. G. G. Brown, the phrenologist, did not meet with very good success as the attendance was very small.

We understand that J. B. Coller will entertain us with his phonograph, at K. O. T. M. hall, next Saturday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a "Conundrum" supper at the Christian church Friday evening. Let all attend.

A party will leave here the first of next month for the vicinity of Kalkaska, to enjoy a few weeks' deer hunt.

We learn that a dancing party will be given at Exelby hall Thanksgiving eve. Why can't there be a big crowd and a good time.

A wreck on the Wabash last Saturday at North Morenci was the cause of the Wabash trains running via the C. J. & M. from this place.

Hon. John O'Mealy, of Adrian, will address the citizens of Britton, at Exelby hall, next Saturday evening. All turn out and give him a full house.

Our citizens turned out and gave Chas. Underwood a surprise last Wednesday. About fifty men and boys husked nearly 1500 bushels of corn for him.

The section hands on the Wabash railway at this place were called to North Morenci last Saturday to help clear up a wreck. They did not get home until Sunday night.

We understand Grant Osterhout has accepted a position with the Homer Steel Wire Fence Co., and will leave for the north part of the state next week. Good luck to you, Grant.

—After Nov. 1st my mill will run Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays of each week only. Jelly and boiled cider are on sale at my mill; also sweet cider at 5 cents per gallon. WM. R. OSGOOD.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will give a chicken-pie supper in K. O. T. M. hall, Tuesday evening, October 30th. Supper served from 5 till 8. Let all be present and enjoy a good time. Bill, 25 cents.

W. J. Helm and family visited relatives in Franklin Sunday and Monday.

—Remember I have a complete line of horse blankets. JAMES HAIGHT.

MACON MUSIC.

Quite a number went to Clinton Monday evening to hear Hon. E. P. Allen.

Mrs. Jane Smith is building a new kitchen, which will be a great improvement to her residence.

Milton Davenport and family are moving on their new farm recently purchased of Thomas Liddle.

The River Raisin quarterly meeting will be held at the Baptist church in this place Nov. 2d, 3d and 4th.

Mrs. B. S. Scudder is very sick, at present writing, with heart trouble. Also Mrs. Washington Harriott is dangerously ill with throat and lung difficulty.

Mrs. Wm. Osgood started for St. Johns, Clinton county, last Wednesday morning, to visit her son. Her grandson, Master Willie Osgood, who has been spending the summer here, returned to his home.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next monthly Tea at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hendershot, on the Ridge road, Friday afternoon, Nov. 2d. A cordial invitation is extended to all, and we hope there will be a good attendance as delegates will be elected for the county convention.

Rev. J. P. Varner of Tecumseh will give a temperance lecture at the M. E. church in this place on Monday evening, Oct. 29. This lecture is under the auspices of the Prohibition club, and they have made every arrangement for some good music. The Prohibition Male Quartette of Tecumseh will be present, also the Macon Ladies' Quartette will furnish some of their best selections. Rev. Varner is an able speaker and we are sure you will feel well paid for going.

Last Friday, Oct. 19th, being the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Travis, their many friends and neighbors thought to celebrate the event in a becoming manner and in the evening went, laden with lunch baskets filled to the brim, as were their hearts, with good will and mirth. It is needless to say it was a surprise, but as Mr. Travis was full of his good humor, and Mrs. Travis with her quiet, gentle ways, gave us a hearty welcome, we concluded to stay. Their son, Jerome, of Lansing, and daughter, Mrs. Helen Hatch, and husband, of Battle Creek, were in attendance. Jerome Travis gave an historical speech of their lives and then, in behalf of the company, presented each one with a purse containing six dollars in gold. They were also pleasantly reminded of the event by receiving a five dollar gold piece from their sister, Mrs. Mary Sargent, of North Hector, N. Y. After being richly served with the contents of the lunch baskets the company departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Travis many more years of happiness and usefulness.

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Raisin Valley Seminary.

Mr. Evert, who is teaching in Palmyra, gave the Seminary a visit Saturday.

Mrs. Blanch Collin was called home Thursday on account of the sickness of her mother.

Misses Edwards and Hill and Mr. Binford took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Barber, Sunday.

Mrs. Morgan of Plainfield, Ind., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory, returned home Thursday.

Messrs. B. Chandler and Percy Hubbard, of Springville, called at the Seminary, Saturday evening, to use the telescope.

Rev. David Lewis, of Tecumseh, delivered a Prohibition lecture at the Seminary last Thursday evening. A large company was present to hear him.

The temperance lecture, by Prof. Reynolds, which was announced for Oct. 13, was postponed. It will be given next Saturday evening, Oct. 27, at the Seminary, at 7:30. All are invited.

Christian Endeavor Meeting.

The third annual meeting of the Lenawee District Union of Christian Endeavor will be held at Blissfield on Tuesday of next week, Oct. 30th. Below is the programme in full:

MORNING SESSION, 9:30 A. M.

Song Service.
Prayer, Rev. Mr. Salsberg, Blissfield.
Bible Study, led by Rev. G. R. Williams, Tipton.
Music.
Address of Welcome, Rev. Wm. Sangree, Blissfield.
Response, Pres. O. A. Barnes, Clinton.
Music.
Paper, "How Can We Increase the Attendance in Our C. E. Meetings?" Mr. Frank Stead, Raisin.
General Discussion of Above Subject.
Business Meeting.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1 P. M.

Music.
Prayer.
Roll Call of Societies. Response, Report of Society.
Music, Duet, "Hear My Prayer," Mrs. W. C. Jipson and Mrs. Geo. Carpenter.
Good Citizenship, Mr. Chas. Hubbell, Adrian.
Christian Endeavorers and Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Miss Metta Miller, Macon.
Music.
Address, "Missionary Extension at Home," Rev. G. S. Seipel, Blissfield.
Address, "Personal Work of Endeavorers," Rev. C. B. Newnan, Detroit.

EVENING SESSION, 7 P. M.

Song Service.
Consecration Service, "Possibilities Through Christ," Phil. 4:13, led by Rev. Charles M. Brown, Tecumseh.
Benediction.

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INSPIRATION INSTITUTE.

An Inspiration Institute, for Lenawee county, will be held at Adrian, Nov. 1st, 2nd and 3d, 1894, beginning on Thursday evening, Nov. 1st and closing Saturday afternoon at 3:30.

Conductor, Henry R. Pattengill. Instructors: Dr. B. A. Hinsdale, Ann Arbor; Dr. R. G. Boone, Ypsilanti; Col. F. W. Parker, Chicago; Sarah E. Griswold, Chicago; C. T. McFarlane, Ypsilanti. Local committee, Commissioner C. F. Field, Tecumseh.

The regular sessions of the Institute will be held in the High School building; the evening lectures at the Baptist church. Every teacher in Lenawee county should attend this institute.

THURSDAY EVENING, 6:30.

Music; Prayer; Music; Opening Remarks, Supt. H. R. Pattengill; Music; Address, Dr. R. G. Boone; Music.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOV. 2D.

8:45, Opening; 9:00, "Inspire or Expire," Supt. H. R. Pattengill; 9:30, Singing or Calisthenics; 9:35, Why Should we Teach History? Prof. B. A. Hinsdale; 10:15, Recess; 10:30, Nature Study and the Related Subjects in Primary Work, Sarah E. Griswold; 11:10, Singing or Calisthenics; 11:15 Collateral Reading for Teachers, Dr. R. G. Boone; 11:45, Intermission.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

1:30, Opening; 1:45, The Choice of Historical Facts, Dr. Hinsdale; 2:15, Singing or Calisthenics; 2,20 Nature Study, Miss Griswold; 2:50, Recess; 3:00, The Organization of Facts, Dr. Hinsdale; 3:30, Review and Miscellaneous; 4:00, Adjournment.

FRIDAY EVENING, 7:30.

Music; Prayer; Music; Address, Artist or Artisan, Which? Col. Parker; Music.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 3D.

8:45, Opening; 9:00, Black-board Sketching, C. T. McFarlane; 9:30, Singing or Calisthenics; 9:35, Field Excursions in Geography, Col Parker; 10:15, Recess; 10:30, History: Sources and Aids, Dr. Hinsdale; 11:10, Singing and Calisthenics; 11:15, Drawing, C. T. McFarlane; 11:45, Intermission.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

1:30, Opening; 1:45, The Territorial Growth of the U. S., Dr. Hinsdale; 2:15, Singing or Calisthenics; 2:20, Nature Study (Continued), Miss Griswold, 2:50, Recess; 3:00, Drawing, C. T. McFarlane; 3:30, Adjournment.

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Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, has moved into a magnificent new building. They have a number of slightly used and second-hand pianos returned from World's Fair renting, etc., etc., which they have determined to sacrifice rather than to try to make room for. These instruments comprise Square pianos at $40, $65, $100 and $125. Upright pianos at $125, $140, $150, $165, $190, $200, $225, $240 and upward. Grand pianos at $200, $250, $300 and upwards. Nearly all originally sold for from two to four times their present price. Almost all prominent makes (in squares and uprights) are represented, including among numerous others Chickering, Knabe, Steinway, Weber, Decker, Steck, Fisher, etc. This is an opportunity that will not occur again, as Lyon & Healy have not moved for twenty years. Immediate attention is therefore necessary. A good plan will be to order a piano, leaving the selections to Lyon & Healy. However they will send a list and full particulars on application. Any piano not proving satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address at their new salesrooms, corner Wabash Avenue and Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle in taking advantage of this remarkable chance to obtain a piano, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. If you do not already know them by reputation any banker will assure of Lyon & Healy's entire responsibility and record of over a third of a century for honorable dealing. Write to-day so as to avoid disappointment.

Ann Arbor Sets the Mark.

Reports from Ann Arbor indicate that the attendance this year at the University of Michigan will exceed 3,000, surpassing all previous records for that institution and again setting the mark for all American colleges. That distinction belonged to Michigan two years ago; but last year Harvard passed its western rival by several hundreds. The race has been for half a score of years between these two institutions, and western people have watched with growing interest the noble part played by the western university.

A large attendance is not of course a final test of merit in an institution of learning, but it is not without significance, either. Our people like success and all the signs of success, just as they shiver in the atmosphere of failure. An increased roster at a university is a token of increased confidence on the part of the people in its value. The people do not send their children for enlightment to a waning light.

But better still is the indication that the higher education is a growing force in the west, and year by year takes stronger hold of the people. Not only Michigan, but nearly all the western colleges and universities open their doors this fall to an increased clientage and begin the year with larger hopes and aspirations. It is impossible that such a seeding should fail of an abundant and welcome harvest in the years to come.—Chicago Record.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 25, 1894.

Col. Breckinridge says that he "knows not what the future has in store" for him. Nobody will question this statement.

How would it do for Mr. Morton to make his opening speech in Bungville? Bungville would do very well for a starter.

Senator Hill possesses the ability to go to the people and give reasons for his election. Is such ability to be so easily bowled down by a barrel?

Congressman Wm. L. Wilson is making a rattling campaign in West Virginia and he is likely to be re-elected by the largest majority he ever received.

At the recent election in Georgia a legislature was chosen consisting of 219 members. Of these 166 are Democrats, 50 Populists, and 3 Republicans. That shows how politics run down South.

John Sherman advises the farmers of Ohio to turn their attention to corn. John was ever a thoughtful man about the farmers, and corn is known to be good; but what is the matter with rye as a source of consolation?

Secretary Carlisle may be prevented from making Hill speeches in New York, but a prosecution of Levi P. Morton for the importation of an English coachman will make more Hill votes than the most eloquent and exhaustive analysis of the tariff question.

The New York World says the Massachusetts Democrats read a lesson to their New York brethren in frankly and squarely indorsing the income tax. "A return to correct theories of taxation," the Bay State Convention stamped this popular measure. So it is. And it is thoroughly and righteously a Democratic return.

The tariff reform movement in Argentina has been stimulated by the action of the United States, and the Congress has now under consideration a bill making a general reduction in customs duties. The people of Argentina have found out that the tariff is a tax and they can see no advantage in paying higher prices for the benefit of the few.

The Boston Herald says: Opposition to the income tax is in a bad way indeed. Here is the Republican Convention of Massachusetts without a word to say against it, and the Democratic Convention of the same State declaring in its favor. Those who think that a wrong step was taken when it was passed must oppose it individually if they oppose it at all. There is no organization in the whole broad land that will aid them to such an end.

In his letter of acceptance Mr. Morton says in one place that he is hopeful in favor of "an acceptable excise law," and in another place he calls for "an excise law that will promote temperance." And there you are! If asked to define "an acceptable excise law," he would say that it is a law "that will promote temperance." And if asked what kind of law "will promote temperance," he would say, "why, an acceptable excise law." See?

The Republican candidate for Governor of New York has displayed very poor political foresight in attempting to import his English coachman before election. A plain every-day colored coachman will be all Mr. Morton will require if he isn't elected, and if he is he might have hired an English coachman who had imported himself. In his bungling attempt he has failed to secure his imported coachman, and if he should fail of an election he will probably find that the coachman episode has contributed to the result.

No wonder Debs was against Pullman and the railroads. All other labor leaders, it appears, travel on free passes; but Debs, for some reason, never got any. That was enough to convince him of the heartlessness of corporations. Vice President Howard, of the Railroad Union, owns up to annual passes on forty railroads, with a Pullman sleeping car pass besides. It would be interesting under these circumstances to know what Mr. Howard charges his traveling expenses up to the Union. That is one of the great advantages of official position. You get a free pass and charge mileage. And still the tax-payers and the members of the Union are not happy.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Oct. 19, 1894.

Should a rumor persistently circulated in Washington this week prove to have a substantial foundation the greatest political sensation of recent years will in the near future be eclipsed. Its improbability has not prevented lots of people believing that there was something in it. The story, different in detail when told by different people, is substantially that President Cleveland has fully made up his mind to again be a presidential candidate and that he will make a strong bid for southern and western support by coming out squarely, either in his regular annual message to Congress or a special message a little later in the session, in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. It is pointed out by those who would like it that such action on the part of Mr. Cleveland would not offend as many members of his party as his unexpected and sensational tariff message did in 1887, and that it would gain him many more votes in the west than it would lose in the east, and that it might easily be made to appear consistent with his previous utterances on the subject by prefacing it with the statement that America had waited until patience had ceased to be a virtue for the cooperation of European governments in an international agreement for the coinage of silver, and that he believed the time was at hand when America should declare its financial independence by adopting free coinage. It is pointed out by those who are half inclined to accept the rumor as true that close friends of Mr. Cleveland have upon several occasions recently publicly stated that silver had no better friend than Mr. Cleveland. They are disposed to regard these statements as indicating some future action on the part of Mr. Cleveland to prove his friendship for the white metal. A long experience in Washington has convinced your correspondent that consistency never plays any very important part in influencing the acts of a politician. Still, nothing but the sending of the message would convince him that President Cleveland will ever advocate the free and unlimited coinage of silver, although it is altogether probable that he may write something that, from his point of view that will be friendly to silver before the close of the coming session of Congress.

If it be fair to judge from the talk of the politicians who come to Washington, sugar is very much mixed up in politics this year. The statement recently made on the stump by the Vice President, that the sugar trust was about to break up and that the price of sugar would be lower instead of higher on account of the new tariff, was astonishing, even to Mr. Stevenson's party associates. It had been generally conceded, on account of testimony taken by the Senate investigating committee and of statements made by business men to the Finance committee when the sugar schedule of the tariff bill was pending, that the duty imposed on sugar would raise the price from one to two cents a pound, and if Vice President Stevenson can prove to the contrary he should lose no time in doing so, as such proof would be very valuable to his party in the closing days of the campaign. The sugar trust, according to the best obtainable information, was never more alive nor more powerful than now. A New York merchant who belongs to Mr. Stevenson's party was in Washington this week and while discussing this subject he offered to wager five to one, any amount from one to fifty thousand dollars, that the wholesale price of sugar would be two cents a pound more on the first of December than it is now, but there were no takers; his heart is either being of the same opinion or opposed to betting.

Much surprise and more regret has been expressed at the announcement that the army officers now serving as Indian agents are to be returned to their commands and the old system of appointing civilians to be Indian agents resumed. Secretary Lamont gives as the reason for the change that the army needs the services of all its officers. It is well known that army officers have never sought to be detailed as Indian agents; on the contrary, they have looked it as a very undesirable berth, but once detailed they have faithfully and honestly performed the duties. The proposed change is regarded as a step backward by the government in its dealing with the Indians. And recalls many of the scandals which were so plentiful when Indian agencies were regarded as part of the political spoils to be distributed after every Presidential election, and when unscrupulous men sought the position of Indian agent for the purpose of getting rich at the expense of the Indians. If the old system is to be revived it is too much to expect that the scandals will not also be revived. No scandal has been attached to any Indian agency in charge of an army officer.

The St. Louis Republican states the situation thus: "In New York the campaign is knitting together all elements of the true Democracy; and as the true Democracy there has a natural majority of 40,000, Senator Hill's prospects are decidedly better than Contract Labor Levi's. But whatever the New York Democrats do or leave undone, Western and Southern Democrats will not have a tremor every time New York gets frightened. If our New York friends win, we shall be glad. If they lose, it is their loss. For in 1896 we are to have a Western man or bust."

Are These Conditions Just?

The following are a few samples of incomes of American millionaires: William Waldorf Astor's daily income is $83,877,; J. D. Rockefeller's $20,833, Cornelius Vanderbilt's $11,000, W. K. Vanderbilt's $10,397, and Gould's $11,008.

Whence comes the money to pay this enormous tribute? In the last analysis it comes from the men whose toil produces all wealth—the wage-earners whose daily wage, and they work from morn till night, is something like $1.

Is it strange that the rich grow richer and that in the ratio they ascend the scale of accumulated wealth the other side, the real wealth producers, drop to the point of bare existence?

The same unjust conditions which make the pauper create the millionaire. Those conditions may be comprehended in one simple phrase—the control by the few of the natural opportunities which belong equally to all.

The supreme duty of the hour is the restoration to the people of their God-given rights and the taking from those who now possess them of all special privileges. Every other question now before the people pales into insignificance in comparison with this, and until this is accomplished the present evils will only increase in intensity; the incomes of the millionaires will mount higher and higher, the wages of the producers will drop to the starvation point, and that means involuntary servitude. This work should begin with financial reform.—National Watchman.

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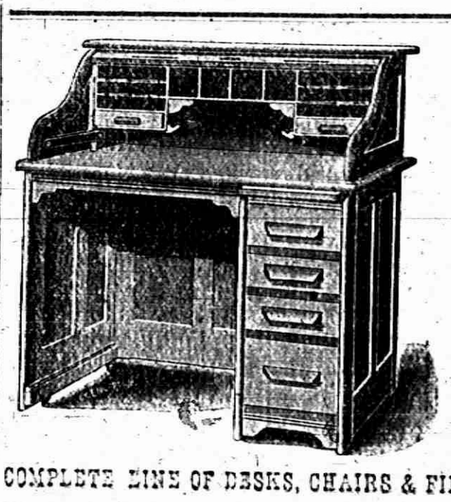

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Spencer O. Fisher's Strong Speech at Bay City.

Republican Extravagance Disclosed, Democratic Principles Clearly Defined and His Own Position Before the People Declared—Truths Frankly Put.

At an immense mass meeting at Bay City recently Hon. Spencer O. Fisher, democratic candidate for governor, was most enthusiastically received by the great audience. Mr. Fisher made a very strong speech, the most striking and important portions being given below. In opening the speaker referred to "the attack, the treachery, the intriguing of designing men, masquerading wolves in sheep's clothing within the democratic party," and said:

"I feel that I should make a statement at this time and I am glad to speak here in my home—the cities of my adoption—where I am so well known, of an attack that has just been made upon me by Hon. Timothy Tarsney, of Detroit, Mich. This, as you all know, is but the result of the sting of a defeated rival in the contest which secured for our city the United States court and government building. I feel as if you will believe what I say without going into great detail, that the statements made by him are false in some particulars and distorted in others. I belong to no secret society—political or other—and have no affiliation or sympathy with any, and have had no conference at any time or at any place with any members thereof. I am not the candidate of any secret organization, church or faction, and have made no 'bid' for their support. I resent the charge or imputation, by whomsoever made, that connects me with any faction or any controversy of a sectarian or religious nature. At the Grand Rapids convention I was pledged the support of a united democracy and stand only as the candidate of the entire democracy. If I were elected to the high office of governor of this state I should be the servant of the whole people and not of any faction, church or society.

"My life is an open book, to be investigated, and I challenge the fullest and freest investigation of the same in relation to the charges made by Hon. Timothy E. Tarsney. • • • The charge that I was in conference at the Normandie hotel in Detroit with Messrs. Traynor and Beattie, or either of them, is unqualifiedly false. Many hundreds of my dearest friends in this, the city of my home, give religious fealty and devotion to the Catholic church. I ask every one of them here to give answer to the charge that by the letters referred to I have ever intended to show hostility to those of the Roman Catholic faith. If the people of this state, away from my home, have been deceived by these false charges, I ask them to refer to you, and I ask you to bear me willing witness, as I believe, yes, I know you will."

To substantiate his denial Mr. Fisher stated that he would place a certified check for $10,000 in any man's hands for proof that he held a conference with A. P. A. leaders in the Normandie hotel in Detroit.

"On the tariff question we have been somewhat divided, but as a manufacturer of lumber on Saginaw river I make a statement, without fear of contradiction, that the placing of lumber on the free list was a Godsend to this community. I am in favor of free wool. I am the principal stockholder in between seventeen and eighteen thousand sheep in Colorado. I have been in favor of free wool in season and out of season. Why? Because I think it is for the best interest of the entire country. I am sincere in my opinion, not only that it would enhance the price of wool but that it would start the wheels of the woolen industry in this country. Protection? Protection for what? The laboring man? I believe the time has gone by when the laboring men of this country can be hoodwinked into thinking that protection protects labor.

"But the question that overshadows them all and which affects every business man, and which, in my judgment, I believe to be the greatest question before the country, is that of currency. It is that one which brought about the depression last year. I stand before you to-night pledged to the platform of the Michigan democracy, and in that platform is a plank which they call Fisher's plank. I demanded of the convention that it be placed in the platform, and it reads that we declare in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one [applause], and I was never more sincere in my life than I am in this silver question."

The speaker then referred to the ruin brought upon the country by the demonetization of silver by Germany, the Latin union and England, and predicted dire results if silver was not placed on the same ratio or footing with gold. He then presented a table showing that with the decrease in the value of silver there had been a corresponding decrease in the value of wheat, cotton and other products. Continuing, he said:

"The Ohio democracy declared in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and I am pleased to see that our candidate for congress is in favor of that measure. That is what the populists are after. They want the dollar of their daddies. That is what Worthy L. Churchill is after, and see to it that he is on your ticket."

Mr. Fisher then made a strong appeal for the election of the democratic senatorial and legislative tickets.

Mr. Fisher then took up the question of direct taxation by the state and compared the state expenses between the two parties. He said that he believed in liberal appropriations to the state institutions, but believed that many abuses exist that should be done away with, and before the end of the campaign he hoped to be able to reveal startling facts concerning this matter. These things would have been different had that sturdy old man, Gov. Winans, been returned to the governor's chair. Gov. Rich, he said, has never written one word to the legislature recommending that the railroads bear their part of the taxation.

Mr. Fisher then put some pertinent questions to the republican party that will take longer than the present campaign to answer. In concluding, he said:

"If I am elected governor of this state, I pledge you that I will work to do away with class legislation; as I believe in equal rights and justice to all. The republican party today is not the party of Lincoln [applause] of Grant and Garfield. The modern republican party to-day is the party of monopolists, of trusts and corporations. Lincoln's prophecy was that if the republican party kept on in its career that corporations would be enthroned and an era of corruption would follow, and the money power would prolong its reign. I make the same prediction. If the people do not rise in their might, if silver is not made as good as gold, we will see the words of Lincoln carried into effect."

Mr. Fisher read an extract of the letter written by ex-Gov. Blair to the effect that "the railway people were active for Gov. Rich, and this ought to ruin him."

In closing Mr. Fisher referred to the words of Grover Cleveland: "Equal rights for all and favors for none."

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Republicans Striving to Cover Up and Confuse the Real Points at Issue.

In the congressional contest in this state the issues, of course, are national ones, as they are in all the states. It is eminently proper that candidates for congress should discuss these issues, and that they should be required to tell those whom they seek to serve plainly and unequivocally what their attitude is in respect to tariff legislation, to finance and all other subjects likely to come before congress. There is a disposition, however, on the part of the republican leaders in this state to have the battle for state officials waged on the same plane. They hope in that way to confuse the people and distract their attention from the real questions which underlie the state contest. Such confusion and distraction must not be permitted. The republican party, its orators and organs must be kept confronted all the time with the true issue involved in the state election—the issue which they themselves have raised by two years' maladministration of the state government. The history of that period is a history of extravagance, rapacity and criminal misgovernment. The money of the taxpayers has been ruthlessly and needlessly squandered; and a considerable portion of it has apparently gone to line the pockets of state officials whose bills for "expenses" are simply outrageous. Through the willful neglect, moreover, of the head of the state government a gigantic fraud has been perpetrated on the people of Michigan, and the perpetrators are still unwhipped of justice. The alleged criminals were kicked out of office not so much because of their assumed guilt as for the purpose of making places for the governor's friends; and with this accomplished the governor's zeal seems to have appreciably abated. The entire administration of Gov. Rich has been a travesty on good government; and this is really the chief fact to be considered in the state election.

It is not really a political question, except as the republican party in the state has made it so. By renominating Gov. Rich and indorsing his administration the party has taken upon itself the responsibility for all the extravagance and wrong which have disgraced the state for the past two years. Only by driving the governor and his "gang" from office can the good name of the state be restored and assurance given the taxpayers that their affairs will be managed in a business-like manner, and not for selfish personal or partisan ends. There will be no mistake made in choosing Spencer O. Fisher to succeed Gov. Rich.—Detroit Free Press.

PROSPERITY IN MICHIGAN.

Times Better Than Ever in Spite of the Republican Croaker.

"The northern two-thirds of western Michigan," writes Mr. Weston, ex-mayor of Grand Rapids, "is generally a hard wood region, less than one-tenth of it being under cultivation." The timber pays for clearing, and in favorable years the farmers generally get from one hundred to five hundred dollars per acre for their crops. It was claimed that a free lumber schedule would paralyze this industry, but the fact is there are more men lumbering in that section now than ever before, and the value of the forestry output is greater. Twenty years ago the west shore, from Grand Haven north, furnished Chicago with most of its pine lumber. It was about the only commodity the region then shipped. The mammoth pine mills at Grand Haven, Muskegon and points further north have largely gone out of business, and this has led to the impression that lumber is a declining industry. That's what is being talked on the stump, but it is not true. To-day there are more men working in the forests and mills than ever before, and the volume of the forestry output is greater. Hundreds of small mills have started up all over the state and are running to-day. Instead of getting out pine, however, as they used to, their output is largely hemlock, cedar, oak and hard timber. There are five sawmills running in the state to-day where there was one twenty years ago. They are employing more men and bring five dollars into the state where pine shipments ever brought one dollar.

"Local manufactures are all doing well. They are running full time, but most of them are turning out goods of a cheaper grade than they handled several years ago. At present Manistee and Ludington are producing about eight thousand barrels of salt a day, or more than all other towns in the state combined. This gives employment to an enormous force of coopers and other workmen. Even the fishing industry of our state, which largely supplies the Chicago markets, has prospered greatly during the past season. The big blast furnaces on Spring Lake, near Grand Haven, have laid in a winter stock of iron ore, given contracts for charcoal and will start their fires in a few weeks, after a long shut down. Altogether our section of the state is very prosperous and none of the dismal predictions made before the passage of the Wilson bill applies in our case."

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Albion College.

October 23, '94.

The topic of most interest to nearly every sport-loving college student in America during the first half of the fall term is football. Just as spring brings with it base ball and tennis, fall brings its football, and of these three sports football is most distinctively the college, the American college game. The football contests of our great American institutions of learning arouse more interest and more healthy enthusiasm than do any other inter-collegiate sports; and nothing could take the place of the football field as a battle ground upon which the friendly rivalry of two colleges may be settled.

Albion college puts into the field this year probably the strongest team that she has ever had. Early in the season, Mr. Gage, a graduate of Harvard, was secured as coacher, and under his efficient management the team is rapidly developing. After only a week and a half of practice, Albion met her strongest opponent, the U. of M., at Ann Arbor, on October 13th. Although the first game of the season for Albion, she played strong ball and the game was exciting throughout. The University eleven won by a score of 26 to 10.

On Wednesday, October 17th, Albion defeated Battle Creek by a score of 75 to 0.

As yet, there has been but little class strife between the Freshmen and Sophomores. A few days ago the Freshmen appeared in chapel with little pieces of ribbon, of their chosen class colors, sewed on their coat lapels. Securely as the colors were fastened, however, few Freshmen reached home with them safely, and before noon nearly every "Soph" and Junior was wearing some poor Freshman's ribbons.

Dr. Fiske, who has been quite ill during the summer, is rapidly improving in health and is now able to meet his college classes. Dr. Fiske's illness was watched with great anxiety by all interested in Albion College. He has been intimately connected with the college for many years, and during the years of his official relations to it the college has been very prosperous. W. E. B.

OBITUARY.

Rev. J. Oscar Heck was born Nov. 19, 1861, at South Bend, Ind., at which place his early childhood was spent. At the age of eleven his family moved to Flowerfield, Mich., and there, at the age of 17, he gave his heart to Christ, became his follower and was faithful to the end. A few months after his conversion he was baptized by Rev. A. G. Pierce into the fellowship of the Schoolcraft Baptist church. Soon after he changed his membership to the Tecumseh Baptist church. While yet in his youth he suffered from an attack of rheumatism, which was very severe in its character, and reaching the heart, caused chronic disease of that organ. It is probable that at no time in his after life was he free from suffering, to some extent, from this cause, but patiently endured all without murmuring. Knowing the great hinderance which his heart trouble would be to him, and yet feeling the call of the spirit, he determined to give himself to the work of the gospel ministry and to do all he could in the time which the Lord should allow him on earth. He was licensed to preach by the Tecumseh church during the pastorate of Supt. C. E. Conley. He studied for a time at Kalamazoo College and supplied for a part of a year at Port Austin. His first regular pastorate was with the Rome church in the Lenawee county association. By this church he was ordained and served them two years. Called to the pastorate of the church at Milan in the winter of '93, he accepted and served them one year, closing his work Jan. 1, 1894. It was only by great effort that he did the work here, so great was his suffering and the consequent weakness. His last church work was in connection with the council recently held for the ordination of Bro. Frank Fistl thus helping to send one out to take the place he was so soon to vacate in the ranks of Christ's ministry. From Jan., 1894, when he closed his last pastoral work, he made his home with his parents at Tecumseh, active in supplying pulpits as he had opportunity and strength, and in doing other work, until God said: It is enough, come home. Although a light has gone out from his home, heaven is brighter for his departure. During the last few days of his illness his mind dwelt much upon his life work, even in his delirium he would utter fragments of sermons and prayers, and at one time he told his wife: "I preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and urge the people to accept it. That is all I can do, the Holy Spirit must lead them." After preaching a few weeks at Rome, he was united in marriage with Miss Anna Mynn, of Schoolcraft. She, with one child, is left to mourn his going. His death occurred Oct. 3d, 1894. The services of the funeral were held at the church in Tecumseh, Friday afternoon, Oct. 5th. They were conducted by Pastor H. A Smith of Tecumseh, assisted by Pastors Holden of Rome, Stone of Milan, and Whitney of Adrian.

DEATH OF HAMILTON J. DENNIS.

The following obituary tribute is taken from the Topeka Capital of Oct. 13th. The deceased was brought up at Pennington's Corners and went from there to the State University, graduating with high honors. He then studied law and moved to Kansas, where he became a prominent citizen. Many of the older residents of Macon will remember him.

Hamilton J. Dennis died at his home, 919 Tyler street, last evening at 7:30 o'clock. The time of the funeral has not been arranged and will not be until it is ascertained whether the relatives of the deceased can come from the east.

Mr. Dennis has been suffering acutely during the past six weeks from hemorrhage of the brain. The immediate cause of his affliction was the too close application of the deceased to the recent annual report of the state library. That completed, he was apparently satisfied and ready to take the needed rest his friends had been urging upon him for two years, but it did not come soon enough. Mr. Dennis was in the 59th year of his age. He was born in Lenawee county, near Adrian, Mich., on a farm. At 19 years of age he took up the literary course at the University of Michigan, graduating at the head of his class and with very high honors in 1859. Taking up the law course of the same institution he completed that, after which he left Michigan and came to Kansas, settling at Leavenworth. Being a very bright young man he was immediately recognized by the citizens of that community and was the recipient of lucrative public trusts. The first was that of county clerk, followed by his election to the office of clerk of the court. He held the position of city clerk and other important offices for several years. Becoming associated with the law firm of Clough & Wheat, Mr. Dennis was engaged in practicing law, when the Supreme court of Kansas appointed him to the position of state librarian in 1881. He immediately removed to Topeka and has occupied the position until the day of his death. At the time of his receiving the appointment he was an intimate friend of Chief Justice A. H. Horton and Justice Brewer. These gentlemen together with Mr. A. A. Robinson, president of the Mexican Central railway, were Mr. Mr. Dennis' most intimate friends. A wife and three daughters, Joe, Mary and Alta, survive the husband and father. Mr. Charles M. Foster, for many years one of the most regular attendants of the state library and with the exception of Mr. Dennis, more intimately acquainted with the library than any other person in Kansas, contributes the following to the Capital on Mr. Dennis as a librarian: "In the death of H. J. Dennis Kansas has lost one of its most faithful public officers. He was a model librarian. He knew the library thoroughly and had no interest elsewhere. He was modest and unassuming to a fault. With small means and cramped accommodations he made the state library one of the most valuable in the country. He knew it thoroughly. With all his cares he never lost his patience. He was ready to give information cheerfully to all who asked it. As long as any one wished to use the library it was kept open. He was well informed on books and his selections always showed good taste. His good nature never gave way and he was willing to give assistance to every one. He was a good lawyer and without reward or the expectation of reward he would prepare well digested briefs for lawyers in distant parts of the state. He worked conscientiously and kept an account of every book sold. The stock of books on hand ran into tens of thousands of dollars and these he sold and turned the proceeds into the state treasury according to his own accounts which no one ever questioned. On these accounts he spent the last few months of his life and in spite of warnings of friends and orders of his physicians he continued in his work which he just had strength to finish. His annual report as state librarian was printed only a few days before his fatal illness. His nature was kind and gentle and he made friends of all with whom he came in contact."

A Long Life Ended.

Mrs. Hannah Chaffee, at the advanced age of 102 years, died Sunday afternoon at 3:55, at the home of her grandson, Wm. Nicholson, corner of Front and Ormsby streets, of old age, and the immediate effects of a fall she received two weeks ago last Wednesday.

Deceased was without question the oldest person in Michigan. She was born at Pontford, Vt., September 24, 1792, and spent her childhood in that place. It was during this childhood that she rode 20 miles on a horse's back, seated behind her brother, to have the privilege of shaking hands with General George Washington.

She married early in life, moving to New York state. Her first husband was Mr. John Fogeson, by whom she had one child, her father's namesake, who is now living in Fredonia, Mo. Mr. Fogeson died young, and she was soon afterwards married to Mr. Warner Fay Chaffee. They came to Michigan in 1833, taking up land in Hillsdale county. In 1849 they came here, buying a farm in Raisin Valley, where they lived a peaceful life for many years. They also owned a farm on what is known as the plank road. Mr. Chaffee died seven years ago, in the 87th year of his age. Three children were born to them, only one of whom is living, Mr. Oscar Chaffee, of Onsted.

She kept her faculties up to the time of her death, and was always pleased to talk over old times with those who came here at an early day. She has 12 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren, who are left to mourn her loss.—Michigan Messenger.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

A Celebrated Physician's Experience.

Dr. Norman Kerr, at a recent meeting of English physicians, related the following incident, making a personal application to his brothers and sisters of the profession:

"Before I practiced what I taught in regard to this matter, I found that, sing however sweetly I might, my advice penetrated very little into the life and character of the inebriates who came before me; but when, in order to save a man whom I was called up to see thro' the night, I took the pledge, my practice then squared with my precept. I said to this man, "What on earth do you mean by calling for me about once in every month in this way and wasting your substance, only for the benefit of your wine merchant and your doctor? You must be an unmitigated fool; why do you not take the pledge?" When I went to see him next morning, drunk as he had been the night before, he grasped what I had said. "Doctor," he said, "you told me last night to take the pledge; I will, if you will." What was a poor doctor to do? It was a case of the spider and the fly, and the result was that we took the pledge in that house together, and that man has kept it to this day. I saw him on Monday last before I came here, not as a doctor, for he is of no use to me, as now he is never ill, but he has been the means of making hundreds of people abstainers, mostly amongst the slaves of drink as he was himself."—National W. C. T. U. Bulletin.

Archdeacon Farrar, writing of total abstinence in the British Workman, says: "I was not a total abstainer till after I was forty years old, because the desirability of setting the example had never been brought home to me. But from the day that I became one, the total abstention from alcoholic liquor has never given me the smallest trouble nor caused me the least regret; nor would it cause any real trouble to any healthy man who had always been moderate and temperate, and had never fatally persuaded himself that drink was a necessity to him."

The importance of Japan not only in the far East, but among the nations of Europe as well, is being very rapidly increased. Her brilliant victories over a nation ten times as large in population are accompanied by the beginning of a series of treaties which will be of no less importance to her. The special feature of these treaties is that they for the first time recognize Japan as a civilized nation. Present treaties regard her as a barbarous or semi-barbarous country; but her progress in the arts and sciences during the last 30 years has at last entitled her to a place in the sisterhood of civilized countries. She has remodeled her Government after the English form, and proposes to throw open all her territory to foreigners either for travel or residence, stipulating, however—and wisely so, we presume—against alien ownership of the land. Her demands upon Corea, to enforce which she is now making war upon China, are, in part, that the Prime Minister and his cabinet shall be invested with greater discretionary powers, instead, as now, of being required to submit all matters to the Corean King; the demand—amounting in fact, to one—for a change from a despotic monarchy to a constitutional monarchy. In addition, the following is demanded by the Japanese minister at Seoul, the capitol of Corea. He says:

I most respectfully recall your Majesty's attention to one more subject, a subject to which I would fain avoid any allusion. I refer to the necessity that all interference of the ladies of the court in politics should be strictly prohibited. In my country, as in all other civilized countries, the household department is strictly kept apart from politics. This is a measure absolutely necessary for the permanent prosperity of your Majesty's dynasty."

This is amusing. At a time when women of England and America are pushing so earnestly for full political equality, Japan serves notice upon Corea that his Government will be ruined unless he passes a law prohibiting the women even to exercise influence in politics. It is an embarrassing position in which to put a monarch. It is one thing to issue such an edict; it is quite another thing to enforce it. When women set their minds on interference in politics, edicts of the most lurid sort can't prevent it, as the unfortunate Breckinridge has just found out down in Kentucky.

High School Happenings.

Misses Tayor and Taylor visited A room Monday.

Miss Josie Wilson visited the High School this week.

Intense excitement and no news at school this week.

The laws of wheels (not in the head) are interesting Philosophy class this week.

"Time rolls its ceaseless course"—that's why monthly examinations come this week.

Dr. North, Mr. McKinnon and Mr. White of the American Book Co., called at the High School, Wednesday forenoon.

Major McKinley has made a grave mistake. It is not on the stepping-stones of dead issues that men rise to higher things.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

J. C. Howell, of Macon, visited Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Be sure and attend the All Halloween at Kay's, next Wednesday evening.

S. C. Stacy is giving his Snap Shot entertainment at Clinton this week.

The meetings at the Friends' church are growing in attendance and interest.

E. F. Kirchgessner and sister Anna were the guests of Toledo friends over Sunday.

Do not forget the free reading room at the Universalist church. You are welcome.

Gen. Spaulding and Burton Parker, of Monroe, were in town Friday night and Saturday forenoon.

J. M. Bittman, wife and child, of Saginaw, were here to-day. Mr. B. is connected with the Prairie Side Celery Co.

O. W. Finch and wife and Mrs. Dr. Hamilton, who were in attendance at the Baptist State convention, reached home Monday.

Rev. Chas. Allen and Miss Louisa Comstock, of Cleveland, are assisting Rev. David Lewis in revival work at the Friends' church.

Many of our citizens are suffering from severe colds which seems to be an epidemic—among whom are Horace Baker and Dan T. Hall.

Several members of the W. R. C. took the early Lake Shore train this morning for Hudson, to attend the district convention in session there.

Prof. Eugene Smalley, in passing through to meet his appointment at Addison to-night, dropped into the HERALD office and made a pleasant call.

Subjects for Sunday, Oct. 20th, at the Universalist church: Morning—"Rest for the Weary, Peace for the Comfortless." Evening—"Prisons and Their Influence."

Everybody come to the "All Hallowe'en" and visit the witches and other mischief-making beings, in holding a grand aniversary with the Fairies at Mr. George Kay's.

F. P. Simonds, of Boston, Mass., and J. D. Kinney, of Adrian, of the firm of J. D. Kinney & Co., were in town yesterday. They will put in a large new stock of furniture and push business this fall.

C. E. Strubler, the new machinist at the Tiffany Iron Works, has arrived from Chicago with his family. He is a practical scale man and will be engaged on the Stimpson computing scales which are being manufactured here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rue, of Battle Creek, spent Sunday last with Mrs. Fisher and family. Mr. Rue was obliged to leave Monday, but Mrs. Rue will make a more extended visit, to the great satisfaction of her many friends here.

M. Osborn, Jr., will be at the Richard's building, just east of the U. S. Express office, Monday, October 29th, for one week, prepared to administer the Kennedy impacted air treatment free of charge. All are invited to call and investigate.

The opera house was well filled last Thursday evening to listen to speeches from Gen. Geo. Spaulding and Hon. Burton Parker, of Monroe. All parties were represented in the audience. The speeches seemed to give satisfaction to the Republicans present.

H. L. Harrison, after making Foresters of a number of our business men, leaves to-day to introduce the order in Dundee, Blissfield and Morenci, and will return in a few days to complete the organization here. Mr. H. has made many acquaintances here and likes Tecumseh and her people so well that he intends making his headquarters with us while he is working in this portion of the state. This will be good news to those who have not met him, for he is a very companionable gentleman.

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ANNUAL MEETING—The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Lenawee county, will hold their annual meeting at Dean's opera house, in the city of Adrian, Mich., Monday, October 29, 1894, commencing at 9:30 o'clock a. m., for the election of a president and five directors, also to take action on amending section 7 of the company's charter in relation to the election of directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
J. M. JUDSON, Pres.
GEO. E COCHRANE, Sec'y. (oct18tf)

LOST—On Sunday, between Tecumseh and the Quaker Mill, or near there, a summer shawl. Finder please return the same to Herald office.

LOST—Between Tecumseh and Clinton, Sunday last, a good black Cashmere shawl. Finder please leave the same at Herald Office.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 25, 1894

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

We want some wood at once.

H. B. Ager spent part of last week in Detroit visiting J. W. DePuy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington returned Monday from their Lansing trip.

Don't forget the Silver Medal Contest on Friday evening in the Opera House. Admission 10 cents.

Remember the Silver Medal Contest in the Opera House on Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

People who wish to pay their subscription in wood are requested to bring it along at once, before the roads break up.

Mrs. Chas. Burridge entertained a large company at her home, corner of Oneida and Pottawatamie streets, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Weller have returned from Webster Grove, Missouri. Their return is a pleasure to old friends and acquaintances.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. Tilton, opposite the M. E. church, during the month of November.

Miss Agnes Dunlop, who has been visiting Doctor C. M. Woodward and family returned to her home at Hamilton, Ontario, Monday.

Guy Davidson attended the tournament at Ypsilanti last week, and took second in the two mile handicap, carrying off a nice silk umbrella.

Mrs. James Gregg and daughter, Mrs. S. Gumble, have started for a west trip. Mrs. G. will visit her brother in Arizona before her return.

Everybody, young and old, rich and poor, are most cordially invited to the "All Halloween" at Mr. George Hoy's next Wednesday evening.

The Roller Skating Season will open in the Armory Saturday evening of this week. All lovers of this exercise are invited to put in an appearance.

The C. E. Society of the Presbyterian church will give a "Chestnut Social" in the parlors at the church, Oct. 25th, at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There will be a special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M. for work in the 3d degree Friday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all members.

The Maccabees throughout the state are greatly agitated over the Boynton and Boughton controversy and special meetings are being held in all directions in consequence of it.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton entertained a company of friends at her pleasant home on Pottawatamie street Monday evening. It was an anniversary of a very happy event in her history.

Jerome Travis, of Lansing, was in town Saturday. He came down to attend the golden wedding of his parents which occurred at Macon last Friday. He is now in the publishing business at Michigan's Capital.

How many are there who would not give ten cents for a good cause, and at the same time have a jolly good time? This is what you can do at the "All Halloween," next Wednesday evening, at Mr. George Kay's.

C. C. Stacy, who for some time has been suffering from a severe cold, is rapidly convalescing. He is becoming quite frisky as was demonstrated Monday when he did the county seats of both Wayne and Lenawee.

They are repaving the gutter on the north side of east Chicago street from the St. James block to Wright's Drug store. This will be a great improvement. Why not continue the good work on west Chicago street. The paving is not only in bad condition but very narrow.

The ladies of the "Monday Club" will meet at the home of Mrs. J. D. Shull. Election of officers, Monday afternoon, Oct. 29, at 2:30 sharp. Old members wishing to retain membership must send their names, if unable to be present.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will meet at the home of George Harris on Friday, Nov. 2, with the following program:
Music—Miss Maud Poucher.
Dec.—Herbert Manger.
Reading—Mrs. A. Hare.
Dec.—Thurlow Pentecost.
Song—Mrs. Will Waldron.
Chip Basket—Mrs. C. H. Mathews.
Charade—Mrs C. H. Bramble.
Reading—Mr. B. Hurrey.
Question box.

Chas Burridge visited the county seat Monday on business.

M. E. Conklin left Monday for Logansport, Ind., to be gone all the week.

Mrs. Ella Webb, of Upland, Indiana, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Myron Conklin.

Leon McNiel went over to Adrian Saturday afternoon for a visit with friends. He returned Monday night.

A. W. Slayton started Tuesday for Ionia and other points in that vicinity, on lumber business, expecting to be gone till the last of the week.

A. P. Coddington was chosen one of the Vice Presidents at the Baptist state convention held at Lansing last week. An honor worthily bestowed.

Miss Gussie Burlingame, who entered the State Normal this fall to take a special music course, was taken sick there and came home to her father's last week. She is now improving however, and will be able to return to Ypsilanti again in a few days.

Mrs. D. W. Clark has rented her house to Rev. Chas. M. Brown, and leaves today for Lawrence, Kansas. She will spend the winter with friends there and may possibly make it her future home. The best wishes of many old friends here will accompany her, although they will regret to have her leave Tecumseh.

Fred Burrell and Oscar Hall, the Tecumseh boys who confessed to robbing the money drawer of the Globe mill, were each sentenced by Judge Lane this morning to five years at Ionia. The above from the Adrian Daily Times of Tuesday's issue would be correct if they had made it 5 months instead of 5 years.

C. S. Hampton, of Petoskey, was in town an hour or so between trains last Tuesday, and during his brief stay he made the acquaintance of some of our local Democrats. He was on a short campaign tour in this section. He says that Spencer O. Fisher is making a lively campaign in the northern part of the State and will make a big run in that section.

The 4th Annual Halloween Party will be given at the Armory, Oct. 31st. 1894, in honor of "The We Nine." Committee of Arrangements: Royal C. Burlingame, Edward P. Corey, Wm. F. McGlashan and LaMonte Rowland. Floor Committee; LaMonte Rowland and Wm. F. McGlashan. Patronesses: Mrs. C. M. Woodward, Mrs. G. S. Tiffany, Mrs. A. Hardenburgh, Mrs. J. F. Hicks.

A dispatch from Kalamazoo, dated October 22d. says: Foreman Wilcox, of the Tecumseh Table factory, visited his wife at the asylum yesterday, and, with the doctor's permission, she took a walk with him. She worked Mr. Wilcox for $5, gave him the slip, hired a livery, went to Vicksburg and took the train for Battle Creek. She has not been captured yet. Mr. Wilcox was nearly frantic over the misfortune.

Just thirty years ago last Friday afternoon at four o'clock, Horace Baker walked into the drug store across the way, and the next morning he began work there. He has been in the same store ever since and during that period he has been off duty but a very few days. He was in partnership for many years with Dr. Wm. C. Fisher, and since Dr. Fisher's death the firm name has been Baker & Hall. His record for faithful attention to business is excelled by no man in this community.

Program for the Silver Medal Contest in the Opera House, Friday evening, Oct. 26th:

Music—White Ribbon Chorus.
Scripture lesson—Mrs. J. P. Varner.
Prayer—Mrs. Hamilton.
Music—Social Concert Orchestra.
Contestants 1st. and 2d.
Singing—Male Quartette.
Contestants 3d. and 4th.
Music—Social Concert Orchestra.
Contestants 5th and 6th.
Music—White Ribbon Chorus.
Remarks by Rev. J. P. Varner.
Judges decision.
Presentation of medal.
Music—Social Concert Orchestra.

In a communication from Chas. J. Robinson of Manchester, to Jno. J. Orr, received Tuesday morning, he states that there is not a case of small pox in the village and none within several miles of the corporation, and these very mild cases. We quote the above for there are so many flying reports going around, so misleading in character that even some of our people are really alarmed. Mr. R., we know personally and his statement may be relied upon as correct.

The members and friends of The Young Men's Prohibition Club met at the home of Mr. Wm. Smith, Monday evening, Oct. 22. The club was called to order by the president and after prayer by J. P. Varner, and music by the quartette, Dr. North gave a short talk on "What Legislation Can't Do." Dr. Steinhoff spoke on "The Free Coinage of Silver" and was followed by Rev. J. P. Varner on "Party," and Mr. Jones on "Work." The Club is well organized and zealous in the work of the good cause.

George Gould, son of his father, passed through here yesterday, over the Wabash road, on his way to St. Louis, Mo. The train was a special, composed of locomotive, baggage car and Mr. Gould's private car. The train reached here about 3 p. m., and stopped about 5 minutes. During this time Mr. Gould got off the car, walked down the platform, took a squint at Adrian's factories on the horizon, figured out that we are a pretty thrifty appearing city, went back into his rolling palace, and moved west.—Evening Telegram of Monday.

Fred B. Wood spent Sunday with his family here.

Dr. and Mrs. O. O. Jones were at the county seat Saturday.

Chas. King and Thos. Witten, of Adrian, were in town Wednesday.

H. W. Conklin returned home Saturday from his trip to South Dakota.

Miss Margaret Bower, of Ann Arbor, was a caller at the HERALD office yesterday.

A private letter from David McNair indicates that he is enjoying himself at Aspen, Col.

Mrs. Will C. Hopkins, of Jackson, is visiting her father, R. W. Cole, southeast of town.

G. D. Perry and wife, who have been visiting their daughter at Marshall, are at home again.

Several of our citizens went to Clinton last night to attend Stacy's Snap Shot Story and were delighted with it.

C. E. Williamson returned Saturday from the northern part of the state where he has been in search of potatoes.

All music lovers should make their arrangements to attend the Sousa Band Concert at Adrian, Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th.

Mrs. Jonah Waldron and her committee will entertain the ladies social at the Baptist church, on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 1st.

At the Methodist Church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Young Women and Their Influence."

At the meeting of the Ladies' Guild of St. Peter's Episcopal church yesterday the following officers were elected:
President—Mrs. J. F. Hicks.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. C. M. Woodward.
Secy. & Treas.—Mrs. Geo. Merritt.

S. C. Stacy will give his Snap Shot Story at the Tipton Congregational church next week Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. It will be given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church and for their benefit.

John Orr, John Anderson, Ben Ellis, Will Mobbs, Cleo Hall, Art Gove and John Vedder visited their K. O. T. M. brothers at Adrian, Monday evening, and saw the work of the order exemplied. They were royally entertained and did not get home until the wee small hours.

No person can read the endorsements of Sousa's Band, by musicians, press and people, without the inevitable conclusion that the band is without an existing peer, and that no music lover can afford to miss its concert to be given in Adrian, Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th. Bandmaster Sousa has fifty perfect musicians, and his vocal artist is equally renouned and equally great, and the combination is one which can hardly be resisted by the music lover, the critic, or the average popular audience.

Last Thursday Mrs. J. D. Shull and Mrs. W. C. Fisher entertained about seventy-five of their lady friends at five o'clock tea, at Mrs. Fisher's residence on Chicago street. Supper was served in the dining rooms, and also in the breakfast room and library. The large tables were decorated with smilax and yellow roses; white pansies were used on the small tables. Friday evening at 8 o'clock they held a reception at which about 125 of their gentlemen and lady friends were present. The drawing room was tastefully trimmed with bitter sweet and chrysanthemums; while pink carnations formed the table decorations. An elaborate menu was served the same as on the previous evening. They were assisted in receiving by Mr. J. D. Shull and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rue, of Battle Creek.

A dispatch from Manchester to the Free Press, dated October 19th, says: A complete solution of the Conklin mystery will soon be made known to the public, but the doctor will not arrive until late to-night. When Mrs. Conklin was informed of her husband's whereabouts she was frantic with joy. His friends here believe that the doctor's abduction was caused by the recent criminal case at Traverse City, and Mrs. Conklin said that if she ever heard from her husband it would be at the completion of that trial. Mrs. Conklin is in a critical condition, and is anxiously awaiting her husband's arrival. She has never heard from him since his disappearance, until late last night, when she received a telegram from him. All reports of his intended disappearance are not believed by the better class of people here.

We paid Detroit a flying visit last Monday. Found Jud DePuy located at 100 Griswold street. He is now in the employ of the Michigan Fire and Marine Ins. Co. has a good position and is evidently doing well. Frank Smalldige is still running his drug store on Jefferson Ave., where he is nicely located. As he continues at the same place we infer that he must be doing a lucrative business. We had a short chat with F. C. Stoepel at Burnham, Stoepel & Co's wholesale house. He says that the fall trade is opening up very satisfactorily with their house, and they look for a heavy business between now and the first of January. We also made a call at Dr's Kennedy & Kergan's establishment on Shelby street. They are specialists who have resided in Detroit for many years and have worked up a very lucrative practice there, which they hold without any trouble, by their skillful treatment and gentlemanly methods.

Mrs. E. S. Tate, of Clinton, is in town to-day.

J. M. Jones was in Clinton yesterday on business.

Jos. H. Smith was housed up a part of last week with tonsilitis.

Forrest R. Dickinson, who has been a victim of malarial fever the past three weeks, is able to be out again.

Mrs. H. G. Kedzie, of Grand Haven, was the guest of Mrs. Patterson at the Lilley House yesterday and to-day.

John J. White, Clinton's popular Merchant Tailor, and son Harry were in town yesterday. As usual he made this office a pleasant call. Although taking many papers felt he must have the HERALD and henceforth he will be remembered among its subscribers.

Miss Margaret V. Bower, D. G. C. of the Ladies of the Maccabees, delivers a lecture this evening at the Universalist church to the ladies and gentlemen of Tecumseh. Miss Bower will institute a Hive here, and will be glad to meet all ladies interested in the movement at 10 o'clock, Friday morning, at Odd Fellows' hall.

The Halloween party this year will no doubt be, like the preceeding ones, very pleasant. The matter is in the hands of stirring young men who will spare no effort to have it a perfect success. The committees are well chosen, the invitations unique and attractive and the patronesses well known to all. Persons receiving invitations may feel complimented indeed.

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On Saturday, Oct. 27th, there will be an art exibition of fancy Embroidery work, consisting of Etchings, Kensington Couching, Roman Embroidery, drawn thread work, etc.. Instructions free, by an expert in the interest of the New Home sewing machine, at Coller's music store, next to Anderson's dry goods store, Tecumseh. All are welcome. Sewing machines from $18 up.
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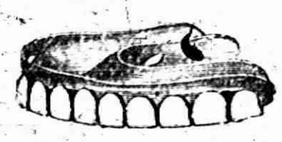

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MICHIGAN BAPTISTS.

They Act on a Resolution Pledging Themselves to Prohibition.

LANSING, Oct. 20.—The following officers of the Baptist state convention were elected: President, W. L. Farnum, Flint; secretary, H. F. Cochrane, Springport; treasurer, W. W. Beman, Ann Arbor; auditor, T. T. Leete, Jr., Detroit. The report of the executive committee showed a total membership of 40,000; twenty new churches had been established and six church edifices erected during the past year.

Rev. D. D. McLaurin, of Detroit, created something of a sensation by declaring that 40,000 Poles in the city of Detroit, so far as a knowledge of the Saviour is concerned, are as ignorant as the inhabitants of darkest Africa.

LANSING, Oct. 22.—The convention on Saturday disposed of the prohibitory temperance resolution, which threatened to disrupt the entire organization. It was so deftly managed that it was finally disposed of by the adoption of a mild resolution pledging the members to their best and continuous effort for the suppression of the liquor traffic. The question was reopened Sunday night, and the result was that the report of the committee embodied in the above was not only rejected but ordered expunged from the records and a resolution adopted calling upon the next legislature to either enact some sort of a prohibitory law or submit to the people a constitutional amendment for this purpose. A resolution was adopted to the effect that the use of the gospel hymns was not conducive to the development of the best devotional culture, and recommending the return to the standard hymns and tunes of the Christian faith.

PLANNED BY THE A. R. U.

Battle Creek Suspects Make Some Sensational Statements.

MARSHALL, Oct. 19.—A correspondent has examined the sworn statements of Knowles, Bodewig, and Hall, alleged Battle Creek Grand Trunk train wreckers. Knowles admits Bodewig and himself stole the claw bar with which the fish plates were removed. He charges that after the wreck Bodewig admitted wrecking the train with two others. Knowles' confession says the plot was concocted in the A. R. U., and that Bodewig was the chief conspirator. Bodewig admits in his statement having had connection with the crime, but says he was not present when the job was done. Hall disclaims any knowledge of the wreck, but says Bodewig and another man did it.

Van Auken at Liberty.

QUINCY, Ill., Oct. 20.—The case of A. M. Van Auken, who was indicted here last January on a charge of forging the signature of President Ingalls, of the Big Four, to a $80,000 indemnifying bond, was nolle prossed Friday owing to the fact that Ingalls was not here to testify against him. Van Auken was brought here last August from Detroit, where he was charged with obtaining money by pretending to be purchasing agent of the Denver and Rio Grande railway. He denies that he is Van Auken, but refuses to say who he is.

Escape in Spite of Trainmen.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 22.—Three confidence men attempted to "flim-flam" Rev. Father O'Connell on the Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad out of this city Saturday night. Traveling men interfered, a fight ensued, and the confidence men drew revolvers. They were overpowered by the train hands and left in charge of the brakeman, but succeeded in pulling the bell rope and when the train slowed up, jumped off and escaped, intimidating the brakeman by placing a revolver to his head.

Seventh Michigan Cavalry Reunion.

LANSING, Oct. 23.—The Seventh Michigan cavalry in the war of 1861 held their annual reunion here Friday, electing the following officers: President, Robert Sproul, Detroit; secretary and treasurer, J. Q. A. Sessions, Ann Arbor; executive committee, W. H. Fisher, Detroit; Charles Holmes, Lansing; Arthur Longman, Fulton. The next annual meeting will be October 17, 1895, at Saginaw.

Muskegon Fireman Killed.

MUSKEGON, Oct. 18.—A furious fire started in Thayer's lumber yard at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and raged almost beyond control for several hours, threatening 15,000,000 feet of lumber and the entire business section of the city. Assistant Chief Ellen was buried under a falling pile and died in agony. The loss is $2,000 and was fully insured.

Suit Against Two Bank Directors.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 20.—Robert T. Gibbons, of Detroit, receiver of the Greenville City national bank, which failed in June, 1893, has commenced suit in the United States district court here against Henry N. Anderson and John A. Foster, directors, to recover $224,000 which the bank lost on worthless paper.

Death of General Reynolds.

DETROIT, Oct. 19.—Gen. William F. Reynolds was found dead in bed Thursday morning, aged 73. The deceased had a brilliant military record in the Mexican and civil wars and also served as engineer in charge of explorations of western rivers and harbor improvements on the great lakes.

Days of the Telephone Girl Numbered.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 20.—The Harrison Telephone company has been capitalized at $300,000 in this city. An exchange will be built and ready for business April next. The company controls a patent doing away with the "hello" girls. It will start in with 1,000 telephones.

Postponed.

LANSING, Oct. 18.—The examination of August Lindholm on a charge of embezzlement of state funds was adjourned until October 29. Lindholm is out on bail but has found nothing to do as yet.

BITS OF NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Michigan Localities.

Veterans at Harresville have organized a G. A. R. post.

A branch of the Salvation Army has been established at Menominee.

It is proposed to build a double-track electric railway to connect Bay City and Saginaw.

Mrs. D. S. Penebroke, of Jackson, died suddenly from a stroke of apoplexy recently.

A girl living near Ionia recently married her grandmother's brother, aged 61. She is 22.

Benton Harbor fruit growers are marketing from 2,500 to 3,000 bushels of apples daily.

Piqued at not receiving an appointment as fireman, G. W. Jones, of Detroit, killed himself.

Cabbage raisers in the vicinity of Three Oaks have shipped 250 carloads of cabbages this season.

The D. L. & N. depot and elevator at Lansing with 2,000 bushels of wheat, burned. Loss, about $8,500.

Pensioners who draw their money at the Saranac agency have been disappointed. A mail pouch containing their checks was stolen recently.

Wayne county camp Knights of Maccabees condemn Great Commander Boynton for refusing to approve the bond of Great Recordkeeper Boughton.

Ed and Frank Gibbs, of Traverse City, were arrested and bound over for trial in the United States court on a charge of selling liquor without having paid the government tax.

At Colon Dr. A. D. Swartz and Milburn Rockwell, his hired man, are under arrest charged with the murder of Willard M. Johnson, whose body was found recently in the St. Joseph river with four bullet holes in it. The arrested men had had trouble with Johnson.

WAR ON DEER SLAYERS.

Hunters from Neighboring States Arrested for Poaching.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Oct. 20.—War on pot-hunters from Ohio and Indiana has at last been inaugurated here and half a dozen arrests and convictions secured. Parties were caught in the very act of shipping venison out of the state. At present there are fully 400 hunters from the states named engaged in violating the game laws in the county and the officers are certain to make some extensive captures. Suits are also to be commenced against the transportation companies and a determined effort will be made all along the line to put a stop to lawless hunting.

CHANGE THEIR CONDUCTORS.

Grand Trunk Officials Make Radical and Sweeping Changes.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 22.—The run of every passenger conductor on the entire Grand Trunk system was changed Sunday in accordance with action taken by the Grand Trunk directors at their recent annual meeting. Detectives who had been "spotting" the conductors found that some were dishonest and the management decided upon radical and wholesale changes, so as to place conductors upon divisions where they are less acquainted and less susceptible to temptation. The order applies to conductors on all the lines, both in Canada and the United States.

Cost Him $25.

JACKSON, Oct. 21.—A demand for a kiss from Mrs. Ida Green, of Whitman Lake, has cost Joseph Hawes, an aged and wealthy farmer of this county and the father of thirteen children, $25. Mrs. Green sued Hawes for $25,000, alleging improper liberties. She claims that he came to see her while she was alone one night and asked her to drink wine with him and demanded that she kiss him. The jury in the case brought in a verdict of $25 damages for the woman.

Death of Ex-Mayor Shearer, of Bay City.

BAY CITY, Oct. 21.—George H. Shearer, aged 69, died here Saturday morning after an illness of two weeks from pneumonia, the result of a cold. Mr. Shearer was a member of the board of education for eleven years and mayor for two years. He was a thirty-second degree Mason, a Knight Templar, a Mystic Shriner and had been an Odd Fellow for forty-five years. He had held several offices in the grand encampment.

To Preach in Pullman's Church.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 22.—Rev. Dr. Charles Fluerer, for the past nineteen years pastor of the "All Souls' Unitarian church," has resigned to accept the pastorate of the Pullman Unitarian Memorial church at Albion, N. Y. Dr. Fluerer is one of the leading divines in his denomination, the church to which he is called was built by George M. Pullman in memory of his parents.

Names Cannot Go on the Ballot.

LANSING, Oct. 20.—The democratic and populist parties in this state at their nominating conventions placed candidates in the field for United States senators. No provision is made for the election of such officers by the people and Attorney General Ellis holds that the names of the candidates cannot be placed on the official ballot.

Convicted of Stealing Bicycles.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 21.—Charles E. Wheeler, alias George Williams, who was arrested in Chicago, where there are fourteen charges of stealing bicycles against him, was convicted here and sentenced, although he protested his innocence, to four years and six months in Ionia prison.

Bought a Forest of Fruit Trees.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 19.—The largest sale of fruit trees ever made to a planter has been effected by local nurseries to Robert Sherwood, of Watervliet. It includes 19,700 peach and 4,000 pear trees. The trees will all be set on his farm next spring.

Plenty of Roast Chicken.

IMLAY CITY, Oct. 19.—The barn and hennery of E. Roy burned with all the contents, including a fine registered horse, 500 eggs and 200 chickens. A lamp exploded in an incubator.

MICHIGAN ODD FELLOWS.

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge at Grand Rapids.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 19.—The Michigan Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows closed its semi-centennial session Thursday. The new grand officers are: Grand master, M. R. Salter, Ithaca; deputy, H. M. Wilder, Grand Rapids; secretary, E. H. Whitney, Lansing; treasurer, B. D. Pritchard, Allegan; representative, George D. Davis, Lansing. The Rebekahs elected as president Mrs. A. V. Wiselogel, Muskegon; vice president, Mrs. Adda F. Carpenter, Grand Rapids; secretary, Mrs. Julia A. Litchfield, Elsie; warden, Mrs. Ida M. Bailey, Rockford; treasurer, Mrs. Mary C. Brown, Grand Rapids. Joint committees were appointed to raise funds to establish an odd fellows' orphans' home.

Grand Secretary Whitney's report shows the following condition of the order on December 31, 1893:

The number of subordinate lodges is 199, with a total membership of 27,992. During the year 1,393 members have received assistance and the number of deaths was 171. The amount expended for the relief of distress was $20,765, for the relief of widowed families, $4,638. The total receipts for the year were $91,614. The encampment branch of the order makes the following showing: Total membership, 3,773; amount paid for the relief of members, $675; for relief of widows, $385. The total receipts were $4,113. The Rebekah department in Michigan has 194 lodges, with a total membership of 10,000. Amount paid for assistance to members during the year, $516; available assets at the close of 1893, $5,330. The report of Grand Representative Northwood shows that the total amount of relief furnished during 1893 by the entire order reporting to the sovereign grand lodge amounts to $3,313,331. The total addition to the membership during 1893 was nearly 33,000, making the total membership 913,000.

BRASSEY TO SELL HIS LAND.

Will Offer Inducements for Settlers on Michigan Property.

MARQUETTE, Oct. 23.—Thomas Lord Brassey, principal owner of the Michigan Land & Iron company, left this city Saturday night after a visit of three days, during which he completely revolutionized the policy of the corporation in a manner which promises to be greatly beneficial to the development of this region. Lord Brassey bought the entire land grant of the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon Railway company fifteen years ago, paying $2,000,000 cash for it. Until recently the control remained in the hands of certain men in Boston, who having put little or nothing into the property themselves cared nothing about its development. Lord Brassey said:

"These lands have hitherto been unproductive of minerals in paying quantities. A small income has been derived from pine, but this will shortly be exhausted. We have now resolved on a large policy for agricultural development. We propose to convert the forests into farms. I am satisfied both from the reports received and from personal examination that over one-half of these lands are of excellent quality for farming, and the policy determined upon is in brief this: We will offer the lands for sale on twenty years' time with interest on the deferred payments at 3½ per cent. If the purchaser desires, we also advance a reasonable amount to put up necessary buildings and to clear ten acres of land, and let these advances stand as a part of the purchase price at the same rate of interest. I want to give any industrious man a home on these lands."

To Have Their Own Pesthouse.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 23.—The masons of Detroit and vicinity have decided to erect and run a pesthouse in the suburbs of the city, to be devoted exclusively to the care of all members of the order who may be stricken with smallpox. The patients will be cared for only by masonic physicians, nurses and cooks, and the order will see that they are given the best of care. This action is the result of the unsatisfactory manner in which smallpox patients have been cared for in the city pesthouses.

Michigan Political Science Association.

DETROIT, Oct. 21.—The Michigan Political Science association closed its session at noon Saturday. Dr. J. P. Davis, of Ann Arbor, read a paper on "Corporations in the Light of History," and J. P. Lee, of Lansing, an address on "Suggestions for the Revision of the Corporation Law of Michigan." Otto Kirchner, of Detroit, was elected president. The question of time and location of next meeting was left in the hands of the executive committee.

Took a Dose of Arsenic.

DETROIT, Oct. 22.—Driven to desperation by the failure of her husband to secure work and her inability to secure proper food for her two young children, Mrs. Francis Crough swallowed a dose of arsenic with suicidal intent. The subsequent pain was so great, however, that she soon told her husband what she had done. She was taken to a hospital and pumped out. It is uncertain whether she will live or not.

Fire in Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 22.—A fire which started early Sunday morning in a warehouse of the American Paper company in West Larned street destroyed in all about $50,000 worth of property. The five-story structure occupied by the paper establishment was destroyed and two small buildings adjoining on either side were completely demolished by the falling walls.

Two Tramps Lost Their Lives.

HUDSON, Oct. 23.—While adjusting the loss on Eugene Pierson's five barns, burned near this city Tuesday morning, President Bailey, of the Hillsdale County Farmers' Mutual, found evidences in the ruins that two men had lost their lives in the fire. The buildings are known to have been fired accidentally by tramps.

She Got One-Fifth.

SAGINAW, Oct. 21.—Recently the carriages of Mrs. Frances Newell and William C. Cornwall collided and the former was thrown out and seriously injured. She sued Cornwall for $25,000 damages, and a jury awarded her $5,000.

Walsh Acquitted at Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 20.—The jury in the case of School Inspector Joseph A. Walsh, on trial on the charge of having accepted a bribe, brought in a verdict of not guilty.

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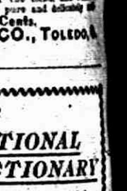

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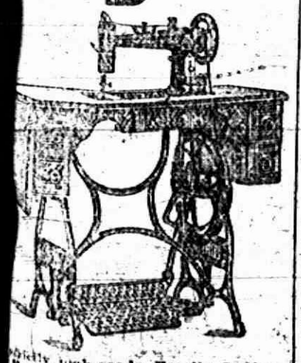

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DOMESTIC.

THE exports of domestic merchandise of the United States for the last nine months amounted to $577,047,022, against $603,221,873 for the same time in 1893. The imports amounted to $503,529,738, and for the same time last year $[illegible]25,372.

GEORGE PETERSON started to establish a new walking record from New York to Chicago. He expects to reach Chicago in thirty-five days.

THE Tabor Amusement company at Denver assigned with liabilities of $275,000.

THE new issue of postage stamps was rapidly being disposed of, the government sending out 20,000,000 a day.

IN the recent storm on the gulf coast fifteen fishermen lost their lives on Sand island, near Apalachicola, Fla.

WILLIAM PATTISON, an escaped madman, entered a church at York, Pa., and stampeded the congregation by firing right and left.

BY a vote of 65 to 35 the general conference at Greenville, Ill., of the Free Methodist church decided against the ordination of women.

MRS. JENNIE HARRINGTON and her three children perished by fire in the barn upon their farm in the outskirts of Elizabeth, N. J.

WILLIS GRIFFEY (colored), charged with assault on Miss Leha Berry (white), was taken from jail at Princeton, Ky., by a mob and hanged.

A STRANGER distributed about $400 in worthless old Indiana state bank notes at Anderson, Ind., and disappeared.

DURING the nine months of 1894 the excess in gold exports from the United States over imports was $73,603,619 and of silver $25,581,589.

JACOB SWEININGER'S fifth wife died very suddenly near Luray, Ind. She was the third to die of apoplexy.

ELDERS FREEMAN and Mercer, Mormon missionaries who had converted fifty people near Centertown, Ky., mostly women, to their faith, were tarred and feathered by indignant citizens and driven away.

SEVENTEEN buildings in the business district of Liberty Center, O., were destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

A. E. SMITH, a letter carrier, rode from Chicago to New York on his bicycle in 7 days 14 hours and 5 minutes, lowering his own record.

AN association whose object is the suppression of gambling in the United States and Canada was formed in Chicago by Dr. W. G. Clarke and others.

THE total appropriations made at the first and second sessions of the Fifty-third congress amounted to $492,230,685.

TWENTY-NINE vessels of the Gloucester (Mass.) fishing fleet, with an aggregate tonnage of 2,854 tons and 112 men, were lost during the past year, against ten vessels and fifty-three men last year.

TWO SISTERS of St. Joseph were burned to death and another seriously injured in a fire in Houston, Tex., which caused a loss of $488,000.

IN his annual report Maj. Gen. Miles complimented the work of the federal troops during the recent railroad strike.

THE American ship Ivanhoe, coal laden, was reported lost off the Pacific coast with its crew of eighteen men.

THE post office at New Albany, Ind., was robbed during the noon hour of $4,000 in stamps and several hundred dollars in cash.

IN the Melrose stake for 2-year-olds at Nashville, Tenn., Impetuous trotted two heats in 2:15¼, equalling the world's race record.

THREE schooners were wrecked in a gale on the Pacific and fears were expressed for the safety of others.

THE Merced bank at Merced, Cal., closed its doors with heavy liabilities.

BLACK diphtheria was raging in the Indiana gas belt, especially in Anderson, Elwood and Middletown.

WILLIAM DAVIS and wife, an aged couple, while driving in a buggy were run over and instantly killed by a train at Mount Sterling, Ill.

OTTO ZEIGLER rode a mile in 1:50 at Sacramento, Cal., reducing Johnson's world's bicycle record three-fifths of a second.

FIRE swept away the entire central portion of Sulphur, Ky., the loss being $100,000.

LOUIS GIMM, of Cleveland, O., rode 383 miles 1,490 yards in a day on his bicycle, surpassing all records.

CHARLES KAHLER, of Davenport, Ia., wounded his sweetheart and killed himself because she refused to consent to an immediate marriage.

THE militia fired on a mob which tried to lynch William Dolby, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Mary C. Boyd (white) at Washington Court House, O., and three persons were killed and ten wounded, three fatally.

KENTUCKY distillers formed a permanent association at Louisville and adopted a resolution to cut down production during the coming season to 15,000,000 gallons.

THE residence of Herman Barthold, a farmer near Toledo, O., was destroyed by fire and his two daughters, aged 12 and 7, were burned to death.

A SPAN of the bridge over the Ohio river at Jeffersonville, Ind., fell, carrying twenty workmen with it, and three were seriously injured.

EUGENE SCHAWECKER, a wholesale grocer and liquor merchant of Cincinnati, committed suicide on the grave of his first wife.

DANIEL H. BURNHAM, of Chicago, was reelected president of the American Institute of Architects at the annual meeting in New York.

AN old Navajo Indian at Gallup, N. M., who married a young squaw against the wishes of her parents, shot and killed her and then killed himself.

Li Hung Chang is reported as saying: "In the long run we will get away with the Japs." They seem to get away from them with a good deal of celerity.

Some men in Belgium have three votes at each election. Some Americans can beat that.

HARRIS ULNEY and Charles Dalton committed suicide at Brooklyn, N. Y., by turning on the gas in their room.

DURING a quarrel at Baltimore over a division of profits from their coal business Robert Herrlich shot and fatally wounded his father.

CHANNING M. BRITTON, of New York, was elected president of the Carriage Builders' association at the annual meeting in Philadelphia.

ANOTHER strike of weavers occurred at Fall River, Mass., making 6,000 persons out of employment.

IN his annual report Gen. Howard says the railroad strike showed the necessity of doubling the army.

IN a quarrel over forty cents' worth of beer in a St. Maurice, (Ind.) saloon Jackson Stevens shot and killed Ben Heam.

WILLIAM BARNES, a clerk in the treasurer's office for thirty-five years, died in Washington. It was said that he had handled in his lifetime probably more money than any other man in the world.

IN trials against time at Hamilton, Ont., Bicyclist Davidson lowered the record for the half mile standing to 0:58 and the quarter to 0:30.

FIRE destroyed a portion of the Tredegar iron works at Richmond, Va. Loss, $150,000.

AT Philadelphia a new baseball association was formed, which is expected to be a strong rival to the National league.

IN the hearing of indicted gamblers in Chicago the big proprietors escaped only the lesser lights being found guilty.

JAMES WEST and G. H. Crenshaw, of Philadelphia, were killed by a landslide while crossing the Sierra Madres.

KRISTIAN KORTGAARD, ex-president of the Minneapolis State bank, was convicted of appropriating $13,000 of its funds.

MISS MONROE was awarded $5,000 in her suit against the New York World for prematurely publishing her world's fair ode.

BECAUSE of numerous train robberies the Pacific Express company will handle no more money in Indian territory.

A FIRE which started in Miller Bros.' livery stable at Monticello, Ia., burned fifteen high-priced horses and destroyed half a dozen residences.

ROBERT J. and John R. Gentry paced a dead heat at Nashville, Tenn., in 2:04.

THE post office department has declared the Cooperative Loan & Investment company of Mississippi is conducting a lottery.

MINERS who took the places of strikers at Ashland, Ky., were fired upon from ambush and several of them were wounded.

WILLIAM DOLBY, the cause of the riot at Washington Court House, O., was taken to the penitentiary. Two more victims of the riot had died.

THE following congressional nominations were made by the democrats: Rhode Island, First district, C. H. Page (renominated); Second, Oscar Lapham (renominated). Massachusetts, Second district, E. A. Hall. Tennessee, Sixth district, J. A. Washington (renominated). Kentucky, Sixth district, A. S. Berry.

WHILE temporarily insane Elliott L. Titus, aged 24, killed Mary S. Duff, aged 23, at Sea Cliff, L. I., and then killed himself. The young people expected to be married soon.

MRS. GEORGE EDDY and Mrs. Painter were killed by a passing train at a grade crossing near Byron, Ill.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 19th aggregated $950,045,900, against $927,428,877 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 3.1.

MRS. MARY SAWYER and two daughters, aged 16 and 18, were killed at Dorchester, Neb., while driving over the Burlington tracks.

GEORGE GOLDMAN, a farmer living near English, Ind., killed his wife with a flatiron and then shot himself. He had been released from an insane asylum.

DANIEL DAPTON, a well-known lawyer, was mistaken for a burglar at Lilly, Pa., and fatally shot.

JUDGE SMITH, for twenty-seven years on the circuit bench at Galesburg, Ill., resigned because of ill health.

THERE were 253 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 19th, against 281 the week previous and 341 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THEODORE AMMERMAN, wounded in the riot at Washington Court House, O., died, making the total number of dead five.

IN Sleepy Hollow cemetery at Tarrytown, N. Y., a monument was unveiled to the residents of the town who fought in the revolutionary war. The day was the 113th anniversary of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown.

AN omnibus indictment was found in Chicago by the federal grand jury against the officers of the American Railway union and all strikers charged with violence and obstructing the mails.

ON a farm near Albion, N. Y., William Lake killed Miss Hunt because she refused to marry him and then killed himself.

AT Waltham, Mass., Tyler cut the 2-mile standing start bicycle record to 4:08.

SONS of the American Revolution presented a stand of colors to the Fifteenth regiment, U. S. A., at Fort Sheridan, in recognition of its gallant conduct during the late strike in Chicago.

FOUR men held up a Texas Pacific passenger train near Gordon, Tex., at noon and robbed the express car of an amount estimated at from $1,000 to $20,000.

TWENTY-FIVE of the largest wholesale manufacturers of clothing in Chicago organized a defensive association.

JAMES O. DOOLEY, the youthful murderer of his aunt and a 10-year-old cousin in Adams county, Ia., on May 11, 1892, was executed at Fort Madison.

CHARLES ERMISH and Otto Wongkert were hanged in St. Paul, Minn., for the murder of Lindholf, a barkeeper, May 2 last.

ORGANIZATION of the new American Baseball association was completed in Philadelphia. W. S. Kanes was elected president, secretary and treasurer.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE democrats made the following congressional nominations: New York, Seventh district, Cornelius Flynn; Ninth, A. J. Campbell. New Jersey, Fourth district, Jacob Geissenhainer. Connecticut, Seventh district, Norman Sperry. Massachusetts, Thirteenth district, Robert Howard. Alabama, Fourth district, C. A. Robbins, renominated.

MRS. JETTA SWARTS died in Chicago at the age of 103 years.

EDWARD CHATE, one of the pioneers of the far northwest and the original settler at The Dalles, Ore., is dead.

REV. E. HAZARD SNOWDEN, the oldest Presbyterian minister in the state, died at his home in Forty Fort, Pa., aged 95 years. He was the oldest living graduate of Princeton theological seminary.

JUDGE MACON B. ALLEN, the first colored man admitted to the bar in the United States, died in Washington.

MARGARET MURPHY, aged 108, died in New York city.

GEN. WILLIAM F. REYNOLDS, a veteran of the Mexican war and a celebrated engineer, died suddenly at his home in Detroit, Mich., aged 78.

EVERETT P. WHEELER has accepted the nomination for governor of New York at the hands of the "democratic party reform organization."

THE following congressional nominations were made: Missouri, Eleventh district, Charles F. Joy (rep.); Twelfth, F. M. Sterrett (rep.). Tennessee, Tenth district, R. J. Rawlings (pop.).

EX-MAYOR GRANT accepted the Tammany nomination for mayor of New York, Nathan Straus having withdrawn his name.

FOREIGN.

THE French press was urging the government to declare war on Madagascar and immediately blockade its ports.

EMPEROR WILLIAM unveiled a monument to his grandfather at Wiesbaden and opened the new Royal theater.

PORT ARTHUR, one of the most strategic outposts of China, on the Gulf of Pie-chi-li, is reported to have been captured by the Japs.

IT was estimated that European countries would have to import 118,000,000 bushels of wheat, owing to the shortage in the crop.

IRREGULARITIES in the Bank of Brazil at Buenos Ayres, involving $20,000,000, were discovered.

AN Indian paper announced the death of the ameer of Afghanistan.

ADVICES from San Domingo say that a cyclone leveled 700 houses there and damaged the coffee crop in Hayti.

UP to the end of September the total emigration from Great Britain this year was 121,173, a decrease of 57,559 as compared with the corresponding period of 1893. Of this number 82,031 shipped for the United States and 15,418 for Canada.

DURING a fire originating in a naphtha spring in Grosny, Transcaucasia, seventeen workmen were burned to death.

ADVICES from Caracas, Venezuela, announce the death of Feliciano Alvezez, acting president of the country.

A BILL was introduced in the Japanese parliament empowering the government to borrow 100,000,000 yen for prosecution of the war.

RUSSIAN officials admitted there was no hope of the recovery of the czar. Members of the imperial family were hurrying to Livadia.

LATER.

STEPHEN WILLIAMS, a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Nardesty, an aged white woman, was taken from the jail at Marlboro, Md., by masked men and hanged.

JAMES ANTHONY FROUDE, LL. D., the English historian and theological writer, died in London, aged 76 years.

EVERY passenger conductor on the Grand Trunk system was shifted to another division as a result of recent "spotting."

THE working home for the blind at Iberia, O., was destroyed by fire and one inmate was fatally burned.

THE striking of a match by a careless bystander caused an explosion at a gas well near Greenfield, Ind., and five drillers were dangerously burned.

SILAS JONES and his wife and child perished in flames that destroyed their home near Knoxville, Ia.

THE government officials at Washington will endeavor to keep out seventy anarchists reported to be on their way to the United States.

MRS. CHARLES WIMEER and her 11-year-old son, Louis, were killed by a Big Four train at Indianapolis.

FIFTH AUDITOR HOLCOMB in his annual report announces a deficit in the foreign mission fund for the year of $90,000.

THE Intercolonial railway blacksmith shop and roundhouse at Rivere du Loup, Can., were destroyed by fire, the loss being $200,000.

J. ADAM BEDE, United States marshal for Minnesota has resigned rather than forego participation in the political campaign.

VESSELMEN at Philadelphia feared that the schooner John D. Williams, eight men, and the steamer Falcon, seven men, were lost.

THE Fond du Lac (Wis.) factory of the American Biscuit company was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $100,000.

JOSEPH DORSETT BEDLE, ex-governor of New Jersey, died in a New York hospital from a surgical operation, aged 68 years.

POSTMASTER GENERAL BISSELL issued an order that hereafter an address label may be pasted on the address side of an envelop as well as the message side of a postal card.

FIERCE gales raged along the British coast, wrecking numerous vessels and causing the loss of many lives.

ANDREW SMITH, a member of the firm of Smith Brothers, manufacturers of cough drops, died in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., aged 58 years. He was widely known as a philanthropist.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115. Mail.	No. 117. Express.	No. 149 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	4 40 A.M.	2 05 P.M.	12 20 P.M.
Napoleon.....	5 00 "	2 26 "	1 17 "
Norvell.....	5 07 "	2 34 "	1 27 "
Manchester.....	5 25 "	2 50 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	5 40 "	3 05 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh.....	5 49 "	3 15 "	2 45 "
Adrian.....Ar	6 27 "	3 53 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	9 50 "	6 30 "	.....
Toledo.....	7 20 "	4 40 "	10 55 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 2:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 114. Mail.	No. 118. Express.	No. 148 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 30 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 29 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton.....	12 39 "	9 33 "	7 25 "
Manchester.....	12 55 "	9 48 "	8 05 "
Norvell.....	1 10 "	10 05 "	8 45 "
Napoleon.....	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 00 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 58	
	A. M. 1 39		Yorkville	1 14	A. M.
A. M. 7 50	2 07		Battle Creek	12 45	1 25
8 20	2 38		Marshall	12 14	12 52
9 11	3 35		Homer	11 45	11 48
10 15	3 42		Hanover	11 14	11 08
11 59	10 35	4 17	Addison	10 40	10 15
12 05	10 44	4 28	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 26
	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway	9 33	8 27
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton	9 28	8 20
3 10	12 14	5 33	Rea	9 15	*8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 20
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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F. B. DRAKE, Gen'l Manager.

THE WABASH RAILROAD CO

TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express.....10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex..3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....5:41 a m
*No. 8—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express....7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
No. Mail and Express.....4:55 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:40 A. M., 11:05 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owoss, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadillac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Dundee,

6:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 3:22 p. m.

Making direct connections for

SAGINAW & BAY CITY.

W. H. BENNETT G. P. A., Toledo, Ohio.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., OCT. 25, 1894.

Edward Cook called on some friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. A. Kies is under the physician's care this week.

Alice Halladay was home from Albion college Sunday.

Charles Carroll started in Monday to learn the cigar maker's trade.

John T. Clark made a flying trip to Blissfield the first of the week.

Will Hall left for his new position in Jacksonville, Ill., the last of the week.

Alonzo Clark is at home. He came Saturday and expects to remain some time.

The hall was filled to its utmost capacity to hear E. P. Allen Monday night.

R. F. Greenleaf and family returned home Monday from a visit with Leonidas friends.

Robbie Woodward and Willie Waterhouse were seen on the streets of Tecumseh Sunday evening.

Eugene Smalley gives a phonographic concert at Addison Thursday evening and at Onsted Friday night.

C. H. Reed, foreman in the HERALD office, and C. D. Keyes drove up from Tecumseh Sunday afternoon.

"Ham" Niblack went over to Ypsilanti Saturday and returned Monday, bringing his wife back with him.

Our venerable friend, Mrs. Maria Hixson is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Kedzie, of Grand Haven.

Alex Kennedy and Grace Stevens spent Sunday at the elegant country residence of L. D. Watkins, beyond Manchester.

Some parties came over from Saline Monday and purchased a fine lot of Jersey heifers of Chas. F. Clark, ten or twelve in number.

F. D. Lancaster went up to Wamplers Lake Tuesday, with a load of furniture for the new cottage. He believes in taking time by the forelock. Fred Sherwood accompanied him.

David Goodrich, we are sorry to chronicle, has been having a severe time the past week. He was doing so nicely, and now he has lost nearly all the strength he had gained.

Stacy had a good house at his Snap Shots last night and the auditors were highly entertained. The views are very fine and Scove's introductory remarks, as well as the lecture, are intensely interesting. Quite a number were up from Tecumseh.

Mrs. John J. White left Tuesday for Detroit to visit a sister from London, Ontario, who has been in Detroit for some time undergoing surgical treatment from Dr. McLean. Mrs. W. was expecting a visit from her this week, but she being unable to endure the journey, went to her instead.

Our people are very anxious to be vaccinated these days, all on account of the Manchester smallpox scare. Our physicians are kept very busy in consequence. It is always best to be on the safe side and take every precaution, but to believe all the sensational reports that are circulated at such times is sheer folly. There is very little truth in any of them.

During the peculiar electrical storm Saturday morning, when, as it were, a great battle was in progress, with heavy and constant cannonading, L. H. Johnston's barn, which is lighted by electricity, was struck by lightning, the moulten stream escaping on the wires, which caused utter destruction to most of the fuses north of Chicago street. The electric light force were kept busy to repair the damage before evening. It was a strange experience.

G. D. Ellis has moved his cigar factory into his new quarters, the old postoffice building on Chicago street, and he has a very attractive place. He has put in some partitions, and in the back of the store he will have his factory. In front he has a very tasty tobacco store well stocked in that line. He contemplates putting in a news department in the near future, which has long been needed, and will have all the popular periodicals of the day. Call in and see for yourself.

At the Episcopal church last Sunday evening it was a case of "where was Moses when the light went out." As the rector was reading one of the lessons the electric lights went out and all was in darkness. They soon came up, but only for a moment, and out they went. A lamp was procured at J. B. Wells' and the services went on, the single light reminding one of our grandfather's days. While singing the last hymn suddenly all was bright for a moment and then dense darkness. They could not explain the cause satisfactorily.

Our people were greatly excited Friday, when it was reported that a dress and other articles of wearing apparel were found on the bank of the race, and it was not long ere a large crowd was on the spot. Many were the surmises, and some were so sure it was a case of suicide that it was decided to draw the water out, which was accordingly done. While thus engaged, Mrs. Etta Johnson appeared and recognized the clothing as belonging to Eda VanGieson, which had been taken from the carriage the night before. The search was accordingly discontinued.

"Am I Married or Not?"

asked Mr. A., despondently. "I declare, my wife is so nervous and irritable that I don't stay in the house a moment longer than I can help. My home isn't what it used to be." "Mrs. A. is suffering from some functional derangement, I presume," said B. "Yes, she has been an invalid for years." "Exactly. Her experience is that of my wife, but she was cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Get this remedy for Mrs. A., and the happiness of your home will soon be restored." Mr. B. was right. For prolapsus, painful periods, irregularities—in short, all "complaints" peculiar to the female sex—the "Favorite Prescription" is a sovereign specific.

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Whence comes the money to pay this enormous tribute? In the last analysis it comes from the men whose toil produces all wealth—the wage-earners whose daily wage, and they work from morn till night, is something like $1.

Is it strange that the rich grow richer and that in the ratio they ascend the scale of accumulated wealth the other side, the real wealth producers, drop to the point of bare existence?

The same unjust conditions which make the pauper create the millionaire. Those conditions may be comprehended in one simple phrase—the control by the few of the natural opportunities which belong equally to all.

The supreme duty of the hour is the restoration to the people of their God-given rights and the taking from those who now possess them of all special privileges. Every other question now before the people pales into insignificance in comparison with this, and until this is accomplished the present evils will only increase in intensity—the incomes of the millionaires will mount higher and higher, the wages of the producers will drop to the starvation point, and that means involuntary servitude. This work should begin with financial reform.—National Watchman.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Griswold, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Helen M. Griswold and William Waldron, executors of the last will and testament, and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and the legacies mentioned in said will have been paid, and that they are now ready to close the estate and to render their final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned according to the terms and conditions of the will of said deceased, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause why any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Neighborhood News.

ONSTED ODDS.

Very nice fall feed.

Derby took in live hogs here Saturday.

A new chimney has been built on the News office.

A new 13-pound boy at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Williams'.

Labor at the cider and jelly mill does not let up much.

Editor Raikes visited Toledo, Friday last, on business.

J. S. Kane and family visited in Napoleon recently.

Frank Pratt, of Sand Lake, was in town Thursday last.

The Democratic nominee for sheriff took in the town one day last week.

The making of brick and tile at Howard & Hands' has closed for the season.

L. Church, of Wheatland, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Potter, a few days ago.

Miss Daisy Aldrich entertained some of her young friends on Thursday evening last.

O. S. Burcham and E. A. Taylor have each given their residence a good coat of white paint.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reed, of Brooklyn, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Aldrich over Sunday.

Hines & Skinner took in live poultry on Monday of this week. They are hustlers at the business.

T. E. Barkworth gave a good talk to the citizens of this vicinity, at this place, Tuesday afternoon.

We all sympathize with Editor Raikes and wife in the loss of their only child, which occurred a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Onsted were called to Fayette, Ohio, last Friday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Onsted's sister.

On Nov. 6th, in the evening, will be held the regular review of Tent and Hive. All members take notice and attend.

A crosswalk has been laid across the street in front of Long's harness shop which will be very handy for the east-siders.

Sim Aten picked some strawberries from his patch the other day and took them to an invalid neighbor. He says there are more ripening.

Henry Chrisman attended the reunion of his old regiment, the 1st Michigan Engineers and Mechanics, at Marshall recently, and reports having a good time.

Frank Aldrich has been raised a step in the News office and Miss Mertie Maxwell has taken the place of the devil in the office, and now the business is booming right along with lots of job work on hand.

Raisin Valley Seminary.

Miss Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Sutton.

The students of the Seminary gave Miss Adah Dibble a surprise Saturday evening.

Geo. Slee, who is traveling for a Chicago firm, spent Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Bailey.

Edward Clark started this morning for Lupton, Mich., where he intends to spend the winter in a shingle factory.

Mr. Hoople of New York, who has been holding meetings at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Adrian the past week, gave a talk to the students Saturday forenoon.

The assembly room of the Seminary was filled Saturday evening to hear Prof. Reynolds' lecture on prohibition, which was very interesting. Kirk's one-man band furnished fine selections of music which was highly appreciated.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Election next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, visited with relatives here last week.

George Cone, of Hudson, spent Saturday and Sunday with T. H. Montgomery and wife.

Emma Ford and daughtor, Gertie, of Tecumseh, visited at Mrs. Wm. Larkin's Saturday and Sunday.

Kittie Clark and Clara Temple attended Miss Mary Anderson's Piano Recital, Friday evening of last week.

A. J. Sutton, wife and daughter, Lelia attended the funeral of Bert Wescott, at Tecumseh, Sunday afternoon.

Misses Clara Temple and Kittie Clark attended the piano recital, given at Clinton, Monday evening, by Edward Baxter Perry.

Those parties who have been taking peoples' rigs from the church sheds and driving them, are being found out, and will be made an example of, if it is repeated.

Remember that Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, will give a temperance address at the church, on Friday evening. Miss Lulu Weeks, of Macon, will give a fine temperance recitation. Good music will be furnished. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The Oliver-Lighthall auction, which was fixed for Tuesday last, was postponed on account of the rain. It will take place on Friday, Nov. 2d, at one o'clock p. m., at the Beecher Lighthall place.

—After Nov. 10th I will discontinue making cider. Govern yourselves accordingly. W. R. Osgood.

—Remember I have a complete line of horse blankets. James Haight.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Marion Daniel's many friends will be sorry to hear of his serious illness at the home of his brother, John, in Chicago.

A lady of this place has a Calla that sent up a single stem to a height of about eight inches, which then unfolded two perfect and complete leaves. It is a queer freak of nature.

"There is again a strong oder of orange blossoms in the air," said one lady to another, recently. A little girl who heard this statement innocently remarked "that it was more likely to be the onions and celery Mr. Wilson was loading on the cars". How is it, girls?

Mr. Freeman Card is a freeman no longer, having allowed himself to be fast bound by the chains of Hymen. Rev. W. T. Williams riveted the bonds, and Miss Hattie Joseph, one of Franklin's best known young ladies, will henceforth "double the joys, and divide the sorrows" of Mr. Card.

The old French basket maker, with the very aristocratic name, has left his home on the shores of Sand Lake and gone with all his family to spend the winter among his countrymen in Monroe. There are few homes hereabouts that do not possess some specimen of his handiwork, or that of his industrious, nimble fingered wife.

The S. S. concert, at Pentecost Hall, is voted a success. Pentecost has some very fine elocutionary talent, as all will agree, we think, who heard the recitations on that occasion. The thanks of the S. S. association are due to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooley, of Adrian, who assisted in the entertainment. Mrs. Cooley rendered very finely the solo, "The Lost Ship," but where all did so well, it is unjust to discriminate. It was a temperance program, and many of the pieces were very pathetic, and one good lady was heard to remark, as she applied her handkerchief to her eyes, "if they don't quit that I shall be crying pretty soon."

The people of this vicinity met at the hall last Saturday evening, and organized a Library Association, with a view to profitably spending the long winter evenings, now at hand. The membership fee is only ten cents, and quarterly dues of ten cents thereafter. They propose to form a nucleus for a library by voluntary contributions of books from both the members and any others generously inclined, who may wish to contribute, and cordially invite everybody to join. The officers chosen are as follows: Pres., M. E. Case; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Rufus Fisk; Sec., Miss Claudia Case; Treas., G. W. Fuller. Librarian, Mrs. Smith German. Directors: Rev. W. T. Williams of Tipton, and Mrs. Smith German of Pentecost, who, with the president, constitute a committee to purchase books, and devise means of raising funds, by entertainments, etc. The next meeting will take place on the evening of Nov. 10th, at Pentecost hall. Everybody is cordially invited to attend, as the books are still open for members, and this meeting is a public one.

MACON MUSIC.

Misses Emma Cotton and Mary Richart were delegates to the Y. P. S. C. E. convention, held at Blissfield Tuesday.

Miss Addie Crittenden of Cleary's Business College spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Emma Cotton closed a successful term of school in the Easlick district last Friday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will hold their next social at the home of Mrs. W. P. Cotton, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 5th.

TIPTON TOPICS.

A. D. Rice, of Rome, father of Dr. O. N. Rice, is moving to Tipton this week.

Dr. J. Tripp was thrown from his buggy last Saturday, striking on his head, and was very badly injured.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will give a chicken pie supper at the home of Mrs. Milton Davenport, on Friday evening, Nov. 16th. A good literary programme will also be furnished.

The Populists will hold a meeting here on Friday evening, Nov. 2d, at Conlin's hall. It will be addressed by John O. Zabel, of Monroe county. Let everybody turn out and hear him.

While Ezra Simmons was driving along the road the other day, one whiffletree came loose, which let the tongue drop down. The team ran about forty rods, but luckily the road was smooth and Mr. Simmons stopped them.

The Cornelian Ladies' Quartette, of Adrian, will give a grand concert, at Hampton's hall, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 7th, under the auspices of the Ladies of the Maccabees and for their benefit. This quartette has made a great hit wherever they have appeared. Admission, 20 and 10 cents.

Stacy's Snap Shot lectures on the World's Fair, opened on Monday evening to a slim house, as it was a very stormy night. There was a good crowd in attendance on the next two evenings however. The entertainment was pronounced one of the best ever given in this place. The Christian Endeavor Society will add a good sum to their treasury.

—Notice to the Public.—

Having purchased the formula, together with the right to manufacture and sell Hanson's Magic Grease Eradicator, I wish to announce to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity that I am prepared to clean and renovate clothes and dress goods of any description, at my residence on West Kilbuck street. This preparation will positively remove grease from any kind of fabric without injury to the cloth. J. C. Schuyler.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

There is only one party before the American people to-day pledged to the overthrow of the liquor traffic. Will you vote for that party?

Is it right for you to teach your children that saloons are wicked places while all the time you are voting for the creation and protection of these places?

How can you vote for home protection and saloon protection at the same time? You can't do it. Nov. 6 you will vote to protect one or the other. Which shall it be?

The republican and democratic parties are pledged to protect the saloon. The Prohibition party is pledged to annihilate the saloons. You vote for your party and whatever your party does you do.

Is it right, is it consistent to denounce saloonkeepers, and to preach against the liquor traffic, and to ask God to save our neighbors and friends and children and then turn right round and vote for a party which licences men to conduct a traffic which will corrupt, degrade and dam them?

Rev. Washington Gardner of the Detroit M. E. conference, is the nominee for Secretary of State of the republican party which is responsible for the 245,000 saloons in our nation. A man is no better politically, than the party he represents. The Republican party is no better than the 245,000 saloon keepers. This Rev. Washington Gardner is no better politically than the 245,000 saloons which his party endorses and protects.

Rev. C. T. Allen is the nominee for Secretary of State of the prohibition party. That party has not a saloonkeeper in it. That party is pledged to the destruction of the saloon root and branch. Which man will you vote for? They are both ministers of the same conference, but one represents hell on earth and the other represents the coming of Christ's Kingdom on earth and peace and good will to men.

At the Rev. Washington Gardner, g. o. p. meeting at the Opera House there was a group that interested a few people present. Well up towards the front sat a group of Methodist men, leading members, officials, etc., of the church. Just in front of them sat a saloon-keeper. Whenever the saloonkeeper clapped his hands the Methodist brethren clapped theirs and it looked as if there was perfect harmony in their line of thought. But what strikes us is this, why should members of the M. E. or any other church endorse anything that pleases a saloon-keeper and why should a Methodist minister make a speech that would be cheered again and again by a saloon-keeper? Why, the M. E. church says: "The liquor traffic can never be legalized without sin," and the same church will not allow a saloon-keeper to be a member of its great body. These Methodist men won't allow that saloon-keeper to belong to their church, but they stay in and work and vote for a party which is controlled by 245,000 saloon-keepers and we would like to know the reason why?—Living Issues.

Henry Latchford in his article "A Social Reformer," in the Arena for October, quotes Henry D. Lloyd's opinion of the two old parties. "Though brot' up in the nature and admonition of the Puritans he occasionally voted the democratic ticket, even in a municipal election. 'The democrats, as rulers of a city, are not angels,' he said, 'but they are ever so much better than the other fellows. The republicans are as slick and smooth and clean and well-shaved as Herman, the magician. They have had such a long lease of power that they can give the devil points in the political game and beat him every time. They are pillars of stolid, external respectability, and it would be like flat blasphemy to impute even political wickedness to them. But you know that a man may be a church pillar and be a rascal, just as another man may smile and smile and be a villian. Yes, I much prefer the unblushing, ostentatious wickedness of the democrats. You can watch them and sometimes detect them. At all events you are never afraid of being overwhelmed by an avalanche of righteousness from their hands; and when by accident they do the right thing—well, they are honest enough to laugh, apologize and say they didn't intend it. They never boast about their well-doing. In fact all the bragging many of them do is concerned with their rascality, so you know where to place them."

The Peruvians have looted Harvard's Arequipa observatory, but they would fly in abject terror from Harvard's football team.

An Old School Relic.

Lawrence VanTine, while cleaning out an old desk the other day, found a programme of a school exhibition, which took place here in December, 1859. It is a decided curiosity, typographically, and is given in full below:

Tecumseh Union School Exhibition.

Order of Exercises for Friday Evening, December 23, 1859.

Exhibition to Commence at Seven o'clock Precisely.

MUSIC.

The Death of Henry Clay, Augustus L. Gilmore.
Cain and the All-Seeing Eye, Charles H. Adam.
Literary Pursuits, Melville M. Bigelow.

ESSAYS.

The Child's World is Beautiful, Nellie J. Beers.
A Medley, Emma E. Gilman.

MUSIC.

Liberty and Greatness, Albert L. Brewer.
An Appeal to the Jury, Richard M. Hewitt.
Tribute to Shakespeare, Clarence L. Anderson.

ESSAYS.

Public Opinion, Kate L. Tindall.
Wealth the Watch-word of the Age, Nellie L. Mitchell.
The Scholar's Dream, Frank A. Tallman.

MUSIC.

Vindication for Treason, Theodore H. Crane.
Taylor at Buena Vista, William F. Sharp.
Ancient and Modern Eloquence, Nelson T. Burroughs.

ESSAYS.

Traveling, Carrie M. Bills.
New York in 1610 and 1859, Carrie A. F. Brown.

MUSIC.

Genius and its Reward, Lawrence M. VanTine.
Opposite Examples, Wm. Mitchell Wishart.
Speech of Burke in the House of Commons, Ambrose A. Irish.

ESSAYS.

"Histories Make Men Wise," Loana L. Stacy.
Life Has its Charms, Kattie Fountain.
The Treasures of the Deep, Fanny A. Tindall.

MUSIC.

The Utility of the Fine Arts (Original), Lamont C. Bidwell.
The Dead of 1859 (Original), Wm. A. Patterson.

ESSAYS.

Things and Thoughts, Z. Florine LeBaron.
Scotland and Her Authors, M. Augusta Nicholson.

MUSIC.

The Dignity and Importance of Agriculture (Original), Oscar P. Bills.
The Associations of the Ægean (Original), Scorel C. Stacy.
Practicalism (Original), Wm. S. Hendryx.

Climatic Influence on Health.

It cannot be denied that the influence of climate upon health is great, and it is in recognition of this fact that physicians send patients suffering with pulmonary diseases to great distances for "change of air." But when the sufferer happens to be too poor to act upon the advice his lot is hard indeed. But it is not necessarily hopeless. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery can be had at any medical store, and to it thousands whose cases were considered desperate owe their lives.

Up to a certain point in the progress of Consumption, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a positive remedy. But delay is dangerous with Consumption. In all the conditions that lead to it, the "Discovery" is the remedy. With severe lingering Coughs or Weak Lungs, nothing acts so promptly. Every disease that can be reached through the blood yields to this medicine. The Scrofula affections of the lungs that's called Consumption is one of them. For this, and for every other form of Scrofula, for all blood-taints and disorders, and all chronic Bronchial, Throat, and Lung affections, the "Discovery" is the only remedy so certain that, once used, it is always in favor.

Can anything else be "just as good" for you to buy?

Don't you believe it.

The Farmers' Union.

The Farmers' Union will meet at the residence of W. F. Raymond on Friday evening, Nov. 9, 1894:

PROGRAME.

Music—Mary McIntyre.
Reading—Jennie Nyland.
Dec.—Raynor Benedict.
Reading—Bertha Smeltzer.
Dec.—Seymour Boyd.
Reading—Mrs. John Boyce.
Question—"In view of low prices and prevailing droughts, what ought the farmer to do?"
Discussion led by W. F. Raymond, followed by R. M. Boyd and others.

Read what the Chicago newspapers say about Sousa's band:

Record—Sousa's is the best concert band on the continent.

Times—Such playing has never before been heard in America.

News—It is without an equal among American bands.

Evening Post—The band's performance was a revelation. There is not a military organization in the country that can play with such exquisite finish.

Herald—One blast from Sousa's Band was worth more to the Exposition than all the bands the management could furnish in a year. It was the one musical success of the World's Fair.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 1, 1894.

It is claimed that England is a customer of the United States for half of her domestic produce.

Breckinridge's trying to go to the Senate may be differently received by the various old women said to be there

Wise and just legislation is surer protection against riot, discord, and revolution than a standing army of Gatling guns.

The Populists make this prophecy for the next Congress. They claim eight Senators, forty-five Congressmen, and the controling vote of seven states.

Spencer O. Fisher is making a brilliant campaign in this State. He intends to deserve success, at least, and the indications now are that he will achieve it.

George Gould may be more successful in getting on close terms of intimacy with the American bear under Buffalo Bill than he had in training the British lion under the Prince of Wales.

The New York World says: The question of what church a man belongs to or if he belongs to any at all has no rightful place in the politics of New York or any other American State. Drive it out!

The financial policy which enriches a few unproductive drones, at the expense of the great hive of human industry, is not only unjust but criminal, and surely fatal to national progress and even national life.

Col. Breckenridge is going to take the stump for Owen, his successful rival in the Ashland district. If the colonel's repentance were sincere he would forgive his enemy and not handicap him in any such way as that.

Gen. Spaulding's private appeal to the old soldiers to vote for him will have little effect. The old soldiers are voting for a principle this fall. The old war issues have been settled long ago, and the voters of this district will send Tom Barkworth to Congress this year.

Senator Hill is always at home in New York politics, and he is showing himself more than usually at home in this campaign. And The HERALD repeats for the benefit of whom it may concern that those who expect to beat him will have to rise early in the morning and keep hustling until dark.

Senator Hill has entered upon the New York campaign like a master. He stands in no defensive attitude, but attacks the enemy with all the force of his nature. By his energy and his insight he has already accomplished much. He has encouraged the wavering and given heart to the timorous. He has pointed out how the battle can be won, and if Democracy in New York means anything or stands for anything he is bound to win.

The farmers are to a great extent to blame for their own financial misfortunes. Existing evils could not have been brought about without their acquiescence. Of course this acquiescence was gained through misrepresentation, deceit, and the betrayal of confidence bestowed in ignorance; but now that they begin to understand the situation in all its native ugliness, it rests upon them to retrieve the loss they have suffered and correct the evils that they may not descend to their children. The farmers are the power of the land. United they may decree what they will within the bounds of justice. Let them use this vast power wisely, but determinedly.—National Watchman.

A Mr. Frazer of Martinsburg, West Va., a woolen manufacturer who employs 700 hands, is a strong advocate of Wm. L. Wilson's re-election and is stumping for Wilson. He carries a lot of samples with him to exhibit. Goods that sold for $2.25 a yard under the McKinley law he is now selling for $1.75 a yard. Goods that he sold for $1.50 under the McKinley law, he is now selling at $1.18 a yard. Goods that he sold for $1 a yard under the McKinley law, he is now selling at 75 cents a yard, and so on. He has not reduced the wages of his employees nor does he expect to; on the contrary, with the increased demand for woolen goods, under the stimulus of natural prices he expects to be able to increase the wages of his laborers within a short time.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Oct. 30, 1894.

The leaders of the republican and democratic parties must be strongly impressed with the strength of the populists, that they will hold the balance of power in the next House, if it be true that they have held several conferences to devise a way to prevent the populists controlling the organization of the House even if they do elect enough members to give them the balance of power. According to my information an agreement was reached at the last conference, on the following basis: If the republicans elect more members than the democrats, but not enough to organize the House without the assistance of the populists, the democrats are to furnish enough votes for the candidate nominated for Speaker by the republican caucus to elect him, and in return are to receive certain specified extra committee assignments, and if the democrats elect more members than the republicans, but not enough to organize the House without the aid of populists, the republicans are to furnish enough votes to elect the democratic candidate for speaker and to get in return extra committee assignments. The populists say they would ask nothing better than to see this programme carried out to the letter. They say it would make them voters by convincing the people that their claim that there is no real difference between the old parties was true.

Chairman Taubeneck, of the populist national committee, has stirred up the politicians by the statement that the populists will elect Senators in Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Kansas, South Carolina, Washington and two southern States which he declines to name at this time, and that they will be strong enough in California and Illinois legislatures to dictate the successors to Senators Perkins and Cullom. He figures on at least 12 new populist Senators.

Secretary Hoke Smith knows more about the relations of the military to the civil branch of the government than he did a few days ago. When Secretary Smith received a communication from the Indian Territory setting forth the deplorable condition of affairs, owing to the inability of the officials to suppress the lawless bands of ruffians, he sent it to the War Department with the request to send enough U. S. troops into the territory to suppress lawlessness, and doubtless dismissed the matter from his mind under the impression that the nearest troops would be at once ordered by telegraph to proceed to the locality in which the trouble exists. He knew better the next day. Assistant Secretary Doe, who was in charge of the War department when Secretary Smith's communication was received, referred the papers to General Scofield, the commander of the army, who returned them with the suggestion that the request for the aid of troops be maturely considered, with a view to ascertaining the legality of the proposed action, thus implying his own doubt. Assistant Secretary Doe is accused of having a bad case of "big head," but it is creditable to his judgment that he did not attempt to decide this question off-hand, but referred it to older and more experienced hands. Meanwhile Secretary Smith's request remains unacted upon.

If ex-President Harrison is wise he will make at least one speech in New York for his old running mate. His declining to do so has already revived among republicans who do not like the ex-president over much the gossip which followed the Minneapolis convention of '92, connecting him with the deal that shelved Mr. Morton and made Whitelaw Reid the candidate for Vice President. If he persists in declining to speak for Mr. Morton he will be certain to hear more about that gossip between now and the meeting of the national convention of his party in 1896, no matter who may be elected governor of New York this year. No Presidential candidate can afford to even appear to sulk.

Somebody made an error in announcing last week that all army officers acting as Indian agents were to be supplanted by civilians, or else the administration has in deference to public opinion changed a policy very suddenly, as an officer was this week detailed to act as Indian agent at an agency that has had a civilian agent, and it is hinted in official circles that no more civilians are to be appointed, but that army officers are to be detailed as fast as vacancies occur among the civilian agents. Some funny things happen in Washington, but they cannot always be told by a correspondent, unless he is willing to close some of his sources of valuable information relating to contemplated official acts.

Of what benefit is it to the people for the Constitution to declare that all men are born free and equal if the law-making powers enact discriminating laws which virtually contradict the declaration and in effect close to a class certain fields of industry, while the gains from them are turned over to a more favored few?

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Senator Hill is a strong and bold campaigner, and he is making a strenuous fight for success against odds which would have intimidated a less daring leader.

He found the Democratic party in the state apathetic, discouraged by the failure to redeem Democratic pledges, disgusted at the spectacle of the intimate relations between such great monopolists as Havemeyer of the sugar trust and the most influential members of the Cleveland cabinet, weary with waiting for the president to assert himself with his old-time vigor, indignant at the refusal of Democratic senators and representatives to support the income tax and other measures of Democratic reform, and scandalized to the last degree by the disclosures of the unspeakable corruption of New York municipal politics under the pantata system.

In spite of these discouragements Senator Hill has opened his campaign with such vigor that he is rallying Democrats who a little while ago seemed hopelessly disgusted and discouraged. In the face of his determined and able campaign the Republicans no longer feel the absolute assurance of victory with which they entered the field, and before they are many days older they may condescend to go to work for all they expect to get.

Senator Hill is without doubt the most resourceful and plucky political leader in New York, if not in the United States. He is meeting the first condition of success—that of deserving to win.—N. Y World.

Gold Demonetized.

Very few people are aware that gold itself has been demonetized, yet such is the case. When the mines of California and Australia began to pour into Europe a stream of yellow metal in 1849 and 1850, the money owners became frightened for fear it would become so plentiful as to make money cheap, and consequently the price of labor and its products dearer. This alarm spread throughout Europe, and many nations actually demonetized gold and made silver the standard money. Prof. Levi says:

"Frightened, and not without reason, at the possible consequences, some countries heretofore anxious to attract and retain gold in circulation, even at great sacrifice, showed a feverish anxiety to banish it altogether. In July, 1850, Holland demonetized the gold ten florin piece and the Guillame. Portugal prohibited any gold from having current value except the English sovereign. Belgium demonetized her gold circulation (that is, repealed the laws making it legal money.) Russia prohibited the export of silver, and France, alarmed but less hasty, issued a commission to look into the matter."

In 1855 Germany demonetized gold and made silver the only legal money. Even in England numerous cabinet meetings were held to consider the advisability of doing the same thing. Silver has been demonetized here for exactly the same reason. When will the people learn where their interest lies?

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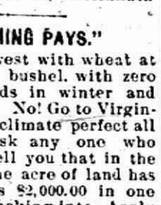

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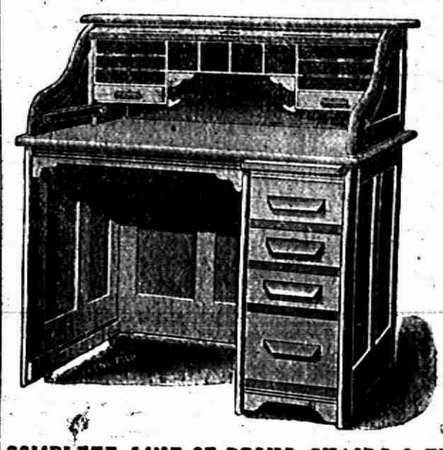

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His First Business Success.

The democratic candidate for governor likes to recall his early struggles in Hillsdale county, where he was born and where he spent his boyhood days. In those times he showed much

HON. S. O. FISHER.

of the same spirit that has made him the conspicuous citizen he is in this district. The first money he earned was from peddling milk. Next he was a porter in a general store. His wages were only five dollars a week, and at the outset he determined that some day he would see his own name on the sign over the door. Circumstances changed this determination and made him a partner in another store before he was twenty-five years of age, and it was while conducting this store, that he made his first bold strike. A railroad line had been surveyed from Hillsdale to Ypsilanti, and bids for building it were solicited. Young Fisher saw a chance to open up a new line of trade for his store. Though he didn't have the remotest idea of how to build a railroad, he underbid the experienced contractors for the first twenty-five miles out from Hillsdale. The young contractor adopted a system of paying wages in part in orders on his own store. He fulfilled his contract, which netted him about $30,000.

This was capital enough for him to engage in lumbering, which he had for some time been ambitious to do, and at twenty-six he came into the Bay district, took up a tract of pine some eight miles east of Bay City and built a small sawmill at what came to be known as Fisherville. There was no way to get his lumber to a market except with teams, and many a load he himself brought over the rough road to Bay City with oxen. Those were days when the lumber industry was flourishing, and it wasn't many years before Mr. Fisher came to be numbered among the leading operators of the region.

Mr. Fisher at Home.

Mr. Fisher's home, Elm Place, on the west side of West Bay City, is familiar to delegates of the State Press association, as well as to the delegates that have attended conventions of every kind of state organizations that have been held in Bay City for some years past. Just before he built it he said he was half-inclined to move to Detroit, but the Bay district was where his interests lay. It had always been loyal to him, and there, in his expressive words, he decided to drive his stakes and remain. During all state gatherings at Bay City the house is open for an informal reception to the delegates, and the townspeople will tell you that whenever there is a reception at the Fisher home you don't have to remain away because you can't afford to wear a dress suit.

Mr. Fisher is a man of domestic tastes, and when not engaged with his business affairs can usually be found with his family at his home, which comprises, besides Mrs. Fisher, three daughters, the eldest, Miss Grace Fisher, having recently graduated from an eastern seminary. He is a regular attendant, with his family, of the Presbyterian church.—Detroit Evening News.

Another Object Lesson.

The Ionia Standard contains the following object lesson on the effects of free wool:

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Will Gov. Rich Kindly Explain?

Will Gov. Rich kindly abandon the scheme of conducting the state campaign on national issues for a sufficient length of time to explain the scandals and the extravagances that have been the only distinguishing features of his administration?—Detroit Free Press.

RALLY TO THE STANDARD.

No Good Reason Why the Democrats Should Play a Losing Game.

In facing a critical situation it is folly to ignore the dangers which it is imperative to overcome before victory is possible. It is useless to disguise the fact that the chief if not the only obstacle to a repetition of the democratic triumphs in 1890 and 1892, is apathy. The people appreciate the evils of McKinleyism as much now as then. The fallacies of high protection are as apparent to them as ever, and the disasters for which it is responsible have multiplied. Harrison's administration which impoverished the resources of this country, and the notorious Reed congress that made the nearest possible approach to partisan absolutism, do not strike the country any more favorably now than they did when chafing under the blundering policy of the one and the tyranny of the other.

Basing the conclusion upon the actions of democratic conventions in every part of the union, President Cleveland is personally stronger with the people than ever before during his remarkable career. They have no more confidence in the republican party or in republican principles than they had when they elected a democratic president and a democratic congress in 1892. Their intelligence and wide-awake interest in national affairs will not permit them to be hoodwinked by the republican claim that the financial stringency and attendant depression were the result of placing the democratic party in control at the dictation of the greatest popular vote ever received by a party aspiring to the management of national affairs.

From every quarter the testimony is that better times are at hand and that there is a universal revival of business which means in the future the restoration of general prosperity. There is every reason then that the democrats of the country be loyal in their allegiance and active in their efforts to retain the supremacy which came to them in such an overwhelming expression of favorable public sentiment. All over the country most deserving men have been nominated to the national house of representatives, and in that body the unshaken loyalty of democracy to its pledges is conceded. It there vindicated the confidence reposed in it by the people, and every congressional candidate now in nomination by the party should receive its undivided support.

In the state we have a ticket to which the party should rally in united and determined support. To indorse the scandals and extravagances of the current administration by giving it a further lease of power, while rejecting the claims of those whom the democratic state convention placed in nomination, would be for the party to stultify itself and to disregard the best interests of the state. In Wayne county there has been presented as strong and clean a ticket as ever went before the people for their indorsement. No democrat can say aught against it. It reflects the highest credit upon the party which placed it in nomination and which now owes it a vigorous, determined and winning support. The party is in full command of the situation and for it to sacrifice its opportunity would be little less than treason. Let every democrat do his duty.—Detroit Free Press.

DISHONEST TWADDLE.

The Ridiculous Kind of Cant the Republican Party Is Relying on for Success.

The down-town calamity organ tries to raise a partisan cry about cedar being on the free list, and says that "this will practically kill the business in Alpena," and then modifies the claim by adding: "at least for this winter."

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Will the calamity howler please give the above figures and facts to his readers?—Alpena Argus.

That Banner at Ionia.

An immense banner bearing the legend: "Our factories are all running night and day; the result of the Wilson bill," greeted the eyes of Gov. McKinley in Ionia. And the banner told the truth. To counteract that truth, Mr. McKinley raised the English bogey and proceeded to demonstrate to the Ionia workmen that they were in the last throes of bankruptcy.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

Crump's Composition.

We now know who wrote Crump's composition. It was the chap who is traveling with him and sending back glowing accounts of Crump's triumphal progress and the enthusiasm of the people over the reading of the composition. Only Macduff could "lay on" in such language.—Bay City Times.

Not So Angry as to Refuse an Advance.

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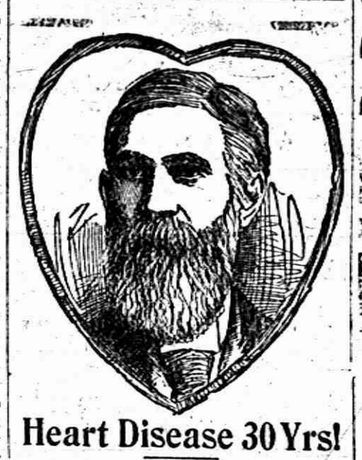

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The Tecumseh Herald.

BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

Issued Every Thursday Morning.

The Hay Question.

The following communication from a prominent citizen of Palmyra gives a few inside facts in regard to the price of hay, which will be of interest to the farmers:

PALMYRA, MICH., Oct. 30, '94.

EDITOR HERALD:—

I noticed in the Adrian Times an article on the hay question, and was surprised to think that any one would make such a statement, to mislead people for political purposes.

I am shipping a little hay from southern Michigan and Ohio, and know that I am selling hay now only fifty cents less than in the month of July, and that is the same price I have sold it for in past three months. I am paying $7.50 per ton for loose hay now, and paid $8 in July, and have had hay in Boston market every week for the past year, and have sold no hay for $12 per ton in Boston market.

And now a few words regarding Canadian farmers. Mr. Roche claims Canadian farmers can sell their hay at $6 per ton and make more money than American farmers can at $10, because the Canadian farmer does not pay out money for labor, but they club together and make their own hay, raise their own tobacco, and therefore have no use for money. Does that sound sensible to think that farmers have no expenses? Doesn't it cost to exchange works? Can hay stand when fit to cut, and wait for neighbors to change about? And concerning freight and tariff, I will say that when the McKinley bill took effect the Canadian railroads reduced their freight rates, and as soon as the Wilson bill took effect, I am informed that they have added 80 cents per ton on their rates, that only leaving a difference of $1.20 a ton between the McKinley and Wilson bills. According to Mr. Roche's statement, hay dropped $4 per ton on account of fifteen hundred cars of Canadian hay in Boston within three weeks. I will state that there were only sixteen hundred cars, all told, in Boston in the first three weeks of September, and about two-thirds of that number was American hay, and 231 cars of Canadian hay, went through in bond and exported from Boston, are also to be deducted from 1600 cars.

Now my opinion in regard to the hay market is, there being such a drought we commenced to bale and ship one month earlier than ever before, and new hay was on the market long before the old crop was cleaned up, and caused the market to weaken the latter part of July (instead of all at once in September), and an overrun market every week caused prices to gradually decline, and while we do not look for any very high prices, we look for a stronger market, as wheat being so low for the past few years caused a greater acreage of hay to be raised, therefore greatly increasing the supply. While the demand or consumption has gradually decreased, both by electricity and bicycles, and last year there being a short crop in foreign countries we exported a great deal of hay and still had lots of old hay held over, and we produced one-fourth more hay in Lenawee county for shipment this year than we did two years ago. Then how do we expect to get as high prices as we did last year with a large foreign demand? We do not expect to buy hay at $4 per ton, as Mr. Roche does, (and if what we hear is true, has bought for even less,) but we do expect to pay $7.50 a ton, and no less. I make this statement, not for political purposes, but only for the benefit of the farmers, and to right an injustice, in my opinion. H. H. DUBOIS.

OBITUARY.

Little Ruth Tilden, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tilden, bid farewell to the sorrow and tribulation of this earthly life and went to meet her Savior on Tuesday, Oct. 2d, '94. She was a lovely child and the idol of her parents. She lacked but four days of being fourteen months old, when called home.

When we see the precious blossom,
That we tended with such care,
Rudely taken from our bosom,
How our hearts almost despair!
Round its little grave we linger,
Till the setting sun is low,
Feeling all our hopes have perished
With the flowers we cherished so.

Bertis Westcott, son of Hiram H. Westcott, who has been in feeble health for several weeks, departed this life on Friday last, at the home of his father in this village, being 20 years and 10 months old. Bert's health had never been very rugged, but he was a very ambitious boy and had kept about his daily avocations until a few days prior to his death. The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at his father's residence on Pottawatamie street and was attended by a very large concourse of sympathizing friends. The W. R. C. were present in a body and brought beautiful floral offerings. The obsequies were in charge of the "Baptist Nine," of which the deceased was a worthy member. Rev. B. A. Smith spoke words of consolation to the mourners, and the remains were deposited in our beautiful evergreen cemetery. His death is a sad blow to his father, brothers and sisters who are left behind, but they are consoled by the fact that their loss is Bert's eternal gain.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement, the loss of our beloved son and brother, we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks. Words fail to express the gratitude we feel.

MR. AND MRS. H. H. WESTCOTT AND FAMILY.

SETTLING THE ISSUES.

Questions Which Should Be Disposed of Outside of Politics.

Record of Rascality and Extravagance of Present State Officials Should Be Condemned at the Polls by Voters Irrespective of Party.

In a communication to the Detroit Free Press W. S. H. Welton, a citizen of Owosso, presents so clearly and forcibly the duty of every respectable voter in Michigan that we reproduce it complete. He addresses himself to "the honest, fair-minded voters of Michigan, irrespective of party.

"For the first time in the history of our state you are called upon to meet an issue which ought to be disposed of outside of politics. The question, are public servants to be held to their legal and moral responsibility to the people, is to be decided at the polls.

"Within the last two years a spectacle of official depravity and neglect of official duty in state officers has developed well calculated to arouse the indignation of a law-abiding community. A conspiracy to override the will of the people by falsifying the election records and looting the public treasury has been brought to light that calls upon the moral sentiment of the country for condemnation and rebuke. What is your duty and the remedy for this deplorable condition of state affairs? Three members of the present state administration have been charged with and indicted by a grand jury for the commission of crime and conspiracy, which a trial by an impartial jury would consign to a felon's cell for a term of years. Not only this, but the governor himself is justly charged with the criminal neglect of a clearly-defined official duty, which had he conscientiously performed would have rendered the crimes of his subordinates impossible.

"Farmers, mechanics and laboring men of all classes, professional men and Christian gentlemen, you whose sacred honor is your business capital, ministers of the Gospel whose duty it is to rebuke sin wherever found, what is your duty and how do you propose to meet this moral issue?

"With brazen effrontery these public servants, with the unquestioned evidence of their guilt confronting them, refuse to restore their ill-gotten gains to the public treasury. With unparelleled impudence they ask the voters of Michigan what they are going to do about it. Fellow-voters, it is this important question that we are called upon to answer at the polls in November. What is our duty in regard to it? The renomination of Gov. Rich fills the public mind with the fear that should he be elected similar schemes of robbery and wrong may be made possible through his incompetency or lack of official vigilance.

"It was the political outlook from a moral standpoint that sent James M. Turner into political retirement four years ago. The same moral sentiment at this time should send John T. Rich to keep him company. Fellow-freemen, when you enter the polling booth to prepare your ballots, remember the duty you owe to yourselves and your state, and, acting according to your convictions, you will make no mistake.

"W. S. H. WELTON."

PROSPECTS BRIGHT.

What a Lieutenant Governor Says Regarding the Democratic Prosperity.

A Grand Rapids gentleman, just returned from a business trip in Indiana, reports Lieut. Gov. Nye of that state as saying: "If the election had taken place six weeks ago, the republicans would have had a very substantial victory. So great has been the change, however, under the workings of the new tariff law, that the democrats are sure of success; and, if we had six weeks more of campaign, the republicans would hardly know that they were running." Similar reports from all directions. The community at large is influenced, more or less, in political action by the existing condition of business. At present, that condition has reached a point of prosperity and of promise that the results of democratic national legislation are seen and recognized. The immediate effect is to increase democratic prospects of success. If there were to be six weeks more of the campaign, the Fifth district would elect Gen. Rutherford by an overwhelming majority. As it is, his prospects are improving every day. —Grand Rapids Democrat.

Somewhat Embarrassing.

One of the republican organs which find it hard to make news pages agree with editorial pages as to the business situation is the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. "At no time during the past year," says that paper's summary introducing business matters, "have the conditions been more favorable and the indications for a general improvement in the immediate future better than at the present time." This must be somewhat embarrassing to the editor who has been preaching that ruin must inevitably follow the enactment of the democratic tariff.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

The Best Vindication.

Hon. Spencer O. Fisher has made such a declaration of principles as leaves no doubt as to his position on the questions raised by his accusers. This unfortunate episode in the midst of his campaign should rally the loyal members of his party more strongly to his support. He has been maligned and the best vindication that can now be given him will be the united indorsement of the democratic party.—Detroit Free Press.

Republicans Without an Argument.

"Every idle factory is an invincible argument in favor of republican principles," says the Eagle. There is not an idle factory in Grand Rapids to-day and several of the factories are running overtime. The republicans are without an argument.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

THE GREAT SALE CONTINUES.

Thousands Attending the Greatest Slaughter Sale Ever Known in the State Of Michigan.

AT NO. 4, MONROE AVENUE, DETROIT.

Never in the history of Detroit commerce has any event produced such a wide-spread sensation as the New York Bankrupt Sale, making nearly one-quarter of a million dollars worth of merchandize thrown upon the market at 27 cents on the dollar. All the stock has now arrived from New York, and is now attracting the multitudes to No. 4, Monroe Ave. Detroit. If you want to secure some of these bargains, you must come to this great sale at once. Don't miss it if you are in want of a fine fall or winter suit or overcoat at 27 cents on the dollar of the manufacturer's cost. This is without exception one of the choicest selected stocks of fine tailor and ready-made clothing ever placed on public sale, and everybody should take advantage of such an opportunity. Mr. R. P. McCarthy, assignee of the Bankrupt Clothing Co., has been appointed by the court to dispose of the stock, and a guarantee is given that every article is exactly as represented or money refunded. It will pay you to come one hundred miles to attend this great bankrupt sale. The sale will continue from day to day until all is sold, and remember all must be sold and the entire stock will be sacrificed without reserve.

Following are a few of the many thousands of bargains offered at this great sale.

Read price list and description of goods carefully and bring this list with you for comparison.

2,000 men's dark and light Cassimere Suits that sold at $6 and $7 now going for $1.89.

Men's fine Cheviot Suits, former price $10 and $12, at this sale for $3.95.

Men's extra fine all wool Sack or Cutaway Suits, plain colors or fancy mixtures, former selling price $15, now being slaughtered at $6.87.

Men's fine Clay Worsted and Tricot, in sack, Regent, cutaway or Prince Albert suits, former price from $20 to $28, go at this sale for $8.36 and $10.25.

1,500 men's heavy overcoats, former price $6, now going at $1.85.

800 men's Storm King Ulsters, former price $8, now selling at $2.37.

Men's fine Dress Ulsters, all wool Chinchilla and Beavers, former price from $10 to $18, now selling from $4.15 to $6.75.

An elegant line of men's fine Kersey, Meltons and Beaver Overcoats, worth from $15 to $22. These beautiful and elegantly finished garments are in all the new styles and fashionable patterns and will be sacrificed at one-quarter the cost of manufacturing them. Also about 2,000 boys' and children's overcoats in all styles that formerly sold from $2.50 to $12, now going at from 89c to $3.95.

Men's good heavy working pants, former price $1.25, now go for 59c.

Men's Cassimere dress pants, former price $2.50, now going for 98c.

Men's fine all wool pants in fine Cassimere and fancy worsted, former price $7, now being sacrificed at $2.27.

Children's Knee Pant Suits that sold at $2 go at this sale for 49c.

Boys' Long Pant Suits that sold at $5 now selling for $2.15.

Boys' Fine Suits in Cheviot and Tricot goods, age from 13 to 18 years, former price $9, now selling for $4.35.

3,000 Children's knee pants at 17c.

1,500 Children's knee pants, all wool Cassimere, at 49c.

Men's fine stiff hats, former price $1.50, now selling for 59c.

Men's fine fur stiff hats, all the latest styles, formerly sold from $2 to $4, now selling for $1.15.

Men's fine soft hats, all shapes and styles, former price from 75c to $3, now selling at from 25c to $1.

3,000 boys' fall caps and hats will be slaughtered at 19c.

2,000 men's and boys' working shirts at 17c.

1,000 unlaundered white linen shirts at 29c.

800 fine laundered dress shirts at 42c.

Men's good, strong socks, 4c per pair.

Men's fine dress socks in black and light colors, former price 35c, now selling for 13c.

Men's fine, strong overalls, 24c.

Men's good suspenders, 9c.

Men's, fancy silk web suspenders former price 50c, now selling for 19c.

Men's fine linen handkerchiefs, 6c.

2,000 splendid umbrellas, former price from $1.50 to $3.50, now being slaughtered at from 49c to $1.25.

5,000 pieces men's and boys' fall and winter underwear in fine balbriggan, natural wool and scarlet flannel, will be sold at 25c on the dollar of the cost of manufacturing.

500 dozen men's linen collars at 5c.

500 dozen men's linen cuffs at 9c.

200 dozen men's all wool socks, former price 50c, now going at 22c.

1,000 dozen men's and boys' fine neckwear in all styles, shapes and colors, will be slaughtered at one-quarter the manufacturer's cost.

An immense line of men's fall and winter caps in fine silk plush and all wool cloths, will be closed out at 25c on the dollar.

1,000 men's Rubber Coats, warranted strictly waterproof, formerly sold at $3.50, now being slaughtered at $1.48.

750 men's elegant Macintosh Cape Coats being closed out at $3.85, $4.37 and $5.50, formerly sold at $8, $10 and $14.

Remember there are 20,000 other bargains which, for the want of space, cannot be mentioned.

A large force of polite salesmen have been engaged to meet the rush so that all can be waited on promptly.

In order to close out this stock as soon as possible the assignee offers special inducements to out-of-town people, namely: Every customer after making purchase of $10 will present this coupon at the desk and railway fare will be paid one way, but not to exceed sixty miles distance from Detroit; and to purchasers of $18 or over their railway fare will be paid both ways.

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Moses Long moved his household goods to Onsted yesterday.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner is suffering from an attack of neuralgia.

J. B. Coller gave one of his graphophone concerts at Holloway last evening.

Wm. Wight & Co., decorators of Detroit, are at work on the walls of Masonic Hall.

Ed. F. Kirchgessner spent Saturday and Sunday at Grand Rapids. He thinks it a busy, hustling city.

Miss Mabel Hayden leaves the first of the week for Austin, Texas, where she has an engagement to teach music.

Orr & Temple's store contained an elegant assortment of chrysanthemums yesterday from Smith's green house, Adrian.

Will Ross and Harry Lee met with quite a loss recently at Richmond, Va. Their trunks were broken open and their clothes stolen.

The new hose cart, recently built by Elliott & Smith for the fire department, was given a test Monday afternoon. It worked like a charm.

Saturday, when making your purchases of meat for Sunday, drop into Mitchell & Clark's new meat market, two doors west of Avery & Co.'s. They will be able to suit you.

The remains of Mrs. Frances H. Pittman, who died at the home of a daughter in Peru, Ind., Sunday, October 28th, were brought here for interment. Mrs. Pittman was 77 years of age and one of the oldest residents of Tecumseh. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Corey, on Logan street, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating.

A. D. Hall was honored at the meeting of the Lenawee County Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, last Monday, by being elected president. This, to him, must be very gratifying, coming as it did unsought. He was not at the meeting. Mr. Hall was its first president and has always been a zealous and active worker and richly deserves this expression of confidence and appreciation.

The reception given last evening at the Armory in honor of the "We Nine," was one of the neatest parties ever given in Tecumseh. While not on so elaborate a scale as some, everything was tastily arranged. The rooms were made very attractive and every detail carefully looked after by those having it in charge. Miss Gertrude Bray, of Adrian, presided at the piano, which was placed in the center of the room, and E. F. Kirchgessner did the calling for the square dances. About thirty-five couples were present. Those from out of town were Miss Louisa VanDe Mark, of Clinton; Messrs Roy Auchampaugh, Robert Thompson, James Cornelius, George Rose, and Miss Maggie Knapp, of Adrian. The duties of Mesdames Hicks, Woodward, Tiffany and Hardenburg were admirably performed. Elegant refreshments were served in the rooms below. Mrs. Ed Rowland was caterer, and had the supervision of things generally.

High School Happenings.

A pleasant shower Tuesday.

Philosophy class in the midst of compound machinery this week.

Frank Stead delivered an excellent oration last Monday morning.

J. H. Goff and Glen Jackson were absent part of Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Smith called at the office last Monday morning.

Chas. McIntyre entered school Monday.

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e Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., NOV. 1, 1894

CAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

want some wood at once.

. Keyes was in Clinton over Sun-

Arnold visited Manchester Tues-

J. Orr made a business trip to
edo Monday.

Miss Lyle, of Adrian, was calling on
ends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Bordine spent
day with Adrian friends.

and Mrs. John T. Clark, of Clin-
were in town yesterday.

Will Hayden and mother were up to
Sand Lake cottage Saturday.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, was
lling on Tecumseh friends Monday.

Mrs. H. D. Cutting and Mrs. Bert
derson were Clinton callers Monday.

Several of our people attended Epis-
pal services at Clinton Sunday even-
g.

Turnout next week and give Co. C, a
t by attending Stacy's World's Fair
ctures.

During the month of November the
rvices at St. Peter's Episcopal church
ill be in the evening.

George R. Wendling, the celebrated
cturer, will open the Tecumseh Star
ourse Monday evening, Nov. 12th.

The reserved seat sale for Wendling's
ecture will open Friday morning, Nov.
th, at 8 o'clock, at Kirchgessner's.

Fifteen or twenty persons from here
ttended the county convention of the
hristian Endeavor societies held Tues-
ay at Blissfield.

McClure's and Kennedy & Roger's
indows are very tastely decorated in
reen in honor of Green Turtle tobacco
hich they have for sale.

A week ago Saturday, Oct. 20, Vir-
nia Moody was granted a divorce
om Charles on the grounds of drunk-
ness and extreme cruelty.

Quite a number of our music loving
itizens braved the storm of Monday
ight and attended the Perry concert
t Clinton. They felt amply paid for
heir trouble.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt and sister Gussie
arlingame, who have been visiting
atives and friends here, left Monday
r their home in Cadillac. Miss B.
ho has been so poorly, is rapidly con-
alescing.

C. F. Wasson, wife and child, of
ackson, were the guests of Mr. and
rs. George Knapp Monday. Mr. Was-
on is city editor of the Jackson Patriot.
eing a newspaper man of course he
aid the HERALD office a call.

Grand Lecturer Arthur M. Clark holds
Masonic school of instruction at
drian to-day. The Hudson Lodge ex-
mplifies the 1st degree and Tecumseh
odge the 2d. in the afternoon. In the
vening Adrian Lodge confers the 3d.
egree. A large delegation of the
rethren from here are in attendance.

Cut flowers, of the different seasons,
re received twice a week, and to order,
t the Tecumseh Green House. Ladies
nd Gentlemen are requested to call
nd see the stock on hand, and if they
o not find what they want it will be
rdered at very reasonable prices for
hem. Floral designs, set pieces etc.,
specialty.

Horatio Keyser returned from his
astern trip Saturday. His sister, Mrs.
eo. W. Stacy and her daughter, Mrs.
elia Frasher of Buffalo, accompanied
im. During his Buffalo visit he had
he satisfaction of hearing Senator
David B. Hill. Mr. Keyser says, there
was a great outpouring of the people
nd that Senator Hill is a great plat-
form orator.

At St. Peter's church last Sunday
during the Sunday School hour there
was a catechism contest and two prizes
awarded. Ralph and Willie Hollister
each repeated the entire catechism
without prompting and did not miss a
word, so they jointly received the first
prize which was a fine book, Story of
Jesus, illustrated by Canon Farrar.
Ida Hunt was the next and received a
fine Bible. These contests will occur
from time to time. The infant classes
will have a similar one the first Sunday
in December.

What the newspapers say of Wend-
ling;

Atlanta, Ga. Constitution—Magnifi-
cent.

Buffalo N. Y. Commercial—Genuine
eloquence.

Brooklyn, N. Y. Eagle—Masterly
analysis.

Chicago Tribune—An orator of great
power.

Detroit Free Press—Thrilling elo-
quence.

Keokuk, Ia., Gate City—A wonderful
orator.

Louisville Courier Journal—A great
orator.

Philadelphia Press—A house spell-
bound.

Pittsburg Gazette—Complete and mas-
terly.

Quincy, Ill. Herald—Never equalled
here.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat—A born
orator.

Toledo O. Blade—Irresistible—no su-
perior.

Utica, N. Y. Herald—The best of the
course.

See Stacy's Snap Shots at the Armory next week.

Satterthwaite Bros have a revised edition of their advertising space this week.

The Chicago Clothing Co. have a change of card in to-day's paper, which all should read.

Mary Brown and friend Miss Grassman, of Adrian, were calling on Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Spencer Lester, of Detroit, is visiting his mother in Raisin, and other friends in this vicinity.

We would call attention to Dr. E. Hause's new add. in this issue. He has something of interest to all.

The Roller Skating season opened very auspiciously Saturday evening. There was a large attendance.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher and guest, Mrs. Jas. Rue of Battle Creek, visited Mrs. Bert Tate of Clinton, Thursday last.

Subjects for Nov. 4th in the Universalist church: Morning—All Souls Holy. Evening—What we owe to our State.

Attention farmers! Sure cure for roup in chickens and turkeys. Enquire of ORR & TEMPLE.

Next Sunday night at the M. E. church, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Young Women and Their Rights."

Friends Church special services still continue and are growing in interest daily. All are cordially invited to attend.

The latest advices from Manchester are that there is no small pox in the village. All the cases are about four miles in the country, mild cases and doing well.

Several from here went to Detroit Monday to hear Vice President Stevenson. They report a grand time, also that the Democrats are not all dead nor sleeping.

Co. C. held a special election last Tuesday evening and chose Sergt. Farley as 2d Lieutenant to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieut. Ross.

Does it pay to advertise? We should think so. Last week we advertised two shawls lost. Before the paper was hardly out one was produced and the other appeared yesterday.

The Geo. Oliver auction, which was announced for last Tuesday was postponed, on account of the rain, until Friday, Nov. 2d, at one o'clock p. m. on the Beecher Lighthall farm, east of Britton.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather Monday, a large number visited M. Osborn at the Richard's building to investigate the Kennedy Impacted air treatment. Remember it will be administered free the balance of the week from 9 to 11 a. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m.

The Democrats will hold their final rally of the campaign, next Saturday evening, at Sutton's opera house. Mark W. Stevens, of Flint, will address the people. He is a very fine stump speaker, and our citizens should give him a rousing house.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a social at the residence of Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Friday eve. Nov. 2d. Light refreshments will be served. No admittance will be charged. A freewill offering will be made by those desiring.

Last night Blissfield's new opera house presented a brilliant picture, the occasion being a dancing party under the auspices of the Blissfield orchestra. All the society young people were present, besides many from Hudson, Adrian and Tecumseh, who were invited to a 6 o'clock dinner given by Miss Lucy Bliven.

No person can read the endorsements of Sousa's Band, by musicians, press and people, without the inevitable conclusion that the band is without an existing peer, and that no music lover can afford to miss its concert to be given in Adrian, Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th. Bandmaster Sousa has fifty perfect musicians, and his vocal artist is equally renounced and equally great, and the combination is one which can hardly be resisted by the music lover, the critic, or the average popular audience.

Ordination services will be held at the Universalist church for three days, beginning Nov. 12th to ordain Rev. E. C. Andrus. Below is the program as thus far arranged:

MONDAY, Nov. 12th, 7:30 P. M.
Sermon by Rev. Walter A. Taylor, of Jackson.

TUESDAY, Nov. 13th, 2 P. M.
Council in session. 7:30 P. M. Platform meeting. "What is the Mission of the Universalist Church?" Rev. H. L. Thornton, of Lapeer.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 13th, 2:30 P. M.
Sermon by Rev. Lee S. McCollister, of Detroit. 7:30 P. M. Ordination service.

The Demorest Medal contest at the opera house Friday night, called out a large attendance, and the exercises proved very satisfactory. Mrs. Wm. Smith, the President, presided. Mrs. J. P. Varner read the scripture lesson and Mrs. Doctor Hamilton offered prayer. The following were the contestants Grace Bryant, B. C. Day, Cora Austin, Mabel Smith, Frank Osborn and Ella Fowler. The music was furnished by the Prohibition Glee Club, White Ribbon Chorus and Social Concert Orchestra. The judges were A. W. Slayton, Mrs. Geo. Knapp and Miss Chase. Miss Cora Austin was the successful one and received the medal, which was presented by Rev. J. P. Varner in a very neat little speech.

Next Tuesday is election day.

Avery & Co. have a change of ad. this week.

Mr. Chas. Silvers and wife spent Sunday with F. A. McNeil's family.

Remember the Sousa band Concert next Monday afternoon at Adrian.

Give Co. C, a lift next week by patronizing Stacy's Snap Shot Story.

Miss Alice Sisson entertained callers from Clinton last Saturday evening.

The Oliver and Lighthall auction was postponed until to-morrow afternoon.

Mrs. N. H. Kimball, of Adrian, is visiting Mrs. C. A. Stacy and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, of Deerfield, came up last Sunday to attend Bert Wescott's funeral.

Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter Lelia of Ridgeway, attended the funeral of Bert Wescott last Sunday.

The election returns will be given next Tuesday evening at the Armory at the close of the snap shot lecture.

Sousa's unrivalled band will give a Concert next Monday afternoon at Adrian. It ought to draw a big crowd.

Tilson Bryan and wife, James Kennedy and wife, and Mrs. Ed. Bryan, called on George E. Sisson and family Saturday of last week.

A private letter from Harry T. Martin of Chicago, shows that he is pegging right along on the highway of prosperity. Glad to hear good news from him.

At the annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Fire Ins. Co. held last Monday at Adrian, A. D. Hall, of Tecumseh was chosen President. This is an excellent selection.

The Every House at Addison has been recently leased by John Kelsey, who has refurnished it throughout and invites the public patronage. Hack and sample room free.

Mr. Bice has put a lunch counter in the City Bakery, and will hereafter serve warm lunches, consisting of tea and coffee, oysters, pigs feet, pickled tongue, cakes, pies, etc., at all hours of the day.

The quarterly tea meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church has been deferred one week on account of the district meeting to be held at Saline, Nov. 6th and 7th.

Next Saturday is registration day. All new residents must register to entitle them to vote next Tuesday. All first voters must also register. The registration board will meet at the Council building.

Dr. H. B. Catlin, of Grand Rapids, reports occasionally and his old Tecumseh friends will be glad to learn that his practice is growing with his experience, and that he is attaining a fine professional reputation in that city.

G. William Gust, the democratic candidate for county treasurer was in town Monday, getting acquainted. His home is in Morenci and he will doubtless make a big run in that section of the county where he is best known.

S. C. Stacy will give his Snap Shot entertainment at Armory Hall, for the benefit of Co. C, next week Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, Nov. 6, 7, and 9. For further particulars see posters and programs. The election returns will be given at the close of the lecture on Tuesday evening.

John Kendrick Bangs' quaint humor is to enliven the pages of The Ladies' Home Journal with a series of twelve articles depicting the club talk of four men about woman's affairs. Mr. Bangs calls this club "The Paradise Club,"—"paradise," he says, "because no woman nor serpent ever entered into it."

Mr. Wm. A. Wood, of Uhrichville, O., is spending the present week with Tecumseh friends. It is ten years since he visited here, but he has changed but little in that time. He is now yard master at Uhrichville for the C. L. & W. Railway, a position of much responsibility. His wife, who has been here three weeks, will return home with him.

Mr. P. Bruner, Gen. Supt. of the C. L. & W. Railway, whose headquarters are at Uhrichville, Ohio, was in town Monday and Tuesday, having accompanied Wm. A. Wood, the two being life long personal friends. This is Mr. Bruner's first visit to the State, and he made a most favorable impression upon all who formed his acquaintance. We hope to see him again.

A Manchester special says; "The real condition of the small-pox epidemic here has been greatly exaggerated by various papers throughout the state, and erroneous reports are being heard every day. The real facts are that there is not a case of small-pox or varioloid in this village, and the village is not quarantined. The health officer reports seven cases over three miles from the village and the patients are all doing well. The quarantine on exposed persons in this village has been raised."

With the issue of October 24, American Gardening (New York City) completes its first twelve months of existence under the new management. The occasion is celebrated by the adoption of a newly designed and appropriate cover, and also by the introduction of a department with the title of "Woman's Realm." Under this heading will be found articles dealing with window gardening, care of plants in the house, recipes for the cooking of fruits and vegetables, etc. The publishers will send a specimen copy free.

Al. Lawrence was a Manchester visitor Tuesday.

Wallace B. House, of Springfield, O., is visiting his uncle Dr. O. Q. Jones and family.

Dr. G. W. Kishpaugh is assisting Mr. Osborne in administrating the impacted air treatment.

Harry Rosebrough, of Freeport, Ill., has been visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Merritt, of Detroit, were the guests of Albert Lawrence over Sunday.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Chapter No. 51 order of the Eastern Star next Thursday evening, Nov. 8th.

All music lovers should make their arrangements to attend the Sousa Band Concert at Adrian, Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th.

James Wescott, of Rocky River, Ohio, and Lester, of Rhinelander, Wisconsin, were called here on account of the death of their brother Bert.

Mrs. Anna Boice and Mrs. F. B. Wood have returned to their homes in Detroit and Adrian, after an extended visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hisley.

Word was received the last of the week that Doctor Ernest Gamble was down with typhoid fever at his home in Union Mills, Ind. His mother went to him Saturday and Alf James left Monday. The latest advices indicate a slight improvement in his condition.

Friday night the office of S. W. Temple was burglarized. Entrance was gained by prying open a window. They got but little money, about $3.00, which was in an iron box, but took away some insurance policies and other papers of no value to them. It is about time something was done to break up this petty thieving which has of late been so prevalent.

The Halloween Club, established some years ago, for what purpose is best known to the members thereof, celebrated their 7th annual meeting at the cosy residence of Misses Grace and Ora Gillespie last evening. The hours sped only too swiftly for those who were present, and after partaking of an abundance of oysters and other good things the members returned home in a manner befitting the occasion.

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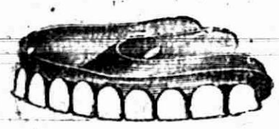

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NIGHT OF TERROR.

The Town of Portland the Scene of Hours of Lively Shooting.

PORTLAND, Oct. 28.—From midnight until nearly daybreak Saturday morning the town was in a state of terror. Revolver shots rang out frequently; the marshal was twice fired at from ambush, and half the town turned out. The trouble started on Friday in the evening when Melvin McRoberts found two strangers on his premises and drove them away. When he returned from down town he induced Marshal Copenhaven to accompany him. As the two men were passing a dark corner two shots were fired, the bullets passing through McRoberts' hat, and the two strangers that McRoberts had chased away early in the evening jumped from a dark corner. The shots aroused several citizens, who turned out to assist the marshal in rounding up the suspects. Before daylight the marshal had been fired on twice more, but with the assistance of an impromptu posse he captured Charles Stewart, Henry Wilson, Charles Clark, Fred Merrill, and Lou Noyes, all believed to be the burglars wanted at Grand Lodge. All through the night at least half the citizens of this place were either in the streets armed, or else guarding their homes and getting ready for all kinds of emergencies. Over fifty shots were fired between midnight and daylight. The men captured were all heavily armed.

DISASTER IN A MINE.

Collapse of a Roof Kills One Man—Heroic Rescue of Eleven Others.

IRONWOOD, Mich., Oct. 28.—Thursday afternoon, at the Pewabic mine, No. 1, the sandstone capping which overhung a room gave way with sufficient force to crush the timbers without any warning. The settling began in an old room above the third level, about 100 feet in height. One man was killed, and his body was soon recovered. Eleven others were entombed. The work of rescue, which was extremely difficult, began at once, as large a force as could be employed being placed in the narrow shaft to clear away the rubbish.

At 6 p. m. Friday evening the rescuers had advanced so far that the imprisoned men could be heard signaling with hammers. By 4 o'clock a. m. on Saturday it became known that all were still alive, as the rescuers were near enough to talk to them, and at 5:30 they were taken out of their living tomb.

The imprisoned men had an exceedingly narrow escape from drowning. Soon after the crash came the water rose about them until it was waist deep. A hole sufficiently large to permit the water to partly run off was drilled after much labor, but the men still suffered greatly from the cold. Not until Friday afternoon did they have real hope of rescue. Some of them assert that they have done their last mining.

KILLED A WOMAN.

Crime of a Colored Cook in the City of Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 29.—Sarah Dales, a colored woman 25 years of age, was shot through the heart and killed Sunday evening by Frank White, a colored cook from Windsor. The dead woman's husband is a teamster with a circus. White formerly lived with Mrs. Dales, and they had been discussing a claim of the woman's for a back board bill just before the shot was fired. Mrs. Dales, when shot, staggered back into the arms of a colored boarder who had witnessed the act. White started to run away, but was arrested. He claims it was all an accident.

Michigan Libraries.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 26.—At the Michigan Library association convention Mrs. Mary C. Spencer, state librarian, advocated a bill permitting state library books to circulate around the state through the local libraries. Secretary Annie F. Parsons reported that there were in the state nineteen libraries with over 10,000 books, forty-four with more than 2,000 books, seventy-seven with more than 1,000, in all 140 with more than 1,000.

Convicted Murderers Seeking Release.

LANSING, Oct. 26.—Arguments were made in the supreme court for the release of the five men convicted of the murder of Albert Molliter in Presque Isle county and sentenced to imprisonment for life in the state prison. The murder was committed in 1875. It was particularly atrocious in its details, and the trial of the convicted men one year ago attracted widespread attention.

New Lake Freight Line.

HOLLAND, Oct. 26.—A new transportation line has been organized here under the name of the Grand Rapids & Chicago [illegible] boat company, with a capital stock of $100,000. The company will establish a daily line of steamers from here to Chicago and will pool earnings with the Holland & Chicago Transportation company next season.

Sued for Infringment.

DETROIT, Oct. 29.—The National Cash Register company, of Dayton, O., has entered suit in the United States circuit court here against the Detroit Cash Register company, of this city, for infringement of valuable cash register patents.

Found Dead in Her Bed.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Catharine Vance, aged 65 years, who has lived alone in a city block for years, oftentimes with scarcely enough to eat, was found dead in bed Sunday. It is believed she starved to death.

A Victim of Apoplexy.

TRAVERSE CITY, Oct. 25.—Clarence H. Douglass dropped dead of apoplexy while in the fields. The deceased was about fifty years old and a prominent citizen and wealthy farmer.

Decatur to Vote Water Works Bonds.

DECATUR, Oct. 28.—At a special meeting of the common council it was resolved to submit to the voters a proposition to bond the city for $12,000 to build a water works plant.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Facts Gathered from Many Sources.

Public sparring matches will be prohibited in the future in Jackson.

Seven young ladies are taking a course at the Ann Arbor law school.

An Imlay City little girl caught scarlet fever from a sick cat and died.

Deer, bear and wildcats are unusually numerous in the vicinity of Mount Forest.

The state Sunday school convention will be held in Grand Rapids November 13, 14 and 15.

Matt Kelto, a Finlander, was instantly killed by falling rocks in the Colby mine at Bessemer.

The Jackson prison is so crowded that twenty-five short term convicts sleep on cots in the corridors.

Charles Grombly, a laborer on the narrow gauge railway at Fogan's Camp, was struck by a falling tree and killed.

The sum of $50,000 has gone into the pockets of farmers in the vicinity of Hillsdale as a result of the sale of their apples this fall.

William E. Quinby, United States minister to the Netherlands, has arrived for a month's visit at his home in Detroit after fifteen months' absence.

Rosa Havelik, a violent insane patient at the Northern Michigan asylum, committed suicide in her apartment by hanging herself to the window sash by sheets.

Mayer Meister, the 2½-year-old son of N. D. Meister, a Detroit grocer, at No. 290 Hastings street, was run over and killed by a beer wagon in front of the child's home.

Julius Lichtenberg, the Detroit school inspector who attempted suicide on the day his trial was to have begun, has been transferred from the hospital to the jail, having about recovered.

Charles Holman, of Shiawassee county, was elected president of the Michigan Superintendents of the Poor and Union Charity association, which held its twenty-first annual convention at Charlevoix, last week.

CREMATED HIMSELF.

Eccentric Farmer's Suicide Because His Wealth Must Be Left Behind.

ALLEGAN, Oct. 27.—John W. Warner, an aged and eccentric farmer near here, committed suicide in a strange manner because he found tha the would have to leave all his property to his daughter. His sole desire for several years has been to take all his worldly possessions with him when he died. Late Thursday night he left the home of his daughter, where he had been living, and went to a log house near by, where he formerly resided. After firing the house in several places he went inside and cut his throat. Neighbors tried to rescue him, but were unable to do so. Friday afternoon in the embers his bones were found and gathered up in a pail. Warner was worth nearly $51,000 in land and money and had been noted the country round for his strange notions.

A FINE GIFT.

University of Michigan Library Enriched by Rare Volumes.

KALAMAZOO, Oct. 29.—Hon. A. M. Todd has presented to the University of Michigan a rare set of the works of Galenus. The set comprises five folio volumes and is the "Editio Princeps," printed in Greek characters by the celebrated Venetian printer Alchis, in the year 1525. The books were originally owned by Count Helzi and were purchased by Mr. Todd in London, Eng. The books were on exhibition with his collection of ancient books and manuscrips in the liberal art department at the World's Columbian exposition, an exhibit which was awarded a medal and diploma.

Bodewig Confesses.

BATTLE CREEK, Oct. 25.—John Bodewig, the a leged chief conspirator of the Grand Trunk express train wreck of last July, has made a sensational confession regarding that affair. Bodewig was used as a witness in the examination of George W. Johnson, another alleged wrecker. Bodewig's story seems to implicate Johnson, Hall, Knowles, Jewett and Vedder. He testified, however, that none of the American Railway union leaders advised any violence as a means for winning the strike.

Hunters Fined.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Oct. 29.—The nine hunters from Illinois and Indiana arrested on a charge brought by Game Warden Brewster, of Grand Rapids, for violating the game laws in shipping vension out of the state, all pleaded guilty before Justice Miller and were fined $50 and costs. Over a ton of vension was captured. George A. Kendall, agent of the United States Express company at Sagola, was also arrested for having guilty knowledge of the shipment.

Michigan Building and Loan Associations.

LANSING, Oct. 27.—Michigan has seventy-five building and loan associations, not one of which has reported a net loss during the year past. The number of shareholders runs from 9,708, in a Detroit association, to thirty-three in a Ludington association. The real estate held by Michigan associations is valued at $5,087,137. The profits are $1,025,864.

Grand Rapids Eagle Sold.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 27.—The Herald, a morning republican paper, has purchased the Eagle newspaper property. The Eagle was sold under mortgage last week to Nelson Dingey. It was established fifty years ago and was the oldest republican newspaper in the state. It will probably be continued as the evening edition of the Herald.

Death of a Missionary.

GREENVILLE, Oct. 25.—Word was received here of the death of Henry Densmore, of Blanchard, from a stroke of paralysis. For twenty-seven years Mr. Densmore has traveled as a missionary through Upper Michigan, in the interest of the American Sunday school union.

STRUCK A NEW LEAD.

A Supposedly Worked-Out Copper Mine Gives Rich Promise.

MARQUETTE, Oct. 27.—About two months ago the directors of the Central Copper Mining company voted to permanently discontinue operations at their mine in Keweenaw county, as the vein, after a continuous productiveness for forty years, had apparently become exhausted. Orders were issued for pulling up the pumps, and the machinery was offered for sale. A few miners asked and obtained leave to work the slopes on tribute while the mine gradually filled with water. They began at the bottom and worked upward as the water rose. Recently they happened upon some very rich ground, and in following it they discovered that it was a spur of the main vein, the existence of which has been unknown. They endeavored to keep their good fortune a secret, but somehow the fact leaked out, and has just come to the ears of the company's management. This week orders were given the tributors to cease work forthwith. The machinery has temporarily been withdrawn from the market and the company will undoubtedly take steps to determine the extent and continuity of this new deposit. It is highly probable that this mine, which has already paid $2,000,000 in dividends, will soon be the scene of renewed activity, and the almost deserted village around it will be reinhabited.

DETROIT ENJOYS A FOX HUNT.

Riding Club Runs Over a Stiff Course—Winds Up with Dinner.

DETROIT, Oct. 27.—Detroit society was out to witness the long heralded fox hunt. At 1 o'clock people began to wend their way out Grand avenue to the course marked out for the hunt. At 3 o'clock vehicles of every kind lined the avenue. It is estimated there were 3,000 onlookers. The hunt was under the auspices of the Detroit Riding club, and several members of the London (Ont.) Hunting club were guests of the Detroiters. The hounds used were the property of the London club. The Canadian riders wore the regulation hunting costume, red coats, etc., while the Detroiters wore black, with velvet caps. The hounds were unleashed at 4 o'clock and in forty minutes the anise-seed brush was captured. The course was circuitous and was about 8 miles in length. There were some stiff jumps and some forty-three in all were taken. There were no accidents and all the participants were delighted with the experience. Misses Moran and Edson were the only ladies who joined in the chase, the London contingent failing to appear. The riding club entertained their London guests with a banquet in the evening.

IN SERIOUS TROUBLE.

A Michigan Postmistress and Her Son Charged with Robbery.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Addie B. Holland, postmistress at North Grand Rapids, and her son, F. Marion Holland, were arrested for robbing the North Grand Rapids post office, and held in $2,000 bail each, for examination. The alleged method of operation was for the son, F. Marion Holland, to make out money orders signed by his mother, drawn on various post offices of western Michigan payable to John Sutton, a myth. After the letter of advice had been sent, it is declared F. Marion Holland would visit the office on which the order was drawn and get the money. Grand Haven was frequently tapped, and the books show some one got $1,200. The other places which have suffered by the scheme were Sparta, Rockford, Coopersville and Ionia. The whole amount will reach $3,000 or more. After arrest the son made a full confession, detailing the whole scheme. His mother still denies any knowledge of the embezzlement. Mrs. Holland was appointed postmistress six years ago.

Output of the Mines.

ISHPEMING, Oct. 26.—Within less than a month the ore-shipping season will have closed. In fact, a large number of the vessels engaged in the ore trade will tie up for the winter on November 1, the marine insurance companies making it an object to do so. Shipments for the balance of the season will hardly exceed 350,000 tons, giving an output for the year of about 7,250,000 gross tons for the entire Lake Superior district, including the Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota mines.

Plaster Pool Reorganized.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 27.—It has been learned here the land plaster pool, which has been somewhat demoralized for the last year, was reorganized on what is intended to be a firm basis at the secret meeting of plaster and stucco manufacturers held in Chicago last week. The reorganized trust is called the Michigan & Ohio Plaster company, and the headquarters are to be in this city, with offices in Chicago, Detroit and Sandusky.

Ellis Refuses to Help Detroit.

LANSING, Oct. 27.—Attorney General Ellis has declined the request of the city of Detroit to ask the supreme court for leave to commence quo warranto proceedings against the Citizens' Street Railway company. The attorney general holds that extension of the company's franchise for thirty years was valid. The city's next step will be to appiy for a mandamus to compel Ellis to make the application.

Must Stay in Prison.

LANSING, Oct. 27.—The supreme court quashed the writ of habeas corpus Friday by which William H. Thatcher, the Henzonia wife poisoner, sought to gain his liberty. No written opinion was handed down in the case, the simple announcement being made. Thatcher may now bring his case before the court on a writ of error, but it is believed his last hope is gone.

Took His Own Life.

DECATUR, Oct. 25.—Charles Johnson, a prominent citizen of Hartford, shot himself because of financial troubles.

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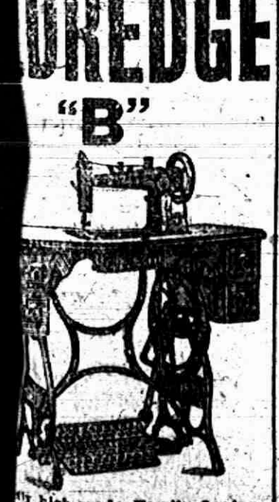
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DOMESTIC.

THE residence of Sylvester Yeagle, near Carlisle, O., was struck by lightning and consumed and Mrs. Yeagle and two children were killed and their bodies burned to ashes.

A WINDSTORM at Winfield, Kan., and the surrounding country wrecked many buildings and injured several persons. At Gueda Springs ten houses and two hotels were blown down.

STRYCHNINE was placed in the coffee at the Colusa (Cal.) county hospital by a discharged Chinaman and twenty-two persons were made ill, one of whom died.

HARRISON SMITH, of Atlanta, Ga., father of eleven children, killed himself when his wife presented him with two more.

SOCIETY women of Saginaw, Mich., organized a union and will require their servant girls to be in the house at 10 p. m.

SANFORD BALDWIN, of Hannibal Mo., ended an unhappy marital existence by killing his wife and himself.

A CONFERENCE looking to the uniting of all the iron works of the country in one organization was being held in Indianapolis.

A MAD dog bit six persons at Wichita, Kan.

ARMED bandits were said to be in practical control of Indian territory and federal aid in their suppression was asked.

THREE prisoners under sentence of death fought in the jail at Tahlequah, I. T., two of them being fatally injured.

JOHN WALTZ, an aged and well-known citizen of Cambridge City, Ind., shot and fatally injured his 2-year-old son and then himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

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JOHN P. WEED, a prominent wholesale merchant of Toledo, O., and his wife were probably fatally injured in a runaway accident.

CHAUNCEY WHEATON, a wealthy farmer of Athens, Pa., was bunkoed out of $5,000 by two sharpers.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 22d was: Wheat, 76,659,000 bushels; corn, 3,899,000 bushels; oats, 9,145,000 bushels; rye, 408,000 bushels; barley 3,068,000 bushels.

A NATIONAL organization to be known as the Federated Metal Trades of America was formed in Indianapolis with Lee Johnson, of Kansas City, as president.

SHARP earthquake shocks were felt at Los Angeles, San Diego and Campo, Cal.

THE president and his family left Buzzard's Bay, Mass., for Washington.

THE outlaws in Harlan county, Ky., have become so lawless and defiant that the authorities decided to suppress them at once.

JOHN H. DOOD, for thirty years business manager of the Courier, dropped dead at his home in Zanesville, O., of apoplexy.

AN explosion from an unknown cause wrecked a St. Louis grocery store and injured five persons, one fatally.

A COLLISION between Southern Pacific trains near Walker Station, Tex., resulted in the death of two persons and the injury of four others.

IN an action for damages Judge Field, of Louisville, Ky., decided the Pullman company was not a common carrier.

JAMES K. EDGERLY, returning to Fort Henry, N. Y., from Oklahoma, paid $1,000 for a worthless bond to two confidence men in Chicago.

RUNS on the Pittsburgh (Pa.) "discretionary pools" continued, and George M. Irwin & Co., one of the principal concerns, suspended, with liabilities of over $1,000,000.

A MYSTERIOUS disease has broken out among Arizona miners in the Cour d'Alene district. Several hundred persons have been stricken.

HELEN GRIER, of Spokane, Wash., convicted of poisoning her sixth husband, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

IN his annual report Gen. Otis urges the acquirement by the government of strategic points on Puget sound.

THE national convention of German Epworth leagues met at St. Paul with a large attendance.

CAPT. HENRY A. FORD, an educator and newspaper writer of state reputation, fell dead on a street car in Detroit.

THE Big Four railway shops at Wabash, Ind., were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of over $100,000.

CYCLIST SEARLES completed his ride from Chicago to New York in 6 days, 7 hours and 30 minutes, lowering the previous record an hour.

EBENEZER S. REEVE, a shoe dealer at Philadelphia, Pa., failed for $100,000.

THE Central hotel at Raton, N. M. burned and James La Point, James McCool and Al Kennedy, railroad men, perished in the flames.

ALONZO P. EDDY and his wife and two children were killed by the cars while driving across the Erie tracks at Watts Flats, N. Y.

ALBERT G. HARDING rode 100 miles on a bicycle at St. Louis in 4:37 4-5, a cut in the record of twenty-three minutes.

THE fishing schooner Dora A. Lawson arrived at Gloucester, Mass., from the banks and reported the loss of four of her crew.

ON a straight course at Buffalo, N. Y., John S. Johnson rode a mile on a bicycle in 1:35 2-5.

AN explosion from an unknown cause wrecked a Marion (Ind.) photograph gallery and three persons were seriously injured.

S. P. TRADES & SONS, merchants at Salt Lake City, made an assignment with liabilities of over $200,000.

STEEL men from all parts of the country met in New York to form a trust.

Hill may have privately opposed Maynard's nomination, but after the nomination he publicly defended his crime.

Judging from appearances in Tammany circles, the decision of a late much-mooted question is liable to be in favor of the lady.

CONNECTICUT savings banks notified depositors to withdraw all sums over $10,000, so as to be relieved of the income tax.

AN equestrian statue of Maj. Gen. George B. McClellan was unveiled at Philadelphia with imposing ceremony.

STERN & Co., New York shirt manufacturers, failed for $350,000 and Louis S. Stern, one of the partners, drowned himself.

THOMAS PURDY, Dayton, O., had for nearly a week been in a cataleptic trance, his body being as stiff as a poker.

CAPT. R. H. PRATT'S annual report of the Carlisle (Pa.) Indian school shows a successful year. There were 602 pupils there.

TWO MEN lost their lives in a prairie fire which swept through portions of Cherry and Grant counties, Neb., burning over a strip of country 50 miles in width and destroying hay stacks, homes, and in some instances stock.

THE president has recognized the consuls and vice consuls of the new consular service of the Hawaiian republic.

GOV. WILLIAM C. RENFROW, of Oklahoma territory, in his annual report to the secretary of the interior says the territory has a population of 250,000. The taxable valuation of the territory is $19,947,922. The governor recommends the admission of Oklahoma and Indian territory as one state.

A NEW counterfeit $5 treasury note with the Thomas head was in circulation in Rochester, N. Y.

THE eastern anthracite coal sales agents decided to advance prices twenty-five cents on stove and fifteen cents on other sizes.

FLYING JIB paced an exhibition mile in 2:03½ at Louisville, Ky.

FRED DOUGLASS addressed the American Missionary association at Lowell, Mass. He said the negro still needed a helping hand.

A UNION COUNTY (N. J.) grand jury brought in a presentment against churches and societies which run lotteries at festivals.

A DAUGHTER of Squire Hause, of Jeffersonville, Ind., who has married 3,000 eloping couples, eloped with Roy Howard and was married.

THE statistician of the United States department of agriculture has made the following cotton crop estimate: Acres planted in 1893, 19,525,000; number of bales harvested, 7,498,000.

THE sudden extinguishment of the lights caused a panic in Noble's opera house at Tiffin, O., and a number of persons were badly injured.

J. J. REITHMAN and J. J. Reithman & Co., wholesale druggists in Denver, failed for $500,000.

A TEN-ACRE tract of bone stone, a valuable mineral, has been discovered in Hardin county, Ia.

A DECREASE of $14,281,595, of which $10,000,000 is in the item of pensions, is shown by Secretary Smith's estimate of appropriations for the next fiscal year.

IT was announced that foreign officials would cooperate with the United States in keeping criminals from emigrating to this country.

ELI KROUSE and Edward Wardneese, mill-owners, were run over and killed by a train at Reelsville, Ind.

ONE man was killed and eleven others entombed by a cave-in in the Pewabic mine at Iron Mountain, Mich.

SEVEN officials of justice's courts were indicted at Denver, Col., for forging names on witness certificates and defrauding the county out of thousands of dollars.

ACCORDING to a decision rendered at Kansas City, Mo., by Assistant United States District Attorney Draffen, all laws for punishing repeaters at the polls have been repealed.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 26th aggregated $911,918,835, against $950,045,906 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 4.8.

MISS AGNES JONES, who took a claim in Oklahoma, fatally shot Sam Bartell, who had jumped the claim during her absence.

AN unknown man started prairie fires in Nebraska which destroyed several lives and a vast amount of property.

STIRRED to action by a recent murder, people of Milwaukee will close the saloons in the vicinity of the soldiers' home.

JAMES J. WOOD, a poor carpenter of Springfield, O., returned from Ireland with $200,000, his share of the estate of ancestors.

JUDGE WILLIAM BROOKS, 80 years old, one of the south's most eminent jurists, dropped dead at his home in Birmingham, Ala.

OFFICERS of the Omaha (Neb.) national bank were endeavoring to ferret out a thief who had stolen large amounts from its safety vaults.

THE post office at Roaring Springs, Pa., was robbed by unknown men, who secured 13,000 stamps and $400 cash.

THE Cunarder Lucania has again beaten herself, making a trip across the Atlantic in 5 days, 7 hours and 23 minutes, the fastest ever made.

YOUNG HAMMETT, 14 years of age, committed suicide at Columbia, S. C. Punishment by his father for excessive cigarette smoking was the cause.

LAKE LATHAM and Isaac Keebler, white caps, and Elijah Helton, their intended victim, were killed in a fight in Sevier county, Tenn.

OWING to the increase of smallpox Secretary Hoke Smith closed the entire interior department in Washington.

FIRE destroyed a warehouse of the Deering company's harvesting machine plant in Chicago, entailing a loss of $300,000.

THERE were 231 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 26th, against 258 the week previous and 352 in the corresponding time in 1893.

DANIEL MCCLINTOCK, trustee of Clifty township, Ind., worried over a shortage in his accounts until death ensued.

CAPT. J. A. MANNING, inspector of life-saving stations, dropped dead in a train at Grand Rapids, Mich.

THE annual report of Gov. Thornton, of New Mexico, submitted to the secretary of the interior, says there has been no material change in population, but a healthy growth has set in of a desirable class of immigration in almost every county of the territory, especially in the agricultural portion.

DURING a quarrel over family matters and politics at Jeffersonville, Ind., Harvey Stone fatally stabbed his brother.

ROBBERS at Malvern, Ia., wrecked the Farmers' national bank with dynamite and stole about $8,000 in cash.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY, speaking of the statement of the assistant district attorney at Kansas City that there was no law by which election frauds could be punished in United States courts, said state laws were in existence by virtue of which election frauds, whether of registration or of voting, could be punished by state courts.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MRS. HANNAH CHAFFEE, widow of Fay Chaffee, died at Adrian, Kan., aged 102 years.

J. C. DAHLMAN, democratic candidate for auditor of Nebraska, withdrew to aid in the election of his populist opponent.

MRS. MARY A. WOOLBRIDGE, general corresponding secretary of the International W. C. T. U., died at her home in Chicago.

DR. H. T. HELMBOLD, of patent medicine fame, died suddenly of apoplexy in the asylum for the insane at Trenton, N. J., aged 57 years.

COL. GARRICK MALLERY, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington. He was in charge of the signal service bureau from 1870 to 1876.

COL. CHARLES N. PINE, formerly editor of the Democrat at Princeton, Ill., died at Port Jarvis, N. Y., aged 61 years.

MRS. CHRISTIAN BORDER celebrated her 105th birthday at Lewiston, Ill. She was 10 years old when Washington died. She is in fair health.

FOREIGN.

BRIGANDS visited the ranch of Francisco Perez, near Jalositlan, Mex., and killed Mr. Perez and four of his employes. Three of the bandits were captured and shot.

A BATTLE occurred near Yi Chow and the Japanese were repulsed with a loss of 3,000 men on each side.

AN earthquake almost completely destroyed the town of Sakata, Japan. The loss of life was heavy and the loss to property enormous.

THE Swedish schooner Alene, loaded with gunpowder, was blown up off Peterhead, Scotland, and all her crew perished.

TWO WOMEN and three children were killed and twenty-seven others injured during a panic in a church at Troki, Russia, caused by a lamp upsetting.

THREE THOUSAND houses were destroyed and 200 persons killed and many injured by an earthquake in Japan.

SIX men were killed and twenty injured by an explosion on the French cruiser Arethuse while her engines were being tested.

THE sultan of Morocco ordered Muley Amin to go to Melilla with a force of soldiers to delimit the Spanish and Moorish frontier.

CHANCELLOR VON CAPRIVI and Count Botho Zu Eulenberg, of the German cabinet, tendered their resignations to Emperor William.

DISPATCHES from Wi Ju state that Japanese troops routed the Chinese with heavy loss near Fushang, on the Yalu river.

LATER.

DYNAMITERS destroyed a Hungarian boarding-house at Laural Run, Pa., killing three men and wounding four others fatally.

SIXTEEN persons lost their lives by the destruction by fire of the West Street hotel at Seattle, Wash.

A CYCLONE did great damage in the vicinity of Tonkawa, O. T. Twenty houses were wrecked and their contents scattered.

CAPT. JOHN ADAM KOCH, a retired capitalist and veteran of the Mexican war, died at his home in Dubuque, Ia.

A WAGON containing a party returning from a dance was struck by a Big Four train near Lebanon, Ind., and five of the merry-makers were killed.

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL, a Boston architect, filed insolvency papers. His liabilities were estimated at $200,000.

PRINCE HOHENLOHE-SCHILLINGSFURST has accepted the German chancellorship. He will also be premier of Prussia.

A FORCE of 17,000 Chinese was routed by the Japanese at Kiurenn, and 200 were killed and many captured.

AT East St. Louis, Ill., the Bridge and Terminal company's warehouse and 200 cars were burned at a loss of $500,000.

THE Methodists of New York celebrated the founding of the first Methodist Episcopal church in America.

THREE men were killed and nine others injured by a train collision on the Pennsylvania railroad at Corydon, Pa.

DISPATCHES from Paris announce the death at Tours of Leon Palustre, the famous archæologist.

HENRY W. MEYER, of Dayton, O., killed John J. Grimme, a neighbor and former friend, in a quarrel over a woman.

MRS. MARGARET E. EASTER, author of many popular poems, died at her home in Baltimore, aged 55 years.

PHILIP RAYMOND, of West Newton, Mass., attempted to shoot a muskrat when the gun exploded, instantly killing his wife.

FOREST fires did great damage in portions of Tennessee and Mississippi.

BY a vote of 94 to 63 the lower house of the Georgia assembly refused to consider a resolution declaring for free silver.

FIRE at Asheville, N. C., destroyed the Southern railway's freight house, the loss being $100,000.

THE home of J. S. Coxey, of commonweal fame, near Massillon, O., was destroyed by fire with all its contents, the loss being $10,000.

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As the campaign goes on, Senator Hill must regret more and more that he did not carry into effect his threat to drop everything and go to Europe.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 116 Mail.	No. 112 Express.	No. 148 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	4 40 A.M.	2 55 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon.....	5 00 "	3 20 "	1 17 "
Norvell.....	5 07 "	3 34 "	1 27 "
Manchester.....	5 25 "	3 50 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	5 40 "	4 05 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh.....	5 49 "	4 15 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	6 17 "	4 33 "	4 50 "
Detroit.....	9 50 "	6 30 "	.....
Toledo.....	7 20 "	6 40 "	10 25 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 7:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 114 Mail.	No. 112 Express	No. 148 Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	4 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 30 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 09 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton.....	12 39 "	9 53 "	7 35 "
Manchester.....	12 55 "	9 45 "	8 05 "
Norvell.....	1 10 "	10 05 "	8 45 "
Napoleon.....	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 00 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.		P. M.	
		12 25	L....Allegan.....A	2 25	
		12 55	Monteith.....	1 58	
	A. M.	1 39	Yorkville.....	1 14	A. M.
A. M.	7 20	2 07	Battle Creek.....	12 45	1 25
8 22	8 25	2 48	Marshall.....	12 14	12 33
9 11	8 53	3 46	Homer.....	11 45	11 48
11 15	9 42	3 37	Hanover.....	11 14	11 03
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison.....	10 40	10 15
12 05	10 41	4 23	Devils Lake.....	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted.....	10 14	9 36
..	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake.....	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton.....	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh.....	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway.....	9 33	8 37
2 40	12 38	5 30	Britton.....	9 08	8 10
3 40	12 14	5 35	Rea.....	9 15	*8 10
3 24	12 27	5 42	Dundee.....	9 03	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 20
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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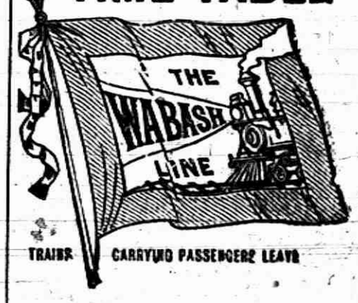

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:18 p m
‡ No. Mail and Express	4:35 p m

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:40 A. M., 11: 5 A. M., 5:12 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owosso, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadillac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Dundee,

6:20 a. m. 11:05 a. m. 5:22 p. m.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., NOV. 1, 1894.

C. D. Keyes was home over Sunday.

David Goodrich seems to be gaining slowly.

Merrell Estabrook visited the county seat Tuesday.

Roy Codling went to Blissfield Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

J. J. White is a little under the weather this week.

James Hamilton, of Detroit, visited the woolen mill Tuesday.

Patrick Murphy was in Adrian Monday and Tuesday on business.

Mrs. George A. Kies is recovering rapidly from her recent illness.

A. G. Cobb and wife, of Saline, visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

Our physicians are still kept busy vaccinating both old and young.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Freese are entertaining friends from away.

Mrs. Marjory Rose was poorly the first of the week, but is better now.

About twenty from Tecumseh attended the Perry recital Monday night.

Ed McKinney, of Tecumseh, was calling on his cigar customers Tuesday.

Clarence Mills is suffering from a fracas he recently had with his bicycle.

A. C. Huntington went to Adrian Tuesday to meet friends from the east

Miss Jennie Glassford, of Britton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Palmer.

Floyd Rogers, who has been sick at Orchard Lake, is on the road to recovery.

Several of the Tecumseh young people attended Episcopal services Sunday evening.

Miss Maggie Clarkson, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Louise VanDeMark Sunday.

Madison Lane has returned to Ann Arbor to have the balance of his eye removed.

Mrs. Anna Reed, of Rea, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer over Sunday.

Miss Laura Clark entertained a few friends at her pleasant home Friday evening last.

Mrs. John J. White has returned from Detroit, leaving her sister much improved in health.

Do not forget the chicken pie supper at the Baptist church Tuesday from five to seven o'clock.

Horace Fisk and wife have returned from their visit with friends in different parts of the state.

When the weather clears, Doc White will commence the wall for his barn. His brother will lay it.

Mrs. Delos Cutting and Mrs. Alice Anderson, of Tecumseh, were calling on friends here Monday.

B. O. Randall & Co.'s east window is elaborately trimmed in green The cause, Green Turtle tobacco.

Doctor J. E. White and family are enjoying a visit from his brother, Arthur, who lives in Isabella county.

Miss Cora Yale, who has been caring for Mrs. Kimball, returned to her home in Ann Arbor the last of the week,

The M. E. church society are contemplating purchasing a quantity of silverware for use at their suppers.

Geo. Smalley had a terrible day for his auction and consequently postponed it as it rained all the afternoon Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Hall is making preparations to join Will at Jacksonville, Ill. We understand he is well pleased with his situation.

Mr. Osborn has opened an office in the Sturm building on Jackson street, where he will administer the impacted air treatment.

Charles W. Parker is inducing quite a number to become members of the Capital Loan and Investment Association at Lansing.

B. G. Woollard, who went to Jackson Monday to hear Vice-President Adlai Stevenson, reports an immense crowd and a grand speech.

The young people of St. Dominic's Society will have a pedro party at the residence of Frank Kirchgessner next week Thursday evening.

The transformer in front of the Episcopal church must be in terrible condition, for again Sunday night the lights were constantly going out.

Rev. C. M. Stout has decided that it is not good for man to live alone and will leave Monday for Lawrenceburg, Ind. When he returns he will bring a bride with him.

We would advise our young people that while riding out, if they wish to indulge in any osculatory exercise, to keep an eye out. There may be spy-glasses leveled on them.

The senior class of the high school are endeavoring to get up a lecture course. They have over 200 tickets already sold. They hope to sell 500 as they intend to furnish a series of fine entertainments. We hope our people will encourage them in this good work. You will be amply paid for the small outlay. Let everyone take a ticket.

Considering the inclement weather, the Perry recital at the Congregational church, Monday evening, was well attended, although the society did not quite pay expenses, about $40 being the receipts. Those who did attend were highly entertained, for this musical genius is something wonderful. It was too bad that it was so rainy for it is not often our people have an opportunity of hearing so accomplished an artist.

A party of young men, consisting of Will Every, Earl Conklin, Will Barnsdale and George Wilson, left Tuesday noon for Cheboygan county on a hunting expedition. They have been contemplating this trip for some time and expect to be gone from four to six weeks. Judging from the preparations made, the game will have to suffer. Just why the boys took Barnsdale's little dog seems a mystery to many. The boys will no doubt have a grand, good time, and they deserve to, as they have worked hard and long, and this experience will be a pleasant change for them.

In next week's issue we will have a fitting obituary for Mrs. Jennie Kimball, whose death occurred Saturday, Oct. 27th.

Regular meeting of Clinton Lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M., Saturday evening, Nov. 3d. and of Golden Rod Chapter No. 85 order of the Eastern Star, Wednesday Eve. Nov. 7th.

Christopher Theeke and wife had an experience Friday evening they do not care to have repeated. As they were returning home and near Belding Mills, the horse was frightened at something and wheeled around, upsetting the carriage and spilling them out. The horse then ran violently back to and through town. Mr. Theeke, with Peter Gragg, who came along, went east two or three miles but could not overtake the horse, so gave it up. The next morning, with his son, he started out and found the horse and carriage at Saline. The carriage was badly wrecked. Mr. Theeke's shoulder was badly bruised, but Mrs. T. escaped injury. It was a fortunate escape for them.

GEN. SPALDING'S GALL.

The Argus has been given the following letter, addressed to E. B. Norris, Esq.:

Monroe, Mich., Oct. 19, 1894.

MY DEAR COMRADE:—

As you know, I have been nominated on the Republican ticket for Congress. Although the outlook is very favorable, yet in order to win, every man who can aid us must be mustered for the fight. Therefore I ask of you, your kind aid and assistance and I am certain that you will heartily respond to this request of your old comrade, who at all times during the war had your interests at heart. You have tried me and I hope you can say that I have never been found wanting. See your neighbors, relatives and friends, and urge them to vote for your personal friend as well as the friend of all soldiers. Remember that one-half of the population of this district have grown to manhood since the war; they know nothing of the services which you rendered; they can never comprehend the privations that you endured; they cannot understand how these services sapped and undermined your constitution and left you, to-day, a prey to all the aches that human flesh is heir to.

Make a strong effort in my behalf, doing it quietly, and see that all old veterans are at the polls. It is well to have a friend at Washington.

Yours truly,

GEO. SPALDING.

Now, General, this comes pretty near a violation of the rule of G. A. R. posts, which prohibits the use of the organization as a political engine. The spirit, if not the letter, of the rule is badly "infracted." Every democratic soldier who is asked to drop his principles and vote for the general on personal grounds, should vote against him. The letter also has its humorous side. The democratic, "Dear Comrade," to whom in the instance here given the letter was addressed, has no acquaintance with the writer and does not know wherein the general was his "personal friend," and moreover does not feel like 'seeing his relatives, neighbors and friends" to get them to vote for a red-hot republican candidate. After a pathetic effort to moisten the lachrymose glands of "My Dear Comrade" with a reminder of the terrible experiences which had "sapped and undermined the constitution" of said "Dear Comrade" (of which said "Dear Comrade's" experiences the general knew nothing) he turns with vigor to the real business in hand with, "Make a strong effort in my behalf." The Argus believes that many of the old boys after reading the letter will feel as did a vet who, after listening to the lengthy appeal of a congressional candidate for votes, chiefly on the ground of his tremendous services and sacrifices in the army, sought him out after the speech, and mopping his moist eyes with a corner of his coat tail, exclaimed, "I'll be blamed if you haint done enough for your country, and I'll vote for the other man!"—Ann Arbor Argus.

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LABOR'S INDORSEMENT.

Letter from the Labor Leader to Hon. Spencer O. Fisher.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 2, 1894.

TO THE HON. SPENCER O. FISHER:

Dear Sir:—I am much pleased to see the position taken by you on the financial question. It is time the truth be told to the public. The fallacy of the single gold standard has so long been taught by the public press, that the people have accepted and begun to regard it as a truism, and it is indeed encouraging to see it questioned by a standard-bearer of the democratic party.

You say: "All money should be issued by the government, both coin and paper."

Had this been done since 1865, we should not be in the pitiable condition we are to-day. We should not have had tens of thousands of our people idle and hungry during the past winter.

In adopting the constitution the people have delegated their sovereign right to issue and control the currency to their representatives in congress. The people have, moreover, reserved this right to congress and denied it to the separate states. This position has been repeatedly upheld by decisions of the supreme court and of the various state courts. * * * * *

You say further: "There is no doubt in the minds of all fair-minded business men but what we must coin and use silver in this country." "The question of silver is an overshadowing one." * * * * *

I agree with you in saying "we want more money." We have not too much money. With wages eighty cents a day for common labor; wheat, fifty cents a bushel; and cotton six cents a pound, the possibility of the mass of the people extricating themselves from debt nowhere exists.

All the great nations of the earth at the present time are trying to solve this greatest factor in modern progress—the best currency. Why cannot we, the greatest of nations, solve this problem for ourselves, once and for all?

This letter is not written to you because you are a democrat, but because I believe the position you have assumed on this question is right. I can heartily join in the sentiment expressed in your recent letter to me: "I shall continue in that course, and make the fight on that line, whether I succeed at present or not, as in the end we shall win."

Sincerely,

RICHARD F. TREVELLICK.

PRESS OPINIONS.

Some of the Good Things the Papers Are Saying of Spencer O. Fisher.

Spencer O. Fisher is putting up a fight for the governorship that is proving a veritable eye-opener to the republican calamityites.—Lansing Journal.

As the Gazette anticipated, Spencer O. Fisher is making a red-hot campaign. He is an energetic, braidy and magnetic man, and is making friends wherever he goes.—Kalamazoo Gazette.

The state campaign is now far enough advanced to make it plain that in selecting Spencer O. Fisher to head the state ticket, the democrats made no mistake in picking out their candidate for the high office of governor.—Muskegon News.

In his address at the Dowagiac union fair, Hon. Spencer O. Fisher again demonstrated his gifts as a campaigner. He talks to the people as his friends and neighbors, and with conversational frankness gives them the views which he holds and which he asks them to support. His sincerity is his strength, and the more audiences he can address the more votes he will receive.—Detroit Free Press.

Spencer O. Fisher has twice served the people in congress and the record he made was without a flaw. He is a democrat all the time, and when as a manufacturer, according to republican theory, his business would be assailed and injured by the legislation he voted for, he simply said, let 'er assail, or to that effect. He wasn't there voting for himself, but in the interest of the people who sent him. No man, no combination, no power on earth can swerve Spencer O. Fisher from the path he believes to be right.—Midland Sun.

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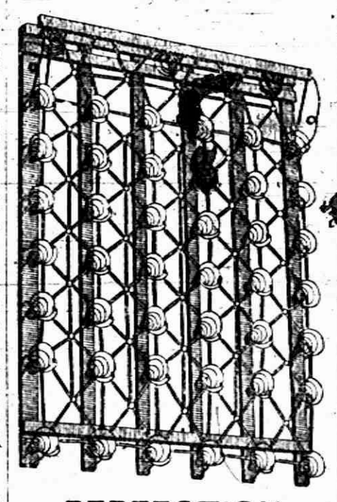

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 12th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Griswold deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Russell Griswold and William Waldron, executors of the last will and testament, and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, and all the legacies mentioned in said will have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close their estate and to render their final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned according to the terms and provisions of the will of said deceased, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BAGNOR, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee in favor of James Lowry, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Thomas Bangs, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 6th day of September last, levy upon all the right, title and interest of the said Thomas Bangs in and to the following described real estate that is to say: The undivided three quarters interest in all that parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as forty acres of land, to be taken from off the east side of the north sixty acres of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 15, township five south of range five east, and containing forty acres of land. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, on the 7th day of December next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated October 30, 1894.

HENRY C. LEE, Deputy Sheriff.

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

First snow storm of the season came Monday night.

Carrie Shaler and Eva Osgood were Milan visitors Friday.

Mrs. Fox, of Dundee, visited at Mrs. Addie Kelley's last week.

Lorrina Wiggins, of Tecumseh, was the guest of May Jones Saturday.

Eva Pocklington, who has been sick for several weeks is still very poorly.

F. J. Temple and family, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with Mr. Temple's parents.

Wm. Cox and wife, of Holloway, visited her brother, Morrice Kelly Saturday.

Mont Florence and Emma Miller went to Adrian Monday to hear Sousa's celebrated band.

C. L. and E. L. Lowe, with their wives, visited relatives and friends at Saline and Ypsilanti, Saturday and Sunday.

Maggie Salone, who has been with Mrs. Jones for the past year, went to Detroit last week for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. S. L. Rappleye, with her sister, Mrs. May Jackson visited their uncle, Mr. John Pilbeam, of Azalia, over Sunday.

Mrs. John Arner and Miss Addie Kelley are delegates to the W. C. T. U. county convention, held at Blissfield this week.

C. A. Pocklington, Allen Kelly, Chas. Lowe and Harvey Hindes left Friday morning for Lake county for a two weeks hunt.

Those who were at Britton Saturday to hear Barkworth, the Democratic nominee for congress, were well paid for their time.

We see by the Eddy Argus of New Mexico, that I. S. Osborn received the nomination for Commissioner, on the Republican ticket.

The Epworth League have made arrangements with Miss Mabel Fraine, an elocutionist from Detroit, to give an entertainment in the audience room of the church. She will come accompanied by Miss Jennie Stoddard, a vocalist from the same place, and the entertainment will be given on the 23d of this month. Further particulars will be given next week.

The storm Friday night prevented a good many from attending the temperance meeting held at the church. The meeting was called to order by Rev. Cansfield; opened by singing; scripture read by Rev. Cansfield; prayer by Rev. Mudge, of Britton; followed by singing and a recitation by Lulu Weeks, and a few remarks on temperance by Rev. Mudge; followed by Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh. From first to last the Christian was most forcibly reminded of his duty to God and man. It was one of the best temperance lectures ever given in the village.

Mrs. Jos. Bailey, Cedar Springs, Mich., says: "Adironda." Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure, is the best medicine I ever had in my family; it never fails." Sold by Orr & Temple.

BRITTON BUDGET.

—Call and see the Anti-Rust Tinware at James Haight's.

—Have you seen James Haight's stock of Brooms? they are dandies.

—For Whips go to Jas. Haight's. He has them. All kinds and at low prices.

—Stoves of every description at Jas. Haight's, at prices that must please you.

—After Nov. 10th I will discontinue making cider. Govern yourselves accordingly. W. R. OSGOOD.

—Remember I have a complete line of horse blankets. JAMES HAIGHT.

Raisin Valley Seminary.

Henry Ostrander, of Willis, will enter school this week.

Misses Mattie Starin and Mina Bowerman are with us again.

Miss Minnie Eddy visited at her uncle's in Adrian Sunday.

Rev. Edson Simonds gave a talk to the students Friday morning.

The W. C. T. U. tea was given at Mrs. Helen Bailey's, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. J. O. Beal, of Rollin, called on his son, Emerson at Seminary and attended the quarterly meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Stratton and Mr. John Wright and daughter, of Ypsilanti, and Miss Sara Comfort, of Tecumseh, were guests at the Seminary Saturday night.

The quarterly meeting at the Valley church was well attended. Revs. Lewis and Allen and Mrs. Wood, of Tecumseh; Baker, of Raisin Center and Stratton of Ypsilanti were present.

—NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—

Having purchased the formula, together with the right to manufacture and sell Hanson's Magic Grease Eradicator, I wish to announce to the people of Tecumseh and vicinity that I am prepared to clean and renovate clothes and dress goods of any description, at my residence on West Kilbuck street. This preparation will positively remove grease from any kind of fabric without injury to the cloth. J. C. SCHERDER.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Holloway is on the boom.

Miss Esther Fish visited Adrian Friday and Saturday.

Joe Campbell, of Maple Rapids, is visiting his mother.

P. J. Roche, the Adrian hay king, was in town on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Atwell entertained Rev. Baker of Adrian Sunday.

J. E. Dawson is busily engaged buying and shipping grain from this station.

Jas. Gordon, of Morenci, spent a few days at home this week, visiting parents and friends.

Andrew Colgusta, of Delray, has rented and moved his family into the old Green building.

School children were given a holiday Friday on account of the teachers' institute held at Adrian.

Several of our boys visited the Masonic school of instruction at Adrian and report it as par excellent.

Rothfuss & Brown, our genial merchants, are having a fine trade; in fact better than lots of our city stores.

The F. & M. church closed their quarterly meeting Sunday night. They had good services and a large attendance.

Miss Agnes Still is one of the few fortunate in securing a good position. She will apply herself in Adrian for the present.

Owing to the rain, only four delegates went from this place Tuesday to attend the C. E. county convention held at Blissfield.

C. E. Johnson, Pacific Express company's traveling agent, called on L. C. Winship Saturday and spent a few pleasant moments.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Bart Lewis is slowly but surely gaining in strength. Her many friends will rejoice at her recovery.

Miss Fannie Kelley, of Adrian, formerly of this place, spent Sunday at home and among her many friends. Fannie has a host of them, too.

Mr. A. Macham and F. Florance started Thursday on a two weeks' hunting expedition. Many people expect to be presented with a pair of deer horns on their return.

Those citizens of Holloway who have not already subscribed for the HERALD should not fail to do so, as we expect to have a regular place in this paper each week full to the brim with items of interest to all in the burg.

Dr. Begel and wife entertained a goodly number of friends during the meeting. Don't think they could have found a better place, as the Dr. and wife have large and warm hearts, and are equal to just such an emergency.

The Junior Endeavor society will give a shadow social at the parsonage on Friday evening, Nov. 9th. Refreshments, consisting of coffee, cake and chicken pie, will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and have a good time and take one of the prizes that are to be given.

Maurice Nay has been very ill for two weeks and is still in a dangerous condition, no marked change for the better having as yet taken place. Later—Mr. Nay died Monday night. He was a young man of excellent character and good prospects, and his widowed mother will receive the sympathy of all in her affliction.

The Development of the South.

Is being furthered by the Queen & Crescent Route by means of a special series of Monthly Excursions to Southern points at One Fare for the Round Trip. These rates are in effect from Cincinati, O., and Lexington, Ky., on November 6th and December 4th; good twenty days from date of sale for return. They are sold on these dates to all points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida (except Key West), and to New Orleans, and all points on our line in Louisana.

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"I positively will not use cosmetics," said a lady to the writer, "yet my complexion is so bad that it occasions me constant mortification. What can I do to get rid of these dreadful blotches?" "Take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," was my prompt reply. "Your complexion indicates that you are suffering from functional derangements. Remove the cause of the blotches and your cheeks will soon wear the hue of health. The 'Favorite Prescription' is a wonderful remedy for all diseases peculiar to your sex. Its proprietors guarantee to return the money if it does not give satisfaction. But it never fails. Try it." The lady followed my advice, and now her complexion is as clear as a babe's, and she enjoys better health than she has for years.

"My dear," said Mrs. Smith, "the first year we were married you always had plenty of small change in your pocket." "Yes," replied Smith, "but I bank it now; the habit was too expensive."

In Memoriam.

MRS. LYDIA HALL.

August 24, 1817—October 12, 1894.

Who shall gather up the precious memories of her seventy-seven beautiful years on earth? Brothers and sisters, look backward and remember her in girlhood and young womanhood, bright and brave amid the privations of pioneer life, loyal and helpful as a sister or as home-maker for the one who had chosen her as his companion. Children and grandchildren treasure the blessedness of abounding mother-love that filled every space of daily life with countless tender ministries, and other hearts sharing her love through kinship have from earliest childish remembrance counted the dear old home with "Auntie" in the midst as the ideal of true, sweet family life. Memories of steadfast friendship, of ready sympathy for the sorrowful, of timely care and helpfulness for the suffering, and of warm-hearted interest in forwarding every good work remain in the hearts of the people among whom she lived, as memorials of a beneficent christian life. The value of her christian faith can never be doubted by any who saw what it wrought in her own character and for the good of others during sixty years of consecrated service for the Master. How full of tender suggestion was a thought in the sacred farewell service, that the departure of our loved one was "The consummation of her noble life; her glorious reward; her bridal day, when her hands clasped again the welcoming ones in the Heavenly home from whom she had long been separated." Very suggestive, too, were the tokens brought by loving hands: palm branches for victory; pure lilies for immortality; and pansies, tiny lily-bells and roses for peace, fragrance and beauty, in remembrance of the beautiful life of a true mother.

We asked for thee new lease of life,
Beloved! from our sight passed on;
God gave to thee, beyond our ken,
Beyond our highest thought of good,
Immortal life at His right hand.

We asked thy presence on our way,
The love-light shining in thy face;
God set the light in higher place,—
A radiance from the heavenly home
To beckon us to follow on.

We mark thy careful footsteps here,
As footprints for our feet to tread,
With light from heaven illumining
The way to go, we follow on
To heaven's reward, we follow on.

Oh rare, sweet life so close to ours!
Transformed to likeness of thy King;
What must thy wondrous beauty be!
What shall it, glorified, become,
Unfolding through eternal years.

—FANNY L. HALL.

GREAT PAINTINGS OF EUROPE.

Feast for Art Lovers.

Of the many publications which come to us there is none which merits so much commendation, for its excellent typographical appearance, high-class illustrations and interesting reading, as "Campbell's Illustrated Monthly." This magazine fills a long-felt want in Chicago, as heretofore that city has not furnished us a publication devoted to a high-class form of illustrations.

The current number is a galaxy of the richest illustrations ever published. Teere is a frontispiece of Oliver Wendell Holmes, and a portrait of the late Prof. Swing, with sketches of both these men. Many of the most gorgeous paintings of Europe, worth several hundred thousand dollars are reproduced in the finest copper-plate engravings. Among them being 'Autumn,' 'Winter,' 'Waiting for His Share,' 'Perfectly at Home,' 'Evening Hours,' 'Cupid Leading the Choir,' 'A Reading from Homer,' 'The Favored Swain,' 'The Prize Jerseys,' 'Ready for the Hunt,' 'My Mother-in-Law.'" Also leading articles on the Chicago University, all the buildings and grounds being illustrated, together with a most interesting description and groupe of illustrations of the "House of Pansa at Pompeii." Many more rich illustrations are to be found in the Home Department, Art Department, etc.

This is beyond question the richest Illustrated Magazine published, and as an educator in the higher realm of Art, Science and Literature, it should be found on every family table. See publisher's special offer. Enclose 25 cents in stamps for October number. J. B. Campbell, 215 Madison St., Chicago, Ill.

A DOCTOR'S PHILANTHROPY.

Thousand's Afflicted by Chronic Catarrh Under Free Treatment.

The first day of November, 1893, Dr. Hartman gave his consent to take charge of the treatment of 10,000 cases of chronic catarrh free of charge. The announcement was at once published in all leading papers, when the applications came pouring in from every State in the Union. With a large number of clerks and stenographers to assist him, the doctor actually directs the treatment of thousands of cases by correspondence, which costs the patients nothing except the necessary medicines, which are obtained at the nearest drug-store. To become a patient it is only necessary to send name and address, describe symptoms, and minute directions as to diet, sanitary regulations, and other advice will be sent promptly.

Whatever Dr. Hartman is known the name of Pe-ru-na has become a household word. It is safe to say that no medicine in existence is used by so many families as Pe-ru-na. This is especially true of this time of the year, when the people are liable to catarrhal affections, coughs colds, grippe, etc. Pe-ru-na has cured more cases of chronic catarrh than all other medicines combined. The great majority of those who use it buy the remedy themselves, use it according to directions, not even reporting their case to Dr. Hartman until after they are entirely cured. But now that a limited number of cases can secure the personal attention of Dr. Hartman free of charge, it is not to be wondered at that many prefer to do so. Pe-ru-na never fails to cure catarrh when properly used.

The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio, are sending free to any address a book on chronic catarrh which gives the latest treatment for catarrh, coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis, and all other affections of head, throat and lungs.

Neely—Dewey.

Between seventy-five and a hundred invited guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Neely, of Cambridge, on Thursday evening, November 1st, to witness the marriage of their daughter Minnie and Mr. Cassius M. Dewey.

Promptly at half-past six o'clock, to the familiar strains of the famous and time-honored Mendelssohn wedding march, played by Miss Stella Dewey, the bridal party entered the parlor and took their places beneath a canopy of clematis, where Rev. C. E. Thomas, of the Presbyterian church in Brooklyn, in an impressive and beautiful, but simple service, spoke the words that made them man and wife. Mr. Victor F. Dewey, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Miss Anna C. Boneman, of Brooklyn, as bridesmaid. At the close of the service, during the rendition of Sydney Smith's Op. 33, the happy couple received the congratulations and good wishes of the entire company. Elegant refreshments were served, which seemed to satisfy all the cravings of the inner man.

The house was profusely decorated with chrysanthemums, evergreen and autumn berries. They were beautiful in their neat arrangement and natural simplicity. A fine array of elegant and useful presents were received, and spoke with silent emphasis of the estimation in which the young couple are held by their friends.

The bride was tastily and beautifully attired in white henrietta, with ribbon and lace garniture, and carried a large bouquet of bridal roses. Miss Boneman was dressed in pink cashmere and carried pink roses and carnations. The gentlemen were in the usual conventional black.

At 9:30 o'clock the happy pair left in a carriage for Napoleon, where they took the train for their future home in Schoolcraft, Mich. It was finished, and Miss Minnie Neely was no more, but had blossomed into sweet womanhood as Mrs. Dewey.

Both the bride and groom have always lived in Cambridge, have moved in our best society, and will be sadly missed by their many associates, who unite in wishing them all the happiness and prosperity that comes to mortal kin, for they deserve the best.

There were guests present from Philadelphia, Pa., Hillsdale, Decatur, Adrian, Tecumseh, Raisin, Napoleon and Brooklyn.

Administratrix Sale.

Being obliged to dispose of the farm of the late Robt. Service, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, three miles east of the village of Clinton, on Wednesday, Nov. 14, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property: Two colts, coming 3; 4 milch cows, two coming in soon; yearling heifer; 2-year-old heifer; 2 calves; 2 lumber wagons; spring tooth harrow; land roller; fanning mill; Fairbanks' scales; double shovel cultivator; spring tooth cultivator; grain drill; 1 binder; horse rake; hay and stock rack; bobsleighs; 2 plows; 2 sets double harness; single harness; double buggy; single buggy; 600 bushels corn; 1500 bundles corn stalks; 70 shocks corn fodder, 30 good breeding ewes; 18 Shropshire lambs; Shropshire ram; 2 breeding sows; 7 pigs; 4 work horses. Terms of sale—All sums of $5 and under, cash; over $5, 12 months' credit on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before removal. MRS. ROBT. SERVICE, Administratrix.
FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

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It is the recognized State agricultural organ. It contains matter written by educated successful agriculturists, who are practical farmers, live stock breeders, horticulturists and dairymen of this State. It gives all the agricultural, live stock, dairy and horticultural news of this State. It publishes full and reliable markets from all important points where Michigan farmers sell their products. It reaches every post-office in the State within twelve hours after it is printed. Its editors and correspondents are Michigan men, thoroughly in earnest in their desire to advance, protect and improve the agricultural interests of this State. It is filled with original paid for matter written expressly for it. It is first-class in every particular, its publishers sparing no expense to make it the equal of any paper of America. It admits no immoral, snide or swindling advertisements. It is a weekly of 52 issues a year—64 columns in each issue—and is furnished at the lowest possible price that such a paper can be published at; and last and greatest—Because it is many times more valuable and instructive to the agriculturists of Michigan than any agricultural paper published outside of the State can be.

Half Rates to Cleveland.

Account of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, to be held at Cleveland, November 15th to 21st. The Lake Shore Railway will sell excursion tickets on November 14th and 15th, at one fare for the round trip, good returning until November 17th. Ins depositing tickets at City Ticket Office, 189 Superior street, the limit will be extended until November 23d.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 8, 1894.

Election is over for this year. Now let every man stop talking politics, buckle down to work and boom business.

As this page goes to press on Tuesday, we can express no opinion on the result. Full returns may be found on another page of the paper.

James G. Blaine, Jr., is a law student at the University of Virginia, and has earned a big reputation as the center rush of the University foot-ball team.

It is stated that the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge will confer honorary degrees upon United States Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard, when he returns to England.

There is a horrible rumor that the word "obey" is to be put in the man's part of the marriage ceremony. The women must really not go too far. The men are hard to land as it is.—Atchison Globe.

The Chicago Dispatch says: We cannot help but feel that Mr. Pullman would materially add to the hilarity of the political situation if he were to subscribe $250,000 to each one of the campaign funds.

Fact is stranger than fiction, and, to paraphrase another axiom, coincidence makes strange bedfellows. The company playing "The Burglar" lost their valuables through a burglary in a Pennsylvania town the other night.

The monopolist believes in competition between those who must live by their labor, and he stands by waiting to accept the offer of those willing to work for the lowest amount that will sustain life when this competition has compelled it.

Chairman Wilson's canvass of his district continues to be marked with cheerful courage, pertinacity and eloquence on his part and abounding enthusism on the part of the people. All the indications point to his election by a substantial majority.

Harper's Bazar has this news from the seat of war: "This," said the enterprising contributor, "is a map illustrating certain phases of the Chinese-Japanese war." "We never touch upon such matters," said the editor. "This is a fashion paper." "Good!" cried the enterprizing contributor. "That being so you can use this same map for a pattern. Cutting up here along the Corean boundary, and running down here and ending up at Pekin, will give you the finest pattern for a winter dolman, suited to a woman of 40, you ever saw."

In 1888, speaking on the Mills bill Thomas B. Reed said: "We will keep our wealth here. We mean to do it, even if we build a Chinese wall of tariff taxes around this country." To keep all our wealth in this country would be to make wheat, corn, cotton and pork unsalable. Then that form of wealth would lose much of its value, the standard of living among producers would be lowered, wages would be reduced and distress would ensue. McKinleyism has been for four years enough of a Chinese wall to cause some of these phenomena.

The Courier-Journal says: Despite the depreciation in the value of cotton the South is better off than any other section of this great and glorious country. Crops of all kinds are enormous. Farmers are claiming in some sections as high a yield of corn as seventy bushels to the acre. Everything has been on a big scale this year. The flowers are bigger and finer, the corn crop is larger and better, the cotton is finer and there is more of it, and even the babies weigh more and are prettier, and there are many more of them than in ordinary years. Even with the prevailing low prices the South is very well-to-do, thank you!

George P. Rowell & Co., the well-known advertising firm of New York, issue a publication called "Printers' Ink," and in a recent issue, in referring to the position of Hon. Tom. Reed regarding the readjustment of the tariff for protection on the McKinley basis, the Printers' Ink says:

Printers' Ink believes that the McKinley foolishness had more to do with the panic of 1893 than any influence emanating from silver or democratic rule; and Printers's Ink is just as good a republican as the Chicago Inter-Ocean or the New York Tribune. The republican who wishes to meddle with the tariff any more within the next half a dozen years is seeking an opportunity to commit political suicide.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Nov. 3, 1894.

Well, the campaign is virtually over, but there is very little that is certain about the result. Senator Faulkner, chairman of the democratic committee, still claims that his party will elect a majority of the House, and the same claim is made for his party by Representative Babcock, of the republican committee, while chairman Taubeneck, of the populist committee, is more positive than ever that the populists will hold the balance of power in the House, and also in the Senate, after the fourth of next March; and at both the republican and democratic headquarters they readily admit their fear that Mr. Taubeneck's claim may be good, as far as the House is concerned, but at both they ridicule his Senate claim. Very few people can be found here who really believe that the democrats will elect a majority of the next House. The general impression among those who sift all obtainable information without prejudice is that the margin between the republicans and democrats in the next House will be very narrow. That is why so many people believe, against their wishes in lots of cases, that the populists have a better chance to secure the balance of power than either of the other parties have to secure a majority.

There is no longer any doubt about President Cleveland's position. It is as clear as if he had said so that he doesn't care a straw about the result of the campaign, and that his position has weakened his party is certain, although your correspondent lacks the proof to endorse the current gossip which says that it was his intention that it should. According to this gossip Mr. Cleveland desires the defeat of his party because of its failure to follow his ideas in Congressional legislation, believing that such a defeat will be a vindication of himself and will result in giving him absolute control of the party hereafter, and most of all he desires the defeat of Senator Hill, because he believes a defeat will remove him from the field of possible rivals for the next Presidential nomination. According to a story told this week, Senator Faulkner, in company with Hon. Don M. Dickinson, called at the White House to make a last effort to get Mr. Cleveland to say something that might be used to help his party and to close the mouths of those who are publicly saying that a democrat cannot please the President more than by remaining away from the polls. Senator Faulkner has a very persuasive tongue, and he proceeded to work it for all he knew how for something like half an hour when he was interrupted by Mr. Cleveland, who said: "By the way, Faulkner, do you remember what you told me last spring about the fishing in your section of West Virginia?" Mr. Faulkner doesn't need to have a brick house fall on him before he takes a hint.

A reason has been found for the action of the German government in shutting out American cattle and dressed beef from every German port. It isn't the very flimsy excuse—the fear of Texas fever—given by the German government, nor is it to retaliate for the discrimination against German refined sugar made by the sugar schedule of the new tariff. It is, if the discoverers are not mistaken, the result of the political "pull" upon the German government of the class of Germans known as "agricultural barons," a powerful "trust," it would be called in this country, which finds American competition undesirable. It was the same combination that succeeded in having the first embargo placed upon American meat and meat products, not only by Germany but also by France and upon the same pretended basis—sanitary grounds. When Bismarck was in power the "agricultural barons" wielded great influence in Germany, for the very good reason that he is himself one of them. Those familiar with the manner in which the first embargo was put on American meats and the long and strong efforts that were necessary to get it removed knows that it was not removed on account of American diplomacy, but because of protests made by Germans of the poorer classes against the high prices which the "agricultural barons" were making them pay for meat, in the absence of competition. It is also said that attempts are now being made to get our meats again shut out of France, and that the same parties are behind them. It will be easy enough for this government to show that Germany has nothing to fear from Texas fever, but it may not be so easy to get the embargo off our meats, if this statement be correct as to its origin.

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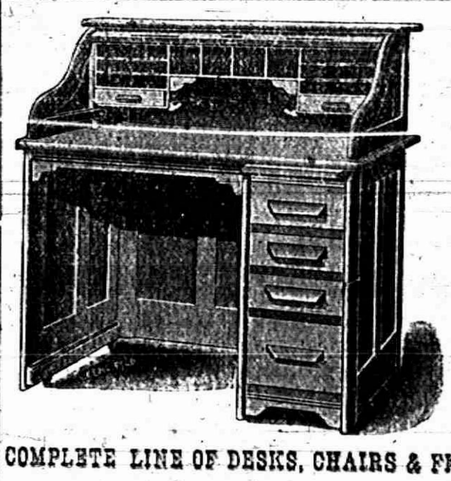

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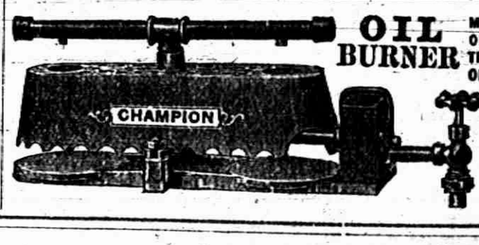

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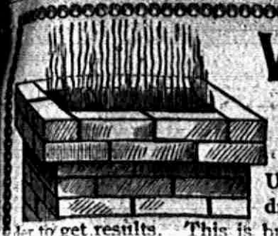

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Here's Something Every Michigan Voter, Irrespective of Party, Should Read.

Sometimes democrats stray away from the fold and lose sight of the cardinal principles which entitle them to fellowship with the party of the people and the significant appellation of democrat. The Enquirer likes to make mention of instances where the name of democrat is most appropriately applied. For example—Spencer O. Fisher, the democratic candidate for governor of Michigan, has declared himself against national bank currency and for the government issue of all currency, the immediate recognition of silver and its free coinage, without consulting the wishes of European or other foreign governments. He undoubtedly voices the sentiments of four-fifths of the voters of Michigan, and they would elect him governor if freed from party shackles and allowed to express their opinion at the ballot box.

It is a source of great satisfaction to know that a candidate for governor has the courage, independence and manliness to establish his right to be called a true democrat by proclaiming such principles. It is not a legitimate function of banking to issue currency. Whatever is issued as money or currency should be supplied by the government. Silver has been for thousands of years the favorite money of the people. It is to-day the only money known to a thousand millions of the human family. The democratic party is the party of the people. If the intelligent people of Michigan would elect Mr. Fisher governor there would be at least one democratic governor in the United States. The trend of public opinion is in the direction briefly outlined by this candidate for gubernatorial honors. The money power is still in authority, but a people determined to be free is stronger than the gold worshipers and bankers combined.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

HOW'S THIS FOR GRATITUDE?

Incident of the Characteristic Bigotry and Knavishness of the Republican Party.

In his lecture at Port Huron recently, Mr. Finerty mentioned the services of Gen. Shields in Mexico as the commander of a brigade under Gen. Scott, but did not make all that could have been made out of the gallant work of that Catholic Irishman.

At the battle of Cerro Gordo he was shot through the body with an ounce ball of the heavy muskets of those days, and a silk handkerchief was drawn through his lungs from breast to back to clear the fearful wound that was thought mortal, but he survived it with a ghastly scar that testified to his courage, loyalty and patriotism.

He returned to Illinois and became active in politics on the democratic side. In the midst of the know-nothing excitement when Catholics, and particularly Catholic Irish, were being proscribed, Shields came before the people for election to the United States senate, and in answer to the bigotry that disputed his claim for high office because of his religion, he would bare his scarred breast to his audiences as proof that he was an American who loved his country and its flags as dearly as life itself and that his life blood was drained almost to its last drop at Cerro Gordo, where

"Columbia wrote another page
In her bright book of glory."

The awful scar of that wound appealed to the brave and patriotic people of Illinois with an argument that was irresistible. Though dumb it spoke with an eloquence that was irresistible and carried the heroic Shields back to the senate despite the bitterness of the zealot and the knavishness of the demagogue.

TWO EXCELLENT REASONS.

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Two reasons should induce democrats to stand firmly by their nominees on the legislative ticket, namely: The extravagant expenditures of the last republican legislature, which appropriated nearly a half million dollars more than the democratic legislature of 1891, and the fact that two United States senators are to be elected. The democratic party has boldly named its candidates, but the republicans have put the offices up to the highest bidders—those who will pay the most into the campaign fund to be used in electing a republican legislature. It has been the practice for years for the candidates for the United States senate to pay the expenses of the candidates for the legislature, in consideration of their vote in the legislative caucus, and as there are four republican aspirants, the bidding is likely to be lively. The second reason is that the nominees of the democratic party are the most capable and trustworthy men before the public, worthy the support of all citizens.—Bay City Times.

McKinley in Michigan.

McKinley is smooth and oily—as greasy as glycerine. He can mourn in the most touching manner and therefore he devoted much space to his exhibit of grief. He presented his protectionist argument in its best light. His conclusions were based upon false premises, yet one was compelled to admire the astuteness with which he concealed the weak points in defense of his hobby, and the show of sincerity he made in lauding the exploded theories of McKinley.—Jackson Patriot.

The Most Convincing Kind of Proof.

That the "A. P. A." charges against Spencer O. Fisher are without foundation is shown by the fact that Congressman T. A. E. Weadock, of Bay City, is warmly supporting him. Mr. Weadock is one of the best known Roman Catholic laymen in the country, one of the highest officers in the Ancient Order of Hibernians. Mr. Weadock would not support Mr. Fisher if there was the slightest foundation for the story.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

The Ticket is Invincible.

Read the ticket over. There is not a weak spot in it. Every man adds to its strength, and in its entirety it is invincible.—Detroit Free Press.

WHERE HE STANDS.

The Stable Convictions of Hon. S. O. Fisher on Important Issues.

Mr. Fisher's attitude on the tariff question was clearly defined by his course during his congressional career and it has not since been changed. He might be called an advanced tariff reformer—one of those rare tariff reformers, a consistent one, in that he does not seek protection to his own industries and free trade for everything else. He is an extensive wool grower, and his reasons for advocating free wool were clearly set forth in his famous letter to Congressman Burrows last spring in reply to Burrows' charge against him that if he were a sheep breeder he would not be a free wool disciple. Lumbering, however, being his chief business, it was for a duty on lumber that he would reasonably be expected to contend. The course of some of the republican lumbermen of Bay City during the democratic convention at Grand Rapids in selecting a committee, with Mr. Fisher as chairman, to go to Washington and urge the rejection of the Allen amendment putting all wood products on the free list, is spoken of yet as a scheme to place him in an embarrassing position. The talk is that their purpose was to make him compromise himself by appearing as an advocate of a duty on lumber while professing to be a tariff reformer. If this really was the object it didn't work, for Mr. Fisher positively refused to be one of the committee. He had been appointed without his knowledge, and the proposed mission was one in which he did not care to engage.

Mr. Fisher has never been anything but an uncompromising democrat who, while insisting that the best government always can be given by the democratic party, yet is not so invariably partisan that he will not deny some merit in a political opponent, nor will he permit himself to be blinded to the shortcomings of public officials of his own political creed. He proved this by opposing the last democratic administration of West Bay City for its arrogant methods. Politics has claimed considerable of his attention ever since he was old enough to vote. Before he came to the Bay district he had been an alderman at Hillsdale. In West Bay City, where he has made his home, he has been alderman, mayor, school trustee for fifteen years, and twice this district's representative in congress. In addition, as is well known, he has frequently represented his party in state and national conventions. As mayor and alderman he made a record by his efforts in the direction of retrenchment, and, as one citizen remarked, to get the city departments on the same kind of a basis as that upon which he built his own business.

As president of the state bankers' association and principal owner of the Lumbermen's state bank of West Bay City, Mr. Fisher's opinion on the silver question is of more importance than the declaration of a mere candidate for office. He is an out and out silver man who regards the reenactment of the silver law repealed in 1873 and the remonetization of silver as the true solution of the issue. He wants to see silver on a parity with gold without any qualification and recognized as legal tender for every obligation.—Detroit Evening News.

ON THE RUN.

Republicans Full of Doubt and Concern for the Outcome.

The republican papers and speakers in this state seek to make it appear that they are perfectly confident, absolutely sure, of an overwhelming victory in the coming election. They ridicule any suggestion of the possibility of defeat. Now, for men who are so sure of anything as these republicans claim to be of triumph in Michigan, the most extraordinary steps are taken, the most remarkable efforts made. Rarely, if ever, in a presidential campaign have the republicans of Michigan put forth so great efforts as are manifested at this time, when they profess to believe that no special effort is necessary. In every congressional district and in every county there is an appearance of that sort of doubt concerning the prospects which manifests itself in desperate efforts to keep up an appearance of confidence. The most eminent speakers among the republicans of the country are imported into Michigan and the most desperate efforts are made to produce a showing of hope. The fact is the democrats have their opponents on the run, and there is a splendid prospect of running them into defeat. The presence of every outside republican speaker in the limits of the state is a confession of increasing republican weakness and lack of hope.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

Wool and McKinley.

When American wool began to fall in price immediately after the passage of the McKinley tariff act, Mr. McKinley said the decrease in price was not due to his bill, but to the decline in the prices of wool abroad. Now the McKinley press is raising a howl because the price of wool in foreign markets are advancing and they say it is caused by the free wool of the new tariff. But if the decline in foreign wool in 1892 carried the price of American wool down, will not the advance in foreign wool now carry the price of American wool up? It is certain that the price of American wool is advancing.—Bay City Times.

Can No Longer Be Disputed.

Says the Philadelphia Ledger: "The improvement of business conditions can be no longer successfully disputed; it is so general and so manifest as to render ridiculous those unscrupulous partisan organs which, closing their eyes to the truth, continue to ignore it as if it had no real existence."

Red Heads and a White Horse.

It is in accordance with the old superstition that some of the enemies of Hon. S. O. Fisher should get "red-headed" because his white horse knew no better than to lead every procession that took place in West Bay City.—Detroit Free Press.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

Issued Every Thursday Morning.

TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

We have met the enemy and we are theirs.

The Republicans had their innings last Tuesday and the result was a landslide for that party. They swept this county, this congressional district and this state. Hill was snowed under in New York state by a majority exceeding 100,000, and the Tammany tiger is pretty badly demoralized. The Republicans also gain the Lower House of Congress and will have a good working majority in that body.

The returns given below show the result in detail here in Tecumseh.

IN TECUMSEH.

The election boards here were constituted as follows:

First Precinct—
Thos. Elliott, J. F. N. Bowen, Jehiel Davidson.
Clerks—Robert Moore, John Primrose.
Gate-keepers—James VanAntwerp, Cunningham Patterson.
Challengers—J. D. Shull, Harry Root.
Second Precinct—
Geo. W. Frasier, J. W. Wightman, H. W. Stevens.
Clerks—Geo. S. Field, Sam'l. J. McClure.
Gate-keepers—Will F. Baker, Thos. Wyrrell.
Challengers—Frank Bauer, Albert N. Conger.

The first name under each office in the table below is the Republican candidate; the second, Democrat; the third, Prohibitionist; the fourth, Populist.

NAME.	1st Prect.	2d Prect	Total
Governor—			
John T. Rich,	157	213	370
Spencer O. Fisher,	103	140	243
Albert M. Todd,	13	43	56
Alva W. Nichols,	4	7	11
Congressional—			
Geo. Spalding,	154	211	365
Thos. E. Barkworth,	99	140	239
David W. Grandon,	12	40	52
Thos. E. Barkworth,	3	7	10
State Senator—			
Edwin Eaton,	152	211	363
James H. Morrow,	100	135	235
Elisha B. Hitchcock,	13	43	56
Byron E. Niles,	4	7	11
Representative. 1st District—			
Thos. M. Camburn,	150	211	361
Horace Holdridge,	103	137	240
Levi C. Chase,	12	42	54
Alvinza Whelan,	5	5	10
Sheriff—			
Edwin G. Wilson,	156	222	378
Samuel Underwood,	95	128	223
Chas. E. Mitchell,	11	40	51
William A. Beebe,	5	6	11
County Clerk—			
Edwin Leroy Mills,	153	211	364
Haskell J. Warren,	103	138	241
William H. Younglove,	12	43	55
Amos Wotring,	2	4	6
Register of Deeds—			
Warren J. Parker,	151	209	360
Charles R. Keeber,	101	137	238
John S. Avis,	13	43	56
Henry Manwarring,	4	7	11
Treasurer—			
James E. Jacklin,	151	211	362
G. William Gust,	101	135	236
Thomas Beal,	13	43	56
Ervin J. Whelan,	4	7	11
Prosecuting Attorney—			
John E. Bird,	158	219	377
Walter S. Westman,	93	111	224
William B. Hatch,	16	41	57
Walter S. Westerman,	3	6	9
Circuit Court Commissioners—			
Jacob N. Simpson,	151	207	358
Leslie B. Robertson,	151	211	362
Will J. Ingersoll,	104	140	244
John B. Ayers,	101	136	237
Rolphe A. Mills,	11	43	54
Judson B. Tenbrook,	13	43	56
Coroners—			
Darwin M. Bainbridge,	151	210	361
Samuel M. Hamilton,	151	210	361
Edwin R. Smith,	101	135	236
Herbert Hathaway,	101	135	236
David M. Reeder,	13	43	56
Lucian G. North,	13	43	56
James M. Swick,	4	7	11
John B. Dowling,	4	6	10
Surveyor—			
James Blair,	153	211	364
Frederick C. Baldss,	98	134	232
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Chicago's Wonderful Growth.

The total male registration in Chicago this year is 313,676. The registration in New York is 309,931. Upon the basis of one voter to seven of the population this would give Chicago 26,000 more inhabitants than New York.

After every explanation that can be made of this showing, the fact remains that Chicago has for the moment beaten New York in the contest for first rank in voters and population. That Chicago has achieved this result by consolidating the territory and population that naturally belongs to her does not detract from her credit. That the Greater Chicago is bigger than the smaller New York is a reflection upon our sagacity, public spirit and enterprise, not a reflection upon the methods of the mighty metropolis of the West.

Chicago has an area of 182 square miles, while the technical New York has less than 40 square miles. The Western city is 24 miles long north and south and 10.5 miles wide at the broadest part. Its increase in population is without a parallel in the history of the world. It is the greatest triumph in the annals even of American growth, energy and enterprise.

The city was a mere trading post sixty-three years ago. Its charter is dated March 4, 1837, when the population was 3,170, of whom only 703 were voters. In 1840 the population had increased to 4,470, in 1850 to 29,963, in 1860 to 112,172, in 1870 to 298,977, in 1880 to 503,185 and in 1890 to 1,099,850. Upon the basis of this year's registration the newspapers of Chicago claim a population of 2,175,732.

This is indeed a marvellous showing. It is one of which all Americans have reason to be proud, even as they were proud of that greatest and most beautiful of Chicago's achievements, the White City of the World's Fair.—N. Y. World.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

A MOTTO FOR A SALOON.

According to a recent census, Philadelphia has 16,859 unemployed working people."

No one who knows anything about the struggle for existence in the large cities is likely to read the above item without a shudder. It means hunger and hardship for thousands of men. The condition in Philadelphia is an illustration of conditions elsewhere, as winter begins to breathe his icy breath upon the land. The people of America are not brutes, and the distress that prevails touches their hearts, and numberless provisions are made to relieve the suffering and feed the hungry.

But out of the office of a certain New York journal comes in the midst of all this destitution the following brutal statement:

"The man, woman or child who goes hungry in this country has only himself or herself to blame, and if he or she dies of starvation it is simply suicide."

The journal that delivers itself of this atrocious sentiment, which, if accepted as true, would paralyze compassion and dry up all the springs of charity, is The Wine and Spirit Gazette, of this city, one of the most prominent journals of the prosperous liquor trade. And of all the other journals that represent that business in this country not one, thou' a month has passed by, has uttered a word of protest!

Think of it! This business, which preys upon the weak and defenseless to the extent of twenty millions a week which gorges itself on the earnings that should have clad the shivering forms of women and children and should have filled larders empty the Lord only knows how long—this business, glutted with wealth and swaggering in rotund prosperity, looks out upon the unspeakable misery it has caused and blandly meets all reproaches with the heartless assurance that

"The man, woman or child who goes hungry in this country has only himself or herself to blame, and if he or she dies of starvation it is simply suicide."

Not the fault of unjust laws or an unjust system, mind you! Not somebody else's fault! Oh, no—"the man, woman or child . . has only himself or herself to blame." At least, one would have thought, the children might have been left out of this arraignment. Surely the little ones crying for bread in the dark districts of this city, surely they are entitled to pity and free from responsibility for their own suffering. But The Wine and Spirit Gazette, organ of the pampered brewers and distillers, the swaggering wholesalers and retailers of alcoholic poisons, declares that every "man, woman or child who goes hungry in this country has only himself or herself to blame;" and by their silence its patrons and other organs of the same trade assent to the black and heartless words.

It is a characteristic utterance, wonderfully appropriate coming from the organ of a trade that thrives on the misery of others, that waxes prosperous on the deprivations of its customers that is as cruel as hell, as relentless as fate in the pursuit of its victims till the last cent is drained out of their pockets and the last spark of manhood or womanhood out of their hearts.

Hang it up in every saloon, gentlemen of the trade"! Frame that utterance and put it along side the license on your walls! It would be very fitting there. Hang it over the doors in your elegant homes, you wealthy brewers, that your children may learn to use it in defense of their father's business! Hang it in the hymn-book rack of your church pews, engrave it in your hearts, for as God lives and humanity suffers you will need some justification to yourself on your dying bed and to your Maker on the Day of Judgment; and what could be better than this one which your organ furnishes you and you by your silence have accepted, namely:

"The man, woman or child who goes hungry in this country has only himself or herself to blame, and if he or she dies of starvation it is simply suicide."

Chicago's male registration foots up 302,424. This indicates a population of a million and a half. No wonder New York's "Greater New York" association is very active. The Gothamites will soon have to play second fiddle if they don't haul in Brooklyn.

"WHERE FARMING PAYS."

Is it in the north-west with wheat at less than 50 cents a bushel, with zero weather and blizzards in winter and cyclones in summer? No! Go to Virginia; land is cheap, climate perfect all the year round. Ask any one who knows and he will tell you that in the tidewater section one acre of land has produced as high as $2,000.00 in one season. It is worth looking into. Apply to C. H. Bovee, Gen'l. Land and Excursion Agent, Coldwater, Mich., for pamphlet "Facts for Farmers" free. No statements made that are not corroborated by practical farmers who have grown rich on their Virginia farms.

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AROUND THE STATE.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Every factory in Lansing is running at present.

Salvation Army soldiers from Chicago are conducting a revival at Lawton.

Adrian Aglin died at Napanee from injuries sustained by falling out of his wagon.

There are 10,000 Sunday school children in Jackson county. Every township is organized.

Farmers of Branch and Calhoun counties complain that dogs are killing many of their sheep.

Genesee county's wealth, as assessed and equalized by the board of supervisors, reaches $21,000,000.

Five head of cattle perished in the barn of Farmer Andrew Heart which burned recently near New Haven.

Apples are plenty around Vicksburg this year, over 2,500 barrels having been bought and shipped, mostly to Chicago.

The artesian well under the county farm at Traverse City has been completed. It is flowing at the rate of 2,500 barrels of water daily.

Michigan boys, under the law, can now shoot sparrows, and will be paid by the county clerk at the rate of three cents per head for so doing.

At the recent session of the Kalamazoo County Sunday School association resolutions were adopted against riding on street cars on Sunday and buying Sunday newspapers.

The Traverse City Lumber company's mills closed down for the winter. The cut for the season at Traverse City has been 15,000,000 feet of lumber, and at East Jordan mill 4,000,000.

The attendance at the state school at Coldwater last year was 220, 180 of which were boys. The average age of the children was 8 years. The total expense of supporting the school last year was $35,000.

SUED FOR $25,000 DAMAGES.

Fire Commissioner Goodfellow Brings Action Against Detroit's Mayor.

DETROIT, Nov. 3.—Fire Commissioner BruceGoodfellow began suit Friday afternoon against Mayor Pingree for $25,000 damages. The mayor and the fire commission recently became involved in a quarrel because the latter refused Pingree access to its books. The mayor shortly afterward asked the common council to impeach Goodfellow, the president of the commission, for malfeasance in office. On this charge Goodfellow's present suit is based. This makes a total of $80,000 damages claimed against the mayor, all growing out of the same controversy.

One Editor Sues Another.

ANN ARBOR, Nov. 2.—A mild sensation was caused Thursday when Paul S. Suckey, editor of Hausfreund and Post and candidate for county treasurer on the democratic ticket, commenced suit against Eugene Helber, editor of the new Washtenaw Post, the rival German paper, claiming damages in $25,000. The cause of the suit is an article published by Helber charging Suckey with incompetency in keeping his books. Mr. Suckey says the suit will be prosecuted to the conclusion.

New Industry for Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 31.—Ground has been broken for George H. Hess, Son & Co.'s new factory. This firm is a large manufacturer of opaque window shades and window cloths in Toronto, and having gained money and reputation in Canada, has concluded to open a factory in Detroit. The factory will be 210x50 feet on the ground and three stories high.

Rush Iron Ore Forward.

ISHPEMING, Nov. 2.—The railroads are running extra trains and the heaviest forwarding of iron ore of the season is now going on. The Bessemer ore production of the Lake Superior district will be the largest ever mined, and the total production of ore for the season will reach 7,250,000 gross tons by the close of navigation.

Heavy Shipments from Saginaw.

BAY CITY, Nov. 1.—Shipments from the Saginaw river for October were larger than for any single month in two or three years past. Bay City shipped 24,400,000 feet of lumber, 595,000 pieces of lath, 600,000 shingles and 5,035 barrels of salt. Saginaw shipped 7,898,000 feet of lumber, making a total for the river of 32,306,000 feet.

Won by a Michigan Man.

TRAVERSE CITY, Nov. 2.—Martin Blake, of Iowa, was defeated Thursday night by M. F. Dwyer, of Grand Rapids, in a wrestling match, best three out of five falls. It lasted two hours, and the first fall was by Dwyer in forty minutes. Blake weighed twenty-six pounds heavier than Dwyer.

None Are Barred.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 1.—The Kalamazoo County Schools association, which has a membership of over 10,000, met here. An attempt to shut out from attending the annual rallies the Jews, Catholics and Unitarians was voted down by a vote of 8 to 1.

Charged with Burglary.

MILLBROOK, Nov. 2.—The general store of Carman & Childs here was recently burglarized of about $1,000 worth of property. Will Allen has been arrested charged with the offense. He has been bound over to the circuit court for trial.

St. Joseph Gets the County Seat.

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 3.—The supreme court has set aside the judgment of the court below and sustained the validity of the proceedings removing the county seat of Berrien county from Berrien Springs to St. Joseph. This ends a long fight.

Peculiar Accident.

STURGIS, Nov. 4.—Caleb J. Brown's 6-year-old son misbehaved and the father used his hand in administering an old-fashioned spanking. His hand was badly broken in the operation.

High School Happenings.

Harold Hatch called at the High School Monday.

Will Allen, of Macon, visited Miss Gray's room last Thursday.

Wallace House, formerly of this place, with Robe Hosmer called on Miss Gray one day last week.

Miss Howell, of Ann Arbor, commenced teaching in the ninth grade room Monday morning, taking the place of Miss Elder.

Clarence Jackson studied the laws of falling bodies by actual experiment last Tuesday, and found the principal law to be that they fell.

The teachers of the schools attended the institute at Adrian last Friday and Saturday, giving the weary scholars a much needed rest.

Table Talk.

"Table Talk" for November is typical and characteristic of this bright little magazine which is so useful in the home, giving, as it does, the very latest hints in the culinary line; in fashions; in etiquette, in the art of entertaining at this, the late Autumnal and Thanksgiving season—in fact, in everything that interests the bright, progressive women of to-day. The housekeeper's inquiry department is especially attractive to those interested in broadening their knowledge and continually having something new and attractive upon their tables. Menus are given too, for every meal in the month—good, practical tested menus. A sample copy is offered to our readers free, upon application to the office in Philadelphia.

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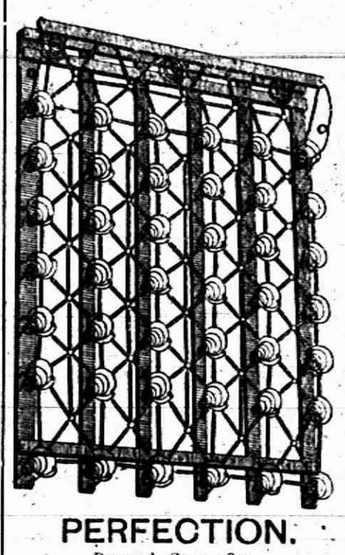

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FOR SALE.—The E. F. Blood Estate Farm can be bought at a low figure this fall. 60 acres, with good buildings; or more land, if you want. Inquire of (oct18tf) C. H. BLOOD.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Wendling, next Monday evening.

Ira Waterman and Fred B. Wood were in town Tuesday.

Remember the social at Deacon Cod-dington's, Nov. 15th.

L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian, took dinner at the Lilley House Monday.

The "Friday Club" will meet with Miss Charles Burridge this week.

Mr. Wendling's subject next Monday evening will be "Popular Delusions."

The reserved seat sale for Wendling's lecture will open Friday morning at Kirchgessner's.

George R. Wendling, the celebrated lecturer, will open the Tecumseh Star Course Monday evening, Nov. 12th.

Attention farmers! Sure cure for lice in chickens and turkeys. Enquire of ORR & TEMPLE.

E. F. Kirchgessner, Mrs. R. C. Ellis, Mrs. Jno J. Orr and many others attended Sousa's concert at Adrian Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Graves, of Cambridge, Mich., and sister Mrs. Sterling of South Bend, Ind., were in town Tuesday.

At the Methodist Church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Young Women and Their Salvation."

The Young People of the Baptist church, will give an oyster and photograph social at the home of Etta Coddington, Thursday evening, Nov. 15th. Ladies requested to bring their first photo. All come and have a good time.

Mr. A. B. Bangs and Mrs. Etta A. Griffin of Adrian were married by Rev. J. P. Varner, in Adrian, last Thursday. Mrs. Bangs has been teaching in that city nine years. She resigned her position on Friday before their marriage.

On account of the storm of Friday evening, Nov. 2, the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club postponed their meeting until Friday, Nov. 16th, to be held at George Swarts. The program will be the same as announced before, and at its close there will be the annual election of officers. Let everybody come.

Read a communication of recent date from Mrs. J. E. Wood, who for many years lived on the farm near Mrs. Rec-tor's now owned by the Hendershot's, and for a time in our village, we learn that she has moved from Chicago to New York city, and so writes to have the HERALD sent to her new address. Mrs. Wood is well known to many of the older citizens.

The thirty-fourth Annual Convention of the Michigan State Sunday School Association will be held in the Fountain Street Baptist Church, Grand Rapids, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, November 13, 14 and 15, 1894. The Convention will open on Tuesday Evening, and that session will be held in Lookerby Hall; the subsequent sessions will be held in the Fountain Street Baptist Church.

The new short story "The Workingman's Tariff" by E. Cora DePuy, is now on sale by the American News Co., and may be secured by applying to any newsdealer. The price is only five cents and every voter should read this story before he votes again, and every woman should read the story so as to understand the workings of the tariff, and the manner in which it robs a poor person. Ask your newsdealer for it.

While in Britton Saturday, we took occasion to call on some of the hustling merchants there. We found all as busy as bees. In Lee Bros' the boys were selling people to shoes, hats and caps, and the array of each placed before their customers were very attractive. In Hardson's they were showing dress goods and other goods in great profusion. We found Jas. Haight busy as usual in his cosy hardware store which is a model of neatness; the stock is nicely arranged, complete, and tastily displayed. Owing to our time being limited we could get no further, but on our next visit will call on the rest of the busness men. Everywhere there was an air of business that was refreshing.

For the Star Course this season the Maud Powell String Quartet will be one of the greatest attractions. Miss Mabel Hayden, whose own musical education and talents render her well qualified to judge, has written the following graceful tribute to Miss Powell's art:

Dear Mr. Anderson:—I cannot resist the temptation to write thanking you and the others of the committee for bringing Miss Maude Powell here this year. She is the only lady violinist who played at the International Music Festival at Vienna two years ago, and she is an American girl! She is ranked with Camilla Urso and Madame Neruda, and we Americans have every right to be proud of her. Her violin is a rare Cremona whose sweetness she brings out with grace and skill. I have not heard the Mlersch Brothers, her support, but I know their world-wide reputation. It is one of the gala evenings, three celebrated artists! I know there are many who feel like thanking you all for such a musical treat.

With sincerity,
MABEL HAYDEN.

Wendling, next Monday evening.

Joseph Egan visited the county seat Thursday.

Doctor J. L. Tuttle, of Clinton, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf was an Adrian visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Howland visited Adrian friends the last of the week.

Chas. Burridge's legal business called him to Adrian Monday.

Miss Celia Jones, of Raisin, accompanied the Comfort's on their trip to Florida.

Leon McNiel visited Adrian friends over Sunday and listened to Sousa's band.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Q. Jones entertained Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Ypsilanti, Monday.

Miss Harriet Knapp and Miss Inez Thorp visited Miss Hattie Osborn in Macon from Friday until Monday.

The W. R. C. will give a supper at their hall, 5 to 7 o'clock, Thursday, Nov. 15th, to replenish funds. All are invited.

W. A. Wood and wife, who have been visiting relatives and friends here, returned to their home at Uhrichville, O. Saturday.

Miss Agnes Woodward gave a penoche party Saturday evening for a small company of friends to meet Miss Mana Monaghan.

Horatio Keyser and wife left Tuesday for a month's visit with friends at Eaton Rapids. Horatio voted straight before leaving.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman was called to Ypsilanti Tuesday on account of the serious and probably fatal illness of her mother, Mrs. Hope.

Mrs. Geo. W. Stacy and daughter, Mrs. Celia Frasher, after a week's visit among old friends and neighbors returned to their home in Buffalo Monday.

Miss Mabel Hayden left Monday for Austin, Texas, where she has an engagement to teach music both vocal and instrumental. She will reside with Dr. and Mrs. Morrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Comfort, daughter Sadie and Miss Celia Jones left Tuesday for a trip to Florida. They were accompanied by Mrs. Libbie Mead who will visit her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Swan.

Chas. VanAntwerp and wife who have been sojourning in the east for two months, returned home Friday night from New York city, and henceforth Charlie's smiling countenance may be seen in their popular restaurant.

"Great and powerful as Ingersoll and Cook are, it is a great pleasure to turn from both and hear Wendling. His language, his logic, his imagination his enunciation, his method, are all of the old Everett and Channing school."—Prof. David Swing.

Co. C had a good audience at the Armory last Tuesday evening to witness Stacy's views of the World's Fair, and there was also a good attendance last evening, considering the storm. The third lecture will be given this evening, instead of Friday as first announced.

The west end fire brigade was called up at half past 12 o'clock last Thursday night to extinguish a fire which had started in Uncle Richard Harkness tenant house. Quick work prevented much damage. Hurry up the water-works on the corner of Adrian and Cummins St.

M. Brown, Jr., who is occupying the Richard's store, gave his impacted air treatment to a large number of patrons last week. It seems to be an excellent remedy for a certain class of ailments, as we can testify from a personal trial. He will remain here for a month and possibly two months.

Last Sunday evening the services at St. Peters Episcopal church were very interesting. In place of the voluntary Miss Mabel Hayden sang a solo, playing a violin accompaniment, also sang an offertory with organ accompaniment, both of which were rendered in a charming manner. Mr. Blachford's sermon was listened to with close attention.

The annual reunion of the H. B. S. S. class took place last Saturday at Jas. H. Potter's residence. Thirty-five baskets contained a menu that was out of sight—by nine o'clock—and so were "Helen's Babies." The H. B's are permanently organized and will meet with Miss Hattie Woodward in 1895. Two happy girls with violin and piano, furnished music for this entertainment.

The Adrian Press issued a trade edition last week, which was a double number, of sixteen pages, eight of which was devoted to a "write up" of the Maple City. The special pages are profusely illustrated with portraits and cuts of stores and other buildings. They also contain historical sketches of all the leading business and manufacturing firms. It is without doubt the finest special edition of a newspaper ever issued in Lenawee County.

Below is the program for the ordination services to be held at the Universalist church, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week: Monday evening, 7:30, Nov. 12th, Sermon by Walter A. Taylor, of Jackson. Tuesday, 2 p. m., Council for examination of candidate for ordination. 7:30 p. m., Platform meeting, Rev. H. L. Thornton, of Lapeer, "The Mission of the Universalist church; Rev. Chas. Legal, of Lansing, Loyalty to the church. Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., Sermon by Rev. Lee S. McCollister, of Detroit; 7:30 p. m. Ordination service.

Wendling, next Monday evening.

Geo. Chidester visited Rea Monday.

Read A. C. Maples new card in another column.

Mrs. Chas. Ham, of Jackson, is visiting friends here.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M. Friday night.

Mrs. Grace Burnett listened to Sousa's band concert at Adrian.

Dr. Walter Fowler, of Clinton, was calling on friends Monday.

Attend the regular meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter to-night.

Frank Osborn, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Tecumseh friends this week.

Miss Georgia Storey, of Adrian, was the guest of John Hughes and family over Sunday.

Have you got your ticket for the Star Course? If not, it is high time you were about it.

E. F. Kirchgessner and sisters are attending a pedro party at their father's in Clinton, to-night.

W. F. Stimpson, of the Stimpson Scale Co. arrived yesterday and expects to remain here indefinitely.

The sixteenth annual convention of the Lenawee county W. C. T. U. is in session this week at Blissfield.

School closed last Friday to give the teachers an opportunity to attend the inspiration institute at Adrian.

The Star Lecture Course will be well inaugurated next Monday evening with a lecture by the eloquent Wendling.

The free reading room at the Universalist church was a happy thought on the part of the pastor. It is well patronized.

Ben Lauer, of Cambridge, was a caller at the HERALD office last Tuesday. He does not get down this way as often as he used to.

An apple twig, containing several blossoms, taken from a tree in N. M. Sutton's orchard, was on exhibition in this office last week.

Mrs. F. P. Coder, of Norvell, was in town Tuesday morning, on her way home from Elgin Ill., where she has been visiting friends for a couple of weeks.

Subjects for next Sunday at the Universalist church; morning: "Customs of the Church;" evening: "The Eternal Separation of the Righteous from the Unrighteous".

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. are utilizing their large brick office near the Lake Shore depot, in a new way, having put a fine stock of groceries therein. They invite a share of the public patronage.

Cyrus W. Wells, of Minneapolis, does not forget his old Tecumseh friends. He is hustling in business as usual, and does not grow old a particle. He finds the HERALD a very welcome weekly visitor in his household.

Garlinghouse & Co. are now putting agents on the road to sell their Stimpson scales. They have had some special trunks made to carry a sample scale. These trunks are models of convenience, made by M. Maier & Co. of Detroit. The outlook is good for building up a large trade for the sale of these scales.

Rev. C. M. Brown's second lecture on the "Life of Christ," illustrated with the stereopticon, was given at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. The lantern worked smoothly and the descriptive portions were exceedingly entertaining. About forty views were presented to an audience that filled every seat in the church.

Maurice Nay, of Holloway, who has been sick with the typhoid fever for some time, died last Monday. The Holloway items in the HERALD came from his pen, and they were always spicy and newsy. Maurice was a young man of excellent character and bright promise and a universal favorite among his acquaintances. The funeral was held this forenoon at the Universalist church, conducted by the pastor.

Geo. W. Knapp wife and child left Tuesday for St. Louis, Mich. He will there join a party of friends for a hunting expedition in the northern part of the lower peninsula. While George is slaughtering deer, bears and wolves, Mrs Knapp will visit friends. They expect to be gone some weeks.

Mesdames Avery, Hanly, Jordan, Spaulding, Thompson and Aldridge, of Beers Relief Corps, attended the district convention at Hudson, Oct. 25th. They had a lovely day given to them and upon arriving at Hudson, were highly entertained. The meeting was instructive and much interest manifested.

Mr. Wendling is a native Illinoisian—had a University Education—a young lawyer with a large practice—received an invitation from one of the leading bureaus to lecture—accepted the invitation intending to remain on the platform only a few weeks. His lectures achieved instant and universal popularity. He has since given a portion of each year to work. His home is at Washington, D.C. In reponse to many inquiries we state that he is an Episcopalian. He devotes most of his time now to literary work. His private affairs are such that he cannot fill many engagements. One hundred and thirty nights upon the platform during the first five months of his career as a popular orator, and over 1,400 nights in the eight following years, is Mr. Wendling's record—a record not surpassed since the earlier days of Beecher, Gough and Phillips.

We want some wood at once.

Colonel Fenn, of Bridgewater, was in town Saturday.

Harriet Fox is visiting friends in Jackson this week.

Ralph Cummins, of Clinton, visited his people the first of the week.

Will Chidister, of Rea, is making his friends here happy by his presence.

The latest report from Doctor Ernest Gamble is that he is gaining slowly.

The meetings at the Friends church are growing in interest and attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baldwin, of Adrian, visited friends here over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Alexander, of Clinton, visited Tecumseh friends the last of the week.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher, Gertrude and Mrs. James Rue, visited Adrian friends Friday.

E. J. Hollister and wife left Saturday for a visit with friends at Sarnia, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marriott, of Detroit, were the guests of Tecumseh friends the last of the week.

Mrs. H. L. Stewart and Uena will leave Thursday, to spend the winter with the Doctor at Ocean Springs, Miss.

Mrs. James Rue, who has been visiting Mrs. Abbie Fisher for some weeks, returned to her home in Battle Creek, Saturday.

Dr. W. A. Frost is moving his office across the hall into the room vacated by A. James. The room is being repapered and painted, and when completed, it will make a very neat office for him.

Rev. J. P. Varner was in great demand during the late campaign. He received telegrams from Ispheming, a former parish urging, him to come and speak for Prohibition Monday night. His engagements were such that he could not respond.

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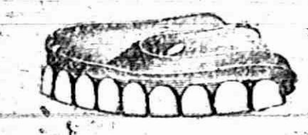

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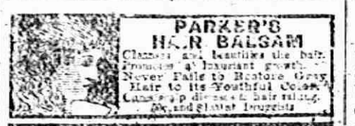

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PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

The State Board of Health Advocates a System of Disease Inspection.

LANSING, Nov. 1.—Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, said that an attempt would be made this winter to secure an appropriation by the legislature for a contagious disease inspection. What is actually needed in this state, he says, is three experts, whose duty shall be to look after outbreaks of diphtheria, scarlet fever and smallpox. Efforts to secure an appropriation for the salaries of such experts have been made to the legislature without avail, but Secretary Baker says that an appropriation of a few thousand dollars for such a purpose would save many thousands of dollars to the people of the state as well as in the saving of many lives. At present the state board of health has no one whom it can detail to make these inspections and no fund upon which to draw for such a purpose. The necessity for such an appropriation and the establishment of such inspection is illustrated by the fact that the outbreak of diphtheria in Elkton, Huron county, which has lasted eighteen months has already cost the county over $4,000.

ATTEMPTED TRIPLE MURDER.

Two Women Will Die from the Blows of a Hammer.

COLUMBIAVILLE, Nov. 1.—At 3 o'clock a. m. Wednesday an unknown man broke into Fred Skinner's house, about 3 miles from here and attempted to murder Mr. and Mrs. Skinner and the latter's mother, Mrs. Stanley. The man entered the house through the cellar, went first to Mrs. Stanle's room and struck her with a hammer, crushing her skull. He then went to Skinner's room, struck Mrs. Skinner three times on the head and face and attempted to brain Skinner, but the latter warded off the blow with a pillow. The murderer then ran from the house and has so far eluded capture.

The deed was done with a hammer taken from Skinner's tool chest. Mrs. Skinner and her mother are just alive, but there is little hope of the recovery of either. Mrs. Skinner's life was insured for $2,000 and suspicion points to those who would be benefited by her death.

Stole Enough to Start a Store.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 3.—Burglars raided the general store of Nicholas Bouman at Fisher Station and stole about $300 worth of goods, including tobacco, coffee, soap, rubber boots, overshoes, print cloth, patent medicines and a lot of flannel shirts and other clothing and provisions. In short, the robbers practically cleaned out the store.

Ex-Senator Palmer Ill.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 2.—Ex-Senator Thomas W. Palmer, president of the world's fair, is ill of nervous prostration at the sanitarium. Mr. Palmer attributes his present condition to campaign worry and his hard work in connection with the Columbian exposition.

Close of the Davis Mine.

NEGAUNEE, Nov. 4.—The Davis mine has closed, throwing seventy-five men out of work. The product was being shipped to the Weston furnace at Manistique. The depressed condition of the iron trade and the extremely low price of ore caused suspension of the works.

Tragic Fate of a Young Man.

ELMIRA, Nov. 2.—George Wise, a teamster in the employ of V. L. Parsons & Co., was thrown from a wagon in a runaway and instantly killed. He was about 25 years of age and unmarried. His relatives are in Canada.

May Lose a Professor.

LANSING, Nov. 3.—Clinton D. Smith, professor of agriculture at the Agricultural college, has been tendered the directorship of the Illinois experiment station at an annual salary of $3,000, and will doubtless accept.

Wanted to Pray with the Prisoners.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 5.—Five prisoners escaped from jail by sawing through the bars of a roof window. One is Matt Ryan, alias George Hayes, and Brock Ryan, burglar and pickpocket. The other four were colored horse thieves, Bill Dooley, James Jones, John Austin and Fred Miller. It is believed the saw was given to Lyan Ryan and man who came to the jail two weeks ago claiming to be a minister and wishing to pray with the prisoners.

Owner and Horse Die Together.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Thomas Meyers, a peddler, was called from his bed early in the morning to tend his horse, which had been taken suddenly ill. As he was leading the animal back and forth in the alley Meyer suddenly fell dead. The horse wandered to the end of the alley, about half a block away, where he lay down and died.

Cannot Use the Mails.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The post office department has issued orders declaring the Artisans' Savings and Loan association of Pittsburgh, Pa.; the Omaha (Neb.) Cooperative Supply company, and the American Saving and Loan association of Chicago to be fraudulent concerns and not entitled to use of the mails.

British Steamer Seized.

YOKOHAMA, Nov. 5.—The British steamer Gaelic, Capt. Pearne, which sailed from San Francisco, October 16, and which was due to leave for Hong Kong at noon, has been seized by the Japanese authorities. It is supposed that the seizure is due to the charge that she is carrying contraband of war.

Heir to a Fortune.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 5.—Corporal J. Hanson, stationed with the Nineteenth United States infantry at Fort Wayne, has just received information that by the death of an uncle in Denmark he has fallen into a legacy of $100,000.

AROUND THE STATE.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Every factory in Lansing is running at present.

Salvation Army soldiers from Chicago are conducting a revival at Lawton.

Adrian Aglin died at Napanee from injuries sustained by falling out of his wagon.

There are 10,000 Sunday school children in Jackson county. Every township is organized.

Farmers of Branch and Calhoun counties complain that dogs are killing many of their sheep.

Genesee county's wealth, as assessed and equalized by the board of supervisors, reaches $21,000,000.

Five head of cattle perished in the barn of Farmer Andrew Heart which burned recently near New Haven.

Apples are plenty around Vicksburg this year, over 2,500 barrels having been bought and shipped, mostly to Chicago.

The artesian well under the county farm at Traverse City has been completed. It is flowing at the rate of 2,500 barrels of water daily.

Michigan boys, under the law, can now shoot sparrows, and will be paid by the county clerk at the rate of three cents per head for so doing.

At the recent session of the Kalamazoo County Sunday School association resolutions were adopted against riding on street cars on Sunday and buying Sunday newspapers.

The Traverse City Lumber company's mills closed down for the winter. The cut for the season at Traverse City has been 15,000,000 feet of lumber, and at East Jordan mill 4,000,000.

The attendance at the state school at Coldwater last year was 220, 180 of which were boys. The average age of the children was 8 years. The total expense of supporting the school last year was $55,000.

SUED FOR $25,000 DAMAGES.

Fire Commissioner Goodfellow Brings Action Against Detroit's Mayor.

DETROIT, Nov. 3.—Fire Commissioner Bruce Goodfellow began suit Friday afternoon against Mayor Pingree for $25,000 damages. The mayor and the fire commission recently became involved in a quarrel because the latter refused Pingree access to its books. The mayor shortly afterward asked the common council to impeach Goodfellow, the president of the commission, for malfeasance in office. On this charge Goodfellow's present suit is based. This makes a total of $80,000 damages claimed against the mayor, all growing out of the same controversy.

One Editor Sues Another.

ANN ARBOR, Nov. 2.—A mild sensation was caused Thursday when Paul S. Suckey, editor of Haus-freund and Post and candidate for county treasurer on the democratic ticket, commenced suit against Eugene Helber, editor of the new Wahrenaw Post, the rival German paper, claiming damages in $25,000. The cause of the suit is an article published by Helber charging Suckey with incompetency in keeping his books. Mr. Suckey says the suit will be prosecuted to the conclusion.

New Industry for Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 31.—Ground has been broken for George H. Hess, Son & Co.'s new factory. This firm is a large manufacturer of opaque window shades and window cloths in Toronto, and having gained money and reputation in Canada, has concluded to open a factory in Detroit. The factory will be 210x50 feet on the ground and three stories high.

Rush Iron Ore Forward.

ISHPEMING, Nov. 2.—The railroads are running extra trains and the heaviest forwarding of iron ore of the season is now going on. The Bessemer ore production of the Lake Superior district will be the largest ever mined, and the total production of ore for the season will reach 7,250,000 gross tons by the close of navigation.

Heavy Shipments from Saginaw.

BAY CITY, Nov. 1.—Shipments from the Saginaw river for October were larger than for any single month in two or three years. At Bay City shipped 24,000,000 feet of lumber, 5,500,000 pieces of lath, 6,000,000 shingles and 5,000 barrels of salt. Saginaw shipped 17,800,000 feet of lumber, making a total for the river of 82,300,000 feet.

Won by a Michigan Man.

TRAVERSE CITY, Nov. 2.—Martin Blake, of Iowa, was defeated Thursday night by M. F. Dwyer, of Grand Rapids, in a wrestling match, best three out of five falls. It lasted two hours, and the first fall was by Dwyer in forty minutes. Blake weighed twenty-six pounds heavier than Dwyer.

None Are Barred.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 1.—The Kalamazoo County Schools association, which has a membership of over 10,000, met here. An attempt to shut out from attending the annual rallies the Jews, Catholics and Unitarians was voted down by a vote of 8 to 1.

Charged with Burglary.

MILLBROOK, Nov. 2.—The general store of Carman & Childs here was recently burglarized of about $1,000 worth of property. Will Allen has been arrested charged with the offense. He has been bound over to the circuit court for trial.

St. Joseph Gets the County Seat.

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 3.—The supreme court has set aside the judgment of the court below and sustained the validity of the proceedings removing the county seat of Berrien county from Berrien Springs to St. Joseph. This ends a long fight.

Peculiar Accident.

STURGIS, Nov. 4.—Caleb J. Brown's 5-year-old son misbehaved and the father used his hand in administering an old-fashioned spanking. His hand was badly broken in the operation.

LAND GRANT LITIGATION.

Important Michigan Case Soon to Be Heard by the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The supreme court will hear arguments within the next few days in the somewhat famous land grant cases from the state of Michigan, in which the Lake Superior Ship Canal, Railway and Iron company is plaintiff and Walter Cunningham, Hugh Finan and Michael Donohue the defendants. These are only test cases. Their determination will settle a long contested dispute over the ownership of about 400,000 acres of valuable land. This land the canal and railroad company claims under grants made by congress through the state of Michigan in 1864 for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the canal. The defendants and many other people settled upon the land and made tender of declaratory stamps under the preemption law which the local registers and receivers refused to receive. They have brought the cases through the interior department and the courts, alleging the company's title had been secured by irregular and illegal action and by attempting to show the title was not in the United States at the time of the selection, because, they assert, the lands selected were embraced in the grant of lands made to the state for railroad purposes in 1856. J. F. Dillon appears as principal counsel for the company and Don M. Dickinson in the same capacity for the settlers.

A BRIGHT OUTLOOK.

Gov. Rich Thinks Times Have Improved in the Upper Peninsula.

LANSING, Nov. 1.—Gov. Rich has returned from the upper peninsula where he put in several days discussing the political issues. He stated that, generally speaking, he found things in a much better condition than he had anticipated. "There are, of course, many idle people in the iron country," said the governor, "and those who are at work are getting small wages, but there is an improvement over last year. The miners are making a living, and many of them are being employed in the lumber camps at fairly good wages. Those who had money enough got out of the country this spring, and I hardly think there will be any great suffering this winter."

Detroit Has a Sensation.

DETROIT, Nov. 2.—Two women, one of them bearing the name of Sophie Brady, and a man named John Reilly have been locked up by the police on a charge of attempted blackmail. Last week the Brady woman, the police charge, wrote a letter to one of the society leaders in the city, and the wife of a millionaire merchant, making threats and demanding $50 as the price of silence. The police refuse to make public the name of the woman maligned.

Bank of Sturgis Victorious.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 2.—The jury in the case of the Citizens' bank of Sturgis, Mich., vs. R. R. Cockrill, receiver of the First national bank of this city, to recover $10,000 and interest on two notes, brought in a verdict at 6 o'clock Thursday morning in favor of the plaintiff for the full amount. The suit was a test case and involves a large sum of the defunct First national bank's liabilities.

A Strike Threatened.

DETROIT, Nov. 5.—A strike involving every English daily paper in the city is one of the probabilities of the near future. For several months the publishers have been endeavoring to secure a new scale of wages for compositors that would reduce the present scale somewhat. The men have so far refused to accept any reduction and practically announce they will fight if any is made.

A Cheeky Swindler.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 2.—A stranger flimflammed Hall Brothers, druggists, out of $20 each by asking for change, as he desired to send money away, and he left a letter with each purporting to contain the money. The letter contained a warning to the parties not to make a complaint or he would prosecute for opening the letters.

Pronounced Sane.

LANSING, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Minnie Herre, who last summer poisoned her young son and who was recently acquitted of murder on the ground of insanity, was on Friday pronounced sane by a commission of experts and will be discharged from custody. The doctors say that the crime was the result of insanity, which has now totally disappeared.

President Angell Refuses It.

ANN ARBOR, Nov. 2.—President Angell of the university has been prominently mentioned here as Prof. Swing's successor in the great Central church at Chicago. He was asked to preach a sermon next Sunday. The president, however, will remain in Ann Arbor. He has declined to preach even once.

A Good Season's Work.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 2.—Two large canning factories have closed down for the season, having completed the work of the year. This displaces about 100 hands. The two factories this season put up over half a million three-pound cans of various kinds of fruit, besides thousands of larger and smaller sizes.

Gift to Hope College.

HOLLAND, Nov. 1.—President Kollen, of Hope college, has received five boxes containing 627 volumes from Hon. N. F. Graves, of Syracuse, N. Y., to be placed in the Graves library for the use of the college, and accompanied with drafts for $300 for the purchase of late publications most needed.

Will Investigate the Books.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 2.—Prosecuting Attorney Frost has begun suit against ex-Sheriff Downey for $1,000 for misappropriated funds. This will lead to a general investigation of the county books for the past ten years, as many charges are made against ex-officials.

How to Avoid Farm Work in Summer.

It never gets so hot in the South as does in the North. There are never sunstrokes in the South. The hotter the weather the harder the Northern farmer has to work to save his crops, while down South the farmers do their farm work during the Fall, Winter and Spring, when the weather is cool, and during the Summer they take it easy. It is always cool in the shade down South and the nights are always cool. The thermometer seldom gets above 80. The hottest day during the past five years was 97 degrees.

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DOMESTIC.

THE Gardenthester at St. Louis was destroyed by fire and Albert Shaw was burned to death and several others had narrow escapes.

THE Illinois supreme court declared unconstitutional the law exempting building and loan associations from taxation.

SNOW fell in many northwestern states, reaching a depth of 6 inches at Sioux City, Ia.

THE men who robbed the Pacific express office at The Dalles, Ore., of $14,000 were captured and nearly all the booty recovered.

A MAJORITY of the United Presbyterian Ministers' association of Pittsburgh declared in favor of the taxing of church property.

AN investigation has resulted in the discovery of a shortage of $12,600 in the accounts of Treasurer Barney, of Defiance, O.

ALL of the inmates of the white house were vaccinated as a necessary precaution in view of the appearance of smallpox in Washington.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 29th was: Wheat, 78,100,000 bushels; corn, 2,759,000 bushels; oats, 9,223,000 bushels; rye, 435,000 bushels; barley, 3,509,000 bushels.

SEVEN members of the notorious Cook band of outlaws were captured and were taken to Fort Smith, Ark.

J. D. ROE fatally shot Ed McAlester, his rival for the affections of a young lady at Dayton, Mo., and then killed himself.

HENRY W. PURCHASE, of Philadelphia, was awarded damages of $35,000 against the Pennsylvania railroad for injuries received in a train wreck.

TEN horses were suffocated in a fire in Fred Ross' stable in Chicago.

CYCLIST TYLER rode 2 miles on a bicycle with flying start in 4:04 at Waltham, Mass., making a new record.

HENRY F. SCHATZEL, a Brooklyn (N. Y.) banker, lays claim to property in Texas once owned by his uncle, and now worth $25,000,000.

D. W. CALDWELL, president of the Nickel Plate, was made president of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL LEMLY, of the navy, in his annual report favorably comments on the new law permitting alien sailors in the American navy to be naturalized.

MRS. JOHN STANLEY and her daughter, Mrs. Skinner, were fatally injured with a hammer by a robber who entered their home near Columbiaville, Mich.

MISS ELLA STANTON, 19 years old, of Philadelphia, threw a handful of red pepper into the eyes of Thomas Roland because he insisted on paying attentions to her. The young man will be blind.

THE third attempt in two months was made to burn the Akron Building & Cabinet company's plant at Akron, O.

JAMES P. WIELETT, a lifelong resident of the district, was appointed postmaster of Washington by the president.

A FRENCH secret society called "The Macquereaux" was alleged to be responsible for the murder of two women in Denver.

WILLIAM GRIFFIN and Leroy Moores, Perfien county (Ga.) farmers, fought a duel with axes, both being killed.

THREE unknown men were killed by a freight train wreck on the Beach Creek railroad near Peale, Pa. They had revolvers and burglars' tools and were supposed to have been cracksmen.

REWARDS were offered by the postmaster general for the arrest and conviction of highway mail robbers and post office burglars.

IN his annual report Commissioner of Education Harris points out the great educational influence of newspapers and magazines.

TWO MEN entered the jewelry store in Chicago of the Brethauer company in broad daylight, locked the attendant in the vault and carried off $6,000 worth of goods.

THROUGH an error in enrolling the bill, Pennsylvania's marriage license law will not become operative until October 1, 1895.

SEVEN persons were suffocated in a tenement-house fire in New York and a woman who jumped from a third-story window was fatally injured.

CYCLIST JOHNSON broke all records at Buffalo, N. Y., by riding an unpaced mile in 1:57 4-5.

JOHN KREPS and David Jones were instantly killed and Benjamin Mount fatally injured by the explosion of a sawmill boiler at Parkersburg, W. Va.

JAMES HERDMAN, a banker at Pittsburgh, Pa., and one of its best known citizens, died from pneumonia, aged 79 years.

JULES REZSE, steward of the Washington Park club in Chicago, was said to have embezzled $15,000. He fled after burning his books.

JOHN R. ENGLEBERT, an engineer, manager of a Tennessee iron company, was killed at Rife, Pa., by a boy whom he attempted to frighten.

DISTILLERS at Baltimore, Md., will test the constitutionality of that section of the new tariff increasing the tax on whisky in bond.

THE twenty-second annual congress of the Association for the Advancement of Women was in session at Knoxville, Tenn.

ONE of the recent developments of the brewers' war at St. Joseph, Mo., was the mutilation of horses belonging to the brewers. The employes were suspected.

FIRE that started in the car shops at Newburyport, Mass., caused a loss of $180,000.

DAVID YOUNG, a prominent farmer near Stockton, Cal., failed for $114,275.

The Scissorsman. "Why have they fired the new political editorial writer?" The Humorist. "Because there wasn't any fire in him."

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WILLIAM JONES and George Buckland, miners near Nanticoke, Pa., were drowned by a rush of water.

MRS. HELEN M. GOUGER was for the seventeenth time elected president of the Indiana Equal Suffrage association in session at Marion.

EDWARD MARTIN was lynched in Crittenden county, Ky., because he would not turn state's evidence against the outlaw, Bill Goode.

WILLIAM JONES, the owner of a number of coal mines at Silver Creek, O., was struck by a train at Akron, O., and killed.

AN attempt to wreck a Lake Shore train at Fernham Station, O., was frustrated by a track walker's vigilance.

IN a collision on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western road near Scranton, Pa., Engineer James Lynot and Fireman Elmer Scull, of a coal train, and Fireman William C. Hosey, of an express train, were instantly killed.

WORK of surveying for a ship canal to connect Lake Erie and the Ohio river is to be begun at once.

The president has named Thursday, November 29, as Thanksgiving day.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased $13,680,853 during the month of October. The cash balance in the treasury was $107,340,145. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $911,897,571.

HENRY SCHMEHL, a Chicago pedestrian, won a wager of $500 by walking from Indianapolis to Chicago in 71 hours and 9 minutes.

BURGLARS entered the bank at West Winfield, N. Y., blew the door of the vault off with dynamite and secured about $1,000 in money.

FREDERICK WIEL, aged 35 years, a member of the United States marine corps, shot his mistress, Annie Grandy, aged 23, at Washington, and then killed himself.

PROF. HOURWICH, of the Chicago university, a Russian refugee, believes the czar's death will remove the ban on Jews.

THE Industrial Land & Development company of May's Landing, N. J., failed for $150,000; assets, $115,000.

It was estimated that 3,000 government employes left Washington for their homes in order to vote at the coming election.

EDWIN GOTT, JR., son of the secretary of state of Maryland, was fatally hurt by hazers in the Maryland agricultural college.

THE weather bureau at Washington says that on the whole conditions during October were generally favorable for farm work, especially for fall plowing and gathering corn.

AT San Jose, Cal., Senator L. trotted 4 miles in 10:12, lowering the world's record 40½ seconds.

THE government receipts in October aggregated $19,182,240, or $3,500,000 less than during September. Customs receipts were $11,902,118, or $3,500,000 less than in September. The expenditures during October aggregated $32,713,039, against $30,250,000 in September, and $25,500,000 in October, 1893.

THREE masked men robbed a train at New Albany, Miss., but aside from a little jewelry they secured no booty.

REPORTS to the director of the mint show coinage for October as follows, Gold, $2,911,800; silver, $1,217,000, of which $600,000 was standard dollars; minor coin, $23,900. Total, $4,152,700.

FOURTEEN white caps who took part in the battle in Sevier county, Tenn., in which three men were killed, were arrested.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 2d aggregated $923,557,316, against $911,918,325 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 12.8.

IN a race between an electric car and a train at Cincinnati a collision occurred and eight persons were injured.

AT Point Breeze, Pa., Robert J. defeated John R. Gentry in two heats of 2:08 and 2:12½, when the latter was drawn.

THE Michigan supreme court has sustained the validity of the proceedings removing the county seat of Berrien county from Berrien Springs to St. Joseph.

GOVERNMENT officials at Washington will cause a rigid inspection of German imports in retaliation for the embargo on American cattle.

THERE were 249 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 2d, against 231 the week previous and 358 in the corresponding time in 1893.

AT South Omaha, Neb., the beef-house and office of the Hammond Packing company was burned, entailing a loss of $500,000. Two firemen were killed.

HURRICANES in Texas and Louisiana injured a number of people and destroyed a great amount of property.

MRS. HERMANN, the missing Lexow witness, was put on the stand and said she had paid $25,000 hush money to the New York police.

SNOWSTORMS were reported from Michigan and Illinois points. At Calumet, Mich., there was a fall of 8 inches.

FIVE world's records and four class A marks were broken by bicycle riders on the track at Waltham, Mass.

WITHOUT provocation William Gipp shot his mother dead in Buffalo, N. Y., and then fatally wounded his father.

TWO MEMBERS of the notorious Cook gang of train robbers were captured by citizens of Cushing, O. T.

ANNOYED by playing children, Daniel Wood, of St. Joseph, Mo., fired into the crowd, fatally wounding Willie Ware and Rose Delaney.

MRS. LOUISE YOUNG was granted a divorce at Cincinnati and $40,000 alimony from Gen. Hal C. Young.

JOHN JACOB ASTOR proposes to erect in New York the greatest hotel in the world, to cost $8,000,000.

AT Chillicothe, O., John S. Johnson rode a third of a mile on a bicycle in 0:32 2-5, breaking the world's record.

T. M. LATIMER, of Allegheny, Pa., dry goods merchant, failed for $100,000.

BUSINESS men in Toledo, O., were preparing to investigate an alleged steal of $1,000,000 of the city's funds.

ALBERT JENNINGS, known as "Alamazoo" to every ball player in the country, died at the city hospital in Cincinnati from a surgical operation.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

DR. EUGENE CROWELL, the author of two works on spiritualism, of which he was a strong advocate, died at New York, aged 78 years.

E. G. WAITE, secretary of state of California and a candidate for re-election, died at Alameda. He was made ill by worry over political matters.

A. J. HOLMES, for twenty years one of the millionaires of San Francisco, died at the almshouse.

MISS ELLEN STUBBLEFIELD, who claimed to be 116 years old, died at Atchison, Kan.

MRS. LYDIA CALDWELL KING MULOCK died at Middletown, N. Y., at the age of 100 years.

GILCHRIST PORTER, ex-member of congress, died at his home in Hannibal, Mo., of heart disease, aged 77 years.

OWING to a mistake in the hall Dennis Winters, a Hill orator, delivered a democratic speech to republicans in New York.

AMOS T. ROOT, of Whitewater, Wis., is dead. He was 102 years of age and a pensioner for services in the war of 1812.

FOREIGN.

SIX FOREIGN toreadors who were engaged in the bull fights at Nimes have been expelled from France.

TWO PASSENGER trains collided at Redfern, N. S. W., and seven persons were scalded to death and thirty injured.

THE British steamer Tormes struck Crow Rock near Milford Haven and twenty-one men, including the captain and officers, went drowned.

THE Union line steamer Wairaipa, bound from Sydney to Auckland, N. Z., was wrecked on Great Barrier island, off the northeast coast of New Zealand, and 112 of the passengers and twenty-three of the crew were drowned.

AN asylum for the insane at Joenkoeping, Sweden, was destroyed by fire and fifteen of the inmates were burned to death.

FLOODS destroyed the best crops around Dunkirk, France, and did enormous damage to other farm crops. Courtrai and Mouserou were partly under water.

REBELS in Peru burned the British consulate, imprisoned the consul and killed his wife and daughter. English warships were ordered to Callao.

ALEXANDER III., emperor of Russia, died at Livadia. He was 49 years of age and had been emperor fourteen years.

ENRAGED because Dr. Zaccharin did not save the czar's life, residents of Moscow wrecked the doctor's house.

ADVICES from Honduras report the discovery of the remains of an ancient Toltec city in the center of a mahogany swamp near Rio Grande. They comprise hundreds of large, well-built stone dwellings and three temples.

ADVICES from Vancouver island state that four persons out of a settlement of six at Shoshartie bay were killed in a landslide.

TWO STRONG earthquake shocks were felt in the City of Mexico and vicinity. Many horses were thrown down in the streets, which were crowded with hundreds of praying and confessing people.

ADVICES from Yokohama state that the Japanese had captured Port Arthur, one of the Chinese strongholds.

CZAR NICHOLAS II. issued a manifesto announcing his accession to the throne of Russia.

LATER.

THE Masonic building, the Indiana medical college and the block occupied by the Natural Gas company at Indianapolis were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $200,000.

EUGENE OUDIN, one of the most popular singers on the light opera stage, died in London after a brief illness.

THE Neal, Goff & Inglis building in Hartford, Conn., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $150,000.

IN a collision between the troops and rebels at Valencia, Venezuela, six soldiers and twenty insurgents were killed and many wounded.

SHIPMENTS of ore from the Lake Superior iron ranges during the year will aggregate 7,150,000 tons.

THE power house of the Willamette (Ore.) Steam Mills and Lumbering company were burned, the loss reaching $150,000.

A NEW Spanish cabinet, with Senor Sagasta at its head, was organized and accepted by the queen regent.

AN incendiary fire destroyed the freight sheds of the West India & Pacific Steamship company in New Orleans, the loss being $120,000.

HIRAM G. SMITH, an ex-congressman, died suddenly at his home in Des Moines, Ia.

DAMAGE of $150,000 was caused by a blaze in the establishment of Goldberg, Bowen & Liebenbaum at San Francisco.

JOHN WALTER, principal owner of the London Times, died at the age of 76 years.

THIRTY-FOUR families, comprising 123 persons, left Pullman, Ill., for Hiawatha, Kan., where they will engage in cooperative car building.

PHILIP AUGUSTUS HOYNE, for forty years United States commissioner for the northern district of Illinois, died at his home in Chicago, aged 70 years.

NINETY-THREE colored converts, forty men and fifty-three women, were baptized in the waters of the Ohio river at Owensboro, Ky.

EXTENSIVE trials made in Europe have proved that the bicycle would not be an effective adjunct in war times.

ARRANGEMENTS for putting into effect the new income tax law were being rapidly carried forward in Washington by Superintendent Pugh.

A MONUMENT to Gen. Grant will be erected in Golden Gate park in San Francisco.

DURING a circus parade at Terrell, Tex., an awning collapsed and four persons were fatally and 100 seriously injured.

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Jackson Branch. In Effect May 27, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115 Mail.	No. 117 Express	No. 149 Accom.
Jackson....Lv	4 45 A.M.	3 05 P.M.	9 40 P.M.
Napoleon	5 00 "	3 20 "	1 17 "
Norvell	5 07 "	3 24 "	1 27 "
Manchester	5 24 "	3 30 "	1 37 "
Clinton	5 40 "	3 42 "	1 56 "
Tecumseh	5 57 "	3 58 "	2 18 "
Adrian....Ar	6 27 "	4 25 "	4 30 "
Detroit	9 00 "	6 30 "	.....
Toledo	7 20 "	4 40 "	10 35 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 2:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 114 Mail.	No. 116 Express	No. 148 Accom.
Detroit....Lv	6 35 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 30 "	8 20 "	2 20 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton	12 39 "	9 33 "	7 35 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 45 "	8 05 "
Norvell	1 10 "	10 05 "	8 45 "
Napoleon	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 00 "
Jackson....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 20 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.			P. M.
		12 25	L....Allegan....A	2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 55	
	A. M.	1 39	Yorkville	1 14	A. M.
A. M.	7 50	2 07	Battle Creek	12 45	1 25
8 23	8 15	2 28	Marshall	12 14	12 23
9 11	8 55	3 16	Homer	11 45	11 48
10 15	9 42	3 37	Hanover	11 14	11 03
11 59	10 35	4 17	Addison	10 40	10 15
12 05	10 44	4 23	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 36
..	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway	9 33	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton	9 28	8 30
3 09	12 14	5 33	Rea	9 15	*8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 03	7 57
3 15	1 45	6 20	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express.....10:27 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex..3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express...7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
†No. Mail and Express.....4:55 p m

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Milan, 6:40 A. M., 11:35 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owosso, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadillac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON MICH., NOV. 8, 1894.

Mrs. Carrie Woodward is quite ill.

Mrs. Sarah Richmond is very poorly this week.

Remember, you Masons, it is Regular Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Palmer is still very low with typhoid fever.

Selden W. Demuth made a business trip to Detroit yesterday.

VanTuyle & Woodard have their office over Keyser's market.

D. S. Alvord was on the sick list last week but is now around again.

Minnie Hard and Libbie Scoville were Tecumseh visitors Tuesday.

Wm. Richman has built a neat little barn of the gothic style on his place.

Leon Clark has so far recovered from his late illness as to be in school again.

Miss Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack over Sunday.

A. F. Freeman and John Keisler, of Manchester, were Clinton callers Saturday.

Mrs. Alma Tate entertained Miss Georgia Rogers and Lena Smith over Sunday.

Charles Bell, of Ypsilanti, made his Clinton friends a flying visit the first of the week.

Fred Ellis, son of Clayton, is now assisting John B. McAdam at the electric light plant.

They say hornets slumber in cold weather. Just at present they seem to be quite lively.

Elwin Glimpse, wife and mother, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McClure Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Silvers and Wm. T. Eccles attended Sousa's band concert at Adrian Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bartlett entertain their friends to-morrow evening with Progressive Pedro.

Minnie Humphrey, Lizzie and Tessie Sullivan were the guests of Manchester friends over Sunday.

Wesley B. Keyser is now the sole owner of the Clinton Provision plant and is doing a nice business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gibson are rejoicing in another heir which arrived Friday night. It was a 9-pound boy.

Elwin Stanchfield, of South Bend, Ind., visited his daughters, Mrs. Ray Vest and Mrs. Will Muir, over Sunday.

M. S. VanDeMark spent Sunday with Clinton friends. Mott is one of Detroit's hustling real estate dealers.

Mrs. Jennie Brown, who has been making a visit to friends in the Saginaws, returned home the last of the week.

Mrs. Hattie Hall has packed her household goods and they were shipped to-day. She will join Will in a few days.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth and Willie are visiting her sister at St. Louis, Mich. Willie will receive medical treatment while there.

Mrs. H. D. Niblack and Mrs. Will Wood attended the district convention of the W. F. M. S. at Saline the last of the week.

Will Noone, of Adrian, was up several days last week and brought with him a nurse to assist in caring for his sister, Mrs. John Palmer.

Santa Rose is the proud possessor of a spaniel "purp" shipped him from Detroit recently. Sant will now be the envy of all the boys.

Isaac Post and wife have returned from their annual visit to Kent county friends. Mr. Post reports everything very prosperous in that region.

Eugene Smalley expects next week to visit several towns on the line of the Michigan Central railway west from Jackson, giving phonographic concerts.

The firm of Bush & Lindsley has been dissolved, Bush having purchased Lindsley's interest. Mr. Bush will continue at the old stand and will be pleased to see the old and many new customers.

The election board this year was composed of the following gentlemen: Geo. C. Lindsley, I. H. Schreder, R. G. Woodard. Clerks—W. O. Silvers, E. L. Parker. Gatekeepers—Wm. Millspaugh, D. S. Alvord. Geo. A. Kies and Geo. W. Freese acted as challengers.

Chas. W. Parker has succeeded beyond his highest expectations in his work here. He has sold 100 shares in the Capitol Investment and Building Loan Association, and established a local board with A. C. Huntington as president and W. D. VanTuyle, of the Exchange Bank, as treasurer. He, with his wife and little daughter, expect to return to their home at Hillsdale the last of the week.

Mrs. Mate Clark and Miss Eva Shimman have a tasty millinery store, filled with the latest novelties in hats and bonnets, besides flowers, feathers and ribbons in great profusion. They, with their charming little assistant, Tessie Carroll, are kept very busy filling the orders of their customers. If any one cannot be suited, both in work and price, they must indeed be difficult to please.

The dramatic society will put on a play Thanksgiving night for the benefit of the base ball team. They have selected a comedy entitled "Rio Grande," which will be sure to please all lovers of comedy. It is only necessary to state that Mr. and Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle, Mrs. Minnie Hard, Mrs. Ella Clark, Miss Grace Stevens, C. D. Keyes, A. M. Kennedy, Del Moulton and others will appear in the cast to convince all that it will be presented in fine style, and the new scenery which has been recently provided will add largely to the scenic effects. As soon as possible a synopsis of the play and a full cast of characters will be given.

Clinton fell into line and went Republican clear through. The county ticket was elected by about 57 majority. We give the votes cast for Governor, Congressman, Senator and Representative, as follows:

Rich	218—56
Fisher	160
Spalding	218—57
Harkworth	161
Bates	214—57
Morrow	157
Fordburn	214—56
Hoidridge	158

OBITUARY.

Jennie Campbell was born at Norwich, Ontario, January 17, 1843. When two years of age her parents came to Michigan and settled on the east side of Sand Lake. Here she grew to womanhood. She was married to John R. Kimball Nov. 14, 1866. In '68 they moved to Leoni, where they resided on a farm until 1878, when, owing to Mr. Kimball's loss of health, they came to Clinton to live. Mr. Kimball died Nov. 24, 1880, leaving her to care alone for the two boys, Leander W. and William A., and certainly no one could have been more faithful to the trust imposed than she has been. She seemed to live only for them. Some two years ago her health began to fail and, for the past year she has been a great sufferer. During all these months she has borne all pain with heroic courage and christian submission. Her only desire to live being to see William settled in life, but it was not so to be. She had finished her work and her Master said: It is enough, come up higher. She passed away Saturday evening, Oct. 27, 1894, at 9 o'clock, aged 51 years, 9 months and 19 days. Mrs. Kimball early in life became a member of the M. E. church and was always an active and consistent member. During her long sickness everything that medical skill or loving hands could accomplish was done to make her comfortable. The funeral was held at the M. E. church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, officiating. The church was filled to overflowing with mourning friends, who by their presence and beautiful floral tributes testified their affection for the departed one. Her memory will be cherished by all who knew her.

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The State Board of Health Advocates a System of Disease Inspection.

LANSING, Nov. 1.—Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, said that an attempt would be made this winter to secure an appropriation by the legislature for a contagious disease inspection. What is actually needed in this state, he says, is three experts, whose duty shall be to look after outbreaks of diphtheria, scarlet fever and smallpox. Efforts to secure an appropriation for the salaries of such experts have been made to the legislature without avail, but Secretary Baker says that an appropriation of a few thousand dollars for such a purpose would save many thousands of dollars to the people of the state as well as in the saving of many lives. At present the state board of health has no one whom it can detail to make these inspections and no fund upon which to draw for such a purpose. The necessity for such an appropriation and the establishment of such inspection is illustrated by the fact that the outbreak of diphtheria in Elkton, Huron county, which has lasted eighteen months has already cost the county over $4,000.

ATTEMPTED TRIPLE MURDER.

Two Women Will Die from the Blows of a Hammer.

COLUMBIAVILLE, Nov. 1.—At 3 o'clock a. m. Wednesday an unknown man broke into Fred Skinner's house, about 3 miles from here and attempted to murder Mr. and Mrs. Skinner and the latter's mother, Mrs. Stanley. The man entered the house through the cellar, went first to Mrs. Stanle's room and struck her with a hammer, crushing her skull. He then went to Skinner's room, struck Mrs. Skinner three times on the head and face and attempted to brain Skinner, but the latter warded off the blow with a pillow. The murderer then ran from the house and has so far eluded capture.

The deed was done with a hammer taken from Skinner's tool chest. Mrs. Skinner and her mother are just alive, but there is little hope of the recovery of either. Mrs. Skinner's life was insured for $2,000 and suspicion points to those who would be benefited by her death.

Stole Enough to Start a Store.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 3.—Burglars raided the general store of Nicholas Bouman at Fisher Station and stole about $300 worth of goods, including tobacco, coffee, soap, rubber boots, overshoes, print cloth, patent medicines and a lot of flannel shirts and other clothing and provisions. In short, the robbers practically cleaned out the store.

Ex-Senator Palmer Ill.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 2.—Ex-Senator Thomas W. Palmer, president of the world's fair, is ill of nervous prostration at the sanitarium. Mr. Palmer attributes his present condition to campaign worry and his hard work in connection with the Columbian exposition.

Close of the Davis Mine.

NEGAUNEE, Nov. 4.—The Davis mine has closed, throwing seventy-five men out of work. The product was being shipped to the Weston furnace at Manistique. The depressed condition of the iron trade and the extremely low price of ore caused suspension of the works.

Tragic Fate of a Young Man.

ELMIRA, Nov. 2.—George Wise, a teamster in the employ of V. L. Parsons & Co., was thrown from a wagon in a runaway and instantly killed. He was about 25 years of age and unmarried. His relatives are in Canada.

May Lose a Professor.

LANSING, Nov. 3.—Clinton D. Smith, professor of agriculture at the Agricultural college, has been tendered the directorship of the Illinois experiment station at an annual salary of $3,000, and will doubtless accept.

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In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 18 4, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long North and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the southeast corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), of town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Francis C. Rector deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of C. Burridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of December, 1894 and on the 29th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 29th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

EDWARD L. RUSSELL,
RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 5th day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Bresie, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of E. H. Hyde, showing that he has a valid claim against said estate which has not been presented for examination and allowance, and that the time limited by the court for that purpose has expired, but that said estate has not been closed, and showing good cause for the omission to present said claim in time, and praying that said Judge of Probate, by an order for that purpose, appoint a time and place for the examination and allowance of said claim before himself, and that notice of the time and place of hearing said claim be given to the parties interested in said estate, as required by law.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the Third day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and said claim, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and also cause a copy of this order to be placed in a sealed envelope, postage paid, and directed to William Bresie, Jr., administrator, &c. upon said estate, at his present postoffice address.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Griswold, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Helen Griswold and William Waldron, executors of the last will and testament, and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, and all pecuniary legacies mentioned in said will have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close said estate and to render their final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned according to the terms and charges of the will of said deceased, and for such other order and decree as to to this Court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of James Lowry, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Thomas Barry, I have to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 5th day of September last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Thomas Barry in and to the following described real estate. That is to say: The undivided three quarters interest in all that parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as forty acres of land to be taken from off the east side of the north sixty acres of the west half of the south-west quarter of section 13, township five south of range five east, and containing forty acres of land. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 11th day of December next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated October 20, 1894.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Arthur Hughes and family now occupy rooms over the Exchange Bank.

Mrs. Will Allen and children are visiting in Toledo for a few days.

Miss Martha Ackley has been spending a few days with friends in Marshall.

Mrs. Peter Swick, of Milan, is visiting relatives in and about the village.

Hendershott Tent, K. O. T. M., next regular review Tuesday evening, Nov. 20th.

Mrs. Omar D. Osgood, of Morenci, is the guest of W. R. Osgood and wife on Osborn street.

Osgood, Linn & Co. have moved their funeral furnishing goods to rooms over E. R. Well's store.

The Britton Budget for the last two weeks has been thinner than a Star Route mail pouch.

We learn that Mrs. Borden, who is visiting her son in Boulder, Colo., is suffering from asthma.

Prof. Collin's German class is prospering finely. The class is composed wholly of young ladies, among whom are a trio of Ridgeway belles.

Rev. E. Mudge, who was called to Chicago a few days ago on account of the illness of his son, returned last Friday, and reports his son improving.

Wm. P. Emmons, who has been ailing for a year or two, was taken worse about two weeks ago, and died on Friday last. His funeral took place Sunday. Mr. Emmonds was a pioneer, and highly respected.

Messrs Loose and Arnold, of Scotia, Neb., have been disposing of several car loads of cattle and hogs, to the farmers of this locality during the last week, and business has been lively around the Wabash stock pens.

By the death of Mrs. John Allen, which occured Friday, another Ridgeway pioneer has gone over to the majority. Mrs. Allen leaves many sons and daughters and a large family of grandchildren to commemorate her. The funeral took place from her late home Sunday morning.

Kniffen and Hendershot drew the fire Monday evening from their second kiln of brick and tile, and the employes celebrated the event in a suitable manner. By the way, some of the festivities indulged in by the night force at the kiln during the burning, have been truly "amoozin." At these entertainments good things to eat cut no small figure, and the bills of fare have contained some rare dishes, (rare for a brick yard) such as soups, roast chicken, broiled Macon river white fish, turtle on the half shell, baked clams and frogs in every style. Jud promises in the early spring to serve such delicacies as the festive tadpole and juicy pollywog as a first course to a muskrat barbacue and while the roasting possum sizzles on the spit, Jud will "agitate" his ole banjo, and as the music floats (music always floats on the Macon flats in the Spring) you will probably see "the cat come back," floating into the firelight from the darkness beyant, mounted on her last bootjack, drawn gently thither by the—by the—well, by the savory aroma of cooking viands.

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Mrs. Ed Allen spent Sunday in Britton.

Miss Schwab, of Chicago, is home for a visit.

Stang & Schwab shipped a car of hogs on Thursday.

Mrs. F. Florence visited the county seat Saturday.

Good prospects for another grocery store in town.

Mrs. Jas. Lane is at Detroit receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Levi Coffin is confined to her bed on account of sickness.

M. R. Bowen, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday looking after hay.

L. C. Winship has a new pair of gloves, as a result of election.

Wm. Gordon is running a creamery at Maria Steind with a $50 salary attached.

Ed Allen received notice of the death of his mother, Friday, who lives near Britton.

Mrs. C. E. Brown, our popular milliner, and daughter, visited Adrian Thursday.

L. D. Carpenter has returned from the prairie, where he has been at work the past month.

Joe Billmeyer, of Ann Arbor, came home to help swell the republican majority, returning Wednesday.

Grandma Campbell, while passing out in the yard, slipped on the ice and fell, cutting a large gash in her head, which required seven stitches to close.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Mrs. A. M. Jackson was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. George Clark is not as well as usual at present writing.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, visited friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Peter Swick, of Milan, visited friends in the village the first of the week.

Miss Addie Sherman is under the doctor's care, with malaria fever, at present writing.

David Allison and family, of Milan, visited Daniel Linn and family Saturnay and Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Caswell, of Cone, visited her cousin, Mrs. Sarah L. Rappleye, Saturday and Sunday.

Mail Messenger Vote Miller, of Detroit, visited his mother, Mrs. S. V. Miller, last week Thursday.

The funeral service of Wm. Emonds, of Macon, was held at the church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Cansfield officiating.

The person who found a shawl between the village and Mrs. Geo. Osgood's farm will confer a great favor if they will leave the same at Mrs. Osgood's.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of I. N. Pilbeam on Thursday night of last week by the young folks of the village and vicinity, as a birthday surprise on Chester.

Last Sunday, in the Methodist church, Rev. Cansfield made an appeal on behalf of the distressed Methodist church in Ironwood, Mich., and the congregation generously responded by giving $9.

The second of a series of sermons to young men will be preached Sunday eve in the Methodist church by Rev. Hartley Cansfield. Subject: "The Young Man With and Without a Purpose." In the morning the subject will be: "The Why and Wherefore of God's Promises." All are welcome.

On the 29th of this month an election will be held in the Methodist church for the purpose of permitting all members of said church, not less than 21 years of age, to vote on an amendment to the second restrictive rule in the constitution of the M. E. church. Notice of the election has already been given by the pastor of the church.

Remember the elocutionary recital to be given in the lecture room of the church on the 22d inst. Following is the programme:

"The Bells"	Miss Stoddard, Miss Fraise
"Widow Bedott's Poetry"	Miss Fraise
Solo—"The Ferry Boat"	Miss Stoddard
"One Rainy Day"	Miss Fraise
"The Arithmetic Lesson"	Miss Fraise
Solo—"One Sweet Day"	Miss Stoddard
Descarte Pantomine	Miss Fraise
Solo—"Slumber Song"	Miss Stoddard
"Ruggle's Dinner Party"	Miss Fraise

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Sheriff E. G. Wilson led the county ticket, having a majority of about 2600.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Will Gage visited in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Orrin Clark was seriously hurt by a fall last Friday.

George Valentine has repainted his house just recently.

Herbert R. Earle, of Detroit, visited in town over Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Frank Spafard on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The S. W. Farmer's Club will meet at the residence of Richard Green on Friday, Nov. 16th.

Henry Brewster and his nephew, Edward Brewster, of Clinton, were in town last Saturday.

Mrs. S. S. Brewster and son, Warren, of Hanover, visited Manchester relatives the first of this week.

Miss Eda VanGieson, of Bridgewater, was the guest of her friend, Miss Mae Aylesworth, over the Sabbath.

The masons have nearly completed the brick laying on the third story of the Union Savings Bank building.

Sherman Curtis, of Litchfield, was the guest of his uncles and aunts in this place, from Saturday until Tuesday.

The ladies' society of the M. E. church held a social at the church parlors on Wednesday afternoon from 5 to 9 o'clock.

Ralph S. Brewster died of apoplexy, at his home in the village of Hanover, Mich., Nov. 8th, 1894. He was born in Blooming Grove, Orange county, N. Y., March 2d, 1833, and came to Mich. with his parents in 1842. His remains were brought to Manchester on Saturday, Nov. 10th, and interred in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Raisin Valley Seminary.

J. F. Beal spent Sunday at home, Rollin, Mich.

H. I. Bourus stayed out of school last week on account of election.

The Prohibition club of Raisin Valley met at the Seminary Saturday evening.

Messrs W. F. Hall and V. H. Lee attended church in Tecumseh, Sunday evening.

Misses Rose Ladd and Mable Graves spent Sunday with Misses Olive Meade and Mary Wood.

Samuel Barber, who was hurt last week by falling off a wagon, is considerably worse and the probabilities are that he will never recover.

The Astronomy class and other members of the school, spent several hours in the observatory Saturday, watching the transit of Mercury, which was an interesting sight.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.,
Council Rooms, Nov 5, 1894.

Present the entire council.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Chairman of street committee reported that gutter on north side of Chicago street, between Evans street and C. A. Wright's store, had been repaved, as per resolution of last meeting, and that contractor had been paid $65.00 in full. Report accepted and adopted.

Chairman of committee on fire and fire limits reported that a hose wagon built by Thomas Elliott and W. H. Smith was completed and accepted by committee and recommended that order be drawned for the contract price, $260.00. Report accepted and recorder instructed to draw order for said sum.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Marshal presented a written report showing that during September and October 18 tramps had been lodged in village lock up and that 29 had been housed during the first five days of November. Also recommended that new locks be procured for cell doors, and pails for use in cells. Report accepted and ordered to be placed on file.

Sexton's report for October presented; showing four adult and one infant interment during October, and two lots sold. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for the month ending Nov. 5th, presented; showing $8.00 poll tax collected. Fire team labor 2½ days, hired team labor 12 hours, $3.00; hand labor $70.50.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to the finance committee: Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for Oc- $156.00; H. W. Stevens, supplies furnished and services as Marshal, $14.04; Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $108.07; S. C. Stacy, printing, $7.25; W. Mellon, labor, $3.00; L. Bangs, labor, $6.25; C. J. & M. Ry. rental of water works ground for one year, $5.00; W. J. Ingersoll, services as recorder, $50.00; C. F. Field, printing, $3.00, A. Hyde, street commissioner, $53.00; E. Loomis, $1.00; J. Mc Caughn, labor, $10.25; D. L. Whitenack, supplies, $20.00.

Water Works—A. Park, labor, $3.45; J. D. Kinney & Co. supplies, $4.50; Hocking Fuel Co., coal, $26.60; R. Owen, labor, 60cts; Satterthwaite Bros. supplies, $187.45. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, recorder was instructed to draw orders for the said amounts.

The Water Board recommended that salery of clerk of board be placed at $50.00 per year. And that order be drawn in favor of W. C. Burridge for $35.93 balance due as recorder for 1893, on motion, supported, above was carried.

Moved and supported that Marshal inspect sidewalks and notify owners of those in bad connition to repair same within ten day. Carried.

Chief Bordine, of fire department, recommded that a hose cart be place in Brownville. Matter refered to committee on fire and fire limits.

Moved and supported that street committee removed the hydrants of old water system. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Recorder.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Miss Alma Whelan has malarial fever.

The Bradley school opened Monday with Miss Jennie Beckwith as teacher.

Arthur Bradley came home from Ypsilanti to attend election and cast his maiden vote.

Clarence Wisner came home from the Agricultural college Saturday to spend the winter vacation.

The Albion college foot ball team, including Hollis Taylor, played with the Agricultural college team, on the grounds of the latter college, Oct. 27th. The score stood 6 to 4, in favor of the Agricultural team.

THE FARMER'S UNION.

On account of the storm, the meeting of the Farmers' Union at the home of W. F. Raymond, was postponed until Friday evening, Nov. 23. Program:

Music—Mary McIntyre.
Reading—Jennie Nyland.
Dec.—Raynor Benedict.
Dec.—Seymour Boyd.
Reading—Bertha Smeltzer.
Reading—Mrs. John Boyce.
Question—In view of low prices and prevailing droughts, what ought the farmer to do?
Discussion, led by W. F. Raymond, followed by R. M. Boyd and others.
Election of officers.

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The irony of last week's election is the fact that the people have held the Democracy responsible for the evil effects of twenty years of Republican legislation.

The great tidal wave was as much a surprise to the Republicans as to the Democrats. The problem now is: What will the Republican leaders do with their victory?

The "solid south" is broken at last. Let us hope that the Republican leaders will possess enough good sense to treat the southern states as political equals hereafter.

It is not the first time that the people of New York have found it necessary to sweep clean the filthy political stables of Tammany Hall. They did so with the help of Mr. Tilden once.

Henry George may not be right all the time, but he is very right indeed when he says that the overwhelming defeat of the Democratic machine makes it possible to bring Democratic principles to the front. Yes indeed! That is just what the Democrats did it for.

An examination of the election returns shows that the Republican vote was not increased but was held very close to that of Presidential years. The Democratic-stay-at-home vote did the mischief. What caused the stay-at-home vote? That is a good question for the newspapers to discuss.

Twice before in the history of the country the Democracy has received a similar castigation. The first time was in 1840, the celebrated "hard cider" campaign, when VanBuren was defeated. The next time was in the Grant and Greeley campaign, when the sage of the Tribune met his Waterloo.

Mr. Harrison says this is the greatest revolution known in our political history. It is a big one. And yet memory will go back to the election of 1890, when the Democrats carried a majority of the Congressional delegations of 31 States, electing 223 Representatives and leaving the Republicans only 88. But that was one of the revolutions that Mr. Harrison does not care to dwell on.

The New York World says; This is a great year for pluralities. With about 150,000 in New York, over 100,000 in Illinois, over 125,000 in Ohio, over 60,000 in Massachusetts, over 50,000 in Indiana and Iowa, nearly 200,000 in Pennsylvania, and corresponding figures in states that have been close heretofore, the Democrats who went machine-smashing this week are entitled to claim that they did their work thoroughly.

Ex-Senator Bayard of Delaware, says "The path of duty is unmistakable, and the necessity for pure Democratic tariff legislation was never so great as it is now. The bills for free raw materials should be passed immediately and then the country will be able to contemplate the democratic idea of the tariff in full working order for two years before another national election rolls around. If this is done, I have but little fear that the verdict will be other than satisfactory in 1896."

Wm. C. Whitney, of New York, expresses this opinion: "It does not require a seer to see that the causes were both general and special. It is a repetition, to my mind, of 1874, with the parties reversed. The panic of 1873 resulted in the great Democratic tidal wave of 1874, and the hard times of 1893 and 1894 have resulted in this great Republican victory. That is the great underlying general cause, but along with it is the fact that the Democratic party has misbehaved since 1892 and disgusted large bodies of its friends and supporters.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Nov. 9, 1894.

The results of the elections were surprising, not to say astounding, alike to the people of Washington and to the politicians. The victorious republicans were quite as bold in their claims, but neither had dreamed of any such tidal wave business, notwithstanding the present assertions of republicans, that they expected it all the time. These sudden political changes, which have of late years become so frequent in our national elections, have a deep significance to the student of our political future. Whether they are beneficial or otherwise is a question not easy of final settlement by any other test than that of time. But that they indicate that many thousand voters are influenced by their unrest and desire for a change with the hope of bettering themselves, rather than by their party fealty or belief in any particular principles seems well-nigh certain. If that be correct no political party can hope to control all branches of the government through two consecutive administrations until these discontented voters are made prosperous and contented.

The populists failed to make the gains they expected in the House, but even if they had, they would not have held the balance of power upon which they had figured, as neither they nor anyone else had calculated upon the republican landslide which came. While it is not entirely certain, the chances are that the populists will hold the balance of power in the Senate after the fourth of next March, present indications being that there will be 42 republicans, 38 democrats and seven populists in the Senate, counting Gov. Tillman, of S. C. whose election to the Senate seems assured, as a populist—it would not change the situation if he acted with the democrats. Should those figures prove to be correct it will readily be seen that neither the democrats nor republicans could organize the Senate without the votes of the populists. The republicans have not, however, given up hope of electing enough Senators to give them a majority.

Neither President Cleveland nor any member of his cabinet has seen fit to express an opinion, for publication, on the terrible drubbing administered to their party, but whatever may be the opinions of the members of the cabinet it is not believed that Mr. Cleveland is doing any grieving. He took especial pains to allow it to become public that Tuesday night and Wednesday morning when most people were studying the news of the returns from the elections, he was engaged, at his suburban residence, in going over the papers in a lot of applications for executive clemency, thus indicating that he took no interest in the elections.

There is no doubt about the genuineness of the rejoicing on the part of the rank and file of the republican party over their successes, but for many of their leaders there are prickly thorns on the roses of victory. The leaders do not fancy the debut of a new Presidential candidate. And they know that Mr. Morton will now be considered as such, and that his majority in New York and the skillful management of ex-Senator Platt, who is known to the Harrison men as an opponent not to be despised, will bring him forward very prominently, if he keeps his health. His age will be a help, rather than a detriment, as it would probably result in his getting a much stronger man to take the second place on the ticket with him than a younger man could get. It is certain that the friends of the other candidates are already afraid of Morton.

The new democratic postmaster of Washington had scarcely had time to recover from the effects of the election returns when he received a rude shock in the shape of an official order, informing him that instead of having patronage to the annual cash value of $50,000 at his disposal when he takes charge of the postoffice, which he expects to do next week, his patronage will be limited to the appointment of an assistant postmaster, private secretary, cashier and assistant cashier, superintendents of the three branch postoffices, six watchmen and six laborers. All the rest will be looked after by the civil service commission, when vacancies occur. This order is far from pleasing to the local democrats, who had been calculating to profit largely by the promotion of one of their number to be postmaster, the first bona fide citizen of Washington who has held the position for many years, but the employes of the postoffice are delighted with it.

The calling in of a lot of postage stamps which were so poorly gummed that there was difficulty in getting them to stick and replacing them with better has almost depleted the stock of stamps on hand at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and a night force has been put on in order to increase the supply, and the day force is working two hours extra every day.

Vice-President Stevenson says: "My opinion can be briefly stated. The result is due in part to the financial depression which came upon the country soon after the inauguration of Mr. Cleveland. While the Democrats were in no way responsible for this, they were made the scapegoats. It was also in part due to the delay of Congress in passing the tariff bill. Had the bill become a law 90 days earlier than it did it is quite probable that the business conditions of the country would have so adjusted themselves that the political results would have been different."

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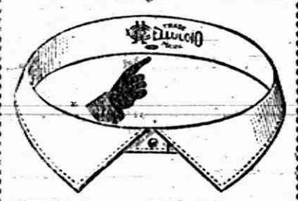

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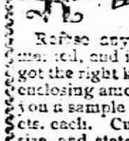

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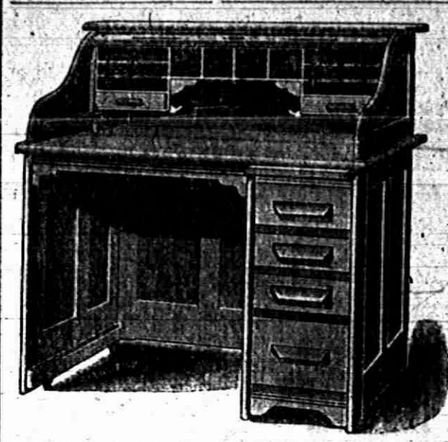

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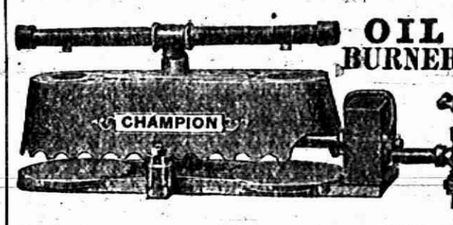

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THE POET'S MUSE.

Ere you dawned upon my vision
With your "azure orbs divine,"
In the meads and groves elysian,
I consorted with "the nine."
Underneath the sequle hickory
In the woodland would I woo
Clio or the gay Terpsichore
Or the sweet Erato sue.

Then Calliope upon me
Cast the glimmer of her look,
Or was it Euterpe won me
With her accents like a brook?
Grave or gay, my heart elastic
Seemed to each beguiled my view,
But it's ceased to be so plastic
Since I put my eyes on you.

Be not unable to the tender
Protestations that you hear,
Lest a "yes" in soft surrender
Fall upon the poet's ear.
It is modesty that smothers
How a "no" my breast would fill;
I'll go back on all the others
If you'll only be my muse.
—Harry Pelouze in Detroit Free Press.

A COQUETTE.

"I cannot marry my cousin," said Albert to his grandmother. "It is impossible. I know the pain I give you in making this declaration, but nevertheless if you wish Therese and I to be happy you will not insist. You know Therese, too much of a coquette just now to be marriageable! She is 20 years old. I am 25. We can both afford to wait."

"Once you have married her she will reform."

"I fear otherwise. Therese is a coquette. She will always be a coquette. Marriage will only stimulate her coquettish instinct."

"But she is in love with you, and you are in love with her, are you not? Each of you has confided in me. Love will bring more wisdom to her."

"With love on one side and the desire to flirt on the other," said Albert. "With love and the desire to be well dressed and to appear fascinating and bewitching. I think no woman can resist."

"What have you against her?" insisted her grandmother.

"What have I against her? Caprice! Love of display! Love of fine dresses, jewelry, adornment. Love of adulation and flattery, which give me a cold shudder down the back."

"You are too jealous!"

"Say rather too reasonable. Now that I'm a full fledged lawyer I have begun life in earnest. I have learned in my profession to know traits of human nature that I cannot now mistake. I have learned the secrets of seductions and betrayals, and there is nothing like the misfortunes of others to teach one to be on one's guard. Therefore I will not marry my cousin. I will wait awhile. Later, when she has been proved, and when I know that she loves me as I wish to be loved, then I shall make up my mind, but not before."

"What test do you ask for?" demanded the grandmother.

"That is my secret. Do not ask me any more questions."

It was the eve of a ball where he was to meet Thereso that Albert had this conversation with Mme. de Versac.

Therese was an orphan. She lived with her grandmother and was adored by her. She was spoiled by her and had her own way in everything. A wish was a command, and everybody gave in to her.

She was decidedly pretty, with superb coloring, large, speaking eyes, rosy cheeks and fine features. Her figure was that of a Greek statue.

She had been on the watch during the conversation and waited till her cousin had left. Then she came in to her grandmother, humming airs from the opera, and spread out on the old lady's lap a mass of red roses she had bought earlier in the afternoon at the florist's.

"You will not refuse me, grandmother?" she said. "We are to go to hear 'Thais' this week at the opera. Tomorrow, with Leonide, my companion; I am going down to the Boulevard Haussmann to try on my new dress."

"You won't forget the ball the day after tomorrow?"

"Certainly not. On the contrary, I have been thinking of it a great deal and have a surprise in store for you. I shall look so pretty that you will not recognize your little Therese."

"Some new little coquetry?"

"Exactly. Some new little coquetry," replied Therese lightly, "and why not? It belongs to my age, in keeping with my position, and almost a part of my education. Am I to have only one dress, only one way of doing my hair, only one sort of jewelry to wear? What would you think of me if I were like that?"

"Oh! I always make excuses for you. I am on your side. But—but how about others, for there are others? How about Albert, for instance?"

"Albert? He loves me. He should think all I do good and beautiful."

"Are you sure of that?"

"Why should he blame a flirt? It is not for me to make sacrifices for him. He is paying court to me, and paying court to a girl involves letting her have her own way in all things. He plays his part. I play mine. I am a flirt and shall always remain one. But wait till the day after tomorrow and see if you are not proud of me!"

"Be careful," returned the grandmother; "this coquetry will ruin you."

On the day of the ball just at the hour when the festivities were to begin a young girl in a lovely white dress and with golden hair walked with Leonide into the grandmother's room.

A mass of roses nodded their heads gracefully at her waist, and the whiteness of her matchless shoulders was so pure that it almost reflected the golden shimmer of her hair.

The young face was all smiles and happiness, and the light of frivolity and coquetry flashed from the large, veiled eyes.

Mme. de Versac, lost in amazement, advanced to greet her pretty visitor with an amiable smile on her lips, when she suddenly recognized Therese.

"Gracious! Is it you?" she cried. "You have changed yourself completely. Your hair has been dyed from dark to gold! Are you going to the ball in that metamorphosis?"

"Assuredly I am. I think I look charming. You shall see what a success I shall make!"

"But suppose you do not," suggested her grandmother.

"What difference would it make? I wanted to satisfy my whim. Besides the color of my hair was a little faded, I thought, and in this golden tint there is a suggestion of gayety which pleases me immensely."

Mme. de Versac only kept on shaking her head slowly.

"Take care, take care, my child," she repeated.

Albert waited for Therese and his grandmother at the threshold of the ballroom. He was in hope that after talking with the old lady Therese would appear dressed with simplicity and taste, without the brilliance he considered vulgar, and triumphant simply in her youth and loveliness.

But when he caught sight of her leaning on his grandmother's arm, with her hair dyed, and in a rich, showy toilet that would have been more suitable for a wealthy young married woman, his face darkened under a blush.

"Good evening, my cousin," he said to her coldly.

And after a few words of greeting had been exchanged he moved away and lost himself in the crowd.

Mme. de Versac pressed the girl's arm, and in a low voice said to her:

"Was I right? Did you not see how shocked Albert was with your frivolity?"

"I don't think so, grandmother. He will come back and ask me to dance."

But during the whole course of the evening the little coquette saw nothing of her cousin. He avoided her. When the whirling crowd of dancers brought her within his neighborhood, he moved away. He danced a great deal. He was charming and empressed to all her friends and with all the girls at the ball who were not overdressed and had not come there merely to show themselves off. He flirted with some and sat out with others. He was delightful to all.

Therese, of course, noticed all this, and affected on her side an unnatural gayety that was intended to show how much she could enjoy herself even when Albert was not by her side.

In her heart she was sad. She left the ball early, saying she was tired and had a headache. The young coquette understood the lesson her cousin wanted to teach her.

And as the days passed away a change began to be noticeable in her toilets and finally in the color of her hair. The tint grew softer and began gradually to give way again to the natural color.

Was it the effect of love deceived and of a lost lover? Therese had sacrificed her golden hair and her exaggerated dresses. She was gradually becoming the excellent little manager that moralists love to praise.

She read good books, she knitted, she did embroidery work and engaged in such reasonable conversation with the grandmother that the old lady noticed with pleasure and surprise the change that had taken place in her protegee.

The grandmother was very happy over the transformation of her beautiful Therese. She wrote to her grandson to say that she had changed.

She wrote that she had never known so reasonable a girl, so simple, natural, reserved and with such simple tastes. The best thing he could do was to come and see her. He would see no more golden hair and no more exaggerated and showy costumes. He would find a girl who had sacrificed her coquetry to her love, and a girl who was ready to love him with all her heart.

She also said in her letter that if this were the test he had wished to put the girl to she had come through it victoriously.

Albert did not wait to be told twice. He had never forgotten his love for her, and he came to Mme. de Versac with confidence and joy. When he entered the room, he saw Therese.

She rose to meet him lovingly, with her hands outstretched. She let her head fall with a murmur of pleasure on his shoulder, and as he put his arm around her supple waist he pressed a loving kiss on her parted lips.

"Albert!"

"Therese!"

"You still love me?" she whispered.

"Yes, I love you! I love you more than ever, more than formerly, because your love for me is stronger than your coquetry. Now I have confidence in you. You were pretty, very pretty, with your fine dark hair. In order to move with the fashion and to satisfy your coquettish fancy you made your hair golden. From that moment I have kept away from you. Now that you have become yourself again I give you back my heart. I love you more than ever. When your hair turns golden again, I shall know that you no longer love me."

"It never will," she cried, with passion.

"Never?" he asked in a low voice.

"Never!"

Alas, the word "never" has no meaning for the majority of womankind.

Two years later Therese was to be seen driving daily in the Bois with a mass of golden hair on the top of her head. But Albert was not by her side! —From the French.

Positive Cases.

Bishop Wilmer of Louisiana once had a talk with a Baptist minister, who insisted that there were several places in the Bible where immersion was unquestionably referred to. "Yes," replied the bishop. "I recall two such instances, where there can be no doubt as to the mode. One is where Pharaoh and his host were immersed in the sea and the other where the Gadarene pigs were drowned in the deep."—San Francisco Argonaut.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

Issued Every Thursday Morning.

Geo. R. Wendling's Lecture.

The lecture course season opened auspiciously Monday evening, notwithstanding the bad condition of the roads and the severe snowstorm that was raging. Sutton's opera house was filled to hear the Hon. Geo. R. Wendling, and had the night been pleasant, standing room would have been at a premium. Those who braved the wintry blasts felt amply repaid for all they endured going and coming from the opera house. Although it was Mr. Wendling's first appearance in Tecumseh, his reputation as one of the finest platform orators of the day is well established and almost world wide. Many of our people have heard him in other places. Our lecture committee made no mistake in selecting him to open the course. Mr. Wendling's knowledge of the dramatic art was demonstrated to a high degree Monday night, as every sentence, and syllable, even, was given in the most effective manner, accompanied by facial expressions that added great force to all he uttered. His subject, "Popular Delusions," was handled in a masterly manner, showing thought, research, and a great knowledge of human nature. After a few well chosen introductory remarks he opened his lecture proper by describing in a vivid manner the wave of speculation that swept over France, and in fact all Europe in 1720, when Law, a shrewd Scotchman opened a bank in Paris with absolutely no capital, and by his skillful managing established many additional ones, and the people went wild, nay frantic, over the supposed wealth in minerals, ore, etc., along the banks of the Mississippi, and stocks reached fabulous prices. All classes and conditions of people invested, and when the crash came utter desolution and suffering followed. Law became a fugitive from justice and died a poor man. He then, in a similar manner, described a like condition which existed in England over the mines of wealth supposed to exist in Australia and South America, with the same disastrous result when the bubble burst. Next he spoke of the time when the conservative Hollanders became crazed over tulips, $1000 being frequently paid for a single bulb. This suffered the same fate as all schemes where people run frantic over things which have a fictitious value, with the same dire results to the people. This completed the social aspect of the subject.

Turning to the political phase of the question he confined himself to this country alone, and made some very fine points, as well as uttering some truths, that must have gained a mental assent, if unexpressed, from the entire audience. He, in speaking of the political condition of things, showed how far the people had departed from the ways of our forefathers, until now, instead of the place seeking the man the man sought the place and was the first man at the convention. Showed that among the ten million voters there was one million office seekers; in other words, in every ten one sought to be a burden to the other nine. He showed that in the American politics of today we had retrograded to an alarming extent. He showed the folly of our young men seeking to enter the political arena as a goal of their ambition. He said that no gentleman would seek and no patriot refuse office, and showed clearly that it was the duty of all lovers of good government to attend the primaries, (the caucuses), and there express their preferences.

He next turned to the religious world and showed the popular delusions that there appeared. He started out by saying that he did not believe emotion was religion. That while a person might be lifted up by the deep tones of an organ, the voice of a singer or the eloquence of a speaker, it was not religion; but "pure and undefiled" religion before God, the Father, was to visit the widow and the fatherless in their affliction, and keep one's self unspotted from the world. As we followed the divine commands to do unto others as we would have them do unto us, and love thy neighbor as thyself, we would give evidence of possessing the spirit of the humble Nazarene. He then showed that while we were becoming more enlightened, we were also growing more religious, and that instead of skepticism and infidelity increasing as we advanced, it was rapidly decreasing. He closed by saying the only safeguard against being carried away by the popular delusions of the day was in being governed at all times by a love for our neighbor. This principle would keep us from the love of avarice and greed, and from selfish thoughts, words and actions.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

PASTE THIS IN YOUR HAT.

If Voice readers know of any moss-back Republicans who still insist that their party is opposed to the saloon, just call their attention to the following from a special edition of The New York Wine and Spirit Gazette issued Nov. 2 just after The Voice of last week went to press. The Wine and Spirit Gazette of Nov. 2 said:

"We have assurance of the most positive nature that the Republican Party, if entrusted with power this year, will solve the vexed liquor problem, and remove the liquor issue from further political discussion. The question of the sale of liquor on Sunday is to be submitted to a direct vote of the people in the larger cities of the State, and the Republican Party will abide by the decision and carry out in its legislation the will of the people on that point. That is all the friends of personal liberty can justly demaud."

This utterance was printed in large black type on the first page of the Wine and Spirit Gazette, under the heading of "The Sunday Issue." It will thus be seen that the promise to break down the Sunday Prohibition in our excise law was a part of the bid of Mr. Morton's campaign managers for the saloon vote.

Christian citizens who voted for a Republican governer and Republican legislators last Tuesday on the plea of good government and restriction of the liquor traffic, paste this utterance of The Wine and Spirit Gazette in your hats. You may have cause to remember it when the next legislature meets at Albany. Remember, also, that The Voice warned you of this Republican plan to break down the Sunday Prohibition law in time for you to protest against it by casting a Prohibition ballot.

A MODERN PARIAH.

Is the rumseller becoming the modern pariah? We have hopes that they, and the outlook is promising. The poor rummy is having "hard sledding" nowadays. The great Catholic Church, with its more than 8,000,000 population, has branded him as no longer a fit person to associate with the best Catholics. Most of the Protestant Churches and other religious bodies long ago barred him from fellowship with their numbers. Nearly all of the fraternal orders are now estracising him. The Masons will have nothing to do with him. Now the Knights of Pythias at their national convention in Washington refuse to longer admit him to membership. Where can he go? No respectable body of men will tolerate his presence.

It is true the saloon-keeper can yet gain admittance to our national and State legislatures, to the boards of aldermen in our large cities, and even occasionally to the conventions which meet to revise our State constitutions. He still has influence and "pull" enough to get into these high places. But this, we are ashamed to say, can at present scarcely add to the saloon-keeper's claim to respectability.

The liquor-dealer is fast becoming a 'pariah,' a social outcast. Society is coming to regard him in the same light in which the Hindus regard the pariahs of India. His touch is leprous, and decent people avoid him as they would one upon whom that loathsome disease has fallen. There is but one way in which he can be healed, and that is to get out of the business of poisoning and debauching his fellow creatures.

THE HEAL DIFFICULTY.

Churches Do Not Discipline Members Who Vote for Licence.

Editor of The Voice.—In your issue of October 18, you ask the question, "Can a loyal member of a Christian church vote a Republican or Democratic ticket?" Then you publish the utterances of the various church bodies on this question. The Voice usually goes to the bottom of the questions it deals with; but to our way of thinking, it has been superficial in this matter. The highest portions of the church defenses against the liquor traffic are not to be found in the anathemas hurled at the traffic, nor in the declarations as to what ought not to be done to legalize it, but in the limitations of church authority found in such expressions as the following: "We do not presume to dictate the political conduct of our people. We do not presume to dictate to any man how he shall vote," etc. There is enough declaratory discipline to purge the church of her guilt in this direction but there is nothing of a mandatory character in the church discipline to hold any one responsible. To bring this thought out in all its bearings upon the case, let us at the end of every strong declaration, such as "It can never be legalized without sin," add "But we do not presume to Dictate." Do you not see how utterly impotent and foolish these resolutions become?

If these nullifying clauses had not been added, then the declaratory utterances would have mere disciplinary force; but they kill them all. J. W. WELLS.

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ORDINATION SERVICES.

The "little church around the corner" was the center of a very pleasing series of meetings this week. Rev. Elmer C. Andrus, who has been supplying the pulpit of the Universalist church since last July, has been a licentiate for several months, but had never been formally ordained. Having decided to adopt the ministry as a permanent profession, it became not only appropriate but necessary, under the rule of that church, to receive the rite of ordination. Accordingly an application was made to the committee on Fellowship of the State Convention, and they directed an ordaining council to be convened at the Tecumseh church on Nov. 13th at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of examining the candidate and passing upon his application.

MONDAY'S SESSION.

The series of services, of which this one was the chief, began Monday evening. The fearful snow storm that raged that night, and Mr. Wendling's lecture, combined to reduce the attendance, although there was a fair audience present, who were rewarded with an excellent discourse from Rev. Walter A. Taylor, of Jackson.

TUESDAY'S SESSIONS.

Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the ordaining council assembled. This consisted of Revs. Merrifield, Thornton and Gibbs, of Manchester, Lapeer and Concord, and one lay delegate each from the parishes of Detroit, Concord, Manchester and Tecumseh. The clerical members of the council constituted the examining committee, and for nearly an hour they catechised the candidate upon the various points of Universalist theology, the tenets of church polity; the duties and responsibilities devolving upon a christian minister. Mr. Andrus acquited himself most satisfactorily and the council unanimously reported that he be ordained and admitted to full fellowship as a minister of the Gospel in the Universalist church. The proceedings of the council were very interesting to those who had never witnessed a service of that character.

Tuesday evening a good audience assembled, notwithstanding the rain, for general services. A fine discourse was given by Rev. H. L. Thornton, of Lapeer, on the topic, "What is the Mission of the Universalist Church." It was a practical as well as a theoretical sermon, showing that there is a place in the religious world for the Universalist and all other liberal churches, and showing how the leaven of Universalism is permeating the religious thought of the present day.

Rev. W. L. Gibbs, of Concord, followed in a brief extempore address upon the topic, "Loyalty to the Church." He believed that any clergyman, who unites with a church organization, should be loyal to that church. It behoves the minister of the Gospel to be tolerant towards all other churches, but at the same time to advocate his own belief at proper times and places and to adhere loyally to the church with which he is identified.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Another general service was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a good congregation listened to a powerful sermon from Rev. Lee S. M. McCollester, of Detroit. Mr. McCollester is one of the leading divines of that city and has the reputation of being one of the finest pulpit orators in the state. His text was, "Take My Yoke Upon You and Learn of Me," and his topic was the "Evolution of Religion." The discourse was a very scholarly production and it was delivered in a manner that riveted the attention of the congregation to the close. Many members of the churches in town were present, attracted by the orator's reputation, and all seemed highly pleased.

The ordination services proper were held yesterday evening, a report of which we are compelled to defer until next week.

YOU HAVE NO IDEA—

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to return sincere thanks to the Odd Fellows and our friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement.

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With the exilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well informed.

The leading question among Republicans at present is this: When are the Democrats going to hold their election?

High School Happenings.

John Gaston has been absent since Monday.

Philosophy class busy with specific gravity.

Nothing unusual happened at school this week.

Sophmores classified last Thursday afternoon.

The "Jolly Juniors" organized Monday afternoon with Charles Hurry as president.

The rooms in the high school are full to overflowing. An addition to the building would be appreciated by both scholars and teachers.

Table Talk.

"Table Talk" for November is typical and characteristic of this bright little magazine which is so useful in the home, giving, as it does, the very latest hints in the culinary line; in fashions; in etiquette; in the art of entertaining at this, the late Autumnal and Thanksgiving season—in fact, in everything that interests the bright, progressive women of to-day. The housekeeper's inquiry department is especially attractive to those interested in broadening their knowledge and continually having something new and attractive upon their tables. Menus are given too, for every meal in the month—good, practical tested menus. A sample copy is offered to our readers free, upon application to the office in Philadelphia.

—TO THE CITIZENS OF TECUMSEH AND VICINITY—

I have opened an office, first door west of the Lilley bank, for administering the Dr. J. C. Kennedy Patent Process or Impacted Air treatment for the benefit of suffering humanity. All are requested to call and examine this treatment, and get a free treatment and testimonials of marvelous cures recieved by the use of this treatment. All people suffering from catarrh, throat, lung or stomach troubles are requested to call and investigate this treatment, and get reference. M. OSBORN, JR., MGR.

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FOR SALE.—The E. F. Blood Estate Farm can be bought at a low figure this fall. 60 acres with good buildings, or more land, if you wish. Inquire of (oct18tf) C. H. BLOOD.

ROOMS TO RENT—and boarders wanted at E. Tisdale's house, corner Ottawa and Pottawatamie Sts.

WANTED—A few horses to winter. They will be stabled nights. Charges by the week. 1w R. W. COLE.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 15, 1894

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Wedling's lecture opened the Star course most admirably.

Augusta Kirchgessner spent Sunday with father's in Clinton.

Mrs. Avery, of Jackson, was calling on Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

Clinton and Blissfield will both have good lecture courses this winter.

Course tickets for the balance of the Star lecture course will be $1.25.

Miss Avery, of Adrian, is the guest of Miss Helen Conklin this week.

Chas. Kennedy, of Lansing, is making a visit among old friends this week.

The county board of canvassers met Tuesday to canvass the election returns.

Winter is coming upon us earlier than usual this fall. Perhaps the election did it.

Mrs. H. M. Moore, of Adrian, is spending a few days with Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. Wm. Kirchgessner, of Manchester, was visiting friends here the first of the week.

Will J. Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., was shaking hands with old friends Sunday and part of Monday.

Elwood Comfort did not go to Florida last week as reported, but left Tuesday to join his family there.

The second entertainment in the Star course will be given Nov. 24th, by the Temple quartette.

A. D. Hall was in Adrian yesterday on business pertaining to the Lenawee County Insurance Company.

There will a special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M., to-morrow night for work in the 3rd. degree.

Attention farmers! Sure cure for roup in chickens and turkeys. Enquire of ORR & TEMPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann, parents of the McCann Bros., who live at Bunker Hill in this State, are visiting their sons this week.

Monday's storm was the worst one ever seen in this latitude so early in the season. The storm was general throughout the state.

Have you seen the portable canvass storm doors J. D. Kinney & Co., have for sale? They have one on exhibition in front of their store.

S. C. Stacy gives his Snap Shot lectures at Onsted this week. Next week he will give the entertainment at Addison for the benefit of the Epworth League.

A. W. Haight was at home over Sunday, and he is looking as well as usual. He is now acting as special agent for the Lancashire Insurance Co., with headquarters at Columbus, Ohio.

Clarence Lowe and A. J. Lee will give a dancing party at Britton on Thanksgiving Eve., Nov. 28th. Dance tickets fifty cents and supper tickets the same. Good music will be intendance and an enjoyable time may be expected.

Marshal Stevens accompanied Frank Harring to Kalamazoo Wednesday, he having been adjudged insane. He was an old soldier and a resident here for many years. He returned this morning bringing Wm. Gordon with him.

The semi-annual apportionment of primary school interest money has been made for Lenawee county. It figures out 68 cents per capita. The whole number of children in the county entitled to the interest money is 13,632, drawing the sum of $9,269.76.

The condition of growing wheat is reported at 91 per cent in the southern counties, 98 in the central and 100 in the northern, comparison being with average years. The average for the State is 94. The average condition is higher in all sections of the State than one year ago.

The Temple Quartette Concert Co., assisted by Miss Genevieve Pugh, as Reader, will give the next entertainment in the Star Course on Saturday evening of next week, Nov. 24th. This is a male quartette, consisting of two tenors, baritone and basso. It is one of the finest concert troupes now before the public.

The employes at the Adrian Packing Company pinned crape on Myron Forbush the day after election, and it was some time before he discovered what caused everyone in the factory to smile. It was appropriate for the occasion, however, as Mr. Forbush is a Democrat and his official friends have all gone up "Salt Creek."—Evening Telegram.

D. P. Anthony & Co., have purchased the Karr patent process for removing scale from steam boilers. It consists of a mechanical apparatus by which the scale is removed from the boiler tubes. The machines will be manufactured here in Tecumseh, but the firm has opened a wholesale office in Chicago. The process is evidently an excellent one, and the firm will doubtless make a good thing out of it financially.

Bring along that wood.

Wm. J. Arnold was in Adrian Tuesday.

The Brownville pond froze over last Monday.

Mrs. Dora Clarke, of Toledo, visited her parents over Sunday.

Run in and take tea at the G. A. R. Hall this evening. Supper from 5 to 7.

Mrs. W. T. Thorp, of Adrian, is the guest of Geo. Heesen's family this week.

This town has been pretty well supplied with Universalist ministers this week.

Rev. Robt. Wooden, of Cambridge, is spending two or three days with his old Tecumseh friends this week.

Rev. David J. Lewis rejoiceth in the possession of a little daughter, that arrived in his household last Monday.

Now is the time to buy a new overcoat. For a word of advice on this subject, consult McCann Bros. new card.

Old papers for sale at this office, in any quantity desired. Only five cents a bundle, or three bundles for ten cents.

Alf. James returned from Indiana, Saturday. He says that Dr. Gamble is rapidly improving and will soon be out again.

People who wish to pay their subscription in wood are requested to bring it at once, while the roads are good. They will thus accommodate themselves and us too.

We had several calls last week for Cora DePuy's pamphlet, entitled "The Workingman's Tariff." We now have a lot on hand which can be procured at this office at five cents a copy.

The Co. C. boys realized a good sum out of Stacy's Worlds Fair lectures at the Armory last week, and all their out expense was warming and lighting the hall. They claim it was the best benefit entertainment they ever had.

The feature of the entertainment was the readings by Miss Genevieve Pugh, a graduate of the Emerson College of Oratory. Miss Pugh has a voice of unusual compass and sweetness, which gives great promise of success.—Springfield Republican.

Miss Pugh is graceful and pleasing in personal appearance, easy and natural in her readings, and without the artificial agonies that are so often distressing to the listener. . . . Every selection was well rendered, and heartily appreciated by the audience.—Lynn Daily Press.

A magnificent audience attended the closing number of the Y. M. C. A course last night. The attraction was attraction was the Temple Quartette, and a fitting close it was to this grand series of entertainments. When they sang the "Suwance River," they were obliged to respond to four recalls.—Cedar Rapids Republican.

The following from Tuesday's Evening Telegram will be of interest to Harry's many friends here: "Mr. Harry Stearns paid up his oyster supper bet last evening, and the bivalves were of Schoolcraft & Layard's choicest, with the usual concomitant. After the supper came coffee and cigars, and a reminiscent time. Eleven good men and true, of all political views, including members of the press, helped Harry enjoy the scene, and they vote him a royal good fellow. Every one left him trusting that better luck would attend his predictions next time. There's always hope of getting it on the other fellow next time." Harry? here's hoping the other fellow will have to set set them up next time.

For three years past The Echo, the weekly edition of The Evening News, and the Detroit Weekly Tribune have had substantially a common ownership. For a year past one editor has controlled both papers, and indeed, except for the headings, the two papers have been almost identical. In the interests of economical management and the perfecting and improving of the newspaper it has been determined from this date to drop the difference in name, which has been for some time the only real difference between the two papers, and entirely amalgamate them into a single publication. The name of the combined issue will be The Detroit Tribune, that name being preserved rather than the Echo, because the Tribune is much the older paper, having been issued regularly since November, 1839.

Supreme Deputy Chief Ranger Henry L. Harrison organized Court Pottawatamie of Independent Order of Foresters, here in Tecumseh last Tuesday evening. Upon our charter list is some of our best business men. The Court starts out under most favorable circumstances. This is not a death assessment order. Payment never changes and living benefits are given its members. They have now accumulated over one million dollars in their reserve fund. The following gentlemen were selected as the officers of the Court and to whom any information may be obtained as regards its benefits:

C. D. H. C. R.—W. R. Blachford.
C. R.—Walter C. Burridge.
V. C. R.—James Lowry.
R. S.—E. L. Teeple.
F. S.—Jas. H. Elliott.
Treas.—L. P. Tribou.
S. W.—C. F. Field.
J. W.—Wm. H. Hayden.
S. B.—John C. Mahaney.
J. B.—Charles Moyer.
P. C. R.—Chas. A. Slayton.
Chaplain—Rev. W. R. Blachford.
Physician—L. G. North.

Meeting night, last Monday in the month.

Mr. Harrison left here Tuesday to do the same work in Dundee and Morenci.

Mrs. Wm. L. Waterhouse, of Clinton, was in town the last of the week.

Mrs. James Mark entertained her neices, Clara and Lizzie Fritz, of Riga, last week.

Geo. A. Kies and Fred Breese, of Clinton, were Tecumseh visitors yesterday. Fred made the HERALD office a pleasant call.

Turn out and give the Royal Arcanum a rousing benefit, they are deserving and will furnish you a great musical treat.

Mrs. C. A. Wright and Miss Nannie Frazer went to Detroit yesterday to spend two or three days with acquaintances in that city.

Rev. H. A. Smith and wife and A. P. Coddington and wife, besides many other members of the church, attended the Baptist rally at Adrian last week.

Mrs. A. B. Orendorf, of Chicago, and Mrs. E. G. Crego, of Adrian, are in town having come to attend the funeral of their little neice, Florence Warner.

Mrs. Frank Spafard, of Manchester, attended the ordination services at the Universalist church Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and was the guest of Mrs. Abbie Fisher.

Mrs. A. B. Orendorf, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. J. Morrison for a few days, being called home by the sudden death of her neice, Florence Warner, who was buried last Monday p. m.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold their regular tea meeting Wednesday, Nov. 21. Business meeting at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Coller's committee will serve supper from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are invited.

Fred Nay and wife were called from Toledo to Holloway last week to attend the funeral of their brother, Maurice, and while there were summoned to Tecumseh by the death of their niece, little Florence Warner.

Wolf Brothers are busy at work in Sutton's Opera House, freshening up the old and painting new scenery. They are fine scenic artists and just completed the outfit for Blissfield's new Opera House.

Rev. Thos. Marshall, D. D., of Chicago, a friend of Rev. Brown's, will speak at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday next. He has just returned from a year's visit among the missionary fields of the Orient and gives a vivid picture of the trip. He is a good talker and will delight you.

Prof. Eugene Smalley will give one of his charming Phonographic Concerts at Arcanum Hall, over Wright's Drug Store, Thursday evening, Nov. 22d. for the benefit of that order. His selections are by the best bands, singers, actors and speakers, and with the use of a brass horn are clearly heard in any hall. Admission 10cts.

Prof. and Mrs. Warner mourn the death of their beautiful infant daughter, Florence, who passed from earth Friday, the 19th inst., aged 3 months and 1 week. "Only a little child that's dead," but this means desolate hearts and darkened lives, and sincere sympathy is felt for the bereaved ones.

The revival meetings at the Friend's church closed Sunday evening. During their continuance the weather has been most of the time very stormy, which affected the attendance to a large extent. In view of the disadvantages under which they were held the result was very satisfactory both as to membership and renewed zeal among the old members.

The Temple Quartette Concert company was greeted with a crowded house last evening, many standing through the whole programme. The singers on one occasion responded three times to the repeated encores, evidently determined to give a Burlington audience enough for once, if such a thing were possible.—Burlington Hawkeye.

Mrs. John C. Hazlitt was released from her sufferings at five o'clock yesterday morning. Her infant babe was buried last Sunday, and the mother now goes to meet the little one. She leaves a husband and two children to mourn the demise of a fond wife and mother. The funeral will be held at the house to-morrow afternoon. Rev. Chas. Brown officiating.

Geo. W. Smith, who has been in feeble health for some time, died last Thursday of pneumonia and heart failure, aged 75 years and 25 days. The funeral services were held at his residence on east Chicago street, last Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner. The house was filled with sympathizing neighbors and friends, who assembled to pay their last tribute of respect to the departed. The deceased was an honored member of the Odd Fellows fraternity, and a delegation from the Tecumseh lodge acted as pall bearers.

The decorators have finished their labors in Masonic Hall, and returned to Detroit. They did their work well. It bore the inspection of the Grand Overseer's and proved such work as they were pleased to accept. It is indeed a work of art and the several rooms, although not as elaborate as some, are very tastily decorated. Having passed from the hands of the frescoers, the rooms are now in the hands of those celebrated artists, Jordon, Hause, Aten, and Morse who are causing the woodwork and floors to shine like burnished brass. The carpets are here and will soon be laid and the furniture put in place. When all is completed we will describe the rooms in detail.

E. F. Kirchgessner is placing on sale a superb line of cut glass and silverware.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith attended the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at Blissfield.

The date of Dr. Marshall's address has been changed from Friday until Sunday morning.

Miss Helen Fisher left Saturday for Kalamazoo, where she will pass several weeks visiting her many friends.

John Heck visited friends in Cleveland the latter part of the week and returned home Monday, accompanied by Mrs. H., who had been there some time.

Jim. Marsh had a narrow escape from drowing Monday. While on the pond the ice gave way and in he went. His cries were heard at the Paper Mill and Jake Woodbeck reached him as he was going down the third time.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Wednesday, Nov. 14th, at five o'clock P. M., by Rev. H. A. Smith, Miss Olive Owen of this village, to Calvin Bovee of Hudson. They will make their home at Hudsonsafter next Monday. We wish them all the good luck there is in Michigan.

Don't fail to attend the Elocutionary and Musical Recital at the M. E. church next Wednesday Eve. Nov. 21st. Miss Fraine and Miss Stoddard are connected with the Lawrence Barrett School of Expression and are artists. They give a recital at the M. E. church Nov. 21st. After the recital classes will be formed in Elocution by the Misses Fraine and Stoddard.

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THE ELECTION.

The Latest Returns Give Rich a Plurality of 104,429.

All of the Republican Candidates for Congress Elected—Democrats Elect One Member of the Legislature.

DETROIT, Nov. 10.—With complete returns from every county in the state except Manitou Gov. Rich's plurality has settled itself at 104,429. Official figures will not change it more than a few hundred either way. This is nearly twice the greatest plurality Michigan ever gave a candidate. The constitutional amendments, one allowing inmates of the soldiers' home to vote and the other tightening the qualifications of voters, have been adopted by big majorities. Corrected returns make it certain that Donovan, of Bay county, will be the only democrat in the state legislature. One of the features of the returns is the plurality the populist candidate for governor received over the democratic in six counties. Not more than three counties in the state showed democratic supremacy. Republicans elect all (twelve) congressmen by pluralities ranging from 2,500 to 8,000. The list of congressmen-elect is as follows:

First district, J. B. Corliss; Second, George Spaulding; Third, J. C. Burrows; Fourth, H. F. Thomas; Fifth, W. A. Smith; Sixth, D. D. Aitken; Seventh, H. G. Snover; Eighth, W. S. Linton; Ninth, R. P. Bishop; Tenth, R. O. Crump; Eleventh, John Avery; Twelfth, S. M. Stephenson.

The latest returns received by the Free Press (dem.) show that of the thirty-two state senators elected every one is a republican. Of the 100 members of the house all are republicans save one, John Donovan of the Bay county district. Many districts which have not returned republican legislators for a quarter of century elected republicans. The legislature will elect two republican United States senators.

For the senatorship there is little doubt of the reelection of Senator McMillan. For the other seat in the upper branch of congress the avowed candidates are Senator Patton, Congressmen Burrows and Stevenson. For the speakership of the house there are several aspirants. Among them are the following: W. D. Gordon, F. C. Chamberlain, Byron I. Waite and Job T. Campbell.

CAN'T DRINK OR SMOKE.

Expulsion Attends Indulgence in These Habits at Olivet College.

OLIVET, Nov. 12.—Any student of Olivet college who is caught drinking liquor or smoking tobacco will be expelled. This is the edict of the faculty just announced. Several weeks ago at chapel President Sperry announced the college no longer would harbor students in any way indulging the drink or tobacco habit. This did not stop the practice, for a number of the students smoked and drank in secret. To stop this the faculty has decided on the expulsion of all offenders.

Intend to Consolidate.

DETROIT, Nov. 10.—In reference to the foreclosure sale at Alpena of the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena railroad to the bondholders represented by Drexel, Morgan & Co.'s agents, it was stated the ultimate intention is to consolidate the road with the Alpena & Northern railroad. The latter is but 50 miles in length at present, but the consolidated line will be extended to Rogers City and Cheboygan. It is also the intention to extend the road to Bay City from a point near Tawas.

Zion Church Case Reversed.

BAY CITY, Nov. 8.—A telegram from Lansing says the supreme court has reversed the Zion church case, so called, and it will be returned to this city for a hearing. This suit involves a church and parsonage having a valuation of $10,000. The Escher faction of the Evangelical association is endeavoring to force the trustees to engage one of its preachers in place of an independent and to gain possession of the property.

Death of Col. I. I. Newell.

ADRIAN, Nov. 12.—Word is received here from Philadelphia of the death there of Col. I. I. Newell, one of Adrian's early settlers. He was at one time a large Adrian real estate owner and built the Adrian gas works. He served as division quartermaster of the army of the Potomac. The last twenty years he has spent mostly in Washington and Philadelphia. His remains will be brought here for interment.

Knew Detroit in Its Infancy.

MONMOUTH, Ill., Nov. 12.—Charles Bergan, of this county, died Saturday morning at the age of 105 years. Previous to the past year deceased had been hale and hearty and in possession of all his faculties. He was born in Detroit, Mich., and remembers that city when it was composed of a dozen log huts.

Electric Lights for Kalamazoo.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 9.—About half as many votes were cast at the special election here relating to electric lighting as at the state election. The proposition to bond the city for $40,000 was carried by 500, and that to borrow $40,000 by 700.

Died of Her Injuries.

UNION CITY, Nov. 9.—Mrs. Smith, aged 82, living south of this city, sat down to smoke her pipe. Sparks set fire to her clothing, and when discovered by relatives the old lady was so badly burned that death speedily followed.

After the Deer.

DETROIT, Nov. 10.—Reports from all sections of the state indicate that the snowfall is general. In the upper peninsula it will give added impetus to deer slaughter. Hunters are rushing into the woods by the score.

A Sudden Call.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 10.—C. H. Dutton, father of G. F. Dutton, of this city, fell dead while walking across the room in his son's house to-day. His age was 76 years.

STATE NEWS.

A Budget of Interesting Information from Many Points.

Sparks from a passing engine set fire to a paving-block factory at Bay City. The loss is $8,000.

Michael Wilson, aged 65, of Adrian, has been imprisoned for cruelly beating his mother, who is 92 years old.

William Lauder, a brakeman aged 32 and a married man, was fatally crushed while coupling cars at Almont junction, near Port Huron.

Manistee will soon be connected with the outside world by a long-distance telephone line. The poles are now being placed between Manistee and Ludington.

Cheboygan county reports are of the largest potato crops of its history. They are big and of fine quality. The farmers who have from 1,500 to 2,000 bushels each are unusually numerous.

The Grand Rapids Leather company has filed a certificate with the secretary of state and with County Clerk Eddy to the effect that its capital stock has been reduced from $110,000 to $75,000.

SAVED FROM A FIERY DEATH.

Prisoners in the Standish Jail Saved by the Efforts of Outsiders.

STANDISH, Nov. 12.—To the bravery of two intrepid fellows the six prisoners in the Aranac county jail owe their lives. Fire broke out in the plank wall which separated the two prisoners in an outer cell from the four more important convicts in the steel cell. These imprisoned men saw the fire and fought it with their hands and bedding. For nearly two hours did those prisoners battle with the flames, which gained on them inch by inch. At last the floor took fire, and the courthouse, which was over the jail, was soon ablaze. Two of the crowd of spectators, when they learned of the men confined took the keys from the jailer, rushed in, and dragged out the six men, who were insensible from the suffocating smoke. Three of the men were badly burned about the face and hands. Had the rescuers been six minutes later all six would have died from suffocation.

NOT GUILTY.

O. W. Ludlow Acquitted of the Charge of Killing Ira Hurd.

ALLEGAN, Nov. 11.—The case of O. W. Ludlow, who was charged by Mrs. Ira Hurd with the murder of the woman's husband, was given to the jury last Saturday afternoon. To-night after being out four hours the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. Hurd suspected his wife of being unfaithful to him and returned home unexpectedly one night about six weeks ago. Mrs. Hurd claims that she thought he was a burglar and fired the fatal shot. It was alleged that she and Ludlow were criminally intimate and after the inquest both were arrested charged with murder. Mrs. Hurd will probably be tried this week.

Indications of a Lake Disaster.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., Nov. 12.—No distinguishing marks could be found on a lot of wreckage which was washed on the beach near Fish Point Saturday afternoon and the identity of the ill-fated vessel is a mystery. The wreckage indicates, however, that the steamer was of the largest size. The gale was the worst of the season, and if the crew of the wrecked steamer took to the lifeboats it is not possible they could have reached shore.

Big Lumber Plants on the East Shore.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 10.—The Big Four railway officials have about completed arrangements with owners of the marsh land between the Twin cities for the purchase of several hundred acres of that worthless land, to be opened up and covered by mammoth lumber yards and manufactories. The St. Joseph river will be docked on the Benton Harbor side, drains put in and tracks laid to several points on the acquired property.

Killed by Accident.

TRAVERSE CITY, Nov. 9.—Augustus McManus, a prominent young business man of this city, accidentally shot himself in the head while deer hunting and died during the night. His friends and his wife, who were camping with him, were obliged to drag and carry him over a mile to camp and the exposure probably hastened his death.

Sale of Abandoned Lands.

LANSING, Nov. 9.—The annual sale of abandoned homesteads and state lands forfeited for the non-payment of interest was held at the state land office Thursday. About 10,000 acres of homestead and 1,200 of forfeited lands were offered. There were few bidders, the only competition being over Baraga county lands.

In a Swiss Prison.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 12.—H. P. Holser, American representative of the Seventh-day Adventists, writes his friends in this city he is undergoing imprisonment in Basel, Switzerland, for allowing work to be done in the Adventist publishing house there Sunday.

Big Mortgage Filed.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 9.—W. S. Lawrence, a large manufacturer of agricultural implements, has filed two mortgages, one chattel mortgage and one real estate, each for $31,469, in trust to his son to secure certain preferred creditors.

Want a New County.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich., Nov. 12.—People in this vicinity, inconvenienced by the removal of the county seat from Berrien Springs to St. Joseph, will ask the legislature to split Berrien county in two, giving their territory a new government.

To Meet at Mount Clemens.

MUSKEGON, Nov. 10.—State G. A. R. Commander Kanitz and the executive committee of the council of administration have called the next encampment on March 26, 27 and 28 at Mount Clemens.

BALLOTS ILLEGAL.

Supreme Court Decides What Constitutes a Distinguishing Mark.

LANSING, Nov. 10.—In deciding the case of Scott vs. Gleaser the supreme court was called upon to decide what constitutes a distinguishing mark on a ballot within the meaning of the new election law. The law says that the presence of a distinguishing mark shall render a ballot illegal, and the court unanimously held such illegal features to be any other than the single mark necessary to make known the elector's intention. The opinion says that if a voter desiring to cast a straight ballot make a cross over the top of his ticket and then put one in the square before each candidate on the ticket the ballot is illegal. Another illegal ballot, the court says, would be one where the voter desiring to split his ticket, had placed a cross before the name of the candidate for whom he wished to vote, and then erased the name of the candidate for the same office on his own ticket.

Thousands of ballots marked in each of the manners described were counted in Michigan Tuesday. In many cases where the vote was close the result already declared will be changed if contests are made, as they doubtless will be. The court bases its opinion on the proposition that the law is intentionally explicit and that as a single mark constitutes a vote a second mark is unnecessary and may be an agreed method of identifying ballots, which identification the law expressly seeks to avoid.

The decision has prompted democratic county candidates to ask for a recount, their expectation being that enough ballots will be thrown out to give them a majority. James Van Kleek, attorney for Comptroller Glaser, of West Bay City, who lost his office by the decision, will ask the supreme court for a rehearing.

REPORT OF MICHIGAN CROPS.

Average Condition of Wheat Higher Than One Year Ago.

LANSING, Nov. 10.—The Michigan crop report for November gives the area seeded to wheat at 86 per cent. of the area seeded one year ago. In condition the growing wheat is reported at 91 per cent. in the southern counties, 98 in the central and 100 in the northern, comparison being with average years. The average for the state is 94. The average condition is higher in all sections of the state than one year ago. Corn is estimated to yield in the southern counties and the state an average of forty bushels of ears to the acre. The area of clover-seed harvested is about 55 per cent. of the area in average years. The yield is estimated at 1.31 bushels to the acre. Compared with a full average crop potatoes are estimated in the state at 52 per cent. Live stock is in fairly good condition.

TERRA FIRMA TREMBLES.

Indications of an Earthquake Reported at Benton Harbor.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 10.—A number of people living in the vicinity of the Catholic church in this city were startled early Thursday morning by a low, rumbling noise that ended in a dull thud, as though some heavy body had struck the ground. At the same time the earth trembled and houses shook until the windows rattled. The noise was unlike thunder, and nothing resembling an aerolite has been found, but there was no mistaking the shock and oscillation of the earth, which continued for about two seconds. Some think it was an earthquake.

Robbed an Old Lady.

EDWARDSBURG, Nov. 11.—Mrs. Mary McMichael, an old lady living alone on her farm, was robbed by four masked men early Saturday morning. They bound her, set fire to the house, and stealing her horse and buggy, escaped. She rolled herself to the fire burned off the cords which bound her hands, and extinguished the blaze. Then she ran to a neighbor and fell fainting on the doorstep before she could tell the story.

Religious Awakening in Bay City.

BAY CITY, Nov. 12.—One of the greatest religious awakenings this city ever had took place Sunday, when special missionary services were held in all evangelical churches. Among the speakers were Rev. and Mrs. Fohlfinger, of China; Mrs. Helen Hancock, of Burmah, and Prof. E. W. Clement, of Japan.

Michigan School Money.

LANSING, Nov. 10.—The superintendent of public instruction has made the semi-annual apportionment of the primary school interest fund among the several counties. The total sum apportioned was $460,921, or 68 cents for each child of school age in the state. The two apportionments made this year aggregated $1,021,458.

Accidentally Killed.

NIRVANA, Nov. 9.—Four miles north of Nirvana Chester Bauty was accidentally shot by his gun slipping and the hammer striking upon a log. The charge of buckshot took off a portion of the hand and entered the bowels. He survived only about ten hours. He was 19 years old and lived at Rodney.

Prohibition in Kalamazoo.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 9.—In the city of Kalamazoo the prohibition vote for A. M. Todd for governor shows an increase of 50 per cent. above the last election. The straight prohibition ticket shows an increase of 83 per cent.

A Vacancy Filled.

LANSING, Nov. 10.—Gov. Rich appointed William J. Spears, of Vassar, a member of the board of trustees for the institution for the deaf and dumb at Flint, vice James A. Trotter, of Vassar, resigned.

A Post Office Burned.

LINDEN, Nov. 8.—A $1,300 fire occurred in the building containing the post office. The post office paraphernalia was saved. Insurance, $900.

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DOMESTIC.

A SNOWSTORM, accompanied by high wind, visited Hartford, Conn., prostrating telegraph and telephone wires.

SILON LEWIS, the condemned Choctaw murderer, was shot at Wilburton, I. T. He had to be strangled to end his sufferings.

A DECISION which practically abolishes habeas corpus proceedings in debarred immigrant cases was rendered by Judge Lacombe, of New York.

THE production of anthracite coal in Pennsylvania for the year 1893 was 47,179,583 tons, an increase of 1,441,182 tons over that of 1892. The bituminous coal produced was 43,421,693 tons, against 40,575,376 tons in 1892.

THE anti-toxin remedy for diphtheria was being tested in four cases in the municipal hospital, Philadelphia.

SUCCESSFUL exhibitions of the value of hypnotic influences in performing surgical operations were given in Chicago and Minneapolis.

DURING a livery stable fire in Pittsburgh twelve workmen were injured, one probably fatally.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 5th was: Wheat, 80,027,000 bushels; corn, 2,658,000 bushels; oats, 9,378,000 bushels; rye, 444,000 bushels; barley, 8,810,000 bushels.

MRS. JAMES DONNAILY, of Evergreen O., is dead, and her three sisters and father, Joseph Doolittle, were not expected to live from the effects of drinking poisoned rain water.

ACTUATED by jealousy, Humphrey Johnson, of Collinwood, O., shot his wife through the head and then killed himself.

TRAMPS murdered a boy and a girl, children of Samuel Good, near Paulding, O., and threw the bodies into a brush heap, which was then set on fire. Lynching was threatened.

CLAUDE M. JOHNSON, chief of the bureau of engraving and printing, in his annual report states that during the year the aggregate number of sheets delivered of United States notes, treasury notes, gold and silver certificates, internal revenue and customs stamps, etc., was 55,516,961, the cost of which was $1,317,389, the cost per 1,000 sheets being $23.

F. H. MATTHEWS, a Boston wool dealer, failed for $400,000.

SEVEN British steamers were set on fire at Savannah, Ga., and partially burned.

IN a fight at a Mexican dance near Alpine, Tex., Jules Estrado, violinist, was killed and two cowboys mortally wounded.

THE tug Crusader was burned at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Henry Billings and Charles Whiffen firemen, were burned to death.

SECRETARY HERBERT issued an order retiring Admiral Gherardi, the senior admiral of the navy, and commandant of the New York navy yard.

MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, of New York, consented to the securing of a divorce by her husband and will receive $3,000,000 in lieu of dower.

AT CHILLICOTHE, O., Cyclist Johnson rode a third of a mile with a standing start in 0:89, and a half in 0:55 1-5, new records.

THE Rex flour mills at Kansas City, Mo., were totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $300,000.

IT was found that the president had authority under existing law to exclude German products in retaliation for discrimination against American cattle.

OWING to an attempt to compel elevation of tracks at Joliet, Ill., five railroads decided to move out of the city.

IN an election riot at Harpersville, Ala., two men were fatally shot and three others wounded.

A TERRIFIC storm had raged for thirty-six hours all over New England. Its violence was only equaled by the great blizzard of 1888. Reports from various points indicated disasters to shipping and great destruction of property, aggregating in value several hundred thousand dollars.

AT the Belmont track in Philadelphia Alix trotted a mile in 2:08¾, lowering the state record.

WILL JONES and Tom Buchanan were killed by the Somers brothers in an election riot in Wise county, Va.

SIX men were killed and three injured in a collision between Baltimore & Ohio trains near Rockwood, Pa.

A PIECE of oil-soaked cloth which Willie Grinnage, of Flint, Mich., was binding about his leg, took fire and he was burned to death.

JOHN ENGLISH, of Portland, Ind., elected sheriff on the republican ticket, was taken ill after the close of the polls and died from heart disease.

DANIEL W. POWERS and Bradford Bryant perished while hunting in a swamp near Halifax, Mass.

A PASSENGER train was held up 1 mile east of Hyannis, Neb., by two men, but they lost their nerve and fled.

CHARLES F. PITT & SONS, importers of chemicals at Baltimore, failed for $100,000.

TWO CHILDREN of Alfred Hindstrom, of Chassell, Mich., were left alone in the house, which caught fire, cremating them.

AT Gallipolis, O., three men were buried in a caving well and one was killed and another fatally injured.

ALEXANDER G. PECK and his wife were found dead at their home in Elgin, Ill. They had been asphyxiated by coal gas.

DETECTIVES found the body of Mrs. Mary Cottrell, of Hamilton county, on a dissecting table in an Indianapolis medical college.

LEE LAWRENCE (colored) was lynched by a mob near Monticello, Ga. He had been sentenced to be hanged November 30 for assaulting Mrs. Polk.

WHEN the proposed plans for enlarging Hoffman island have been completed New York will have the finest quarantine station in the world.

AN incendiary fire destroyed the freight sheds of the West India & Pacific Steamship company in New Orleans, the loss being $120,000.

HUNDREDS of people in Deerfield, O., were exposed to small pox through contact with a faith cure victim.

THE opera house, the post office and D. M. Miller & Co.'s store were burned at Addison, W. Va., by incendiaries.

REV. T. DEWITT TALMAGE, pastor of the Brooklyn tabernacle for twenty-five years, has resigned.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY decided that railway employes had a legal right to belong to brotherhoods.

AT a meeting of the National Waif association in Pittsburgh Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Detroit, Mich., was elected president.

THE San Bernardino (Cal.) First national bank closed its doors from lack of funds.

FOUR masked bandits rode into Shattuck, O. T., and robbed the post office, a store and a saloon.

AT Litchfield, Ill., John Hottenrout killed Mrs. Charles Niemeyer and then committed suicide. Trouble over land was the cause.

MIKE KELLY, famous as a baseball catcher for Chicago and Boston clubs, died of pneumonia in a Boston hospital, aged 34 years.

MICHAEL WILSON, aged 65, of Adrian, Mich., was imprisoned for cruelly beating his mother, who is 92 years old.

"KID" THOMPSON, the notorious train robber, was captured and turned over to officers by cowboys in Arizona.

THERE were 261 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 9th, against 249 the week previous and 358 in the corresponding time in 1893.

AT Taylor, Tex., Joe Patchen went a mile over a half-mile track in 2:09, breaking the pacing record one and one-quarter seconds.

THE Export Coal company at Pensacola, Fla., failed for $150,000.

N. J. VILLARS, in jail at Fargo, N. D., confessed to the murder of a farmer and his wife near Jamestown.

THE Citizens' national bank at Oberlin, O., was robbed of $600 by unknown thieves who could not force the vault door.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 9th aggregated $948,954,499, against $923,557,316 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 1.8.

HEAVY snowstorms prevailed on the coast of New England and several vessels were wrecked.

CRAZED by a protracted debauch, Peter Pepper, a Louisville (Ky.) barber, tore out his tongue and died in terrible agony.

MEMBERS of the Cook gang raided the town of Lenapah, I. T., robbing a store, killing one man and wounding another.

BRIG. GEN. MCCOOK was appointed major general in the United States army to succeed Gen. Howard, retired.

INVESTIGATION shows that on railroads owned by governments the charges are very much higher than in the United States.

THE Shulenburg & Boeckeler Lumber company of St. Louis made an assignment with liabilities of $215,000.

MRS. ABBIE A. BROMLEY, widow of Avery A. Bromley, a prominent and wealthy citizen, died suddenly at Middletown, N. Y., at the age of 70 years. For eighteen years she had lived the life of a recluse, and during that time never spoke to a human being.

ERNEST HUHN, a mining expert, fell 600 feet down a shaft at Nevada City, Cal., and was terribly mangled.

THE ship Ida C. Southard, from Philadelphia to New Orleans, was thought to have been lost with her crew of seven men.

THE Cherokee legislature passed a bill making it treason for any citizen to sell his real estate to a non-citizen, naming as a penalty for so doing death by hanging.

THE dry goods firm of Garrettson, Woodruff & Pratt at Tacoma, Wash., failed for $400,000.

THREE men attempted to thaw some dynamite at Huntington, Ind., and were blown to death.

A STORM in Connecticut caused a loss of over $100,000 to the telegraph and telephone companies.

JOHN DONOVAN, of Bay City, will be the only democrat in the next Michigan legislature.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

EDWARD D. WHITE, associate justice of the United States supreme court, and Mrs. Virginia M. Kent were married in New York.

MRS. MADA REGINA MANEY, well known in many parts of Europe and America as an authoress, died in St. Louis, aged 60 years.

LATEST returns from the elections on the 5th show that the republicans were successful in all parts of the country. In New York Levi P. Morton (rep.) was elected governor by 150,000 plurality, and in New York city Strong (rep.) was elected mayor. New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Pennsylvania, North Dakota, South Dakota, California, Minnesota Missouri, Kansas, West Virginia, Wyoming, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Colorado and Utah are in the republican column. Illinois also gives 90,000 republican plurality for the state ticket; Indiana, 50,000; Ohio, 147,000—the largest ever given; Michigan, 50,000; Wisconsin, 50,000; Iowa 90,000. Nebraska elects a fusion (pop.-dem.) governor by a majority of 5,000. Tennessee and North Carolina were in doubt. Mississippi, South Carolina, Kentucky, Texas, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana and Georgia went democratic. The republicans carried Chicago and Cook county by 30,000 plurality.

MRS. HELEN M. GOUGAR made an attempt to vote at Lafayette, Ind., in order to test the suffrage law in the courts.

DAVID S. BENNETT, one of the millionaires of Buffalo, N. Y., and an ex-member of congress died at the age of 84 years.

FURTHER returns from the state elections show that the total number of republican representatives elected to the Fifty-fourth congress is 250. Returns also indicated that the republicans had secured control of the senate.

THE latest advices show that as a result of the congressional elections on the 6th the republicans elected 255 members of the lower house, the democrats 94 and the populists 7. The republicans carried the solid congressional delegations of twenty-three states and a majority of the delegations in thirty states. The returns also indicated that the republicans had secured control of the next senate by a majority of one and possibly three.

IT was considered probable that the populists had elected the governor of Texas and eleven congressmen.

MAJ. GEN. O. O. HOWARD, of the United States army, has been formally retired, having reached the age limit, 64 years.

OFFICIAL returns from New York give Levi P. Morton (rep.) 156,781 plurality for governor over David P. Hill. The plurality for Strong (rep.) for mayor of New York city is 44,205, and the republicans also elect a majority of the board of aldermen.

THE supreme court of New Jersey decided that women had not the right to vote at the school meetings in the state.

THE plurality of Henry Wulff (rep.) for state treasurer of Illinois over Claggett (dem.) was placed at 130,000.

FULL returns from the election in Iowa give William McFarland (rep.) for secretary of state a plurality of 80,305.

FOREIGN.

WAINWRIGHT, the American newspaper correspondent who suffered from cruelties in Brazil, died at Montevideo.

THE report that Fung Wang Cheng was set on fire before its evacuation by the Chinese has been confirmed.

AN appeal was made to Great Britain and France by the Chinese to mediate with Japan for peace.

THE steamers Iron King and S. C. Baldwin collided in the St. Clair river and the latter was sent to the bottom.

PHILIP GILBERT HAMERTON, a well-known artist, author and poet, died in Paris, aged 60 years.

IT was announced that China was willing to abandon her sovereignty over Corea and to pay a war indemnity in order to end the war with Japan.

EXPLORATIONS of the ruins of Nipper, near the site of ancient Babylon, resulted in many interssting discoveries.

SEVENTY persons were killed and much property destroyed by an earthquake at Tamagata, Japan.

GERMANY, through Emperor William, replying to President Dole's official notification, has acknowledged the republic of Hawaii.

THE schooner Annie M. Pride was driven ashore at the entrance to Halifax harbor and all on board (seven person) perished.

THE volcano of Colima, in Mexico, was in an active eruption, and the people in the immediate vicinity were greatly alarmed, as streams of lava were pouring down the sides of the mountains.

TWENTY Brazilian artillerymen were shot at Rio de Janiero for refusing to obey the orders of their officers.

GUILLAUME LOUIS FIGUIER, the noted French chemist and scientific writer, died in Paris, aged 72 years.

THE Spanish coast steamship Fernando foundered 20 miles north of Bahaj Honda and ten of her passengers and crew were drowned.

A CLOUDBURST near Valencia, Venezuela, killed 150 persons and damaged the coffee and other crops to the extent of $500,000.

TWO MEN were killed and one injured by the collapse of an unfinished six-story building in Montreal, Can.

LATER.

OFFICIAL returns from the recent elections give the following republican pluralities: Indiana, 45,445; Iowa, 80,000; Missouri, 11,092; Wisconsin, 51,498; Minnesota, 59,258; Connecticut, 17,667; New York, 155,668.

THE Arlington inn, a famous southern hotel located at Fort Worth, Tex., was burned, the loss being $150,000.

MEMBERS of a Sharon (Pa.) maennerchor ate a cat, which was palmed off on them as a 'possum by an Ohio man.

A FIRE-DAMP explosion in the coal mine at Bruecho, Bohemia, killed twenty miners and injured many more.

IT was said that President Cleveland had offered his services as arbitrator in a settlement of the dispute between China and Japan.

RUFUS N. RAMSAY, state treasurer of Illinois, died at Carlyle after a brief illness, aged 55 years.

INCREASED expenditures and decreased receipts caused a deficiency in the post office department of $9,243,935 during the year ended June 30 last.

ALMOST the entire business center of the village of Frederick, S. D., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

GOV. FLOWER, of New York, has granted permission to experts to attempt to resuscitate a man executed in the electrical chair.

OVER 100 business men of Perry, O. T., were arrested for refusal to pay the occupation tax.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND was said to favor a new issue of bonds at once, owing to the low state of the gold reserve.

THE large warehouse in London owned by the Terrebona Tea company was burned, the loss being $400,000.

NOVEMBER returns of the rates of yield of corn per acre make the average 19.7, the lowest in thirteen years.

A HEAVY snowstorm prevailed throughout Indiana, delaying freight and passenger trains in many instances.

OVER 8,000 Armenians, including women and children, were massacred in the Sassoun region near Moosh, Turkish Armenia, during a recent attack by Kurds and twenty-five villages were destroyed.

A DISPATCH to a London paper says that Port Arthur had fallen into the hands of the Japanese.

A COUNTERFEIT $10 note, check letter B, act of July 14, 1890, series 1891; J. Fount Tillman, register of the treasury; D. N. Morgan, treasurer of the United States, portrait of Gen. Sheridan, was discovered at Washington.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 115 Mail.	No. 117 Express.	No. 119 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	1 40 A.M.	2 05 P.M.	12 20 P.M.
Napoleon.....	5 06 "	5 30 "	1 17 "
Norvell.....	5 27 "	5 55 "	1 37 "
Manchester.....	5 35 "	6 05 "	1 45 "
Clinton.....	5 49 "	6 25 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh.....	5 42 "	6 15 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	6 57 "	7 30 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	9 50 "	9 30 "	10 25 "
Toledo.....	7 20 "	10 40 "	10 25 "

Train No. 115 arrives in Chicago at 2:00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 114 Mail.	No. 116 Express	No. 118 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 20 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 29 "	9 24 "	7 10 "
Clinton.....	12 39 "	9 39 "	7 25 "
Manchester.....	12 55 "	9 45 "	9 05 "
Norvell.....	1 10 "	10 05 "	9 45 "
Napoleon.....	1 17 P.M.	10 11 "	9 50 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 30 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 55	
	A. M. 7 30	1 30	Yorkville	1 14	A. M.
A. M.	7 20	2 07	Battle Creek	12 48	1 25
8 20	8 25	2 28	Marshall	12 14	12 33
9 11	8 53	3 16	Homer	11 45	11 45
11 15	9 42	4 37	Hanover	11 14	11 00
11 50	10 25	4 17	Addison	10 40	10 15
12 05	10 41	4 23	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 38
..	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 43	12 15	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway	9 33	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton	9 28	8 30
3 00	12 14	5 33	Rea	9 15	*8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 50	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M		A.M.	P.M.

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TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	8:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:40 A. M., 11:35 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owoss, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare Marion, Cadalac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Dundee,

6:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 3:22 p. m.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 15, 1894.

Will Kimball is making his home with Len.

James Hamilton, of Detroit was here over Tuesday.

Mrs. John Palmer is now considered out of danger.

Sol. Tate went to Buffalo with a lot of stock Monday.

Wm. C. Rogers visited Morenci and Adrian this week.

Will Noone, of Adrian, is still here caring for his sister.

E. S. Tate went to Cleveland yesterday for several days' visit.

Mr. Gibbs, late of Imlay City, is working for J. J. White.

Dec. 15th is the time settled upon for the Episcopal fair and supper.

Mrs. A. Case, of Tecumseh, is taking care of Mrs. Carrie Woodward.

Augusta Kirchgessner, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her father.

Wallace House, of Columbus, Ohio, visited relatives here this week.

Will J. Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., made his mother a flying visit Monday.

James Walker and wife, of Jackson, are visiting friends here this week.

Laura Clark entertained a small company of friends last Thursday evening.

Gus Shultz and Blanche Stark visited Miss Teressa Carroll Tuesday evening.

Chas. W. Parker, wife and little daughter returned to Hillsdale Monday.

Mrs. Janet Walker is entertaining her daughter from Scotch Ridge, Ohio.

Leora Keyser and Mrs. L. K. Davis were calling on Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Kirk, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Maggie Ebbitt over Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Whittlesey and Ned left Tuesday for a visit with Battle Creek friends.

Warren Brewster, of Hanover, is the guest of his relatives in and around Clinton.

Lavern A. Sutfin has rented the Kimball house on Mill street and is nicely settled.

Mrs. Alma Tate attended the Eastern Star meeting at Tecumseh last Thursday night.

Special communication of Clinton Lodge, F. & A. M., tonight. Work in the 3d degree.

Miss Bertie Johnston entertained a company of young friends at her home Friday evening.

Miss Minnie Carroll has left J. J. White's tailor shop and taken a position in the woolen mills.

Tessie Carroll, Kittie and Gertie Hogan were the guests of Manchester friends over Sunday.

Irve Hause and wife now occupy the Priest house, lately vacated by Mr. Goff, on Brown Street.

John J. White, while calling on Tecumseh customers, took time to make the Herald office a friendly call.

We understand the lecture course is assured, although the desired number of tickets have not all been sold.

Clinton Chapter R. A. M. held a regular meeting Tuesday evening, after which they conferred the M. M. degree.

W. A. Kimball is now connected with Smith, Richmond & Co.'s bank. He is rapidly learning the routine of business.

There is a change for the better in Mrs. Frank L. Woodward's condition and hopes are now entertained for her recovery.

Will Brighton, of Cambridge, made his usual Sunday call here. There is evidently an attraction which Will does not care to resist.

Frank Parker, Prof. and Mrs. H. W. Daniels and Mrs. Chris Saley and daughter attended Geo. R. Wendling's lecture at Tecumseh, Monday evening.

It is reported that a person, having the semblance of a man, has been making himself obnoxious again. It is high time a quietus was put on him.

Owing to the severe storm last Friday night, but few could attend the pedro party at Allen Bartlett's, but those who were there had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Amspoker have the sympathy of all their friends in the great affliction which has come upon them in the death of their bright little boy.

Madison Lane, who went to Ann Arbor expecting to have his eye removed, returned home Saturday, greatly improved. They only removed a portion of the eye, after all.

Mr. W. S. Buell, who recently came from Hanover, Ill., and is weaving in the mill, has been joined by his family and they now occupy one of El. Semark's houses on Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Amspoker were called to Findlay, Ohio, the last of the week on account of the death of Wm. Amspoker's son Lennie. His funeral was held Sunday. They returned home Tuesday noon.

F. D. Lancaster, E. R. Smith, A. M. Kennedy, W. H. Beebler, C. F. Clark, Geo. W. Freese, L. W. Kimball, C. H. Thompson, W. O. Silvers, Fred Breese and Ted Codling have formed themselves into a club and are fitting up a suite of rooms in the Schmidt building on Jackson street.

Seiah Brewster, who formerly lived west of town, but for many years a resident of Hanover, this state, and who has been in poor health, passed away last week and his remains were brought to Manchester for interment Saturday. He was a brother of Henry and attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Mary Woodward, a few weeks since.

Thos. Goff, who for so long has been one of the loom fixers in the mill, has severed his connection there and left yesterday for South Bend, Ind., where he has accepted a like position in Lewis' woolen mill. The M. E. society will miss Mr. and Mrs. Goff, as they have not only been regular in their attendance at all the church services, but have been active workers in all of the societies. Mrs. Goff will visit a while before joining him.

F. D. Lancaster is on the sick list this week.

Gabe Printiss is erecting a small barn on his premises.

Allen Wells and wife, of Wampler's Lake, were here yesterday.

Geo. C. Lindsley and wife are entertaining relatives from York, Mich.

A gang of bridge builders are at work north of town for the railroad company. They expect to be here some time.

They had a very jolly time at the pedro party at Frank Kirchgessner's last Thursday evening. Bert Sullivan took the first prize in fine style, and after almost superhuman efforts, Fred Breese captured the boobie prize, consisting of a rubber doll-baby. Fred is ready to receive the congratulations of his friends.

Miss Susie McAdam, who has been failing gradually for months with consumption, passed away yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. Susie's was a sweet life and by her kindly sympathy and unselfish nature she was ever ready to do and care for others, and her memory will ever remain fresh and tenderly cherished by those who knew her. The funeral will be held tomorrow, at 10 a. m., at St. Dominic's church.

"Rio Grande" is a three-act comedy of great merit and will be given at the Town Hall, for the benefit of the Clinton base ball club, Thanksgiving night, Nov. 29th.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Jose Segura	A. M. Kennedy
Col. Lawton	O. Gillen
Capt. Paul Wybert	L. A. Sutfin
Judge Biggs	C. D. Keyes
Johnnie Bangs	C. Rogers
Lieut. Gadwallader	Del Moulton
Corpral Casey	Will McAdam
Retta, Segura's daughter	Mrs. Geo. Hard
Sophia, Lawton's daughter	Grace E. Stevens
Mamie, Johnnie's sister	Mrs. Chas F. Clark
Mrs. Briggs, the Judge's guiding star	Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 15, 1894.

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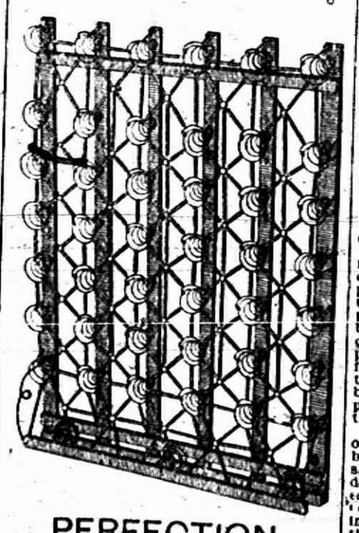

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long north and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the south-east corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), of town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the north-east quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 5th day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Bresie, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of E. H. Hyde, showing that he has a valid claim against said estate which has not been presented for examination and allowance, and that the time limited by the court for that purpose has expired, but that said estate has not been closed, and showing good cause for the omission to present said claim in time, and praying that said Judge of Probate, by an order for that purpose, appoint a time and place for the examination and allowance of said claim before himself, and that notice of the time and place of hearing said claim be given to the parties interested in said estate, as required by law.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the Third day of December next, at nine o'clock a. m. be assigned for the hearing of said petition and said claim, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee: for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and also cause a copy of this order to be placed in a sealed envelope, postage paid, and directed to William Bresie, Jr., administrator &c. upon said estate, at his present postoffice address.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Griswold, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Helen M. Griswold and William Waldron, executors of the last will and testament, and upon the estate of said deceased alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, and all special legacies mentioned in said will have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close said estate and to render their final administration account and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned according to the terms and conditions of the will of said deceased, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of James Berry, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Thomas Bangs, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 20th day of September last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Thomas Bangs in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: The undivided three-quarters interest in all that parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as forty acres of land to be taken from off the east side of the north sixty acres of the west half of the north-west quarter of section 15, township five south of range five east, and containing forty acres of land. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 4th day of December next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated October 30, 1894.

HENRY C. LARDS,
Deputy Sheriff.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Francis C. Rector deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of C. Bolridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of December, 1894, and on the 29th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 29th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

EDWARD L. RUSSELL,
RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
Commissioners.

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Thanksgiving next week Thursday.

S. F. Marsteller, of Clinton, was in the village Thursday.

The heavy white frost Sunday morning reminds one of early fall.

James Gibson left for California Friday night for an indefinite stay.

C. B. Dibble and wife spent Sunday in Saline, with Elder Yager and family.

Will Smith, of Azalia, spent Sunday with his father, Harry Smith and family.

School commissioner, C. F. Field, of Tecumseh, visited the schools Thursday.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Allegan, visited her mother, Mrs. Jacob Arner, last week.

The remains of Mr. St. John, of Eaton Rapids, were brought here for burial Saturday morning.

Prof. Martin Palmer, of Jackson, was called here Monday by the severe illness of his father J. C. Palmer.

Ella Suthard and Bessie Barrett visited E. W. Rappleye and family at Ypsilanti, Saturday and Sunday.

J. C. Palmer had a stroke of apoplexy Saturday, and at present writing there is but little hopes of his recovery.

Prof. and Mrs. Romine Miller, of Big Rapids, were called here the first of the week by the death of Mrs. Miller's mother.

G. W. Jackson and wife, of Tecumseh, were called here Saturday by the severe sickness of Mrs. Jackson's father, J. C. Palmer.

Mrs. May Jackson and daughter, Gertie, who have been visiting relatives and friends here for several weeks, left for their home at Welmington, Ill., Friday.

The Secretary of the Library Association wishes all who have not paid their annual dues to do so before the election of officers so the books may be balanced for the year.

Miss Josie Clarkson, who has been at the Sanitarium, at Battle Creek, for the past three months for treatment, returned Monday night, very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanVleet gave a reception for their son, Jerard and wife, last week Friday evening, on their return from an eastern trip, and a very pleasant time spent by all present.

Darius Smith and Lawrence Rappleye went over to Ypsilanti, Tuesday to attend the commencement exercises at Cleary's Business College, held Tuesday night, Wednesday and Wednesday evening.

The firm of Sutton & Gould come out this week with a cash sale announcement, with a 10 per cent discount on everything in their store except sugar, calico and rubber boots. Now is you time to prepare for cold weather.

The annual election of officers of the Hall Memorial Library Association will be held in the parlors of the Library, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 4th. The officers and board of directors desire all members and any interested in the advancement of such a grand institution to be present.

At the special board meeting, held Monday night, the membership fee of the Library was changed from $3.00 to $1.00, as required in article No. 8 of the constitution and by-laws of the association. It is hoped that a large number of young people will secure a membership and help sustain such a worthy enterprise.

On account of Miss Collins poor health, Miss Florence Thompson, who has been with Miss Dersham for several weeks, closed out the millinary stock, and returned to her home at Blissfield, the first of the week. Miss Dersham will continue dressmaking however and will be pleased to receive calls from any desiring work done.

Remember the Elocutionary and Musical Recital, given by Miss Mable Fraine, principal of the Lawrence-Barrett school of expression, at Detroit, and Miss May King, vocal teacher of same school. This entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Epworth League, at the church, Friday evening of this week. Doors open at 7; entertainment begins at 7:30 o'clock. Admission, 10 cents.

Mrs. G. W. Clark, who has been in poor health for the past year, a part of the time being helpless from a stroke of apoplexy, had another stroke Saturday night, and after a few hours of suffering, her spirit took its flight to her Savior, in whom she had a strong faith. She, with her husband came to our village from Raisinville, Monroe county, in the Spring of 1860. She was a devoted christian, loving mother and a kind neighbor. She leaves three sons and two daughters to mourn her departure: W. J. Clark, agent for the Wabash at Britton; Charley and A. B. Clark, who are in the merchantile business at Elkhart, Ind.; Mr. Romine Miller and wife, of Big Rapids, and Mrs. R. S. Housman, whom she was with at the time of her death, also a large circle of neighbors and friends, who sympathize with the bereaved family in their sad hour. The funeral services were held at her late home, Wednesday morning, Rev. H. Cansfield officiating. By Mrs. Clark's death the church loses a sincere and earnest Christian, and the village one of its best citizens.

SCHOOL ITEMS.

Organists for this week are Gertrude Boyd, Nettie Banister, Maggie Cheever and Laura Palmer.

Commissioner Field, Miss Carrie Camburn of Macon, and Mr. A. C. Cavanaugh were visitors at school last week.

There will be no school Thursday and Friday of next week, as the scholars voted to take Friday instead of Washington's birthday.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Dexter Still is nursing a lame hand, caused by rheumatism.

Alick Gordon came home to rusticate a few days.

Fred Nay and wife have returned to their home in Toledo.

John Rainey visited his brother in Milan a few days last week.

The Creamery Co. are receiving milk only every other day.

Leon Dutton, of Philadelphia, is visiting with us at precent.

Dr. McKean gave a very interesting lecture at the church Thursday night.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis, who was taken sick very suddenly last week, is reported much better.

Mr. Crittendon and wife, of Shelbyville, are visiting their sick daughter, Mrs. A. H. Lewis.

Ed Wilson, our good sheriff, was in town Wednesday, but found us all peaceable and quiet.

Joseph Bowerman has returned from York state, where he has been visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

Harry Nay has taken possession of the store, formerly owned by his brother, Maurice, and will close out the stock of goods.

Miss Stella Westgate and C. E. Gorton were united in the bonds of holy matrimony on Friday. They expect to locate in Detroit, where Mr. Gorton has a good position.

F. G. Florence has returned home from the north, where he has been hunting for the past two weeks, bringing with him three fine deer, one of which weighed 186 pounds. He claims the honor of killing only one of them. Most men would have claimed to have killed them all, but Floyd is very liberal with the honors.

ONSTED ODDS.

Some farmers are cutting their supply of wood.

The cider and jelly mill has been closed for the season.

Mrs. Temple, of Rollin, visited her daughter, Mrs. Flora Raikes recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Sheeler gave a pedro party at their home last Saturday evening.

Editor Raikes had an extra supply of job work last week which made his assistants hustle some.

Mrs. Arthur Treat and Mrs. Mary Townsend, of Rollin, called on Mrs. Sarah Aldrich recently.

Revival meetings will commence at the church this week, under the leadership of Revs. Robinson and Lewis.

Stacy's Snap Shots were shown here to good advantage on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of last week.

The building that J. S. Kane bought of Mr. Marsh has been placed upon a foundation just back of Kane's drug store.

Mr. Wm. Muck and Mrs. Pearl Austin, both of this place, were married a few days ago. We extend to them our best wishes.

Wm. Aldrich has voted in this township at every town and state election and has not missed a single election in 55 years. Who can beat it?

Monday of last week was a very busy day here, as live hogs, sheep, chickens and veal calves were brought here for shipment and slaughtering purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Conant and daughter, Aura, of Olivet, were guests M. O. Aldrich and family last week. Mr. C. W. Faling, of Leslie, was also the guest of Mr. Aldrich.

Will Sheeler fell down the celler stairs at Muck's store Saturday night, but was not so badly hurt but what he could keep his engagement with his best girl the next day.

A lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star was organized here recently by Mrs. Turck, of Alma, Mich., and the following persons were installed as officers for the ensuing year:

W. M.—Mrs. Libbie Hallett.
W. P.—Joseph Marsh.
A. M.—Mrs. Pearl Austin.
Secy.—Mrs. Cora Kane.
Treas.—Mrs. Sarah Taylor.
Con.—Mrs. Carrie Hines.
Ass't. Con.—Mrs. Myrtie Evans.
Chap.—Mrs Carrie Rogers.
Adah—Miss Agnes Hubbard.
Ruth—Mrs. Addie Perkins.
Esther—Mrs. Kate Brooks.
Martha—Mrs. Rose Corwin.
Electa—Mrs. Henrietta Maxwell.
Warder—Mrs. Josephine Darling.
Sentinel—M. O. Aldrich.
Organist—Miss Rena Maxwell.

About forty persons were taken in as charter members and the order starts out with a very promising outlook.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Clarence Wisner visited Ypsilanti last Saturday.

Oliver Muhl has moved his family to the farm purchased of A. Aten.

S. Newell Wisner became a student at the Normal, Ypsilanti, Monday.

School opened in the stone school house district, Monday, with Will Spalding as teacher.

Miss Alma Whelan has so far recovered as to be able to be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Wisner this week.

The Franklin Lyceum will be held at Wm. Witherell's, Dec. 1st. A good program will be presented, consisting largely of music.

Misses Irene and Nina Allen, Blanche Hampton, Lavisa Fisher, Ella Munger and Carl Wisner expect to spend their Thanksgiving recess in Franklin.

To permanently cure constipation, biliousness, indigestion or dyspepsia, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Are you going to the dance?

This weather reminds us of winter very much.

Everybody attend the social dance at Exelby hall, Nov. 28.

Miss Serene Zeluff is visiting friends in Detroit for a few days.

The chicken pie social last night was well attended. Receipts, $18.

Our fall term of school closes tomorrow for one week's vacation.

L. L. Wood and family are visiting friends at Lyons, Ohio, for a few days.

Clifford Mudge, of Chicago, is visiting his parents at this place for a few days.

What kept Constable Hughes so busy last Tuesday? Why, he was looking for work.

There was quite an excitement in town last Saturday night. We have not yet learned the cause.

Rev. C. E. Strickland occupied the pulpit at the Christian church last Sunday morning and evening.

Will Osgood has been putting a foundation under his house recently purchased of Irv. Osborn.

The Britton Plating Works are putting in a new dynamo and expect to be in full operation in a day or two.

A very enjoyable party was held at Chas. Dubois's last Tuesday evening. About forty of Ernest's friends surprised him.

Remember and attend the social dance to be given at Exelby hall Thanksgiving eve., Nov. 28. A good time is expected.

Three of our hunting party, now located in the north part of the state, report a deer each up to date, viz: F. Brown, Grant Osterhout and "Sikey" Smith.

J. B. Coller entertained a small audience at the Christian church last Wednesday evening with his phonograph. We do not know when there will be another.

A surprise party was given at Dave Boyd's last Friday evening in honor of Miss Emma Brazee and Miss Ada Boyd. A very fine time was enjoyed by all. The originators of the affair were Mrs. L. E. Osterhout and Mrs. Beevers, of Raisin.

All who have subscribed for the erection of the Reformed church in Britton, are kindly requested to pay a part of their subscription, (or the whole if convenient) to Asa Russel, one of the building committee, who will transfer it to Dr. P. Hardy, treasurer of the church. Some have done this; let others follow, for the committee need some money very soon to commence operations.

S. Rederus.

Last Friday night, about 11 o'clock, as A. J. Lee was passing through the railroad yard on his way home, he noticed a light shining through a crack in the door of a box car on the side track. He at once returned to the telegraph office of the Wabash and notified night operator, George Clark, a young man posessed of considerable nerve and a good six shooter, who knew that the car contained merchandise which had just been transferred to him by the Mackinaw, at once concluded that a robbery was being perpetrated, and his dander riz. The boys immediately moved on the enemy's works. When the car was reached the theives were just making preparations to leave with several bundles of fine underclothing and other goods. George succeeded in getting a bead on them before they could get out of the car, and ordered them to line up on the ground, which they proceeded to do. Leaving their plunder in the car, they were marched to the telegraph office, here Art Lee, who is a valliant member of Co. C, mounted guard over the prisoners with a gun, while Geo. went for Deputy Sheriff Wm. Britton, to whom he delivered them. In a very few moments their wrists were adorned with steel jewelry. A freight train soon ransported them to Adrian, and befor morning they were in the county jail. They gave their names as Ernest Hill and Dell Baker. They have been in the business some time, and were badly wanted by the authorities. So the Wabash is rid, for a time, of a duet who have given them lots of trouble. The capture was a good one.

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Raisin Valley Seminary.

Miss Blanch Coffin spent Sunday at home.

Aaron Taylor took dinner at the Seminary Sunday.

Miss Mate Teachout paid the Seminary a short visit Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Hill and Glenn Ketcham spent Sunday with Olive Mead and Mary Wood.

Fred Comfort left Wednesday for Canada, where he expects to spend the winter.

Samuel Barber, who was hurt by a fall from a wagon, died Friday morning. The funeral occured Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jos. Bailey, Cedar Springs, Mich., says: "Adironda," Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure, is the best medicine I ever had in my family; it never fails." Sold by Orr & Temple.

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A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

High School Happenings.

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Ores Brown called on A room last Friday.

John Gaston has left school until after the holidays.

Thanksgiving day next week, and we are then free for two days' vacation.

Rev. Robt. Thornton, of Lapeer, visited the departments of the High School last week.

The new law concerning snow-balling has been gracefully complied with the past week.

English III have finished Macaulay's select essays and begin Paradise Lost next week.

B room listened to an instructive essay on National Guard Life, Thursday morning.

Philosophy class have finished the "posers" in specific gravity and now turn over a new leaf and begin—hydrokinetics.

Married, at the home of Thomas Maynard, in South Macon, by the Rev. J. I. Gulick, on the evening of November 14th, 1894, Mr. T. Lawrence Maynard to Miss Jennie Law, of Toledo, Ohio. Quite a number of the near relatives and friends of the family were the invited guests. A bountiful table was spread, and after the ceremony of the solemization of the marriage contract, all were invited into the dining room to partake of the abundant and well appointed provision prepared by the family. The evening was spent in social conversation and the young people received the congratulations of all the friends, with best wishes for a life of prosperity and happiness.

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THE LESSON OF THE ELECTION.

What the Newspapers Say About the Late Political Landslide.

Milwaukee Journal: The hard-times issue carried the elections for the Republicans. The man who maintains that the issue of the recent campaign was protection deceives himself, as will be discovered in the near future. McKinleyism was emphatically condemned two years ago. Failing to get the measure of tariff reform which they demanded, the people have punished the party which tried to furnish it and stood before the country helpless, a spectacle which disgusted thousands of Democrats, and raised in the minds of many converts doubts as to the capacity of the party to deal with the great fundamental questions. President Cleveland's administration is blamed in the popular mind for the panic: it must also be credited for the prosperity which is awakening, and which will be apparent to everybody before the next two years have gone by.

Pittsburg Post: The verdict of the people in 1892 has not been reversed by the Republican victories of Tuesday. The pledges of 1892 must be kept to the letter. That is the injunction of the people. Bravely, instinct with the courage of men performing solemn obligations, the National Representatives elected in 1892 must finish their work.

New York World: The defeat was as truly the work of Democrats as the "landslides" against Harrison were the work of Republicans. The number of independents outside of party organizations has not greatly increased of late; but the increase in the independence of partizans in the last eight years has been phenomenal and it is revolutionizing American policies.

Ex-Secretary William C. Whitney: It does not require a seer to see that the causes of yesterday's results were both general and special. It is a repetition, to my mind, of 1874, with the parties reversed. The panic of 1892 resulted in the great Democratic tidal wave of 1874, the hard times of 1893 and 1894, have resulted in this great Republican victory. I do not think it is a verdict against the party or its principles. The Democratic party has had four times as many defeats as victories since I have been a voter, and it does not demoralize easily. It will be stronger in the end.

Springfield Republican: For the causes of the overturn we must look first to the hard times, for which Republican legislation was far more responsible than anything the Democrats have done; but for which, world-wide in in extent, unprecedented in force and sweep, puzzling to the best thought of the world in its causes, neither party can primarily be held responsible. Added to the hard times has been the shameful record of delay and divices and trading on the public interests which attended the passage of the tariff bill. Not a few, also, of the best acts of the Administration came in to swell the tide of opposition. Thousands of Democratic working-men, looking only at the sentimental features of the Pullman strike and thinking to see in the swiftness and extent of Federal interference a disposition on the part of the Administration to champion the power of capital, either threw their votes to the third parties, or for the Republicans in order to more emphatically to make them speak.

Chicago Record: There is one point which is not to be forgotten. If the next two years should happen to be years of prosperity the new tariff law, which is untested, will be likely to incite question in the public mind as to the sincerity of the eminent party economists who have been urging a return to high protective tariffs. Prosperity under a Republican government would be good campaign argument. But how about prosperity under a Democratic tariff law?

Journal of the Knights of Labor: The People's Party managers and the rank and file of that young giant may well congratulate themselves upon their battle for principle throughout the land. There has been no loss, therefore there was much gain. The country does not say by its votes on Tuesday that it wants the question of tariff again brought forward. The concensus of opinion is that the Gorman bill shall remain on the statute books for a time at least, and, if we mistake not the returns from the West and the South, the large increase in the silver vote in Congress will make that question paramount in political issues. We welcome the discussion and have no fear of the results.

New York Voice (Pro): The moral of the whole affair is this: Whichever old party the country has in power, it wishes it had the other.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Nov. 16, 1894.

The new bond issue, which was officially announced within 24 hours of Secretary Carlisle's positive statement that an immediate issue of bonds was contemplated, has succeeded the elections as a conversational topic.

In Washington, Secretary Carlisle has a reputation for truthfulness that is not excelled by any man in public life. For that reason it is inferred by many that there is truth in the talk about President Cleveland having made the arrangements for the bond issue with Wall street bankers without consulting Secretary Carlisle, although the President himself has denied that he did. The puzzling thing about that theory is that Secretary Carlisle should be willing to remain in the cabinet after such a humilliation. It is very positively asserted by some that Secretary Carlisle will resign as soon as he completes his annual report to congress, upon which he is now working.

Just why these bonds should be issued at this time is not apparent. The gold reserve is $12,000,000 more than it was several months ago, and although the receipts of the government from customs duties are less than they were expected to be, many, even among the bond advocates, regard the issue of bonds as premature. It was quite fully proven by the last bond issue that it was merely a pleasing fiction to suppose that the money received from the sale of bonds added that much to the gold reserve fund. Theoretically it does, but practically it didn't. The government required that gold should be paid for the bonds, and the gold was paid, but the purchasers of the bonds in many instances immediately presented Treasury notes and got their gold back for them, and there is no reason for supposing that purchasers of the present bonds will not do likewise. All these things and more will be heard from as soon as Congress meets, as there has been no indication of any change in the marked anti-bond feeling which was shown at the last session.

The report of the strike commission which investigated the Chicago railway strikes is being very harshly criticised by extremists on the side of both labor and capital, but it seems to strike the masses as a very fair and conservative document, recognizing the rights of labor to organize for self protection and also its right to demand and get from the corporations recognition of committees from its organizations in all negotiations affecting the welfare of the employes of said corporations. There is, of course, a wide difference of opinion as to the wisdom of accepting the commission's recommendations, for a permanent strike commission and for State boards of arbitration.

According to current talk Senator Gorman has advised Senator Ransom to persuade the democratic leaders of North Carolina to resort to trickery to defeat the will of a majority of the voters as recently expressed by the election of a legislature, and Senator Ransom has accepted the advice. The trick is that the governor shall call an extra session of the legislature which expires by limitation Dec. 31. next, and that this legislature shall elect a successor to the late Senator Vance, whose term expires March 3, 1897, and also a successor to Senator Ransom, whose term expires March 3, 1895, he resigning so as to make a vacancy. Such a proceeding would meet the condemnation of conservative men everywhere. During the recent campaign every voter in N. C. knew that he was to vote for members of a legislature which would have the election of two U. S. Senators, and those who would attempt to gain a temporary benefit by any such trickery as that mentioned would in the end be sure to find it dearly bought. It is not believed in Washington that the governor will give his aid to such a trick.

There is a large element on both the republican and democratic sides of the Senate who hate the populists, not as individuals, but as a party, so much that they would be willing to do almost anything rather than to see the populist Senators dictate the organization of the Senate by making a combination with either of the old parties, should the republicans fail, as now seems likely, to secure the necessary 45 Senators to organize the Senate. There are at present too few Senators in Washington to say what this element will do, but it is known that a proposition has been favorably considered by certain republican and democratic Senators which provides for a combination of republican and democratic Senators which shall entirely ignore the populist Senators in the organization of the Senate. Several of the populist Senators are now in Washington and they say they have no fears of any combination against them.

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This result in Cincinnati does not indicate that the city is democratic any more than the large republican majority given last week indicates that it is republican. It simply shows that the people have determined to have their own way in elections, and that they are ready to break party ties whenever it is necessary to condemn any party that is in power or to defeat any specially unworthy candidate.

There were special local causes which influenced the election in Cincinnati on Tuesday last, just as there were special general causes which influenced the elections generally throughout the country one week earlier. In both cases the people showed that their honest convictions are stronger than party obligations, and with each year the independent voter is becoming a more important factor in all our elections.

The people are beginning to understand that the sovereignty of citizenship should not be enslaved to mere party dictation, and this is one of the most gratifying and hopeful signs of our political future. It is safe to trust the people. They defeated the democrats overwhelmingly last week because they well merited the disapprobation of the country, and whenever the republicans shall forfeit public trust as did the democrats, they will be just as overwhelmingly defeated by the independent voters of the nation.—Philadelphia Times.

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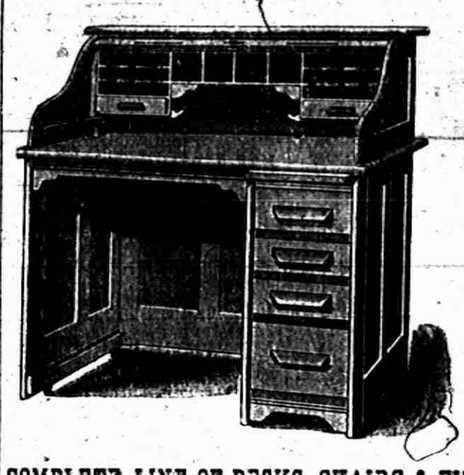

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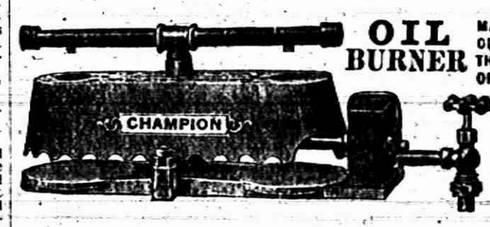

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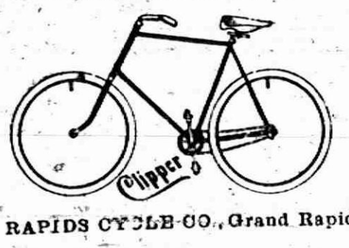

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A thought? A smile? A touch? A word?
A bit of sunshine through the gray?
A throbbing, lilting, lighting bird?

God knows. But on the morrow morn
That brier was a burst of bloom.
Somewhere, mayhap, a soul was born,
There was such incense of perfume!

Not one who passed with fate-cast rife
Had dreamed its wonder unconfessed,
That such a burst of beauty lies
Hold all of beauty unexpressed.

—Virginia Woodward Cloud.

MY SHORT STORY.

At last my story was done. My friends had always told me that I had literary ability, and now that my manuscript lay completed before me I felt that they were right. I had written it over and over again, polishing a crude paragraph here and strengthening a weak one there, putting in a touch of rhetorical ornament in one place and removing it where it seemed overdrawn in another, until I thought (and my wife, too) that the style was just perfect.

Then my wife copied it off in her own hand, to make sure that it should be perfectly legible, and we both went over it together, to see that the dots and crosses, hyphens and quotation marks, capitals and punctuation were all in due order, for we were determined that the editor of The —— Magazine should not be tempted to a rejection by any carelessness in the preparation of the manuscript. A stamped envelope was inclosed for its return, if not available, and the story was consigned to the mail.

For the next two or three days I spent most of my spare time in trying to moderate my wife's hopes, by pointing out how many different questions had to be considered in deciding upon any given manuscript, entirely apart from its literary merit. My confidence was beginning to wane, and I was anxious that her pride in my ability should not be crushed if my story should be rejected. Then I received a short notice stating that the manuscript had been received and would be examined and reported upon at an early date.

By this time we had said all we could think of on the subject, and our conversation turned upon other themes, but the eagerness with which the mail was scrutinized whenever the postman came betrayed readily enough what was uppermost in our minds.

At last, after a full month of waiting, the longed for envelope came. I sat down at my desk to open it, making a wretchedly inadequate pretense of perfect composure, and my wife stood looking over my shoulder. With trembling hand I tore open the envelope and drew forth a small slip of paper:

"Your manuscript, entitled 'A Moonlight Romance,' has been accepted for publication. Remittance for the same will be made in due course."

There it stood in black and white, with the editor's signature at the bottom. My wife threw her arms around my neck with a shout of joy, and I upset the inkstand in my effort to make a fitting demonstration of my feelings. I was at last an author, and posterity would read my name and fame in the histories of English literature, along with the accounts of Dickens and Scott and Cooper and Holmes and Howells! My wife had hardly had time to recover herself sufficiently to speak before I was deciding which one of the great magazines should be permitted to publish my next story and what style of binding I should choose for my first collected volume.

As soon as our excitement subsided a little we began to speculate as to the probable amount of the promised remittance and the time when it would come. On the latter point we soon decided that payment would probably not be made until the story should be published, but on the former we found more difficulty in coming to an agreement. I calculated that the story would make 12 to 14 pages, and I did not expect more than $20 per page, or somewhere in the neighborhood of $250 for the whole. But my wife was quite sure that it would be more. She had read that as much as $500 was often paid, and sometimes, when the writer was very popular, even more than that. Of course I was not yet known as a story writer, but the story was so good, and the editor would be so anxious to secure my future work, that she felt sure he would pay at least one-half more than I suggested.

After two or three days of happiness, during which I made a rough draft of three more short stories, purchased a ream of writing paper and meditated more or less concerning a serial, we began to talk about what we should do with our money for the "Moonlight Romance." We decided at once that I must have the works of such of the standard English novelists as were not already on my shelves. These, in good, plain editions, made for use instead of show, we thought could be had for about $50. Then I felt sure that my wife would have many distinguished callers as soon as my literary position should become known, and her parlor was rather shabby. So I told her she must have it repapered and put down a new brussels carpet. That would take $50 more. We had both staid close at home all the previous year in order to save money for the last payment on our house, and so we concluded to take a trip on the lakes, which would cost about $100. We did not feel like doing this, however, without some additions to our respective wardrobes, which would take probably $75 more. As these items went a little above my estimate, we concluded not to settle definitely upon anything else for the present, but I threw out a hint about a new piano, if her opinion as to the worth of my story should prove correct.

The April and May numbers of the magazine appeared, but my story was not yet published and was not among the advanced announcements for June. By this time I was well along toward the completion of the plot for my serial, but I felt the need of a wider reading in English fiction than I had yet done. "What is the use of waiting?" said my wife. "The payment on the house isn't due until September. You can take some of that money for the books and replace it with the money for the story."

"Sure enough," I answered. "I am glad you thought of it," and before sundown the wagon came from the bookstore with $50 worth of English novels.

I went to the parlor to ask her to come and see them, and there she was on her knees trying to darn a hole in the old carpet. Just think of it! The wife of the author of "A Moonlight Romance" engaged in such menial work as that, and her husband's study full of new books! I told her at once that it would never do. The parlor must be fixed up at once. By Saturday night the new paper was on the walls, and the new brussels was down, the money, of course, being secured by the transfer of $50 more from our house fund, to be replaced from the pay for my story. Some of our friends began to wonder how we could afford so much expense just then, but we kept the secret to ourselves and told them they would see it in due time.

When the June number of the magazine came, we found the following item among the announcements for July: "A short story, entitled 'A Moonlight Romance,' by a new writer of great promise."

I had felt just a little uneasy about using the money saved up to pay the remainder on our house, when we had no certain means of knowing how soon the money for the story was to come, but it was all right now, with two months to spare.

"Why not take our trip now," said my wife, "while the weather is at its best?" Why not, to be sure? It was just the thing and would enable me to get some local color for a story which I had in mind dealing with pioneer life on the shores of Lake Michigan. So we drew $175 more from the savings bank, leaving just about $30 on deposit, got the tailor and dressmaker to do the necessary work for us in a great hurry, closed up our house and started.

It was a magnificent trip. The fresh lake breeze, the green islands that we passed, the hazy blue line of the wooded shore in the distance, the foam sparkling in the sunlight, all contributed to make it the happiest experience since the days of our honeymoon.

Two days after our return the July number of the magazine and a letter bearing its imprint arrived in the same mail. We were so eager to see the story in print that we left the letter unopened until we had cut the leaves of the magazine and feasted our eyes upon every page. Then I tore open the letter and drew out a check:

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C. Q——,
Editor of the —— Magazine.

I have given up literature for the present and have secured $300 from the Building and Loan association to make the final payment due on my house. My wife positively refuses to read any of the new books which I bought and has asked me not to say anything more about the trip on the lakes, but for some reason or other she doesn't seem to regret in the least the part of the money which went for the traveling dress, the wall papering and the brussels carpet. —J. Hanson Williams in New York Post.

Early Infantry Equipment.

Among the arms now obsolete which formed a large part of the infantry equipment in the days when the army was started was the pike, which was in the form of a spear, with a flat and pointed head, mounted on a staff from 13 to 18 feet long. The firearm in general use at the time was the matchlock.

What would a sergeant major of the present day, with his men armed with the magazine rifle, think of such a weapon as this: "Attached to the lock of this musket was a pan; also a cock, the hammer of which was somewhat in the form of a bird's, serpent's or dog's head. This head was split, and a screw compressed or eased the slits. The piece being loaded first with powder and then with ball, some powder was poured into the pan. The pan was then shut to keep this 'priming' from dropping out and to keep it dry. When the soldier wished to fire, he fastened his burning match into the slit of the cock, opened the pan, looked to his priming, presented and pulled the trigger. The match, falling into the powder in the pan, fired it.

"Between the pan and breech of the barrel communication was established by means of a small hole. When the piece was being loaded, the grains of powder were naturally rammed and shaken down close to this hole, and when priming the soldier took care to perfect the communication of the powder in the pan with that in the barrel. Thus the explosion in the pan caused the ignition of the charge."—All the Year Round.

Patience.

The adult who is not willing to wait is as much a child as the infant in the high chair. One cannot expect mature thought, patience and an appreciation of interchange of sentiment in a child. When he is a child, he sees as a child, he thinks as a child, but when he becomes a man he is popularly supposed to put away childish things, and if is on this line of reasoning that the new table rule has been instituted.

Out of Place.

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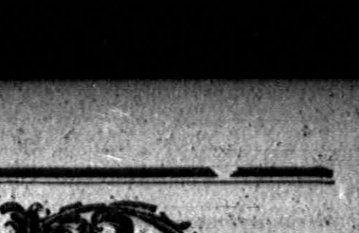

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TRIP TO "THE SHADES OF DEATH."

The most interesting spot in central Indiana is the "Shades of Death," a popular resort eighteen miles southwest of Crawfordsville. I had heard so much about it that I decided to leave my studies and wheel out there. Accordingly, on a beautiful Saturday afternoon I started, in company with one of my classmates. I had always thought that Indiana was a level state, but I was not long on the trip before I was undeceived. The first twelve miles was hard and smooth. One coasting—when the hills were our way, and good walking when they were not. We stopped to get some apples, and picked the fruit and blossoms from the same tree. The last six miles of the road we did not know, but upon inquiry were directed. We succeeded in choosing the worst road in Indiana, and followed it to its end; the edge of civilization, we thought. In front of us stretched away as far as we could see a dismal swamp, and on each side of us a lane led off over the hills. Leaving my companion I made my way to the only sign of civilization, a dilapidated house, which I found deserted. We then followed the other lane, hoping it might lead us to a road, but instead it seemed to take us into the depths of the wilderness. At its end we saw a house, and quickly going to it we enquired our way. The only inmate, a poor old barefoot woman, gave us the right directions, and hastening back we soon turned on the right road. The next three miles was over hills that we could call small mountains and through the wildest country that I had ever seen. Visions of banditi, robbers' caves and counterfeiters passed before our eyes, and we made all possible speed until we came to the open country. Coming to a very steep hill we started to coast it and soon were going at a terrible speed, when suddenly we came to a sharp turn. Applying all brakes, we jumped in time to save ourselves from injury. We carefully made our way down the rest of the hill and at the bottom found ourselves in a small ravine, through which the road led. Small streams of water flowed across our path and the roadbed was damp and soft. On either side of us were cliffs of rock, and as we proceeded the rocks were higher and the ravine darker. We stopped at a spring which flowed from the base of a large rock, to refresh ourselves and to admire the beautiful scenery. We had no conception of the "Shades," so we thought this must be the place. Determining to know what was at the other end of the ravine, we remounted and soon came to a river which we crossed over a large bridge. It began to dawn upon me that we had not yet reached the "Shades," so I asked one of the natives the way and distance. He told us it was still four miles and asked us if we were going to try to climp the hill before us. On replying in the affirmative, he told us that but two or three had ever succeeded in getting to the top without a dismount. I was tempted to laugh at his statement, but it is well that I did not, for upon reaching what I supposed to be the top I found the hill had only begun. On up we went for nearly a half mile, until completely exhausted we were obliged to dismount. After walking up the rest of the hill, which we found to be fully a mile long, we remounted, and the roads being in good condition we made all possible haste and soon turned into the road leading into the "Shades." The park before us, we dismounted and leaving our wheels we made our way out into the woods. Following a well worn path we soon came to a point called "The Lover's Leap." I pity the lover who must leap there, for it is fully two hundred and fifty feet to the rocks below. A little in the distance lay the river, which looked like a small rivulet, and on the opposite side the fields, in which the grazing cattle appeared like kittens. After drinking from a spring of ice cold water in a gully near by, we made our way over the steep bluffs and down the other side. Down we went until we found ourselves in the canyon, great rocks on either side, covered with moss, ivy and curious flowers, and piled in confusion two hundred feet high. We made our way along until we came to what appeared to be the center of the canyon, for from it diverged three or four ravines. Choosing one path we followed it, sometimes under overhanging cliffs and sometimes over boulders, rocks and little streams of water, until we came to the end, a large circular shaped basin called "The Devil's Punch Bowl." In it is a spring, and if one drinks of its water he may obtain the desire of his heart. Of course we drank. Returning to the center we chose another path and following it down a steep passageway and over huge rocks we came to the lowest point in the canyon. Far above us was "The Lover's Leap." The trees seemed to grow out of the rock on each side of the rather narrow canyon, shutting off any sunlight from the depths below. The little rill that flowed through the canyon spread over the rocks at this point and descended in a minature cascade. Strange flowers grew in profusion, spreading their yellow and white over the damp gray rocks. It seemed such a strange, new sight that, upon looking back after we had come down to the river a little farther on, I was reminded of Dore's illustration of Dante's return to earth from the lower regions. Surely the name "Shades of Death" was well fitted to this place. We went back through the canyon and into one of the ravines and, after a last look at the romantic rocks, climbed the steep banks to the paths above. The afternoon was well nigh spent and it was dark before we had gone five miles. With one of us leading and calling out the hills and dangerous places, we succeeded in making the trip home without mishap; tired, but light hearted, for we felt that a sight of the "Shades" repaid all the effort.

H. H. McCLURE.

Ann Arbor Letter.

Nov. 17, 1894.

MR. EDITOR:—The mills of the University have ground for six weeks now. They have accomplished about as much as the "mills of the gods," for the same time. For example, they have ground the rough edges off the awkwardness of the freshman. The eyes and teeth of the foot-ball player have been ground out; his nose and ear have been ground off. The grinds have been extended elsewhere, for you hear students discussing an exam, which was a grind. The tutors are grinds, and "Pat" is the greatest grind of all. But I cannot tell all the grinds, since every individual wheel in this great institution has a little private grind which must be ground out.

Several surprises awaited the old students upon their return this fall. Our gymnasium is in full blast, finely equiped, and one of the model gymnasiums of the country. It is called the Water-man Gymnasium and the facetious students have already played upon its donor's name, and its appellation is the Temperance Gym. Beside the Gym we found a commodiously built and elegantly furnished new recitation building, called Tappan hall, which also has been profanely nicknamed Tammany Hall. Another new structure is an artistically built boiler house and a lofty smokestack which even a freshman cannot scale. I say the last for freshmen are like Palmer Cox's Brownies, they explore all places, sacred or secular, and even the main building dome is visited by the unhallowed feet of the verdant "freshie."

The late snow and cold has driven the tennis player and his antics to the comforts of his cigarette. The bicyclist and his curve, a la the new moon, has taken unto himself legs and painfully walks. But the foot-ball still survives and rages over the campus as destructive as before.

Of course you know of the laws of Lycurgus, and what would you think of the fellow who pronounced his defenceless name "Liquor-juice?" That enormity really occurred in one of our classes.

We have had Ex-Speaker Reed and McKinley here and are to have General Gordon tonight.

I will relate more college lore later.

Yours,

C. R. VANTYNE.

OBITUARY.

Maurice Allen Nay, the eldest son of Allen W. and Emily F. Nay, died at the home of his mother, in Holloway, Nov. 5th. He was a young man of promise to the community, and one who has been the stay of his mother since her husband's death. He was educated at the Rochester Free Academy, where he graduated at the age of sixteen. He came to Tecumseh immediately after his graduation and has been a hard working, earnest citizen. He owned a store in Holloway, where he was a member of the K. O. T. M. and of the Christian Endeavor Society of Raisin Presbyterian church. The family have been allied to the Universalist church of this place, in which the deceased was an active trustee. His many friends will regret the loss of one from their midst who has been everywhere actively and earnestly devoted to the good of his coworkers. It is not how long we live, but how well, that makes our life a success or a failure. We all have our failings, and doubtless he had his, but those who knew him well enough to be acquainted with the shortcomings of his nature, also knew of kindness and good qualities unseen and unknown by others.

Mr Jacob Litchard departed this life at his family home in the town of Macon, on Sunday, November 4, 1894, aged 86 years, 3 months and 26 days. He was about one of the first settlers in the town. He leaves a widow, seven daughters and four sons, also many relatives and friends, to mourn his loss. The honest, pure life he spent in the service of God and humanity; showed to the world the power of humble faith in the Son of God, to make private lives redolent. The funeral was held at the house on Tuesday morning, Rev. Sawyer officiating.

Mrs. John Allen, at her home in Ridgeway, Thursday morning, Nov. 8th, at the age of 77 years, 7 months, and 18 days. After an illness of 14 months she passed peacefully away to meet the loved ones gone before.

A light is from our household gone,
The voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which we can never fill.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us in the sickness, death and burial of our dear mother.

EMMA, DELIA AND JOHN ALLEN.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during our late bereavement, and also return thanks to the choir for their kind assistance.

E. M. GRAY AND FAMILY.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

BOYS' AND GIRLS' BRIGADES.

The thoughtful article on militarism which graced our contributors' page last week formed a part of Mrs. Monroe's annual address before the recent Ohio Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention. That it was received with approval by that state union is proven by the resolutions which were adopted with great enthusiasm by the convention.

These resolutions were offered by Miss Willard, who prefaced her remarks in part as follows:

"Whatever Europe may have to do, America need not encourage this spirit. The army of boys which is now organized in the boys' brigades cannot be viewed except with regret, especially as it has gone so far that just the other day there was the rattling of arms and the brandishing of sabers in the very house of God. Such things are an outrage to the Prince of Peace, whom the Crusaders serve. They look to a soldiership not of the bayonet, but of the ballot. Therefore,

Resolved, That the W. C. T. U. of Ohio views with profound surprise and anxiety the organization of Boys' and Girls' Brigades, and the branishing of weapons in the hands of the manhood and womanhood of to-morrow.

Resolved, That we hereby pledge ourselves to use our utmost influence to arouse public attention to the evils of this system and to contrast with it the gymnastic exercises of the Loyal Temperance Legion with its soldiership of good habits, its prohibition, purity and peace.

We are heartily glad that one state Woman's Christian Temperance Union has spoken with no uncertain sound upon this growing question, and we feel confident that others will not be slow to follow the lead of "the mother of us all," in this as in so many forward movements of the past.

This question of militarism in all its aspects is one of continually growing importance, but no phase of it can be so vital as that which touches the organization of the Christian church. Founded for the express purpose of promulgating the doctrines of the Prince of Peace, its very birth-song having been the angelic chorus of "Peace on earth, good-will to men," it is surely not strange that those who are most eagerly looking forward to the day of this full, triumphant reign should regard with distrust and oppose with vigor the instilling of the military spirit by that very church into the manhood of to-morrow.

On the part of the brigades there is much good to be said. They instill high principles of morality; pledge their members, if we are not mistaken, against profanity as well as against tobacco and alcohol, and strive to keep before their minds the glorious ideal of being soldiers of the cross. But,—and here is the grievous charge,—all this good may be nulified by the adoption of a line of policy and action in direct adtagonism to the governing motive and constantly expressed principles of the founder of the Christian church.

What shall be said of the following account taken from the New York Recorder and describing a corps of cadets in a wealthy Fifth avenue church?

After looking about very thoroughly for proper arms for the corps, and listening to the boys' strong objections to 'make believe' wooden guns, very suitable weapons were obtained. They are Burnside carbines, bought from the United States Arsenel at Governor's Island, by special permission from the Secretary of War. No small degree of charm for the boys is added by the fact that the very guns they handle were once used in real fighting. They weigh about six pounds and are, therefore, not too heavy for even the smallest soldiers—for the cadets range from four feet two inches in height to five feet seven inches. All of the other boys of the club not enrolled in the corps are drilled without uniforms; so that as soon as a vacancy occures a well-trained boy can be put in it.

In a masterely article in the August Arena, B. O. Flower, the editor, after quoting the above, and many parallel instances, says:

The position of the church on this question is at once astonishing and incomprehensible, if we admit that the spirit of the Founder still vivifies her being; for even the most superficial thinker knows that the drilling of youth in the manual of arms must necessarily fill the brain with ideals which are the exact antipodes of the teaching of the Prince of Peace.

The religious leaders, who introduced military instruction and drill in the churches and those who later favored it, whatever may have been their motives, committed an error so grave that it even now threatens to turn civilization back towards savagery and destroy the opening blossom of peace through arbitration. I do not wish to impugn the motives of those who advocated the formation of military companies in the churches. I believe that for the most part they only sought a way of drawing the young into the church by means that would naturally be attractive. The error they committed lay in departing from the fundamental teachings of their own accredited Leader, who, in life, spirit and word, emphasized in the most solemn and impressive manner the importance of driving from the brain every ideal that looked towards physical violence, every thought which comprehended the taking of life.

I most profoundly believe that if Jesus came to the republic to-day His first command would be, Ground arms; for the present arming and drilling of His professed followers is a flagrant insult to His life and teachings. He was emphatically a man of peace, and even opposed to retalliation. Love was His talisman. He taught that hate and the murderous spirit of war were from the pit. They represented the savagery of the brute. His disciples must be children of peace if they would please the infinite Father whose name was Love and who dwelt in light. 'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God!' The sign manual of Divine sonship was peacemaking, exactly as fostering the spirit of slaughter is the unmistakable sign of the atheism of greed, the materialism of animality.

These are strong statements, but are they stronger than the facts of the case demand? Are they stronger than Christ's own words, 'Whoso taketh the sword shall perish by the sword.' 'If my kingdom were of this world, then would my servants fight.'

Who does not believe that the fostering of the military spirit and carrying on of wars in the name of Christ lay at the foundations of the long train of causes which led to the darkness of the Middle Ages? One gifted with logic and prophecy must see that the same results, to-day, follow the same causes.

He Has Become Tired.

Editor of the Voice—I have read the church resolutions beginning, 'No political party has a right to expect the support of Christian men unless it is opposed to the saloon,' etc., until I am tired. Why do the framers of this style of resolutions apparently seek to throw the responsibility for wicked complicity with the drink evil upon political parties without souls or moral responsibility unless it is true that they—these resolvers—are afraid to say the truth, that no professing Christian has any right to support by vote or influence parties not opposed to the liquor traffic? Of course there is no difference between a Christain and an unbeliever so far as any right to do this wrong is concerned; but the church may very properly insist upon her members conforming their political as well as their business, social and other acts to the standard of moral right.

W. O. BALL.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., NOV. 22, 1894

ICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

ring along that wood.

Fenia Jones visited Blissfield yes- day.

J. R. born returned recently from business trip.

Be all to hear the Temple Quar- Saturday night.

The winter weather heralds the near proach of Thanksgiving.

Hunters are plenty in the North oods this year, more than the game.

LaVern Wheeler will please accept r thanks for late San Antonio papers.

Mr. Gray, whose wife was buried Sun- y, is, we understand failing rapidly.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M., tomorrow night, Nov. 23. ork in 2nd. degree.

The Boy's Brigade accompanied by ev. Chas. Brown, passed a very pleas- nt evening with Carl Updike.

A number of prominent and noted in- viduals attended the entertainment Hampton's Hall, Tipton, Tuesday.

Rev. David Lewis left yesterday for eveland, Ohio, to engage in evangeli- l work. He will be gone two weeks r more.

Mrs. C. A. Stacy will spend Thanks- iving with friends at Norvell and ooklyn. She will be gone most of xt week.

Dr. Thos. Miller, of Washington, D. is visiting his mother and friends in isin, also, Mr. Teft's family and oth- friends here.

Mrs. Dr. N. H. Kimball, who has n visiting the Stacy family and oth- friends for some time, returned to r home in Adrian. Mrs. K., will ac- mpany Miss Mana Monaghan to Cali- nia when she returns.

M. Osborn, Jr. is now occupying the all room in the rear of Lilley's bank his impacted air treatment. It af- ds very convenient quarters for him. veral of our citizens have been tak- this treatment with most benefi- results.

The new Lake Shore time card is an provement over the old one. The ning train South is later than be- and the noon train North goes ter. The change is slight in the afternoon trains. See time card corrected figures.

Amherst, Mass., News, Nov. 18, 1893: The Temple Quartette was greeted by largest audience of the season, and se who had anticipated this enter- ainment as one of the best were not ppointed. Their voices are well anced, and their style and ability y in keeping with the foremost rank.

Mrs. Ann Gray one of our old resi- ts, who for some time has been in e health passed away Friday, Nov. Her funeral was held at the idence of her son William Sunday rnoon, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiat- Her aged companion, it is not ex- ted, will be separated from her long e is failing.

During our lecture trip to Onsted last k, we put up at the Teachout House. l evidently knows how to keep a el. Everything about the house is t and tidy, clean beds are provided his wife sets an excellent table. e house has several regular boarders enjoys a good transient custom. ral: When you go to Onsted stop at Teachout.

From our old time friend, John R. k, we learn that his services are in at demand. He is booked way into He has been south and west and l visit Michigan in December and ruary. He has added another lec- e to his repetoire, 'Abraham Lincoln,' greatest American living or dead, ch is bringing him new laurels. His friends rejoice at his success.

In a recent communication received, learn that I. C. Wilcox, who has long on the staff of the Detroit Daily ome as Assistant City Editor, has gned that position and takes charge he Song Journal which is devoted usively to music. The fact that Wilcox is connected with this rnal is sufficient guarantee that it sesses true merit. A copy is now re us, and, while we are not up in ic, yet we can say it is nicely en up and very tasty. No doubt it be appreciated by musicians through state.

Major Charles Hartson, of Eaton ids, was in town Saturday afternoon evening. He has a furniture and dertaking establishment in that live- y and came with the body of El- St. John, which was placed in the geway cemetery Saturday. Mr. H. an old friend of Wes Bodine and C. D. es, and by them was shown around ong our business houses during the ning. Being a zealous member of Masonic bodies he was through the triesy of Joseph Smith shown through Masonic temple. We trust he will it us again.

Don't forget the supper at the Universalist church tomorrow evening.

Chris Schmidt and wife, of Clinton, were calling on friends here Friday.

Seth Bean, of Adrian, was chatting with friends at the Lilley House yesterday.

Secure your reserved seats at once for the concert Saturday evening. Don't delay.

Mrs. Alma Tate, of Clinton, was calling on Tecumseh friends Friday and Saturday.

Chas. McDermott, wife and child were visiting Wm. Jordan and family over Sunday.

C. D. Loose will have Steers, Hogs and Heifers at Britton for sale on and after Nov. 23th.

Augustus Thomas' beautiful comedy drama, "The Burglar" is booked for here for Dec. 5th.

Charles L. Silvers and wife, of Clinton, were the guests of Friend McNeil and family Sunday.

At the Armory Thanksgiving night there will be a Masquerade Roller Skating party. All come.

Dr. Peters, of Blissfield, and his daughter, Mrs. Ida Marks, of Cleveland, visited friends here the first of the week.

Eugene Palmer and son Fred, of Clinton, were Tecumseh visitors Saturday, the former made the HERALD office a call.

Subjects at the Universalist church next Sunday; Morning—Thanksgiving; Evening—The Natural Depravity of the Human Heart.

A meeting of Court Pottawatamie Independent Order of Forresters will be held in Royal Arcanum Hall Monday, Nov. 26th, at 7 p. m.

Anyone wishing a good, second hand Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine (cheap for cash) just call at the Herald office and you will find it.

The chicken pie social at the M. E. church parlors yesterday evening was very largely attended and brought a handsome sum into the treasury.

Levi Hayden for the past week has been walking on air, so to speak, his face illumined with a happy smile, and no wonder. Last Thursday a nine pound boy baby came to gladden his heart. We are happy to state that both mother and baby are doing nicely.

GALESBURG, Ill., April 18, 1894.

Words fail to express our appreciation of the Temple Quartette. It is certainly the finest that has ever come to Galesburg. Every one I have seen expressed their great delight, and have said, 'Don't fail to have them again." The harmony of their voices is simply wonderful.

CHARLOTTE H. STETSON,
C. Soc. Com. Y. P. S. C. E.

The editor of the Charlotte Leader recently received a brand new quarter, and this is the way he describes it:

"It has thirteen letters in "quarter dollar," thirteen horizontal bars in the shield and thirteen parallel lines, thirteen tail feathers, thirteen marginal feathers on each wing, thirteen letters in the scroll held by the eagle's beak and thirteen stars that represent the thirteen original unlucy states."

The December number of The Forum will contain a notable article by Mr. E. B. Hepburn, ex-comptroller of the currency and the president of the Third National Bank of New York on the "Baltimore plan" of currency reform, which was lately endorsed by the Banker's Convention—the fullest explanation of this plan to provide an elastic currency that has yet appeared.

The Elocutionary and Musical Recital at the M. E. church last evening by Misses Fraine and Stoddard was fairly attended. The young ladies show careful training and are pleasing in their manner, and no doubt in a smaller room, or one adapted to their voices would have received a more generous applause. The pantomine "Nearer My God to Thee," seemed to please the audience best.

Rev. Thos. Marshall D.D., of Chicago, was the guest of his friend Rev. Chas. Brown over Sunday. Sunday morning he occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church and gave an account of his visit among the mission fields of the Orient. Mr. Marshall is a pleasant speaker and his discourse was both interesting and instructive. He held the attention of the large audience present from first to last.

Wilson, the six year old son of Fred Aldrich, of the Central House, had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday afternoon. About five o'clock he was going home and while passing one of the saloons on railroad street, "Cap" Marsh, who was intoxicated, reeled against him and both went into the gutter, the boy being under. For a time it was thought the boys shoulder was either broken or dislocated, but on closer examination it was found to be severely bruised. It is a wonder the boy was not crushed.

We would call the attention of our readers to E. T. VanDeMark's advertisement feund in this week's issue of the HERALD. Eugene is a native of of our neighboring village, Clinton. He is well known in this section. Some two years ago he went to Chicago and embarked in business for himself. By his pluck, energy, close attention and general adaptability to the branch of business he chose, he now has a fine trade in his line and we are sure anyone could not do better than place their orders with him. He can furnish you anything in the way of stamps, seals, etc., at low prices.

Read McClure Bros.' new card.

P. S. McKinnon is visiting friends in Boston, Mass.

Roller skating at the Armory Thanksgiving evening.

Attend the Phonographic Concert at Arcanum Hall tonight.

E. F. Kirchgessner was the guest of Adrian friends Sunday.

James Lowry and wife visited Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Nehemiah Sutton is making her daughter a visit in Detroit.

J. W. DePuy, of Detroit, was calling on Tecumseh friends Friday.

Mrs. W. T. Thorp, of Adrian, is the guest of Tecumseh friends this week.

Mrs. Hoag and daughter Carrie gave a card party to their friends last evening.

Mrs. Chas. F. Clark, of Clinton, was the guest of Mrs. E. G. Cook Thursday last.

Mrs. Sophia Bowen, of Deerfield, is the guest of Mrs. Jerome Bowen this week.

Geo. A. Kies and Mrs. Frano McDermot, of Clinton, were in town the last of the week.

Mrs. Mary Gulwitt's, of Clinton, was the guest of her sister Mrs. H. W. Stevens Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Rosecrans and children returned Monday from a two week's visit with Chicago friends.

There will be a foot ball game here in the forenoon of Thanksgiving day between Clinton and the home team.

Rev. Frank C. Fistler, of Brooklyn, spent a couple of days the last of the week among his Tecumseh friends.

Our bright little friend Freddie McCoy who is so indispensable around the Lilley House, was quite sick for several days the past week. He resumed his active duties yesterday.

James Riley, who for years has been in the paper mill, left the first of the week to accept a position with an uncle in Adrian. He will be missed by his friends and associates here.

Married, at the residence of John Lowry, Tuesday at 5 p. m. by Rev. C. M. Brown, Simeon Boyd of Raisin and Miss Martha Jardine of Detroit. They will reside in the township of Raisin.

Wm. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., was a recent visitor here, and Tuesday accompanied his mother and sister, Mrs. Crowell, to Cleveland. Mrs. Bresie will remain with Mrs. Crowell during the winter.

The remains of Elmer St. John who died at Eaton Rapids, Nov. 14th, of Apoplexy were buried at Ridgeway. Mr. S. was a former resident of this vicinity and his widow is a sister of Mrs. Jehiel Davidson.

Mr. Chas. Bell, a former Tecumsehite but late of Ypsilanti, has accepted a position at Jackson where he will have charge of Webb Brother's jewelry store. His mother who has been living with him is here and will live with her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Rowland.

Dr. A. G. Oven, of Petoskey, Mich., was in town yesterday calling on his friends. He was a classmate of C. F. Fields at the University. The Doctor sails from New York Nov. 28th, for a European trip and expects to be absent a year or more. He was raised in Macon.

Mrs. W. H. Spalding had the misfortune to lose all her canned fruit, and the Tecumseh Relief Corps gave her a happy surprise last Saturday evening. The ladies swarmed the house, each with a can of fruit, and enjoyed a very pleasant evening. That's the kind of relief that tells—these hard times.

Wolf Brothers, who have been retouchiug the old and painting new scenery for Sutton's, opera house, have completed their labors and gone. These artists have worked a great transformation among the scenes and curtains. When new the drop curtain was not as fine as now, and the advertising curtain is unexceptionally fine for a curtain of that character. The center contains a beautiful and realistic view of the Bay of Naples, surrounding which are the adds 2x3 finished in gold. Their next field will be Iowa.

Rev. C. M. Brown contemplates giving a series of illustrated lectures, on the countries of the Oriental East, for the benefit and under the auspices of the young ladies missionary society. The first lecture will be given Tuesday evening next, at the Presbyterian church, beginning at 7:30, sharp. The subject will be "An Evening with Persia." It will be illustrated by 75 or 100 views, showing the national and house life of that people. These views were purchased in New York and are very fine. Admission, 10cts.

Onsted is booming right along in business this fall. M. P. Wemple has fixed up a nice office in his elevator and has good quarters. He was paying an even fifty cents for wheat last Saturday. Skinner & Hines, one of the more recent firms, are running a meat market and grocery store, and also buy poultry in large quantities. J. S. Kane still runs his drug and grocery store and is evidently doing well. J. F. Brooks is becoming one of the "head men" at Onsted. He is building up a fine hardware trade, runs the postoffice and also a public hall in the second story of his store. The hall is a commodious room, easy of access, and affords an excellent place for public gatherings of all kinds. The Maccabees occupy the hall for a lodge room.

Thanksgiving turkeys are coming in at a lively rate.

W. B. House left for Springfield, O., yesterday morning.

The thermometer dropped to 20 degrees above, last Monday night.

The ladies social will be held in the Universalist church, Friday evening (to-morrow,) from 5 to 7 o'clock. Supper ten cents.

To give the Herald boys a chance to properly observe Thanksgiving, the paper will go to press Wednesday evening. Our correspondents will please take notice.

The Ladies of St. Peter's Guild will give a supper, Dec. 5, at the Armory. Supper will be served from five until eight o'clock. A table of useful articles and home made baking will be offered for sale. Supper, 25c.

The ladies of Tecumseh W. R. C. gave a supper last evening at their hall, and they made something if they managed to keep Ben Reynolds, Alf James and Hank Stevens away, because Scove Stacy was out of town with his Snap Shot lecture.—Adrian Press.

The Baptist minister at Hudson, last Sunday evening, spoke on "What of the Reports." Well, so far as the election is concerned, they are true, elder. The democrats enter a plea of guilty, and ask for no mitigation of sentence. The reports are correct.—Adrian Press.

Morenci kids, on Halloween, broke the scales at the cheese factory, so no milk could be weighed in. They, in some way, were detected, and chipped in $18 and furnished new scales. They said the old ones were rusty and out of date, and only good for old iron, but the proprietor wouldn't have it that weigh. O what fun. Almost equals a drunk.—Adrian Press.

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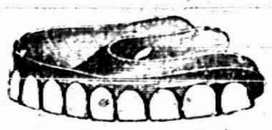

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FROM TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Interesting News from Many Localities in Michigan.

A soldiers' monument is to be erected at Ypsilanti.

Ionia's Sunday-closing ordinance was declared invalid in a test case.

Two million tons of iron have been shipped from Escanaba this season.

John Small, of Petoskey, was mistaken for a deer by a fellow hunter and shot dead.

Mrs. Jinger, of Detroit, gave birth to twin girls recently, joined together like the Siamese twins.

Apples to the amount of 25,000 bushels have been used by the fruit evaporating works at Paw Paw this season.

The twenty-third annual meeting of the Michigan School Masters' club will be held at Ypsilanti November 30 and December 1.

H. D. Cole, of Lansing, was asphyxiated at the residence of J. M. Kilmer, Binghamton, N. Y., Wednesday night.

The Michigan soldiers' home at Grand Rapids is rapidly filling up with veterans, the number of inmates being reported at 531.

The large barns of Frank Hosners, northwest of Romeo, were burned recently, together with many tons of hay, 308 sheep and four well-bred horses.

WHOLE FAMILY LOCKED UP.

Charged with Complicity in the Murder of Willard M. Johnson, of Colon.

COLON, Nov. 15.—Willard M. Johnson was murdered near here a few weeks ago and his body thrown into the river. Two days ago the officers arrested "Doc" Swartz and his brother, and yesterday jailed another brother. Mrs. Swartz, the mother of the boys, has been arrested, and the elder Swartz was also locked up. The officers are very reticent, but claim to be able to fix the crime on "Doc" and his elder brother, and that they have undoubted evidence to convict the parents and younger brother with being accessories before the fact. Mrs. Swartz was related to the Johnsons.

Desperate Attempt at Murder.

NILES, Nov. 19.—In Bertrand township Saturday George Swearingen administered poison to his son-in-law, Gus Vetter, in an effort to cause his death. The poison failing to accomplish his purpose, Swearingen attacked Vetter with a hammer, fracturing his skull in two places. The chances are against his recovery. Swearingen has been arrested. It is said that for a long time trouble had been brewing between Vetter and his father-in-law. Then, again, the assault is said to be prompted because of young Vetter having an insurance of $2,000 on his life and by his death the old man would get some of the money.

New Home for Masons.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 15.—The new Masonic temple here was dedicated by the grand lodge officers. There was also a school of instruction conducted by Grand Lecturer Arthur M. Clark. Twenty out of twenty-one lodges in this jurisdiction were represented. The address on the mottoes and achievement of masonry was made by Past Grand Master John W. McCrath, chief justice of the supreme court of Michigan.

Michigan Sunday Schools.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 16.—The state Sunday school convention received reports showing that the number of schools in the state was 4,000; teachers, 41,000; children, 340,000; receipts of the state association last year $2,483, and disbursements $2,451. Thomas E. Banksworth, of Jackson, was elected president.

Shipped Pickles to England.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 16.—The Squire-Dingee company has shipped five carloads or 3,000 half barrels of pickles to Great Britain. They will be hauled to Boston by water shipment. There are 2,000 pickles in each barrel. The factory received 60,000 bushels of cucumbers this season from farmers to convert into pickles.

Out on Bail.

ALLEGAN, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Ira Hurd has been released from jail, George Goodel and Eugene Baker, both of Hopkins township, going on her bond. Bail was reduced to $5,000. The trial has been set for the first day of the December term of the circuit court. Many think the case will never come to trial.

Library for Manitou.

LANSING, Nov. 17.—Superintendent of Public Instruction Pattengill has shipped to Manitou county a complete district library for each of the four district schools of that county. The purchase was made with the proceeds of a legacy left by a citizen of St. James, who died a few months ago.

Accidentally Shot.

ESCANABA, Nov. 17.—While Capt. Brock, J. J. Bartum and Frank Storer, a paper hanger from Cleveland, were out duck hunting near this city Storer was accidentally shot in the right shoulder. He was brought to the hospital in this city.

Broke His Back.

SCHOOLCRAFT, Nov. 15.—S. Heimbach, a farmer, fell from his wagon, while intoxicated and broke his back. Everything possible was done to save his life, but he died Thursday morning.

Publication Suspended.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 16.—The daily and weekly Eagle, owned by the Herald and published as an afternoon paper, is defunct. Lack of patronage, the owners say, was the cause.

A Fatal Blunder.

CLARION, Nov. 15.—John Small, about 60 years old, was shot by a hunter from Indiana, who mistook him for an animal. Small is still alive, but it is not expected that he will recover.

Decatur Waterworks Bonds Carried.

DECATUR, Nov. 17.—A proposition to bond Decatur for $12,000 to build a waterworks plant was carried at a special election.

NEW METHOD OF LAYING PIPE.

Interesting Engineering Work in Progress on the Detroit River.

DETROIT, Nov. 16.—An interesting piece of engineering is being done here for the natural gas company, which is laying a pipe under the river to connect with the Ontario gas fields. A big chain was lowered to the bottom of the river, one end of which is attached to this pipe and the other end will be made fast to three locomotives. The pipe has a conical head, with a big iron ring, and these locomotives will pull 600 feet of it, which is now constructed, on the runway into the river. Another 600 feet will be then joined on and there will be another pull, and so on until the half mile of pipe is laid. It will take three weeks to complete the job.

GIVE UP THE BALLOT BOX.

Threats of Criminal Prosecution Cause Clerks to Weaken in Michigan.

BAY CITY, Nov. 17.—All of the delicate ballot boxes were produced Saturday. When the township clerks saw that they were threatened with criminal prosecution they wilted and surrendered the coveted boxes. The recount has been progressing quietly and slowly all day. Only one precinct was finished. Sixteen ballots, about evenly divided, were thrown out. The losses of each contestant was about the same, varying only from two to three votes.

ALMA GIRLS PLAY FOOTBALL

Co-eds at the Michigan College Use the Dining-Room as a Gridiron.

ALMA, Nov. 17.—The Alma college girls became so fascinated over the Rugby football that they determined to have a game themselves, and they formed two elevens. They had not a football, so they stole that belonging to the boys, and after lights were out cleared the big dining-room for a game, and no less than seven panes of glass were found smashed in the morning and the big chandelier in the center of the room was a wreck.

Marvin's Trial Begun.

DETROIT, Nov. 16.—A jury has been secured and the trial of Frederick Marvin, ex-cashier of the late Third national bank, for embezzling from the bank, has begun. There are thirty-three counts in the indictment. The main charges against him are that moneys intrusted to him for investment through the bank he placed in his own private account and then drew on for personal expenses.

Evidence has been presented during the trial showing that Marvin spent $20,000 of the bank's money in an effort to be elected state treasurer on the democratic ticket.

Painted a Young Boy.

BAY CITY, Nov. 17.—While on his way home with two buckets of paint one red and the other blue, Willie Butterfield, 7 years old, was set upon by a number of companions a few years older. They took the paint away from him, stripped off most of his clothes, and then smeared his whole body with a thick coat of the paint. The boy was carried to his home and now lies in a critical condition. The police are searching for the lads who painted him.

Burned to Death.

ANN ARBOR, Nov. 15.—Henry Binder, a prominent citizen, was burned to death in a peculiar manner. While ascending the stairs in his barn his lantern exploded, covering him with blazing oil. He rolled to the bottom of the steps, shrieking in agony. Neighbors, who rushed to the rescue, put out the flames but Binder was dead. His face was unrecognizable and the whole front of his body was charred and blistered.

Death of a Michigan Pioneer.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 19.—Thomas D. Gilbert, president of the City national bank and the Grand Rapids Gas Light company, died Sunday morning aged 79 years. The deceased was a pioneer of western Michigan, having immigrated from Massachusetts to this city in 1835. He was an ex-member of the Michigan legislature and ex-regent of University of Michigan. He left an estate valued at $1,000,000.

To Build Big Freight Houses.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 17. — The Big Four railway will ask this city for right of way to extend their tracks and construct large freight buildings on the land between the twin cities, of which the railway company has just purchased several hundred acres to be used by them as mammoth lumber yards.

Suicide of a Pastor.

PORT HURON, Nov. 18.—Rev. Alfred Klein, pastor of St. John's Evangelical church, was found dead Saturday morning, hanging from his bedroom door with a curtain cord about his neck. Insanity, induced by nervous prostration, was the cause.

Made a Brigadier.

LANSING, Nov. 15.—General orders have been issued by Adj. Gen. Eaton mustering out Brig. Gen. Elmer W. Bowen of the Michigan national guard, and promoting Col. Charles R. Hawley, of Bay City, commander of the Third regiment, to the vacancy.

Death of a Banker.

HOLLAND, Nov. 19.—Jacob Van Putten, Sr., president of the Holland City state bank, died Sunday at the age of 74 years. He was one of the early pioneers of this community and one of the wealthiest citizens here.

Burglars at Coldwater.

COLDWATER, Nov. 19.—Early Saturday morning the store of Lieut.-Gov.-elect Milnes was entered, the safe broken open and about $65 in silver and gold and twelve watches stolen.

Dropped Dead.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 19.—Miss Cynthia Irish, who has had charge of the asylum cottages for twenty-five years, dropped dead of heart disease Saturday, aged 57.

A NOTABLE EVENT.

Five Detroit Couples Celebrate Their Golden Weddings on the Same Day.

DETROIT, Nov. 18.—In St. Casimir's church at the corner of Twenty-third and Myrtle streets Saturday morning a golden jubilee service was held in honor of the fiftieth anniversaries of five couples. All were members of the same church and intimate friends. They were Michael Lalofski, aged 71; his wife, Elizabeth, aged 74; John Kujet, aged 89; his wife, Anna, 77; John Dazyn, 80; his wife, Christyna, 71; John Jaszka, 75; his wife, Mary, 70; John Bazman, 83; his wife, Dorothea, 76. There were two other couples who had been married on the same day in Poland, John and Catherina Raniszewski and Frank and Mary Wiocski, but they were not well enough to attend church. Many children and grandchildren were in the congregation during the celebration of high mass by Father Gatowski.

DID MISERABLY IN HIS GRAVE.

Elam Musott Was Buried at Alma Before Life Was Extinct.

GRAND LEDGE, Nov. 16. — Elam Musott, formerly a fruit tree agent, who for about two years made Grand Ledge his home and headquarters, while on a trip to Alma a little over a year ago, was taken ill and, supposedly, died suddenly. He was buried by strangers. A few days ago friends decided to take up the body and remove it to Williamston. When they opened the coffin they found that the body had turned over and that the hands were clutching the hair, handfuls of which had been torn out. The face was terribly lacerated and torn, giving evidence of the desperate struggle he had made to free himself from his tomb.

SMUGGLERS IN THE TOILS.

Gang at Port Huron Captured with Celluloid for a Chicago Firm.

PORT HURON, Nov. 16.—An extensive gang of smugglers has been unearthed here, and 1,500 pounds of crude celluloid which had been smuggled over the river confiscated. Two of the supposed members, or accomplices, of the gang were arrested. They were Harry C. Humphrey, a driver, and Charles King, a one-armed drayman. The gang is believed to be a large one. The celluloid was in 250-pound cases. It had been brought over from Sarnia and consigned to a Chicago firm as paint.

Electric Road for Mackinac.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 19.—The council of Mackinac village has granted John H. Roberts, of this city, a franchise for an electric road to follow the shore line around the island, the road to be built ready for operation next spring. The road as planned will be elevated and the cars will hang suspended from a single rail. The franchise includes an electric lighting plant to light cottages, hotels and streets.

Cooperative Colony Started.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 17.—The Wolverine Cooperative association has been organized here to start a colony. The officers have an option on a piece of land in this state and another in the south. The capital is $200,000 and the shares $200 each. After the land is located homes will be erected and factories started on a small scale. The colony will be conducted after the plan of the Ruskin colony in Tennessee.

His Own Bank Failed.

NILES, Nov. 19.—Luke Sharia, an old man living at Sodus, this county, having no faith in banks dug a hole in his woodshed and buried $3,500 in gold therein for safe keeping. A short time ago when he went to look for the money it was gone. Some unknown person had discovered his secret and carried the money away during his absence.

To Purify Detroit.

DETROIT, Nov. 16.—At a representative meeting of ministers from all the evangelical churches in the city it was decided to begin at once an active law and order crusade. Two of Dr. Parkhurst's agents from New York city have been enlisted in the movement and will begin work at once.

Three Men Drowned.

GRAND HAVEN, Nov. 16. — The schooner Antelope capsized while attempting to make this port Thursday morning. Three men, who constituted the crew, were drowned. They were Capt. John Larson and brother, and a Swede known as Chris, all of Whitehall.

Death of Senator Stuart's Widow.

KALAMAZOO, Nov. 16.—Mrs. Charles E. Stuart, widow of ex-Senator Stuart, died at her home in this city early Thursday morning from apoplexy. Mr. Stuart was United States senator from this state from 1853 to 1859.

An Old Settler Gone.

COLDWATER, Nov. 17.—William H. Abbott died at his home in this city Friday morning of pneumonia after a brief illness. He was born near Detroit in 1826, and had resided in Coldwater since 1838.

President Angell as a Juror.

ANN ARBOR, Nov. 17.—President Angell was drawn on the jury for the December term of the circuit court of the county of Washtenaw. He will serve and receive a compensation of two dollars per day.

Desperate Fight with Coal Thieves.

DETROIT, Nov. 17.—In a bloody fight at midnight between a Michigan Central watchman and a gang of Poles who were stealing coal from cars on his beat four men were seriously stabbed.

His Busy Time.

LANSING, Nov. 16.—Gov. Rich is putting in full time until January 1, visiting state institutions and gathering material for his message to the legislature.

Not a Candidate.

LANSING, Nov. 16.—Gov. Rich says: "I am not a candidate for United States senator, nor do I expect to be, nor will I be under any circumstances."

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DOMESTIC.

DIRECTORS in Chicago of the Columbian exposition resolved to dispose of the 200,000 unsold souvenir half dollars at par.

INSPECTOR SCHAACK suspended nineteen Chicago policemen for failure to perform their duty and three others were discharged by Chief Brennan for misconduct during the election.

HUNDREDS of acres of potatoes that were not dug, and corn, apples and other farm products that were not harvested were frozen by a blizzard in Michigan.

FIFTY THOUSAND persons witnessed the launching of the St. Louis, the largest vessel ever constructed in America, at Philadelphia. Mrs. Cleveland christened the steamship.

FOREST fires in Arkansas were still burning fiercely, doing great damage. Near Edmondson two negroes were burned to death.

A HEAVY fall of snow was reported throughout Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin.

DANGEROUS counterfeit half dollars were in circulation in Indiana. The date upon them is 1894 and they are a trifle lighter than the genuine.

A GENERAL order, commending individual soldiers for specially meritorious acts during 1893, was issued by Maj. Gen. Schofield.

EX-BANKER A. A. CADWALLADER, of Superior, Wis., pleaded guilty of embezzlement and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

THE general assembly of the Knights of Labor met in eighteenth annual session at New Orleans.

THE annual report of George A. Howard, the auditor for the post office department, shows that the total number of money order offices in operation June 30, 1894, was 19,529.

THE twelfth annual meeting of the National Baptist congress began at Detroit, Mich.

"JACK THE STRANGLER" is again at work in Denver. A Japanese girl of ill repute was his third victim.

BILL COOK and his robber band held up a Missouri, Kansas & Texas train near Muskogee, I. T. They were unable to enter the express car, but relieved the passengers of their valuables.

SECRETARY CARLISLE issued a call for bids for $50,000,000 5 per cent. ten year gold bonds.

THE schooner John Shaw with its crew of seven men was wrecked off Oscoda, Mich.

AT Renova, Miss., a colored couple, Harvey Owsley and wife, were burned to death in their cabin, which caught from a forest fire.

JOHN KAREL, of Chicago, consul at Prague, has been made consul general at St. Petersburg, and Carl Jonas, of Wisconsin, will succeed him at Prague.

FOREST fires in north Mississippi, west Tennessee and eastern Arkansas continued to rage with unabated vigor, doing immense damage.

THE annual report of the postmaster general shows that the total number of pieces of mail handled was 10,534,234,255, in which but 1,281,094 errors were made.

EIGHT persons were known to have perished in the forest fires in Tennessee.

AN epidemic of typhoid fever was raging in the Nebraska institute for the deaf and dumb at Omaha.

THE business portion Ithaca, of Neb., was destroyed by fire.

THE Eagle, the senior republican organ of western Michigan, after half a century of publication ceased to exist at Grand Rapids.

ALLEN PRIME, of Louisville, Ky., tried to kill his wife and mother-in-law, wounded his sister-in-law and then shot himself.

GOV. ALTGELD appointed Elijah P. Ramsay state treasurer of Illinois to fill the vacancy occasioned by his father's death.

TWENTY negroes left New York for Liberia, the advance guard of an army of 4,000 awaiting means of deportation.

MOSES CHRISTOPHER, the negro who assaulted Mosselle Carter, the 7-year-old child, two months ago and who was arrested, tried and convicted the same day of the crime, was hanged at Bowling Green, Va.

THE cotton growers' convention at Montgomery, Ala., organized a national association for the protection of their interests. The cotton crop this year was estimated at 9,250,000 bales.

LAWYER WALTER D. ALLEN, of Philadelphia, pleaded guilty of embezzling $24,000 belonging to his clients.

EMANUEL OTTO, a wealthy farmer living near Morton, Minn., was killed by robbers, who rifled his money chest.

JOSEPH CONRAD fatally wounded John Martz at Zionsville, Ind., and narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of citizens.

ENRAGED by his failure to secure reappointment as clerk, G. K. Whitworth, of Nashville, Tenn., killed Judge Allison and shot himself.

THE body of William Sturges, of Chicago, was incinerated at the Presbyterian crematory in Newtown, L. I.

TWELVE men concerned in the lynching of John and Monroe Evans in Cullum, Ala., in 1891, were arrested.

WILLIAM DAWSON, a storekeeper at Smith's Ferry, O., was killed by a shotgun he had set for burglars and forgotten.

AT the annual session in New York of the National Baseball league N. E. Young was reelected president for a term of three years.

HENRY BINDER, a retired business man of Ann Arbor, Mich., was burned to death in his barn by the explosion of a lantern.

AT Plymouth, Pa., fire destroyed a breaker and its outhouses with all machinery, the loss being $160,000.

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TWENTY students of the Bible college of Kentucky university at Lexington were seriously ill with typhoid fever, caused by drinking impure water, and three had died.

SEVEN men were under arrest at Ridgway, Pa., for attempting to destroy the family of a miner who would not strike.

THE schooner Antelope, of Chicago, capsized at Grand Haven, Mich., and the three men comprising her crew were drowned.

FOR the ten months ended with October the exports of merchandise from the United States were $660,166,648 against $696,987,854 for the corresponding period of 1893. The imports were $563,271,016, against $677,060,694 in 1893.

A FOREST fire that started from a sawmill west of the minink camp of Ward, Col., had done fully $2,000,000 damage and was still spreading.

SHEFFIELD, an Iowa town of 1,000 inhabitants, was almost entirely wiped out by fire.

THREE children of Jeff Raynor, left alone in the house at Oakland, Tenn., were burned to death and the building destroyed.

UNKNOWN persons made two attempts to wreck the midnight passenger train over the Chicago & Alton road at Joliet, Ill.

GOVERNMENT officials unearthed gigantic frauds perpetrated at the opening of the Cherokee strip to settlement.

JAY HICKS, who murdered Ranchman Meyers in South Dakota and nearly killed the sheriff, was hanged at Sturgis.

IRON NATION, the head chief of the Lower Brule Sioux, died in the reservation in South Dakota of pneumonia, aged 90 years.

BY the cracking of a mud drum at muck bar mill in Muncie, Ind., five men were dangerously scalded. Three may die.

IN his address before the Knights of Labor at New Orleans General Master Workman Sovereign urged the abolition of state militia and a decrease of the army.

THE annual report of R. A. Maxwell, fourth assistant postmaster general, shows that the total number of post offices in operation in the United States on June 30 last was 69,805. Of these 66,377 were fourth-class offices and 3,428 presidential. During the year 3,136 post offices were established and 1,7[illegible] discontinued. The total number of appointments during the year was 23,166.

FIVE HUNDRED inmates of the Indiana home for feeble minded children were exposed to scarlet fever and ten cases had developed.

EDITH ELDER killed Frank Quinn, a well-known young man at Stockton, Cal., because he refused to marry her.

OPERATORS drilled in an oil well near Gibsonburg, O., which yielded 2,000 barrels of oil daily.

PAYMASTER SMITH in his report to the secretary of war opposes withholding a part of the wages of soldiers.

AT the annual meeting in Washington of the Association of American Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations H. E. Alvord, of Oklahoma, was elected president.

DETECTIVES at West Superior, Wis., captured a man and woman engaged in counterfeiting, together with their outfit.

REV. RICHARD CARROLL, aged 89, a prominent Baptist preacher for sixty-five years, committed suicide by hanging at Maynardsville, Tenn.

STORMS extinguished the forest fires in Colorado mining districts. The damage to property was estimated at $1,000,000, and several hundred people were made homeless.

THERE were 270 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 16th, against 261 the week previous and 232 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THE firm of B. H. Douglass & Sons, confectioners at New Haven, Conn., failed for $100,000.

MARTIN V. STRAIT, a flour and feed dealer at Elmira, N. Y., shot his wife and her sister, Mrs. William Whitford, and himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

DUN'S weekly review of trade says gradual improvement is noticeable in nearly all branches of business.

DURING a boxing match at Syracuse, N. Y., Bob Fitzsimmons struck his mate, Con Riordan, a chance blow which caused his death.

AS THE result of a feud Mayor Harman and Henry Lawrence, of Lula, Miss., were shot and killed by J. W. Boyd.

A DENVER newspaper says a big syndicate is scheming to obtain control of the entire American output of silver.

FIVE fires in one day at Winnipeg, Man., started by incendiaries, caused a total loss of $210,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

COL. JOHN A. MCCAULL, of opera fame, who fell on the ice and was paralyzed in Chicago a few years ago, died at Greensboro, N. C.

MYRON B. WRIGHT, of Suesquehanna, congressman from the Fifteenth Pennsylvania district, died at Trenton, Ont., aged 47 years.

GEN. CASSIUS M. CLAY, 84 years old, and his ward, Dora Richardson, 15 years old, were married at Gen. Clay's home in Lexington, Ky.

THE official vote of the election in Indiana by congressional districts gives the republicans a majority of 55,647. For the head of the state ticket the republican plurality is 47,649.

JUDGE ALLEN G. THURMAN celebrated his 81st birthday at his home in Columbus, O.

CHARLES E. STRONG, general manager of the Chicago Newspaper union, died from paralysis of the heart at his home.

WILLIAM H. MAURO, SR., aged 88, the oldest odd fellow in Iowa and the oldest living past grand master of the I. O. O. F., died at his home in Burlington.

THE general assembly of Alabama convened at Montgomery and was sworn in by Chief Justice Bickell. The democrats have a two-to-one control in each house.

The official vote in the Seventh Kentucky district gives Owens (dem.) a plurality of 101 votes.

OFFICIAL election returns from Connecticut give Coffin (rep.) for governor a plurality of 17,688.

HENRY KENEY, for sixty-five years the foremost merchant of Hartford, Conn., died at the age of 90.

ANNIE DOWNING KENT died at North Andover, Mass., where she was visiting, and her husband, Albert Kent, died at about the same time at their home in Hartford, Conn

MOUNT VERNON, N. H., lost by the democrats for the first time in ninety-one years, was the scene of a republican celebration.

JAMES LIDDLE, editor and proprietor of the Preston (Ia.) Times, committed suicide by throwing himself in front of a freight train. No cause was assigned for the deed.

REV. HENRY L. KELLOGG, editor of the Christian Cynosure, died from injuried received at the burning of his home in Wheaton, Ill. He leaves a wife and nine children.

THE official vote of Missouri in the recent election gives Robinson (rep.) for judge of the supreme court a plurality of 3,094.

ROBERT C. WINTHROP died in Boston at the age of 84 years. He was the oldest surviving ex-United States senator from Massachusetts and the oldest surving ex-speaker of the national house of representatives, having been elected to the Thirtieth congress.

FRANCIS A. TEALL, who read the original proofs of Poe's "Raven" and "The Bells," died at Bloomfield, N. J., aged 72.

DR. JAMES MCCOSH, ex-president of Princeton (N. J.) college, is dead. He was 83 years of age and a celebrated writer.

FOREIGN.

RUSSELL ISLAND savages attacked the French traders' station, killed its occupants and feasted on their bodies.

NOVELLI & Co., merchants at London, failed for $500,000.

THE body of the late czar reached St. Petersburg and was escorted to the cathedral by a procession imposing in length and make-up.

MORE than 300 persons lost their lives in an earthquake in Japan. Sakata was almost entirely destroyed.

THE death of Sir Thomas Matthew Charles Symonds, G. C. B., admiral of the British fleet, occurred in London at the age of 83 years.

THE city of Paris, France, was visited by a terrific storm and many people were killed. Numerous roofs were blown off, the telegraph lines were broken down and the provinces were flooded.

BASHI-BAZOUKS were reported to have raided a number of Armenian villages and to have killed and wounded 6,000 persons.

THE gold dollar of the United States will hereafter be the standard coin of Honduras.

JAPAN wishes definite proposals from China for a settlement of the war before accepting an offer of mediation.

FLOODS swept the seaport town of Limasol, on the Island of Cypress, destroying much property and drowning twenty-one persons.

THE British ship Culmore foundered 80 miles off Spurn Head during a gale and twenty-two persons were drowned.

THOUSANDS of Armenian women were subjected to indignities and then put to death by the Kurds.

SEVERE earthquake shocks in the provinces of Messina and Calabria destroyed many buildings and injured several persons.

LATER.

OFFICIAL returns show that the North Dakota legislature will be made up as follows: Senate—republicans, 24; democrats, 4; populists, 3. House—republicans, 50; democrats, 5; populists, 7.

TWELVE business houses and nine residences in Columbia, Ky., were destroyed by fire.

MEXICO was hurrying troops to the Guatemalan frontier and war between the two countries was thought to be imminent.

COL. W. C. P. BRECKINRIDGE will go on the lecture platform.

IT was reported that many American laborers who were duped by sharpers to go to Panama to work on a railway were in a starving condition.

IN one day four persons committed suicide in Leadville, Col.

THE official vote complete shows that the Missouri legislature will have a republican majority of 16 on joint ballot.

J. R. MERCER & Co., dealers in fertilizers and farmers' supplies at Macon, Ga., failed for $100,000.

TWO THOUSANDS more Armenians were massacred by Turks at Sassan, and their bodies being left unburied caused an outbreak of cholera.

EIGHT men lost their lives by the capsizing of a barge at Charlotte, Fla.

THE ship Dauntless was reported to have been run down off Shelburne, N. S., and sunk with her crew of twenty-six.

IN a mine at Blackhawk, Col., four workmen were suffocated by smoke.

FORTY-SEVEN persons took refuge in a church at San Procowio, Italy, during an earthquake and were buried in its ruins.

M. FRANCIS MAGNARD, editor in chief of the Figaro, died in Paris, aged 58 years.

IT was said that 215 families of American Railway union men were on the verge of starvation in Denver, Col., because of the railway strike last June.

RUMORS of a royalist attempt to restore Queen Liliuokalani to the throne caused uneasiness in Hawaii.

THE official vote in Ohio at the recent election gives Taylor (rep.) for secretary of state a plurality of 187,006.

THE southern phosphate works at Macon, Ga., were destroyed by fire, the loss being $150,000.

JAMES SHEAKLEY, governor of Alaska, in his annual report says the people have enjoyed a season of unusual progress and prosperity and law and order has prevailed. The governor estimates the population at about 82,000.

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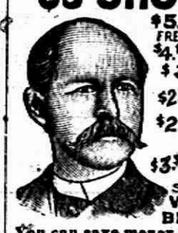

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Napoleon.....	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 15 "
Norvell.....	6 27 "	2 35 "	1 30 "
Manchester.....	6 45 "	2 45 "	1 45 "
Clinton.....	6 56 "	3 01 "	2 06 "
Tecumseh.....	7 05 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	3 00 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	6 25 "	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 50 "	10 35 "

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STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express	No. 820. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan.....A		P. M. 2 25
		12 55	Monteith.....		1 58
	A. M. 1 39		Yorkville.....		1 14
A. M. 7 30	2 07		Battle Creek.....		12 45
8 23	8 25	2 18	Marshall.....		12 14
9 11	8 55	3 06	Homer.....		11 45
9 15	9 42	3 37	Hanover.....		11 14
11 50	10 33	4 17	Addison.....		10 40
12 05	10 44	4 28	Devils Lake.....		10 27
12 35	11 01	4 46	Onsted.....		10 14
....	11 10	4 48	Sand Lake.....		10 07
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton.....		9 58
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh.....		9 43
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway.....		9 33
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton.....		9 28
3 09	12 14	5 33	Rea.....		9 15
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee.....		9 05
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L		8 05
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*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	6:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:18 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
*No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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Clinton Column.

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Dr. J. E. White is indisposed this week.

W. S. Kimball was in Detroit the last of the week.

Doc White has the wall for his barn nearly completed.

Will Bostedor of Grass Lake is visiting old friends this week.

E. S. Tate returned home from Cleveland Saturday night.

Mrs. Bert Tate visited Tecumseh friends the last of the week.

Mrs. John Decker of Manchester was calling on Clinton friends Friday.

On Friday night a 9-pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parker.

Miss Adah Case, of Manchester, is the guest of Miss Mama Bradner this week.

Mrs. Will Niblack and little daughter are visiting Macon relatives this week.

F. L. Woodward and B. F. Greenleaf made a business trip to Hudson Monday.

John T. Clark visited Blissfield friends Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

A change of time went into effect Monday morning on the Jackson branch.

C. D. Keyes of Tecumseh attended the party at W. D. VanTuyle's, Tuesday evening.

Wm. Rehfuss and wife of Manchester attended the burial of little Lennie Amspoker, Monday.

Albert and Nellie Kishpaugh entertained a company of friends at their father's, Friday evening last.

Henry Sproul is again holding down a bench in Fred Tag's repair shop connected with his shoe store.

Wm. Burl did not occupy the Semark house long, for he is now settled in the Sturms building on Jackson street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh gave a small pedro party at their home on Locust street last Thursday evening.

Ed. Kirchgessner and sisters, Libbie and Augusta, of Tecumseh, attended the funeral of Susie McAdam, Friday.

Mrs. Ed. Gordon, nee Mollie Forbes, of Sherwood, was the guest of her nephew, Eugene Fowler, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Hendershot has been very sick the past week with a complication of troubles, but is slightly better at present.

Mrs. Mary Zabble and Miss Anna Glassford, of Britton, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer, at the Hotel Edrose.

Wm. Amspoker arrived from Findlay, Ohio, Monday, with the remains of little Lennie, which were laid in our beautiful cemetery.

D. Woodward left Tuesday for a two or three weeks' tour around the state, visiting the different councils of Royal and Select Masons.

The Christian Endeavor Society gave a pleasant entertainment last night at the town hall, consisting of music, tableaux, shadow pantomines, etc.

Gustave Hinkler, of Detroit, speaks at the town hall tonight under the auspices of the local board of the National Loan Association of Detroit.

Alonzo Clark and wife and Ed. A. Clark and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. George Clark, at Ridgeway, yesterday. She was a sister-in-law of Alonzo Clark.

Rev. C. M. Stout and bride are expected to arrive tomorrow. Next Tuesday evening, at the church parlors, they will be given a reception by the Baptist society.

Last Saturday was Celia Alvord's birthday and her sister, Carrie, invited a company of friends to assist in celebrating the event. It was a complete surprise to Celia.

James Hogan met with a painful, and it may prove a serious accident, Monday. He was splitting a board and a sliver flew up in his face, penetrating the eye-ball. He may lose the sight of that eye.

VanTuyle & Woodard made the largest shipment of live stock of the season Saturday. It consisted of three decks of hogs and one each of sheep and cattle. John accompanied them, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle entertained a large company of friends at their cosy house on Tecumseh street, Tuesday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed by all with progressive pedro. Twenty-seven tables in operation.

Frank Woodward, when coming up on the train the other night, had rare sport. He had bought Donna one of those large dolls which, when pressed, makes a noise like a baby, and it was comical to see the people look around, searching for the child. Frank kept it crying until he reached home.

St Dominic's Church was filled to its utmost capacity, Friday morning, by relatives and friends, to pay the last tribute of affection to Susie McAdam. The church was appropriately draped, the flowers beautiful and the services very impressive. A large number were present from Adrian and Manchester.

Geo. Freese had partridge for dinner Monday and it was the most expensive dish we have heard of lately. It seems that the bird flew against the large plate glass in the front of his residence with such force as to go through. After flying around the room it went out the same way it came in and crossing the street struck the Fisk house and fell to the ground dead. George was soon on the spot and bore it home in triumph. He says it was the dearest morsel he has ever eaten.

Chicken thieves visited Loren Taylor's premises Monday night, and had they not been disturbed they would have made quite a haul. As it was they carried away about a baker's dozen. About 2 o'clock George was awakened by a commotion among the poultry, and arming himself with a revolver, went out to investigate the cause. He found the fowls terribly excited and running in all directions, but saw no one. He thinks he heard some one on the porch before he got up, and the supposition is that there were two or three, one remaining by the house to give the alarm if the inmates were aroused.

Mike Scully has the frame of his new house up.

Charles F. Clark was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. D. Haggert, Sr., spent yesterday with her children in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schmidt were calling on Tecumseh friends the last of the week.

Miss Ida Alexander left yesterday for a visit with friends in Hanover, Ill. Joe went as far as Adrian with her.

Circumstances are such that it has been decided to postpone the play for the benefit of the ball boys until some future time.

The woolen mill company have broken ground for their new wool sorting and scouring house, which will be of brick, 40x100, two stories high.

The lecture course is a go, and the Seniors are entitled to all the credit, for it was by their endeavors the tickets were sold and the following talent secured. The dates are not yet fixed. It will be a fine series of entertainments, as you can see by looking over the list. Arrangements have been made with Phelps Leland, C. E. Bolton, Morgan Wood, Henry C. Dane and the Thomas Concert Co. If they have any money left another concert will be given by the Moody company. The tickets are only $1.00 for the course. If you haven't any secure them at once.

—To the Citizens of Tecumseh and Vicinity—

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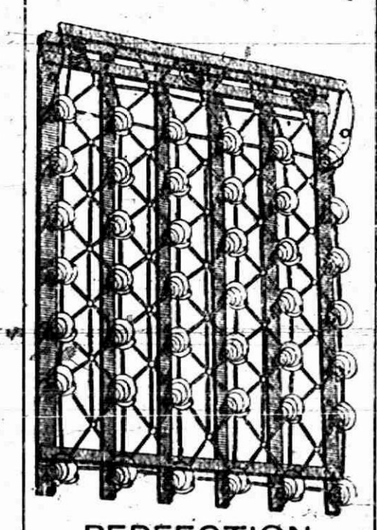

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Steel, executor of the last will and testament upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, that the widow of said deceased, who under said will had the use of said estate during her life-time, has departed this life, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of said will and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 18th day of December next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A true Copy)

A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Francis C. Rector deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet, for that purpose at the law office of C. Burridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 15th day of December, 1894 and on the 29th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 29th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

RICHARD L. RUSSELL,
RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day the following described real estate, to-wit:

all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan described as seven and one-half (7½) acres of land to be taken in the form of a square eighty (80) rods long north and south by ten (10) rods wide east and west, from out the east corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan described as the northeast quarter of the east quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages ther on. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 19th day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Hyde deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of E. H. Hyde, showing that he has a claim against said estate which has not been presented for examination and allowance, and that the time limited by the court for that purpose has expired, but that said estate has not been closed, and showing good cause for the omission to present said claim in time, and praying that said Judge of Probate, by order for that purpose, appoint a time and place for the examination and allowance of said claim before himself, and that notice of the time and place of hearing said claim be given to creditors interested in said estate, as required by law.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 18th day of December next, at nine o'clock a. m. be assigned for the hearing of said petition and said claim, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and also by causing a copy of this order to be placed in a sealed envelope, postage paid and directed to E. H. Hyde, Jr., administrator &c., upon said Hyde at his present post office address.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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Note.—The Chief Chemist rejected the Alum baking powders, stating to the World's Fair jury that he considered them unwholesome.

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Bert Gould is spending a few days with friends at Cone.

Those who attended the Temple concert at Tecumseh were completely captivated with them.

Bert Gould was at the county seat Monday on business.

Editor Field, of the Tecumseh News, was in the village Monday afternoon.

Ella Hall and May Jones spent Saturday with Clinton friends.

Miss Lillie Dersham spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near Blissfield.

The subject next Sunday evening at the M. E. church will be "The Young Man in Politics."

Remember the library annual election to be held next week Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The new blackboard artist for Sunday school is proving himself to be the right person in the proper place.

Presiding Elder Davis and wife, of Detroit, were the guests of Elder and Mrs. Cansfield, Thursday night.

The young folks spent Wednesday evening at the home of James Harrison, in Franklin, very pleasantly.

Miss Rhinemiller, of Blissfield, was in the village Monday evening, looking up the prospects for the millinery business.

James Barnaby and wife, of Grand Rapids, and John Barnaby, and wife, of Raisinville, were called here last week to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. G. W. Clark.

A. B. Clark, of Elkhart, Ind., and Geo. Clark, of Steel, Dak., were called home by the death of their mother, last week.

D. Pierce and wife, of North Adams, and Henry Wilson and wife, of Hillsdale, attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. G. W. Clark, last week.

The W. C. T. U. parlor meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sutton, Wednesday evening, was a very pleasant occasion. The honorary members furnished the program, consisting of readings, papers and addresses, with music.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are making arrangements to have Mrs. Norine E. Law, national organizer and lecturer, give an address in the near future. Full particulars and dates given in due time.

The attendance at the elocutionary and musical recital given by Misses Fraine and King, of the Lawrence Barrett School of Detroit, was very good. The young ladies received the hearty applause of the audience at each selection, proving that they were appreciated. The selection "Nearer My God to Thee" was a fine selection.

The article that appeared in the "Rambles" of the 15th inst., in regard to the elocutionary and musical recital being on the evening of the 23d instead of the 23d, was sent by outside parties who evidently were misinformed as to the date. We have asked the editor to place all articles sent to the HERALD that are desired to appear in the "Rambles" beneath our letter and draw a dead line between, so we would not be responsible for errors or subject to criticism or censure that might arise, as has been the case in the present instance. But for some reason, occasionally there appears articles in our letter that are handed in which cause unpleasant feelings. It is hoped that hereafter all articles desired to appear in the "Ramble" column will be placed after our letter, with the dead line between.

John C. Palmer, one of Ridgeway's oldest pioneers, died Sunday morning, after a week's suffering from apoplexy, aged 77 years, 11 months and 5 days. He came to Michigan from New York state, with his parents, in May, 1831. He lived in St. Joe county a few years, where he lost his first wife, after which he returned to Ridgeway and settled on the farm where he died, living there 48 years. He leaves four sons and a daughter: Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh; E. A. Palmer, of the Palmer Furniture Works at Adrian; Prof. Martin Palmer, of Jackson; Henry and Ed., who reside on the old farm of their boyhood days. He has always been a strict Republican, being loyal to his party. The funeral services were held at the family residence Wednesday morning, the interment taking place in the family lot of the village cemetery.

A NEW MARCH.

A Special Musical Gift to all Readers of Our Paper.

The very latest musical composition to enlist popular approval is "The Broad Street Conservatory March," composed by a young Philadelphian, Roland H. Smith, a pupil of the popular institution to whom his work is dedicated. It is highly inspiring, suggestive as it is of the popular marches written by Sousa. It has been played by all the leading theatre orchestras, and concert bands in the Quaker city, and the seaside and mountain resorts. The piano part of this excellent march has just been issued, and through a special arrangement with the author we are enabled to present a copy free to every reader of this paper who will send name and address, enclosing this notice and 6 cents in stamps to cover mailing and postage, to The Broad Street Conservatory of Music, 1331 South Broad Street, Philadelphia. The retail price of the March is 40 cents, and this is an offer that should be appreciated by our musical friends.

How would the aspect of the Eastern world be changed if a negro should drop a platter of turkey?

Answer—Greece would fall. Turkey would be overthrown. China would be broken into fragments and Africa humiliated.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Jas. Haight was a Detroit visitor last Monday.

E. W. Kilderhouse is buying hay in this vicinity.

School closed last Friday for one week's vacation.

H. Gamble and wife visited friends in Ohio the first of the week.

Nomination of officers of Hendershott Tent, No. 467, next regular meeting.

Miss Dora Marrion of Clinton is visiting at Arthur Hoe's for a week or two.

Subject at church next Sunday morning: "Character and Mission of John, the Baptist."

A surprise was given Chester Caswell last Thursday night. About thirty of his friends were present.

About twenty members of Ivy Leaf Hive of Britton visited Dundee last Friday night. They report a very enjoyable time.

Grant Osterhout, Cyrus Smith and Wm. Osterhout returned from their deer hunt last Thursday night. They report a good time, but not many deer.

The annual meeting of the Christian Union Society of Britton will be held at the church on Saturday next at 2 p. m., to elect trustees and other officers.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Geo. Riley visited Britton Saturday.

Have you tried those fine oysters at R. & B's?

Ira Philoe stopped in town over Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Deddie and wife spent Sunday in Raisin Center.

Mrs. Jas. Lane returned home from Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. John Gordon and Mrs. Maria Loper were at Adrian Monday.

Alonzo Carpenter and wife visited in Manchester one day last week.

E. M. Lewis, our hustling fruit tree agent, is canvassing near Sand Creek.

Wm. Bail entertained his brother-in-law, of Stark county, Ohio, last week.

Caleb Satterthwaite and wife were calling on Uncle Benj. Kelley last week.

Jennie Begel and Master Charley are enjoying Hanover's society at present.

Will Richmond will soon bid goodbye to his Michigan friends and depart for the Lone Star state.

Aleck Gordon returned to Michigan Center Saturday, where he is employed as teacher in the public school.

I. S. Philoe, who has been serving Uncle Sam in the regular army, has received an honorable discharge and is now visiting in Ohio.

Ezra Wilsey, who has been working this past summer for L. Spencer, departed for his home in Northville, Monday. Ezra was a model young man and made many friends during his stay.

A. D. Macham returned home Friday from a hunting tour in the north. He takes the lead and the other boys must follow when it comes to killing deer. Your humble servant, and most all the neighbors, are feeling very grateful at being the recipient of a choice piece of venison, as a reminder of Albert's generosity.

Our Maccabee boys made a wood bee Monday in favor of Mrs. Maria Loper, Jas. Ash furnishing the timber for the busy bees to work on, and when quitting time arrived, they had about twenty cords of nice wood piled up ready for the stove. Several of those who could not be present at the bee, have expressed their willingness to contribute a load or two, which will make in all thirty cords.

THE FARMER'S UNION.

The next meeting of the Farmers' Union will be held at the home of Thos. Welliver, Tuesday evening, Dec. 11th. Program:

Music—Mrs. B. Poucher.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Reading—W. F. Raymond.
Dec.—Edward McConnell.
Reading—Mrs J. B. Kennedy
Music—Eva Doty.
Dec.—Lawrence Boyd.
Question—What lessons have we learned from the past great droughts? Discussion led by M. Smeltzer, F. McLain and A. D. Macham.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Farmers' Social Club will hold its next meeting on Tuesday evening, Dec. 11th, at the home of J. K. Waldron. At this meeting there will be election of officers, and it is desired that there be a good attendance. Program:

Singing.
Rec.—Lovina Schreder.
Essay—Mrs. F. C. Rector.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gilleaple.
Reading—Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse.
Dialogue—Fred Rector and others.
Rec.—Edna Hendershot.
Singing—School children.
Dec.—Charlie Schreder.
Rec.—Alma Waldron.
Election of officers.

Bacon. "I knew that man Carr would make his way to the front."

Edgar. "And has he?"

"Why, yes; he started as a conductor on the Fifth avenue cars, and now he's a driver."

THE S. W. FARMERS' CLUB.

The November meeting was held five miles southwest of the village, at Maple Grove Farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green, on Friday, Nov. 16th. The attendance was rather below the average, owing to the non-appearance of a notice of the meeting in our local newspaper.

Some fine instrumental music upon the piano was rendered by Mrs. Eva Spafard and Mr. S. B. Renshaw. Mr. Green kindly favored the company with one of his songs, "The Horticultural Wife." The accompaniment was played by Mrs. G. M. Sutton. After the tables, from which we had partaken of such a bountiful dinner, had been removed, the meeting was called to order by President English.

A question-box afforded opportunity for each to propound questions they were not able to solve single handed. The recent complete Republican victory seemed to be occupying an unusually large share of some people's thoughts as was evidenced by the topic of many of the queries. A few of the questions and their answers we give below:

"Are Landslides Dangerous?" Answered by Geo. S. Rawson: Not if the right kind. The party in the right should get the majority of the votes. Personally, was glad of the recent landslide, only it was too immense. Regardless of politics, the American people do a good deal of thinking. He mentioned hearing a gentleman state, not long since, that the tendency is toward a monarchical form of government, but he does not agree with said statement. He thinks the policy of our government has not changed; the only approach toward a change seemed to have been in 1884.

"Who Are the More Extravagant; Men or Women?" A. D. English said: If we thought of some of the predictions relative to the result of the November elections, we should say, the men. Women were never extravagant; not in praise, nor in a superabundent use of adjectives, not in dress, nor in any way where money was concerned. But he did not like questions requiring decisive answers; in fact, would refrain from committing himself upon the question. It was quietly suggested by our president that perhaps he would prefer asking, to answering decisive questions.

"If obliged to reduce the amount of stock upon the farm, which should be disposed of?" A. Hitchcock thinks it best to keep the cheap stock, rather than sell it because it is cheap. Sheep, for instance, will prove remunerative in the near future.

J. G. English answered this query: "Which is the best kind of corn to plant, looking toward a yield of one hundred bushels per acre?" The White Dent, because it roots deeper; but good cultivation goes far toward insuring a large crop of corn.

"Do our people use too much sugar?" Mr. English said. Statistics assert that we use sixty-three pounds of sugar per capita. It is good, as well as healthy, so it is unnecessary to be niggardly in its use.

"To what do you attribute the recent Republican victory?" B. G. English: "To two causes—the financial panic of the last two years, and the inaction of congress."

Mr. Hitchcock asked what occasioned the hard times. Mr. English replied: "Extravagance brought about by the high prices following the civil war."

"How many sheep can be kept upon one hundred acres of land?" Answered by Richard Green. In England, they used to say, one sheep could be kept on every acre, but here in America we cannot keep so many. Sheep are still profitable and he would not sell for he believes in the old saying that "there is gold beneath the sheep's hoof."

W. E. Pease: "Is any system of irrigation effectual in this section?" Only in a limited way where there is a stream of water that can be utilized.

Mr. Pease referred to Mr. Rawson's reply so the first question. In his opinion, the landslide was attributable to the unreliability of the enfranchised foreigner.

"What can be done to preserve our forests?" Assigned to S. M. Merithew, who said: The time is near at hand when effectual means must be employed to save our timber from the present wholesale destruction. H. R. Palmer: Cut off the matured trees, but let the second-growth remain. Mr. Pease: Land must be planted to trees because the scrubby growth, left after the large timber is removed, does not make fine trees. Mr. Rawson does not think legislation sufficient to encourage land plantations, for the offer of ten dollars per tree had induced men in the township of Bridgewater to sell trees for ship building timber, in spite of previous resolves to preserve them. Legislation must be made in favor of plantations, not in the interest of northern pine barons.

J. G. English said the waste hillsides should be set to trees and the government should exempt the land so set from taxation.

Rev. Platt spoke of the forest fires. The devastation of the forest by fire was doubtless caused by the tinder-like character of the fallen pines. These were accidently set on fire instead of being, as has been thought, the result of incendiarism.

The club now adjourned until the first Friday in January, 1895, the place of meeting to be announced later.

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Raisin Valley Seminary.

Lillian Jones is on the sick list.

Prof. Binford spent Sunday at Ypsilanti.

Foot-ball is all the go with Seminary boys now.

Mrs. Haskins visited at Rollin several days last week.

Misses Edwards and Hill and Charlie Hill Sundayed at Moses Comfort's.

The astronomy class spent the study hour at the observatory Tuesday evening.

School will adjourn Thursday for Thanksgiving, and the students are planning an oyster supper for Thursday evening.

Walter Jones, who has been working for Mr. White near Tecumseh all summer, has come home to spend the winter. We expect him to be one of our number at the Seminary soon.

MACON MUSIC.

Rev. J. I. Gulick will preach a Thanksgiving sermon next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Collins entertained several of her lady friends at tea last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Osgood and Grandma Osgood returned from their visit in St. Johns last Friday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Morgan on Wednesday, Dec. 5th. On account of the shortness of the days, dinner will be served instead of tea. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

The U. L. A. of Pentecost, have received the first installment of their books, and they are now ready for distribution among the members.

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When friends meet now the first salutation hereabouts is: "Did you take dinner at Wonder's hotel last week?" Because if you did you know you are quite likely to have a skirmish with small-pox in a short time. One lady left her horse and carriage in the hotel barn, and came back to find a big policeman guarding the entrance and all the hotel inmates locked in; but she finally obtained her rig and beat a hasty retreat for home.

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For the blessings that come unawares.

Well knowing what's won by pursuing
But adds to the sum of our cares

From morning to morning we labor,
The task we would do is not done,
And the things that seem great in the distance
Are nothing when once they are won

No one thing is worthy our worship,
And all things when clasped in the hand
Are naught but the signs of the music,
The symphony only is grand

The manna that falls in the desert,
The dry, dusty desert of strife,
Is sweeter than fruit to whose growing
We've given the years of our life

The joy is in building the temple
The substance is less than the dream,
And the song that we sing but the echo
Of the perfect one heard in the stream.

In vain through the volumes of wisdom
We seek for the blissful; and lo
The soft lisping accents of childhood
Set all of God's kingdom aglow

Youth, manhood, seek ever the jewel
Of freedom with hope-kindled eyes,
Age finds it to laugh at its luster
And resign it, a comfortless prize.

The bud that escapes us when searching
The bush for its promises sweet
Goes straight to the heart with its blooming,
And the instant is all but complete

These things that are won by pursuing
But add to the sum of our cares—
We thank Thee, O Father of Mercy,
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CHARLES EUGENE BANKS.

COUPLING PINS.

A STORY OF THANKSGIVING.

THE wind had changed, and driven the little gray clouds into an ominous, leaden mass.

Miss Emerson, the teacher, now "boarding 'round" at the Starr farm, looked at the first flakes as she would have looked at any other personal enemies, had they come floating down to darken the clear skies of her promised day of delight.

It was seldom Miss Emerson gave herself pleasure; and now that she had bargained with haggling Mrs. Starr for a little turkey, nicely roasted, a mince pie, a glass of plum jam and a loaf of bread to donate to the big feast to be given the Sharpsburg benevolent institution, yclept "The Widows' Rest," on this Thanksgiving day, she wished the little gray clouds had kept to their first inclination to scatter before the shining sun.

Augusta King was going. She was a cousin-in-law who kept, and enjoyed keeping, the stalwart Starr boys in a state of feud. She was big, beautiful, vain, and something of an heiress.

Miss Emerson had, with amusement, not unmixed with indignation, silently watched this little comedy-pastoral. "The Rivals." Her quick sympathies went out to Giles Starr, the elder brother, a tall, splendid youth, with the torso of a gladiator that held the heart of a woman. For the daring, lawless, handsome younger brother she instinctively reserved her dislike, turning on the faucet of the fountain of worded disfavor at every aggressive attention offered her by Valentine Starr.

Augusta's basket had been officiously carried by both brothers to the snowy platform, where, when it was properly signaled, the "local accommodation" to Sharpsburgh, which lay thirty miles to the north, stopped to take on passengers. The railroad officials had prepared for the day's extra traffic by adding four passenger coaches to the usual complement that, once a day, plied between Madison and Sharpsburgh on the rather rusty little narrow-gauge.

It chanced that when, at Val's signal, the train stopped, the engineer, put at fault by the unusual length of his following, slowed up only as the last—and empty—car drew alongside the platform. With a gay laugh at their utter isolation, Augusta, when aboard, began talking to Val, who sat beside her, in low, confidential tones, and laughing in loud, maddening roulades, the better to incense poor Giles, who, worm of the dust that he was, turned, at last, and began a conversational attack upon Miss Emerson. He even sat down opposite her, with his back to his brother and Augusta, and made a successful pretense of having forgotten their existence.

Miss Emerson's pity for the worm, whose squirming she alone saw, drove her headlong into channels of argumentative harangue, where the waves were strong and the waters frightfully deep. To her gratification and surprise, Giles plunged after her and swam as a swimmer does who knows his strength and joys in the exhilarating sport.

WITH A BOUND SHE WAS ON HER FEET.

She had never talked to him in just this way, and to hold her own in the undertow through which his masculine mind buffeted its way with masterly ease brought the pink to her cheeks and the light to her eyes.

Again the train stopped, and Mrs. Bassett and her daughter, Matilda, lumbered into the second coach ahead. Augusta, observing her, and wishing to summarily punish Giles for his daring insubordination, loudly declared her intention of going to Matilda. Bidding Val follow with her basket, Miss King, with a sharp glance of snapping black eyes that was lost upon Giles, flounced up the aisle and out of the coach.

From the Bassett farm to the next probable stopping place was a stretch of nearly ten miles; beyond this farms and villages began to thicken, and slowing up would be the order of the day.

As if ignorant of Augusta's desertion, Giles took up the thread of conversation where it had dropped, and began so brave a winding of it upon so manifestly pitiable a reel of good intention, that Miss Emerson figuratively reached forth and took it from him.

In her kindly hands, and in the light of her sparkling, generous mood, the gossamer thread shone and glistened and changed color. He listened with ears deafening themselves to the sarcasm of a strident voice, and looked at her with eyes from whose lenses faded the image of a saucy, buxom beauty.

Miss Emerson wound on and on. Once over Giles' square shoulder she saw Val's face peering in at them from the outside platform. A demoniacal grin warped his handsome features, which disappeared an instant later, and then—

It was not noticeable at first. Giles' sweet responsivity, his gentle willingness to be consoled and entertained by her, shut out all lesser sensations. It was only when, feeling the train slacken in speed, she lifted her eyes and peered over Giles' shoulder, that she discovered it. With a bound she was upon her feet, her hand grasping the arm of the man before her.

"What is it, Miss Emerson?" asked Giles, unable to read between the frowning lines at the meeting of her delicate brows.

"What is it?" she echoed—"*Valentine Starr!*" and she looked toward the place where his dark, bright, malevolent face last shadowed the frosty pane. Giles followed her glance with his own and cried out in astonishment. The coach, in which they were being slowly brought to a standstill, had been uncoupled, the rope detached and themselves left to do what they might under the exasperating circumstances.

"Well, I'll be —"

"No, you'll not! You shan't be anything I can't be—and I *won't* be *that!*" laughed Miss Emerson, a bit hysterically. "Oh, Giles, I'm so sorry—for—you!"

"Sorry *for me?* Say, don't you be that now. I haven't heard a word you've been saying for the last half hour"—Miss Emerson may be excused for wincing slightly at this stunningly honest confession—"but I've been doing better 'n listening. I've been making up my mind. All the while your soft, bright voice was seeming to blow little rainbow bubbles through the air I was building scales out of my heart and soul to weigh two women in."

Giles stopped and looked dreamily out at the flo[illegible]ng flakes that swirled, and danced, and shot up again in the wind, as though settling with their fellows on the soft, pure levels below were the last of their intentions.

The snowstorm shut the two occupants of the coach into a little world of their own. No landmarks were discernible—their whereabouts a mystery neither of them was in a hurry to solve.

"And you weighed them—with mental, moral, physical or spiritual weights, Giles—which?"

"You're laughing at me!" cried the young man, turning to face a countenance wreathed in smiles; but what he dreaded he did not find. He met, instead, a pair of the sweetest humid blue eyes in the world, their long lashes moist, their dark pupils dilating.

"Laughing at you? Can't you see I'm—I'm *crying* at you? O Giles!"

"You've guessed it, then? You—"

"Giles, don't accredit me with that much wisdom. I teach school—but only the primary grades; and as for higher mathematics, I couldn't solve the problem of any man's heart—not even if he gave me *x* for the unknown quantity. Oh, dear—"

"What?"

"The widows—"

"Confound the widows!"

"I'll do nothing of the sort. And I consider it heartless of you to ask it of me."

"Oh, bother the widows, then! Miss Emerson?"

"Well?"

OPENING THE DONATION BASKET.

"I used all the weights you mentioned, I reckon."

"Well?"

"*Physically,* some one I've been a dumb fool about got it; but other ways—"

"Yes?"

"It balanced in favor of a mite of a woman with blue eyes, who blows rainbow bubbles—"

"Giles!"

"You did that sum pretty quick, Miss Emerson. I should think higher mathematics wouldn't be any trouble to you whatever."

"Now, you're laughing at me, Giles Starr! Well, laugh, then! But remember you have yet your own problem to solve."

"I've solved—and proved it," and Giles' voice grew tender and serious. "Proved it by such kindness as I never received before; proved it by your sweet sympathy and your tears—O, Miss Emerson—"

"I think, Giles," breaks in a soft, happy voice, "if you are so sure of the correctness of your solution, that 'Mary' would be much more appropriate than—"

"Mary—my darling!"

For three cold, halcyon hours they watched for a sign of rescue, hoping for its delay. Mary told Giles the simple story of her life, of its ambitions, of its loneliness. At noon they opened the donation basket, and ate their Thanksgiving dinner as mortals might eat who are permitted to dine with the gods.

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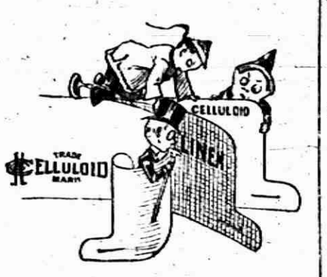

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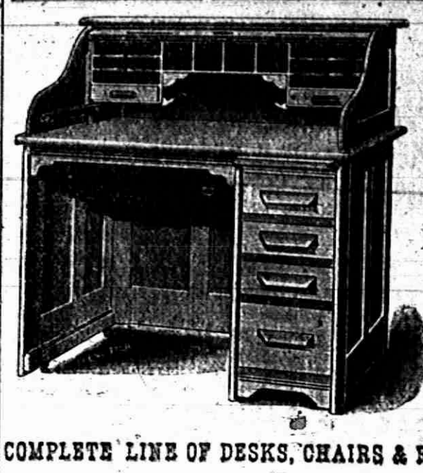

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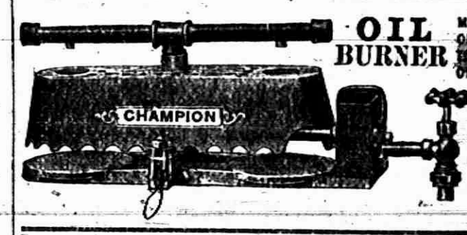

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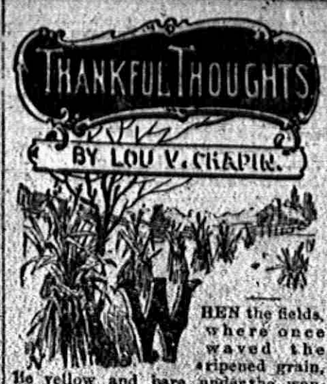

WHEN the fields, where once waved the ripened grain, lie yellow and bare under the waning light of the year, it is fitting that we would muse upon the past, and, remembering the promise of spring, the beauty of summer and the fulfillment of autumn, should draw therefrom hope and inspiration for the future. Verily, the life of man is as that of the "grass which perisheth," and the life of nations is the aggregate of the existence of its individuals, and all have within their death the germ of the after-existing. Not a root of endeavor and longing sinks down into eternity, drops its flower and seed and is forgotten of earth, but has its resurrection, and there is not a storm that bows the head nor a lightning flash that rends the soul with pain but carry on their wings radiance for the flower and vigor for the seed.

The year over which now the ashes of remembrance are scattered has been to our nation a time of travail. From the hearthstone of the artisan have gone up the wail of hungry childhood and the prayer of destitute mothers. The hammer and the anvil have been covered with rust. The heart-beats of commerce have been so faint and feeble that timid souls, gazing from afar upon our afflicted nation, have cried that she was upon the verge of dissolution, that her proud edifices of Fraternal Love and Domestic Content were crumbling to the dust. The seasons have frowned upon the husbandman, and there has been distress east and west, north and south; fire and famine, flood and insurrection have touched the land, and yet the patriot people of our country, though still thrilling with the memory of recent grief, can look up to Heaven and thank God for what this year has brought. It is not in the sunlight of prosperity that the soul realizes to the full its blessings, but only when it has just emerged from the shadow of calamity is it able to comprehend the chastening love that "wounds to heal."

Again has that lesson of the immutability of the law of progressive creation—the "survival of the fittest"—been read by those who see in the events of each passing day the details of the scheme by which the world is to be lifted to grander planes of thought and action. The triumph were barren were its teachings unheeded. The winds, sighing above the graves of those who perished in their madness, or fell victims to the inexplicable frenzy of wanton force, bear to us not only the sound of weeping, they are fraught with whispers of promise. Liberty, our mother, our goddess, our best beloved, smiles while the tear-drops are yet wet upon her cheeks. Law, obscured for a moment by the gathering clouds, still stands in untarnished glory and dignity, her scepter touching the eastern and western seas, her garments brightening the whole land, as the light from the sacred veil, behind which was God, glorified the temple in days of old.

Bowing our faces to the dust we offer up our thanks, and as we listen to the sweet-toned bells ringing out the familiar strains: "Praise the Lord, all ye people, worship Him in the beauty of holiness," our souls echo the sounds. Our harvest may be scanty, the gleaners may not have returned with singing, but the breast of earth and of futurity will yield to us treasure all the richer for the present hoarding; gladder because we have learned our lesson aright; sweeter, for the fruit will have been ripened by the storm as well as the sun. We take our little ones by the hand and leading them forth, point to the barren fields and say: "Remember, oh, my son, the chastening of the Lord; be wise, oh, my daughter, with the wisdom of sorrow, and forget not the thanks-offering that is more grateful to deity than the wealth laid on golden altars. High resolves for the future; repentance for the mistakes of the past; loyalty to the teachings of our fathers who sealed their faith in our country's destiny with their blood; the cherishing of the ideals that have raised men from primordial chaos, and will elevate them to ideal excellence; these, oh, my children, be thy offerings." Gratitude which has within it no renunciation of self, no striving after reciprocal virtue as far as it lies within human power, no soul dedication, is as barren as the fallow fields, as unfruitful as the thorns and thistles

Thanksgiving.

The scythe of the mower—its music is o'er—
The fruits of the harvest are gathered in store
Abundant reward for a season of toil
The earth has returned from her generous soil
And now, with the autumn leaves o'er her breast
She turns to the sleep of renewal and rest
While we, with her bounties heaped high on the board,
Pass round the good fare and the jubilant word
With thankfulest laughter, with merriest cheer
And share with each other the gifts of the year
—Mrs. George Archibald, in Judge

And Was Detained.

Mme. Gobbler—My children, I have sad news for you.

The Little Gobblers—What?

Mme Gobbler (breaking into sobs)—Your poor, dear father attended a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday.—Chicago Record.

Cause for Thankfulness.

Shanghai—Everyone has something to be thankful for, if he only stops to think

Gosling—What have we, pray?

Shanghai—That Thanksgiving comes but once a year.—Brooklyn Life.

ORIGIN OF THANKSGIVING.

The date of the first observance of this distinctively American institution has been a matter of some dispute. A writer in an exchange has been to some trouble to ascertain the facts and states them as follows:

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In July, 1623, a day of fasting and prayer was appointed on account of drought. Rain came abundantly while they were praying, and the governor appointed a day of thanksgiving which was observed with religious exercises. The Charlestown records show a similar change of fast day into Thanksgiving in 1631, on account of the arrival of supplies from Ireland.

Dr. Franklin tells us that in a time of great despondency among the settlers of New England it was proposed in one of their public meetings to proclaim a fast. An aged farmer rose and spoke of their provoking heaven with their complaints, and of the cause they had for thanksgiving. He then made a motion that instead of appointing a day of fasting, they should appoint a day of thanksgiving. The assembly readily agreed.

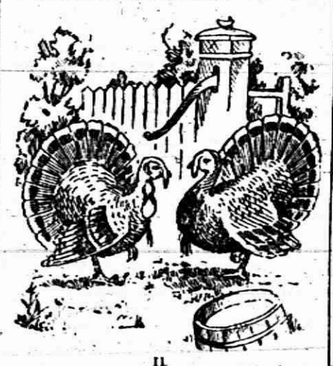
Massachusettes Bay was the first of the colonies to appoint an annual thanksgiving by the proclamation of the English governor. During the revolution Thanksgiving day was a national institution, being annually recommended by congress, but after the general Thanksgiving for peace in 1784 there was no national appointment until 1789, when Washington, by request of congress, recommended a day of Thanksgiving for the adoption of the constitution. Washington issued a second proclamation of Thanksgiving in 1795 on account of the suppression of insurrection. President Madison, by the request of congress, recommended a Thanksgiving for peace in 1815. But the official recommendation of a day for the giving of thanks was mainly confined to New England until the year 1817, after which date it was regularly appointed by the governor of New York. In 1855 Gov Johnson, of Virginia, recommended a day of thanksgiving; but in 1857 Gov Wise, when requested to do so, publicly declined, on the ground that he was not authorized to interfere in religious matters. During the civil war, in 1863 and 1864, President Lincoln issued proclamations recommending annual Thanksgivings. Since then a proclamation has been issued annually by the president as well as by the governors of the states and the mayors of the principal cities. Custom fixes the time as the last Thursday in November.

It is well for us all to pause a little in the mad whirl of business or work or pleasure, and think of the blessings which have crowned the year, and lift up our hearts in special thanksgiving

TWO TURKEYS.

I

Said a jolly turkey gobbler to another:
"Our dinners are most plentiful and good,
And it grieves me to the heart, my dearest brother,
To see you don't enjoy them as you should.
You pine away, I fear you'll die!
Oh, tell to me the reason why!"



II

"You're a stupid-headed fellow," cried the other,
"That you don't perceive the farmer's little plan
He is feeding us against Thanksgiving, brother
Oh, hear the trial bravely, if you can.
The dreadful time is drawing nigh,
The day on which we're doomed to die!"

III

And on Thanksgiving morn, the farmer's mother
Had both the turkeys butchered, so I heard.
The skinny one went to the farmer's brother,
With "Best Compliments"—to make up for the bird.
The fat one, flanked with sauce and tart,
Warmed the cockles of the farmer's heart.
—N. Y. World

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While to win a fine turkey may well make you glad,
At a time when the fates seem to baffle,
You find that the dearest one ever you had
Is the one you win at the raffle
—Judge.

The Only One.

Hojack—Are you going to the Thanksgiving-day ball?

Tomdik—What ball?

Hojack—Football.—Judge.

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ADDISON ON THE BEAN.

Our bustling neighbor on the western confines of the county, called Addison, has improved wonderfully during the past few years. Since the South extension of the Mackinaw road Addison has been the junction point of the east and south lines and has become a railroad center of considerable importance. The traffic on both branches is steadily growing. Once in the forenoon and once in the afternoon, the meeting of trains here from three directions, reminds one of the Adrian depot.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of last week we gave our World's Fair entertainment for the Epworth League, and the days were agreeably spent in renewing old acquaintance. Among the merchants, some of the old stand-bys are still on deck although most of the business firms are comparatively new.

John T. Lewis still conducts the old store on the West side and J. L. Smith the similar establishment on the east side and these two stores control the dry goods trade of this vicinity. Geo. Tansley, the father of our undertaker, Harry Tansley, has a well stocked furniture store and he also fills the position of village undertaker. Kline & Dean, adjoining in the same block, have a fine hardware store and evidently enjoy a good trade. O. B. Bowen still holds the reins in the harness store on the east corner, where he has been so many years, and he has lately added carriages to his other branches. I. N. Hathaway still runs his big farm east of the village. He is the same healthy and happy man as of yore, and especially so since the election. The drug and grocery store on the west side, which has been headquarters for many years of Power & Son, is still conducted by them. J. O. Power also holds the American express agency, which he has held for many years. Howd & Brooks have a fine clothing store on the east side occupying half of the brick block with Mr. Tansley. They carry a large and finely assorted stock of clothing, hats and caps, boots & shoes and gents furnishings. They are evidently enjoying a good trade. The old firm of Wm. Curtis & Sons, breeders of high bred cattle, is still in existence, although the genial and gentlemanly Fred, who had charge of the business a few years ago, has joined the silent majority. Geo. A. Smith is now proprietor of the Exchange Bank, which furnishes the town good banking facilities.

The schools of the village are in a flourishing condition under the charge of Prof. Wade Millis.

The two churches in town meet the wants of the community in a religious direction—the Congregational, of which Rev. W. H. Brooks is pastor, and the M. E. church presided over by Rev. C. W. Baldwin. We had the pleasure of forming Mr. Baldwin's acquaintance during our stay there.

The postoffice is now run by Chester Binns who seems to fill the bill to the satisfaction of all.

The Every House is a large three story hotel on the west side which stands on the site of the old rookery that was destroyed by fire a few years ago. J. K. Kelsey is the present landlord, and is keeping an excellent house for a town of the size. Mrs. Kelsey, too, manages her part of the duties to perfection. The House enjoys a good patronage, both transient and regular boarders.

The Addison Courier is booming right along, under the management of our friend, A. J. Kempton. Joe has a fine two story building of his own, the ground floor being used as a jewelry store and printing office, the second story being used for Odd Fellows hall. The Courier is a finely equipped newspaper. In proportion to the size of the town, it is one of the best in Southern Michigan. The business men of Addison appreciate that fact by giving it a liberal patronage, for they know that the Courier's labor during the past ten years has been one of the chief causes of their own prosperity. During our three days' stay we made the Courier sanctum our headquarters, and enjoyed Editor Kempton's hospitality very much. It reminded us of the "good old times" when the Courier was our own property and Joe held down the local editor's chair.

The Evelyn House, Commercial House, three blacksmith shops, a large planing mill, a wood working factory and sundry other institutions add to the business facilities of this little town which for sixty years has stood bestride the Bean, and failed to become a large city principally because of being thus unfortunately divided. Prospects of connection by rail with Jackson are strengthening however, and in case our sister town is fortunate enough to secure the much coveted car shops she will become an important trading point.

A letter from J. B. Gould, of East Jordan, indicates that he is doing "very well I thank you," notwithstanding the hard times. Crops were generally good in that section. He got 40 cents a bushel for potatoes and sells his butter on a yearly contract at twenty cents a pound. He thinks there were 500 men tramping through the woods there last week hunting. One of his neighbors shot three in one day.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

THE DISTURBING FACTOR.

To the adherents of King Alcohol, Chicago's temperance day was, as a sign of the times, ominous. Liquor leaders, even more than Prohibitionists, are quick to see and to measure any vantage ground gained by the latter, and Mida's Criterion (a liquor organ from which we often take occasion to quote for the edification of the Union Signal readers) notes with evident alarm that the "trend of the speeches at the Auditorium was directed almost solely against the saloon, which it was declared 'must go.'"

To the Criterion it is "a matter of deep regret" that the saloon should be such a disturbing factor in the liquor business. To the manner in which this "institution" is often conducted it attributes the increasing popular hostility toward the traffic as a whole.

Now as upon the retailer depends the prosperity of the trade generally, and therefore of the liquor organs themselves, it seems hardly fair for the Criterion as representing the leaders and the capital in this great "Industry" to attempt to make a scapegoat of the saloon-keeper. Why denounce the "lawless" saloon-keeper when the whiskey trust and the brewers' combines, and even the great Republican party itself, are all making such desperate efforts to evade the law, or to interpret it according to their own unrighteous inclinations? Is not the entire drink business, from the manufactory down to the lowest dive in the city slums, characterized by an active spirit of lawlessness?

A man who can bring himself to engage in this body and soul-destroying business shows by that very act that he has within him the stuff from which lawbreakers are made. Every man who deals in intoxicating liquor "makes his living" by the misfortunes and miseries of his neighbor, and whether he be in congress, in the city council, or behind the bar of the dramshop, is not likely to manifest much respect for law, divine or human.

The whiskey trust may force Congress to do its bidding in the matter of tax or the bonded period, but it is not so easy for the "disreputable" saloon-keepers of New York or Chicago—while they may have money enough and votes enough to secure "police protection" in their law-breaking operations—to assist so openly and directly in the law-making process. And so, not being able to abolish what the Criterion designates as "those reasonable and just restrictions which the law has thrown around the business," they do what the same authority condemns—"overrides" them.

"The lawless saloon-keeper is the cause, the bitter Prohibitionist the effect," says this astute editor. Not at all. The Prohibitionist (bitter to the liquorite because judged by his own code) is the effect, not of lawlessness but of law. It is not the methods of the traffic he primarily objects to, but it is the traffic itself—to the law under which it is fostered and protected. We know there are "good temperance people" who aim at nothing more radical than an improved system of "regulation" which shall provide for the elimination of its most dangerous factor, the licensed saloon: but they are not the Prohibitionists. When Prohibitionists declare that "saloons must go," they mean that the entire liquor traffic, root and branch, must be annihilated.

It is said further that the saloon-keeper who sells to minors and drunkards is a far worse enemy of the trade than the Prohibitionist. Now is it to be expected that the retailer will refrain from selling to minors when he knows that it is largely from this class that his customers must be recruited? Is it not to the interest of the trade generally that as much liquor be sold as possible, and is it not consistent that the drink seller, like every other merchant, should endeavor to create increased demand for his wares? We think the Criterion hardly rings true to the great liquor concerns which support it, and whose views it is supposed to voice when it opposes the training of boys to become profitable patrons, and advocates the moderate use of "natures bounty" (?) From the standpoint of good business policy it seems inconsistant, to say the least, to declare it would be "one of the first to rejoice" at the advent of "true temperance" (the moderate kind). We should think the moneyed liquor interest would regard such statements as rank heresy!

As to selling to habitual drunkards, what wife of a drunken husband would not infinitely prefer to have the poison sold to him rather than to the son of twenty-one or twenty-two, her only hope and stay. If the law sees fit to restrict the sale at all, let it be not to the confirmed drunkard, who will obtain it under any circumstances, but to the young man not yet a slave to appetite. Let us save the curables.

The Criterion fears unless everything obnoxious in the retail traffic is eliminated therefrom, the innocent will continue to suffer with the guilty. What is there which the trade generally would consider obnoxious which rendered business brisk all along the line and poured money into its coffers? And where draw the line between innocence and guilt in the liquor business? Are "those who make their places the rendezvous of the vicious and criminal," and whom the Criterion would "repudiate and denounce," more guilty than those who keep "respectable" saloons where the young man receives his first impulse downward, where he gets his first training toward vice and crime?

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The circuit court adjourned last Monday until Dec. 10th.

Rev. E. C. Andrus leaves Monday for a week's visit at Grand Rapids.

Rev. E. C. Andrus went to Ogden yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Paul, which occurred at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Subjects for next Sunday, by Rev. E. C. Andrus: Morning—Blessed are the Pure in Heart. Evening—The Holy Trinity.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Chas. M. Brown will give the third illustrated lecture upon the life of Christ, at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Heck and her committee will entertain the ladies social at the Baptist church parlors on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 6th. Everybody invited.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. have enlarged the grocery apartment in their office and are putting in a fine stock. Read their new card elsewhere.

Michael Wilson, who whipped his mother, was dropped from the roll of membership with Friends at their last meeting, Wednesday evening, and the Overseers report more to follow.

They have a genuine case of small pox in Adrian. He is confined in the pest house. The City Hotel, where the case started, is still in quarantine, and the physicians have no fears of the spread of the disease.

A. D. Hall has been on the war path for the past month, visiting the town treasurers, to make arrangements with them to collect the assessments of the Farmers Mutual Ins. Co. He secured the services of every town treasurer except in Tecumseh.

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild, will serve a Supper at the Armory, Wednesday, Dec. 5th, from 5 until 8 o'clock. A table of useful articles and home made baking will be for sale during the afternoon and evening. All cordially invited. Supper 25cts.

A good audience assembled at the Presbyterian church last Tuesday evening to listen to Rev. Chas. M. Brown's lecture on Persia. About eighty views were presented, accompanied by descriptive readings by Mr. Brown. The lecture was not only entertaining but exceedingly instructive as well. We understand that Mr. Brown proposes giving lectures of a similar character from time to time as convenient.

The following gentlemen, comprising the refreshment committee of the Eastern Star for December, are requested to meet at the lodge room this week Saturday, Dec. 1st, at 2 p. m., sharp: John F. Schreder, Frank Bryan, M. E. Conklin, John Hicks, James Aten, Frank Avery, Ben. Garlinghouse, Sam. McClure, Wm. Jordan, Dolph Heesen, Frank Davidson, M. Smeltzer, Ed. Chilson, Hannibal Osborn, Scove Walker.

A very pleasant reception was tendered Miss Ora Bowen Tuesday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen, the event being in honor of her 18th birthday. About forty young people clambered into lumber wagons and rode out with good nature if not comfort. It was intended as a surprise, and as such things always are, was highly enjoyed. Several neat mementos were bestowed by the beseigers and both sides agree that the affair was a decided success.

The Phonograph Concert given Thursday evening, at the Royal Arcanum Hall under the direction of Eugene Smalley, was a rare treat. The selections given were numerous and very fine. The attendance was large and all were delighted with the entertainment. Mr. Smalley's outfit is one of the latest, largest, loudest and most improved, and his selections are among the very best. Any Society or church organization wishing an evening's enjoyment could not do better than engage the services of Mr. Smalley and his Phonograph.

A play somewhat different from the usual order of dramatic offering will be seen on Dec. 5th. Probably no other drama of the kind has the potency in drawing from all classes and conditions of people that is experienced by "The Burglar." Young and old, rich, and those less favored with the world's goods, are equally absorbed with the story. In a home of wealth and refinement are all the scenes enacted, even where the burglary is attempted, though frustrated by the artless endeavors of a bright child of six years.

Tuesday's Evening Telegram says: Mrs. Wilson, the Franklin woman charged with beating and horse whipping her 90 years old mother-in-law, now an inmate of the county house, had her trial in Justice Vandegrift's court yesterday afternoon, continuing over into this morning. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the justice imposed a fine of $10 and costs, amounting to about $24, and in default of payment she is to spend 60 days in the Detroit house of correction. An appeal will be taken by defendant's attorneys, Watts, Bean & Smith. The woman's husband is already serving a 60 day sentence in Detroit for the same crime. Considerable interest was taken in the trial and the court room has been crowded.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED—A few horses to winter. They will be stabled nights. Charges by the w. R. W. COLE.

RIDGEWAY TAXES.—I will receive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway during the month of December at the following places: Wheatland, 12, 19, 26, at S. P. Smith's store, Ridgeway; Thursdays, 21, 27, John Will's restaurant; Friday, Jas. Haight's store, Britton.

C. B. EXELBY,
Ridgeway Township Treasurer.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 29, 1894

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

E. F. Kirchgessner visited the county at Friday last.

Go and see the foot ball game today. inton vs. Tecumseh.

Mrs. Mollie Sutton has returned from iting her daughter's at Detroit.

Miss Emma Hall, of Adrian, spent nday at her father's, A. D. Hall's.

Miss Libbie Kirchgessner is spending hanksgiving with friends in Toledo.

Garland Gillespie is home from Ann bor to eat Turkey with his people.

Mr. Frank Kirchgessner, of Clinton, s visiting his children here Tuesday.

T. O. Perry, of Chicago, was the guest his father, G. D. Perry, over Sunday.

Miss Belle O'Neil, of Blissfield is iting friends and relatives in town week.

Mrs. S. A. James, of Detroit, is at her ther's, Mrs. DeWolf's. Sam was here r Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Bird and Mabel, re the guests of Blissfield friends r Sunday.

Our old time friend Delos C. LeBaron s shaking hands with Tecumseh ends Tuesday.

We give an excellent installment of hanksgiving reading on the inside es this week.

E. F. Kirchgessner received a large voice of gold watches Monday, of ry size and style.

Geo. W. Knapp returned home from outing Saturday, and reports having d a grand good time.

Miss Mame Bradner, of Clinton, and est, Miss Adah Case of Manchester, re in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Pilbeam was called to lan the last of the week, by the ness of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Gould. e has returned home leaving her eatly improved.

Wm. Gallatin, one of the old residents this vicinity, died at his sister's, Mrs. S. Clemens, Saturday. His funeral s held at her residence Monday afternoon, Rev. W. R. Blachford, officiating.

Ed. Williamson, in consequence of the nstable condition of the market has t dealt as extensively in poultry this ason so far, as usual, and only shipped one full car for the Thanksgiving rade.

The play of the "Burglar" which is illed for Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th, not a blood and thunder play as some ight think from the title, but a refined society play which has been and is ery popular all over the States.

The Democratic Jackson Patriot facetously remarks: The election having opened the door of the state house Lansing to an unexpected cavalcade, bbery will be rife. It therefore becomes the Democratic party in the legislature to stand up as "one man" against ll vicious enactments.

The law class at Ann Arbor, which raduates in '96, is to present to the niversity a life-size bust of Thomas Cooley, to be placed and kept in the w hall. The bust is to be made by ulptor Morse, of world's fair fame, and o cost $750. Circulars are being sent t to the legal fraternity all over the tate, asking for contributions, and the ommittee is meeting with excellent uccess.

The Clinton Woolen Mill Company will erect a building 40x100, two stories igh to be used for sorting and scouring wool. If the weather permits it will be put up at once. Last month's work was the largest in the history of the mill. This prosperous institution right at home scarcely carries out the theory of the calamity howler that free wool is going to destroy our woolen manufactories.

Mrs. Alex. Stowell, of Dundee, was calling on Tecumseh friends Monday.

Remember the Baptist church supper next Thursday evening, Dec. 6th.

The HERALD hopes that all its patrons are enjoying Thanksgiving turkey to-day.

Dr. Frost has get settled in his new office, and has a very commodious suite of rooms.

Mrs. Morse, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hanley last week.

The November issue of the "Youth's Herald" is at hand and is a very creditable number.

Rev. J. L. Hageman, the new minister of the Friends Society, began his pulpit duties last Sabbath.

I. P. Keyser has about closed out his celery crop for the season, and has returned home to spend the winter.

J. W. Wightman will leave next Saturday for Asbury Park, N. J., having been called there to attend to some important legal business.

There will be a "Penny Social" in the parlors of the Presbyterian church, this Thursday evening. All are cordially invited to come and bring a bright penny and lead pencil.

The Toledo Cadets, O. N. G. have a "Midwinter Circus" this week, which is something novel in the line of entertainments. We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket.

The Ladies Library Association are about to move into the room lately vacated by Dr. Frost. It will be a much larger and pleasanter room than the present one. The new room is now being renovated for their occupancy.

W. J. Ingersoll has lately completed a "pancake stove" which is a dandy. It will be run with gasoline, small pipes in a coil being arranged under a large flat griddle. It will be used in the kitchen of the Valley House. People will know where to go hereafter for good pancakes.

On Monday evening, Dec. 3, will occur the inspection and election of officers of Beers Relief Corps, No. 177, at Tecumseh. Every member is requested to be present and remember that the meeting will open at 7 o'clock sharp. Don't forget. Comrades, please bring patience with you.

Three years ago "The Burglar" when produced at the Madison Square Theatre, was the most potent drawing attraction at any of the theatres in New York, and it is produced in tone with all the attention to detail that characterizes the production at the home theatre. As pretty and interesting a play as ever graced the boards of any theatre is "The Burglar."

The quaint little women of Kate Greenaway are to be seen in a magazine for the first time since their creation. Miss Greenaway has heretofore always drawn them in color and for book publication. Now, however, she is at work upon a special series of her curious tots for The Ladies' Home Journal, and in that periodical they will alternate with a new series of Palmer Cox's funny "Brownies."

The Christmas Number of Scribner's Magazine presents a remarkable list of popular writers, including Rudyard Kipling, Robert Grant, H. C. Bunner, Brander Mathews and George W. Cable. In illustration it shows a number of novel features. Oliver Herford produces a series of fantastic drawings which are curiously interwoven with the text of Brander Mathews' story in a manner new to magazine illustration.

The Evening Telegram is responsible for this bit of philosophy: Don't be eternally looking out for No. 1. Sometimes people kill the goose that lays the golden egg by being too selfish and exacting. Bear in mind that others live in the world as well as you. The success of other enterprises makes a prosperous town, and that means business for you. Whenever and wherever a legitimate local enterprise lifts up its head be among the first to help push it along.

Miss Maud Hodges, teaching the Excelsior school in Franklin, shows forth her loyalty at the commencement of her term. The first thing she taught was to raise a flag, although some thought the weather was too cold and wind too strong, yet she said: "We will have our Flag," and let the wind and weather take care of itself, we will care for the flag. This is the second flag raised by her. May every teacher persevere and let us see a flag on every school house around Tecumseh.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers Club met at the home of Mr. George Swartz, Friday evening, 23d. The annual election of officers occurred and the following were chosen:

Pres.—Hamilton Hoag.
Vice Pres.—Smith N. Munger.
Sec.—Lena VanValkenburg.
Treas.—Chas. Matthews.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Hamilton Hoag, Wednesday evening, Dec 5th. Program:

Music.
Dec.—Charley Hurry.
Song—VanValkenburg family.
Reading—Mrs. Mary Matthews.
Essay—Bertha VanValkenburg.
Song—Mrs. Will Waldron and Dolly Waldron.
Rec.—Eva Wilson.
Essay—Percy VanValkenburg.
Dec.—Harry Langton.
Rec.—Lilah VanValkenburg.
Charade—Hoag family.
Parody—Mrs. C. H. Bramble.
Music.
Paper—The present financial outlook for the farmer. C. H. Bramble; followed by Mr. Hurry, Chas. Matthews, Will Waldron and Geo. Swarts.

Adrian is going to have a temperance billiard parlor.

Merchants are praying for good roads during December.

Go and see "The Burglar," on Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Linton, Saturday, Nov. 24th, a son.

We hope you may have a tender Thanksgiving turkey to-day.

The Temple Quartette and Miss Pugh remained in town over Sunday.

Next month the Episcopal services will be held here in the morning.

The Clinton and Tecumseh clubs play a foot ball game at 10 a. m. today.

The Table Manf. Co. shipped a car load of tables to California Saturday.

A large number from Clinton attended the entertainment Saturday night.

There will be Thanksgiving services at St. Peters Episcopal church at 9 a. m. to-day.

Mrs. Cynthia Monaghan Finch of Adrian, who has been seriously ill, is reported better.

John Campbell left Monday for Clinton where he has secured a position in the Local office.

Miss Mana Monaghan will spend Thanksgiving with her uncle John's family near Sand Lake.

Mrs. Friend McNiel spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Silvers, at Clinton last week.

The Burglar, one of the best plays now on the boards, will be presented at Sutton's Opera House, Dec, 5th.

Mrs. Dr. DeMott, who has been visiting her old time friends in Raisin, is among her friends here this week.

Genial Ed. Dixon, the popular back stop from Jackson, visited Tecumseh friends Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The Universalist social last Friday was the largest they have had this season. They are growing in popularity.

Miss Julia Wood, who is attending school at Toledo, came home Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with her mother.

If you wish to see a lovely floral piece call at Mrs. L. Ketcham's and look at a Crab Cactus. It has 125 gorgeous red blossoms.

The Union Thanksgiving service this year will be held at the Friends church at the usual hour. Rev. J. P. Varner will preach the sermon.

The new Masonic Temple of Adrian will be thrown open to the public this evening. Thanksgiving day will be observed by the fraters.

Ell Gray sold 22 April Shropshire Ram Lambs that were shipped to Texas Monday. They averaged 116 pounds. Pretty good for spring lambs.

Mrs. D. S. Patterson and child arrived from Kalamazoo county the last of the week. Mr. P. is one of the compositors at the HERALD office.

Don't fail to take tea with the Episcopal ladies at the Armory next Wednesday, Dec. 5th. They will have a great lay out and it will be served in fine style.

Official figures in Ohio give a Republican plurality of 187,000, but there is a falling off from the previous election of 19,334 in the Republican vote and 75,365 in the Democratic vote.

The venerable John C. Palmer, of Ridgeway, was stricken with apoplexy a few days ago and died last Sunday morning. He was 78 years old, and had lived on the farm where he died from boyhood.

The Addison Courier says: Newspapers and people have been grinding out any amount of speculative matter relative to the northern extention of the C. J. & M. rail road. What the people most wish to learn about the matter is: when will the dirt commence to move.

John D. Kinney has an arrangement out in front of his store that seems to bother the boys to tell what it is. It is taken for a hen coop by many of our farmer friends and the front door of a saloon by the boys in the city, but John says its a Democratic voting booth to be used when enough of the unterrified can be got together to hold an election.—Evening Telegram.

Hon. A. O. Abbott, of Hudson, has visited the patent office in Washington and ascertained that his voting machine was entitled to complete protection, as far as patents are concerned. He will have exclusive right to the slides for making up split tickets, and allowing the voter to make a ballot which in every way conforms to the printed ballot heretofore used.—Adrian Times.

Mistakes happen even in the best regulated printing offices. An ad in a Hudson paper last week announced that the Derbyshire Clothing Company would sell dress suits for $1.25, $1.50, $2 and $3. This created a run that nearly set the genial Will Derbyshire wild, until he had explained that it was "duck" suits instead of "dress" suits. At last reports he was hunting for the compositor with a shotgun.

We dropped into L. D. Dewey's establishment on South Railroad street the other day and found in the storeroom an almost endless variety of dressed poultry. In the back room a large number were engaged in scalding and plucking the fowls. While the market is not as stable as he could desire, Mr. Dewey is buying all the time. He has from 20 to 25 engaged in picking the fowls and is dressing from 1000 to 1500 per day. He has some prime specimens, both chickens and turkeys, for sale.

THE TEMPLE QUARTETTE.

Never has a Tecumseh audience listened to a better concert than the one given by the Temple Quartette last Saturday evening. We have heard better individual singers, perhaps, but in this regard it was a very superior quartette, their voices blended together in the most perfect harmony. It excelled also in another direction. Their singing, although appreciated by musical experts, was not beyond the comprehension of ordinary people. It captivated everyone alike, musicians and others. Almost every number on the programe was honored with an encore, and Miss Pugh was called back twice, after reciting "Mr. Traver's First Hunt." Miss Pugh supplemented the selections of vocal music in an admirable manner. Although suffering from a severe cold, her recitations were finely given and she captured her audience from the outset. She is not only an elocutionist, but a dramatic artist as well, and yet her readings are simple and natural; they are not over acted. The entertainment as a whole was one of the finest ever given in Tecumseh.

—Don't fail to see the $20.00 suits and $20.00 overcoats just placed on sale at J. C. HAZLETT'S.

—I have put in a new machine for making cob meal, by grinding cobs and all. Your feed will go much farther. Come and try it. CHAS. HECK.

—Fine Photographs that suit, at low prices, at BROWN'S PHOTO. PARLORS, near the Opera House, Adrian, Mich.

—Having opened a full stock of groceries, we should be pleased to have the public call and get prices on strictly A 1 stock. The farmers will please bear in mind that we pay cash for potatoes, butter and eggs.

TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER CO.

—Call at the new Meat Market and let us show you what we can do.

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—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills; 7 cents per bag.

CHAS. HECK.

—For a big white loaf
And a light loaf too,
You must use the Globe
Mill's Flours.
They are the best for the price,
They are really again as nice
As those of the competitors of ours.

—For the best steak, roast, sausage and everything else in the meat line, call at the new market, west of J. D. Kinney & Co's. furniture store.

MITCHELL & CLARK.

—I keep on hand sausage, lard and everything in the meat line. Call at my market and let us get acquainted.

W. W. SHURTZ.

—Farmers go to the Steam Mills to get your feed ground—Grinding every day. CHAS. HECK.

—Get your pictures framed at Teeple's gallery. He has the finest mouldings ever brought to this village and prices are way down. Call and it will pay you.

—Buckwheat grinding every Friday until further notice. CHAS. HECK.

—Just received an entire new stock of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings for winter trade. J. C. HAZLETT.

—For fresh and salt meats of all kinds, call at my Market, Dickinson's old stand. W. W. SHURTZ.

—A new No. 8 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine can be bought at a bargain The machine may be seen at this office. Call and examine it.

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To give me a trial on your laundry work. I am doing an extra fine quality of work as one trial will convince you.
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of the great drop in prices of Dishes, Lamps, Glassware, Fine Chinas, etc., but we can soon post you when you see our new and choice line, purchased for cash, direct from the leading European and American manufacturers, thus insuring lowest possible price, and sold on this basis gives you the best value for your money, in the line of Curly Brick, Mohogany, Birds Eye Maple, Prince Vera, etc., etc. We can show a superb line of Music Cabinets, Ladies' Desks, Rockers, 5 o'clock Tea Tables, Parlor and Lamp Tables, Bedroom Suits and Parlor Furniture. We invite inspection whether you care to purchase or not.

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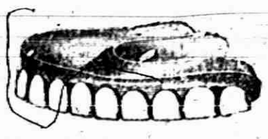
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DIRECTORS ON THE STAND.

Relate Their Side of Cashier Marvin's Alleged Embezzlement.

DETROIT, Nov. 22.—The sensational testimony in the trial of Fred Marvin, charged with embezzling from the Third national bank of this city while acting as its cashier, was continued in the trial Thursday. Frank E. Snow, a director in the bank and a prominent real estate dealer, testified that Sunday, November 11, Mr. Marvin and his attorney called upon him at his house and asked him to get Mr. Cristy, the president of the bank, to leave the city, as his testimony on one transaction would be most damaging to Mr. Marvin. Snow's testimony is corroborative of that given by Director Jackson. The attorneys for the defence are making a bitter fight, endeavoring to show that the directors of the bank violated the law in borrowing more money from the bank at one time than the bank laws permit. For that reason the secrets of the bank books are to be shown during the trial.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—The prosecution in the trial of Marvin, alleged defaulting cashier of the Third national bank, closed Friday, and the defense at once moved that all the counts from the fifth to the thirty-third in the indictment be quashed. This would leave the case of the prosecution resting only on the alleged misappropriation of $20,000. The attorneys argued the request of the defense all day and Judge Swan then took it under advisement.

LABOR IN MICHIGAN.

Forecast of the Bureau's Forthcoming Report.

LANSING, Nov. 20.—The Michigan labor bureau is this year making a specialty in gathering statistics of farms and farm labor. To this end its canvassers have obtained nearly $10,000 personal schedules from farm employes, both male and female. The questions are relative to residence, nativity, social condition, work, wages, cost of living, homes, immigration and insurance. These schedules are being tabulated and will form an interesting part of the forthcoming annual report from this bureau. In addition to this over 1,000 representative farmers have been interviewed, and schedules relative to their diversified industries have been filled. The bureau will also publish complete statistics on the dairy industry, the fruit interests and other important matters connected with the farm and farm labor. Labor Commissioner Morse has decided to add a new feature to the report this year which will give it additional interest, especially to the farmer. Under the law 1,000 copies of the report will be distributed, and two-thirds of this number will this year go to the farmers. It will be ready for distribution about February 1.

SOLD FOR JUNK.

Documents That Belonged to Michigan's First Senator Come to Light.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 25.—A collection of valuable old papers, documents and pamphlets, which belonged to Lucius Lyon, the first senator from Michigan, has just come to light. Lyons' sister died a few weeks ago and the executor of her estate sold 900 pounds of old paper for junk. The transaction was heard about and before the old paper was shipped to the paper mill it was found and carefully examined. Many rare documents relating to the early history of Michigan, and especially regarding the admission of the state to the union and the boundary line dispute between Michigan and Ohio, were rescued. A map of Detroit of 1836, one of Milwaukee of 1835, and Philadelphia in 1812 were also found.

FOR THE SHORT TERM.

Four Candidates in the Field for Senator Stockbridge's Seat

LANSING, Nov. 26.—Francis B. Stockbridge, elected to the United States senate from Michigan two years ago, died last spring in Chicago, and his seat in the United States senate bids fair to be vigorously fought for. Four candidates are now in the field. They are Schuyler S. Olds, John J. Patton, Jr., who now fills the place by appointment by Gov. Rich until the legislature should convene; Congressman Julius C. Burrows and Congressman Samuel Stephenson. Senator McMillan's term has also expired and the legislature will be called upon to select his successor. It is considered by many that Senator McMillan will be again chosen.

Republicans to Meet.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—A meeting of the republican state central committee was held Friday afternoon, Chairman McMillan presiding. The purpose of the meeting was to determine the time and place for the republican convention to nominate a candidate for justice of the supreme court and two regents of the university, and it was decided to hold it here February 21, the day before the Michigan club's annual banquet.

Death of C. B. Hutchins.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—Carleton B. Hutchins, president of the Hutchins Refrigerator Car company, Chicago, died of heart failure at his home in this city, aged 81 years.

All Detroit Schools Closed.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 26.—Owing to the spread of diphtheria throughout the city the board of health has ordered the closing of every public school in the city until the epidemic abates.

Broke His Neck.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 23.—John Nichols, a farmer residing in Byron township, was thrown from his wagon and broke his neck. He was found dead in the road.

Fell in a Vat of Boiling Pulp.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Nov. 26.—John McDonald, an employe of the Otsford paper mill in Otsego, fell into a vat of boiling pulp and died in a short time.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of News from Localities in Michigan.

The masons of Pontiac contemplate the erection of a temple to cost $25,000.

The towers of the new city hall at Bay City will become the resting place of a 6,000-pound bell now en route.

Saginaw river was completely frozen over Tuesday morning, the earliest in ten years.

Owing to low prices the output of hardwood in the Saginaw district this winter will be very small.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Christian Missionary association, district No. 2, will be held at Bangor, December 6 to 10.

The furnaces of the Spring Lake Iron company will be started next week and will employ directly and indirectly about 400 men.

Hundreds of acres of potatoes on the low lands around McDonald, Van Buren county, which had not been dug have been ruined by the recent freezing weather.

Rev. Conrad Volz, of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church at Saginaw, celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his pastorate Monday. His record shows 5,220 baptisms, 1,370 confirmations, 1,494 marriages, 1,994 burials.

C. G. Rumsey, living near Hillsdale, shot and killed himself.

Dr. H. L. Obetz, dean of the Homœopathic college at Ann Arbor, has resigned.

It has been discovered that the infant son of Joseph Guerin, of Bay City, died of opium unwittingly administered in ipecac.

The lawyers of western Michigan gave Judge Taft of the United States circuit court a reception at the Peninsular club in Grand Rapids.

Arthur Musselman, of Mendon, is suing Mrs. Solomon Dill for breach of promise. He alleges that she proposed to him and now repudiates the engagement.

Bert Samson, a colored inmate at the state house of correction at Ionia, attacked Foreman Fred Menhenick, of the cabinet room, knocking him down with his fist against a lumber pile and cut a his head.

Decatur voted adversely on a proposition to bond itself for $10,000 for a waterworks plant.

In a quarrel over a goose won at a raffle Louis Elsey fatally cut the throat of his brother Charles at Detroit early Sunday morning.

Buchanan voted down a proposition to issue bonds for $10,000 for power for waterworks.

The case of the city of Menominee against John C. Larson and others for $25,000 damages on a broken sewer contract was decided for the defendants.

Thomas Black, of Coldwater, drove under a wire clothes line in the dark and it caught him in the mouth, breaking the upper jaw on both sides, cutting off the soft palate and causing other injuries.

Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, issued a requisition on the governor of Michigan for William Gill, wanted at Chicago for grand larceny and under arrest at Albion.

WHO BUILT THIS WALL?

Strange Discovery in a Michigan Swamp After Forest Fires.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—The recent forest fires in Greenleaf township, Sanilac county, have laid bare an immense stone wall running through a swamp. The wall is 8 feet wide at the top and still wider at the base. At one place the wall rises 2 feet above the surface of the ground, but usually it is simply on the level with the ground, now and then disappearing. In all probability several of the professors from the University of Michigan will make a thorough examination of the wall. Those who have visited the wonder and who are likely to know declare that it is not natural, but was the work of man, from the fact of its being so uniform in shape and also that the stones are so carefully fitted together and thoroughly imbedded in mortar or cement of some kind. It may have been a dike or sea wall in years long past.

DEATH OF WILLARD PARKER.

A Prominent Detroit Business Man Expires at Richmond.

DETROIT, Nov. 26.—Willard Parker, of the firm of Parker, Webb & Co., of this city, died at Richmond Sunday evening. Mr. Parker was 76 years of age. He left his place of business on Friday evening at 5 o'clock, but did not go to his home as was his custom. Search was made for him and he was located at Richmond, where he was taken ill while on the way to his old home. Mr. Parker was a prominent citizen and a pioneer in the packing-house business in Detroit, having organized the Willard Parker Packing company forty years ago. This company was merged into the present one some years ago.

Woman Sued for Breach of Promise.

CENTREVILLE, Mich., Nov. 24.—The unique spectacle of a man suing a woman for breach of promise of marriage has created a sensation here. Arthur Musselman, of Mendon, claims that Mrs. Solomon Dill encouraged his attentions and finally proposed marriage to him, but now declares there was no engagement between them. Musselman sued for damages.

Laudanum Caused Her Death.

BENTON HARBOR, Nov. 22.—The wife of Henry C. Lybrock, living about 9 miles from Berrien Springs, committed suicide by taking laudanum. Her body was found near the St. Joseph river, to which she had fled after taking the poison. She was 35 years old.

Entire Fire Force Quits.

SPRING LAKE, Mich., Nov. 24.—The entire fire department resigned because President Blitz, of the village council, would not reinstate Foreman Nichols and Mason, who were discharged for profanity at a fire.

SHOT BY A MASKED MAN.

Farmer Wickwire and His Sister Victims of an Assault.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 23.—An unknown masked man early Wednesday evening shot and fatally wounded William Wickwire, a farmer living near Climax, and also shot and slightly wounded Miss Wickwire, a sister of the farmer. At 7 o'clock a man knocked at the door of Wickwire's farmhouse, 3 miles south of Climax. An adopted son answered the knock, and a man whose clothes were concealed by a long rubber coat and his features by a pillowcase, entered and asked for the man of the house. He passed by the lad into the sitting-room, where Wickwire's sister was sitting. She noticed that he was masked and carried a revolver, and she jumped up and grabbed for the weapon. At this he pulled the trigger, the ball striking her in the side of the neck, making a slight flesh wound. He fired again, but this time the shot missed its mark. Wickwire, who was in the parlor adjoining, rushed out and grappled the man. The murderer turned on him and fired one shot, the ball striking him in the mouth and passing directly through his head. The second ball glanced around his eye; a third struck him in the stomach, and a fourth missed him. Mrs. Wickwire ran out of the parlor and endeavored to tear the mask off the murderer's face. He fought her desperately, however, and tried to back out of the room. Just as he was leaving Wickwire, who had partly recovered consciousness, raised a chair and struck him over the head. The blow stunned him and he half dropped to the floor, but rallied and ran from the place. Wickwire is fatally injured. His sister's wound is not fatal. It is alleged that a relative and neighbor is suspected of the crime, and that it was committed for revenge.

ASPIRE TO THE BENCH.

Many Want to Succeed Judge McGrath in the Supreme Court.

LANSING, Nov. 24.—It will be remembered that the last legislature passed a law increasing the salaries of members of the supreme court to $7,000 a year. This makes a position on the bench much more desirable than ever before and candidates are springing up all over the state. Judge McGrath's term expires next year, and the voters next spring will be called upon to select his successor. Judge Morse, of Lapeer, is already in the field with Judge Cahill, of Lansing, a close second. Hon. H. H. Hatch and ex-District Attorney T. F. Sheperd, of Bay City, have yearnings for this honor, while Philip T. Van Zile, of Detroit; Judge Victor H. Lane, of Adrian; Judge E. D. Kinne, of Ann Arbor; Judge Aaron V. McElvay, of Manistee, and Judge Buck, of Kalamazoo, are favorably mentioned.

HIS SKULL CRUSHED.

A Manistee Millman Meets a Terrible Death.

MANISTEE, Nov. 21.—Lawrence Hill the night foreman at the Buckley & Douglas mill, was the victim of a terrible accident Wednesday which resulted in his death. Hill had climbed a ladder and with a stick was attempting to throw off the belt from a pulley. In some manner the stick caught, and, being whirled around, struck the unfortunate man on the forehead, causing a fracture of the skull. The force of the blow hurled him to the floor below and a second fracture was made at the base of the brain. Mr. Hill left a wife and two children.

CONVENT ABANDONED.

Its Occupants Sent to Joliet, Ill., the Home of the Order.

HARBOR SPRINGS, Nov. 25.—The famous Cross Village convent, after an existence of fifty years, has passed out of existence, the eleven nuns, with Father Bernardino Abbink, having just left the place for Joliet, Ill., the home of the order. The nuns are all old women and but one or two of them have been outside the convent grounds for thirty-five years. Some of them had never traveled on or seen a railroad car until their departure from here and had to be almost forced to board the cars.

Will of Thomas D. Gilbert.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 24.—The will of Thomas D. Gilbert was filed for probate Friday. The real estate is valued at $101,000 and upward and the personal property at $200,000 and upward, but a conservative estimate of the estate places it at over $500,000. The only public bequest is $5,000 to the Union Benevolent association. He provides for his wife and remembers his two sisters and about thirty nephews and nieces. While living he gave freely to charity and the church.

Leading Democrats Confer.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—On Friday a number of prominent democrats of this state held an informal conference at the Hotel Cadillac. Measures for promoting the cause of free silver and considering the future of democracy in Michigan were discussed. It was decided to conduct a vigorous correspondence with all the leading democrats in the state and hold a formal conference later on.

Defendants Must Answer.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 21.—In the United States court Judge Severens made an order requiring the Michigan Land and Iron company and other defendants in the famous Upper Peninsula Homestead case to put in an appearance within twenty days to file answer to the bill of complaint. The order was made on motion of the district attorney.

Religious Gathering in Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 26.—The convention or "School of the Kingdom" to be held under the auspices of the American Institute of Christian Sociology and the "National Institutional Church league," opened Sunday at Plymouth tabernacle with an address on the race problem by Rev. W. S. C. Wright, D. D., of Cleveland, O.

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DOMESTIC.

INTERESTING changes are taking place on the planet Mars, according to Percival Lowell, of the Lowell observatory.

TWO MEN were killed and six injured by the explosion of the boiler in a cotton gin at Gale, I. T.

LACK of public confidence forced the Portland (Ore.) savings bank to close its doors with liabilities of $1,436,000.

NEARLY the whole of the business portion of Savannah, Mo., was destroyed by fire.

MARION HENDERSON, who robbed a Frisco train of $20,000 in 1895, was sentenced at Jefferson City, Mo., to twenty-five years' imprisonment.

AN attempt was made near Conneaut, O., to wreck the fast east-bound mail on the Lake Shore road. A track walker discovered the obstruction before the train came along.

THE fire losses in the United States during the ten months ended October 31 aggregated $109,306,175.

WILLIAM T. JONES, a wealthy stock dealer at Bournville, O., was swindled out of $7,000 by two confidence men.

DR. PARKHURST and Mayor-elect Strong were the guests of honor at the 126th annual banquet of the New York chamber of commerce.

A CASE of leprosy was discovered in Grand Forks county, N. D. The patient was confined in a lonely cabin.

AN annex to E. S. Jaffray & Co.'s New York dry goods store was destroyed by fire, the loss being $360,000.

MISS FRANCES E. WILLARD was unanimously reelected president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union at the twenty-first annual session in Cleveland.

JAMES R. SOVEREIGN was reelected general master workman of the Knights of Labor at their meeting in New Orleans.

THE eighth annual session of the fraternal congress opened at Buffalo, N. Y., with fraternal beneficiary organizations represented having 2,000,000 members and an aggregate insurance of about $2,400,000,000.

SURGEONS grafted 210 pieces of skin on Mrs. Florence Fitzpatrick, who was terribly burned several months ago in Chicago, and 800 more will be required.

FIRE in R. F. Wilde & Co.'s coal pockets at Charleston, Mass., caused a loss of $125,000.

E. T. CHAMBERLAIN, chief of the bureau of navigation, in his annual report shows that the merchant marine of the United States comprises 28,586 vessels of 4,644,024 tons.

WHEELMAN JOHNSON lowered four records at Louisville, Ky. His time for the mile, flying start, was 1:47 3-5.

SEVERAL slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Tacoma, Wash.

AN Italian's carelessness caused an explosion in a mine at Collier's Station, W. Va., and seven men were killed and four injured.

ARRANGEMENTS were nearly completed for beginning construction of the American Methodist university in Washington.

SECRETARY GRESHAM authorized Ministers Denby and Dun to conduct negotiations for peace between China and Japan.

A. HALLORAN and W. Downing, prisoners in the jail at Tahlequah, I. T., fired the building and were cremated.

REV. C. L. PADDOCK, of Macedon, N. Y., was given judgment for $10 against Mrs. William Bennett for a funeral sermon.

REV. H. S. HARRISON, editor of the Advance, a Congregational weekly, was struck by a train at La Grange, Ill., and instantly killed.

A SPECIAL train over the Pennsylvania road covered the 126 miles between Morrisville and Harrisburg in 104 minutes.

THE general assembly Knights of Labor in session at New Orleans decided that lawyers and barkeepers were not eligible to membership.

THE most terrific and destructive windstorm known in twenty years did great damage at Dunkirk, N. Y., and vicinity.

WILLIAM WICKWIER and his sister, who lived 5 miles south of Galesburg, Mich., were murdered by tramps.

CAPT. PHILIP H. COOPER, the new superintendent of the United States naval academy at Annapolis, Md., issued an order prohibiting hazing.

EXTREME simplicity marked the funeral of Robert C. Winthrop at Boston. There were no pallbearers or words of eulogy.

J. L. MAPIERCE, of Yankton, S. D., was said to have disappeared with $1,000,000 secured from English capitalists on spurious paper.

THE national fraternal congress in session at Buffalo, N. Y., barred newspaper artists from its sessions owing to the printing of a caricature of its president.

J. D. BROWN, a farmer living near Aurora, Ill., was robbed of $2,300 in Chicago by two colored women by the panel game.

THE report of Paymaster General Edwin Stewart of the navy for the fiscal year ended June 30 last shows that the total amount expended during the year was $31,370,144.

THE Indian boys at the Seminole high school at Eufaula, I. T., set the buildings on fire for the third time within two years.

WILLIAM P. HAZEN, the chief of the secret service of the treasury department, in his annual report shows that during the year the total number of arrests made was 687, nearly all of which were for violations of the statutes relating to counterfeiting United States money. The amount of altered or counterfeit notes captured during the year was $21,800.

Macon. "That man Black, who plays the heavy villain in the new drama, must have a wonderful constitution."

Egbert. "Why?"

Bacon. "He smokes an entire box of cigarettes in the first act, and doesn't die until the last act."

THE dean and six students of Cottner university at Lincoln, Neb., were arrested for grave robbing.

THE Knights of Labor in national convention at New Orleans decided that none but the American flag should be carried in their parades.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS was exonerated by the coroner's jury at Syracuse, N. Y., from any criminal intent in the death of Con. Riordan.

H. D. MORGAN, treasurer of the United States, in his annual report says the net ordinary revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30 were $297,722,019, a decrease of $58,097,609 as compared with the year before. The net ordinary expenditures were $367,525,674. Including the public debt the total receipts were $724,000,538 and the expenditures $638,808,552.

HUSEK HECK, a Hungarian emigrant bound from Buda Pesth to North Dakota, landed in New York with his family of three and a fortune of $120,000.

THE Citizens' national bank of Spokane, Wash., which failed in 1893 and then resumed, has gone into liquidation. Assets, $425,000; liabilities, $240,000.

IN attempting to separate Thomas and Michael Neill, fighting in the street at Cheyenne, Wyo., Charles Bfultar killed them both.

THE remains of Gen. John C. Fremont were placed in the Rockland cemetery at Sparkill, N. Y.

THE National Fraternal congress in session at Buffalo, N. Y., elected S. A. Well, of Pittsburgh, as president.

FIRE at Eldon, Ia., destroyed the Rock Island chutes, 1,000 tons of coal, several cars and two residences. Total loss, $120,000.

THE chairman of the Oklahoma territory executive committee called a statehood convention to be held at El Reno November 28.

REV. FRANK L. GOODSPEED was installed as pastor of the First Congregational church at Springfield, Mass. He is the eleventh pastor in 257 years to occupy the First church pulpit.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 23d aggregated $1,019,959,895, against $1,019,202,328 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 7.8.

A NEW counterfeit $20 United States note bearing the vignette of Hamilton was forwarded to the treasury department from Newark, N. J.

SECRETARY GRESHAM for the United States and Minister Kurino for Japan have signed the new commercial treaty.

THERE were 332 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 23d, against 270 the week previous and 285 in the corresponding time in 1893.

HENRY G. SIDLE, ex-president of the First national bank of Minneapolis, has made an assignment, with liabilities of $100,000.

A NEGRO was lynched at Landrum, S. C., for assaulting a white girl.

AT Sacred Heart, O. T., a wild hog killed a 14-months-old babe and seriously injured its mother in her fight to save it.

VIOLENT windstorms swept portions of Mississippi and in the vicinity of Meridian great damage was done to houses and trees.

WHILE drying dynamite before a fire at Charleston, W. Va., workmen caused an explosion and two men were killed and two injured.

AT Hastings, Col., Mrs. Martino left her children, aged 4 and 2 years, alone in the house, which caught fire, cremating them.

THE Brown national bank at Spokane, Wash., suspended payment.

MYRON R. KENT, who caused his wife to be killed in order to secure her life insurance, was condemned to hang at Mandan, N. D.

FIVE students of a medical college at Kansas City, Mo., were arrested while robbing a grave in a neighboring town.

EARTHQUAKE shocks were felt in Connecticut at Croton, Mystic Lynn and Miatic. No damage was done.

TEST cases were commenced against the United States by sugar growers, whose bounty was cut off by the new tariff bill.

GEN. CASEY, chief of engineers of the war department, urges the securing of fortification sites at all large seaports.

THE barns of the Traction company at Allegheny, Pa., were burned, and forty-nine horses perished in the flames.

FOREST fires in the Okaw river bottoms near Pana, Ill., burned ten dwellings.

CARSON, Ia., was visited by fire, one of the principal business streets being swept away.

CHARLES E. ALLEN, aged 60, of Crawfordsville, Ind., rendered despondent by his aged wife's approaching death, cut his throat.

SAMUEL CARSON, an escaped convict, who had been a Chicago cabman for ten years, has fallen heir to $10,000 and surrendered himself.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

PAUL CONRAD, president of the Louisiana and Honduras Lottery companies, died at New Orleans from heart disease.

THE official vote of New York gives Levi P. Morton (rep.) a plurality of 153,888 for governor.

ADAM VANELL, who served through the Blackhawk war with Abraham Lincoln, died at Santa Rosa, Cal.

THREE counties in Kansas failed to cast 200 votes at the recent election and will lose their representatives.

THE democratic majority in Kentucky at the recent election, as compiled by the secretary of state, is 2,173.

MRS. MARY KENNEDY died at Ashland, Ill., at the age of 100.

WILLIAM T. WALTERS, the noted art collector and philanthropist, died at his home in Baltimore, aged 74 years.

GEN. WILLIAM HARVEY GIBSON, the celebrated orator, died at his home in Tiffin, O., after a brief illness, aged 74 years.

REPUBLICAN state senators in session at Indianapolis decided to reapportion the state congressional districts.

THE official vote of Wisconsin for governor at the recent election was: Upham (rep.), 196,453; Peck (dem.), 142,145; Powell (pop.), 25,613; Cleghorn (pro.), 11,096; Upham's plurality, 54,307.

JOHN H. SICKLES, inventor of a hand fire engine, died at his home in Port Chester, N. Y., of paralysis, aged 76 years.

MRS. BRIDGET DUFFY, 101 years old, died in Denver, Col.

E. S. HAMLIN, founder of the Cleveland (O.) Leader and a member of congress half a century ago, died in Washington, aged 86 years.

CARLETON B. HUTCHINS, inventor of a refrigerator car and a large manufacturer, died in Detroit of heart failure.

FOREIGN.

IMPRESSIVE ceremonies marked the entombment of the remains of the late czar in the cathedral at St. Petersburg.

A HUNDRED AND FIFTY Dutch troops were killed or wounded in an attack on Tjakrunegara, Java. The Balinese loss was heavy.

THE Danish government issued a decree forbidding the importation of live cattle and dressed meat from the United States.

JAPAN declined the mediation of the United States, holding that China should make direct overtures for peace.

THE deaths caused by the earthquakes in southern Italy and northern Italy are now known to number more than 400.

ANTON GREGOR RUBINSTEIN, the pianist and composer, died at Peterhof, Russia, of heart disease, aged 64 years.

THE Yaqui Indians raided the village of Soyopa, Mexico, and three women and two men belonging to the household of Peter Hernandez were killed in cold blood.

MONTREAL is to have a world's fair in 1896. A London syndicate has agreed to furnish the necessary funds.

CANADA is said to be willing to give Uncle Sam free use of her canals if he will pay for their maintenance.

JOSE SALVADOR FRANCH, the man who threw the dynamite bomb at the Liceo theater in Barcelona, Spain, on November 7, 1893, killing twenty persons and wounding fifty others, was executed by the garrote.

PRESIDENT MORAES issued a decree granting amnesty to all political offenders in Brazil.

WHILE searching for a missing brother a Mexican discovered near Churintzia the bodies of thirty persons who had been murdered and hidden in a cave.

C. H. WETMORE, a Chicago reporter, was expelled from Hawaii for alleged plotting with the royalists.

KANAKAS on the islands near New Guinea were in revolt and scores of European settlers were said to have been murdered.

CHINA sent an officer to Japan to arrange terms of peace. It was said the government was willing to pay $175,000,000.

EARTHQUAKE shocks left only twenty-four houses uninjured in Reggio, Italy, and crowds of homeless people were forced to live on the streets.

FRANK PAYSON and George Brill, American prospectors, discovered an old Spanish gold mine of fabulous richness 60 miles north of Sierra Mojada, Mexico.

BY the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill at Monticello, Ont., two men were killed and a number seriously injured.

DISPATCHES from Chee Foo announced that the Japanese had taken Port Arthur, the great Chinese stronghold.

LATER.

THE annual report of Superintendent Stump, of the immigration bureau, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, shows that 258,020 immigrants arrived in this country. The report says that more foreigners are leaving the country than are coming in.

ALMOST the entire business portion of Marion, N. C., was burned, the loss being estimated at $125,000.

ISAAC TAYLOR and wife and Miss Kidwell were run down and killed by a train on a bridge at South Branch, Md., while on their way to church.

FIRE caused by a defective flue destroyed a block of dwellings in Kansas City, Mo., the loss being $100,000.

ACCORDING to Rev. C. W. Blodgett the ratio of divorces to marriages is greater in Galesburg, Ill., than in any city in the country.

AT Louisville John S. Johnson cut the 2-mile bicycle record from 4:01 to 3:54 4-5.

IT was discovered that for nine years Samuel C. Seely, bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leather bank in New York, had been robbing that institution, his stealings aggregating $354,000.

THREE-FOURTHS of the winter wheat sown in the western third of Kansas was ruined by a drought.

THREE citizens of Brookside, Ala., were fatally shot by moonshiners, who took them for officers.

DURING a quarrel Jacob Mohow shot Mrs. Kate Doman at Lancaster, Pa., and then killed himself.

ONE man lost his life and scores of horses were burned in an incendiary fire at Springfield, Ill.

SIX men were injured in the Yale-Harvard football game at Springfield, Mass., which was one of the most fiercely contested ever played, Yale being the winner.

EX-CONGRESSMAN WALTER H. BUTLER, principal of the normal college at Oelwein, Ia., disappeared mysteriously.

IT was estimated that 20,000 Chinese soldiers were killed at the defense of Port Arthur. The Japanese loss was not heavy.

THE centennial of the birth of William Cullen Bryant, the poet, was celebrated at Princeton, Ill.

IN his annual report Postmaster General Bissell recommends the extension of the free delivery system, quickening of railroad transportation and revision of the law as to second-class matter. The revenue for the year was $75,[illegible]79; expenditures, $84,324,444; leaving a deficiency of $9,248,935.

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STATIONS.		No. 815. Mail.	No. 815. Express	No. 819. Accom.
Jackson	Lv	8 30 A.M.	2 30 P.M.	12 40 P.M.
Napoleon		8 20 "	2 20 "	1 16 "
Norvell		8 12 "	2 12 "	1 53 "
Manchester		8 03 "	2 01 "	1 08 "
Clinton		7 56 "	1 51 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh		7 48 "	1 41 "	2 15 "
Adrian	Ar	7 00 "	1 45 "	4 50 "
Detroit		10 15 "	4 05 "	.....
Toledo		9 00 "	2 55 "	10 15 "

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.		No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express	No. 848. Accom.
Detroit	Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo		10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian		10 50 "	8 20 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh		11 27 "	9 05 "	7 53 "
Clinton		11 36 "	9 15 "	8 14 "
Manchester		11 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
Norvell		12 10 P.M.	10 17 "	9 22 "
Napoleon		12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson	Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 37 "

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IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST.			Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST.	
No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass		No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 58	
	A. M.	1 39	Yorkville	1 14	A. M.
A. M.	7 20	2 07	Battle Creek	12 45	1 25
8 30	8 25	2 18	Marshall	12 14	12 33
9 11	8 55	3 16	Homer	11 45	11 48
10 15	9 43	3 37	Hanover	11 14	11 08
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison	10 49	10 15
12 05	10 44	4 28	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 33	11 01	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 36
....	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	*9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 58	5 15	Ridgeway	9 33	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton	9 28	8 30
3 10	12 14	5 32	Rea	9 15	*8 10
3 24	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 20
P.M.	P.M.	P.M		A.M.	P.M.

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 51 —Local Mail and Express.....10:23 a m
*No. 53 —Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex. 3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:23 p m
*No. 55 —Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 —Atlantic Express.....8:41 a m
*No. 8—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express....7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
*No. Mail and Express.....6:35 p m

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GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Milan,
6:42 a. m., 11:35 a. m., 3:42 p. m.,
—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owosso, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadillac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 29, 1894.

Dr. J. E. White is on the gain.

Will P. Hamilton was in town Monday.

Bert Tate visited the county seat Monday.

Mrs. S. E. Hendershot is reported a little better.

Chas. Thompson ran down to Tecumseh, Monday.

Henry Camburn, of Macon, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Palmer visited Britton friends Thursday.

Miss Hurley, of Trenton, Mich., is at the Hotel Edrose.

H. D. Cutting and wife, of Tecumseh, were in town Sunday.

Guy Belding was behind the counter at Demuth's Thursday.

John Campbell, of Tecumseh, is assisting in the Local office.

Next Saturday at the Baptist church occurs the annual roll call.

James Hogan is all right again, and is in Chicago with Frank this week.

Miss Florence Greene was the guest of Tecumseh friends over Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, visited her mother, Mrs. Adam, Monday

S. W. Demuth made a business trip to Manchester Saturday, and another one Monday.

Miss Morrell has resigned her position in the Local office, and returned to her home in Ohio.

Miss Libbie Kress, of Freedom, is the guest of Frank Kirchgessner and daughters this week.

Sel Demuth and Will Sherwood went duck hunting Thursday and succeeded in bagging five.

Mrs. Frank L. Woodward continues to improve, but not as rapidly as her friends would like.

Matthew Howell, of Adrian, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Emmet Allen, over Sunday.

Mrs. Will Niblack and Florence, who have been visiting friends at Macon, have returned home.

Miss Frances Logan, of Manchester, was the guest of Kittie Hogan from Friday until Sunday.

Ed Breese left Saturday for a few days stay at Monroe, and Guy Belding took his place at the depot.

Among Clinton's visitors the last of the week were James Aten and Met Conklin, of Tecumseh.

When the Episcopal ladies undertake anything they make a grand success of it. It will be so Dec. 13.

The Episcopal ladies propose introducing several new features at their annual fair and festival, Dec. 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dean are enjoying a visit from their son, Bert, who came over from Ann Arbor to eat turkey with them.

Irve House and wife were given a pleasant surprise by their friends at their home one evening the last of the week.

Will Soules and Will McGirk, of Toledo, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Mary Sullivan and family over Sunday.

The contract for the Woolen Co's. new building has been let to a master builder from Hudson. Active work will begin at once.

The Union Thanksgiving services are held in the M. E. church today. Rev. Warner, of the Congregational church, preaches the sermon.

Quite a number from here attended the Temple Quartette concert at Tecumseh Saturday evening, and they were delighted with it.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell united in marriage, at the parsonage, Thursday last, Mr. Albert Campbell, of Milan, and Miss Lizzie Jacobus, of Macon.

Fred Breese is in Lansing, where he went to look over a stock of groceries with a view of purchasing, providing he can arrange matters to suit him.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, of Scottsville, N. Y. and Mrs. Arden Miller, of Geneva, O. visited Jas. and John Hause and families the last of the week.

Elmer Halladay, after a pleasant visit with his father, brothers and other relatives and friends, returned to his home in Palmyra, N. Y. Monday.

Philip Howland and wife, nee Kate Vest, of Brooklyn township, who formerly lived where Mrs. Silvers does, are visiting their old friends here this week.

Make your calculations to attend the fair and Festival at Town Hall. You will be highly entertained, besides, finding useful articles on sale, and good things to eat.

Gene Smalley's phonographic concert, at Tecumseh, Thursday evening gave universal satisfaction and was largely attended. He will no doubt have frequent calls from the different societies there.

The Lake Shore bridge builders are doing artistic work up by the old Hixson place, and when the work is completed the masonry seemingly will last for ages. They have a great many callers daily.

The reception given Rev. C. M. Stout and bride at the church parlors was very pleasant. The evening passed only too quickly, and the refreshments were as they always are in Clinton—par excellence.

Iva VanGieson returned home Saturday from Grant, Newaygo county. Geo. remained over Sunday to visit friends in Jackson. They have been buying apples, and secured about 3000 barrels of choice ones.

Sadie Huntington entertained her friends Friday evening at her home with a peanut hunt. It was rare sport. They searched in couples. Leon Clark and Winnie Waterhouse got 1st prize, and Steve and Sadie Huntington got the booby.

Bert Moore, of Wamplers Lake, son of James Moore, and Miss Anna Wallace, of Cambridge, were by Rev. P. J. Ternes, united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Saturday. We'll take a cigar, Bert.

Alonzo Clark and family have been entertaining friends from Ridgeway the past week.

Willie Stark, who has been with his cousin, Hiram W. Saxton, the past year, expects to return to his home in Ann Arbor this week. He will be missed by his friends, and especially by the quintette club of which he has long been a faithful member.

Winnie and May Waterhouse entertained a company of friends at their home on east Chicago street, Saturday evening. It was a very pleasant company. Eugene Smalley was present with his phonograph and gave several charming selections to the delight of those present.

Port Smith had quite an exciting experience Thursday afternoon. As he was coming to town, driving a colt, when in front of David E. Haggart's he saw a horse shoe in the road, stopped and got out to pick it up, while thus engaged the colt started off on his own hook and ran to town. He was caught in front of B. O. Randall & Co's. and no damage was done to anything. Port found the walking to town very fine.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted at the death of my brother. MARY CLEMENS.

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At the recent World's Fair the examination for the baking powder awards were made by the experts of the chemical division of the Agricultural Department of Washington. The official report of the tests of the baking powders which were made by this department for the specific purpose of ascertaining which was the best, and which has been made public, shows the leavening strength of the Royal to be 160 cubic inches of carbonic gas per ounce of powder. Of the cream of tartar baking powders exhibited at the Fair, the next highest in strength thus tested contained but 134 cubic inches of leavening gas. The other powders gave an average of 111. The Royal, therefore, was found of 20 per cent. greater leavening strength than its nearest competitor, and 44 per cent. above the average of all the other tests. Its superiority in other respects, however, in the quality of the food it makes as to fineness, delicacy and wholesomeness, could not be measured by figures.

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"That's right," said the teacher.

"Yessum," said Bobbie, "and if he struck that I'd paralyze him."

The more doctors a dying man hires the more diseases he is bound to have.

THE EDITOR'S THANKSGIVING

BY TOM P. MORGAN.

"What have I to be thankful for?" mused the able editor of the Hawville Clarion, one Thanksgiving day.

The bore—for every country editor's sanctum has its bore, just as much as every dog has a tail, and, in reality, more so. If a dog is deprived of his tail he will never, never get another, but if a newspaper office loses its bore his place is soon filled by a successor.

The particular bore that infested the Clarion office was like the bore that infests every other country newspaper office. He came day after day, and sat and gabbed and blabbed and spat and blew where he listed. Upon this occasion he was engaged in the arduous task of overhauling the editor's barrel of exchanges. Whatever it was that he wanted to find, it was always at the bottom of the barrel. When he dug down in the barrel and turned the bottom part of its contents up to the top, the particular periodical that he yearned for was still at the bottom.

Meanwhile, the editor, grown callous to the presence of the bore, mused sadly:

"Man wants but little here below—and generally gets it. What have I to be thankful for?"

Times had gone hardly with him during the past summer and autumn. The pawpaw crop had been a total failure, and he had not seen a complimentary ticket to a circus in many moons. He had not received a dollar on subscription all the week, nor a peck of country produce since early in the month. "Vox Populi," his trusted correspondent, had risen against him two or three times recently and unblushingly advocated theories diametrically antigaddling, so to speak, to the political policy of the editorial side of the paper. This had lost him subscribers.

Things had gone from bad to worse till now he was down to zero in finances and feelings. Recently the wife of his bosom had eloped with a man who owed him eighteen dollars, leaving the editor with three small red-headed children on his hands.

And now, as if fate, having gotten him down, was desirous of dancing on

IMMERSED IN A BARREL OF EXCHANGES.

his neck, only last night a delegation of the reform committee had broken into the office and embezzled the residue of his ink and used it in tar and feathering a superfluous citizen who was not a subscriber.

The red-headed children were crying for bread, and so the editor took them out and seated them on the fence posts, in the hope that the red-headed woodpeckers would be struck by the family resemblance and feed them.

During the absence of the editor a large man, dressed in a beetling frown and a huge aquatic-elm club, strode into the office. The bore's head was still immersed in the barrel of exchanges, and, as all men look much alike in that attitude, the visitor naturally mistook the bore for the editor and fell upon him with the club just mentioned.

It is sufficient to say that the large man pounded the bore down into the barrel well nigh to the bottom, tamped him in firmly and departed whistling a merry lay. When the editor returned and had broken open the barrel and gazed upon the quivering carcass of the bore the lifted his hands on high and cried:

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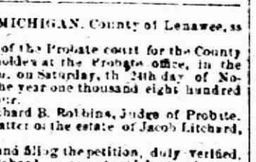

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a Session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 5th day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Bresle, deceased

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of E. H. Hyde, showing that he has a valid claim against said estate which has not been presented for examination and allowance, and that the time limited by the court for that purpose has expired, but that said estate has not been closed, and showing good cause for the omission to present said claim in time, and praying that said Judge of Probate, by an order for that purpose, appoint a time and place for the examination and allowance of said claim before himself, and that notice of the time and place of hearing said claim be given to the parties interested in said estate, as required by law.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the Third day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and said claim, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, and also cause a copy of this order to be placed in a sealed envelope, postage paid, and directed to William Bresle, Jr., administrator &c. upon said estate, at his present postoffice address.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a Session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Litchard, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Alfred Lewis or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 5th day of December, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.

E. A. BARAGER, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Frank C. Rector deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of C. Burridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 19th day of December, 1894 and on the 20th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 20th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Allen, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel Steel, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, that the widow of said deceased, who under said will had the use of said estate during her life-time, has departed this life, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of said will and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 18th day of December next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, the 17th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) rods of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long north and south and seven and one-half (7 1-2) rods wide east and west, from out the southeast corner of the west half of the east half of the north east quarter of section two (2) town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eleven (11), in town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to the rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service deceased.

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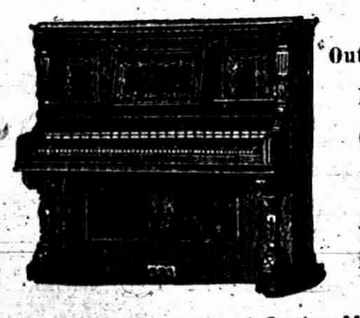

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Farmers are improving the fine weather by plowing.

Undertaker S. P. Smith, was in Detroit on business Wednesday.

James and Mary Nelson, of Hudson, visited old schoolmates last week.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was at the Library election Tuesday afternoon.

Geo. Palmer, of Wasepi, was called here by the death of his uncle, J. C. Palmer, last week.

Lou Arner left for Chicago Tuesday for an indefinite stay with her friend, Miss Fannie Chapman.

Dispatcher Frank Allen, and wife, of Toledo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Allen, Saturday.

Second quarterly meeting service for the present conference year, will be held a week from next Sunday.

Geo. Smith, Jr., of St. John, Clinton county, visited his uncle, S. [illegible] and family, a portion of last

Frank Clarkson, wife, and s spent Thanksgiving with h Sidney Clarkson and family Ann Arbor.

Married at the parsonage, by Rev. H. Cansfield, Mr. Chas. B. Gould and Miss Stella Allshouse, all of Cone. Congratulations are in order.

Several ladies of the W. C. T. U. went to Britton Monday afternoon and evening to hear Mrs. Jane Bradley, of Hudson, speak on Narcotics.

Subject for next Sabbath at the M. E. church, by Rev Cansfield. Morning service the subject will be "A Revival." Evening subject "The Young Man and the Home."

F. E. Pocklington and wife celebrated their fifteenth marriage anniversary last week Tuesday evening, by entertaining a company of their friends at their home.

At the close of the Thanksgiving service Thursday morning, a vote was taken on the admission of women as delegates to the general conference: "Shall the second restrictive rule be amended by adding AND SAID delegates must be Male members." Whole number of votes cast, fifteen; two for and thirteen against the amendment.

At the annual election of officers for the Library Association, held Tuesday afternoon, the following were elected:
Pres.—T. H. Temple.
Vice-Pres.—C. W. Culbertson.
Secy.—Salome Clark.
Treas.—W. L. Jones.
Board Directors—Wm. R. Wilson, D. W. Loree, Ella M. Hall, J. O. Shephard, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. Sarah L. Rappleye, M. J. Martin.

The election of officers for the Hall Library occurred Tuesday afternoon. There was a good attendance, showing a continued interest in a good cause. The neat announcements sent out were turned out at the office of the "Old Reliable" and were furnished by J. D. Arner. The reduction of the membership fee to one dollar has already brought in several new members and we look for a large number more in the near future.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Miss Aggie Craig, of Macon, visited at A. W. Lee's last week.

S. R. Curtis and wife, of Ionia, are visiting their son, Arthur Curtis.

L. C. Hosgland and wife visited Blissfield from Thursday until Sunday.

Four carloads of Western stock arrived here last Monday. They are a nice lot.

Miss Serene Zeloff returned home from Detroit last Monday, where she had been visiting for a few days.

The party given by Messrs. Lee and Love last Wednesday evening was well attended. About seventy couple were present.

All members of the Jas. H. Paton W. R. C. are requested to be present at the annual election of officers, Saturday evening, Dec. 8. By order of Pres.

Next Wednesday, at 2 p. m., will be the regular meeting of the Ladies' Christian Aid Society, at the Christian church. All are invited. Supper from 5 to 7.

The Loyal Temperance Legion will give a silver medal contest in the auditorium at the Christian church on the evening of Friday, Dec. 14. Admission: Adults, 10 cents; children, 5 cents. A cordial invitation extended to all.

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A Great Offer to Music Lovers.

Brainard's Musical World for November contains besides the usual large amount of reading matter, "Vienna Beauties Waltzes" by C. M. Ziehrer; "Gavotte Pascarelle" by H. C. Verner; "Evening" by Otto Dresel, three excellent piano compositions; and Anita Owen's beautiful song, "I Dream of Thee, Love." This music is alone worth $2. The World is $1.50 per year, 15 cents per copy. During this month the publishers offer to send the Musical World on trial for four months on receipt of 25 cents in stamps. This will include the beautiful Christmas and New Year's Holiday Numbers, and the four issues will contain about twenty pieces of new music, besides a large amount of interesting musical reading. No music lover should fail to accept this liberal offer. Address The S. Brainard's Sons Co., Chicago.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Jno. Schwab spent Thanksgiving in Monroe.

Dr. Regel was at Jackson on business last week.

Chas. Benedict was in Tecumseh on Monday.

Mrs. Adams, of Detroit, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Attwell.

I. C. Winship and wife ate turkey with John Britton on Thanksgiving.

Jas. Gordon attended his brother Aleck's wedding at Lansing last week.

B. G. Florance, our P. M., and family, dined with his sister on Thursday last.

Conrad Attwell received a telegram on Thursday announcing the death of his sister, Susan Bois.

Will Cox and wife accepted an invitation to dine with Chester Clark and wife Thanksgiving day.

Mr. T. Graham, sister Ella and Stanly Doty were guests of Miss Carrie Winship, Thanksgiving eve.

Mr. Anderson, who has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Ash, the past week, returned home Monday.

The Rev. A. J. Stead's mother, of New York, arrived last week. She expects to remain here during the winter.

Joe Billmeyer returned to Ann Aabor Monday where he is attending college. He will graduate in the dental department this year.

Miss Abbie Ray, our model teacher, spent Thanksgiving at home. Abbie missed the train when returning and was delayed a day.

Thos. Hartman, brother of the Hartman boys here, was in town Monday, making arrangements preparatory to embarking in the merchantile business. He will occupy the old Green building, putting in a nice fresh stock of goods, and will be prepared to serve warm meals at all hours. Mr. Hartman expects to open up business by the middle of the month.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Frank Marshall is on the sick list.

A fine, new piano graces the home of L. E. Taylor.

G. W. Allen took a load of students to Ypsilanti, Sunday, returning Monday.

We hear that Mrs. Lawrence Herbison has been dangerously sick but is now better.

Sam Tripp celebrated Thanksgiving by moving his house to a safer distance from his barn.

Lewis Wisner of Sharon was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner last week Tuesday.

Blanche Hampton spent the Thanksgiving intermission with her uncle and aunt at Hampton Hall.

Those present at the Lyceum at Wm. Witherells report a very enjoyable time. The next one will occur at A. D. Hunt's. Further notice hereafter.

Wedding cards have been received announcing the marriage, on Nov. 22d, of Asa VanTuyle and Inez Ruth Allen. At home at Elmwood farm after Dec. 1.

TIPTON TOPICS.

Miss Katharine Stuteville, after having spent two months with her friend, Mrs. H. F. Shier, left last Monday for a warmer clime, her home, Rock Port, Ind. She is very southern and genial in her nature, and with her brightness won many friends in our frigid state. Some bachelor hearts she melted, but they are again frozen by her absence. She promises another visit when the roses bloom again.

Professor H. A. Sanders, of the U. of M., spent thanksgiving with his friend and Phi Delta Theta brother, Rev. H. F. Shier, of Tipton.

"Born" Humorists.

One character peculiar to all humorists is that they will tell you "Humorists are born, not made;" the exceptions being so rare as to be phenomenal. By the way, can any student of human nature tell why it is that so few women are professional humorists? Among a score of splendid half-tone portraits of our most noted American humorists, accompanying 'Off-Hand Chats with Professional Humorists,' published in Demorest's Magazine for December, not one is a woman. These 'chats' are decidedly entertaining, and everyone will enjoy reading them. Likewise, everyone will be interested in the 'Empress Dowager of China,' which is most superbly illustrated with portraits, and scenes in and about Pekin. This is indeed, a rare Christmas number. The first picture is a charming water-color by Maud Humphreys, 'Under the Mistletoe,' which is unique in conception; the full-page gravure, 'Madonna and Child' by a modern artist, is a gem: and there are over two hundred illustrations besides these. 'Christmas Chimes,' an illustrated poem, 'Always With Us,' an account of Christmas charities in New York, 'Boy Choirs,' 'The Common Sense of Christmas Gifts,' 'Lullaby, the Frost Queen,' a Christmas story for children, 'His Christmas Gift,' 'Holiday Work for Busy Fingers,' and 'Some Christmas Menus' furnish Christmas cheer and suggestions galore for everybody. Then there are other charming stories, and every one of the numerous departments is full to overflowing with good things. Either letterpress or illustrations, independent of the other, is more than worth the price of the magazine, which is only 20 cents. The subscription price is $2 a year. Published by W. Jennings Demorest, 15 East 14th St., New York.

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PENTECOST POINTERS.

Mrs. Phoebe Allison and son, Herbert, of Sand Creek, and Miss Tiny Ellis, of Cone, are guests of Elijah Buck.

Well, the small-pox scare is subsiding, and except the poor fellow who lost his life by it, there has been no very great harm done perhaps.

A fine three year old colt, belonging to Harrison Daniels, jumped on to a gate one day last week, injuring itself so terribly that the poor creature only lived a few minutes after reaching the barn.

Oscar Chambers fell from a load of lumber a few days ago, and sustained very severe injuries. The wagon ran over and crushed one of his legs in a terrible manner, so that it was feared it would be necessary to amputate the limb. But it is now thought he will not lose it.

Remember the tea party at the Hall, at Pentecost, Dec. 8th. Some excellent music is expected on that evening, besides the regular programme. The U. L. A. are also preparing to bring out a play, and those who have been admitted to the rehearsals say it is fine. This event will come off about the holidays.

Rev. W. T. Williams, of Tipton, whose health has broken down from overwork, has been given a vacation by his people and will take a trip East, visiting Boston and other points during his absence. We hope he may derive great benefit from his journey and return to his work with renewed health and strength.

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FOUR TO NOTHING.

The Second Annual Foot Ball Game With Clinton, Won by Tecumseh.

The black and gold colors of the Light Guard foot-ball team were flying triumphantly Thanksgiving afternoon. In striking contrast to last year's game, the one of Thursday was marred by wrangling and dissatisfaction, and eventually by the Clinton captain ordering his team from the field.

The Clinton men were a sturdy set of fellows, capable of playing a good game if properly handled, but their nerve was taken from them by the poor example of Capt. Jones, who made a business of kicking on the umpire instead of the ball. They played slow ball, while the home team were fast and played a rapid game.

The game was called with the ball in Tecumseh's possession. Heesen kicked off, Clinton made a fluke, Bowen recovered the ball and advanced it fifteen yards, was forced over the touch line, and the first down was called. Clinton got ten yards on a foul tackle. An end play lost the ball, Clinton failed to advance five yards and right end Spalding left the field with a strained hip. Substitute Hughes took his place in line. Tecumseh's criss-cross with Davidson's hard run and a good interference placed the pig-skin behind the line for a touch down. Time; 16 minutes. Corey failed to kick goal.

Wade kicked off for Clinton and a fair catch went to Tecumseh; the militia kicked diagonally, recovered the ball and went to the 25-yard line.

From this time on the game was a continual quarrel, no gains being made either way, Keusch making Clinton's only effort for a long run, but was downed on the 25 yards, and in the next move Corey took the ball as far back the other way. It was here that the big racket occurred. Wade tackled Corey, and raising him high above his head he let El. drop like a hot potato.

The umpire allowed 10 yards for rough playing. Seventeen seconds later time was called for the first half and Clinton refused to finish, their center rush, Steve Huntington, being the only man willing to play, and he agreed to stay and play the whole eleven alone. Score, 4 to 0. Time, 45 minutes.

CLINTON.	POSITION.	TECUMSEH.
Marley	Right End	Hughes
Rogers	Right Tackle	Whelan
Miller	Right Guard	McIntyre
Huntington	Centre	Heesen
McDermott	Left Guard	Avery
Henley	Left Tackle	Hill
Seamark	Left End	Hicks
Wayde	R ½ Back	Davidson
Keusch	L ½ Back	Corey
Jones	¼ Back	Tiffany
Carroll	Full Back	Bowen

High School Happenings.

School notes absent last week.

Everybody happy after Thanksgiving.

Harry Langton entered school Monday.

Rev. Brown called at the office Wednesday forenoon.

Eng. III class write a review of some standard work this week.

Miss Howell, of the ninth grade, was absent a portion of Monday forenoon.

Standing room has been in great demand for the past two weeks in B room.

Leigh H. Pennington was absent from school Tuesday and Wednesday on account of sickness.

The noon hour is 15 minutes shorter from now until longer days. School closes at 3:45 p. m.

A and B rooms were favored by a visit from two pleasant members of the Canine family Tuesday.

Philosophy tried several enteresting experiments with the air pump, after school Tuesday night.

A Famous Show of Beauty.

The show of distinguished beauty, transfixed by famous artists, which is now taking place at the Academy of Fine Arts in New York, has been anticipated by The Cosmopolitan Magazine in its November issue, in an article by Wm. A. Coffin, with illustrations of some of the more beautiful faces. "The "Great Passions of History" series has for this month's subject the romantic career of Agnes Sorel, who influenced the destinies of France under Charles VII. "The Art Schools of America," "The Great British Northwest Territory," "The Chiefs of the American Press," and the "Public Library Movement," are amongst The Cosmopolitan's table of contents. Survivors of the war and their children will find intense interest in "The Story of a Thousand," a personal narrative begun in this number by Albion W. Tourgee, who tells in a graphic way, of a regiment which saw fierce service—of its organization, its marches, its sports, and its death-roll.

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The Philadelphia Record gives this diagnosis of the political upheaval: "A schoolboy, who was asked to define 'responsibility,' said if he had only two buttons on his trousers and one came off all the responsibility would rest on the other button. This was not a bad definition, and it affords a very accurate idea of the popular apprehension of party responsibility. The party in power is held to account for everything that results through the default of the party out of power, and it nearly always happens for this reason that political successes are followed by reverses. The democrats came into power in 1892 just on the eve of an industrial and financial revulsion, for which previous bad industrial and financial legislation was almost wholly responsible. The people have put the whole responsibility, not on the failure of the button that came off, but on the other button."

To this suggestion of the New York World the people will say, Amen. "The Sugar Trust has ordered its refineries in New York, Philadelphia and Boston to be closed. It professes to be losing money, and for this reason it is throwing 50,000 men out of employment at the beginning of winter. Henry O. Havemeyer, the trust's president, who testified to bribing both political parties, pretends to be sorry for the working men whom he turns out on the streets. These facts controvert Mr. Havemeyer's assertions. The trust is not losing money. If it could find no market it would not pay them starvation wages for their trying toil nor turn them on the streets simply to aid it in its depredations. By shutting down to prevent more profits it is earning on $75,000,000 of water and $50,000,000 of investment. Congress ought to abase these organized bullies by passing the free sugar bill within a week."

The Toledo Bee says: "Some victim of the deadly blacklist has found a way of getting back at the railroad companies without waiting for the courts. His name is William Hallett, and he was once a conductor on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad. He has now sued the corporation for $50,000 damages for blacklisting him and thus preventing him from securing employment. If he can prove his case, there isn't a jury anywhere that would not return a substantial verdict in his favor. If railroad companies will persist in preventing men from securing work they must as well be made to pay him damages to boot. It is strange indeed that the infamous blacklist business should keep aired in the courts long ago. The reason seems to be that it crowds the victim out of its victims: a short experience hunting for work and being turned out in the cold at every railroad office makes them afraid of themselves and fearful that no one will have any rights. Hallett's experiment, if successful, may open the way to a safe punishment of all railways employing blacklisting."

A recent number of the Free Press contains the following interview with Tom Barkworth: "Thos. E. Barkworth, of Jackson, was at the Cadillac yesterday. Mr. Barkworth is feeling in good spirits. His principal care at present seems to be a desire to see Cleveland throughout the state a free silver sentiment. He takes his defeat only philosophically and when speaking in jest alludes to the 'limitless realm of possibilities.' T. A. E. Weadock was also at the Cadillac. The latter is a glutton to attend strictly to his own business, but the former feels called upon to look after Egypt. When Mr. Barkworth went into the campaign, he received telegrams which read: 'Barkworth, you are a self-convicted ass.' These came from a small number of friends throughout the state. Mr. Barkworth paid for all those telegrams for every one was sent collect. The reason for this delugelay in the fact that each was at Mason in the interest of the E. His case, the doughty ex-representative said to innumerable friends, 'I am out of politics.' I have been in the minority in the legislature, and I have had enough of it. Hereafter I am going to stop saving the country, and attend strictly to saving my own soul. If anyone hears of my going into politics again, let him send me a telegram saying that I am a self-convicted ass.' Speaking of this little episode Mr. Barkworth said, laughingly, yesterday, 'Would you believe it, it cost me $40 and more to pay for telegrams when my willingness to run for congress was made public?'"

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Nov. 30, 1894.

The attempted war scare this week was a decided 'fluke' and if it be chargable, as many believe, to the Nicaragua canal lobby, it was a "bad break" on the part of the lobby. The finger of suspicion certainly points that way. It was not until the committee representing the bankrupt Nicaragua canal company went to London, ostensibly in search of British capital, but really to to 'bluff' Congress, that England stirred up things by announcing a sudden change of policy, which was followed by a visit from the Nicaraguan minister to Sec. Gresham and a frantic appeal for help to keep John Bull from swallowing Nicaragua canal and all. Of course Nicaragua wants the canal built, and the lobby has impressed its officials with the idea that the best way to get it done by this government is to put out the impression that England is after it. There is no more danger of a war with England except of words, than there is of a prize fight between President Cleveland and Senator Hill.

It is rumored that President Cleveland will propose an extened use of silver as money in his message. The idea that it is only western and southern men who favor silver is erroneous. Representative Curtis of New York, says: "when we have a financial system established, it will have to include the free and general use of silver. There are no makeshifts or half way measures for nothing short of the general use of silver will satisfy the people or fulfil the requirements of trade."

Half Congressmen, or even a majority of them, thought as representative Phillips, of Pa. does, several very troublesome questions might be permanently settled. For instance, he said: "I have long been an advocate of a plan to take the tariff out of politics. A nonpartisan commission of experts should be appointed to deal with this subject. It is too bad that we should be periodically torn to pieces over the tariff, and that our business interests should suffer from constant agitation. No European country is so unwise. But after all, the tariff and the silver question are but minor issues. There must be something else done to meet the changed condition of the times and to conserve our agricultural and industrial interests, which have been neglected for a long period. The power of the unlimited and grasping trusts and combinations of capital, and the aggressiveness of foreign corporations carrying trade on the whole country, something ought to be done and quickly, in the way of wise, liberal up-to-date legislation that will get us on the right track as a government, and keep us there. The truth is, our legislation does not meet existing conditions. Laws that answered well enough one hundred and eighteen years ago when the nation was newly born are antiquated now. In recognition of the fact that our laboring men and agriculturists should have fair play, I would suggest that a committee of ten, composed of an equal number of these two classes, with a like representation of business men, be authorized by Congress to formulate some plan of legislation and recommend the enactment of such statutes as would be apt to bring relief and do exact justice among all. This seems a practical step in the right direction, and I expect to advocate some such measure, for it is something that cannot longer be delayed with safety."

A number of members of the present House who failed to get re-elected have demonstrated the wisdom of their constituents in retiring them from public life by applying, by letter, to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House for their mileage money to be forwarded to them, stating that they did not intend to come to Washington during the short session of congress. Mileage as most people know, is allowed Senators and Representatives to pay for their transportation to and from Washington at every session of congress, and, although the Sergeant-at-Arms knows that most Congressmen travel on passes, the mileage is always put in a charged for in person. Before leaving the line at paying members who remain at home, and have a friend who would be shirking. And that ends all. These men only find that it was unwise to draw their salaries for the remaining three months of the term, if they do not come to Washington and attend to their duties.

A bill is being urged up by the opponents of the income tax to kill that measure by making it unnecessary to put it into effect. Secretary Carlisle estimates that $800,000 will be needed and he will ask Congress to make the appropriation of that amount at the next session. It is claimed by those who are in the deal that it will be comparatively easy to defeat the appropriation, but it can be done without a record vote. The law has strong and able friends in both Senate and House who are as good parliamentarians as there are in Congress and they will see that the appropriation gets a fair chance to become a law, and that if it is defeated it will be by an open vote.

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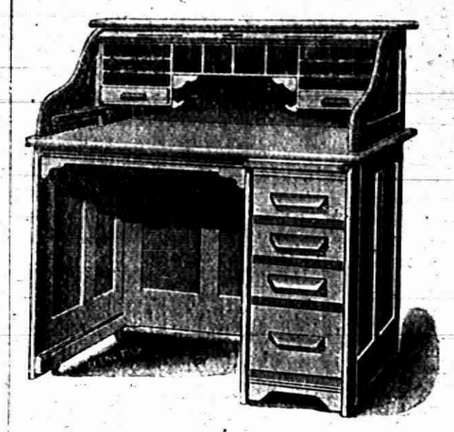

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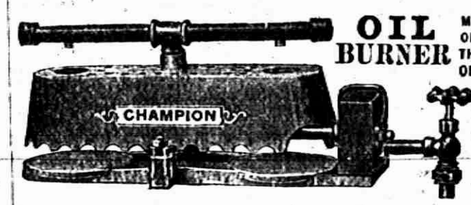

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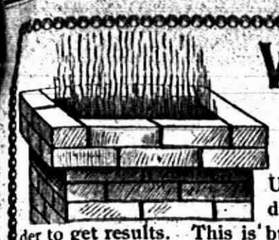

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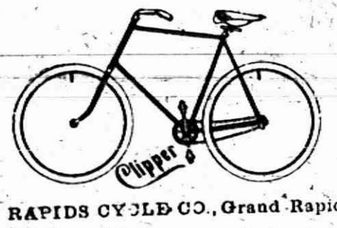

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I'm fair to middlin.

I figger things run jest about
From fair to middlin,
First and last, day in, day out,
Jest fair to middlin.
You'll find a smile for every tear,
And very rarely ever feel
The world looks wish—pretty near—
As fair to middlin.

It's better when you take that way—
Jest fair to middlin,
And can keep happy, as I say,
As fair to middlin.
I reckon a man don't have to choose
Twixt starvation and the blues
You're jest as fat and lots more cool
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—William Allen White in Kansas City Star.

A BELATED SOUL.

It was twilight. The wind howled, the snow fell fast, and little Martine lay dying.

"Alas!" wept the mother, "will the cure never come? Thou hast been a good child, and must thy unblessed soul wander without the gates of paradise? Ah, I can bear it no longer!" And she ran out into the night to find the laggard priest.

Martine shivered. She feared to die alone. But suddenly a tender voice breathed her name.

"Martine, knowest thou the good God confesses, through his angels, the souls of children?

"Tell me thy sins."

The girl raised her eyes and beheld a dim white form with folded wings and a bowed head rippled over with golden curls. And strength came to her to speak. She confessed her poor little faults bravely and bowed her head for absolution.

"Wait!" said the angel. "So thou hast stolen a rose colored kerchief from thy friend Babette?"

"Forgive!" murmured Martine.

"What hast thou done with this kerchief?"

"I have it here, beneath my pillow, monsignor."

"But why hast thou not returned it?"

"'Twill become me well on my deathbed," sighed the little Martine.

"Fie! Vain one!" cried the angel severely. "I see well thou dost not repent truly of this fault and must do penance ere I grant thee absolution.

"Rise!

"Take this kerchief and restore it to Babette!"

"But," exclaimed Martine, stupefied, "if my mother return with the cure, to seek me on my deathbed!"

"Teach not thy betters. I will assume thy shape. But mark the hour! St. Peter has orders to admit thee at dawn. Beware of being late, for I cannot assume thy soul's shape and seek entrance for thee to paradise. Neither can I claim my own place there until I give account of thee. I might be doomed to wander here on earth, or, in fact," he added impatiently, "no one can say what complications might arise."

"I will hasten!" cried Martine, springing from the bed. Dressing with haste, she wrapped herself in her warm cloak and ran joyously from the house. The snow ceased falling; the wind died among the trees; the stars came out and twinkled merrily. Then the moon rose, dimming the light of the stars, turning the icicles to diamonds and the frozen ground to glass. And Martine ran, danced, skipped and sang!

How beautiful was life and youth and health! Her limbs were as strong, her blood as warm, as before the fever laid its wasting hand upon her.

Alas! It is hard to die—at 16!

"It cannot be more than 7 o'clock," she thought, "and I have until daybreak." But she could not stay her dancing feet, and soon the lights of the village glimmered softly through the trees. There to the right lay the home of Babette! An instant more, and she stood upon the threshold.

"Martine!" Dear Martine!" a chorus of gay voices greeted her. "Martine, we heard that you were ill and dying!"

Martine shuddered. "And so indeed I am," she thought sadly.

"Come with us, Martine," cried Babette. "Good M. Champagnel has offered us his barn for a dance, for it is the fete of our little Lucienne.

"Come!

"Surely thou 'art well enough to dance!"

"Nay!" exclaimed Martine, thrusting the kerchief into Babette's hand. "I have come to restore this, for indeed I have not long to live, only the short night!"

A burst of laughter interrupted her.

"Thou art mad, little one!" cried tall Pierre, the handsomest lad in the village. "Thy cheeks are as bright as the kerchief! But since thou hast but this night to live dance it through with me."

"Surely there is no harm in that," thought Martine. "I can still be home before the dawn."

Once the dance had begun she forgot her doubts and everything else, for she had a light foot, this little Martine! And the sky was already gray in the east when there came a sound of horses' hoofs and laughing voices, and the barn doors were flung wide open, and a band of gentlemen, richly dressed, appeared before the astonished peasants.

"Your prince, good people!" cried one of the gentlemen, "desires to look on your merrymaking!" And Martine saw in their midst a tall figure, in a cloak of white velvet, and with shining, golden curls.

"The angel!" she murmured, trembling.

But as the abashed peasants remained silent the prince threw off his velvet cloak, and stepping forth in his white doublet and hose he gave a sign to the musicians, and seizing the hand of little Martine led the dance himself. Soon all the peasant lads were frowning blackly against the wall, but their sweethearts trod a measure with the gallants of the court. And before the dance was done Martine would have died for love of the prince!

"Thou art beautiful, little one!" he whispered. "Wilt ride away with me?" And as she only blushed for answer he drew her past the doors, and placing her before him on the saddle rode like the wind to his chateau on the hills.

And with his kisses raining on her brow and lips Martine forgot her promise to return, forgot the angel who must die in her stead, forgot that Peter had orders to open the gates of paradise at earliest dawn!

And when the morning broke clear and red over the verdant hills the gates of another paradise had opened for little Martine.

A happy year ran away. Sometimes Martine thought of the poor mother, weeping at home. "But she must have wept as bitterly had I returned to die," thought Martine, and she smiled on her prince.

But one winter's morning, just a year from the day when Martine should have yielded up her soul, the prince rode forth never to return. His retainers sought him through forest and field, over hill and dale, along the course of every frozen stream—in vain!

Martine sobbed and sighed in the chateau on the hills, and on the night before another year was out she crept unseen from the castle gates, down the mountain side, and journeyed through the forest until she came to her childhood's home. She pushed open the door, but there was none within. Then she went wearily on to the churchyard, and there she found her mother's grave and beside it a little slab which bore the name "Martine."

"Alas! I am justly punished," she sobbed, throwing herself down on the little grave. "The good angel who gave his life for mine wanders, forever perhaps, without the gates of paradise. Forgive! Forgive! I have returned at last. Take thou my life and let my soul do penance for thy suffering and my sin!"

"Nay!" said a tender voice beside her, and raising her streaming eyes Martine saw again the dim form with folded wings and bowed head rippling over with golden curls. "I have been shut out from paradise, 'tis true, but by thy side, in mortal shape, my love, I found a paradise on earth!"

The white hands parted before the bowed face, and Martine beheld the adored countenance of her prince. With a glad cry she threw herself upon his breast, her eyes closed as if in peaceful slumber, and with a faint, sweet sigh her spirit took flight with his to the glorious gates of paradise.

"You have been a long time finding this one," said St. Peter.

"True, good Peter," replied the angel quietly, folding Martine tenderly under his wings, "but this soul had to be prepared for paradise!"

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The effect was wonderful. Peace floated with outspread wings over the Bloomleigh domicile for six days. On the morning of the seventh Mr. Bloomleigh looked across the table at his wife and asked, "Have you checked any ill natured remarks against my account, my dear?"

"No," she replied. "You have controlled your tongue remarkably well. Have you any against me?"

"Three hundred and twelve," he remarked calmly.

"What!" she exclaimed. "That cannot be. I have not said a single thing I've felt like saying to you for a week."

"I know it," said Bloomleigh. "You said them to the cook. They had to come out, of course. I'll start tomorrow."—London Tit-Bits.

In Our Dreams.

The professor of psychology was conversing with Mr. Higgins, the grocer, as that worthy man was wrapping up five pounds of coffee for the professor.

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"Ah," beamed the professor, "that is interesting. Tell me about them."

"Well," and Mr. Higgins shoved the wrapped up coffee across the counter to the professor, "they didn't amount to no great deal, I guess. I only dreamed that my wife couldn't talk."—Detroit Free Press.

The Truth of It.

Teacher—Johnny, can you define for us the difference between "caution" and "cowardice?"

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Teacher—Well?

Johnny—And if you're scart and stay home and the boat does sink, then it's "caution."—Chicago Record.

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Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The chairman of the street committee reported that the hydrants of the old water system had been removed at a cost of fifty cents each. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Chairman of committee on fire and fire limits reported that they had arranged with Henry Smith for a place for a hose cart in Brownsville. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Marshal's report, in writing, showing that he had constructed sidewalks on Union street adjoining property of Clark and Walker, at a cost of $14.68, and for which they gave order for pay; that of Baptist Parsonage had been repaired at a cost of $6.25; 25 notices to repair sidewalks served; and that Harvey Wood had refused to repair or construct his walk.

During month of November and first 8 days in December, 34 tramps had been lodged in lock-up.

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Sexton's report for November, presented, showing five adult and two infant interments and $25.00 collected as interment fees. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for the month ending December 3rd., presented, showing fire team labor 11 1-2 days; hired team labor 4 hours, $1.00 hand labor 13 3-4 days $25.50; Poll tax collected $4.00. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Recorder reported that township had paid $10.00 for use of council building for elections of 1894.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to the finance committee: J. E. Lowry, labor, $7.00. Tecumseh, Electric Co., lights for November, $156.40; A. Hyde, $25.50; A. Howe, labor, $1.00; Geo. Zimmerman, cleaning up sidewalk, $7.50; J. H. Smith, cash paid, $10.86; S. C. Stacy, printing, $5.00; Satterthwaite Bros., supplies, $67.66; Thos. Elliott, extra work on hose wagon, $20.

WATER WORKS.

C. J. & M. Ry., freight, $43.26; Temple, McClure & Co., $2.50; J. A. Heck 50cts.; R. Owen, labor, $2.25; Hocking Fuel Co., coal, $32.77.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills except that of Thos. Elliott, recorder was instructed to draw his order fer said several amounts.

Chairman of fire committee recommended that Thomas Elliott be paid $4.00 for extra work on hose wagon, done at direction of committee, on motion, supported, recorder was instructed to draw his order for said sum. Carried.

Moved and supported, that recorder draw his order for $877.19 to pay January installment of interest on Water Bonds. Carried.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved, That the common council of the village of Tecumseh do hereby require that a new sidewalk be constructed along that portion of the south line of Logan street in this village, which lies along and adjoining the north line of the parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, known and described as follows, viz: Bounded on the north by Logan street, east by Evans street, south by Albaugh's, Garlinghouse's and Patterson's lots, and west by lot of B. J. Bidwell estate. Said walk to be 4 feet in width, of sound pine plank 1 1-2 inches thick, and not exceeding 6 inches in width, laid lengthwise and well spiked down on sound burr or white oak stringers 2x4 inches in size and placed not more than 2 feet apart and double at joints in the planking, under the supervision of the village marshal and be completed within 10 days from personal service upon the owner or occupant of said above described land of a copy of this resolution; and in case of any default in the construction and completion of said walk as herein directed, the village marshal is hereby ordered to construct said walk, and payment thereof shall be required of the owner of said above described land, and the expense thereof assessed and levied upon said land in the same manner as other taxes.

Moved and supported that above resolution be adopted. Carried.

Moved and supported that recorder ascertain number and condition of ordinances heretofore passed and which have not been properly recorded. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Recorder.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary A. Hazlett, wife of John C. Hazlett, died Tuesday, Nov. 13th. It was a remarkably sad death. A young wife called from her husband. A young mother called from her children. It seemed that she could ill be spared, but He that ruleth and doeth all for the best beckoned to her and she followed Him. Her maiden name was McKinney. She was born in the village of Tecumseh, Sept. 23, 1855. Was married to John C. Hazlett at Albion, Mich., Aug. 18, 1885. Two children survive their mother, Clyde six, and Clare three years of age. One, a babe, preceeded her to the kingdom but a few hours. Her funeral occurred Nov. 16th, and was attended by a large concourse of friends who by their presence signified the affection and esteem in which she was held by all who knew her. The services were conducted by Rev. C. M. Brown of the Presbyterian church. Her remains were laid to rest in the beautiful village cemetery to await the call of the Master at that Great Day.

—Farmers should investigate the advantages of the Homestead Fertilizer before purchasing. It is the best article now on the market. I have it to sell in large or small quantities.

S. W. TEMPLE, Agent.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

MISS ANTHONY IN SARATOGA.

Our editor-in-chief was recently "a looker-on in Venice," or, to put it more plainly, a spectator of the white ribbon convention of the state of New York. Beside her sat several remarkable women, among them the leader of our English host and Susan B. Anthony, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association of the United States, and for well-nigh fifty years leader of the movement for the enfranchisement of women. In another place we have referred to the heroic effort made by Miss Anthony to secure recognition from the "party of moral ideas" in New York, and its total failure to respond to her plea. We are glad to give the party credit for what it has done elsewhere in favor of woman's ballot, and its record in that respect is improving, while we are sorry to say that the record of the Democratic party is such as to bring it in at the rear of the procession, a place that should not be occupied by the political organization, whose very name professes to represent "the people."

By invitation of the managers of the famous sanitarium of Dr. Strong, where we were all entertained, Miss Anthony spoke in the parlors, and we took notes for the benefit of "all concerned." Miss Anthony, at seventy-five years of age, is a more commanding figure than ever before; tall, erect, perfectly well-poised, with a masterly face and commanding action she enforces every word of her cogent argument by a personality that will long be retained in the memory of the American people, for it has been reproduced on canvas and in marble.

The argument she gave is common property, and we suggest that it ought to be repeated by friends of woman's suffrage the world over, as they have opportunity. These were her points:

In the first place I want women to have all the rights that it is possible to give them, for the sake of men. Every man drops down to the level of the woman at his side; every boy drops down to his mother's level. We want to make woman companions of men in the most complete sense of the work.

But I can tell you, women of this enlightened age, that in those days no man wanted to marry a women who had 'views.' For any woman to allow it to be known that she cherished 'views' was to condem her to a single estate for the rest of her days; and this I knew, but still I dared the situation and I have taken the consequences.

Another thing that I complained of (and do still) was that men do not hesitate to enter woman's sphere and take to themselves any advantages possible. They feel perfectly free to be cooks, but when they do so must have a big salary, not one dollar a week, but ten. Men took it into their heads that they would make womens dresses, but when they did so it became a great enterprise, and Worth, of Paris, is a millionaire. They do not think that women have any rights they are bound to respect, although we women have had so few occupations that one might think that the 'boasted chivalry' of men would have led them to say, 'we will not intrude on woman's sphere.' But no, that was far from their idea, —they wanted to keep all they had and get what they could, and they have done so. Do not misunderstand me, I am not blaming men. If they had not acted in precisely this way we women should not have come to a place (as we have now) where instead of seven occupations being open to us, as we had some years ago, there are hardly seven that are not open to us. So man's desire to do well for himself has really led him to do well for us although he did not mean it. Nor do I blame him on the merits of the case; he wanted to succeed and make for himself a wider world. He had a right to do so, but the point I want to make is that we have just as good a right, and intend to exercise it.

Finally, in respect to the temperance question—you cannot make bricks without straw. Rochester women crusaded in the saloons, but there were several hundred more when they finished than when they began. Prayer is good, but to be sincere, work must go along with prayer. You know what Fred Douglass said: He prayed for many a year that God would set him free, but at last it was revealed to him that he must pray with his feet, and he set out to make tracks by the light of the North Star for Canada, and from that day he has been a free man. So, I say to the W. C. T. U., you must pray not only with your hearts and your lips but with your ballots. When you do that, the legalized infamy that curses your homes will be put down, and not before. The rebellion was not conquered until the slaves were released; reconstruction was not affected until the slaves were enfranchised; the republic will not be redeemed until the 'home-guards' are fitted out with the ballot,—that strikes home more swiftly, and with a deadlier aim than any bayonet or bullet.

She said much more, this prophetess of the nineteenth century, but all to the same general purport. Long live Susan B. Anthony.

OBITUARY.

Harriet Barnaby Clark died Nov. 17, 1894, at her home in the village of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Mich., being over 71 years of age. The deceased was born in Ithica Tompkins county, New York, July 16, 1823. Her childhood and early youth were spent in her native county. At the age of sixteen she came, with her parents, to Michigan and located in Raisinville, Monroe county, where she embraced every opportunity that the schools afforded, both for mind and heart culture. She was married to Geo. N. Clark in the year 1844. The early part of her married life was spent with her husband on a farm in Raisinville, where she bravely faced the trials and diseases incident to pioneer life. In 1861 she, with her family, removed to Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Mich., her husband engaging in mercantile business, where she has since resided almost continuously. While she never was a strong woman physically, by good management and untiring industry she made her home a most delightful haven of rest to all who entered there. Her health during the last few years of her life was extremely delicate, and the strain upon her nervous system, incident to the protracted illness and death of her husband, proved too much, so that from that date her decline was quite marked until last February, when she sustained a partial paralytic stroke, since which time she has been comparatively helpless. The subject of this sketch was a remarkably beautiful character, most loved by those who knew her best,—a kind pure heart, a sweet, loving disposition, all that go to make up unblemished character, were hers. Her home was the abode of genuine hospitality where the needy always found sympathy and substantial relief. As a christian she was as in every thing else, unpretentious. She was known for her loyal and faithful service to her adopted church, and still better known for her practical christianity, demonstrating in her daily life her belief in the Fatherhood of God and brotherhood of man. Could those who knew her best speak in terms that are fitting, it might seem the language of extravagant eulogy. After a fitting discourse by her pastor, Rev. Hartley Cansfield, her remains were tenderly, affectionately carried by her sons and grandson to the Ridgeway Cemetery and placed beside those of her late husband. The community drop the tear of sorrow over one who was a friend to the friendless, and her children and children's children rise up and call her blessed. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

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Avail yourself of the opportunity to lay in a stock of clothing at once, as the time is limited and the assignee will sell the stock at no matter what sacrifice and regardless of cost or value in order to quickly settle the liabilities of the firm. You cannot afford to miss this sale, and is will pay you to come one hundred miles, as such clothing is seldom if ever found outside a first-class tailoring establishment. A large force of salesmen are on hand, and a guarantee is given that every customer will be kindly treated and shown through the different departments whether they buy or not.

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Read price list and description of goods carefully and bring this list with you for comparison.

2,000 men's dark and light Cassimere Suits that sold at $6 and $7 now going for $1.89.

Men's fine Cheviot Suits, former price $10 and $12, at this sale for $3.95.

Men's extra fine all wool Sack or Cutaway Suits, plain colors or fancy mixtures, former selling price $15, now being slaughtered at $6.37.

Men's fine Clay Worsted and Tricot, in sack, Regent, cutaway or Prince Albert suits, former price from $20 to $28, go at this sale for $8.36 and $10.25.

1,500 men's heavy overcoats, former price $6, now going at $1.85.

800 men's Storm King Ulsters, former price $8, now selling at $2.37.

Men's fine Dress Ulsters, all wool Chinchilla and Beavers, former price from $10 to $18, now selling from $4.15 to $6.75.

An elegant line of men's fine Kersey, Meltons and Beaver Overcoats, worth from $15 to $22. These beautiful and elegantly finished garments are in all the new styles and fashionable patterns and will be sacrificed at one-quarter the cost of manufacturing them. Also about 2,000 boys' and children's overcoats in all styles that formerly sold from $2.50 to $12, now going at from 89c to $3.95.

Men's good heavy working pants, former price $1.25, now go for 59c.

Men's Cassimere dress pants, former price $2.50, now going for 98c.

Men's fine all wool pants in fine Cassimere and fancy worsted, former price $7, now being sacrificed at $2.27.

Children's Knee Pant Suits that sold at $2 go at this sale for 49c.

Boys' Long Pant Suits that sold at $5 now selling for $2.15.

Boys' Fine Suits in Cheviot and Tricot goods, age from 13 to 18 years, former price $9, now selling for $4.35.

3,000 Children's knee pants at 17c.

1,500 Children's knee pants, all wool Cassimere, at 49c.

Men's fine stiff hats, former price $1.50, now selling for 59c.

Men's fine fur stiff hats, all the latest styles, formerly sold from $2 to $4, now selling for $1.15.

Men's fine soft hats, all shapes and styles, former price from 75c to $3, now selling at from 25c to $1.

3,000 boys' fall caps and hats will be slaughtered at 19c.

2,000 men's and boys' working shirts at 17c.

1,000 unlaundered white linen shirts at 29c.

800 fine laundered dress shirts at 42c.

Men's good, strong socks, 4c per pair.

Men's fine dress socks in black and light colors, former price 35c, now selling for 13c.

Men's fine, strong overalls, 24c.

Men's good suspenders, 9c.

Men's, fancy silk web suspenders former price 50c, now selling for 19c.

Men's fine linen handkerchiefs, 6c.

2,000 splendid umbrellas, former price from $1.50 to $3.50, now being slaughtered at from 49c to $1.25.

5,000 pieces men's and boys' fall and winter underwear in fine balbriggan, natural wool and scarlet flannel, will be sold at 25c on the dollar of the cost of manufacturing.

500 dozen men's linen collars at 5c.

500 dozen men's linen cuffs at 9c.

200 dozen men's all wool socks, former price 50c, now going at 22c.

1,000 dozen men's and boys' fine neckwear in all styles, shapes and colors, will be slaughtered at one-quarter the manufacturer's cost.

An immense line of men's fall and winter caps in fine silk plush and all wool cloths, will be closed out at 23c on the dollar.

1,000 men's Rubber Coats, warranted strictly waterproof, formerly sold at $3.50, now being slaughtered at $1.48.

750 men's elegant Macintosh Cape Coats being closed out at $3.85, $4.37 and $5.50, formerly sold at $8, $10 and $14.

Remember there are 20,000 other bargains which, for the want of space, cannot be mentioned.

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BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

Issued Every Thursday Morning.

TWO-MINUTE TALKS.

To all our patrons, greeting.

The holiday season is again here. Spring, summer, autumn and winter return regularly with each returning year. Day and night come and go with each revolution of the earth. Seed time and harvest follow each other as the seasons roll round. Jolly December, which begins practically with roast turkey and Thanksgiving and closes with the first day of the new year, is again on deck. The happy yule tide, with old St. Nicholas and the train of joys he brings along, will soon be with us, gladdening youthful hearts, brightening the dark corners of life, making the rich feel better, the poor feel richer, and old hearts feel young again. The "Old Reliable" proposes doing its share to make this month a banner one in Tecumseh, not only in the family but also in social and business circles.

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In accordance with the custom which has prevailed in this establishment for the past ten years without an exception, we issue this week our usual holiday supplement, making a twelve-page paper. It will be continued during the four issues of December. It fitly represents the business capabilities and resources of our beautiful village. Almost every firm in Tecumseh is represented in these columns, either in the advertising cards or locals, and the few that are not with us now, have graced these columns at some time during the past year. The present issue is peculiarly adapted to meet the wants of people who are looking for bargains during the holiday season. Herein they will find set forth, in the best style of the printer's art, everything that man, woman or child wants to eat, drink or wear: silk dresses and cloaks for mother; ulsters for father; crockery for the table; cook stoves for the kitchen; nobby suits for boys and girls; organs and pianos for the young lady; books and jewelry for the young man; Christmas novelties in endless variety for all the little ones.

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Kind reader, do you peruse the advertising columns of your home paper? If not, you are sadly behind the times. You search for the personal gossip that is retailed about your neighbor in this and surrounding towns; you scan the wedding notices and read with sympathetic tear, the obituaries; you examine the proceedings of the farmer's clubs; you become interested in the temperance items; you eagerly read the letters which occasionally appear from college student or traveler, who is, or has been, a resident of Tecumseh. But if you skip the advertising columns you slight the most important portions of the paper. In these close times it behooves every householder, especially, to make the best use of his income. A penny saved is a penny earned. Many a man is now compelled by circumstances to economize in expenditures, who would be inclined to liberality, and even prodigality, in flush times. Bargains can be found right here at home, equal to any that you can find abroad. If you doubt the truth of this assertion, try the experiment and be convinced.

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A better class of business houses cannot be found in any town, large or small, in Southern Michigan. Our business firms are prudent and conservative, well posted in their respective lines of trade, enjoying first-class credit in the Eastern markets, possessed of stirling integrity and honesty. All these things count in trade. They are thus enabled to make their purchases on the most favorable terms, and buyers get the benefit of the merchant's skill in this direction. It is no small cause for congratulation that Tecumseh has not experienced a single business failure during the present year. She has passed through the panic and business stagnation of 1894 unscathed and is fully prepared to take advantage of the revival of trade during 1895 and convert it into a veritable business boom. Several new enterprises have been started within the past few months and more are contemplated. Keep the ball rolling, gentlemen. The HERALD will do its share.

If Brigadier Bill Cook and his gang are to be suppressed the result will apparently be accomplished by our faithful allies, the Cherokees, and not by Uncle Sam.

The American Ministers at Pekin and Tokio will use their diplomatic and kindly offices to bring Japan and China together with a view to getting them apart.

Ripans Tabules: one gives relief.

A Christmas Woman's Magazine.

The sparkle of bright music, in a new ballad by Sir Arthur Sullivan, entitled "Bid Me at Least Good-Bye," adds much to the pages of the Christmas Ladies' Home Journal, in which the full piano score and words are given. Frank Stockton opens one of his cleverest tales with an equally clever title "As One Woman to Another"; Eugene Field is particularly happy in a striking bit of character verse, to which a whole page with illustrations is well given; Frances Hodgson Burnett is delightfully reminiscent in telling of "The Man Who Most Influenced Me," who, she says, was an enemy of hers; John Kendrick Bangs begins his "Paradise Club" in a really funny "take off" on the equal sufferage question; the Rev. S. D. McConnell makes a very real being of the mother of Christ, in his article "A Girl of Galilee". The wives of Alphonse Daudet, and Mascagni, of "Cavalleria Rusticana" fame, are well sketched with portraits; Mr. Howells is particularly interesting in his literary autobiography; Robert J. Burdette is funny and wise in a Christmas article; Maria Parloa tells of "The Fete Days of the French"; Madame Nordica, the operatic prima-donna, writes to girls who think of operatic careers; the new serial, "A Minister of the World," takes us to the border of fashionable religious life in New York City; and in addition to all this there are not less than twenty articles on the practical side of a woman's life at Christmas time. This is indeed a creditable number of The Ladies' Home Journal—the best in fact, which it has ever issued. It is not surprising when one looks over such a magazine as this why it is that over 600,000 women buy it each month, particularly when they can get it for ten cents a copy. The subscription price of The Ladies' Home Journal is one dollar per year. Published by The Curtis Publishing Co., of Philadelphia.

Farm Home Reading Circle.

The Michigan Agricultural College has taken another step forward by inaugurating a college extension course of reading. This plan aims to furnish a systematic course of reading on subjects relating directly to agriculture and kindred subjects. While the course as planned recommends a progressive line of work, discussing first the underlying principles of agriculture, and later taking up special departments, yet it is largely elective and so flexible that a person interested in any branch of farming may select books pertaining only to his chosen line. For example, the class devoted to live stock aims to give a general knowledge of feeding, breeding and handling of horses, cattle, sheep and swine, and includes also a book on dairying. If, for any reason, the reader does not desire to take all the work in the class devoted to live stock and is especially interested in dairying, he may select only that portion relating to dairy work, and receive proper credit.

The course comprises five classes, Soils and Crops, Live Stock, Garden and Orchard, Home Making and Political Science. Certificates are given on the completion of the work outlined in each book and class, and on the completion of three classes the reader is presented with an appropriate diploma. The examinations are all optional, and any person may read in the course without sending in reports or taking examinations of any kind.

This course was but recently established, yet it has readers all over the United States and Canada, and the great interest manifested by those who are now enjoying its opportunities is a good indication of its value. Its popularity arises from the fact that it is prepared by busy men; it is short, practical and instructive; it offers a scheme of advisory correspondence with the college authorities which makes it possible to become intimately acquainted with the work of the experiment stations.

Send a postal card to the secretary for full information regarding this course.

F. B. MUMFORD, Sec. F. H. R. C.,
Agricultural College, Mich.,
LEWIS G. GORTON,
President of the College.

Must Have It.

Yes, you must have it. It is the only way you can learn what is going on about you; the news of the city, village or farming district in which you live. You must have your home paper, whether you can afford anything else in the way of current reading or not. And a great deal besides home news you will find in it. The editor of your home paper aims first of all to give you the home news, with intelligent and helpful comment thereon. But he does not stop there; he does the best he can to give you the general news and the best thought of the whole world. Of course he does not and cannot give you as much as you ought to have, and if you ask him about the matter he will frankly tell you so. He will also advise you what you ought to get to supplement your home paper and keep you and your growing boys and girls up with the times in the great fields of politics, sociology, finance, commerce, science, religion, art, education, and the literary and book news of the day. He will tell you that there is one weekly journal, unique in this respect, made up of carefully selected, condensed and classified extracts from the newspapers and magazines the world over, and that he has made special arrangements by which he can give you a reduced subscription rate for this unique journal, if taken in connection with the HERALD. He will tell you that the name of this journal so admirably suited to your wants is PUBLIC OPINION, that it is published at Washington, D. C., and that the regular subscription price is $2.50 per year, but that he can give you both the HERALD and PUBLIC OPINION for one year for $3.00 cash. He will also tell you that PUBLIC OPINION and the HERALD are exactly what you need during the political campaign. PUBLIC OPINION will be sent you for ten weeks on trial for fifty cents.

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"If I was that bass down there," said the boy, "and you was that perch, I wouldn't let them common fish come a nigh you."

She laughed. "Oh, you'd want to eat me all by yourself."

He gave her a look of troubled reproach. She laughed merrily. "You can't take a joke yet, can you?" she asked.

"Why yet?" he replied.

"Because you've got to be so well acquainted with me," she rejoined.

"Is that a reason why I ought to take a joke?"

"Yes; for I ain't nothin' more than a joke."

"Well then," he said, "I can take a joke—I could take you."

"Oh, could you? But that wouldn't be a joke. It would be awful serious to me."

"Nell, don't talk to me that way. You know why I am stayin' here—you know that if it wan't for you I'd go away somewhere and be a poet. You know the school-teacher said he couldn't learn me any more, and I take it that when Bill Jimison can't learn anybody anything he's goin' to be a poet. Jimison told me that I ought to go away somewhere—said there never would be any chance for me here. And do you reckon I'd plow over yonder in that blazin' field if it wan't for you?

"OH, QUIT!" SHE CRIED

There ain't nothin' in the ground for me to dig out—my fortune and my fame are in the air and the woods."

"Oh, shucks, Sam, why don't you grabble all that foolishness out of your head and go to work. I reckon I've gone to school as much as you have, and I never have thought about bein' a poet."

"Maybe it is because you never have been in love," he replied, half pitifully.

"Maybe so," she rejoined, and then in excitement cried: "Look there! the bass has caught the perch!" And she had not more than said this when he seized her in his arms and passionately, violently kissed her.

"Oh, quit!" she cried. "Don't I tell you! Mother is in the door and will see you. Go away, you—you fool!"

He released her and stood gazing at her. "I despise you," she said.

"Ah, I have squeezed the truth out of you, have I?"

"If you have you put yourself to unnecessary trouble—you might have known it before."

"Yes, I might, for the poet always has been despised."

"Oh, has he? But if that's the case you ought to be loved."

"Nell, you'll force me to hate you."

"I will? But why should you want to make me so happy?" She took up her sunbonnet, which had fallen to the ground, and, holding it by the strings, stood swinging it like a pendulum.

"Do you mean that?" he asked.

"Of course. Why shouldn't I, Sam; you have made me miserable all my life. Yes, you have, now. All the time at school, whenever nobody was lookin' you'd all the time try to kiss me, and I hate to be kissed all the time. Why, you don't know how tiresome it is. There, mother's callin' me, and I just know she's goin' to give me an awful goin' over for standin' round here foolin' with you. Good-by, and I hope I'll never see you again—all the time tryin' to kiss me. Yes-um!" she cried, "I'm comin'."

She ran up the hill, striking at the trees with her bonnet. A woman, flushed

THE GIRL STOOD IN THE DOOR.

and angry-looking, met her near the door, and pointing to a churn standing in the shade near the corner of the house, said:

"Thar's that thing standin' thar all the mornin' and you a foolin' round down thar on the branch. You air gest a gittin' so yo' ain't no manner account on the face of the earth. Who was that down thar a scrappin' with you? But you neenter tell me—I know. It was that good-for-nothin' Sam Foster. A triflin'er wretch never lived on the face of the earth."

"He's goin' to be a poet," the girl replied, taking an apron off a lilac bush and tying the strings about her waist.

"And what's that, for goodness' sake?" the woman exclaimed. "He'd better be thinkin' about cuttin' them sprouts outen that pore old hill-side field that he's afflicted with. Conscience alive, I pity the woman he marries."

"I don't reckon he's old enough yet to think about marryin' anybody," the girl replied. Having tucked up her skirts she had begun to ply the churn dasher.

"Not old enough," the woman snapped. "My sakes alive, I'd like to see a fool too young to think about gittin' married these here days. And I warrant you that thar air gals fool enough to marry him. Oh you neenter jerk that dasher around, for you know it's a fact. I do believe you'd be fool enough yourself."

The girl was silent. She had ceased to ply the churn dasher, she stood motionless, gazing down the slope toward the pool where she and the young fellow had watched the bass and the perch.

"Yes," the woman repeated, "I do believe that you'd be fool enough to marry him yourself."

"Well, if I was to, I might not have to churn all the time," the girl replied, resuming her work.

"That's a fact," the woman quickly agreed. "Yes, that's a fact, for you wouldn't have nothin' to churn."

"Well, I'd rather not have nothin' to churn. I wish there wasn't a cow nowhere. I hate 'em. All the time goin' about causin' folks to churn. If I was

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to marry a man I'd see that he didn't have a cow."

"You can safely marry Sam, then. He'll never have one—he'll never have anything."

"He'll have a wife if he marries, I reckon."

"Don't you sass me, Nell. I won't have it."

"I wouldn't sass you, mammy. You know I wouldn't; but he would have a wife if he married, wouldn't he? If he didn't there wouldn't be any use in marryin', would there?"

"Hush sich foolishness. It would depend altogether on the woman he got."

"Suppose he got me?"

"Look here, Nell. You ain't thinkin' about marryin' him, air you?"

"I owed I might, as he ain't got a cow, and that's about all I'd ask of him. But, mammy, suppose I was to tell you that I love him?"

"I would think you had lost your senses."

"Well, then, I reckon I have, for I do love him. Yes, I love him so much that I despise him and I could knock him down."

"Gracious alive!" the woman cried. "You've upset the churn and all the milk's gone. Come back here to me. You'll break your neck a runnin' off down thar. You are the fetchtakedest creeter I ever seed."

The girl came back, laughing an apology for the mischief which she had wrought, and the woman was scolding her, though with lessening harshness, when the mirthful apology and the reprimand were put to an end by the sudden appearance of a man, who, lazily turning a bend in the path that ran round a corner of the house, came slouching toward the woman. He held up a piece of paper, fluttered it, and drawlingly said:

"Got this here fer Miss Nell."

"For me?" the girl cried, running toward him. She snatched the piece of paper, ran away a short distance, halted, and read the following:

"Now that I have found out you hate me and don't want to be kissed all the time, I am goin' away to be a poet, and when I am one I know you will love me some and will let me kiss you a part of the time at least. If I don't become a poet I never will come back again, for bein' a poet is the only way I can win your love, for that is the only way I can learn to tell you how much I love you, and when I have done that you can't help lovin' me, for then you will see my soul all blazin' for you. I don't reckon I can get to be a poet before Christmas, but I am sure I will by then, so you may look for me Christmas; and if by any strange possibility I don't get to be a poet in time to reach home by Christmas, you just keep on a despisin' me as much as you please, but you must keep on a waitin', and don't let anybody else grab you up like the bass done the pearch, for as I tell you I'll be back.

"Yours, SAM."

A change came with the reading of the note. The noon in her eyes sobered into a twilight. For the first time in her life she was serious. She turned to her mother and said:

"I am awful sorry I turned over that churn."

The woman was surprised. "What's the matter, dear? Never mind about the churn. What's in the note, Nellie?"

"Nothin'; only Sam has gone away and won't come back tell he's a poet and I'm afraid he won't be one before Christmas and I want him now."

"But maybe he can git the job before then. It's a good while till Christmas, and a good many things mout turn up 'twixt now and then. Don't fret none."

But she did fret. She fretted for weeks at a time; at morning when she saw the dew on the trumpet vine, at noon when she stood, gazing into the blue pool, at evening when the whippoorwill sang his sad song. The season ripened, the grain was reaped, the leaves had fallen—Christmas was approaching, coming slowly down, it seemed, from the browning hills.

Christmas Eve, Christmas night. The girl stood in the door, listening. No sounds except the faint hack, hack, hack of an evening's woodchopper, far away, and the lowing of a cold and desolate cow in the ravine. He did not come.

The grass was green again, the leaves came out, the blackberry briars were in bloom, the water pouring over the shelf of slate struck a sweeter, sadder note. The season drew a long breath and another change came.

It was Christmas night, and the girl stood in the door. The belated woodchopper's hack, hack, hack was heard, and the same cold cow was lowing in the ravine.

"Good evening."

"Gracious alive, is this you, Sam?"

"Yes," he said, still standing back from her. The firelight falling upon him showed that he was well dressed.

"Won't you come in, Sam?"

"No, for you'll still have to despise me."

"Why?"

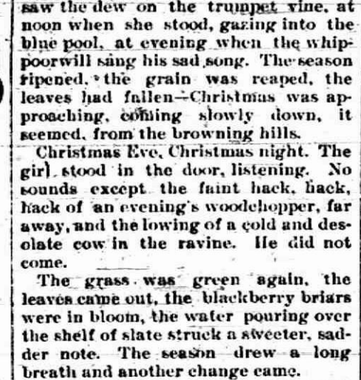
Because I'm not a poet."

"What are you, Sam?"

"I am an agent for a patent churn dasher."

She sprang forward and threw her arms about him. "Oh, I am so glad," she cried. "And you may kiss me all the time."

A CONSIDERATE LOTHARIO.



Don Juan O'Rafferty — Sure, and shave smooth the convexity of me upper lip. I want to make it aisy for the ladies until this missletoe business is over.—Texas Siftings.

Something for the Boy.

Office Boy—Are you going to give me anything for Christmas?

Boss—Oh, yes; a few errands to do.—Detroit Free Press.

The Child of Light.

BY CHARLES EUGENE BANKS.

BORN in a manger at Bethlehem,
Thorn the path He trod,
Mournfully heavy the cross He bore,
Heir to the wisdom of God.

Mournfully heavy the cross He bore,
Broken and steep the way,
Dearer His message because of pain,
Light of the world to-day.

Dearer His message because of pain,
Like by its like caressed,
Gracious as rain to the sun-dried plain,
Millions those tears have blest.

Gracious as rain to the sun-dried plain
Turning the dull earth bright,
Truth is in blossom because of Him,
Ring in the Child of Light.

Truth is in blossom because of Him,
Sin is grown old and gray,
Welcome the gladness of doing good;
Welcome the gentler way.

Welcome the gladness of doing good,
Welcome the joy of love,
Banish the serpent, the hawk and owl,
Welcome the child and dove.

Banish the serpent, the hawk and owl,
Banish the man-made creed,
Welcome the brotherhood broad, divine,
Welcome the MAN indeed.

Welcome the brotherhood broad, divine,
Banish the narrow and mean,
So shall His kingdom be over the earth—
Ring in the Nazarene.

HIS CHRISTMAS GREETING.

BY ELISA ARMSTRONG.

The cemetery gates closed with a clang behind one man as he stepped out into the snow-covered road; it was almost dark and he nearly ran into the other man who stumbled along as if very weary.

"Yonder's th' shortest way into town, isn t it?" the latter asked.

"Yep. Most folks want to know th' shortest way out," he grinned.

"I'm glad enough to get out o' where I was," muttered the other. As he lighted his pipe the flame showed his pale face.

The other man edged away. "Ye ain't been in jail?"

"Worse. Penitentiary. Ye needn't be askeered, though—I've had enough. Didn't do it, either, but, ye see, I was kind o' good for nothin', an' the judge was running for reelection, so I went up. Got out for Christmas, though, on account o' good behavior."

"Um, well, so 'tis Christmas time—folks oughtn't to be hard on nobody now."

"No. I most took ye fer a Christmas ghost a bit ago."

"Been working late. I'm a stone mason, and I'd promised a rich old party

"MARY LYONS WAS THE NAME."

to have a stone put over a child's grave by to-morrow, sure. He said he'd like her to have *something* fer a Christmas gift."

"Poor soul! I'm better off ef he is rich. I'll see my kid to-night. My brother's been taking keer of her since I was took. I'll take her now, an' I'm bound to keep straight, for her sake, from now on. That man got any more kids?"

"None. This was only adopted; belonged to some poor relation, but he loved her like his own. Died sudden about ten days ago—he took it hard, too; said he was forty-nine and she only about ten, so he'd expected she'd choose *his* headstone."

"Poor soul! My girl's most ten now."

"Lemme see," he lit a match and consulted a paper as they walked along, "she was nine years, eleven months and three days old. It was a pretty stone; the boss says: 'Nothing's too good for Mary,' says he."

"Mary! Why, that's my girl's name—here, lemme see that." The match went out and his fingers trembled so that he could not light another.

"Mary Lyons was the name," said the stone mason, gently.

"Merciful God, my own child!" cried the ex-convict.

Then, through the still night air, the glad church bells rang out.

He Was Surprised.

Mrs. Gazzam—I've got a box of cigars for my husband's Christmas present, which will surprise him.

Mrs. Maddox—Women don't know how to buy cigars for men.

Mrs. Gazzam—I know that, so I got brother Jack to get them for me.—Judge.

Bells and Bills.

Mrs. Newlywed—How I love to hear the merry Christmas bells.

Mr. Newlywed—I'd like to hear them, too, if Christmas bells were not so confoundedly suggestive of Christmas bills.

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Day of the children! An infantine laugh is the divinest of songs in the ear of the Christ, who was once a helpless babe, His only shelter a mother's loving breast. The Man-Christ took little ones in His arms and blessed them, declaring that all must be as they in trust and innocence, if they would be heirs to His everlasting kingdom.

Day of home-bringing and home-gathering, when the loved ones meet and unselfishly live in the pleasure each of the other. Tender affection banishes self and man lives in touch with his fellow, glorified of the divine benediction of love. He is nearest to divinity who gets farthest from self, and the gifts of Christmas-tide are so many pledges of disinterested esteem for the recipients. A time is this when care rolls away like a scroll in the fire, and mirth and good will become the all-pervading genii of the household. Love and joy cross the threshold and kiss one another, as they pronounce a blessing upon all beneath the roof. Peace covers the dear ones as a mantle, and gladness so abounds that it is the day of all days throughout the metes and bounds of Christendom.

Christmas of sleigh-bells and crystal snow, Christmas of warmth and flowers, for the Christ-day girdles the earth and embraces all climates and all nations, and everywhere, thank God! it is a day of festive joy and happiness—a fitting commemoration of the fulfillment of the promise made by the herald of God in the glowing words: "I bring you glad tidings of great joy, which shall be unto all people."

It is peculiarly the Christ day, a time when the beauty of His self-abnegating life is reflected in sublime majesty. Never a selfish shadow obscured His path; His the grandest of all epitaphs; He lived and He died that others might live forever. A man without a home. He has gladdened and brightened millions of homes. He was a man of sorrows, acquainted with grief, yet from His presence an ocean of consolation has spread out and covered the earth with its waters of healing. His last prayer was an intercession for His enemies, and His last sigh a breath of confidence in God.

The glory song of the herald angels, sung at the first Christmas, that paean of praise to God and pledge of peace to man, shall never die. The grandest of all carols, dearest of all angel hymns, time has destroyed none of its sweetness and has preserved all of its promise. Peace and amity dwell where the spirit of Jesus prevails, and each Christ day is a benison indeed to those who see His face through the cloffls and the mists of mortality.

Christmas, the home day, the Christ day! May its lessons and its blessings gladden all hearts and make a truth of the common salutation: "A Merry Christmas be upon you."

WILLIAM ROSSER CORBE.

THE FAD OF THE HOUR.

The man in the moon hangs up his stocking.—Golden Days.

An Even Exchange.

Mrs. Bride—I suppose you and Fred will give each other handsome holiday presents?

Miss Fiance—Yes; we have promised to surrender our liberties to each other right away.—Raymond's Monthly.

HIS CHRISTMAS ADVENTURE.

"Did you take Miss Flair under the mistletoe last night?"

"Yes, and then went out under her father's missile-toe."—Judge.

FADLEY'S CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

BY FRANK B. WELCH.

Young Mr. Fadley was in a worry. He had some Christmas presents to buy, and what to get was what worried him. First and foremost, there was Miss Damon, upon whom he was anxious to create an impression—she must have something appropriate and elegant, whether anybody else got anything or not. Then there was his bosom friend and constant companion Harvey, a good fellow who had placed him under obligation times without number—him he could not forget. This being the case, Fadley started out to rummage the stores.

He overhauled all the leading shops in town, and by Christmas Eve had collected what he thought was a pretty sensible lot of presents for an amateur Santa Claus to get together. For the lady of his choice he had a handsome toilet outfit of combs, brushes, powder puffs and boxes, manicure implements, hand mirrors, and no end of other elegant articles for feminine use. These were all inclosed in an elaborately beplushed and inlaid case which was neatly wrapped and all ready to be sent to the intended recipient. For his friend Harvey he had an elegant shaving set, consisting of razors, brushes, cups, hones, etc., done up in a substantial case which was also ready to be dispatched to the home of his friend.

Not daring to trust a messenger with the presents for fear of some mistake Fadley started out himself to deliver them. First he called at Harvey's house, timing his call so as not to catch his friend at home. With his friend's mother he intrusted the package, she promising that it should not be tampered with until Harvey should open

"JUST AS IF I WERE IN NEED OF A SHAVE."

it himself the next morning. Then he called at the abode of Miss Damon. The ring was answered by a servant, who said the young lady was out doing her Christmas shopping. Here was a piece of good luck. Leaving the package with explicit instructions as to its delivery Fadley said he would call, Christmas night, as per previous arrangement with the young lady.

There was a big job off his hands, and Fadley mentally patted himself on the back at having done it up so neatly. He pictured to himself the glad surprise of Miss Damon when she should receive the substantial evidence of his regard, and chuckled over the little surprise in store for his dear friend and chum, Harvey. Early Christmas morning Miss Damon received her package, upon opening which she exclaimed:

"Well, I never! Just as if I were in need of a shave. Who ever has been so kind as to furnish me with this tonsorial outfit?" Then her eye caught the corner of a card sticking out of one of the compartments of the case. This she drew forth and read:

"From yours faithfully,
IL IRA FADLEY."

"Oh!" said the mischievous young lady: "Mr. Fadley, eh? Well, just wait till he comes this evening. I'll bawl 'Next' at him; see if I don't."

Of all the mortified swains that ever got into a pickle Fadley felt the worst when the idol of his heart flashed the shaving tools on him. He was utterly speechless, until it occurred to him that his friend Harvey had his dear one's toilet set and one of the sweetest of little notes that ever a lovesick fellow put together.

"Great snakes!" thought Fadley; "if he reads that note I'll never hear the last of it." Then he explained the mistake and begged off long enough to hasten over to his friend's house to exchange the packages. He found Harvey at home, and as that amiable young man jerked him into the hall he simperingly inquired:

"Is my hat on straight, Ira dear, and how do my bangs look?"

"Say!" fiercely ejaculated Fadley, "if you don't shut your head I'll break it for you!"

But there was no time to be lost, so Fadley, after duly acknowledging that the cigars were on him, gathered up the toilet set and sped back with it to the one for whom it was intended.

That was not the last of the joke on him, by any means. The thing leaked out, as such things invariably do, and poor Fadley was so annoyed by facetious allusions to his Santa Claus experience that he was compelled to threaten with consequences dire anyone who mentioned the subject.

An Absorbing Girl.

"There is no such person as Santa Claus, is there?" asked a small girl of her mother.

"Some folks say there is not," was the reply.

"Well, I don't care. I don't like folks who say there isn't any Santa Claus. They never give any nice presents."—N. Y. Journal.

A Slip.

Dr. Thirdly—I wish you would hold the missionary box until after Christmas; I may want to send some things.

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OR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

OST—Between Mr. Joe. Smith's and East Branch school house, on Oct. 17, last, a fine coal scale, belonging to LAICA KNAPP.

OR SALE.—A second-hand Art Garland Coal stove for sale. J. M. INGERSOLL.

AX NOTICE.—I will be at the following places in the town of Macon to receive taxes during the months of December and January, viz: At S. Sandler's store, Monday, Dec. 24, 1894, and Jan. 7, 1895; at Harrington's store, Tuesdays, Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 and 8; at home every Friday. JOHN WIGGINS, Treasurer of Macon.

WANTED—A few horses to winter. They will be stabled nights. Charges by the week. W. W. COLE.

RIDGEWAY TAXES.—I will receive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway during the month of December at the following places and days, 12, 19, 26, at C. Shute's store; Thursdays, 13, 27, at St. John Witt's real estate; Jan. Haight's store Britton.

C. B. EXELBY, Ridgeway Township Treasurer.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 6, 1894.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star to-night.

Henry Lovejoy, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Mat Root spent several days in Chicago the past week.

Frank Allen, of Toledo, was calling on friends here Monday.

Hard Times social at the Baptist church Tuesday evening, Dec. 18th.

Bert Gould and bride, of Cone, were the guest of Mr. and D. T. Hall, over Sunday.

Quite a large number from Clinton attended the sale and social at the Armory yesterday.

There were fully thirty of the society people of Clinton who witnessed the play at the opera house last evening.

Miss Kittie Drouyour, of Dundee, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Tredecor, on Thanksgiving day.

Horatio Keyser and wife returned home Tuesday night from a month's visit with friends at Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blood of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howland of Adrian, Miss Florence Hyde and Burt Brazee spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blood.

We suppose the gentlemen composing the refreshment committee at the Eastern Star meeting to-night, will show the ladies just how such things should be prepared and served.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the house of Mrs. Griffith, on west Chicago street, during December. A mother's meeting will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

A Union Thanksgiving service was held at the Friend's church on Thanksgiving day. Rev. J. P. Varner preached a fine discourse, appropriate to the occasion, and he was assisted in the services by Rev's Brown, Smith and Bergman.

Landlord Patterson eclipsed all his former efforts on Thanksgiving dinner last week. The menu opened with blue points and closed with ice cream and coffee, and the intermediate courses embraced all the substantials and delicacies of Thanksgiving time. The meal itself and the manner in which it was served, would have done honor to many a city hotel.

Tuesday evening was Election of Officers in the Royal Arcanum Order and this is the result:

Regent—H. J. Tansley.
Vice Regent—Robt. Quackenbush.
Orator—Horace Wescott.
Guide—Chas. H. Reed.
Chaplain—Joseph White.
Warden—Geo. Zimmerman.
Sentry—John Wyrill.
Representative—Wm. McKinney.
Alternate—Chas. McNiel.
Trustee, 3 years—Frank D. Avery.

Sandford C. Cutting and Lavern Heeman are about starting an Electro Plating plant in the same building with the Stimpson Scale Co. They will do the Scale Company's plating and are prepared to do all other kind of work, such as knives, spoons, etc. They are enterprising young men of sterling character, and we bespeak for them any work you may have in their line, feeling assured you will be satisfied in every particular. Give them a trial.

The Armory presented a very attractive picture yesterday afternoon and Friday evening, it being in the hands of the ladies of St. Peter's Guild. The tables were nicely arranged and prettily dressed. The supper was all that one could wish and a fine display of articles for sale. The young ladies who attended to the wants of the guests were unstinting in their labor and added largely to the beauty of the scene. It was indeed a very happy occasion and all seemed loathe to depart, as they were socially inclined.

Yesterday was D. H. C. Bowen's birthday and in honor of the occasion he invited about twenty of his masculine friends out to his home to help him remember it. Dinner was served at one o'clock, after which the boys all adjourned to a log summer house and indulged in some very interesting exercises of a nature whose import is so sheer and hazy that details could not be procured. But from the expressions which four of the victims are carrying to-day, it is surmised that all were satisfied, and that as a stag party, it was a success.

Chas. Egan and family visited their Adrian friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Tate, of Clinton, was the guest of Mesdames Shull and Fisher Monday and Tuesday.

The O. E. S. will serve a Chicken Pie supper at the New Masonic Temple, Dec. 14th, at the Grand Opening.

Mrs. B. T. VanDeMark and friend, W. C. Johnson, of Chicago, spent Sunday evening with Tecumseh ladies.

Public Reception and Grand Opening of the new Masonic Temple, Dec. 14th. Everybody come and see the New Temple.

There will be no regular services at the Universalist church Sunday. The Sunday school will convene at the usual hour.

Claude Teachout and bride, nee Hattie Sheridan, of Brooklyn, were the guests of his brother Fred and family for several days the past week.

Eugene T. VanDeMark, of Chicago, who spent Thanksgiving with his people at Clinton, was in town Friday last. He returned to Chicago Monday.

Thanksgiving day was universally observed by our citizens this year. The business places were all closed and our streets were as quiet as they are on Sunday.

P. S. McKinnon returned from his eastern trip Thursday night. Judging from appearances we should say Boston baked beans and New England pumpkin pie agreed with him.

Grant Fellows is to deliver a lecture in Hudson on "Politics as a fine art." He might tell why he was not given the nomination for congress, when Lenawee had it in its grasp, and cite some of the 'fine arts' that defeated him. He might also tell the Benedict Arnold story.

A large number of Clinton young people attended the masked roller skate at the Armory Tuesday evening, both as spectators and partisipants. Among the latter we noticed Ged. Tag, Geo. Alexander, Louie Fabrique, Ed. Lancaster, John Middlebrook and George McDermott in costume.

Charles P. Reed, of Grand Ledge, arrived Wednesday for a visit with his grandson, Chas. H. Reed and family. Mr. Reed is about 80 years of age, but hale and hearty, is one of the early settlers of Eaton county, and has not only seen the forests turn into fruitfull fields but has been instrumental to a large degree in bringing the change about.

Rev. E. C. Andrus left Monday for a visit with Grand Rapids friends, and especially with his old friend and tutor, Rev. Chas. Fluhrer, who leaves next week for his new field of labor at Albion New York, and preaches his farewell sermon to his Grand Rapids flock Sunday. Mr. Andrus will return next week.

Death has again visited us and taken from our midst one not aged and infirm but young in years, who but a short time ago had the promise of a long life of usefulness before her, namely, Cora D., wife of Ed. McKinney, who died Monday, Dec. 3d. of Peritonitus, aged 26 years. The funeral was held at the house Tuesday at 2 p. m. Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

Jackson Patriot: "Eddy" Dixon went to Tecumseh yesterday. During his ball playing with Providence last season he fattened his batting average with two bats made at Tecumseh. These clubs were the objects of envy from many of the eastern players, but 'Eddy' preferred to flesh up his batting record rather than sell them for handsome prices. He will take a bag full of Tecumseh bats with him next season.

The other day we dropped into the Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Company's new grocery store and found one of the neatest and most conveniently arranged places in town. Owing to their increased trade they were obliged to make large additions to their room. They have as fine a line of groceries of the best quality as can be found. It is surprising to see the quantity of goods a dollar will buy here. Call and see for yourself. Leon will take great pleasure in showing you around.

The Masked Roller Skate at the Armory, Thanksgiving night, attracted a large crowd of spectators, and one hundred skaters about thirty of whom were in costume. It was a very pleasant party and all seemed to enjoy themselves. Gray's orchestra discoursed fine music which added largely to the pleasure of the occasion. Under the admirable management of Company C boys the skating parties are becoming very popular beside being a source of revenue to the company. Miss Lillie Van Watson received the prize for the finest costume for a lady and Lewis Bangs for the worst costume for a gentleman. They skated until ten and then danced till midnight.

The game of foot ball between Clinton and the home team Thursday was of short duration, and, though not exactly breaking up in a row, still all was not in harmony and ended in Clinton's leaving the ground. As usual in such cases, the poor Umpire had to shoulder all the blame, in other words, was the one at fault. We think it high time if the teams from the two places are to meet in battle array they have for umpire and referee some one from away, not connected with either town. This seems the only way out of the dilemma, for if one is chosen from either place there is a great deal of wrangling if the game is played at all, and the people are tired of it.

Chicken Pie Supper at the New Masonic Temple, Dec. 14th.

Misses Franc and Blanche Middlebrook, of Clinton, were Tecumseh callers Saturday.

Save your 25cts. for all the chicken pie you can eat, at the Grand Opening of the New Masonic Temple.

Miss Augusta Kirchgessner attended the Catholic Bazaar at Manchester, Tuesday and had a delightful time.

Rev. W. Tyrer Williams, of Tipton, left yesterday for a month's visit in the New England states. He will return via Canada. This trip is taken in hopes of restoring his health which for some time has not been good, and his people hope he will return to them in perfect strength.

Henry Smith, our enterprising Paper Mill man, has supplied a long felt want by erecting a large store room just south of the mills proper. The building is 18x60 feet, in the south end of which 20 feet has been partitioned off for the purpose of storing a hose cart for use in that part of town.

The election of Relief Corps Officers Monday evening, resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Spalding.
Sen. Vice—Mrs. Austin.
Jun. Vice—Mrs. Smith.
Chaplain—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Conductor—Mrs. Geo. VanTyne.
Guard—Mrs. Deuel.
Treasurer—Mrs. Welling.

Eugene, the youngest son of Fred Rosacrans, has been very seriously ill the past week. For a time his life hung as it were in the balance, and Dr. Eugene Tremaine, of Chicago, was summoned, reaching here in the middle of the night Sunday. By close attention and careful nursing the symptoms are more favorable at the present time and hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Married, Nov. 28th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gilman, their daughter, Miss Minnie Pomeroy to Mr. Clarence Gilmore, of Lake Ridge. Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating. The bride is one of Tecumseh's favorites, a graduate of our high school, and an active worker in St. Peter's church. She goes away with the best wishes of her many friends. They will be home in Lake Ridge, after Dec. 5th.

A long felt want has at last been met. The Reading Room, so long talked of, opened on Saturday in rooms just vacated by Dr. Frost. Thanks to the generosity of Mr. Andrus who contributed largely, and the care of the committees the tables were well stacked with the the newest periodicals. This will be a pleasant place to put in the leisure moments. We hope it will be well patronized.

The special color for the altar hangings in St. Peter's church during Advent season, is purple. The superfrontal has lately been richly embroidered by Mrs. Burt Anderson, in the design of the passion vine with buds and open flowers, being used last Sunday for the first time since the new work was finished. Miss Louise Phelps and Mrs. L. P. Tribou have also been working for the enrichment of altar materials, having embroidered Greek crosses on the white and the purple chalice veils.

At the meeting of Beers' Post, Monday evening, the following officers were elected:

Commander—Henry W. Stevens.
Senior Vice—Augustus Middlebrook.
Junior " —Jehiel Davidson.
Sergeant—Miles Baldwin.
Chaplain—Dr. L. Barnes.
Quarter-master—George VanTyne.
Officer of the Day—William Smallidge
Officer of the Guard—George N. Chidister.
Adjutant—A. W. Slayton.
Sentinel—Chas. E. Barry.
Delegates to Department Encampment John L. Jackson, 1st., Straud F. Marteller 2d. Alternate—William DeMott.

We are called upon to chronicle the death of another of our old citizens, Mrs. Emily Haight, which occurred last Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Coryell, on Pottawatamie street, being confined to her bed only two days. Mrs. Haight was born in the state of New York, June 13th, 1809, and died Nov. 29th, 1894. She has been a resident of this vicinity for many years and is well known to our older residents. Her funeral was held at the residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

The Dramatic season opened at Sutton's Opera House last evening with "The Burglar." Seldom is there seen so large an audience at a theatrical entertainment as was present on this occasion, and Mr. Sutton is to be congratulated in securing so fine a company, every member of which sustained their character admirably; in fact, little or no criticism could be made. Not posing as a dramatic critic, we will not enter into a detailed account of the play further than to say, it is a very choice society play, chaste, refined, and the stage settings were appropriate and pretty. All seemed to appreciate the improvements recently made in the curtains and scenery, and could Manager Sutton have heard the compliments given by different ones, his statue might have assumed increased proportions. There was one or two things that marred the enjoyment of the occasion, viz: the way the drop curtains worked and the lack of a suitable orchestra. These we are satisfied will be looked after in future, and everything be in proper working order. We cannot forbear mentioning the acting of little Gertie Carlisle as Editha. Never has this people ever seen such superb work done by so young an artist, and she carried the audience by storm.

J. Raynor Lilley arrived last night for a visit with Lucius Lilley and family.

A. P. Coddington and wife have returned from their visit with friends in Detroit.

Lon Haight, of Cleveland, and Melvin Haight, of Mason, were called here by the death of Mrs. Emily Haight.

I. P. Keyser informs us that although he is home for the winter his stock of celery is not all disposed of having several thousand dozens still on hand. He expects however to have it all sold this month.

The regular annual Christmas party will be given this year at Armory Hall, on Christmas night. As the committee completed their arrangements but a few moments before we went to press, further particulars will be given later. The party, however, is an assured event.

—You will find a choice line of trimmed Hats from $1.00 to $5.00 at Mrs. M. A. FREEMAN'S.

—Don't fail to see the $20.00 suits and $20.00 overcoats just placed on sale at J. C. HAZLETT'S.

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MITCHELL & CLARK.

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—Get your pictures framed at Teeple's gallery. He has the finest mouldings ever brought to this village and prices are way down. Call and it will pay you.

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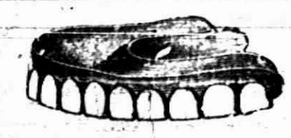

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MICHIGAN MURDER RECORD.

Agitation for Capital Punishment Prompted by Brutal Crimes.

DETROIT, Dec. 3.—No subject for legislation which the coming state legislature will be called upon to discuss will command greater interest or have more supporters than the measure to secure capital punishment for the crime of murder. The epidemic of crime that has swept over the state in the last two months has been appalling to all lovers of law, and sentiment in favor of a radical change in the present manner of punishing murder and attempts at it are crystallizing rapidly about a capital punishment law. A list of the crimes of this kind committed in Michigan in the last two months serves only to emphasize the necessity for more stringent punishment than the laws of the state at present afford. The list since September 22 follows:

Sept. 22.—Ira Hurd was shot dead in his own home at Allegan. His wife is at present out on $3,000 bail, charged with the shooting. O. W. Ludlow was arrested and tried on the charge of murder, but was acquitted.

Sept. 23.—Sarah Isale was shot dead in this city by Frank White, a friend.

Oct. 8.—Willard Johnson was found dead on the banks of the St. Joseph river, near Colon, with bullet holes through his body. Dell Swarts and Millourn Rockwell are under arrest charged with the crime.

Oct. 30.—An unknown man entered the house of Fred Skinner, near Columbiaville, and crushed in the skulls of Skinner's wife and mother. The mother is dead and the wife may die.

Nov. 4.—At Otsekama, Sam Smith crushed in the skull of Minard Mix. His plea is self-defense.

Nov. 21.—Mrs. Margaret Maddock, an aged Salvation Army worker, was set upon while going home at night and her head crushed in by footpads. No one has been arrested for the murder.

Besides the foregoing array there has been a score of cases in which life has been endangered by assaults and attempts to kill.

TO MANUFACTURE ANTI-TOXINE

Detroit Chemists to Experiment with the New Diphtheria Remedy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—The officials of the Marine hospital service have been notified that a large firm of manufacturing chemists at Detroit, Mich., is making preparations for the manufacture of anti-toxine, the new remedy for diphtheria, which has created such widespread interest in Europe. This is believed to be the first house of its character in the United States to begin experiments, and already they have taken active steps to scientifically demonstrate its value. It is understood this firm has established a bacteriological department, where the experiments will be carried on under the direction of competent scientists. A number of young horses already have been inoculated with the toxin, but it is said it will be three or four months before the results of the experiments can be announced, as the processes are said to be not only delicate but tedious.

DETROIT'S MAYOR ON BREAD.

Pingree Says Bakers Charge Too Much and Threatens to Turn Baker.

DETROIT, Nov. 30.—Mayor Hazen S. Pingree at his address before the American Institute of Christian Sociology announced a war on high bread prices. In the course of his address he said when flour was $3 a barrel ten years ago the baker charged 6 cents a loaf. Flour is only $3 a barrel, but the baker continues to charge the same 6 cents. The mayor declared that this overcharge must stop at once. If it does not he declared he would build a huge bakery in this city and supply the people with their bread at the rate of three loaves for 6 cents.

INDIAN DEFIES A LAW.

Antoine Rivard Thinks a Treaty Superior to a State Game Statute.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 30.—Antoine Rivard, a full-blooded Chippewa Indian from Fort Wayne, has raised an interesting legal point. He was arrested for trying to ship venison out of the state. He claimed that the treaty made by his tribe with the government gives him the right to kill deer over the entire northwest territory, and that under the treaty he can ship the deer to his wigwam despite any state or local laws to the contrary. He will fight the case. Rivard is sufficiently advanced in civilization to own a 600-acre farm.

Flouring Mills Burned.

FLINT, Dec. 2.—The Thread flouring mills were destroyed by fire Saturday evening. The flames gained headway so quickly that five streams were ineffectual in checking them. Upward of 5,000 bushels of wheat and 500 barrels of flour were also burned. The plant was comparatively new and was owned by a local stock company. The total loss is estimated at $45,000. Two firemen who were overcome by heat fell from a ladder and suffered temporary injuries.

Acquitted.

BIG RAPIDS, Nov. 30.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Marion Davis, charged with poisoning her baby with carbolic acid, rendered a verdict of not guilty after being out only five minutes. The defense was that Mrs. Davis was not responsible at the time, owing to the fact that she was suffering from puerperal mania. The verdict has popular approval.

Caught in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 3.—Thomas Young was arrested here and taken to Pontiac to be tried for stealing forty bushels of beans nine years ago. His father, who was implicated in the alleged theft, was found guilty at the time and sent to prison. The boy made his escape before being brought to trial.

Michigan Schoolmasters Met.

CADILLAC, Dec. 1.—The North Michigan Schoolmasters' club, over 100 strong, began its annual meeting here Friday. In the afternoon James H. Kays, of Reed City, and D. E. McClure, of Shelby, read papers. In the evening Dr. College, of the Congregational church, lectured on "Second Fiddles."

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Various Localities.

The Michigan Manufacturing company of Otsego, Allegan county, has moved its office and factory to Grand Rapids.

Sheriff Walkenshaw suppressed the usual Thanksgiving turkey raffles in Battle Creek saloons by threatening to prosecute participators under the gambling statute.

At Ludington Charles Olson was run over by a switch engine, receiving injuries from which he died in a few hours. He was 67 years old.

Herrick Bros.' flouring mills at Dorr were burned recently. Loss estimated at from $8,000 to $8,000; insured for $2,000.

Thirteen Thanksgiving marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk of Kent county last Wednesday.

At Burt the house of a section hand named Casline was destroyed by fire and his 7-year-old daughter burned to a crisp.

The November shipments of lumber from Bay City aggregated 16,000,000 feet and from Saginaw 3,000,000 feet.

At Grand Rapids on Thursday four young ladies renounced the world and were consecrated by Bishop Richter as nuns of the Dominican order.

Grand Rapids furniture manufacturers are preparing an appeal to the legislature to adopt measures to prevent the manufacture of high grade furniture in the Ionia house of correction as contemplated by the managers of that institution.

Burglars broke into Edward Jarvis' shoe factory at Benton Harbor, taking away sixty pairs of shoes, valued at $200.

The reform school at Lansing is populated by 521 boys.

Chicago parties have bought the old fair grounds at Niles for $20,000, and will refit the track and hold races there next summer.

There is plenty of work and laborers are scarce in the pineries and cedar swamps in the vicinity of Escanaba.

The annual meeting of the Lake Carriers' association will be held in Detroit beginning January 9 at the Cadillac hotel.

William Dungill, an 18-year-old colored boy, was drowned at Dowagiac while skating.

MOVED THE COUNTY SEAT.

St. Joseph Becomes the Capital of Berrien County, Mich.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Dec. 3.—Saturday was a gala day in St. Joseph, with bands, processions and general promenading by several hundred people welcoming the return of the county seat and records to Berrien Springs after an absence of fifty-seven years. The Berrien county property of a portable nature has been transferred by teams and wagons 18 miles overland to the new county seat. Thirty-one wagonloads of furniture, time-stained records, etc., were removed during the week so quietly that none but officials knew the work was going on. Circuit court adjourned last Wednesday night until December 24, when proceedings will open in the new county capital.

Smugglers Caught.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 3.—The police and customs officers have just run down a gang of smugglers who have for a year past been smuggling thousands of dollars' worth of Turkish embroideries and fancy goods from Windsor to Detroit. Four members of the gang have been arrested, two of them being women. Most of the goods were shipped to New York. Certain Armenian and Syrian merchants in New York have been selling these goods at less than their cost to importers, but although they were closely watched the discovery of the smugglers was brought about by the Detroit police.

MURDERED AND ROBBED.

Aged Man Near Lansing, Mich., Beaten to Death with a Bludgeon.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. —Michigan is rapidly acquiring an unenviable reputation for mysterious murders. At least six have been committed in the state since October 1, and none of the murderers has been arrested. The latest victim was Michael Goyt, who was found dead in his cabin in Locke township, northwest of this city, Tuesday. For some reason the police were not notified until Thursday. After dispatching Goyt, who was 83 years old, with a bludgeon, the murderer took a large sum of money and departed. At present there is little hope of unraveling the mystery.

TO STAMP OUT DIPHTHERIA.

Detroit Schools Will Remain Closed and Be Disinfected.

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—At a special meeting of the board of education it was decided to keep the public schools closed for another week, the better to get rid of diphtheria. It is expected that in another week the work of disinfecting the buildings and contents will have been completed. There is said to be no immediate danger of the spread of diphtheria, however. The pastors of all churches are requested to close the Sunday schools.

Death of Charles H. Ellis.

DETROIT, Dec. 1.—Charles H. Ellis, a well-known civil engineer, died at his residence here Friday morning of apoplexy. Mr. Ellis was born in Woonsocket, R. I., in 1841, and commenced his career as a civil engineer on the Fitchburg road. He was the engineer who built the Detroit & Butler and the Detroit & Bay City railroads.

Democratic Expenses.

DETROIT, Dec. 1.—Chairman Stevenson swears that the democratic state central committee expended $10,330 during the late campaign.

Dropped Dead.

BATTLE CREEK, Dec. 1.—James A. Way, of Marshall, this county, a prominent banker, dropped dead Friday, aged 83 years.

PINGREE'S POTATO SCHEME.

Commission in Charge Makes a Report Giving Facts and Figures.

DETROIT, Dec. 3.—According to the report of the commission which had Mayor Pingree's potato farm scheme in charge it was a complete success. There were 5,000 applications from the poor for land to cultivate; 410 acres of land were cultivated, and 945 families provided with pieces of ground averaging from a quarter to half an acre each. The land was planted two-thirds to potatoes and the rest in garden truck. Nine-tenths of the land was well cultivated. The average yield of potatoes was fifteen bushels to the family. At a low estimate 14,175 bushels of potatoes were raised, valued at from $12,000 to $14,000 net to the cultivators. Besides this a large quantity of white beans and other vegetables was raised. The total cost of seed furnished was $3,000. The committee has received a large number of applications from the poor for pieces of land for next year, the applicants asking only for the ground, spading and cultivating to be done by themselves. The report says it is found that about one-third of an acre of land to the family is enough to raise sufficient potatoes to last an average sized family through the winter and vegetables enough to last it through the summer. The report advocates the establishment of a permanent city poor farm.

WEATHER REPORT IN COURT.

The City of Detroit Wins in a Suit for $10,000 Damages.

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—Weather service reports served the city a good purpose in court Saturday where Mahala Sawtelle was suing the city for $10,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received on a defective sidewalk. The woman claimed to have fallen owing to a 6-inch difference in a sidewalk grade. It was shown there was only a difference of 4 or 5 inches, but the principal evidence that affected the jury was because it was alleged it was a rainy night, whereas the signal service showed the temperature that day ranged from zero to 7 degrees below. The jury brought in a verdict for the city.

TO TEST CONVICT LABOR LAW.

Detroit Metal Polishers Begin Proceedings Against Jackson Prison Authorities.

LANSING, Nov. 30.—The Metal Polishers' union of Detroit is about to commence proceedings with a view to ascertaining if the law relative to the management of the prisons of Michigan permits contracts for the labor of convicts to be made. It is claimed that the present law, which was enacted two years ago, repealed the contract feature of the old law. The state prison at Jackson is about to make a contract with the Derby Cycle company, of Chicago, and the metal polishers will endeavor to prevent its consummation.

THE MARVIN CASE.

Despite the Judge's Severe Charge the Jury Disagrees.

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—The jury in the case of Frederick Marvin, ex-cashier of the Third national bank, charged with embezzlement, after having been locked up all night, reported Saturday that they were unable to agree, and were discharged. The jury stood six to six from first to last. The prosecution probably will try the case over again as soon as possible. The defense regard the result as a substantial victory in the face of the judge's severe charge.

Crew Refuses to Sail.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 1.—The crew of the steamer Alcona, which reached here Friday, jumped on the dock as soon as the boat reached the canal and refused to go any farther in it. The Alcona had a load of coal for Lake Superior, and the seamen declared that the boat was not in a fit condition to brave the stormy Lake Superior during the heavy winter gales. The Alcona was taken to the dock of Pickands, Mather & Co., at Detour, and will be unloaded and laid up.

Canadian Gas in Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—The big natural gas main which the Detroit Gas company has been pulling across to Canada beneath the Detroit river successfully brought the product of the Canadian gas fields into this city Saturday afternoon. The gas came through all right and now fully half the consumers in this city of natural gas are using the Canadian product. The company will immediately begin laying a second pipe.

A Pioneer Gone.

VICKSBURG, Nov. 29.—Lydia Eldred died in this village early Wednesday morning, aged 75 years. She was the widow of Andrew Eldred, who died in 1859. She had lived in Schoolcraft township over 60 years. She was the mother of Mrs. Alma Brainard, who was shot and killed by her husband, Charles Brainard, August 15 last.

Can Charge Mileage.

LANSING, Nov. 30.—The new state board of auditors have so far made no charge for mileage to and from meetings. In April they asked Attorney General Ellis for an opinion. Ellis now declares that they have a legal right to charge mileage.

Not Wanted in North Dakota.

BUCHANAN, Dec. 1.—The North Dakota authorities will not ask a requisition for George Swearinger, and the man will be left in Michigan to defend himself against the charges of murderously assaulting Augustus Vetter.

Killed by the Cars.

HOLLAND, Dec. 3.—David Zoll was struck while driving across the tracks Saturday by a fast mail train and killed. His wagon was demolished, but the horses were unhurt.

Mr. Fisher's Election Expenses.

LANSING, Nov. 30.—Spencer O. Fisher, of West Bay City, late democratic candidate for governor, makes affidavit that he spent $3,534.54 during the campaign.

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DOMESTIC.

DURING a quarrel Jacob Mohow shot Mrs. Kate Doman at Lancaster, Pa., and then killed himself.

EX-CONGRESSMAN WALTER H. BUTLER, principal of the normal college at Oelwein, Ia., disappeared mysteriously.

A NEW and dangerous counterfeit $2 silver certificate made its appearance in Omaha. It bears the portrait of William Windom, and the signatures of W. S. Rosecrans, register of the treasury, and E. H. Nebeker, treasurer of the United States, series of 1891.

ISAAC TAYLOR and wife and Miss Kidwell were run down and killed by a train on a bridge at South Branch, Md., while on their way to church.

ALMOST the entire business portion of Marion, N. C., was burned, the loss being estimated at $125,000.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 26th was: Wheat, 83,944,000 bushels; corn, 3,842,000 bushels; oats, 9,191,000 bushels; rye, 442,000 bushels; barley, 8,949,000 bushels.

IN his annual report Postmaster General Bissell recommends the extension of the free delivery system, quickening of railroad transportation and revision of the law as to second-class matter. The revenue for the year was $75,080,479; expenditures, $84,824,444; leaving a deficiency of $9,243,935.

HERBERT D. GLYNN, who died in New York, opened the gates of Castle Garden in 1855 to the first immigrant who passed through it.

THE four military companies at Selma, Ala., were ordered to hold themselves in readiness to move to Montgomery at a moment's notice to resist an attack on the state capitol in case the Kolb faction of the populist party tried to take possession and seat Kolb as governor.

SURGEON GENERAL WYMAN reports that 52,803 seamen were treated by the marine hospital service during the year ended June 30.

THE trans-Mississippi congress met at St. Louis, 400 delegates being present. Resolutions were introduced and irrigation discussed.

MISS MARY OCKANDER, aged 18 years, and a younger sister were drowned while skating on a pond at Bancroft, Neb.

THE National bank of the republic of New York was robbed by one of its employes of $5,200.

BANDITS tried to hold up a train near Bragg Station, I. T., but were foiled by the engineer putting on full steam.

SENATOR BUTLER alleges the South Carolina election laws are unconstitutional and asks that the state treasurer and comptroller be enjoined from taking office.

SAMUEL G. SEELY, charged with defrauding the Shoe and Leather bank of New York, would, it was said, surrender and make a confession, involving several prominent men.

NEAL BROTHERS, of Portland, the heaviest millers in eastern Indiana, failed for $100,000 and no assets.

SECRETARY CARLISLE awarded the new $50,000,000 issue of bonds to the Stewart syndicate of New York.

BECAUSE of numerous quarrels Mrs. Godfrey Weinholtz killed her brother, Ernest Weisner, at Eldora, Ia., and then poisoned herself.

HARRY and Eugene Sanders, of Mauch Chunk, Pa., aged 11 and 12 years, were killed by the cars while picking up coal on the tracks.

THE legislative committee of the Michigan Teachers' association will ask the legislature to prohibit the issuance of teachers' certificates to any person who uses tobacco in any form.

THE Security national bank of Grand Island, Neb., was forced to suspend.

THE firm of Switzer, New, Witter & Co., one of the largest dry goods houses in Vicksburg, Miss., failed for $148,000.

GASTON CAZENAVETTE was arrested in Chicago with 10,000 bogus lottery tickets in his possession which he had arranged to dispose of.

DIRECTOR OF THE MINT PRESTON in his annual report says the gold coinage of the fiscal year ended June 30 last was $99,474,912, the largest ever executed. The silver coinage was $6,977,296. The estimated metallic stock of coin and bullion in the United States was: Gold, $627,293,291; silver, $624,847,757, a total of $1,251,640,958. The net gold exports for the fiscal year were $4,172,665, against $86,892,275 in 1893. The net exports of silver were $31,041,359, against $7,653,831 for the previous year.

ALMOST the entire business portion of Lyndonville, Vt., was swept by fire, the loss being $200,000.

LAWYER EDWARD P. HILLIARD was shot and killed at his desk in Chicago by Henry C. Hastings, who claimed he had been defrauded of his property.

DROUGHT had dried up everything in Oklahoma and prairie fires were doing much damage.

THE clothing store of A. Nathan was destroyed by fire at Great Falls, Mont., the damage being $200,000.

THE Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company has put additional armed guards on its express cars on its line going through Indian territory.

THE Kendall Banking company at Howard, S. D., closed its doors.

THE Cherokee legislature will send a strong delegation to Washington to oppose any statehood measure.

JUDGE DALLAS, of Philadelphia, decided that the Reading railroad receivers had the right to discharge an employe who belonged to a brotherhood.

THE most wonderful village of cliff dwellers extant was discovered in the Bradshaw mountains in Arizona.

The corner stone of a new $100,000 courthouse at Winamac, Ind., was laid under masonic auspices.

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SIX armed men went into a faro bank at Baker City, Ore., and took all the money on hand, about $1,100.

THE business part of the town of Athens, Ala., was almost totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $150,000.

THE Shelley hoop and stave factory at Holgate, O., was burned down by employes who went on a strike.

AMBROSE WOODS, a farmer, and his wife were killed by the cars at Carey, O.

JOHN PENSEYERS rode a straightaway unpaced mile at Buffalo, N. Y., in 1:52 2-5, lowering Johnson's world's bicycle record.

THE Indiana supreme court decided the fee and salary law unconstitutional as applied to county treasurers.

SECRETARY GRESHAM asked an explanation of Great Britain as to her occupancy of the Mosquito reservation.

OWING to the hard times receipts from stamps, stamped envelopes and postal cards fell off over $2,000,000 during the year.

SECRETARY HERBERT in his annual report recommends the construction of three additional battleships and twelve torpedo boats. During the year five ships have been added to the naval list, the Marblehead, Columbia, Olympia, Montgomery and Minneapolis.

THE Bank of Canova, S. D., suspended payment.

DR. GEORGE R. FORTINER, of Camden, N. J., died of bristles from a toothbrush that lodged in his throat eight months ago.

THE Missouri Pacific abandoned night trains in the Indian territory because of the prevailing terrorism.

THE extensive potteries of the Galloway Terra Cotta company were destroyed by fire at Philadelphia, the loss being $100,000.

AT San Francisco the James Lick monument, completed at a cost of $100,000, was unveiled.

GEORGIA representatives refused to make an appropriation for the state militia and it may have to disband.

THE annual report of Superintendent Kimball, of the life saving service, shows that during the year ended June 30, 1894, there were 594 disasters; value of property involved, $10,000,420; property saved, $8,768,215; property lost, $2,237,205; number of persons involved, 4,521; persons lost, 68.

THE sugar trust closed its refineries in Boston, New York and Philadelphia, throwing 50,000 men out of employment.

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE MILLER'S annual report shows a falling off in receipts during the year of $18,836,540.

THE Lozier bicycle factory at Toledo, O., where 25,000 machines were being constructed, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $500,000.

THE schooner Gracie H. Benson was sunk in a collision in Boston harbor and six of her crew were drowned.

METAMORA, a village in Ohio, was almost obliterated by fire, seven stores, a church and several residences being destroyed.

ENGINEERS are at work surveying for the Atlantic & Pacific railroad, which is to be an air line from New York to Chicago.

IN his annual report Secretary Morton suggests exporting dressed beef instead of live cattle, in view of the prohibition of foreign governments.

MRS. JACOB SCHOPPENHELM and her two children were burned to death in a fire at St. Louis.

THE business portion of Murdock, Minn., was destroyed by fire.

FOOTBALL players riding to a game were struck by a train at Southbridge, Mass., and two were killed and sixteen injured, three of them fatally.

G. N. RICHARDS at Watkins, N. Y., murdered Miss Kittie Quirk and then committed suicide because jealous.

THE annual report of Secretary Hoke Smith, of the interior department, deals largely with Indian affairs. The report also shows that the total disbursements to date for the eleventh census amount to $10,365,076. The entire number of pensioners upon the rolls June 30, 1894, was 969,544. The estimate for the fiscal year 1896 is $140,000,000.

MRS. W. K. WALTERS, of Palarm, Ark., locked her three children in the house and returned to find all of them burned to death.

FOREST fires were raging in Mississippi, resulting in large losses of timber, fences, etc. No rain of any consequence had fallen since August last.

ABOUT 1,800 feet of the water front of Tacoma slipped into Puget sound, killing two persons.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 30th ult. aggregated $1,803,820,000, against $1,019,959,895 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 2.9.

BRADSTREET'S New York commercial agency reports a marked improvement in business throughout the eastern and middle states.

IN his annual report Secretary Lamont urges an increase in the army to 80,000, and praises the men for their work during the strikes. The expenditures for the last fiscal year were $56,039,009, the appropriations for the current year are $52,429,112, and the estimates for the next year are $52,318,620.

THERE were 289 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 30th ult., against 329 the week previous and 271 in the corresponding time in 1893.

WHILE August Miller and wife, living near Gettysburg, S. D., were away, their home was burned, together with their three children.

THREE negro prisoners at Polkton, N. C., were burned to death in a fire they themselves started.

THE report of James Kerr, clerk of the house of representatives, shows that for the year ended June 30, 1894, the salaries of members and other expenses of the house amounted to $930,930, of which total $236,539 was for the hire of members' clerks.

AFTER a mysterious absence of three years Frank Smith returned to St. Joseph, Mo., and found his wife married to James Burns.

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It looks as though William L. Strong was going to have something to say about the running of the coming municipal administration.

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Things are looking brighter for Mr. Hill. It has been found that two votes were cast for him for Governor in Pennsylvania, and he is now looking hopefully at Texas.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315 Mail.	No. 317 Express.	No. 379 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	9 00 A.M.	5 50 P.M.	12 40 P.M.
Kalamazoo.....	6 20 "	9 07 "	1 35 "
Norvell.....	6 37 "	9 29 "	1 55 "
Manchester.....	6 48 "	9 45 "	2 08 "
Clinton.....	6 58 "	9 55 "	2 18 "
Tecumseh.....	7 09 "	10 11 "	2 33 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 26 "	10 45 "	3 00 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	1 20 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 15 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 318 Express	No. 345 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 40 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 51 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 30 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 37 "

Trains run on New Standard of 90th Meridian Time

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No. 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
	A. M. 12 25	12 55	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith.....	1 55	
	A. M. 1 39		Yorkville.....	1 14	A. M.
A. M. 7 30	2 07		Battle Creek.....	12 45	1 32
8 21	2 18		Marshall.....	12 14	12 32
9 11	3 06		Homer.....	11 45	11 46
10 15	3 37		Hanover.....	11 14	11 08
11 59	4 17		Addison.....	10 40	10 18
12 05	4 23		Devils Lake.....	10 27	9 54
12 25	4 36		Onsted.....	10 14	9 36
	4 43		Sand Lake.....	10 07	*9 25
1 08	4 51		Tipton.....	9 58	9 14
1 42	5 06		Tecumseh.....	9 43	8 51
2 05	5 15		Ridgeway.....	9 31	8 37
2 40	5 29		Britton.....	9 28	8 30
3 10	5 33		Rea.....	9 15	*8 10
3 22	5 42		Dundee.....	9 05	7 57
5 15	6 30		A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 00
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows:

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	8:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	8:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
‡No. 50 Mail and Express	6:55 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:49 A. M., 11:25 A. M., 8:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owosso, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadalac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Dundee,

6:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 8:22 p. m.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long north and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the southeast corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), of town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE, Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Litchard, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Alfred Lewis or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy).

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Francis C. Rector deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of C. Burridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 15th day of December, 1894 and on the 28th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 28th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 6, 1894.

B. F. Greenleaf was in Adrian Tuesday.

Frank Woodward visited Hudson on Saturday.

Quarterly Meeting at the M. E. church, Sunday.

Miss Sadie Jackson, of Macon, was calling on friends Saturday.

Ed. Morgan, of Mason, visited Clinton friends the last of the week.

John A. Bush and family spent Sunday with friends at Saline.

Grace Stevens entertains friends at her home tomorrow evening.

The bridge builders finish here this week, and then come the bricklayers.

Spencer Morgan, of Macon, was shaking hands with Clinton friends Saturday.

A representative from the firm of Bean & Chamberlain of Hudson, was in town Tuesday.

S. W. Demuth, wife and Willie, returned home from St. Louis, Mich., Saturday night.

Albert and Nellie Kispaugh entertained the pedro club with a fine dinner Thanksgiving.

Wm. Dewey offers his residence for sale, as he intends going back on his farm in the spring.

Lizzie Kirk, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Margaret Ebbett from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. Martha Camburn and Florence, of Macon, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Niblack, Friday.

Will Aten, of Grand Rapids, brother of Watson Aten, has been visiting old friends and neighbors the past week.

Willard D. VanTuyle has been appointed guardian for Mrs. Josephine Cook, in place of Prof. Estabrook, deceased.

The foundation for the woolen company's new building has been laid and they will begin laying brick the first of the week.

Frank L. Woodward has bought B. F. Greenleaf's interest in the Clinton Plow Company and will continue the business alone.

J. V. Amspoker and wife, Wm. C. Rogers and wife and Bert Tate and wife spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. C. Pawson, in Franklin.

The house occupied by Thos. Wadsworth, near the railroad, was found to be on fire Saturday morning, but the flames were speedily extinguished.

The Hotel Elrose is, and has been for some time, filled to overflowing; and so is the Lancaster House. We hope it may continue to be so all the time.

The work of putting in the furnace at St. John's Episcopal church is progressing rapidly. When finished, it will be a very comfortable improvement.

Wm. C. Rogers, wife and Floyd, E. S. Tate and wife, and E. A. Clark and wife attended the funeral, Sunday, of Mr. Roger's sister, Mrs. Thos. Alderdyce, at Cambridge.

Alice Halladay, Hollis Taylor and Johnnie Tuttle, from Albion college, and Floyd Rogers, from Orchard Lake, came home to spend thanksgiving with their parents.

Charles Larzelere, of Dowagiac, has been visiting his daughters, Mesdames Brooks and Corwin, and old friends, the past week. There was a large and happy gathering of relatives Thanksgiving day.

Frank E. Brown has accepted a position with the Champion company and left for the scene of his labors the first of the week. Frank is a good machine man and no doubt will prove valuable to them.

Geo. C. Lindsley has purchased Frank Brown's interest in the hardware stock and taken his position there. George is as slender as usual but hopes the business may agree with him. Success to you, George.

Ralph Starr, son of Charles Starr of Three Rivers, and grandson of Geo. Starr, who lived and died here, who is traveling for a cutlery house, spent Sunday here. He met many acquaintances of his father's, besides forming many pleasant ones himself among the young people here.

The Episcopal ladies are making great preperations for their business representative sale, which occurs at the town hall on the afternoon of Dec. 18—one week from today. The hall will be very handsomely decorated. Many useful and beautiful articles will be offered for sale, and the supper will be fine. There will be twelve tables, furnished by twelve of our business houses, and this will be quite a novelty. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock, at 15 cents. Do not fail to be present.

We understand that B. F. Greenleaf and family contemplate returning to Leonidas very soon, he having disposed of his interest in the Plow company. We shall regret very much to lose them, for in their short sojourn here they have made many friends. Mr. G is one of the sterling business men of the age, courteous, active and honorable, and during his connection with the Plow company the business of that institution has rapidly increased and been extended.

The town was left in utter darkness Monday evening for about three hours, owing to the machinery at the electric light plant being out of whack,—the wrist, as it is termed. There was a terrible scurrying around after lamps among the good housewives and business men. This occurrance demonstrated to all what an improvement electricity is over oil, and our system of lighting will be appreciated as never before. The total eclipse occasioned no little merriment as well as hustling.

A. P. Halladay, one of our old and well known citizens, who for the past two years has been in poor health, passed away Monday morning, aged 67 years. He has been one of the deacons in the Congregational church for many years. His funeral was held at his late residence, yesterday at 2 p. m., his pastor, Rev. T. H. Warner, attending. Mr. Halladay leaves a wife; four sons, Elmer, of Palmyra, N. Y.; Cebert, Oscar and Herman, living here, and one step-son, Chas. D. Chamberlin, of Cleveland, Ohio, all of whom are married and pleasantly situated. His was a very peaceful and happy life.

D. Woodward has returned from his Masonic tour.

Regular meeting of Bees, Tuesday evening, Dec. 11.

Kittie Hogan is visiting Saline friends this week.

Lizzie Carroll visited in Manchester Tuesday of this week.

Geo. A. Kies and Ben. G. Woodard visited the county seat Monday.

Mrs. Port. C. Smith has been quite ill the past week, but is better now.

Miss Ida Kirchgessner attended the Catholic Bazaar at Manchester Tuesday.

Mrs. James McCann and Miss Primrose, of Tecumseh, were Clinton visitors Tuesday.

Regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, No. 84, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, Dec. 12.

Miss Kate Murphy, after a pleasant visit with her father and sisters, returned to Kalamazoo Tuesday.

Mrs. Carrie Reeves, who has been visiting Ann Arbor friends for several weeks, returned home Friday.

Miss Adah Case, who has been the guest of Mame Bradner, returned to her home in Manchester, Friday last.

The play "Rio Grande" will be presented at town hall, Thursday evening, Dec. 20. Synopsis and cast will be given next week.

The 7-months'-old child of Augustus Notts, living one mile southeast of town, died Saturday of whooping cough. Funeral Monday, at the home, conducted by Pastor Stout of the Baptist church.

Elder C. C. Marshall and wife, of Saline, were guests at the Baptist parsonage Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Rev. Marshall is a cousin of Pastor Stout and is pastor of the Baptist church at Saline.

The club rooms are now practically finished and furnished and the members are to be congratulated for the taste displayed. The rooms are very pleasant, and no doubt the boys will enjoy many pleasant evenings there during the winter. We look for an early invitation to enjoy their hospitality.

Will McAdam and Chas. House had a very narrow escape from serious injury, if not death, Tuesday night. Coming from Tecumseh with one of the livery teams, and when near Will Matthews' the horses ran away. In turning west by John Hause's the carriage struck the cross-walk and the boys were thrown out. Charley was not hurt much, but Will had many cuts and bruises on the face and head, and when Doc White had patched him up he resembled cuts often seen of foot-ball players after the game.

They had a very exciting time at Mrs. Carrie Draper's Sunday morning. Little Roy fell into the cistern; Carrie screamed to her mother and jumped in after him; Mrs. Smith, in turn, called to the hired man and then rushed to their assistance. She reached down and got hold of Carrie, who had hold of Roy, and held them up until the man got there. They were soon extracted from their perilous situation. They dispatched for the doctor and began working over Roy. When the doctor arrived he found Roy almost as good as new. It was a close call. Presume they will have a pump put in at once.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Dec 3, 1894.

Herbert E. Earle. Wm. Hinn.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

Things are looking brighter for Mr. Hill. It has been found that two votes were cast for him for Governor in Pennsylvania, and he is now looking hopefully at Texas.

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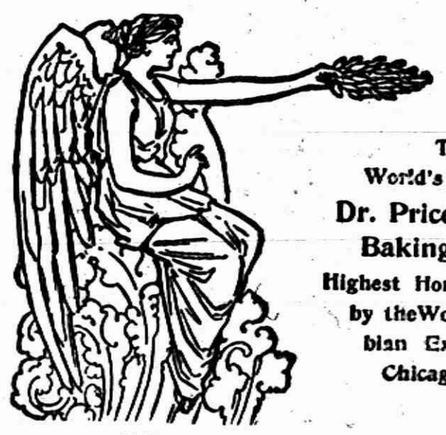
There is talk of a protest from the prize ring against the brutalities of the foot-ball gridiron.

Table Talk.

"Table Talk" for November is typical and characteristic of this bright little magazine which is so useful in the home, giving, as it does, the very latest hints in the culinary line; in fashions; in etiquette, in the art of entertaining at this, the late Autumnal and Thanksgiving season—in fact, in everything that interests the bright, progressive women of to-day. The housekeeper's inquiry department is especially attractive to those interested in broadening their knowledge and continually having something new and attractive upon their tables. Menus are given too, for every meal in the month—good, practical tested menus. A sample copy is offered to our readers free, upon application to the office in Philadelphia.

Bandit Bill Cook is said to be looking around for a chance to run for the United States Senate.



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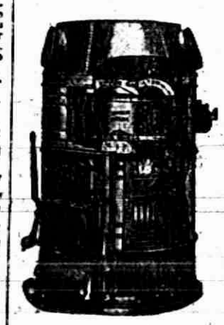
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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Lena Swick, of Milan, visited friends in the village over Sunday.

Gracie and Blanche Harrington, of Blissfield, visited their brother, Willie, Saturday and Sunday.

At the Library board meeting, Monday night, Emma Miller was engaged as librian for the ensuing year.

Hattie Vreeland, of St. John, and Mrs. May Keyser, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Clara Temple last week.

The person who lost a lap robe, the night before Thanksgiving, may have the same by calling at Frank Sisson's.

Wm. Fowler and bride, of Saline, are enjoying a portion of their honeymoon with their uncle, Wm. Riggs and family.

Quarterly meeting services will be held Sunday morning at the usual hour, Presiding Elder Davis will be present.

Darius and Lena Smith, David Gibson and Jennie Underwood visited friends in Ypsilanti, Sunday and Monday.

Prof. Bailey, of Cleary's Business College, Ypsilanti, was in the village a portion of last week, in the interest of the college.

Bert Gould is making preperations to begin housekeeping, and will occupy rooms over the store of Sutton & Gould, in the Waring block.

Wm. Riggs, wife and daughter, Daisy attended the Fowler-Bailey wedding at Saline Thursday of last week. Miss Bailey is a neice of Mrs. Riggs.

Now is your time to get your Christmas presents, by calling at S. Smith's. He having just received an invoice of elegant bedroom suits, rockers, dining room chairs, etc.

C. M. Gove returned Tuesday from Newburgh, N. Y., where he was called a few days ago to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Mary W. Lockwood, who was one hundred years and two days old at the time of her death. He visited relatives at Schenectady, N. Y. during his stay.

F. H. Montgomery and wife entertained Israel Schreeder and wife, of Clinton, C. F. Coller and wife, A. K. Waldron and wife, Robert Cairns and wife, of Tecumseh, Mr. Cole and wife, James and Caroline Colvin, of Raisin, and Mrs. John Arner, of Ridgeway, at their home last week Thursday.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Our deputy sheriff visited Milan, on business, Saturday last.

Miss Cora Vanheysen, of Tecumseh, visited at Frank Brown's over Sunday.

W. C. Babcock has moved his stock of drugs into the Biggs store, east of the railroad.

D. C. Loose arrived here Tuesday with two more cars of cattle. There are 60 head in the lot, are fine looking and are selling very rapidly.

Last Friday our village was a point of excitement all day. We had three runaway teams, the most disastrous being that of John Beasley's old horse. The buggy was picked up in thirteen different places. Charles escaped unharmed, although he was badly frightened.

Last Saturday one of our citizens was somewhat surprised by a tramp who asked for something to eat. Being refused it, he drew a revolver which he flourished around for awhile. Deputy Sheriff Britton was notified and the tramp was put under arrest. He proved to be a desperate character.

We called at the Plating Works the other day and found Mr. Bremk very busy. He has received a new dynamo from Toledo which fills the bill to the letter. As things look now, this will be one of our business industries. They make gold plating a specialty, and their silver work cannot be beaten, and hardly equaled. Their prices are normal and any person having work to be done would do well to give them a call.

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Though its a pleasure to wait on our friends
And give them a bargain that can't be beaten
On a straight line of goods, not "odds and ends."

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On December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1894, and January 1st, 1895, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway will sell reduced rate excursion tickets between all points on its line, good to return until January 2d, 1895.

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We want several live, wide-awake canvassers to represent the HERALD in this and adjoining counties, in connection with the National Newspaper Union. The work is new, popular, and very profitable, requiring neither capital nor previous experience. It is worth looking after, and if you want a real good thing in the way of light, pleasant and profitable employment it will pay you to investigate this at once. There is money in it for hustlers. Write for full particulars to

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PENTECOST POINTERS.

Our beautiful roads are becoming a dreary succession of muddy pools.

Lyman Randall and daughter, Ida, are both on the sick list. Dr. Rice is in attendance.

Rev. David Lewis is holding meetings at Ousted, and is drawing large audiences, both day and night.

Oscar Chambers, the man who had a leg crushed recently, died last Friday, after great suffering. His funeral took place on Sunday at Springville.

The tea party at the hall last Saturday was well patronized, and the ladies were hardly able to feed the large audience, not having a bakery at hand, as city people do, to help them out in case of emergency. However the short literary exercises were excellent. Miss Claudia Case gave a beautifully rendered recitation, and Lottie Bixby quite "brought down the house" with her "Prophecy". The choir gave some excellent selections, and Messrs Clarence Cole, Bert Eggleston and Miss Edith Eggleston favored the audience with music that was well worth the price of admission.

WEDDING BELLS.

On Wednesday, Dec. 5th, at 3 o'clock p. m. at her father's home at Sand Lake Crossing, occured the marriage of Miss Ida, eldest daughter of Elijah Buck, and Mr. John E. Monk, of Cone, Monroe county. At that hour a large party of friends had assembled to enjoy the festivities, including guests from Sand Lake, Adrian, Monroe, etc. Rev. W. T. Williams, pastor of the church of which the bride was a member, performed the marriage ceremony, after which the new made husband and wife received the hearty congratulations of friends and relatives. A bountiful feast came next, amid jokes and laughter, which all enjoyed, especialy those jokes at the expense of a certain bachelor justice of the peace, who was given a piece of the bride's cake and exhorted to go home, put it under his pillow and give heed to the dreams it brought him. Pretty souvenirs in the form of a dainty heart and hand, tied together by bows of satin ribbon, were distributed among the guests. But the happiest events have an end and soon the carriages were brought, and the newly wedded pair, amid a perfect storm of rice, set out to visit friends in Monroe county, accompanied by the best man, Mr. Tom Stuart, of Cone, and Miss Tiny Ellis, a cousin of the bride. The presents were numerous and useful, as well as beautiful. The day was all that could be desired, and we hope the old saying may prove true, in this case: "that happy is the bride that the sun shines on."

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Nora Loper is visiting in Ohio at present.

Chas. Rathfus was at Adrian on business Tuesday.

Lorain Brown visited his mother at Blissfield last week.

Dr. Stephenson, of Adrian, was visiting the sick here Monday.

Will Moore, who has been wrestling with the malaria fever, is able to be up again.

Several of our stars attended the social at Tecumseh and report quite a surprise.

Don't forget the oyster supper at Mr. Brown's, Thursday night. Everybody invited.

Andrew Corsgusti has moved his family into a part of the house that John Gordon occupies.

Mrs. Adams, who has been the guest of Mrs. Conrad Atwell, returned to her home in Detroit Friday.

Mrs. Charles Benedict and sister, Mrs. Chas. Rexom, and Miss Eva Doty visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Dr. Nixon's services as a physician are in good demand. The doctor has a fine practice and continues to widen his territory.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Frank Marshall is able to be about again.

The melancholy days have come, for the tax gatherer is here.

Fred Davenport has an attack of chills, fever and sore throat.

Dora Davenport and Enzell Whelan have been visiting friends in Jackson.

Theives gained access to the upper part of Milton Burn's house, last week, through the elevator, and carried away some jewelry and money.

Mrs. Addie Taggett, of Caro, has taken up her residence for the season in Bay City, where her son, George will attend college. Mrs. Taggett and family have promised to eat Christmas dinner in Franklin.

Mr. Charles Billington, who has been an invalid for years, has been failing rapidly of late, and Monday his mother, Mrs. Julia Knight, accompanied by Lorenzo Billington, left here for his residence near Athens. No hope is entertained for his recovery.

A curious phenomena occured in Tipton recently. An artesian well on Jazeb Fried's farm was deepened to get a larger flow of water, and immediately the other wells at the corners ceased to flow; nor could they be induced to resume untill the volume of water at the Fried well had been reduced.

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Michigan Registration Report.

A copy of the last Vital Statistics Report of Michigan issued by the Department of State has been received at this office from Secretary Gardner, and appears to be of unusual interest. In addition to the usual statistical study of the births, marriages and deaths returned for the state and counties during the year 1892, the report presents valuable data concerning the methods and results of registration under the state system and under local ordinances in the cities of Michigan, and recommends that such results of local registration, when more efficient than the state system, as they are in many cases, be utilized in the state registration reports.

The total number of births returned in Michigan for 1893 was 46,221; of marriages, 20,107; and of deaths, 21,729. These returns, except for marriages, are much below the true numbers owing to imperfections in the present method of enumeration by supervisors after the close of the registration year, and would require to be increased by at least sixty per cent, the Secretary estimates, to give the true figures. Even then the death-rate of the state, 15.9 per 1000 population, would be much less than the death-rates of any states in this country where accurate registration prevails.

The article on causes of death in Michigan in 1893 will be of great interest to physicians and sanitarians, and is well illustrated by diagrams and by two colored maps showing the distribution of the recorded mortality from consumption and from diphtheria and croup in the different counties in the state during the five-year period, 1888-92. The rates are based upon the population of each county, and hence show the relative distribution correctly in counties of small size as well as those with dense populations. Such maps comply in the plainest and most readily understood manner with the primary object of the registration law, viz., to show the comparative healthfulness of different parts of the state.

Attention is called to the great tardiness of the present system of registration, which has not been improved since 1869, and under which the returns do not reach the compiling office until nearly a year after the close of the year of registration. This delay causes other deficiencies, which are fully discussed in the report, and which, it is strongly urged, should be removed by the passage of a registration act more in accordance with modern requirements. The report as a whole will be found very interesting and valuable for reference, and may be obtained by supervisors and others entitled to it from the county clerk, and also directly from the office of the Secretary of State at Lansing.

PRIZES ON PATENTS.

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CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

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N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
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Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
North American Review	5 00	5 50
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Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
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Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

BRAND THE CLAIM AS FALSE.

World's Fair Officials Expose a Pretender to an Award.

CHICAGO, ILL.—One of the odd results of the World's Fair is the claim now made to awards by some who were not even exhibitors. Officials of the Exposition have not as yet taken final action in the matter, believing the quick wit of the people will detect the spurious claims. But to the case of a New York baking powder, that has been widely advertising an award, the attention of the Chief of Awards for Agriculture, has been directed. He brands the claim of this pretender as false, declaring "Neither the records of this department, nor the official catalogue of the World's Columbian Exposition, show that this New York Company was an exhibitor; consequently it could not receive an award at the World's Fair.

Those who fairly won their honors at the Fair seem disposed to treat this fraud as any other fraud should be treated. The Price Baking Powder Company, of Chicago, having received the highest award, say they are convinced their claims, and those of all other holders of rightful honors, will be fully vindicated by the public.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 13, 1894.

The Sugar Senators show a disposition to continue to stand by the Trust. The Democratic caucus on Tuesday indicated that Mr. Smith's belated indignation against Havemeyer was temporary. In this respect it resembles the flurry on the Street on Sugar securities and the brief shut down of the refineries. It is to be hoped that Smith, Brice and Gorman are not to thwart the Democratic party this winter. Some misgivings on this subject must be confessed, however, for Mr. Voorhees seems to have stumbled into their discrediting embraces. If his amiable surrender is indicative of the feeling of his fellow Democratic Senators the situation is not promising. If the Democratic Senators are really intending to save the Sugar Trust from harm they are blind to the meaning of the popular verdict of the last election.—The World.

The Indianapolis News sizes up the situation in this way: "The United States senate, and particularly Messrs. Gormon, Brice, Smith and Hill, must bear a large share of the responsibility for the disaster which has overtaken the democratic party. More than any other men in the country they are to blame for yesterday's astounding result. Every one will admit that if the original Wilson bill—which was an honest measure—had been passed with reasonable promptness, the democratic party would at least have made a decent fight for its life. Over and over again this consideration was urged upon the corrupt senatorial clique, but the men in the combination turned a deaf ear to all such appeals—and now the result is before them. Brice's free silver state is republican by a hundred thousand: New Jersey, which is Smith's state, is also republican; Hill is beaten by at least 150,000 majority, and it may be that even Maryland will go republican—certainly it ought to."

The New York Evening Post, in commenting upon the improvment of business, says: Now the elections are past, there is no reason why even good protectionist newspapers should not allow that the times are improving. The American Manufacturer of Nov. 2 notes the fact notwithstanding the depression of the past year the Bessemer ore production of the Lake Superior region will be the largest ever known, as the total is expected to reach 7,250,000 gross tons. The railroads, it says, are now running extra trains to complete shipments before the close of the lake season. The Engineering and Mining Journal (which is not specially protectionist) mentions the fact that among the recent metal Exports from Baltimore were 500 kegs of nails and 26,380 pounds of wire to Dublin, Ireland. Frequent consignments of nails and hardware, says the Journal, are made to the West Indias, but exports of American nails and wire to a British port, especially in the quantities shown here, are new and worthy of note. It seems to show that our manufacturers are beginning to take advantake of the close approximation of prices in the two countries.

Senator John Sherman, of Ohio, repudiates the high protection theory in this language: "I am not inclined to claim that the victory will be permanent. The people may become as displeased with the republicans before many years and administer to them a crushing defeat as they have administered to the democrats this year. The people punished the republicans in 1890 and 1892 and now they have changed. To say they cannot or are not likely to turn back again is to make a stronger statement than I would care to venture. I do not regard the present result as an indorsement of the McKinley bill or a demand on the part of the people for radical tariff legislation. There will undoubtedly be some members who will regard it as such, but I hardly believe the party will enter into any extreme legislation of this kind. Of course they cannot do it during the next session of congress because the president would not allow anything of that nature to become law, and the effort would prove fruitless. I would not favor any great increase in duties. On the stump in the campaign I said very plainly that I was a moderate protectionist and wanted only such duties as would insure a fair rate of wages for the workingmen of this country. Some protectionists would have foreign goods absolutely excluded by a high tariff. I do not believe in this, as it would gave a monopoly to our home manufacturers and bring on contests between capital and labor. I believe in so placing the duties as to allow a healthy foreign competition. If I should see that any duty was making a monopoly I would take that duty off."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Dec. 7, 1894.

The so-called Carlisle currency plan fell very flat on Congress. Something new was expected from the advance talk, but there is nothing new in the plan presented. The portion which refers to the enlargement of the circulation of national bank currency is practically the same as that which may be found in a bill introduced in the House several years ago by Representative Walker, a republican from Massachusetts, and which was favorably considered by the committee on Banking Currency, but was never acted upon by the House. The same idea was presented to a convention of bankers which met at Baltimore during the present year, and was endorsed by that convention; hence its designation as the "Baltimore plan." That portion which recommends an exemption of the currency of such State banks as may choose to comply with certain regulations is believed to have been intended to weaken the silver men by drawing the Southern men away from them, and if there were any probability of its becoming a law it might succeed.

The silver men in Congress were not pleased by the neglect of President Cleveland to even mention silver in his message, except to sneer at it, in connection with the declaration attached to the act which repealed the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law—that it is the policy of this government to maintain the parity between gold and silver. They propose, if possible, to give him a Roland for his Oliver, by passing a free coinage bill. Senator Voorhees, chairman of the Senate Finance committee, says that committee will report a free coinage bill very shortly.

The trouble about that bond issue has begun. In the Senate Mr. Peffer attacked it in a speech, and Representative Baily, of Texas, says his resolution, stating it to be the sense of Congress that bonds cannot be legally issued, except to maintain specie payments, will be taken up and passed at once.

There will be a very lively fight over the Nicaragua canal bill in the House, if its friends succeed, as now seems likely, in getting it up for consideration. Speaker Crisp's opposition prevented its being taken up at the last session, but the friends of the bill now say that he has expressed a willingness for the Commitee on Rules to name a date for its consideration. The democratic opponents of the bill have announced their determination to filibuster should an attempt be made to force it to a vote. It is claimed that the bill will pass the House if a vote can be had, and a vote can be had if the committee on Rules so wills and a majority of the House will support an order limiting debate.

"Silver dollar" Bland, chairman of the House committee on coinage, says it will be no fault of his if his bill for the free coinage of silver is not passed at this session, as it is his purpose to endeavor to persuade the committee to favorably report the bill, and he says, if he succeeds that the bill will be passed by a substantial majority. His success with the committee is regarded as doubtful, for the same reason that prevented the bill being reported at the last session—the belief of some of the members that nothing can be accomplished by reporting a bill that cannot become a law.

The House committee on Public Lands has favorably reported a bill for opening to settlement and entry all lands included within the limits of any Indian reservation, or in the Indian Territory, the disposal of which has heretofore or may be hereafter authorized by agreement or treaty. The report on the bill says it will provide a general law applicable to Indian lands that could be used as fast as Indian title is extinguished, taking the place of the slow process of special legislation for each reservation, and that it will in a great measure prevent a repetition of the scandalous frauds which have accompanied the method now in use.

Senator Berry, of Ark., introduced a bill providing for territorial government for that portion of the Indian territory occupied by the five civilized tribes. It abrogates all treaties made with those portions relating to land titles, and allots 160 acres of land to each member of those tribes and provides that the remainder shall be sold, and the proceeds turned over to the Indians, whose homesteads shall be free from taxation.

A sub committee of the House committee on Labor has been holding conferences with the U. S. Labor Commissioner Wright, to perfect the Springer bill providing for a National Board of Arbitration.

The Sugar Trust has just declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. on its common stock and 1 3-4 per cent. on its preferred stock. This is at the rate of 12 per cent. a year on the common stock and of 7 per cent. on the preferred stock. There is $37,500,000 of each, so that at this rate the dividends to the stockholders for the year will amount to $7,125,000. As the owners of the Trust have invested only $10,000,000, they will thus receive 71 1-4 per cent. on their capital. Can a better argument be found for the immediate passage of the free-sugar bill?—N. Y. World.

"Baltimore Plan" of Currency Reform.

The Baltimore plan proposes to amend the National-Bank Act so as no longer to require Government bonds as security for circulation, but provide a safety-fund instead; to allow banks to issue circulation to 50 per cent of their paid-up, unimpaired capital, and, in an emergency, 75 per cent. All notes of failed banks are to be redeemed by the Government, as under the present law. A guarantee, or safety-fund, equal to 5 per cent of the outstanding circulation, is to be accumulated and maintained by gradual taxation upon such circulation. From this sum the Government is to redeem notes of failed banks. The Government also retains a prior lien upon the assets of failed banks, including stockholders' liability, as now provided by law, in order to replenish this safety-fund and protect itself against possible loss. Practically, the only change is to substitute a guarantee fund for Government bonds as security, the other changes being incidental. The details are open to discussion and improvement, but I believe the principles to be right.

Just such a law as the one proposed by the Baltimore bankers is now in successful operation in the Dominion of Canada, except that the Canadian law allows circulation to the par of unimpaired capital, and the Government assumes no responsibility for the redemption of failed banks' notes beyond the application of the 5 per cent fund. The law has proved eminently successful and satisfactory in Canada. In the light of these facts no one can dispute the safety of the plan.—A. H. Hepburn, in the December Forum.

A Banker on Monometalism.

A paper that will be read with great interest by all who have made any study of the Silver Question is the Hon. George Wilson's criticism of David A. Well's arguments for monometalism in the December Arena. Mr. Wilson is the president of the oldest bank in Missouri, but he writes from the standpoint of the bimetalists and claims to have all the weight of authority and history and centuries of experience, in all the countries, in both hemispheres, in all ages, and under all forms of government, on his side. It is a paper that will be widely read and discussed by all students of American economic literature, to which Mr. Wells is a frequent contributor and so is familiar to the general reading public. Those who enjoy a lively controversy between two able and acute minds can turn to this paper certain of getting an intellectual exhilaration.

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What a Few Punctures by One of Its Dudes Discloses.

This is the time of year when the society writer makes up his list of coming debutantes and dwells feelingly on their youth, beauty and wealth, as if he—poor fellow—would like to get at them himself. I believe there are no raving beauties about to be launched this year, but there are plenty of money and a lot of young women of whom it may be said, "They are such nice girls!" Little Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt, who is ability and entirely sweet, is, of course, the heiress par excellence of the season, and the scramble after her will be something awful. Indeed nearly all the New York families of note have something in the way of a daughter to contribute to society. I fear that most of these pretty little girls must be content with the introduction of a tea, a cruel and barbarous ceremony, to be sure, but inexpensive and easily managed. None of the debutantes, with the exception of Miss Vanderbilt, has any chance of a coming out ball simply because none of them lives in a big enough house, and times are not propitious for hiring halls.

Mrs. Coleman Drayton's legal answer to her husband's complaint is rather unsatisfactory to society. She simply says she didn't and leaves it an open question between her own and her husband's veracity. People rather hoped for something with more spice in it, more boiling oil, so to speak. When people who lead society come to grief in divorce courts, people have a right to expect a great sensation. To simply say: "You are all wrong. I never was there in my life," is not what we have been expecting. Society holds that Mrs. Drayton should have named some haunts said to have been frequented by her husband and made matters generally unpleasant for him. In its present shape it doesn't look as if the case would ever be brought to trial, and therefore society, which once fawned upon Mrs. Drayton, is disappointed. It actually feels as if Mrs. Drayton had in some way done it a grievous injustice.

Well, chappies, what are we coming to anyhow? Here is young Steevie Thorn, who married the concert hall singer, Mlle. Di Dio, taking his bride to the Midway plaisance of the Waldorf—right into the heart of the Four Hundred, as it were—and dining there, while society cranes its neck to see the new Mrs. Thorn and wonders whether she will burst forth in song while at table. Oh, dear! but it was most devilishly exciting, don't you know, and naughty Steevie had the audacity to seem to actually enjoy it all.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

A CORNER IN ELK TEETH.

Losekamp Has Over 80,000 of Them Locked Up In Safety Vaults.

Mr. John D. Losekamp of Billings, Mon., practically holds the elk tooth stock of the entire country, and to his already enormous supply he is constantly adding, the Indians and hunters bringing teeth to him from all over the country. Not every one knows that the elk teeth, or rather the tusks, of which two only are found in the mouth of the adult elk, have a practical commercial value. The teeth are used as jewelry, mostly as pendants on watch guards or as insignia of the secret society known as the Elks. The value of a tooth ranges from 50 cents to $2.50, according to its size, color and marking.

Mr. Losekamp has now over 80,000 elk teeth deposited in safety vaults. Many of the old Indian dresses were highly ornamented with elk teeth, some of them being fairly covered with the teeth. Mr. Losekamp has lived on the frontier all his mature life and understands Indian trading perfectly, yet he has sometimes paid over $100 for a single garment thus ornamented, caring, of course, for nothing but the teeth. The Indians brill the teeth to fasten them on their dresses, and this does not injure the value of the tooth, but they have a much worse habit of sometimes staining the teeth a bright red. This dye cannot be extracted and depreciates the value of the elk teeth for a white customer. The Indians do not dye the teeth so much now since they have learned they can sell them for more in their natural state.—Forest and Stream.

Never Asked For a Patent.

"Fifty-three years ago I invented the winnowing mill now in common use," says Moses Gilman of South Sangerville. "If I had had it patented, I might have realized a fortune from it, as all the machines that have been built since have been upon the same principle. Even the thrashing machine separators, which have superseded the old time flail, use the winnowing mill substantially as I first made it for clearing the chaff from the grain. I have invented many other things that were valuable, but I never asked for a patent." Mr. Gilman, though 77 years old, is still at it inventing, and says if his strength and reason hold out he is going to produce some valuable new ideas yet.—Auburn (Me.) Gazette.

The Divine Sarah's Latest.

Sarah Bernhardt has developed a new eccentricity, if report is true, which does not inspire her friends with confidence in her attractive qualities as a hostess. In one of her reception rooms the furniture is a succession of surprises of the "shut up" order, which is more amusing to the divine Sarah than it is to her guest. As soon as he is seated in one cozy looking chair an invisible spring sends something up to tap him on the head, and directly he is seated in another the arms spread out and close around him so tightly that he is powerless to move until some one comes to release him.—Paris Journal.

Domesticated Zebras.

Zebras broken to harness can now be seen drawing carriages in London, three animals having been sent there from the Transvaal as a proof that they can be domesticated.

EX-CONGRESSMAN DANIEL W. CONNELLY died at his home in Scranton, Pa., after a brief illness.

DAVID JOYCE, the Clinton (Ia.) lumber king, died in Minneapolis from paralysis, aged 69 years.

By the official compilation of the vote in Illinois Wulff, for treasurer, is shown to have a plurality of 133,437.

THE official count in Tennessee gives Evans (rep.) for governor 841 plurality.

E. H. STROBLE, minister to Ecuador, was nominated by the president for the Chilean mission, made vacant by J. D. Porter's resignation.

MISS ANNIE GRACE LIPPINCOTT, daughter of "Grace Greenwood," the author, and Herbert Hall Winslow, the dramatist, were married in Washington.

ANDREW J. CAMPBELL, congressman-elect of the Tenth New York district, died at his home in New York city of Bright's disease, aged 67 years.

CAPT. JOHN PRIDGEON, the millionaire capitalist and vessel owner, died at his home in Detroit, aged 66 years.

MARK ROBERT HARRISON, the celebrated artist who painted "The Death of Abel," died at his home in Fond du Lac, Wis., aged 76.

JOHN J. DECKER, a member of the piano firm of Decker & Son, died suddenly from pneumonia in New York, aged 73 years.

W. A. BARBOUR, elected attorney general of South Carolina, is perhaps the youngest attorney general in any state of the union, being but 26 years of age.

DR. J. HILLS BROWNE, ex-medical director and ex-surgeon general of the United States navy, died in Washington of paralysis, aged 63.

GEN. E. PARKER SCAMMON died at Audobon Park, N. Y., aged 78 years. He was a widely known soldier, a writer and prominent in college work.

THE official canvass of the vote in Wisconsin shows that it was 375,449, the largest ever cast in the state by 3,868 ballots. Upham (rep.) has a plurality for governor of 53,900, and a majority over all the other candidates of 17,956.

FOREIGN.

THE American ship Richard Parsons was wrecked on the coast of Mindora and six of the crew were drowned.

KING HUMBERT opened the Italian parliament and expressed confidence in the maintenance of peace.

TWENTY Armenian refugees who reached Athens confirmed published reports of the atrocities committed by the Kurds.

JAPAN notified China that she would not entertain further peace proposals unless presented by a regularly accredited ambassador.

AT Hull, Quebec, four men and a boy were killed and several other persons injured by an explosion of dynamite.

VICTORIA VOKES, the last member of the famous Vokes family of actors and actresses, died in London.

CONSULAR reports indicate that the production of wheat in the Argentine Republic is enormous and will keep prices down.

CHINA has decided to send a representative direct to Japan to arrange the terms of peace.

FORGED American school bonds to a large extent were found to have been floated in England and Ireland.

AMBASSADOR RUNYON states that Americans sojourning in Germany must exhibit passports in order to remain there.

FERDINAND DE LESSEPS, the famous French engineer and builder of the Suez canal, died at the Lachenaie, near Vatane, in the department of L'Indre, France, aged 84 years.

LATER.

THERE was no session of the United States senate on the 8th. In the house bills were introduced to permit the mailing of second-class matter elsewhere than at the place of publication; to provide for the appointment of a currency commission to consider the past and present condition of the currency of the United States and the necessity for increasing its volume or changing banking laws now in force. The military academy appropriation bill ($457,676) was reported and the railway pool measure was defeated.

THE president issued a proclamation announcing the taking effect of the new Chinese treaty.

ARTHUR C. BROWN and Henry Reesh, both of Auburn, Ind., were killed and Henry Harris, of the same place, was fatally wounded by robbers at Deshler, O.

MORE than 100 houses in the poorer portion of Port au Prince were destroyed by fire.

A HURRICANE swept over the Azores, doing much damage. The brigantine Adelaide was wrecked and most of her crew drowned.

GEN. J. H. PRECIADO, governor of the state of Morelos, Mexico, and a prominent politician, died at Cuernavaca.

MRS. JOHN A. WILLIAMS, of New Britain, Conn., who left a sickbed to horsewhip her husband and his paramour, died as the result of her exertions.

THREE tramps who were stealing a ride between two box cars were instantly killed near Lebanon, Ind.

A RECEIVER was appointed for the Farmers' Insurance company of Seattle, Wash. The liabilities were nearly $140,000.

THE greater part of the village of Mount Stewart, P. E. I., was destroyed by fire.

THE 300th anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Adolphus, the great Swedish king, was celebrated with great pomp at Stockholm.

A CONVICT in the northern Indiana prison drank alcohol which was being used in painting and is now blind.

A FIRE in New York's dry goods district did $100,000 damage, M. Chambers & Co. being the chief losers.

FIFTY-TWO indictments were found against ex-officials of Woodbury county, Ia., on charges of malfeasance.

AN unofficial list of members elect to the Fifty-fourth congress gives the republicans 244 members, democrats 101 and populists 6. In the present congress there are 219 democrats, 123 republicans and 12 populist members.

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BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

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Dec. 3, 1894.

TO THE EDITOR:—At the request of a number of Tecumseh people, who are shivering with cold, and therefore wish to hear of balmy air and roses, this letter is sent to the HERALD.

Our party, that left Tecumseh the 6th, reached here the 10th of November. We found a light fire in the sitting room pleasant in the mornings, but in a few days were glad that the room for our cook stove was thoroughly detatched from the house by the "blow through," as it is called in this southland.

Some confusion of mind prevails among us in regard to the season of the year. Even old Mother Nature herself seems to be somewhat mixed up about the matter, for she has set the leaves to falling in the approved autumn fashion from the peach trees, and allows some of them to go to blooming in spring fashion. It is plain to see that she knows no better than we whether this is May or November, unless she peeps into our almanacs. Roses bloom in profusion, making perpetual June. The air is a happy compound of the very best that each month in the year can produce,—not each in its turn, but all poured together and filtered and toned to such a delectable degree that you don't know what ails you. The delicious warmth of the sunshine is so tempered with the coolness of the air, that even invalids are not able to complain of the heat or cold. This is not true of all Florida, but the elevated pine forests surrounding Lake Kerr can be counted among the places where it is true.

Soon after our arrival here we were honored with a visit from Thomas Mead and wife, of Raisin, Michigan, accompanied by Mrs. Benj. Swan, of Sanford, Florida, who took up their abode in the pleasant, but at present rather empty hotel, and made it lively enough for a few days. Of course we must do honor to such guests, and the little town exerted itself accordingly. A picnic was planned—such as Michigan could never afford her children—a drive around the lake to a picnic ground in the midst of magnolia trees and palms. There, deep set in a hollow, surrounded thickly with dark trees, boiled up the clearest water, almost radiant in soft colors. There are six or eight "boils," as they are called, all flowing together, and they compose the Salt Springs. After rowing over the springs and looking down into the measureless depths between the rocks whence the water poured upward in quiet, dignified volumes, through which darted hundreds of fish, we decided to eat dinner.

In Florida everything is lovely but the grass, and we could find no place to sit down, so we "spread the cloth" on the floor of the provision cart—a simple platform laid across two broad wheels—and this improvised a pretty, moveable table. The bill of fare was Floridian in character, consisting of honey, made from tropical blossoms, pieces of cold sweet potato, pickled figs, guava jelly, delicious slices of cold venison, besides the usual allowance of cakes, pies, bread and butter, cheese, etc. The close was the feast of oranges, and as there was no drink but plain tea and mineral water, there is no accounting for the state of merriment the company reached.

The ride home was singularly novel to some of our eyes that were unused to southern scenery. Sometimes enchanting vistas would appear, lavishly draped and festooned with delicate silvery moss, sometimes falling a distance of from fifteen to twenty feet and swaying with the wind, like dainty curtains of more than human device and beauty. Long roads, winding anywhere through the forests, occasionally came upon a pretty home in the heart of an orange grove high upon the banks of the pretty lake. We stopped at the Rob. Henley orange grove, and as the overseer was of our company, we picked and ate oranges till we sighed that we could eat, or rather drink, no more.

The fruit is getting nicely ready for picking. It were idle to say that an orange tree loaded with fruit is a thing of beauty! and that nothing reminds one of the Garden of Eden like a whole field of them. It is not to be talked of—it is to be seen and smelled and felt and tasted.

The road from the grove wound through the deep forest in such an enticing manner that the ladies all wished to walk. Then was made the mistake of the day, and the end of that winding path found them, when the horses came up, on some boards in the yard of a deserted cottage, vainly trying to clear themselves of sand burrs, wood-ticks and figas. Florida is a beautiful country to ride or fly in, but it does not do to walk unless you are a horse. Our horses walked, however, nearly all of the thirteen miles around the lake, they were so heavily laden. Orlando Hammond's Black Beauty headed the gay procession; but of course he could go no faster than a walk, hauling Tom Mead and our provisions on our picnic table.

We reached Elwood Comfort's home just as the sun was sinking gloriously behind the lake, and as the warm, rich glows of sunset softly left the sky they stole into our hearts and are there yet.

FRANCELIA B. JONES.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

The Prohibitory Law of 1850.

Mr. Editor.—Allow me to give your readers the prohibitory clause that was inserted in the constitution of Michigan adopted in 1850, and about which so many anti-prohibitionists have so much to say. The clause reads thus:

"Section 47 of the state of Michigan. The legislature shall not pass any act authorising the grant of license for the sale of ardent spirits or other intoxicating liquors."

You will see the law simply interdicted license; it did not prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, as we propose to do. Even this poor law, with all of its weakness, was liked by the people better than a license law, for after the rummies had obtained a resubmission in 1869 the law was sustained by a majority of 13,681 against eliminating the clause from the constitution. Six years later (in 1875) the anti-prohibitionists so influenced the legislature that it passed a tax or license law, notwithstanding the constitution to the contrary. In October, 1875, the state supreme court decided that the tax law enacted by the legislature was valid, notwithstanding the anti-license clause. Now what were the people to do? We had a clause in our constitution which had been stricken out by our legislature and the act sanctioned by our supreme court. So the people in 1876 voted for the worthless clause to be stricken out by a majority of only 8,078 in a vote of 113,200. A large minority were unwilling to give up even this broken stick, although the supreme court had broken it in twain.

Now this is the strong and much talked of prohibitory law we had and could not enforce and the people voted out; so say the antis. How could the sale of liquors be prohibited when there was no law to prohibit it? Can we prohibit the sale of groceries because the legislature does not pass an act to grant a license to sell groceries? Without a law to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors it is just as lawful to sell as to sell groceries. Let us look at a prohibitory clause in our state constitution of 1850, section 27: "The legislature shall not authorize any lottery nor permit the sale of lottery tickets." Now this is prohibition. If section 47 had read, "The legislature shall not authorize any saloon nor allow the sale of ardent spirits or other intoxicating liquors" we would now have the same number of saloons as we have lotteries, which is none. Do you know any reason why the legislature did not pass such a law except the power behind the throne—the saloon vote? Is not the saloon as demoralizing as the lottery? Does not the saloon produce as much poverty and wretchedness as the lottery? Does not the saloon ruin as many young women as the lottery? Does not the saloon destroy as many homes, making widows and orphans, as the lottery? Does it not ruin as many souls as the lottery? Does not the saloon corrupt our government as much as the lottery? Is it right to prohibit the lottery, and I think it was, was it not just as binding on the legislature, when a majority of the people wanted it, to prohibit the greater as well as the lesser evil?

The reason is very plain. The whisky or saloon element is thoroughly organized. The temperance element is strong enough in the state to close forever the open saloon. In order to ascertain the sentiment of and unite the effort of the temperance people of the state, the temthe pastors of Ovid, without regard to sect or creed, have issued the following to the pastors of the various churches.

Dear Sir and Brother:—We are trying to ascertain the sentiment of the people of Michigan relative to petition our legislature at its next session to submit to popular vote a state constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal and scientific purposes. Will you assist by giving a few minutes' talk and taking the sentiment of each of your congregations by a rising vote or in any way you wish for or against the movement? If your people favor the movement have them appoint some person as corresponding secretary with whom we can communicate. Please send returns on reply card, giving estimate of votes for or against. Also name of corresponding secretary, with post office address. If you favor the movement act immediately. As soon as the returns are in they will be published in the various church papers. Let each of us feel responsible for its success or failure, for with a united church movement it must succeed. A copy of this is to be sent to all pastors in the state."

Signed by the pastors of Ovid.

There appears to be a strong sentiment throughout the state favoring this movement. Let me give some resolutions passed by some societies. The conference of the M. E. church resolved "that this conference favor the submission of a constitutional amendment for the prohibition of the liquor traffic in this state," The Baptists in convention at Lansing this fall passed resolutions favoring a constitutional prohibitory amendment. The Epworth leagues at Saginaw; March 27-29, 1894, resolved "that inasmuch as the traffic in intoxicating liquors is the greatest foe to our young manhood, we, the Epworth league in convention assembled, representing 200,000 young people, do favor the petitioning of our next legislature to submit to the people of Michigan a state constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors except for medicinal and scientific purposes, and we pledge ourselves to do all in our power to bring about such a measure." Now while the above resolution is a strong one, I think they should have excepted for sacramental purposes, as some Christian churches believe in using fermented wine, and a law interfering with their mode of worship would be declared unconstitutional. Our object is to close saloons, not to antagonize churches. It is the expression of such sentiments that led the pastors of Ovid to issue the above card.

We wish all pastors who receive this card to fill out, detach and return the reply card accompanysng the pastor's card. Get as good a report as possible. If any pastor does not receive a card I wish him to take the expression or vote as above. We expect to send one to every pastor, but some addresses can not be obtained, especially in cities. Do not neglect appointing committes and corresponding secretaries. The state can be thoroughly organized if each one do his duty. I would prayerfully ask the ladies in every congregation to organize a crusade of prayer for the interposition of the divine Spirit in arousing the churches to action in this great movement. We need your prayers and influence. Our effort will be in vain, except the Lord by his spirit accompanies and directs it. Let prayer, both public and private, be continually ascending from now until our object is accomplished and every saloon is closed throughout the state.

J. BENSON HILL, M. D.
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Albion's victories on the gridiron this year have given her a wide reputation throughout the larger universities of the west, and many of the highest institutions, with which Albion has never before been classed as equal, have written for games for next year. The prospects for a strong team next season are very good, only two team men being lost this year by graduation, and Albion may be expected to make a record against her more formidible opponents of which any university in the west might well be proud.

Albion's success in foot-ball is analogous to the success which she is meeting in every other line. Never were the classes as full as now—never was as thorough work done by the classes as is done now, although Albion has always been known as an institution where thorough work was done.

With characteristic progressiveness, Albion college has planned an exploring expedition. The trip is to take place next summer and is under the direction of two experienced travellers, members of the faculty, and they propose to make scientific research through a large portion of unexplored country between Lake Superior and Hudson Bay. The party will probably consist of eight or ten students with Professors Fall and Ford.

High School Happenings.

Willis Finch visited the High School last Friday.

Eng. III are having a "snap" this week. Books have not arrived.

The Phisiology studied the eye, by dissection, Wednesday morning.

Mattie McClure delivered an excellent essay on Ireland, my Ireland, last Monday.

Experiments in electricity interested Phil. class a half hour after school Monday.

High school boys spent a few minutes very profitably with Prof. Kellogg, Tuesday noon.

Leigh H. Pennington has been absent from school this week. The left ear seems to be accountable for it.

A Letter.

Believing that not a few of your readers will be interested in the news, I would state that Dr. A. G. Owens, of Petoskey, formerly a Macon township boy and graduate of the Raisin Valley Seminary, as well as of the University, sailed for Europe on the Paris, Wednesday, Nov. 28th inst., for an absence of eighteen months or two years. Since 1886 the Doctor has been the leading physician and surgeon in this section of the state, and the only oculist north of Grand Rapids. The demands of his large practice upon his strength were so great that prudence suggested a rest, and accordingly he goes to the old world with the intention of atteading surgical clinics in the Universities of Berlin and Leipsic, and visiting the various points of interest on the continent. His family remains at Petoskey for the present, but may join him in Germany next spring, returning in the summer of 1896.

Yours truly, A. QUALLIUS.

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A Single Item of the Cost of the Political Canvass In New York City.

During the two weeks preceding an election in New York city those sign painters who make a specialty of political transparencies have something of a harvest. There are only a few of them, and they divide about $15,000 paid for printing on canvas the names of the candidates and affixing the canvas to a plain wooden frame which serves as firewood after the election. The average cost of the campaign transparency stretched in front of a party headquarters is $15. There were about 1,000 such transparencies in New York city this year, averaging about 35 in each assembly district.

Tammany had a headquarters in every assembly district. The Republicans had two headquarters in every assembly district—those of the regulars and the Milhollandites. Then there were the State Democracy, the Anti-Tammany Democracy, the Independent county organization, the Good Government clubs, the German Reform union, the New York or Voorhis Democracy and the Socialists, Populists and Prohibitionists. Next came the business men's associations, the young men's clubs, the social clubs which made political nominations, and such independent organizations as the Italian-American Republicans, the Hungarian Democrats and the Swedish anti-Tammanyites. Each congress candidate usually had a separate headquarters, and some of the assembly and aldermanic candidates also opened rooms of their own.

The most elaborate of the campaign transparencies was, of course, to be found in front of Tammany hall. This year two changes of candidates—judge of the court of appeals and mayor—had been made upon it, which is unusual in one election. After the battle of the ballots was over the canvas on the transparencies was torn to shreds, and the wooden framework was split up. There was nothing left to show for the expenditure of about $15,000.—New York Sun.

A GALLERY PICTURE.

Artist Watts Has a Word to Say About His "Love and Life."

Mr. George M. Watts, R. A., the eminent English artist, sends the following letter to the New York Herald apropos of the dispute between the Washington authorities and the Metropolitan Museum of Art in regard to the possession of his painting, "Love and Life:"

"In regard to the picture I presumed to present to the government of the United States it may not be out of place for me, in the first place, to point out that the painting represents in the simplest manner that naked humanity is aided to ascend from the depths of base animalism by love, meaning sympathy, generosity and aspiration, signified by the broad wings. The figures are purely symbolical, having, I hope, no tinge of sensuality in the character of their form.

"My idea was that the great American nation would in time gather together a splendid collection of works of art, which will represent the mind of the English speaking races, but that awaiting this time my offering should find a home in some such place as the Metropolitan museum of New York, though I may add that after some correspondence with the American embassy here I accepted the arrangement that a temporary resting place should be found in some public room or gallery of the White House.

"I can't, however, presume to offer any voice in the matter beyond saying that the painting is essentially a gallery picture and was never contemplated by me as hanging in any dwelling house whatever."

THE ACTOR KICKED.

And His Nerve Was Rewarded With a Liberal Shower of Wealth.

Here is a good story from the London Figaro:

"I happened the other night to be at one of the smaller theaters in the city and witnessed toward the last act of the principal play a very amusing incident.

"A slight impatience was shown among the audience at the delay in raising the curtain, and shortly the manager appeared to announce that one of the actors had been taken ill, which necessitated his role being taken by a substitute.

"Then the act commenced, but suddenly every one was startled by the appearance of another character on the stage, who immediately began to explain himself as follows:

"'They have deceived you. I am not ill, but they have not paid me, and as I have not dined I was of course unable to fulfill my role.'

"The public was at first stupefied, but very soon acclaimed the actor, and money literally rained on the stage. Finally at the end of several minutes the actor, who probably had received satisfaction, entered the stage and played his part, much to the delight of the spectators."

It is better for a doctor, in a business point of view, to discover one new disorde that incorporate a dozen diseases.

Current Topics in the Schools.

The suggestion that every teacher, whether in city, village or district school, should strive to interest his pupils in the study of current topics, is an excellent one. The primary object of school instruction is not merely to carry the pupils through so many text-books on so many different subjects, but so to guide their growing minds as to develop the best manhood and womanhood. To accomplish these results, the teacher must go outside the text-books, must put life into his teaching, and must connect the school work with the life and thought of the day, especially the broader thought of the great outside world as yet but little known to the pupils in the schools. The first requisite for the successful study of current topics in the schools is a teacher who is himself in sympathy and in contact with the best thought of the day. The next requisite is a journal that can be used as a text-book; one that will furnish the necessary record of events and comment thereon, with a good range and variety of reading. With such a journal, the teacher can make the study of current topics of great benefit, not only to the scholars but to himself. A weekly journal that fairly presents all sides of every important public question, and that admirably meets the requirements for the study of current topics in the schools, is Public Opinion, published at Washington, D. C., at $2.50 per year. A contribution of ten cents apiece from 25 pupils will pay for Public Opinion for one year, or five cents apiece will pay for six months. The weekly issue can be used as tex-books in the reading classes, and if preserved and bound they make a valuable addition to or nucleus for a school library. Send for specimen copy.

Farm Home Reading Circle.

The Michigan Agricultural College has taken another step forward by inaugurating a college extension course of reading. This plan aims to furnish a systematic course of reading on subjects relating directly to agriculture and kindred subjects. While the course as planned recommends a progressive line of work, discussing first the underlying principles of agriculture, and later taking up special departments, yet it is largely elective and so flexible that a person interested in any branch of farming may select books pertaining only to his chosen line. For example, the class devoted to live stock aims to give a general knowledge of feeding, breeding and handling of horses, cattle, sheep and swine, and includes also a book on dairying. If, for any reason, the reader does not desire to take all the work in the class devoted to live stock and is especially interested in dairying, he may select only that portion relating to dairy work, and receive proper credit.

The course comprises five classes, Soils and Crops, Live Stock, Garden and Orchard, Home Making and Political Science. Certificates are given on the completion of the work outlined in each book and class, and on the completion of three classes the reader is presented with an appropriate diploma. The examinations are all optional, and any person may read in the course without sending in reports or taking examinations of any kind.

This course was but recently established, yet it has readers all over the United States and Canada, and the great interest manifested by those who are now enjoying its opportunities is a good indication of its value. Its popularity arises from the fact that it is prepared by busy men: it is short, practical and instructive: it offers a scheme of advisory correspondence with the college authorities which makes it possible to become intimately acquainted with the work of the experiment stations.

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President of the College.

Must Have It.

Yes, you must have it. It is the only way you can learn what is going on about you; the news of the city, village or farming district in which you live. You must have your home paper, whether you can afford anything else in the way of current reading or not. And a great deal besides home news you will find in it. The editor of your home paper aims first of all to give you the home news, with intelligent and helpful comment thereon. But he does not stop there; he does the best he can to give you the general news and the best thought of the whole world. Of course he does not and cannot give you as much as you ought to have, and if you ask him about the matter he will frankly tell you so. He will also advise you what you ought to get to supplement your home paper and keep you and your growing boys and girls up with the times in the great fields of politics, sociology, finance, commerce, science, religion, art, education, and the literary and book news of the day. He will tell you that there is one weekly journal, unique in this respect, made up of carefully selected, condensed and classified extracts from the newspapers and magazines the world over, and that he has made special arrangements by which he can give you a reduced subscription rate for this unique journal, if taken in connection with the HERALD. He will tell you that the name of this journal so admirably suited to your wants is PUBLIC OPINION, that it is published at Washington, D. C., and that the regular subscription price is $2.50 per year, but that he can give you both the HERALD and PUBLIC OPINION for one year for $3.00 cash. He will also tell you, that PUBLIC OPINION and the HERALD are exactly what you need during the political campaign. PUBLIC OPINION will be sent you for ten weeks on trial for fifty cents.

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that's ever here been seen.
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The steam pressures on ocean steamers up to 1850 did not exceed 20 pounds. With the earlier vessels with only 5 to 10 pounds of steam, it was possible to stop a leak in a boiler "by pushing a rag in the hole." As late as 1846 a prominent firm of engine builders in England stated that from 10 to 12 pounds was what they used for merchant vessels. By 1880 pressure had increased to from 60 to 90 pounds, and on the introduction of steel for boilers pressures went up to about 100 pounds by 1885, and now boilers are being built, for large steamers, to carry 200 pounds. Special types of boilers for torpedo boats and other uses carry much higher pressure.

The Ericsson machinery weighs only 56 pounds per horsepower. This last is for torpedo boats and high pressures and can not yet be approached for large vessels. On the trial trip the Minneapolis developed 20,812 horsepower, and the total weight of all the machinery, with the water in the boilers, was 1,961 tons, so that the weight of machinery for each horsepower was about 210 pounds. Had the Minneapolis machinery been of the same relative weight as that of the Powhatan it would have weighed over 8,400 tons, or 1,000 tons more than the Minneapolis herself weighed on her trial trip.—Chautauquan.

THE FALSE MUSCLE INDUSTRY.

Shapely Calves Made to Order For Bicyclists In Welsh Factories.

There is one department of industry which, by the general admission of those engaged in it, is exempt from the stagnation which so largely prevails. Indeed it is in a remarkably flourishing state, and the men and women employed at it are kept busy from morning to night. It is that which deals with the supply of artificial sinews and muscles in order to give to limbs the plumpness and symmetry which nature has denied. The great demand at the present time is for well shaped calves for the legs, and for some time the purveyors of these embellishments could not make out why so many of them were wanted, because the requirements of the ladies of the ballet and burlesque actresses are pretty much the same all the year round, and there was nothing going on to occasion an unusual request for the articles.

But they have now found out the reason. They are required by lady cyclists who wear knickerbockers, and who, naturally enough, desire to exhibit to mankind the limbs which are not covered by these bulky garments in as shapely and attractive a form as possible. The stuffing required for this purpose must be of the best kind, and it is also necessary that the mold should be well fitting; otherwise the lady cyclist would become a kind of scarecrow on wheels instead of a thing of beauty. The articles, therefore, cost more than the ordinary calves, and it may accordingly be said that the latest fashion among women not only encourages cycle making, but also aids the artistic upholstery of the human figure in the highest form.—Cardiff (Wales) Mail.

SHE RIVALS BELLE STAR.

Queen Dolly Rules the Cook Outlaws and Holds Up Unwary Wayfarers.

Dolly, queen of the Cook gang of outlaws, attracts more attention here than any person in the state. Her word is law to the Cooks. She accompanies them on their pillaging expeditions and is said to be a handsome, dashing young woman, who possesses courage unlimited and whose daredevil recklessness exceeds that of the once noted Belle Starr. She wears a six shooter and a big bowie knife and carries a winchester. With a gun she is a dead shot and is cool and collected in time of danger.

The gang was camped not far from Salisaw, two stations west of Muldrew, not long ago, when she went into town, accompanied by two of the boys as far as the outskirts. Attired in short dress, close fitting jacket and felt hat, she boldly walked into the postoffice and inquired for mail, after which she visited several stores, where she did some trading, carrying a six shooter all the while. Near the edge of town she held up three men, taking from one a gold watch and from the others a small sum of money, then coolly walked up the railroad track, where she was joined by the outlaws.

Dolly is but 22 years old. Her true name is unknown, and she guards the secret of her identity well.—Fort Smith (Ark.) Dispatch.

Carries His Name Well.

Jegemiah Prophet Elijah Kumler is the full name of the moderator of the Presbyterian synod just adjourned in Tyrone. He is a graduate of Miami university and has been 34 years in the ministry. He is pastor of the East Liberty church, Pittsburg, and is an eloquent and forceful speaker. He has a sister named "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing."—Philadelphia Times.

The Office or the Dogs.

Miss Louise Imogen Quincy is the postmistress of Auburndale, Mass. She writes verses and has some of the other eccentricities of genius. She keeps two monstrous dogs that are said to be fierce. Timid people refuse to go to the office for letters or stamps, and it is evident that Miss Quincy must give up the postoffice or the dogs.—New York Times.

FROM our home of peace and gladness
Comes this happy, jingling rhyme,
With our hearts that know no sadness
At this blessed Christmas time;
As we hear the dear old story
In the pealing of the bells,
To the giver comes the blessing:
"'Tis the thoughtful act that tells."

The mistletoe of bygone days
Hangs aloft within our hall,
And the bright, red-berried holly
Drapes the pictures on the wall,
And the air of sweet contentment
Which in our household dwells
Bears out the cherished saying:
"'Tis the thoughtful act that tells."

Let the miser hoard his money—
What pleasure doth he find?
For when the day of reckoning comes
It must all be left behind.
And he laughs to scorn the message
Of the bells, melodious bells,
As they bring to him the message:
"'Tis the thoughtful act that tells."

Let them ring and ring it louder,
Let it sound through every clime,
How our God will love the giver
At the merry Christmas time.
Let them ring and ring forever,
Until every bosom swells
With the love of helping others:
"'Tis the thoughtful act that tells."
—C. H. Capern, in Chicago Herald.

A POINTER FOR SANTA CLAUS.

A little lady, quaint and small—
(She's five years old and growing tall)—
About these short December days,
When each shop window is ablaze
With gorgeous toys and colored lights,
Indulges in strange fancy flights.

She said to me the other day:
"When Santa Claus comes out our way
How do you think he'll get his pack
Down thro' our narrow chimney stack?
I'll write to him the day before
To come right in at our front door.

"You see, he never could bring down
That lovely doll in silken gown
We saw at Smith's—and then her bed
And furniture upholstered red.
Why—he would have an awful time
Attempting on our roof to climb!

"And, then, just think of all those toys!
I'm sure they'd make an awful noise
As he dropped down, and that would wake
Us up, while to his heels he'd take—
For, don't you know he is so shy
He will not come where folks may spy?

"I'll just address a letter now
To tell him what to bring, and how,
And, then, for fear the post might miss,
If you're down town please tell them this:
When Santa gets to our house that
He'll find the key beneath the mat!"
—George E. Bowen, in Inter Ocean.

'T WAS Christmas eve, a time fraught with so many pleasant recollections to those who have enjoyed the blessed experience of a home and the associations of a united family circle; a season when memory opens her portfolio and points out to us the pictures of the long ago from which time has taken all discordant colors and mellowed them into beautiful harmonies; an hour when men's hearts are more tender and sympathetic and more easily prompted by benevolence.

The travel was comparatively light on the through express, for most of the commercial "runners" had managed to finish up their work and were already rejoicing in the comforts of home. Of course there are others than drummers who travel, but the drummer is the staff of life to the passenger service and hotel enterprise, so I mention him first. There were but four commercial men that I recognized as such on this special train, and as usual they were making the best of the occasion with story and joke and merry conversation. Having reversed one of the seats without permission or aid of the conductor, a button hook saving all such ceremony, four of them sat facing each other, forming a jovial group—more noticeable, perhaps, on account of the gloom which seemed to envelop the other passengers.

There were about twenty-five pilgrims occupying the car, comprising the usual varieties of character to be found under the circumstances. The train boy had passed and repassed through the train all the afternoon, laden either with his burden of well-worn paper-covered novels, or his basket of posthumous ripened fruit, but his stock had not appeared to diminish any in spite of his industry. By the weary and discouraged expression of his countenance it was evident that trade was not very lively. The train boy in this case, as in most cases, was a man in years, but still short enough in stature to be called a boy without absurdity; one of those unhealthy and weak-looking mortals who are uninteresting to anyone except their own near kin. The train boy seated himself in an unoccupied corner next to the group of drummers, and taking from his pocket a meager handful of small coins began to count them over. He seemed to derive little comfort from this occupation, for he soon replaced the money in his pocket with an audible sigh

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I began to feel a languid compassion for the fellow—not, I confess, the sort to do me any credit—for my pity was not entirely free from a feeling of contempt, a spurious pity, barren of any result; a sort of speculative pity, leading me out into meditations on the diversities and proportionate responsibilities of humanity. The wretched fellow made me feel uncomfortable. What right had the authorities to torment the traveling public by introducing such a factor into their service? A train boy is always a nuisance at his best, with his impudent and constant annoyance, his utter lack of delicacy, his trespass on time and patience, his presumption and infrusion on our privacy. And by what law of equity should I have my sensibilities pained in a fretful sympathy for a supposititious misery? I couldn't help it. What could I possibly do for the fellow even though I were to make an effort?

The half-smothered sigh of the train boy seemed to attract the attention of one of the commercial travelers; either that or the lugubrious expression on his face; for the traveler immediately accosted him in a way peculiar to knights of the road in addressing an employe, with whom all drummers and railway men assume a familiar acquaintance.

"Hey, Jimmie! brace up! What's the matter with you? You look like you'd had an invitation to your own funeral."

THE YOUNG MAN BOUGHT THE BOOK.

His name might or might not have been Jimmie; if it was it was only a coincidence, for the drummer probably had no more idea than I had by what name the train boy was christened. However, it served the purpose and the remark was answered by a sickly effort of a smile.

"Business slow?" continued the interrogator.

"That's what it is," was the despondent answer.

"Well, cheer up, Jimmie. We all strike hard lines some time or other, and to-morrow's Christmas, anyway, and don't you forget it."

"That's what makes things worse," says the train boy, evidently glad to relieve his feelings by confiding in the somewhat rough but not unwelcome sympathy extended. "Ye see, there's the old woman and t'ree kids waitin' fer me at home, and they's all a lookin' fer something. Besides, I expect mother to our house to spend Christmas, and I tole Jennie—my wife—I'd have a turkey sure; and you see, no biz, no turkey. So I was thinking about this and them three little stockings hanging up on the mantel shelf, and felt kinder blue when I see I'd have to fill the stockings wid bananas out of my stock, and get along with pork and beans fer Christmas dinner."

"How much did you take in to-day?" inquires the C. T.

"T'ree dollars and fifteen cents, and I git twenty per cent. out of it."

"That leaves you about sixty cents profit, eh?"

"Jest about."

"And you want a turkey dinner and a little present for Jennie and mother, and plunder for the kids, and you've got sixty cents on hand. Sixty cents will go a good way in peanuts or hairpins, but it hasn't much show to buck up against a Christmas turkey. Now, I'll tell you what's the matter with you. You don't know how to sell goods. In the first place your goods are no good anyway, and in the second place you meander through the train with that flunked-out expression on your face as though you really didn't expect to make a sale anyway. That's no way to drum up a customer."

"Oh, yes, it's easy enough kidden me, but nobody could sell nothin' on this train," says the train boy.

"Couldn't, eh? Well, I'm betting they could if they only knew how to work it. Now, if I was in your place for about fifteen minutes I'd show you how to sell goods. By George! I've an idea! Listen, boys, what's the matter with me trying it on? What d'ye say to my taking this here stock and working the train for all it's worth?"

"Go ahead, Rube, and try it," cries one of the group.

"Yes, let's have some fun," says another.

"You haven't the sand to try," remarks a skeptic.

"Try it, Rube, and give the boy a lift," puts in the third.

"Here goes, then," says the redoubtable Rube. "Here, Jimmie, hand me your basket, and give me your cap." With this he snatches the official cap from the small head of the news vender and places it on his own large cranium. Nothing could be more comical than the effect of the train boy's cap perched on the zenith altitude of the prematurely bald head of the jolly commercial traveler, while his own capacious derby almost settled on the shoulders of the train boy.

Rube stood up fully six feet in his shoes, and I should judge would turn the scale considerably beyond two hundred pounds. All of which added to the absurdity of the situation, and without more ado, beaming with jollity and good nature, off he started on his expedition of charity.

The weary and homesick travelers in our immediate vicinity at first stared, then smiled, then seemed to awake from their melancholy reveries to an interest in something that bid fair to relieve the monotony of the tiresome hours of travel.

Seated behind me was a young man, arrayed in a brand new ready-made suit of clothes of rather loud pattern, all the creases of which were painfully conspicuous; a young man evidently from the rural districts, but he seemed to be on his guard and wore an expression of dignity and gravity which he probably deemed in harmony with his apparel. A faint, indulgent smile appeared upon his face when Rube—I call him Rube because that was the name his friends gave him—presented himself and stock in trade.

"Apples, oranges, peanuts, bananas, specially selected and shipped from Florida for this identical train? Buy some fruits of the tropics, sir?"

"Not to-day, thanks."

"Of course not; I knew you wouldn't fool away money on this stuff. I was just trying to be funny, you know. Men of the world like you and I must relax a little now and then; no offense, I hope. I know you society men are apt to be a little stiff with strangers. But most of you fashionable fellows are good-hearted, after all. And to-morrow's Christmas, you know."

"Oh, I understand; that's all right," replied the flattered youth.

"It's a pretty gay sort of a life you fellows lead, I reckon. I never was in society myself, but I've read about it considerable in Ward McAllister's new book, 'Society as I Have Found It.' Queer duck, McAllister; 'spose you know him personally. His book is all the rage with the Four Hundred, and something you'd appreciate. I've got one copy here, and I don't mind giving you the first show for it."

The young man seemed to be gratified by these remarks, and did not conceal the self-conscious expression of his face as he took the volume and turned over the leaves.

"What does it cost?" he inquired.

"Well, the price marked on it is fifty cents, but you know it's the last in the lot and getting mighty rare. But I'll let you have it for seventy-five cents, seeing to-morrow is Christmas."

Well, the young man bought the book and probably had his money's worth, as he seemed deeply interested in its contents from that time forward.

The volunteer next attacked me, and had no serious difficulty of swindling me out of twenty-five cents on a five-cent package of cough-drops, which he declared would cure any disorder of the human system in a miraculously short time.

The seat in front of mine was occupied by a typical priest. Now, I never saw but two types of traveling priests—one the German and the other Irish. This one was unmistakably Irish—quite willing and ready for a tournament of wit—and a match for the irrepressible drummer. His sharp thrusts at the salesman were applauded by the little coterie of friends across the aisle. It seemed to me that the cunning Rube was purposely laying himself open to give pointers to the priest. However that may be, he managed to leave his reverence poorer by a silver dollar, but in an excellent humor with himself and all the world.

The industrious salesman had by this time proceeded beyond the range of hearing, but was steadily gaining in popularity, and as he progressed shouts of mirth greeted him. Almost every one entered into the spirit of the enterprise, and his stock was considerably diminished before he had passed out to enter the next car, for it was the smoker, and if he had successfully broken the ice in our car he was just

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the man to reap a harvest amongst the democratic and anarchistic smokers.

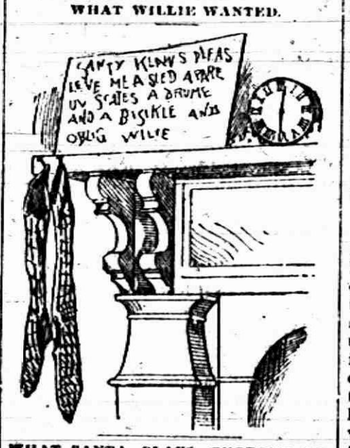
The original and fatty train boy was an interesting sight. His despondency had evaporated. He no longer put me in mind of a sick chicken on a rainy day, unable to find comfortable shelter; his despondency had taken wings. He no longer drooped, but sat erect in his seat. His dough-colored face took on a mahogany tint. The dull eyes were sparkling with a new light. Hope had given him back his manhood and courage. He could appear before his humble family in the character of a protector and provider. He could respond to the welcome home as every true man loves to respond with some new comfort for those he loves. He would come home with good tidings for Christmas; for the jolly Samaritan had sold enough in car to insure his hopes.

But here comes Rube, returning from his labors with an empty basket and but two volumes of the disreputable literature which forms the bulk of supply for the trainboy—"The Mistakes of Moses," and "Nance." There is a smile lurking beneath his mustache—I can detect it by the dimples in each cheek—and there is sunshine in his eyes. Six feet of you, Rube, and every inch of you a man! I would like to shake hands with you, old fellow, for there is a big heart thumping under your vest; a heart in proportion to your great body. No doubt you are a sinner, Rube (we are all sinners, for that matter); but you are a saint on this Christmas eve. People disposed to be critical may deplore your lack of dignity and the cynical may say you have made an ass of yourself; but that will not trouble you, old fellow. Your face is aglow with a brightness brought from heavenly places, that ridiculous cap on your head is a crown of glory to you, Rube. You have preached for me an eloquent sermon, a lesson of uses. You have shown me that sentimental emotion is of no value or account. Benevolent wishes are moral vaporings unless they find their ultimate in doings. The gifts you possess you have cheerfully laid on the altar of charity, all unconscious of having done anything for your own glory, delighting only in the joy you have bestowed upon your neighbor—a Merry Christmas, Rube, and a Happy New Year!—Frank Beard, in Ram's Horn.

The Spirit of Living.

The great family life of America does not represent opulence. If it stands for anything it stands for comfort, but not for plenty. We can all afford to recognize the Christ-like spirit of Christmas, which teaches us to remember by some loving token those nearest and dearest to us. But only a few can afford to follow the present method of extravagant and senseless giving. Generosity is a synonym the world over for the American; but true generosity is of the heart and of the heart alone. If one has been more fortunate than the other in the acquirement of means, and the will is present, then, I say, by all means give largely and widely. But let such giving be measured only by true feeling and that spirit manifested as it can be, so that others, less fortunate of means, shall not feel that they are obliged to do what really they cannot afford to do. It will not harm us if, in this respect, we go back a little to the times that are past. No one then heard all this talk about the duty of giving at holiday-time. People gave because it was a pleasure to give; they liked to give, and they gave what they could. A Christmas present then meant more than it does now, in that its only association was the day and the spirit of the giver. Times were simpler, it is true, and wants were fewer. But if we have progressed, and presents are possible to-day which were out of the reach of our forefathers, the spirit can at least remain the same. We need not depart from principles as we grow. We should adhere the closer to them if anything.—Ladies' Home Journal.

WHAT WILLIE WANTED.



WHAT SANTA CLAUS THOUGHT HE NEEDED.

—Truth.

—"Er man," said Uncle Eben, "dat wants ter keep Chris'mus wid de proper spirit ob good will ter his fellowman orter begin de 26th ob every December ter make his preparations fob next Chris'mus."—Washington Star.

JAMES HOAR'S EXILE.

A Queer and Romantic Story From the Mountains of Pennsylvania.

The death of Mrs. Jennie Hoar at her mountain cottage back of Jumonville removes one of the most romantic characters that ever dwelt in the mountains of Fayette county. She was born where she died, and her sorrowfully romantic life covered a term of 93 years.

Seventy years ago there came to this county from Massachusetts a young man named James Hoar, son of a prominent citizen of Boston, educated at one of the leading eastern colleges. Beyond this nothing could be learned of his life. He secured work as a day laborer in the old Wharton furnace. Everything about this stranger bespoke the gentleman of culture. This fact, added to the mystery of his life, led to the conclusion that he had left Massachusetts for reasons which he did not care to divulge.

One day as he was handling a large piece of metal it fell and broke his leg. He was taken to the home of Benjamin Bronson. Bronson had a daughter named Jennie, a typical country girl. When Hoar was taken to her home, her spare time was devoted to the care of the new arrival. After the patient was able to be about his attentions to Jennie became apparent, and a quiet country wedding followed. They took up their abode in a little log house about a mile east of Dunbar. A household of children came to their fireside. James Hoar had become a typical woodsman, and many stories of his prowess as an athlete are still told.

The tranquillity of the little mountain home was broken by the appearance of a southern planter named Le Clair. He was accompanied by his wife, and together they secured quarters at Hoar's cabin. The latter had a daughter 21 years old. Le Clair pretended to have become enamored of the fair haired mountain girl. The secret of his pretended love was kept from his wife, and when the Le Clairs left she disappeared. What became of her is still a mystery, and it is believed that she was kidnaped by the Le Clairs and taken south. The broken hearted mother never recovered from the loss, and from that time life for her was one long sorrow. James Hoar died at the age of 85.

It is now known that his connection with some of the Cape Cod pirates drove him into this mountain exile. He was a cousin of Senator Hoar of Massachusetts. Jennie Hoar made a livelihood after the death of her husband by selling roots and herbs.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

SHE MUST GET BLUE BLOOD.

The Talk Is Now That Pullman's Daughter Will Marry Alexander of Servia.

King Alexander of Servia is asserted to be on the eve of marrying Miss Pullman, daughter of the American car builder. Not only does the match constitute a topic of discussion in the capitals of Europe, but it has been published as an affair definitely settled in some of the most reliable Viennese, Berlin and Parisian papers.

Surprising though it may appear at first sight, there are far fewer obstacles to a union between the American heiress and King Alexander than with Prince Isenburg-Birstein, for, whereas the prince is debarred by the statutes of his family—statutes that are recognized as valid by the courts of Vienna, Berlin and all the minor German capitals—from marrying any woman not his equal in birth and rank there is no such impediment to prevent King Alexander of Servia from wedding the girl of his choice, be she peasant or princess.

The Isenburgs were sovereigns for hundreds of years and up to the beginning of the present century, although they are now no longer so. The king of Servia's ancestors, even in the early part of the present century, were illiterate swineherds, and, although their descendant is a king and recognized as such by the various foreign courts and governments, yet he is not hedged in with the same restraints and restrictions that surround those of his brother monarchs who have behind them a long line of royal predecessors.—New York Advertiser.

PERFECTLY SANE NOW.

But Forty-five Years of His Life Are a Complete Blank to Him.

"In the village of Lubec," says the Portland raconteur, "lives Clem Wallis. When he was a boy about 15 years of age, he went out to his father's pasture to catch a frisky colt. As he was about to place a halter around his neck the colt kicked him in the head, making a ragged wound. The wound healed, but it soon became apparent that the man was slightly demented, and his hallucination took peculiar forms. He would travel up and down the bay on the steamboats, claiming the proprietorship of the latter and refusing to pay fare. The steamboat men humored him, as he was considered daft, and he was the butt of the small boys' jokes and banter. He has lived in the village since and is now 60 years of age.

"About six weeks ago the local physicians determined to experiment on his case. They found that a portion of his skull had been forced into contact with the brain by the blow, and by a skillful operation removed the pressure. Strange to say, the man has now recovered his reason, and the first question he asked when he recovered from the operation was, 'Did the colt get away?'

"Wallis is perfectly sane now, but 45 years of his life are a perfect blank to him."—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

An Early Start For 1994.

Who shall say that Attleboro is not an up to date town? A subscription has been started for a tercentennial day, to be observed in 1994. It is expected that $400 will be raised, which should yield $20,000 in 1994. The names of the subscribers, it is intended, shall grace the programme 100 years hence. This is seeking posthumous fame with a vengeance.—Boston Traveller.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

NEW TAILOR SHOP—I have opened a Cleaning and Repairing shop in the room in the rear of the Ladie's Library, and am prepared to do cleaning and repairing for ladies and gents by the new dry cleaning process. Give me a call. 9w H. P. CUMMISKEY.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

FOR SALE.—A second-hand Art Garland Coal stove for sale. J. M. INGERSOLL.

TAX NOTICE.—I will be at the following places in the town of Macon to receive taxes during the months of December and January, at H. S. Southerd's store, Monday, Dec. 9th, 10th and Jan. 7, 1895; at Harbinger's store, Wednesdays, Dec. 19 and Jan. 2 and 9; at home every Friday. JOHN WIGGINS, Treasurer of Macon.

RIDGEWAY TAXES.—I will receive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway during the month of December at the following places: Tuesday, 18, 25, at R. P. Smith's store, Ridgeway; Thursdays, 20, 27, John Witt's residence; Fridays, Jan. Haight's store, Britton.
C. B. EXELBY.
Ridgeway Township Treasurer.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 13, 1894.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Harry Root and Harry Lee were visitors at Adrian Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher was the guest of Detroit friends last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Bates Friday morning, a daughter.

Chicken Pie at the new Temple tomorrow evening, 5 to 9 o'clock.

J. W. Crane, of Elmhurst, Ill. called on friends in the village yesterday.

Harry Lee returned home from Virginia Friday night, looking fine as a fiddle.

Don't the condition of our two principal streets this week call loudly for pavement.

Mrs. O. Q. Jones and son went to Brooklyn Monday, on account of the serious illness of a sister.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner and Robe Mosmer are assisting E. F. Kirchgessner during the Holiday season.

Dan Hubbard has instituted proceedings against his wife for divorce, charging adultery and extreme cruelty.

Woodward's Orchestra will discourse fine music at the Chicken Pie Supper Friday evening, at Masonic Temple.

Our grocery men and the meat market men are making things jingle this week. Prices go down, down, down!

S. C. Stacy is giving his Snap Shot this week at North Adams and Manchester. He was sick all last week but reined so he started out Monday.

The young gentlemen have engaged Jackson's orchestra, of Adrian, to furnish the music for their X-Mas party at the Armory. They could not have made a better selection.

Harry Lawrence, of Ann Arbor, whose handiwork may be seen on the windows of many of our business places is in town this week. He will furnish more of his artistic work for some of the firms here.

The difference between the man who advertises and the man who don't is, that one finds his floor crowded and his shelves empty, and the other finds his shelves crowded and his floor empty.

We have received from the Overman Wheel Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass., one of their Victor Pad Calendars for 1895. The style of construction, bright matter, apt quotations and memorandum space on each leaf makes it valuable as a desk reference. It will be sent to any address by sending ten cents in stamps to pay postage.

A new and delightful game is called the "onion social." Six young ladies stand in a row. One of them bites a piece out of an onion and the fellows pay ten cents to see which of the fair ones bit it. The correct guesser kisses the other five girls, while the chumps kiss the forty-first one. The precentage of the game is in favor of the onion chewer.

The school law provides that when there are children in the school district between the ages of 8 to 16 years, that do not attend school, or who are truants from school, a truant officer may be appointed by the board of education and such children be compelled to attend school. With this object in view, the Board of Education of this village, at their last meeting appointed Mr. H. W. Stevens, Truant officer of this school district.

We had a full description of Karner Bros' show window as it was dressed Thanksgiving day, which inadvertently was left out of last weeks issue. Thinking most of our readers were permitted to see and admire the skill and ingenuity displayed we will say no more about it at this late date, but advise them to keep an eye out for that same window Xmas, and not only stand outside and admire it but step inside and see the elegant goods displayed by them.

Merchants and business men who subscribed several thousand dollars to aid the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinac railroad officials to extend the road from Addison Junction, this county, to Jackson, are congratulating themselves that they did not pay over any money. Just the moment when it appeared certain the road would run into the city, it fell into the hands of a receiver, by order of the Toledo judge. Knowing ones say the latter move is really a step forward and was intended to help rather than hinder the work of extending the line. The company will be reorganized on a firm financial basis by the aid of the Grand Trunk railway managers.

Let no man, woman or child neglect to peruse our advertising columns this week.

Remember the great Chicken Pie Supper at New Masonic Temple to-morrow evening.

Doctor North and Dr. Jenkins attended the meeting of the Northern Tri-State Medical Society at Hillsdale yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Q. Jones entertained Sir Knights Andrew Hood and Warren Sigler with their wives, from Rome, over Sunday.

Dr. Eugene Tremaine, who was called here by the serious illness of his nephew and namesake, Eugene Rosecrans, returned to his home at Hyde Park last Tuesday.

The young men will give their usual Christmas Party at the Armory, Dec. 25th. This will be one of the social events of the season. The invitations are now out.

Owing to the extra rush of work attending the twelve-page issue last week, several matters of local importance were crowded out or overlooked, but we hope to get settled down all right soon.

Last Thursday night F. E. Russell and Miss Anna Harris were married at the home of the bride by Rev. J. P. Verner. They left on the night train for a visit among friends at Jackson and Owosso.

We are working up three or four grand combination offers, and expected to have them in shape to announce this week. They will be forth-coming next week without fail and they will be worth waiting for.

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the annoucement in another column of H. P. Cummiskey. Mr. C. is a fine workman and will give you satisfaction in all respects. Give him a trial.

We call the attention of our patrons to the Club List of 1895, which appears elsewhere by which our readers will observe that we are making better combination rates this season than ever before. It will pay you to order all your subscriptions at the HERALD office.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blake, of Ogden, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hanley last week. Tom and Charley were in the same regiment during the war, and have lived 22 miles apart for 20 years, and met at the Detroit encampment, and since then have enjoyed each others company twice. A thanksgiving meeting each time.

At the Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M. Friday night, the following officers were elected:
W. M.—B. J. Garlinghouse.
S. W.—J. A. Boyd.
J. W.—F. J. Temple.
Secy.—J. D. Shull.
Treas.—T. D. Mark.
S. D.—G. B. Garlinhouse.
J. D.—J. D. VanVleet.
Stewards—B. C. Ellis and J. H. Aten.
Tyler—W. C. Jorden.

The following officers were elected by the church to serve the Baptist Sunday School of this village for the year 1895:
Superintendent—Clement H. Bramble
Assistant Supt—O. B. Finch,
Secretary—Carrie Osborn,
Treasurer—Oris McBride,
Librarian—Frank Bauer,
Assistant Libr'n—Fred Sheldon,
" " —Grant Tomms,
Choister—Dr. B. Steinhoff,
Organist—Mabel Smith.

The third lecture of Rev. Chas. M. Brown's series on "The Wonderful Nazarine" was given on Sunday evening, Dec. 2d. The lecture began with Christ's departure from Nazareth for his active ministry and then followed with his baptism by John, his temptation in the wilderness, his return to Cana, whence the first miracle was performed, his trip about the Sea of Galilee, his subsequent journey to Jerusalem and cleansing of the temple. Forty views were presented to an audience that filled the church.

We would acknowledge the receipt of an invitation from the Fellowcraft Club, Detroit, to be present at the reception given in honor of Hon. John Donovan of Bay, Monday evening, Dec. 10. We felt it a great deprivation not being able to attend, for never before has a great party been represented in the affairs of state by one man alone. We congratulate Mr. Donovan on the honor that is his, and feel confident the interests of his party will be jealously guarded.

Among the many societies which Tecumseh contains, "the Orient" of recent date, is becoming very popular and rapidly increasing in membership. Though not as ancient as some, the wisdom of the Sages of this and other lands have been brought into active operation in this great society, thereby making it extremely attractive, and their ranks are swelling, and more are constantly knocking at its doors for admission. The humble as well as the exalted are elevated and find great pleasure and satisfaction within its hospitable embrace.

The Ladies of Woman's Relief Corps have been called upon to lay away another of our members by death, Mrs. Cora McKinney. She with three other ladies were initiated into this society, Nov. 20, 1893, by Mrs. Anna S. Hanley, president. One year and two weeks ago, Dec. 3d, '94, our room was filled with sadness, where we had met so short a time under the most favorable prospects. Sixteen of the ladies attended her funeral and as their parting tribute of respect covered the casket with the last blossoms of the year. While we mourn her loss we believe she sweetly rests with the dear one gone before.

Will Mobbs has been slightly indisposed for a few days.

J. D. Hause, of Clinton, was taken in the sights here to-day.

Miss Grace Gillespie is assisting at Adamson Bros' these days.

The library and reading room will be open Sundays from 2 to 6 p. m.

Mrs. Hattie Hurd, of Ann Arbor, is among her old friends here again.

Chas. H. Gould, of Milan, was the guest of D. T. Hall last Tuesday.

Everybody will eat Chicken Pie with the ladies at the Temple to-morrow evening.

Newton Satterthwaite and wife are very happy over a little daughter born to them Tuesday.

Wm. J. Herbison, of Bath, Clinton county, is visiting old friends in this vicinity this week.

Celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

L. D. Dewey and C. E. Williamson are dressing turkeys, geese and ducks in large quantities this week.

Frank Chilson and Clem. Hardenburg who have been on the lakes during the season, returned home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Friend McNeil spent several days the past week with her daughter Grace, at Clinton. Mr. McNiel was there over Sunday.

A Hard Times social will be given by the Baptist young people at Frank Bryan's next Tuesday evening, Dec. 18th. Everybody come and have a good time.

Mush and Milk! A supper to suit the times. Mush and milk at Frank Bryan's next Tuesday evening. Gents tickets, 12cts., ladies, 7cts., single tickets 15cts.

Chosen Officers of W. R. C., No. 177:
Sec.—Mrs. Jennie L. Avery.
As't Con.—Mrs Flora Teeple.
As't Guard—Mrs. Sarah Wescott.
Delegate to Dept. Convention—Mrs. Anna S. Hanley.
Alternate—Mrs. Mary E. Harmon.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold their regular monthly tea meeting in the church parlors Wednesday evening, Dec. 19. Business meeting at 4 o'clock, Supper served from 5:30 to 6:30 by Mrs. Chas. Blood's committee. All are welcome.

The Farmers' Union, according to adjournment, the next meeting will be held at the residence of Frank Davidson, Friday evening, Dec. 28th, 2894, Program:
Music—Loana Davidson.
Dec.—Edward Wood.
Reading—Mrs. Horace Eaton.
Music—Mrs. and Mrs. B. Poucher.
Rec.—Anna McIntyre.
Music—Nellie Wilson.
Reading—Mrs. W. F. Raymond.
Rec.—Fern DePuy.
Music—Mrs. Edwin Taft.
Question—Is the grocery man's combination beneficial to the farmer? Discussion led by B. F. DePuy, followed by Frank Davidson, W. F. Raymond, Geo. Holloway and others.

Jas. Elliott received a telegram last Monday announcing the death of Willie D. E. Heaton, son of Mrs. A. L. Dahl, New York City. He spent several weeks of last summer at Homer and in our village and seemed to improve in health and spirits, giving his friends strong hopes of his recovery, but he was struggling with that fatal disease, consumption. He was a bright, talented young man, 21 years of age, and made many warm friends here who deeply sympathize with the grieved ones at his home in the city. May God comfort the father, a devoted mother and dear little sister, is the earnest prayer of warm hearts, far away.

The Farmers' Club will meet at A. Van Valkenburg's on Thursday evening Dec. 20, '94. Program:
Music.
Recitation—Bertha VanValkenburg.
Select Reading—Mrs. A. Haire.
Song.
Essay—Harold Hoag.
Declamation—Halleck Wilson.
Song.
Chip Basket—Mrs. W. Matthews.
History—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Prophecy—Mrs. H. Hoag.
Music.
Parody—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Declaration—Robbie Bryan.
Charade—Hettie Waldron.
Music.
Supper.

The meeting of the Eastern Star last Thursday evening was largely attended and the refreshment committee, composed of 15 gentlemen, were actively employed in preparing the tables for the banquet. They looked very attractive in their white caps and aprons. The tables were laden with choice silver which they had smuggled from their homes for the occasion. When all was in readiness the order came to form two lines and march into the banquet room. As they passed into the hall each received a fancy napkin. When all were seated the first course was served consisting of crackers in dish pans. 2d. course, cheese on paper. 3rd. course, water in pails with dippers. The preparation of such an elaborate spread was a great tax on the committee, but they being fifteen stalwart men of great experience and ingenuity, were able to fulfill the arduous duties and make it the grand success it was. After all had feasted, (we came near saying fasted) and the business of the meeting resumed, the worthy matron was presented (by the members of the committee) a bag containing twenty-six silver dollars. It was indeed an evening of surprises, three fold, viz; the great number of petitions received, the delicacies so rich and rare served by the committee, and the silver presented to the order, making this, the last meeting in the old hall, one never to be forgotten by those present.

Wm. Smith, who has been working for the Wilson brothers, was not satisfied with his account, and as he would not listen to a compromise, he brought suit against them before Chas. Burridge, which by mutual consent was taken before Fraser. The jury returned a verdict in favor of Smith for $13.00.

The change in quarters of the Library is a very pleasant one, which all appreciate and adding the free reading room in connection with it is a grand thing. The rooms are open from 4 to 10 p. m. Although they have hardly got settled the attendance is rapidly increasing. Some had an idea the reading was not free, but it is, and all are welcome.

The Tecumseh Chapter R. A. M., at their meeting last night elected officers as follows:
H. P.—J. H. Smith.
K.—L. M. Kellogg.
S.—C. F. Patterson.
Treas.—J. A. Boyd.
Secy.—F. J. Temple.
C. H.—R. M. Boyd.
P. S.—S. P. Hosmer.
R. A. C.—B. J. Garlinghouse.
G. M. 3d V—G. B. Garlinghouse.
" 2d. V—Wm. Britton.
" 1st V—T. R. Kyle,
Stewards—F. Bryan and S. McClure.
Sentinel—W. C. Jorden.

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MICHIGAN TOILERS.

Action Taken by the State Federation of Labor at Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 6.—The Michigan Federation of Labor at its session Wednesday openly declared in favor of active political work in the ranks of the federation. The platform of the people's party adopted at the Omaha convention after hot debate was adopted, with the exception of two planks, as the platform of the Michigan federation. The planks rejected were the demand for a collective ownership of all means of production and distribution, and that favoring the employment of convict labor in twine making to injure the twine trust. The Michigan federation is opposed to all convict labor. The Michigan Liquor Dealers' association was indorsed because it used the union labels.

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—At Thursday's session of the Michigan Federation of Labor unskilled labor and prison labor were discussed at length. A resolution was adopted that a state label league be organized. A universal label will be used for all kinds of goods and union men will not buy at stores where the label is not used. Resolutions were adopted asking that women factory inspectors be appointed for factories where women are employed, and indorsing the actions of Govs. Waite and Altgeld in the late strikes in Colorado and Illinois.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 8.—The sessions of the Michigan Federation of Labor closed on Friday. John D. Flanigan, of Grand Rapids, was elected president. The federation will meet at Saginaw next December. A resolution was introduced that all laboring and union men refrain from joining state militia companies, but the mover and the resolution was sat down on hard.

CLAIMS VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Ex-Banker Hoyt, of St. Joseph, Fighting for a Large Fortune.

ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 7.—Ex-Banker R. C. Hoyt is pushing a suit to establish his claim to $600,000 worth of real estate situated within the city limits. Twenty years ago Mr. Hoyt had a bank here and was rated at $200,000 above all debts. At the time of the panic in 1873 he owed $62,000, and his creditors, becoming alarmed, threw him into bankruptcy before he had time to realize on his property sufficient to pay them. An assignee was appointed and after eight years he sold the property and paid 11 per cent. to the creditors and received a full receipt. Hoyt began suit four years ago to recover his property, and the case has gone through the lower courts and is now in the United States court. For some reason and in some way the case has been kept quiet until now. The property involved includes 243 acres within the city limits, 100 platted lots, and several business and residence blocks.

MICHIGAN MILITIA IS STRONG.

Adjt. Gen. Eaton Files His Report for the Last Two Years.

LANSING, Dec. 10.—The report of Adjt. Gen. Eaton for the biennial period ending September 30, which was filed with the governor Saturday, gives the total strength of the Michigan national guard as 2,595, of whom 192 are commissioned officers. The adjutant general recommends the equalization of state bounties among the soldiers of the war of the rebellion. To equalize the bounties at $150 per man would cost the state nearly $12,000,000.

The adjutant general reports that in 1893 only 72 per cent. of the Michigan brigade attended the annual encampment, while in 1894 their percentage of attendance was 80. During the year commissions were issued to 215 officers of the national guard. There were 2,559 discharged and 2,493 enlistments. Certificates of six years' continuous service were granted to fifty-seven persons.

COOKED TO DEATH BY STEAM.

A Horrible Accident Befalls Edsie Bryan Near Adrian.

ADRIAN, Dec. 7.—A horrible accident occurred a few miles south of this city Thursday evening. Edward and Edsie Bryan, aged 19, twin sons of a well-to-do farmer, were riding a traction engine. While crossing a country bridge the engine broke through. Edward jumped, but Edsie was caught between the engine and a tank coupled behind. In the fall the furnace door had opened and a steam pipe was broken. Edsie was literally cooked to death, while his brother, helpless to aid him, was compelled to listen to his agonizing appeals.

Multiplicity of Municipal Bills.

LANSING, Dec. 8.—The commission authorized by the Michigan legislature of 1893 to draft bills under which municipal governments can be organized without coming to the legislature for a charter will report four bills. There will be one bill for villages, one for cities with population of 10,000 or less, one with population between 10,000 and 50,000, one over 50,000 and not exceeding 100,000, and one for those in excess of 100,000.

Mismanagement Is Alleged.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 7.—Charles O. Smedley and Nancy M. Hinsdell began suit against the Gypsum Plaster and Stucco company for the appointment of a receiver. Smedley holds judgments against the company for $41,712 and Mrs. Hinsdell holds one for $4,000, and in their bill of complaint charge mismanagement against Frank L. Noble, the secretary, treasurer and general manager.

Bounties Due Michigan Veterans.

LANSING, Dec. 10.—Among the measures to be considered at the approaching session of the legislature will be the equalization of bounties due Michigan veterans. Although the bounty has been promised it is altogether probable that no action will be taken, as the adjutant general has submitted report to the effect that it will take $1,200,000 to cancel the state indebtedness to the soldiers.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

The Pith Extracted from Many Newsy Dispatches.

The rumored consolidation of the D. L. & N. road with the C. & W. M. is denied.

The Spoor estate has purchased the Phœnix block at Grand Rapids for $45,000.

A receiver is now in control of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railroad.

The Michigan Live Stock association will meet at Lansing December 19.

On December 26 the State Teachers' association meets in Lansing.

The 5-months-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. William Lancaster was found dead in bed in their home at Traverse City.

The death of Postmaster Franklin M. Cutchem, of Portland, is announced.

Fire damaged the Upjohn Pill & Granule company's factory at Kalamazoo to the extent of $4,000.

Dr. W. E. Robinson, formerly of Louisville, Ky., has bought a large building in Benton Harbor and will open the largest hospital in this section of the state.

Many veterans of the late war are arranging a trip to the southern battle fields. The intention is to leave Flint about January 1 next.

There is an immense bed of peat extending out into the bay, near Caseville. Every storm washes large pieces ashore. The peat makes excellent fuel.

James Bunn and Wesley Everett were sentenced in the Ingham circuit court to four years in the state prison at Jackson for having burglar's tools in their possession.

The officers of the American Monitor, an assessment endowment insurance concern, have made application to the Michigan supreme court for a mandamus to compel the commissioner of insurance to grant it a license to do business.

A Niles dispatch says coal has been found there at a depth of 50 feet.

Universalists of Benton Harbor are building a new church to cost $10,000.

Highwaymen robbed and brutally beat Hiram Huggles, a farmer living near Edwardsburg.

For neglecting to keep his promise to marry her Mary Mahiat, of Detroit, has just been given a judgment for $5,000 against August Colde.

Jackson's oldest mercantile establishment, the dry goods house of W. M. Bennett & Co., has gone out of business.

Thomas A. Edison received his first lessons in electricity from Robert Wagner, senior member of the Detroit wholesale tobacco firm of Wagner & Woodhouse, who died recently.

Mrs. George Wilkins died at Rochester recently at the age of 100 years.

A party of Michigan farmers has emigrated to North Carolina for the avowed purpose of raising celery.

The regular force of the secretary of state's office at Lansing will be reduced by the removal of six clerks January 1.

Nels Nelson, a Swede, living at Ludington, committed suicide by hanging himself with a clothesline. Grief over the death of his wife is the supposed cause of his action.

Walnut logs are being exported from Palmyra to Germany.

Within the past ten years the Ottawa Indian population in Emmett county has been reduced about one-half. The number is now about 1,000.

While in the Cedar Forbes jumped in front of an engine at Richmond and was ground to pieces.

Among the cadet appointments to the military academy made recently is that of R. P. Dunstan (alternate), Hancock.

H. C. Barber's bank vault was burglarized recently. The inside door was blown off, but the burglars did not get into the treasury vaults. There is no clew.

At Orleans Mrs. J. H. Lonsbury's barn, with three horses, seven cattle and 500 bushels of grain, burned recently.

Deer have been so plenty in Wexford county during the last month that dozens have been reported killed about railroad stations and farm dooryards.

Made a Protest.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 7.—The Michigan lumbermen who came here to oppose the boomstick duty waited on the government Thursday afternoon in the office of Mr. Bowell, minister of trade and commerce, who is acting premier. W. R. White, of Pembroke, showed that the duty on booms and boomsticks was a policy of irritation against the United States and might lead to difficulties if not abolished. Congressman Weadock, of Michigan, put the case very forcibly and Mr. Bowell replied, stating that the government would take the whole matter into consideration and would do what was just.

To Dam the St. Joseph River.

ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 7.—A corporation to be known as the Berrien Springs Motor Power company has filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk with a paid up capital of $50,000. It comprises forty-four moneyed men and the purpose is to dam the St. Joseph river near Berrien Springs for power.

Fight Over Michigan Land Grants.

LANSING, Dec. 8.—The case of the state versus the Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw Railway company, brought to recover many thousand acres of swamp lands, which the state claims was illegally patented to the company, will shortly be heard in the United States court of appeals at Cincinnati.

Work Resumed.

CALUMET, Dec. 8.—The Tamarack mine resumed work at No. 1 shaft Thursday morning after an idleness of six weeks, which has reduced the annual product of the copper probably 1,000,000 pounds. All the men who were laid off were placed at work again.

FAVOR FREE COINAGE.

Action Taken at a Conference of Michigan Democrats.

LANSING, Dec. 8.—The free silver conference held here by democrats Friday was presided over by Kryn Dykema, of Grand Rapids, with Willard Stearns, of Adrian, as secretary. The attendance was small, but fifteen persons outside Lansing being present, although letters of regret were read from prominent democrats, including Spencer O. Fisher, late candidate for governor.

The platform adopted demands that the government alone provide, issue and control our medium of exchange; that the unit of value established in 1792, a silver dollar of 412½ grains, be restored, and our mints opened for the free coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1; that both be used in redeeming government paper circulation, so that silver be utilized and bond issues be rendered unnecessary; that the metal of nature be utilized instead of foreign gold being borrowed on a gold basis credit. The demonetization act of 1873 was denounced. The members of the conference pledged their best efforts to restore the products of the farm, factory and mine to their former relative value with gold. In a supplementary resolution the action of the democratic state committee in making free silver the paramount issue in the recent campaign was commended.

The democratic committee was requested to meet within thirty days to organize the party on these lines, and in case of its failure to do so the executive committee appointed was authorized to call a state convention or take such other action as shall effect the purpose of the conference. C. P. Black, of Lansing, Willard Stearns, of Adrian, and Congressman Whiting, of St. Clair, were empowered to select an executive committee of twenty-one members. It is not the purpose of the conference to form a new party unless compelled to do so by the failure of the democratic organization to take the desired stand relative to the silver question.

EXCEEDS THE BONDING LIMIT.

City of Detroit Is Informed That the Limit Has Been Overdrawn.

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—City Counselor Speed Friday night announced that the city of Detroit has authorized bonds to a much larger amount than is permissible by law to issue. The bonding limit, according to the city charter, is 2 per cent. of the assessed valuation, or $4,183,024. The city has issued or authorized the issue to date of $4,565,413 in bonds, or according to speed, $482,389 in excess of the bonding limit. An examination of the city's various bond issues shows that not enough of them may mature during the present century to permit of the issue of any more for public improvements in the way of paving, sewers and the like during that time.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Holland Manufacturers Arrested on a Charge of Incendiarism.

HOLLAND, Dec. 10.—Two or three incendiary fires have occurred here recently and City Marshal Vanry and his deputy, Keppel, have been keeping a sharp lookout for the firebugs. Their vigilance was rewarded Saturday night by the capture of three men in the act of setting fire to a dwelling house, using gasoline to feed the flames. The names of the men arrested are Tim Slagh and Tim Smith, proprietors of the Crescent planing mill, and Cornelius Steffens, a teamster in their employ, who is also a cousin of the other two men. The three men have always borne good reputations and their arrest was in the nature of a surprise.

SHOT BY A FARMER.

Chicken Thieves Filled with Lead Near Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—Jacob Miller and his son Thomas are at Grace hospital suffering from bullet and gunshot wounds at the hands of Byron Downing, a Livonia township constable and farmer, who caught the Millers in the act of robbing his turkey and hen roosts. The Millers surrendered after a long chase. To-night the physicians report that both will live. The men say that their comrade, Daley, was shot eight times before he fell from the wagon.

Historic Hillsdale Boat Burned.

HILLSDALE, Dec. 7.—The boathouse of the famous old Hillsdale boat club burned Thursday afternoon, and with it, besides pleasure boats to the number of twenty-five, the old four-oared shell with which the Hillsdale crew first won its national fame. The boat was purchased in 1879, and that summer the Hillsdales won the national championship at Saratoga in 8:32½, then a new record. With a new shell they won at Philadelphia and Washington the next two years, and in 1882 went to England, where they were defeated.

Gang of Young Burglars Captured.

LANSING, Dec. 8.—Deputy Marshal Nolan and a detail of officers early Friday morning raided the quarters of a gang of local burglars, securing five young men, 18 to 23 years old, and a complete set of skeleton keys, burglars' tools and considerable plunder. Several other implicated parties will be arrested. The operations of the gang extended over the last eighteen months and many business places have been raided several more than once.

Beaten by One Vote.

CENTERVILLE, Dec. 8.—For some time the most progressive citizens of this place have been desirous of putting in a system of waterworks. The question was put to a vote Tuesday and was lost by just one vote.

Millionaire Vessel Owner Dead.

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—Capt. John Pridgeon, the millionaire capitalist and vessel owner, died at his residence this city Thursday, aged 66 years.

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is being furthered by the Queen & Crescent Route by means of a special series of Monthly Excursions to southern points at One Fare for Round Trip. These rates are in effect from Cincinnati, O., Louisville and Lexington, Ky., June 5th, July 5th, Aug. 7th, Sept. 4th, October 2d, November 6th and December 4th; good twenty days from date of sale for return. They are sold via the Q. & C. dates to all points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida (except Key West), and to New Orleans and all points on our line in Louisiana. The Q. & C. has over a million acres of farms and timber land for sale along its line at $3.00 to $8.00 per acre.
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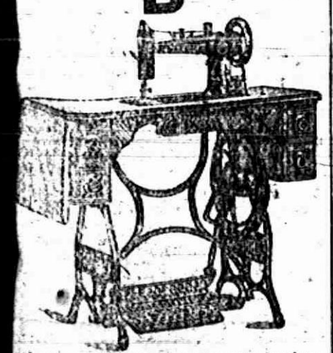

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

THE Fifty-third congress commenced its second session on the 3d. In the senate after organization and listening to the president's message several resolutions were offered, among them being one by Senator Peffer for an investigation into the legality of the issuance of bonds.... In the house the secretary of the treasury's estimate of appropriations required for the service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, aggregating $410,455,079, was received. Mr. Hartman, of Montana, introduced a bill providing for the free coinage of silver. The president's message was read.

IN the senate on the 4th a resolution was adopted calling for the official letters of Admiral Walker while in command of United States naval vessels at Hawaii. There was the usual deluge of bills and petitions incident to the opening days of a session, none of them however being of public importance. ....In the house a bill for the establishment of a national park on the site of the battle of Shiloh was passed.

MR. PEFFER'S resolution calling for information regarding the issuance of bonds was adopted in the United States senate on the 5th. Bills were introduced for the free coinage of silver, making the silver dollar to consist of 412½ grains of standard fineness; to form the state of Indianola out of portions of the Indian territory, and for an amendment to the sugar clause in the present tariff law striking out all the provisions except that to remove the one-eighth differential on sugar.... In the house a resolution was introduced repealing section 3 of the act providing for the resumption of specie payment, which authorizes the secretary of the treasury to sell bonds.

ON the 6th Senator Turpie spoke in the senate in favor of the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. Bills were passed exempting from duty foreign exhibits at the Portland (Ore.) exposition and for the national dedication of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national park on September 19 and 20, 1895. Adjourned to the 10th.... In the house a joint resolution was introduced proposing an amendment to the constitution making the president ineligible to a second term. The bill making appropriations for fortifications and other works of defense for the fiscal year 1895-'96 ($7,357,703) was reported.

THE senate was not in session on the 7th.... In the house the greater portion of the session was devoted to a continuation of the discussion on the bill to so amend the interstate commerce act as to permit railroad companies to pool their earnings.

DOMESTIC.

THE North Platte (Neb.) national bank closed its doors with liabilities of $75,000.

JOE MITCHELL'S house at Manistique, Mich., was burned, and two boys, aged 4 and 5 years, perished. Mrs. Mitchell left her children locked in the house while she called on a neighbor.

GEORGE and Hannah Cord, aged 10 and 7 respectively, were drowned in the Wapsie river near Littleton, Ia.

A TRAIN on the Delaware & Hudson road went over an embankment into Lake Champlain near Port Henry, N. Y., and two passengers were drowned and several injured.

THE Tacoma (Wash.) national bank closed its doors with liabilities of $212,000.

IN his message to congress the president argues for free coal and iron, adoption of the "Baltimore plan" for a more elastic currency and removal of the differential duty on sugar.

JUSTICE HARLAN has made a ruling practically deciding that where a party is indicted for the sale of oleomargarine if he can prove that he had no knowledge of the ingredients he must be acquitted.

IN his annual report Attorney General Olney commends the supreme court for its promptitude in deciding cases and explains his course during the strike.

GREAT damage had been caused by prairie fires in northern Indiana. Nearly 2,000 tons of hay were destroyed near Wilder's.

MRS. LOUIS ALBERTI, of Galveston, Tex., in a fit of dementia poisoned her five children, two of whom died and the others were in a critical condition.

WHILE digging a sewer at Huntington, Ind., a workman struck a dynamite cartridge and it exploded, injuring five men, two fatally.

THE annual report of the secretary of the treasury shows that the revenues of the government from all sources for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, were $372,802,498 and the expenditures $442,605,758, which shows a deficit of $69,803,260. As compared with the fiscal year 1893 the receipts for 1894 fell off $88,914,063.

EDGAR GEBO and Chris Wicks, Michigan fisherman, were drowned from a fishboat near Torch Lake in Grand Traverse bay.

THE big coal-breaker of the Laflin Coal company at Laflin, Pa., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

THE city council of Jacksonville, Fla., unanimously repealed the ordinance permitting prize fighting.

EXPOSITION HALL and the First Baptist church in Omaha were destroyed by fire, the total loss being $175,000.

MRS. JULIUS GOODRICH was granted a divorce at Milwaukee and within two hours was married to S. Marshall Conger.

A FIRE in the New York dry goods district did $250,000 damage and seventy-five girls had a narrow escape.

AT Minneapolis August A. Hanson broke the 100-mile road record for bicyclists by riding 100¾ miles in 5:03. This is twenty-four minutes less than Weining's Buffalo record.

THE interstate commerce commission in its eighth annual report says that on June 30, 1894, there were 174,461.07 miles of railway line in the United States, being an increase during the year of 4,897.55 miles, the capitalization being $10,500,235,420. The gross earnings were $1,220,751,874, the operating expenses $827,912,299, leaving net earnings of $392,830,575.

THE national department of agriculture returns this year's clip at 5½ pounds of wool per head, or 240,000,000 pounds.

A CAVE-IN in the Center Creek mine at Webb City, Mo., killed John Larson, Dan Troxil and Walter Cole.

THE schooner Clara E. Simpson was run into and sunk off the Connecticut coast and three sailors were drowned.

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FURTHER evidence of shocking police brutality and corruption was brought out by the Lexow committee in New York.

A BILL to punish usurpers of state offices was passed by the Alabama legislature by a party vote.

A ST. LOUIS southern trade journal estimates the year's cotton crop at 9,000,000 bales.

THE governor of Utah was alarmed at the threatened Indian invasion and had furnished arms to citizens.

SURGEONS in the employ of the Big Four road met at Indianapolis and arranged to establish a chain of hospitals for employes.

KELLY was said to be organizing another Coxey army in Sacramento, Cal., to move on Washington and to urge congress to provide work for unemployed American citizens.

OFFICIALS of the post office department were negotiating for street railway mail service in Cleveland, O.

THE Tremont house, the oldest hotel in Boston, is to give way to a big office building.

MEMBERS of the National Editorial association met in Chicago and decided to hold their next meeting in Florida.

BURGLARS blew open the vault of the First national bank at Marceline, Mo., and secured $6,000.

THE old Jefferson Davis mansion at Richmond, Va., formerly the white house of the confederacy, will be converted into a museum of confederate relics.

THE J. W. Fowler Car company of Elizabeth, N. J., failed for $130,000.

JOHN HOFFMAN, 75 years old, who says he has stolen 500 horses, was arrested at Crown Point, Ind., while making away with a team.

FINANCIAL embarrassment caused Robert Huston, ex-sheriff of Will county and a widely-known man, to commit suicide at the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago.

PROVISION has been made by the post office department for a five-cent postal rate on letters to nearly every foreign country, effective January 1.

THIRTY-FIVE of the forty-two children in the Ayer home for young women and children at Lowell, Mass., have scarlet fever.

THOMAS JAMES, of Kentucky, betrayed a young woman named Fultz and killed three of her relatives who attempted to force a settlement.

ROBBERS held up a Texas & Pacific train near Fort Worth, Tex., and stole $140,000 from the express car safes.

THE navy department has accepted the cruiser Minneapolis and ordered the payment of $416,609, the premium she earned.

MISS JOSEPHINE BRAND, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., was robbed of $10,500 on the streets of Cincinnati, O.

PAUL FIERBACHER, a German boy of Guthrie, O. T., has invented a railroad tie for which he has been offered $50,000.

ROSS KENYON, his wife and their 3-year-old daughter were fatally burned by gasoline at their home near Lowell, Mich.

THE Exchange bank at Goodland, Kan., closed its doors with liabilities of over $30,000.

FIRES in the Texas panhandle swept northwesterly and southeasterly until about 25,000 square miles of land were burned over.

SMALLPOX has appeared in the lumber camps in northern Wisconsin and Michigan, having been spread by transient laborers.

FIVE men were fatally and one seriously injured at Boston, Mass., by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge.

THERE were 385 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 289 the week previous and 385 in the corresponding time in 1893.

WHITE CAPS broke into the house of Thomas Edgington at Springfield, Ky., and killed him in the presence of his wife and five children. He was charged with beating his wife.

THE annual report of the national home for disabled soldiers states that more veterans applied for admission during the year than could be accommodated. The aggregate average number kept was 70,162, and the whole number cared for during the year was 35,564. The annual cost of the maintenance of each man was $127.45, a decrease from the previous year of $13.50; the deaths were 1,050, an increase of 20.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated $1,163,208,848, against $1,820,000,895 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 5.0.

CHARLES F. HOWARD was hanged at Rawlins, Wyo., for murdering Charles Horn last New Year's eve at Dixon during a quarrel about a dissolute woman.

SHELBY & SOAPER, proprietors of the Henderson (Ky.) hominy mill, failed for $100,000.

JOHN BURNS, member of parliament and labor leader of England, says the slums of Chicago are more filthy than those of London.

JAMES COOLEY was sentenced to five years' imprisonment at Columbus, O., for practicing a pension fraud.

THE Roman Catholics in Archbishop Ireland's diocese were being permitted to join any secret society excepting the free masons.

CLAUS SPRECKELS has purchased 40,000 acres of sugar land and a town and railroad in southern California.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND cabled the American delegate at Constantinople directing him to investigate the Armenian outrages.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

LEON ABBETT, four times elected governor of New Jersey, died at his residence in Jersey City from diabetes, aged 58 years.

ODEN BOWIE, ex-governor of Maryland and a prominent figure in war times, died at his home in Bowie.

KOLB, who claims to be governor of Alabama, issued an address to his followers in which he urges them to refuse the payment of taxes.

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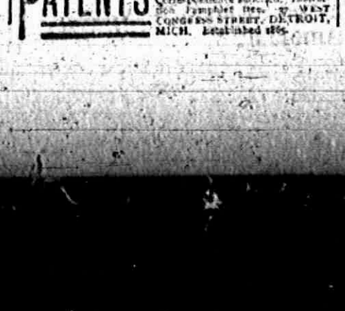

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STATIONS.	No. 315 Mail.	No. 317 Express	No. 319 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	5 00 P.M.	.....
Vernon.....	6 27 "	2 29 "	7 35 "
Norvell.....	6 37 "	2 39 "	7 30 "
Manchester.....	6 45 "	2 45 "	7 48 "
Clinton.....	6 58 "	3 01 "	8 05 "
Tecumseh.....	7 08 "	3 11 "	8 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 00 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	6 25 "	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 25 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 318 Express	No. 320 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	9 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 10 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 53 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 11 "
Manchester.....	11 45 "	9 45 "	8 20 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 17 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 15 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.			P. M.
		12 25	L....Allegan.....A	2 25	
		12 55	Monteith.....	1 55	
		1 29	Yorkville.....	1 11	A. M.
A. M.	7 30	2 07	Battle Creek.....	12 45	1 22
8 21	8 15	2 48	Marshall.....	12 13	12 32
9 11	8 58	3 40	Homer.....	11 45	11 48
10 15	9 42	4 37	Hanover.....	11 14	11 06
11 59	10 35	4 17	Addison.....	10 40	10 17
12 05	10 41	4 23	Devils Lake.....	10 27	9 ..
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted.....	10 14	9 36
..	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake.....	10 07	9 28
1 08	11 56	4 51	Tipton.....	9 58	9 14
1 32	12 40	5 06	Tecumseh.....	9 43	8 51
2 05	1 52	5 15	Ridgeway.....	9 34	8 37
2 40	1 58	5 20	Britton.....	9 28	8 32
3 09	2 14	5 32	Rea.....	9 16	8 10
3 22	2 27	5 44	Dundee.....	9 05	7 57
5 15	4 15	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	5 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M		A.M.	P.M.

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TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, AS FOLLOWS:

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express.....10:28 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex. 3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express....7:58 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
‡No. 50 Mail and Express.....4:55 p m

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GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:40 A. M., 11:15 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

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GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Dundee,

6:20 p. m. 11:15 a. m. 3:22 p. m.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 2d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long north and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the south east corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), of town six south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

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Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE, Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Lichard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Lichard, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Alfred Lewis or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. L. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Francis C. Rector deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of C. Burridge, in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 15th day of December, 1894 and on the 25th day of April, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 25th day of October, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, November 1, 1894.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 13, 1894.

Don't fail to see Rio Grande.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle was in Adrian Tuesday.

Give the ball boys a crowded house next Thursday night.

Rev. C. M. Stout will hold services at Evans Lake Sunday afternoon.

Charles H. Keyser and Prof. Rush French are at Brooklyn this week.

They are laying brick on the dye house when the weather will permit.

Mamie Bradner visited Manchester friends from Thursday until Tuesday.

James Riley and Will Noone, of Adrian, were Clinton visitors Sunday.

James Hanley attended a meeting of the I. O. O. F., at Tecumseh, Tuesday.

The Congregational social was held at the residence of George Calhoun, yesterday.

Earle Chase, of Manchester, and Miss Griffin, of Mason, were the guests of Teressa Carroll, Sunday.

Miss Louise VanDeMark, who has been visiting Cleveland friends, returned home Saturday night.

E. W. Freese & Son have their show windows beautifully dressed. They attract a great deal of attention.

Mrs. Joseph Jackson and her husband have been having some differences of late and she has returned to Detroit again.

A large number of our young people went to Bridgewater Station, Saturday, and spent the evening with she that was Libbie Tag.

Miss Minnie Humphrey has closed her school in the Dillingham district, where she gave perfect satisfaction to both patrons and scholars.

Willie Stark, after a year's stay here, returned to his home in Ann Arbor Saturday. There will be great mourning among the Quintette club.

Will O. Silvers has in the bank, occupying a conspicuous position, some fine pin-cushions he drew in the Catholic Bazaar at Manchester last week.

Ed. VanDeMark, while on a business trip north, was taken ill and came home, for several days he was quite sick, but we are happy to say he is now mending rapidly.

Wm. Henry Davis, son of John Davis, an old Clinton boy who for years was supposed to be deaf, is living at Holland, Texas, where he is in the jewelry business.

The Epworth League, fifty strong, went to visit the Adrian league Tuesday afternoon and evening. They left here at 5 p. m., by special train, returning on regular night train.

Rev. W. R. Blachford held Episcopal services in the Universalist church at Manchester, Monday evening. The sacrament of baptism was administered to Miss Adah Case, who is well known to many here.

James Pykett returned home from Jackson, Saturday, looking hale and hearty. We learn that James made a good record. The universal feeling is that he was unjustly persecuted and not guilty of the deed for which he was sentenced.

F. L. Woodward was in Hudson, Monday, and completed arrangements for taking the Clinton Plow Company's plant to that city. Mr. Chamberlain arrived Tuesday night and an inventory is now being taken and the removal will be made as soon as possible. We regret to lose this industry, as it has been one of Clinton's solid institutions. Hope the change will be for Frank's interest.

A meeting was held at the club rooms, Monday night, to complete the organization. The name chosen was Clinton Social Club. Following officers were elected—

President—E. R. Smith.
Vice-President—W. H. Beebler.
Secretary—C. H. Thompson.
Treasurer—L. W. Kimball.

The members have every reason to feel proud of their pleasant quarters.

Miss Grace Baldwin, commonly known as Aunt Grace, who lived with Charles Davis and family, west of town, has passed to the other shore. She has been failing for some time. Sunday morning she died so quietly that Mr. and Mrs. Davis, who were both in the room with her, do not know when the change came. She was 82 years of age. The funeral was held at the house, Tuesday afternoon, Rev. T. H. Warren officiating.

The election of officers in Clinton Lodge, No 175, F. & A. M., Saturday night, resulted as follows:

W. M.—Geo. DePuy.
S. W.—Wm. C. Rogers.
J. W.—Harry Davis.
Treas.—Geo. Runyan.
Sec'y.—J. R. Blanchard.
S. D.—Jas. Woodward.
J. D.—Horace Brown.
Stewards—H. W. Saxton, F. C. Martling.
Tyler—H. Starrett.

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Judge Biggs	A. M. Kennedy
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Jonnie Bangs	C. Rogers
Corporal Casey	W. P. Mcadam
Retta	Mrs. G. M. Hard
Sophia	Miss Grace Stevens
Mamie	Mrs. C. F. Clark
Mrs. Biggs	Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle

Clinton Chapter R. A. M. Tuesday night elected the following officers:

H. P.—Geo. Runyan.
K.—Geo. DePuy.
S.—C. C. Rowland.
C. H.—W. H. Dorr.
P. S.—D. Woodward.
R. A. C.—Geo. Fisher.
Treas.—Wm. C. Rogers.
Secy.—John Hause.
G. M. 3d V.—F. C. Martiny.
" 2nd V.—Harry Davis.
" 1st V.—Geo. Calhoun.
Sentinel—Henry Starrett.

The markings on the Kentucky goosebone indicate that this is to be a very cold winter for the star-eyed goddess of reform.

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THAT COVETED KISS.

It Agitates India and England and Wrings a Growl From "Labby."

The severity of the sentence (resignation under threat of dismissal) against Surgeon Major Smith, an officer in the Indian service stationed at Madras, who asked Mrs. Clegg, wife of another civil service official, to give him a kiss, is making a great sensation both in India and England.

That kiss, or rather the suggested kiss, has almost caused a revolt in official circles in India, has been a matter of serious consideration by the secretary of state in London and would be the subject of a parliamentary inquiry if the house of commons were in session.

Mr. Labouchere has brought his heaviest guns to bear in behalf of Dr. Smith. He indorses the suggestion which some one, signing himself "American Citizen," makes in a London newspaper, appealing to all who have ever felt tempted to commit the offense which has brought such tribulation upon Dr. Smith to contribute a trifle to a fund for his benefit. Mr. Labouchere commends the suggestion to every government official, every military and naval officer, every judge and magistrate and every other person in authority who ever felt tempted to kiss a lady not his wife or sweetheart. He adds:

"I would not go so far as to ask them to put their names to the subscriptions, but would suggest that they send their mites anonymously to the Smith fund as a sort of conscience money. Not only would the fund thus attain handsome proportions, but it would form a unique and permanent memorial of the extent to which human nature prevails in man.

"The most unwise thing Dr. Smith did, in my opinion, was to say that he had been flirting. Flirting can no more be carried on by one person than one person can play at lawn tennis. In its nature it is a game of reciprocity, but the use of the word was evidently an error of expression, and as the doctor himself explains when using the word he only alluded to himself. Where flirting ends and lovemaking begins is a question a young lady can answer better than I can. Does it go beyond flirting to ask to be allowed to kiss a lady? If not, is kissing itself involved in flirting? My knowledge on the ethics of flirting and kissing is imperfect, but I should have thought that the latter is seldom preceded by a re[illegible] to the lady to allow it. This may, however, be the custom in India."—London Letter.

FORTY-THREE YEARS IN THE DARK.

An Indiana Woman Recovering From a Peculiar Form of Insanity.

A most remarkable case has been developed near the village of Winthrop, in Warren county, Ind. Forty-three years ago Mrs. Perry James became insane, her peculiarity being an aversion to company and a desire to be perfectly alone. She was not dangerous, but her wish to become seclusive was so great that she was provided with a dark room at her home, where she has lived a hermit life for 43 years, being cared for by her husband until he died four years ago and later by her two daughters.

Recently she began to show the return of reason and made inquiry concerning relatives and neighbors whom she knew before her mind became affected. Many of them had moved to other parts, some had died, but there were three or four who still remained, and when she expressed a desire to see them they were brought into her presence. She conversed rationally on common subjects and evinced a desire to once more emerge into the world and become one of its actors. Her aversion to people has disappeared, her peculiarities are dissolving, and upon subjects with which she is conversant she talks with freedom and clearness. There are indications that she will fully recover her mental faculties if her life is spared. One of the hallucinations that have passed from her was that the air was full of balloons filled with men, all coming toward her.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Christmas next Tuesday.

School closes Friday for the Holiday vacation of two weeks.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was in town a part of last week.

Richard Cadmus returned to Harvey, Ill. the first of the week.

Emma Miller went to Detroit Wednesday evening for a visit with relatives.

Daniel Allen and G. C. Arner were in Toledo Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. S. P. Smith visited Dr. R. H. Nelson and family, of Hudson, over Sunday.

Thomas Florence and wife left Wednesday for a few weeks visit with relatives at Pen Yan, N. Y.

Mrs. Wm. McNeal and daughter, Vada, of Dundee, visited their aunt, Mrs. John Arner, and family, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Fern VanDuser, who has been spending several months with her father, in Cleveland, returned Saturday to her grandmother's, Mrs. Miller's.

Mrs. W. H. Arner attended the chicken pie supper given by the ladies of the Eastern Star, in the new masonic temple at Tecumseh, last Friday evening.

We learn through the columns of the Albion College Pleaid of the 15th. inst. that Charles O. Hiscock has been elected president of the Eclectic and Athenaides society for the coming term.

The Sabbath school scholars are making preparations for an enjoyable time at the church on Monday evening. A short program will be carried out and a tree hung with confectionery, etc. will help to attract the children's attention.

The subject next Sunday at the M. E. church will be: morning—A Wonderful Person: evening—Christmas and Its Lessons. Remember the special meetings to be held in January. All are welcome.

ONSTED ODDS.

Rather windy last Sunday.

Wheat in this locality is looking very fine at this date.

Hines & Skinner are still very busy in the poultry deal.

Mrs. J. E. Gibbs is slowly gaining strength from her late long illness.

The revival meetings here are still being carried on by Revs. Robinson and Lewis.

M. O. Aldrich and son Frank visited the county seat on business, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Halsted, of East Rome, called on M. Aldrich and family last Saturday.

Miss Janey Maltman, of West Rome, was the guest of Miss Daisy Aldrich the first of the week.

The young people of North Rome indulged in a play party at Fred Brook's last Saturday evening.

Some farmers are still doing some fall plowing as the ground is not frozen to interfere with that work.

Our flouring mill will have to put on an extra whirl these days in order to grind all the feed for the farmers.

A new daughter lately arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reed, just north-east of town, and Pa smiles right out loud.

One woman in this town thinks some of going into the celery business next season, as she has lately come into possession of a muck patch, and Will will assist her.

Howard & Hand are selling quite a quantity of tile these days as the farmers are taking advantage of the suitable condition of the weather and ground and are putting them in in large quantities.

The regular meetings of the Eastern Star Chapter, just organized here, comes on the first Friday evenings of each month, and all members of the fraternity when convenient, are cordially invited to visit the chapter.

Mr. B. T. Raikes has sold out his interest in the Onsted News to Miss Mertie Maxwell, and we hope the young lady will prosper in her new undertaking, and that the public will stand by her in her endeavors to advance the interests of the village and the vicinity around through the medium of her paper.

The following persons were elected and installed as officers for the ensuing year at the last regular communication of Finch Lodge, No. 407, F. & A. M. located here:

W. M.—E. A. Taylor.
S. W.—L. H. Sheeler.
J. W.—F. W. Darling.
Treas.—J. O. Maxwell.
Secy.—Geo. Killbury.
S. D.—T. F. Brooks.
J. D.—F. H. Hallett.
Sentinel—H. J. Maxwell.
Tyler—Place to be filled later.

An Odd Collection.

A man in Colorado has a quaint collection of bottles. It is divided into two sections. Section one is large. Section two is not. Section one contains hundreds of bottles, the contents of which his wife swallowed hoping to find relief from her physical sufferings. Section two contains a few bottles that once were filled with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was this potent remedy that gave the suffering wife her health again. It cures all irregularities, internal inflammation and ulceration, displacements and kindred troubles. It has done more to relieve the sufferings of women than any other medicine known to science.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Orange Blossoms in the near future.

Our postmaster was a Milan visitor last Monday.

Miss Lena Swick, of Milan, is visiting friends in Britton.

Our school closes next Friday for a three weeks' vacation.

Subject for next Sunday at Christian church, "Christmas Topic."

The weather looks favorable for a Christmas without very good sleighing.

There will be a Christmas tree at the church next Monday night, Christmas Eve.

Miss Ella Hastings, of Homer, is visiting at Dave Linton's during the Holidays.

"Some of our boys were a little noisy on the streets last Saturday night. We do not know the cause.

The Aid Society are making some improvements on the parlors of the church by papering and painting.

C. C. Mudge left Tuesday morning for Durand and Maple Rapids, to spend the Holidays and visit friends, after which he will return to Chicago.

Prof. Collins and others are canvassing our village for patronage for holding a lecture course here this winter. There is a fair prospect for success.

Wesley Exelby is repainting and repapering the store formerly occupied by W. C. Babcock. This store will be occupied by the new drug firm who will take possession next week.

Election of officers of Hendershot Tent, No. 467, K. O. T. M., last Tuesday evening, resulted as follows:

Commander—W. J. Clark.
Past Commander—E. E. Hendershot.
Lieut. Commander—W. J. Helm.
Record Keeper—Wm. Britton.
Finance Keeper—Francis Yates.
Master at Arms—M. L. Gillen.
Surgeon—E. E. Hendershot.
Chaplin—E. Y. Sink.
Sargent—Fred Rupp.
1st M. G.—Elias Oliver.
2d M. G.—Wesley Exelby.
Sentinel—Geo. Hawkes.
Picket—Chas. Dubois.

SILVER MEDAL CONTEST.

The silver medal contest at the church in Britton on Friday night, Dec. 14th, was a success in every particular and the exercises reflected great credit upon the seven young ladies who participated, as well as upon Mrs. Geo. Hawks, who has charge of the L. T. L. work, under whose auspices the entertainment was held, and upon Mrs. W. C. Babcock, who drilled the class for their work. Mrs. Flora Exelby, president of the W. C. T. U., read an appropriate scripture lesson and Mrs. E. Mudge offered prayer. The exercises were interspersed with excellent music by the Britton string band, which awakened great enthusiasm, and the trio were encored on several occasions. The contestants were Bertha Williams, Ida Hanna, Lizzie Dubois, Flora Zeluff, Maud Lee, Letta Gifford and Bertha Kniffin. All acquitted themselves with credit, but the judges awarded the highest honor to Miss Letta Gifford and the second place to Miss Maud Lee. Dr. Hendershot made the presentation of the medal to Miss Gifford with well timed remarks. The citizens of Britton will look forward with interest to another like entertainment.

—Call at the drug store in its new quarters in the Biggs block.

—A 35c package of Condition Powders for 25c at W. C. Babcock's.

—Cough Syrup, from 10c a bottle up, at the drug store.

—Blank Books, School Crayons and Stationery of all kinds at the drug store.

—Why stand on the corner, Idly,
From early morn till late at night?
Come into the store of Lee Bros.,
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Our Boots and Shoes, before you get lost:
Compare our prices with those of others,
But remember we can't sell at cost,

We can't do business for pleasure,
Though its a pleasure to wait on our friends
And give them a bargain that can't be beaten,
On a straight line of goods, not "odds and ends."

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Julia Knight and Lorenzo Billington returned home Saturday.

Alonzo Billington, of Tipton, attended the funeral of his brother, Charles.

Mr. Wm. Bradley has been very sick. At last accounts he was slightly better.

Clarence Wisner drove to Ypsilanti, Wednesday, after a load of Normal students.

Thomas Helm, of Manchester, moved his cattle and household goods through here, Tuesday, en route to his farm of 140 acres, south of Adrian.

The Lyceum will meet at the home of A. D. Hunt, Saturday evening, Dec. 29. A good program will be presented, followed by a debate, led by L. E. Taylor and G. W. Allen.

Charles Billington died, Dec. 19, about one o'clock p. m., at his home in Calhoun county. The funeral occured Friday. Chas was a general favorite with all who knew him. For years he has been an intense sufferer, his disease baffling medical skill. Sweet will be the perfect rest at last. A wife and four children survive him.

Low Rate Tickets

between all points on the Lake Shore Railway, December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1894, and January 1st, 1895, good returning until January 2d.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss Ross Schwab departed Saturday for Chicago.

L. C. Winship was stopping in Ogden a few days this week.

The creamery company paid off their milk patrons Saturday.

Wm. Cox and wife attended the chicken pie social at Tecumseh.

Chas. Wildy brought a head of cabbage to town which weighed 30 pounds.

F. G. Florance and C. T. Ratts, were in Adrian Tuesday on business.

Mrs. M. L. Holt, of Montpelier, Ohio, is visiting her son, W. C. Holt, at present.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rogers, on Sunday night, twin girls. Edgar is all smiles now.

Mrs. Chas. Benedict returned Thursday from the City of the Straits, where she has been visiting the past week.

Lewis & Preston, better known as the Lewis-Preston Contracting and Building Company, are putting up an ice house for the Hartman Bros.

The oyster supper given by C. E. Thursday night, was well patronized and proved a success all around, the net proceeds amounting to about fifteen dollars, which will be expended for repairing the C. E. room in the church. Among those present were Robt. Boyd and wife, F. G. Florence and wife, C. Clark and wife, Geo. Riley and wife, A. L. Kelley and wife, Geo. Holloway and wife, Chas. Rothfuss and wife, L. B. Spencer and wife, A. J. Stead and wife, W. C. Holt and wife and A. D. Macham and wife.

MACON MUSIC.

The M. E. Sunday school will give a Christmas entertainment and Christmas tree for the children, on Christmas eve. The Reformed Sunday school is also preparing a nice program and will give an entertainment and Christmas tree the following evening, Dec. 25th.

Miss Harriet Vreeland will give one of her popular entertainments at Macon Grange hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 27th., consisting of recitations and character sketches, both sentimental and amusing. Exercises commence at 7:30. Miss Vreeland comes well recommended by the press and persons competent to judge. If desired a social will be held at close of the entertainment. Price of admission only 10 cents, which is within reach of all. Let all turn out and spend an enjoyable Holiday evening.

The W. C. T. U. will give a social and supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howell on Friday evening, Dec. 28th. This will take the place of the regular monthly tea. Supper will be served for 10 cents and the following program will be presented:

Rec.—Joe Howell.
Song—Rolfe Mills.
Rec.—Bessie Camburn.
Song—Ladies Quartette.
Select Reading—Will Hatch.
Song—Bertha Allen.
Select Reading—Edith K. Cotton.
Music—Ladies Quartette.

Everybody is invited to go and have a good jolly time.

RAISIN RACKET.

Stephen Harkness has gone to visit relatives.

A singing school was started here recently, conducted by Miss Grayson, of Tecumseh. About twenty-five became members.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Fuller are renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity, having come to attend the wedding of Mrs. Fuller's brother, at Wellsville.

Mrs. Ella Haviland and Miss Leora Westgate were appointed delegates by the Friends church to attend the Sunday school association held at Adrian last Wednesday.

Table Talk.

An article by Kate Douglas Wiggin on "The Kindergarten as a School of Life for Women," opens the December issue of Table Talk, and not only is it most readable, as is all she writes, but most helpful and suggestive to the women of our age who are anxious to make all possible use of their lives. The little magazine is also replete with Christmas and Christmas thoughts. The recipes and hints on table service are numerous as usual and among the novel ideas for the season is an article on Christmas shopping—where and how to buy. The readers out of, as well as in the city will find therein many helpful suggestions, and in fact the monthly visits of this publication always means much to housekeepers and home-makers. Our readers may obtain a sample copy free by addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia Pa.

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THE HERALD FOR 1895.

What newspapers are you going to take during the coming year? Every man must settle that question for himself. The wise man, however, will have the "Old Reliable" on his list, and, in that connection, we offer our patrons a little good advice. It is needless to inform the public what to expect in these columns during the ensuing twelve months. As a first-class, up-to-date local newspaper the HERALD intends to lead the procession, as heretofore. Politically, it will continue to be independent, and it will strive to uphold the interests of the masses in matters of finance, taxation and public expenditures.

Recognizing the stringency of the times, our rates have been placed upon a hard-pan basis. A few extra combination offers are also presented, and the most favorable club list ever given in these columns. Here they are in detail:

NO. ONE.

Every subscriber, either old or new, who pays all arrearages and one full year in advance to Jan. 1st, 1896, will receive, gratis, a neat portfolio entitled "Echoes of the White City; the Midway." This is similar to the Ferris Wheel portfolio, given to our patrons last year. It will be a free gift to all advance paying subscribers, and will hold good until Feb. 1st, 1895.

NO. TWO.

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N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
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N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 20, 1894.

If the Sugar Trust would now go to work and close down Congress, that would be something like it.

About the only thing left for some of the defeated congressmen is to figure as the grateful cured persons in the patent medicine advertisements.

If there is any local pride left in Chicago a few of the old families there will get up a sensational divorce or two, just to keep the town in the procession.

Senator Peffer's bill to abolish the Congressional custom of holding funeral junketing parties seems to meet with the approval of all save the junketers themselves.

Mayor Pingree of Detroit has docked the tails of his horses. Is this the Mayor's way of evening up his docking account with the Michigan Republicans who refused to nominate him for Governor?

What has become of the revival of business boom that we heard so much about just before election? It must have got mixed up somewhere with the democratic returns and has been counted out.

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Mr. Babcock says that the McKinley law will not be re-enacted. Certainly not. The same law by any other name will smell as sweet to the protected manufacturers and trusts. They are not stuck on names.

The big exposition organ purchased for the State University was dedicated last Friday evening. The finest organ recital followed ever given in the state. Michigan thus becomes the possessor of one of the greatest wonders of the great fair, the largest pipe organ ever made.

The bakers will soon be wearing diamonds that will rival in size and brilliancy those that illuminated the plumbers' shirt bosoms. Flour costs only half what it did a few years ago, yet the bakers sell their bread for the same price as before, thus making two or three times the profits they formerly did.

The State of Texas has sent requisitions to the governor of New York for arrest of the Standard Oil magnates, claiming these men violated the anti-trust laws. Governor Flower refuses to entertain the requisitions and there the matter stands. It is getting quite plain to the average citizen that in this country there is no crime but poverty.

In a complex industrial system, such as that now supplying the people with commodities, there can be no inferior or imperfect performance of function by one part that does not affect the whole. As the health of a person depends upon the health of all his parts, so the abnormal condition of one industry makes irregular the whole system.

The Senate, Tuesday, decided not to take up the bill to relieve the people of the Sugar Trust's tax. Twenty-three democrats and no republicans voted to take up the sugar bill, while three democrats — Blanchard, Martin and Roach—together with the republicans, voted the other way. The rest, including Gorman and his group, slipped into the cloak-room and didn't vote at all. The Sugar Trust is still able to prevent any action in the Senate which will free the people from its exactions.

Indian corn from the South is a new factor in Northern markets. The plantation owners in the Southern states found out some years ago that worn out tobacco acreage was a losing venture, and in turning about to acquire a means to profit they discovered that the soil, by scientific treatment, would produce fine crops in corn, wheat and potatoes. This kind of farming is a revolution as well as a renovation, and the agricultural system of the South is undergoing as much of a change as its politics. The Southern farmer is now dealing in other things besides cotton and tobacco, and the tariff has nothing to do with the case.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Dec. 14, 1894.

The financier, public and private, has been very much in evidence this week in Washington, owing to the hearings given by the House committee on Banking and Currency. Every man who has appeared before the committee did not have a currency plan of his own to propose, although new plans have been plentiful, but every man had some objection to Secretary Carlisle's plan, either as a whole or to some of its details. It is doubtful whether the hearings, which will probably not be extended beyond this week, have strengthened or weakened Secretary Carlisle's plan in Congress. It is taken for granted, from the talk of members of the committee, that a bill embracing substantially the Carlisle plan will be reported to the House before the Christmas adjournment, but owing to so few members of the House having committed themselves either for or against the plan, would be but a wild guess to attempt to say what disposition the House will make of the bill. But it is not guessing to say that no bill based on the Carlisle plan can get through the Senate. It is a fact based on statements made by Senators. A noteworthy feature of the hearings by the House committee is the apparent antagonism of bankers to the Carlisle plan. There is a suspicion that this feeling is feigned by the bankers, believing that their open support would be certain death to the bill.

According to the gossip of the politicians, the administration does not expect any currency legislation at this session of Congress and has merely pushed the Carlisle plan into prominence as the first step towards making Secretary Carlisle the administration candidate for the democratic Presidential nomination in 1896.

Senator Sherman stated the Nicaragua Canal question in a nutshell when he said after the speeches of Senators Morgan and Dolf in favor of the pending bill, that all the arguments which could be made on the subject had already been made, and that it was needless to further trespass on the time of the Senate. The only question that bothers Senator Sherman in connection with the canal is how to dispose of the claims of the Maritime Canal Co. for the work already done on the canal. He says he is not satisfied with the provisions of the bill now before the Senate on that subject. He believes, and the belief is shared by thousands, that the Maritime Company would be justly dealt with if the money it has actually spent on the canal were returned to it. That is just the weak spot in the whole business. Although the Canal company is hopelessly bankrupt and its affairs and the little tangible property it has are in the hands of a receiver, the bill proposes to pay it a fancy price for its stock, franchises, etc., and somebody is so confident that the deal will go thro' that money is furnished to maintain an expensive lobby to push it along.

The bill permitting freight pooling by railroads was passed by the House by the unexpectedly large vote of 166 to 110. The populists voted solidly against the bill, but the democrats and republicans divided regardless of party lines, prominent members of both parties voting on each side. Friends of the measure think they can easily push it through the Senate, but they may be mistaken. A very few Senators can, under existing rules, prevent action by the Senate on any measure.

Mr. A. D. Shreve, of Virginia, has written Secretary Carlisle a long letter accusing him of having reversed his position on the silver question since he became a member of the Cabinet, and closing timely: "For many years I have watched your course with jealous care, and you have been the brightest star in my political horizon, at whose shrine I was early taught my first lessons in political economy; but it is with pain and regret that I see you in the evening of life turning to the golden sunset, whose seductive rays are alluring you from the democracy of Jefferson, and the dark cloud which is gathering has no silver lining to cheer and to give hope to the toiling masses."

The Senate officially decided two very important things this week. By a vote of 27 to 25 it defeated Senator Gray's motion to take up the sugar bill, which means that there is to be no more tariff legislation by this Congress. The populist Senators and Blanchard, Martin and Roach voted with the republicans against the motion. By a vote of 34 to 24 the Senate refused to take up Senator Vest's slottre resolution, which means that the rules are not to be changed, and that no legislation which is seriously opposed is to go through.

To Hold Up Legislation.

Gormanites will back the Tillerites in obstructing a measure to reform the currency.

This is logical and not unexpected. In the Senate the consideration is Senatorial private snaps. Rules for results would shear the individual Senator and clothe a majority with power to act. They would not suit Senators with snaps.

Gorman and Teller will handle their gangs in harmony. New rules will be opposed. Tariff reform and currency reform will die together if the two gangs can keep the present rules.

A pretty dish, isn't it, to set before a people who call themselves the creators and directors of their government?—St. Louis Republic.

Not An Empty Victory.

Republican indignation has subsided. No Republican tariff measure to restore wages is yet proposed. Nothing is said of a new law to guard the liberties of the colored brethren in the South.

Whether this tameness is an admission that the country is with the Democratic repeals of the two typical Republican laws—the McKinley tariff and the Federal elections statue—or only a wily refusal to show the Republican hand, it is sufficient to prove that the g. o. p. is not possessed with the impatience of moral conviction.

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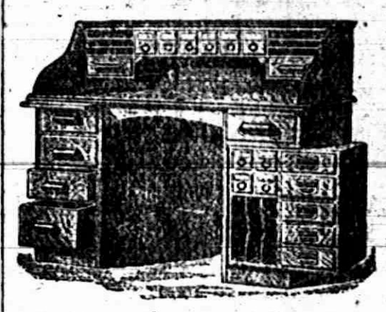

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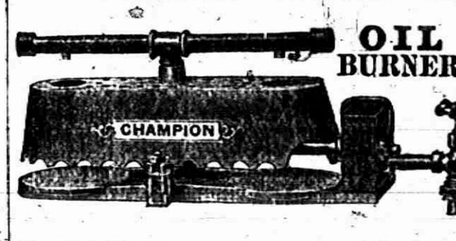

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CULTURE IN CHICAGO.

A Trifling Mistake Has Made Things Unpleasant For a Noted Author.

When the president of that exclusive literary organization, the Twentieth Century club, introduced Dr. A. Conan Doyle to a Chicago audience Friday evening, he committed an error which is likely to give rise to serious complications and to involve Dr. Doyle in embarrassment. Dr. Doyle is not a theologian—at any rate, not a professional theologian. He must have been startled when the Hon. George E. Adams announced him as Canon Doyle. Presumably many of the cultured men and women who were present at the Twentieth Century club reception take it for granted, upon the authority of the club's president, Mr. Adams, that Dr. Doyle is a canon, an associate perhaps of Canon Farrar, and high in the councils of the august church of England. We hear it rumored that Mr. Higinbotham, president of our late ever glorious and ever lamented World's fair, has not yet disabused his mind of the serious error arising from Mr. Adams' blunder; that he addresses Dr. Doyle as Father Doyle, and that at luncheon yesterday he said to his distinguished guest, "Will your reverence ask the blessing?"

We don't know how true it is, but we understand that Dr. Doyle has been invited to "fill the pulpit" in a number of our churches, and that he is besieged with letters addressed variously "Rev. Dr. Doyle," "Rev. Canon Doyle," "The Very Rev. Canon Doyle," etc. Altogether much confusion has been precipitated by the little slip made simply in carelessness by the president of the Twentieth Century club. We think it incumbent upon that leading literary organization of the west to set about correcting the error its executive has innocently sprung upon the public and upon a very distinguished visitor.—Eugene Field in Chicago Record.

SOMETHING OF A MYSTERY.

Involving Four Valuable Paintings, a Burglar and a Close Mouthed Lawyer.

Four paintings valued at from $15,000 to $18,000 stolen from the residence of the late Frederick L. Ames at North Easton in the summer of 1885 have been recovered by the family within a week, and the recovery has been as mysterious as was the robbery nine years ago. The members of the family are still in the dark in regard to the whereabouts of the pictures all these years. They have no idea as to the identity of the burglar, nor do they know the lawyers who were most concerned in the recovery of the pictures. When the pictures were lost, F. L. Ames offered a reward of $1,500 for their recovery.

Inquiries were made a week ago as to whether the reward was still good. The reply was in the affirmative, and after some mysterious negotiations the pictures were given into the possession of the family and the $1,500 paid to a lawyer in Boston, to be turned over eventually to the man who gave the information. Everybody connected with the transaction was pledged to secrecy.

The circumstances of the recovery in brief are as follows: A man was arrested in New York for murder, and when a certain lawyer was asked to defend him he inquired of the prisoner if he had any money. "No," said he, "but I can give you a pointer so I can get $1,500, and you shall have $500 of it. The rest will have to go to a pawnbroker." In this way negotiations were opened by the New York attorney, who wrote to a certain Boston lawyer, he employing others, so that the identity of the principals could be effectually concealed, and the money was paid over and the pictures returned.—Springfield Republican.

COSTLY INSOLENCE.

Some Things, at Least, Are Well Done In the Czar's Dominions.

A want of politeness is a disadvantage at St. Petersburg. In one of the principal streets in that city is a large fruitshop belonging to a very wealthy merchant, who, besides selling fruit, keeps an elegant restaurant in the same building and occupying a position directly behind the shop.

Two young officers of the guard the other day entered, had lunch together, and after paying their bill both went out. They had, however, only proceeded a short distance when one of them missed his pocketbook, and thinking that he might have left it in the restaurant where he and his friend had lunched returned and asked politely if any one had seen it. The proprietor himself, a millionaire, came on the scene, and after giving expression to some objectionable remarks said that it might well be doubted whether the young officer possessed such an article as a pocketbook.

The officer complained to the police, and ultimately the matter reached the prefect, who, regarding it as an insult to the imperial uniform, caused the restaurant to be at once locked up, the doors sealed and prohibits the proprietor from longer catering to the public taste.—St. Petersburg Correspondent.

The Cat Question Settled.

The question why cats fall on their feet was solved Wednesday to the satisfaction of the French Academy of Sciences. Maurice Levy gave a mathematical demonstration that a cat can by certain movements of its body turn round in the air without external assistance. His theorem is that a natural system can pivot on and by itself, if certain of its points have, in comparison with others, such a degree of liberty as to describe curves without hampering the movement of the other points of the system. A gymnast, writing to The Temps, gives the same explanation. Just as an acrobat, he says, turns a somersault in the air by pressing his chin on his breast and his knees on his thorax, thus making the center of gravity pass from one point to another, so the cat, a born acrobat, is equally expert.—Paris Letter.

DANIEL M. ROBERTSON was hanged at New Bedford, Mass., for murdering his wife on September 9, 1892.

JAMES VIVIAN, a resident of South Fork, Pa., fatally wounded his wife and sister-in-law, Miss L. Draden, and then cut his own throat, dying instantly.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Iowa canvassing board completed its count of the vote cast at the last election: Total, 421,730; McFarland (rep.), 229,376; Dale (dem.), 149,980; Crane (pop.), 34,997; Mitchell (pro.), 7,457; Republican plurality, 79,396.

MRS. LUCY EDWARDS, a colored woman 120 years old, died at Springfield, Ill.

EX-GOV. THURMAN was elected United States senator from South Carolina, receiving 131 out of 155 votes cast.

EDWIN U. CURTIS (rep.) was elected mayor of Boston by a plurality of 3,400.

NATHAN BARNES GREELEY, the last surviving brother of Horace Greeley, died at the old Greeley homestead in the town of Wayne, Erie county, Pa., aged 81 years.

GAUL, one of the noted Sioux chiefs, died at the Standing Rock agency in South Dakota. He was next to Sitting Bull in rank as a chief.

MISS MARY STEWART SHERMAN, the only daughter of the Ohio senator, was married in Washington to James I. MacCallum.

LEWIS T. IVES, the well-known portrait painter, died at his home in Detroit, Mich., aged 61 years.

GEN. JOSIAH PORTER died in New York, aged 61 years.

FOREIGN.

OWING to the failure of five fish companies the Commercial and the Union banks of St. John's, N. F., were forced to suspend with liabilities aggregating several millions.

A TIDAL wave in Panama washed away many houses at Santa Maria and totally destroyed the town of Liara. Fourteen persons were drowned.

LATER advices say that the Japanese troops that entered Port Arthur November 21 massacred practically the entire population in cold blood.

THE Ontario malleable iron works at Oshawa, Ont., were destroyed by fire, the loss being $120,000.

THE British government decided to send an independent delegation to investigate the Turkish atrocities in Armenia.

AN earthquake shock killed 200 persons near Messina, Italy.

THE island of Ambrym, New Hebrides, was destroyed by volcanic action and all the inhabitants of a native village were swept into the sea.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S ministry resigned owing to the financial crisis.

SIR JOHN THOMPSON, the premier of Canada, died suddenly at Windsor castle, England, where he had been sworn in as a member of the privy council.

M. DE VILERS, special envoy of France, was reported to have declared war against Madagascar.

A BAND of twenty Yaqui Indians visited the ranch of Ruiz Borcena, near Hermosillo, Mexico, and massacred four cowboys.

ISLANDS in the New Hebrides group were devastated by a volcano, one village of seventy-five persons being destroyed.

JAPAN insists on humbling China completely before entertaining any proposals looking to a cessation of hostilities.

THE damage by the recent earthquake to the cathedral at the City of Mexico was estimated at $300,000.

LATER.

MRS. WINSLOW SHEARMAN and her daughter, Mrs. Clinton Davis, were murdered near Jamestown, N. Y., by unknown persons while Mr. Shearman was attending the funeral of his son and daughter-in-law, who were killed by a train.

ANDY BOWEN died from the injuries he received in the fight with George Lavigne in New Orleans.

THE Easterly Harvesting company at Minneapolis made an assignment with liabilities of $359,742; claimed assets $385,013.

GENERAL rains fell throughout Nebraska, the first time since July 3.

THE house committee decided, by a vote of 9 to 8, to favorably report Secretary Carlisle's plan for currency reform.

DR. JOHN LORD, historian and lecturer, died at his home in Stamford, Conn.

THE remains of Count Ferdinand de Lesseps were interred in the Church of St. Pierre de Chaillot, just outside of Paris.

THE failure of the Union Building and Savings company of Des Moines caught Burlington (Ia.) people for about $200,000.

MR. AND MRS. DAVID SLOCUM, of Edinboro, Pa., were beaten by masked burglars and robbed of $10,000.

THE Woonsocket bank at Woonsocket, S. D., went into voluntary liquidation.

IN navigating the great lakes the past season sixty sailors were lost, and thirty-eight vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 15,551 tons passed out of existence.

TWO young daughters of Rev. Solomon Beckerman, of Cleveland, O., were burned to death in their home.

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON, the novelist, died in Samoa, where he had lived for several years, aged 44 years.

MRS. BELLE PARKER, who was 6 feet high and weighed 455 pounds, died suddenly of heart disease in Danville, Ill.

JOHN HALL and his wife, New York actors, were asphyxiated, Hall having turned the gas on while he was drunk.

JAMES GILFILLAN, chief justice of the supreme court of Minnesota since 1863, died at St. Paul, aged 65 years.

TEN men were injured, several fatally, by an explosion of gas in the Vulcan mine at Newcastle, O.

JOHN HUNTINGTON, suspected of embezzling from the Citizens' state bank of Council Bluffs, Ia., wounded two inspectors sent to examine his accounts and killed himself.

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The chicken pie supper given at Masonic Temple Friday evening by the members of the Eastern Star was one of the social events of the season. The elegant rooms were filled with both young and old who, while supper was in progress, passed the time in greeting old and forming new acquaintances. All seemed socially inclined and the time passed only too swiftly. The dining-room for a time was the center of attraction. There were six tables, very prettily dressed, which would seat seventy-two. The corps of attendants were unremitting in their attentions and everything admirably arranged. The ticket sellers, Dolph Heesen and wife, were kept busy, he making change and she dealing out the little souvenirs, consisting of small bows of ribbons, in different colors, which were worn by the guests. There were seventy-two of each, what the tables would seat, and when the tables were ready those having the color called out went down to the dining-room; and the way they did eat was a caution. No other compliment for the supper was necessary than to see the provisions vanish out of sight. The hours for supper were from five to nine, and over four hundred partook of the feast.

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Address—P. S. McKinnon.
Reading—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Music—"Egyptian Midnight Parade," Isenman.
Poem—Mrs. E. B. Wood.
Reading—Miss Sena Hosmer.
Music—"Spring Awakening," Bach.
Talk—Rev. C. M. Brown.
Galop—"Amanda," Weisenborn.

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(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

THE CURSE OF THE NATION.

What is it? The licensed liquor traffic. And back of this, to uphold it to give it dignity and legitimacy, are men in the strength of their manhood. Men, too, of the church, and alas! men in the pulpits, who, though with word and work, with pen and purse, are doing good service for the gospel at home and for missions abroad, yet by their vote—the most potent act of their lives—they are licensing this traffic and undoing a thousandfold all that can be accomplished in the missionary effort. All who vote for license are accomplices in sending shiploads of liquid fire to heathen countries, to offset and annul the labors of the few self-denying missionaries in the cabin, who are the little leaven that is expected to clarify and uplift this sodden mass of rottenness with which the ship is laden. My heart burns within me when I think of the large unfranchised class of people who have no redress, but who are laboring night and day for temperance, for gospel work at home and abroad, and for the various reforms needed in social life, who see the members of their own dear circle drawn gradually into the net, who are pained as they read what the heathen say in regard to Christian nations for the sake of gain bringing them this cup of bitterness and bondage, the humanity, or rather the womanity, within me cries out against this dreadful injustice and abuse of power, and I, who had never meant to write a word on this subject, feel forced to do so.

Women do not like publicity. They do not desire to dabble in politics, nor would they ever wish to vote if men would legislate against iniquity and make just laws regarding the interests of the governed. But it is not so much a question of politics as of morals, the vices of a nation being born first in the individual, then disseminated in the home, then a contagion in the neighborhood, and so circling out and out until their influence reaches remote boundaries. When I hear Christian voters, and especially those who have those who have had much light, proclaiming publicly that they still belong with the old party, I lose all faith in their righteousness and conclude they are still trying to do the thing which Christ declared impossible—to serve God and mammon. Their offering will be no more acceptable than Cain's was until they learn the humanly divine lesson that Cain had failed to learn, that they are their brother's keeper and that their love of their brother must reach a standard of excellence that will not permit them to harm him for the sake of personal gain or promotion.

Where is the consistency of remaining with a party which for more than thirty years has had the balance of power and kept on making license laws, and through greed of gain both personal and governmental has gone into partnership with this licensed iniquity, which is the hot-bed where are conceived and born every vice which has blighted the world? A man or party too long in power becomes selfish, greedy, corrupt. Too much prosperity silences conscience; there is a gradual consent to the allurements of Satan, until love of applause, love of position, love of money, love of ease, love of pleasure, love of power, love of indulgence, one or all of these gains the mastery. This, in brief, is the history of a man or nation which had the light, but through the temptations which its own vain lusts have created has gone down in darkness, while God all the time has been throwing the life-rope to the struggling, refusing soul of the nation. It is my daily prayer that the eyes of that favored and responsible class who vote may be opened to see the truth and that we all may become consistent members of the body of Christ.

In Peaceful Slumber.

Editor of The Voice—There are some people who make me tired—they jog along like an old cart horse at the stupendous gait of ten miles a day, looking neither right nor left, and do not seem to realize that anything has taken place around them; they would not hear Gabriel's trumpet if it were sounded within an inch of their ears. You may thump and goad them, they will not kick over the traces—it would be unorthodox. They vote the Republican or Democratic ticket this year because they voted it last year; they voted it last year because "father always voted it." They forget father has been dead 15 or 20 years and conditions have changed. Why in these stirring times do they not wake up, get on some style and act as though they had seen a peck of oats within a year?

I have a friend who represents this class. During the late municipal campaign I labored with him several weeks and he finally promised to vote for no license. He is a father, and I believed he would do so for his boy's sake if for no other reason. I met him the afternoon of election day and asked him if he had voted. He replied, "No; I hav'nt the time to spare." I remonstrated with him for I knew he could take the time if he chose. He was obdurate and would not go to the polls. I was vexed and told some plain truths, but he did not wake up even to resent what I said; he simply put his hand on my shoulder and said, "You're right about it, old boy," and slept peacefully once more. What can one do to arouse such people? INONO.

Resolutions of Respect.

At the meeting of Beers Relief Corps 177, of Dec. 17, 1894, resolutions were passed as follows:

Whereas, The Hand of Death has removed from our midst our sister, Mrs. Cora E. McKinney.

Resolved, That while we bow in submission to the Divine Will, we, the ladies of the W. R. C., do sincerely mourn her loss, feeling we have lost an honored member and sincere friend.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to her bereaved husband, placed on file in our corps, and published in the village papers.

L. LOANE STACY,
ANNA S. HANLEY,
SARAH SWEET.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Emily Haight, whose maiden name was Emily Fowler, was born in Paris, New York, June 15, 1809, and died in Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 20, 1894. She was married Oct. 3, 1826, to Salmon L. Haight, who died Feb. 10, 1881. After marriage she resided in New York until 1833, when the family removed to Michigan. For many years her home has been in Tecumseh. Seven children were born to her, four of whom still live. Early in life she became an active member of the Methodist church, and lived a beautiful christian life, winning the respect of all who knew her. The funeral services were held where she died, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Coryell.

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Philosophy class in Frictional Electricity.

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Miss Gray, teacher in Latin, was absent Friday and Monday on account of sickness.

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Old Marley was dead as a doornail, and Scrooge was in his counting house counting out his money when a half-frozen newsboy, seeing him seated there all alone, put his head in at the door and said: "Hay, boss, won't yer buy a paper? All der big Christmus extrys! Look at all dem pictures, boss, for fippence!"

"Get out, you young ragamuffin!" yelled Scrooge so furiously that the boy slammed the door and darted off as if some evil being were pursuing him, while Scrooge bundled his money bags into the big iron safe, put on his great coat, extinguished the solitary gas jet, locked the heavy office door and walked off in the direction of the melancholy lodgings which he called his home. And as he walked briskly along through the frosty night air he growled out maledictions on Christmas and everything pertaining to it, and was particularly strong in anathematizing the Christmas editions of the magazines and newspapers.

"A pretty way to keep Christmas!" he muttered in surly ill-nature, "printing those infernal big wads of paper filled with all sorts of nonsense about plum puddings and Christmas trees, and stockings and presents and all the rest of it. Bought one the other day—it's the last one I ever will buy, too—took it home and tried to read it. 'Christmas in the Coal Mine!' 'Christmas in the Dime Museums!' 'Christmas in Noah's Ark!' 'Christmas in Ninth Street!' 'Christmas in Tenth Street!' It pretty near drove me crazy. See here, boy, if you shove another of those Christmas numbers under my nose I'll have the law on you!" And with this savage remark to an itinerant newsboy Scrooge entered the melancholy tavern where his usual melancholy dinner awaited him.

At twelve o'clock that night Scrooge awoke suddenly from a deep sleep and saw distinctly a shadowy shape advancing noiselessly toward his bed, and as it drew nearer to him he recognized the face of his old dead and gone partner, Marley.

"In life I was like you," said the spirit. "I hated Christmas and all that belonged to the holiday season, and I never bought a special Christmas edition of a magazine or daily paper. Since death claimed me I have been roaming through a vast trackless wilderness of literary horrors as a punishment for my sins. To-night three phantoms will wait upon you and conduct you through some of the scenes with which I have been familiar since I quitted the earth. Take warning from me."

The shade vanished and in its place came another spirit—that of a wizened old man—and it laid an icy hand on Scrooge's arm and said: "Come."

"Who are you?" demanded Scrooge, abjectly.

"The ghost of Christmas Past," replied the figure, solemnly. "Come with me and I will lead you among Yule-tide revelers of a by-gone time, whose faces you will recognize at a glance, for you knew them of old, and I am sure they still live in your memory."

Then the spirit led the way, and in a moment they were far across the sea, in the very heart of merry England, and within the gates of Vieuxtemps park, the seat of Hudibras, nineteenth earl of Hardtack. The brilliant light that streamed through the windows of the old gray castle told of feasting and merry making within, for it was Christmas eve, and the old peer had gathered about him a brilliant company for the festal season.

In a cushioned embrasure in one of the windows Countess Marie de Bon Marche sat toying with a priceless jeweled fan, the gift of an Indian rajah, and exchanging badinage with some of proudest of the nobility of England and continental Europe.

"A rose between two thorns, Mme. la Comtesse," exclaimed Prince Cumoff, with an insouciant smile on his highbred face as he glanced at Lord Chutney and Baron Pilgst, who were sitting one on either side of the famous beauty.

"Always cynical, prince," retorted the countess, with one of her rare smiles, and then added quickly: "But have you heard anything of Trevelyan's latest affaire du coeur? They tell me that the young duchess is quite eprise of him."

"Tant mieux," replied the prince, shrugging his shoulders in true patrician style, "but all the same I think Lord Trevelyan needs a larger dot than the duchess can bring him. You know the old duke backed Clothesrack for the St. Leger last year, and lost so much that really it must have been quite a relief to him to die as he did a month later."

"Not such a relief to him as to her, I fancy," yawned the marquis of Lakewood, the bitterest cynic in all Europe, who was leaning against the superb malachite mantelpiece in his favorite insouciant attitude.

"Have you read Cackletthorp's epic?" broke in one of the Orleans princes, of whom no less than three were in the room at the moment. "The finest hexameter since the 'Aenoid,'" he added, enthusiastically, and his words carried no small weight, for everyone knew that Prince Armand was the scholar of the royal house whose arms he bore, and the owner of the finest private library on the continent as well.

"How much more of this must we listen to?" inquired Scrooge, wearily.

"There are more volumes of this than you can count," replied his companion, "but look over these, and you will see one before whom the princes, dukes and countesses who people this strange world must pale into insignificance."

"What!" exclaimed Scrooge, in amazement, "more gilt edged than these aristocrats? Why, there are more noblemen here than you could find in the Cafe Martin and the Vienna bakery put together. But this newcomer whom they call Beauty, he has a long, tawny mustache and dreamy blue eyes—"

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"Yes, and an impudent smile," said the spirit, "said he had won a million feminine hearts since his first appearance in literature—"

"I know him!" shrieked Scrooge, excitedly; "he is an English guardsman. Oh, take me away, so that I may not hear him talk!"

And with this pitiful entreaty on his lips the unfortunate mortal fell back into a chair, a picture of such hopeless woe that his ghastly companion lifted him in his arms and bore him quickly away.

"An hour hence you will be stronger and able to endure more," he whispered to him as he replaced him in his bed. "Meanwhile, sleep soundly."

Scrooge awoke with a start as the clock struck one and found the second phantom standing beside him. His new acquaintance was clad in prosaic modern garments of commonplace texture and pattern, and he wasted no words in bidding Scrooge leave his bed and follow him.

"I am the ghost of Christmas Present," he explained, as they passed through the closed and curtained window into the cold night air. "In me you see the spirit of modern realism, and you will kindly notice that I have buttons on my coat."

As they approached a tall apartment house that overlooked Central park the spirit paused and said: "That cylindrical wooden vessel which we have just passed formerly contained flour, an important ingredient in the composition of bread, an article of food which enjoys great popularity everywhere except in Altruria, where fried air is the principal form of diet. This vessel, having served, and well served, I dare say, the purpose for which it was originally constructed, has now fallen into a condition of desuetude which is far from innocuous, for it is used as a receptacle for melon rinds, potato peel, egg shells, fish bones and other articles of nutriment which, under plutocratic rule, are permitted to go to waste, in spite of the fact that the city is full of starving people."

As they made their way into the apartment house Scrooge's attention was directed by his companion to such interesting details as the stair rods or shining brass, the elevator and the gold band on the cap of the small boy who directed it in its flight.

As they floated up through the great building they passed through many apartments in which families were dining, and the spirit of Christmas Present bade his companion note well the damask table linen, the shining silver, the wine glasses, and above all the deep significance which lurked behind even the most trivial remarks made by the diners. In one of these apartments they found a man of distinguished appearance talking in low, earnest tones to a beautiful woman who sat beside him and whose hand he held in his own. Her lips trembled and her blue eyes brimmed over with tears as she listened to his pleading. Scrooge, who was beginning to weary of the petty trivialities which his companion extolled as realism, wanted to linger in this room, but the spirit hurried him along.

Then they went up a story higher, and found themselves in a dining-room in which four persons, two men and two women, were eating their Christmas turkey, talking the while with much animation and earnestness.

"I am sure," said the younger of the two women, "that I shall miss Boston dreadfully, more on account of our old back yard and the symphony concerts than anything else. It was such a nice place for a dog to play in—that dear old back yard—and then there were never any concerts like the symphonies. Besides New York is really too big and busy and noisy to take any sort of comfort in. I told Bartwick so when he first talked of coming here, and he wouldn't believe it, but I guess he does now. Don't you, Bart?"

She looked at him as she spoke with a sort of mute appeal in her eyes and a suggestion of deferential repose in her manner. "Well, Hat, I don't know but what you're about half right," said the young husband, speaking with the hesitancy of a New Englander who has fully made up his mind on a subject; "you see, we miss the hominess of Boston, the South church, the big music hall, Bunker Hill monument and the state house. There's nothing here that can take the place of such landmarks as those in the hearts of the true Bostonese. Besides I get lost in New York when I try to walk on the straight broad streets, and I can't get elbow room enough in these narrow, stuffy flats."

"I hope you have observed," whispered the spirit, "that there are no bay windows in the inside rooms of these New York apartments."

"Of course there are none," rejoined Scrooge, "there are other apartments built right against them and a window would command a view of nothing but a brick wall."

"In Altruria," said the spirit, in a superior tone, "there are only two houses to the block and two windows to each room."

"Property must be valuable there, but don't you know any people who are a trifle more lively than these? It seems to me that I have heard this discussion about Boston and New York once or twice before."

"Hush!" said the ghost, impressively; "this is realism, and lively people, as you call them, would feel sadly out of place here."

Then the conversation at the dinner table was taken up by the host, a native New Yorker with white hair and a dark mustache, who remarked:

"Well, there's one thing I like about New York, and that is Wall street, when stocks are moving. I was long on Lackawanna last week—more's the pity—but Charley Opdyke cleaned up a matter of ten thousand by keeping on the right side of the market. Now, Bartwick, I'll give you a tip on Manhattan Elevated that you can paste in your hat—"

"Come," said the ghost, taking his companion by the arm.

"Hold on!" cried Scrooge, trying vainly to cling to his chair, "it's not often that I get a pointer from the spirit world, and this one ought to be worth something."

"Come," repeated the spirit sternly, as he dragged him away, "if you made money from that pointer, as you call it, you would not earn it; it would simply be taken away from somebody else. In Altruria stock gambling is unknown."

"Then New York is good enough for me," retorted Scrooge, as the two disappeared through the front wall of the building.

Scrooge was wide awake when the clock struck two, and the third of his ghostly visitors began to materialize on the moonlit floor. Slowly the phantom approached, and as it came near him, Scrooge saw that it wore the shape of a heavy-jawed, smooth-faced man, clothed in evening dress and wearing long hair that fell down over his shoulders in the matted, unkempt locks which are the fruit of the finest tonsorial art and are designed as a safe and harmless substitute for genius.

The spirit crossed the room with leaden footsteps and an air of such extreme physical exhaustion as to convey the idea that he had just returned from a hard day's work.

"I am weary and no mistake," said the spirit, for all the world as if Scrooge had voiced the thought uppermost in his mind, "and so would you be if you were in my place, for I have been making brilliant British epigrams all day long and my back is almost broken with toil. But come with me, for I am the ghost of Christmas Yet to Come, and I have much to show you."

"Whither are you taking me?" demanded Scrooge weakly as they floated across the city and far out over the gray tossing sea.

"We are going to the land where the Dodo dwells and the yellow aster blooms," rejoined the spirit sternly.

"What! That woman who is fanny at breakfast?" exclaimed his horror-stricken companion.

"The same," replied the inexorable one, pointing, as he spoke, to the long, gray coast line that lay stretched out before them.

Descending into the heart of a rich rolling country, they entered a well-kept English park, passed without any difficulty through the halls of an Elizabethan manor house and found themselves in a brilliantly lighted dining-room in which a large company was assembled. At the head of the table sat the host, a tall, powerfully built man, on whose face was the awful pallor that presages an untimely end.

"Why is that strong man doomed?" whispered Scrooge.

"Listen," said the spirit, sternly, "and you will discover."

At the other end of the table a young woman whose aristocratic lineage was revealed by her large splay feet and atrocious taste in dress, was keeping her neighbors in roars of laughter with her "bright" conversation.

"How nice it would be if one could have a tail to wag when one felt happy!" she exclaimed, with a mock gravity that sent her listeners off into convulsions of mirth. "Jack, how would you like a tail like Fido's?" she screamed suddenly at the top of her voice. "I'm sure Grantie would like one, too, but she wouldn't have wagged it this morning when the man brought her the poached eggs, would you, Grantie, dear?"

"The idea of his bringing me poached eggs when I was composing a symphony," cried the other bright conversationalist of the party, a giddy young thing in white muslin, "grilled bones and brandy and soda are what one needs when one is going to compose a symphony, but poached eggs suggest nothing better than a sonata. And

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then, you know, he actually dropped one on the floor and—"

"The ship lay two and I got one," shrieked Dodo, and the whole company joined her in peals of laughter, while poor Chesterfield looked on with an expression of martyrdom on his face that seemed to transfigure it.

"Spirit!" cried Scrooge, in agony, "take me away from these clever women or I shall go mad!"

But his companion merely shook his head and bade him listen on to the bitter end. As he spoke the scene changed to a ballroom in which the gifted Dodo was the principal figure, clad in "long clinging folds of diaphanous, almost luminous texture"—whatever that or those may be—and with her were many of the dinner party, including Prince Baldneck, a member of the Austrian nobility, and a brilliant, accomplished man of the world, one who was as skillful and easy in the use of the fork as if he had been born an Anglo-Saxon.

The prince was looking on admiringly as Dodo led the cotillion in company with Lord Tommy Lightfoot, the most accomplished, graceful dancer in England, and the one native-born Briton who knew how to reverse—which novel form of gyration he exhibited at least once every three minutes, to the awe and edification of all beholders. "Grantie" was there also, going about the room and repeating her witticisms about the poached eggs and the symphony till even the cleverest members of the smart intellectual set paled before her matchless epigrammatic gifts.

A little apart from the gay company of Christmas revelers stood a silent man with deep furrows on his face and wearing a look of unutterable fatigue.

"Who is that?" demanded Scrooge of his ghostly companion, as they turned to leave the room, "and why that expression of weariness and unrest on his deeply-lined features?"

"That is the creator of Dodo," replied the spirit, solemnly, and added, with a shade of pity in his stern voice: "Poor man, his life has been one long, hard struggle with English syntax, and although he has mastered some of the parts of speech the subjunctive mood has laid him low at last. But, come, for I have other things to show you."

They floated out into the clear, frosty night and swept on across the field and horizon till they found themselves in the fog and smoke of London town, and then they were in the luxuriantly-furnished supper room of a small and exclusive clubhouse. At a table drawn up by the open fire two young men in evening dress and wearing piebald chrysanthemums in their buttonholes were eating their Christmas dinner. Both were long haired, smooth shaven and of pallid complexion, and the pair exhaled an agreeable atmosphere of complacent imbecility of a superior quality.

There were but few other diners present, and Scrooge noticed that they were huddled together at the other end of the room and wore looks of unutterable weariness.

"Ah! Absinthe," said one of the young men, "how charmingly wicked and epigrammatic you are to-night! Let us go on forever eating strawberries and saying witty things. I could listen to you forever."

"Yes, Clarence," replied his companion; "I know that I am brilliant, but I cannot help it. I must be witty or die. Inconsistency, thou art a jewel. The rose is blue, the violet blue—it comes easy to me, you observe?"

"Beautiful!" cried Clarence, rolling his eyes in ecstasy. "Do it again, Absinthe! Do it again!"

"But you are witty yourself at times," rejoined Absinthe, condescendingly. "I have known you to play a very pretty tune on the copy book proverbs 'ere this. Cannot you utter a few of your exquisite subtleties now? Let me listen once more to your divine mot about the door which was not a door because it was ajar, or else—"

"Spirit!" cried the agonized Scrooge, "lead me hence, for I can bear it no longer," and the two receded from the room just as a waiter brought in a tray of cotton wads for the other diners to stuff into their ears.

Yes, there was his bed, and there was all the familiar furniture of the room, and as he raised his window to look out the sound of boyish voices crying the morning papers reached his ears. He was wide awake, and his name was Scrooge and he was in the good old town of New York and not roaming through the sorrow-laden fields of fiction.

That very morning he bought every Christmas magazine and newspaper that he could lay his hands on, and from that day to this no man has ever heard him utter a word against timely holiday literature.

A LITTLE TOO GROTESQUE.

The Rumor That Mr. Gladstone Was About to "Enter the Church."

The story about Mr. Gladstone's supposed intention to enter the church at the age of 85 might be said to exhaust the utmost capacity of credulity. Mr. Gladstone's renewed interest in theology has been vigorously attested since his retirement from public life by copious writings on abstruse points of doctrine, but the rumor about his "taking orders" is a little too grotesque even for the contents bills of the evening papers.

There is a certain attraction, however, in the idea of Mr. Gladstone as a curate eclipsing his vicar and overawing the bishop of his diocese. To him preferment ought to be rapid, and either Lord Rosebery or Lord Salisbury would be only too glad to make him archbishop of Canterbury at the earliest possible moment.

Having been the most tremendous personal force in politics for 30 years, Mr. Gladstone might easily become the most formidable primate since the days of Becket. Nothing is impossible to this marvelous man, but all the same we do not expect him to submit himself to ordination.—London Illustrated News.

It is midnight is passed.
And the Christmas is here.
O solemn bells, ring
Through the night hushed and clear!
As angelic hosts brought the tidings of old,
Let now the glad news by thy deep tongues be told
O joy to the world,
Forget sorrow and fear.
The midnight is passed,
And the Christmas is here.

The morning has dawned,
And the Christmas is here:
Hand clasps brother hand,
Heart to heart draws more near.
The incense of pines fills the homes of the land.
In God's house behold now a worshiping band
Because long ago
The dear Christ-child was born.
The sunrise to-day
Brings the world Christmas morn.

The evening shades gather.
Still Christmas is here;
Draw closer the curtains
While fires burn clear.
The joy of bestowing transfigures each face.
The heart is an altar, a thrice holy place.
O joy to the world,
Heaven's raptures appear!
The midnight draws on,
And the Christmas is here.

—Clara Louise Burnham, in Youth's Companion.

IT was a wild and blustering Christmas eve, and as Mrs. Catherwood faced the stinging blast she half regretted that she had not given orders for her carriage to come for her.

The Orphanage stood upon the outskirts of the town, and it was a long walk from there to her beautiful home; and yet she had lingered after the Christmas tree and the distribution of the gifts, while the other patronesses had hurried away to their homes preparations for their own children, until now the wintry daylight was beginning to grow dim.

Mrs. Catherwood shivered and wrapped her furs more closely around her, as she thought of the warmth and light she had left behind her, with the music of happy childish voices.

Mrs. Catherwood was young and beautiful and a widow. She had been an old man's darling, and in return for her faithful affection and companionship, her dying husband had enriched her with all his wealth.

In the second year of her widowhood she had been persuaded to reenter society, and now for two seasons she had reigned a queen. She was considered a woman to be envied, and yet today the hollowness of her life had come home to her with overwhelming force, and she felt herself more desolate than even those little waifs whose happiness in their Christmas festival she had just been witnessing.

There was a great void in her life, and she felt the need of some ennobling purpose, and of a strong sustaining arm to lead her on to better things than the frivolities which seemed to hem her in on every side.

If anyone had been at hand to tell her that her life was not at all frivolous, as her numerous charities could testify, her perfect lips would have curled in scorn and she would have made the honest answer: "My charities are fashionable fads: perhaps they may be the means of helping others, but they do not help me."

Mrs. Catherwood had left the high road now for the quiet footpath across the level stretch of open meadow which lay between the orphanage and the town. It was a favorite walk of hers, beautiful in spring or early autumn, and a place where her heart seemed to throb in unison with nature; but it was cold and dreary enough to-day. The western sky gleamed coldly upon her, and the shadows had already begun to gather over the town. The biting wind came sweeping across the meadow in violent gusts, and now and again she was obliged to stop and wait until its momentary fury had been spent.

But in spite of the cold and the dreariness, Mrs. Catherwood seemed in no hurry to reach her home. In truth there was a question upon her mind which she must decide clearly for herself before she could give her answer to another, and for that reason she had chosen to take this solitary walk.

In all probability that "other" was even now awaiting her in her own drawing room with all a lover's impatience.

Harold Whitney had been as Mrs. Catherwood's shadow for many months, and his attention had pleased and flattered her until she found that she could no longer keep him at arms' length.

The decisive question had been upon her lips the night before, when the entrance of another visitor had given her this short and welcome respite. But as he tenderly pressed her hand at parting, he had murmured: "To-morrow at dusk I will come for my answer, for my priceless Christmas gift."

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But was he the man to help her upward to the broader, nobler life for which she yearned, and which she found so hard to reach? Alas, she knew too well that all her higher aspirations would soon wither in his keeping; and yet—it was so sweet to be loved, and she was so alone!

A wilder gust of wind came rushing down upon her, and almost took her off her feet. She caught a low-hanging branch to steady herself, and at that moment she saw a tiny bareheaded child, hurrying, stumbling, actually blowing toward her, a helpless thing in the power of the boisterous blast.

Mrs. Catherwood, put out her arms, as, frightened and exhausted, the little one dropped at her very feet. In an instant Mrs. Catherwood was kneeling over her. Unfastening her costly furs, she wrapped them around the little shivering form, and tied a handkerchief over the wind-tossed curls.

That the child had strayed away and was lost was as evident as that she was perishing with cold, and without an instant's hesitation, Mrs. Catherwood lifted her up and hastened upon her way.

This piercing cold which her warm furs had before kept from her now stung her kneenly, and her arms ached under their unaccustomed burden; but the words: "One of these little ones"—"in My name"—"ye have done it unto Me"—seemed ringing in her ears, and awakened a new warm throbbing in her heart.

She hastily gained the town and found her way to the nearest chemist's, where the child was soon revived. Then, having sent a description of her to the police, Mrs. Catherwood carried the child away to her home, where she found her impatient suitor awaiting her.

"At last!" he exclaimed. Then catching sight of a furry bundle in her arms, he added: "In the name of common sense, what have you there?"

Mrs. Catherwood's lovely eyes were very bright, and there was an unusual flush upon her cheeks.

"My Christmas gift," she said, her low, clear voice vibrating with emotion. "A little child; and if she is not claimed—"

"You will put her in your pet orphanage, of course."

"No, I should like—to keep her for my own," Mrs. Catherwood said, softly, with a quick, upward glance.

She saw the wave of annoyance that overspread his face.

"Mrs. Catherwood—Estelle! You cannot be serious; a child of common parentage! She will be claimed, of course; but if she should not be—although I love you—I could never countenance such a thing. You must choose between the child and me."

Her eyes were still fixed upon him, seriously, ponderingly; then she looked down at the child sleeping now upon her breast. "I am afraid she will be claimed," she said, very quietly, "but in any case, Mr. Whitney, I have made my choice. I thank you for the honor you have done me, but—good night!"

The child soon wakened, and Mrs. Catherwood, receiving ready sympathy and help from her kind old companion friend, fed her wee guest her supper, and tried to learn her name. But the little one only laughed and stretched out her chubby hands to the blaze. "Baby," she said, and "pitty, pitty," as the soft coal flame flared bright. Then Mrs. Catherwood, with gentle unaccustomed hands, gave her a warm refreshing bath before the fire, and had just sung her to sleep and laid her in her own soft bed, when word was brought that some one was waiting below to see her.

Descending with a new and almost nervous dread, Mrs. Catherwood found an officer with a woman who had come for the missing child. Not one of her own, the woman explained, but the child of a young couple—strangers in the town, who had lived in the house with her, and had died within a few days of one another the month before. She had taken the child herself then, because, poor little soul! there had been no one else to care for her.

"Let me keep her," said Mrs. Catherwood, "and I will bring her up as if she were my own."

So it was settled. And then, with a new sweet feeling of tenderness in her heart, Mrs. Catherwood left the sleeping little one in her companion's care, and went out, accompanied by her maid, to buy some little necessary garments and toys for her Christmas treasure.

She saw no familiar faces among the throng that crowded the stores that night. But dainty Mrs. Catherwood found actual pleasure in mingling for once with this good-natured struggling mass of unknown Christmas shoppers.

It was late before she reached her home, and she was hastily opening her various packages, and beginning to fill the little stocking—the first child's stocking she had ever filled—when her companion summoned her in alarm. The child had been croupy all the evening, she said, and was now rapidly growing worse.

The labored breathing and little flushed face frightened Mrs. Catherwood, and, late as it was, she sent at once for her physician. Almost immediately word was brought back to her that the old doctor had gone away to spend Christmas, and that Dr. Harmon was to fill his place in case of need. But as Dr. Harmon lived quite at the other end of the town, the messenger had returned to know if she wished him summoned that night.

One look at the suffering child and Mrs. Catherwood's sharp struggle with herself was ended with the quick answer: "Yes; ask him to come *at once*."

And now at midnight she was anxiously awaiting the arrival of the man she most dreaded and disliked.

The young physician who stood so high in his profession, was the one who had been too honest and sincere ever to flatter her. He had resolutely kept aloof from her, even though she had once stooped so far as to try to win attention from him.

But she had never forgotten the quiet scorn of the condemnation he had once uttered in her hearing of the frivolous lives of society women and their ill-considered charities which so often did more harm than good.

She had chosen to give a personal application to his words, and to ignore him after that whenever they chanced to meet; but nevertheless his words had rankled in her, and had sown the seeds of discontent at her own unsatisfying life.

At last he was at her side. His quick glance had instantly taken in all the details of the room; the suffering child, the beautiful, anxious woman, the little cast-off garments, the new ones still unfolded on a chair, the tiny half-filled stocking, and scattered toys, and it was not hard for his practised eye to read the sweet and pathetic story that they told.

Together they bent above the little sufferer, and together they worked over her, fighting for her life. It was a sharp hand-to-hand struggle with death that night, but in the gray dawn of Christmas morning their victory was won, the child's labored breathing became easier, and as her pitiful suffering ceased she had fallen into a quiet, refreshing sleep.

"All danger is over now," the doctor said, and "Thank God!" Mrs. Catherwood murmured from her heart.

"You don't know how I feel," she went on, brokenly. "She only came to me last night, but it seems as if she had been sent—a Christmas gift—to be my very own."

Dr. Harmon took Mrs. Catherwood's hand in both his own and seemed to forget to let it go.

"Let me thank you for the confidence that you have shown in me tonight," he said. "I misunderstood you once, and you have judged me even more harshly than I judged you; but you are a noble woman. It is Christmas morning now," he went on, "and with that large charity you have shown towards this little child, will you not give me the privilege of learning to know you better, and of overcoming your dislike to me—if I can?"

And Mrs. Catherwood answered—"Yes."—Judith Spencer, in N. Y. Observer.

A HELPLESS THING IN THE POWER OF THE BOISTEROUS BLAST.

On Christmas Night.

The Christmas stars glow overhead,
The Yule log on the hearth flares bright.
"Good will and peace to all the world,"
She saith, "this holy night."

Her hands the curtains wide have drawn.
"Oh, Yule-tide fire, shine bright," quoth she,
"The wanderer led here by thy beams—
Thrice welcome shall he be!"

"On Christmas night," the good wife saith,
The children listen in their play—
"Let no wayfarer pass our doors
Lest Christ should come this way."

Her fancy—is it? Well, who knows?
Her woman's eyes are quick to see
Christ's meaning through a beggar's rags—
"Ye did it—unto me."

—Judith Spencer, in Good Housekeeping.

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IDGEWAY TAXES.—I will receive taxes the Township of Ridgeway during the December at the following places: us. 12, 19, &c. at S. F. Smith's store, Thursdays, Jan. 27, John Witt's res- days, Jas. Haight's store, Britton. C. B. EXELBY, Ridgeway Township Treasurer.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 20, 1894.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Note our combination offers.

The Armory will be a bower of beauty Christmas evening.

Read our prospectus for the new year, be found on another page.

I. P. Keyser spent Sunday at home, turning to Jackson on Monday.

A. B. Cotton, of Chicago, was in town Saturday.

We have the best combinations ever been presented to our patrons. Read them.

Of course you will attend the Xmas party to be given by the young men at the Armory.

S. G. Stacy gave his Snap Shot Story the World's Fair Monday, Tuesday and last evening at Norvell.

Mrs. T. D. McKinney, of Detroit, visited her mother, Mrs. M. A. Freeman, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Normau P. Watson, C. F. Clark and A. H. St. John of Clinton, were in town Friday.

George W. Doarn, of Philadelphia, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with Frank Bryan's and J. D. Shull's families. Mr. Doarn is a friend of Waller Adams.

Ed. Williamson, and force, took in and dressed over 40,000 pounds of poultry after 1 p. m. Friday. Here is a record difficult to beat when conveniences are considered.

Mr. Fred Aldrich and wife of the Central House, entertained two aunts last week, Mrs. Ed. Bigford of Tower City, Dakota, and Mrs. W. Barnard of Grand Rapids.

The Michigan Academy of Sciences will hold their first annual meeting in the Speaker room of the Capitol at Lansing next week, Dec. 26th and 27th. An excellent program has been prepared, and it is hoped that this new society will have a good send off.

Hudson Masons will dedicate their new temple on the night of the 26th inst. and the Tecumseh Masons will present their new building to the public on the following night. It is expected that a large number will be present at both places from Adrian.—Evening Telegram.

Among those from away who took supper at the Masonic Temple Friday night were A. B. Cotton, of Chicago, Mr. Bresie of Decatur, Ill., and friend of A. Johnson of Logansport, Ind., Edi- Mat D. Blosser and wife, Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Conklin, and Mrs. Charles Winson of Manchester, Jas B. House, wife and daughter Jennie and Miss Myra Clark of Clinton.

The committee having charge of the Christmas party to be given at the Armory, December 25th, have completed their arrangements and this annual party will equal, if not excel, all previous ones. They have engaged Jackson's orchestra, consisting of eight pieces, to furnish the music which will delight all. Owing to there being no gallery, spectators will be admitted only on Dance tickets.

We had occasion to call at the Stimpson's Scale Company's Plant the other day and were surprised to behold the transformation which had taken place in their quarters. Although by no means complete, they are rapidly making the necessary changes and when done they will have a model institution in a business of that character. They have a large force of skilled workmen, who are pushing things right along. It will not be many days before the works will be in full blast, when we will be to give out readers a full description of each department.

Dr. Parkhurst has entered into a contract with The Ladies' Home Journal by which he will practically become a regular editorial contributor to that magazine for some time. The great New York preacher says that he has for a long time past been desirous of saying some very necessary things to women and he now announces that he will say them through these articles. He will take up all the social, moral and equality questions which are so uppermost in the minds of women to-day. Dr. Parkhurst will begin this work at once, the first article appearing in the next issue of the Journal.

Merry Christmas to all.

Rev. H. A. Smith was in Chicago over Sunday.

Miss L. Loana Stacy is visiting friends in Adrian to-day.

You cannot afford to miss the Xmas party at the Armory.

Edward Pilbeam, of Chicago, is visiting his father, Wm. Pilbeam.

Christmas packages are already beginning to flood the postoffices.

Fred Aldrich, wife and son visited his people in Brooklyn over Sunday.

Doc. White and Ham Niblack, of Clinton, were on our streets Tuesday.

Hobart Grempleaf, of Addison, visited Dr. Steinhaff and family, the last of the week.

Dr. O. Q. Jones was called to Brooklyn Saturday by the sudden illness of his father.

J. B. Coller will give a "Graphophone Concert" at Holloway Hall next Saturday evening.

Len. W. Kimball, of Clinton, was here Monday and of course called at the HERALD office.

Mrs. C. A. Stacy started this morning for Elgin, Ill., to spend the holidays with her son George.

Van Tuyle & Palmer, of Clinton, made a shipment of two decks of sheep from here yesterday.

G. H. Winship, of Adrian, is putting the slate roof on Mr. H. B. Eaton,s new residence east of town.

Mrs. Mary O. Fistler, Brooklyn, filled the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning as Rev. Mr. Smith was away.

Wm. Bass and wife, of Lawrence, Mich., are the guests of his sister, Mrs. C. C. Tefft and family, for a few days.

We had the pleasure of shaking hands with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Fisk, of Clinton, yesterday. They were doing a little shopping.

The mush and milk social at Frank Bryan's Tuesday evening was very pleasant and the exchequer increased over six dollars.

The last number of the Coiled Spring Hustler is on hand, filled to the brim as usual with matter pertaining to the Page wire fence.

Many of the show windows in town present a very beautiful appearance. They will open a man's heart and purse strings if anything can.

Among the large number of Clinton people here Saturday we chatted with Louise VanDeMark, Mrs. Madison Lane Louise Platte, Florence House and Geo. Wilson.

Geo. N. Chidester has received notification of his appointment as day watchman at the State Capitol at Lansing, and expects to leave some time next week.

Our combination offers and club list are given in full this week on another page. Our readers will find it to their advantage to post themselves on the terms offered.

The Co. C boys are still making improvements at the Armory. More excavations have been made in the basement, to enlarge the room connected with the kitchen.

A. L. Millis has just received a Standard dictionary, of which he is justly proud. Through his courtesy we were permitted to look it over and we can safely say, it excels all that have preceded it. It is complete in all respects and is an Encyclopedia as well.

The last issue of the Hudson Gazette was the annual holiday edition, and it eclipsed all former efforts in that direction. It is a double sheet or sixteen page paper, got up in book form with cover, and filled to the brim with Christmas reading and holiday advertising. It is a credit to our western neighbor.

Olivet will have an endowed chair of Christian Evidences and Applied Christianity, and nearly $10,000 has been raised already in memory of Prof. Estabrook. One lumberman of state renown gives a princely sum because the deceased professor once administered a sound thrashing to him when he most needed it.

A short time ago Leon Manly, the genial errand boy at the Lake Shore offices was scratched in the face by a puppy. Nothing was thought of it at the time, but soon his face began swelling and he has had quite a serious time. At present he is gaining nicely. Eddie King is filling his place during his forced absence.

We inadvertently neglected to make mention last week of the Charity edition of the Adrian Telegram, which came out on the 10th. It was a double sheet printed on book paper, and edited wholly by a committee of ladies appointed for that purpose. The proceeds of the sales were devoted to charity. Both typographically and editorially it was a decided credit to the Telegram.

The Michigan Academy of Sciences was organized last June for the promotion of fellowship among scientific men, and for scientific research in the State. It is hoped that all people directly or indirectly interested in the objects of the society will become members. At the Lansing meeting, Dec. 26 and 27, organization will be completed. It is probable that the initiation fee will be placed at one dollar. There are no other limitations to membership. Fees do not become due till after the Lansing meeting. Let everyone who will aid this society by becoming a member, send his, or her, address immediately to the secretary, Frederick C. Newcombe, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Read our new club list.

Walter C. Burridge was in Blissfield on business this week.

The public schools will close to-morrow for the holiday vacation.

A. J. Lee, of Britton, was a caller at the HERALD office yesterday.

B. S. Scudder, of Macon, has a new card in this week's paper. Read it.

Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers and daughter, Mrs. Tate, of Clinton, are visiting here to-day.

Avery & Co. have something to say about Christmas presents in a new card this week.

Mrs. Sebastian Kirchgessner, of Deerfield, was visiting Tecumseh relatives the first of the week.

There will be a meeting of the Orient at I. O. O. F. hall next Wednesday evening—conferring degrees.

Kennedy & Rogers have been struck by a sweet cyclone. For full particulars see their new card.

Miss Francesco Carroll, of Clinton, was having her eyes tested for glasses at Kirchgessner's yesterday.

The shortest day of the year will be next Saturday, and then the days will begin to lengthen and cold go frigidward.

The third annual farmer's institute is to be held at Morenci, January 9th and 10th. A fine programme is being prepared.

Miss Asenath Hosmer is clerking at Kirchgessner's during the holiday season, and Mrs. Huey is taking her place at the library.

The cards are out announcing the marriage of Prof. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, Mich., and Miss Gertrude Fisher, of our city, Jan. 1st., 1895.

The Ladies Social of the Universalist church will give their regular supper at the church on Friday afternoon, Dec. 28th. Supper from 5 to 7.

The Orient society held a pleasant session Monday evening and four candidates were instructed in the work of the order. They were delighted with it.

Stoughton Strong visited Clinton yesterday. As Mr. Strong leaves town very seldom for even a day, it must have been an unusual attraction that drew him there.

Avery & Co. bought a nice lot of apples yesterday of our old friend, Ansel Witherell of Clinton. Mr. W. is about 80 years old and is more active than many who are much younger.

P. S. Hendershot, advance agent for J. B. Coller's Graphophone Concerts called on the HERALD to-day. Mr. Coller will favor Tecumseh folks with an entertainment in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coffin, of Albion, were called here by the death of Mrs. C's. sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Hodges. Rev. Eugene Coffin, a nephew, and wife, of Trenton, Mich., also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arrington J. Douglass, of Merriam Park, Minnesota, visited Deacon Jas. Heck and family several days the past week. Mrs. Douglass is a neice of Mr. Heck. They left yesterday morning.

Orr & Temple have on sale the following celebrated remedies manufactured by Foley & Co., of Chicago, whose ads. will appear in our first issue in January: Foley's 50 cent Sarsaparilla, Cough Cure and Worm Tablets.

We noticed on our streets yesterday the following from Clinton: Mr. and Mrs Chris Schmidt, Mrs. H. W. Daniels, Mrs. Herman Halladay, Mrs. C. M. Green and Florence, Frank Wallinger, John H. Perry, Clarence Mills and Frank Parker.

Elizabeth, wife of Eugene Hodges, who has been a great sufferer from Brights disease, died at her residence Friday, Dec. 14th., aged 48. Mrs. Hodges has long been a resident here and was well known. The funeral was held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2:30. J. P. Varner, pastor of the M. E. church, of which she was a valued member, officiating.

Subjects for next Sunday at the Universalist Church: A. M.—Holy Communion; P. M.—"Fear not: for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Holy Communion after the morning service.

John Gordon, who lives just north of A. P. Coddington's, died very suddenly last evening, about half past seven, from heart failure. When discovered to be ill, Doctor Jenkins was summoned but he expired before the doctor reached there. Mr. Gordon came to Tecumseh from Ireland 15 years ago. He was 82 years old. The funeral will be held at the house to-morrow at 2 p. m., Rev. C. M. Brown officiating.

That our readers might have some idea of the importance of the poultry business in this vicinity, we have endeavored to collect the requisite information and through the courtesy of our live poultry dealers, C. E. Williamson and L. D. Dewey, we yesterday obtained the number of pounds dressed by these two firms for the preceeding eight days. Mr. Williamson dressed about 40,000lbs. or two tons, which went to Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Dewey sent to the same place 14,279 lbs. and to Brooklyn, N. Y., 31,110 lbs., making a grand total of 85,389 lbs., or over 4 1-4 tons. This will show what poultry business in Tecumseh is.

Adrian is having quite an epidemic of diptheria.

To-day—Dec. 20th—the thermometer registered 111 degrees in the sun, at the Lilley House.

A. D. Gilmore, of Blissfield, attended the meeting of the directors of The Tecumseh State Savings Bank yesterday.

Orr & Temple perfumed the rooms in Masonic Temple Friday last with that delightful new perfume, called Eastern Star. It was very appropriate for the occasion and thoughtful in our enterprising druggists.

Quite a number from here expect to attend the play at Clinton to-night, given by the Hillarity Company for the benefit of the base ball team. The reputation of this local company is well established, and you may be assured that Rio Grande will be well presented.

Dedication of the Masonic Temple.

The dedicatory ceremonies of the "New Masonic Temple" will be held at the Temple, on Thursday evening next, December 27th, 1894. A "Banquet" will be served at the Armory—immediately after the ceremonies at the Temple. Only members of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, and invited Master Masons, are expected to participate in the dedicatory ceremonies. All invited guests are expected to be present and partake of the banquet. The ladies of the Eastern Star are invited to the program after the banquet, consisting of music, toasts, etc. BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

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—Farmers should investigate the advantages of the Homestead Fertilizer before purchasing. It is the best article now on the market. I have it to sell in large or small quantities. S. W. TEMPLE, Agent.

—Don't fail to see the $20.00 suits and $20.00 overcoats just placed on sale at J. C. HAZLETT'S.

—I have put in a new machine for making cob meal, by grinding cobs and all. Your feed will go much farther. Come and try it. CHAS. HECK.

—Fine Photographs that suit, at low prices, at BROWN'S PHOTO. PARLORS, near the Opera House, Adrian, Mich.

—Having opened a full stock of groceries, we should be pleased to have the public call and get prices on strictly A 1 stock. The farmers will please bear in mind that we pay cash for potatoes, butter and eggs. TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER CO.

—Call at the new Meat Market and let us show you what we can do. MITCHELL & CLARK.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills; 7 cents per bag. CHAS. HECK.

—Temple is doing finer work than ever. He has finer mouldings and a larger assortment of them, with prices within the reach of everyone. Call and be convinced.

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—I keep on hand sausage, lard and everything in the meat line. Call at my market and let us get acquainted. W. W. SHURTZ.

—Farmers go to the Steam Mills to get your feed ground—Grinding every day. CHAS. HECK.

—Buckwheat grinding every Friday until further notice. CHAS. HECK.

—Just received an entire new stock of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings for winter trade. J. C. HAZLETT.

—For fresh and salt meats of all kinds, call at my Market, Dickinson's old stand. W. W. SHURTZ.

—A new No. 8 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine can be bought at a bargain The machine may be seen at this office. Call and examine it.

—L. M. Waldron has a full line of wood pumps, tubing and repairs on hand.

—Farmers remember nature's power is always ready to assist in grinding your feed at the Globe Mills.

—Highest market price for all kinds of furs paid at Chicago Clothing Store.

—TO THE CITIZENS OF TECUMSEH AND VICINITY—
I have opened an office, first door west of the Lilley bank, for administering the Dr. J. C. Kennedy Patent Process or Impacted Air treatment for the benefit of suffering humanity. All are requested to call and examine this treatment, and get a free treatment and testimonials of marvelous cures recieved by the use of this treatment. All people suffering from catarrh, throat, lung or stomach troubles are requested to call and investigate this treatment, and get reference. M. OSBORN, Jr., MGR.

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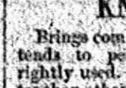

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THIS MAN EATS GLASS.

Detroit Physicians Astonished by Experiments on Daniel Lake.

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—Local physicians have completed a novel experiment on Daniel Lake, a middle-aged Irishman, who recently came to the notice of Dr. E. L. Shurley. After a minute examination had been made of the man's mouth and throat with mirrors and electric lights he was given a common glass chimney. With one crunch he bit off a piece of glass about the size of a playing card, chewed it with apparent gusto, and then with the aid of a little water swallowed the whole mass. In this way he completed the work of eating the entire chimney. A thorough examination then showed that his mouth, throat and tongue were without any signs of cut or injury, and the man declared he suffered no inconvenience internally. Then the doctors thrust long pins through his arms and into his temples without drawing blood. Lake said he suffered no pain. The only part of his anatomy that is sensitive to such punctures is the lining of the eye. Dr. Shurley attributes the man's singular physical condition to a defect in one of the great nerves of the spine which cuts off all sensation of the skin and mucous surfaces.

"KID" LAVIGNE'S FIST.

It Administers a Blow Which Results in Bowen's Death.

SAGINAW, Dec. 17.—Residents of this city were shocked on learning of the death of Andy Bowen, the pugilist, as a result of his fight with George Lavigne, at New Orleans, Friday night. Lavigne is a resident of Saginaw and is quite popular. The fight had been in his favor throughout and in the eighteenth round he struck Bowen on the point of the jaw, knocking him down. His head struck the flooring of the stage with great force and he was carried from the ring in an unconscious condition. Bowen died Saturday morning without having recovered consciousness. Lavigne was arrested, but was liberated on furnishing bail in the sum of $10,000. He expresses great grief at the sad result of the contest, but feels that Bowen's death was due to his fall, and not to the force of the blow administered. Lavigne's mother has been kept in ignorance of his predicament. He always sent her the greatest portion of his winnings in the prize ring.

AFTER THE RELICS.

Senator Patton Trying to Secure Battle-flags of Michigan Regiments.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—A constituent of Senator Patton (Mich.) wrote to him recently informing him that the Twentieth Michigan regiment lost its colors at Petersburg, Va., but that he had lately heard that they were in the war department in this city. He asked the senator to make some inquiry into the matter with the view of securing the return of the flags to the survivors of the regiment. Through the courtesy of the adjutant-general Senator Patton inspected the room where the flags are kept in the top story of the Army and Navy building and found the identical colors referred to in the letter. At the same time he discovered the old flags of the Seventeenth and Nineteenth Michigan regiments. He has therefore introduced in the senate a resolution directing the secretary of war to return the flags to the regiments.

OFFICIALS AT WAR.

Clash Between State and Federal Authorities in Allegan County.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 14.—Deputy United States Marshal O'Donnell arrested Deputy Sheriff Ezra Bunn and Wilford Rozell, of Allegan county, for selling liquor without paying the government tax, and Marshal Pratt arrested Sheriff Stratton. Under-Sheriff Malcolm H. Wing and five deputies for interfering with a federal officer in the discharge of his duty. Bunn and Rozell, after being bound over for the grand jury before the Allegan commissioners, began suit by capias against O'Donnell for false imprisonment. Sheriff Stratton and his deputies were held in bonds of $2,000 each. Bail was given by all except Deputy Sheriffs Brown and Rozell, who were remanded to the custody of the marshal in default. The proceedings involve an important point regarding the relative powers of state and federal authorities.

Homeopathies Leave Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR, Dec. 17. — The homeopathic faculty of the university of Michigan has resigned to take effect October next. This is the culmination of trouble in the medical department, which began three years ago. Dean Obetz offered a plan which would have slightly reduced the number of the homeopathic faculty. There was so much objection that Dean Obetz resigned. The medical department is to be reorganized next October.

Many Prisoners Reach Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 17.—United States Marshal Crump, of Arkansas, and deputies have arrived with the thirty-two federal prisoners from Arkansas and the Indian territory, who were recently sentenced to various long terms in the Detroit house of correction. Three of the prisoners are ex-members of the Cook gang.

Car Shops to Start Up.

DETROIT, Dec. 15.—It is announced that one set of the shops of the Michigan Peninsular Car company will start up January 1, probably, or before February 1 at the latest. The shops will be run to their average capacity, but it is yet uncertain whether they can be kept running all through next year.

May Tax the Drug Stores.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 15.—The Liquor Dealers' association will ask the coming legislature to enact a law taxing drug stores the same as saloons. Drug stores now pay a tax of $500 a year and the saloons pay from $300 to

NOTES FROM MANY POINTS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Michigan Towns.

Having been found guilty at Caro, of adultery, Carl Hall was sent to prison for three years.

The annual meeting of the State Horticultural society will be held in Lowell December 27 and 28.

At Stearn's Siding Byron Fisher, a young man of 21, during a fit of insanity, shot himself through the heart.

By the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of William Morman at Leroy, Julius Dunkel, of Big Rapids, was instantly killed.

E. L. Maproy, of Oconto, while pursuing a tramp who had stolen his clothes, was fatally shot by the vagrant.

Wilbur Robinson was sentenced at Cassopolis to Jackson prison for two years and Frank Seeler for four years for robbery.

Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, and M. S. Brewer, of Pontiac, announce themselves at Lansing as republican gubernatorial candidates.

The United States fish hatchery at Alpena is catching up on its supply of whitefish eggs, and now has in 110 jars or about 16,000,000.

Farmer Dwelly's big barn near Fostoria, burned one night recently. Three horses and a large quantity of hay and grain were destroyed.

From his crop of mint this season, Henry Hall, of Three Rivers, netted $40,000. Mr. Hall is the most extensive grower of mint in the United States.

All teachers of chemistry in high schools or colleges in Michigan are invited to attend the annual conference which will be held in Chicago December 31 and January 1.

John Cliffman, of Muskegon, was beaten and probably fatally injured at Rothbury, near that city, by Peter and William Vanderburg, who claimed he owed them five dollars which he refused to pay.

The Chicago & West Michigan road has been sued for damages amounting to $105,000 by William Peters, of Keno. Mr. Peters claims that his sawmill, recently destroyed, was set afire by a spark from a locomotive.

The Grand Haven Ship Building company has been dissolved and the yards in Grand Haven discontinued. The members will all retire with comfortable fortunes. The yards of the company were founded by Duncan Robertson, the master builder, in 1867.

THE COLUMBIAN ORGAN.

Gift of the Alumni to the University of Michigan Dedicated.

ANN ARBOR, Dec. 15.—In the presence of a distinguished audience, including prominent people from every section of the state, the huge Columbian organ, one of the famous exhibits at the world's fair, was dedicated Friday night as the property of the University of Michigan. Among those present were Prof. Francis Kelsey, president of the Michigan Musicians' society, who called the assemblage to order; Gov. Rich, Gen. Russell A. Alger and President James B. Angell, of the university. In an eloquent speech of thanks Prof. Kelsey accepted the gift of the organ from the alumni, and Gov. Rich and President Angell responded briefly. To aid in the payment of the organ the alumni paid big prices for seats, some choice ones in university hall, where the dedicatory exercises were held, selling as high as $25 apiece.

SPATTERED WITH BURNING OIL

Children at Jackson in a Panic—Narrow Escape for Several.

JACKSON, Dec. 16. — Forty young children were thrown into a panic Saturday night at the home of Mrs. George C. Truesdell by the accidental tipping over of a large stand lamp in the parlor. The children, none of whom were over 12 years of age, were participants in a birthday party, and the burning oil was scattered among them setting their clothes on fire. No adult was present in the room at the time and the children rushed wildly about until two or three of the older lads dragged them out into the halls, where their burning clothes were pulled off. Several of them suffered painful injuries and one or two narrowly escaped fatal burns. The interior of the residence was destroyed.

MICHIGAN CENSUS.

The Wolverine State Shown to Have a Population of 2,241,454.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 14.—The census taken last summer shows that the total population of the state June 1 was 2,241,454, an increase of 147,565, or 7.04 per cent. since June 1, 1890, and of 387,796 or 20.92 per cent. in ten years. June 1 last there were 1,670,797 native born citizens and 570,857 foreign born citizens. The per cent. of increase since 1884 was 7.79 and 4.92 respectively. Of the total population of the incorporated cities 551,365, or 67.16 per cent., are native, and 269,667, or 32.84 per cent., foreign born.

Death of Thomas H. Armstrong.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 17.—Thomas H. Armstrong, a pioneer citizen of Detroit, Mich., died Sunday morning at No. 3815 Forest avenue. He was visiting his son, E. A. Armstrong. Mr. Armstrong was past eminent commander of the Detroit Commandery No. 1 Knights Templar. He commanded the escort which accompanied President Andrew Johnson to Chicago to the unveiling of the monument to Douglas on the lake front.

Michigan Boys Turn Robbers.

CALUMET, Dec. 17.—Matthew Blau, Jr., and Fred Riordan, sons of respectable parents, knocked down the 15-year-old daughter of Dominic Champagnala, who was returning from the mine office with her father's wages, and robbed her of $100 in cash. They then took to the woods.

Option on Eastman Mineral Springs.

BENTON HARBOR, Dec. 13.—Detroit capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of Eastman's mineral springs here. A sixty-days option has been secured on a purchase basis of $175,000.

THE STATE GRANGE.

Resolutions and Proceedings of the Lansing Gathering.

LANSING, Dec. 15.—The state grange, which has been in session here for several days, adjourned on Friday. Reports submitted show the receipts of the year to have been $4,710 and the disbursements to have been $5,433. There is a balance in the treasury of $656, exclusive of notes and mortgages, aggregating $3,700, and a defense fund of $1,600. During the year three subordinate granges have been organized and four dormant ones revived. The membership in the state now exceeds 10,000. Officers were elected as follows:

Master, George B. Horton, Fruit Ridge; overseer, M. T. Cole, Palmyra; lecturer, Jason Woodman, Pawpaw; steward, George L. Carlisle, Kalkaska; assistant steward, J. H. Martle, Grand Rapids; chaplain, Mary A. Mayo, Battle Creek; treasurer, E. A. Strong, Vicksburg; secretary, Jennie Buell, Ann Arbor.

The report of the executive committee condemns the bond issue. Its remedy for existing evils is that the government own the material from which the money of the country is to be made, whatever that material may be, and that from it the government issue an amount of legal-tender money sufficient to maintain such a staple measure of value that the debtor will not be oppressed or the creditor wronged by the fluctuation in value of the money standard. As a compromise measure the report favors the free and unlimited coinage of gold and of the silver of the United States mines at the ratio of 16 to 1, provided an import duty is placed on all foreign silver coin and other silver bullion equal to the difference between the gold value of silver bullion in Europe and its coin value in the United States.

A resolution opposing the issue of United States bonds without the sanction of congress was tabled. A synopsis of the resolutions adopted is as follows:

Calling for the enactment of a law that none but American citizens be permitted to teach in schools in this state; calling for the passage of laws that shall give county commissioners authority to order school outbuildings repaired, making attendance of teachers upon county institutes compulsory; abolishing the institute fee, increasing the minimum number of months during which school shall be held from three to five and changing the time of the election of the superintendent of public instruction from November to April; calling upon the legislature to re-enact the mortgage tax law of 1891 and asking for an appropriation sufficient to meet the expenses of farmers' institutes in every county of the state; favoring the enactment of laws making the verdict of three-fourths of a jury binding; requiring an educational qualification for voters, whether native or foreign born, but framed in such manner that no one now a voter will be disfranchised; recommending that a tax commissioner be appointed by the legislature to adjust existing inequalities in the tax laws of the state; demanding the decrease of the salaries of supreme court judges from $7,000 to $5,000 per annum, and the increase of the salary of the attorney general to $4,000.

EMPLOY DETECTIVES.

Ministers Demand the Resignation of the Saginaw Police Board.

SAGINAW, Dec. 15.—The Ministerial association of Saginaw has adopted a unique scheme to convict the mayor and police board of failure to enforce the liquor and gambling ordinances. There has been a disagreement for over a year as to whether the laws were enforced, and it has developed that the ministers had for weeks had a detective in their employ, who not only had secured plenty of evidence that the authorities were in league with sin, as they say, but had evidence that on legal holidays (Thanksgiving), when saloons should be closed, two of the police commissioners themselves patronized a public bar. The result of this is a formal demand on the part of the Ministerial association for the resignation of the entire police board, and if not forthcoming at once charges will be preferred to Gov. Rich.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF MICHIGAN.

Gov. Rich's Plurality Is 106,392 and His Majority 57,605.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 15.—The canvass of the state board of canvassers shows the total vote cast for governor last month was 446,828, or 51,782 less than in 1892. John T. Rich (rep.) received 237,215; Spencer O. Fisher (dem.), 130,823; Alva W. Nichols (pop.), 39,012; Alva M. Todd (pro.), 38,788. As compared with 1892 the republican vote shows a gain of 15,987, the democratic a loss of 74,405, the populist a gain of 8,568, and the prohibitionists a loss of 1,980. Gov. Rich had a majority of 57,605 and a plurality of 106,392. The constitutional amendment permitting inmates of soldiers' homes to vote had a majority of 98,151, and the amendment requiring foreigners to be full citizens before acquiring the right to vote a majority of 85,551.

To Swear in Michigan Officials.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 15.—It has been the custom in the past for state officials elected to be sworn in as suited their convenience, but this year Gov. Rich proposes to bunch the ceremonies. He has invited the newly-elected officers to meet in the executive chamber in Lansing the afternoon of December 31, and Clerk Hopkins, of the supreme court, will administer the oath to all at once.

Transfer of a Stock Farm.

KALAMAZOO, Dec. 15.—The Kalamazoo Farm company will succeed to the business of the S. A. Browne & Co., famous stock farm, articles of incorporation with a capital stock of $50,000 having been filed Thursday. United States Senator McMillan, of Detroit, is the principal stockholder, and S. A. Browne, who holds next largest block of stock, will be manager. The headquarters will continue here.

Foul Play Suspected.

MANCELONA, Dec. 14.—There seems to be much mystery about the hanging of Elias Jackson, who was found dead in the woods at Larsens station, near this place. From certain indications about the body it would seem that it was not a suicide. News comes from Bellaire that a suspect has been arrested there, but his name was not given.

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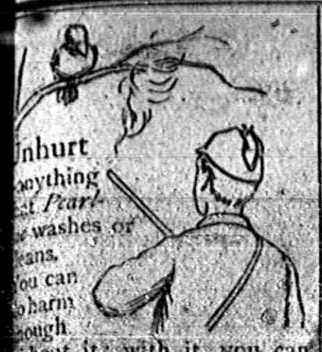

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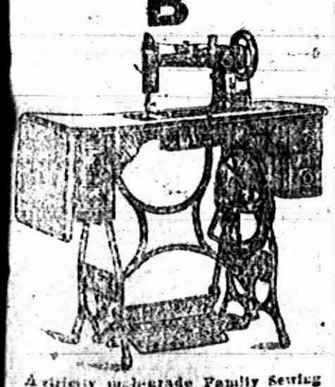

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

A RESOLUTION was offered in the senate on the 10th calling on the president to begin negotiations to secure the independence of Cuba. Senator Morgan spoke in favor of the Nicaragua canal bill.... In the house bills were introduced to annex that portion of Arizona north of the Colorado river to Utah; to prohibit the printing of any words or devices upon the American flag by individuals, and to provide for the settlement of labor troubles by arbitration.

ON the 11th Senator Morrill (Vt.) spoke at length in the senate in opposition to various financial measures introduced by Senator Peffer (Kas.) providing for the issuance of large sums of greenbacks. The Nicaragua canal bill was further discussed.... In the house the bill amending the interstate commerce act to prevent pooling was passed by a vote of 166 to 110.

IN the senate on the 12th an unsuccessful attempt to secure consideration of the bill to strike out the differential duty on sugar and a resolution for the amendment of the rules was also defeated. A bill was introduced providing for the abolition of the death penalty in the army and navy except in cases of murder, rape, desertion to the enemy in time of war and aggravated mutiny. Bills were passed granting pensions of $100 per month to Mary Palmer Banks, Mrs. Katharine Todd Crittenden and Maj. Gen. A. McClernand.... In the house consideration of the urgency deficiency bill was begun and a motion to strike out the appropriation for the collection of the income tax was defeated.

A BILL was introduced in the senate on the 13th, directing the secretary of the treasury to refund to the Citizens' bank of Louisiana money taken by union soldiers during the war. The bill for the establishment of a university of the United States at Washington was discussed.... In the house the urgency deficiency, fortifications and military academy appropriation bills were passed and the pension bill ($141,381,870) was discussed. The post office appropriation bill ($89,442,897) was reported.

THE senate was not in session on the 14th.... In the house the pension appropriation bill was passed. The evening session was devoted to the consideration of private pension bills and the house adjourned over until the 17th.

DOMESTIC.

THE American Federation of Labor met in fourteenth annual convention at Denver.

FRED HANKS, John Morton, George Roberts, C. H. Hanks, George B. Floss, George Cook and Hannah Cook were drowned at Littleton, Ia., by breaking through the ice on a pond.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 10th was: Wheat, 85,978,000 bushels; corn, 6,600,000 bushels; oats, 9,146,000 bushels; rye, 453,000 bushels; barley, 3,582,000 bushels.

GEN. JOHN C. BLACK was appointed United States attorney for the northern district of Illinois.

GEORGE BROOKER, sheriff of Mason county, Ill., was fatally wounded by John Fuller, whom he was endeavoring to arrest.

THE government crop report announced the December condition of wheat as 89 per cent. and the area as 103 per cent of last summer's winter wheat area at harvest. This makes the growing area 24,224,000 acres.

A TORNADO did great damage at White Castle and Ascension, La., and killed three negroes.

THE building occupied by the Consolidated Coffee company at Omaha was burned, the loss being $100,000.

ISAAC STEIN, living near Bowling Green, O., was held up while on the way from town and robbed of $7,125.

THE Southern Magazine company at Louisville, Ky., made an assignment. Gen. Basil Duke was editor of the magazine.

A ROCK ISLAND train was held up near Wichita, Kan., and the passengers were relieved of their valuables and the express car looted.

DAVID SPRAGG, a wealthy farmer near Ridgeway, Mo., cut the throats of his wife and three children, wounded two others and killed himself. He was thought to have been insane.

A MAN supposed to be Samuel C. Seely, the absconding bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leather bank of New York, was arrested in Chicago.

JUDGE DALE, chief justice of the supreme court of Oklahoma, decided that colored children must be allowed to attend white schools.

GEORGE BRUNSEN, Charles Smith and Lee BROWN, three of the notorious Meachamite gang in Clarke county, Mo., were hanged by a mob.

RECENT rains have broken the worst and the longest drought ever experienced in the Ohio valley.

BIRGE'S wall paper factory in Buffalo, N. Y., was destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at $250,000.

ROBERT WEBSTER, an aged farmer living near South Haven, Mich., set fire to his barn and shot the eyes out of a neighbor who liberated the animals in it.

THE Commercial bank at St Joseph, Mo., failed for $270,000; assets, $325,000.

DANIEL MOBLEY, a farmer near Columbus, Ind., married his 16-year-old daughter Ethel.

ETTSELL ADAMS, a well-to-do farmer living near Florence, N. C., in a fit of insanity shot and killed his wife and daughter and then killed himself.

THE steamer Senandoah took from Newport News, Va., to Liverpool 300 bushels of oysters, the first ever sent from this country to England.

THE common pleas court at Salem, O., issued an order changing the name of the village of New Lisbon to Lisbon.

JESSE FIELDS, on trial for murder at Hazard, Ky., fired at Judge Hall and during the excitement escaped with his two fellow prisoners.

MASKED men looted the depot and express office at Woodfield, O., after fatally beating John Heck, Jr., the agent.

THE City national bank at Quanah, Tex., closed it doors.

LEE county railroad bonds for $10,000, forty years old, were found in a corner stone of a building at Fort Madison, Ia.

TEN persons were bitten by a mad dog at Mount Vernon, O.

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General Peabody, of Boston, could give a great rendering of the ballad, "After the Ball," if he would.

GENE KENNEDY, who is to be hanged at Jasper, Tenn., for murder, was married in jail to Martha Taylor.

THE president issued an order extending the civil service law and rules to the internal revenue service.

A TORNADO struck Forsythe, Ga., demolished a church and several stores and residences and injured a number of persons.

THE National Civil Service Reform league met in annual convention in Chicago and Carl Schurz, the president, delivered his annual address.

IOWA'S supreme court decided that the mulct liquor law had not succeeded the prohibitory law as the general law of the state.

W. H. PRICE, a prominent Cleveland business man, was killed by burglars whom he discovered at work in his home.

MRS. IDA NELSON drowned her two children and herself at Omaha, Neb.

THE Dale, one of the oldest and most historic vessels of the navy, was ordered out of commission.

W. M. CONNOR, of Indianapolis, and W. B. Simpson of Holden, Mo., died from grief at the wayward actions of their sons.

HERBERT DOGGETT, a prominent lawyer of Kansas City, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart.

DELEGATES from thirty-five Indiana cities assembled at Indianapolis to form an organization to develop the resources of the state.

A SIOUX CITY & PACIFIC railroad train ran through a herd of cattle near Sioux City, Ia., and killed twenty-two.

FRANK ROWLEY, of Wisconsin, has been granted a patent upon an express car calculated to withstand the assaults of train robbers.

THE appellate court of Illinois decided that any manufactory that menaces the health of the community is a nuisance.

THE Meadowcraft brothers were found guilty of illegal banking in Chicago and sentenced each to one year in the penitentiary.

PHILIP CROW, a Kansas City bartender, killed his wife and then committed suicide.

FRANK A. MCKEAN, cashier of the Indian Head national bank at Nashua, N. H., was missing, and was supposed to be a defaulter to the amount of at least $30,000.

THE National Civil Service Reform league in session in Chicago reelected Carl Schurz as president.

A FIRE at Evergreen, Ala., destroyed twelve stores, post office, hotel and livery stable, the loss being $100,000.

A LONE highwayman held up the stage 8 miles from Fort Thomas, A. T., and secured the mail-pouch, supposed to contain a large sum.

THE Kearney (Neb.) national bank closed its doors with liabilities of about $125,000.

EDDY LEONERT, of Buffalo, N. Y., reduced Johnson's straightaway mile road bicycle record to 1:35 and the unpaced mile to 1:52⅘.

A NEGRO who murdered a boy near Williamston, S. C., was taken from the custody of an officer and lynched by a mob.

CHICAGO detectives working in Michigan claimed to have unearthed a scheme whereby graves were robbed and coffins sold again.

THE winter race meeting which opened at Birmingham, Ala., ten days ago has collapsed on account of a lack of patronage.

THE officers of various rival companies formed a combination at Toledo, O., to fight the Standard Oil trust.

MR. AND MRS. BARRY, living on a farm near Adelia, N. J., were tarred and feathered by masked men.

OWING to the mistake of a drug clerk in Muncie, Ind., two persons were poisoned and narrowly escaped death.

UNITED STATES troops were patrolling the Fort Meade military reservation in South Dakota to prevent further depredations by timber thieves.

GIDEON W. LATIMER, JR., of Lynn, Mass., was shot and fatally wounded by Maud Brewer for transferring his affections to another woman.

TWO-THIRDS of the business portion of Gallop, N. M., was burned.

MARTIN ROBB, of Fayette, Mo., suspected of illicit relations with his niece, was whipped and driven from town by white caps.

MRS. AMELIE WESTERGAARD, widow of Lars Westergaard, committed suicide at her home in Philadelphia because of excessive grief over the death of her husband.

A GRAND jury indicted thirty-six prominent men of Murray county, Ga., for white capping.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 14th aggregated $1,019,089,669, against $1,163,208,848, the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 12.6.

ALEC WILLIAMS, a negro, was hanged at Elberton, Ga., for the murder of Newt Hampton last July.

JOSEPH TRUSKEY was hanged at Sandwich, Ont., for the murder of William Lindsay on May 3 last.

JUDGE WOODS, in Chicago, sentenced Eugene V. Debs, the leader of the American Railway union strike, to six months, and G. W. Howard, S. Kelliher, L. W. Rogers, M. J. Elliott, James Hogan and William Burns to three months in the county jail for violating an injunction.

THE trial of white caps in Atlanta, Ga., developed the fact that a far-reaching ku-klux organization exists in the state.

THERE were 349 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 14th, against 385 the week previous and 339 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THE courthouse at Lewiston, Ill., together with judgment records extending back ten years, was totally destroyed by fire.

ISAAC BRIDGES, a lovesick youth of Terre Haute, Ind., shot Mrs. Joseph Montgomery, who had interfered with his match.

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Clinton	8 50 "	3 50 "	2 00 "
Tecumseh	9 08 "	4 11 "	2 15 "
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Toledo	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
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Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
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IN EFFECT September 16, 1894.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.			P. M.
		12 25	L.....Allegan.....A	2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 58	
	A. M	1 39	Yorkville	1 16	A. M.
A. M.	7 30	2 07	Battle Creek	12 45	1 22
8 21	8 25	2 28	Marshall	12 14	12 33
9 11	8 55	3 06	Homer	11 45	11 48
10 15	9 42	3 37	Hanover	11 14	11 06
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison	10 40	10 15
12 05	10 44	4 23	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 05	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 36
....	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	9 29
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway	9 30	8 37
2 40	12 08	5 30	Britton	9 20	8 26
3 10	12 14	5 33	Rea	9 15	8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 35	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 30
P.M.	P. M.	P.M		A. M.	P. M

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TIME TABLE

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ADRIAN, AS FOLLOWS:

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51 –Local Mail and Express.....10:28 a m
*No. 53 –Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex. 2:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:25 p m
*No. 55 –Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....3:19 a m.

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 –Atlantic Express.....5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express.....7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
*No. Mail and Express.....4:05 p m
†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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TIME TABLE.

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GOING NORTH.

Trains leave Milan,
6:40 A. M., 11:15 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,
—FOR—
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GOING NORTH.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eight (80) rods long north and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the southeast corner of the west half of the east half of the south east quarter of section two (2), of town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in a square piece to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. Service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to existing mortgages thereon. Also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Litchard, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Alfred Lewis or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 20, 1894.

Charles Davis visited the county seat Friday on business.

Little Hazel Fowler has been quite sick for some days.

Our merchants are having a very satisfactory holiday trade.

Mrs. Jane VanDeMark has been quite poorly the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell were in Tecumseh Monday.

A. B. Cotton, of Chicago, spent Sunday with his brother and sister, Melvin and Kate Cotton.

A large number from here were in Tecumseh, Saturday, looking around for Holiday goods.

The Chatauqua Circle meets tomorrow evening with Mrs. Fannie Whittlesey, on Jackson street.

Mrs. John Bradley, of Hillsdale, was the guest of her uncle Barney McAdam and family Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. A. Kies and Miss Eva Shimmen were the guests of Mrs. C. F. Field, at Tecumseh, Monday.

Several bricklayers were discharged Monday and Tuesday for partaking too freely of liquid refreshments.

S. F. Marsteller's family are moving from the old house into the new, and when settled will have a bijou of a home.

They have finished the brick work for one story of the Woolen Co.'s building and are at work on the upper one. It begins to show up.

Mrs. Dr. White has been quite ill during the week, and Carrie Grabe, who lives there, has been having a serious time with an ulcerated tooth.

Chauncey Ogden has now as fine a turn out as any in town, he having purchased Carrie Draper's fine driving mare and Gene Fowler's carriage.

John Sisson and Mrs. James Shuart, from near Brooklyn, were calling on old friends Saturday. They were returning from a visit with Deerfield friends.

Mr. Allen, of Higby & Co., Adrian, dealers in timber, has bought several tracts of Oak in this vicinity and will remain until it is ready for shipment.

Henry Hollenbeck, who has been making his many friends here a pleasant visit, left Tuesday for Columbiaville, where he is weaving in the mill.

Editor Blanchard was a little off in his figures as given in the Local of the supper and sale last Thursday. He came within fifty dollars of being correct.

Bean & Chamberlain, of Hudson, who have been invoicing the stock of the Clinton Plow Co., have completed the work and returned home. The machinery, patterns, etc., will be shipped as soon as possible.

Allen Dillingham has done a fine job on his plantation north of town. He has ploughed up the old Tamarac swamp between the railroad and the river. It was quite an undertaking and never was attempted before. Look out for a great yield of corn next season.

The stock for the new Foundry has all been taken, and the company will speedily be officered and active work inaugurated. Two men are busy making patterns now. James Halladay has offered them a fine site just north of the village, by the R. R. track, which they think of accepting.

The officers of Clinton Council, No. 26, R. & S. M., the coming year are:
T. I. M.—D. Woodward.
D. M.—Geo. Fisher.
P. C. of W.—Wm. C. Rogers.
Treas.—C. C. Rowland.
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C. of G.—Geo. Runyan.
C. of C.—Harry Davis.
Steward—Jno. F. Martiny.
Sentinel—H. B. Starrett.

Those of our readers who were well acquainted with Phil Kerridge when his people lived here and he attended school, will be interested in the following clipping from the Adrian Daily Telegram: "Mr. Phil Kerridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kerridge, formerly of the M. E. church of this city, is visiting his parents at Owosso. It has been officially announced that he is making all preparations to enter the Episcopal ministry."

John J. White, our Merchant Tailor, is just now experiencing one of the unpleasant features of that business. He is overrun with work and of course all must be done before Xmas. To make matters more pleasant for him, the man who has been with him was offered better pay at Manchester and went Monday, and Tuesday the lady was called to her home. J. J. will prove equal to the situation however, and all will come out right.

The following clipping is taken from Tuesday's Free Press: "Owosso, Mich., Dec. 17.—Bishop Gillespie, of the western diocese of Michigan, conferred the rite of ordination upon Edward Earle, of Caro, Mich., yesterday at the Episcopal church in the presence of a crowded congregation. The service was very beautiful. In the evening a confirmation class was received, among whom was Prof. Kerridge, son of Pastor Kerridge, of the first Methodist church, this city. The young man will begin studying at once for the Episcopal ministry."

The Episcopal ladies feel very grateful to the citizens for the generous attendance and aid given them Thursday afternoon and evening. Although it was expected the Hall would look pretty and a fine supper furnished, yet none were prepared to see the hall such a marvel of beauty. By the aid of bunting kindly loaned them from Tecumseh the upper portion of the hall was made very attractive, while the arrangements of the tables, articles for sale and trade displays made the floor a rare picture. The displays made by the different business houses were all unique and attractive. The sign of VanTuyle & Silvers, bankers, was greatly admired, the letters being embellished with bright new pennies. Clark & Shimmen's display of millinery, and Freese & Son's array of fancy goods; Landcaster's gents furnishings; the hardware exhibits by both VanDeMark and Lindsley & Kishpaugh; J. L. Kishpaugh's display of coal and grain; Codling & Machen's array, and in fact all were so fine there was no chance for discrimination. It was a grand success socially and financially. It netted the ladies over $90.

C. S. Burroughs and wife are expected home this week from the far west.

Mrs. Allen Bartlett entertained her relatives with a fine dinner Saturday.

Floyd Rogers and Harry Kies are expected home to-day to pass the holiday vacation.

The Baptist Society will have their Christmas exercises at the church Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Susie Fisk and son arrived Tuesday for a visit with her people, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nase.

Mrs. Florence Bigham entertained her friend, Miss Minnie Glascow, of Tecumseh, over Sunday.

It is whispered that there will be several weddings in and around Clinton before the lenten season begins.

Postmaster Kishpaugh and assistant are kept very busy this week registering packages for points far distant.

Martin Keusch has sold the E. an farm to John L. Mansfield, and Jno. will soon become a resident of Clinton.

Eugene Sandley and John Staiger left Thursday for South Bend, Ind., where they will weave in Lewis' mill.

Miss Emma Sinclair, who was so very sick at Toledo with typhoid fever, is at home and so far recovered as to get out some.

Will P. McAdam was in Tecumseh Tuesday, after military equipments for use in the play, Rio Grande, here tonight.

L. H. Johnston will move the old house from Marsteller's on to the foundation where his barn stood, across the street.

Geo. A. Kies left Saturday for Utica, N. Y., to prepare his samples for the spring season. He hopes to return again this week.

VanTuyle & Pa[illegible] are doing a rushing business [illegible] at Clinton. Yesterday they [illegible] two decks of sheep from Tecu[illegible]

The furnace and improvements at St. John's Episcopal church are completed. The choir seats are here and will be in place this week and service will be held Sunday evening.

Those from away who attended the supper and sale Thursday were Mrs. Kate Conklin and Adah Case, of Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. Blachford, Mrs. Burt Anderson and Walter C. Burridge, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. C. M. Stout has been quite ill the past week with a low type of fever, brought on, no doubt, by change of climate and overwork incident to settling the parsonage. We hope she will soon be up again.

Edward Coffin and wife, of Albion, and Rev. Eugene Coffin and wife, of Trenton, who were called to Tecumseh by the death of Mrs. Hodges, a sister of Mrs. Edward Coffin, were calling on Clinton friends Monday.

A good deal of live stock is being shipped from this point these days. Saturday last, VanTuyle & Palmer shipped two decks of hogs and one of cattle, and Richmond, Gadd & Hogan one of hogs. Tuesday, Tate & Stoner shipped one deck each of sheep and hogs.

To show how harmless and gentle the game of foot-ball is, we have only to say that in Saturday's game between two teams from the woolen mill, Steve Huntington had his nose broken, Will Wade got a bad cut on the head, Howard Hause an ugly gash over one eye, and two others slightly wounded.

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		4 lbs. Choice Raisins,	25c
All Shirtings,	10c "	3 lbs. Extra Fine Raisins,	25c
Shirts Pants and Overalls,	20 per Ct. Off	5 lbs. Ginger Snaps,	25c
Both Cotton and Woolen Underwear,	25 per Ct. Off	28 lbs. Granulated Sugar and 1 lb. Japan Tea,	$1.50
Gloves and Mittens,	25 "	3 lbs. Figs,	25c
All Leather Boots and Shoes,	20 "	4 lbs. Mixed Candy,	25c
24 lbs. White Sugar,	$1.00	Choice Florida Oranges,	20c Doz
New Orleans Molasses,	15c Gal		

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The World's Fair contained no finer statue of the great discoverer than this colossal figure. It commanded from its pedestal the eastern entrance to the Administration building. The majesty of its dimensions, the vigor and aggressiveness of its expression and the artistic finish of its composition made it admired as a genuine sculptural triumph.

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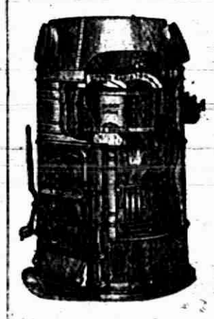

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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

New Years next Tuesday.

Christmas was a most delightful winter day.

W. E. Doty, of Holloway was in town last Thursday.

Loana Davidson, of Traverse City, is home for the holidays.

C. O. Hiscock, of Albion, is spending the week with friends.

Geo. Hill, of Detroit, visited Eva Osgood during the past week.

Phoeba Osgood, of St. John, came home for her holiday vacation.

Geo. Ransom went to Toledo to see his sister, Mrs. Frank Allen, Christmas.

Fred. L. Cook, of Lansing, enjoyed Christmas as the guest of Leo F. Sutton.

M. Kelly has left for his holiday visit with relatives in Livingstone Co., N.Y.

Harry Smith completed the tin work on H. B. Eaton's new house a few days ago.

D. W. Smith and Kittie Clark visited E. W. Rappleye and family over Sunday.

Cannie Montgomery spent Christmas with his uncle, W. E. Barrett, at Allegan.

Driggs, of Palmyra, is shipping baled hay from here quite extensively this season.

C. L. Lowe and wife spent Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Ed. DePuy, near Saline.

Mrs. W. H. Arner spent Christmas with her brother, Israel Schreder, near Clinton.

Ella Hall left for Brooklyn, N. Y. Wednesday to spend the winter with her sister.

Wm. DeMott, of Tecumseh, was in the village last week, in the interest of insurance.

I. T. Bush and wife, of Brooklyn, N. Y. are spending the holidays with relatives here.

Mrs. Henry Barneby and daughter, Ora, of Toledo, visited Mrs. Susan Clark, Christmas.

Stanley and Eva Doty, of Holloway, spent Saturday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones.

The exercises and social for the Sunday school, held at the church Monday, passed off very pleasantly.

Mrs. E. W. Rappleye and daughter, of Ypsilanti, spent Christmas at the home of Lafayette Rappleye.

Eddie Smith was bit through the upper lip and nose, by a dog, Tuesday. He is doing nicely at present.

Christmas dinners and family gatherings were held at Mrs. Susan Clark's, Samuel Barlow's and J. F. Temple's.

When will the bridegroom come, did you ask? Only one man knoweth when the bride will be arrayed for his coming.

Mrs. Jacob Arner went to Detroit Monday to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Anderson, and family.

F. E. Pocklington and family went to Mason Monday to spend the holiday week with J. C. and Ed. Freer and families.

The person who put a pair of kid gloves in Ed. Baker's overcoat pocket at the church Monday night may have the same by calling on Ed.

Prof. B. B. Bennett, of Plymouth, visited at the home of Mrs. John Arner Friday night, entertaining several of his friends with selections on the phonograph.

James M. Dell's house burned to the ground Wednesday evening of last week. The contents were saved. The insurance is rather light and the loss will reach close to $500.00

What's the matter with Capt. Hayden, of Tecumseh, ordering out Co. C. and patroling Chicago street on Saturday night to protect people from having everything in their buggies stolen, as they have of late?

The remains of Mrs. Rogers, of Hudson, were brought here Saturday for burial. The feneral services were held at the South Macon church Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Rogers leaves a large circle of friends here who mourn her loss.

A BRILLIANT WEDDING.

On Tuesday, Dec. 25, 1894, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Waidner, in the township of Ridgeway, occurred the marriage of Mr. Ernest L. Palmer and Miss Stella M. Pilbeam. Promptly at 6:30 p. m. the happy young couple took their places under a floral bell suspended from the ceiling in the parlor, where, in the presence of about one hundred relatives and friends of the bride and groom, the ceremony was performed by Rev. J. N. Boyer. The bride looked very pretty in a dress of light tan color, trimmed with white silk and pearl buttons. The groom was dressed in conventional black. After the ceremony the company were escorted to the dining room where they found the tables groaning under their load of good things, prepared by the hostess. Supper over, the remainder of the evening was very pleasantly passed with music and singing and closed with a recitation by Miss Sylvie Pilbeam which was highly enjoyed by all. After an extended visit with the groom's brother, at Covert, Mich., the happy couple will return and settle on the farm where they will be 'at home' to their many friends. The presents were very numerous and useful. Below we give a list:

Set of dishes, 101 pieces.—Mrs. Fred Waidner, Messrs. Ernest W idner, W. F. Waidner, J. C. Eiserman, J. C. Berg, and wives. Set of dishes, 101 pieces, C. C. Smith, C. L. Lowe and wives; silver table castor, L. S. Palmer, wife and family; silver pickle castor, Arthur Palmer and Carrie Sutton; silver pickle castor, Geo. Exelby and wife; silver pickle castor and bread plate, Mrs. W. A. Van Dyke; silver sugar shell and butter knife, Ella Exelby; decorated stand lamp, I. N. Pilbeam and wife; dec. stand lamp, F. Wickwire and wife; decorated stand lamp, Bennie Austin and wife; feather bed and pair of pillows, John Waidner and wife; spring rocker, Enos Palmer and wife; china teapot, Ransom Russel and wife; nickle teapot, James Linn and wife; bed spread and half doz. napkins, F. Davenport and wife and Hallie Cole; 2 china cups and saucers and 2 napkin rings, Nathan Dibble and wife; cracker dish, celery dish and pickle dish, F. Palmer and wife; set of perfumery and six napkins, Chester and Lavina Pilbeam; cake and jelly dish, Frank Smith and wife; table spread, John Linn, wife and family; glass water set, S. and Nellie Wilson; fancy cake dish, Bertha Linn; 2 china cups and saucers, J. N. Boyer and wife; pair linen towels, Geo. Biggs and wife; fancy card holder, Henry Van Dyke; 2 celluloid cabinet holders, Lavern Van Dyke; bed spread, A. E. Palmer and wife; bread and milk set, Phene Palmer; linen towel, Rhoda Palmer; pair of linen towels, Chester Linn and wife; rose bowl, Nellie Russel; feather bed and pair of pillows, Enos Palmer and wife.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Our school has closed for a two weeks vacation.

Miss Nellie Thompson is visiting friends at Fairfield.

Mrs. W. C. Holt called on friends in Blissfield one day last week.

Dr. Nixon and L. B. Spencer were in Detroit Monday on business

Miss Abbie Ray is spending her holiday vacation with her parents at Morenci.

Mr. Robert Thompson, of Adrian, spent Sunday with the family of Jas. Lane.

Mrs. Mary Mitchel and children are visiting in and around Morenci this week.

John Hollister and family, of Adrian, spent Christmas here with Uncle Ben Kelley.

Mr. Allan Macham and family spent Christmas with the family of Richard Gillespie.

Chas. Rothfuss and wife and Miss Lola Brown drove over to Blissfield on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Kelley entertained a large company at their home on Christmas.

Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Holt and mother, Mrs. Macham and Miss Overouse spent last Thursday at Adrian.

Mrs. Dr. Holt, of Montpelier, Ohio, returned to her home last Saturday, accompanied by her little granddaughter, Blanche.

M. M. Florence and family, C. W. Culbertson and family, of Ridgeway, and Miss Grace Lester, of Wayne Co., ate turkey, exchanged views and presents with our jolly P. M. and wife, on Christmas.

Our new merchant, Thos. Hartman, opened his store for business Christmas noon. Mr. Hartman is now ready to serve the public from well filled shelves with all that is good and has everything arranged in apple pie order and as neat as things can be made. Just give him a call and be convinced.

The Lady Maccabees met Dec. 15th, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Past. Com.—Addie L. McIntyre
Com.—Lucy M. Lewis
Lt. Com.—Eva H. Florence
R. K.—Agnes Still
F. K.—Esther Carpenter
Sergt.—Mary E. Holt
M. at A.—Eva Kelley
Sent.—Edith Gordon
P. K. T.—Eliza Ball
Chap.—Mary Chatfield

On the 18th, of December the K. O. T. M. met and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

Com.—James Ash
L. T.—Stanley Doty
F. K.—A. H. Lewis
R. K.—A. T. Carpenter
Chap.—Dexter Still
T. P.—J. W. Nixon
Mat. A.—Jno. Moore
Sgt.—Herman Atwell
1st. M. G.—Clayton McIntyre
2nd. M. G.—Ben Snider
Sen.—Martin Ulrich
Picket—Elmer Riley

Public installation Friday evening, Jan. 4th., 1895.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Facts or Fiction about Two Great Fair Awards.

A newspaper paragraph denounces as "false" the claim of a baking powder company to an award at the World's Fair. Whom can it mean?

Certainly not Dr. Price's. Why? Because, as the records show, Dr. Price's exhibited, competed and received the highest award, both at Chicago and the California Midwinter Fair. The award in California included Gold Medal. The official examiners pronounced it the strongest, the purest, the most wholesome and efficient of all the baking powders. Its title to confidence is unquestioned.

Can it be the manufacturers of a New York powder, fictitiously labelled "absolutely pure" who are making "false" claims? That would be strange indeed, in as much as they were not even considered in the awards.

Was it Ammonia in the New York powder that prevented its makers from competing? If not, what?

Low Rates to Chicago.

Account of National Cycle Exhibition in Chicago, January 7th to 12th, 1895 reduced rate tickets to Chicago and return over the Lake Shore R'y will be sold Jan. 4th to 12th, on the certificate plan. Good to return until Jan. 15th, 1895.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The Christmas tree at the Christian Union church, on Christmas eve., was a total success. A fine evergreen standing from floor to ceiling, nicely trimmed and decorated, was heavily laden with gifts for old and young. The program, consisting of music, recitations, readings and addresses, was appropriate and reflected credit on the superintendent, W. R. Osgood, and the committee in charge. The Sunday school has been in a highly prosperous condition during the past year, and Christmas good cheer was really a fitting sequel to the prosperity of the year now closing. We cannot particularize; all the exercises were good.

THE KNIFFIN FAMILY REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Kniffin family took place at the residence of Chas. A. Kniffin, on Christmas day.

Present, the mothers, Mrs. Eliza Kniffin, her eight children and all their companions except one, also all the grandchildren, some thirty, and a few great grandchildren; there were also several visitors, making a company of upwards of fifty. A bountiful repast was served at about one o'clock and while the tables were being cleared the rest of the company indulged in an exciting game of 'pull away' on the lawn. Then all were seated and the exercises commenced by singing Home, Sweet Home. Mother Kniffin read an appropriate scripture lesson, without the aid of glasses, and prayer was offered by Rev. E. Mudge. Then followed a variety of exercises consisting of music, vocal and instrumental, and recitations, most ly participated in by the grandchildren and right well are they prepared to render a most excellent program on short notice. The secretary, Mr. J. A. Kniffin, read a report of the last meeting. A review of the year indicated one death, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Smith, and one birth, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gogoline. An interesting letter was read from a granddaughter who resides at Chatham, N. Y. The exercises closed by singing 'God be with you till we meet again.'

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Buck will spend the holidays with friends in Monroe county.

Merry Christmas to all, editors, printers and even the printer's "devil" a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mr. Vincent Graham is the guest of Mr. L. Daniel's family during the holidays. Mr. Graham resides in Livingstone county, we believe.

Rev. W. T. Williams, who has been east on a three weeks vacation, returned home last Saturday. Mrs. Williams is visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Harry Vanderpool, a former resident of this place, is spending the holidays among her children here, and renewing old and pleasant ties of friendship with neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Camburn entertained all the members of the Camburn family recently, and it was a large gathering too, both in respect to numbers and avoirdupois.

The sad news comes from Coldwater, of the death of Mr. Asa Ferguson's bright little daughter, with that dread disease, diptheria. Her mother was Miss Maggie Case, formerly of this place, and the parents and relatives have the sincere sympathy of all in their terrible bereavement.

A kind hearted gentleman and lady, of this place, who have no children of their own, but who have given the shelter of their pleasant home to a score or so of children and young people, started out on Christmas morning and distributed Christmas goodies to nearly a score of little ones in their vicinity. How much truer and nobler are these small sweet courtesies of life than the vulgar ostentation, which loads a tree with rich and costly presents for those who do not need them.

Rev. Henry F. Shier will deliver a lecture at Pentecost Hall, Saturday evening, Dec. 29th, for the benefit of the Library Association. His subject, "Footprints of the war, or Dixie of today," will be ably and entertainingly handled, as all well know, who have had the pleasure of listening to this scholarly and taleuted young clergyman. He has traveled extensively in the south, having spent some two years there, and is therefore quite competent to speak on the subject. All are cordially invited to come and be entertained. In order to place them within reach of all, the tickets will be sold at the low price of ten cents each; children, free.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Farmer's Social Club met at the home of Mr. J. K. Waldron, Tuesday evening, Dec. 11th. The election of officers occurred at that meeting, with the following results:

Prest.—J. K. Waldron.
Vice-Prest.—Fred Rector.
Secy. and Treas.—Leva Gillespie.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen, Tuesday evening, Jan. 8th, 1895. Program:

Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Address—Prest. or Vice-Prest. sub.
Dec.—Paul Bowen.
Select Reading—O. B. Finch.
Essay—Grace Gillespie.
Rec.—Lydia Schreder.
Dialogue—Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Remington.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Strong.
Rec.—May Garlinghouse.
Question—How can we have more and better apples; opened by Mr. J. Bowen, followed by Mr. Philip Kehoe.

THE MODERN MOTHER

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

THE HERALD FOR 1895.

What newspapers are you going to take during the coming year? Every man must settle that question for himself. The wise man, however, will have the "Old Reliable" on his list, and, in that connection, we offer our patrons a little good advice. It is needless to inform the public what to expect in these columns during the ensuing twelve months. As a first-class, up-to-date local newspaper the HERALD intends to lead the procession, as heretofore. Politically, it will continue to be independent, and it will strive to uphold the interests of the masses in matters of finance, taxation and public expenditures.

Recognizing the stringency of the times, our rates have been placed upon a hard-pan basis. A few extra combination offers are also presented, and the most favorable club list ever given in these columns. Here they are in detail:

NO. ONE.

Every subscriber, either old or new, who pays all arrearages and one full year in advance to Jan. 1st, 1896, will receive, gratis, a neat portfolio entitled "Echoes of the White City; the Midway." This is similar to the Ferris Wheel portfolio, given to our patrons last year. It will be a free gift to all advance paying subscribers, and will hold good until Feb. 1st, 1895.

NO. TWO.

The "Columbian Gallery" consists of twenty numbers of World's Fair Photographs, published by the Werner Co., of Chicago. This is the finest collection among all similar publications. There are 256 full-page plates, size 11 by 13 inches, beautifully bound in one large volume. The price of the book is $3, with one year's subscription to the HERALD thrown in.

NO. THREE.

The "Graphic History of the Fair" is the finest and most complete history of the Fair yet presented to the public. It is a book of 800 pages, containing over 1200 illustrations, elegantly bound, and sells for $3. This book will be furnished for that amount, including a full year's subscription to the HERALD.

NO. FOUR.

The "Land of Christ" is one of the most beautiful serials published, giving a very fully illustrated history of Palestine. It is published in twelve parts, and will be furnished in separate parts to subscribers. This work sells for $2. We can furnish the same at the regular price, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

Sample copies of all the above books can be seen at our counting room. Call and examine them.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Reduced Rates for Holidays;

On December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1894, and January 1st, 1895, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway will sell reduced rate excursion tickets between all points on its line, good to return until January 2d, 1895.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

Worlds Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

The Tecumseh Herald.

BY SCOVEL C. STACY.

Issued Every Thursday Morning.

Office in the HERALD Building, one door East of the Opera House, on Chicago street.

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One year, cash in advance, ... $1 00

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ADVERTISING RATES.

Business notices, five cents a line for each insertion.

Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.

Rates on general advertising on long or short time made known at the counting room.

Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michigan, as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 27, 1894.

Santa Claus yarn makes the best Christmas stockings.

The best New Years present you can give to a friend is a year's subscription to the HERALD.

Somebody says concerning children's Christmas presents: "Give girls something to wear and boys something to eat."

At 3 cents a day and find himself, how many Chinamen will it take from now until doomsday to pay off the Japanese indemnity?

The effort of a small cabal in the U. S. Senate to kill the income tax might as well be given up. The income tax has come to stay.

When Ben Tillman begins to participate in the Senate debates perhaps that body will come to the conclusion that debate should be limited.

Editors are beginning to look upon Christmas poetry with the same suspicion that they feel in regarding the thing that rhymes in the spring, tra la.

Secretary Morton is about to start on an extended visit to Nebraska, and has hopes of meeting some playful blizzard which will cool him off after his Washington experience.

If the death of pugilism is brought about through the untimely ending of only two or three of its participating advocates we may safely consider that we have secured a bargain.

The Bell Telephone Company hopes to maintain its monopoly until telephone communication is established with Mars, when it will proceed to bleed the people of that planet.—Commercial Advertiser.

Monopolistic rascality spends millions in controlling elections and lobbying through legislation favorable to its nefarious ends and oppressive of industry, and in the end industry pays the whole out of its earnings.

There may be no truth in the rumor that Senator Hill is about to marry, but there must be times when the senator feels that it would be a relief if he could go and lay his head on some one's shoulder and take a good cry.—Chicago Tribune.

No one would suppose from the appearance of the streets and the shops these days that there was anything the matter with business or with the currency. Those would be very hard times indeed in which people did not remember Christmas.

There is a sign of good times in the report that a Western man has secured money enough in Europe to build a South-western railway. This looks like the old days in which American promoters of Western investments were as thick as tourists all over England and the Continent.

The Chicago tailor that will first set about arranging sights especially for people who have been crushed or rumpled in street car accidents in the tunnels there will not only have a good thing for himself, but he will meet a demand that promises to become popular in that city.

Since the reduction of the governor's salary in South Carolina a gubernatorial protective union threatens. The executives in western states have good right to stick up for their regular wages if they will continue to be such busy men as they have been within the past two or three years.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission sends out an annual report in which the fact is prominent that the majority of railway capital of the United States was in the hands of receivers when the fiscal year closed June 30. The insolvent roads number 156, with a mileage given at 39,000 miles and a capital at over $2,590,000,000.

Let it be borne in mind that as the volume of money is decreasing the value of every dollar is increasing in corresponding ratio. Property is falling in value and debts are growing harder to meet. For a quarter of a century this process has been steadily going forward until the great bulk of all values has passed into the hands of those who control the money of the people.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Dec. 21, 1894.

The administration is finding that the task of forcing the so-called Carlisle currency bill through the House is one of gigantic porportions. The debate had scarcely begun before the administration plan of having the bill voted on this week had to be abandoned, because of the fear that if a vote was had this week a majority would be against the bill. The republicans and the populists of the House are to a man opposed to the bill, and not enough democrats have declared in its favor to make its passage certain. That is why the debate is to be extended over Christmas recess, which will be from Saturday afternoon to Wednesday 26. How long the debate will continue in January will depend, if present plans are adhered to, upon the action of a caucus of the democrats of the House which is to be held immediately after the reassembling of Congress. The fate of the bill is considered to be very doubtful, even by its strongest advocates, while many of its opponents express the opinion that it is already dead.

It does not take long for even the most unobservant man to discover that members of the Senate are adepts in the art of looking out for number one. An instance may be found in the failure of the Senate committee on interstate commerce to act promptly upon the railroad pooling bill, recently passed by the House. It is a bill about which there are wide differences of opinion, and the prediction is made that it will not be taken up for action in the Senate until the several State legislatures which are to meet in January act upon the candidacy of the Senators who are after re-election. The pooling bill furnishes a number of Senators with a club to hold over the heads of the railroad interests. The probabilities all favor the final passage of the pooling bill, but all the same the railroad influence would be thrown against the re-election of any Senator known to be opposed to it; hence the Senatorial desire to let the bill rest until the Senatorial elections are over.

A canvass of the House is now being very quietly made that will determine whether silver will cut any figure in the legislation of this session. If a sufficient number will pledge themselves to vote for it to make its passage a certainty it is proposed at the proper stage in the debate to offer a bill for the free coinage of silver as a substitute for the Carlisle currency bill. Should such a bill be passed by the House there would be no trouble in getting it through the Senate, as the silver men are stronger in the latter body than ever before.

Representative Walker, of Mass., who holds the minority of the House committee on Banking and Currency and who is the author of the "financial scheme upon which the "Baltimore plan," which is said to have been the basis of the Carlisle bill, now before the House, was built, is in no danger of suffering from an attack of overmodesty. He said in the course of a speech in favor of his bill, which he proposes to offer as a substitute for the Carlisle bill: "It is my voice that has roused the country upon this subject, and my views had not a friend until within the past fifteen months. My addresses at Chicago, St. Louis, and other places shook up the country some." The country will doubtless thank Mr. Walker for so much information, even if it declines to endorse his bill.

Whether speech is free in Washington or not is a question that is being asked since the Commissioners of Colfax asked for and received the resignation of a public school trustee because at a public meeting he used the following language referring to the House committee on appropriations: "I never was so much in favor of home rule before I appeared before that committee. The haughtiness and indifferent way in which they transact their business and the pomposity and egotism of their manner is enough to rouse any man's indignation." This trustee had only been on the board a few months, having been appointed because of the endorsement of all the labor organizations. This matter will be heard from again.

"If there should be an awful accident at the Government Printing Office" said a gentleman conversant with the methods which have prevented the purchase of a site for a new building, resulting in a large loss of life, I would not exchange places with ex-Senator Mahone for any amount of money. He would feel like a murderer, for he has for four years prevented the erection of a new Government Printing Office, because the government will not buy at $1.50 some ground he bought for 15 cents a foot, and for which he has not for years paid any taxes. He has the support of the coterie of Senators known as the "John Chamberlain gambling house crowd," and is more influential, in this matter at least, than when he held the balance of power in the Senate." The Senate and House committees are making a last attempt to overthrow the Mahone influence and agree upon a site to be purchased, and the result is in doubt.

The New York Times says $35,000,000 of the Sugar Trust stock is watered and the consumers of sugar are paying 12 per cent per annum, and nobody knows how much more, on all the stock, real and otherwise. But who ever heard the Times condemn the trust?

Legislative Experience.

When the New York Legislature runs short of objects upon which to spend the State's money it orders a new ceiling for the Assembly Chamber in the State Capitol. The first ceiling was of stone, but it was so badly secured in place that the Assemblymen were afraid to remain in their seats lest it would fall upon them.

As a measure of precaution a new ceiling of oak was ordered. The contractor concluded that papier mache would make a better ceiling than oak, and in the absence of the Assemblymen put up the ceiling to suit his own ideas, taking care, however, to collect the price of oak ceiling. The next Assembly protested mildly, but the contraptor had his money and the papier mache has done duty for oak until the present time.

And now the papier mache is beginning to scale and muss the carpets and desks and promises to fall into the hair of the Assemblymen who are not bald and shingle the heads of those who are guiltless of hair. A new ceiling will have to be ordered and paid for by the coming Legislature, and already expectation is on tip-toe, both as to the kind of ceiling that will be ordered and the kind the contractor will furnish.

The Arena for December, 1894

The December issue of the Arena opens the eleventh volume of this liberal and progressive Review. It contains over 200 pages of literary matter, by some of the greatest thinkers of the day, and by some of the most interesting and original of the younger American writers. It opens with an important and scholarly paper by Prof. Max Muller, the famous Oxford scholar, on 'The Real Significance of the World's Parliament of Religions.' Count Leo Tolstoi, the great Russian novelist and social reformer, contributes a critical and appreciative paper on Guy de Maupassant and his place in literature. The Hon. George Wilson, the president of the oldest bank in Missouri, writes a paper on 'The Silver Question,' which he calls 'David A. Wells' Downfall,' in answer to Mr. Wells' argument for monometalism under the caption of 'The Downfall of Certain Financial Fallacies.' Rev. Minot J. Savage writes a timely paper on 'The Religion of Holmes' Poems,' which falls into the series on the Religion of the Poets of this last half of the century. B. O. Flower opens a series of articles which will discuss the Age of Consent laws of the various states. Altogether the Arena presents a fine Christmas number.

"Funerals cost too much!" says Mr. Dana. Not if he has one of the November 6 in mind. That was cheap at any price.

Rev. R. N. Middleton, M. E. clergyman, Cedar Springs, Mich., says: Sleep and rest were strangers to me after preaching till I used "Adironda." Now I sleep soundly and awake refreshed; I heartily recommend "Adironda." Sold by Orr & Temple.

The Lexow committee has made December the hottest month in the year for the police force.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure permanently constipation, indigestion and headaches. All dealers.

Automatic hanging is well enough, but give us an automatic police machinery, by which a man can arrest himself just as he is about to commit murder.

IMPORTANT FACTS.

If you have dull and heavy pains across forehead and about the eyes; if the nostrils are frequently stopped up and followed by a disagreeable discharge; if soreness in the nose and bleeding from the nostrils is often experienced; if you are very sensitive to cold in the head accompanied with headache; then you may be sure you have catarrh; and should immediately resort to Ely's Cream Balm for a cure. The remedy will give instant relief.

Experts are about evenly divided as to whether the protracted and exhilarating silence of old Mr. Peffer indicates the dawn of lucid reason or a period of intellectual coma.

In Our Great Grandfather's Time,

big bulky pills were in general use. Like the "blunderbuss" of that decade they were big and clumsy, but ineffective. In this century of enlightenment we have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which cure all liver, stomach and bowel derangements in the most effective way.

Assist Nature a little now and then, with a gentle, cleansing laxative, thereby removing offending matter from the stomach and bowels, toning up and invigorating the liver and quickening its tardy action, and you thereby remove the cause of a multitude of distressing diseases, such as headaches, indigestion, or dyspepsia, biliousness, pimples, blotches, eruptions, boils, constipation, piles, fistulas and maladies too numerous to mention.

If people would pay more attention to properly regulating the action of their bowels, they would have less frequent occasion to call for their doctor's services to subdue attacks of dangerous diseases.

That, of all known agents to accomplish this purpose, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are unequaled, is proven by the fact that once used, they are always in favor. Their secondary effect is to keep the bowels open and regular, not to further constipate, as is the case with other pills. Hence, their great popularity. Why sufferers from habitual constipation, piles and indigestion?

A free sample of the "Pellets," (4 to 7 doses) *on trial*, is mailed to any address, post-paid, on receipt of name and address on a postal card.

Address, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

Table Talk.

An article by Kate Douglas Wiggin on "The Kindergarten as a School of Life for Women," opens the December issue of Table Talk, and not only is it most readable, as is all she writes, but most helpful and suggestive to the women of our age who are anxious to make all possible use of their lives. The little magazine is also replete with Christmas and Christmas thoughts. The recipes and hints on table service are numerous as usual and among the novel ideas for the season is an article on Christmas shopping — where and how to buy. The readers out of, as well as in the city will find therein many helpful suggestions, and in fact the monthly visits of this publication always means much to housekeepers and home-makers. Our readers may obtain a sample copy free by addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia Pa.

A MILLION FRIENDS.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. If you have never used this great cough medicine one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Large bottles 50c and $1.00.

Congressman Holman is going to write a book about his thirty years in Congress. We object.

Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS cure RHEUMATISM, WEAK BACKS. At druggists, only 25c.

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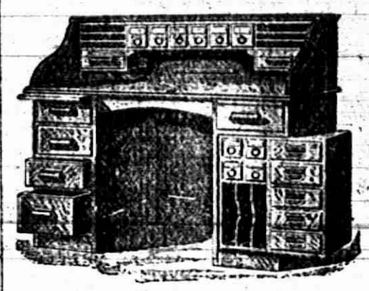

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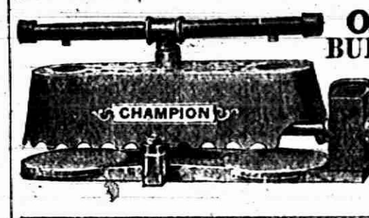

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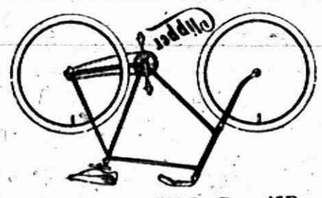

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roar,
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Ye mountains, and ye forests, and ye seas!

The mountains, and the forests, and the seas,
Have each their music, with our mortal lot
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one sings
In a great court before a king of kings
He closes, and of rapture born is sheer
Shakes the high roof, but when the lord of all
Speaks there is awe and silence in the hall.
—A. G. B. in London Spectator.

FABIO'S NOTE.

Of all the merchants in Venice, Fabio Mutinelli was the most exact in keeping his engagements. He was liberal and magnificent on every occasion, and especially with ladies and people of the church. The elegant polity of his manners was celebrated throughout the republic, and people admired at San Zanipolo an altar of gold which he had offered to St. Catherine for love of the beautiful Catherine Manini, wife of the senator, Alesso Conaro. As he was very wealthy, he had many friends, to whom he gave festivals and his purse. But he suffered severe losses in the war against the Genoese and in the troubles of Naples. It happened that 30 of his vessels were captured. So the magnificent Fabio was despoiled in a shore time of all his riches. Having sold his palace and his plate to pay his debts, he found himself destitute of everything. But as he was skillful, courageous, well learned in commerce and in the vigor of age, he thought only of restoring his business. He made many calculations and figured that 500 ducats were necessary for him to attempt new enterprises, from which he expected happy, prompt and certain successes. He asked of Alesso Bontura, who was the richest citizen of the republic, to lend to him these 500 ducats. But the good signor esteemed that if audacity procures great goods prudence alone preserves them, and he refused to expose so large a sum to the peril of sea and fortune. Fabio addressed himself to Andrea Morosini, whom he had formerly favored in different ways.

"Beloved Fabio," replied Andrea, "to others than you I would willingly lend this sum. I have no attachment for gold pieces, and I conform, on this point, to the maxims of Horace, the satirist. But your friendship is dear to me, Fabio Mutinelli, and I would risk its loss if I loaned you money. Most often commerce of the heart goes ill between debtor and creditor. I have seen too many examples of this."

With these words Signor Andrea pretended to embrace the merchant tenderly and shut the door in his face.

At night, as she was returning sadly to his house, the courtesan Zanetta, who was taking a bath in the canal, grasped his gondola and said to Fabio:

"I know your misfortunes. They are the talk of the town. Now listen. I am not rich, but I have some jewels in a small casket. If you accept them, gentle Fabio, I will believe that God and the Virgin love me."

And it was true that, in the newness of her age and in the fine flower of her beauty, Zanetta was poor. Fabio replied:

"Graceful Zanetta, there is more nobility in the house where you live than in all the palaces of Venice."

For three days more Fabio visited the banks and the shops without finding anybody who would lend money to him. Everywhere he received a wicked answer and heard speeches the tone of which was as follows: "You were wrong to sell your plate to pay your debts. One may loan money to a man in debt; one never loans to a man who has neither furniture nor plate."

The fifth day he went in his despair to the Corte Delle Galli, which is also called the Ghetto, and which is the Jewish quarter. "Who knows," he said to himself, "if I may not obtain from a Jew the favor that Christians have refused?" He went through streets the entrance of which, by order of the senate, was barred every night with chains. He remembered having heard of an Israelite named Eleazer, son of Eleazer Maimonides, who was said to be grandly rich and of a mind marvelously subtle. The door of his house was decorated with an image of the seven branched golden candlestick, which the Jew had caused to be made as a sign of hope, in view of the promised day when the temple would rise from its ashes.

The merchant entered a hall lighted by a lamp of brass, the 12 wicks of which were ablaze. The Jew Eleazer was seated before his scales. The windows of his house were walled, because he was an infidel. Fabio Mutinelli talked to him in the following manner:

"Eleazer, I have often scalled you a dog and a pagan. I happened, when I was younger, that I threw stones and mud at people who passed near the canal wearing a yellow wheel on their shoulders. I tell you this not to insult you, but to be loyal at a time when I come to ask you to do me a great service."

The Jew lifted his arm, which was dry and knotty like a vine.

"Fabio Mutinelli," he said, "the Father who is in heaven will judge you and me. What service do you ask?"

"Lend me 500 ducats for a year."

"One does not lend without security. What is your security?"

"You must know, Eleazer, that I have not even a golden cup, not even a silver goblet. I have nothing. Everybody has refused to do me the service that I ask of you. I have nothing in the world, except my honor as a merchant and my faith as a Christian. I offer to you as security the Holy Virgin Mary and her Divine Son."

At this reply the Jew inclined his head like one meditating and thinking, caressed for an instant his long white beard and said:

"Fabio Mutinelli, lead me to your security, for it is necessary that the lender should be placed in presence of the security that is offered to him."

"It is your right," answered the merchant. "Come!"

He led Eleazer to the Church de l'Orto, near the field which is named after the Moors. There, showing the Madonna, who, standing on the altar, her forehead ornamented with a crown of precious stones, her shoulders covered with a gold embroidered cloak, held in her arms the infant Jesus, decked like his mother, the merchant said to the Jew: "This is my security."

Eleazer looked with a subtle eye at the Christian merchant, the Madonna and the child, bent his head and said that he accepted the security. He brought Fabio back to his house and gave to him 500 ducats, saying:

"This is yours for a year. If in a year from now, day for day, you have not returned to me this sum, with the interest fixed by the law of Venice and the custom of the Lombards, imagine, Fabio Mutinelli, what I will think of the Christian merchant and of his security!"

Fabio, without loss of time, bought vessels and loaded them with salt and various other merchandise, which he disposed of in the cities of the Adriatic at a great profit. Then, with a new cargo, he sailed for Constantinople, where he bought carpets, perfumes, peacock feathers, ivory and ebony, which his clerks exchanged on the coast of Dalmatia for lumber, which was bought from him in advance by the Venetians. By this means he multiplied ten times in six months the sum which he had received.

But one day that he was in a bark on the Bosporus with Greek women he was taken by pirates and brought captive into Egypt. Happily his gold and his merchandise were safe. The pirates sold him to a Saracen lord, who, having put his feet in irons, commanded him to cultivate the wheat, which is beautiful in that country. He offered ransom, but the daughter of the Saracen lord, who loved him, dissuaded her father from surrendering him at any price. He filed his irons with the instruments that he used to cultivate the fields, fled, reached the Nile and went out to sea.

After eight days of travel in a Spanish ship, which had picked him up, a tempest threw him on the coast of Dalmatia. The entire crew was drowned, and Fabio, supported by a chicken coop, reached the coast with great difficulty. He fell insensible and was brought to the house of a widow, who was quite beautiful and whose name was Loreta. When he regained consciousness, he was surrounded by perfume of myrtles and roses, and he saw from his window a garden which descended gradually to the sea. Mme. Loreta took her violin and played tenderly. Fabio, in his gratitude, kissed her hands a thousand times. Then he asked what was the day of the month. When she told him, he began to groan and to lament at the thought that in 24 hours the year would be ended, and the date would come when he would fail to return the 500 ducats which he had borrowed from the Jew Eleazer. Mme. Loreta having asked the cause of his despair, he made it known to her. As she was a woman of great piety and very faithful to the Holy Mother of God, she sympathized with him. There was no difficulty in obtaining the 500 ducats, but none could think of going from the coast of Dalmatia to Venice in 24 hours in a bad sea and with contrary winds. "Let me have the money in the first place," said Fabio.

When a servant of his hostess had brought the money to him, the noble merchant asked for a bark, which he filled with bags containing the ducats. Then he took from Mme. Loreta's oratory an image of the Virgin with the infant Jesus, which was made of cedar wood and was very venerable. He placed it in the bark near the rudder, and he said to the image:

"Madam, you are my security. The Jew Eleazer must be paid tomorrow. My honor and my vows are at stake, madam, and also the renown of your Son. What mortal sinner like me may not do you shall surely accomplish, pure star of the sea, you whose breast nourishes the one who walked on waves. Take this money to the Jew Eleazer, in the Ghetto of Venice, so that the Jews will not say that you are bad security." Having pushed the bark in the wave, he took off his hat and said softly: "Adieu, madam." For a long time the merchant and the widow followed the bark with their eyes. The night fell. A furrow of light was traced in the peaceful sea.

The next morning Eleazer, having opened his door, saw in the narrow canal of the Ghetto a bark loaded with bags and guided by a little figure of black wood, resplendent with the clearness of dawn. The bark stopped before the house where was carved the seven branched golden candlestick. The Jew recognized the Virgin Mary and the infant Jesus, security of the Christian merchant.—Echo.

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THE NEEDLE WORK GUILD OF ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

A Paper Read by E. Cora DePuy Before the Ann Arbor Needle Work Guild, Dec. 4, 1894.

The first Needle Work Guild in the world was organized in England in 1883. Its originator and founder was Lady Wolverton, the well known philanthropist of England, who was so constantly confronted with the pressing needs of charity, and who knew that thousands of women were spending their leisure hours in the listless and altogether aimless occupation of doing spatterwork and embroidery that she resolved to devise some way in which the useless might be made useful, the indifferent might become interested.

Acting upon impulse Lady Wolverton sent an item to her home paper suggesting the plan of organizing a Needle Work Guild and asking anyone who approved of the plan to communicate with her. To her great surprise the London papers copied the paragraph and many of them gave editorial comment encouraging the project. Letters, too, came pouring in to her from every part of the country. The county papers of her own immediate vicinity also gave an outline of the plan and their heartiest approval, and in less than one month the Parent Needle Work Guild of the world was organized. Lady Wolverton builded better than she knew. The very elements of greatness were embodied in her society, no cast, no sect, no prejudices.

And the mechanism, too, of this beautiful structure was so simple! The mere stipulation that each member give two new garments a year, no matter how small or inexpensive they were, and that all persons, irrespective of race, profession or religion, could join in common brotherhood and do a kindness to the unfortunate and oppressed. A plan so simple, and yet so effective, that every mind could understand and appreciate it.

Organized charity can accomplish a vast amount more good than indiscriminate giving, and yet even Lady Wolverton must have felt some wonder at the magnitude of what this federation of alms givers effected!

Containing all the elements of popularity, the society realized a steady growth and very soon a Guild was organized in London, with Her Royal Highness, Princess Mary, as president. Throwing her whole soul into the work the Princess gave her personal attention to the soliciting of garments, and now collects thousands of garments every year, many of which are made by her own hands, while the grand total collected and distributed in England amounts to hundreds of thousands of garments annually. Every thing in the English reports of the work bear out the idea that the garments are to be made of plain substantial materials, although with inexpensive trimmings to frocks and pinafores, that may give pleasure to some weary, overburdened mother and also be the means of bringing about a system of cleanliness in her cheerless, unkempt home.

The movement spread to America and in April, 1885, the Parent Guild was organized at Philadelphia. As with all such incipient movements, there were only a few workers at first, but the spirit was quickly caught by others and very soon branches sprang up all over the land. The present officers of the Parent Guild are: Honorary President, Mrs. Levi P. Morton, of New York; General President, Mrs. J. W. Stewart, of Glen Ridge, N. J.; General Secretary, Miss S. B. Hodge, of Philadelphia; General Treasurer, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Philadelphia. At the close of 1893 there were one hundred and fifty-three branches, representing 24 states, fifty-three of which were organized last year. The number of garments collected and distributed in 1893 was one hundred and fifty-six thousand, three hundred and twelve. While this seems a great amount it is estimated that in the city of New York alone, institutions of various kinds need for their inmates no less than two hundred thousand garments above the supply which can now be furnished, and that Chicago needs even more than that number. In all the cities the lack of clothing for discharged patients is pitiful. Physicians testify that many patients, discharged as cured, often return to the hospital with a relapse, or some new form of disease, because sent out into the cold without sufficient clothing.

After working a few years the Parent Guild, found that some means must be provided to meet the actual expenses incurred each year, such as room rent, clerk hire, postage, and many other regular and incidental expenses. The executive committee found that it cost on an average from ten to twenty dollars to establish a Branch. This sum includes the printed constitution, direction books and lists and other literature bearing upon the work. More than five hundred dollars was spent gratuitously by members of the executive committee last year in travelling expenses to establish new branches. In addition to this sum, twelve hundred dollars were needed by the Central Bureau to pay for office rent, clerk hire, printing, postage and stationery. To meet these demands, which increase with every new branch organized, the committee decided to publish the directors' books and to ask each officer and director to solicit a sum of money, no matter how small. The plan has met with ready approval and will provide resources sufficient to carry on that part of the work.

The first branch organized in Michigan was established in Detroit. The number of garments collected the first year was something over five hundred. The number collected and distributed at the annual meeting in November, of the present year, was almost four thousand.

Finding that there were thousands of cities and villages in the United States that never had heard of the Needle Work Guild, the executive committee decided to appoint organizers for every state, and accordingly Mrs. Agnes L. d'Arcambal, of Detroit, was appointed state organizer for Michigan. In the month of July Mrs. d'Arcambal sent me some leaflets in relation to the work, which was the first intimation I had that such a charitable society as the Needle Work Guild was in existence. It being vacation the time was not favorable to attempt to establish a branch in Ann Arbor, although I was confidant that there would be any amount of willing workers when the right time came. In September I was in Detroit, and having an hour to spare I improved it by calling on Mrs. d'Arcambal and arranging for her visit to Ann Arbor to organize the Branch. Knowing so well her powers to arouse and enlist the interests of all who came within the circle of her loving influence, I did not deem it necessary to do more than to accord her time and place.

And thus it proved. She, the ambassador of divine command, clothed in purity and peace, and with pulses throbbing with sympathies for all mankind, came among us, and, as it were, touched us with the magic wand of human love.

By contact the weaker assimilate the growth and strength of character of the stronger, and thus many of us who felt ourselves the weakest and most inefficient, have proved the strongest in learning for the first time the joy of doing good to others.

No one can contemplate the great contribution of clothing which we have collected within the brief space of eight weeks, and not appreciate the immeasurable good accomplished already by the Ann Arbor Branch of the Needle Work Guild.

Early in January of the present year Lady Wolverton died, but her great and noble work will live on throughout all the ages to come, while many a worker will find a responsive sentiment in her last letter, written in December, in which she said: "There is to me a foretaste of Heaven in mutual work and mutual interest, even when there is no personal knowledge."

May we emulate the example of this great and noble woman, now gone to her long rest. May we give of love and human forgiveness, may we be forgetful of self until the needy have been clothed, the hungry have been fed, the unmissed have found a home. Then, in that last great day, when we are called to render a final account of life and all its busy cares, we shall be ready to hear the Master say:

"Have ye given of your purple to cover?
Have ye given of your gold to cheer?
Have ye given of your love as a lover
Might cherish the bride he held dear?
Broken the sacrament bread to feed
Souls and bodies of uttermost need?"

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during the Holidays by taking advantage of the low rate excursion tickets over the Lake Shore Railway December 24th, 25th, 31st, 1894, and January 1st, 1895.

THE CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The annual Christmas party has become so thoroughly established here that it can always be set down as a success in advance. The individual dancers may come and go, the companies gathered to enjoy the occasion may change from year to year, but the party itself always occurs promptly on time, and is always a notable social event.

The dance this year was held at the Armory on Christmas night, Tuesday. The Armory is an admirable place for such a gathering. It has a very fine floor, convenient toilet rooms, a commodious refreshment room in the basement, and is brilliantly lighted with incandescent lamps. The decorations were not elaborate but were very appropriate. Neat curtains were hung at the windows, while sofas and parlor chairs were ranged about the room to accommodate the company. It was a "well dressed" party also. Full dress suits were the rule among the gentlemen, while the ladies' costumes were unusually brilliant, comprising all styles and colors, many of which were exceedingly rich and elaborate. The music was furnished by Jackson's orchestra of eight pieces, and to say that it "filled the bill to a dot" but faintly expresses the fact. Tecumseh dancers were generally present, and the surrounding towns were well represented. Some of our old Tecumseh boys were present, among whom we noticed A. W. Haight and Harry Stevens. The following guests from abroad added much to the eclat of the occasion: Harry U. Kies and friend, Julius F. Starker, of Orchard Lake; Wellington Fox, Oscar E. Barringer and Misses Bessie Hall, Jennie Gilmore and Julia Wood, of Toledo; Gen. and Mrs. Fred B. Wood, Miss Gertrude Bray, Clarence Raynor and Will Carlton, of Adrian; Mrs. C. E. Baird, of Dayton, Ohio; A. J. Lee, of Britton; Miss Rosa Wilson, of Ypsilanti; Col. E. D. Fenn and wife, of Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Clark, A. M. Kennedy, W. H. Beehler, Misses Grace Stevens Laura Clark and Louise VanDeMark, of Clinton.

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Fifth Grade Exercises.

It was our privilege as well as pleasure to witness the Christmas exercises of the fifth grade in the East Branch school, Miss Anna Helen Morse, teacher, Friday afternoon, Dec. 21st. The exercises were very interesting, diversified in character and rendered in a manner that showed natural aptitude on the part of the little ones and careful training by the teacher, Miss Morse. To see the bright faces light up with joy as parents and friends were ushered in by the gallant little gentlemen, delegated for that particular office, brought vividly to the minds of the grown up folks similar scenes in their experiences and they seemed as deeply interested in the exercises as were the children. After the commotion necessary to seating so many was over, following program was given:

Song—by school—Christmas Tide.
The Boundary of Christmas—Eddie Lowry.
Welcome—Mary Perkins.
Stocking Song—Alma Waldron, Carrie Emerson, Ina Blessing.
Song—Christmas is Coming.
A Christmas Watch—Pearly Snell.
The Story of Christmas—Eleven Boys and Girls.
Christmas Carol—Willie Wagner.
The Marriage of Santa Claus—Grace Erskine.
Song—Santa Claus.
The Months—Thirteen Boys and Girls.
Song—Asleep in a Manger.
A Letter to Santa Claus—Wade Jones.
Waiting for Santa—Ethel Slayton.
Song—What is Keeping Santa.
Tamborine Drill—Twelve Girls.
Grandma's Mistake—Montie Austin.
The Christmas Stocking—Ten Boys and girls.
Kriss Kringle—Edna Cutting.
Song—Jingle Bells.

After the program was finished all of which reflected credit to scholars and instructors, the pretty little souvenirs prepared by the children were distributed among the parents and a few others- one of those being the writer, who wishes publicly to express his thanks for the compliment shown him, and as they filed out of the room all felt it had been a pleasure not soon to be forgotten.

G. A. R. INSTALLATION.

We, the officers elect, of Beers Post, No. 140. Dept. of Mich., Tecumseh, most respectfully invite you to come and participate in the installation of the officers of Post and Corps, on the eve of Jan. 7th. 1895, 7.30 p. m., at Sutton's Opera House, where it will be public. Major S. Howell, of Woodbury Post, Adrian, and Mrs. Emma Stark Hampton Nat. Pres W. R. C., will act as installing officers, and after the installation there will be a Camp Fire, at which there will be prominent speekers of State and home reputation. Such Comrades as Washington Gardner, Gen. Geo. Spaulding, James O'Donnell, Lester H. Salsbury and Willard Stearns, are expected. Peter S. McKinnon and S. C. Stacy also have been invited to take part. The Social Concert Orchestra are engaged and good vocal music by a chorus of voices and choice selections. This, Comrades, we do to raise means to defray Post and Relief expenses. The admission is fifteen cents, and 10 cents extra for reserved seats.

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May hours of golden sunlight bring but just a dash of rain,
And gracious gifts of pleasure hold the faintest touch of pain.
For skies are fairer which bestimes the clouds have overcast
And pleasure is the sweeter when the grief and pain are past.
And if among your roses rod the ivy is entwined
Your heart will beat the nearer to the heart of all mankind.

A Happy New Year, one and all! Ah! who could wish you less!
May all the precious charities that heal and soothe and bless
Drop down into your waiting hands, and may you e'er impart
To all the weary souls of men the joy within your heart.
For hearts that hold no warmth ne'er know the joy it is to live:
Our lives are measured by the joy which we to others give.
Let all the year be golden with our deeds of gracious love,
And earth will swing the nearer to the sky that bends above.

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A QUESTION of PRINCIPLE

Mrs. M. L. Rayne.

It was New Year's eve in that cold and glorious climate where the snow lies on the bosom of the earth like a protecting mantle from December to March and the nights are crisp and cold, with a resinous tang in the air, due to the forests of odorous pine. New Year's eve and the merry jingle of sleighbells in the little town of Brandon made a harmonious discord that reached the ears of two people who were having the first quarrel of their lives, and who presented—if they had only known it—an absurd appearance, one in a lachrymose, the other in a belligerent, state. It came about in the strangest way, this quarrel between two married lovers who had established their lives upon a firm foundation of principle and respect, as well as mutual love, before they took upon themselves the responsibilities of wedded life.

These were the first holidays since their wedding and they had anticipated a season of quiet enjoyment with each other, and now they were hardly on speaking terms. And there was no one to blame but themselves.

It happened in this way: Alice, Mrs. Eversham, had been very anxious to make her husband, Horace, a New Year's present, but had refrained from prudential reasons. They were saving money to pay on a home and were exercising a rigid economy in which both were equally interested. If Horace went without cigars and other luxuries, his wife gave up having afternoon teas, and hired only one domestic, who worked by the day. A certain amount was reserved for charity, and as the end of the year approached and cold weather brought extra demands, this fund gave out and there were several cases of destitution which they could not relieve, but were compelled to hand over to the charitable society of the church.

Therefore it was at Alice's own suggestion that the society got up a bazar for the sale of contributed goods, and took the proceeds to ameliorate the conditions of their poor.

This was the beginning of the trouble. When the sales were over, they took the things that remained unsold and put them up at so much a chance. Alice had put her foot down—it was a very pretty foot—against the proceedings, but had been overpersuaded that it was perfectly right, as the church would sanction it. Still, she only gave a negative consent, for she would neither buy nor sell any of the chances. But when one of her young friends took a couple of chances for her—a dressing-gown and chocolate set—she had said, laughingly, that if she won they might send them to her address.

She did not say anything about it to Horace, who was too much occupied with the closing business of the year to attend the bazar, and knew nothing of this lottery feature.

She would not have had him know it on any account, inasmuch as he had been fond of games of chance when she married him, and through her good influence had entirely reformed. That dangerous passion for gambling, which does so much harm in the world, had found an abiding-place with Horace Eversham, and was becoming one of the pernicious influences of his life, when Alice effected a cure which she believed to be permanent.

They had been happy and larky as two children, until Horace came home bringing a fine goose.

"It's for dinner New Year's day," he said, holding up the white-feathered bird at arm's length. "Isn't it a beauty—fat and plump?"

"What will we do with a whole goose?" asked Alice.

"Eat it. My father used to say that a goose was an awkward bird, too much for one, and not enough for two. We'll have a feast if Ellen Jane does her whole duty in her cooking, won't we, though?"

"Its feathers will make a sofa cushion," said Alice, who had a frugal mind. "I'm beginning to get reconciled to the goose."

"It's a noble bird, and its cackling once saved Rome," remarked Horace, sententiously, and then they went together to the kitchen, where the goose was laid on Ellen Jane's spotless white table.

When that functionary saw it, she lifted up both hands:

"Oh, but it is a beauty, missis. An' what a pity that they hed to shoot so foine a burd!"

"Shoot it," echoed Alice, "well, don't they always kill geese that way?"

"No'm, only wan it's at a raffle. I heered me Tom sayin' as Mr. Eversham won it—it's a foine shot he is, I'm told."

A raffle! Alice's heart went down to zero. Her husband shooting birds at a raffle! All her year of faithful precept undone!

"Where was the raffle?" she asked in a voice that she tried to make firm and indifferent.

"At Little Jake's, mum, in the back yard. There was a big crowd of men, an' they do say Mr. Eversham was the first one out of the lot to hit the burd, and look how nate he did it—that goose, mum, never knew what killed it."

"You needn't cook it," said Alice, "I don't like goose."

"But your husband, mum? He would enjoy it since he fetched it down with his own gun. It were banked in the snow, my Tom said, with its head sticking out an' a movin' it as fast as a flash this way an' that, an' everybody that fired at it missed it—"

"That will do," said Mrs. Eversham, and she walked off leaving Jane Ellen staring at the goose.

It was New Year's eve. Alice and Horace were only a few feet apart, in reality, but miles of distance could not have separated them so completely. Horace had tried to explain, but had been instantly silenced.

"No, no. There can be no explanation. You have broken a law of moral obligation. You have broken your promise to me," said Alice.

Tap, tap, went her little foot; there were tears in her voice. Horace felt that he was a criminal, yet if she only would let him explain. He was very angry.

There was a ring at the door bell. The two composed themselves to meet callers. The conventionalities of life must be observed, and no one must know that they had quarreled. But it was only a boy with a note, and a package for Mrs. Eversham.

It was the dressing-gown from the bazar. The chance taken for Alice had drawn it. Alice did not look upon it with horror. On the contrary, she could not conceal her delight at having won it. But she said coldly as she handed the handsome garment to Horace:

"Your New Year's present. I hope it will fit."

"Thank you very much," said Horace, his eyes sparkling with pleasure, "but I thought we were not to give each other presents this year."

"Why, there's the goose?"

"Oh, that only cost half a dollar—and we must eat."

"This cost only twenty-five cents. I won it in a chance at our church bazar."

Horace threw back his head and laughed immoderately.

"My dear little wife," he asked when he could get his breath, "do you know the difference between tweedle-dum and tweedle-dee?"

"I hope I know the difference between an entertainment designed for charity under the auspices of the church and a low raffle with no other object—"

"A charity, my dear; you wouldn't let me explain, but the raffle was to obtain money for the benefit of a poor family—"

"Name the family," commanded Alice, who did not believe her husband was telling the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

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IN TOWN.

"And for whom I helped raffle off the goose."

"It's the principle," said Alice, "it is demoralizing."

"But, my dear, it seems to me the principle is the same whether it's in the church or the saloon. It is to get something for nothing. I got the goose—you got a dressing-gown, which, as it does not cost anything, you kindly donate to me."

It was late, and a merry peal of bells rang out the anthem of the New Year. The two fell into each other's arms.

"Send the goose to the Limpskeys," said Horace.

"And the dressing-gown, too," said Alice, with half a sigh.

"And when we want to do a charitable act, let us give from our own means."

"Spoken like a dear! The best principle in giving is that of sacrifice. We won't make any resolutions, but we'll try to live up to our knowledge of what is right and true. You don't care for the goose?"

"Yes, I do very much. It would make such good eating stuffed with sage and onions, and served with apple sauce."

"So much the greater sacrifice if you give it up. And you know that dressing gown would fit you elegantly, but old Mr. Limpskey is ragged and needs it more."

"He shall have it. And we will begin the New Year poor but honest."

Then those two young people kissed and made up, while the bell rang out the want, the care, the sin, rang in the love of truth and right, and the Limpskeys were the happier for the application of that often misinterpreted text to do evil that good may come.

TURNING OVER A NEW LEAF.

BY ELISA ARMSTRONG.

The Brownsmiths were preparing to retire; the parlor clock had been wound, the window garden covered with newspaper and the key to the front door hidden under the mat.

"Dear me!" cried Mrs. Brownsmith, "this is New Year's eve."

"So it is," responded her husband, "and I haven't told you how I intend to begin the year."

"True; and I haven't given it a thought myself, I—my goodness! Look, listen! There is somebody under the sofa!"

"Nonsense! It's only the cat. I wish you would cultivate a little bravery."

"I will. I'll turn over a new leaf tomorrow; I know I'm a coward."

"You certainly are. And I have decided to arise early after this; I lose the best part of the day, as it is."

"True; besides, you put back all the housework."

"After all, I don't lie abed so very late."

"Indeed you do. You've often promised to rise earlier, but you never do."

"And you've often promised to be sensible and not be afraid of your shadow."

"Afraid of my shadow! I'm not."

"Absurd!"

"Ridiculous!"

They both flounced off to bed without even saying good night.

In the very early morning, Mrs. Brownsmith, awakened at some sound, thought of the dining-room window—

SHE CREPT OUT AND DOWNSTAIRS.

what if it was unlocked? when Mrs. Skynflyntle was almost sure that some one was stealing her coal.

About to awaken her husband, she remembered that this was the time to display her courage. Seizing dressing gown and slippers, she crept out and downstairs.

The window was locked, but on returning, as she reached the foot of the stairs, she heard some one stealthily moving about the bedroom. She listened again; yes, there it was again! Proud of vindicating herself, she flew to the burglar alarm and back again.

"Hello!" her husband called. "Don't move or I'll shoot!"

"Good gracious!" she thought, "what if Henry is killed!" and her knees giving way she sank to the floor with a thud.

There was a scramble at the head of the stairs and some one rolled down, adding groans to her shrieks.

When the neighbors and police arrived they found Mrs. Brownsmith in strong hysterics and Mr. Brownsmith with a dislocated shoulder at the foot of the stairs.

"I—I thought there were burglars and gave the alarm," she sobbed, when the tumult was subdued.

"And I was merely doing as I resolved, and rising early when I heard some one moving about the house," groaned her husband.

And that was as near as they ever came to keeping their New Year's resolutions.

Saving Space.

"Binkins is going at a remarkable pace even for him."

"He says it's economy."

"Economy!"

"Yes. He's going to turn over a new leaf New Year's day and he wants to get as much recorded as he can before he lets go of the old one."—Washington Star.

ON THE THRESHOLD OF THE YEAR.

BY LOU V. CHAPIN.

Another little drop has sunk into the great ocean of infinity. Another trembling ray from man's life-sun has been sent upon its mission through measureless space. Another round has been fashioned in the ladder of destiny—and before us is the new year. All the mighty centuries, with their aggregate creation of form from chaos, have been built from these molecules of time. As the coral in the depths of the sea becomes the basic fragment of a continent only when it has yielded up the body in which it was sensate organism, so our years, precious to us, thrilling with the emotions that mark existence, become fragments of the world's history only when we lose our grasp of them and they are gone. They become imperishable only when to us they have dropped petal by petal their days, and their color and fragrance have departed.

Time is the most profound of all mysteries, the most unfathomable of all secrets. Intangible yet potent, coming whence who can tell, going whither who knows? Each year is an epitome of all that has come and gone, since the first indestructible atom of matter displaced the darkness of primordial emptiness, and wandering on the wings of ether found an orbit, and became the nucleus of a universe. Within the bosom of the years lies the story of man from the cradle to the grave, the unwritten history of unborn nations; the rise and fall of empires, systems and creeds; the riddle which can never be read by mortal eyes. We look at the past and strive to grasp its meaning, to garner up a few sheaves of wisdom. We turn our eyes to the future, enraptured at the mirage of waving fields of untrodden effort, ready for the sickle of the mind, and looking backward and forward the precious present slips away and to-morrow becomes yesterday.

A new year! Heir of all the wealth of the old years, pulsing with possibility, great with promise. It is well that we bow the knee and lift the heart, as the old passeth, and the new cometh out of the door of the storehouse of future centuries, surrounded by its cycle of days, each bearing aloft its unlit torch awaiting the signal of the bridegroom.

Nations, like the planet upon which they live, have their era of subsidence and emergence, their tidal waves and earthquakes, their glacial epochs and their periods of teeming fertility of thought and achievement as well as of glory and prosperity. Now and again they are shaken to their center and old forms give way to newer and better. Thus is the miracle of creation made recurrent. Looking upon the life-chart of nations, as it lies spread out before us in history, we see here and there an illumined mountain-peak, a Mohammed, Christ, Luther or Cromwell, and here and there a burned-out crater of passion, a Waterloo, a Flodden Field, a Gettysburg. Mountain-peak and crater are a part of the great scheme of humanity, abiding places for the eternal sunlight guiding men to loftier heights of patriotism and purity, or warnings of the smoldering fires which keep the earth throbbing with heat and vitality, when prisoned, but unchained involve it in ruin.

The year that has gone has been one of regret and disappointment to us as a people. Like the prophet of old we have looked to the heavens for a sign and found it not, and bowing our hearts we have waited with what patience we might for Time, the healer, to cause us to forget our wounds. All that was in the old year, but the dawn of a new future shines upon us. As we gaze upon its first roseate ray we picture to ourselves the gratification of hope deferred. We hear in the tones of the bell, still quivering with the dirge of the past, a new strain. It breathes of hope, tells of strife soothed to peace, hatred quenched in forgiveness. We follow the ray and it leads us to the embers on the hearthstone of the old year. Looking closer, we find it was kindled there. Amid the ashes of shame and violence, fires of patriotism and brotherly love still burned. Dark indeed will be the old year that sees them quenched in our land; darker still the new year that gives no promise of liberty under law and no respect for the ideals of the past.

Another year, would we linger in the portals of the past, where we have been garlanded with love and joy or where age has crowned us with fruition? Behind us the crowding centuries push like a great army hurrying in hot haste to the victory. Onward they press, sweeping all before them. Alas! we may not pause. Reluctant or willing, we are hurried forward toward those battlements, which, seen dimly against the horizon, may be mist-shrouded and so near at hand that the next step will bring us to the grim gates which open but once to every mortal, and behind which there is a mystery greater than that of Time. Those trampling centuries, thundering forward with a tread like the music of the stars, "so loud it deafens mortal ears," are advancing to carry man to the highest pinnacle of hope and achievement. Woe be to us if each day we join not the host as valiant soldiers, ready to storm any fortress of wrong and prejudice, willing to do battle according to the strength of our souls and the justice of our cause.

Logical.

"Well, it's about time to make some New Year's resolutions."

"What's the use? Didn't you break all those you made a year ago?"

"Certainly. That's why I've got to make new ones."—Detroit Tribune

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A WELL-LAID PLAN.

Young Mr. Tawker was going over his New Year's accounts. His countenance betrayed a fact he would never confess to Angelica—that love in a cottage is much more expensive on paper bearing the head work of grocer or butcher than on that on which the young couples make their calculations.

Angelica, perfectly aware of this fact, had considerately left the room; when the bills were put away she returned.

"Algernon," she said, "we really *must* make some New Year's gifts."

"But, dear, we really *must* economize."

"But see what a splendid plan I've devised. You know we received some lovely things when we were married?"

"Mostly useless ones, though."

"The more suitable for presents. Well, I've decided to—you'll never guess—to use some of them for New Year's gifts."

"What a head you have! But you must be careful."

"I will. I remember just who gave each one."

"Let's do them up at once, then."

"This handkerchief case was from Dora; it is too limp to use, so I'll give

"YOU ARE A MANAGER, ANGELICA."

it to Eva. Having so many babies, she never goes anywhere, so she'll think it the latest style."

"Splendid!"

"Isn't it? This pickle castor Effie gave us; that can go to Fanny—they don't speak, so Effie will never see it."

"You are a manager."

"Now this Mrs. Sharpleigh—I want her to ask me to assist at her reception, so I'll give her the cut-glass bowl that is too large for our table. Let me see, it was from Sue, or was it Mr. Smith? No matter which; it looks handsome."

"The very idea! I have to pass Eva's and can deliver her present."

"Good. I'll take Mrs. Sharpleigh's myself—will be a good chance for her to ask me about the reception."

Mr. Tawker, coming home with a long countenance, found his wife in the dark.

"Did you deliver Eva's present?" she asked in an anxious tone, "and was it all right?"

"I'm afraid not. Dora was there, and she recognized it by a place inside where the silk was stained."

"Oh, mercy!" she burst into tears; "what shall I do?"

"Was Mrs. Sharpleigh pleased?"

"O, Algernon, how shall I ever tell you? It was the very bowl she had given us herself—she recognized it by a tiny flaw in the bottom; she says she will never speak to me again as long as she lives!"

GREAT DISAPPOINTMENT.

She—I hear you got a little brother for a New Year's present. Ain't yer glad?

He—Naw!

She—Did yer want a sister?

He—Naw. I didn't want no brudder nor no sister neider. I wanted a fightin' dorg an' a pair o' skates!—Life.

The Wife.

On New Year's, when she hears him say
He'll swear off every fault,
She takes it in a quiet way,
And with a grain of salt.

—Judge.

JOHNNY'S NEW YEAR'S DREAM.

"What shall we do with him, grandpa?" asked the gobbler.—Harper's Young People.

GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS.

Dainty Things That a Woman Can Make for One Dollar.

Pretty and Useful, Too—How Cleverness May Take the Place of Cash in Providing Holiday Offerings—New Notions for Nimble Fingers.

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What can a woman make for her dearest friend for a dollar?

We have so many "dearest friends" that economy must be practiced. To offer a gift that has been bought for that sum would be highly ungraceful; but when the materials have been gathered for the amount of the crisp bill, and the woman's own fair fingers been employed to fashion some dainty and useful article therefrom, the expenditure of the dollar is quite another matter.

First, therefore, is the pretty gift which one makes for the guest chamber. The guest chamber is very much of a fad now-a-days, and anything you make for it is sure to please your housekeeper friend. Buy half a yard of soft, cream-white plush. It will cost about seventy-five cents. Cover a heart-shaped piece of cardboard with the plush, with canton-flannel or other soft substance between, leaving two places free around the bottom, where you can slip a long, narrow piece of bookslate into one side, and a perpetual calendar into the other. Of course, the plush must be cut away to allow these to show. The plush should be glued to the cardboard and no finish will be necessary to the incisions if the gluing is well done. At the top of the bookslate print in dainty gold letters: "Avis;" beneath, at the side, in smaller letters: "Meals" and "Trains," with space between, where the hostess marks the hours for meals and departure and arrival of principal trains. A yard of white ribbon, fastened at each side, and tied in a large, graceful bow, brings the cost of the gift up to the limit.

The veil-holder is a great favorite. Veils must not be folded; therefore a new device is a roller around which they are carefully wound. It is an ordinary rolling-pin, covered with satin or plush—preferably the latter, since it preserves the veil—of light tint. Over the white or pale plush the meshes of the veil are clearly visible, and any small tear can quickly be distinguished. The ends of the pin are covered with gathered puffings of satin. Do not get a large pin; the veil may be folded twice in the width. Heavy white silk cord ties at one end, and suspends the veil-holder.

It is difficult to get a sofa pillow within the dollar limit, but by careful management it may be accomplished. A down pillow twenty-one inches square may be had for seventy-five cents—not at all of the stores, to be sure, but a little shopping will reward you. You have but thirty cents left for your covering and trimming. Therefore purchase a yard and a quarter of ordinary brown burlap, which costs only a few cents a yard, and cover one side with dashing gold figures or scrolls. (Your brush and gold are not included in the expenditure.) If you outline the scrolls with threads of heavy worsted or crewel, in dull pinks and blues—crewel that you have at hand—catching it down, not working it through, it will bring out the pattern very effectively. For an edge you can make a plaiting of the burlap which remains. Spend your remaining twenty cents in cheap silk of the golden brown tints, with which to make rosettes for the corners.

Even a bureau cover, and a pretty one, can be brought within the dollar limit. A yard and a quarter of piqua—Bedford cord variety—is the material. You must stamp it yourself—outfits cost only twenty-five cents—or design the sprays in crayon. Have only two; a large, graceful flower at one end, and a smaller one in the corner of the other. Work them in the short and long stitch, with filo-floss, so that only a few skeins of the silk are required. This will bring your expenditure up to seventy cents, unless you have the silks at home. Now go bargain hunting, until you find coarse, handsome lace at ten cents a yard. Three yards of it will trim your cover.

The fan-holder is made of two flat pieces of cardboard, twenty-two inches long, seven inches wide at one end and four at the other. They are covered, first, with canton flannel, then with Japanese crepe, silk or satin. The sides are made by two-inch pieces of material fastened to the cardboards with large, fancy stitches. The holder hangs up, with the wide end on top, of course, and with a small bag, drawn together with ribbon, standing out of it. This can easily be made for the price named, since so many bargains in fancy crepes and silks are now offered.

The photograph holder is always acceptable. The pocket variety, if made well, is the prettiest. Be careful, however, not to have the pockets soft and baggy. They must be made on the principle of the fan case—stiffened on the top and bottom of each pocket with soft silk sides. They open and shut like a book, of course, and a sufficiently wide binding must be allowed, or the case when full will not close nicely. Great care must be exercised in putting the sides together, and they must be tightly stretched over the cardboard, and neatly finished. A dainty painting in scroll, or embroidered clusters, makes the holder very attractive. Velveteen is one of the best materials from which to make the case. Plush is a little heavy; velvet is too expensive, and satin and silk are heavy enough for the case that is designed to hold a quantity of photographs. It need not be tied with ribbons, unless you desire to make it more decorative.

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A NEW YEAR'S EPISODE.

The Old One—Pull fair—the long end gets it.—Chicago Tribune.

Equipped.

"Are you ready to meet that solemn event in every man's existence, the new year?" asked the meditative man.

"You bet I am," replied his flippant friend. "I have more material for swearing off than I ever had before in my life."—Washington Star.

Unlike Him.

Cora—I was so surprised when Mr. de Jinks called to pay the compliments of the season.

Merritt—No wonder. That's the only thing I ever knew him to pay.—Judge.

Insult to Injury.

Thistlewood—Did he say anything to you when he handed you the bill?

Impecunne—Yes; wished me a happy New Year.

A Chinese Devotee.

One of the most notable heiresses in all New York is an adept in Chinese, of all studies in the world. Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt, who will not be out of her teens for some time to come, is the young lady. The daughter of Cornelius Vanderbilt, needless to say, has had every advantage, and she speaks French, Italian and German very well. But she has for four years now been studying Chinese, and her interest in the literature of the Flowery Kingdom seems ever to increase. She does not, however, speak the Chinese language, but reads Confucian philosophy with considerable facility. In England this accomplishment of Miss Vanderbilt's has attracted much attention among her mother's friends, notwithstanding the young lady is barely "out."

A JOKE ON THE MARQUANDS.

Dante is a favorite author with Mrs. Paran Stevens, a taste which she shares with the dowager empress of Germany, widow of the lamented Frederick. Very few New Yorkers are aware of Mrs. Stevens' Dantean scholarship, for she is anything but a pedant.

Mrs. Herman Oelrichs is one of the most proficient students of art that ever graced New York society. Not that she paints and sketches merely, although her work in that line has attracted attention, but she is deemed the best informed woman in the city on the technique of art and on the points of difference among the various Italian schools. She has made a deep study of the old masters, and Raphael she particularly admires.

The Marquand women are also authorities on art. Their home is said to contain more gems in this line than many a dwelling of esthetic renown in Europe. There is, indeed, a facetious report in circulation concerning the Marquands to the effect that they dare not keep a cat in the house because the creatures could not move without knocking down a roomful of bric-a-brac.

To Bake Buckwheat Cakes.

Set a griddle over a gentle, steady fire; when it is hot rub a bit of suet or fat fresh pork on a fork; the griddle must be hot but not scorching; put the batter on in small cakes; when one side is nicely browned and about half cooked through turn them. These cakes, to be in perfection, must not be thicker than a dollar piece, and both sides a delicate brown. Should the batter prove too thick it may be made thinner with sweet milk; this will also make them bake a fine color.

Satisfying Him.

"I have called," said the captious critic, "to find out what reason you can give for representing the New Year as a nude small boy."

"That is done," responded the art editor, "because the year does not get its close till the 31st of December."

Then the captious critic went out and broke his nice new pledge.—Indianapolis Journal.

Flowers Dear In New York.

Violets cost only 50 cents a bunch, but the bunches are very small. For 25 cents the Broadway florists make up little bunches for the buttonhole of men's coats, but they contain only one-third of the original bunch. When a man makes that kind of purchase, he is likely to conclude that there is a violet trust or else that enough people are not engaged in the cultivation of violets. The best chrysanthemums sell on Broadway for $1 each. As cultivators would grow rich selling them at 5 cents each, some one must be making good for the late hard times.—New York Correspondent.

A Remarkable Substance.

A German chemist is reported to have discovered a new substance called cryostase, which has the remarkable property of solidifying when heated and remaining liquid at temperatures below zero.

Ripans Tabules: for torpid liver.

THE stagnation of business in Newfoundland was said to be complete, every labor-employing concern on the island being closed.

DUN'S review of trade says gold exports and uncertainty about financial legislation are depressing trade everywhere.

A TRAIN was held up in the limits of Sioux City, Ia., by four men, and the passengers relieved of money and jewelry.

THE wife and 6-year-old son of Yellow Bull, of the Rosebud Agency, S. D., a subchief of the Sioux, were found murdered in an isolated spot.

A STATEMENT prepared at the internal revenue bureau in Washington shows that the net decrease in the receipts during November, 1894, from those of November, 1893, was $4,111,314.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THEODORE HUSTON, of Macomb, Ill., United States consul at Paso del Norte, Mexico, died from consumption, aged 42 years.

SAMUEL M. BRIDGEMAN, a veteran of two wars and the oldest employe of Pinkerton's detective agency, died at Evanston, Ill., aged 76 years.

JAMES L. ALCORN, ex-United States senator and former governor of Mississippi, died at his home at Eagle Nest, Miss., aged 78 years.

DOUGLAS PUTNAM, a great grandson of Gen. Israel Putnam, of revolutionary fame, died at Marietta, O., aged 88 years.

THE editor's chair of Harper's Weekly, which since the death of George William Curtis has been vacant, will be occupied by Henry Loomis Nelson.

BISHOP JOSEPH THOMPSON, D. D., M. D., of the African Methodist Episcopal church, died at his home in Newburg, N. Y.

MRS. L. W. GUITEAU, stepmother of the assassin of President Garfield, died at Freeport, Ill., where she has lived since 1853.

ANNIE O'BRIEN died in New York city, aged 106 years.

FOREIGN.

ROBERT S. MUNN, one of the leading business men of Newfoundland, died from heart failure, brought on by financial troubles.

THE number of persons killed in the recent earthquake in southern Italy is officially stated to be eighty-six. In addition 600 were injured.

THE expulsion of Jews from territory nearer the frontier than fifty versts has been stopped by order of the Russian minister of the interior.

THE Corean government announced that Chinese would be allowed to reside only in the treaty ports of Corea.

DISPATCHES say that twenty-three Armenian villages were laid in ashes, eleven others pillaged and forty priests massacred by Turkish soldiers.

VIOLENT earthquake shocks in south Hungary threw down houses and drove the residents to the streets.

IN an engagement at Halai, Abyssinia, six companies of Italian troops defeated the Arabs, killing a great number of them.

FOUR THOUSAND hungry women and children called on President Caceras, of Peru, and asked for bread. A riot ensued and many persons were killed and wounded.

DURING a riot among government troops at Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, many soldiers were killed. A number of the men deserted.

THE Chinese government appointed two peace commissioners, who will open negotiations with the Japanese.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, in answer to an appeal, announced that he would protect the Jews in Germany.

LATER.

The chief of police has ordered all the slot machines out of the saloons in East Liverpool, O.

New York bankers are credited with a movement to have Secretary Carlisle removed by the president.

The steamer Campania lowered her east-bound Atlantic record to five days nine hours and eighteen minutes.

Six robbers attacked the residence of John Yankins, of Perry, O. T. He killed one and drove the rest away.

Two young Alabama ruffians fired into a schoolhouse near Brownridge, fatally wounding four of the pupils.

Al Breyman, of Highland, Kan., blew out the gas in a hotel at St. Joseph, Mo. He will be buried to-day.

Senator Hoar's oration at the unveiling of the statue of Daniel Webster is pronounced the gem of the century.

Father Dominick O'Grady, the slayer of Mary Gilmartin at Cincinnati, is insane and will not be tried for the murder.

The Carnegie company has posted notices of proposed cuts in the wages of 5,000 employes, beginning with the new year.

Mrs. L. W. Guiteau, stepmother of the assassin of President Garfield, died at Freeport, Ill., where she has lived since 1853.

Emperor William, in answer to an appeal, announces that he will protect the Jews in Germany and is surprised at their fear.

Owing to a recent supreme court decision wholesale dealers in oleomargarine in Maryland have ceased to handle the product.

Congressman Stone, of Kentucky, has introduced a general omnibus bill for the payment of war claims to various cities and states.

Joseph Hughes, of Greenwood, Miss., was burned to death in the home of ex-President Webb, of the Mississippi college, at Clinton, Miss.

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The president has respited for the fourth time Thomas St. Clair, sentenced to be hanged in California for murder committed on the high seas.

Capt. Buford A. Tracy, one of Winchester's (Ky.) most prominent citizens, was accidentally killed in an elevator shaft, his neck being broken. Capt. Tracy served on the staff of Col. Breckinridge during the war.

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FOR SALE.—A second-hand Art Garland Coal stove for sale. J. M. INGERSOLL.

RIDGEWAY TAXES.—I will receive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway during the month of December at the following places: Wednesdays 12-19-26, at S. P. Smith's store, Ridgeway; Thursdays 6-13-27, John Wise's residence; Fridays, Jan. Haight's store, Britton.

C. B. EXELBY,
Ridgway Township Treasurer.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 27, 1894.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

A Happy New Year to all.

Was'nt it a beautiful Christmas day?

Roy DeWolf is at home from Detroit this week.

Will Osgood, of Britton, was a HERALD caller last Monday.

Walter Burnett is home from Albion College. He will remain two weeks.

The Maro-Battis Combination is the next thing on the Star Course, Jan. 10th.

Our holiday supplement this week contains a fine assortment of New Year's reading.

E. E. Russell, of Jackson, ate his Christmas turkey at the old home in Raisin.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton, Earl and Ethel are spending the holidays with friends in Erie, Pa.

John O'Neil and family, of Deerfield, spent Christmas with their Tecumseh relations.

Andrew Ayres, of Cambridge, was in town Saturday and favored the HERALD with a call.

Raynor Anderson came home from Buffalo to enjoy the yule tide season at the old home.

The third entertainment on the Star Course will be given on Thursday evening, Jan. 10th.

Harry Goff left Monday for West Bay City to spend the holidays with his brother Ernest.

Harry Dunn, of St. Paul, Minn., is shaking hands with his old Tecumseh friends this week.

Tecumseh merchants had a booming holiday trade last week, much better than they expected.

Chet. Haynes and family, of Adrian, were guests of Thos. Boyd and celebrated Christmas with him.

Family re-unions and dinners were numerous on Christmas day, and mirth and good fellowship reigned supreme.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, came home to eat Christmas turkey, and we violate no confidence in saying that he enjoyed it.

Harry Stevens, of Detroit, spent Christmas in town. He participated in the party at the Armory on Tuesday evening.

Chas Eldridge and family are spending the holiday season with friends at Weedsport, Auburn and Union Springs, New York.

A. W. Slayton had a car of pine lumber in a railroad collision between Bay City and Detroit. He now has kindling wood to sell.

If you wish to know what time it is, just ask Clarence Jackson or Mont Rowland. Xmas brought them them each a gold watch.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Rush, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who are spending the holidays with Ridgeway friends, were callers at the HERALD office last Saturday.

S. W. Clarkson and family of Ann Arbor, visited the old home in Macon this week. They spent Christmas with Mrs. Clarkson's father, L. D. Watkins, of Manchester.

Miss Mana Monaghan started Monday for the Pacific coast. She goes to Marshall first to pass a few days with her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, and will then proceed to Los Angeles, Cal.

Leroy C. Blood, of Lansing, sends his subscription for 1895 in good season. He cannot get along without the HERALD for it constitutes the "missing link" between the old home and the new.

D. A. Hodges is spending the holiday season with his family at G. W. Jackson's. He has engaged for 1895 with the Milburn Wagon Company and will make his headquarters at Milwaukee, Wis.

Geo. W. Jackson has received word that his brother William, who is well known here, was stricken with paralysis which affects his entire right side, at his home in Conshatta, Louisana, recently.

Sneak thieves were abroad last Saturday afternoon, and several bundles were purloined from buggies on Chicago street. Vigorous measures should be adopted by our village authorities to stop such pilfering.

Take your poultry to L. D. Dewey's. Six and one-half cents for live chickens and seven for ducks; that is the place to go—where you always get the highest price for your poultry. He pays more for hides and furs than any man in town.

The annual meeting of the Macon Grange, 167, will be held at Grange Hall, Saturday evening, Dec. 29th, at 7 o'clock. The election of officers will take place at that time. Also, a Board of Directors will be elected. Let every member be present.

Garland Gillespie is spending his vacation at home.

O. P. and C. D. Bills are at home for the holiday season.

Anderson & Co's Special Cash Sale commences Dec. 29th.

C. E. Beers, of Adrian, is in town two or three days this week.

John J. Orr, wife and baby spent Christmas at Ashley, Ind.

A. W. Haight was in town for Christmas and took in the party at the Armory.

Cloaks and Capes cheap at Anderson & Co's sale commencing Saturday, Dec. 29th.

Chauncey Dibble and wife, of Ridgeway, are visiting friends in Macon this week.

Miss Cora Halstead is spending a part of her vacation with friends and relatives in Toledo.

The new reading-room in connection with the Ladies Library "fills a long felt want." It is well patronized.

Mrs. John Keusch closed her fall term of school in the Newburg district Friday last with an exhibition Friday eve.

Prof. L. M. Kellogg is in Lansing this week attending the sessions of the State teachers association. He will return Saturday.

Miss Jennie England, of Grand Rapids, arrived Monday for an extended visit with Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford.

Mr. & Mrs. D. N. Clemmens and family of Albion, Mich., are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Everhart.

The regular annual meeting of the Universalist Parish will be held at the church on Saturday, Jan. 5th, at three o'clock p. m.

The directors of the Library Association will hold a meeting at the Reading Room on Tuesday afternoon, January 1st, at 3 o'clock.

F. E. Pockington and family of Ridgeway, took the noon train Monday for Mason where they will spend holiday week with friends.

Geo. Chidester left on Christmas day for Lansing to assume his position as day watchman at the capitol. He will remove his family to that city in a few days.

At the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, a New Year's sermon will be given in the morning. In the evening the fourth illustrated lecture in the series, entitled the "Wonderful Nazarine"

The Friends had their Christmas tree last Sunday at the usual Sunday school hour. There was a good attendance and the tree bore a prolific burden of gifts. It was a very interesting service.

The Orient held a session last evening at Odd Fellows Hall, which was largely attended. The beautiful and impressive work of the order was exemplified, and two more enrolled among its members.

There will be no meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Friday of this week. The Union will meet with Mrs. Griffith for the month of Jan. First Friday the usual Mother's meeting. Let there be a good attendance.

The Maro-Battis Combination consists of magic and impersonations. It is something new, and is intensely entertaining. It will be number three in the Star Course, and will be given Thursday evening, Jan. 10th, '95.

Kirk Caldwell, a ten year old son of Geo. C. Caldwell of Adrian, was killed by the cars at Ravenswood, Ill., on the 24th. His mother was visiting friends there and the boy was run down by an express train, before his mother's eyes.

Lenardson Bros. of Britton have taken the agency for The Tecumseh Steam laundry, of Tecumseh. We can assure our Britton readers that their laundry will be "whiter than snow" after going through Charley Rude's ironing machine.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. W. Bowen Tuesday was held the annual family dinner and Christmas tree. Present, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowen and family, D. P. Anthony, wife and daughter, S. Milo Dole and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and daughter of Adrian. An enjoyable day was spent by all.

Subjects for Sunday, Dec. 30th, at the Universalist church: a. m., "Honor and Manhood." Eve. "Zeal and Religious Strength," Ladies social Friday eve. from 5 to 7 o'clock. Supper 10c. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m., subject: Plans for the New Year."

In lieu of the ordinary Christmas services, Rev. C. M. Brown gave a stereopticon lecture at the Presbyterian church on Christmas evening. It was entitled, "America and the Land we live in," comprising about fifty views, with brief descriptions of each. A comic series was added called the "Honey Stealers," which made lots of fun for the little folks. A large audience received the benefit of the lecture.

The exercises at the Baptist and M. E. churches Christmas eve were of an interesting character, a portion of which were very similar, namely a short program, consisting of music, recitations and addresses. At the Baptist church in place of a tree laden with gifts, an oyster supper and other good things in endless variety were served to the scholars which proved fully as satisfactory. At the M. E. church it took two trees to hold the presents, and they presented a pretty picture, trimmed as they were with fine artistic effect.

Fred Osborn is home from the U. of M.

J. R. Lilley, of Indianapolis, was here over X-mas.

C. D. Keyes visited friends at Palmyra over Sunday.

Fred Boynton, of Adrian, is visiting his cousin, Leon McNeil.

Ida Taylor, of the Normal at Ypsilanti, is home for vacation.

F. J. Temple and family ate turkey at their old home in Ridgeway.

Mont Bangs and wife, of Toledo, are visiting friends here this week.

Miss Leana Davidson is home from Traverse City for the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman, of Toledo, came up to eat turkey.

Mrs. Wm. C. Heck, of South Bend, Ind., is visiting her son Charles.

Most of our teachers have gone to their homes to pass the vacation.

Edna McClue came from Charlotte to pass the vacation with her sister.

Lena Smith, daughter of Joseph H., is visiting Napoleon friends this week.

Arthur Burnett came from the East to pass the holidays with his parents.

Mabel Bird spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Semark, at Clinton.

The table factory was shut down yesterday on account of a broken engine.

Mamie Osborn, who is teaching at Paw Paw, came home for the vacation.

Rev. David Lewis went to Springville yesterday to conduct a series of meetings.

Robert S. Moore and wife spent Christmas with his people near Petersburg.

Merton Burlingame is at the Lilley House during the absence of Thomas Moffett.

H. J. Sweet and family entertained his brother, Earle, and wife, of Dundee, Tuesday.

John A. Heck and wife are entertaining their friend, Mrs. Gordon, of Sandusky, Ohio.

Harry McClure and Alfred Heesen came home to spend Christmas beneath the parental roof.

The marriage of our genial friend, W. W. Whiting, to a Detroit lady is announced for Jan. 9th.

S. A. James and wife and Mrs. A. W. James of Detroit, came over to get a fine Christmas dinner.

Bargains in Carpets, Curtains, Rugs, in fact everything at Anderson & Co's Sale commencing, Dec. 29th.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Varner are enjoying a visit from her brother, L. D. Swesher, and wife, of West Virginia.

Erve Kennedy and wife entertained J. R. Carleton, wife and son, Thomas, of Adrian, a couple of days this week.

Fred B. Wood and wife of Adrian, Mrs. Mary Baird of Dayton, Ohio, and Julia Wood of Toledo, spent Christmas here.

Dr. R. B. House and wife of Springfield, Ohio, and Wm. House of Toledo, spent several days with friends here the past week.

Thomas Moffett was called to Reading Tuesday by a message saying that his father was dead. It was a sad Christmas to him.

Walter C. Burridge, Thos. Kyle and B. J. Garlinghouse attended the dedication of Masonic Temple at Hudson last evening.

Mrs. Chas. Egan and little daughter visited Adrian friends this week. Charlie joined them yesterday. They expect to return to-morrow.

Mrs. R. C. VanAntwerp left yesterday for a visit with friends at Kalamazoo. During her absence, Charlie and wife will see that the restaurant is properly conducted.

Will E. Hall, of Covington, Ky., was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hall, from Saturday till Tuesday afternoon. He is connected with the Kentucky Post.

At St. Peter's Episcopal church this afternoon, Holy Innocents Day, there was a service for the children of the Sunday school, after which gifts were distributed to all.

The masquerade skate at the Armory Monday evening, though not so largely attended as the former one, was very pleasant. Those winning the prizes were Robert Grimm and one of the Jacobus girls.

Thursday afternoon, January 3d, at the Baptist church, will occur the annual renting of pews, after which the ladies will serve a chicken pie supper, to which all are cordially invited. This supper takes the place of the regular church supper.

Rev. James Hageman, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been engaged to supply the pulpit at the Friend's church for a time, and will commence his labors Sunday. There will be services at the regular hours both morning and evening.

A very enjoyable family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Minerva Westcott on Christmas day. The 23d was her birthday and the 24th was the birthday of her grandson, Will, and the party was construed as a birthday anniversary. It was the first time the family have all been together since the death of their father, many years ago. Thirty-two were present, representing four generations. A group picture was taken by Teeple. The day will be remembered by all for many a year, and particularly by Grandma Westcott, as the party was made in honor of her 76th birthday.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

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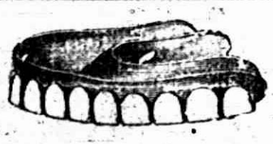

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RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Plans for the Future of the Alpena & Northern Road.

BAY CITY, Dec. 21.—Estimates and contracts are being prepared for extending the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena, or Alger road, as it is usually called, to a Bay City terminal. The road will run into West Bay City, and it is reported that the Flint & Pere Marquette road will bridge the Saginaw river and the new road will run into Bay City over their road and use their depot and warehouse.

It is said Alger, Smith & Co. accepted the offer of the Drexel, Morgan & Co. syndicate for their northern extension called the Alpena & Northern, which is now completed to McKinnon lake, half way to Cheboygan, and by the time the southern end is extended the northern will reach Cheboygan. The road will rival the Grand Rapids & Indiana and Michigan Central as a tourist line, and the towns and cities on the Huron shore are better regarding business than those on the Michigan Central. A new line of steamers to connect with the new extension will be put on next season, so it is reported, and Mackinaw island can be reached in less than an hour from Cheboygan. There is enough lumber uncut in Presque Isle and Montmorency counties to last over ten years at least, affording good freight business. It is said the road, under a receiver, has paid 4 per cent. interest on a $4,000,000 indebtedness.

MICHIGAN RAILROAD TAXES.

There Is Due the State $811,056—Not a Passenger Killed in 1894.

LANSING, Dec. 22.—Railroad Commissioner Billings reported to the governor that the total sum due the state from railroads for taxes this year is $811,056. As compared with 1893 this is a falling off of $82,705, or 9.25 per cent. Of this total the four roads operating under a special charter paid $220,932. The taxes to be paid by this class of roads next year decrease nearly three-fourths, as the Michigan Central and Grand River Valley roads have filed their acceptance of the provisions of an act of 1895, permitting special charter roads to come under the provisions of the general railroad law for the purpose of taxation.

The commissioner reports the fact that for the year ending December 1 not one passenger was killed and but eleven injured by a railroad accident in the state. This is in marked contrast with last year's experience, when in October alone forty-two passengers were killed and ninety-six injured in two accidents at Jackson and Battle Creek.

The aggregate cost of the roads is given at $1,019,700,225, while the total stock and debt is $1,078,896,729. The aggregate receipts from operation were $146,626,659, and the total expenses, including taxes, $105,054,079. The net income of $41,572,559 is $8,712,480 greater than that of the year previous.

POTTER IS TO BE TRIED.

Canvassing Clerk to Be Hauled Up for the Salary Amendment Fraud.

LANSING, Dec. 22.—Interest in the salary amendment frauds is being revived in this city by the announcement of Prosecuting Attorney Gardner that Frank O. Potter, one of the indicted persons, would be placed on trial for making a false public record. At the January term of court to be held at Mason the defendant's attorney, S. L. Kilbourne, announces that his client will be ready for trial, but that the county will be asked to pay the expenses of the defense.

[Potter was one of the clerks employed in making the canvass in the secretary of state's office in the spring of 1893. The returns from twenty-four of the eighty-four counties of the state upon the salaries amendment were fraudulently canvassed, and as Potter never offered any satisfactory explanation of how the changes were made, he was indicted by the grand jury last February.]

TEACHERS EARN $3,758,905.

Superintendent of Public Instruction of Michigan Makes a Report.

LANSING, Dec. 22.—The report of the state superintendent of public instruction of Michigan shows that the total amount paid for teachers' salaries in the public schools for the year ending September 30 was $3,758,905, of which $2,800,243 was paid to women teachers, whose average wages was $34.36 per month, against an average of $48.89 paid to male teachers. There were 16,335 teachers employed, of whom 13,005 were women. The value of school property is $15,757,921. Free text books were furnished in 764 districts.

Took Him for an Alligator.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 21.—Last June Frank Statsic while crossing a bridge over a creek in Allegan county saw what he says he thought was an alligator. Procuring a rail he dealt the object a terrible blow. As it fell into the stream below he saw that it was Carl Johnson, who had fallen asleep while fishing. Statsic took Johnson home, where it was found his skull had been fractured. Johnson recovered and sued Statsic for murderous assault, but the latter was acquitted. A civil suit for damages was then brought, but it has been thrown out of court.

Dropped Dead at a Funeral.

DETROIT, Dec. 22.—While assisting an undertaker to carry out the corpse of his nephew to a hearse, Robert J. Haggerty, a coal dealer of this city, staggered forward just as he reached the gate and dropped to the sidewalk dead. The coffin fell on top of him. When the dead man had been taken into the house the undertaker picked up the coffin, put it into the hearse, and the funeral proceeded as if nothing had happened. Mr. Haggerty's death is attributed to apoplexy.

Will Reduce Its Working Force.

ESCANABA, Dec. 22.—Master Mechanic Clark of the Northwestern railroad shops has received word to reduce the employment force 5 per cent, and to work the shops only five days per week. It has caused great dissatisfaction among the men.

UNDER A BAN.

Catholics Cannot Be Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows or Sons of Temperance.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The Brooklyn Eagle prints the following:

"Bishop McDonnell had a surprise in store for the clergymen of the diocese when they assembled in the diocesan seminary to participate in the regular quarterly conference. The bishop announced that he was in receipt of a communication from Mgr. Satolli. The communication was written in Latin and it stated that the apostolic delegate had been instructed by Rome to notify the archbishops, bishops and priests of the United States that the action taken by the American archbishops relative to secret and semi-secret societies, at a meeting held by them in Chicago, has been ratified by the college of cardinals and by the pope.

"The meeting in Chicago was held at the residence of Archbishop Feehan, and though it was known that one of the topics to be discussed would be the attitude of the Catholic church towards secret societies, no information as to the results of this meeting was given out until the letter read at the conference was received by the papal delegate. This letter contains the information that the Knights of Pythias, the Odd Fellows and the Sons of Temperance are now under the ban of the Catholic church, and the Catholics who join any of these three societies will be excommunicated. Those Catholics who are now members of one or more of these societies will be exhorted to sever their connection with them, and if they refuse they will from that moment and by their refusal cease to be Catholics. The decrees affect no other country save the United States."

TELLS THE TRUTH.

Capt. Schmittberger Tells of Corruption Among New York Police.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Capt. Schmittberger was recalled as a witness before the Lexow committee on Friday. He created a sensation by his answer to the second question asked him, which was: "Do you recognize the binding character of an oath?" He replied: "I do; I have come to tell the whole truth."

Capt. Schmittberger is under indictment for bribery. He had previously refused to testify before the senate committee. Thursday, however, he was rearrested and his bail increased. Friday he took advantage of an offer of immunity from punishment held out to him by Counsel Goff, and agreed to make a clean breast of it.

Without question Friday was the most important day in the history of the Lexow committee. Schmittberger's confession is prolific not only of sensation but of evidence which confirms and verifies what have been hitherto considered the most exaggerated cases of police and official corruption. It deals with more individual cases; it shows the criminality that has prevailed in the police department.

MASKED MEN ROB A TRAIN.

Unmolested They Go Through a Sleeping Car at Sioux City, Ia.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 22.—When the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul passenger train from South Dakota came in Friday morning at 6 o'clock four men went into one of the coaches some distance from the station. They used no revolvers, but had masks on and two took each side of the car, which they worked in about four minutes. Nearly every passenger was relieved of a watch or pocketbook. The men worked so fast that nobody realized what they were at until they were gone.

TO END THE WAR.

China Sends Peace Envoys to Treat with the Japanese Government.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22.—On account of the terrific loss of credit abroad and the unimpeded progress of the Japanese armies China, on the advice of the foreign powers, has determined to surrender absolutely to Japan. Through the friendly offices of the United States, the preliminaries to this end have been arranged and two high plenipotentiaries have been appointed by the emperor to proceed to Japan.

Pension Swindler Sentenced.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 21.—Jere Haralson, the ex-congressman who was tried here several days ago and found guilty of forgery and perjury in several pension cases, has been sentenced by Judge Edgerton to two years in prison at Detroit or pay a fine of $5,000. Haralson represented one of the Alabama districts in congress during the reconstruction period.

Horse Thief at the Age of Twelve.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 21.—Roy Harding, 12 years of age, is in jail here for horse stealing. He is known to have stolen several valuable animals. He drove them into Iowa and sold them. His last theft was a horse he stole from John Hoffman. He was caught while trying to sell the animal.

Jones County Calf Case.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 21.—The supreme court filed a decision in the celebrated Jones county calf case, which has been a source of litigation for many years in this state. The case has cost many thousands of dollars, and the original parties to the suit are nearly all dead.

Great Britain Offers Aid.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 22.—It is reported that the British government has offered assistance to the impoverished people of this colony. The stagnation of business in Newfoundland is complete, every labor-employing concern on the island being closed.

Date Is Set.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 20.—The executive council of the G. A. R. at a meeting presided over by Commander in Chief Lawler on Monday decided that the twenty-ninth encampment of the G. A. R. would be held here during the week beginning September 8.

Fatal Gasoline.

VILAS, O. T., Dec. 22.—A gasoline stove exploded in the home of James A. Forsythe, a farmer living near here, and he and his wife and two small children were fatally burned.

Made Into Sausage.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Investigation shows that decrepit horses and mules are utilized in making sausage for the saloon trade in this city by Indiana manufacturers.

May Have to Issue More Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Another bond issue is inevitable unless the depletion of the gold reserve ceases or congress takes some action.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

Some Interesting Bits of News from Many Localities.

Michigan pickle manufacturers are shipping goods to England.

The Pottawatomie Indians in Berrien county will get about $140,000 to divide among 260 persons.

The Michigan Central railroad now has a branch completed from Buchanan to the dam on the St. Joseph river, about 2 miles from the town. Several new factories are locating on the line.

Grand Ledge and Charlotte are to be connected by an electric railway to carry passengers and general freight.

Frank Bradley, alias Franklin Bineton, wanted in Detroit for forgery, was arrested in Toronto, Ont., Monday. Bradley has agreed to waive extradition proceedings and will return to Detroit with an officer from that city.

INSTANT DEATH.

It Comes to Many Men Through a Boiler Explosion.

WEST BAY CITY, Dec. 20.—Tuesday noon a boiler in the box factory of Russell Bros. exploded because of low water. The shock of the explosion was felt throughout the city. A number of employes were seated in the engine room at the time eating lunch. Five were killed outright, one is missing and supposed to be under the debris, and three were badly injured. The dead are: John Calcutt, aged 24 years; George Pfund, aged 17; Albert Rahn, aged 16; John Brann, aged 15, and Al Hearenbacher, aged 17. The injured are Fred Wildanger, Charles Dodge and Roe Hudson. The dead were terribly mutilated, one man having both legs blown off and his neck broken. One ghastly find was that of a headless trunk. The debris of the mill was thrown over 500 feet and all the windows in the neighborhood were shattered by the shock.

Haining, the engineer, professes entire ignorance of the cause of the accident. He denies that the water was low in the boiler. Experts say that the boiler, which was twenty-eight years old, was practically ruined and rotten. Every expert who has examined the surroundings, declared that the explosion was due to low water.

WILL KEEP HIS SEAT.

Senator Patton to Retain His Place Until His Successor Is Chosen.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 21.—Senator Patton has been consulting with the members of the election committee and finds that the report that his term must expire January 2, and the state have only one senator until the legislature can elect, was without foundation; that the question has been fought out by that committee, and the senate has established a precedent by which Patton will remain a senator until the senate is officially notified of the election of his successor or the legislature finally adjourns without being able to elect. In the case of Trumbull, of Illinois, the senate also exploded the constitutional provision, when it was claimed it would make Judge Hubbell ineligible for senator. Judges and governors have been elected and admitted to seats as senators in several instances.

LANSING POPULISTS.

They Prepare for Business Ventures on the Cooperative Plan.

LANSING, Dec. 21.—Lansing populists are to establish industries and a newspaper on the cooperative plan. They will erect a building in which will be carried on the manufacture of chairs and wagons. A general merchandise store will also be a part of the scheme. Workers will be paid in paper good for its face value in the store, goods to be sold at a small advance above cost. Should the purchases not equal his earnings the worker may receive his surplus either in cash or paper of the association. Operations will be commenced in a few weeks. The progress of the organization will be watched with interest.

Jailbreaker Caught.

HILLSDALE, Dec. 22.—Seven desperate criminals escaped from the Hillsdale county jail September 3 by tunneling through the walls. Among them was George E. Cleveland, who with Robert Mehan and Frank Swindenski was charged with the attempted murder of Postmaster Weatherwax, of Somerset, in July. Since then one of the lesser jailbreakers was caught, but Cleveland and his pals were not heard from till Thursday night. Sheriff Converse received a telegram from the chief of police of New Orleans, La., saying they had him in custody.

He Secured a Part.

DETROIT, Dec. 21.—Auditor General Turner has demanded of the auditors of Wayne county an advance of $100,000 on account of the state's portion of taxes. He explained that the state needs this sum to meet vouchers, and said the treasury is nearly empty. It was finally agreed that Cashier Nicol of the City Savings bank will advance $37,500 and the county will pay a like sum, and Mr. Turner for the present will be satisfied with that $75,000 thus secured.

To Explore Hudson's Bay Wilds.

ALBION, Dec. 22.—Profs. Delos Fall and E. Clyde Ford, of Albion college, will lead a party of students into the wilds of the Hudson Bay territory next summer. The unexplored territory north of Lake Nipigon and south and west of Hudson's bay will be visited, and a careful study of the country and its flora and fauna will be made.

Wants the Wisconsin Central to Pay.

LANSING, Dec. 22.—Attorney General Ellis has commenced suit against the Wisconsin Central railway which operates between Bessemer and Ironwood, in this state, to recover $3,000 specific tax assessed against it in 1893. The auditor general has made several fruitless attempts to collect, hence the suit.

The Development of the South.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

THE senate was addressed by Messrs. Hill and Turpie on the 18th, the former in advocacy of cloture, the latter in opposition to the Nicaragua canal bill. A resolution looking to union with Canada was introduced by Senator Gallinger.... In the house debate on the Carlisle banking bill was begun. Mr. Springer speaking in favor and Mr. Walker in opposition to the measure. Mr. Bland announced a substitute for the Carlisle currency bill which provides for the free coinage of silver.

THE report of Admiral Walker on the subject of Hawaii was laid before the senate on the 19th. A bill was passed to open for settlement abandoned military reservations in various states and territories. A bill was also passed to establish a national military park at the battlefield of Shiloh. The Nicaragua canal bill was further discussed.... In the house the time was occupied in debating the Carlisle currency bill.

IN the senate on the 20th bills were reported to revive the grade of lieutenant general in the army, to forfeit lands granted to aid in the construction of railroads and to provide a suitable residence for the president.... In the house bills were introduced to amend the national banking act, authorizing the deposit of legal tenders instead of bonds to secure circulation, the circulating bank notes to be exempt from taxation; to provide a residence for the president, and an urgency deficiency bill of $675,000 to complete the census. A bill was passed to pension the widow of Maj. Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks at the rate of $100 a month. The currency bill was further discussed.

THE senate was not in session on the 21st.... In the house Mr. Wilson (W. Va.) introduced a bill repealing that portion of the new tariff act which imposes a differential duty on one-tenth of 1 per cent. a pound on sugars imported from countries paying a bounty on sugar exported. A bill was passed for the relief of homesteaders in Wisconsin and Minnesota whose property was devastated by the forest fires last year. Mr. Springer introduced a substitute for the Carlisle currency bill.

DOMESTIC.

THE Lexow idea has reached San Francisco, where the clergymen are organizing a movement to purify municipal morals.

BRITISH army officers, under the guise of artists and tourists, were said to have made sketches of the territory and defenses in the vicinity of Toledo, O., and other lake ports.

A BILL to prevent strikes on railways has been prepared by Carroll D. Wright and his associates on the labor commission.

PROMINENT New York business men decided to test the constitutionality of the income tax in the courts.

THOMAS A. EDISON has vetoed the plan to have Corbett and Fitzsimmons fight before the kinetoscope in Mexico.

CHICAGO capitalists were said to have purchased all the private mines at Rock Springs, Wyo., the consideration being $20,000,000.

EUGENE V. DEBS and his associate officers of the American Railway union, concluded to make no further attempt to avert their punishment.

SAMUEL COHN & BRO., New York shoe dealers, failed for $400,000.

THE business portion of Stone Mountain, Ga., was almost entirely destroyed by fire.

TWENTY indictments of men charged with repeating in the recent election were handed down by the grand jury at St. Louis.

EIGHT eloping Kentucky couples crossed the Ohio river to Jeffersonville, Ind., and were married.

FOUR boys and one man were killed and three others injured by the explosion of a boiler in a planing mill at West Bay City, Mich.

JOHN E. BIELBY, cashier of the Central national bank of Rome, N. Y., confessed to being a defaulter to the amount of $27,000.

D. K. CALDWELL, a Frankfort (Ind.) lumber dealer, was convicted of conspiracy to manufacture and circulate counterfeit coin.

THE Kentucky superior court has gone out of existence by limitation of the constitution.

A FIRE at Huron, O., destroyed the Reporter printing establishment.

LUCY M. GRUBER sues Roswell E. Messinger, of Toledo, O., for $75,000 damages in breach of promise to marry.

WILLIAM MEYERS and Alexander Carr, murderers, were sentenced to be hanged at Atlanta, Ga., on February 8.

IN a fit of despondency Mrs. William Jones, of Dry Hollow, near Cassville, Mo., cut the throats of her 5 and 7-year-old children with a razor and then committed suicide in the same manner.

A MURPHY temperance movement has been inaugurated in Salem, O., over 1,000 having already signed the pledge.

UTICA, N. Y., road supervisors decided to tax wheelmen three dollars a year, the money to be used in improving the highways.

OWING to alleged unjust treatment by the bishop of the diocese, the Roman Catholic population of Weidenthal, in Hungary, in a body declared themselves protestants.

MASKED men entered the home of John Collins near Sioux City, Ia., and robbed him of $1,400 in gold.

IN a dispute about a right of way at Cripple Creek, Col., R. R. Newell, chief engineer of the Midland Terminal road, was killed by Van Houghton.

C. J. COOK and his wife were fatally burned at Elyria, O., in a fire that destroyed their home.

FOUR HUNDRED men were thrown out of work and a loss of $100,000 was sustained by a fire in the Spring Hill collieries at Halifax, N. S.

TWENTY-FIVE Buffalo (N. Y.) lodges of Knights of Pythias seceded and formed a new order because of the abolishing of rituals in foreign languages.

IT was said that Congressman-elect John J. Jenkins, of Wisconsin, was ineligible, never having been naturalized.

MISS EVA DOOLEY, of Boston, Ind., had both her limbs amputated at the knee because of their poisoned condition, resulting from wearing red stockings.

GEORGE H. BARBOUR, mourned as dead, was reunited to his father in Chicago over the corpse which had been positively identified as his own.

DIRECTOR GENERAL DAVIS' report upon the Columbian exposition will be submitted to the president within the next month.

FIVE men were injured, two probably fatally, by the falling of a scaffolding at Janesville, Wis.

FRED W. JON has been commissioned as consul general of Hawaii for Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan.

NOT a passenger was killed on a Michigan railroad during the past year and but eleven were injured.

THE clothing manufactory of H. S. Mark & Co., at Milwaukee, was closed by holders of mortgages aggregating about $160,000.

STEVE ADAMS was hanged at Greenville, Miss., for murdering James Iverson last May, and Judge Gilbert was hanged at Friar's Point, Miss., for killing his wife.

THE twenty-ninth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Louisville, Ky., beginning September 11, 1895.

DIVELLO PIER, of Barnett, N. Y., was found dead in his buggy, his body being frozen stiff.

THE grand jury voted to indict twenty-six of the men charged with lawlessness at the polls on election day in Chicago. Three of the number are policemen.

FIRE at Napoleonville, La., destroyed seven blocks, including most of the business portion of the town. Loss, $125,000.

STATUES of Daniel Webster and Gen. John Stark were unveiled at the national capital with appropriate ceremonies.

FOUR tramps boarded a Lake Shore local freight near Norfolk, O., robbed a traveling man, shot Brakeman William Giles through the leg and escaped near Clyde, O.

JAMES ALLEN (colored) was shot to death by a mob at Brownesville, Tex. He was charged with burning barns.

THE body of Mrs. A. D. Matson, murdered ten days ago, was found at Topeka, Kan. She had been criminally assaulted and robbed.

THE Iowa supreme court rendered what was said to be a final decision in the "Jones county calf case," which has been in the courts over sixteen years.

OFFICERS investigating the Shearman murder at Jamestown, N. Y., found the picture of one of the murderers photographed on the dead woman's eye.

THE steamer Campania lowered her east-bound Atlantic record to five days nine hours and eighteen minutes.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY hunters from various Colorado points killed 1,000 jack rabbits in a day's hunting at Lamar.

STATE department officials discredit the report that Great Britain is planning to secure possession of Hawaii.

A SHORTAGE of $9,000 was discovered in the accounts of J. H. Henderson, late treasurer of Bureau county, Ill.

WISCONSIN courts have decided that the Illinois Order of Foresters is without legal right to do business in that state.

THE president has respited for the fourth time Thomas St. Clair, sentenced to be hanged in California for murder committed on the high seas.

THE Babbitt block, a four-story structure at Morristown, N. J., in which were the First national bank and Kelse's clothing store, was burned, the loss being $100,000.

CHARLES PETERSON shot his wife in New York, killing her, and then killed himself. Five young children were left orphans by the tragedy.

WHILE fooling with a gun Simeon Bowen shot and killed the two little daughters of Zeke Bryant near Troy, Ala.

THERE were 349 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 21st, against 340 the week previous and 334 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THE National Educational association, department of superintendence, is to hold its annual meeting February 19, 20 and 21 in association hall at Cleveland, O.

EN ROUTE from Celina to Versailles, O., Andrew Baumgartner met a stranger who proved to be his brother, who left home twenty years ago and was believed to be dead.

A GASOLINE stove exploded in the home of James A. Forsythe, a farmer living near Vilas, O. T., and he and his wife and two small children were fatally burned.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 21st aggregated $1,020,046,544, against $1,019,089,669 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 8.4.

FIRE in Cleveland, O., destroyed buildings and their contents valued at nearly $250,000.

IN New York Police Capt. Schmittberger, of the force, gave very damaging evidence before the Lexow committee against high officials.

OWING to a recent supreme court decision wholesale dealers in oleomargarine in Maryland have ceased to handle the product.

INVESTIGATION shows that decrepit horses and mules are utilized in making sausage for the saloon trade by Indiana manufacturers.

CALVIN J. CHRISTIE was hanged at Kalispel, Mont., for the murder of Mrs. Lena Cunningham last April.

NEW YORK bankers were credited with a movement to have Secretary Carlisle removed by the president.

SENATOR HOAR'S oration in Washington at the unveiling of the statue to Daniel Webster is pronounced the gem of the century.

TWO hundred people left Elberton Ga., for Texas, where they go, they claim, to better their condition. Men women and children composed the party.

WILLIAM G. CULBERSON, mayor of Mount Vernon, O., dropped dead on the street while going to his office.

THE most successful of the annual jack-rabbit hunts at Lamar, Col., has resulted in the killing of about 1,000 of the animals.

"THE Sailors' House" in Vallejo, Cal., was burned, and three of the boarders were cremated.

TWO young Alabama ruffians fired into a schoolhouse near Brownridge, fatally wounding four of the pupils.

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STATIONS.	No. 215 Mail.	No. 275 Express	No. 249 Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 30 "	2 30 "	1 00 "
Norvell	6 47 "	2 50 "	1 20 "
Manchester	6 44 "	3 15 "	1 35 "
Clinton	6 53 "	3 25 "	1 45 "
Tecumseh	7 18 "	3 51 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	4 45 "	3 00 "
Detroit	10 15 "	6 55 "	.....
Toledo	7 00 "	4 20 "	10 55 "

Train No. 215 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 216 Mail.	No. 276 Express.	No. 248 Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	5 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 05 "	7 55 "	.....
Adrian	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	11 27 "	9 33 "	7 53 "
Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	12-10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 02 "
Napoleon	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 46 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 31 "

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EAST. No 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
		A. M. 12 25	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 2 25	
		12 55	Monteith	1 58	
	A. M	1 39	Yorkville	1 11	A. M
A. M.	7 30	2 07	Battle Creek	12 45	1 22
8 20	8 35	2 18	Marshall	12 14	12 32
9 11	8 55	3 06	Homer	11 45	11 44
10 15	9 42	3 37	Hanover	11 14	11 06
11 50	10 35	4 17	Addison	10 40	10 18
12 05	10 41	4 23	Devils Lake	10 27	9 54
12 35	11 01	4 36	Onsted	10 14	9 36
	11 10	4 43	Sand Lake	10 07	9 25
1 08	11 20	4 51	Tipton	9 58	9 14
1 42	11 40	5 06	Tecumseh	9 43	8 51
2 05	11 52	5 15	Ridgeway	9 31	8 37
2 40	11 58	5 20	Britton	9 28	8 34
3 09	12 14	5 33	Rea	9 15	8 10
3 22	12 27	5 42	Dundee	9 05	7 57
5 15	1 45	6 30	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	6 35
P.M.	P.M.	P.M		A.M.	P.M

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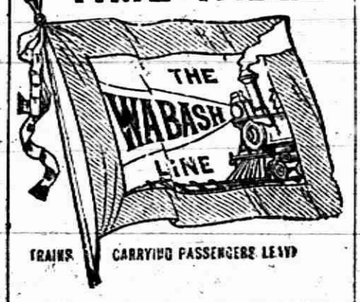

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:28 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	8:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	7 25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	8:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	8:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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GOING NORTH.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a license granted to the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 18 4, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house known as the late residence of said deceased, on lands hereinafter described, in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as seven and one-half (7 1-2) acres of land to be taken in the form of a parallelogram eighty (80) rods long north and south by fifteen (15) rods wide east and west, from out the southeast corner of the west half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section two (2), of town five south of range four east.

Also all that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Also all that other parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as four acres of land in square form to be taken from out the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east.

Also that parcel of land situated in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as the east half of the east half of the northeast quarter of section two (2), of town five (5) south of range four (4) east, containing about 37 1-2 acres of land.

All the above described lands are subject to the dower right of Mary M. service, widow of said deceased therein, and are also subject to rights to cut and remove the growing wheat crop thereon.

Terms of sale, down payment in cash.

Dated, November 8, 1894.

MARY M. SERVICE,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 24th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James Litchard, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Alfred Lewis or to some other suitable person,

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of December, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 27, 1894.

Rev. C. M. Stout visited Toledo Monday.

D. St. John made a business trip to Toledo Monday.

E. R. Smith visited Adrian and Toledo Saturday.

Clifford Millis, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton friends Monday.

Eva Shimmaa spent Christmas with her mother at Petersburg.

Willoughby Nash spent Christmas with his children at Palmyra.

Frank L. Woodward was quite ill last week, but is now around again.

Mrs. C. R. Barnsdale and Mabel visited Blissfield friends this week.

A. S. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town on legal business Saturday.

A. M. Kennedy left Saturday to spend Christmas with his people in Detroit.

Leslie J. Leek left Saturday for a visit with his sister Ella at Lansing.

Mrs. C. Pawson has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers, the past week.

Mrs. J. S. Kies spent Xmas with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, and family, at Tecumseh.

E. F. Muir left Monday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. C. Johnston, and family, in Detroit.

Henry P. Downs and wife are visiting Macon friends this week and living on the fat of the land.

Mrs. Franc Haise left Monday for Battle Creek, to pass the Christmas season with a sister.

Chas. L. Silvers and wife attended the McNeil reunion at Chas. McNeil's, at Tecumseh Tuesday.

B. E. Gallup, of Columbia, was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Rentschler, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith entertained a number of old schoolmates and friends at her beautiful home Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers had a large gathering of the Reynolds families at their home Tuesday.

Geo. A. Kies returned home from Utica, N. Y., Friday night, and is making a few short trips during this week.

Mrs. Serville Hendershot for several days was not so well, but is again improving slowly. She has been having a serious time.

C. F. Clark and wife, A. M. Kennedy, W. H. Beehler, Grace Stevens, Laura Clark and Louise VanDeMark attended the Christmas party at Tecumseh.

Frank Hogan returned home from Chicago with his father. They drove up from Adrian Sunday. Frank is looking well. He will remain over the holidays.

The employees at the woolen mill with their usual thoughtfulness, presented David S. Goodrich, who has been so sorely afflicted, a nice sum of money as their Christmas offering.

Edward Stanchfield, of South Bend, Ind., arrived Monday to spend the holidays with his daughters, Mesdames Muir and Vest. When he returns Mrs. S., who has been here some time, will go with him.

Rev. C. M. Brown gave an illustrated lecture at the Congregational church Tuesday evening, entitled "A Trip Across the Continent, from the Atlantic to the Golden Gate." It was under the auspices of the Sunday School.

Phelps Leland opens the high school's course of entertainments, Monday evening, Dec. 31st. Don't fail to hear him. If you have not got a course ticket, procure one at once. Leland's lecture alone will be worth the price of a course ticket.

L. W. Kimball and wife left yesterday (Wednesday) morning for a trip of a week or ten days in the Dominion of Canada. They will visit London and other points while away and will attend the wedding of one of Blanche's school friends at Owens Sound.

C. S. Burroughs, having completed his labors at Blackburn, Oklahoma Territory, returned home, with his wife, Friday night. It seems good to have them with us again, and we anticipate great enjoyment in hearing Charlie relate some of his experiences on the frontier.

Willard D. VanTuyle is the recipient of a very unique paper knife, sent by Miss Augusta Bruce, who is connected with a girl's school on one of the Sandwich Islands. It is made from one of the native woods, highly polished and richly inlaid with other woods. It is both useful and ornamental.

At the Baptist church, Monday night, the exercises appropriate to Christmas were very interesting, the children and all acquitting themselves with great credit. Instead of the conventional tree, they had a wind mill, which was a work of art and correct in detail. When the wind blew, out came the presents in great profusion and variety, to the great delight of the expectant onlookers. It was quite a novelty and a pleasant change.

George Ellis, a former Clintonite and oldest son of our venerable townsman, Alexander Ellis, died, it is thought, of apoplexy, at his home in Zilwaukee, just down the river from Saginaw, Sunday morning. Two of his sisters, Mrs. Mary Belding and Mrs. Alice Mills, and Dan. H. Davis left Tuesday to attend his funeral, which occurred yesterday. He leaves a widow and several children, most of whom are grown up to manhood and womanhood, some of them being married.

Friday we had two runaways, which added largely to the excitement accompanying the holiday season, namely, Ed. Clark's and Gregory Clapp's. The former was unloading corn from a car at the station and had the reins tied to the car door. The horses became frightened and Ed. thinking to get the lines, sprang onto the wagon, but as he did so the lines broke and they were off. Turning suddenly Ed. was thrown off and landed on his back. The team ran for the barn, and as they turned short onto Chicago street the wagon turned bottom side up, the whiffletrees parting company with the same. Up through the crowded street they went to the barn. Save Ed.'s bruises, no damage was done; but he had a narrow escape from serious injury, if not death. The other team broke loose and started west at a rapid gait, but were stopped at Halliday's before doing any damage.

There were a large number of family reunions here and in the surrounding country Xmas.

Miss Florence Camburn, of Macon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Niblack, this week.

Prof. L. S. Camburn and family, of Centerville, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Will Niblack, this week.

Quite a number of the Masonic brethren expect to attend the dedicatory ceremonies of the Masonic Temple at Tecumseh to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack entertained friends from Detroit, Wayne, Ypsilanti and Saline, Christmas. It was a jolly company.

The following are the newly elected officers in Auchampaugh Hive L. O. T. M.:

Lady Com.—Mrs. Minerva White.
Lieut. Com.—Mrs. Robert Bauer.
Record Keeper—Mrs. Ella Niblack.
Finance Keeper—Mrs. Alice Mills.
Chaplain—Mrs. Addie Ward.
Sergeant—Mrs. Libbie Carney.
M. at A.—Mrs. Thomas Kirk.
Sentinel—Mrs. Mary Belding.
Picket—Mrs. David Monroe.
Organist—Miss Nellie Kishpaugh.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club will meet at the home of William Waldron, Friday evening, Jan. 4th. Program:

Music.
Dec.—Floyd Ager.
Chip basket—Mrs. Bramble.
Rec.—Pauline Wilson.
Reading—Hettie Waldron.
Song—Mrs. Welch.
Dec.—Wilfred Waldron.
Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
Charade—Mrs. Haire.
Song—Charlie Hurry.
Question box.

When Ponce-de-Leon sought to find
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It may be that he had in mind
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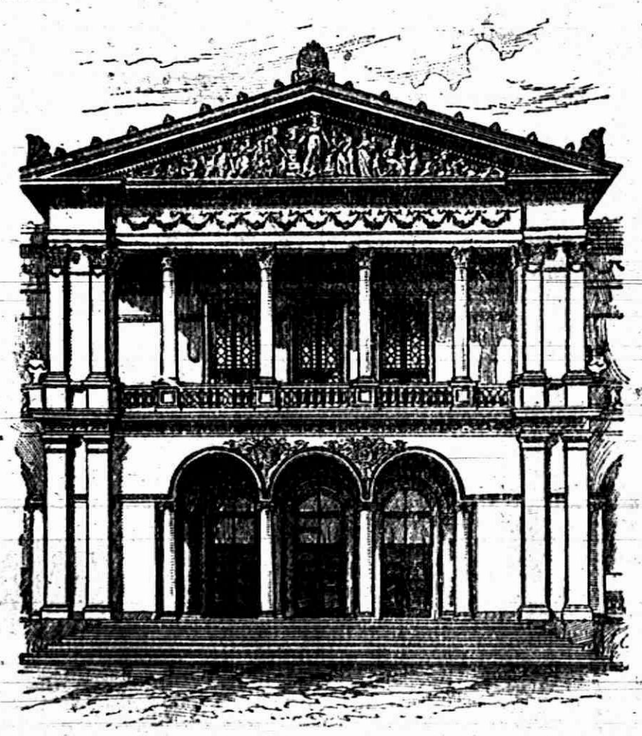

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
The Lilley State Bank

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, December 19, 1894.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 48,647 41
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	22,755 08
Overdrafts	156 22
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,666 49
Due from banks in reserve cities	73,271 79
Checks and cash items	1,681 89
Nickles and pennies	12 24
Gold coin	18,9 5 00
Silver coin	99 40
U. S. and National Bank Notes	3,263 00
Total	$ 172,558 13

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	3,20 00
Gross undivided earnings	5,461 99
Commercial deposits subject to check	99,907 92
Commercial certificates of deposit	23 988 22
Total	$ 172,558 13

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21th day of December, 1894.

FRANK B. BAUER, Notary Public.

[Correct Attest.]
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 24th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary Clemens, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of the estate of said deceased be granted to petitioner, the executrix named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said, petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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INSTALLING OFFICERS

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A Camp Fire and Program.

Benefit of the Grand Entertainment Given at Butler's Opera House Monday Evening.

The installation ceremonies of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., which took place at the opera house on Monday evening, together with the Camp Fire program in connection therewith, proved to be an entertainment of more than usual merit. The G. A. R. post again demonstrated its aptness for giving a public entertainment that the public could appreciate and patronize.

The auditorium of the opera house presented a delightful picture. The forest scene was set upon the stage, the platform and walls on each side were profusely decorated with national flags, while the front of the gallery was trimmed with tri-colored bunting, hung in festoons. An open space about thirty feet wide was left in front of the stage where the installation ceremonies were performed. The platform was filled with chairs, which were occupied by the orchestra, members of the G. A. R. from abroad and others during the evening.

The program opened with two selections by the Social Concert Orchestra, "The Crow Crows" and "The Eagle's Nest," both from Issenman, which were finely rendered. It is needless to pass any encomiums here upon the merits of their music. Their reputation is already established and they always please whenever they appear.

Major Seymour Howell then [illegible] the installation of the officers elect of Beers Post, and performed that difficult job with his usual dignity and tact. The orchestra followed with another selection [illegible]

The installing officer of the W. R. C. came [illegible] and [illegible] beautiful work and [illegible] Hymns, State [illegible] Without disparaging the [illegible] post, we must confess that the [illegible] of the corps, on installation, surpasses the beauty that of the post, and Mrs. Hodgman conducted the exercises in a very impressive manner. To those who had never witnessed the ceremony, it was exceedingly interesting.

The orchestra then gave that grand old tune, "The Star Spangled Banner" in a manner that stirred every old veteran's heart.

Comrade John D. Shull then assumed control and introduced the camp fire program. He did this in his usual happy style, making frequent hits which the audience highly appreciated.

The first toast, "Michigan in the War," was responded to by Hon. James O'Donnell.

JAS. O'DONNELL'S SPEECH.

In responding to this toast he paid high tribute to the patriotism, courage and services rendered by Michigan's noble sons in the great struggle. As was expected he illustrated many truths by anecdotes which were appreciated by the large audience of people who filled the [illegible]. He showed from statistics that no state responded more nobly to the [illegible] than our own grand state. He paid a high and fitting tribute to the memory of Michigan's grand war governor, Austin Blair, and in closing gave the number of battles fought by regiments, the number killed in battle, the number dying from wounds and disease. The summary [illegible] a total of 100,000 enlisted, 2,800 [illegible] in battle, 1,566 dying from [illegible] and 9,783 from disease.

[illegible] "The Private Soldier," was [illegible] Washington Gardner. The [illegible] gram explained his failure [illegible] me:"

ALBION, Jan. 7, '95.

[illegible]—Regret my inability [illegible]-to-night. Important [illegible] Lansing. Convey [illegible] sides assembled.

WASHINGTON GARDNER.

[illegible] some of his early [illegible] under the title of

[illegible] of '61—The Old [illegible] title of the [illegible]itor Stearns, of [illegible] touched a respon- [illegible] of the old vets. [illegible] frequent ap- [illegible] synopsis of his

ADDRESS.

[illegible] breakfast table, [illegible] daughter looked up [illegible] question: "What [illegible] the dictionary?" [illegible] given by the [illegible] was, "I guess it [illegible]." Shaking her [illegible] smiles, because [illegible] first and last [illegible] this was em- [illegible] assigned, me- [illegible] 1895 are the [illegible] intervening.—34

[illegible] a young man [illegible] State Norm-

Mr. [illegible] common with other sons of [illegible] had their jests at the [illegible] ranks that the name of McKee [illegible] were famous. The exploits of Hamilton [illegible] the various campaigns [illegible] the [illegible] of the soldiers [illegible] had created a respect [illegible] The South that was not allayed with [illegible] words. Years after the days [illegible] had decided a contest [illegible] and [illegible] rang, troops [illegible] to the [illegible] and guns drew so [illegible] Of the News failed to [illegible] tion, and President Lincoln [illegible] and [illegible] for [illegible] years for 75,000 men [illegible] months' service. [illegible] of [illegible] became the soldiers of [illegible] and they were indeed raw recruits. There never was a country so unprepared for war. The young soldiers of 1861 had never known discipline or military training. They had no idea of what war meant. They had read over and over again the story of the great revolutionary struggle, had been thrilled with the victories of 1812 and gratified by the triumphs in the war with Mexico, but personally, none of them had ever known organization, or drill or organized efforts.

The young soldier of 1861! Ah, what a trial awaited him and how gloriously he stood the ordeal. Scan the pages of history and you will search in vain for such deeds of heroism, bravery, daring, endurance and valor, such desperate contests, such heroic conflicts, such undying devotion and loyalty. The young soldier of 1861 was became the strong, sturdy, trusty veteran of 1865, and when finally the last struggle was over and the victory won, the surviving members of that immense body of boys, with steady tread, returned to their respective homes, and of them the post could write as was written of the pilgrim fathers:

"I see them on their winding way,
Above their ranks the moonbeams play,
Their hearts high deeds and daring high
Filled with the hopes of victory."

Those young soldiers of 1861-5 returned, and to-day are the soldiers of peace, a common citizenship with their fathers and sons. To-day the hearts are filled with unspeakable pride as they see the boys of 1895 in the national uniform, forming the "national militia." Are these boys in the pride of their young manhood, are but the counterparts of the boys, who, in 1861, without previous education, became real soldiers; and none but one who has been in the shock of battle, and is the father of youth like these, can divine the emotions that fill a veteran's breast, as he [illegible] the martial tread of these young [illegible] the present protectors and [illegible]

[illegible] on these that [illegible] Grand Army, at [illegible] of which is [illegible] [illegible] if the Grand [illegible] a non-political organization.

[illegible] Yes and No. In the sense of an old soldier being a politician, yes. He is not only a voting man, but he is independent in his party preference and thoroughly loyal to his party. In the sense of aiding a G. A. R. member, again I say, yes. It is this kind of a political organization that led every old soldier to sympathize in the success of Burroughs for senator. Understand me, that the selection of senator depended on my vote and it was a struggle between Mr. Burroughs and Don Dickinson. I would have chosen Mr. Dickinson, because he represents my political views. But had it been between L. H. Salsbury and Mr. Dickinson, I would have chosen Mr. Salsbury. If by political organization you mean are we pledged to advance any political party, I answer, No! a thousand times no. No man ever heard a word about politics in a post room.

In July last when law was ignored, authority defied, property destroyed, commerce and trade stopped; when the torch and rapine, pillage and plunder had brought chaos and anarchy at our doors, because in the exercise of his powers the President had stretched forth the strong arm of law and backed it promptly with the military, where stood the Grand Army of the Republic? Why, for law and order, to a man; and had President Cleveland in that month been a candidate for re-election, I pledge you that George Spaulding, James O'Donnell, Seymour Howell and John D. Shull would have stood side by side with Robert McKinstry, L. H. Salsbury, Jebiel Davidson and myself, and given Mr. Cleveland a unanimous vote. Personal and party preferences would have been lost sight of in a desire to proclaim to the world our approval of a determination to uphold the laws of the land.

This is the policy of the Grand Army of the Republic. This is its mission, this its influence, and this is what the soldier of 1895 is proud to proclaim.

P. S. McKinnon responded to "Our National Guard." This he did in a scholarly manner, and by his clear reasoning and effective argument, excited in the minds of the people a greater appreciation of our own gallant boys than had ever been entertained. He showed conclusively, that while guarded by Company C, Beers Post, aided by the Relief Corps, the citizens of Tecumseh might rest in perfect security from foes at home and abroad.

The Grayson family, consisting of Miss Dora Grayson and her brothers, Peter, Will, Cap and Ted, gave a vocal selection, "Alabama Coon." Their voices blend in perfect harmony, and the song carried the audience by storm. It was received with vociferous applause and they responded to the encore with a sweet little ballad, "God Won't Love You, If You Don't be Good"

"Woman's War Work," was the topic assigned to Mrs. Emma Stark Hampton. It was a model address, and as it was delivered from manuscript, we take pleasure in presenting it entire.

MRS. HAMPTON'S PAPER.

The Rebellion, that great unnatural strife, which began and ended in the first half of the 4th decade of the 19th century, with all its causes and results is still fresh in the memory of the comrades and ladies present.

[illegible] In this new [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 11, 1895.

Mrs. Frank Munson is visiting friends in Monroe county.

W. D. VanTuyle made a business trip to Hudson Monday.

Frank L. Woodward was home from Hudson over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Ember is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Wm. Corwin visited Chatlie and family Monday and Tuesday.

Fred VanDeMark was slightly indisposed the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Haughn have had another child born to them.

Miss Minnie Alexander spent Sunday with her father at Tecumseh.

R. T. Mitchell of Cleveland, Ohio, visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Martin gave a 6 o'clock dinner at the V Club, Thursday last.

Mr. Chamberlain, of Bean & Chamberlain, Hudson, was in town Monday.

It is reported that the old Clinton foundry will be started up again soon.

Irve Hause had a cousin from Harvey, Illinois, Pilbeam by name, visit him over Sunday.

Darwin Munson, of Monroe Co., was the guest of his brother Frank and family over Sunday.

Charles Keyser and family now occupy the west half of the Stebbins house on Locust street.

Lew. W. Kimball and wife returned from their little trip, Friday, and report a pleasant time.

Miss Tessie Carroll entertained a company of friends at her mother's last Thursday evening.

Lawrence Eldy, of Manchester township, and Guy Collins, of Macon, entered the school here Monday.

Some of our young people attended the dancing party at Hampton's Hall, Tipton, Friday evening last.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kate Conklin, at Manchester, the last of the week.

Miss Cora Witherell left Tuesday for an extended visit with friends at Fremont and other points in Ohio.

Mrs. Ella G. Rose and daughter Blanche arrived Friday night from Detroit for a visit with Mrs. Marjory Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schoen, of Bridgewater Station, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tag over Sunday.

Prof. H. E. Fink, of Tecumseh, gave one of his instructive lectures last evening at the Town Hall to an appreciative audience.

Mrs. George A. Kies gave a delightful pedro party to 24 of her lady friends Monday evening. The gentlemen were left out entirely.

The work on the Woolen Mill company's new building is practically completed and ere long will be occupied for the purposes designed.

Floyd Rogers and Harry Kies returned to Orchard Lake, Tuesday, to again take up their work in Michigan's popular military school.

Geo. C. Lindsley is holding down his seat at the session of supervisors, now in session at Adrian, and Mrs. Lindsley is visiting friends at Saline.

Rev. A. M. Spencer held meetings last week at Ryans Lake, and has been quite indisposed for several days. He was able to occupy his pulpit Sunday.

Madison E. Lane and Rosa left Friday for Ann Arbor. Mr. Lane has decided to have the eye, which has been operated upon twice, removed entirely.

Fred Palmer is nursing a felon these days, and it is said that he is a model of patience—so resigned, so gentle. We know how it is Fred, for we have been there.

Miss Mame Bradner attended the wedding of a friend in Jackson last week, and since then has been visiting other friends there. She returned home yesterday.

We are sorry to report Wm. Beal on the sick list. His trouble seems to be a complication of ailments and the chances are that he may be confined for some time.

Wm. C. Rogers has done a thriving business in Jackson county, selling territory for the fence he is handling. He was in Adrian Monday and Tuesday, he returned to the scene of his labors.

C. H. Fisk, who is now in the legislature, on his way home from Lansing, came this way and dropped off the morning train Saturday to make some calls, and went on to Detroit in the afternoon.

George Lancaster took an impromptu bath Monday. They were making preparations for cutting ice, and George stepped on a cake that went down with him. He prefers July weather for out door baths.

Charles S. Burroughs and family now occupy the Rogers house on Church street. We understand that Charlie proposes to again manufacture his celebrated Cuba chewing gum, but on a much larger scale than ever before.

Albert Hulet having purchased the old house of Strond Marsteller, wanted a place to put it. He finally bought a lot of Mrs. Maria Hixon, on Jackson street, north of Will Woods shop. He is busy getting the material on the ground for the foundation, and when it is completed, will move the house.

Do you wonder why Dos White Charlie Burroughs, Geo. Hard, Will VanTuyle and a number of others looked so sour Tuesday. We will tell you, they were at home taking care of the house and children, while their wives were enjoying themselves at the pedro party the night before.

At a meeting Monday evening of the stockholders of the Clinton Plow company, it was decided to accept C. F. Clark's proposition, and consequently have purchased of him two acres of land south and just east of the depot grounds for which they pay $200.00. He is to open a street west of the land purchased, and also one north of their land running east to Tecumseh street. In doing this some choice lots will be for sale and no doubt they will be taken at once, and pleasant cottages erected this season. As there is a growing demand for houses this will fill the bill.

Two gentlemen formerly the Social Club gave their first public reception at the club rooms Tuesday evening. Their wives, sweethearts, and a few others were invited. The gentlemen, as entertainers, proved themselves experts, and all were delighted with their maiden effort. The caterer, M. F. McClure, added new laurels to his already enviable reputation in this line.

Doris and Polly Schnorlle were the victims of a complete surprise Saturday evening. Their brother, Jacob being the instigator. He had his plans well and executed them systematically; from 25 to 30 of their young friends were present and were royally entertained. The elegant home was all thrown open and brilliantly illuminated. To the music it permeated a beautiful pleasure.

A large load of our young people started out Friday, to pass the evening with the younger members of the Hanks household at River Raisin. After reaching there it was decided to take them in and continue on to Bridgewater Station. They did so and when they reached their destination they enjoyed a pleasant dancing party, and we wont tell just the hour they reached home. The boys were at their respective places of business on time next morning, however.

The Clinton Mail agent at present is experiencing one of the pleasures of being a public servant. The old Clinton Plow Co. having sold their plant and moved to Hudson, a new company was formed and incorporated under the same name, consequently mail coming addressed "The Clinton Plow Company" has been given to the home company. Monday a representative of the old company served a written notice on Albert, forbidding him delivering mail thus addressed to the new company and shortly after a similar notice was served by the new company. Albert at once telegraphed to headquarters for instructions, with what result we have not been able as yet to learn. No blame is attached by either company to the postmaster. We trust everything will be settled amicably.

We take the following clipping from a Vassar paper (thanks to the courtesy of James Priest,) because Henry, one of the interested parties, has been one in our midst, and has a great many friends among our readers. "Miss Bertha Quick of this place, (Vassar) was married on Christmas day at the home of her parents on the east side, to Henry Hollenbeck, of Columbiaville. Rev. W. H. Rettey performed the ceremony. The guests were only the immediate relatives of the couple. The bride and groom were the recipients of a large number of handsome presents from friends in this and other places who join in wishing them a happy and prosperous future. The groom is a brother of W. H. Hollenbeck in this place. The newly wedded couple will settle in Columbiaville." Well, Henry we expected something of this kind; here is our hand and congratulations although we were not consulted in the matter.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Wm. Bradley is able to be about again.

Robin red breast has been seen and heard from.

The little child of John Bun died of paralysis Saturday morning.

Elijah Allen's little girl, Eva, was some better at last accounts.

The Maccabees gave an oyster supper at Hampton's hall, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Oscar Alexander is made glad by the things that her daughter, Lena is better.

Miss Zella Davis, of Milford, has been canvassing for holiday books with good success.

S. N. Munger made a trip to Ypsilanti last week Wednesday, returning Thursday.

D. J. Whelan and wife gave a Christmas dinner to some friends, including the orchestra.

Many horses have been having distemper in a severe form; most of them are better now.

Newell Wisner was not able to return to school at the normal. His foot is improving slowly.

Pat Blair has rented the 10 acres belonging to [illegible] and will more thereon in April.

Edward Wisner, the live energetic business man of La., visited his uncle, Edward during holiday week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Remington visited at E. C. Wisner's recently. Mrs. Remington's health is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Payne gave a New Year's dinner to the orchestra at 6:30 p. m. Music and mirth followed.

The Bradley's have been erecting a telephone line, connecting the house of Mr. Wm. Bradley with that of his son, Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobiel Wisner, formerly of Athens, now of Delhi, La. celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding day, Nov. 12, last.

Miss Gertie Davis, of Milford, has been in poor health; too close application to study bringing on nervous prostration. At last accounts she was better.

Mothers, when your children [illegible] with chilled fingers, put them in the hottest water they can bear. Once tried you will never go back to the old process.

John Davis, our former townsman now of Milford, has invented an invalid bed and attachmen. He has [illegible] now in Detroit, where he has had some manufactured for testing in the [illegible].

PENTECOST POINTERS

Mrs. Jason Morr[illegible] Nora[illegible] ing a visit to her daughter, Mrs. [illegible] Pentecost.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Nora[illegible] visited friends [illegible] who on their wedding [illegible] at the home of Mrs. [illegible].

The drama Am[illegible] which was to come [illegible] been indefinitely postponed on account of the condition of Mr. [illegible] lence [illegible] joins the hall.

Little Basil, only child of Mr. and Mrs. John Hann, died very suddenly last Saturday morning [illegible] about 36 hours. He was a lovely child, and the bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community in their terrible affliction.

Last Sabbath morning the telegraph bore the sad intelligence to anxious friends here that Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Coldwater, had lost their only child, Willard, with diphtheria. Only a few days ago, Wednesday, Mr. [illegible] was taken with the same disease and now their little one lies in its [illegible]. They have the heartfelt sympathy of everyone.

Sunday evening, about [illegible] Elijah Buck suffered a second stroke of paralysis. He was fully conscious at first, but experienced much difficulty in speaking. He believed himself dying and asked to have his two youngest children, Bessie and Willie, brought to him, his eldest daughter and her husband being in attendance at his bedside. It was a piteous sight, to witness his grief at the thought of leaving his wife and helpless little ones to go it alone through a cold world, but within an hour he mercifully lost consciousness of earthly grief and pain and has remained totally unconscious up to this writing, although all the skill and kindness could do has been done to rouse him from his death like stupor.

Later—Mr. Buck died Tuesday afternoon.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hoyt have been spending the Holidays with friends returned to Ann Arbor Monday.

Mr. C. H. Dewey has been quite ill from the effects of a severe cold taken in November, but is now slowly recovering.

Miss Lida [illegible] Belleville, Mich., has been a guest of Mama White for a few days. She returned home on Wednesday.

Linda and Charles Dewey have returned from a trip to Grand Rapids and Charlotte, where they went to spend the holidays.

The holidays are passed and the people of this vicinity have participated in the festivities to a great extent, and now settle to the duties of 1895.

Mrs. J. R. Case, who slipped and fell at the church when she was assisting in the trimming for the Christmas entertainment, is still confined to her bed and suffers intense pain in her hip and knee.

Mr. Reed, the Recorder-elect of Pike county, Mo., being dead, Governor Stone has been pretty generally asked to appoint Mrs. Reed to her deceased husband position.

To prevent car sickness or headache and to give restful sleep, so difficult to obtain while traveling, Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has no equal. Taken at bed-time it quiets the tired nerves, insuring sweet sleep. $1. of Orr and Temple.

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The Outlook

A New Journal [illegible]

[illegible] Tickets [illegible] named below [illegible] first-class [illegible] fare for [illegible] round trip, limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 30 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lanahkin, Lanahkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to [illegible] Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

The silver-tongued patron of [illegible] horseless carriages finds a stormy opening to his [illegible] season.

Use It in Time.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, [illegible] eyes, ears and throat, and is a [illegible] great enemy of the mucous [illegible] Neglected colds in the head [illegible] chronic catarrh, causes [illegible] loss of senses, and if [illegible] Hyomei [illegible] Hyomei, the [illegible] Hyomei [illegible] Hyomei [illegible] Hyomei

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

C. M. Link was an Adrian visitor Monday.

Buy your oil and gasoline of James Haight. He keeps the best to be had.

James Haight is now selling 75 cent chips for 50 cents. Take advantage of it.

It is reported that Mr. Exelby has leased his hotel to parties from Deerfield.

Our entire community sympathize with Rev. E. Mudge in the loss of his aged mother.

Dr. P. B. Hardy and family are enjoying a visit from his sister from near Cornelisville, N. Y.

Under Sheriff Furgeson was in town Monday. Just what his business was is not generally known.

If you want some fine Northern Spy apples, call on F. A. Morrell. He can tell you where to get them.

Warren Cassell's hen roost was visited Sunday night, in consequence of which his feathered pets have diminished in number.

Art. J. Lee was in Detroit Monday and Tuesday. Says he was able to walk his way on the avenues without serious inconvenience.

The Christian Union church is observing the week of prayer, holding meetings daily. They are well attended and the interest growing.

F. Brown & Son completed 80 rods of the Homer steel fence for the Widow Clayton, Tuesday. They did a fine job, as all will admit who inspect it.

At the pigeon shoot Saturday, Will Carrabee carried off the honors, breaking every ball. Dave Linton was next, breaking 8 out of 10. The others were not in it, so to speak, ranging from zero to 7.

A. Russell contemplates moving back on his farm in the spring, and promises to furnish the boys one turkey a week while they sojourn in Detroit. The boys claim, however, if they can have but one, they prefer good Northern Spys.

Last week we announced the death of Lenardson Bros.' dog Grover. This week we announce that Lady, their celebrated female St. Bernard, has given birth to 13 fine puppies, the sire being John J. Orr's noble animal of this species.

A son of Mr. Tucker, while assisting in baling hay at Walter Exelby's the latter part of the week, received serious injury which will disable him for some time. He got his foot caught in the horsepower and the flesh was terribly lacerated from the bottom of the foot. He bears it like a hero.

At the public installation of the Hive and Tent officers of the order of Maccabees, held Thursday of last week at their hall, the ladies put the men in the shade, as they excelled them in every particular. The banquet was fine and enjoyed by the large company present, composed of members of the order and their families. These gatherings are productive of great good to the order.

The meeting of the Christian Union Church held last Saturday, James H. [illegible], treasurer, presented his report, which was most satisfactory. It showed all the expense incidental to the moving and repairing the church building, the parsonage, have been paid and a balance in the treasury. This of itself demonstrates that the society is in a prosperous condition.

Rev. E. Mudge received a telegram on Saturday night informing him of the death of his aged mother, who departed this life at the home of a daughter near Dowagiac, Cass county, at the ripe age of 82 years. She and her husband were pioneers of Michigan, having settled in Kent county, near Lowell, in 1838, when that part of the state was an almost unbroken forest. Rev. Mudge left on Sunday night to attend the funeral, returning Tuesday night.

The plans and specifications for the Reformed church are completed for the hands of the committee, who are ready to receive bids for contracts. They may be seen at the office of Dr. P. B. Hardy. The building under contemplation, when completed, will be an ornament to the village. It is to be of wood, the main building 36x40, with an annex 16x20, and the dome, or tower, to be 60 feet high. The funds have been raised for the edifice, which speaks volumes for the enterprise and generosity of our citizens.

Justus Lowe, one of the oldest and best known citizens of this community, died Saturday morning, aged 79 years. Mr. Lowe was born in Onondaga county, N. Y.; came to Tecumseh in early manhood, where he resided for a time, then settled in the township of Ridgeway, where he has resided 58 years. He leaves several sons and daughters and many grandchildren, besides a large circle of friends, to cherish his memory. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church, Edgerton, Rev. Campbell officiating.

Last Saturday Deputy Revenue Collector [illegible] came down among us and was the means of causing quite a [illegible] of commotion to [illegible] of our citizens. [illegible] informed that sufficient proof had been [illegible] to establish the fact that [illegible] had been dispensing [illegible] without a proper license—[illegible] they could settle with Uncle [illegible] consequences. [illegible] outcome will be cannot at [illegible] determined. Just what is [illegible] charges are not positively [illegible] though the impression is that [illegible] prominent rector. One [illegible] it has caused quite an [illegible] in this vicinity the past [illegible] has been the principal topic of conversation.

Do you want to buy a good store building or a house and lot in Britton. If so, be quick, as I must sell at once. Enquire of J. BEASLEY.

Bishop McDonnell, of Brooklyn, accompanied by his private secretary, Rev. Father Barrett, will leave home on January 12, to visit the Pope. The Church requires that every bishop pay a visit to Rome once in five years to report the progress of his work. This will be the first visit paid to the Pope by Bishop McDonnell.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The ice harvest has begun and the quality is first class.

Eva Hindes is still under the doctor's care and is quite sick.

Born, to agent Beedle and wife, on the 4th inst., a nine pound girl.

Chauncey Dibble killed a hog Monday weighing 740 pounds when alive.

The new librarian, Emma Miller, took her position Wednesday of last week.

Fannie Kelly, of Holloway, visited her cousin, Lelia Sutton, a part of last week.

A. B. Clark, of Elkhart, Ind., visited his sister, Mrs. R. S. Houseman, the first of the week.

Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh, began her work as teacher in music in the school Monday.

School began Monday with a good attendance; several new students were enrolled in the advanced rooms.

The week of prayer is being observed with a good attendance. The special revival work will follow, beginning next week.

The new time card for the C. J. & M. R'y, which took effect Sunday, brings the eastern mail here at 9 a. m., and the mail from the west at 4:4 o'clock p. m.

The annual election of officers for the Sunday school for the ensuing year held at the church last week resulted as follows:

Supt—E. L. Lowe.
Asst. Supts.—T. H. Temple and David Gibson.
Sec.—C. W. Culbertson.
Asst. Sec.—Floyd Smith.
Treasurer—Fannie Miller.
Asst. Treas.—Lelia Sutton.
Librarian—Marvin Pattison.
Asst. Lib.—Horace Dibble.
Chorister—J. D. Arner.
Asst. Chor.—Sarah Rappleye.
Organist—Lelia F. Sutton.
Asst. Org.—Kittie Clark, Clara Temple, Daisy Riggs.
Blackboard Artist—Elmer Pockington.
Supt. S. S. Mis.—Sarah Rapellye.
Sect.—C. W. Culbertson.
Treas.—Emma Miller.

Again the angel of death has been in our midst and taken away another old settler and pioneer, making the third within a few weeks. Justice Lowe, who has been in feeble health for the past year, at times able to be about the farm until Friday, when he was taken down and within a few hours was called to try the realities of eternity on Saturday morning, in his eightieth year. He was born in Onondaga Co. N. Y., Nov. 9, 1815. From the age of nine months to thirteen years he lived with his grandmother, with whom he came to Tecumseh, Mich., arriving there on the 15th of July, 1828. He began doing business for himself at 18 years of age. When 22 years of age he settled on section 8, of Ridgeway, in which township he has since resided, always being prominent in town matters. He voted at the first election held in the township and at every election since; was one of the founders of the republican party in the town. He served the township as Supervisor for nearly nine years and as Justice of the Peace 16 years. In 1838 he married Miss Mary Lamberson, [illegible] blessed their union. [illegible] prominently identified with the [illegible] of Ridgeway, having been [illegible] and Supt. of the Sunday [illegible] a number of years and a worker for Christ. He has [illegible] of robust health until the [illegible] and '93, when lagrippe laid him [illegible] nerves fully recovered. The [illegible] were held at the church [illegible] Rev. H. Cansfield. A large gathering of neighbors and friends were present to pay their last respects to a neighbor gone, and sympathize with the bereaved family and relatives in their affliction.

MACON MUSIC.

[illegible]g, shall spent a few days [illegible] visiting in this vicinity.

Hiram [illegible] last week.

[illegible] of the graphophone entertainment at the M. E. church Friday evening [illegible] well worth attending.

Mrs. [illegible] many years a resident of [illegible] sick at the home of Garret Derby. Dr. Avery as impossible.

[illegible] November 27th, 1894, at the parsonage of the Reformed church of South Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich. Mr. George W. Rodman of Locke, Mich. and Miss Alice Harriott of Macon, by Rev. J. I. Gulick.

A public installation of officers of Morden Tent K. O. T. M. will take place in the M. E. church, Monday eve. the 14th inst. Grant Fellows of Hudson has been secured to give an address and will also be installing officer on the occasion.

A certain Macon young [illegible] received a letter from an Ohio [illegible] belonging to a young lady [illegible] Ohio man's name to the letter; kindly carried the answer to the office; opened the letter, and now boasts of the proceeding. We object.

"Where Farming Pays."

Is it in the north-west with wheat at less than 50 cents a bu. hel, with zero weather and [illegible] winters, and cyclones in summer [illegible] Virginia; land is cheap [illegible] the year round [illegible] knows and he will tell [illegible] Tillewater section [illegible] produced as big [illegible] season. It is worth [illegible] to C. H. Bovee, [illegible] sion Agent, Cold[illegible] phlet "Facts for [illegible] statements made [illegible] corroborated by practical [illegible] have grown rich on [illegible] farms.

The destructive [illegible] is particularly [illegible] now that a [illegible] about to assess [illegible] own a large number [illegible] their bills.

There [illegible] ring in the [illegible] century is [illegible] end. It won't [illegible] the old method [illegible] back-en doctrine.

[illegible] bottle [illegible] day [illegible] Tonic [illegible] son [illegible] she [illegible]

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

School opened Wednesday.

Miss Mary Wood, class '94, left Thursday to spend the winter with her father in New York.

Geo. Hill who has been in Canada during the summer and fall, is home on a short visit.

Mr. Haskins has been laid up for some time with the rheumatism but is on the gain now.

Asa F. Sutton, class of '94, left for Detroit, Wednesday a. m. to take a position in a wholesale dry goods establishment.

Miss Olive Mead, '94, left Wednesday for Holly, Mich., where she intends to spend three or four weeks with her cousin.

Two of our lads during the holidays had forgotten how the old hall looked, and made the serious mistake on their return of taking another for theirs. See them for the rest of the story.

Edward Woodward and his mother, Susan [illegible] Woodard of Bloomingdale, Ind., arrived here Friday to hold a series of meetings in the Friend's church. Meetings commenced Sunday and will last through the week and probably longer.

The election of officers in the Friends Sunday school last Sabbath, was as follows:

Superintendent—Prof. Binford.
Sec—Luella Clark.
Cholster—W. F. Hill.
Librarian—W. H. Hill.
The classes re-elected the same teachers.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

William Gordon returned home last Thursday.

The Creamery Co. refilled their ice house last week.

Peter Kerigan is off duty for a few days recreation.

Miss Agnes Still spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

J. [illegible]utherland, of Adrian, called on [illegible] on Monday.

[illegible]mpbell, accompanied by his [illegible] returned home Thursday.

[illegible]ool opened Monday after a vacation of two weeks, on account of holidays.

[illegible]ther Fish attended the Teachers' [illegible]ciation, Saturday, at Raisin Center.

C. T. Ratts has attractions in the west end of the burg just now. Some say he talks in his sleep.

Mrs. Nora Loper and children, who have been visiting in Ohio the past month, arrived home Friday.

Hartman Bros. have taken advantage of the cold snap and harvested a fine crop of ice. The ice has not been so clear for many years as it is now.

Chas. Benedict entertained the boys Friday night with his new lung tester. Its more fun than a circus and proved to be the best joke of the new year. Your humble servant was one of his star suckers.

MACON SIFTINGS.

Mrs. [illegible]am Weeks is better at present writing.

Grange meeting Saturday evening, Jan. 19th.

Alonzo Sisson and family are recovering from a severe attack of scarlet fever.

Quite a number from this vicinity attend the Hand-Osgood suit in Adrian today.

Week of prayer is being observed in South Macon church, with a good attendance.

Alta Gilmore resumed her school duties Monday in Dist. No. 3, after two weeks vacation.

George Bond, who is "wielding the rod of justice" in Dist. No. 8, began business Monday after the holiday vacation.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Farmers' Social club will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 22d, at the residence of Philip Kehoe. Below is the program:

Music.
Dec.—Earl Rector.
Music—Edith Rector.
Charade—Ora Gillespie and others.
Rec.—Lovica Schreder.
Select Reading—Mrs. Coddington.
Music.
Dec.—Fred Rector.
Dialogue—Frank Gillespie and others.
Question—Construction of Drains—general effects—introduced by J. H. Schreder, followed by B. B. Gillespie.

Waiter! Beefsteak, Ham and Eggs, for One.

"God gave us meat, but the devil sent us cooks", is a trite saying. From bad cooking fast eating and overeating comes a whole train of diseases, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, catarrh of the stomach, headache, dizziness, and the like. God also gave us a brainy man, who compounded the "Golden Medical Discovery", a corrective of all the ills resulting from overeating and bad blood. Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, has furnished in the "Discovery," a great desideratum in America, where everybody [illegible] in such a hurry to make money [illegible] have no time to eat, and scarcely [illegible] time to live. It invigorates the liver, cleanses the blood and tones up the system.

The unknown man is in more trouble. He has just been killed on a trolly road in Brooklyn.

Delicate diseases of either sex, however induced, speedily and permanently cured. Book of particulars 10 cents in stamps, mailed sealed in plain envelope. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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During 1895 every vital question will be discussed with vigor and without prejudice in the editorial columns, and also in the special articles by the highest authorities in each department. Portraits of the men and women who are making history, and powerful and caustic political cartoons, will continue to be characteristic features. This Busy World, with its keen and kindly comment on the lesser doings of the day, will remain a regular department.

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(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT.

BY MRS. C. B. HOPKINS.

A little over a year ago, through the influence of Mr. Charles Bulkley Hubbell, a member of the municipal board of education, an Anti-Cigarette League was organized in Grammar School No. 68, New York city. During the brief period that has since elapsed, the movement thus inaugurated, has spread not only into every grammar school in the city, but has passed beyond the boundaries of the state into nearly all the large cities of the nation. In New York city forty thousand boys, and elsewhere more than two hundred thousand boys, have signed the league's pledge.

The plan is to organize anti-cigarette leagues in all schools where boys are taught. After consultation with their parents they are asked to sign the following pledge:

We, the undersigned, pupils of Grammar School No. ——, do hereby pledge ourselves upon honor:

From this date to abstain from ...king cigarettes in any form until ...each the age of twenty-one years.

To use all influence that we pos... induce all public school boys of ...quaintance to give up and abstain ...moking cigarettes until such boys ...tained the age of twenty-one ...

...giving the pledge, hereby ... by signing our names to the ...constitute ourselves members ...Cigarette League No. —, of ...

...titution declares that the ...association "shall be the ...f the cigarette smoking ...e public school boys by ...le and other means."

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"EDGEWOOD FOLKS."

Alba Heywood Entertains an Audience at the Grand.

It was a decidedly appreciative audience which greeted Alba Heywood and his company upon their initial performance of "Edgewood Folks" in this city at the Grand last night. Had the merits of the attraction been known the house would have been filled. As was ... was ... enthusiastic ... of the season.

Alba Heywood is a genius in his line. "Edgewood Folks" is the name of the play, but the name as well as the play itself, was well nigh lost sight of in the great work of Heywood. His impersonations of a young man, Jimmy ... Billy, the vagrant, and the old man ... greatly enjoyed. He was especially ... in his character of the old man. His imitations of the rhode ... barnyard and other familiar things were highly relished. They were ... and what is more they were real ... imitations.—Atlanta Constitution.

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A. W. STANTON, Adj't.

A ... good man gone wrong. He ... use the Clinic Kidney Cure ... any complaint. $1.

...lous public schools is to equip the youth of our land so that they can intelligently discharge the duties of citizenship. This equipment must include sound bodies, sound morals and sound minds. The state is interested in the proper development of these three. Another way of stating the proposition would be that health, character and intelligence in its citizens are necessary to the stability and prosperity of the state. Weak, puny boys make dependent men, recruits the hospitals and infirmaries. Weak and vicious character in its citizens fills the jails and prisons and imperils the very existence of the state.

Within the past ten years, and more particularly during the last five years a vice insidious and demoralizing has fastened itself upon the youth of the country, and especially upon our school boys, in a way to call for the most strenuous efforts to stamp it out, and that is the vice of cigarette smoking. This vice is a specific one. The juvenile cigarette smoker draws in the smoke with a quick inhalation that sends it well down into his lungs, where a deposit of nicotine, volatile oil of tobacco and the oil of paper remains after each operation. This deposit is quickly taken up by the circulation and distributed through the system, causing injury to health and character and appreciably diminishing mental power. Frequent and increasing indulgence is an almost unvarying characteristic of the vice. It is a facinating habit and soon compels a servitude, complete and almost helpless. The gold cure people realize this and will not treat any patient until he consents to abandon the cigarette habit.

The cheapest cigarettes are most popular, and two or three for a cent can be readily procured. A nickel buys a box of them, and that quantity is soon insufficient for a day's indulgence. The boy who cannot raise a nickle honestly will get it, if need be, dishonestly. He will deceive and rob his parents and others to provide the means of gratifying his unnatural appetite."

High School Happenings.

...ave but a sorrowful adieu to the ska...ing.

Before ... lay me down to sleep—I'll know Ohma's last, is the little motto Prof. Kellogg suggested to the class in Electricity.

Marvin Patterson, Floyd Smith, and Frank Harris entered school Monday.

The school is full to overflowing for the winter term, several being obliged to sit in the office.

Roy Hughes and Miss Mat Borne have not returned to school yet.

John Gaston after a lamented absence of seven weeks returned to his old pew Monday.

Clothing At Less Than Cost.

We are offering for cash the choice of about five hundred Mens Suits at one quarter off our regular low price, the price we have sold them at all the fall, which is marked in plain figures. Now a stylish $20 suits for $15. Now stylish $15 suits $11.25 etc., etc. In this sale are two hundred new and stylish double breasted sack suits, also about twenty five Prince Albert suits, which we are selling at a little more than half price, at a great loss to us. We are selling our entire stock of Overcoats and Ulsters at one-quarter off. This sale is straight and genuine, no marking up, and the discount is made from our one price. It will pay you to come fifty miles to take advantage of this great slaughter sale. We give you our word that upon examination you will find that we are doing just what we advertise. Remember the firm name,

WOOD, CRANE & WOOD,
Adrian, Mich.

The Development of the South

is being rapidly pushed by the ... excursions offered by the Queen ... cent Route running each month ... ciple southern points.

The low rate of one fare for the ... trip is offered on these occasion... ing tickets January 8th, February ... March 5th, April 2nd, April 30th. ... 20 days are allowed in which ... Stop-overs permitted at any ... These excursions afford an ... opportunity to go and see for ... what the south offers to the north... man.

The Queen & Cresent has over 6 million acres of farm and timber land for sale. $3.00 to $5.00 per acre on easy terms. ... pay you to investigate. C. ... W. ..., P. A., Cincinnati O. W. A. Beckh..., P. A., 111 Adams St. ... Chicago, Ill. ... Baird, T. P. A., ... Detroit. A. W. Dunnavan, T. P. A., Cleveland. W. W. Jones, Im. Agt., ... Port Huron, Mich. S. Y. Anderson, Land Commissioner, Birmingham, Ala.

Take Your Home Paper.

No man is too poor to take ... home paper, says an exchange, and ... false economy to get along without it. Hardly a week passes that something does not appear in its columns that will be a financial benefit to the subscriber, and by the end of the year he has made or saved from one to twenty times its subscription price. The city papers do not take the place of a local paper, although some people seem to think they do. The city papers are all right in their way, but they don't give you what you are most interested in—your county news. You cannot learn from them when and where public meetings are to be held, who are dying or who are marrying, who wants to sell land—in fact, hundreds of items which it might be of particular importance to you to know. Such matter city papers cannot furnish, but the local paper can and does. If you can afford but one, by all means take one that is published in the county in which you live.

No beauty without good health.
No good health with impure blood.
No impure blood if Foley's Sarsaparilla is used. Trial size, 50c. Sold by Orr & Temple.

the Pretended Substitutes

...al Baking Powder

...cheaper made baking preparations are ...rice so much lower than ROYAL, some ...rs to buy them in place of the ROYAL.

...of the pretended substitutes for ROYAL ...d that they are all made from cheaper ...are not so great in leavening strength ... Pay the price of the ROYAL BAKING ...

...however, that ROYAL BAKING POWDER ...e and makes better, finer, and more ...aking powder or preparation.

...CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

Great Slaughter Sale

ON ALL WINTER GOODS!

As we MUST raise $1,000 within the next thirty days beginning Jan. 1, 95, we will give the Greatest Cut Sale ever known in Tecumseh; as we must turn these goods into money Regardless of Cost.

1-4 TO 1-3 OFF!

ON ALL MEN'S, BOY'S, AND CHILDREN'S

Overcoats, Ulsters, Heavy Weight Suits,

Plush Caps, Gloves, Mittens, Etc.

We have a Large Supply of Woolen Underwear which we will sell Regardless of Cost; in fact

A BIG CUT IN EVERY DEPT. OF OUR STORE.

Remember these goods are all New, and of the Latest Styles, no old, shelf worn, out of date goods in our store. It will pay AGE... come many miles to take advantage of this sale.

None ... IN QUICK

...Choice Bargains. We are,

...ive the per... Respectfully Yours,

McCann Bros.

THE ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS.

TECUMSEH.

MAKE A... EVERY HONE... OPPORTUNITY

We will Gi... opportunity from SAT... Feb. 1, of making Big Dollars...

...CUMSEH...

Annu... Invoice Sale!

Op... Closes Feb. 1.

THE GREATEST BARGAINS!

EVER OFFERED IN TECUMSEH.

We Quote You a ... of the Many Bargains Offered:

Best Prints, sold at 7c, now ... 5c
Best Amoskeag Ginghams, sold at 8c, now ... 5c
Jame... Worsted Dress Goods, worth 25, 30 and 35c, now ... 15c
Fine ... Goods, worth 90c, $1.00 and $1.25, now 65 and 75c
50 Doz. Fleece Lined Underwear, worth 35 and 40c, now ... 25c
100 Doz. Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Fast Black, Heavy Ribbed Hose, worth 25c, now 15c
Ladies' Fine, Muslin Night Robes, just from factory, worth $1.25 and $1.50, now 79c
Ladies' ... Misses' and Children's Flannelette Night Robes ... Manufacturer's Prices.
All ... Gloves, Mittens, Hosiery, Caps, Felts, Socks, Etc., ... facturer's Cost.
Etc. ... of Leather Footwear ever brought to Tecumseh, at ... ff. All the Late Styles—All go at above prices.

...ithin 25 miles of Tecumseh it will ... to take a day off and Come and ...

...as we Advertise. No Trouble to Show Goods ...e Money. Corner Store, Bidwell's Block.

Yours respectfully,

... & HITESHU.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY—The old Perley Bills Farm, just south of Tecumseh Village, will be rented to the right man, and the stock on the place is for sale. For full particulars inquire of C. C. TEFFT.

AGENTS WANTED—New Hardy Rose, Belle Siebrecht. Pronounced by authorities the best ever introduced. Ready for Sale. Reliable agents apply with references to SIEBRECHT & WADLEY, N. Y. City.

TENANT WANTED—I have an improved farm with new buildings in Sec. 13, Macon Township, Lenawee County. I wish to rent on shares to reliable and experienced farmer. Good references required. Write me. G. B. HENRY, Audubon, Mich.

A BARGAIN—If sold within 40 days—A House and Lot, 4 rods south of Union School Building; 40 rods from business part of town; 40 rods from depot. Must be Sold for $700.00 If C. HAVEN.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 11, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Is this our sleighing?

Prof. H. E. Fink invaded Clinton one day last week.

The week of prayer is observed in most of the village churches this week.

C. S. Burroughs, of Clinton, was in town Monday and gave the HERALD a call.

Pay your subscription in January and get one of our beautiful souvenir portfolios.

St. Jackson's day was duly observed last Tuesday in many cities by the unterrified.

Pay your subscription in January and have the satisfaction of reading your own paper during 1895.

Editor Stearns, while in Tecumseh Monday afternoon, paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum.

Do not call on the organists and choir members on Saturday night; all have their rehearsals at that time.

The old Perley Bills farm is for rent and the stock for sale. Read C. C. Tefft's notice among the specials.

Miss Anna May Bailey, who is teaching at St. Johns, spent the holiday season at the old home in Macon.

Geers Post cleared about sixty dollars out of their entertainment Monday evening. A pretty good starter for '95.

Wood is wanted at this office. It is impossible to keep four stoves running in this weather without wood. Friends and brethren, bring along that wood.

The Lenawee County Farmers' Institute will be held at the Court House in Adrian, Jan. 23d, 24th and 25th. A fine program has been arranged therefor.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve their regular montnly tea Wednesday, Jan. 16. Business meeting at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Austin's committee will serve supper from 5:30 to 7:30. All are invited.

The Brethren, or Dunkards, began a series of meetings in their hall in the Heesen Block, Wednesday eve. They will continue their services every evening at 7 o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited.

New subscribers are coming in quite lively, and fewer subscriptions are discontinued than we expected considering the hard times. Which shows that our patrons appreciate our efforts to give a first-class local newspaper.

The Directors of the Tiffany Stove Works met Wednesday and elected officers as follows, for the coming year:

Pres.—L. M. Mooney.
Vice Pres.—J. S. Strong.
Sec. & Treas.—C. A. Wright.

At the annual meeting of the Universalist Parish held last Saturday the following Board of Trustees was chosen:

Moderator—Friend McNeil.
Clerk—D. Loana Stacy.
Treas.—Homer Bickford.
Standing Com.—E. D. Burlingame, Mrs. A. W. Nay, Elias Brown, James Montague, A. J. Whiting.

Otto A. Dreier of the Danish Royal Commission to the World's Columbian Exposition, says "The Graphic History of the Fair," a magnificent work of 240 atlas-size pages, is a "work deserving of the greatest popularity, presenting as it does a full, attractive, graphic and entertaining history of the Exposition." We offer this great book, which should be in every home, at a merely nominal price to subscribers of this paper as detailed in our "Special Announcement" elsewhere in this issue.

The "We Nine" circle of King's Daughters have been giving genuine pleasure to many, during the last few weeks. Before Miss Edith Woodward went to Chicago she organized this circle, and helped them fit up their club room, which is daintily decorated by the work of their own hands. Late in the autumn, Miss Agnes Woodward invited Miss Mana Monaghan and Miss Bertine Brewer to meet with the circle, to discuss the ways and means to do good, in the quiet way, peculiar to the King's Daughters. Their motto being, "Do the loving kindness, nearest at hand." Miss Minnie Corey and Miss Monaghan also met with the circle at their club room. Since this time, the ladies have had numerous work meetings and dainties to the sick, dispatched to needy, loving words to cheer the disheartened." All done quietly. Yet it is well to know that such things are going on.

Alba Haywood is teaming.

Now is the time to subscribe.

Miss Nellie Conklin is visiting friends in Detroit.

Undertaker Tansley is kept very busy this week.

The supervisors are in session this week at Adrian.

Mrs. O. B. Finch visited Cleveland friends last week.

Miss Rosina Kingston has been visiting her Coldwater friends.

S. W. Temple took a run over to Detroit one day last week.

Milo Clark and wife were the guests of David Zeluff and family, Monday.

Miss Ida Klinggessner, of Clinton, visited her sisters and brother yesterday.

The Eastern Star will hold a special meeting next Thursday evening, Jan. 17th.

We have a big batch of council proceedings in hand which will appear next week.

McClure Bros. have a new card this week that will be of interest to buyers of groceries.

The Chicago Clothing Co. are in the swim as usual. See their new announcement this week.

Wood, Crane & Wood, of Adrian, have a special notice elsewhere that will interest you. Read it.

Harry and Eddie McClure have gone back to college. Harry to Crawfordsville, and Eddie to Ypsilanti.

A new time card went into effect Sunday on the Macinaw road. The passenger train going west in the morning and east in the afternoon are an hour earlier than before.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Emerson, of Raisin, start on an overland trip for Norwalk, Ohio, Jan. 11th, to visit the father and sisters and friends.

Miss May Temple, daughter [illegible] S. Temple, who has been [illegible] vacation here, has returned [illegible] where she is teaching.

Eddie King now [illegible] land daily Press, [illegible] Fred Manly. He would [illegible] crease his list of subs.

Oren McBride, the [illegible] agent for the Lake [illegible], is keeping bachelor's ha[illegible]. Mrs. McBride is visiting friends in Jackson county.

Clarence Conklin arrived yesterday noon from Napoleon, Ohio, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Conklin.

Mrs. Lola Monaghan Sherwood, who was expected here to visit with her sister, was prevented from coming by serious illness. This prevented Miss Monaghan from visiting many friends.

[illegible]ens, township treasurer, [illegible] to Jan. 10th, $12,751.16 [illegible]ch was deposited in the [illegible]k. The balance of [illegible] collected between [illegible] February.

[illegible] Jan. 13th, at the [illegible]ehurch: Morning, "Serve [illegible]th fear, and rejoice with [illegible] Evening—"Woman and [illegible]" Young people's meeting. Topic: "Why love my brother," 1:20, 21.

[illegible]many friends of Miss Mabel Hay[illegible] be pleased to know that she is [illegible]overing her strength in the [illegible]e of Austin, Texas, and has [illegible]ely recovered from what [illegible] serious bronchial trouble. [illegible] daily speaks in highest [illegible] Hayden's voice, as heard [illegible]a by one of the most [illegible]ical societies recently.

[illegible]. Elwin Comfort, which occurred [illegible]ay about 10 a. m., was a great [illegible] to the entire community, as [illegible] knew he was ill. The cause of his death was pneumonia. We cannot state when the funeral will occur as they are awaiting to hear from Florida, where his parents are spending the winter. He leaves a widow and three children.

Acme Lodge No. 101, Independent Order of Orientals held another pleasant meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall, Wednesday evening of last week, when three candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the order. It is surprising how rapidly this order is growing. They are holding their meetings weekly in order to accommodate those desiring to become [illegible]

Harry [illegible] Chicago, where [illegible] two [illegible] obtained a [illegible]

[illegible] personals, also [illegible] from [illegible] and present [illegible] Mrs. M. [illegible] as [illegible] for [illegible]. Mr. [illegible]ine, M. D. [illegible]th looking into [illegible] J. Tremain[illegible] and Lansing, Mich., to see Rosacrucian [illegible] and Farmers' free [illegible] Jay Tow[illegible] and [illegible] was not [illegible] Jumming[illegible] [illegible]ews will [illegible] Tecumseh [illegible] this to [illegible]

At [illegible] D. Tecumseh Lodge regular [illegible] held last week, the following [illegible] were installed for the coming [illegible]

N. G.—William Dreer.
V. G.—R. Holdway.
Secy.—E. A. Hodge.
Treas.—I. P. Keyser.
W.—P. C. Snell.
Con.—C. E. Williamson.
O. G.—Will Osborn.
I. G.—Verne Smith.
R. S. N. G.—S. C. Stacy.
L. S. N. G.—Wm. Oaks.
R. S. V. G.—Jas. Hotsy.
L. S. V. G.—Sam Hall.
R. S. S.—John Mills.
L. S. S.—Burt Fox.

Theodore P. Wood, beginning to-morrow eve. will have on exhibition in the store lately occupied by Moses Long, James Wilson, a colored man who is gradually turning white. Admission 10 cents.

A. W. Slayton started out the first week of 1895 with the evident intention of greatly increasing his already extensive lumber trade, having bought $700 one-cent stamps at the postoffice and sending as many large circulars and envelopes bearing a neat cut of his office in the Masonic Temple.

The third entertainment in the Star Course came off last evening at the opera house. Edward Mare proved himself to be an expert prestidigitateur, and his two half-hour programs were more than interesting. He performed many new slight-of-hand tricks that had never been witnessed here. The recitations by Mr. Geo. P. Robie and the guitar and mandolin selections filled out the program very acceptably. The entertainment, taken altogether, made a very fair number in the course, as it gave variety thereto.

The following are the officers elected Thursday evening at the M. E. church for the Sunday school:

Supt.—B. Hurry
1st. Asst.—Bert Day
2d. Asst.—Herbert Conklin
Secy.—Anna Williamson
Treas.—Leon Rosacrans
Librarian—Eugene Harris
1st. Asst.—Bessie Spayde
2d. Asst.—Joe Eaton
Chorister—Arthur Harding
Asst.—Harry Tansley
Organist—Mrs. Wm. Waldron
Asst.—Mrs. Arthur Harding
Pres. S. S. M. S.—Bertha Monaghan
Secy. " —Grace Bryant.

At the annual meeting of the Presbyterian society, held at the church, Monday afternoon, there was a very large attendance and the reports show the [illegible] to be in a most flourishing condition in every department. The treasurer's report showed the society free from debt, with a balance of nearly $100 in the treasury. The best report in [illegible]0 years. The rental of pews was [illegible] and large, showing a deep interest and a desire for continued prosperity. Henry Conklin was elected trustee for 3 years and Henry Nyland for [illegible] and F. A. Shepard treasurer. It was also decided to light the building with electricity. After the completion of the business part of the program came the annual social time supper, and, if one can judge from appearances, the best of feeling must exist in this large society, for everyone seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

Wednesday evening, nine Princes, members of Acme Council, No. 101, Independent Order of Orientals, paid a fraternal visit to the Princes at Brooklyn, to witness the exemplification of the work of this popular order. They left at 6:30 via the Monroe turnpike. The day and evening was all that could be desired. Weather delightful, roads perfect, reception cordial, work admirably done and the entertainment royal. The Brooklyn council is one of the most flourishing ones in the State, numbering over 100 members, composed of the representative men of that pleasant town and surrounding territory. The council is well officered and the excellence of the work done by them is known all over the State. W. F. Raven, G.P.D.S. Princes Fred Clarke, Barstow, Teachout, Fish, Severance, Kline, Bartlett and others, were unremitting in their attentions to the visiting fraters. In this connection, would say to those contemplating organizing councils, that the proper paraphernalia for the work can be procured of John P. Kling, Brooklyn, Mich.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 2, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Baker, No. [illegible] 14th. ave., Detroit, at precisely 8 o'clock, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Mattie, to our townsman, W. W. Whiting. It was a beautiful home wedding. Dr. McLaurin, of the Woodward ave. Baptist church, performed the ceremony. Miss Etta Baker, a sister of the bride was the maid of honor and B. A. Garlinghouse, of this place, acted as best man. The guests, numbering about seventy, were relatives and most intimate friends. The newly married couple left on the night train for a short trip and expect to reach here to-morrow evening. They will reside in the Babbitt house on Potawatamie street which is all ready to receive them. We understand they received many useful and beautiful presents. Among the guests were B. A. & B. J. Garlinghouse, W. C. Burridge, A. W. Slayton, E. N. Satterthwaite, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Mrs. E. C. Rogers and May Dolf Wolf from here, Miss Louise Van Dusen Mark, of Clinton, and several from Macon and other places.

The familiar form of Wm. D. Snell, always called James Snell, will [illegible] more be seen among us. He died very suddenly, at home, Tuesday, just after dinner. He was sawing wood when he was stricken down. Mr. Snell was about 85 years of age. He was born in Pennsylvania and came to Toledo when a young man. After a few years there he came to the township of Macon, making his home with Uncle John Hyatt, in 1848. He bought a small farm in the south-east part of Clinton township where they resided until about [illegible] years ago when they sold the farm to Israel Broder and came to Tecumseh to reside. Mr. Snell was an excellent mechanic and has always worked at his trade, being very active even up to his death. He leaves a widow and one son, Byron. The funeral was held at the home [illegible] day afternoon, Rev. W. H. Blackman officiating in the services.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Previous to the months of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year [illegible] prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value	$50 00
An Enderige B,	"	30 00
Wheeler & Wilson, No. [illegible]	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand,	"	19 00
Total value,		$124 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at some convenient place, on Saturday afternoon, April 6th, 1895, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00, or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

Now is the time to pay up.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linton have been called upon to part with their six week old boy baby, Edward J. He was taken from them yesterday morning. The funeral will be held at the house to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. P. Varner will officiate.

—PRICES REDUCED ON WOOD. I will sell any body wood for cash only:—
Soft Wood
Oak Wood
Hard Wood
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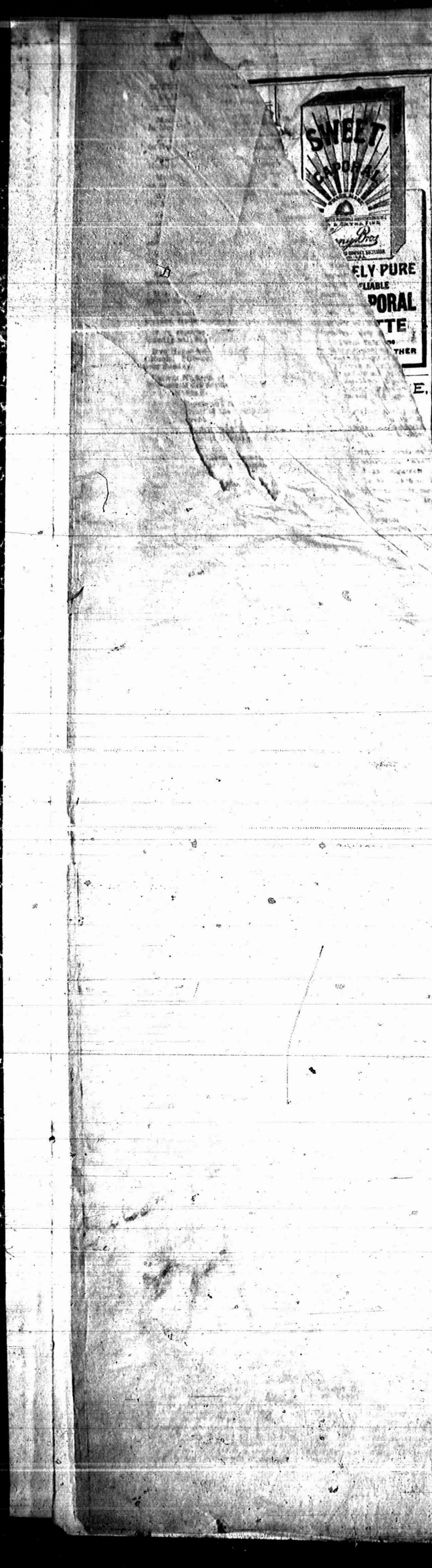

THE LAWMAKERS.

They Assemble at Lansing and Organize.

Gordon Chosen Speaker of the House—McMillan Nominated for Re-Election as Senator—Burrows to Fill the Short Term.

LANSING, Jan. 3.—The legislative session of 1895 opened at noon Wednesday. Most of the members were present. The house was called to order by Lewis M. Miller, clerk of the last house. Rev. E. P. Patterson conducted religious services. The time until 12:50 p. m. was occupied in the swearing in of the members. Applause greeted the appearance of Mr. Donovan, of Bay City, the solitary democratic member. In the afternoon occurred the drawing of seats. By unanimous consent Mr. Donovan was given his choice. The action of the caucus in regard to the organization was then formally ratified. W. D. Gordon of Midland was made speaker by a roll-call vote. Mr. Gordon cast his vote for Mr. Donovan. The rules of the last session were adopted with the addition of such new committees as were needed, and the house then completed its organization by the formal election of the other officers on the list, Lewis M. Miller being chosen clerk and A. G. Butler, of Eaton, sergeant-at-arms. Committees were appointed to advise the senate and the governor that the house was ready for business. A message was received from Gov. Rich that he would be pleased to meet the legislature in joint session and the house adjourned until 10 o'clock Thursday.

LANSING, Jan. 3.—In the senate Tuesday Lieut. Gov. Milnes called order and Rev. Clarence F. Swift asked the Divine blessing. Then the members were sworn in and Lieutenant Governor delivered a short address. J. R. McLaughlin, of Flint, was elected president pro tem and D. E. Alward, of Clare, clerk. The first bill of the session was introduced by Senator Smalley to incorporate the Saline plank road company. Senator Clapp, of Kalamazoo, gave notice of a bill which he would introduce changing the name of Kalamazoo county to Donovan. The senate then adjourned.

The joint session of the legislature Tuesday evening placed in nomination the name of Senator James McMillan for the long term as United States senator from Michigan. The formal election, as there is no opposition in the legislature, will be made by a rising vote.

Julius Cæsar Burrows was nominated by night nominating speeches for the short term in the senate. On the second ballot, Mr. Burrows received the unexpired term of Senator Stockbridge, ending March 3, 1899, thus giving him six years in the senate.

Votes received: Hubbell 5, Burrows 79, Olds, 32; Representative Gordon received the unanimous vote of the house.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Michigan Towns.

A bicycle factory is to be established at Charlotte.

J. Monroe Fish, a pioneer business man of Lawrence, died recently.

Three thousand sheep are being fed at Schoolcraft this winter.

The stave mill of M. D. Olds, at Cheboygan, was burned recently. Loss, $8,000.

A white deer was shot at Manistee this season, the only one reported in the state.

Three men were injured by an explosion recently of giant powder in a mine at Osceola.

Peter Reno, of Escanaba, was drowned while crossing the bay in a skiff. He was intoxicated.

During the month of December H. M. Randuce, of Tecumseh, shipped $18,000 worth of poultry.

Clinton county's agricultural society will hold its annual session at St. John's January 14.

On the 19th inst. the new odd fellows' hall will be dedicated at Milan with appropriate ceremonies.

In falling downstairs the infant son of John Rich, of Saginaw, received injuries which resulted in his death.

Cora Hasbrook, proprietress of a hotel at Ashley, horsewhipped Editor Armstrong because of attacks in his paper.

Dr. Nixon, who disappeared from Eagle River, November 8, is still missing. It is feared he was frozen to death.

Mrs. O. E. Fifield, wife of Mayor Fifield, of Benton Harbor, died at noon Sunday after a two years' illness, aged 35 years.

James Lockwood, while skating near Jackson Saturday, fell on the ice. He died soon afterwards from concussion of the brain.

Injuries received by Ernest [illegible], who fell under a load of wood [illegible] was overturned at Three Rivers, resulted fatally.

After being closed for five weeks on account of the prevalence of diphtheria, the public schools at Mi[illegible] have reopened.

The annual convention of the Michigan Dairymen's association will be held in Adrian, Lenawee county, February 5, 6 and 7.

The people of Ironwood will ask the legislature to amend their city charter so as to allow the city to issue bonds of an amount sufficient to pay all outstanding indebtedness.

At the Eastern Michigan asylum in Pontiac Jay Black, from Genesee county and a man named Martz, both inmates, quarreled. Black was brutally beaten, four ribs being broken. He died from his injuries a few days later.

The new Detroit & Mackinaw Railway company, which filed articles of incorporation Saturday, acquires all the property of the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena company, and declares its intention of extending the road to Mackinaw.

In the circuit court at Marshall judgment was rendered against the Grand Trunk railroad for $7,000 damages for causing the death of John C. Greenwood in the wreck at Battle Creek during the time of the world's fair.

MUNICIPAL COMMISSION.

Provisions of a Bill Which It Has Prepared.

LANSING, Jan. 4.—The municipal commission have completed the bill for cities of the fourth class, which includes all having a population of 10,000 or less. It is patterned largely on the present general law. It provides for the repeal of all previous charters for cities of this class and for their reincorporation under the new law; for boards of public works; and for bonding. The mayor is given power to appoint all officers save those whose election is provided for, subject to confirmation by the council. The power of removal, however, is vested in the mayor.

GRANTED A NEW TRIAL.

Mrs. Ketchum, Convicted of Sitting for Nude Pictures, Has Another Chance.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 7.—The supreme court has granted a new trial for Mrs. Catherine J. Ketchum, a local W. C. T. U. worker, who was convicted some months ago of sitting for nude pictures. The court says that the statute makes it an offense only when such pictures are procured for exhibition and circulation, and as there was no direct evidence showing this the circuit judge should have ordered a verdict of not guilty.

Grand Rapids Gas Works Sold.

GRAND RAPIDS, Jan. 5.—Eastern capitalists have secured an option on more than a controlling interest in the Grand Rapids gas works, and as soon as a few formalities can be observed the deal, it is thought, will be closed. The option is on a valuation of $1,200,000, or double the par valuation of the stock. The company has a monopoly, and has been built up in fifty years from the earnings, besides paying regular annual dividends of 2 per cent.

Death of an Artist.

DETROIT, Jan. 5.—John Owen, a well-known water-color artist, died at his residence in this city Friday morning of pneumonia. He was born in Liverpool forty-five years ago. He went to Canada in 1851 and in 1881 he came to Detroit, where he has since lived. His pictures have been sold mostly in Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Wholesale Slaughter of Deer.

ALPENA, Jan. 7.—It is estimated there are 50,000 deer in the Michigan woods. The number killed this season is placed at 8,000, many of which have been shipped out of the state. Three hundred hunters came into Michigan from other states.

The Railroad Tied Up.

MARSHALL, Jan. 4.—In the circuit court in the case of Greenwood vs. the Chicago & Grand Trunk Railway company, which has been settled, this company was plaintiff [illegible]

MUST STAY IN PRISON.

Supreme Court Decides Against Repke, One of the Molliter Murderers.

LANSING, Jan. 8.—Small hope was held out to the murderers of Albert Molliter who are now serving life sentences in the state prison at Jackson by the supreme court Saturday in its decision in the case of William Repke, one of the convicted men, who applied to the court for a new trial. The testimony showed that Repke took no part in the killing except to accompany the conspirators to Rogers City and to remain with them until the murder was committed. The murder, it will be remembered, took place in 1875, and the perpetrators were not discovered until a year or two ago, when five of them were convicted for the crime. The principal contention of Repke's counsel was that the circuit court was in error in directing the jury that if they found Repke guilty it must be of murder in the first degree. Upon this point the court says:

"Any other instructions than this under the facts and circumstances shown would have been improper, as there was no evidence warranting a different direction and the circumstances which would lessen the degree. It was a willful, deliberate murder, perpetrated by lying in wait, and the statute fixes the degree. The charge was not in violation of the statute. Neither is it in violation of any constitutional right. The charge was full and fair, presenting Repke's theory in all its phases and protecting every right to which he was entitled under the circumstances."

It was the unanimous decree of the court that the conviction must stand.

MARY T. LATHROP.

Death at Jackson of the Noted Temperance Worker.

JACKSON, Jan. 4.—Mary T. Lathorp died at 10:30 Friday morning of general neuralgia, aged 56 years and 3 months. She had been in failing health for more than a year.

[Mary Torrance Lathrop was born near this city April 25, 1838, and her childhood was spent amid the hardships of pioneer life. She was educated at Marshall and taught in the public schools of Detroit from 1852 to 1855, when she was married to Garnett C. Lathrop, then assistant surgeon in the Michigan cavalry. Two years after marriage she removed with her husband to Jackson, and, as the latter was a Methodist church, she united by letter. At 14 years of age she wrote papers under the nom de plume of [illegible] one of her best known [illegible] March" and "What [illegible]son after she united [illegible]urch she was granted [illegible]n, and has since been a lecturer in the [illegible] Missionary society [illegible]and Pastors' Christian [illegible]has always felt a deep [illegible]tion of her own sex, and was one of [illegible]s who secured the establishment of the [illegible]e reformatory for girls at Adrian. She was state president of the W. C. T. U. for many years and was prominent in all temperance work, both state and national.]

BROUGHT $228,000.

Property of the Detroit Exposition Company Is Sold.

DETROIT, Jan. 6.—Negotiations which have been pending for some weeks past resulted Saturday evening in the sale of the entire property of the Detroit Exposition company to the Solvay Process company, soda manufacturers, of Geddes, near Syracuse, N. Y. The consideration is $228,000 and a bonus of $[illegible]. The property includes about 40 acres of land at the junction of the Rouge and Detroit rivers. The large building and some exposition buildings [illegible] in the purchase. No exposition has been held for three years and the property was used for the state fair last September. It is said salt exists in large quantities in the neighborhood, and that is the reason for the purchase. Senator McMillan, president of the exposition company, was chiefly instrumental in the negotiations.

WANT AN ACCOUNT[illegible]

Receiver Is Asked for United [illegible] ings and Loan Asso[illegible]

DETROIT, Jan. 6.—C. [illegible] and six other persons of La[illegible] urday afternoon in the [illegible] circuit court asked for the [illegible] of a receiver for the United [illegible] ings and Loan association. [illegible] The complainants say [illegible] H. Moore has $20,000 of the association's money on hand and [illegible] counting through a receiver. The association was capitalized at $25,000,000 in 1890, and did a big business for several years.

Sold Forged Mortgages.

KALAMAZOO, Jan. 4.—Attorney E. A. Crane, of this city, says he has found eight more mortgages that were forged by the late George E. Breck, of Paw Paw, in his transactions with eastern capitalists. The eight aggregate $9,200. Two of the [illegible] on for $1,000 and one for $1,100. [illegible] Mr. Breck to Mr. Crane. [illegible] name was forged as witness to one [illegible] already found up to $3,[illegible]0 and he says he will not now be surprised if they reach $10,000.

Hollanders [illegible]

KALAMAZOO, Jan. [illegible] have engaged [illegible] ders here have engaged [illegible] son order. [illegible] leave this country [illegible] settle permanently [illegible] go to inspect the country. [illegible] tinaforis a large tract of land in western Alabama, near the Mississippi line, which is very fertile. They propose to get rid of the colored people by [illegible] their lands.

Congressman [illegible]

BAY CITY, Jan. [illegible] announced here Sunday that Congressman Thomas A. E. Weadock was to be married January 1 to Miss [illegible] Curtis, of Bay City. She was formerly housekeeper for Mr. Weadock and afterward filled a position in the post office.

Winthrop Mine Resumes.

ISHPEMING, Jan. 7.—Winthrop mine, in the suburbs of this city, has resumed operations with 100 men, to be increased as development allows. When working full force the mine has employed 500 men.

Dropped Dead in Church.

DETROIT, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Susan Rowe, an aged and charitable woman, dropped dead in the Woodward Avenue Baptist church Sunday morning just after contributing to the support.

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The Simpletons, a new novel by Thomas Hardy, will be begun in the December number, 1894, and continue to November, 1895. Whoever may be one's favorite among English novelists, it will be conceded by all critics that Thomas Hardy stands foremost as a master in fiction; and The Simpletons may be expected to arouse enthusiasm not inferior in degree to that which has marked Trilby—the most successful story of the year. Another leading feature will be the Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc, by the Sieur Louis de Conte. Her Page and Secretary, under which guise the most popular of living American magazine writers will present the story of the Maid of Orleans. In the January number will appear a profusely illustrated paper on Charleston and the Carolinas, the first of a series of Southern Papers.

Northern Africa is attracting more attention than at any other time since it was the seat of empire. The next volume of Harper's Magazine will contain four illustrated articles on this region, and three of them will depict the present life there. Julian Ralph will prepare for the Magazine a series of eight stories, depicting typical phases of Chinese Life and Manners. Besides the short stories, there will begin in the January number the first chapters of A Three-Part Novelette, by Richard Harding Davis—the longest work yet attempted by this writer. Complete short stories by popular writers will continue to be a feature of the Magazine.

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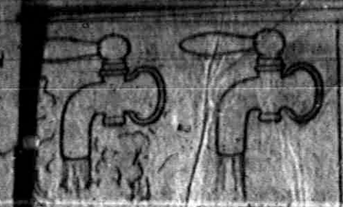

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Proceedings of the Second Session.

IN the senate on the 2d notice was given of several proposed amendments to the tariff bill, one being for the payment of a bounty on the present year's sugar crop of one cent a pound, and another to strike out all provisions for an appropriation for the collection of an income tax. The Nicaragua canal bill was discussed. In the house a bill was introduced for a tax of two dollars per barrel on malt, brewed or fermented liquors. The currency question was considered. Mr. McCreary (Ky.) advocated state banks.

THE senate passed the military academy appropriation bill on the 4th and the Nicaraguan canal bill was further discussed. Senator Lodge (Mass.) spoke on the resolution of inquiry as to why the United States warship has been withdrawn from Honolulu. Adjourned to the 7th. In the house a bill was passed granting an increase of pensions to Hiram Brown, aged 107, survivor of the war of 1812. The currency question was further debated.

DOMESTIC.

THREE men serving life sentences in the Riverside penitentiary in Pennsylvania for murder committed in labor troubles of 1891 were found to be innocent.

THE work of tearing down the historic Blaine mansion in Washington to make way for a theater was begun.

THREE brothers named Masco were drowned in the Allegheny river near Olean, N. Y.

CHARLES BROOKS, aged 60 years; his daughter Ada, aged 25, and Louis Pergeron, aged 15, were killed by the cars at Keene, N. H.

THE loss of life from various disasters in the United States in 1894 was: Drownings, 3,443; fires, 1,677; explosions, 789; falling buildings, etc., 778; mines, 475; cyclones and storms, 317; lightning, 307.

THE wife and five children of Michael O'Connell were burned to death in their home near Waverly, Wis.

WALTER H. BUTLER, the Iowa ex-congressman, was identified at Indianapolis by an Oelwein friend, with whom he left for home.

THE inauguration of Gov. Rich and the other state officers took place at Lansing, Mich.

TWO LITTLE daughters of Mrs. L. were burned to death while at Thomasville, Ga.

EMBEZZLERS, defaulters and bank wreckers in the States succeeded in stealing of other people's money in 1894 $10,929,892 last year.

A MOB took Tom Blair at Mount Sterling, Ky., and hanged him. Blair was charged with murder.

THE loss of life by disasters in the United States in 1894 was 3,648, against 4,603 in 1893. The number of seriously injured was 2,397, against 4,804 in 1893.

TWO THOUSAND men in San Francisco's Russian colony who were refugees, under the czar's ukase are exiles no longer. Some of them are wealthy.

THE number of legal executions in the United States in 1894 was 132, against 166 in 1893 and 107 in 1892. Judge Lynch executed 190 persons, 187 men and three women, during 1894, ten less than in 1893.

... hotel at Lancaster, Ky., ... and Edward A. Pascoe and ... other lost their lives.

... number of persons who ... suicide in the United States ... as reported by mail and ... was 4,213, against 4,482 in ... 1892, 2,331 in 1891, 2,640 in ... in 1882.

... received in Boston, Mass., ... number of Armenians ... by the Kurds at 15,000.

... struck a sleigh a half mile ... Willard, N. Y., containing Mrs. ... her son, and Miss Larkin, and ... occupants were killed.

... servants and one guest lost ... by the burning of the Dela- ... at Albany, N. Y.

... TRUESDALEY, of Bay City ... wife's throat and set fire ... suffocating his baby ... was believed to be in ...

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... FIVE ... children of Jacob R. Lea ... Pa., died within twenty-four hours of diphtheria.

... was inaugurated a governor of New York at Albany.

... was killed and Jennie Harvey and ... William Thompson fatally injured by the cars while driving at Bath, Me.

THE state legislatures of New York, Massachusetts, Maine, Delaware, Michigan and Missouri convened, the republicans in the latter state having control for the first time in twenty-five years.

THE Pittsburgh ... Operators' association ... to arbitrate the wage question ... a threatened rate war.

THE home of Daniel White (colored) near Wickliffe, Ballard county, Ky., was destroyed by fire, Martin of the four children were ... or three days last.

... issued a brief ... weeks ago he was ... at Mr. M. J. Te...

... eleven ... clerks' office report shows that owners of farms and houses possess more than 90 per cent. of the wealth of the country.

LENA LEHMAN and her two children were suffocated ... a tenement-house fire in New York.

THE will of James G. Fair was filed at San Francisco. The $40,000,000 estate is left to relatives with the exception of $1,000.

IT was said that 100,000 negroes would leave the Southern states for Mexico this winter.

THE monthly statement of the receipts and expenditures of the United States shows receipts during December amounting to $21,868,126; disbursements, $37,125,490, leaving a deficit for the month of $15,289,524 and for the six months of the present fiscal year $77,554,665.

DURING a carousal on the old Sisseton reservation in South Dakota the building took fire and two Indians and a white man were burned to death.

THE Massachusetts supreme court decided the sale of oleomargarine colored in imitation of butter to be illegal even though no attempt were made to hide its character.

A SYNDICATE composed of New York and Boston men purchased 800,000 acres of timber lands in Nova Scotia.

THE Crystal Ridge and Cranberry collieries at Hazleton, Pa., shut down for an indefinite period, throwing 1,000 men out of work.

A PARTY of Polish Jews camping near Brush, Ind., were charged with cutting up a dead child's body and feeding it to bears.

... Henry Clements and Miss Lillie Dells were skating at Lima, O., they went into an opening and were drawn beneath the ice and drowned. They were to have been married in a few hours.

GOV. LEWELLING pardoned Hugh Gilliland, aged 70, who had been in the Kansas penitentiary on a life sentence for twenty years.

THE Riverside Water company at Riverside, Cal., failed for $600,000.

JOHN B. ... BENJAMINI, aged 80 years, and his wife, Kate, aged 70, were found asphyxiated by gas in their home in New York.

A HALF-WITTED son of August Beasly, who lived near Port Washington, Wis., locked his parents in a barn, to which he then applied the torch, and they were fatally burned.

THE public debt statement issued on the 2d showed that the debt increased $... during the month of December. The cash balance in the treasury was $... The total debt, less the cash items in the treasury, amounts ...

... Moore and George East, Oklahoma outlaws, were killed in an encounter with deputy marshals, one of ... was wounded.

PRESIDENT HARPER received $175,000 from John D. Rockefeller, of New York, as a New Year's present to the Chicago university.

THE main building of the Illinois eastern hospital for the insane at Kankakee was burned, the loss being $306,000.

CHARLES A. BUSIEL was inaugurated governor of New Hampshire.

AS A result of increase in postal business twenty-nine international money-order offices, ninety domestic money-order offices and 103 limited money-order offices will be established throughout the country immediately.

SEVEN three-story brick buildings, including the new Masonic block, were destroyed at Coffeyville, Kan. Loss, $105,000.

FIRE destroyed a four-story building belonging to the Gas Light and Coke company at Cleveland, O., the loss being $250,000.

THE BURLINGTON (Ia.) citizens, named Nemire and Hornung, went to New York and paid $1,500 for $35,000 of counterfeit money.

WILL J. ENGLISH, a noted desperado of Kentucky, was killed by Andrew Vaughan. He had been a terror for years.

SEVEN persons were badly injured in a railroad wreck at Germantown, Pa., caused by a switchtender's carelessness.

TWENTY-ONE coal mines in the Pittsburgh district were idle, and it was probable that many more would close down. The miners refuse to work at the rates offered.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN, while in a drunken fit at Paris, Ill., beat members of his company and the organization was disbanded.

SECRETARY MCBRIDE, of the United Mine Workers, issued an address to miners, urging them to shun Sovereign and Hayes.

JOHN A. CREIGHTON, of Omaha, Neb., was given the title of count by Pope Leo for aiding the Catholic church.

HENRY B. CLEVELAND was inaugurated governor of Maine for the second time and made a strong plea for protection.

COMMISSIONER MILLER, of the internal revenue bureau, was making active preparations to collect the income tax.

AT A conference of senators of both parties in Washington it was decided to make no attempt to correct errors in the tariff law.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 4th aggregated $944,978,548, against $836,401,764 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 4.6.

GEORGE JORDAN (colored) shot his wife, 6-year-old son and 8-year-old daughter, and then shot and killed himself at Savannah, Ga. Jealousy was the cause.

THE terms of 145 presidential postmasters will expire during the month.

THE City national bank of Birmingham, Ala., has decided to go into liquidation.

BOB AT NICHOLS and John Mullaney were killed in a snow slide at Silver City, N. M.

A WING of the state asylum for imbeciles at Columbus, O., was burned.

VIGILANTES came up with a band of horse thieves near Cantonment, I. T., and captured three of their number and hanged them to a tree.

IN Gov. Waite's final message to the Colorado legislature he scores the old parties and the federal courts.

NO MATERIAL improvement in trade was noted in Bradstreet's. Merchants were reluctantly awaiting settlement of the currency question.

THE business failures in the United States during 1894 were 13,885, with liabilities of $172,992,836, a decrease of over ... as compared with 1893.

... issued extending the ... tions to all superintendents in the post offices ... States. There are 126 of

THREE THOUSAND miners at Dubois and Reynoldsville, Pa., struck on account of wholesale discharges.

AN explosion of fireworks in Dolores A. Quentin's store at Milwaukee started a fire which caused $300,000 damage.

JUDGE PARKER, of the New York supreme court, decided the new constitution did not prohibit state officials using railroad passes.

THE officials of Sacramento, Cal., announced that any burglar or robber would be lynched if caught in that city.

JOHN F. BEDGERON, a white man, was lynched by a mob at Iredell, N. C., for killing a man named Watson.

THE total bank clearings at sixty-nine cities in the United States during 1894 aggregated $44,654,670,926, 10 per cent. less than in the year 1893.

THE Honduras lottery company, formerly the Louisiana, has at last been completely driven from all New England states.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Nebraska legislature convened at Lincoln.

PENNSYLVANIA'S legislature convened in biennial session at Harrisburg.

EDWARD M. HEYL, inspector general of the department of the Missouri, U. S. A., died in Chicago.

REV. WALTER BARTLETT, of Greensburgh, O., celebrated his 99th birthday. He was still able to hold services.

JAMES M. WALKER, a pioneer of Nevada, at one time worth millions, died in poor circumstances at San Francisco.

MARY T. LATHROP, one of the most prominent Woman's Christian Temperance union workers in the world, died at her home in Jackson, Mich., aged 56 years.

MRS. CATHARINE NOLAN died in Litchfield, Ill., aged 112 years and 9 days. She was born in Wickow, Ireland, December 29, 1782, seven years before Washington's inauguration.

THOS H. PAYNTER, judge-elect of the court of appeals, handed in his resignation to Gov. Brown as a member of the present congress from the Ninth Kentucky district.

DR. GEORGE MARX, of the agricultural department, a well-known entomologist and a world's authority on spiders, died in Washington.

FOREIGN.

BELGIUM has prohibited the importation of American cattle. This action closes all the ports of continental Europe against American cattle and beef products and leaves to the exporter only the British market.

IN revenge for the loss of seven soldiers a Belgian force razed a Congo village and killed 100 of its inhabitants.

THE coasting steamer Biltrahill foundered during a gale on the Irish coast and its crew of twenty-six men was lost.

... a recent gale 322 English fishermen belonging to Hull, Grimsby and Yarmouth were lost.

ALFRED MCCLURE, United States vice consul general at Belgrade, Servia, died after a lingering illness.

VIOLENT earthquake shocks in Italy shook Reggio, Messina and Milazzo.

THE Belgian government has decided to propose to parliament the annexation of the Congo Free State.

MEXICO was actively preparing for war with Guatemala. An invading army of over 5,000 was awaiting transportation at Acapnico.

CANADA'S public account shows an enormous increase in the dominion's public debt.

THE crown prince of Siam, Somdetch Chowta Maha Vajirunhis, died at Bangkok, aged 27 years.

LATER.

THE United States senate was not in session on the 5th. In the house the time was consumed by debate over the Carlisle currency plan, in which Mr. Cockran, of New York, was the most conspicuous figure. He opposed the bill throughout and declared himself in favor of the Baltimore plan.

THE village of Stuartsville, 4 miles northeast of Findlay, O., was nearly destroyed by fire.

FIRE near Baltimore, which destroyed a Standard Oil plant, acid and fertilizer works, caused a loss of $200,000.

MRS. WILLIAM FLINT, of Utica, N. Y., fatally shot her husband and his mother became ... the latter's interference in her affairs.

FIRE originating in the Eagle ... mills destroyed the business portion of Hamlin, W. Va.

DURING a quarrel S. L. Swim shot and killed Widow Cooper and her daughter at the McDaniel farm, miles from Newport, Ark.

J. E. RUMSEY, ex-mayor of Tipton, Ind., was found dead in bed.

JAMES COOK, a well-known character and ward politician, and Charles Hynall, a city employe, killed each other in a duel in New Orleans.

WILLIAM WHITE, 108 years old, died at Ottawa, Kan.

GEN. PHILIP SIDNEY POST, member of congress from the Tenth Illinois district, died suddenly in Washington, aged 62 years.

A RECEIVER was appointed for ... Jefferson Iron works of Steubenville, O., the indebtedness being $150,000.

FOUR lives were lost by the ... of the pilot boat D. J. Lavin ... fishing schooner in the ... light near Boston.

LOUIS GALLOWAY (colored) ... mile from Edwards, Miss., ... with his wife, were found ... near their cabin.

A RACE from Minneapolis to Augusta, and between cowboys mounted on ... has been arranged, the date ... to be August 1 and the start to be February 7.

MRS. CLARA PENNELL, of ... kidnaped when a child by her ... was reunited to her mother ... ford, Ill.

ONE of the mills of the ... der works near Xenia, O., was ... up, three employes being killed.

A FIRE that started in the ... office in Toronto, Ont., resulted ... death of one fireman, severe ... of Fire Chief Ardagh and five firemen, and a property loss of $400,000.

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Roswell G. Horr, ex-Congressman from Michigan, but now of New York City, will continue to discuss Tariff, Currency, Coinage and Labor questions in the Tribune. By all odds the most witty, earnest and well-informed speaker upon the stump, he is every year sent by the Tribune to aid the local campaigns in every part of the country. He keeps in constant touch with the people, knows their wants, and addresses himself in the Tribune directly to the thoughts which are in their minds, and makes himself understood. He will gladly answer questions, asked in good faith, by readers.

All the regular features of the Tribune will be continued. For Western readers, a special array of Western news is supplied. For Eastern readers an Eastern edition is printed.

It is the intention to make the paper especially helpful to farmers and mechanics. Each class has its separate department in the Tribune; and the new invention of mechanics, who lack the means to exploit the product of their brains, are advertised free of charge in the hope of aiding them to find a purchaser or a partner.

The market reports of the Tribune ... long acknowledged to be the best in the country, will maintain their high standard.

The Semi-Weekly Tribune ... comparable paper for ... live beyond the range ... Tribune, but find it necessary ... in touch with the best ... Continent, higher interests of the ... and club agents. ...

A few premiums are ... The Weekly, Sunkist ... $2; The Daily Tribune ... January. ... one of cheese ... might even get ... a senator.

... Wm. Kin ... to the spring for a ... of water. It's not you Kin ... The idea of you bein' a sena- ... know any more 'bout ... whisky trusts 'n a ... ever received the first time ... Nor free, Josiah. ... progress an' Wall street an' Monte Carlo alone an plant corn. That's what I would do."—Washington Star.

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Miss Myrtle M. Maxwell, of Onawa, is a believer in woman's rights—not the theoretical, ... kind, which ... in spending ... in the common sense, practical sense. ... and ... and ... age ... and ... and ... and

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Announcement for 1895.

What newspapers are you going to take during the coming year? Every man must settle that question for himself. The wise man, however, will have the "Old Reliable" on his list, and, in that connection, we offer our patrons a little good advice. It is needless to inform the public what to expect in these columns during the ensuing twelve months. As a first-class, up-to-date local newspaper the HERALD intends to lead the procession, as heretofore. Politically, it will continue to be independent, and it will strive to uphold the interests of the masses in matters of finance, taxation and public expenditures.

Recognizing the stringency of the times, our rates have been placed upon a hard-pan basis. A few extra combination offers are also presented, and the most favorable club list ever given in these columns. Here they are in detail:

NO. ONE.

Every subscriber, either old or new, who pays all arrearages and one full year in advance to Jan. 1st, 1896, will receive, gratis, a neat portfolio entitled ...of the White City; the Mid... is similar to the Ferris ...iven to our patrons ... free gift to all ...ers, and will ...95.

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The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	3 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
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Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

THE S. W. FARMERS' CLUB.

The January meeting was held at "Wildwood," the home of John G. English, on Friday, the fourth. The day was cold but the roads were in superb condition, consequently a large company from Manchester, Sharon, Bridgewater, Saline and Norvell partook of the fine dinner and participated in the discussion.

The secretary, Mrs. J. F. Spafard, was not present and Wm. E. Pease was chosen secretary pro tem.

The president opened the meeting with a few well chosen remarks.

Miss Spafard failed to appear with a selection.

Miss Nettie English read an essay on this subject, "Where Am I At?" A ...ght criticism of American foibles ...ing with, "In moments of mental ...ession, we may feel that selfishness ...s the list of the heart's impulses; ...justice is the paramount inclina... ...at crime is on the increase when ...e the past year's chronicle of ... suicides, robberies and for... ... comprehend the fact that ... those who have broken every ... t in the decalogue; that our ...don, are full of the de... ...waifs of humanity. We ...world, like a box, is ... then we think of ... libraries and ...unificently en... ...recall the ...t inven... ...'s com... ...ember ...cinder ...dur... ...ly to ...is a ...ngat ...the ...sons ...ea... ...ed ...re ...s ...s ...

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Richard Green said our great staple product should be corn. He finds he succeeds in obtaining a clover catch on stubble ground when he cannot upon a summer-fallow. He spoke of dressed pork bringing nine dollars per hundred two years ago, and he attributed it to Germany's opening her ports to its importation while since she placed an embargo on dressed meats, the price had fallen.

A. D. English said he read an article in the Michigan Farmer, a few years ago, written by A. C. Glidden, of Paw Paw, that said if farmers would feed twenty-five per cent of their wheat it would benefit the market. It sounded like a prophecy, likely to be unfulfilled. It seemed unnecessary, at that time, but is just what farmers are almost compelled to do to-day.

W. E. Pease thinks one needs to give their entire attention to celery growing if they would succeed, and does not credit it with being a crop for the general farmer.

The club adjourned to meet the first Friday of February with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Palmer at their home at River Raisin.

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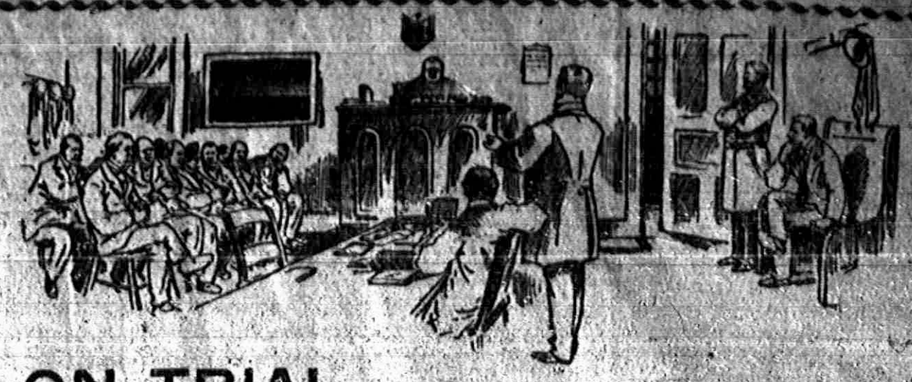

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The man looks uneasy. Apparently he is afraid of the result. Twelve men, good and true, may be too many for him. It wouldn't be for us. We are anxious to be put on trial, and not by twelve men but by twelve hundred or twelve thousand. The more the merrier. We want you to serve as one of the jury. We want an opportunity of proving to you that THE SEMI-WEEKLY DETROIT JOURNAL is the best, the cheapest and most satisfactory Home Newspaper ever offered the reading public of Michigan. It fills the bill completely for those who do not take a daily but who want to keep in closer touch with the news and markets than they can by reading the ordinary weekly. It is no more expensive than a weekly. **Twice each week and ONLY ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.** Less than a cent apiece. Each paper contains 64 columns. All the news, latest markets, choicest selections of stories, etc. Large type, clear print and easy to read.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lena...

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Lit... deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of deceased, in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of February, 1895 and on the 4th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 28th day of December, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, January 3, 1895.

OREL HARMON,
CYRUS MONTONYE,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 24th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Mather, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hudson Carpenter, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his first annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of January next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 24th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary Clemens, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of the estate of said deceased be granted to petitioner, the executrix named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 21st day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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We are ...ople who first broke the combine by reducing prices and still have prices below other dealers. The reason that we can sell cheaper is that we are free from expense. Ask people who have tried the following goods, as to quality:

Bacon, Ham and Olives, All New Goods. The Largest and Best Stock that Money can Buy.

Tea, formerly sold for 65 and 50, now 45 and 35.

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Cheese, ... and Cheapest in Town. The Best Dr... for 18c per lb.

As fo... have the Best, and Way D... ice. Fine Stock of Canned Goods. ... as Good an Assortment of Groceries ... in Lenawee County.

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...arantee this Furnace

To GIVE MORE HEAT for the amount of Fuel Used than any on the Market.

Hot Water & Steam Heating.

REPAIRS FURNISHED FOR ANY STOVE.

All Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Work and Plumbing done in workmanlike manner.

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OUR NEW PLANING MILL is now fully equipped with the Latest Styles ... chinery, and our facilities ... doing all kinds ... purpos...

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WIPED OUT!

Our Sale has proved a CYCLONE. Our Black Dress Goods have been Completely Wiped Out. As we have Just Received a

New Lot for Spring!

We will Place Them on Sale at *20 per Cent. Discount*, and

Extend our Sale to February 1st.

A Good Stock of Cloaks, Carpets, Curtains, Dress Goods and Underwear from which to make your Selections.

ANDERSON & CO.

James Lowry,

The Leading Grocer,

LILLEY HOUSE BLOCK.

A Blizzard!

Has Struck the Orange Crop, but Not Us. We will for a Short Time make a

Reduction on All Goods

None Excepted!

Call and be Convinced that we do as we Say.

Kennedy & Rogers.

30 Days LONGER 30 Days

—WE WILL OFFER—

GREATER REDUCTIONS THAN EVER!

ON CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES AND FURNISHINGS.

$5.00 Shoes for $2.50; $2.00 Shoes for $1.25; $1.50 Shoes for 75c. $15.00 Overcoat or Suit for Only $5.00; $10.00 Suit or Overcoat for Only $4.00. Underwear, Mittens, Hats, Caps and Overshirts, Knit Jackets, Etc. We have got them and are going to sell them at a *Start-Figure*. The fact is we are going to *Pay People to Take Them*. Now REMEMBER, for Thirty Days.

Chicago Clothing Co.

HERSEN'S OLD STAND.

A BIT OF LOCAL HISTORY.

A Typographical Souvenir of Tecumseh in Course of Preparation.

For years past it has been the practice of the live cities and villages of the state to issue illustrated publications of various kinds, but generally of an elegant character, setting forth the desirability of the respective towns and cities as places of residence, the advantages they offer enterprise and capital, as well as commemorating the principal events in the growth and development of each. In some places this work has been done at the expense of the municipality, and in others by the aid of public spirited citizens and business men. In nearly all cases it would be safe to say that these brochures have proved valuable as advertising mediums, and have provided pretty souvenirs which will be kept and inspected with pleasure for years to come.

While there is probably no place in Michigan richer in early history and in present opportunities, Tecumseh has as yet essayed nothing of this kind. It gives us pleasure, however, to announce that a project is now on foot to issue an elegant little brochure, of about 50 pages, for the purpose above described. The pamphlet will be printed on fine enamelled book paper, illustrated with [illegible] half-tone engravings, bound [illegible] and with a specially designed [illegible]ved cover. The text matter [illegible]escriptive of the village and [illegible] from the earliest times to the [illegible]sent, and it is proposed to make it [illegible]t once interesting and an authority in [illegible]s respect.

[illegible] hoped to raise the funds necessa[illegible] the publication of this work by [illegible]ale of advertising space, which it is hardly necessary to state would be exceptionally desirable. The project is in the hands of Messrs. J. H. Smith and Chas. H. Reed, and we bespeak for them success in the enterprise and commend it to our fellow townsmen.

A Presentation Surprise.

The regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M., held at the Temple last Friday evening, was of more than ordinary interest to all present. Alf. James, who has served both lodge and chapter many years in different capacities, was resigning his position as secretary, which he has so ably filled for the past five years, and his friends in the different bodies had planned a surprise for him. He was called to the East, where P. S. McKinnon, who had been assigned the duty, presented him a beautiful charm, which had been designed and made for the occasion. It consisted of a solid gold keystone, having on the back this: "Alfred James, 1894;" on one edge, "Chapter 42, R. A. M.;" on the other, "Lodge 99, F. & A. M.," and on the bottom edge, "Tecumseh." The face bore several masonic designs, beautifully executed in black enamel. The letters forming the circle were on white enamel, while in the center of the circle was a fine diamond. It was a complete surprise to Alf., but he rallied and proved equal to the emergency by responding in a fitting manner. He will wear it with pleasure to himself and honor to the fraternity.

Educational Rally.

The teachers of Macon and adjoining townships, as well as all other persons who are interested in education, are invited to attend an Educational Rally at the school house in Macon village, on Saturday, Jan. 26, beginning at ten o'clock a. m. Subjects will be presented by Miss Maude Howell, Prof. Kellogg, John C. Howell, Edward Miller, Arthur T. Camburn and others, and music will be furnished by Miss Mary Richart and the Macon Ladies' Quartet.

Presentation to Phil. Bruner.

The Dennison (Ohio) Paragraph of Jan. 5th contains the following notice of a presentation. Mr. Bruner was in Tecumseh a few weeks ago with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Wood and formed many acquaintances here at that time, who will be glad to learn of his good luck:

Mat. Gordon, telegrapher of this city, presented to Mr. Phil. Bruner, superintendent of the C., L. & W. R'y, to-day, in behalf of the employes, an elegant diamond shirt stud, valued at $275. It being kept exceedingly quiet, Phil. was taken very much by surprise, but in his usual cool and gentlemanly manner he made a few appropriate remarks, thanking the boys for their valuable and handsome gift. Mr. Bruner has been with the C., L. & W. for several years, and is very popular among his employes, as well as the public. He ranks as one of the finest railroad men in the country, which makes his services very valuable to the C., L. & W. He served through the late war with distinction, ranking as captain, and holding the very important position of cipher translator with General Thomas up to the time of the General's lamented death, and afterward with General Sherman in his march to the sea.

A BLACK MAN TURNING WHITE.

A Wonderful Freak of Nature Now on Exhibition in Tecumseh.

We stepped in to see the spotted man yesterday who is on exhibition in the store room lately occupied by Moses Long. To our surprise we found in him one of the greatest living curiosities we ever beheld. After listening attentively to a very complete description of the transformation going on in Mr. Wilson, by our townsman, Theodore P. Wood, who delivered it in his most effective manner, we sat down and had a very pleasant chat with Mr. Wilson. We found him to be a very intelligent and genial gentleman, not given to extravagant assertions, but modest and quiet of manner and utterances. His is certainly a wonderful case. We have often seen colored people who were said to be turning white, but they were not as all like Mr. Wilson. Where he is white it is such a clear and pure white that even our own fair skin, of which we have been so proud, was put in the shade. It is so clear that our fairest young ladies would be delighted with a skin so clear and soft; to touch it is like a baby's. Mr. Wilson possesses a fine physique and weighs 200 pounds. Aside from colds, incident to his necessary exposure, he has never been sick. In our conversation we gleaned the following information: He was born in Springfield, Ohio, Sept. 16th, 1838, but for many years has resided at Perrysburg, Ohio. He married at the age of 21; has 6 children grown to man and womanhood, who are married and have children of their own, none of whom have any of his peculiarity of skin. Up to the age of 40 his skin was of one color, and that was darker than Theo Wood's. At that time a spot appeared on his right shoulder, which in three years grew to the size of a silver half-dollar. After that time other spots came and began to spread more rapidly, and have increased as the years passed, until now two-thirds of his person is perfectly white. At this rate he thinks in about 3 years he will no longer be a freak or curiosity, but a white man to all appearances. About 5 years ago he was induced to take the road, since which time he has been in all the large museums in most of the large cities; has appeared before classes in medical colleges and has been examined by eminent physicians, all of whom pronounce his case wonderful. Having a little time at his disposal, and being an acquaintance of Theo Wood, of long standing, he came to visit him. He will remain a short time longer, so that all may have an opportunity to see him. No one should miss this privilege. Ladies and children are especially invited to call.

Oranges Frozen Solid.

J. B. Clement, a former resident of Blissfield, writes from Mt. Dora, Florida, under date of Dec. 31st, giving a few details about the frost which ruined the orange crop:

Florida has just received the worst black eye in the history of the State. Friday morning, 28th inst., the mercury went down to 17 above zero, and every orange in the State was frozen as hard as a brick and will be a total loss to the growers. The estimates of the transportation men who have been over the State would produce five million boxes this year. There have been about two million boxes marketed so far, which is unusually large for this season of the year, leaving about three millions on the trees a total loss. And this is but a small part of her loss, as the young trees are all killed, and the old ones hurt so badly that they will not recover in a number of years. The great freeze of 1886 lasted three days. The coldest was 22 degrees above, and that killed all young trees. Saturday morning it was 23 above, and there was ice on a barrel of water at the north end of my house one and a half inches thick. I saw a report from Eustis made Dec. 27. This is the home of Col. Hazzard. It was estimated that they would have 15,000 boxes more in this locality than last year's yield. About 2,000 boxes have been shipped so far this season from the depot at Eustis, and about 58,000 remain on the trees. The fruit is principally Russets, but of a superior quality.

A Deerfield Pioneer Gone.

George Ferguson died suddenly at his home in this township, Monday night, of apoplexy. Mr. Ferguson was a pioneer of Lenawee county. He came to Deerfield in the spring of 1834, and thus has lived more than sixty years in this township. Fifty-three years of this time he lived upon the farm on which he died.

He was eighty years old last September, and while not the oldest man in the township, he was the oldest resident in this part of the county. He owned one of our best farms, and by frugality, and square dealing had acquired a handsome property. He was ever ready to extend a kindly hand to the needy, and the memory of many who have felt his generosity will rise up and call him blessed. —Adrian Times.

Our income for the year 1894 has not been large enough for the internal revenue collector to bother about sending us a blank on which to report the amount of it. The income tax clause couldn't touch us with a fifty-foot pole.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

QUIMBO'S GRAB BAG.

A WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

She's got the right to be taxed—so hasn't
And nobody can have more!
She can't intimidate to use her tongue,
And she never can want any more.
And she has her representative now,
A piece of a man—somewhere—somehow—
Mixed up in all the political row—
And now can she want any more?

—WOMAN'S JOURNAL.

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WOUNDED AT LAST.

"I'm gointer quit," said the messenger boy. "I ain't rich, an' I needs de money, but I've got some pride, an' I resigns me job."

"W'at's de matter?"

"De boss hez been havin' more talk ter gimme 'bout de time I take. I don't go fast enough ter suit 'im."

"Gosh! Ye ain't sensitive 'bout remarks like dem, are ye?"

"I kin stand me share of abuse. But dis time he rubbed it in. He said dat I was slower dan de new postoffice, an' I quits 'em to-night. I am patient, but he hez went too fur."—Washington Star.

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In Northville when a young man goes to see his best girl and finds the hall way unlighted he immediately embraces the first female he meets. The other evening a particularly bashful young man hugged his prospective mother-in-law and was forthwith thrown out of doors.

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The HERALD would like to see—

Five hundred new names on its list before next April.

Four handsome, educated, talented, musical, intellectual, accomplished young ladies win a sewing machine each at our distribution in April.

A block or brick pavement on Chicago street before the arrival of 1896.

The revival of the Tiffany Iron Works or its transformation into some other live business enterprise.

A big business boom in general during the year of grace, 1895.

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HIS AMBITION SAT UPON.

"Mandy," said Farmer Corntossel, "I'm thinkin' 'bout goin' inter politics."

"For massy sakes! Air you crazy?"

"Nope. I'm talkin' right in my sober senses. I could run fur congress jes' ez well ez lots of others. I might even get ter be a senator."

"You kin run to the spring fur a bucket of water—that's whot you kin run fur. The idea of you bein' a senator! You don't know any more 'bout sugar speculation 'n whisky trusts 'n a baby. You'd git euchred the fust time yo cut the kyeards. No, sirree, Josiar. I won't 'low no sech notions ez them. You'll let gongress an' Wall street an' Monte Carlo alone an' plant corn. That's what you'll do."—Washington Star.

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Miss Myrtle M. Maxwell, of Onsted, is a believer in woman's rights—not the theoretical, sentimental, fashionable kind, which begin with wind and end in smoke, but the common sense, practical kind, which permit and encourage a woman to earn a livelihood at any honest occupation. She is the owner and sole manager of the Onsted News. She fills the several positions of editor, proof-reader, compositor, job foreman, pressman, book-keeper, solicitor and office devil, and is an adept in every department. The work is all well done and the paper is issued on time every week. When business calls her out of town, however, the whole mechanism stops, like a run down clock; but upon her return the clock is again set in motion and the print shop proceeds. The News has improved in both appearance and contents since the present pilot assumed the helm.

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The editorial sanctum of the HERALD has shown with a brilliant effulgence and the editorial heart has been supremely happy during the past week. The cause of this unusual phenomenon is the daily receipt of the Legislative Journal, which arrives at this office as promptly and punctually as a dunning letter or a wrathy subscriber. This model of typographical beauty is a sort of panacea which cures all ills which editorial flesh is heir to. It is as interesting reading during a leisure hour as Webster's dictionary. For a tonic it rivals old rye, with no evil after effect. For a target to swear at, it beats the office devil. In slack days, when the copy hook runs empty, it affords a never-failing supply. It replaces the old, worn out door mat to perfection. As kindling for building a fire, it is better than basswood and cheaper than kerosene. As a vade mecum of political information, it is unrivalled. As an old paper supply for the rag bag, it distances all other exchanges. May the Solons continue their sessions at Lansing for the next six months, and may the Journal continue. Its benign visits at the literary sanctum

Announcement for 1895.

What newspapers are you going to take during the coming year? Every man must settle that question for himself. The wise man, however, will have the "Old Reliable" on his list, and, in that connection, we offer our patrons a little good advice. It is needless to inform the public what to expect in these columns during the ensuing twelve months. As a first-class, up-to-date local newspaper the HERALD intends to lead the procession, as heretofore. Politically, it will continue to be independent, and it will strive to uphold the interests of the masses in matters of finance, taxation and public expenditures.

Recognizing the stringency of the times, our rates have been placed upon a hard-pan basis. A few extra combination offers are also presented, and the most favorable club list ever given in these columns. Here they are in detail:

NO. ONE.

Every subscriber, either old or new, who pays all arrearages and one full year in advance to Jan. 1st, 1896, will receive, gratis, a neat portfolio entitled [illegible]es of the White City; the Mid- This is similar to the Ferris [illegible]eel portfolio, given to our patrons last year. It will be a free gift to all advance paying subscribers, and will hold good until Feb. 1st, 1895.

NO. TWO.

The "Columbian Gallery" consists of twenty numbers of World's Fair Photographs, published by the Werner Co., of Chicago. This is the finest collection among all similar publications. There are 256 full-page plates, size 11 by 13 inches, beautifully bound in one large volume. The price of the book is $3, with one year's subscription to the HERALD thrown in.

NO. THREE.

The "Graphic History of the Fair" is the finest and most complete history of the Fair ever presented to the public. It is a book of 300 pages, containing over 1900 illustrations, elegantly bound, and sells for $3. This book will be furnished for that amount, including a full year's subscription to the HERALD.

NO. FOUR.

The "Land of Christ" is one of the most beautiful serials published, giving a very fully illustrated history of Palestine. It is published in twelve parts, and will be furnished in separate parts to subscribers. This work sells for $2. We can furnish the same at the regular price, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

Sample copies of all the above books can be seen at our counting room. Call and examine them.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Co[illegible]atry	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	1 50
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Honolulu is dissatisfied with President Dole, because he spends but $1,000 of his $10,000 salary. If all that Hawaii wants is a good spender, that revolution was unnecessary.

Emperor William's wife is a much-suffering woman. She has to accept the amateur paintings and drawings of her husband as a Christmas present and pretend that she likes them.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 18, 1895.

Geo. A. Kies was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Tate was in Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Mame Wilson is quite sick at present.

Cris Schmidt and wife visited Tecumseh Tuesday.

S. W. Demuth was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Semark visited Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

Charles Carroll has been on the sick list but is out again.

Wm. C. Rogers was taking in poultry in large quantities Tuesday.

Ed. A. Clark was on the sick list for several days the past week.

Walt C. Burridge and Mat Root, of Tecumseh, were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. H.W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, visited her mother and sister Tuesday.

C. A. Slayton and Rev. C. M. Brown of Tecumseh, were in town Tuesday.

Miss Eva Shimmen visited her sister at Hudson from Friday until Tuesday.

Ed. Kirchgessaner, one of the hustling jewelers of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Miss Emma Hause and Mrs. Irve Hause are visiting their father and family at Britton.

Minnie Hard and Genevieve Burroughs were taking in the sights at Tecumseh Tuesday.

Born, Sunday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Marshal, a son. Congratulations are in order.

Geo. Runyan went to Detroit Monday to attend the Grand Masonic bodies in session there this week.

Mrs. Fane Smith, Addie Wells and Della Kies visited Mrs. Alice Anderson at Tecumseh, one day last week.

Miss Anna Glasford, after several weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Eugene Palmer, has returned to Britton.

Will Mobbs and Wade Waring, of Tecumseh, attended union service at the Congregational church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lucretia Amspoker gave a pleasant pedro party to a small company of friends at her cosy home the last of the week.

Codling & Machin have rented Soloman Parker's barn and turned it into an ice house which they are filling this week.

Misses Laura Clark and Grace Stevens and Alex Kennedy and W. H. Beehler visited Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford at Tecumseh Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. B's grand-son Fred in Chicago. From there she contemplates going to Texas to visit their son Seth and family.

D Woodward and wife left for Detroit, Saturday, for a visit with friends. David was, as usual, in attendance at the meetings of the Grand Council and Grand Chapter.

The Postmaster General has notified Postmaster Kishpaugh that the old Clinton Plow company were entitled to the mail bearing the address of "The Clinton Plow Co.," so that settles the question for the present.

Fred Wright, of Denver, Colorado, is visiting friends in this vicinity. His wife and children have for some time been with her parents, B. J. Bond and wife, and Fred joined them recently and expects to spend some time among his old friends and relatives.

A committee from the High School consisting of Leon Clark, Claude Hause, Ray Wood, Melinda Nase, Ollie Mills and Sadie Huntington purchased a fine gold pen holder and two fine volumes for Prof. H. W. Daniels, and they were presented to him at his home, Tuesday, in a fitting manner.

Peter Morton and daughter, while driving into town Monday were upset east of town, and the horse came into the village minus a driver. Leon Clark caught the horse and started back meeting Mr. Morton and girl on the Calhoun hill. Save the seat being torn from the cutter no damage was done.

Mrs. Mary Collins met with a painful if not serious accident, a few days since at her home. In going to the woodshed she stepped on some ice, her feet slipped and she fell striking on a pail that was near by. She hurt one hip badly and has suffered great pain in consequence.

Mat Lancaster, while working on the ice with a horse, thought to have a little variety by way of a change, and both he and the horse had it. They both went down, and after floundering, or rather sporting, in the water for a while, were rescued. Guess they enjoyed it, at least neither suffered any inconvenience from it.

Robert Redick has the contract for the stone and brick work of the Clinton Plow Company's new plant and Fred Sherwood the wood work. They have began active labors and it is expected the company will be occupying the building within sixty days. About 20 men are at work in the different capacities and the work is progressing rapidly.

A letter received recently by W. D. VanTuyle from [illegible] Bruce states that she has charge of her quarters from the island of Koha[illegible] to Kanai, another of the Sandwich Islands. She now has charge of the Lihue Kanai Industrial School for boys. This is a much better position than she held and is a compliment to her ability, not only as a teacher, but also to her executive talents. We are glad to hear of this recognition of her abilities.

There is a feeling of gloom pervading this entire community, in consequence of Prof. H. W. Daniels being obliged to resign his position as superintendent of schools, owing to impaired health. For some time he has been threatened with nervous prostration, but hoped to rally, but Monday he was obliged to give up. He has been conscientious and faithful in fulfilling his arduous duties and has done grand work in the school. It is hoped, that with care and quiet, he may be restored to perfect health. Many have felt he was working too hard, as he gave himself entirely to his work as well out of school as in. The High school room has been closed until a teacher can be secured. Wm. S. Kimball and John Hause drove to Ypsilanti Tuesday to see what could be done. They hope soon to have a teacher here.

They had a very enjoyable time at Maccabee hall Tuesday eve., the occasion being the installation of officers in both Tent and Hive, W. B. Keyser acting as installing officer for the Tent and Mrs. Auchampaugh, of Adrian, for the Hive. While not exactly public, there were a number of invited guests present, who were not members of either order. Immediately after the installation ceremonies, Mrs. Carrie Woodward, the retiring lady commander who has ably served the Hive in that capacity since its organization, was presented with a beautiful chair by the members of the Hive. This proved a complete surprise to her, but the spirit prompting this token of esteem was none the less appreciated. Then followed the banquet which was such as these ladies are noted for giving and was enjoyed to the fullest extent.

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Farmers in different sections of the county are compelled to draw water for their stock.

E. J. Smith (Philander Perkins) has severed his connection with the Ann Arbor Argus.

The mill pond at Manchester is located in the heart of the village and a skating carnival is talked of.

Three men have been bound over for trial in the Hillsdale circuit court, charged with maliciously killing a horse.

Two chicken thieves in Deerfield were each sentenced to ninety days' imprisonment. It was a righteous judgment.

How the little boy envies the family dog, because the animal never is compelled to go to bed to have his pants mended.

Out west they are extracting whisky from sugar beets. Now, if they could only utilize the "dead beat," what a lot of whisky might be obtained.

Dr. Hal. C. Wyman is to have a new house built at Mt. Dora, Florida, and F. D. Lamb, of Blissfield, has gone to that place to superintend its construction.

State Railroad Commissioner Billings in his annual report makes mention of the fact that during the year ending Dec. 1, not a passenger has been killed in the State.

Messrs. Ira Waterman and Fred Wood expect to start for their new home in Virginia about February 1st. We understand they have sent their names to the F. F. V. association, in which they desire to become members.

It is beginning to be a subject of much speculation among Adrian people as to where Congressman Gorman has concealed the $5,000 federal position that he promised L. H. Salsbury. They are asking for a search warrant.—Evening news.

At the meeting of the County Teachers' Association, held last Saturday at Adrian, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, M. B. Collins, of Britton; vice-president, Mrs. Emma B. Marque, Sand Creek; secretary and treasurer, Miss Hattie Widney, Adrian.

The Home Minstrels sprung their jokes and songs on the people of Addison, New Year's night, the burnt corkists making the trip across the country in carriages. Their merriment and vocalism thawed out before the curtain rose and the fair sized audience laughed and applauded so heartily that the ice on the mill pond cracked. There was no surplus, but lots of experience and fun, in the engagement.—Hudson Gazette.

The North Shore summer resort on Sand Lake, Lenawee county, has been purchased from the Congressman Eldredge estate by Kennedy Bros. It was near this resort that Judge Howell, author of Howell's annotated statutes, used to pass his summer vacations, and where he once so domesticated a bull frog that whenever the distinguished jurist came in sight it would leap to meet him, clearing nearly a rod at a straddle.—Detroit News.

During the session of the board of supervisors Saturday morning, the retiring clerk, Ira Waterman, was presented with a handsome gold-headed cane by his friends of the board and about the court house. The head was inscribed "To Ira Waterman, from his old friends, January 12th, 1895." L. H. Salsbury made the presentation speech, and Mr. Waterman responded gracefully. He has been one of the most efficient and painstaking clerks Lenawee ever had, and is deserving all the honors he receives.

When Teddie Perkins lit his morning cigar yesterday he threw the match in the cuspidor at his home on High street—or, he thought he did. But after he had left for over town, Mrs. Perkins heard a roaring noise and, coming into the sitting room, found the curtains in the archway leading to the parlor all ablaze. The flames had extended to the arch and were working up into a partition on the 2d floor. An alarm was given and the East Side hose boys were soon on hand, but the fire was put out without their help.—Hudson Gazette.

An exchange says: "A retiring newspaper man gives this philosophical reason for quitting the business: A child is born, the doctor in attendance gets $10, the editor notes it and gets on it is christened, the minister gets $4; the editor writes it up and gets 00; it marries, the minister gets another fee, the editor gets a piece of cake or 000; in a course of time it dies, the doctor gets from $5 to $10, the minister gets another $4, the undertaker gets $25 to $50—the editor publishes it and receives 0000—and the privilege of running, free of charge, a card of thanks.

After an article in the Manchester Enterprise on the old Presbyterian church bell, written by a citizen, Editor Blosser adds the following: "About 1850 a man named Parnell came here to lecture on phrenology and finding that there was no bell in the church in which he was to speak, offered to donate the proceeds of his lecture, toward purchasing one. He was taken sick here and died, but before he passed away he requested that his head be severed from his body and sent to Prof. O. S. Fowler, of New York, and his body be buried with the feet toward the south, in token of his hatred of the slaveholders. We understand that his wishes were complied with and that his bones are mouldering to dust in the old burying grounds on Washington street.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

"O the snow, the beautiful snow,"
Don't be in a hurry to go.

Mr. and Mrs. Wickwire, of Battle Creek, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pentecost, several days this week.

Mrs. Lorinda Nickloy, of Devils Lake, is very ill at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Emmerson Whichter. Dr. Gary Ross is in attendance.

Colby Ostrander of Tekonsha, Frank Nickelroy of Devils Lake, and Mrs. Clara Lee are in attendance at the bedside of their relative, Mrs. Nickelroy, who is reported dying.

The residence of Jay Pawson was totally consumed with its contents, by fire last Monday, while Mr Pawson and wife were absent. His aged mother was alone in the house and only snatched a few articles before she was obliged to flee for life.

The play, "Among the Breakers," was given two evenings in succession this week at Pentecost hall to full houses, and was unanimously voted a success. The acting was excellent, the music superb, and the good people of this vicinity enjoyed a treat. There is some talk of going to Tipton with it in the near future.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Hard colds seem to be the order of the day just now.

Now the snow is come, look out for surprise parties.

The people in this neighborhood are busy gathering ice. It measures nine inches and is very fine.

Stella Dewey returned home from Schoolcraft last Thursday. She has been visiting her brother Cassius and wife. She also visited friends in Decatur.

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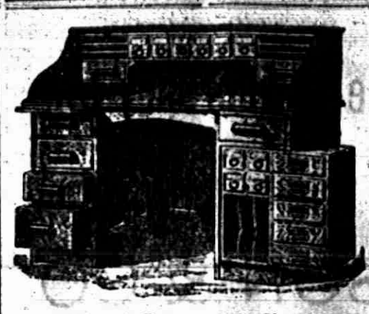

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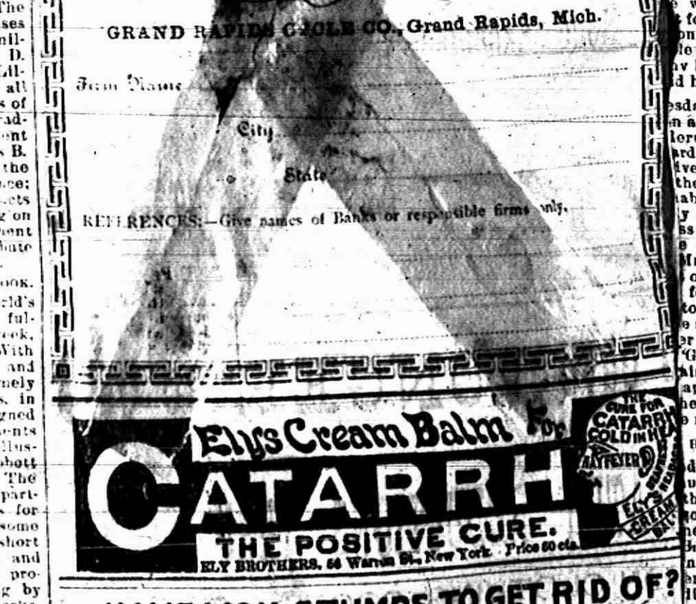

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Emma Hause is home from Clin- a vacation.

u want horse blankets cheap. Jas. Haight.

t fifteen cars of hay were shipped his station this week.

e was a pleasant gathering at nimin's last evening.

rty of five went hunting rabbits onroe last Wednesday.

Mable Sayer, of Wayne, is visit- atives in Britton and vicinity.

Emma Kyle, of Tecumseh, visit- as. Dubois' the first of the week.

Avery, one of Tecumseh's grocers, was in town Wednes-

surprise party at Earl Lenard- last evening was enjoyed by all ere present.

Bachman's new barn is fast near completion, and will be not only t but ornamental.

na Glasford, who has been at Clin- some time, has returned and is with , Mrs. M. L. Gillen.

Hoagland has not made much of late with his barn which he built on his lot.

Geo. L. Oliver has been quite or several weeks past and at times e has been dispaired of.

next regular meeting of Hender- ont, No. 467, K. O. T. M., will be uesday evening, Feb. 5th.

y McClure and wife, of Tecum- ere here Wednesday. Henry was on the trade with fine cigars.

arty of young people made Wm. of Dundee, a surprise last Tues- ening. A good time was enjoyed.

ie and Anna Glasford have been g a few days in the country the of their aunt, Mrs. Mary Zibble.

B. Hardy has a brother visiting m the state of New York. He main with us for an indefinite

prise was given F. Brown last evening. About 70 friends by storm and a good time was ll.

mith's team ran away last Mon- ving Cyrus to walk home. No done, only Cyrus was complain- eing tired.

Emma Hause is with us again. turned from Clinton last week anied by her brother Ives' wife, s been quite out of health.

ons having laundry to send away ease leave it at Lee Bros'. They nts for the Adrian Laundry com- First class work is guaranteed.

remains of Mrs. E. G. Palmer, a resident of this township who ecently at Covert, Mich., were to Ridgeway yesterday for in-

es Holtz, after a lingering illness months, departed this life at near Britton, on Monday, Jan. ral took place at Ridge- Wednesday.

ubt use the old wash-board n get a fine Washing Ma- saves the clothes and makes ic for you, for little money. ight has them.

istian Union Sunday School most unanimously to make offering of as many cents as respectively years old, and of deposit has been secured to he contributions.

w that Clarence Zibble is level not easily excited, and me- as well, it is only necessary to circumstance which occurred ay morning at the plating Clarence, who is chief engineer, d the roof of the boiler room fire where the pipe went the roof, and leisurely walked other part of the building and a hand-saw. Being informed as none, he continued his saying he must have a hand- e was finally asked what he for, when he replied that the n fire and he wanted to saw a le around the pipe. Being w he did not throw water on d he had not thought of that.

esday evening there might have n about forty of the friends of lorus in Britton wending their ard the parsonage, where they ived, taking full possession, the surprise of the pastor and able wife. The evening was ly and profitably spent. The ss were there in full force and e occasion to remind their Mr. Niveson, who is also super- of the Sunday school, that he forgotten. They also gave tor a small token of respect. e supper, which is never left r prayer, they all joined in God be With You 'till we ain," then retired to their appy in the thought that, he kindness of our Heavenly e receive so many blessings.

BUILDING NOTICE.

d specifications for the Re- urch in Britton are complet- the hands of committee, who o receive sealed bids for con- ey may be seen at the office Hardy. All bids must be nspection Feb. 7th. The com- erve the right to accept or re- ling to their judgment.

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MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Sam Hatch, who has been on the sick list, is recovering.

Master Fred Cook was the guest of his teacher, Miss Maude Howell, last week.

The suit between E. Osgood and Heman Hand is finally settled. Osgood pays $60 and costs.

The ladies of the M. E. church gave a social at the home of Dr. Slaght on Wednesday evening, Jan. 16.

County Commissioner Field will hold a teachers' association meeting at the school house on Saturday, Jan. 26.

In spite of the stormy night, several of our young people had the benefit of the entertainment on Jan. 10th in the Tecumseh lecture course.

A number of Macon members and friends of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. attended the public installation of officers at the Tecumseh opera house.

Owing to the very stormy night, the graphuphone entertainment given by J. R. Collier at the M. E. church on Friday night was not very generally attended. It would probably pay Jesse to repeat it on a more favorable night.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their monthly dinner party and business meeting at the home of Mrs. Isaac Mills, on Friday, Jan. 25. Please come early, as the days are very short and there will be some important business to bring before the society.

The ladies of the Reformed church have just finished a beautiful silk quilt which they will sell at auction on Friday evening, Jan. 25, at the home of Wm. Osgood. An excellent program will be rendered and supper served. All are cordially invited to come and help in a good cause.

The familiar face of another of the old residents of our place, Mrs. Margaret Maples, will be seen among us no more, for on Friday, Jan. 11, our friend, who had been for so many years so active, went to her long rest. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner at the home of her daughter in Franklin, where she has lived since her own home was broken up.

SOUTH MACON SIFTINGS.

The weather is fine and the sleighing is good.

Mrs. Geo. Graves is under the doctor's care.

The weather was so inclement Sunday that Rev. J. I. Gulick did not venture out.

Considering the night, there was a good attendance at the Christian Endeavor last Friday evening. After a short meeting, officers were chosen. If the social committee, in a social mood, would decide to have a social, we think all might enjoy a sociable time.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year in the Macon Grange;

W. M.—J. W. Osborn.
W. O.—J. W. Baker.
W. L.—M. J. Mastin.
W. S.—N. Skinner.
W. A. S.—L. Skinner.
W. C.—Rev. J. I. Gulick.
W. T.—C. F. Morley.
W. S.—R. C. Bailey.
W. G.—L. Burleson.
W. L. A. S.—Mrs. C. F. Morley.
Pomona—Miss Emma Bailey.
Ceres—Miss Annie Miller.
Flora—Miss Virginia Baker.

IDEWAY RAMBLES.

Saturday was an old time winter's day.

Harvey Haight was on the sick list the last of the week.

Sarah Van Duser went to Toledo Tuesday to visit her father.

The snow is nearly a foot deep on the level and sleighing is good.

Mrs. Catherine Cox visited relatives at Macon village last week.

John Jackson, of Macon, called on relatives in this village Thursday.

A. J. Terwilliger, of Detroit, was the guest of Emma Miller over Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Wyckoff, of Tecumseh, called on her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Arner, Monday.

Morrice Kelly returned Monday from a three weeks' stay in New York state with relatives.

H. J. Williams, of Adrian, the hustling Page wire fence agent, was in the village Saturday.

Mary Osgood returned from Ypsilanti Tuesday, after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Gorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell, of Owosso, came Thursday of last week for an indefinite stay with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sisson.

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Despite the prevailing style which permits women of all ages and sizes to wear mens' hats we can not refrain from saying to these followers of an ill-advised fashion, "don't." When a young woman dons a man's hat she surrenders the delicacy and grace which ever has been and ever will be a woman's chief charm, and which men prize in her so highly. It is true there are many women who pride themselves on their refinement and accomplishments just now wearing men's hats who would be shocked to know that in the eyes of others they appear "loud" or "mannish." And yet they persist in following the fashion even at the sacrifice of modesty. A woman never appears so well as she does in modest attire, and she can never appear modest in a man's hat.—Ann Arbor Democrat.

Dave Hill refuses to be dragged into the Croker-Cockran shindy. David has not yet recovered from the effects of a row of which the country knows all the particulars.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The Farmer's Institute, under the management of the Lenawee County Agricultural Society, will be held in the Court Room at Adrian, January 23, 24 and 25, 1895. All are invited to attend and take part in the discussions of the various questions presented. The following is the Program:

WEDNESDAY, 10:30 A. M.

Call to Order by the President.
Singing.
Greetings—By Hon. John D. Schull, James W. Helme, Jr., Rev. L. C. Chase, and others.
Singing.
"The Institute and the Agricultural Society."—Geo. B. Horton.

1:30 P. M.

Singing.
"Light and Shadows of Agriculture during the past year."—Hon. M. T. Cole.
"How much ground can the farmer afford to apple culture?"—Peter Collar.
"Can the disappearance of bees and song birds be traced to the use of poisons in spraying fruit trees?"—Jay Hoag.
Singing.
"The model orchard and garden for family use."—Elliott Allis.
Singing.

7:30 P. M.

Singing.
"The drifting of population to the cities."—Rev. Wilson Whitney.
"A plan for increasing the incomes of the farms of Lenawee county."—M. R. Morden. M. D.
Singing.

THURSDAY, 9:30 A. M.

Singing.
"Value of wheat fed to hogs."—O. E. Green.
"Wintering farm stock without hay."—Geo. D. Moore.
Singing.
"Forage plants that may be raised profitably in Michigan."—Jacob Rosenstell.
"Are farmers bearing more than their just proportion of taxation? If so, is there a remedy?"—C. H. Bramble.
"A small farm well tilled."—James W. Helme, Jr.
Singing.

1:00 P. M.

Singing.
"[illegible] or no fences."—Horace Bradish.
"[illegible]titis"—Dr. G. D. Gibson, V. S.
"[illegible]usiness side of farming."—Harry Moore.
"Earn more money to keep even, or cut down expenditures. Which?"—Alexander Richards.
"Girls, here is a description of the young man you want for a husband."—Mrs. Alfred Edwards.

7:00 P. M.

Singing.
"What is wrong with our system of educating and training the young, that so large a proportion of our successful and prominent men and women start in life as poor boys and girls?"—Dr. D. C. Thomas, President of Adrian College.
"Of what do the real luxuries of life consist?"—Mary C. Allis.

FRIDAY, 9:30 A. M.

Singing.
"Does tile draining and cutting away forests have an influence upon rainfall?"—Jay Rogers.
"Should we favor an increase of the salaries of state officers?"—Hon. L. C. Baker.
"How to keep [illegible] farm fertile."—B. I. Laing.
"Boys, here is the description of the girl you should wed."—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
"Life on the farm as it should be."—Miss Hattie Moore.

1:30 P. M.

Singing.
"How I managed to bridge over the hard times."—Wm. Baldwin, Palmyra.
Closing discussion of questions carried over.
Singing.

2:30 P. M.

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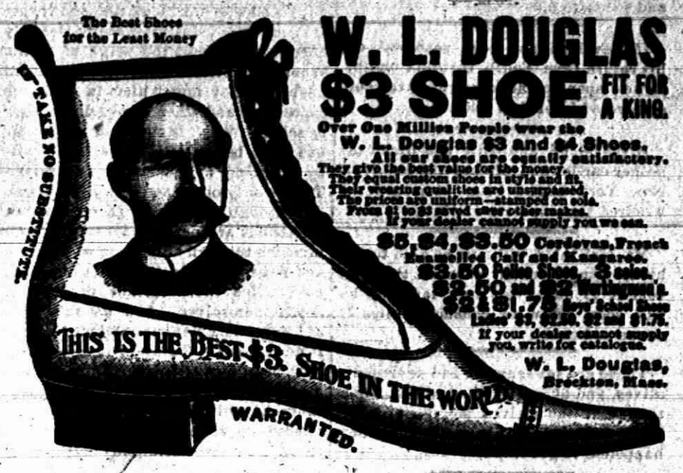

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Mr. Ingalls is too polite to ask for a second piece of senatorial pie, but he can't help looking wistful.

The fellow who had the nerve to steal a redhot stove from the White House is out of his proper field of action. His place is in Congress.

We don't see why Coxey might not just as well run for president as for congress. It is a harmless amusement and seems to please him.

If Cleveland had been searched on his return from South Carolina one of those dispensary flasks might have been discovered in his hip pocket.

If Cleveland and Hill had dined together earlier and oftener the result in New York might have been several hundred-thousand votes different.

Mr. McKinley will now be able to get his clothing so much cheaper than he bought it under his own law that he will soon begin to consider himself cheap and nasty.

There are 441 senators and representatives, and at least 100 of these, when they find themselves members of the next congress, will wonder how they happened to get there.

Colonel Breckinridge is posing as the compromise candidate in the Kentucky senatorial fight. Most men in Colonel Breckinridge's fix would think they had been compromised enough.

Senator Vest's opinion that nothing will be done in the senate was evidently formed before the Cleveland and Hill alliance. It may need revision after that extraordinary combination gets fairly to work.

It was Brother Andrew Carnegie who the other day said it was a sin for any man to die rich. Perhaps Brother Carnegie has just cut the wages of his employes from 35 to 50 per cent, in his solicitude to prevent them from dying sinners.

The South Dakota Republicans have lost one of their most active and able leaders in the person of State Treasurer Taylor, who has left the state without accounting for $350,000 of the state's money. There seems to be no doubt that the good old Republican times have come back—but not to stay.

Hon. William L. Wilson stated the situation with his accustomed force when he said at the Jackson Day banquet in Philadelphia that recent events have shown that either the trusts or democracy must be the governing influence in the United States. That is the issue, and it is a very clearly defined one.

The District of Columbia decision that the Louisiana sugar planters are not entitled to collect bounty after the law granting it has been repealed, ought to satisfy them that the best thing they can do is to go home and go to work for a living, as the planters of corn, cotton and wheat are obliged to do. Why shouldn't they?

No bill that is not satisfactory to the silver senators can pass the senate. In fact, a conference of silver senators last week decided that no bill should be allowed to reach a vote which does not provide for the unlimited coinage of silver. Speaking of this decision Senator Teller said: "We shall not yield an inch so far as unlimited coinage is concerned. I do not say that we shall have to have free coinage. On the contrary, I think that the government might charge, as it is proposed, the difference between the market and the coined value of the bullion as seigniorage for coining. What we insist upon is that coinage shall not be limited to $50,000,000 or to any other sum."

Now that the Lexow Commission has exposed the price mark on several persons, it turns out that Mr. Anthony Comstock is by no means the most expensive goods on the counter.

A gospel missionary ship is to be put in commission to carry out missionary work in Puget Sound. If the New York minister who denounced Dr. Parkhurst would go out in her the country might have a rest.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

The Woes of Drunkards' Wives.

No pen can portray the heart agony, nor even the mental and physical woes of the wives of drunkards. Tied up to monsters whom they married for men, impoverished, disgraced, disheartened, weakened by starvation and disease, suffering from kicks and blows, maulings and terrorization, afraid to fly, unwilling to leave their children, having no refuge to which to turn, their case is pitiful indeed, among the hardest on earth, and indeed the very chamber of hell. Few people stop to think how numerous these cases are, or how awful the experience. We pity the drunkard and detest the drunkard maker, but we do not take to heart as we ought the dreadful sufferings of drunkards' wives and children. Some men are drivelling idiots when under the influence of liquor; others are veritable demons. In either case, their families suffer horrors unknown from their most despicable habits. In Washington, D. C., the other day, a wretched demoniac at the close of one of his sprees, with a drawn razor, stood over his helpless wife and compelled her to drink a half bottle of household ammonia. The poor woman was then permitted to run, screaming into the street. Before she could reach a physician she was in mortal agony, her stomach and intestines being terribly burned, and she at the verge of death. When the police sought for the brutal husband, they found him in bed, unconcerned, and when arrested, he coolly asked: "Well, is she dead yet?" He had once before tried to kill his wife by shooting at her with a revolver. This is only one case in fifty thousand. All through the country these wretched vagabonds are permitted to abuse their families through a long course of years, and generally only to quit when they have killed their victims or come to death themselves. And for this state of things we Americans claim that there is no remedy. We must not interfere with the "personal liberty" of wicked men, even though helpless women and innocent children are imprisoned and exposed to the whimsical freaks of incarnate fiends.—Michigan Christian Advocate.

A Carnival of Lust.

The greater facilitates for transmitting news, giving us a much wider field of observation, may explain the larger number than formerly of reported outrages. And so the per cent. may not be so much greater as the press dispatches would indicate. Be this as it may, two things should be considered. First, these crimes are by no means confined to the blacks. Scarcely a day passes but chronicles the criminal disgrace of whites as well as blacks, of natives as well as foreigners. Second, these are only the extremes of a carnival of sensuality which shades off by imperceptible degrees from these damnable crimes to the "refined" libertinism winked at by fashionable society. Domestic life is being sapped and mined by licentiousness. Illegitimacy ceases to excite its old-time horror. Criminal knowledge invades our schools and our families. The altar-fires to Ashtaroth are being constantly replenished. Young and old are being set on fire of hell.

Imprisoning or hanging the brutes who commit these crimes, is like removing a pimple when the blood is thick with corruption. The way to avoid the consequences is to remove the cause. Never was a system of education more thorough and effective than that to which the rising generation is practically compelled. A sensational press, reeking with details of domestic scandal, excites prurient imagination and inflames unholy passion. Police Gazettes, with graphic delineation of sensual orgies and lustful crime, add point to the flames. Vile literature, with vilest illustrations, are clandestinely sold on trains and in bookstalls, or given as premiums with tobacco and cigarettes.

Dead walls, sometimes fronting the school-houses, are placarded with indecent pictures grossly suggestive of the reeking abomination enacted in dance-halls, variety shows, and spectacular theaters. The nude in art becomes the nude in flesh and blood, and the sacred secrets of sex are sold to children at half-price in the market place. Wine and beer and whisky lend their ready aid. The wind is sown; the whirlwind is reaped. What can we expect but rape, and seduction, and adultery, and murder? We need no new laws to suppress these breeders of pestilence. Philadelphia has freed herself of "living pictures" and their degrading concomitants. So can every city and hamlet in the nation. All that is wanted is an aroused American womanhood and true American manhood, girded to the battle for an inviolate and happy hearthstone.

O, decent manhood, virtuous womanhood, bestir yourselves in this fight to the finish in the battle for your lives!—Western Christian Advocate.

High School Happenings.

Boys get your ladies for the sleighing party.

John Gaston was absent Wednesday afternoon.

Harry Osgood is absent this week on account of sickness.

Roy Hughes returned to school Monday.

The absence of all snow-balling about the school building is remarkable. The boys seem to be willing to let "the law take its course."

The class in Philosophy are interested in voltaic electricity. Some very interesting experiments have been performed.

This has been a busy week at Ed. Williamson's; in and around that corner has been a scene of great activity. He has been filling his cold storage building with ice during the day and at night had a force of 20 dressing poultry. He finished his ice business this noon, being just 5 1-2 days doing it, and the ice has been par excellence. One day they dressed four tons of poultry. Ed. is a hustler. If we all were such pushers as the poultry men, Tecumseh would be one of the great business centers of the country.

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Miss Eva Welling goes to Manchester this evening to spend Sunday with friends there.

R. J. Garlinghouse will attend the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., at Detroit the first of the week.

Jos. H. Smith and C. F. Patterson attended the meeting of the grand chapter at Detroit this week.

Bert Corey is able to get out on pleasant days and it seems good to see him around among us again.

Five couple of Manchester's young people drove down and spent Tuesday evening with Miss Eva Welling.

Prof. Joseph Morrow with his celebrated Photo-rama, will be at Sutton's Opera House, Jany. 28th and 29th.

Mrs. Frank Lamkin left Tuesday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. C. McConnell, at Pratt, Kansas.

Our genial friend, Sam Underwood of Britton, is looking for the fine Knight Templar charm he lost last Friday.

Remember Prof. Morrow's Photo-rama at Sutton's Opera House, Jan. 28th and 29th. Admission, adults 25cts., Children 15cts.

While Mrs. M. A. Freeman is visiting Detroit friends, Miss Lizzie Kirk is making glad the hearts of her Clinton friends.

Miss Julia Snell has been promoted, in a financial sense at least, for her salary has been increased at Washington, D. C.

The Ladies social of the Universalist church will be held at the church Friday afternoon, Jan. 25th; supper beginning at five o'clock.

Orr & Temple are receiving [illegible] orders for their celebrated toilet preparation called 'Calendula Cream.' They are kept busy preparing it for [illegible].

Several Sir Knights expect to visit Adrian Commandery this evening to witness the exemplification of the work by the officers, assisted by Sir Knights of Damascus Commandery of Detroit.

Subjects at the Universalist church, Sunday, Jan. 20th: Morning—Be ye of the brethren be ye tenderly affectioned one to another. Rom: 12-10. Evening—Cant in Religion. Sunday school at 12 m. Young Peoples' Christian Union 6 p. m. Topic, The choice in a good name; Prov. 22-1.

Tecumseh, Adrian and Hudson Directory, compiled by H. H. Chapin is now being printed. The publisher has endeavored to make this the most complete directory yet issued in the county. Recent changes and additions will be included in the work. A second edition of the directory will be issued which will include other towns in the county. If you have not already given your order, send it to the publisher at Adrian, or to the Herald office.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Calendar for 1895 is out and may be obtained at the drug stores. It is one of the most beautiful that the firm has ever issued and the edition was the largest ever printed by any one concern; being over ten millions of copies. There are two faces on the calendar, both of children, representing "Summer" and "Winter." The design was by one of the most gifted artists in the country, and the coloring is most exquisite. The calendar is not only beautiful, but it is also useful, as it presents all the desired information concerning astronomical events during the year. If your druggist does not have Hood's Calendar it may be obtained by sending six cents in stamps to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

A chemical operating table has been constructed in the basement of the east side school house. The arrangements for amateur chemical work in that school are now complete.—Hudson Post.

To find the live merchants of most cities you have only to note those whose names are prominent in the advertising columns of the local papers.—Printers' Ink.

Great Slaughter Sale

ON ALL WINTER GOODS!

As we MUST raise $5,000 within the next thirty days, commencing Jan. 1, '95, we will give the Greatest Cut Sale ever [illegible] in Tecumseh, as we must turn these goods into money Regardless of Cost.

1-4 TO 1-3 OFF!

ON ALL MEN'S, BOY'S, AND CHILDREN'S

Overcoats, Ulsters, Heavy Weight Suits

Plush Caps, Gloves, Mittens, Etc.

We have a Large Supply of Woolen Underwear which we will sell Regardless of Cost; in fact,

A BIG CUT IN EVERY DEPT. OF OUR STORE.

Remember these goods are all New and of the Latest Styles. No old, shelf worn, out of date goods in our store. It will pay you to come many miles to take advantage of this sale.

GET IN QUICK

And Get the Choice Bargains. We are,

Respectfully Yours,

McCann Bros

THE ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS

TECUMSEH.

MAKE AN HONEST DOLLAR EVERY OPPORTUNITY

We will Give all Cash Buyers the Opportunity from SATURDAY, Jan. 5, until Feb. 1, of ing Big Dollars at our Store.

OUR

Annual Invoice Sale

Opens Jan. 5, Closes Feb. 1.

THE GREATEST BARGAINS

EVER OFFERED IN TECUMSEH.

We Quote You a few of the Many Bargains Offered:

Best Prints, sold at 7c, now
Best Amoskeag Ginghams, sold at 8c, now
[illegible]mstown Worsted Dress Goods, worth 25, 30 and 35c, now
[illegible] All Wool Dress Goods, worth 90c, $1.00 and $1.25, now 65 and
50 Doz. Fleece Lined Underwear, worth 35 and 40c, now
10 Doz. Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Fast Black, Heavy Ribbed Hose, worth 25c, now
Ladies' Fine, Muslin Night Robes, just from factory, worth $1.25 and $1.50, now
Ladies', Gents', Misses' and Children's Flannelette Night [illegible]
[illegible] than Manufacturer's Prices.
[illegible] overcoats, [illegible] wear, Gloves, Mittens, Hosiery, Caps, Felts, Socks, [illegible] shafting, [illegible] arm and lay [illegible] of the [illegible] Line of Leather Footwear ever brought to Tecumseh [illegible] bone, per cent. off. All the Late Styles—All go at above prices.

If you live within 25 miles of Tecumseh it will pay you to take a day off and Come and See Us.

Remember we do as we Advertise. No Trouble to Show Goods. Come at once and Save Money. Corner Store, Bidwell's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS & HITESH[illegible]

ROYAL Baking Powder

Absolutely pure.

Highest of all in Leavening Strength. —U.S. Govt. Food Report.

The official report shows Royal Baking Powder chemically pure, yielding 160 cubic inches of leavening gas per ounce of powder, which was greatly in excess of all others and more than 40 per cent. above the average.

Hence Royal Baking Powder makes the lightest, sweetest and most wholesome food.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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WIPED OUT!

Sale has proved a CYCLONE. Our Black Dress Goods have Completely Wiped Out. As we have Just Received a

New Lot for Spring!

ll Place Them on Sale at *20 per Cent. Discount*, and

Extend our Sale to February 1st.

od Stock of Cloaks, Carpets, Curtains, Dress Goods and Un- from which to make your Selections.

NDERSON & CO.

James Lowry,

The Leading Grocer,

LILLEY HOUSE BLOCK.

A Blizzard!

Has Struck the Orange Crop, but Not Us. We will for a Short Time make a

eduction on All Goods

one Excepted!

Call and be Convinced that we meam what we Say.

Kennedy & Rogers.

ssrs. Stein & Frank,

The Well-Known Practical and

Scientific Opticians!

IT, are at the LILLEY HOUSE, Tecumseh, Mich. EXT WEEK, where they can Fit Any Defect of the means of the LATEST

ntific Appliances!

AMINED FREE OF CHARGE.

FROM THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

An Interesting Letter From an Old Time Friend and Citizen.

It is with great pleasure we print the following interesting letter from our old time friend and fellow citizen, Rev. Wm. H. Babbitt, now at Glenwood, Florida:

GLENWOOD, FLA., Jan. 18, 1895.

EDITOR HERALD:—It is marvellous with what celerity 1895 is getting on its way. Already the date has become familiar and my calendar says 18 days past—days to come, 347.

In the lull after holidays there may be room for a few items from this land of Florida. Your readers have all heard of the great freeze with which 1894 was closed. Its memory is kept, not green, but brown here, by the sorry looking orange groves. I should think that hardly more than one-tenth of the orange crop around here had been gathered when the frost king waved his deadly sceptre over us. Many car loads were shipped after the freeze, in the hope of realizing something. But the loss was almost complete, for of all the loads hastened on few paid anything over transportation expenses. For a sample, a load to Milwaukee paid one cent a box net, or $3 for what would have been worth ordinarily near $300 to the sender. The ground is covered now, under almost every tree, with more oranges than you would think it possible the tree could have borne. All that can be done now with this fine crop, on which so many hopes were built, is to rake it up and bury it, as so many other hopes get buried that once were bright. The loss to Florida in fruit alone is probably two millions of dollars, besides damages to trees and to various occupations depending on the orange business. It is hoped that the trees in this region are not badly damaged and that new leaves and blossoms will appear in March. But it is too early to tell certainly whether this will be the case or not. One compensation for present loss is sure to come to the growers, oranges will bring a higher price next season, at least Florida oranges will. While, if the crop of this year had been safely marketed and the new groves and old ones had borne well next season, there would have been a drop in price which would have operated somewhat like this freeze.

Michigan has been honorably represented in Glenwood this winter by several of her young men: Colbath, Bryant and Shultz, of Adrian and vicinity; Miller and Smith, of Port Huron; Hipp and Loomis, of Romeo. Other states have been represented with equal honor, if not in equal number, by young men who have been with us. But the busy season is now ended, prematurely, and some who came to stay until spring will soon be leaving us. Those who came as invalids will stay, if possible, for the weather strongly urges them to do so.

It is pleasant to hear that Tecumseh is keeping up its reputation for enterprise and improvement so well. Your entertainment course is up to the mark. Your public schools and your churches are doing well. Your reading circles flourish. What I am especially glad to hear is that a free reading room has been established and the library joined with it. This is something which has long been advocated, but only recently brought about. I understand that for the present this excellent move is supported by voluntary subscriptions obtained by the ladies. Why should not these worthy ladies be freed from their arduous work and their perpetual anxiety about the success of this enterprise, by the raising of an endowment fund or by voting a slight increase in the tax rate to make this institution a permanent one? It is certain to benefit everybody and to be an honor to the pleasant, attractive little town that supports it.

This has been a lovely day—one that has had what you would call a June-like brightness and softness. But I have had a sober duty to perform in it: to officiate at the funeral of a bright and promising young man of twenty, the child of a wealthy father, and a student of Stetson University at Deland, five miles from here. I would not make this a matter of public mention, but for the fact that this sad death was caused by the barbarity of foot-ball as at present conducted. At a match game on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day the injury was received, the result of which I report. An only child has thus been sacrificed to this fashionable moloch. Instances of a similar kind are occurring constantly. Foot-ball may be all right, but these match games are simply horrible. There will be no more of them at Deland University, and it would be glad tidings to hear that there would be no more of them anywhere. How any christian college president or professor can say a word in their defence is past my comprehension. Hazing, which is not half so deadly, has received its quietus, but this foul blot on our system of college education remains.

W. H. B.

GONE TO HIS REST.

Another of Tecumseh's Noblest Citizens Passes Away.

One by one the old residents of this community are crossing the river, and we are again called upon to chronicle the decease of one of our best citizens.

Rev. Josiah Phelps peacefully passed away at his residence in this village yesterday morning. His condition for several weeks has been such as to cause his family much anxiety; his physical system gradually but surely breaking down under the weight of years. He was 74 years old at the time of his death. His whole life had been devoted to the ministry, and for half a century he had faithfully given his time and toil to the service of the Master. He had served as rector of Episcopal churches at Battle Creek, Port Huron, Marquette and Tecumseh. He had served the Tecumseh parish in that capacity nearly twenty-two years. In October, 1893, he was compelled by failing health to resign his charge, and since then has been living a quiet and happy life in his own domicile. He purchased a house and lot on Shawnee street and has taken much pride in transforming the place into a model home. But Providence had decreed he should leave this earthly sphere and seek a higher home in heaven.

During his long residence in Tecumseh he has endeared himself, not only to the members of his own congregation, but also to the entire community. He was one of nature's noblemen, as gentle as a child in his social intercourse with friends, but as firm as a rock in pursuing the pathway of right. During these years of service in the cause of his Divine Master, he has comforted the mourner, lifted up the fallen, cheered the down hearted, admonished the erring and left the impress of his noble character upon all with whom he associated. A sketch of his long and useful life, with a suitable tribute to his memory, will appear hereafter.

The funeral obsequies will be observed next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Peter's Episcopal church.

ANN ARBOR LETTER.

ANN ARBOR, Jan. 18, 1895.

MR. EDITOR:—The end is approaching. The semester, I refer to, that awe-inspiring name for half of a college year. The throes of this dying semester are terrible. The tutors and professors threaten; students grind and sweat for something to come: their credit. Credit is not merit, nor praise, nor glory; but is a slip of paper, a receipt; a symbol, that by hook or crook John or Jemima has learned, or seemed to have learned so much Sanscrit, Metallurgy or Palaeontology. If John and the co-ed get a certain number of these symbols they are granted a degree. This degree enrolls these two J's among the savants of this world. John is satisfied and goes back to father's butcher shop to apply his knowledge of invertebrates and mammalian anatomy. Jemima gets married and continues her studies in the embryology of beafsteak, or, alas! goes down to a schoolmistress' grave.

When I lapsed into this dissertation I was talking about the last hours of a semester. One, not a student, can hardly grasp the import of this. Notes or letters are brought out and "ground" way into the drowsy night. "Ponies" of every pedigree and language are dragged out and ridden until beast and rider are jaded. Our senior friends and elder brothers and every "shark" (this unholy term is applied to one especially excellent in study,) in our classes is a recipient of our prayers for aid. We lose our appetite and sleep is wooed in vain. There is in our brains a confused medley of Silurian fossels and Greek verbs. When we seek for the facts about the "Reign of Terror" we get a phantasmagorial image from animal morphology. This is all evanescent and in one short month these perplexed brains will turn their trained efforts to socials and dances again.

The snow has ushered in the sleigh-ride and the accompanying horns. If Gabriel should blow his horn on some of these fine evenings it would be in vain. He would be drowned out and the world could not come to an end.

C. H. VANTYNE.

T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' club will meet at the home of Henry Wilson, Friday evening, Feb. 1.

PROGRAM.

Music.
Declamation—Thurlow Penlecost.
Select Reading—Pauline Wilson.
Song—Charles and Hattie Hurry.
Recitation—Mrs. Haire.
Paper—Abner Wilson.
Music.
Charade.
Select Reading—George Swarts.
Music.
Dialogue—Elva and Gertrude Tallman and Dollie Waldron.
Recitation.
Music.
Questions and answers.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

THEY ARE WISE WHO ADVERTISE.

Oh! they are wise
Who advertise
In winter, spring
And fall;
But wiser yet
Are they, you bet,
Who never let up
At all.

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WHAT CAN BE DONE?

The poet Tennyson could take a worthless sheet of paper and by writing a poem on it make it worth $65,000—that's genius. Vanderbilt can write a few words on a sheet of paper and make it worth $5,000,000—that's capital. The United States can take an ounce and a quarter of gold and stamp upon it an "eagle bird" and make it worth $20—that's money. The mechanic can take material worth $5 and make it into a watch worth $100—that's skill. A merchant can take an article worth 75 cents and sell it for $1—that's business. A lady can purchase a very comfortable bonnet for $3.75, but she prefers one that cost $27—that's foolishness. The ditch-digger works ten hours a day and shovels three or four tons of earth for $2—that's labor. The editor of this paper can write a check for $80,000,000, but it wouldn't be worth a dime—that's rough.—Young Lutheran.

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Last week Thursday evening a prominent and well known farmer living near Holloway, a Sunday school superintendent, and for many years an active christian worker, or supposed to be, went to an entertainment in Tecumseh and was induced to go upon the stage to assist the gentleman in the performance of some of his feats of legerdemain. The most astounding trick performed during the entire evening was when the gentleman reached his hand, apparently, down the back of our Sunday school superintendent and pulled out nearly an entire pack of playing cards, which he exhibited to the audience. To say that our religious friend was dumbfounded, is but drawing it mild, and he declared he didn't know an ace from a ten spot. Whether he can explain the matter satisfactorily and regain the confidence of his friends remains to be seen. We withhold the name out of regard for his wife, who was deeply mortified at the exposure.—Adrian Press.

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WHAT IS AN ADVERTISEMENT?

The life blood of modern business.
A money maker, getter and saver.
A flash of information to all the people.
A lever of trade.
A mine that yields pure gold in large dividends.
The key note of progress in the march to success.
A medium for the increase of business.
That which booms the place and enriches the advertiser.
A means of communicating items of interest to wide awake people.
An intelligible message to intelligent people, profiting sender and receiver.
Personal and public benefits are derived from its judicious application.
A notice that brings best returns for the least money.
The corner stone for the temple of fortune.
The power that starts and keeps trade in motion.
The electric power controlling trade.
An infallible bait to catch customers.
An indispensable medium to success and business enlargement.
A helpmate to prosperity in business.
The "limited express" on the road to success.
An electric current that propels the wheels of commerce.

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A STORY OF TARSNEY.

Tarsney, of Missouri, who stood out against the caucus action of the democrats on the senate bill, is a brother of the adjutant-general of Colorado and also of Tim Tarsney, who was for several years a member from Michigan and brought up at Hudson. The latter used to tell an anecdote of his reception in a Connecticut city, where he was sent by the congressional campaign committee to do some political missionary work. The people turned out with becoming enthusiasism and the hall was packed. The chairman had prepared a speech for the occasion. It was short, but a miracle of oratory.

"Ladies and gentlemen," said he, "this tremendous and cultured audience that has assembled this evening will have the extreme felicity of listening to an orator whose voice has resounded with telling effect in the hall of the national legislature. He has often been honored by the people of his state with election to that great body, the house of representatives, and so great and potent has been his labor for his countrymen, that throughout the length and breadth of this broad land, his name has become a favorite household word."

Here the orator bent down a moment and whispered to Tarsney, "What is your name, sir?" and receiving the reply, continued:

"I now have the most gratifying pleasure of introducing to you Congressman Larceny."

Announcement for 1895.

What newspapers are you going to take during the coming year? Every man must settle that question for himself. The wise man, however, will have the "Old Reliable" on his list, and, in that connection, we offer our patrons a little good advice. It is needless to inform the public what to expect in these columns during the ensuing twelve months. As a first-class, up-to-date local newspaper the HERALD intends to lead the procession, as heretofore. Politically, it will continue to be independent, and it will strive to uphold the interests of the masses in matters of finance, taxation and public expenditures.

Recognizing the stringency of the times, our rates have been placed upon a hard-pan basis. A few extra combination offers are also presented, and the most favorable club list ever given in these columns. Here they are in detail:

NO. ONE.

Every subscriber, either old or new, who pays all arrearages and one full year in advance to Jan. 1st, 1896, will receive, gratis, a neat portfolio entitled "Echoes of the White City; the Midway." This is similar to the Ferris Wheel portfolio, given to our patrons last year. It will be a free gift to all advance paying subscribers, and will hold good until Feb. 1st, 1895.

NO. TWO.

The "Columbian Gallery" consists of twenty numbers of World's Fair Photographs, published by the Werner Co., of Chicago. This is the finest collection among all similar publications. There are 250 full-page plates, size 11 by 13 inches, beautifully bound in one large volume. The price of the book is $3, with one year's subscription to the HERALD thrown in.

NO. THREE.

The "Graphic History of the Fair" is the finest and most complete history of the Fair yet presented to the public. It is a book of 300 pages, containing over 1200 illustrations, elegantly bound, and sells for $3. This book will be furnished for that amount, including a full year's subscription to the HERALD.

NO. FOUR.

The "Land of Christ" is one of the most beautiful serials published, giving a very fully illustrated history of Palestine. It is published in twelve parts, and will be furnished in separate parts to subscribers. This work sells for $3. We can furnish the same at the regular price, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

Sample copies of all the above books can be seen at our counting room. Call and examine them.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	WEEKLIES. Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the sickness, death and burial of our mother. We also express our appreciation of the music rendered by the choir.

MR. AND MRS. GARRETT DERBY.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 25, 1893.

Howard Hause was away over Sunday.

Will O. Silvers visited Norvell friends last week.

The Maccabee Regular's occurred this week.

James Montague, of Tecumseh, was here Saturday.

James Hamilton was over from Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Alvord is visiting friends around this way.

Eugene Palmer and wife visited Britton friends Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number from Tecumseh came up last night to hear Sisky March.

Hiram Sutton now occupies a part of the old Chandler house on Church St.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark returned Saturday from a short visit with Jackson friends.

John Gaston, of Tecumseh, was calling on some of his lady friends Sunday.

Frank L. Woodward came over from Hudson and spent Sunday with his family.

Henry W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, was shaking hands with Clinton friends Tuesday.

Patrick Cummins is making an extended visit with his son Michael and family at Jackson.

Will Niblack joined Mrs. N. and daughter at Macon Sunday. They returned home Tuesday.

John Palmer and Ara VanTuyle went to Ann Arbor Tuesday with a big load of prime dressed beef.

Frank Rowland, of Toledo, was in town Tuesday. He is traveling for the Toledo Baking company.

Mrs. Will Cook, of Tecumseh, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. Haggert, Sen., the first of the week.

John Hendershot and family, of Tecumseh township, passed Sunday with his son Serville and family.

We hear that Mrs. E. F. Muir is very seriously ill with pneumonia and that Mr. Muir himself is sick abed.

Special meet of Golden Rod Chapter No. 85, O. E. S. next Wednesday evening. A full attendance is desired.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Stout visited Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Marshall at Saline the last of the week. The gentlemen are cousins.

Wm. C. Rogers is doing a rushing business with his fence and Tuesday returned to Napoleon, where he has been some time.

There was a fair representation of Clinton Masons at the laying of the corner stone of Masonic Temple at Detroit yesterday.

Frank E. Brown was home from Saturday until Monday. Frank says he finds no town giving evidence of greater prosperity than Clinton.

John Bowling, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday here. It is astonishing what great attractions Clinton holds for Tecumseh's young men.

Miss Allie Kebbe, Philip Keusch, John Keusch and wife attended the meeting of the Farmers' club at the fine home of Philip Kebbe, Tuesday evening.

Mr. French, a representative of Pease & Co., Bangor, Aroostook county, Ohio, arrived Wednesday. He expects to sell an engine to the Clinton flour company.

Mr. Stevens, foreman of the Lord Contracting Co. of Jackson, has been superintending the laying of the cement floor in the Woolen Mill, also new engine house, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Lindsay returned Saturday from Saline, where she, for two weeks, has been caring for Mr. Lindsay's mother, who had a severe paralytic stroke a short time since.

Chas. W. Parker of Ellsworth, who is working Tecumseh this week in the interest of the Capital Investment Association, has been staying nights with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Parker.

Tate and Stoner shipped two decks of sheep and one of hogs Wednesday. One hog weighed 765 pounds and was bought of C. M. Mills of Macon. Elgan others, bought of Elisha Woodard weighed 3790 pounds.

Will Silvers was passing the cigars around quite freely on his return home from Norvell, and many were the surmises as to the cause. Will, who loves to deal in mysteries, smiles and maintains complete silence.

Mrs. Margaret Eagan, one of Cambridge's oldest residents, died Saturday last. She had reached the musical age of 96 years. Her funeral was held at St. Joseph's church Monday morning, Rev. P. J. Ternes officiating.

B. F. Greenleaf, who started out for the Plow Company last week, while at Jackson was taken ill and for a few days was unable to get away. He returned home Saturday. He is gaining rapidly and is able to be around again.

The Baptist ladies packed and shipped a barrel of clothing Tuesday to Harrison, Nebraska, to be distributed among the suffering ones there. It was sent to Mrs. Bussell, a missionary at that point. It is expected it will reach Will Tuesday.

The social club is flourishing like a green bay tree. They now number 28, having recently taken in John T. Clark, C. S. Burroughs, J. E. White and Jas. Hamilton as members; 30 is the limit, so the next one will be of great importance—he will be the cops some, as it were.

The school board have engaged Prof. Wilcox to finish out the school year as he began his duties Monday morning. His names will recommended and duties acted in a manner that demonstrate to the fitness for the position and that our board were fortunate in securing his services.

Prof. and Mrs. H. W. Dingle's depart soon to Fern Acres Thursday. The understand he made arrangements before entering the University, where he will take a full literary course, providing time permits will permit. He is now engaged in packing his household goods and expects to move as soon as possible. We should regret to lose both him and Mrs. Dingle while the one gossips, have become greatly attached to them. The best wishes of all will accompany them.

David S. Goodrich, who submitted to an operation last week, rallied nicely and so far has been improving rapidly. Dr. J. L. Tuttle performed the operation. David has had a long, painful and serious illness and has borne all with remarkable patience and fortitude. It is hoped that he may speedily be restored to perfect health.

Our people enjoyed a great musical treat last evening at the Congregational church. Baby Marie, the prodigy of the century, charmed all by her wonderful ability, she being but 6 years of age. She was accompanied by her father and brother. This entertainment was given by the young people's societies of the Baptist, Methodist and Congregational churches, and the proceeds were divided among them.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Little Eva Allen is better.

George Allen is down with a severe cold.

Many people are nearly sick with colds.

Clarence Wisner is improving very slowly.

Mrs. Frank Marshall has an attack of sore throat.

Clarence Wisner has had a severe tussle with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner visited at Wm. Beebe's Sunday.

Remember the Lyceum at J. C. VanDoren's Saturday night.

Mrs. Ara VanTuyle spent Monday and Tuesday with her grandmother.

Mrs. Wm. Fisher went to Ypsilanti last week to see her daughter, Visa.

The students of the Normal are preparing for final examination; it keeps them busy.

A little too much boot on S. N. Wisner's cut foot has confined him to the house again.

Wm. Rundell, F. Bradley and C. Wells, were hauling ice from Twin Lakes last week.

Mrs. G. W. Allen, Leon Allen and Herbert Munger, drove to Ypsilanti Sunday returning Monday.

Ten acres of wood, including sawtimber, on the old Peter Kishpaugh farm, is to be laid low this winter.

While working about the stove last Friday, Mrs. Mary Deming aged 85, suddenly fell over backwards, breaking one rib and otherwise bruising herself. Dr. Rice made her as comfortable as possible, and at last accounts she was doing as well as could be expected.

OBITUARY.

Elijah Buck, the subject of this sketch, was born at Springport, Cayuga county, N. Y., on May 31, 1836. He came to this state with his parents in 1835 and settled on a farm in the township of Franklin, Lenawee county. He was of a studious mind and soon found means to pursue his education in the Tecumseh high school, from which he graduated in 1860, when he engaged in mercantile pursuits, and in some form of which he continued up to his death. Mr. Buck was a man of the highest character for morality, sobriety and honesty, and was honored by his fellow-townsmen with the office of treasurer for many years, and no more painstaking and faithful public servant ever lived. He was also postmaster at Tipton and again at Pentewat, where he kept a general store several years. When quite sixteen years old he left the home of his infancy and was obliged to [illegible] the battles of life. [illegible] the support of his aged grandfather and the latter and mother in their declining years. He married Miss Emma Hamilton of Lodi and the two passed half a century of unbroken happiness in their wedded relations. In January, 1891, Mr. Buck was prostrated by a shock of paralysis, which affected the use of his left hand, and for two years he was a helpless invalid, and married in its every relation. But in all, he never ceased to be the kind husband and father, and his wife was [illegible] and [illegible] and he suffered a second shock [illegible] from which he never recovered, dying Jan. 6, 1893. Dr. Rice's attendance was always a welcome one in every home where he visited, and no young man has more influential friend [illegible] than he. In [illegible] he was a student of the Methodist church, and his life was [illegible] with the most earnest solicitude with his last spoken words.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

News is just received of the death of Mrs. Hilda Drake, wife of Stephen Drake. She died Tuesday afternoon.

C. A. Blackman who has been very ill with pneumonia is now improving slowly and his friends have good hopes of his full recovery. Mrs. Blackman has also been quite ill with the prevailing epidemic cold.

Died, at her home in Cambridge, Jan. 19th, 1893, Mrs. Perry Eagan, wife of Edward Eagan, of old age, she being [illegible] of the years of her exact age is somewhere. She was born [illegible] in the county of Ireland. She was married there and came to this country with her husband in 1851, and settled on their farm in Cambridge in 1852 where they have lived for 41 years. She leaves [illegible] husband and several children to mourn her loss. The deceased was an exemplary member of the Roman Catholic church, in which faith she lived and died, a firm believer. The funeral was held at the Catholic church Jan. 21st.

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MACON MUSIC.

Miss Clara Hendershot is spending some time in Britton.

Will Gibson is making preparation for several weeks visit in Indiana.

Dame Gossip informs us of the marriage of Mr. Boise of Cone, to Mrs. Kriedler, a former resident of this place.

On Friday afternoon, at Tecumseh, is to take place the suit against Ed. Miller for severe punishment of Harry Dorrell. In times past our district has had the reputation of sustaining discipline and the teacher's authority in school. Are we going to break our record now?

An earnest effort is being made this week to secure clothing and food for the Nebraska sufferers. Solicitors are appointed to canvass every street for aid, supplies to be left at R. V. Sawdon's store. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are making an extra effort to finish a comfortable in time to go into the box.

We wish to correct the statement made in last week's issue in regard to the suit of Hand and Osgood. Mr. Osgood does not pay all the costs as was stated last week. The jury brought in a verdict of $50 judgment and the cost of the last suit, and the suit which commenced in May and finally adjourned, was left for the judge to decide who should pay the costs. The judge decided that as Hand wished to amend the declaration and adjourn the case, he should pay the cost of that suit, which will now off-set the cost of the last suit.

Glean Hive, No. 207, L. O. T. M., installed their officers, June 16th. Past Lady Commander, Mrs. Emma Morgan, acted as installing officers. The officers installed for the ensuing year are as follows:

Com.—Mrs. Rose Hatch.
Lt. Com.—Mrs. Elmira Camburn.
R. K.—Mrs. Ellen Richart.
F. K.—Mrs. Clara B. Pennington.
Chaplain—Mrs. Martha Reston.
Sergt.—Mrs. Ellora Wilkins.
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Sentinel—Mrs. Iva Sloan.
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Worms in Children.

symptoms of which are restlessness and grinding of the teeth in sleep, [illegible] breath, fetidness of the mouth, paleness of the countenance, itching of the nose, variable appetite, and sometimes convulsions. A safe, sure and pleasant remedy for these complaints is Dr. Boone's Family Favorite Worm Candy. Sold by all druggists.

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ighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Babcock was in Adrian Tuesday.

u want horse blankets cheap. Height.

ure Course tickets only $1.00—5 's entertainments.

Geo. L. Oliver and Miss Mary r continue seriously ill.

ect at church next Sunday morn- Christ and the Church."

a company of neighbors made s. Wright a visit on Tuesday.

Hoyt has started out on the oliciting orders for the plating

ies are afflicting the neighbor- st of town. Hardly a family

fail to hear Washington Gard- "The Struggle for Chattanooga" t.

Exelby expects to erect a brick of two stores soon, just west of tel.

and Mrs. Eugene Palmer, of Clin- was the guests of Britton relatives turday and Sunday.

Charles DuBois is still buying and shipping large quantities of Hay for H. W. of Weston.

ad, who is buying and ship- from this point, went to Chi- rday night to attend to some

surer C. B. Exelby reports that d. there was $283.15, yet to be d in taxes but thought it would paid.

Hattie Vreeland, who has been ng some weeks among relatives bouts, returned to her home in St. on Friday last.

Tillie McCutcheon, who has with Geo. Smith and family so is sick and it is feared she will be to do any work for some time.

dge John P. Rea, Past Commander- ief, G.A.R., says: Gardner is one most eloquent and interesting ers on army themes in the U. S.

lis Helm has moved his shop and merican Express office from the to the east side of the Railroad, ow occupies the G. & R. building.

Exelby it is stated has rented tel to Lute Banister, who will ake possession. The deal with erfield parties did not pan out as pected.

s, dont use the old wash-board ou can get a fine Washing Ma- hat saves the clothes and makes ork for you, for little money. Haight has them.

Smith went to Toledo a few days and invested in a car load of that was damaged in the late fire an elevator for which he paid 22cts, bushel. He will feed it to his stock.

Among the Masons who left Wednes- via the Wabash, for the Masonic in Detroit, were John Britton, derwood, James Haight and Will from here, postmaster Jay San- dgeway, and Ed. Howell of Ma-

Miss Della Grayson, of Tecumseh, has a large class in voice culture, be- s several to whom she gives private struction. She is here Wednesday's her class at Wm. Britton's. son is competent and faithful work and the young people vail themselves of the opportu- learn music.

community were shocked to hear reat affliction which has recent- to C. D. Loose, of Scotia, Ne- who is so well known here. He ected here with some stock the he week, but word was received Mrs. Loose was dead and her re- would be brought to Monroe. rial occurred Friday last.

Edmonston, an occulist of De- stopping at the Exelby House, quite a business in his line and o give satisfaction. Some eyes ly fitted to glasses, others are ficult and require longer time. ng ladies' eyes seem to require close but unremitting atten- it is fortunate the Professor is and.

Allen is about moving his op. M. L. Gillen has been g the east room in the Beas- now owned by Herbert, and liberal use of paint and paper e it very attractive. Herbert very nicely situated. His old will move over and use for a m. With his new shop and rhead he will be as "snug as a rug."

ffin had a very narrow es- from serious injury, if not death, recently. He was walking on the Wa- track. It was snowing and quite disagreeable and he was going against the wind, being somewhat deaf, he did not hear the train until it was upon him. He however got off the track, but the engine grazed his clothing. While it is said "a miss is as good as a mile," Charlie does not care to repeat the ex- perience.

last of the series of lectures ar- ged for by Messrs. Collins & Len- will be given the public next y evening, by Michigan's Secy. e. The Hon. Washington His topic will be "The Strug- Chattanooga." All should avail ves of the opportunity and not e lecture of the course. The lectures will be one which has re been thought impossible to for our village, but owing to the efforts and encouragement many of our citizens, Messrs. Lenardson have finally pro- ries of entertainments which very one of our citizens will and do all they can to make using success.

is favored in some respects many of her sister towns. nt societies are pretty gener- ented to all, but none have ng the same initials, as is the Britton has two A. P. A. one recently organized and s been in active operation The latest is the American ciation, which holds its e G. A. R. hall. The Penny Arm society, sessions in elegant of the coal kiln. pt exactly heated by & M. railway com- pany furnish the fuel, as when a coal train comes in the members then in session march out and lay in a stock sufficient to supply their wants until the next train comes along. The former society hold their meetings in the evening, the latter in daylight, and it is stated the members of this society are very regular in their attendance and gaining members daily.

OBITUARY.

Charles Holtz, the subject of this sketch, was born in Queion, Prussia, Aug. 6, 1836, and died at the home of his daughter, about two miles south of Britton, on Jan. 15, 1895, and hence was 58 years, 5 months and 9 days old when he died. He crossed the ocean in June, 1865, and after spending about 10 years in Fulton county, N. Y., he came to Michigan and settled in the township of Ridgeway, where he has since resided. He married Sophia Fosse, the surviving companion, in Prussia Aug. 18, 1863. To the union were born seven children, only three of whom are now living, namely: Mrs. Chas. Lister, of Ridgeway; Mrs. Edward Henderson, of Mooreville; Mrs. Wm. Beasley, of Ridgeway, where his last days were spent. The deceased united with the Christian Union Church of Ridgeway in 1878, and was regarded by all who knew him as an industrious, honorable and exemplary citizen. He never was sick until a little over one year ago, when he had the grip, culminating in congestion of the lungs, from which he never fully rallied, and consumption setting in he was taken suddenly to the grave. The funeral took place at the Ridgeway M. E. church, conducted by Rev. Mudge, assisted by Rev. Canfield. The family have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

BUILDING NOTICE.

Plans and specifications for the Reformed church in Britton are completed and in the hands of the committee, who are ready to receive sealed bids for contracts. They may be seen at the office of Dr. P. B. Hardy. All bids must be ready for inspection Feb. 7th. The committee reserve the right to accept or reject, according to their judgment.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Harrison, Wednesday, a boy.

Ace Smith and wife visited relatives at Martinsville last week.

William Palmer, of Ransom, visited relatives here a part of last week.

Chas. Foote left for Farmers Village, Thursday, for a visit with relatives.

D. W. Smith spent Monday with E. W. Rappleye and family of Ypsilanti.

John Hening, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Wales, returned last week.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, made a flying business call in the village the forepart of the week.

Florence Mize and Edith Ingersoll, of Tecumseh, called on Leella Sutton, Thursday of last week.

Postmaster J. A. Santus and Undertaker S. P. Smith were in Detroit Wednesday on business.

Lulu Rappleye, who has been spending several weeks with friends here, went to her home at Ypsilanti the first of the week.

A. J. Sutton received his commission as agent for the National Loan and Investment company of Detroit, for Ridgeway and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Rappleye, in company with Cass Zoiuff and wife, visited relatives at Ypsilanti and Cherry Hill Tuesday and Wednesday.

The remains of Mrs. Elward Palmer, of Covert, were brought here last week, for burial. The funeral services were held at the Free Methodist church Friday morning.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Uncle Ben Kelly is reported quite sick.

James Symonds is very poorly, under the care of Dr. Catlin.

Mrs. Eda Crano was the guest of Miss Carrie E. Winship over Sunday.

Mrs. T. Graham and sisters were callers at Holloway Saturday evening.

The C. E. Society are continuing the meetings with considerable interest this week.

The ladies hold their social at Mrs. Wm. Doty's this week Thursday. Every one cordially invited.

Miss Eva Doty was a passenger to Detroit, where she takes music at the Conservatory of music in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy McWilliams were surprised last Thursday evening by a load of young people from Tecumseh. All report a pleasant time.

S. F. Fritz, of 677 Sedgwick street, Chicago, says: "I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved; I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life." 50c. Sold by Orr & Temple.

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The two most exciting periods in a woman's life are when she is listening to her first proposal and bidding on a basket of broken crockery at an auction.

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

There may be an amateur opera company organized at Adrian.

It is rumored that another fence post concern will be started in Adrian.

Just now the natural gas towns are freezing out. The gas always plays out when most needed.

Blissfield Maccabees will give a masked ball at the opera house Washington's Birthday.

Rev. C. H. Channer has been considering Blissfield as a location for a new Episcopal church.

The Hillsdale College Glee Club is "catching on." They have completed arrangements for a tour of the state.

The Jonesville Independent says that Hon. E. O. Grosvenor, of that place, is the oldest living ex-lieutenant governor and the oldest living ex-treasurer of the state.

The Clinton plow works have been consolidated with the Bean-Chamberlain works at Hudson, a move that is thought will prove advantageous to both concerns.

An old toper out in Woodstock says he always knows when to quit drinking, and that is when his money is all used up. That's about the time most of the old soaks quit.

New York papers report an epidemic of grip prevailing in the cities, and the health authorities report many cases resulting fatally. They say the old grip was bad enough, but the new is worse.

The president of Hillsdale college has come right out flat-footed against dancing and kindred amusements and says hereafter any of the students participating in such affairs can pack up his duds and get.

The water mill is being fitted with a set of rollers and will soon be in shape to make flour along with the best. Blissfield will then have three gristmills and the farmers can take their choice.—Blissfield Advance.

Miss Julia Armstrong, the Madison school-teacher who outrageously whipped one of her pupils and was arrested therefor, settled the matter by paying $10. She will probably not allow her temper to get the start of her again.

Strange as it may seem, Adrian acknowledges to having "questionable resorts" within its environments, and a ministerial social purity movement is soon to begin to root them out. Will it include the Ananias Club?—Blissfield Advance.

An Adrian dealer advertises "Best men's rubber boots." There is quite a demand for the article at weddings in Lenawee's county seat city, where the groom wears patent leather and the "best man" appears in rubbers.—Hudson Post.

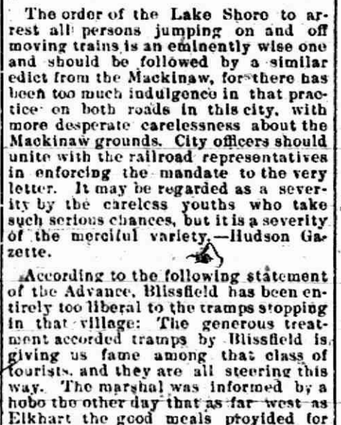
If the coat is cut according to the cloth and the size of the cloth depends on the prosperity of the people, this country must be coming around all right, judging by the amount of cloth required for the late styled sleeves on women's gowns.

A little west side girl came home Saturday with her face bunged up as if she had been in a prize fight. When questioned as to the cause of her dilapidated appearance she responded, "Oh, nothin', only jumpin' on a bob." Probably as long as boys and girls and snow and bobs are in existence to form a combination, there will be just such accidents, or worse. It is a dangerous pastime, and the little folks can't be too careful in indulging their hobby of jumping the bobby.—Evening Telegram.

The order of the Lake Shore to arrest all persons jumping on and off moving trains is an eminently wise one and should be followed by a similar edict from the Mackinaw, for there has been too much indulgence in that practice on both roads in this city, with more desperate carelessness about the Mackinaw grounds. City officers should unite with the railroad representatives in enforcing the mandate to the very letter. It may be regarded as a severity by the careless youths who take such serious chances, but it is a severity of the merciful variety.—Hudson Gazette.

According to the following statement of the Advance, Blissfield has been entirely too liberal to the tramps stopping in that village: The generous treatment accorded tramps by Blissfield is giving us fame among that class of tourists, and they are all steering this way. The marshal was informed by a hobo the other day that as far west as Elkhart the good meals provided for tramps was known among the fraternity. They have hitherto been given a "square" meal either at the hotel or Plunkett's, but the marshal now has instructions to furnish each with a half loaf of bread and a piece of bologna, together with a cup of coffee, and let them take that or nothing.

Government by injunction may be unconstitutional, as Governor Altgeld says but it is better than government by anarchy.



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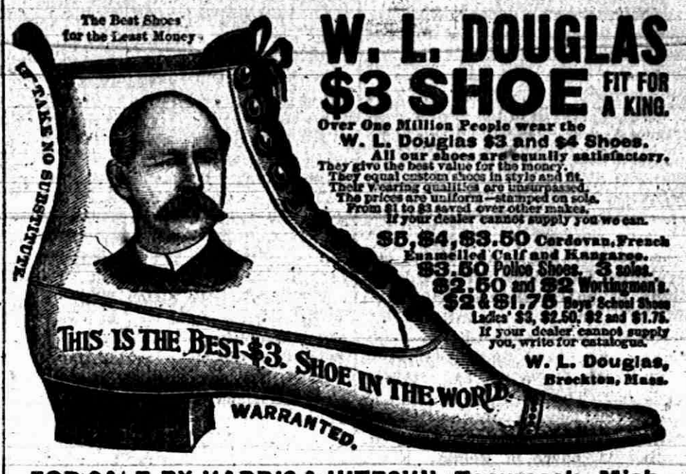

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan, 18, 1895.

The silver men in Congress are masters of the situation to the extent of being able to prevent legislation they do not want, but there is little probability of their power extending further; hence, the certainty that there will be no financial legislation at this session. There is a scheme on foot to let the whole question rest until a few days before the close of the session and then to attempt to rush a bill through the House and the Senate authorizing the issue of bonds at the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury. This scheme is the result of the combination of those democrats and republicans who think nearly alike upon financial questions, and will, as a matter of course, be opposed by the silver men.

Somebody has either been very shrewd or very careless. It has just become known that a clause in the bill regulating the publication and distribution of public documents, known before Congress as the "printing bill," which this week received the President's signature and went into effect as a law, partially revives the franking privilege. The Vice President and members and members-elect of Congress being allowed to frank letters not exceeding one ounce in weight. Not a word was said about this clause when the bill was before either the House or the Senate, and every Senator and Representative whose attention has been called to it professes ignorance of its having been in the bill, but it is not likely that any of them will on that account fail to take advantage of it.

Senator Morgan made a speech at the seventy-eighth annual meeting of the American Colonization Society that has attracted consideration, in view of his position in Alabama, where many have insisted that the negro laborers were a necessity. Senator Morgan advanced the opinion in his speech that the most beneficial solution of the negro problem, so far as the negro himself is concerned, is to be found in their emigration to Africa, which he declared to be the richest country, in resources, on earth. The Senator urged the formation by negroes of a line of steamships to run between Charleston or New Orleans and Africa, and pledged himself if that were done to secure commercial treaties with Siberia and the Free Congo State allowing free trade between them and the United States.

If Senator Gorman was correct in saying that only once in the history of the Senate has a bill having a majority in its favor—in 1850, when Robert Tooms, of Georgia, defeated an appropriation bill by holding the floor during the last two hours of the session—been defeated by failure to reach a vote on it, some mistakes have been made by those who have assumed to say in advance now all the Senators should vote. Measures have certainly failed to reach a vote which were supposed by the public to be favored by a majority; but of course, Senator Gorman ought to know more about it than the public.

The House Judiciary committee has decided by a vote of 7 to 6 to report a resolution of impeachment against Judge Ricks, of Ohio. The seven votes for impeachment were all cast by democrats, except one, Representative Updegraff, of Iowa, who is a republican: and the six votes against impeachment were all cast by republicans, except that of Representative Goodnight, of Ky., who is a democrat. Representative Bailey, of Texas, will draw up the resolution of impeachment.

It begins to look as though the Nicaragua canal bill is dead so far as this present session of Congress is concerned. The bill has been steadily losing ground, even in the Senate, ever since it was pointed out that no official government investigation had ever been made, either of the feasibility of the proposed canal company, or, of what has actually been done towards building the canal. There are plenty of statements as to these things, but they all emanate from those who are interested in the Canal company. There is much more probability that Congress will merely authorize an official investigation to be made than that it will pass the canal bill. If such an investigation was thoroughly made some very interesting things would be found out.

The income tax appropriation went through the Senate without a division.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

Rev. Dr. Eccleston, D. G. M.

The Rev. Dr. Eccleston, leading Episcopal clergyman on Staten Island, is entitled to a new degree, the degree of D. G. M.—Defender of Gin-Mills.

In the recent election, the Christian Endeavor Societies of Richmond county (Staten Island) inaugurated a movement for the election of no-license excise commissioners. A no-license association was formed, a ticket was put up, and such strength did it command from citizens of all parties that the politicians, the saloon-keepers, and Rev. Dr. Eccleston became seriously disturbed over the prospects. He wrote a letter that was widely published to stem the tide among church people, in which he stated with emphasis that beer is just as much a necessity to many as coffee and tea are to many others. Therefore he opposed the no-license movement but thought it desirable to limit the number of saloons.

A few days later three young men were arraigned for murder in the Richmond county-house, on Staten Island. One was 17 years old, and the other two about 19 and 20. They were not bad-looking young men. It was stated that they came of good families. Nothing had been charged against them previously except what the judge termed mere "peccadilloes." Yet there they stood, arraigned for murder, facing the State prison; and the old mother of one of the boys sat behind the railing weeping as though her heart was breaking, as no doubt it was. They pleaded guilty and were sentenced to various terms in the penitentiary. And when the judge sentenced the last boy to a felon's cell and a convict's garb, at least one of the jurors sitting there came within an inch of breaking over all rules of decorum and rising to ask the judge when sentence would be pronounced on the real murderer—the Staten Island ginmills. For the young men, at least two and perhaps three being minors, had gone into a ginmill to indulge in what Rev. Dr. Eccleston is teaching the youth of Staten Island is as much of a necesity as coffee and tea. Under the influence of that "necessity" they engaged in a brawl, and without weapons, without apparantly any previously formed malice, they knocked down and, in drunken rage, kicked a fourth boy until he lay dead in the street. One boy dead, three boys in State prison, four mothers' hearts wrung with lasting agony, and in the background the venerable figure of the Rev. Dr. Eccleston, clad in surplice and stole, with arms outstretched blessing the ginmills, serving notice upon all other mothers' boys that beer is as much a necessity as coffee and tea, and exhorting voters to go to the ballot-box and vote to perpetuate this condition of things! What a sight for God and the angels to look down upon!

Now, this sort of thing may be popular; but if an archangel from heaven came down and told us it was right, we would tell him to his face that he lied. It is not right; and all the venerable clergymen in America can't make it right, and all the four million church-going voters can't vote it right. Avalanche may succeed avalanee at the ballot-box, and license party may triumph over anti-license party, but none the less, this American ginmill is wrong—horribly, hideously, devilishly wrong; and we, for one, stand here to fight it till it goes down or we go down.

The saloon must go!

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The next meeting of the Farmers Union will be held at the residence of Mrs. McLain, Tuesday evening, Jan. 29, 1895. Program:

Music—Mrs. Edwin Taft.
Reading—Maggie Welliver.
Dec.—Leon Benedict.
Essay—Miss Carrie Colvin.
Rec.—Leora Boyd.
Music—Florence Bros.
Rec.—Nellie Wilsen.
Reading—Joe Eaton.
Music—Eva Doty.
Question—Can farmers afford to buy commercial fertilizer to grow crops at present prices? Led by Geo. Holloway, A. Macham and others.

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FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Philip Kehoe's spacious farm residence was thrown open for the entertainment of the Farmers' Social Club, Tuesday evening, Jan. 22d. The attendance was not as large as had been anticipated, as the inclement weather prevented a great many from being present, but all who ventured forth, both members and visitors, felt amply repaid for the effort made, for once within the bright and pleasant rooms all forgot the boisterous element without. Conversation and laughter held sway until after 8 o'clock, when the president called the meeting to order. An interesting program was carried out. As several who were on the program were absent the omissions were kindly supplied by others present. Misses Halsted, Murphy and Kehoe supplied the music for the evening. Mr. James Mellon gave an amusing selection, setting forth the trials of boyhood, and also favored the Club by reading a humorous sketch of a farmers' club. Earl Rector gave a cute declamation, which was heartily applauded. The charade, acted by a couple of the young people of the Club, assisted by Miss Clarkson, came near being too much for the crowd. Lovisa Schreder and Fred Rector each recited a piece in their usual manner. The dialogue "An Object of Charity" gave the audience a hearty laugh, the part taken by Andrew Kehoe being especially ludicrous. The question, Construction of drains—general effects, was not discussed very fully, as the hour was late. I. H. Schreder approves of shallow draining, prefering tile to be placed about 18 inches in heavy soil. Philip Kehoe thinks tileing one of the safest banks for the farmer to deposit his money in. Mr. Rettore would rather place tile 3 or 4 feet under the surface than less. The other gentlemen present evidently came for information, as they declined to speak on the subject. The Club then adjourned, to meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 5th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schreder. Program:

Music.
Poem—Mrs. O. P. Remington.
Dec.—Delmar Finch.
Rec.—Ora Bowen.
Dialogue—Andrew Kehoe.
Dec.—Ralph Gillespie.
Vocal Solo—Cora Halsted.
Select Reading—Mrs. O. B. Finch.
Dec.—Stouten Strong.
Dialogue—School children.
Music—Mary Murphy.

All who attend will please bear in mind that the meeting will positively commence at 7:30 o'clock.

A Just Tribute.

When traveling to New York recently on the Central Railroad of New Jersey, says Tallie Morgan, I met a traveling man with whom I very soon had a discussion on the temperance question. In the course of our conversation he said: "The railroad companies are doing more for the cause of temperance than all the churches in the nation put together. Take the Central Railroad of New Jersey, for instance. I have traveled for years over this road, and I have yet to see the first employe taking a drink. I have offered it to them myself, but they always say, 'Against the rules,' and will not touch it. You never hear of an accident on this road, and though it does a tremendous business the personal habits of its employees are such that a man feels safe while in one of their trains." It is undoubtedly true that of late years the railroad companies have become more strict on their men, that the cause of temperance has been greatly advanced as a result.

In Olden Times

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Winter has come at last.

T. D. Mark has returned from his Ohio trip.

Tom Owens is home from Marshall and will not return at present.

Stein & Frank, the Detroit opticians, have a card on the first page.

Albe Heywood has a strong company At the Opera House, Feb. 24.

James Wilson, the parti-colored man, is still on exhibition. Do not fail to see him.

Miss Minnie Ross is nome from Chicago for a visit with her parents and friends.

Mrs. C. F. Coller has returned home from Eaton Rapids, where she has been visiting friends.

Stein & Frank, opticians from Detroit, are at the Lilley House and will remain some time.

Beers Post have put a new lamp in front of their hall, which is lighted the nights of meeting. It shows up well.

Next Friday will be the first day of February. Hustle in your subscriptions before that day and get a Midway souvenir portfolio.

Leon Rosacrans is very happy. He has a new Waverly bicycle, which is a dandy. It has all the latest improvements and is adapted for both road and racing.

About thirty from here attended Baby Marie's entertainment at Clinton, last evening. They report a packed house and an enjoyable time. They consider Marie a wonder.

Rev. Mr. Shacer, of Armenia, will lecture, dressed in his native costume, on the manner sand customs of his people, at the Friends' church, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. All are invited.

Mrs. Chas. Bennett, of Lansing, has been the guest this week of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Tilden. Yesterday, accompanied by Miss Lillie Tilden, she went to Toledo to make another sister, Mrs. Henry, a short visit.

Mr. F. D. Hillman is now traveling for the firm of S. L. Allen & Co., who make the celebrated Planet Jr. farming implements. We met him in Saline, Wednesday. He leaves home to-day for a two months' trip through Indiana and Iowa.

Mr. R. W. Tavener, formerly of London, England, who has renounced the Roman Catholic faith and is now engaged in missionary work, will be at the Opera House to-night, to-morrow night and Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Admission 15cts.

During our three days stop at Saline, the first of this week, we put up at the Harmon House, kept by Anson Harmon, who kept a hotel in Saline over twenty years ago in the present Warner House. He has much better quarters now, the old Davenport residence, and is running a model house.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 25, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Now is the time to pay up.

Alba Heywood, the favorite is coming Feb. 2d.

Dr. O. Q. Jones visited his father at Brooklyn, the first of the week.

Mrs. Eleanor Masteller, of Clinton, was in town shopping, Wednesday.

D. T. Hall attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Warren Beals, at Madison, Tuesday.

Miss Salome Clark, Ridgeway's efficient librarian, was calling on friends Tuesday.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M. this evening—work in the 2d. degree.

Britton's course tickets are $1.00—five entertainments. Single admission for adults, 35cts.

No doubt many of our citizens will go and hear Gardner at Britton next Thursday evening, Jan. 31st.

John R. Clark is second on the course at Britton. Subject—Gough in Humor, Dialect and Eloquence.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher and guest, Miss Bascom, visited E. S. Tate and wife of Clinton, the first of the week.

Dr. Geo. W. Kishpaugh, of Clinton, has returned and is again administering the impacted air treatment.

Miss Bascom, who has been the guest of Mrs. Abbie Fisher for several weeks, returned to her home in Cleveland yesterday.

Jas. Riley, Jr., came over from Adrian Wednesday to see his father and will remain over Sunday—what time he is not at Clinton.

A company of young people drove out to Sam Anderson's last evening and took them by surprise. They had a pleasant time.

Frank Brown, of Clinton, who is on the road for the Champion reaper people, was in the town Monday and made THE HERALD a pleasant call.

This week has been a lively one, socially at least. Parties galore both in and out of town. The weather has not been able to keep people at home.

Remember the auction to-morrow afternoon at the residence of the late James Snell at 1:30 p. m. Quite an amount of personal effects will be sold.

Active preparations are in progress for the military ball, to be given at the armory, Feb. 7th. It will be the 2d. anniversary of the opening of the Armory.

We understand that Rev. C. M. Brown gave his people a very profound sermon Sunday morning and in the evening gave them a powerful temperance discourse.

Among the Tecumseh Masons who were in Detroit this week we know that Joseph H. Smith, Sam McClure, Jno. J. Orr, Frank Bryan, Alf. James and B. J. Garlinghouse might be seen.

Our neighboring town of Britton is to have a lecture course and the first entertainment will be Thursday evening, Jan. 31st. Washington Gardner will be the speaker. Subject, "The Struggle for Chattanooga."

James Riley, Sen., met with a serious accident Tuesday. He was working in the woods drawing logs. While driving along one log struck a stump he had not been, and caught his foot in such a manner that his ankle was broken. It was the one he had broken nearly two years ago.

It was a jolly crowd that were entertained Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Kay. There were from 35 to 40 present, and some played pedro while others made fun for the entire company. They were mostly married people who were present and it is reported they could discount any young people for sport.

Subjects at the Universalist church, for Sunday next a. m., "It is naught, it naught, saith the buyer, But when he's gone his way then he boasteth." Evening—Who is a minister of Christ?" Young People's meeting at 6 o'clock. Young People's Christian Union class in Parliamentary Law, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Levi Hayden returned to Grand Rapids Monday night, expecting to remain [illegible] intends associating himself with his brother Marvin, handle millers' supplies. He will move his family at present. [illegible] loathe to part with Levi, but to his advantage to locate [illegible] only wish him success in [illegible] and enterprise. Grand [illegible] in him an upright, [illegible] stirring business [illegible] zen.

Anderson & Co's sale is extended to Feby. 1st.

Alba Heywood is coming. "Down in Injianny."

Miss Emma Miller is now at Charles Bidwell's, south of town.

Mrs. James Baldwin visited her people near Adrian over Sunday.

C. H. Hopkins, of Battle Creek, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. E. Stout.

Note the spicy letter from our young friend, C. H. VanTyne, in another column.

Admission to Prof. Morrow's entertainments will be adults, 25cts; children, 15cts.

Mrs. Chas. Egan, who has been on the sick list the past two weeks, is improving slowly.

Twenty-six Adrian friends took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egan last Sunday.

Lon Jones is attending Cleary's business college at Ypsilanti. He went over the last of the week.

The shell comb has not been found as yet, but strict search and diligent inquiry are still being made.

Will Bennett moved back into the Henry house Wednesday, the damage by fire having been repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Howes, of Adrian, were the guests of Mrs. Geo. W. Smith of east Chicago street, Sunday.

Prof. Joseph Morrow with his celebrated Photo-rama, will be at Sutton's Opera House, Jany. 28th and 29th.

Geo. Gilbert and Cliff Millis attended the entertainment at Croswell's Opera House, Adrian, Wednesday evening.

Remember Prof. Morrow's Photo-rama at Sutton's Opera House, Jan. 28th and 29th. Admission, adults 25cts., Children 15cts.

Don't fail to see Prof. Morrow's Great Photo-rama of picturesque trips abroad at Sutton's Opera House, Monday and Tuesday evening next.

Miss E. Blanche Goff, of the Detroit Business University, is visiting her brother Harry and other relatives this week. She returns Saturday.

Prof. Morrow's spectacular entertainments are said to be grand beyond description. You can see them at Sutton's Opera House, Monday and Tuesday evenings, Jan. 28 and 29.

Mrs. Henrietta Keyser left Wednesday for West Bay City, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Goff. Before her return she will visit her brother, Geo. Kinnicut, at South Lyons, Mich.

We are requested to ask certain Clinton youths how the sleighing was Sunday evening and suggest that they, in future, provide themselves with sandwiches to provide for emergencies.

L. D. Dewey shipped last week, 133 barrels of poultry, all of which was dressed during the week and making a little over 3325o pounds of dressed poultry. It was a busy week with him.

It has been decided, on account of the death of Rev. J. Phelps, to postpone the entertainment contemplated by the Junior Auxiliary of St. Peter's church, for next Thursday night, the 31st.

The members of the W. C. T. U. wish to thank the congregations of the following churches, (Friends, Baptist, Universalist and Methodist) for their very liberal collections in aid of the work among lumbermen and miners.

J. B. Coller is meeting with good success with his Graphophone Concerts. They please every one that hear them, and he receives many flattering letters promising him welcome should he return. He has gone to Ohio for a two week's trip.

The Womans Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church will hold their regular monthly meeting in the church parlor, on Wednesday, Jan. 30, at three p. m. Let all members try and be present as there is important business to be transacted.

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Mary Baird and Miss Julia Wood, who have been with their mother, Mrs E. B. Wood for some weeks, bade adieu to their Tecumseh friends, Mrs. Baird returning to her home in Columbus, Ohio, and Julia to Toledo, where she is taking instruction in Kindergarten work.

Mrs. Ezra D. Burlingame met with a painful accident Monday afternoon. In stepping out doors the wind which was blowing a gale, carried her along some distance. It being icy she fell, breaking her left wrist. She was alone, as Mr. B. had gone to the farm. It was some time before her condition was known. A physician was then summoned who made her as comfortable as possible. She is doing as well as could be expected at present.

Acme Council, No. 101. I. O. O. Orients held a special meeting at Odd Fellows Hall, Wednesday, for conferring the degrees. As usual there was a full attendance of the members. Among the visiting fraters, was Prince Chas. W. Parker, a member of the Eaton Rapids council. Five candidates were conducted through the mysteries of the order, and crowned Princes of the realm with imposing ceremonies. Several more were anxious to receive the degrees, but were prevailed upon to postpone it until a future time. There will be a meeting next Wednesday evening and also on Thursday evening following, when it is expected a number from Clinton will receive the degrees preparatory to forming a council there. The growth of this society is phenominal.

Edgewood Folks, Feb. 2d.

J. M. Jones visited Manchester on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Everett is visiting friends at Coldwater this week.

At the Opera House, Feb. 2d, the Alba Heywood company.

Alva Spayde's discount sale will be continued through January.

Picturesque trips abroad next Monday evening at the opera house.

Mrs. Jehiel Davidson is the guest of Ed. DePuy's family at Saline this week.

W. F. Stimpson of the Scale Co., was in Detroit the first of the week on business.

Rev. E. C. Anderson has changed his location and now occupies rooms 2 and 4 in "The Patterson."

Go and see Prof. Morrow's grand photo-rama at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Look out for the coming of Mr. M. de L. Bocher and his charming lecture, "Way Down on the Old Plantation."

We have received another big invoice of Midway souvenirs. All who are entitled to a copy can now obtain it by calling at this office.

The politicians do not want the currency question settled either by this or the next sessions of Congress. Their plan includes its use in the presidential campaign.

The County Farmers' Institute began its sessions yesterday morning, at the Court House, in Adrian. Hon. J. D. Shull, of this place, gave one of the greeting addresses.

Travel and history, legend and anecdote, poetry, art and humor will be illustrated with unparalleled magnificence next Monday and Tuesday evenings at the opera house.

A joint meeting of the Lenawee and Monroe county teachers' associations will be held at Petersburg, next Saturday, Feb. 2d. State Supt. Pattengill is expected to be present, and a very interesting program is being prepared.

The Saline Observer is prospering these days under the efficient management of Editor Warren. We had the pleasure of looking through his establishment and making his acquaintance the first of the week. He is giving Saline an excellent local newspaper.

The Rev. Wm. Rayard Hale, whose articles in The Forum on the religious condition of Middleboro and Fall River, Mass., attracted so much attention, has written for the February Forum an article on the religious condition of Westerly, R. I., entitled "A Religious Study of a Baptist Town."

A New York traveling man made his appearance in Adrian yesterday wearing a linen duster. He didn't wear it either for comfort or convenience, but as a penalty for wagering on Hill's election last fall. He will not take any linen duster chances on Hill any more.—Evening Telegram.

Henry C. Bowen took the temperature of the water in the white mill pond this morning, and then leaping on his fiery mustang, hustled for home, where Mrs. Bowen has been engaged most of the day in cutting enough ice from him to last the family during the summer. —Adrian Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanley spent Saturday and Sunday with their friends and comrade, Chas. Blake and family, at Ogden Center. They attended the oyster supper, given by Rider Post, and the camp-fire, which was in progress at another hall, was a perfect success; the hall was full to overflowing.

Mrs. Albert M. Maples, whose maiden name was Margaret Vescelius, was born in New Jersey, Feb. 5th, 1814. In 1848 she came to Michigan, and in 1851 she was married to Albert M. Maples. After a short illness she died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Garret Derby, January 12th, 1895, and was buried in the cemetery at Macon.

Prof. Joseph Marrow's grand photo-rama, which will be given at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings, is very highly commended. Over 300 views will be shown. The first evening's program is entitled, "The Wide World Over; or Mirror of the Globe." The second evening will be a pictorial excursion through Bonnie Scotland and the Emerald Isle.

Charles W. Parker, of Hillsdale, is in town this week. He is working in the interest of the Capitol Loan and Investment Association at Lansing, and hopes to form a local board here. Mr. Parker is a genial gentleman, thoroughly posted in his business and represents one of the most reliable companies in the state. He has met with unqualified success in other places and no doubt will form a strong auxilliary here.

The Louisville Courier Journal says: "Of Edgewood Folks nothing need be said, except that it is as good fun as ever. It has the merit of introducing, besides the marvelous leading character, two charmingly contrasted types of soubrette. Two typical village old men and a delightfully funny specimen of the flirtatious old maid. The soubrettes of the present company, Miss Davis and Miss Stoy, are both pretty and both well up in their parts, Miss Davis' singing being of a quality unfortunately exceptional on the non-operatic stage. The parts of Deacon Hardwick and Fosdick Skinner were interpreted to the full by Messrs. McElhaney and Meade, the latter made up irresistibly as a twin brother of the immortal Bill Nye. Indeed, every part in Edgewood Folks is well taken by the company this week at the Avenue theatre.

The Sophomore Party.

Last Tuesday evening about forty young people of the high school, mostly of the Sophomore class, gathered at the home of their classmate, Harold Hoag, west of town, where they spent a very enjoyable evening. Light refreshments were served about nine o'clock, after which the rest of the evening was spent in the playing of games. Especially noticable was one by the name of "Wink," in which everybody could wink at everybody else. About midnight a few of the sleepy ones began to think of the examinations next day, and expressed a desire to get a few "winks." Nearly everyone else seemed to have the same thoughts, and soon two loads of very tired, but happy young people were on their way home. It was not surprising next morning to hear of a few frosted fingers and toes, though it ought not to have been so, as far as the fingers were concerned, for if everybody did as the writer they would have kept themselves, as well as their neighbor, perfectly comfortable. Taking it from beginning to end, it was a very pleasant affair.

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Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

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Wheeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
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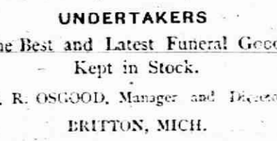

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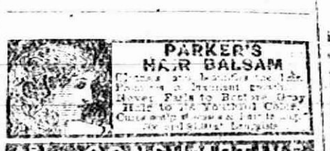

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BANKING AFFAIRS.

Suggestions in the Report of Commissioner Sherwood at Lansing.

LANSING, Jan. 18.—In his report for the year ending December 31 last, Commissioner of Banking Sherwood renews his recommendation that building and loan associations be placed under state supervision. It is urged that "private bankers be no longer permitted to deceive the public by using names which convey the idea that the firms are incorporated. Some of the members of the present legislature are agitating the enactment of a law prohibiting officers and directors of a bank from borrowing the funds of the institution with which they are connected. Commissioner Sherwood is opposed to this, as it would keep active business men from serving on boards of directors. The attention of the legislature is called to the necessity of making provision for the extension of bank charters, several of which will expire by limitation during the next few years. Commissioner Sherwood says the law should be amended so that these banks may extend their charters if they wish to.

FIRE IS SET BY THIEVES.

T. M. Wells' Old Mercantile House at Negaunee Destroyed.

NEGAUNEE, Jan. 21.—The large mercantile store owned by T. M. Wells, doing business in one of the oldest and largest buildings in the city, in fact one of the pioneer buildings and owned by the old Iron Cliffs company, was destroyed by fire between 5 and 6 o'clock Sunday morning, together with the entire stock, valued at between $20,000 and $25,000. Nothing but a few books were saved and probably some valuable papers contained in a safe. Adjoining property was only saved by heroic work. That it was of incendiary origin there is no doubt, as at the time the fire was in progress several business places were robbed. The tailoring establishment of H. C. Peterson was robbed of over $200 worth of made-up clothing, and a saloon adjoining of money and valuables. The police have obtained several clews which will probably lead to the conviction of local crooks. Mr. Wells had an insurance of $11,000 on his stock.

TO HEAD OFF IMMIGRATION.

A Michigan Legislator Wants Stronger Laws Enacted.

LANSING, Jan. 18.—Representative Kelly, of Muskegon, has a joint resolution protesting against the present system of national immigration and requesting the Michigan delegation in congress to present some plan that will make immigration practically prohibitive as applied to the pauper and convict labor of Europe, as well as to anarchists and those who are forced by their countries to leave. The resolution attributes the present surplus of labor and the low wages of this country to the practically free importation of this class in the past.

DISABLED COUPLE WED.

J. C. Baldwin, of Mason, Abandons the Straw-Hat Habit and Marries.

MASON, Jan. 20.—J. C. Baldwin, aged 77, married Saturday night Mrs. Elizabeth Parkers, of Bay City. She is aged 73 years and has been visiting here a few days. The affair has created a sensation, as both of the contracting parties are well-nigh helpless physically. When securing his marriage license Baldwin said it was a case of love at first sight, as he only knew his bride's name and age. The groom has been a unique figure here for some years. He has worn a straw hat the year round until to-night, when in honor of the occasion he donned a felt hat.

Trial of Cashier Bradley.

LANSING, Jan. 21.—Great interest centers in the trial of Nelson Bradley, cashier of the defunct Central Michigan savings bank, which went to the wall in April, 1893. The case is set for Tuesday. The charge against Bradley is that a few days before the bank closed its doors he made a report to Bank Commissioner Sherwood, which subsequently proved to be false in all essential particulars. He had doctored it up so as to show the bank to be in excellent shape. His arrest soon followed.

Michigan Salt Company.

SAGINAW, Jan. 19.—The Michigan Salt company's annual meeting was held here in the city council chamber with 3,719 shares represented. The president's report showed the total amount of salt manufactured in Michigan the past year to be 2,484,425 barrels, an increase over last year of 192,- 000 barrels. No change is anticipated in the price of salt, which remains at sixty cents per barrel.

Grand Rapids Gas Works Turned.

GRAND RAPIDS, Jan. 19.—The Grand Rapids gas works have been sold to an eastern syndicate, represented by Emerson McMillan & Co., of New York. The purchase price is $1,300,000, and over one-half of it was paid Friday, the balance to be paid in ninety days. The price paid is double the par value of the stock. The company will probably be capitalized up to the purchase price.

Forced to Leave Town.

DETROIT, Jan. 20.—A warrant was sworn out against Eliza Curts, known as Queen Michael of the House Israel, a small and queer religious sect, charging her with violating the law in performing a marriage ceremony between two of her followers without lawful authority. Before the warrant could be served Eliza quit town.

Appointment for a Chicago Man.

ANN ARBOR, Jan. 18.—Frank S. Reed, of the firm of Reed, Brown and Allen, of Chicago, has been appointed lecturer on the law of copyright in the law school of the University of Michigan.

Michigan's Oldest Man Dies.

BATTLE CREEK, Jan. 18.—Henry McCauley, said to be the oldest man in the state, died here Thursday, aged 107 years.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Thorvald Peterson, bookkeeper for the Manistee & Grand Rapids Railroad company at Manistee, has been arrested on a charge of forging company money orders. The amount obtained by his forgeries is about $8,000. He pleaded guilty of the charge and was held for trial.

By the late Senator Fair's will T. O. Crothers, a '94 law graduate of Ann Arbor, inherits $5,000.

William S. Green, who resides near Dowagiac, is 103 years old.

A deposit of fireclay recently discovered at Flushing proves to be very rich.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Muskegon Brewing company it was decided to reduce the capital stock from $250,000 to $125,000.

The furniture factory at Grand Haven has been sold to Grand Rapids capitalists, who expect to begin running the plant with eighty men within a month.

C. L. Ring & Co.'s basket factory at Holland has started up with 250 men. New machinery has been added, and the concern will make things hum for the remainder of the winter.

The Elk Rapids Grain company is making extensive improvements in its flouring mills. Much machinery of later devices is being added, and the quality and quantity of the output will be better and larger.

State Bank Examiner Schulte has completed the examination of the Muskegon banks, and states that all are carrying from 8 to 15 per cent. more cash than is legally required and are in excellent condition.

Kelly Bros. Manufacturing company, of Muskegon, has closed a contract with a concern in London, England, for the interior work of a library in the British metropolis.

Frank Ganong, of Woodville, who lost a leg by an accident last week, died from his injuries.

The Thirteenth Michigan infantry closed its reunion at Kalamazoo, electing E. P. Devoe, of Cooper, president.

Albert W. Fairchild, formerly of Fenton, and for thirteen years an inmate of the Kalamazoo insane asylum, hanged himself with a handkerchief fastened to a window screen.

The trustees of the Ann Arbor high school rescinded the rule forbidding students to become members of fraternities, and the six suspended students will be reinstated.

In a population of 850 persons twenty weddings have occurred at Mendon since October 1, 1894.

The State Dairy Men's association will meet in Adrian February 6.

Peach growers in the southwestern Michigan fruit belt say that so far the winter has been a very favorable one for peach buds, and that the present outlook is for an enormous crop this season.

A colony of 100 members of the reorganized church of Latter Day Saints has located at West Bay City.

Millions of Fish Fry.

ISLE RAPIDS, Jan. 20.—The state fish hatchery at Paris is breaking all records. About the first of the month 2,000,- 000 brook trout and 1,000,000 salmon trout will be ready for delivery and the car start out on its mission. Some 250,000 Germain or brown trout eggs are also in process of incubation. Something like 2,000,000 trout fry have been sent from Paris to the "500" hatchery. The total output of white fish eggs this season at the several hatcheries was 180,000,000—breaking the record.

Died at a Funeral.

DETROIT, Jan. 16.—The funeral of Mrs. H. J. McNulty on Friday closed a drama of life. Two days ago she fell dead at the funeral of a friend. Afterward it transpired overwork had produced heart failure. She was trying to earn money to fit up a small home for her husband, who was a convict at Ionia house of correction. He was to be released next week. Gov. Rich pardoned him to attend the funeral of his wife.

Married an Ann Arbor Girl.

ANN ARBOR, Jan. 19.—The news from Honolulu will be read by the people of this city, especially of the university, with mingled interest and sorrow because of the death of Charles L. Carter, a former resident who came here to complete his education in 1887, at the University of Michigan. He became a prominent member of society and in 1889 married Miss Mary Scott, of this city.

Condition of State Banks.

LANSING, Jan. 20.—The commissioner of banking's statement of the condition of 174 state banks of Michigan on December 19, the date of the last call, shows that the total deposits were $58,440,737, of which $35,909,997 were savings. This shows an increase since October 3 of $1,736,564. Loans have increased $952,102 during the period.

Shot Dead by a Companion.

DETROIT, Jan. 21.—While playing with a crowd of young companions in a hut which they had fitted up in wild west style in the heart of the city, Ethelbert Draper, aged 11, was carelessly shot to death Sunday night by Frankie Lane, aged 16. The boys claim the shooting was accidental, but four of them were locked up by the police.

Andrew and Mercer White Acquitted.

LENAWEE, Jan. 20.—Andrew and Mercer White, charged with having shot and killed Joseph Mercer at Rapid River last October, were tried in the circuit court here this week, and the jury Saturday afternoon, after being out less than three hours, brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Compulsory Education Favored.

LANSING, Jan. 18.—In its biennial report the blind school board recommends that the minimum age for admission to the school be lowered from 10 to 5 years, and that education be made compulsory. [illegible] blind persons in the state, so might profitably attend the school.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 15.—The legislature of Michigan in joint session Tuesday afternoon reelected Hon. James McMillan United States senator from Michigan for the long term. Mr. McMillan received the unanimous vote of the legislature. John Donovan, of Bay, the lone Democrat voting for him. Hon. Julius Caesar Burrows was elected United States senator for the short term. Mr Donovan voted for Hon. John Strong, of Rockland.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 16.—A large number of bills were noticed in both houses Tuesday, and a few of importance introduced, the most prominent being one for reduction of the salaries of justices of the supreme court from $7,000 to $5,000, a uniform text book bill providing for the repeal of the special charter of the Michigan Central Railway company, appropriating $2,500 in support of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society, a senatorial and congressional apportionment bill, for the establishment of a marine hospital at Sault Ste. Marie, reducing railroad fares in the upper peninsula from four to three cents per mile, a state library extension bill, for placing building and loan associations under state supervision, to disorganize the county of Flandreau and attach the territory to the counties of Emmet and Ionia, to amend the tax law of 1893 by providing that 50 per cent. of the property-owners' assessment must be paid in December, or the whole will become due January 1, with a penalty of 4 per cent added, also providing that if 50 per cent. be paid in December the payment of the balance may be deferred until June.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 17.—Tuesday's vote for the two United States senators was ratified Wednesday by the two houses of the legislature in joint convention. Congressman Burrows was present and made a speech in each house, expressing his thanks.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 17.—In the senate Wednesday Senator Jameson gave notice of a bill establishing a physio-medical department at the university and for the appointment of two professors therein. A bill which has the indorsement of the state board of education provides that the first Monday of May of each year shall be known as Arbor day, whereupon five trees shall be planted on each piece of school property in the state.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 18.—The senate on Thursday concurred, after considerable discussion, in the house resolution for the usual ten-day adjournment from to-night until January 25 to give the state institution committees time to visit them. A resolution was adopted limiting the mileage of visiting committees to three cents per mile and expenses to three dollars per day. A bill was introduced providing for the parole of prisoners by the governor on the advice of the prison board. Life convicts and those who have served a former term are exempted from the operations of the law, and no convict is to be paroled until after one-half of his sentence has been served.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 19.—Both branches of the legislature adjourned Friday until January 29 to enable the standing committees to visit the state institutions. A bill was introduced in the senate to set apart 10 per cent. of the military fund for the benefit of the naval brigade. Other bills introduced were to prohibit saloon-keepers from going outside their own township to secure businessmen to provide for a state tax commissioner for general registration before spring elections; prohibiting contracts for a higher rate of interest than 6 per cent., and for the organization of literary and scientific societies. Gov. Rich sent the following nominations to the senate: George W. Hill, Saginaw, state inspector of salt; Freeman B. Dickerson, Detroit, member of state fish commission.

DETROIT, Jan. 21.—The mental junket of the members of the Michigan legislature to the various state institutions started from this city Sunday night. The party comprised about fifty members and as many more guests and hangers-on, and will be treated to a grand round of banquets and receptions. They will spend this week visiting successively the northern asylum for the insane at Newberry, the upper peninsula prison at Marquette, partake of a banquet at Ishpeming, visit the Lake Linden and Calumet & Hecla mines, and inspect the mining school at Houghton. Saturday will probably be spent at Madison, Wis., where the legislature of that state is in session, and Sunday morning the party will reach Chicago, remaining until Monday night. Tuesday morning they will reach Detroit. Banquets have been arranged at nearly all the stopping places.

House.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 17.—In the house Wednesday a bill was introduced providing for the appointment by the governor of three commissioners who shall have charge of the 7,000,000 acres of delinquent tax lands which have from time to time come into the possession of the state, and which are permitted to lie idle. Representative Donovan, of Bay, has noticed a bill to require railroad companies operating in this state to issue mileage books which not only shall be good on all roads in Michigan but which also shall be redeemable and interchangeable. The house adopted a concurrent resolution that when the legislature adjourns on Friday of the present week it will be until Tuesday, January 29.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 18.—In the house Thursday a resolution was presented requiring the heads of the several departments to make a detailed report of the number of clerks employed, salaries paid, how long employed, other previous occupation, average number of hours per day they are occupied, whether the employment be permanent or temporary, the amount paid for matter of stationery, and an estimate of how much will be required to maintain the departments for the coming two years.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 19.—The house on Friday passed a joint resolution providing for the submission to the people at the spring election of a proposition to amend the constitution so as to provide for indeterminate sentences for convicts. The military committee reported favorably a bill appropriating $20,000 for marking the position of Michigan regiments at Gettysburg and Chickamauga.

State Trespass Agents Named.

LANSING, Jan. 19.—Mayor P. C. Heald, of Midland, and Menzo Swart, of Flint, have been appointed state trespass agents for the upper and lower peninsula respectively. State Land Commissioner Brenck says there are 200,000 acres of state land in the upper peninsula which need special and careful attention.

Barn Burns Down.

MANSFIELD, [illegible]. A dairy barn containing [illegible] other cows, four horses and carriages and sleighs, the property of [illegible] of Manistee township, was burned with its contents Wednesday morning. The property was insured at $1,000.

Works His Neck.

TRAVERSE CITY, Jan. 18.—James Hempsey, [illegible] of a gang of workmen on the [illegible] railway of the Oval Wood Dish company, was killed here. He fell from a pile of logs 40 feet high, striking the [illegible] on his head and breaking his neck.

Elevator Burned.

MORRICE, Shiawassee. The Morrice elevator, with contents, burned Wednesday night. The loss for the elevator company is about $3,000, with little insurance. Many farmers had wheat stored there at their own risk, one man having [illegible].

Typhoid Fever in Adrian.

ADRIAN, Jan. 18.—The recent small-pox scare here is succeeded by a reign of typhoid fever. Twenty-one cases are reported. Water from the city and private sources of supply is being analyzed for the board of health.

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Northern Africa is attracting more attention than at any other time since it was the seat of empire. The next volume of Harper's Magazine will contain four illustrated articles on this region, and three of them will depict the present life there. Julian Ralph will prepare for the Magazine a series of eight stories, depicting typical phases of Chinese Life and Manners. Besides the short stories, there will begin in the January number the first chapters of a Three-Part Novelette, by Richard Harding Davis—the longest work yet attempted by this writer. Complete short stories by popular writers will continue to be a feature of the magazine.

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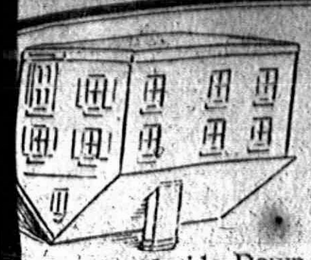

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

IN the senate on the 14th Senator Sherman introduced a bill providing for carrying into effect the international arbitration resolution adopted by congress in 1890. Speeches of Senator Gorman, of Maryland, and Senator Hill, of New York, on various phases of the tariff and financial situation, at times were full of keen personal criticism and satire directed at each other.... In the house the resignation of John C. Black as representative at large from Illinois was tendered. The oleomargarine bill was discussed and a bill to provide for the enlargement of the judicial system of Indian territory was passed.

THE time in the senate was occupied on the 15th in further speeches in which the income tax served as a text for a wide range of discussion on the tariff, the currency and the populist platform.... The day in the house was devoted to the Indian appropriation bill ($648,220), but no progress was made before adjournment.

THE senate on the 16th passed the urgent deficiency bill, including the income-tax provisions. During the debate in the house on the Indian appropriation bill Messrs. Walker, Warner and Reed engaged in a discussion of the currency question. The sundry civil appropriation bill ($38,140,021) was reported.

IN the senate on the 17th Senator Sherman presented an emergency currency bill and Senator Pugh offered a measure in the same line. The pension bill, appropriating $141,000,000, was passed with two amendments, one making $6 the lowest rate for pension disability and another repealing the present law cutting off the pensions of non-residents. The army bill, appropriating $23,350,000, was discussed.... In the house the senate amendments to the urgent deficiency bill were disagreed to and the bill was sent to conference. A bill devised by Attorney General Olney was introduced by Mr. McGann for arbitrating labor troubles. It makes the interstate commerce commission and the commissioner of labor the permanent body to hear disputes, one member of the deciding body to be named by each side.

ON the 18th the senate passed the army appropriation bill, carrying $23,000,000, and the bill which in effect advances Gen. Schofield, in command of the army, to the rank of lieutenant general. Aside from this the day was given to debate on the Nicaraguan canal bill.... In the house the Indian appropriation bill occupied the time during the day. At the evening session private pension bills were considered and hot speeches were made because two bills were blocked by the obstruction of Mr. Jones, of Virginia.

DOMESTIC.

ISAAC F. ABBOTT, cashier of the Dover (N. H.) National bank, killed himself when it was discovered that he was a defaulter. The bank closed its doors.

THE Rhymes and Roberts families, near Douglas, Ga., had trouble in a lawsuit, and Mrs. Rhymes and two daughters stabbed the three Roberts girls.

DAVID PAGEN, 90 years old, froze to death in his cabin on King's mountain, near Abington, Va.

REV. JOHN SCHNEIDER, of the Methodist church at Fort Howard, Wis., declared he would expel any member of his church who persisted in dancing.

JOSEPH H. MEUSER'S sugar refinery near Lecompte, La., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $750,000.

ALL the trolley lines in Brooklyn, with one exception, were tied up by a strike of their employes, who numbered nearly 6,000.

ALD. JOHN WALSH, of Vicksburg, Miss., was indicted for illegal voting, not being a naturalized citizen.

MRS. J. P. BLUE lost her life while trying to rescue her two children from a burning house at Buena Vista, Ga.

THE livery barn of M. W. Wilson at Alton, Ill., with contents and eight horses were burned.

MANY farmers near Jacksonville, Ill., have lost valuable cattle by a disease that baffles veterinary doctors.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 14th was: Wheat, 80,165,000 bushels; corn, 11,078,000 bushels; oats, 5,563,000 bushels; rye, 475,000 bushels; barley, 2,264,000 bushels.

IN his inaugural address Gov. Morrill, of Kansas, warned his hearers to cease talking about repudiation.

SIXTY of 125 dairy cows examined at Charles City, Ia., were found to be suffering from tuberculosis and were killed.

THE defalcation of its treasurer, Isaac Abbott, forced the Five cent savings bank of Dover, N. H., into the hands of a receiver.

SOUTH DAKOTA'S governor has offered a reward of $200 for the capture of W. W. Taylor, the absconding state treasurer.

THOMAS WHITRIDGE, consul to Chili, and his wife, fell from a ladder while trying to escape from their burning home at Baltimore and were killed.

BECAUSE of domestic trouble Thomas J. Beckwith fatally shot his wife at Elkhart, Ind., and then killed himself.

THE Stadt theater at Milwaukee, while being decorated for a charity ball, caught fire and was soon destroyed.

F. W. TOPLIN was appointed postmaster at Elizabethtown, Ky., succeeding Mrs. Benjamin Helm, a sister of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln.

AS THE result of a terrible explosion of giant powder in a warehouse at Butte, Mont., seventy-five persons were killed and probably twice that number were seriously injured. The property loss was $1,000,000.

B. H. BARNEW, a Mormon elder, has organized a church of his faith at Grapevine, W. Va., with twenty-four members.

ONE man was killed and three others injured, two fatally, in a saloon row at Mitchell, Ill.

PATROLMAN W. T. BIRCH, of the Green Run life station, Charles W. Baker and Charles Hudson were drowned near Lewes, Del.

AT the forty-second annual meeting in New York of the American Society of Civil Engineers G. S. Morrison, of Chicago, was elected president.

THE trustees of Beloit (Wis.) college decided unanimously to admit women to the present courses of study.

OHIO wool growers in convention at Columbus declared the new tariff law to be a "colossal political crime."

A BILL to make train robbery a capital crime was introduced in the Missouri house by Speaker Russell.

Mr. Hitt can have a subsidy for a Hawaiian cable if he wishes, but he must get it from the British Government not from the United States.

Men are very much like dogs—the more worthless they are the more they howl when they get hurt.

REPRESENTATIVE farmers from Illinois, Michigan, Iowa, South Carolina and Pennsylvania met in Chicago and organized the National Farmers' Federation of the United States, with J. B. Furrow, of Iowa, as president. The object is to command a more general recognition of the farmers in state and nation, as well as to promote the intellectual and moral welfare of those engaged in agriculture.

EX-GOV. ROBERT E. PATTISON was nominated for mayor of Philadelphia by the democrats.

THE Nebraska Historical society decided that natives of the state should be called tree-planters instead of bug-eaters.

COAL miners of the Massillon (O.) district voted to declare off the strike on condition that they be reinstated.

THE surviving members of Mosby's command, the Forty-third battalion, Virginia cavalry, held a reunion at Alexandria, Va.

THE Nebraska state board of agriculture voted to remove the state fair from Lincoln and locate it at Omaha for the next five years.

DOMINIC PAPLINSK, who wrecked a train near Heafford Junction, Wis., killing the engineer, was sentenced to twenty-five years.

G. W. WALLACE, charged with alienating the affections of Mrs. W. H. Classen, was fatally shot by her husband on a train at Edmond, O. T.

M. MORRISON, city marshal of Crawford, Neb., killed three men and was being pursued by a mob which might lynch him.

GRANGERS set fire to the barn of John Grice, at Granger, O., destroying it, twenty-five head of horses and cattle and a large quantity of grain.

GALEN H. COON, secretary of the Bankers' Loan & Investment company of New York, was accused of misappropriating $100,000.

PRESIDENT DEBS, of the American Railway union, and his fellow-prisoners were denied a writ of error by the United States supreme court and the last Monday in this month was assigned for a hearing on the habeas corpus proceeding.

HORACE W. HIBBARD, general freight agent of the Vandalia line, dropped dead of heart disease at the Southern hotel in St. Louis.

TWO MASKED men boarded a Rock Island train near Wichita, Kan., and forced a passenger to hand over $60.

FOUR girls were drowned at Winkler's Mills, near Blue Rapids, Kan., while skating on the Blue river.

THE boiler in a sawmill near Alto, Tex., exploded, killing Tobe Richards, Lewis Alexander, William Lewis and Abner Lee.

TWENTY horses were cremated in a fire that destroyed Scudder's livery barn at Indianapolis.

JOHN KRISTINE, a farmer, committed suicide near Eaton, O., rather than see his family starve.

THE American Slate Blackboard association was organized at Bethlehem, Pa., with $100,000 capital. Twenty-two manufacturers are members.

TWO BOYS 14 years of age, who ran away from St. Vincent's industrial school at Utica, N. Y., were found frozen to death.

HOUNDED to desperation by office-seekers, Sheriff Williams, elected by populists at Prague, Wash., resigned the office.

THE Second brigade of the New York national guard was called out to suppress the rioting street railway strikers in Brooklyn.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 18th aggregated $877,802,046, against $1,040,130,951 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 6.7.

GEORGE MORGAN, of Freeport, Cal., shot and killed his brother Harvey and then shot and killed himself. A quarrel over the divison of property was the cause.

GEN. JAMES S. HACKNEY, formerly adjutant general of Missouri, was found dead at his home in Jefferson City. He had been drinking heavily.

PROPERTY worth more than $500,000 was destroyed by a fire that broke out in the wholesale dry goods store of S. Waxelbaum & Son in Macon, Ga. Four firms were burned out.

THERE were 373 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 18th, against 420 the week previous and 407 in the corresponding time in 1894.

SAMUEL HOFFLING, a young farmer of Rolling Green, Minn., killed his wife and her parents and was slain by pursuers. Domestic trouble was the cause.

MRS. COATES, a widow at Mifflin Ind., confessed just before death to the murder of Jacob Wintermyer twelve years ago.

GEORGE SHEA, ex-judge of the marine court at New York, died, and his son, George, 22 years of age, died before the burial of the father.

THE National Farmers' alliance issued an appeal for aid for destitute farmers in Nebraska and South Dakota.

JOHN LEWIS, of Chicago, who is reorganizing the Chatauquas in the east, says the order is strong in the west.

THE police board of Denver prohibited the exhibition of "living pictures" in that city.

STARVING miners in the Massillon (O.) district issued an appeal for aid.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Michigan legislature in joint session elected McMillan and Burrows as United States senators.

GOV. PENNOYER read his final message to the Oregon legislature, after which Gov. Lord took the oath of office.

THE following United States senators were elected: Montana, Lee Mantle (rep.) for the short term, and T. H. Carter (rep.) for the long term; Nebraska, John M. Thurston (rep.); Colorado, Edward O. Wolcott (rep.).

GEORGE F. HOAR and William E. Chandler were reelected to the senate by the legislatures of Massachusetts and New Hampshire, respectively.

GEORGE O. JONES, the well-known advocate of greenbackism, died at his son's home in New York, aged 70.

JOSEPH SHORETT, a half-breed, who was born two years before the United States constitution was adopted, died at Fond du Lac, Wis., aged 110 years. He leaves two sons, one aged 81 and the other 54 years.

SPEAKER CRISP, who has been suffering from illness, was ordered south for the balance of the session by his physician.

MISS ELIZABETH BRAY DOWNING, the sweetheart of Poet Whittier, died after a brief illness at West Newbury, Mass., aged 85 years.

GEN. ISRAEL N. STILES, a former brilliant attorney of Chicago and widely known, died of general debility, aged 62 years.

HENRY MCCAULEY, said to be the oldest man in Michigan, died at Battle Creek, aged 103 years.

PATRICK HAMILL, a member of the Forty-first congress, died at his home in Oakland, Md., aged 70 years.

SHELBY M. CULLOM, of Springfield, was nominated to succeed himself as United States senator from Illinois on the first ballot, the vote being: Cullom, 103; Willets, 21.

MISS MARY STEVENSON, eldest daughter of the vice president, died of pneumonia at Asheville, N. C., after protracted illness, aged 22 years.

REV. SAMUEL GRAVES, a prominent preacher and theological professor, died at Grand Rapids, Mich., aged 75 years.

MARCELLUS STRONG, the oldest editor and printer in Wisconsin, died at Oshkosh after a brief illness, aged 79 years.

FOREIGN.

PRESIDENT CASIMER-PERIER'S letter of resignation was read to the French parliament.

THE Union bank of St. John's, N. F., was found to be insolvent with liabilities of $290,000.

LOUIS VICTOR, an Indian policeman, was hanged at New Westminster, B. C., for the murder of his uncle. He protested his innocence from the scaffold.

THE emperor of China issued a manifesto in which he says he prefers death to the disgrace of defeat.

THE duke of Orleans, pretender to the throne of France, issued a manifesto asking the people to return to a monarchy.

M. FELIX FAURE, minister of marine in the Dupuy cabinet, was elected president of France to succeed Casimir-Perier.

ITALIAN troops under Gen. Baratieri completely routed the Abyssinians in a decisive battle near Zenafa.

DISPATCHES from Peking state that Gen. Wei was beheaded for cowardice in recent battles.

A SNOWSLIDE about 10 miles from Kaslo, B. C., killed three miners named Moore, McMillan and Charles Mitchell, owners of the Eureka mine.

ADVICES from the Fiji islands report a terrible hurricane which destroyed much shipping and killed a number of people.

REVOLUTIONISTS in Hawaii started a battle in which several men were killed. The rebels were under complete control.

AVALANCHES in the canton of Ticino Switzerland, caused great destruction of property and loss of life.

GERMANY has struck another blow at America by forbidding the importation of her cattle through Great Britain.

THE election of M. Faure president of France is well received. He is the first protestant ruler the country has had.

THE clergy of St. Johns, N. F., issued an appeal for help to prevent widespread starvation.

LATER.

IN the United States senate on the 19th the trouble in Hawaii was discussed and Senator Frye (Me.) offered a resolution bristling with indignation at the attitude of the United States government in such an emergency. This precipitated an animated debate, during which Senator Frye arraigned the executive branch of the government. Senator George defended the administration. In the house the senate amendments to the pension bill were not agreed to and the bill was sent to the conference. A resolution was introduced that a vessel of the United States navy should be sent to and stationed at the harbor of Honolulu for the protection of American interests. Mr. Boutelle in a speech said the uprising in Honolulu was caused by the policy of the administration at Washington.

NORA and Alice Norris (sisters) were killed by the cars on a crossing near South Whitley, Ind.

GEORGE CROSSLEY, Myrtle Townsend and Elsie Hughes, young people, were drowned while skating on the river above Fort Madison, Ia.

THE business portion of Warrenton, N. C., was almost entirely destroyed by fire.

AT the request of Secretary Gresham Secretary Herbert ordered the flagship Philadelphia to Honolulu to protect American interests.

THE First brigade, 1,500 men strong, was called out to assist in quelling the Brooklyn (N. Y.) street car riots.

CHARLES ANDERSON, aged 60, a merchant of Independence, Ia., in a fit of insanity cut his wife's throat and then killed himself.

FOSTER'S livery stable in Kansas City, Mo., was burned and twenty-one horses perished.

ENRAGED because his wife had sold chickens to buy sugar, James O'Brien, of Chillicothe, O., fatally wounded her and then shot himself.

THE Steamer State of Missouri struck a rock in the Ohio river about 40 miles from Louisville and sank and twenty-five persons were drowned.

DESTITUTION in western Nebraska was said to be on the increase. Fifth of the people of Greeley county were dependent on charity.

THE city of Kuchan, Persia, which had but recently been rebuilt, was again destroyed by an earthquake and many persons were killed.

THE body of Barrett Scott, the defaulting treasurer of Holt county, Neb., was found in the Niobrara river, a rope around the neck and the hands tied.

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Jackson	Lv	6 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	12 40 P.M.
Napoleon		6 20 "	3 20 "	1 12 "
Norvell		6 37 "	3 39 "	1 30 "
Manchester		6 45 "	3 47 "	1 38 "
Clinton		6 58 "	4 01 "	1 53 "
Tecumseh		7 06 "	4 11 "	2 16 "
Adrian	Ar	7 50 "	4 50 "	3 00 "
Detroit		10 15 "	7 25 "	
Toledo		9 00 "	4 20 "	10 25 "

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STATIONS.		No. 316. Mail.	No. 314. Express	No. 518. Accom.
Detroit	Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	
Toledo		10 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian		10 50 "	8 30 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh		11 27 "	9 25 "	7 00 "
Clinton		11 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester		11 55 "	9 50 "	8 30 "
Norvell		12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 30	L....Allegan....A	1 40	
		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M.	12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 20	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
8 30	7 45	1 21	Marshall	11 14	12 33
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	10 36	11 48
9 25	9 11	2 38	Hanover	10 18	11 03
11 20	9 59	3 00	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 14	3 14	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 53	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 30	11 32	4 19	Britton	8 46	8 20
*10	11 53	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 25	11 59	4 30	Dundee	8 22	7 57
6 30	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....L	7 25	6 30
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*No. 54 N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
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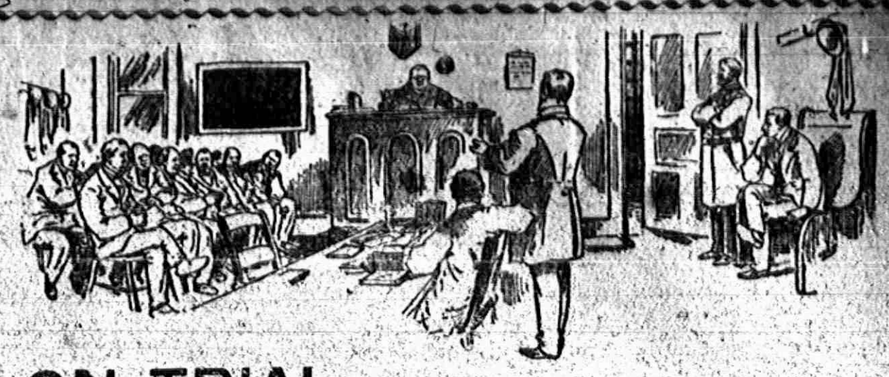

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of deceased, in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of February, 1895 and on the 24th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, January 3, 1895.

OREL HARMON,
CYRUS MONTONYE,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 13th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Mather, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hudson Lariviere, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his first annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of January next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DeFuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Hendershot, defendants, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of Section 13, Town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.73/100 chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 13; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 10 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 11 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 5 and 41-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 45 minutes west 15 and 2-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (section) line to place of beginning, containing 5½ and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
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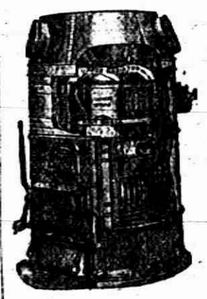

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A TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

By the Overland Route, Just Forty-two Years Ago.

LETTER FROM AN OLD TIMER.

Some Experience of a Former Resident, Away Back in the Fifties.

LOMPOC, CAL., Jan. 16, 1895.

EDITOR HERALD:—Your paper is a regular visitor at our home. Newsy and full of life. Don't know who sends it; probably Charles Burleson, our brother-in-law. B. is a diamond in the rough, but a real diamond. We often see names that call up memories of long ago—Ben Reynolds, Brunt Knapp and others, who were our old schoolmates. I believe I heard your father make the last political speech I heard in Adrian, over forty-two years ago.

In 1853 we started for California. Was twenty years old, very fond of hunting, with head chuck full of Fenimore Cooper's bifalutin ideas of the Indian. We didn't expect to be gone more than a year, but alas! man proposes and God disposes. Raised among the hills, lakes and tamarack swamps of Michigan, having never been twenty miles from home, our knowledge of other parts of the country was rather limited. But when the train, the first we were ever on, rolled along through the low, marshy country of northwestern Indiana bordering the lake shore and out on the rich prairies of Illinois, it was a grand sight, of which we had read and dreamed but never seen. This, I believe, was only eight miles from Chicago. To except the station house, the country looked as wild as Nebraska. The prairie grass was four or five feet high, extending westward, and seemed as limitless as the sea. Chicago, with its 15,000 or 20,000 people, was a hustler and seems to have been hustling ever since. Seven years ago we met a man in San Diego who had just arrived from Chicago. He was a speculator and said they were selling climate in San Diego higher than land was bringing in his town, a city of 700,000 inhabitants. With no serious misfortune, Chicago in twenty years will probably be the world's metropolis. We went west by rail as far as Rockford, Ill., and then by stage to the [illegible] Iowa. The same rich prairie land extended everywhere, and mostly in a wild state. The two very needful elements of a rich country, water and timber, were abundant. And what surprised me a great deal, was to find in many of the log cabins libraries of the best books, and many other indications of New England civilization. And, as some one has expressed it, New England, like a pan of milk, had been turned up and the cream had run off out west. The dews of heaven were never kinder than the twins, Charity and Hospitality, found among the early settlers of the west. Game was plentiful and it was not unusual to find on the table prairie chicken, wild turkey and venison. There were still some buffalo in the northern part of the state, several having been killed the winter before near Cedar Rapids. Corn was used almost entirely for bread. My traveling companion was a young man by the name of Henry Marlette, from Indiana, and about my own age. He carried with him a violin. Music was always at a premium. As there was no staging in this part of the state west of the Mississippi we were generally afoot. West of Des Moines river houses were from ten to twenty miles apart. One day, after crossing one of those interminable prairies of nearly twenty miles without a habitation, we came to a little shack some distance from the road. My partner, with more experience than I had, took a good look and said, "I pass." Being very hungry and tired I concluded to investigate, while Marlette stopped at a spring some distance ahead to rest. The puncheon door was partly open. I timidly knocked, when a daughter of Eve came to the opening and nearly paralized me by saying: "Why don't you come in?" She would have weighed at least 300 pounds, was barefoot, only partly dressed, and of uncertain color. I thought possibly this was one of Cooper's Indians, as yet we had seen none. I felt greatly disappointed and asked if there were any Indians about here. "Only a few Ottos," she said; "there are plenty of them along the Missouri, forty miles ahead." "Could I get something to eat?" "I reckon," was the response. "Where are you from?" I asked. "Old Kaintuck. Bill, that's my man, is out after a deer or bar." I took a seat on a box. The dirt floor was two or three feet below the ground outside. This was for warmth and defense. She rolled a pumpkin from under the table, cut off a large slice and put it near the fire to roast, then put some corn dodgers on the table. When the pumpkin was done she laid it beside them and told me to eat, while she took a pail and went to the spring for water. The corn dodgers were cooked in the ashes and were so hard I could make no impression on them with my teeth. So I hunted around and found the ax, pounded up several, and had just stuck the ax in the pumpkin when she appeared at the door and allowed I was making myself pretty free. They didn't seem to know the use of salt. I asked the price of so elaborate a dinner. "A bit, I reckon," she replied. I found Marlette at the spring, entertaining a party of Otto Indians with the violin. They were greatly pleased and gave us our first dried buffalo meat. These were real, wild Indians, the first we had ever seen, wearing nothing on their heads, and for clothing on a blanket or buffalo robe. We stopped that night with a half-breed family, near a fine body of timber. Plenty of corn dodger and a variety of wild meat, but no salt, butter or milk. Next day about noon, from the top of a hill, off to the west some t[illegible] away we could dimly outlin[illegible]ding belt of timber, which [illegible] surmised was the great [illegible] river bottoms. Council Bluffs was our destination, where we arrived the next day. The Missouri is always disappointing at first sight. Its yellow, muddy water looks shallow. At this time it was a mile wide and booming, probably from heavy storms on some of its large tributaries. Here was my first opportunity to see and admire, and to mix and mingle with these children of the forest and prairie, as the novelists call them, and it was a setback from previous ideas. They were here, and numerous hundreds of them: Ottos, Omahas and Pawnees. The wild meadows of Nebraska were just across the river from Council Bluffs. St. Mary's twelve miles below, and on the west side of the river was the general rendezvous. Here was a large Indian school; here, too, was where their great feasts and war dances were held. We stopped here a month, and while here the American Fur company came down the river in barges from near the Rocky Mountains. They had been trapping and hunting for three years and had with them 30,000 buffalo robes, tanned ready for market, and great quantities of other fur. Here they unloaded and waited for a steamboat. The men of this outfit numbered forty, and was the toughest lot I had ever seen. They had scarcely tasted bread, coffee, or any other civilized food for three years. The great man among the Indians here at this time was Logan, the Omaha chief, probably named after the great Mingo chief, and was the finest specimen of the Indian I have ever seen. He was ambushed and killed, while we were crossing the plains, by the Sioux. He didn't know the alphabet, but was in courage and address a real Napoleon.

Well, Mr. Editor, this was in the "Auld Lang Syne." Here we sit, old and grizzled, by our fireside on our ranch in California, with plenty and happiness smiling all around us. It is raining, and the country looks like the middle of May in Michigan. The hills and valleys are covered with grass and flowers; the past year was dry and cold for California, while this is warm and wet. We have not had frost enough to injure the tenderest flowers. Calla lilies and roses are blooming in our yard like in midsummer. If you should ever visit California of course you will go to Santa Barbara. Come and see us. We will treat you to a real ocean beach clam bake and the finest shore drive in the world.

Fraternally yours,
CHARLES LARZELERE.

The Gold Flower.

This flower, so fittingly called Gold Flower, was produced by M. Moser, of Versailles, France, and introduced in Europe last season, the plants selling at a very high figure, only a few plants coming to America. The flowers are two or three inches across, of a bright, shining golden yellow and bearing numerous handsome stamens. The plant is of low, spreading, branching growth, with handsome leaves, the upper side much darker than the lower. It is perfectly hardy, forms an excellent border, or is grand for bedding, while as a single pot plant it is charming with its clean, bright green foliage as a background for the flowers, great, shiny yellow disks, brilliant in their reflections as burnished gold.

This year an enterprising firm is offering it at the price of ordinary plants, viz., 25 cents a plant.

By sending 10 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for Vick's Floral Guide, (which amount may be deducted from first order), you will learn all about this beautiful plant Hypericum Moserianium, and also regarding their offer of $300 cash for a name for the New Double Sweet Pea.

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KILLED BY A FALLING TREE.

Robert P. Joyce, the Unfortunate Man, while at Work for Michael Smeltzer.

Tuesday about 6 p. m. our community was startled by the report that Michael Smeltzer's hired man had been killed while felling trees in the woods a short distance from the house. It proved only too true, for Undertaker Tansley was summoned, and from him we have obtained all the facts so far as can be known.

Mr. Joyce, at different times in the past, worked for some of our best farmers, among them being John Fisher, A. P. Coddington, B. Hurry and Clement Bramble, all of whom speak highly of him. A short time since he returned and for a week or more was at the Lilley House, where by his quiet ways and gentlemanly deportment he made pleasant acquaintances.

On Tuesday Jan. 22d, just one week before his tragic death, he began working for Michael Smeltzer. At the time of the accident he was alone in the woods, as after dinner Mr. S. came to town.

It was the custom at 4 o'clock to begin the chores for night, and about 5 o'clock as Mr. S. was driving home and coming by where Mr. Joyce had been working, and failing to see him, supposed he was doing the chores. On arriving home and finding no chores done, he rang the bell; after waiting some time he rang it again. He not coming Mr. S. said to his wife he feared something had happened, and started for the woods. What his feelings were when he found the body and took in the situation, can be better imagined than described. The neighbors were informed, a jury empaneled and the body taken to the house. The tree which caused his death was a second growth oak about eight inches in diameter. Judging from appearances it is supposed that in falling it struck a smaller tree, which threw the trunk backwards, as that was the way he lay with the tree laying over him lengthwise. The blow on the head evidently killed him instantly, for there was no evidence that he moved. The crystal of his watch was broken and it had stopped at 4:50 o'clock, showing conclusively the time the accident occurred.

In looking over his effects a card showing him to be a member in good standing of Vincent Town Lodge No. 93 I. O. O. F. was found. Many letters were also found from relatives and friends, who were notified of the sad event.

Mr. Joyce was about 6 feet tall, dark hair, and full beard of nearly the same color. He was not far from 50 years of age. His remains left for Vincent Town, New Jersey, this afternoon, via the Lake Shore.

ALBION COLLEGE NOTES.

Two weeks ago the announcement was made from the Methodist pulpit that Rev. Washington Gardner would preach on the following Sunday morning. The announcement drew a large congregation. This evidently was anticipated, for the Rev. Gardner, taking advantage of the presence of the large congregation, very cleverly turned the conclusion of his sermon into an eloquent appear for help in behalf of the college. About five hundred dollars was quickly raised. In the course of the remarks Dr. Fiske made the statement that Albion college spent annually in the city of Albion, one hundred thousand dollars, thus showing how the city and the business men were benefited by the college.

With the snow have come the sleighing parties. These have been quite frequent of late, and in the arrangement of them one detail seems to have been persistently neglected by the gentlemen. Dr. Fiske remarked in the chapel one morning, that he was to speak, very reluctantly indeed, about something concerning which he had never spoken before. In a very fatherly way he then proceeded to make a few kindly suggestions to the gentlemen in regard to the beautiful snow, the manifest affection of the young gentlemen for the ladies, the pleasant sleighing parties, and the chaperons which had not been provided on these occasions.

The winter term is now well started. All is comparatively quiet and all working hard.

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GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

IT CAME BACK.

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And entitled it "The Cat."
He chuckled as he read it.
For the lines were smooth and pat.
He sent it to the publishers
In cheerful mood—elate!
Instead of cash, invariably
"The Cat" came back.
—Kansas City Journal.

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DO YOU BELIEVE?

That this is to be an extra cold winter?

That every man means what he says?

That your last winter's bonnet can be made over to look as good as new?

That a man wouldn't take a drink if he hadn't the grip?

That the average boy is as innocent as he looks?

That a parent whips a child because he is sorry for it?

That the market turkey was "just killed this morning?"

That a young man wouldn't marry an heiress only for love?

That the greatest satisfaction of wealth lies in giving it away?

That grandpa used to play outdoors, barefoot, in colder winters than this?

That the second piece of pie is unhealthy for the boy?

That the statesman only seeks the public good?

That grandma used to do eight times the work of the ladies of to-day, and wore one frock for seven years?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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GOT IT ON THE NOSE.

Clarence Zibble, of Britton, has been brought into prominence again during the past week, and as we must confess our esteem, admiration, and even veneration, for the scions of the manly art, will tell you about it. Last Friday evening a number had congregated at the depot, among them Clarence and Walter Beasley. It was proposed that they put on the gloves (which fortunately were at hand) and give their admirers an exhibition of skill and dexterity. It meeting with their approval, they were donned and the sport began. Being quite evenly matched, for several rounds neither gained any marked advantage, as first one and then the other would get in a blow. Finally, in an unguarded moment, Clarence left an opening, which Walter was quick to see and take advantage of, and the result was received a blow which, owing to the lining being minus in the glove used, completely pealed the skin off Clarence's nose down on his cheeks. Then was when Clarence's troubles began; for, you know, everyone has a different remedy for injuries or disease. First his face was bandaged. Next morning some friend, fearing he might take cold, advised putting on court plaster, which was done. The next said that would draw and make a bad sore, and knew iodine would be the best. And so it went until he went to a physician and was properly attended to. He then left the city and sought the bracing air of the country, where we trust he will soon recover from his temporary disfigurement and return to Britton as bright and shining as the morning star. Clarence is not vanquished by any means, nor disheartened, and in future his opponents want to "look a little out."

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There is a pretty story in the Vaux family of Philadelphia, in regard to the late Richard Vaux's gallantries at the court of St. James, when he danced with the young and yet unmarried Queen Victoria. The family was of Quaker faith, and, according to the story, when the news came from abroad of the favor the young man found with the queen, his mother spoke of his attentions to the royal lady, and then added: "But I hope Richard will not marry out of meeting."

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New stories are continually coming to light about the lamented Abraham Lincoln. Here is a late one from the Century: "President Lincoln, who loved to hear stories of the soldiers and their humorous pranks, told me of a soldier who was being carried to the rear in a great engagement seriously wounded and likely to die. He spied a sutler-woman with leathery looking pies, driving her trade on "the devious verge of battle fought." The bleeding soldier grinned at the woman and said: "Say, old lady, are those pies sewed or pegged?"

The strike commission bill, having been amended to meet the approval of a number of the labor leaders, has been favorably reported to the House. Accompanying the report were letters endorsing the bill from Gompers, Hayes, Denning and Sovereign. The interest in Congress in the Brooklyn trolley strike is expected to have a tendency to hasten action on the bill.

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A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., FEB. 1, 1895.

Mrs. E. R. Smith was quite indisposed this week.

Charles Avery, of Jackson, was calling on customers Monday.

Mrs. Mina Parker and daughter Ruth arrived Friday for a visit at her old home.

Geo. Semark made his regular visit to Norvell Friday, a young lady being the attraction.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox has taken rooms at Doctor Fowler's and will board at Mrs. Geo. Belding's.

Miss Lina Jones is unable to be at her place in Freese & Son's store. She has been quite ill this week.

Will Dewey has sold his house in town to Peter Alexander and will move back on the farm in the spring.

Richard Steffins will again take possession of the Atlas Mills and expects soon to be settled in his old quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lewis, from the west, were the guests of Deacon and Mrs. H. P. Downs the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers entertained a company of lady friends at her pleasant home on Jackson street Monday evening.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston gave a dove party at her cosy home on East Chicago street Friday evening. They played pedro.

We are pleased to say that Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Muir are both better and hopes are entertained for a speedy recovery.

Bainbridge & Hause were kept busy Monday. Dar attended the funeral at Macon and James the one at Bridgewater.

They began laying brick at the Plow company's plant Monday and it will not be long ere they will make quite a showing.

I. Mattis will leave the Silvers farm in the spring and expects to move back on the old Pykett place, now owned by E. S. Tate.

S. W. Demuth and C. G. Ward went to Detroit Wednesday to make arrangements for machinery to be used in the new foundry.

Morrow's Photo-rama drew a large house Saturday night and gave good satisfaction, the views of Scotland being particularly fine.

Our aged friend, C. H. Randall, has been quite bad for some days. At best he is quite feeble, but this change has been quite marked.

B. K. VanDeVenter, of Dundee, is doing quite a thriving business here this week taking orders for the new standard dictionary.

Mrs. C. B. McMaster is making glad the hearts of her many friends by her presence. She makes her headquarters at Mrs. Will Dewey's.

Miss Laura Clark entertained a company of friends at her home on Lenox street Friday evening. Cards and dancing were indulged in.

Mrs. Newcomb Brown and her sister Hattie and Effie, of Jackson, who formerly lived in this vicinity, left Tuesday for a trip to the Pacific coast.

Quite a large number attended the funeral of Rev. Joslin Tiedle at Tecumseh Saturday afternoon. But the inclement weather made it impossible.

Solomon Tate returned Saturday night from his Buffalo trip quite run-down, and for a few days it seemed as if he was in for a sickness. He is much better at present.

The report that the Newburgh mill would be turned into a woolen mill seems to have been rather premature, as no one seems to know what gave rise to the rumor.

Prof. and Mrs. H. W. Daniels spent several days with friends at Onsted the past week. They went over the last of the week, expecting to return Monday, but prolonged their stay.

Augustus Kotts leaves the Howell farm and goes to the Section farm of E. R. Smith as soon as John Schreder vacates. It is not decided as yet who will work the place he has been on.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Friday night, a daughter. Her advent was most welcome, as the two boys will need the refining influence of a sister in days and years to come.

The Methodist society expect to commence a series of revival meetings in about two weeks, and it is expected that Mr. Ramsdell will be assisted by Rev. David Lewis, of Tecumseh.

Wm. C. Rogers returned from Jackson county Tuesday, having disposed of the entire county for his patent fence. He will remain home this week and will leave next week for Ingham county.

The condition of Mrs. John VanTuyle seems more favorable for a few days, but still no hopes are entertained for her recovery, as her trouble, being Bright's disease, is considered incurable.

Fred Chandler has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies, the past week. Fred has been in the employ of railroad companies for some years; was at Milan some time, and more recently at Owosso.

John Kelly, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is visiting friends in this vicinity for a season. No matter how far away from childhood's home or how pleasant the surroundings, one likes to wander back and go over the old stamping grounds.

Fred Breese expects to engage in the grocery business at Lansing. Fred has made many warm friends here who dislike to have him leave, but still if he feels it to his advantage, they wish him abundant success wherever he locates.

Leon Clark gives the first social for the Juniors Friday evening at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers. All are cordially invited to be present. The proceeds go towards defraying the expense of a reception to be tendered the Seniors hereafter.

James Breese has bought a flouring mill at Fennville, Allegan Co., this state, and with his family expects soon to leave for their new home. Their departure will leave a void not easily filled, as they have been active in church, society, and the different orders. They will leave a large circle of friends whom they have drawn to them during their sojourn in our midst.

Next week is the week for regulars in the secret bodies or societies. Tuesday evening the Royal Arch Masons and L. O. T. M.'s meet at their respective halls; Wednesday evening, the Eastern Star; Friday evening, the K. O. T. M., and Saturday evening, the Blue Lodge, F. & A. M.

Benjamin Vest, of Lake View, Montcalm county, Mich., is visiting the place of his boyhood for the first time in many years. Ben, or "Stout," as he was called in the days of Auld Lang Syne, begins to show the effects of old age, but at heart is as young as ever and is the same genial, kind hearted fellow as of yore.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett D. Ellis mourn the loss of their little daughter, who died Saturday and was buried at Macon Monday afternoon. She was about three years of age, and since she was eight or nine months old has been very frail, requiring constant and most tender care. She was their only child. They have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

It is reported that Clinton is soon to have a new industry. Negotiations are being made for the establishment of an extensive Granite Works. Let them come, the more the better. Clinton affords advantages second to no other town and her people are always willing to respond nobly to any demand that will be for the prosperity of the town and people.

At the elegant home of A. C. Huntington on Church street, Monday evening, was given a charming musical, in honor of Mr. Edwards and Baby Marie, by the St. Ambrose Society. Mr. Edwards and gifted little daughter contributed largely to the enjoyment of the occasion. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Huntington during their stay in Clinton and made many friends. They left Wednesday for Ypsilanti, where they gave an entertainment in the M. E. church.

Mrs. Lowry, relict of Joseph Lowry, of Bridgewater, who has been in poor health for some time, passed away Saturday morning, aged 69 years. Her funeral was held at the house, Monday at 1 p. m., Rev. T. H. Warner officiating. Mrs. Lowry was always a great home body, quiet and retiring in manner, but was possessed of sterling qualities that endeared her to all with whom she came in contact. She was content to remain within the sphere of home, and here she was queen, holding sway by the power of love and its influences. Two sons, Arthur and Joseph, survive her.

The following is taken from the Adrian Press and as it is the truth, and nothing but the truth, and will receive the sanction of all who know the work done, we print it entire: "It is with keen regret that we learn of the resignation of Prof. H. W. Daniels, principal of the Clinton schools, on account of ill health. He suffered from nervous prostration to such an extent that further service at present was absolutely impossible, much to the regret of the [illegible] patrons and pupils, he [illegible] last week resigned, and will for a time rest from mental work till he can regain his health. He has been enthusiastic and devoted in his work, and ranks among the foremost educators of the [illegible] progressive, practical and earnest. He served with great fidelity as a member of the board of examiners, discharging his duties zealously and intelligently, and in the school's at Clinton, has long watched his special duties for his high calling. We shall hope to see him speedily restored to health and vigor and strength, and with renewed energies again take his place [illegible] E. B. Wilcox, of Addison, was selected to succeed him."

Frank L. Woodward filed a bill Saturday against the Clinton Plow company, a corporation doing business in Clinton. Mr. Woodward alleges in his complaint that his father, himself and those associated with him, have been since 1859 engaged in the manufacture of plows, and the selling of the same. That by reason of making a good plow, and fair dealing they had built up a large and profitable trade, but for the purpose of strengthening and extending the business, he had an opportunity to make a profitable arrangement with the Bean-Chamberlain Co. of Hudson. He also alleges that for the past several years he did business under the name of Clinton Plow Co., that some plows were marked "Clinton Plow Co," and some "The Clinton Plow Co.," and that the defendant Clinton Plow Co., on December 31st, organized a corporation, assumed and used the name of the Clinton Plow Co., to which they are not entitled. The bill further declares that this new company has been claiming the right to and has been receiving the mail of the Clinton Plow Co., until stopped by the postmaster general. The new company are also building a factory, according to the bill, are making patterns from the old Woodward plows, and sending out catalogues claiming to be successors to the old company, and that they are the only manufacturers of the original Clinton and Woodward plow. Through Watts, Bean & Smith, Saturday, an injunction was granted by Judge Lane, covering the grounds claimed by Mr. Woodward, and the new company will be restrained from proceeding further on the lines alleged until the matter is adjudicated before a proper tribunal.—Evening Telegram.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Mr. Ernest Billmeyer, of Los Angeles, Cal., has been a guest of his uncle, Andrew Billmeyer, for the past week.

On Wednesday, January 23d, Frank Alderdyce, of this place, was married to Miss Lizzie Newton, of Kalamazoo. May they have a long prosperous and happy life is the wishes of their friends.

Mrs. A. S. Dewey and son, who have been absent from home for a long time on a visit with friends in St. Catherine, Ont., returned home last Friday. They brought with them a thoroughbred English pug dog named Duke, and a fine dog is he.

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ONSTED ODDS.

Some very cold weather along back.

Fred Mosher has got employment in Ann Arbor.

The late icy spell caused our blacksmiths to hustle lively.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star on Friday evening of this week.

Alfred Onsted and wife visited relatives near Hillsdale recently.

The regular Grange meeting occurs on Saturday evening of this week.

Clara Cure, of Rome was the guest of Miss Mertie Onsted over Sunday.

The Masons held a special meeting on Wednesday evening of this week.

Regular review of tents and hive will occur on Tuesday evening of next week.

The infant child of Herbert Gallop is very ill with inflammation of the lungs.

Mrs. Whiting, of Adrian called on her sister, Mrs. W. Lapham a few days ago.

Our millers just have to hustle to keep the farmers supplied these days.

Two very nice sun-dogs were visible last Sunday morning one on each side of the sun.

We now have two sole repairers in town, or in other words two boot and shoe repairers.

Free lectures were given at the church on Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week.

The last farmers' club was held at Geo. Shugar's, where an interesting program was carried out.

Miss Addie Daniels, who is teaching in Adrian township, was calling among old neighbors recently.

Arthur Marks, of South West Rome, was a caller on his friends in this vicinity the latter part of last week.

One case of scarlet fever in the family of George Greenleaf north of town, and the family have been quarantined.

A number of the masonic brethren of this vicinity attened the placing of the corner stone of the Masonic Temple at Detroit last week.

A christian science social was held last Friday at A. P. Onsted's, northwest of town, where the principals of that doctrine were discussed by those present.

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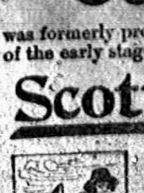

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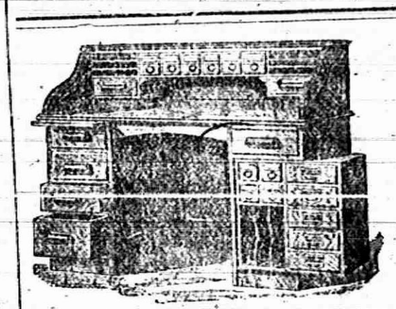

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Art Lee is contemplating a trip to Cope.

Herbert Allen was in Toledo Monday and Tuesday.

Leon Gripton took a run over to Ypsilanti Wednesday.

Enos Palmer lost a fine horse Tuesday with colic.

Joseph Thackery made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Will Babcock made a business trip to Albion the last of the week.

The regular review of the K. O. T. M. tent next Tuesday evening.

Little Flossie Curtis, who was taken seriously ill Tuesday night, is much better.

Mrs James Haight was the guest of Ypsilanti friends from Tuesday until yesterday.

Mike L. Gillen expects to start out Monday for a trip in the interest of the Plating works.

Mary T. Lathrap memorial service next Sunday evening at the church, conducted by the W. C. T. U.

Jimmie Elliott, of Tecumseh, late with Jas Lowry, was calling on Britton friends Wednesday afternoon.

Annual roll call of members at the Christian Union church on Saturday afternoon. General attendance solicited.

Mr. Roberts, an aged gentleman who resides with his son east of the village, fell on the ice last week fracturing the bone near the hip.

E. T. Head, the hay buyer, who went to Chicago about two weeks ago, has not returned as yet, sickness in his family preventing.

The question before the house is—who belongs to the hat found hanging on the door knob of the Exelby house Wednesday morning.

Geo. Exelby is building another grain elevator. At present it is suspended in mid air, but liable to settle on a solid foundation at any time.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cheever rejoice in a fine daughter, which was born to them Monday night. Now the all absorbing question is, What shall we call her?

Mrs. Geo. Oliver's condition is becoming more alarming and but little hopes are entertained for her recovery. Dr. Jenkins of Tecumseh was called Tuesday.

Ed. Bachman is building an elegant antique oak dresser for Herbert Allen's new barber shop. Herb expects to move next week, and when he gets settled his shop will be a Lulu.

James Haight would call special attention to his fine assortment of Anti-Rust Pails. They are much more economical to buy than any others for they are so much more durable.

The ladies' christian aid society meets at the church, Wednesday, Feb. 6th, at 2:30 p. m. Supper served from 4 to 6. As the supper is elaborate, consisting of mush and milk, let all turn out

Charles Shay has commenced driving team for Andrew Gogeline, who is bringing in some elegant building sticks from the Squires farm in Macon. Some of them are from 30 to 40 feet long.

E. M. Lewis, who formerly run the coal kilns, has again taken them in charge and will run them for all there is in them. He has engaged Peter June to fill, burn and put coal on car.

The annual donation for the benefit of Rev. E. Mudge will be held at the church on Friday evening, Feb 8th. A general attendance of the friends of the church and congregation is earnestly solicited.

The township is somewhat exercised over the result of the Turner affair and the query seems to be where the blame lies; that the matter was not properly looked after before the supreme court, thus allowing it to go, as it were, by default.

It is said misfortunes never come singly. Jeff Pilbeam thinks it is true; he recently lost one of his matched team and now the other one is seriously hurt. In turning the corner by Robert Taylor's the tongue dropped down and struck the horse's foot, lacerating it terribly; in fact, split the hoof. It may make him utterly worthless.

Bert Duffy, of Columbus, Ohio, has become a resident among us. He and family have moved over the meat market, and he has his shoemaker's bench in with Willis Helm, east of the track. Mr. Duffy is a rapid and expert workman, and any one having work in his line will do well to call on him, as he will be sure to suit both as to price and class of work done.

Alexander Champlin, who works for Andrew Gogeline, while drawing logs from the Squire's farm Tuesday, met with a painful accident. He had a load all ready to move when the bindor pole broke and the hook on the chain struck him in the face, knocking him senseless. On coming to he discovered a deep cut in one cheek which required four stitches to mend; under the circumstances he was fortunate in not being more seriously injured.

They came near having a serious fire Friday morning at the residence of E. R. Wells. While at breakfast there was a strong smell of smoke, indicating fire. Upon investigating they found in one of the chambers a quantity of bedding, underclothes and dresses, which were near the stovepipe on bars, to be in flames. They were speedily extinguished and, aside from the loss of clothing, but little damage was done. People cannot be too careful in these matters during the cold weather.

Saturday evening in at Lenardson's, there was enacted a scene that was highly amusing and productive of great merriment. Charles Allen, the teacher, was there, and when about to start for home he took out of his pocket a pair of ear muffs and proceeded to put them on. Clarence Zibble, who was present, watched him intently for a moment when he was seized with an uncontrolable fit of laughter, which caused all to smile audibly, and then asked, "What are them things; are they lobsters?" The curtain then rang down and we came away, though we have since heard that Lafe Babcock nearly had spasms and has hardly got over laughing yet.

We are informed by most reliable parties, that Al Lee and Lawrence Brown, a few days since chased a rabbit 7 1-2 miles, (not a rod less,) and then did'nt get it. The rabbit was as coy and coquettish as some girls, and led the boys a wild goose chase. It would run some distance and then stop and look around and smile. Some say it actually laughed aloud.

Last week some parties were here from Detroit, looking the town over with a view of buying land and establishing a Plow factory and building some stores. They wanted to get outside the cold water limit and were quite taken with Samuel Underwood's land. They offered him $200 per acre for three acres and wanted the refusal of ten more at the same price. They did not complete the bargain but expect to be here again soon.

Tuesday afternoon the Reformed Society here in Britton gave their Sunday school a sleigh ride. The day was bitter cold, but we tucked twenty-five of them in a large sleigh, covering them with the warmest of robes. Our superintendent got in and gave them a ride of about ten miles, bringing all safely back to the hall, where we older ones had in waiting a nice supper, consisting of oysters hot and oysters cold, and many other things that children like. Our pastor here fervently asked God's blessing to rest on all, that they might become good and useful men and women and better able to fill the places we now occupy. After supper they were again loaded into the sleigh and taken to their homes. We all felt amply paid while we looked upon their happy, smiling faces, as they said: "Yes, we will surely try to always be present at Sabbath school."

It is not absolutely necessary to wait till the first of May to move, so the All Penny Ante Society concluded for several reasons to change their quarters Monday. It is said many hands make quick work, and so it proved in this case. The members responded nobly to the call, and so admirable were all the arrangements that no damage was done to any of the elegant furnishings. While the present quarters are not quite so imposing and commodious as the old ones, yet they have their advantages. The principal one being, they are situated nearer the railroad track, making it less laborious to secure fuel. The membership is constantly increasing, and would more rapidly if they were not inclined to be so critical. Why think of it; even F. E. was denied admittance the other day. Among the new accessions are reported several limbs of the law, one being deputy sheriff. We have not as yet discovered the requirements necessary to membership, but must confess to a growing desire to be a member. You know people are generally anxious to fathom anything mysteriously secret.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Emma Miller spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Detroit.

The blizzard of Friday and Saturday was the most severe one this winter.

Henry Barnes and wife attended the funeral of his mother at Dundee Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Bird, of Tecumseh, visited her niece, Mrs. L. V. Miller, over Sunday.

Prof. Howell was called to Tecumseh Friday afternoon as a witness in the suit of Ed Miller and Mr. Harrell, of Macon.

Lou Arner, who has been in Chicago several weeks with her friend, Mrs. Fannie Chapman, returned to her home Friday night.

By the number of granite and marble representatives that were in the village Friday, a person would think that a granite convention was in session; Jackson, Adrian and Ypsilanti being represented.

Again the angel of death has been in our midst and taken from us Miss Katie McDonald, better known as Katie Curry. She was taken seriously sick with congestion of the lungs, Saturday morning, while at work for Mrs. Chas. Foote. Monday morning, a little past seven, her spirit took its flight to God, who gave it. Her death was a shock to the citizens of the village, as her sickness was known to only a few of the near neighbors. Her life has been spent in our village and vicinity, living with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Curry. Her life was one of toil and hardship, being frail and poorly, but she met her life's duty with a willing heart and ready hand, always being cheerful, with a jolly word for all whom she met. We can safely say that she had not an enemy on earth. To her uncle and aunt she was their only hope and stay, in their old age, and the vacant chair and silent voice will be deeply felt by them. As she lay in the white casket that held her remains she bore the appearance of one asleep, as a smile appeared on her pale face. A cross of flowers and Calla lily were placed upon the casket by kind friends, which helped to remove the cold reality of death. The funeral services were held at the Catholic church, near Cone, Wednesday morning, Father Kennedy, of Ypsilanti officiating. The remains were laid at rest in the family lot by the church. Mr. and Mrs. Curry have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends and neighbors in their lonely hours.

CARD OF THANKS.

With hearts nearly broken with grief, we desire to express our heartfelt appreciations to neighbors, who so willingly administered to the wants of our neice during her sickness and death; also for the many acts of kindness and attention shown us at the funeral service.

MR. AND MRS. PATRICK CURRY.

Table Talk.

The January issue of Table Talk, that bright little magazine published in Philadelphia, for housekeepers and now entering its tenth year, is again before us and while, as usual the dining room and kitchen are brought prominently to the front, the literary part of the magazine is exceptionally good touching upon the New Year, "A Breakfast with the Autocrat," "Fashion's Horoscope for 1895," "A pretty story of Napoleon and the all popular Violet," "The Life Line," (in which the pathetic story of "Captain Jim" of the Life Saving Station is made illustrative of the importance of understanding and using the life-lines thrown out to each and all of us) and so on. A chapter on Dietetics is a new and valuable addition to the subject matter of the magazine and will appear every month during 1895.

MACON MUSINGS.

Mr. Al. Cavenaugh spent Saturday and Sunday at Macon.

The Dorrell-Miller trial was adjourned to Saturday, Feb 2.

Considering the extremely bad weather, the Teachers' Association was fairly well attended.

Next Sunday, being Christian Endeavor Day, will be observed here by a Sunday evening service.

Dr. J. D. Chambers, of Fort Wayne, Ind., has been spending a week with his sister and other friends.

The social which was to have been held at Wm. Osgood's on Friday evening of last week, was postponed to Wednesday evening of this week.

Socials are the rounds in Macon and the Y. P. S. C. E. of South Macon will give a Cheese Fun Social at the Grange hall, Friday evening, Feb 8. Appropriate entertainments and program. Charge, 10 cents.

Our citizens have responded liberally to the call for help for the Nebraska sufferers. On Saturday the gifts of wheat, clothing, and money were estimated at $35 and there was still some collecting to be done.

The society of the Reformed church, of which Rev. Mr. Gulick is pastor, have for some time felt that something must be done to make their church more comfortable. One of two things was necessary, either to repair or build new; the former would require quite an outlay of money, and still be an old building. The latter would take more money. After canvassing the matter pro and con, committees were appointed to solicit pledges and see what can be done. Frequent meetings have been held of late, and the reports thus far have been very encouraging, for a new building. A new building is not only a necessity to the society, but will be an ornament to the community and a public improvement. Let all members and others lend a helping hand, and it will be accomplished. $1,500 is the amount needed.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss C. E. Winship visited in Adrian Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fowler is quite poorly under the efficient skill of Dr. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Laing celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Wednesday.

Hartman Bros' dance was not largely attended, only about eighteen numbers sold.

Mr. A. D. Macham is striving to do his Master's will, as he runs the gospel wagon night after night at the church.

Mrs. F. G. Florance's brother from Council Bluffs is making her a visit. They have not met before in ten years.

The social at Mrs. Wm. Doty's was largely attended and a bountiful dinner was served. Everyone enjoyed themselves. Net receipts, $5.

Thursday evening of last week Rev. Charles M. Brown delivered an able address to a delighted audience. Dr. Frost, of Tecumseh, also gave some interesting remarks, by which we all may profit.

John Richards was surprised at his home Tuesday evening, it being his birthday, by a company of young people, who made it lively for John in remembering the occasion. They report a merry time.

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It isn't a crime to be poor in this country, but some Police Justices act as if it were. Why should a polite but poverty-stricken Frenchman be arrested for asking to see August Belmont? May not a cat look at a king?

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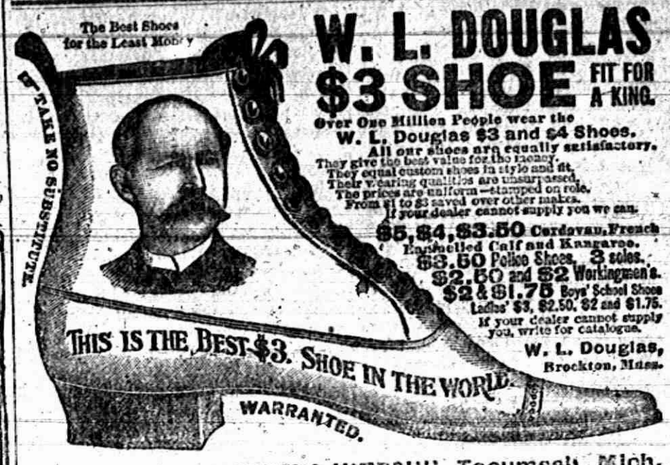

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The railroad pooling bill has been favorably reported to the Senate without amendment, but, although a majority of the senate is believed to favor it, there is much fear privately expressed by the railroad lobby that it may not be voted upon at the present session. Several shrewd Senators, among them Senator Gorman, are reported to be determined to prevent action on the measure. If this were really true the bill would have no chance at all, but such statements are often given out for a purpose—sometimes for a good purpose, but oftener for a bad one.

President Cleveland's message on the financial situation, sent to congress last Monday, is a very forcible document, and it will rank among his ablest state papers. The present mongrel system of finance, brought upon us by Republican legislation, should certainly be terminated at the earliest possible opportunity. The government should issue all paper money, retiring all private bank notes, or the government should retire from the banking business and surrender the issuing of paper money wholly to banking institutions. Much can be said in favor of both these plans but either would be far preferable to the present "alf-and-alf" system.

Justice Harlan last week delivered an opinion giving his reasons for dissenting from the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court in favor of the sugar trust, in the case brought against that trust under the Sherman anti-trust law, that may make him President of the United States. At any rate, it would certainly be desirable to have a President who would hold the views expressed in this opinion by Justice Harlan. He believes with thousands, nay millions, of patriotic citizens that the unchecked growth of gigantic monopolies and trusts for the control of the necessaries of life is a menace to the existence of our government, and that they must be made amenable to law.

In commenting upon the coming municipal election in Philadelphia, the N. Y. World says: The issue in Philadelphia to-day is the same as the issue in New York last November, with the difference that we had Democratic rascals to chastize where they have Republican rascals. But the principle is the same. The wider difference lies in the disheartening fact that the organs of Republican opinion in Philadelphia, instead of following the Democratic example of New York, have allied themselves with the nominee of an exposed and credited Boss, "Dave" Martin. They declare that in a choice between Republican corruption and Democratic reform they favor a continuance of that corruption which has long been a standing disgrace to their city.

A bill has been introduced into the Michigan legislature entitled, "An act to prevent the adulteration of drugs, food, and spirituous, fermented and malt liquors in the State of Michigan." This bill is a very innocent one, so far as its title goes, but the real design of it is to stop the manufacture and sale of all proprietary medicines. It is probably instigated by a few impecunious doctors whose practice has been interfered with by the sale of patent medicines. There are doubtless quacks among patent medicine men, as well as in the regular profession, but it would be a gross outrage upon the masses of the people to prohibit the sale of all patent medicines. The bill should be killed.

The court estimate of the Gould estate at $80,934,580 79 is as interesting as it is important in the affairs of a country in which every man is supposed to earn all he gets. When a man earns a dollar he gives a dollar's worth or work or skill or genius in exchange for it. Unless he steals it or defrauds the world of it he gives back for every dollar he takes at least a dollar's worth. No one can deny that this is the law of property. No one can reasonably assert that this immense accumulation conforms to it. The estate was accumulated by the very simple system of printing figures and dollar-marks on pieces of cheap paper, and then by corrupt control of the lawmaking power of the people forcing the workers of the country to surrender enough of their earnings to give value to the paper. That is financiering. It differs from stealing because thieves are not invited while the heirs of financiers dine with the Prince of Wales.—N. Y. World.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

LOOKING FORWARD.

Governor St. John's Medal Presentation Speech.

[Extract from a speech delivered by ex-Governor St. John in presenting the diamond medal, awarded to Miss Minnie Warren, at the Demorest contest, Music Hall, Cincinnati, June 28, 1893.]

We little realize to-day just what all this means. We look upon this young lady and say with one accord, "Isn't she beautiful?" and "Wasn't she grand?"

Eight thousand bright eyes are now centered on this magnificent, diamond mounted gold medal. Everybody seems happy, even the defeated contestants who acquitted themselves so nobly join in their heartiest congratulations.

A generation from now the fact will have dawned upon us that back of this young woman and back of this medal is a great cause. And two generations hence the world will know that the cause and inspiration that enabled her to move this audience to the highest pitch of enthusiasm were of God.

It requires no great stretch of imagination to look ahead 60 years and see the winner of this prize, now still in her teens, an old, white haired grandmother, who had passed her three-score and ten. It seems we can almost hear her great-grandchildren, as they gather around her and say:

Grandma, please tell us a story.

Well children, what kind of a story would you like?

Will grandma tell us about what happened when she was a young lady?

Yes, yes, do, cried the rest with one accord.

Without another word of reply she moves slowly across the room, opens the upper drawer of an old fashioned bureau and takes therefrom a little box, and as the children watch eagerly she quietly unwraps from around it yards of what was once white cotton tape, but now yellow from age, and at last the box is opened, and from the midst of some cotton batting she brings forth this medal.

The children's eyes as they watch her fairly stood out as they exclaim, Oh, grandma, what's that?

A Demorest diamond mounted gold medal, children.

Demorest! Who was Demorest!

Why, children, he was a Christian philanthropist who a long time ago lived in New York city. He was once a poor boy, but by his industrious habits, as he advanced in years, he increased in wealth until he was enabled to spend thousands of dollars annually for the good of humanity. He organized what then was known as the Demorest medal contests. I won it when a girl.

What made that mark on it, grandma?

Why, I gave it to Dot's papa to play with when he was cutting his teeth, and he bit it!

Oh, the naughty little thing!

What were the contests all about, grandma?

Why, you see, children, Mr. Demorest wanted to get rid of the saloon.

Saloon? Why, grandma what's a saloon?

Why, the saloon was a place where they used to sell a poisonous drink that made men so crazy that they would rob and steal and murder and sometimes even kill their own children.

Oh, my, wasn't that awful? Why did they let them keep such places?

The laws authorized them to do it if they only paid money for it.

Who made such laws, grandma?

The Democrats and Republicans? Why what's a Democrat and what's a Republican?

Well, children, they belonged to political tribes that used to inhabit this country, but they are extinct now.

Don't they have 'em in the circus, grandma?

No.

Oh, how we wish we could see just one!

If ever you visit Washington city, children, you can see a few specimens of mummified Republicans in Smithsonian institute.

Well aren't there Democrats there, too, grandma?

No, they couldn't preserve them. They tried it, but they wouldn't keep.

But were there no churches then?

Yes, children.

Well, what did they do, grandma?

They passed resolutions.

What did the preachers do?

Why, most of them said they were holy men of God and didn't want to mix politics with religion.

Well, you mixed 'em, didn't you, grandma?

Yes, children.

Did grandpa mix 'em too?

Well, children, it has been a long time since then, and your grandma's memory is not as it used to be, but I can say that your grandpa said grace and held family prayers twice a day and was always very kind to me.

What became of Mr. Demorest, grandma?

He went to heaven long ago, and today in Central park, New York, is a monument upon which is inscribed:

"In memory of William Jennings Demorest, the friend of children and the friend of the downtrodden and oppressed of every land, the man who dared to do right because it was right and condemn the wrong because it was wrong."

And now, my young friend, begging your pardon for this imaginative picture, which some day may come true, I take very great pleasure in presenting to you this beautiful handiwork of man, so fairly and grandly won by you in the cause of right. May your path through life be strewn with many victories for "God and home and native land."

FEAST OF THE RHAMADAN.

The Great Turkish Feast Observed by Acme Council No. 101 I. O. O. Orients.

Last evening, at Odd Fellows' Hall, the Princes of Acme Council held their first great feast, and it was an unqualified success. Preparations for which had been in progress for several days. Wednesday evening occured the regular meeting of the council, and ten new members were added to this prosperous body. It was expected that a number of pilgrims from Clinton would be here to receive the degrees last evening, but at the last moment word came that it would be impossible for them to be present. Although rather late to notify those here, whose petitions had been elected for the degrees, it was necessary in order to properly observe the season that there should be degree work, and when all seemed cast down, lest the event might be in a sense a disapointment, word was received that John J. Orr, of this place, and W. W. Fisk, of Toledo, were asking admittance to the order. The faces of the Princes changed expression as they realized the assistance of Mohammed's spirit in their effort to properly observe the laws of the Medes and Persians in all their original splendor and grandeur. It is safe to say that no weary pilgrims were ever accorded a more cordial reception.

The banquet was under the supervision of Princes Tansley, Mobbs and Eagan, and was suitable to the occasion. The pleasure of the evening was greatly enhanced by the presence of Princes W. W. Hewitt, of Jackson, and M. F. King, of Toledo, who, together with Princes John Orr, W. W. Fisk and S. C. Stacy, responded nobly to the calls for speeches, and the Glee Club furnished vocal music.

The Japanese treaty can wait. There is a good deal of information about Japan which should be utilized in the making of treaties with that country.

Careful inquiry would probably show that Mr. Croker had gone South to find a nice warm climate where his heated opinion of Mr. Cockran would not be at variance with the temperature.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Sam. McClure made a business trip to Toledo yesterday.

Harry Tansley enjoyed a visit from his father yesterday.

Mrs. Hope, the mother of Mrs. M. A. Freeman, is quite ill.

Arthur Hughes and wife, of Britton, visited his people over Sunday.

The Co. C. boys are making arrangements for a fine party next Tuesday evening.

The Stimpson Scale Co., are getting finely started. Orders are coming in quite plentifully now.

Mr. A. W. Mills feels happier than usual this week. A boy arrived at his home last Tuesday evening.

That the Souvenir of Tecumseh will be issued about the first of April, is well nigh a certainty. The advertising space is going like hot cakes.

The social given by the Friend's church last evening at the residence of Rev. D. J. Lewis was largely attended and very enjoyable. The refreshments were up to the standard.

H. M. Bailey of Macon is selling the work "Our Own Country", one of the best pictorial series now extant. He controls the county of Lenawee and will doubtless meet with success, as it is an excellent work.

Last evening twenty-one, under the leadership of Joe Smith and Frank Bryan, provided with oysters and other good things, proceeded to Dick Gillespie's and took possession of the house and spun them around. They had fun galore.

The first quarterly meeting of the Friends' church for the year will be held at Raisin Center, commencing today and closing Sunday afternoon. Several noted persons will be present. A cordial invitation to any or all of the services is extended to the public.

Charlie Beebe, this forenoon while at work in the Table factory, met with a painful accident. While cutting on the mitre saw he reached to take a piece of wood away, when his thumb was drawn on the saw and it was quite badly cut. Dr. Woodward dressed it for him.

High School Happenings.

Boys, don't catch on the bobs.

Rhetoric class has thirty seven members. They occupy the whole of the tenth grade room.

Miss Mae Borne has not returned from her holiday trip yet.

Frank Harris was absent Monday.

Arithmetic class played buzz Thursday; two minutes were very profitably spent.

The scholars seem to patronize the reading rooms to a considerable extent. They read Puck and Judge with much profit.

Alba Heywood at the Opera House

Alba Heywood, the distinguished young comedian will appear at the opera house Saturday evening in "Edgewood Folks" and "Down in Injianny" a double bill of unusual excellence and strength. "Edgewood Folks" is the best of the many comedies dealing with New England types of character and this season is better than ever having been entirely rewritten and revised up to date. It is replete with the best class of specialties, including among others the character impersonations of Mr. Heywood, the dances of Miss Genevieve Stoy, the popular selections of the Elgewood quartette and the ballads of Miss Nellie Louise Davis. Another pleasing feature will be the appearance on the stage during picnic scene of 20 little school children of this city. "Down in Injianny" which opens the performance is a charming little dramatic bit of fun and pathos.

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PAY YOUR TAXES.—H. W. Stevens will be at the store of Alva Sparks the first three Fridays in February, namely, Feb. 1, 8 and 15, to receive taxes. After Feb. 20 arrangements will be made to return all unpaid taxes. No further extension of time will be given.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 1, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Alba Heywood Saturday evening.

Remember the military ball next week.

Adrian has a new social organization called the "cold cut club."

Oscar P. Bills is at home from Saginaw two or three days this week.

Frank Davidson will engineer an auction at Dundee to-morrow afternoon.

Services in St. Peter's church during February will be held in the morning.

It is splendid sleighing this week, and the young people are making the best of it.

The blizzard that visited this section last Friday and Saturday was the worst of the season.

C. A. Wright has placed some fine new show cases in his store, which will be both useful and ornamental.

Teeple has been taking some groups lately, notably one of the T. & F. Farmers' Club, which is a superior negative.

The Maud Powell string quartette is the next entertainment in the Star Course. Remember the date, Tuesday evening, Feb. 12th.

M. J. Tremaine took the old HERALD fourteen years while he lived in Tecumseh, and he can not afford to stop it now while a resident of Chicago. He finds it a welcome weekly visitor.

We have a few copies of the Midway Souvenir left on hand from the last invoice. These will be given out to advance paying subscribers until the supply is exhausted. Hustle in your subscriptions at once. First come, first served.

The village dads of Tecumseh are going to have a committee investigate the cost of an electric light plant, with view of letting the voters pass on the propriety of raising $10,000 by bonds, to build an electricity shop for the village. —Adrian Press.

Miss Nellie Louise Davis, of the Alba Heywood company, that appears at the opera house to-morrow evening, is the daughter of a prominent Peoria banker, and is one of the handsomest young women on the stage. Miss Davis is a very clever actress and a cultured vocalist.

Miss Powell has for several years been one of the favorite local violinists, and every year adds to her popularity, because, instead of resting on her laurels, she continues to polish her style and enter deeper into the spirit of music, so that her playing is a genuine treat.—New York Evening Post.

The annual meeting of the Commercial Telegraph Company to receive reports from its officers and for the election of directors and officers and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at G. A. R. hall, in this village, on Monday next, Feb. 4, 1895, at 1:30 p. m.

A horse belonging to Joe Meach, residing two miles south of Ogden Centre, near the line, disappeared last week. A farm hand by name of Frank Smith went away about the same time, and neither horse or man have been heard from or seen since. Deputy-Sheriff Harrington, of Blissfield, is looking for the missing man and property.

Ed Miller, a teacher in Macon, has been complained against by Joseph Dorrell, of the same town, for whipping his son with a ruler, inflicting painful and unnecessary injury, according to the complaint. Suit was begun here last Saturday, before Justice Frazer, but was continued until next Saturday. It is stated that the father offered to settle for $35, but this was refused, hence the suit.

Prof. Joseph Morrow's Photo-rama was a very superior stereopticon entertainment. He uses a double dissolving Chicago Model lantern, one of the best made. The views themselves are well selected, and well made, as he makes his own slides, and the descriptive sketches are concise, but instructive and finely delivered. We can cordially recommend the entertainment as one worthy of patronage.

Anderson & Co's sale is extended to Feby. 1st.

Alba Heywood is coming. "Down in Injianny."

Dr. Hyndman, of Norvell, was in town Tuesday

Editor C. F. Field was an Adrian visitor yesterday.

Walter Hurridge was at Adrian Wednesday on business.

Remember McCann Bro's slaughter sale closes to-morrow night.

Charles Egan and Fred Beck are keeping bachelor's hall these days.

Mrs. Chas. Eagan and daughter Beatrice, are visiting friends in Adrian for a few days.

Patrick Riley, of Adrian, came over Wednesday to see his brother James and family.

Ernest Cummer, of Jackson, was the guest of his brother-in-law, Chas. Egan, the first of the week.

Miss Nettie Southworth left last Saturday for a two months' visit with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth and Mrs. G. R. Wolfe, of Clinton, were the guests of Mrs. Abner Wilson Wednesday.

Ada Gray, who gave the first performance in the Tecumseh opera house, is playing "East Lynne" in Detroit this week.

On Saturday, Feb. 9th, there will be an educational rally at Onsted. All the teachers in that vicinity will please take notice.

Zack. Cook, of Adrian, was over yesterday and made the HERALD a pleasant call, as also did Martin Gooding, of Macon.

James A. Kellam, Archie J. Hall, W. J. Payne and Florence Kellam, of Manchester, were in town Tuesday and took tea at the Lilley House.

An Epworth League column will be a regular feature of the HERALD for a few weeks, and perhaps permanently. It is on the seventh page this week.

Mrs. Wm. Nicholson, of Adrian, a sister of Chas. Egan, came over Tuesday and took Mrs. Egan, who has been ill, and little Beatrice, back with her for awhile.

W. H. Whitmarsh, of Milan, has been here all the week, and T. W. Barnes, of Dundee, was here two days. They are connected with the Stimpson Scale Company.

The Adrian Teachers' Association will hold their next meeting at the Colvin school house, two miles south of the village, on Saturday, Feb. 9th. A good program will be presented.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will observe Christian Endeavor day next Sunday. The evening service will be conducted by them and will consist of papers by different members upon the work and aims of the society.

Miss Powell possesses an immense amount of not only musical understanding, but also what the Germans call "temperament." She is musical to the finger tips, and her playing last night was by all odds the feature of the concert.—Boston Post.

A Macon man last week, for a pain in the back, spread what he supposed was a balsam plaster. It proved to be varnish, which 'set' during the night, and was there yet at last accounts. His neighbors advise strapping him to the floor and jerking it off with tackle.—Adrian Times.

The members of the Royal Arcanum and their families are improving the sleighing and having jolly times among themselves. Last week they were at Wm. Schofield's one evening and Tuesday eve of this week they were all at Norman Mattison's. They enjoyed both evenings immensely.

Monday night about thirty young people, loaded into two large bob-sleighs, went to the home of Miss Lizzie McCarbery, of Macon, and had a jolly time. That all had a jolly time is needless to say, as any one always does under Mr. McCarbery's hospital roof. They arrived home just in time for—well, just ask Earl Updyke.

On Wednesday, Jan. 30, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Laing, of Raisin, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary. Among the guests there was only one present who witnessed the ceremony forty years ago, Mr. A. W. Aldrich of Adrian, who was best man. A letter was read from Rev. A. J. Eldred, who married them, wishing them many more years together.

The Courier-Journal says: "About this clever little curtain-raiser, 'Down in Injianny' it must be said that Mr. Heywood has shown a very wise and discriminating ambition in adding it to the list of his attractions. The story is a slight one—an old man who has outlived his practical usefulness is an inmate of his son's house. A hard-hearted termagant of a wife persuades the son to send his father to the poorhouse. The execution of this design is interrupted by the arrival of a gang of white-caps who are about to administer a whipping to the son when the old man interferes to save his boy, telling the regulators that going to the poorhouse is just what he himself most desires. The curtain falls on the death of the old father. As Grandfather Pelgen, Mr. Heywood has his opportunity of showing that he can do more than the mere clever, versatile work of the popular entertainer. It affords a field far wider than that of Tom Dilloway for a display of genuine artistic power, and Alba Heywood is in nowise wanting to his opportunity.

C. H. Hopkins, of Battle Creek, is visiting friends in town.

Our Pentecost letter arrived too late for insertion this week.

Rev. W. R. Blachford attended the convocation at Jackson yesterday.

Zero weather has been the regular program every morning this week.

The girl whose hubby owns a horse and a cutter, is supremely happy now.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M., this evening for work in second degree.

The Armenian missionary lectured at the Friend's church last Sunday evening to a crowded house.

Mr. Peter Phelps and Miss Editha Phelps have decided to remain in town a few days with their mother.

H. Brewer & Co., shipped three tile machines in January, and the outlook is good for a fair spring business.

McCann Bros' quarter off sale has been continued until Saturday night, Feb. 2d. They have many big bargains left.

The auction sale of the Snell property was postponed last Saturday, on account of the storm, until to-morrow at two o'clock p. m.

The ladies' social of the Baptist church will be entertained by Miss Ellen Fisher and her committee on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 7th.

The postponed entertainment to be given by the Junior Auxiliary of St. Peter's church, will be given Feb. 14th, at the Armory Hall. Full particulars next week.

Mrs. James Elliott returned to her home yesterday afternoon. Her mother still remains in a helpless state and it is only a question of time how long she will survive the stroke.

Subjects for Sunday, Feb. 3d. at the Universalist church. In the morning Rev. T. E. Dotter, of Iowa, will occupy the pulpit. Evening, "The world is my country, to do good my religion."

M. de L. Bocher will be here Thursday next, Feb. 7th, and give us his lecture, "Way down upon the old Plantation." Don't fail to hear him. Tickets 15cts; at the Universalist church.

An unusually pleasant feature of "Edgewood Folks," which will be presented at the opera house by the Alba Heywood company Saturday evening, will be the appearance on the stage in the picnic scene of twenty little school children, of this village, who are now being selected by Manager Sutton.

Electric Power begins a new volume in January and comes out in magazine form, about the size of the Cosmopolitan. It is the best publication extant on the subject of electricity, being suited not only to electrical students and experts but also to the general public, terms $1.00 per. year, 35 Cortland St. New York City.

The series of three lectures on Romanism, given by Mr. Tavener were a treat to those who heard them. People who expected to hear a tirade against the Roman Catholic church were disappointed. He gave his own experience, but did it in a gentlemanly way. He is an easy, fluent talker and his lectures are very interesting. At the Sunday afternoon meeting the Social Concert orchestra assisted with some of their music.

On Monday evening last a company of over forty, friends of Grandmother Amy Berger, assembled at the residence of Dr. E. Hause, to celebrate with prayer and song the anniversary of her 84th birth day. The event was a treat to her and a very enjoyable one to the visitors. Mrs. Berger is now too feeble to attend church and hence this surprise was all the more welcome to her. Her sister, Mrs. Eliza Kniffen of Britton, was present, but the rest of the company were village residents.

General Lord Wolseley makes a most important contribution to the literature of the China-Japan war. In an article for the Febuary Cosmopolitan, he discusses the situation and does not mince matters in saying what China must do in this emergency. Two other noted foreign authors contribute interesting articles to this number. Rosita Mauri, the famous Parisian danseuse, gives the history of the ballet, and Emile Oliver tells the story of the fall Louise Philippe From every part of the world, drawings and photographs have been obtained of the instruments used to torture poor humanity, and appear as illustrations for a clever article, by Julian Hawthorne entitled, "Salvation via the Rack." Mrs. Reginald de Koven, Anatole France, W. Clark Russell, Albion W. Tourgee, and William Dean Howells are among the story tellers for the February number of the Cosmopolitan.

The funeral obsequies of the late Rev. J. Phelps were held at St. Peter's church last Saturday afternoon. A fearful storm raged without, but the church was nearly filled with old friends of the deceased who had braved the elements to pay this tribute to his memory. The beautiful funeral service was read from the Episcopal ritual, Rev. W. R. Blachford, rector, and Rev. Mr. Channer of Adrian, conducting the services. At their conclusion the remains were conveyed to our evergreen cemetery and deposited in their final resting place. The records show that during his twenty-two years of service as rector of this church, Mr. Phelps officiated at 156 baptisms, 65 marriages, 165 burials, and presented 184 for confirmation. But his earthly record is now completed, and he leaves a heritage of a life well spent to the dear ones who mourn his death.

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LOST IN THE ICE.

The Steamer Chicora Founders in Lake Michigan—Many Drowned.

BENTON HARBOR, Jan. 25.—The Graham & Morton screw steamer Chicora has foundered in Lake Michigan. It is supposed she was caught in an ice floe on Monday and pounded to pieces. She carried a crew of twenty-five men, including Capt. Ed Stones and Clerk James R. Clark, both of St. Joseph. She also carried one passenger, Joseph Pearl, of the drug firm of Howard & Pearl, of St. Joseph. Thursday afternoon a dispatch was received from South Haven saying that much wreckage from the ill-fated vessel had been picked up, and that parts of the curtains, railing, furniture and decorations and other parts of the inside of the Chicora had been secured. This is the death blow to a flickering hope fostered after considering what had been found previously and it was felt that she might possibly be living. Mr. Graham said that this was the last hope. There is no more possible chance for her having survived. The worst is now known—the fact that every soul is gone. There is no possible chance for their floating in, even alive, even if fast to parts of the wreckage. James R. Clark, the clerk of the Chicora, who has perished, was United States marshal of western Michigan during President Harrison's administration.

The loss of the vessel, exclusive of the cargo, amounted to $160,000, and the cargo of thirty-eight car loads of flour was valued at $20,000. The Chicora was a screw steamer of about 900 tons burden, and was built by the Detroit Dry Dock company two years ago. She was valued at $150,000 at that time. The Graham & Morton company carried no insurance on her, and there was no insurance on the cargo of flour.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Jan. 26.—Reports are still coming in of the finding of immense piles of wreckage of the steamer Chicora. Mr. Graham says that he thinks the Chicora was disabled Monday afternoon and that she was soon pounded to pieces by floating ice and huge waves. He thinks that every man was drenched to the skin and frozen at his post of duty.

HOWL AT MAYOR PINGREE.

Citizens of Detroit Refuse to Listen to the Speech of Their Executive.

DETROIT, Jan. 27.—Five thousand excited, howling citizens called together Saturday night by Mayor Pingree refused to listen to the mayor when he essayed to address them. For over an hour and a half the chief executive of Detroit tried to make himself heard above the clamor of his opponents, and finally, hoarse and exhausted, was induced by his friends to give up the vain effort. The meeting was held to bring out a popular expression of opinion on a bill proposed by the legislature which aims to take from the control of the police, fire and school boards from the mayor to the governor. The principal basis of complaint by press and public against the mayor is the prevalence of smallpox and the disapproval of the mayor and health board for reinstating Health Officer Medcalf who is alleged to be an incompetent official. The mayor's eloquent plea for "home rule" was unheard by his audience, owing to the tremendous din, but his opponents installed a chairman and resolutions were declared adopted appointing a committee of fifty to lobby for the proposed measure. Health Commissioner McLeod sent his resignation to the health board to take effect February 15, subject to the investigation of himself and his official acts by a committee of citizens.

BOARDERS WERE FIRED ON.

Woman Uses a Shotgun with Effect on Those Who Took Her Niece's Part.

MUSKEGON, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Hattie Nicholson, living at Twin Lakes, has her niece, Lillian, employed in a boarding-house. The aunt made an unsuccessful attempt to obtain her wages, failing in which she got her home by a stratagem and gave her a severe horse-whipping. The boarders, with whom the girl was a favorite, went there to get her effects, when the woman fired a shotgun, severely, but not fatally, wounding several of them, the girl included. The sheriff returned with the woman to-night and put her in jail.

Burrows in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 24.—Senator Burrows was sworn in the senate Wednesday and took the seat recently occupied by Senator Patton. The formal ceremonies were brief, and Senator Burrows was heartily congratulated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The first public act of the new senator from Michigan, Senator Burrows, was the introduction of a bill during the morning hour Friday to regulate navigation on the great lakes and their connecting tributaries.

Loss of $50,000 in Fennville.

HOLLAND, Jan. 26.—A destructive fire broke out in Fennville Friday morning, wiping out the south side of the street, including Dr. L. Barbour's general store, John Pieter's clothing store, the local bank, Dickinson's hardware store, with Bassett's printing office upstairs, and a barber shop. Loss, $50,000, with little or no insurance.

Gas Struck in Michigan.

LEXINGTON, Jan. 26.—A big flow of gas was struck Friday on the farm of Irving Carpenter, near town, while boring for water. The flow was strong enough to throw the tools, water, stones and clay 60 feet in the air. The water came in such quantity as nearly to drown Joseph Jackson, one of the workmen. He escaped with difficulty.

Muskegon Man Swallows a Sword.

MUSKEGON, Jan. 26.—Albert Helling, aged 31, a member of a minstrel company organized by the Muskegon Lodge of Elks, while practicing a sword-swallowing act drove the sword into his stomach beyond his reach. Physicians were called and cut him open as the only means of recovering the sword. He may die.

BUDGET OF NEWS.

The Condensation in Which the Following Paragraphs Will Be Found.

At Washington, D. C., on Saturday night the Michigan State association celebrated the anniversary of the admission of the state into the union by a reception and ball at the Masonic temple.

A conference of free silver advocates of the Third congressional district will be held at Battle Creek February 12.

The annual meeting of the Michigan State Association of Farmers' Clubs will be held at Lansing February 5 and 6.

Calhoun county republicans will hold their convention to select state and congressional delegates at Marshall February 14.

The State Spiritualist association will meet at Paw Paw February 1, 2 and 3.

Fifty-eight years ago last Friday, January 25, 1837, Michigan was admitted into the union as a state.

March 14 is the date set for the reunion of the Third Michigan cavalry at Lansing.

LABOR STATISTICS.

Report of Commissioner Morse on the Earnings of Farm Workmen.

LANSING, Jan. 26.—In advance sheets of his annual report Labor Commissioner Morse says that 5,600 farm laborers in the largest agricultural counties of the state were canvassed and 57 per cent. found to be American born, German, English, Canadian and Irish being next in the order named. Twenty-two other nationalities making 12 per cent. were represented. The average wages of the 1,188 who worked by the day were 92 cents, the average wages by the month being $17.84. In five years wages have decreased 15.7 per cent., the decrease for the last year being 13 per cent. Only 5 per cent. of those canvassed reported an increase in either period, and that was very light; the total earnings last year were $1,018,388, an average of $181.85. A total of $196,891 was saved by 2,537 persons, an average of $77.67. About one-half reported that they cannot earn enough to support their families. Only 1,523 lost no time during the year. The loss of 40 per cent. of the balance was due to lack of work. The cost of living decreased 15 per cent. during the last year. But 1,005 own homes, one-half of which are incumbered. Sixty-two per cent. consider immigration detrimental to their interests, a large per cent. of these being themselves foreign born.

A BIG JOB.

Municipal Commission Has Difficulty in Preparing a Charter Bill.

LANSING, Jan. 25.—The municipal commission is experiencing some difficulty in preparing a general charter bill which will be satisfactory to cities of the third class, or those having a population of over 10,000, and not to exceed [illegible]. It was expected that the bill would be ready for the legislature on the 15th inst., but so many obstacles have been encountered that it will not be completed until next week. The cities which will come under the provisions of this bill will be Alpena, Bay City, Battle Creek, Lansing, West Bay City, Flint, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Manistee, Menominee, Saginaw, Ishpeming, Muskegon, Ann Arbor and Port Huron. The trouble is that some of these cities are now governed by a charter similar to that of a village, while others have the latest municipal provisions and it is difficult to satisfy all of them. Grand Rapids will be the only city of the second class having a population of between 50,000 and 100,000, while Detroit, being the only city in the state with a population exceeding 100,000, is the only city of the first class. Bills for these two cities will be next prepared.

Fishermen Will Fight.

MUSKEGON, Jan. 25.—Five hundred fishermen in Muskegon have resolved to attack the constitutionality of the statute enacted by the legislature of 1891 and affirmed by the legislature of 1893, which prohibits spearing and netting fish on inland waters. They will also seek a decision as to whether or not Muskegon lake, 6 miles long and from a half to 1½ miles wide, is an inland lake, or a bay of Lake Michigan. On these two questions they hang their right to fish in the winter, which affords support to hundreds of families.

Going Back to Canada.

MONTREAL, Can., Jan. 26.—Father Paradis, a noted Roman Catholic colonization missionary, was in this city Thursday on business in connection with the repatriation of 572 families of French Canadians, comprising 2,395 persons, now residing in the county of Houghton, Mich. The people who now contemplate returning to Canada are native French Canadians, many of whom began to settle there as far back as 1850.

Death of a Millionaire.

BATTLE CREEK, Jan. 27.—Richard Kingman died here Saturday, aged 74. He was one of the directors of the city bank here, and the largest holder in the pneumatic dynamite gun which is now being made for the government. His wealth was estimated at $2,000,000.

Fire at Boyne City.

BOYNE CITY, Jan. 27.—Fire broke out in the United States hotel and burned the hotel and six other buildings in the business portion of the city. It is a severe blow to the city. A limited amount of insurance was carried. The loss will foot up $20,000 at least.

Diphtheria at Traverse City.

TRAVERSE CITY, Jan 26. — Several cases of malignant diphtheria have broken out in the city. All schools are closed, and all public meetings and gatherings, religious or social, postponed by order of the board of health and village council.

Must Get Another Chairman.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.—Senator McMillan says that he will be unable to preside over the annual banquet of the Michigan Republican club at Detroit, February 22.

MICHIGAN MASONS.

Grand Lodge Meets in Detroit—Temple Dedicated.

DETROIT, Jan. 24.—The corner stone of the new masonic temple was laid Wednesday afternoon with full masonic ceremonies, and in the presence of thousands of representatives of masonry from all parts of the state. A splendid parade preceded the ceremony, participated in by representatives of all departments of masonry, and numbering altogether about 5,000 men. A feature of the ceremony was the flight of several hundred homing pigeons, announcing the laying of the stone. The temple is to be completed a year hence. It will be seven stories high, 98 by 132 feet in size, and will cost, with its equipment, $500,000. It will be devoted entirely to the purposes of the order.

At the afternoon session of the grand lodge, held after the laying of the corner stone, officers were elected, Edwin J. Bowring being chosen M. W. G. M. In the evening an immense meeting was held at the auditorium, where a fine programme was carried out. John W. McGrath, chief justice of the state of Michigan, delivered an oration on the "Corner Stone," which was received enthusiastically. Other addresses were made by leading masons on masonry, its progress, its influence, its benefits and its beauties.

Thursday afternoon the members of the grand lodge met in final secret session to celebrate the golden jubilee of masonry in Michigan. Speeches were made by Chief Justice McGrath, of the supreme court of Michigan, Hon. Hugh McCurdy, William T. Mitchell and others.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Jan. 23.—Fifty members of the Michigan state legislature, on a tour of inspection of the state institutions of this section, were tendered a banquet by city officials here Tuesday night. The party left for Houghton at midnight.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 24.—The legislative committees arrived here Wednesday morning and were shown the mining school, smelting and wire and rolling mills. To-day they will see the mine at Calumet and the stamp mills at Lake Linden.

LANSING, Jan. 28.—The members of the legislature who have been absent for a week visiting various state institutions have returned. The party left Detroit January 20, on an inspection of the state institutions in the northern peninsula. The trip has been purely for the purpose of educating the committeemen concerning these institutions.

The first place visited by the party was Newberry, Mich., where the insane asylum has been recently erected, but not yet completed. Thence Marquette and the state prison were visited. At Ishpeming the mines were inspected, and the wants of the miners looked after. Two days were spent at Houton, where the Michigan mining school is located. The copper wireworks at Dollar Bay and the Calumet and Hecla mines at Calumet were other places of interest for the legislators. On the return the iron ore docks at Escanaba received attention, and then the party went to Chicago. They left Chicago for this city Sunday. Members of the party express great satisfaction at the success of the trip.

A WELL-KNOWN LADY DEAD.

Close of the Life of Mrs. Olive Vedder, a Pioneer.

JACKSON, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Olive Vedder died at her home in Sandstone aged 83. Mrs. Vedder was a pioneer of Michigan and in many respects a remarkable woman. During sixty years she lived on the same large farm which she helped with her own strong hands to clear and till, coming to Michigan from Attica, N. Y., in 1835. She outlived two husbands and all but three of her nine children. When 75 years old she worked with her hired man in the harvest fields and stacked as much wheat as the best man on the farm. Her death was due directly to her fearless courage in handling a fractious team of horses which ran away and dragged her over the frozen ground.

DEACON ROCKWELL MAY DEAD,

One of the Pioneers of Michigan Passes Away at the Age of 95.

KALAMAZOO, Jan. 27.—Deacon Rockwell May died of old age at 4 o'clock Saturday morning, aged 95 years. He was born in Sheffield, Mass., June 20, 1799, and came to Kalamazoo county in 1834, having purchased 600 acres of land of the government. He was Richland's first merchant and was engaged in business here forty years ago.

Went Fees Returned.

LANSING, Jan. 25. — The supreme court having last fall decided that the act of 1893 requiring foreign corporations which do business in Michigan only through itinerant agents to be invalid action has been commenced to compel the state treasurer to pay back fees collected from such corporations. The Moline Plow company of Moline, Ill., is plaintiff in a case to be heard in the supreme court February 12. Over $10,000 has been collected from the class of corporations mentioned.

Accused of Using Canceled Stamps.

BAY CITY, Jan. 26.—Edwin E. Watson, postmaster, and Murray Bently, principal business men of Rhodes, Gladwin county, are under arrest in this city at the instance of the post office department. It is claimed Watson used postage stamps for liquidating his debts, contrary to the statutes, and that Bentley mailed letters at Rhodes on which were canceled stamps.

Died in Awful Agony.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Jan. 28.—Albert Helling, who swallowed an 18-inch sword Friday night, while practicing for a performance, died in terrible agony Sunday evening. His intense suffering turned his hair from a dark brown to a light gray.

Robb Gets Fifteen Years.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Jan. 28.—Lewis Robb, who has been on trial charged with attempting to assassinate Mayor Hobson January, 1892, by shooting was convicted Saturday morning and sentenced to fifteen years in prison.

Detroit's New Health Officer.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 28.—Dr. Hutton, of the United States marine hospital service, with headquarters at Detroit, has been appointed health officer of the city of Detroit with absolute power at a salary of $4,000 a year.

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The stars don't twinkle near so keen at night
The church bell ringing Sunday morning ain't the chime
It had when she was here,
Since Hannar died.

The very chickens misses Hannar's care
And go round with a sorter lonesome air,
There ain't no kind of joy about the place
Without her smilin' face
Since Hannar died.

The garden tools hangs in the apple trees;
The lonesomeness eat a-kittin off the pass.
There's no one here to boss the taters now
Er feed the hens an cow
Since Hannar died.

I s'pose, of course, I'd ever be resigned,
But when I go out in the shed an find
The ax she chopped the wood with all them
years
I wet it with my tears
Since Hannar died.
—Isaac D. Stevenson in New York Sun.

BARRED OUT.

Bright petals fell softly on the white tablecloth, glass and silver glittered in the gaslight, and two people sat moodily opposite each other over dessert, one apparently too indifferent and the other too abstracted to renew the conversation that had dwindled to a desultory end with the departure of the servant.

The man, though not in his first youth, was handsome but for the lines in his forehead that revealed a latent discontent. The woman was fair haired and beautiful. Her smooth skin and delicate white hands told of luxury and ease and a life that knew not the toil and moil of penury or the harsh buffets of a workaday world. Yet tonight her heart was busy with a fancied grievance and oppressed with vague portent.

The husband had long ceased to invite his wife's confidence, stung by her growing, unaccountable coldness, and, all too conscious of the disparity in their ages, silently but bitterly acknowledged that his marriage had been a mistake and left her to her own devices. There were times when a pardonable desire for explanation almost overcame him, but pride always checked the query that rose to his lips, and he went on blaming himself for his shortsightedness in the passive endurance of an empty fashionable life.

If he had asked that searching question, she could not have answered it, hardly knowing that the ennui of repletion had made her capricious and unwilling to believe her whims had driven them apart. So, too thoughtless and inexperienced to attempt a redemption of the waning homage that was still her own, she turned like a wayward child to the first sympathetic ear to be consoled for the mischief she had wrought.

And the consolation became so sweet! There was a certain danger about it that attracted and brought a strange excitement into her idle life—it not only soothed her ruffled feelings, but almost crushed out of memory the grievance it had come to deplore.

Only sometimes, when stormy weather kept husband and wife together for some hours, until he was able to go off to his club and she to her friends, or when the servant left them sitting silently apart, even in the genial after dinner hour, the bitter, unjust sense of injury was paramount.

She rose, daintily shaking out the folds of her silk gown. Her husband held the door open, and as she swept past him secretly admired the poise of her proud little head and the thick, natural wave of golden hair gathered into wonderful curves and loops. The faint flush on her cheeks, her downcast eyes—even the detail of her jet trimmed dress—were in his mind as he went back, sighing, to his solitary cigar.

She ran up stairs to her room with an anxious glance at the tall clock on the landing that ticked out a solemn monotonous warning from the depths of its rigid heart, and unlocking an antique cabinet discovered in one of its mysterious recesses a note which she read with a reflective little frown. Then, hastily donning fur trimmed mantle and small bonnet, she drew a thick veil over her pretty, even features, and stealing softly down stairs slipped out of the house. The season of the fashionable seaside town in which she had chosen to linger out week after week was nearly ended. She hurried on through the almost deserted streets, looking timidly about her, for she was not used to ramble unattended. Though October was near, the air was balmy but for an occasional chill breeze that swept over the sea, across whose dark, sobbing waters the moon cast a gleaming, silver green pathway.

She paused near the pier, shamefaced and irresolute, to await her sympathetic friend, whom she saw approaching with an unmistakable expression of pleasure and gratification in his eyes. There was a brief, silent greeting. Then they wandered on to the shell strewn beach, exchanging confidence to the safe accompaniment of the receding tide.

The subtle certainty of perfect appreciation effaced every doubt that had assailed her as to the judiciousness of keeping this appointment, and she told, recklessly enough, of the widening gulf between herself and the husband who could not or would not understand her, and the yearning for something she had never known, of her intellectual loneliness. And in the low musical tones that thrilled her he spoke of his own wasted existence, the wife who was no companion to him, the sympathy he longed for—and, at last, of their own friendship, hinting something deeper. She chided him softly, but with a consciousness of forgiveness for his presumption, and an equivocal argument ensued that absorbed them into forgetfulness of the flying hours till her startled cry and uplifted hand brought his carefully worded discourse to a sudden end.

From the church tower the hour of midnight boomed distinctly through the hiss of the distant waves. Each stroke fell like a knell upon her throbbing heart. Looking up, pale and terrified, she saw with dismay that the lights on the esplanade had been extinguished, and the great hotels, looming white grim majesty out of the darkness, closed and shuttered.

A 12 o'clock tete-a-tete on the beach—oh, the shame of it—the stinging scandal for her dearest friends to revel in, if it ever came to their ears. The clock must be wrong, she urged frantically, thinking of the "little half hour" her conscience had been stilled into granting, but a glance at the revealed bauble on her chatelaine by the light of a spluttering fuse confirmed her worst fears and the integrity of the maligned timekeeper.

There was no time to lose. She turned impatiently toward the man, and her companion, following with more repellent dignity, was yet enough to anticipate the renewal of their perilous conversation. Through the streets she ran, breathlessly, to the terror of the solitary policeman and sundry feline wonderers who scuttled noiselessly out of her path. How she longed to be hidden safely in the corner of her comfortable carriage, moving drowsily homeward, after some Cinderellia! But seaside festivities were nearly over, and there was no excuse for her tardy arrival. She held her head down, fearful of being seen on foot in such haste, and with her attractive companion, whose sensibility would have been sorely hurt at the eagerness with which she dismissed him when the house came in sight, had he not felt alarmed for his own reputation as well as the safe custody of his uncongenial wife's fortune, and with a hurried wish that all would be well walked away with an air of relief ere she reached the doorstep.

She rang the bell with a miserable sensation of being deserted in her hour of need, and a shuddering fear crept over her as she waited outside the house that looked darkly inhospitable with its fastened shutters and massive door. A boisterous wind sprang up, making her shiver in spite of her warm cloak. Clouds chased each other across the fair, round moon. She knocked and rang again impatiently.

No sound of welcome admission to warmth and light, only the faint echo of her friend's footsteps already in the distance. With the erratic logic of a spoiled and petted woman who had never seen the contrary side of the world she blamed him for not having waited—even remotely—until he saw her safely indoors, wondering, in helpless anger, that she had ever turned to him for sympathy.

A loud rat-a-tat, and then another, rather timid this time, for the closed door and retreating figure had grown hideous with awful meaning. What if her husband had discovered the secret meeting and shut her out forever! She knew men did such things on the spur of the moment, and in this case there had been a long and sullen estrangement to justify any conclusion he might pardonably come to. The thought became more terrible every instant as she knocked and rang frantically without result.

The church clock struck the half hour, a huge, melancholy chime.

Trembling from head to foot, she leaned against the railings, her eyes heavy with despair. Where should she go? What should she do? The suspicious questioning of her friends, the astonished scrutiny of the townspeople, were equally difficult to face. Like a vision the awful future flashed through her bewildered brain. She saw herself exiled to the streets, a forlorn, wretched woman, forsaken by the man she despised in her real trouble, yearning to make amends for her past blindness and faintly imploring an inexorable fate at the steadfast door of the life she should know no longer.

Barred out! Oh, God! Barred out!

In undreamed of agony she pictured her husband's stern orders and the gossip in the servants' hall. Then, hardly knowing what she did and choking with desperate sobs, she turned toward the home that had become so dear, beating wildly at the door panels with her clinched fists and crying aloud like a frightened child:

"Let me in! Oh, do let me in!"

"Are you mad?" said suddenly a calm, well known voice at her side. "The maids are on the top floor at the back of the house, and nothing short of an earthquake would rouse James. If I were not careful to take my latchkey when I go to the club, he would present me with the key of the street. And why didn't you order the carriage to fetch you, or"—

He broke off suddenly. The ponderous door stood open, and he waited for her to pass in, but with a quick glance at her white face and closed eyes caught her tenderly in his arms as she fell insensible across the threshold. Gently as a woman he loosened the heavy cloak and took off the little bonnet, disentangling it from her soft, golden hair with dexterous fingers. Then, probably from a lamentable ignorance of the principles of first aid, he bent down and kissed the sweet, tear stained face that rested peacefully near his heart.

And the wife, coming slowly back to a new life of perfect love and trust through the shadow of her former folly, felt and answered the timid embrace with clinging arms and tears of joy and gratitude.—London Today.

It Suited Her.

They were threading their way slowly among the gorgeously dressed dummies in the dry goods shop, stopping every now and then to admire or criticise and to inspect linings and price marks. Nothing had pleased their fastidious fancy very much until the girl in brown saw a black serge just in front of her.

"There, Marie!" she exclaimed in triumph. "That's what I want. See how that umbrella skirt hangs! See how that coat sits in the back! The frock makes even a lay figure distinguished. If it's silk lined and doesn't cost too much, I shall have it."

She advanced and laid inquiring hands upon the frock, lifting the coat to inspect the lining. Then she fell back with a little cry. It was not a dummy, but another customer, who turned and faced her.—New York Recorder.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 3. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Golden Candlestick.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv, 31-39; Heb. ix, 2; Rev. i, 12; iv, 5.

The candlestick of the Tabernacle was really a lampholder. The descriptions of it in Exodus, where Moses is commanded to make it, and again where he completes it, seem minute and clear, yet the most careful study of the passages leaves much doubt as to the appearance of the article. Very strange is the omission of all measurements when they are so carefully noted in the case of the other furnishings of the sanctuary. The form of the candelabrum seems to have been that of a central shaft with three branches on either side curved and rising to an equal height. The top of the shaft and of each branch was fitted for receiving a lamp, in which pure olive oil was to be burned with a wick. The seven lamps, with snuffers and bowls for the waste, and the whole stand were of fine gold. The weight was a talent and the value of the whole not far from $300,000. The language of Exodus indicates that it was made with the hammer and beaten out. The words "bowls, knops and flowers," which describe the pattern of the branches and shaft, are somewhat uncertain in meaning. Josephus speaks of them as "knops, lilies, pomegranates and bowls" and says there were 70 in all. He speaks of the seven lamps as being in imitation of the seven planets. He says the candlestick was cast and was hollow, and that it was placed obliquely so that the lamps faced to the east and south. The place where it stood was in the "holy place" on the south side, midway of the room, and opposite the table of showbread.

Every morning a priest cleaned the lamps, trimmed and filled them. Each evening they were lighted and burned till morning. Some think they burned perpetually night and day. In Revelation Christ is represented as walking amid the seven golden candlesticks, which seem to be used as symbols of the seven churches to which the messages are sent. That the golden candlestick was symbolical of some spiritual principle has been quite generally believed, but there has been great difference of opinion as to what it was intended to typify. Some have thought it represents the spirit of preaching, others the light of the law, while still others have seen in it reference to the spirit of the churches and witnesses. If the Shekinah fire on the "mercy seat" over the "ark of the covenant" behind the veil was the symbol of the divine presence; if the incense offered on the "golden altar" represented the prayers of God's people, and the "showbread" was a constant reminder that all food is given by God, then it would seem reasonable that the ever burning light was to serve as an object lesson of the presence of God with men as the "illumination," or light giver. It would then be typical of the work of the Holy Spirit, as the sacrificial lamb was a type of the divine Son.

It also suggests the duty of man as given in the words of Christ, "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

What Became of It?

On the arch of Titus, in Rome, erected to commemorate his victories in the east, and especially that over the Jews, there is a marble sculpture in bas relief representing the triumph procession. Borne aloft upon the shoulders of men are the golden candlesticks and table of showbread from the temple in Jerusalem. Though timeworn and mutilated, the form of these articles can be made out fairly well. The base of the candlestick is probably not Jewish, as it has figures of dolphins upon it. This was not the article made under the direction of Moses, but one constructed after the return from Babylon when the temple was rebuilt. The ten made by Solomon for his temple were probably carried to Babylon and never returned. The original one made for the tabernacle in the wilderness may have been in the same building and shared the same fate, or it may have been lost before. No reference is made to it when the other furnishings of the tabernacle are gathered by David and Solomon to the central sanctuary of Zion. Perhaps its light is referred to in the story of Samuel called of God in the temple at Shiloh, but even this is uncertain. What became of it no one knows.

Lessons For the Quarter.

The subjects selected for the first quarter of 1895 have to do with the tabernacle and temple service. The general topic of "Christ In All," suggests the New Testament interpretation of Old Testament forms and rites and a present practical spiritual application of their symbolism. The whole question of the ancient Hebrew worship and its bearing on Christian faith and practice is of deepest interest, and there is no danger at the present of overestimating its importance. All Epworth Leagues should give careful study to the Scripture lessons, both in the literary and spiritual department. Never before has there been such results obtained from explorations of Biblical sites as at present, and every month adds some interesting and valuable discovery to throw new light upon the meaning of some passage of Scripture. The tabernacle and temple, as a whole, should be studied in its construction, history and modes of worship.

January to April.

General topic, "Christ In All;" subdivisions, the laver, the altar, the priest, the golden candlestick, the holy garments, the showbread, the ark of the covenant, the burnt offering, the peace offering, the sin offering, clean and unclean, the Nazarite.

Falsity.

It is more from carelessness about the truth, says Dr. Johnson, than from intentional lying, that there is so much falsehood in the world.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DePuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Hendershot, defendants, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Henderson in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of section 13, Town 5 south of Range 4 east, 7.25 chains west of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said section 13; thence north along the west line of land sold and conveyed by D. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 rod 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 24 and 66-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 10 minutes west, 13 and 2-100 chains, being the center line of the saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 82-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.

WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth A. Rogers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Adella M. Wheeler, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of deceased, in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of February, 1895 and on the 24th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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Jackson.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 00 P.M.
Napoleon	6 59 "	2 50 "	1 15 "
Norvell	7 07 "	2 30 "	1 23 "
Manchester	7 27 "	2 45 "	1 35 "
Clinton	7 36 "	2 54 "	1 39 "
Tecumseh	7 53 "	3 11 "	1 58 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 09 "	3 25 "	2 10 "
Detroit	10 15 "	5 25 "	4 15 "
Toledo	9 05 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

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TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 312 Express.	No. 318 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	8 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	10 30 "	8 20 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 27 "	9 15 "	7 10 "
Clinton	11 36 "	9 25 "	7 20 "
Manchester	11 55 "	9 48 "	7 40 "
Norvell	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 30	L....Allegan.....A	1 46	
		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M.	12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 20	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
5 20	7 45	1 21	Marshall	11 14	12 33
9 05	8 25	1 56	Homer	12 36	11 46
9 35	9 11	2 29	Hanover	10 29	11 09
11 20	9 50	3 00	Addison	10 08	10 18
12 24	10 14	3 18	Devils Lake	9 43	9 54
12 53	10 23	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
....	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 51	Tecumseh	9 10	8 61
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 25	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 29
2 49	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 25	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....L	7 25	6 50
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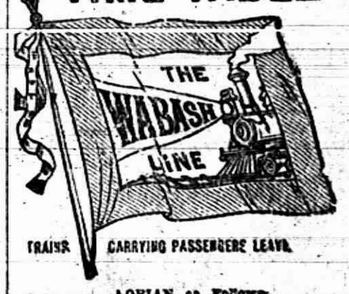

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New Policy of the Lake Shore.

The Detroit Free Press says: The management of John Newell placed the Lake Shore in the foremost rank of American railroads. It has no grades worth speaking of and can handle traffic and make money at rates that would yield nothing to a competitor. All this and many other desirable things have been accomplished under a conservative management and one might imagine that futher good results would be looked for along the same lines. Word comes that the past policy of the Lake Shore is to be reversed. It is announced, not officially, that President Caldwell will adopt a policy of aggressiveness in both the passenger and freight departments. The men in the employ of the Lake Shore are now expected to get out and hustle for business in a more lively manner than formerly. A new issue of Lake Shore stock is among the early probabilities. This will be issued to present stockholders and the funds used to pay off the bonded indebtedness. The surplus will be used to defray the expenses of elevating the company's tracks at Chicago.

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Mayor Strong is putting out a great many advance notices on his contemplated fight on Tom Platte. Tom is sawing wood and preparing a fight.

M. D. Bailey, receiving teller, Grand Rapids, (Mich.) Savings Bank, says he cannot say too much in favor of "Adironda," Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure. Sold by Orr & Temple.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

ON the 21st Senator Frye's Hawaiian resolution was again debated in the senate, Mr. Gray defending the administration. The fortifications appropriation bill was passed and the conference report on the deficiency bill was agreed to.... In the house a bill was introduced authorizing the issue of 5 per cent. bonds and repealing the legal tender act of 1878. A bill appropriating $1,000,000 for a new post office building in Chicago was passed. Mr. Breckinridge offered a resolution favoring the annexation of Hawaii. A favorable report was ordered on the bill passed by the senate to provide for gold and silver coinage at the branch mint at Denver, Col.

AGAIN the policy of the administration as to Hawaii was the subject of sharp attack and defense in the United States senate on the 22d. Petitions were presented from citizens of Alabama claiming that they were deprived of a republican form of government and asking the intervention of congress.... In the house the Indian appropriation bill was passed, as was also a bill to authorize the appointments before March 4 of a cadet to the naval academy from each congressional district not actually represented. The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted and the measure was passed.

IN the senate bills were introduced on the 23d for an amendment to the diplomatic and consular bill providing $500,000 for the survey of a cable route connecting the Hawaiian islands with the United States; to provide for a nonpartisan currency commission of twelve members to make investigations of fiscal questions and for an issue of bonds to produce revenues for the government. Senator Jones (Ark.) introduced his financial and currency bill.... In the house the sundry civil appropriation bill ($38,549,721) was discussed. A joint resolution was reported to amend the constitution so as to provide that the president shall be eligible to service but one term.

A BILL was introduced in the senate on the 24th to punish persons who steal news in transmission by tapping wires. A resolution was offered looking towards the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands, and in the meantime a sufficient naval force should be maintained in Hawaiian waters.... In the house a bill was reported providing for officers of the regular army to give military instructions in public schools. The sundry civil appropriation bill was further considered.

IN the senate on the 25th the Nicaragua canal bill was passed by a vote of 31 to 11. Senator Burrows (Mich.) introduced a bill to regulate the navigation on the great lakes and their connecting tributaries. Senator Allen (Neb.) spoke in favor of the resolution for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands, and Senator Mills (Tex.) upheld the administration policy.... In the house the sundry civil appropriation bill was passed with an amendment authorizing the secretary of the treasury to retire and cancel the gold certificates and make them non-receivable for customs dues after July 1 next.

DOMESTIC.

CONTRARY to first reports, were lost by the sinking of the steamer State of Missouri in the Ohio river.

A TERRIFIC snowstorm was raging in the California mountains and in the railroad cuts the drifts were from 20 to 50 feet deep.

A CYCLONE near Pigott, Ark., fatally injured two persons and seriously wounded nine others. Much property was destroyed. At McKane's mill several dwellings were totally demolished and eleven people wounded, two of them fatally.

DEBS and his associates were admitted to bail by the supreme court, pending the hearing of the petition for habeas corpus.

JAMES ROBINSON, of Bridgeport, N. J., was taken with a paralytic stroke while viewing his dead sister's body and died in a short time.

A TORNADO swept over Chicago, prostrating insecure walls and tearing signs from their fastenings. Joseph Huntal was killed and fourteen others were injured.

A BILL to prohibit the teaching or practice of mesmerism was introduced in the Missouri house.

TWENTY families in Rusk, Wis., were said to be in a starving condition.

A BILL was introduced in the Connecticut legislature to prevent the employment in shops of married women whose husbands are able to support them.

IT was said that 100,000 negroes would be removed from the states of Alabama, Georgia and Louisiana to northern Mexico within the next six months.

THE Missouri house bill to make train robbery punishable by death was favorably reported.

THE supreme court of Iowa decided that divorce proceedings could not be begun by an insane person through his guardian.

A COMMITTEE representing 100 destitute families in Yuma county, Col., sent out an appeal for clothing, provisions, coal, seed and grain.

EDWARD RIVERS, living near Brownsville, Ky., killed his two children, a boy of 6 and a girl of 8 years, and fired a bullet into his own brain. Rivers was addicted to the use of morphine.

A BILL forbidding display of foreign flag on public buildings passed the New York assembly.

IN an encounter between troops and strikers in Brooklyn, N. Y., Henry Ahnes, a spectator, was shot. Linemen had been ordered to strike.

THE school board of St. Joe, Mo., decided that no pupils using cigarettes would be allowed to attend the public schools.

THE attempt to impeach Judge Augustus J. Ricks, of Cleveland, failed in the house judiciary committee by an adverse vote of 9 to 7.

FIRE destroyed the store of A. S. Thomlinson & Co. at Charleston, S. C., the loss being $150,000.

HAY dealers from all parts of the country met in Cleveland and formed a national organization.

THE secret service officials at Washington discovered a new counterfeit $10 silver certificate of the series of 1891, check letter B; J. Fount Tillman, register; D. N. Morgan, treasurer; portrait of Hendricks.

THOMAS E. HERSEY, of Newburyport, Mass., killed his sweetheart, Emma Ellery, and himself.

FIVE kegs of powder exploded in the coal mines at the Trade Water company's plant near Sturgis, Ky., causing the walls to cave in and kill five men.

Low Rates South.

On February 5th the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Ry. will sell low rate excursion tickets to all points in the Southern States. Enquire of ticket agents. 1w

THE lower house of the Indiana legislature adopted a resolution favoring the annexation of Hawaii.

THE corner stone of a new masonic temple to cost $500,000 was laid at Detroit, Mich.

NONUNION workmen started the Buckeye glass works at Wheeling, W. Va., after a two-years' strike.

THE steamer Chicora with a crew of twenty-five men and one passenger were given up as lost on Lake Michigan.

TWO MEN and a boy were burned to death by a fire which destroyed a morocco factory in Brooklyn, N. Y.

"KID" WRIGHT, known all over the country as an expert counterfeiter, was arrested in Duluth, Minn.

GOLD was found in a creek at Marysville, Ia., and the inhabitants were much excited over the discovery.

A PETITION for a mandamus to prevent collection of the income tax was overruled in the district equity court at Washington.

THE People's savings institution at Erie, Pa., made an assignment with liabilities of $358,000 and assets of $429,000.

MAJ. JOHN WRIGHT, of Philadelphia, died at a Chicago hotel while on the way to California for his health.

TEN feet of snow fell in ninety hours in Northern California. Trains had been held eighty hours and the blockade would last four days longer.

THE building trades council of St Louis adopted a new constitution which abolishes the walking delegate, declares that strikes are failures, that boycotts are un-American, and that arbitration is the only method in settling difficulties.

A NEW bank with $50,000 capital was organized at Greentown, Ind.

THE militia succeeded in restoring peace in Brooklyn, N. Y., and it was thought that the railway strike was about over. Judge Gaynor granted a mandamus compelling the Brooklyn Heights road to run its cars.

MRS. MARGARET MCVERNEY, of Boston, believed to be insane, drowned her two children and after laying them out for burial told the police.

TWO HUNDRED citizens of Lorain, O., were rendered seriously ill by drinking impure water.

E. V. DEBS and other American Railway union men, released from the Woodstock jail, appeared in the federal court in Chicago to answer conspiracy charges.

NEBRASKA legislators were petitioned to urge congress to have Papal Delegate Satolli deported from America.

MRS. MARY HOOF, a widow, and her 2-year-old child were found frozen to death in a tenement house in Indianapolis, Ind.

TWO MASKED men held up the Cotton Belt train near McNeil, Ark., and robbed the express car of $25,000.

ALL the single men mining coal for the Kansas & Texas Coal company at Ardmore, Mo., were discharged.

THE Keats & Stanley company of Providence, R. I., known throughout the country as the largest manufacturers of jewelry and small silver novelties in the United States, failed for $800,000.

THE property of the Georgia Mining and Manufacturing company at Atlanta, valued at $3,000,000, was placed in the hands of a receiver.

A SENSATION among Knights of Pythias at Elwood, Ind., was caused by the lodge there taking steps to expel all saloonkeepers from membership at once.

THIRTY-SIX dairy cows were roasted to death in a stable fire which occurred just outside the city limits of Washington, D. C.

MRS. ELIZABETH RICHARDS, aged 80 years, was killed at Columbus, O., by falling from a window.

THERE were 563 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 25th, against 373 the week previous and 430 in the corresponding time in 1894.

AT Middleburg, Pa., a sleighing party collided with a train and four persons were killed and several others injured.

MICHAEL RUDAK the 3-year-old son of a coker at Connellsville, Pa., died from nicotine poisoning. His father taught him to smoke as a family amusement.

A JURY was secured in the trial at Chicago of Eugene V. Debs, president of the American Railway union, on the charge of conspiracy.

THE governor of Nebraska has signed the bill appropriating $50,000 for drought sufferers. Plenty of supplies were in sight.

PETER KUHS, a lumber dealer at Defiance, O., failed for $100,000.

THE Crescent oil mill near Little Rock, Ark., was burned, the loss being $475,000.

SIX men were killed, six others badly injured and property worth $100,000 destroyed by a boiler explosion in a brewery at Mendota, Ill.

AT Bouger's Landing, near Natchez, Miss., a flatboat containing two men, a woman and a child capsized in a whirlpool and all were drowned.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 25th aggregated $917,003,847, against $977,302,666 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 10.3.

THE total gold shipments for the seven days ended on the 25th were over $14,000,000, leaving the treasury reserve at $77,000,000.

DUN'S review of trade says business is depressed, owing to distrust arising from the continued exports of gold.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, was hanged in the jail at Rocky Mount, Va., for the murder of Jerry Barbour, a prominent farmer, two years ago.

HEAVY snowstorms prevailed in several western states. In Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin traffic is almost suspended.

REV. FATHER O'HARA, a priest, took part in the Brooklyn trolley strike, paying one of the new men $10 to leave his car.

PORTIONS of Alabama were swept by a cyclone which did great damage. At Abbeville a child was killed.

A LARGE amount of spurious money has been put in circulation in southwestern Virginia.

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Morenci is in a squabble over the electric light question.

A certain Hanover dealer is rushing the season by advertising grain binders for sale.

Hillsdale college students are strictly forbidden to attend dancing parties hereafter.

A company has been organized at Adrian for the manufacture of steel fence posts. Solid business men are at the head of it.

Petitions are being circulated in the state asking a re-submission of the prohibition question to the voters at the next general election.

M. F. Redfield, who has so ably edited the Adrian Telegram since its first publication, has severed his connection with that paper.

Four cows and a calf broke through the ice in Ogden last week and were drowned. The loss falls seriously on the farmer who owned them.

Representative Edgar is home spending the ten days' recess of the legislature. The doctor is much pleased with legislative work so far.—Blissfield Advance.

Mrs. M. A. Hazlett has been in Lansing since the legislature convened and has been given a position in the office of the Secretary of State.—Addison Courier.

Ann Arbor has a "political equality" club, comprised entirely of women. What kind of equality is that, we should like to know? No dinner at home on the days of the club meetings.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD, noting the recent savage cock fight in that village, inquires with guileless innocence and marvelous surprise, "Where were the Tecumseh officers about that time?" Probably watching the fight and betting on the result.—Adrian Press.

The Lenawee and Monroe county teachers' associations will hold a joint meeting at Petersburgh, Saturday, February 2d. Hon. H. R. Pattengill is expected to be present, as well as a large delegation of teachers from Lenawee, Monroe and Wayne counties.

A Farmington widow, in tears and trailing black veil, appeared for administration of her husband's estate, and in reply to the query if the husband left a will, assured the judge between her frequent weeps, that he never had a will while he lived with her. The judge at once granted letters.

A Deerfield merchant must have struck a blue Monday, as he began the day by letting the contents of a molasses barrel mingle with the sand, then he broke an elegant china dish, and capped the climax by falling down cellar with two crocks of butter, breaking the crocks and his temper at the same time.

About last Christmas the Post commenced the printing of a job which consisted of 7,000 copies of a book of 288 pages, and the completing of the work this week has somewhat interfered with the prompt issue of the Post. This job required nearly three tons of paper, which is probably more than double the quantity ever used in one job of printing in this city.—Hudson Post.

Some Deerfield people do not put forth much manual labor, in an effort to clean snow from the sidewalks, which seems to make the editor of the local paper there have abundant caloric under the collar, and he allows that the Deerfield people are shiftless and lazy. Bet half a cord of green basswood his office stairs haven't been swept in seven weeks.—Adrian Press.

The Washtenaw Times commented upon the statement made by the Ann Arbor Democrat, that a lady "died of general ability," saying it was a new disease added to the list of human ills, whereupon the Democrat tartly rejoins that there was no danger of editors catching it, and that they would not be obliged to wear a bag of sulphur around the neck for safety.

Twins were recently born in Battle Creek under circumstances as to time that will be confusing when in future years anniversary celebrations will be in order. Though born within ten minutes of each other, one was born one day and the other the day following; one was born in one month, the other in the succeeding month; one was born in one year and the other in the next year—that is to say, one was born at 11:55 o'clock Monday night, Dec. 31, 1894 and the other at 12:05 o'clock Tuesday morning, Jan. 1, 1895.

A young man appeared at County Treasurer Jacklin's office the other day and wanted to take out a license. Mr. Jacklin asked why he didn't wait until May as it would be cheaper. It would cost $150 now. "What!" exclaimed the would be benedict, "$150 for a marriage license. I didn't know they cost so much." Just then it dawned on the new treasurer that the young man didn't want to start a saloon, and he was soon piloted to the clerk's office and made happy, and the laugh is on Mr. Jacklin.—Evening Telegram.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Facts or Fiction about Two Great Fair Awards.

A newspaper paragraph denounces as "false" the claim of a baking powder company to an award at the world's Fair. What can it mean?

Certainly not Dr. Price's. Why? Because, as the records show, Dr. Price's exhibited competed and received the highest award, both at Chicago and the California Midwinter Fair. The award in California included Gold Medal. The official examiners pronounced it the strongest, the purest, the most wholesome and efficient of all the baking powders. Its title to confidence is unquestioned.

Can it be the manufactures of a New York powder fictitiously labelled "absolutely pure who are making "false" claims? That would be strange indeed in as much as they were not even considered in the awards.

Was it Ammonia in the New York powder that prevented its makers from competing? If not, what?

THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Annual Meeting Held at the [illegible] of the Institute.

The Lenawee County Agricultural Society was called to order by the president at 2:30 o'clock. The roll of [illegible] was called by the secretary, followed by the reading of the minutes of last meeting.

The president said he had prepared no formal address, but he congratulated the society on keeping even [illegible] or nearly so, notwithstanding the times. This is the only agricultural society in the state that maintains a similar institute.

The secretary's report showed receipts, $6,539.51; disbursements, $6,611, a deficit balance, $41.60. There was a profit in the fair of $550 last year.

Report accepted.

The report of the treasurer [illegible] and was adopted.

The election of officers was [illegible]. On motion the election was by ballot. The secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the society. Geo. B. Horton for president and [illegible] elected. The same course was taken in regard to the rest of the officers.

H. Ferguson was elected secretary.
W. H. Wiggins was elected treasurer.
Directors were elected as follows:
Adrian—Chas. Wilcox.
Blissfield—Byron E. Niles.
Cambridge—Granville Lyman.
Clinton—David Woodward.
Dover—J. B. Stockwell.
Deerfield—Dale Munson.
Franklin—C. H. Bramble.
Fairfield—C. Quick.
Hudson—L. A. Lawrence.
Macon—Daniel Wiggins.
Madison—H. C. Bradish.
Medina—A. D. Osborne.
Ogden—J. W. Sell.
Palmyra—E. F. Underwood.
Riga—E. B. Cantlebury.
Rollin—Porter Beals.
Rome—Howard Hopkins.
Raisin—B. I. Laing.
Ridgeway—Wm. Wilson.
Seneca—W. C. Rorick.
Tecumseh—J. F. N. Bowen.
Woodstock—A. M. Sickley.
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Second ward—Geo. Fleming.
Third ward—J. W. Davis.
Fourth ward—J. R. Bennett.

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MEMORIES OF A JOURNEY.

Supt. W. R. Bresie and His Trials at the City of Mexico.

The return of Mr. W. R. Bresie, the superintendent of the Pacific Express company, from the City of Mexico, after an absence of twelve days, was noted in these columns last evening, but time prevented allusion to his personal observations and odd experiences in the ancient Spanish city, whose population is put down at 500,000, of which 37 per cent is Indian.

Mr. Bresie had been in Texas on business in company with some of the chief officials of the Pacific Express company. He did not intend to go to Mexico, but suddenly concluded to do so, and he went along.

At Laredo he took out a $20 greenback and had it changed into Mexican money. He was surprised to receive in return $39.20 in Mexican silver, half the value of American money, less 80 cents taken out to allow for fluctuation while the $39.20 held out. Silver in the Mexican Republic is very much depreciated and the people feel its effects in all branches of business. Time was when a Mexican dollar in Decatur was worth 80 cents, but in Mexico it is only worth 50 cents of an American dollar. Mr. Bresie paid $9 for sleeping car accommodations from Laredo to the capitol city, ($4.50 in U. S. coin), and he arrived at his destination at 11 o'clock at night, putting up at the best hotel in the place, getting a room where he had to wait until the bed was prepared for use. The Mexicans do not bring the bed clothes into a room in a hotel until the guest is assigned the apartment. Then comes the hustling.

Mr. Bresie had extreme difficulty the first day in Mexico in making himself understood. He cannot speak a word of Spanish, and his vigorous and varied signs were not understood. He managed to get a cup of coffee, ham and eggs and some bread at a restaurant before retiring, and the next day he got an interpreter in the person of a son of Mr. Nixon, the express agent, and then he had no more trouble with the natives. It was easy sailing for him then.

Before getting the interpreter Mr. Bresie tried to get a postage stamp to send a letter to the states. He had a circus at the postoffice making signs, holding up the addressed letter and struggling to make himself understood. It was no go. Finally he took five 5-cent stamps and put one on the letter which was addressed to Decatur, Ill. Later Mr. B. learned that it takes a 10-cent stamp to send a letter to any point in the interior of Mexico and only a 5-cent stamp to any point outside. He thought that was singular, but it is the Mexican way of doing things.

In the early part of the present month (January) there was an earthquake disturbance in Mexico. It came one night while Mr. Nixon was sitting in his parlor reading a paper. He felt the dizzy, waving motion, and looking up he saw the hanging lamp swinging back and forth like a pendulum. It was enough to raise the hair, but Mr. N. was not very much disturbed. He is used to such experiences, having been there many years. As a consequence of the shake-up all of the opera houses, cathedrals and churches were condemned as unsafe. Nevertheless, while the largest cathedral has a great rent in it in front from the top to the bottom, one day Mr. Bresie saw it crowded with worshippers. He was told that the priests had gone to the top of a mountain where they prayed and sprinkled something on the crest, and the people believe that now there will be no more danger.

The people do business in the old way, ignoring wagons and sticking to the burros, being content to travel long distances many journeys to transport articles that might be carried in a wagon one trip. The Pacific company now has two large wagons on the streets in the City of Mexico to expedite its business. The wagons were built in Chicago and cost the company $1,000 each laid down in the city. They are drawn by mules, but frequently they are pulled short distances by the Mexicans who are too lazy to hitch up the teams.

Mr. Bresie left the dull city Wednesday and came to Decatur in a sleeper, making but one change, arriving here on Sunday. The sleeper went through to Boston. He brought home a number of souvenirs from Mexico. He doesn't care to go there again, and he was emphatic in the declaration that he would not give Macon county for the whole of the Mexican Republic, with its barren soil, earthquakes, bull rings, beggars, and dollars depreciated to half the value of American money.—Decatur (Ill.) Republican.

The Modern Invalid

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A TRIP TO DETROIT.

A Bleak Blistering Day Turned to Good Business Advantage.

Business occasionally calls us to the City of the Straits. We prefer going however in the summer season, when the city is attired in loveliest green, when the river is decked with shipping, and the wharves are alive with the bustle of trade. Last Monday was about the roughest day we ever struck in that town, but the warm cosy offices and stores where we halted upon our rounds was in marked contrast to the blistering weather without.

We found Bert Tribou still filling the responsible position of cashier for the National Loan and Investment Co. This institution is regarded as one of the solid financial concerns of the city, and Bert seems to be a fixture there. He is evidently doing well, which fact all his old Tecumseh friends will be glad to learn.

Mr. F. C. Stoepel was found in his office at the wholesale house of Burnham, Stoepel & Co. This firm have weathered the hard times of '93 and '94 unscathed and they look forward to a good spring trade. Enterprise and push, mingled with conservative management, form a combination that has pushed this house to the front during the past few years. They surely have a bright business future before them.

Capt. Jas. C. Wheeler has severed his connection with the U. S. Collectors office, where he was a fixture for so many years, and is now giving his whole attention to the Granule Co., in which he and his son own considerable stock. The manufacture of medical granules for doctors use is growing rapidly, and this company is one of the first to embark in the new system, and is working up a lucrative business.

Drs. Kennedy & Kergan still occupy their old quarters on the corner of Shelby street and Michigan Avenue. They are specialists of more than state reputation. Their success in chronic ailments and their honorable business methods continue to bring them a large and lucrative practice.

George M. Savage occupies a fine suite of rooms in the second story of the Hammond Block, where the latch string is always out to the newspaper men of Michigan. Mr. Savage has for many years been the leading advertising agent of this state and among the foremost in the western states. The HERALD has been one of his patrons for twenty years and during all that period our business relations have been very smooth and pleasant. He has the faculty of keeping on friendly terms with both advertisers and newspapers, which is no easy task sometimes. That success and prosperity may continue to attend him is the sincere wish of the HERALD.

A brief call at the Free Press job department finished the day's work. The business of this company is now run in two sections. The daily and weekly Free Press occupy the new building on Lafayette avenue, near the new postoffice building, while the job and engraving rooms are located in the old building, corner of Shelby and Larned streets. That building is now filled with these two departments, and there is no room to spare, either. The growth of their jobbing and engraving custom for the past five years has been phenomenal.

Taking the Wabash train at 3:30, a ride of an hour and a half brought us to Britton. Supper at the Exelby House gave us a rest, and two hours after supper were devoted to interviewing the merchants of that hustling village. The Mackinaw train landed us safely at home about ten o'clock, and a walk of a mile with the thermometer at zero completed a wearisome day's journey.

Brainard's Musical World.

The February number of this popular magazine contains a large amount of choice musical reading, including articles by Wm. H. Sherwood, Emil Liebling, Robert Goldbeck and other eminent musicians. Fine portraits of Liszt, Schumann, Melba and other illustrations are given, together with four piano pieces and a beautiful new song—eighteen pages of music in all. A piano lesson by Emil Liebling, also a fine portrait, suitable for framing, is given with each number. Terms $1.50 per year, 15 cents per copy. To introduce the World to those who have never taken it, it will be sent four months on trial on receipt of 25 cents in stamps. Address The S. Brainard's Sons Co. Chicago.

Table Talk.

Table Talk for Feb. opens with an interesting and instructive article on "Mushrooms and Toadstools" by Julius Palmer, the renowned authority on such subjects. This is followed by the usual departments in which this month, the receipts alone number fully three dozen and in which are given the freshest notes on fashions, serving, and all questions of interest to the housekeeper and homemaker. There are also the menus for the month, a lesson in Dietetics, the Washington letter on Society's doings at the Capitol and an article, "Over the tea-cups, a bright readable resume of the latest popular books. Our readers can see a sample copy by addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

ALBA HEYWOOD AT HOME.

"Edgewood Folks" and "Down in Injianny" Greeted With a Rousing House.

Seldom, if ever, is seen so large an audience as that which greeted Alba Heywood in "Edgewood Folks" at the opera house Saturday evening. Every seat was occupied, both up and down stairs, and many were standing. It was a genuine ovation. Alba has for some years been quite a favorite here, and Saturday evening he and his excellent company captivated all by the artistic manner in which every part was presented. Even the children taken from among us seemed almost inspired, so naturally and so perfectly did they acquit themselves. It seemed almost wonderful that there was not a false move made by any of them, and it was a beautiful picture they presented in the picnic scene. The curtain raiser, "Down in Injianny," in one scene, was presented admirably; many of the characters were extremely difficult, yet every one was sustained artistically and made real. Alba, as Grandfather Pelgen, gained new laurels; Charles McElhaney was equal to his difficult role as Hezekiah Pelgen; Fred Truesdall, as Bud Neeley, and Genevieve Stoy, as Hetty Pelgen, were good. Edward J. Thompson, as Tobe Daggs, a white-cap, had but little to do or say, but did all that was required of him; and Lillian Spellman, as Maria Pelge, sustained this heartless character perfectly.

In "Edgewood Folks" all gave perfect satisfaction to the large and critical audience. The play is one in which Sol Smith Russell gained his reputation and was written simply to allow of different specialties. Alba Heywood filled to the letter all the different roles assigned him and gained new honors. Nellie Louise Davis charmed all by her singing as well as acting. Genevieve Stoy rendered the skirt dance acceptably, and all the rest did their parts well. Of course the central figure was Alba and the others had little opportunity for great work. It was an evening of great enjoyment and next season, when Alba comes with his new play, he is assured a packed house.

Again has been seen and keenly felt the necessity of an orchestra, and with the competent musicians we have here we can't understand why Manager Sutton does not secure one.

A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

Mary McCaughn Burned to Death in Her Own Home.

Near the target at the intersection of the Lake Shore and Mackinaw roads, stands an unpretentious little dwelling, which has been owned and occupied for many years by Miss Mary McCaughn. She has lived there since before war times, and had reached the ripe old age of nearly eighty years. She had always enjoyed good health however and thought nothing of living alone.

Wednesday afternoon, while warming some bedding at the store, it took fire, and in her effort to extinguish the flames her clothing took fire. With great presence of mind she ran out into the yard and rolled in the snow to put out the flames. The section men on the Mackinaw happened along with a hand car just then and ran to her assistance. She was carried into the house and physicians were summoned, but medical aid was of no avail, and death relieved her from her suffering Thursday morning. Her body was so severely burned that the flesh dropped therefrom in many places.

The funeral will be held at her late residence, tomorrow afternoon, Rev. C. M. Brown, officiating.

JOHN BOYD THACHER A WITNESS.

He Fully Verifies a Disputed World's Fair Award.

John Boyd Thacher is laconic and decisive in his statements. During the lively campaign just closed in New York this marked him especially as chairman of the Democratic State Committee. It was equally true of him as chairman of the Executive Committee on Awards at the World's Fair. This is the positive and sententious way in which he verifies in an official letter, the honors won by Dr. Price's Baking Powder: "I herewith enclose you an official copy of your award, which in due time will be inscribed in the diploma and forwarded." Thus the question respecting the award, raised by an envious New York rival, is settled beyond cavil. This same rival by the way is widely advertising an award for itself. The official records prove this claim wholly false, as they show the New York pretender was not so much as an exhibitor at the World's Fair.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

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GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

SO SEEMS OF IT.

The maid expects
Her beau to-night,
And fills the stove
With anthracite,
Because the air
Is raw and damp,
But quite forgets
To fill the lamp.

—Boston Courier.

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One evening the last of the week a young Clinton gent and two lady friends went out to a gathering on Wall street. They had Jerry from the livery and a fine new cutter. Jerry seemed to have his skates on, and the way they all rolled around was a caution. When within a mile of their destination Jerry skated them into a snowdrift and left them there. When they righted themselves it was discovered that the cross-bar was broken, and they accordingly continued the journey on foot, and most of the way home, for that matter. There would be no sport cutter riding if not accompanied with something to relieve the monotony, which the happy trio had in this case.

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Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, would be a suitable person to respond to the sentiment, "The Power of the Press," says the Big Rapids Herald. For two or three years he has had in newspapers warm defenders of some of his cranky ideas and measures pertaining to the government of the metropolis of Michigan, but when in his madness he so bitterly and cruelly assailed the press, he sacrificed his best friends, and strengthened his enemies a hundred fold. He better had encountered a lot of band saws—he would have come out better. It is rarely within the experience of a public official to be assailed by the populace and to have such a write-up by the local press as Mayor Pingree has just had. He has been a bull in a china shop in the past—he is now a bull trying to bunt an express train off the track.

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—Bill Nye has been down to Washington, and pays his respects to Senator Hoar in his weekly letter as follows: Senator Hoar delivered a speech on Daniel Webster one day while I was present. He pronounces Mr. Webster's first name Dan-nill. It was an eloquent, scholarly and classical speech, and reflected great credit on both Mr. Hoar and Mr. Webster. The speaker started off in a rather nervous manner, fearing no doubt, that I would criticise his manner of delivery, but I caught his eye and gave him at once an assuring look which seemed to cheer him greatly as he proceeded. Mr. Hoar has a face that is not exactly suited to a memorial oration, but seems better fitted for playing Joshua Whitcomb. He has a nice, chubby, Pickwick face, with a sweet little rosebud mouth, and there is a warm radiance about his spectacles which would ripen a watermelon in Nova Zembla. In appearance Senator George Frisbie Hoar is a combination of Denman Thompson and Horace Greely, but a more classical cuss never ransacked the tomes of forgotten lore. A speech by Mr. Hoar with no allusion to Mithridates, or other still earlier dates, may be safely regarded as a fraud. He wears a short sack coat, and when he tries to look severe, it is like the frown of an illuminated plum pudding.

The Gold Flower.

This flower, so fittingly called Gold Flower, was produced by M. Moser, of Versailles, France, and introduced in Europe last season, the plants selling at a very high figure, only a few plants coming to America. The flowers are two or three inches across, of a bright, shining, golden yellow and bearing numerous handsome stamens. The plant is of low, spreading, branching growth, with handsome leaves, the upper side much darker than the lower. It is perfectly hardy, forms an excellent border, or is grand for bedding, while as a single pot plant it is charming with its clean, bright green foliage as a background for the flowers, great, shiny yellow disks, brilliant in their reflections as burnished gold.

This year an enterprising firm is offering it at the price of ordinary plants, viz., 25 cents a plant,

By sending 10 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for Vick's Floral Guide, (which amount may be deducted from first order), you will learn all about this beautiful plant Hypericum Moserianium, and also regarding their offer of $300 cash for a name for the New Double Sweet Pea.

The World's Fair Reproduced.

Did you visit the World's Fair in Chicago, or did you find it impossible to go? Whether you did or not, you can see it reproduced in all its glory in "The Graphic History of the Fair," which is fully described in our "Special Announcement" elsewhere in this issue. We are in a position to offer this grand work at only about half price. Hon. Edmond Heuwaert' Consul-General for France, says he "has perused the work with great interest and pleasure, each page, each picture calling back the memories of the past year in their most vivid form."

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., FEB 8, 1895.

Chas. H. Randall is improving slowly.

Tate & Stoner shipped sheep and hogs Monday.

Fred Kensler, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

Will Niblack spent Sunday with his family at Macon.

Wm. C. Rogers is at Mason this week with his patent fence.

Prof. Wilcox spent Sunday at Addison, his former home.

E. G. Woodard visited Jackson from Saturday till Monday.

Frank Dorr is recovering from his siege with the jaundice.

Charles F. Clark made a trip to Detroit the last of the week.

Mrs. Tate, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

A. F. Freeman, the lawyer of Manchester, was in town Monday.

John VanTuyle visited Brooklyn friends Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Witherell are entertaining friends from abroad.

Miss Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ella Niblack.

Miss Adah Case has been with Mame Bradner while her mother was in Texas.

Editor Blanchard has a man from Piqua, Ohio, assisting him in the office.

Johnnie Tuttle came home from Albion to spend Sunday with his people.

Ella Jacobs is visiting her uncle Peter and family at Adrian this week.

Ben. Howland, of Brooklyn, has been visiting relatives in this vicinity since Friday.

Frank Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, was in town calling on friends the first of the week.

Lyman Huntington, of Detroit, is visiting his brother Albert and family this week.

It is reported that a Mr. Putnam and wife of Adrian, will soon occupy the Hotel Edrose.

Tuesday morning was the coldest of the season, the thermometer showing 21° below zero.

Geo. A. Kies, E. R. Smith and Solomon Parker were on the sick list the first of the week.

About thirty from here went to see Alba Heywood in "Edgewood Folks" at Tecumseh Saturday night.

A. C. Huntington was in Detroit over Sunday. As usual, he attended as many church services as possible.

Mrs. Snell, of Tecumseh, was up the last of the week to see her mother, Mrs. Haggart, who has been sick.

Mrs. Frank McClure has been having one of her severe illnesses usual to the winter season, but is now gaining again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Downs, left for their western home the last of the week.

The Baptist social was held at the home of Edgar Randall, north of town, Tuesday evening. They had a pleasant time.

This has been the banner week for tramps. The accommodations for this class of people have been taxed to their utmost extent.

Our esteemed friend, Mrs. E. P. Felton, was quite poorly last week, but is improving nicely. She will be 87 years of age very soon.

Meta Schlegel, of Bridgewater, who is attending school at Manchester, was the guest of Fred Tagg's family from Friday till Monday.

Mrs. Addie Wells gave a charming dove party at her cosy home on Church street Tuesday evening. Pedro was the order of the evening.

Mrs. Peter Knight's sabbath school class of twelve boys with their best girls, were entertained by her at her pleasant home Tuesday evening.

Little Laura Freese was very ill Monday and Tuesday and they were alarmed about her condition. She is better now and undoubtedly will recover.

Guy Belding and Prof. Daniels went over to Ann Arbor Monday, and Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, together with their goods, left for their new home.

Frank Woodward was home from Hudson over Sunday. Monday his father shipped a quantity of coke belonging to the former plow company to Hudson.

Charles Fellows, of Saline township, attended Baptist church Sunday morning, and it is expected he will in the near future occupy Mr. Stout's pulpit for a service.

John Campbell, who has been working in the Local office, finished his labors Saturday last and returned to Tecumseh where he accepted a position in the steam laundry.

Mrs. Emma VanDeMark and Louise were in Tecumseh Saturday, not only to attend Heywood's entertainment but to have a visit with Alba himself, he being a friend of many years.

Miss Kittie Ebbitt, of Chicago, arrived Saturday evening for her usual mid-winter visit of three weeks among her relatives and friends. Kit is the same sprightly, light-hearted girl as of yore.

Frank Gragg, wife and one son, returned Monday from a ten day's visit with friends in Hillsdale county. They had a fine time but the weather was such they could not visit all they expected to.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer expect to give up the hotel Edrose and move back into the Howell House, where they were before they took the hotel. They will move as soon as the weather will permit.

The ladies having introduced the custom of giving parties confined exclusively to one sex, we expect, ere long to see stag parties the rage among the male persuasion. Try it, boys, and see how it will work.

Geo. Colling and wife, of Morenci, were the guests of his mother over Sunday. Bob and friend, of Tecumseh, were up, and if Wig had been here it would have been a complete family gathering.

Editor Blanchard feels that his worldly possessions have been greatly increased recently. He and his estimable wife are rejoicing over a bright little daughter, which was born to them Monday morning.

Fred Miller and Minnie Larzelere, it is reported, were married at Manchester last Thursday evening. They have started out in married life young in years, and we only wish they may be prospered, live long and be happy.

Mrs. Mary Bradner returned from her visit to Texas Tuesday, accompanied by Seth's wife and son. She reports a delightful visit. They all feel the change from mild weather, singing of birds and flowers, to the snow and zero weather of the north very keenly.

Orrin Safford and wife, of Flint, are the guests of their brother and sister and brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John L. Tuttle. They are quite muchly related, Mrs. Safford being a sister of the doctor's and Mrs. Tuttle a sister of Mr. Safford.

Miss Maggie Ebbitt went over to Adrian Saturday for two purposes, namely, to call on friends there, and to meet her sister Kit. At eight when returning home they were joined at Tecumseh by Lizzie Kirk, who came up and passed Sunday with them.

Ansel Witherell has sued his son Ed for rent and the case will come before Justice Smith to-day. A. J. Waters, of Manchester, is Mr. Witherell's attorney and Ed has L. H. Saulsbury, of Adrian. It seems too bad that they cannot settle their differences outside the court-room.

The bricklayers were obliged to suspend operations on the Plow company's building, owing to the severity of the weather. The morjar would freeze on the trowel, even. It already looks quite like a building and when completed will be an ornament to the town as well as a model foundry.

Wesley R. Keyser has departed from the usual custom of many engaged in the same business, and instead of placing on the block cows of venerable age, has purchased of W. D. VanTuyle some prime steers. We trust he will find it to his interest to continue so doing, and have no doubt the patrons will appreciate his efforts.

VanTuyle & Palmer make a large shipment of stock to-morrow. They will ship two double decks of sheep and two carloads of catt It has been years since such cattle have been collected as is this lot. Among them are three 3-year-old steers, purchased of Laverne Bidwell, that tip the beam at 5500 pounds, and seventeen steers, coming 3 years, that average 1350 pounds, bought of the Matthews boys. It seems a pity to see such prime stock go out of the country.

To-night, at the town hall, Rev. Ralph E. Macduff, of Flint, will give the next lecture of the course. His subject will be "The South, Before and After the War." Mr. McDuff is an Episcopal clergyman. He was born in the blue grass region in Kentucky, of Scotch parents. Having been reared in the south he knows thoroughly whereof he speaks. Though comparatively new to the platform he already ranks among the foremost platform speakers of the day, and no doubt our people will enjoy a great literary treat this evening.

We had the pleasure of meeting our aged friend Roswell Randall, Tuesday, and congratulated him on reaching his 91st birthday. Mr. R. is remarkably active, for one of his extreme age; he is possessed of all his faculties to a wonderful degree. His eyesight is good, hearing unimpaired, memory a rebuke to many of the young and voice as clear as a bell, sings a fine tenor and writes both poetry and prose that many would be proud to duplicate, though in the vigor of youth. May he live many, many years to enjoy himself, is the prayer of his friends.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

(Delayed Letter)

E. F. Clement had the misfortune to lose a fine young Jersey cow last week.

Mrs. Louisa Vanderpool, of Adrian, who came out to attend the Vanderpool-Rogers wedding, is now visiting old friends in this vicinity.

Several thermometers in exposed places in this vicinity registered 18° below zero early Monday morning. Pretty frigid for southern Michigan.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Edwin Cook is somewhat better, at last accounts, and hopes are entertained that she may be restored to health again.

The embargo laid upon American pork by several European countries is playing the mischief with the farmers' incomes in this country, especially those who have engaged largely in the production of this anti-Jewish staple.

Miss Minnie Vanderpool is no more, having become Mrs. Cecil Rogers. Quite a large company of relatives attended the wedding, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. A. Vanderpool. Rev. Williams officiated, the bride being a member of his church. Their hosts of friends will wish them success and happiness.

The library association announce that Feb. 9th will be the date of the next business meeting. A full attendance of members is requested, and the book committee also ask each member to write on a slip of paper the names of such books as they would like purchased by the committee. A selection will be made from these. After business there will be a fine program, music, etc., and coffee and doughnuts will be served by the ladies, all for the low price of ten cents. Everybody and his wife and mother-in-law, come and be welcome.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Clarence Wisner is on the gain.

A. D. Hunt is on the sick list, but a little better at last accounts.

Mrs. Mary Deming is gaining slowly. A rib was broken by striking a chair when she fell.

Born, Jan. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Seth Simmons, a daughter. Mother and child doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen were called to Ypsilanti last Friday by a telegram announcing the illness of their daughter Irene.

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FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Last Tuesday evening a bright, jolly and congenial crowd, assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schreder, to enjoy the hospitality of the Farmers' Social Club. The prevailing craze (indulgence in oyster suppers) recently lay siege to the club with such force that there was not one opposing voice, all entering in with the usual spirit that is characteristic of the members of the F. S. C. when any thing out of the ordinary is to take place. The mercury ranged well below zero that evening, but it did not seem to affect the company, as all came prepared for a good time, and judging from remarks made by the invited guests and members of the club, think none were disappointed.

That Mr. and Mrs. Schreder understand fully how to care for such a crowd was evident to be seen. The program was listened to with interest by all. Mr. and Mrs. Strong sang sweetly "Beautiful Days." Mrs. Remington responded to her part with her usual alacrity; Delmar Finch recited "Farmer John" very nicely and little Hazel Roberts pleased the company by singing "The Horse Shoe hung over the Door." Dialogue, "Be Courteous," might well serve as an object lesson to a portion of young America,' Cora Halsted and others sang "How the Gates came Ajar." The dialogue by the school children showed considerable talent and thorough training. Ralph Gillespie gave a bright Declamation, which was followed by a song by Stoten Strong; Mary Murphy sang "Don't go out To-night, My Darling" and was called back and sang again—that closing the exercises for the evening. Supper was then announced and about 150 hungry mortals made raid on the oysters and provisions provided by the club. On entering the basement our eyes beheld four neat and tasily arranged tables, at each table were stationed willing workers, to cater to the wants of all. The committee in charge deserve special praise for the management of the supper as it was a success. After supper the merry crowd dispersed to their respective homes, each pleased that they had attended the F. S. C. meeting.

The Club will meet in two weeks on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19, at Mrs. F. D. Rector's with the following program:

Music—Grace Gillespie.
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Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mon., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mon.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

M. L. Gillen did not start out Monday as he expected.

No one should neglect to hear John R. Clarke the 21st.

Willis Helen has a fine lot of blankets at greatly reduced prices.

Twenty-five cents to hear John R. Clarke on John B. Gough, the 21st.

Charlie Gorman and lady friend spent Sunday with his people at Marshall.

Sant Cutting, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday looking over the Plating works.

There is a slight prospect of the Plating works removing to Tecumseh ere long.

Strand F. Marsteller, of Clinton, was here the last of the week in the interest of his business.

Jehiel Davidson and wife, of Tecumseh, assisted in celebrating John Britton's birthday, Tuesday.

The price on single admissions to the lecture course entertainments have been reduced from 35 cents to 25 cents.

Chas. Egan, of the firm of J. D. Kinney & Co., Tecumseh, was shaking hands with his acquaintances Wednesday.

One of the deputy sheriffs and the turnkey of *Adrian* were in town the first of the week. They kept their business a secret.

Mrs. W. J. Helen and children were *the guests* of her father, Benjamin *Lamkin*, and family, in Franklin, from *Friday* until Tuesday.

Adult season tickets for the balance of the lecture course, four entertainments, are to be had for only 85 cents. Children, one-half price.

We are happy to state that our young friend Clarence Zibble found country air invigorating, and is able to be among us again as good as new.

Bert Duffy was in Toledo Tuesday, where he purchased a complete stock of findings. He is therefore prepared to attend to the wants of his customers in fine style.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents, in Britton, Jan. 6th, '95, Mr. Chas. J. Gorham of Marshall, and Miss Martha E. Ackley of this place. Congratulations are in order.

Saturday afternoon Fred Morrell was driving to Tecumseh, and after passing Ridgeway some distance he found a pocket book containing some money. The owner can have it by calling at his residence and proving property.

John Britton was 63 years old Tuesday. In honor of the event there was a state dinner given at his home for the relatives and invited guests, and a royal entertainment they received. May he have many more birthdays, is the desire of all.

Herbert Cranshaw drove up to Tecumseh Monday, and while driving through the streets, his team got the start of him and indulged in a lively runaway. When he reached home he was quite sore and lame from the fracas and has been using liniments quite freely. He may consider himself fortunate in not receiving serious injury—Herbert, be more careful in the future.

Ivy Leaf Hive, No. 506, L. O. T. M., of Britton, will hold a social at the K. O. T. M. hall, Wednesday evening, Feb 13. Sir Knights and ladies, with their families, are invited. Twenty conundrums will be asked for a penny. The one correctly answering the greatest number will receive a prize, as also will the one answering the least number. Each one is requested to bring a penny to be deposited with the lady finance keeper.

Thursday evening, at the residence of E. Mudge, a ceremony was performed which, though old, is ever new, namely the matrimonial one. The contracting parties being Walter Swick and Bertha Underwood. Rev. E. Mudge pronounced the all-important words in his usual impressive style. The young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends, among whom they have grown to man and womanhood and been very popular.

The All Penny Ante Society seem to enjoy moving. At least they do frequently. They have again vacated and it is not positively known just when they will settle. The last regular session was held Friday last at Beasely's Mill. Some are unkind enough to intimate that they move to save paying rent, others that they want to be quartered in an iron clad, fire proof building that they may withstand the assaults of the profane. These insinuations are undoubtedly prompted by jealousy.

Cone, or as it is commonly called, Ireland, among its many attractions has one that is playing sad havoc with the Britton young men, and consequently in a like degree disturbing the peace of mind of her maidens. That referred to is Ireland's fair daughters, who are drawing our young men as the magnet does the steel. It seems that one young lady's favor is courted by two of our young men, and naturally each one is making his best effort to please, consequently every desire of the lady is anticipated and she has no time to feel lonely. One young gentleman, we are informed, makes from three to four trips a week. We are becoming interested to know who will come out victorious and secure the prize.

E. T. Head, the hay buyer, returned from Chicago Friday, and to the surprise of many, left town Sunday for Toledo. He started from here with a cutter. Matters are in a terribly mixed condition and several around here are anxious to have their accounts adjusted. The firm was known as Carland & Head, and the fact that John C. Carland, of Toledo, who is known to be a responsible business man, was associated with Mr. H., who was a stranger here, they had the confidence of all and experienced no difficulty in securing a large quantity of hay. Many who sold on interest and other necessary expenses and they feel that they are not receiving fair treatment. The feeling here is that Mr. Carland, as a business man, can ill afford to have matters conducted so loosely and mysteriously as they have been so far. Some of those interested served an attachment on a sum of money in the bank belonging to the firm and at present there is considerable anxiety manifested. It is hoped that everything will be satisfactorily arranged soon, the good name of the firm preserved and each man receive what is his due.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Camburn visited friends in Tecumseh this week.

Miss Grace Collins visited friends in Clinton last Saturday.

The C. E. Service Sunday evening brought out a full house.

Mr. Howell, of Hillsdale, spoke in the Baptist church Sunday and Monday.

Miss Grace Sage was called home from school at Tecumseh, on account of her father's illness.

A donation for Mr. Ramsdell is to be given at the home of Mr. Lester Coller, Friday evening.

Macon was well represented at the entertainment given by Alba Heywood on Saturday night.

Mrs. Burdette is on the sick list, Mr. Milan Sage is the unfortunate victim of a slight stroke of paralysis.

All are cordially invited to attend the "Peanut Hunt" at Mrs. S. J. Camburn's on Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th.

Al. Cavenaugh, while trying to keep on the side of the road, when driving to Tecumseh, was thrown from the cutter, and at last report was carrying a badly bruised arm.

The Dorrell-Miller suit was again postponed. As is usual, after such a thing gets into the lawyer's hands, it proves to be an affair 'long drawn out.' The moral is that it behooves us to remember the old time teaching. "Follow after the things which pertain to peace."

Died, at Macon, Arlene, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Garret D. Ellis, aged 2 years, 9 months, 17 days. Never very strong, though seemingly healthy until about 9 months of age, when it was not right, still it was thought she would outgrow it, but with the best medical aid and most tender care, the fond parents soon saw that their darling was gradually wasting away. About ten days before her death she seemed to have taken cold and grew rapidly worse until at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, Jan 26, 1895, when her spirit took its flight. The funeral services were held at the house Monday at 2 p. m. Rev. D. H. Ramsdell spoke comforting words to the sorrowing parents and the little white casket was borne to its long home.

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With grateful hearts we acknowledge the many acts of kindness, shown us during our recent sad bereavement.

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SOUTH MACON SIFTINGS.

Lorano Remington is spending a few days with her brother Ransom.

Richard Clarkson has rented his farm to Mr. Frost and expects to have a sale soon.

Very bad weather for old bachelors, but Herman Hand enjoys it since the lawsuit.

Georgia Baker, who has been visiting Ypsilanti friends for the past two weeks returned home Sunday.

Old Boreas is hitting us hard just at present—an open winter sure—open at both ends and the wind and snow blowing through.

Herschel Miller has purchased the twenty acres joining his farm, of Bradley Zibble—nine hundred dollars was the consideration.

Lawrence Maynard has gone into partnership with Mr. Gould, of Ridgeway, in the silver plating business. Those wishing any workdone in their line will do well to call on them.

While loading logs last week Alfred Weeks thought he would stop one when the team had rolled it on top of two others on the sleigh. He stopped it all right, but he was on the ground and the log on top of him, not seriously hurt, but thinks he got a pointer on loading logs.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

G. H. Winship was a caller in town Thursday.

Rev. A. Stead, wife and mother visited L. C. Winship and wife.

Miss Florence Thompson was shopping with her sister last week.

Dr. Begel was in town Monday. He is stopping in Jackson at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Philo are happy over the arrival of a 10-pound boy.

Miss Bertha Britton and Misses Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, were guests of Miss C. E. Winship.

A. D. Macham and wife and Chas. Benedict and wife were guests at the Rector mansion Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliland and daughter, Mrs. Jenkins, were guests of Mrs. James Lane last week.

The entertainment given by the Grayson family Thursday evening was largely attended, but was not up to the standard as they were about sick with bad colds. Net receipts, $2.75.

Death came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss and took their little daughter, only four months old, who was only sick a few days with bronchitis. They have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Geo. Hill spent Sunday at Ridgeway.

Miss Loua Ladd was absent from school last week.

Miss Hattie Wilson is paying a short visit to her old friends at the Sem.

Miss Eleanor Miller, of Adrian, has organized a chorus class at the Sem.

School closed on Friday last on account of the quarterly meeting of Friends at Raisin Center.

Four damsels from the Seminary called on Photographer Stephenson one day last week. The object of their visit is not exactly known.

J. B. Collier, of Macon, gave us an entertainment with his graphophone Thursday evening. The program was fine and was enjoyed by all.

The prohibition club meets Saturday night of this week, Feb. 9, at the home of Zach. Cook. The program will consist of recitations and music, also a speech by Mr. Cook, who is a member of the township organizing committee. A good time is anticipated. All come.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Zero weather still prevails here.

Lookout for the annual donation in the near future.

There are several about the village sick with the grip.

Uncle Purdy Haight's little pet fox squirrel froze to death Wednesday.

The series of special meetings will close with Sunday evening's service.

Lolla Sutton has been on the sick list with grip since Friday night of last week.

Mrs. Philip Sisson is under the care of the doctor at this writing. She has pneumonia.

A load of the school youngsters enjoyed a sleigh ride over to Macon last Saturday night.

Little Johnnie Foote fell down stairs one day last week and broke his collar bone. He is doing finely.

Chas. Foote and daughter, Marion returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in New York state.

S. H. Linn's old family horse, Moses will be seen no more upon our streets, he having departed this life, at the ripe old age of 28 years, a few days ago.

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THE FARMERS' UNION.

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Music—John VanVleet and son.
Reading—Maggie Welliver.
Dec.—Leon Benedict.
Music—Florance Bros.
Rec.—Nellie Wilson.
Reading—John Boyce.
Chip-basket—Ella McLain.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Dec.—Seymour Boyd.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Poucher.
Rec.—Leora Boyd.
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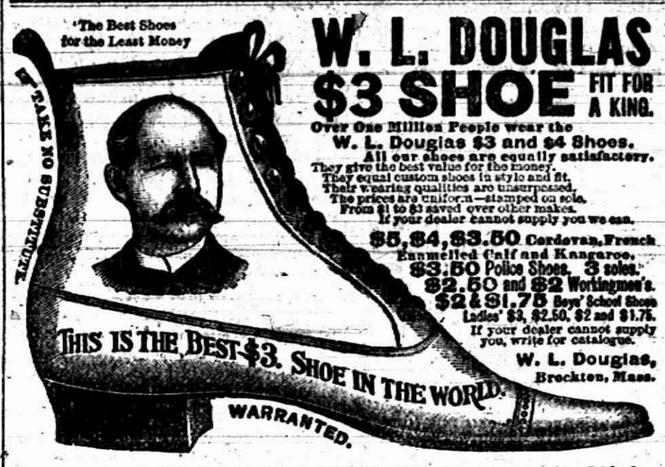

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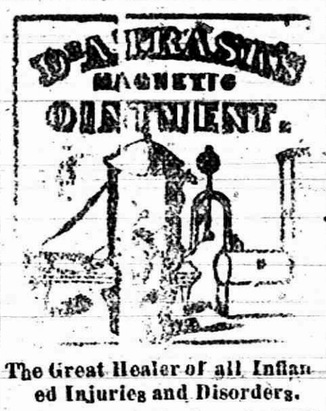

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The income tax has come to stay. It is just, constitutional and especially commends itself to the popular sense of right. It will be so altered by future Congresses as to make it conform more closely to the demands of justice, but it will not be abolished. It will be graduated, so that incomes below $5,000 shall be untaxed and incomes below $10,000 taxed at a nominal rate, while above that figure the rate will increase with the amount of the income. The burdens of government will be laid upon accumulated wealth where now they rest upon industry. Superfluity instead of necessity will be made to pay.—N. Y. World.

The new tariff bill reduced the rate of tariff taxes $1.08 a box on tin plate and in the present condition of the market this saves to American consumers, $1.17 a box from the rates imposed under the McKinley law. In August last, immediately preceding the passage of the new measure, tin plate of standard quality sold in New York market for $5 13 a box. The quotations last week were $1.95, showing a decrease of $1.17, all of which benefit goes to the consumer, and places in evidence the fact while the present duty is for revenue it is protective to the extent of the tax. It also very cleverly indicates the plunder possible under the McKinley law.

Texas sets a good example to other Southern States by the introduction into her legislature of a bill to impose penalities upon lynching. It provides that the county in which the crime takes place shall be held pecuniarily responsible and shall pay to the legal representatives of the victim a sum not less than $3,000. It also decrees that the Sheriff who lets a prisoner escape, unless he is wounded and disabled in the effort to retain him, shall be at once deprived of his office. Probably a stronger local sentiment against this familiar Southern practice would be aroused by the prospect of having to pay for it than by any other means which could be applied. What the Legislature will do with the bill remains to be seen.

The McKinley bill gave the Steel Rail Trust a protective duty of $10.44 a ton. The Trust, in order to keep up prices, paid $1,000 a day to the Maryland Steel Company, (the only American concern whose competition they feared) with the understanding that this company should stop making rails. Result of "protection." A thousand or more steel workers thrown out of work and competing for the jobs of their follow workers: hundreds or thousands of miles of railroads not built and not repaired because rails were too dear, and so railroad builders, car builders and railroad men also kept out of jobs; the Trust made richer and everybody else poorer. This all happened last year in the hard times. Tom Johnson's speech in Congress tells all about it.

The tug Morford made a search all day Monday at the south end of Lake Michigan for the missing steamer Chicora. The tug made its way through the ice, all the way to Whiting, Ind., and neither on the trip to that place nor on the return was anything seen that in any way resembled the hull of a vessel. It would have been impossible for the vessel to have been in the open water last night, and been hidden from the view of the men on the tug this afternoon. After the return of the tug, the Graham & Morton people announced that they had given up all hope of ever seeing the Chicora or any of its crew again. Vesselmen are now of the opinion that what was taken for the hull of the Chicora last night was nothing but a mass of dirty ice. Not a single survivor is left to tell the sorrowful tale.

Few people who have not studied one of the annual reports of the Public Printer have any idea of what an immense establishment the government Printing office is. It costs $125,000 a year to run the Congressional Record; more than $1,000,000 to pay for the books and pamphlets, mostly reports, turned out every year. In addition to printed matter the office turns out yearly something like 350,000 blank books. Three of these blanks are made annually for the names, addresses, and accounts of the Senators and Representatives with the government. Each of these books has 1,200 pages, weighs 85 pounds and costs to produce $65. It is claimed that no such blank books are made anywhere else. Last year the bindery used 52,000 sheep skins, 8,000 Turkish goat skins, known as 'morocco' and 100,000 square feet of Russian leather, which is made from cow-hide, besides other binding material.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

SALOONS BY THE WAY.

The phrase which furnishes our text was part of a pathetic appeal to which we listened some weeks since and both the speaker and his words so haunted us that we recount the incident here, hoping some slumbering conscience may be disturbed thereby.

It was near the hour for Gospel Temperance Meeting at the headquarters of the W. C. T. U. and we paused on the threshold to invite to the meeting a man who loitered by the door watching those who entered.

He turned as we spoke and reaching out his trembling hand in an appealing way said in thickened speech, "Oh! can you tell me when the doctor will come? They told me I could be cured here of the drink, you know." "Do you want to be cured?" we ask. "Oh, my God, yes! I've tried to stop, but it's no use. Will the Doctor be here soon?" We explain that it will be some time before the Doctor comes and ask him to wait in meeting, but the nervous restlessness of drink possesses him and we have learned to seize the moment of good resolve lest tempatation waylay and take captive while we are busy here and there.

"You had better not wait for the Doctor he will see you in his office: it is only three squares this way. Will you go?" Well, yes, I s'pose I can if he will see me; but will I have to pass saloons by the way? I can get there if I don't have to pass a saloon."

Pitiful admission of utter helplessness in the presence of the tempter. We saw that he was protected until the inevitable saloon was passed, but none the less the appealing question rang in our ears, "Will I have to pass any saloons by the way?"

For this weak brother is not the only one in our land writhing in the grasp of a tyrant appetite. It matters not how he or they became enslaved, though certainly there must have existed the temptation or they would never have been entrapped; but fully realizing that they are bound they struggle to be free; struggle and fall back again and again because of the succession of snares set for stumbling feet

With bleared and blinded eyes, stupified brain and craving thirst they reel out of one hell-hole into another, until finally a lingering spark of manhood inspires another convulsive effort toward freedom. This proves as futile as the last, for the will power is paralyzed and trap-doors still stand wide open with inviting blaze of light and the sound of music within.

As the victims go down one after another, a continual succession, we ask why this ruin of life and hope and happiness?

But answer comes: "This is a licensed trap for revenue and political purposes and the church and the world both think it's all right as a trap. If men don't want to be caught they must keep out, that's all." But still comes back the refrain from the lost, "I had to pass a saloon by the way."

Deacon Smith and his two sons belong to the Presbyterian church: Deacon Smith and his sons attend regularly the weekly prayer meetings and take active part in them.

Deacon Smith prays for the heathen in far-off lands, prays that Christ's kingdom may come on earth, and his prayers are long and full of Bible quotations.

Deacon Smith is also Mayor of a city and the question of licensing the dramshop comes before the council for its decision.

Unfortunately the vote is a tie, but this gives the Christian Mayor an opportunity to help answer his own prayers for the coming of Christ's kingdom.

We are sorry to record it but the deacon, unequal to the test, he fails, and the saloon triumphs by one Christian vote.

This is no fancy sketch, but faithful record of history of one city in Illinois.

Has your church or your town any Deacon Smith?

No license law was ever enforced nor ever will be. The reason is simple. Any man who is mean enough to keep a saloon will never hesitate to violate the law. All excise laws are roaring farces. Every provision of them is violated regularly by every man who holds a license.

The principle of license is simply rotten. If the liquor business is a decent, harmless one, it is infamous for the state to discriminate against, cripple, blackmail and tax it. If, on the other hand, it is a dangerous but necessary business, the state should absolutely control it. An excise system is a contemptible compromise, that is to the devil an irritant and to Christianity a nausea.—Rev. Dixon, Jr., in New York Herald.

The liquor traffic is a cancer in society, eating out the vitals and threatening destruction, and all attempts to regulate it will not only prove abortive but will aggravate the evil. No, there must be no more attempts to regulate the cancer; it must be eradicated. Not a root must be left behind, for until this is done, all classes must continue in danger of becoming victims of strong drink.—Abraham Lincoln.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

Passed Unanimously at Jackson Convocation, Thursday, Jan. 31, 1895.

Whereas. The members of the Southern Convocation of the Diocese of Michigan, in session assembled, have heard with profound sorrow the death of one of their number, Rev. Josiah Phelps, formerly rector of St. Peter's church, Tecumseh; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this convocation extend its heartfelt sympathy to the widow and family, being confident of the blessed christian work accomplished by him in the salvation of immortal souls during a ministry of forty years, more than half of which were passed in his last rectorate, and having comfortable knowledge that though we miss the countenance and kindly intercourse of a brother priest, we rejoice in the assurance that "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the widow and family.

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Educational Rally.

All teachers and friends of education are invited to attend an educational rally at Onsted on Saturday, Feb. 9, 1895, opening at 10 o'clock a. m. The program will include the following features:

The School: Its Four Factors and their Result—Mrs. Myrta Palmer.
Discussion, opened by E. Taylor.
Busy Work—Miss Amy Kingan.
The Lamp of Knowledge Dispels Darkness—R. W. Chandler.
Paper by Miss Flora Ross.
Language Work—Olney Waterman.
Question Box.

The music for the occasion will be in charge of Miss Hattie Daniels.

A breathing spell for business men is an American expression meaning the period when Congress is not in session.

Troubles never come singly. We have the grip, we have the strike and now a movement has been started to revive roller skating.

If American Cabinets were formed as French Cabinets are, Mr. Cleveland would be looking for a new Cabinet three times a day.

It may be explained without any violation of confidence that the recent conference of Populist leaders in St. Louis devoted all its intelligence and energy to devising a scheme for coining wind and maintaining it at a parity with gold.

High School Happenings.

Two frozen ears and one nose was reported at school Tuesday morning.

Milton Jenkins, of Wightman's law office, contemplates entering school Monday.

Class in Latin 9 received an encouraging compliment from their teacher Tuesday.

Stop whispering or leave the room is a new law in B room. It has taken marked effect.

An interesting talk from Prof. Kellogg was enjoyed by the Rhetoric class Tuesday afternoon.

A crowd of young people from the high school went out to Del Finch's last night, just for fun.

Jim Harris was lamentably absent Wednesday forenoon. The severity of the weather caused it.

Frank Harris interested, as well as instructed, B room this morning with an essay on "The Evils of Avarice." We won't try to get rich, Jim.

Scholars are requested not to obstruct the passage of the heat by standing in front of the registers, as other persons in the room would enjoy a portion of the heat.

It was simply shocking—at least that's what the class in electricity thought when a volt and a half of electricity passed through their frames. Prof. Kellogg thought so, too.

Leigh Pennington evidently believes in giving the scholars their money's worth. He spoke for ten minutes Tuesday morning, and no one knows when he would have stopped if the class bell had not "called him down."

An Electrical Magazine.

Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character—a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20cents a copy. It is published at 36 Cortland Street, New York City.

The Story of a Campaign.

Willis J. Abbot, the Political Editor of the Chicago Times, who is recognized by his fellow journalists as one of the ablest and clearest political writers in the country, whether one is in sympathy with his views or not, tells the story of the Populist campaign in Chicago in the Arena for Febuary. Mr. Abbot had the advantage all through the campaign of last autumn of being in touch with the leaders of the different elements that are gradually forming a new party, with new social and economic aims in American politics, and his paper has value for all those who want to get at the facts regardless of dominating prejudices. Even the opponents of every sort of change in the political phases of the country should study this paper, in order to estimate the potency of this new political sentiment that is in the air—and is not peculiar to America, but is seizing upon the heart and brain of the whole great western world.

Miss Powell is a born artist, too conscientious to resort to trick for the purpose of capturing applause, and, being an artist, her moods are so variable that if one listens to her a hundred times it is only to come away, not only with gratification, but also puzzled to know how and by what witchery she contrives to render so varied the interpretation of the same work. She executes the Mendelssohn concerto as no other violinist in America can.—Brooklyn Citizen.

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PAY YOUR TAXES.—H. W. Stevens will be at the store of Alva Sayre the first three Fridays in February, namely, Feb. 1, 8 and 15, to receive taxes. After Feb. 15 arrangements will be made to return all unpaid taxes. No further extension of time will be given.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 3, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

There was a big crowd in town Saturday.

Prof. John C. Howell, of Ridgeway, gave the HERALD a call Tuesday.

Attorney Charles Burridge was at Adrian Monday, on Probate business.

Do not fail to see "Charley's Aunt" at Sutton's Opera House, Feby. 22d, '95.

We have a batch of council proceedings in hand which will appear next week.

The thermometer ranged from 18 to 30 degrees below zero last Tuesday morning.

A free sleigh ride to the valentine social next Thursday evening, providing there is snow.

Don't fail to see the Sleight of Hand performance by Mr. Strubler, in the Armory next Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th.

Manager Sutton has secured the Frohman Company, who will present "Charley's Aunt" at the Opera House, Feby. 22d.

Celebrate Washington's birthday by calling on "Charley's Aunt" at the Opera House in the evening. She keeps openhouse.

Will R. Wooden and wife of Battle Creek, were the guests of H. E. Stout's family. They made far too short a visit, returning Monday forenoon.

John R. Clarke, entertainer, will give the second entertainment of the Britton lecture course, at the Christian church, Feb. 21. His subject is "Gough in Humor, Dialect and Eloquence."

Gen. T. B. Wood was in town Sunday, shaking hands with his old friends before leaving for his new home in Virginia. May success attend his efforts at farming down in 'Old Virginny."

H. E. Stout's new home was the scene of a family dinner Sunday in honor of Grandfather Hopkins' and little Charlie's birth day. Grandfather and grandson celebrate that anniversary on the same day.

Alba Heywood gave the HERALD a friendly call last Saturday. Mr. Heywood and LaVerne Wheeler were special cronies when the latter lived here, and Mr. Heywood claimed Tecumseh as his own home for a few months, about twenty years ago.

The A. F. C.,—a social club recently organized—met at R. A. Heesen's cozy home last Monday evening. The program consisted of oysters and a good time. R. A. Heesen was elected President; Capt. Chilson, Royal Hustler; Wm. Orr, Royal Bumper. The Club ought to have a reporter to prepare the proceedings for publication in the HERALD.

A company of Royal Arcanum brothers with their wives and babies had a social time at Chas. H. Reed's Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served about ten o'clock and the remainder of the evening was spent in games and social converse. The members of the Royal Arcanum have been making the rounds during the last few weeks.

Co. C celebrated the second anniversary of the dedication of the new armory last Tuesday night by a social time. The severity of the weather and the multiplicity of surprise and sleighing parties reduced the attendance. Those who were present however had an enjoyable time. The music was good and the menu par excellence.

The entertainment for the benefit of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Peter's church, will be given in the Armory, next Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th at 8 o'clock. Mr. Strubler has kindly consented to give a fine exhibition of sleight hand tricks. Chicago testimonials are printed in this issue. Besides local musical talent, Mrs. L. W. Kimball and Miss Clark of Clinton, will assist. Admission 10cts.

The following testimonial from Chicago will show that a great treat is in store for our people, at the Armory, next Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th, Signor Bostro (Mr. Strubler) will give exhibition in legerdemain:

The entertainment given to the children of our Sunday School some weeks ago by Signor Calistro (Mr. Strubler) was a very interesting and successful exhibition of his powers of slight of hand. I was present during most of the performance, and can testify not only that his feats were very extraordinary, but also that there was nothing coarse, vulgar or objectionable in his methods.

CHAS. EDWARD CHENEY,
Rector of Christ's Church, Chicago.

"Charley's Aunt" Feb. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Brooks have a young son, born Monday.

The suit between Dorrell and Miller is in progress again to-day.

Rev. C. M. Brown went to Erie, Ohio, Tuesday, for a short time.

Will the cold snap of Monday and Tuesday kill the peach buds?

The Republican county Convention has been called for Feb. 16th.

Mrs. W. W. Whiting is enjoying a visit from her sister Etta, of Detroit.

Remember the Maud Powell string quartette concert next Tuesday evening.

Manager Sutton has secured two more fine attractions which will be here in the near future.

Mrs. Wm. Doss and two daughters visited her son, Andrew and family in Toledo last week.

Fred Teachout has taken advantage of this fine spring weather and been shorn of his mustache.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hampton and little daughter, of Fowler, Ind., joined the family re-union at D. C. Love's last Monday.

Miss Minnie Ross, of Chicago, left for home last Friday, going via Battle Creek to visit her sisters, who reside in that city.

Meet at W. B. Darling's confectionery store at 7 o'clock for the sleigh ride to the valentine social. Come and have a good time.

The Orients will hold their meeting Thursday Eve of next week instead of Tuesday Eve to accommodate some from abroad.

Conner Wilson has increased his hotbeds and added quite a number of new sash, and is preparing to do a big plant business this Spring.

Bert Cutting returned from Cleveland Ohio last week and will remain here. He began working for the Stimpson Scale Company this week.

Harry Wolverton, the expert plater, has severed his connection with Cutting & Heesen and accepted a position as overseer of large plating works at New Castle, Ind.

Matt Root left Monday for east. He will act as eastern agent for the Tilestion Milling Co., of St. Cloud, Minnesota and will probably make New York City his headquarters.

A large number of our young people attended the meeting of the Farmers' Club at John Schroder's Tuesday evening, as well as a goodly representation of the older ones.

Look a little out when speaking to Frank Bauer about his ear and nose. He attended the Farmer's Club Tuesday evening and will not forget it, either. On some points Frank is extremely sensitive.

Mr. Bocher's lecture last night at the Universalist church was very fine. Owing to the weather there was not a large attendance. He had a serious time reaching here and was quite late, having to drive up from Adrian.

Herbert Cranshaw, of Britton, was in town Monday, and with his team made matters lively for a time. His team ran away, and when all was over he was found to be in a decidedly dilapidated condition, although not seriously injured.

The Eastern Star will hold a special meeting for degree work next Thursday, Feb. 14, and on Thursday evening, the 21st, they expect to entertain the Clinton and Manchester chapters, the officers of the latter to exemplify the work.

Frank Bryan's brother left yesterday for his home in the west, Frank accompanied him as far as Adrian returning on the noon train with one thumb badly lacerated, from having it caught in a Hack door. It is astonishing what severe measures people will resort to in order to get rid of milking.

Dr. Parkhurst will pay his respects to clubs and club-life in his article in the next issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. "I consider the club," writes the great reformer, "to be one of the cleverest devices of the devil to prevent homes being made, and to sterilize and undermine them when they are made."

The ladies having charge of the reading room have decided not to open it on Sunday afternoon for the present, as only a few have been in on that day. The attendance on week days is increasing and all are cordially invited to come. The reading on the tables is free, and the tickets for books, 10 cents a month, 30 cents per quarter, or $1 for a year.

Miss Powell's playing added great artistic brilliancy to the concert. Educated in Leipzig, Berlin, and Paris, she has acquired remarkable technique. Her elastic yet firm bowing draws from the violin a tone of bell-like purity, which can be equalled only by the singer of long experience. Her melody, is song, as sympathetic and delightful as is her personal appearance. A finely chiselled head rests upon a graceful figure, which sways only to the most strongly marked rhythms. The repose and refinement of her bearing correspond with an earnestness of facial expression, which is heightened by dark, heavy eyebrows. A strong will is stamped upon the features, and the face says plainly the artist is a hard-working, typical American, decided and full of purpose. And so also is her playing. An encore, a song by Massenet was given with incomparable tenderness and delicacy.—Vienna Neue Freie Presse.

Mrs. Harry Lee is visiting friends at Kalamazoo.

Sheriff Wilson was in town again yesterday.

Sant Cutting was in Britton on business Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brooks, Monday, a son.

Mrs. James Montague was on Adrian visitor Saturday.

Charles Egan spent Sunday with his family at Adrian.

Ed. Kirchgessner was in Clinton yesterday on busines.

Wesley Bordine returned from his Chicago trip Tuesday.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M. tonight.

Mr. A. Welch and wife were calling on friends Saturday.

Gurney Derbyshire, of Ypsilanti, visited here over Sunday.

The Council of Orients held a pleasent session Wednesday evening.

Miss Mertis McCollum, of Clinton, is spending the week with her uncle, Mr. Updike.

Delos LeBaron, of Toledo, was shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

About 15 persons were received into the M. E. church on probation Sunday morning.

The next entertainment of the Star Course will come off Tuesday evening, Feb. 12th.

Fred Chandler, of Saline, was with Editor Field and family from Saturday untill Tuesday.

Henry Mensing left Tuesday for Virginia in company with Fred Wood and Ira Waterman.

Remember the valentine social at Jonas Waldron's next Thursday night. Everybody invited.

Miss Carrie Millspaugh was called to Branchport, N. Y., last week by the death of her father.

Miss Leora Keyser, of Clinton, was the guest of her uncle, James Updike, and family, over Sunday.

The sale of reserved seats for the Maud Powell concert will open at Kirchgessner's on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Thos. P. Earl and children, of Cincinnati, Ohio, are visiting her aunt. Mrs. A. P. Coddington, and family.

The 5th of the series of illustrated lectures "On the life of Christ" Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church.

It is almost as easy to believe one when he speaks in derogation of others as when he speaks in praise of ourselves.

Tim D. Strong has sold his farm south of town to Charles Æbersold of Pemberton, Ohio—possession to be given April first.

Mrs. J. B. Garlinghouse in returning from church Sunday fell and broke her arm. She is doing as well as can be expected.

Orr & Temple are daily receiving orders from the surrounding towns for their popular proprietory preparations and remedies.

Miss Mary Holt, of Manchester, who after a lengthy visit with friends both here and at Adrian, returned to her home Wednesday.

Jim. Elliott goes into Lawyer Wightman's office Monday morning. Jim will no doubt prove himself a competetent assistant and scholar.

Michael Wilson, after an absence of 90 days in Detroit, was in town Wednesday shaking hands with friends. He was accompanied by his wife.

Rev. D. J. Lewis returned the last of the week from Quincy, where he has been engaged in evanglical work. He is now engaged for three weeks at Saline.

Mrs. Ella G. Rose and daughter Blanche, of Detroit, are visiting the families of El. Gray, H. Weller and H. D. Cutting. They will remain over Sunday.

Wm. J. Murphy had the misfortune to break an arm while at Dave Stevenson's, Friday. In getting out of the sleigh he slipped and fell, with the above result.

Last Monday evening the members of the M. E. Sunday school enjoyed a sleigh ride to the home of their superintendent, B. Hurry, five miles west of town. A pleasant time was had by all.

Walter F. Stimpson, of the scale company, left Tuesday to be absent several weeks. He goes to Chicago to see about two or three different kinds of scales they contemplate manufacturing.

Last evening about thirty-five of Delmar Finch's young schoolmates surprised him at his pleasant home south of town, where a very enjoyable evening was spent in the playing of games and disposing of coffee and doughnuts.

The comic opera "Robin Hood" is to be given at Adrian, Monday night, and there is a move on foot to have the afternoon freight held here Monday till 5 p. m., to accommodate those who wish to attend, and then have a special train bring them home.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning, at the close of the sermon, Rev. H. A. Smith tendered his resignation as pastor, to take effect the last of May. This, to the congregation generally, was a great surprise. At the covenant meeting Wednesday evening the matter was brought before the church and it was finally decided to accept Mr. Smith's resignation, to take effect May 31st.

The Tecumseh Old Fellows lodge has received word from Vincentown lodge, New Jersey, stating that the body of Robert B. Joyce arrived there on Monday afternoon. They return thanks to our lodge for its prompt attention to the matter and will soon settle for all funeral expenses made at this place.

At the Convocation of Southern Michigan held at Jackson Thursday Jan. 31, a Committee consisting of Dean Tatlock of Ann Arbor, General Withington of Jackson, and Samuel Post of Ypsilanti, were appointed to approach the Legislature on the subject of Church Taxation.

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 30.—The legislature reconvened Tuesday after the long adjournment. Both houses adopted a resolution for a committee of three from each house to inquire into the expediency of erecting an executive mansion not to exceed $30,000 in cost. The following important measures were introduced in the senate: Establishing a physio-medical department at the university of Michigan; providing for vestibules to protect motormen on street railways; for a state steam boiler commission to inspect boilers and license engineers; for bringing garnished defendants into court when outside; state limits; for uniform school text books; regulating and licensing the sale of intoxicating liquors on railway cars; establishing a college of eclectic medicine and surgery at the University of Michigan; providing that a husband or wife may testify for or against the other in criminal cases; appropriating $52,000 for improvement at the Michigan insane asylum; also a joint resolution for submission to the people of a constitutional amendment prohibiting the legislature from enacting charter legislature except to fix boundaries, charter legislation except to fix boundaries, establish municipal courts, and authorize cities to adopt articles of incorporation.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 31.—In the senate Wednesday bills were introduced to make valid the testimony of the husband or wife against the other in criminal cases; appropriating $25,000 for a home for the blind at Saginaw; appropriating $52,000 for improvements at the Kalamazoo asylum; providing a plan for the paroling of convicts by the board of control of the institution in which they are confined.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 1.—In the senate Thursday joint resolutions were passed submitting a constitutional amendment to the effect that all electors be able to read the state constitution in English and to write their own name; also to abolish the system of cumulative voting in the election of representatives to the state legislature. Bills were noticed in the senate prohibiting the marriage of first cousins, appropriating $4,000 for the support of the home for discharged prisoners, and for the use of the Abbot and the Myers voting machines.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 2.—In the senate Friday Senator Thompson's new health board bill for Detroit was reported unanimously from the cities and villages committee. This is the bill which contemplates legislating out of office Dr. McLeod, health commissioner of Detroit. The most important bills noticed were: Making an appropriation of $75,382 for support of the fish commission for 1895-96; repeal of the law which exempts all railroad companies organized north of the forty-fourth parallel from taxation for ten years; prohibiting the killing of deer until November 1, 1897; requiring the display of United States flags by all school districts in the state; authorizing the incorporation of trade and labor councils; exempting the upper peninsula from the operation of the franchise tax law; authorizing judges of probate to appoint their registers, and authorizing the making of contracts for caring for United States prisoners at the Detroit house of correction.

House.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 30.—In the house Tuesday the Redfern educational bill was agreed to in committee of the whole, but failed in final passage by a vote of 38 to 59, but the vote was reconsidered and the bill went on the table.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 31.—In the house Wednesday bills were introduced as follows: For the compensation of persons isolated by order of health officers to prevent the spread of communicable diseases, limiting the validity of marriage licenses to sixty days from date of issue, and providing a penalty of $100 for not returning same to the county clerk on expiration of limit; providing for the incorporation of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges of the Mystic Order of the Knights providing for examination by physicians appointed by the court of plaintiffs in suits for personal damage, and providing a penalty for refusal to submit to such examination.

Mayor Pingree's board of health fight has been transferred to the legislative halls. Both houses adjourned at 4 p. m. to make way for a hearing on Senator Thompson's bill to wipe out the present board and substitute one which, he says, will relieve the city from its smallpox epidemic. The opposition to the present board was based on the allegation that Mayor Pingree had made a political machine of the board which is now wholly incapable of handling the smallpox epidemic. Mayor Pingree spoke at great length. Personalities predominated on both sides and but little argument was injected into the speeches.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 1.—In the house Thursday a joint resolution was introduced providing for the submission to the people of a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors. A bill was introduced which provides for an immediate assessment upon the stockholders of insolvent banks to the amount of their liability, which is an amount equal to the stock held under the present banking law.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 2.—The first of the general bills prepared by the municipal commission passed the house Friday. It proposes a general charter under which all villages in the state must incorporate.

BLOWN TO ATOMS!

Fatal Boiler Explosion in a Planing-Mill at Muskegon, Mich.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Feb. 4.—The battery of two boilers in Gray Bros.' planing-mill exploded at 9:30 Sunday night with a force that shook the entire city. The boiler house, engine-room and dry kiln were completely wrecked. John Johnson, the watchman, was in the engine-room and was blown to atoms, not a trace of his remains having been found. The loss is estimated at $12,000, with no insurance, and thirty men are thrown out of work. The plant was built two years ago at a cost of $40,000.

Victory for Law and Order.

HOUGHTON, Jan. 31.—The jury in the circuit court returned a verdict of guilty against John F. Schroeder, of Red Jacket, charged with keeping a saloon open Sunday. This was a test case and is a signal victory for the Calumet Law and Order league, which has been fighting for the enforcement of the Sunday-closing law for the last six months.

Fined for Not Reporting Smallpox Case.

DETROIT, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Elizabeth and Miss Estella Stevens, Christian Scientists, were found guilty in the recorder's court of not reporting a case of smallpox in their home and fined five dollars each and half the costs. Their deense was that they treated their patient by Christian science and did not know the nature of his disease.

Frozen to Death.

GAYLORD, Jan. 31.—Ex-Deputy Sheriff Clinton D. Wright, of Otsego Lake, started on foot to carry supplies from that place to his fishing shanty at Chubb lake. He took the wrong road in the woods and was frozen to death at the end of the road, 4½ miles east of Otsego Lake, where his body has been found by the sheriff's searching party.

Victim of a Live Wire.

IRONWOOD, Feb. 2.—Edward Jacobson, a timberman, was electrocuted in the East Norrie mine. The electric light wires in the shaft where Jacobson was working were not insulated, but ran through iron pipes. He sat down and rested both hands on one of these pipes and was instantly killed.

STATE GLEANINGS.

Interesting Paragraphs from Many Points in the State.

A post office has been established at Valentine, Montmorency county, and James O'Connor commissioned postmaster.

The county location of the post office of Dash has been changed from Muskegon to Newaygo county.

W. E. Boyden, of Delhi Mills, has been chosen a member of the state board of agriculture, to succeed Edwin Phelps, of Pontiac, who resigned because of ill health.

Twenty head of sheep were cremated by the burning of a barn on the farm of J. W. Jennings, near Owosso.

During the past fifteen years but one building has been destroyed by fire at Milford.

Preparations are being made to deepen the harbor at Cheboygan 18 feet.

Card playing among the students of Olivet college is prohibited.

From Saw Bees lake this season over 1,100 car loads of ice have been cut.

A branch of the Michigan naval reserve is being organized at Bay City.

Near Wilmot John Silchting was instantly killed by a limb from a falling tree.

James Phillips, one of the five men scalded by a bursting valve steam pipe at Calumet recently, is dead. He was known throughout northern Michigan as a Cornish wrestler.

William H. Brown, aged 83 years, the oldest lawyer in Calhoun county and the last survivor of the original pioneer bar of the county, died recently at Marshall.

Fire at Sebewaing destroyed the Commercial hotel. Loss about $15,000.

Elisa Marie Kirchner, daughter of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirchner, died at Muskegan, the result of falling into a pail of boiling water. She was 3 years and 10 months old.

The high school building at Benton Harbor was totally destroyed by fire. The loss is $13,000; fully insured.

A Washington telegram says that a bill appropriating $40,000 for extending and improving the Fort Wayne (Mich.) military reservation in accordance with the recommendations of the war department, has been favorably reported to the senate.

President Cleveland has appointed Hon. Isaac M. Weston, of Grand Rapids, a member of a committee to test and examine the weight and fineness of coins reserved at the several mints during 1894.

The large brick farmhouse of Wallace Patrick near Berlin, which cost over $5,000, was totally destroyed by fire with almost the entire contents. Insured for $1,900.

Mrs. Marvin Bailey, of Wheatland, is charged with selling a note for $50 forged with the name of her father, John King, a wealthy Rollin farmer. She was arrested and is in jail.

George S. Newton, editor of the Iron Ore at Ishpeming, will be the new commissioner of mineral statistics.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of Rev. Samuel Brooks' connection with the Kalamazoo college was celebrated with a large reception.

Rev. Dr. N. M. Steffens, of Holland, has accepted a call to the German Reformed seminary at Dubuque, Ia.

THEIR FINAL PAPERS.

Residents of Michigan Qualify Under the New Law.

BAY CITY, Feb. 3.—The constitutional amendment carried at the last general election is forcing many who have heretofore voted on their first papers to take out their full papers. In Bay county there are 638 persons who are affected by the amendment. They voted last fall, and cannot vote the coming spring by reason of the adoption of this amendment unless they take out their full papers in the circuit court. The attorney general has decided that no male inhabitant of foreign birth is entitled to vote in this state until he shall become a citizen of the United States, and a male inhabitant of foreign birth who may have been a qualified elector last November cannot vote next spring unless he shall be by that time a citizen of the United States (naturalized after five years' residence.)

ROMANCE ENDED BY DEATH.

Lovers Perish in Each Other's Arms in a Michigan Snowdrift.

MUSKEGON, Feb. 3.—Mrs. A. G. Ward has returned from the north and relates a tragic story of the finding of a pair of young lovers in a snowdrift frozen to death. They were locked in each other's arms and appeared to be asleep. A farmer in Benona was awakened early in the morning by a noise about the house. He found a horse just outside hitched to part of a cutter. This caused a search to be made with the above result. The man was identified as a teacher of the Marshallville school, and the woman, though unknown, was supposed to be his sweetheart, who had come to visit him. Benona and Marshallville are located near the Lake Michigan shore of Oceana county.

Death of Senator Watts.

JACKSON, Feb. 3.—State Senator John W. Watts, of this city, died late Friday evening from pneumonia. He was 57 years old, had served three terms in the lower house of the Michigan legislature, and was last fall elected to the senate by the republicans of Jackson and Washtenaw counties.

G. A. R. Encampment.

MOUNT CLEMENS, Feb. 2.—Arrangements are already in progress for the annual encampment of the state G. A. R., which is to be held here in March. There will be nothing left undone by the committee of citizens in charge to make this event one long to be remembered by the veterans.

To Elect a Congressman.

LANSING, Feb. 6.—A special election has been ordered by Gov. Rich in the Third congressional district for April 1, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Burrows.

FISH AND GAME LAWS.

LANSING, Feb. 1.—The State Fish and Game league completed its labors Thursday. The game bill as finally agreed upon makes the uniform deer season from October 15 to November 10, no person to kill more than two deer. Rabbit killing is permitted at all times, but squirrels can be killed only from September 1 to November 30. Spring shooting of migratory ducks is permitted. The open season for snipe and woodcock is from August 1 to November 30, and for quail and partridge from October 15 to November 30. The sale of quail, partridge and woodcock is prohibited. The league recommends that nonresident hunters be charged a license fee of $25. The fish bill makes the open season for trout from May 1 to September 1, and prohibits the use of nets in all inland waters, including St. Mary's river, Lake St. Clair, and St. Clair and Detroit rivers. Fishing through the ice is prohibited, as is spearing in inland waters at any time. The closed season for bass is from November 12 to June 1. No trout less than 6 inches long nor bass less than 10 inches long are to be taken, and all under this size are to be handled as carefully as possible and put back in the water. No fishing is to be done within 100 feet of a fish chute, and fish in inland waters are to be taken only with hook and line.

KILLED BY HIS WIFE'S NURSE.

Sensational Allegations as to the Cause of a Detroit Murder.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 4.—Dr. Horace E. Pope, dentist, with an office and residence on Michigan avenue, was killed Saturday morning by William Brusseau, a nurse. According to the story told by Brusseau, he found Dr. Pope sitting on Mrs. Pope's bed, holding a cloth saturated with chloroform over that lady's mouth. When Brusseau entered the room the doctor fired at him, but missed. Brusseau says he then seized a hatchet and buried it in the doctor's skull. It is said that Dr. and Mrs. Pope had frequently quarreled and that the cause of their trouble was the fact that Brusseau was attentive to Mrs. Pope. In unearthing the circumstances surrounding the murder it was learned that Mrs. Pope had urged her husband to place heavier insurance upon his life. He had accordingly been insured for $9,000 and only a few days ago transferred the payment of the policies from his estate to his wife.

Mrs. Pope on Sunday made an attempt to escape from the strongroom at Harper hospital, where the police have her under surveillance. She broke off an iron bar from the window and broke a padlock on the door, but was discovered before she got away.

ADVENTISTS MEET.

Opening of the Battle Creek Convention, Which Will Last Two Weeks.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 2.—The first session of the Seventh Day Adventists Biblical Institute and Council was held here Friday. The meetings will continue two weeks, and be immediately followed by the general conference. The council is composed principally of delegates to the conference. Nearly every district and state in America is now represented, and there are also many present from foreign countries.

The object of the council is to lay out and suggest work for the general conference. Elder Olsen said that since the last conference they had sent off from America 127 missionaries to twenty-five different countries; that he was well pleased with the outlook, and great progress of the work for the past two years, and recommended that the conference devote itself to a study of the situation and principles and leave details to the different boards.

WANTS PENSION RESTORED.

Gen. Shakespeare Brings Action Similar to That by Judge Long.

KALAMAZOO, Feb. 2.—Gen. William Shakespeare has telegraphed to Thomas E. Hopkins, attorney at law at Washington, to institute mandamus proceedings at once, requiring Commissioner Lochren to show cause why he should not allow his full pension claim to be paid. The general is confident that he will win his case. It will come before the supreme court of the District of Columbia. The general has open wounds through his hips, but is able to carry on a lucrative law practice. His pension for several years has been $72 a month. Last Wednesday it was reduced to $30 a month. The steps now taken are on the same line as those taken in the case of Judge Long, who won by similar proceedings.

Death of Thomas Carney.

BAY CITY, Feb. 2.—Thomas Carney, aged 84, died Friday night. He was born in England, served six years in the British navy, came to America in 1833, became captain on the great lakes and settled down to private life in this city at the opening of the rebellion.

Spiritualists' Meeting Ended.

DECATUR, Feb. 4.—The annual meeting of the Michigan State Spiritual association closed Sunday night at Paw-Paw with addresses by L. V. Moulton, of Grand Rapids, and H. D. Barrett, of Washington, president of the National Spiritual association.

Found Relief in the River.

CHARLEVOIX, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Eugene Cross, of this place, committed suicide by drowning herself through a fishing hole in the ice here, Saturday night. She has been mentally unbalanced for some time. She formerly lived at Benton Harbor.

A Profitable Season.

THREE RIVERS, Feb. 1.—Henry Hall owns 900 acres of land in Florence township, St. Joseph county, and last year had 100 men working in mint fields. He had 20,000 pounds of peppermint oil which he sold for from $1.50 to $2 per pound.

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But not our yesterdays and morrows give
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But what we were and what we are to be,
Make up our life, the near days each a star,
The far days nebulæ.

At once would love forget
Its keen pursuits and coy delays of bliss
And its delicious pangs of fond regret
Were there no day but this.

And who, to win a friend,
Would to the secrets of his heart invite
A fellowship that should begin and end
Between a night and night?

—Curtis Kinney in Cincinnati Tribune.

COWBOY AND CORSET.

"I jest wish yo' had never went to Dallas. I wish yo'd staid here on the ranch an kep' on a bein yer own self, 'stead o' driftin off the range to the city an a makin a play to be a high toned leddy. Yo' ain't like yo' used to be, Cassie."

There was a scowl on the cowboy's face as he stood before Cassie Denton, the daughter of the owner of the Texas ranch at which he was employed. The face of the bright eyed little maiden wore a pained look as she toyed with the buckskin wrist loop which depended from the handle of the six shooter in his belt.

"I knowed jest how it would be," he continued. "When yer pop got the notion into his head, that yo' must be edicated an be a leddy, I tol him it'd spile yo'. I tol him yo' never would be the same gal no mo'; that yer little head'd git turned there among the fine stock, an yo' wouldn't have no mo' use fur graded critters sich as the riders o' the ranges."

"But Bob," the girl interrupted, "I am not changed in my feelings toward you. I love you just as well as I did the day pop said I could marry you, and he sent me to school for two years just to make me fit to be your wife. It was all for your sake, Bob, and it's real bad of you to act so after I had studied so hard to make of myself a lady worthy of such a man as you. I know I'm not like I used to be. I am not rough and wild like I was once. I dress better, and I talk better. It's refinement, Bob—that's what Miss Bentley, the teacher, said, and she said that a girl without refinement was just a wart on the face of society. That's just what she said, Bob, in her own words, and I feel like crying at the way you act."

"I'd a whole lot rather see yo' a good healthy wart on the face o' society than to see yo' a dab o' bright paint on one o' its cheeks, or a string o' no 'count beads a-hangin 'bout its neck. Style is fur them that lives in cities, Cassie, an is jest as much out o' place in here on the ranch as a cheap herdin greaser'd be out o' place in glory. I'd never believed it of yo', Cassie, that yo'd come back here with yer foretop curled up in a bunch an a corset cinched round yo'. I wouldn't, I sw'ar I wouldn't. No woman kin make a rancher a good wife that wears a fashion pack saddle an bunches up her mane like yours is bunched. I must git over the curl business in time, but I ain't never goin to have no wife that'll cinch herself up so's she can't breathe below"—

With a scream of laughter the girl placed her hand over his mouth and checked his further speech.

"Oh, Bob, Bob, you naughty boy! Is it my poor little corset that has come between us to ward off your love? Oh, I must laugh, for it's really the funniest thing I ever heard of! Why, Bob, I could never live without a corset. It is such a support and comfort, and you know, you wicked boy, that my figure is much prettier than it was before I went to Dallas. Isn't it, now?"

She placed her hands against her waist and waltzed saucily around so that he could inspect her neat form.

"No, 'tain't. 'Tain't free an easy, like God intended it should be. If he'd 'a wanted yo' pinched up like yo' are now, he'd 'a built yo' that way. There'd be jest as much sense in cinchin up cows to make 'em look purty. Yo'd laugh yer eyes out to see a cow goin around here with corsets on; an, yo' hear me, it's jest as ridiculous fur a gal to do it. I'm again to roundup the ranges fur a gal 'at's got more savey than to wear sich monstrousities, 'r else I never will double up in matermony long as I live. Throw 'em away, Cassie, or yo' an me won't be nothin much to each other no mo'."

"Bob, I won't make a fool of myself for a little senseless whim such as yours. I'll wear what I please, and if it don't exactly meet with your ideas of propriety you can go and roundup a gir that's willing to put up with your nonsense."

The little girl was angry now, and with a spiteful flirt of her skirts she turned from him and went into the house. Her anger was like a passing summer cloud, and when in a few moments it had spent itself she ran to her room, and throwing herself on the bed burst into tears. She knew Bob Taylor loved her dearly, and rough and uneducated as he was she almost worshiped the handsome young cowboy. She would gladly have consigned the offending article of dress to the waters of the Brazos, which ran near the house, but she could not for a moment countenance such an unreasonable whim on Bob's part, and with set teeth and clinched hands she vowed that if her lover took her to wife the corset must be included in the inventory of her personal effects.

Days sped by, and Bob passed and repassed her about the house seemingly in oblivious of her presence as if she were a thousand miles away. Only once did he notice her, when, in maidenly desperation at his coldness, she asked:

"Ain't you never going to make up, Bob?"

"Not till you skin off that infernal pack saddle," was the surly reply.

Their lovers had been a fruitful and never stale topic of conversation among the pupils of Miss Bentley's select school for girls in Dallas, and in all their confidential chats Cassie had heard of but one effective method of whipping a recalcitrant lover back into the traces, "Flirt with some other fellow." Her only fear was that if she should try the experiment Bob might lose control of his temper and shoot the other fellow, and as a result he might be locked up for a long time in a cheerless prison, and the marriage be necessarily postponed until the misdemeanor was atoned for. The judge might be a cruel monster with no sympathy for young lovers and might send him into retirement for years, at the end of which time she might become a wrinkled or calcimined old maid before he again breathed the air of freedom.

That would be terrible. But pshaw! Bob would never be so foolish as to puff out a human light for one little girl in a country literally running over with the prettiest girls in America. Not he. Anyhow she would risk it, and if Ben Allison of the Diamond O ranch came around and made eyes at her again, as he had done on several occasions, she would encourage him just the least bit, and then, when Bob recovered from the fit of temporary insanity into which her corset had thrown him and came to her in a penitent mood, she would throw herself into his dear arms and tell him that she never did, never would and never could love any one but him. Of course he would forgive her and kiss her tears away, and the sun of love would again burst forth and shine over them with new and exquisite luster.

Ben Allison's heart became real unruly when at his next visit to the Denton ranch Cassie met him with a welcoming smile, extended her pretty little hand and permitted him to hold it quite a little while after he had got through shaking it. After this gratifying reception his visits increased in frequency, and although, with great feminine tact, the girl kept his ardor within proper bounds she did not repulse him, and it soon became noised about among the riders of the ranges that "Ben was sure goin to pitch a matermonial rope at Cassie Denton, an the little thererbred'd soon pack his brand."

Bob noted all this, and his heart was filled with bitterness toward his supposed rival. He never cast the look of recognition upon Cassie, yet when he would see her moving about the house or corrals or galloping about the range on her pretty little pinto pony it began to dawn upon him that her corseted form was indeed far neater than that of any girl on all the ranges of the Brazos. After a time he was ready to swear that he had never seen anything one-half so handsome as that neat, graceful figure, and the uncorseted girls of his acquaintance seemed almost frightful in his eyes when he gazed upon their loose, dumpy forms. He began to harbor the impression that he had made a very pronounced fool of himself, but his stubborn nature asserted itself. He had said the corset must go, and go it must.

"That's a way up on top gal sence she got back from Dallas, ain't she, Bob?" Allison said to him one day, when they met in the corral of the Denton ranch.

"Yo' don't want to make no funny plays about that gal when I'm around," Bob hotly replied.

"I hain't never yit found out that it makes any difference who's around or who ain't around when I want to make a talk play," retorted Allison.

"Some things gits found out mighty sudden, Ben Allison, an this ain't goin to be fur from one of 'em. I want to tell yo' right now, an to holler it out plain, too, that yo' are a-nosin around this ranch too plenty o' late instead of ridin yer own ranch, an I ain't agoin to stand it no m8."

"Mabbe you wouldn't mind tellin me what business it is o' yours whar I ride. Long as the gal's throwed yo' to one side yo' ain't got no say as to other fellers pitchin a rope at her."

"Yer a liar when yo' say she's throwed me, an yo' know it, an yo' want to hit the Diamond O trail right now, or yo' an me's agoin to bump together pow'ful hard. Jest top that hoss o' yours an work him lively away from here, or a calamity's agoin to occur right quick."

"Yo' talk mighty brave fur a castoff shoe, Bob Taylor, an yo' can't begin the jumpin business any too quick to suit me, yo' poor, worthless sneak."

That was the limit. The two men, their eyes blazing with anger, backed away from each other, drawing their six shooters as they went. The guns were thrown into position for quick work just as a slight girlish form darted around the corner of the adobe stable and sprang in front of Taylor. Allison's pistol rang out before he noted the presence of the girl, and with a scream of pain she fell senseless to the ground. The man who had fired the shot fled in terror and Bob knelt over his wounded darling, calling her by the most endearing names and begging her to live for his sake.

The form of the girl was borne into the house, and a doctor from Waco, who was fortunately there attending a cowboy who was down with the break bone fever, was called in.

"Is she dead, doctor?" asked Bob in tones of the most pitiable agony.

No, only stunned. Ball struck a corset stay and glanced off. She will be all right soon, but it was a close call, my boy, and she undoubtedly saved your life."

Cassie soon recovered consciousness, and with joy in his every tone Bob confessed what a fool he had been and begged for forgiveness. Of course it was sweetly granted, and he declared that the marriage must take place just as soon as she became able to stand before the minister.

"And can I wear my corset, dear?" she coyly asked.

"Wear what saved yo' for me? Cassie, I wouldn't have yo' throw that away for a million dollars. Yo' kin wear two of 'em if yo' want to, an if yo' say so I'll wear one myself."—New York Telegram.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 16. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Holy Garments.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxviii, 2; Gal. iii, 27; Eph. vi, 14-15; II Cor. vi, 7.

The ordinary priests when performing service were to be clothed with breeches, reaching to the knees, a robe or shirt-like tunic coming to the ankles, girdle around the waist and a turban, all of white linen. The garments of Aaron and his successors, the high priests, as they came to be called, were different in several respects. The breeches of linen were the same. The shirtlike coat or tunic was to be embroidered for him. Above this was to be worn a sleeveless robe of blue reaching to the knees, with a band at the neck and a fringe at the bottom of golden bells, interspersed with pomegranates of blue, purple and scarlet. Outside of this was the ephod made of "gold, blue, purple, scarlet and fine twined linen, with cunning work." It covered back and breast to the waist. It had secured to it at the shoulders two onyx stones, on each of which were engraved the names of six of the tribes of Israel. On the front was a breastplate of judgment of similar work, with the ephod, a span long, but doubled in the form of a pocket. On this were set 12 precious stones, each engraved with the name of one of the tribes. These were set in four rows of three each. The breastplate was fastened to the ephod by gold chains. At the sides of the ephod the "curious girdle" was attached and fastened back and front together. The real girdle or sash seems to have been the same for all. The turban of the chief priest became a miter, with a gold plate fastened by a blue lacing to the front and engraved with "Holiness to the Lord."

These special garments and the holy anointing oil marked the high priest as the mediator between God and man. He was the "anointed one," the messiah, as the Hebrew term is, the Christ in the Greek. All the types of the old dispensation found fulfillment in Jesus of Nazareth as the one anointed of the Father, the true Messiah, or Christ. He bore on his heart the judgment of the race, and his life exhibited holiness unto God. He made atonement once for all that those who obey him may be "clothed in fine linen, which is the righteousness of the saints."

Chautauqua and Oxford League.

The name of John H. Vincent will ever be linked with that of Chautauqua and the wonderful worldwide educational and religious movement for which that name now stands. Its marvelous success is due in great measure to his genius for planning and ability in execution, his skill in forming combinations of men, each in the right place and all working at their full capacity. But for the need of his work in another sphere he should have been the hand at the helm of the young people's movement in Methodism. He early discerned the signs of the times, and at the Baltimore conference of American Methodist churches in September, 1884, was the prime mover in organizing the Oxford league, which was planned to unite the forces of the young Methodists of the world after the pattern of the Holy club of Oxford. This society was adopted by the managers of the Sunday School union the year of its organization, and at the next general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was recognized by that body by the appointment of a board of control. A revision of the plan in 1889 gave it still greater success than ever, till, in May of that year, 500 chapters, with 20,000 members, had been enrolled. Many believed that this should be the one great denominational society. But the existence of other unions with large membership in various parts of the country made concessions imperative if union of the Methodist forces was to be accomplished. So the Oxford league was merged in the new society, and the name adopted of Epworth League.

BISHOP VINCENT.

The Purpose.

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The Method.

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"Tis not the work the Master needs; 'tis there,
The living heart, the believing heart.
The child-like man, trustful, glad to be
Wherever he will, to stay or to depart.
—J. R. Miller.

How It Works.

Among the Zulus the first sign of an approach to Christ is a desire for clothes. A man comes one day and buys a calico shirt, the next perhaps he buys a pair of duck pants, then a three legged stool, for he can no longer sit on the ground. Then, with clothes on and seated, he is a thousand miles above the heathen around him.—World Wide Missions.

The Point of View.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip Derby, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Henderson, defendants, to said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Henderson in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of section 18, 1 town 5 south of Range 4 East, 5.78-100 chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said section; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 11 and 8-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 38 and 44-100 chains; thence south 81 degrees 10 minutes west 18 and 4-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 18; thence west on that (section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.

WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
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Attorneys for Plaintiff.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth A. Rogers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Adelia M. Wheeler, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of deceased, in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of February, 1895 and on the 24th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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Jackson	Lv	6 00 A. M.	2 00 P. M.	12 00 P. M.
Napoleon		6 26 "	2 26 "	1 15 "
Norvell		6 37 "	2 39 "	1 27 "
Manchester		6 45 "	2 45 "	1 35 "
Clinton		6 56 "	2 57 "	1 46 "
Tecumseh		7 08 "	3 11 "	2 05 "
Adrian	Ar	7 30 "	3 35 "	2 30 "
Detroit		10 15 "	6 25 "	
Toledo		9 00 "	4 30 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.		No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 320. Accom.
Detroit	Lv	6 45 A. M.	3 00 P. M.	
Toledo		10 05 "	7 30 "	
Adrian		10 50 "	8 20 "	5 00 A. M.
Tecumseh		11 27 "	9 05 "	7 35 "
Clinton		11 36 "	9 15 "	8 15 "
Manchester		11 55 "	9 40 "	9 10 "
Norvell		12 10 P. M.	10 17 "	9 32 "
Napoleon		12 18 "	10 25 "	9 46 "
Jackson	Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 20	L. Allegan A	3 40	
		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M.	12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 10	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 20
8 20	7 45	1 31	Marshall	11 14	12 26
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	10 38	11 49
9 58	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 08	11 02
11 20	9 59	3 00	Addison	10 05	10 25
12 24	10 14	3 12	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 53	10 23	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 39
..	10 34	3 31	Sand Lake	9 32	9 27
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 51	Tecumseh	9 10	8 53
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 30
3 10	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	8 10
3 25	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 20	A. Toledo L	7 35	6 59
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 61—Local Mail and Express.....10:23 a m
*No. 63—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex. 2:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....3:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
†No. 57 Chicago Limited.....2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express.....7:30 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....2:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express.....6:55 p m

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The ice harvest is booming now at Devils Lake.

E. J. Smith is again crumbling the county crums in the Adrian Press.

Blacksmiths have a good run of business since the cold weather set in. The shops are all bus.y

Brother Blackman, of the Hillsdale Democrat, has received the appointment of postmaster, and all the people say, amen.

The Odd Fellows of Adrian will celebrate their fiftieth anniversary on the evening of March 6, with addresses and a banquet.

Prof. Keeler, of the Morenci schools, announces himself as a candidate for county superintendent of schools on the Republican ticket.

Blissfield amateurs are rehearsing the popular drama, "Among the Breakers." They expect to put it on the boards of Lumley's opera house Feb. 19th.

Strange as it may seem it got so cold at Devils lake last week that the operators couldn't run their ice machinery, so business was suspended for a day or two.

Several sleigh loads of Adrian people recently visited Tecumseh and took the bakery, late in the evening—Bice's bakery. The walls of the building and a heap of oyster shells were left.—Adrian Press.

A young man saw the advertisement, "How to make your trousers last," and sent fifty cents to find out how it was done. The postal card that he received in reply bore one line, "Make your coat and vest first."

The success of Miss Myra Turner, the school teacher who recovered $1,300 of Ridgeway for a header into an open culvert, shows what a school-ma'am can do when she gets on her ear—in a neglected ditch.—Adrian Press.

Miss Daisy Eaton, operator in the Hudson central telephone, talked with Cincinnati, Monday. The route was via Ann Arbor and Detroit, making the distance about 300 miles. It demonstrated the satisfactory workings of the long distance telephone.—Hudson Gazette.

A large number of bogus 25 cent pieces bearing the date of 1892 are being circulated in Hudson. It is well nigh impossible to tell them from the genuine, as the weight is all right, but they sound as flat and as bogus as a high protectionist's argument.—Hudson Gazette.

The Carnelian Ladies' Trio of Adrian is composed of Miss Bess E. Johnston, soprano; Miss Bertha Shoemaker, mezzo-soprano; Miss Lizzie E. Smith, alto and whistler. They are musically talented and their concert at the M. E. church Wednesday evening was well enjoyed by all who heard them sing and whistle. The receipts were $20.—Morenci Observer.

Ex-county clerk, Ira Waterman and ex-prosecuting attorney, Fred B. Wood, have their goods and chattels all packed and loaded and will start Tuesday for their new home in Virginia. Their plantation is located on the James river about nine miles above Richmond. The best wishes of a host of friends will go with the gentlemen and their families.—Saturday's Telegram.

By one of the numerous misdeals that are made in politics, a republican instead of a democrat has just been chosen United States senator for Kansas. But since the democrats during the past year have got it in the neck, under the ribs, in the stomach, opposite the stomach or thereabouts, and elsewhere, it softens our sorrow to realize that the new Kansas senator, Lucien Baker, was once of Adrian. He was also a resident of Morenci, and since his election, Morenci has refused to speak to Fayette.—Adrian Press.

The Hudson Gazette announces that the city is "out" $200, by the failure of the telegraph service to deliver a telegram promptly. A Mendon delegation came to Hudson prepared if need be, to pay $1,000 for a fire squirt gun, but got it for $800. A telegram from a Hudsonite at Mendon to Mayor Lawrence councilled him to stick for $1,000 and he would get it. The dispatch was received at 9 p. m., but not delivered till the next morning. It was too late. Instances have been known of a messenger boy starting with a telegram and becoming gray before it was delivered.

We are requested to ask certain Clinton youths how the sleighing was Sunday evening, and suggest that they, in future, provide themselves with sandwiches to provide for emergencies.—(Tecumseh Herald.) But beware of the railroad sandwich! A passenger once purchased one and after struggling with it half an hour and losing three front teeth, he threw it out of the car window and knocked down a foundry, the proprietors of which sued the railroad company and recovered damages, the sandwich being offered in evidence with the name of the railroad cast in it.—Adrian Press.

At Tuesday's meeting of the Tecumseh Farmers' Union the question, "Can farmers afford to buy commercial fertilizer to grow crops, at present prices?" was discussed. Well, it certainly does look as though under the gold standard farmers must fertilize their lands in the "old way." As Uncle Cy. Luce once remarked at a Farmers' picnic, "spread your manure on a damp day. It is wanted on earth, not in heaven."—Adrian Press.

Ferdinand Knoblauch, an old bachelor of Riga, concluded he had existed on earth as a "lone man" long enough, and yesterday took unto himself a wife—Miss Minnie Kolts—the ceremony being performed at the residence of Adolph Driefke, in Riga township, by Rev. Kroenke. The youthful Ferdinand is 58 years old and the blushing bride 26, and here's hoping Ferdie may enjoy many years yet of matrimonial bliss.—Blissfield Advance.

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Republican County Convention.

A republican county convention for Lenawee county will be held at the court-room, at the court house, in the city of Adrian, on Saturday, February 16, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of selecting twenty-three (23) delegates to the republican state convention, to be held at Detroit on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1895; also, to place in nomination one candidate for county commissioner of schools, to be elected at the coming spring election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. Each township and ward and the city of Hudson is entitled to six delegates.

Adrian, Feb. 4, 1895.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

IN the United States senate on the 28th the credentials on Richard F. Pettigrew, of South Dakota, reelected to the senate for six years from March 4, 1895, were presented. The bankruptcy bill was discussed.... In the house the bill to repeal the differential duty imposed by the tariff bill on sugars from bounty-paying countries was considered. A bill was passed authorizing the secretary of war to make a survey of Kalamazoo harbor, Michigan. Mr. Springer introduced a bill designed to carry out the financial recommendations of the president in his message to congress.

ON the 29th the bankruptcy bill was discussed in the senate and Senator Chandler (N. H.) spoke against the pooling bill. A bill was passed to amend the interstate commerce law so as to permit the sale of interchangeable mileage tickets to commercial travelers.... In the house the bill to repeal the discriminating duty on sugar was passed. The senate joint resolution reviving the grade of lieutenant general of the army for the benefit of Maj. Gen. Schofield was presented. A bill was introduced advocating the publishing of labor bureau reports at intervals of not less than two months, to contain current facts as to the condition of labor here and abroad.

IN a discussion of the currency question in the senate on the 30th Mr. Vest said he would follow the president's lead no longer, and bitterly denounced the financial measure proposed by the president. A bill was introduced permitting Associate Justice Jackson, of the supreme court of the United States, to retire on account of ill health.... In the house the time was occupied in discussing the Union Pacific railway bill.

IN the senate on the 31st ult. Senators Gorman and Hill made strenuous efforts to have some immediate action taken on the financial question. Resolutions were passed calling on Secretary Carlisle for information concerning every detail bearing on revenues, reserves, deficiencies, etc. A joint resolution providing for a special election the first Tuesday of October, 1895, to ascertain the will of the people respecting financial matters was introduced by Senator Peffer.... In the house the time was occupied in discussing the Pacific railway funding bill.

ON the 1st the district appropriation bill was taken up again in the senate and served as a text for further financial discussion, during which Senator Teller, representing the silver element, gave warning of opposition to any financial plan not agreeable to him.... In the house, during a debate on a Hawaiian resolution, Congressmen Breckinridge (Ky.) and Heard (Mo.) called each other liars and one blow was struck, when they were arrested and made to apologize. A bill was passed giving the Seventh judicial circuit of the United States, composed of Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin, another judge. A resolution was adopted calling on the president for all correspondence and information regarding the alleged aid furnished the rebels in Hawaii by representatives of the British government.

DOMESTIC.

EIGHTEEN THOUSAND carpet weavers were preparing to strike at Kensington, Pa., if their demand for higher wages was not conceded.

IT was said that some if not all of the state schools of South Dakota would be compelled to close on account of the defalcation of ex-Treasurer Taylor.

DANIEL M. HARDWICK shot and killed George Ward, his brother-in-law, at Mexico, Mo., and then killed himself. Family trouble was the cause.

POLICE officers fired on riotous strikers in Brooklyn, N. Y., one of whom, Michael Madigan, was probably fatally wounded.

ERNEST B. STUDER, of Peoria, Ill., eloped with Amanda Heberer, and his father threatened to shoot him on sight.

A train load of ore valued at $1,000,000 left the Independence mine at Cripple Creek, Col., for Denver.

RECEIVERS were appointed for the Bucyrus Steam Shovel & Dredge company of South Milwaukee. The liabilities were $259,675 and the assets $461,841.

A STRINGENT bill against prize fighting and race-track gambling was meeting favor in the North Carolina legislature.

OVER 300 families in Racine, Wis., were receiving help from the city. The men were willing to work, but could find none.

THE hearing of evidence in the trial of the American Railway union officials was begun in Chicago.

WISCONSIN cranberry growers are in need of aid, their marshes having been destroyed by forest fires.

ELEVEN trained ponies and thirty-five educated dogs in winter quarters at Bloomington, Ind., were burned to death.

THE national board of trade met in twenty-seventh annual session at Washington.

JOHN W. NORTON, the theatrical manager, died from the injuries received in the railroad wreck at Coatesville, Ind.

THE petrified body of a man 20 feet in length was found on Thomas Barker's farm near Albia, Ia.

THE will of the late James G. Fair was stolen from the office of the county clerk at San Francisco.

DAVID HAMPTON (colored) was electrocuted at Sing Sing, N. Y., for the murder of Mrs. Annette Ahrens, a widow 70 years of age, in New York on the night of December 29, 1892.

THE work of the special examiners of the pension bureau in Washington has fallen into an arrearage of over 20,000 cases owing to the recent lack of appropriations.

THE aggregate gross earnings of thirty railroads in the United States for the third week of January were $3,341,411, an increase of $56,302 over the corresponding period a year ago.

A MANDAMUS to compel Commissioner Lochren to restore the pension of Judge Long, of Detroit, to its former rating was granted by the District of Columbia supreme court.

CHARLES K. HUGHES, JR., was accused of using $40,000 fraudulently while cashier of the First national bank of Lima, O., and was arrested.

WILLIE HUSH and his brother tried to light a fire with gasoline at the orphans' home at Logansport, Ind., and one was killed, the other fatally burned.

ELEVEN trained ponies and thirty-five educated dogs and one monkey, the property of Prof. W. Gentry, were burned to death at their winter quarters in Bloomington, Ind.

Now, if the Washington base ball team would submit a currency scheme it would be the last two straws in the financial problem.

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FRED HOFFMAN, United States commissioner of D county, O. T., was assassinated by unknown persons near Taloga.

BOILERS exploded in the electric railway works at Denver, Col., killing Frank Waldrod and Conrad Bitzer and Edward Stanley and John Brown were fatally scalded.

JOSEPH BAUM & SONS, dealers in dry goods and general merchandise at Meridian, Miss., failed for $200,000.

AMONG the numerous bills introduced in the Illinois house was one directed against the wearing of high hats at theaters.

CRAWFORD CROSBY, alias Cherokee Bill, a noted outlaw, was captured at Mowata, I. T., by two men who had secured his confidence.

A SLED load of young people went over an embankment near Salem, O., four being seriously hurt.

WESLEY TABOR was arrested at Belleville, Ill., charged with the murder of the McClellands, father and son, at Centralia, fourteen years ago.

GEORGE BEAN, near Richmond, Va., while protecting his stepmother from assault was shot and killed by his father.

C. W. STANFORD, tax collector and probate officer of Concord, Mass., was said to be $15,000 short in his accounts. He had disappeared.

THE financial statement of the midwinter fair at San Francisco shows that the total receipts were $1,200,112 and the expenditures were $1,193,360, leaving a surplus of $32,464.

THE Kansas legislature passed a law making every kind and form of betting and gambling a felony punishable by from one to five years in the penitentiary.

PETER OLSON, wife and three children, who lived near Sterling, N. D., and a hired man named Bathga, lost their lives in a fire.

CHARLES DONOVAN died in an epileptic fit while being arraigned in court at La Junta, Col., for attempted criminal assault upon a 3-year-old girl.

ALL but a few companies of the troops on duty at Brooklyn, N. Y., were withdrawn, the strike being practically over.

SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS in gold was found by Jesse J. Drew at his sawmill near Hollandale, Miss. The treasure was supposed to have been buried during the civil war.

WILEY CLEMENTS and Joshua Hughes, mine bosses at the Champion mines near Birmingham, Ala., were fatally shot by Bud Jones, a negro miner.

SOLICITOR GENERAL MAXWELL has resigned owing to differences with Attorney General Olney regarding the income tax.

HARRISON STEVENS (colored) was hanged at Dawson, Ga., for the murder of J. G. Wells a year ago.

MRS. ZINDLINGER and her twin daughters were burned to death by a lamp explosion at Philadelphia, Pa.

ARIZONA bandits held up a Southern Pacific train near Wilcox and blew the express safe with dynamite, securing $50,000.

THE bank of Trenton, Neb., was ordered closed by the state banking board.

THE twenty-seventh annual convention of the National American Woman-Suffrage association met at Atlanta, Ga., with Miss Susan B. Anthony, its president, in the chair.

AN investigation showed that twenty-one of the chain gang of convicts at Savannah, Ga., were permanently disabled by exposure to freezing weather.

THE Leonard Smokeless Powder company, with a capital of $10,000,000, made an assignment in New York.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 1st aggregated $942,531,065, against $917,003,347 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 24.2.

THE Michigan senate passed a joint resolution submitting to the people an amendment to the constitution providing an educational qualification for electors.

THE steamship Kingdom, forty-two days out from Shields, for Charleston, S. C., was thought to be lost with her crew of thirty-five.

INTENSELY cold weather prevailed in the northwest. At Grantsburg, Wis., the thermometer registered 42 degrees below zero and at Negaunee, Mich., 40 below.

THERE were 354 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 1st, against 363 the week previous and 370 in the corresponding time in 1894.

BECAUSE his 2-year-old son would not stop crying Alexander Vonkariage, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., dashed its brains out on a hot stove.

CHAMPION CORBETT discussed sparring matches before a committee of the Minnesota legislature, defending his profession.

THE Iron Mountain mine in Shasta county, Cal., was sold for $300,000 cash to an English syndicate.

A TREASURY statement shows that the receipts from all sources during the month of January were $37,804,399 and the expenditures $34,823,447, a deficit for the month of $6,719,048 and for the fiscal year of $34,383,070.

JOHN RENO, died at Columbus, Ind. He was one of the first train robbers in the United States and was a daring individual.

CATHERINE MORRISON, of New York, a wealthy young woman, committed suicide by cutting her throat in a church confessional.

BUD ELLIS, a Methodist preacher at Aurora, Mo., while insane killed his wife, shot his daughter and took his own life.

THE coinage at the several mints during January was: Gold, $1,093,300; silver, $574,000; minor coins, $68,300. Of the silver coined $200,000 was in silver dollars, since July 1, 1894, the number of silver dollars coined was 3,293,978.

BROUWER & McGOWAN, brokers on the New York stock exchange, have suspended with liabilities of $400,000.

DIRECTLY lowered his pacing record at Fresno, Cal., by half a second, making the mile in 2:07¼. Joe Patchen beat Robert J. three straight heats. Time, 2:06¼, 2:13¼, 2:06.

THE deaconess home, a hospital in Cleveland, O., was destroyed by fire and four of the fifteen inmates were cremated.

DURING January the fire losses in the United States amounted to $10,936,068, against $13,576,485 in January, 1894.

GOV. MORRILL, of Kansas, signed the anti-lottery and anti-gambling bills—the first to become laws at this session of the legislature.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

DR. FERDINAND W. OSTRANDER, who had the reputation of being the oldest practicing physician in Brooklyn, N. Y., died at the age of 90 years.

JUDGE E. ROCKWOOD HOAR, United States attorney general under President Grant in 1870, died at his home in Concord, Mass., aged 79 years.

THOMAS QUAYLE, one of the veteran shipbuilders of the great lakes, died at his home in Cleveland, O., aged 85 years.

CONGRESSMAN JOHN L. WILSON was nominated by the republican caucus at Olympia, Wash., for United States senator.

WARD MCALLISTER, the well-known leader of New York society, died of the grip, aged 64 years.

GOV. NELSON, elected United States senator, resigned and Lieut. Gov. Clough became governor of Minnesota without special formality.

MISS PEARL BROADSWORD, aged 16, the largest girl in Ohio, weighing 480 pounds, died at Litchfield.

MRS. JOSEPH STUDEBAKER, of Anderson, Ind., who had fasted and slept for 117 days, is dead.

CAPT. ISAAC KEYS, a federal officer under Presidents Lincoln and Grant, and a prominent banker, died at Springfield, Ill.

REV. GEORGE W. DUNBAR and Miss Elizabeth Mystery were married at Peoria, Ill. The groom is 83 years old and has been married five times before. The bride is 48 and this is her first attempt.

FOREIGN.

COSTA RICA has joined the other Central American republics in assuring Guatemala of support in the event of war with Mexico.

THE North German Lloyd steamer Elbe was sunk in the North sea by the Grathie and of the 400 persons on board but twenty-five were saved.

A STRONG movement in behalf of annexation to the United States was under way in Newfoundland.

THE sultan of Morocco appealed to England to place his kingdom under a protectorate, as he did not feel able to hold it himself.

SWEDEN has increased the tariff duties on all American products.

DISPATCHES from Chefoo announced that the Japanese captured Wei-Hai-Wei. The Chinese loss was placed at 2,000 men.

IT was said that Germany was determined to force a tariff war upon the United States in order to satisfy the agricultural party.

ENGLISH bankers expressed the opinion that Europeans were losing confidence in the commercial honor of the United States.

TWENTY business buildings at Coaticook, Que., were burned.

INVESTIGATION of the wreck of the steamer Elbe in the North sea shows that 314 persons lost their lives in the disaster.

AN unknown man ran amuck in the streets of Constantinople, killing three persons, among them an American, and wounding ten others.

MEXICO had not declared war against Guatemala, but troops were being rapidly massed upon the frontier.

LATER.

THE United States senate on the 2d occupied the time in discussing the District of Columbia appropriation bill. Lee Mantle took the oath of office as senator from Montana. In the house the Pacific railroad funding bill was recommitted to the committee on railroads by a vote of 177 to 108, showing an unexpectedly large majority against the measure. A bill to temporarily revive the rank of lieutenant general of the army was passed.

A ROCK ISLAND passenger train was derailed near Topeka, Kan., and twenty passengers were hurt.

A FREIGHT train to which was attached a passenger coach was wrecked near Oblong, Ill., and six members of a dramatic company were injured.

THE East side bank of New York was closed pending an examination into its condition. It owes depositors $460,000.

OFFICERS of the American ship Concord accidentally killed a Chinaman at Chin Klang and were seized by the infuriated populace. Marines were landed to secure their release.

CHINA'S peace ambassadors started for home, Japan refusing to deal with agents who had no powers to act on the spot.

INFLUENTIAL members of Holy Trinity Catholic church at Bucyrus, O., refused to obey the mandate to withdraw from secret societies.

THE insurrection in Hawaii has been suppressed. Ex-Queen Liliuokalani was arrested, dynamite and arms having been found in her residence, and it was decided to banish her.

EX-CONGRESSMAN M. D. STIVERS died in his chair at the Times office in Middletown, N. Y.

THE little village of Jonestown, Miss., was completely destroyed by fire.

GREAT BRITAIN, France and Russia were said to have instructed their ministers to advise China and Japan to come to terms.

THE Phoenix glass factory at Monaca, Pa., was burned, the loss being $175,000.

A LOSS of about $100,000 was caused by a fire in the Minneapolis branch of the Moline (Ill.) plow works.

HUNDREDS of carloads of provisions were awaiting distribution in Nebraska, while the destitute were starving and freezing.

"GREEN GOODS" dealers were flooding Illinois and Indiana with circulars telling how to secure $40,000 for $2,000.

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T. R. KYLE, P. M.

The male members of the Colorado Legislature are keeping up a brave front, but the real test will come when the lady members begin to enforce their arguments with tears.

Mr. Cleveland's gout could not have been very troublesome Thursday when Calvin S. Brice called on him to give him some advice, for there is no record anywhere of an Ohio Senator being thrown down stairs on that day.

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CHRISTMAS IN TENNESSEE.

A Budget of Interesting Items from the Old Volunteer State.

Ever since my heart was made glad by "A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," from loved ones in Tennessee, I wanted to send the same greeting to my friends in Michigan. My only apology for their untimely sending is lack of leisure time. You may laugh at the idea of a Southerner wanting more time for surely each day's length would increase two hours could they be induced to get a quicker move on themselves; but a slow motion is one essential to their happiness.

Those familiar with Christmas in the North, I fear would mistake this annual holiday in the South, for either the Fourth or Thanksgiving; it is a combination of the two, being ushered in with hilarity and a grand display of fireworks, like the Fourth, while the universal display in fine dinners and varied festivities, makes it very similar to thanksgiving. The Christmas tide, just past, flowed as freely and ebbed as slowly, while the 'Yule log' blazed as brightly, and the maiden lingered just as shyly and as hopefully neath the misletoe as in my childhood days, those 'good old days,' when we were awakened just at dawn by the loud yell 'Christmas gif' to de white folks." We might have thought we had been swooped down upon by a tribe of Comanches had we not always been familiar with that manner of Christmas greeting, from the faithful slaves, each one expecting and content with some simple present from 'marster and missus." This year I heard the same salutation, coming from only two hired servants and a few colored friends who dropped in towards noon, to be remembered by, at least, a good, square meal.

I gladly noticed one pernicious and universally popular custom in every home in the South, has become obsolete. The flowing bowl of egg-nog, which formerly constituted the most attractive and essential feature of Christmas merriment is now a thing of the past, having been supplanted by the little bow of 'White ribbon' and Maltese cross,' both meaning total abstinence in our homes and for our families. Still much drunkenness is seen, especially among the colored people, who, when remonstrated with, invariably reply 'I can't celebrate without whiskey. It takes two pertaters and er dram to make er nigger er gintleman.' Even mercury seemed to have imbibed the same spirit and got a 'jag' for the day succeeding Christmas it dropped to zero, something very unusual in Tennessee. Now Year came in as clear and bright as a spring day, and passed almost as quickly as its attending resolutions.

Farmers are making an early beginning, already preparing their 'plant beds' and repairing fences. I may at some future time explain how and why 'plant beds' are made, giving some interesting ideas of the culture of tobacco and cotton.

I had remembered my native State as a land that flowed with milk and honey, and hoped upon my return, after an absence of three years, to find the same prosperity, trusting the piteous wail of 'hard times' would remain in Michigan. Alas! in Ohio it was still the same. In Kentucky, Grand old State! once rich in its fine stock and tobacco, I saw indications of worse times. When I reached the dear old 'Volunteer State,' my native Tennessee, I found harder times than Michiganders know. While farmers in the North are uttering their chronic complaint of low price for wheat and cheap wool, the reverberation is caught up by the people this side the Ohio, with the addition of tobacco and wool, and carried on to the Gulf. Neither tobacco nor cotton brings the cost of producing it.

The HERALD comes to me frequently, and I can tell by its freshness and breeziness that winter is still on hand in Michigan, although we have been having days as warm and bright and skies as blue as Michigan knows in April. Wild flowers are bursting into blossom. I have found some dear little violets modest and shy, with petals as bright and blue as the sky, with hearts as yellow and pure as gold filled with perfume as rare as roses can hold. There! I did'nt intend to put that into rhyme, but it just came nolens volens, yet for fear I might be dubbed a 'spring poet' I will close, with a heart full of good wishes for a happy year to all friends.

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A CONTROVERTED QUESTION.

Improvement of the River Raisin as a Fishing Ground.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature requiring fish shutes to be built in all dams in the Raisin River and its tributaries.

Having been personally and practically interested in the fish and fishing in this river and the ponds, or reservoirs thereon for about forty years, I have been led to study its conditions and possibilities to some extent.

My conclusions are that fish shutes would be no advantage to its fish interests and are not desirable in it. The mouth of the river and the contiguous portions of Lake Erie are thoroughly gleaned in commercial fishing by the large fishing companies and individual fishermen, with long experience and complete appliances and fixtures, that very few, if any, valuable or game fish can elude them and escape up the stream if it were provided with the shutes to enable them to get over the dams in it.

In early times, when streams were bordered and shaded by bushes and timber, fish from the lake, when there was no contamination of the water by mills or factories refuse to repel them, or other conditions along the stream to frighten them, ascended the stream in spring in considerable numbers, to return again soon to the lake, and the lake fish, or smaller varieties of pan fish, were not very plentiful at other seasons of the year, and in case of late freshets were often carried down out of the stream, not to return until subsequent years.

Fish shutes, like many other things, might work both ways, and as far as the upper waters of the streams are concerned, very many more river fish would go down the stream than lake fish would ever reach them.

Now, the conditions surrounding the streams are greatly changed, each millpond and deep pool is a breeding reservoir for rearing and preserving homebred fish for the use of the people of the state at large. The smaller varieties of pan fishes have increased to vast numbers, while the larger game fishes are by no means wanting, and the continuation of this source of recreation and innocent sport, and an occasional change in the family larder to a toothsome dish of wholesome and nutritious food, is dependent in a large degree on the maintainance of the ponds and dams in tact.

The milling and manufacturing interests dependent on the streams for motive power, are of great value to the prosperity of the country, and at this time are none too prosperous to add to their burdens the heavy outlay necessary for the construction of effective shutes in each dam by the owners individually, and to entail upon them the perpetual drain of keeping in repair, would, in my judgment, be wholly unjust and without any corresponding public advantage and directly opposed to sound public policy.

If such shutes can be rightfully demanded at all, it must be in response to a public necessity, or probable public benefit, and of course should be at public expense.

A. D. HALL.

Tecumseh, Feb. 13, 1895.

Country papers please copy.

THE WEATHER.

A Record of Low Temperature, Furnished by Dr. E. Hause.

1885 was the coldest winter on record. The thermometer was at or below zero 49 days during Dec., 1884, Jan. and Feb., 1885; 19 days in February the thermometer was at or below zero. Thirty degrees below was the coldest that year:

YEAR.	MONTH.	DAY.	DEGREES ABOVE.	DEGREES BELOW.
1849	January	11		10
1852	February	19		18
1856	January	9		23
1857	"	10		16
1859	December	31		17
1861	January	1		18
1864	"	1		22
1868	February	3		23
1870	"	21		10
1871	December	21		15
1872	"	22		24
1873	January	29		30
1874	"	16		2
1875	February	15		17
1876	December	19		18
1877	January	21		4
1878	December	24		8
1879	January	3		16
1882	December	7		11
1883	January	8		19
1884	"	24		35
1885	February	12		30
1886	January	16		30
1888	February	23		7
1890	January	21	8	
1891	February	4		1
1892	January	21		26
1893	"	16		12
1894	February	21		10
1895	"	9		15

ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP

To New Orleans, La., on Account of Mardi Gras.

On February 19, 20, 21, 23 and 23 the C., J. & M. Ry. will offer for sale round trip excursion tickets from all points to New Orleans, La., and return, at rate of one fare for the round trip, on account of Mardi Gras, held at New Orleans, Feb. 25 and 26, 1895. For rates, time of trains, connections, etc., call on nearest C., J. & M. agent or address

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A TRIP TO DEERFIELD.

The Hustling Village on the Eastern Border of Lenawee.

We gave our Snap Shot Story at Deerfield last week, and while there had an opportunity to renew old acquaintances and make many new ones. Deerfield suffers somewhat from the hard times, that is true, but not in so great a degree as many places. Business is fair for this season of the year, and the town seems to be pushing along and keeping well up with her competitors in the race.

Our old friend, Loren VanAntwerp, who formerly resided in Tecumseh, is still conducting a harness store there. He has the whole field to himself, there being no competitor, and is evidently doing well. His shop is in the rear end of the same store which contains a jewelry and watchmaker's outfit in the front. A rather peculiar business combination. Loren frequently visits his mother here in Tecumseh, so he does not seem like a stranger.

L. G. Hemenway is running the saw mill and has a lumber yard in connection therewith. This is a good point for a business of that kind and he seems to be one of the fixtures there.

E. E. Burnham occupies the double store on the south corner, with a public hall overhead. He carries a general stock of dry goods, boots and shoes, and crockery. Mr. Burnham has been in business there for several years and is one of the old stand bys. Erastus Ward is now clerking there.

Leona Smith keeps a stock of general merchandise, occupying the first store on the west side. He is one of the younger business men and is getting a fine start.

B. & V. B. Cannon run a hardware store on the west side, and are evidently prospering. Ben Cannon was supervisor from Deerfield as much as twenty years ago. He and his son are now conducting this business.

Wm. F. Weisinger is one of the younger business men here. He is a hustler and is rapidly forging to the front. He keeps a general stock of groceries, clothing, boots and shoes, hats and caps. He also purchases grain and produce of all kinds for shipment. Mr. Weisinger probably does the heaviest business of any man in Deerfield. He owns a beautiful residence just north of the railroad, which is a model home. We enjoyad his hospitality during our stay in Deerfield.

The Deerfield Times is a new candidate for favor. It is now six months old and is a lively youngster. We had the pleasure of forming Editor Fifield's acquaintance. The paper is well managed and has a very liberal advertising patronage. May the Times continue to flourish.

Crop Report for February.

Cold weather prevailed during the month of January. Snow fell in the early part of the month in sufficient amount to afford good protection to the wheat plant. The average depth of snow in the lower peninsula on the 15th was about eight inches, and at the end of the month there had been no reduction. In reply to the question, "Has wheat during January suffered injury from any cause?" 192 correspondents in the southern counties answer "yes," and 295 "no;" in the central counties, 34 answer "yes," and 143 "no," and in the northern counties, 8 answer "yes," and 90 "no."

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers in January, is 1,061,838, and in the six months, August—January, 7,296,941, which is 1,952,971 bushels less than reported markoted in the same six months last year. At twenty elevators and mills from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The condition of live stock averages from 93 to 97 per cent, comparison being with stock in good healthy and thrifty condition.

The World's Fair Reproduced.

Did you visit the World's Fair in Chicago, or did you find it impossible to go? Whether you did or not, you can see it reproduced in all its glory in "The Graphic History of the Fair," which is fully described in our "Special Announcement" elsewhere in this issue. We are in a position to offer this grand work at only about half price. Hon. Edmond Bruwaert, Consul-General for France, says he "has perused the work with great interest and pleasure, each page, each picture calling back the memories of the past year in their most vivid form."

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And strike a fighting lick;
You're not the only one who votes
The butt end of the log.
—Detroit Free Press.

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PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S DOUBLE.

Mr. Cleveland has a double in New York, and many people there think they have seen the president, but are mistaken. The double is J. Lawrence Gardner, of Washington, secretary of the democratic congressional campaign committee. Cleveland and Gardner look so much alike that they are taken for one another even in Washington, where both are such familiar figures. Gardner was the chirman of the arrangements committee at the inauguration last year, and sat beside Cleveland on the platform at the Capitol. The crowd could not tell them apart, and it is still a mooted question in many minds as to which of the two men was really inaugurated president.

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SPECIMENS OF OLD SHINPLASTERS.

A recent issue of the Detroit Commercial Advertiser contained the following notice:

A 9-penny shinplaster, bearing date of April, 1777, a specimen of probably the oldest United States money in existence, was found between the leaves of an old history a few days ago by J. N. Hooker, of Bartow, Fla. The bill was printed by John Dunlap, of Philadelphia, and has printed on one side the warning, "To counterfeit is death."

Mr. Albert Collins, of Macon, can match this shinplaster and go one better. He has two specimens, both of which were issued in 1776.

One of them is about five inches by two and a half in size, printed in black and red, with a widely engraved border, containing these words: "Thirty Shillings. No. 9965. This bill of thirty shillings proclamation is emitted by a law of the colony of New Jersey, passed in the 14th year of the reign of his Majesty King George the Third. Dated March 25, 1776. Thirty Shillings. Robert Smith, Jno. Johnston, John Smyth." The back side is in plainer style and contains these words, printed crossways of the bill: "Thirty Shillings. 'Tis death to counterfeit. Burlington in New Jersey. Printed by Isaac Collins, 1776." Both printing and the signatures of the officials are perfectly legible.

The other bill is about three by four inches in size and not as well printed, but the engraved border is more elaborate. It contains these words: "No. 16893. One Shilling. This indemned bill shall pass current for one shilling according to an act of general assembly of the counties of Newcastle, Kent and Sussex upon Delaware, passed in the 15th year of the reign of his Majesty George the Third. Dated the first day of January, 1776. Jno. McKinly, R. Manlove. One Shilling." On the reverse side are the words: "One Shilling. To counterfeit is death."

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NOTES ON THE WEATHER.

If there is anything to prevent a man from skating from Chicago to Niagara Falls via Mackinaw, Detroit and Lake Erie it isn't the fault of the weather bureau.—Chicago Record.

This is one time in the year when the heavily bearded man feels that he is not being cheated by ice dealers.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Navigators have for years been trying to get to the north pole; now the pole appears to be coming down to us.—Milwaukee Journal.

Sunny Florida is offering very novel attractions this winter in the shape of ice carnivals and toboggan slides.—New York Press.

If the ground hog is responsible for the way coal is disappearing, he is bound to become persona non grata.—Evening Wisconsin.

There's nothing like weather
When well mixed together.
—Chicago Tribune.

It probably would not be safe to discharge the weather bureau and install the ground hog in its place.—Minneapolis Tribune.

The fellows who have been lamenting the "old-fashioned winters" ought to be in high feather just now.—Toledo Blade.

No one will ever dare assert again that the old-fashioned winter is a thing of the past.—Cleveland World.

Never mind it! Flowers will grow and birds will sing again in June.—St. Paul Globe.

If it were not frozen on we would lift our hat to the ground hog.—Chicago Dispatch.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., FEB. 15, 1895.

E. R. Smith was in Adrian Monday.

Horace Seamark was in Tecumseh Saturday.

E. C. Coreyell, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Jennie VanTuyle was in Adrian Monday and Tuesday.

J. L. Tuttle and O. Safford drove over to Ypsilanti Monday.

Tate and Stoner shipped 3 decks of sheep and hogs Monday.

Mrs. G. A. Kies and Eva Shimmen visited Tecumseh Friday.

They resumed work on the Plow Company's building Monday.

Frank E. Brown and Frank L. Woodward were home over Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Lancaster was on the sick list a few days last week.

Kittie Ebbett and Minnie Humphrey visited Tecumseh friends Monday.

Mrs. Ella G. Rose and Blanche are visiting Tecumseh friends this week.

Fred Chandler is spending the week at Tecumseh with C. F. Field's family.

W. H. Beebler and Laura Clark took Sunday dinner with Will T. Eccles and wife.

The Witherell suit did not come off Friday, but was postponed until next Monday.

VanTuyle & Woodard are going to handle the Deering Harvesters the coming season.

Jesse Cramb, of Brooklyn, visited his sister, Mrs. Willoughby Nase, the first of the week.

The Junior Epworth Leaguers gave an entertainment at the M. E. church Tuesday evening.

Albert Matthews and Ara VanTuyle went with John Palmer to Buffalo Saturday with stock.

Laverne A. Sutfin is on the gain again and able to be out. He was in Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Adah Case returned to her home in Manchester after a visit of two weeks with Mame Bradner.

The injunction suit between the two Clinton plow companies was not called Monday, as was expected.

Mrs. Will Niblack and Florence, who have been visiting Macon friends some weeks, returned home Sunday last.

Neil Williams came over from Ann Arbor the last of the week for a visit with friends. He returned Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Jacobs visited Adrian friends [illegible] Monday night.

The M. E. society held a donation at the church parlors last evening for their paster, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell. It was a very happy occasion.

Eugene Palmer left the Hotel Elrose the last of the week and now occupies the house owned by Mrs. S. Frost, where he formerly lived.

The officers and members of the Star are invited to visit the Star chapter at Tecumseh next Thursday evening. Many of the members hope to go.

[illegible] C. E. Corwin were in [illegible] Monday. They were on business for the Plow company, looking after machinery.

Wednesday evening there was a special meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, No. 85, Order of Eastern Star, followed by a banquet. A pleasant time they had.

Among the visitors from Tecumseh Sunday were Geo. Gilbert, James and John Riley, Clif Millez, Newberry Satterthwaite, Will Mobbs and Roy Berlinger.

The stock delivered Saturday by the Matthews boys amounted to $1400.00, all of which was fed and prepared for market by them. Who can beat it?

Rev. C. M. Stout is not feeling well, is down sick, but hardly able to be out. He has arranged with C. M. Burrows to occupy his pulpit Sunday morning.

Dwight and Howard Hause, Neil Williams, Clare Kimball and A. F. Archampaugh, with their ladies, attended the Maud Powell concert at Tecumseh Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lena Archampaugh, of Adrian, in her official capacity as Deputy Grand Lady Commander of L. O. T. M.'s, inspected the Hive here Tuesday and held a school of instruction.

This evening (Friday) there will be a dance at the town hall. It is gotten up by the young men and no doubt will be a pleasant party. Jackson's orchestra of Adrian will furnish the music.

The different Masonic bodies have appointed committees with instructions to procure new stations and chairs for their use. They will make a great improvement in the looks as well as being useful.

Steve Huntington left Clinton yesterday for Peshtego, Wis., where he will work with his father, who is master mechanic of an important railroad company. Steve will be missed greatly by his large circle of acquaintances.

The remains of Mrs. Charlotte Whedon, who died recently at her daughter's in Coldwater, were brought to Manchester for interment last Thursday. Mrs. Whedon was a sister of Mrs. Sarah Wastell and for a number of years lived where Alonzo Mills now does. Mrs. Wastell and sons John and Wm. D. were present at the burial, and brought home with them as guests, Mrs. Geo. Waite of Coldwater, Mr. and Mrs. Jehiel Clark of Chicago and Mrs. Matie Zimmerman of Wooster, Ohio. Neices of Mrs. Wastell, who remained until Saturday.

Tuesday was the 10th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood and their friends concluded to celebrate the occasion without their assistance, so laid their plans accordingly. Mr. and Mrs. Wood were invited by Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald to take tea and spend the evening with them, which was accepted. As soon as they had left their home it was invaded by their friends who proceeded to prepare for the evening's festivities. When all was in readiness they were summoned home. Their surprise may be imagined but not described. It was successfully planned and executed.

Mr. Brown of Adrian, arrived in town Tuesday for the purpose of establishing a canning factory, providing a sufficient stock would be taken by our people. It no doubt could be made to pay well and next week we may be able to speak more advisedly regarding the matter.

E. R. Smith and wife, F. D. Lancaster and wife, A. B. VanDeMark and wife, J. B. Wells and wife, G. A. Kies and wife, A. J. Kishpaugh and wife, Laura Clark, Grace Stevens, Nellie Embler, C. H. Fabrique, A. M. Kennedy, W. H. Beehler, Chas. Embler, R. B. and Clarence Mills, Robbie Woodard, George and Will Waterhouse attended the comic opera at Adrian Monday night. Through the efforts of F. D. Lancaster and E. R. Smith a special train was secured to bring them back after the entertainment.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Wm. Wilson's grandmother was 90 years old last Friday.

E. C. Wisner and wife have been sick, but are now on the mend.

Mrs. S. N. Munger drove to Ypsilanti the 3d inst., returning the 5th.

Earl Allen was unable to attend school last week on account of sickness.

G. W. Allen drove to Ypsilanti last week Wednesday, returning Thursday.

Abraham Hunt, who has been very sick with brain trouble, is reported better.

Oliver Mull, who has been laid up with symptoms of grip, is better at last accounts.

Sunday, Irene Allen was no better. Dr. John Tuttle was sent to Ypsilanti Monday to see her.

Mrs. K. J. Whelan is in Ypsilanti, assisting Mrs. G. W. Allen in the care of her daughter, Irene.

Miss Jennie Beckwith, teacher of the Badley school, has been sick and there was vacation there last week.

Aunt Anna Allen was 95 years old Sunday. May there be many returns that will find her as bright and hale as now.

We learn from the Normal News that Arthur Bradley is president of the Normal Athletic Association at Ypsilanti.

Oliver Mull has been skidding logs on the Wilson farm, west of Clinton. Twenty acres of timber thereon is to be laid low. Oh! for a thousand tongues to say, "Woodman, spare that tree!"

Miss Irene Allen is still very sick. She has pneumonia complicated with heart trouble. Jan. 29th her physician, already wished council, and last week she counciled again with Dr. Murdock, a specialist in lung diseases. Although very sick, they thought the chances in her favor.

The names of those chosen for the Normal News oratorical contest, at the Normal, Ypsilanti, are as follows: F. J. Tooze, Bedford, chosen by Olympic club; S. B. Clarke, Union City, Athenian; F. L. Sooy, Adelphic; C. V. Wisner, Franklin, Crescent; Lottie Augustine, Ypsilanti, Senior class; Mabel Smith, Junior class; Martha Warner, faculty; Carrie Barber, Richland, faculty.

The next Lyceum will occur at Wm. Witherell's, Feb. 23. The question which has been chosen for debate is, Resolved, That it would have been better for this country if mechanical power had not been used for transportation." Affirmative, C. L. Wisner, negative, S. H. Munger and others. There will be much music. Look out for a good one.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Did you get a valentine?

The Library Association meet at the residence of Mr. M. E. Case, on Thursday evening, Feb. 14th.

Sorry to say all the themometers in the country have been indulging in some very low down doings of late.

The Pentecost dramatic club give "Among the Breakers" at Springville Saturday night. The play has proved very popular.

All those who believe in the woodchuck prophecy of cold weather are gleefully rubbing their frosted ears and noses and saying triumphantly, "I told you so."

There was a very interesting meeting at Pentecost hall last Saturday night. Two ladies gave an entertainment, which was greatly enjoyed by all who were present. Ask them about it.

We see by the papers that E. J. Smith is back in the office of the Adrian Press again. "Philander" has always driven a pretty sharp quill, and will probably stir up the faithfull" with his old time vim.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Edwin Cook is very much better, although she is far from well. Mrs. Rexford, who fell and broke her arm near the shoulder, last week, is also doing as well as could be expected.

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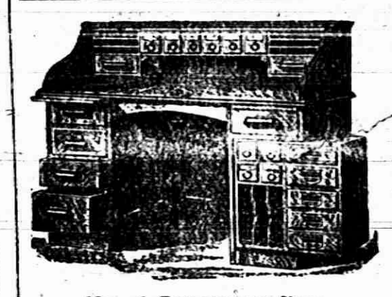

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BRITTON BUDGET.

John R. Clark at Exelby hall, Feb.

C. G. Price visited the county seat esday.

You cannot afford to miss hearing hn R. Clark.

Don't fail to hear John R. Clark next ursday evening.

Harry Fuller, who has been working Sisson's, is at home for a time.

Wednesday evening at Maccabee hall y held a very pleasant penny social.

Charles DuBois was loading hay at son's crossing Saturday and Monday.

Bert Nichols is serving as juror at term of court, and began his duties sday.

Ernest Lamkin, of Franklin, was the st of W. J. Holm and family Sunday Monday.

Arden Veeley, of Azalia, has moved family here and now occupies Mrs. 's house.

Arthur Curtis is entertaining a ther and wife from the northern t of the state.

Mrs. W. J. Clark has been having a ious attack of grip, but we are in- med she is now convalescing.

Regular review of Hondershot Tent O. T. M. next Tuesday evening, Feb. Let there be a full attendance.

Jeff Pilbeam's horse, that was so seri- ly injured a short time since, is do- nicely and he thinks will come out right.

Wm. Manning, of Blissfield, who has n with us a week or more was joined his wife Tuesday, who will remain w days.

Lewis Miller, who had contracted his to Carland & Head and not receiv- pay for the carload delivered, has sold the balance of his crop to les DuBois.

Wednesday, Chas. DuBois and son ted up their new hay baler and it ks like a charm. It was furnished H. W. Porter, of Weston, for whom is buying hay.

The friends of Rev. J. M. Boyer pre- ed him with a fine horse a few days . It will be the more appreciated ing as it does not from any society m to the people generally.

Hoagnd & Curtis went out in the ntrythe other day to set up a binder. o s's this is not a progressive age d th Britton farmers are not up to ties. They believe in rushing ir wrk instead of their work rush- thn.

E. Bachman secured the contract bilding the new church, price 50.0 above the foundation. This es tisfaction to all for they know will do good work, square work, such he committee will be pleased to re- e ad accept.

Most those cold days last week a lman drove in and hitched his e which was not very warmly rl, on the street. Some parties ora filled it with sawdust, salt corn and fastened it in front of rse. The box bore the following: dson's Shed. Feed, 10c." It at- d considerable attention.

donation party at the church par- Tuesday evening, for Rev. E. , was very pleasant. It was to en given before, but on account weather was postponed until y. There was a large attendance l enjoyed themselves socially. freshments were fine and the r the pastor amounted to $70.00.

community is greatly stirred up e ill treatment George Smith has ubjected to in consequence of the x condition of affairs growing Carland & Head's hay matters, e feeling is general that Mr. did nothing but what he was ized to do and that he was only ng the instructions given by Mr. d. It is to be hoped that these s may speedily be adjusted satis- to all concerned.

some time past several of our men who are attending school for no apparent reason, been in bit of being late from two to five s at the afternoon session, which, rse, was not pleasant for the, r or benificial to the school. Prof. s, who is doing grand work in our l, called the young men down very ively by telling them Tuesday night retire and not return untill could arrange their affairs so as to time. It did not take them long, ow it is said, as the hour ap- es they consult their watches tly and are in their places to the as they should be.

Loose of Nebraska, formerly of e, recently wrote a friend stat- errible condition existing there. ffering and destitution among beast. Mr. Loose being well rably known, and having paid e sums of money for stock here, le at once moved in the matter; thered together and committees pointed to solicit contributions ng, provision, feed, etc., and o send one or more carloads as possiple to Mr. Loose for distri- It is a worthy call and we r people will respond freely dly as they always do in such

have quite a joke on Chas. Sut- the boys (we call them boys) ng great sport at Charlies ex- consequence. It seems that leiting for the horse for Rev. . Mr. Sutton met Chas. Smith d him for something. Smith, nterested in the new church replied he would give a dollar tion) would give five for the eh, but Sutton said he couldn't , who is very liberally dis- put his name down for a dol- ave Sutton a five dollar bill. on marked it paid and in mak- ge gave him back five silver Mr. Smith, with an eye to busi- nothing, and repeated again, dollar now if you will give five urch. Mr. Sutton says, I will, his name down accordingly. gave him a dollar and Sutton t the one and made it two. not balancing he began think- on it came to him, and now y employed in trying to col- her dollar. Mr. Smith tells book shows, that he owes & ill pay it. It is a pretty good Parley Sutton.

Dr. P. B. Hardy has sold his interest in the plating works to his brother, E. D. Hardy, of Andover, N. Y. The new firm, having bought out the works of Cutting & Heesen, at Tecumseh, have removed the plant from here and joined it with the one there. They will do the plating for the Stimpson Scale company, besides general plating. We regret to loose these gentlemen from our midst, but no doubt the change is for their best interest, and therefore we wish them success in their new home.

At the White Pharmacy may be seen a novel lung tester. It was shown us recently by our friend Pulver. It is very ingeniously constructed and is considered an accurate test, as Earl Lenardson can testify, he having tried it Tuesday to his entire satisfaction. We have it from an eye witness that the exhibition of lung power given by him was simply wonderful, and yet he could not send the little bettle to the bottom of the flask, while another whom he was positive had no better lungs than he, could do it without half the effort. It is seldom that a person gives their lungs the exercise Earl did on this occasion. He blew and blew till his eyes stood out like warts on a thumb and his face was the hue of a gobbler's head in spring time, but no use, the bottle would go only so far. Try it again, Earl, you may get on to the combination another time.

The A. P. A. society are at present a little unsettled in their plans. They are drifting, so to speak, from place to place, like the Arabs. They hope to settle permanently in the near future, and think as soon as the newly elected officers are installed and get down to work that suitable committees will be appointed, who will see that proper quarters are secured. We hope as soon as order is restored that our petition for membership may receive favorable consideration at their hands. We have placed our case in the hands of Art Hughes and feel confident our interests will be carefully attended to, as we are informed he is one of the most influential members. It must be highly respectable, for we understand the members carry about with them, in a conspicuous manner, the trade mark of the order. A member was seen wending his way home from Tuesday's session with the two spot of hearts fastened to the rear extremity of his Prince Albert coat, hence we conclude that this must be the badge of the order. We are also informed that many devices are resorted to in raising the wind necessary to sailing along with the foremost, which gives us great pleasure. Being a pencil-pusher we see very little ready cash, but abound in orders. We may be able (like some before us) to procure goods, say eggs at one place on orders, and turn them into cash at another, and thus be able to keep our end up. Certain it is, if we receive a favorable response to our appeal for membership we shall endeavor to be able to ante whenever circumstances demand it. With such officers as those lately elected the A. P. A. is sure to grow rapidly in members and influence.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

This is what we call blizzard weather and right down zero.

The Junior social was largely attended at Chester Clark's.

Dexter Still is careing for James Symonds who is very low.

Miss Nina Anthony returned from Adrian Tuesday evening.

Miss Jennie Calhoun returned from a visit in Milan, Tuesday.

Dr. J. W. Nixon reports quite a few cases lagrippe in light form.

Mrs. Lafayette Spencer visited Mrs. F. G. Florence last Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Fisher is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Geo. McClenathen.

Mr. D. P. Anthony is home from Chicago to sojourn with his family for a few days.

Mr. Chas. Rothfuss has returned from Blissfield, his wife still remaining on account of the illness of their other child.

Mr. Geo. Holloway, Al. Macham and Jim Lane attended the convention at Adrian, Holloway creamery butter won second prize.

Hartman Bros. gave another dance Tuesday evening; it was quite largely attended, twenty-three couple tripped the light fantastic till 4 o'clock.

The S. E. Society gives a pioneer social at the home of John Richards on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19. Refreshments, cake and oranges. Everyone invited.

Mr. L. C. Winship has purchased a new run of stone and is now ready to serve the public and will guarantee good work; everyone will be made welcome.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Sleighing is fine.

Mrs. Cox had a second spell of bleeding at the nose last week.

Look out for the box social, for the library, in the near future.

The next legal holiday comes next Friday, Washington's birthday.

Wm. Larkin with his family, visited friends at Clinton Monday night.

Rhoba Arner went to Hudson Tuesday, to spend several weeks with Mrs. Dr. Nelson.

Quite a number from here attended the donation at Britton, Tuesday night for Rev. Mudge.

T. H. Temple, with his family, have moved in with his parents, where they will make their home.

Some of our musical friends took in the Maud Powell entertainment at Tecumseh, Tuesday night.

Second quarterly meeting service for the present conference year, will be held a week from Sunday morning with the usual services.

The annual donation will be held at the church, Wednesday evening of next week. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and help make one of the most enjoyable donations ever held.

The snow drifts are the largest in some highways than has been known for several years. In some district the overseers have ordered out help to shovel and break through so travel was possible.

Won't Mr. Bissell please resign and let the Washington correspondents out of a hole.

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The Febuary North American.

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According to the report of a Chicago society there are 60,000 people in that city who are confirmed victims of opium. These are evidently the ones who took Chicago's last cencus.

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ALBION COLLEGE NOTES.

With the snow has come a new college paper, and which will last the longer is a matter of conjecture. These spontaneous outbursts of journalism seem to be a necessary feature of college life. They do, however, serve one good purpose—they indicate to the college world the mental condition of those students under whose names they appear. Thus the appearance of a new paper is usually indicative of the fact that certain gentlemen, having passed that embryonic stage of college existence, the freshman year, have taken on by accretion, during the year, a very thick layer of erudition, and a very much thicker layer of cuttle (?) about the region of the head. They feel the fires of literary genius burning within them, and with praiseworthy conscientiousness feel compelled to obey the scriptural injunction "not to hide their light under a bushel." Their versatility is remarkable. While they show ability in discussing great questions, their forte evidently lies in the writing of college poetry. It reads as if it were written by the yard and clipped off as required. It is always the same, and it is from this fact and through the efforts of these literary lights that the expression, "college poetry" has become in the minds of many people synonymous with everything that is euphuistic, indelicate and nonsensical. Nor is the impression false, when such as the following is a good sample of the product of the brains or rather of the rudimentary cerebral ganglia of these "benefactors of the college":

Eden was a splendid place,
Where pleasures all were free.
And man could sit eternally,
With an angel on his knee.

The college now takes Eden's place,
And makes our lives a dream;
For the co-ed takes the angel's place,
And bliss reigns on supreme.

It seems strange that with college life—that which really should and does represent higher mental development: evolution in the true sense of the word: improvement and growth of every element in one that is noble and manly: that with this the public should have come to associate intuitively laxity of morals, prevalence of foolish customs, etc. Surely there have been grounds for this wide spread public opinion, but as surely those customs—hazing, class broils, etc., which have caused these impressions are disappearing. One by one the larger institutions are finding it necessary for their welfare as institutions, to take action along these lines and slowly but surely the people are changing their opinions that the most noticeable traits of a typical college character are those two most incongruous elements—wisdom and foolishness.

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The ground hog certainly know his business.—Chicago Evening Post.

Yes, its cold enough for us.—Quincy Whig.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

Criticisms, Just and Unjust.

Kindly criticism is not a bad thing either for individuals or a cause, and sometimes even uncharitable fault finding does good by way of stirring up those who are disposed to do their duty to more alertness and greater watchfulness to avoid as far as possible all occasion for criticism.

From this point of view some criticisms heard recently as to the weak points of the W. C. T. U. may prove of practical value to the work, because suggestive to the workers.

Some Christians justify their indifference to W. C. T. U. work by saying that it is outside of the church, and that a Christian can do the same work better in the church than out; that in trying to convert the people to Christianity they include temperance and everything else desireable. All of which may be true provided the work is really done in the church. Our observation thus far goes to prove the above criticism merely one way some people have of shirking all responsibility for the existence and steady increase of intemperance, that the demand was created for an organization of those who had consciences on this question, which organization is composed of Christian women from all the churches, and of those who are most active in church as well as temperance work.

Outsiders indulge in considerable ridicule at the expense of the Woman's Christian Union on account of the tendency among the members to praise each other over-much, especially to laud the leader. In turn the leaders compliment the rank and file until 'The Mutual Admiration Society' is a common appellation, not wholly uninvited by this great reform organization.

One criticism several times heard of late has been that the size of the temperance army was no indication of its efficiency. 'Why don't you do something?' and, 'What are you doing, anyway.' It is unfortunate for the reputation of the W. C. T. U. that the world in general does not seem capable of appreciating the really vast amount of educational and preventive work which has been done by that organization, and which would have been immeasurably greater had they made a freer distribution of temperance literature. We believe the women generally admit this and lament the high price of temperance papers, documents, leaflets, etc., which makes it impossible to circulate them freely. If these could be procured at a moderate rate per 1,000 we believe public sentiment would show corresponding advance in the direction of temperance reform. As it is now, the object lesson of one man cured of the drink habit counts for more in public favor than long and patient preventive effort among youth.

Some claim that too rosy a picture has been painted of the strength and influence of the W. C. T. U. and as a matter of fact the organization has not accomplished all that could reasonably be expected of more than 200,000 women well organized and pledged to a certain issue. We have learned to demand a great deal of the sex which has the quicker perceptions of right and wrong.

But W. C. T. U. women everywhere can convince those in their particular locality that they possess influence if they keep their town officers stirred up to do their duty in enforcing the laws. Bombard them with petitions both before and after election, giving them no rest as long as they favor license of the liquor traffic, and the community will soon discover that you are possessed of a moving power.

Pertinent Facts.

There is talk along the temperance lines on 'Do something,' and 'Why don't you do something?' It is a fact that can't be gainsayed that temperance people are not making the sacrifices to the cause that they should; they are giving dimes where they ought to and could give dollars.

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DEATH OF HARVEY B. ROWLSON.

One of Michigan's Veteran Editors Joins the Silent Majority.

Hon. H. B. Rowlson, of Hillsdale, died at Mobile, Ala., on the 8th inst. Mr. Rowlson was one of the best known men in southern Michigan, and one of the oldest newspaper men in the state.

He was born in Duanesburg, Schenectady county, N. Y., July 15, 1825. He spent his boyhood at Woodstock, Lenawee county, and in 1843 entered the office of the Adrian News, in Adrian. In 1846 he started the Hillsdale Standard, and has been its chief owner and editor since.

It was his hope to live to publish the paper fifty years. Mr. Rowlson has been one of the busy men of Hillsdale. He was county treasurer eight years and member of the state legislature two years. In 1869 he was appointed collector of internal revenue by President Grant, which position he held for twelve years. In 1886 he was appointed a member of the board of control of the state reform school at Lansing, holding the same till the change of administration. In June of 1893 he was reappointed on the board and was made its chairman. For over fifty years he was a resident of Hillsdale, and was one of the oldest editors in continuous service in the state.

He has been in poor health for some time past, and for a year or more was not active in business. Recently his health improved, and it was thought that with a winter's rest in the south he would recover his full health and strength. He was one of the public spirited men of the city, and every project that had for its purpose the advancement of the material interests of Hillsdale, had his hearty co-operation and support. In his death Hillsdale loses another pioneer who saw it grow from a wilderness to its present fair proportions and has helped to make it what it is. His body was brought to Hillsdale for interment.

"No," he said with resolution, "I am not going to compose my own valentine next month." "Why not?" "I did that once. The girl thought it was a comic and jilted me."

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Room, February 4, 1895.

Present the entire council.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The Marshal's report, in writing, presented, showing that since Jan., 1st, 1895, 132 tramps had been lodged in the village lock-up; and 10 provided with meals during snow storm of Jan. 20 and 21st, at cost of $2.10, also stating that complaints had been made of residents not cleaning snow from sidewalks. Reports accepted and ordered placed on file.

Sexton's report for January presented, showing two adult and two infant interments, three lots sold and $12.00 collected as interment fees. Report accepted and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Recorder, as chairman of committee appointed at last meeting, to ascertain cost of electric lighting plant for village, asked to be allowed to defer report until later in the session. Granted.

NEW BUSINESS.

On motion, supported, the following committee was appointed to act as Board of Election Commissioners and Board of Registration, and to make necessary arrangements for holding annual corporation election: The Recorder, trustees Hall and Wright.

The following bills were presented and refered to the Finance committee: C. F. Field, printing, $5.00; Telephone and Telegraph Construction Company, $7.50; H. W. Stevens, $10.50; Tecumseh Electric Co., light for January, $156.40; A. Hyde, $13.00; C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, supplies, $98.34; A. James, insurance, $37.50, C., J. & M. Ry. Freight, $43.56; Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $9.77; H. W. Conkling, labor, $3.90.

Finance committee reported favorably on all above bills, Recorder was instructed to draw his orders for said several amounts.

Moved and supported that President appoint a committee of three to solicit propositions, to be presented to council, for furnishing the village with from 33 to 40 arc electric lights for a term not to exceed five years, and that said committee make necessary advertisements in the electrical papers so as to get the same before the bidders. Motion carried.

The President thereupon appointed as such committee the Recorder, Trustees Satterthwaite and Hall.

Chairman of committee appointed at last meeting to investigate cost of electric lighting plant asked to be given until next meeting to report. Granted.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Recorder.

Special session, called by President. Held at Recorder's office, Feb. 6th, 1895.

Present, The President, Recorder, trustees Hall, Satterthwaite, Wright.

The following resolution was introduced:

Be it resolved, by the Common Council of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, that at the annual corporation election, to be held in said village upon the first Monday in March, 1895, there shall be one polling place only and that all electors of said village shall vote at such place; that said polling place shall be the Council building in said village.

All resolutions heretofore passed and adopted dividing said village into two voting precincts and all resolutions contrary hereto are hereby superseded.

This resolution shall take immediate effect.

On motion, supported, said resolution was accepted and adopted.

The Council then appointed as the Board of Election Inspectors for the annual corporation election the following: Trustees, Wright, Smith, Geo. W. Frasier. H. C. Conkling, S. P. Hosmer. Gate keepers, E. Ames and W. S. Morse.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Recorder.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also houses on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY.—The 240 Perley Ellis Farm, just south of Tecumseh Village, will be rented to the right man, and the stock on the place is for sale. For full particulars inquire of C. H. TEFFT.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 15, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Walter F. Stimpson is back again, has changed his plans and will not go to Chicago at present.

Charlie Williamson and Alfred Wilson came over from Ypsilanti Saturday for a little visit. They returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCann left Tuesday for Ingham county, where they will visit friends for a couple of weeks.

Chas. H. Hopkins, after a nice visit with his daughter, Mrs. H. E. Stout, returned to his home in Battle Creek, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warnes and their son and wife, of Adrian, attended the funeral of Miss Mary McCaughn Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Everett has returned from her visit at Coldwater, and Joe, her son, is back from the south, where he has been some time.

Mr. John Warnes and family wish to publicly express their thanks for the sympathy and aid rendered them by the friends of Mary McCaughn.

G. S. Chambers, who has been having a siege with rheumatism for the past two weeks, is improving. He spent Sunday with his wife at Battle Creek.

P. S. McKinnon left Tuesday morning for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend a brick maker's convention in session there, and expects to return to-morrow.

Mrs. Thomas Wyrill and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, Feb. 20, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are invited.

Rev. E. C. Andrus went to Grand Rapids Monday for a visit with his mother and other friends. He was called back to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. A. Wood, formerly Polly Eddy.

Because of the non-arrival of Jos. Smith, to run the stereopticon, the illustrated lecture at the Presbyterian church was postponed from last Sabbath until next Sabbath evening.

Miss Maggie Glascow was 21 years old Monday. In the evening a large company of her friends walked in, to her great surprise, and the evening was appropriately and profitably spent.

James Riley concluded that he preferred living in Tecumseh rather than the county seat, and so severed his business relations there and has returned to us. We are glad to have Jim with us again.

Saturday evening there was a special of the Blue Lodge at the Temple for work in the 1st degree, after which the chapter held a special for work in the Mark Masters degree. Both were pleasant sessions.

Levi Hayden came down from Grand Rapids Friday and remained with his family over Sunday. He likes the second city in the state very much and reports a satisfactory business. He returned Monday night.

Chas. Reed, foreman of the HERALD, took a run over to Ypsilanti Saturday, returning Monday. While in Manchester, Saturday and Monday, he was entertained by Editor Blosser, who understands the art thoroughly.

There will be a pioneer social at the home of J. L. Richards, of Raisin, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19. A fine program will be given by the pioneers of the town and cakes and oranges will be served by the young folks.

Many persons have the impression that $140.00 is the price of that house and large lot for sale by E. Hause, but the price is $440.00, and as one more week remains before the expiration of this offer, we advise anyone wanting a place for one half the real value, now is your time.

The young people of the Epworth League have secured J. B. Coller and his celebrated talking machine, (the perfected Graphophone) to give a concert Monday evening, Feb. 25th, in the parlors of the church. The concert consists of 20 selections from the best bands, singers and elocutionists. Admission, 10 cents.

Harry Lee returned home the last of the week from Virginia. He shipped a horse home in care of a southern darkey and expected to find them here when he arrived, but they were not here and he began telegraphing. The horse was found to be at Toledo. Monday he ran down there. He found the horse all right and the darkey's clothes on, but no gentleman of color was to be found, so Harry came up with the horse Monday night.

Lon Haight and Charlie Bidwell Sundayed with their people here.

We have received a beautiful office calendar from Stacy, Bement & Co., of East Buffalo.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet during February with Mrs. J. P. Varner.

Missionary exercises will be held at the Friend's church Sabbath evening at 7 p. m. All welcome.

In the administration of five estates in the probate court on last Monday, the bonds required amounted to $140,000.

St. Valentine's day was duly observed here yesterday and the postoffice officials were kept hustling in consequence.

The weather prophets tell us that next week will be the worst one of the season. A storm is due about the 19th which will continue until the 23d.

Thursday, Jan. 31st, the W. C. T. U. held a memorial service at 3 o'clock, p. m. in the lecture room of the M. E. church, for the late Mary T. Lathrap.

Special meeting F. and A. M. to-night for work. The "Fellowships" are requested to be present. Also special to-morrow, Saturday night, for 3rd. degree work.

Miss Monaghan and her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, came down from Marshall yesterday to attend Mrs. Wm. A. Wood's funeral. While here they will remain a day or two to visit friends.

John W. Bowen died this morning at his residence, 37 Butler street, Adrian. He was a brother-in-law of J. W. Wightman and Mrs. Wightman went down this afternoon to attend the funeral.

Remember next Thursday Eve. the Eastern Star have a great spread at the Temple in honor of their guests, Manchester and Clinton Chapters. We can safely say it will eclipse any former effort.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday: A. M.—Now abideth faith, hope, love, these three; but the greatest of these is love. P. M.—Suicide and life. Sunday school at 12 m. Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m., topic "Thy Kingdom Come," St. Matt. 6:10. Parliamentary law class to-morrow evening 7:30, at the rooms of the Pastor. Rooms 2 and 4, The Patterson.

Mrs. Ella Hodges and baby left Saturday morning for Madison, Wisconsin, to join her husband. They will make that city their home for the present. She had quite a serious time going; instead of reaching Chicago at 2:30 p. m. as expected she did not reach there until 8:30. The first train did not run, and she was obliged to take the accommodation. She was met at Chicago by her husband and then was relieved of many cares incident to traveling with a baby. My! how hungry it makes people to travel.

It's a strange fact that more books are drawn from the public library during the month of February than any other one month in the year. This has been so every year since the library was started. Last Saturday 400 books were issued, the greatest number yet issued in a single day of the history of the Adrian library. This comes very near the average for every day in the year in cities like Jackson and Grand Rapids, which is 500. Usually the busiest day comes on the Saturday nearest February 22d.—Evening Telegram.

About twenty young people formed a sleighride party which started for Franklin last evening, with the utmost faith in Lenawee's roads. After three hours of persistent effort, over bare ground, varied with numerous fences high snowdrifts, they reached the hospital home of Benjamin Lamkin, congratulating themselves over less than three or four tip-overs, and the good fortune of having to walk only a portion of the way. Supper, and several hours of jollity preceded the return trip, which thanks to the advice and assistance of friends, was performed under more favorable circumstances. The city was reached about 5 o'clock—The Times.

The Maud Powell Concert Company gave a very choice program on Tuesday evening. The troupe consists of a strong quartette with Mrs. Eaton as soloist. Every number on the program was favored with an encore and in the sixth they were called back four times. Mrs. Eaton's singing was very fine. She has a sweet, clear voice, that has been finely cultivated. Wednesday afternoon an impromptu gathering of Masons' wives, daughters and guests was held at the Temple, where the troupe gave a fine recital, both of classical music and old familiar airs. This troupe will be held in pleasant remembrance by our citizens, who will gladly welcome them again.

A telegram received here on Tuesday announced the death of Mrs. Wm. A. Wood, at her home in Uhrichville, Ohio. She had been dangerously ill for several days with rheumatic fever, but was apparently improving, when she suddenly grew worse and passed away. The remains arrived here Wednesday evening in charge of the grief stricken husband, and the funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Judge Stacy. Only last fall Mrs. Wood made an extended visit at her old home, and she was a perfect picture of health at that time. A large gathering of her old friends assembled to witness the funeral obsequies. A fitting obituary will appear hereafter.

Remember "Charley's Aunt" will be here Feb. 22d.

To Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre a son was born Monday.

A treat in store for you Feb. 22d at Sutton's opera house.

Clarence Conklin is home from Napoleon, O., for a visit.

Tom Moffett is enjoying a visit from his mother from Reading.

"Charley's Aunt" at Sutton's opera house Friday evening, Feb. 22d.

The Democratic state convention will be held on Feb. 28th, at Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Moshier left for their home in Grand Rapids at noon to-day.

Arthur Harding is now full fledged drayman and solicits a share of your patronage.

Mrs. Geo. Howell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Erwin Conklin, at Streator, Ill.

Mrs. Irv. Finch of Adrian came over yesterday morning to attend Mrs. Polly Wood's funeral.

Don't fail to hear the great orator and speaker, Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., next Wednesday evening.

Chauncy Vedder has been nursing a bruised knee for some days but is all O. K. now and on deck as usual.

They say Ed. mailed it was surprised Wednesday Eve. We don't believe it. Ed. is not surprised at anything now days. By the way did you know Ed. is a poet? You ought to hear him goit.

McClure Bros. have dissolved partnership and Henry will saddle his own canoe hereafter.

James Montague prepared to meet the spring trade for novelty goods his friends may need, at the old stand. A cut in many articles will be announced next week.

The Tecumseh Tel. Co. company yesterday contracted with a committee from Clinton to make stations similar to those in the Tecumseh for Masonic use. The company are turning out elegant specimens of work in all branches.

Mr. Dixon has men force, mental resource, and great power upon the responsive character of his brain. It does not fool him. It is evidently a new power—a new voice and not an echo. He thinks. He is not afraid. He dares, Sam Jones-like, to call a spade a spade, or to apply the cautery, and castigation when need.

Last evening might have been the banner evening for social entertainment. In addition to those given elsewhere in this issue there was a Valentine social given by the Baptist young people at Jonas Waldron's; a social meeting of the Orient where were introduced into the mysteries of that popular society, besides many other gatherings.

The members of the Macon Ridgeway division of the Commercial Telegraph who withdrew from the latter company, held a meeting at Grange Hall, Thursday, Feb. 6th, and organized as the Union Telegraph Company. The following officers were elected:

President—J. T. Boyce.
Vice Pres.—J. F. Gilmore.
Secretary—M. S. Hatch.
Treasurer and Manager—Alex. Eaglick.
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The Junior Auxiliary of Sisters' Church gave a unique and delightful entertainment at the Armory Wednesday evening. The program consisted of music by home talent, assisted by Miss Laura Clark, of Clinton. Prof. Strubler also gave some fine specimens of legerdemain. The exercises closed with a fine selection from the Tecumseh Concert Orchestra. Prof. Strubler followed with twenty minutes of clever sleight of hand. A piano solo by Miss Laura Clark, a violin solection by several of Miss Anderson's pupils, and a beautiful vocal solo by Miss Agnes Woodworth followed. Then Prof. Strubler gave a second installment of tricks. The Tecumseh orchestra closed the program. The young ladies made a mistake in charging an admission fee, for the entertainment was well worth double the amount. Some of the company indulged in a social dance at the close, but this was wholly a private affair, with which the auxiliary had nothing to do.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Slayton, on Pearl street, presented a beautiful picture last evening, their occasion being a Valentine party, given by Mrs. Slayton, assisted by Mrs. Geo. W. Knapp, Mrs. L. M. Kellogg and Miss Jennie Root. The arrangements were very complete. The hostess and assistants were untiring in their attentions. A fine orchestra of five pieces stationed in the dining room, discoursed delightful music, and the invited guests, numbering sixty, enjoyed themselves every moment of the time. In archery Mrs. Fred Rosecrans bore off the prize, being the only one to pierce the heart within a heart with the arrow, and received a pretty Valentine. Six little girls gave Trilby in a manner that called forth great applause. Before refreshments were served the little girls distributed among the ladies valentines numbered and to gents were given hearts in colors hand decorated and numbered. There was great sport in trying to find your affinity, and it took some time before all had found their proper companions. The ladies having charge are to be congratulated on the charming entertainment given the guests.

For some time past our entire community have been on the qui vive over a grand fox hunt, for which great preparations had been going on. Not long since John J. Freeman and Jim Eccles, at great expense, procured some imported fox hounds, thoroughly trained for the chase, and since then the boys have been completing their arrangements. A survey of the county was taken, and so complete was it that John had every fox located within a radius, extending miles each way. This hunt was intended to eclipse the famous hunts of English Lords, and so it did as you will see. All being in readiness, the boys started out bright and early yesterday morning. They were armed in the most approved manner; their dogs baying and eager for the chase. Their scout going before to see that the foxes were in proper position for sacrifice, and all nature seemed to smile favorably. They started out with expectations bright for the home of the nearest fox; reaching there they found Mr. Fox away from home, so they left their engraved calling cards and proceeded on from house to house, but to their great surprise they found no foxes at home, and the boys hopes began to drop. They held a consultation and finally decided that there must be a general gathering of foxes somewhere to celebrate St. Valentine's day, and hope revived as they, in fancy, surrounded them in the midst of their revelry. They then got out their survey and looked the ground carefully over to see where the festivities would be most likely to be held. They journeyed on and on, but not even a track did they discover, and as the sun was sinking in the west turned their steps homeward without so much as a Jack rabbit as a trophy, and Percy Fitzsimmons says he overtook them south-east of town. Both men and dogs were so exhausted they could hardly navigate. Thus endeth the first great fox hunt of the season. Later—Last night one of Freeman's and Eccles' fox hounds was found roaming the streets aimlessly at an unseemly hour. Some think he was meditating self-destruction over the result of the hunt; others that he was bound to have a fox anyway and thus redeem his reputation.

Last evening the whist club were entertained at Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford's. The hour set was 7:30. When all were present they were informed that before the festivities began there would be a wedding. They repaired to the church and at 8 o'clock Mr. Eugene Moshier, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Miss Jennie England, who has been the guest of the Blachford's for some weeks, was by Rev. W. R. Blachford joined in matrimony. After which followed progressive whist and refreshments. It was a pretty wedding and all enjoyed a delightful evening.

—Dr. W. W. Kergan, consulting physician for The O. E. Miller Rupture Treatment Co., of Detroit, will be in Adrian, at Hotel Lawrence, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 25, 26 and 27. Owing to his short stay the Doctor requests patients, and others desiring free examination or trial treatment to call promptly.

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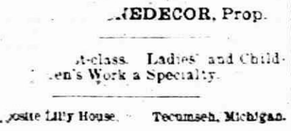

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MANY CANDIDATES.

Twelve Republicans Want to Be Supreme Court Justice.

DETROIT, Feb. 11.—The republicans of the state are evincing considerable interest already in the convention which meets in this city February 21 to nominate one candidate for the supreme bench and two candidates for regents of the state university. For the first place there is full field, no less than twelve gentlemen in different sections of the state having announced they are willing to make the run. Among the leading candidates are Judge P. T. Van Zile, of this city; Judge J. R. Moore, Lapeer; Judge E. D. Kinne, Washtenaw; ex-Justice Cahill, Ingham; Judge Hatch and Judge Shepard, of Bay, and Judge Victor Lane, of Lenawee.

As candidates for regents no names yet have been mentioned prominently, and it is likely both Butterfield and Hebard, the retiring officers, will be renominated if they care to accept again. The women of the state are anxious to have the coming vacancy on the board of university regents filled by one of their own sex. The example of the women in Illinois and Indiana has become infectious, and it is probable that if the republican and democratic state conventions to be held soon do not place in nomination a woman the Equal Suffrage association of the state will make an independent nomination. The Women's Christian Temperence union has promised to support the association in any such action, and other women's organizations are ready to push the movement along. Among the women who have been mentioned for the position are Mrs. Jennie Voorhies, of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Lillian Hollister, of this city, the grand commander of the Maccabees, and Mrs. A. S. Benjamin, of Portland, Mich., national lecturer of the W. C. T. U.

A WATER FAMINE.

Crystal Falls Suffers from the Freezing of Her Reservoir.

CRYSTAL FALLS, Feb. 12.—This city is experiencing a water famine from a peculiar cause and which may continue until summer. The city's water supply comes from a reservoir and is pumped through a system of mains. The main pipe leads from the city up a hill 120 feet high and into a valley beyond where is located the reservoir. A few nights ago the main began to empty, and thinking a fire had broken out the engineer of the pumphouse started both pumping engins at their full capacity. The engineer exerted himself and crowded the pumps through the night, and not until morning did he discover what he had accomplished. The main had burst in the city, and in attempting to keep the pipe filled he had flooded cellars and inundated streets with a vast volume of water. The temperature was far below zero and the water froze in great masses in streets, alleys and other places flooded. In working their pumps to the fullest capacity the engineer had drained the reservoir, and the water from the brook empties in so slowly that the intense cold causes it to freeze immediately, and the reservoir itself has become a lake of solid ice. Expert engineers who have figured on the case calculate that it will take until July 4 to thaw out the pond if it continues to freeze ten days longer.

DR. POPE'S MURDER.

William Brusseau Makes a Full Confession of the Plot at Detroit.

DETROIT, Feb. 9.—William Brusseau, who has since last Saturday told two stories of the murder of Dr. H. E. Pope in his home here, has made a clean breast of the whole affair to the police. This last confession coincides in every particular with the facts the police have unearthed. According to Brusseau's latest story the murder was a carefully planned affair in which Mrs. Pope, the doctor's wife, was the moving spirit, and $14,000 the object. For two weeks before the fatal day the two planned the crime in every particular. Saturday night Mrs. Pope made her husband sleep in a chair at her bedside. Toward morning she quietly called Brusseau and the latter secured the hatchet and struck the doctor in the head. Then in obedience to the woman's command he rained a half dozen more blows on their victim's skull. Mrs. Pope's 9-year-old daughter, who slept at her side during the murder, was then awakened and the three carefully rehearsed the story they were to tell the police.

SILVER MEN CONFER.

Delegates Pledge Themselves to Support a Free Coinage Congressman.

BATTLE CREEK Feb. 13.—The conference of silver men of the Third congressional district, which was held here Tuesday, was largely attended and more enthusiastic than harmonious. Resolutions were unanimously adopted demanding the free coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of sixteen to one; that all paper money be issued only by the government; a full legal tender founded on taxes and the wealth of the country, and that no more gold bonds be issued in times of peace. Also that the best interests of the district demanded the election of a representative who advocates these principles, and that the delegates pledge their united support to such a one, regardless of previous party affiliations. A committee was appointed to call a convention to place in the field a candidate for congress.

Trombly Declared Insane.

BAY CITY, Feb. 12.—The five doctors appointed to examine Daniel J. Trombly, who killed his wife and baby New Year's day, have filed a report in the circuit court that he is insane. Trombly will be sent to Ionia insane asylum Wednesday.

Trial of Misener Begun.

COLDWATER, Feb. 12.—The trial of A. Misener, charged with the murder of James Robinson in this city last, commenced in the circuit court Monday. The afternoon was consumed in impaneling a jury.

FROM MICHIGAN TOWNS.

A Condensation of Many Interesting Bits of News.

J. A. Lindsay, of Dowagiac, is the new president of the Michigan Lumber Dealers' association.

By an incendiary fire at Midland E. Berrymans' grocery and George Jenning's saloon were destroyed. Loss, $5,000.

For stealing $600 from a drunken man at Muskegon William Benedict was sent to Marquette prison for four years.

The Michigan Reform Press association was organized at Greenville recently. Editor W. D. Warren, of the People's Tribune, Saginaw, is the president. It is expected that all populist papers in Michigan will become members.

The Michigan Central railway company has harvested 2,000 carloads of ice.

Much hemlock timber is being gotten out near Cheboygan.

The nineteenth annual Berrien county Sunday school convention will be held at Buchanan February 19 and 20.

A mandamus has been issued against the commissioner of pensions to enforce the restoration of a pension of $72 a month to Judge Long.

Eugene L. Boxwell, vice president of the Shaw Electric Crane company of Muskegon, died suddenly at his home in Brooklyn on Sunday.

Michael Callahan, charged with an assault on William Wiskwire on November 11, was held for trial at Kalamazoo in bonds of $5,000.

The negotiations at Grand Rapids for a union of the West Michigan and State Fair associations to give a union fair this season were adjourned until February 26 at Lansing, when it is thought an agreement will be reached.

JUDGE WALKER DEAD.

Close of the Career of a Brilliant Lawyer and Author.

DETROIT, Feb. 12.—Judge Charles I. Walker, who died at Flint Monday morning, was one of the most learned and distinguished men of Detroit, and was for many years one of the brightest ornaments of the bar. He was born at Butternuts, Otsego City, N. Y., April 6, 1814. In 1836 he came to Michigan, settling at Grand Rapids. For two years he was editor and proprietor of the Grand Rapids Times. In 1840 he was elected to the state legislature. He settled in Detroit in 1851, becoming a partner of E. C. Walker, his brother. Judge Walker had been a great student of history, belonging to many societies and contributing much to the literature of the day. "Life of Cadillac," "Michigan from 1796 to 1805," "The Civil Administration of Gen. Hull," "The Northwest Territory During the Revolution" and other contributions attracted wide and favorable attention. He was a professor in the University of Michigan law department for fifteen years and was judge of the Wayne circuit court in [illegible].

THE MICHIGAN CLUB.

Preparations for the Annual Meeting February 22.

DETROIT, Feb. 12.—The Michigan club has issued [illegible] for its tenth anniversary February 22. The annual meeting will be held at the clubhouse on that day, when [illegible] be elected [illegible] dent, secretary [illegible] directors. [illegible] the club will [illegible] February 22 [illegible] ning prompt[illegible] of speakers [illegible] far it includes [illegible] of Ohio, Governor [illegible] sylvania, Governor [illegible] Evans, of Kentucky, [illegible] drich, of Illinois, [illegible] of Nebraska, [illegible] of Kentucky.

CONDITION OF MICHIGAN CROPS

Report for February as to the Prospects and Wheat Supply.

LANSING, Feb. 12.—February's crop report [illegible] question: "Has wheat during January [illegible] injury from any cause?" 192 correspondents [illegible] in the southern counties answer "no," in the central counties "yes" and 142 "no," and in the northern 8 answer "yes" and 90 "no." The total [illegible] of bushels of wheat reported [illegible] by farmers in January is [illegible] the six months, August-January, [illegible] which is 1,062,971 bushels less marketed in the same months [illegible] Seventy elevators and mills from which [illegible] have been received there was no wheat [illegible] during the month. The condition [illegible] stock averages from 93 to 97 per cent., [illegible] son being with stock in good health [illegible] drift; condition.

Bank to Go Out of Business.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 12.—The American bank, doing business at 76 Griswold street, this city, will to liquidate its affairs and leave the field. The causes leading to action are that the bank has not any money of late and that prospects for making money are poor. The bank has a capital of $300,000 and was organized in 1887.

Lincoln Club Banquet.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 13.—The third annual banquet of the Lincoln club was held Tuesday night in Lockery hall with about 700 in attendance. Dr. Griswold presided as toastmaster. Speeches were made by Congressman-elect Charles W. Tonne, Duluth; Judge Fairchild, of this city; James Campbell, Jackson, and Col. S. "A. Bond, Cincinnati.

Gates Are Released by Dynamite.

CHESTER, Feb. 13.—Tons of ice were blown into the air Tuesday afternoon by dynamite around the stern of the steamer Ann Arbor ferry boat. The work was in charge of a Port Huron expert, and enough space was cleared to allow the big boat to swing around with its bow faced lakeward.

Detroit's Fire Chief Pensioned.

DETROIT, Feb. 11.—James Battle, chief of the Detroit fire department since 1860, has been retired on half pay and Assistant Chief James R. Elliott succeeds him. Chief Battle has been sick for two years and Elliott has been at the head of the department.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 8.—In the senate the bill empowering the governor to appoint a health board for Detroit came up for third reading, when the roll call showed but sixteen votes for it, one less than was necessary to pass it, and the vote was reconsidered and the bill tabled, to be taken up when the absentees were present. Bills were introduced for incorporation of labor and trades unions; requiring lobbyists to register their names with the sergeant-at-arms, with the measures upon which they are engaged, and subsequently to file an itemized account of expenses incurred; appropriating $115,000 for the mining school at Houghton.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 9.—In the senate Friday the bill authorizing the governor to appoint a health board for Detroit was passed. Bills were passed requiring that one-half the members of the state board of agriculture be graduates of the agricultural colleges; for the incorporation of clubs of American wheelmen and providing a jury commission for Bay county. Bills were introduced as follows: Authorizing the making of contracts to care for United States prisoners, making the office of state railway commissioner elective instead of appointive; authorizing the father of children under guardianship to demand an accounting from the guardian; prohibiting railroad companies in Michigan from charging an excess of one cent per ton for each mile for hauling iron ore; appropriating $112,000 for the industrial school for boys, and $35,000 for an electric light plant for the state capitol building; dividing the state into sixty-four legislative districts, instead of 100 as now; prohibiting theaters, opera houses and dance halls from opening on Sunday.

LANSING, Mich., Feb 12.—One of the most important bills thus far introduced in the legislature was presented Monday. It is the production of the state municipal commission, which has been at work for the last six months, and provides for a charter for third-class cities or those having a population of not less than 10,000 nor more than 50,000. If it becomes a law fifteen cities with an aggregate population of 300,000 will be incorporated under it. The elective officers provided for are the mayor, clerk, treasurer, one assessor, two justices of the peace and one police justice, in addition to two aldermen and one constable. All the city boards are to be composed of five members and are to be strictly nonpartisan.

Bills were introduced in the legislature Monday as follows: For a state board of plumbers, to examine and license plumbers; for compulsory instruction in vocal music in the schools in incorporated cities and teachers' institutes; reincorporating the city of New Haven, and for the incorporation of Traverse City. Among the important bills noticed were: For the abolishment of the office of state dairy and food commissioner; providing one brakeman for every two cars on passenger trains; repealing the law under which parties receiving injuries from defective sidewalks may bring suits against municipalities for damages; abolishing the present system of canvassing votes by substituting a county board consisting of the prosecuting attorney, county clerk, judge of probate and the chairman of each county committee of any party polling 15 per cent. of the total vote at the last preceding state election.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 13.—In the senate Tuesday a resolution was introduced and tabled by a vote of 22 to 10 urging members of congress to use their best effort to restore silver to its proper position in the United States as a money metal. Bills were introduced for the establishment of a permanent state weather service, and providing a graduated tax upon inheritances, the proceeds to be for the benefit of the primary school fund. Bills were passed appropriating $20,000 to mark the position of Michigan troops at the battles of Chattanooga and Chickamauga; providing for vestibules for the protection of motormen on electric street railways after January 1, 1896; providing a jury commission for the upper peninsula, and authorizing judges of probate to determine when insane persons have been restored to soundness of mind.

House.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 8.—In the house a favorable report was made on the bill repealing the mortgage tax feature of the general tax law. Bills were introduced providing for the death penalty for murder; providing for a uniform liquor tax of $100, and providing that saloons be permitted to remain open on the Fourth of July, New Year's day, Washington's birthday and Labor day. Bills were noticed to prohibit corporations from requiring any of their employes to take out life insurance in any particular company; providing for the closing of theaters and similar places of amusement on Sunday; making it unlawful to mesmerize or hypnotize a person without his consent; requiring the regents of the university to cover into the state treasury all money held by them in trust and empowering the regents to take and hold in perpetual trust land and other property.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 9.—In the house Friday a bill was introduced to constitute eight hours a legal day's work. Also one providing that United States prisoners confined in the Michigan prisons should be returned to the states from whence they came at the expiration of their sentences.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 12.—In the house bills were introduced fixing the rental for telephones in cities of not more than 50,000 population at $1.50 per month, and at $2 when in excess of that number; repealing the law authorizing the commencement of suits against cities for injuries received by reason of defective sidewalks, to abolish the office of food and dairy commissioner, giving women the right to vote, requiring express companies to pay license fees to towns in which they have offices, exempting old soldiers from jury duty; requiring the placing of a United States flag on every schoolroom; discharging indebtedness of $100,000 held by the state against the State Agricultural society and prohibiting conspiracy by employes to prevent employment of other persons.

A WIFE'S TRIBUTE.

Standing at the Head of His Coffin She Eulogizes Her Dead Husband.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 11.—Mrs. Isaac M. Turner delivered a eulogy to the memory of her husband at his funeral Sunday. The formal services had been conducted by Rev. Allen F. Gould, of Chicago, and Rev. Dr. Campbell Fair, and the undertaker was about to close the coffin, when Mrs. Turner entered the room unattended, and, taking a position at the head of the coffin, spoke for half an hour of the virtues of the dead as eloquently and touchingly as has ever been heard in this city, and so much so that many around her were in tears.

BRADLEY IS ACQUITTED.

Jury Condones a False Report Made to Save His Bank.

LANSING, Feb. 10.—There is rejoicing in this city over the acquittal of Nelson Bradley, cashier of the defunct Central Michigan savings bank, who was charged with having make a false entry in a report of the bank's condition shortly prior to its failure in the spring of 1894. The jury was charged by Judge Person at 11 o'clock Saturday, and at 5 o'clock returned a verdict of not guilty.

TO MEET IN SAGINAW.

Arrangements Made for the Democratic State Convention.

DETROIT, Feb. 8.—The democratic state central committee met Thursday at Hotel Cadillac with ten members present. Judge Hart, of Muskegon, acted as chairman, Assistant Secretary Meade as secretary. Resolutions were passed on the death of I. M. Turner. The state convention will be held in Saginaw February 28.

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HIS LAST ITEM

I met him on the Blackfriars bridge. It was past midnight, and I was hurrying along and did not notice him until he spoke.

"Will you leave this at The Planet office for me?"

This was a flat envelope which he held out to me, with The Planet, Planet square, written on it, and in one corner the familiar "News—Immediate." I hesitated a moment and said, "Why, certainly," and took it from him.

"Thank you," he said, "it's the last favor I shall ask any one."

The sentence ended in a half sob. I turned and looked at the man more closely. A very seedy fellow in a very seedy suit, with an odor of stale tobacco hanging about him, is not ordinarily an interesting personage, but my professional instinct was aroused.

Here, perhaps, was material for a story. It might be worked up into a thrilling tale. Clearly it was my duty to inquire modestly into his situation and assist him with my advice.

"Did you say The Asteroid office?" said I.

I pride myself on this opening. When the conversation has stopped and you wish to continue it, but can think of nothing that does not seem silly or impertinent, it is always in order to pretend you have mistaken your companion's meaning. In this case it succeeded even better than usual.

"No; The Planet, The Planet. They must have it first. I would not have The Asteroid get it, a good item like that, and exclusive too."

This was encouraging. He was a newspaper man, that was plain enough, but why didn't he take his copy to the office himself, instead of loafing here on the bridge?

The plot was thickening. It would probably work up best for The Weekly. They liked something sensational.

"So you are in the fourth estate? I used to do a little in that way myself."

I said this because I remember reading in Emerson or the Bible or somewhere that it creates a subtle sort of Freemasonry between persons when they find that they have worked at the same craft. In my youth I used to fold papers in a country town.

"Yes, I was a reporter, but that is my last item. Stop!" he exclaimed suddenly. "You are not a reporter now, are you?"

"No; I have not been a reporter for some time," I replied, with a perfect candor.

"Then I can trust you with this, and since you have consented to do me a favor I will tell you what you are about to ask, the substance of the item.

"It is an account of a man who committed suicide by jumping from the Blackfriars bridge. It is a perfect piece of news, giving the man's name, correctly spelled, his residence, names of relatives, motives for the rash act and all."

"When did it take place?"

"It hasn't taken place at all yet. It will take place at 12:15 tonight."

"But, but"— I stammered.

"How do I know about it?" he broke in. "Because I'm the man. Do you understand now? I'm going to kill myself tonight. I've no friend in the world but my paper, and I'm going to do it the only good turn in my power by giving it a correct and exclusive piece of news."

The man was surely crazy, but the story was coming on finely. I must humor him.

"Good," said I. "It's a capital idea!" I thought of applying my maxim and telling him that I had committed suicide myself in my youth, but I reflected that in his excited state he might not believe me. His story I must have at any cost.

"Come," I went on. "Come with me to my rooms just across the bridge and have something to eat. It's—it's—it's awfully unhealthy to go into water on an empty stomach."

The man looked at me as if he thought I was crazy, too, but I excused it on account of his perturbed mind. He followed me, however, and as we walked on in silence I hugged myself as I thought of the material I was gathering.

Besides the article for The Weekly, which I had now decided to expand into a serial, the incident would also make an excellent article for The Psychological Journal.

I might also change the facts a little, have him crazed by strong drink and work it up for a temperance paper with the title "The Bottle and the Bridge; a True Story Founded on Facts." The possibilities were simply endless.

A good fire, some cold meat pie, bread and cheese and a glass of hot whisky punch soon loosened his tongue, and I had him talking rationally enough. He had been a journalist for 12 years, he said, had worked on all the leading papers of Manchester and London and had barely made enough to support himself and an invalid mother.

When we parted, it was past 2 o'clock, and he had promised me to give up his fatal purpose. Reflecting that I had secured material from him for no end of good work, I gave way to my generous impulses and pressed a half sovereign to his hand.

"Heaven bless you," he said. "You have saved my life!"

Circumstances prevented me from working up my material for several days, but my head was full of it all the time, and when I sat down at my desk deciding to write the first serial the plot was clearly outlined in my mind.

I wrote till late at night, then, according to my custom, went out for a walk. My feet turned involuntarily toward the scene of my late adventure.

I walked out upon the bridge, and as I neared the middle I saw two persons engaged in conversation almost on the very spot where I had been the humble means of saving a human life a few nights before.

As I drew nearer one of the figures seemed strangely familiar. A moment later I caught the words, "It is the last favor I shall ever ask of any one."

I turned and fled.

I still have on hand material for a serial for The Weekly, and an article for The Psychological Journal, and a dissertation upon the hardships of journalism.—Kate Field's Washington.

Stripes In Poor Taste.

"What a beautiful animal that zebra is!" exclaimed the girl who was visiting the zoo.

"Y-a-a-s," replied the young man who is always near her; "if it only had stripes running the other way, it would be quite a handsome pattern, wouldn't it?"—Washington Star.

He Knew.

Mamma—Why did you tell Mrs. Mugger that the cake she gave you at dinner was not very good?

Charlie—'Cause if I'd said I liked it somebody would 'a' said it was bad for me.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 17. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Showbread.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv. 23-30; Heb. ix, 2.

Nearly every religion of antiquity recognized in some manner the fact that the fertility of the earth, yielding harvests and sustaining man by food, was due to a divine power above man. In many lands the thought took form as an image of the nourishing mother. Such was Diana of the Ephesians. The Hebrew mode of teaching this fact was peculiar and conveyed a deeper spiritual meaning than the other religions. In the tabernacle, and afterward in the temple, a table overlaid with gold was placed in the holy place half way down the north side and opposite the golden candelabrum. On this were laid 12 loaves of bread. They were made of oblong shape ten hand breadths long and five wide and seven fingers thick. They were placed in two piles of six each, the loaves being separated from each other by rods of wood covered with gold. A gold cup was placed on top of each pile of bread to receive frankincense. This is the traditional account. The bread was replaced each Sabbath with fresh loaves. The frankincense was burned on the altar, and the bread eaten by the priests.

The probable intention of this observance was to keep ever in the mind of the people the truth that God is the nourisher both of body and soul. It was not a sacrificial offering of the people to the Deity, but an object of the Divine sustenance of all things physical and spiritual. The true spirit is best expressed in the reply of Jesus to the tempter in the wilderness, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word which proceeds out of the mouth of God." The type was fulfilled in Christ himself, who is the real bread of life. The New Testament idea is that all God's true followers are priests and are to feed, not occasionally on consecrated things, but continually in heart and outer life, "Whether ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." Every meal should be a true sacrament received with devout thankfulness, so that as physical power is recuperated the inner life is also renewed by Divine grace.

Temperance Work.

The cause of total abstinence and saloon suppression has made wonderful advance in recent years. No more efficient aid for this great reform can be found than that offered in the hosts of the young people of the different denominational societies. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor is active in many places, both in pledge work and efforts to secure public municipal action. The Epworth League gives this cause a prominent place under one of the departments and has firm basis for all her [illegible] in the resolutions of the general conference regarding the liquor traffic, "it can never be legalized without sin." "It is the duty of every Christian to wage ceaseless warfare against it."

Christian Temperance League.

The need that all the separate forces of temperance workers be combined is apparent. How to accomplish that result is not so clear. That such an end will be reached eventually seems probable. Looking toward this, the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church appointed a permanent committee of 15 to have oversight of the formation of a Christian Temperance league, with branches in every charge, and to unite with similar organizations in other denominations. The membership of the society is to include all members of the congregation willing to unite for practical effort in suppressing the liquor traffic. This may not be the final form of society under which victory will be won, but it is a step forward and marks distinct advance in method and spirit.

Slow, but Sure.

The teaching of a few children Sunday after Sunday the simple, commonplace truths of the Bible and Christian living may not seem attractive as an occupation or valuable in result. Reform work among adults; revivals, with many conversions and apparent progress, seem much more attractive, but in the long spaces of time work with the children will be found to yield returns inferior to no other effort in Christ's cause. Growth may be slow, but it is sure. Secure the children of this generation, and the next generation of adults will need no reform and conversion, since they will have been rightly formed and turned in early years and will not depart from that right way. Look out for the children!

Chattanooga In June.

There are few more delightful place in the country than eastern Tennessee in the latter part of spring and early in summer. The selection of Chattanooga for holding the international Epworth League convention, June 27-30, 1895, was a wise decision. Arrangements for the grandest gathering ever held by young Methodism are well in hand. Excursions from all parts of the land are already planned. That will be a grand time of "lifting up" in all respects. "Let every one look up" to the Master for his special guidance. Who can forecast the momentous issues which may lie hidden in that gathering! What possibilities for the future of our beloved Methodism and the kingdom of God at large! May many who attend the convention climb a Lookout mount in spirit and get extended views of the beautiful landscape of a God given heritage. Old battlefields are good places for fraternal gatherings.

Jews In Palestine.

Bishop Blyth of Jerusalem says that about 100,000 Jews have entered Palestine during the last seven years, and the arrival of a vaster host is imminent. No one can forecast the extent of Jewish immigration to that land during the next seven years.

"Mr. Williams, one moment, please."

"What is it, sir?"

"Mr. Williams," with another slight cough, "we have decided, owing to matters of which you are probably as well aware as we, that we will not need you any longer. As soon as you can secure employment elsewhere we shall expect you to resign your position with us."

"I really don't—don't understand you," was the reply. "Have you discovered any errors in the books?"

"None at all—none at all. We would be perfectly willing to indorse a certificate of your honesty and proficiency as an accountant. What I refer to is an entirely different thing.

"The fact is, we have found that you are heavily indebted in various parts of the city, much more than we desire any one in our employ to be. Several firms where you have considerable accounts standing for some time have applied to us to secure them. This we cannot do."

"I think that this thing has—has been exaggerated," stammered the young man. "But as you may have other reasons for wishing to discharge me I will go at once."

And then Paul Williams, felling, as people always do who have met with the penalty of their indiscretion, that he had been dealt with unjustly, walked away.

Almost unconsciously he bent his steps toward a distant hill, whereon lay the city cemetery, and half an hour later he was walking up the hill with long, sweeping strides, totally indifferent to the fact that the dust of the road was destroying the polish of his shapely shoes which that very morning he had put on with so much care.

Paul Williams was a man of five and twenty, and for four years had held the position from which he had now been so suddenly dismissed.

Though he had no habits which could have been called really bad, he unfortunately possessed traits of character which kept him from succeeding as his friends had just reasons to expect. He was one of the members of a band of young men who, though not dissipated, had formed the dangerous habit of spending money as fast or faster than they earned it.

Some two years before he had begun to pay his attentions to a young lady, who was now his betrothed, and wishing most of all not to appear mean in the eyes of the woman he loved he had often made presents and spent money upon her when she would have respected him just as much, perhaps more, if he had kept his purse closed.

The young man might not have come to grief had it not been for another habit more seductive and infinitely more dangerous than all the others—the practice of running into debt heedlessly and without thought. It had always been a failing with him, but within a year it had grown stronger than ever.

All these things presented themselves to Paul Williams in their true light for the first time as he sat alone in the silent counting-room. After a time he came to feel that the action of his employers, harsh as it might seem, was not without cause.

First of all he would draw what money he had in the bank, and as far as possible pay what money he owed, and then he would go away from Johnsport and try to find something to do which would enable him to pay the rest.

Two hours later Paul Williams sat in his room with a package of bills, on each of which was the ominous letters "dr." on one hand and on the other a roll of banknotes. All told, he was in debt $700.

Then he turned and counted the bills before him. There was less than $400, a little more than half what he owed.

After a hasty dinner he once more sallied out on the street, and visiting each of his creditors paid what he could, until not a dollar remained in his pocket.

"Paul," said the junior member of the firm as he handed him a check, "I'm confoundedly sorry about this thing. It's a wretched business from beginning to end, and if I could have had my way about it, old boy, it would not have happened. I wired a friend up in Wisconsin, who wrote me some time since that he wanted a good bookkeeper, that if the place was not already filled I could find a capital man for him. I have just received an answer, which says, 'Let him come at once.' So if you want to go you are not out all around. What say you?"

"I will go at once—tonight," was the prompt reply.

Paul's hardest task still lay before him—to see his intended wife and to tell her all. The young man told his story openly and frankly, omitting nothing and concealing nothing.

He told of the opportunities that lay before him and of the sacrifices he was determined to make until he had paid every cent, but there would be a stain upon his name, and if she wished she was free to break the engagement between them at once.

But if he had thought that she would take such a step he was destined to be happily disappointed, for her reply was:

"Paul, although I have feared for a long time that something like this was going to happen, I don't want to be free from you, because—because I love you. Go away, do the best you can and, come what may, know that there is one who trusts you and is waiting for you."

When a year had passed, he had paid everything and was beginning to save. Besides he had dropped all of his foolish airs and habits and became in every way more manly and independent.

One day near the close of his second year the young bookkeeper and his employer were talking together when the latter said:

"Paul, I am thinking of taking in a partner. My business is growing so fast that it needs two to attend to it, and I want some one that thoroughly understands it. Have you been able to save much since you came out here? You must, for you haven't any expensive habits."

At first the young man blushed and seemed slightly confused, but recovering himself he told his employer in a few words how he had come to leave Johnsport and in what way the most of his money had been spent since that time.

"This is a surprise to me," was the reply, "yet I am not sorry to hear it, for it shows that you have the right stuff in you."

Paul Williams is now the master of a pleasant home and far on the road to wealth, but he has not forgotten the bitter experience of the past and often affirms that never, never again will he be the debtor of any one.—Exchange.

A Bold, Bad Man.

The phrase, "A bold, bad man," now worn threadbare and comic, belongs to Spenser, who applied it to the Archimago of "The Faerie Queene" (I. 1., 37).

A bold, bad man, that dared to call by name
Great Gorgon, prince of darkness and dead night.

—Macmillan's Magazine.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DeFuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waddron and James Henderson, defendants, to said county to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Henderson in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of Section 18, Town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.78½ chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 18; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by D. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 78 and 44-100 chains; thence south 34 degrees 30 minutes west 15 and 3-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 18; thence west on that (Section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff,
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.

WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth A. Rogers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Adelia M. Wheeler, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Litchard, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of deceased, in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 4th day of February, 1895 and on the 24th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, January 3, 1895.

OREL HARMON,
CYRUS MONTONYE,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1895, and on the 3d day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 14, 1895.

JOHN THURLBY,
JAMES KINGAN,
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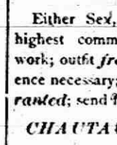

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.		No. 215 Mail.	No. 203 Express.	No. 205 Accom.
Jackson	Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 05 P.M.
Napoleon		6 20 "	2 23 "	12 45 "
Norvell		6 27 "	2 30 "	1 00 "
Manchester		6 43 "	2 46 "	1 25 "
Clinton		6 56 "	2 59 "	1 55 "
Tecumseh		7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian	Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 10 "
Detroit		10 15 "	6 25 "	
Toledo		9 00 "	4 30 "	10 35 "

Train No. 215 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.		No. 216 Mail.	No. 212 Express.	No. 204 Accom.
Detroit	Lv	6 45 A.M.	5 00 P.M.	
Toledo		10 05 "	7 30 "	
Adrian		10 50 "	8 20 "	6 00 P.M.
Tecumseh		11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton		11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester		11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell		12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 32 "
Napoleon		12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson	Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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IN EFFECT January 6, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass.	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 30	Lv....Allegan....Ar	1 40	
		11 54	Monteith	1 16	
	A. M.	12 25	Morrille	12 45	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	1 01	Battle Creek	11 69	8 30
8 30	7 45	1 31	Marshall	11 35	12 20
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 08	11 48
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 38	11 08
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 34	10 14	3 14	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 59	10 22	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 39
	10 33	3 32	Sand Lake	9 29	9 27
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 54	8 30
3 19	11 59	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 19
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
5 20	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....L	7 15	6 20
P.M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	6:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:23 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
†No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,
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—FOR—
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WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	5 00	5 00
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Do You Snowshoe?

If you do, you are an enthusiast, of course; if you do not you will stand a chance of becoming an enthusiast regarding this most facinatig sport when you learn all about it, which you may do by reading the charmingly illustrated article on 'Snowshoeing in the Northwest,' published in the Febuary number of Demorest's Family magazine. Then there are many other most interesting things you may learn about through the same medium.—some of the curious religious beliefs of the Hides, how Juggernaut takes a bath, etc., which are told with words and numerous illustrations in a paper entitled 'A Glance at Hinduism.' 'An Evening's Amusement' offers excellent suggestions for entertaining a house-party or any small company of guests; 'Some Jolly Valentines' gives instructions for making valentines that will afford no end of fun; and—but it is impossible to give a complete list of all the good things. Every department is complete, and each succeeding number excels the one previously issued; and the Magazine is published for only $2 a year, by W. Jennings Demorest, 15 East 14th St., New York.

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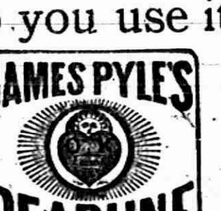

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ANOTHER VOTING MACHINE.

William B. Norton, of Detroit, Has Invented One.

William B. Norton, of the firm of Leland, Faulconer & Norton, of Detroit, has invented a voting machine which recently was placed on exhibition at the Michigan Club. It is called the American voto-graph, and works on the keyboard principle. There is a row of keys for each party, and a key for each candidate. When one key is pushed down all the others for that office are locked, but the voter, should he wish to change his vote before the cover is shut down which records the vote on a roll of paper underneath, can unlock the row and push down a different key. So far as results are concerned, the machine seems to fill the bill completely. The voter is given perfect seclusion and secrecy, and the vote for each candidate is totaled on the register so that the count is made when the last ballot has been cast. There is no room whatever for the exercise of ministerial functions on the part of the returning board. The machine will be taken to Lansing and the inventor will compete before the legislature with the two other machines now on exhibition there for adoption at elections.

Joint Sale.

The undersigned, B. A. Beal, administrator of the estate of Wm. P. Emmons, will sell at public sale, on Tuesday, Feb. 26, on the premises of the late Wm. P. Emmons' one mile north and a half mile east of Britton, the following property:

One fanning mill, 1 Fairbanks scale (1000 lbs.), bag truck, corn sheller, wheelbarrow, blacksmith's vice, cook stove, coal stove, work bench, 2 grindstones, 24-ft. ladder, 16-ft. ladder, spring pump, 2 spades and 2 shovels, crosscut saw, grubhoe, peck, tile hoe and spade, 3 pitchforks, a quantity of good hay in bags, 40 bags, large canvass, 4 piles of lumber, 2 bandsawing rigs, 2 sets of wheels, grub hoe and 2 other hoes, and other articles too numerous to mention.

B. A. BEAL,
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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

On the 6th the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was taken up in the senate and would have been disposed of except for the item of $500,000 for immediately beginning cable construction between the United States and Hawaii. The bill for a new post office building at Chicago was passed. In the house the time was occupied in discussing the administration's financial measure.

On the 7th the laying of a cable to Hawaii was further discussed in the senate, but no conclusion was reached and the item remains as a stumbling block to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. The Indian appropriation bill ($8,820,709) was reported and the nomination of Maj. Gen. John M. Schofield to be lieutenant general was confirmed. In the house the administration bill to authorize an issue of $500,000,000 in gold bonds was defeated by a vote of 161 to 131.

In the senate on the 8th the president's message was read announcing a new loan of $62,500,000, instead of $100,000,000, as agreed upon. The Hawaiian cable amendment to the diplomatic and consular bill was then further discussed and the president's message giving Minister Willis' latest dispatches as to the sentences of death in Hawaii was presented. Senator Lodge (by request) introduced a bill to provide for the issue of $1,200,000,000 worth of bonds payable in gold coin at 2½ per cent. interest, to run from ten to twenty-five years. In the house the president's message providing for a new issue of bonds was read; also a message on the Hawaiian question. The legislative appropriation bill was discussed.

On the 9th the senate by a vote of 33 to 25 decided to lay a cable to Hawaii and appropriated $500,000 to begin the work. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was passed and eulogies on the late Senator Stockbridge were delivered. In the house it was voted to place individual clerks of members on the annual salary roll at the rate of $100 per month. The legislative appropriation bill was further discussed and an attempt to strike out the appropriation for the civil service commission was defeated.

In the senate on the 11th Senator Hill presented a resolution defining the policy of the government concerning bimetallism, gold payments, etc. The post office appropriation bill was disoussed. In the house the bill to provide for coinage at the branch mint at Denver, Col., was passed and the legislative appropriation bill was considered.

DOMESTIC.

MRS. MARY FREEMAN and two daughters were arrested in Chicago for a conspiracy to defraud railroads for alleged personal injuries.

FRANK MOGAN, a tinner, and Charles Eagle and Phil Johnson, two youths, were fatally injured by the falling of a chimney during a fire at Rockville, Md.

THE first installment of 200 negro families from Georgia, who are to colonize a vast tract of land 15 miles from Wapimi, Mexico, reached that place.

THE barge Van Zantford foundered in Long Island sound and the captain and his brother were washed off and drowned.

EXTREME cold weather with high winds prevailed throughout the northwest.

DURING a saloon fire at Evansville, Ind., David Eastin, the proprietor of the place, and his bartender were burned to death.

OVER 200 oil wells in the McDonald field near Sisterville, Pa., were compelled to suspend operations on account of the severe cold weather.

BITTERLY cold weather prevailed generally throughout Great Britain. For the first time in fourteen years the docks at Southampton were frozen over.

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS damage was done to the Denison house at Indianapolis by fire.

A JOINT resolution passed the Oregon legislature for a constitutional amendment extending the elective franchise to women.

JOSEPH GRANT, 77 years old, a farmer of Richland township, Mich., shot his wife and then killed himself. Family trouble was the cause.

DON ERNESTO MARQUEZ, aged 30, and his brother, Enrique Marquez, aged 26, killed each other in New York in a quarrel over a woman.

INTENSELY cold weather prevailed in all sections of the country, interfering with business, and several persons were frozen to death.

THE schooner T. B. Dickson, encased in ice, went ashore on the north coast of Martha's Vineyard and Capt. Joseph Bostwick, Mate Martin Lee and another sailor were found on board frozen to death.

THE big gingham mills of Walker & Rothmond in Philadelphia were totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

FOR stealing jam valued at six dollars August Young was found guilty at Sheffield, Mo., and sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

JIM FRENCH and Slaughter Kid, the last of the Cook gang, were killed while trying to rob a store at Catoosa, I. T.

THE wife and 13-year-old son of Rev. G. S. Gresham, a Baptist minister, were drowned in the Broad river by the sinking of a ferryboat at Fish Ferry, S. C.

A BILL prohibiting prize fighting and all kinds of sparring exhibitions, public or private, passed the New York assembly.

MRS. JOSEPH CHOPERINSKI and her 7-year-old daughter Mary were burned to death at Priceburg, Pa.

ALL the sugar refineries in Philadelphia cut the price of refined sugars one-sixteenth of a cent.

AFTER an unsuccessful search lasting five hours, nine men who went to the relief of the men on the intake tunnel at Milwaukee were given up as lost.

MAYOR STRONG, of New York, accepted the resignations of all the Tammany officials.

EXCHANGES at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 9th aggregated $979,395,040, against 942,331,065 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 11.9.

THE home for friendless women at Cleveland, O., was destroyed by fire, and many of the inmates had narrow escapes from death.

Senator Lexow says he is done with Parkhurst. Ah! But is Parkhurst done Lexow?

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EUGENE BYARS, a well-known detective who murdered his cousin, Sergt. Eugene Walker, of the United States army, at Behring Park January 6, 1894 was hanged at Birmingham, Ala.

MILLIONS of dollars' worth of orange and other fruit trees have been destroyed in Florida by the intensely cold weather.

NORTHERN and southern men were said to have combined to press French spoliation and war claims to the amount of $1,000,000.

THE residence of Nels Hanson, a settler near Brainerd, Minn., was burned during the parent's absence and two children were cremated.

THE steamer Cyclone blew up in the St. Frances river at Forest City, Ark., and eight persons were killed.

MARGARET COOK, who died at Columbus, O., was aboard Fulton's steamship Clermont when its initial trip was made in 1807.

FOUR men digging out a snow-bound train near Lucknow, Pa., were run down and killed by a belated express train.

INTENSELY cold weather still prevailed throughout the country and many persons in various localities were frozen to death.

J. K. CUMBERLAND, who killed James Robertson and his son Jasper, was hanged at Fort Madison, Ia.

A TIDAL wave swept the North Atlantic coast, carrying away hundreds of houses and causing great loss of life.

UNITED STATES officers discovered that Italians had flooded the coke regions of Pennsylvania with bogus money.

NINE fires in one day in Newark, N. J., caused a total loss of $125,000.

THE Union station at St. Joseph, Mo., completed in May, 1882, and which was used by all the railroads entering the city, was laid in ruins by fire, the loss being $400,000.

A EULOGY of Isaac M. Turner was delivered by his widow at the funeral at Grand Rapids, Mich.

CHARLES PAYNE and Richard Laws, young business men, were run down by an express train and killed at a railway crossing near Brownstown, Ill.

FOR the first time in thirty years the Delaware river between Philadelphia and Camden was frozen solid from shore to shore.

TWO CHILDREN of William Cassidy, living near Brazil, Ind., were burned to death, their clothes catching fire at a grate.

DISTRESS in the mining regions of Ohio was said to be increasing, and hundreds of men, women and children were threatened with starvation.

OVER $1,200,000 in stakes and purses will be distributed by western and southern race tracks during the coming season.

JAMES GRAYBEAL was convicted at La Porte, Ind., of killing William Jones and his punishment fixed at thirteen years' imprisonment.

TWO COLORED women, Sarah Jackson and Bettie Fishback were convicted of vagrancy at Georgetown, Ky., and sold into slavery for the period of six months.

LIFE savers succeeded in rescuing two of the crew of the schooner Louis V. Place, ashore at Point of Woods, N. Y. The other seven were drowned or frozen to death.

THE Crescent tobacco warehouse and a woodenware factory were burned at Louisville, Ky., the loss being $175,000.

W. J. EDWARDS rode a mile on a bicycle at Livermore, Cal., in 1:34⅘, a new world's record.

EX-POLICE OFFICERS MORAN AND HEALY were convicted in Chicago of the murder of Swan Nelson and their punishment fixed at fourteen years' imprisonment.

THE schooner Clara E. Friend, of Gloucester, Mass., was wrecked near Liverpool, N. S., and her crew of fifteen men were drowned.

FIFTEEN firms were burned out by a fire in Ottawa, Kan., the losses aggregating $100,000.

TWELVE oyster sloops were wrecked and from twenty to thirty lives lost in the Chesapeake during a blizzard.

AT Dinsmore, Fla., John Thomas (colored) with his wife and two children, were instantly killed by the falling of a log shack in which they were sleeping.

JOSEPH COURTER fatally shot his wife while she lay asleep in bed at Newark, N. J., and then committed suicide. Jealousy caused the act.

THE doors of the Bank of Superior, Neb., were closed by the state bank examiner.

CYRUS BUSSEY, ex-assistant secretary of the interior, was run over by a sleigh in Washington and badly hurt.

THE report of the bureau of statistics on the foreign trade of the United States for the calendar year 1894 shows that during that year our commerce with foreign countries fell below the low-water mark.

MRS. WILLIAM SIEFERT, while temporarily insane, drowned her two children and herself in the Ohio river at Coraopolis, Pa.

FOUR MILLION acres of Sioux Indian reservation land in South Dakota were thrown open for settlement by purchase at fifty cents an acre.

GEORGE W. STOUT'S wholesale grocery establishment at Indianapolis was destroyed by fire, the loss being $115,000.

AN unsuccessful attempt was made to hold up a Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe passenger train near Overbrook, I. T.

BUILDINGS occupied by the Campbell Paint company, the Creamery Supply company and Reeves & Co., at Kansas City, were burned, causing a loss of $150,000.

THE Bank of Leesburg, Fla., assigned for the benefit of creditors.

THE French line steamer La Gascogne, from Havre, nine days overdue, arrived in New York. Accidents to the machinery caused the delay.

A PETITION containing 6,000,000 names, and which had taken twelve years to complete, in opposition to the liquor and opium habit, left Chicago for Washington in care of Mrs. Carse, of the Woman's Christian Temperance union. It is the largest petition in history and will be presented to the court of every ruler in the world.

JAMES WIGGINS, who murdered three [illegible] in Georgia while resisting arrest, was lynched by a mob.

A SECRET society, whose object is the mating and marrying of young people, has been discovered in Chicago.

J. L. DICKSON, a bank cashier at Fayetteville, Ark., discovered to be $33,000 short, committed suicide by taking strychnine.

THIRTY inches of snow fell at Rifle, Col.

SINCE the Fifty-third congress was elected there has been a total of twenty-nine changes in the membership of the house, eleven of them caused by death, three by removal as the result of election contests and sixteen by resignations.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

ALEXANDER KENNEDY, 94 years old, said to be the oldest man in east Tennessee, died at his home in Blount county. He was the father of twenty-six children.

MISS ELLEN SPENCER, who lacked only a few days of being 100 years old, died at Jacksonville, Ill.

JOHN TRUMBULL, who was the first manufacturer of silks in the United States, died at Caledonia, Wis., aged 79 years.

GEORGE W. VAN HORNE, editor of the News-Tribune and postmaster at Muscatine, Ia., died at the age of 61 years.

MISS BETTY MCELROY celebrated her 100th birthday at her home in Somerville, N. J.

MRS. EMMA MCSHANE, who died at Leavenworth, Ind., aged 73, was the survivor of eleven husbands, two of whom were killed in war.

JOHN LEAVITT STEVENS, minister from the United States to Hawaii under President Harrison, died at his home in Augusta, Me., aged 74 years.

REV. JOSHUA E. AMBROSE died at his home in La Grange, Ill., aged 85 years. He was the oldest Baptist preacher in both years and point of service in the northwest if not in the coun[illegible]

JAMES ROBINSON BOISE, [illegible] emeritus of Greek at the U[illegible] Chicago, died at the age of 8[illegible]

MARGARET TAYLOR (color[illegible]d 53, Mitchell Jones, also colored, and aged 93 years, were married at Kansas City.

CHARLES GAYARRE, historian and litterateur, who introduced the culture of indigo and sugar cane into Louisiana, died at New Orleans, aged 90 years.

FOREIGN.

SEVEN miners were killed by an explosion in a colliery at Radstock, England.

THE Mexican congress convened in special session in the City of Mexico.

MESSRS. GULICK and Seward, ex-ministers of the Hawaiian monarchy, and Mr. Rickard an Englishman, were sentenced to death for complicity in the recent Hawaiian revolution, and T. B. Walker, formerly of the United States army, was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

TEN men, all the crew of the British brig Nelson, were drowned by the wrecking of that vessel on the rocks off Douglass, Isle of Man.

OWING to the intense anti-foreign feeling in the Shan Tung peninsula American missionaries were fleeing for safety.

CHINA telegraphed to her peace envoys full powers to act in the negotiations with Japan for a settlement of the war.

TRINITY college school at Toronto, Ont., was completely destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

IT was reported at Honolulu that an American protectorate would be declared over Hawaii when the political conspiracy had been disposed of.

HILTON GREAVES, the largest cotton manufacturer in the world, died at Oldham, England.

LATER.

A BILL was reported to the United States senate on the 12th from the finance committee providing for the unrestricted coinage of silver. A resolution was offered extending the time for collecting the income tax and another to inquire into the legality of the recent bond issues. In discussing the last message of the president on the currency question Mr. Stewart declared the administration had refused to carry out the laws. A joint resolution to enlarge the Red Cliff Indian reservation in Wisconsin was passed, as were also twenty-eight private pension bills. In the house bills were passed returning war flags to certain Michigan regiments; donating condemned cannon to Des Moines, Ia.; incorporating the National Association of Florists. The legislative appropriation bill was passed after striking out the provision for annual clerks to congress.

THIRTY men were drowned by the collision of unknown schooners on the New Jersey coast.

HALF a million boxes of oranges awaiting shipment at Alcira, Spain, were destroyed by intensely cold weather.

THE summer hotel at Brown's Mills, N. J., was totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $150,000. The building was vacant.

A RECEIVER was appointed for the Linden Steel company of Pittsburgh, Pa., whose liabilities were $485,000 and estimated assets $685,000.

A COMPANY was organized to build and operate a line of canal boats between Cleveland and New York.

THE Lincoln avenue barns of the North Chicago Railway company, containing 110 cars, were burned, the loss being $150,000.

ROWLAND ATER, a wealthy farmer of Woodlyn, O., was found frozen to death on the road near his home.

JUDGE GROSSCUP discharged the jury and continued the Debs case in Chicago to the first Monday in May. The sickness of a juror was the cause.

A LARGE section of the business portion of Metcomb, O., was swept away by fire.

THE trolley strike in Brooklyn, N. Y., was declared off, the companies having agreed to gradually take back the men.

LINCOLN'S birthday was generally celebrated throughout the country.

BILL COOK, the outlaw, was sentenced in the United States court at Fort Smith, Ark., to forty-five years in the penitentiary at Auburn, N. Y.

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DAKOTA WEATHER IN TEXAS.

What An Old Tecumseh Boy Thinks of a Northern Winter in a Southern Clime.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 6, '95.

DEAR HERALD:—From recent letters from my dear old native town I learn that you are all shivering with the cold, and that when you go out into the bitter blasts you have to wade through snow so deep that short folks are out of sight. I have seen no snow since I left Illinois over a year ago, and I am thankful for it. Up to a day or two before New Years day we had no frost and the bananna palm flourished in all its ragged beauty while the flower gardens were furnishing fragrant beautjes in profusion.

Then a bitter Norther came sweeping down from Michigan, Illinois and Indiana and all this was changed. The bananna palm became a yellow mass of dead rubbish, and the roses withered while the violet withdrew its scotched face from the gaze of its lovers, who mourn and long to see the timid thing creep from its hiding place of green.

The pecan trees are bare, the cane brakes along the river bank are in the sear and yellow leaf, while vegetation generally shows the effects of the frost; but the temperature is high and the warmth makes one fling the doors and windows wide open. Flannel underwear is a burden and but for the uncertain coming of the Norther would be filled with moth balls and stored away for an indefinite period.

Old San Antonio is suffering from the general stagnation of business that is effecting the whole country, but thank the powers that we do not have to pay exorbitant coal bills nor fatten a remorseless gang of coal barons.

Although the absence of many regular winter visitors to this beautiful city is noted, the hotels and boarding houses are over crowded with the throngs how have come here in search of health.

February 14th. It is nearly a month since I commenced this epistle to you, and as I read it over I find that the old saying, "never crow until you are out of the woods," is a thing to be remembered when you are about to boast of your special good fortune in escaping what harrasses your neighbor. The awful blizzards you people up North have been enjoying for the past few weeks are to an extent appreciated by the citizens of this semi-tropical state of Texas.

On Wednesday the 6th of the present month the weather department finding itself burdened with an overproduction of weather of a most delectable sort, puzzled itself to know what to do with it. In an evil moment some demon whispered into the ear of the aforesaid weather department that the people of Texas did not know what a good old fashioned Dakota blizzard was like, and suggested that it would be a good plan to ship a few blizzards down this way, just for fun. Accordingly it was done, and the denizens of Texas, as well as several other Southern states have had spells of weather that is the worst in the memory of the traditional oldest inhabitant. On the date above mentioned I hastened home after an evening class in drawing, and the first thing I did on entering my door yard was to investigate the water pipes. The good frau, not expecting to be treated to a spell of cold that would remind her of old Michigan, had retired without turning the water supply off and of course the pipes were frozen so that I had to thaw them out and set the water running before I sought the caressing arms of Morpheus.

The morning of the 7th, the mercury sank to 10 above; on the morning of the 8th it went as low as eight above, and it has dallied with a freezing temperature ever since. The result is that the citizens have suffered as much with the cold as you folks do when it gets around the point of ten to twenty below zero. The tropical plants are a sight to behold, and the cacti have a sickly appearance.

Did I say anything about fattening a gang of remorseless coal barons? Oh yes! I remember now, but what can you expect with the whole financial and social condition of the country in a state bordering chaos? A prominent wood and coal dealer told me (by proxy) that last fall he laid in a stock of fuel that he afterward thought more than would be required to run the season, but if the run of low temperature does not end he will have to more than duplicate his stock.

Yesterday the conditions were so unfavorable for a pleasant evening that I sent word to a class that was to have met at eight o'clock that I would not be ready for them until next week and then went home. An hour or two afterward the street cars stopped running and I felt that my good guardian spirit must have warned me of what was to come. This morning San Antonio awoke to find three inches of snow on the ground, and not a street car running in the city. You should have seen the population on its way down town, trying to get to places of business in good season, with the mercury away below freezing point.

It seems to me that the masculine portion of the inhabitants had almost lost its reason. Gangs of men and boys were at every available point pelting the passers by with snow balls, and sometimes a more than ordinary enthusiastic individual would grab anything handy and throw it, and then when the proprietor of the store whose window had been broken out conclude that it was time to disappear. An old lady who has lived in San Antonio for thirty-five years told me to-day that she had never seen so much snow in Texas before, the snow fall always being light and generally of a sleety nature, and generally disappearing in a very few hours. This storm has been raging all day, and at this hour, 3 p. m. seems inclined to keep it up indefinitely. You should see the invoiceof nondescript vehicles that take the places of your fine cutters and bob sleighs up North! I just saw a rig go past that would throw Hialey into hysterics. An aged darkey had taken two old long geered rocking chairs and roped them together securely and hitched the old family mule before it, (the combination,) and with wrinkled old mammy in the rear chair and himself in the driver's seat, (i. e. the front chair, four or five cow bells being attached to the pieces of rope and strap that constituted the harness of the f. m.) had started to do the Avenue.

An aged coon just exclaimed to me: "Foh de Lawd's sake, Massa Wheeler, dis beats anyting I eber done met wif in all my bawn days! I done seen snow befo' but dis do beat all! Did you eber done see mo' up Norf?" When I assured him that I had seen snow so deep that people had been obliged to shovel it away from the church steeple by my old home before they could see the clock in the tower and find out what time it was, he gave me a look that had a tinge of incredulity in it, and as he ejaculated, "well, for de Lawd's sake!" he must have thought of some sermon he had heard on the subject of the prevaricator.

The average house of the good people of this part of the South is but illy prepared to shelter its inhabitants from the bitter cold that always comes with a Norther. All of the frame houses are built on stilts, or posts, with a space underneath that gives a clean sweep for the winds. In the summer time this is appreciated, for then it assures additional coolness; but in the winter it makes one who has lived in the comfortable homes of the North wish for a change. Owing to the ravages of moths carpets are a minus quantity in many a home in this part of the world, and that adds another feature to the cold weather that comes to this country at times. As a result of the extremely low temperature of the past week or two the doctors are the busiest men in the community.

San Antonio is in some respects equal to New York City. It has a local Tammany that is quite like the greater Tammany that has robbed the greater city for so long a time. A gang of professional politicians locally known as "the big six" have run matters about as they willed for years, and have delivered the city, body and soul, over to the various corporations that fatten on the down-trodden citizens. The telegraph companies have made the streets a perfect network of wires, setting their poles where they wanted to, regardless of the wishes of property owners or the convenience of the public. In a narrow street where a car takes up all of one side of the drive way, only leaving room on the other side for two vehicles to pass, and where the sidewalks are so narrow that two couples cannot pass without going single file, they have set poles sixteen inches in diameter inside of the curb stone. The electric street car lines run their business regardless of the public needs, and when they deem it pleasant to do so stop their cars at the most unseemly hours, leaving the belated public to reach home as best it can. With the lines that are run in this city, if they were under the ownership and control of the municipality, there is no reason why any one should be treated as the public is frequently by impudent corporations that owe their existence to the public will.

With the examples we have of the abuses showered on the people all over the land by corporations the talk at present being indulged in in that chamber of demoralized fossils called the United States Senate, about taking the postal service in hand and turning it over to private corporations, makes one wonder what they will contemplate next.

The hot sulphur wells of San Antonio are becoming famous and are drawing many people from the Hot Springs of Arkansas. They doubtlessly bring a large share of the floating population of the city.

There is a large and popular society of artists in the city, and the semi-annual exhibitions held by the San Antonio Art League are doing much to raise the standard of Art in the State of Texas. Artists from all over the State are members of the society, and its affairs are matters of general public regard. The beautiful scenery and the many points of historical interest makes this city a place of more than usual interest to the artistic fraternity. It is such a common thing to see easels placed before the old Alamo with artists earnestly at work sketching the famous home of Texas liberty that the natives take no notice of such things than do the natives of Italy when foreign artists paint their land.

San Antonio has just gone through the throes of a municipal election in which the two contending parties have painted the whole city in most lurid hues. The big six was on one side, and the German contingent on the other, backed by all the best elements of the city, and for one more time Tammany has been defeated. I have witnessed a good many political campaigns, but I never saw any like the one just over. To read the papers one would come to the conclusion that Beelzebub had selected his two chief devils and sent them here to be candidates for the mayoralty. I realize now more than ever that the chief qualification for citizenship in this great land of ours should be intelligence and education. Here as in other parts of the land the great unwashed is herded by the most unscrupulous side and voted in gangs. The Mexican population is notedly ignorant and debased, and follows a leader like conventional sheep.

The South needs more Northern energy and "git up and git." Think of a water system with the pipes laid on the surface of mother earth! That is what we have here, and in the summer time the water is so hot by the time it reaches the consumer that it is put in jars and hung out of doors in the shade to get cool. In the winter the pipes freeze at the first opportunity, and bursted pipes are the rule. The hill on which I live is of such a character in its formation that it is almost a solid rock. Along the streets the water mains attest the nature of the corporation that furnishes the dwellers with aqua. Last week a main burst near us and the company sent men to shut it off, promising to repair the break at once. Not a thing has been done about it yet and for blocks around people come to the little cottage my family occupy to get the water they must have to prepare meals with. Meanwhile the water company gathers in its water rates with a merry gusto and tells the people to be damned. Still the plutocratic Senate would put our letters and papers in the hands of a private corporation to deliver. How much sugar stock will it take to have the thing accomplished? What interest have the Rothchilds in the matter?

You cannot imagine how eagerly I look for the dear old HERALD each week. I think it would be a hard matter to keep house if I did not get a copy each week. In last week's number I read the fine account you gave of Alba Heywood and his company in Edgewood Folks. When Alba first struck this city he did a poor business, but his visit to San Antonio last fall was productive of more abundant pay, and the people who saw him were so well pleased that his next visit will be a nice surprise to him. You would make his friendship for me older than it is. I think it is about ten years since I first made his acquaintance, and in the time that has passed I have found him to be a gentleman and an honest man. What more can one say in the praise of any man?

I also saw that Mr. Chas. Stubler was to give Tecumsehites a bit of his cleverness. I would have liked to have been there. I knew Stubler a number of years ago, having boarded in the same house in Chicago with him. I have the honor of being the one who selected his stage name for him, and 'Sig. Calistro' would no doubt remember me if he heard of me in old Tecumseh. He was liked by every one who had the pleasure of his acquaintance at that time, and I have no reason to think that he has changed for the worse. I remember well how his tricks of magic mystified the little coterie that lived where he did in Chicago.

I cannot say that my path has been strewn with roses since I have lived in Texas, nor that I have lived in a manner to give me the gout, but if business should improve, and times become better, I think that I should be able to do well here. I have found health here, and we all like the glorious climate, as well as the beautiful city and its surrounding country. My wife says her health has never been better and my two little boys are the pictures of excellent health. The effect that the present cold snap has had on my bronchial machinery proves that it would be unwise for me to think of returning to the north for a long time yet, still I often get so homesick to see the old home and friends that it is hard to think of being an exile so long. Still I hope to get the home paper and to write you occasionally, may be semi-occasionally. Your aged friend.

LAVERN F. WHEELER.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

IT SUITS THEM.

Some like autumn and some like spring,
While others prefer the summers;
But winters like this are just the thing
For tough polar bears and plumbers.
—Kansas City Journal.

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Fond Parent. "Bobby, why will you always persist in pushing in the eyes of your little sister's dolls?"

Bobby (conclusively). "Because I can't pick 'em out."

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Chesney. "Women would never be able to vote seriously."

Redbourn. "Why not?"

Chesney. "Because they would want to go around and get samples of the candidates before making up their minds."

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Congress is very considerate. It always wants to learn what President Cleveland wants it to do before doing something else.

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"The pleasantest way to take cod-liver oil," says an old gourmand, "is to fatten pigeons with it, and then eat the pigeons."

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The present congress is getting down toward the 4th of March, when it will perform the one act in its whole career which the country will unanimously approve.

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Florida had first her oranges frozen, then her garden sass. Now the report is that her fish are frozen and dying by the thousand. She seems to have little left but her democratic party.

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"What doth it profit a man" if he spend years of ceaseless toil and worry in perfecting an article of any kind if in the end he loses the main chance by failure to properly advertise the results? If you have a good thing tell somebody about it: they want it.

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COLD WEATHER COMEDY.

A very amusing mistake occurred after the dismissal of services at the Congregational church in Pittsford one evening last week.

Two of the sturdy tillers of the soil, believing in looking after their spiritual affairs, were present with their silent partners, and after services both proceeded to bring out their rigs to load in the ones who have made life one long flowery journey.

It being very dark one of them assisted into the cutter the fair lady he supposed was his wife, and she supposed it was her husband who was making her so snug in the sleigh, and they proceeded on their homeward journey feeling, no doubt, that it had been good for them to be there.

After proceeding some distance the lady discovered the mistake, when there was a gathering of wraps, a sudden flight, and our sturdy husbandman awoke to the realization that he was alone in the middle of the road on a dark night, and turning, could see a figure fleeing like a frightened fawn towards the church.

He turned around and succeeded in getting back to the church in time to make an explanation and stop any steps that might have been made towards divorce proceedings. This time he was more careful in making his choice, and no doubt will be hereafter, especially if the night be dark.—Hudson Gazette.

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The oldest boiler in Michigan is at the King's foundry and machine shop, formerly run by the late A. C. King & Son. The stamp of the year the boiler was manufactured dates back over 200 years. It was once run on an ocean steamer and that boat being put out of service the boiler was sold to a party that was building a boat to run on the lakes. After that boat had got through with the old boiler it fell into the hands of A. C. King, who placed it in his shop to furnish him power to run his machinery, and today it is the oldest boiler in Michigan.—Evening Telegram.

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REMARKABLE DRIVING.

It is generally the easiest thing in the world to drive a horse without spirit, but there is one recorded instance where a stage coach driver covered himself with glory by doing just that thing. He was an old-timer, this driver, and one afternoon in the days of long ago he and his coach-and-four came rattling up to the tavern door like an avalanche. As the coach stopped one of the horses dropped dead.

"That was a very sudden death," remarked a by-stander.

"That sudden!" coolly responded the driver. "That 'oss died at the top of the hill nine miles back, sir; but I wasn't going to let him down till I got to the reg'lar stoppin'-place."—Harper's Young People.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., FEB 22, 1895.

Laura Clark gave a small tea party Friday afternoon.

Ed. Kirchgessner was in town Tuesday, from Tecumseh.

Dora Marrion, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her people.

Albert S. Hayden, of Milan, was in town Sunday afternoon.

F. B. Greenleaf, H. D. Niblack and wife were in Macon Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Avery, of Jackson, visited Mrs. Alonzo Clark Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Adah Boyd left Tuesday for a week's visit with friends at Ypsilanti.

Bert A. Darlinghouse, of Tecumseh, was calling on a friend Sunday evening.

E. S. Tate was taking in the sights at Detroit from Friday until Tuesday night.

F. M. Sanford and wife of Grass Lake are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Jas. Rogers.

Miss Ella Rose and Blanche returned from their visit with Tecumseh friends, Monday noon.

Will Mobbs and Wade Waring, of Tecumseh, attended St. John's church Sunday evening.

John Hause and Clint C. Rowland attended Masonic Lodge at Tecumseh Saturday evening.

Roy Hughes, of Tecumseh began work in the spinning room at the Woolen Mill Wednesday.

Mrs. E. S. Tate went to Tecumseh Wednesday to visit Mrs. J. D. Shull the balance of the week.

Mrs. A. W. Muir entertained a company of lady friends Saturday evening at her pleasant home.

Alma Tate entertained the ladies with pedro at her house on Jackson street Tuesday evening.

Guy Belding is taking Ed. Breese's place at the station this week while Ed. is away on his wedding trip.

The Eastern Star banquet at Masonic Hall, Wednesday, was par excellence and all enjoyed a social time.

Mrs. L. H. Ames, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ella Niblack and other friends this week.

Mrs. Chris. Schmitt was dangerously ill the last of the week, with heart trouble, but is much better at present.

Wednesday was stock day. VanTuyle & Palmer shipped a car of sheep and hogs and Tate & Stoner three decks of sheep.

Many of the members of Golden Rod Chapter O. E. S. attended the special meeting at Tecumseh last evening and had a delightful time.

Mrs. Clara Densmore, of Hanover, Jackson county, was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Phoebe Lane, Friday and Saturday last.

Eusebeus Dodge, of Hudson, is stopping with Mont Rogers and family. He has quite a class on the gaitar and is kept busy tuning pianos.

Will Clack, Monday, received a letter from Central India, which was a month coming. It was from a sister of his whose husband is a missionary there.

About twelve or fourteen of our young people spent the evening Saturday with Miss Matie Schlegel at Bridgewater Station. They report a delightful time.

Among those who are on the sick list this week are Fred VanDeMark, Donna Woodward, Will O. Sivers, Mrs Blanche Kimball and Mrs. Genevieve Burroughs.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, at the parsonage, Wednesday evening, at 6:30, spoke the words that wedded Mr. Fred Clark, of Brooklyn, and Miss Jennie Snow, of Tecumseh.

The young people's society of the Baptist church, hold a pleasant social gathering at the commodious home of Deacon and Mrs. H. P. Downs, this Friday evening.

The Baptist social was held at the parsonage Tuesday evening. Rev. C. M. Stout and his estimable wife proved charming entertainers, and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

W. H. Beehler and Laura Clark attended the wedding of Mr. Eugene Mosher and Miss Jennie England, at St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, Thursday evening of last week.

Miss Jennie Beckwith, who is teaching in the Bradley district, on Wall street, was out of school last week, being ill, and Kittie VanTuyle filled her place very acceptably to all.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Embler, Wednesday evening, occurred the marriage of their daughter Nellie to Charles H. Fabrique. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell. It was a very pleasant occasion.

Frank Kirchgessner and Frank Schmitt, while returning from Fred Schill's Sunday, with old "Jerry," the cutter tipped over and they had the pleasure of walking in from George Walters', as "Jerry" ran into town and brought up at the barn without damage.

L. A. Sutfin, D. Haggert, Jr., Peter Alexander, Herman Halladay and John Alexander attended the republican county convention at Adrian, Saturday. David Haggert, Jr., was made secretary of the convention, and discharged his duties with credit to himself and satisfaction to the members of the convention.

Addie McDermott, Edith and Ella Cheetham, were driving to Tecumseh Sunday afternoon and after passing Jonas Waldron's, the cutter upset and they were thrown out. The horse was caught at Brownville by A. T. Gage, who drove back and found the girls, none the worse for the accident. Aside from slight damage to the cutter, no injury resulted.

The dancing party at the town hall Friday evening was very fine. There was a large attendance. Jackson's orchestra, of Adrian, discoursed fine music and the refreshments at the Palmer House were choice. All pronounce it an evening of enjoyment. Among those from out of town were: Will Brighton and Ed. Eagan, of Cambridge; Misses Adah Case, May Aylesworth and Blanche Stark, of Manchester; Cliff Millis, George Gilbert, Jim and John Riley and their sisters, of Tecumseh.

W. H. Spalding, of Tecumseh, is putting on the steel roof to the Clinton plow company's building. The brick masons are finishing the cupola building. When completed the company will have one of the finest foundrys in the country. It will be an ornament to Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer are now nicely settled in their old quarters back of the town hall, and seem to be glad to be at home once more. Many of the commercial men who stopped with them at the hotel Edrose, have followed them to their present quarters and no doubt many more will do so.

Wm. H. Beehler retired from his position as cloth inspector at the Woolen Mill, Saturday, having given them proper notice. A Mr. Judge, of Grayville, was secured for the position and began his labors Monday morning. Mr. Beehler will not leave Clinton for some weeks, but expects to go to Chicago in May.

One of Wm. C. Roger's sons, who lives east of town, met with a painful accident Saturday, while felling trees in the woods of Chas. Wilson, west of town. The limb of a falling tree some 3 or 4 feet long and 5 inches in diameter struck him a glancing blow which came near scalping him. He was brought to town and taken to Dr. White's office, who by taking numerous stitches and using adhesive straps, fixed him up in good shape. It was a close call. Had it struck him square he would not have realized what hit him. He may congratulate himself that it was not more serious.

The adjourned suit between Ansel Witherell and his son, Ed., for rent, was called before Justice Smith, Monday morning at 9 o'clock, and adjourned until 1 p. m. Court convened at that hour at the town hall, with Mr. Waters attorney for Mr. Witherell and Mr. Freeman for Ed. It proved to be a closely contested and long drawn case, each lawyer doing his best for his client. It was a case before a jury, and a fine one was empaneled, consisting of S. W. Demuth, John Hause, F. D. Lancaster, Wm. Dewey, Benj. Woodward and A. G. Burton. The case was given to them at 11:30 and they retired. At 3 a. m. Tuesday they returned and rendered their verdict in favor of the son, Ed. The case excited much interest and drew a large crowd.

At the pretty home of Mrs. A. Platt, on Jackson street, Wednesday evening, there was congregated a large company of relatives and friends, who witnessed one of the prettiest of home weddings. The house was brilliantly illuminated and artistically decorated for the occasion. The young couple, Mr. Ed. Breese and Louise Platt, as they stood before Rev. D. H. Ramsdell to take upon themselves the marriage vows, radiant in their youth and beauty, presented a picture that will ever remain bright to those who were present. The ceremony was performed promptly at 7 o'clock, after which came congratulations and the banquet. Ed. and Louise are among our most popular young people, and the presents were exceptionally numerous and fine. The young people start out with bright prospects before them.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

The little son of Chas. Baker is very sick with fever.

Hon. T. M. Camburn is home from Lansing on sick leave.

Mrs. Edwin Cook is very low, and her recovery is doubtful.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Risbridger and daughter, of Norville, visited at J. S. Pentecost's last week.

Mrs. Monk and daughter, of Cone, Monroe Co., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John E. Monk at their home here.

The Dramatic Club were greeted with a full house at Springville Saturday night, and scored another success.

Mrs. E. Buck is selling boots, shoes and men's ready-made clothing at cost, to close out the stock of her late husband.

Now look for the man who comes in your office and solemnly declares his belief that "the backbone of the winter is broken."

Robert Carr was loading logs alone in the woods, last Saturday, when a log rolled back and knocked him down, breaking his leg and dislocating his ankle.

Little Mable, youngest child of Sumner Raymond, of Adrian, but formerly of Pentecost, is laying very low with typhoid fever, with slight hopes of recovery.

The startling inteligence reached his friends here Saturday that Richard Jones was dangerously ill at the home of S. Hollenbeck. We sincerely hope he may be blessed with returning health ere long.

The remains of Mrs. Patty Miller Camburn were brought to Franklin for interment the first of this week. She was the widow of the Rev. Ira Camburn and died at the home of her brother in Albion.

Poultry keepers, if your fowls are dying off don't bother with the nostrums advertised, or soak your hen house with kerosene oil. Just keep the house clean and dust air-slacked lime freely on the perches, walls, nest boxes, etc., and give a warm feed mornings of milk, table scraps, and wheat bran, cooked together until thick, and corn, oats and wheat mixed, the rest of the day, with plenty of pure water to drink. Put a table spoonful of salt to about two gallons of warm food in the morning every day, and feed also chopped onions, cabbage, etc., two or three times a week; give them plenty of sand and wood ashes under a shed or some place where they can scratch and wallow and you will have no trouble with cholera, and will get plenty of eggs even in cold weather.

Mothers.

"One good mother is worth a hundred schoolmasters," said George Herbert. Men are what their mothers make them: But if the mothers are peevish and irritable, through irregularities, "female weakness," and the kindred aliments, they find no pleasure, no beauty in the care of their babes. All effort is torture. Let all such, who feel weighted to the earth with "weaknesses," peculiar to their sex, try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. They will find the little one a delight instead of a torment.

To those about to become mothers it is a priceless boon. It lessens the pains and perils of childbirth, shortens labor and promotes the secretion of an abundance of nourishment for the child.

Mr. Abraham Hunt is reported better.

Miss Irene Allen is decidedly better.

Mrs. Wm. Dunn is on the sick list.

Remember the Lyceum at Wm. Witherell's Saturday night.

Word came last week that Mrs. G. W. Allen was threatened with an attack of grippe.

S. N. Wisner drove to Ypsilanti Saturday, returning with Mrs. E. J. Whelan Sunday.

G. W. Allen and Mrs. A. B. Wisner drove to Ypsilanti last week Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph Spaulding received a telegram from Dakota, announcing the death of his son Francis, of pneumonia.

G. W. Allen and Mrs. Wm. Fisher drove to Ypsilanti Monday. Mrs. Fisher goes to assist in the care of Mrs. G. W. and Miss Irene Allen.

Miss Irene Allen's many friends will rejoice to learn that she is expected home on Saturday. Mrs. G. W. Allen is better and will accompany her.

Mr. Crane and Wm. Roebs were in this vicinity with a view to erecting a cheese factory at Tipton; a meeting was called at Hampton Hall but we hear that the scheme fell through.

Miss Kittie Van Tuyle occupied the chair of State in the Bradley school house last week; this week the pupils have another vacation, Miss Beckwith the teacher, being too ill to return to her duties there.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

C. H. Dowey went to Adrian last Monday. He found the roads drifted badly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dewey and son went to Tecumseh on Sunday, returning Monday. Miss Emma Dewey returned with them for a visit of a few days.

Wanted—To know where I can find thoroughbred Langshan or Leghorn chickens, former preferred. Any one having either kind please let me know. Address, Ida M. Dewey, Cambridge.

Cambridge has been frosen up for some time, owing to the blizzards, but is thawing out now. The skies are beginning to look quite Spring-like, and one begins to feel as if they could live again.

Lee Billmyer gave a coon party, St. Valentine's night for the young people. They blacked up and dressed in costumes like darkies, and had a program and refreshments. All seemed to have had a gay time.

ROME RAVELINGS.

May Luce has just returned from a visit among Toledo friends.

Alfred Billings is attending Brown's Business University this winter.

"Among the Breakers" will be played at Wolf Creek next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Charles Selleck has been called to Chicago to attend her daughter, who is very ill.

A series of club dances has been the rage at John Ryan's this winter with good attendance.

The ladies' library social was held at the residence of Mrs. Eugene Sayers on St. Valentine's day.

The "Old Deestric Skule" held at West Rome church last Wednesday night was a grand success.

Little Fay, son of Charles Baker, is very sick with the grip, and at present writing is not much, if any, better.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Vern Smith is on the sick list this week.

James Haight was in Dundee Wednesday.

George Smith was in Toledo the last of the week.

Mrs. Will Clark is improving, but it is very slow.

Mr. Thos. Lee is having a seige with la grippe.

Mrs. George Oliver still remains in a very critical condition.

The dance went off in fine style and all had a pleasant time.

Andrew Wood entertained a brother from Sand Creek over Sunday.

The odor of orange blossoms is very perceptible in the atmosphere.

John Orr, the hustling druggist of Tecumseh, was in town Wednesday.

Andrew Wood, the Wabash section foreman, was out of whack a few days.

Why is it that Earl Lenardson laughs at Art Hughes? We would like to know.

Francis Yates left Wednesday for a week's visit with friends at Imlay City.

Earl Lenardson feels satisfied that his lungs are all o. k. since he tested them.

Prof. Edmonston returned to Detroit Friday, having fitted many eyes to glasses.

Dr. P. B. Hardy we understand will change his office to rooms over the White Pharmacy.

Mrs. F. Allen and son Harry, of Toledo, visited W. E. Allen and family a part of last week.

Darwin Osgood and wife, of Morenci, visited his brother, William, and family the first of the week.

Charles Sutton, according to latest advices, is still trying to collect the dollar from Charles Smith.

M. B. Mills, of Macon, was in town Wednesday. He was on his way to Detroit to attend the state convention.

The Britton Dramatic Society expect soon to present a fine play for the edification of the public. Bear it in mind.

M. L. Gillen expects to move his family to Tecumseh this week. We are sorry to lose them from our midst.

The Lee Bros. having resigned the agency of the Pacific Express, it has been transferred to Will Clark at the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sink had as guests the last of the week a brother of Mr. S. and wife, of Port Huron, and a sister and husband, of Detroit.

You ought to see Duffy's elegant patent leather shine. He puts it on all his work. If you have any repairing take it there and get a shine.

The reformed church society have secured a site for their new church building of John Britton, just west of Mont Hogan's. It is a very desirable location.

James Haight has secured a tinner in the person of L. H. Ward of Milan, and feels confident he is fully prepared to meet the wants of his customers in every department.

All taxes in Ridgeway township must be paid on or before Monday, Feb. 25th, as the treasurer makes his returns on Thursday. All taxes unpaid Monday will be levied for or returned.

Art Hughes declares he will not trade with Art Lee hereafter. What's the trouble Art? Do not bite off your own proboscis to spite your face. It will do no good and only mar your good looks.

Herbert Allen now occupies his new barber shop in the corner brick, having moved Monday. His shop is very tasty and is elegantly lighted. You can find no pleasanter shop in any town.

Herbert Allen has had his old shop removed to his residence, to be used as a woodshed and storeroom. Jas. Underwood had the matter in charge and it was expeditiously done. Jim is an expert at moving buildings.

The ladies of the Maccabees of Britton will give a Public Masquerade Box Social in Exelby Hall, Feb. 27th, 1895. Ladies not providing boxes are requested to pay ten cents to lady housekeeper. All are cordially invited to attend.

Ed. Bachman with a corps of workmen is transforming the rooms over Lee Bros. store into a modern Art gallery which will be occupied when completed by Harvey Wolling of Tecumseh who is a fine Photographer and will be able to furnish you beautiful pictures no matter what the subjects may be.

Mrs. Vern Osterhout experienced an excitement out of the usual order of things Saturday. She was driving home from Ridgeway when the team, which is a spirited one, concluded to have a little sport on their own hook and so ran away. In crossing the railroad track the cutter upset and Mrs. Osterhout was thrown out, but not seriously injured. The cutter was quite badly broken but the horses were none the worse for their race.

A. P. A. SOCIETY.

Was Hit On the Head With a Golden Axe.

The A.P.A. Society, like many others bearing the same initials, are having a rough and rugged path to tread. Just now a pall, black as midnight, is hanging over them, wholly excluding the light, and the members are endeavoring to cheer each other up, hoping to see a way out of their dilemma. The boys just at present are posing as martyrs, and feel the force of the old saying, "When a woman wills, she will, and when she won't she won't, and that's the end on it." Monday evening, not far from 8 o'clock, when the boys were in their mirth and revelry, with outer door safely guarded by one of the faithful who had gone broke, not dreaming of danger; suddenly steps were heard stealthily approaching the citadel. Soon after there came an alarm and a voice demanding admittance. Not having the proper pass word the request was denied. Again came the demand, more determined tone, which caused a pale face of the sentinel and others to blanche as they realized the intruders were women. The sentinel stood bravely to his post for some time, in fact until blows from without, when he made a flying leap, scaling stove, barrels, etc., and hid under a bench. About this time the door came open and in walked the mother and wives of two of the members, armed with an axe, who first turned their attention to the stove. The boys uttered a feeble remonstrance saying it did not belong to them, but the reply came, "we do not care, we have permission to do what we will," and the worthy matron proceeded to wield the axe in a manner that would have filled the heart of the most skillful woodsman with envy. The boys, all but the one under the bench, concluded to retire, which they did in a graceful manner. The worthy matron soon demolished the stove, as well as other articles of furniture, and before retiring thought to give the stove, or what was left of it, a parting blow. Her aim was faulty and instead of the stove she hit the bench, which giving way, Art received the greater force of the blow on his back. He thinking matters were becoming exceedingly torrid made a break for outside, mentally praying "give me liberty or give me death." He gave an exhibition of sprinting seldom equalled if ever excelled.

The victors, seeing their work completed, retired with the proud consciousness of having done their work well. The boys, who had secreted themselves not far away, fearing a conflagration, returned and extinguished the flames. The Osterhout boys say the work of devastation was complete. With sad hearts they bade farewell to the scene and retired, trusting in their experience it might prove to be the darkest hour preceeding a glorious day.

When the foregoing had been given us from an eye witness, our hopes of ever becoming a member fell to zero; but when informed by the member that the A. P. A. would, Phœnix like, rise from the ashes of its dead hopes and shine with undiminished lustre, we bade our hopes revive, and feel confident that soon our name may be enrolled among the faithful.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mr. L. C. Winship visited the county seat Wednesday.

Mrs. Bimis is visiting her daughter, Ester for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Swick visited Ed Allen and family Sunday.

Miss Eva Doty is nursing a sore arm, caused from vaccination.

Aggie Still came down from Adrian to spend Sunday at home.

Miss Minnie Kerr visited Adrian a few days, the fore part of the week.

Ed Danson, our stirring young business man, is buying wheat at Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie, of Tecumseh, visited A. D. Macham and wife Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Clark attended the funeral of J. W. Bowen at Adrian Sunday.

The church organ is undergoing repairs at Detroit. It needs fixing very badly.

Mrs. Bert Lewis is slowly convalescent and her many friends rejoice to hear such news.

Mr. F. G. Florence has purchased a young horse, and Floyd does not take any man's dust.

Hotel Hartman and wife drove over to Wauseon, Saturday, to spend a few days with friends.

The Lady Maccabees give a charade social at their hall, March 2d. Refreshments will be served. Admission, 10 cents.

The Eastern Stars from this place attended the reception given the Clinton and Manchester Stars at Tecumseh Thursday evening.

The social, at the home of Mrs. Ida Spencer, was largely attended and all enjoyed a splendid time, and they did ample justice to a bountiful dinner, which Mrs. Spencer knows so well how to serve.

MACON MUSIC.

At last report Milan Sage was improving.

Nelson Skinner is serving as juryman at Adrian.

The closing exercises at the Mill's school will be held two weeks from Tuesday evening.

The donation at Mr. Coller's, together with what has since been given, amounted to $41.50.

Hamilton Niblack and wife, of Clinton, and Mrs. Ames, of Ypsilanti, attended church in Macon Sunday afternoon.

Rumor says that Joe Dorrell, not satisfied with the decision in the Miller case, namely, no cause of action, has appealed the case.

The entertainments of the Tecumseh lecture course are drawing our young people toward that town quite often. This week it was the lecture by the Rev. Thos. Dixon.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of South Macon will give a Numerical Social at the Grange Hall, Wednesday evening, March 6th. Suitable refreshments and a fine programme will be the principal attractions. All are cordially invited to attend.

The present week may be called a week of socials. The first in order being the Match and Shingle social at Gamble Kuder's on Wednesday evening; the next, the temperance tea meeting at Mrs. Anna Hatch's; and third, a social at Wm. Morgan's on Friday evening, the proceeds to be used to buy a flag for the Merrit district.

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BROADWAY RAMBLES.

Dave Allison, of Milan, called on his brother Theodore, Tuesday.

A. J. Sutton and daughter Leila, visited friends at Res, Tuesday.

Estella Barnes visited friends in Dundee the fore part of the week.

Miss Edna Swick is on the sick list at the home of Mr. Daniel Linn.

G. C. and W. B. Arner and E. Lowe were Adrian visitors Friday.

Miss Lillie Dersham spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents near Palmyra.

E. M. Coller, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday, tuning Emma Miller's piano.

Peter Swick and daughter Lena, of Milan, called on friends in the village Wednesday.

Mintie Jackson, of Macon village, visited relatives of the village Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Andrews has a house and lot on North street, known as the George Boss property, which she desires to rent.

Miss Phoeba Osgood, of St. Johns, was called here the first of the week by the severe sickness of her mother, Mrs. George Osgood.

Remember the quarterly meeting services to be held Sunday morning. Also, the quarterly conference to be held Monday evening.

Those old time willows on the Ave., are being cut down and converted into wood, and so it is, one by one the old land-marks disappear.

C. O. Hiscock taught Prof. Waldo's English History class Thursday during the latter's absence at the County Convention.—Albion College Pleiad.

Upwards of fifteen of the young people from Tecumseh spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Miss Leo F. Sutton, Friday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown, Miss Eliza Jay and Frank Hill, of North Adrian, and Mrs. Arthur Gove of Tecumseh, visited at the home of C. M. Gove and family, Thursday.

Guy Pocklington had a narrow escape from being seriously hurt one day last week, by a kick from a horse with sharp shoes. A gash in his face bears evidence of close connections.

C. O. Hiscock was elected salutatorian by the Senior class, Saturday, and by virtue of this position will deliver the presentation address for the Senior memento at commencement.—Albion College Pleiad.

The time for the box social, to be held at the Library, has been fixed for next Wednesday evening. Each lady is requested to furnish a box of eatables for two. Miss Dora Grayson and brothers, of Tecumseh, will furnish some fine vocal selections for the occasion. A good attendance is desired and a pleasant time is expected.

J. B. Coller, of Macon, will give one of his graphophone concerts at the school house, Tuesday evening, Feb. 26th. Prof. Howell has secured this grand and pleasing entertainment for the purpose of raising means to help pay the expenses for the singing instruction in the school. As the school will receive 40 per cent of the proceeds, it is hoped there will be a good attendance. Admission to all, 10 cents.

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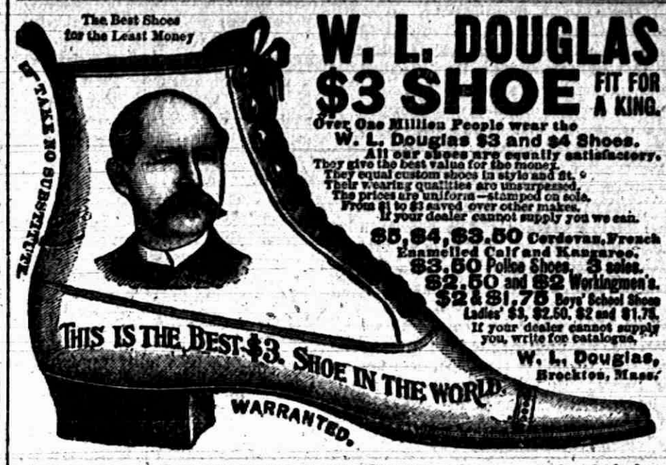

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Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather Wednesday evening, Sutton's opera house was filled to hear Rev. Thos. Dixon, jr.,—subject, "Backbone." They all felt amply repaid for braving the storm and the long wait in consequence of Mr. Dixon and wife, in driving from Adrian, being stuck in a snow drift, owing to an incompetent driver, and being obliged to walk about three miles through the driving storm. He, by this, demonstrating that he had backbone, and the audience felt that he would be able to handle the subject in a masterly manner, and they were not disappointed.

Mr. Dixon is a tall, spare man, dark complection, with small, keen black eyes, and hair of raven hue. He is a most forcible speaker and not only an orator, but a genius. His very manner commands attention, and being a fine dramatic scholar, his facial expressions and gestures gave additional force to his intonations, and the vast audience were held as if by magic from the very first. Mr. Dixon had no introduction. He started out by saying that a man could stand without arms, or even legs, but not without a backbone, and this he demonstrated in a very clear, logical and happy manner, and then went on to show that the backbone was flexible not stubborn, and pointed out the difference between backbone and mulishness. Showed the fallacy and impossibility of trying to please everybody, and demonstrated it by relating his experience while pastor of a church in Boston, when he was young and felt he must please each one, and by so doing the entire building, and even the lot, was demolished, metaphorically speaking, and yet they were not satisfied. He went on to show that a person with backbone might overcome every obstacle, even health itself, and succeed, and cited many instances, the career of Alexander H. Stevens being the most notable. His description of the railroad scene in the Alleghanies was most vivid.

It would be impossible to mention all the salient points in his lecture, but he convinced his hearers that backbone was necessary to success in any department of life. It was grand beyond description, and showed him to be among the foremost speakers of the day. We hope to hear him again some time in the future. He and his wife left on the morning train for Mansfield, Ohio, where he spoke last evening.

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TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

TRUTH—POWER.

Extract from Speech of Hon. John G. Woolley, Before the Anti-Saloon League of Ohio, Dec. 11, 1894.

In the name of God, in the name of suffering womanhood and debauched manhood and defiled childhood, what are we, Christian voters of Ohio? God help you to digest that to-night, for this is what is the matter with our fight—our testimony is not clear.

The church does hate the saloon! The church does love men! The church does love Jesus Christ! But the church cannot win this fight upon mere sentiment. She cannot win this fight upon church resolutions. She cannot win this fight by singing Gospel hymns to the saloon keeper. She cannot do this by the mushy palaver of temperance lecturers who stand for the license of the liquor traffic in the land. (Applause.) It cannot be done that way, I tell you.

Now, what is your testimony—what do you prove? You say, "I am a Christian man, by the grace of God." Yes, but don't you know that that is the mistiest word in politics? A Christian man! By a fair calculation of the chances, you are in favor of licensed saloons at some price, because ninety-eight per cent of the men who profess themselves Christians, at the general election vote silence upon the question of the liquor traffic and the saloon. Silence! License! They are Siamese Twins. They are the same letters, very similarly arranged. Silence is but another way of spelling license in this Christian land.

Ninety-eight per cent of the Christian men of this country are teaching that it is not necessary to be "dead square" with Jesus Christ on election day. God help you to see that, and keep it in your minds until you see what is your duty about it.

It is not true because I say it. Look it over yourself; find out whether or not it is right, and then stand for it, though it wreck your party—though it wreck your church; stand for the truth, and for God, and for the home, and for the country, by the light that is shed into your intellect by the spirit of God, and refuse to be guided against your duty by any set of men. (Prolonged applause).

What do you prove? You say you abhor the saloon? Yes, but the saloon has been living these many years on unexpressed abhorence.

What do you prove? You say that you feel! That doesn't make any difference. Who ever heard a lawyer ask a witness what he felt about law? The church is fairly giddy with "feelers."

What do you prove? You say, "I hope." That is a good thing, my friends. Hold on to your hope. But one fact in this business would be worth a whole rainbow of hopes.

What do you prove? You say that you sympathize! That makes no difference. How we learned to hate that word during the war. One soldier, with a gun, who would shoot, was worth a dozen "sympathizers" in those awful days of '61.

What do you prove? You say you are as good a prohibitionist as there is in the land. That is right. Do you vote for it? "No!" Why? "Because I am afraid I will help the prohibition party, and that is so small a thing that it is equivalent in these times to throwing my vote away: and I am not willing to throw my vote away. And so it seems to me best to choose the best one of the parties that at present are for license, and stand in the main with them."

Don't be afraid that I am going to discuss party politics. Not at all. I don't care a fig about it.

It is election day. The saloon is in power and in favor in this Christian land, and by the terms its tenure of office holds over until its successor is elected and qualified. Naturally enough it does not put its name on any ballot. Naturally enough it does not ask for any express nomination. The curse of God upon its father, the first tempter still abides! "Because thou hast done this, upon thy belly shalt thou crawl, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life!"

But the saloon upon its belly has wriggled to the top of the peoples' throne in this country and dares tonight to erect its slimy head and give its orders to you, and you, and you, and you.

In the name of God, put a stop to that and refuse to take a word of that kind of politics, from this on, in Ohio or elsewhere. (Applause).

Who will contest the place of the saloon in American politics? Jesus Christ is in the field. Not the republican party; not the prohibition party; not the democratic party; not the people's party; not the W. C. T. U. This is the cause of Jesus Christ. It will never be won by bad men; never won by scheming politicians; never won at all until we educate the world to respect the church of Jesus Christ and make them believe that we believe in Him ourselves.

Laban Pennock was called here from Adrian by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Mary Pennock, who resides in Brownville. She is very ill and fears are entertained for her recovery.

OVER THE RIVER.

Polly Eddy was born on the old farm at Newburg, August 24, 1849, where she passed the earlier years of her life. When about ten years old her parents moved to this village and she resided here until her marriage. On March 18, 1871, she gave her heart and hand in wedlock to Wm. A. Wood, and they continued to live here for a few months thereafter. The family then moved to Cleveland and after four years' residence there returned to Tecumseh and made this village their home for about six years. Since then they have lived at Lorain and Ubrichville, Ohio. In January last Mrs. Wood was taken violently ill at her home in Ubrichville, and on the 12th inst. the death angel summoned her to her final reward. The funeral obsequies were conducted at the residence of Mrs. C. A. Stacy, an aunt of the deceased, on the 14th, and the remains were placed in the Tecumseh cemetery vault to await future burial.

This brief recital tells the simple story of her life. But who can tell the sorrow of friends or the anguish of a loving husband caused by her death? Measured by years alone her earthly journey was uneventful; measured by good deeds, kind words and cheerful smiles, how many, many blessings she scattered along its pathway! Left an orphan by the death of her father in the war, her whole life thereafter was devoted to her widowed mother and to her husband. Never blessed with children, her undivided affection and toil were bestowed upon them. To do the daily duty at hand was her highest ambition, and she filled the place of wife and daughter as few women in this vain world can do. Faithful to every duty here below, when the summons came she was prepared to go. Father, mother and sisters all preceded her to the better land and Polly has now joined the dear ones who have gone before.

"I hear a voice you cannot hear,
Which says I must not stay;
I see a hand you cannot see,
Which beckons me away."

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

There is no school to-day as it is a legal holiday.

David Zoluff, wife and daughter are on the sick list.

Joe Russell shipped two car loads of stock to Buffalo last Friday.

Mesdames Neil Exelby and Will Babcock, of Britton, were in town yesterday.

Bert Day attended the Prohibition state convention held at Lansing yesterday.

W. F. Stimpson has been in Milan the greater part of this week. He expects to return Monday.

There is some talk of a new industry being established here—a bicycle factory. We sincerely hope it may prove a fact.

The "old folks social" at the home of J. L. Richard's in Raisin, on Tuesday evening, was largely attended and a grand success.

The ladies social of the Universalist church will be held Thursday next, Feb. 28. Supper as usual at 5 p. m. All are invited.

John R. Clark has filled ten engagements thus far in Michigan this winter and is booked for eight more. He goes next week to New York and Pennsylvania.

Mrs. George Osgood, who has been so ill of pneumonia for some time, passed away at her home in Ridgeway, Wednesday at nightfall. The funeral was held this afternoon.

John Heaney, Jr., of Columbus, Ohio, arrived Friday for a visit with his people in Raisin. John attended school here and takes the HERALD that he may know about his old class mates. He is now connected with a wholesale coal company there and likes his position. He will remain until the last of next week.

THE ORDER EASTERN STAR.

Their Reception to Visiting Chapters at the Temple Last Evening.

Masonic Temple presented a scene last evening that will be long remembered by those who were permitted to be present. Tecumseh Chapter order of the Eastern Star had invited the Officers of the adjoining Chapters to be present at this special meeting and they responded grandly. 30 from Manchester and 25 from Clinton came down on the afternoon train, and were met by committees at Chicago street, and conducted to the rooms, where they were entertained socially until the hour for convening the chapter. Supper was served from 5:30 till 8 o'clock, and over 200 were partakers of the feast, and it was a feast such as the Tecumseh ladies are noted for providing. The Chapter was opened by the officers of Tecumseh Chapter, after which the chairs were vacated, and the officers of Manchester Chapter took them and proceeded to exemplify the beautiful ritual of the Order in a manner which delighted the vast assembly. Certainly it was almost faultlessly rendered, and the candidates, of which there were four, must have been impressed with the excellence of the work done. Everyone seemed to catch the inspiration of the occasion, and both entertainers and visitors were drawn together by an indissoluble bond, that we trust may continue. We will now endeavor to give a list of those present from other Chapters, and if perchance we may omit any it will not be intentional. Manchester Chapter was represented by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spafford, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ottenberger. Mesdames Freeman, Iddings, Lapham, Root, Robinson, Amsden, Bailey, Farrel, Blosser, Eva Spafford, Kotts, Aylesworth, Essery, Goodell, Jaynes, Millen, Chan Millen, Corey, McCord, Bregel, Short, and the Misses Lovejoy, Aylesworth, Gordonier, Blosser and Osborne. Clinton Chapter, by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Kies, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack, Mesdames Kishpaugh, Rogers, VanDeMark, E. R. Smith, Nase, Grace Smith, Hard, White, Harry Davis, Kos Davis, Johnston; the Misses Christine, Anna, Mary and Louise Martiny, Louise VanDeMark, Nellie Kishpaugh, and Fred C. Martiny.

There were four from Onsted, whose names we have not been able to get, and Mrs. Stewart and one more from Dundee; Wm. Wiggins and wife from Adrian; and from abroad we saw Wm. R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., and C. E. Johnson, of Logansport, Ind. After the Chapter closed the time was passed in social converse until train time, when the farewells were spoken and all returned to their respective homes, feeling they had passed a delightful evening and hoping that it might be their privilege to enjoy many more such gatherings.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

J. E. Beal spent Sunday at home.

Rev. Mott is moving to the Bailey property this week.

Mr. Buford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Comfort.

Miss Edwards spent Sunday with May Taylor at Tecumseh.

Miss Olive Mead, '94, gave her Seminary friends a visit Friday.

The class in plane geometry and chemistry took examinations Tuesday.

Some of the Sem. students gave Miss Lillian Miller a surprise Tuesday evening.

W. F. Hill has been absent from school the past week on account of sickness.

F. S. Hartman, one of our last year's scholars, visited friends at the Sem. Friday and Saturday.

The egotistic look which our Principal gave us Friday morning in collection was accounted for by the announcement of a Valentine. It is a boy.

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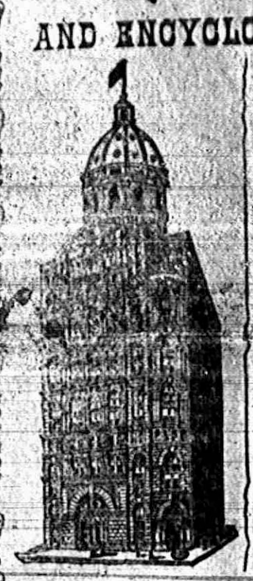

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CORPORATION CAUCUS—The annual caucus for placing in nomination candidates to be supported at the annual corporation election of the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, will be held at the council building on Monday, Feb. 25, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.—To the electors of the village of Tecumseh: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village of Tecumseh will be held at the council building in said village on the 1st day of March, 1895, from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. of said day, for the purpose of registering the names of such persons as desire to become electors of said village.
Dated this 18th day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

ANNUAL CORPORATION ELECTION. Notice is hereby given to the electors of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, that the annual corporation election is to be held upon the first Monday of March, it being the 4th day of March, A. D. 1895, at the council building in said village, at which election the following officers are to be elected, to wit: President, recorder, three Trustees and one Assessor. The polls of said election will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be, and continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated this 21st day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

WANTED—A good reliable man, a German preferred, to work farm. Very liberal terms to right party. For particulars, address, MRS. L. K. SANFORD, 128 Cedar St., South, Lansing, Mich.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY—The old Perry Ellis Farm, just south of Tecumseh Village will be rented to the right man, and the stock on the place is for sale. For full particulars inquire of C. C. TEFFT.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 22, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

"Charley's Aunt."

Dr. L. Barnes is seriously ill.

D. C. Larned is on the sick list.

Charles Heck was in Detroit Monday.

Percy Fitzsimmons made a trip to Detroit Tuesday.

Edward Keeler, of Morenci, received the republican nomination for county commissioner of schools.

The graphophone concert at the M. E. church Monday evening is under the auspices of the Epworth League.

There will be a special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge at the Temple Saturday evening. Work in the 3d degree.

Don't forget the graphophone concert by J. B. Coller at the M. E. church Monday evening at 7:30. Admission, 10 cents.

We are pleased to announce that Mont Rowland has had his hair cut, and feel well repaid for the part we took in bringing it about. We trust others will go and do likewise.

There will be a meeting of Acme Council, No. 101, Independent Order of Orients, at Odd Fellows' hall next Thursday evening. It is expected this will be an unusually pleasant session.

Owing to the critical illness of John Stella the children were summoned home, Will and Stella from Morenci and Raynor from Ypsilanti. Although he still lives, there is very little hopes of his recovery.

The prohibition county convention, held at Adrian last Monday, treated Tecumseh people very liberally. Wm. Smith and Bert Day were chosen delegates, and Rev. J. P. Varner, J. H. Osborn, and Mrs. N. M. Sutton, alternates.

Barkwell & Stickle, successors to C. H. Rude, come well recommended and we feel safe in saying to our citizens that their laundry will be nicely done by them, as it has been by Charlie in the past. We bespeak for them your patronage.

The glove contest at the Armory Saturday night between Jack Moore, of Jackson, and Jimmie Cook, of this place, proved to be a very tame affair. The exhibition which followed, between Moore and his backer, Jake Snyder, was more spirited. At the last minute the admission was placed at 25 cents. Had they so announced earlier there would have been no doubt a large attendance, but the town is not large enough to charge 50 cents for sport of this kind.

Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock the dry goods firm of Anderson & Co. gave their annual supper to their employees and wives at their store, and, if possible, this exceeded all former ones. The tables were arranged in the east store and were under the supervision of Mrs. S. W. Anderson. The tables fairly groaned under their weight of both substantials and delicacies, and it is seldom that a more happy company gather around the board. The only outsiders present were Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown and Mr. Web Anderson. Twenty-two were at the tables.

We are pained to announce the serious accident which befell Dick VanDuser, the 12-year-old son of Mrs. Richard VanDuser, of East Chicago street. Last Saturday afternoon he, with many others, were coasting down the Brownville hill, and one of the boys, thoughtlessly but not maliciously, put a rail across the track at the foot of the hill, which was not noticed by Dick in time to avoid it, and he was thrown into the air, and before he could gather himself together was struck in the side by another sled and hurt internally. He was taken to a house near by and Dr. Woodward summoned. He bled profusely internally. He was taken to his home Monday and still lies in a critical condition. It is a sad blow to Mrs. VanDuser, who lost her husband two years ago and a son, nearly to manhood grown, about one year ago.

"Charley's Aunt."

A. M. Keeney, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Go and see "Charley's Aunt" tonight at the opera house.

There was a goodly number down from Clinton Saturday.

Albert S. Hayden, of Milan, is assisting in caring for his sister Clara.

Roy Burlingame severed his connection with Kennedy and Rogers, Saturday.

Clarence Conklin returned to Napoleon, O., Monday, a full-fledged Master Mason.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keyser is the guest of Horatio Keyser and family of west Chicago street.

One hundred and twenty-five persons took supper at the M. E. church last Wednesday evening.

The Wit and Wisdom Club met with Mrs. C. A. Slayton on Pottawatamie street, Monday evening.

We hear with regret that E. J. Hollister and family expect to leave us in the spring for Norwalk, Ohio.

Mrs. E. R. Crossman has returned to us from Detroit and now occupies the Slayton house on Pearl street.

Abel Whitney, who is still a resident of Adrian, opened his first drug store in that city just sixty years ago.

Company C will serve supper at the Armory next week Thursday evening, for 10 cents. Everybody come.

John Hause and C. C. Rowland, of Clinton, and C. D. Avery of Jackson, attended Masonic Lodge Saturday eve.

Mrs. T. S. Applegate is attending the Press Association meeting at Detroit this week. She is down on the program for a paper.

Newberry Satterthwaite says the way he came to be in Clinton a week ago Sunday was, he drove Bert Garlinghouse over.

William Smith left home Wednesday night for Lansing to attend the Prohibition state convention, which was held in that city yesterday.

Rev. A. F. Bruske, D. D. of Alma, will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit next Sunday, in place of the pastor, who is attending the conference of the Y. M. C. A. at Northville.

Next Tuesday evening Rev. C. M. Brown will give his illustrated lecture on Japan at Springville, and on Thursday evening the same lecture at his church in Tecumseh.

C. D. Avery and wife, of Jackson, were the guests of John J. Orr and wife over Sunday. Charlie left Monday morning for a trip, but Mrs. Avery remained until yesterday.

Sam McClure has sold his interest to Henry and goes to Adrian, he having purchased an interest in the jobbing house of Clark, Mason & Co. He will take the road for them.

Alva Spayde's shoe business is increasing so rapidly that he is obliged to have more shelf room. He will raise the shelving up to the ceiling and put in a sliding step ladder.

Mrs. Dr. J. B. Haines, Mrs. H. A. Stewart and Miss Gertrude Haines, of Dundee, visited Mrs. Wm. Ide, and attended the Eastern Star last evening. They returned home today.

John Orr recently received some perfume that bids fair to eclipse all the popular perfumes of the day. It is quite expensive, but very pungent and lasting. A little of it will go a great ways.

Wm. Pilbeam lost a fine cow Sunday evening, she caught her horn in a hay chute, and in trying to extricate herself, slipped in such a way as to bring her neck over the manger, and before help arrived she had choked to death.

The fifth lecture in the series entitled the "Wonderful Nazarene" was given last Sabbath evening by Rev. C. M. Brown. It embraced the first part of his second years' ministry. About forty views were shown. It was the best lecture of the series thus far given.

Addie McDermott and two young lady friends from Clinton were driving down here Sunday afternoon. After passing Jonas Waldron's the cutter upset and they were spilled out. The horse was caught by A. T. Gage in Brownville, who fixed the cutter so it would hold, and drove back for the ladies and they were able to complete their trip. This was another upset without any serious results.

Sunday afternoon Will Mobbs and Wade Waring started for Clinton with a cutter; before reaching Jonas Waldron's they upset and the horse wheeled, started back to town, and brought up in Captain Chilson's yard. The boys fortunately were not seriously injured, and had the pleasure of walking back to town; not to be bluffed off in this way, they took a carriage and drove to Clinton and thus were enabled to keep their engagements.

Chas. H. Rude has sold the steam laundry to Barkwell & Stickle, of Mt. Pleasant, and gave possession Wednesday. The new firm are young men and we extend to them a hearty welcome. Although Mr. Rude has not been here many years, he and his estimable wife have become well acquainted and made many friends who will regret to have them move away. While in the laundry they, by the excellence of the work done, built up an enviable business, and, we trust, a profitable one. We hope they may decide to remain citizens here and embark in some branch of trade that will be for their advantage.

"Charley's Aunt."

The board of registration will meet next week, Saturday, March 2d.

The village election will come one week from next Monday, March 4th.

Read what our Pentecost correspondent says on the winter care of poultry.

Many farmers are complaining of dry cisterns, and dry wells too for that matter.

Miss May Hall is the guest of the family of Wm. H. Wiggins at Adrian this week.

Mrs. Ed DePuy, of Saline, was the guest of Jehiel Davidson's family last Saturday.

"Charley's Aunt" will doubtless draw a crowded house tonight. It is said to be a superior play.

Turn out and give the Epworth League a fine benefit Monday evening. The entertainment will please you.

Rev. C. M. Brown is a delegate to the Y. M. C. A. district convention, which meets at Northville, Feb. 22, 23 and 24. He is down on the program.

Miss Monaghan and her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Irv. Finch, of Adrian. They are visiting Tecumseh friends this week before returning to Marshall.

Alva Spayde's removal last fall proved to be a good business move. His trade from Oct. 1st to Jan. 1st last was the largest of any three months since he began business in Tecumseh.

At the Republican county convention held at Adrian last Saturday, H. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, was chosen one of the delegates to the state convention. He went to Detroit yesterday for that purpose.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet in the M. E. church parlor on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 3 p. m. After the business meeting a short program will be rendered. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The dates for the coming state convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor Union, at Bay City, have been fixed as March 26, 27 and 28. It is expected it will be the largest gathering of the kind ever held in Michigan.

Dan Hubbard was called to Hartford, Van Buren county, last week by the illness of his little daughter, Goldie. She was stricken with scarlet fever. Dan writes she is some better, but cannot say when he will be able to return.

Dr. Parkhurst's first article to women in The Ladies' Home Journal has proved so popular that the entire huge edition of the Febuary issue of the magazine was exhausted within ten days, and a second edition of 45,000 copies has been printed.

Kennedy & Rogers have an announcement this week, in which all householders will be interested. An expert coffee maker will be with them on March 1st, who will serve free coffee and blanc mange pudding to all callers. Remember the day, ladies.

The Michigan Press Association held their mid-winter meeting at Detroit, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. It was a business session wholly, and many interesting papers were read, followed by instructive discussions. We regret our inability to attend.

Henry H. Keyser received yesterday morning from Will P. Gate, of Thornton, Washington, six bushels of seed oats of a new variety called the Pride of the Valley. They are called the white milling oat, are large, heavy oat, fine for making oat meal and were raised in the famous Palouse Valley.

The meeting of the Raisin Teachers' Association advertised for Feb. 9, and postponed on account of the storm, will be held on Saturday, March 2, '95, in Dist. No. 5, two miles south of Tecumseh, beginning at 10 o'clock. Papers will be presented by Mr. Collins, Misses Millspaugh and Ostrander and Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, will give an address. All teachers, patrons and others interested in education are cordially invited. Entertainment will be furnished.

The charter of the First National Bank having expired, it will hereafter be a private bank, known as Peter De Puy's Banking House. Mr. DePuy has been connected with the First National Bank eighteen years, and owned $46,000 worth of stock, out of $50,000. Mr. DePuy started in the grocery business here some forty or fifty years ago without any capital, and by close economy is now able to draw his check for $100,000. The bank will remain in the same location, and Mr. C. D. Whitenack, the former clerk and book-keeper, will be retained as cashier.—The Nunda News, Nunda, N. Y. Mr. DePuy is a nephew of P. S. DePuy of this place.

We clip the following from the Evening Telegram of last Friday. The deceased had many acquaintances here in Tecumseh who will learn of his death with sincere regret. John W. Bowen died this morning at his residence, corner of Locust and Butler streets, from consumption, aged 69 years. The deceased moved here from Lenawee Junction some two years ago, having lived there many years. He leaves a wife, three sons and a daughter to mourn his loss. M. H. lives at home with his parents in this city, John W. occupies the old home farm in Palmyra, William resides in Wisconsin, and the daughter, Mrs. Pope, lives near Wellsville. The deceased was an uncle of Henry Bowen, jr., and Williard Stearns. The funeral will be held at the residence Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and Rev. Geo. Humphrey, of Palmyra, will officiate.

Mrs. W. W. Marsh is very low.

Sheriff Ed Wilson, of Adrian, was in town yesterday.

Frank Pilbeam, of Big Rapids, is visiting his father who is sick.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton is visiting her daughters in Detroit this week.

Frank L. Temple visited the west branch school yesterday afternoon.

Lena Arnold, in honor of her birthday, entertained a company, numbering twenty-four of her young friends, last evening.

Wm. R. Brosie, of Decatur, Ill., and Chas. E. Johnson, of Logansport, Ind., came to attend the Star meeting last evening.

Hudson Davenport and Miss Lee Snow attended the wedding of Fred Clarke and Jennie Snow at Clinton, Wednesday evening.

J. N. Simonds, of Raisin, after a long illness passed away Wednesday morning. The funeral was held at his late residence this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

John R. Clark was in town yesterday on his way to Britton, where he lectured last evening. He made the HERALD office a pleasant call. He dined with N. M. Sutton.

Little Rob Rogers was the victim of a surprise Monday evening. About twenty of his young friends walked in on him, and for a time they made Rome howl; it was a very happy company of little folks.

Mrs. J. H. Mills, who is greatly enfeebled by paralysis, had a very serious choking spell yesterday morning, and it seemed for some moments that she would die. She rallied and is quite comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hoag celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary last evening at their residence in this village. About fifty guests were present, and a most delightful occasion it proved to be to all who participated.

Frank Davidson has favored us with a copy of the Christmas number of the Traverse City Herald. It is the finest souvenir edition of a Michigan newspaper that has yet come under our notice. It is issued in pamphlet form, with an edition of five thousand copies.

Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church Rev. J. P. Varner will begin a series of sermons on the following subjects: "Judas and his relation to Jesus; The Inspiration of the Bible; Infidelity; Whisperers." These sermons will be given on successive Sunday evenings.

The following received recently from a former Tecumsehite will be of interest to all our old settlers:

MT. MORRIS, N. Y., Feb. 9, '95.

EDITOR HERALD:—How time passes, as you will see by enclosed card of our 40th anniversary, Feb. 13th. During all that time I have never been without the HERALD, always a most welcome visitor. From week to months and years. I note the changes, in many ways; some are sad ones and some of gladness. Comparatively few remain that were there in their prime when I left the dear old home—now so vacant. Tecumseh has always been to me a cherished spot and its people dear to me. In all town improvements I have taken an interest, and always shall.

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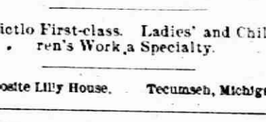

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STATE NEWS.

Many Localities Contribute Interesting Bits of Information.

James R. Robinson, a scaler, was caught under a rolling log at Florence and killed.

Cornelius Freeland, of Saginaw county, aged 72 years, took out a license to marry Miss Rhoda Graves, of Monitor township, Bay county, aged 70.

The Berrien County Teachers' Inspirational Institute held a meeting in St. Joseph. State Superintendent Pattingill addressed the meeting.

The bill before the legislature prohibiting fishing with nets on Saginaw river for a period of five years will be bitterly fought by the fishermen in Bay and Saginaw counties.

Near Coldwater Michael Kaufman, a pioneer of Wabash county, Indiana, who was spending a week with a friend, dropped dead with heart disease. Mr. Kaufman was 75 years of age.

Mrs. Carouthers, 88 years old, who lived alone on a small farm in the wilderness in Arenac county, was found frozen to death by her neighbors.

A late candidate for the supreme bench is Judge Herman W. Stevens, of Port Huron.

Judge J. B. Moore, of Oakland county, is the choice of the republicans in that county for supreme court justice.

Terry Parshall was found guilty at Harbor Springs of an outrageous assault upon his 18-year-old daughter. Parshall has served three years in prison for a similar offense.

Chief Battle, who has been in charge of the Detroit fire department for thirty-five years, has been retired on half pay of $1,500 a year.

The Seventh Day Adventists have a Sunday school at Battle Creek with a membership of 964. There are classes in English, Danish, German and Spanish.

The senate auditors have allowed Ingham county's claim of $1,591.37 for the trial of ex-Secretary of State Jochim and three-tenths of the expense of the grand jury investigation.

West Michigan Fruit Growers' society, Grand River Valley Horticultural society and Grand Rapids Fruit Growers' union will hold a joint convention at Grand Rapids February 26.

Fruit buds are said to be all right in western Michigan.

Nearly 300 conversions were made at the recent revival in Charlotte.

The democrat state convention will be held in Saginaw February 28.

Benton Harbor as a port of entry will be kept open the entire year hereafter instead of six months.

Horsemen are agitating a trotting circuit to include Hastings, Charlotte, Eaton Rapids or Mason and Springport.

PARDONED BY GOV. RICH.

Harold O. Henderson Given His Freedom After Serving Two Years.

LANSING, Feb. 20.—Gov. Rich, upon recommendation of the pardon board, has issued a pardon for Harold O. Henderson, convicted of burglary and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. Henderson is a civil engineer, a graduate of Yale and has wealthy parents in California, who have not heard of their son's disgrace. Henderson, while calling upon a married woman, was attacked by her husband, and in his eagerness to escape jumped through a window. He had in his possession the woman's watch, and the husband had him arrested for burglary. For fear of blasting the wife's reputation Henderson would not explain his presence in the house and was convicted. He has served two years of his term. Since his incarceration the woman and her husband have separated, her actions being such, it is said, as to have caused this result, and the husband has been one of the most earnest pleaders for Henderson's pardon.

SLAIN BY MEXICAN BANDITS.

G. R. Morrison, of Detroit, Murdered and Robbed Near Cordoba.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 20.—G. R. Morrison, an American, residing in Detroit, Mich., was killed by Mexican bandits about 50 miles south of Cordoba, two days ago. He was on his way to inspect coffee lands, with a view to investing in them, when the outlaws made the attack upon him. He was robbed of a considerable amount of money. Four of the bandits have been captured and will be shot.

Death of a Pioneer.

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., Feb. 20.—William Smythe Farmer, who died Tuesday morning at Benton Harbor, was 80 years old, and always an influential worker in church, municipal and political affairs. Through his efforts a mail route by carrier was established in the '30s from Niles to St. Joseph, via Eau Claire and Benton Harbor, then Brunson Corners. He came here in 1848. Through his efforts the Elkhart & Lake Michigan railway was incorporated, and later the Big Four branch to this point, via Elkhart, was established.

Dry Sunday in Detroit.

DETROIT, Feb. 19.—Sunday was the dryest Lord's day this city has ever known. A week ago Judge Chapin announced that hereafter he would send to jail, instead of fining, every man convicted of violation of the liquor law. A recent decision of the supreme court showed that any room connected with a saloon, even though distant three or four doors, must be closed under the reading of the law. Also that any hotelkeeper who sent a man into the bar to get liquor for his guests was guilty of a violation of the law.

C. H. Hackley for University Regent.

MUSKEGON, Feb. 19.—The republican county convention Monday selected a delegation to the state convention at Detroit pledged to the nomination of Charles H. Hackley for regent of the University of Michigan. Mr. Hackley is one of Muskegon's millionaire lumbermen and has given over $500,000 in this city for the cause of education.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 13.—In the senate Thursday bills were introduced appropriating $10,000 for the erection of a statue to the late Gov. Austin Blair upon the state capitol grounds; abolishing days of grace on commercial paper; providing a station house for women in cities of 10,000 inhabitants or upward, to be in charge of a police matron; for a reformatory prison for women; abolishing the office of commissioner of mineral statistics; for the use of the Abbott voting machine at all elections in the state.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 14.—In the senate a bill was introduced to prevent publishers from collecting pay for a publication taken from the post office after the time for which the subscription was given has expired. Bills were introduced for the introduction of voting machines; for the divorce of persons becoming insane and for their restoration to marital rights on recovering soundness of mind, providing the other party remains unmarried. February 28 is the last day for introduction of bills, and this order will occupy both houses principally until after that date.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 15.—The fifty days in which bills can be introduced in the legislature will expire Wednesday at midnight and the reception of bills now takes up the entire time of each house. The indications are the total number of bills to be introduced will equal, if not exceed, that of two years ago, which was the largest in the history of the state. One of the bills introduced in the house Monday is aimed at Mayor Pingree. It making it unlawful for any person to fill the office of mayor more than three term in cities having a population of more than 50,000. Altogether there were 326 bills introduced in the house on Monday, among them the following: Prohibiting alien stockholders of corporations from participation in the election of the board of directors; prohibiting aliens from practicing medicine; prohibiting the employment of aliens by corporations; prohibiting the insurance of children under 16 years of age; appropriating $30,000 for establishing a state normal school at Bay City; prohibiting the granting of teachers' certificates to persons using tobacco in any form; for an interchangeable system of railroad mileage; for use of the Osborne voting machine; establishing a state weather service and appropriating $4,200 therefor.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 20.—In the senate Tuesday the free silver resolution was the special order, but its consideration was postponed until February 26. The qestion of an investigation into the affairs of the deaf and dumb institute at Flint was made a special order for Wednesday next.

House.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 15.—The house on Thursday, by a vote of 54 to 33, refused to submit to the people a constitutional amendment increasing the salaries of state officers, it requiring a two-thirds vote of all the members elect. The vote was reconsidered, however, and the measure tabled. The most important bills introduced were for prohibiting the co-insurance clauses and all other "riders" on fire insurance policies; making the liquor tax in cities and villages of from 5,000 to 10,000 inhabitants $500, and $1,000 in cities having a population in excess of that number, fixing a 5-mile limit about the university in which intoxicating liquors may not be sold; providing for the teaching in public schools of modes of spreading dangerous communicable diseases and the best methods of restricting and preventing them.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 16.—The most important action by the house Friday was the passage of a bill for registration in the entire state previous to the spring election. Under the law just passed to conform to the constitutional amendment adopted last fall, every foreign-born citizen must take oath that he is a full citizen of the United States before he can register. If challenged. A bill was introduced abolishing contract labor in prisons and providing that the convicts be worked on state account. The committee on municipal corporations made a unanimous report recommending the passage of the anti-Pingree Detroit health board bill, which passed the senate.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 20.—By a vote of 65 to 21 the house on Tuesday passed the senate bill authorizing the governor to appoint a new health board for the city of Detroit. There is no doubt the governor will approve the measure. Bills were introduced as follows: Increasing the tax on liquors; providing a bounty of $100 each to surviving veterans of the late war; abolishing the present state board of health and creating a new one, in which the secretary of the board is prohibited from being a member; providing for the appointment of an assistant attorney general at a salary of $2,000 per year; for the township unit school system; providing a one-fifteenth mill tax for the support of state normal school; abolishing the medical department at the state university; appropriating $2,000 for the holding of dairymen's state institutes; providing a bounty of two cents per pound on beet sugar; establishing a state hospital for consumptives; providing a state board of medical examiners.

Michigan Workmen Make Gains.

KALAMAZOO, Feb. 20.—The grand lodge Ancient Order United Workmen of Michigan was in session here Tuesday. The reports show that the membership was increased 364 in the year and now has 22,652 members. Twenty-five new lodges have been organized during the year. There was paid in beneficiaries for 226 deaths $131,227. The total amount paid since organization is $3,018,000. Over 100 were given the grand lodge degree. There were 250 delegates present. They meet next year in Detroit.

Was of Royal Blood.

ALLEGAN, Feb. 18.—Another Allegan pioneer has passed away—Amasa Weaver—who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Rose. He was born at Deerfield, N. Y., November 5, 1808, and came to Allegan in 1859. Mr. Weaver served in the union army under Gens. Scott and Shields. He was of royal blood, being a grandson of King William Webber, of Holland. He was public spirited and an estimable citizen.

Found Guilty.

TAWAS CITY, Feb. 15.—The jury trying the case of Julius Fischer, ex-policeman of Bay City, brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter and recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the court. Fischer shot and killed a young man by the name of Max Drifke at a country dance last August.

Big Deal in Lumber.

MENOMINEE, Feb. 20.—The Bay Shore Lumber company has sold 150 carloads of lumber to an eastern firm, and it will be shipped to Tonawanda via the Ann Arbor ferries as soon as these boats resume their trips, which will be early in March.

Cut in Two.

WALDRON, Feb. 18.—Frank Pierce was instantly killed in Treat's sawmill. The saw had became loose. Pierce tried to fix it while the machinery was in motion. He fell upon the saw, which cut his body in two lengthwise. He leaves a wife and family.

Death of George Torrey.

KALAMAZOO, Feb. 20.—George Torrey, one of the oldest inhabitants in this county and in newspaper work in this city for over fifty years, died here Tuesday morning.

ADVENTISTS REACHING OUT.

In Two Years 5,000 Persons Have Become Members and Accepted the Faith.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 18.—The general conference of the Seventh Day adventists convened here Friday. There were 125 delegates present, representing forty state conferences and mission fields. During the last year the denomination has increased over 5,000 members. Seven churches have been built and twelve schools and colleges erected. At the present time eighteen persons are under appointment for different fields as medical missionaries. A medical mission has been established in Mexico and is doing good work. President Olson recommended larger plans for the work among the colored people of the south. Australia is considered by President Olson as a most favorable field of labor. The conference will be in session three weeks.

The fiftieth annual session of the International Sabbath School association convened here Sunday. There are now 47,819 children in the Sabbath schools of the Seventh-Day Adventists, an increase of nearly 2,000 the last year. During the year just closed the children have donated $39,249.62 for foreign missions.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 19.—At the Adventist conference here Monday reports were received from district superintendents. Good progress was reported. The southern states, which have but recently been invaded by this denomination, reported remarkable progress, especially in educational work. The Adventists are making many converts among the colored people in that section.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 20.—The Pacific coast district and foreign district reported at the Adventist conference Tuesday. The last year has been unusually prosperous for the denomination on the coast, while in Europe it has more than doubled in numbers. Dr. J. H. Kellogg presented a report of the Battle Creek sanitarium, which showed the net earnings for the year to be $30,000, all of which has been expended for improvements and charity.

ROUSES LABOR UNIONS.

Federation Executive Committee Urges Action on Desired Laws.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 18.—The executive committee of the Michigan Federation of Labor, consisting of John D. Flanigan, of this city, president of the federation; H. C. Barter, of Detroit, and William Crewe, of this city, has drafted an address to the working men of the state, which will be sent out to all labor organizations in the state and to the labor leaders, as well as to the members of the legislature and others. The address defines what legislation the labor organizations desire and concludes:

"In accordance with this idea the Michigan Federation of Labor has had the following measures introduced into the legislature, copies of which will be mailed to affiliated unions: "A bill to protect motormen; a bill to provide for the branding or marking of convict-made goods offered for sale or imported within the state of Michigan; a bill abolishing the contract system in state penal and reformatory institutions; a joint resolution embodying the principles of the initiative and referendum; a child labor bill; a bill to provide for the submission to juries in negligent cases of the question of the contributory negligence of the plaintiff therein; a bill to regulate the liability of employers for injuries to their employes and prescribing certain penalties for the violation thereof; a bill to establish a lien upon the property of employers for injuries received by their employes, for which such employers may be liable in damages; a bill for the better protection of union labels; a bill making eight hours a legal work day.

"The above are all good measures and organized labor and its friends should see to their passage. Affiliated unions should appoint committees to wait on senators and representatives in their several localities with a view of enlisting their support. All must work in unison so there will be no excuse for senators and representatives making the plea that they were ignorant of the wishes of the industrial masses."

GONE ON HIS LONG VOYAGE.

William Mees, One of the Oldest of Lake Navigators, Is Dead.

MUSKEGON, Feb. 15.—William Mees, the oldest captain on the lakes, died here Thursday morning. Two weeks ago he wrote a history of early navigation on Muskegon lake for ex-Lieut. Gov. Holt.

[Capt. Mees was born in Somersetshire, England, in 1806. At 12 he embarked on a small craft and sailed for Quebec. He arrived in Chicago eight months later and began his perilous career on Lake Michigan. His gallant action in rescuing the crew of the Norway is vividly remembered by many old inhabitants, and numerous tales of his adventures are told.]

Health Commissioner Exonerated.

DETROIT, Feb. 17.—At a special meeting of the board of health Saturday night after considerable discussion a resolution was adopted exonerating Health Commissioner McLeod so far as the present evidence goes from the charges of directing suppression or postponement of the reporting of cases of smallpox, as charged by Dr. Riopel, ex-examining physician of the board.

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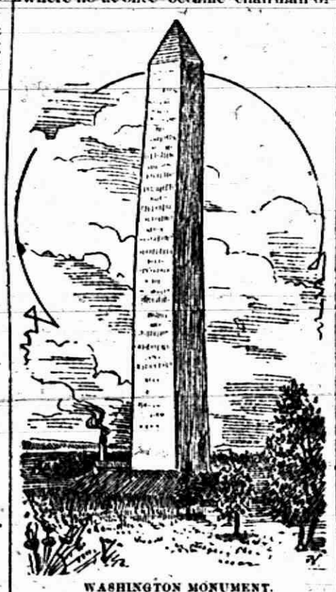
GEORGE WASHINGTON.

BY WILLIAM ROSSER CORBE.

The father of his country took the greatest possible interest throughout his life in all matters relating to internal improvements, and busied himself in furthering measures designed for the public good. There is now in existence in Norfolk, Va., or was a short time ago, an organization known as the Dismal Swamp company, of which George Washington was the first president, and its existence has been continuous since his time. This company has for its object the drainage of the vast and fertile swamp lands of eastern North Carolina and Virginia, and the present Dismal Swamp canal was the outcome of that movement. Washington, in the enumeration of his assets, in a paper attached to his last will, mentions a large amount of stock held by him in the Dismal Swamp company, which had purchased a very large tract of the swamp land, all of which has not yet passed out of its hands. He more than once visited the property, which was then almost inaccessible, and which lies in near proximity to picturesque Lake Drummond, made immortal by Thomas Moore.

The fifteen years following his marriage are usually termed years of seclusion by the historian; yet Washington took a most active part in political affairs in these years, was a member of the house of burgesses, and probably more than any other man contributed to the universal sentiment of hostility to the stamp act. Like Jefferson, he was not gifted in oratory, but he was regarded as a man of the most profound knowledge upon affairs of state, and his counsels were received with the highest favor by his associates. The last nine years of the fifteen referred to, that is, from 1765 to 1774, were marked by almost constant agitation, ending in his election to congress, where he at once became chairman of



WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

the committee on military affairs. These alleged years of quiet and seclusion were a season of reflection, study, preparation and experience, a making ready for the trying times of 1775-1783, through which he passed with such honor as to win imperishable renown.

A story has been published several times within very recent years, to the effect that Washington, immediately after his retirement from the office of president, sent a friend to demand an apology from Jefferson for alleged defamation of character, under threat of a challenge to fight a duel. This account, which adds that Jefferson, in craven spirit, made abject submission, is as direct a libel upon the heroic author of the Declaration of Independence as it is a slander upon the character of Washington. The latter was undoubtedly opposed to dueling throughout his life. His views upon this subject were clearly set forth in a letter to La Fayette, evoked by a request from the latter for permission to "call out" some official who had offended him. The courage of Washington was so invincible and so universally admitted that, even in his young manhood, he dared to apologize to a neighbor who had knocked him down, rather than to do himself and his assailant the gross wrong of engaging in a deadly combat.

Washington was an example in temperance. Charitable as was his nature he could with difficulty find excuse for extravagance in conduct or appetite. In his boyhood he adopted a rule which he followed through life, namely: "Make no show of taking great delight in your victuals, neither find fault with what you eat." He was always a man of simple tastes at the table, eating cheerfully of what was set before him. His views on excess in drinking were frequently embodied in writing, and

A GLIMPSE OF MOUNT VERNON.

always in condemnation of the evil habit. His chief cause for grievance against a distinguished general of the army was the weakness of that officer in this direction, which was only too plainly shown upon a certain memorable occasion. Tobacco he literally abominated, not only never having used it himself, but also finding no excuse for others who persisted in smoking or chewing. It was a maxim of the illustrious man that the human creature owed it to himself and God to keep clean the body and the brain, that both might attain best possible results and do best possible work.

Washington was never a bright scholar at school and never was a learned man. He did not attempt to acquire a knowledge of the ancient classics, but did obtain a most intimate acquaintance with figures and was trained to methodical practical work, as the diary and detailed accounts he kept of his affairs throughout his life clearly proved. That he profited by his schooling and that he was a youth of far more than average ability are clearly proven in the fact that Lord Fairfax employed him at the age of sixteen to make surveys of his immense landed possessions in upper Virginia; a task that involved three years of arduous and dangerous labor.

Washington was a thoroughly practical and successful farmer, deviating from a universal rule of Virginia planters in being his own overseer and director, although, like them, he had a man who nominally filled that position. As a legislator Patrick Henry said of him in 1774, that "for solid information and sound judgment he was the greatest man in congress." He was the master spirit of the continental convention of 1787 and to his efforts almost solely are due the unification of the several states under a common government. Admittedly he would have saved Braddock, had his counsels been heeded, and as general of the American army his military genius excited the astonishment and admiration of the world. His career as civil ruler of the new nation won for him the applause of all rulers and the approval of an entire country. Washington's was a character that was nearly perfectly poised; yet great in everything, withal.

Like Lincoln, Washington was tall, and unlike him was very handsome. He was also possessed of great strength, that continued through life; and in his youth he excelled in all manly exercises. Throughout life he was an expert horseman and always attracted attention and excited admiration when riding a spirited animal.

No man could be more reasonable than Washington, or readier to give in when public interest was best subserved thereby; yet none could be more insistent than he, none more firm, when duty led in this direction.

A peculiarity of Washington was his ornate handwriting, which does violence to a commonly accepted idea that character and general individuality may be determined by one's chirography. As a fact Washington's personal tastes were very simple. When he became president there was some show of official display, but herein he followed a universal custom and one that in no sense reflected his own wishes and feelings. He believed that reserve and display are necessary to the preservation of proper regard for the high office of chief magistrate. The courtesy and deference he exacted as president he invariably accorded his successor when he became a private citizen.

FLY AN IMPORTANT FACTOR.

Jefferson was fond of telling a story which illustrates in a forcible manner the importance that absurdly insignificant matters may sometimes assume. When the deliberative body that gave the world the Declaration of Independence was in session its proceedings were conducted in a hall close to which was situated a livery stable. The weather was warm, and from the stable came swarms of flies that lighted on the legs of the honorable members, and biting through the thin silk stockings then in fashion gave infinite annoyance. It was no uncommon sight, said Jefferson, to see a member passing a speech with a large handkerchief in hand and pausing at every moment to thrash the flies from his thinly protected calves. The opinion of the body was not unanimous in favor of the document, and, under other circumstances, discussion might have been protracted for days, if not weeks, but the flies were intolerable. Efforts were made to find another hall, free from the pests, but in vain. As the weather became warmer the flies grew worse, and the flapping of handkerchiefs was heard all over the hall as an accompaniment to the voices of the speakers. In despair at last some one suggested that matters be hurried so that the body might adjourn and get away from the flies. There were a few mild protests, but no one heeded them, the immortal declaration was hurriedly copied, and, with the handkerchiefs in hand fighting flies as they came, the members hastened up to the table to sign the authentic copy and leave the flies in the lurch. Had it not been for the livery stable and its inmates there is no telling when the document would have been completed, but it certainly would not have been signed on the Fourth.

WASHINGTON LIVED HERE.

The little state of New Jersey, as every schoolboy knows, was the scene of many stirring events during the revolution, and almost every city, town and hamlet has, or claims to have, a landmark of which its inhabitants are very proud and delight to point out to visitors. While there is no doubt of the authenticity of the claims made for many of these places, they have certainly lost nothing by the traditions with which they are surrounded. As in many other parts of the country, however, some of these monuments which should have the greatest claims on the American people from a historical point of view have been neglected, apparently forgotten and allowed to go to decay and ruin. In the march of history and progress they have been lost sight of.

One of these is the old Berrian house at Rocky Hill. It was in this house that Washington resided for many months, and among other acts wrote his farewell address to the continental army. The house is an old-fashioned structure, with large square rooms and low ceilings to retain the heat from the

WHERE WASHINGTON WROTE THE FAREWELL ADDRESS.

hickory and oak logs burned in the big open fireplaces. At the time that Gen. Washington occupied the house it was the homestead of the family of Judge John Berrian, one of the oldest families in the state, which at that time owned vast tracts of land, obtained by grants from the crown. Judge Berrian, when the clash came, remained loyal to the American cause, and his house became a refuge for Gen. Washington on more than one occasion.

Squelched.

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Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.

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Attorneys for Plaintiff.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth A. Rogers, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Adelia M. Wheeler, a sister of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1895, and on the 3d day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	6 14 "
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		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
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8 20	7 45	1 21	Marshall	11 36	12 39
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 08	11 45
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 38	11 03
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 04	10 14	3 14	Devils Lake	9 59	9 54
12 59	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
..	10 31	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 26
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 30
3 10	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
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SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

According to the Woodstock correspondence of the Brooklyn Exponent, the play "Out in the Street" was well "surrendered" by the Kelly's Corners dramatic club. Terms of surrender not stated.

Several years ago an Adrian man was taken alarmingly ill and five physicians said that he possibly couldn't live but a little while. He is still among the living, while those five doctors all lie—in Oakwood cemetery.

Since a few western cold waves have strayed away from home and skipped so recklessly in the east and south the robin family has been all broken up and don't know which way to go in search of a mild climate.

Adrian's street car service is to be resumed in the near future, Receiver Snow having disposed of all the bond certificates. New motors have been purchased and the new management expect to form a loop when the road is once put in shape.

The leading churches of Adrian will join in a big union meeting March 3d. Chicago will furnish its best evangelist, also a vocalist. If Stearns and Grandon are converted the demons of darkness will wipe their eyes while the four and twenty elders say amen.—Addison Courier.

The old reliable lumber firm of Temple, McClure & Co., Tecumseh, has a change of advertisement for the spring season of '95. They have built up a splendid business by honest dealing and their accommodating spirit and hope for an increase of patronage this season.—Manchester Enterprise.

Anderson & Co., Tecumseh, have been justly styled the dry goods kings of southern Michigan. They are always a little ahead of the season with the best goods made in their line. Read of an unusually fine display of spring fabrics in their advertisement. No better selection in Detroit.—Addison Courier.

On one street in Blissfield, living close to each other, are five persons whose birthday falls on the same date—Feb 6. Among the number are E. J. Hayward, late of Seneca, and Joel Acker, formerly of Morenci. A party was given at the latter's home—a surprise on him—to celebrate the quintette's natal anniversary.

A cigar is said to contain acetic, lomic, bytric, valeric and paponic acids, prussic acid, creosote, carbolic acid, ammonia, sulphuretic hydrogen, peredine, vidine, picoline, rubidine, to say nothing of cabbagene and burdockine acid. The man who kicks about paying five cents for all that does not know a bargain when he sees one.

Irv. H. Finch, mail clerk in the postal service, sends the following to Chas. A. Chaloner: "Talk about snow—it is as high as the car windows in some places." Mr. Finch runs between Syracuse and Cleveland, and from the tone of the above one is led to believe they have snow from eight to ten feet deep in that locality.—Evening Telegram.

A Pittsford farmer, during the recent cold weather, found that his cellar was getting too near the freezing point for the good of the contents, and consequently built a fire on the floor. There being no outlet the house was soon full of smoke and the family was compelled to open all the doors and windows until the house resembled a refrigerator.—Hudson Post.

A resolution has been introduced in the legislature appropriating $10,000 for a statue of the late Austin Blair, the war governor of Michigan, to be placed in representative gallery at Washington. There certainly ought to be some recognition by the state of the invaluable services rendered by the governor, and we believe the people generally would sanction such a procedure.

All over the state it is observed that there are very few marriage licenses, and clerks report the wedding industry practically demoralized. We have no doubt that it is owing to the democratic administration. The effect of the McKinley tariff in building up infant industries is thus practically demonstrated. The president favors bonds, but the young people do not seem to be with him.

A grandfather's clock, about 150 years old, is to be seen in Kirk's jewelry store. It is owned by Wm. Sheridan, of Madison, and has been in the family for years. Mr. Sheridan brought the clock to the city to have it repaired and a traveling man, who happened to see the clock when it was brought in, offered the owner $150 for it. It is a great fad among wealthy people in the cities to set up these clocks in their halls, just like their grandpas used to do.—Michigan Messenger.

Since so much is being said about the bloomer costum it may be news, says the Manchester Enterprise, that the wife of Rev. Tilley, a Baptist minister, wore that costume. We remember the sensation created when she appeared on the streets. The children laughed and the men hid themselves. One man, more brave than the rest, stepped up and offered her a bite from his plug of tobacco, but it is needless to say that she declined with thanks.

W. F. Keysor, of Clinton, and J. F. N. Bowen, of Tecumseh, have the same birthday, and on the 8th of February each year they have a joint meeting to commemorate the event. Bowen made his first call in 1851, and just four years later Wess became a second adventist on that day. Since they discovered, about 17 years ago, that they had the same birthday score, they have annually observed it in common, alternating in their meeting. This year they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bowen and discussed the weather, the ground hog and the political idiot.—Adrian Press.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The Farmer's Union will be entertained at the residence of Horace Holdridge, Tuesday evening, Feb. 26.

PROGRAM.

Music—Mrs. Stead and Mrs. Boyd.
Rec.—Bertha Smeltzer.
Reading—John T. Boyce.
Rec.—Florence Kennedy.
Reading—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
Dec.—Carroll Bord.
Reading—Mrs. Clarence Holdridge.
Question Box.

T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will meet at the home of DeWitt Tallman, Friday evening, March 1st.

PROGRAM.

Music.
Select Reading—Mrs. Wilson Matthews.
Rec.—Bertha VanValkenburg
Song—Mrs. Will Waldron.
Dec.—Charles Hurry.
Dia.—Mrs. Haire and Mrs. Hoag.
Music—VanValkenburg family.
Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
Charade—Mrs. Henry Wilson.
Music—Christine Wilson.
Quotations from your favorite authors—Members of the club, opened by a paper by Clem Bramble.
Song—Henry and Abner Wilson.

Teachers' Examination.

A special teachers' examination will be held at the court house in the city of Adrian, Friday and Saturday, March 1st and 2d, 1895. Candidates will please bring pens, ink and legal cap paper and be promptly on hand Friday morning at nine o'clock.

C. F. FIELD,
School Commissioner.

Chautauqua Calendars for '95.

Sent on receipt of four cents in postage by A. J. Smith, G. P. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, Ohio. When you go to Chautauqua this year take the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway.

Fast Time to the South.

The Mobile & Ohio Railroad has put on a double daily fast train service between St. Louis and the South. This makes the Mobile & Ohio the quickest as it is now the shortest route to Memphis, New Orleans, Mobile, Birmingham, and all Florida winter tourist points. All trains are equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet Drawing Room Sleepers and handsome easy riding day coaches. The Mobile & Ohio has always been popular with the traveling public, and this fast train service will make it still more so.

A Pertinent Paragraph.

"Our country if right, should be kept right; if wrong should be put right," is a political maxim which paraphrased applies to other conditions of life, thus: our health if right, should be kept right especially in bodily ailments, such as pains and aches, which St. Jacobs Oil promptly cures. Many out of work should heed to give it a chance to cure and it will give them a chance to go to work cured. Another adage is: "he doeth best, who doeth well." Well, of course, you want to be well from all sorts of aches, and the best thing to do is to use the great remedy. He who does sois doing well indeed.

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CUPID'S CALLS IN CLINTON.

Wednesday was a triumphant day for Cupid in the village of Clinton. Within an hour and thirty minutes his fatal arrow pierced one half dozen hearts and as many persons were maneuvered into the blissful fold of wedlock. The first pair of victims was Mr. Fred Clark, of Brooklyn, and Miss Bessie Shaw, of Tecumseh, who joined hands over the marriage altar at the M. E. Parsonage at 4:30 p. m. After the ceremony the happy party betook themselves to the Lawrence House where a repast was awaiting them.

The second pair was Mr. Edison C. Brooks and Miss Esther Louise Platt, who entered into the sacred bonds at 7 p. m. at the residence of the bride's mother on Jackson street. About 100 persons listened to the words that made these twain, one flesh.

The third pair was Mr. Chas. H. Fahrner and Miss Nellie J. Embler. A large company assembled at 8 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel D. Embler, to witness the joining of hands and the plighting of love and fidelity.

In each instance the bridal outfit was such as to please the most fastidious, while the grooms measured up to the conventional standard. At the weddings, pleasing music, beautiful decorations, sumptuous repasts, many elegant gifts and joyful greetings combined to make social events of the most successful character.

The amalgamating process that reduced six people to three in number, was wrought by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The last regular meeting of the Club was held at the home of Mrs. F. D. Rector, Tuesday eve. Feb. 19th. There was a fair attendance of members and another pleasant evening was added to the club record. After the meeting was called to order the report of the previous meeting was read and accepted. The literary program was carried out as arranged with one exception, and was highly interesting throughout. Miss Grace Gillespie and Bertha Roberts each gave a charming selection on the piano. Ethel Hendershot recited the piece entitled, "The lips that touch liquor shall never touch Mine," in a becoming way. Mrs. Bowen's locals and personals were fine; it was truthfully remarked of them that they were enough to make a local editor envious. Wonder if certain young people of the club would like to have Mrs. Bowen prepare a number of locals for each meeting? The paper—Edison and his Inventions, by Mrs. Fisher was one of the best and most instructive papers ever read before the club. In place of a discussion the company listened to a Graphophone concert conducted by Mr. Collier, which was quite interesting. The club will meet next at Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie's Tuesday eve., March 5th, with the following program:

Select Reading—Mr. John Boyce.
Dec.—Bert Rector.
Aphorisms—Mrs. Coddington.
Paper—Mr. I. H. Schreeder.
Charade—Will Fisher and Fred Sheldon.
Short-talk—Mr. Jerome Bowen.
Select Reading—Mrs. Will Rector.
Charade—Mrs. F. D. Rector.
Prophecy—Mrs. John Keusch.
Question box—All bring a question for the box.

OBITUARY.

John W. Bowen, the subject of this sketch, was born in Cooperstown, N. Y., Aug. 29, 1825. Married Miss Jane B. Parshall, of Middlefield, N. Y., Oct. 12, 1848 and the next year came west, locating in Wisconsin, where he resided until his removal to Michigan in February, 1864, living at or near Lenawee Junction until his death, Feb. 15, 1895, at 6 o'clock a. m.

His widow and four children survive him: Wm. E., of Kansas; M. H. Bowen, John W. Bowen, jr., and Mrs. Dion H. Pope, all of this county. In 1876 Mr. Bowen purchased the farm near Lenawee Junction known as the Leonard Hoxie place, residing thereon until about two years ago, when he came to Adrian, his family desiring him to spend the remainder of his life as free from care as possible, the younger members of the family conducting the farm, where John W. Bowen, jr., now resides.

In the death of Mr. Bowen the community has lost a noble citizen, and his immediate relatives the best of advisers and one kindly in a social every day companionship. He often expressed his gratitude for being so highly favored by the care he received at their hands, made it possible by their residing so near, except the one before mentioned. Since occupying the farm before alluded to, Mr. Bowen has been sorely afflicted by the loss of his son Dwight P., a young man of exceptional merit, who died in 1888, and Miss Jennie E., who died in Febuary, 1891. This was a severe shock to not only the family, but all who knew him.

The writer of this hastily written sketch has been favored by a long and intimate acquaintance with deceased, circumstances having developed in our acquaintance that would try the integrity and manhood, and test the worth or worthlessness of any man; but amidst it all he was true—true to himself and to his friends. He was indeed a genuine every day Christian man, developing the noblest traits of manhood as he passed along life's journey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen were prominent in organizing the Universalist church in Tecumseh, of which they have been members since, up to the time of his death.

Services were conducted at his late residence, Rev. Mr. Humphrey, an old neighbor and friend, delivering a beautiful tribute, prompted by personal memories of his dead acquaintance.

His remains rest in Oakwood cemetery beside those of his dear ones, a sacred and hallowed spot, to which the memory will often go in fond recollection.

V. A. B.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

In the senate a financial bill on the lines of the president's last message was presented by Senator Vilas on the 13th, and another providing for bonds at 3 per cent., payable in gold coin, and for the issue of gold certificates was offered by Senator Sherman. The house resolution was passed extending the time for making returns on the income tax from the 15th Monday in March to April 15 next.....In the house Mr. Hudson (Kan.) offered a bill looking to an increase in the revenues of the government. Consideration of business concerning the District of Columbia occupied the remainder of the session.

The senate on the 14th voted to make no changes in the present railway mail system. The subject has been the chief point of contention of the post office appropriation bill. In response to a request Secretary Carlisle furnished figures on the treasury gold reserve and expenditures.....In the house the request of the president for authority to issue gold bonds was refused by a vote of 168 to 120.

On the 15th bills were reported favorably in the senate to repeal the one-tenth differential on sugar from bounty-paying countries to establish free American ports where foreign raw material may be manufactured, and for the creation of an industrial commission of twenty-one, which is intended to arbitrate labor difficulties. The post office appropriation bill was passed.....In the house the naval appropriation bill ($31,807,073) was discussed. The bill for a deep waterway to connect the ocean and great lakes was favorably reported.

In the senate on the 16th Senator Hill's resolution defining the financial policy of the government caused an exciting debate, and Senator Wolcott (Col.), Lodge (Mass.) and Teller (Col.), made a most scathing denunciation and arraignment of the administration for its recent bond contract with the Rothschilds and other foreign bankers. Mr. Wolcott made a direct and personal criticism of the president.....In the house the general debate on the naval appropriation bill ended. The senate bill was passed granting two condemned cannon to the Iowa Historical society at Des Moines. Twelve pension bills were also passed.

It is provided in the sundry civil appropriation bill ($41,559,145) reported to the senate on the 18th that hereafter all bonds issued by the government must first be offered at public sale. The agricultural appropriation bill was passed. By a vote of 30 to 27 it was decided to take up the Jones bill for the unlimited coinage of silver, the government to retain the seigniorage as profit.....In the house a bill was passed making the pensions of all Mexican veterans $12 per month. The naval appropriation bill was further discussed.

DOMESTIC.

FLAMES in the Denig & Ferson block at Columbus, O., caused a loss of $100,000.

ALFRED KELLEY, a retired real estate dealer at Columbus, O., failed for $100,000.

MEASURE providing for the construction of a new federal building at Chicago was signed by President Cleveland.

FIRE in Salt Lake City destroyed buildings and merchandise to the extent of $100,000.

THE Alabama legislature passed a bill to abandon the convict farm and return convicts to the mines.

A JOINT resolution in the Kansas legislature for a constitutional convention was defeated in the house.

DOHERTY & WADSWORTH'S silk mill, one of the largest in Paterson, N. J., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $300,000.

AN old negro named Jordan and his wife perished in a fire at Galveston, Tex.

BY an explosion of natural gas George H. Cutler, of Meadville, Pa., was killed, and his wife, 16-year-old son, and Katie Stack, a domestic, were probably fatally burned.

A NEW labor organization was formed at Columbus, O., to be known as the Independent Order of the Knights of Labor. It starts out with 20,000 members.

FIVE men were seriously injured by the collision of trains in a tunnel on the Castle Shannon road near Pittsburgh, Pa.

GEORGE B. HARPOLE and Casey Gregory, of Fairfield, Ill., were asphyxiated by gas in a hotel at Springfield, Ill.

CHURCH women who began a crusade by singing and praying in Sioux City (Ia.) saloons were roughly used by the hangers on.

MRS. FRANK JONES and two children were burned to death in their house near Drennon Springs, Ky.

THE heaviest snowstorms ever known in Texas, Louisiana and Alabama were reported.

PHILIP MARTIN, a negro boy of 18 years, was hanged at Kansas City for killing Eli Stilwell, a laborer who jostled him while drunk on the street on the night of July 4, 1893.

THE Black diamond coal mine at Bevier, Mo., was flooded with water, and the 150 miners narrowly escaped with their lives.

THOMAS K. GEORGE, of Eckerty, Ind., died of heart disease. His 6-year-old daughter died of grief, and both were buried in the same coffin.

A CAPITOL removal bill was killed in the South Dakota senate by a vote of 29 to 10.

BEN WARD (colored) was sentenced at Newark, O., to twenty years' imprisonment for criminal assault on a woman.

CHARLES ANDREWS, aged 12 years, was so worried over failing to pass the examinations in a Cincinnati school that he took paris green and died.

TENNESSEE, Alabama, Mississippi and Arkansas were experiencing the most severe and protracted season of cold weather ever known in that part of the country.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 15th aggregated $824,416,480, against $979,305,040 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 5.1.

THE Minnesota house has adopted a resolution looking to the removal of the state capital from St. Paul to Minneapolis.

THERE were 300 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 15th, against 281 the week previous and 323 in the corresponding time in 1894.

Chicago's mean annual temperature comes in February.—Chicago Dispatch.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week, Beginning Feb. 24. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Ark of the Covenant.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv, 10-16; Heb. ix, 4, 5; John iv, 24.

A wooden box about four feet long and a little more than two feet deep and two feet broad, covered with plates of fine gold, was the ark, preserved with great care as the most sacred thing in the tabernacle. The value was not in the box itself nor in the mercy seat of pure gold which covered it, having the figures of cherubim of hammered gold at each end, with wings meeting in the center and shadowing the sacred chest. The simple stone tablets engraved with the ten commands, "the Decalogue," was the treasure which it was built to contain. Their value lay in their contents and not in the material of which they were composed.

This was Jehovah's law to Israel. He promised to be with them in all their future life as a people if they obeyed this law. They on their part pledged themselves by solemn oath to obey His commands. This was the "Covenant." So this became the ark or chest of the covenant. It was also the ark of the "testimony," as the tables of stone were called.

This chest, with its mercy seat cover, was placed in the innermost room of the tent and temple, which had no opening into it except the door which was covered by a curtain. The tablets of the testimony were not to be taken out for reference nor for reading to the people. The mercy seat was not to be approached at will when guidance was desired of God regarding the affairs of the nation. Only once in the year was this inner sanctuary to be entered, and the most sacred shrine approached. Even then no one but the high priest might venture to look upon this secret dwelling place of the Most High One, and then always with blood of sacrifice in a gold bowl, with which blood he was to sprinkle the mercy seat between the cherubim. The meaning of this is made most clear in the epistle to the Hebrews, ninth chapter.

The law of God announced for the moral guidance of men has never been and in the nature of the case can never be repealed or annulled. The old dispensation served to give knowledge of it, but ability to keep it perfectly was lacking. In the new order of things under Christ one of the race has entered the holiest place of the Most High to ever abide under the shadow of the Almighty. The veil of separation has been forever torn aside that all may enter who will. The law is no longer on hidden slabs of stone, but the new covenant declared of God is: "I will put my laws into their mind and write them in their hearts. I will be to them a God, and they shall be to me a people." "True worshipers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth."

Other Army Corps.

Methodism is not one organic body. Even in the United States there are nearly a dozen branches of the Methodist family. The largest in numbers, most wealthy and perhaps the most influential is the Methodist Episcopal. Next in prominence is the Methodist Episcopal Church South: Canada Methodism, since the consolidation of all its divisions into one body, has become one of the most influential churches, if not the very first in importance, in that country. The Epworth League began as a consolidation of the five large societies existing in the Methodist Episcopal church in May, 1889. The Church South and the Canadian church organized their societies with the same general name, but under the government of their own authorities. So will each of the other branches of Methodism probably do. The Wesleyans of England, Australia, India and other regions are swinging into line. Each is a separate army corps. Our international convention at Chattanooga, Tenn., June 27-30, will gather delegates from all over the world. Fraternal consultation, and not organic union, is the object of that gathering. Probably at its close we shall be a little nearer the practical solution of the problem of Christian church union, but no schemes for tinkering the machinery are contemplated. Demonstration of fraternal unity will be given in the sacrament of holy communion with which the services will open.

The Best of Each Kind.

Much emphasis is often laid on the fact that Christ chose unlettered men for his apostles. The success of the unlearned in revival and reform work is sometimes emphasized as if that was all that is needed for the work of the church of God on earth. It should not be forgotten that when Jehovah wanted to make Israel a nation he chose a Moses as leader. When Christianity needed an expounder and defender for the gentile world, God laid his hand on a Saul of Tarsus. So has it been in all subsequent times. There is work for Augustine, Wyclif, Luther, Calvin and Wesley as truly as for Moody, Booth, Taylor and the other hearts of fire. Each in his place and all in harmony is the need. The best of each kind and each at his best moves the work of God forward in his appointed way.

The Reading Course.

Thousands in all parts of the world have found profit and great pleasure in the various Chautauqua courses since their inauguration 20 years ago. Many who have felt unable to pursue so advanced and long a course find in that of the Epworth League what is adapted to their needs. There is variety sufficient for all tastes and requirements. If one is pressed for time in a busy life, it is remarkable how much information and real culture can be had in economizing odd minutes and reading systematically a few really excellent books rather than letting them slip by unemployed or in reading whatever chances to fall in the way. Careless and indiscriminate reading is as surely fatal to mental strength and health as careless eating is productive of dyspepsia.

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One fanning mill, 1 Fairbanks scale (1000 lbs.), bag truck, corn sheller, wheelbarrow, blacksmith's vice, cook stove, coal stove, work bench, 2 grind stones, 24-ft. ladder, 16-ft. ladder, open pump, 2 spades and 2 shovels, crosscut saw, grubhoe, peck, tile hoe and spade, 3 pitchforks, a quantity of good hay in barn, 40 bags, large canvass, 4 piles of lumber, 7 bunches shingles, 2 cider barrels, grub hoe and 2 other hoes, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale—All sums of $5.00 and under, cash. Over $5.00, six months' credit will be given, notes to bear approved security, at 6 per cent. interest. No article to leave the premises until settled for.

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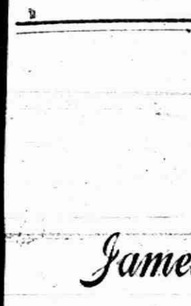

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COUNTY SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

Retain the Present Incumbent, Editor Chas. F. Field.

It goes without saying that judicial and school offices should be eliminated from politics as much as possible. The people generally favor this theory, especially in Lenawee county, even when the party caucuses and conventions ignore it. Our elections for Judge of the Circuit Court in this judicial district, demonstrate this fact, and the election for School Commissioner for Lenawee county has always turned largely upon personal fitness, rather than upon politics. Without uttering a word of disparagement against any of the other candidates, who have already been or will be nominated for the responsible position of School Commissioner, we think that the best interest of our public schools throughout the county clearly demand Mr. Field's re-election. He is most admirably equipped for that particular office. His experience as Principal of the Clinton school several years ago, his experience as instructor in the Tecumseh high school, his schooling of ten years in the editorial chair, and his experience of nearly four years in the office of County Commissioner, give him advantages, which no new hand at the helm can possibly possess. He fills the Jeffersonian requirements to perfection. He is honest, capable and faithful to his duties and to the laws. This encomium upon Mr. Field's personal character and official fitness for this office is not a mere formality. We say it because we mean it, and all his fellow citizens in this section of Lenawee who have the pleasure of his acquaintance will heartily second every word. Again, he has been tried in the crucible and not found wanting. Lenawee County has never been honored with a more faithful, painstaking and competent official in a similar capacity. This is the verdict of both school officers and teachers with whom he has been associated in any official manner. We understand that the teachers of the county—"without regard to age or sex or previous condition"—are universally in favor of his retention. The voters of Lenawee county will promote their own interests, the welfare of their children and the prosperity of the public schools by choosing Mr. Field as his own successor in this important office. And we believe they will take this view of it.

CHARLEY'S AUNT.

A Fine Comedy Given to a Large and Appreciative Audience.

"Charley's Aunt" was greeted with a large and appreciative audience Friday evening, which shows conclusively that this community is ready to patronize reliable companies. The name of Charles Frohman as manager is sufficient guarantee that an entertainment will be first-class, and our people realizing this filled the house expecting to have a good laugh, and they were not disappointed for "Charley's Aunt" abounds in comical situations and being presented by a company admirably suited to their several characters it proved an evening of great enjoyment to all. It would be impossible to speak of the play in detail for it had no plot; it was simply arranged to bring out the comical and ridiculous situations incident to the time, place and surroundings. Where each character was so ably sustained it is difficult to particularize, so we well not attempt it, and will only refer to John D. Murphy, who helped Jack and Charley in carrying out their plans by personating Charley's Aunt, from Brazil, who failed to arrive at the time expected. He sustained this difficult rôle in a manner that called forth liberal applause and furnished great amusement to the entire audience. Should any of Frohman's companies visit us again he may be sure of a packed house.

Manager Sutton is to be congratulated for furnishing an orchestra, which filled in the time between acts with fine music, and if he will make permanent arrangements with them, and see that the lights, which were very poor, are better than they were Friday night, he will receive the support of the amusement loving portion of this community. There is no good reason why these annoyances can not be avoided. We trust he will attend to it in the future.

Chautauqua Calendars for '95.

Sent on receipt of four cents in postage by A. J. Smith, G. P. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, Ohio. When you go to Chautauqua this year take the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway.

Rev. R. N. Middleton, M. E. clergyman, Spring Lake, Mich., says: Sleep and rest were strangers to me after preaching till I used "Adironda." Now I sleep soundly and awake refreshed; I can heartily recommend "Adironda." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

THREE DAYS IN ADRIAN.

A Few Jottings Upon the County Seat City.

Business frequently calls us to Adrian, but our calls are always brief and wholly of a business character. Socially considered, our acquaintance with the county seat is very limited and not what it should be, we frankly confess. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings we gave our Snap Shot lecture on the World's Fair at the Baptist church in that city for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Association. Notwithstanding there were many other attractions, the entertainment was well patronized and we feel under obligations to the Baptist people for their very kind reception and generous patronage.

During the three days at our command we had an opportunity to "circle around town" some and formed many new acquaintances. While there we partook of the hospitality of C. C. Fisher's family. Mr. Fisher is the proprietor of Fisher's Book Store, and also owns an interest in the Adrian Paper Co., of which he is the business manager. They both seem to be in a flourishing condition. We also enjoyed J. R. Bennett's hospitality. Everyone knows who "Uncle Joe" Bennett is, and to say that we were royally entertained there is putting it very mild. Mr. E. L. Baker's family also did their share in the entertaining line. Mr. Baker is engaged in the canning business. He has a beautiful residence on Dennis street and a very fine family. We found a congenial home also with Mr. Merwin's family on South Main street. Mr. Merwin is the proprietor of the Yum Yum tea store, and is evidently prospering in business. He has a cosy little home presided over by a model wife, and we enjoyed our home stay there very much. Mr. Bowen spent a portion of his time with Mrs. Drake, on Broad street, and a part with Milo Dole, and he was handsomely entertained at both places. The new acquaintances thus formed we hope to continue. We are under obligations to Mr. M. P. Brown for his assistance in taking tickets at the door.

Adrian is well fixed now in the newspaper line. No town in Michigan of the same size is better provided for. The Press, under the efficient management of Williard Stearns, furnishes the democracy of Lenawee county with an excellent organ. The Press may be too outspoken sometimes to please timid souls, but it is generally on the right track, and one cannot help admiring its tenacity and sincerity. The paper is entitled to the undivided patronage and support of the party.

The Times is the same old standby that it has been for many years. Mrs. Applegate fills the position of her late husband most acceptably and has proven herself to be a woman of both business tact and editorial ability. The Times furnishes the republicans of Lenawee county with an organ which they can cordially support.

Our prohibition friends are equally well served with the Messenger. Editor Grandon is a first-class newspaper man and has built up a good business under adverse circumstances. He is a vigorous writer and an excellent practical printer as well. The Telegram, of which he is the chief manager, has been planted upon a paying basis and has evidently come to stay. The citizens of Adrian ought to be well satisfied with their newspapers.

A Business-Making Book.

Every business man ought to read "Dollars and Sense," a money-making book by Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., the leading expert on business and advertizing. 18 chapters, illustrated with 100 plates, presenting every style of effective advertisements, with examples of reading notices, circulars and headlines. It tells the plain truth about advertisements and exposes ineffective methods. Any reader of The HERALD who will send check, postal note or postage stamps to the value of 25 cents to The Trade Company, Boston, Mass., will receive the book by prepaid mail.

Since Tuesday of this week the Senate has been for the first time in two years full. Don't put a wrong construction on that word. It simply means that each of the forty-four States now has its full compliment of senators. It will be remembered that for the last two years three of the States have, through failure of their legislatures to elect, only been half represented in the Senate.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. mar

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$50 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand.	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at some convenient place, on Saturday afternoon, April 6th, 1895, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00, or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

The St. Louis Republic Free.

The "Twice-a-Week" St. Louis Republic will be sent Free For One Year to any person sending, before January 31, 1895, a club of three new yearly subscribers, with $3 to pay for the same.

Already the clans are gathering for the fray in 1896, and 1895 will be full of interesting events. The skirmish lines will be thrown out, the maneuvering done and the plans of campaign arranged for the great contest in '96.

The remaining short session of the Democratic Congress, to be followed shortly by a Republican Congress with a Democrat in the Presidental chair will be productive of events of incalculable interest.

In fact, more political history will be constructed during 1895 than in any year since the foundation of the Government, and a man without a newspaper will be like a useless lump in the movements of public opinion.

You can get three new subscribers for The Republic by a few minutes' effort. Remember in the Republic subscribers get a paper twice-a-week for the price of a weekly—only $1.00 a year. Try it At Once, and see how easily it can be done. If you wish a package of sample copies, write for them.

Cut out this advertisement and send with your order. Address,

THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

C. F. Field will be renominated by the Democrats to-morrow for county school comissioner. He is the strongest and most popular man to be named, and will lead his opponent a lively race. Mr. Field seems to have the general support of the teachers of the county.—Blissfield Advance.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

If the heart is thirsty, slake it;
If a blessing offers, take it;
For our life is what we make it:
Joy abounds in happy faces;
Pleasure lives in rosy places;
Let us court the goodly graces
By the way,
And will take it as we make it
In the battle every day.
—M. V. Moore.

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"Binks has got one of those talking machines."

"A phonograph?"

"No; a wife."

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"Do you go to church to hear the sermon or the music, Maude?" "I go for the hims," said Maude.

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Figg: "You'll generally find that people believe what they want to believe." Fogg: "Yes; and probably that accounts for the belief in everlasting punishment—for other people of course—being so popular."

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A pious old lady recently sent as a silver wedding present a pair of flat-irons, a rolling pin and a motto worked on cardboard reading "Fight On."

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Nine cases in ten when a man says that advertising doesn't pay, he has arrived at his conclusion because he has expected the newspaper to do it all. If he were to neglect his show window and his store front as he neglects his advertising space, he would have still other complaints to make about business in general. If the windows are never washed and the display of goods never changed, he would not expect very many people to stop and lose themselves in an ecstacy of admiration, and yet he does seem to expect just this sort of a thing for an old moss-covered advertisement. There is nothing magical about advertising. It is one of the tools of trade, just as a chisel is a tool of carpentry. The man who handles the chisel properly can do many useful things with it. If he is careless and awkward, he is likely to cut himself.

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A preacher came at a newspaper man in this way: "You editors dare not tell the truth. If you did you could not live; your newspaper would be a failure." The editor replied: "You are right; and the minister who will at all times and under all circumstances tell the whole truth about his members, alive or dead, will not occupy his pulpit more than one Sunday and then he will find it necessary to leave town in a hurry. The press and the pulpit go hand in hand with whitewash brushes and pleasant words, magnifying little virtues into big ones. The pulpit, the pen and the gravestone are the great saint making triumvirate." And the great minister went away looking very thoughtful, while the editor turned to his work and told of the surpassing beauty of the bride, while in fact she was as homely as a hedge fence.

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WHAT THE WISE MEN COULDN'T DO.

Plutarch couldn't have put on a pair of two-shilling suspenders, made a horseshoe nail answer for a button, nor rejuvenated a celluloid collar from a comatose state. He traveled extensively, and yet any bunco-man of today would have found him a fat take. He delivered lectures on philosophy, but tried to pull a wick through a cold tallow candle. He could speak twelve languages, but was silent in all when he saw a wheelbarrow for the first time.

Diogenes never went a-fishing, never stole harvest apples or melons, never attended a husking-bee or spelling-school, and he passed away without a suspicion that the barbed-wire fence was to come after him.

Pythagoras gave us the problem of Euclid, and was welcomed in the councils of the wisest men, but when he saw a sliding hog-pen door for the fist time he was so taken back that a friend had to lead him home.

King Solomon couldn't have hung a screen door to save his neck, and if he had been asked to hang a roller-curtain or put a new leg on the family lounge he would have been as helpless as an infant.

Empedocles was called the greatest of all Greek philosophers, but he couldn't tell where the material went to when he found a hole in the heel of his stocking.

Helen of Troy couldn't have sharpened a table knife on a stovepipe nor hit the head of a 10-penny nail once in forty times.

Demosthenes died without knowing that three deuces beat two pairs, and he never saw an educated hog in his life.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAR. 1, 1895.

The sick are all convalescing nicely.

Frank Schmitt visited Adrian friends Tuesday.

E. J. Semark was in Adrian on business Saturday.

Roy Burlingame, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Ed. A. Clark and John Anspoker visited the county seat Monday.

C. S. Burroughs made a business trip to Adrian and Palmyra Tuesday.

W. H. Beehler and C. F. Clark, were Tecumseh callers Tuesday.

Mrs. C. S. Burroughs and Mrs. Blanche Kimball are now able to be out.

Henry E. Fox, late of Dowagiac, is visiting friends here and in Bridgewater.

Will Rhodes and wife, of Pittsfield, visited H. D. Niblack and wife over Sunday.

Floyd Rogers spent Sunday with his people, and returned to Orchard Lake Monday.

Ed. Corey, of Tecumseh, came up with Rev. W. R. Blachford Sunday evening.

S. W. Demuth and Hermah Halladay were at the lakes Tuesday hauling in the perch.

Mrs. James Montague, of Adrian, visited Mrs. E. M. Cooley, the first of the week.

Mrs. Lucretia Amspoker entertained her lady friends at her cosy home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Charles F. Clark gave a party to her lady friends at her pleasant home, Saturday evening.

Miss Kittie Ebbitt returns to her home in Chicago Saturday; her friends regret to have her go.

Lewis Grey, formerly of Jackson, has opened a Laundry and Barber shop in the Lancaster House.

Charles McDermott and family were the guests of Wm. Jordan and family at Tecumseh over Sunday.

Ed. Breese and bride have returned from their trip and for a time will reside with Mrs. A. Platte.

P. A. Wilson, of Saline, was here Tuesday looking after the business interests of Mrs. C. Parsons.

Miss Lou A. Brown, of Saginaw, is making glad her friends by her presence. Lue is always a welcome guest.

Breese Bros. retired from the Atlas mills yesterday and Richard Steffias takes possession today (Friday.)

Mrs. Robert Bauer has been entertaining her father, R. T. VanValkenburg, of Belding, the past week.

Doc. J. E. White was in Detroit Tuesday on professional business. Andy McDermott went over the same day.

H. E. Hendershott, who has been on Will Dewey's farm, will operate the Howell farm, owned by E. R. Smith.

Geo. Terry, who has been working the Coreyell place at Newburgh, has rented what is known as the John P. Silvers farm and takes possession March 15th.

Revival meetings began at the M. E. church Sunday and will continue for some time. Rev. David Lewis is assisting Rev. D. H. Ramsdell and the outlook is very encouraging.

The Clinton Plow company will soon be in shape to do business. Their building is up and roofed and their engine and boiler have arrived from Erie, Pa., and will be placed at once.

Tuesday Mrs. E. M. Cooley entertained her mother, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Elsie Rowland, Mrs. John Heesen and Mrs. Dolph Heesen, of Tecumseh, for the day. Her mother remained over night.

B. G. Woodward went to Albion Tuesday after a car load of that celebrated flour. While their building is being erected they will occupy the hotel Edrose as a store room, it being at present unoccupied.

The Congregational church society are excavating under their building for the purpose of having the parlors, kitchen and Sunday school rooms in the basement. When completed it will be a great improvement.

Rev. D. D. Marshall is the guest of his cousin, Rev. C. M. Stout, and occupied the Baptist pulpit Suuday morning. Mr. Marshall has been at Saline but has resigned the pastorate there. He expects to go to Kentucky soon.

W. O. Silvers, Robbie Woodard, Leon Clark, Roy and Ted Codling, Tessie Carroll, Mrs. G. R. Wolfe, Mame Bradner, Eva and Jennie VanTuyle attended the party at Manchester last Friday night. They reported a delightful time.

J. E. Brown is making a survey of the business portion of the town for the purpose of making what is termed a fire map for the use of fire insurance companies and their agents. It is a great convenience and saves much labor on their part.

Miss Eva Shimmen went to Petersburgh Tuesday to see her mother and Wednesday Mrs. Mate Clark joined her and they went into Detroit to make their spring purchase and study the styles. Mate expects to return to-morrow but Eva will stay longer.

Next week occurs the regular meetings of the different secret bodies, both Masonic and Maccabees. Tuesday evening, L. O. T. M. and Clinton Chapter R. A. M.; Wednesday evening, Eastern Star Chapter; Friday evening, K. O. T. M., and Saturday evening, Clinton Lodge F. & A. M. Bear them in mind.

Mrs. Michael Klaiger died at her residence in Bridgewater, Monday night, from inflammation of the lungs and heart trouble. She leaves a husband and nine children, five of whom are married and widely scattered. They were all with her when the end came. The funeral was held at the residence, Thursday at 11 a. m.

VanTuyle & Woodward have let the contract for their new building to be erected on the corner of Jackson and East Chicago streets to E. J. Semark and it is to be completed in two weeks. It will have a basement 7 feet high. The building is to be of wood, 20x40 feet, and two stories high. When finished they will open an exchange—exchange flour and feed for grain with the farmers. It will be a great improvement to that corner.

At last they have a postoffice at Iron Creek, to be known as Spike, with Chas. M. Cooley as servant of Uncle Sam, who will dispense mail at his home. The naming of postoffices are some times attended with strange, and even comical associations, and the naming of this is one of them. When it was deemed necessary to have a postoffice the authorities at Washington were asked to mention several names from which to select, and while the official to whom fell that duty was rumaging his brain for names his eye fell on his spike-tail dog laying on a rug near by, and down went the name of Spike. When the names were received, Charlie, in glancing them over, struck the name Spike, and having a dog to which he is greatly attached bearing that cognomen he saw an opportunity to immortalize, or rather perpetuate, the name of his dog, and so took that name, and Spike it will be called.

Among the clanging bells of passing locomotives are heard now and then little silver tongued wedding bells right here in our busy little town too. Fortunately all the bells did not ring last week if we did have three weddings in one evening. They tingle once more and Mr. Alvah White and Miss Dora Marrion were the contracting parties. At promptly 7.30 o'clock last Tuesday evening C. M. Stout asked them to join hands and solemnized the marriage ceremony in the presence of several friends and neighbors. Numerous presents show the appreciation of the invitations extended, and good will toward the happy couple. Mr. White and bride left for his home in Tecumseh as soon as refreshments had been served. A host of friends regret to see the bride leave us, but such is life and we can only say that many good wishes follow. Tecumseh young men seem to take a delight in coming up here and taking away our girls, anyway. Come on, boys.

ONSTED ODDS.

G. B. Daniels has just arrived home from North Dakota.

Whooping cough prevails in this locality to some extent.

Friends from the north are guests of E. A. Taylor and wife.

Mrs. Christman has been very ill, but is reported better now.

Scarlet fever still prevails at George Greenleaf's, south of town.

Silas G. Aldrich, an old veteran of the late war, is very feeble at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Shultis, of Springville, visited M. O. Aldrich and family last week.

An eighth grade examination was held at the school house here last Saturday afternoon.

Lilbern Curtis and wife of Clayton, called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Short recently.

Fred Randolph has found employment at Battle Creek for the season handling agricultural tools.

Alfred Onsted brought home a span of horses the other day that he purchased near North Adams.

The grangers held a social at their hall on Friday evening last, and had a jolly time, as they always do.

Frank and Daisy Aldrich and Miss Dora Howard visited friends in West Rome on Wednesday of last week.

Ernest Riley, with two of his sisters, from Rollin township, are calling among relatives near here at present.

A school social was held at F. W. Darling's last Saturday evening. The young people enjoyed themselves hugely.

J. S. Kane took his little girl to Jackson the other day for treatment. Her throat has been very bad since having the scarlet fever.

Ed Harris has built a modern hen house on his property in town, and will probably get rich raising chickens and harvesting eggs.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. John Dunn is afflicted with neuralgia.

Miss Mary Deming is not so well this week.

Herbert Munger returned from Ypsilanti Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince are stopping with Bert Billington.

Mr. Sam Tripp is on the sick list, although able to be about.

Mrs. G. W. Allen and Irene are home again, and gaining steadily.

S. N. Munger drove to Ypsilanti and returned Thursday of last week.

Ella Munger came home from Ypsilanti to spend Washington's birthday.

Hoyt Whelan is boarding at home again, and driving to school at Tecumseh daily.

Herbert Munger drove to Ypsilanti, Sunday, with Ella, who returns to her duties at the Normal.

Aunt Anna Allen is a great grandmother now, a little daughter having arrived at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Skeese's on the 17th inst.

The next Lyceum will occur at Hampton's hall, Tipton. The program will appear hereafter. Everybody invited. Free for all.

Last Friday, Mr. Hause, our popular undertaker, undertook to carry Miss Irene Allen from Ypsilanti to her home in Franklin. The undertaking was eminently successful. Two days previously she was worse and her doctor in Ypsilanti forbade the journey. Friday morning in Clinton Mr. Hause was up betimes and away, reaching Ypsilanti in due season. Miss Irene was lifted carefully in her cot bed and placed in the ambulance, which had been warmed and kept so with lighted lanterns. Her mother sat beside her and Mrs. Wm. Fisher, who had been assisting in nursing her, made one of the party. In Clinton, Dr. Tuttle, who had been expecting and looking out for the party, administered a stimulant to the, then, nearly exhausted girl, and they arrived safely home shortly after 4 p. m.

The makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer offer all nervous sufferers advice and consultation of the Doctor, free of charge. Inclose stamp to The J. W. Brant Co., Albion, Mich., or 42 Dey St., New York. Ask for it at Orr & Temple's.

We are very much afraid that the Philadelphia election has not settled the next Presidential fight.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss Allie Angel, of Adrian, attended the Pioneer social.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hoadley attended the Hoadley-Fisher wedding.

Rev. Mr. Vincent greeted his many friends in Holloway Tuesday.

Thursday a large shipment of cattle, hogs and wheat from this place.

A load of Maccabees from this place called on their Palmyra brethern.

Mr. and Mrs. Miner Davidson called on L. C. Winship and wife Tuesday.

Mrs. Brown and daughter Allie and Miss Thompson spent Sunday in Blissfield.

The Lady Maccabees of this place are invited to visit their Britton sisters Friday evening.

Geo. Holloway and C. T. Ratts our popular young creamery man, went to Toledo Tuesday.

Adrian and Holloway friends spent Sunday in Ridgeway, the guests of Miss Jennie E. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Richards and daughter, Winnie, were down from Tecumseh to attend the pioneer social.

Let everyone attend the charade social at Holloway, Saturday evening. It is a benefit for the Maccabee Ladies.

One by one the pioneers of Raisin are dropping away. Death has called Jas. Symonds to the other shore. He was a great sufferer. The family has the sympathy of all.

Mr. James Lane and wife, Geo. Holloway and wife, Charles Benedict and wife, A. D. Macham and wife were invited to dinner Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie of Tecumseh.

The pioneer social at the home of J. L. Richard's was the bon-ton social of '95. A large company was present, and the ancient costumes and relics of old times, and the pioneer talks were enjoyed by all present.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Geo. McCenathen, when Miss Lizzie Fisher became Mrs. Otis Hoadley, Rev. Vincent officiating. After congratulations a bountiful repast was served and all went merry as a marriage bell.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Jos. Driscoll is just recovering from a severe attack of peritonitis.

Mrs. Selleck has returned from Chicago, leaving her daughter much better.

A cousin from Buffalo, N. Y., is the guest of David R. Smith and wife this week.

Chas. Barker's son is a little better at this writing, but there is little hopes of his recovery.

Mrs. Clark Wood is quite sick with the grip. Her sister from Adrian is taking care of her.

An auction will be held at D. T. Lowe's, Wednesday, the 27th, to dispose of his farming tools, stock, etc.

Mrs. Spangle's school at Wolf Creek closes Thursday, the 28th, with an exhibition. An enjoyable time is expected.

"Among the Breakers" was played at Wolf Creek Friday night, instead of Wednesday, as stated in last week's issue. They had a dance after the play.

"Beware the pine tree's withered branch,
Beware the awful avalanch!"

was the peasant's warning to the aspiring Alpine youth. Dangers greater than these lurk in the pathway of the young man or young woman of the present as they journey up the rugged side-hill of Time. But they may all be met and overcome by a judicious and timely use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the celebrated cure for colds; coughs, catarrh, and consumption. Better than hypophosphites or cod liver oil, unrivalled and unapproachable in all diseases arising from a scrofulous or enfeebled condition of the system. Send for a free book. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, No 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Hernia, or Rupture, permanently cured or no pay. For treatise, testimonials, and numerous references, address World's Dispensary Medical Association Buffalo, N. Y.

If this keeps up all the world's cruisers will be loafing around in Chinese waters' and they will get up a muss.

To Consumptives.

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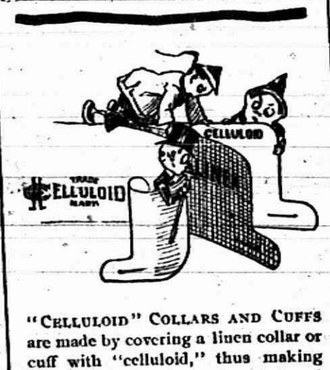

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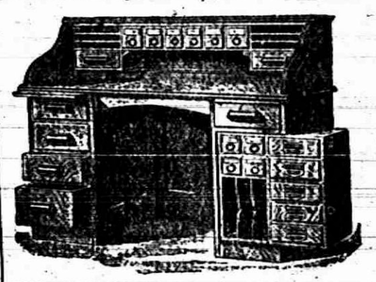

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Al. Lee has rented his farm to Ed. Allen.

James DuBois was a Tecumseh caller Wednesday.

Lloyd Ward spent Sunday with his people at Britton.

Ellen Osterhout, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her people.

Vern Smith is still suffering from running a nail in his foot.

E. L. Temple, Tecumseh's celebrated artist was in town Tuesday.

James Haight, John Exelby and Geo. W. Smith visited Toledo Monday.

The Britton boys continue to keep the road to Cone like a race track.

When you want a good whip for a small price call on James Haight.

Mrs. Elmer Osgood, of Morenci, visited friends in this vicinity recently.

Undertaker Osgood was the director at the funeral at Ridgeway Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hendershot entertained Sam Hatch and wife of Macon, Sunday.

Addie Lamkin, of Franklin, is here caring for her sister, Mrs. W. J. Helm.

Some of the A. P. A. members have taken to attending church—good for them.

Mrs. W. E Allen visited Tecumseh Wednesday to arrange some business matters.

Mesdames W. J. Helm, O. B. Lenardson and Geo. Hawks are suffering with the grip.

Mrs. M. Hiscock, of Ridgeway, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Allen, this week.

Miss Collins, of Fairfield, visited her brother, the Professor, from Thursday until Monday.

It is stated that L. A. Brown has worked steadily for a week or more, and is still in good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kelly, of Holloway, were the guests of Jas. Haight and wife the last of the week.

The K. O. T. M. held an adjourned regular meeting Wednesday evening, and eight petitions were received.

John R. Clark gave perfect satisfaction with his lecture on John B. Gough. He is a platform orator of distinction.

E. R. Beal, of Ypsilanti, paid the White Pharmacy a visit Saturday. He was well pleased with the looks of things.

Art Lee is a little sensitive on the subject of boiler iron, as he recently took tin roofing to be it. Ask Le A. Brown.

M. L. Gillen moved his family to Tecumseh the last of the week and are already nicely settled in their new home.

Dan. VanNocker, of Petersburg, came over Monday to confer with Wabash officials about erecting a grain elevator.

Regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society at the church Wednesday afternoon, March 6. Let there be a full attendance.

James Haight invites all to call and examine the work done by his new tinner, Lloyd Ward. He is a finished workman.

The Reformed church society will hold a chicken pie social in G. A. R. hall, Wednesday evening, March 6th. All are invited.

Our lady Maccabees entertain Hollister Hive of Dundee and Glen Hive of Macon this evening and we know they will have everything up in G.

Britton, who was proud of her ball team last season, and justly so, will be on deck early in the coming season with a team that will continue to win.

James Haight would call your attention to the gasoline stove manufactured by the Dangler Stove company of Cleveland, Ohio. It is certainly a dandy.

Will Britton sold his clover seed at Adrian recently. The query now is: Why can't some one here buy such things and not force people to go away for a market.

Rev. E. Mudge was quite indisposed the past week and was unable to fill his appointments Sunday. Rev. James Wright kindly attended to them, proving a friend indeed.

The building committee are ready to receive bids for the building of the stone foundation of the Reformed church in Britton. The specifications may be seen at the office of Dr. B. P. Hardy.

The masquerade box social given at the hall, Wednesday evening, by the L. T. M. was a success. It proved most amusing, and there were many characters personations that were fine. All enjoyed themselves.

It is reported that Lester Osgood and Salome Clark were married Monday evening. Where and by whom no one seems to know. Guess Salome made her assertions good. Here's congratulations anyway.—N. Y. papers please copy.

Doctor E. E. Hendershot, having decided to again occupy his farm in Macon, moved his family and household goods Wednesday. The entire community feel sad to lose them and can hardly feel reconciled to have it so.

John Exelby has returned from Card's lumber camp. He did the cooking for two weeks, and, strange to say, there were no deaths. John couldn't cook himself and so came home, and in this way he has eaten since is a caution.

Fred. Gordon, of Ypsilanti, who had been visiting relatives near here, was taken ill Monday to take the train for home, when the cutter upset and his face was badly scratched and bruised. He looked as if he had been in a prize fight.

Harrey Welling was down from Tecumseh Wednesday to see how matters progressed with the photograph gallery. Mr. Bachman and assistants, are doing good and expeditious work, and when all is done it will be a model gallery.

At a recent school meeting, held in the Kalfin district, the question of a new school building was considered and a change to relate when put to vote every one voted for it. Surely the millennium must be near. The building will be 24x32, and will be erected the coming season.

Doctor and Mrs. P. B. Hardy are mourning the loss of their 8 months old son, Raymond, which went from them Tuesday morning. It was a frail and tender plant, requiring the most watchful care, but even this was not enough. The funeral was held at the house yesterday at 10 a. m., and was largely attended by sympathizing friends.

Miss Jennie Saxton, with two friends, were coming from Ypsilanti Monday night in a cutter and when near Mr. Whiting's they upset and Jennie was quite seriously hurt. She was brought home and Dr. Hendershot called, who found the collar-bone to be broken. He reduced the fracture and she is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

For some time past some of the bloods (almost young men) have been in the habit of inducing a youth about 18 years of age, who is not strong mentally, when in town to put on the boxing gloves and then proceed to maltreat and abuse the poor unfortunate. The authorities we are informed propose to take the matter in hand, if it occurs again, and it is to be hoped they will. The boy is called Rutherford B. Hayes Archibald Perkins Ordway. It is inhuman and should be stopped.

We are pleased to announce that Geo. W. Smith, who was recently subjected to the annoyance of being charged with larceny of papers, etc., by E. T. Head, who entered the complaint at Toledo, has been honorably acquitted and comes out without even the smell of smoke on his garments. It was evidently a malicious persecution of an innocent person. Mr. Smith appeared before the grand jury Wednesday and Thursday of last week at Toledo, and after his case was presented to them, they pronounced it most flimsy, and told him he had done nothing, but what he was authorized to do, and that Head was the one who ought to be arrested. It looks now as if the Carland and Heads business in this vicinity will be speedily and thoroughly ventilated, as papers were served on Carland at Dundee Monday as he was passing through on the train. Case will be called at Dundee tomorrow, Saturday. The complainants are LaVern Smith and Lewis Miller.

A. P. A.

Reorganized—New Officers—The Flag, Though Tattered, Still Waves.

Last week the members of the A. P. A. were in the vale of despondency; today they are on the mountain of exultation, for that which was seemingly dead has come to life and bids fair to exceed its former glory. Last week Saturday evening the widely dispersed and low spirited members of the A. P. A. were summoned to convene at Ranch No. 10 for consultation. At the appointed hour the citadel was made secure by guardsmen without and within, prepared to successfully guard against all intruders, and the secret session began. First in order was roll call, and every member was found to be present. The Grand Fugler then arose, and after clearing his throat by frequent draughts of cold water from a 14-quart pail, he struck a tragic attitude, and in a clear, strong voice began as follows:

"Brethren of the mystic circle, the hour has arrived when questions of vital importance to our well being must be forever settled, and the eyes of the whole world are upon us and they wait anxiously the result of our deliberation. The first question, my noble pals, is this; Shall three queens clean out a full house?" Cries of "No!" "No!" were heard on every side, and the speaker, striking the marble pedastle, six feet high, with the gavel (his boot heel), calls them to order and continues: "The expressions just given does honor to your sex, and I congratulate you on behalf of millions of our clan scattered throughout the world that you have thus spoken and settled for all time this perplexing question. The next question is: Shall we continue to live and move and have an existence, or be forever squelched, like many of our sex?" He asked for a rising vote, and they unanimously decided to live. After order was restored they proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President—L. A. Brown.
Vice President—A. J. Lee.
Secretary—M. Britton.
Treasurer—Al. Lee.

They then proceeded to the consideration of Earl Lenardson's petition for membership, which was rejected for cause. Fred Morrell's and our petition was held over until the next meeting.

Seventeen cents, which L. A. Brown lost recently, was by unanimous vote returned to him, which made him 'Jolley.' It was decided to hold the sessions at John Beasley's until more satisfactory quarters could be secured.

The meeting then closed, and among those present we recognized Art Curtis, Bert Nichols, Harry Fuller, Mont Hoagland, Art Hughes, Dick Millson, Will Winsley, Vern and Grant Osterhout.

The future of the A. P. A. is therefore assured, and Fred Morrell informs us that his hens are beginning to lay and soon he and we will be enrolled among the faithful, as he has promised to put up for us. Long live the A. P. A. say we.

MACON MUSIC.

Libbie Walp spent Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

We are glad to be able to report Milan Sage much better.

George Harriott has purchased the Maples place, and expects to try village life.

Rob Bard has bought the Burgess home. This will leave but one unoccupied house in town.

J. B. Coller gave his graphophone entertainment in Tecumseh Monday night, and Tuesday night at Ridgeway.

Maurice Harrington has sold his interest in the store to Dill Burleson, and Mr. Travis is acting as postmaster at present.

Dame gossip reports so many changes in real estate that it is difficult to keep pace with her. Mrs. Hough has sold her house and lot to Mr. Pratt.

At the W. C. T. U. meeting last week the ladies had collected a quantity of clothing, which they repaired to send to Nebraska sufferers. These goods are to be taken charge of by Mr. Lewis, formerly of Macon.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you will probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. mar

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Wheeling is getting pretty heavy.

Lafe Rinehold, of Addison, called on friends Friday.

Postmaster Santus was in Adrian Wednesday on business.

Clara Temple and Mary Osgood were Saline visitors Tuesday.

The ground froze to the depth of three feet during the cold period.

John Osgood, of Toledo, attended his mother's funeral last Saturday.

Fred L. Cook, of Lansing, spent Sunday at the home of Lelia Sutton.

Mrs. Boyd is moving into one of Mrs. D. W. Loree's houses on South street.

Lafe Rappleye has some mixed hay in the barn which he will sell for five dollars a ton.

Addie Sherman, who has been on the sick list for several days past, is improving at present.

Jared VanVleet and wife visited relatives at Saline, Friday and Saturday, returning Sunday.

Vote Miller and wife, of Detroit, are enjoying a few days with his mother, Mrs. Miller, this week.

Mrs. Jacob Arner was called to Allegan Tuesday by the sickness of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Barrett.

Mrs. Sarah Pocklington and Mrs Augusta Barrett visited friends in Clinton last week Thursday and Friday.

Presiding Elder Davis, of Detroit, was in attendance at the meeting of the quarterly conference Monday evening.

Some of the young ladies are keeping rather mum for fear their names will appear in the Ramble column, so we are informed.

Mrs. F. N. Miller and daughter Hazel, of Angola, N. Y., are visiting relatives in the village and vicinity during the present week.

Arthur Green and wife, of Raisin, were called here last week by the sickness and death of Mrs. Geo. Osgood. Mrs. Green's mother.

Mrs. Mary E. Millson, sister of Chas. and Samuel Underwood, and Mrs. Chas. Pocklington, by the death of an aunt in England, have fallen heir to nearly $10,000.

J. B. Coller gave one of his Graphophone concerts at the schoolhouse on Tuesday evening. There was a very good attendance. The receipts amounted to nearly $6.00.

Fred Gorton and wife, of Ypsilanti, were called home by the death of their aunt, Mrs. Geo. Osgood, last week. Mrs. Gorton will spend a few days with her father, Lester Osgood, before her return.

Owing to the dark stormy night the attendence at the box social held at the Library Wednesday night, was not as large as usual. Miss Grayson and her brothers furnished some very pleasing and enjoyable vocal selections. The proceeds amounted to upwards of $10.00.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Susan Clark, on Monday evening, only the immediate family of the contracting parties being present. Rev. H. Cansfield performed the marriage vows that united Miss Salome Clark and Lester Osgood as husband and wife. The newly married couple have a host of friends who join in extending congratulations.

OBITUARY.

Died, at Ridgeway, Mich., of pneumonia, on Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1895, Mrs. Anzolette Osgood, in the 62d year of her age. Anzolette La Tourette was born in Lodi, Seneca county, N. Y., June 16, 1833, and was married to Joseph M. Hunt, June 2d, 1853. On March 21st, 1865, Mr. Hunt died, leaving one daughter, Sarah H., who is now the wife of A. C. Green, of Raisin. On March 11, 1868, Mrs. Hunt was again married, to George V. Osgood, of Macon, who died Oct. 1, 1891. Three children were born to them; one son, Joseph M., dying in infancy, and two daughters, Phebe L. and Eva, who are still living and, together with their sister, Mrs. Green, are now left to mourn the loss of one of the kindest and best of mothers. Mrs. Osgood was a true Christian woman, beloved by all who knew her. Quiet and unobtrusive in her manner, she filled out the measure of her days in a daily walk that bore no mark of selfishness, but gave perfect service and love to those with whom her gentle life was thrown. Truly the mission of such a life is a blessed one, and the memories left behind are precious. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church in Ridgeway, on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 23, and were conducted by her pastor, the Rev. J. L. Gulick, of the Reformed Church at Macon, assisted by the Rev. H. Cansfield of the Ridgeway M. E. Church, and were attended by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. The remains were interred in the Ridgeway cemetery.

Queen Lil, it is thought will be tried on the charge of treason. "I simply tried to save my crown" she can safely say, and add, in the words of Patrick Henry, "If that be treason make the most of it."

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H. M. Bailey was in Ypsilanti Sunday and Monday.

Don't forget the Y. P. S. C. E. social at Grange hall next Wednesday eve.

Mrs. J. L. Gulick is quite sick at this writing, also Mrs. J. W. Baker; in fact the list could be largely extended.

Tonsilitis, grippe and cold is a common complaint; it keeps Dr. Morden very busy, but he looks good natured.

The February thaw nearly slipped in to March this year. We are much obliged to Prof. Hicks for his prognostications.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of South Macon, will give a Numerical Social at Grange hall, on Wednesday evening, March 6th. Suitable refreshments and a fine program will be the principal attractions. All are cordially invited.

Lester Osgood and Salome Clark entered into a co-partnership last Monday evening on the life plan. The contract was completed through the services of Rev. Canafield. May their wedded life be a long and happy one will be the sentiment of their many friends.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Friday meetings will be held at the Episcopal church during Lent.

Arba Moulton, of Decatur, is visiting at C. H. Dewey's and other friends.

Miss Ida Dewey, who has been in poor health some time, is at the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

The wedding of Earnest Bartlett of Woodstock, and Miss Lydia Groger of Springville, occured at the home of the bride, on Wednesday, 27th. They will make their future home at Jackson, Mich.

The death of Henry Walker of Toledo, occurred on Friday, 22d. The remains were brought here by his son and interment made at the Junction Cemetery. Mr. Walker was 78 years of age, was an old pioneer resident at the Junction, formerly owning the farm of Mr. A. Billmeyer.

Knights of the Maccabees.

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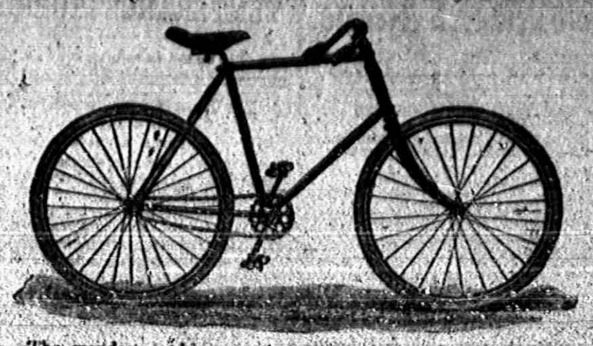

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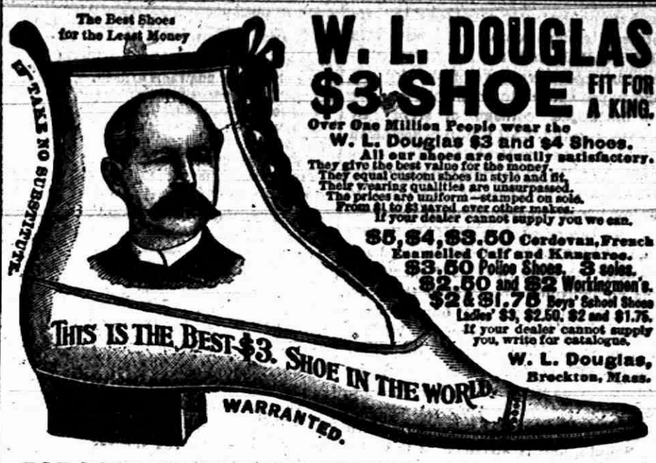

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Feb. 25, 1895.

President Cleveland has either fully made up his mind to call an immediate extra session of the Fifty-fourth Congress or he is making a big bluff to prevent the present Congress making an extra session necessary by failure to pass some of the appropriation bills. It has become perfectly clear that the republican leaders do not want an extra session called, and the administration Senators took advantage of that knowledge to prevent action upon the bill for the unlimited coinage of silver, by threatening to let all the appropriation bills go and devote the remainder of the session to talking against the silver bill to prevent a vote thereon. The threat was good, the silver bill was abandoned, as under the present rules of the Senate it would have been impossible to have forced a vote upon it, even if there had been no appropriation bills in the way. In fact, the bill would not have brought up there if it had not been an implied agreement to allow a vote to be taken. President Cleveland and the eastern republican Senators had an idea that the House might take up and pass the bill in a rush if it were allowed to go thro' the Senate, and it was decided to kill it at all hazards.

There is reason for the belief that the calling of an extra session of Congress will depend largely upon the result of a canvass of the new members now being quietly made by friends of the administration and upon whether the bankers drew out the gold which came in from the last sale of bonds as quietly as they did that which came in from the other bond issues. The President is very sore over the criticism of his part in the last bond deal; hence the belief that he will not issue more bonds should the gold again get low without first calling an extra session of Congress and asking for action.

After a somewhat sharp contest in conference, the income tax law was amended to cover the following points: Extension of time to make returns for 1894 to April 15; that money paid for fire insurance and ordinary repairs shall be deducted, that money received as dividends from corporations liable to the tax shall be deducted, and that employers shall not be required to furnish names and salaries of employes, except when called for to verify returns made by said employes. Senator Hill's amendment to strike out a number of the questions asked by blanks prepared by the Treasury department which was adopted by the Senate, was struck out by the conference committee at the request of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, who said the questions were considered necessary aids for the collection of the tax.

That friendship is stronger than ties of partisan politics is a fact well known in Washington, if not in all sections of the country. An instance was given when Senator Voorhees, one of the most partizan of democrats, escorted Senator Wilson, Washington's new Senator, to the Vice President's desk, to be sworn in as a member of the Senate, and it was made more impressive to many by the knowledge that it was Senator Voorhees who gave Senator Wilson his first start as a politician, by getting him appointed receiver of a government land office in the then territory of Washington. Senator Voorhees was about forty years ago defeated in a Congressional election by the father Senator Wilson. Senator Wilson cast his first vote in the Senate the same way that his personal friend and political opponent, Mr. Voornees, did—for silver.

There is one man in Washington who is still a devout worshipper at the Cleveland shrine, notwithstanding the wide-spread criticism of President Cleveland's recent acts, particularly in connection with the making of that bond contract. That man is Hon. Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture, who was the host at the last cabinet dinner given to President and Mrs. Cleveland. In order to make that occasion forever memorable in the Morton family, Hon. J. Sterling had two chairs made at a considerable cost, one for the use of the President and one for Mrs. Cleveland, each having a massive silver plate engraved with the name of the sitter, the date of the banquet, etc., and informed the public, through the society columns of the daily papers, that those chairs would be preserved forever and a day as souvenirs of the greatest event in the history of the Morton family.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

The New Marseillaise Hymn.

BY REV. T. L. WEAVER.

Ye sons of men, awake from slumber!
Hark! Hark! what suffering bids you rise!
Poor children, wives, a countless number,
Behold their tears and hear their cries!
Behold their tears and hear their cries!
Shall licensed tyrants, mischief breeding,
With hireling hosts a ruffian band,
Disgrace and desolate our land,
While peace and liberty lie bleeding?

To arms, to arms, ye brave!
The avenging vote let fall,
March up! march up! all hearts resolved
To heed our country's call.

O Liberty, shall we resign thee,
Once having felt thy generous flame?
Shall drunkards, thins and bloats o'erthrow thee,
Or hags blot out thy noble name?
Or hags blot out thy noble name?
Too long the world has wept, bewailing
That whisky's dagger tyrants wield,
And make of earth a bloody field—
Death and rags and woe entailing.

To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.

Oh, fall in line, ye Christian voters,
Who pray so oft "Thy Kingdom come!"
How can you vote with soaks and boaters
And help to feed the fires of rum?
And help to feed the fires of rum?
Shall our ship of state sink in wafers
That boil and foam and seethe and hiss?
Shall she the port of safety miss,
And cast adrift our sons and daughters?

To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.

The assassin's knife is each bo[illegible]
Some throat all unaware is to
Drunken husbands to rum [illegible]
To bleeding backs apply the l[illegible]
To bleeding backs apply the
Shall we stand by and see the river
Of blood flow on by night and day?
Nay, rather let us cease to pray,
Or shoot an arrow from our quiver.

To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.

WESTFIELD, PA.

The Great Petition.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16, (Special Correspondence to The Voice)—The great gathering of nearly six thousand people which convened at Convention Music Hall last evening, as a prelude to the presentation of the voluminous polyglot petition to the American Government, was a grand success.

The massive hall was artistically festooned with miles of the big petition hanging in graceful curvings all over the vast area of space in the colossal auditorium, while rolls upon rolls were placed upon rests of the iron spans overhead; and upon a front portion of the stage, draped in the flag of our nation, rested immense packages of the ponderous document. Emblematic of the petition's purpose and meaning, stood a large globe of the world at the left of the foot of the stage, encircled with a wide band of white ribbon tied in a huge bow-knot where the ends met. Flags and fresh flowers completed the decorations.

A letter of regret from Miss Willard for the absence of herself and Lady Somerset was the opening announcement of the evening, read by the presiding officer, Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, of Maine, vice president of the National W. C. T. U. Miss Anna Gordon, Miss Willard's private secretary, then read an address prepared by Miss Willard.

The names upon the petition, Miss Willard's paper stated, are arranged in three classes; first, names of women; second, written indorsements of men; third, attestations of officers of societies which indorsed the petition, by resolution or otherwise; 1,121,200 actual signatures are now on the petition, representing fully 7,500,000 names to date, and the name of Gen. Neal Dow heads the list. It is expected, Miss Willard's paper continues, that 2,000,000 actual signatures and 5,000,000 additional indorsers will yet be secured.

Miss Willard and Lady Somerset will head on Monday a small delegation to go before the President to bring his attention to the polyglot petition and secure his consent to place before Congress a certified copy of the signatures to the colossal document. The original polyglot petition will remain in this city in the custody of Mrs. H. LaFetra until the time for its shipment to Great Britain, where it will next be offered to the queen.

DEATH OF CHAS. F. ARNOLD.

The following is taken from the Adrian Daily Times of Monday. Mr. Arnold was well known to our people, having been connected with his brother, William in business here some years ago:

Chas. Arnold died at 2:30 this morning, at his home 115 East Maumee street, of pneumonia. He was taken sick Saturday morning, and in the afternoon, following a congestive chill, Dr. Williams pronounced the patient's ailment to be pneumonia.

The deceased, who was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Arnold, was 44 years of age. He was born in Baden, Germany, and came with his parents to Monroe, when but a year old, accompanying them to this city, where he was educated a year later.

When 15 years of age he took a position as clerk in the drug store of Niles, Clay & Cook, and followed this experience with a three year's clerkship in the drug store of Wm. Johnson, on Jefferson avenue, in Detroit.

He went to Tecumseh in 1878, going into partnership with his brother William, in the bakery business, and remained there four years. Returning to Adrian, he entered the grocery store of Wagner & Arnold, and when in 1881 Mr. Wagner withdrew from the firm, the son was taken as a partner by the father. The firm has since been C. Arnold & Son.

Mr. Arnold served the Second ward as alderman one term, being elected in 1887.

Deceased was married in 1877 to Miss Mary Heile, who died in November 1893. There were no children. Besides the parents Mr. and Mrs. Casper Arnold, one brother and two sisters survive, viz: William Arnold, Tecumseh; Mrs. Geo. A Nufer and Miss Anna Arnold, of this city.

The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Joseph's church.

The Automatic Safety Pin.

E. B. Lee, postmaster at Weston was in the city Tuesday and made the Press office a friendly call. Mr. Lee is the inventor of an automatic safety pin, which is about the slickest thing in the pin line we ever saw. It is very simple in construction yet thoroughly practical. It can be pinned or unfastened by pulling straight out. Mr. Lee showed us three sizes of this pin, which is covered by three different patents. The smallest size is to use in children's clothes and is perhaps an inch and a quarter long. The second size is probably about two inches in length, and can be used for holding up suspenders, stockings, or as a shawl pin. The third size is for use on horse blankets, and is some five inches long. A man with gloves or mittens on, can use one of these pins, as well as when barehanded.

Mr. Lee has talked with one or two of our leading business men in regard to the manufacture of these pins in this city, and would like to organize a stock company for that purpose with about $10,000 capital say nine men besides himself each putting in $1,000. Mr. Lee would hold the patent, and if the pin proved a success, which is almost a certainty, the company to pay him a certain royalty, and then divide the profits and dividends pro rata. This seems a fair proposition, certainly, as Mr. Lee would lose his $1,000 with the rest, if it proved a failure and if successful only get a trifle more than the others as pay for his invention, cost of patent, etc.

He is in correspondence with the manufacturers of two safety pin companies, and in fact there are only two in existence, and they are making him good offers for his patent, but if he can manufacture it here, he had rather do so. We hope it can be brought about, and believe it is as good a paying investment as a man can go into.—Adrian Press.

In Memory of Mrs. Lathrap.

Harriman, Tenn., Feb. 14, (Special Correspondence to The Voice.)—The plans for the erection of Fisk Memorial Hall, the first permanent edifice of the American Temperance University, include a beautiful chapel to seat 1,500 persons. Its foundation is ready for the walls. Its cost will be about $10,000. It is now proposed to complete this edifice as a memorial to the late Mrs. Mary T. Lathrap, and that it shall forever bear her name. A number of her special friends, among the Prohibitionists, have indorsed the plan.

Prof. Samuel Dickie has been reqested to act as treasurer for the Lathrap fund. No portion of the fund is to be used until at least $5,000 are paid in or amply guaranteed.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, was in town yesterday.

Charles L. Davis as Alvin Joslin at Sutton's Opera House March 18th.

Attorney Wightman and Editor Field were in Adrian Wednesday on business.

Westley Mantell, the actor, is here, and with the assistance of local talent expects soon to produce the great comedy "For a Million."

W. J. Arnold and family went to Adrian, Tuesday afternoon, to be present at the funeral of his brother, Chas. F. Arnold, which occured on Wednesday.

Bran has been a scarce article in the past few months on account of southern Michigan mills being compelled to close for lack of business. Any one can get all they want at the Globe Mills for the next few days.

Sunday next at the Universalist church, both morning and evening, Rev. Jacob Merrifield of Manchester, will occupy the pulpit while the pastor of the church is doing the same at Manchester, Sunday school at 12 M. Y.P.C.U. at 6 p.m. Topic: God's Every Day Mercies.

Last evening Rev. C. M. Brown gave an illustrated lecture at his church entitled, "A Trip Through Japan." About sixty views were shown and the descriptive portion was both edifying and instructive. A very happy finale was given, consisting of portraits of Mr. Brown and J. H. Smith on one slide with the words "Good Night" between.

Levi B. Stevens, of Detroit, was called to Tecumseh, Wednesday, on a sad errand. His little boy, Benj. A. was taken seriously ill on Friday, the 15th, with an attack of peritonitis, and never rallied. He was taken away on the 25th. The remains were brought here on Wednesday, accompanied by the father and Mr. J. B. Whelan, and after appropriate services held at the home of B. F. Reynolds, conducted by Rev. H. A. Smith, the little casket was laid to rest in our evergreen cemetery. Mrs. Stevens, the mother, was sick at home, and was unable to attend the funeral. The boy had always been very healthy, never having seen a sick day before. His death will be a severe blow to both father and mother.

High School Happenings.

Philosophy Class is studying sound at present.

Rhetoric Class have finally got a rest onessays.

Will Hicks entered school Wednesday morning.

The latest fad—to end up a party with a dance.

Miss Howell was absent a portion of last Wednesday.

Tom Owens visited school room B Wednesday afternoon.

Latin Class 10 A begin the reading of Ovid in about two weeks.

The first robin of the season was heard Thursday morning.

Prof. Kellogg filled the position of Miss Wimple Wednesday morning.

Washington's birthday was properly observed by the school last Friday.

That the teachers do not give examinations for spite was proven by Prof. Kellogg in a short talk Monday morning.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The Farmers' Union will be entertained at the home of Geo. Holloway, Tuesday evening, March 12, 1895, with the following program:

Music—Hertha and Blanche Macham.
Dec.—Seymour Boyd.
Rec.—Mrs. Chas. Benedict.
Music—John T. Boyce.
Reading—Mrs. John Richard.
Music—Miss Eva Doty.
Personals—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
Dec.—Forest Florence.
Song—Miss Jennie Calhoun.
Question—What rights and benefits more than they now receive, do women expect by having the right of suffrage? Aff.—Mrs. B. I. Laing, Mrs. M. Smeltzer. Neg.—R. M. Boyd and John L. Richard.

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CORPORATION CAUCUS.—The annual caucus for placing in nomination candidates to be supported at the annual corporation election of the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, to be held at the council building on Monday, March 4, 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated this 26th day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.—No the electors of the village of Tecumseh: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village of Tecumseh will be held at the council building in said village on Saturday, March 9, 1895, from 9 a. m. until 8 p. m. of said day, for the purpose of registering the names of such persons as desire to become electors of said village.
Dated this 26th day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

ANNUAL CORPORATION ELECTION. Notice is hereby given to the electors of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, that the annual corporation election will be held upon the second Monday of March, being the 11th day of March, at the council building in said village, at which election the following officers are to be elected, to-wit: President, Treasurer, Clerk, three Trustees for two years, and one Assessor. The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated this 26th day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

CITIZENS' CAUCUS.—A caucus to place in nomination candidates for village officers for the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, will be held at the council building on Monday, March 4 at 4 o'clock p. m.
Dated Tecumseh, Feb. 28, A. D. 1895.
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TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH. 1, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Fred Beck spent Sunday with friends in Adrian.

J. D. Kinney & Co., finished taking inventory Saturday.

Mrs. Brewer entertained a company Saturday afternoon.

Geo. S. Field visited his mother at Manchester over Sunday.

Chas. Bell, of Jackson, visited his relations here over Sunday.

Ed. Corey accompanied Rev. W. R. Richford to Clinton Sunday evening.

T. D. Marks left Monday morning to resume his duties as juror at the county seat.

Mrs. Frank J. Temple and children visited Ridgeway friends from Friday till Monday.

W. W. Whiting is an expert at solving conundrums. If you don't believe it just try him.

Will Hicks came home from Milwaukee Saturday for a visit with his people and friends.

Miss Etta Baker, of Detroit, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Whiting over Sunday.

H. Hollister and family are making arrangements for their departure to their new home in Ohio.

Horatio Keyser, Thos. R. Kyle, Will Ingersoll, C. D. Keyes and John J. Lee attended the county convention at Adrian Saturday.

John F. Hicks, who has been quite ill-disposed for a week past, is able to be out again and is gaining strength daily.

James Wilson, of Toledo, was shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends Tuesday. Jim does not seem to change much.

Miss Clarinda Walker, after a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends, returned to her home, near Brooklyn, Wednesday.

Lovel J. Walker, of Brooklyn township, came over and made his friends a short visit. He returned home Monday morning.

During the last ten days A. W. Slayton has sold at wholesale to be used 75,000 feet of lumber—times are improving.

Mrs. Milbern Keyser and little Florence are visiting Adrian friends this week, and while they are away Blanche is with Horatio Keyser and wife.

C. L. Gillen and family are now residents of Tecumseh, having moved from Clinton the last of the week. Mr. Gillen is connected with the plating works.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton visited Jackson friends last week and while there attended a meeting of a social club called the Assembly. She returned home Saturday.

Miss Carrie Shaw, of Adrian, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser from Saturday until Tuesday. Miss Shaw is one of the compositors in the Times office.

The sixth and last entertainment of the Star Course will be given by Prof. John B. DeMotte, on Saturday evening next week, March 9th. Subject: "The Harp of the Senses, or Secret of Character Building."

F. Field was quite ill Friday night and Saturday, but we are pleased to say is improving steadily now. His duties as superintendant of schools are severe at best, and the extreme weather we have had made them more so.

Bring on that wood.

We are in want of wood at this office at once.

Roy DeWolf, after a week's visit with his Mother, returned Monday to Detroit.

Joe Everett has secured a job in the Clinton Woolen Mills and begins work Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Bigelow, of Dundee, visited her friend Miss McKee, the last of the week.

Percy Fitzsimmons is the proud possessor of a new Columbia wheel of the 1895 pattern.

Fred Burrell and Oscar Hall returned home Tuesday morning after an absence of four months.

Mesdames Kemp and Rowland, John and Dolph Heesen visited Mrs. E. M. Conley at Clinton Tuesday.

Any and all communications received by mail not having a signature will be consigned to the waste paper basket.

E. F. Kirchgessner and sister Libbie, went to Adrian Wednesday to attend the funeral of their cousin, Charles Arnold.

Miss Emma Hall and Adah Erskine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Silvers of Clinton, the latter part of last week.

Miss Lena Wyrill, gave a party for her friend Miss McCarbery, of Macon, Wednesday evening. It was a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. M. H. Harmon and Miss Mary Totten, of Kalamazoo, came to attend the funeral obsequies of their uncle. William Totten.

Mrs. E. A. Keyser, who is visiting friends here, went to Adrian Wednesday for a short visit with friends there. She will return Monday.

Aside from the Bible I know of nothing more valuable than Prof. DeMotte's "Secret of Character Building."—Rev. I. A. Thayer, Newcastle, Pa.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. Society of the M. E. Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Dr. Hause on Wednesday afternoon March 9th; meeting to begin promptly at 2:30; no tea served, but a very interesting program has been prepared.

Under Prof. DeMotte's skillful handling, with the aid of the stereopticon, it not only proved to be very interesting and instructive, but judging from the various remarks of the audience overheard at the close, many will place this lecture at the top of the list.—Lawrence (Mass.) Daily Eagle.

The members of the Royal Arcanum, a short time since, held one of their pleasant social gatherings at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Snedicor's, and Wednesday evening another was held at the residence of George Cadwell. These gatherings are very popular and the members with their families are having jolly times.

In one of the show windows of Anderson & Co's middle store may be seen a work of art constructed by Lawrence VanTyne, viz: a machinist's tool chest. It is most complete in its arrangements, is built of solid woods, walnut and oak, and very compact. It might well be considered an ornamental piece of furniture it is so beautiful. It reflects great credit to the designer and builder—look at it.

Under a provision of an act of the Legislature, which took effect Monday, Feb., 25th, 1895, it has become necessary to change the date of holding the village election from next Monday, March 4th, until Monday, March 11th; the Board of Registration will be in session Saturday, March 9th, and not March 2d, as heretofore noticed. Official notice of election and meeting of Board of Registration will be found in another column.

Prof. DeMotte is undoubtedly the most entertaining scientific lecturer on the American platform, and an immense amount of valuable information comes along with the unequalled entertainment. It was illustrated throughout with stereopticon views and scientific experiments, not such views as would naturally be suggested by the term stereopticon lecture, but scientific theories and truths embodied and presented tangibly.—Akron (O.) Beacon.

Parties have been going through this vicinity selling keys to school books, claiming they were recommended by H. R. Pettingill, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Chas. W. McNeil of Newburgh, wrote him regarding it and received a letter dated and saying as follows:

LANSING, Mich. Feb. 20, '95.
C. W. McNeil. Dear Sir: I never gave a recommend in my life for "Keys to School Books" and I don't believe in their distribution. You have my permission to make this as public as you please. Yours, H. R. PETTINGILL.

It was a splendid lecture, and I assure you here again that everyone who heard it was delighted. I hope he can give us a return date. Charleston people have had the pleasure of listening to a number of noted lecturers in the past few years; but we believe that we can truthfully say that Dr. DeMotte gave more general satisfaction and delighted more people than anyone who has ever visited this city as a platform speaker. His handsome, manly appearance, his instructive experiments, his glowing and eloquent descriptions and explanations, and best of all his brave, outspoken appeals for a higher standard of morals in society, especially among those of the sterner sex, completely captivated his hearers.—H. B. Glassco, editorially in Charleston (Ill.) Plain Dealer.

Miss Ella Chilson is quite ill.

Roy DeWolf, of Detroit, was at home over Sunday.

Rev. J. P. Varner was an Adrian visitor Wednesday.

Edith Corey has been having tonsilitis the past week.

Special meeting of the Blue Lodge tonight. Third degree work.

David Zeluff and wife, who have been quite ill, are both gaining nicely.

Dick VanDuser, who was injured while coasting, is now out of danger.

T. G. Mead was called to Mobile, Ala., Wednesday, by the illness of a brother.

Watch out for the date of the chocolate tea to be given soon by the B. Y. P. U.

John and Mary Riley were the victims of a pleasant surprise Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. B. Wood made her sister, Mrs. H. S. Cheever, a visit at Ann Arbor last week.

Go to Heesen's store and see the two-legged pig, Tipton Girl. Admission, ten cents.

Capt. Hayden and Lieut. Sam McClure attended the military ball at Adrian last Friday.

Theo. P. Wood expects to take the road soon with James Wilson, the parti-colored man.

Reserved seats for DeMott's lecture will begin at Kirchgessner's Thursday morning next.

John Orr left Wednesday night to attend the Democratic state convention at Saginaw. He expects to return to-morrow.

Many of the Odd Fellows of Tecumseh, will attend the grand dedication of Clark Memorial Hall next Wednesday at Adrian.

The ladies social of the Baptist church will be entertained by Mrs. DeWolf and her committee Thursday afternoon, March 7th.

The A. F. C club met at Chas. Heck's Wednesday evening, but grand bouncer, Will Orr, had no use for his enlarged muscle as there were no candidates.

Prof. D. A. Hammond, of Ann Arbor, who formerly taught school here has been nominated for County Superintendent of schools, by the Democrats of Washtenaw county.

Chas. E. Totten, of Smyrna, was called here yesterday to attend his brother William's funeral. He gave the HERALD a call this morning, and will return home to-morrow.

H. W. Stevens went to Adrian today to make his returns to the County Treasurer. He has collected $15,102 in taxes and only returns $308,18 as uncollected. Pretty good for these times.

Monday morning Roy Burlingame's pleasant countenance may be seen in the clothing department of Spayde's emporium. He begins his engagement at that time. They are both to be congratulated.

The Armory was the scene of a pleasant time yesterday afternoon and evening. The Co. C boys gave a supper which was well attended and netted them a nice little sum. The young men make good waiters.

The snow is hardly off our streets and yet the bicycle season has opened with a rush. J. N. Satterthwaite and C. F. Patterson were out yesterday with the very latest Victory wheels and they are beauties. The firm of Satterthwaite Bros' handle these popular wheels.

The M. E. church parlors were filled to their utmost capacity Monday evening to hear Coller's grapohphone concert. The program was nicely arranged, being varied in character and was rendered so that all were pleased. At the close of the program several of the pieces were repeated. It was a fine entertainment.

Mrs. R. B. Robbins, of Adrian, has been chosen Secretary of the Council of Women, which has just been holding its session at Washington. It will be a great honor bestowed upon Lenawee County, but we know it has been worthily bestowed. The recipient will honor the position as well.

Wm. Totten, one of our oldest residents, who has been in very feeble health for several months, succumbed to the dread destroyer on the 26th inst. The funeral services were held at the residence on Pearl street yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. C. Andrus gave a brief and fitting address to the mourners and a quartette of Masons furnished appropriate vocal music. The Masonic fraternity, attended in a body and the rest of the service was conducted by the brethren of the order from the Masonic ritual. A large delegation from Tecumseh Lodge followed the remains to the grave and participated in the obsequies.

Mrs. Thomas B. Church, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has been organist of St. Mark's Episcopal church in that city for 50 years. But one other instance in the World's history has equaled it, viz: Prof. Stainer who was for 50 years organist in St. Paul's Cathedral, London. Mrs. Church in all these years was late but twice. St. Mark's choir and society celebrated the golden event at the church Friday evening last with a grand sacred concert. It was an evening of rare enjoyment. Mrs. Church was the recipient of many tokens of love and esteem, besides a life-lease of her favorite pew and a purse of over $700. May this estimable lady be spared to fill her loved position many years, is the prayer of St. Mark's society, in which the HERALD heartily joins.

Chas. L. Silvers and wife, of Clinton, attended Charley's Aunt, Friday night.

The Whist Club met with the Misses Hartbeck and Gray on Monday evening.

Orr and Temple have finished taking inventory and every thing is in apple pie order.

James Lowry has been scrubbing out his store and has had a general cleaning up. They are as slick as grease.

Rev. James C. Hagerman went up to Clinton last evening to assist in the revival meetings being held at the M. E. Church.

The Grayson family sang at the Box Social at Ridgeway Wednesday evening and added largely to the enjoyment of the evening.

Ben Garlinghouse has taken additional responsibilities upon his shoulders recently. Ask Charlie Patterson; he can give you full particulars.

N. M. Sutton went over to Detroit Monday morning and returned Wednesday night accompanied by Mrs. Sutton who has been there some time.

Girls', if you had seen Scove Walker wielding scrubbing brush and wash cloths on the wood work at the Post-Office Wednesday you might have got some pointers. He is still in market, and now is your chance.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. Fowler during the month of March. It is greatly desired that every member be present on Friday March 8, at 3 P. M. as it is the annual election of officers.

A late number of the Deadwood News contains the following, that will interest our readers: "Mrs. W. S. Elder recently gave a dinner party, in honor of the Governor of the State, which was a very elegant affair." Mrs. Elder was formerly Miss Maud Eccles of this place.

Mrs. Geo. H. Sherwood and sister, Miss Mana Monaghan, who came to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. W. A. Wood, and remained for a short visit with friends, left Tuesday for Cambridge, where they will make a short visit and then return to Marshall.

A public meeting will be held in the Baptist church under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Union on Sunday evening, March 3, in which all the congregations will unite. Devotional exercises will be conducted by Mrs. Amy Jones, Supt. of Evangelistic work. The pastors of the several churches will give short addresses.

They have been making several changes in the Sunday school at St. Peter's Episcopal church, owing to the departure from the community of Miss Bassett, who has been a valued and faithful teacher and whom they deeply regret to lose. Mrs. S. W. Temple will take the class she has had and Miss Minnie Corey will take the infant class which Mrs. Temple has served so long, and will conduct it on the Kindergarten plan.

The Lenten season is upon us. It commenced day before yesterday, "Ash Wednesday" and will continue forty days. During this season it is expected people will refrain from giving or attending social parties and entertainments and give themselves more to self examination, religious and charitable work. The religious bodies generally are observing this season more than formerly, as they are Christmas and Easter.

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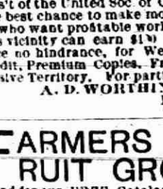

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POLITICS IN MICHIGAN.

Republicans and Prohibitionists Name State Tickets.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 22.—The republican state convention on Thursday nominated Judge J. R. Moore, of Lapeer, for associate justice of the supreme court of Michigan on the seventh ballot. Roger W. Butterfield, of Grand Rapids, and Charles Hackley, of Muskegon, were nominated by acclamation for regents of the university. A platform was adopted, of which the following is a synopsis:

It congratulates the people of Michigan and of the country at large upon the magnificent republican victories last November, and predicts the restoration of confidence and national prosperity upon the return of the republican party to full control of national affairs; charges the democratic party with gross maladministration of national affairs, by which they have bankrupted the treasury of the United States, driven prosperity from our people by a mongrel tariff act, caused a shrinkage of revenue, and forced a sale of bonds to supply the deficiency thereby created, and arraigns the democratic administration for its un-American policy whereby home industry is paralyzed and national honor humiliated; denounces as unpatriotic and un-American the administration's Hawaiian policy; indorses the action of the Michigan members of congress in "voting against the proposition to change the word 'coin' to 'gold' in bonds issued by the United States government;" affirms the planks of the republican state platform in 1894 relatin to tariff, currency, reciprocity, labor, immigration and the election laws; indorses the present state administration; recommends that a constitutional amendment be submitted to the people increasing the salaries of state officials, and laments the death of Hon. Francis B. Stockbridge.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 23.—The prohibition state convention on Thursday nominated Myron W. Walker, of Grand Rapids, for justice of the supreme court. Prof. D. B. Reed, of Hillsdale college, and Hon. Noah W. Cheeney, of Ann Arbor, were nominated for regents of the university of Michigan. After reaffirming the prohibition platform upon which the party conducted its campaign last fall, the convention adopted resolutions favoring the submission to the people in the spring of 1896 of a prohibitory amendment by the present legislature, deploring the death of Mary T. Lathrop and emphasizing the allegiance of the party to the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

SHAKESPEARE APPEALS.

Asks That His Pension Be Restored to Its Former Rating.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 22.—William Shakespeare, of Kalamazoo, Mich., has applied to the District supreme court for a writ of mandamus against Commissioner of Pensions Lochren to compel the restoration of his pension from $30 to $72. Shakespeare was paralyzed in both legs, with necrosis of the left leg, as a result of the battle before Jackson, Miss., and Secretary Noble granted him a pension of $72, a rating reduced to $30 last autumn. The petitioner claims that the commissioner's action was illegal and unconstitutional.

HAD A RICH UNCLE.

A Michigan Woman Falls Into a Fortune of Nearly $1,000,000.

BLISSFIELD, Mich., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Isaac Hope, of this town, has fallen heir to nearly $1,000,000 by the death of an uncle in Africa. When only 16 years of age, the uncle, William McKay, ran away from Scotland and located in the gold fields of Africa. His parents both died and everybody lost track of the boy. He died some time ago, leaving an estate of $15,000,000. There are sixteen heirs living in Ohio, Michigan and Illinois, among whom the estate will be divided.

Death of a Sheriff.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 24. — Sheriff Nathaniel Rice died Saturday of typhoid fever. He was elected sheriff last fall, and entered upon the duties of his office in January. He was 54 years old, was born in Canada, and had lived in this county thirty years. He served one term as register of deeds of the county. His under sheriff, Edwin C. Woodworth, will succeed him until his successor is chosen at a special election.

Detroit's Dog Show.

DETROIT, Feb. 27.—The third annual bench show of the City of the Straits Kennel club opened Tuesday. Over 450 blooded dogs were in position and the attendance was large, society women being in the majority. Perhaps the center of interest was the St. Bernard department. Sir Bedivere, the winner of 100 prizes, and valued at $20,000, 35 inches tall, weighing 200 pounds, was the center of attraction.

The Peach Crop.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 27.—About 25 per cent. of the hardy peaches and 60 to 75 per cent. of the tender varieties have been killed in the vicinity of Benton Harbor, according to the report of R. Morrill, of Benton Harbor, at the fruit-growers' meeting here. Reports from this section and from north of here were to the effect that the peach prospects were never better at this time of the year.

Held for Trial.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 24.—The examination of the men charged with wrecking a Chicago & Grand Trunk passenger train here at the time of the strike last July, which has dragged along for four months, was concluded Saturday night. Two of the men, John C. Bodewig and William Hall, were bound over to the circuit court to stand trial. Bail was fixed at $10,000.

Sanitarium Burned.

FLINT, Feb. 25.—A serious fire visited this city Sunday night. About 6 o'clock fire was discovered in the upper story of the Allen sanitarium and as some of the hydrants were frozen the flames had gained control before water was obtained, and the entire building with most of its contents was consumed. The loss will be about $10,000; insurance, $2,000.

Street Car Line Crippled.

LANSING, Feb. 22.—The barns of the Lansing Street Railway company, together with five motor cars and all of the company's trailers, were destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The company will be unable to continue service for the present. Loss, $25,000.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

The statement is made that in Lansing two-thirds of the saloons will quit business May 1.

At Saginaw the wife of Conductor Edgar Deline, of the Flint & Pere Marquette railway, committed suicide by shooting herself through the head. No cause for the deed is known.

The cost of the recent storm to the Chicago & West Michigan road is estimated at $22,000.

Annual meeting of the Michigan Christian Endeavor union will be held in Bay City March 26, 27 and 28.

It has been decided, although informally, by the mayor, city attorney and nearly all of the officials of Ironwood, to repudiate the last issue of city bonds, amounting to $150,000.

Three pupils of the Prairie creek school, located a mile east of Ionia, are in jail on a charge of assaulting their teacher, George Barr. Barr is said to have been frightfully beaten.

At Union City Frank Crosier fatally shot James Davis in a quarrel over Crosier's attentions to Davis' sister.

John L. Diegle, Jr., an employe of the Detroit post office, was arrested at Ann Arbor, charged with robbing the mails.

James Martin, who has been traveling through Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and southern Michigan securing money on alleged forged notes, was arrested in Ottawa county.

Wilson Gebhard, of Hart, declares that last season his orchard netted him $850 per acre. Almost all of his land was planted with plums.

Eight drug store proprietors in the north end of Berrien county have been arrested charged with running their stores without a registered pharmacist in charge.

The United States senate has passed the house bill to allow to James Phelan, internal revenue collector at Detroit, $600 stolen from his office in April, 1894.

Edward Wyant was killed at a lumber camp near Manistee by a tree falling on him.

John Long's body was found on the railroad track near Flushing with the head severed and he is supposed to have committed suicide.

THE ADVENTISTS.

Further Proceedings of Their Convention at Battle Creek.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 23.—At the Adventists' conference Friday it was decided to decline all grants or privileges offered by any civil government or ruler for religious work. An offer of 12,000 acres of land had been made by the South African Chartered company of Zambesi. It was reported that Sunday bills had been introduced in the legislatures of Delaware, Minnesota, Nebraska, Missouri and Montana, and representatives of the denomination were asked to work to defeat the bills if possible.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 25.—The Adventists' conference Sunday discussed the distribution of its denominational papers, of which there are twenty-five printed. These papers are printed in twelve different languages in Europe alone. Nominations were made for officers of the next general conference, O. A. Olsen, of Battle Creek, being named for president.

BATTLE CREEK, Feb. 26.—The Adventists decided to establish a course of study for their ministers and workers similar to the Chautauqua course and it was also decided to publish an educational journal devoted to the Chautauqua study. The general Sabbath-School association showed an increase of 7,800 members, with surplus donations amounting to $22,375 to be given to foreign work.

A Worthy Movement.

LANSING, Feb. 26.—In May, 1853, James Hitchcock was sent to prison from this county, having been convicted of murder. After thirty-two years he established his innocence to the satisfaction of Gov. Alger, who pardoned him on Thanksgiving day, 1885, the old man proving that he had been convicted on perjured testimony. He is now 80 years old. His family died while he was in prison, and an effort will be made to induce the legislature to make some provision for his remaining days. A joint resolution was introduced for this purpose last week.

Steamer Petoskey Freed.

ST. JOSEPH, Feb. 26.—The steamer Petoskey, which had been icebound since the first part of January, succeeded Monday afternoon in working her way through the ice to the end of the piers, where she now lies. It has a large cargo of freight and coal. On the way to Milwaukee it will keep a man on the lookout for any signs of the Chicora.

Alleged Counterfeiters Caught.

HARRISON, Feb. 23.—For more than a year Clare county has been flooded with counterfeit silver dollars. George Fitzgibbons, David Ireland and Frank Thorpe, living in a log hut 12 miles from here, have been arrested. They claimed to be loggers, but in the hut were found molds in which bogus dollars had been cast.

Michigan Foresters.

LANSING, Feb. 27.—The address of High Chief Ranger Joslyn at the ninth annual session of the Michigan High Court of Foresters says that the organization has increased from 369 in 1881 to 70,000 in the United States and Canada, and now has a reserve fund of $1,200,000 in Michigan.

President Approves Michigan Measures.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 23.—The president has approved the following: Authorizing the expenditure of a portion of the appropriation for St. Joseph harbor, Mich., to complete the connection between that and Benton Harbor; to return to Michigan the flags of certain volunteer regiments.

Suicide at Grand Rapids.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 27.—Christopher Ellery, aged 45, a stonemason, committed suicide at Grand Rapids by shooting. Domestic trouble is said to have caused the act.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 27.—The senate Tuesday, in committee of the whole, agreed to bills requiring a deposit of $50,000 of the guaranty fund of fraternal beneficiary associations with the state treasurer; for the reorganization of the Detroit Fire and Marine Insurance company, and prohibiting marriage between first cousins. The resolution introduced two weeks ago by Senator Clapp favoring the restoration of silver to an equality with gold was tabled by a vote of 13 to 16.

House.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 28.—The auditor general, in response to a house resolution, on Monday reported that for the last quarter of 1891 there were 241 persons upon the pay roll of the Michigan university, and the total amount of salaries for that institution for 1894 was $250,944, an average of but little in excess of $1,000 each. President Angell leads with $6,000, and ten others range from $3,000 down to a few hundreds. A large number of petitions continue to come in asking for a submission of a constitutional amendment for prohibition to the people at the coming spring election.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 27.—Bills passed the house Tuesday providing for the incorporation of the city of Petoskey; for a jury commission for Bay county; for organization of clubs of American Wheelmen; abolishing days of grace on commercial paper and authorizing women to act as trustees of Baptist churches.

TESTIMONY BY TELEPHONE.

Bank Cashier's Novel Examination and Cross-Examination at Wayne, Mich.

WAYNE, Feb. 27. — Testimony by telephone was taken Tuesday in the case of Goldsmith against Clark. Samuel Goldsmith claimed Joseph Clark agreed to sell him a house and two lots in Wayne village. Goldsmith says he placed the requisite money in the Wayne savings bank, but Clark refused either to take the money or turn over the property. In the resultant suit the testimony of Cashier George H. Stellwagen was valuable, but on account of sickness in the family he could not go to the courtroom 30 miles away, so he was sworn over the telephone, examined and cross-examined, and his testimony, taken down by a stenographer, was entered in the court records.

CONSUL TO MILAN RESIGNS.

Dr. Hazeltine, of Grand Rapids, Tires of Foreign Life.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 24.—A letter received from Dr. Charles S. Hazeltine, of this city, appointed a year ago consul at Milan, Italy, brings the news that he has resigned his position, and if his successor arrives in time he will return to his home here in August. The Milan consulship is one of the most desirable places in the foreign service, though it does not pay much, but Dr. Hazeltine has become tired of foreign life. His family has been spending the winter in southern Italy on account of the extreme cold at Milan.

ATTENDANCE AT ANN ARBOR.

Students at the University of Michigan This Year Number 2,800.

ANN ARBOR, Feb. 26.—The attendance at the University of Michigan, practically complete, is given out as follows: Literary department, 1,518; law, 675; medical, 389; dental, 188; pharmaceutical, 82; homeopathic, 18, making a total of 2,852. Deducting duplicated names, the catalogue will show an actual attendance of over 2,800 for the year. The increase is about 140 over last year, and is mainly in the literary, law and pharmaceutical departments. The homeopathic department alone shows a decrease.

Observed Washington's Birthday.

ANN ARBOR, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was observed as usual this year by appropriate exercises under the auspices of the law department. The largest audience of the season gathered in University hall and heard the best addresses given in the hall this year. The speaker was John J. Lentz, of Columbus, O., and his subject was "American Citizenship." The committee had secured Judge Ewing, of Chicago, but he was unable to fulfill his engagement.

Railroad Engines Collide.

VICKSBURG, Mich., Feb. 27.—Chicago & Grand Trunk engine No. 496 ran into and demolished the tender of engine No. 53 at Indian Lake, at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning. Engine 496 was badly damaged. Both engines were light, and the accident was caused by No. 496 running faster than 53. Archie Laugs, a brakeman, may lose his right leg, and W. Goodenow, a fireman, was badly bruised and cut about the head.

A Young Girl's Suicide.

DETROIT, Feb. 21.—Dissatisfied with her life at home, and piqued because her father censured her for staying out late, Mary Standkewitz, aged 16, deliberately threw herself in front of a Grand Trunk engine and was instantly killed. The girl grew despondent because she could not have the luxuries and pleasures of life and preferred death to poverty.

Death of William H. Powers.

GRAND RAPIDS, Feb. 26.—William H. Powers, proprietor and manager of Powers' opera house, died Monday morning of typhoid fever. He was 54 years old, had lived here fifty years and was interested in real estate and manufacturing. He held many local offices and served two terms in the state legislature. A wife and four children survive him.

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SHE WASN'T SORRY.

Lydia Spencer had never seen it so hot or dreary at Canaan Corners before. The blistering July day was drawing to a close.

She was postmistress and store clerk at the Corners. Day after day for years she had sorted over the stage mails, the county papers and the letters. The day had been a busy one in the store, and to add to the confusion Lydia had recently bought a new set of boxes to take the place of the dingy little portholes which for 25 years had done continuous service under different postmasters.

A carpenter had worked that afternoon tearing away the old case and generally overhauling the postoffice end of the store.

Lydia was between 40 and 50. "Nigh on to 45, I'm two year older'n my boy Jerry," old Mrs. Davidge said to her friends when Lydia's age was discussed. "But, law! she don't look it, an she don't act it. Them tow headed girls never look er did or they really be."

The carpenter stopped hammering and came to where the postmistress was fanning herself. He was shuffling awkwardly half a dozen letters, yellow with age and somewhat rat eaten.

"See here, Lyddy, are these any good?" asked he, holding out the letters. "I found 'em down behind the wainscoting. I s'pose they're just trash what got brushed aside an no account whatever."

The postmistress of Canaan Corners took the letters with but little show of interest. People were always running to her with trifles and asking her unnecessary questions.

Twenty-five years! Yes, it had been just that long since she had seen John Butterworth—since he gave her a lover's look and then, cheerily assuring her that they would soon meet again, had gone to New York.

Their letters had been earnest and full of feeling, and finally he wrote asking her if she would marry him, telling her that he had not been successful in business as yet, but that if she said "yes" he would come back to Canaan Corners, and they would go to Chicago.

Bravely had she penned a favorable answer, and then she waited. Ah, the dying of a great hope!

How tenaciously it clings to life! How anxiously she awaited tidings from John Butterworth! But none came. The summers came and went. Twenty-five years ago, and she had been thinking of John Butterworth that day.

"Looks ez if rats had chawed 'em some, don't it?" asked the carpenter as Lydia stepped closer to the window to inspect the musty letters. The very first one of the lot gave her senses a shock—John Butterworth, Bull's Head Hotel, Bowery, N. Y. City."

The red sun turned black. The Canaan Corners postoffice began spinning around and bobbing up and down. A hurricane seemed to catch her and dash her head against a distant cliff.

"There, there, Miss Lyddy," said the big carpenter fanning her with his straw hat. "The heat's been too much fur ye, I guess."

Trembling like a child, she once more looked at the letter—her own letter of acceptance—plighting her troth for better or for worse, through evil and good report.

It seemed to her as if her heart would burst in agony. She knew now why John Butterworth had never come back. She had appeared to him as unwilling to share his fortunes.

Lydia Spencer was a firm woman. In justice to herself she determined to make an effort to reach John Butterworth with the belated letter.

It had no postmark. Taking the marker, she removed the figures "94" and substituted "69."

Then, writing a note to the proprietor of the Bull's Head hotel, New York city, she told him to forward the letter to Chicago. Nervously she let it fall into the gaping mouth of the mailbag. The stage took it on its way that night.

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Two weeks later a gray haired man, one of Chicago's leading capitalists, was one morning opening his mail. He came to a yellowed envelope which had been forwarded from New York. It bore several rubber stamp marks, and a Chicago postoffice clerk had written on it:

"Try 361 Dearborn."

"Send Jack in," said John Butterworth to his head clerk.

"Jack, my boy," said the father in a low voice and nervously, "read this old letter which has been 25 years in reaching me.

"Jack," continued the elder after his request had been complied with, "you will have to postpone your vacation. I'm going to take one at Canaan Corners, N. Y. I never expected to marry again after your dear mother's death, my boy, but if the writer of that letter is alive and willing you'll have a new mother inside of two weeks."

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The Canaan Corners stage one evening a few days later carried a gray haired stranger.

"Ye'll find Lyddy at the postoffice," said the driver. "She's postmistress, an every one knows Lyddy."

Everything was still in the postoffice when John Butterworth entered. Looking through the glass case, he saw a golden haired woman, her face close to the tabletop. She was resting her averted face on her forearm and sobbing like a child.

"Lydia," said John Butterworth as he took her in his arms and raised her, "Lydia, sweetheart, I didn't get the letter till three days ago in Chicago. I'm so old and gray now I suppose you're sorry I got it at all, eh?"

She looked up quickly, smiling through her tears. Her blushing, radiant face didn't look as if she was sorry.—New York Press.

A Hideous Relic of the Past.

The old time South American Indians were head hunters in every sense of the word, and their manner of preserving the relics of battle would make an Egyptian embalmer sick with envy. They cut off the heads of all vanquished foes and then removed the flesh, bones and brain by some lost process. The materials used in embalming these uncanny relics (fluids of what not) had the effect of shrinking the head until the intellectual dome of a full grown man would not be larger than a lemon. One of these shriveled embalmed heads is in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. The hair is still as black and glossy as when worn by the original owner of the head 400 or 500 years ago, and the lips, mouth, nose and eyes are all perfect, although reduced in size proportionate to the shrunken head. The curators of the museum value it at $5,000.—Philadelphia Press.

Corroborated.

Penelope (freezingly)—You do not love me.

Ten Broke (convincingly)—I worship the very ground that you inherit.—Life.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning March 3. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Burnt Offering.

BIBLE READINGS.—Lev. i, 1-9; Rom. xii, 1.

In the open court before the "tent of meeting" which contained the most sacred furnishings of the tabernacle stood the brazen altar for burnt offerings. It was made hollow, of boards, and covered with plates of brass. A grating on the top served to receive the wood and the sacrifices. The interior of the altar may have been filled with earth or stones. Of this, however, nothing is said in the Bible.

The burnt offering was to be a bullock, a male sheep or goat, or a turtle dove or young pigeon. No part of this offering was to be eaten either by the priests or the one making the sacrifice, but all was to be burned on the altar. The fire was to be kept perpetually burning on the altar.

The burnt offering represented perfect self surrender to God. Its import is summed up in Paul's exhortation, "I beseech you, therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service."

Thoroughly Equipped.

Education does not stifle zeal. God places no premium on ignorance. Intelligent piety is not less but more effective than ignorant devotion. Ignorance is never the mother of devotion. Her offspring is a brood of superstitions and bigotry, if not hypocrisy. The Holy Scriptures themselves are "profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works." The more one knows the better he can be and more useful.

Bishop James N. Fitzgerald.

Bishop James N. Fitzgerald is the president of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church. He is eminently fitted for this position. He is progressive in thought, energetic in action, safe in counsel and has the affection and confidence not only of the young people of the church, but also of the older and more conservative elements. His official residence is New Orleans. His duties as bishop call him to all parts of the United States and even to foreign countries. Bishop Fitzgerald is about 58 years of age and is a native of Newark, N. J. He studied at Princeton and chose the law as his calling, but on his conversion abandoned the court for the pulpit.

BISHOP FITZGERALD.

That Great University.

The American university at Washington bids fair to be one of the great institutions of this great country in the next century. Its plans are broad enough to make it truly national in character. Its location is strategic in the Capital City, with its unequaled education facilities afforded by the many collections in museums, libraries and governmental departments. The grounds are superb in situation and ample in extent. A special gift provides for their gardening, to be begun next May. The endowment grows steadily, and funds are being received for buildings. The scheme is a magnificent one. Grand men are in control of the enterprise, which will not be restricted in operations to denominational lines. Bishop John F. Hurst, the resident bishop at Washington, is the chancellor.

Cheerfulness.

'Tis well to work with a cheerful heart
Whatever our fortunes call,
With a friendly glance and an open hand
And a gentle word for all.
Since life is a thorny and difficult path,
Where toil is the portion of man,
We all should endeavor while passing along
To make it as smooth as we can.

New Life In the East.

Whatever one may think of the restoration of the Jews to Palestine, one thing is certain, new life is being infused into the old land, and prosperity such as has not been seen for ages seems dawning. Jerusalem is fast outgrowing its old limits. A new quarter in the western suburb has arisen in the last few years. Every available piece of land is rapidly being bought up. Trade is increasing, and last year a public garden was opened outside the Jaffa gate. Two boats on the Dead sea are employed in gathering bitumen. It is proposed by steam launch and barges to bring produce from Moab by a shorter route to Jerusalem. The railroad from Jaffa to Jerusalem is also working wondrous changes in thought and style of doing things in this ancient land.

Missionary Enthusiasm.

Open doors stand invitingly on every side. Activity such as the world never before saw is pushing the borders of Christ's kingdom far into the borders of heathenism. Not to be thrilled at the stories of heroism coming up from every land, is to show oneself either ignorant of the most important movements of the times or indifferent to the condition of one's brethren in distress. The regular church papers, special periodicals devoted to various fields and departments, the secular press and even the reports of United States consuls teem with information.

Reflex Influence of Missions.

The evangelization of a heathen people will do more to start the wheels of industry than all possible tariff legislation. One New England firm has sold more agricultural implements in South Africa since the Christianizing of the native tribes than are sufficient to pay the whole expense of the missions from the beginning.

THE WIDOW.

The dull winter's day was drawing to a close when Marianne de Courvoy came home from the cemetery where the remains of her fiance, Jean de Themines, had been laid.

This brilliant young man, the eldest son of the family whose name he bore, died from the effects of a hunting accident at 28 years of age, and on the eve of a marriage ardently desired by all concerned and one that seemed to combine all the conditions of happiness.

Marianne sank down in a state of exhaustion on a sofa in the drawing room. Her strength was exhausted. So many overwhelming emotions had completely prostrated her, and she fainted away. The careful attention of loving hands brought her back to consciousness. Then she swore to God to bury her 20 years in the sorrows of a voluntary widowhood and in the solemn duties of eternal fidelity to the memory of the past. The resolution that Mlle. de Courvoy had formed and had communicated to her family did not take long to make itself known generally to the world.

Among people who did not know her well she found only unbelievers. Her father and mother alone believed in her resolution, for they knew her firm will and the energy and singleness of her soul. They were convinced that as the widow of Jean de Themines she would wear her widow's weeds forever, so much convinced, indeed, that they made no effort to combat her resolution.

During the year that followed the death of her betrothed Marianne received two proposals of marriage. She refused them. A third who arrived upon the scene received the same treatment. Her sisters married, and their marriage furnished an opportunity to test somewhat the strength and depth of the young widow's resolution, but she remained unchanged.

"I am a widow," she said, "and a widow I mean to remain." Every six months she spent a few weeks with Jean's mother, who lived since his death in retirement in the chateau of Themines.

When she returned to her parents after these periodical absences, she showed the same disposition to remain single, and by degrees the conviction at which the world had laughed was accepted as serious and final.

It was believed that Mlle. de Courvoy would never marry again.

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Mme. de Themines had a second son, Pierre de Themines. He was younger than Jean and was now at the age at which his brother had met death in the hunting field.

Marianne did not know him. At the time when she was betrothed to Jean he was away in Asia on a voyage of exploration, and although after his brother's death he had signified his intention of coming home for two years he had been detained by the delays of a long and difficult journey. His mother was still waiting for his return.

She awaited his arrival with impatience that was the more keen because she had not been able to console herself for the death of her eldest son or to fill the void caused by that loss. Her grief was only partially alleviated when she was able to talk of Pierre, her second son, in whom all her hopes were now centered. She hoped that soon after his return home he would marry and by his marriage bring back to her hearth and home some of the joy and light that Jean's death had overshadowed.

Marianne was almost the only person to whom the old lady had confided this hope. She was the person to whom, in preference to all others, she spoke of the absent one. She would praise his excellent qualities of heart, his personal appearance and his character.

"He is the exact image of his brother," she would often say.

Marianne heard so much about Pierre, read so many of his letters, saw his pictures and heard his praise so often and so loudly sung that she began to feel an interest in him, although she had never seen him. She began to form in her mind a picture of what he should be if his character and appearance had been truly drawn.

But in this interest she felt for the absent Pierre was no trace of the love she had conceived for Jean. She merely professed for Pierre, without knowing him, the affection that she was bound to feel for everybody who had loved or known Jean. She looked upon herself in some sense as his sister, and she would have protested strongly against any suggestion that the character of her affection for this unknown brother could change into love.

One evening while she was staying at the chateau a letter came announcing the arrival of Pierre in the country. It was followed two hours later by Pierre himself.

"You will see him, and you will love him," said Mme. de Themines to Marianne.

She attached to these words no special meaning, but when he came into the room she was overwhelmed. Mme. de Themines had not exaggerated when she said that Pierre was the image of Jean.

Marianne thought that she saw before her the old lover alive from the dead. The same face, the same hair, the same frame and build and the same manners. She listened for his voice. It was the voice of the dead man, and in the accent and turn he gave to them it was as if she were actually in the presence of the dead Jean and listening to his words from the grave. This interview resulted in an attack of prostration.

On the following day she made hurried preparations to go away, as if some danger threatened her. But Mme. de Themines would not allow her to depart.

"If you go away now," she said, "you will throw a shadow over the joy I feel at the return of my son."

So Marianne did not go away. In spite of her alarm there soon took place in her a transformation that, unknown to herself, resulted in the awakening of hopes that she would not admit.

Once again she experienced in talking with Pierre the charm that she had loved so well with his brother Jean.

With the help of this illusion her heart opened and warmed once again with love.

One day Mme. de Themines came up to her and whispered in her ear:

"Pierre loves you, my dear girl. Love him."

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard S. Hobbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Azzolette Osgood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah L. Green, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD S. HOBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip Dorsey, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Washron and James Hendershot, defendants, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of Section 13, Town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.75 chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 13; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 78 and 44-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 20 minutes west 15 and 2-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1895, and on the 3d day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 14, 1895.

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Napoleon	8 30 "	2 27 "	1 15 "
Norvell	8 47 "	2 25 "	1 30 "
Manchester	8 55 "	2 43 "	1 38 "
Clinton	9 10 "	3 01 "	2 23 "
Tecumseh	9 16 "	3 07 "	2 29 "
Adrian.....Ar	9 30 "	3 19 "	2 39 "
Detroit	10 15 "	4 05 "	.....
Toledo	9 00 "	1 55 "	10 35 "

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STATIONS.	No. 516. Mail.	No. 512. Express	No. 504. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 P.M.
Tecumseh	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 32 "
Napoleon	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 46 "
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IN EFFECT January 6, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 30	L....Allegan.....A	1 40	
		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
		12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
8 30	7 45	1 31	Marshall	11 38	12 52
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 06	12 23
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 36	11 60
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 14	3 12	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 59	10 23	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 39
..	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 45	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 37	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 53
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 30
*10	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....L	7 15	6 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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*No. 51—Local Mail and Express.....10:22 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex..3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:35 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....6:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express....7:23 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....8:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express.....4:35 p m
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SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Manchester is being canvassed for subscriptions to stock for a canning factory.

Adrian Odd Fellows will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their institution on March 6th.

Only three counties in the state cast more votes than Lenawee. Wayne, Kent and Saginaw lead, the latter polling 13,101 against 11,607 for Lenawee.

More carrots will be raised here this year than ever before. Dairymen and owners of horses are now appreciating their value as a great food product.

Cheese factories and creameries in this section will commence work as soon as possible this spring. Some of them intend to start up next month.

A colored man tried to steal oil from a wagon in Adrian last Saturday night, but was caught in the act, and was very glad to escape by paying a round price for the stolen oil.

A new ice house, of 100 tons capacity, has just been built and filled at the C., J. & M. depot here for the benefit of the train service and employes of the road. —Addison Courier.

Since the mercury has left the zero mark and climbed up a few steps toward the tip of the thermometer, there has been quite a reduction in the amount of fuel required to keep from freezing.

The Adrian Telegram rises to remark that the "office was made fragrant today by tulips." It is easy to imagine how two lips might make the editor happy, but what would his wife say about it? —Hudson Post.

Many of our farmers are still feeding wheat to their stock. One of our large wheat growers said to us a few days ago that wheat was certainly worth seventy five cents per bushel to him for feed.

It is a settled fact that Monroe will have a new opera house and armory, to be erected on the sight of the present armory. The necessary funds have been secured and the work will soon commence.

Northville has a sort of dime museum. It has a U. S. fish hatchery, frozen water-mains, a lively newspaper, a village cat hole, a condensed milk factory, and a Cork that weighs 180 pounds, and doesn't fit any of the bottles in the town. Northville is a veritable wonderland.

An agent has been working a fraud on the country folks in the county. His plan was to sell coupons for 25 cents which would be good for one dollar on a dozen photographs, when presented at No. 4 South Main street. This place happens to be Schneider's shoe store and now the slick fellow has the money and the sturdy yoemen have no pictures. —Adrian Telegram.

Now don't get your hopes all up only to have them dropped with a d. s. t., but there were a number of Mackinaw officials in Hudson, Monday, and we have an esteemed contemporary's word for it that one of them pointed to a piece of land east of the Mackinaw station and said "That's where we would like to locate our car shops." The Gazette gave the news several months ago that Hudson was being considered and might possibly secure the shops if the proper amount of hustling was done. It would be a big thing for our thriving city, but just whether they will come or not is merely a matter of conjecture at present.—Hudson Gazette.

The electric lights of Monroe last week assumed a "cranky" attitude and failed to render good service. The cause could not be determined and electricians were called from Detroit and other places, but the cause still remained a mystery. Finally a happy thought struck the management, to call on Dundee to furnish the man to solve the mystery. Electrician McVay of the Dundee plant went over to Monroe last Friday, and after a short study of the workings located the cause of the trouble, remedied the defects, and the lights are again working all right. Mr. McVay is a thorough electrician and understands all parts of the workings of electric light systems and plants.—Dundee Reporter.

Rev. Tatlock of the Ann Arbor Episcopal church has vigorously fought pew renting in the church, and they are going to try and raise the dominie's salary now by pledges of members, leaving the seats free to those who see fit to come, and each to enjoy full squatter sovereignty. The pastor thinks commercial religion ought not to prevail, and that in the house of the Lord, no discrimination should be shown persons in ownership of sanctuary sittings that shall be safe from intrusion. This will make the high toned people of means hustle out early to get a good position, and since they have no more privileges than common heathen, the pastor's salary may show a shrinkage that will work change of opinion in his mind in about a year. He ought to remember that the church is best supported by those who care more for a seat than they do for a sermon. Probably this is not the situation in Ann Arbor.—Adrian Press.

The Gold Flower.

This flower, so fittingly called Gold Flower, was produced by M. Moser, of Versailles, France, and introduced in Europe last season, the plants selling at a very high figure, only a few plants coming to America. The flowers are two or three inches across, of a bright, shining, golden yellow and bearing numerous handsome stamens. The plant is of low, spreading, branching growth, with handsome leaves, the upper side much darker than the lower. It is perfectly hardy, forms an excellent border, or is grand for bedding, while as a single pot plant it is charming with its clean, bright green foliage as a background for the flowers, great, shiny yellow disks, brilliant in their reflections as burnished gold.

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By sending 10 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for Vick's Floral Guide, (which amount may be deducted from first order), you will learn all about this beautiful plant Hypericum Moserianum, and also regarding their offer of $300 cash for a name for the New Double Sweet Pea.

The Story of a Campaign.

Willis J. Abbot, the Political Editor of the Chicago Times, who is recognized by his fellow journalists as one of the ablest and cleverest political writers in the country, whether one is in sympathy with his views or not, tells the story of the Populist campaign in Chicago, in the Arena for Febuary. Mr. Abbot had the advantage all through the campaign of last autumn of being in touch with the leaders of the different elements that are gradually forming a new party, with new social and economic aims in American politics, and his paper has value for all those who want to get at the facts regardless of dominating prejudices. Even the opponents of every sort of change in the political phases of the country should study this paper, in order to estimate the potency of this new political sentiment that is in the air —and is not peculiar to America, but is seizing upon the heart and brain of the whole great western world.

An Electrical Magazine.

Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character —a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20cents a copy. It is published at 36 Cortland Street, New York City.

Table Talk.

Table Talk for Feb. opens with an interesting and instructive article on "Mushrooms and Toadstools" by Julius Palmer, the renowned authority on such subjects. This is followed by the usual departments in which this month, the receipts alone number fully three dozen and in which are given the freshest notes on fashions, serving, and all questions of interest to the housekeeper nd homemaker. There are also the menus for the month, a lesson in Dietetics, the Washington letter on Society's doings at the Capitol and an article, "Over the tea-cups, a bright readable resume of the latest popular books. Our readers can see a sample copy by addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

On the 20th Senator Wolcott's amendment to the silver bill was discussed in the senate and the Indian appropriation bill was considered. The house bill was passed authorizing a bridge across the Missouri river at Sioux City, Ia.... In the house the time was occupied in discussing the naval appropriation bill and it was finally passed.

In the senate on the 21st the conference report on the pension appropriation bill was agreed to. It retains the provision making six dollars the minimum for pensions. It also retains the repeal of the present law suspending the pensions of persons living outside of the country. The Indian appropriation bill was further discussed. Adjourned to the 22d.... In the house the Hawaiian cable appropriation was defeated by a vote of 161 to 114. The general deficiency bill was considered.

On the 22d the time in the senate was occupied in discussing the Indian appropriation bill. Senator Mills gave notice of an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill which provides that all laws which authorize the secretary of the treasury to sell bonds of the United States for any purpose shall be repealed.... In the house a bill was introduced to extend the provisions of the interstate commerce act to include express companies acting as common carriers. An amendment was offered to the sundry civil appropriation bill appropriating $300,000 for the purchase of seed for the inhabitants of the drought-stricken districts. The general deficiency bill was considered. The night session was devoted to private pension bills.

On the 23d an effort in the senate to take up the railway pooling bill was defeated by a vote of 42 to 24. The Indian appropriation bill was further considered, and the nomination of Matt W. Ransom, senator from North Carolina, for minister to Mexico, to succeed the late Isaac P. Gray, was confirmed.... In the house a proposition to pay an extra monthly salary to all the employes of the house and senate was carried. The reading of the deficiency bill was completed with the exception of a few amendments.

In the senate on the 25th the time was occupied in working upon the appropriation bills. An item in the sundry civil bill appropriating $150,000 for purchasing the historic property of the late James G. Blaine in order to prevent its use for theater purposes was agreed to.... In the house the deficiency appropriation bill was passed after an amendment to pay Great Britain $425,000 in settlement of the Behring sea award had been defeated.

DOMESTIC.

The North Carolina legislature passed a 6 per cent. interest bill.

All the 30,000 men in the building trades in New York were ordered to strike to aid the electrical workers to carry their point.

Dissatisfaction with his father's will led Albert Wallace, of Dillon township, Ill., to shoot his sister, her husband and a farm hand. The former would die.

Gov. Richards, of Wyoming, vetoed the bill providing for a board of arbitration to settle labor disputes in Cheyenne. He says it is unconstitutional.

Samuel Young, an aged resident of Wilshire, O., fatally stabbed his young wife and then hanged himself. Jealousy was the cause.

John Geiger, a pioneer resident of Norfolk, Neb., has become possessed of a fortune of $1,500,000 through the death of a brother in New York.

The congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution in session in Washington elected Mrs. Mary McP. Foster, wife of the ex-secretary of state, as president.

Because of family trouble Charles Matthews shot his wife at Omaha, Neb., and then killed himself.

The people of Montgomery and neighboring counties in Kansas were eating horseflesh, not being able to get other food.

For the first time in its history Mississippi has a surplus of corn and it was being shipped to the west.

A bill providing for removal of the state capitol from Lincoln to Hastings was introduced in the Nebraska legislature.

Arbuckle Bros.' coffee mills in New York were damaged $300,000 by fire. Several of the employes were injured by jumping.

Four hunters were found frozen to death in the woods 19 miles from New Orleans.

The liquor distillers of the United States met in Chicago and formed an association which includes every distillery in the country of any importance except one.

Washington's birthday was generally observed throughout the country.

Recent violent snowstorms have rendered citizens of eastern Colorado destitute and they have appealed for immediate aid.

Charles M. Figgat, for twenty-nine years cashier of the Bank of Lexington, Va., absconded, leaving a deficit of $150,000.

Gov. Morton approved the act to prohibit the display of foreign flags upon public buildings in the state of New York.

There were 302 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 22d, against 270 the week previous and 288 in the corresponding time in 1894.

Six persons were burned to death in a fire which destroyed four and a half blocks of the best residence and business portion of Hot Springs, Ark.

C. W. Knapp, of the St. Louis Republic, was elected president of the American Newspaper Publisher's association at the session in New York.

Three unknown men blew the vaults of the savings bank at Thomaston, Conn., with dynamite and secured a small amount.

William Walsh, an aged man at St. Joseph, Mo., was terribly tortured by robbers who thought he was hoarding money.

A west-bound Frisco train was held up by three robbers, near Aurora, Mo., who failed to open the safe in the express car.

Police raided a secret society hall in Chicago where a prize fight was in progress and captured 150 men.

Emanuel Barker, an expressman in Chicago, shot and killed his wife and fatally shot her brother, Harry Bonner, and escaped.

The comments of the foreign press upon the financial situation in this country show that most of the writers know as little adout the subject as most of those at home who are anxious to serve as angels of deliverance.

Senators Mills and Peace, of the Colorado legislature, came to blows during a session over a trivial matter.

Officers at San Francisco captured a gang of pirates which had been operating on a large scale for months.

Brig. Gen. John H. Broach, who had squandered a fortune of $300,000, was sent to jail in New York for drunkenness.

Investigation of the condition of Ohio miners in the Hocking valley showed that great distress generally prevailed.

John L. Sullivan entered upon a protracted debauch at Jacksonville, Fla., and his theatrical company deserted him.

Icaria, the community, established near Corning, Ia., by French socialists a century ago, has passed into a receiver's hands.

Mrs. Minerva C. Taylor, a seamstress at Guthrie, O. T., shot and killed William Henry Harrison, who had annoyed her.

Three men were killed and a fourth mortally wounded in a fight between the Smith and Cox factions near Osborn's Gap, Va.

Three Italians who were believed to be the western agents of the Adams counterfeiting gang were arrested in St. Louis.

Six thousand French Canadians were said to be willing to return to Canada from Michigan if furnished free transportation and a bonus.

Gladys Brooks, who had been working as a waitress for the last three years in various northwestern cities, has come into the possession of a fortune amounting to $140,000 in Philadelphia.

The Congressional Temperance society held its sixty-first annual meeting in Washington and elected Nelson Dingley, Jr., of Maine, as president.

George McLellan Whitney, a commercial traveler for a Boston shoe house, and Miss Grace Seavening Grant, of Indianapolis, Ind., were married at Providence, R. I., after an acquaintance of only twenty minutes.

Capt. Henry W. Howgate was acquitted at Washington of the charge of embezzling $11,800 from the government while holding the position of disbursing officer in the United States signal service.

Ella and Fred Brooks (brother and sister) were run down by a Baltimore & Ohio train near Mansfield, O., and killed.

A Louisville & Nashville train was wrecked near Greenville, Ala., one man being killed and a score injured.

The college at Beaver Falls, Pa., was destroyed by fire. The fifty students escaped, but lost their effects.

Fires throughout the country during the week ended on the 23d caused a total loss of $2,622,210.

Two convicts and twenty-three mules were suffocated by a fire in a mine near Birmingham, Ala., which was set by incendiaries.

James and William Toole, brothers, who for twenty years had been estranged, were reconciled at the bedside of their dying mother at English, Ind.

Paul Jones, one of the wealthiest and most widely-known distillers in Kentucky, died suddenly in an infirmary at Louisville.

James W. Lawrence, senior member of a Minneapolis law firm, failed for $100,000.

While temporarily insane A. G. Walker, a prominent business man of Terre Haute, Ind., shot at his wife and then killed himself.

Walter G. Hamner, for twenty years the trusted teller of the First national bank at Lynchburg, Va., was arrested on the charge of embezzling $22,000 of the bank's funds.

Mrs. Henry Scott, of Eureka, Ill., sought out her husband, who had deserted her, and killed herself in his presence.

Minister Willis was instructed to insist on postponement of the execution of American citizens in Hawaii until the charges and evidence could be looked into.

Frank Wood (colored) confessed just before his death at Halsey, Ky., to the murder of five men, and said that in one case an innocent man was hanged for the crime.

Judge Henry L. Edmonds, of the St. Louis criminal court, adopted a rule requiring that all foreigners who wish to be naturalized in his court must be able to intelligently speak and understand the English language.

John W. Showalter, of Chicago, was named by the president for judge of the Seventh judicial circuit.

The Missouri house defeated a bill extending to women the right to vote at all elections and another making it a misdemeanor for women to wear hats at the theater.

Three distinct earthquake shocks were felt at Portland, Ore., and Tacoma, Wash.

An explosion of natural gas wrecked the residence of John Aston at Sharon, Pa., and injured its six inmates, one fatally.

Equal pay for equal work was advocated in addresses before the National Council of Women at Washington.

Heilzerbs & Co.'s packing house at St. Louis was entered, the watchman bound and the safe rifled of upward of $1,000.

An earthquake shock was felt at St. Louis and in other towns in the vicinity. It lasted about fifteen seconds.

Two or the three men who robbed a bank at Griswold, Ia., were captured by Council Bluffs officers after a fight, in which one on each side was wounded.

A receiver was appointed for the Merchants' bank of Lake City, Minn., whose president had borrowed $40,000 of its funds.

Bradstreet's revised record shows the business failures for 1894 aggregated 12,724, with assets of $83,215,000 and liabilities of $151,748,000.

The reported damage to the orange crop of California by frost was denied.

George Weaver and his wife, living alone on a farm near Trotwood, O., were burned to death in their dwelling.

Thomas Cavanagh and his wife were burned to death near Middle Haddam, Conn.

Cordelia Hill, the colored child who shot and killed her father in defense of her mother, at Charlestown, W. Va., was acquitted.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The republicans in convention at Detroit, Mich., nominated Judge Joseph P. Moore, of Lapere, for justice of the supreme court, and Roger W. Butterfield, of Grand Rapids, and Charles H. Hackley, of Muskegon, for regents of the university.

The Michigan prohibitionists met at Lansing and nominated Myron H. Walker, of Grand Rapids, for justice of the supreme court, and D. B. Reed, of Hillsdale, and Noah W. Cheever, of Ypsilanti, for regents of the university.

Frank Constantine Victorato died in Salem, Mass., aged 63. When a young man he took part in the Greek rebellion which resulted in the independence of that country.

Prohibitionists of Rhode Island in state convention at Providence nominated Smith Quimby, of Warren, as their candidate for governor.

The funeral of Isaac P. Gray, late minister to Mexico, took place at Union City, Ind.

Absalom Stubblefield, who had lived on a farm near Bloomington, Ill., since 1812, died from pneumonia.

Gen. Joseph B. Carr, a war veteran, and three times elected secretary of state of New York, died at his home in Troy, aged 66 years.

George W. McBride, ex-secretary of state, was elected by the Oregon legislature on the thirtieth ballot as United States senator to succeed John Dolph.

Samuel Dana Horton, the distinguished writer on financial topics, died in a hospital at Washington, aged 57 years.

Mrs. Hetty Parker, of Lancaster, Pa., who was housekeeper for President Buchanan during his administration and after his retirement to private life, celebrated her 90th birthday.

Funeral services, attended by many distinguished persons, were held over the remains of Frederick Douglass at Washington.

David A. Brown, a veteran of the Mexican war, died at Springfield, Ill., aged 71 years.

FOREIGN.

Twenty-two French soldiers were killed and thirty-four wounded in collisions with pirates in Tonquiu.

The attempt in the British house of commons to overthrow the Rosebery ministry on the question of the Indian cotton duties was an inglorious failure.

Five grown members of a family at Brampton, Ont., became insane and were sent to an asylum for assaulting their mother.

Twenty-five of the leaders of the recent black flag riots in Formosa were beheaded by order of the emperor.

The town of Koutchal, near Astrabad, Persia, was swallowed up by an earthquake and several thousand persons perished.

Rebels entered and looted the city of Morocco, many persons being killed and hundreds wounded in the fighting.

Natives attacked the British expedition on the Brass river in Africa and were defeated and several of their towns burned.

Five hundred men were imprisoned in a mine at Normanton, England, through an accident in the cages.

Emperor Menelek killed 7,000 Gallas and captured 14,000 slaves in a battle at Vallamo. He lost 1,000 men.

Seventeen thousand Chinese, supported by twenty guns, attacked the Japanese position at Hai Cheng, but were repulsed.

LATER.

The time in the United States senate on the 26th was occupied in discussing the sundry civil appropriation bill, the feature of the day being the passage of a sugar bounty proposition, aggregating $5,200,000, by a vote of 46 to 30. A bill was passed for the construction of a bridge over the Illinois river at Hennepin. In the house the national arbitration labor bill was passed, as was also a bill for the publication of the bulletins of the department of labor. The remainder of the day was devoted to eulogies on the life and public services of the late Philip Sidney Post, of Illinois.

River miners held a convention at Monongahela City, Pa., and decided to strike for the old sixty-nine-cent rate.

Mary L. Dickinson, of New York, was elected president of the National Council of Women at the session in Washington.

Twenty-one indictments for frauds at the fall election were returned by a special grand jury at Kansas City.

Ex-Priest Slattery lectured at Savannah, Ga., and all the police and troops in the city were required to suppress a riot which followed. Several persons were hurt.

Curtis and William Waltz were killed by the bursting of the boiler in a sawmill near Adelphi, O.

David Irwin, aged 87 years, was married in Chicago to Mrs. Annie A. Norris, aged 64 years. This is the groom's third matrimonial experience and the bride's second.

The British legation at Lima was advised that Peru would allow no interference in her national affairs. Feeling against the British was very strong.

An epidemic of grip prevailed at Lynn, Mass., to an alarming extent, there being over 500 cases, and many deaths had occurred.

The remains of Fred Douglass were buried at Rochester, N. Y., after impressive ceremonies in Central church.

Alfred Daugherty and Oliver Lockwood were fatally scalded near Nottingham, Ind., by the explosion of an oil pump boiler.

The democrats of the Tenth Illinois district nominated Fred K. Bastian for congress.

Several outbreaks having occurred at Cienfuegos and Matanzas martial law was declared throughout Cuba.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 26th was: Wheat, 79,476,000 bushels; corn, 12,900,000 bushels; oats, 6,773,000 bushels; rye, 340,000 bushels; barley, 1,533,000 bushels.

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A Masterly Article From the Pen of the Great Thinker.

LET EVERYBODY READ THIS

Until they Comprehend the Following Great Moral Truths of the George Philosophy.

Strike from Christianity the principle of love and what is left? A corpse, a husk, a tomb. The life is gone forever, and it matters not what traditions or ceremonies remain, the relic is no more Christianity than a corpse is a man.

While this truth will at once be conceded, I take the liberty of asking you, good reader, if in our social arrangements we are making anything like a decent approximation to this principle? Do our laws, so far as they effect the division of the products of labor, make any approach to the command, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself?"

When the farmer resorts to fertility, the miner to the most productive mines and the fisher to the best fisheries, etc., they are all trying to enrich by producing abundance. In the same way each producer, by sticking to his own occupation, developes special skill and produces better in quality and more in quantity. The developed skill of one produces abundantly; the developed skill of another likewise produces abundantly; they exchange; they enrich and are enriched. No statutory enactment compels this. It is the outgrowth of men's natural impulses. Here is the harmony of natural enrichment.

The characteristics of this harmonious trade are labor for labor, service for service, enrichment for enrichment, benefit for benefit. This is trade, and when viewed in this aspect, it is seen to be not a tug of war, one succeeding by another's failure, but each one blessed and benefited by others' success.

In contrast to this I ask attention to the following circumstance: Some years ago, a certain town was very small, a man obtained possession of a piece of land for a trifling sum. The ground rental was then about $50 per annum. Population has increased, land has become relatively more scarce, people are now crowding into back alleys unfit for human habitation, and that land owner is now drawing a rental of upward of $20,000 per annum. Has he become rich by enriching, by rendering labor for labor, service for service, enrichment for enrichment, benefit for benefit? No, not by any mesns.

Does the relationship thus established between this man and the rest of society accord with the spirit of Christianity?

In answer to this question I ask attention to the following particulars:

1. He did not produce this value of $20,000 yearly. This value depends on the presence of a population of about 500,000 people. The value caused by these 500,000 people is appropriated wholly by this one man.

2. As he does nothing to produce this $20,000 yearly, he obtains this wealth every year by the deprivation and impoverishment of the laborer. He rises to wealth not by the abundance of his production, but on the crushed fortune of his neighbors.

3. This man's share of the products of labor has increased, not because he has benefitted or enriched society in any way, but, on the other hand, because land has become relatively more scarce; because society is poorer in land, therefore he is richer.

4. Population is rapidly increasing; land is becoming more scarce; congestion is growing more intense. Therefore the producer must surrender more and more to the land owner. At first the producer surrendered to him but a small portion of the produce; as population still further increases labor has to surrender still more, and the more the laborer pays the more he has to pay; the more he pays the greater grows his debt. The debt is continuous, increasing and irredeemable.

5. For the possession of that estate there was paid originally into the public treasury a very trifling sum of money—probably less than one dollar—and for that small sum the law decrees to the land owner the power to compel his fellows to maintain him and his successors for all time in luxurious idleness. The law then sells to him the power to become a perpetual taskmaster.

6. Do not the principles of Christian brotherhood and the principle of Christian equity demand that reward should be proportioned to service? Should not the hand of industry make rich and idleness tend to poverty? Should not each receive according to his work? Does not common honesty demand this? What could we think of ourselves if we sanctioned laws that decreed wealth to the idler and poverty to the producer? And yet that is exactly the very character of our land system. Let a man become possessed of land around which men congregate, and the law allows him to appropriate the value of that land, without limit or time or amount. His hand may know no diligence, but he becomes rich, while labor, with enormous diligence, must live in comparative penury. Labor must pay tribute to idleness. Do nothing may revel in luxury, labor must wallow in want!

Labor, producing much and enjoying little, while idleness may produce nothing and appropriate princely pay. Christianity says: "To each according to his work," and our land laws reverse this order, and decree to labor penury, to idleness plenty.

7. Amid the thunders of Sinai there came a command: 'Thou shalt not steal. And in the enlightened and purified conscience there still thunders the same command. We may build churches, adorn sanctuaries, have sermons of beauty beyond reproach, with song and chant of thrilling sweetness, sermons faultless in logic and eloquence; but unless we can practice common honesty, unless we put into practice the command, 'Thou shall not steal,' what avail all our ceremonies?

Now, what lies at the basis of property? There can be but one claim, namely, production, or the rendering of service. How can a man who produces nothing establish a claim to something which another man produced? Yet by our laws we decree that the man who acquires a land value may produce nothing, but he can claim food from the farmer, clothing from the clothier, service from the doctor, and tribute continuously. It gives the land owner the power to push his hand, year after year deeper into the pocket of the producer. How can he who produces nothing, who renders no service to society, honestly be entitled to the produce and service of other people? Can this be honest? Do not our land laws, which empower the nonproducer to appropriate the product of labor, thus sanction perpetual confiscation?

What is to be the development of society? Read Helen Campbell's 'Prisoners of Poverty,' describing the poor in New York; read the 'Bitter Cry' of London; look at the misery of Ireland or among the crofters of Scotland. These tales, so harrowing, make the heart sicken at the life of hopeless poverty into which millions are yearly born. With the same social arrangement here as there, we see precisely the same law of development. Every year sees the gulf between the rich and poor wider. Population on this continent doubles every twenty-five years. Ground rentals in cities grow more and more rapidly than population. To-day in the best parts of our large cities the laborer must surrender a ground rental to the amount of from four to twelve millions of dollars per acre per annum. Twenty-five years hence the tribute to be surrendered by the laborer to idleness will have grown to twenty millions of dollars per acre per annum! For what? For service in return? No, no; but simply to get access to the earth, our inheritance of God Almighty!

Just think what this arrangement involves. Two children are born—one heir to that tribute as claimant, the other heir to that tribute as debtor. The latter must serve a lifetime of labor to house, feed, clothe and maintain in brilliant luxury the former, who by our social arrangements is not bound to render any service in return. The child of poverty is born to a life of servitude—not for any sin of himself or his parents, but simply because they who profess Christianity, the religion of brotherly love, have decreed that so it shall be. To sell absolutely, as we do, the whole habitable earth, with all its potentialities, to one part of society, and thus compel the other part to pay tribute forever, to get access to the earth, and then to teach the fatherhood of God, the brotherhood of man, the supremacy of love. Could there be a greater mockery? If twenty men raise a crop or build a house, and one claims full possesion of all the product, he is guilty of theft. All instincts of justice insist that the producers of the value should own the value. The peculiar value that comes from the crowding of population or from public improvements should belong to the public. Justice proclaims it, and no legislative enactment can reverse this decree without wrong.

The remedy for all this wrong is very simple and very easy. Let all taxes be removed as quickly as possible from all the products of labor and concentrated on land values. We thus accomplish several advantages:

1. The adoption of the simplest possible form of taxation, the easiest to assess, the easiest to collect, the one that no one can evade.

2. We thus prevent that terrible disaster of placing one part of society to stand as impediment between their fellows and the original source of wealth, the earth, and thus beget unwilling idle tramps at one end of society and idle confiscation and nonproducing consumers at the other end.

3. By thus appropriating for public purposes that value which is not the product of individual labor, we effectually prevent one becoming rich simply by impoverishing the other. Then each will become rich only as he renders service, and thus enriches.

And if civilization is to advance; if the principle of love is to become supreme; if we are to develop a true Christianity, must not this reform be accomplished? Let the present method continue, with population increasing at its present enormous rate, must not the result largely nullify all attempts at the improvements of the race? Where labor surrendered $100 fifty years ago it surrenders twenty-five times that sum today. In the next twenty-five years the increase of population on this continent will be as great as during the last fifty years. Instead of this being a grand benefit to society it will act as a huge wedge. The ground rentals of land-loaner will have increased to enormous proportions, while the burden of the laborer will have become increasingly great.

Dives comes to the sanctuary in gilded coach; his rentals have grown. Laborer tramps a-foot and sets apart on a hard board; his burden has grown. The service is read: "Little children, love one another!"

One of the most brazen falsehoods ever placed upon the shoulders of the poor little workingmen is the statement that the system of protection is an "American system." The truth is, protection of labor is no more American than is the habit of eating. The real American system still remains to be put into operation. The American system will be new, far advanced, human, just, and above all, Christian. It will be founded upon the rock of absolute justice. It will operate so as to leave to the laborer the full product of his industry. It will recognize and protect the highest and most sacred rights of property, instead of taking from the industrious producer and turning it over to the lazy and selfish non-producer. The American system will give labor freedom of access to raw material and freedom to exchange the product of its industry with whomsover and for whatsoever it pleases.

How glad we ought to be to find a justification of this "great moral truth" in the land and tax reform; to be able to see that God is really wiser and better than the condition of human affairs has made him appear to be; to know that "on earth as in heaven" his will may be done and his kingdom may come, so that every child born into this earthly life may at the very gate of birth find conditions that make possible to it, in full, glad sense, "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." This is admitted by many who can see their way out of the present conditions. It is no patent remedy for disease that the land value tax system offers. We have discovered a great wrong, a deep injustice at the foundation of our human relations, and we simply say, "Cease to do evil and learn to do right." That is the religion that is in it. What doth the Lord require of thee but to deal justly, love mercy and be happy?

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—Kansas City Journal.

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"Where's the editor?"
"Froze."
"Where's the foreman?"
"Freezin'."
"Well, where's the office boy?"
"Mortgagin' the paper to buy a snow shovel!"

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The enthusiasm for free silver is so great in Montana that some of the social clubs have free silver names. One of the newspapers thus describes a social event in Townsend: "On last Friday night the Bimetallic Club gave a masquerade ball, at Tierney's Hall, at which the elite of Townsend and surroundings mingled and enjoyed the festivities of the evening. The hall was crowded with gay masquers, and as the sweet strains of music from the Townsend String Band toyed with the twinkling stars in the old flag on the side of the ball fairies, saints and devils floated away on the tide of music, and imagined, no doubt, that they were sailing upon the waters of life in a gondola of eternal bliss. The affair was highly satisfactory to all concerned."

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In Cartersville, Ga., they hauled cotton to market this year on sleds. They are getting into Northern ways down in Georgia.

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It is said that the republicans want an extra session of congress. The country wants a rest.

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BLASTS FROM THE RAM'S HORN.

A fool carries his name in his mouth.

Sin always carries a knife under its cloak.

No man does his best who works only for pay.

There isn't any religion in going without sleep at night to run down the church.

The sheep that goes astray never finds a green pasture for itself.

If we could not suffer we would not need love.

The birds with the brightest feathers do not sing the sweetest.

The devil won't let a stingy man have any mercy on himself.

The cheerful giver is always the one who gives much.

The devil never throws any stones at a man on the fence.

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WHAT THE WISE MEN COULDN'T DO.

Cicero shook a nation with his words, and yet he could not bridle a donkey or tack down a carpet.

Joan of Arc couldn't have set a rat-trap, pickled a jar of cucumbers nor cut the baby's hair.

Cato never sat down on a carpet-tack or touched a buzz-saw to see if it was running.

Rome in its palmiest days knew nothing of buckwheat cakes or codfish balls.

Nero couldn't have guessed the use of a wooden clothes-pin.

Plato never rode down a toboggan slide and never edited a country newspaper.

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As everybody knows, Mr. Depew's experience with newspaper men has been large—larger we presume, than any other man in the country. What he had to say on the subject at the Press Club dinner is, therefore, of special interest. It was not said in the way of flattery, but as a matter of simple justice and truth. "I can say," Mr Depew declared, "that in my experience with reporters I have never been misrepresented, except by incapacity or accident." This is high and not undeserved praise of a hard-working class of men to whom the public in general owes a larger debt than it is commonly willing to acknowledge. Mr. Depew's testimony is in accord with that of the Rev. Dr. Newman Smyth, who recently said that several years ago he made the discovery that reporters were not the enemies of mankind, and ever since then he had "found no class of men more quick to respond, or willing to pay careful regard to, the courtesies and the confidence of gentlemanly intercourse."

The French Government is preparing to lay a deep sea cable between Mozambique on the east coast of Africa, and Madzungo, in Madagascar.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAR. 8, 1895.

The K. O. T. M. hold their meeting tonight.

Kitty Noone spent Sunday at Owin Sculley's.

J. Merrell Estabrook is quite unwell this week.

Mrs. A. C. Huntington has been quite ill this week.

They are putting in a new wash box at the woolen mill.

Roy Hughes spent Sunday with his parents at Tecumseh.

The L. O. T. M. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Stout paid a visit to the county seat Saturday.

Miss Julia Sculley was the guest of Michael Kirk's family Sunday.

Tate & Stoner shipped two decks of sheep and one of hogs, Monday.

Joe Everett, of Tecumseh, began work in the woolen mill Monday last.

Another son has come to gladden the Redlick household on Mill street.

Mrs. Carrie Woodward is quite sick again, but Donna is gaining nicely.

Fred. C. Breese has gone to Lansing but his mother will not go till later on.

Mrs. A. F. Tuttle visited her sister, Mrs. Cook, a couple of days at Tecumseh.

Richmond, Gadd and Horan shipped a double deck of sheep and hogs Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, at Tecumseh this week.

Vin Kelly is back from the land of flowers, having returned from Florida recently.

Frank Kirk, of Toledo, is visiting his Uncle John's family and other relatives this week.

E. Beckwith, of Whitmore Lake, visited his sister Mrs. Florence Bigham over Sunday.

Mrs. D. Haggerty, Sen., made her daughter, Mrs. Snell, a visit at Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Mate Clark returned home from Detroit Monday night. Eva is expected home tomorrow.

Charlie Kidd and family moved into a part of Mrs. Hixon's house on Jackson street, Monday.

Horace Bartlett, who has been so ill for some time, is better and now considered out of danger.

Charles Bartlett, of Ashley, Newaygo county, has been visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Will Kimball is looking quite like himself again having got the better of those Job's comforters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Breese have purchased of Jonathan Rogers his house and lot on Church street.

Sam Decker and Edna Brownell attended the pedro party at Jerome Holmes last week Thursday.

Clark & Shimman are improving the looks of their millinery establishment by repapering it handsomely.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Haughan mourn the loss of their two months old baby. The funeral was Wednesday.

They are setting the engine and boilers at the Clinton Plow Company's new plant and placing the machinery.

Geo. W. Freese has purchased the plate glass for the new front he will put in the store he recently purchased of Alonzo Clark.

The Blue Lodge F. & A. M. hold their regular tomorrow evening, after which there will be work in the first and second degree.

The revival meetings at the M. E. church are largely attended, and growing rapidly in interest. The outlook is most promising.

James H. Breese, with the household goods have gone to Fennville, Mich. Mrs. B and children will make some visits and follow next week.

Wednesday evening was the regular meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter, and after transacting the business of the order the degrees were conferred.

Marvin Cooley and wife expect soon to take up their residence in Muskegon county, where their son Percy and family are. We regret to have them go.

Mrs. Sarah Wastell has returned from Jackson, where she was summoned by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Bigelow. She left her greatly improved and out of danger.

Mrs. John Perry left Tuesday for St. Augustine, Florida, to care for her daughter, Minnie, who is having a run of fever. Latest advices give her condition as favorable.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Lancaster, their daughter Rosa and Mr. Rezin A. Welch. Rev. D. H. Ramsdell performed the ceremony.

C. H. Fisk and wife came down from Lansing Saturday. Charles returned to his duties Monday, but Mrs. F. will remain for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Dorr, and other relatives and friends.

Rev. C. C. Marshall, having finished his visit with his cousin, Rev. C. M. Stout and wife, went over to Saline Thursday, and Friday started for Kentucky to join his wife, who had preceded him.

Clark Bailey has bought of Frank Downs the lot on Coman street between the residence of H. P. Downs and the railroad. He will put up a cozy cottage on it in the spring. Can it be, Clark, that Cupid has leveled his dart at you, too?

At the corporation caucus there was placed in the field the following ticket:
President—Straud F. Marstellar.
Clerk—John B. McAdam.
Treasurer—Charles H. Thompson.
Trustees—Charles Burroughs, Charles Eostedor, Fred Tag.
Assessor—John L. Kishpaugh.
At what was called the law and order caucus the following ticket was selected:
President—William S. Kimball.
Clerk—Charles D. Cutting.
Treasurer—John W. Machin.
Trustees—Albert C. Huntington, Fred B. Greenleaf, Chas. C. Rowland.
Assessor—John Hause.

Mrs. Robert Service has left her home in Clinton and moved to Tecumseh, where she will make her home with her mother, Mrs. James Gregg.

In some unaccountable manner the report has been circulated that Rev. C. M. Stout had resigned his pastorate here. We are happy to say that such is not the case, and trust he may continue the good work begun for years to come.

Will H. Beehler left Monday night for Chicago, where he will make a short visit and then go on to California for a visit with relatives. He expects to be away two or three months. We hope he may conclude to return to us.

George Sherwood is raising the building occupied by H. Wilcox preparatory to moving it, to give place for the new building to be erected by A. C. Huntington on the corner. The old building will be placed on Tecumseh street next the printing office.

VanTuyle & Woolard, we understand, are not to use the Hotel Edrose for a store room as they expected, while their building is being erected. Thus far little or no progress has been made on the ground, and if the building is erected in two weeks some one will have to get a hustle on them.

Mrs. Eugene Palmer has taken the agency for the towns of Britton, Ridgeway, Dundee and Milan for the American Women's Standard Canning Process, and expects to begin her work at Britton next week. This process for putting up fruit is more simple, less work and less expensive than the old way and the fruit tastes fresher.

ONSTED ODDS.

Peter Russell, of Adrian, was in town recently.

An uncle from St. Johns is visiting Mrs. W. Lapham.

The condition of S. G. Aldrich is getting weaker every day.

Rev. Cooper has been engaged to preside over the church here commencing April 1st.

The lottery fad has struck this town very hard above the belt and on the pocket book.

Some schools in the vicinity observed Washington's birthday this year with appropriate ceremony.

Mr. Davis, a cousin of Harry Hawkins, has been visiting the latter gentleman for a few days back.

A number of gentlemen of this vicinity attended D. A. Law's auction in West Adrian on Wednesday of last week.

Charles Hawkins and Miss Edna Mattison, both of North Rome, were married a few days ago by Rev. Robinson.

Archie Jordan and wife, of Wexford county, have been visiting among relatives in this vicinity on their wedding tour.

There is some talk of putting up a cheese factory here in the near future, and that is what the farmers in this locality need.

The large smile on George Pennoyer's face is caused by the coming of a new boy at his home on Tuesday evening of last week.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Field has been re-nominated to succeed himself as school commissioner and hope he will receive the office.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. on Friday evening of last week when the goat did extra service and ones very vitals seemed frozen with terror.

The following persons very agreeably surprised A. W. Woodard, of North Rome, on his 67th birthday, which was also Washington's birthday; Mr. George Bangs, wife and sister Ada of Tecumseh; Mrs. Geo. Woodard of Rome; A. B. Jordan and wife of Cadillac, E. A. Taylor and wife of Cambridge, Miss Libbie Taylor of Rome. The time was passed in visiting and partaking of the good things of life prepared by the wife of the host.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

John E. Monk goes to Monroe county this spring to live upon a farm.

The little son of Chas. Baker is still alive, and there are some hopes of his recovery.

Social at Mrs. Mary Simmons residence next Saturday night for the benefit of the library.

Pentecost is to have a new blacksmith shop this spring, to be built we understand by J. S. Pentecost and run by A. F. Peters.

It is rumored that a new firm will purchase the store now occupied by Mrs. E. Buck, and put in a stock of goods, after Mrs. B. goes away.

Harry Vanderpool, who has been dangerously ill for some days with inflammation of the bowels, is now slightly better. Dr. Rice attends him.

Another blizzard howling down upon us from the north at this writing. If the ground hog is responsible for this he ought to have an additional bounty put upon his head.

While working in the woods last week a young farmer of Pentecost was handed a telegram announcing the death of a relative, who had left several thousand dollars to the young man's family. Now girls, just look after Ed. right sharp.

Elisha B. Miller, of Lansing, was calling on Pentecost friends this week. He came down to attend the funeral of his sister Mrs. Ira Camburn, and started for home Tuesday. Mr. M. was an old Franklin boy, and found a few of the old times to welcome him yet, though like himself their heads were frosty, and the days of their years were many.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mr. Sam Tripp is better.

Miss Irine Allen is steadily on the gain.

The orchestra played at Frank Bradley's one night last week.

The Franklin and Wolfberg orchestras played at Mr. Keeney's Saturday night.

We humbly beg little Miss Skeese pardon for representing her to be a whole week older than she really is.

Mrs. Lucy C. Miller, Bingham, Mich., writes makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer: "I needed help if any poor mortal ever needed it" Many others need help for their nerves. Call on us for $1 bottles! Warranted by Orr & Temple.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Mrs. Ida Knowles is on the sick list.

Mrs. Frank Gilbert's baby is quite ill again.

Halsey Sayers spent Sunday with his parents at home.

School exhibition at Wolf Creek next Wednesday night.

Mrs. John Maynard is improving from an attact of grip.

Dell Lawrence and family will move to Ohio in the spring.

Mrs. Foslick is visiting friends in this locality this week.

John Hawley will work the Bronson farm the coming season.

Miss May Luce goes to Toledo this week to work at dressmaking.

The late rain is just what was wanted as the wells were all nearly dry in this vicinity.

The young people of Rome Center will produce a play entitled the "Hidden Hand" next Friday night.

Dwight Luce, whose health has been poor so long, is very much better this winter, and has hopes of recovery.

A Laughable Mistake.

Two ladies entered a book-store recently and the younger asked the clerk for a book called "Favorite Prescription." The puzzled attendant was unable to comply with her request and she left the store dissappointed. Inquiry elicited the fact that she had overheard a conversation between two literary ladies in which "Favorite Prescription" was mentioned with extravagant praise, and had jumped to the conclusion that it was a book. She now knows that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a sovereign cure for the ills and "weaknesses" peculiar to women, for she has been cured by its use. Send for a free pamphlet, or remit 10 cents in stamps for book (168 pages) on "Woman and Her Diseases." Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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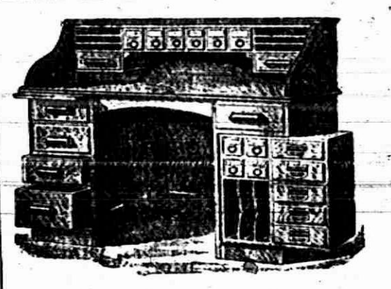
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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Mrs. John Britton is quite sick with grippe.

Orange blossoms will be in full bloom next week sure.

Don't fail to hear Prof. Beal next Tuesday evening.

Sheriff Wilson was in town Saturday and again Monday.

Verne Smith's foot is better and he is able to be at work again.

A gentleman came all the way from Toledo to see a Jackanipe.

LaVern Oosterhout and wife are visiting at Ypsilanti this week.

J. B. Coller and wife, of Macon, visited Earl Lenardson and wife this week.

Those who neglect to hear Mark Beal next Tuesday evening will miss a rare treat.

John Hughes, of Tecumseh, was the guest of his brother Arthur, a couple of days this week.

Miss Bertha Lamkin is assisting Mrs. Will Clark, whose recovery from the grip is very slow.

Hugh Hannan has rented the Bills farm at Tecumseh and will move his family next week.

Charles DuBois loaded a car with hay at Sisson's Tuesday and another at Ridgeway yesterday.

Missionary meeting at the Christian Union church Wednesday afternoon, followed by a choice supper.

Miss Lydia McNeil, of Tecumseh, is here assisting in caring for her sister, Mrs. Geo. Hawks, who is ill.

Miss Hattie Ball, of Dundee, was the guest of her friend Miss Bertha Britton, the greater part of last week.

Mr. T. Brunk moved his family to Tecumseh yesterday. He reports the grating works rushed with work.

Thomas Wyrill and wife and Miss Adeline McNeil, of Tecumseh, attended the funeral of Mrs. George Oliver.

The suit of Miller and Smith against Garland, called at Dundee last Saturday was postponed until some day next week.

The Reformed church society at the G. A. R. Hall Wednesday evening, gave a chicken pie supper that was enjoyed by all.

Ben Pulver and Frank Zeluff went over to Ypsilanti Sunday. Guess there must be special attractions there for them at least.

Hendershot tent K. O. T. M. hold a special meeting next Wednesday evening for conferring degrees. Let there be a large attendance.

Ed. Bachman has completed the skylight for the new gallery. Harvey has his outfit here and will soon be in shape to take all your Photos.

A couple of young ladies were masquerading in male attire Friday evening, in consequence of which they were not able to attend the fire.

Next Tuesday evening our citizens will be entertained by the most brilliant orator and impersonator on the International Lecture Bureau.

Mrs. Samuel Kniffin, who is not well at best, was stricken Monday morning with paralysis affecting her entire right side. She is in a very critical condition.

They say (and you know that is good authority) that Vern Smith is making bills of extraordinary length in a certain direction, and some times spends a day.

Mrs. W. J. Helm is so much better that she is able to do her work, and her sister Adah Lamkin, who has been with her, has returned to her home in Franklin.

Auctions are numerous in this vicinity. Lewis Zapf, Charles Shaler and Richard Clarkson, all have an auction next week, and Frank Davidson is the auctioneer.

A meeting of the base ball association will soon be called to complete plans for the season's campaign. The team will be strengthened by Lewis and Harman of Milan.

Westley Mantell, the Actor, was in town Wednesday. Our dramatic society should secure him to put on the boards one of his fine plays. It would be a good school for them.

There is to be a charity ball at Exelby's hall, Thursday, March 14th, for the benefit of Millard Seullenberger, the blind musician. It is a most worthy object, and so all turn out, whether you dance or not, for you will have a fine time socially and assist in the benefit as well.

A poor unfortunate fellow, with but one leg was put off the train here Tuesday night. Although a cripple he was drunk and very abusive; on account of his misfortune, Deputy Sheriff Britton did not arrest him but furnished him lodging. Geo. Exelby gave him supper and breakfast and he left towards Tecumseh.

Grant Oosterhout rode the K. O. T. M. goat Tuesday evening. Guess he and the goat must have had a lively tussle, for Wednesday we found Grant in Lee Bros' store leaning with his elbow on the counter looking pale. He did not offer to sit down. That goat will have sport for some time as there are 12 more to be initiated.

Will Britton was called to Ann Arbor Tuesday as a witness on a suit, but it was postponed until Thursday, so he had to go again yesterday. It was the John Tilden case—a tramp arrested here for larceny. A short time ago he was arrested by Will for vagrancy. On his person was found a quantity of skeleton keys and an amount of plunder showing him to be a dangerous character to have around.

Geo. Exelby informs us that he will leave the hotel next week, and move into his private residence next door west. He assures us that the Exelby house, under the supervision of Mr and Mrs. Luke Bannister, will be nicely kept, and as in the past, be a model house for a place of this size. While we regret to lose Geo. and his estimable wife from the hotel, we are glad it passes into the hands of those who have had experience in catering to the wants of the public, therefore we speak for Mr. and Mrs. Bannister a cordial reception from our own people. We trust Mr. and Mrs. B. may find a change to their personal advantage.

Prof. M. B. Beal, of Albion College, read recently before the students and professors at the Agricultural College. All were heartily interested and entertained. His easy manner, excellent voice, and thorough appreciation of the thought and poetry of the selections he gives, enable him to render them with such force, feeling and poetic spirit as are are rarely met in public readers. I heartily commend him to all.—O. CLUTE.

The All Penny Ante society held another meeting at the mill Monday evening, when Will Clark, John Britton and Edgar Wells were made members, but whether active or honorary members Art did not say. Our petition as well as Fred Morrell's, was again held over. Fred says the late cold snap has put a stop to the hens laying, consequently we will have to wait. Say Fred, why can't we turn flour as well as Eggs? Others have done it and why can't we? I am becoming anxious to get in before the spring freshet.

Clarence Zibble and Fred Taylor, not long since, made a visit to the city of Dundee and their relations became rather mixed. Since their return the best of feeling has not existed between them. Saturday they met and, in talking over matters, they grew excited, and from hot words they came to blows and had a regular scrap, in which, it seems, Clarence came out ahead. Whether this was successful in adjusting matters satisfactory to both parties we are not prepared to say. We regret that the boys should resort to such measures. It is not just the thing, boys.

They had a delightful time Friday evening at the Maccabee Hall, when members of Ivy Leaf Hive entertained their visitors from surrounding Hives. As was expected our ladies added new laurels to their already fine reputation as entertainers. It was pretty nearly a hen party all through, still, we understand, one poor single male, besides the men, who came to drive for the ladies, did sit down to the banquet. Some of the ladies did not go home till morning, and had a lively time at the Exelby house after they left the hall. It is said some of our ladies, on reaching home, were by their Lords greeted with similar interrogations to those they used to receive before the ladies knew how nice it was to be out to the lodge themselves. It was all right, ladies, glad you had a good time.

Friday night, about 8:30, it was discovered that Gogeline's mill was on fire. The alarm was given and soon the entire male population and many of the fairer sex were on the ground, and by hard and judicious work the flames were soon extinguished. All felt relieved, for had it not been discovered when it was the chances are that it would have proved a very disastrous conflagration, as it is so situated that many of our best residences would certainly have been destroyed. It seems the arch was defective and the fire started from there and worked its way into the saw-dust packing surrounding the tank, which made it difficult to get at. As it was the damage was slight. They cannot be too careful about fire particularly around this building as it endangers much valuable property.

OBITUARY.

Mary (Wyrill) Oliver was born in Bilborough, Eng., Dec. 25th, 1833, and she died at her home in Ridgeway township, Feb. 27, 1895, being a little past 61 years of age. She came with her father to America in 1854, and the family settled at Tecumseh, Mich. In 1856 the deceased was married to Geo. L. Oliver who survives her. To the twain were born seven children, of these a son and two daughters survive. In 1875 she made a public profession of religion and united with the Christian Union Church of which she remained a zealous and worthy member until her death. She served the church as clerk for 18 years, was teacher of the infant class in Sunday school for 17 years, and president of the church aid society for many years. She held all these positions two years ago, when failing eye-sight compelled her to withdraw from these varied duties. About 10 weeks before her death she was attacked with malarial fever, and other complications setting in, baffled the skill of good physicians and she came down to the grave. Her funeral was attended by a large concourse of neighbors and friends at the church on Saturday, March 2d., the services being conducted jointly by Jas. Wright and E. Mudge, ex-pastor and pastor of the church the last preaching the sermon. May the devoted life of the deceased inspire all to better living. E. M.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss Edith Schwab is on the sick list.

Mr. Joe Hartman visited Hillsdale a few days last week.

The Maccabee social was quite largely attended Saturday evening.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin is out among us after a long run of malaria fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Wright are here again with their sister, Mrs. Bert Lewis.

The free Methodist revival commenced Sunday evening, Mr. Boyer as leader.

John Rainey is buying a large quantity of oats for shipment in this vicinity.

Mr. F. G. Florence, C. T. Ratts and George Holloway visited Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Jen Calhoun has gone to Milan to keep house for her cousin, Dr. Calhoun.

Quite a large social met at the Rev. Mr. Steads' Thursday; all enjoyed a pleasant time.

Mrs. James McIntyre and Mrs. Floyd Florence drove over to Britton to visit their sister Maccabee's Friday evening.

The ladies social meets at the home of Mrs. Allen Kelly, March 14; let there be a large turn out as it's election of officers.

Rev. C. M. Brown gave one of his lectures at the church Friday eve; rather a small audience but very interesting and highly appreciated by all who listened.

Mr. C. T. Ratts had a narrow escape while testing milk at the factory one of the testing bottles broke causing the acid to fly in the eyes making it quite painful for a while.

Mrs. Dr. Begal arrived Thursday evening to pack up their household goods to move to Jackson, where they reside, as the doctor has a practice now in that city. Success to him and his family.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The express office has been taken back to the depot.

Frank Davidson made a business trip to Dundee Saturday.

Township Election will be held three weeks from Monday.

Dame rumor reports more orange blossoms in the near future.

C. D. Keyes, of the HERALD force, was in the village Wednesday.

Lafe Rappleye and James Barlow were Adrian visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. David Allison, of Milan, was visiting relatives during the week.

Covert Miller, of Detroit, made a flying call on relatives the first of the week.

Jennie Allen went to Toledo Wednesday for a visit with her brother, Frank Allen.

Several of Johnnie McClellon's family are sick with the grip at present writing.

L. Bannister, wife and daughter Blanche, spent Saturday and Sunday at Adrian with friends.

Postmaster Santus, Commissioner Barnes and son Irving, were in Adrian Saturday on a business venture.

Mrs. Samuel Rappleye was called to Tecumseh, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of her uncle Wm. Pilbeam.

Mrs. L. Rinebold and son Russell, of Addison, visited friends of the village and vicinity from Saturday until Tuesday.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are preparing a Mrs. Mary T. Lathrap memorial service to be given in a few weeks.

The students of the advanced room enjoyed a surprise on their school mate Miss Nettie Bannister, Friday evening of last week.

Mrs. Florence Lowe fell down stairs one day last week, receiving bruises serious enough to keep her from her regular household duties.

The Adrian Dist. County convention of the home missionary society will be held in the village in May. Dates and program will appear in due season.

Mail Messenger E. A. Palmer moved his family and household effects to Adrian, last week, where he will be more conveniently located with his work.

A few of the members of the Library Association desiring to pursue a course of reading on the subject of Mythology, will meet in the parlors of the Library, Monday evening March 11th, to organize a reading circle. Any members of the Library wishing to pursue the course are invited to meet with them at the appointed time and place.

Prof. Edward Keller, of the Morenci schools, the nominee for county School Commissioner on the Republican ticket, was the guest of T. H. Temple the first of the week. The Prof. is filling his fifth year as Superintendent of the Morenci school, where he has a host of friends. He and Editor Chas. F. Field, of the Tecumseh News, nominee for county School Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, are old school mates. The contest will be a close one, as both candidates are competent for the position.

At 4 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Misses Phoeba and Eva Osgood, on North street, occured the marriage of Mr. George Hill, of Raisin and Miss Eva Osgood. Mr. Hill's short acquaintance among us has won the respect of all. The bride, who has spent her young womanhood among us, needs no comments. We are informed that the young couple will begin house keeping at once in our village. They have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and prosperous journey through life.

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John Howell was at Milan Saturday visiting friends.

Mr. J. Osborne and wife, of South Macon, were in the village Sunday.

Henry Oliver has secured a place, and will leave Macon within a few weeks.

School will close in both Merrit and Mills districts on Friday of this week.

Mr. Ramsden, senior, preached in the M. E. church Sunday in the absence of the pastor.

Miss Elva Richart left last week for a course of instruction in the Cook county Normal, Chicago.

Ladies' Aid Society was appointed to meet at the home of Henry Miller on Wednesday afternoon.

The exhibition appointed for Friday night in the Mills district has been postponed till Tuesday night following.

Gabriel Mills, who for some time past has been at Cleary's Business College, came home Friday sick with, what is reported to be scarlet fever.

The entertainment given at William Morgan's by Miss Grace Collins and the scholars of her school was entirely successful, more than enough to purchase the desired flag being realized therefrom.

Our enterprising townsman, J. B. Coller, not content in giving pleasure to the public through the ear alone, has provided a way whereby he can please both ear and eye; and now for ten cents you can hear the graphophone sing 'Sweet Marie' and see the two legged pig at the same time.

SOUTH MACON SIFTINGS.

Daniel B. Barnes who has been living in Milan for some time expects soon to return to his farm in Macon. We are glad to have him return to us.

T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers Club will meet at the home of Wm. Osborn, Friday evening, March 15th.

PROGRAMME.

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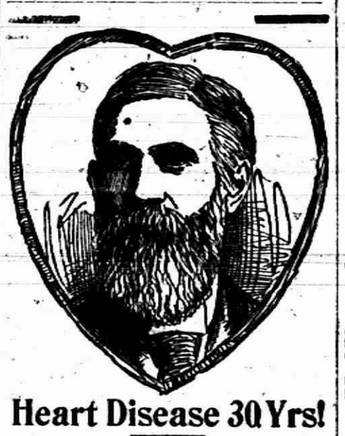

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THE MONEY ISSUE.

The tariff question, as a political issue is settled for the present. No further reductions will be possible by the next Congress, neither can Congress carry through any restoration to McKinley duties so long as Grover occupies the White House. For the next two years the money question will be paramount. The following address, issued to the Democrats of the Union by the friends of bimetallism has the true ring, and we commend it to every voter, of whatever name, who believes in the money of the people:

To the Democrats of the United States:

We, the undersigned Democrats, present for your consideration the following statement:

We believe that the establishment of gold as the ordinary standard, and the elimination of silver as a full legal tender money will increase the purchasing power of each dollar, add to the burden of all debts, decrease the market value of all forms of property, continue and intensify business depression, and finally reduce the majority of the people to financial bondage.

We believe that no party can hope for enduring success in the United States so long as it advocates a single gold standard, and that the advocacy of such a financial policy would be injurious, especially to a party which, like the Democratic party, derives its voting strength from those who may without reproach be called the common people; and we point to the overwhelming defeat of the party in 1894, to the opposition aroused by the veto of the seignorage bill, and to the still more unanimous protest against the issue of gold bonds as proof that the Democratic party can be brought to the support of the gold standard policy.

We believe that the question will be the paramount issue in 1896, and will so remain until it is settled by the intelligence and patriotism of the American voters.

We believe that a large majority of the Democrats of the United States favor bimetallism and realize that it can only be secured by the restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio and we assert that the majority has and should assert the right to control the policy of the party and retain the party name.

We believe that it is the duty of the majority and within their power to take charge of the party organization and make the Democratic party an effective instrument in the accomplishment of needed reforms.

It is not necessary that Democrats should surrender their convictions on other questions in order to take an active part in the settlement of the question which at this time surpasses all others in importance.

We believe that the rank and file of the party should at once assert themselves in the Democratic party and place it on record in favor of the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio of 16 to 1, as such coinage existed prior to 1873, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation, such gold and silver coin to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private.

We urge all Democrats who favor the financial policy above set forth to associate themselves together and impress their views on the party organization; we urge all newspapers in harmony with the above financial policy to place it at the head of the editorial column and assist in the immediate restoration of bimetallism.

The following extract, taken from the proceedings of the late Democratic State Convention, is another straw, showing which way the wind blows. The report of the committee on resolutions was received through its chairman, H. A. Hoyt, of Muskegon. The report, which was adopted amid loud applause, was as follows:

The Democratic party of Michigan, in convention assembled, hails with delight the rapidly increasing sentiment in favor of the restoration of silver to the position it so long held in the monetary system of our country, unqualifiedly declares in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold with full legal tender power and a ratio of 16 to 1, and invites every patriotic citizen of Michigan, regardless of previous party affiliation, to join us in an imperative demand for immediate legislation to that end, and without regard to the position of any other nation in respect thereto.

We are happy to announce that although Ed. Hollister's business arrangements are such as to make it necessary to move his family to Norfolk Ohio, he will still retain the controlling interest in the Tecumseh Celery Company here. They have sold the 11 acres on the north side of the road to W. H. Crane of Adrian, but still have 45 acres on the south side, where the house, packing house, etc are located. Mr. Hollister will have an experienced man look after this farm, and he himself will be here frequently. While the condition of the land in Ohio, is in crude condition, and requires his personal attention, he does not intend to neglect his interests here, but will work this land for all there is in it and looks forward to a good season's business.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

(Edited by the Tecumseh W. C. T. U.)

"The Dive."

People who read criminal news are familiar with the word "dive" but its meaning has not been known to everybody. In the proceedings of the Lexow committee, investigating the political crimes of New York, the word often occured, and some one asked the New York Tribune to define it. Here is its answer:

It is a low resort for criminals and degraded people, where vice is encouraged, where crime is freely committed, where there is no honor, no manhood, no decency, where people are robbed, drugged and sometimes murdered; where the law is laughed at, because protection from it is openly bought from officials whose duty it is, and whose pride it should be, to enforce it. A "dive," is a place where sin pays regular wages to police officials, where money is wrung from depraved men and abandoned women to buy handsome country places and fine yachts for corrupt blackmailers of high rank. A "dive" is a place where every crime can exist if it has the price to pay for its existence; where there is no vice which revolts a bully and a braggart, if that vice yields a revenue to him. A "dive" is the counting-room of a police sergeant, captain, or inspector, whose chief business and highest purpose is to deal in shame.

The Laboring Man and the Saloon.

The term employed includes all those who perform manual labor. They comprise the great bulk of our citizens and voters. All are interested in their character and welfare. I state the exact truth when I say that the saloon is the curse of the laboring man. Wherever he predominates the saloons are most numerous. According to information I deem reliable there are at least 700 saloons in Detroit supported by laboring men. Concede that each takes in at least $3,000 per year—and that is probably a low estimate—and it means the expenditure of $2,100,000 annually in the saloons by the laboring men. The great bulk of this is an absolute waste of money for which no valid consideration is returned. Fifty per cent. of it saved and placed in the savings banks or used at home would largely relieve your good, thrifty and temperate citizens from the demands of public and private charity. The superintendent of a large public work near Chicago, which employs many hundred workmen, is my authority for the statement that more than two-thirds of the orders and checks issued to the workmen are presented for payment by the saloonkeepers who infest the vicinity. Such a condition is disgraceful to the laborers and their employers.

And what are the laboring men doing to relieve themselves from this curse and stigma? Are there any organizations among them for that purpose? Is it one of the rules of the many secret labor organizations that their numbers must be temperate? If so, no such rule has ever been made public, to my knowledge. The first duty of these organizations is to insist that each and every member shall be temperate, and to place a ban upon intoxication and the patronizing of saloons. It is a duty they owe to themselves, their families, their health, their cause, and the state. When from sixty to eighty per cent. of the money now squandered in the saloons shall be saved for legitimate uses, labor will, in my judgment, have but little difficulty in obtaining its just rights from capital. Sober, honest, industrious, intelligent and level-headed labor is worth more to capital than that soaked in whisky and beer. Such labor will meet capital on an equal footing. Such labor can present its own case, make its own arguments, and will not need to support walking delegates to act or speak for it. The moral law imposes temperance upon all. When laborers shall have learned this lesson, and shall act upon it, the modern strike will be a thing unknown, except in history.—Hon. Claudius B. Grant of the Supreme Court of Michigan.

PIONEER SOCIAL.

On the eve of Feb. 19th, a pioneer social was held at the home of J. L. Richard in Raisin. John lives on his grand father's old farm, settled in 1833. The house was lighted with tallow candles, various relics of pioneer days were on exhibition, and many present were dressed in pioneer costumes. Reminiscenses of the early settlement of the neighborhood were given by B. I. Laing, S. R. Rogers and Alex. Richard. Old songs were sung by W. E. Doty and others, and altogether the company had a very enjoyable time.

The following was written by Mrs. Lucretia Hall, aged 84 years, and read by her daughter, Mrs. James Lane:

MRS. EDMUND HALL'S JOURNEY FROM NEW YORK TO MICHIGAN.

We came from Steuben Co., N. Y., town of Cohocton, when I was twenty-three years old. I was the oldest of thirteen children. We landed in Detroit at midnight. We all slept in what was called a "feed-bed," in a room for which we paid a dollar for the bare room. The next morning we engaged breakfast at a widow woman's for the whole family, 14 in all. While we were eating breakfast a friend came in and told father that a drove of cattle were just going out and if he would hurry up he might get a yoke of oxen. So taking his advice he procured him a good ox team. He sent word ahead, he wanted us to be ready to continue our journey when he arrived with the team. The widow woman thought we were trying to get away without paying for our breakfast, and she ordered some one to get an officer to hold our bed for security. As Father was near at hand Mother stepped to the door and stated the circumstances. Father came up and patting the widow woman on the shoulder, pleasantly said, "good woman I never cheated any one out of a penny in my life, do you suppose I would begin now, and with a widow woman, too?" So after paying our bills we started on our journey. A horse team going ahead with a load of goods, and Father following after with the ox team. As many of the family as could find room in the wagon rode with Father, the rest walking part of the distance, then changing with those that were riding. I blistered my feet. In the load ahead was a box of beans, and, as their team traveled much faster than ours, we tracked them by the beans which fell through the cracks, clear to Mr. Wickwire's.

Uncle Daniel Raymond had bought Father a farm, but when he came to see it, he said he would go back east again rather than settle in that place. But arrangements were made and Father bought the farm on which A. D. Macham now lives. There was a shanty on the farm with only one room in it, 16x24, in which we could eat, sleep and receive our company. It was parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen and bed room all in one. The roof leaked in ten places right over my bed. I told my sister I was going to fulfill the scriptures, so I took up my bed and walked. Quite frequently our callers were rattle-snakes, etc., and there would come floating to us on the mid-night air, the howling of wolves and wildcats. We had one other building on the farm and that was a pig pen.

At one time Mother sowed some peas, and one of the hens got in and scratched up and ate nearly all of them. So Mother, loath to lose her peas, killed her hen, and recovering her peas from the crop, sowed them again and cooked the hen for dinner.

As dinner is nearly over and nearly time for supper, I will close by praising the Lord for what he has done for me.

He Died Laughing.

Very seldom a man dies laughing, but it occurs often when they witness that funny comedy drama, "For a Million," which will be at the opera house next Thursday evening, March 14. Admission, 15 and 25 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats. "For a Million" will be produced by home talent for the benefit of the Independent Order of Orientals.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The meeting of the club was held Tuesday eve. at J. W. Gillespie's. A good attendance of members were present and a pleasant evening was spent. All who assisted with the program did well. Mrs. Will Rector, I. H. Schreder and John Boyce gave good select readings. Bert Rector recited a temperance piece nicely. Mrs. Coddington's part was well taken. Earl Rector and Clare Gillespie acted a cute dialogue. The charade by Mrs. F. D. Rector, assisted by Cora Halsted and Andrew Kehoe was well acted and took some time to guess. The question box was well filled and proved very interesting. The various questions were spoken upon by B. B. Gillespie, A. P. Coddington, J. Everhart, Philip Kehoe, O. B. Finch, I. H. Schreder, J. T. Boyce and others, and ranged from the advisability of planting roots instead of corn and the building of silos to the dispensing with the upper house of Congress. After the questions were all answered or disposed of in some way, the club adjourned to meet Tuesday evening, March 19, with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Finch. Program for the evening as arranged by the committee:

Singing by the club.
Dec.—Frank Gillespie.
Review of the Winter's work, what have we learned?—Mrs. F. D. Rector.
Rec.—Lovina Schreder.
Music.
Quotations from favorite authors, by each member, the others to name the author.
Select Reading—Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen.
Hash—Mrs. John Schreder.
Question—What is the best time and manner of planting potatoes; opened by J. W. Gillespie.

OBITUARY.

William Pilbeam died at his home in Tecumseh, Michigan, March 3d., 1895, in his 83d. year. He was born in the county of Kent, England, May 14, 1812. He came to Michigan at the age of 20 and worked at the carpenter's trade. Among the first buildings of his construction one now stands on the farm of Sanford Hause, finished about the time of the marriage of Mr. Pilbeam to Miss Hannah Hause, Oct. 8th., 1842. In 1852 he settled on his new farm of 200 acres in Macon, where in 1866 the partner of his life was taken from him, after her well spent life as a fond mother, leaving him with twelve children. In due time he married Mrs. Betsy Dorrel, a widow with four children, who, together with their thirteen children, survives him. The most of his children attended the funeral, six of his sons, namely, Thomas Jefferson, Edgar, Edward, Benjamin Franklin, Almond and Eugene, acting as pall bearers; Rev. J. P. Varner officiating. At one time the deceased joined the church, but, for reasons best known to himself, afterwards withdrew and resolved to live and work out his own salvation by being a man, observing the golden rule, paying his honest debts and keeping sacred his word with fellow man. After a life well spent in providing a good home for his family he comes down in peace to the grave and now rests by the side of his first wife, in Lake Ridge cemetery.

E. B.

Card of Thanks.

To the friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our brother; to the quartette who sung and the Masonic lodge who attended his funeral in a body, we extend our heartfelt thanks for their sympathy and kindness.

J. TOTTEN,
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Is the title of the comedy drama which will be produced at Sutton's opera house next Thursday night, March 14, by Tecumseh talent. This is a comedy drama, pure in action and sparkling with comedy. New songs and dances will be introduced during the play. See it and you will laugh. Admission: Children, 15c; adults, 25c. No extra charge for reserved seats. Secure tickets of Oriental members or at Kirchgessner's jewelry store.

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Tecumseh, Mich.

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CHARLEY DIBBLE.
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C. W. McNEIL,
Newburgh, Mich.
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REGISTRATION NOTICE.—To the electors of the village of Tecumseh: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village of Tecumseh will be held at the council building in said village on Saturday, March, 9, 1895, from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. of said day, for the purpose of registering the names of such persons as desire to become electors of said village.
Dated this 28th day of February, 1895.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Recorder.

ANNUAL CORPORATION ELECTION. Notice is hereby given to the electors of the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, that the annual corporation election will be held upon the second Monday of March, 1895, next, being the 11th day of March, at the council building in said village, at which election the following officers are to be elected, to-wit: President, Treasurer, Clerk, three Trustees for two years, and one Assessor. The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated this 28th day of February, 1895.
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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

For a Million.

For a Million next Thursday evening.

Charles Avery, of Jackson, was here Monday.

Remember Charles L. Davis will be here March 18.

Watch out for the program for Chocolate Tea next week.

Miss Nan Grey visited Adrian friends several days the past week.

Mrs. Robert Moore has returned from her visit with Toledo friends.

A. W. Slayton is looking after his Detroit lumber yard this week.

Encourage your home talent by filling the opera house, March 14th.

Miss Cora Reynolds, of Detroit, is visiting her cousin, Carrie Smallidge.

Mrs. E. A. Keyser returned from Adrian yesterday and will now complete her visit with Tecumseh friends.

All who have heard the Elsie Quartette will surely hear them again. Go to the opera house and hear them March 21st.

Next Sunday night Rev. J. P. Varner of the Methodist church, will have for his subject: "The Bible an Inspired Book."

Dan Hubbard returned from Hartford Friday night. He left his little daughter, Goldie much better and on the road to recovery.

E. T. VanDeMark, of Chicago, was in town Monday, and made the HERALD office a pleasant call. He came over for a little visit with his people at Clinton.

Frank Davidson is kept hustling these days filling appointments at auction sales. He has one Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of next week, and is now billed for three week after next. Frank is in great demand these days.

Stepping into J. C. Hazlett's establishment yesterday we were surprised to see such a gem of a store. Although Johnnie has always carried a fine stock of cloths, he has outdone himself this season. He has pantings, suitings, etc., in all grades and styles, at prices that will surprise you.

Geo. W. Mead has just invented an independent wire tightener, single or double ratchet, of 1-4 inch to 10 feet draw of slack wire; can be used in front or rear of end posts, or in center of fence, upon barb, cable or smooth wire, without cutting wire. It can also be used to splice broken wire. Price, 10 cents each; special rates by the dozen.

There will be two tickets in the field for the village election this spring. This no doubt will bring out a much larger vote than has been cast for some years. The two caucuses were held at the council rooms Monday afternoon. Those who responded to the call of Corporation caucus place before you the following ticket:

President—Joseph H. Smith.
Recorder—Will. J. Ingersoll.
Treasurer—Geo. W. Knapp.
Trustees—James A. Boyd, Daniel T. Hall, Henry Heesen.
Assessor—Perry Hosmer.

And those responding to Citizens caucus presented:

President—George Heesen.
Recorder—Robert Moore.
Treasurer—George W. Marsden.
Trustees—B. F. Snyder, Elmer Hause, James Lowry.
Assessor—Horace Weller.

Both tickets are composed of good men. No doubt the people generally will be better satisfied to have more than one ticket.

For a Million.

E. F. Kirchgessner was in Clinton Wednesday.

Miss Belle Ogden was down from Clinton Monday.

Miss Jennie L. Hause, of Clinton, was calling on friends Monday.

Geo. S. Tiffany left Tuesday for a business trip to New York City.

Miss Grace Gillespie is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vern Roberts, of Tipton, this week.

Miss Agnes Woodward has gone to Detroit where she will remain several months.

Will Osborn attended a reception at Adrian Wednesday, given by the Odd Fellows.

Miss Nellie Heesen went to Ypsilanti yesterday to care for her sister, Grace, who is ill.

Chas. L. Davis will be seen as Alvin Joslyn at the opera house Monday, eve, March 18th.

Miss Lizzie Russell, who has been quite ill for a week or more, is convalescing slowly.

Regular meeting of the Blue Lodge F. & A. M. this evening. There may be degree work.

Mrs. C. M. Brown expects her mother, Mrs. E. L. Hurd, of Tuscola, Illinois, next week for a visit.

Rev. Jas. Hagerman has been spending the week at Cincinnati, O. He is expected home to-morrow.

Jim Riley, having decided to learn to weave, went into the Woolen Mill at Clinton Monday morning for that purpose.

Another Arcanum party was held at the residence of Mr. Al VanWinkle, Wednesday evening. It was a most pleasant occasion.

Prof. Edward Keeler, of Morenci, one of the nominees for County Superintendent of Schools, was in town Tuesday and paid the HERALD a call.

Prof. Norris with his trained dogs gave performances at the opera house Monday evening and Tuesday afternoon and evening. They were very satisfactory.

Charley Reed, of the HERALD office, was presented with a giant lead pencil by Geo. Adamson. Geo. has received a deserved credit mark. This last "just for fun."

John Osborn was called to Chicago Sunday by the serious illness of his mother. Owing to her age being 85, her recovery is doubtful, the disease being pneumonia.

Rev. C. M. Brown gave his illustrated lecture on Japan, at Erie, Monroe county, Monday evening. He run the lantern himself on this occasion, but thinks it a little too much.

At Morenci, Monday, a ceremony will be performed which unites for life two of our young people of Tecumseh. We will mention no names at this time for it would be a breach of confidence.

The young people of the M. E. church will give a maple sugar social, Friday evening, March 22. In connection with the social, will be a debate. Full particulars of debate will be announced next week.

Charles W. Dibble, of Ridgeway, has of late been quite unfortunate. Some time since he lost his watch, and a day or two ago lost a pocketbook containing $35. We hope he will be able to recover both.

John C. Hazlett has worked a great transformation in his place of business. The interior has been repapered and repainted and he has now a model tailoring establishment. The work was done by George Matteson.

The firm of Jones & Rogers has been dissolved, Mr. Rogers having sold out his interest to Mr. Jones. Jimmie will continue the business at the old stand. He will have something to say to you next week. Wait and watch for it.

From yesterday's Manchester Enterprise we learn that there is lying in the vault at that place the remains of five persons whose average age was 85 years, viz: Mr. Coon, 83, Mr. Carr, 86, Mr. Hendershot, 83, Mr. Hudson, 85 and Mrs. Whedon, 88.

An educational rally will be held at Blissfield, on Saturday, March 16th, under the management of School Commissioner Field. A very interesting program is being prepared, and all who are interested in education are cordially invited to attend.

There will be more interest taken in the Corporation election this spring than last for there are two tickets before the people, both of which are composed of good men and representative citizens. Whichever may be elected the interests of the community will be carefully guarded and the affairs economically conducted.

B. C. Knapp and W. S. Osborn are opening a machinery depot at Heesen's old stand. They will handle the Deering harvesters, mowers, horse rakes, Arbuckle, Ryan & Co.'s engines, heaters, etc., besides a general line of farming implements, binding twine, etc. They expect soon to be in shape for business. Give them a call.

In the death of Mrs. Geo. Oliver, of Ridgeway, a most estimable woman has gone to her final reward. She was a resident of Tecumseh before her marriage and her old friends here will sorrow with the bereaved husband and family over their great loss. She leaves the record of a life well spent as a heritage to those who are left behind in this vale of tears.

For a Million.

Go and hear Prof. DeMotte tomorrow evening.

Read the auction sale notices on the eighth page.

Walter C. Burridge is attending Court this week at Adrian.

May De Wolf returned from her Detroit visit Monday.

Thos. Elliott and J. C. Hazlett were Adrian visitors yesterday.

There was a big crowd at the Baptist church supper last evening.

The King's daughters convened Monday evening with Miss Ines Thorpe.

Give the Princes of the Orient a rousing benefit next Thursday evening.

S. E. Jackson, of Weston, has procured a patent on a potato bug catcher.

Miss Etta Thorpe has returned from her extended visit with Detroit friends.

The C. F. P. H. Club met at the home of Ed. Putnam's Tuesday evening last.

Go to the Chocolate Tea and hear the Elsie Quartette, Thursday eve, March 21st.

J. C. Wiesinger, of Adrian, was in town yesterday, taking orders for awnings.

Mrs. David Haggart, Sr., of Clinton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Snell this week.

Met Conklin goes to Detroit Monday to serve as juror in the United States court.

Miss Jennie Waterson, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. John Linton over Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies, of Clinton, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, since Tuesday.

Lena Hardenburg attended St. John's Episcopal Church at Clinton Sunday morning.

Geo. Codling, of Morenci, is in town today visiting his brother Robert and calling on friends.

Don't fail to see the comedy, "For a Million," at the opera house next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Codling and daughter, Mrs. Hattie Keyser, were calling on friends here Monday.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle, of Clinton, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook, from Tuesday until Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Service, of Clinton, is now making her home here with her mother, Mrs. James Gregg.

Thomas Mc Cann left Monday for a visit with his people at Bunker Hill. He expects to be gone a week.

Miss Sena Hosmer entertained the Whist Club at her pleasant home on Kilbuck Street, Monday evening.

Remember Prof. J. B. De Motte's lecture Saturday evening. It will be one of the best entertainments of the whole course.

Peter Ridgely has been on the sick list this week. John Campbell has been taking his place in the News office.

Don't fail to see the villain get in his work "For a Million" at the opera house Thursday evening next. It will be grand.

Mrs. Martin Usher, of Manchester, an aunt of Mrs. Al Paxon, was called to Waterloo, Iowa, by the dangerous illness of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Edwards.

One of the best farms in this county, located only two miles from Tecumseh, can be bought for just half its cost. This is a rare bargain. Call at this office for full particulars.

Chas. H. Heck has just placed on the south end of his Steam Mill a very tasty sign bearing his name. It is done in smelt and Theo. P. Wood was the artist. It is a dandy; call and see it.

Special services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, to which all are invited. In the evening the fifth lecture on the "Wonderful Nazarine" will be given.

Quite a number of Odd Fellows attended the 50th. anniversary of Adrian Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F., and were present at the dedication of "Clark Memorial Hall," and also took in the banquet.

The ladies of the Monday Club have engaged the opera house for Thursday evening, March 28, at which time they will show a series of pictures of cathedrals, ruins and places of interest in Europe.

Mrs. Leonard Coller, who has been spending the winter with her father in law, Christian Coller, left Monday for a visit at her old home, Coldwater. From there she goes to join her husband in California.

S. C. Stacy gave his Snap Shot lectures at the village of Fairfield on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, under the auspices of the A. C. F. of the Baptist church. He received a very generous patronage.

Mrs. Mary A. Pennock, who has been in feeble health for many months, died at her home in Brownville, Tuesday afternoon, of heart failure. She was almost eighty years old. The funeral is held this afternoon at St. Peter's church. Obituary notice later.

Rev. Wellington DePuy came down home Tuesday, Feb. 26th inst., to help his parents celebrate the 50th anniversary of their marriage. As but few of the children could come the party was necessarily small but the day was fair and pleasantly spent and all retired feeling that their parents had had an interesting time, wishing them many more anniversaries of their wedded life.

J. B. Coller exhibited his two legged pig last Friday and Saturday at Heesen's store, and had a good patronage. It is a great natural curiosity and he will doubtless make a profitable venture in showing it.

Last Tuesday Editor Field examined the school near Fruit Ridge in the town of Fairfield, and spent that night with his prohibition opponent for school commissioner, Mr. J. B. Tenbrook. This is rather an innovation upon ordinary political warfare but we have seen no evil effects from it thus far.

The A. F. C. Club met with Will Orr and his wife, Monday. The Royal Bumper and Grand Bouncer were in their glory, as there were two candidates for membership. Will being host had to be a little moderate. We can't see just why we have not been invited to join.

Morning subject at the Universalist church next Sabbath will be, "Lord, who shall dwell in thy tabernacle or who shall rest upon thy holy hill?" Evening subject: "Sins of Pleasure." Y. P. C. U. at six p. m.: 'Topic: Forgiving and Forgiven. The parliamentary law class will meet on Friday evening with Miss Hyde, Chicago street.

High School Happenings.

Miss Jennie Hause visited school Wednesday.

S. W. Anderson and Peter McKinnon called at high school Tuesday and Thursday.

Frank Harris was absent Monday.

The Broom was favored by an excellently written and delivered essay by Miss Florence Huey. Her subject was: "Why I study Latin." It contained many good points, and the kickers on Latin studying were scored roundly.

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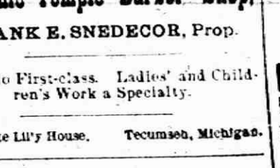
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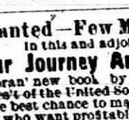
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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., March 1.—Detroit now has a new health board. Gov. Rich has appointed ex-Representative H. P. Dorock, Edwin O. Van Husen, Dr. Oscar Lesuere, a homeopath, and Dr. Howard W. Longyear, of the old school. The appointees will serve one, two, three and four years, in the order named. Other appointees are as follows:

William H. Lockerby, Quincy, member state street and railroad crossing board; James M. Shepherd, Cassopolis, member board of corrections and charities; John Northwood, New Lathrop, and E. P. Grabill, Greenville, members soldiers' home board; William McPherson, Howell, trustees industrial school for boys; H. H. Osborn, Kalamazoo, and E. N. Hates, Moline, trustees Kalamazoo asylum; John Haines, Menominee, member board of control of the Marquette prison; Nathan B. Hayes, Mule, member board of control of the Ionia house of correction; Walter S. Eddy, Saginaw, and J. J. Goodyear, Ann Arbor, trustees Pontiac asylum.

LANSING, Mich., March 1.—The senate on Thursday passed bills prohibiting the name of a candidate appearing on more than one ticket on the official ballot; prohibiting the interfering of first cousins, and requiring mutual fraternal beneficiary associations to deposit a guaranty fund of $5,000 with the state treasurer.

LANSING, Mich., March 2.—Senator McLaughlin Friday introduced a resolution providing for final adjournment of the legislature May 8. It is the purpose of the legislators to set an early date for adjournment and then work to that mark. The Senate Friday agreed to a bill which provides a fine of $100 or imprisonment for sixty days for giving Sunday theatrical entertainments. The senate passed a bill authorizing the Toledo & Ann Arbor Railroad company to organize as a Michigan road.

LANSING, Mich., March 6.—The senate, in committee of the whole, considered the municipal commission charter bill for fourth-class cities, one of those prepared by a commission authorized by the legislature of 1891, intended to cover all the necessary charter legislation and obviate the necessity of coming to the legislature. Serious opposition has arisen against those bills applying to third and fourth-class cities. A public hearing will be had on the bills Thursday evening.

House.

LANSING, Mich., March 1.—The house passed a joint resolution submitting to the people at the spring election the question of increasing the salary of the attorney general to $3,500. The senate has also passed this resolution.

LANSING, Mich., March 2.—A bill passed the house Friday providing for the incorporation of camping, outing and fishing clubs, authorized to hold not to exceed 1,000 acres of land.

LANSING, Mich., March 5.—The most important legislation Monday was an agreement by the house in committee of the whole to repeal the clause in the general tax law of 1891 providing for the taxation of mortgages and land contracts.

LANSING, Mich., March 6.—The house, in committee of the whole, Tuesday agreed to bills for the appointment of a state board of military examiners to pass upon the qualifications of line officers; allowing women to become trustees of Baptist churches; appropriating $46,500 for the school for the blind. In committee of the whole the house agreed to the bill providing for the payment of 50 per cent. of state and county taxes in July and the balance in December, instead of having the entire assessment paid in December as under the present law.

MICHIGAN FARMS.

They Number 177,952—Most of Them Cultivated by Their Owners.

LANSING, March 1.—Secretary of State Gardner issued a census bulletin showing the number of farms of Michigan classified as to tenure and the dairy statistics of the state. The total number of farms is 177,952, of which 149,003 are cultivated by owners, 9,127 rented for a fixed money rental, and 19,752 rented on shares. Compared with the census of 1884 this is an increase of 20,564 in the total number, 10,570 in the number cultivated by owners, 3,470 in the number rented for money and 6,523 in the number rented on shares. During the census year a total of 212,970,373 gallons of milk were produced on farms and the value of milk and cream sold was $2,970,385. A total of 48,951,378 pounds of butter and 306,660 pounds of cheese were made.

THROWN OUT.

Police Eject the Old Health Board of Detroit.

DETROIT, March 5.—For several days the new Detroit health board appointed by the governor has been unable to secure possession of the health building, the old health board, headed by Dr. McLeod, refusing to surrender. Monday night, however, the new board, accompanied by a squad of police, entered the building while the old officials were temporarily absent and took possession. When Dr. McLeod returned he was invited to get out, and refusing was thrown from the building by the police. The latter had come prepared to enter at all hazards, having brought jimmies and crowbars to break in the doors. The new health board appointed Dr. S. P. Duffield health officer.

ROBBERY IS CHARGED.

Clerk of the Morton House, at Grand Rapids, Under Arrest.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 1.—Solon W. Baxter, son of Assistant Fire Marshal Baxter, night clerk of the Morton house, was arrested as he was boarding the train for Hot Springs, Ark., for robbing guests and the safe of the Morton house of diamonds. When taken into custody by Detectives Smith and Barr and searched, it was found he had $400 worth of diamonds concealed under the sweatband of his hat. He also had $61, a part of which is said to have been taken from the Morton house safe.

Michigan Foresters Elect Officers.

LANSING, March 1.—The Michigan High Court of Foresters, before the close of their annual session here, elected the following officers: Chief ranger, Leo E. Joslyn, Bay City; vice ranger, Emory Townsend, Saginaw; secretary, John Chambers, Port Huron; treasurer, O. A. Taggett, Caro; counselor, Gordon A. Campbell, Marine City; physician, Neel D. Campbell, Blaine.

Narrow Escape of Ice Boaters.

MENOMINEE, March 5.—A party of ice boaters, consisting of Secretary Gibbs, of the Kirby Carpenter company, and Chief of Police Lemieux and nine boys, sailed into an open place in the ice near Green island Monday morning. One of the boys, named Belanger, nearly drowned. It took half an hour to reach the lighthouse, and several of the party nearly perished.

A Teamster Killed.

DETROIT, March 3.—Robert Trudell, teamster, aged 40 years, was struck and instantly killed by a motor car at Jefferson and Bowen avenues Saturday. Trudell had a glass eye and evidently did not see the approaching car. Trudell leaves a wife and eight children destitute.

THE ADVENTISTS.

Proceedings of the Annual Conference at Battle Creek.

BATTLE CREEK, March 3.—The Adventists' conference voted to send missionaries to Zambesi, Africa; Fiji Islands, New Guinea, South America and Trinidad. One hundred missionaries were given credentials and fifty men licensed to preach in all parts of the world.

BATTLE CREEK, March 4.—Religious liberty work occupied the Adventists' conference Sunday. Resolutions were adopted urging renewed zeal in that work and an increased circulation of literature; also that a competent man be retained at the national capital in the interest of the denomination. A resolution was adopted that documents be printed explaining the right of appeal from supreme court decisions touching constitutional questions.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., March 5.—The general conference of the Seventh Day Adventists, which has been in session here for three weeks, closed at noon Monday. Delegates were present from all parts of the world and much important business has been transacted.

MICHIGAN DEMOCRATS.

They Name a State Ticket at Saginaw—Free Silver Their War Cry.

SAGINAW, Mich., March 1.—The democratic state convention met here Thursday. The following ticket was named:

For Supreme Judge—John W. McGrath, of Detroit, the present chief justice.

For Regents of the State University—S. D. Brooks, of Mount Pleasant, and C. J. Pallthorpe, of Petoskey.

The convention was enthusiastically in favor of free silver and unanimously adopted the following resolutions as its only platform:

"The democratic party of Michigan in convention assembled hails with delight the rapidly increasing sentiment in favor of the restoration of silver to the position it so long held in the monetary system of our country, and unqualifiedly declares in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold with full legal tender power and at a ratio of 16 to 1, and invites every patriotic citizen of Michigan, regardless of previous party affiliations, to join us in an imperative demand for immediate legislation to that end, without regard to the position of any other nation with respect thereto."

TORRENT RELEASED.

Judge Padghan Says the Charge Against Him Is Insufficient.

MUSKEGON, March 1.—Padghan, sitting in the Muskegon circuit court, ordered the discharge from custody of Millionaire John Torrent, who was held on a charge of contempt of court. Mr. Torrent, who was president of the Muskegon Booming company, was charged with being implicated with others in spiriting away a witness in the sensational Montgomery booming case, and those interested in pushing the case against him had him arrested for contempt. The court held the showing insufficient and ordered Mr. Torrent released. Mr. Torrent now announces his intention of moving against those who got him into trouble with the court. The move will take the form of civil or criminal proceedings, probably the former, and in that event, with damages placed at $50,000.

A RECEIVER'S REPORT.

Peters Salt and Lumber Company Will Soon Be on Its Feet Again.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 4.—The Michigan Trust company, as receiver of the R. G. Peters Salt & Lumber company, which failed four years ago with liabilities over $1,000,000, filed its fourth annual report Saturday. The receipts for the year were $1,256,999, including $219,684 brought forward, and the disbursements were $1,136,787. Of the disbursements, $30,000 was paid the receiver as salary and $232,918 debts were paid. It is expected the affairs of the embarrassed concern will be closed up this year and that after paying all debts a substantial surplus will be left for Mr. Peters.

VICTIM OF HEART DISEASE.

Death at Washington of Charles Lanman, Author and Artist.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Charles Lanman, a well-known writer and traveler, died at his home Monday night from heart disease, aged 81 years.

[Mr. Lanman was born in Michigan, served ten years in a New York business house and held editorial positions on the Monroe (Mich.) Gazette, the Cincinnati Chronicle and the New York Express. He was librarian of the war department, and in 1850 became private secretary to Daniel Webster. Later on he held several government positions and in 1866 became secretary of the Japanese legation, holding that office until 1882, since which time he has been engaged in writing and painting. Mr. Lanman was the author of about twenty-five published works, and some of his landscape paintings have attracted attention. He was the first person to penetrate the Saguenay region.]

CHUROH BURNED AT POSEN.

One of Two Warring Factions Said to Have Caused the Fire.

ALPENA, March 6.—Fire Tuesday morning destroyed the large brick Polish Roman Catholic church at Posen, near here, with a loss of $30,000. The evidence points strongly toward one faction of the congregation as the cause of the fire. For several years a bitter fight has been carried on between the two factions, during which the priest and several parishioners have lost valuable property in incendiary fires. Recently a pitched battle occurred between the two parties, in which a number of heads were cracked and much blood spilled. The insurance on the church aggregates $5,000.

Maccabees Plead Guilty.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 6.—The trial of the Valley City Tent of Maccabees for rebellious conduct in holding a mass meeting to protest against the removal of Great Record Keeper Boughton and in sending out circulars urging that a special review be held was completed Tuesday, coming to a sudden end by the tent's admitting everything. The defense set up is that there is nothing in the laws of the order forbidding such proceedings. The commission appointed to try the case took it under advisement, and will meet again April 4 to pronounce judgment.

NEWCK PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Information from Points in Michigan.

Quick & Graham's sawmill near Battle Creek, Mich., burned, causing a loss of $5,000.

The Northwestern Wholesale Cedarmen's association was organized Friday at Menominee.

The populists nominated Robert MacDougall, of Hillsdale, at the Third district congressional convention.

"Dr." Von Muller, who deserted his family at Benton Harbor two years ago, is under arrest for murder in Austria.

Reynolds and Zerby, of Berrien Springs, will start a line of boats on the St. Joseph river at the opening of navigation, and are fixing up a summer resort at Berrien Springs.

Joseph Dale, who registered recently at a San Francisco hotel, giving his residence as Port Huron, committed suicide by taking poison.

Near White Cloud, during the recent cold snap, eighteen horses died from cold and privation.

Fruit growers in the vicinity of Allegan report the buds all right.

Allegan county streams will this spring be stocked with 25,000 brook trout.

The state Christian Endeavor convention will be held in Bay City March 26, 27 and 28.

The Custer guards and the Grand Rapids guards, crack military organizations of Grand Rapids, have consolidated. They will probably assume the name of the Grand Rapids light infantry.

Harry Brown, one of the best-known men about town in Grand Rapids, killed himself in a hotel at Buffalo, N. Y., recently. No cause is known for his act. He left a note asking that he be not buried in "potter's field." He was about 30 years old.

Gen. Mason Brayman, a veteran of the late war, who recently died in Kansas City, was in the early years of his life editor of the Monroe (Mich.) Times.

Louise Barnum Roberts, of Michigan, has been elected corresponding secretary of the National Council of Women.

There are 2,852 students attending the University of Michigan.

Michigan homeopathists will fight the plan to amalgamate the departments of medicine at the university.

The wife of Rev. Isaac Aldrich, pastor of the Congregational church of Wayne, has been arrested, charged with immorality.

Ice yachting is quite popular at Bay City.

A. B. Bisbee, of Benton Harbor, has been appointed grand lecturer of the grand council of Royal and Select Master Masons for Michigan, and will enter upon the duties of the office at once.

A historical association has been formed by ladies of Cassopolis.

A revival conducted at Litchfield by "Parson" J. W. Amey, whose love for horseflesh made him famous some years ago, is said to be a pronounced success.

Messrs. Reynolds & Seerby, of Berrien Springs, will start a line of boats on the St. Joseph river at the opening of navigation. They are to run to a summer resort at Berrien Springs.

Clare, the 10-year-old son of Frank Fox, of Vergennes, while skating on a pond, broke through the ice and was drowned.

Gilliland Telephone company has been organized at Manistee, with a capital stock of $15,000, by local capitalists.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bennett, of Manistee, have been fined heavily for cruelly beating their adopted daughter, aged 14 years.

AT REST.

Funeral of the Late Adjutant-General Eaton Occurs at Paw Paw.

LANSING, March 3.—The funeral of the late Adjt. Gen. Charles L. Eaton took place in the house of representatives at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, and despite the early hour at which it was held there was a large crowd in attendance. Secretary of State Gardner preached a touching sermon and paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of the deceased soldier. Eight past commanders of the Michigan department G. A. R. acted as pallbearers, and the remains were removed to the Michigan Central depot under a large military escort. The train left for Paw Paw at 9 o'clock, and the burial took place in the village in the afternoon.

New Adjutant General.

LANSING, Mich., March 5.—The vacancy caused by the sudden death last week of Adjt. Gen. Charles L. Eaton was filled by the appointment of Col. William S. Green, of Detroit, ex-president of the state military board and past commander of Detroit post, G. A. R. The new adjutant general was a Massachusetts artilleryman and has an extensive acquaintance among the members of the national guard. William W. Cook, lieutenant colonel and assistant adjutant general, will be retired.

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He spreads his coat upon the heath,
Nor yet to warm it fingers.
He scouts the thought of aching teeth
Or chilblains on his fingers.

Of flowers that bloom or birds that sing
Full little cares or knows he.
He hates the fire and hates the spring
And all that's warm and cozy.

But when the fox's bark aloud
On frozen hill and river
Wakes round the fire the people crowd
And rub their hands and shiver;

When frost is splitting stone and wall,
And trees come crashing after,
Then bursts he out in laughter.

His home is by the north pole's strand,
Where earth and sea are frozen.
His summer house we understand
Is Switzerland he's chosen.

Now from the north he's hither hied
To show his strength and power,
And when he comes we stand aside
And look at him and cower.

—American Woman's Journal.

THE GOOD UN.

An air of gloom pervaded the store. Outside the rain came pattering down. It ran in torrents off the porch roof and across the entrance made a formidable moat, which had been temporarily bridged by an old box. It gathered on the limbs of the leafless trees and poured in steady little streams upon the backs of the three forlorn horses that, shivering under waterlogged blankets, stood patiently, with hanging heads, at the long hitching rail. Within everything was dry, to be sure, but the firewood, which was damp and would not burn, so the big egg stove sent forth no cheerful rays of heat and light. Out from its heart came the sound of sizzle and splutter as some isolated flame attacked a piece of water soaked hickory. It seemed to have conveyed its ill humor to the little group around it.

The Tinsmith arose from the nail keg upon which he had been seated, walked disconsolately to the door and gazed out through the begrimed glass at the dreary village street. He stood there a moment and then lounged back to the group about the stove, and as he rubbed his hands on the pipe in a vain effort to absorb a little heat he grumbled:

"This here rain's upset all my calkerlations. I was goin ter bile termorrer, but you uns don't ketch me makin cider on sech a day as this. Me weemen say'd thet they'd hev th' schnitz done up terday, an we could start th' kittles airly in th' mornin. Now, all this time is loss."

The lad departed. The chronic loafer leaned back on two legs of his chair and said, "Speakin of apple butter bilin remin's me of a good un I hed on me missus las' week."

"Et allser remin's me," interposed the tinsmith, "thet I met Abe Scissors up ter preachin last Sunday, an he was wond'rin when you was goin ter return his copper kittle."

"Abe Scissors needn't git worrit 'bout his kittle. I've a good un on him as well as on th' missus. His copper"—

The farmer, who was almost hidden from view by the stove, at this juncture leaned forward in his chair and interrupted: "But Abe Scissors ain't got no kittle. Thet there' '—

"Let him tell his good one," cried the teacher. "He's been trying it every night this week. Let's get done with it."

"Th' missus made up her min she'd bile apple butter this year despite all me objecti'ns, an two weeks ago this comin Soturday she done et. They ain't no trees on our lot, so I got John Longnecker ter give me six bushel of pippins an York Imper'als mixed on condition I helped with his thrashin next month. I give Hiram Thompson thet there red shote I've ben fattenin fer a bawrl of cider. She'd cal'lated ter put up 'bout 14 gallon of butter. I said et was all foolershness, fer I could buy et a heap sight cheaper an was gittin tired of Pennsylvany salve anyway. Fer all year round, zulicks is 'bout th' best thing ter go with bread."

"Mentionin zulicks," interrupted the storekeeper, "remin's me thet yesterday I got in a bawrl of th' very finest. Et's none of yer common cookin m'lasses, but was made special fer table use."

"I'll bring a tin down an hev et filled," continued the loafer, "fer there's nothin better'n plain bread an zulicks. But she don't see things my way allus, an there was nothin but fer me ter borry th' storekeeper's horse an wagon an drive over ter Abe Scissors' an git th loan of his copper kittle an stirrer."

"But Abe Scissors ain't got no copper kittle," cried the farmer vehemently.

"He sayd et was his copper kittle," the chronic loafer replied, "an I didn't ast no questions. He 'lowed I could hev et jest as long as I didn't burn et, fer he claimed he give $25 fer et et a sale las' spring. Hevin made sa'fact'ry 'rangements fer th' apples, cider, kittle an stirrer, they was nothin left ter do but bile. Two weeks ago termorrer we done et. Missus invited sev'ral of her weemen frien's in th' day before ter help schnitz, an I tell yer what with talkin 'bout how many apples was needed with so much cider biled down ter so much, an how much sugar an cinn'mon orter be used fer so many crocks of butter, them folks hed a great time. When they finished their cuttin an parin, they was a washtub an a half full of th' finest schnitz you uns ever seen."

"Borryed my washtub still," exclaimed the shoemaker.

"Next mornin we was up at 6 o'clock, an hed th' fire goin in th' back yard, an th' kittle rigged over et, an hed begin ter bile down thet bawrl of cider. Bilin down ain't bad, fer they ain't nothin ter do. Et's when yer begins puttin in th' schnitz, an hes ter stir, ketches you.

"I didn't 'low I'd stir. Missus, when th' cider was all biled down ter a kittleful, sayd I'd hev ter, but I claimed thet I'd worked 'nough gittin th' things. Besides I'd an 'pointment ter see Sam Shores, th' stage driver, when he come through here thet afternoon. Missus an her weemen frien's grumbled, but begin dumpin th' schnitz with th' bilin cider an ter do their own stirrin. I come over here an was waitin fer Shores ter come. After an hour I concluded I'd run over ter th' house an git a drink of cider. I went in th' back way, an there I seen Ike Lauterbach's wife standin alone stirrin. Missus hed jest dumped th' last of thet fulful of schnitz inter th' kittle an was in th' house with th' rest th' weemen.

"When Missus Lauterbach seen me, she sez pleasantlike: 'I'm so glad you come. Your wife and th' rest of th' ladies hes made a batch of cookies. Now, you jest stir fer a minute, an I'll go git some for you.'

"I was kinder afraid ter take holt on thet there stirrer, so sez I, I'd git 'em myself, but she sisted she'd be right out, an foolish I tuck the handle. Well, I tell you I regret it in minute I done et. I stirred an stirred, an Mrs. Lauterbach didn't come. Then I hear th' weemen laughin in th' house like they'd die.

"Me wife she puts her head out th' winder an sez, 'Jes keep on stirrin there an don't you dast stop, fer th' butter'll stick fer th' kittle an burn et if you dos.'

"Down went th' windy. I was jest thet boppin mad I'd a notion ter quit right there an leave th' ole thing burn, but then I was afraid Abe Scissors might kerry on if I did. So I stirred an stirred an stirred. I tell you I don't know any work as mean as thet. Stop movin th' stick, an th' kittle burns. If you ever done et you'll know et ain't no man's work."

"Th' weemen allus does et with us," said the Tinsmith in a superior tone.

"I cal'lated they was ter do et with us," the Chronic Loafer continued, "but I mistook. I stirred an stirred an stirred. Th' fire got hotter an hotter an hotter, an as et got warmer th' han'le of th' stirrer seemed ter git shorter, an me face begin ter blister. I kep' et up for an hour an a half, tell me legs was nearly givin 'way under me, me fingers was stiff an achin, me arms felt like they'd drop off from pushin an twistin thet long stick about th' pot. Th' apples was all dissolved, but th' butter was thin yet, an I knowed et meant about three hours before we could take th' kittle off th' fire.

"Then I yelled for help. One of th' weemen come out, an I was jest thet mad I swore, but she laughed an poked some more wood in th' fire an sayd if I didn't push th' stick livelier th' kittle'd burn. Th' fire blazed up hotter an hotter, an et seemed me clothes'd begin ter smoke et any minute. Me arms an legs was achin more an more, an me back was almost broke from me tryin ter lean away from the heat. Me neck was 'most twisted off be me 'temptin ter keep th' blaze from blindin me. Et come 4 o'clock an I yelled fer help ag'in. Th' missus stuck her head out th' windy an called, 'Don't you let thet kittle burn!'

"I was 'most desp'rit, but I kep' stirrin an stirrin an stirrin. I don't know how I done et, fer et seemed I'd hev ter stop et any minute. Et come sundown an begin ter git darker an darker, an th' butter was gittin thicker an thicker, but I knowed be th' feel thet they was a couple of hours yet. I begin ter think of lettin th' ole thing drop an Abe Scissors' kittle burn, fer I held he didn't hev no business ter len me his copper pot when he knowed well enough et 'ud spoil of I ever quit stirrin. Oncet I was fer lettin her go an slippin over here ter th' store, fer I heard sev'ral of th' fellers drive up an hitch an th' door bang shet. But when I tried ter drop th' stirrer I jest couldn't. Me fingers seemed ter think et wasn't right an hold ter thet ole pole, an me arms kep' pushin et, though every motion give me an ache. I jest didn't dast, but kep' stirrin an stirrin an thinkin an wond'rin who was over here an what was doin. An as I kep' on pushin an pushin thet pole an thinkin an thinkin, I clean forgot meself an all about th' apple butter.

"I come to with a jump, for some un hed me be th' beard. When I looked up, I seen th' missus an her weemen frien's standin around me, gestickelatin an talkin. Th' missus was wavin what was left of th' stirrer. Et was jest 'bout half as long as when I begin with et, fer th' crosspiece thet runs down inter th' butter an th' biggest part th' han'ol was burned off. Seems I'd got th' ole thing clean out of th' kittle an hed ben stirrin et 'round th' fire."

"Reflex action," exclaimed the schoolteacher.

"Th' butter was fairly smokin, an th' kittle—well, say, if thet there wasn't jest as black on th' inside as ef et was iron 'stead of copper. An was'n't them weemen mad! Maybe et was reflect action they done, as the teacher sayd, but whatever et was et skeered me considerable, they kerried on so. But final I seen how funny et was, how th' joke was on th' missus who'd loss all her apple butter, 'stead of on me, an how I'd got square with Abe Scissors fer lendin me his old copper kittle, when he knowed et 'ud burn if I ever stopped stirrin. An I jest laughed."

The chronic loafer leaned back in his chair and chuckled loudly. The farmer arose and walked around the stove.

"What fer a kittle was thet?" he asked in a low, pleasant tone. "Was they a big S stamped on th' inside, up next th' rim?"

"Thet's th' one, he, he!" cried the loafer with great hilarity. "S fer Seissors an"—

"S stands fer soda too. My name's Soda, an I lent thet kittle fer Abe Seissors three weeks ago," yelled the farmer.

The loafer gathered himself together and arose from the muddy pool at the foot of the store steps. He gazed ruefully for a moment at the closed door and seemed undecided whether or not to return from whence he had been so unceremoniously ejected. Then the sound of much laughing came to his ears, and he exclaimed, half aloud:

"Well! If thet ain't a good un!"

And he ambled off home to the missus.—New York Sun.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning March 10. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Peace Offering.

BIBLE READINGS.—Lev. iii, 1-6; I Pet. ii, 24.

The directions given for the various sacrifices in the tabernacle and temple worship were very minute. The ceremonial must have been deeply impressive. Probably no ritual in any other earthly sanctuary was ever so full of meaning, no rites so solemn, no vestments and utensils more costly than those used in the temple at Jerusalem. The offerings prescribed in Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy, though seemingly of many kinds, are really comprised in four general classes. They were peace, meat, burnt and sin offerings. Peace offerings, free will, thank offerings and common consecrations have one common law. Whatever the kind of beast presented, the blood is all to be poured by a priest at the foot of the altar of burnt offerings. All the fat is to be burned by the priest on the altar, with salt. The breast and right shoulder after being waved, or lifted up, become the priest's portion. The remainder of the animal is to be eaten by the one making the offering and his friends.

All this signifies participation with the Divine Provider in his bounty.

A second class of sacrifices, somewhat similar in nature but differing in the articles presented, was the meat offerings, or, more accurately in our modern speech, the meal offerings. These consisted of flour of various kinds, with oil, sometimes made into cakes and sometimes uncooked. Salt and frankincense were also to be offered with these, but never any leaven nor honey. Part of the gift was burned on the altar; the remainder was for the use of the priests.

The first fruits were to be presented in the temple and a offering made to God before it was lawful for any one to partake of the new harvest. At the Passover feast grain reaped from a field in the Kedron valley with much ceremony was beaten out from full ears, parched over a fire, ground into meal and made into cakes, of which an offering was made by fire on the altar to God. Then throughout the city and land the new harvest might be eaten by the people with rejoicing.

The burnt offering was to be wholly consumed on the altar in token of the complete submission of the soul to the service of Jehovah.

The sin offering and various kinds of trespass offerings were of a still different class. The sin offering had the blood poured at the base of the altar, the fat burned upon it, but the body removed outside the camp and wholly burned in the place where the ashes were deposited.

Thy Burden.

To every one on earth
God gives a burden to be carried down
The road that lies between the cross and crown.
No lot is wholly free,
He giveth one to thee.

Thy burden is God's gift,
And it will make the bearer calm and strong.
Yet, lest it press too heavily and long,
He says, "Cast it on me,
And it shall easy be."

—Marianne Farningham.

The Value of Missions.

It is popular in some circles to decry missions as valueless. The educated natives of heathen lands are especially given to this view. This makes the testimony of the editor of a large daily paper in Japan of particular importance. He says: "Christian missionaries have now been working here a full generation. There are hundreds of men and women who have brought $500,000 annually here to establish Christian schools and churches, and how much have they accomplished? Really, when we see that they have gained only a few tens of thousands of converts, we can only be sorry for them and must call their work a failure. And yet look all over Japan. Our 40,000,000 today have a higher standard of morality than we have ever known. There is not a boy or girl throughout the empire that has not heard of the one man, one woman doctrine. Our ideas of loyalty and obedience are higher than ever. And when we inquire the cause of this great moral advance we can find it in nothing else than the religion of Jesus Christ."

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Breadth of Purpose.

One of the most fatal criticisms possible of any religious movement, if well founded, is that of narrowness and bigotry. Breadth and depth are essential to success in Christianity. One of the most hopeful signs in the young people's movement in all the churches is proper recognition of this fact. Social life is duly provided for away from the allurements and entanglements of worldly amusements and associations. Intellectual needs are recognized, and a new literature is being created to meet the demand. History, biography, travels, theology, fiction, art and science are resurveyed, and the old truths retold in new form, and new discoveries announced, so that by tracts, periodicals and books ample provision is made to cultivate intelligence and thorough knowledge. Interest in the more careful study of the Bible, the history of the church and the doctrinal peculiarities of the various denominations is manifest in many directions.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jacob Totten, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Berkley Griffis, of Dover, Lenawee county, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 11 day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 37, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Anzolette Osgood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah L. Green, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DeFuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Hendershot, defendants, to said county to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of section 18, town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.73½ chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 18; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 8-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 38 and 44-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 30 minutes west 15 and 9-10 chains, being the center line of the Sahne road, to the south line of said section 18; thence west on that (Section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
WAITE, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1895, and on the 3d day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 14, 1895.

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT January 6, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 24 Pass	No. 22 Pass
		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 30	L....Allegan....A	1 40	
		11 54	Monteith	1 16	
	A. M	12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
8 39	7 45	1 71	Marshall	11 36	12 33
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 08	11 43
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 38	11 00
10 10	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 14	3 12	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 53	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
....	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 54	8 30
2 40	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 43	8 10
3 35	11 55	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
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*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:28 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:18 p m
†No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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PUBLIC SALES.

Isaiah Mattis and W. D. VanTuyle, will sell at public auction on the premises known as the John P. Silvers farm, 1 and 1-2 miles south of the village of Clinton, on Tuesday, March 12 at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property: 10 good cows, 3 registered Durhams, 6 coming in in March; 3 2-year-old steers; 3 yearling steers; 3 year-old heifer; yearling bull; 4 sows with pig; 11 shoats; 118 ewes bred by coarse wool buck; coarse buck; fine wool buck; Champion mower; wheel rake; hay tedder: two horse wheel cultivator; roller drill; 2 land rollers; 2 spring tooth harrows; 3 Planet cultivators; 2 plows; pair trucks; 2 lumber wagons; hay rack; hay fork, rope and pulleys, double shovel cultivator; corn sheller; and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $5.00 and under, cash. Over $5.00, 12 months credit will be given, notes to bear approved security at 6 per cent interest. No article to leave the premises until settled for.

B. F. REYNOLDS, Auctioneer.

Charles Shaler having leased his farm for a term of years, will sell at public auction on his farm, 1 mile north of the village of Ridgeway, on Thursday, March 14 at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described property: 2 work horses, 5 and 6 years old; 4 year-old gelding; colt coming 3 years old; colt coming 2 years old; 27 ewes with lamb by coarse wool buck; 5 good shoats; coarse wool buck; double buggy, top buggy; road cart; 2 set work harness, one nearly new; single harness; McCormick binder; 2 wheeled cultivator; 2 single cultivators; mower and reaper combined; sulky plow (Boys' Delight); 2 plows; shovel plow; set Fairbank Scales; cutting box; hay rack; horse rake; quantity of hay; hay fork, rope and pulleys; land roller; 50-tooth Scotch harrow; 40-tooth Scotch harrow; pair bob sleighs; corn sheller; grindstone; log boat; box scraper; 3 log chains; set horse whiffletree; large cauldron kettle; 20 gall. crock; forks, shovels; spades; lumber wagon and other articles too numerous to mention. Usual terms of sale.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Lewis Zapf will sell at public auction on the Lewis Miller farm, 1 mile north of the village of Ridgeway, on Monday, March 11 at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described property: 2 work horses; 6 and 7 years old; brood mare, 11 years old; 2 good cows giving milk; 1 cow coming 4n soon; 24 fine Merino ewes with lamb by coarse wool buck; brood sow, will pig April 1st; 4 shoats; 25 chickens; truck wagon; two-seated buggy; road cart; pair bob sleighs; plow; spring tooth harrow; spring tooth cultivator; Planet cultivator; cutting box; good double harness; harness for 3d horse; single harness nearly new; 500 bundles corn stalks; quantity of hay; 250 bushels corn in the ear; 4000 fence pickets; 70 bushels potatoes, quantity of oats; cupboard; churn; cradle; hoes; forks; chains; and other articles too numerous to mention. Usual terms of sale. FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Richard Clarkson having rented his farm for a term of years, will sell at public sale on premises, 2 miles south of Macon Corners, and 1-2 mile west of Grange Hall, on Wed., March 13, 1895, at 13 o'clock sharp, following property: span Gipsy Chief colts coming 4 yrs. old, gray gelding coming 4 yrs. old, pair Cleveland Bays coming 3 yrs. old, Banker mare 5 yrs. old, Gipsy mare 7 yrs. old, gray Hambletonian Horse 11 yrs. old, two cows, one giving milk and one coming in soon, pair steers 1 1-2 yrs. old, three calves 4 or 5 months old, between 20 and 30 fine wool lambs, lot of fine wool ewes, 16 shoats 6 months old, steel frame McCormick binder, Wood mower, bay tedder, sulky rake, fertilizer, grain drill nearly new, fanning mill, corn sheller, Fairbank's scales, cutting box, hay and stock rack, 2 horse wheel cultivator, single cultivators, plows, drags, land roller, stone boat, log chains, two sets of 3 horse whiffletrees, lumber wagon, pair trucks, road wagon, top buggy, two seated rig, pair bob sleighs, double cutter, single cutter, two sets double harness, two sets single harness, lot of grain bags, quantity of good hay, and farming implements too numerous to mention. Terms: All sums under $5.00 cash; on all sums over that amount eighteen months credit will be given on approved notes at 6 per cent. All property must be settled for before leaving the place.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Some of the professors at the college have lately been springing conundrums on each other. Here is one of their latest: What is the difference between Mahomet and Grover Cleveland? This is the answer given: Mahomet went to the hill but Grover Cleveland made the Hill come to him.—Telegram.

A Business-Making Book.

Every business man ought to read "Dollars and Sense," a money-making book by Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., the leading expert on business and advertizing. 18 chapters, illustrated with 100 plates, presenting every style of effective advertisements, with examples of reading notices, circulars and headlines. It tells the plain truth about advertisements and exposes ineffective methods. Any reader of The HERALD who will send check, postal note or postage stamps to the value of 25 cents to The Trade Company, Boston, Mass., will receive the book by prepaid mail.

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The ground hog is quite a prophet after all.

Lake Shore section hands are now working four days out of six.

It is now season for the largest hen's egg, which is usually laid on the editor's table.

The cost of running the churches of this country is estimated at $50,000,000 a year, and to run its jails costs $400,000,000.

Mankind begins to shed its overcoat for street use. The ladies will hang on to their wraps until their new spring suits are finished.

It is rumored that Editor Blackman, of the Hillsdale Democrat, will be married next month. The gentleman is now postmaster at Hillsdale. His lucky star shines brightly.

C. F. Field, editor of Tecumseh News, has been renominated by democrats of Lenawee county for school commissioner. He is a most popular and efficient official, and should be reelected.—Dundee Reporter.

The democrats of Lenawee have wisely nominated Editor C. F. Field, of the Tecumseh News, for the office of school commissioner. He is popular with educators of all shades of political faith.—Addison Courier.

"Things is getten mighty mixed, Mandy," said old Farmer Corntossel; "mighty mixed. The politicians air all tryin' to tell the farmers about farmin' an' the farmers air tryin' to tell the politicians about politics."

Once in a while there is a lady who is worth her weight in gold. There is said to be a case in Hudson where a wife watches the welfare of her husband so closely that when his clothes become shabby she orders a new suit for him.

The woman's edition of the Ann Arbor Courier, published on the 22d of February, is a beauty. Washington's birthday was fittingly observed by printing the paper with red and blue ink on white paper—the national colors.

A blacksmith states that the past winter has been a dull one for his business. He says a spirit of economy has caused farmers in icy weather to keep all the horses at home except one, which is sharp shod and used for road work.

James B. Thorn planted 15,000 brook trout from the state hatchery in Hillsdale and Britton creeks yesterday. Mr. Thorn is such a successful angler that he feels he should put in several thousand fish every year to make up for what he pulls out.—Hudson Gazette.

The Lake Shore company understands how to economize, and when a rich corporation sets the example ordinary people can follow safely. It is now burning its old useless crossties at pumping stations thus saving big fuel bills, when the expenses of the large number of stations along the lines are aggregated.

The somewhat celebrated cases bro't by Geo. R. Beardsell against Edward Imerson, Alphonso Kelly and others, to decide the rights of the various parties to the navigation of Devil's lake, have practically been settled out of court, according to the Adrian Telegram. That is, an agreement has been reached whereby the suits will be discontinued, and a few law points submitted to Judge Lane, his decision to be binding on both parties.

Some of the state exchanges are advocating the employment of convict labor in making better roads. They would send them out into the country in gangs to do the work. They don't stop to think that by so doing they will come in direct competition with the farmer boy who has rather enjoyed the fun of working out the road tax. A day on the road is a picnic to some, and equal to going to town meeting or a raising. The farmer will not be easily induced to give up the blessed privilege of making the roads to suit his own taste.—Ex.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Proceedings of the Second Session.

THE financial debate closed in the senate on the 27th and work on the sundry civil bill was proceeded with, and among the amendments agreed to was one authorizing the selection of nine commissioners to represent the United States at the international monetary conference.... In the house the pension appropriation bill was passed and the post office appropriation bill was discussed.

THE senate on the 28th bill passed the sundry civil appropriation bill, including over $6,000,000 for sugar bounties and the provision for a commission to represent the United States at an international monetary conference. The executive and judicial appropriation bill was also passed. During a debate which words passed between Senators Chandler, Hill and Martin.... In the house the senate amendment to the bill to prohibit the wearing of the flag of the Red Cross without permission of the National Red Cross society was agreed to. It was voted to insist on disagreement to the senate amendment to the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill providing for the Hawaiian cable.

ON the 1st the general deficiency bill was passed in the senate with an amendment providing for the payment of the sums named to the following states on account of moneys spent in assisting in the suppression of the rebellion: California, $3,954; Oregon, $335,182, and Nevada, $404,000. The nomination of W. L. Wilson as postmaster general was confirmed.... In the house the entire day was devoted to the consideration of bills on motions to pass them under suspension of the rules. The night session was devoted to private pension bills.

THE senate on the 2d receded from the Hawaiian cable amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. The naval appropriation bill was passed after it had been amended to provide for the building of but two battleships. An agreement was reached on the sundry civil and Indian appropriation bills.... In the house most of the appropriation bills were agreed to and the senate bill forbidding the transmission of lottery business by express was passed.

THE senate on the 4th passed a number of bills, one being to limit the severity of the copyright penalty, after which a resolution was adopted thanking the vice president for the ability, dignity and impartiality with which he had administered the duties of presiding officer. The vice president thanked the members for the courtesy uniformly extended to him and then announced that the senate stood adjourned without day.... In the house a resolution of thanks to the speaker was adopted, after which Mr. Crisp returned thanks for the uniform kindness, courtesy and consideration with which he had been treated by every member, and then declared the third session of the Fifty-third congress adjourned without day.

DOMESTIC.

FIRE destroyed the Kaestner building in Chicago, occupied by numerous tenants, and several adjoining houses, entailing a loss of $400,000.

TISSUE paper garments, of all sizes and colors, were pinned on show bill figures which had offended Port Huron (Mich.) ministers.

DIRECTORS of the Minneapolis exposition have formally offered the building and site to the state for capitol purposes.

A DISCUSSION of the present system of divorce laws was indulged in by the National Council of Women at Washington.

A STATEMENT of the operations of the treasury at Washington during February shows the receipts were within $3,311,278 of the expenditures.

THE factory of the Chicago Pipe Works company at New Philadelphia, O., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

THE physicians of Washington were discussing a phenomenon offered by a young colored girl who was having the smallpox for the second time.

AN autopsy on Herman Switzer, of Terre Haute, Ind., who died while lifting an ice chest, showed his heart had broken in two.

A CIGARETTE carelessly thrown by a boy started a fire at Kingston, N. C., that caused a loss of $225,000.

J. HAMBURGER & Co., of New York, importers of leaf tobacco, made an assignment with liabilities of $300,000.

REFRESHING sleep has come to David Jones, of Elwood, Ind., after 152 days and nights of wakefulness.

ENOS RANDALL and his wife died almost simultaneously at La Grange, Ind. Randall's death was the result of a protracted illness, but his wife had been in perfect health.

THE steamship Kingdon, Capt. Jones, which left Hamburg December 18 last for Philadelphia with a crew of thirty-six men, was given up as lost.

KIRBY L. MAY, who by representing himself as a young girl anxious to marry had victimized men in all parts of the country, was arrested in St. Louis.

PEACE BERRY, a justice of the peace, and three other men were arrested at Granville, Ind., charged with "white-capping" a woman.

MASKED men robbed the Air line depot at Mount Carmel, Ill., after locking the operator and three other men in a refrigerator car.

MRS. T. DEWITT TALMAGE, wife of Dr. Talmage, will receive $13,000 by the death of Mrs. Eliza H. Lord.

CHARLES MORGAN, the Acquia Creek train robber, was convicted and his punishment fixed at eighteen years' imprisonment.

MEMBERS of the W. C. T. U. sang the doxology when the vote repealing the bottle law was announced in the Delaware house.

REPRESENTATIVE democrats from fifteen states signed a manifesto calling for a vigorous campaign for silver.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt decreased $34,033,328 during the month of February. The cash balance in the treasury was $178,197,586. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $890,412,940. The decrease in the debt during the month is accounted for by the receipt of gold on account of the last bond issue, against which no bonds had been issued.

THE treasury receipts at Washington during February were $23,884,057 and the disbursements were $25,696,035, leaving a deficit of $1,807,978 for the month, and for the eight months of the present fiscal year $34,295,771.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have you will probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. mar

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 1st aggregated $770,100,683, against $824,416,490 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 7.3.

SHERMAN & RILEY, bankers at Providence, R. I., failed for $1,166,536.

THE coinage executed at the mints of the United States during the month of February was as follows: Gold, $6,143,800; silver, $491,000, minor coin, $57,300; total coinage, $6,697,100.

THERE were 230 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 1st, against 207 the week previous and 281 in the corresponding time in 1894.

FIRES throughout the country during February caused a total loss of $12,832,516, against $12,218,225 in February, 1894.

AMOS and Wiley Knott, of North Carolina, were terribly beaten by white caps for reporting illicit distilleries to officers.

DUN'S trade review states that there is very little activity to be discovered in any line of business throughout the country.

THE Holdredge (Neb.) National bank failed to open its doors. The bank has a capital stock of $50,000.

JOE DEAN was hanged at Fairburn, Ky., for murdering A. R. Leigh; George Magee was executed at Frankfort, Ky., for killing Charles Thomas, and Harry Hill, the murderer of Matthew Akeson, was hanged at Plattsmouth, Neb.

TWO BUILDINGS in New York city fell, causing the death of five men, and twenty-one other employes were seriously injured.

ICE gorged in the Susquehanna river at Port Deposit, Md., and the residents were forced to flee to the hills.

HUGH T. GALEN, a millionaire mine owner and politician of Helena, Mont., was secretly married to a Seattle school-teacher.

TWO MASKED men held up a train near Antelope, Cal., but were beaten off by the engineer and fireman.

DANIEL HAIRSTROM and wife, of Afton, I. T., were fatally injured by white robbers disguised as negroes.

BOTH houses of the Oklahoma legislature passed a divorce bill which is unequaled for its liberality.

AT Franklin, Ind., James Truelock, Thomas Kirk and Lee Martin were sentenced to six years imprisonment for grave robbery.

A REVIEW of the session of congress shows that a few of the important measures debated were enacted into law. The total amount of money appropriated is $497,994,601.

TWO MEN were killed and two injured by the explosion of a tank of sulphuric acid at McKeesport, Pa.

THE Chicago Times and Chicago Herald have been consolidated and will hereafter be issued under the name of the Times-Herald.

FOUR men were killed and two others injured by an explosion in a saw mill at Adelphia, O.

PROPERTY valued at upward of $200,000 was destroyed by fire at Salina, Kan.

GEORGE HOWELL, of Elkhorn, W. Va., in a fit of jealousy killed Miss Alice Gibson and then took his own life.

JAMES FITZPATRICK, who had lived the life of a hermit for fifty years, and who for forty years had not spoken to a woman, because of disappointment in love, died at Derby, Conn.

THE Interstate Baseball league was organized at Bloomington, Ill., the cities represented being Joliet, Aurora, Bloomington, Terre Haute, Fort Wayne and Lafayette.

RIVER and railroad miners of the Pittsburgh district to the number of 15,000 decided to refuse to work for less than sixty-nine cents a ton.

THE United States supreme court decided that American patents expired with those in foreign countries. Telephone, telegraph and electric light inventions are involved.

THE business portion of Waterford, Pa., was destroyed by fire.

MRS. ALFRED H. HINES rushed into the pulpit of a Rochester (N. Y.) church and said she had been commanded in a vision to preach.

THE preliminary survey for a ship canal from the Ohio river to Lake Erie was begun at Warren, O.

THE New York Bowery Fire Insurance company, established in 1833, decided to retire from business.

THE richest gold strike in southern California was reported 60 miles east of Banning.

UTAH'S seventh constitutional convention convened at Salt Lake City.

WHIPPLE POST, G. A. R., will put an American flag on every schoolhouse in Kankakee county, Ill., on Memorial day.

JAMES BROYLES shot and mortally wounded Mrs. William Adams (colored) at a Sacramento hotel and then killed himself.

TOM GRAVES, a mountain desperado, was fatally shot by officers in a running fight in the streets of Richmond, Ky.

J. L. BASCOM, of Greenville, O., was given a position on the police force. Bascom served as mayor nineteen years in succession.

JOHN SCHRONBRICK and wife of Al, O., were tortured by masked robbers until they revealed the whereabouts of $6,000.

THOMAS JONES died at La Plata, Md., aged 74 years. He was the man who helped J. Wilkes Booth to escape into Virginia after the assassination of Lincoln.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 4th was: Wheat, 78,761,000 bushels; corn, 13,676,000 bushels; oats, 6,596,000 bushels; rye, 318,000 bushels; barley, 1,417,000 bushels.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

CONGRESSMAN W. L. WILSON, of West Virginia, was nominated for postmaster general, to succeed Wilson S. Bissell, resigned.

GEORGE W. PRINCE, of Galesburg, was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Tenth Illinois district on the 1,476th ballot.

A. M. TODD of Kalamazoo, was nominated for congress, to succeed Senator Burrows, by the prohibitionists.

MICHIGAN democrats in convention at Saginaw nominated John W. McGrath for supreme judge and Charles J. Fallthorp, of Petoskey, and Stratton D. Brooks, of Isabella county, for regents of the state university. Resolutions declaring for free silver were adopted.

BOTH branches of the Michigan legislature passed a bill providing for registration in the city of Detroit.

WILLIAM WARD, a member of the Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh congresses from the Sixth Pennsylvania district, died at his home in Chester, aged 58 years.

RICHARD O'GORMAN, the Irish nationalist, scholar and orator, died at his home in New York city, aged 75 years.

JOHN KELLY SARGENT, a veteran abolitionist, who claims to be the oldest freemason in the United States, observed his ninety-third birthday at his home in Merrimac, Mass.

HENRY STUDEBAKER, one of the well-known firm of wagon builders, died at his home near South Bend, Ind., aged 68 years.

ELIZABETH POWELL, 100 years old, was found dead in a hovel on the Wabash river near Terre Haute, Ind.

AARON D. FARMER, president of the A. D. Farmer & Son Type Foundry company, died at his home in New York in the 84th year of his age.

W. C. COUP, of circus fame, died of pneumonia in a hospital at Jacksonville, Fla., aged 62 years. His home was in Chicago.

THE marriage of Miss Anna Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould, to Count Paul Ernest Boniface de Castellane, of Paris, was solemnized in New York.

FOREIGN.

AN investigation of the recent wreck on the Interoceanic railroad near the City of Mexico shows that 191 persons were killed.

GOVERNMENT troops captured the whole insurgent band in Cuba and the prisoners were taken to Matanzas for trial.

MISSIONARIES on the coast of Labrador state that there is great suffering and starvation among the Nascapee Indians.

M. PERCHER, one of the editors of the Journal des Debats, of Paris, was killed in a duel with M. Le Cheatelier.

ISMAIL PASHA, ex-khedive of Egypt and father of the present ruler, died at Constantinople, aged 65 years.

MGR. KHERMIRAN, the Armenian patriarch, says 11,000 of his countrymen were butchered in the Sassoun district.

PROF. JOHN STUART BLACKIE, the Scotch author and scholar, died in London, aged 86 years.

A MILLION DOLLARS' damage was caused by a fire which originated in Simpson's dry goods store in Toronto, Canada.

A BOILER in a distillery at Irzkany, Roumania, exploded, doing great damage to the building and causing the loss of twelve lives.

INFLUENZA was raging with virulence in London and Berlin. The well-to-do classes seemed to be the greatest sufferers.

PRESIDENT DOLE, of Hawaii, commuted the death sentence of the four leaders of the rebellion to imprisonment for thirty-five years and $10,000 fine. The ex-queen will be imprisoned for five years.

A BATTALION of Spanish regulars was routed by Cuban rebels near Manzanillo.

FIFTY rebels captured by government troops in Colombia were shot.

IN a regatta at Cannes the American yacht Dacotah won the Ogden goblet and James Gordon Bennett challenge cup No. 2.

LATER.

THE treasury statement of circulation for February shows a decrease for the month of $39,132,958, reducing the aggregate circulation of all kinds of money to $1,574,584,557, a decrease for the year ending March 1 of $116,000,000.

THE Sebastian Dramatic company will walk from St. Louis to New York on a wager of $1,000.

JUDGE BARRETT, of New York, granted an absolute divorce to Mrs. Alva E. Vanderbilt from William K. Vanderbilt and awarded her the custody of the three children.

WYNNE & SON, solicitors in London, failed for $1,250,000.

THE total number of immigrants arriving at United States ports during the seven months ended February 1 was 113,373, against 189,582 for the seven months ended February 1, 1894, a decrease of 76,207, or 40 per cent.

FIRE destroyed the distillery of J. B. Wathen & Co. at Louisville, Ky., the loss being $100,000.

AN explosion of natural gas wrecked the Terhune block at Anderson, Ind., and damaged surrounding buildings, the total loss being $250,000.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND left Washington in the lighthouse tender Violet for a hunting trip in North Carolina waters.

AN address was issued by the Bimetallic league in which voters are asked to desert their parties and settle the money question for all time.

GEORGE W. BUSH & SONS, extensive dealers in coal and lumber at Wilmington, Del., failed for $250,000.

COL. DAVID R. CLENDENIN, who was one of the military commission which tried the conspirators who planned the Lincoln assassination, died at Oneida, Ill., aged 65 years.

A DISTINCT earthquake shock, lasting several seconds, was felt at Winston, N. C. Buildings were shaken, but no damage was done.

JUDGE FREEMAN quashed the indictment against the Meadowcrofts for receiving deposits knowing their bank in Chicago to be insolvent.

AUNT EUNICE CONRAD, said to be the oldest woman in the United States, died at Cedarville, W. Va., at the age of 129 years.

A LARGE party of recent converts to Mormonism left Hanover county, Va., for Utah.

ANNIE and Marie Bohan, sisters, aged 20 and 22 years respectively, were found dead in bed at their boarding place in Chicago, having been asphyxiated by gas. Their home was in Shannon, Ill.

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THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

A Few Words of Cheer from the Zone of Frozen Oranges.

LAKE KERR, Fla. March 6, '95.

EDITOR OF HERALD.—The letter written for your paper in November from this place needs considerable revising up to date. It is not true at all now about the roses and orange groves, and as to its never being too cold here, that myth has been violently exploded three times and we are beginning to wonder where it originated. However seriously Florida has gone back on her delightful record, she is still a long way ahead of her sister states in climate and to leave her because it is cold only would be to go where it is colder. So we plan picnics and excursions just the same as if it were sunny and warm every day and occasionally we are favored to enjoy their happy fulfillment, though a few bright days, however charming cannot bring to life the dead fruits and flowers that still languish on the air. Just think of four million dollars worth of oranges lying on the ground! That means four million bushels of sweetness and fragrance lost forever. An orange grove is as sad a sight as we would care to see. There are so many interests centered in them that have come to a dead loss and time only can repair the damage. Florida must wait till new trees grow. For the most the people take the situation cheerfully, and perhaps they love one another better when they have to help one another more.

The State Christian Endeavor Convention at Sanford was marked by unusual enthusiasm and determination as well as devout humility and thanksgiving. There seems to be a strong rising tide of thought and effort here in the line of christian citizenship among the C. E's and perhaps some of our material forces may work more effectively.

At Lake Kerr are many ruined prospects and yet there is enough enterprise here to build a fine steam-boat. It is built by Mr. George Downing and son, and is to be christened by one of your Tecumseh girls. There is to be a pichic and poems at the launching at the celebrated Salt Springs. These springs are connected with the St. John's River by a run of about seven miles, the scenery of which is wierd enough to make you home-sick but holding you by a spell you do not care to break. Great dead looking cypress trees seem mourning over you in long flowing ropes of dull gray moss making a group of green graceful palmettos most refreshing by way of contrast.

Then the birds, and alligators, and fish seem playing perpetual frolics all about you, and while you are watching one performance you are missing something else. Fine mullet will leap up in the from one to three feet all around your boat, but no one but a fish-hawk can catch one as they never bite a hook. The rivers, like the seasons here, seem to have no boundary but soak off into the forests, and in these swamps grow multitudes of plants and creeping things innumerable. FRANCELIA.

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I am my dear sir,
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AWAY DOWN IN FAIRFIELD.

Something About This Beautiful Town on the Ohio State Line.

In the Southern tier of towns in Lenawee County Fairfield is located, one of the best farming townships in this section of the State. Its name symbolizes its natural beauty; its citizens reflect credit upon the town in which they live.

Last week we gave our World's Fair entertainment in the village of Fairfield for the benefit of the A. C. F. of the Baptist Church, and during our three days' sojourn, we had the pleasure of forming many new acquaintances. We arrived at Jasper Monday forenoon in a driving snow storm and found a conveyance in waiting to take us to Rufus Baker's old homestead. As the house is a very commodious one, it accommodates two families. Mr. Baker's own family occupy it and also the family of his son, A. G. Baker. We enjoyed the latter's hospitality on Monday, and found it a very congenial stopping place. This place is one of the best if not the very best dairy farms in Lenawee County. It supports a herd of nearly fifty Holstein cows of which thirty are now in milk. The Jasper creamery is receiving 5000 pounds of milk every other day, and a liberal fraction of it comes from this farm. There is a large silo barn on the place, and ensilage is used largely for feed for the milch cows. During our stay here we had a fine visit with Mr. Rufus Baker and found him as much interested in pioneer matters as ever.

Mr. D. C. Tunison, who lives one and one half miles southwest of Fairfield village, has a beautiful home and a splendid family. His farm consists of 220 acres of land, which is kept under a high state of cultivation. He very rarely harvests a wheat crop that turns less than thirty bushels to the acre. Mr. Tunison also has a fine herd of Holsteins, and takes to the Jasper creamery the milk from ten cows. We had a most cordial reception there, and feel under special obligations to Mrs. Tunison and her daughters for their efforts to make our temporary home with them as pleasant as possible. On Tuesday afternoon we drove towards Weston, passed Geo. B. Horton's beautiful residence, at Fruit Ridge, which in size and architecture resembles some of the best residences on Woodward avenue in Detroit, and called at Cornelius Quick's, who is one of the leading Prohibitionists in that section of Lenawee.

Most of the day Wednesday was passed beneath the hospitable roof of John W. Nash, who lives over the line in Madison, over a mile northeast of Fairfield village. He has 160 acres of land, with a fine house and out buildings, among them one of largest barns in that town. His son, Howard, is now working the farm on shares, and hence John W. and his wife take life easy and enjoy themselves. Mr. Nash attended school here in Tecumseh just forty years ago, when Prof. C. W. Nash was Principal, and the old Court House was used for a central school building. He looks back to those days as among the pleasantest of his life, but hopes to enjoy many more years in the happy home he now occupies.

Those three days in Fairfield will long be remembered.

Why Men Should Marry.

It was clearly meant that all men, as well as all women, should marry; and those who, for what ever reason, miss this obvious destiny are, from nature's point of view, failures. It is not a question of felicity (which in eight cases out of ten may be problematic), but of race responsibility. The unmarried man is a skulker, who, dooms some woman who has a rightful claim upon him, to celibacy. And in so doing he defrauds himself of the opportunities for mental and moral development which only the normal experience can provide. He deliberately stunts the stature of his manhood, impoverishes his heart and brain, and chokes up all the sweetest potentialities of his soul. To himself he is apt to appear like the wise fox that detects the trap, though it be ever so cunningly baited; that refuses to surrender his liberty for the sake of an appetizing chicken or rabbit, which after all may be a decoy, stuffed with sawdust; while, as a matter of fact, his case is that of the cowardly servant in the parable, who for fear of losing his talent, hid it in a napkin, and in the end was deemed unworthy of his stewardship.—From "The Matrimonial Puzzle" by H. H. Boyesen, in North American Review for Febuary.

Brainard's Musical World.

The February number of this popular magazine contains a large amount of choice musical reading, including articles by Wm. H. Sherwood, Emil Liebling, Robert Goldbeck and other eminent musicians. Fine portraits of Liszt, Schumann, Melba and other illustrations are given, together with four piano pieces and a beautiful new song—eighteen pages of music in all. A piano lesson by Emil Liebling, also a fine portrait, suitable for framing, is given with each number. Terms $1.50 per year, 15 cents per copy. To introduce the World to those who have never taken it, it will be sent four months on trial on receipt of 25 cents in stamps. Address The S. Brainard's Sons Co. Chicago.

PROF. JOHN B. DE MOTTE.

Lecture and Lantern Combine to Make a Grand Entertainment.

The Star Entertainment Course of the present season has been one of more than usual excellence, and the lecture of Prof. DeMotte last Saturday evening was a most fitting close of the course. Tecumseh audiences have listened to many eminent platform orators, but none have given a more genuine surprise than did Prof. DeMotte. Probably, because he was less known than some other speakers by most of the community, and by the announcement that his lecture would be illustrated by a stereopticon, some were led to conclude that the lecture might be a common place one; but the fair sized audience present were served an intellectual treat that will long be remembered. The first part of the lecture consisted of a scientific discourse upon sound, illustrated by special apparatus in connection with a stereopticon, in which the theory of sound waves, and their attributes and qualities were clearly elucidated. Most notable among the illustrations was the record of the different tones by means of film projected upon the screen. The illustrations of nerve and brain structure furnished the basis for the most delightful and instructive discourse upon nerve training, and the consequent moral phase of life, that has been given in our village. The Professor based his arguments upon the scientific law that "the constant execution of a definite function gradually produces a structural modification," and as a consequence, just as are the thoughts and the drift into which mental action flows, so will be the inner, and very largely the outer life of each of us. The dangers surrounding young men and young women were so impressively portrayed that no one could leave the house without feeling a sense of responsibility, and many were the inwardly expressed determinations to attain toward the ideal higher life. Throughout the lecture was strong, impressive and convincing in the highest sense of the word. It is to be regretted that every man woman and child in the village did not hear him, and should he ever visit Tecumseh again, he will undoubtedly be greeted by an audience only limited by the capacity of the house. Upon the whole, we congratulate those who heard him, and the managers in securing so fitting a speaker to close the course.

A Revolution in Solid Literature.

The Forum, a year ago, took the bold and unprecedented step of reducing its price from $5 a year to $3—the first instance of so solid a periodical being put forth at so popular a price. Literature of this class has always been high, because it is written only by the very best writers, and because there had hitherto been but a comparatively small reading public that was thought to appreciate it. The Forum proceeded on the supposition that the spread of intelligence and the ever increasing independence of thought in the United States, opened up a very much larger field for serious literature of the very highest kind than had even been suspected. It tried the very bold experiment, therefore, of reducing its price by half. The year since this reduction in price was made has been the dullest year in two decades. Yet the increase of circulation and of influence has been so great that the Forum has already a larger circulation than all the other American non-illustrated monthlies put together. It has made the discovery that the number of serious students of important subjects is very much larger than anybody had supposed, and very much larger than the number in any other country. The Forum's circulation in the United States is larger than the combined circulation of the three great British Reviews in Great Britain—larger than any similar periodical enjoys anywhere in the world.

The St. Louis Republic Free.

The "Twice-a-Week" St. Louis Republic will be sent Free For One Year to any person sending, before January 31, 1895, a club of three new yearly subscribers, with $3 to pay for the same.

Already the clans are gathering for the fray in 1896, and 1895 will be full of interesting events. The skirmish lines will be thrown out, the maneuvering done and the plans of campaign arranged for the great contest in '96.

The remaining short session of the Democratic Congress, to be followed shortly by a Republican Congress with a Democrat in the Presidental chair will be productive of events of incalculable interest.

In fact, more political history will be constructed during 1895 than in any year since the foundation of the Government, and a man without a newspaper will be like a useless lump in the movements of public opinion.

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Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

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CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

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Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	3 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
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North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
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Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAR. 15, 1895.

Tate & Stoner shipped a car of hogs Wednesday.

Eddie Lancaster has been on the sick list this week.

E. R. Smith made a business trip to Jackson Friday last.

Mrs. J. E. White and Mary have both been on the sick list.

Mrs. Will Niblack and daughter are visiting Macon friends.

Mrs. C. C. Silvers visited friends at Deerfield the first of the week.

F. R. Greenleaf and J. D. Hause visited Tecumseh Tuesday morning.

Del Coolrich and wife have been visiting his parents the past week.

Will Ayres, commonly known as fatty Ayres of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Quite a number went down to Tecumseh last evening to see "For a Million."

Will P. McAdam is now in a meat market on West Chicago street Tecumseh.

Fred Davis and Thomas Marrion were both on the sick list the first of the week.

Geo. W. Lewis, of South Bend, Ind., came to attend the funeral of his uncle, Solmon Parker.

Will Dewey and wife have again returned to country life. They moved back to the farm Monday.

Chas. W. Parker, wife and child, of Hillsdale, were called here by the death of Charles' father, S. Parker.

Miss Carl Corey arrived Tuesday morning from Paw Paw for a visit with friends here in her native town.

A young gentleman from Albion College was the guest of James Halladay's family several days the past week.

Frank Rowland, of Toledo, was calling on friends Tuesday as well as taking orders for the house he represents.

Mrs. E. A. Keyser was the guest of Wesley and family over Sunday and returned to her home in Ypsilanti Monday.

Fred Sherwood and Robert Redick went to Toledo Tuesday to see about material for the Huntington and Smith block.

Peter Alexander and family moved into their home, recently purchased of Will Dewey, on Washington street Tuesday.

Lafe Miller and family, of Chelsea, have been here the past week, in consequence of the death of Mrs. Sarah Richmond.

Mrs. E. M. Cooley expects soon to move her stock to the room now occupied by G. D. Ellis as a cigar store and news depot.

F. L. Woodward started up the old foundry Monday to complete some work that was partly done. It seemed good to see signs of life.

Rev. C. M. Stout officiated Friday at the funeral of Mrs. John Dunn in Franklin. The remains were taken to Saline for burial.

Geo. A. Kies was moving around the streets very rapidly Tuesday morning, and many were at at a loss to know the cause. He was preparing to go fishing, that was all.

The VanTuyle and Mattis Auction at the old Silvers farm Tuesday drew out a large crowd and we understand that things generally sold well. The sheep and hogs were not sold.

Rev. W. R. Blachford is to exchange services Sunday with Rev. Ewing, of Jonesville, consequently Mr. Ewing conducts the services at St. John's church Sunday morning.

While Dave Haggert was in voting Monday he left his horse unhitched and the freight train coming along frightened it and it started up the street, but was caught before any damage had been done.

Miss Eva Shimmen returned from Detroit, Monday. Tuesday she and Mate were very busy opening, marking and arranging their spring purchases. We shall speak of their display next week.

Bainbridge & Hause have been kept very busy of late. Friday they attended the funeral of Mrs. Dunn, Sunday Mrs. Ganoung's, Monday Iva Kilbourn's and Mrs. Richmond's, and Tuesday S. Parker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrillo Stitt spent a couple of days in Ypsilanti the last of the week, and we understand they have decided to make that city their home, and will move their household effects next week.

The Baptist social was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Downs, on Coman street, Tuesday—tea from 5 to 7. They always have a large attendance and a pleasant time at the Deacon's and this was no exception.

Nelson Miller and daughter of Ridgeway, Oliver Sanford of Tecumseh, Mrs. Joseph Lazell of Ypsilanti, and Mrs. Amos Lazell of Manchester, were among those from away who attended the funeral of Mrs. Richmond, Monday.

Iva, the 14 year old daughter of Chas. Kilbourn, who resides west of town on Wall street, died after a brief illness the last of the week. The funeral was held Monday and the remains were taken to Riga Monday afternoon for interment.

They have excavated on the corner of Jackson and east Chicago streets for VanTuyle & Woodard's new building. The ground was frozen so hard and deep they were obliged to use dynamite. It worked like a charm and expedited matters greatly.

Rev. David Lewis, the evangelist, will close his meetings tonight. After a short rest he will go to New York and the New England states, where he will engage in the same work for two months. He is a very earnest, conscientious man, and is very successful in his work.

Miss Rosa Lane met with a serious accident Thursday last, which came near costing an eye. Coming from the mill, some of the young men were throwing snow balls, and Will Martiny miscirculated in some way and the ball hit her in the eye. The severe shock and pain combined has confined her to the bed. It was a very narrow escape she had. The practice of snow balling should be excluded from our streets.

Tuesday we stepped into Lewis Gray's barber shop in the Lancaster House and found him very pleasantly situated. His shop is a model of neatness and that Lewis is a first-class barber there is no question. We should judge he was having a fair trade and that his laundry business was growing.

H. Wiltse's harness shop is now located next to the Local office on Tecumseh street, the building having been moved by Geo. Sherwood in good shape. Geo. says the only consolation he can get out of it is "that it is worth something to do business" as he is out fifty cents besides his own labor. He met with difficulties for which he had not calculated.

The prospects are that any one wanting a bicycle this season need not go away from home to procure them, as our dealers have taken the agency for several makes they have not heretofore carried. Among the new ones A. B. VanDeMark has the Cleveland, Kishpaugh & Lindsley the Winton, and G. D. Ellis the Clipper. All first class wheels. Look them over.

Our entire community was astonished Saturday afternoon when it became known that Solomon Parker was dead. Thursday, not feeling well, he consulted Dr. Tuttle who told him his hearts action was not right and advised him to keep quiet for a while. He feeling better continued to work as usual. Saturday he felt unusually well and worked up to the time of quitting, about 5 o'clock. Soon after going into the air he began feeling badly and when he reached the doctor's office he went in and sat down. The doctor saw at a glance that his condition was serious and at once tried to relieve him, but to no effect as he did not live but a few moments. It was a very sudden ending of an active life, a terrible blow to the family and a shock to all.

The village election Monday passed off very quietly and resulted in the election of what was termed the Law and order ticket entire; both tickets were composed of good men and though some no doubt were surprised at the result, no one thinks but what the Village affairs will be ably and judiciously conducted. There were 260 votes cast, of which 3 were thrown out not being properly marked. We give the number of votes cast for each candidate on both tickets:

PRESIDENT.

W. S. Kimball	137
S. F. Marsteller	120—17

CLERK.

C. D. Cutting	138
J. B. McAdam	119—19

TREASURER.

J. W. Machen	132
C. H. Thompson	125—7

TRUSTEES.

A. C. Huntington	139
C. S. Burroughs	115—24
F. B. Greenleaf	150
C. Bostedor	107—43
C. C. Rowland	139
Fred Tag	114—25

ASSESSOR.

John Hause	141
J. L. Kishpaugh	116—25

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Sarah Richmond, who died at her home in Clinton, March 7th, was one of the early pioneers of Michigan; she having left the town of Groveland, Livingston county, New York, where she was born Dec. 9th, 1817, and come to this State with her parents in 1833.

They settled in the Township of Freedom, where she was married to Levi C. Richmond, March 2d, 1837. Mr. and Mrs. Richmond immediately after their marriage, settled in Bridgewater, where they continued to live until the spring of 1849, when they removed to Clinton where they resided until death. Mr. Richmond preceded her to the spirit land some eight years, he having died in 1887. Seven children were the product of this marriage, all of whom are yet living. Mrs. Richmond lived with her son Will after her husband's death, where she was tenderly cared for in her declining years. She was confined to her bed for five months, which was a great trial to her as she had always been a stirring, energetic woman. All that the sacrifices and energies of affectionate children could do to alleviate her sufferings and make her last days as comfortable as possible was cheerfully rendered, which is not always the case with those whose heads are white with the frosts of years. The funeral services were conducted at her home on the 11th inst. by her pastor Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, and her grandchildren acting as pall bearers laid her away in her final resting place. She and her husband occupied prominent positions in the church and are greatly missed. But their friends mourn not as those who have no hope for they both died in the Lord. Though separated for a few years by death they are now forever united in the home beyond.

Solomon Parker, who suddenly died of neuralgia of the heart, in Clinton on Saturday afternoon the 9th inst., was born in Bradford, Wiltshire, England, June 24th, 1822. He came to this country at the age of 18 years and settled in Millville, Mass. In 1854 he married Miriam Lindley and as the fruits of this marriage four children were born unto them, three of whom are living. In 1869 he moved to Owosso, Mich., and thence to Clinton in August 1871, where he has continued to reside. He embraced the religion of Christ in early manhood and remained a loyal servant of the Master until his work was done. Mr. Parker was in many respects an old time Methodist. He was emotional in his nature and quite expressive in his religious activities. He loved to sing the Methodist hymns and would often break out in social meetings singing these deeply spiritual songs of prayer and praise with such fervor and pathos that the whole congregation felt the inspiration. He had much of brotherly love and fellow feeling, and his minister always occupied a place in his heart. He possessed a far more than common insight into the spiritual meaning of the scriptures and its rich truths were often interwoven in his prayers and testimonials. His absence from the preaching service, where he was an appreciative listener and the prayer and class meetings, where he was a devout worshiper will be greatly felt by his associates in church work. His last labors and testimonies as well as his earnest christian life leave no doubt of his abundant entrance into the Kingdom of God.

Rev. R. N. Middleton, M. E. clergyman, Spring Lake, Mich., says: "Sleep and rest were strangers to me after preaching till I used "Adironda." Now I sleep soundly and awake refreshed; I can heartily recommend "Adironda." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The Center school closes Friday.

Oliver Mull has taken Mrs. Mary Deming's sap bush.

Frank Marshall will run Mr. Hunt's sap bush this spring.

S. N. Wisner drove to Ypsilanti Friday, returning Saturday.

A daughter of Mr. Kilbourn, a girl in her teens, died Sunday of typhoid pneumonia.

Mr. Hause conducted the funeral of Mrs. John Dunn, Friday, and Miss Iva Kilbourn, Monday.

Len Billington will operate E. Simmond's sap bush and has already tapped a part of the trees.

A Lyceum has been organized in the north part of the town. Grant Davis is president. Next meeting at Charles Davis', March 30th.

The remains of Mrs. John Dunn were conveyed to Saline, Friday, for interment near her former home, after a brief service at the house, Rev. Stout, of Clinton officiating.

The Bradley school was closed Monday, Miss Kilbourn having attended school there up to the time she was taken sick, a little more than a week before her death. We hear the remains were taken to Riga, for burial, where the family had formerly resided.

Remember the Lyceum will occur at Hampton's hall, March 23d. This is a regular monthly meeting of the society. There will be no debate.

PROGRAMME.

Selection—Orchestra.
Rec.—Maud Abbot.
Song—Will Spalding.
Rec.—Nina Allen.
Music—Jewett Whelan.
Paper—Alma Whelan.
Song—Mrs. VanDoren.
Rec.—Hoyt Whelan.
Song—Bert Billington.
Chip Basket—Cecil Billington.
Song—Lamkin family.
Dialogue—Mr. and Mrs. VanDoren.
Orchestra.
Rec.—Clara Welch.
Duet—Mrs. Witherell and Lena.
Dec.—Herbert Munger.
Solo—Leon Allen.
Rec—S. N. Wisner.
Song—Jewett Whelan.
Rec.—Bertha Taylor.
Solo—Clarence Witherell.
Rec.—Dora Davenport.
Song—Misses VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Clark Payne.
Song—Mrs. Davenport, B. Billington, J. Whelan, with orchestra accompaniment.
Rec.—Floyd Billington.
Rec.—Harry Marshall.
Song—Mrs. Ara VanTuyle.
Rec.—Ed. Spalding.
Solo—Cecil Billington.
Rec.—Blanche Morseman.
Music—Ruth Taylor.
Rec.—Wilford Allen.
Rec.—Jessie Billington.

The Heavy End of a Match.

"Mary," said Farmer Flint at the breakfast table as he asked for a second cup of coffee, "I've made a discovery."

"Well, Cyrus, you're about the last one I'd expect of such a thing, but what is it?

"I've found that the heavy end of a match is its light end," responded Cyrus with a grin that would have adorned a skull.

Mary looked disgusted, but with an air of triumph quickly retorted, "I've got a discovery too, Cyrus. It was made by Dr. R. V. Pierce, and is called a 'Golden Medical Discovery.' It drives away blotches and pimples, purifies the blood, tones up the system and makes one feel brand-new. Why, it cured Cousin Ben who had Consumption and was almost reduced to a skeleton. Before his wife began to use it she was a pale, sickly thing, but look at her: she's rosy-cheeked and healthy, weighs 165 pounds. That, Cyrus is a discovery that's worth mentioning."

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ONSTED ODDS.

George Killbury reports a little boy.

Miss Clara Cure is visiting relatives in this locality.

Mrs. L. Sheeler spent a part of last week in Dundee.

D. Corwin has been spending a few days in Marshall.

Nettie Onsted visited Clara Cure a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker's little son is reported better.

El. Totten, of Dundee, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

School closed here last Friday, having a three week's vacation.

Fred Wooden and hired man are cutting wood on L. Onsted's.

Burnice and Dora Howard visited relatives in Rome over Sunday.

A. J. Ketcham was the lucky man to draw the stove at Frank Brooks.

Wm. Tillotson, of Fayette, Ohio, is buying hay and straw of the farmers in this vicinity.

Harry Hawkin's little boy fell and hit his head on a garden rake but did not fracture the skull.

Henry Ketcham returned from Randolf, Wisconsin, last Thursday where he has been attending school.

A Weatherhead's preparing to put in cheese making machinery in the old Laur cheese factory east of town.

The next meeting of the Cambridge Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Mate Case on the 6th of April.

Henry Ketchum's friends stepped into his home in a surprising way Saturday night, and when he came in he said he didn't expect to find company.

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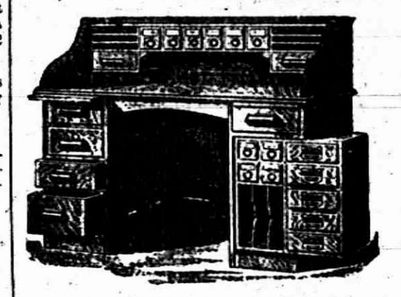

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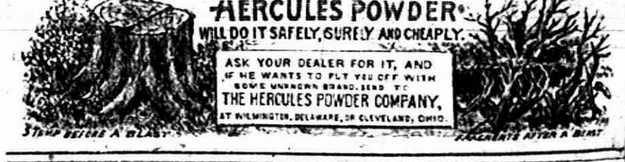

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BRITTON BUDGET.

Philip Strong is on the sick list.

The winter term of school closes today.

Dr. E. Hendershot was in town Wednesday.

A. J. Lee made a business trip to Toledo Friday.

Emma and Clarence Hause are down with the grip.

The ladies' hive hold a regular meeting this evening.

Regular review of K. O. T. M., tent Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. J. Clark has not been as well as usual the past week.

The republican caucus is called at G. A. R. hall Thursday, March 21.

We understand that F. Link contemplates moving to Tecumseh soon.

Mrs. Geo. Smith, of Blissfield, is with R. and Mrs. L. C. Hoagland this week.

Art Hughes and wife were the guests of his people at Tecumseh over Sunday.

Verne Ousterhout and wife returned home from their Ypsilanti visit Saturday.

Miss Ethel Sweet, of Tecumseh, was visiting friends here the first of the week.

Miss Carrie Winship, of Holloway, is the guest of Miss Bertha Britton this week.

Ben Pulver, manager of the White Pharmacy, made Adrian friends a visit over Sunday.

Gilbert Curtis, who has been visiting friends here, expects to return to his home at Ionia tomorrow.

Harvey Welling is now rapidly setting his rooms and next week hopes to be able to take photographs galore.

L. C. Hoagland has taken the agency for the Falcon bicycle and will keep a full line in stock. Call and see them.

Well girls, which style of dressing the hair will look the best for me in a picture, is the query often heard now days.

Dr. P. B. Hardy has moved his office and you will find him nicely situated in pleasant quarters over the White Pharmacy.

One of our citizens east of the railroad is suffering from what he calls "the devil's own grip and pemonia." It must be terrible.

Jno. June and wife have the sympathy of their friends in the sorrow which has come to them in the death of their baby. It was buried Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Kniffen, if alive at this time, is very low and no hopes for her recovery. Her sister, Mrs. Delos Vreeland, of St. Johns, is with her.

The next on the lecture course will be H. R. Pettingill, state superintendent of schools, March 29. Subject: "Nancy Hanks and the 19th Century."

Will Underwood and George Exelby expect to buy stock together this season. They will make a strong team and no doubt will work well together.

Bert Nichols has given up city life, and returned to his home again. He discharged his duties as juror, with credit to himself, and honor to his friends.

Mark Beal, the reader and impersonator, gave a fine entertainment Tuesday evening. Everyone was delighted and should he come again the house would be packed.

It has been pretty lively around the Exelby house this week. George and family are moving out, while Luke Bannister and family were moving in. Both hope to get settled by tomorrow.

Tuesday one of the C., J. & M. freight trains was delayed about three hours in consequence of an open switch. The engine and part of a car ran off. Fortunately no damage was done.

We have heard of people whose appetites are peculiar and their preferences out of the usual run. We understand one of our young men takes sugar on his Beans and vinegar on his Sweets.

The superintendents of the various Sunday schools of the township of Ridgeway held a meeting on Wednesday, March 6th, and decided to hold a township convention on Saturday, April 6th, at the church in Britton.

James Haight has been all torn up at his store this week. He has been giving the store a thorough overhauling and painted the interior. When all is completed it will be a Bijou of a place. Will tell you more next week.

Arrangements are now pending looking to the connection of the Union Telegraph line with the Western Union office here and the prospects seem favorable to its being done. This will prove a great convenience all along the route.

The ladies of the Relief Corps will hold a boquet social Tuesday evening next, March 19, at the G. A. R. Hall. The boquets will be sold for 20 cents each and the purchaser is entitled to supper for two. All are invited to be present.

Mike Harrington, of Macon, will move his family here and occupy the house lately vacated by M. L. Gillen's family. We understand he will engage in the carriage and implement business with L. C. Hoagland. It will make a hustling firm.

There will be a meeting at Exelby hall Saturday (tomorrow) evening in the interest of the base ball association. Officers will be elected and other business pertaining to the organization transacted. Everybody come. Let it be a rouser.

The entertainment committee of the Christian Union Aid Society will serve warm sugar in the church parlors on Friday evening, March 22. Sugar, 10 cents a dish. The ladies will sell at auction a quilt and other domestic articles. A large attendance and liberal patronage is solicited.

Westley Mantell, the popular young actor, who put on a play at Tecumseh last evening, assisted by local talents will soon be here for the same purpose. We congratulate our people in securing him, and particularly those who have a taste for dramatics. It will be a good school for them. Mr. Mantell is a gentleman in every sense, a fine actor and a competent instructor. This is an opportunity seldom offered and our young gentlemen and ladies should take advantage of it.

The Christian Unity Conference will be held at the church in Holloway April 8th and 9th. Please keep the dates in mind and make your arrangements to be present.

J. B. Flanders, of Toledo, superintendent of the C., J. & M. railroad, and H. B. Williams, chief engineer, were here Saturday, in consultation with D. D. Van Nocker, of Dundee, regarding a grain elevator. They settled on a sight and Mr. Van Nocker will move his elevator here from Ridgeway. They expect to move it on flat cars. This will be a great accommodation to all concerned and we are glad to know that it is settled.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mary Miller is on the sick list.

Florence Kishpaugh was in town Friday.

Maple sugar season is with us once more.

L. C. Winship visited Britton on business.

Glove boxing is the latest fad in Holloway.

Miss Agnes Still spent Sunday at Homer.

Floyd Florence visited Adrian Tuesday evening.

Ed. Allen has rented a farm near Cone station.

More empty houses than common to rent this spring.

Chas. Rothfuss and family occupy the Dr. Begel residence.

Will Binns, wife and mother visited B. Carpenter and family.

Dr. Frost, of Tecumseh, was in town Wednesday, on professional business.

Dr. J. W. Nixon and Eva Doty were passengers for Detroit, Wednesday.

Otis Hoadley and wife, of Fairfield, were here after their household goods.

The church organ is back from Detroit and the choir looks natural once more.

Mrs. Howland, of Tecumseh, has organized a class of painting in this place.

The Free Methodist revival is still in progress and not much interest shown as yet.

Miss Grayson closed her singing class at Raisin Center Friday evening, with a concert.

The Farmers' Club meets at Geo. Holloway's Tuesday evening with a good program.

Frank Judson is reported sick with typhoid fever, Dr. Nixon attending physician.

Fred Kishpaugh has shipped his goods from this station to Lansing, their future residence.

The C. E. Society gives a nut social at the church, Thursday evening. All are cordially invited.

G. H. Winship and wife, David Gibson and Miss Jennie E. Underwood visited L. C. Winship and family Sunday.

Miss Brown has her new stock of millinery purchased and would be pleased to see her old customers and lots of new ones.

Quite a large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral of Jessie Rogers of Palmyra; he was very highly respected by all who knew him.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Elmer Linn is under the doctor's care at present.

A. C. Arner went to Addison Tuesday for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Mike Biggs, of Rome, visited relatives here last week.

F. E. Pocklington and C. B. Dibble attended church at Saline Sunday.

Dr. Hardy, of Britton, is attending the sick at S. H. Linn's at present.

Amanda Pilbeam, of Tecumseh, visited friends here the first of the week.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was shaking hands with friends here Monday.

The date for the Mrs. Lathrap memorial service is Friday evening, March 29.

Dr. Howell, of Tecumseh, was called to see George Houseman who is quite sick.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiggins, of Tecumseh, was visiting friends in the village the first of the week.

L. Bannester moved, with his family, to Britton Wednesday where he will run the Exelby hotel.

Dr. Woodward, of Tecumseh, was called to visit the sick at the home of Agent Beedle, Wednesday.

Bear in mind the entertainment given by the Epworth League, at the church next Tuesday evening. Admission 10 cents.

Quite a number went to Britton Tuesday evening to hear Prof. Mark R. Beal, the dramatic reader, of the lecture course.

Why is it that the young folks do not agree as to the time the eclipse of the moon ended Monday morning? May be some of them were out of sight.

Dakota may boast of her blizzards and Nebraska of hot winds but Ridgeway comes to the front with a matrimonial wave, with a wedding a week so far this month. And the old maids are not the only ones who are fanning the last spark of hope, but some of the widows are beginning to crimp their hair, so as to appear frisky.

Shortly after seven o'clock Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. David Boyd; Rev. Hartley Cansfield united in marriage Miss Jennie Boyd and Mr. Haschel Boyd, of Albion, Mich. With two or three exceptions, only the near relatives of the contracting parties, were present. The newly married couple will leave in a few days for their home near Albion. The bride leaves a large circle of friends who wish her a long, prosperous and happy married life.

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RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Miss May Taylor spent Friday at the Seminary.

Miss Blanche Ladd spent two days with her sisters here last week.

Misses Blanch Coffin and Lottie Powers spent Sunday with Mabel Davis.

Miss Grace Hill of '94, and Miss Nettie Snooks spent Friday, at the Seminary.

Master Charles Hill has been absent from school the past week on account of sickness.

Notice—Fell with a crash, Thomas Carson, '96, in No. 16. The result, a bruised face.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, of Ridgeway, called at the Seminary Wednesday evening.

Boom-a-lack-a, Boom-a-lack-a, Boom, Boom, Ha! '96, '96, Rah! Rah! Rah! But listen for the '95's on the night of the 23d.

The Philosophy class were not satisfied with Prof. Binford's electrical experiments Thursday evening, so they are going down to hear Prof. DeMotte on the same subject Thursday evening.

The contest Friday evening was a success. Mr. Chas. Bourns, receiving the prize among the boys, and Miss Minnie Bowerman of the girls. Music was furnished by Miss Miller, Walter Hill, and the newly organized quartette which is contemplating a musicale in Croswell's opera house soon.

MACON MUSIC.

A Prohibition caucus will be held at the town Hall, Saturday, March 23d, at 10 a. m.

There was no Sunday afternoon service at the M. E. church, the funeral services of Mrs. Ganoung being held at that hour.

The eclipse Sunday night furnished an excuse for a number of young people to remain outside a little longer than usual.

Misses Minta Jackson and Grace Collins are delegates to the State Epworth League Convention at Detroit, March 26, 27 and 28.

Those who failed to attend the last entertainment of the Tecumseh Course last Saturday evening missed a rare treat in the lecture given by Mr. De Motte.

Sunday afternoon we laid to rest the remains of our aged friend, Susan Howell Ganoung. Born in New York in 1805, she became one of the pioneers of Macon in 1847. She was for years a faithful and devoted member of the Reformed church. Though for several years rendered necessarily inactive by reason of her age, still were the words of the song of Sunday afternoon especially appropriate: "Only remembered by what I have done."

SOUTH MACON SIFTINGS.

Joe Bailey, of Marshall, is visiting his father and friends for a few days.

Miss. Clarkson's exhibition is Friday evening, March 22d. A good program is being prepared.

Asel Russel, who has been enjoying city life for the past two years thinks of moving on his farm this spring.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will have a social at the Grange Hall, Friday evening, April 5th. Full particulars will appear later.

J. F. Gilmore and family, Mrs. Will Avery and Mrs. Thos. Maynard, who have been quite indisposed, are all improving.

There was a large attendance at Richard Clarkson's auction Wednesday p. m; bidding was lively and everything went well.

Frank Gilmore, Jr., is going on Fred. Morrel's farm, and Clarence is going to keep things moving at the old stand when Frank vacates.

Edith Cotton's school exhibition Wednesday evening showed good training, plenty of humorous talent and was a success in all respects.

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Mrs. L. C. Grady, of Caro, is attending the bedside of her mother who has been prostrated the past 7 months and is now is at death's door.

Prohibition caucus Saturday, March 23rd., 10 a. m., at Town Hall. Republican caucus, 2 p. m., at Town Hall and Democratic caucus at Grange Hall at 2 p. m., March 23.

The following farms will change hands by the rent route, to wit: C. Shafer to P. Winterstein; F. Morrel to F. Gilmore; R. Clarkson to W. Frost; J. F. Gilmore, his east farm, to C. Gilmore; J. Langthorn to R. McCauthy; S. R. Smith, of York, his lower farm to C. Booth; C. Booth to F. Davenport; F. Davenport to O. Lamb.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Show at the Center next Friday evening, and will be held at Seger's hall.

Fay Baker is improving slowly, and if nothing happens will soon be around.

Mrs. Beers returned to her home in Muskegon county Friday, March 8th.

Mrs. Charles Reynolds is able to be around the house after an illness of three months.

Mrs. David R. Smith was called to Adrian, Tuesday, to attend the sickness of her daughter, Mrs. John Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Schureman have been called to the north part of the state to attend the funeral of their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Barnum.

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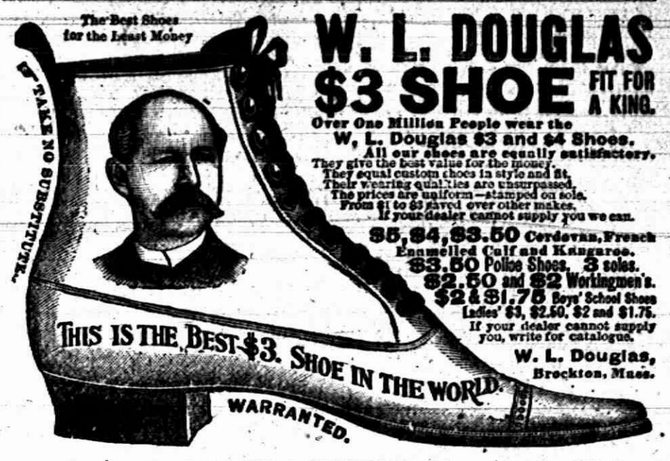

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THE VILLAGE ELECTION.

Under the new law recently passed, the election was held last Monday. Two tickets were placed in the field, both of which were strong ones, personally considered, and the result was a warm and close contest. A very large vote was polled, the poll list showing 344 names. Eighteen votes were thrown out for informality. The regular or corporation ticket was chosen by majorities ranging from 1 to 78, over the Citizen's ticket. Below is a table of the result. The first name under each office is the "corporation" nominee, the second one being on the citizen's ticket.

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"For a Million."

This play was given at Sutton's opera house last evening, under the direction of Mr. Westley Mantell, assisted by home talent. It is a very good play for amateurs, as ordinary scenery answers the purpose. There is enough blood and thunder in it to disturb the nerves of old maids, and enough comedy to keep the audience in good humor. Mr. Mantell has had experience on the boards before and he acted the part of Hopper in an admirable manner. Ed. Smallidge, Mart Crossman, and Chas. Egan had minor parts, but they were well carried. C. D. Hayes personified Gilbert Temple, the villian of the play. This was an uncongenial character for him and a difficult one to act up to nature, but all thought that he performed a hard task very creditably. Fred Beck did finely. Geo. Schreder played the drunken loafer true to life, and Wade Waring made a splendid Lawyer Bruce. The young ladies, Misses Lottie Aten, Minnie Reeves and Lula Powell, all did finely, seizing the salient points firmly that needed emotional work, and yet not overacting their parts. Taken all in all it was a most creditable amateur performance. It will be repeated this evening.

Elsa Ladies Quartet.

The Elsa Ladies Quartet concert company arrived in Hudson the same day that winter did. But, nevertheless they had a very appreciative audience. The quartet can sing, they enter into the spirit of song, there is soul and expression in the work of the young ladies, comprising this stellar combination. Hudson people are very much indebted to the young ladies, Miss Genevieve Buck, Belle Wheeler, Blanch Wheeler, and Irene Morgan, for the beautiful harmonies they rendered at the opera house Friday evening. W. T. Barnum, whistler, is simply marvelous in the variety and cleverness of his work. Miss Blanch Wheeler was very pleasing with the violin and Miss Genevieve Buck, whom we may almost claim for a Hudson girl, acquitted herself with much credit, not only to herself but also to her vocal instructress, Mrs. Johnson. The individual and collective work of all the entertainers was good, immensely so, and everything was appreciated so highly that the audience wanted more of it.—Hudson Republican.

Mr. Barnum unless detained by business or other good reasons will be present at the Chocolate Tea, and give a few selections; go anyway if he is not there. The Elsa ladies will help to entertain you. Admission only 10 cents.

The Hon. Hinky Dink is resolutely taking his stand upon the platform that an acquaintance with Lindley Murray is a sign of treachery to the people.

There are New Yorkers un-Wagnerian enough to insinuate that the productions of "Die Goetteraemmerung" in the original German had something to do with the fall of two buildings.

About the best part of the decision in the Vanderbilt divorce case reads; "It is also ordered that the children receive their education in the United States."

In the spring it is proposed to run electrical ferryboats in Norway.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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THE FIFTY THIRD CONGRESS.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4th—The closing hours of Congress were characterestised by the wanton destruction of a great thirst. The debauch did not reach its accustomed proportions until the session of Sunday and Sunday night. On Saturday the congressmen, particularly the Representatives, began drinking heavily, and on Sunday the onslaughts on the bar under the House of Representatives became so ardent and so prolonged that placards were posted in the corridors and on the walls bearing the legend, "For members only." In order to prevent any one but congressmen from breaking the Sunday law, policemen were stationed at the doors of the saloon to keep out the jam. Waiters working night and day in relays of from 15 to 25 each frantically endeavored to keep up with the demands made upon them, and two cashiers were kept drumming on their cash registers in type writer fashion till the sweat streamed from their faces.

The congressional thirst raged with such fierceness that Sunday afternoon several were disabled and taken from the field of battle. Great care was taken not to permit a congressman to get too far gone. Whenever he became too garrulous he was quietly hustled to a committee-room and kept on a diet of ice water and seltzer until himself again.

Sunday evening Congressman Joseph A. Scranton, of Scranton, Pa., managed to break loose from the inebriates and reached the floor of the House, and in a maudlin fashion began to object to a private bill being called up by De-Armond, of Missouri.

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to know if a member as drunk as that has a right to object?" shouted DeArmond.

The drunken Scranton then began to abuse DeArmond until he was taken out by the sergeant-at-arms by direction of the speaker.

The drinking became so excessive that the chief of police detailed ten extra policemen and three detectives to prevent the general disorder from becoming an open riot.

Late Sunday evening some women became intoxicated, and taking possession of a vault under the House, danced a can-can for the edification of a crowd of men until dispersed by the police.

The saloon under the Senate also ran full blast all night Saturday night, all day Sunday and Sunday night, but managed to keep up a better pretense of decorum. The lobby and the rabble were here permitted to drink as well as the senators, with no policemen to make them afraid.

To-day, on being asked the proceeds of his Sunday's sales for Sunday, the cashier of the House saloon said to a Voice representative that they had not had time to check up the cash, but said it was enough to require more than $200 expense for extra help alone. These saloons in the Capitol are permitted to run upon the theory that Congress has exclusive control over the building and grounds. The saloon-keeper pays no license whatever, simply making the proper application. The House saloon is under control of the speaker and the committee on rules, consisting of Speaker Chas. E. Crisp, T. C. Catchings, J. H. Outhwaite, T. B. Reed, and J. G. Cannon.

The Senate saloon is run by permission of Vice-President Adlai E. Stevenson, J. S. Blackburn, I. G. Harris, A. P. Gorman, N. W. Aldrich, and C. F. Manderson.—The Voice.

High School Happenings.

Miss Gray was absent Thursday afternoon.

Class Latin 10 A take their final examination in Caesar today.

Philosophy class are on the chapter of heat. It was a pleasant subject for Thursday.

Arithmetic class did not recite Monday.

The finest treat that the scholars have had in some time was given them last Monday morning when Prof. DeMotte addressed them at the Methodist church. For nearly an hour he held the pupils' closest attention and many lasting impressions were made by him. From his lecture Saturday evening Prof. Kellogg selected the following quotation and asked all of the scholars to memorize it: "The constant exercise of a definite function gradually effects a structural modification."

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Remember the glove boxing contest at the Armory to-morrow evening.

Cleo Hall is in Kalamazoo, looking after A. W. Slayton's lumber, this week.

Don't miss the McCaskim Bros. at Sutton's Opera House, Saturday night, April 13th.

The Junior Auxilliary, of St. Peter's church, meet with Miss Inez Thorp Wednesday evening.

E. F. Kirchgessner is selling Columbia bicycles lively. He ordered three last night, to be sent at once.

McCaskim Bros., Shakesperian Readers, Impersonators and Dramatists at Sutton's Opera House, Saturday night, April 13th.

Doc Shoebottom, after an absence of several weeks, returned last night, looking as fresh as a rose. He has not decided whether he will remain or not.

Miss Jessie Beach Crane, daughter of the General Passenger Agent of the Wabash road, who has been visiting Theodore Crane's family, returned to her home in St. Louis to-day.

BRITTON, March 14th, 1895.

Messrs. Orr & Temple, Gentlemen: I have used your Texas DeHorner on calves from two weeks to six months old and it worked complete with only one application, and with proper use I can recommend it highly. Yours truly.

WILLIAM BRITTON.

Fred Landgraf is still holding down a chair in the Auditor's office of the Ohio Central railway at Toledo. He is becoming thoroughly versed in his duties and likes the position very much. Next month this road will occupy an elegant suite of rooms in the new Nasby Block on Madison and Huron streets. We made Fred a call the other day and had a pleasant chat with him.

The section men, while going north this morning, saw a man lying by the track near Bidwell's barns or side track. On examination they found it to be William Webster, the tailor, who appeared to be seriously injured as well as under the influence of liquor. They brought him to the council room and Dr. Tefft was called. He could not discover that there was any serious injury, though his condition is such as to make it impossible to judge what the outcome may be.

Last Monday morning, Prof. DeMotte gave a talk to the school pupils at the M. E. church. The scholars all marched from the different school buildings to the church, assembling there at nine o'clock a. m., and the Professor gave them a splendid lecture about an hour in length. The talk was designed more for the older pupils, but all could appreciate it and be benefited thereby. The main point which he exemplified was this: That success in life, or in any undertaking whatever, means sacrifice. There can be no permanent success without it. In the battle of life caprice must give way to capability, leisure must make way for labor, dissipation must be put under subjection to self discipline and sham must give way to sincerity. These points were developed in strong and beautiful language. The lecture made a profound impression upon all who heard it.

Those who attended the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning had the pleasure of hearing Prof. DeMotte. After being introduced the speaker said that he came to pay the debt of gratitude to his old friend, the pastor of the church. Continuing, he said he wished to talk about the python, and exhibited three python eggs. This python was the largest snake known and one of great power. It was one of the most beautiful of reptiles; when first hatched was perfectly harmless but with age and hunger it became the fiercest of all; a companionable fellow when satisfied but a formidable foe when hungry. He then spoke of the little habits as the little python, that through cultivation became the monster that scarcely none could destroy. The time to destroy the monster was when it was still in the egg; the time to destroy the habit was while it was still young and before it became the great monster that could easily destroy the man. He made a plea to the young to avoid the cultivation of thoughts and habits that in the end would be the python of death. He made a plea to the parent, in behalf of the children; pointing to God as the great and only remedy.

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PROGRAM.

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Dialogue.
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Music—Mr. and Mrs. B. Poucher.

An Open Letter To Carlisle.

George W. Pepperell is very active in political literature this year, and his series of Open Letters to prominent political leaders in the Arena is attracting as much attention and creating as much curiosity as anything that has appeared in periodical literature since the famous Arthur Richmond letters, which set the political world by the ears and all heads a-wagging some years ago. George W. Pepperell has the same acuteness of perception, the same directness and deftness of attack, the same long memory for political history inside and out, and the same mastery of all the facts of the important legislation of this country during the last twenty five years.

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Democratic Caucus.

The democratic caucus of the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, will be held at the council building, in the village of Tecumseh, in said township, on Thursday, March 21, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to place in nomination candidates to be supported at the annual township election to be held Monday, April 1st, 1895.

BY ORDER OF COM.

Caucus Notice.

The democrats of Macon will hold a caucus at Grange hall, on Saturday, March 23, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate a township ticket.

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Democratic Caucus.

A Democratic Caucus will be held at the townhouse in Raisin, on Thursday, March 21st, for the purpose of nominating a township ticket, and such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of committee.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DePuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron, and James Hendershot, defendants, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of section 13, Town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.75 chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 13; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O'Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 78 and 44-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 10 minutes west 15 and 2-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (Section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 82-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff,
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff,
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH, 15, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

For a Million to-night.

The pastor of St. Peter's preached in Christ church, Adrian, Wednesday evening.

C. H. Rude has gone to Taylorville, Ill., expecting to find work in a laundry there.

Miss Mina Olmsted, of Bay City, was called here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ira Fennock.

Henry McClure has been treating his store to a new spring dress of paint and paper, and it looks as neat as a new pin.

W. H. Crane, of Adrian, is offering a rare chance to anyone in search of onion and celery land. Read the notice elsewhere.

The Mich. Christian Endeavor Union will hold its ninth annual State convention at Bay City on the 26th, 27th and 28th of this month.

Daily Lenten services are held in St. Peter's church this week. The only change being the omission of the Saturday afternoon sevice.

A splendid farm, only two miles from Tecumseh, can be bought for just one half its cost if taken soon. Call at this office and learn full particulars.

Died, at New Albany, Indiana, March 7th, of pneumonia, at the age of forty-four, Geo. Everett. The remains arrived Monday last, and were placed in the vault.

Edward S. Pilbeam, of Chicago, who came out to attend his father's funeral, is spending a few days with friends in this vicinity. He expects to return next week.

Last Monday, A. W. Slayton paid the freight on a car load of oak lumber from Mississippi, to Detroit, $117.60. It will be made into picture moulding in Detroit, and then shipped to England.

Elizabetn Stuart Phelps, Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney, Rev. Robert Collyer, and Walter Besant are all going to tell in The Ladies' Home Journal of either the man or woman who most influenced their lives.

"Everywhere" is the name of Will Carleton's new literary venture. It is a monthly journal, and is an artistic gem, both editorially and typographically. The price is only fifty cents a year or in connection with the HERALD, $1.50. Sample copies can be procured at this office. Call and get one.

The Rev. Jos. F. Ewings, of Jonesville, exchanges with Rev. Mr. Blachford for next Sunday's services. The sermon by Mr. Ewings will be upon missionary work, and the offertory will go towards the Diocesan mission fund. Mr. Blachford conducts missionary work at Jonesville and Hillsdale.

Mrs. Robbins is not expected home until the last of this or the first of next week. On the adjournment of the council, she accepted an invitation from Mrs. Rachel Foster Avery, the retiring corresponding secretary, to spend ten days at her home at Somerton, Philadelphia, where she will meet Mrs. Dickson, the newly elected president, and Rev. Anna Shaw, vice president, and in the meantime familiarize herself with the duties of her office and secure a little needed rest.—Adrian Telegram.

The Forum for March will contain a special study of the successful systems of profit-sharing by two large manufacturing companies—the Proctor & Gamble Company, near Cincinnati, and the O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, near St. Louis. Mr. Frank W. Blackmar, of the University of Kansas, made a special investigation of the practical working of these profit-sharing concerns especially for The Forum. At both places, labor troubles are unknown, and are unknown even during the most pressed times.

For a Million to-night.

Bert Comfort and wife are visiting in Indiana.

Rev. J. P. Varner visited the county seat, Monday.

Remember the Chocolate Tea next Thursday evening.

Jud DaPuy of Detroit was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Alexander Richards was in Adrian on business, Wednesday.

James Montague made a business trip to Jackson, Monday.

Hastings Boyd, of Albion, made his relatives here a flying visit the first of the week.

The grippe is very prevalent now in this vicinity and there is much other sickness.

Al Heesen was up from Toledo, over Sunday, and made his people and old friends, flying calls.

Mrs. R. A. Heesen went to South Bend, Ind., last Monday for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. John Hughes and family entertained his son, Arthur, and wife, of Britton, over Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Gardner, of Toledo, occupied the Baptist pulpit last Sunday in exchange with the pastor.

Frank Davidson sold $1200. of stock and tools, for Richard Clarkson, Wednesday; pretty good for these times.

Will P. McAdam, of Clinton, is in Irve Clark's meat market, on west Chicago Street. We are glad to welcome Will among us.

Last evening Mrs. Aldrich was called upon by a number of her friends, and all had a pleasant time at her hospitable home.

Will Elliot, who is attending Cleary's Business College at Ypsilanti, spent the week with his people. He goes back Monday.

Mrs. W. W. Whiting went to Detroit Saturday, for a short visit with her sister, Mattie, who is going west on account of her health.

Mrs. Bice and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, March 20, from half past five to half past six o'clock.

I have a store filled with A 1 blocks and tools for the business, which I wish to rent for a meat market.
C. M. DICKINSON.

One need not become a "Cook Tourist" to behold the grandeur and sublimity of ancient art—at the Opera House, March 28. Admission ten cents.

Mrs. Charles Eagan and daughter, visited Adrian friends last week. Charles went down Saturday afternoon, and they all returned together Monday night.

Mrs. Dora Clark, after a short visit with friends here, returned to Toledo, Saturday last, to resume her duties in Lasalle Brothers & Cook's dry goods emporium, on Summit Street, where she holds a fine position.

After two years of study in Grecian and Roman Art, the ladies of the Monday Club are prepared to give you the rare treat of an illustrated lecture upon ancient and modern European art. Admission ten cents: date, March 28th: place Opera House.

Surprises are now in order among the G. A. R. and W. R. C. Last week Thos. Hanley and wife were called upon by their good friends and a delightful evening of innocent merriment was enjoyed by all, after which the company dispersed at a seasonable hour. Many wishes were expressed that Thomas and his wife may live 15 more years in their pleasant home.

At the annual election of the Womans' Christian Temperance Union the following officers were chosen:

Mrs. A. B. Smith, President.
" G. W. Jackson, Rec. Secretary.
" Charles Blood, Cor. "
" J. Heck, Treasurer,
" L. M. Kellogg, 1st Vice Pres.
" M. C. Wood, 2d " "
" Hamilton, 3d " "
" William Ide, 4th " "

The glass-blowers, who are giving their exhibition in the Mills block this week, surpass all similar exhibitions given in this city. They are way ahead of the glass blowers who were in the armory hall last winter. They are open both afternoon and evening the rest of the week. On Saturday evening they will give away a beautiful present to the one holding the lucky number. Save your coupons. A present is given to each person attending the entertainment.

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Our sportsmen had been quietly and systematically preparing for a fox hunt that would fill the hearts of such hunters as Will VanAntwerp with envy. They planned for a three day's hunt and secured a guide from the west, known as Red Wolf. Tuesday morning of last week, bright and early, with guide and fox hounds. E. M. Coller, J. C. Eccles and J. J. Freeman started for the Lakes. They found plenty of tracks and their spirits were raised to the highest pitch. They traversed the country o'er and o'er, in every direction, and finally saw a real live fox. Whether it was chained in a door-yard or was running wild, our informant did not say. It is said that Coller got a shot at it, so it must have been loose. He no doubt hit it in its most vital part, but the fox did not realize that he was dead, so they failed to secure it. They returned home Thursday night feeling they had no fox, but they had the experience, which was something. Try it again boys. Success will surely crown your efforts sooner or later.

For a Million to-night.

Thos. L. Rogers went to Jackson Monday.

For a Million will be repeated this evening.

Bert Garlinghouse was in Adrian Tuesday.

E. C. Smith, of Toledo, was in town over Sunday.

A. D. Hall was an Adrian visitor Wednesday.

Chas. Burridge went to Detroit on business Wednesday.

W. C. Burridge was in Adrian Wednesday on business.

The mercury almost touched the zero mark yesterday morning.

Wm. Smith is on the sick list with grip and an ulcerated jaw.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton is spending a day or two in Detroit this week.

If you didn't see "For a Million" last night, be sure and go this evening.

We have two obituary notices in hand which are crowded over until next week.

Eugene Hodges and Ed. Mc Kinney made a business trip to Deerfield Wednesday.

Lew Waldron went to Hudson Wednesday in the interest of his windmill business.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist Church, will have for his subject next Sunday night: "Infidelity".

Those who are entitled to a copy of our souvenir Echoes, can obtain one now, by calling at this office.

The members of the Friends Church convene at the home of Mrs. Hall this evening, March 15 th, for a social time. All welcome.

Walter Burnett, who is attending college at Albion, was honored last week Thursday, with a license to preach. We congratulate him.

Mrs. Richard Ford arrived in town last Wednesday from Duluth, and expects to remain with friends here for several months. She left Mr. Darling's people all well.

A young farmer with a few hundred dollars to spare can buy a good farm and home near this village, at a bankrupt price now. A chance of a lifetime. Call at this office for further information.

Mrs. E. G. Wilson, wife of Sheriff Wilson, died at her home in Raisin Wednesday afternoon. The funeral was held at the Friends church in Raisin Center this forenoon, Rev. Levi C. Chase officiating.

Wanted—At this office the address of following names: William Mound, M. C. Edwards, Jas. Payne, Ed. Pawson, Fred. Tissman, G.E. Russell. Any one knowing the address of any of the above persons will confer a favor by leaving same at this office.

Yesterday, while casting in Heesen Bros' foundry, John Linton had the misfortune to have his eyes burned quite seriously by red hot iron flying into them; one eye pains him quite badly; he is liable to lay off for a few days.

The young people of the M. E. church will give a maple syrup social Friday evening, March 22. Will serve supper from 5:30 to 7, and from 8 to 9:30. From 7 to 8 o'clock will be spent in a debate. Subject: Woman's suffrage. Aff.—Rev. J. P. Varner, B. C. Day, Grace Burnett, Neg.—Peter S. McKinnon, C. B. Hurry, Mary Eaton. Supper 10cts.

While at Toledo the other day on business, we made a brief call at Allen & Parkhurst's establishment at 337 Superior St. They are dealers in wall paper and all kinds of interior decorations and carry a fine stock. Mr. Richard V. Wilson, an old Tecumseh boy, is now a fixture in this house and is evidently doing well. When Tecumseh people go to Toledo they should call there and look over the establishment.

Monday morning, Arthur, son of Warren Miller, of Macon, had been to Heck's mill, and, as he was driving away, some boys, on their way to school, called out "whoa," and the horse being well trained to the word, stopped. Arthur, expecting to be guyed by the boys, reached for the whip and struck the horse; it being a spirited animal, would not stand that, and started out violently, Arthur soon found he had lost control of the horse, owing to his hands being fairly numb from the cold. The horse in turning south by Williamson's store, ran into a barrel, the buggy tipped and Miller was thrown into the ditch and his head badly cut. The horse was caught in the south part of town. It is almost a wonder that the young man was not killed instantly.

Last week Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. F. Allen, of Toledo, entertained a large number of their friends at their home, 17 Melrose Ave. The evening was spent in rare amusement, amid games of all sorts. An elegant supper was enjoyed shortly before midnight after which followed a musical entertainment, fitting the occasion. Friends and relatives from Tecumseh, Tipton and Ridgeway were present and all joined in an expression of having passed an extremely pleasant evening. The occasion was in lieu of a surprise which was planned to have been given Mrs. Allen, on her birthday, but was prevented by the sudden and severe illness of a member of the family. Mrs. Allen's favoritism is in a slight manner manifested by her friends presenting her with a handsome parlor lamp and numerous other articles and the number of attendants tested the capacity of their spacious and elegant home.

G. J. Richardson spent last Sunday, with his family at Adrian.

The Board of Supervisors are holding their final session of the year, this week.

We just learned that Mrs. Samuel Kniffin, of Britton, is dead, and the funeral will be held at the church in Britton to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. She was an aunt of Frank J. Temple.

Married, in Morenci, Monday evening, at the residence of the groom's brother, George Codling, Mr. Robert Codling and Mrs. Hattie Wells, both of this place. The newly married couple returned Wednesday evening, and are nicely situated in their own home, which was all ready to receive them.

A paper that will attract a wide circle of readers is Frances E. Willard's strong plea for "Scientific Temperance Instruction in the Public Schools" in the Arena for March. The world-wide reputation of the famous temperance and woman's advocate insures a great audience for everything she writes, and her opinions always command respect.

The friends and relatives of Nellie Wood around Tecumseh and Raisin will be glad to learn that she won the Indiana intercollegiate oratorical contest held at Indianapolis, Friday, Mar. 8. Her oration was beyond the ordinary college oration. Her delivery was so perfect and earnest that she held the audience completely. Five out of six of the judges awarded her first place.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. Levi B. Thompson, on Wednesday evening, March 13. The parties most interested were Mr. Joseph B. Vanness and Miss Lizzie S. Thompson. Rev. J. P. Varner officiated in the presence of many friends, after which refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Vanness were the recipients of a number of presents which were both ornamental and useful. They will settle in their own home at once. Success to them.

The lunar eclipse came off last Sunday evening, exactly according to previous announcement. The fore part of the evening was slightly hazy, but the latter part of the eclipse was very distinctly seen here. At the University observatory at Ann Arbor, Prof. Hall took the observations, and while they were of a general character and done to obtain no special result, his remarks are of local interest. In speaking of the matter, he said that from an astronomical point of view, a lunar eclipse did not amount to much. It is only noted for the purpose of observing the moon's passage over small stars which cannot be seen at all when near the moon except at such a time. Observations of these star occulations made at different parts of the earth, furnish the best possible data for computing the dimensions of the moon, its parallax and for determining its precise position in its orbit at the time of observation.

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TO SUCCEED BURROWS.

Congressional Candidate Named in the Third District.

KALAMAZOO, March 8.—Lieut. Gov. Milnes was nominated on the 114th ballot in the Third district republican congressional convention here Thursday as a candidate to succeed J. C. Burrows. From the fifth to the 113th ballot the voting stood as follows: Gardner—Calhoun, 4; Hillsdale, 12; Kalamazoo, 11. Smith—Eaton, 14; Hillsdale, 1; Kalamazoo, 4. Milnes—Branch, 11; Clapp—Calhoun, 12. On the 113th ballot the Hillsdale men voting for Gardner flopped to Smith. On the 113th the Clapp men swung to Smith. Then there was a recess of an hour. Conferences took place and as a result all the Gardner men, except two from Kalamazoo county, swung to Milnes, giving just enough votes to nominate. The last ballot was as follows: Milnes—Branch, 31; Calhoun, 4; Hillsdale, 11; Kalamazoo, 9; total, 55. Smith—Calhoun, 12; Eaton, 14; Hillsdale, 2; Kalamazoo, 6; total, 34.

BATTLE CREEK, March 8.—The Third district congressional convention of free silver men, held here Thursday afternoon, was captured by prohibitionists, who, under the leadership of A. C. Wisner, of Athens, came in with force enough to indorse A. M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, already nominated on the populist ticket.

KALAMAZOO, March 9.—The Third district democratic congressional convention met here Friday and nominated P. H. Gilkey, of Richland, as its candidate for congress to succeed Julius C. Burrows, recently elected United States senator.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

It Affects 68,000 Acres of Valuable Land in the Upper Peninsula.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12.—The secretary of the interior has decided a case involving about 68,000 acres of land located in the upper peninsula of Michigan near Lake Superior and valued at between $100,000 and $150,000. A resume of the case is as follows:

By a grant of 500,000 acres of land was made by the government in 1856 to the state of Michigan for the benefit of Portage Lake and Lake Superior Ship Canal company, now owned by the Wakeena limited, a corporation. The grant was settled by patenting to the company the amount called for in the grant. Certain persons desired to file Porterfield scrip upon some of these lands patented to the company, and their applications being refused because patents were issued to the same lands, petition was filed asking the secretary of the interior to recommend to the attorney general of the United States that suit be brought to set aside the adjudication, cancellation of certain patents of these lands. The commissioner of the general land office recommended that such suit be brought. The principal point in the petition was that the lands applied for, including the 68,000 acres, were of mineral character and the act making the grant provided for non-mineral lands only to be patented to the company.

The secretary, in disposing of the matter, did not concur with the commissioner of the general land office holding as the principal point of his decision that Oliver H. Browning, a former secretary of the interior, had practically decided that the lands certified were not as a fact mineral lands and refused to disturb Secretary Browning's decision upon a question in fact.

LUMBER STATISTICS.

Michigan Manufactured 2,730,657,864 Feet in 1894.

SAGINAW, March 11.—The output of Michigan lumber for 1894 was 2,730,657,864 in round numbers, 117,000,000 less than the output in 1893, and 1,000,000,000 feet less than the output of 1892. At the close of the season there was in manufacturers' hands 1,215,107,869 feet, being only 33,000,000 feet less than the quantity on hand at the close of 1893. At the close of 1892 there was only 857,000,000 feet on hand. The decrease in output and increase in stocks on hand is due chiefly to the business depression of the last two years which has paralyzed nearly every industry in the land, lumber being particularly affected.

The shingle output in the state of Michigan during 1894 was 1,646,929,000 pieces, and at the close of the season there was on hand 454,017,000 pieces. The output was 209,000,000 pieces less than for 1893 and the stock on hand was 100,000,000 more than at the close of 1893. The price of the lumber product averaged about $2.50 per 1,000 feet less in 1894 than in 1892.

An Awful Affair.

DETROIT, March 10.—William Abbott, farmer, aged 50 years, was run over and fatally injured by a train on the Lake Erie road, east of Windsor, Saturday morning. He died later. Abbott had been ill with fever. During the night he became delirious, arose and donning a pair of drawers fled, across the fields. The engineer saw a half-naked man on the track, but instead of getting out of the way Abbott deliberately lay down and the train passed over him.

Claims He Was Hypnotized.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 8.—Peter Blanksma, of Walker, Thursday morning set up a unique defense in the police court where he was arraigned on a charge of nonsupport. Blanksma married a pretty Wyoming township girl last January, and after two days of married life he left her. He now declares that he was hypnotized by the girl and will try to have the marriage annulled on that ground.

Christian Endeavor Papers Read.

DECATUR, March 10.—Saturday was Christian Endeavor day at the meeting of the Michigan Christian Missionary association, the reading of papers occupying the time. During the afternoon session the topic, "Should Ministers Discuss Questions Which Agitate the Public Mind?" was discussed. Rev. J. Moore, of Dowagiac, delivered an address at night.

Daylight Soon to Be Tried.

LANSING, March 11.—August W. Lindholm, ex-deputy secretary of state, will be tried at this term of court. Frank A. Potter and George B. Warren, indicted by the grand jury on a charge of complicity in the salary amendment frauds, will also be tried.

Fruit Prospects Bright.

PENNVILLE, March 12.—The prospect for a fruit crop in this portion of the fruit belt was never better, the severely cold weather having done no damage as yet, and in consequence the farmers are correspondingly jubilant.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., March 8.—The senate on Thursday passed the bill appropriating $6,000 to provide for eight inspectors of factories. The bill making it lawful to shoot deer in any section of the state only from November 15 to November 30 was also passed. The senate committee on labor made a favorable report on the bill recommended by Gov. Rich as a solution of disputes between capital and labor. The bill provides for the incorporation of labor organizations so that they may sue and be sued, and thus settle their difficulties as other corporations do.

LANSING, Mich., March 9.—The senate judiciary committee on Friday reported adversely upon the house resolution for a general increase of salaries for state officers. Favorable committee reports were made on bills appropriating $120,000 for additional buildings at the home for the feeble-minded; appropriating $170,000 for the soldiers' home; appropriating $22,000 for the state fish commission, and providing for local option on the local traffic by the vote of cities, villages and townships, instead of by county, as now.

LANSING, Mich., March 12.—The senate on Tuesday passed bills appropriating $73,702.69 for the fish commission, for the submission of a constitutional amendment increasing the salaries of state officers, for the purchase and display of United States flags on all schoolhouses of the state. The appointments of F. Hart Smith, of Hillsdale, as a member of the board of control of the Jackson prison, and of Albert C. Schumaker, of Ann Arbor, as a member of the state board of pharmacy for five years, were confirmed.

House.

LANSING, Mich., March 8.—Bills passed the house Thursday authorizing the city of Menominee to build a bridge across the Menominee river, and authorizing women to act as trustees of Baptist churches. Bills abolishing days of grace on commercial paper and providing for an examination and reappraisement of all state lands were killed. A bill was passed requiring nurses and midwives to report any inflammation of the eyes of children under 2 weeks old. Oculists say 25 per cent of the blindness among children can be avoided if these defects are treated at the proper time.

LANSING, Mich., March 9.—In the committee of the whole the house Friday agreed to bills providing for the return of any bonus that may have been paid to corporations for locating at a given point in case they abandon the locality, and for the purchase and display of United States flags on all public schoolhouses. The Campbell bill providing that before any corporation can do business in Michigan the entire amount of the authorized capital must be subscribed and 25 per cent thereof actually paid in was opposed by the upper peninsula delegation, who asserted that it would drive vast numbers of Michigan corporations into other states. No conclusion was reached and the bill will come up again next week.

LANSING, Mich., March 12.—Bills were passed in the house Monday empowering the regents of the university to hold land in perpetual trust for that institution, and also providing for the depositing by the regents with the state treasurer of whatever cash bequests may be made the university and the payment by the state of whatever interest that money may earn from year to year. The bill appropriating $4,000 for continuing the reconciliation of the records of the adjutant general's office also passed. The legislators will, by invitation visit the university at Ann Arbor on March 22.

LANSING, Mich., March 13.—A bill passed the house Tuesday providing that staff officers in the national guard shall have had three years' service in the state or national troops. The Partridge bill providing that in all cities having a population of over 50,000 all canvasses of the respective parties shall be held at the same hour in all precincts was passed. If there is doubt that any party participating in the caucus is an adherent of the party the bill provides that he may be sworn as to his purpose to support the nominee at the polls.

ENRICHED BY THEFT.

Plot to Rob Freight Cars Unearthed at Detroit.

DETROIT, March 9.—Detective Hunt, of the Wabash railroad, has unearthed a plot to steal from the freight cars of the road, and has arrested Charles Bromiski and August Brammowski, of Springwells, who live near the Wabash tracks. These men have long been suspected of plundering the railroads of thousands of dollars' worth of freight every year. Hunt caught them both opening a freight car Monday night. After their arrest he made a search of Bromiski's premises and found that a subterranean passage had been constructed, leading from the embankment at the track near Bromiski's house to the cellar of his barn. The barn had no appearance of having a cellar, the trap door which led to it being cleverly concealed. In the cellar he found all kinds of plunder, from barrels of flour and sacks of coffee to raisins, boxes of soap and small parcels. Bromiski has been in the habit of driving into the country very often and selling the stolen groceries to the farmers much below market price. Bromiski's business ostensibly was to sell and buy rags. He and Brammowski have both become well-to-do from their stealings.

MICHIGAN CROPS.

Their Condition as Shown in the March Report.

LANSING, March 9.—In the March crop report Secretary of State Gardner says:

"Practically all of the Michigan wheat crop of 1894 has been consumed. The crop was estimated at 21,627,649 bushels. The amount used for seed, for bread by farmers, and the amount reported sold to date together with the amount estimated as fed to stock, which is 22 per cent of the crop, aggregates 21,053,618 bushels, leaving only 574,031 bushels on hand. In this calculation only sales actually reported are included. The sales in February and previous months not yet reported will wipe out all of the balance noted. All future deliveries by farmers must come from reserves from previous crops. In condition live stock averages from five to seven points below a full average, comparison being with stock in good, healthy and thrifty condition."

Plan of Michigan Lumbermen.

MUSKEGON, March 12.—A meeting of a syndicate of western Michigan lumbermen was held here to plan for gigantic lumbering operations, the first step of which will be the purchase of several thousand acres of pine lands on Georgian bay, Ont., the logs to be towed to Muskegon for sawing.

Seven Hundred New Citizens.

MARQUETTE, March 10.—Nearly 700 persons on Friday came down from Ishpeming, Negaunee and other mining locations to take oaths so as to be able to vote in the coming municipal elections next month. Mining captains appeared as witnesses for applicants.

Teachers to Take a Trip.

ANN ARBOR, March 11.—Superintendent W. S. Perry, of the Ann Arbor schools, will manage the delegation of Michigan teachers who propose to attend the national teachers' convention in Denver next July. They will leave July 6.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Various Localities.

A new opera house is to be erected at Wayland.

Mrs. H. Hungerford, for nearly fifty years a resident of Spring Lake, is dead.

Detroit preachers have inaugurated a movement for the evangelization of Jews.

By the death of an uncle in California R. F. Davis, of Minden, inherits $35,000.

The monthly product of the Snyder & Straub candy factory at Muskegon is 50,000 pounds.

Petoskey Christians have pledged $1,000 in aid of the Young Men's Christian association.

A convention of delegates from Michigan woman's clubs will be held at Lansing March 20.

The state school for the blind has received an average of two new pupils per week since January 1.

Jacob Bruta, an Austrian trainman, was killed in the Tamarack mine at Calumet by a fall of rock.

James B. Thorn has planted 15,000 brook trout from the state hatchery in Hillsdale and Britton creeks.

Will Pelsch, a young farmer 3 miles east of Petoskey, was crushed under a load of logs and instantly killed.

Ed Dodge, of Montague, has been appointed collector of customs for the port of that town and Whitehall.

John L. Clark, of Muskegon, wanted at Sacramento, Cal., for bigamy, is found to have at least four wives.

Among the candidates for department commander of the Michigan G. A. R. is Gen. T. C. Smith, of Grand Rapids.

Charles Cottenham, while rabbit hunting near Houghton lake, killed a bear that tipped 485 pounds when dressed.

The post office department has ordered the mail route from Grand Rapids to South Grand Rapids to be discontinued.

Internal Revenue Collector Totten, of Saginaw, says there are 300 persons and 100 corporations in his district liable to the income tax.

There will be a teachers' rally and inspiration institute in Allegan March 21 and 22. State Superintendent H. R. Pattingill will conduct it.

The hearing in the mandamus case of Gen. William Shakespeare vs. Commissioner of Pensions Lochren will occur in Washington March 18.

The colored citizens of Grand Rapids will hold appropriate services in memory of the late Fred Douglass in the Lincoln club rooms on Wednesday, March 20.

Cattle near Central Lake are dying from a mysterious disease. Their lungs are shriveled away to a small bunch, and they die within a day of being attacked.

Miss Maggie A. Cash has recovered damages from the city of Lansing in the sum of $1,500 for injuries received through a defective sidewalk nearly two years ago.

Vernon, Ontario, is the place selected by Fr. Paradis for the location of his Michigan colony. He claims that he will locate 3,727 people from the vicinity of Lake Linden.

Moses Lightner, of Muskegon, committed suicide at Grand Rapids, by taking carbolic acid. He was out of work and despondent, and this is supposed to have been the cause of his act.

A strong effort is being made to have the sentence of Henry Prame, convicted of complicity in the murder of Mrs. McKendrick at Grand Rapids, commuted from life imprisonment to ten or fifteen years, on the ground that Prame was led into the crime through the influence of Charles Macard, convicted of being the principal in the murder.

Daily Chapel Service Abandoned.

ANN ARBOR, March 13.—The long-expected vesper services were inaugurated in University hall at 4 o'clock Tuesday. President Angell conducted the service and Prof. Stanley was at the organ, assisted by a large chorus. Fifteen hundred students were in attendance. The service, which hereafter will be held every Tuesday and Thursday in University hall, is designed in place of daily chapel exercises, which were slimly attended.

A. P. A. Convention.

SAGINAW, March 13.—The Michigan branch of the American Protective association is holding a convention here, about 200 delegates being present, including the state officers. The question of a political party was discussed at some length, but it was decided that it was a matter that came under the jurisdiction of the supreme council, which meets at Milwaukee next May.

To Be Sold Under Foreclosure.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 13.—A decree for $263,576 given Tuesday against the Frankfort & Southwestern railroad in favor of Albert C. Hall, of New York, as trustee for the bondholders. The sale under foreclosure will be held March 27. The road is about 35 miles long, extending southeast from Frankfort.

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There are facts which every woman should know and should teach her daughters, but which many never learn because they have no trustworthy teacher, and don't know where to find one. To supply this want the Zoa-Phora Medicine Company, at Kalamazoo, Mich., publishes a book on Diseases of Women and Children, well illustrated, easily understood. Every woman, or girl above 15 years, should read it. For the purpose of advertising they will, on receipt of 10 cts. to cover cost of mailing, send a pamphlet edition, in sealed envelope to any lady (and to ladies only) who desires it.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James L. Remington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of George Howell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that he may be discharged from his trust as executor, and for such other order and decree as to the terms and conditions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of April, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 9th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Fillman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Daniel T. Hall and Simon Gould praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Petitioners, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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In the matter of the estate of Robert Service, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Service, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, that she is now ready to close said estate and render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

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APRIL IN IRELAND.

She hath a woven garland all of the sighing sedge,
And all her flowers are snowdrops grown on the winter's edge.
The golden looms of Tir na n'Og wove all the winter through
Her gown of mist and raindrops shot with a cloudy blue.

Sunlight she holds in one hand, and rain she scatters after,
And through the rainy twilight we hear her fitful laughter.
She shakes down on her flowers the snow less white than they,
Then quickens with her kisses the folded knots of May.

She seeks the summer lever that never shall be hers,
Pale for gold leaves of autumn she passes by the furze;
Though buried gold it hideth, she scorns her sedge crown,
And pressing blindly sunward she treads her snowdrops down.

Her gifts are all a larder of wayward smiles and tears,
Yet hope she also holdeth, this daughter of the years—
A hope that blossoms faintly set upon sorrow's edge
She hath a woven garland all of the sighing sedge.

—Nora Hopper.

A NIGHT THIEF.

There was a large party at the Chateau de Kerdall, near Vannes. The Marquis de Kerdall and his young wife had just returned from a tour of the world on their yacht, during which they had paid flying visits to Africa, America and Oceanica, and they had celebrated their home coming by gathering together all their friends and relatives at their beautiful country house.

Among the guests was old Dr. Cornabue, an illustrious member of the Academy of Metaphysical Sciences, so original, so absentminded, so venerable in his blond peruke and his costume of the fashion of 1850. Then there was Mme. de Lartigues, an old school friend of the marquise, a brilliant and coquettish Parisienne. And there was Miss Hawthorne, an English maiden lady with youthful propensities. And there were many others, all of whom found plenty of amusement to their hearts' content at Kerdall.

Outside of the ordinary pleasures of life there were some unusual attractions. In the first place the host and hostess had seen and experienced so much that was novel and startling that their conversation was always fascinating. Then the rooms of the castle constituted a veritable museum, being stocked with rare and curious objects from two continents. And finally a manageric had been created in one corner of the park and stocked with the various animals which M. de Kerdall had picked up during the voyage and brought back to France for purposes of acclimatization. There were gazelles, antelopes, Tibet goats, Nile ibises, rose flamingoes, opossums, beavers and an Asiatic ape of the mandrill species, as mild as a lamb, but as mischievous as all his kind. An iron lattice cage had been built for him close to the conservatory.

As will be seen, the Chateau de Kerdall was a veritable Eden, but this fact did not prevent little Mme. de Lartigues from dreading the isolated position of the place among the wide expanse of woods and fields.

"I should be afraid to live here all the year round," she said.

"Afraid of what, my dear?" asked the marquise.

"Oh, of robbers. They would fairly revel here."

Robbers! In this mansion filled to the eaves with guests and servants! Everybody mocked at the young woman, and old Dr. Cornabue told horrible stories about burglars and assassins until Mme. de Lartigues, ashamed of her chimerical fears, was the first to laugh, and when the retiring hour came she mounted to her sleeping apartment on the second floor, supplied with a goodly stock of heroism. Within a short time all the occupants of the chateau were in the land of dreams.

How long Mme. de Lartigues slept she knew not. She was awakened by a rattling at her window, which she had left half open on account of the heat.

What was her terror when in the feeble starlight she saw a form climbing noiselessly through the window. She tried to scream, but her throat was parched with fright, and she could not utter a sound.

The man had entered the chamber. Then the poor woman hastily buried her head beneath the bedclothing. Half dead with fear, she could hear her nocturnal visitor going and coming across the carpet with muffled steps. It seemed as though he must have removed his shoes in order to tread softly. Bathed with cold perspiration and her teeth chattering she awaited the mortal blow from the invader. But it did not come.

After about a quarter of an hour she timidly peeped out. She could see and hear nothing. Slightly reassured, she recovered the use of her voice and started a series of shrieks, so sharp, piercing and terrible that in an instant the entire chateau was turned topsy turvy. Everybody rushed into her chamber with lights in their hands, M. and Mme. de Kerdall at the head.

"What is it? What's the matter?" they cried.

She recounted her horrible vision. They would not believe her. She had been dreaming. Who could have climbed into this chamber, so high above the ground, without a ladder?

"Did you see him plainly?" asked the marquis, with a touch of suspicion in his voice.

"As plainly as I see you, and it even seemed"— She hesitated.

"What!"

"It seemed as though I could recognize Dr. Corabue in his blond wig and redingote."

Everybody laughed. What! Dr. Cornabue! A man of his age and character scaling windows at midnight! It was certain now that Mme. de Lartigues had been dreaming. They tried to dissipate her fear, and she was just about to persuade herself that she had been the victim of an hallucination when she happened to cast her eyes upon the bureau, where she had left her jewels.

They were gone! It had truly been a robber!

The laughing suddenly ceased, and they looked at one another in consternation.

All at once another cry was heard, a piercing shriek coming through the stillness of the night. It appeared to emanate from Miss Hawthorne's chamber. There was a rush for her apartment, and the English lady was found standing in the middle of the room, with frightened eyes.

"There, there!" she cried, pointing to the window. "A man! He escaped, but I recognized him."

"Who was it?"

"Dr. Cornabue!"

The doctor again! This time nobody laughed. Cornabue was looked for among the persons who had been attracted by the excitement, but he was not there. He was the only occupant of the chateau who was missing.

"Come, let us go to the doctor's room," said the marquis, knitting his brows. "He will doubtless solve the mystery for us."

All followed Kerdall, the men half dressed, the women in their white night robes, all carrying candles—a weird procession. Upon the entrance of the crowd, the doctor hurriedly wrapped himself in the bedclothes, his wrinkled countenance alone being visible over the top, and this convulsed by anger into a comical grimace. The candle light was reflected from his bald pate, which shone like old ivory.

"Is this some ill timed joke?" he stormed. "What is going on? Is the chateau on fire? I heard a terrible outcry and was about to inquire into it."

"You must come and join us, doctor," said Kerdall.

"And how shall I do it?" cried the doctor furiously. "Some rascal has run off with my clothing, and in exchange has left me this," and he savagely hurled a white object into the middle of the room.

"My corsets!" murmured Miss Hawthorne, modestly lowering her eyes.

"And this!" continued the doctor, wildly brandishing another article.

"My hat!" cried Mme. de Lartigues. "This raillery passes all bounds," howled the doctor, whose shining head, with one final grimace, ducked beneath the bedclothing, like the clown going through a trapdoor in the marionette theater.

They knew not what to think. The mystery was growing more complicated. It certainly looked as though a robber had entered the chateau—perhaps a whole band of burglars and assassins. Mme. de Lartigues imagined a troop of brigands armed to the teeth.

"Let us hope they have no guns," said the marquis, to raise the hopes of his guests.

There was no echo to the pleasantry. Suddenly a strange sound was heard coming from the ground floor. It was certainly the piano in the reception salon, but it was surely being played by goblin fingers, and so furiously that it seemed as though the keys must be broken.

"This is too much!" cried the marquis, rushing toward the staircase, with all the crowd, except Dr. Cornabue, close behind him.

They hastily penetrated the salon. It was empty. The mysterious visitor was gone, but he could not be far away. The crash of china and glass announced his presence in the dining room. Everybody rushed thither, and the marquis, who was in the lead, dimly saw a form escaping through the window into the garden.

"This time we've got him!" he cried.

The men seized guns and knives from a hunting rack in the vestibule and started across the garden and park in pursuit of the fugitive, while the women barricaded themselves in the salon and anxiously awaited the result of the chase. It was about an hour later, in the uncertain light which precedes the rising of the sun, that a servant discovered the mysterious stranger ensconced among the branches of a large oak. At his call the marquis and his guests hastened to the spot.

"Come down!" commanded M. de Kerdall, but the bandit only settled himself deeper among the foliage and made no response.

"Come down, or I will shoot!"

And, as there was still no reply, he lifted his gun and already had his finger upon the trigger when the domestic hurriedly pulled his arm and said:

"Do not fire, monsieur. It is Dr. Cornabue!"

And, sure enough, the blond wig and long redingote could now be seen among the leaves. But at this moment the first ray of sunlight gleamed in from the east, and the oak was illuminated. The marquis suddenly broke into a fit of explosive laughter and, as his guests gazed up into the tree they could not keep from following his example.

"The ape!"

Everything was explained. The animal had escaped from his cage the previous evening and had managed to effect an entrance into the chateau. Animated by his instinct of imitation, he had first attired himself in the doctor's effects and then wandered over the house at his own free will. He was put back into his prison after some little trouble, and at breakfast the party enjoyed a hearty laugh at the adventures of the night.

But Dr. Cornabue did not appear at the table. He left the chatean at an early hour, furious and without taking leave. Since this episode he has never set foot at Kerdall, and he has never lost a feeling of deep antipathy to Mme de Lartigues and Miss Hawthorne.

"How could they have mixed me up with a monkey?" he wants to know.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Japanese shops are never large, scarcely more than little alcoves open from the street. There is nothing corresponding to our general store in Japan.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning March 17. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Sin Offering.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Lev. iv, 1-7; Heb. ix, 1-14; Heb. x, 5-12.

The sin offering was the most important of all the sacrifices prescribed in the Mosaic ritual. They were not to be omitted even on festive occasions like the Passover, Pentecost and Feast of Tabernacles. But there was nothing joyous about it. Rather it represented a terrible necessity. Considerable similarity existed between the trespass offering and the sin offering, yet they were distinct in meaning and manner of observance. The first was to atone for certain particular wrongs committed, and the animal sacrificed was a ram. The sin offering made atonement for the person of the offender as a sinner rather than for a special offense. This sacrifice was never a ram, but in the case of a priest or the offering for the whole congregation it was a young bullock. For a ruler it was a male kid of the goats. One of the common people might bring a female kid or lamb. If too poor to bring these, two turtledoves or two young pigeons or an offering of sifted flour was accepted. No oil or frankincense was to be offered with this sacrifice. When presented for the congregation or a priest, some of the blood was to be brought into the holy place and sprinkled before the veil of the most holy place, and also put on the horns of the golden altar of incense. The remainder was poured at the bottom of the brazen altar. The fat, kidneys and caul were burned on the brazen altar. All the rest of the animal was burned outside the camp or city in the place where the ashes from the altar were placed. When the offering was made for a ruler or one of the common people, the priest performing the service was to sprinkle the blood on the horns of the brazen altar and to eat the animal in the court of tabernacle or temple. Probably this was to give assurance to the offerer of the acceptance of his sacrifice by God, who would not have allowed it to be eaten if the sin was not pardoned. On the great day of atonement the high priest entered the most holy place and sprinkled the blood of the sin offerings for himself and the congregation upon and before the mercy seat.

All types are fulfilled in Jesus, our sin offering, since "by his own blood he entered in once into the holy place, having obtained eternal redemption for us." Again: "The bodies of those beasts whose blood is brought into the sanctuary by the high priest for sin are burned without the camp. Therefore Jesus also, that he might sanctify the people with his own blood, suffered without the gate." With special force then comes the exhortation, "Let us go forth, therefore, unto him without the camp bearing his reproach. For here have we no continuing city, but we seek one to come."

Enthusiasm of Numbers.

There is oftentimes an inspiration in numbers. A sense of power and consciousness of companionship is imparted, courage is strengthened and determination fixed. We hail with gladness the indications apparent on every hand that the young people of the church of Jesus are awake and banding together for aggressive work. The international convention of the Christian Endeavor society to be held in Boston in June will be a notable gathering. The magnificent building of Mechanics' hall will be supplemented by two mammoth tents, and ample provision will be made for an immense throng. The Chattanooga convention of the Epworth League will be equally important in the interests of the kingdom of God within the bounds of Methodism. The crowds may not be so large perhaps, but mighty results will unquestionably follow both gatherings.

Christ In All.

The general subject for study during the first quarter of the year is Christ and his work as symbolized in the worship of the Jewish tabernacle and temple. The minute details of construction of the various parts and their furnishings, with the directions for proper performance of the elaborate ritual of sacrifice, lose all tediousness and become wondrously fascinating when once the thought is fully grasped of their spiritual significance. The book of Hebrews is the key to the treasures hidden in Exodus and Leviticus. Christ the high priest and sacrifice for sin is the central truth of both the Jewish and Christian systems, symbolically set forth in the first, fully revealed in the second.

Vermont Gets It.

The annual convention of the first general district has always been well attended and deeply interesting. It has been held in Boston, Providence, Portland, Worcester, Plymouth, Mass., and Manchester, N. H. Strong appeals were made by the Leagues of Taunton, Mass., and St. Johnsbury, Vt., for the next session in October, 1895, to be held with them. After careful consideration the cabinet decided to appoint it at the latter place. No great gathering of the League has ever been held in that state, and it is hoped this meeting will give fresh impetus to the cause.

Philosophy Not Religion.

Dr Sendder says that at the parliament of religions in Chicago no oriental religion save that of Zoroaster was represented. The systems of philosophy there discussed are no more representative of the religions of the east than are the systems of Hegel and Herbert Spencer of the religions of Germany and England.

Temperance Work.

The most encouraging feature of this greatest reform of the age lies in the zeal with which the young people's societies enter into the work. Total abstinence is generally the rule. Prohibition of the saloon is their aim. The promise for sobriety among the people was never so great as at present.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Rl hard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jacob Totten, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Bartley Griffin, of Dover, Lenawee county, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 2d day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west, parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Arzolette Osgood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah L. Green, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DeFuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Hendershot, defendants, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of Section 13, Town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.73 chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 13; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 8-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 18 and 44-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 30 minutes west 15 and 2-10 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (Section) line to place of beginning, containing 32 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 21, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff,
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of March, 1895, and on the 3d day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 14, 1895.

JOHN THURLBY,
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Norvell	6 37 "	2 36 "	8 23 "
Manchester	6 45 "	2 45 "	8 33 "
Clinton	6 56 "	2 56 "	8 46 "
Tecumseh	7 03 "	3 03 "	8 55 "
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Manchester	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
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8 20	7 45	1 21	Marshall	11 36	12 52
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 06	11 48
9 35	9 11	2 26	Hanover	10 38	11 06
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 06	10 15
12 24	10 14	3 16	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 58	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 30	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 54	8 30
2 10	11 30	4 21	Res	8 48	*8 19
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
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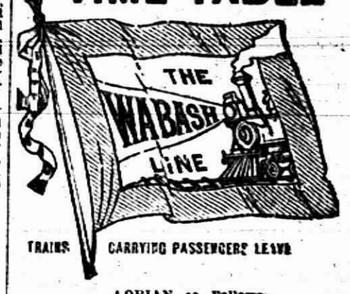

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There was a time when he who would keep informed of the progress of knowledge, the record of discovery and invention, and the currents of human thought could and indeed must rely chiefly if not wholly upon books. That day has passed. Books we must still read, as the crystallization and permanent embodiment of human thought and knowledge. But to-day it is the newspaper, the magazine, the periodical review, upon which we must chiefly depend if we would follow closely the intellectual movements of the day. And now a new difficulty has arisen. This newspaper and periodical literature has become so multitudinous and bulky as to be a heavy burden to the busy man or woman, while even the person who has leisure and inclination to read widely is often unable to get access to the current publications. Especially in the smaller cities, villages, and rural districts is the lack of such opportunity felt. It is felt by the clergymen, the teacher, the lawyer, the physician, the merchant, the artisan, the farmer and the cultured and thoughtful women of the household. With all these and many other classes of persons the great practical literary question is: How can I best supplement my indispensable home paper? It was to answer this question and meet this demand that Public Opinion (now published in New York City) was founded nine years ago. It selects the best, condenses it to the last degree, and serves it in convenient and attractive form.

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Table Talk.

"Decorations for a Dining-Room" by Miss Elizabeth R. Sheldon, is the leading article in the March number of TABLE TALK, the American authority upon Culinary and Household topics. Her suggestions are both bright and practical, and we are not surprised that her decorations have become a necessity in the homes of our National Capital, before they can be considered complete. Mr. Charles W. Garfield, Secretary of the Michigan State Board of Agriculture, also gives a very interesting account of the progress of Domestic Science in the Farmers' Institutes of his own state and elsewhere. The regular departments and the Dietetic Lesson are as usual, full to overflowing with bright and new ideas on all subjects of interest to the house-keeper and house-maker. There are the menus and recipes by Miss Helen Louise Johnson, also mention of the newest things in table-service, novelties, etiquette, fashions, and literature and so on. This magazine is published in Philadelphia, at $1.00 per year, and a sample copy is offered to any of our readers, free.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., }
Council Room, March 4, 1895. }

Regular session, March 4th, 1895.
Present the entire council.
Minutes of last meeting, held Feb. 6, read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Chairman of the street committee reported that he had engaged Cunningham Patterson to act as lamp lighter for oil lamps on outskirts of village, to fill unexpired time of W. E. Gray, at $175.00 per year. Report accepted and adopted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Report of Marshall, for February, presented. Showing that during February and three days of March 127 had been lodged in village lock-up. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Sexton's report, for month of February, presented. Showing one adult and two infant interments during month, and $1[illegible] collected as fees. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Yearly report of Street Commissioner, presented. Showing fire team labor, 176 days, 1 hour, hired team labor, 65 days, 4 hours, cost, $165.50; hand labor, 359 days, 5 hours, cost $634.39, making a total cost $797.89. Poll tax collected, $108.45, hay and lumber sold, $5.00. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Yearly report of the Clerk of the Water Board, presented. Showing whole number of water takers 194, number taps 129, receipts for year $1041.87, uncollected rates $32.50, expenses for year $1264.84, a loss of $189.86. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of L. M. Kellogg and E. D. Chilson, presented, asking privilige of tapping water mains, at their own expense, and extending same to their residences on Evans street. Referred to Water Board.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented and referred to the Finance Committee: The Columbus and Hocking Coal and Iron Co., coal, $21.86; H. W. Stevens, Marshal, $11.00; The J. W. Johnson Co., Ltd., advertising, $6.00; A. Hyde, labor, $15.25; S. C. Stacy, printing, $9.00; J. S Gilman, repairing harness, $4.90; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for February, $156.40; W. J. Ingersoll, Recorder, $102.15. Finance committee reporting favorable on all of above bills, Clerk was instructed to draw his orders for said amount.

Resolved, By the council, as it will be necessary to place a new bridge over the Raisin River, in Brownville, during the coming summer, that the Township Board of the township of Tecumseh be asked to assist in constructing the same, by paying $1,000.00 of the cost thereof.

Council then adjourned until Thursday, March 14th, 1895, at 7.30 p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the farm of Charles Bidwell, 3 miles south of the village of Tecumseh, on Tuesday, March 19, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described property: Five horses; bay horse 7 years old, 1250 lbs; brown horse, 7 years old, 1300 lbs; sorrel, 11 years old, 1200 lbs; bay, 11 years old, 1100 lbs; brown mare, 16 years old, 1200 lbs; 4 cows, one a half-blood Jersey, one a full-blood Durham, two grade Durhams; yearling heifer, 3-4 Jersey; heifer 9 months old; 3 brood sows; 3 shoats; double wagon, pair trucks, pair bob-sleighs, 2-horse cultivator, 2 Planet Juniors, 2 Burch plows, double drag, Milwaukee binder, Milwaukee mower, hay tedder, hay rake, land roller, fanning mill, cutting box, corn sheller; all tools nearly new; 3 set double harness, single harness, quantity of assorted potatoes of the following varieties: Maggie Murphys, Victor White, Rochester Rose, Rural New Yorker No. 2, and Early Puritans, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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DOMESTIC.

NORA KEATING, a notorious thief, who has been arrested 500 times within nine years, was sent from Chicago to the penitentiary for two years.

THE Locust valley coal mine near Milan, Mo., was burned with the buildings and machinery, entailing a loss of $100,000.

FIRE destroyed the business portion of Flora, a village in Indiana.

PEOPLE of Seattle, Wash., were horrified by the discovery of dead human bodies in the city's main water reservoir.

THE First national bank of Texarkana, Tex., closed its doors through inability to meet its obligations.

THE Wingate Mercantile company at Kansas City, Mo., went into a receiver's hands with liabilities of $110,000.

MRS. ELIZA COWEN and three children, of Northfield, O., were lying at the point of death, poisoned by dried beef.

A PASSENGER train on the Indianapolis & Vincennes railroad was wrecked near Sanborn, Ind., and six persons were injured.

TWO BANDITS raided a bank at Adel, Ia., wounding the cashier and six others. Citizens killed one robber, captured the other and recovered the stolen money.

THE East Pennsylvania conference of the United Evengelical church adopted resolutions scoring congress for continuing in session on Sunday.

A GENERAL strike among Pennsylvania coal miners was ordered for an increase in wages. Twenty thousand men were involved.

THE late Fred Douglass left an estate valued at $200,000.

CHARLES A. DANA and William M. Laffan, editor and publisher respectively of the New York Sun, were indicted for criminal libel upon Frank B. Noyes, business manager of the Washington Evening Star.

WORRIED by his daughter's marriage troubles, John Townsend, a prominent resident of Lynchburgh, O., committed suicide by drowning.

THREE members of the Detroit fire department while responding to an alarm were run down and injured by a train.

HENRY A. WING, for thirty-eight years cashier of the Grafton (Mass.) national bank, killed himself by shooting.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW is having built a theater car, in which a miniature performance will be given on night trains between New York and Buffalo.

THE Scatterfield white cap gang of Anderson, Ind., burned the barn and stock of Isaac Goodman, against whom they had a spite.

SIX masked robbers visited the home of George Wagner, of Exeter borough, Pa., and burned him in an effort to extort money.

THREE hundred negroes started from Mississippi and Arkansas to found a colony in Liberia.

THE supreme court at Washington took up the income tax cases. Appellants will attempt to prove the new law unconstitutional.

IN a speech at Canton, O., Senator Peffer predicted that the populists would be absorbed by a new anti-monopoly party.

THE Missouri legislature passed a bill prohibiting pool selling and bookmaking except upon race-courses during the racing season.

MRS. MICAH DYER, Jr., a society leader in Boston and member of twenty women's clubs, filed a voluntary petition in insolvency. Her liabilities were $100,000.

JOHN L. CLARK, of Muskegon, Mich., wanted at Sacramento, Cal., for bigamy, was found to have at least four wives.

JOEL MALLORY, 80 years of age, his son-in-law, John Williamson, and Reuben McBride, were killed by the cars at a crossing near St. Joseph, Mo.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 8th aggregated $1,002,852,773, against $770,100,683 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 6.8.

EDITOR CHARLES A. DANA, of the New York Sun, indicted for criminal libel, surrendered to the authorities and was released on his own recognizance.

THERE were 234 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 8th, against 250 the week previous and 248 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE Illinois legislature adopted a resolution providing for hoisting the national flag over the state house every day of the year.

HARRY HAYWARD was found guilty of the murder of Catherine Ging at Minneapolis.

VESSELS arriving at San Francisco reported having encountered a terrific earthquake at sea the morning of March 12.

THE cordage works of William Wall & Sons in Williamsburg, N. Y., were permanently closed, throwing 4,000 men out of work.

ACCORDING to the March report of the secretary of state the Michigan wheat crop for 1894 is already exhausted.

THOMAS WATKINS was hanged at Little Rock, Ark., for the murder of a man named O'Bannon. Watkins declared his innocence to the last.

THE steamboat Longfellow ran into a railroad bridge at Cincinnati and sank and five of those on board were drowned.

STATE AUDITOR DUNN discovered that 200,000,000 feet of Minnesota pine had been sold without warrant for a merely nominal price.

THE Central Loan & Trust company of Russell, Kan., failed for $250,000.

Chauncy Depew as well as the national statesmen can now take a rest. With the Vanderbilt divorce case off his hands he will have only his railroad and his after-dinner speeches to occupy him.

IT was said that France, Russia, Japan and Hawaii would join with the United States in laying a Pacific cable.

THE Kansas legislature adjourned sine die.

G. A. BUHD & Co., hide dealers of Cleveland, failed for $300,000, with assets at half that amount.

DR. FREDERICK COOK, with a small band of scientists, will sail from New York next fall to explore the antartic regions.

FIFTY tramps captured a freight train near Baltimore and rode to Wilmington, where eleven were arrested after a fight.

SAILORS at Nahant, Mass., killed a right whale, 75 feet in length, which bore a harpoon dated 1853.

TRAMPS took possession of a mill at Boone, Ia., and in resisting ejectment by officers one was killed and another fatally wounded.

THE Missouri house passed bills prohibiting alien ownership of lands and to close barber shops on Sunday.

RICHARD JONS, who killed his wife and child at St. Louis, was sentenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary.

ALBERT E. KEITH, a letter-carrier at Ann Arbor, Mich., who had been discarded by his sweetheart, killed himself.

INCENDIARIES were again at work near Anderson, Ind., and bloodhounds had been employed by the farmers to run them down.

UNKNOWN miscreants attempted to wreck a fast express train on the Nickel Plate road near Valparaiso, Ind.

MRS. MARY CARUTHERS, living near Paris, Tex., poisoned her two children that she might elope with a hired man.

THE Keller Jewelry Manufacturing company and the Western Sleeve Button company, of Chicago, have been placed on the "fraud list" by the post office authorities.

MANY of the coal operators in the Pittsburgh district conceded the advance in the wage scale asked by the striking miners.

FLAMES were raging in the Hazle slope of the Lehigh Valley Coal company near Hazleton, Pa., and the loss would be $1,000,000.

AN explosion blew out the whole front of the manual training school building at Toledo, O., causing a loss of $150,000.

AT St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. Thomas Allen was instantly killed at a grade crossing and her daughter and Mattie Dixon were fatally injured.

COUNTERFEITERS flooded Kansas City with spurious dollars and twenty-five cent pieces.

SAMUEL SMITH, aged 18 years, and George Leake, aged 21, both of South Lawrence, Mass., were drowned by the upsetting of a boat near Newburyport, Mass.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 11th was: Wheat, 77,717,000 bushels; corn, 13,792,000 bushels; oats, 6,509,000 bushels; rye, 297,000 bushels; barley, 1,217,000 bushels.

HARRY HAYWARD, the convicted murderer of Miss Ging, was sentenced at Minneapolis to hang on June 10 next.

THE Indiana legislature adjourned sine die after a desperate fight over an attempt, which was successful, to prevent the delivery of a veto message.

THE old Forsyth Street Methodist Episcopal church in New York city celebrated the 105th anniversary of its founding.

SILAS M. WAITE, aged 75 years, who looted the First national bank of Brattleboro, Vt., of which he was president and cashier and committed forgeries amounting to $300,000 in 1880 and fled, died in Omaha, Neb.

AT Pembina, N. D., James Young and George Clark, convicted of robbing a man of three dollars and a brass watch, were sent to the state penitentiary for life.

JUDGE HUNT, of Cincinnati, decided that a sleeping car company was responsible for the loss of jewelry left in care of porter.

AS A result of serious family quarrels Nicholas Bodvin, aged 17, shot and killed his father, Peter Bodvin, in North Minneapolis.

APPLICATION for a divorce was made in Chicago by Mrs. James Matthew Aubrey, Jr., daughter of Chief Justice Fuller, because of her husband's excessive use of intoxicating liquors. The couple eloped and were married in March, 1889.

THE oyster dredging schooner Ida V. Seward, of Oxford, was capsized in Broad creek, Md., and all hands, consisting of seven men, were drowned.

FIRE, started by an incendiary, destroyed the courthouse and a business block at Murfreesboro, Ark.

THE treasury officials say that dividends received by a resident of the United States from corporations, foreign or otherwise, doing business wholly without the United States, are liable to the income tax.

REV. S. W. HOOVER, pastor of the College street Dunkard church at Dayton, O., expired in his pulpit while delivering a sermon.

THE treasury condition for the first third of March shows that receipts aggregated $9,325,000 and the expenditures $11,354,000, or an excess of the expenditures over receipts of $2,029,000.

ALL the colored residents of Ubiquville, Mo., received white cap notices warning them to leave the city before April 1 on penalty of death.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

J. HOWARD PAYNE, county attorney, was found frozen to death near Arapahoe, O. T. He was a relative of and named after the famous author of "Home, Sweet Home."

MUNICIPAL elections throughout New York resulted in the republicans carrying most of the cities and towns.

CAPT. ELIAS HEDGES, 90 years old, a veteran of the Mexican war, died at Jeffersonville, Ind.

THE free silverites of the Third congressional district met in Battle Creek, Mich., and indorsed A. M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, the prohibitionist candidate for congress.

GEORGE L. SHOUP, of Salmon City, was elected United States senator from Idaho, to succeed himself.

LIEUT. GOV. ALFRED MILNES, of Coldwater, was nominated as the republican candidate for congress in the Third district of Michigan.

PATRICK H. GILKEY was nominated for congress by the democrats of the Third Michigan district.

FREDERICK E. SICKELS, inventor of the Corliss engine, died in Kansas City, Mo., from heart disease, aged 75 years.

A. V. H. CARPENTER, formerly general passenger agent of the St. Paul road, died at his home in Milwaukee.

DR. SAMUEL MILLER, who for over seventy years had been connected with the ministry of the Episcopal church, died at Middletown, Conn.

MRS. ANNA KIRKADDEN, a pioneer of Ohio, died at the residence of her daughter in Union Plains, aged 105 years.

COL. ANDREW J. MCNEIL, of the United States army, retired, died at his home in Belmont, N. Y., aged 74 years.

CAPT. CHARLES CROSBY, for thirty-three years master of the Pennsylvania union station in Chicago, died at Crown Point, Ind., aged 64 years.

JOHN THOMAS celebrated his 100th anniversary at Racine, Wis.

JOHN L. GILL, one of the oldest citizens of Columbus, O. and the pioneer railway car builder of the west, died at the age of 89 years.

FOREIGN.

PRESIDENT CRESPO ordered the French and Belgian ministers out of Venezuela.

HOSTILE Indians raided the Yaqui river valley and murdered seven Mexicans, among the number being two women.

MADAME COLLETT, the Norwegian novelist and leader of the Norwegian woman's rights party, died at Christiania, aged 82 years.

THE bodies of five men frozen to death on a Mexican ranch were sent to the authorities of Zinacantepec.

CHARGES were made in the English house of commons that diseased meat is packed in Chicago for shipment to Europe.

LORD ROSEBERY was said to be seriously ill, and only the entreaties of his friends kept him from resigning the premiership of England.

LOUIS J. FOOT, an Englishman representing a wealthy British syndicate, was swindled out of $50,000 at Zacatecas, Mexico, by two American mining prospectors.

CUBAN insurgents attacked Vinales, killing forty of the civil guard and capturing a lot of arms and ammunition.

PREPARATIONS have been made for taking the census of the whole Russian empire on a single day next fall. The last census was taken in 1886.

INFLUENZA was still raging in Berlin, and the work of the courts and schools was seriously interfered with.

THE peak of Orizaba, an ancient volcano in the state of Vera Cruz, Mexico, was in a state of eruption.

CHINA has notified Japan of her acceptance of the conditions imposed by the latter for a settlement of the war.

CATARINO GARZA, the notorious Mexican bandit and pretended revolutionist leader, was killed in an attack on Bocas del Toro.

SPAIN was making energetic efforts to suppress the insurrection in Cuba. Twelve thousand troops were under sailing orders.

CHARLES FREDERICK WORTH, the famous man dressmaker, died in Paris. He was born in England in 1825.

TWENTY diggers in the Sultana mine in Manitoba were suffocated. An accident shut off their air supply.

LATER.

FIVE men were killed and twenty seriously injured in a riot precipitated by white dock laborers in New Orleans. British vessels were fired upon, the pursor of an English steamship was probably fatally wounded, and the whole city was under a reign of terror.

W. H. TAYLOR, the defaulting treasurer of South Dakota, was reported to have been captured in Mexico.

JAPAN demands the cession of Formosa, a $250,000,000 indemnity and the independence of Corea as the terms of peace with China.

A MAD dog was killed at Peter Thompson's farm, north of Flora, Ill., after it had bitten three children and four horses.

OVER 1,000,000 feet of lumber was burned at Griffin, Ark.

ADVICES from Honolulu confirm the previous report that the ex-queen had been sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

THE business portion of the city of Waupun, Wis., was nearly wiped out by fire.

NINE Italians, charged with murder, were shot dead by American miners in the Walsenberg (Col.) district, and a race war was reported to be in progress.

A POWERFUL pool of all the coal railroad companies in Ohio and all the corporations in the state was organized at Columbus.

MINERS of the Pittsburgh district were successful in their strike for an advance in the scale and all but 6,000 had resumed work.

TIVOLI hall in Brooklyn, N. Y., was destroyed by fire and surrounding buildings damaged, the loss being $200,000.

A BILL granting women the right to vote for certain township officers was defeated in the Illinois senate by one vote.

THE indictment for embezzlement standing for two years against ex-Gov. Ira S. Chase was discussed at Kokomo, Ind.

RAIN fell at Perry, O. T., for the first time in ten months. Wells and cisterns were all dry and water for man and beast was hard to obtain.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY upheld the constitutionality of the income tax law in an argument before the supreme court in Washington.

BY the breaking of an axle on the Lehigh Valley express train near Hazelton, Pa., two cars were turned completely over and each of the fifty passengers sustained injuries more or less severe.

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THE CITY OF EDINBURGH.

Odd Leaves from the Diary of J. P. Jenkins' Transatlantic Trip.

Between the hours of nine and ten o'clock in the morning of July 22d. we boarded a train at Glasgow, Scotland, for the city of Edinburgh, arriving at Waverley station at 11 o'clock, a. m. We put up at the Cockburn hotel within a short distance of the station, and immediately set out to visit Edinburgh castle. This castle is situated on a rock some 300 feet high. This rock is so precipitous that the castle can only be entered from one side. Before the days of gunpowder this castle was almost impregnable, but under the present system of warfare, doubtless it could be taken without difficulty. There are quite a number of soldiers quartered here, and we were informed that there are 80,000 stand of arms stored in the castle. There are a few cannon on the grounds about the castle; one of which excited our curiosity very much was an old cannon made in an early day in Belgium, named Mons Meg, intended at that time, somewhere about five centuries ago, to be loaded, not with shot or shell, but with a large round stone. We entered the castle and passed into the 'Crown Room,' where is kept what is called the 'Honors of Scotland,' consisting of the crown of Robert Bruce, the sceptre, and the sword of state. From the crown room we passed into a small apartment once occupied by Mary, Queen of Scotts; these apartments are only interesting from the fact that they were once occupied by that unfortunate woman. On the summit of this precipitous rock stands Queen Margaret's chapel, only sufficiently large to hold a half a dozen, and only interesting on account of its antiquity, having been built about 850 years ago. It was now nearly one o'clock p. m., and we waited a few minutes to hear the cannon fired. We then retraced our steps across the bridge which spans the moat, and continued our walk along High Street until we came to John Knox's house, an old dilapidated building, where you pay a shilling to see the house in which resided one of the most noted men of the Reformation. It should have a better class of tenants than those that occupy it at the present time. It is a singular circumstance that the good people of Edinburgh have built monuments to Scott, Burns, and many other of her noted men, but there is nothing to commemorate the name of John Knox. A cobbler occupies the apartment where the great Reformer breathed his last, and tells the visitor that, "This is the room that Jonny Knoox died." From John Knox's house in High Street to Holyrood palace is a long walk.

HOLYROOD PALACE.

This palace was first built by David first of Scotland, and was destroyed by Cromwell's soldiers in the year 1650. It was rebuilt in the reign of Charles II of England. We paid a six pence before we were permitted to roam over this old palace which has been the scene of so many historical events. They claim a portion of the Cross here, while other parts of it are scattered over various countries of Europe. We were interested in visiting the apartments of Queen Mary. The old bed remains which was occupied by Mary; time has done much to destroy the texture of the bed clothing, besides it is decidedly out of fashion. We visited the little room where Rizzio, Mary's secretary was assassinated by her jealous husband, Darnley and others. It is said that he ran around Mary for protection, but he was stabbed to death and dragged down stairs by his assailants. The guide did not show us the stains of blood on the floor, but he did point out the room where John Knox had a very stormy audience with Queen Mary. We visited the room containing many old paintings of hypothetical kings of Scotland, but there is nothing particularly striking or beautiful about any of them. From Holyrood palace we directed our steps to Calton Hill, where is located a fine monument to Nelson, the hero of Trafalgar, and a national monument to the Scottish soldiers who were killed in the Peninsular war and on the field of Waterloo. On Calton hill, one gets a good view of the city, but the wind was blowing a perfect gale, so we made our descent, passing up Princess street, taking in its fine gardens with their beautiful flowers, until we came in view of the monument to Sir Walter Scott, which is the finest monument in Edinburgh, and one of the most beautiful in the world; in fact I know of none so grandly situated. In Edinburgh no man's name is more honored than that of Sir Walter Scott, and probably none more deserving. We went down Cowgate, a mere lane, and looked for the house where Brougham was born, but could not find it, although it was easily seen that dirt was bred and born everywhere.

We boarded the horse cars and visited the city of Leith, situated about three miles from Princess street. This is the port of Edinburgh, and its general appearance is very dirty. It is noted for fish and fish women; it should never be incorporated with Edinburgh on account of its filth.

ST. GILES CHURCH.

We paid a visit to this old church, because it is the most famous church in Edinburgh. It was in this church that John Knox ministered, and in it are the tombs of Montrose and Regent Murray, both historical names of Scotland. It was here that John Knox delivered many of his powerful discourses, and it was in this the Solemn League and Covenant was signed. Between St. Giles' Church and the old parliament house is a square, where we were informed is the burial place of John Knox. After a great deal hunting we found a stone with the letters "J. K. 1572" inscribed on it, which is all that marks the grave of this celebrated man. We visited the old parliament house and found some difficulty in making our way through its many rooms and corridors. The building at present is used for court rooms and lawyers offices; it also contains a library of three hundred thousand volumes. Lawyers with long gowns and powdered wigs were floating about the building resembling the old monks of Italy, but not so sleek, fat and lazy, as these gentlemen. On High Street is located Tron church, named from a public tron, or weighing machine. When a slippery coal-dealer was found weighing falsely, he was nailed up by the ears, and close by this old church is the place where this delicate operation was performed. It is said that a man seldom requires the second operation.

It would not do to leave Edinburgh without seeing the Forth bridge, we therefore took an afternoon train for this celebrated bridge, passing the domain of Lord Roseberry, the present prime minister of England, who owns the land between Edingburgh and the Forth bridge. This bridge is a mile and a half long, and 150 feet above the water. It has a double track, and trains pass each other from opposite directions scarcely lessening their speed. The people of Edinburgh very justly point with pride to this splendid achievement of engineering skill.

Then and Now.

There was a time when he who would keep informed of the progress of knowledge, the record of discovery and invention, and the currents of human thought, could and indeed must rely chiefly if not wholly upon books. That day has passed. Books we must still read, as the crystallization and permanent embodiment of human thought and knowledge. But to-day it is the newspaper, the magazine, the periodical review, upon which we must chiefly depend if we would follow closely the intellectual movements of the day. And now a new difficulty has arisen. This newspaper and periodical literature has become so multitudinous and bulky as to be a heavy burden to the busy man or woman, while even the person who has leisure and inclination to read widely is often unable to get access to the current publications Especially in the smaller citiefs, villages, and rural districts is the lack of such opportunity felt. It is felt by the clergymen, the teacher, the lawyer, the physician, the merchant, the artisan, the farmer and the cultured and thoughtful women of the household. With all these and many other classes of persons the great pratical literary question is: How can I best supplement my indispensable home paper? It was to answer this question and meet this demand that Public Opinion(now published in New York City)was founded nine years ago. It selects the best, condenses it to the last degree, and serves it in convenient and attractive form.

Table Talk.

"Decorations for a Dining-Room" by Miss Elizabeth R. Sheldon, is the leading article in the March number of Table Talk, the American authority upon Culinary and Household topics. Her suggestions are both bright and practical, and we are not surprised that her decorations have become a necessity in the homes of our National Capital, before they can be considered complete. Mr. Charles W. Garfield, Secretary of the Michigan State Board of Agriculture, also gives a very interesting account of the progress of Domestic Science in the Farmers' Institutes of his own state and elsewhere. The regular departments and the Dietetic Lesson are as usual, full to overflowing with bright and new ideas on all subjects of interest to the house-keeper and house-maker. There are the menus and recipes by Miss Helen Louise Johnson, also mention of the newest things in table-service, novelties, etiquette, fashions, and literature and so on. This magazine is published in Philadelphia, at $1.00 per year, and a sample copy is offered to any of our readers, free.

If "professional ethics" forbids doctors and lawyers to advertise, how many free puffs on celebrated cases will cause one of them to stop his paper?

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. mar

A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs Betsy Bangs Celebrates her Eightieth Anniversary with Friends.

A very pleasant event occured at the residence of Mrs. Betsy Bangs, on Saturday last it being the eightieth birthday of Mrs. Bangs. Her children, and grand children, and great grand child, and many more distant relations met at her residence to join with her in celebrating the event. There were present from abroad: W. H. Bangs, and son Homer, from Chillicothe, Ohio; Mrs. Betsy Haight, of Jackson; Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, and Jay Woodward and wife, of Rome; J. W. Griswold and wife, and son Warren, and C. W. Griswold and wife, and little son Glen, of Monroe county; four generations were present, little Glen Griswold being of the fourth generation, and the only great grand child. At 1 o'clock p. m. the guests were invited to the dining room where the tables were loaded with everything that is good for the wants of the inner man.

After dinner was over the guests repaired again to the sitting room to listen to a short program appropriate for the occasion. A song by Mrs. Varner and J. W. Griswold. Mr. Griswold then read a short sketch of the life of Mrs. Bangs, then another song, followed by a very nice poem, addressed to Our Mother on her 80th Birthday, by Mrs Hattie Griswold, this was followed with a recitation by Miss Bertha Smeltzer, to Grandma Bangs on her 80th Birthday. Rev. Varner then made some very appropriate and touching remarks and presented to Mrs. Bangs the many presents that the friends had brought for her. All in all it was a happy gathering, and one long to be remembered by all present. The wishes of all present were that Mrs. Bangs may live to enjoy many more birthday gatherings.

J. W. Griswold.

Chattel Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a chattel mortgage made by Chandler D. Bills to the undersigned, beating date the 13th day of March, 1894, I shall sell at public vendue, at farm barn, on the Bills farm, in Tecumseh, Mich., on the 23d day of March, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon: One gray stallion, Banker Rothschild No. 5747; 1 black mare Alice (so called); 1 black mare Spurn (so called); 1 bay mare, named Conette; 1 brown gelding, named Harry H.; 1 black yearling filley by Banker Rothschilds out of Alice; 1 4-year-old mare by Caprice; 1 gray gelding by Banker Rothschilds; 1 sorrel gelding by Lothair; 1 brown gelding by Wicliffe; 1 brown gelding by Banker Rothschild; also farming tools and implements, harness, buggies, road cart, blankets, robes, whips, horse boots, of the property described in said chattel mortgage. Terms of sale—All sums of $5 and under, cash; over $5, eleven months' credit will be given, notes to bear approved security, at 6 per cent interest. C. C. Tefft.

H. W. Stevens, Mortgagee.
Auctioneer.

Also, at same time and place, about 500 bushels of ears of corn; about 8 tons of Timothy hay; also one pair of heavy work horses. Same terms.

C. C. Tefft.

An Electrical Magazine.

Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character—a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20cents a copy. It is published at 36 Cortland Street, New York City.

The Story of a Campaign.

Willis J. Abbot, the Political Editor of the Chicago Times, who is recognized by his fellow journalists as one of the ablest and cleverest political writers in the country, whether one is in sympathy with his views or not, tells the story of the Populist campaign in Chicago in the Arena for Febuary. Mr. Abbot had the advantage all through the campaign of last autumn of being in touch with the leaders of the different elements that are gradually forming a new party, with new social and economic aims in American politics, and his paper has value for all those who want to get at the facts regardless of dominating prejudices. Even the opponents of every sort of change in the political phases of the country should study this paper, in order to estimate the potency of this new political sentiment that is in the air—and is not peculiar to America, but is seizing upon the heart and brain of the whole great western world.

It is a pity Commodore Gerry's bill to establish flogging for certain kinds of criminal has been defated in the Assembly. Public order, security and decency would have gained greatly by its enactment.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away,

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$50 00
An Eldridge B.,		20 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,		25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand,		15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are now, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at some convenient place, on Saturday afternoon, April 6th, 1895, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00, or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the Herald.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

The Development of the South.

Is being furthered by the Queen & Crescent Route by means of a special series of Monthly Excursions to Southern points at One Fare for the Round Trip. These rates are in effect from Cincinnati, O., and Lexington, Ky., on November 6th and December 4th; good twenty days from date of sale for return. They are sold on these dates to all points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida (except Key West), and to New Orleans, and all points on our line in Louisana.

Stop-overs are permitted on these excursions at any point south of the Ohio River, within the final limit of the tickets. This offers an excellent opportunity to those who desire to go South to look into the present great movement of Northern to that section.

The Q. & C. has over a million acres of farms and timber land for sale along its line at $3.00 to $5.00 per acre, on easy terms.

Send us your name for advertising matter and any information you may want as to lands and immigration to the South.

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To Consumptives.

As an honest remedy Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. For sale by Orr & Temple. mar

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAR. 22, 1895.

Johnnie Middlebrook made a trip to Adrian Monday.

Charles Kilbourn will soon move on to the Burlingame farm.

Hiram W. Saxton is entertaining a cousin from Grand Ledge.

Mrs. Will Niblack and Florence returned from Macon Monday.

Henry Steffens is running the mill at Newburgh for the present.

John Palmer went to Buffalo Saturday with two decks of hogs.

David Coryell will run the farm of his brother, E. C., this season.

Geo. Terry moved from the Coryell place to the Silvers farm Tuesday.

Miss Mana Monaghan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al Stacy Tuesday.

John Gaston, Leon McNeil and Milton Jenkins were up from Tecumseh Tuesday.

James C. Blanchard, of Adrian township, visited his son, Ray, and family Monday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith has been entertaining a friend, Miss Philbrick, of Detroit, this week.

The members of the high school expect to start a lyceum next term. A good idea.

A. F. Freeman, of Manchester, and W. C. Burridge, of Tecumseh, were in town Monday.

Chris Schmitt and Chris Wallinger were called to Detroit by the death of a cousin Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Silvers visited Richard Decker's people near Manchester the first of the week.

Isaiah Mattis and family moved from the Silvers farm to Bert Tate's farm in Bridgewater Tuesday.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Alexander, in Franklin this week.

Len W. Kimball has purchased of John J. Orr, Tecumseh, a fine St. Bernard pup. It is a beauty.

Bert and Charlie Tate were in Ann Arbor Tuesday on business pertaining to their father's estate.

Company V will give a musicale at the home of Miss Jennie Hause, on Locust street, this evening.

Eugene Smalley is expected home some time within a week. He has decided to return to Clinton.

Mrs. Wm. Welch was in Macon Monday and Tuesday. She went to attend the funeral of Ed. Robinson.

Ed. Powell will occupy the Mill house at Newburgh recently vacated by Richard Steffens and family.

Anyone wanting fine strawberry plants can get them of Charles McNeil or Robert Smith at Newburgh.

Frank Riddle and family now occupy the west part of W. H. Smith's residence on East Chicago street.

Raynor Brewer, Ed Corey, Lena Hardenburg, and Viola Shaw, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton Tuesday afternoon.

Victor E. Hammond and wife, of Port Huron, visited E. R. Smith and L. W. Kimball's families a few days the past week.

Henry Heying and wife went to Stockbridge Monday to attend the funeral of one of Mrs. Heying's sister's children.

Chas. Van Valkenburg has taken the position recently vacated by James Honley and will be found at S. W. Demuth's store.

James Honley is no longer at S. W. Demuth's, he having given up his position there and is working for the new plow company.

Joseph Rockwood has left the Burlingame farm at Newburgh and gone down on the celery farm of Daisher, southwest of Tecumseh.

F. B. Greenleaf and family have all been on the sick list. He and the little girl are much better, but Mrs. G. and Martin are still quite sick.

Freese & Son are putting in a Brice soft coal furnace for heating their double store. Mr. Brice, of Toledo, is here superintending the work.

George W. Hard has taken the agency for the Falcon bicycle, a Toledo wheel, and has some in the window. They are fine lookers and as good as they look.

Mrs. P. J. Rogers and daughter went over to Grass Lake Saturday and James went over Monday night after them. They all returned home Tuesday night.

Alonzo Clark left Saturday morning, going to Elkhart, where he spent Sunday, and Monday went into Chicago where he expects to remain some time.

The latest advices from Minnie Perry are that she is now considered out of danger, though her convalescence is very slow, she not being able to sit up yet.

Mertillo Stitt and family left yesterday for Ypsilanti, where they go that Bert may have the advantages of the Normal School which he will enter in the fall.

E. J. Semark went to Toledo Tuesday to see about brick for the new Van Tuyle & Woodard block, they having decided to build of that material instead of wood.

We expected to speak of Clark & Shirtmen's display this week, but they are so very busy preparing for their opening, which occurs April 5th and 6th, that we will defer it for the present.

B. O. Randall is at present making extensive interior improvements to his spacious residence on East Chicago street and when finished his home will be as complete in all its appointments as one could desire.

Eugene McDermott left Tuesday for Adrian where he has accepted a position in Conley & King's stone yard. Gene is a young man of excellent habits and very industrious, and they will find in him a valuable workman.

They are laying the cellar walls for the Van Tuyle & Woodard block and it will be not only a fine wall but a grand foundation. Charles Waggott, a former Clintonite, he having been born here, is doing the work, and a glance at the work he is doing will show you that he is an artist and understands his trade.

Rev. C. M. Stout and wife left Tuesday morning for Lawrenceburg, Ind., the former home of Mrs. Stout. While there Mr. Stout will officiate at the marriage of a personal friend. They expect to be gone two weeks. During their absence Rev. C. C. Marshall will supply the pulpit and attend to the other duties of his cousin's parish.

The Platt sisters returned Saturday night from Toledo and Detroit, where they had been looking over the new styles in millinery and making their spring purchases. These popular milliners intend showing the finest stock of all the latest novelties ever brought to Clinton and are now busily engaged in preparing for their spring opening which occurs the last of next week. Their cosy store will be a bower of loveliness at that time which you cannot afford to miss seeing.

The services at St. John's Episcopal church last Sunday morning were very fine. Rev. Joseph F. Ewings, of Jonesville, who exchanged with the rector, gave a very strong sermon on the subject of missions. Mr. Ewings is a man of marked ability and scholarly attainments, and, like Mr. Blachford, is not confined to notes, which makes, what he says, very much more effective. We trust Mr. Ewings may visit us again. He will find a cordial welcome.

The entertainment at the Town Hall by the Lotus Glee Club last evening was a great musical treat and was enjoyed as well, or better, than any other on the course. The singing by the members of the club, either individually or collectively, was of a high order and brought forth hearty encores. The club will always be gladly welcomed here. The high school scholars are to be congratulated in presenting such a delightful course of entertainments as has been given us this season, and we trust they will be able to furnish another course next season.

Monday evening, about 8 o'clock, James Pykett's house west of town was discovered to be on fire. It was occupied by Douglas Arnold and family. Mr. Arnold was in town at the time, and as his children are all small, they could render but little assistance. By the time help came the flames had made such progress that the house was doomed. Some of the furniture on the ground floor was saved, but nothing from the chambers. A defective chimney was the cause of the fire. The loss falls heavily upon Mr. Arnold, who had no insurance. There was some insurance on the building. The family were taken in by W. Bardeaux and family. Tuesday morning several of the neighbors started out soliciting for the family thus left entirely destitute and our people responded generously, as they always do, and very soon, we trust, Mr. Arnold's people will be as comfortably settled as they were before.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Arba Moulton returned home to Decatur Wednesday.

Mr. Stone, of Onondaga, is visiting at Henry Monagin's.

Solomon Bellenger has opened an "agricultural implement" business at Onsted.

Democratic caucus occurs at Springville, Monday, the 25th: Prohibition, Saturday, 23d.

A pleasant company of young people were entertained at C. H. Dewey's on Saturday evening.

A sad accident, which resulted in the death of Eugene Groger, occurred Thursday of last week. Mr. Groger and Mr. Lewis were cutting a tree back in the woods and in its falling lodged in a small tree. When this was cut down it split and flew back, striking Mr. Groger a terrific blow and throwing him some distance on to his face. The fatal result did not manifest itself until Friday, when he grew rapidly worse and finally became raving, in which condition he remained until his death, which occurred Sunday morning. The funeral was held at Junction church on Tuesday at one o'clock. It will be remembered that his daughter was married only about ten days previous.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The Bradley school closed last Saturday.

Go to the lyceum at Hampton hall Saturday night.

We hear that the cheese factory at Tipton is an assured fact.

Ed Pawson has rented and will move on to Mr. Boyd's farm near Sand Lake April 1st.

While chopping in the woods, F. Davenport cut a gash in his foot which made him lame for several days.

A year ago last Saturday E. J. Whelan sowed oats, people were ploughing and dragging, and it was spring.

Messrs. Billington, Marshall and Mull tapped their respective bushes, Tuesday. Not much of a run reported as yet.

The spring term of school has opened in the Stone school district, after a vacation of one week, with Miss Kate Ellis as teacher.

She Didn't Take With the Gentlemen.

She was refined, intelligent, and not bad looking, but somehow she never seemed to take with the gentlemen. They didn't like her listless ways; they said she hadn't any "snap" about her. Poor girl! she was suffering from functional irregularities, and it was actually impossible for her to take much interest in anything. But a change came. One day she heard of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. She procured a bottle, and she had not taken half its contents when she felt like another woman. Now she is in the enjoyment of perfect health, and has suitors by the score. No woman need suffer from functional irregularities and weaknesses. The "Favorite Prescription" is a safe and certain cure for all the weaknesses to which women are peculiarly subject.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, billousness, indigestion, and headache. One a dose. Orr & Temple.

It is a curious and significant fact that Cleveland has pleased the country only when he has antagonized his party.

Rev. R. N. Middleton, M. E. clergyman, Spring Lake, Mich., says: Sleep and rest were strangers to me after preaching till I used "Adironda." Now I sleep soundly and awake refreshed; I can heartily recommend "Adironda." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar.

MACON MUSIC.

Henry Oliver is moving this week.

Hebron Camburn is on the sick list at present.

School closes Friday with an entertainment in the evening.

Will Gibson expects to work for Chas. Burleson during the coming year.

The house and lot belonging to Miss Primrose was sold to Elias Hendershot for $210.

A. C. Cavanaugh was in town Sunday. We shall charge extra for this item if it appears again.

The funeral services of Mrs. Phoebe Maynard was held Tuesday afternoon. Her death was a shock to all, following as it did, only a few days of illness.

The Macon W. C. T. U. will hold their March tea meeting at the home of Mrs. Travis, Friday, March 29th. A cordial invitation extended to all interested in our work.

C. E. delegates go to Saginaw this week and the E. L. delegates to Detroit next week. They all anticipate a good time, which will be fully described in their reports (?) no doubt.

If the Ridgeway correspondent will allow us to borrow his favorite expression, we will say that there is a faint scent of orange blossoms in the air. Look out for particulars.

Caucuses of all parties are held Saturday this spring. It is rumored that some of the old Republican war-horses would like to rest for a year, but we shall doubt it till after caucus anyway.

On Tuesday, also, was buried Grandma Eaglick. She was an aged and much respected resident of this vicinity, and leaves behind a circle of relatives and friends who will long cherish tender memories of her.

An effort was made by the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies to secure Rev. David Lewis for a series of meetings here; but Mr. Lewis had made other arrangements and can not come to Macon for the present.

On Tuesday afternoon, the funeral services of Ed. Robison were held in the Baptist church. Mr. Robison, died very suddenly at Dundee, where he has been living for the past few months. Heart disease is reported as the cause of his death, though he has been under treatment for some time.

SUSANNA GANOUNG.

Died, at Macon, aged almost 90 years, Mrs. Susanna Ganoung, on the night of March 7th. She was born in Lodi, county, N. Y., June 30, 1805. She was married in 1832 and came to Michigan in its early settlement, and was, with her husband and children, pioneers in Michigan. She united with the Reformed church of Lodi, N. Y., under the pastorate of Rev. Mr. Bennett, when young. She has been a consistent, helpful member of the Reformed church of Macon for nearly 45 years, always ready and willing to do any service for Christ and in His cause. Her children are honored and useful. The Church of Macon has been called to give up another of its members. She outlived her husband 24 years; nearly a quarter of a century she has walked alone. Nearly all of this 19th century her activities in the church have been most marked. The promise, "With long life will I satisfy him and show him my salvation," has been fulfilled. Her maiden name was Susanna Howell.

SARAH EASLICK.

Sarah Olds was born in Green county, State of New York, Oct. 25, 1809. Her youth was spent in the wilds of the Catskill Mountains. In 1839 she married William Easlick, in the township of Reading, then Steuben, but now Schuyler county. They moved to Crawford county, Penn., in the year 1837, and removed to this state in the spring of 1846 and settled on a farm in the township of Macon. In 1866 they sold their farm, and bought and moved onto the one where we are now assembled. Her husband died in the spring of 1877, she remaining at the old home, with her youngest son up to the present time. She was the mother of nine children, four of whom have gone before. Four sons and one daughter are still living and are with us to-day, to wit: Alexander, Robert T., Wilder D., Sarah A., and William A. Two sons, Newman A. and Wilder D. were in the war of the rebellion. The former was lost on his way home at the close of the war, from a boiler explosion on the ship Sultana. There is an only sister still living, Mrs. Polly Royce, and a large circle of kindred of less degree. Her's was a life of toil and care, in fact a continuous pioneer life. She was greatly devoted to family, friends and neighbors, soliciting and meriting the esteem and friendship of all who knew her. Thus ends a life of usefulness, extending far beyond the usual limit, she being 85 years 4 months and 22 days old at the time of her death, which occurred at 3:30 in the morning of March 17, 1895. A. E.

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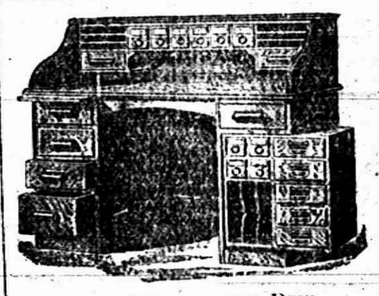

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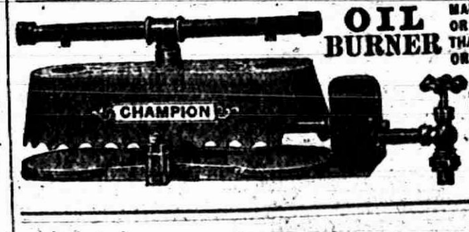

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BRITTON BUDGET.

Tony Brunk was over from Tecumseh Saturday.

Mont Hosgland made a business trip to Adrian Tuesday.

Gilbert Curtis returned to his home in Ionia yesterday.

If you want a [illegible] see "For a Million."

Do not miss hearing H. R. Pettingill next Friday evening.

See that Pettingill has a crowded house next Friday night

John Gibson is shipping a large quantity of hay from this point.

New scenery entire for the great comedy drama "For a Million."

O. W. Lenardson visited several cities in Ohio on business this week.

The sick are generally improving and at present none are seriously ill.

Earl Lenardson is enjoying a visit from Elliott Acers, of Sylvania, Ohio.

Peter Swick and wife, of Milan, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Cook, of Farmington, is the guest of Miss Myrtle Soule, this week.

Miss Maud Lee visited her friend, Miss Ethel Sweet at Tecumseh, this week.

Charles Swick, of Milan, is making glad the hearts of his friends here this week.

Lenardson Bros' shipped their last St. Bernard pup to Mississippi a few days ago.

Don't fail to see the play "For a Million" at Exelby's Hall next Thursday evening.

Remember Pettingill's lecture next Friday night. Subject "Nancy Hanks of the 19th Century."

Art Hughes and wife changed their residence and now occupy rooms over the White Pharmacy.

The Britton String Band will furnish the music at the Hall next Thursday evening for the play. Be on hand.

Morris Britton and wife and Ed. Bachman and wife returned Tuesday night from a week's visit in Hillsdale county.

The White Pharmacy have been posting board signs in every direction and in every road within a certain radius.

The Wabash pay car will be here tomorrow morning and make glad the hearts of the employees of that popular road.

H. W. Porter, of Weston, was in town Monday. He and his agent, Charles DuBois, contracted for a large quantity of hay.

Frank Link has reconsidered his intention of moving to Tecumseh and is now settled in pleasant rooms over the meat market.

The charity ball passed off nicely and was largely attended and Mr. Shulenberger the blind man, received the nice little sum of $20.45.

A gentleman from Samaria, Ohio, was here Tuesday to see about moving the elevator from Ridgeway here. He will superintend the work.

Our teachers are spending the vacation at their respective homes, Prof. Hollins, at Fairfield, and Miss Nellie Garvin, at London, Monroe Co.

Hendershot Tent, No. 467, K. O. T. M., held a special meeting Tuesday evening, at which time the officers of Main Tent will confer the degree.

Horatio Underwood, after several years' residence at Morenci, has returned to us and will remain. His father, James Underwood, is quite sick with the grip.

Among those from abroad who attended the funeral of Mrs. Sam'l Kniffen, were Mrs. Wm. Burch, of Adrian, Mrs. George Cheever, and Mrs. Richard Wiggins, of Dundee.

A very pleasant surprise party occurred Monday evening at the pleasant home of Art. Curtis, in honor of his brother, Gilbert, who has been visiting friends here at his old home.

M. L. Gillen came down from Tecumseh Tuesday night and did some painting and papering for E. G. Price. Mike has left the Plating works and opened a shop and will continue his old business in Tecumseh.

The question that is now agitating several here is whether Charlie Sutton paid that dollar out of his pocket which was credited to Charlie Smith, or whether it was taken from the amount raised for the minister. How is it, Charlie?

James Haight has got his store all filled again and if you wish to see what a little paint will do just step in and look around. It does not look like the same store. His goods and wares look much better than before, and even he himself is handsomer than ever.

Harvey Welling has his art studio in running order and his rooms are very tidy and complete in arrangement. He is now prepared to take your photos in any style or size desired, and his work will bear the scrutiny of the most severe critic. Call at once and give him a trial.

Wednesday was the 40th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Britton's wedded life and the occasion was suitably observed by the family. In the evening about 40 of their friends called upon them laden with oysters and other good things and made merry until a late hour. It was a very charming evening.

The Carland-Miller hay suit, which came off at Dundee Monday, called quite a number of interested spectators down here. The suit was decided in favor of Miller, he receiving judgment for amount and costs. This virtually settles all the hay deals and the other parties will now receive what is their due.

Lake Bannister is now settled in the Exelby House, and already seems as if the manor born so perfectly does he fill the position as landlord. If we had to lose Geo. Exelby from the hotel we are been highly favored in having Mr. Bannister his successor. Our people may rest satisfied that the Exelby House will continue to be (what has gained for it its enviable reputation) first class in every particular. We are glad to say that Herbert Cranshaw, who is very popular with the traveling public, is retained in his old position and hence the future of the Exelby House looks bright.

Now Geo. Exelby is out of the hotel, he is revolving many schemes in his head, among them, we should judge by the exhibition given on the street Monday, was hurdle racing. He was driving his white pony, and going to the barn thought by driving the pony up to the gate he might with his breast push it open, and thus save his dismounting. All went well until the pony reached the gate when he reared and came down on top of the gate, crushing it like glass. George, for a moment, looked a little crestfallen, but a new gate will make everything as before. Remember these mustangs are sometimes unreliable and apt to overdo the matter.

Westley Mantell, the actor, is painting a new lot of scenery for Exelby Hall, and he is as much of an artist with the brush as on the stage. He is doing grand work for our Dramatic Society as instructor, is a perfect gentleman and a fine actor. The play 'For a Million' is one that will please all and the cast of characters is a strong one. Our people will have a opportunity of seeing a play put on the boards as it is in cities, and we know they will fill Exelby Hall to overflowing. The following is the cast of characters:

PROLOGUE.

Robert Stanton	Westley Mantell
John Smith	Herbert Cranshaw
Herman Black	A. J. Lee
Gerald Gray	W. J. Helm
John Banks	E. W. Lenardson

COMEDY.

Kirby G. Hopper	Westley Mantell
Gilbert Temple	A. J. Lee
Harry Wakefield	B. J. Pulver
Lawyer Bruce	L. C. Hoagland
Moody Vaughn	Herbert Cranshaw
David Temple	W. J. Helm
Vixie Vaughn	Maud Lee
Florence Temple	Ella Exelby
Mrs. Lang	Mrs Wm. Hause

Give them a full house and a rousing benefit They deserve it and will appreciate it.

MRS. ANGIE KNIFFEN.

Mrs. Angie Hoagland Kniffen was born in Ridgeway township, August 7, 1845, and died at her home in Britton, March 14, 1895, and hence was in her 50th year at the time of her departure. She was reared to womanhood in the township where she was born and when 18 years old she commenced teaching in the public schools. She continued in this vocation for about twelve consecutive years, teaching in Lenawee, Clinton and Antrim counties. She was married to Samuel Kniffen, February 13, 1877, and their home has been in Britton since 1882. To the twain was born two daughters, who, with the husband, survive to mourn her loss. A large circle of relatives and a host of friends also mourn her departure. She publicly professed Christ early in 1865 and on March 4, 1865, she united with the Christian Union church, of which she continued a worthy member and a zealous promoter of its interests until death took her to her heavenly home. She was also a member of the W. C. T. U. and was deeply interested in its work. About three years ago she began to be afflicted with what afterwards proved to be a cancer. In May, 1893, she went to Orion for treatment. After her return she soon became much improved. About the beginning of 1894 the terrible malady reappeared, and other complications setting in she was not able to return to Orion for treatment. About ten days before her death she was paralyzed, from which she never rallied, and she passed peacefully to the better land. Her funeral, on the 16th inst., was attended by a very large concourse of sympathizing friends and was conducted by the pastor, assisted by Jas. Wright.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

John Calhoun was in town Friday.

Mrs. Brown visited Blissfield Thursday.

Mrs. John Welch is sick with the grip.

Mr. McClure, of Adrian, was in town Friday.

Miss Mary Kishpaugh is stopping at Holloway.

John Rainey visited the county seat Thursday.

Chas. Rothfuss is moving into the Begel house.

Chas. Chase, of Little Hope, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Fowler is worse and chances are against her recovery.

A. D. Macham and wife were callers at Tecumseh Saturday.

Mrs. Dora Bowen is visiting her parental home for a few days.

Miss Abbie Ray visited Mrs. Esther Carpenter Saturday evening.

The Free Methodist revivals are still running, with large attendance.

Miss Nettie Simmons, of Saline, is here taking care of Mrs. Welch.

Miss Eva Ball visited friends at Raisin Center for a few days last week.

Mrs. Fannie Culbertson, of Ridgeway, visited F. G. Florance and family.

Aaron Wright and wife started Tuesday evening for their home at Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Allie Dibble, of Ridgeway attended the social at Mrs. Allen Kelley's.

The painting class speak very highly of Mrs. Howland, of Tecumseh, as an artist.

The L. O. T. M. gives an entertainment at Holloway hall in the near future.

Miss Fannie Kelley goes to Adrian to work in Miss Price's millinery store this season.

The nut-crack social was not largely attended at the church, but all enjoyed themselves.

W. P. Rainey, our popular young farmer, has been handling oats at the depot this week.

Jennie Calhoun returned from Milan Friday where she has been visiting for the past few weeks.

L. C. Winship and wife attended the funeral of Sheriff Wilson's wife, which was held at Raisin Center.

The meeting of the Farmers' club at Geo. Holloway's was well attended. Subject, "Woman's Rights," which was ably discussed by the ladies.

Quite a few attended the social at Allen Kelley's. Following officers were elected for the year:

Pres.—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Geo. Kishpaugh.
Sec. and Treas.—Miss Chatfield.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Wm. Ransom and wife are having a tussle with the grip.

The ground is frozen to the depth of 30 inches at this date.

Mrs. C. A. Linn, of Britton, called on friends of the village Wednesday.

Leila Sutton and Lou Arner are on the sick list with the grip at present.

The Epworth League State Convention will be held in Detroit next week

Lou Arner spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Fred Teachout, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. C. A. Pocklington, who has been sick for the past week, is able to be out again.

The remains of Thomas Havens, of Blissfield, were brought here for burial Monday.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, spent a part of last week looking after his interests here.

Mrs. George Rexon, who has been in quite poor health for several days is not improving very much.

J. F. Temple received a telegram Friday, of the death of his brother-in-law, Mr. Johnson, of Adrian.

Dan Miller, of Kent county, is visiting relatives and friends in the village and vicinity at present.

Bessie Bartlett, who was under the care of Dr. Hendershot of Macon, last week, is able to be out again.

The person who lost an embroidered silk handkerchief can have the same by calling at Mrs. Housman's.

H. L. Stevens, special agent for the National Loan and Investment Co., of Detroit, was in the village Tuesday as the guest of A. J. Sutton.

The subject for Sunday morning service at the Methodist church will be 'The betrayal of Jesus,' and in the evening, 'The Methodist Church and Amusements.' All are welcome.

The program carried out by the Epworth League, on Tuesday evening, passed very successfully. The proceeds amounted to something over $4.00. They expect to hold an experience social in the near future.

On account of Prof. H. Pettingill's lecture at Britton coming on next week Friday night, the ladies of the W. C. T. U. have changed the date for the Lathrap memorial services. The date and program will be given next week.

Stella Barnes celebrated her 16th birthday Saturday afternoon by entertaining her sabbath school class-mates, and teacher, Leila Sutton, at her home on South Church street. A pleasant time is reported by all present.

A. J. Sutton received the appointment as local collector for the National Loan and Investment Co., of Detroit, the first of the week, which will be a great convenience for those having stock, besides a saving in remittance fees.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Samuel Kniffin held at Britton, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Kniffin leaves a large circle of friends here who sincerely sympathize with the family in their sad affliction. She won the affection and love of all who made her acquaintance here when she taught the village school several years ago.

Mrs. Thomas Maynard, after a short sickness with the grip and pneumonia, passed away Saturday evening. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn the loss of a true wife and dear mother. The funeral services were held at the house on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Gulick speaking words of comfort and hope to the bereaved family. The interment taking place in the cemetery on the Ridge.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Examinations come this week.

Cinnie Ostrander spent Snnday at the home of Joseph Salter.

Mrs. Lewis Haskins, who has been somewhat poorly, is worse of late.

Complimentary tickets were given to the seminary philosophy class for the star course lecture on electricity., delivered by Prof De Motte.

Rev. Richard Harkness preached at the Friend's church last Sunday in the absence of Rev. Mott, who is holding a series of meetings at Toledo.

Pastors are announcing the drama to be given by the senior class on next Friday evening. The drama is entitled "Seth Greenback." Doors open at 7:30, p. m. Admission, adults, 15c; children under 14, 10c.

Supt. Hill's stay with us in his present capacity draws to a close with this term. However, we are glad to hear that he will remain in the near neighborhood, having rented the Stanley farm. Prof. White will be his successor as superintendent, who will also retain his principalship.

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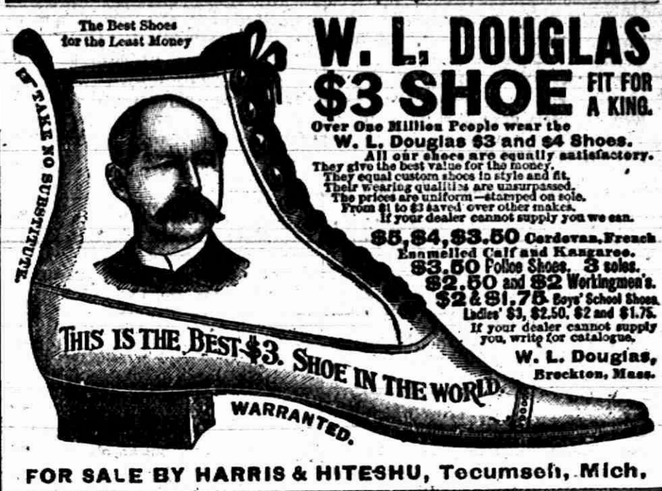

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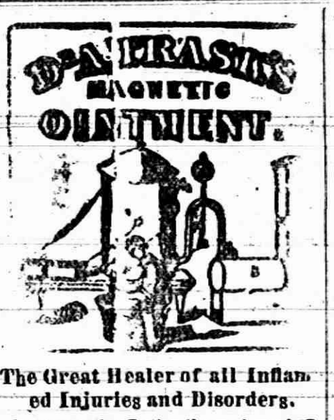

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THE CHOCOLATE TEA.

The chocolate tea given by the Baptist Young People's Union, at the opera house last evening, was a unique and very enjoyable entertainment. Supper was served at the usual supper hour, which was liberally attended. At eight o'clock the literary program was presented which might be termed a musical and chocolate sandwich. The program was divided into two parts with a half hour's intermission for refreshments, when ice cream and cake were served. Knapp's orchestra opened the exercises with a fine selection. The Elsa quartette gave a vocal number, which received a hearty encore, to which they responded. Four young gentlemen rendered a song in good style. Then came "The Bridal," presented by seven young ladies. During the recess the orchestra favored the audience with some fine instrumental music.

The second part of the program opened with a ballad from the Elsa quartette, "Comin' throu' the Rye," which was beautifully rendered. Miss Cora Austin recited "A Martyred Mother" in a manner that held the audience enchanted and fully sustained her silver medal reputation. "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" was sung by the quartette most beautifully. The finale consisted of a pantomime by thirteen young ladies robed in white, which was something new and brought forth many words of praise. The entertainment was also a success financially.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB

The last of the winter meetings of the club convened at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Finch on the evening of March 19th. It was a pleasant evening, and even if the roads were somewhat disagreeable it did not keep the members from turning out to enjoy the last meeting. All who were there were delightfully entertained by the host, hostess and family, and went home feeling they had been repaid for going. The literary program was good, singing by the club came first. Mrs. J. Bowen and Frank Gillespie gave select readings, Miss Lovina Schreder rendered a recitation nicely, Mrs. Rector read a review of the winter's work and some suggestions as to the future work of the club. She thought if we would follow a systematic plan, our work would be more satisfactory. The quotations were much enjoyed, nearly all quoting from favorite authors. Question.—Time and manner of planting potatoes, was quite fully discussed. R. B. Gillespie did not favor planting under straw, though early potatoes should be planted early and late ones rather late. A. P. Coddington did not like covering with straw, thought it more work, did not like the quality of the potatoes raised in that manner, although the appearance was good, he thought the season had more to do with the crop than the seed did. J. H. Schreder thought it would be well to plant the whole tuber instead of a portion in dry seasons. Mr. F. Bryant, of Tecumseh, was present and gave his method, he thinks that potatoes are generally cultivated too much, he prefers level cultivation. Others agreed with him as to the manner of cultivation. Others spoke briefly on the subject. As to variety, each individual should choose the variety suitable to his land, as some made a success of one kind, while it would be a failure with another. The club then adjourned, to meet in May. Place, date and program given later.

High School Happenings.

Spring!

Final examinations were taken in Gen. History and Caesar this week.

Monday morning was a sick morning for the school. Prof. Kellogg had the misfortune to sprain his ankle Saturday, and Misses Grey and Wimple were sick, and were unable to fill their places. Miss Jennie Nyland took Miss Wimple's place for the day.

Will Allen visited B room Thursday.

The ever welcome monthly examinations come this week.

Miss Phoebe A. I. Howell's back recitation seat was in great demand Wednesday afternoon. Miss Phoebe was obliged to excuse one of her class because there was not room for two in the same seat.

Our great and good friend, Mrs. Dominis, may console herself with the thought that she has escaped making a lecture tour of this country.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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Prohibition Must Triumph.

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The one great lesson of the long passing centuries is this—right is victory. Every cause fought with might has succeed in proportion to its right. That men, sword and cannon cannot prevail against a lone man armed with eternal principles is paged in all the records of the past. Kill him you may who stands for a just cause, the cause will live and conquer.

Yet stranger than all fiction, few have so learned this truth. They go on saying, 'The cause will never carry.' 'The reform is just and I would give it my support, but I would lose it." Now and then rises a man or woman with single-eyed, pure-hearted vision and calls out the night of wrong by proclaiming the morning of righteousness.

What, do we say prosperity to disorder, to injustice, to corruption and to oppression?' Never. 'Success to the distructive, anarchical, inhuman, murderous, rum oligarchy?' Bonfires may blaze it to the skies, the press for political gain and a part of the swag may give it leadership, political parties house it for its support, the government foster it for its revenue. Christians, through ignorance, fear or party idolatry, vote with it, prohibition may be misrepresented, denounced and whelmed out of sight; we nevertheless can calculate the end now as well as after the final issue.

There is a law old as God's plans by which nothing but right will ever conquer. All else is but an obstruction, a postponement of its judgment. As with other great forces, there may be variation in the course of reform. It may bound forward with wonderful velocity at one time, and at another go into obscurity and seeming defeat, when suddenly it re-appears at long distances in the advance and with force largely increased. The incomplete and unnecessary will disappear as they ought, but the living principle cannot be changed. It cannot be conquered. It thrives on the pros as well as the cons, and steadily moves on through favor and disfavor to its glorious consummation.

Reform cannot be forced or compromised beyond the conditions upon which it must endure. When in the midnight hour of our late war, our great emancipator cried out, 'I will save the country with slavery if I can, if not I will save the country,' he was face to face with reform demanding the surrender of the cause of the rebellion—human bondage. He struck the shackles off the millions. Then came union and peace. So now in the war against a greater than African slavery, the slavery of rum, a crisis will come. This proclamation, the saloon must go, will fall on the ears of the nation, and there will be an end to the criminal liquor traffic. We shall have sobriety, rest, peace and prosperity. The index of comparative history points the hour not afar. Therefore let every brave heart take courage and fight on through all the varying fortunes of the prohibition reform. Every battle is a part of the final victory. Heroism, love of home and country, were never in greater demand, and no song or story will be sweeter than yours in the centuries hence.

Would that the whole church of Christ might come up from political Egypt, pass the wilderness of resolutions, enter the Canaan of applied Christianity, and supplement her prayers with her ballots! Nay, more, would that Methodism might close in with God and cover herself with glory by leading with a million votes against the saloon. All further delay is weakness and shame, if not a fearful imperilment of her history, the sincerity of her oft repeated declarations, and her worthiness for leadership in a religion that is the light of the world, the salt of the earth.

Prohibition Caucus.

The Prohibitionists of the township of Tecumseh will hold a caucus at the Council building on Saturday evening, March 23, 1895, at 7:30 p. m. for the nomination of township officers. All persons who favor the reform advocated by the Prohibition party are invited to take part in the caucus.

BY ORDER COM.

Teachers' Examination.

The regular teachers' examination will be held at the court house in the city of Adrian on Thursday and Friday, March 28 and 29, 1895. Candidates will please bring pens, ink and legal cap paper and be on hand promptly at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

C. P. FIELD,
Commissioner.

The pictures which have been published of the late Mr. Worth lead us to the inevitable conclusion that he didn't design his own hats.

Wreck a railway and retire on your riches. That seems to be a favorite maxim with some managers of American railway systems.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM TOTTEN.

Died, at his home on North Pearl street, Feb. 26, 1895, William Totten, aged 76 years. He was born in Albany county, N. Y., where he spent his boyhood days. At an early age he, with his parents, moved to Oneida county, where he remained until 1846, when he came to Tecumseh where his home has since been. Coming to Michigan he was for several years engaged in the business of milling, at Ypsilanti. He afterwards bought and resided on a farm a mile and a half northeast of Tecumseh for some years. After leaving the farm he engaged in the flour and feed business, until failing health compelled him to retire from the activities of business life. He continued to reside in Tecumseh, caring for his aged parents while they lived, since which time his home has been with a brother, and for fifteen years past with a sister, Mrs. J. E. Rowland, who, with her daughter, tenderly cared for him to the day of his death. He possessed good business qualities and those principles which make an honest man. He often gave of his means toward the improvement of the place, and also to those in need. Being quiet and unobtrusive in disposition, he did not let the left hand know of the right hand's doing. He leaves four brothers and two sisters, with many other friends, to mourn his loss.

MARY A. PENNOCK.

With a sad heart I try to write a short sketch of the life and character of my faithful old friend. For almost sixty-five years she has made her home in this village, battling with uncommon bravery the hardships of her early days in Michigan, bowing in sweet submission to the many crosses she has been called upon to bear all through her life, never complaining, cheerful and comforting to all friends and acquaintances, when her own heart was breaking under its heavy load of sorrow. Dear, patient, self-sacrificing old friend! she will be greatly and sadly missed by those who knew her and could appreciate her worth. She was warmly attached to the Episcopal church of Tecumseh and has been a faithful communicant for more than fifty years. Her father, John Niblack, moved here from New York in the year 1832, settling on a farm between Tecumseh and Ridgeway. Grandma Pennock was the life and sunshine of the family of eleven children, six brothers and four sisters, always the unselfish peacemaker, and that loving, beautiful disposition has characterized her through life. In April, 1835, she was married to Luke Spofford. Three children were born to them, one son and two daughters. One by one she was called upon to give them over to the grim destroyer, but she bore her loss and sorrow with christian fortitude. In 1851 she was married again to Ira Pennock, of Tecumseh, who died twenty-one years ago. Of this marriage one son and an adopted daughter remain to mourn and miss her. Rest! Rest in peace, long suffering and noble heart! Your wish has been gratified, you have passed from your infirmities and into the presence of Him, in whom you so firmly trusted. The few pioneers who are still left, and many of the younger generation, who enjoyed a personal acquaintance with Grandma Pennock, will cherish her memory and miss her kindly welcome. She was laid away March 8th, in the 80th year of her life. Peaceful be your sleep, my honored friend.

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JOHN KERR.

The subject of this sketch was born in Crankill, Antrim county, Ireland, May 19, 1827. In 1852, he sailed from Belfast to seek a home in the new world, arriving in America on the 24th day of June in that year, and on the 9th of August he arrived in Adrian. His brother, Mathow, then lived in Palmyra and he soon found employment there, ballasting the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad. During his first three years' residence in Lenawee county he was sick with fever and ague eleven months. In 1855 he was employed on the Michigan Southern railroad as section boss and had charge of nine miles of track on the Jackson branch for nearly ten years. During 1864 he lived on John Richard's farm in Raisin. In 1865 he purchased a farm of 80 acres on section 22 in Cambridge, where he has since resided. He added 40 acres afterwards and at the time of his death had one of the finest farms in that township. August 15, 1856, he married Betsey Sherrard, of Tecumseh, by whom he had nine children. His health was generally good until recently, and he left the old earthly home for a better abode on high on the 6th inst. The funeral obsequies were held at the family residence on the 8th and the burial took place in the Tecumseh cemetery.

A kind husband and father, an honorable neighbor and a respected citizen has gone to his final reward.

MRS. E. G. WILSON.

Ann Wilson, wife of Sheriff E. G. Wilson, departed this life on the 13th inst. at her home in Adrian. Mrs. Wilson's maiden name was Miss Ann West, and she was born in Canada 50 years ago, coming to this country with her parents when she was two years old. They settled in Raisin near Little Hope and she lived there all her life until coming to Adrian when Mr. Wilson was elected sheriff. She was married to Mr. Wilson 19 years ago last August, and their lives have flowed along smoothly and peacefully together, until the sheriff is compelled to mourn the loss of an always tender and faithful helpmate. Three children are left with the father to mourn the death of a loving mother and a noble wife. They are Archie, 18; Montie, 16; and the daughter, Lou, aged 14 years. There are also two sisters, two brothers and Mrs. Wilson's father living. Mrs. Eva Gillett, residing near Dundee, with whom the father, Briggs West, is living; Mrs. Alvina Brisbin, of the town of Adrian; Leonard West, of the town of Deerfield, and Rexford West, of South Haven. Mrs. Wilson was a paragon of practical goodness, loved by all who knew her, as a kind friend and sympathetic and helpful neighbor, and in Raisin, where she is best known, her death will come like a personal bereavement to hundreds of friends, who will unite with this paper and the many friends of the sheriff in the county to extend heartiest sympathy in his great bereavement. Brief services were held at the sheriff's residence last Friday forenoon and afterwards at the Friend's church at Raisin Center, conducted by an old friend and neighbor, Rev. L. C. Chase.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mrs. Huey, of the Library, has been quite ill this week.

J. Marvin Hayden and wife, of Grand Rapids, are here this week.

Miss Hessie McKinney, of Albion, is visiting friends here this week.

The condition of both Miss Lydia Price and Miss Clara Hayden is critical.

Misses Libbie and Augusta Kirchgessner spent Sunday at their home in Clinton.

Joe Van Ness has been very sick for a week or more, and even now he is not much better.

Doctor Lalida was over from Adrian yesterday in consultation with Dr. Frost on a critical case.

Tom McCann returned from Bunker Hill, Friday last, and made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Heeson returned home from Ypsilanti Saturday. She left her sister, Grace, greatly improved.

James Cornelius and Roy Auchampaugh, of Adrian, were calling on their friends here, Tuesday.

Miss Linna Schenck, late of Bulgaria, is the guest of Mrs. Ketchum. She has recently been made a Deaconess at Grand Rapids.

Charles L. Albaugh, of Hillsdale, was calling on Tecumseh friends, yesterday. He left word to have his sewing machine sent by freight.

Last Monday Rev. E. C. Andrus went to Ann Arbor to hear Col. Robert Ingersoll lecture, as he had never heard the eloquent platform orator, and he might never have another opportunity.

Misses Edna McClue and Allie Temple and Messrs. Charles Hurry and Joe Eaton are the delegates from here to the Epworth League Convention to be held at Detroit Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next.

M. L. Gillen has severed his connection with the plating works and will engage in his regular business, that of painting, paper hanging and house decorating. His shop will be, for the present, in the rear of the old Rowland shop near the railroad.

Company C, of the National State troops, was inspected by Brigadier General Walsh, at the Armory, last evening. Our boys made a fine appearance in their millitary suits, which looked as if they had just come from the tailor's, and their arms glistened and shone, they were so bright. The boys passed through the intricate movements with the precision of veterans, and reflected great credit not only upon themselves, but their faithful Captain and other officers.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Rockey, in the south west part of town, was the scene of intense excitement for a time Wednesday evening, and it is a wonder that it did not result seriously. The little girl is sick and consequently her appetite is fickle, so the father thought he would go out in the country and get a bird to tempt her to eat. He took his revolver and on his return home laid it on the bureau. His stepson, John Truesdale, aged 16 years, came in, and seeing the revolver, took it up and thinking it empty, first looked into the muzzle and then without taking aim, carelessly pulled the trigger, when, to his great surprise, it went off, shattering a lighted lamp and scattering the oil in every direction, but fortunately when it struck the lamp the flame went out, so that no damage was done. There were six persons in the room when this took place, and that no one was injured is beyond comprehension.

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LOST—Somewhere on the streets in Tecumseh last evening, a lady's open-faced watch with oxydized silver case and silver chain. Finder leave at postoffice and receive reward.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH, 22, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Town meeting will occur on All Fool's Day this year.

The Republican township caucus will be held this evening at the Council Building.

Call at this office and get a sample copy of "Every Where," Will Carlton's new paper.

C. A Slayton has the agency of the Kingman bicycle, which is said to be a superior wheel.

Ed. Williamson is taking his first lessons on a new Victor wheel. He rides very gracefully—sometimes.

S. W. Temple, who has been confined to the house some time by sickness, is able to attend to business again.

Dr. E. E. Shoebottom, V. S, has returned to Tecumseh and will continue the practice of his profession here. Office at Garlinghouse Bros.

C. S. Burroughs, of Clinton, was in town Tuesday. He has gone into the manufacture of his Cuba gum again, and is working up a good sale for it.

Editor Field is making a gallant run for School Commissioner. If the school ma'ams could vote, he would get there sure, and his chances are good anyway.

E. W. Rappleye was in town last Saturday and gave the HERALD a call. His family like Ypsi as a residence, and his daughters are all attending the Normal.

Kennedy & Rogers are making several important changes in their store and when completed, they will be able to serve their customers better than ever before.

John R. Clark has just closed the 52d consecutive lecture course at Yarmouth, Mass., with Hits and Misses, which he has given 100 times. Most of his time is already engaged for next season.

A donation for the benefit of Rev. E. Andrus will be given at the Universalist Church next week Friday afternoon, March 29. Supper will begin at five o'clock. All are cordially invited.

C. J. Richardson, late of Adrian, has opened a laundry in the Albaugh building, on North Railroad street. Mr. Richardson is a gentleman of large experience in this business and will give you first-class work at low prices.

The firm of Mitchel & Clark has been dissolved. Mitchel retiring, and Clark is associated with him John Sherman, and the firm will be Clark & Sherman. They have Will P. McAdam as meat cutter, who is well up in the art and very obliging and pleasing in his treatment to customers.

We have received from Labor Commissioner Chas. H. Morse, a copy of the 12th annual labor report. It merits favorable notice and consideration, not only from the wage earners, but from the farmers also. The report treats largely of farm labor and farm interests, and contains much other valuable information on economic questions. Taken altogether it is an official compendium of statistics of great importance and interest to the farmers. The same contains a fine half-tone picture of Geo. B. Horton's elegant residence at Fruit Ridge,

Easter Sunday falls on April 14th this year.

Britton will have a base ball team this year.

Now is the time to plant spring advertising.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington visited Adrian last Sunday.

Attorney Wightman was in Adrian Wednesday on business.

Scove Walker spent Sunday with his people at Norvell and Brooklyn.

Thanks to Wm. VanCamp for late copies of Terre Haute, Ind. papers.

Wm. R. Bresle, of Decatur, was in town two or three days this week.

Remember the gems of Art at the Opera House, March 28th. All for ten cents.

Over two hundred tickets were sold at the M. E. church supper on Wednesday evening.

Old Lenawee is said to stand at the head of the list of counties in the state as a dairy field.

At the Methodist church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, 'Whisperers.'

The bottom has dropped out of the price of eggs, and butter is a drug in the market at nearly all of the cities near.

March is doing its level best this year. Last week alone gave us specimens of January, February, March and April weather.

E. F. Kirchgessner went to Detroit Friday to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Helen Kramer, and returned home Monday.

An interesting illustrated program, eloquently described by a lady lecturer at the Opera House, March 28th. Admission ten cents.

Rev. E. A. Bolster, of Jackson, occupied the Baptist pulpit last Sabbath. He was the guest of Pastor H. A. Smith's family over Sunday.

Mr. Henry Holt, in the April Forum will conclude his series of articles on "The Social Discontent," begun in the January number, suggesting more remedies.

Lucius Lilley, who has been confined to the house with rheumatism for the past few days, is able to be out again. Even a slight attack of illness is something very unusual for him.

With wheat and farm produce at present prices the indications are not very favorable that farmers are going to vote very heavy for an increase in the saleries of state officers.

Come and see the interior of the sistine chapel, the Collisoum, the Parthenon, St. Peter's, St. Paul without the walls, and many other attractions at the Opera House, March 28th. Admission ten cents.

Editor Field's candidacy for the office of school commissioner for Lenawee county is being pushed by numerous of his friends of all shades of political faith, and some of them are quite sanguine as to his election.—Addison Courier.

Fads seem to be the order of the day and the latest is taking snuff. It must be a fad, for our young people particularly the High School scholars would not have indulged to the extent they have the past week if it was not the proper thing.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will hold a social at the residence of G. W. Jackson, on Wednesday evening, March 27. A program will be presented consisting of readings, recitations and music. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

D. R. Crampton, of the Monroe Democrat, has been appointed postmaster in that city. Mr. Crampton is a hustling newspaper man, popular with the people in that city, and his selection will likely give universal satisfaction to the patrons of that office.

A fire alarm was sounded Saturday afternoon and the hose carts were on the ground inside of a minute. The alarm was caused by the burning out of a chimney on the house of Misses McClue, on Shawnee street. The danger was over when the hose men got there.

A genteel young man came into the HERALD sanctum Wednesday afternoon, and after taking a second look, we discovered that it was George Gainsley. He is now clerking in a large shoe store at Albuquerque, New Mexico, and is making his folks in Dundee a brief visit. Five years have flown since his last visit in Tecumseh.

Hosea J. Corbus, trackmaster on this division of the Lake Shore road died at his home in Adrian last Saturday. He was first appointed track master in 1857 of the old road between Toledo and Elkhart and had served the company for forty-six years. He was a very faithful employe and a whole-souled, honorable gentleman. He had friends by the score, who will deeply sympathize with his bereaved wife and daughter.

This is president Cleveland's birthday. He is 58 years old to-day, March 18th. This date is well remembered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brown, whose little twins, Lucille and Lurette were born on the president's birthday. Little Lurette was called away when she was about two years old, but Lucille is well and hearty, and to-day with seven little school girl friends will celebrate her seventh birthday, and without a doubt will be far happier than President Cleveland over his anniversary celebration.—Evening Telegram.

Robt. J. McClure left Thursday for Boston.

Read the auction sale notices on the eighth page.

Charles Bidwell, No. 2, was home over Sunday.

C. H. Dewey, of Cambridge, was in town yesterday.

[illegible] made a business trip to Toledo yesterday.

Prof. Stump is coming back to teach in the Public schools.

Frank J. Temple was on the sick list the last of the week.

Walter Burnett is home from Albion College to spend a week's vacation.

Come to the Monday Club entertainment at the Opera House, March 28th.

The Prohibition caucus will be held to-morrow evening at the council building.

Wm. J. Arnold and wife were called to Detroit Friday by the death of Mrs. Kramer, a cousin of Mr. Arnold.

The Bidwell auction in Raisin, Tuesday afternoon was well attended and the property sold beyond their expectation.

Hot buscuit and maple syrup this evening at the M. E. church. Also, a debate on woman suffage. Ten cents admits to all.

The large room occupied by Knapp & Osborn is already nearly full of Agricultural implements. It will make excellent quarters for them.

A. W. Mills returned yesterday from an extended trip into Ohio. He is still engaged in the pastime of fencing in the Buckeye state with Page wire fencing.

The Democrats hit the nail on the head in nominating Alexander Richard for Supervisor. If the voters come out as they should he will get there sure.

A young farmer with a few hundred dollars to spare can buy a good farm and home near this village, at a bankrupt price now. A chance of a lifetime. Call at this office for further information.

Westley Manteil, the actor, who made many warm friends during his brief stay here left Saturday for Britton, where he has been engaged by the Dramatic Society to present the comedy drama "For a Million."

The fellow with a slouch hat and light overcoat, and companion, who was discovered taking wood from the rear of Orr & Temple's store Sunday night will please call and settle at once or they are liable to hear something drop.

P. U. Temple, of Harvey, Ill., in remitting for this years HERALD says: In July, 1886, I shall have taken the Herald forty years. If any man can go one better, I should be pleased to hear from him. I think I am entitled to one of the lucky numbers and hope to take the paper forty years more.

At the Democratic caucus held yesterday the following ticket was placed in nomination:

Supervisor—Alex. Richard.
Clerk—D. H. C. Bowen.
Treasurer—Elijah Ames.
School Inspector—George Field.
Justice—J. F. N. Bowen.
Highway Com.—John T. Boyce.
Board of Review—Alfred James.
Constables—Jas. H. Aten, Will H. Hayden. Albert Hyde, Frank Conger.

By the decease of Mrs. Samuel Kniffen, Britton has lost another woman of rare excellence and womanly gifts. Her influence for good extended beyond the family circle and throughout the community at large. The vacancy left in that home can never be filled this side of the grave. The family have many acquaintances in Tecumseh who will deeply sympathize with them in this bereavement.

Mrs. Clarissa Dibble Hall died yesterday morning at the residence of her son, A. D. Hall, noth-east of town. Mrs. Hall was nearly 94 years of age, her birthday being in May. She leaves five children; James Hall, of Milford, M. W. Hall, of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Millard Gay, of St. Louis, Mrs. F. J. Dean, of Reed City, and A. D. Hall, all of whom are here, and this is the first time they have all been together in 40 years. The funeral will be held at the house to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. H. A. Smith, of the Baptist church officiating.

William Webster, who was found by the section men lying near the Railroad track Friday morning, never regained consciousness and died Saturday morning at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Kyle, where he boarded. A coroner's jury was held and the verdict rendered was that his death was the result of liquor and exposure. His brother, A. W. Webster, who travels for the drug house of Farrand, Williams & Clark, arrived Saturday noon. A short service was held at the house early Monday morning, conducted by Rev. C. M. Brown, and the remains left on the morning train for Windsor, Ontario, where they will be laid by the side of a sister and mother. This was a very sad death. It seems that he and Harry Cummiskey went up to Clinton Thursday afternoon, and during the day and evening imbibed freely of liquor, and after the night train had left Clinton they started for Tecumseh down the track. Cummiskey finely left Webster to look out for himself and returned back to Clinton, which, under the circumstances, was a heartless thing to do, and no doubt had he himself not been intoxicated he would never have deserted him in that way.

Miss Florence Primrose visited Clinton friends yesterday.

Fred K. Chandler is spending the week with C. F. Field and family.

Communion at St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

Remember Company C's chicken pie supper at the Armory next Thursday evening.

There will be a special meeting of the Blue Lodge this evening for work in the 3rd degree.

Miss Mana Monaghan is the guest of Miss Anna Pennington, at Macon, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepard rejoice in a young daughter born to them Tuesday morning.

Raynor Brewer, Viola Shull, Ed Corey and Lena Hardenburg visited Clinton Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong, of Adrian, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spayde yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Storey and Mrs. Frank E. Hughes of Adrian, are visiting John Hughes and family.

Go and test the ability of the boys to serve a chicken pie supper at the Armory next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Franc McDermott and Mrs. Grace McDermott and Willie, of Clinton, are the guests of Wm. Jordan to-day.

Mrs. Will J. Kies and son, Joseph of Elkhart, arrived Wednesday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Freeman.

Mrs. Anna Conger has rented her farm, near Clinton, to Albert Van De Walker and has an auction next week See notice elsewhere.

The members of Company C will serve a chicken pie supper at the Armory next Thursday evening from 5:30 to 7:30. Tickets 15 cents.

Miss Anna H. Morse and Miss Lizzie Lowry were elected delegates to the Christian Endeavor convention to be held at Bay City next Tuesday.

G. S. Chambers spent Sunday with his wife, at Battle Creek, and Tuesday morning left for an extended southern trip in the interest of H. Brewer & Co. He may be gone six months.

Subjects for the Universalist church next Sunday, March 24th, a. m.: "I believe that religious duties consist in doing justice, mercy and endeavoring to make our fellow creatures happy. Evening: The first of a series of three discourses upon the Lord's Prayer. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6 p. m. Topic: How God Rescues from Evil. St. Matt. 6:13.

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., March 16.—The senate Friday passed bills authorizing Alpena county to bond itself for $150,000, with which to construct county roads, and appropriating $10,000 for the furnishing of the home for the feeble-minded.

LANSING, Mich., March 19.—Gov. Rich transmitted to the senate Monday a communication for Secretary of War Lamont, suggesting that a formal request be made upon the war department for ceding Mackinaw island to the state as a military park and some person be named to receive the same on behalf of the state.

LANSING, Mich., March 20.—The senate on Tuesday passed the house bill exempting from taxation the property of all charitable and industrial institutions to the extent of $100,000; also bills empowering the regents of the university to hold property in perpetual trust, and increasing the penalty for embezzlement by administrators, executors and guardians to five years' imprisonment.

House.

LANSING, Mich., March 15.—In the house Thursday the committee of the whole passed bills providing for jury commissioners in the counties of the upper peninsula; amending the live stock law so as to prevent the spread of horse distemper, and providing for traveling libraries under the supervision of the state librarian. Both branches hurried through a law compelling the council of Detroit to appropriate money to defray expenses of the health board.

LANSING, Mich., March 16.—The house on Friday killed a bill providing for the appointment of a state statistician and a bill providing that the taxation of maritime property shall be where a transportation company has its business office. A resolution was adopted by both houses authorizing the governor to appoint five commissioners to represent Michigan at the Mexican international exposition. A bill is before the house authorizing a recompilation of the laws of the state, and Clerk Miller has prepared statistics in connection with the measure showing that a saving to the state of $8,000 could be made by having it done on state account. Both houses adjourned until Monday.

LANSING, Mich., March 19.—A bill passed the house Monday authorizing the Toledo & Ann Arbor railroad to organize in Michigan.

LANSING, Mich., March 20.—The house on Tuesday passed bills providing for the incorporation of mutual plate glass insurance companies, providing for the recovery of moneys paid "grave-yard insurance companies" if claim is made within six years, and authorizing the consolidation of gas and electric lighting companies, and the furnishing by them of gas and electricity to outside municipalities.

ACCUSED OF SWINDLING.

Agent in Detroit of a Chicago Firm Said to Have Pocketed $1,000

DETROIT, March. 18.—The extensive swindling operations of Francis Bethel, of this city, came to light in the suit of Bell, Conrad & Co., Chicago coffee dealers, against Duweyki & Rausch, Detroit grocers. In 1893 the latter received from the Chicago firm ten bags of coffee which the Michigan Central notified them to take away. The Detroit firm at once informed Bethel, the agent here of the Chicago firm, that they had not ordered the coffee. Bethel at once said that he had made a mistake in sending in the order, and at his request the coffee was turned over to him. Later Duweyki & Rausch received a bill for coffee. They refused to pay and the Chicago firm brought suit. In the trial it has developed that Bethel disposed of the coffee and pocketed the proceeds. He worked the same trick in a number of other cases, securing over $1,000 worth of merchandise which he disposed of and pocketed the proceeds. The Chicago firm lost the suit.

ANTI-TRUST LAW IS ENFORCED.

Important Decision Rendered in Federal Court at Detroit.

DETROIT, March 20.—Judge Severns in the United States circuit court has rendered a decision bearing upon the Sherman anti-trust law. About a year ago the Merse, Warren, Michigan and National Capsule companies entered into an agreement to pool their interests and to carry on the business of manufacturing gelatine shells for capsules as one institution, under the style of the United States Capsule company. The Merse Capsule company balked and filed a bill to restrain the United States company from doing business. Judge Severns takes the position that the trust was formed in violation of the laws of the state of Michigan, as well as the act of congress.

LABOR BATTLE AT DOWAGIAC.

Many Injured in a Conflict of Union and Nonunion Men.

DOWAGIAC, March 20.—This city, which is the location of the immense plant of the Round Oak stove works, was the scene late Tuesday afternoon of serious strife between union and nonunion men. Lester Cooper, a nonunion laborer, was struck with an ax and probably fatally injured. In the melee, which became general, a score of workmen were seriously injured. Arrests have been made and it is feared serious trouble is imminent. The Round Oak Stove company, until a recent lockout, employed union labor exclusively. The present trouble is the outgrowth of differences between employers and employes.

Rights of the Pottawattamies.

KALAMAZOO, March 20.—W. R. Taylor, of this city, has a commission from the Pottawattamie Indians to look up their rights to lands in this vicinity. On September 18, 1827, through Gen. Lewis Cass, commissioner, the government entered into a treaty with these Indians by which it acquired 9 square miles of the tract known as Mache-Be-Nash-She-Wish, on the Kalamazoo river, and other lands. Certain land was ceded in return, and the Indians seek to learn where this land lies.

Fatal Explosion.

HOUGHTON, March 16.—The mixing vault of the Hancock Chemical company's dynamite factory exploded at noon Friday. Dominick Christian, employed in the vault at the time, was blown to shreds. Other workmen were in an adjacent shed, which was blown away, but none of the men was killed, although badly bruised.

Wants an Electric Light Franchise.

BENTON HARBOR, March 20.—A franchise to establish an electric light plant is asked for from the city council by Peter English. The power is to be obtained by damming the Paw Paw river about 1 mile from the city. The dam will be 1,000 feet long and give a fall of 15 feet.

THE SALARY BILL.

Text of the Proposed Amendment to the Constitution.

LANSING, March 16.—The following is the proposed amendment to the constitution of Michigan relative to the salaries of state officers, to be voted on at the general election to be held on Monday, April 1 next:

"Resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the state of Michigan, That an amendment to section 1 of article 9 of the constitution of this state be and the same is hereby proposed, to read as follows:

"Section 1. The governor shall receive an annual salary of $4,000, the judges of the circuit court shall each receive an annual salary of $3,500; the state treasurer shall receive an annual salary of $2,500; the secretary of state shall receive an annual salary of $2,500; the commissioner of the land office shall receive an annual salary of $2,500; the attorney general shall receive an annual salary $3,000; the superintendent of public instruction shall receive an annual salary of $2,500; the auditor general shall receive an annual salary of $2,000; they shall receive no fees or perquisites whatever for the performance of any duties connected with their office, and they shall personally attend to the duties of their office. It shall not be competent for the legislature to increase the salaries herein provided. Be it further

"Resolved, That said amendment shall be submitted to the people of this state at the next spring election, on the first Monday in April in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and the secretary of state is hereby required to give notice of the same to the sheriffs of the several counties of this state, at least fifteen days prior to said election. The ballots for and against this amendment shall be printed at the foot of the general ticket as provided by law, and designated as follows: Amendment to the constitution relative to salaries of state officers—Yes.' Amendment to the constitution relative to salaries of state officers—No.' Said ballots in all respects to be canvassed and return made as in elections of justices of the supreme court.

"Resolved further, That the joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section one of article nine of the constitution of this state, relative to salaries,' which was passed at the present session of the legislature, be and the same is hereby repealed.

"This joint resolution is ordered to take immediate effect."

MURDER ATTEMPTED.

Postmaster McBain, of Owosso, Found in an Abandoned Mill Race.

OWOSSO, March 18.—Sunday morning, between 2 and 3 o'clock, Postmaster N. McBain was discovered in an abandoned mill race near the works of the Owosso Brewing company. His face was bespattered with blood and his hair was matted. The blood gushed from a ghastly wound on the back of his head. The would-be assassin, believing his victim to be dead, it is believed, dragged the body to the secluded place where it was found for the purpose of hiding the crime until escape could be effected. The assailant attempted robbery, but he was evidently frightened away. Mr. McBain can give no account of the assault and the police are also mystified.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN OAKLEY.

DeForest Brothers Exchange Shots, and One Is Dead and the Other Dying.

OAKLEY, March 19.—George DeForest was shot dead Monday by his brother Calvin. Calvin was also shot and badly wounded by George. George DeForest had lately been considered insane. Today he went to the home of his sister, Mrs. Alfred Beers, and drove her from the house. He then started for the home of his parents vowing to take vengeance upon them. Calvin DeForest started with his gun to intercept his brother. As they approached each other George pulled a revolver and began firing. Calvin replied with his gun. The result was that George had his whole right lung perforated. It is feared Calvin's wound may also prove fatal.

TRAGEDY IN DETROIT.

A Saloonkeeper Shoots Two Brothers—One of Them Dies.

DETROIT, March 18.—Allen Ashley, who, with his brother Frank, was shot by John Holtz during a quarrel in the latter's saloon Saturday night, died Sunday at Harper's hospital. He never regained consciousness after being shot. A postmortem examination developed the fact that the bullet passed through the dead man's eye and lodged in his brain. Frank Ashley, who was shot in the neck by Holtz, is in a precarious condition, the bullet having lodged in his right lung. The police are confirmed in the belief that Holtz was justified in shooting as he did in self-defense.

St. Patrick's Day in Detroit.

DETROIT, March 18.—All conditions were favorable for Detroit's celebration of St. Patrick's day, which proved to be one of the most successful ever held in the city. The parade included all the Irish Catholic military organizations of Detroit and Windsor, the benevolent associations and the various Catholic clubs. In the evening the Detroit opera house was crowded with Irish men and women. John Donovon, of Bay, acted as president of the meeting and John F. Finerty, of Chicago, was the speaker.

Saginaw Concern in Trouble.

SAGINAW, March 20.—Kerngood & Rosenthal, proprietors of the Excelsior Clothing & Shoe company, one of the largest concerns in northern Michigan, filed chattel mortgages Tuesday for over $56,000. The First national bank and C. L. Judd, as trustees, are preferred creditors. The firm says poor collections was the cause and it has made arrangements to continue the business.

Insurance Statistics.

LANSING, March 19.—Advance sheets of the forthcoming report of the commissioner of insurance show that the old line life insurance companies last year issued Michigan policies aggregating $31,741,769; received premiums of $4,296,070.44; incurred losses of $1,146,367.79, and had $124,676,703 of insurance in force in Michigan at the close of the year.

A Negro Candidate.

BENTON HARBOR, March 20.—For the first time in the history of Benton Harbor a colored man has been nominated for alderman by the republicans.

Many Become Citizens.

HOLLAND, March 20.—At an adjourned session of the circuit court here Judge Padgham granted full citizenship to 154 Hollanders.

STATE NEWS.

Paragraphs Full of Information of an Interesting Character.

Jessie Ritchfield, aged 18, received burns from the explosion of a gasoline stove in Battle Creek from which she died.

Rickman & Alkins, contractors of Kalamazoo, have been awarded the contract for building a jail and sheriff's residence for Berrien county at St. Joseph.

The Third [illegible] has elected C. F. Boynton, of Port Huron, as its colonel.

Dr. W. A. Polglas, of Detroit, has been chosen superintendent of the Michigan home for the feeble minded at Lapeer.

A Grand Rapids syndicate has secured, by purchase, a deed of the Harrison telephone patents for Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas and will proceed to exploit the invention and establish local exchanges in that territory.

Masonic lodges located in Saginaw, west side, will erect a temple to cost $20,000.

The statement is without foundation that the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railway is offering free passes both ways to all prospective settlers on its lines.

Alfred Starr, a Finlander, bartender in Ole Skamfer's saloon, in Ironwood, was fatally stabbed by Gus Clemola, another Finn.

All the Reformed churches at Holland and vicinity observed Wednesday as a day of prayer for crops and general industry.

Henry Whitmore, a resident of the town of Pavilion since 1858, is dead. He was 78 years old.

Archie Huff, freight agent of the F. & P. M., at Vassar, fell from a car while handling a barrel of sugar. The barrel struck his skull, crushing it, and his recovery is doubtful.

C. H. Chapman, of West Reading, Hillsdale county, has tapped 700 maple trees, and is preparing to do an extensive maple sugar business.

The Amazon Hosiery company, of Michigan City, employing 500 hands, will move to Muskegon.

Three saloonkeepers at Crystal Falls savagely beat Rev. Mr. Smits, a Presbyterian minister, for peering in their windows.

Adrian will vote on a proposition to bond itself for $60,000 for public improvements.

Eugene Groger, a prominent farmer of Cambridge, has died of injuries received by being struck by a falling tree.

At Battle Creek officers and citizens captured two tramps after a 4-mile chase in which fifty shots were exchanged. No one was hurt.

TODD PROTESTS.

The Congressional Candidate Fighting the Anti-Fusion Act.

LANSING, March 20.—A. M. Todd, prohibition candidate for congress in the Third district, has made application for a mandamus compelling the board of election commissioners to place his name upon other tickets than his party ticket, on the official ballot for the coming election, and an order to show cause was granted, returnable on Saturday, March 23. The proceedings are commenced to test the constitutionality of the anti-fusion act, passed by the legislature last week, prohibiting a candidate's name from appearing more than once on the official ballot.

MAY FESTIVAL.

Great Artists to Appear at the Coming Ann Arbor Affair.

ANN ARBOR, March 18.—Clarence Eddy, of Chicago, will give a special organ recital during the May festival in this city. This makes a fourth concert of the series which ends with the performance of Berlioz' "Damnation of Faust," by the choral union of 280 voices, the Boston festival orchestra of thirty-six pieces and the following soloists: Mme. Nordica, soprano; Rose Stuart, soprano; Gertrude May Stein, contralto; Rieger, tenor; Max Henrich, baritone; Clark, of New York, bass. The festival will cost $4,000, $1,500 more than last year.

Electric Road to Mount Clemens.

DETROIT, March 18.—A mortgage for $300,000 has been given by the Rapid Transit Railway company of this city to the Finance company of Pennsylvania, as trustees, to secure bonds of that amount, to be guaranteed by the Finance company. The railway company is about to build an electric road from Detroit to Mount Clemens, a distance of 21 miles. It is expected to be completed by July 1.

Seniors Decide on a Programme.

ANN ARBOR, March 14.—The senior laws decided on an elaborate programme for the unveiling of the bronze bust of Judge Thomas M. Cooley. The exercises will be held about April 22, and it was voted to invite Judge Dillon, of New York; Judge Graves, of Adrian; Alfred Russell, of Detroit; President Angell and Prof. Griffin to make addresses.

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MRS. WILLIAMS.

MRS. JENNIE WILLIAMS, of *Mohawk, Lane Co., Oregon*, writes: "I was sick for over three years with blind dizzy spells, palpitation of the heart, pain in the back and head, and at times would have such a weak tired feeling when I first got up in the morning, and at times nervous chills. The physicians differed as to what my disease was, but none of them did me any good. As soon as I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I began to get better; could sleep well nights, and that bad, nervous feeling and pain in my back soon left me. I can walk several miles without getting tired. I took in all three bottles of 'Prescription' and two of 'Discovery.'"

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of James L. Remington, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of George Howell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms and conditions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper. It is Ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of April, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate. (A True Copy.) E. A. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

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I light my pipe contentedly and puff and puff away.

Puff, puff, puff!
Though the wind the casement cuff,
A full pipe of tobacco

Is sleep the time for dreaming? Well, I dream my dreams awake,
I love the varying visions that a wreath of smoke can make.
The scent of my tobacco makes me reconciled to stay
In a world which hath no sorrow but a pipe can puff away.

Puff, puff, puff!
Let the world go smooth or rough,
A pipe of rich tobacco
Brings me happiness enough.

In the blue smoke round me curling rise the Carolina hills,
The sunlight on the meadows and the ripple on the rills,
And the valleys of Virginia seem to blossom with the May,
And I hear the reapers singing as I puff and puff away.

Puff, puff, puff!
What though fortune should rebuff?
A pipe of fine tobacco
Brings me happiness enough.

Old friends I loved come smiling through each misty wreath that curls,
I hear the fiddle's music, see the red lips of the girls.
The snows of life's December have a rainbow tinted ray,
And a sweet face I remember makes me sigh and puff away!

Puff, puff, puff!
Life is rosy, life is rough,
But a pipe of sweet tobacco
Brings me happiness enough.

But I smile, for I'm contented, and no visions can provoke,
When the frosty air is scented with old time tobacco smoke.
The girls I love are married, and their golden locks are gray,
Be my blessing to them carried as I puff and puff away!

Puff, puff, puff!
Let the wind the casement cuff,
A pipe of rare tobacco
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—P. L. Stanton in Southern Tobacco Journal.

A DESERT MYSTERY.

Colonel Whitehead is a story teller from way back and has a reputation as a raconteur that spreads over a dozen western states and territories and from the waters of the Atlantic to those of the Pacific. He has had innumerable thrilling adventures, both in war and in peace, and when in the proper humor he will spin yarns of the most absorbing interest by the hour.

One story that he related as we were jogging along behind the mules on a recent trip to the undoubted gateway of sheol—i. e., the sulphur banks of Kern county—is so uncanny and strange that I will venture to repeat it.

"Some three years ago," said the colonel, "I was engaged in making a survey from Rogers, on the Mojave desert, to Antioch. We made rapid progress toward Fort Tejon pass, and it became necessary to check up the line, measuring distances from government corners, that the road might be accurately located upon the filing map. This work was assigned to an old genius whom I will call Buck, a man past 65, tough as a knot and as wicked as a pirate. Frequently he would set his rickety old transit with the lens wrong end to, and after trying to locate the flag for 15 or 20 minutes he would discover his error, and then such swearing as he indulged in is rarely heard outside the forecastle of a man-of-war. I sometimes think the strange manifestation which I am about to relate to you might have been due to Buck's profanity. Certainly if man can ever have power to summon spirits, evil or good, from the nether world, Buck ought to have had that power in no small measure.

"I began the inspection of the survey preparatory to the right of way work, starting at Rogers, a desolate station on the A. and P. road, on the borders of an immense dry lake. We made our first camp some 15 miles west of that point. The regular survey camp was at this time near Gorman's Station, under the shadows of Mount Frazier. Our camp was a rude settler's cabin, and near it was a shack barn with a little hay stored in it. A well of fairly good water close by made a comfortable camp a possibility. It was late in October, and the water had risen near the surface in the bed of the dry lake. We had eaten our supper the first night out and were having a quiet smoke, looking out over the desolato expanse of desert toward Lancaster, a station on the Southern Pacific road, some 25 or 30 miles to the southwest. Buck had been entertaining us with yarns about ghosts that he insisted haunted an old mining camp near Owens' lake and was inclined to feel hurt because I laughed at his tales.

"When darkness came on and only the outlines of the gaunt mountains across the desert were discernible in the starlight, Buck of a sudden said, 'Colonel, I never thought an engine headlight could be seen so plainly at Lancaster.'

"'Nor did I,' was my reply, as I saw close to the ground at a distance difficult to estimate a round, strange colored light or ball of fire, very like a locomotive headlight. A moment's watching, however, soon convinced me that the light was erratic in its movements and was nothing more or less than a grand display of the 'ignis fatuus' or will o' the wisp, something I had seen many times at the ends of the spars or mastheads of a ship at sea, but never on land or in such magnitude. I said to Buck: 'It's no headlight. It's one of your ghosts come to convince me of the truth of your stories.' He turned white as a sheet and grasped me by the arm, saying, 'It's coming dead for us, sure as we live.'

"And so it was. Dancing up and down, it came nearer and nearer. I must confess it made even me a trifle nervous, while as for Buck, he evidently took my joke about the ghost in dead earnest and was completely panic stricken. 'For God's sake!' he cried, 'let us get out of this,' and was on the point of jumping up and running off into the desert when all of a sudden the light disappeared and I was seen no more that night.

"Buck finally quieted down, though I could see by his nervousness and frequent quick glances in the direction in which the light had appeared that he was still in dread of its reappearance.

hours, trying to explain the real nature of the phenomenon, and that no possible harm could come of it. But he would not have it that way, and all that I could say did not influence his superstitious dread of the strange appearance.

"'Colonel,' he said, 'it's a hoodoo. This railroad scheme and its promoters will die suddenly. Sure!'

"I laughed at his fears, and we lay down to rather a restless night. The work in this section was not completed next day in time to return to the main camp, and half a dozen times in the course of the work Buck spoke about the 'ghosts,' as he persisted in calling the phenomenon, and he was even more muddled than usual in his manipulation of the transit. Finally his slowness caused night to come on before our task was completed, and we therefore returned at dusk to the same camping place as the night before.

"After we had eaten supper Buck said: 'Colonel, I never want to see that infernal light again. Ghosts or no ghosts, it's no good, and no luck will come of it.'

"The words were scarcely out of his mouth when, apparently not more than a hundred yards away, the huge ball of fire appeared like a flash, dancing up and down and seemingly coming dead toward us. Now Buck became almost beside himself with terror. 'Let's go, and the quicker the better,' shouted my now thoroughly alarmed companion, but suddenly, as on the previous night, the light vanished. Buck then recovered some portion of his equanimity, and though he was still anxious to return to camp I finally persuaded him that there was danger that we would lose our way if we ventured out on the desert after dark, while if we remained there was nothing to be afraid of. Neither of us slept much, however, for I must confess that I had a sort of 'creepy' sensation myself, and we were up early next morning, completed our work and got an early start back to camp.

"While we were on the road Buck said: 'Colonel, I don't want to discourage you, but the people who are at the head of this scheme to build a competing railroad will die suddenly, and this work will stop. In fact, I wouldn't wonder if you and I both went over the range with them to keep them company. But they are going, sure!'

"'How little you know!' I replied, and I could say no more, as my backers were then unknown.

"Now let me tell you the strange sequel. The very same week that Buck made his prediction the Barings failed. Early in November Henry D. Minot, the leading spirit and financial head of the enterprise, was killed in a railroad accident while returning from Washington, where he had concluded the purchase of General Beale's ranches in every detail save the passing of the papers and paying the money, the intention having been to subdivide that immense estate of 264,000 acres.

"On Thanksgiving day of the same month came orders to close the work, discharge everybody and break camp. The following year Allan Manvel, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road, died after a brief illness, he having been the second backer of this great enterprise, and soon followed the death of Mr. Magoun of the great banking house of Baring, Magoun & Co., the third and last of the promoters of a rival railroad to the Southern Pacific system.

"What became of Buck?" I asked as the colonel paused.

"Buck? Just read that clipping," and the colonel took from his pocketbook a worn bit of newspaper and handed it to me. It read as follows:

BAGDAD, Colorado Desert, Jan. 15, 1890.

An old inspector and surveyor known as Buck Pomeroy disappeared mysteriously from his camp at this point three days ago, and no trace of him has been found. He was in company with two friends and was apparently in good health and spirits. They all retired as customary early in the evening, but in the morning Buck was missing, and diligent search has failed to find him. He went away just as he was rolled in his blankets—barefooted and half dressed. One of the men said he thought he heard Buck's voice in the night saying something about some ghosts being after him, but he thought it was a dream and so paid no attention to it. Buck has evidently joined that innumerable caravan of men whose bones whiten the remote sections of the desert and will doubtless remain forever without burial.

I folded up the clipping and returned it to the colonel. He put it back in his pocketbook without a word.—San Francisco Call.

Swells of Ancient Egypt.

From what has come down to us, written, painted or chiseled, the Egyptian lord must have been a great swell. The details of the twelfth dynasty show Egyptian elegance at its best. The lord has a male housekeeper, his maitre d'hote, called "superintendent of the provision house." There was a "superintendent of the baking house," and the mixer of drinks had the title of "scribe of the sideboard." Perhaps he was a butler and regulated the supply of wines from the cellar. There were gardeners, porters and handicraft men, all busy in attending to the master. "A preparer of sweets" must have been a confectioner. The Egyptian, when he was no longer mortal, had hopes of being well fed in the hereafter, as he believed he would be nourished in his particular heaven with abundant goose and beef. Offerings to the gods show the variety of the Egyptian menu, and in one are included 10 kinds of cooked meat, 5 kinds of bird or game, 16 varieties of bread and cake, 6 assorted wines, 4 brews of beers, 11 sorts of fruits and an endless number of sweet things.—New York Times.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning March 24. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, Clean and Unclean.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Lev. xi; Ezek. xxii, 23.

Much stress is laid in the Mosaic law upon cleanness, actual and ceremonial. Many of the rules were necessary as sanitary measures in a camp such as that of the Hebrews during their wilderness life. Others were of wider application as health measures in all communities and times. Still others were largely if not wholly ritualistic and symbolical. The great lesson constantly impressed upon them by their lawgiver was: Ye are a peculiar people, a pure nation, a holy community. Cleanliness of body, garments, food, conversation and dealings with others were ever to be reminders of the duty to be pure in heart, because God is good and pure and holy. Oftentimes the inner soul condition was forgotten in undue anxiety about external bodily conditions. Bodily exercise, afflictions and fastings took the place of penitence and contrition of spirit. Many incidents in the gospel narratives show how deeply rooted in the thoughts and habits of the people were the distinctions between clean and unclean things.

Peter's vision on the house top of Simon, the tanner of Jaffa, and his dissembling at Antioch years subsequently in regard to eating with gentiles are indications of the almost slavish observance of ritualistic distinctions even among the Christian Jews. Under such circumstances the teachings of Paul to the Galations must have seemed to many, as Peter says, "hard to be understood." And yet he clearly, in his letter to the Romans, lays down the true principle, which he emphasizes in those to the Corinthians, "There is nothing unclean of itself, but to him that esteemeth anything to be unclean, to him it is unclean."

It is the truth, as Jesus himself taught—not that which goeth into a man defileth him, but the words and acts which express the condition of the inner man are the things which defile.

Our Connectionalism.

One has pride in his native state, but every true American has a deeper fervor of patriotism regarding the United States than he has toward his own commonwealth. So with Methodists. Our worldwide connectionalism is a fact of profound significance. When in a single issue of one of our church papers we trace the movements of our bishops and secretaries of benevolent societies in widely separated lands we realize to some extent how our work has expanded, and as our prayers and gifts are poured out to assist the extension of the kingdom we take deeper interest in tracing the progress. Bishop Fitzgerald is in South America. With Dr. Drees he visits Peru and Chile, and crossing the Andes will also visit Buenos Ayres, Uruguay and Paraguay and Brazil. Bishop Ninde is in China pushing toward the interior. In May Bishop Walden sails for Japan and China via Honolulu, where he will stop to inspect our newly established mission.

Temperance Effort.

The Endeavor societies are giving much attention to this line of work and to the cultivation of patriotism. It is well for us to remember the high professions of our church in temperance matters and not let the utterances of the discipline become merely official sentiments. Earnest, aggressive work is needed. In many of our communities the Leagues hold it in their power, united with the young people's societies of the other churches, to create public sentiment and secure the banishment of the saloon. Is not such effort directly in the line of Christian advancement? Temperance work should receive renewed attention.

Self Made.

In a certain sense all who amount to anything in this world are self made. Each must use his own faculties, and by using develop them, else they remain forever in embryo. One must "look up" for himself until he catches sight of the ideal revealed only to his own inner eye. Then must he "lift up" all his powers of spirit and body to make real that which his artist prophet soul has seen in vision. Yet no one can truly make himself what he should be except he helps make others as they should be and in turn is helped by others to be what he should become.

Practical Fraternity.

Whether organic reunion of the several branches of American Methodism come soon or linger later, practical fellowship is demonstrated when Dr. Carman of Canada gives the address at the New England convention, and Dr. Schell gives an address at the great Canadian convention, and Dr. S. A. Steel of Nashville gives an address at the New Jersey state convention. The League will demonstrate the oneness of the Christian spirit possessing our Methodism. All the rest that is desirable will come in God's time.

Think of It.

A true Christian never grumbles.

If you know a man is wrong, your duty is to tell him of it and not his neighbor.

To do God's will is the first obligation of every soul and should be the supreme business of every life.

The performance of Christian duty should be like a carriage wheel rather than a grindstone. Both have motion enough, but only one has progress.

The best way to avoid being crushed by your own burdens is to help some other one bear his.

Some things seem made purely for ornament, but a Christian doesn't come into that class.

Vinegar and mustard are valuable in their places, but sour or fiery Christians are of no use anywhere.

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Backache.

ST. JACOBS OIL

SAFE, SURE, PROMPT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jacob Totten, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Bersley Griffin, of Dover, Lenawee county, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 2d day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. E. BARRGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 87, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER, Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 26th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Anzolette Osgood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah L. Green, a daughter of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles Burridge, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barrgar, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Philip DePuy, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Waldron and James Hendershot, defendants, to said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said James Hendershot in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as commencing at a point in the south line of Section 13, town 5 South of Range 4 East, 5.73½ chains east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 13; thence north along the east line of land sold and conveyed by O. Hough to Josiah and A. J. Woodard, 40 and 97-100 chains to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on the quarter line 14 and 3-100 chains to the northeast corner of the west half of said southeast quarter; thence south along the east line of said west half of said quarter section 18 and 44-100 chains; thence south 31 degrees 10 minutes west, 15 and 8-100 chains, being the center line of the Saline road, to the south line of said section 13; thence west on that (Section) line to place of beginning, containing 52 and 62-100 acres. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, on the 9th day of March next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 24, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
WATTS, BEAN & SMITH,
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

This sale is adjourned till March 21, 1895, at the same hour and place.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of March, 1895, and on the 24 day of August, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, February 14, 1895.

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Jackson Branch. In Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 321. Express	No. 323. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	11 40 P.M.
Napoleon.....	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 33 "
Norvell.....	6 37 "	2 39 "	1 50 "
Manchester.....	6 45 "	2 45 "	1 58 "
Clinton.....	6 56 "	2 51 "	2 08 "
Tecumseh.....	7 03 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 50 "	3 45 "	2 55 "
Detroit.....Ar	10 15 "	6 25 "	5 30 "
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 50 "	3 45 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 9:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express	No. 320. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	11 30 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	3 50 "	6 50 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 30 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	7 34 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 46 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table

In Effect January 6, 1895.

EAST. No. 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
	A. M. 11 30	L....Allegan.....A	P. M. 1 40	
	11 54	Monteith.....	1 14	
A. M.	12 16	Yorkville.....	12 56	A. M.
7 20	1 01	Battle Creek.....	12 05	1 25
8 20	7 45	Marshall.....	11 01	12 23
9 05	8 25	Homer.....	11 09	11 43
9 55	9 11	Hanover.....	10 38	11 09
11 20	10 05	Addison.....	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 11	Devils Lake.....	9 53	9 54
12 50	10 29	Onsted.....	9 40	9 35
....	10 31	Sand Lake.....	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	Tipton.....	9 15	9 14
1 51	11 06	Tecumseh.....	9 10	8 53
2 11	11 17	Ridgeway.....	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	Britton.....	8 46	8 30
3 10	11 39	Rea.....	8 42	*8 19
3 35	11 50	Dundee.....	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	A.....Toledo.....L	7 25	6 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.

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TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51 -Local Mail and Express	10:28 a m
*No. 53 -Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:27 p m
No. 59—St. Louis Express	8:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 -Atlantic Express	6:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	6:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:59 p m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:18 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,
6:40 A. M., 11:35 A. M., 8:42 P. M.,
—FOR—
Ann Arbor, Howell, Owoss, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadalac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH.
Trains leave Dundee,
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Annual Statement of Finances of the Village of Tecumseh for year ending March 11th, 1895.

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand beginning of year,		$1,117.34
Sale of Windmill,		12.00
H. W. Conkling, rebate,		200.00
Poll tax collected,		106.00
Corporation tax,		7,309.25
Liquor tax,		1,485.00
Licenses,		19.00
Building sidewalks,		110.00
Miscellaneous,		20.00
Transferred from Water Fund,		375.00
		10,754.28

EXPENSES.

Casper Cobb,	4 orders,	$59.50
Wm. Mellon,	8 "	99.75
E. Ames,	5 "	43.58
V. J. Woodard,	2 "	27.50
Jno. McCaughn,	3 "	36.50
J. H. Atea,	2 "	2.85
J. S. Gilman,	2 "	8.55
D. L. Whitenack & Co.,	2 orders,	35.00
Satterthwaite Bros.,	2 orders,	94.38
J. E. Lowry and Jas. Mitchell,	4 orders,	1,100.00
G. W. Frazer,	2 orders,	14.00
C. Avery,	2 "	1.88
J. Davidson,	2 "	27.00
E. Prichard,	3 "	2.79
A. James,	4 "	93.32
Chase Nat. Bank,	2 "	1,754.38
L. L. Bates,	12 "	215.64
W. E. Gray,	12 "	185.42
J. H. Smith,	2 "	11.49
Telephone Co.,	2 "	15.00
Temple, McClure & Co.,	2 orders,	359.42
L. B. Thompson,	22 orders,	310.80
S. C. Stacy,	5 "	24.25
H. W. Stevens,	7 "	180.01
S. W. Bordine,	5 "	108.00
C. F. Field,	7 "	9.75
C. A. Wright,	7 "	333.00
W. J. Ingersoll,	6 "	191.33
Tecumseh Electric Co.,	14 orders,	2,042.49
Albert Hyde,	23 "	485.73
Geo. Heesen,	2 "	17.00
Horatio Keyser,	2 "	20.10
Jas. E. Lowry,	2 "	72.00
H. C. Conkling,	1 "	2.00
Hocking Fuel Co.,		24.23
L. P. Tribou,		50.00
Fogman, Bassett, Hatch Co.,		17.00
D. McNair,		2.00
F. J. McNair,		2.00
Payne's book-bindery,		6.00
M. L. Root,		2.00
John A. Smith,		1.20
T. Lewis,		22.00
Dr. F. O. Tefft,		15.00
Wm. Smith,		2.00
W. S. Morse,		2.00
C. E. Williamson,		2.00
C. A. Hooten,		40.00
J. W. Wightman,		2.00
Robt. Moir,		2.00
C. D. Bills,		2.00
Frank Slater,		2.52
E. N. Satterthwaite,		6.85
A. Richard,		2.00
Robt. McGill,		4.25
F. Zeluff,		5.00
Blessing Bros.,		3.00
H. Weller,		52.25
C. J. & M. Ry.,		5.00
John Linton,		5.00
T. Elliott and W. H. Smith,		260.63
Geo. Zimmerman,		7.50
Thos. Elliott,		45.50
L. B. Richart,		6.15
Jas. Elliott,		17.05
I. W. Johnston Co. Ltd.,		6.00
W. C. Burridge,		35.00
Chas. Dickson,		1.00
		8,655.68
Balance on hand,		2,097.60

WATER WORKS FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Cash turned over by W. C. Burridge, ex-clerk,		$289.00
C. J. M. Ry. water tanks,		1,209.35
Tap fees,		253.00
Water rates,		790.87
		2,539.12

DISBURSEMENTS.

Telephone Co.,	2 orders,	$15.00
A. Park,	8 "	34.27
The Hocking Fuel Co.,	5 "	120.59
Temple, McClure & Co.,	2 "	12.27
R. Owen,	7 "	23.32
C. J. M. Ry. Co.,	5 "	231.53
C. A. Hooten,	12 "	180.00
Mich. Supply Co.,	4 "	164.28
S. C. Stacy,	2 "	6.50
Chase Nat. Bank,	1 "	3.19
C. F. Field,	1 "	3.00
C. Patterson,	1 "	1.45
Tecumseh Fence Co.,	1 "	10.35
A. James,	1 "	.90
Monitor Oil Co.,	1 "	6.87
W. J. Ingersoll,	1 "	.25
S. P. Hosmer,		11.25
J. R. Hosmer,		4.50
C. A. Slayton,		1.13
R. G. Goff,		1.50
Satterthwaite Bros.		137.45
J. D. Kinney & Co.,		4.50
John A. Heck,		.90
H. W. Conkling,		3.00
Transferred to General Fund,		475.00
		1,063.11
Balance on hand,		870.10

CEMETERY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Received from Ex-treasurer L. P. Tribou,		$355.29
Lots sold,		183.50
Interment fees and vault rent,		211.00
		749.79

DISBURSEMENTS.

W. C. Jordan,	15 orders,	$559.28
W. H. Smith,	1 "	35.00
J. S. Gilman,	1 "	18.00
Satterthwaite Bros.,	1 "	3.78
Baker & Hall,	1 "	3.33
		589.39
Balance on hand,		160.40

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

March 11th, 1895.

Council Proceedings.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, March 11th, 1895.

Present, the entire council, except Trustee Satterthwaite. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Marshal presented written report, showing that during year ending March 14th, 1895, 503 tramps had been lodged in the village lock-up. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Finance committee reported that they had examined the report of the village treasurer and that same was correct. Said report showed balances as follows: Amount received from former treasurer, $1117.34; received during year, $9,636.94; total, $10,754.28; expenditures, $8,656.68; balance on hand, $2,097.60.

Water Works Fund. Receipts for year $2,539.12; expenditures, $1,663.11; balance on hand, $876.01.

Cemetery Fund. Amount received from former treasurer $355.29; received during year $394.50; expenditures $589.39; balance on hand, $160.40.

On motion, supported, above report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Marshal's report of taxes collected, presented, showing amount of roll, $7,723.35; fees for collecting, remitted, and errors on roll; $376.60 turned over to treasurer $7,346.75; collected from sidewalks built, Heck estate, $34.50, Kemp, $23.00; total $7,404.25. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk with his recommendation that orders be drawn for several amounts: Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $5.00; S. C. Stacy, printing, $5.00; W. J. Ingersoll, services on board of registration and money expended, $6.61; Electrical Engineer, advertising, $5.00; Dr. F. O. Tefft, services as health officer for past year, $15.00; the following for services on election board: Henry Smith, $2.00; G. W. Frazer, $2.00; Albert Hyde, $2.00; H. W. Stevens, $2.00; H. B. Root, $2.00; W. S. Morse $2.00; E. Ames $2.00; D. T. Hall, services board of registration, $2.00; C. A. Wright, same, $2.00; services as purchasing agent for past year, $25.00. On motion, supported, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for said several amounts. The bill of H. W. Conkling, for services on Water Board, was referred to Water Board.

Moved and supported, that a committee of two, Trustee Smith, chairman of street committee, to be one member thereof, be appointed by president to attend meeting of township board of the township of Tecumseh, and place before them the necessity of a new bridge over the Raisin River, in Brownville, and endeavor to obtain assistance therefore, from the township of Tecumseh. Carried. Thereupon president appointed as other member of committee, Trustee Wright.

Moved and supported the clerk obtain necessary record books, assessment rolls and supplies, for use of village. Carried.

The council then proceeded to canvas the results of the village election, held March 11th, 1895.

For president, Joseph H. Smith received 170 votes, George Heesen, 152. Joseph H. Smith's majority 18.

For clerk, Will J. Ingersoll received 197 votes, Robert S. Moore, 119. Will J. Ingersoll's majority 78.

For treasurer, George W. Knapp received 159 votes, George Marsden 158, George W. Knapp's majority 1.

For trustee, two years, Hendrick Heesen received 168 votes, James Lowry 119, Hendrick Heesen's majority 22.

Daniel T. Hall received 184 votes, Elmer Hause 129, Daniel T. Hall's majority 55.

James A. Boyd received 183 votes, Benjamin F. Snyder 132, James A. Boyd's majority 51.

For assessor, Sylvester P. Hosmer received 174 votes, Horace Weller 43, Sylvester P. Hosmer's majority 31.

The council thereupon declared the various candidates receiving the largest number of votes, elected, to wit:

President—Joseph H. Smith.
Clerk—Will J. Ingersoll.
Treasurer—George W. Knapp.
Trustees, two years—Hendrick Heesen, Daniel T. Hall, James A. Boyd.
Assessor—Sylvester P. Hosmer.

On recommendation of the chairman of the cemetery committee it was moved and supported that the sexton construct an addition to the tool house at cemetery, to be not larger than 12 x 16 feet. Carried.

Moved and supported, that the clerk, Trustees Hall and Satterthwaite act as a committee to prepare and present at next meeting a resolution and blank specifications for proposals for furnishing electric lights for street lighting of the village. Carried.

Council then adjourned until April 8th, 1895, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALES.

I will sell at public auction on the corner of Chicago and Railroad streets on Saturday, March 23, at 2 o'clock p. m., one bay mare, 10 years old, standard bred; one bay filly, 19 months old, standard bred; 1 top buggy, single harness, robe and blanket.

W. A. BENNETT, Auctioneer.

The undersigned will sell at public sale, on the farm of J. G. Roberts, 1 1-2 miles northeast of Tecumseh, on Wednesday, March 27, 1895, at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property: One span heavy draft horses, bay mare 5 years old, between 40 and 50 sheep, 2 lumber wagons, one nearly new; pair bob sleighs, Bickford & Houghman drill with grass sower attached, hay rake, 2 plows, Wood binder and Wood mower, iron harrow, 2-horse cultivator, gang plow, 2 corn cultivators, land roller, stock rack, set double harness, pair scales, and other articles too numerous to mention. Usual terms.

J. G. ROBERTS.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

The subscriber having rented her farm will sell at public auction on the premises, one-half mile west and one-half mile south of the village of Clinton, on Thursday, March 28, at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property: Five good horses; bay gelding, gray gelding, sorrel driving horse, black gelding 3 years old, black mare (a good road horse), 2 cows, 7-8 Jersey bull 1 year old, 17 shoats, new wide-tire wagon, Wood mower, wheel spring tooth harrow, land roller, Planet, Jr. Cultivator, riding plow, walking plow, hay rack, set double harness, mounted grindstone, new Clipper fanning mill, good cook stove, grain cradle, and other articles too numerous to mention. Also a quantity of hay, oats and corn in the ear. Usual terms.

ANNA M. CONGER.
A. C. AYLESWORTH, Auctioneer.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the premises, three miles east of Tecumseh, opposite Frank Davidson's, on Thursday, March 28, '95, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property: One gray gelding, 10 years old; 1 bay gelding, 13 years old; 1 bay filly, coming 2 years old, sired by Albert Knittin's Clyde stallion; 2 milch cows, will calve in October; 1 Durham steer, coming 2 years old; 14 full-blood Shropshire breeding ewes, with lamb by one of Ell Gra's best rams; 26 half-blood Shropshire lambs; 2 Walter A. Wood mowers; 1 fine tooth cultivator; 1 set double harness; 3 bushels kiln dried White Dent sweet corn; 2 wheel cultivators; 1 Scotch harrow, and other articles too numerous to mention. Usual terms.

ELIZA SANFORD.
FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

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"I Recommend Pe-ru-na to All Sufferers," Says Editor W. T. Powell, of Clarendon, Ohio.

W. T. Powell, editor of the Independent of Clarendon, Ohio, writes that he was taken sick with bronchitis and catarrhal fever, head was in a terrible condition, lungs were badly affected, being so tight and sore he could hardly breathe, and coughed almost incessantly. For two months tried local physicians, took cough medicines and other medicines. Took three bottles of Pe-ru-na and was entirely cured.

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It is quite probable that the first use in this country of electric force as the motive power on a large and important railroad system, in place of steam, will be seen on the road between New York and Boston.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

JOHN W. PATTERSON, acting teller of the Traders' bank at Strathroy, Ont., was missing with $5,000 of the bank's funds.

EX-POSTMASTER GENERAL JAMES was elected mayor of Tenafly, N. J.

THREE men attempted to rob a bank at Roanoke, Ind., and were pursued by citizens of the town, but escaped.

IN his attack upon the income tax before the supreme court Attorney Choate said it smacked of jobbery.

AT Cherokee, Ia., Judge Ladd decided the petition of saloonkeepers was void, and every saloon in town was closed.

THE world's standing hop, skip and jump record was broken at Danville, Ky., by Thomas A. Hendricks, who made 39 feet and 4 inches 5 inches over the record.

TWO little girls were instantly killed in Baltimore by coming in contact with a fallen electric wire.

A NEW electric gun has been patented at Springfield, O., that will fire a thousand shots a minute.

A TERRIFIC windstorm near Eufaula, Ala., swept away buildings, trees and fences, causing a heavy loss.

JUDGE WILDERMAN, at Mascoutah, decided that matrimonial brokerage is not a legal business in Illinois.

WINCHESTER, Va., was under military control, trouble having arisen over an attempt to lynch a negro.

THE gold exportation during February amounted to $1,365,194 and the importation to $5,632,197. For the eight months ended February 28 the exportations of gold amounted to $58,394,767, and the imports to $16,025,325.

HOLT, SCHAEFER & CO., tobacconists at Lynchburg, Va., assigned with very heavy liabilities.

JOHN MILLIGAN, who murdered Gabe and Hannah Clark November 3, 1893, was hanged at Oklahoma City. It was the first legal hanging in Oklahoma territory.

AN express train on the Vandalia road was wrecked and the cars burned near Terre Haute, Ind., and several persons were injured.

THE number of immigrants arriving in this country during February, 1895, was 9,608, against 9,602 during February, 1894. For the last eight months the total was 126,129, against 199,129 during the same period last year.

THE Connecticut legislature has repealed the last of the blue laws of that state.

FIRE in a building at Hartford, Conn., occupied by Charles R. Hart & Co., dealers in house furnishings, did $100,000 damage.

WRECKAGE of the Chicora, which went down during the winter with twenty-four persons on board, was washed ashore at St. Joseph, Mich.

CAREFUL estimates place the amount of fish killed by the February freezing in the shallow bays on the Texas coast south of the mouth of the Brazos river at 35,000 tons.

THE attorney for the defense of Harry Hayward, under sentence of death at Minneapolis for murder, announces that new and important evidence has been discovered.

AN incendiary fire destroyed John Harper's barn at Goshen, Ind., and thirteen valuable horses and two calves were burned to death.

JOHN NOBLE, John Wolf, Andrew Noland and John Lowe, members of a gang of counterfeiters, were arrested at Kansas City, Mo.

THE Illinois supreme court has declared unconstitutional the section of the eight-hour law relating to the employment of women.

PLANS have about been completed for the colonization of 14,000 old soldiers in Georgia on 100,000 acres of land.

UNKNOWN assassins murdered Mrs. Kolinski and her daughter near Greensburg, Pa. The victims were returning to Hungary.

JAMES FOSTER was killed and three other persons injured in a fire at Laramie, Wyo., which destroyed property worth $100,000.

BECAUSE negroes have been admitted to the Federation of Women's clubs the Georgia Women's Press club has withdrawn.

JUDGE ROURKE, of Fort Wayne, Ind., decided that corporations were entitled under the law to discharge employes who belong to labor unions.

THE exports of merchandise during February were $56,308,543; imports during same period, $58,326,352. For the eight months ended February 28 the excess of exports over imports was $91,967,932.

THERE were 266 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 15th, against 234 the week previous and 204 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A. B. SNELLING shot and killed Charles McCullough near Helena, Mont., and then shot his own head off. The men had been drinking and quarreled.

THE bodies of three men were found in a lumber camp near Ingram Wis. They were supposed to have been accidentally poisoned.

A BILL passed by the Nebraska legislature prohibits the manufacture or sale of cigarettes or material for cigarettes in the state.

THE firm of Cushman Bros. & Co., manufacturers of window shades at Boston, went into insolvency with liabilities of $150,000.

BENJAMIN JENNETTA and his wife were shot to death by Arcangelo and Nicholas Cristilli, two fellow Italians, in a trivial quarrel at McGregor, Minn.

CHARLES HEASLEY, a school-teacher, and Mary Boyd, aged 24, while crossing the track in a buggy at Milburn, Pa., were instantly killed by an express train.

Let us hope the man or woman on whom the Worth mantle falls will not have such expansive ideas when it comes to originating styles in sleeves.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Pair Highest Award.

SECRETARY GRESHAM notified the Spanish government that immediate apology must be made for firing on an American ship. A promise not to do so again will also be required.

MRS. SARAH LAMBERT, a poor widow living near Crown Point, Ind., received notice that she and her children had been left $1,000,000 by a lately deceased relative.

THE business portion of the village of Devine, Tex., was burned.

AMBASSADOR FAYA called the state department's attention to the killing of Italian subjects at Walsenburg, Col., and requested prompt punishment of the murderers.

WHILE resisting arrest at Batavia, N. Y., Pat Nugent, a rag dealer, shot and instantly killed Sheriff Harvey Johnson and afterwards shot himself.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 15th aggregated $808,306,977, against $1,068,852,773, the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 5.5.

ANDY GIBSON (colored) was lynched by a mob at Forsythe, Ga., for criminal assault.

BY the burning of an express car on the Vandalia road near Terre Haute, Ind., $300,000 in gold and silver coin and bank bills were destroyed.

BRADSTREET'S reports few favorable trade features throughout the country and predicts continued small business and quiet demand.

SECRETARY SMITH decided that Buffalo Bill was the only showman who could take a party of Indians around the country this year.

MRS. FRANK SUMNER and Miss Nellie Closson were fatally burned by an explosion of gasoline in a St. Paul house.

WALTER I. CHAPIN, aged 79, and Mary A. Chapin, aged 78, lovers who were separated in youth, were married at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

WASH STRONG (colored) was hanged at Hawkensville, Ga., for the murder of Johnson Duncan in a dispute over cards in December, 1890.

FOUR mutual insurance companies in Toledo, O., were ordered to cease business as a result of an examination of their affairs.

THE Waukesha Hygeia Mineral Water company in Chicago went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of nearly $1,000,000.

THE building at Cleveland, O., occupied by the World and the A. N. Kellogg Newspaper company, was burned, the total loss being $150,000.

W. B. THOMAS and W. H. Morrison, counterfeiters, were captured with their outfits and spurious coin by St. Louis police.

NINE murderers held up the county jailer at Seattle, Wash., and escaped.

THREE men were killed, one fatally and ten seriously injured, and property worth $100,000 destroyed by the burning of the Wabash roundhouse at Toledo, O.

SEVERAL persons and hundreds of cattle were drowned and great damage done to property in Alabama by violent wind and rainstorms.

THE storage warehouse elevator of Hugh Rogers & Co., of St. Louis, was burned, with the contents, the loss being $200,000.

JOSEPH MILLETT died at Holbrook, Mass. He had taken no food for twenty-eight days and no water for eleven days.

JACOB GOLDBERG and his wife were suffocated by natural gas at Indianapolis.

BURGLARS murdered H. D. Reynolds, of Carey, O., and secreted the body in some place not yet discovered.

UNDER new postal regulations government officials, especially congressmen, are given more privileges in the matter of franking.

A BURGLAR chloroformed George Prosser and wife, who live near Moville, Ia., and robbed them of $600.

PASSENGERS on a steamer which arrived at Key West, Fla., from Havana said that the Spanish gunboat Arcedo fired into and sunk an American schooner off Puerto Padro and that the crew of the vessel, numbering sixteen men, perished with it.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 18th was: Wheat, 76,874,000 bushels; corn, 13,439,000 bushels; oats, 6,350,000 bushels; rye, 292,000 bushels; barley, 1,004,000 bushels.

WINDOW glass manufacturers of the United States will meet at Pittsburgh and form a trust.

CHARLES A. DANA, editor of the New York Sun, was held for criminally libeling Frank B. Noyes, of the Washington Star.

IN a fight near Woodward, O. T., between cowboys and cattle thieves Chip Baxter and Ed Burrell were killed by outlaws.

A LARGE number of the Pullman (Ill.) strikers of last summer with their families and others intend to settle this spring as a colony in the south.

MATTIE FREEMAN, the 17-year-old "contract" wife of Philander Freeman, 67 years old, shot herself dead at Springfield, Mo.

HENRY CHERRY, his wife and two sons, Raymond, 10, and Henry, 3, were poisoned, the two former fatally, by drinking water from a well near their home at Wichita, Kan.

GOV. SHELDON announced that for the period of one year the importation of Texas cattle into South Dakota would be forbidden.

A SHORTAGE of $700,000 was reported in the United States mint at Carson, Nev.

BECAUSE of an error of an enrolling clerk of the Indiana senate Gov. Matthews signed a bill which had not been passed.

NEWS reached Key West, Fla., that the American schooner Irene was fired into and dismasted by the Spanish cruiser Infanta Isabel.

THE National bank of Kansas City suspended with liabilities of $1,050,000 and assets of $1,880,000.

MRS. M. E. HOLTON, living alone on a ranch near Butte, Neb., was outraged and then lynched. Cattle rustlers were suspected of committing the crime.

A NEGRO shot two brothers named Pattingim at New Orleans, killing one and fatally wounding the other.

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SHALL WOMEN VOTE?

A Lively Debate on the Subject at the Maple Syrup Social.

The maple syrup social at the M. E. church, Friday evening, was largely attended and netted a snug amount to the society. The body of the church was well filled to hear the debate on woman suffrage. This proved very interesting as all the speakers presented strong arguments for their respective sides and the verdict was left to the listeners individually, as no judges were selected to decide the question as discussed. Miss Bertha Monagan acted as chairman and time keeper, and introduced the speakers.

Rev. J. P. Varner was the first speaker for the affirmative, and spoke principally of the unequal laws existing whereby women were taxed when they had no voice in making the laws. He cited some Eastern states, notably New Jersey, to show how unequal and unjust they were.

P. S. McKinnon was the first speaker for the negative, and in replying to Mr. Varner cited the Michigan laws whereby women were protected far beyond the men, as men were not heirs to their wives' property, etc. He made a strong plea for the unity of the home life, claiming that now woman's influence was unmeasurable and incalculable, but give her the ballot and you placed upon it a value to be estimated.

Miss Grace Burnett followed with a very spicy article. She claimed that woman possessed brains equal to man, and cited an instance at Oxford University in England, where a woman in competition with 1000 men came out first, and a similar one at Harvard in our country. She made several strong points in favor of giving the ballot to woman, and was given a liberal encore.

Miss Mary Eaton then presented some very strong arguments against granting to woman the ballot. She began her remarks by saying while some women clamored for the right of suffrage, the rank and file of the sex did not want it and showed wherein woman's influence would be greatly lessened were she given it. Her remarks were well received as the hearty applause given her testified.

Bert Day spoke very feelingly for the affirmative. He touched largely upon the moral side of the question, claiming if the ballot was given to women politics in all branches would be purified and raised to a higher standard.

Clarence Hurry followed with a carefully prepared paper in which he showed that the influence now wielded by woman in the home circle would be destroyed should she enter the arena of political life, and argued strongly against giving her the ballot.

Mr. Varner then closed the debate with a few stirring remarks, and the audience retired well satisfied with the manner in which the question had been discussed, and hoping similar discussions, on different subjects, may be given from time to time.

THE ANTI-FUSION LAW.

The State Supreme Court has decided that the Shaw anti-fusion law, so called, is constitutional and valid, but that it does not apply to Todd, the candidate for congress in the third district. In other words, all fusions made after the date of the passage of the law, are null. The candidate must elect what ticket he must run on, and in case of his failure to do so, the election commissioners will print his name on the ticket first certified. In the Todd case the Court says:

"There is no other alternative under this act, but that if the choice is not made by the candidate within the time, his name must be printed upon the ticket first certified, and if we hold that the relator may have further time beyond the time fixed by the act we must interpolate something into the statute. If this be done, what time shall be fixed when relator must make his choice? What is to guide us in fixing that time? Certainly not the act itself. But an arbitrary rule which we may adopt and which is not contained in the act. It cannot be presumed from the language of the statute that the legislature intended such a result as that one who could not conform to the provisions of the act, for the reason that the proceedings in his case had so far progressed as to render compliance by him of the act impossible, should be held within the act."

Three Justices concur in the decision. This decision may be all right, but it does not make the law itself all right. The act is one of the most iniquitous measures ever passed by a Michigan legislature. It practically disfranchises large numbers of voters. Every possible chance should be given to the voter to exercise the fullest measure of freedom in casting his ballot. Any curtailment of this privilege is an infringement upon his political rights. If the new ballot law is open to such a gross violation of justice and right, the sooner it is repealed, the better.

The women of Denver are taking a lively interest in the municipal campaign, and it looks as though they would knock out the machine politicians and control the nomination of clean and good men.

IN THE DAYS OF OLD ROME.

The Entertainment of the Monday Club Given Last Evening.

The Monday Club is the name of a social organization, the membership of which is made up of married ladies of the village who have a taste for art and literature. They have made a specialty of Roman and Grecian history for the year past, and their meetings are said to have been exceedingly interesting. Having secured the loan of Rev. Brown's stereopticon and the assistance of J. H. Smith, they gave an illustrated entertainment last evening at the opera house, which proved to be a very enjoyable affair. The admission was only ten cents and the house was well filled with a delighted audience. Mrs. C. H. Kemp acted as reader, and it is needless to say that her part was well performed. About sixty views were presented altogether, and the audience enjoyed a trip through some of the architectural wonders of old Rome and viewed some of the ruins thereof, which have become famous in recent years.

Among the views was the Panthoon, built by Agrippa, the son-in-law of Augustus, one of the finest of the public buildings of the Augustan Age. The Palace of Augustus was shown, which occupied the greater portion of the Palatine hill. The splendor of its architecture and the countless works of art in gold, silver, ivory and bronze that adorned it made it the chief glory of the city. Among the views was a representation of the Roman baths, which surpassed anything of that character in either ancient or modern times. The bath of Caracalla contained 1600 and those of Diocletian 3200 marble seats for the use of bathers. The Stadium was shown, a building for the games of young men, with raised seats for spectators. Two of the triumphal arches were shown, that of Constantine and that of Titus. Also the Celiseum, capable of seating 80,000 people; the interior of the same and a fight with beasts therein; the Appian Way in the time of Augustus; the Vatican Colonade and Corridor; the Sistine Chapel; the statues of the Apollo Belvidere and the Laocoon. Naples, Venice and Florence were visited and some of the most notable buildings in Paris and London were also given.

We hope the Monday Club will give our citizens another feast of a similar character on some future occasion.

Then and Now.

There was a time when he who would keep informed of the progress of knowledge, the record of discovery and invention, and the currents of human thought, could and indeed must rely chiefly if not wholly upon books. That day has passed. Books we must still read, as the crystallization and permanent embodiment of human thought and knowledge. But to-day it is the newspaper, the magazine, the periodical review, upon which we must chiefly depend if we would follow closely the intellectual movements of the day. And now a new difficulty has arisen. This newspaper and periodical literature has become so multitudinous and bulky as to be a heavy burden to the busy man or woman, while even the person who has leisure and inclination to read widely is often unable to get access to the current publications Especially in the smaller citief, villages, and rural districts is the lack of such opportunity felt. It is felt by the clergymen, the teacher, the lawyer, the physician, the merchant, the artisan, the farmer and the cultured and thoughtful women of the household. With all these and many other classes of persons the great pratical literary question is: How can I best supplement my indispensable home paper? It was to answer this question and meet this demand that Public Opinion(now published in New York City)was founded nine years ago. It selects the best, condenses it to the last degree, and serves it in convenient and attractive form.

An Electrical Magazine.

Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character—a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20cents a copy. It is published at 36 Cortland Street, New York City.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. mar

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

MAPLE SUGAR.

Tap the trees; tap the trees;
Spring has driven out the freeze;
And the grocer now will take
From the shelf a last year's cake,
And will mark it (we are grieved):
"Nice, fresh sugar, just received."
—Detroit Free Press.

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A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

The worthy Sunday-school superintendent was illustrating the text, "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

Superintendent—"If I want to raise a crop of turnips, what sort of seed do I sow, children?

Children—"Turnip seed."

Superintendent—"If I want to raise a crop of tomatoes, what kind of seed must I sow?"

Children—"Tomato seed."

Superintendent—"Very good. Now, if you want to raise a crop of good manhood, what kind of seed must you sow?"

And an observer who kept tally reported the school on test vote was a tie between turnip seed and tomato seed.—Buffalo Times.

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A recent advertisement in a country paper reads thus: "For sale—A bull-terrier dog, 2 years old, will eat anything, very fond of children. Apply at this office."

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The merchants that plant spring advertising early will get a better crop of results than those who are waiting for trade to grow without the necessary planting and planning process. Nothing but weeds and brambles grow on untilled ground, and this crop has never been satisfactory. The public is as much interested in the advertising announcements of the merchants as it is in the general news if properly placed before it, and it is not strange that it should, for it desires information regarding new things constantly being placed upon the market. A story of a store is profitable to any merchant and is sure to please the public.

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A Benton Harbor preacher last Sunday propounded a serious question: "Can a business man be religious?" The Berrien Springs Era answers: "Certainly, if he advertises and pays the printer."

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WHAT THE FARMER IS DOING.

"What's Dick doing now?"

"Well, Dick, he's a-doctorin'."

"And John?"

"He's hoss tradin'."

"And William?"

"He's a-savin' of souls."

"And Tom?"

"Well, Tom—he sorter politicianin' aroun'.

"And you?"

"Well, I'm sorter farmin' an' a-feedin' of Dick, an' John, an' William, an' Tom."—Atlanta Constitution.

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A GREAT ADVANTAGE.

"The bicycle," remarked the drummer for a big cycle works in Boston, "is a great institution, and will supersede the horse in many instances, but not in all. A case in point came under my notice recently. I was in Blue Grass, Kentucky, where the roads are superb, and in course of my visits to agents, I ran across a farmer who lived about five miles from town, and got to talking to him on the subject. He was rather progressive and conceded that the bicycle possessed many advantages over the horse. It saves feed, toil, care, shoeing and a lot more things, and was a good deal speedier.

"'Why then,' said I, 'don't you get a bicycle?'"

"'Well, there's only one thing that prevents me,' he said, with an apologetic grin, 'when a man comes to town on Saturday and starts home in the evening just corned up enough not to know the way, his horse will take him back to his family in fairly good shape, but the bicycle ain't made that will do it, and I'm a man that goes to town on Saturdays.

Of course, concluded the drummer, after that I had mighty little show for an argument.

The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 20 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lampkin, Lampkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to Union Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$30 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand.	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, on Saturday afternoon, May 4th, 1895, at three o'clock, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00 or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the Herald.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Money for Everyone,

I can't understand why people complain of hard times, when any woman or man can make from $5 to $10 a day easily. All have heard of the wonderful success of the Climax Dish Washer; yet we are apt to think we can't make money selling it; but anyone can make money, because every family wants one. I made $478.36 in the last three months, after paying all expenses and attending to my regular business besides. You don't have to canvass; as soon as the people know you have it for sale they send for a Dish Washer. Address the Climax Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio for particulars. Go to work at once, and you will soon have a full pocket book and a light heart. I think it a duty to inform each other of such opportunities, and I also think it a duty to improve them while we may. Try it at once, and publish your experience so others may be benefited.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAR. 29, 1895.

Tate & Stoner shipped one deck of hogs Monday.

Prof. Wilcox is spending vacation week at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Alva Waite, of Tecumseh, visited her people Tuesday.

John Rush and wife are spending the week with Saline friends.

Mertie McCollum is the guest of Laura Keyser this week.

Henry Smith, of the Tecumseh paper mill, was in town Friday.

E. S. Tate is conducting the store for John Rush during his absence.

George C. Lindsley and wife returned from their Saline visit Friday night.

Mrs. C. S. Burroughs has been having quite a sick spell, but is better again.

James Updyke, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton relatives the last of the week.

Mrs. E. R. Smith returned from her visit with Detroit friends Friday night.

Miss Cornelia Ellis is visiting her brother, Charles, and family at Hillsdale.

M. C. Reeves left Wednesday for a visit with his mother and sister at Ann Arbor.

Bert Tate is in Ann Arbor today on business pertaining to his father's estate.

Chas. VanValkenburg was on the sick list the last of the week but is around again.

Percy Fitzsimmons and Harry Richter of Tecumseh were up on their wheels Sunday.

Munson King and family now occupy George R. Brown's residence on Jackson street.

E. R. Smith went to Detroit Tuesday afternoon on business pertaining to the new block.

Doctor and Mrs. W. N. Fowler will occupy D. M. Bainbridge's house on Locust street.

Van Tuyle & Palmer shipped two decks of sheep, one of cattle and one of hogs Saturday.

Miss Nellie Conklin, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Doctor and Mrs. Fowler over Sunday.

Lewis Jacobs, of Shelby, Oceana Co., is visiting his mother here and thinks some of remaining.

Adah Case, who has been visiting Mame Bradner, returned to her home in Manchester Sunday.

Horace Brown and family have moved to the Richmond place. Hod will work for Will this season.

Len W. Kimball is very proud of his St. Bernard pup recently purchased of John J. Orr, Tecumseh.

Maude Jordan, of Tecumseh, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Grace McDermott.

Geo. Haggert and one son, of Clayton, are visiting his father, brother and old friends here this week.

Mrs. Will J. Kies and son Joseph, of Elkhart, Ind., visited Mrs. J. S. Kies from Friday until Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Kirk is spending the week with her people west of town. She returns to Tecumseh Monday.

W. D. VanTuyle now rides one of the very latest Columbia's. He sold his other wheel to Andrew Taylor.

Do not forget Platt Sisters' opening of millinery novelties tomorrow. You will be delighted with the display.

Miss Florence Greene represented the Clinton society of Christian Endeavor at the Bay City convention this week.

Clatchie Mills having rented his mother's farm, has left the mill and now poses as a horny handed son of toil.

C. H. Thompson, Roy Codling, Fred Koerwig, Clarence Mills and Tom McGuire went over to Tecumseh on their wheels Sunday.

Mesdames Carrie Reeves, Aggie Haggart and Ella Niblack spent Wednesday with Mrs. Van Howell, in Bridgewater township.

Mrs. Wm. English, of Detroit, is visiting her son and daughter, Arthur English and Mrs. Jeff Fisk. She will remain some time.

Miss Teressa Carroll may now be found at Clark & Shimman's millinery emporium. She began her duties there Monday morning.

Thomas Munson, who has been making his son Frank and family a visit, returned to his home in Monroe county the last of the week.

Misses. Franc and Blanche Middlebrook and Henry Calhoun attended the meeting of B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school rally at Adrian Wednesday.

Robert Lake, of Jackson, was in town Monday, looking at plans, etc., for the Smith & Huntington block. He will undoubtedly put in a bid for the job.

A. M. Kennedy and Mr. White who is putting in the new wash box at the Woolen Mill, were in Tecumseh Sunday and took dinner at the Lilley house.

Geo. DePuy is assisting Wm. C. Rogers selling his patent fence, and they do say that his arguments are very convincing and consequently sales are numerous.

Miss Celia Brewster as delegate, and Bertha Shugrars, Lula Wiltse, Sadie Taylor, Alice Halladay and Frank Parker, as visitors attended the Epworth League convention at Detroit this week.

Charles Waggott jumped his job. He did not put in an appearance Monday morning so Semark has secured John Jackson, of Manchester, to complete the wall for the Van Tuyle & Woodard block.

Miss Carl Corey came from Detroit, where she had been buying goods, Saturday night; spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Scovell, and Monday returned to her home in Paw Paw, Mich.

The ladies of the Aid Society of the Congregational church will give an entertainment at the Town Hall, Wednesday evening, April 10, consisting of quartettes, solos, readings, etc. There will be a Nursery Maid's Drill, interspersed with solos and choruses, by twelve little girls. A more extended notice given next week. Proceeds to apply on the basement fund.

Johnnie Tuttle is spending the vacation at home. He returns to Albion Tuesday next. School work and the climate evidently agrees with him for he is assuming quite aldermanic proportions.

B. O. Randall & Co. purchased one of the Stimpson Company's Computing Scales. It did not take Byron long to decide, as he knows a practical thing when he sees it. Presume all the grocers will buy them.

We would call your attention to the announcement of the millinery opening of Clark & Shimman, in another column, April 5th and 6th. Mate and Eva intend this will eclipse all former openings in this line.

Wesley B. Keyser has decided to run his farm himself this season. He will not move on it, but has hired Alonzo Welch to work for him and his family will remain in the house. Guess Wes will be kept busy this season.

The Congregational society are progressing finely with their improvements to the church. The rooms are nearly ready for the plasterers. The society will enjoy the rooms when finished and they will be very convenient and cosy.

Next week occurs the regular meetings of the secret bodies. Tuesday evening, Royal Arch Masons and L. O. T. M.; Wednesday, the Eastern Star, who expect to confer degrees; Friday, K. O. T. M., and Saturday, the Blue Lodge, F. & A. M. Bear these in mind and govern yourselves accordingly.

Doctor J. E. White has purchased of the Congregational church the dirt taken from beneath the church and is filling up the rear portion of his lot. When he completes the work his lot will be greatly improved. Patrick Murphy is superintending the grading and he knows just how to do it and will have it all right.

D. St. John & Son have procured for the Masonic bodies the new chairs for the officers and placed them in the hall. They are elegant, and above all, very easy and comfortable. They enhance the looks of the room, and when the new stations are in place the fraternity will have as attractive quarters as can be found.

At the Young Men's meeting held at Will H. Katner's Monday evening, the following officers were elected:

Guy Katner—President.
Roy Wood—1st. Vice Pres.
Claude Hause—2d. " "
Leon Clark—Secy.
Wirt Rowland—Organist.

They hold meetings weekly.

Thos. Goff and an assistant, from Manchester, are putting down a wall at the new foundry. The other one, when nearly finished, caved in, and consequently delayed them. They have the new lathe in position and most of the other machinery, and, if nothing occurs to prevent, they expect to begin active operations Monday morning.

A. D. Hall, President of the Lenawee County Farmers' Insurance Co., was in town Monday looking after the James [illegible] loss by fire. He experienced an unusual coincidence; going to three different individuals to place an estimate on the value of the house burned their figures were exactly the same. They had not spoken of the matter to each other.

At the caucuses held Saturday afternoon and evening the following tickets were nominated:

DEMOCRATIC.

Wm. C. Rogers—Supervisor.
Wm. O. Silvers—Clerk.
Alonzo Marshall—Treas.
C. S. Burroughs—Justice.
Richard B. Gillespie—Board Review.
R. B. Mills—Highway Com.
P. B. Sutfin—Drain Com.
Minnie Humphrey—School Inspector.
W. H. Smith, Geo. Goodrich, Gamble Kuder, Thomas Brown—Constables.

REPUBLICAN.

Geo. C. Lindsley—Supervisor.
E. L. Parker—Clerk.
Hiram W. Saxton—Treas.
Edwin W. Freese—Board Review.
David Haggert, Jr.—Highway Com.
Alfred J. Allen—Drain Com.
George Wilson—School Inspector.
Chas. R. Barnsdale, Fred Sheldon, Wm. Sherwood, Chris. Schnerla—Constables.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Mr. Gallup, of Napoleon, visited friends south of town on Sunday.

Mrs. H. K. Berger is entertaining her sisters, the Misses Smith, from Toledo.

Mrs. Alice Tracy Goodell is recovering from a severe attack of the la grippe.

B. F. Burtless, accompanied by a school friend, from Ann Arbor, is home for a week's vacation.

The Rocky Beach Benevolent society will hold a social at the residence of J. H. Kingsley, on Wednesday evening.

The ladies society of the Presbyterian church will hold a business meeting at the residence of C. J. Robison, on Friday afternoon.

The nominee for Supervisor on the Democratic ticket is W. L. Watkins, and the Republican ticket is headed by William Burtless.

Misses Lucy Poucher and Alice Lazell are delegates to the State Epworth League Convention to be held in Detroit, March 26 - 28.

The Sharon Epworth League held a box social at the residence of F. W. Smith, at Sharon hollow, on Friday eve. A large attendance is reported.

The remains of Mrs. Emily Root, a former resident of this village, were brought here from Detroit, on Saturday, and conveyed to Oak Grove cemetery.

A. J. Waters, Esq., moved his law office, the latter part of last week, into a fine suite of rooms, over the bank office, in the Union Savings Bank building.

Miss Florence Kellam, of Chelsea, and Mota Schegel, of Bridgewater Station, who have been attending school here, will not attend during the spring term.

On Tuesday evening, April 23 Rev. Terwilliger, of Detroit, will give a lecture on the Jewish Tabernacle, in the M. E. Church. The proceeds to be devoted to the building fund.

Mrs. J. D. Corey died, at her home, on Ann Arbor Hill, on Friday night, after a long illness. Her funeral was held at two o'clock, Rev. Platt, of the Baptist church, officiating.

A large delegation of royal Arch Masons visited Grass Lake lodge on Friday evening. H. R. Palmer, H. C. Calhoun, Arthur Lowry and Wilbur Shoot, of Bridgewater, were among the number.

ONSTED ODDS.

Nice spring weather.

School begins Monday, after a vacation of three weeks.

Regular review of tent and hive, on Thursday evening of next week.

Frank Skinner is having stone hauled for a cellar wall for a new house in town.

E. C. Halstead, of East Rome, was calling in this vicinity one day last week.

Ezra Conant, of Eaton county, is calling among friends in this vicinity at present.

Ollie and Claude Aldrich visited their uncle and aunt, in East Rome, a few days last week.

The injury and death of Eugene Groger, north of town, caused a gloom over the entire community.

The sugar bushes of this vicinity have been tapped, but the run is not very good so far this spring.

Billmeyer & Aldrich, is the firm name that will handle agricultural implements here this season.

The O. E. S. chapter, of this place, were invited to visit Brooklyn chapter, on Friday evening of last week.

The infant child of Frank Gilbert was taken to Adrian on Tuesday of last week, to be laid in Oakwood Cemetery.

Sir Knights Wesgate and Bancroft, of the Rollin tent, K. O. T. M., visited the Sir Knights here at their last review.

Some of our young people attended the school exhibition in district No. 8, East Rome, on Friday evening, of last week.

The Democrats and Republicans each held their caucuses on Monday afternoon, the former at Springville, and the latter at Onsted.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S., on Friday evening of next week, and all members are requested to attend and see the frisky goat perform.

George Spear, an old pioneer of North Rome, was buried on Monday of last week. He was known as a fiddler of the early pioneer days of this section of the country.

Don't forget to vote down the salary grab, at town meeting next Monday, as it don't seem right to raise the salary of any state or county officer when farm products and labor is so low. Let all stand together: better lower their pay according to the price of labor, products, and silver.

The death of Silas G. Aldrich, an old pioneer of this country, and an old veteran of the late rebellion, occured on March 21, 1895, at the age of 77 years and 10 days. He was a member of the Beers Post, G. A. R., of Tecumseh, Mich. Having been born in Canada, he moved with his parents to New York state when an infant, then to this state when a young man. The funeral was held the following Sunday at the North Rome church, Rev. Robinson officiating. A large concourse of people gathered to pay the last respects to one they loved and respected in life. The G. A. R. friends tenderly bore the remains of their comrade in arms to its last resting place in the North Rome cemetery. He has responded to the last roll call, has been mustered to that great camp beyond the tomb, where sorrow and suffering is unknown.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

James Eddy and wife visited in this vicinity last week.

The next lyceum will occur at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's, April 20.

Mrs. Ben Lamkin and Wright Doty are on the sick list.

Baby Simmons also took an airing, being a guest of G. W. Allen's family.

The lyceum in the Davis neighborhood, will meet April 3d, at Mr. Bostedors.

Otis Whelan has some rare Indian pottery, which was sent him from New Mexico.

Miss Ethel Love will teach the young idea how to shoot, in the Evan's Lake District.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, cousins of Fred Davenport, were guests of that family last Friday.

Baby Skeese took her first airing Sunday, being a guest of her grandmother, Aunt Anna Allen.

A Determined Woman

recently knocked down a burglar and held him until the arrival of assistance. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a medicine that checks the frightful inroads of scrofula, and, if taken in time, arrests the march of pulmonary consumption. It cures indigestion and dyspepsia, chronic diarrhoea and similar ailments. This wonderful medicine has also gained great celebrity in curing fever and ague, chills and fever, dumb ague, and like diseases.

Asthma cured by newly discovered treatment. Address, for free pamphlet, testimonials and references, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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The Grip.

An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics, warrants the bold claim that Dr. King's New Discovery will positively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be refunded if no good results follow its use. Sold by Orr & Temple.

If Mr. Grosham wishes to be surfeited with praise he should patronize the clipping bureaus with great liberality.

A Remarkable Cure.

Mrs. H. H. Adams, 1609 Wabash ave., Chicago, says: "I had a scrofulous taint of the blood from childhood, which, however, remained dormant. An ulcer began on the side of the nose, having all the appearances of a most malignant cancer. The agony of mind I suffered cannot be described as I contemplated the progress of such a malignant disease. Finally I was induced to try Foley's Sarsaparilla. It appears to neutralize the poison in the blood. The growth of the ulcer ceased. The diseased tissues in the bottom and edges of the sore seemed to loosen and the natural flesh to take its place. No part of the disease remains." For sale by Orr & Temple. mar

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Floyd Ward took a run over to Milan Sunday.

Al Lee is under the weather with the prevailing disease.

Ben Pulver spent Sunday with his people at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Geo. W. Smith spent Sunday with her people at Tecumseh.

Michael Bauchman and wife will occupy the Walter Exelby house.

C. B. Spencer, of Holloway, was looking up insurance matters, Tuesday.

Rev. R. Pettingill lectures on Nancy Hanks and the 19th Century, tonight.

Nettie Gifford passed the vacation at her sister's, Mrs. Way, east of Clinton.

Carl Hughes and wife are entertaining sister Lillie from Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Thomas Kyle, of Tecumseh, is the guest of Charles Du Bois's family this week.

Eva Welling and Eva Day, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Harvey Welling, Sunday.

Mrs. John Exelby is visiting friends in Cleveland, and expects to be absent some time

Charles Du Bois was at Holloway yesterday, taking in and loading hay. He filled the cars.

Quite a number came down from Tecumseh to see *For a Million*, and shake hands with Mantell.

Do not be satisfied simply to see "For a Million" yourself, but know that your friends are present also.

The special meeting of Ivy Leaf Hive, L. O. T. M. will not be held tomorrow evening, March 30th as announced.

Mrs. Borden returned Tuesday night from an extended visit to Colorado, and her friends rejoice to have her with them again.

C. O. Maynard will move his family to Adrian, having purchased of Geo. Smith the house now occupied by Frank Brown.

Mrs. Vreeland, who was called here by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Coffia, started towards her home in St. Louis, Monday.

Will Clark enjoyed a visit from his brother, A. B. Clark, of Elkhart, Ind., Sunday and Monday, and only regrets that it was so short.

Orby G. Hopper will be at Exelby tomorrow night with a business. Do not make no common error but be sure and promptly.

Harvey Welling is turning out some fine work from his studio. If you want some fine Photographs now is the opportunity—don't delay.

Will Babcock was in Albion, Monday and Tuesday, negotiating with a fence firm and the prospect is quite favorable for his representing them on the road.

The maple syrup social at the church parlors Friday evening, was very enjoyable. The quilt brought $3.50, and was Wilmina Ousterhout is the happy possessor.

School begins Monday and no doubt teachers and scholars alike will enter upon the duties of school work with renewed ardor and zeal for the little vacation they have enjoyed.

No better representative could have been chosen from our Christian Endeavor society than Miss Gertrude Kniffen, who represented us at the convention in City this week. We expect a good report from her.

Most our people may know something about the hay industry here we have had some inquiries of our own buyer, Du Bois, and find that up to Feb. 1 he had paid out $3,393.00, and thinks it will exceed $1,000.00 that he has paid since that date.

Wednesday the C. J. & M. accomodation train, east, was detained some time owing to the engine leaving the track on account of a broken rail. The passenger west, could not get by, so an engine was used in drawing the train one back on the track, and it was speedily accomplished that the delay from was short.

Mr. Eugene Palmer, of Clinton, is calling on our good housewives introducing an improved process for canning fruit. It has been demonstrated to be a great saving of time and expense, and the fruit has a more natural flavor. It costs but little for the rights and if people expect to put up fruit they cannot afford to be without them.

A very pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haight was the scene of a very pretty though quiet home wedding the first of the week. Their daughter Minnie was by Rev. James Wright married to Horatio Underwood in the presence of a few immediate relatives. The young couple have grown up among us and are not only well known, but very highly esteemed, and all wish them a happy married life.

An article which appeared last week in the Britton Journal conveying the idea that the dramatic society were working under false colors when claiming the play was for the benefit of the G. A. R. M's, has caused no little excitement and some feeling. It was rather unkind when the members of the society are all so well known, and as a rule who would scorn to do such a thing. We trust the Journal will make explanation. Our citizens should show their appreciation of the efforts put forth by the dramatic society by filling the hall to its utmost capacity.

Tuesday evening at the commodious home of Mr. and Mrs. John Zeluff was a very happy company, numbering about forty, who had assembled to witness the ceremony which united Miss their daughter Serene, and Mr. Gibson, in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. James Wright officiated. The natural aptitude combined with experience, enabled him to make the ceremony very impressive. The contracting parties are well known and highly esteemed by all for the sterling qualities they possess. Serene has been active in church work and a leader in social matters, consequently fully equipped for the new life upon which she has entered. Frank holds an envious position among his acquaintances, and no doubt will prove equal to the additional responsibilities he has assumed. They seemed well suited to each other, and we feel that their married life will be genial and happy.

Exelby Hall was filled last night by one of the most critical audiences ever assembled in Britton, to see "For a Million," and to say that they were well pleased, is putting it very mildly; they were delighted, for never has a play been so artistically presented here. The play was one of merit and the cast a strong one. Mr. Mantell is an artist of reputation and his instruction was appreciated by the home talent as was demonstrated in the admirable manner, they sustained their several characters. The new scenery painted by Mr. Mantell was admired by all, and stamps him a scenic artist as well as actor. The play was given for the benefit of the Maccabees, and will be repeated tomorrow night. See that the hall is packed and thus show your appreciation of not only your home talent in furnishing you such a fine entertainment, but Mr. Westley Mantell, whose conscientious work with the dramatic society and stage fittings, will remain with you and also the order which is such a grand, beneficiary organization. They all deserve a rousing benefit, and it is your province to see that they have it. We hope to speak more of the play in detail next week.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, the loving Father has permitted the pearly gates to swing open to admit to the society of angels and the just made perfect, our loved sister and friend, Angie Kniffin, and

Whereas, by so doing the W. C. T. U. of Britton has sustained an irreparable loss, and

Whereas "no chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous but grievous, nevertheless afterwards it yieldeth the peaceable fruits of righteousness, to them that are exercised thereby," therefore

Resolved, that we as a union will try to emulate the virtues of our departed sister in her devotion to the principles of right and justice, also

Resolved, that to the husband and children we would offer our heart-felt sympathy in this their time of deepest sorrow, and would commend them to the care of one who will never forsake them, and they may love their dear one still though she is removed from the family circle.

M. L. W. Mudge, Flora E. B. Exelby, Eliza Zelliff—Committee.

Whereas, under the providence of the All Father the death angel has taken from us sister Mary Oliver, always full of love and good works, and a zealous and efficient worker in the church, Sunday school and aid society, therefore

Resolved, That as members of the Christian Union Church, Sunday School and Aid Society, we bow in humble submission to the laws of Divine Providence, and rejoice that she has left behind the influence of a sweet Christian life, and that she has gone, or will go to a mansion prepared for her in the presence of God, "Absent from the body but present with the Lord."

Resolved, that we tender to Bro. Geo. L. Oliver and family our heart felt sympathy in their deep sorrow with the rich assurance that "weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning."

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be placed in the hands of the bereaved family and published in the Britton Journal and Tecumseh Herald.

E. Mudge, Mrs. J. Haight, Mrs. F. Brown. Mrs. F. E. Morrell—Committee.

Whereas, death has entered another home and taken from the associations of family, church, and community. Mrs. Angie Kniffin, a beloved wife, devoted mother, worthy Christian and respected neighbor and friend, therefore

Resolved, that we, acting under the direction of Christian Union Church, Sunday School, Aid Society and Y. P. S. C. E., in all of which she was a zealous member, do hereby express our appreciation of her worth and life influence, and bow in sweet submission to him who sees as we cannot see, believing that He doeth all things well. And while we sorely feel her loss, rejoice that she leaves hallowed influences behind her, and that she goes to enjoy Heaven and all its sacred associations

Resolved, that we tender to Samuel Kniffin and the two daughters, husband and children of the deceased, and to other relatives, our heartfelt sympathethies in their great sorrow, with the Christian assurance that separation is not forever, and that Christ has come and taken her where there is no pain nor death, but where there is sweet peace and rest for evermore.

Resolved, that these resolutions be placed in the hands of the beloved family and published in the Britton Journal and Tecumseh Herald.

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SOUTH MACON SIFTINGS.

The grip has many victims on the slip at present—Mrs. J. I. Gulick, Mrs. D. Bailey, Mrs. James Cadmus, Charles Hendershot and family and R. R. Remington.

There will be a social entertainment at the Grange hall Friday evening, April 5th, for the benefit of the Y. P. S. C. E. A short program will be rendered, maple sugar served, and everyone is invited to come and have a good time.

It is with regret we learn of the death of Thomas Havens, of Blissfield. His boyhood and early manhood was spent in this vicinity. Although he had been residing in Blissfield for the past few years, he had a host of friends at his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Avery, of Macon, have the sincere sympathy of all, as we record the bereavement they are called to pass through in the death of their little boy, aged 14 months. Thus they were called on so soon to part with one of the twins born to them. Its little body was buried in the Macon cemetery on Monday afternoon, and the funeral services were attended by a large circle of sympathizing friends and neighbors.

Died, at her late residence in South Macon, on Saturday evening, March 16, 1895, after a brief illness of pneumonia, Mrs. Maynard, wife of Thomas Maynard, aged 43 years. She will be greatly missed in the neighborhood, but most sadly missed in her family. She was a woman of more than ordinary ability and strength and of pure motherly instincts and devotion to her three children who survive her and deeply feel their loss. To the husband and children the sympathy of the entire community is extended. She was buried from her late home on Tuesday afternoon, the funeral services attended by the entire community, and the body laid to rest in Lake Ridge cemetery.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mattie Wilson was in town Tuesday.

Dan Anthony is home from Chicago.

Alexander Richard was at Holloway Friday.

Miss Osgood, of Temperance, was calling on Della Fritz.

A spectacle man from Detroit was in Town Tuesday.

Rev. Chas. Miller, of Jasper, was in town Thursday.

Beautiful spring time is with us for a few days at least.

Miss Ollie Wildie spent Sunday with Miss Jennie Jordan.

Lewis Barnes, of Lyons Ohio, called on L. C. Winship and family.

Joseph Billmyre is worse again. He has been ailing for a long time.

Ralph Underwood and bride, of Britton, were callers in town Sunday.

Chas. Ball, of Raisin Center was down fixing L. C. Winship's feed mill.

Geo. W. McClenathen and wife, visited Madison, Saturday and Sunday.

The Ladie's social meets Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Geo. Holloway's.

J. L. Richard and wife attended Free Methodist church Monday evening.

Allen Kelley is out with his engine buzzing up the wood for the farmers.

Merchant Brown and wife entertained friends from Blissfield Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Ball and Mrs. F. G. Florance visited the Maple City, Thursday.

Maple sugar is rather scarce in this vicinity, at least we have not seen any.

The revivals are running with large attendance. They continue this week.

Uncle Ben Kelley is out again, after being housed up all winter with sickness.

Willie Chatfield and L. C. Winship attended the auction at Chas. Bidwell farm.

Base ball is rushing the season in Holloway, as the first game was played Saturday.

Miss Sarah Moore lies very low at her home with that dreaded disease consumption.

Mrs. Howland has divided her painting class into two and meets them Tuesday and Saturday.

Hazel Keenan, of Fairfield, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Winship this week.

Mr. Spencer's team ran away Saturday morning, while standing at the wagon shop, and made things lively for a few minutes.

Myron Billmyre, of Nebraska, is here visiting his parental home, and also his invalid mother. He has been absent ten years.

Miss Abbie Ray closed a very successful term of school where she has taught for a number of terms, and returned to her home in Morenci.

Mrs. Ella Kelley Cornelius will give a concert and recital in the public hall at Holloway, Friday evening, April 5th, for the benefit of the L. O. T. M. Admission 10cts.

Mrs. Fowler, mother of Chas. and Mrs. Eva Granger, departed this life at 1 p. m., Saturday. She has been a great sufferer, and her attending physician had no hope of her recovery. The friends and neighbors tender their sympathy to the bereaved family, who are left to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted mother. Funeral, Monday, at 10 a. m., from the house.

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David Sharer is very low and his recovery is doubtful.

Bert Selleck, of Chicago, is visiting with his parents over Sunday.

Fay Baker is so as to be around the house and is improving rapidly.

Luman Older is moving this week to the Wright farm, near the city.

Fred Hunt will move into his house on the old Reynold's farm this week.

In the death of Geo Spears we lose another old and respected townsman.

Miss Bancroft closed her school in the Halsted district Friday with an exhibition.

Roller skating at Segar's hall every Saturday night makes lively times for the young people.

The three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert died Saturday the 16th, and was buried Tuesday at Adrian.

If it should come to a war with Spain Senator Frye would doubtless divide his time between Washington and the Rangely Lakes. He can afford to be enthusiastic for war and conquest.

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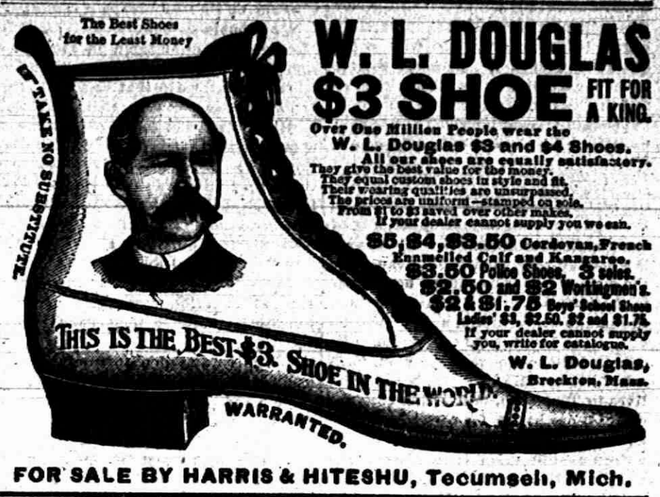

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FOR SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

Next Monday the voters of Tecumseh, in addition to township officers, will cast their ballots for a very important county official. We have taken occasion to comment in general terms before upon the office of School Commissioner. It is properly a non-partisan office and fitness rather than politics should be the ground on which the selection is made. It is unnecessary to enlarge upon Mr. Chas. F. Field's peculiar fitness for this particular office. That is universally acknowledged by every one who is acquainted with him. Lenawee county never had a better School Commissioner and the best interests of the schools of the county demand his retention in that position. But the electors of Tecumseh have an additional reason for supporting him. He is justly regarded as one of our best and most enterprising citizens. He has done much for the upbuilding of Tecumseh, directly and indirectly. He is a man of very moderate means—for the man who runs a country newspaper in these days has hard scratching—and the salary will give him a lift that he has earned and richly deserves. We do not believe in voting for an unfit man for any office simply because he lives in Tecumseh, but in this case, we can cast our ballot for the best candidate, and honor a friend and worthy citizen at the same time. Every Republican, Democratic and Prohibition vote in Tecumseh should be cast for Mr. Field. Make it unanimous.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

At the election, to be held next Monday, the Democrats will find themselves without a candidate for supervisor. Alex. Richards received the caucus nomination, but he absolutely declined to run. Other persons were solicited by the township committee to take the place, but all declined with thanks, and as no one was found to accept before the expiration of the limit for reporting to the election commissioners the place is left vacant. Under the late law there is a question whether the town committee has any authority to change a nomination. Mr. Richards declination is to be regretted, for he would have made an excellent supervisor, if he had been elected. The unterrified, therefore, will be commpelled to devote their time and enthusiam to the remainder of the ticket. But how should we vote on the office of supervisor? Just exactly as you please, men and brethren. This will be a local election. Why not discard politics entirely and vote with reference to the personal fitness of the candidates? They are both good men. Apply the civil service doctrine for once. Our prohib citizens have borne their defeats very patiently in the past. Suppose we give them a lift next Monday. What harm would it do? Tecumseh never had a better supervisor than A. P. Coddington would make. If you don't believe it, try him one year and see.

School Secret Fraternities.

The school board of the Ann Arbor high school has recently passed the following resolutions:

1. Any member of the school who is a member of any fraternity may be expelled by the principal.
2. Expulsion shall be a penalty for the use of tobacco, cigars and intoxicating liquors on the grounds, or the frequenting of billiard rooms or places where they are sold.
3. Rushing, rioting, hazing, or engagement in any uncivil act, will expose the member to expulsion.
4. Immoral influence will make a member liable to expulsion by a two-thirds vote of the regular teachers.
5. "Ponying" will deprive the member of his diploma, or expel him, or both, and if a person desires to go to another school a recommend will not be granted.

"CHICK."

Important Decision

A case which has created considerable comment and interest in Cambridge and Franklin townships, was settled by Judge Lane Saturday. It was that of James E. Gibbs vs. the estate of Cornelia Adams, deceased.

While acting as administrator Mr. Gibbs lost $500 of the funds of the estate in the Bills Bank failure at Tecumseh. Upon the hearing of his final account in the probate court, Judge Robbins ordered that the administrator should make good the amount.

On the advice of his attorney, John E. Bird, Mr. Gibbs appealed to the circuit court, and on Saturday Judge Lane handed down a decision reversing the finding of the lower court, holding that the loss which had been sustained should fall on the estate rather than on the administrator.

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With all the light men have at the present day, it seems self-evident that the liquor traffic is an unmitigated curse to humanity, and we regard it as a waste of time to attempt to prove the proposition. If it does not work out the direst results in society and to individuals it is because such results are prevented by means and agencies that come from a christian quarter.

Men who engage in the liquor business know that it so debases men that they are incapable of business. Yet some persons are ready to concede the claim that the traffic is part and parcel of the proper business of the land. But the facts are that just in proportion as the sale of liquors prospers, all other forms of business come toward an end. Moreover, those engaged in the traffic would not be willing to live and bring up their families in that state and condition of society that their business legitimately tends to produce, but will appropriate to themselves and families those privileges and advantages that they are making war upon by their business. Now, to talk moral suasion, so called, to such a class of men, is a forlorn hope. We might as soll send a dog out to bark at the moon, for it is a foregone conclusion with them that they will sell liquor, whatever may be the results, only so they make money thereby.

The only way to deal successfully with such a class of men, and save men, women and children from the curse of the rum traffic, is to take them with the clutch of the law, and choke them into a decent respect for the good of society. The plea is made that prohibition abridges a man's personal liberty—telling him what he shall drink and what he shall not drink. And yet, if a law is enacted, forbidding a man to walk the streets naked, or to sell deceased meat, no one complains. All concede the reasonableness of such a law. Now, if there be any difference, it is altogether in favor of a law prohibiting the traffic in intoxicating drinks. For the damaging results of the sale of diseased meat is confined to the body and to this life alone, while intoxicating drinks damage men in soul and body, for time and eternity.

No man has a moral right to put temptation to wrong doing in the way of his fellow man. One that would do this is an enemy to the innocent and would glory in their downfall. It is said that a prohibitory law cannot be enforced. That we regard as assumption. Because such a law is not enforced is no argument that it cannot be. The facts are that in some places it has been enforced, and in other places it has been a dead letter because there was not stamina enough in the people. It is said we cannot prohibit the traffic, and therefore better license it, and thus restrict its sale and raise a revenue. Doing this the public authorities become partners in the business, and with a share in the revenue they also share in the responsibility of the business before God and the fearful curse that follows the traffic.

If it is proper and right to restrict its sale in any measure, it is proper and right to prohibit it altogether. The advocates of the liquor trade themselves concede the point that society has the right to control the whisky traffic in their approval of a law to license the business. We regard a law imposing a tax upon the liquor seller as synonymous with license law. In the case of license it expressly states that the liquor vender shall have the right to sell. In both cases the liquor seller is given the respectability of legal approval and is entrenched behind the defences of law, and his business goes on record as part and parcel of the lawful business of the land. We concede the claim that it is a branch of business, but it is a ruinous business, and the ruin that it has caused and is still working cannot be portrayed by tongue. The following transposition of poetry but faintly indicates its awful work:

Were the whole earth of parchment made
And every man a scribe by trade;
Could we with ink the ocean fill,
Were every spire of grass a quill;
To write the ruin rum hath wrought
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Nor would the scroll contain the whole,
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If it should come to a war with Spain Senator Frye would doubtless divide his time between Washington and the Rangely Lakes. He can afford to be enthusiastic for war and conquest.

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Only 81 votes were cast at the Blissfield village election.

A Hillsdale preacher took for his theme "Wanted—a boy." We presume after the sermon the congregation arose and sang "Girl Wanted."

Auctions of farm goods are said to be less numerous this spring than usual and authorities differ as to whether it is an indication of returning prosperity or still harder times.

The 76th anniversary of Odd Fellows will be celebrated at Deerfield, April 26 by the Monroe County Odd Fellows Association. All the lodges of the county will be present.

L. B. Smith, of Dundee, will soon erect a handsome marble six story building in Dundee. He has just been paid a year's salary as treasurer—$10, and must invest the money in the building up of the town.—Adrian Press.

Fred Cox of Jackson and Joe Tansey, of Chicago, were advertises to fight eight rounds at Tecumseh Saturday night. Just how much Tecumseh gets out of these fake fights is not definitely known but one thing is sure, the cappers "collared" the money the "suckers" put up to see the contest, and escaped from the village while the good people were buried in slumber.—Evening Telegram.

Col. Furgason has sold his farm on the west side of Stony lake to Adrian parties and will move onto Mrs. Wm. Ide's farm. It is rumored that the Adrian parties will put up a hotel and convert the Furgason place into a summer resort. A prettier place for a resort could not be found situated as it is between Vineyard and Stony lakes.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Saturday last an express package came addressed to the Adrian high school, sent by Prof. DeMotte, from Hillsdale. It was opened this morning before the school and the contents were found to be a neatly framed picture of the professor. The accompanying card bore the inscription: "To my very dear friends, the Adrian high school, from your adopted boy. March 15, 1895."—Evening Telegram.

Chris Colwell has laid an old-time newspaper on our desk. The Ulster County Gazette, dated Jan. 4, 1800, seems almost a sacred number. It contains the announcement of the death of Gen. Washington and an account of the funeral of the "Father of his country," being dressed in mourning for that event. This valuable keepsake was handed down to Mr. Colwell from his grandmother.—Hudson Republican.

It is a foolish hawk that will walk twice into the same trap, but that's the kind of a bird John Schermerhorn has just captured at his home in Pittsford. Three years ago he took one of these terrors-to-chickens from a steel trap and put a hog ring on one of its legs. The hawk regained its liberty, but last week John found another hawk in the trap and upon investigation discovered that it was the same bird, ring and all—three years older put evidently no smarter.—Hudson Gazette.

Harbor Point, next to Mackinaw island, one of the most famous of summer resorts, it is feared will soon be a thing of the past. Some of the older residents of Harbor Springs say it is gradually being engulfed. A portion of the end of Harbor Point sank out of sight in the bay, and it is now feared that the same thing will take place with the whole point. The point is covered with handsome cottages.—Jackson Patriot.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Uhr of Manchester a few days since, a little daughter came to bless their home. Matt Blosser mentioned the fact to his wife and with a sigh, and in a tone of regret, he allowed that such an adjunct of the Blosser house hold seemed only imaginary. "Well," said Mrs. B. gently, "never mind; this little one isn't ours, its true, but I understand it is Uhr's." For a moment the genial Matt was dumbfounded, but as he caught the eye of his better half, he saw the "point" and he simply remarked "Uhr right."—Adrian Press.

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Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pocklington, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th. day of March, A. D., 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5), east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 19th., 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Will Bresle, of Decatur, Ill., was in town this week.

Frank Rising went to Macon to-day for a short visit with relatives.

Have you noticed Karner Bros' new sign at the edge of the walk?

Magdalena Arnold left this noon for a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. N. Schmid, of Manchester.

Miss Florence Gildersleeve, of Spring Arbor, is visiting her sister Maud, at E. L. Teeple's, this week.

Rev. W. Wetmore, of Ann Arbor, will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mrs Will. J. Kies and little Joseph, left for Elkhart, Indiana, after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Freeman.

Mike L. Gillen and family moved Wednesday from the Potter house to W. W. Marsh's house on the Brownville hill.

Mrs. Jennie Perry Norris, of Boston, and Mrs. Alice Perry Dickie, of Albion, were called here by the death of their father.

Little Florence Keyser has been quite sick this week and Horatio Keyser and wife are up there assisting in caring for her.

Rev. C. M. Brown will spend Sunday at Ann Arbor, where he addresses a young men's rally under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association.

This has been quite a week for birthdays in the male portion of the Hayden family. Mr. Hayden and Levi celebrated theirs together, coming as they do the same day with only an interval of 50 years, Mr. Hayden being 76 and Levi 26, Wednesday. Will celebrated his but as he is still single and a little sensitive about his age, we would not state it, but say he is old enough and ought to be married.

There has been some improvement in the condition of Miss Lydia Price.

Below is the Tecumseh Prohibition ticket for next Monday:

Supervisor—Ansel P. Coddington.
Town Clerk—Bert C. Day.
Town Treasurer—Wm. B. Darling.
Justice of Peace—Luke M. Mooney.
School Inspector—John P. Varner.
Com Highways—Minor Davidson.
Board of Review—Benj. F. Steinhoff.
Constables—John Linton, John Messler, William G. Beebe, Charles R. Robinson.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH, 29, 1895

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Comfort Chase visited Ypsilanti Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Train entertained the little girls of Clinton this week.

Miss Nellie Conklin spent Sunday with Doctor and Mrs. Fowler at Clinton.

Miss Frances Langridge is on the sick list this week, but is improving nicely.

Miss Flora Shuler of Toledo is spending the week with the Kirchgessner girls.

The Coiled Spring Hustler' for March has arrived, a little late but full of live wire fence.

Miss Blanch Gage and Mrs. Albert Seager spent last Wednesday with their friends in Macon.

Mrs. Robt. Hastings has been very ill for the past five weeks or more but is now on the gain.

Mr. Asa Gage was called to Manchester Monday to attend the funeral of his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Corey.

Levi Hayden came down from Grand Rapids Saturday, for a short visit with family and other friends.

H. W. Slayton and H. W. Stevens are attending the 17th annual encampment of the G. A. R's department of Mich., at Mt. Clemens this week.

Ernest Kemp, accompanied by the Misses Gertrude Schreder and Marie Steiner drove over to Adrian Wednesday and were the guests of friends.

Call on L. D. Dewey for white field seed, the nicest and cheapest in town. Also clover and timothy seed of the best quality and as cheap as any.

The ladies social of the Tecumseh Baptist church will hold their regular meeting Thursday, April 4th, at the chapel parlors. A cordial invitation extended.

Marguerite Haire and Agnes Stevens entertained about sixty of their friends Saturday evening at the home of the latter. It was a very pleasant affair and all enjoyed it immensely.

The delegates to both the conventions, Epworth League at Detroit and the Christian Endeavor at Bay City left Monday. They were a bright and fine looking company of delegates.

Objects for Sunday next at the Universalist church: A. M., The Modern Heretic. Evening: The second sermon on the Lord's Prayer. Y. P. C. U. meets at 6 p. m., Topic, 'Praise service,' Come is the Kingdom. St. Matt. 6:13. Elementary law class in the church Thursday evening at 7:30.

Monday's Detroit News printed a romantic story of the manner in which Walter G. Wood, a Palmyra deaf mute, found his affinity, through the aid of friends and correspondence, in the person of an Isabella county girl, who was also deaf and dumb. He now enjoys the blessing of having a wife who can give him a Candle lecture.

The ladies of the Womans Foreign Missionary Society will hold their annual Thankoffering service at the M. E. church, next Wednesday evening, April 3. The following is the program:

Music.
Devotionals—Mrs. L. Barnes.
Music.
Report Drill.
Paper—Systematic Giving—Mrs. J. P. Weber.
Recitation—Mrs. Jennie Waring.
Solo—Miss Hattie Montgomery.
Recitation—Carl Varner.
Duet—Call and Offering.
Recitation—Miss Allie Temple.
Music.
Address—Rev. H. Cansfield, Ridgeway.

James Lowry has a new card this week.

A. C. Maples, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

The chocolate tea netted about $25.00 last week.

Rev. J. P. Varner was an Adrian visitor Monday.

Go to the Sousa Matinee next Monday afternoon at Adrian.

C. M. Minor is gradually failing and cannot survive many days.

Remember Sousa's band concert at Adrian next Monday afternoon.

The township registration board meet at the council building to-morrow.

Sousa's celebrated band will give a concert at Adrian next Monday afternoon.

Thos. O. Perry, of Chicago, is in town this week, called here by the death of his father.

The Sousa band concert at Adrian next Monday afternoon will be well worth attending.

Mrs. A. M. Henry, of Toledo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tilden, this week.

W. H. Wiggins and his entire family were over Saturday at attend Mrs. Clarissa Hall's funeral.

The sign in front of Baker & Hall's drug store blew down Sunday night but no damage resulted.

Read the announcement of Mabley & Co., on the 8th page. Their grand opening comes to-morrow, March 30th.

The teachers and pupils are enjoying a week's respite from work this week. The spring term will begin next Monday.

The business outlook is good for H. Brower & Co. They began on full time last Monday, after working on short time for over a year.

Among those who attended the G. A. R. and Relief Corps meeting at Mt. Clemens this week were Mrs. Thos. Hanley, A. W. Slayton, and H. W. Stevens.

The Womans' Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. G. W. Jackson during the month of April. Friday April 5th, is Mother's meeting conducted by the new superintendent. Let there be a good attendance.

The ladies who had the courage to remove their hats at the entertainment last evening are entitled to a public vote of thanks. The members of the Monday Club have started a good precedent, and we hope it may become the prevailing fashion.

Mrs. Phelps has presented to St. Peters church society a case containing 100 volumes of theological works, the property of her late husband. They will be placed permanently in the Rectory and will be helpful to the Rector whoever he may be. It is a generous gift and one that will be appreciated as the years go by.

Under a schedule arranged by a civil service commission the examination of applicants for positions in the departmental Indian and railway mail services will be held in Detroit April 1. The examinations will be conducted by Special Examiner Charles L. Snyder, who leaves Washington this week on the regular spring tour.

At the annual election of officers of Tecumseh L. O. L. No. 60. Tecumseh, Mich., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. M.—James Elliott.
D. M.—John C. Hazlett.
Secretary—John Murphy.
Chaplain—Rodgers Dunseath.
Treasurer—James Langthorn.
D. of C.—John Linton.
Tyler—Joseph McLaveny.

County School Commissioner C. F. Field was in the city yesterday taking steps for an educational rally in this city in a few weeks. Mr. Field devotes himself to the duties of his office without ostentation or fussiness, but he is highly regarded throughout the county as a systematic, conscientious official and splendid organizer. He works quietly and thoroughly. The prospects of his re-election are very encouraging, and this is cause for congratulation.—Hudson Gazette.

The whole legislature, with its retinue of attaches and a mountain of baggage, left Lansing at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, on a train composed of three day coaches and four Wagner palace cars, on a pilgrimage to Ann Arbor, where the law-makers went to study the needs of the state university. The party reached its destination at 6:10. Supper was served at Granger's hall, and in the evening the visitors were entertained at a concert in the big hall of the university, which contains the immense 'Columbian' organ, and has a seating capacity of 3,500 people.

Mrs Horace Baker was seized with an attack of acute pneumonia last Monday, and at six o'clock Tuesday morning, she had gone to her final rest. She had been in feeble health for many years, but was about the house as usual on Monday. The grief stricken husband and sons are prostrated by this sudden affliction. The deceased was 63 years old, having come to America when two years of age. Her girlhood was passed on a farm near Tecumseh, and for the past thirty years the family have lived in this village. She was a model wife and mother and respected by all who knew her. The funeral is held to day at 3:30 o'clock, p. m. at the family residence on Chicago street. Further obituary mention will appear hereafter.

Levi Hayden returned to Grand Rapids yesterday.

Dr. O. Q. Jones and wife visited Adrian Wednesday.

Pastor H. A. Smith has invested in a horse and buggy.

Will Hatch and Rolf Mills came home to Macon from Ann Arbor to vote.

Ridgeway and Lake Ridge will be found on the eighth page this week.

John J. Orr and wife attended the funeral of a relative at Saline, Wednesday.

Marvin Hayden and wife returned to their home in Grand Rapids Saturday.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. W. W. Marsh is gaining every day, with prospects of full recovery.

Mrs. Augusta Hall Waldron and stepson, of Jackson, arrived yesterday afternoon for a visit with friends.

Fred Teachout's household goods and his family left for Brooklyn Tuesday, and Fred will follow later on.

Alf. James has been having a siege with the grip the past week, and looks as if he had lost his last friend.

Miss Flora N. Gildersleeve, of Spring Arbor, who has been visiting her sister Maude at E. L. Teeple's, left for home yesterday on the noon train.

Al. Stacy, of Newburgh, went to Buffalo Saturday with a fine lot of lambs fed by himself; he shipped them from Britton via the Wabash. He returned home yesterday noon.

George Haggert, an old Clinton boy, but now of Clayton, stopped in Tecumseh Tuesday, a short time. He and son were on their way to Clinton for a visit.

Mrs. Henrietta Keyser returned Monday night from a nine week's visit at West Bay City and South Lyons. She reports a delightful time. The trip and visit evidently did her good.

Miss Cullen the popular and tasty trimmer for Mrs. M. A. Freeman returned Saturday night from a two weeks stay in Detroit, where she studied the different styles and perfected herself in the art of trimming in all the latest designs for the coming season.

George Gilbert who for some time has been one of J. C. Hazlett's coat makers, left Saturday for Osceola, where he was offered a position that to his mind was for his interest to accept. George made many friends during his sojourn here who wish him prosperity.

The prospects seem decidedly favorable for the establishment of a bicycle factory here. Mr. Boyle, of Grand Rapids, was here recently and made a proposition to the stock-holders of the Tiffany Iron Works, who have called a meeting to be held at the council rooms Tuesday, April 2nd, at 3 p. m. to consider the matter.

Here is the Tecumseh Republican ticket for next Monday:

Supervisor—Thomas Elliott.
Township Clerk—Robert S. Moore.
Township Treas.—Geo. W. Marsden.
Justice of the Peace—James H. Heck.
School Inspector—Percival W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Com. of Highway—Chas. A. Matthews.
Board of Review—Alfred D. Hall.
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Mr. A. P. Coddington and daughter Etta, Miss Carrie Millspaugh and sister Rev. H. A. Smith and wife, Mr. John Alexander and wife, Mr. Eugene Pattison, wife and son Harry, Miss Lida Burton, Mrs. Geo. Kay, Ira Lamkin, Jay Morse and Luella Sutherland, attended the Baptist Sunday-school Convention and B. Y. P. U. rally in Adrian Wednesday. The meetings were enjoyed by all, and Tecumseh was well represented.

Monday morning Sant Cutting drove their aged but respected representative of the equine family up to Heesens foundry, and intending to stop only a moment thought it unnecessary to hitch. While he was gone the whistle blew and the horse flew figuratively speaking, circling around in front of Brewers foundry. Hub Stout seeing it coming took his life in his hands so to speak, made a bold dash and his aim strange to say was unerring and he caught the fractious steed by the bit and all was well; no damage done. Hub was therefore the hero of the hour.

Dr. G. D. Perry, who has been in critical health for the past two months, departed this life on Wednesday morning last. He came to Michigan in 1843 from New York, settling on a farm in Franklin, where he built up a fine home and reared a large family of children. He was a regular M. E. minister and also a doctor of medecine, in both of which capacities he proved his excellence. He served two terms in the State legislature and for many years he was one of the leading citizens in this section of the county. For the past fifteen years he has resided in this village. The funeral is held this afternoon at two o'clock at the M. E. church. A formal obituary will appear in a future issue.

Dr. Will S. Wiggins will graduate from the Michigan college of medicine, at Detroit, Wednesday of this week and has the honor of being one of four who graduate with even honors, their work being par excellence. The next day after graduation, Dr. Wiggins will hang out his shingle at Novi, Mich., about twenty-four miles north of Detroit, in Oakland county. Dr. Wiggins is the son of Ex-Treasurer W. H. Wiggins, and a young man of excellent qualities and qualifications, and his many friends in this section will wish him well in his new location.—Adrian Telegram.

Fred Deuel suffered another paralytic stroke the last of the week. For a time it was thought he would not rally, but there has been a change for the better and it is hoped he will recover his speech and regain the use of his limbs.

Prof. Ira Dean Loree and wife, of Lawrence, arrived yesterday afternoon. They came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Horace Baker. They will remain through next week for a visit with friends, it being vacation in the school there. Their headquarters will be at Mrs. Abbie Fisher's.

At the funeral of Mrs. Clarissa Hall, Saturday last, the five children of the deceased were all present, being the first time they had all met together in 42 years. They had been visiting and met each other frequently but never had all been together at one time. A singular coincidence is the fact that Mrs. Hall leaves 19 grand children and 19 great grand children. The deceased, since the death of Mrs. Woodward a few months ago, has been the oldest living resident of Tecumseh.

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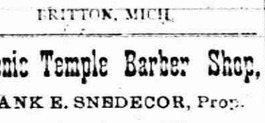
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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., March 22.—The senate had a hot debate Thursday over Mr. Jamison's bill to repeal the law authorizing Roman Catholic bishops to hold property in trust for the benefit of the church. It was finally laid on the table pending final passage. The house resolution providing for the appointment of a special joint committee to investigate the circumstances attending the introduction of Representative Matthews' pure-food bill was laid on the table. The senate passed a bill providing that cities and villages having a population of not to exceed 10,000 and which now own or operate electric-lighting plants may furnish light to private parties.

Both branches adjourned until Monday and by invitation of the regents of the university and Ann Arbor citizens the members left on a special train Thursday afternoon to visit the university.

LANSING, Mich., March 27.—The senate on Tuesday passed the bill submitting to the people the question of removal of the county seat of Emmett county from Harbor Springs to Petoskey and to committee of the whole struck out all after the enacting clause from the bill providing for local option in liquor traffic by cities, villages and townships, instead of by counties as now. The vote was very close, and the question is likely to come up again, as the enacting clause was tabled.

House.

LANSING, Mich., March 27.—The house passed a bill [illegible] the most important being those for compulsory education in the public schools and abolishing the salary of the sheriff of Wayne county after January 1, 1897. The bill prohibiting candidates for office to act as inspectors of election was defeated.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

State Convention of the Michigan Union Opens at Bay City.

BAY CITY, March 27.—The ninth annual convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor union opened here Tuesday evening with 1,000 delegates present. The secretary's report showed 777 senior and 231 junior societies, with a total membership of 40,000. The gain in a year has been nearly 400 societies. The Congregationalists lead with 310 societies, the Presbyterians are second with 250, and the Baptists are third with sixty-four. The treasurer's report showed the receipts for the year to be $698 and the disbursements $424. The report of the missionary superintendent said that 1,000 missionary services had been held in Michigan since last November.

A COSTLY BLAZE.

Fire at Fife Lake Destroys $30,000 Worth of Property.

TRAVERSE CITY, March 24.—The most disastrous fire in this region [illegible] occurred at Fife Lake Saturday, a large portion of the business section being completely wiped out. The loss will reach $30,000, and the insurance is less than $5,000. Several families are homeless. Buildings destroyed are: City hotel, Fife Lake Hardware company's store and warehouse, Fife Lake Monitor, Bossey shoe store and warehouse, hotel and outbuildings burned, Crawford's cutlery store, Campbell's barber shop, Hutchin's general store, photograph gallery, post office, several small dwellings and two large dwellings owned by J. Ward and W. Hinklin. The hardware company's loss is about $9,000; insurance, $3,300.

Bad Fire in Decatur.

DECATUR, March 24.—Fire started in the Duncomb house at 5 o'clock Saturday morning, burning ten buildings including two hotels, the bank, two stores, two wagon shops and the Universalist church. Estimated loss $10,000. Several families are homeless. Joseph Rogers, a pioneer banker of southwestern Michigan, whose residence adjoins the Universalist church, died during the progress of the fire. Death was expected at any moment, but it was hastened by the excitement attending upon the efforts to save his home.

Jochim Explains.

ISHPEMING, March 27.—Absconding Deputy Secretary of State Lindholm testified at Lansing that checks left by him drawn by Secretary Jochim were for state funds loaned Jochim at the latter's request. Jochim allowed the checks to be protested when Lindholm fled. Jochim's explanation is that Lindholm owed him a large amount, and that to save himself he stopped payment on the checks when presented by the state, and that he did not know that any sums given him by Lindholm were from state funds.

Michigan G. A. R. Meets.

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., March 27.—The seventeenth annual encampment of the G. A. R. department of Michigan opened in this city Tuesday. At the opening session Department Commander Kanitz read his annual report, which contained many recommendations for the good of the order. The report of the adjutant general showed 18,059 members of the Michigan department in good standing, the net loss for the year being 957. There are 183 posts in good standing.

Increase in Fruit Culture.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 23. Between now and the middle of April 150,000 to 200,000 fruit trees will be set out in Western Michigan. Most of the trees will be peaches, but more pear and plum trees than ever before in a single season will be planted. One farmer in Berrien county alone has 13,000 trees, mostly peaches ready to plant as soon as the season is ripe for operations, and there are many new or replaced orchards of 1,000 or 1,500 trees.

A Novel Wager.

LANSING, Mich., March 26.—The result of a novel wager has just come to light. Miss Ida Smith and Miss Kate Doyle, prominent society young ladies of Owosso, on a wager of $100 walked from Owosso to Lansing, arriving here Saturday afternoon. They left Owosso Friday, proceeded to Lansing, where they remained over night. They walked the entire distance of 28 miles on the railroad track in twelve hours.

Woman's Board of Missions Meets.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 27.—The twenty-second annual meeting of the Michigan branch of the Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior opened Tuesday with Mrs. James R. Angell, of Ann Arbor, presiding. The programme was composed of music, devotional exercises and the reading of reports.

STATE NEWS.

Short But Interesting Paragraphs from Many Localities.

The twenty-first annual convention of the Michigan Fireman's association will be held in Traverse City May 15 and 16.

An epidemic of measles caused the closing of Petersburg schools for two weeks.

A law prohibiting the trapping of beavers in this state for five years is strongly advocated, as the animals are rapidly becoming extinct.

The Plymouth Fair association will hold its annual meeting September 17 to 20 inclusive.

Arrangements are being made by a colony of residents of Moline, Ill., for the erection of fourteen summer cottages on a resort in Fruitland township, on the shores of Lake Michigan, near Muskegon.

One of the richest clay beds in Michigan has been discovered in Buchanan. It burns to a light buff color, and a $30,000 plant will be erected this spring to make fine pressed brick.

The electors of Chippewa county will, on April 30 next, be given a chance to vote on the question of bonding the county in the sum of $100,000 for the construction and maintenance of roads.

The issue of the weather crop report by the Michigan weather service at Lansing will begin on March 9, and continue during the growing season.

Congressman Smith, of the Fifth Michigan district, announces that a competitive examination for a naval cadetship, will be held in Grand Rapids, April 4.

At a special election in Eaton county, the issue of local option was successful by a good majority.

While attending a banquet given by an A. O. U. W. lodge in Grand Rapids, Mrs. Herman Hammerslay died of heart disease.

The iron works at Elk Rapids will shut down on May 1 for an indefinite period, after running continuously for twenty-two years. Two hundred men will be thrown out of employment.

A new post office has been established at Tobacco, Gladwin county, with special service from Beaverton. Another has been established at Wittmund, Menominee county, with special service from Carney.

The Excelsior Clothing & Shoe company, of Saginaw, has filed chattel mortgages for $56,000. The business was conducted by Ferngood & Rosenthal. Poor collections is given as the cause of the failure.

The 4-year-old daughter of W. E. Stump, who lives in Gratiot county, near St. Johns, was scalded to death by falling into a pail of boiling water.

The 12-year-old son of John Adams, living near Adamsville, died recently from the effect of a kick by a vicious horse.

Grand Rapids Bar association gave a banquet in honor of Judge H. H. Lurton's first visit to that city to hold a session of the United States court. About forty of the leading attorneys attended.

The contract for building an iron bridge over the Escanaba river, 3 miles west of Gladstone, has been let to the Gillett-Herzog Manufacturing company of Minneapolis for $5,700.

J. C. Larson has sued the city of Menominee for breach of sewer contract.

An extensive tannery is to be located at the mouth of the Cedar river at Menominee.

A Nonpartisan Bimetallic league was organized at Grand Rapids with Charles R. Sligh president.

The remains of Gen. Philip St. George Cooke were buried with appropriate military honors at Detroit.

Herr Johann Most addressed a large audience at Detroit, urging in his customary vein the use of bombs against police officers.

In nine out of sixteen townships in Berrien county, democrats and populists have united on free silver candidates.

Wilbur G. Salter, of Chicago, a student at Ann Arbor university, was seriously injured by falling from a ladder.

In a mill at Boyne City Chris Rashley was killed by the bursting of a steam feed chest.

W. O. Hunt was nominated for mayor by the democrats of Adrian.

Edmund W. Donovan, a brother of the only democrat in the Michigan legislature, was nominated for mayor by the democrats of Flint.

The New York Avenue Presbyterian church, of Washington, D. C., issued a call to Rev. Wallace Radcliffe, D. D., of the Fort Street church, Detroit.

The Waller house, a small hotel at Central Lake, burned at midnight Sunday night. James Miller, the porter, was cremated, and the other inmates narrowly escaped with their lives.

The death is announced at Battle Creek of John Bryant, one of the oldest engineers on the Grand Trunk railway.

At Otsego William Decker was held in the sum of $400 bail to answer a charge of selling diseased meat.

Olca Town, 90 years of age, a pensioner of the Blackhawk war and a resident of Michigan since 1842, died Saturday at Allegan. He was identified with the early settlement of Allegan and the navigation of the Kalamazoo river.

A falling derrick at Allegan knocked Bennie Moore, aged 8 years, into the river and held him there for about half an hour before he could be taken out. It is believed his neck was broken, and that death did not come by drowning.

The American Protective Tariff league has appointed Hon. J. C. Burrows vice president of the organization in Michigan.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' association of Montcalm county will hold their next annual meeting at Carson City July 2, 3 and 4, next.

The Wisconsin Central railroad will [illegible] a line of boats to [illegible] Mich., at once.

A VALID LAW.

Michigan Supreme Court Upholds the Anti-Fusion Act.

LANSING, Mich., March 27.—The Michigan supreme court has decided that the "anti-fusion" act passed by the present legislature is valid. The act provided that a candidate for an office, where he received the nomination from more than one party, should elect before a given date on which ticket he would run. Failing to do this his name would be placed on the first ticket certified to, but in no case could said candidates' name appear more than once on the official ballot.

The question was raised by a mandamus proceeding brought against the election commissioners by Albert M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, who is a candidate for representative in congress to succeed Julius Cæsar Burrows, on the prohibition, populist and free silver tickets. The court, while declaring the law valid, decides that it does not apply to candidate Todd, who was nominated by one party and indorsed by another before the act took effect.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS.

They Hold Their Fifth Annual Convention in Detroit.

DETROIT, March 27.—Upward of 1,000 delegates were present Tuesday evening at the opening session of the fifth annual convention of the Epworth league of Michigan. The delegates occupied the ground floor of the audience-room of the Central Methodist church, and the galleries were crowded with spectators. After a hearty service of song and the usual opening devotional services Eugene C. Pierce, of Saginaw, president of the state league, delivered his annual address. He contrasted the league's first annual convention five years ago, when but 300 delegates were present, with its present condition. It has now attained a membership of 30,000 in the state. Among his suggestions for the future was one to the effect that the league, through its leaders, should systematically aid and encourage the present efforts for municipal reforms.

WITHDREW TOO LATE.

Novel Political Situation in the Kalamazoo District.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., March 26.—Patrick H. Gilkey, the democratic nominee for congress in this district, on Monday night withdrew his name in favor of Mr. Todd, the fusion nominee. He urges democrats to vote for Todd. The republican candidate is Alfred Milnes, the present lieutenant governor.

LANSING, Mich., March 27.—Attorney General Maynard on Tuesday gave an opinion that Albert M. Todd cannot legally be substituted as a democratic candidate for congressman in the Third district in place of Patrick H. Gilkey, withdrawn. Mr. Maynard says that while the supreme court has shown that Todd's name could not now justly be removed from the other three tickets the anti-fusion act would certainly apply to the present question. Gilkey having withdrawn after the act had taken effect.

A WILD LIFE ENDED.

A Former Allegan Girl Commits Suicide in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 25.—Frances Bailey, 23 years old, was found dead in her room Sunday night. On the table was an empty two-ounce bottle of morphine. She is the third of three handsome sisters of Allegan, Mich., who at different times have made runaway matches and each in turn has been deserted, each then committing suicide. Frances went off with a traveling salesman. A roller skater and an actor were the faithless spouses in the other two cases. The father of the girls is said to have died of a broken heart.

Claims an Immense Estate.

CHARLEVOIX, March 22.—Mrs. Priscilla Copeland, who lived on a small farm south of East Jordan, claims to be a direct descendant and heiress of Joseph Rolman, who once owned all the land on the Hudson river north of New York, where, now the suburb of Irvington stands. Mrs. Copeland has engaged an attorney to push her claim in the New York courts.

Telephone Companies Cut Rates.

ST. JOSEPH, March 23.—A few weeks ago the Gilliland Telephone company, of Chicago, were granted a franchise here and were to charge $24 a year for the use of telephones in business houses. Friday the Bell Telephone company, which has for years been charging $48 a year, announced that they would furnish them for $18. Lower rates are expected.

Mrs. Booth Invades Detroit.

DETROIT, March 24.—Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth arrived in Detroit Saturday. Her purpose is to organize auxiliaries to the Salvation Army, composed of church people, who shall render financial aid to the army while not participating in its actual work. She will address five gatherings here, one of them being a drawing-room meeting.

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CONCERNING WOMEN.

HOW BAD HABITS ARE FOR

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenaw
At a session of the Probate court for the C
of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, i
City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 12th d
March, in the year one thousand eight hu
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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Pr
In the matter of the estate of James L. R
ton, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of
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and upon the estate of said deceased, allegi
the funeral expenses and debts of said de
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ready to close said estate and to render h
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court may be allowed, and that the residue
estate may be assigned and distributed
to the terms and conditions of the last w
testament of said deceased, and that he
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other order and decree as to this court sh
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of Lenawee, for three successive weeks pre
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RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Pr
(A True Copy.)
E. A. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

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On reading and filing the petition, duly
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the probate of an instrument now on
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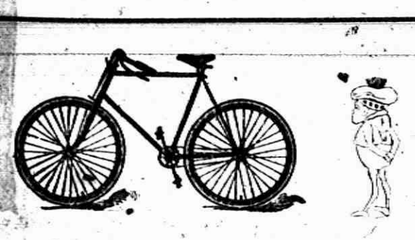

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A GRAND DUCK HUNT

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Scarcely had the interest in the fox hunts subsided ere some of our sports had a desire to win for themselves great renown that would be as enduring as the granite hills. It having been demonstrated beyond a doubt that foxes were not plentiful, some other game must bring to them the coveted glory. After considering the matter pro and con it was decided to have a duck hunt, and preparations were made accordingly. Friday afternoon Percival Waller Adams Fitzsimmons and Harry Richter went out reconnoitering, so to speak. They saw ducks in countless numbers in all directions, and the Brownville pond was fairly alive with elegant specimens of the game desired. They were greatly elated over the brilliant prospects of the morrow, and in their imagination they saw hundreds of them as trophies of their skill. They returned home in high glee to complete their arrangements. A democrat wagon with a double box was engaged of Garlinghouse Bros. for their use, and as the Brownville pond was selected as the field of slaughter, it was decided they should arise before break of day, walk out and lie in ambush, and a man, with horse and the aforesaid wagon, should come out later for the game. They remembered hearing in childhood's days that "early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise," so tried its efficacy. They dreamed dreams and saw visions—ducks! ducks everywhere. They arose early, donned their hunting suits, and with their guns and amunition started for the pond. Percy presented a warlike appearance, clad in sweater, hunting jacket, belt loaded with cartridges and guns on shoulders. His powers of endurance were given a severe test, as he was heavily laden. They arrived at the point selected before the ducks and cleverly concealing themselves awaited the game. About 7 o'clock Robert, with the horse and wagon aforesaid, went out after the first load of game. Not finding a pile of game at the point designated, nor seeing anything of the boys, he tied the horse and returned to town. The boys waited long and patiently, but no ducks appeared, they apparently not being thirsty, and as the sun was high in the heavens and the ardor of the boys cooled, they unhitched the horse and drove home, and are now declaring they only went out for exercise and to shoot at a mark.

The boys claim they shot two ducks, one fell in the bushes and they could not find it, the other fell in the water and as they were about to pick it up it dove and failed to come to the surface, and as the boys neglected to take their diving suits they were forced to return without ducks.

Then and Now.

There was a time when he who would keep informed of the progress of knowledge, the record of discovery and invention, and the currents of human thought, could and indeed must rely chiefly if not wholly upon books. That day has passed. Books we must still read, as the crystallization and permanent embodiment of human thought and knowledge. But to-day it is the newspaper, the magazine, the periodical review, upon which we must chiefly depend if we would follow closely the intellectual movements of the day. And now a new difficulty has arisen. This newspaper and periodical literature has become so multitudinous and bulky as to be a heavy burden to the busy man or woman, while even the person who has leisure and inclination to read widely is often unable to get access to the current publications. Especially in the smaller citief, villages, and rural districts is the lack of such opportunity felt. It is felt by the clergymen, the teacher, the lawyer, the physician, the merchant, the artisan, the farmer and the cultured and thoughtful women of the household. With all these and many other classes of persons the great practical literary question is: How can I best supplement my indispensable home paper? It was to answer this question and meet this demand that Public Opinion(now published in New York City)was founded nine years ago. It selects the best, condenses it to the last degree, and serves it in convenient and attractive form.

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LACK OF ORGANIZED FORCE.

Some Hints for Dairy Farmers to Ponder and Act Upon.

Congressman Hainer, of Nebraska, in a very pertinent speech before the National Dairy Union, at Washington, said that there was almost a total lack of organization among the Dairymen of the United States in favor of laws against adulteration of dairy products. What a comment that is upon the citizenship of dairymen. Ask any man among them if he is in favor of such laws and he will answer yes. Ask him if he has done anything practical to impress his opinion on the law makers, whether in congress or his own state, and not one in a thousand will answer yes.

No wonder that Bynum, of Indiana, and a host of other congressmen will fight the Grout bill or any other bill that interferes with their friends, the oleo combine. It is because the oleo combine is organized and the dairymen are not. It is because the oleo men will spend thousands upon thousands of dollars to destroy the dairy interest, while the dairymen stand indifferent. The oleo men are practical; the dairymen are impractical. The oleo men hire lobbyists by the score to block the progress of all legislation against them. Will the dairymen pay the small sum of one dollar to help the National Dairy Union? It seems to us that not to do this is unwise and unpatriotic.

There are three simple ways for every dairyman to make himself effective.

1. He should write a postal card to his member of congress and to each of the senators of his state, asking them to support the Grout bill. Ask them to defend you against a fraud and counterfeit.

2. Also write a postal card to your member of the state assembly and senate calling for state laws against this fraud. It is the number of atoms in this postal card snow storm that will tell. Every farmer can add to its weight. Don't fail to do it.

3. Send the small sum of one dollar to the National Dairy Union to help make up the sinews of war in this fight. Do this all over the land and the butter counterfeiters will hear something drop inside the next 90 days. If you wish, send your contribution to Hoard's Dairyman, Fort Atkinson, Wis., and we will acknowledge receipt of same and forward it to the treasurer. Do all three of these things and thus organize.—Hoard's Dairyman.

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Tom—Barely made enough to pay the rent.

John—What rent did you pay?

Tom—I was paying $5 per acre.

John—Will you rent a farm this year?

Tom—No. I am going to buy a farm for the price that I have paid yearly for rent.

John—Where are you going to buy it?

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Our labor is hard and our duty an unpleasant one, but we cannot turn away from the pleading faces of our neighbors when we know that the noble people of the East will render it possible for us to prevent suffering.

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Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character—a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20cents a copy. It is published at 30 Cortland Street, New York City.

POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$30 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand,	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, on Saturday afternoon, May 4th, 1895, at three o'clock, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00 or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times,	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

A Chance to Make Money.

In the past week I have made $125 and attended to my household duties. I think I will do better next week. It seems the more dish washers I sell, the more demand I have for them. I think any lady or gentleman, anywhere, can make money in this business. It is something every family wants, and when they can be bought so cheap, they buy them, and the person who has enterprise enough to take an agency, is bound to make money. I wish any of your readers that wish to make from $5 to $12 a day, would try this business and report their success. Any one can get full particulars by addressing the Iron City Dish Washer Co., E. E. Pittsburg, Pa. Such a chance is rare—at least I have never struck one. 1w MARTHA F. B.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., APRIL 5, 1895.

Dr. J. E. White and wife visited Macon Sunday.

C. L. Morgan, of Macon, was calling on friends here Tuesday.

Robert Bauer has purchased of S. W. Demuth his Hartford wheel.

The woolen mill was shut down Saturday for the annual inventory.

Lina Jones has been quite sick the past week, but it now some better.

Johnnie Tuttle returned to his school work at Albion, the first of the week.

Percy VanTuyle is the happy possessor of a dandy boy's Columbia wheel.

W. N. Fowler, M. D., has his office over the printing office on Tecumseh Street.

E. E. Smith and wife entertained a friend, Mr. Humphrey of Detroit, over Sunday.

Leslie J. Leek visited his sister Mrs. Andrew, at Adrian, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Frank Munson has been quite ill for a week or more, but is gaining nicely now.

The ladies of the M. E. society give their annual supper at the church this (Friday) evening.

J. E. White accompanied Rev. W. R. Blachford to Manchester Tuesday evening, where he held service.

Floyd Rogers and Harry Kies, who have been spending the vacation at home, returned to Orchard Lake Wednesday.

Philip Keusch, Tom McGuire, Roy Codling and Fred Koernig visited Manchester Sunday. They went over on their wheels.

Sam. Alexander, of Hanover, Ind., the eldest son of Peter, arrived the last of the week and began work in the mill Monday morning.

Mrs. Ed. Hollister and sons of Tecumseh, came up with Mr. Hollister Sunday morning, and attended service at St. John's church.

Wright E. Mills has sold his farm near the lakes, and he expects soon to return with his family to their farm near Dorr, Allegan county.

Van Tuyle & Woodward have one story of their new block up and the work is being done rapidly and it will be long ere it is completed.

Jonathan Rogers has moved from Oliver Aiken's farm to Lloyd Conkle's, west of town, and Sylvester Parish moves on to Oliver Aiken's.

Mrs. Riley has moved into the Ingraham house to the old Hixson house just north of town. The change was made the first of the week.

John J. Dell of Tecumseh, was in Tuesday afternoon and placed some of Orr & Temple's popular proprietary remedies with E. D. Randall & Co.

Bertha Sturgis, who attended the Epworth League convention at Detroit last week, visited her parents at Onsted over Sunday and returned Monday night.

Louise VanDeMark, who visited Maggie Clarkson of Tecumseh, last week, returned home Saturday suffering from a severe attack of pleurisy. She is now much better.

Regular meeting of Clinton Lodge, No. 175 F. & A. M. tomorrow evening; after the business is transacted there will be work in the M. degree and refreshments the First.

Wm. Theisen, the tailor, has moved his family from Manchester, and now occupies the Pascoe house on east Chicago street. The house is owned by Peter Alexander and family.

Doctor and Mrs. W. N. Fowler are now settled in D. M. Ingraham's house on Locust street. The doctor spent Sunday in Detroit and Mrs. Fowler was the guest of Tecumseh friends while he was away.

Firm Hendershot, of Bucknell, Ind., is making his friends here a visit. The short time that Firm has been away has made marked changes in his looks, he is more mature and sports a nice silken mustache.

Remember Clark & Shimman's opening today and tomorrow. The display of trimmed hats, bonnets and millinery novelties will be almost endless in variety and elegant in design. You cannot afford to miss it.

Do not forget the entertainment to be given by the ladies of the Congregational society at the town hall next Wednesday evening. The program will be very interesting and entertaining and the object is a worthy one.

George Fisher has sold his home on Mill street to Mrs. E. M. English. It is reported that he and wife will move to Buffalo where George, their only child, resides. They have been with us so many years that we shall deeply regret to have them go.

The ladies of the Episcopal society will give their annual Easter supper at the town hall tuesday evening, April 16th. The reputation of these ladies as caterers is too well established to require any words of commendation from us. All know they will have a great treat.

Ed. Young son of Manly Young, who for several years has lived west, has purchased what is known as the Marcus Wood farm, east of town. As soon as the needed repairs are made to the house and barn he will occupy it. He is procuring teams, implements, etc. We are glad to welcome them back again.

Dr. Thos. Rix, the noted Dentist of Dowagiac, who for many years, long ago, resided here, visited D. H. Davis the last of the week. He missed the train Saturday night, and as it was necessary that he should be at Albion Sunday; he was driven by Ed. Clark to Ypsilanti Sunday morning that he might take the Mich. Central and thus meet his engagement.

Mrs. S. O'Hara, who lived east of town on the Macon road, passed away Thursday, aged 65 years. Mrs. O'Hara was a great home body, scarcely ever leaving it save when she could minister to the wants of others. She was highly respected by all who knew her, as was shown by the very large attendance at the funeral, which was held at the house Sunday afternoon and conducted by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell. The remains were laid in our beautiful Riverside cemetery.

The election passed off very quietly. The Republicans had every thing their own way electing the entire ticket. The vote was not a large one, many, particularly democrats, not voting at all. Below is the vote on the township ticket:

Supervisor,	
George C. Lindsley	218—53
William C. Rogers	155
Clerk,	
Edward L. Parker	216—50
William O. Silvers	166
Treasurer,	
Hiram W. Saxton	194— 9
Alonzo Marshall	185
Justice,	
Leander W. Kimball	225—10
Charles S. Burroughs	155
Board of Review,	
Edwin W. Freese	211—41
Richard B. Gillespie	170
School Inspector,	
George Wilson	211—47
Minnie Humphrey	164
Highway Commissioner,	
David E. Haggerty	193—32
R. B. Mills	171
Drain Commissioner,	
Alfred J. Allen	203—29
Peter B. Sutfin	172
Constables,	
Fred Sheldon	211—47
Wm. H. Smith	169
Charles R. Barnsdale	209—36
Geo. W. Goodrich	173
Wm. Sherwood	211—49
Thos. Brown	198
Chris Schnerla	211—49
D. G. Kuder	171

For County Superintendent of Schools, Charles F. Field received a majority of 10.

Program of the entertainment to be given at the Hall, Wednesday evening, April 10, by Congregational society.

PART FIRST.

Greeting Glee—Double Quartette.
Reading from Josiah Allen's Wife.
The Nightingales Mistake—Trio.
Katie did and Katie didn't—Duet.
Ladies Quartette—Rain on the Roof.
Piano Solo—The Bells.
The Nursery Maid is Drill.
March.
First Drill.
Lullaby Song.
A Nursery Mail am I—Solo and Chorus.
Mother Goose Melodies.
Nursery Song—Oh, baby you will drive me wild.
March.
Drill by Colored nurses with charges.
Second Drill.
Lullaby Song.

PART SECOND.

Gentleman's Quartette.
The Sassy Boy Girl—Solo.
Reading—Under the Wheels.
Pass Under the Rod—Solo.
German Chorus.
Schooly Scrat Away—Double Quartette.
Annie Laurie—Solo.
Wake Nicodemus—Solo and Chorus.
Yankee Doodle—Solo and Chorus.
Entertainment will commence at 7:30. Admission 25cts. Children 10cts. Tickets at Bachelor & Haus's store.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Brigadier Smith is reported on the sick list with the grip.

Mrs. Emmerson Whitcher is still quite sick with her throat. Her mother, Mrs. Pierson, of Adrian, is with her.

The Library Association give a maple sugar party at the residence of Mr. Willard Vanderpool, Saturday night, April 6th. Bill, 10c.

How many eggs have you got hidden in the haymow for Easter, boys and girls? Look out or Jack frost will find them, if no one else does.

Mrs. Cassie Allshouse, who fell from the haymow recently while gathering eggs and who was supposed to have sustained fatal injuries, is now able to ride out. Dr. Rice had charge of the case.

Mrs. G. W. Fuller gave a party last week Thursday evening. The guests report a fine time, an elegant supper, choice music, etc. Mr. Fuller received a beautiful chair as a souvenir of his 55th birthday.

The HERALD'S Pentecost correspondent has been on the list of sick, or lazy, for some time now, but is once more able to walk out and enjoy the fresh breezes, so called, but in reality to scold about the horrid chilly east wind.

Bert Elliott, our new merchant, has his store very nicely arranged, and offers the highest prices for butter and eggs. We wish him success in his undertaking. G. W. Fuller has a fine and well selected stock of goods, and the friendly rivalry between these dealers will help to draw to our embryo village its fair share of trade from the surrounding country, no doubt.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Maple sugar makers have not struck it rich this year.

Hollis Taylor has been enjoying the vacation of the Albion college, at home.

The literary of the Bebee neighborhood will occur at Mr. Penticost's, Saturday night.

Mrs. W. J. Hampton and daughter, Ethel, drove to Ypsilanti Friday, returning Sunday.

Walter Osborn was in this neighborhood last week in the interest of the Deering binders, mowers, etc.

Wm. J. Pawson, of Six Lakes, Montcalm county, is visiting his old friends, neighbors and relatives in this vicinity. It seems good to see his smiling face among us.

The program of the Franklin Literary and Lyceum for April 10th is as follows:

Music—Orchestra.
Dec—Earl Munger.
Rec—Dora Hunt.
Poem—Mrs. Davenport.
Song—Mrs. Ara VanTuyle.
Dia—Dora and Berta Davenport.
Sel. Read—Ella Munger.
Paper—Alton Whelan and Cecil Billington.
Solo—The Shanghi Rooster—Leon Allen.
Dec—Floyd Marshall.
Dia—Mrs. T. Marshall and Mrs. A. B. Wisner.
Song—Bert Billington.
Rec—Hoyt Wheelan.
Rec—Jenny Welch.
Dec—Wilford Allen.
Music.

Mrs. Chas. Root, Ceadar Springs, Mich., was told by physicians that they could do nothing for her. After taking two bottles of "Adironda" she was able to do her own work and ride to town to do her shopping. Sold by Orr & Temple apr

SPRINGVILLE SPRAYS.

Albert Fellows is moving into town.

Guy Case is home from the Valley for a week's vacation.

Farmer's Club at the home of Mrs. Mary Case, Saturday.

Arthur and Anna White returned from a visit at Plainwell and Albion, Tuesday.

Stella Dewey, of Cambridge, will conduct the meeting of the Epworth League next Sunday evening.

Mrs. Calvin Daniels, who has been quite ill for the past two months, is slowly regaining her health.

Machine politics in Cambridge received a decided setback Monday. Joseph Marsh, democrat, was elected to the office of supervisor, Fred Desermia, democrat, clerk, Fred Reed, republican, treasurer, and Sam Alderdyce, highway commissioner, the remainder of the ticket democratic.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Splendid roads and business improving some of late.

Dwight Luce has a young horse very sick with distemper.

Farmers are thinking of sowing oats in a few days, if it keeps warm.

They will put on another play at Rome Center in the near future.

Humphrey Griffin has been confined to the house for a week with the grip.

Charlie Spangle will move back to the Baker farm about the middle of May.

Mrs. Ida Knowles is in Adrian with her sister, Mrs. Stockwell, and is very sick.

Warren Segar is remodeling his house and putting on a new coat of paint.

Mary Lace goes to Detroit next Saturday to have a tumor removed from her stomach.

The Dimple Cheeked Village Maid may not retain her dimples and rosy cheeks "blooming with health," until she finds a good husband. A little neglect or accident may bring about some one of the many "female" diseases and "weaknesses," to which the sex is subject, and health may be forever impaired, and hopes and happiness be at an end. Thanks to Dr. Pierce, his Favorite Prescription, prepared by him for women, cures the worst cases of uterine diseases, nervousness, neuralgia, irregularities, and "weaknesses." It is a great invigorating tonic and nervine, and rapidly builds up the health and strength.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, for constipation, sick headache, biliousness, indigestion. Once taken, always in favor. 1w

The American eagle does not scream every time some statesman yells. The eagle is too wise a bird to waste its lung power.

Do These Questions Apply to You?

They are sure to interest hundreds of readers of this paper. Nine out of every ten people are troubled with these symptoms, and really don't know what's the matter with them. Here are the questions:

Are you nervous?
Have you a cough?
Is your throat sore?
Is your appetite poor?
Do you hawk and spit?
Is your nose stopped up?
Is it always full of scabs?
Is your breath offensive?
Is your hearing affected?
Is your tongue frequently coated?
Is your mouth full of slime upon arising?

If you have, you have, or are getting, a bad case of catarrh. One bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure is guaranteed to cure any case of catarrh, and will last for three months' treatment. Ask your druggist for it. He will give you an absolute guarantee. For sale by druggists. Remember, one bottle to cure, and guaranteed by our agents.

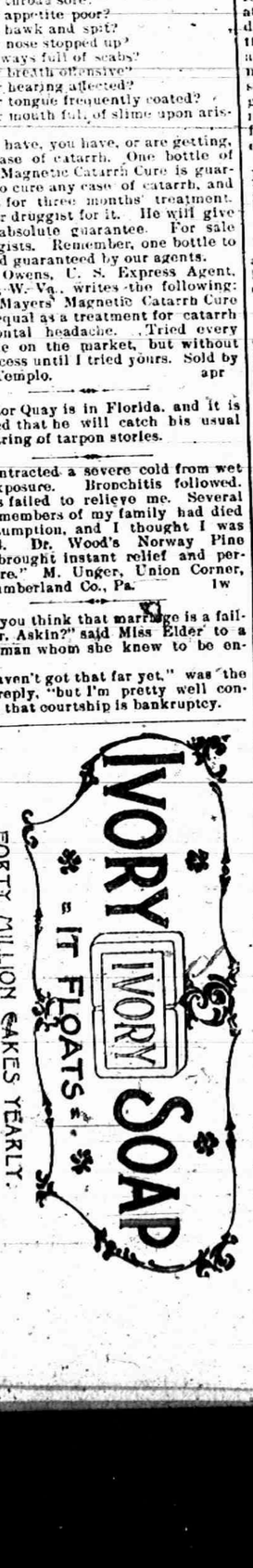
H. C. Owens, U. S. Express Agent, Grafton, W. Va., writes the following: Your Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure has no equal as a treatment for catarrh and frontal headache. Tried every medicine on the market, but without any success until I tried yours. Sold by Orr & Templo. apr

Senator Quay is in Florida, and it is expected that he will catch his usual large string of tarpon stories.

"I contracted a severe cold from wet and exposure. Bronchitis followed. Doctors failed to relieve me. Several of the members of my family had died of consumption, and I thought I was doomed. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup brought instant relief and perfect cure." M. Unger, Union Corner, Northumberland Co., Pa. 1w

"Do you think that marriage is a failure, Mr. Askin?" said Miss Elder to a young man whom she knew to be engaged.

"I haven't got that far yet," was the frank reply, "but I'm pretty well convinced that courtship is bankruptcy.



Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

If Corey is elected President will he let us all walk on the grass?

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After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia; especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhoea and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

That so many international and inter-State quarrels are in progress in Mid-Lent is a sad commentary on the official world's religious conduct.

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Why Your Back is Lame—Why it Aches and Pains, and How to Cure it.

Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe bilious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

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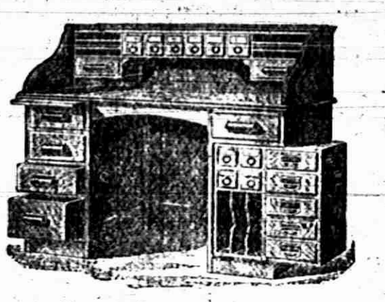

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PAINTING.—M. L. Gillea is now ready to do [illegible]ng, paper hanging and decorating of [illegible]. Orders may be left at the market of [illegible]h on Railroad street or at J. Mon[illegible]velty Store.

LOST.—[illegible]rsday (Friday) morning, on the streets [illegible]here, a pair of gold bowed nose [illegible]h chain and pin attached. Finder [illegible]d at HERALD office.

SALE.—8000 feet of inch dry oak lum[illegible]$7.50 per 1000 feet, if taken at once. A. W. SLAYTON.

FOR SALE.—Twenty acres of land with [illegible]ble timber on it, situated 1½ miles [illegible] of Tecumseh. For particulars in[illegible] MRS. J. C. SATTERTHWAITE.

HARDWOOD LUMBER.—If you want to [illegible]ardwood lumber or hay pine lumber [illegible]ll me. I have bought and sold [illegible] since Jan. 1st, this year. A. W. SLAYTON.

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STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE.—[illegible]rland, $3.50 per 1,000; per 100, 50c. Bu[illegible]per 1,000; per 100, 35c. Gandy, $3.50 per [illegible]100, 50c. Mt Vernon, $3 per 1,000; per [illegible] Crescent, $3 per 1,000; per 100, 45c. [illegible]s Early, $3 per 1,000; per 100 45c. War[illegible]per 1,000; per 100, 45c Enhance, $4 per [illegible]r 10c, 35c. Parker Earle, $5 per 1,000; [illegible]c. 400 of any one variety at 1,000 [illegible]0 of any one variety at 100 rates. C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

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[illegible]MSEH, MICH., APRIL 5, 1895.

[illegible]AL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

[illegible]M. Aten is improving under the [illegible] Dr. Holland of Blissfield.

[illegible]ices have been held daily at [illegible]'s Episcopal Church this week.

[illegible]n & Frank, the opticians of De[illegible]rrived at the Lilley house Mon[illegible]

[illegible] Wilson and family returned to [illegible]me in Toledo Saturday after[illegible]

[illegible]Hughes, James Riley and Lewie [illegible] were home from Clinton over

[illegible] Haight spent Sunday with his [illegible]and Saturday evening rode the [illegible]e goat.

Oscar Palmer left Saturday for [illegible]n where she will visit friends [illegible]fter Easter.

[illegible] Primrose, who is now traveling [illegible]e Stimpson Scale Company in [illegible]a, was home over Sunday.

[illegible]. W. R. Blachford held service at [illegible]ester Tuesday and C. F. Field [illegible]ed the lenten service here that

[illegible]& Temple received an order re[illegible] from Clark, Mason & Co., Adrian, [illegible]e dozen each of their DeHorner [illegible]ver's condition powders.

[illegible]y Minsing returned home from [illegible]ia, Saturday night. He reports [illegible]sant time and left Fred B. Wood [illegible]mily pleasantly situated and en[illegible] their new home.

[illegible]. Heck is now making a new [illegible] of flour, called Old Gold Flour, [illegible] is becoming very popular. He [illegible]d a very successful season at the [illegible] Mill, having run every day, save [illegible] since Nov. 1st.

[illegible]tor Davis' article in the March [illegible]r of the North American Review [illegible]ered in the April number of that [illegible]ical by Senator Gray of Delaware, [illegible]eloquently upholds the foreign [illegible] of the present administration. [illegible]or Gray's article is entitled 'Two [illegible] of American Diplomacy.'

[illegible]the meeting of the stockholders of [illegible]iffany Iron Works, Tuesday after[illegible]H. L. Boyle and Marvin Hayden, [illegible]and Rapids, were present. The [illegible] of establishing a bicycle factory [illegible]nsidered. Mr. Boyle laid before [illegible] proposition. Nothing definite [illegible]cided upon, although a committ[illegible]s appointed to confer with each [illegible]dual stockholder. It is hoped [illegible]ome arrangement will yet be [illegible] and this industry secured. [illegible] Boyle and Hayden returned to [illegible] Rapids Wednesday night.

[illegible] Forum for April has for its lead[illegible]brilliant essay entitled, "The Real [illegible]essence of Socialism," by Mr. W. [illegible]llock, the eminent English stu[illegible] of Socialism,—one of the most [illegible]ous expositions of the fallacies of [illegible]sm that have ever appeared in [illegible]ical literature. An article on a [illegible]d topic is by Mr. Henry Holt, who [illegible]des his series of papers on "The [illegible] Discontent," suggesting among [illegible] remedies for its alleviation, bet[illegible]r more universal education—par[illegible]ly civic education—and the cul[illegible]n of altruism.

Mrs. E. D. Burlingame is on the sick list.

E. R. Smith, of Clinton, was down yesterday.

Joe Emery, of the Hotel Emery, was in town yesterday.

The Kings Daughters met with Miss DeWolf Wednesday.

Rev. W. R. Blachford has been quite indisposed the past week.

See those beautiful Easter Ties just opened at Anderson & Co's.

The Junior Auxilliary met at Inez Thorp's Wednesday evening.

Edward Chanuer, of Adrian, was the guest of Leon Temple this week.

Fred Brown went to Brooklyn on a business trip Thursday—to be married.

Mrs. Flora Campbell-Garlic, of Chicago, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Nettie Bills.

Chas. Doty, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting his parents and other friends the past week.

Roscoe Hall is assisting Henry I. Jones in the store and learning the express business.

Hiram Wescott and wife attended the funeral of Henry Fowler at Somerset Center, Sunday.

Spring is certainly here for Joe Waring appeared on the streets yesterday wearing a silk tile.

Remember Mrs. M. A. Freeman's Millinery opening Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week.

Mrs. Charles L. Silvers, of Clinton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Friend McNeil, yesterday.

Will Gaston expects soon to leave for the east as he contemplates going on the lakes the coming season.

The millinery opening of Mrs. M. A. Freeman next week will eclipse all former ones. Do not fail to attend.

Alva Snayde, Geo. VanTyne, Theile Harris and Horace Baker have been wrestling with the Grip this week.

Will P. McAdam has moved his family here and now occupies a part of the Zeluff house just north of Heck's Steam Mill.

Mrs. J. Baker, of Detroit, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Whiting, corner of Maiden Lane and Potawatamie streets.

Rev. James Hageman and Rev. E. C. Andrus will assist in the church unity convention at Britton Monday and Tuesday next.

Next Sunday Prof. Binford of the Raisin Valley Seminary, will occupy the pulpit in the Friend's church in the morning.

J. H. Thrift and J. N. Riddel, of Toledo, and Miss Fanny Kelley, of Adrian, were guests of Miss Luella Sutherland over Sunday.

Mrs. John W. Monaghan, of Springville, who has been seriously ill with rheumatic fever, is still in a very critical condition.

Claude VanTyne and Harry McClure start for Europe as soon as the University work closes. "Where there's a will there's a way."

The Seventh Illustrated lecture on the "Wonderful Nazerene" will be given at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday evening there will be a union service of the Young peoples' societies of the Baptist, Friends, Presbyterian and Methodists at the M. E. church.

A. G. Burton of Clinton, Mrs. E. B. Conklin of Manchester, and Prof. Lane and wife of Chicago, attended the funeral of G. W. Griffith Wednesday.

We would call the attention of our readers, not only to the large display add of Harris & Hiteshu, but also the different locals in another column. It will interest you.

Rev. J. P. Varner left Tuesday evening for a visit with his relatives in Virginia. During his absence Rev. Jas. Hageman of the Friend's church, will fill his appointments.

Next Tuesday evening the Monroe Presbytery meets at Reading. Rev. C. M. Brown preaches the opening sermon. Mrs. Brown and one other delegate attend the Presbyterial society which meets at the same time and place.

The Research Circle give a reception this evening at the home of Mrs. Chas. Burridge on the corner of Potawatamie and Oneida streets. The husbands of the members and a limited number of friends are expected to be present.

C. A. Slayton has his sample McCormick Binder set up now and invites the farmers to call and look it over. It stands at the head for simplicity, durability, and ease of draft. His stock of farm tools is very complete and prices right. He can furnish anything you want in the implement line.

Mr. S. Erskin having associated with him in his Barber Shop Mr. Guy who has had twelve years experience in the business, and comes well recommended, feels confident he is prepared to wait upon his customers in a satisfactory manner and invites both old and new to give him a call.

Ed. Williamson has for some time felt the necessity of enlarging his store to meet the demands of his steadily increasing business. Consequently workmen have been busily engaged for several days in taking down the partition, making new shelving, etc. The painters and paper hangers have been beautifying and adorning both the exterior and interior until now he has a model store in every respect. Ed. does not believe in half doing a thing.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge F. & A. M. to-night.

A. O. Howard spent a portion of last week with friends at Brighton.

Dan T. Hall and entire family were victims of the prevailing disease the past week.

At the City Bakery they make a very pretty Easter display, particularly in the window.

E. F. Kirchgessner, sister Libbie and Mrs. W. J. Arnold, visited Adrian friends Sunday.

Will Ingersoll is turning things upside down in his office. He will shortly have them in fine style.

Prof. Stump and Don Bowen are now rooming in the Strong block, over McCann Brothers clothing store.

Walter C. Burridge left Monday night for Lansing, where he has a case in the Supreme Court, the Ford vs Cheever.

Put away 25 cts and wait for the Bachelors' banquet given by the Library Association in the near future.

Everybody be on the look out for the Bachelors' banquet, to be given for the benefit of the library and reading room.

Word was received this morning that Joseph Wooden, a former resident, was dangerously ill at his home in Battle Creek.

The Library Association will assist the Bachelors of Tecumseh in giving a banquet to their many friends, in the near future.

Subjects Sunday, April 7th, at Universalist Church: Morning, Palm Sunday. Evening, last of series on the Lord's Prayer.

Doc. Shoebottom, the Veterinarian, has placed above the wooden awning at Garlinghouse Bros' stable, a fine smelt sign, made by Theo. P. Wood. It is very tasty.

Asa McIntyre, who formerly lived here and worked for Pat Keyser, but who was railroading at Toledo, dropped dead last Thursday in a street car while on his way to take his train.

The funeral of Minerva Waller, who died Monday morning, was held at the house Wednesday afternoon, Rev. H. A. Smith officiating. Mrs. Waller was 77 years of age. She had been a resident here many years. A suitable obituary will be given next week.

Dr. E. Hause has issued and is circulating some very neat circulars, showing the workings of his patent Safety Spring Holdback which is easily adjusted, practical, durable and cheap. I recommends itself and is destined to come into general use.

James Potter, Sr. and wife arrived from Rhinlander, Wis., Thursday noon with the remains of the young daughter of their son Jesse's for burial in our cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Potter will remain, they feeling that no other place is home to them.

The courts have granted a charter to the Mexican Village Company, which will erect a typical village on the Terraces, at the Cotton States and International Exposition grounds, and the work of construction will proceed at once. This will be one of the most attractive foreign villages on the Terraces, and will reproduce, literally, the characteristic scenes of Mexico.

The remains of Mrs. Joseph Wilson accompanied by her husband arrived Friday afternoon from Owosso, and were taken to the cemetery for interment. Mrs. Wilson, who for many years lived here had been an invalid for a long time and the end which came Wednesday was to her a release from suffering. James (her only son) and family, and Geo. Wilson and two ladies of Toledo, met the remains here.

The rector of St. Peter's church will give five minute addresses at the afternoon services during holy week. The events of our Lord's last week on earth before crucifiction, will be the subjects of instruction. Holy communion will be celebrated on Thursday, called Maundy, Thursday, at 8:30 a. m. An offertory will be taken at the Good Friday evening service, for christian work among the Jews.

Mr. C. M. Miner, who has been a great sufferer for years and much of the time almost helpless was released from his pain early Monday morning by death. Mr. Miner was an old resident here and well known. He was 79 years of age and leaves a widow and children by a former wife. The funeral was held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m. Wednesday morning the body was taken to Cleveland, O., for burial.

Doctor E. Hause received recently a letter from the gentleman who has charge of his farm at Sorrento, Florida, saying the hard freeze not only destroyed his fruit but trees as well and that it would be necessary to cut them down to the bud and paint the stubs in order to save them. This means a serious loss to the Doctor, who hoped the trees were not seriously injured, as it will take several years before they will bear to any extent.

The funeral of Mrs. Horace Baker took place Friday afternoon last from the family residence on Chicago street. The remains were exposed to view from 2:30 to 3:30 in the parlor, surrounded by roses, violets, carnations and ascension lillies, the gifts of loving friends; and at five o'clock, just as the sun was sending down its setting rays, all that was mortal of Mrs. Baker was laid to rest in our beautiful cemetery, there to await the glorious resurrection of those that sleep in the Lord.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The election last Monday was very quiet and a light vote was polled. Below are the figures in detail of the vote in Tecumseh:

NAME	PRECINCTS. 1st.	2d.
Supervisor,		
Thomas Elliott	156	225
Ansel P. Coddington	55	93
Clerk,		
Robert S. Moore	131	191
Don H. C. Bowen	86	107
Bert C. Day	24	43
Treasurer,		
George W. Marsden	106	184
Elijah Ames	124	126
William B. Darling	13	36
School Inspector,		
P. W. A. Fitzsimmons	120	180
George S. Field	101	126
John P. Varner	21	45
Highway Commissioner,		
Charles A. Matthews	125	185
John T. Boyce	97	118
Minor Davidson	17	40
Justice,		
James H. Heck	130	184
Jerome F. N. Bowen	94	119
Luke M. Mooney	19	38
Constables,		
William A. Bennett	120	174
Leaf B. Thompson	125	186
Lucius L. Bates	152	196
Will J. C. Hastings	126	190
James H. Aten	96	121
Albert Hyde	95	120
Frank Conger	86	109
Board of Review,		
Alfred D. Hall	128	187
Alfred James	95	119
Benjamin F. Steinhoff	18	40

Fields majority in both precincts was 64.

Inspectors of 2d Precinct.

H. W. Stevens, Horace Weller, G. W. Frasier. Clerks—Harry Root, Richard Anderson.

Inspectors of 1st Princinct.

Jehiel Davidson, John D. Shull, F. D. Avery. Clerks—Albert Howard, Herbert H. Baker.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman extends a cordial invitation to the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity, also adjoining towns, to attend her Easter opening of millinery novelties next week Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Wm. J. Pawson, of Six Lakes, Montcalm county, who formerly lived in Franklin, was in town Wednesday and paid the HERALD office a short call. He reports the Gray Brothers and families well, and of course had a good word for the Herald. Mr. Pawson will visit his relatives and old friends in Franklin for a time.

—The finest line of shoes, women's shoes and slippers, ever seen, are exhibited this spring at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

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AT THE POLLS.

Result of the Elections Held in This State Monday.

The Republican Candidates for Supreme Justice and Regents Successful—Lieut. Gov. Milnes Elected to Congress in the Third District.

DETROIT, April 3.—Practically complete returns from every county in the state indicate that Judge Moore (rep.) has been elected justice of the supreme court by 36,000 plurality, and Butterfield and Hackley regents of the state university by 30,500 and 38,000 plurality respectively. The amendment to the state constitution increasing the salaries of state officers was lost by a three-fourths vote. For congress in the Third district Milnes (rep.) has a majority over Todd (fusionist) of 1,115. In this district Burrows received 11,000 plurality last November. In the Tenth senatorial district Smith, of Jackson county, to fill a vacancy, receives 1,250 majority.

[illegible] municipal ticket was up for election. The republicans elect John G. Wheelan police justice by 3,000 majority and six out of seven school inspectors.

The women voted only for school inspectors and polled probably 1,500 votes. Mrs. Emma Fox, a candidate for school inspector on an independent ticket, was defeated.

Results of the elections in cities and towns are summarized as follows:

Alpena—Comptroller, Bowden (rep.); recorder, McDonald (rep.). Council and county republican.

Adrian—Republicans elect as mayor Dr. Clifford Kirkpatrick; treasurer and collector, while democrats get city clerk.

Battle Creek—State and city tickets republican. Congressional, Milnes (rep.), 1,134; Todd (fusion), 1,134. Township returns show gains for Todd.

Bay City—Republicans elect the treasurer and retain the city council. Democrats elect the mayor.

Benton Harbor—Mayor, O. E. Fifield (rep.); clerk, J. A. Crawford (rep.). County, republican.

Bessemer—Mayor, Dr. J. W. White's de (rep.).

Big Rapids—Mayor, Dr. L. S. Griswold (rep.); treasurer, H. F. Harvey (rep.); recorder, N. C. Gibbs (rep.).

Charlotte—Republican ticket won.

Cheboygan—Mayor, A. P. Humphrey, (rep.); treasurer, Frank McIntyre, (rep).

Coldwater—Mayor, T. A. Hilton (rep.), and entire city ticket. Congressional and state tickets republican.

Eaton Rapids—Fusion citizens' ticket won.

East Tawas—Mayor, C. W. Luce, (rep.); clerk, J. W. Tael, (rep.); treasurer, W. A. G. Flynn (rep.)

Edmore—Township election won by republicans. State ticket republican.

Franklin—Frankfort carries the county seat.

Grand Haven—Mayor, treasurer and three aldermen (rep.); recorder, marshal and one alderman (dem.); republican state, 125 plurality.

Grand Rapids—Charles D. Stebbins (dem.) is elected mayor by 1,500 plurality. The democrats also elect the clerk and comptroller and the republicans the rest of the ticket and retain control of the council.

Gladwin, Mayor, Eugene Foster (rep.). State ticket is republican.

Gladstone—Mayor, Comason (rep.), city clerk, J. B. V. Leclaire (dem.); treasurer, H. J. Latag (rep.).

Hancock—County goes republican by 2,000; supervisors, 12 republicans and 9 democrats.

Holland—Mayor—G. J. Diekema (rep.), and whole city ticket.

Hillsdale—Mayor, A. P. Lafluer (rep.) and entire city ticket. Council (rep.), 4; silverites, 1. Milnes (rep.), for congress, 188 plurality.

Hart—Township election won by republicans. State ticket republican.

Ironwood—Mayor, W. L. Wingspow, (republican). State ticket republican by 100 plurality.

Ionia—Mayor, Gregg Williams (dem.); board of supervisors republican; council democratic.

Ishpeming—Mayor, W. B. Johnston (rep.); state ticket republican.

Jackson—The county is republican; mayor is republican; recorder and treasurer democratic; republican council.

Kalamazoo—Entire city ticket republican except one alderman.

Lansing—Mayor, James M. Turner (rep.). Recorder and ward tickets republican.

L'Anse—Township goes republican for state candidates. Supervisor, Benjamin Brink (citizens); clerk, S. C. Harris (citizens); treasurer, M. Hansen (rep., dem. and pop.).

Lapeer—City and township heavily republican, also state ticket.

Ludington—Mayor, F. J. Dowland (rep.); U. S. Grant recorder, republican council.

Manistee—Mayor, R. R. Blacker (rep.). Council republican.

Marine City—Mayor, J. Bower (rep.), probably elected.

Manistee—Mayor, H. R. Blacker (dem.). Other city officers are democratic.

Muskegon—Mayor, Leahy (dem.); treasurer, Ecke (dem.). Council is republican. Populists get one alderman. State ticket republican.

Menominee—Mayor, J. W. Wells (rep.); treasurer, S. C. Packer (rep.). State ticket 500 republican.

Marshall—Mayor, Col. Frank W. Dickey (rep.).

Mount Pleasant—Mayor, I. A. Fancher (rep.); treasurer, A. N. Ward (rep.); clerk, W. L. Davis (dem.); council republican.

Mount Clemens—Mayor, A. T. Donaldson (dem.); clerk, S. J. Dolby (dem.); treasurer, J. H. Westendorf (dem.); council, republicans, 5; democrats, 3. County is republican.

Marquette—Mayor, J. H. Jacobs, non-partisan. State ticket republican.

Negaunee—Mayor, J. F. Foley (rep.). County and state tickets republican.

Niles—Mayor, Edward Woodcock (rep.); treasurer, Brown (rep.); recorder, Cooper (rep.); council republican; county republican.

Owosso—Mayor is democratic; state, county and rest of the city ticket are republican.

Petoskey—Mayor, James Buckley (rep.); rest of city ticket republican.

Port Huron—Electric light bonding proposition lost.

Reading—State and city ticket republican.

St. Clair—Mayor, John P. Whiting (dem.).

St. Joseph—Mayor, H. B. Rosenberg (rep.); clerk, A. J. Church (rep.); treasurer, N. C. Bunker (rep.).

Sault Ste. Marie—Mayor and two aldermen, republican; treasurer and two aldermen, democratic. State ticket republican.

Standish—State ticket republican.

Saginaw—State ticket goes republican. Council is republican by 10.

Saginaw—State and county tickets republican. City council 23 to 11 republican.

St. Ignace—Mayor, James Connors (rep.); assessor, E. B. Chamberlain (rep.); clerk, A. [illegible] (rep.). Council—Five democrats, three republicans. State ticket republican by small plurality.

Traverse City—Entire city republican ticket elected and 600 republican plurality on state ticket.

Three Rivers—Entire republican ticket elected.

West Bay City—Full republican city ticket elected.

West Branch—Entire republican ticket won.

Courthouse Construction Begins.

BENTON HARBOR, April 3.—As a result of moving the county seat of Berrien county to St. Joseph, the work of erecting the new buildings on the $40,000 site St. Joseph gave to the county was begun. Contracts for the completion of the courthouse and jail have been let, and the work is to be finished by next spring. The cost of the courthouse is to be $55,000 and of the jail about $20,000.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Various Localities.

Niles is to be made the distributing point for all western mails. This will necessitate the erection of a large government building there.

The Detroit city council has appointed a committee of five to investigate charges of dishonesty against members of the council.

William Jones, aged 50 years, was run down by a Big Four train at Niles and so badly injured that he died a few hours later.

The Michigan Central railroad is preparing to remove the headquarters, roundhouses and shops of the western division from Michigan City to Niles.

Seven members of the board of supervisors of Iron county have been arrested at the instigation of the Tax Reform association charged with defrauding the county.

The new steam barge built by Rooney Brothers for the Charlevoix Lumber company and John Monroe has been launched at Charlevoix. She is 135 feet keel, 137 feet over all, 30 feet beam, and 11 feet deep.

It requires constant running night and day to enable the Allegan paper mill to fill its orders.

In June Hancock had a population of 1,662. The town now claims inhabitants to the number of 4,000.

A hotel is to be erected at Petoskey with 200 rooms and all modern appliances.

It is said that there are 300 sufferers from la grippe in Coldwater.

The late thaw and freeze has, it is thought, damaged wheat in Kalamazoo county 25 per cent.

The prospect for a good sugar season in northern Michigan is excellent.

Streams about Newaygo had 22,000 trout fry dumped into them last week.

The first fraternity of the state normal school at Ypsilanti was organized Saturday. It is named the Sigma Delta and is a local society.

The Bevington-Mitchell Brass company, of Chicago, are about to remove their factory to Benton Harbor. Citizens there are asked for a bonus of $5,000 and a site.

CHILDREN FROZEN TO DEATH.

Two Little Boys Wander Away from Their Home and Perish from the Cold.

OXFORD, Mich., April 3.—Two children, one 4 and the other 6 years old, left the home of their father, Frank Andrus, a farmer living 2 miles from Rose, last Wednesday evening. They told their mother that they were going out to come home with their father. When the father returned at noon he had not seen the boys. Night came and the children did not return. A searching party was organized. Friends and neighbors volunteered and all through the bitter cold night fifty men and boys tramped through the sugar bush shouting, firing guns and waving torches. The next day 100 others joined the searching party, but at nightfall gave up hope of finding the little ones alive. The father would not give up the search, however, and day and night since has he tramped through the sugar bush until nearly dead with the cold. Sunday every man in the township turned out and late Sunday night the party returned bearing with them the bodies of the two little boys. They had been found frozen stiff about 7 miles from their home.

Damaging Evidence.

BATTLE CREEK, April 3.—In court Tuesday testimony against Adam C. Arnold, who is on trial for murdering his son, was given by Effie Mead, the fiancee of the murdered young man. She heard the struggle and saw Arnold with his hands gripping his son's throat. Arnold had threatened to shoot her if she told what had taken place. On hearing this testimony Arnold became enraged and was restrained with difficulty.

Michigan Ball League Completed.

BATTLE CREEK, March 29.—At a meeting of the directors of the Michigan Baseball league, held here Thursday night, the organization was completed and will comprise the following cities: Adrian, Kalamazoo, Monroe, Owosso, Battle Creek and Lansing. The committee on schedule will not report for several days. O. G. Hungerford, of Kalamazoo, is chairman. Sunday games were prohibited and an equal division of gate receipts on all days decided upon.

Makers of Bad Money Around.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 1.—Counterfeiting seems to have a special attraction for men in this part of Michigan, and a great deal of bogus money is being circulated. United States Marshal Pratt says that there are more counterfeiters in this district than in any other in the United States, without exception. Since he came into office there have been twenty arrests made on this charge.

Michigan Boys for West Point.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Forty-three of the candidates for admission to the United States military academy have successfully passed the recent examinations and will enter the academy in June. Among the number are the following from Michigan: Leon B. Kromer, Grand Rapids; Julius C. Clippert, Springwells; J. L. Rowley, Port Huron; Thomas H. Jackson, Muskegon.

J. D. Norton Dead.

PONTIAC, March 31.—J. D. Norton, president of the First national bank, who died recently, was one of the foremost men of Michigan. While mayor of this city he did very much to forward its interests. He was quite wealthy, and leaves valuable property in Chicago, Detroit, California and the south.

Fate of a Young Girl.

MARSHALL, March 31. Mary Dado, aged 19, wanted to attend a dance. The mother refused permission and the daughter took a dose of paris green. A doctor was called, but she died in agony. Before her death Mary said she took the poison only to frighten her parents.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., March 29.—The senate on Thursday reconsidered the vote by which it raised the age of consent to 17 years and by a vote of 16 to 12 lowered the age to 16 years. As thus amended the bill was passed by a unanimous vote. The committee on taxation recommended the passage of the McLaughlin bill authorizing cities to exempt from taxation real estate mortgages and land contracts.

House.

LANSING, Mich., March 29.—The house on Thursday passed a joint resolution submitting to the people at the November election in 1896 the proposition of electing members of the legislature for the term of four years, covering two biennial sessions, instead of two years, as now, and contemplating an election of half of the members each two years. It also provides for a compensation of $750 for each session and five cents per mile mileage to and from the capitol. The Aplin bill, providing a uniform liquor tax of $400, was made a special order for Wednesday.

LANSING, Mich., March 30.—The house on Friday had another wrangle over the Aplin $400 uniform liquor tax bill, and the date of its consideration was deferred from April 8 as fixed Thursday, until April 11. The house in committee of the whole agreed to the bill making the open season for deer uniform in both peninsulas from November 1 to November 21, requiring a hunter's license fee of $25 from non-residents and fifty cents from resident hunters. The number of deer to be slaughtered by one person is limited to five.

DENTISTS NOT PRIVILEGED.

Their Relations with Patients Not Considered Confidential by the Courts.

LANSING, April 3.—In the supreme court Tuesday the case of the people vs. Stonewall J. De France was affirmed and De France will have to serve out the balance of his ten-year sentence for forgery.

The important point raised by the defense was that the man who operated in Kalamazoo had entirely different teeth from those of De France, and that the court erred in admitting the testimony of Dentist Land, of Detroit, to the effect that after the offense was committed he inserted three false teeth in the place of the two incisors for De France. The claim was that Land's knowledge was privileged, as between physicians or surgeons and patients. The supreme court held that the terms dentist and physician or surgeon as the latter are used in the statute covering this point are not interchangeable and that a dentist cannot be considered a physician or surgeon.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Reforms Urged by the State Convention at Detroit.

DETROIT, March 29.—Resolutions were adopted by the Epworth League state convention Thursday requesting the legislature to prohibit the sale of liquor within 5 miles of the university and the state normal school; requesting a resubmission to the people of the question of constitutional prohibition; recommending active participation in primaries and elections by Christian citizens, and commending the efforts of the Civic Federation of Detroit in the line of securing enforcement of the Sunday laws.

A PUZZLED SHERIFF.

He Has to Determine to Which of Two Women the Child Belongs.

TWO HARBORS, April 3.—The Chippewa Indians on Grand Marais reservation have been having great trouble over a child claimed by two families. Sheriff Brand, who was informed of the trouble, found that two mothers laid claim to the child. He could not find out to which woman the infant really did belong, but decided that each of the women claiming the child should have it for a month at a time pending a permanent settlement of the trouble.

TONS OF DEAD FISH.

Black Bass by the Wagon Load Uncovered by a Thaw Near Niles.

NILES, March 31.—The ice is now out of Barren lake, near this city, and a peculiar sight is presented. The shore is lined with dead fish, and they lie on the edge of the water by thousands. Great black bass, weighing from one to six pounds, are piled up by the wagon load. Evidently all the black bass in the lake are dead. There is no solution to the phenomenon, unless the thick and long continued ice of the winter shut out the air and killed the fish.

Postmaster Removed.

IRONWOOD, April 3.—Frank A. Healy, postmaster of Ironwood, has been ordered removed by President Cleveland. Healy says he knows nothing officially about his removal, but thinks it is the result of his connection with the state officers' salary amendment frauds. Healy was chairman of the Gogebic county election canvassers, and he altered the Gogebic county sheets in the attorney general's office at Lansing, supposing, as he afterward swore, that it was his duty to correct them. Warner Goodland has been appointed postmaster to succeed Healy.

Setback for Pingree.

DETROIT, April 3.—The new city health board, which has hitherto been compelled to do business without money, won a point against Mayor Pingree's administration Tuesday. A mandamus was ordered by the circuit court to compel the city comptroller to draw an order for $12,000 with which to pay the board's expenses temporarily.

FOR WOMEN.

There are facts which every woman should know and should teach her daughters, but which many never learn because they have no trustworthy teacher and don't know where to find one. To supply this want the Zoa-Phora Medicine Company, at Kalamazoo, Mich., publishes a book on Diseases of Women and Children, well illustrated, easily understood. Every woman, or girl above 15 years, should read it. For the purpose of advertising they will, on receipt of 10 cts. to cover cost of mailing, send a pamphlet edition, in sealed envelope to any lady (and to ladies only) who desires it.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of James L. Hatton, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Howell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thereof, have been fully paid and that he may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms and conditions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other and decree as to this court shall seem proper.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of April, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
A True Copy.)
E. A. FARNAUR, Pecumseh Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Saturday, the 9th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of William [illegible] deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Daniel T. Hall and Simon Gould praying the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration with the will annexed may be granted to Petitioners, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Robert [illegible] deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Servis, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thereof have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.
It is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of April, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.
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RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, to me directed and delivered, in favor of George C. Fecklineter, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, I, the undersigned, Sheriff of said County, to me directed and delivered, have on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1895, levied upon and taken all the right, title and interest which the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins had on the 2d day of March, A. D., 1895, to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), and the north five (5) south of Range five (5) east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of MAY, next, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated March 16th, 1895.
E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Al Lee made a visit to the county seat esday.

Charles Du Bois loaded five cars with here last week

t is announced that more weddings ll occur in the near future.

. A. Brown says Art Lee likes his eetness long drawn out.

James Haight was in Adrian purely matters of business Wednesday.

rre Haure and wife, of Clinton, visit- his people the last of the week.

Miss Louise Jolley, of Tecumseh, vis- d Britton friends over Sunday.

Frank Gibson and bride returned m their wedding trip Saturday night.

W. C Babcock has not fully complet- arrangements with the Albion fence mpany.

thel Sweet, of Tecumseh, was the est of Britton friends several days e week.

Mrs. Jean Hughes, of Tecumseh, ited her son, Arthur, and ... dnesday.

Thos. Toby, one of Adrian's bankers, in town Wednesday looking after a n of horses for his use.

loyd Ward drove over to Milan Wed- day to attend the entertainment giv- by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

We are informed that one of the lea- y elected officers of the All Lenny Society has been asked to resign.

Mrs. James Underwood has purchased Walter Exelby house on east Chica- street, and contemplates moving town.

There will be a special meeting of ndershot Tent, K. O. T. M., next esday evening, to be conducted der Rule 6.

Doctor P. B. Hardy and family now upy the Russell house on east Chica- street, the change was made the last the week.

C. O. Hiscock, who is attending Al- n College, spent a portion of his va- tion with his brother-in-law, G. W. en and family.

Marian L. Hathaway, Preceptress of e schools at St. Clair, was the guest her friend, Mrs. Will C. Babcock, the st of the week.

L. A. Brown wore a very smiling ntenance Monday, and there was d reason for it. Ask Art Lee for ther particulars.

ra Bragginton, of Ypsilanti, was the est of friends here the last of the ek. She was desirous of seeing Ben hind the footlights.

. D. Foster, of Dundee, came up dnesday with a load of provision to sent to C. D. Loose for the benefit of Nebraska sufferers.

Make no common error—the jolly ns were present at "For a Million" enjoyed it hugely, though they ed to find Will. Ha! ha!

harles Avery, who has his portable mill at Grand Mills's place, made e a record recently. He cut 1254 of timber in 9 hours and 45 utes.

The ladies aid society gave their reg- r monthly tea at the Church parlors ednesday. These gatherings are al- ys very pleasant and this one was no ception.

Mike Bachman, in view of the posi- he holds, decided it was to his ad- tage to reside in Ridgeway, conse- ntly he has moved his family there, now occupies the house recently va- d by Mrs. Boyd.

Though election passed off quietly ng the day, it was the opposite in evening when the board were at counting the votes, then it was a ect bedlam. Why the officers did preserve order, is a question many d like answered.

Ostengill's lecture Friday night gave satisfaction. Those who were itted to hear him have a much er idea of what the 19th century is, has produced, than they had before as a fitting close to the excellent se provided by the committee.

Rev. C. E. Hulbert, of Detroit, will ch at the church Sunday morning evening. Subject, morning—The w Testament Doctrine of the One- s of the Body of Christ. Evening— at Divides us and How Can we Be ne United.

Lee Bros'. believe in letting their t shine, consequently have place ther large Rochester lamp in their e. This necessitates other improve- ts, as the fly specks and other im- fections are brought out so promin- y that they will soon paint, paper, the interior and—are going to the windows.

An interesting program of exercises been arranged for the Christian r Conference to be held Monday ling and Tuesday of next week. It consist of ten set addresses spersed with discussions. The sses are by clergymen represent- ix denominations and several inde- ent churches.

There will be a Photograph social at . A. R. Hall tomorrow, Saturday ng. April 6th, for the benefit of rder. Boys see to it that you are nt with one of your Photos. and you come prepared to buy one of and have supper for two, all for The Photos are to be returned to riginal after tea is over. It will at sport.

K. O. T. M's meeting Tuesday ng was of more than ordinary in- Several visiting Sir Knights present from Macon, among them great friend Sam Hatch, who Commander of the Macon tent, ited to occupy the chair of pro- officer. He kindly accepted and the position with credit to himself leasure to all present.

six-year-old son of John Rixon ery seriously injured by a kick a horse last Thursday He was ht to Dr. Hardy's office in an un- ous state, who thought best he d be taken home, which was done en the doctor proceeded to dress unds. It was found, in addition ere cuts and bruises, the little 's jaw was broken. The doctor him as comfortable as possible he boy is doing nicely. It is a er that he was not killed instant-

Some little differences of opinion have arisen in consequence of the action of the election board in opening the box and recounting the ballots Tuesday. It seems after they had declared the vote, they discovered that the tally sheets did not agree, and no doubt the board acted in good faith in what they did, but some question their right to open the box without orders from the proper authorities.

Do you want to know why Earl Lenardson was so shy of the stove Saturday. Well we will tell you. He went to draw some gasoline in the morning, which is done by using a siphon. It did not work readily and Earl got a little hot under the collar, and placing his mouth over the tube sucked long and hard, when suddenly he was filled with gasoline which he was obliged to swallow, becoming strangled. It went down and would'nt come up. Knowing the inflammable nature of the critter he did not propose ascending that way, so kept a safe distance from anything that had fire. We are happy to say he experienced no great inconvenience.

The following is the result of the election in Ridgeway township, held here Monday, on the township ticket, save constables:

Supervisor—Conrad L. Lowe 169; H. H. Atwell 159.

Clerk—G. L. Grie... 161; Sam'l Knittun 158.

Treasurer—Darius W. Smith 164; Jas. DuBois 154.

School Inspector—Fred Wickware 144; E. W. Lenardson 180.

Justice—Geo. L. Oliver 156; Thos. V. Hoagland 150.

Highway Com.—John Schwab 144; Charles Gove—162.

Drain Com.—J. P. Underwood 141; Edgar Dakin 135.

Board of Review—Chas. J. Sutton 146; Thomas Temple 158.

Constables, 3 Reps., 1 Dem.

The play, "For a Million," was repeated Saturday night, as announced from the stage Thursday evening, and was well attended, under the circumstances. The receipts for the two nights were about $60, thereby assuring a nice benefit to the Maccabees and to Mr. Mantell, as well. Our people have every reason to feel proud of the home talent and should encourage in every way possible the Dramatic Society in their endeavors to improve themselves in the art. You have just had a practical demonstration of how eager they are to take advantage of any opportunity that may present itself for selfculture, and how apt they are as students, by the artistic manner in which their several characters were presented the two evenings last week. Mr. Mantell, who took the leading role, as Kirby G. Hopper, with a business hop, is an artist in the profession and a fine gentleman as well, who, by his conscientious work, endeared himself not only to those who took part in the play but all with whom he came in contact. He gave to this difficult character a personation that would be appreciated by any audience. Art Lee, as Gilbert Temple, did well. He dressed the character in good taste and was very easy in his stage work. Herbert Cranshaw, as John Smith, did fine work, but as Moody Vaughn it was evident he did not like the character so well. Mont Hoagland, as Lawyer Bruce, looked and acted the old man well, and had he spoken louder it would have been better appreciated by the audience. W. J. Helm, as old man Temple, covered himself with glory. Ben Pulver, as Harry Wakefield, when taking into consideration that this was his first appearance on the stage, did exceedingly well, his greatest fault being speaking too low. Maud Lee, as Vixie, was great, looking and acting the character in a manner that would do honor to a professional. Ella Exelby, as Florence, was easy in manner, and in the second act particularly, gave a fine exhibition of ability. And Mrs. Will Hause, as Mrs. Lang, sustained this peculiar and difficult character in a manner that pleased all. The orchestra, composed of the Grafton brothers and Messrs. Clark, Eastlick and Welling, are entitled to congratulations for the excellent music they furnished, and the lady who presided as organist for her painstaking work. The new scenery painted by Mantell added largely to the effectivness of the play and was admired by all. Mr. Mantell left Monday for Pittsburg, Pa. He will long be kindly remembered by this community and we trust he may be able to visit us again sometime in the future.

CHRISTIAN UNITY CONFERENCE.

Below is the program of exercises of the Christian Unity Conference to be held at Britton, Monday and Tuesday, April 8 and 9, 1895.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 8.

7:00—Scripture Reading. John XVII: 11-26. Singing. "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." Prayer. James Wright, Britton. Singing, "Blest be the Tie that Binds."

7:30—Address of welcome, by E. Mudge, Britton. Response by C. E. Hulbert, Detroit, and James Hagerman, Tecumseh.

7:40—Unification of Christendom Essential from a New Testament Basis, Wm. H. Skeatlebury, pastor Congregational Church, Dundee.

8:15—What is Before Us? Fred V. Hawley, pastor People's Church, Brooklyn, Mich.

8:50—Closing Exercises.

TUESDAY FORENOON, APRIL 9.

8:45—Opening Services.

9:00—Christian Union and Denominations. Sipco Rederus, pastor Reformed Church, Britton.

10:00—What Has Been Done and What Can be Done for Church Union. C. S. Bullock, Evangelist Michigan Christian Conference, Benton Harbor.

11:00—Denominational Co-operation. Hartley Cansfield, pastor M. E. Church, Ridgeway.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 9.

1:45—Opening Services.

2:00—The Churches of the Future; their Membership, Doctrines and Principles and Policy. C. E. Hulbert, Field Secretary Christian Unity Association, Detroit.

3:55—Church Co-operation or Federation at the Bottom. E. Mudge, pastor Christian Union Church, Britton.

4:00—The World is my Country, and to do good my religion. Elmer C. Andrus, pastor Universalist Church, Tecumseh.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 9.

7:00—Opening Services.

7:19—Address (subject as he may select) James Hagerman, pastor Friends Church, Tecumseh.

7:45—Supernumerary Churches: Cause, Remedy and Cure. O. F. Burgess, pastor Mizpah Mission, Detroit.

Discussion on above as time may permit.

8:30—Miscellaneous and Closing.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Clarence Holdridge was in town Wednesday.

John Rainey of Shipping baled hay from this place.

The social at Mrs. Geo. Holloway's was well attended.

Ed. Allen's moved out and Dexter Still occupy their house.

D. P. Anthony came home from Chicago to cast his ballot Monday.

Geo. H. Winship, of Adrian, is stopping in Holloway for a few days.

Milo Dole and wife, of Adrian visited Mr. Anthony's family over Sunday.

Jim Gordon and Ina Vanfleet, of Morenci, visited Jennie Gordan over Sunday.

Joe Bagley and family move near Dundee this spring where they work a farm.

Communion is to be held next Sunday at the Presbyterian church, all are invited.

Let all turn out and hear the Elocutionist Friday evening and help the Maccabees.

Rev. Vincent was here and preached church on his way to quarterly meeting at Blissfield.

James Bloomer and family move to Newburg. They formerly resided on A. Richard's farm.

Mrs. Ed. Isley, of Homer, Mich., is here visiting her parents and friends, Hulet West and family.

Mr. Gillespie, wife and daughter of Tecumseh, were guests of A. D. Macham and family Thursday.

The Holloway creamery is doing a good business now days and receives large quantities of milk.

Miss Bertha Britton and Jennie Saxton, of Britton, were callers on Miss C. E. Winship last Thursday.

They say its Square Chatfield again; all young people who require his services, in this line, just give him a call.

The town election went democratic throughout, but the republicans are living in hopes of cleaning them slick and clean in 1896.

Mike Gillen of Tecumseh, an expert artist as a paper hanger, would like the patronage of Holloway and vicinity. He will guarantee good work and give perfect satisfaction—prices reasonable.

MACON MUSIC.

Seneca Chambers is moving on to Dr. Howell's farm.

Miss Ida Hendershot is home for a three weeks' rest.

Anna Pennington is spending a few days at Ann Arbor.

An election of officers at the M. E. Sunday school, April 7th.

The W. C. T. U. meeting at the home of Mrs. Travis, Friday afternoon, was well attended.

J. C. Howell is home from Ridgeway for a week's vacation and muscular development.

Signs of spring—birds and buds, and last, but not least, uncomfortable house cleaning.

R. A. Mills and W. B. Hatch came home to show their loyalty to their party on April 1st.

Several Macon people went to Clinton Sunday to assist in the funeral services of Mrs. O'Hara.

At the election of officers for the Prohibition Club Will Hatch was chosen president for the coming year.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Macon, will give an Easter social at the home of Chas. Morgan, Friday evening, April 12. A short program will be given.

Emma Cotton and Grace Collins resumed, Monday morning, their work of instructing the young in the way in which they should go; the one in the Gleason school and the other in the Merritt school.

The election in Macon was a little more exciting than usual. Some wily democrats demanded a report from the township officers, which, though a perfectly proper and legal proceeding, caught the officers unawares and some were entirely unable to report. They seemed to consider it a reflection upon their honesty, which is not necessarily so at all, as any official, especially one retiring from office, should expect to have his report ready for the annual meeting. We give below the vote on supervisor, clerk and treasurer:

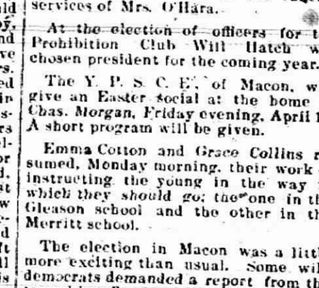
Supervisor—H. Pennington r, 146; Thomas Wilson d, 95; Simon Gould p, 29;

Clerk—Charles Allen r, 148; Joseph Hunter d, 93; Edward Baker p, 28;

Treasurer—Frank Gilmore r, 143; Robert Mills d, 94; J. C. Howell p, 30;

Commissioner Fields received 92 votes to 119 for Keeler.

The relation between the stomach and nerve system is so close that a supposed stomach trouble is most common symptom of nerve disorder. In such cases should doctor the nerves and let stomach alone. Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer gets at root of the trouble without fail. 81 at Orr & Temple's 1w



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It is evident that after a survey of the situation the British government came to the conclusion that Venezuela and Nicaragua were regions which were not nailed down too firmly to be grabbed.

The Evolution

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co; only. For sale by all leading druggists. apl

If Mr. McKinley is wise he will send his street piano to the shop and have its tune changed.

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"For a long time I had a terrible pain at my heart, which fluttered almost incessantly. I had no appetite and could not sleep. I would be compelled to sit up in bed and belch gas from my stomach until I thought that every minute would be my last. There was a feeling of oppression about my heart, and I was afraid to draw a full breath. I could not sweep a room without resting. My husband induced me to try

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure

and am happy to say it has cured me. I now have a splendid appetite and sleep well. Its effect was truly marvelous."

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Last year we commenced an elaborate plan of advertising, but before we were half through, OUR ADVERTISEMENTS DISAPPEARED. Why? Because WE WERE OVERWHELMED WITH BUSINESS. There was but one thing to do; withdraw the advertising and devote every energy to filling the orders with which we were flooded. This we did, and handled with reasonable promptness a most unprecedented year's business.

WE ENLARGED FACTORIES, INCREASED FACILITIES, AND TWENTY BRANCH HOUSES FROM WHICH TO DISTRIBUTE OUR GOODS; WE CAN NOW CARE FOR ALL WHO COME. Last year we could not reduce prices because we were compelled in some way to limit the demand for Aermotor goods. We would have been satisfied with lower prices, but why create a demand which we could not supply? We have made the heaviest purchases of steel and material bought in America this year, and at unprecedented prices, and have made terms to dealers which enable them to make unprecedented prices.

In quality, character, variety, finish, and accessibility to full stock of goods and repairs, we are without competitors. In our plan of advertising last year, we proposed to furnish a above we did not complete the advertising, and the feed cutter was not put out. We do propose to make amends in the following manner: We will announce in this paper our NEW ALL-STEEL VERY SUPERIOR FEED CUTTER, WORTH

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cash with order, f. o. b. Chicago. Only one to one person, he to furnish addresses of ten neighbors who ought to have something in our line. Cut, description and full information regarding it will appear soon.

We especially desire to correct wrong impressions for several reasons, one of which is to put a stop to the claim on the part of the dealer to be over-charging us the highest profit to the consumer. To be sure we do not want the highest price and ought to have it, for we are entitled to the best price and ought to have it, for we are entitled to the best price and ought to have it, for we are entitled to the best

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GONE TO HIS REWARD.

One by one the old pioneers of Lenawee County are leaving us to join their comrades of former years on high. The Angel of Death has been more than busy with his sickle for the past few months, and has been reaping a bountiful harvest. Among them all none will be more sincerely missed and mourned by the dear ones left here below than Dr. Gideon D. Perry, who died Wednesday, March 27, 1895.

The deceased began his earthly journey in Palmyra, Wayne Co. N. Y. on 20th, 1811. His youth was passed on a farm, where he received such advantages of an education as the schools of those days afforded. At nineteen years of age he left the parental roof and for three years he engaged in teaching. He was then admitted to the Genesee conference of the Methodist church and was a faithful follower of the Master for eleven years thereafter, when by reason of failing health he relinquished active service as a regular minister. In 1845 he came to Michigan and settled upon a new farm in what is now the town of Franklin. There he lived for nearly forty years. Here he first formed the friendship which ripened into a lifelong friendship with Deacon Whitstead and reared a family of children. In 1880 he sold his farm and moved to Tecumseh, where he has since resided. During his long and active life he has filled many important offices and has always taken a deep interest in political and religious affairs. In April, 1846, he was elected supervisor of Franklin township, serving every year for that office. The same fall he was chosen a member of the Lower House of the state legislature, and in 1855 he was elected to the State Senate. During his residence in Franklin he frequently filled the pulpit at church services and at all times with his money and without price. During his residence in this village for the past seven years he has led a quiet life, enjoying to the utmost his daily surroundings and always [illegible] they the Heavenly call which [illegible] He was a strong believer in the homopathic theory of medicine and was the first man to introduce that system in Michigan. His efforts in this direction were regarded with much favor by his personal friends and with the world at large. As a man of unusual ability, a true friend, a kind husband and father and a [illegible] man of unusual ability, a true friend, a kind husband and father and a [illegible] the kindest nature and [illegible] knew him but to love him and [illegible] him but to praise.

He was twice married. His first wife lived only two years after their union, and in 1841 he was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Osborn, a sister of Wm. H. Osborn's of this village. Seven children blessed this union, five of whom, besides the widow, survive him: Mrs. Alice Dickey of Marshall, Thomas O. Perry of Chicago, Mrs. Maggie Keeney of Franklin, Mrs. Jennie Norris of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Eva Satterthwaite of this village. All the children were summoned in time to bid the father good bye in his earthly home and to witness his crossing over the threshold.

The funeral obsequies were held last Friday afternoon at the M. E. church conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. P. Varner assisted by Dr. L. Barnes and Rev. Jas. Hageman. The choir was composed of his old personal friends, Messrs. J. S. Strong and H. C. Conkling, Mrs. Bidwell and Mrs. Morley. A large concourse of neighbors assembled to pay their last tribute of respect to one who kept the faith and fought the good fight to the end. The best of legacies, the record of a life well spent, he leaves to his children, which will be the guiding star and beacon light in their journey here below.

AN ELECTION RELIC.

Chas. Montgomery has in his possession an old township ticket given him by his uncle, T. H. Montgomery, of Ridgeway, which was used in that town in 1845. It is wholly written with pen and ink on a slip of heavy paper, about three inches wide by twelve inches long. Only one of the candidates thereon is now living. Below is the ticket in full:

For Supervisor—Augt. Moffigomery.
Town Clerk—Thos. H. Montgomery.
Treasurer—Asa Russell.
Justice of Peace—C. B. Sutton, full term.
Oliver Miller, to fill vacancy.
Assessors—Thos. Lupton, Justus Lowe.
Road Commissioners—Sam'l Linn 3 yrs., Justus Lowe 2yrs., Aug. Montgomery 1 yr.
School Inspector—Chas. De Motte.
Constables—Jos. A. Stowell, Sam'l. Tinsley, Paul Auton, Jonah Dibble.
Poor Masters—John F. Schreder, John Palmer.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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April meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson.

Suffrage for Women.

Much depends upon the attitude in which we approach the consideration of such a question as this. Much depends on what we regard as the reasonable presumption and on whom we conceive that the burden of proof should rest.

When a prisoner is arraigned in the court, the presumption is that he is innocent until he is proven guilty and the burden of proof is on those who accuse him. He does not, strictly speaking, need to prove his innocence at all, but simply to refute the charges against him. If he does this he must be set free. If he were accounted guilty till he had proven himself innocent, he might, though blameless, never be discharged. The difference between the presumption of his innocence and the presumption of his guilt may mean for him the difference between liberty and the prisonment for life.

Now I contend that the reasonable presumption is that woman has a right to vote, and that till it is proven otherwise, the government has no more right to withhold the suffrage from women than the judge on the bench has to deny the accused his rights under the law.

The advocates of woman suffrage do not need in advance to prove that women will use the ballot wisely or even that she will use it at all, but simply to show that she has the same natural right to it that man has. The judge may not foreknow that John Doe will use his vote wisely. He may waste his time and squander his money. He may not improve his intellect. He may never worship his God, but the presumption is primarily to [illegible] such considerations. If not [illegible] right to the ballot to this [illegible] that over-ride it, it is afforded [illegible] necessary to prohibit his [illegible] which may for good [illegible] be used.

It has been said that woman has no [illegible] to vote. That is at best [illegible] of disability for voting, and [illegible] and that is enough. Suffrage is granted under a Republican form of government because he is a man and because he has no natural disability. It should also be granted to woman because she also is mankind and also she has no natural disability. Every citizen of a Republic has a presumptive right to vote. If the good of the state require that the ballot should be denied to any citizen, the one who affirms this must prove it. The citizen whose right is denied does not need to prove that the good of the state requires that he be permitted to vote. He has maintained his right if he has simply refuted the charges of his accuser.

Woman then has the right to vote because she has no disability, for sex is no disability. Neither physically, intellectually nor morally does it disable her from casting an intelligent and honest ballot. It is alleged that she is illiterate. No, for she is the most numerous teacher of embryo voters in our public schools. Is she idiotic? Hardly, for as a "co-ed" she often takes the prize before the eyes of our sons. She is born frequently in this state, and like men she often attains "the age of twenty-one years." She can, under our laws, sue and be sued, be fined, imprisoned, hanged. She is no more insane, and no more immoral to say the least, than men. And she can so mark an Australian ballot that it shall express her sentiment, and can drop it into a box in as seemly a way as can a man. Surely here are no disabilities which invalidate her presumptive right to vote.

Say I these things as a private citizen? Or saith not the majesty of Massachusetts the same? Article III of the amendments to the Constitution does indeed limit to 'male' citizens the right to vote for governor, lieutenant-governor, senators and representatives. But I submit that this is a sacrifice of consistency with that earlier Declaration of Rights which is the foundation upon which our Constitution and statutes rest. "All power residing originally in the people and being derived from them" Declaration of Rights." Part I. Art. V. Are not women "people?"

"The people of this commonwealth have the sole and exclusive right of governing themselves." Do. Art. IV. Do not women constitute an integral part of the people of this commonwealth?—National Educator.

O, Ye Blind!

If you could select the pure gold from the dross, the wheat from the chaff, the good from the bad, you would never make the mistake of taking any other remedy than Foley's Sarsaparilla for blood disorders. Trial size, 50c., at Orr & Temple's. apr

Do not give up your winter overcoats the first day it becomes uncomfortable. No overcoat is as uncomfortable as the influenza.

OBITUARY.

BAKER.

Betsy Maria Fisher was born January 6th, 1832, in Testershire, England, coming to America with her father and mother in 1834. For a few years her father's family lived near Toledo, but in 1836 they moved to Tecumseh, which place, with the exception of a few years spent at Ypsilanti and Lansing, has always been her home. In 1845, at the age of thirteen she gave her heart to God, and was baptised into the membership of the first Baptist Church of Tecumseh, and of which church she was a consistent member for fifty years. During that period she has, at different times held offices both in the church and Sabbath school, and has for the last thirty years been a teacher in the Sunday school. She was a faithful church worker, and, until sickness and failing strength prevented, was a regular attendant at all church services. At the last prayer meeting held during her life she was present and took an active part. In 1855 she was united in marriage to Horace Baker, with whom she moved to Lansing, returning to Tecumseh in 1864. She [illegible] a quiet, unostentatious life, a life devoted to the church, her home and family. To make her home pleasant and her family happy was the dearest desire of her heart, and well did she succeed. But she is gone, and oh! what a void in the lives of those she loved, in the sense of desolation that wrings their hearts with anguish. Yet what a tender memory they have to cherish, the memory of a kind and faithful wife, a loving and unselfish mother. The memory of one, who through all of her sorrows and trials had a firm faith in her heavenly father, and who said, no matter what came, "It is God, let him do as seemeth to him best." During her life she has mourned over the loss of both father and mother, brothers and sisters, yet in her deepest grief her first thought was for the comfort of her loved ones, and no matter how much bodily pain and suffering she had to endure, she ministered to the wants of those about her, as was strikingly shown by the fact that the last day of her life saw her about her home, entirely forgetful of her own suffering in the joy she felt in caring for her loved ones. Late in the evening of Monday, March 25th, she gave up and went to bed, and when the early morning light was seen in the east, mother, dear mother, went to heaven to prepare a place for us there. She leaves to mourn her irreparable loss, a husband, two sons, two sisters and a brother.

"Farewell, oh farewell, our mother,
All our hearts are buried with you.
All our thoughts go now and with you.
Come not to [illegible] again to suffer,
Where the famine and the fever
Wear the heartland waste the body.
Soon our task will be completed,
Soon your footsteps we shall follow
To the Islands of the Blessed,
To the land of the Hereafter."

GRIFFITH.

Our community was startled Monday morning to learn that our venerable citizen, G. W. Griffith, was dead. His end came quickly. He arose as usual in the morning, but soon after complained of a sharp pain in the chest. Dr. Catlin was summoned, but he passed away before the doctor entered the house. Mr. Griffith, for many years, has been a familiar figure on our streets. A long time he conducted the blacksmith shop now owned by Thomas Elliott. Mr. Griffith was born in Wales, England, in 1813, came to this country in 1841, and was soon after united in marriage to Miss Sarah Smallwood. He lived in Clinton several years and then came to Tecumseh, where he has since resided. He was possessed of a kind and generous nature and was respected by all who knew him. At the age of 14 he was confirmed in the Episcopal church and never changed his church relations, although for years he has gone with his estimable wife to the church of her choice, the Methodist. He had reached the age of 82 when the summons came. The funeral was held at the home Wednesday afternoon. Owing to the absence of Rev. J. P. Varner and the inability of Rev. W. R. Blachford, whose engagements were such he could not be present, Rev. James Hageman of the Friends church conducted the services, using the beautiful ritual of the Episcopal church which the deceased loved so much. His remarks were very comforting. There was a large attendance of neighbors and friends. His aged widow has the sympathy of all in her affliction.

ABOUT HOG CHOLERA.

Hon. J. J. Woodman Says it Exists in This County.

The Jackson Patriot of last Friday has the following:

Hon. J. J. Woodman, member of the state live stock commission, arrived in the city from Lansing yesterday. He is a sturdy intelligent farmer of Paw Paw, and though in public life since 1860, he can carry Jersey gilt edged butter in a basket to market without any loss of dignity to his political soul.

Having been a member of Michigan legislature twelve years—three times speaker of the house—superintendent of Michigan agricultural exhibit at the Philadelphia centennial, Paris exposition and the World's Fair at Chicago, and also six years each at the head of the state grange and the national grange, Mr. Woodman is capable of filling his present position and knows much about hog cholera. To pass his opinion on a peculiar disease prevalent in the swine population of Lenawee county and particularly near Lenawee Junction is his present mission. "The loss of many thousand dollars has been caused by diseased hogs dying in that section during the past fall and winter," said Mr. Woodman. "Their noses dropping off about the indication of disease, later the ears, and finally before death most of the head sloughs away. My theory is that the cholera has so debilitated the Lenawee hog and retarded blood circulation that the sloughing off of the nose and parts of the head is caused by freezing.

In speaking of hog cholera, he said investigations and experience proved that cholera was seldom caused by unclean pig sties, but like smallpox in the human family it was infectious and the germs of the disease of the one could be as easily communicated as the other. This suggested the advisability of hog vaccination and Mr. Woodman asserted that such a prevention would soon be practical in this practical age of progress.

John I. Breck is entertaining Mr. Woodman, who leaves to-day for Lenawee Junction.

High School Happenings.

HIGH SCHOOL LATIN.

Boybus kissibus
Sweet girlorum,
Girlibus likibus
Wanti sonlorum.

Everybody jolly after vacation.

Eva Wilson visited H. S. Thursday.

The starling class in Ovid are scanning.

"Heat" is getting hotter in Philosophy class.

Miss Hartbeck contemplates starting a kindergarten division in her room.

Prof. Stump conducts a writing class the last hour in the afternoon in the H. S.

There were three incendiary "fires" in B room last Monday. No damage done.

Marvin Pattison, Charlie McIntyre, Allen Montgomery do not return this term.

A great many of the scholars have [illegible] spring weather has come.

The monthly examinations were well attended last month, thanks to the untiring efforts of the teachers.

Hattie Hurry and Winnie Wilson were promoted from Latin class 10b to class 10a at the beginning of this term.

The scholars of B room miss their honored schoolmates, George Hoag and Del Finch, from their midst. They've gone to work.

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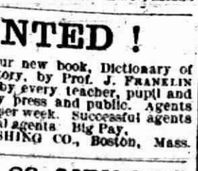

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HER CHOICE.

Carroll Trainor was to go to Mexico to make his fortune, and Lila Havens had promised to remain true to him till his return. When they parted, he decided to return to Baltimore at once and make arrangements to go to Mexico. Lila Havens went on alone to friends she was to visit at Sharpsburg.

"We expected you this morning," said her hostess.

"Yes, dear, but, you see, I was unavoidably delayed. What a lovely day it has been!"

"And there is a telegram for you, Lila."

"Really! Something aunt forgot to mention, I dare say. Excuse me." She broke it open carelessly. "Dear me!" She puckered her brow. "Only fancy! The admiral is coming down here tomorrow."

The admiral appeared on the scene at [illegible]

"My dear Lila," he said, "I must have a little talk with you."

"Yes, uncle."

"Lila, my dear"—they were quite alone—"I have had a proposal for your hand in marriage. If I had chosen the man, I could not be better pleased than to see you the wife of Judge Mason."

"Uncle! He is more than twice my age. I never dreamed of it."

"He is a young man, my dear—a vigorous young man. He will idolize you. You know he admired you."

"He is a widower."

"But his only daughter is married."

"Oh, uncle, it—it is out of the question!"

"My dear, you give me great cause for apprehension. It will disappoint me terribly if you do not accept him."

"But, uncle, I am but 18. Why should I marry for five or six years yet? I'll never be young but once—never!" she said pathetically. "And I am not a penniless creature that requires a home. I might be allowed to pick and choose."

"My dear," the old man looked suddenly grave and pale, "there is bad news. You must make up your mind to meet it bravely."

Lila's face reflected some of the paleness of his own.

"Uncle—my—my money? Have I lost it?"

"There has been a terrible financial failure. I hardly know how to tell you. We only heard yesterday, and we don't know for sure as yet. I am afraid—Lila, you must bear up—I am afraid you have lost nearly all you had."

The girl leaned back in the chair. There was a stunned look in her face. She did not speak. The admiral went on speaking more rapidly:

"I can hardly blame myself. It was an undreamed of thing. Of course there is a little real estate left you. Heaven knows I wish it had been all in houses. Judge Mason"—

"Oh," the girl broke in suddenly, "he won't want me now—when he knows I am penniless!"

"My child, he came as soon as he knew it."

She went to her room and locked herself in. Then she wrote to Carroll Trainor:

"I am no longer rich. There is no use of an engagement. I have lost everything. Perhaps you will be rich some day, Carroll. If so, you must come and find me."

But she said nothing of Hon. Thomas Mason.

Trainor felt grieved at the tone of the letter. He wrote back reproachfully. She had made a promise. Perhaps she sought to be released from it. If so, he would release her. In her place he would hardly have so written.

But, then, he was only a man.

The girl's soul sickened within her. A brief note from Trainor told her that he was just leaving for the gulf coast, where he would find a steamship for Vera Cruz. He thought he would never return to the United States.

A great despair came over her. In her sensitive state she felt that he no longer cared for her.

She capitulated and consented to receive Judge Mason's addresses.

Three months had passed. The wedding was to take place the last week of June. Miss Havens was to become Mrs. Thomas Mason.

The wedding invitations were about to be sent out—the wedding day was fixed a fortnight hence. Miss Havens, out on a shopping errand, turned a street corner sharply and ran against some one. She looked up and grew pale. It was Carroll Trainor.

"You!" she said faintly.

"You didn't expect to see me? Lila, for heaven's sake, is that true? You are going to marry Judge Mason?"

She nodded with an effort. The idea of the marriage, to which she had become reconciled, but never enthusiastically disposed, suddenly seemed sickening. Her whole soul revolted.

"Carroll!" she gasped. "Oh, Carroll! If there were any escape!"

"Escape! What do you mean? Isn't it your own choosing? Are you being forced into marrying the old widower?"

"I—I—oh, you seemed not to want me. And uncle and aunt seemed not to want me. Nobody seemed to want me—except Judge Mason. He was very kind, but I never have loved him. Carroll, if you had not deserted me!"

"I—deserted you! I've just returned from Mexico," said Trainor, "and I'm going back there at once. I've got a splendid chance. It's lonesome for a man to be by himself. The climate is like paradise."

The admiral and his good lady were at the breakfast table.

His morning mail lay before him. He took up the top letter of all and gazed severely at it. The handwriting was Lila's. The letter had been posted the night before. He opened it, read it in silence and passed it to his wife.

"Do not send the invitations," it said, "for I shall not marry Judge Mason. He is a good man and will understand it was a mistake. I love some one else and have gone away to marry him. We shall spend our honeymoon in a palm thatched hut in Mexico."

Mrs. Blair could not speak. After a moment's silence the admiral observed: "On the whole, I'm glad the marriage is off. The judge's daughter was greatly opposed. She might have made things unpleasant after a bit."

And still again, "She's a plucky little creature, Lila is—God bless her!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

On Pike's Peak.

Sergeant O'Keeffe, who spent five years on Pike's peak in charge of the signal station, says that the lowest temperature he ever recorded was 50 degrees below zero and the highest 62 degrees above. The wind often blows with a velocity of 135 miles an hour.—St. Louis Republic.

Roman swords, recovered from tombs, weigh six to ten pounds, and battleaxes weighed 20, showing the great strength of Roman soldiers.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning March 31. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Nazarite.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Num. vi. 1-8; Acts xviii. 18; Gal. v. 24.

The term Nazarite comes from a word meaning to separate. It was applied to those who, separating themselves in certain respects from other persons or denying themselves certain things, had made special consecration to God. They were to be "holy unto Jehovah," in a peculiar sense higher than even the priesthood. That separation and holiness came from bodily descent, but the Nazarite's was by personal consecration.

Three items were marked in this separation. First was total abstinence from all wine and every product of the vine; second, he was not to touch or come near any dead body, even of the nearest relative; thirdly, the hair was to be allowed to grow during the period of the vow. There were perpetual or lifelong Nazarites as well as those for a limited period. Such were Samson, Samuel and John the Baptist.

At the expiration of the vow the head was shaved and the hair brought to the temple to be burned in the fire which cooked the flesh of the peace offering. Sacrifices were to be offered for a burnt offering, a sin offering and peace offerings.

The custom of vowing fell into gross abuse among the Israelites before the time of Christ and drew from some severe rebukes.

The spirit of Christ is that of absolute consecration of all powers and possessions for God's service and the continual repression of all evil tendencies of mind, spirit and body and cultivation of all virtues. Christians are to be perpetual Nazarites in a very deep and broad sense, separated from the world in its spirit and lusts and devoted wholly to God.

The General Secretary.

Dr. E. A. Schell, the general secretary of the Epworth League, was elected to the office in November, 1892. A young man of fine presence, with versa-

REV. EDWIN A. SCHELL.

tile talents, deep and genuine devotion to God and abundant energy, he has won for himself a high place in the affection and confidence of the church and League. He has traveled extensively through the country and spoken at many conventions, keeping in touch with the work of the society as well as directing affairs from the office.

Extension.

During the year 1894, in May, the Methodist Episcopal Church South perfected its league organization, but little different in form from that of our own church. Its organ is The Epworth Era, published at Nashville, with Dr. S. A. Steel, the general secretary, as editor. It is one of the ablest in matter and most attractive in mechanical makeup of the young people's papers of the land.

In September, 1894, the Methodist church of Canada adopted the League and arranged for the appointment of a secretary. The name of its paper is Onward. Dr. W. H. Withrow is editor, and it is published in Toronto.

The Wesleyans of England are considering the matter and will doubtless very soon swing into line. The time is near at hand when the League will girdle the globe.

The Saloon.

Dr. Gilbert of Cleveland well says: "Against it is nature with her inviolable laws. Against it is society with all its prophecies of future progress. Against it is humanity with its vast destinies. Against it is man with his physical, mental and moral constitution. Against it is woman with all her love and tenderness. Against it is home with all its sanctities. Against it is the nation with all its grand traditions and hopes for coming years. Against it is heaven with its righteousness. Against it is God with all his holiness. The saloon must go!"

Help Put It Out.

O ye who love the portals of home more than the lintels of the saloon, the laughter of children more than the hiccough of the drunkard, the desk of the schoolhouse more than the vat of the brewery, the church of God more than the synagogue of satan, the chime of Sabbath bells more than the clink of whisky glasses, the stripes upon your country's flag more than the coil of the still, look about you at this leering monster whose drink is the blood of men and the tears of women, and then, like St. George with the dragon, strike home!

A New Literature.

John Wesley found the common people destitute of books in all departments of literature. He wrote, translated, printed, published and circulated good books and created a new literature. He originated the modern cheap book movement. The needs of the young people are awakening attention, and a new literature is springing up which gives promise of golden fruitage. No one need now be ignorant or read trash. Let the literary department be enthused with new life, and it will aid all others.

BLESSED BURGLARS.

"My first burglary," remarked Uncle Bobs suddenly as Dickey and he sat on the piazza together, "was committed when I was a boy of 12."

"What, you committed a burglary—you, Uncle Bobs!" cried Dicky in dismay. "Oh, that was a awful thing to do!"

"Not such a very nawful thing, the way we did it," said Uncle Bobs calmly. "Listen and I'll tell you all about it.

"Teddy Gordon, my school chum, was the swiftest runner in Pokeville. One Fourth of July he captured no less than $50 in prizes. Next morning I met him coming down the road.

"'Hello, Teddy,' said I. 'Decided what to do with your money yet?'

"'Yes,' he replied. 'I'm going into the burglar business. I've got my eye on an easy house to begin on, and look here, Bobs, I'm going to take you into partnership.'

Looking cautiously about to see that there was no chance of being overheard, Ted unfolded his plan.

"'Why, it's a splendid scheme!' I broke out presently. 'Of course I'll join you. And look here, Ted, the old lady hasn't got any bulldog or anything, and I don't [illegible] the easy [illegible] Come along now and let us get together our things.'

"Miss Judith Brown, or 'Aunt Judy,' as she was often called, lived in a somewhat dilapidated little cottage about half a mile down the road. The poor old lady had recently fallen upon evil times. Matters were looking about as black and gloomy as they well could.

"'Tilly,' she said one evening to the little colored girl she kept more for company than anything else, 'Tilly, tomorrow when you go down to the grocer's see if he won't give you another soapbox. We must save the chairs for our callers.'

"A little after 8 she and Tilly retired to their chamber up under the eaves, and soon they went fast asleep.

"About 10 o'clock, when all was dark and still, a wagon drove up, and turning out from the road stopped on the other side of Aunt Judy's back yard fence.

"Three minutes later Ted and I poked our heads above the boards, and seeing that no one had been disturbed we climbed lightly over and crept up to the back door. "As we expected, it was only on the latch, for if there was anything that Aunt Judy had no occasion to fear it was the midnight thief.

"Once inside the house we drew down the blinds and lighted our bullseye lantern.

"In the kitchen we quietly removed our shoes in true burglar fashion and crept forward. The scene of our operations was the sitting room.

"Gathering up as many chairs as we could bear off without noise, we carried them to the back door. After that we took the table, then, with much difficulty, we hugged off the rickety old sofa. Next we took a couple of andirons each of odds and ends, and finally plucking up the threadbare carpet by the rents we bore it off, chuckling to ourselves, for we had completely denuded the room.

"Pulling on our boots, we now carried our booty out to the wagon, and then—well, half an hour later Ted and I were well along the road on our way back.

"When Tilly came down in the morning to light the fire, her eyes almost popped out of her head with amazement. As soon as she had recovered herself she rushed up stairs.

"'Oh, missie, missie!' she cried. 'It's all gone, missie! The robbers have tooken all your furniture. It's all gone, missie, even to the carpet and spoons and everything!'

"Poor Aunt Judy's face was a sight to behold. In trembling haste she threw on her wrapper and hurried down stairs.

"Pushing open the parlor door, the excited old lady received a shock which well nigh took her off her feet. There before her was a brand new set of furniture—chairs, sofa and table, the latter spread with a white tablecloth, and with bright new knives and forks and spoons and pretty cups and saucers upon it, the like of which she had never expected to see in her little home again. In the center of the room was laid a large rug, and stuck up in the corner was a roll of carpeting sufficient to cover the border of floor that was yet exposed.

"With a quick glance the astounded woman took it all in, and then she dropped on her knees and sobbed aloud. Then, rising, her face greatly brightened, she said simply: 'Make some tea, Tilly. We must christen our new teapot.'

"As Tilly lifted the cover of that article something green flashed to her eye from the inside. She shook it out.

"'Oh, look, missie!' she cried, 'look here! Money! See! Ten and five—$25! Oh, missie, this is just great! The Lord is good, isn't he?'

"'Yes, child,' replied Aunt Judy, and then the old pride coming suddenly upon her she said: 'But we'll have to find out who did it and send them back. We mustn't keep them, Tilly. It's too much like charity.'"

"Were you ever found out, Uncle Bobs?" inquired Dickey.

"Yes, the newspapers got hold of the affair, and pretty soon Teddy and I were known all around town as 'The Blessed Burglars.'

"But before this happened the minister, at Aunt Judy's request, had inserted this little item:

"'Reward Offered.—Any person giving information concerning the burglars who entered the premises of Miss Judith Brown on the night of July 5 will receive a thousand thanks. As for the burglars themselves, Miss Brown would be greatly pleased to have them call upon her some evening when she is awake, to receive the gratitude their kindness and consideration deserve.'"—George A. Wesley in Boston Globe.

A Tragedy In High Life.

It was Sunday evening. They were standing in a North Side drug store—he and she—apparently waiting for a street car. He was attired in a swell suit, with a high silk hat, patent leather shoes and wore a flower in his buttonhole. She was arrayed in an elegant suit of—but never mind.

She stepped up to the counter, bought a little bottle of perfumery, took a small purse from her pocket, opened it, and then, with some embarrassment, went back and spoke to the young man.

He smiled a ghastly smile and replied in an undertone.

Then she stepped up to the counter again, handed back the little bottle of perfumery and nobody in the drug store spoke a word for five minutes.

Who says all the misery in this world is confined to the tenement houses?—Chicago Tribune.

Two Chinese astronomers are said to have been put to death by the emperor for getting drunk on the night when an eclipse was due.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the thirty-first day of January, 1891, Charles Shafer and Rosa Shafer mortgaged to Henry Smith all those certain pieces of parcels of land situated in the township of Macon, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: All that part of the southeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said section and running thence north on the east line of said section seventy-four (74) rods; thence west on the south line of land now, or formerly, owned by one Talbot, and on the south line of Linton's land, forty-nine (49) rods to the southwest corner of said Linton's said land; thence north on west line of said Linton's land twenty-six (26) rods to Sherman's land, formerly so called; thence west on south line of said Sherman's land fourteen and two-thirds (14⅔) rods to the southwest corner thereof; thence north on the west line of said Sherman's land sixty (60) rods to the north line of said quarter section; thence west on north line of said quarter section fifty-six (56) rods to Miller's land; thence south on east line of [illegible] (160) rods to the south line of said section; thence east on the south line of said section one hundred and twenty (120) rods to the place of beginning; containing ninety-two (92) acres of land, more or less. Also, all that part of section twenty-eight (28) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east bounded as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the center line of the Ridge road with the west line of said section; thence southeasterly at right angles with said Ridge road eight (8) rods; thence southwesterly twenty-three (23) rods to the southwest corner of said section; thence north on west line of said section to place of beginning; to secure the payment of four thousand dollars two years from the date thereof, with interest at seven per cent per annum, payable annually. Which mortgage was, on the 12th day of February, 1891, recorded in the register of deeds' office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in liber 115, of Mortgages, on pages 393, etc., and said mortgage contains a provision that, in case any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof on any day whereon the same is made payable, as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrears for the space of thirty days, then the aforesaid principal sum of four thousand dollars, with all arrearages thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter.

Default having been made in the payment of the interest to the amount of twelve hundred, ninety-five and 33-100 dollars, and the same having remained unpaid and in arrear for more than thirty days, the undersigned mortgagee hereby elects to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of five thousand, two hundred, ninety-five and 33-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on north line of said quarter section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 29, 1895.

HENRY SMITH, Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present: Ri hard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jacob Totten, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Bradley Griffin, of Dover, Lenawee county, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 23 day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy).

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 77, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter section; thence east on north line of said quarter section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,

Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Executrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pecklington, plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parce of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5) east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the court house in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 6th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 18th, 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.

By H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.

W. J. INGERSOLL,

Attorney for Plaintiff

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch, in Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 373. Express.	No. 315. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	8 05 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	10 40 P.M.
Napoleon.....	8 20 "	3 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell.....	8 37 "	3 39 "	1 33 "
Manchester.....	8 43 "	3 45 "	1 39 "
Clinton.....	8 58 "	4 01 "	1 55 "
Tecumseh.....	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 10 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
	10 15 "	6 25 "	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Express.	Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

☞ Trains run on New Standard of 90th Meridian Time

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Coupon tickets can now be procured at this station over best routes to all principal cities in the United States.

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT January 6, 1895.

EAST. No. 25 Pass	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
		A. M.			P. M.
		11 30	L....Allegan.....A	7 46	
		11 54	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M	12 34	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
8 20	9 45	1 11	Marshall	11 36	12 53
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer	11 08	11 43
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 39	11 03
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 03	10 18
12 24	10 14	3 12	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 50	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
....	10 34	3 31	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 25
1 30	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 30
8 10	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....Lv	7 35	6 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

☞ All Trains Daily except Sunday. Close connections are made at Allegan with the C. & W. M.; Monteith, G. R. & I.; Battle Creek, C. & G. T.; Marshall M. C. R.; Britton with the Wabash for Detroit, and at Toledo with all roads diverging.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER, Gen'l Pass. Agt.

F. B. DRAKE, Gen'l Manager.

THE WABASH RAILROAD CO

TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE

ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express.....10:25 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex..3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express.....5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited.....2:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express.....6:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited.....4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express....7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....9:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express.....4:50 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

For rates, tickets, time tables, and all desired information, apply to

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FOR ALL

Northern Michigan Points.

Direct connections at Milan with Wabash and at Dundee with C. J. & M. Ry.

TIME TABLE.

In effect March 29, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,

6:42 A. M., 11:5 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owoss, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadillac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING NORTH

Trains leave Dundee,

8:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 3:22 p. m.

Making direct connections for

SAGINAW & BAY CITY.

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FITS or Falling Sickness CAN be CURED;

We will SEND FREE by mail a large TRIAL BOTTLE and also, a treatise on Epilepsy. DON'T SUFFER ANY LONGER! Give Post Office, State and County, and Age plainly. Address, THE HALL CHEMICAL CO., 3560 Fairmount Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

A Sign of Peace

is the downcome of war time prices.

The during-the-war price of baking powder was 45 to 50 cents a pound. Cream of tartar was then 49 cents a pound, soda, 6 cents. Cream of tartar is now 28 cents, soda, less than 3½ cents.

Still the would-be monopolists want the same "war" prices (45 to 50c. a pound) for their products.

CALUMET Baking Powder

is sold at a "peace price"—brings peace to homes where the high priced baking powders have been breeding dyspepsia and disagreement.

$1,000 to you if you find Calumet isn't perfectly pure. A pinch of it has power enough to do a pound of leavening.

CALUMET BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

J. A. Santms was in Clinton, Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Montgomery is very sick at this date.

James and Almeran Curry were in Saline, Friday.

Uncle Purdy Haight is in very poor health at this writing.

The village school will close Friday for the spring vacation.

T. H. Montgomery is under the doctor's care at present writing.

Kate Sherman left for Clifton, N. Y. Tuesday, for an indefinite stay.

Ada Dibble, of North Adrian, is visiting with friends here this week.

Wheat and grass are showing the effects of the freezing, and March winds.

Samuel Kniffin and daughters, of Britton, visited relatives in the village Tuesday.

There are quite a number in and about the village on the sick list with bad colds.

Lella Sutton visited Florence Mize, of Tecumseh, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Charles Montgomery, of Tecumseh, spent Monday with his uncle, T. H. Montgomery.

A. B. Clark, of Elkhart, Ind., visited his sister, Mrs. R. S. Housman, the first of the week.

Gertie Ford and Lovina Wiggins, of Tecumseh, are spending their vacation with friends here.

Mary Osgood and Clara Temple, went to Ypsilanti Saturday, for a week's visit with Mrs. Fred Gorton.

Eddie Winder and Florence House, of Clinton, were the guests of Wm. Larkin and family, over Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Sage and Miss May Morgan, of Macon, called on their cousins, Geo. Hill and wife, Friday.

Dan Van Noker, of Petersburgh, and Wm. Swick, of Dundee, were in the village Tuesday, on business.

Mrs. Chas. Gripton and daughter, Ethel, of Britton, spent Tuesday with her parents, Sam'l Barlow and wife.

The subject at the M. E. Church next Sunday will be: Morning, "The Denial of Jesus by Peter." Evening, "Christ or the Dance, Which?"

"What is the matter of the assistant postmaster," did you say? Oh nothing, she only took a skate while at the Library the other evening.

Rev. H. Cansfield, E. L. Lowe, and Lella Sutton, attended the Epworth League State Convention, held in Detroit this week, as delegates.

David Coryell and family, from Deerfield, who are moving to their new home, north of Tecumseh, called on relatives in the village, Tuesday.

Say, when you are in the village, call at S. P. Smith's place of business, and see his invoice of new wallpaper, hammocks, sporting goods, etc., and get prices.

C. O. Hiscock, of Albion College, is enjoying his vacation with his mother this week. He also attended the E. L. Convention at Detroit, as a representative for the College.

The date for the W. C. T. U. Lathrop memorial services, is Wednesday evening of next week, to be held in the church, when the following program will be presented.

Singing.
Prayer—by the Chaplain.
Roll call.
Singing.
Address—C. L. Lowe.
Dec.—Prof. John Howell.
Singing.
Rec.—Fannie Miller.
Address—E. L. Lowe.
Reading—Mrs. Nellie Pocklington.
Singing.
Rec.—Lulu Weeks.
Address—Rev. H. Cansfield.

The Ladies of the Union extend a cordial invitation to everybody to come. As there is no admission, as some have been under that impression, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that can not be cured be the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

[SEAL]

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LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

Henry Kempf is smiling over the arrival of a baby boy.

Mrs. J. G. Bailey and Mrs. Will Avery are slowly improving.

Geo. Gray and wife went to Ann Arbor Thursday on business.

Dr. Waldron was called by wire Sunday to attend a sick horse at Will Avery's.

Frank Gilmore has moved onto the Fred Morrell farm. His brother Clarence has moved in where he moved out.

When Milan people visit Tecumseh on business they announce their coming over the local telephone and telegraph wire—handy.

Preparations are completed for connecting the residence of John C. Mills with the union telegraph line, as soon as the frost goes out, by a 3-4 mile loop.

About 8 a. m., Saturday, the wire announced the sad intelligence of the death of one of Chas. Avery's twin boys, a little over a year old. A sad affliction in which all the neighbors sympathize.

Grau Mills, being duly sworn, says that Chas. Avery's portable saw mill cut 12,514 feet of inch boards for him last Thursday in nine hours and 45 minutes, with a five foot saw and threshing engine. Four men put the logs on the way and piled the lumber, three did the sawing, with one at the engine who used green slab wood. And further he saith not.

These are the tickets from which Macon will chose their officers next Monday.

PROHIBITION.

For Supervisor, Simon Gould; Clerk, J. Elward Baker; Treasurer, John Howell; Justice, Edwin Howell; Commissioner, Alex Easlick; School Inspector, Fannie L. Miller; Review, John W. Baker; Const.: Jas. Pocklington, Robt. Hendershot, Fred McCreary, Frank Aten.

REPUBLICAN.

For Supervisor, H. B. Pennington; Clerk, Chas. F. Allen; Treasurer, Frank Gilmore; Justice, Sam Steel; Commissioner, L. H. Gregory; School Inspector, Spencer Morgan; Review, Alfred Lewis; Const., Charles East, Geo. Harmon, Will Collum, Frank Day.

DEMOCRAT.

For Supervisor, Thomas Wilson. Clerk, Jos Hunter; Treasurer, Robert Mills; Justice, Charles Bird; Commissioner, Geo J. Kempf; School Inspector, Ida Henbersbot; Review, John Clarkson; Const., Emmit Hendershot, Will Harring, Fred. Beland.

"That Tired Feeling"

overcomes us when inferior preparations are recommended by unscrupulous dealers as "just as good as Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup," when we know the unequalled merits of this great medicine. Sold by Orr & Temple. mar

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you will probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. mar

To Consumptives.

As an honest remedy Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. For sale by Orr & Temple. mar

Fast Time to the South.

The Mobile & Ohio Railroad has put on a double daily fast train service between St. Louis and the South. This makes the Mobile & Ohio the quickest as it is now the shortest route to Memphis, New Orleans, Mobile, Birmingham, and all Florida winter tourist points. All trains are equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet Drawing Room Sleepers and handsome easy riding day coaches. The Mobile & Ohio has always been popular with the traveling public, and this fast train service will make it still more so.

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Highest Honors—World's Fair.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THREE children of a laborer named Charles Ross, all under 3 years old, were burned to death at Springfield, Mo. They were left in the house while the parents went visiting, and a lamp exploded.

THE United States authorities decided to take a firm stand against interference in Venezuela.

A CYCLONE in Georgia did great damage at Augusta and Columbus.

THE grand jury investigating the levee riots at New Orleans returned indictments for murder against twenty-eight men.

THE Commercial Bank of Malad City, Idaho, closed its doors with liabilities of $67,000.

MRS. BALLINGTON BOOTH, of the Salvation Army, performed the marriage ceremony for two members of the army at Cincinnati, O.

HARRIET TALLEY (colored) was hanged by a mob near Petersburg, Tex. She was suspected of burning the dwelling of Bayne [illegible].

FIRE destroyed a stable in San Francisco and eighteen valuable horses were cremated.

A VESTIBULE train on the Southern railway was wrecked near Jackson, Ga., by vandals and Fireman Roberts was fatally injured.

BECAUSE of a quarrel Arthur Speyd shot and killed his betrothed, Annie Frisch, at Celina, O., and then killed himself.

A TERRIFIC simoon, filling the air with sand, swept over the country near Denison, Tex. Houses were unroofed, trees blown down and a great deal of damage done.

IN a collision between freight trains near Hinckley, Ill., Engineer Spencer and Fireman Williams were killed.

THE first bank with a woman president ever organized in the United States closed its doors at Genoa, Neb.

BURGLARS entered the residence of Andrew Shorb, a farmer living near Columbus City, Ind., and robbed him of $5,000 in gold and $500 in greenbacks.

THE Western Transfer & Implement company's warehouse and storehouse and elevator of Hubbard & Gere's linseed oil mill were burned at Sioux City, Ia., causing an aggregate loss of $400,000.

FURTHER advices say that sixty persons perished in the mine disaster at Red Canyon, Wyo., of which fifty-one were married men and nine young men and boys.

FLAMES that started in Kern's coffin factory in New Orleans destroyed property valued at $250,000.

DANIEL SUMMERS (white) and Isaac Allen (colored) killed each other in a duel near Carthage, Miss.

THE secretary of the treasury appointed William Martin Aiken, of Cincinnati, O., supervising architect of the treasury, vice O'Rourke, resigned.

THE president appointed William M. Springer, of Illinois, and C. B. Kilgore, of Texas, to be United States judges for the territory of Oklahoma.

A FOREST fire that had burned over twenty-five acres of valuable timber was still raging within 2 miles of Egg Harbor City, N. J.

AT Buffalo, N. Y., Clarence Robinson was sentenced for life and his wife given twenty years for murdering Montgomery Gibbs.

THE famous stallion Ralph Wilkes, owned by the Thayer brothers, and valued at $75,000, died at Lancaster, Mass.

MEMBERS of the Yale-Cornell crew will go to England to compete for the grand challenge cup at Henley in July.

A DECISION at Findlay, O., makes the proprietor of a cafe and the owner of the premises liable for money lost at poker in the cafe.

THE Women's club of Michigan have organized the Michigan Federation of Women's clubs and elected Miss Clara Avery, of Detroit, president.

BELIEF was gaining ground in Washington that the supreme court would declare the income tax law unconstitutional.

THE Johnson county savings bank at Warrensburg, Mo., closed its doors.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 22d aggregated $952,491,395, against $898,639,277 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 13.8.

TWENTY-NINE buildings in the business portion of Bayou Sara, La., were burned.

THE residence of P. Dollard at Chapleau, Ont., was burned and three of his children were cremated in an upper room.

THERE were 278 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 22d, against 266 the week previous and 244 in the corresponding time in 1894.

JIM MORRISON, a notorious murderer and counterfeiter in Alabama, was killed while resisting arrest near Toadvine.

REV. DR. W. M. B. YONCE, professor of ancient languages at Roanoke college, Virginia, dropped dead in a church at Salem.

THE Nebraska legislature passed a bill forbidding the sale of cigarettes in the state to any person under 21 years of age.

WALTER BARR was hanged at Tahlequah, I. T., for the murder of Johnson Reese several years ago.

JOSEPH VALSIN (colored) was hanged at Natchitoches, La., for the murder of Maj. Anthony, also colored.

E. F. COFFIN, a San Antonio telegraph operator, inherits $2,500,000 from an uncle who has died in Brazil.

A BILL appropriating $200,000 for the benefit of drought sufferers passed both houses of Nebraska's legislature.

If Mr. Gresham wishes to be surfeited with praise he should patronize the clipping bureaus with great liberality.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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THE NEW STORE

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Clothing, Hats AND Furnishings.

$10,00 in GOLD for a NAME!

MICHIGAN SCHOOL CHILDREN HUSTLE.

To any child or person (under 21 years of age) who shall send to us an appropriate name for the [illegible] same to be chosen by Messrs. John D. Mabley and Edward E. Harvey, who comprise the firm, from among those submitted, TEN DOLLARS IN GOLD WILL BE PAID. All answers will be recorded, and should any two be alike the one first received will be awarded the prize.

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Consult your father, mother, big brothers and sisters and secure the money. The name chosen, together with name of person suggesting same, will be published in the daily papers as early as possible. Address all communications to ADVERTISING DEPT.,

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NEW YORK health officers discovered a man stricken with leprosy who had been living in a tenement for six years.

SEVEN members of a German family in Toledo, O., were seriously afflicted with trichinosis, caused by eating diseased sausage.

MADISON county, Ind., was being terrorized by lawless men and farmers will employ bloodhounds to hunt them down.

DUN'S review of trade notes a stronger demand for money and other evidences of improvement in business.

THE finest counterfeit quarter dollar ever made was detected at the United States subtreasury in Baltimore. It is of the series of 1893, and is composed largely of silver. Only the most adroit expert can detect if from genuine coin.

A BILL was introduced in the Illinois house taxing bachelors $25 annually, the money to be used in building and sustaining an old maids' home.

INCOME tax returns were pouring into the office of the commissioner of internal revenue in Washington at a rapid rate.

MISS PHOEBE COUZINS, the woman's rights lecturer, says she was betrothed to the late ex-Senator Fair in Chicago in 1893.

THE Newport deposit bank of Perry county, Pa., closed its doors.

THE funerals of the sixty-one victims of the Red Bud mine disaster were held at Evanston, Wyo.

TWO MEMBERS of a boating party at Philadelphia were drowned in the Delaware river by the capsizing of their boat.

FOUR firemen lost their lives in a fire that destroyed the St. James hotel in Denver.

A VALISE containing $750 was snatched from Leo Hale, a lumber dealer, while going from the bank to his office on a St. Louis street car.

THE packing houses of Reed Bros. at Armourdale, Kan., were damaged $1,000,000 by fire.

JUDGE RICKS, of Toledo, O., decided that a foreign-born woman who comes to the United States and marries a citizen of this country becomes a citizen of the United States.

INTIMATIONS were received that Jamaica would levy increased taxes on American imports because of the duty on sugar.

NIBLO'S garden, one of New York's most famous playhouses, closed its doors permanently. It was there that Patti, when a child of 8, made her debut.

OVER 1,000 rolling mill employes at Youngstown, O., went on a strike because three puddlers were discharged.

DURING a storm near Pine Hill, Ala., Mrs. Jephtha Williams and her son were killed by lightning and Mr. Williams was totally blinded.

M. K. SUTTON, a nonunion glass-blower employed at Tarentum, Pa., was beaten to death by strikers armed with fence rails.

A FLORENCE & Cripple Creek train was held up by five bandits near Victor, Col., who robbed passengers of valuables.

AMONG the women who registered at Wichita, Kan., to vote at the municipal election was Mrs. Harriet McMurray, aged 115 years.

TWO EXPLOSIONS, followed by fire, completely wrecked the Empire theater in Chicago.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 25th was: Wheat, 75,773,000 bushels; corn, 13,396,000 bushels; oats, 6,553,000 bushels; rye, 272,000 bushels; barley, 992,000 bushels.

THE Trumbull county courthouse, located at Warren, O., was gutted by fire.

A REPORT submitted to the constitutional convention at Salt Lake City says that no inhabitant of Utah shall ever be molested in person or property on account of his or her mode of religious worship, and polygamy or plural marriage is forever prohibited.

SECRETARY CARLISLE was said to have violated the quarantine regulations at New York by taking his son off an incoming steamer.

A QUARREL in a school at Tower, Minn., started by a few unruly boys, involved nearly the whole town, and the result may be serious.

GOVERNMENT detectives were trying to discover parties guilty of producing dangerous counterfeit bills that appeared at Omaha.

THE long-established wholesale dry goods house of E. S. Jaffray & Co. in New York went into the hands of receivers with liabilities of $2,500,000.

THE famous Mosier ordinance, providing that all children under 16 years of age shall leave the streets at 9 o'clock, when curfew rings, went into effect at Stillwater, Minn., and was rigidly enforced.

THE town of Gilmanton, Wis., was nearly wiped out by fire.

JOSEPH BOYER, a miserly farmer who lived near Sedalia, Mo., died without revealing the hiding place of his wealth.

SIX United States prisoners escaped from jail at Fort Scott, Kan., among them being Bill West, the notorious outlaw.

IN a fight with shotguns in Macon county, Ala., the result of a long-standing feud between the Riddle and Christian families, Slab Riddle was killed and Charles and Andrew Riddle were fatally wounded.

MRS. JOHN F. CORE, of Marion, Pa., took her 2-year-old child to a well and dropped it in and the infant was drowned.

THE report of the experts in Chicago who investigated the whisky trust accounts says that a discrepancy of $1,924,120 existed.

SEVERE wind storms swept over Ohio, Illinois and other towns. Dust storms prevailed in Iowa and Illinois.

THE mutilated bodies of Mrs. Sam Butler (colored) and her 8-year-old son were found at Meridian, Miss. They were supposed to have been murdered by the husband of the woman.

THE 150th anniversary of the foundation of the Second Parish Unitarian church was celebrated at Binghamton, Mass., in the meeting-house which was erected in 1742.

A TORNADO visited Delaware, O., and surrounding sections, unroofing houses, uprooting trees and demolishing fences.

THE bank at Mount Morris, Ill., was robbed, the safe being wrecked with dynamite. It was thought that only $150 was taken.

ANOTHER shortage of $400,000 was found in Chicago in the accounts of the whisky trust.

JOHN R. TUCKER, aged 51, an attorney at Jeffersonville, Ind., was killed in an encounter with William Taylor, aged 70.

THE Nashua savings bank, the third largest in New Hampshire, closed its doors with liabilities of $3,000,000.

ENOCH J. SMITHERS, United States consul, died at Hioga, Japan, from a paralytic attack. Mr. Smithers was a native of Delaware, and was appointed in July, 1889.

AT Greenville, Miss., fire destroyed the Planters' oil mill, the loss being $110,000.

MINISTER THURSTON, of Hawaii, decided to depart from Washington before his government could officially recall him.

FRANK SUTTER, an assayer, shot and fatally wounded his wife at San Francisco and killed himself.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, at the head of detachments of the army, visited Prince Bismarck and presented him a sword of honor.

A BED of solid rock salt was discovered on Joe Jefferson island, La., at a depth of 680 feet.

WILLIAM SWEENEY, a 76-year-old wealthy resident of Fairland, I. T., was married to Miss Zena Taylor, a 16-year-old girl of Southwest City, Mo.

AUNT JULIA THOMPSON, a colored woman who claimed to be 138 years of age, died in Dallas county, Tex.

THE president appointed Col. Thaddeus H. Stanton to be paymaster general of the army, to succeed Gen. William Smith, retired.

Advertised Letters

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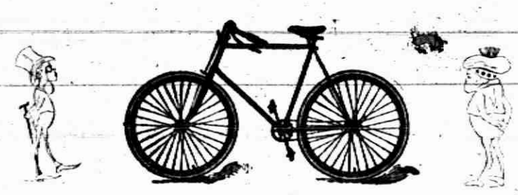

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FROM KILLARNEY TO BELFAST.

Leaves from the Diary of J. F. Jenkins' Transatlantic Trip.

In the evening of July 15th, we left Mucross hotel in the vicinity of the lakes, and climbed into a coach bound for the town of Killarney. Here we were literally surrounded by beggars; they appeared as thick as flies on a sugar bowl in the month of August, and equally as persistent; however we freed ourselves from this intolerable nuisance by taking an evening train for the city of Dublin, where we arrived early the next morning. The city was in the lap of Morpheus, and when the cabman halted his steed in front of the Gresham House, no one in human form appeared on the streets, and nothing but the tall shaft of Nelson's monument on Sackville street commanded our attention. Nelson was an Irishman, a native of Dublin, and this splendid monument 120 feet high was erected by the city to commemorate the deeds of England's greatest admiral. On Sackville street stands a monument to Tom Moore, the poet, who enjoys the same popularity in Dublin that Sir Walter Scott does in the city of Edinburgh.

In making our way to St. Patrick's cathedral we found the streets filled with all sorts of vehicles; jaunting cars with red face drivers, carts drawn by donkeys, with red face drivers, cabs with red face drivers. In fact it is a problem yet unsolved by me, whether it is the climate, or the whiskey he drinks, or the short stem of a clay pipe which he continously holds in his mouth that makes the Dublin cab driver's face that familiar Turkey red which you may see at night without gas light. We finally made our way to the cathedral and hunted up the sexton who admitted us through a side door. He pointed out the burial place of Dean Swift and his 'Stella,' both marked by a marble slab. Here also a monument to Schomberg who was killed at the battle of the Boyne. High on the walls are hung the old and tattered battle flags, which had seen service in the Crimean war. The interior is dark and gloomy, and was then undergoing repairs, although $700,000 had been spent in repairing it a quarter of a century ago.

The point of interest which we visited is the old parliament house, which is now the bank of Ireland, situated on College Green. Here we saw some fine old tapestries representing the seige of Derry, and King William crossing the Boyne; although now a bank, visitors are freely admitted to the building, as well as the House of Lords near by. Crossing over to the opposite side of the street, we entered Trinity College, one of the most famous institutions of learning in the world. On one side of this entrance is a fine statue of Goldsmith, the poet, and on the opposite side is a statue of the orator and statesman, Burke. We strolled through its court, halls and lecture rooms; spent a few hours in its medical museum, and in the museum of natural history, saw Brian Boroihme's harp, and the charter horn of King O'kavanagh.

The next point of interest which we visited was "The Four Courts of Dublin," a building situated on the banks of the river Liffey. It was in the evening after the courts had closed. The janitor directed the writer through the various rooms, whose walls have resounded with the eloquence and wit of Curran, Grattan, and Dan. O'Connell. Boarding a horse car which took us along the river Liffey, and thence into Phoenix Park which has been made notorious by the Murder of Cavandish, the then governor of Ireland, and his secretary, Burke. It contains about 2000 acres, and near the center is a fine zoological garden well worth visiting. At the entrance of the park, and a little to the left stands a large granite monument to Wellington, the conqueror of Napoleon Bonaparte. Wellington was a native of Dublin, a city that has given birth to generals, statesmen, and orators whose fame is second to none of modern times.

After a short visit to the famous Rotunda hospital, we took an early morn train for the north of Ireland. We passed through the towns of Mullingar, Clouis, Cavin, Monaghan, Armagh, Porta down, thence to Belfast. Between Dublin and Mullingar the country is level and interspersed with beautiful sheets of water, many of them large enough to bear the name of lakes. Between Cavan and Clonis lies the Bog of Allen which appears to extend over a large area of country. Men and women were engaged in cutting turf and piling it in heaps, somewhat in the form of a pyramid, in order to dry. They all stopped work to look at the passing train.

BELFAST.

Arriving at Belfast we put up at the Imperial hotel located in Doregal Place. Standing at the head of this street is Linen Hall, which we visited, and here our party was shown into the different departments where various grades of linen are presented to the view. The writer saw a fine piece of linen which showed the patience and skill of the workman. It will be a long time, if ever, such linen is manufactured in this country. A fine library is attached to this hall, which we also visited. Taking a seat on the top of a horse car which carried us over the old Botanic road until we came to Queen's College, where we spent a few hours in visiting its lecture rooms, and museum. On the opposite side, and a little beyond stands the Methodist College, which is new, and in a flourishing condition; it has a preparatory school attached to it, while still further beyond is the Botanical garden [illegible] and out, and presenting almost every species of native plants and flowers. The next point of interest in Belfast is the White Star Line dock yards situated on Queen's Island. It becomes necessary to obtain a permit in order to gain access to the yards; and here we found our letter from the Hon. James G. Blaine to the Diplomatic and Consular Officers of the United States, on this, and many similar occasions in different countries of Europe of great advantage to us. Referring to this letter, reminds me of an Irish-American returning to his native land, visited Giant's Causeway. The "Old grandmother" of the Causeway would not shake hands with him (so he stated in a letter home) because he did not have a letter from James G. Blaine. His long residence in America must have been destructive to his Irish wit, for if he had given her a six pence, she would have showered more blessings on his head than all "the sky pilots" in the north of Ireland. In no country is begging so universal, and in no country are empty blessings so liberally bestowed upon the donor. The American Consul at Belfast gave us a letter to the secretary of the company, and through this letter we were admitted into the yards. Several vessels were in the process of building. Every part of a steam ship is built here, from the smallest bolt which enter into its composition to the magnificent engines, like those which propel the Teutonic and Majestic, whose furnaces will consume from three to four hundred tons of coal in twenty-four hours. This dock yard gives employment to upwards of 2000 men; they work nine and a half hours a day, and are fairly remunerated for their labor. The thick iron plates, and small amount of wood which enter into and make what may be termed the skeleton of the ship was a surprise to me. No words can give an idea of one of these iron ships in the process of building, they must be seen in order to be appreciated; and then it is difficult to conceive the amount of skill required to put together one of these magnificent ocean racers, which are made here under various divisions of labor.

Belfast has a poplation somewhat larger than Detroit. It will compare favorably with any American city of its size for business and enterprise. Donegal Place, the finest street in the city has magnificent stores; many of them present as fine a display of goods as are to be seen in any city. Stepping into the landlord's jaunting car a few hours before leaving Belfast, he drove to the outskirts of the city where he reined his horse up before the door of a cabin. On the way he stated that he was about bargaining for a mare and colt, and desired me to give an opinion of the animals. This was my first and only opportunity of witnessing a bargain of this kind in Ireland. The owner pointed out the good qualities of the animals, and knew of them. When they came to an agreement relative to the price, I supposed the bargain was completed, but no, the difficulty had just commenced. The landlord wanted $5.00 for "luck money" but the owner of the horses could not see it in that light, however they compromised the matter by the purchaser agreeing to take half the amount. The purchase made, and the luck money agreed upon, we boarded our jaunting car and proceeded on our journey outside of the city limits; the road passing through the domain of the marquis of Donegal, the property being carefully protected by high stone walls on either side of the road.

An Electrical Magazine.

Electric Power, now in its seventh year, makes its bow to the public this month in an entirely new form and dress. It will henceforth appear as a magazine both as to size and character—a character which the readers of electrical science will greatly appreciate. The first number of the new form is handsomely printed and contains many excellent illustrations. The reading matter is less technical in its nature and is interesting to those who wish to know something of what is going on in electricity and yet do not care to make a study of the science. Electricity is being applied so universally now that every progressive person should read about it, and Electric Power is well worth the subscription price of $2.00 a year. The publishers offer a trial subscription for six months for $1.00. It can be obtained on the news stands for 20 cents a copy. It is published at 39 Cortland Street, New York City.

THREE DAYS IN WESTON.

A Hustling Little Village in Southern Lenawee County.

We gave our "Snap Shot" lecture in the village of Weston last week, and during our three days' visit there, formed many new acquaintances. The town is about the size of Britton, and posesses an intelligent and hospitable class of people, with whom one can feel at home. Is is the first station east of Morenci, on the Fayette Branch. The entertainment was given in the Baptist Church, for the benefit of the B. Y. P. U. The Baptists have a fine church there. The main audience room is seated with opera chairs, and the rear part of the building contains a Sunday school or chapel room and a parlor up stairs. Rev. Jesse Boswell has been their pastor for some time and is evidently doing a good work there. We feel indebted to the church for their generous patronage, and hope to visit them again at some future time.

The village has a population of about 500, contains a good roller flouring mill and steam mill, a large evaporating factory, a wind mill factory and wire fence establishment. One of Geo. B. Horton's cheese factories is located about a mile east. The Weston wind mill is considered one of the very best in the market to-day. The firm (Vail & Smith) control two very important patents; one by which the mill throws itself in and out of gear and the other is an attachment fixed at the bottom of the water tank which regulates the flow of water and keeps the tank from freezing in winter. Withington & Co. are making a new style of wire fence which is called the Perfection Spring Lock fence. It is a fine looking fence and would seem to be a durable one. The business is yet in its infancy, but has the possibilities of developing into a big concern within a few years.

A portion of the time during our stay we enjoyed the hospitality of J. R. Vine, who occupies a beautiful farm of 120 acres, half a mile east of the village. He is now helping manage the Abbott sugar bush and has his hands full, as it was prime sugar weather last week.

We found a home also at John Cole's. He lives on the old homestead, so long occupied by Uncle Ezra Cole, one of the pioneers of Weston, who settled there sixty years ago and who closed an honorable life only a few weeks since. Mr. Cole has an elegant farm of 140 acres. He keeps a fine herd of milch cows and is one of the regular patrons of the cheese factory. His system of water works would do justice to a city. Underground pipes carry the water to his barns, to the house, to the front lawn and to a fine water tank across the road. His wind mill is one of the Weston make.

W. P. Tolford runs one of the village stores and also a farm west of the village, and hence has his hands full. He has a beautiful home and a model family, where we spent a day most pleasantly.

Porter & Son conduct a general grocery store and also keep a drug stock. They occupy a brick building, the best store in town, and are fixtures in the business community there. The young man, Mr. C. R. Porter, is president of the Young People's Union, and to his efficient management was due in large measure the success of the entertainment.

Minor Tunison and Aaron Hindee are both well known citizens of Weston, whose hospitality we enjoyed for a limited time. Taken altogether our Weston trip was a very successful one.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cincinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chatanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

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POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

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CLUB LIST FOR 1895.

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

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N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
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" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
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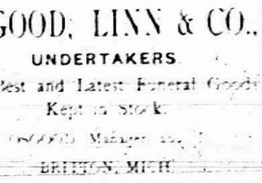

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., April 5.—The Senate on Thursday agreed to the bill providing a general charter for the fifty-three cities of the fourth class. At the solicitation of citizens of Charlevoix county the bill disorganizing Manistee county and attaching the territory to Charlevoix and Leelanaw counties, which passed both houses Wednesday, was recalled from the governor and will be held until the petitioners can be heard.

LANSING, Mich., April 11.—An important measure which was considered in the senate Tuesday was the McLaughlin bill authorizing cities to exempt real estate mortgages and bank deposits from taxation for local purposes. The bill was not disposed of. The senate passed bills amending the law prohibiting the splitting of fees in contested cases by providing that unauthorized compacts to do so shall subject the offender to fine and imprisonment, and providing that wardens of penal and reformatory institutions shall be removed only for cause after a trial by a committee of the senate. The senate agreed to the bill providing a railroad crossing act to supersede that the state railroad crossing board shall hereafter apportion the expense of grade crossings between railroads and municipalities instead of leaving this matter to a jury.

House.

LANSING, Mich., April 5.—The house Thursday passed unanimously a bill prohibiting the attachment of [illegible] per cent. or any other per cent. [illegible] cause to fire insurance companies or the attachment [illegible] policies or the attachment [illegible] of the company's liability. Also the senate age of consent bill placing it at 16 years. In committee of the whole the action of the ways and means committee in cutting the appropriation for the state mining school from $115,000 to $105,000 and that of the state fish commission from $75,000 to $70,000 was indorsed.

LANSING, Mich., April 6.—The house on Friday fixed a special order date for consideration of the senate joint resolution providing an educational qualification for electors. The discussion of this measure is likely to open up the subject of woman suffrage, which it is understood has a majority in the house favorable to its enactment.

The date for taking up the question in the house is April 18. Auditor General Turner reported to the legislature Friday that the liquor dealers of the state during the past year paid licenses aggregating $1,091,228 to the state. This fact will be used in the arguments against the resolution to submit a prohibitory amendment to the constitution to a vote of the people which will come up next week.

LANSING, Mich., April 9.—The house Monday in committee of the whole agreed to the senate use of the Abbott & Myers voting machines in all except school elections in townships and cities. Their introduction however, requires the unanimous consent of township boards and a majority of the council in cities and villages.

LANSING, Mich., April 9.—The house committee on elections [illegible] a unanimous favorable report Tuesday upon a joint resolution [illegible] submitting the question of woman's suffrage to the people at the general election in 1896. The house agreed to the Kelly bill providing for conditional primary elections in [illegible] cities of 10,000 inhabitants [illegible] 30,000. Amendments for a tournament were tabled in the house.

REPUBLICANS MEET.

Fourth Annual Convention of the American Republican College League.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 6.—The spacious auditorium of the Lincoln club was crowded Friday at the opening of the fourth annual convention of the American Republican College league. President Cox delivered his annual address in the morning. In the afternoon Minneapolis was selected as the next place of meeting. L. B. Vaughan, university of Chicago, was chosen president, and F. L. Edenbrough, university of Michigan, secretary. W. D. Williams, Kalamazoo college, was elected representative to the Republican National league. The platform adopted urges restoration of republican supremacy, favors protection on the lines of the McKinley bill, reciprocity, bimetallism and the double standard, enforcement of the Monroe doctrine, annexation of Hawaii and Cuba and construction of the Nicaragua canal.

HIS HEAD CUT OFF.

William Allen Killed and Roscoe Young Injured at Marcellus.

MARCELLUS, April 8.—William Allen, baker, employed by H. L. Loveridge, was decapitated by a Grand Trunk train at the station here at 6 o'clock Sunday night. His brother-in-law, Roscoe Young, was badly injured. They were standing on the main track watching a freight train switching, stepped off to avoid the train, and were struck by the cars sent down on the side track. Allen's death was instantaneous. Young was able to walk home, but complains of internal injuries. Allen's small boy was between them, each holding him by the hand, but he escaped injury.

BICYCLE PATHS.

Benton Harbor Leads the Country in a Public Improvement.

BENTON HARBOR, April 9.—This city will be the first in the United States to build along one of the public streets a path for the exclusive use of bicyclists. Plans are now completed for the project. The path will be 6 feet wide, extending from Sixth street to Morton Hill, a distance of half a mile. Other similar paths will be built along the principal thoroughfares of the city. The cost is borne by private subscription.

Fruit Prospects Bright.

BENTON HARBOR, April 6.—Reports received from the tier of counties comprising the southern Michigan fruit belt indicate a phenomenal peach crop. The crop of 1895 is now assured against danger from extreme cold. The prospects are more encouraging than at any time for five years. Fruit will be gathered this season from fully 100,000 more trees than in 1894.

New Banks.

LANSING, April 6.—The Merchants' savings bank, of Battle Creek, with a capital stock of $50,000, formerly the Merchants' national bank, and the Albion state bank, with a capital stock of $50,000, formerly the Albion exchange bank, have been authorized to do business by the state bank commissioner.

He Went West.

ANN ARBOR, April 6.—Carl Beardsley, son of Charles Beardsley, of Elkhart, Ind., who disappeared mysteriously from the University of Michigan here last fall, is engaged in business in San Francisco, and does not evince any interest in his Alma Mater or any other incident in his school days or home life.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

Much Interesting Information to Be Found in the Paragraphs Below.

James F. McNamar pleaded guilty at St. Joseph to bigamy and was sentenced to three years at Jackson prison.

A number of Finlanders engaged in a drunken brawl at Escanaba and one of their number, John Hilden, was severely slashed with a knife.

Charles Stewart, aged 54, was killed by a passenger locomotive on the Chicago & Northwestern while walking on the track at Menominee.

M. W. Parker, a well-known business man of St. John's, fell from the Burlington train at Aurora, Neb., and fractured his skull. He will die.

William Nichols, accused of the murder of old Michael Ocit near Williamston, was discharged upon examination at Lansing. The murder is still unexplained.

W. D. Riley, the negro desperado who shot Fred Williams at Mason two weeks ago, was arraigned at Lansing. He admitted the shooting and the robbery of the store, but denied that he intended to kill Williams.

The investigation into matters connected with the Michigan school for the deaf and its superintendent by the committee from the legislature has closed at Flint. Arguments in the case will be made at Lansing in the future.

One of the aldermen-elect of Benton Harbor is Samuel Brown, a colored man.

A recent fire in Miller's shingle mill at Reed City burned several buildings and 2,500,000 shingles.

Active preparations are being made to light Imlay City with electricity.

Lumbermen along the Menominee river will this spring receive in wages over $500,000.

The political complexion of Oakland county's new board of supervisors is republican for the first time in thirty-three years.

The town bell at Cass City now rings at 8 p. m., and all children under 16 years of age on the streets after that hour without written consent of their parents will be locked up.

At the recent election voters of Grand Ledge decided to bond the city for an electric light.

Sutter's general store at Lake Linden was damaged by fire $11,000; insured.

The only bank in Freeport has gone out of business.

At the age of 23 years John W. Whiting, son of ex-Congressman Whiting, has been elected mayor of St. Clair. He is probably the youngest mayor in the United States.

The rolls of the Detroit pension agency on March 31 contained 45,301 names.

The Bay City woodenware works, the largest in the world, make 6,800 tubs and 8,500 pails every ten hours.

Five hundred men have resumed their places at the Beckwith stove works, Dowagiac, receiving a satisfactory scale, calling off the strike.

Capt. A. Ford Hursley, a well-known vessel captain, defeated last fall for treasurer of Chippewa county, killed himself at Sault Ste. Marie while despondent.

The work of removing the water from the Franklin Junior, formerly the Peninsula mine, at Houghton, has been completed below the fourth level and mining operations resumed.

Benjamin McCullough was acquitted at Monroe, of the shooting of David Boyse and was immediately arrested for trial in the United States courts to recover damages.

LINDHOLM ACQUITTED.

Jury Finds the Ex-Deputy Secretary of State Not Guilty.

LANSING, April 4.—August W. Lindholm, the deputy secretary of state, who appropriated about $1,500 of the funds of the state, and in the spring of 1894 fled to Sweden, was acquitted in the circuit court here. Lindholm admitted having taken the money, but insisted that he intended to restore it. The jury was out but two hours.

Charged with Asking a Bribe.

DETROIT, April 9.—Thomas Dunn, a juror in a street opening case in the recorder's court, was arrested Monday under the charge of contempt of court. He is suspected of soliciting bribes, affidavits to that effect having been submitted to the court. Dunn retorted by condemning the attorneys and other jurors as being the real boodlers.

Lost Both Legs.

CHARLOTTE, April 6.—Lewis Smith, the 11-year-old son of C. R. Smith, was run over by a freight train Friday morning. Both limbs were cut off, one at the hip, the other just below the ankle. The boy's recovery is not expected.

Young Woman to Make an Address.

ANN ARBOR, April 10.—The senior literary class selected Miss Ann Richards, of Ann Arbor, to make the presentation address on the unveiling on class day of the class memorial bust of President Angell.

Fatally Hurt.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 7.—George G. Robens, who drove Alcryon in the Alcryon-Nelson race in Boston, was thrown from his buggy by the running away of a pair of colts and probably fatally injured.

Killed by a Fall of Rock.

CALUMET, April 5.—Frank Caryntcysz, aged 44, was instantly killed by falling rock in the fifteenth level of the Tamarack mine here. He leaves a large family in destitute circumstances.

Dividend Declared.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9.—The comptroller of the currency has declared a 5 per cent. dividend in favor of the creditors of the insolvent Northern national bank of Big Rapids, Mich.

Fate of a Little Girl.

SHERMAN, April 7.—The 7-year-old daughter of Willis Ramsay, of Grant, was so seriously hurt by a rolling log that she died in about an hour.

EX-STRIKERS MAY EMIGRATE.

Considering a Plan to Form a Colony in Venezuela.

DETROIT, April 9.—It is given out that the 100 families of striking street car men who were left without employment by the failure of the Brooklyn strike have decided to form a colony, and President Mahon, of the national association, is now in the east in consultation with the officers there as to the best place to be selected and the best plan to adopt. It was also said that 1,500 families of blacklisted men of the A. R. U. are willing to join the movement. Leaders have been here in consultation with Count de Mombella. The Americans demand absolute autonomy of their grant. Should the Venezuelan government concede this point, the matter will doubtless be taken up by the National Association of Street Car Men and possibly by the Federation of Labor. It is said by Representative Moore, a prominent labor leader, that there are 500 families in this city eager to join the colony.

TRADE IN DETROIT.

Condition of Business in Many Lines in the Michigan Metropolis.

NEW YORK, April 9.—In response to a circular asking returns showing how far the distribution of goods to final consumers in various branches had varied in March from the distribution last year, or in 1893, a great body of interesting and important information has been received. Detroit reports as follows:

"Trade in dry goods is 10 to 15 per cent. less for March than in 1894 or 1893, in clothing and men's furnishings about 5 per cent. less, in shoes 10 per cent. less than 1894 and 15 per cent. less than in 1893, in jewelry 10 per cent. over last year, in groceries a slight gain over 1894, in millinery about 10 per cent. increase, in woodenware 5 to 10 per cent., in crockery and glassware 10 to 12 per cent., in hardware and household goods about 10 per cent. decrease, and in cheaper furniture about 10 per cent. increase, but in higher grades 10 per cent. decrease."

MUST PAY ALIMONY ANYWAY.

A Michigan Minister in a Peculiar Predicament.

DETROIT, April 9.—A divorce suit with some unique features came up in the Wayne circuit court Monday when Mrs. Lucinda W. Aldrich petitioned the court to cause her husband to pay her alimony during the pendency of his suit against her for divorce. In repiy, Aldrich, who is a Presbyterian minister, stated that he could not afford to pay his wife any alimony, as his church had discharged him for beginning the divorce suit, and the church trustees had further instructed the attorney to conduct the woman's defense, they agreeing to pay all charges. The court decided for the wife.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.

Annual Calendar Gives the Total Number of Students as 2,815.

ANN ARBOR, April 6.—The registration of the university as it will appear in the forthcoming annual calendar is 2,815, the largest of any year. Of this number 1,514 are literary students, 374 medical, 648 law, 77 pharmacy, 185 dental and 17 homeopathic. Of the total number 1,345 are from Michigan and pay $46,850 of the $107,030 fees, and the 1,270 from other states pay $60,388. The senior law class numbers 307 and the senior literary class 211.

A Michigan Man Honored.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 6.—Alfred Noble, of this city, who has been appointed by President Cleveland to be one of the civil engineers to examine the proposed route of the Nicaraguan canal, was born in Livonia, in 1844, and served as a private in the war with the Twenty-fourth Michigan infantry. From 1865 to 1867 he was a clerk in the war department at Washington, and in 1870 entered the University of Michigan. He remained there three years, and graduated as a civil engineer. He was employed as a government engineer on the "Soo" canal, and has been since engaged in important engineering work in several states.

Treasure in an Old House.

NILES, April 7.—Henry Werner, living 7 miles south of this city, near Edwardsburg, while tearing down an old house, found a tin box between the walls containing nearly $500 in gold. The coin looks as if it had been placed there many years ago. About twenty years ago the house was occupied by an old man noted for his miserly tendencies.

New Electric Road.

BELLEVILLE, April 7.—The town board granted a franchise to an electric railroad company on what is known as the Chicago road, through the township of Van Buren. The proposed road is to run from Ann Arbor to Detroit, via Ypsilanti, Wayne, Dearborn, on the gravel road. Eastern capitalists are backing the enterprise.

Killed by a Train.

TRAVERSE CITY, April 7.—J. R. Gowdy, a prominent citizen, was killed on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad Friday morning. He fell between the trucks on the south-bound train and was dragged between the rails 100 feet. His head was smashed and one hand torn off.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 8th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Ezra F. Blood, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Charles H. Blood and L. C. Blood, executors of the last will and testament, duly proved upon, the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration so far incurred have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close said estate and to render their final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of said will, and that they may be discharged and their bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper. It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate. (A True Copy.) A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. In the matter of the estate of Annette Osgood, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 30th day of April, 1895, and on the 25th day of March, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated, April 5, 1895. HENRY C. CONKLING, HORACE WELLER, Commissioners.

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A BROKEN LETTER.

"Is his lordship waiting breakfast, Parkins, or has he already begun?" cried Lady Evesham, rushing like a whirlwind in a riding habit into the great, cool, pillared hall of Evesham house one fair May morning.

"His lordship is not yet down, my lady, but Leon has been with him three-quarters of an hour," answered Parkins.

"Then serve breakfast. His lordship won't be long." And Lady Evesham betook herself to the sunlit, flower decked snuggery where she and her husband always had their first meeting of the day. From there she turned to the breakfast table and ran through her morning's correspondence.

"What a dull post! I wonder if John has got anything better?"

Her white fingers wandered among the pile of letters by her husband's plate.

"From the steward; from Jenks, the trainer; from the lawyers. Three with the city postmark, five from clubs. That one is from Lady Janet Stepney, I know—begging, of course, for her orphans or curates or indigent mothers; that's from Bertie Stanhope—what a niggle he writes—and, oh, this must be what they call a typewritten thing."

Lady Evesham picked from the scattered pile a common square envelope bearing an east end postmark and addressed in type to "The Viscount Evesham, Evesham House, Park Lane."

"How queer it seems that a machine should write all that so straight and neat! I had no idea it looked so tidy and businesslike. I think I'll make John buy me one to write to my dressmaker with. Typewriting looks so awfully fierce." She scrutinized the letters still closer. "This one isn't quite faultless, though. There's something wrong with the capital E. It's got a white spot— Ah, John, at last!"

She dropped the letters among the others and ran to greet her husband, who stooped from his superior height and kissed her lovingly.

A year ago society had called John, Viscount Evesham, aged 45, a fool to saddle his wealth and his freedom with a mere girl as a wife, but his bride had been so sweet, so gracious, so innocently pleased with her new surroundings and so unaffected that at the beginning of this her second season the most cynical had voted the marriage a success and the young viscountess an acquisition.

Lord Evesham adored his wife, yet with that tentative worship, that love tinged with doubt, which must always be where the adorer is speeding swiftly down life's hill and the object of adoration is every day growing more lovely and more desirable.

His first few months of married life, when, a bride, Lady Evesham had won widespread and open admiration, had been torture to him. Even now his self depreciatory doubts were only lulled to slumber by the perfectly blameless conduct of his wife.

"I'm sorry to have kept you waiting, my dear," he began, with old fashioned courtesy, "but the morning was so fine I made sure you would prolong your ride."

"So I might have done, for Mr. Leighton—he has constituted himself my cavaliere servante in the Row—was most amusing, but Kittie Hamer joined us, and it's horrid riding three abreast—one has to shout so. I left them at the top of the Row and"—

"Leighton rides with you, does he?" queried Lord Evesham, looking over the top of his letters.

"Yes, dear, almost always." And then an utterly unaccountable blush came over her until her throat, ears and cheeks were alike bathed in the crimson tide.

"Hum!" said his lordship, while Lady Evesham, furious with herself at the trick her unruly self consciousness had played with her, took refuge in her breakfast. Silence reigned, broken only by the faint tinkle of the silver and china and by the rustle of Lord Evesham's letters.

Suddenly he started, grew pale, then red, looked from his wife to a slip of paper in his hand and back again.

What a strange coincidence!

"Watch your wife!" in typewritten characters, stared from the paper before him. Opposite was the downcast face of his wife—the face which had been but a moment back dyed with a guilty blush at the chance mention of the name of a mere acquaintance.

The next moment he gathered up his letters and left the room. Lady Evesham, too, sprang from her chair.

"Why was I such a fool?" she cried to herself in a tall mirror. "What made me do such a hateful, stupid, underbred thing as to blush like a gawky schoolgirl—and at Rupert Leighton's name, too!—a man who —" She did not speak the words that rose to her lips. Only the faint, coquettish smile—the smile of a woman who is beautiful, who is flattered, who is beloved—dawned again in the misty depths of her eyes.

Before Lord Evesham's eyes and in his ears were ever the words, "Watch your wife!" A younger man, one surer of his hold upon a woman's heart, would have shown her the shameful thing. But he was afraid. He tried to keep the burden of doubt and disbelief to himself, yet Beatrix Evesham guessed at its existence, though she knew neither its origin nor reason. Only she felt that there was no love behind his courtesy, no warmth in his kindness, no faith in his generosity.

"Watch your wife!" Lord Evesham watched, and Lady Evesham knew it.

One night, at Hurlingham, her wounded pride found vent. Rupert Leighton, as ever, was by her side as she strolled to the river's edge, and with the petulance of a spoild child for the first time gave words to her trouble. She was overwrought, and for a few moments she spoke hysterically, incoherently, scarcely reckoning that she had a listener. Then, with a little sob, she dropped her head on her arms and began to cry, as an angry woman will.

"Lady Evesham, what you tell me shocks me terribly! Are you sure"—

"Am I sure? I am dogged at every hour of the day. I am questioned about my movements, then doubted to my face. It is most shameful!"

"It is most cruel," said Leighton slowly. "Pardon the question, but have you given him any cause"—

"Mr. Leighton, how dare you!" flashed from her through the cobalt summer night.

He bowed humbly before he spoke again.

"Then to what do you attribute this change? Has any other woman"—

She shook her head.

Suddenly through the shadows Rupert Leighton's hand stole to Beatrix Evesham's arm, and he drew her so close to him that his breath fanned her hot cheeks.

"Lady Evesham, I have an idea. What if your husband is carrying on an intrigue with a woman? What if he fears discovery and subsequent proceedings and is even now making every effort to trump up a counter charge against you?"

"Ah! Mr. Leighton, how horrible, how cruel to ruin one woman, and that his wife, at the expense of another"—

"Whom he loves," whispered Leighton. "Do you not see, can you not believe that this is the truth—that he is tired of you; that your youth and innocence and beauty are not for him? Ah! Lady Evesham—Beatrix—let me convince you—let me find proof that what I say is true."

"Mr. Leighton, I cannot, dare not, ask you to interfere in this most terrible difficulty. You've been my friend, and I believe you have my happiness and welfare at heart, but"—

"Beatrix!" he murmured hoarsely, "I have no friendship for you. Love and admiration fill me. If I can convince you of the truth of my suspicions, give me yourself."

She slipped from his grasp and fled down the dim pathway.

"Where have you been all this time?" said her husband's voice through the dusk. "The horses have been waiting for half an hour."

"I am ready to go," said Lady Evesham, and looking neither to the right nor to the left she swept before him to her carriage.

Lady Evesham slept little that night. Her shattered faith in her husband's loyalty and trust, Leighton's love, her own unhappiness, jostled in her brain the weary hours through, and it was a very ghost of Lady Evesham who sipped her chocolate next morning and broke the seals of half a dozen letters.

Suddenly the blood rushed to her pale face. A common envelope, bearing a typewritten address, quivered in one hand; a slip of paper was in the other.

"If you would have a proof, be in room 3 at the Imperial cafe today at 4 o'clock."

"No signature, no address," cried Beatrix Evesham. "But the envelope is enough. The E's are broken like those on that other letter which came five weeks ago. Ah! who can be so base, so wicked, as to wish to wantonly destroy the happiness of two lives?"

The big clock over the Imperial cafe had barely struck four when a woman, whose perfect toilet was marred by the singular thickness of her veil, glided into the doorway, and scarcely had the lady disappeared when Lord Evesham passed into the building and followed in the fair one's footsteps.

His lordship moved quickly, but in spite of his efforts only arrived in the corridor in time to hear the sharp click of a closing door, followed by an exclamation in a voice he knew too well.

The sound came from room No. 3. Lord Evesham looked around. Luncheons were over, dinner not yet begun. He was alone, and in another second was pressing his eye to the keyhole.

"You here, Mr. Leighton!"

It was the voice of Lady Evesham, and before her question could be answered she displayed her surprise and disfavor in bitter tones. She continued: "I understand all now.' A light breaks in upon me. It is you—you—a gentleman, a friend, who sent the letter to my husband which has nearly broken his heart and wrecked my life—you who have woven a tissue of lies about me and have spread a net for me today into which my feet have almost strayed. The reason I came here today was to discover the identity of the person, man or woman, who sent those two letters to my husband's house. I find you, whom I believed to be a friend, whom I now know to be a foe." She flung out her hands. "Ah, that I were a man to punish you as you deserve!"

Her prayer for a righteous revenge was answered. The door opened a little space, and the tall, spare form of Lord Evesham slipped into the room.

"John! You here?" cried Lady Evesham, laying her fingers across her mouth to stifle the little scream of joy that rose in her throat.

"Stand aside!" said his lordship. Then, with upraised arm, he advanced on the culprit.

Twice the writhing victim cried for mercy, and twice Lord Evesham muttered, "Coward!"

When at last the heavy walking stick snapped in two, Lord Evesham, without casting one look at what lay at his feet, turned to his wife and led her from the room.

Once outside in the dim silence of the corridor Lady Evesham raised her husband's hands to her lips and kissed them.

"Thank you—thank you a thousand times! But, oh, my dear, why did you not trust me?"

Lord Evesham bowed low before her.

"Dear wife, I cannot regret what I have done today! I shall trust you to the last hour of my life!"

Then her ladyship reeled a little. "John, dear, take me home quickly. It was an awful sight. I feel—rather—faint!"—London World.

The inch was formerly divided into three "barleycorns," these divisions being originally the length of a well dried grain or "corn" of the barley.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning April 14, Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Second Trial.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Job ii. 1-10.

Many persons who remain patient and submissive under disappointment, loss and bereavement lose patience when touched with bodily disease. Job shows his firm reliance upon God and the depth of his piety when under severe physical suffering he makes no complaint. Many Christians seem to lose their hold on God as soon as sickness comes upon them. Yet the presence of the Master is oftentimes revealed in richer grace and fuller spiritual blessings to one while on a sick bed than when busy in active life.

Easter Joy.

The Lord is risen.
Sing, Easter heralds, sing!
He burst the rocky prison.
Wide let the triumph ring!
Tell how the graves are quaking,
The saints their fetters breaking.
Sing, heralds, Jesus lives!

Prayer For Power.

After pardon of sins then comes the need of prayer for power. "Without me," says Christ, "ye can do nothing." Whoever attempts in his own strength to do God's service soon learns his weakness and helplessness. But power is given for service by the Holy Spirit. Consciousness of need and earnest desire for its possession are requisite for its reception. Complete consecration will be followed by the complete indwelling and filling of the Spirit in power. But, once received, it must be used in service; otherwise it vanishes and leaves the soul in weakness and darkness, as before.

Forgotten Pledges.

Every person received into the Methodist Episcopal church has voluntarily pledged in the presence of God and the congregation "to give according to ability to the support of the gospel and the various benevolent enterprises of the church." Many persons do not contribute a cent a year to any of the church benevolences and give very little to the support of the local church. Such callousness or carelessness of soul in this respect indicates a low state of spiritual life until it is difficult to see where such are different from the ordinary sinner except in the matter of profession of piety.

The Sunday School Army.

The Methodist Episcopal church has more than 29,000 Sunday schools and 300,000 teachers and 2,500,000 scholars. What ability is here if properly trained to work for the Master! How easily the debt on the missionary treasury of $175,000 could be lifted if this grand army corps should hear the Easter battlecry and move forward! How many Leagues in the Sunday school could stimulate the zeal of others by a timely word in this direction. Let the children and young people pour their treasure into the treasury of the church, and the children of heathenism will be won to Jesus.

Read Your Bible.

Read it every day. Young Christians especially should never neglect this. If pressed for time, better take it from eating or sleeping than to omit to feed on the word of God. One can get along in the Christian life and grow in grace and in knowledge of God if he lacks many things, but there is no permanent growth of character where the Bible is neglected. Better pass the newspaper by rather than the Scriptures. Find some way to read, study and meditate upon this book, which contains the wisdom of the ages, the promises of God and the hope of salvation.

One Cent a Day.

That is a small sum, yet if we could secure that amount from all the members of the church it would give $10,000,000 per year to help bring in the kingdom of God. Can it not be done? Are any so poor they cannot do as much as that?

Perhaps the collecting of such sums could be conducted on the plan adopted in Bristol, England, which resulted in establishing the Methodist class system. The project is feasible. Shall we undertake it?

Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

This is the title of the young people's society of the Protestant Episcopal church. It began some years since in St. James' church, Chicago. During the past five years its progress has been rapid. It places great emphasis upon spiritual culture of young men. It also cultivates carefully church loyalty.

Missionary Day.

The general missionary committee have requested that presiding elders, pastors and Sunday school superintendents unite in an effort to secure the observance of Easter Sunday as Children's Missionary day, thus connecting the day of the Lord's resurrection with the conquest of the world.

The League and Easter.

The gladdest, grandest of all Christian festivals is Easter day. Everywhere the League should make special observance of the occasion. Deliverance from fear of death through the raising of Jesus Christ from the dead is cause for rejoicing. "He hath begotten us again unto a living hope."

Leagues of New England.

The chapters of the six New England conferences are distributed as follows: East Maine, 72; Maine, 79; New Hampshire, 79; Vermont, 84; New England, 205; New England Southern, 154. The total is 673.

In Madagascar.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

On the thirty-first day of January, 1891 Charles Shaler and Rosa Shaler mortgaged to Henry Smith all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the township of Macon, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: All that part of the southeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said section and running thence north on the east line of said section seventy-four (74) rods; thence west on the south line of land now, or formerly, owned by one Talbot, and on the south line of Linton's land, forty-nine (49) rods to the southwest corner of said Linton's said land; thence north on west line of said Linton's land twenty-six (26) rods to Sherman's land, formerly so called; thence west on south line of said Sherman's land fourteen and two-thirds (14⅔) rods to the southwest corner thereof; thence north on the west line of said Sherman's land sixty (60) rods to the north line of said quarter section; thence west on north line of said quarter section fifty-six (56) rods to Miller's land; thence south on east line of said Miller's said land one hundred and sixty (160) rods to the south line of said section; thence east on the south line of said section one hundred and twenty (120) rods to the place of beginning; containing ninety-two (92) acres of land, more or less. Also, all that part of section twenty-eight (28) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east bounded as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the center line of the Ridge road with the west line of said section; thence southeasterly at right angles with said Ridge road eight (8) rods; thence southwesterly twenty-three (23) rods to the southwest corner of said section; thence north on west line of said section to place of beginning; to secure the payment of four thousand dollars ten years from the date thereof, with interest at seven per cent per annum, payable annually. Which mortgage was, on the 12th day of February, 1891, recorded in the register of deeds' office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 115, of Mortgages, on pages 495, etc., and said mortgage contains a provision that, in case any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof on any day whereon the same is made payable, as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrears for the space of thirty days, then the aforesaid principal sum of four thousand dollars, with all arrearages thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter.

Default having been made in the payment of the interest to the amount of twelve hundred, ninety-five and 29-100 dollars, and the same having remained unpaid and in arrear for more than thirty days, the undersigned mortgagee hereby elects to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of five thousand, two hundred, ninety-five and 29-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys so due and unpaid on said mortgage, and the interest thereon from the date of this notice hereafter to become due, the costs and expense of this foreclosure and sale, and the attorney's fee provided by law, the above described lands and premises will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden,) on the twenty-second day of June, 1895, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Dated March 29, 1895

HENRY SMITH, Mortgagee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. VanWinkle and Julia A. VanWinkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 77, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 19th, 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
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Dated March 19th, 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by P. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 58 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
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Detroit	10 15 "	6 25 "	7 30 "
Toledo	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 35 "

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Toledo	10 05 "	7,50 "	.....
Adrian	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	11 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
Norvell	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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	11 30	L....Allegan....A	1 40		
	11 54	Monteith	1 16		
	A. M. 12 34	Yorkville	12 34		A. M.
A. M. 7 00	1 01	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25	
8 20	2 41	1 21	Marshall	11 36	12 33
9 05	3 25	1 58	Homer	11 06	11 49
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover	10 38	11 09
11 20	10 05	3 05	Addison	10 03	10 18
12 24	10 14	3 12	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 53	10 29	3 25	Onsted	9 40	9 36
..	10 33	3 32	Sand Lake	9 33	*9 26
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh	9 10	8 53
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	4 09	Britton	8 56	8 30
2 49	11 39	4 21	Rea	8 42	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee	8 32	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo....L	7 25	6 00
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*No. 55 -St. Louis Express.....8:25 p m
*No. 57 -Pacific Express.....11:37 p m
*No. 59 Chicago Limited.....3:19 a m

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*No. 56 -Atlantic Express.....8:41 a m
*No. 58 -N. Y. Limited.....6:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express.....7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express.....3:15 p m
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On December 1st the room over Lilley's State Bank was decided upon and fitted up in comfortable style and opened in due time to the public.

Every afternoon and evening from 4 until 10 o'clock this room is warmed and lighted. The tables are supplied with the best newspapers and periodicals, and everybody is welcome. No talking or merriment is allowed and no one is disturbed. An average attendance of thirty people daily shows how well the reading room is appreciated.

The ladies have done nobly in this good work and yet there is a chance for more effective work, if the money was only at hand to do it. To raise more money the ladies have hit upon a novel plan of an elegant supper, served by the bachelors of Tecumseh and called the Bachelors' Banquet, to be held at Armory Hall, Thursday afternoon, April 25. Everybody who is interested in the welfare of the youth of our town should turn out and give the reading room a grand benefit.

The sum of twenty-five cents will be charged for the supper and all other attractions free. The young ladies are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to see the bachelors' efficiency in the domestic department, for leap year is coming and if woman is to step out into the work of the world she will want to know that her husband is able to take charge of the home.

HAPPILY WEDDED.

The following notice taken from the Brooklyn Exponent will be of interest to many of our readers. The groom is one of Raisin's most exemplary young men and his friends will take this occasion to congratulate him. He begins matrimonial life in earnest on his father's farm in Raisin:

A very pretty wedding occured at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Randall, on Wednesday, April 3d, at high-noon when their only daughter, Nora, was married to Mr. Fred Brown, of Tecumseh. Just as the clock struck the hour the bridal party entered the parlors. It consisted of the bride and groom, the best man, Mr. Charles Brown, brother of the groom, and the bridesmaid, Miss Martha Hickman, of Battle Creek, cousin of the bride. Miss Della Palmer presided at the organ and rendered the wedding march while the ceremony was being performed by Rev. Dr. Cook. The bride was prettily and becomingly gowned in dotted mull. More than one hundred guests witnessed the ceremony, including friends from Toledo, Tecumseh, Battle Creek and Jackson. After congratulations a dainty luncheon was served, and the afternoon passed pleasantly until four o'clock when the bride and groom departed amid a shower of rice, old shoes, etc., taking with them to their new home the best wishes of their many friends. Many useful and pretty gifts were bestowed on the bride that will serve to remind her for many years of the love of her girlhood friends.

Unfortunate People.

Are they who are afflicted with pimples, boils, carbuncles, running sores, ulcers, scrofula, cancerous or syphilitic affections, or any blood taint whatsoever, and do not try a 50c. bottle of Foley's Sarsaparilla. Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

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April meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson.

A REMARKABLE SPECTACLE.

The mass-meeting at Cooper Union last week in behalf of legalized Sunday saloons was a remarkable occasion in many respects. To find clergymen using all their influence in behalf of legalized Sunday opening of the gin-mills was remarkable. To find them taking a stand that has called forth expressions of surprise from the liquor-dealers themselves was also remarkable. But the most remarkable thing about it all was the importance of the admissions made by the speakers, and the damaging character of those admissions upon the arguments advanced.

Otto Kempner started it. He was until a short time ago in the liquor business himself, from which fact is due whatever of political success he has achieved. After referring to the "innocent and natural conduct" of selling liquor on Sunday to satisfy the physical necessities" of men—strange that even prize-fighters when they go into training forego this 'physical necessity' —he continued as follows:

Every honest man who is ordinarily scrupulous in observing the duties of citizenship, who is peaceful, patriotic, and law-abiding, has no conscientious scruples about violating this Sunday law. He breaks it wilfully and deliberately, and he sees it broken all around him by men who are honored in the community for their respectability as well as their piety.

This in Admission No. 1. It was enthusiastically applauded. It means that the saloons have no regard for a law, duly enacted, that does not commend itself to them as desirable. Did an anarchist ever break laws for any other reason? This is a frank and open confession that those who are demanding this change in the laws are in rebellion against the government, wilfully and deliberately violating the laws, and threatening to continue to violate them if their demands are not complied with. What right have they even to have their petition listened to under such circumstances? Let them first conform to the laws and cease their rebellion before they undertake to make demands upon the legislature, whose authority they openly boast of defying.

Admission No. 1 was made by Rev. Dr. Rainsford. He said:

"I do not want to encourage drunkenness, not even to encourage moderate drinking. I am a total abstainer myself. Personally, I believe the vast majority of men in every way are healthier and richer and happier for not touching any alcohol. I have tried both plans myself. I was once a moderate drinker. My experience agrees with that of the great majority of those who have tried it. Men are better in every way for not touching liquor at all."

Out of his own mouth Dr. Rainsford stands condemned. If men are healthier, richer, and happier, for not touching alcohol, then the open saloon on Sunday, or any other day, for the avowed purpose of enabling and inducing men to touch alcohol is an institution that makes men less healthy, less rich, and less happy. In striving to realize such an institution, or to extend its facilities, Dr. Rainsford is engaged in the work of destroying the health, wealth, and happiness of the community in which he ministers as a vicar of Christ and is striving to pervert the law into an engine of destruction instead of a shield of protection. What else can one make out of his words? And how can he after such an admission go on to defend the saloon as a 'poor man's club' that gives them "the opportunity for developing their social instincts?"

"Those who have studied this tremendous question of excise legislation are almost unanimously of the opinion that the real root of the matter is private profit in the drink trade. Sooner or later, it seems to me, good citizens, whether they are teetotalers or moderate drinkers, will combine to take a trade that, at least in this country, must always be fraught with great danger to the community, out of the hands of private citizens altogether. Drink makes criminals. Drink increases enormously the expenses of the municipality and the State. And the profit derived from drink, the untold millions of profit made by the brewer, distiller, and saloon-keeper, should not go directly into the treasury of the city and the State."

If the "real root" of the trouble lies in private profit in the drink trade, why should Dr. Rainsford lend his efforts to the increase of that 'private profit?' Every one knows that Sunday is the most profitable day of the week to saloons that keep open that day. Wages are paid Saturday night. Work is generally suspended on that day. The result is that there is in many cases a larger profit in Sunday sales than in those of all the rest of the week. And Dr. Rainsford is striving mightily to increase what he declared to be the 'real root' of the trouble.

O, Ye Blind!

If you could select the pure gold from the dross, the wheat from the chaff, the good from the bad, you would never make the mistake of taking any other remedy than Foley's Sarsaparilla for blood disorders. Trial size, 50c., at Orr & Temple's. apr

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Albert S. Hayden is moving his family here from Milan.

J. H. Green has been drawn a juror in the United States Court at Detroit.

Albert Orr and wife, of Ashley, Ind., made their friends here a short visit this week.

Levi Hayden and sister, Mrs. Ware, were here from Grand Rapids the first of the week.

Vincent Conway made a trip overland to Macon Wednesday and had no guilds either.

Mrs. Horatio Keyser and friend Mrs. Lillie Bently visited Adrian friends over Sunday.

Fred Deuel has so far recovered from his stroke as to be able to sit up and and talk quite well.

Will J. Clark the Wabash agent at Britton was in town a couple of days this week having dental work done.

Mrs. Robert Hastings, after a severe illness of many weeks, is now convalescing and able to be around the house.

Geo. Hanford and family have moved to town and occupy the Levi Stevens house on Kilbuck street, recently vacated by Charles Egan.

Miss Viola Shull is having a serious time with rheumatic fever, but is very patient under her suffering. It is hoped the fever will soon be broken.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Williams of Tipton have the sympathy of their friends in the affliction which by the death of their infant son Donald has come to them.

The ladies of Womans' Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church wish to thank all who so kindly contributed toward their thank-offering, which amounted to nearly $12.00.

Miss Julia Wood arrived Tuesday night for a short visit at home. Some of the We-Nine with their escorts walked down to Suttou's to meet her and they had a jolly time coming up on the train.

Do not fail to call at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's. Her opening closes tomorrow night. You cannot afford to miss it. You will be delighted with the display, therefore avail yourself of the privilege given you.

McCann Bros' have improved the interior of their pleasant store by placing therein two elegant show cases of the latest design, the standards for which were made by the table company and are in oak.

Friday evening, 7:30 p. m. April 19th, two delegates of the Classes of Michigan (of the Reformed church) will address the people in the G. A. R. hall, at Britton. Let all who have interest in the progress of the church, attend.

B. L. Baxter and sister Mrs. Selfridge enjoyed a short visit from a sister and son who have been spending the winter in Cuba, and were on their way from Chicago to their home in New York. They came yesterday and left this morning.

Miss Mary Ann Norcross died this morning at her residence, north-east of town at 6:30 o'clock. She had reached an advanced age and was well known, having lived on the farm many years. Her funeral will be held at the house Monday afternoon.

Subjects for Easter at the Universalist church: a. m. "The Opening Bud." Evening: "The Thief and the Robber." Sunday School exercises at 12 M. Special Easter service at the usual hour, 10:30 a. m. Communion after morning service. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic: Our Help, Psalm cxxi.

The tasty home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Elliott on west Chicago street, was the scene of a very pretty though quiet wedding, last even'g. Mrs. Nancy Neese, a sister of Mrs. Elliott, and Mr. Thomas Boyd, who lives west of town, were by the Rev. C. M. Brown, joined in matrimony. It was a very happy occasion.

May 3d. the young gentlemen will give their tenth annual May Party, the invitations for which are now out. It is needless to say it will be fine, for our young men always do themselves proud and make a success of what they undertake. This will be no exception. Every detail will be attended to and it will be an occasion of rare enjoyment.

G. A. R. Resolutions.

Respects to the memory of our deceased comrade, Silas Aldrich, of Cambridge Mich., who was born in Canada in 1818, and enlisted in Co. H. 16th Wis. Inft. March 1st 1862, and was discharged in July 1862, on account of physical disability. He was mustered into Beers Post No. 140, May 21st. 1886, and died March 22d. 1893, and until his death he was a member in good standing.

Resolved, That, we as an organization, extend fraternal sympathy to the grief stricken members of his family and as comrades we mourn with those who weep over the loss of our comrade, who has responded to the sounding of the bugle to that eternal camping ground.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The several Sunday schools of Palmyra and Raisin townships, will hold a local convention in the Presbyterian church, at Palmyra, on Saturday, April 20th. Below is the program in full.

9:00—Music.
9:20—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. A. J. Steed, Raisin.
10:00—Organization.
Music.
10:30—Paper, Some of the benefits to be derived from township organization.
11:00—Home preparation of the S. S. lesson. Discussion opened by B. L. Laing.
11:30—Review Sunday, Prof. Binford, Raisin Valley Seminary.
12:00—Dinner.
1:30—Music and devotional exercises, and appointment of committees.
2:00—The establishing of Sunday Schools in outlying districts where no church services are held. Rev. Geo. Humphrey.
2:30—Paper, Clara Baker.
3:00—The relation of the Junior Endeavor society to S. S. work. Opened by Blanche Van Fleet.
3:30—Address, Mrs. Dale, Adrian.
4:00—Unfinished business.

Skin and blood diseases, causing all sorts of dire disasters to human happiness are easily and quickly cured by Burdock Blood Bitters, from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore. 1w

Fast Time to the South.

The Mobile & Ohio Railroad has put on a double daily fast train service between St. Louis and the South. This makes the Mobile & Ohio the quickest as it is now the shortest route to Memphis, New Orleans, Mobile, Birmingham, and all Florida winter tourist points. All trains are equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet Drawing Room Sleepers and handsome easy riding day coaches. The Mobile & Ohio has always been popular with the traveling public, and this fast train service will make it still more so.

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If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

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When Henry M. Hall, M.D., late surgeon U. S. A., Department of Tennessee, returned from the war he found a child afflicted with epilepsy. Leading physicians were consulted, without apparent benefit. Noted specialists could give but little if any relief. To rescue his child from a fate worse than death became the object of his life. For several years experiment followed experiment, until at last success crowned his efforts. In 1889 old age and infirmities induced him to impart the knowledge of how to manufacture it, under the agreement that a bottle should be sent free of all charges to any one applying for it, who was afflicted with epilepsy. Since then over 20,000 free bottles have been sent to the afflicted. Experience has proved that it cures Insomnia, St. Vitus' Dance, and all forms of Nervous Affliction. If you want to try this wonderful remedy free of all charge, write, stating your disease as plainly as possible; give your age and post office. Address The Hall Chemical Co., West Philadelphia, Pa.

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This is our Third Spring in Tecumseh, and as we have a large trade it enables us to buy goods in large quantities and get a good assortment in Styles and Prices. You will find in our line all the Latest Styles and all New Goods. We have a large line of

Wool Sweaters and Bicycle Suits.
In Spring Hats we Have the Dunlap Style.
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4 Cans Standard Tomatoes 25
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4 " " Pumpkin 25
3 " " Peas 25
No. 1 Salmon 12½
6 Lbs. No. 1 Crackers 25
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" 3 Crown Raisins 25
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From late experiments it has be it can be done. E. Tindall has agent for the selling of the SPRAYING OUTFITS, the bes proved apparatus for the spraying fruit trees, vines, etc. Manufactu Stahl, of Quincy, Ill., the largest clusive plant for the making of pose, including twenty different the small, cheap hand pump to the machine for large orchards. All brated Vermoral Excelsior Nozzle commended by the Department of all parts of the United States. Th made of brass and copper which ca nor corrode, and are furnished wit hose (or longer, if desired) and nozzle; also an air chamber, whe pressure is obtained so that a co from 50 to 100 pounds on the noz with very ordinary exertion, and the movements of the plunger, fro 50 to 80 feet high. Also, peculi fits, hose are attached by which a the liquid is re-discharged at the reservoir with great force, which k and water well mixed, which is v as not to hurt the foliage. Res gallons, of copper or galvanized nished with these pumps for hand chards or larger uses a second ha tight barrel may be used, on whi can be placed and moved about complete outfits with tank of 60 or more gallons are furnished if desired. C. A. SLAYTON'S warehouse, Tecumseh, Mich., for inspection, further purchase of these outfits.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

W SAND LAKE COTTAGE—For sale, property consists of Carriage, furnished, Ice House filled, Boat and Boat House, etc. M. Wm. HAYDEN.

OUNG, GRAY HORSE.—16 hands high, Good roadster, for sale. WM. HAYDEN. tf

ESS CUTTING.—Ladies wishing to learn one of the best Taylor Systems of dress ting please call at Mrs. H. Stanford's Millry Rooms, over Anderson's dry goods store, day, April 15. Instructions Free for one k beginning April 15th. 1w

OST.—A yellow fox Hound, all she color. A reward of Five Dollars will be given the one returning him to JAMES S. ECCLES, Tecumseh, Mich. 1w

LANTS! PLANTS!!—Six choice varieties of strawberry plants; red and black berry plants. Prices right. Also, a limited ply of the new oat, No. 6. Yield per acre ty-five bushels. Inquire of JOHN SCHREDER, 1 mile north of Tecumseh, or MRS. P. I. SHELDON, Newburgh.

OARD AND ROOMS—By the day or week; also single meals at reasonable rates. At Morse house, first place north of the Mills ck, on Ottawa street. GEO. MATTESON. tf

OR SALE.—A good new milch cow, 5 years old. Also 3 colts, 2, 4 and 5 years old, two them well broken. Any one wanting a barin call on GEORGE OLIVER, 1w Britton.

OR RENT.—House of seven rooms, with usual conveniences, in south-west part of n. Enquire of VINCENT WOOD or R. HARKNESS. 2w

ARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—80 acres of fine wheat or grazing land in res. Fenced with wire and stone posts; n for its head of cattle; good spring of water. ll at a bargain, or will exchange for proy here. C. A. SLAYTON.

AINTING.—M. L. Gillen is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Monague's Novelty Store.

OST—This (Friday) morning, on the streets somewhere, a pair of gold bowed nose lasses with chain and pin attached. Finder lease leave at HERALD office.

OR SALE.—8000 feet of inch dry oak lumber at $7.50 per 1000 feet, if taken at once. A. W. SLAYTON.

OR SALE—Twenty acres of land with valuable timber on it, situated 2½ miles southwest of Tecumseh. For particulars inquire of MRS. J. C. SATTERTHWAITE.

HARDWOOD LUMBER—If you want to sell hardwood lumber or buy pine lumber or shingles try me. I have bought and sold 00,000 feet since Jan. 1st, this year. A. W. SLAYTON.

OR SALE CHEAP.—Two village lots with dwellings thereon and Green house roperty in Brownville. For terms enquire of he undersigned. W. H. SPALDING.

O RENT.—Two houses to rent cheap. Apply at once to A. W. SLAYTON.

OR SALE OR RENT—A house and lot, situated ¼ mile south of the village of Ridgeway, will be sold cheap if taken at once r rented to the right person. For particular inquire of MRS. L. WIGGINS, E. Chicago St., Tecumseh, Mich.

OR RENT.—You can raise from $300 to $400 worth of celery or Onions on an acre of my Celery farm, and it is for rent. tf A. W. SLAYTON.

OR SALE.—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Don't write, but come and see me, two miles west of Tecumsen. JOSEPH E. GRAY. tf Tecumseh, Mich.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 12, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Levi C. Hayden was at home over Sunday.

Bachelor's Banquet at Armory Hall, April 25th.

Mrs. Oscar Palmer is visiting friends in Jackson.

Chet Haines, of Adrian, was in town one day last week.

Mrs. I. N. Hathaway, of Addison, was in town last Friday.

Lieut. Kyle gave Company C a short drill Wednesday evening.

Joe Russell will ship three cars of stock to Buffalo next Saturday.

The tenth annual May party has been fixed for Friday evening, May 3.

The music for the May party will be furnished by the Adrian Mandolin club.

The Baptist Sunday School will give an Easter entertainment next Sunday evening.

Geo. S. Tiffany left Monday for Chicago where he expects to remain about two weeks.

The A. F. C. club were entertained by Captain and Mrs. Chilson Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Camburn and son Willie, of Macon, are the guests of Mrs. S. E. Austin this week.

A. J. Dean, one of the oldest residents of Adrian, died Tuesday morning at his home in that city.

The young gents should make haste to secure their partners for the May party, or they may get left.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers and Mrs. W. B. Keyser of Clinton, were visiting Tecumseh friends last Saturday.

Postmaster Kyle, Dr. Jones, John J. Orr, and Dr. Steinhoff attended commandery meeting at Adrian last Friday.

One of the best farms in the township of Tecumseh can be bought for half its value. Call at this office for particulars.

Next Sunday, April 14th, is Easter.

Hustle in your subscriptions during April.

What does 1.99 mean? Go to Teeple's and see.

Only three weeks more of grace. Pay up in April.

Capt. Chilson took a run down to Toledo Monday.

New advertising is coming in with a rush this week.

Miss Viola Zeluff attended the funeral of an uncle at Toledo this week.

Kennedy & Rogers have something new to tell the public this week.

Miss Julia Brown, of Adrian, was visiting friends in town last week.

Frank Darling and Ben Hines of Onsted, were in town last Saturday afternoon.

Evening services at the various churches will begin at half past seven hereafter.

Miss Florence Kayner, of Adrian, was the guest of Miss Toozy Elliot last Wednesday.

Miss Myra Treat, of Adrian, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. D. L. Whitenack.

Coin's Financial School for sale at this office at twenty-five cents a copy. Call and get one.

Do you want a chance at one of those sewing machines? Then pay up in April and get a receipt.

Alf James and Alva Spayde are both out again, and they are now comparing notes on the grip question.

How to get a copy of Coin's School free—take the HERALD one year's subscription in adva

Alva Spayde has got over the grip and he is now ready for the spring trade. See his announcement elsewhere.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Chapter No. 42. R. A. M., next Wednesday night April 17. All companions are requested to be present.

The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society will hold a sunrise prayer meeting at 6 o'clock, Easter morning, in the chapel of the church.

If you don't believe the bachelors are acquainted with the culinary art, come to their Banquet at Armory Hall, April 25th, and see for yourselves.

Mrs. Lillie Bently, of Eaton Rapids, who has been spending the week with her brother Sam and other relatives and friends, returned home today.

Let everybody who is interested in the work of the Library and Reading Room, come out to the Bachelor's Banquet, at Armory Hall, April 25th.

Miss Bessie Leech, of Dundee, who is visiting at Frank Davidson's this week was in town Monday and with Mrs. S. W. Anderson visited the schools.

M. L. Gillen solicits the patronage of the people of Tecumseh and vicinity for paper hanging and painting of all kinds. Carriage painting a specialty.

Mc Cann Bros. do not believe in hiding their light under a bushel. They swing out a new spring card this week, prepared to get their share of the spring trade.

The Grayson family are preparing to give a concert at the opera house. Tuesday evening April 23d. that will excell all previous entertainments by home talent. Remember it will be one week from next Tuesday evening.

Geo. Washington of Bay City, Deputy Collector of the Income Tax is in town looking up persons and corporations who are liable to the tax. It is safe to say that a few of our well to do citizens should treat this as a matter of business and make reports as required by law not later than the 15th inst.

Last week's issue of the Tecumseh News was the first number of the twelfth volume. Brother Field may not have accumulated a fortune out of his journal, but he has conducted an excellent paper, which has been a credit, both to himself and to Tecumseh. We hope he may run the News many years more and get rich out of it.

J. D. Kinney & Co., have sold their furniture and crockery business to Harry Tansley and his father of Addison. The new firm will be Geo. Tansley & Son. Both have had much experience in the furniture business and will doubtless succeed. Harry will still have charge of the undertaking branch. Here's success to the new firm.

The E. H. Stafford Co., of Muskegon, well known as makers of office furniture, have added to their business a full line of school and church furniture. They are making an exceptionally fine school desk, which has some notable improvements and is destined to become popular. People who wish to buy school or church furniture should write to the firm for particulars.

The Easter services in St. Peter's church will be as follows: Morning prayer, 6:00 (first bell will ring at 5:15); holy communion and sermon, 10:30; Sunday school service with catechising, 4:00 p. m. The general public are cordially welcome at all services. The offertory at Holy Communion will be as in past years, a special one, out of which it is desired to pay for a number of new hymnals lately purchased for congregational use. The Sunday school scholars are requested to bring at the the afternoon service, their Lenten savings in the mite chests. Members of the congregation are asked to send to the church on Saturday afternoon, pot plants and cut flowers for church decorations.

Kennedy & Rogers have a change of ad in to-day's paper.

Get your bicycle replated at the Tecumseh Plating Works.

James Lowry has a new message to give to the people this week.

N. Schmid and John Spafard, of Manchester, were in town the first of the week.

Miss Lynne Daley's new photogallery over Wright's store, is now open for business.

Be present and hear about the captain of Company C at the Grayson family concert, April 23d.

The Tecumseh Plating Works are now prepared to do all kinds of Gold, Silver and Nickle plating.

All kinds of table ware replated at Tecumseh Plating Works, and satisfaction garanteed in work and prices.

Le Ella Shay, of Watkin's Glen, New York, is visiting Minnie Kerr and Jennie Calhoun, in the township of Raisin.

Dora Grayson, assisted by her brothers, will give a choice and varied entertainment at Sutton's opera house, April 23d.

A number of the Sir Knights will attend the Annual meeting of the Commandary of Knight Templars, at Adrian to-night.

Mrs. Ide's committee will serve supper at the M. E. Church, Wednesday, April 17, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock, to which all are invited.

Avery & Co. unfurl their flag to the breeze this week, so to speak; that is, they make their bow to the public in a new spring announcement.

Elias Brown, of Raisin, has moved into the village and will vote in Tecumseh hereafter. This is a good move. He has rented his farm to his son Fred.

Newberry Satterthwaite has treated himself to a new carriage and its a very fine light job from Slayton's repository. Girls, now is your golden opportunity.

John Middlebrook, son of Mrs. Chas. McNeil, left yesterday afternoon for Norwalk, Ohio, where he has accepted a position as stone cutter in the large granite works of that city.

The HERALD and Every Where will be furnished for $1.25. Every Where is a beautiful literary Magazine published by Will Carlton, which is rapidly winning its way to public favor.

Dora Grayson, the efficient teacher of music in the public schools, will, assisted by others, give a charming concert at the opera house, Tuesday evening, April 23d. Give her a rousing benefit.

Mrs. H. W. Stevens of this village and Mrs. Guiwits of Clinton, who are sisters, but not twins, celebrate the anniversary of their birth on the same day, which is rather a remarkable coincidence.

The Evening Telegram is now located in its new home two doors east of the old location. When fully completed and settled, Bro. Grandon will have one of the best equipped printing offices in this section. He deserves it too.

The Raisin Valley Seminary people will erect a two story building for a store house back and across the alley from Satterthwaite Bros' store, they having sold the old building to E. F. Kirchgessner, who will convert it into a barn.

Editor C. F. Field, of Tecumseh, was not successful in his candidacy for county school commissioner, but he will retire from the office having earned lasting honors as a painstaking, easnest and conscientious official. Mr. Field has been untiring and zealous in his efforts to promote the best interests of the public schools of Lenawee and retires from office with the very best wishes of teachers, patrons and pupils in the schools.—Telegram.

The Union Meeting held at the M. E. Church Sunday evening, was composed of, and conducted by the young people's societies of the Presbyterian, Baptist, Friends and Methodist churches. The exercises were very interesting in character and the papers read showed careful preparation. The young peoples' society of each of the four churches appointed one of their number to assist in the services, and the result proved that they selected wisely and well. The services began with the congregation singing a piece led by choir from the Epworth League. Clarence Hurry, President of the Epworth League, conducted the service, Rev. H. A. Smith offered prayer, after another piece of music Bertha Monigan, from the Epworth League, presented a paper, subject, "The Young Christian in Everyday life", which was finely written and effectively read, which was followed by another piece of music. May Taylor, from the Friend's society then gave a paper, subject, Unity in Christian Work Among Young People, which showed a clear understanding of the subject, and was given in a very interesting manner. Music by a number from the League, Edith Ingersoll, from the C. E. society, followed with a paper, subject, The Young Christian in the Weekday Prayer Meeting, which, like those preceeding it, was full of choice thoughts and well read. The Baptist choir then gave an anthem, after which Mabel Wiley, from the B. Y. P. U., read a paper prepared by Helen Fisher, who was unable to be present on account of illness, subject, Personal Work Among Young People. This paper was a gem, and Miss Wiley read it with fine expression, after singing Blest be the Tie that Binds. Rev. James Hageman, of the Friend's church, pronounced the benediction.

To the ladies composing the "Monday Club" the people of Tecumseh are indebted for the delightful entertainment given at the Opera House, Wednesday evening, April 10, when Mr. A. H. Griffith of Detroit gave a talk on Art. The members of the club defrayed all the expense and each member had the privilege of inviting ten friends consequently the Opera House was filled with an exceptionally cultured and appreciative audience. The President of the club Mrs. C. A. Wright introduced the speaker and performed the task in a charming manner. To give a proper synopsis of the talk, one must be a student of the theme, which we are not, consequently we will not attempt it. Mr. Griffith's manner was very easy and pleasing, his voice smooth and melodious and his language simple yet choice and very expressive. He held the audience closely and gave them a clear understanding of what Art was and the elevating and refining influence exerted upon its students. All were sensible that they had enjoyed a rare treat and felt a sense of obligation to the ladies of the Monday Club. One thing done by many of the audience viz., The removal of hats and bonnets, deserve special notice and we take it upon ourself to thank them for their thoughtfulness and independence, and sincerely hope so long at least as large hats are the style, this practice may become general. After the close of the entertainment a reception was given at the home of Mrs. Wright where dainty refreshments were served.

—Painting, graining, paper hanging and kalsomining neatly done at reasonable rates by GEO. MATTESON.

—The finest line of shoes, women's shoes and slippers, ever seen, are exhibited this spring at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

TECUMSEH, MICH.

—A. W. SLAYTON will at once open a shingle yard here, a branch of his Detroit wholesale yard. He will keep all grades of pine and cedar shingles and sell them as cheap as can be afforded.

—Spring is here, and now is the time to clean up. Anything in the line of painting or paper hanging in the latest style of the art I will do at hard times rates. GEO. MATTESON.

—"Look where you're going and keep to the right," applies to choosing and using a good flour. Give Heck's "Old Gold" a trial and you will use no other.

—1895 New Bicycle for sale cheap. F. ROSACRANS.

—If you want an elegant wheel come in and see the Spaulding; high grade in every particular. If you want a lower priced, good wheel, I can give you a bargain, Come and see me. C. A. SLAYTON.

—CARPETS.—

Best all-wool Ingrain Carpets at 50c and 60c.; Roxbury, the best Tapestry Brussels, at 75c a yard; best 5-frame Body Brussels Carpets at $1. A. B. PARK, Adrian.

—When you want the best farm fence in the market, come and see me or send me your order, and I will but it up. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Call at the music store and see the glass mandolin and don't forget to ask for prices if you intend purchasing a piano or organ for cash or easy payments. E. M. COLLER.

—MACKINTOSHES—

Of double texture at $6; of extra quality at $7.50; of Cravenette, silk lined, double cape, at $10. Inverness Mackintoshes $3.75. Special value in Rubber Circulars at 98c. A. B. PARK, Adrian.

—The latest is a glass mandolin at Coller's Music Store.

—None rank so high, none gives less trouble or lighter bread and biscuit than Heck's "Old Gold" flour. Ask your grocer for it.

—BOOK BINDING—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

—We have the best work shoe and plow shoe in Tecumseh at the lowest price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Teeple is doing finer work than ever. He has finer mouldings and a larger assortment of them, with prices within the reach of everyone. Call and be convinced.

—Have you seen those lovely spring and summer dress goods at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

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Respectfully,

H. W. McCLURE.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., APRIL 12, 1895.

Wm. P. Hamilton was over from Detroit Monday.

Bert Tate made a business trip to Tecumseh Tuesday.

Will Wood was in Tecumseh Tuesday, after lumber.

S. W. Demuth made a business trip to Detroit Monday.

Mr. Horace Bartlett suffered a relapse and his condition is very critical.

Tate & Stoner shipped two decks of sheep Monday, the former going with them.

Mrs. Dan H. Davis returned Saturday from a visit with friends at Lansing and Jackson.

Geo. A. Kies made a trip to Chelsea, overland, Monday, with his sample trunks.

George Sturm arrived from Dansville, Ill., Monday, for a two weeks' visit with his people.

Clarence Honley now rides an improved Hartford wheel recently purchased of S. W. Demuth.

Mrs. Minor Strang, after a week's visit with friends, left Monday for her home in Flat Rock.

Mrs. S. Parker is visiting her son, Charles, at Hillsdale. During her absence Frank is staying at Ed's.

Eugene Smalley returned from South Bend, Ind., last week and began weaving in the woolen mill Monday.

Mrs. Met. Conklin and Mrs. Samuel Shutt, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. Frank Wallinger Saturday.

Dan McFall, who formerly lived here but now of Dundee, arrived in town Tuesday for a visit with friends.

Alfred Hulet has moved the Marsteller building on to the foundation on his lot on Jackson street, and moved in.

Ed. A. Clark and family moved back into their own home at the corner of Jackson and Washington streets, Monday.

The Lancaster House is having a great run these days and Henry still rings the bell regularly as no one else can.

Remember the Easter supper at the Town Hall, Tuesday, April 16th, by the Episcopal ladies. It will be a grand lay out.

The Easter services at the Episcopal church will be in the evening as this month the church services are in the evening.

David Goodrich seems to be on the mend again. His color is better, appetite improving and he is gaining strength.

John Mingis and family went to Manchester Monday; he to attend a meeting of the Workingmen's Society and his wife and daughter to visit friends.

Now the old house has been moved off, Straud Marsteller's new house shows off to advantage. He is grading his lot and will have a beautiful place.

Gus Lindquist, who for some time has been in a marble yard at Manistee, O., returned here Monday and resumed his old position with Straud F. Marsteller.

Marsteller has several new hands at work; he has received a large quantity of granite, made several changes in his shop and will rush business from now on.

The contract for Smith & Huntington's new block has been let to Fred C. Sherwood and Robert Redick. Work will begin at once and ere long a fine building will occupy that corner.

There will be an Easter service at St. Dominic's Catholic church Sunday morning at 10:30. The church will be appropriately trimmed and the services of a joyous nature befitting the occasion.

Frank McClure is having contractors making estimates for a building to occupy the ground on, which now stands to be in operation April 15th. his wooden building. We hope he may see his way clear to build right away.

The members of St. John's church choir are preparing special music for Easter Sunday evening. The Sunday school will be held at the usual hour and the scholars are requested to bring their Lenten savings.

The children of the late Mrs. O'Hara wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kind offices and sympathy, and to the Macon choir for their services at the funeral of their mother.

The entertainment given by the Congregational society, at the hall, Wednesday evening, was very interesting. The program was rendered in a pleasing and artistic manner and the audience was large and appreciative. Hope to speak more about it next week.

Will Woodard came home for a visit Monday. The woolen mill at Danville, Ill. is being enlarged, in consequence of which the mill closed for two weeks, so he and George Sturm took advantage of the time for a social time among home friends.

A good many of our people think it strange and hardly consistent for the editor of the Local, who so strongly (in his paper, at least) advocates supporting home industries, to act as agent for a foreign laundry when we have three good ones in our own town.

Ed Gray is now running a laundry in connection with his barber shop at the Lancaster hotel and requests those wishing first class laundry work to leave their orders at the hotel. "He guarantees satisfaction and only" asks the people of Clinton and vicinity to give him a trial.

We regret to announce that Rev. C. M. Stout has resigned his charge here and will return to Lawrenceburg, Ind. Mr. Stout has been a fine pastor and done a good work here. He and his wife have made many warm friends whose best wishes will follow them where ever they may be.

The Baptist society being about to lose their pastor, Rev. Mr. Stout, have extended a call to Rev. C. C. Marshall to serve them, which has been accepted. The society are to be congratulated on securing one with whom they have become so well acquainted, he being a cousin of their retiring pastor and having, during his late absence, conducted the varied duties of the parish they are both, pastor and people, better prepared for the new relations they hold each to the other.

The stockholders of the Clinton Woolen Mill Company held their annual meeting Monday. The reports were satisfactory and all the old officers were re-elected, showing conclusively that all were perfectly satisfied with the manner in which the business of this important and extensive industry had been conducted.

The new Clinton Plow Company are now doing business and Tuesday took off their first melt; in other words, did their first casting. The company have a very complete plant and with the numerous buildings surrounding the main one, that vicinity presents the appearance of a young village. The outlook is promising for a prosperous business.

Frank Schmidt, who has severed his connection with his brother, Chris, moved his family to Adrian Tuesday, where he has accepted a position with a relative. Frank and family will be missed in this community quite generally, and by the Catholic society especially, as both he and his estimable wife have been active workers in the church.

Willie, the 8 year old son of Charles House, although small for his years, recently made a record seldom equaled by a person of his age. His father was splitting wood for W. W. Hess and Willie started in to split Monday morning of vacation week and Friday night he had split five cords, an average of one cord a day. When asked what he was going to do with the money he said, buy shoes and clothes.

Monday night about eleven o'clock Ed. VanDeMark was found to be unconscious by his wife and daughter who were awakened by his labored breathing. Medical aid was summoned at once and for an hour or two his case was extremely critical as he had a severe attack of congestion. Gradually he began to rally and soon regained consciousness and the danger passed. It was a very close call.

The new village council held their first regular meeting Monday evening at which there was a full attendance. The President announced the following committees: Finance—Greenleaf, Lancaster, Huntington; Streets—Huntington, Greenleaf, Woodard; Ordinance—Lancaster, Rowland, Huntington; Building—Woodard, McClure, Greenleaf; Fire—McClure, Woodard, Rowland; Health—Rowland, Lancaster, McClure. Nelson Prentis was appointed Street Commissioner and Wm. Sherwood, Marshal.

Ed A. Clark took a run over to Chicago Saturday to see his father, who was, and still is, quite sick. He returned Monday and reports that a fine hotel will be erected on the corner of Jackson and Chicago streets where some time ago a building was torn down for the purpose of erecting one and then it was deferred indefinitely. This will be welcome news to the entire community who have so long hoped to see that corner built up, and when Mr. Clark does build it will not only be an ornament to the town but to his credit as well.

The millinery opening of Clark & Shimman on Friday and Saturday was an unqualified success. The interior arrangements of the store and the decorations were unique and fine while the display of trimmed and pattern hats was varied and beautiful and the flowers, braids, trimmings, laces etc. were lovely beyond description. Mate and Eva are to be congratulated on the exquisite taste displayed on this occasion and that it was appreciated by the throng of ladies which filled the store both days was demonstrated by the large number of orders they received then and there.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

A. D. Hall was in town Friday.

Leon Hunter teaches in Newburg the spring term.

In some of the sap bushes the pails have been taken up.

Andrew Taylor has opened school in the Bradley district.

George Allen has had an unusually severe attack of asthma.

Lyceum at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's one week from Saturday night.

The cheese factory at Tipton expects to be in operation April 15th.

A little daughter has come to make glad the home of Fred Stoutz and wife.

The students from Ypsilanti are expected home Thursday for a ten day's vacation.

It seems the poor old red clover has got to go, giving place to its foreign sister, Alsike.

Bessie Pentecost is president of the lyceum in the Paragon district, the next meeting will be held at H. Bailey's.

Flames broke out of Frank Marshall's house last week Wednesday p. m., and when Mr. Marshall, who was at work in a distant field, reached it, were beyond control, the flames from the burning building enveloped the well, the only accessible supply of water, and at one time it was feared that the horse barn must also go. It was saved however, as was also a small amount of bedding and clothing.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Farmers in this locality are hustling in their oats this fine weather.

Mrs. Chas. Reynolds was out riding for the first time in many weeks last Friday.

Bert Selleck reported to have come home on a visit. Will stay at home this summer.

The Bonny Cheese factory has now started up and seems to be giving good satisfaction to its patrons.

The dry weather has started people to thinking about having wells, and John Rexford is making one for Percy Hood in the west part of town.

The township election resulted in the election of the republican nominees by following majorities: Supervisor, John Combs, 52; treasurer, Geo. Bennett 33; clerk, Geo. J. A. Cox, 38, highway commissioner, Harvey Dudley, 30; the rest by increased majorities.

Many Rich Men in This Country

made their money buying unimproved land at a small cost and cultivating it, thus securing the benefit of the increase in valuation. Why any one would rather rent a farm for cash rent, or work on shares when they can buy in Central Wisconsin for the low price offered in this paper, we cannot see.

We would advise all who want to improve their chances for making money to write to R 311, 56 Fifth ave., Chicago, for particulars, and join the large number soon to settle in Clark county.

How Editors are Treated in China.

Nineteen hundred editors of a Pekin paper are said to have been beheaded. Some would shudder at such slaughter, who are heedless of the fact that consumption is ready to fasten its fatal hold on themselves. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the efficient remedy for weak lungs, spitting of blood, shortness of breath, asthma, severe coughs, and kindred affections.

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Out in Kansas they are making whisky out of fermented sawdust, and "board bills" are running much higher than usual.

Do These Questions Apply to You?

They are sure to interest hundreds of readers of this paper. Nine out of every ten people are troubled with these symptoms, and really don't know what's the matter with them. Here are the questions:

Are you nervous?
Have you a cough?
Is your throat sore?
Is your appetite poor?
Do you hawk and spit?
Is your nose stopped up?
Is it always full of scabs?
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Is your hearing affected?
Is your tongue frequently coated?
Is your mouth full of slime upon arising?

If you have, you have, or are getting, a bad case of catarrh. One bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure is guaranteed to cure any case of catarrh, and will last for three months' treatment. Ask your druggist for it. He will give you an absolute guarantee. For sale by druggists. Remember, one bottle to cure, and guaranteed by our agents.

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It is reassuring to reflect that our enemy, the King of Spain, has not yet completed his seventh year, and that most of his soldiers are made of tin.

Mrs. Chas. Root, Ceadar Springs, Mich., was told by physicians that they could do nothing for her. After taking two bottles of "Adirenda" she was able to do her own work and ride to town to do her shopping. Sold by Orr & Temple apr

Neal Dow, at 91, is apparently as strong and vigorous as he has been for twenty years. But who could tell what he might be if he would leave rum alone.

I Made $75.00 in a Week.

I have bought several plating machines, but they were either not large enough for some articles or they did not work easy, and I have never made much money until I obtained the Practical Plating Dynamo. This is the electrical machine used in all the great gold and silver plating factories, and does the work every time. No sooner did people hear that I had this electrical dynamo, than I had more spoons, knives, forks and jewelry than I could plate in a month. The first week I cleared $31.50, and the second week I cleared $75.00, and I think by the first of January I will have a thousand dollars in cash and give my farm considerable attention too. The Plating Dynamo is the thing to use, and you can learn to use it in about an hour. Anyone can write to W. P. Harrison & Co., Columbus, Ohio, who make these machines, for circulars. As this is my first lucky streak, I give my experience, hoping others may be benefited as much as I have been. 1w

One of the greatest offences of Americans is the overheating of their houses. It produces all sorts of ills, and the skill of the best doctors is not enough to counteract its evils.

"There is Danger in Delay."

Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y. 1w

The present industrial problem: To give work to the unemployed when there is no work for them.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail."—Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com.—Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

It is very manifest that if one of the candidates for the Presidency were to enter the convention having the restoration of the McKinley bill for his platform, no matter who he might be, he would not be nominated.

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After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never-failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia; especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhœa and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

New York may furnish the ship, but with a Maine and Massachusetts crew New England will have a pretty large share after all in this year's cup defending.

AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 12 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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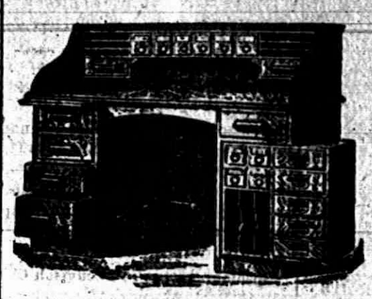

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Emissions "At 15 I learned a bad habit. Had losses for seven years. Tried four doctors. Cured. and nerve tonics by the score, without benefit. I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so, and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."
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Varicocele "Varicocele, the result of early vice, made life miserable. I was weak and nervous. Cured. eyes sunken, bashful in society, hair thin, dreams and losses at night, lack ambition. The "Golden Monitor" opened my eyes. The New Method Treatment of Drs. Kennedy & Kergan cured me in a few weeks." I. L. PETERSON, Ionia, Mich.

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T. E. ALLISON, M. D.

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Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, 148 Shelby Street, Detroit, Mich.

hborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

rs. buy one of those Burch
d by James Haight

in Britton call on Lee Bros.,
uld like to see you.

W. E. Barrett, of Allegan, was
t of Mrs. W. J. Helm Wednes-

review of Hendershot Tent,
M., next Tuesday evening.

atrick wife and daughter Em-
nton, visited W. J. Helm's fam-
nday.

omyn Miller, of Big Rapids, is
her brother, Will Clark and
is week.

Allen, our tonsorial artist,
etroit Wednesday. No doubt
spring styles.

Kniffen went to Detroit Fri-
a new boiler for the tile works
he is interested.

Lee Bros. adv. on another page;
pay as much for your butter
as you can get elsewhere.

ritton and George Exelby have
the appearance of their pleas-
s by laying new walks to the

e poultry netting or wire cloth
doors and windows you need
away from home, as James
s them in all widths and

Welling is turning out some
work at his studio. He has a
containing photos at the foot
n, which attracts attention
sers by.

Brown has bought the Wm.
place and moved there. Wm.
ly having gone into the Exelby
East Chicago street, recently
d by Mrs. Underwood.

eason has arrived when clean-
s and streets are in order and if
will care for his own surround-
illage will be greatly improv-
delight to not only ourselves,
ors from away. Let all attend
nce.

B. Hardy is taking a course of
in hospital work at Emergency
Detroit. He runs in to De-
ry other day. The doctor is
keep pace with the times and
ip himself in all branches of
n profession.

Winchell, of Howell, was assist
e Wabash office four days the
k. Will Clark was in Tecum-
days having dental work done
outside business to look af-
s son George took his place
and Mr. Howell worked nights
ace of George.

posed it was customary at a
l for a person purchasing a box
it, and at the proper time
e contents with the lady fur-
the box. It must be that we are
he times, judging from what
at the last one here; for full par-
ask L. A. Brown or Mrs. Yorke
out.

contemplating moving here to
he grain business when the
is in place and ready for busi-
Excavations are being made
de track which will run to it.
e elevator is moved, it will be
flat cars and moved on Sun-
was expected to occur next
day after tomorrow,) but it is
t all arrangements cannot be
so soon, consequently it will
d one week.

ill be a Sunday school con-
at the Christian church, of
riday of next week, April 19.
mprise the five Sunday schools
nship of Ridgeway, and occu-
ole day. There will be three
s follows: 9:30 a. m., 1:30 p.
. m. The exercises will be
d interesting, consisting of
addresses by pastors, super-
, teachers and others interes-
work. Mr. E. J. Hough and
ckson, will be present and
minent parts. Mrs. H. will
ge of the musical part. The
enerally, are invited to be
and all interested in Sunday
k, whether they live in the
or not. There will be a ques-
prepared. In one sense it will
basket picnic as all are ex-
bring their own provisions.

y they had a great laugh on
DuBois, which will be under-
d fully appreciated by all who
ainted with him and understand
up. He had some hay to bale
t Cone, and as the train was
due would not wait, although
it would soon be due, and
foot. Of course the train pass-
long way this side of Cone.
ed his work there a little be-
time for a train west, but
restless spirit forced him on
oofed it back reaching here
same time as the train. He
it to Holloway and did similar
nishing shortly before train
d he wait for the train? No,
t, and as usual the train pass-
his way home. Still he had
ise of a 15 mile walk, viewed
ry o'er and counted ties in ad-
oing a days work.

l Penny Ante society have
rief and this time they are not
to any sympathy whatever.
ociety or members composing
orget themselves as to meet in
on Sunday, it is high time
d be called down, and that
, no wonder they fled and hid
among the bales of hay
terrupted. Boys remember
is reason in all things and
sement however innocent
ried to an excess when it be-
ful; all appearances indi-
you have reached that point.
part of men, swear off and let
ee as if it had never been and
be well, do not kick longer
e pricks; you will gain noth-
remember "when a woman
will, and when she won't she
know the rest. They are
friends; strive to please them;
on this occasion were in the
have the approbation of all,
reasonable, sensible view of
r and govern yourselves ac-
The time will come, and that
hen you will thank them for
courage they demonstrated
ey were actuated only by a
to you all good.

CHRISTIAN UNITY CONFERENCE.

The Christian Unity Conference held on Monday evening and Tuesday morning, afternoon and evening, proved to be a very fine thing.

The first evening, after the usual opening exercises, the pastor, Rev. E. Mudge, delivered a brief and stirring address of welcome which was heartily responded to by Rev. C. E. Hulbert, of Detroit, and Rev. James Hageman, pastor of Friends' church, Tecumseh. Then followed a logical, biblical and enthusiastic address by Rev. W. H. Skentlebury, pastor of the Congregational church at Dundee, which was a strong plea for the unification of all Christians and the subtraction of denominationalism. Rev. Sajcon, pastor of the M. P. church of Ree, followed, and with great enthusiasm plead for denominational friendliness, representing the various denominations as divisions of one great army.

Tuesday morning these addresses were reviewed and the thought presented that as Christendom was now there was no organization of the universal church and that these denominations were presented as warring factions. Rev. E. Mudge presented an address on Federation from the Bottom, which was a plea for the entire elimination of all denominational bodies and the federation of all local churches, with existing local names, in representative bodies to promote Christianity at home and abroad and labor unitedly for the overthrow of great evils, and civic reform. Rev. F. V. Hawley, in discussing the paper, stated that the plan, at first sight, might seem to suggest a centralization of power and a return to Roman Hierarchy, but when noted that the one was an organization from the bottom while the other was an organization from the top, hence all danger disappeared and many advantages were recognized. Rev. S. Rederus and H. Cansfield were not able to take their part at first, one being called from home and the other sick.

The first address of the afternoon was by Rev. C. E. Hulbert, of Detroit, his subject being, The Church of the Future, their membership, doctrines, principles and policy. The speaker may be regarded as a specialist in the cause of Christian Unity and the only exception taken was to his statement of doctrine for the one great church for which he plead; some thought two-thirds of his proposed statement should be eliminated while others thought the other third should go, Rev. C. F. Bullock holding the view that all who acknowledged Christ as a personal Savior should be entitled to membership. Mr. Bullock followed in a well prepared and well delivered address on what has been done and what can be done for Church Unity. He cited several instances where they of various denominations had been brought together as churches of the neighborhood, and referred to a small town in Washtenaw county where representatives of seven denominations had united in a union church for local work. Then followed an address by Rev. Elmer Andrus, pastor of the Universalist church, of Tecumseh. The subject was apart from the general design of the conference and had a tendency to provoke controversy; only a little ripple was produced but the young brother was kindly treated and no special harm came from the digression.

The climax was reached in the evening; the attendance was large, the singing good, especially that by the ministerial quartette, and the address of Rev. James Hageman was timely, highly spiritual and along the spirit of the occasion. The address of Rev. F. V. Hawley was a masterly effort, rich in thought, beautiful in execution and pervaded by the spirit of Jesus.

The congregation, in a standing vote, expressed their endorsement of the conference; that they had received profit. The view seemed to be that such meetings oft repeated would draw Christian men and women into closer fellowship.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Farmers are very busy sowing oats.

Bessie Barrett visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

Mrs. John Pocklington is on the sick list at present.

The first thunder shower of the season came Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Lowe is quite sick with the grippe, at present.

House-cleaning has begun in some homes in the village.

School began Monday for the spring term with a good attendance.

The rain Sunday was the first in several weeks and was needed very much.

All evening service at the church will begin hereafter at 7:30, until further notice.

S. P. Smith is improving the convenience of his feed barn by building a cistern.

George Hill and wife have moved to Raisin Valley, where they will spend some time.

Mrs. Romine Miller, of Big Rapids, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. S. Houseman, at present.

Rev. Cansfield, wife and children have all been under the doctor's care for the past week.

Mrs. James Pocklington is very sick with inflammatory rheumatism and her suffering is very intense.

Lillian Deraham was called to her home at Palmyra the first of the week, by the sickness of her mother.

Kittie Clark went to Hillsdale the first of the week to attend the wedding as bridesmaid of her cousin, Mattie Wilson.

Rev. James Wright, of Britton, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning for Rev. Cansfield, who is having a tussle with the grip.

Gaius Squires having engaged with Wm. Hayden to team it for the Globe Mills, at Tecumseh, expects to move his family theer this week.

A little after one o'clock Sunday morning N. C. Miller's house with most of the contents was burned to the ground. The origin of the fire is not positively known, but supposed to have caught from the arch where they had had been boiling maple syrup. The house was one among the first built in this section, by uncle Stephen V. Miller, and was built of first-class material in every respect. The loss will reach upwards of two thousand dollars—partially covered by insurance in the Farmers' mutual.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pines Syrup is a perfect cure for coughs and colds of all sorts. 1w

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Tom Florence was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Wildig is on the sick list.

Bessie Mitchel supports a nice new bicycle.

John Lewis erects his new house this spring on his lot.

Wm. Ball occupies the house that Mrs. C. Luce vacated.

Otis Headley and wife visited the county seat Saturday.

Will Gordon goes to Colorado to run a creamery this summer.

C. T. Ratts is hired for another year to run Holloway creamery.

Abbie Ray has returned from Morenci to resume her school work.

May Culbertson, of Ridgeway, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Florence.

House-cleaning is the latest in Holloway, but its rather airy weather yet.

Mrs. Leo McConnell was called to Sand Creek by the illness of her sister.

Aleck Gordon, of Michigan Center, is home visiting his parents for a few days.

School commences Monday, after a vacation, with J. L. Richard's at the helm.

F. G. Florence and wife visited the Eastern Star at Tecumseh Thursday evening.

Fred Kopke is putting a kitchen on his tenant house occupied by Bert Carpenter.

T. J Keenan and wife, of Fairfield, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Winship.

Hazel Keenan returned to her home after a visit with her grand parents for two weeks.

Net Simmons returned to her home in Saline Monday evening, after a lengthy visit with friends.

Mrs. Brown, Holloway's popular Milliner, is now ready to furnish Easter hats to the public.

Operator Holt can now supply the town with water-works from his new well, dug by Jim Ash.

Rev. Stead and wife attend the Presbytery at Reading, Hillsdale county, which convenes for a few days.

Mrs. John Britton, Mrs. Will Britton and Mrs. Ed. Bauchman, of Britton, visited Mrs. L. C. Winship, Wednesday.

The ladies social will meet at the home of Mrs. D. P. Anthony, Thursday, April 18th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Maccabies gave a supper at their hall Thursday evening and initiated two more members to their order and entertained their Palmyra Maccabees.

The entertainment given by the ladies Maccabees was not a success financially, as a fair sized audience assembled to listen to the elocutionist, her selections being quite short. Miss Doty furnished music. Net receipts a little over $7.00.

The ladies social and missionary society of the first Presbyterian church of Raisin, held their annual meeting at the spacious home of Mrs. Allen Kelley. There was a good attendance and the following officers elected:

Vice Pres.—Mrs. Geo. Kishpaugh.
Rec. Sec.—Mrs. James McIntyre.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. L. E. Stead.
Treas.—Miss Chatfield.

MACON MUSIC.

J. W. Howell came home from Ypsilanti last Wednesday.

Election of officers at the M. E. school deferred until April 14th.

Our mail carrier has bid adieu to town life and moved down onto Edwin Howell's place.

Chas. Allen has removed the town clerk's paraphernalia to his home, where he is now ready to do business at the new stand.

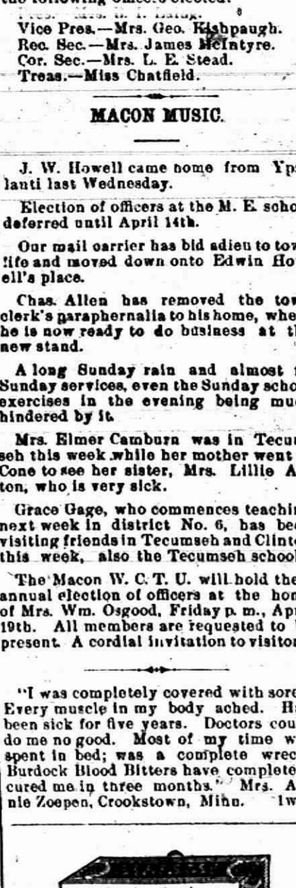
A long Sunday rain and almost no Sunday services, even the Sunday school exercises in the evening being much hindered by it.

Mrs. Elmer Camburn was in Tecumseh this week while her mother went to Cone to see her sister, Mrs. Lillie Auton, who is very sick.

Grace Gage, who commences teaching next week in district No. 6, has been visiting friends in Tecumseh and Clinton this week, also the Tecumseh schools.

The Macon W. C. T. U. will hold their annual election of officers at the home of Mrs. Wm. Osgood, Friday p. m., April 19th. All members are requested to be present. A cordial invitation to visitors.

"I was completely covered with sores. Every muscle in my body ached. Had been sick for five years. Doctors could do me no good. Most of my time was spent in bed; was a complete wreck. Burdock Blood Bitters have completely cured me in three months." Mrs. Annie Zoepen, Crookstown, Minn. 1w



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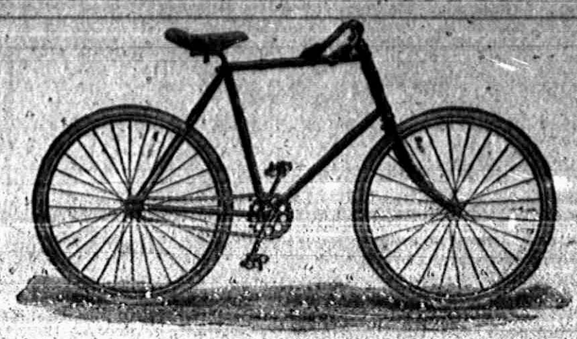

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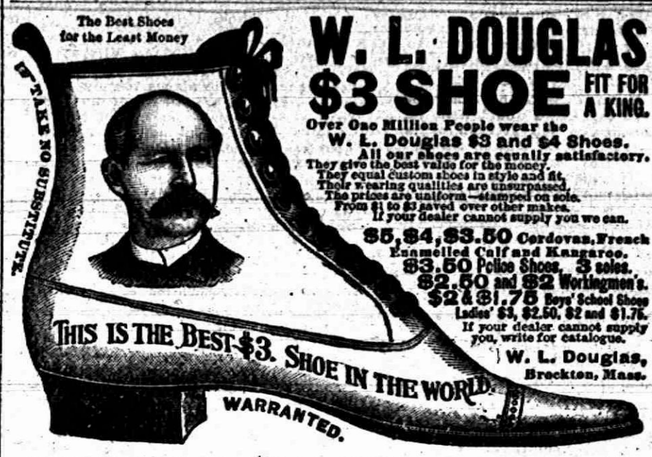

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., Council Room, April 8, 1895.

Present the entire council.

Minutes of last meeting, held Feb. 6., read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Chairman of committee appointed to prepare blank specifications for electric lighting blds, asked that report be defered until later in the evening, granted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Mr. Satterwaite, of the Water Board, reported that board would make an adverse report on the petition of L. M. Kellogg and E. D. Chilson, asking that water mains be extended outside of village limits. Accepted.

Clerk reported that township of Tecumseh had paid $5.00 for use of council building for election purposes.

Sexton's report for month of March presented, showing ten adult and one infant interments during month. $30.00 interment fees and vault rent collected, one lot sold and $45.00 received on sales of lots. Report accepted and ordered filed.

C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, reported that he had sold an old harness belonging to village, for $8.75. Accepted.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills and claims were reported by the Clerk and refered to the Finance committee:

A. Hyde, street commissioner, $12; C. A. Wright, supplies and lumber purchased, $39.31; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for March, $156.40; Geo. W. Knapp, services as Treasurer for 1894, $50; W. J. Ingersoll, supplies, freight and express paid, $6.13; J. H. Shults, assessment rolls and supplies, $10.90; S. C. Stacy, printing stationery, $2.50, Financial report, $7; C. F. Field, printing, $8; Claim of Warren Miller for damages to wagon, harness and for doctor bill for injuries received by being thrown from wagon at corner of Chicago and Ottawa streets, $25.

WATER WORKS.

H. W. Conklin, services as Superintendent Water Works, for 1894, $50, services repairing breaks in water mains, $14.60; A. Park, labor, $11.70, Ross Valve Co., $77.20; Sales Bros., supplies, $20.03 E. F. Kirchgessner, repairing clock, $1.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above, excepting charge of S. C. Stacy for printing Financial report, and recommended that he be paid $5 for same; and that bill of Warren Miller be not allowed. Report accepted and Clerk instructed to draw his orders for said several amounts.

Moved and supported that Clerk secure bids for printing council proceedings and all other printing for the ensuing year. Carried.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh: that the penalty of the liquor dealers' bonds for the coming year be placed at $3,500 with two sureties.

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, that the penalty of the bond of the Village Treasurer for the coming year be place at $8,000 with two sureties.

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh: that the penalty of the Clerk's bond be placed at $500 with two sureties.

Moved and supported, that President appoint a committee of two to prepare and present at next meeting, a resolution setting forth the necessity for and requesting that the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company do erect a suitable and convenient passenger depot at this place. Carried.

Thereupon the President appointed Trustee Hall and Clerk Ingersoll as such committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Committee appointed at last meeting to present to the township board the necessity for building a new bridge over the Raisin River, in Brownville, and to ask assistance from township, reported that matter had been held over until next meeting of township board.

Committee appointed to prepare blank resolution and specifications for electric lighting proposals, submitted the same and after amendments the following was adopted:

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, that proposals for lighting the streets and public places of said Village, be received by the Common Council thereof, according to the following specifications.

SPECIFICATIONS.

Sealed proposals for lighting the streets and public places of the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, with — — — electric arc lamps, of not less than — — — candle power, for a term of — — — years, will be received by the Common Council of said Village, at the office of the Village Clerk, up to — — — — — 1895.

All proposals must be made upon blanks furnished by the Clerk of said Village; enclosed in a sealed envelope and addressed "Village Clerk, Tecumseh, Michigan. Proposals for Electric Lighting" and the name and address of bidder endorsed thereon.

The said Common Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

PROPOSAL NO. 1.

Made by — — — of — — — — — who will contract with the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan, to light the streets and public places therein with — — — electric arc lamps, of not less than — — — candle power; for a term of — — — years; said lamps to be lighted every night, to be lighted at sun set of each day and to be extinguished at 12 o'clock midnight, for the sum of — — — dollars, per month, per lamp.

PROPOSAL NO. 2.

Made by — — — of — — — — — who will contract with the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan, to light the streets and public places therein with — — — electric arc lamps, of not less than — — — candle power for a term of — — — years; said lamps to be operated on moon schedule, to be lighted at sun set of each day and to be extinguished at sun rise of the next, and will also light all lamps on dark, stormy and cloudy nights during that portion of month when moon is, by moon schedule, supposed to be shining, for the sum of — — — dollars per month, per lamp.

PROPOSAL NO. 3.

Made by — — — of — — — — — who will contract with the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan, to light the streets and public places therein with — — — electric arc lamps, of not less than — — — candle power, for a term of — — — — years; said lamps to be lighted every night during year, to be lighted at sun set and extinguished at sun rise of the next, for the sum of — — — per month, per lamp.

Dated at — — this — — day of — — 1895.

Moved and supported that a committee of two, President to be one member thereof, be appointed to visit neighboring towns to investigate electric lighting system. Carried. President appointed Trustee Sattherwaite as other member.

The President then named the following standing committees for ensuing year:

Finance; Wright, Smith, Satterthwaite.

Streets; Hall, Boyd, Smith.

Public Health; Heesen, Wright, Hall.

Fire and Fire Limits; Boyd, Smith, Satterthwaite.

Public Buildings and Grounds; Satterthwaith, Wright, Boyd.

Ordinance; Ingersoll, Wright, Satterthwaite.

Cemetery Board of Trustees; 1 yr. C. A. Wright, 2 yr. H. Heesen, 3 yr. D. T. Hall.

The President presented the following names for the respective offices and recommended that they be appointed thereto: for Marshall, H. W. Stevens; Deputy Marshall, J. H. Aten; Sexton, W. C. Jordan; Street Commissioner, Albert Hyde; Nightwatchman, L. L. Bates; Street lamp lighter, C. Patterson; Board of Review, John D Shull and James A Boyd. By votes of the council all of the above were elected to said several offices.

The following recommendation was presented by the President and adopted:

I would recommend that the Marshall be required to be about the streets on every Saturday and other days when there shall be an unusual crowd in town, such as show days and days of celebration, and he shall remain on duty until 12 o'clock p. m. on such days, and in his absence he shall require the deputy Marshall to perform such services.

The following resolution was introduced; on motion, duly supported, same was adopted.

Whereas, it is rumored about the village that certain citizens have been in the habit of using certain parts of the council building for the purpose of playing games: therefore, be it resolved: That the Marshall be, and hereby is, instructed to prohibit anything of that nature in said council building; and that said council building be used for no other purpose than that of regular council business, except for such other purpose as the council may elect.

On motion, duly supported, the salary of the Village Marshall was placed at the sum of $150 per year, for all services performed by him. Carried.

Moved and supported that chairman of street committee obtain offers for driving Village team for coming year and report same at next meeting. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

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DOMESTIC.

THE city council passed an order forbidding glove contests in Chicago because aldermen were denied free admission.

THE post office at Springfield, Ill., was robbed of about $10,000 worth of stamps.

CAPT. ROBERT ANDREWS, of the schooner Sydney Jones; Washington Andrews, his nephew, and John Phillips (colored) were drowned at Baltimore.

SIX HUNDRED tramps created a reign of terror in the towns of Bivalve and Port Morris, N. J.

"COL." JAMES GILBERT, the giant of Barnum, Forepaugh, and all the other big shows of the country, died in New York, aged 35 years. Gilbert stood 7 feet 6 inches in his stockings and was big in proportion.

AFTER a career of twenty-two years, during which it has become world-famed as a caravansary, the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago closed its doors permanently.

CHARLES GESKA, a young lad convicted of murdering his step-father and afterward burning the body, was sentenced at Elyria, O., to the penitentiary for life.

GOV. STONE issued a proclamation convening the Missouri legislature in extra session April 23.

SPEAKER MEYER, of the Illinois house, ordered the preparation of a bill to extend the principles of civil service reform to the state departments.

THE First national bank at Ravenna, Neb., the heaviest banking institution of that city, closed its doors.

H. C. ST. JOHN, son of ex-Gov. St. John, of Kansas, shot and killed his wife in their home near Oklahoma City, O. T. He claimed the shooting was accidental.

LEADING western stockraisers were considering plans for defeating the dressed beef combine.

MAJ. ANDREW J. HAMILTON, who planned the famous escape from Libby prison, was killed by a boon companion at Reedyville, Ky.

THE annual report of Librarian Spofford of the Congressional library for 1894 shows that 62,762 copyrights were entered, against 58,956 for the year 1893.

A TRAIN on the Rock Island road was held up by bandits near Dover, O. T., and the passengers were robbed of their valuables.

WILLIAM NOLAN, confidential bookkeeper of the Park Avenue hotel in New York, disappeared with $30,000 of the hotel's cash.

REPORTS from the tier of counties comprising the Michigan fruit belt indicate a phenomenal fruit crop this year.

IT is expected by government officials that at least $20,000,000 in income tax will have been collected by June 1, the close of the fiscal year.

THE First national bank of Dublin, [illegible] was closed by the bank examiner.

WILLIAM LAKE was executed by electricity at Auburn, N. Y., for the murder of Emma Louisa Hunt, a fellow servant who had refused his attentions.

AT Coldwater, Miss., Thomas Jones, a sick man, asked for a cup of coffee, whereupon his nurse killed him with a skillet.

THE Southern Pacific Railway company transferred all its property to the Central Trust company of New York, the consideration being $58,000,000.

AN explosion in a saloon in New Orleans killed fifteen persons and others were injured. It was supposed to be a Mafia case.

THE sugar trust issued orders to jobbers to stop selling foreign sugar.

THE Illinois supreme court says that the law authorizing the destruction of gambling implements seized under the authority of a search warrant is constitutional.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 5th aggregated $1,013,717,358, against $888,359,464, the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 8.9.

THE sixty-fifth annual conference of the Mormon churches convened in the tabernacle at Salt Lake City.

A MAN who registered as Frank Robin, South Haven, Mich., and a woman with him, whose name was not known, committed suicide in a hotel at Kalamazoo, Mich.

CARLO ENRICO RITA, of San Francisco, was married to Miss Woolfe, and soon after the ceremony Rita shot and killed his bride and then killed himself.

TRAIN wreckers placed a tie on the east-bound Erie track between Niles and Girard, O., but it was discovered by the engineer of the west-bound train in time to prevent an accident.

THERE were 220 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 5th, against 234 the week previous and 109 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A FREIGHT train was wrecked near Alton, Ill., and Charles Bell, Henry Blitz, Frank Harrison and David Heffley were killed and fourteen other persons were injured.

IT was reported that the supreme court at Washington had decided that all incomes derived from rents were exempted from taxation by the federal government and all incomes derived from state and municipal bonds were similarly exempted. In other respects the income tax law stands as it was passed last August, but Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Field, Gray and Brewer were opposed to the law in toto.

THE schooner Mildred V. Lee, one of the vessels of the Gloucester (Mass.) fishing fleet, with a crew of sixteen men, was lost off Sable island.

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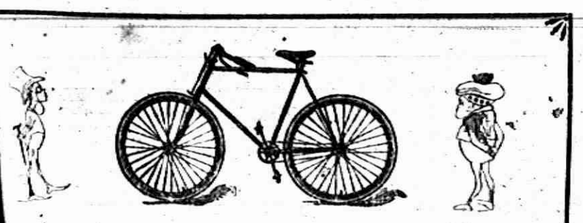

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April meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson.

JEREMIAH AND HIS PA.

They Arrange for a Grand Republican Parade.

(BY TALLIE MORGAN.)

'Say, pa, you are proud that you are a Republican, aren't you?'

'Proud of it? I should say so. I consider no greater honor than to be known as a member of the grand old party.'

'Would you be willing to stand up for your G. O. P. anywhere?

'You can just bet your—I mean most assuredly I would.'

'Would you parade with it?'

'When my presence is needed to give moral tone and dignity to the party, I am always there.'

'Well, pa, we are going to arrange for a Republican parade tonight.'

'Parade tonight, where?'

'Right here on this table,'

'Jeremiah, are you losing your head?'

'Oh, no; you will understand in a minute what I mean. Of course we are only going to arrange for a parade, and we will suppose that it is going to come on to-morrow. Now, pa, in this hat I have,'

'Jeremiah, what smart trick are you up to now? You had better be careful for I am in no mood to stand your nonsense.'

'There is no nonsense in this, pa. You always say that you are a temperance man, against the whisky traffic. You preach redhot sermons against the saloon keepers and their business and pray that the Lord will hasten the day of prohibition. You are also proud of being a Republican and not ashamed of parading the public streets with your party.'

'Well, all of that is true, but what I want to know is what are you getting at.'

'I secured the list of Republican voters of this district, and I have written the name of each voter on a card. Now, the parade is to take place on the sidewalk, all the voters walking two by two, arm in arm. Ma shall draw the cards, and we will arrange them in twos on this table.'

'Well, I declare, that will be interesting. One thing I am certain of, there will be some pretty solid men in line.'

'That's what's the matter, pa. Some of them are so solid that they will weigh 200 or 300 pounds. Now, let the drawing begin'

Mrs. Wimbleton draws a card.

'By George, the first man out is Fitzhelmer, the brewer, 'solid,' two, weighs 265 pounds. Now ma, draw another card.'

Mrs. Wimbleton draws another card.

'Oh! Ha, ha, ha-a-a-ah! His partner is the Rev. Joshua Buckley, D. D., the man who talks so much against the liquor traffic. There they are, arm in arm, at the head of the G. O. P. parade. One for personal liberty and free whisky and the other for prohibition, but both voting the same ticket. Next.'

'See here, Jeremiah, this is is another of your schemes. You have fixed up these cards so as to suit your trick. Pass the hat over this way, I'll do the drawing myself.'

'All right, pa, go ahead.'

The Rev. Elijah Wimbleton draws a card.

'Hello, here's Karnaygee, the wealthy manufacturer and whom nearly all the workingmen hate! Next. Well, by all that's ho—funny, here's Tom Braddock, the labor leader. Tom and the other boys have been living on platform promises for a good many years, and Karnaygee has enjoyed the joke immensely.'

'Jeremiah, I wish you would not pass remarks on every man that is drawn out of this hat, or we will be here all night. Here's the next card.'

'Old Moneybags Blair—gold standard—and here's Free Silver Jackson. How they do fit! Hello, here's Deacon Silversmith, and, by George, here's Slick Keegan, the gambler, for his partner! That's a daisy pair. Next. Jim Jones, the man who keeps the worst dive in town. Two murders in his saloon last year, but his pull with the boys makes him necessary to the Republican bosses, so he has no fear of the law. Wonder who'll be his partner!'

Elder Wimbleton draws another card.

'Hooray, hooray! It's your pa! Hooray, hoo-oo'—

'Here, you young rattlebrain, drop that Indian yell, or I'll thrash the life out of you. Do you think I would parade with Jim Jones—me, a minister of the gospel?'

'Pa, that is a Republican parade, and you agreed to the rules. There's your partner. He votes the same ticket, and does more, 20 times, for the success of the party than you do. He can influence the boys and keep them in line. Jim Jones and his gang are necessary to the success of the party, and for that reason the party managers will obey his will. Pa, your vote goes in with the votes of the gang, and the government counts you in with them every time. Jim Jones talks for license, votes for license and is perfectly consistent in supporting the Republican party. You talk against license, pray for prohibition and vote with Jim Jones. Pa, honestly now, are you consistent? If I were you, pa I would either quit talking and preaching against the liquor traffic or I would quit voting for it. Just keep this parade in mind, pa. Every time you talk for temperance just let your mind wander to Jim Jones, your partner in parade, and it will show you how honest you are in your'—

'Here, here, quit that! Take away your infernal cards and never show your face in this room until you promise not to talk politics. There, no more, go! He's gone, thank the Lord, and I'll have a little rest once more. But, I tell you, that boy is smart. Who but Jeremiah would think of that parade?'

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Having leased my building I will sell, at public auction, on the premises, first door north of Marsh's meat market, on Saturday, April 27, '95, at 2 p. m., the following described property: Two head horses, one bay, 7 years old, wt. 1150; one sorrel, 9 years old, weight 1200; one double harness, nearly new; one Mission grain drill, new; two South Bend plows, No. 10; one double shovel plow; one lumber wagon; one wood rack; one pair bob sleds; one set Howe's platform scales, capacity 1200 pounds; quantity of corn in the ear, and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms: All sums of $5.00 and under, cash; over $5.00, 12 months credit will be given, notes to bear approved security, at 6 per cent interest. No article to leave the premises until settled for.

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The Evolution

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co; only. For sale by all leading druggists. apr

Foley's Sarsaparilla combines the most searching remedies scientifically prepared to extract their utmost value. If you need a spring blood purifier, be sure and take Foley's Sarsaparilla. Trial size, 50c. Orr & Temple. apr

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

THE CHIP.

You may choke me off with quinine,
You may frighten me with squills,
You may try to overcome me
With your tonics and your pills;
But I'm stronger than your doctors,
Though for miles extend their fame;
I'm a little "grip" bacillus—
And I get there just the same.

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Morton—Are you sure that Penman and his wife really love each other?

Dorton—Yes, I am sure of it, for she reads what he writes and he eats what she cooks.

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There, my love, said the young husband, as he placed a large bundle on the table, I have bought you a pair of sleeves.

Oh, you darling, exclaimed the delighted wife. I'm so happy. Anything will do for a dress.

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Mrs. Jones—Charles has an unconquerable spirit.

Mrs. Smith—Indeed.

Mrs. Jones—Yes; he was two hours unlocking the front door early this morning.

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What has Mrs. De Style done with the money her uncle left her?

She did intend to build a house, but I see she has come out with new sleeves in two dresses instead.

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Jones—What is an unknown quantity?

Smith—The change you get for a $2 bill when you are trying to catch an elevated train in a hurry.

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An exchange says: Man oft looks like he is happy—judged outwardly; inwardly he has great griefs, tight boots, corns on both toes, and a boil on the back of his neck. Disappointments and tribulations are around and about us, and, as we journey down this fleeting vale of tears, we are often at a loss to know where to go and borrow a dollar, or get a square meal. The prosaic lingers and abides with us, while the ideal vanishes in the distance., like a dog with a tin can tied to its tail. A man having all to make life happy and enjoyable and having great capacities therefor, but born with a wart on his nose and red hair, becomes misanthropic thereby, and a dweller apart from his fellow man. Even a three-ring circus could not cheer him.

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Billy Barry, the Irish comedian, back in 1862 was office boy for Horace Greely. One day the great editor noticed the boy doing dancing steps behind a door and called him out to interrogate him. Barry's hair stood on end and he thou't it meant instant dismissal.

What do you dance for? asked the great eccentric.

Because I can't help it, ventured the Coquelin of Irish comedy.

Well, I'd like to see you do it right, if you are going to do it, granted Greely, at the same time giving him a card to a teacher of dancing. Go and learn to dance properly he said, and don't let me see any more bow-legged jigs.

This is what started the comedian on his stage career.

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WROTE HIS OWN EPITAPH.

Uncle Ezra Cole, of Weston, whose death was noted a few days ago, frequently wrote sketches of rhyme, and the following was composed and placed on his monument which was erected a number of years ago, as the cemetery is located on the land he first cleared, and may be interesting to the public:

'Way back in eighteen thirty-five, in nature's wilds we come,
Through dark, wild woods we cut our way, to make this farm our home.
Here we have toiled through all these years, here ends our earthly race.
Here this bronze monument will mark our lone, long resting place.
Here these same hands that cleared this farm will moulder back to dust.
Here we shall rise beyond the skies, to God in whom we trust.

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The New South is progressing nicely and appears able to meet all emergencies. Even in the matter of a new form of marriage ceremony a Georgia Justice places his state in the immediate lead. Hear what this Georgia Justice says: By the authority vested in me as an officer of the State of Georgia, sometimes called the Empire State of the South; by the fields of cotton that lie spread out in snowy whiteness around us; by the growl of the coon dog, and the gourd vine, whose clinging tendrils will shade the entrance to your humble dwelling place; by the red and luscious heart of the watermelon, whose sweetness fills the heart with joy; by the heavens and earth, in the presence of these witnesses, I pronounce you man and wife. After all that, the fee should have been in proportion to the language.

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POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$30 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand,	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, on Saturday afternoon, May 4th, 1895, at three o'clock, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00 or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

CLUB LIST FOR 1895

We are prepared to name better club rates this year than ever before on outside publications. With the periodicals named in the following list we have special terms, but we can obtain subscriptions, at reduced rates, for any newspaper or magazine published:

Name of Paper.	Reg. Price.	With the HERALD.
WEEKLIES.		
Detroit Tribune	$ 75	$1 75
Detroit Free Press, 2-a-w	1 00	1 75
Michigan Farmer	1 00	1 75
Ohio Farmer	1 00	2 00
Toledo Blade	1 00	2 00
N. Y. World, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Tribune	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Sun	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Herald	1 00	2 00
Chicago Times	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	2 00
Chicago Tribune	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	2 00
St. Louis Republic, 2-a-w	1 00	2 00
Scientific American	3 00	3 50
Harper's Weekly	4 00	4 50
" Bazaar	4 00	4 50
" Young People	2 00	2 50
Courier-Journal	1 00	2 00
N. Y. Voice	1 00	2 00
The Outlook	3 00	3 75
Philadelphia Times	1 00	1 75
Country Gentleman	2 50	3 00
American Economist	2 00	2 50
Puck	5 00	5 50
Public Opinion	2 50	3 00
National Economist	1 00	2 00
Youth's Companion	1 75	2 75
Frank Leslie's Illustrated	4 00	4 50
Judge	5 00	5 50
N. Y. Home and Country	1 50	2 25
Detroit Journal, semi-w	1 00	1 75
Orange Judd Farmer	1 00	2 00
MONTHLIES.		
North American Review	5 00	5 50
Peterson's	1 00	2 00
Demorest's	2 00	2 50
Godey's	1 00	2 00
American Agriculturist	1 50	2 00
Harper's Magazine	4 00	4 50
The Century	4 00	4 75
St. Nicholas	3 00	3 50
Mag. of American History	4 00	4 50
Scribner's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Lippincott's Magazine	3 00	3 50
Brainard's Musical World	1 50	2 00
The Forum	3 00	3 50
The Arena	5 00	5 50
Ladies' Home Journal	1 00	2 00
American Gardening	1 00	2 00
Cosmopolitan	1 50	2 50

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mecury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., APRIL 19, 1895.

J. Dwight Hause made a trip to Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. W. Freese visited Adrian friends Tuesday.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle has a new Columbia and Art Smith a new Victor.

F. J. Knight spent a few days with home friends the past week.

Fred Roserans came over from Tecumseh on his wheel Tuesday.

Miss Cora Payne, of Adrian, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack.

Sant and Allie Cutting, of Tecumseh, were calling on friends Saturday.

Jennie Nyland and Anna Cutting were up from Tecumseh the last of the week.

Miss Laura Haggert was over from Ann Arbor for a day or two the last of the week.

Clark Bailey has the frame up for his house and when completed he will have a pretty place.

Latest news from Alonzo Clark is that he is improving rapidly and expects soon to return.

Mrs. Fannie Whittlesey is entertaining a cousin, Miss Jessie Ainsworth of Ypsilanti, this week.

Mrs. S. Parker returned the first of the week from her visit with Charles and family, at Hillsdale.

Miss Chapman, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Irve Hause, left for her home in Hanover, Ill., Tuesday.

Mr. Hoverton arrived from Pittsburg, Pa., Tuesday for a visit and is the guest of Miss Carrie Fisher, north of town.

Fred Mills and family now live in Sturms' building on Jackson street, having exchanged with Mr. Birrell's family.

Mrs. Chas. Fisk and daughter, who have been visiting friends here some time, have returned to their home in Detroit.

Miss Grace Corwin is assisting in the postoffice during the absence of Nellie Kishpaugh, who has been and is still quite sick.

Alfred Hulet has his house on the foundation and cleaned up around it. When the house is painted he will have a cosy home.

James Sayres, of Leslie, on his return from a western trip came this way and visited his brother Amos and family over Sunday.

Harry Davis has purchased the house and lot formerly owned by Mrs. Ann Mills, and rented it to Mr. Birrell who now occupies it.

Mrs. Monaghan is greatly improving her home. A wing and an ell is being added to the house, which will make it very convenient.

Nellie and Grace Whittlesey are about as happy young misses as can be found. Their uncle George presented them with a nice Bicycle recently.

[illegible] from New Mexico to-day or tomorrow and intends to remain. This will be welcome news to his old friends and acquaintances.

St. John's Episcopal choir expect to attend St. Peter's church at Tecumseh, Sunday morning and furnish the musical part of the service. Co. C. State troops will be present in a body at this service.

M. F. McClure is moving his building to the vacant lot between Roper's barber shop and Davis' Jewelry store. Sherwood & Redick will have the contract for the new brick he is to have erected.

The Easter supper given at the Town Hall by the Episcopal ladies, Monday evening, was largely attended and very enjoyable. The supper was what is always expected from these ladies, elegant and nicely served, and the receipts were nearly $30.

Mrs. A. W. Stalker is making her first visit here since the family left for Detroit. She came Tuesday and will make her headquarters with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Huntington. She is accompanied by the two youngest children. It seems good to have her among us as of yore, and only regret her stay will be temporary.

Easter day was generally observed by all the religious bodies here. The floral decorations in the M. E., Congregational and Baptist Churches were fine, and the services at 10:30 a. m. appropriate to this great festival. St. Dominic's Catholic church was tastefully decorated and Father Ternes gave a strong sermon. Many Protestants were present. In the evening the union service was at the Congregational church and at the Episcopal Easter service.

Ed. Clark is full of business these days. He is having his barn resided and fixed up generally will make some improvements to his residence and as soon as they begin excavating for the new hotel will use the dirt to fill and grade his home lot. He has removed the fence from around his father's home and is having the lot graded in fine shape which will greatly improve the place. As soon as this is completed they will start in on the hotel corner.

At the annual parish meeting of St. John's Episcopal society Tuesday evening, the following vestrymen were elected: A. B. VanDeMark, Dr. J. E. White, B. F. Thompson, J. L. Kishpaugh, A. F. Kishpaugh, C. F. Clark.

Delegates to the Convention—B. F. Thompson, J. L. Kishpaugh. Alternates, A. F. Kishpaugh, F. D. Lancaster.

The vestrymen elected officers as follows:

Senior Warden—B. F. Thompson.
Junior " —Dr. J. E. White.
Clerk—A. F. Kishpaugh
Treasurer—F. D. Lancaster.

The exercises of the children of St. John's Episcopal Sunday school on Easter day were very pleasant and their Lenten offerings amounted to over $15. In the evening the church was filled to its utmost capacity and many could not be accommodated. The church was beautifully trimmed and the services were joyous and very interesting all through. Mr. Blachford's sermon was listened to with close attention and the music by the choir was of a high order. They rendered an anthem in a manner that delighted every one. The playing of Mr. Judge was fine, and the choir feel that they have in him a great help. It was indeed a glad Easter service.

Mrs. Carrie Reeves is quite ill.

C. M. Fellows was the guest of Rev. C. M. Stout Monday.

Charles Kensler, of Brooklyn, was in town Tuesday.

VanTuyle & Palmer ship hogs tomorrow, Saturday.

E. R. Smith spent the greater part of the week in Detroit.

Henry Camburn, of Macon, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

VanTuyle and Woodard are handling Woodward's plows and attachments.

The improvements at the Congregational church are nearing completion.

The school board are having a new furnace put in for the school building.

Bonnie Glassford was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palmer last week.

There will be a six o'clock service at St. Dominic's church Wednesday morning.

There will be Baptism at the Baptist church Sunday, at the close of morning service.

James B. Hause left Monday for a western trip and is expected home tomorrow night.

Mollie and I and the baby, will entertain all who come to the Hall Wednesday evening, April 24.

The brick work for Van Tuyle and Woodard's block is completed and it shows up well on that corner.

The Baptist Young People's Easter social, Saturday, at the Town Hall, was very pleasant. The receipts were $13.

Wm. Kirchgessner and family, of Deerfield were the guests of Frank Kirchgessher and daughters over Sunday.

Harly Bird has moved his family from Tecumseh and occupies the west half of the Johnston house, on Church street.

Mrs. Ella G. Rose is spending the week in Detroit. She expects to ship her household goods here and will make this her home.

Don't forget the little ones are to give a repetition of their Nurses drill, with a change of program, Wednesday evening, April 24.

C. S. Burroughs made a business trip the first of the week. His wife is poorly and she and Frank were with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster while he was away.

Rev. C. C. Marshal left Thursday last for Kentucky where he will remain until about May 1st., when, with his family, he returns to assume his pastoral duties.

George Logam, special agent for the Deering Harvester, was in town a few days looking the ground over and consulting with their agents, VanTuyle & Woodard.

The Council had a meeting Monday evening and little or no business was done. The matter of licenses was brot up, but nothing settled and the council adjourned.

The K. O. T. M's announce the dates for their play as May 1st. and 2d. The play is called Sweet Briar or The Flower [illegible] of New York. It will be well presented and will please all.

Will Mobbs, C. D. Keyes, B. A. Garlinghouse, Ed Corey, Harry Spalding, Lena Hardenburg and Inez Thorp, of Tecumseh attended St. John's church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Miller, of Manchester, assisted in the musical part of the services at St. Dominic's church Sunday. She was the guest of Patrick Murphy and daughters during her stay.

Two gentlemen came down from Jackson Tuesday to see about starting a drug store. They were very favorably impressed with the town and business outlook, and the probabilities are that they will locate here providing they can secure suitable quarters.

Mr. Warner, of Lansing, State Superintendent of missions, filled the pulpit at the Congregational church, morning and evening, and his addresses were very fine. He is an able and pleasant speaker and held the attention of his hearers. We hope he will come again.

They have been making some important changes at the woolen mill recently. The new building is now occupied for the purpose it was designed, viz: wool sorting, cleansing, etc. The old sorting-room has been transformed into an office for the Superintendent's use; this is connected with every department by speaking tubes which will save Mr. Huntington and assistant Parker many steps. This room will also contain all the pattern looms. We hoped to find time to inspect it for ourselves, but could not, but hope to ere long.

The following is the program of the entertainment to be given at the Hall, by the young people of St. John's church assisted by the Congregational society, Wednesday evening, April 24.

PART FIRST.

Instrumental Duet.
Vocal Solo.
The Bells.
The Blacksmith, Dog and Drummer.
Selection.
Vocal Duet—Two Merry Girls are we.
Vocal Solo—Come Unto Me.
Duet—Mollie and I and the Baby.
Chorus—Blue Bells of Scotland.

PART SECOND.

Nursery Maids drill.
March.
1st. Drill.
Lullaby.
Solo and Chorus—A nursery Maid am I.
Mother Goose Melodies.
Nurses Song—Oh! Baby, You Will Drive Me Wild.
March.
Duet by Colored Nurses, with chorus.
2nd. Drill.
Lullaby.
Instrumental Duet.
Vocal Solo.
Character Song—The Swiss Toy Girl.
Reading.
The Man in the Moon.
Vocal Duet.
Anthem—He Is Risen.

Admission 15cts; children 10cts. Entertainment will commence at 7:30. Tickets at F. D. Lancaster's.

Much can be said for Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, better personally, than in scant space in public print. Call on us to tell you of this great remedy for perfect restoration of man or woman to full bodily vigor. Sold by Orr & Temple. 1w

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FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is on the sick list.

Lyceum Saturday night at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's.

Frank Marshall has moved his family into E. C. Wisher's house.

Lavica Fisher came home from the Ypsilanti Normal, Friday.

Wm. Bradley is preparing to repair his barns this summer.

Patrick Blair has moved into the house belonging to J. S. Allen's heirs.

E. C. Wisner was seized with grip Sunday morning. Dr. Rice is in attendance.

Herbert Munger drove to Ypsilanti Wednesday, returning Thursday with Ella Munger and Carl Wisner.

Blanch Hampton was obliged to leave school on account of ill health, but expects to return to her duties in the Normal at the close of the present vacation.

An incident which occured at the burning of Frank Marshall's house shows what men can do under strong [illegible] of themselves, if they are very strong or well, rescued a 20 gallon crock of pork, which afterward required four stout men to remove to the barn.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our kind friends and neighbors who so kindly aided us at the burning of our home, and especially all those who offered us shelter and sympathy. FRANK MARSHALL.

SPRINGVILLE SPRAYS.

Theo. Stafford has returned from Detroit.

The condition of Mrs. Calvin Daniels does not improve.

Peter Benton is recovering from quite a severe attack of pneumonia.

A. J. Monagin arrived in town Saturday. He will stop over in Brooklyn on his return to Detroit and visit his father, who is reported very low.

Charley Vaughan is home from the University for a short stay. He entertained his young friends Tuesday evening.

The death of Samuel Bridges occurred April 9. The end came quickly at the last, although he had been in failing health for nearly a year. He was born in England in 1816, came to America in 1845, and in 1848 settled on the farm where he resided at the time of his death. He was an excellent man, quiet and unobtrusive, and his memory and virtues will always be cherished by his bereaved children and neighbors. The funeral services were attended in the family residence April, 12th, Rev. Eichbaum of Brooklyn officiating.

"A little farm well tilled,
A little cellar well filled,
A little wife well willed."

What could you wish a man better than that? The last is not the least by any means, but how can a wife be well willed if she be the victim of those distressing maladies that make her life a burden? Let her take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and cure all painful irregularities, [illegible] and ulceration, prolapsus and kindred weaknesses. It is a boon and a blessing to women. Thousands are in the bloom of health through using it, when otherwise they would be under the sod. Are you a sufferer? Use it, or some day we may read—

A little wife self willed,
Rosewood coffin early filled,
Spite of doctor well skilled.

Ovarian, fibroid and other tumors cured without surgery. Book, testimonials and references, mailed securely sealed for 10 cents in stamps. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. 1m

Do These Questions Apply to You?

They are sure to interest hundreds of readers of this paper. Nine out of every ten people are troubled with these symptoms, and really don't know what's the matter with them. Here are the questions:

Are you nervous?
Have you a cough?
Is your throat sore?
Is your appetite poor?
Do you hawk and spit?
Is your nose stopped up?
Is it always full of scabs?
Is your breath offensive?
Is your hearing affected?
Is your tongue frequently coated?
Is your mouth full of slime upon arising?

If you have, you have, or are getting, a bad case of catarrh. One bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure is guaranteed to cure any case of catarrh, and will last for three months' treatment. Ask your druggist for it. He will give you an absolute guarantee. For sale by druggists. Remember, one bottle to cure, and guaranteed by our agents.

H. C. Owens, U. S. Express Agent, Grafton, W. Va., writes the following: Your Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure has no equal as a treatment for catarrh and frontal headache. Tried every medicine on the market, but without any success until I tried yours. Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

IVORY SOAP
IT FLOATS
FORTY MILLION CAKES YEARLY.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Didcovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

Thomas C. Platt seems to have a large assortment of reform mayors on his hands at present.

Mrs. Chas. Root, Cedar Springs, Mich., was told by physicians that they could do nothing for her. After taking two bottles of "Adironda" she was able to do her own work and ride to town to do her shopping. Sold by Orr & Temple apr

There is no question but that Japan, if she really means to civilize China, has gone about it in the right way.

A Valuable Find.

After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia; especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhoea and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

There is a splendid field for the new telephone company, whether it is a reality or a fake.

A BACK BLOW.

The Weapon Small,—but None More Certain or Effective.

In these times when backs are lame, when almost every other one we meet has now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains—"a weak back," "a bad back," a back that makes their life a misery to bear—and still they go on day by day in pain and suffering. Now 'tis the easiest thing in the world to give this played out back "a blow" that will settle it, and put in its place a new one equal to any. It's just like this: hit at the cause; most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up fibres in operation; when this is done you can say good-bye to backache.

Here is a case from Battle Creek: Mr. Josiah M. Shoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. As a member of the force he served the city well, but the rough weather he was often subjected to laid the foundation of kidney disorder, which has troubled him very much. Here is what he says about it:

"About three years ago, while on the police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of trouble. The pain was right through my kidneys and across the small of my back; if sitting down and I wanted to stand up, I had to arise very slowly and gently to avoid increasing the pain; I had such tired-out feelings all the time, and I was steadily getting worse. About two months ago, hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box. Their action and effect was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now get around as quickly as anybody. Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly as represented."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

There are times when the confidential bookkeepr of a bank makes himself altogether too familar with the funds of the institution.

Nobody need have Neuralgia. Get Dr. Miles' Pain Pills from druggists. "One cent a dose."

Did you ever see one of the famous waterproof Interlined Collars or Cuffs? It's very easy to tell, for they are all marked this way

TRADE CELLULOID MARK.

They are the only Interlined Collars and Cuffs, and are made of linen, covered with waterproof "CELLULOID." They'll stand right by you day in and day out, and they are all marked this way

TRADE CELLULOID MARK.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Vern Smith was the guest of Detroit friends over Sunday.

Lee Bros' have a change of add on 4, page—Look at it.

Civil Engineer Phillips, of Ogden, was in town Wednesday.

Another hay suit at Dundee yesterday filled quite a number from here.

George Exelby has been building on his home a kitchen and woodshed.

Will Britton is building quite an addition to his already pleasant home.

Miss Ethel Sweet, of Tecumseh, came down Wednesday for a visit with friends.

Geo. Hawks and wife and son Milton spent Easter Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Rev. E. Modge left Monday for Chicago where he has a son. He expects to be away a week or two.

Mr. VanDeVenter, of Dundee, arrived Tuesday morning and began canvassing for the Standard Dictionary.

Charles Gorham and wife went to Grahall Saturday to spend Easter; they returned home Monday night.

Neil Exelby does not believe in half doing a thing, as a glance at the fine barn he is having built at his home will testify.

Will J. Clark was again in Tecumseh Monday holding down a dental chair. He says he profers station work by a large majority.

The base ball organization have secured the same grounds they used last year and very soon will have things in shape for use.

Carl Lenardson has been confined to the house this week although not to bed. He has been troubled with la grip and malaria.

Lyman Hause is adorning and beautifying his residence by a liberal use of paint. Ezra Sink wields the brush and good work will be well done.

A. J. Helm made a business trip to Tecumseh Wednesday after a little help he needed in consequence of the loss of goods which were ordered.

The K. O. T. M's had another pleasant session Tuesday evening. Bert Hall, of Ridgeway, was the honored guest on this occasion, as he had a ride on the goat.

Justice Beasley officiated at the funeral of Hoagland's colt and proved himself to be an adept that he is thinking of entering opposition to undertakers Osborn & Linn.

Charles Howard and John Comstock, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Ben Fisher, from Saturday until Monday. While they drove over to Tecumseh and called on several friends.

Allen & Hendershot have everything set at the brick and tile works for the new boiler recently purchased of C. Ellington. When it arrives and is set they will begin active operations.

The Aeolian Quartette delighted an audience Friday evening and they and an audience before them. It is the course and the committee entitled to great credit for the fine entertainment presented.

Messrs. Curtis and Wallace Linn, of Britton, have contracted for the stock of goods and although the terms are not yet made out there is no doubt but what they will soon be ready to wait upon their customers.

Hood's meat market a very pleasant room has been partitioned off for the use of Mr. Chauncey Andress a shoemaker who has recently come from Ohio. He comes well recommended and is prepared to do all kinds of repairing. Give him a call.

Our citizens have serious apprehensions that they are soon to lose Rev. E. Stead from our midst and they feel if the news be true, it will be a great loss as he and his estimable wife have gained a strong hold on the affections of all and have done a grand work for the church and society at large.

Mr. Hoagland had the misfortune to lose his high bred colt, Tuesday. His father-in-law put a harness on him, hitched him up and was about to drive off when he reared, fell over backwards, striking his head on the hitching post and in a short time died. A post mortem was made and his skull was found to be crushed. Mont regrets his loss as he was a promising animal.

Last Saturday forenoon Editor Stacy created a sensation among our business men by appearing before them with a dollar bill in his fingers which he had changed. The sight of an old bill with that amount of money in it was something unusual, and on inquiring to find one of them able to tell it was stranger still. They soon fully recovered their equanimity and

dropped into Mrs. E. Sink's millinery emporium Wednesday and was pleased to see so fine a display in one of the size of Britton; it would favorably with a city store. Mrs. Sink understands her business thoroughly and exhibits superior taste in trimming, certainly our ladies need not go away from home for their hats as long as Mrs. Sink is doing business.

Mr. Pilbeam from here and Ralph Hall of Ridgeway, evidently actuated by a spirit of adventure and a desire to see the natives, left rather unceremoniously Sunday night without saying good bye to their friends and left no word has been received from them, the families are very much worried, but being young men and they are able to look out for themselves, and as their conduct is unobjectionable at the least, their parents should not allow it to worry them to any extent.

Lyman Hause had a very narrow escape from serious injury if not death, Monday morning. She was going to the barn on an errand and was crossing the railroad tracks near the station, when the Wabash was rapidly approaching from the east, Mrs. Hause, being deaf, was about crossing the track when Will Clark seeing her danger ran to her but of course she did not hear him and proceeded on her way. As she, about to step on the track John Hall, conductor of the local on the M. C. drew her back and thus saved her from harm. Mrs. Hause did not realize the danger, but those who witnessed it did.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Beautiful springtime is with us.

Chas Bowerman was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. B. I. Laing is calling on friends in Holloway.

Miss Vandercook spent Sunday with Esther Fish.

Dr. J. W. Nixon reports a young son at James Ash's.

Fannie Kelley came down from Adrian to spend Sunday at home.

Will Gordon departed for Colorado on the evening train, Wednesday.

Mrs. Boyd and the Misses Anthony were callers in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Florence and Mrs. Brown were passengers for Maple City Thursday.

Everybody go to the county convention which is held at Tecumseh, April 30th.

Agnes Stitt and Ina Ball came down from Adrian Saturday evening to spend Easter.

Joe Hartman and wife and little Ruth, drove over to Wauseon, Ohio, for a few days visit.

Eva Doty gave a tea at her house to a few of her lady friends Wednesday afternoon.

Jennie Calhoun is entertaining her friend, Miss Shay, of Watkin's Glen, New York.

L. C. Winship went to Adrian Friday evening, to attend the election of officers of Adrian commandery.

The Teacher's Institute convened at Holloway Hall, Saturday, and quite a few teachers were in attendance.

Sam McClure got delayed at Holloway Saturday evening, and had to walk to Adrian, as there was no late train run.

Rev. Stead and wife and Sam Rogers, who attended the Presbytery at Reading, Hillsdale county, returned Thursday evening.

Miss Florance and Jennie Haviland and Venie Derby, of Franklin, attended the institute, and were guests of Carrie E. Winship.

Morgan Florance and son Floyd, started for New York Wednesday afternoon on the Lake Shore, to attend a funeral of a relative and a brother of Mr. Florance Sr.

Sarah Moore, who has been very low with consumption, died at 4 a. m. Saturday, funeral at the church Monday. The friends have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

The C. E. society gives a musical concert by Jackson's orchestra, of Adrian, at Holloway Hall, April 23d; let there be a packed house, for it is to help the church. Everyone is cordially invited. Admission 15 cents.

SARAH MOORE.

At half past four in the morning of Saturday, April 13th, after a long and wasting illness, Sarah, the daughter of Robert and Eliza Moore died, and on the following Monday was buried in the cemetery of the Raisin Presbyterian church. Her funeral was attended by a large company of relatives, who feel her loss deeply; and the church was filled by a congregation of friends who appreciate her Christian character and sympathize with her family.

Sarah Moore was born on October 3d, 1866, in County Antrim, near to the north-eastern coast of Ireland. In childhood and early youth she received a religious training in connection with the Presbyterian church. Her home was within the Killymurris parish, where for over thirty years Rev. John Wilson was pastor. From the beginning of his ministry until his death this good man devoted himself to that church, and in Raisin township there are a number of families who remember his ministrations with great affection. He used to give special attention to the children. Calling at their homes, he would assign psalms for them to memorize, which at later calls they would recite to him. These early influences had a permanent effect upon the character of Sarah Moore. During the twelve weary weeks that the last stage of her illness consumed, she experienced much comfort as she repeated to herself the psalms she had learned in her childhood; also she remembered the Shorter Catechism which she had been taught when she was very young, and her belief in its doctrines made it easy for her to face approaching death without any fear.

Nine years ago, shortly after with parents, brothers and sisters she had removed from Ireland to Michigan, she became a member of the Raisin Presbyterian church, and the many friends whom she gained during those years testify to her amiable and conscientious life. She was an invalid for many months, slowly and in spite of every effort to rescue her from the grasp of consumption she faded away, tenderly cared for till the last in the shelter of her home, surrounded by those who loved her. Gently and patiently she waited as the wearisome days and sleepless nights went by. As her thoughts turned to the home of her girlhood, to the church and pastor, to the school and to the sea-beach, where she used to play, she craved the taste of the dulse, the sea-weed that she would gather from the rocks when at the time of a former illness a summer beside the ocean had restored her strength, and when friends anxious to gratify her, had procured some specimens from our eastern sea board, its salty flavor served the dying girl as a reminder of earthly memories. But these receded, and she looked forward eagerly to the new home that she expected, to health and activity when free from the perishing body, to life with welcoming friends, to the joy of meeting Jesus.

As the sun set on Friday evening she anticipated with pleasure the possibility that she might live till the Easter Day, and when, robed in white and surrounded by flowers her body lay at rest, we felt that all that has been secured by the victory over death which the garden and the open sepulchre symbolize had become hers forever.

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Mrs. Susan Clark is on the sick list at present.

Mrs. Welling, of Tecumseh, spent Friday with Mrs. Houseman.

Mrs. C. F. Coller, of Tecumseh, called on Mrs. John Arner Monday.

Lou Arner went to Detroit Friday for an indefinite stay with friends.

Patrick Curry and Henry Barnes are under the doctor's care at present.

A. J. Terwilliger, of Detroit, was the guest of Emma Miller Sunday and Monday.

Purdy Haight is confined to his bed, having had a bad spell Sunday afternoon.

D. W. Smith and Lawrence Rappleye spent Easter Sunday with friends in Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell left for Boston, Mass. Monday, where they expect to spend some time.

M. M. Florance was called to Pen Yan, N. Y., last week by the death of his brother, Floyd Florance.

Mrs. Floyd Gordon, of Ypsilanti, is spending the present week with her father, Lester Osgood, and family.

The Easter exercises passed off very nicely, the Sunday school missionary collection amounting to nearly $15.

E. M. Coller, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with lady friends here, attending the Easter exercises at the church, in the evening.

N. C. Miller, who lost his house by fire a week ago, has moved into R. S. Housman's house on North street, for the present.

George Cone, of Hudson, spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Montgomery, who are quite poorly.

Mrs. Romine Miller, of Big Rapids, who has been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Houseman, returned to her home the fore part of the week.

The election of officers of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. F. E. Pocklington, on Friday of next week, and a full attendance of the members is desired.

Supervisor Lowe is taking the assessment this week but wait until Treasurer Smith calls for your rent in December and then you will have to put up or shut up.

Frank Winterstein, while returning from Tecumseh Sunday night collided with a buggy when near Frank Davidson's, throwing him out with force enough to dislocate his shoulder, requiring three men to put it in place again. He is doing nicely at present.

The leading article in this month's Sanitarian is entitled "The Need of a National Board of Health," from the pen of C. O. Hiscock. Mr. Hiscock is said to be the first under-graduate of the institution whose manuscript has been given a place in a national magazine. He has our compliments, for his paper is commendable, and a credit to our work.

The above was taken from the Pink and Green, of the 13th. inst., published in the interest of Albion college. We [illegible] the receipt of the number of the Sanitarian containing the article by Mr. Hiscock and have read it with much interest.

Murder Will Out.

Several years ago the rush of emigration was for the western prairie lands, where droughts, hot winds, cyclones and blizzards were plenty. No water; no fuel; low prices for products and high prices for everything a person had to buy. Times have changed and The C. S. Graves-Land Company, R 311, 56 Fifth ave., Chicago, have an advertisement in this paper offering land in central Wisconsin well supplied with fuel and good water and centrally located for all the great markets North, South, East and West, with good school privileges. The best of farm land can be had at from $5 to $10 per acre and on easy terms. 1w

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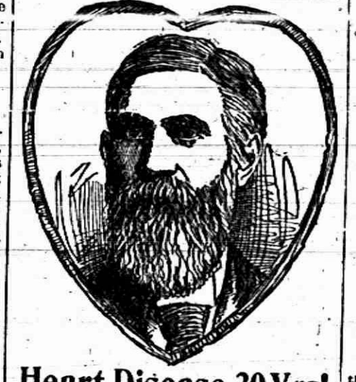

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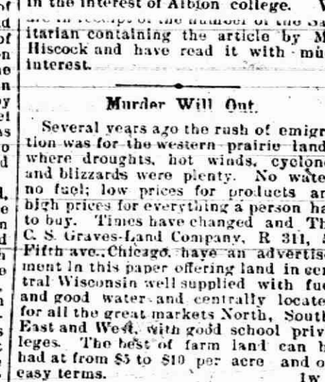

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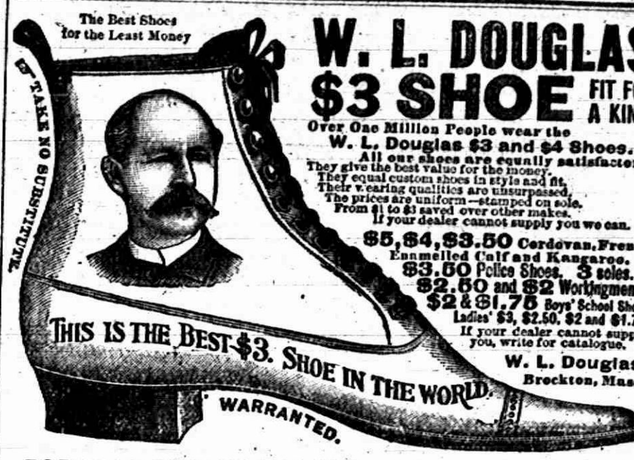

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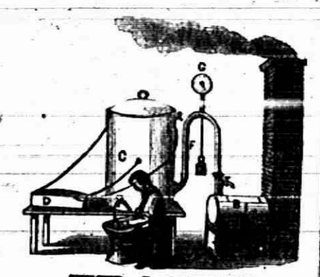

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EASTER DAY SERVICES.

This great festival was appropriately observed by all of our religious bodies. Perhaps more generally this year than ever before. The churches were all tastefully decorated with flowers, some of them quite elaborately. The weather was not as bright and sunshiny as a model Easter Day is expected to be, but it was not uncomfortable and people were out to enjoy the religious services to the ut most.

At St. Peter's church a six o'clock morning service was held, attended by a large congregation. At the regular morning hour another service was held concluding with the holy communion. At four o'clock the Sunday school held a special Easter service, the offeratory amounting to $17.00.

At the Presbyterian church a six o'clock prayer meeting was held. A large congregation was assembled at the morning hour and listened to a fine discourse from Rev. C. M. Brown, and the communion followed.

Rev. H. A. Smith gave a discourse appropriate to the day, in the morning, and in the evening the Sunday school gave a concert which crowded the house.

Rev. J. P. Varner delivered a strong discourse on the resurrection, in the morning, and Easter gifts were distributed among the classes of the Sunday school.

At the Friend's church an Easter sermon was given by the pastor to a large congregation.

At the Universalist church a special Easter service was held at the morning hour, after which the church members partook of the rite of the sacrament.

THE BACHELORS' BANQUET.

"Where there is a will there is a way," always, and when the nine ladies who constitute the board of directors of the Library Association willed there should be a free reading room opened in connection with the library, they left no stone unturned to find a way. Two of them started out among our merchants to see how much money they could raise in monthly pledges of from ten to fifty cents each. In this way a sufficient sum was raised to warrant them in beginning their scheme.

On December 1st the room over Lilley's State Bank was decided upon and fitted up in comfortable style and opened in due time to the public.

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The ladies have done nobly in this good work and yet there is a chance for more effective work, if the money was only at hand to do it. To raise more money the ladies have hit upon a novel plan of an elegant supper, served by the bachelors of Tecumseh and called the Bachelors' Banquet, to be held at Armory Hall, Thursday afternoon, April 25. Everybody who is interested in the welfare of the youth of our town should turn out and give the reading room a grand benefit.

The sum of twenty-five cents will be charged for the supper and all other attractions free. The young ladies are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to see the bachelors' efficiency in the domestic department, for leap year is coming and if woman is to step out into the work of the world she will want to know that her husband is able to take charge of the home.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

John F. Hicks left for the Saginaw Valley the first of the week.

Mrs. W. R. Wooden and daughter Dot. left this morning for their home in Battle Creek.

Ben C. Ellis was called to Hillsdale, Wednesday, his father having met with a serious accident.

Richard Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., was in town yesterday, he was on his way to Ridgeway, his old home.

Rev. E. C. Andres, who has been spending the week with Grand Rapids friends, is expected home tomorrow.

Great preparations are being made for the May Party May 3d and no doubt this will be the party of the season.

Mrs. Flora Montgomery, of Symerton, Ill., arrived Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Howland and other friends.

Mrs. Henry Crane and son Eugene, of Minneapolis, Minn., reached here yesterday and will make an extended visit with friends.

Change in time table on the C. J. & M., yesterday, only change being in the time of train 21 going east. This is now 3:34 p. m. instead of 3:54.

S. P. Haight, the shoemaker at Ridgeway, died this a. m. (Friday). He was the father of James Haight, of Britton, and Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill. Mrs. Cadmus reached there yesterday.

The supper at the Armory Monday evening furnished by the ladies of the Relief Corps was very fine, the members of Company C waited on the tables, furnished dishes, etc. The receipts were divided, after which at G. A. R. Hall was held the social. The members from Macon furnished a delightful program.

The subjects in the Universalist pulpit for next Sunday will be. A. M.: Be not hasty in thy spirit to be angry; for anger resteth in the bosom of fools. Ecc. VII: 9. Eve. How hard is it for those that put their trust in riches to enter into the Kingdom of God. St. Mark X:24. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6 p. m—topic: Our Faith.

Scove Walker has severed his connection with the Tecumseh post office. He has made a very efficient and valuable assistant and his relations with postmaster Kyle have been of the most friendly character. Other business arrangements which he has in contemplation have induced him to resign his position. John Campbell has taken a clerkship in the office and will undoubtedly fill the place to the satisfaction of both the postmaster and the public.

Mrs. G. T. Thurman, the popular colored elocutionist of Jackson, Mich., gave a highly appreciated entertainment at St. Peter's A. M. E. church, December 28. As an elocutionist she has few equals. She has a clear voice, and is natural and graceful in her manners and gestures, and sways her audience at will. Her recitation of the 'Creeds of the Bells' and 'Wreck of River Mouth', was received with hearty applause and her Irish and negro dialect selections cannot be excelled. We predict for her a brilliaut and successful future.—Minneapolis Appeal.

The annual parish meeting of St. Peter's church society was held Monday evening, (Easter Monday.) The following vestry was elected: Wm. Hayden, Dr. C. M. Woodward, Jno. F. Hicks, C. F. Field, W. H. Hayden, W. H. Spalding, Joseph Crosby, Samuel Haight, L. P. Tribou and C. D. Keyes. After which the vestry proceeded to elect officers as follows:

Senior Warden—Wm. Hayden.
Junior " —J. F. Hicks.
Clerk—C. F. Field.
Treasurer—L. P. Tribou.
Collector—Joseph Crosby.

The following were chosen delegates to the convention. C. F. Field and C. D. Kies. Alternates—W. H. Spalding, C. M. Woodward.

Monday afternoon, while Horace Baker was alone in the store, and at the desk, he heard something snaping and crackling, and looking up saw flames at the front end of the store. He found the brooms in the rack on fire. Fortunately he had some water close at hand and soon had the fire out, but not until several brooms were destroyed, and the glass in one end of a show case cracked. Mr. Baker remembers two men being in and one scratching a match to light a cigar and giving the match a toss as they passed out, thinks it must have lodged in one of the brooms with the above result. It was a narrow escape from a serious conflagration.

'The Beautiful Models of Paris,' in the March Cosmopolitan, satisfy a long-felt curiosity in regard to the women who have been posing for the world' famous paintings. The Cosmopolitan has carefully gathered a collection of the most famous of these portraits and used them to illustrate an interesting article by a distinguished French critic, Fr. Thiebault Sisson. Nor does the beauty of the originals fall short of the ideal on the painter's canvas. In the same number is a delightful article about the famed sea-girt isle, for so many centuries a fortress and prison—Mont-Saint-Michel. 'Pearl-Diving and Its Perils,' by an English naval officer, written from personal experiences, is perhaps the most thrilling tale of exploration of the depths ever put on paper. The fiction of this number is usually entertaining.

Thomas C. Platt seems to have a large assortment of reform mayors on his hands at present.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 19, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

A. W. Slayton went to Detroit Monday on business.

A. M. Henry, of Toledo, spent Sunday with Toledo friends.

Coin's Financial school for sale at this office; twenty-five cents a copy.

Easter Day was observed in all the Tecumseh Churches by special exercises.

Angelo Mollica, one of Hazelett's workmen spent Sunday at Windsor, Ontario.

Theodore Schenck, pant maker for Jones, spent Easter with his family, at Detroit.

F. J. Knight, s senior Medic at Ann Arbor, visited his uncle George Howell, M. D., Monday.

Fred and Claude Teachout with their families came over from Brooklyn Monday and returned Tuesday.

George Gilbert came down from Jackson, where he is now living, Saturday and remained over Sunday.

Miss Guesie Burlingame arrived last week from Cadillac and is spending a few days with her Tecumseh acquaintances.

Claude VanTyne came home from the University town Saturday for a brief visit with home friends. He returned Wednesday.

Guy Lombardo, one of Jones coatmakers, spent Sunday at Jackson. They say Jackson holds a great attraction for Guy. He got back Tuesday.

Charley Montgomery starts for Toledo soon to take a position on Capt. Chilson's propeller. The boat is likely to make her first trip in a few days.

Chas. Williamson and Ed. McClure came home from Ypsilanti Saturday. Charlie returned Monday on a new Victor wheels purchased of Satterthwaite Bros., and Ed. followed Tuesday.

Mrs. John Spafard and daughter Mae, of Manchester, were the guests of her brother, C. F. Field and family over Sunday. Mrs. S. assisted the choir at St. Peter's church services Sunday.

P. F. Blosser, of Manchester, who years ago lived here, made his many friends a pleasant visit and attended Easter services at St. Peter's church Sunday. He made the HERALD office a fraternal call. He returned home Monday.

The work of preparation at the Cotton States and International Exposition grounds, is going on rapidly. Over a thousand hands and nearly two hundred teams are at work getting things in shape. The buildings are rapidly going up, and the timbers of the Fine Arts and Electrical buildings are already in position, and will be under roof in a short time. Most of the buildings will be under roof by May 15th, and completed by June 1st. The grading and landscape gardening is being pushed, and the park will soon begin to resemble its completed form.

Our Cambridge letter arrived too late for insertion this week.

Miss Lottie Aten left Saturday to spend a few days with her sister at Deerfield.

Do you want a chance at one of those sewing machines? Then pay up in April and get a receipt.

The case of Ford vs. Cheever is expected to come on in the Supreme Court this week or early next week.

Cleo Hall is getting some fresh air in the Upper Peninsular this week, looking after A. W. Slayton's lumber.

Admission to Grayson Family concert next Tuesday night, 10 and 20cts. Reserved seats on sale at Kirchgessner's.

How to get a copy of Coin's Financial School free—subscribe for the HERALD and pay one years' subscription in advance.

Tom McCann and Frank Bauer drove to Bunker Hill last Sunday for a visit with Tom's ... They returned Wednesday night. They enjoyed the overland trip.

Elliott Gray received a telegram from Don. M. Dickinson yesterday saying arrangements were complete and he left this morning for Detroit, from there they go to St. Clair Flats for a duck shoot.

E. Tindall has taken the agency for the Withington Spring Lock wire fence. This fence gives the best of satisfaction, wherever tried and is destined to have a big sale. Read Mr. Tindall's new card elsewhere.

Dr. E. Hause has just obtained a patent upon an improved thill holder and hold back strap. It is an excellent contrivance and ought to come into general use, and we believe it will yield abundant financial fruit, if diligently cultivated.

Tansley & Son are in the ring already, and intend to secure their share of the spring trade. They announce a special offer for next Saturday and Monday week, April 27 and 29, the particulars of which are fully set forth elsewhere.

The cleaning house process has been completed at Williamson's store and he is now prepared to see all his old friends, to make new ones, and to sell more groceries than ever. He is fully prepared to push business and swings out a new card in today's paper.

Mrs. G. T. Thurman, an elocutionist of Jackson, Mich., has been engaged to assist the Grayson Family in their concert next Tuesday night. Mrs. Thurman is highly spoken of by the press and those who fail to hear her next Tuesday night will miss a rare treat.

Albion, Mich., April 15, 95.

Orr & Temple—Dear Sirs: Have used your preparations for dehorning calves. Have used it on two and it worked like a charm. I think it is the best thing out, and can recommend it to all or any one in need of anything of this sort.
JOHN R. BOYD. Albion, Mich.

Services at the Baptist church next Sunday, April 21., both morning and evening, will be in the interests of Founder's Day. In the evening a special program will be given by the members of the Senior and Junior unions. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

C. D. Avery and wife, of Jackson, drove down Sunday for a little visit with John Orr and family. Chas. left on a business trip Monday night. Tuesday Mrs. A. and Mrs. O. visited Adrian friends. Wednesday Mrs. Avery accompanied by Mrs. Orr and baby, drove to Jackson. John is thus thrown on his own resources for a time.

Miss Dora Grayson is well known in this community as a musician of rare merit, and a superior teacher of vocal music. She has been training her younger brothers in vocalization, all of whom possess the musical talent, and the family will give their first public concert on the 23d. Our citizens can rely upon having a fine entertainment. Let us all turn out and give them a rousing benefit.

At the Lilley House Sunday, landlord Patterson served an elegant dinner. The menu was most complete and placed before the guests in a very unique and tasty manner, viz: On Easter eggs of different hues, which had been drawn, having knots of narrow ribbon at either end. On the surface of each egg the bill of fare was artistically placed with a pen by Mrs. Chas. P. Patterson and were given as souvenir's.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman's Millinery opening Thursday Friday and Saturday of last week surpassed any given by this popular milliner. The rooms were really a work of art, so beautifully were they decorated. The display of trimmed and pattern hats was large and very attractive, as were all the novelties in trimming, etc. The lady and her capable and accomplished assistants may justly feel proud of this Easter opening.

The following clipping taking from Tuesday's Free Press will be of interest to our readers, many of whom are acquainted with the parties named. "A dispatch from Asheville, N. C., announces the death on Sunday of James Moreland, of the firm of Moreland Bros. & Crane, of Adrian. Mr. Moreland was 38 years of age. He leaves a son about 6 years old, his wife's dying legacy. No more popular young business man lived in the city, and his extensive acquaintance, made as a representative of his house, will unite in paying tribute to his memory.

Hustle in your subscriptions during April.

Henry McClure has a change of card this week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Smith were in Toledo Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Miller, of Manchester, was calling on friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Dora Clark came up from Toledo, and enjoyed Easter with her people.

Only two more weeks of grace. Pay your subscription in April and get a receipt.

Special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, F. & A. M. tonight for work in the 3d degree.

Richard Mead, of Raisin, now rides a fine bicycle purchased at Satterthwaite Brothers.

Mrs. J. P. Temple and daughter Clara, of Ridgeway, visited Frank's family yesterday.

Clarence Raynor and Roy Auchampaugh, of Adrian, were ... on friends Monday.

Do you want one of those sewing machines? Then pay up in April and secure your number.

Don't forget that the Bachelors' Banquet is a benefit to the Library and Free Reading room.

Harry Spalding, Ed. Corey, Inez Thorp and Lena Hardenburg attended church in Clinton, Sunday evening.

Leon Clark, Jennie Hause, Ollie Mills, and another young lady of Clinton, attended church here Sunday morning.

The list of drinks on the menu of the Bachelor's Banquet is very extensive, many of them known only in the Orient.

Watch and wait for the Bachelors' Banquet, at the Armory, April 25th. Everybody come and bring all their relation.

Tecumseh Chapter R. A. M. have a special next Wednesday evening for work in the Most Excellent Master degree.

Chas. H. Adam, of O'Neil, Nebraska, arrived Wednesday night. Charles was raised here and well known all through this region.

Tom Owens, Ed. Corey, Dick Anderson, Ed. Kirchgessner and Geo. Tiffany went to Adrian Tuesday to see 'The Girl I left behind me.'

D. J. Lewis will occupy the pulpit at the Friends church next Sabbath, both morning and evening, before leaving for quite an extensive visit in the east.

Dan T. Hall and Al. VanWinkle returned from Flint Wednesday evening. They attended the grand council of Royal Arcanums, held there this week. They were delegates from here.

Frank and Harry Chilson left Wednesday for Toledo, where the boat Marquette is being fitted out. Frank will be first mate and Harry watchman. They expect the boat will be ready to start about May 1st.

Henry Jones now occupies the half of one of his double houses on east Chicago Street, having exchanged with his tenant, Michael Kennan, who wanted a yard for the use of his children. Henry is ever ready to accommodate when possible.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society will be held at the M. E. church parlors, Wednesday afternoon, next, April 24th, at 3 o'clock. As the delegates to the district convention are to be appointed a full attendance is desired.

John Hicks and Will Hayden have been appointed by St. Peter's Society a committee to secure a memorial tablet to the memory of Rev. Josiah Phelps, who by his long rectorship and saintly life and character endeared himself to all. It will be placed in the church.

BRITTON, March 14, 1895.

Messrs. Orr & Temple, Gentlemen: I have used your Texas DeHorner on calves from two weeks to six months old and it worked complete with only one application, and with proper use I can reccommend it highly. Yours truly, WILLIAM BRITTON.

The Bachelors' of Tecumseh are working night and day, getting up their Menu, and they promise such rare delicacies as these: Bachelors' Soup; Roast Whale, Humming Birds stuffed with suspender buckles, Spider's Eyebrows, larded; Mud Pies, etc. In fact, a most elaborate supper for twenty-five cents.

Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will begin a series of ten sermons on the Sacred Mountains: "Mount Ararat, Mount Moriah, Mount Saini, Mount Pisgah, Mount Horeb, Mount Carmel, Mount Zion, Mount Tabor, Mount Calvary, and Mount Olivet." These sermons will be given on successive Sunday evenings.

Remember the entertainment to be given at the Opera House next Tuesday evening, April 23d., by Miss Dora Grayson, assisted by her brothers and Mrs. G. T. Thurman of Jackson, a reader of marked ability. A glance at the program below will show that it will be fine:

PART FIRST.

That simple little song—Chorus.
Alone on the midnight sea—Welling Grayson.
Reading—Mrs. G. T. Thurman.
Love's Answer—Peter Ridgley.
Signal—Dora Grayson.
Watermelon Song—Chorus.

PART II.

O, that we two were maying—Dora Grayson, Peter Ridgley.
Reading—Mrs. Thurman.
She was a daisy—Welling Grayson.
The sweetest story ever told—Dora Grayson.
Reading—Mrs. Thurman.
The Irish christening—Chorus.
Creole love song.
The Captain of Company C—Chorus.

Violetta, sister of Eugene Camburn, was horribly burned at her home in Tipton this morning. There are no hopes of her recovery, her entire clothing was burned from her body.

Co C. will attend St. Peter's church next Sunday morning in a body. The Episcopal choir of Clinton, which is said to be a very superior one, will furnish the music on this occasion, and the services throughout will doubtless be very interesting.

Teachers' Examination.

A special teachers' examination will be held at the East Side school building, Blissfield, on Friday and Saturday, April 26th and 27th, beginning Friday morning at 6 o'clock. Candidates will please bring pens, ink and legal cap paper. C. F. FIELD, School Commissioner.

—Mesdames Skinner & Knapp, of Adrian, will have a fine line of pattern Hats and Bonnets on exhibition at Tansley's Furniture Store on Monday afternoon and Tuesday of next week. The ladies of Tecumseh are invited.

—Go to the cut-rate shingle yard and buy a good, thick 18 inch shingle for $2.00 per M. A. W. SLAYTON.

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—Call at the music store and see the glass mandolin and don't forget to ask for prices if you intend purchasing a piano or organ for cash or easy payments. E. M. COLLER.

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—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

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KILLED FOR INSURANCE.

Man and Woman Arrested on a Serious Charge at Muskegon.

MUSKEGON, April 12.—Mrs. Mary E. Houghson and George W. King were arrested Thursday, charged with the murder in 1892 of Nathan Douglas. The latter lived in Fruitport on a small farm and was worth about $3,500, to secure which, it is charged, the woman married him. Two years before her husband, Justin L. Hissing, a printer employed on the News, died suddenly, complaining of inflammation of the stomach. His life insurance, $1,000, went to his widow, and shortly afterward she and King took up their quarters in a block and were on the best of terms. Two years after the death of Hissing she was married to Douglas, and King was out at the farm more or less. Sixty-four days after the marriage Douglas died suddenly, complaining of pains in his stomach. A week before he made a will, leaving his property and his life insurance to who had been caring him up to the time of his marriage. The will was drawn by King.

The sister, Mrs. Eunice Williams, protested that his death was unnatural and complained to the great tent of the Maccabees, in which he was insured, that he had been murdered. The tent made an investigation, but did not go into the matter very deeply, and the subject never becoming public was dropped. Mrs. Houghson admits lending King nearly $1,000, but says she did so out of friendship. An examination of Douglas' body reveals arsenic in quantities sufficient to kill.

Since his death the woman has been twice married. M. P. Fadner, her third husband, deserted her because she insisted on claiming his pension money and secured a divorce. She married Henry Houghson last December. The evidence against the couple was discovered while the officers were hunting for testimony in proceedings which were pending against King, who was on trial for arson.

King was the proprietor of a drug store in Ottawa street in this city and was recently arrested charged with setting his store afire, but was released because of insufficient evidence. Mrs. Houghson is an aunt of King.

MICHIGAN BASEBALL MAD.

Every City of Importance in the State a Member of a League.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 13. The Western Baseball league season will open May 1st Grand Rapids at Indianapolis, Toledo at Detroit, Kansas City at St. Paul and Minneapolis at Milwaukee. The league is the same as last year, with the exception that St. Paul takes the place of Sioux City.

In Michigan this year baseball will rank first as a popular sport. In addition to having two cities, Detroit and Grand Rapids, in the western league, there will be a Michigan league, made up of Kalamazoo, Port Huron, Adrian, Owosso, Jackson and Saginaw. There will also be a northern Michigan league, with such cities as Muskegon, Big Rapids, Traverse City, Cadillac, Petoskey and Charlevoix on the list. The upper peninsula will have a four or six city league, including Marquette, Negaunee, Houghton and Ishpeming. The interest aroused in the game last season gives fairly good assurance that baseball will be sufficiently popular this season to make all the leagues profitable financially.

Wages Restored.

DOWAGIAC, April 17.—The Round Oak Stove company has restored the former schedule of wages, and the strike, which has been in progress for six months is now over. All non-union men now employed will be retained, union men to be employed when vacancies occur. Manager F. L. Lee says the company makes the concession because other stove manufacturers were about to make a cut in wages on account of the Dowagiac reduction, and he did not desire to cause a general cut in wages.

Franchise Tax Law Defined.

LANSING, April 17.—The supreme court has denied a mandamus to compel State Treasurer Wilkinson to return a $400 franchise fee paid last year under protest by the Moline Plow company, of Moline, Ill. The court holds that the franchise-fee act of 1891, as amended in 1893, is not in contravention of the provision of the federal constitution conferring upon congress the power to regulate interstate commerce.

Grewsome Ornaments.

ANN ARBOR, April 17.—The medical faculty is trying to locate a freshman student who has a purse and a pair of gloves made of human skin. The department has rigid rules against taking any "cadavers" from the dissecting-room, and it the faculty succeeds in identifying the student his suspension will follow.

Hurt at a Fire.

MENOMINEE, April 15.—Fire destroyed Fred Schale's saloon, causing a loss of $2,500. While the fire was in progress horses attached to the chemical engine ran away, smashing the engine and seriously wounding Fireman Benthouse. Christ Hansen was also hurt.

Fear Foul Play.

NILES, April 17.—O. F. Campbell, a prominent citizen of Lawton, has been missing since April 10. He went to Kalamazoo, that day, taking a large amount of money to make some purchases, and it is feared he has been murdered.

Convicted of Perjury.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 17.—Will Macard was convicted Tuesday of perjury, and the jury recommended him to mercy. He gave false testimony in the trial of his brother, Charles Macard, for murder in an effort to establish an alibi.

New Record Keeper.

IONIA, April 17.—Grand Chancellor F. M. Douglass has appointed Fred Cutler, Jr., of this city, as grand keeper of records and seal of the Knights of Pythias, to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of James W. Hopkins.

STATE NEWS.

Bits of Interesting Information from Various Points.

John H. Hickke, aged 29, of Calumet, fell down shaft No. 2, Tamarack mine, and was killed.

Nixon Waterman, of Chicago, will publish a society paper in St. Joseph, to be known as the Twin City Topics.

Mrs. A. Jeffries and Mrs. W. McSherry, of Hubbardston, claim to be two of six heirs of a $2,500,000 estate in Buffalo, N. Y.

The farmhouse of J. Gilman, near Howard City, burned, and his son, aged 14, was burned to death, and another son, aged 12, was fatally burned.

Willie Bellamy, aged 10, son of George Bellamy, of Detroit, is reported to be missing from Toledo, O., where he was visiting. He is said to have been kidnaped.

Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, honored the requisition of the governor of Michigan for the surrender of James Donovan and Albert Johnson, wanted at [illegible] for housebreaking, [illegible] under arrest in Chicago.

At Albion August Bloeder was drowned while fishing recently.

Maxwell Olney, an old resident of Mendon, was found dead in his bed recently. Death resulted from paralysis.

In response to agitation by the clerks' union, Lansing grocers have decided to close their stores at 7 p. m.

A carload of flour is shipped every week to a firm in Ireland by Deutel Bros., Ypsilanti millers.

It has been decided to hold the state fair for 1895 in Grand Rapids, September 9 to 14 inclusive.

Charles J. Staples, a fruit and confectionery merchant of Grand Rapids, was found dead in his bed recently. His death was attributed to the excessive use of liquor.

Free silver clubs have been organized in a number of Michigan towns.

F. W. Wheeler, of Bay City, has closed a contract with Detroit parties for a $200,000 steel steamer, to be 400 feet long, 48-foot beam and 38-foot depth of hold.

Charles Larsen was caught under the limbs of a falling tree at Sand's Camp, near Lake City, and had both legs broken.

The officials of the hosiery plant at Michigan City, Ind., has selected a site on which to construct buildings preparatory to removal to Muskegon.

Harry C. Tillman, a well-known local politician and ex-deputy collector of customs, of Detroit, died recently of consumption.

Michigan has eighty-three employes in the treasury department at Washington, who draw $105,211 in salaries.

The maple sugar crop in this state will be a light one.

The old G. R. & I. depot on Bridge street, Grand Rapids, which has stood there for over twenty-six years, is being demolished.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Library association will be held [illegible] time in September—the exact date to be decided by the executive committee—at Kalamazoo.

The Chickamauga, Chattanooga and Missionary Ridge military park commission of Michigan has been notified to meet with the national committee on the battle-field on May 19.

Farmers about Niles have lost thousands of bushels of potatoes by recent frosts.

C. F. Binning, of Trumbull, near Jackson, was killed by a Michigan Central train Friday, April 13.

James Crego, a farmer living at Baker's Corners, was found dead on the roadside near that village. He was about 35 years old and the theory is apoplexy.

Summer normal schools will be conducted at both Marshall and Coldwater.

By a vote of 375 for to 1,175 against, Lansing people sat down on a proposition to build a $25,000 high school building.

Sixty carloads of square timber for English shipyards will be sent from Traverse City to England as soon as navigation opens.

Kent county farmers have taken steps to raise more beans. One farmer made $1,050 on thirty-five acres of beans; from the same number of acres of wheat he made $350.

During the past winter the Diamond Match company had 3,500 men and 1,200 horses employed in the woods of Ontonagon county and cut 180,000,000 feet of logs.

The Washington News is booming Gen. Alger for president.

While playing Indian at Three Rivers Saturday Wallace Prouty, aged 14, was accidentally shot and killed by Gay Craig, aged 17.

To Dam the St. Joseph.

NILES, April 12.—The Interstate Powder company of Michigan and Indiana was formally organized. Fred E. Lee of Dowagiac, was made president; R. D. Dix, Berrien Springs, vice president; J. O. Becraft, Dowagiac secretary and treasurer. An immense dam on St. Joseph river will be built directly on the state line to transmit power for an electric line from South Bend to Niles, and probably through Berrien Springs to St. Joseph.

Sensation at Jackson, Mich.

JACKSON, Mich., April 17.—Dr. J. D. North, one of the oldest physicians in this city, and Curtis Harwood have been arrested charged with having caused the death of Miss Fannie Fox, who died at the Home of the Good Samaritan Monday from the effects of a criminal operation, it is claimed.

Sawmill Burned.

MENOMINEE, Mich., April 17.—The sawmill of Nadeau Brothers, located at Nadeau, on the line of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, about 30 miles north of this city, has been totally destroyed by fire. Loss, $20,000; partly insured.

State Military Encampment.

LANSING, April 15.—The state military board, in session here, decided to hold the annual encampment of the state troops at Island lake, Livingston county, commencing August 6.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., April 12.—The senate on Thursday passed the much-discussed bill for the government of all cities in the state having a population of 10,000 or less. Unless they decide otherwise at a special election, all such cities will be subject to the provisions of the general charter after January 1 next. Senate committees reported favorably on a bill providing for the appointment by the governor of five commissioners to have charge of Mackinac park, recently donated to the state by the general government, and making an appropriation for their expenses.

LANSING, Mich., April 13.—In accordance with a resolution of the state board of health in session here Friday, for investigation of charges against it for extravagance and incompetency by members of the house, the investigation was ordered. The bill for the licensing of plumbers was agreed to committee of the whole. It applies to all cities having over 6,000 inhabitants.

LANSING, Mich., April 17.—The senate Tuesday passed the house bill creating a legal department for the city of Detroit, and compensating Judge Speed, present city counselor, by extending his term for two years.

House.

LANSING, Mich., April 12.—The friends of a 500 uniform liquor license fee met defeat Thursday in the house. In addition to a uniform tax of $500 the bill made other concessions to the saloon men, particularly allowing them to remain open New Years, Washington's birthday, Labor day and Fourth of July, also to open after the closing of the polls on election day. The entire bill was wiped out, except the first section, and that was amended by raising the tax to $500. The bill was then passed by a vote of 72 to 32 and was given immediate effect. The only change the bill accomplishes is to make the tax upon the sale of beer $500, the same as spirituous liquors. Its fate in the senate is uncertain.

LANSING, Mich., April 13.—The senate on Friday in committee of the whole amended the Foote bill providing an open season for deer from November 1 to November 25 by having it begin November 10. The opponents of the $500 uniform liquor tax bill, which passed the house Thursday, scored a victory by having it referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

LANSING, Mich., April 17.—The house on Tuesday passed a bill for the creation of the office of state statistician for a period of two years at a salary of $1,500, his duties to be the gathering of information and statistics upon the subject of taxation and the making of an annual report to the governor for the benefit of the legislature.

PLEASANT FOR CONVICTS.

Mayor Pingree's Scheme to Seclude Them All on an Island.

DETROIT, April 15.—Mayor Pingree believes convicts should be secluded on a large island somewhere in the great lakes. They should be divided into classes and taught all branches of farming and gardening. Experiment plants should be established where all kinds of foreign vegetables would be grown. Seeds enough to supply all the farmers in the state could be raised on the convict farms. When the terms of the convicts expired, instead of seeking the cities with their temptations, they could be settled on farms and thereafter lead reputable lives. The mayor thinks it wrong for convicts to manufacture articles which paid labor produces. The mayor has also announced all city street sweepings will be saved to enrich the land the poor will cultivate with potatoes this year.

FLAG IS REFUSED.

German School Refuses to Subscribe to the Words.

SAGINAW, April 17.—The Women's Relief corps recently decided to present American flags to all public school rooms in the city, and included the German Lutheran School of the Sacred Heart. Following the presentation it was arranged that the school children should take a pledge to the flag embracing the words: "One country, one language, and one flag." R. H. Richter, the superintendent of the German school, refused to accept the flag, owing to the words: "One language."

Kidnaped.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 16.—Lillie Williams, 10 years old, was kidnaped from the Wealthy avenue school Wednesday afternoon by her divorced mother. In 1893 George Williams was divorced from Inez L. Williams and given the custody of the only daughter. Since the separation the mother has been trying to get possession of the child and succeeded this afternoon through the aid of an accomplice, a man from Saginaw. The police are on the trail of the kidnapers.

Given a New Trial.

DETROIT, Mich., April 17.—The supreme court has granted a new trial to William C. Lippardt, the member of the school board who was convicted of receiving a bribe and sentenced to serve five years' imprisonment. The court decides that the cross-examination of the complaining witness was unduly restrictive.

Resigned.

LANSING, April 13.—Hon. James N. Neasmith, of Schoolcraft, has resigned his position on the state board of corrections and charities. His colleagues adopted complimentary resolutions. Mr. Neasmith has been a state senator and a commissioner of the state land office.

Emperor William of Germany has named a battleship after a song he wrote. He feels that now indeed his bark is on the sea.

A TOO MODEST WOMAN!

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FITS AND NERVOUS DISEASES.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 8th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Ezra F. Blood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles H. Blood and J. O. Blood, executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and praying that said account may be allowed, and praying that said account may be allowed, and the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of said will, and that they may be discharged and their bond cancelled, and to such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate. (A True Copy.) A. E. Farager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. In the matter of the estate of Anzolette Osgood, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 30th day of April, 1895, and on the 25th day of March, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 5, 1895.

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He feels the charm and subtle power
Contained in every wayside flower.
He is akin to all things wild,
For he is nature's simple child.

All living things to him are dear,
And God is ever very near.
To poets only this is given—
To find on earth a part of heaven.

—Henry Coyle.

A FEUD.

"I'll tell you, Frank, it's got to the point where something must be done," said Mrs. Burnett, and as she spoke she rapped at the small knuckles that were moving toward the sugar bowl. Morton, aged 9, jerked his hand out of the way and laughed at his mother, who pursed up her lips to conceal a smile.

"Don't do that, Morton," said Mr. Burnett. Then, turning to his wife, he asked, "What have they been doing now?"

"That boy and some more of his crowd put tin cans along the top of the fence and then threw at them to knock them off. About every other stone went over the top of the fence and went sailing across our back yard. If one of them had struck anybody, he wouldn't have known what hurt him."

"What did you do?"

"What did I do? I went out and told them if they didn't stop I'd send for a policeman. I said to that Deakin boy, 'It's a shame your mother can't teach you to be a little better than a savage.'"

"Maybe she didn't know they were doing it."

"I do believe she puts 'em up to it. That boy's enough to try the patience of a saint."

"Next time he comes into our yard I'll bet I throw something at him," put in Morton, whose chin was dripping with a mild mixture of milk and coffee.

"You leave him alone," said the male parent. "You get into enough fights already."

"Well, Frank, these boys are forever picking on him," said Mrs. Burnett.

"Boys are a good deal alike," responded her husband. "I'll bet when he gets out he's the same as the rest of them."

Morton grinned and said nothing.

The only member of the Burnett family who had not joined in the arraignment of the neighbors was Alice, 6 years of age. She knew all about the feud and shared in the suspicions of her mother, but at present she was too busy with her supper.

The Deakins lived next door, and although there was a dividing fence it had not kept the two families apart.

In the year during which the two households had dwelt side by side there had been a growing enmity. Yet Mrs. Burnett had never spoken a word to Mrs. Deakin, and her husband knew nothing of Mr. Deakin, except that he worked with his hands for a living and spent a great many evenings at home.

It would have been rather difficult for either the Burnetts or the Deakins to explain how the feud started, but it was operated from the first through the children.

There were two Deakin children—Lawrence, or Larry, aged 10, and little Willie, who, at the tender age of 3, had learned to regard the Burnett tribe with scorn and hatred and suffer to some degree under the indignities heaped upon his family by that arch fiend of juvenility, Morton Burnett.

For when the Deakins sat around the supper table and cast up the accounts of the day it was Larry who posed as the persecuted and abused child, while Morton Burnett was pictured as an infant of dark intents, headed straight for the bridewell.

"If I was a man, Tom Deakin," said the wife, "I'll warrant you I'd go over to that house and give notice that things are simply going too far. Today that boy got up on the fence and called Lawrence all kinds of names."

"He said that his mother had said that ma didn't have clothes fit to wear," suggested Lawrence, who had begun to breathe hard during the recital of his grievances.

"Anyway, I don't try to make myself look like a peacock every time I start to church," said Mrs. Deakin.

This comparison of Mrs. Burnett to a peacock tickled the children, and they laughed immoderately. Tom Deakin restrained them with a quiet "Tut, tut!" and said that the proper way to get along was to pay no attention to the neighbors.

"I'd like to know how you can help it," said his wife. "That boy is up to some mischief every hour of the day, and his mother seems to encourage him in everything he does. He throws things over into our yard, teases Willie and makes faces at him."

"Next time I see him pick on Willie I'll give him another licking," suggested Larry.

"You'll do nothing of the kind," exclaimed his mother. "Don't you remember the talking to I gave you the other time you had that fight with him?"

Lawrence remembered the mild rebuke, and his inward resolution was not changed. Tom Deakin went for his pipe, oppressed with the thought that he had been very unlucky in his selection of neighbors.

These complaints had come to him day after day from the downtrodden members of his family.

The feud had grown from a thousand aggravating circumstances.

Suppose Morton Burnett to be on the fence. His mother would open the back door and say loudly enough to make herself heard through the open windows of the Deakin house: "Morty, get down from that fence! Haven't I told you about that?"

Mrs. Deakin would hear and understand. Then she would wait her opportunity to appear on the back stoop and retaliate.

In summer time, when both women were out of doors much of the time, they occasionally exchanged glances which were more significant than anything they could have said.

When Mrs. Burnett put out her washing, she knew that Mrs. Deakin was watching her and counting the number of pillow slips and tablecloths.

When Mrs. Burnett came to the back door and called out, "Come, Alice, dear, and practice your music lesson," it was equivalent to saying to Mrs. Deakin, "Aha, we have a cottage organ in our house, but you haven't any in yours."

Mrs. Deakin had frequently informed Tom that the Burnett organ was a cheap secondhand thing.

One day, when Mrs. Deakin came home from a funeral in a covered carriage, there was consternation in the Burnett family, and accounts were not fairly balanced until a new coat of paint was put on the Burnett house.

The Deakin children told the Burnett children all that their mother had said about the probable character of Mrs. Burnett. Likewise the Burnett children repeated to the Deakin children all that they heard at the supper table. Mrs. Burnett knew that she was being reported to Mrs. Deakin, and Mrs. Deakin felt it her duty to learn what the viperish thing had been saying. Frank Burnett and Tom Deakin became convinced each that the other's family was probably more to blame over the fence, clothesline and garbage box issues.

Allie Burnett started to run across the street one day in front of a delivery wagon. She fell, scrambled to her feet again, and the horse's knee struck her in the back. She fell on the block pavement and lay quiet.

Mrs. Deakin saw it all from her front window. She ran into the street and gathered the muddy child in her arms. The frightened driver had left his wagon, and he followed her timidly to the front door of the Burnett house.

Mrs. Burnett screamed, and then began to cry.

"Run for a doctor, you loony!" said Mrs. Deakin to the driver as she placed the limp little body on a bed and then ran for cold water and cloths.

When the girl opened her eyes, she found her mother on one side, Mrs. Deakin on the other, while a reassuring physician smiled at her over the footboard.

"She's a little jolted up and bumped her head when she fell, but it was mostly shock," he said.

"Law me," gasped Mrs. Deakin; "when I saw that child fall, my heart just went into my throat! Don't cry, Allie; you ain't a bit hurt. The doctor says I can put some more poultice on your bad old bump."

"I'll get it," said Mrs. Burnett.

"No; you sit still. You are as pale as a ghost."

That is how it happened that Frank Burnett, coming home from the works by the back way, found in his kitchen the hated vixen, the trainer of criminals, the woman without character—Mrs. Deakin.

She told him what had happened and begged him not to frighten his wife, as there wasn't any real danger.

Mr. Deakin was likewise surprised upon arriving home. Supper was not ready, and his wife had gone over to the enemy. He went after her and was taken in.

Mrs. Deakin told him she couldn't come home because Mrs. Burnett was all upset, and some one would have to take care of the child. So Mr. Deakin and his two boys ate a cold lunch with Mr. Burnett and his boy.

Mr. Burnett sent Morton out to get two cigars, and while the women sat by the bed in the front room the men sat in the back room and smoked, while the three boys, awed by the revolution, kept very quiet.

"If Morton ever bothers you, Mr. Deakin," said Mr. Burnett, "you just let me know, and I'll tend to him."

"I was just going to say to you that Larry's apt to be too gay now and then, and if I ever hear of him picking on your children I'll make him remember it."

In the front room Mrs. Burnett was thanking Mrs. Deakin, who was hoping that her children had never bothered Mrs. Burnett very much. The little girl went to sleep, and the Deakin family went home.

That was the end of the feud. In each household there was a general order that in case of a neighborhood riot punishment should be visited upon those nearest at hand.

Those two houses, side by side, became the peace center of the west division.

The Deakin children were at liberty to go over and thump on the Burnett cottage organ.

But who ended the feud—the men, the women or the 6-year-old?—Chicago Record.

Runaway on the Ocean.

A runaway steamer must be an exceedingly unpleasant sort of sea serpent for the passengers on board her. The steamer Marchioness of Breadalbane, while making the passage from Rothesay to Gourock, met with an accident to her machinery, and the engineers were unable to stop her. The captain therefore took her out into midchannel and spun round in a circle till the steam was nearly exhausted, when the runaway was headed for Gourock, where she was secured by ropes and the rest of the steam run off.—London Graphic.

Positive as to One of Them.

"What lessons should we learn, Wendell," asked the Sunday school teacher, "from this story of demoniacal possession?"

"One of the lessons we should learn from it," replied the little Boston boy, "is that the word demoniacal is accented on the antepenultimate."—Chicago Tribune.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning April 21. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Three Friends.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Job ii, 11-13.

He's a slave who would not be
In the right with two or three;
He's a slave who would not choose
Hatred, slander and abuse
Rather than in silence shrink
From the truth he needs must think.
—Lowell.

The Gift of Power.

It is as true now as it ever has been that as many as receive Christ "to them He gives power to become the sons of God." The Spirit of God dwelling in the soul energizes all faculties. The mind receives enlightenment to know the will of God; the affections receive fresh impulses to love the divine truth and ways; the will power is strengthened in purpose to do the right. Impulses to evil and gratification of the lower sensual or carnal nature lose their power as one walks in the Spirit till they scarce seem to exist and finally become [illegible] nature, with its needs and appetites, still lives, and often in greater strength and beauty, but all its impulses are under control of the spiritual nature and act in harmony with the requirements of the soul. Not only is there freedom from actual wrongdoing, and hence freedom from guilt, but there are power and possession of active righteousness and holiness of nature. Even the native sinward tendency of nature is counteracted, and the positive Godward impulse alone lives in the will and possesses the heart.

Silent Influence.

In a time when men are swinging from their faith and confidence I despair of books, I despair of arguments, I despair of any special work to save men from unbelief. But no man can resist the argument of holiness brought in a personified form before him, in its gentleness, in its sweetness, in its aspiration, in its love, in all its blossoms and fruits of peace and joy. Let men see that, and they do not want to disbelieve. All their hearts are set a-yearning. No real conception of Christ is reproduced before men that they do not long to have the same thing in themselves. And out of this yearning comes aspiration, and out of aspiration comes intuition, and out of intuition comes realization, and out of realization come conversion and sanctification. So that no man preaches so much and so effectually as the man that does not speak a word, but whose whole life is one revelation of higher forms of Christian development.—Beecher.

The Holy Spirit.

All spiritual power is from the influence of the Spirit of God operating on the human nature. Working in the material world, he is manifested as physical force. In human nature he imparts moral ability or power to know right and to act right and love righteousness. As intellectual powers and spiritual ability unfold his influence is felt in quickening these soul powers into activity. He enlightens and energizes. If one chooses to follow the gracious leadings, new power is imparted until birth into full conscious spiritual life results. Yet there are higher and more glorious gifts from this same source. Pardon for actual sins committed and the testimony of acceptance and favor with God are wondrous blessings, but gifts of richer and higher degree are still stored up for the soul who earnestly longs after the full development of the divine life within.

In the Secret Place of the Most High.

F. W. Farrar tells the following as the explanation of the wondrous spiritual power of his mother. "My mother's habit was every day, immediately after breakfast, to withdraw for one hour to her own room and to spend that hour in reading the Bible, in meditation and prayer. From that hour, as from a pure fountain, she drew the strength and sweetness which enabled her to fulfill all her duties and remain unruffled by all worries and pettishnesses which are so often the intolerable trial of narrow neighborhoods."

Gaining and Giving.

In his late years John Wesley exclaimed, "Oh, that God would enable me once more, before I go hence and am no more seen, to lift up my voice like a trumpet to those who gain and save all they can, but do not give all they can." It requires talent to make money. It requires a higher degree of talent to save money. But the highest talent of all is required to use money rightly. Many get, some keep, few indeed ever acquire ability to wisely use and give.

Susannah Wesley's Grave.

The grave of the mother of the Wesleys is in Bunhill Fields cemetery, London, opposite City Road chapel. It is annually visited by thousands from all parts of the world. The spot is marked by rather a shabby stone. Its size and appearance are neither suitable. A suggestion has been made among the young Methodists of Canada that a contribution of 5 or 10 cents apiece be solicited with which to erect a suitable memorial to this mother of Methodism.

What It Means.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 5th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of April A. D. 1895, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 19, 1895.

HORATIO KEYSER
GEORGE HOWELL,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilgeam, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at James W. Wightman's office, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 1895 and on the 8th day of October, 1895 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 8th day of April, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 12, 1895.

J. F. GILMORE,
JAMES H. HECK,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Burridge praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Petitioner, the executor nominated in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of May, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee) all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Executrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pocklington, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5), east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 18th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 29th, 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Norvell.....	6 37 "	2 39 "	1 30 "
Manchester.....	6 48 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	6 59 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh.....	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	6 25 "	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 25 "

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Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
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		11 15	..L....Allegan.....A	1 40	
		11 38	Monteith.....	1 14	
	A. M.	12 18	Yorkville.....	12 36	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	12 45	Battle Creek.....	12 09	1 29
8 29	7 45	1 14	Marshall.....	11 36	12 39
9 05	8 25	1 40	Homer.....	11 06	11 49
9 55	9 11	2 09	Hanover.....	10 38	11 09
11 20	10 05	2 45	Addison.....	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 14	3 52	Devils Lake.....	9 53	9 54
12 34	10 29	4 04	Onsted.....	9 40	9 40
....	10 34	3 19	Sand Lake.....	9 36	9 29
1 20	10 48	3 20	Tipton.....	9 25	9 15
1 51	11 06	3 34	Tecumseh.....	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	3 43	Ridgeway.....	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	3 48	Britton.....	8 56	8 30
3 19	11 39	4 01	Rea.....	8 42	8 19
3 38	11 50	4 10	Dundee.....	8 32	7 57
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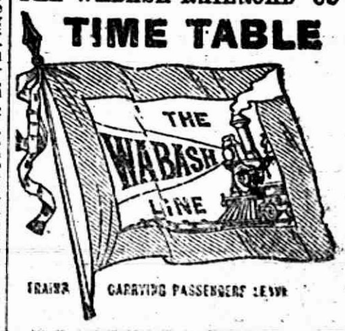

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The above, taken from the Adrian Times, will find a responsive echo in the hearts of many of her old friends in Tecumseh and Franklin.

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There was a time when he who would keep informed of the progress of knowledge, the record of discovery and invention, and the currents of human thought, could and indeed must rely chiefly if not wholly upon books. That day has passed. Books we must still read, as the crystallization and permanent embodiment of human thought and knowledge. But today it is the newspaper, the magazine, the periodical review, upon which we must chiefly depend if we would follow closely the intellectual movements of the day. And now a new difficulty has arisen. This newspaper and periodical literature has become so multitudinous and bulky as to be a heavy burden to the busy man or woman, while even the person who has leisure and inclination to read widely is often unable to get access to the current publications. Especially in the smaller cities, villages, and rural districts is the lack of such opportunity felt. It is felt by the clergymen, the teacher, the lawyer, the physician, the merchant, the artisan, the farmer and the cultured and thoughtful women of the household. With all these and many other classes of persons the great practical literary question is: How can I best supplement my indispensable home paper? It was to answer this question and meet this demand that Public Opinion now published in New York City was founded nine years ago. It selects the best, condenses it to the last degree, and serves it in convenient and attractive form.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

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Present Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martha O'Hara deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of CHRIS O'Hara a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to Walter C. Burridge the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 13th day of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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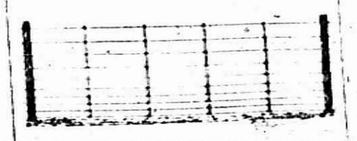

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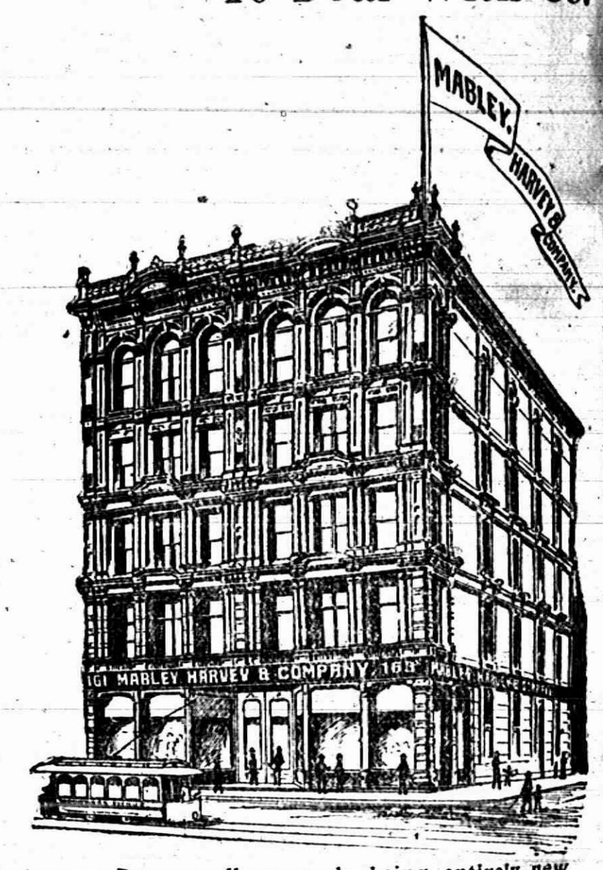

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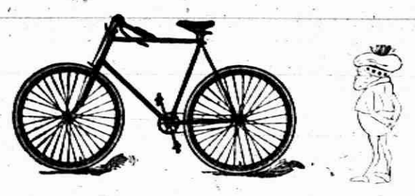

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MORNING SESSION.

Song Service.
Prayer and devotional, led by Rev. Warner, Clinton.
Music.
Address, 'Backbone of C. E.' by Rev. Chandler, Adrian.
Music.
Paper, Denominational Loyalty, by Rev. Gulick, Macon.
Business Meeting.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Singing.—Opening Prayer.
Roll Call of Societies. Response, Report of Societies.
Song—Miss Jessie Case.
Recitation, 'Prepare for the Tempest'—Miss Lida Pate, Adrian.
Paper, 'Christian Endeavor in Active Life.'—Frank Stead, Holloway.
Singing.
Paper, 'How Help Juniors Keep their Pledge.'—Rev. Spencer, Adrian.
Junior Open Hour, conducted by Miss Edith Ingersoll, Tecumseh. For Junior Supt. and Societies.
Singing.

EVENING SESSION.

Song Service.
Consecration Service, led by W. H. Strong, Detroit. Topic, 'What I have Received and what I Am Going to Do With It.'
Benediction.

The convention was held in the spacious auditorium of the Presbyterian church, which was tastily decorated for the occasion with bunting and flowers. President Frank Stead called the meeting to order with about one hundred and thirty members present. The session of the morning as well as those which followed was replete with thoughts of interest not only to those of the society but also to many others who were present. Rev. Gulick, of Macon, was unfortunately absent from the morning session, having been called to a death bed at that time.

The Lenawee County District Convention represents the unity of the local societies of this county which number thirty. Of this number twenty one responded by delegates at roll call. This represented twenty towns, there being two societies in Adrian; a remarkably good showing for one county. 165 delegates registered and about three hundred" members attended during the afternoon and evening sessions. The following are the officers of the District Union: Frank Stead, Raisin, President; Minnie Havens, Hudson, Cor. Secretary; Emma Cotton, Macon, Rec. Secretary; Edward Rawson, Rollin, Treasurer; J. S. Leland, Adrian, Chairman of Lookout Committee; great credit is due them in so carefully choosing their subjects and speakers, as the success of the meeting has shown.

A large patronage of friends interested in the Christian Endeavor swelled the attendance of the evening session to the full capacity of the church. The song service and consecration service, which was conducted by W. H. Strong, of Detroit, president of the State organization, was listened to by all with most rapt attention and satisfaction.

Visiting members were entertained in the church parlors by the local societies of the Friends and Presbyterian churches, and most worthy hosts they proved. Altogether the officers and members of the Union and Endeavorers generally are to be congratulated on the work, attendance and enthusiasm of this meeting.

Three Crops a Year

Can be grown on the same land in eastern Mississippi and southern Alabama along the line of the Mobile & Ohio railroad. The summers are cooler, the winters are milder, the death rate is lower, than in the north. Improved farms $10 to $15 per acre, unimproved land $3 to $5 an acre near railway stations. It is the best portion for raising fruits and early vegetables, stock raising and general farm crops. Lands are advancing, now is the time to buy. Very low rate excursions monthly. The Mobile & Ohio has put on two through fast trains each way daily between St. Louis and Mobile. It is the shortest and quickest route to the south. An illustrated pamphlet telling all about our country will be sent free to all who wish it. Apply to E. W. Greene, General Agent, No. 108 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., or to E. E. Posey, General Passenger Agent, Mobile & Ohio railroad, Mobile, Ala.

For Itching Piles, irritation of the genitals, or itching in any part of the body, Doan's Ointment is worth its weight in gold. No matter how long standing the trouble, Doan's Ointment will not fail to give instant relief. Iw

THE DEMAND FOR BICYCLES.

An Industry That Is Destined to Have An Immense Growth.

From a late copy of the Grand Rapids Herald we clip the following statistics in regard to the bicycle industry. Although still in its infancy, it has had a phenominal growth during the last three years:

It is estimated that five out of every one hundred residents of Grand Rapids are bicycle riders, and the season for buying wheels has just opened.

Every manufacturer and dealer in the country is behind with his orders and the demand continues unabated. The reason for the unprecedented boom in the wheel business lies largely in the fact that the price of high grade bicycles has been reduced 20 per cent below what they were last year. Of the estimated 4,000 riders in this city fully 500 are women and girls. The use of the wheeled steed by professional men of all classes is becoming more general every day. No less than a dozen physicians in this city have discarded the use of horses, as a rule, and many of them have sold their animals. The bicycle, they say, does not 'eat its head off' and it is always ready for use. The services of a hostler are dispensed with, along with all the annoyance and exasperating delays of this servant's inefficiency. The idea that a professional man lowers his dignity when he gets astride of a bicycle is now fast wearing away, although it has taken a long time for this impression to be overcome. Among a certain class of people who proverbially cling to old things, just because they are old, the bicycle is still unpopular. In this class may be found some physicians. They are saying something now, though, seeming to prefer to jog along in the ruts made in the bygone ages as man has fought his way to higher planes in every department of his manifold and complex nature. The ox-cart and wooden plow were good—in their day—but the steel plow and locomotive were better, even as the steam plows and electric motors are superior to the later inventions. In America where energy and unceasing activity are such factors of our civilization the bicycle is bound to be the vehicle for business and pleasure. Its cheapness at the present time has enabled hundreds of Grand Rapids mechanics to put them into use in going to and from their work. The investment is found to be economical, too, as the saying of car fare is alone a large rate of interest upon the amount of money represented.

Grand Rapids stands at the very front in the line of progress in this direction, as being the first city in the Union where the government has formally sanctioned the use of the bicycle in the postoffice department. The use of the wheels by the postal carriers of this city is in the nature of an experiment on the part of the government, and the results will be watched for with the greatest interest throughout the whole country. It is known that like experiments have been tried in some other cities, and the results have been most satisfactory. The use of the machine was not officially authorized, however, and this accounts for the absence of any statistics or reliable information upon the subject.

The number of new bicycles that has been sold at retail since January 1, is estimated in round numbers at 2,000. This estimate is based upon six of the leading dealers, and cannot be far from the actual figures. A great many wheels have been bought this year on the club plan. This plan consists of an agreement between any number of persons to buy wheels, and the order for the whole number is placed with one dealer at once, thus securing a discount which brings the price down from a retail to a wholesale price. A club has been formed of members of the Peninsular club and it bears the double appellation of 'Peninsular Club Bicycle Club.' Twenty policemen of the city have formed a club for the purchase of bicycles and it is stated that a permanent organization may result.

A number of ladies' clubs are in process of formation and their identity will probably soon be made known. Great interest in cycling has been recently aroused among the foremost society people of the city and some concerted action on their part may be looked for with certainty.

Grand Rapids is an important cycling center, as is proved by the fact that wholesale and retail buyers from all parts of the country have visited the city in large numbers since the opening of spring. There are now three factories turning out high grade wheels only and not one of them is able to keep up with its orders. The total number of men engaged in manufacturing and repairing is something more than 200. There are two good reasons why the supply of wheels is not equal to the demand this spring. First, is the fact that the demand exceeds the anticipations of the most sanguine manufacturers. They were not prepared for it and, therefore, thousands of people are waiting for the machines to leave the shops. Second, there are only two places in the United States where the steel tubing used in bicycles is manufactured. Both are in Ohio, one at Elwood and the other at Shelby. Their combined capacity is far below the present demands. Many American cycle manufacturers have been compelled to get their supply of tubing from Europe. This is the case in one of the Grand Rapids factories at present. It is believed by some of the local dealers that the spring rush is over and that factories will be filling orders promptly in a short time.

Epworth Leaguers!

Send stamp for official book "Historic Chattanooga," containing full particulars International Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Chattanooga next June. The Queen and Crescent Route will make one fare for round trip

Chas. W. Zell, D. P. A., Cincinnati, O.
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THE MAY MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

Complete Announcement of the Program for Two Days of Music.

The Festival Journal, published in the interests of the Second Annual May Festival given by the Choral Union of the University of Michigan, has just been issued. The University Musical Society, an organization unique among universities—in many respects unlike anything in the world—has made an enviable record by virtue of its many ventures, as for example, the purchase of the magnificent instrument formerly known as the Columbian Organ, the building up of the University School of Music, etc., but the annual Choral Union series of concerts, culminating in a grand festival each year, have established the reputation of Ann Arbor as a musical center.

When we reflect that we have in our midst artists of world-wide reputation, one of the finest organs in the world, one of the largest choruses in the country—a School of Music which already began to be talked about in the larger eastern cities—and above all, when we realize that all these are due to the enthusiastic support of musical art by the citizens of a city of eleven thousand inhabitants, supplemented by the students of our great University—we do not think that we are assuming too much when we speak of Ann Arbor as a center of musical culture.

The facts we have just cited lend interest to the announcements contained in the Festival Journal. We find among the list of artists engaged, Lillian Nordica, the greatest American soprano, an artist who recently conquered Europe and won for herself the proud title of one of the greatest Wagner singers in the world; Miss Rose Stewart, a singer who always wins her way into the hearts of her hearers; William H. Rieger, the finest tenor in America; Max Heinrich, inimitable prince of artists, the greatest in his line of them all; Gertrude May Stein, another fine artist whose reputation has grown so marvellously within the last five years; Wm. H. Clarke, a magnificent bass singer; Clarence Eddy, the king of American organists, Martinus Sieveking, the brilliant pianist. Such an array of soloists gives to the Festival a metropolitan character.

Added to these artists, we have the magnificent Festival Orchestra, of 60 players, under the lead of that talented young conductor Emil Mollenhaur, a man whose steadily increasing reputation is a satisfaction to all who appreciate his sterling worth as a man and brilliant attainments as a musician. Besides this fine orchestra, the Choral Union of 300 voices, under the masterly training of Prof. A. A. Stanley, will be heard in that remarkable work of Hector Berlioz' 'The Damnation of Faust.'

The concerts include a Symphony Concert, on Friday evening May 17th. The Anacreon Overture, Cherubim—Vorspiel to 'Tristan and Isdote' Wagner, the 'Unfinished Symphony,' Schubert, and Tannhauser March, Wagner, (in which the Choral Union takes part) are the principal numbers. Saturday morning, May 18th, Mr. Clarence Eddy gives a recital on the grand organ. Saturday p. m., a brilliant Orchestral Matinee with a somewhat popular program will be given. In the evening, the Festival closes with the production of the 'Faust,' with the finest cast ever brought together west of New York City, viz: Lillian Nordica, Margaretha; William H. Rieger, Faust; Max Heinrich, Mephistopheles; William Clarke, Brander; Choral Union, and Festival Orchestra. Reference to the Journal shows us that the programs are artistically arranged, and contain many novelties as well as standard works.

The price for season tickets for the entire Festival has been placed at $3.50. The railroads of Michigan have agreed to sell tickets at half rate, that is an open rate of one fare for the round trip. These tickets are good until May 20th. It will be seen that this Festival is in reality a magnificent affair. The character of these musical attractions shows plainly that the managers of this enterprise have determined to leave no stone unturned to make these events of increasing importance.—Ann Arbor Courier.

World's Columbian Exposition

Was of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others. May.

The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 20 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lampkin, Lampkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to Union Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

The neglect of a cold is often fatal. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup contains all the soothing virtues of the pine. Never fails to cure.

GALA DAY AT DEERFIELD.

Celebrating the Seventy-Sixth Anniversary of Odd Fellowship.

A very enjoyable seventy-sixth anniversary of the Southeastern association of Michigan Odd Fellowship, was observed last Friday. Lodges were present from Dundee, Carlton, Rockwood, Maybee, Tecumseh, Ottawa Lake and Deerfield, while Monroe was represented by two lodges. Three bands helped to make the day an enjoyable one, Dundee, Blissfield and Carlton.

The procession was large and presented a very creditable appearance. The greater number of visitors arrived on a special train, which was made up at Trenton, and remained until the departure of the guests late in the evening.

The speaking was held in Burnham's hall, which was packed to overflowing. A. W. Burgess gave the address of welcome, which was responded to by Rev. L. B. Bissell, of Monroe, Rabbi L. Grossman, of Detroit, made the principal address.

The ladies' aid society, womans' relief corps, and a committee of Catholic ladies materially contributed to the success of the day by furnishing abundant and excellent refreshments.

As a whole the day will be remembered as an enjoyable success in every particular.—Adrian Times.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$30 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weeeler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand.	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, on Saturday afternoon, May 4th, 1895, at three o'clock, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may select. An expenditure of only $1.00 or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAY 3, 1895.

Clare Kimball drove to Tecumseh Saturday.

Miss Cora Ward and Geo. Semark now ride Ramblers.

Joe Alexander is the proprietor of an Eclipse wheel.

Joe Everett returned to work at the Woolen mills this week.

It is much easier to tell what has not happened sometimes.

Gat Ellis has not moved his cigar factory into the new brick.

Congregational social last Wednesday night at the church.

Ground has not yet been broken for the new hotel on the corner.

Wallinger Bros. have moved their saloon business to Tecumseh.

Rev. Warner assisted on the program at the C. E. convention this week.

E. R. Smith's residence Thursday night.

M. G. Ettinger, formerly of Clinton, now of South Bend, is visiting in town.

E. W. Freese & Son are invoicing preparatory to making some important business changes.

Mrs. Henry Mensing and family visited Clinton friends Tuesday, before moving to Toledo.

It is doubtless quite apparent from the drought of news in this column that the HERALD has changed correspondents.

Orville Barns and Miss Jennie Lacy, both of this place, were made one by 'the tie that binds,' last Friday night, Rev. Warner officiating.

The C. E. Convention at Tecumseh Tuesday, drew quite a delegation of members and others from Clinton. Among others was Mrs. Demuth, Mrs. Niblack, Mrs. White and Miss Hause.

Mrs. Jno. Jenkins arrived in town Monday with a first-class photograph gem car. It is the same well known Sink car whose work already adorns the albums and bric-a-brac of many homes.

Thos. Woodward has received a car load of the superior Albion flour to stock up his new flour and feed store. The new brick already has the appearance of a grist mill in full operation.

Clinton has been threatened with a protracted drought. The saloon bonds have been raised to $5,000 by the council. However, marshal are persistent in some things and the town will probably escape such a sad fate.

Two car loads of lumber were received the first of the week for Smith and Huntington's building on the corner. We expect the foundation is well under way ere this, providing they have been able to locate the exact geographical corner which is supposed to exist near the spot.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The cheese factory at Tipton is doing a thriving business.

Dell Whelan sheered sheep for E. C. Wisner the first of the week.

Mr. Crane was in this vicinity Monday in the interest of the cheese factory.

The spooning parties that perambulated Evans Creek have had fairly good luck.

It is said that one of our citizens caught a bushel of fish in Evans lake recently.

Mrs. Frank Marshall and sons drove to her brother James McCook's Saturday, returning Sunday.

Hudson Davenport has gone to Bay City, where he has secured a lucrative position in machine works.

Mrs. McCook, mother of Mrs. Marshall, was very sick last week with heart trouble. She was much better Sunday.

Wonder if Prof. Stump don't teach 'em to read writing too. Some correspondents heartily wish that all compositors would patronize the school.

A party of ladies botanizing in the woods, discovered an enormous snake, so they say. It must have been like the Irishman's snake a 'quare bird' for some of them say it was blue, while others insist that it was green. All agree as to its immense size.

We learn from a correspondent at Ypsilanti that L. S. Loomis was prize winner in the mock congress debate, that Hon. Cyrus G. Luce, Hon. Washington Gardner, Hon. Junius E. Beal were the judges, that speeches were made by Luce and Gardner.

Wm. Beebe returned from Chicago with two car loads of cows. Among the lot are a number of thoroughbred Holstein's, some of the cows registered. Such cattle of course commanded fancy prices. The cattle were not selected in the city but from the large dairy and milk farms of Illinois.

SIGNAL TRIUMPHS WON.

By Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Two signal triumphs have been achieved by Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. First it received Highest Award and Diploma at the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893. Next it secured Highest Award and Gold Medal at the California Midwinter Fair of 1894. At both Fairs it surpassed all competitors in every respect. The award, in each instance, was for strongest leavening power, perfect purity and general excellence. It was sustained by the unanimous vote of the judges.

The victory at Chicago establishes the supremacy of Dr. Price's as "The Foremost Baking Powder in the World." The triumph at San Francisco confirms and emphasizes it.

Jimgo: 'Timmy Grogan is talkin' of gettin' him a bisickle.' Micky: 'Him? He ain't got the price fer de wind wot goes in de tires.'

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Lou Arner returned from Detroit Tuesday evening.

Elder Yager, of Saline, called on friends Wednesday.

A. J. Sutton is attending to the station during Agent Bedle's absence.

Patrick Curry has recovered from his attack of the grip so as to be out again.

Edna Swick, who has been spending a few weeks at Azalia, returned Friday.

Fruit trees are putting forth their coat of leaves and blossoms rather slowly.

T. S. VanDuser, of Toledo, made his mother, Mrs. L. V. Miller, a flying call last week.

A first-class boot and shoe cobbler could do a good business if they were to locate here at once.

Postmaster Santus beats the record, he having Snow and Frost at his office Monday afternoon.

Keep watch for the date of the home missionary district convention to be held here in the near future.

Richard Cadmus is closing out the stock of boots and shoes belonging to W. P. Cadmus and Purdy Haight.

Mr. Danley and wife have become citizens of the village, having rented Mrs. Sarah Rappleye's tenant house.

Agent H. Bedle, wife and daughter, Marie, left Friday morning for a week's visit with relatives at Plainwell, Mich.

Mont Florance left for Toledo, Tuesday, where he expects to launch out as a sailor with Capt. Chilson on the Marquette.

Mrs. Charles Hart moved her household effects to her son's, Mike Veness' at Britton last week Friday where she will make it her home.

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Subjects at the church next Sunday: morning service: A backslider reclaimed. Evening: Christ or the dance, which? Rev. Canfield, Pastor.

Those who attended the Stowe & Co. Uncle Tom's Cabin at Sutton's Opera House at Tecumseh, Monday evening, were well pleased with the drama.

Burt Gould having secured a situation as traveling salesman for the United States Baking Powder Co. of Chicago, has disposed of his mercantile business to his father who will continue in business at the old stand in the Waring block.

Lillian Dersham, who was called to her home at Palmyra by the sickness of her mother a few weeks ago, will return so as to be at her dressmaking rooms at Mrs. W. H. Arner's the first of next week, prepared to meet the ladies wishes in the latest styles of the Delineator.

At the annual election of officers of the W. C. T. U. held at the home of Mrs. S. P. Smith, last week Friday afternoon, the following were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—Mrs. Frank Pocklington.
1st, Vice. Pres.—Mrs. C. L. Lowe.
2d " " —Mrs. S. P. Smith.
3d " " —Mrs. E. M. Arner.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Elizabeth Linn.
Rec. Sec.—Mrs. Sarah Pocklington.
Treas.—Mrs. Elizabeth Arner.
Chaplin—Mrs. Elizabeth Linn.
Supt. of Narcotics—Mrs. Nellie Pocklington.
Supt. of Franchise—Mrs. A. A. Kelly.
Supt of Mothers Meeting—Mrs. S. V. Dibble.
Supt. of Mission—Mrs. Mary Sutton.
Assistants, Mrs. Ella Curtis, Mrs. E. M. Arner.
Supt. of Poor—Mrs. C. L. Lowe.
Assistant Supt. Poor—Mrs. Tamer Pocklington.
Supt. of Literature—Mrs. Kate Larkin.

An Old Rhyme Reset.

'Affliction sore long time she bore
Physicians were in vain.'
At last one day, a friend did say,
'You'd soon be well again'

if you would take, as I did, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for that is the cure for all the peculiar ailments of women. It is safe, simple and sure remedy. It banishes those distressing maladies that make woman's life a burden, curing all painful irregularities, uterine disorders, inflammations and ulceration, prolapsus and kindred weaknesses. As a nervine it cures nervous exhaustion, prostration, debility, relieves mental anxiety and hypochondria and induces refreshing sleep.' She took the advice and is well. 'Favorite Prescription' is the only remedy for the delicate derangements and weaknesses of females, sold by druggists. A pamphlet free. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Asthma cured, by newly discovered treatment. For pamphlet testimonials and references, address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS

Sometimes Called Bright's Disease—Dr. Hartman's Latest Lecture.

In the course of a recent lecture at the Surgical Hotel Dr. Hartman said:

"Catarrh of the Kidneys is a very common disease, growing more and more common each year. The symtoms are pain in the back; scanty, high colored urine, containing albumen and various sediments; nausea and sometimes vomiting; puffiness of the face and feet; dropsy of legs, shortness of the breath and general weakness, pallor and dryness of the skin, chilly feelings, alternating with fever and sleeplessness. "A tablespoonfull of Pe-ru-na should be taken before each meal, between meals, and at bedtime, and enough Man-a-lin at night to produce one natural action of the bowels each day. When the disease is of long standing heated Pe-ru-na should be applied to the back in addition to the above treatment, and the diet consist principally of milk and dry toast. Avoid liquors and tobacco."

MEDICAL BOOKS FREE.

The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co. of Columbus' Ohio, are offering free post-paid, two medical books, one on catarrh and catarrhal diseases, the other on spring medicines and spring diseases. These books contain the very latest and most reliable information on these important subjects.

For free book on cancer address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

Well, George, I suppose we will go to the lake again this summer? Well, no, my dear. Now that you have a baby, I don't think, we'd better. Squalls are always dangerous in lake regions.

Be Your Own Doctor.

For one dollar get a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. It will last for three months and is absolutely guaranteed by your druggist.

Doctors say the only way to cure Catarrh and Hay fever is by inhalation. We have worked for years to accomplish a good simple method for inhaling medicine, and offer Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure, which is used by this new method, to the public, and guarantee it to cure any case, no matter of how long standing. One bottle is all you need to accomplish a cure. It will last for three months. Ask your druggist or address THE MAYERS DRUG CO.

'In all my career,' said an eminent statesman, 'I can say that I have never done anything to be ashamed of.' 'You mean,' sneered the cynic, that you have never done anything you were ashamed of.'

Speech Restored.

For five years I suffered with pain and discharge of the throat, hacking cough, frontal headache, weak eyes, etc., at times could not talk above a whisper; lost weight continually, and not able to be at work. I was treated by the best physicians in the country, but received no relief. After giving up all hope I was recommended to use a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. After using it for four weeks my speech returned. All symptons of catarrh have disappeared and I feel like a different person.'

Mrs ELIAS HANDWERK,
May Elk Lick, Somerset Co., Pa.

'Dear me, said young Mrs. Hunimune, I must see our grocer right away. 'What for?' asked her husband. 'I have some instructions to give him. I want to tell him to make our coffee a little stronger and our butter a little weaker.

A Warm Friend.

Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure is very hot, but when diluted it is a warm friend indeed to those suffering from bowel complaints. It never fails. 25 and 50c Sold by Orr & Temple. May

'Pity a poor blind man with a large family,' cried a wayside beggar. 'And how many children have you, unfortunate man?' asked a lady in great concern? 'How can I tell, madam? I can't see 'em.'

Only One Chance Offered.

There is one chance in every person's lifetime, which, if taken advantage of leads to prosperity and happiness. That chance is offered now and it may be yours, as it relates to good farming land at from $5 to $15 per acre in Central Wisconsin, Clark County. Why any one who will pay high prices for farms, or rent them, when they can get this land we can not see. For more information, see advertisement in this paper, of The C. S. Graves Land Company, R 311, 56 5th Ave. Chicago.

A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foleys Diarrhoea and Colic Cure. Perfectly safe and will give instant relief. Price 25 and 50c. May.

'I'm sorry for you, Black beauty,' said Johnny, biting off the tail of his chocolate candy horse, 'but you've got to be docked or you ain't in fashion.'

A Valuable Find.

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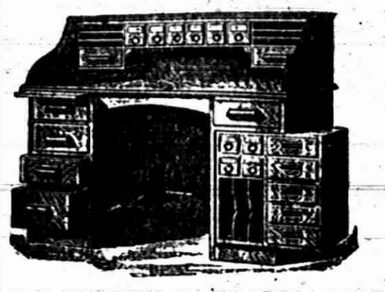

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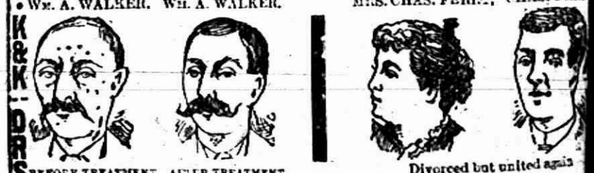

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My life has found its noonlike, and my days
Have gone in quiet by to outward gaze,
In such side places have my feet been set,
So few of all my fellows have I met,
So small the ground my scanty strength could gain
To hold and till. What wonder if the grain
I reap is told by shore and slender sheaves,
And if where flowers might bloom are only leaves,
Yet shall I sorrow that my friends are few,
That wealth I have not, that my power to do
Is held in narrow bounds? The power to be
Is mine, unchained, to-morrow as to-day,
As winged wind that blows across the night
Or morning sunshine on a mountain height.
So I, deed poor, also have whereof to yield
To you, brave worker, in newsier field.
If what I am has blessed your lot, my own,
I ask no more than my still life has known.

—Aurilla Parker in Housekeeper.

A PRIMEVAL STORY.

Chug did not know that he belonged in the post tertiary period of the world as he stood beside the tawny waters of a great inland sea whose waves gently washed the warm shores of the young earth.

He was in Kansas, although he was not aware of it, although as he stood he looked off into the northwest anxiously for the clouds that would bring rain to break the drought.

The little brook which now winds through the valley where he stood is a mere glimmering ghostlet of its mighty post tertiary predecessor, the sea.

Chug was young and litho and stalwart, like the machairodus of the cataclysmic caves. His whole body was hard as wood and covered with a coat of thick nut brown hair that harmonized with the reddish beard that flowed over his broad chest as that of a post tertiary Peffer.

His heavy mane of weather beaten locks had never felt a hat.

About his loins from one shoulder was draped the skin of a cave lion.

A ponderous mace of flint lashed by leather thongs to the handle lay at his feet.

Chug, who derived his name from the sound of the mighty blow with which he smote to death the cave lion whose hide he wore, was not thinking of the pterodactyl from which he narrowly escaped the night before.

Nor did he notice the cyclopean crocodiles in the sea.

His thoughts were sad and roamed afar

At a distance, too great for his computation, he had been born amid a little clan of post tertiarians.

A strange impulse, such as his brothers and sisters had never known, came over him.

The monosyllable conversation of his kin made him tired. Chug was wont to twine wild flowers in his hair and wear sandals of woolly hippopotamus hide.

"Spat-Spat," a young woman who could skin an Irish elk quicker than any woman of the clan and who scorned the luxury of sandals or robes of hide, one day pointed her reeking finger at Chug as she paused in her work and cried contemptuously, "Dude, dude!"

"You didn't say 'dude' when I saved you from the claws of the ichthyosaurus!" retorted Chug and passed on.

Thus Chug gathered up his weapons and went forth alone and wandered from his own fireside.

Long he had pondered over the mystery of life.

He had repeated in his sleep the refrain, "There are others."

If his clan existed, he argued, why not other clans somewhere?

Was it not possible that in their society he could lose that tired feeling which had so oppressed him?

But moons had come and waned, he had traversed unknown leagues of morass and forest, crossed the tide of rushing rivers, and still nothing but packs of great hyenas, trumpeting mammoths, giant graminivorous and carnivorous mammalia and monstrous reptiles and amphibia.

Man was nil, and woman existed not.

If Chug had lived nowadays, he would have known what troubled his breast.

He would have found love in the eyes of beauty and become happy.

Poor Chug did not understand love. His soul yearned unconsciously.

His thoughts went back homeward.

It had not been quite so bad there as in this solitude.

He thought of how he built a house for his mother of the ribs of a horned iguandon that in life was 70 feet long, with legs thick as the fluted columns of a Corinthian temple.

He recalled how he used to arise early and build the fire, and how he once had mashed his finger while chopping kindling with the old stone ax.

An idea came to him as he stood there looking across the great sea.

Why not float upon its bosom on a raft and mayhap come upon another people?

Chug worked with feverish fervor, and in two days was launched upon his hazardous journey.

But, alas, as he was putting to shore a few days thereafter, an air breathing, cold blooded pleiosaurus, which was hidden in the reeds, suddenly shot its horrible head at him, its long, flexible neck seeming like a monstrous serpent.

Chug pushed away madly, tore himself loose from the jagged jaws, but fainted across his raft, and the tawny waters bore it out to sea, the rude funeral car of a post tertiary hero.

For days the apparently dead voyager floated.

His system stood the strain, and the spark of life remained due to the fashion of the time of eating but once a week or so.

Chug had dined the day prior to his misadventure.

Old Chief Tushe-tushe of the fishermen at the mouth of the river, now known as the Arkansas, intercepted the raft and found Chug.

After due consideration among the tribe it was decided to put him to death.

The Tushe-tushes had dwelt by the sea many generations, and the legends gave their origin as the children of a gigantic mastodonsaurus which had formerly infested the coast.

Their village was on the site of the present city of Wichita, somewhere near the soap works, and was laid out in town lots even into the bed of the sea.

They were brown skinned, beardless, and with hair black as the alluvial soil and stiff as the whiskers of the giant post tertiary leopard.

Their numbers had brought about many improvements in the mode of living, such as wearing loin cloths of native grasses and the hanging of shells from the ear and nose.

For generations the fashion of flattening the forehead had prevailed.

Chug had small hands and feet, was hairy as a cavedion and were whiskers, and besides his head was not flattened.

Such a monstrosity could not be permitted to live.

The natural curiosity of the Tushetushes, however, impelled them to nurse Chug to life to see what he was like when well.

The task of nursing Chug fell to Sunbird, the only daughter of the old chief.

She marveled at the brawny proportions of the strange voyager.

She whiled away the long hours by plaiting his whiskers and grooming his brown fur until he shone like a blooded carriage horse.

Sunbird was young and impressionable.

She had been wooed by every youth of the clan, had listened for awhile, and then repulsed every man of them.

No woman of the tribe was so beautifully shaped as Sunbird, nor was there so smart a flathead among the Tushetushes.

She had a Trilby foot and the shoulders of a Lillian Russell.

Her old father loved her devotedly, still he chided her.

"You are getting much too gay for the tribe, my precious darling," he would say in his blunt, rough way.

During Chug's convalescence his days were sweet with newness.

Instead of bullet headed Spat-Spat, covered with fur like a megatherium, here was a creature with a head like a triangle, and with a graceful figure, smooth and soft to the touch, and the broiled steak of post tertiary reindeer was charming to his palate.

The vocabulary of the language of Chug and Sunbird contained but 600 words and nurse and invalid could soon converse.

So happy was Chug that he hated to tell the story of the passion which filled his heart, and he reserved it from day to day.

But his stalwart form trembled with emotion as Sunbird's hand gently smoothed the fur of his broad shoulders.

When Sunbird's father comprehended the trend of affairs he did not grate his teeth because, as a matter of fact, he was a fish eater and toothless.

But he spoke his mind.

"Come—the pig is up!" he shouted, and dragged Chug to the place of execution.

This denouement astonished Chug so much that he was pinioned by withes of elastic bush before he could make up his mind to resist.

The executioner brandished a ponderous dinotherium fusk, when Sunbird dashed through the throng of Tushetushes and wrested it from him.

"Stand back!" she shrieked, with the furious mien of a post tertiary saber toothed tigress robbed of her cubs.

"I love him, and if he dies I d-i-e with him!" cried Sunbird as the tribesmen wavered before her as before the awful presence of a 50 foot high pterodactyl.

"What! that hairy animal with small hands and feet and little round head—that Populist freak!" yelled the old chief.

"I love him because he is so different from other men, papa. He is so perfectly unconventional!" replied Sunbird.

"That's all right," said old Tushetushe as he released Chug and blessed his children. "It will be my turn to laugh when you want a divorce, young woman! Remember that Chicago is only 20,000 years hence!"

But Chug eventually became chief of the tribe, and through his example the people became exceedingly mild mannered and took to whisker raising.—Kansas City Star.

He Mistrusted His Sex.

A Durham miner, aged 73, visited a Newcastle lawyer, a bachelor, for the purpose of making his will. The old man's property consisted of two small cottages, which had cost him £150, and a little furniture.

The lawyer having asked his client how he wished to dispose of his property, the latter replied:

"Ma auld woman hes to hov all so laug as she's ma widdow. Efther that ma hairns gets all."

"What age is your old woman?" asked the lawyer.

"Seventy-two," replied the miner.

"And how long have you and your wife been married?" asked the lawyer.

"Over 50 years," replied the miner.

Thereupon the lawyer suggested to his client that he should give the wife the interest during her life, whether she continued a widow or otherwise.

"Hinney, I winnot. I'll hev me aan way," said the miner.

"But, surely," replied the lawyer, "you don't expect your old woman, now 72 years old, would marry again after your death?"

The miner, looking the lawyer full in the face, answered, with much solemnity:

"Wey, hinney, thor's nae knaning what young cheps like yourself will do for money."—London Tit-Bits.

Seeking Safety.

Fraulein Mabel (to her young man)—But now you must ask papa for his consent.

Young Man (very shy)—Oh, certainly! Your—papa—has—I hope—a—telephone—at his—office?—Ueber Land und Meer.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning April 7. Conducted by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, Job's Piety and First Trial.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Job 1, 1-22.

Three months have been spent in the study of Old Testament symbols and New Testament interpretations. In all the worship of tabernacle and temple we found that the Christ of God was foreshadowed as high priest and sacrifice for sin. "Christ In All" was the topic of the quarter. It is appropriate that we now consider the subject of "Man Sinning and Suffering," which is the topic of the Bible study for the next three months. The lessons are taken from the book of Job. This is one of the most interesting books in all the volume of Christian Scriptures. It will well repay careful study. Many commentaries and explanations have been written, but nothing can be a substitute for careful reading and thought upon the word itself.

Much useless speculation has been expended on the question, "Was Job a real person?" Are the first chapter of the book and the conclusion of the last chapter true as history, or are the facts related imaginary? Endless debate can be indulged on these points, but all to little profit. The value of the book lies deeper than these things. The problem of human suffering and divine justice is the all absorbing theme. It is the question which has pressed for solution in all ages since men began to think of an Almighty Governor in the affairs of men. What is the relation of suffering to sin, and how does God stand over against the world of men in these things?

All piety and reverence are involved in the issue. What the man is in religious character will depend largely upon the view he takes of these matters. The lesson for this week opens the drama with disasters which wrecked the material prosperity of Job. Under all his trials and losses and sorrows he still preserves his integrity and trusts unwaveringly in God. In devout submission he recognizes God as righteous. "The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord."

Work or Die.

No chapter ever died of overwork. Some are in danger of dying of paralysis. Every one should do something in each department. Not all members can be interested in every branch of work, but each can do something. It is a serious mistake to entirely neglect any one of the great departments. A chapter which works exclusively in the devotional line and holds only prayer meetings may be much less spiritual than it would be if literary and social work also received attention. It is dangerous to starve any part of the nature. Narrowness is no mark of piety and may lead to censoriousness and even bigotry. Intelligent piety is our aim. The well rounded League is the strong League.

In Other Lands.

A chapter of the League was recently organized in Belfast, Ireland. This is the most Methodistic and thrifty town in the island. In Japan the native preachers are much interested in League work. Dr. Sturatz has been appointed secretary for India and Malaysia. One hundred charters have been forwarded to him to be issued to chapters in that field. A League paper is to be issued in Norwegian language. The constitution, bylaws and pledges have been translated into Spanish, Italian, Japanese and Norwegian, and charters will be issued in those languages. The German Leagues are numerous and full of zeal. We have several junior Leagues in Mexico, Norway and China.

Practical Mercy and Help.

One of our Leagues recently furnished the physicians of the city with 100 postal cards, accompanied with this request: "DEAR DOCTOR:—Please use these cards to inform us of cases which come under your observation where we can serve the needy or suffering. We will gladly furnish delicacies of any kind, medicine or watchers when needed. We offer our services without regard to the church affiliations of those who need our help."

This is a sample of the ways our young people are finding to make their sympathy with the suffering really helpful.

Getting Ready.

Chattanooga is preparing for a grand convention in June. The portraits of the local committee are published in a recent issue of The Epworth Era. The hotels on Lookout mountain and the homes of the citizens will be utilized. Some are planning to camp out on the mountain. A good time is assured all who attend. Reduced fares on all railroads are secured, and many excursions are planned. It will be such an occasion as was never before seen. It will be a meeting not for sentimentality, but there will be plenty of deep, true Christian sentiment.

The Ministry of Pain.

Mysterious it often seems that we are called to suffer so much pain of body and perplexity of mind. When tempted to despondency, it is strengthening to remember that Christ suffered more for us, and that his Spirit will give grace for every hour of trial. Pain becomes blessed to us if it only brings the consciousness of his favors.

Spiritual Work.

All work should be truly spiritual. Mercy and help, literary and social, and surely the financial work should have the deep true spirit of devotion pervading and consecrating all.

Cheerfulness.

'Tis well to work with a cheerful heart
Wherever our fortunes call,
With a friendly glance and an open hand
And a gentle word for all.

Since life is a thorny and difficult path,
Where toil is the portion of man,
We all should endeavor while passing along
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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the thirty-first day of January, 1891, Charles Shaler and Rosa Shaler mortgaged to Henry Smith all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the township of Macon, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: All that part of the southeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said section and running thence north on the east line of said section seventy-four (74) rods; thence west on the south line of land now, or formerly, owned by one Talbot, and on the south line of Linton's land, forty-nine (49) rods to the southwest corner of said Linton's said land; thence north on west line of said Linton's land twenty-six (26) rods to Sherman's land, formerly so called; thence west on south line of said Sherman's land fourteen and two-thirds (14⅔) rods to the southwest corner thereof; thence north on the west line of said Sherman's land sixty (60) rods to the north line of said quarter section; thence west on north line of said quarter section fifty-six (56) rods to Miller's land; thence south on east line of said Miller's said land one hundred and sixty (160) rods to the south line of said section; thence east on the south line of said section one hundred and twenty (120) rods to the place of beginning; containing ninety-two (92) acres of land, more or less, also, all that part of section twenty-eight (28) of town five (5) south of range five (5) east bounded as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the center line of the Ridge road with the west line of said section; thence southeasterly at right angles with said Ridge road eight (8) rods; thence southwesterly twenty-three (23) rods to the southwest corner of said section; thence north on west line of said section to place of beginning; to secure the payment of four thousand dollars ten years from the date thereof, with interest at seven per cent per annum, payable annually. Which mortgage was, on the 12th day of February, 1891, recorded in the register of deeds' office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 115, of Mortgages, on pages 398, etc., and said mortgage contains a provision that, in case any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof on any day whereon the same is made payable, as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrears for the space of thirty days, then the aforesaid principal sum of four thousand dollars, with all arrearages thereon, shall, at the option of said parts of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter.

Default having been made in the payment of the interest to the amount of twelve hundred, ninety-five and 89-100 dollars, and the same having remained unpaid and in arrear for more than thirty days, the undersigned mortgagee hereby elects to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of five thousand, two hundred, ninety-five and 89-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys so due and unpaid on said mortgage, and the interest thereon from the date of this notice hereafter to become due, the costs and expense of this foreclosure and sale, and the attorney's fee provided by law, the said above described lands and premises will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden,) on the twenty-second day of June 1895, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Dated March 29, 1895.

HENRY SMITH, Mortgagee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 4th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Jacob Totten, a brother of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Berkley Griffin, of Dover, Lenawee county, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 23 day of April next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A true Copy).
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect March 25, 1894.

GOING NORTH.

TRAINS LEAVE MILAN,
6:43 A. M., 11:05 A. M., 3:42 P. M.,

—FOR—

Ann Arbor, Howell, Owoss, Ithaca, St. Louis, Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Clare, Marion, Cadalac, Frankfort and all Northern Michigan Points.

GOING SOUTH

Trains leave Dundee,
6:20 a. m. 11:15 a. m. 3:02 p. m.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 349. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 40 P.M.
Napoleon.....	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell.....	6 37 "	2 39 "	1 30 "
Manchester.....	6 45 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh.....	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	6 25 "	.....
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 336. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 05 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT January 6, 1895

EAST. No. 85 Loc.	No. 93 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 22 Pass	No. 94 Pass
	A. M. 11 30		L....Allegan....A	P. M. 1 40	
	11 54		Monteith.....	1 14	
	A. M. 12 34		Yorkville.....	12 34	A. M.
A. M. 7 00	1 01		Battle Creek.....	12 05	1 25
8 20	7 45	1 21	Marshall.....	11 30	12 33
9 05	8 25	1 58	Homer.....	11 06	11 49
9 55	9 11	2 28	Hanover.....	10 38	11 02
10 20	10 05	3 05	Addison.....	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 31	3 12	Devils Lake.....	9 58	9 54
12 50	10 59	3 25	Onsted.....	9 40	9 30
.....	10 34	3 32	Sand Lake.....	9 32	*9 25
1 20	10 48	3 39	Tipton.....	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 54	Tecumseh.....	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	4 04	Ridgeway.....	9 00	8 37
2 30	11 28	4 08	Britton.....	8 56	8 30
2 49	11 39	4 21	Rea.....	8 42	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 30	Dundee.....	8 32	7 57
6 30	1 00	5 20	A.....Toledo.....L	7 25	6 30
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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TIME TABLE

TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS LEAVE ADRIAN, as Follows

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51 —Local Mail and Express	10:28 a m
*No. 53 —Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No 59—St. Louis Express	5:20 p m
*No. 55 —Pacific Express	11:27 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 54 —Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 8 —N. Y. Limited	6:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	6:55 p m

†Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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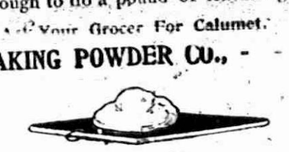

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Easter a week from next Sunday.

Farmers have begun their spring plowing.

We are sorry to hear of Grandma Osgood's illness, at this writing.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, visited his parents the forepart of the week.

J. W. Osborn and wife spent Sunday at Hudson, with Dr. R. H. Nelson and family.

It reads for supervisor, C. L. Lowe; Clerk, Samuel Kniffen; Treasurer, D. W. Smith.

Mrs. George Heath, of Toledo, visited her neice, Mrs. Sarah Rappleye, the past week.

Mrs. Lafayette Rappleye with her aunt, Mrs. Heath, spent Sunday near Adrian with friends.

Mrs. W. L. Jones and daughter May, went to Hudson, Thursday, to visit Dr. R. H. Nelson and family.

Uncle Purdy Haight, who has been poorly most of the winter, is failing very rapidly at present.

Helen Foster, of Toledo, visited at A. J. Sutton's home a part of last week, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Montgomery, who were reported under the doctor's care last week, are on the gain.

Prof. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, is spending a portion of the week with his father, Dr. Loree and family.

Mrs. S. Countryman, of Plainwell, was called here the first of the week by the sickness of her daughter, Mrs. H. Beedle.

Those who attended the maple sugar banquet, given by the Farmer's Club, at B. F. DePuy's, Friday night, report a fine time.

Mike Bachman has moved into Mrs. Andrews' house on North street, and Barney Maynard into A. J. Sutton's tenant house.

Will Harrington moved his family and household effects to Palmyra Saturday, where he will make his home the coming year.

Those under the doctor's care at present writing are, Rev. H. Cansfield, Uncle Sherman, Henry Barnes, Mrs. H. Beedle, Low M. Arner.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Allegan, who has been on the sick list for several week, came home Monday to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Jacob Aner.

There was a good attendance at the W. C. T. U. Lathrap memorial service held on Wednesday evening in the lecture room of the church. The program consisted of appropriate selections for the occasion were very interesting and successfully carried out.

Leon McRoberts, who has been working Uncle George Pocklington's farm for the past two years, has moved on to a farm of his own near Lansing. Oral Freer left with the car containing the household goods, farm tools and cows, on the local freight Wednesday.

EDITOR HERALD.—I received a copy of a publication mailed from Britton, and purporting to be the Britton Journal, devoted to the business and social interests of Britton and vicinity, containing a paragraph, the author of which makes himself quite familiar with my name, saying that "Frank DePuy is greatly exercised over a problem, now it is there is usually so many Irish on the republican ticket, and now, lo and behold! an Irishman is at the head of the democratic ticket in his own town," signed, 'One of the Irish.

And now for the benefit of that "One of the Irish" I ask Just a little space. I am not exercised nor even interested why or how the Irish get on the republican ticket. To the average mind it's plain enough the democrats don't want them, and the probibs won't have them, consequently they have no other place to go since the Fenian organization was broken up by the strong hand of the law. In our town to which they swarmed from the potato fields of Ireland, they own the republican ticket as to the petty offices, such as drain commissioner, etc. but have never been able yet to put one of their number on the head of the ticket, with one exception, that was when they elected John Boyd, a man eminently qualified for the position.

An Irishman at the head of the democratic ticket. Yes, we expected the republicans to nominate an Irishman, and we were going to "fight the devil with his kind." The equasion would have been to reduce majorities. Irishman represent democratic ticket—Irishman represent republican ticket—plus town meeting—wake, results two less voters.

In conclusion, I want to give this he, she, or it, who signs "One of the Irish," a little advice, and, I want he, she or it to ruminate on it. The Town of Macon is democratic; the better element in the town came to the polls in '93 and turned the thieving gang down and out. Since which time we have paid little attention to potatoes only to make equasions to reduce majorities. POINDEXTER.

Ripans Tabules: one gives relief

SCISSORS AND QUILL.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Miss Eunice Welch, a maiden lady, 80 years of age living alone about a mile and a half south of Palmyra village, was found dead on Saturday. She was last seen alive on Thursday.

The bloomer craze has not yet struck Hudson. Even the lady bicyclists are content to wear the old-fashioned skirts. Hudson ladies may not be progressive in this respect, but they are mighty sensible.

The best way to dispose of coal ashes is to use them on the walkways and paths. They soon make a hard surface. For filling up holes on the road they are excellent, and it will pay to collect them for such work.

The Hudson cheese factory began operations on Monday. The first day's product was an even half dozen of excellent cheese.—Hudson Gazette.

No trouble to make an even half dozen. It's when they make an odd half dozen, that the fact is worthy of note, neighbor.—Adrian Press.

A four-year-old son of Henry Bernholtz, of Riga, thought to have some fun with a calf and set the bushy end of its tail on fire. He had the fun, but the calf was badly burned, and so also was a straw stack. When the boy's father tanned the seat of his pants the youngster concluded there wasn't so much fun after all.

Many months ago J. R. Skutt, of Wheatland, had a pig which had one great failing. It ate so much that there was danger of making a hog of itself. As it ate and grew it assumed immense proportions, so that when it was sold last Saturday to Chas. Price it weighed 590 lbs., and Mr. Skutt's pocket book bulged out $23.60. Moral: The habit of making a hog of one's self almost always terminates fatally.—Hudson Post.

The clerical force in the court house and abstract office have noticed that much time and expense has been given to the instruction of agriculturists, horticulturalists and dairymen during the last few months and they are about to raise a fund to secure a teacher in penmanship to give instructions to Hank Smith, Alanson Bennett, Frank Priddy and D. B. Morgan, of our city, and John Riley, of Blissfield, Walter Burridge, of Tecumseh, and several others in outlying districts, and sincerely trust that they may improve so much that their writing can be read. Bennett and Burridge rather insist that a lady teacher be secured.—Adrian Telegram.

Last winter Carland & Head bought hay at Britton and some of the obligations were not paid. Geo. L. Snydam sued Mr. Carland for a balance of about $59. The case was tried in Justice Owen's court Monday afternoon, and a judgment for the amount was rendered after a bitter fight.—Dundee Ledger.

Yes, these are the chaps who brought suit against George Smith, one of the leading business men of Britton, charged with theft, and having him arrested in Toledo, O., but they finally abandoned the prosecution, and failed in their scheme to bleed him. It was the most outrageous case of malicious prosecution that ever came up in the county, and we hope he may yet bring them to account for it. Mr. Smith had done absolutely nothing to warrant the arrest or the complaint, and the prosecution was a most glaring abuse of judicial power.—Adrian Press.

Fast Time to the South.

The Mobile & Ohio Railroad has put on a double daily fast train service between St. Louis and the South. This makes the Mobile & Ohio the quickest as it is now the shortest route to Memphis, New Orleans, Mobile, Birmingham, and all Florida winter tourist points. All trains are equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet Drawing Room Sleepers and handsome easy riding day coaches. The Mobile & Ohio has always been popular with the traveling public, and this fast train service will make it still more so.

The C., J. & M. Extension.

Mr. Williams, the chief engineer of the C., J. & M. Railway Co., spent Tuesday and Wednesday making a personal inspection of the line surveyed by Brooklyn citizens for the extension of the roads of his company, (the M. & O. and the C. J. & M.) from Devil's Lake to Jackson. Mr. Williams was pleased with the easy construction and good grades which the route would afford. The claims of the projectors of the line were fully sustained. Mr. Williams said that he should make a favorable report of the route to the board of directors of his company. As to the immediate construction of the extension to Jackson there has been much favorable talk among the officials of the company, but he hopes and expects that there soon will be.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Senator Quay is in Florida, and it is expected that he will catch his usual large string of tarpon stories.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

A RESOLUTION fixing May 2 as the date for final adjournment was adopted by the Illinois senate.

TEN horses and twelve cows perished by the burning of Charles Jarrett's barn near Fort Dodge, Ia.

FIRE at West Superior, Wis., destroyed J. P. Nelson's property and his wife and three children were probably fatally burned.

THE home of Chris Christianson at Minot, N. D., was burned, and five of his nine children were cremated.

THE State bank of Stanton, Neb., went into voluntary liquidation.

JAMES KEELAN, a celebrated confederate spy, died in a hospital at Kansas City and was buried as a pauper.

AT Jefferson, Ia., the thermometer registered 90 degrees in the shade on the 27th.

THE mayor and board of trustees of Madison, [illegible] in office for permitting a malfeasance in office for permitting a gambling house to run.

BURGLARS, in an attempt to find hidden money, cruelly tortured Mrs. Mary Berger, aged 86 years, at Springfield, Ill.

FOUR counterfeiters, Jefferson May and John, James and Chauncey Boyer, were arrested at Rockford, Ill.

THE Clarence bank at Clarence, Mo., suspended with liabilities of $80,000.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY says that the printing of facsimiles of foreign postage stamps is a violation of the act of 1891, which prohibits the counterfeiting of foreign obligations or securities.

THE Auburn state bank, located at the village of Auburn, Ill., was robbed of something over $1,000 by burglars.

OFFICERS of the Queen & Crescent railroad intercepted train robbers at Greenwood, Ky., and killed two of them.

MISS AMY THILL, an actress, aged 24, was murdered in New York by John Bigelow, an actor, who then ended his own life.

THE firm of Malcolm & Waterbury, of Chicago, which did an extensive bucket-shop business in Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa, failed for $100,000.

STATISTICS show that 373 railroad companies in this country are now building, or contemplating doing so soon, 20,547 miles of new road.

BY the bursting of a reservoir near Newcastle, Col., several bridges were swept away and many farms were ruined.

A FIRE at St. Augustine, Fla., destroyed forty-nine residences and business houses, besides several smaller structures, entailing a loss of $100,000.

AT Jackson, Miss., a negro who insisted upon riding in a wagon with three white women was shot to death.

MRS. REACH, an eccentric character, died at Oshkosh, Wis., aged 100 years. Twenty years ago she purchased a coffin, and at her own request she was buried in it after she had used it a score of years for a bed.

TERRIBLE prairie fires were raging in the Otoe and Ponca Indian reservations several miles north of Perry, O. T.

C. L. WILLIAMS, of St. Louis, while temporarily insane, killed Catherine Kaeser, his aunt, and then committed suicide.

TREASURY officials in Washington agree in the opinion that the income tax applies to foreigners owning any property in this country, whether residents or nonresidents.

THE entire business portion of Canaseraga, N. Y., and thirty dwellings were burned, the loss being $100,000.

THE St. Paul Railway company discharged eleven engineers and thirty-five firemen from its division running into Fort Howard, Wis., because they frequented saloons.

THE district between Pleasantville, N. J., and Brigantine Junction was burned over by a forest fire, many buildings and a large quantity of timber being consumed, the loss aggregating thousand of dollars.

WYCKOFF, Minn., a town of about 600 inhabitants, was almost completely wiped out by fire.

THE New England coast was visited by a hurricane, the wind attaining a velocity of seventy-five miles an hour, and doing much damage to shipping.

CENTRAL Iowa was swept by dust storms, which partially obscured the sun and hindered railroad traffic.

FEDERAL officials at San Francisco unearthed a gang engaged in circulating forged Chinese residence papers.

MRS. FRANK ANNIS perished in her burning home near Fenton, Mich.

THE boiler of the Langston sawmill near Apple Valley, Ga., exploded, killing William Goode, John Langston and a negro woman.

THE Nonpartisan Women's Christian Temperance union at Kansas City decided to remove their hats at church services and all indoor meetings.

SAMUEL MCWILLIAMS, a notorious bandit, and a companion were shot down while robbing a store at Braggs Station, Ark.

THE wind reached a velocity of 75 miles an hour in New York, doing much damage to shipping.

THE theatrical company that left St. Louis to walk to New York in 105 days on a wager gave up the job at Effingham, Ill.

A MYSTERIOUS man, alleged to have been private secretary to the king of Sweden, died in poverty at Clinton, Ia.

TWO AMERICAN warships were ordered to Nicaragua, presumably to protect American interests.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 29th aggregated $888,359,464, against $959,491,395 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 20.8.

John L. Sullivan's drawing powers are greatly impaired. It appears that he can no longer draw either an audience or a sober breath.

SUCCESS!

The Mabley, Harvey AND Company Opening.

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CROWDED FROM MORNING TILL NIGHT.

Beautiful Floral Offerings were received from many of the leading wholesale merchants throughout the country, together with kindly letters wishing them every success. Congratulatory telegrams have been [illegible] all day from their friends throughout the country.

A superb floral horseshoe, a gift from the employees, reading in letters of flowers "We are With You to Succeed," occupied a conspicuous place near the front entrance. The whole exterior of the building was beautifully decorated with flags and the interior with flowers. A band discoursed sweet music on the second floor during the afternoon and evening. The firm gave away a beautiful souvenir picture, finely mounted, representing a couple of comical little darkies.

Mr. Mabley, who by the way is a nephew of the late C. R. Mabley, and Mr. Harvey, the proprietors, were kept busy all day shaking hands with their friends, and Mr. Mabley announces that he will always be found on the floor of the store showing goods and waiting on customers.

The immense stock of Clothing, Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods, all new and fresh, were admired by everybody. All goods marked in plain figures and the army of Clerks are courteous and obliging and are all thoroughly experienced in their different departments. The firm invite our readers to call upon them. Remember the location,

State St. & Woodward Ave. DETROIT.

SILVER in very rich quantities was discovered in the mountains in Wayne county, W. Va.

THE Bank of Canton, Kan., suspended. It had $6,000 capital and $17,000 deposits and was a private concern.

THERE were 234 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 29th, against 278 the week previous and 238 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE Bristol (Tenn.) Bank and Trust company assigned with liabilities of $24,720.

THE hottest weather ever known in the northwest in March prevailed on the 29th, the mercury reaching 90 degrees above zero in some places. The average in Iowa and Illinois was 80 degrees.

THE residence of Israel Higbie, a wealthy farmer of Northport, L. I., was burned, and his daughter, Mrs. William Reeves, and her young daughter were burned to death.

THE direct inheritance tax levied by the last Ohio legislature was declared unconstitutional by the circuit court at Cincinnati.

REPORTS from the middle and northwestern states indicated that crops were in great danger by reason of drought.

A MILLION pounds of sugar, alleged to contain arsenic, was sold at auction at Philadelphia for $4,000.

JOHN A. BROWN, aged 30, shot his wife, aged 24, in Philadelphia, and then committed suicide. Domestic trouble was the cause.

THE question of removing the capital of Minnesota from St. Paul to Minneapolis was decided in favor of St. Paul.

THE boiler in a sawmill at East Leon, O., blew up. D. J. Ingersoll, the owner, and his uncle, Denziel Ingersoll, were instantly killed.

A BEEF famine, the most alarming in the history of the trade for many years, threatened the entire eastern section of the country.

REV. W. E. BROWN, of the Shiloh Baptist church (colored), at Fredericksburg, Va., baptized 150 converts, the largest number of persons ever immersed at one time in the state.

THREE persons were killed, two fatally injured and ten others slightly hurt by jumping from a runaway trolley car on the mountain near Janesville, Pa.

HEAVY snowstorms prevailed in Colorado and rains fell in the western and middle states, greatly benefiting crops.

MRS. WILBUR BARRY, of Battle Creek, Mich., while in a fit of temporary insanity shot her husband and then shot herself.

A FILIBUSTERING expedition, the object of which is to seize Honolulu and depose the present Hawaiian government, was said to be fitting out in San Francisco.

HENRY THORNE, owner of a stock farm near Fort Recovery, O., shot and killed his wife and then hanged himself. Financial trouble had unsettled his mind.

AUGUST SWANSON, of Clinton, Ia., beheaded his 7-year-old son, using a hand ax to commit the murder.

THE official monthly statement of treasury receipts and expenditures for March shows the expenditures over receipts were $750,000.

AN assignment was made by the Willow Springs (Mo.) bank.

AN abstract of sanitary reports, as made by the surgeon general in Washington, shows the presence of smallpox in twenty-one states of the union, during the past winter, the total number of deaths from the disease being 393.

TWO BANDITS held up a train near Wheatland, Cal., and Sheriff Bogard and one of the robbers were killed.

EDGAR A. COHEN, commission merchant at San Francisco, failed for $331,090.

FIRE destroyed a barn in Fowler, O., belonging to Mrs. Ruth Sigler and with it fifty-six sheep and four horses.

PRAIRIE fires which had been raging in western Nebraska for three days had destroyed a large number of ranches.

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A Denver woman has started a paper called the Kiss, and a Pennsylvanian has started another called the Kick. The former will probably take the best; but the latter will be the most elevating.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Anzolette Osgood, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 20th day of April, 1895, and on the 23th day of March, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 5, 1895

HENRY C. CONKLING,
HORACE WELLER,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D., 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 67, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 189 , at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west, parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 6, 1895. ABIGAIL FISHER,
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ITTON BUDGET.

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[illegible]lis Helm was at Hudson Monday siness.

[illegible]n Hillock has moved into Walter by's house.

[illegible]. Cheever visited Tecumseh the of the week.

[illegible]tha Britton visited friends in ee Sunday.

[illegible]se of measels is reported in Mrs. s Wigle's family.

[illegible] Nelson, of Hudson, made Britton rt call Wednesday.

[illegible] game of Britton vs Lake Ridge stponed till to-morrow.

[illegible]tographer Welling was taking hot views of the city last week.

[illegible]. Driggs, of Palmyra, the well hay baler, was in town Friday.

[illegible] Dascher had a narrow escape ggy telescoped on the Mackinaw g Monday.

[illegible]g along your best cabinet and o the photograph social at G. A. Saturday night.

[illegible] Maynard moved into town from Monday. Mr. Maynard is car or for the Wabash.

[illegible] Osgood has moved his barn, about completes his improve- on his place in town.

[illegible]e is talk that the office of the *Journal* will be moved from ugh to the seat of action.

[illegible]t Kiffen has two splendid coach colts which he is proud to anyone as samples of his stock.

[illegible]naw local freight engine No. 20 her eccentric and was laid up three hours at this station this

[illegible]der how the Britton Journal gets echoes news? We supposed the gs had always been held on ay.

[illegible]nds of M. D. Britton will be glad r that he has secured the position nt and operator over the T. & A. St. Louis, Mich.

[illegible]stone is on the ground for the tion of the new C. J. & M. eleva- The elevator at Ridgeway will be down one week from Sunday.

[illegible] limited time I will give a book s with a quarter's worth of Ban- p free, the world's best laundry 2w LEE BROS. Britton.,

[illegible]stalwart fishermen cast their d fate in Twin Lakes last Sat- ight. They caught mostly fate ven fish, weighing two pounds

[illegible] Chauncey Saxton, of Rea, well in Britton and vicinity, was r taken with a stroke of paraly- esday, dying about one o'clock ght.

[illegible] Gripton missed his bicycle one cently, and suspects, from the behaved afterward that some ladies of the town had been prac- on it. Don't forget to take out s bar next time, girls, before de.

[illegible]t. Hoagland experienced quite an de with a new buggy recently as t of which he carries two sur- stiches in his epithelial integu-

[illegible] We suppose it must have been way though we were unable to in for certain.

[illegible]b Heiser died of blood poisoning eek. He accidently stepped on a unning the rusted metal into his k jaw ensued as a result of the ound and at last blood poison- in, causing his death in eleven er the accident.

[illegible]dge shipped his goods to Chi- dnesday, where he will make re home with his son. His s friends and parishioners will o learn, however, that Brother till retains the pastorate of his ere till January next at least, here three Sundays out of other in Chicago.

[illegible]ck as Chas. Underwood was land roller from the field the caught on a gate post, throw- W. onto the whiffletrees. The came frightened, draging him al rods. He fortunately escap- might have been a seaious ac- th slight bruises.

[illegible] the breeding and training of pigeons has become so popular it, many birds are sent to Brit- liberated for a trial trip home. lark sent back about 200 Wed- After the birds have a few e fleetest are chosen and a con- the best time to Detroit is had various owners.

[illegible] Mary Morrison, who lives near died of heart failure Thursday. Mrs M. was subject to at- this disease, her death was un- and a shock to her friends. attended a wedding of a neigh- ert distance from her home, was wn while returning and died a me after being taken to her The deceased was a sister of nes Haight and E. B. Price.

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HOLLOWAY HASH

Sheriff Wilson was in the burg Tuesday.

Levi Chase and wife were in town Tuesday.

We need rain badly as it is very dry and dusty.

Everybody is making garden these nice pleasant days.

James Sutherland, of Adrian, was a visitor in town Sunday.

G. H. Winship and wife, of Adrian, were callers in town Friday.

Brown & Rothfus are agents for gasoline stoves with which they can supply the public.

Sleeper & Bowerman shipped a carload of sheep and cattle from this place Saturday.

Chas. Anthony and family are moving in the house formerly occupied by Dexter Still.

Ice cream took well at the concert, if it was April weather, and much more could have been sold.

Stephen Galloway and wife, of Raisin Center, were guests at the birth day party at James Lane's.

Esther Fish is stopping at Seneca Station attending Miss Brown's branch store of milliner goods in that place.

Stella Anthony went to Adrian Wednesday, returning Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Dole, who has been quite sick.

The social committee are very thankful to the church and all others for their liberal patronage to the Jackson concert.

Joe Hartman and family left Thursday morning to try the northern climate; their future home is near Traverse City.

Aunt Lucretia Hall celebrated her 84th birth day with a dinner to her old friends and neighbors; a pleasant time was spent by all present.

Mrs. A. J. Stead was a passenger for Detroit to the Woman's Foreign Missionary convention, of which she was a delegate from this church.

The musical concert given by the Jackson family and assistants was greeted with a big house and was one of the finest that ever greeted a Holloway audience. The Jackson family are expert musicians and too much praise cannot be said of them, for they are superb and compliments are theirs. We hope to have them come again; net receipts $18.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Elmer Camburn is spending a few days with friends in the north.

Dame Rumor whispers of orange blossoms, but we have not yet received official notification.

A number of our Christian Endeavorers attended the C. E. convention at Tecumseh last Tuesday.

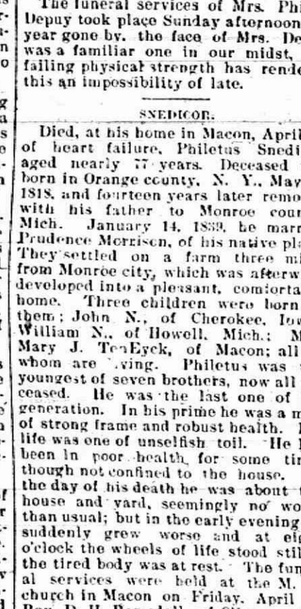
John Sneidcor, of Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. William Snedicor, of Howell, were in this place last week to attend the funeral services of their father.

The new store of Burleson & Hunter in the "Dewdrop" presents an attractive appearance and the citizens once more appreciate the privilege of having the postoffice in a room by itself.

The funeral services of Mrs. Phillip Depuy took place Sunday afternoon. In year gone by, the face of Mrs. Depuy was a familiar one in our midst, but failing physical strength has rendered this an impossibility of late.

SNEDICOR.

Died, at his home in Macon, April 23, of heart failure, Philetus Snedicor, aged nearly 77 years. Deceased was born in Orange county, N. Y., May 18, 1818, and fourteen years later removed with his father to Monroe county, Mich. January 14, 1839, he married Prudence Morrison, of his native place. They settled on a farm three miles from Monroe city, which was afterward developed into a pleasant, comfortable home. Three children were born to them; John N., of Cherokee, Iowa; William N., of Howell, Mich.; Mrs. Mary J. TenEyck, of Macon; all of whom are living. Philetus was the youngest of seven brothers, now all deceased. He was the last one of his generation. In his prime he was a man of strong frame and robust health. His life was one of unselfish toil. He has been in poor health for some time, though not confined to the house. On the day of his death he was about the house and yard, seemingly no worse than usual; but in the early evening he suddenly grew worse and at eight o'clock the wheels of life stood still—the tired body was at rest. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church in Macon on Friday, April 26 Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, of Clinton, officiating. His children were all present at his funeral, as were also the eldest and youngest members of the succeeding generation, namely: Artemas D. Snedicor, of Ypsilanti, and Charles H., of Tecumseh. His body rests in the Tecumseh Cemetery beside that of his wife who crossed the river some eleven years ago. If his epitaph is ever written may it be, "He hath done what he could."



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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Have you planted a tree today?

Jno. Riley now rolls cigars in Adrian.

Jno. Gagne has gone to work in Jackson.

Mrs. David McNair has just returned from Colorado.

F. L. Davis of Louisiana is visiting at John Fisher's.

Mrs. Maria De Puy of Detroit is visiting at J. M. Jones.

Miss Jane Corlette of Toledo, spends Sunday in Tecumseh.

This is Arbor Day, but where is the rain to make the trees grow?

Mrs. Mary Marshall has returned from an extended visit at Bay City.

H. S. Lee leaves today for Virginia and Harry Root goes with him.

The U. of M. literary class of '95 numbers 242, the largest on record.

E. J. Hollister, the reclaimer of bad lands, was in his old haunts last week.

Robt. Cairns is independant of the water works with a bran new aermotor.

The Detroit papers noted the clearance of the Marquette from Toledo on the first.

Rev. C. S. Lester and S. L. Lester spent a few days with relatives here this week.

Mrs. W. H. Beaumont, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. Snedicor.

Attorneys W. C. Burridge and J. W. Wightman had business in the Circuit Court yesterday.

The Base Ball season is opening up about us with much activity. Shall we have a team this season?

Mr. Dole and wife, of Adrian, spent the Sabbath with R. J. W. Bowen's family in West Tecumseh.

Misses Dora and Emma Shultz and Miss Palmer were the guests of Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman this week.

Go and see the Maccabees under the search light at Sutton's Opera House next Tuesday evening.

A law and order league has been organized in Clayton. We are pleased to know that our neighbors realize their needs.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heesen left this week to spend the summer with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Myers, at Nashville, Ill.

Mr. Darnton, of the Adrian Times, is taking a short lay off on account of illness. Will F. Agnew takes his place on the staff.

The wall around the north penstock of the big Globe mill water wheel gave way this morning. This is a most serious break, requiring much time and expense to repair.

To-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Sutton's opera house, the sewing machine drawing will take place. All who are so inclined, are cordially invited to be present.

Frank and Chris. Wallinger have moved their saloon business from Clinton to Tecumseh and are doing business in the place formerly occupied by Hadley Warner.

A vote of thanks was tendered by the local Endeavorers to the ladies who so kindly assisted, and to Anderson & Co. and G. H. Tansley for furniture etc. used during the convention.

Royal Arch work next Wednesday evening, May 8, in Tecumseh chapter, No. 42, R. A. M. A banquet will be served, and companions from Manchester, Clinton and Adrian will be there. Let all companions attend.

Rev. Frank Hoyt will give his celebrated lecture entitled 'The Maccabees under the Search Light,' at the opera house next Tuesday evening. Seventy-eight stereopticon views will be shown. Not only Maccabees, but outsiders as well, will be interested in this lecture. Admission free.

The hall was crowded Friday evening on the occasion of the repetition of Rev. Frank Hoyt's stereopticon lecture on 'K. O. T. M. Up to Date.' The largely increased audience and the fact that so many attended the first presentation were glad to pay their money to enjoy a repetition of the same lecture is the best possible proof of the entertainment. Mr. Hoyt is a speaker of such eloquence that it would require nothing but his word pictures to interest an audience, and with the wonderful life-like views to illustrate his language, his power over his listeners is unbroken. The lecture opens with an interesting history of the ancient Maccabees, profusely illustrated. Then there are side-splitting burlesque initiation views. What it means to be a Maccabee is made impressive by pictures as well as words, and the pitiful pictures of misery and wretchedness by which the lecturer portrays what it means not to be a Maccabee, brought tears to many strong men's eyes.—Independent Democrat, Petosky, Mich., Feb. 1, 1895.

High School Happenings.

Very quiet at school this week.

The weather is rather dusty in our vicinity.

Philosophy class are hustling over the subject "Light."

May day was not very ceremoniously observed Wednesday.

Prof. Kellogg is troubled with a swollen eye this week.

Dandelion greens were served in Botany class on Thursday.

Quite a number of the scholars attended the C. E. convention Tuesday.

Reduced Rate Excursions to Boston

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account 26th Triennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the direct and only double track line from the west to Boston.

OBITUARY.

The following notice is taken from the Dundee, N. Y. Observer. The deceased was a resident of Tecumseh and Ridgeway many years ago, and many of the older residents of these towns will remember him. He was a shoemaker by trade and worked for B. J. Bidwell for some time. He then served thro' the war and in 1866 moved to New York state.

In this village, on Sunday, March 24, 1895, George W. Dense, in the 69th year of his age.

Deceased was born in Starkey, Aug. 20, 1826, and with the exception of a few years' residence in Michigan, about 35 years ago, he has passed his days in the home of his childhood. Mr. Dense was twice married, his first wife being Mary Ann Mattison. Three children were born of this marriage, but only one is now living, Frank, who resides in Toledo, Ohio. His first wife died Aug. 5, 1857. In March, 1858, while residing in Michigan, he married Lizzie R. Stone, who survives him. Two children were born to them but both are dead.

Mr. Dense was a veteran of the late war, having joined the army while in Michigan. He enlisted Oct. 8, 1861, in Company K, Third Michigan Cavalry, and served his country honorably and faithfully for four years. He was a charter member of Cook Post, No. 71, G. A. R., and filled important offices in his Post.

At the early age of 21 Brother Dense was made a Mason. For twenty five years he served as Junior Deacon of Dundee Lodge, having resigned the position last January on account of failing health. He was at once made an honorary member of the Lodge, in recognition of his faithful and valued services.

Deceased followed the occupation of drayman. For twenty five years this was his chief business, and until the construction of the Fall Brook road he did business between Dundee and Starkey. Upon the opening of that road he dropped the Starkey route, and confined himself to village service. He handled all the freight and express matter for every business man in Dundee. He made all collections, and thousands of dollars of other people's money passed through his hands. Not a penny of it was ever misplaced. He was strictly honest, a true Christian, and a man respected by everyone. Instead of wealth, he has left behind him that which is far better,—a good name, a clean record, and an example worthy the emulation of all.

The funeral services will be held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the M. E. church, of which he was a member. The services at the grave will be under the auspices of the Masons, with the Grand Army Post acting as an escort. Burial in Hillside. During the funeral services the business places of the village will be closed.

'Dear me, said young Mrs. Hunimune, 'I must see our grocer right away.' 'What for?' asked her husband. 'I have some instructions to give him. I want to tell him to make our coffee a little stronger and our butter a little weaker.

Jimmy: 'Timmy Grogan is talkin' of gettin' him a bisickle.' Micky: 'Him? He ain't got the price fer de wind wot goes in de tires.'

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Have you seen our new Spring and Summer Goods? A nice line of Summer weights. We have just received a large invoice of

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

WATER RATES—Water rates for the season of 1895 are now due and must be paid within twenty days from date hereof; all rates payable at the office of the Clerk of Water Board.
Dated May 1, 1895. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

VICTOR BICYCLE—For sale cheap, if taken soon. A rare chance for a bargain. Call at the HERALD OFFICE.

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PAINTING—M. L. Gillis is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Montague's Novelty Store.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two village lots with dwellings thereon and Green house property in Brownville. For terms enquire of the undersigned.
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FOR SALE—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Don't write, but come and see me, two miles west of Tecumseh.
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FOR SALE OR RENT—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap.
ALFRED JAMES.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 3, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Do you dance to night?

A. W. Slayton is in Detroit this week.

Miss Margaret Grey visited at Detroit Saturday.

C. D. Keyes visited in Detroit the fore part of the week.

Frank Kennedy, of Macon, visited his village Saturday.

G. W. Tansley, of Addison, visited his son George, Tuesday.

Geo. Gilbert, who is working at Jackson, Sundayed in Tecumseh.

Milan Sage, of Macon, is serving on the jury at Adrian this term.

Grant Fellows, of Hudson, made this village a flying visit Saturday.

Hudson Davenport leaves this week for Bay City for an unlimited stay.

Dr. Shoebottom heals the ills of horse flesh at Ed. Clark's barn in Clinton every Thursday.

Mrs. James Gregg and daughter, Mrs. Gamble, returned from their western trip last week.

Miss Deborah Meriss, pastor of the friends church at Rollin, is visiting here for a few days.

Miss Lottie Aten, who has been visiting in Deerfield for the past few weeks, returned home Saturday,

Rev. J. P. Varner of the Methodist church will have for his subject next Monday night, 'Mount Sinai.'

Our genial friend Dudley Macham, of Brooklyn, shook hands with Tecumseh people Sunday and Monday.

We print elsewhere a complete program of the May Musical Festival to be held at Ann Arbor, May 17, and 18.

Mrs. Sidney Clarkson and sons, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday in this village and also visited relatives in Macon.

Take your eggs to L. D. Dewey's; he will pay you eleven cents a dozen, which is better than selling to the wagon buyer for ten cents.

Henry Mensing moved his family to Adrian this week, where he will make his future home. We wish Henry every success in the Buckeye state.

Miss Nettie Southworth, who has been visiting with Paul Bowen's family and other friends in Washington D. C., several months, returned Monday.

Regular service at usual hour in the morning at the Presbyterian church. The eighth illustrated lecture on the 'Wonderful Nazerene' in the evening.

There are all sorts of ways to 'work your row.' Monday it was noticed that one of our astute townsmen played a game of ball with little Eva for a comp.

C. Hopkins, of Jackson, who has been here afternoon and night run as postal clerk on the Lake Shore spent Monday forenoon with his father-in-law, R. W. Hopkins.

Bring on your eggs. Dewey's is the place. Dewey is the man that puts up the coin. Also bring on your wool. We are more for wool than any other house.

Uncle Tom's Uncle Tom troupe played to a good house Monday night. The band, orchestra and specialties were excellent.

A new law just passed by the state legislature provides a penalty of $50 fine and 30 days in jail for persons who maintain hives of bees on their premises within 90 feet of the public highway.

Wilcox has had an intimate acquaintance with all kinds of buzz-saws for thirty years, but never tried to run two hands with one till recently. He greets his well meant cordiality.

Baby Marie Wednesday.

C. H. Reed visited Adrian Wednesday.

J. M. Bittman was a Toledo visitor Thursday.

Oscar Stimpson, of Saline, was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Miss Cora Payne, of Adrian, is visiting in Tecumseh this week.

Miss Florence Greene, of Clinton, spent a few days in town this week.

Tom Owens has taken the place of Bay Wiggins at C. H. Williamson's.

W. C. Burridge attended the Supreme Court at the State Capitol this week.

Editor J. J. Wood, of the Hudson Republican, was on our streets Monday.

Mrs. Kate Cleveland, of Detroit, is making a few weeks' stay in Tecumseh.

Ora McBride has taken up his residence in Sam Haight's house in Brownville.

The HERALD office is indebted to Mrs. Ketcham for a beautiful vase of hyacynths.

Mell Barnes, of Milan, interested in the Stimpson Scale Co., was in town Wednesday.

Frank Bittman, engineer on the Lake Shore, called on his brother, J. M. Bittman, Wednesday.

Satterthwaite Bros. will soon have ready a commodious warehouse in the rear of their store.

Col. Elliot Gray reports a very pleasant time and successful hunt on St. Clair flats last week.

Miss O'Mealy and Miss Dillon, of Adrian, called on Miss Hattie Whittier the last of last week.

Harry Martin, with the wholesale house of J. V. Farwell & Co., Chicago, was home over Sunday.

The Tecumseh Table Co., are in receipt of large orders which indicate a very flattering outlook.

The many friends of Miss May Bourne welcome her back from her extended sojourn in Kentucky.

Baby Marie, the marvelous child, pianist and vocalist, at Armory Hall, Wednesday evening, May 8th.

The Misses Edna Walker and Lottie Lane, of Adrian, were guests of Miss Stacy, during the convention.

Barnum & Bailey's advance agent was securing the bill boards in town last week. The show will be in Adrian July 18.

Chas. Montgomery, Clement Hardenburg and Truman Crossman went to Toledo Tuesday to ship on the Marquette.

Miss Clyde Marsteller of Clinton and friend Miss Maude Windsor of Leamington, Ont, were Tecumseh visitors Thursday.

Pastor H. A. Smith will speak at the Baptist church next Sunday evening on the topic, 'Lessons to be learned from the Angelus.'

All lovers of music will be glad to hear that the junior auxiliary of the Episcopal church have secured Baby Marie for Wednesday, May 8th.

Stein and Frank, the Detroit opticians, who have become quite well known through their work in town, will be at the Lilley House for the week beginning May 13.

Pingree Lancaster has volunteered to plant the town of Clinton to a poor farm potato patch and began operations there the first. His plan is also to sow wheat between the rows.

Baby Marie Edwards has met with the most flattering success in Illinois and Wisconsin, where she has played to crowded houses during the past two months. Do not fail to hear her.

C. E. Williamson shipped 144,000 eggs Wednesday in one car. This was pretty nearly a car load, and should the journals get hot and hatch them out some one would have a lot of broilers.

J. I. Pierce, of Como, Ill., visited his brother-in-law, Ed. Snedicor, from Saturday until Wednesday. Mr. Pierce and Ed. prepared the stock and made the first sheet of paper that was ever made in Tecumseh.

Dr. F. Zeigfeld, president of the Chicago Musical College says of Baby Marie: 'Her perfect perception of pitch amounts almost to a sixth sense, and cannot be explained.' I regard her blackboard work as marvelous.'

There will be no services at the Friend's church next Sabbath, as many of the congregation will be compelled to attend the quarterly meeting at Ypsilanti. If any remain they are invited to attend other churches.

C. A. Slayton has rented the Jno Heck building, on Railroad street to better accommodate his increasing business in agricultural implements. The farmer's hereabouts have to look at things and they must have room to do it.

Mrs. Milancy, wife of P. S. DePuy, died last Friday morning. Mrs. DePuy had been ailing for about two weeks but was thought to be recovering. She was taken worse Thursday night and passed away the next day. A suitable obituary will appear later.

The new foreman of the HERALD, Mr. W. B. Odion, has had twenty years' experience in all branches of the printing business and is thoroughly equipped to fill the place acceptably. He has been foreman of the Hudson Republican since that paper started, is an up-to-date job printer and a skillful pressman. The "Old Reliable" is still on deck, better prepared than ever to meet all demands upon it, both in the job printing and newspaper branches.

Evening service will be held this month at 7:30 o'clock at the Episcopal church. Communion service next Sabbath evening at 8 o'clock.

The quarterly meeting of the Friends church will be held at Ypsilanti, commencing on Saturday, also Sunday of this week. The attendance of as many as can be present is earnestly requested.

Frank B. Rae, the well known electrician who made the estimates for the municipal plant of Detroit, was before the council Monday evening, presenting facts, figures and estimates for electrical construction.

Rev. D. J. Lowis left on an extended trip last Friday. He will stop at Cleveland, then go east to attend the yearly meeting of the Friends in New York State. He will also visit the New England states before his return.

The next meeting of the Raisin Teachers' Association will be held at Raisin Center, May 11, 1895. A good program has been prepared. All teachers are requested to be present promptly at 10 a, m. ELLA A. NORRIS, Sec.

Friday evening the first of a series of five lectures on Parlimentary law and practice will be given in the Universalist church. These five lectures are a capitulation of the winter's study of that subject. All interested are cordially invited. Lectures begin at 8:15 p. m.

Messrs. Reed, Moody and Coburn, of Mason, visited Tecumseh Tuesday to investigate our electric light system. This may read like a fairy story, but it can be credited when we know that the gentlemen labored under the impression that we had a new plant.

Mrs. Wellington White, ex-Missionary to China, delighted the audience at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, afternoon and evening. Mrs. White has the rare faculty of presenting the story of her varied experiences in an unusually entertaining and instructive manner.

The Forum for May will contain a noteworthy study of the career and character of Prince Bismark, by Col. Theodore A. Dodge, the well known military writer. Col. Dodge has recently returned from a long sojourn in Europe, and he has prepared this paper after fresh study of the historical events covered by Bismark's remarkable career.

An inventive genius has gotten up a contrivance that ought to sell like hot cakes in church circles. It is in the shape of a triumph in its way. The coin falls through slots of different sizes, and dollars, halves, quarters and dimes drop on velvet, but the nickles and pennies drop on a Chinese gong and make a noise that can be heard all over the church.

Subject in the Universalist pulpit Sunday May 5th. 'Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb shall sing; for in the wilderness shall waters break out and streams in the desert. Isaiah 35: 5 and 6. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30. Topic; 'What am I doing for Christ,' 2 Cor. 11. Regular evening service suspended until October next.

The Japanese village has been located on the shore of the lake, just east of the Woman's building. This village will be one of the attractive foreign features on the grounds of the Cotton States and International Exposition Company. The concessionaire requested that he be allowed space away from the Terraces, as he intended to make a unique and beautiful affair of the Japanese village. In the location assigned it will be almost in the center of the grounds, and will be one of the most charming sights at the Exposition.

A current writer puts a good deal of sense in a few sentences when he remarks: "There is a mistaken idea that 'culture' means to paint a little, to sing a little, to dance a little and to quote passages from popular books. As a matter of fact culture means nothing of the kind. Culture means mastery over self, politeness, charity, fairness, good temper, good conduct. Culture is not a thing to make a display of. It is something to use so modestly that people do not discover at once that you have it.

A letter from Clarence A. Cotton informs us that he has resigned his position on the staff of the Evening News to accept the office of assistant secretary of the Art Club of Detroit. The Club will give the great Art Loan and Exhibition during the latter half of May. The patrons of Art in Detroit and Michigan are looking forward to this event with great expectancy. The best artists of this country will be represented, the railroads promise reduced rates, which, together with the past experience of the club will insure a grand success.

The current issue of AMERICAN GARDENING (New York City), contains a most interesting article by Professor Taft, on the subject of irrigating small farms, gardens, etc. Professor Galloway, Chief of Division of Vegetable Pathology, United States Department of Agriculture contributes a remarkably interesting article (illustrated) on Physical Properties of the Soil as a Factor in the Growth of Crops. This is a branch of study which has been neglected. Fruit growers, and plant raisers generally will find in the Spraying Calendar a formulae in this number which will aid them in the protection of their crops from the ravages of insects and of fungous diseases.

The World's Fair Tests
showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Mr. C. H. Reed has severed his connection with the HERALD office and the vacancy thus caused has been taken by Mr. W. B. Odion, of Hudson. Mr. Reed has made many friends in Tecumseh, during his three years' residence here, who will regret his departure. With his skill as an artistic job printer he can doubtless better himself as foreman or part owner of a job office in some large town. With the reputation he has made in the HERALD job rooms, his future advancement in the "art preservative" is assured.

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—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

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Choice Table Apricots "	10c
String Beans "	7c
1 lb. Best 50c Japan Tea, (Royal Garden)	40c
2 lbs. Regular 30c Coffee	50c
16 lbs Rolled Oats	25c
4 lbs Choice California Prunes	25c
Best 3-Crown Raisins, per pound	5c
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TROOPS ARE ORDERED OUT.

Companies of Militia to Protect Ore Trimmers at Marquette.

HOUGHTON, April 30.—Two companies of the Fifth regiment, Michigan state troops, left at midnight for Marquette to keep peace on the ore docks of the South Shore railway. The ore trimmers refuse to honor Judge Stone's injunction, and the civil authorities are powerless to protect the Finns brought to fill the regular trimmers' places.

MARQUETTE, April 30.—The old ore trimmers and the new men had a collision on No. 4 dock at 6:30 Monday evening and the new men were routed at the first charge. The Pontiac arrived at 9 o'clock and William O'Mera, who had a contract to trim her, started for the dock at the head of thirty men, mostly imported from Ishpeming. They were escorted by Sheriff Broad and ten special deputies taken from the imported men. The old trimmers met them in front of the first pocket and a collision ensued. The special deputies fled without striking a blow, leaving the sheriff helpless. Quite a number on both sides had their heads broken, but no serious injuries were reported. One of the rioters was arrested by Marshal Maloney.

MARQUETTE, Mich., May 1.—Eight men are known to have been seriously hurt in Monday's riot at the ore docks. Officers are preparing papers for the arrest of the leaders in pursuance of an order of the circuit court enjoining them from unlawfully interfering with Flynn, McCartland and O'Mera in performing their contracts to trim ore vessels. Charges of contempt of court and deadly assault will be made against thirty men and arrests will be made as soon as papers can be prepared and served.

TWO GIRLS TAKE POISON.

One Dead and the Other Is Dying in Traverse City.

TRAVERSE CITY, May 1.—Julia Curtis, daughter of a farmer living 2 miles from Traverse City, went out to gather wild flowers. She did not return and a search was made without success. Tuesday night her body was found in a cedar swamp 2 miles from her father's house. Near her was her basket, containing a few flowers and a two-ounce bottle half full of poison. She was 22 years old and highly respected.

Monday night Bertha Schwab, 17 years old, living in Traverse City, took poison with suicidal intent and will probably die. The alleged cause was a hard-hearted father, who refused to allow her lover to visit her.

CLAIMS SHE IS NOT INSANE.

Bay City Woman Seeks to Get Out of a Michigan Asylum.

DETROIT, May 1.—A strange story has come to light regarding the case of Mrs. Addie A. Randall, of Bay City, who has been confined in the insane asylum at Pontiac for fifteen months, although her friends and several of the asylum attendants, the latter, at the risk of being discharged, claim that she is entirely sane. Mrs. Randall claims that her husband, abetted by certain physicians, is responsible for her present situation. A thorough investigation will doubtless be made.

THE BOUNDARY FIGHT.

Attorney-General Maynard Looks Into the Michigan-Wisconsin Dispute.

MENOMINEE, April 29.—Attorney-General Maynard, of Michigan, has been here making a personal investigation of the Michigan Wisconsin boundary line, which has been the subject of considerable controversy between the cities of Menominee and Marinette for some time past. The matter was submitted to him by both the city and county. Mr. Maynard made a thorough inspection of the old bridge, the river which it spans and the islands in that immediate vicinity. He will render his opinion soon.

MICHIGAN CATTLE INFECTED.

Sixteen of a Herd of Twenty-Six Are Found to Have Tuberculosis.

COLDWATER, April 30.—Dr. Range, state veterinary surgeon, and two members of the live stock commission have been in the city two or three days examining the herd of twenty-six cattle at the state public school from which came the diseased animal recently shipped from here to Toledo. In the herd they found sixteen cattle afflicted with tuberculosis. The United States commission will send an expert here to report on the condition of other animals.

GOLD IN MICHIGAN IRON ORE.

Value of the Yellow Metal Exceeds That of the Other.

ISHPEMING, April 29.—Assays of carefully selected samples or iron ore from the 3,000-ton stock pile of Dexter mine give almost $4 a ton in gold. Traces of gold are found in many iron ores of this district, but this assay, which is reliable, shows value of gold is greater than value of iron ore a ton. Experiments will be made in stamping ore for the gold contained and utilizing the tailings for the metallic iron and manganese.

Chosen by the Governor.

LANSING, May 1.—Among the delegates appointed by Gov. Rich to the national conference of charities and corrections in New Haven, May 24-30, are: Mrs. John T. Winship, of Saginaw; Mrs. Fred E. Lee, of Dowagiac; Mrs. T. F. Giddings and Mrs. L. Hull, of Kalamazoo.

An Octogenarian's Suicide.

SAGINAW, April 29.—Dederich Rohlf, a well-known Saginaw county farmer, committed suicide at the home of his son in Fairgrove township by cutting his throat with a razor. He was 83 years old, and his mind had been unbalanced by a long illness.

Assigned.

BUCHANAN, April 26.—John G. Holmes and Peter English, owners of the electric light plant, water works and dam, have made an assignment. Their assets are over $75,000. J. H. Richards is the assignee.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Occurrences in Various Michigan Localities.

An English inheritance of $18,000 awaits Edward Evans, a compositor residing in Hastings.

The Vicksburg Driving Park association will hold its annual spring meeting June 5 and 6.

The annual meeting of the Eighth District Sunday School association, composed of Ingham, Livingston and Shiawassee counties, will be held at Owosso on May 24

The Plainwell Church Furniture company of Plainwell has made an assignment of their plant to Henry Richard. Their liabilities are $15,000.

The right arm of Hart Hoodley, an employe of the Watervliet paper mill, was drawn between the cylinder dryers and destroyed.

The ninth annual convention of the Michigan Music Teachers' association is to be held in Ypsilanti June 26-28.

Potatoes and hay are becoming very scarce in Iosco county. Most farmers are entirely out, and the few who have any are getting large prices.

Farmers' mutual insurance companies are being organized in the upper peninsula.

A little adopted daughter of Albert Eppink, of East Saugatuck, was burned to death while playing near a brush fire.

The body of C. F. Campbell, of Lawton, disappeared from his home April 10, has been found in a river near Ann Arbor.

Regent-elect C. H. Hackley has qualified and will assume the duties of his office on January 1, 1896. Mr. Hackley's term is for six years.

Voters of South Haven decided by ballot to invest $10,000 in an electric lighting plant.

The Memorial day address at Northville will be delivered by Judge Robert E. Frazer, of Detroit.

The dates of the thirty-ninth annual fair of the Ionia District Fair association are September 17, 18, 19 and 20.

D. D. Thorp's printing establishment at Lansing was injured $15,000 worth Wednesday.

Since the opening of navigation, little more than two weeks ago, over 11,000,000 feet of lumber have been shipped from Manistee.

Michigan Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias will begin its annual session at Kalamazoo May 14. There are four candidates for the office of grand keeper of records and seal.

TO BUILD A BIG DAM.

Work to Begin in May by a Corporation with $1,000,000 Capital.

BENTON HARBOR, April 30.—Work will commence in May on one of the largest enterprises undertaken in this part of the state for fifteen years. The plan is to build a dam 1 mile north of here which will give a fall of 20 feet over the 200 feet of main dam, there being 1,400 feet of dam approaches. This structure of steel, timbers and earth will back water in the river, overflowing 1,200 or more acres of lowlands which have been bought up at a cost of $50,000. The river, now navigable by rowboats and skiffs only, will then become navigable by large steamers. The primary cruse for erecting the dam is the valuable power to be attained, which will be used for electric light, heat, and power purposes, also for furnishing power to manufactories that will be located near the dam. The company will capitalize in a few days under the state laws at $1,000,000, with $500,000 paid up stock. Peter English is the active solicitor and overseer of work as it progresses.

Increase in Tax Levy.

LANSING, April 30.—Auditor General Turner is preparing the estimates that go to make up the tax levy for the years 1895 and 1896. The total levy will approximate $4,500,000. This exceeds the levy for the last biennial period by $875,000, while the last levy exceeded that of the years 1891 and 1892 by $757,000. The increase is due to the large appropriations necessary for the home for the feeble minded and the upper peninsula hospital for the insane.

New Trial Given J. G. Clark.

LANSING, May 1.—James G. Clark, the only one convicted of the ten persons indicted for the famous salaries amendment frauds of 1893, was granted a new trial by the supreme court Tuesday on the ground that the court failed to properly instruct the jury as to the means used by the prosecuting officers in securing the confession which alone convicted Clark.

Michigan Mines to Resume.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., April 29.—The Hamilton & Ludington mines will resume, as will several smaller mines in their vicinity. The mines have contracted for the placing of their output for the season at an advance over last year's prices. The idle men are all being put to work at better wages than paid last season.

Novel Suit.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 30.—The Grand Rapids Engraving company used a photograph of the daughter of Philip Sherman, clothier, on a calendar last winter without the father's consent, and Sherman has sued the company for $5,000. The engraving company secured the photograph of a photographer.

Three Drowned.

MARQUETTE, May 1.—Mrs. Mary Post, her daughter, Mrs. P. Finley, and little Ethel Finley were drowned in the Au Train river in Alger county some time last Friday afternoon. They were missed from home Saturday evening and a boat was also gone. The bodies of all three were found in the river Sunday.

Big Lumber Deal.

SAGINAW, April 29.—The Central Lumber company of this city has purchased 60,000,000 feet of standing pine on Blind River, Ont. It will be cut and floated to the Zilwaukee mill at the rate of 20,000,000 feet a year.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., April 18.—The senate on Thursday in committee of the whole agreed to the Bially health bill, repealing the present law and providing for the appointment of a new board of six members, of which the governor shall be a member ex officio. The committee also agreed to the Foote deer bill, making the open season from November 1 to 25 inclusive and limiting to five the number of deer each hunter may kill in one season. The senate agreed to a bill establishing the Mackinac Island park commission and making an appropriation of $2,000 therefor; also to a bill for the erection or purchase of an executive mansion.

The $500 uniform liquor tax, which passed the senate Wednesday night, was signed by the governor Thursday and will become a law in May.

LANSING, Mich., April 25.—Senator Townsend on Friday introduced a resolution deploring "the lack of principle in the national government's conduct of foreign affairs, a fresh example of which is given in the cowardly attitude of the United States in view of England's treatment of our sister republic, Nicaragua." A majority of the senators were of the opinion that the resolution was in bad taste and it was withdrawn. The senate has passed the bill appropriating $10,000 for a statue of Austin Blair, Michigan's war governor, to be erected on the state capitol square. The Johnson pure-food bill was agreed to by the senate in committee of the whole. It contains the same provision prohibiting coloring of oleomargarine or butterine to resemble butter that was stricken out in the house the present week.

LANSING, Mich., May 1.—The senate on Tuesday passed the mining school appropriation bill after cutting the amount from $105,000 to $90,000, and in committee of the whole agreed to a bill establishing normal schools in both central and northern Michigan at places to be hereafter designated by a commission.

House.

LANSING, Mich., April 26.—The house on Thursday for the second time defeated the bill repealing the mortgage law of 1883 on final passage, and although the vote was reconsidered and the bill tabled it is not likely to pass. The house also killed a bill for the establishment of a state normal school at Mount Pleasant.

LANSING, Mich., May 1.—In the house Tuesday the Redfern pure-food bill was amended so as to prohibit the coloring of artificial jellies in imitation of fruit jellies and then passed. No attempt was made to restore the provision requiring that no substitute for butter be colored to resemble butter. A bill was also passed by the house appropriating $10,000 to enable the state board of agriculture to hold farmers' institutes in every county of the state.

FIRE AT CORUNNA.

Eleven Stores Are Burned with a Loss of $35,000

CORUNNA, April 28.—A smouldering fire and a mass of ruins are all that is left of the eleven stores in this village, the result of an incendiary fire which was discovered in a vacant store on Shiawassee avenue at 2 o'clock Saturday morning. Delay caused by the fire department's difficulty in getting water from the river led many to believe the entire business portion would go. The total loss is about $35,000, and the heaviest losses are: August Serrs, saloon, owned by Anna Dickerson, of Detroit, $4,000; F. E. Welch, $5,000; Gorusch & Welch, publishers Corunna Journal, $3,000; John Driscoll, $4,000; D. B. Silcox, of Plymouth, $4,500; Mason & Haviland, $3,000; L. Etschmann, $5,000. Very light insurance was carried.

RAIN IS NEEDED.

Drought Already Beginning to Tell Upon All Vegetation.

LANSING, May 1. The weekly weather crop report issued by the Michigan weather service here Tuesday says:

The past week has been a dry one, and following immediately upon the very dry period of the week before, and a generally dry spring, is beginning to have a marked effect upon all vegetation. Winter wheat is reported in fair condition in all sections except in the district known as the "Thumb," and as far south as Oakland county. Oat and grass seeding is being pushed as far north as the upper peninsula. Fruit prospects continue excellent in all parts of the state.

Costly Blaze at Melbourne.

BAY CITY, April 28.—Fire destroyed H. A. Batchellor & Son's sawmill, the salt block and 3,500,000 feet of lumber at Melbourne Saturday. The fire departments of Bay City, Saginaw and Carrollton sent help, and four fire tugs were there helping to save a large quantity of lumber and a number of tenement houses occupied by mill employes. The loss on the mill and salt block was $85,000, insured for $23,500. The lumber belonged to Whitney & Batchellor, was worth $35,000, and insured for about $28,000.

Track for the Twin Cities.

BENTON HARBOR, May 1.—W. S. Kirby, proprietor of the Valley stock farm near Galesburg, is in the city negotiating with parties interested in establishing a race track here. He offers a bonus of $15,000 toward the track, which is to be 1 mile long and located on the marsh between the twin cities. The project is meeting with encouragement, and a meeting will be called soon.

Fees from Foreign Corporations.

LANSING, April 30.—The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company filed articles of association with the secretary of state, paying a franchise fee of $2,300 on its capital of $5,000,000. During the month of April $5,000 in fees were collected from foreign corporations which have organized in Michigan.

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And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
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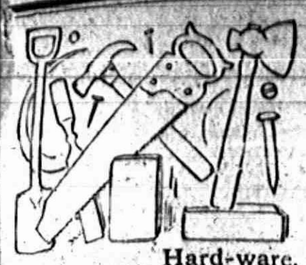

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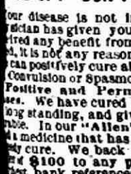

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DOMESTIC.

A FOREST fire covering 6 square miles and consuming valuable pine timber was raging near Lakewood, N. J.

INCOME tax returns in Alabama numbered 370, and it was believed the tax in the state would amount to but $50,000.

A STATEMENT shows that the total western packing for the winter season, ending March 1, was 7,191,000 hogs, an increase of 2,307,000 over the preceding year.

THE Methodist Episcopal bishops of the entire world met in convention at Carlisle, Pa.

GEN. BALLINGTON BOOTH, of the Salvation Army, has renounced Queen Victoria and will become an American citizen.

CORA MCCAMLEY SMITH, who pleaded guilty to poisoning her stepfather, Michael Smith, a year ago, was sentenced at Des Moines, Ia., to life imprisonment.

THE First national bank of Plainfield, N. J., was robbed of $22,765 by burglars.

REPORTS indicated a widespread disposition on the part of farmers to move to the south.

IF Justice Jackson of the supreme court is in Washington May 6 the court will vacate the income tax decision handed down April 8 and open the case for reargument.

FOREST fires were raging in the vicinity of Phillips, Wis., doing immense damage.

A NEGRO who assaulted Mrs. Thomas Gray was hunted down by a posse near Parsons, Tenn., and riddled with bullets.

THE safe of Noah Hertzler at Port Royal, Pa., was blown open and robbed of stocks, bonds and cash amounting to about $35,000.

ROBERT OWEN shot and killed his wife and Dr. J. F. Simmons at Houston, Tex., and then blew out his own brains.

BILL COOK, the notorious outlaw, and twelve companions were lodged in the Albany (N. Y.) penitentiary.

THE failure of Louis Schintz, real estate dealer at Appleton, Wis., made many old and helpless persons paupers.

ABOUT 3,000,000 feet of pine lumber in the yard of F. B. Newton & Co. at Cleveland was destroyed by fire.

THE governors of all the states and territories will be asked to aid in securing money to erect a suitable monument over the grave of Francis Scott Key, the author of the "Star Spangled Banner," whose remains are buried in Frederick, Md.

FIRE destroyed the business portion of Minnewaukan, N. D., the residence portion having a narrow escape.

GEORGE GESCHWILM, aged 32, was hanged at Columbus, O., for murdering his wife on March 8, 1894.

THE attorney general, in answer to the secretary of the navy, has decided that nominations to the naval academy made by the members of the last congress after noon of March 4 last are of no effect.

ROBERT FORD (colored), who shot and killed Jerry Brown (colored), was hanged in the jailyard at Nashville, Tenn.

AT Charlotte, N. C., the immense brick warehouse of Sanders & Blackwood was burned, the loss being $100,000.

HOUSTON (Tex.) negroes have taken up the cause of their race who have been deceived into going into Mexico, where they are treated like Siberian exiles.

THE towns of Lytle, Benton City and Castroville, Tex., were devastated by a hailstorm, houses being riddled like a sieve, and the cotton and corn crops completely ruined. The loss was estimated at $200,000.

THE Nebraska relief commission announced that calls for aid had closed, and that further contributions were not needed.

JAMES YEAGER, an old man, and his two children, aged 5 and 9, were burned to death in their home at Frankfort, Ky.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 26th aggregated $995,540,137, against $918,274,551 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 16.7.

DURING a storm on the Rappahannock ten men (two white and eight colored) were drowned by the capsizing of a canoe at Burnham's wharf in Virginia.

REPORTS received at the immigration bureau in Washington show that during the last ten months the number of Italian immigrants arriving in this country was 10,825 less than during the same period last year.

THERE were 230 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 26th, against 241 the week previous and 179 in the corresponding time in 1894.

COUNTY TREASURER C. W. ROWE disappeared from Montezuma, Ia., taking with him, it is alleged, about $45,000 of the funds of Poweshiek county.

GEORGE RAY, a disreputable negro, was hanged by a mob near Jenson-ton, Ky.

GOLD was discovered near Raleigh, a suburb of Memphis, Tenn. It was plentifully mixed with platinum.

JOHN RIGOULOT started to walk from San Francisco to New Orleans, his home. The midwinter fair broke him.

CURRYVILLE, a small town in Pike county, Mo., was almost destroyed by fire.

CONSUL GENERAL C. D. WILDER, of Hawaii, and United States Secret Service Agent Harris were warned of a conspiracy on foot in San Francisco to overthrow the Hawaiian government by means of another revolution!

F. G. ANDERSON was struck by lightning and killed instantly at Valley Springs, S. D., and Jacob Howard met a like fate at Luverne, Minn.

THE world's fair diplomas awarded to exhibitors whose exhibits were favorably mentioned by the judges are being prepared at the bureau of engraving and printing in Washington and will be sent out in about sixty days.

MANY bucket shops throughout the United States and Canada were heavy sufferers by the failure of John C. Allen, who ran the Standard grain and stock exchange at Buffalo, N. Y. His liabilities were $250,000.

THE bodies of James Yeager and his two children were taken from the ruins of the Fincel block fire at Louisville, Ky.

JOHN RICH, Sidney Burns, Annie Mitchell and Lora Long were standing on a ledge of rock 300 feet high at Coshocton, N. Y., when it fell and all were killed.

THE Manhattan exchange, stock brokers in New York, with about sixty branch offices in the eastern states, failed for $200,000.

HAILSTORMS in Arkansas and Mississippi damaged growing crops and destroyed copsiderable farm property. A negro woman named Kauffman was frightened to death.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 27th were: Pittsburgh, .875; Baltimore, .667; Boston, .500; Brooklyn, .500; Washington, .500; New York .500; Chicago, .500; Cleveland, .500; Cincinnati, .500; Louisville, .375; Philadelphia, .333; St. Louis, .250.

EDWARD TUCKER, a merchant at Port Tampa, Fla., was taken from his house and unmercifully whipped by feminine white caps for abusing his wife.

THE Trading Commercial company of Laramie, Wyo., made an assignment for $100,000.

MISS LOU WILSON, 20 years old, frustrated an attempt to wreck a passenger train on the Southern California railway just outside of Pasadena, Cal.

ADVICES from St. Johns, N. D., say that 1,500 Indians and half-breeds were on the warpath, and that 700 women and children were in tents on the prairie.

FIRE losses throughout the country for the week ended on the 27th amounted to $2,195,425, against $5,115,680 for the week previous.

THE Merchants' national bank of Rome, Ga., closed its doors. The bank had a capital of $100,000.

ON a wager that he could kill 90 out of 100 picked pigeons at 30 yards rise, 50 yards boundary, Capt. Brewer killed 100 birds straight at Dexter park, Long Island.

MRS. MARY POST, her daughter, Mrs. Pat Finley, and little Ethel Finley, were drowned in the river near Autrain, Mich.

ROBERT LUSCOMBE, ex-assistant city attorney, and one of the best-known lawyers in Milwaukee, shot and killed his brother-in-law, Emil A. Sanger, because Sanger abused his wife.

GEN. GRANT'S 75th anniversary was celebrated in Chicago, Mrs. Grant and her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, being present at the ceremonies.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 29th was: Wheat, 65,775,000 bushels; corn, 11,107,000 bushels; oats, 6,194,000 bushels; rye, 151,000 bushels; barley, 450,000 bushels.

THE attorney general of Illinois says that city councils cannot legally appropriate city funds to publish ordinances in the German language.

A TENEMENT house was burned in Pittsburgh, Pa., and Samuel Weaver, Frederick Snyder and William Mitchell perished in the flames.

A CYCLONE swept through Omaha and vicinity and seven persons were injured and a large amount of damage was done to property.

AS A result of a trivial quarrel, W. W. Ellsworth, a noted swine breeder at Woodstock, Ill., killed his hired man, George Fillwebber, and then blew his own head off.

THE sixth negro was lynched in Butler county, Ala., for the murder of young Watts Murphy.

EMIL FURRER, a farmer, and Jacob Katt were burned to death in a barn near Milford, Conn. The fire was of incendiary origin.

THE residence of George Denniston in Crookston, Minn., was burned and his aged parents lost their lives in the flames.

THE Lloyd, Latz & Thompson Dry Goods company at Kansas City, Mo., failed for $100,000.

THE Cleveland (O.) police authorities ordered all poolrooms, policy shops, gambling houses and every place where games of chance are run to close. Nickel-in-the-slot machines were not exempted.

THE interior department at Washington was taking steps to have the numerous abandoned military reservations scattered over the country opened for settlement.

TWO COMPANIES of the Fifth regiment Michigan state troops left Houghton for Marquette, Mich., to keep peace between union and non-union laborers on the docks of the South Shore railway.

FIRE partially destroyed the plant of the Kehlor Milling company in East St. Louis, the loss being $100,000.

JOSEPH DENMAN, 45 years old, drowned himself at Cleveland because he had been charged with forty-five crimes of which he declared he was innocent.

THE police census gives New York city a population of 1,849,866.

A PROTRACTED drought had seriously injured oats, wheat and other crops in Kansas. No good rains had fallen for over six months.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MRS. WILLIAM BARTLEY, of Hartshorn, O. T., took a dose of arsenic and forced her 7-year-old daughter to swallow a like quantity of the drug. Both are dead.

COL. FRANKLIN FAIRBANKS, president of the Fairbanks Scale company, died at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

REV. DR. W. MITTENDORF, 64 years of age and for twenty years editor of German literature in the United Brethren publishing house, died in Dayton, O.

John P. Bruer, traveling salesman for Gem City Stove Co., Dayton, Ohio, says: I will continue to recommend Adironda. Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure, for I know it will do all that it is claimed for it. Sold by Orr & Temple. May

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning May 5. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Daysman.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job ix, 30-35.

Nowhere in the whole range of literature is there presented a sublimer theme than that treated in the book of Job. Nowhere do we find loftier flights of imagination, deeper philosophy, more impassioned rhetoric, purer morality, sublimer faith or simpler worship. It is different from all other parts of the Bible in language as well as in the subject discussed and the manner of its presentation. It is a poem of the highest order, having a brief introduction and conclusion in prose.

The poetical portion begins with Job's complaint in the third chapter and ends with Job's confession of faith at the seventh verse of the forty-second chapter.

The arrangement of the book is very regular. It has three grand divisions. Each of these is subdivided into three parts, and the threefold division is carried into the minute details of the work.

The whole book is a dialogue concerning the government of the world. The main discussion has reference to the question of good and evil in the present state of existence. Does God deal here with men according to their character, so that good and bad get their deserts? Job's three friends maintain the affirmative and declare that the character of a man can be known by the events that happen to him in this life. Sufferin, and calamity prove to them that the afflicted one is a wicked man. Wealth and prosperity show that one is righteous. So they infer that Job, in spite of all his protestations, has been a wicked man and hypocrite, and his reverses are well deserved because of his iniquity.

Job strenuously maintains the opposite opinion—that suffering does not prove the sufferer to be wicked. He protests his own innocence most vehemently, though perplexed at some of the arguments of his friends and unable to refute them.

That the sufferings of the good man may be disciplinary, and that a future life may abundantly recompense and equalize the inequalities of deserving and receiving in this world, was not clearly revealed to Job or his friends as they afterward were by Jesus.

In the first division of the book Job opens the discussion by cursing the day of his birth and wishing for death as a release from his suffering.

Eliphaz, as the eldest and most sagacious of the friends, speaks first. The greatness of Job's calamity and sufferings has struck them all speechless, because so much at variance with all their notions of the method of the divine government. No suspicion of Job's insincerity had been entertained till he speaks and curses his life. That speech and his sufferings confirmed them in the opinion that, instead of having been a man of eminent piety, he was a man of deep guilt. Eliphaz directly but delicately charges him with this.

Job replies, maintaining that he is innocent of iniquity even though the poisoned arrows of the Almighty have struck and wounded him sorely.

Bildad speaks, maintaining that God does not pervert judgment, but gives every man his just deserts in this life.

Job replies in the ninth and tenth chapters, from which the lesson for this week is selected. He acknowledges the truth that Bildad had asserted that no man can be absolutely pure and just in the eyes of God and perfect in all his ways. God must be right in His dealings with men. Yet these sufferings do not prove his own guilt. God is great, and Job cannot argue with Him, since God, by His very power, could reduce him to silence, and there is no daysman to stand between them. Then the sense of his sufferings and troubles overwhelms him, and he gives vent to a passionate torrent of emotion, wishing for death as a relief from his woes.

It all illustrates the conflict of emotions of a good man when under trials. Doubts and feelings of pain struggling with faith and filial affection.

The Great Gathering.

No doubt the Chattanooga convention, June 27-30, will be the greatest thing of the kind ever held in Methodism. It is a union of the best strength of the three largest bodies of the Methodist church in America. The Methodist Episcopal, the church south and the Canadian church are the organizers and promoters of the meeting.

It will be held in a city possessing a multitude of objects of national interest.

The greatest men in the three Methodisms will be present and speak on the grandest themes of the present times—revivals, missions and Christian citizenship.

Two events on the programme—the John Wesley sunrise prayer meeting and watch night-meeting, with which the conference will close—will be worth the cost of the trip.

The Curse of Rum.

The city of New York has many day nurseries in which thousands of children from the slums are cared for. In one of these there was recently a baby which had been rescued from its fighting parents. It died in a few days. The doctor who performed the autopsy said it died as truly a victim of alcoholic poisoning as any older case he had ever diagnosed. The baby was 15 months old. It had been nursed by a drunken mother, and when it cried liquor had been poured down its throat to quiet it.

No Night.

There is no night for one with perfect trust—
Just one long day;
E'en though trials come, as come they must,
Along life's way,
The sun shines on with pulsing glow the same,
An undimmed light,
Shadows fall, but darkness hath no name—
There is no night. —John viii, 12.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 5th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of April A. D. 1895, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 19, 1895.

HORATIO KEYSER
GEORGE HOWELL,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilgeam, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at James W. Wightman's office in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 1895 and on the 8th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 8th day of April, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 12, 1895.

J. F. GILMORE,
JAMES H. HECK,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Burridge praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Petitioner, the executor nominated in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of May, nex., at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west, parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pecklington, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5), east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 19th, 1895.

E. H. WILSON, Sheriff.
By H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 323. Express.	No. 303. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	12 05 P.M.
Napoleon.....	6 20 "	3 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell.....	6 27 "	3 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester.....	6 43 "	3 45 "	1 35 "
Clinton.....	6 55 "	3 01 "	1 25 "
Tecumseh.....	7 05 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 00 "	4 05 "	2 30 "
Detroit.....	10 15 "	6 25 "	10 55 "
Toledo.....	9 00 "	6 20 "	10 55 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 304. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 00 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	3 50 "	8 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 07 "	3 55 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 25 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 55 "	9 10 "	8 30 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 20 "

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		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 15	L....Allegan....A	1 40	
		11 38	Monteith.....	1 14	
	A. M	12 18	Yorkville.....	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	12 15	Battle Creek.....	12 05	1 25
8 20	7 45	1 16	Marshall.....	11 35	12 35
9 05	8 25	1 40	Homer.....	11 09	11 49
9 55	9 11	2 09	Hanover.....	10 36	11 08
11 20	10 05	2 45	Addison.....	10 05	10 15
12 10	10 49	3 52	Devils Lake.....	9 53	9 54
12 53	10 29	3 10	Onsted.....	9 40	9 39
..	10 34	3 12	Sand Lake.....	9 32	9 30
1 20	10 48	3 20	Tipton.....	9 25	9 16
1 51	11 06	3 34	Tecumseh.....	9 10	8 53
2 11	11 17	3 43	Ridgeway.....	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	3 48	Britton.....	8 54	8 30
2 10	11 39	4 01	Rea.....	8 43	8 19
3 35	11 50	4 10	Dundee.....	8 32	7 57
6 30	1 00	5 00	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	6 30
P.M.	P. M.	P. M		A. M.	P. M.

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ADRIAN, as Follows.

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51 -Local Mail and Express	10:30 a m
*No. 53 -Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	8:35 p m
*No. 55 -Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 -Atlantic Express	8:41 a m
*No. 8—N. Y. Limited	6:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	8:18 p m
‡No. Mail and Express	6:55 p m

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Prohibition for Villages.

It seems that the incorporated villages of Michigan are now authorized to prohibit saloons, no matter whether the counties in which they are situated have adopted local option or not. Under the old village charter law this prohibitory section became inoperative because of the subsequent passage of the general liquor law, but as the passage of the new village charter law by the present legislature re-enacts the prohibitory clause its original effect is restored, and the villages may now proceed to adopt prohibition. The clause reads: "The council may by an ordinance, suppress saloons for the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquor in said village." The opinion of Attorney-General Maynard has been invoked whether the above clause can really mean what it says, and whether village councils may proceed to act upon its provisions. He decides that the clause means exactly what it says, and that the legislature in enacting it kept strictly within its power under the constitution. He adds: There can be no question, but what, under the section that I have considered, the council of any village of this state, incorporated under the act referred to, can suppress the liquor traffic in said village, by suppressing the saloons in which the liquors are sold, and the easiest way to do this is to refuse to approve of the bonds offered by the man who would engage in the business. This is a staggering blow to the liquor traffic, and a tremendous surprise to the liquor men. Whether anything can or will be done by the present legislature to make the clause of none effect remains to be seen. Several villages are already taking the necessary steps for the suppression of the saloon evil. Let others do so.

Why Vote for Prohibition?

There are many forms of intemperance. Each form is a root which under favorable conditions, produces the full grown tree, with all its poisonous roots, branches and deadly fruits. Intemperance is an enormous crime. It is a deadly foe to the home, the church and the state. It is founded in avarice on the part of the rumseller, and in selfish ambition on the part of the bad politician, and in unholy appetite on the part of the drunkard. The chief obstacle to the temperance reform are the ignorance and indifference of the churches and the bad politicians who control political parties in the interest of the rum power, and who prevent the people from voting directly on the question of prohibition.

The four great corner stones in this wholesale crime are:

1st. Pat behind the bar.

2d. The officials who grant licenses and should execute the laws.

3d. The legislators who make the laws.

4th. The voters who make the legislators.

In our judgment the attempt to suppress the crime of intemperance merely by moral suasion or good advice, while at the same time the state prohibits by law the crimes it occasions, and legalizes the crime of intemperance and tempts to drunkenness by the bloody license system, is the most consummate folly. License, either high-priced or low-priced, perpetuates and increases the liquor traffic. For the suppression of intemperance regulation and taxation are worse than useless. We need not only moral suasion in the home, the school from the pulpit and the press but we need most of all State and National constitutional prohibition.

And this can only be had when a party becomes dominant whose political platform clearly advocates prohibition, and whose nominees for office are genuine prohibitionists. Only such a party will execute prohibitory laws.

Reader vote with no political party that ignores, or attempts to be neutral on the subject of prohibition. Support no political party whose nominees for office are not genuine prohibitionists, and whose party platform does not distinctly and fully advocate State and National prohibition.

The liquor dealers feel most of all a genuine prohibition party in power and prohibition ballots are the only dynamite that can destroy the rum horror.

Intelligent Christians vote for the right, they vote in faith leaving results with God. They do evil that good may come. They are not fooled by free trade and tariff bubble and promises of more work and higher wages into voting for one rum party and beat another. They cannot be bribed or frightened into voting for crime, when professed Christians talk and pray temperance and then vote with rum parties. Candid sinners honestly wonder whether they are fools or knaves. Prohibition is right, then vote for it. God will give it success.—Rev. A. Smith.

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Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		
Potatoes, per bushel	80 to 1 00	
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 60
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		10½
Smoked shoulders		9½
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 80	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 50 to 6 00	10½
Veal dressed, per lb	5 to 6	15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10½
Chickens, per lb		6
Hides, green	25 to 35	
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		64
Red		60
Corn, shelled	50 to 55	
Oats	31 to 34	
No. 1 Clover seed		8 00
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Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		80
Bran, per 100 lbs		90
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 00 to 1 25	

THE MARKETS.

	New York.	May	L
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	3 60 to 6	3	15
Sheep	3 25 to 6	3	50
Hogs	3 80 to 6	4	10
FLOUR—Minnesota Bakers'	4 05 to 6	4	30
City Mill Patents	70 to 6	70¾	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	77⅝ to 6	77½	
No. 1 Hard	84 to 6	84⅝	
CORN—No. 2	83¼ to 6	83⅝	
May	82¾ to 6	82⅝	
OATS—No. 2	37 to 6	41	
Track White Western	50 to 6	57	
RYE	55 to 6	60	
PORK—Mess, New	13 50 to 6	14 00	
LARD—Western	7 05 to 6	7 10	
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	12 to 6	18	
Western Dairy	8 to 6	15	
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	4 10 to 6	6 20	
Stockers and Feeders	2 60 to 6	4 45	
Butchers' Steers	3 90 to 6	4 50	
Cows	2 90 to 6	4 90	
Texas Steers	3 40 to 6	4 90	
HOGS	4 50 to 6	4 70	
SHEEP	3 50 to 6	4 70	
BUTTER—Creamery	8 to 6	17½	
Dairy	7 to 6	17	
Packing Stock	5 to 6	7	
EGGS—Fresh	12 to 6	12½	
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 to 6	130 00	
POTATOES (per bu)	18 to 6	85	
PORK—Mess	11 90 to 6	12 17½	
LARD—Steam	6 67½ to 6	6 77½	
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 40 to 6	3 60	
Spring Straights	2 75 to 6	3 15	
Winter Patents	2 90 to 6	3 80	
Winter Straights	2 75 to 6	3 00	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	62 to 6	63½	
Corn, No. 2	47½ to 6	47½	
Oats, No. 2	27⅜ to 6	28½	
Rye, No. 2	54 to 6	55	
Barley	51 to 6	52	
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	65 to 6	63½	
Corn, No. 3	47½ to 6	48	
Oats, No. 2 White	32½ to 6	33	
Rye, No. 1	60½ to 6	63½	
Barley, No. 2	52 to 6	52½	
PORK—Mess	12 10 to 6	12 15	
LARD—Steam	6 77½ to 6	6 80	
KANSAS CITY.			
CATTLE—Texas Steers	2 50 to 6	4 50	
Stockers and Feeders	2 50 to 6	4 45	
HOGS	4 50 to 6	4 90	
SHEEP	3 35 to 6	4 50	
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	3 25 to 6	5 70	
Stockers and Feeders	2 35 to 6	4 00	
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 8th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Ezra F. Blood, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles H. Blood and L. C. Blood, executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close said estate and to render their final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of said will, and that they may be discharged and their bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martha O'Hara, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Charles O'Hara and of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to Walter C. Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 13th day of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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METHODIST SCORCHER.

The Rev. F. F. Passmore Denounces His Brethren—A Methodist Tells of Ministers and Their Indifference.

The sermon given below was recently preached by Rev. F. F. Passmore, a prominent Methodist minister of Denver, Colorado:

A BURNING INDICTMENT.

The Rev. F. F. Passmore, in commencing his sermon, preached from the following text:

"Woe unto them that call evil good, and good for evil; that put darkness for light and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter." Isa. v. 20.

He said: 'The true church of God is a divine institution for the destruction of sin, the enlightenment and salvation of the world. This institution is controlled by men who claim to be set apart by God as teachers, shepherds and watchmen. The true relationship of the minister to the church is that of a shepherd. When ministers have been true to their people without selfish aims the church has always been strong in the right and spiritual power.

According to history, there has never been a falling away of the power of the church that was not preceded by the unfaithfulness of a worldly and money loving ministry. In all the ages of Old Testament history there was never a relapse from the true worship of God to idolatry or a loss of spiritual power that could not be traced to an immoral and worldly ministry. An unfaithful ministry prolonged to centuries the dark night of the middle ages. I have looked into human history, human effort and human nature; I have watched the human race in its effort to rise, wondering why the world had made so little advancement, why civilized nations were so uncivilized, and why the Christian church had so little influence in the affairs of men and nations. I am astonished to find that the men, or class of men, whom God intended should be the foremost men in all reformations have been the men who have, as a class, discouraged reformations and holped to persecute and burn the reformers. It was the ministry of the days of Wycliffe, Huss, Jerome and Savonarola that not only discouraged those men in their search for light and truth, but kindled the fires of hate and death.

OLD SPIRIT OF PERSECUTION

When Luther, Calvin, Knox and Wesley came on the scene in their respective countries and ages, the old relentless, persecuting spirit of the ministry came to the front to silence those men of God and humanity or subject them to the same cruel treatment as the men who had gone before them. In the oppressions of the peasantry preceding the French revolution, it was the same old story of the ministry taking sides with the oppressors against the oppressed. In the struggle of Cromwell against Charles the First, the ministry was for king, against the people. We come down to our own nation, and in the great anti-slavery contest waged for the liberation of African slaves, the ministers were on the side of the masters, against the slaves. So it was that in all those great struggles and revolutions referred to the ministry, with few exceptions, were found on the side of the wrong and against the right. Does any one believe that with the status of the ministry as it is to-day, that we can ever establish justice, purity political institutions, right wrongs, and save this nation?

God's word is a sufficient guide in all things of faith and practice. This is the foundation stone of the reformation, and an acknowledged fact of the Protestant world. The Bible says that 'righteousness exalteth a nation,' but sin is a reproach to any people.' I look over our country to-day, and see a nation that makes great pretentions to Christian civilization—a nation which, according to the last census, contained about 22,000,000 professed Christians, a nation of school houses, colleges and universities, many of which claim to be distinctly Christian. We have about 150,000 churches or places of worship, and about 100,000 ministers—the boast of the American people.

One would be justified in believing that a people possessing all these marks of advancement, to say nothing about the advancement of science and the improvement of inventions, would be prosperous, contented and righteous. But when we look over our nation, however, do the conditions meeting us everywhere justify the conclusion? No! Candor compels us to answer, No!

MILLIONS ARE HUNGRY.

Notwithstanding the fact that this is the richest nation that the world has ever seen, yet there is distress and poverty and hunger to millions of people. So called Christian men are holding wealth, contrary to the teachings of God's word, while women and children are hungry, cold and sick. The Sabbath-day has lost its sanctity. Trains, street cars, factories, mines, resorts and everything that the greed, covetousness and the cupidity of man can suggest to make money or gain pleasure, are running full blast on the Sabbath. Our politics, state, municipal and general government are corrupt, reeking with rottenness, falling with corruption.

(Continued next week.)

THREE DAYS IN MORENCI.

The Hustling Town On the Ohio State Line.

Our hustling neighbor on the south confines of the county was our temporary home the first three days of the present week, having a "Snap Shot" engagement to fill at the Baptist church. The entertainment was given, for the benefit of B. Y. P. U., which is a strong society there. Rev. V. L. Garrett, the pastor, has been settled there over six years, and during his ministry the church has greatly prospered. The society have a very convenient church edifice, a fine parsonage, and they have just erected a row of wagon sheds, comprising eight compartments, which will be a great convenience to those members living in the country. The copious rains of Monday and Tuesday interfered somewhat with the attendance, but there was a fair turn out, nevertheless. During our sojourn we enjoyed the hospitality of Elmer Porter and Wm. Kauman. Mr. Porter is the Tommy Mark of Morenci, and always makes himself useful at the right time. Mr. Bauman holds a clerkship in Humphrey's clothing store and is one of the most promising young business men of Morenci. He has a beautiful, cozy home and a model family, consisting of a wife and little boy. He is nicely fixed and ought to enjoy life. Don Bowen spent most of his time with T. W. Booream, where he had very fine quarters. Mr. Booream, in company with Mr. Ackland, runs a blacksmith and carriage repair shop, and is evidently doing a good business.

Morenci has improved very much in the past ten years. Several new blocks have been erected during that period and the frame buildings on the business street are mostly cleaned out. The Hotel Saulsbury is an elegant three-story brick structure that would be a credit to a town of ten thousand inhabitants and is one of the best kept hotels in southern Michigan. One of the best creameries in the county is located here, and the village can boast of several manufacturing establishments, among which are a good roller mill, two saw mills, a brick and tile factory, a general machine shop and a planing mill. They have two banks, the Bank of Morenci and Wakefield's Bank. Also a fine three-story school building and four churches. If Morenci keeps on growing for ten years at the present rate, the town will slop over into Ohio territory.

We made the Observer office our headquarters, where we found all the daily newspapers, the county exchanges, plenty of copy paper and a big arm chair. The Observer is forging right ahead under the management of the Allen Bros. Vern pushes the quill and runs the business end of the establishment, while Gus manages the mechanical department, and they make a strong team. But few towns of that size have as good newspaper facilities. The office contains a Campbell country cylinder, a half medium Globe, a quarto Challenge and a Van Dusen gasoline engine, with a very full supply of job type and office furniture of all kinds. The firm have recently purchased a two story building across the street from their present location, and expect to occupy their new quarters within a month. They will erect a 25 foot addition in the rear for a press room and will then have a very convenient building for their use. We congratulate the boys upon this evidence of business sagacity and prosperity. Their success has been earned by long and faithful service.

THE MAY FESTIVAL.

The Recital on the great Columbian Organ, by Clarence Eldy, will be one of the most attractive features of the coming May Festival at Ann Arbor, May 17, and 18. This Organ it will be remembered, was built for the World's Fair and stood in Festival Hall during the Exposition. After the Fair was over, it was shipped to Ann Arbor and set up in University Hall, as the gift of alumni and friends to the University. Mechanically it is the most perfect great organ in existence. It contains 3,901 pipes, the largest of which is 32 ft. long. Connection between the pipes feet and keys is made by electrical apparatus so that the reponse of the pipe to the fingers of the player is immediate, as in the case of a piano. Wind is furnished by immense bellows, to which force is applied by means of two electric motors, one of five, the other of two, horse-power. The organ has four manuals, and 116 stops. Professor Clarence Eddy is so well known that further account of him seems unnecessary; he ranks among the great organists of the world. The Organ Recital will be given Saturday morning, May 18.

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The unit of work is taken as three hours a week in recitation or nine hours a week in the laboratory, etc., for thirty-four weeks, and any study taking this time is called a full course. A subject occupying a longer or shorter time is credited for its proportionate part of a full course.

To obtain the S. B. degree will require eighteen full courses, while the E. M. degree requires the completion of twenty-two full courses.

Owing to the fact that the Mining School is in session for forty-five weeks during the year this elective system will enable a good student to take his degree in either three or four years, depending upon the question whether he remains during the summer work or not.

The working of this plan will be watched by all the schools in the country with great interest, but it is not believed that it will lower the standard of education in the school at all, as whatever will be lost in breadth will be made up in greater thoroughness.

This new departure is only one other proof of the same progressive spirit that has marked the Michigan Mining School since its organization, and which, since 1890, has made it one of the leading technical schools in the country.—Copper Country Evening News.

ART IN TEXAS.

A late copy of the San Antonio Daily News reveals the fact that our whilom old friend LaVern Wheeler is taking a position of deserved prominence in the art circles of that city. His old Tecumseh acquantances will be glad to learn of his good fortune;

Last Wednesday afternoon was the seating capacity of the Art League rooms inadequate for the large turn-out of the members, called together for the special purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Percy M. Knight presided at the meeting, as Mrs. Kroeninger was too ill to attend the meeting and occupy the chair.

After the reports of the committees had been heard by the society, the election took place. Mr. Knight made a very earnest speech, in which he declared his positive determination to withdraw from the race for the presidency of the Art League. Although a number of the members has counted on his election, they accepted his withdrawal, and Mr. Lee Adams was elected to the presidency by a unanimous vote. The choice gave satisfaction, as it is the opinion of the members of the League Mr. Adams will work for the promotion of the best interests of the society.

The League showed its appreciation of Mrs. Kroeninger and her work for the society by re-electing her as its vice president. Mrs. Kroeninger has been a most enthusiastic supporter of the League and has done much to spread the influence of the League.

Mrs. Ferlet was elected to fill the position of second vice-president, with Mrs. Rounds as third, Mr. McCan fourth, Miss Scott fifth and Mr. Cadwallader as sixth vice-president.

The election of a secretary was next in order, for which office there were two candidates, Miss Overton and Mr. Wheeler. Miss Overton made a short speech, in which she eulogized the other candidate and said that had she understood the facts in the case at the last meeting she would not have allowed her name to be put in nomination for the office against one whom she thought had filled the office with credit to the society and to himself. Miss Overton then made a motion that Mr. LaVern F. Wheeler be declared the unanimous choice of the Art League for its secretary. The motion was seconded and carried without a dissenting vote.

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THE MAY PARTY.

A Pleasant Social Event Enjoyed by a Large Company.

Last Tuesday evening was held at Armory Hall the tenth annual May party given by the young men of Tecumseh. The May and Christmas parties of Tecumseh have come to be looked for as regular events in the social life of our town and a departure from this custom would be keenly felt by all lovers of the art. Although the parties of late have been more modest in the way of decorations, music, etc., they have lost none of their interest or social importance on this account, and the last was one of the prettiest and most successful ever given. Armory Hall was plainly but handsomely decorated for the occasion, an out door balcony being arranged on the east side, where warm and weary dancers might refresh themselves under the admiring stars for surely the stars themselves could but wonder that such dainty gowns, such pretty faces and such forms divine could be and live upon this mundane sphere, as their twinkling eyes looked down upon that night. Indeed, it was a pretty ball. The ladies were gracious and charming; the gentlemen dignified and gallant; the music by Jackson's mandolin orchestra, inspiring, and all the company in profound sympathy with the spirit of the occasion. The piano was a little late, and the supper a trifle hasty but both faults were soon forgotten by the generous dancers.

The participants from abroad were: Messrs. Frank Welch, Chas. Whitney, Dr. Geo. Gibson, Clark Baldwin, and Misses Cooley, Stainforth, Rose, Baker and Sickles of Adrian; Whitney Watkins, of Manchester; Miss Elkbaum of Brooklyn; Barney Ward and Miss Poole of Deerfield and Miss Corlett of Toledo.

High School Happenings.

One of the finest games ever witnessed in Tecumseh was played Thursday afternoon between the Sophomores and Seniors. The flip of the silver dollar decided which side would take the field and cheer after cheer arose from the well filled grand stand as the Sophomores lined themselves on the diamond. The first inning was closely contested, as also the succeeding ones were. Pennington and Grayson were the battery for the Sophomores and played a fine game. Pennington threw a very speedy ball and watched the bases well. It being his first game he felt a trifle choice of his arm and did not pitch as hard a game as he might have pitched. Calhoun pitched phenomenally for the Seniors. He had had no practice before hand and was not prepared for the box. Will Hicks pitched in the latter part of 5th inning. The fielding was excellent on both sides while the base playing was one of the principal features of the game. A splendid career is in store for most of the players and Tecumseh may feel proud of her talent. The score at the close of the 5th inning was 14 to 16 in favor of the Seniors. A game is expected next week between the same teams. The Sophomores had a yell all ready but did not use it.

Reduced Rate Excursions to Boston

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R.y in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account 26th Triennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the direct and only double track line from the west to Boston.

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For five years I suffered with pain and discharge of the throat, hacking cough, frontal headache, weak eyes, etc., at times could not talk above a whisper; lost weight continually, and not able to be at work. I was treated by the best physicians in the country, but received no relief. After giving up all hope I was recommended to use a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. After using it for four weeks my speech returned. All symptons of catarrh have disappeared and 'I feel like a different person.'

Mrs ELIAS HANDWERK.
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It is a hopeful sign of the times that the people are nearing the point where they will insist that their legislators shall be above even the suspicion of wrong-doing.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. May.

Overworked women need Zoa Phora.

Broken down women renewed by Zoa Phora.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAY 10, 1895.

George Sturm took a spin to Saline Tuesday.

Rev. C. C. Marshall preached his first sermon last Sunday.

O. D. Ellis expects to move his cigar factory about the tenth.

Mrs. King now owns the C. R. Brown home on Jackson street.

James McCann and wife, of Tecumseh, were in town over Sunday.

Joe Alexander, Will Burton and Fred Ellis have purchased Bolton wheels of A. B. VanDeMark.

Mrs. E. A. Clark and Miss Eva Coleman were in Detroit Tuesday making purchases of millinery.

Chris. Smith, whose saloon bonds were [illegible] Friday night, opened up for business Saturday noon.

[illegible] flag [illegible] the procession, and already shows symptoms of the building fever.

Sheridan Sanford has bought the east half of the Mrs. Brown building. It will be used as a dwelling house.

The new hotel is now regarded as a sure thing, and other buildings on that side will surely follow its erection.

S. V. Demuth and Joe Alexander started on wheels for Toledo Monday. They exchanged for car wheels at Milan.

The Maccabees have organized a band with twelve members to begin with. F. B. Greenleaf is leader and manager. Let the band play.

A small but very enjoyable dancing party was given in honor of Miss Maude Windsor last week. Miss Windsor returned to Ontario Friday.

S. E. Sevill, engineer at the plow works, has taken a position in the stone yards at Norfolk, Ohio. His family remains in Clinton for the present.

Monday the council adopted the state hours for openiag and closing saloons, which are from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. standard. You will have to work short time if you get a nip in the morning now.

W. D. VanTuyle and D. [illegible]inbridge have bought the east part of Mrs. Jennie Brown's lot, 50x100 ft., and will soon commence the erection of a handsome brick thereon. Let the good work go on.

A new side track has been laid to the plant of the plow works, which will be a great convenience in their business. The company intends starting a lumber yard and several car loads have already arrived.

C. W. Edwards, wife, and daughter, have been spending the week with A. C. Huntington's family. Their performance here last winter so delighted their audience that they have been again secured to appear at the Town Hall tomorrow night.

Father Heidenrich, who was recently ordained at Detroit, last week took charge of the missions at Manchester, Clinton, Freedom and Cambridge. Father Ternes has taken up his labors at Marine City. Father Ternes' work will long be remembered by his parishoners, by all of whom he was most highly esteemed, both as a friend and priest.

On Monday last the firm of E. W. Freeze & Son passed out of existence and was changed to a joint stock company to be known as the Freese, Whittelsey Co., incorporated. The stockholders are E. W. Freeze, G. W. Freeze, W. S. Whittelsey, Fannie F. Whittelsey and Miss Lina Jones. The enterprise and business integrity of the old house has stood the test of over thirty years, first being established in 1864, and we bespeak success and favor for the new company.

The building boom in Clinton seems to have come to stay. It is not of the mushroon variety but is a good big life sized, healthy boom, with a good appetite for brick and morter. Moreover it is a point of great satisfaction to our citizens to know that the enterprise and confidence of those interested will assure to the town substantial, handsome brick buildings, and no other movement on the part of our business men could be half so auspicious for future prosperity as this.

It will be of considerable interest to Clinton people to know that the North shore of Sand Lake is opening up this spring with a great boom in the summer resort business and promises soon to eclipse the south side in popularity. This movement is largely due to the enterprise and accommodation of the Kennedy Bros. who took charge of the hotel there last year. They are now finishing the old ball room on the third floor, into bedrooms, and thoroughly renovating the whole house. The groves and grounds are also being cleaned up and put in the most attractive appearance. A. B. VanDeMark will soon put an attractive cottage on this side. Parties from Richmond, Ind., are about to establish a resort colony. They have decided to erect two double cottages of commodious size and handsome finish, with the prospect of more to follow. Surely there is no more desirable locality for spending the summer months and with good accommodations and congenial cottagers the north side will be a delightful resort.

A Bad Wreck

of the constitution may follow in the track of a disordered system, due to impure blood or inactive liver. Don't run the risk! The proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery take all the chances. They make a straightforward offer to return your money if their remedy fails to benefit or cure all disorders and affections due to impure blood or inactive liver. The germs of disease circulate through the blood; the liver is the filter which permits the germs to enter or not. The liver active, and the blood pure, and you escape disease.

When you're run down, debilitated, weak, your weight below a healthy standard, you regain health, strength, and wholesome flesh, by using the 'Discovery.' It builds up the body faster than nauseating Cod liver oil or emulsions.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, piles, billiousness, indigestion, or despepsia, and headaches. 1w

There is a louder call than before for an explanation by the president as to what he considers "sound money" and "safe currency."

LAKE RIDGE LACONICS.

A child of Casper Homer died May 3d, aged 5 months, 17 days.

Chet Hale and John C. Mills have each an instrument on the U. T. line. Their calls are "C H" and "M H."

The leading event of the past week was the marriage of Theodore Karcher and Anna Stroble, of Lake Ridge, on Thursday, May 2d, at the Lutheran church, by Rev. Krueger. The viands were spread at the groom's parents, and were sumptuous, for which Mrs. Karcher is noted. The groom is well known, having lived here from early childhood. Miss Stroble is of recent acquaintance and highly esteemed. Presents were [illegible] and beautiful, following is a partial list: Sewing machine, M. Karcher and wife; rocking chair, H. Karcher and wife; bureau, H. Wunderly and wife and Gus Dascher and wife; carpet sweeper, Mrs. Beckly; chamber set, Ed. Aaton and wife; bed spread, Frank Winterstein and wife; Table scarf, Ar. [illegible] and wife, of Chelsea; gold lined berry spoon, S. C. Easlick and [illegible] John Smith, wife and mother; set of berry dishes, Mr. Moll and wife, of Petersburg; brussels rug, S. W. Anderson and wife, of Tecumseh; clock, Henry Smith, wife and lizzie, of Tecumseh; silver butter knife and sugar spoon, Etta Miller; lamp, Azzie Moll; pr. of Petersburg; salt and pepper dusters and work basket, Willie, George and Bertha Miller; supply of groceries, Smith & Schmidt, merchants of Toledo; dozen one doz napkins, table spread and soup spoon, Henry Miller and wife, and Fred Swarm and wife, of Boston, Mass; table spread, Jake Zorman, of Jonesville; lamp, E. Dascher and wife; silver fruit dish, C. Rudisiles, of Riga; cracker fruit dish, C. Rudisiles, of Riga; cracker dish, C. Rudisiles, of Riga; bed spread, J. G. Miller; Eva Auten; bed spread, J. G. Miller and wife; bed spread and towel, C. Dascher and wife; fruit dish, Gus Kempf; two towels, T. A. and E. Karcher; table cloth, L. Miller and wife; tidy, Josie Hand; two towels, Bertha Avery; two towels, J. H. Bauchman and wife; vase, Eliza Dascher; silver berry spoon, Lizzie and Henry Beland; towel, Mrs. H. Hand; celery dish, Anna Auten; box of cigars, Will Arnold; "And still they come."

ROME RAVELINGS.

Minnie Kline, of Rome Center, died Sunday at 12 o'clock, of typhoid fever.

Jennie Bell has just returned from a several weeks' visit in the north part of the state.

Mrs. Luce still remains at Detroit, caring for her daughter, who is improving slowly.

David Richardson has moved his family into the house formerly owned by Walter Wood.

Seymore Colbath is so as to be about after the severe fall he took from a barn this spring.

Somebody's dogs thought mutton would taste good, so they attacked Burt Wells' sheep, killed a number, bit thirty eight, and fifteen more are missing.

Charles Baker's little boy, Fay, was determined to outdo Burt Selleck, who was burning brush, so he set the hog pen a-fire, and, but for timely aid, the house would have been burned also.

A Valuable Find.

After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never-failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia; especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhœa and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

There is a party in Japan that wants to continue fighting. It might with propriety be named the Frye party.

Are You Ever Annoyed

by a buzzing or roaring sound in your head? Have you difficulty in hearing distinctly? Are you troubled with a continual dropping of mucus, irritating the throat and causing you to cough? Is your breath unpleasantly affected and accompanied with bad taste? Is your hearing less acute? If so, you have catarrh and should at once procure a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, the best known remedy. The Balm will give instant relief. 1w

The country is not in a mood to run this country in the interest and at the dictation of English bankers.

The Most Important Question

among the practical farmers of to-day is where they can get the most for the money invested, and the largest profit for the labor of themselves and families. Buying high priced land or working land on shares does not meet with the best results. This quesuion is answered by The C. S. Graves Land Company, R. 311, 56, 5th Ave, Chicago, (see advertisement in this paper). 1w

The news comes that the Mikado has ratified the peace treaty with China. Why not? It was a case involving the acceptance of a soft snap gracefully.

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If Germany had waited for the present condition of the meat market she might have saved herself the trouble of excluding American beef.

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An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics warrants the bold claim that Dr. King's New Discovery will positively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be refunded if no good results follow its use. Sold by Orr & Temple. 4

Reuben looks as if it would be necessary to offer a compromise with the next Democratic nomination for the governorship in order to get anything accepted.

A Warm Friend.

Foley's Kidney And Bladder Cure is a warm friend indeed to those suffering from kidney complaints. It never fails. 35 and 75c. Sold by Orr & Temple. May

Epworth Leaguers!

Send stamp for official book "Historic Chattanooga," containing full particulars International Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Chattanooga next June. The Queen and Crescent Route will make one fare for round trip.

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W. W. Dunnavant, T. P. A., Cleveland.
W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

John P. Bruer, traveling salesman for Geo. City Stove Co., Dayton, Ohio, says: [illegible] me to recommend Adirondack Heart and Nerve Cure, for I do all that it is claimed by Orr & Temple. May

The less trust beef and coal oil the public uses during the existing corners the sooner the corners will cease and the longer it will be before the next squeese.

Dr. Nansen is reported to have discovered the North Pole. But the report is doubted. He probably encountered the cold wave that arose in New York the last time Governor Morton and Mr. Platt shook hands.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 25 Hafley Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

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Some admirers of the secretary of Agriculture are beginning to speak of him as a possible democratic candidate for the presidency, likely to find favor because of his financial views.

'I burned my fingers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it.' Amelia Swords, Saundersville, O. 1w

The sooner the Delaware legislature elects a senator the better for all concerned. The interests of the party are more important than the advancement of any individual.

A Complete Chautauqua Program

Of the 1895 Chautauqua Assembly will be mailed to any address on application to A. J. Smith, G. P. A., L. S. & M. S. R'y, Cleveland, Ohio. Please bear in mind that the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern R'y is the best line to Chautauqua Lake, also that reduced rate tickets are on sale during the summer season.

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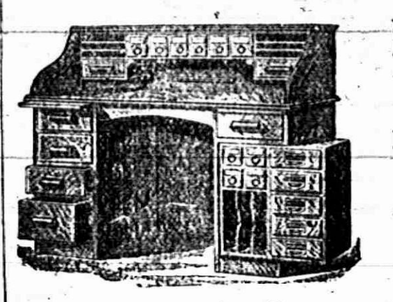

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A Minister Speaks. The Rev. W. E. Sparks, of Detroit, says: "I know of no disease so injurious to the mind, body and soul of young men as that of Self Abuse. I have sent many victims of this lustful habit to Drs. Kennedy & Kergan for treatment. I can heartily endorse their *New Method Treatment* which cured them when all else failed."

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Horse forks, ropes, pulleys, at Jas. Haight's.

Frank Gibson made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

McMillan, of Milan, shipped a car of hogs from here Saturday.

Mrs. John Britton and Anna visited Toledo friends Thursday and Friday of last week.

Prepare for haying by getting your hay forks, pulleys, ropes, etc., at Jas. Haight's.

Mrs. W. E. Allen and children visited her mother and sister at Ridgeway, part of last week.

Harvey Welling has received an entire new line of musical instruments and they are dandies.

Lewadson Bros' are in the egg business with both feet. They have taken in this week 100 cases.

Frank L. Woodward, of the Chamberlin & Bean Plow Company of Hudson, was in town Wednesday.

Miss Anna Hardy attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Reading this week. She went as a delegate from here.

The school board has invited both the teachers to remain another year and they have accepted the invitation.

James Hillock moved into the parsonage instead of the Exelby house as stated last week. We make the correction.

L. L. Keeler, of Adrian, shipped a double deck car of hogs and sheep Saturday and yesterday two cars of hogs.

Mrs. Ezra Sink, accompanied by Ella Sweetby, visited the county seat Wednesday and took in the sights of that pretty city.

The elevator will not be moved from Ridgeway until the foundation is laid, the stone for which is being brought by rail from Whelerton.

Quite a number of our base ball cranks took in the excursion to Toledo Sunday and witnessed the trouncing of the Toledo team by Indianapolis.

Misses Nettie Fowler, Mettie Owen and Lena Wyrell, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Lizzie McCarbery Saturday and Sunday. They attended the photograph social.

Mrs. Will J. Clark was called to La Porte, Indiana, Wednesday morning, in consequence of a serious accident which befell her mother, Mrs. Jane Wilbraham, whereby her hip was fractured.

Geo. Exelby was circulating a petition on Wednesday to have the school children kept within the school yard during school hours, and not allow them to be in the stores or in the streets as they are liable to get run over when allowed to run at will.

Saturday being Web Underwood's 26th birthday about twenty five of his friends walked in on him at his home, in the evening. Web soon rallied from the surprise and proved himself an agreeable host. All had an evening of pleasure.

The Britton Journal has changed hands recently and the new proprietor C. K. Smeed, expects to become a resident here in the near future, and as soon as possible the office will be moved. Until that is accomplished, the paper will be printed at Petersburgh, as it has been.

Rev. E. Mudge left Sunday night for Chicago and Mrs. M. followed Wednesday morning. We regret to have them from us for they have a strong hold on the affections of the entire community, as Mr. Mudge retains his pastorate here for the balance of the year at least. We hope Mrs. M. will come over with them frequently.

Andrew Gogoline and Aleck Champlain each got a Ben Hur bike Saturday evening and Sunday they undertook to coast down them on our main boulevard. The efforts they put forth and the tactics adopted were witnessed by a crowd of spectators who were so delighted with the entertainment furnished them there was some talk of raising a sum of money as a testimonial of their appreciation.

Lee Bros. have an immense cigar in their case which is to be given to the person bringing in the largest hen's egg between May 1st and July 4th. James P. Underwood brought an egg in Wednesday, laid by a barred Plymouth Rock hen, which measured eight and one-half inches one way and seven and three-fourth inches the other and weighed six ounces. It is expected there will be great strife among the hens in this vicinity for a time at least, as each flock will endeavor to win for their owner this cigar.

The first game of ball was played on the home grounds Saturday afternoon, when our boys crossed bats with the team from Lake Ridge. It proved to be a very closely contested and interesting game from start to finish. Eastlick, Britton's old pitcher was in the box for Lake Ridge, and Biggs, who has not pitched a game in three years, was the pitcher for the home team and proved by his ability to pitch good ball. At the end of the 8th inning the score stood 6 to 4 in favor of Britton. In the 9th, our boys made some costly errors which cost them the game, and the score stood 10 to 7 in favor of Lake Ridge:

Score	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Britton	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	7
Lake Ridge	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	5	9

Henry Taylor, Monday noon, drove his horse to the hotel tank to water and being considerate of the animal's comfort, slipped the bridle off that he might enjoy his draught the more. To his surprise the horse became frightened, kicked himself loose from the wagon and ran across the hotel yard, just missing Lottie Gifford, who was going into the hotel, broke down Geo. Exelby's wire fence, then went over into Will Clark's yard and scaled the fence between Clark and Fred Rupp going clear over Rupp's little boy who was playing by the fence and out into the road where he was caught. Although no damage was done, there were two miraculous escapes. No doubt this will prove an object lesson to Henry which he will not soon forget.

I have used Burdock Blood Bitters in my family for two years. It is the best medicine I ever used. It cured me of erysipelas in very short time; also cured my son of scrofula after the doctors had failed.' Louis S. Woodward, Laurel Hill, Fayette County, Pa. 1w

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Jacob Wright, of Raisin Center, is quite sick.

Harve Hartman will soon serve ice cream to the public.

Mrs. Nora Loper is on the gain after a sickness of a few days.

John Schwab has left for Buffalo, N. Y., with a carload of cattle.

Ed. Dawson, of Blissfield, was up Sunday calling on his best girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoadley drove down from Fairfield Sunday to visit friends.

Rev. Charles Miller preached at the Free Methodist church Thursday evening.

The Maccabees initiate a new member Tuesday evening and serve ice cream.

The Ladies' Social is held at Mrs. Horace Holdridge's, May 16. All are invited.

F. G. Florance and family visited James Sutherland and wife, of Adrian, Sunday.

Chas. Anthony soon leaves for Virginia where he is agent for the Tecumseh Fence Co.

Wm. Cox is attending circuit court at Adrian this week. He is a juryman from Raisin.

Elmer Lewis is having a struggle with rheumatism. Dr. Jones, of Tecumseh is attending him.

The Holloway creamery caught fire and would have been in ashes, but for Mr. Holt seeing the fire in time to put it out.

Mrs. A. J. Stead and Mrs. B. I. Laing attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Reading, Hillsdale county, as delegates from this Union.

Mrs B. I. Laing, entertained the W. C. T. U, and also her Sunday School class, at her home Thursday afternoon. All report a pleasant time.

Frank Stead's paper, which he composed and read at the convention, was very good, and we are proud to say of him that he did finely and compliments are his.

Quite a number attended the convention which was held in Tecumseh. To say that the people of Tecumseh are not royal entertainers would be clear out of the question. The cordial welcome with which they greeted everyone and the dinner that the ladies served in the church parlors was very nice indeed and highly complimented by all who attended.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Decoration, May 30th, is the next holiday.

The sick in and about the village are improving.

Cleaning house and cutting lawns are the present occupation.

There were only a few who took in the excursion to Toledo, Sunday.

Look out for change of time on the C. J. & M. time cards soon to take effect.

The much needed rains have come and make all nature burst forth in grandeur.

A. E. Palmer and family, of Adrian, visited his brothers, Henry and Ed., over Sunday.

Supervisor Lowe and son Charles, W. B. Arner and Harvey Hines, went to the lakes fishing Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Church and children, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ransom.

Hiram Wescott and wife of Tecumseh, and Mr. and Mrs. Ives of Raisin, spent Sunday with Mrs. Wescott's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Rexom.

Mrs. John Arner and Mrs. Daniel Linn, went to Reading Wednesday, as delegates to the district W. C. T. U. convention being held there this week.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Addie Crittenden was home from Northville to spend Sunday.

The school entertainment given by Miss Camburn last Saturday night, proved quite an attraction.

Leroy Chamber's family, of Kankakee, Wis., arrived in this place Wednesday and expects to make it their home here for some time.

Owing to the absence of Mr. Gulick from the Reformed church and the quarterly meeting service in the evening at the M. E. church, there was no preaching service during the day last Sunday.

The concert Friday evening, by the Grayson Family and others, called out a full house, the only disappointment being that Miss Grayson had to act as organist, and that the "Austin Boys" could not come. Receipts were over $29.00.

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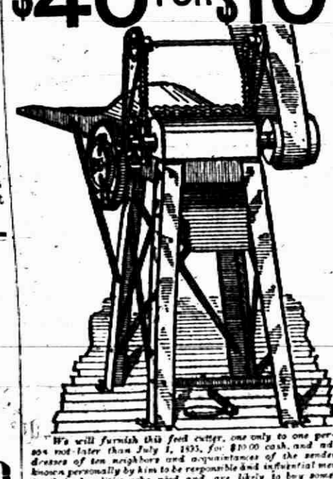

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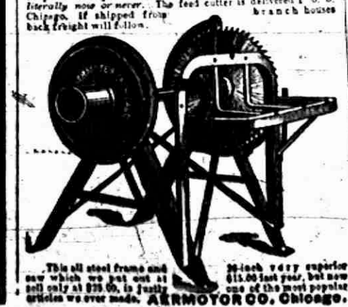

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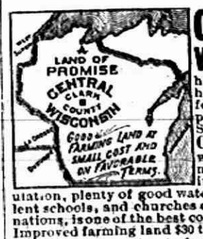

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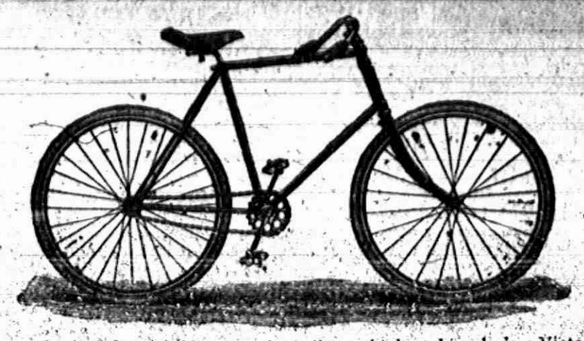

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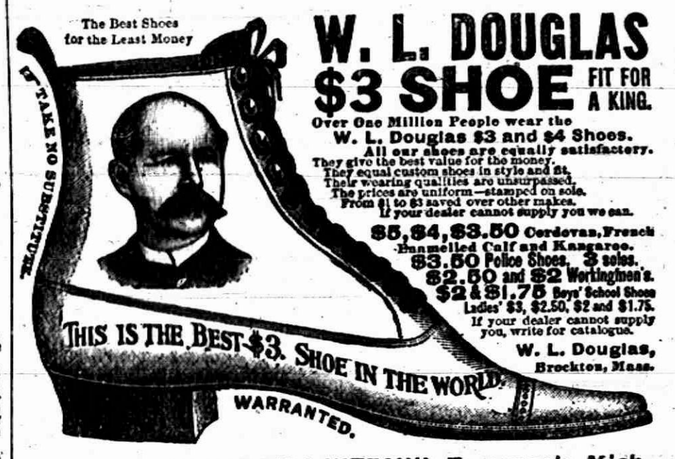

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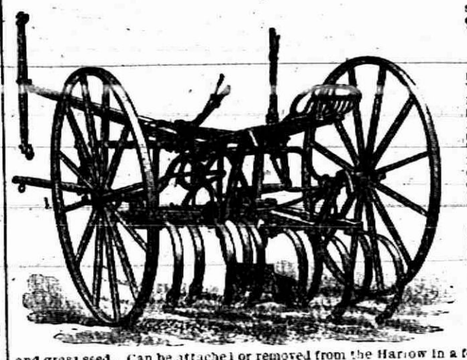

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Frank Bauer went to Adrian Wednesday.

Editor Blosser and wife of Manchester took dinner at the Lilley to-day.

The second lecture on parliamentary law will be given at the Universalist church, at 8:30 this evening.

Stein and Frank, the Detroit opticians, who have become quite well known through their work in town, will be at the Lilley House for the week beginning May 13.

B. C. Knapp, M. A. Zimmerman, J. S. Temple, Joe Russell, J. W. Wightman and Will J. Ingersoll were all in Adrian yesterday as witnesses in the Stout—Mensing suit.

The Friends' social, announced to take place next week at the home of Miss Libbie Satterthwaite has been deferred until some future date, by reason of the death of Joshua Taylor.

Subject for Sunday, May 12th in the Universalist church: "And in Hell he lift up his eyes being in torments," St. Luke XVI. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, My Favorite Hymns, and why.—Ps. 98:1-9; 147: 1-7; 144: 9-15.

A Citizens' and Soldiers' meeting is called for at 7 p. m., May 15th, to be held at the Armory, for the purpose of making arrangements for Decoration Day, May 30th. The ladies of the W. R. C., and all loyal women are cordially invited to be present. By request of the officers of Beers Post, No. 140.

The free entertainment "Under the Search Light", given Tuesday evening by Rev. Frank Hoyt under the auspices of the local tent of the K. O. T. M. was eagerly enjoyed by a large and appreciative house, last Tuesday evening. Rev. Hoyt is an eloquent and lucid speaker, and when aided by the graphic illustration of a 3000 candle calcium light, his presentation of the workings and objects of the Maccabees is most profound and impressive. The lecturer begins with the early wars, trials, and progress of the ancient Knights who were the first to make assessments for the succor of the widow and orphan and thus boldly set an example of benevolence and humanity which has resulted in the modern Maccabees, perhaps the greatest insurance and benevolent organization in our land to-day. The Maccabees themselves, who are best to judge, were delightfully surprised with the force and logic with which their own ideas of benevolence were presented, and those outside of the order were awakened to a greater sense of their duty to themselves and families in providing for the hour of need and want. Altogether the lecture was a most powerful argument in favor of secret beneficiary organizations and especially the Maccabees, and we predict will work great good in this locality.

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To the Interchangable Milage ticket issued by the Ohio Central lines, already the best in the market, has been added the entire B. & O. system west of Pittsburgh, including the Pittsburgh & Western railroad, making it incomparably the best mileage ticket issued by any line. If you want a ticket that includes the B. & O. system as well as Big Four, such tickets are issued by Ohio Central agents only.

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GONE TO HER REST.

The sudden death of Mrs. Philip S. DePuy, which occurred at her home on Friday morning, April 29th, 1895, was a surprise and grief to her many relatives and friends, the majority of whom had not even heard of her sickness.

About three weeks previous to her death Mrs. DePuy was taken with the Grip and was confined to the bed for nearly two weeks, but was not considered dangerous. In fact she so far recovered from the attack as to sit up several hours through the day, write to her absent children and converse with those around her in her usual cheerful spirit. But on Wednesday night about midnight, of the third week of her illness, she was taken worse, and in the following morning about nine o'clock had a stroke of apoplexy, from which she never rallied. She was unconscious from the first, living only twenty-four hours after the fatal attack.

Mrs. DePuy's maiden name was Milaney Chandler. She was the daughter of Henry and Sally Chandler and was born in Coventry, Chenango County, N. Y., Jan. 29th, 1820. She was descended from an old puritanical, New England family, her Chandler ancestors having come from England to America and settled in Massachusetts as early as 1637. On the Chandler side she had many illustrious relatives among whom were the late senator Zach Chandler, of Michigan, Louisa Chandler Moulton, the authoress, Bancroft, the historian, and the late ex-President Hayes, who was her double cousin.

In her girlhood days, Miss Chandler's parents moved from Coventry to Nunda, Livingston County, N. Y., where they subsequently lived and where, on February 26th, 1845, she was married to Philip S. DePuy, of Mt. Morris, N. Y. Of this union six children were born, five of whom are now living. In 1854 Mr. and Mrs. DePuy came to Michigan and settled at Tecumseh where they have since lived.

Mrs. DePuy was a life long member of the Baptist church and was always identified with all matters pertaining to christian work. Tender, loving, gentle, she was the truest of friends and ever had a welcoming smile for all, whether it were the bidden or unbidden guest. She was the tenderest of mothers and her children loved and worshipped her as their beautiful mother whose loving life never spoke a harsh or angry word, whose tender eyes never gave them a frowning look. At her knee she taught them their childish prayer and her good night kiss, will ever linger in the memory like a parting benediction to bless and strengthen the future years they must now live out without her loving council. Hallowed home of childhood days! Blessed indeed are they who can associate its memory with the sacred influence of such a mother. Of refined tastes and endowed with rich intellectual gifts Mrs. DePuy enjoyed literary works and pursuits and manifested the keenest interest and delight in any pen production that came from any member of her own family. For many months past she had longed to live until the fiftieth anniversary of her marriage and this she realized, Mr. and Mrs. DePuy having celebrated their golden wedding last February, thus rounding out their married life in fifty golden years.

Mrs. DePuy's youngest daughter, Emma C. Keith, died March 25th, 1882. Besides her husband, her remaining five children, Mrs J. M. Hendershot, of Tecumseh, Ray W. DePuy and Rev. Wellington DePuy, of Grand Ledge, Mich. Mrs. Thomas Taber, of Madison, Wis., and E. Cora DePuy, the well known author and journalist of Ann Arbor, Mich., survive her.

The funeral services were held at the family residence on Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Mr. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of this village and were largely attended. The remains were interred in the family lot in Oak Grove cemetery.

Gone! and the world to go on as before!
Gone, with a smile from the old home door.
Dear, gentle mother, to come back nevermore

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The May meeting of the club will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rector on the afternoon of May 24th. The following is the program:

Music—Ellen Fisher and Grace Gillespie.
Rec.—Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse.
Dec.—Earl Rector.
Reading—Mr. Finch.
Poem—Mrs. Remington.
Essay—Mrs. F. D. Rector.
Dec.—Mr. I. H. Schreder.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Question—Does spraying fruit trees pay, and best method of spraying? Question opened by Mr. Fisher. Mrs. B. J. Rector will furnish the supper.

Was St. Paul in Love?

This question has been considerably discussed, at one time and another. Was this Star Apostle of Christianity subject to the same heart-throbs as ordinary mortals? Was his apparent indifference to woman the result of an early disappointment?

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E. TINDALL.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—At Presbyterian church parlors last evening, a Lady's Gold Stick Pin. Finder will be rewarded upon leaving the same with J. L. WALDO.

FOR SALE—High grade second hand ladies' bicycle for sale cheap, little used and good as new. Call and examine. D. L. WHITENACK & CO.

WATER RATES—Water rates for the season of 1895 are now due and must be paid within twenty days from date hereof; all rates payable at the office of the Clerk of Water Board.
Dated MAY 1, 1895. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

VICTOR BICYCLE—For sale cheap, if taken soon. A rare chance for a bargain. Call at the HERALD OFFICE.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! PLANTS!!!—Early cabbage, Tomato, Celery and Pepper plants in large quantities. Tomato plants by the hundred, cheap. I also have put in a stock of Asters, Verbena, Carnation, Asters and other bedding plants. Call and see them.
ABNER WILSON.

WANTED—Four foot soft Wood at Herbst Bros & Co's foundry.

MISAND LAKE COTTAGE—For sale. Property consists of Cottage, furnished, Barn, Ice House, filled, Boat and Boat House, etc.
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BOARD AND ROOMS—By the day or week; also single meals at reasonable rates. At the Morse house, first place north of the Mills block, on Ottawa street.
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FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—160 acres of fine wheat or grazing land in Kansas. Fenced with wire and stone posts; barn for 25 head of cattle; good spring of water. For sale at a bargain, or will exchange for property here. C. A. SLAYTON.

PAINTING.—M. L. Gillies is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Montague's Novelty Store.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two village lots with dwellings thereon and Green house property in Brownville. For terms enquire of the undersigned. W. H. SPALDING.

FOR SALE.—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Don't write, but come and see me, two miles west of Tecumseh. JOSEPH E. GRAY.
Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF review—To all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, for the year 1895; notice is hereby given, that the assessment roll for the said Village of Tecumseh for the year 1895 has been completed, and that the Board of Review of said Village will be in session at the Council Building in said Village on Wednesday, and Thursday, the 22d and 23d days of May, A. D. 1895, from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m., of both said days, at which time and place the aforesaid assessment roll will be subject to review and correction, and all persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by any valuation of property as now set forth in said assessment roll, or may have knowledge of any errors contained in said roll, or omissions from the same, or who may have reason to suppose that such errors exist, will then and there be heard by said Board of Review, and all errors found to exist within said assessment roll will be duly corrected, and all property subject to taxation within said Village found to have been omitted from said assessment roll will be placed thereon by said Board of Review. And such assessment roll, as corrected and approved by said Board of Review, shall be the assessment roll of said Village for the year 1895.
Given under my hand, at my office in said Village, this 7th day of May A. D. 1895.
S. F. HOSMER,
Assessor of the said Village of Tecumseh, Mich.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 10, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

This is a "mighty growing time."

It is still hot, but not so dry and dusty.

Charley Bidwell took in the May party.

Mrs. L. B. Stevens is visiting here from Detroit.

Wm. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., was in Tecumseh Wednesday.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will deliver the address on Decoration day.

Mrs. Wm. Bresie is located at her home in Brownville for the summer.

Elwood Comfort and wife are home from their winter sojourn in Florida.

P. W. Adams arrived Tuesday night from Philadelphia for a few day's stay.

The Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co. have a message on shingles in another column—Read it.

S. L. Loud, of the firm of Loud & Kaiser, of Jackson, visited Mr. Kaiser a few days this week.

Mrs. R. L. Rogers, of Springville, took the train this morning for Venango, Pa., for a short visit.

Mrs. Albert Hayden left Monday morning for an extended visit with friends at Painesville, Ohio.

Deputy Gt. Com. Baker, of Saline, was in town this week in the interest of the order of the K. O. T. M.

Married, on the 8th inst., by Rev. James Vincent, Mr. Alvin J. Kent and Miss Ethel Cook, both of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Hattie Kelly and daughter Sadie, of West Bay City, are making an extended visit with Vet Erskine's family.

Mrs. David McNair will auction off her household furniture to-morrow, the place having been rented to Henry Heesen.

The Tecumseh Chapter, R. A. M. had a most pleasant meeting Wednesday night, entertaining many visiting companions.

Note the new card on the first page of the Freese-Whittelsey Co., of Clinton. It contains something that will interest all our readers.

Tecumseh is in the swim. A team from here with Harris and Gillen for battery will play Brittop club on their grounds to-morrow afternoon.

Several Tecumseh people were courting at Adrian yesterday, having gone there to attend the suit of H. E. Stout against Mensing and Keyser.

The blue lodge has accepted an invitation to exemplify third degree work at Clinton Friday night. All brothers from Tecumseh are invited to be present.

Notice G. H. Tanaley's ad. in another column.

B. A. Garlinghouse was an Adrian visitor Monday.

J. S. Draper, of Toledo, visited in Tecumseh over Sunday.

Alex Richard made a trip to Deerfield Monday on business.

Chas. Burridge had business in Adrian the first of the week.

Lawrence Bauer was a visitor at the county seat last Monday.

Mrs. DeLoss LeBaron was the guest of Mrs. S. W. Anderson the first part of the week.

Raynor Sutfin has finished his course in Cleary's Business College and is now in Kennedy & Rogers grocery.

The Maccabee Herald is a monthly published in Detroit. It is said that the L. O. T. M. are well represented in this paper.

The young people of the League will observe anniversary day Sunday evening. A suitable program has been arranged.

Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, May 15th, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock.

Official notification has been received that all railroad tickets for the Ann Arbor May festival will be good for return to and including the 20th of May.

The W. C. T. U. will give a 10c supper in the Methodist church, on Wednesday, May 20th. Tea served from 5:30 to 6:30. Everybody is cordially invited.

Members of the League are arranging for a Cantata entertainment, (a poem set to music.) Something new; watch for next week's paper for full particulars.

A. W. Slayton has a new sign for his shingle yard, whose size is commensurate with the proprietor's idea of advertising, which we are glad to say is quite large.

The frequent showers of the last three days were badly needed and have pushed vegetation along wonderfully. Spring has opened at last and is ready for business.

L. D. Dewey has taken in a fine lot of wool the past two weeks, and the farmers have been satisfied with the price, as it was a little ahead of that offered by other buyers.

A communication from Easton, Maryland, dated May 2, states that M. P. Henry died on the first of heart failure, aged 70 years. Mr. Henry was formerly a resident of Tecumseh and owned property here at the time of his death.

The eighth lecture on "The Wonderful Nazarene" wrs given at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening by Rev. C. M. Brown. The lecture and illustrations were both good and they were much enjoyed by a large congregation.

Dr. Hause is again in the field with a new invention for fastening window sashes. By this simple device the number of smashed fingers and windowlights will be lessened and much profanity spared to humanity.

As Mr. Morris Hyde was returning from town last Saturday afternoon he was seized with what came near being a stroke of apoplexy. He reached home with difficulty, but under the care of Dr. Jenkins is improving, but is still very feeble.

Mrs. Rose DePuy Taber, of Madison, Wis., is spending a few week with Tecumseh friends, having been called home by the death of her mother, Mrs. Philip S. DePuy. Mr. and Mrs. Taber are building an elegant new residence in Madison this summer.

The editor of an Ohio weekly announced not long ago that he "had been dying for several months." It seems he is running a dyehouse in addition to his newspaper business. It is to be hoped that the longer he lives the better he dyes and the longer he dyes the better he lives.

Our sewing machine premiums were awarded last Saturday according to announcement. They were drawn by Mathew Montgomery, George Swartz, Ora McBride and Andrew McCreary, in the order named. C. E. Williamson acted as chairman of the meeting and a fair gathering witnessed the proceedings.

A Frenchman living in Russia is said to have attained the immense age of 126 years. It appears he was born in Paris, April 17, 1768. He joined Napoleon's army in 1798. He fought in the battles Austerlitz and Jena, served in the campaigns of Egypt and Spain, and finally was one of the 400,000 men who followed Napoleon to Moscow.

Frank Harris, recent pitcher for the Monroe league team and whose pitching at Flint Wednesday was so flatteringly noticed in the Detroit papers, is home for a few days. The league charter has been transferred from Monroe to Port Huron, and Frank is undecided whether he will remain with Monroe or accept an offer to sign with Port Huron.

Little Marie Edwards is certainly a wonderful child as those who witnessed her musical performance last Wednesday evening can testify. The entertainment throughout was most interesting and enjoyable, though witnessed by a rather small house. Mr. Edwards and Marie were very acceptably assisted on the program by Rev. W. R. Blachford and Miss Jessie Case, and Mr. George Sanford of Clinton, whose performance on the mouth organ brought forth a hearty encore.

Bert Tribou Sundayed in town.

Alf. James was a Detroit visitor over Sunday.

Tribou LeBaron spent Sunday at C. F. Morley's.

Cleo Hall went to Ypsilanti on business Monday.

D. P. Anthony is home this week from Chicago.

Ed. Clark, of Clinton, was on the streets yesterday.

Mrs. Dora Clark was home from Toledo over Sunday.

Mrs. R. Morrison is home from Detroit for the summer.

Hon. T. M. Cainburn was home from Lansing over Sunday.

Mrs. R. B. Gillespie was a Detroit passenger this morning.

Dr. Shoebottom made a professional call at Norvell Tuesday.

Dr. Gibson, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh the first of the week.

Rev. J. P. Varner will preach to the League Sunday morning.

Glen Jack and Frank Osborn were home from Ypsilanti this week.

Misses Edith Ingersoll and Agnes Eaton visited in Adrian last week.

Albert Boyce will make Cherebusco and other points in Indiana this week.

Fifty-three Tecumsehites took advantage of the excursion to Toledo last Sunday.

Services as usual at the Friends' church next Sabbath both morning and evening. Strangers are always welcome.

Last Sunday was the hottest for the first week in May known for many years. Eighty-eight degrees was the temperature by registered thermometer.

Joshua Taylor died very suddenly last evening at his home in Raisin. He ate his supper as usual, but shortly after complained of slight pain and passed quietly away. Mr. Taylor was 80 years of age. The time of the funeral has not yet been fixed as some of the relatives live at considerable distance.

The North American Review for May opens with an interesting article upon "The Preacher and His Province," by his Eminence Cardinal Gibbons. It discusses the various duties and responsibilities resting upon ministers of religion, irrespective of creed, and advocates in a practical manner a closer study by the clergy of their fellow men.

While stopping a couple of hours at Adrian, the other day between trains, we called to see Bro. Grandon in his new quarters. The Telegram is now housed in a domicile of its own and it is a model newspaper office, the business office and press room on the lower floor, and the news and editorial rooms on the second floor. The Telegram is bound to succeed under the efficient management of Grandon & Kingston.

The rain fall in Tecumseh for each month during the year just ended taken by one of our most reliable statisticians, was as follows: May 8.12; June 2.17; July .86; Aug. .72; Sept. 2.54; Oct. 3.03; Nov. 1.71; Dec. 1.74; Jan. 1.49; Feb. .13; March .65; April 1.33. Total 24.49. The average for April for the past 25 years has been 2.23. Thus it can be seen that our present shortage is largely due to the light fall during February and March.

We have heard of the wonderful curative properties of mud baths and hot springs, but were not aware that the simple black muck of our celery farms contained a rare somniferous virtue within its marshy bosom. However it has been found that Morpheus can there be woed with sure success by some who seek in vain his favor elsewhere. This is a rare boon in this busy world to those who have the opportunity. We advise all nervous people to ask those who have tried it.

On the occasion of the recent visit of the famous Sousa Band to Detroit one of the most attractive numbers making up the program was the Detroit Journal March. It was composed for the Journal by Wm. C. G. Wright and arranged for the band by Willard Bryant. Mr. Sousa's appreciation of the march was later shown when he played it as an encore a few days later at Toledo and other cities. The reception given the march is but in keeping with the reception that is being given the Journal of late throughout the whole state. The Journal is recognized as a clean, reliable newspaper, and is forging to the front at a rapid rate. It deserves, too, all the success with which it is meeting.

Mrs. Richard Ford has recently received a letter from an old friend, C. H. Nichols, of Grass Lake, giving an item of personal history. An old silver poplar standing in the southwest corner of his garden was cut down in Feb. 1894. It was then 125 feet high and 20 feet in circumference and was the largest tree in Grass Lake township. The letter says: 'In 1842 a young man by the name of Richard Ford was cleaning up a place for a garden spot, took out his knife and was about to cut off the sprout for a whip. His mother thought it had better be left and now you can see the result.' The boy Richard Ford was Mrs. Ford's husband. The tree contained 40 cords of 16 inch wood, 2,000 fence pickets and a log which scaled 2,000 feet of lumber.

The World's Fair Tests
showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

A fine barn of J. M. Judson, residing about a mile east of Clayton was burned Tuesday night with its contents. The loss is estimated at $1,000, covered by insurance in the Farmers Mutual. Mr. Judson is ex-president of that organization.

Our friend, P. W. Adams, who is enjoying a brief respite from business in Tecumseh, does'nt grow old a particle. He is now the senior partner of the firm of Adams & Co., general business brokers, located at 29 North Seventh street, Philadelphia.

—Mr. F. Bradley, of Clinton, bought 40,000 shingles of me; the shingles and the prices were very satisfactory to him. I have more on hand.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—Go to A. W. Slayton for $2.50, 18 in. pine shingles; they are fine.

—Just what you want—A fine black Clay Worsted Suit from $20 to $28. It will pay you to see them. Call early and make your selection.
J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—A. W. Slayton's $3.00 shingles are fine.

—With improvements now in progress, we shall soon be prepared to treat our customers better than ever. Call and see us at the City Bakery.

—At A. W. Slayton's cut rate shingle yard you can buy for $3.00 all 18 inch clear shingles and a full 1000 of them.

—Painting, graining, paper hanging and kalsomining neatly done at reasonable rates by GEO. MATTESON.

—Ask for BANNER SOAP, the world's best laundry soap, and get a fine book with a quarter's worth. For sale by all grocers.

—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

—The finest line of shoes, women's shoes and slippers, ever seen, are exhibited this spring at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

—The Best work and Lowest Prices at
J. C. HAZLETT'S,
Merchant Tailor.

—Spring is here, and now is the time to clean up. Anything in the line of painting or paper hanging in the latest style of the art I will do at hard times rates. GEO. MATTESON.

—"Look where you're going and keep to the right," applies to choosing and using a good flour. Give Heck's "Old Gold" a trial and you will use no other.

—The largest line of imported and domestic Woolens at the Lowest Prices.
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Merchant Tailor.

—When you want the best farm fence in the market, come and see me or send me your order, and I will but it up.
C. A. SLAYTON.

—Call and see my line of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—None rank so high, none gives less trouble or lighter bread and biscuit than Heck's "Old Gold" flour. Ask your grocer for it.

—BOOK BINDING—
We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

—We have the best work shoe and plow shoe in Tecumseh at the lowest price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Teeple is doing finer work than ever. He has finer mouldings and a larger assortment of them, with prices within the reach of everyone. Call and be convinced.

—Have you seen those lovely spring and summer dress goods at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

—When the Waterbury watch Company stopped manufacturing their old style watch, the flood gates of cheap Swiss factories were opened, and poorly made, very unreliable watches were forced on the market in place of the very accurate Waterbury, which had but the one fault—its long wind. The clock factories, with their cheap clock watches, added to the stock of poor stuff, and the Waterbury Company were appealed to for something good and cheap in the quick wind series. The result is the new 'Trump' watch, which sells at $2.50. Call on ADAMSON BROS. and see this new watch.

Every woman should learn about Zoa Phora.

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What Zoa Phora won't do for ailing women, no medicine will.

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Ever Shown in Tecumseh.

Call Early and Secure First Choice.

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Tea Sets, Knives, Forks, Spoons and a Full Line of Silverware given away Free to our Customers.

We shall also have, for a short time only, some Goods on Sale at Reduced Prices.

CALL AND GET PRICES.

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Steel Ranges,
Builders' Hardware,
Steel Roofing and Siding,
Plumbing and Furnace Work,
Eave Troughing and Tin Roofing.

Hose, Hose Reels and Fancy Sprinklers.
Poultry Netting and Fence Wire.
Horse Clothing and Turf Goods.
New Process Gasoline Stoves.
Guns and Ammunition.
Bicycles and Sporting Goods,
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All of the above in First Class Material and Workmanship, and at Prices to Suit, at

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You know a good thing when you see it. Here are a few facts to

PONDER OVER.

For one week only, commencing Saturday morning, I will sell

2 Cans Columbia River Salmon	25c
4 Cans Best Tomatoes	25c
Corn, four brands to choose from, per can	5c
Yellow Table Peaches per can	10c
Choice Table Apricots "	10c
String Beans "	7c
1 lb. Best 50c Japan Tea, (Royal Garden)	40c
2 lbs Regular 30c Coffee	50c
10 lbs Rolled Oats	25c
4 lbs Choice California Prunes	25c
Best 3-Crown Raisins, per pound	5c
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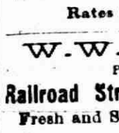

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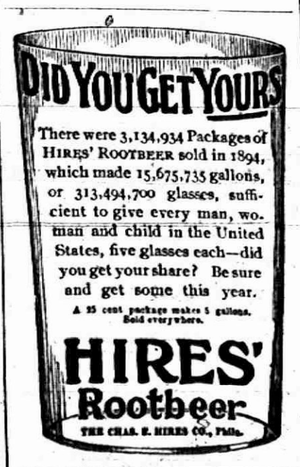

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STATE NEWS.

Paragraphs Full of Information of General Interest.

Mrs. Aleria Carpenter has been ordained as minister of the Lansing Universalist church.

Michigan grand lodge Knights of Pythias will meet in Kalamazoo for its annual session May 15 and 16.

A tramp attempted to assault Miss Myrtle Armstrong at Niles. The plucky young lady secured a revolver and shot him, inflicting a slight wound, which did not prevent him from escaping.

Boys fishing in Silver lake at Traverse City brought to the surface the body of Alex Robertson, who mysteriously disappeared last fall.

Oscar Galstram, who had been a sufferer from grip for some time, went boat riding on Muskegon lake at Bay Mill. He took his 12-year-old son with him. Reaching a point where the water was 25 feet deep, he deliberately rolled into the lake. The boy tried to rescue him, but he refused aid, and was drowned before his son's eyes.

Trowbridge Bros.' hoop and stave factory at Big Rapids burned. Loss, $30,000.

Shepherd is to have a new furniture factory, to cost $10,000.

Saginaw wheelmen own an aggregate of 2,000 bicycles.

At Copper Harbor several farmers will go into sheep raising on a large scale.

Michigan Sons of Veterans will hold their state encampment at Tekonsha on June 11, 12 and 13.

It is estimated at Saginaw that 350,000,000 feet of logs will be towed from Canada to Michigan mills this year.

Since last September John Wahl, of Monroe has shipped 3,000 tons of hay to the east representing a value of $20,000.

By direction of the secretary of war, Capt. Charles A. Vernon, Nineteenth infantry, is detailed to attend the encampment of the Michigan national guard at Island lake, beginning August 7, 1895.

The Michigan Women's Press association will meet in Lansing, June 11 to 14.

The estimated cost of running the city of Kalamazoo this year is $175,552.46.

The Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, of Michigan, will meet at Saginaw on May 21.

The annual meeting of the Michigan State Bar association will be held at Lansing June 25.

The big schooner Granada has been launched at West Bay City. The boat is 225 feet long and valued at $80,000. She is owned by James Davidson.

A convocation of the missionary jurisdiction of northern Michigan of the Episcopal church is called to meet at Escanaba on Wednesday, May 29.

A Northern Michigan circuit has been formed by the enterprising racing societies of Reed City, Howard City and Cedar Springs.

The handsome sum of $9,649.69 has been contributed to Alma college during the year by various churches and individuals.

Lawrence A. McLouth, instructor in German in the state university, has accepted the professorship of German languages in the University of the City of New York.

A Field Day.

LANSING, May 8.—A field meeting of the Michigan Academy of Sciences will be held at Orion, Oakland county, on Decoration day, May 30. After some consultation small parties will be formed to search for natural objects of most interest to them, whether it be algae, fungi, mosses, the higher plants; whether birds, reptiles, fishes, shellfish, insects, crustacea; or geology, archaeology, or the microbes affecting the sanitary condition of the neighborhood.

Pardon for James Harcourt.

LANSING, May 8.—Gov. Rich has pardoned James Harcourt, convicted in September, 1891, of killing the notorious Dan Dunn, of Seney, the keeper of an immoral resort in the north woods, who was a terror to the entire community. While it was not shown that the killing was in self-defense, it was established to the satisfaction of the pardoning board that Dunn would have shot Harcourt on sight.

Women Buy a Fountain.

MUSKEGON, May 5.—A half dozen of the representative women of the city appointed as a committee by the Soldiers' and Sailors' association have purchased a handsome fountain which they have presented to the city and will erect it on a triangular lot of green at the intersection of Peck and Terrace streets. The fountain cost $1,000 and is a handsome thing.

Stove-Molders' Strike.

LANSING, May 7.—Over 100 molders employed by E. Bement & Sons, stove manufacturers, went out on a strike Monday because of the refusal of the company to restore wages paid previous to a cut of 10 per cent. made two years ago. The men have not lost a day's work during the last three years, the factory having been run every day despite the business depression.

Held for His Son's Murder.

BATTLE CREEK, May 7.—A. C. Arnold, charged with murdering his son and secreting his body in the river, where it was found six weeks later frozen stiff, was held for trial at the next term of court without bail on the charge of murder in the first degree.

Paid His Shortage.

MOUNT CLEMENS, May 4.—Ex-Treasurer Czizek has assigned property to the amount of some $12,000 to James G. Tucker. This will secure his bondsmen and protect city from any loss. Mr. Czizek is not accused of any intentional wrongdoing.

A Strike Threatened.

ISHPEMING, Mich., May 8.—The miners in the different workings have presented requests for increased pay, and a strike will follow refusal to grant their request. A definite answer is expected from the mine owners this week.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., May 1.—The senate on Thursday struck out all after the enacting clause of a bill providing for a township unit system of schools.

LANSING, Mich., May 4.—The senate on Friday passed the Johnson bill placing all building and loan associations under the supervision of the commissioner of insurance, to whom they are to make reports and by whom they are to be inspected. The judiciary committee reported favorably on a bill providing for police matrons in cities of 10,000 inhabitants and upward. The Jewell bill restricting the Michigan Central railroad to two-cent fares on its main lines was made a special order for May 8.

LANSING, Mich., May 6.—An attempt was made in the senate Tuesday to re-refer what is known as the Jewett Michigan Central 2-cent-fare bill to the joint committee on railroads and judiciary, but it was defeated by a vote of 10 yeas to 19 nays. The public health committee reported favorably on the Johnson bill prohibiting coloring of oleomargarine to resemble genuine butter.

The special legislative committee which has for the past four months been making an investigation of the prison labor question has submitted a report to the senate in which it is recommended that no change be made in either the existing contract system or the manufacture of furniture on state account at the Ionia reformatory until some better means of employment of the convicts is devised. The report suggests that the prisoners be employed in raising flowers for market, manufacturing children's toys, raising such agricultural products and as far as possible manufacturing all such articles as can be consumed and used in the various state institutions. It also recommends that all state printing and binding be done in Jackson prison, and also that text books for the public schools be printed there.

House.

LANSING, Mich., May 3.—The house on Thursday passed the senate joint resolution appropriating $10,000 for a statue to ex-Gov. Austin Blair upon the capitol grounds, and the bill appropriating $24,000 for improvements at the agricultural college, and approved the senate resolution fixing the date of final adjournment as May 31. The bill for a state system of free text books was lost on final passage by a vote of 35 to 24, as was the bill for a state board of plumbing inspectors.

LANSING, Mich., May 4.—The house judiciary committee has made a favorable report on the resolution providing for a general compilation of the laws of the state, such compilation to be the property of the state when completed.

LANSING Mich., May 8.—The house has agreed to the bill cutting passenger rates on all railroads in the upper peninsula to three cents per mile.

FOUR LIVES LOST.

Two Boys and a Man and Wife Drowned at Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., May 6.—The summer season opened on the river here Sunday with two double drownings. George H. Baugh, roller of the Baugh forge department of the Michigan Peninsular car works, was out with his wife and a male companion in a rowboat Sunday afternoon when the boat capsized and all three went into the river just off Sandwich Point on the Canadian side. Baugh and his wife were drowned. Their companion was rescued.

About the same hour Frank Connelly and John Moriarty, boys aged 14, were swimming in the River Rouge south of this city when Connelly was taken with cramps. Young Moriarty jumped in to save him, but Connelly grasped him so hard that he was helpless, and both were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

ELECTRIC MAIL CAR.

A Scheme to Run from New York to Chicago in Five Hours.

IONA, May 7.—A. P. Crell, after five years' work, has invented an electric mail car which he claims will make the journey from New York to Chicago in five hours, or at the rate of 200 miles an hour. The car is made of steel and weighs forty tons. It is to run over an elevated track of steel throughout, 18 feet from the ground and supported by a cable. The car, which carries no living persons, will be adjusted to pick up mail at a limited number of stations along the line. It will cost $10,000 a mile to build. Ex-Postmaster-General Bissell has approved the scheme, and several New York capitalists are now figuring on it. Power will be drawn from Niagara Falls.

Fatal Accident at Sturgis.

STURGIS, May 5.—The body of a man about 33 years of age was found on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad near Sturgis Sunday. In his pocket was found a diary, on which was written: "My name is H. H. Thomas. My home is in Ogden, Iowa. My father's name is I. W. Thomas, of the same place." In his pocket was found a letter from his mother, stating that she would send him $10 to come home with.

Can't Move the Logs.

HOUGHTON, May 6.—Two hundred million feet of logs are hung up along the various upper-peninsula streams. The lumber cut of last winter was unusually heavy, as it was necessary to log the sections burned over in September last. The situation is a very serious one to the lumber interests, and heavy losses are unavoidable.

They Had a Still.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 6.—Freeman Lavalley and C. W. Fuller, who have been distilling illicit whisky in the wilds of Cato township, Antrim county, were brought into town by Deputy Marshal O'Donnell and placed in the county jail. Both men have been farmers in Antrim county for a good many years.

Michigan Town Passes a Curfew Law.

NEGAUNEE, May 8.—The city council has passed a curfew ordinance, and all children under 16 caught on the streets after the bell rings at 9 p. m. will be arrested. This is the first trial of the experiment in Michigan. It is working successfully in several Minnesota towns.

Named by the Governor.

LANSING, May 6.—Gov. Rich has appointed Prof. H. C. Adams, Ann Arbor; B. M. Cutcheon, Grand Rapids; Harry A. Conant, Monroe; Edward Cahil, Lansing, and Cyrus Lothrop, Detroit, inspectors of the Michigan Military academy.

Many Indicted.

CHARLOTTE, May 6.—The grand jury has returned indictments against thirty-six men of the county for violating the local option law and keeping gambling houses.

AN ORDINANCE.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., Council Room, May 6, 1895.

An Ordinance requiring the building and maintaining of sidewalks within the Village of Tecumseh.

SEC. I. The Common Council of the village of Tecumseh ordains: That every owner or occupant of a lot or parcel of land within the village of Tecumseh, fronting, abutting or adjoining a public street, shall grade, construct, reconstruct, repair and maintain sidewalks adjoining such lots or parcels of land.

SEC. II. The Council may require, by resolution, the building, rebuilding or repairing of sidewalks when the same shall be, by the Council, deemed necessary for the public good, or provided the Council may require the building of sidewalks when two-thirds of the property owners along the line where such sidewalk is proposed to be built shall request, in writing, the Council to pass a resolution requiring the construction thereof; provided, no sidewalk shall terminate short of the intersection of streets at each extremity, unless it sooner joins a sidewalk already constructed. All sidewalks built, rebuilt or repaired as above provided, shall be built, rebuilt or repaired within ten days from the date of service of a copy of said resolution on the owner or occupant of the lot or parcel of land along which it is proposed to build, rebuild or repair such sidewalk.

SEC. III. It shall be the duty of the Marshal to serve a copy of the resolution mentioned in the preceding section within five days after its passage, upon the owner or occupant of every lot or parcel of land along and adjoining which such sidewalk is proposed to be built, rebuilt or repaired, either personally or by leaving the same at the residence or dwelling house upon such and every lot with some person of suitable age who may be found thereon; and in case said Marshal shall not, after diligent search, be able to serve the same as above provided, then he shall, within five days after the expiration of the five days above limited for the service thereof, post three notices thereof in three of the most public places in said village; said notice shall contain a copy of said resolution and a description of lots the owner or occupant of which said Marshal was unable to serve personally.

SEC. IV. After the expiration of the ten days within which said sidewalk shall be built, rebuilt or repaired as above provided, and the owner or occupant having failed or neglected to complete the same as commanded in said resolution, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner of said village, under direction of the Common Council, to build, rebuild or repair such sidewalk and finish the incomplete parts thereof forthwith; said Street Commissioner shall report at the first regular meeting of the said Common Council after the completion of said sidewalk, the expense of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk adjoining each lot or parcel of land.

SEC. V. The expense of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk, with a penalty of ten per cent added thereto, shall, by resolution of the Council, be certified under the hands of the President and Clerk to the board of special assessors of the village, as a special assessment, such resolution shall contain the name of the owner or occupant of each lot or parcel of land adjoining or abutting on which such sidewalk shall be built, rebuilt or repaired, a description thereof, together with the amount of the costs of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk and said penalty; said board of special assessors shall spread the same on their special assessment roll as a special assessment, entering thereon the name of the owner or occupant of such lot or parcel of land, a description thereof, and the amount of said special assessment, and shall certify the same under their hands to the Council; such special assessment shall be numbered and filed in the office of the village clerk. Before such special assessment shall be confirmed and adopted by the Council they shall cause notice thereof to be published for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published within the village, in such notice designating a time and place when and where the Council and said board of special assessors will meet to review said assessment and hear objections thereto. After such review said special assessment shall be confirmed and adopted, together with such changes as shall be made therein; the certificate of confirmation and adoption shall be endorsed thereon, signed by the President and Clerk, and certified to the village assessor, who shall spread the same on the village assessment roll as special assessments entering thereon the name of the party or parties to whom assessed, a description of the lot or parcel of land on which such special assessment is a lien, and the amount thereof, and shall certify the same as other taxes. Provided, that when it shall be deemed expedient the Council may order such expense and penalty collected by suit, and may sue for the same, together with said penalty, in an action of assumpsit, before any court of competent jurisdiction, together with costs of suit.

SEC. VI. On receipt of the tax roll with his warrant annexed, the treasurer shall proceed to collect said special assessment. If any person shall neglect or refuse to pay the same on demand the treasurer shall seize and levy the same upon any personal property of such person, found within the county, and sell the same at public auction, first giving six days' notice of the time and place of such sale, by posting three notices in three of the most public places in the village or township where such property shall be found; the proceeds of such sale, or so much as shall be necessary for that purpose, shall be applied to the payment of the assessment, together with a percentage of five per cent on the amount of the assessment, for costs and expenses of such seizure and sale, and the surplus, if any, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto. Within one week after the expiration of the time limited in the warrant for the collection of the taxes levied in said roll, or within one week after the time to which said warrant may have been extended or renewed, if the treasurer has been unable to collect any of the taxes assessed therein as special assessments for the building, rebuilding or repairing any sidewalk, he shall return all such unpaid taxes to the county treasurer of the county, in the same manner and like effect as returns by township treasurers. Such returned tax shall be collected by the county treasurer under the provisions of the general tax laws of the state, together with interest and charges thereon.

SEC. VII. All sidewalks hereafter constructed, reconstructed or repaired within the village, except as herein provided, shall be built of sound pine plank, not less than one and one-half inches in thickness and not exceeding six inches in width, laid lengthwise and well spiked down on white oak stringers, not less than two by four inches in size and placed not more than two feet apart and doubled at the joints in the planking, and such walk shall be of such width as the Council shall determine in the aforementioned resolution, but no sidewalk shall be less than four feet in width.

SEC. VIII. Sidewalks constructed of cement may be built by the owners or occupants of lots or parcels of land abutting on the public streets of the village according to such specifications as the Council shall, by resolution, adopt, three-fourths of the cost thereof to be paid by the owner or occupant of said lots or parcels of land and one-fourth from the general fund of the village. Such sidewalks shall be constructed under the supervision of the street committee of the village.

SEC. IX. If the owner or occupant of any lot or parcel of land building cement sidewalks according to the provisions of this ordinance, shall refuse or neglect to pay his respective portion of the cost thereof, the same shall be collected as is here in provided for collecting costs of original construction of other sidewalks.

SEC. X. Sections one, two and three of chapter VI of the Compiled Ordinances of the Village of Tecumseh, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in anywise conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

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And that six months from the 6th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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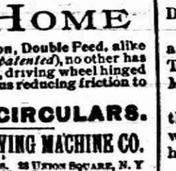

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DOMESTIC.

TWO MEN fatally shot and one seriously injured was the result of a frustrated attempt to rob a Burlington train near St. Joseph, Mo.

TWENTY business buildings were burned at Lorimer, Ia.

THE St. Louis and Chicago express on the Alton road was held up by robbers half a mile north of Carlinville, Ill., and Frank Holmes, the engineer, was shot dead. All three robbers were caught.

THE treasury statement of receipts and expenditures during April shows receipts of $24,247,836, and disbursements of $32,096,676.

ROBERT KLOTZ, who represented the Mauch Chunk (Pa.) district in the Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh congresses, died at the age of 76 years.

THE will of Aquilla J. Cheney, a wealthy planter who lived near Atlanta, leaves $200,000 to Mercer university of Georgia for the education of poor young boys.

THE sixth annual national congress of Sons of American Revolution opened at Boston.

THE first use of nickel steel boiler plates will be made in the cruiser Chicago, which is getting new machinery.

THE Utah constitutional convention adopted an amendment declaring the act to punish polygamy in force.

THE 3-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. George Lowskowski were burned to death near South Bend, Ind.

WORK was suspended by the 30,000 Ohio miners in the Massillon district and would not be resumed until a scale for one year was made and signed.

THE Appalachian bank at Big Stone Gap, Va., closed its doors.

A CYCLONE struck near the little town of Patterson, Kan., and as a result ten persons were dead, twenty-five injured, twenty houses razed and many barns and buildings destroyed and cattle, horses and hogs killed.

FURTHER particulars of the cyclone at Newton, Kan., indicated that the death list would probably reach fifteen or twenty. There were about as many badly injured.

"SLAUGHTER KID" and "Bitter Creek," two notorious outlaws who participated in the recent train robbery near Dover, Kan., were killed by officers.

OVER 8,000 cotton mill employes were on a strike at Providence, R. I.

IN Judge Maye's court at Tazewell, Tenn., Grant Poore, a notorious outlaw, while on trial for larceny, shot and killed Benjamin Carroll, a witness against him.

THE report that the authorities at Washington were about to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle which has been in operation for several years past was denied.

W. G. MEGQUIER, aged 57 years, assistant cashier of the First national bank in Omaha, committed suicide through fear of becoming blind.

SIXTY buildings at La Porte, Mich., were destroyed by fire.

THE prospect for the peach crop in Delaware was exceedingly good.

MRS. ZOE LARB, wife of a prominent and wealthy farmer at Stillwater, O. T., shot and killed her step-daughter, Mrs. McHenry.

DR. JEREMIAH S. B. ALLEYNE, one of the oldest practitioners in St. Louis, was found dead of apoplexy in bed at his home.

MRS. DEAN MIX and her son Harry were instantly killed by lightning while standing in the doorway of their barn at Nashville, Mich.

THE dead body of Tom Brownlee, a negro, was found staked down in the bed of a creek in Butts county, Ga. He was a revenue informer and had been murdered.

FOURTEEN hat manufacturers of Essex county, N. J., representing an aggregate capital of $2,500,000, organized a trust.

A WIND and hailstorm at Janesville, Wis., did great damage.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 3d aggregated $1,094,322,825, against $995,540,137 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 15.2.

MCCALL BROTHERS, hat manufacturers at West Orange, N. J. failed for $239,000.

AT least fifty two persons were believed to have been killed in a terrific cyclone that passed through Sioux county, Ia., from southwest to northeast an hour before sunset on the 3d. Half a score of prosperous little hamlets were touched by the flying storm and hundreds of farms were laid waste. The storm first struck the ground some miles southwest of Sioux Center, in the Coombs district, and from there to Perkins, a distance of 12 to 15 miles, not a building was left standing in the path.

THERE were 231 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 3d, against 230 the week previous and 233 in the corresponding time in 1894.

DURING April the circulation of all kinds of money in the United States increased $15,249,700, making the total in circulation on May 1 $1,599,434,154, or $22.97 per capita. As compared with May 1, 1894, the total circulation has decreased $92,000,000.

DURING a tornado at St. Joseph, Mo., many small buildings were blown to pieces.

SETH STALLCUP, a United States deputy marshal, and I. N. Taylor, old-time enemies, met in a duel at Sheren Schoolhouse in Cherokee county, N. C., and both were killed.

THE barn of Mrs. Johanna Ryan, near Delmar, Ia., was struck by lightning and thirty-six head of cattle and thirty-eight sheep were killed by the stroke.

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ED WESTBROOK, an 18-year-old negro, who killed another negro in a dispute about a dog, was hanged at Americus, Ga.

THE Bank of Commerce at Newkirk, O. T., closed its doors.

LIGHTNING killed the following persons in Wisconsin: Joseph Anderla at Kellnerville, Jasper Chlup at Lodi, John Kitchenmeister at Seymour, and Mrs. Joseph Sutherland at York.

GEORGE MILLS was hanged in the courthouse yard at Raleigh, N. C., for the murder last June of his niece, Iana Wimberley.

POWDER mills blew up at South Acton, Mass., killing five men.

EDWARD BURROUGH, state road commissioner of New Jersey, fell dead while delivering a speech at the reunion of the Twenty-third New Jersey regiment at Philadelphia.

BY the death of Mrs. Richard Smith Philadelphia receives a legacy of over $1,000,000 to erect statues in Fairmount park.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 4th were: Pittsburgh, .750; Boston, .667; Cleveland, .667; Brooklyn, .555; Baltimore, .538; Chicago, .500; New York .500; Cincinnati, .462; Philadelphia, .400; Louisville, .333; Washington, .333; St. Louis, .307.

A FOREST fire destroyed Dolliver's large sawmill, located near Ketner, Pa., together with 10,000,000 feet of lumber, an engine house, sixteen cars of lumber and coal, eight dwellings, an oil well and several thousand acres of timber land.

WILLIAM H. WADDLE, of Atlanta, Tex., gave deadly poison to his three children, aged from 6 to 10 years, and then took a dose himself. Sorrow over the death of his wife caused the deed.

DURING a tornado at St. Charles, Ill., Mrs. Hattie E. Church, C. H. Thompson, Charles Anderson and his sister were killed.

MARY J. STANLEY, 56 years old, died in Philadelphia from elephantiosis, the disease having caused her weight to increase from 130 to 600 pounds.

A TERRIFIC wind and rain storm swept over the southern portion of Cullom county, Ala., demolishing buildings and laying waste farms in the path of the storm, which was half a mile wide.

ROBERT CRAIG, Gus Carsrude and three Carsrude children were drowned at Fort Collins, Col., by the capsizing of a boat.

DURING a quarrel James Swats, a passenger engineer, was fatally shot at Stevenson, Ala., by Andy Hames, who was pursued by a posse of citizens and riddled with bullets.

AT Minneapolis Claus A. Blixt, the self-confessed murderer of Catharine Ging, was sentenced to prison for life.

A GENERAL demand for higher wages all over the Pittsburgh district was made by the ironworkers.

ADVICES from southern Ohio, southeastern Indiana and northeastern Kentucky report phenomenal waterspouts that did great damage to property.

PRIMITIVE METHODISTS in state conference at Avoca, Pa., adopted a resolution that hereafter any minister who smokes, chews or snuffs tobacco will not be recognized by the conference.

IT was said that the reappraisement of the decorated china and cut and decorated glassware shipped to Philadelphia by A. B. Daniell & Sons of London showed that Uncle Sam had been cheated out of $1,500,000 in the last few years.

J. H. BRINO and wife, of Williamsburg, Col., were killed in a runaway near Hockvale.

THE lumber firm of N. P. Clarke & Co. at Minneapolis, Minn., failed for $700,000.

THE state bank at Orion, Ill., was robbed by three experts of $5,000 in gold and bills.

THE great California wheat belt was suffering from aphis, an insect belonging to the hemiptera family.

GEORGE BAUGH and his wife and Frank Connelly and Edward Moriarity were drowned in the river at Detroit, Mich.

THE king of Pennsylvania farmers, Col. James Young, died at Middletown from the effects of a runaway, aged 75 years.

DR. SAMUEL P. SCHWING killed Dr. Emile Heriat at New Orleans. The alleged infidelity of Mrs. Schwing led to the tragedy.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 6th was: Wheat, 62,196,000 bushels; corn, 9,354,000 bushels; oats, 5,816,000 bushels; rye, 127,000 bushels; barley, 402,000 bushels.

THE village of Greenwood, Mich., was said to have been wiped out by a forest fire.

YELLOW SPRINGS, a village of 1,000 inhabitants in Ohio, was fire swept, nearly all the principal business places being burned.

JAMES HERBERT, a clerk, killed his wife in New York by cutting her throat with a razor and then drowned himself. Jealousy was the cause.

IN a discussion over text-books in a school house near Como, Col., Benjamin Ratcliffe shot and killed Samuel F. Taylor, L. F. McCurdy and George D. Wyatt, constituting the school board.

NEARLY 10,000 workmen were idle in St. Louis on account of the combined strike of the hod-carriers and brickyard employes.

THE Columbia Straw Paper company of Chicago went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $200,000.

JOHN SWEDYKE and Abram de Meester celebrated de Meester's 16th birthday at Grand Rapids, Mich., by going in swimming and both were drowned.

HOUSES were swept away and many horses, cattle and hogs were drowned by a cloudburst at Herrington, Kan.

AT Butte, Mont., City Treasurer Simon Jacobs committed suicide on the day that his term of office expired. He was said to be short $50,000.

THE town of Dayton, Tenn., was ruined by a cloudburst.

ARTHUR LOOMIS, aged 30, and Miss Alzora Brockway, aged 23, took their own lives with poison in a hotel at Rome, N. Y.

THE census of the city of Buffalo, N. Y., shows the population to be 335,709.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning May 19, Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, Man's Frailty and Mortality.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xiv, 1-12.

This speech of Job closes the first division of the book.

Eliphaz and Bildad have each spoken and been answered in turn by Job. The last of the three friends, Zophar, has also made his argument, to which Job now makes reply. Zophar has charged Job with garrulity, arrogance and impiety in maintaining his own innocence. He gives a sublime description of God, and without attempting to explain the equity of the Divine government maintains that men should submit to it without question. He promises Job if he will do so he shall again enjoy prosperity.

Job begins his reply with keenest sarcasm. They had repeated truisms as if they contained profound wisdom. He knew as much of such things as they did. He reaffirms his integrity and discourses most eloquently upon God. He expresses an earnest desire to transfer his cause from the court of these men to that of God Himself. He then makes a most solemn appeal to God. In this we find the exquisitely beautiful and pathetic passage on the shortness of human life and the frailty of man. He is alternately tossed by hope and fear. He doubts regarding a future state of existence and finally settles into despondency and longs for the silence of the grave.

S. A. STEEL, D. D.
(General secretary Epworth League of M. E. church, south.)

On Lookout.

It was a great day when fighting Joe Hooker and the boys in blue contended with the Confederate forces on Lookout Mountain and fought that historic "battle above the clouds." But Chattanooga will see a grander gathering in June next when the great Methodist army corps of the church militant is mustered on that ground.

Grander themes are to be discussed and greater results, we trust, will be achieved.

Preparations will be made to seat 10,000 persons in the Auditorium. A platform for 500 persons will be used for choir, speakers and guests. A grand chorus choir will lead the singing.

What a trip that will be! The inspiration of the convention, the visit to the great National Battlefield park and the view from old Lookout!

League Literature.

The rapid increase in books for the use of the League is remarkable. Hymn books of various styles and qualities, histories, Bible studies, manuals and hints for the various departments and for junior work multiply, till it is difficult to keep track of the fast developing literature. The weekly papers of the various branches of the League add to its volume. All these aids to the cultivation of intelligent piety are to be welcomed, but need to be carefully used. We need to sift them and save the best. Nor should it ever be forgotten that the best helps are useless or may be positively harmful if so used as to stunt instead of stimulate the development of the powers of each individual.

Conference Anniversaries.

The growing custom of holding an anniversary of the Epworth League some evening during the session of the annual conference or the evening preceding the opening is an indication of good. It is specially valuable from the fact that the preachers are nearly all present and are brought into closer touch and sympathy with the work of the League than is possible at most of the conventions. The presence of the presiding bishop or some general officer both deepens interest and increases the value of the service, as from their wide experience they speak of the various phases of the work.

Epworth Guards.

Great enthusiasm and much opposition has been developed over the organization of the boys into companies for military drill. More heat and discussion has been evolved than the subject seems to demand. Physical culture is a topic of deep interest at the present. The public schools are doing somewhat on this line in many places. Is it not possible to utilize the good features under some form of drill, and to avoid the dangerous or disagreeable elements supposed to be involved in military discipline and equipment?

The Ultimate Aim.

Social culture and development of knowledge and literary taste are good. Relief of the poor and distressed is a pressing duty. Support of church services and loyalty to vows are essential in Christian life, but the most needful thing to all members of the League is true and deep heart devotion to God. The daily communion of the soul with God in quiet, alone by itself, can never be neglected without grave loss. No attendance upon meetings can take the place of private devotions.

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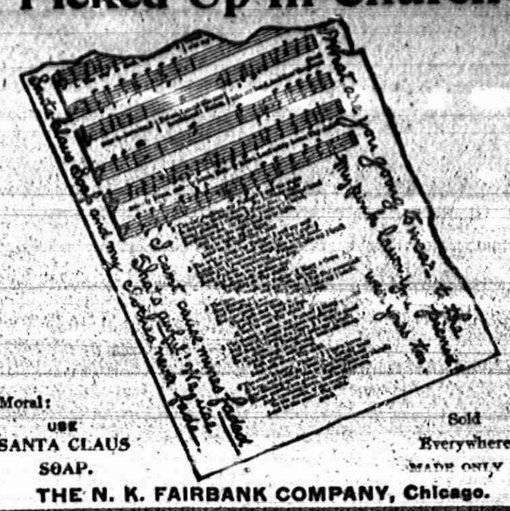

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 5th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of April A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 19, 1895.

HORATIO KEYSER
GEORGE HOWELL.
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at James W. Wightman's office, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 8th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 8th day of April, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 12, 1895.

J. F. GILMORE.
JAMES H. HECK.
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Burridge praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Petitioner, the executor nominated in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of May, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west, parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Executrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pocklington, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th, day of March, A. D., 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5), east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 19th., 1895.

R. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by H. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 325. Express.	No. 349. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	11 40 P.M.
Napoleon.....	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell.....	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester.....	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh.....	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 00 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit.....	10 13 "	6 25 "	10 25 "
Toledo.....	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 25 "

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TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	10 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	11 27 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	11 56 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell.....	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon.....	12 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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		11 15	L....Allegan....A	1 40	
		11 38	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M.	12 18	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	12 45	Battle Creek	12 05	1 25
8 20	7 45	1 14	Marshall	11 38	12 58
9 05	8 25	1 40	Homer	11 08	11 40
9 55	9 09	2 09	Hanover	10 40	11 08
11 30	10 05	2 45	Addison	10 08	10 15
12 24	10 14	2 52	Devils Lake	9 53	9 54
12 59	10 29	3 04	Onsted	9 40	9 36
	10 35	3 12	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 20
1 20	10 48	3 20	Tipton	9 25	9 10
1 51	11 06	3 34	Tecumseh	9 10	8 57
2 11	11 17	3 43	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 30	11 27	3 48	Britton	8 56	8 30
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., Council Room, May 6, 1895.

Present the entire council. Minutes of last regular and special session read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for the month of April, presented, showing five adult interments and $25 interment fees collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street Commissioner's report for month ending May 6th, 1895, presented, showing five team labor 25 1-2 days; hired team labor, 33 days, 9 hours, cost $59.75; hand labor 61 days 6 hours, $96.88; accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Labor, Wm. Mellon, $45; Chas. Kemp, $1; T. S. Langridge, $13.75; Chas. Dixon, $1.25; Robt. Owen, $3.25; John McWilliams, $5; John Linton, $5; Edward Haines, $2; Albert Hyde, street commissioner, $36; Barkwell & Stickell, laundry, $1.75; Tecumseh Electric Company lights for April, $156.40; S. P. Hosmer, taking assessment and writing up roll, $33.30.

WATER WORKS.

Labor: J. E. Lowry, $1.20; H. W. Conkling, $24.11; A. Park, $22.65; J. J. Manly, $3.75; L. S. & M. S. Ry. freight, $1.67; C. J. & M. Ry. freight, $47.03; Illinois Malleable Iron Co., supplies, $14.95; H. Mueller Mfg. Co., supplies, $53.46; Hunter W. Finch Co., supplies, $21.75. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the said several amounts.

Moved and supported that marshall cause all sidewalks to be inspected and to notify the owners to repair or rebuild such sidewalks where defective. Carried.

The druggists bond of Baker & Hall, in the sum of two thousand dollars, with Alfred D. Hall and James H. Heck as sureties, was presented and accepted and sureties approved.

The bond of George W. Knapp, as village treasurer, in the sum of eight thousand dollars, with John D. Shull and Joseph Russell as sureties, presented, approved and sureties accepted.

The resignation of H. W. Conkling, as member of the board of water commissioners, was presented; same was laid upon the table until next meeting.

The following ordinance relating to the construction and maintainance of sidewalks was introduced:

An Ordinance requiring the building and maintaining of sidewalks within the Village of Tecumseh.

SEC. I. The Common Council of the village of Tecumseh ordains: That every owner or occupant of a lot or parcel of land within the village of Tecumseh, fronting, abutting or adjoining a public street, shall grade, construct, reconstruct, repair and maintain sidewalks adjoining such lots or parcels of land.

SEC. II. The Council may require, by resolution, the building, rebuilding or repairing of sidewalks when the same shall be, by the Council, deemed necessary for the public good, or provided the Council may require the building of sidewalks when two-thirds of the property owners along the line where such sidewalk is proposed to be built shall request, in writing, the Council to pass a resolution requiring the construction thereof: provided, no sidewalk shall terminate short of the intersection of streets at each extremity, unless it sooner joins a sidewalk already constructed. All sidewalks built, rebuilt or repaired as above provided, shall be built, rebuilt or repaired within ten days from the date of service of a copy of said resolution on the owner or occupant of the lot or parcel of land along which it is proposed to build, rebuild or repair such sidewalk.

SEC. III. It shall be the duty of the Marshal to serve a copy of the resolution mentioned in the preceeding section within five days after its passage, upon the owner or occupant of every lot or parcel of land along and adjoining which such sidewalk is proposed to be built, rebuilt or repaired, either personally or by leaving the same at the residence or dwelling house upon such and every lot with some person of suitable age, who may be found thereon; and in case said Marshal shall not, after diligent search, be able to serve the same as above provided, then he shall, within five days after the expiration of the five days above limited for the service thereof, post three notices thereof in three of the most public places in said village; said notice shall contain a copy of said resolution and a description of lots the owner or occupant of which said Marshal was unable to serve personally.

SEC. IV. After the expiration of the ten days within which said sidewalk shall be built, rebuilt or repaired, as above provided, and the owner or occupant having failed or neglected to complete the same as commanded in said resolution, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner of said village, under direction of the Common Council, to build, rebuild or repair such sidewalk and finish the incomplete parts thereof forthwith; said Street Commissioner shall report at the first regular meeting of the said Common Council after the completion of said sidewalk, the expense of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk adjoining each lot or parcel of land.

SEC. V. The expense of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk, with a penalty of ten per cent added thereto, shall, by resolution of the Council, be certified under the hands of the President and Clerk to the board of special assessors of the village, as a special assessment, such resolution shall contain the name of the owner or occupant of each lot or parcel of land adjoining or abutting on which such sidewalk shall be built, rebuilt or repaired, a description thereof, together with the amount of the costs of building, rebuilding or repairing such sidewalk and said penalty; said board of special assessors shall spread the same on their special assessment roll as a special assessment entering thereon the name of the owner or occupant of such lot or parcel of land, a description thereof, and the amount of said special assessment, and shall certify the same under their hands to the Council; such special assessment shall be numbered and filed in the office of the village clerk. Before such special assessment shall be confirmed and adopted by the Council they shall cause notice thereof to be published for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published within the village in such notice designating a time and place when and where the Council and said board of special assessors will meet to review said assessment and hear objections thereto. After such review said special assessment shall be confirmed and adopted, together with such changes as shall be made therein; the certificate of confirmation and adoption shall be indorsed thereon, signed by the President and Clerk, and certified to the village assessor, who shall spread the same on the village assessment roll as special assessments entering thereon the name of the party or parties to whom assessed, a description of the lot or parcel of land on which such special assessment is a lien, and the amount thereof and shall certify the same as other taxes. Provided, that when it shall be deemed expedient the Council may order such expense and penalty collected by suit, and may sue for the same, together with said penalty, in an action of assumpsit, before any court of competent jurisdiction, together with costs of suit.

SEC. VI. On receipt of the tax roll with his warrant annexed, the treasurer shall proceed to collect said special assessment. If any person shall neglect or refuse to pay the same on demand the treasurer shall seize and levy the same upon any personal property of such person, found within the county, and sell the same at public auction, first giving six days' notice of the time and place of such sale, by posting three notices in three of the most public places in the village or township where such property shall be found; the proceeds of such sale, or so much as shall be necessary for that purpose, shall be applied to the payment of the assessment, together with a percentage of five per cent on the amount of the assessment, for costs and expenses of such seizure and sale, and the surplus, if any, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto. Within one week after the expiration of the time limited in the warrant for the collection of the taxes levied in said roll, or within one week after the time to which said warrant may have been extended or renewed, if the treasurer has been unable to collect any of the taxes assessed therein as special assessments for the building, rebuilding or repairing any sidewalk, he shall return all such unpaid taxes to the county treasurer of the county, in the same manner and like effect as returns by township treasurers. Such returned tax shall be collected by the county treasurer under the provisions of the general tax laws of the state, together with interest and charges thereon.

SEC. VII. All sidewalks hereafter constructed, reconstructed or repaired within the village, except as herein provided, shall be built of sound pine plank, not less than one and one-half inches in thickness and not exceeding six inches in width, laid lengthwise and well spiked down on white oak stringers, not less than two by four inches in size and placed not more than two feet apart and doubled at the joints in the planking, and such walk shall be of such width as the council shall determine in the aforementioned resolution, but no sidewalk shall be less than four feet in width.

SEC. VIII. Sidewalks constructed of cement may be built by the owners or occupants of lots or parcels of land abutting on the public streets of the village according to such specifications as the Council shall, by resolution, adopt, three-fourths of the cost thereof to be paid by the owner or occupant of said lots or parcels of land and one-fourth from the general fund of [illegible] constructed under the supervision of the street committee of the village.

SEC. IX. If the owner or occupant of any lot or parcel of land building cement sidewalks according to the provisions of this ordinance, shall refuse or neglect to pay his respective portion of the cost thereof, the same shall be collected as is herein provided for collecting costs of original construction of other sidewalks.

SEC. X. Sections one, two and three of chapter VI of the Compiled Ordinances of the Village of Tecumseh and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in anywise conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect June 1st, 1895. Passed May 6, 1895.

J. H. SMITH, President.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Moved that above ordinance be passed and adopted, supported.

Yeas—Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Wright. Nays—Hall, Smith.

Ordinance declared passed.

Matter of engaging teams for the ensuing year was refered back to the street committee.

The bill of Frank B. Rae, for preparing estimates of cost of erecting and operating electric lighting plant, was allowed at the sum of $20.00.

Moved and supported that a committee of three be appointed to obtain bids for furnishing electric lights for the ensuing year and also to obtain reduction of the present cost of commercial lighting. Carried.

President Smith, and trustees Boyd and Satterthwaite appointed as such committee.

Council then adjourned.

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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martha O'Hara deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Charles O'Hara a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to Walter C. Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

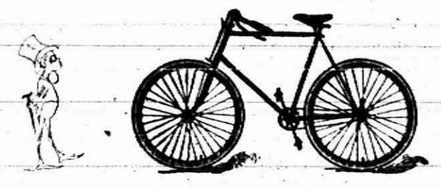
It is ordered, that Monday, the 13th day of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy).

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.



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Overdrafts	132 07
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	69,304 84
Checks and cash items	1,036 99
Nickles and pennies	91 28
Gold coin	18,820 20
Silver coin	954 80
U. S. and National Bank Notes	6,604 00
Total	$ 183,049 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses	
Interest and taxes paid	1,332 14
Commercial deposits subject to check	102,736 88
Commercial certificates of deposit	32,560 00
Total	$ 180,549 02

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1895.

FRANK B. BAUER, Notary Public.

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Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		100
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		16½
Smoked shoulders		11
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	$ 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 75 to 6 12½	
Veal, dressed, per lb	5 6 to 15	
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12½
Chickens, per lb		5
Hides, green		3
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		$ 65
" Red		63
Corn, shelled	50	53 to 53
Oats	33	33 to 35
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Timothy Seed		3 50
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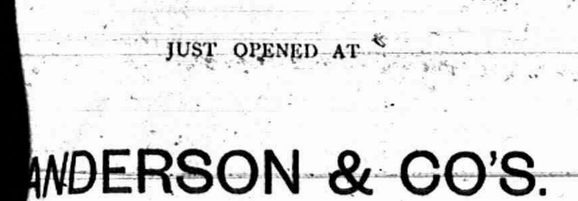

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THE RESEARCH CIRCLE.

A Review of the Work Done During the Past Six Months.

For the past six months the members of our circle have, in imaginary wanderings, visited some of the wonderful places one often hears of; but wide as the scope is we have confined ourselves to but portions of the three countries, France, Italy and America; and what a mine for thought and research it has been.

In reality we are but loyal nineteenth century citizens of the 'Land of the Pilgrim's Pride,' but in Friday evening dreams we have been the companions of kings and queens. We have dared to tread their marble halls, to rest upon their dainty couches and gaze at their priceless paintings and sculptures. We have danced in their gardens and attended their private theatricals; in short, we have had a Marie Antoinette time of it, but, we have been forced to leave this gaiety and view, horror stricken, the Reign of Terror. We have shivered in the dungeons of La Bastile and have passed with downcast eyes that dread instrument of death, the Guillotine.

We have heard the boom of cannon and clash of arms and been told 'twas the Battle of Austerlitz, one of the most wonderful battles ever fought. One moment in admiration of Napoleon and again in condemnation, and then, woman like, in pity and sorrow at his life's sad, lonely ending. But, time was pressing and we could not spend it all with gloomy things so we tried to comprehend some of the beauties of the Louvre and spent a part of one evening at the Grand opera house in Paris.

They say in Europe that 'all roads lead to Rome,' so of course we eventually brought up there and even invaded the Pope's domain, the Vatican. Here again, in fair Italy, we found monuments enough that marked scenes of bloodshed. Many were the martyrs because of their religous views. And this reminds us of other things we saw; grand old churches and cathedrals where, in the dim, religious light, a hush fell upon us like the benediction that follows prayer. We have fancied that we heard the beautiful music at La Madeleine, and again we are in the Sistine Chapel listening to the chanting of the Misere and viewing the Last Judgment.

And then, for it is such a little space from the sublime to the ridiculous, it is night and we are dreaming that we are old Romans enjoying (?) an afternoon at the Coliseum. A gladiatorial contest, you know, or something of that nature; for while in Rome we must do, as nearly as we can, as the Romans did; so they tell us, anyway.

But we must hasten, and now, flight the third takes us to Florence. We will linger just a little time on the old bridges, just a glance at that old palace whose exterior somehow will remind us of Jackson prison, but whose interior is exquisite beyond description; and then on, on to a

"White phantom city whose untrolden streets
Are rivers, and whose pavements are the shifting,
Shadows of palaces and strips of sky."

And yet, Venice, fair as ye are, we have ventured to weigh you in the balance, and found you wanting, likened, as you have been, to a

'White swan in her nest of reeds.'

There is a dark blot in your history and it is with a sigh that we turn from your beauties to your Bridge of Sighs and your damp, moldy prisons which, tho' useless now, are haunted by memories of bygone misery. But now, whether we would or not, we must leave you behind and extend our trip to those magic islands, made so delightful by the patience and ingenuity of man.

Queer, lazy Naples, with your enchanting bay and Sorrento, we cannot pass you by; but just here we have an introduction to one who was once king of the Italians. Carlo Alberto, you have long since paid the debt of nature, but it does not matter, the record of your noble life is with us. You have left 'Footprints on the Sands of Time.' Did some one say 'where is Pisa?' Have we forgotten the Arno, the bridge, and above all, the Cathedral with its Baptistry and wonderful leaning tower. Fanum Fortunae, one of the ghosts of a far away time, and quaint Bologna, in all our doings about, you must be included, and then we come to the last place in our list, on foreign shores.

Somewhere we have read that, 'Wisely, the Hebrews have no present tense, for while the word is yet being spoken it is past; but not into the past of a day or year would we go, but, back over the centuries to over 1800 years. If there is a present it is strangely blended with that ancient time. Many tombs have we seen as we journeyed but not one have we found to equal thee, buried Pompeii, nor seen that raised so many conjectures as to who of what laid buried beneath, but to quote from one writer: 'Excavations were begun and Pompeii, shaking off as it were, her musty grave clothes stares from the classical and poetical world of the first into the prosaic modern world of the nineteenth century.

France and Italy, you have furnished us with much food for thought and we have enjoyed your numerous attractions, or such of them as we have had time to study. But, the last two months of our six have come; four of them we have spent with you, and now we turn to greet our own native land. Perhaps we have not the crumbling ruins of what was once magnificent piles of masonry or palaces with contents beyond price or galleries stored with the art treasures of centuries; perhaps we cannot point with pride to the work of a Michael Angelo, a Raphael or DeVerici and say, 'they were our countrymen;' but you have not the Grand Canons of Colorado, solitary, wierd and awful, nor the wonders of the Yellowstone with its geysers, throwing up their volume of hot water and steam to a height, some of them, of 150 feet, with the regularity of clockwork; its mammoth hot springs; Pulpit Terrace, caused by the peculiar action of the hot water and lime, and Yellowstone Lake, where trout are so plentiful that it is no sport to catch them. Then too, it is near here where is to be found what is considered to be the only thing of the kind in the world, a carriage way a quarter of a mile in length composed of glass, with the Obsidian Cliff, from which the material was obtained, on either side. All this, together with the mammoth Paint Pots containing their liquid mixture which resembles white paint, go to make a collection to be proud of. If you would see more wonders and beauties just take a trip to the Yosemite Valley, here are more canons, rivers, and falls, mountains miles high some of them with their summits lost in cloudland, an exquisite combination, and little Mirror Lake like a gem in the midst. And if you would go back into prehistoric times just take a peep at the what was once, the homes of the Cliff dwellers, whoever they might have been. Certain it is that some such race existed, but who they were or whence they came are questions which have not been satisfactorily answered. Another thing Europe has not, and that is the Territory of Utah. It should envy us in the possession, still Utah has many things to recommend it, it has too its Mormons. We visited Salt Lake City and found it very agreeable if you can escape the dust and the tongues of so many wives.

Among other places that came into our trip were the National Buildings at Washington D. C., with a short ramble through the city taking in the Washington Monument. St. Augustine the oldest city in the United States, and the elegant hotel Ponce De Leon, one of the finest buildings in the city. Boston with its common around which cluster so many recollections of the Nation's struggle for independence and last but far from least Luna Island and the Falls of the Niaagara. Thus while,

"The snow was on the mountain,
And the frost was on the vale,
Where the ice was on the fountain,
And the storm rode on the gale."

We have summoned from those little store houses the scientists tell us of, memories of June days, with the songs of birds, and sweet perfume of flowers, and gone on our way oblivious of grim old winter.

MRS. FLORENCE W. CROSBY.

Three Crops a Year

Can be grown on the same land in eastern Mississippi and southern Alabama along the line of the Mobile & Ohio railroad. The summers are cooler, the winters are milder, the death rate is lower, than in the north. Improved farms $10 to $15 per acre, unimproved land $3 to $5 an acre near railway stations. It is the best portion for raising fruits and early vegetables, stock raising and general farm crops. Lands are advancing, now is the time to buy. Very low rate excursions monthly. The Mobile & Ohio has put on two through fast trains each way daily between St. Louis and Mobile. It is the shortest and quickest route to the south. An illustrated pamphlet telling all about our country will be sent free to all who wish it. Apply to F. W. Greene, General Agent, No. 108 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., or to E. E. Posey, General Passenger Agent, Mobile & Ohio railroad, Mobile, Ala.

The Evolution

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists. apr

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Send stamp for official book "Historic Chattanooga," containing full particulars International Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Chattanooga next June. The Queen and Crescent Route will make one fare for round trip

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COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

TIRED WOMEN.

The Housewife, the Farmer and the Toilers of all Vocations.

Depression of the nervous system at the approach of spring is a fertile source of blood impurities. That tired feeling, which is the natural result of the depressing effect of warm weather immediately after the invigorating cold of winter, quickly disappears when Pe-ru-na is taken. Thousands are daily testifying to its priceless benefit. General lassitude, dull, heavy sensations, continual tired feelings, with irregular appetite, and sometimes loss of sleep. Pe-ru-na meets every indication and proves itself to be perfectly adapted to all their varied peculiarities. Pe-ru-na invigorates the system, rejuvenates the feelings, restores the normal appetite and procures regular sleep.

This tired-out feeling is especially true of the housewife in spring time—used up, faged out, jaded and weak. There are thousands of them everywhere. A few bottles of Pe-ru-na would do them untold benefit. As a tonic and nerve invigorator it has no equal. It builds up the nerves, it gives strength to the circulation and at once restores the appetite and digestion. No feeble woman should be without Pe-ru-na.

A finely illustrated pamphlet on spring medicines sent free by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, O.

For free book on cancer address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

Unfortunate People.

Are they who are afflicted with pimples, boils, carbuncles, running sores, ulcers, scrofula, cancerous or syphilitic affections, or any blood taint whatsoever, and do not try a 50c. bottle of Foley's Sarsaparilla. Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

PUBLIC SALE.

Having leased my building I will sell at public auction, on the premises, first door north of Marsh's meat market, on Saturday, April 27, '95, at 2 p. m., the following described property: Two head horses, one bay, 7 years old, wt. 1150; one sorrel, 9 years old, weight 1200; one double harness, nearly new; one Mission grain drill, new; two South Bend plows, No 10; one double shovel plow; one lumber wagon; one wood rack; one pair bob sleds; one set Howe's platform scales, capacity 1200 pounds; quantity of corn in the ear, and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms: All sums of $5.00 and under, cash; over $5.00, 12 months credit will be given, notes to bear approved security, at 6 per cent interest. No article to leave the premises until settled for.

JOHN A. HECK,
FRANK DAVIDSON: Auctioneer.

'I was run over by a lumber wagon. Did not expect to live. Was terribly bloated. My friends bathed me with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and I was cured. We have great faith in Thomas' Eclectric oil, and I was cured. We have great faith in Thomas' Electric Oil.' Mrs. Wm. F. Babcock, Norvell, Jackson Co., Mich. 1w

The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 20 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lampkin, Lampkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to Union Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup brings instant relief in cases of asthma, bronchitis, and all throat and lung diseases, down to the very border land of consumption. 1w

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

It has often been said that you can't please everybody. Such may be the case, but the first word of adverse criticism has yet to be said of Stowe & Co's Uncle Tom's Cabin, because the presentation is away above the average production. The company comprises 35 artists, white and colored; beautiful scenery; grand orchestra; new musical specialties; latest songs and dances; nothing old only the title. Secure seats at usual place; prices 35 and 50cts., children 25cts.

It would seem almost incredible that a recluse should live for years almost unknown within the confines of Lenawee county, and at last meet death attended only by poverty and wretchedness. Such, however, was the fate meeted out to Theodore Pentecost, once a prominent and well known man of Franklin township. The body was found Wednesday morning in the squalid hut which had been his only home for years, by parties who had become curious from not having seen him for a long time. The remains were turned over to the township authorities who will give them proper interment.

High School Happenings.

Much too fine weather to have to sit in school.

'Roast to death or leave the room' is the motto in B room.

Miss Josie Baldwin, of Palmyra city, visited school Tuesday.

'Oh, that we two were Maying' can be sung from the heart since this elegant weather.

The senior class boys, except one, indulged in athletics on the H. S. campus Thursday afternoon.

Clarence Hurry and the other girls delivered Shakespearian quotations Thursday morning. No tears were shed over Hurry's address.

The senior girls are wrathy because one of the senior youthfuls 'burrey'd' out after German and perambulated the city with one of the freshmen ladies.

POSTPONEMENT.

To give all our subscribers a fair chance in the "sewing machine scheme," we have decided to defer the presentation one month. It will positively take place on Saturday, May 4th, next, at three o'clock p. m., at Sutton's opera house. Every person can surely pay his subscription before that date, if so disposed. Hustle in your subscriptions during April. There will be no further postponement.

One Hundred Dollars Given Away.

Here is an offer to our patrons which is well worth their careful consideration. Probably nine-tenths of our subscriptions expire during January, February and March of each year. All subscribers who shall pay for the full year 1895, prior to April 1st, will be entitled to a chance in the distribution of four sewing machines, worth one hundred dollars. These are—

A New Home,	Value,	$30 00
An Eldridge B.,	"	30 00
Weceler & Wilson, No. 8,	"	25 00
Wheeler & Wilson, second hand,	"	15 00
Total value,		$100 00

The three machines first named are new, right from the factory. The last one has been carefully used a few months and is practically as good as new. Each paying subscriber will get a numbered receipt and that will be his number in the distribution. The few persons who have already paid for 1895 can call and get a duplicate receipt with a new number. The few subscribers who have paid in advance beyond April 1st can secure the benefit of this offer by paying in advance for the balance of the year, or until Jan. 1st, 1896. The distribution will take place at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, on Saturday afternoon, May 4th, 1895, at three o'clock, when the property will be formally given to our advance paid patrons, to be allotted among themselves in such manner as they may elect. An expenditure of only $1.00 or $1.25 if you live outside of Lenawee county, will secure a chance for one of these premiums. This offer means business.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mecury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheeney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., APRIL 26, 1895.

Rev. C. M. Stout preaches his farewell sermon Sunday.

Alonzo Clark is home from Chicago, and feeling pretty well.

Mrs. Alice Montague, of Adrian, visited friends here Monday.

Jas. B. Hause returned home from his western trip Monday morning.

Dwight Hause is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

James Montague and Ed. Holdway, of Tecumseh, were in town Monday.

A large number from away attended the Noone-Murphy wedding Wednesday.

J. R. Blanchard and family entertained friends from near Adrian Sunday.

Cecelia Barnes who has been so grievously ill, is we learn improving rapidly.

Miss Eva Friedt, of Petersburg, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. B. Williams over Sunday.

F. R. Greenleaf has been quite ill the past week. Was out Wednesday for the first time.

W. S. Whittlesey arrived home from Eddy, New Mexico, Saturday noon and will remain here.

Ed. Clark has completed the grading at the home of his father and it is a great improvement.

Maggie Ebbitt, Lizzie and Tessie Sullivan were the guests of Manchester friends over Sunday.

Excavation is going on rapidly for the new blocks on the corner of Chicago and Tecumseh streets.

Israel Miner returned Wednesday from Jackson, where he has been spending the winter with a son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wolfe were called to Morenci, Saturday, by the serious illness of Mr. Wolfe's father.

Mrs. Blanche Kimball went to Detroit Wednesday. She is taking musical instruction there and goes in every week.

Miss Clyde Marsteller is enjoying a visit from her friend, Miss Maud Windsor, whose people live at Leamington, Ontario.

The Misses Ainsworth, who have been visiting their cousin, Mrs. Fannie Whittlesey returned to their home in Ypsilanti Monday.

Chas. VanValkenburg has a Giant, No. 4, bicycle. Guess it must have been difficult to subdue as he was laid up the first of the week.

Guy Belding left for Tecumseh Monday morning. He has accepted a position with Avery & Co. and will be pleased to have his friends call upon him.

Rev. C. C. Marshall and family are expected from Kentucky the first of the month when he will begin his pastoral duties for the Baptist society.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Stout expect to bid farewell to their Clinton friends Thursday next when they leave for Lawrenceburg, Indiana, where they will make their home.

The Epworth League society gave a pleasant reception at the M. E. church parlors Tuesday evening for the benefit of several new members. A very nice program was presented.

Mr. George Semark and Miss Mary Mahrle were married Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Marble at Norvell. They will reside in Clinton.

M. F. McClure has his building moved to the lot between Roper and Davis and did business as usual during the process of moving. His baking is being done in Tecumseh until he has his oven in working order.

Quite a number from here went to Manchester Sunday evening to hear Rev. Fr. Riley, among them being Minnie and Theresa Carroll, Lucy Kirk, Minnie Humphrey, Roy Cosling, Fred Koernig, Chas Carroll, James and Ed Kehoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne A. Smith entertained a large company of friends in a charming manner at their pleasant home on Mill street Monday evening. The party was given in honor of his sister, Mrs. Dolly Henderson, who expects soon to join her husband in Pennsylvania.

The marriage of Mr. John Noone and Miss Maggie Murphy occurred at St. Dominic's church, Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Rev. P. J. Ternes performed the ceremony. Miss Kate Murphy of Kalamazoo, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the groom was attended by his brother James. The happy couple are very popular and have a large circle of acquaintances who wish for them a happy life. They left on the morning train for Detroit and other points.

The entertainment given at the Town Hall Wednesday evening by St. Joan's society assisted by the little folks of the Congregational society, was a very pleasing event. The program was varied and every number was well rendered and received a hearty encore. The solos duetts and choruses were all good and the solos by Edith Kirk and Mamie Keyser and duetts by Mamie and Nettie Keyser and Nellie and Grace Whittlesey were beautifully rendered. The nursery drill was as before a delightful feature of the evening's enjoyment. The instrumental duetts were artistically rendered and Mrs. Whittlesey's reading was enjoyed by all.

Active Service.

and good food in plenty, tends to plenty, tends to make children healthy. If children suffer, however, from Scrofulous, Skin or Scalp Diseases—if their blood is impure and pimples or boils appear, they should be given the right medicine. Dr. Pierce's Golden medical Discovery brings about the best bodily condition. It purifies the blood and renders the liver active as well as builds up health and strength. Puny, pale, weak children get a lasting benefit and a good start from the use of the 'Discovery.' It puts on wholesome flesh, and does not nauseate and offend the stomach like the various preparations of cod liver oil. Once used, it is always in favor.

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ONSTED ODDS.

Oats are all sown in this vicinity.

Farmers are now plowing corn ground.

M. O. Aldrich sports a new double harness.

R. Paine, of Napoleon, was in town the latter part of last week.

Wm. Secor, of California, is visiting his brother, John, at present.

George and Grant Hancroft, of West Rome, were in town Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Knapp, of Tecumseh, is calling on his children here at present.

C. W. Paling and wife, of Leslie, visited friends in this vicinity last week.

Our lady editor wears a happy smile and she says her business is increasing.

Mrs. Phillinda Baker is at present very sick with a complication of diseases.

Our streets were well filled with teams on Friday and Saturday of last week.

John Baker, from near Battle Creek, came out last Saturday to see his mother.

Smith & Schuyler's blacksmith and wood repair shop is chock full of work these days.

Bert Stoddard, of Eaton Co., is at present visiting among relatives in this locality.

The proprietor of the agricultural warehouse has to trot to keep up with business now.

George Terry and family have moved to Onondaga. George will go into the hotel business there.

The Grayson family, of Tecumseh, did well at their concert here, under the auspices of the O. E. S.

Fred Groger has sold his interest in the flouring mill to George Sheefer, and the latter has commenced work.

The merchants of this town are handling an extra amount of wall paper as everyone seems to be papering this spring.

A Lady Maccabee, high in the order, gave a school of instruction to the hive here last Saturday afternoon at their hall in the Grange building.

Nogar's saw mill continues its humming, as a carload of logs are shipped in from Devil's Lake every day, and two or three teams are busy hauling them in from the surrounding farms.

Our friend, S. Smith, asked us the other day why we failed to send in a batch of items last week, as he always reads them first after getting the HERALD. Our answer was that we had received a severe cut on the right hand and could not wield the pencil with our left, so the items failed to appear.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Violetta Camburn died of her injuries April 20th.

Wm. Beebe went to Chicago Saturday after a car load of cows.

Newell Wisner drove to Ypsilanti Monday, returning Tuesday.

E. C. Wisner, who had inflammation [illegible] is improving slowly.

John Butrick was in this neighborhood on official business last week.

Misses L. A. Fisher, Ella Munger and Carl Munger returned to Ypsilanti Monday.

Arthur Bradley returned to the Normal at Ypsilanti the middle of last week.

The mock congress contest will occur in Normal hall Ypsilanti, this Friday night. The prize has been raised to $10.00 this year.

The next lyceum will occur Sept. 21., at A. D. Hunt's, when the annual election of officers will take place. The following original poem was read at the last meeting of the society:

The Normal News contest will occur May 10th. To one of the four young women will be given a prize equal in value to that given to one of the four young men. The orations will be judged by their literary merit and delivery.

TO ABSENT FRIENDS.

Though far beneath the southern skies
Where southern breezes gently play,
And southern sunlight o'er you smiles,
Remember those so far away,

Who long once more to clasp your hand
And hear your voice in greeting dear,
Whose thoughts will rove to that fair land
And fondly wish that you were here.

When soft the southern moonlight falls,
And sadly sweet the night-birds sing,
May scenes like these, fond memory recalls,
And thoughts of absent dear ones bring,

Who think of you when morning comes,
When all the world seems glad and bright,
Who miss you in the dear old home,
When gently falls the dewy night.

If death should step between us, e'er
We meet this side the grave's dark gate
Let loving thoughts of those who go
Fill all the hearts of those who wait.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Hiram Lawrence has moved his family into the Yeager house.

Roxy Shorts has been visiting at Humphrey Griffin's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, of Clayton, visited at Dwight Luce's Sunday.

"Strife," played at the Center, Friday evening, was attended by a large crowd.

Mrs. Ida Knowles has returned home from Adrian, and is much improved in health.

May Luce is improving rapidly, and if nothing happens, will soon be home again.

Charles Marshal was called north last week to attend the funeral of his brother, William.

Mrs. Edward Barber, mother of E. Barber, of Adrian, died last Wednesday and was buried in the West Rome cemetery, Friday.

No need to scratch your life away. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief in all cases of Itching Piles, Pin Worms, Eczema, Ringworms, Hives, or other itchiness of the skin. Get it from your dealer. 1w

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Mrs. M. Case and son have just disposed of 20 head of fat steers to Jackson butchers for $3.95 per cwt.

Farmers in this vicinity are busy sowing oats, although the weather is cold, the season demands their labor and they are applying the same.

A very fine party of a social nature at the home of Dr. Vaughn last evening April 16, in honor of his son Charles, just returned home from school at Ann Arbor.

Sabbath school is now resumed after a vacation of three months and is in a flourishing condition under the charge of J. W. Dewey and the teachers of the several classes.

Easter Sunday was celebrated at the Episcopal church in a very large congregation was present, the church was nicely decorated with plants and flowers, Rev. Fenborne officiating.

Samuel Bridges, an old resident of this town, having lived here for more than fifty five years, has died at the advanced age of 82 years. His death occurred April 7 1895. He was born in England and came to this country with his wife when a young man, settled on a farm where he lived until he died.

C. A. Blackmar, of this place, died of affection of the heart and lungs, Mar. 5th 1895, aged 71 years. He has been a resident of this town for 65 years, living all the time on the farm purchased by his father in 1830. The deceased came to this town with his father in 1830, has seen all the improvements therein developed, always assisting in them. He has been twice married, having four children by his first wife, Marinda Myres. His second wife, who survives him, was Mrs. Anna Norris, whom he married thirty years ago. He was a good neighbor, kind friend, indulgent father, a pleasant, kind husband and a reliable citizen.

SPRINGVILLE SPRAYS.

F. A. Groger is again a resident of the village.

A. J. Case is remodeling the interior of his house.

Farmer's Club at A. T. Graves, Saturday, May 4th. Afternoon session.

The April meeting of the ladies Missionary society was held Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage at Tipton.

H. W. Daniels, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Eva Sammons, of Eaton Rapids, were present at the funeral services of their mother, which took place Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Calvin Daniels, who has been in failing health a long time, died Friday evening, April 19. Nearly all her life was spent in this community, and her good name, won by true motherly love and good will to her neighbors, will long survive her departure.

The oldest resident of the township, Mrs. Clarissa Groger, familiarly known as Grandma, passed away Saturday. She was ninety three years of age and had resided nearly sixty years on the farm on which she died. Truly, a good woman has gone to her rest.

Mr. Cleveland has shown himself competent to draw the line on the currency question quite as expertly as he did on the blue-fish.

Do These Questions Apply to You?

They are sure to interest hundreds of readers of this paper. Nine out of every ten people are troubled with these symptoms, and really don't know what's the matter with them. Here are the questions:

Are you nervous?
Have you a cough?
Is your throat sore?
Is your appetite poor?
Do you hawk and spit?
Is your nose stopped up?
Is it always full of scabs?
Is your breath offensive?
Is your hearing affected?
Is your tongue frequently coated?
Is your mouth full of slime upon arising?

If you have, you have, or are getting, a bad case of catarrh. One bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure is guaranteed to cure any case of catarrh, and will last for three months' treatment. Ask your druggist for it. He will give you an absolute guarantee. For sale by druggists. Remember, one bottle to cure, and guaranteed by our agents.

H. C. Owens, U. S. Express Agent, Grafton, W. Va., writes the following: Your Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure has no equal as a treatment for catarrh and frontal headache. Tried every medicine on the market, but without any success until I tried yours. Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

The income tax opposition has revealed one curious fact—the enormous estimate which multi-millionaires put upon two cents.

Mrs. Lease, to her credit, does not run her political campaigns in a manner which compels Mr. Lease to provide his drug store with a 'speak easy' attachment.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Callouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 3

Does the earth wobble as it revolves? Why, certainly. Hoke Smith is not always at the same spot on the earth's surface, but moves from place to place. Of course it wobbles.

Mrs. Chas. Root, Cedar Springs, Mich., was told by physicians that they could do nothing for her. After taking two bottles of "Adirenda" she was able to do her own work and ride to town to do her shopping. Sold by Orr & Temple apr

Some day some Alderman is going to drop the playful habit of calling his opponents liars and say something actionable.

A Valuable Find.

After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhœa and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

The Lexow investigation cost $67,000, which is cheap enough. for Tammany would have been glad to pay forty times as much to prevent it.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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eighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

e Lee Bros. ad. in ... column.

rt Duffy was in Adrian on business day.

r. E. Mudge spent Sunday at Ben- Harbor.

os. DuBois was an Adrian visitor ...esday.

gular meeting I. O. T. M. next ...day night.

rl Lenardison, who has been ill for ... time, is improving.

y your garden seeds in the bulk of ...ht and save money.

s Wm. Taylor passed away Friday. ...neral was held Sunday.

f your steel goods, cakes, shoes, ...c., of James Haight, Britton.

L. Gripton and L. C. Hoagland ...ist bykes of the latest pattern.

s Osgood was called to Morenci ...week by the serious illness of his ...

... and wife of Ypsilanti ...el on friends in Britton and vicinity ...week.

...ern Smith spent Sunday in Detroit. ...t be some attraction for Vern at the ...ropolis.

...d. Backman received the first car ... of lumber for the Reform church ...ding this week.

...pton Bros. have a supply of early ...ner cane seed at the white pharmacy ...e distributed free to their patrons.

...will soon be time to spray your ...trees. Remember also that Jas. ...ht can furnish you the best sprayer ...e.

...m. Osgood is making many attract- ...and convenient improvements on ...about his residence in town this ...ter.

...he K. O. T. M. tent here are holding ...ed meetings every Tuesday night ...se piping times in order to keep up ...their work.

...rs. Minnie Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., ... was recently called here by the ...th of her father, Purdy Haight, re- ...ed home Tuesday.

...iram Van Valkenburg, one of our ...pioneers, who has been ill for some ..., is again on the mend and bids fair ...njoy life for some years to come.

...or a limited time I will give a book ...laws with a quarter's worth of Ban- ...Soap free, the world's best laundry ... 2w LEE BROS. Britton.

... Hardy has recently removed five ...e nasal tumors from the nose of ...d Boyd. The operation was suc- ...fully performed and the patient is ...g finely.

... L. Wood, our enterprising butcher, ...recting a new slaughter house on ...s of architecture unique and start- ... This style has not been named ...t must be seen to be appreciated.

...ont Hoagland's colt threw and kill- ...itself last week while taking a les- ...n in breaking. It is not known whe- ...er the act was suicidal or accidental ...the colt's part. It was certainly un- ...tunate on Mont's part.

...ute Bannister and Walt and Ed. Ex- ... indulged in a fishing excursion to ...roe Monday. The fish they brought ...e were many, large and excellent, ...heir friends can testify. But the ... they caught and were unable to ...g home, you will have to hear them ...it to get any idea.

...lex. Eslick, superintendent of the ... Union telegraph line, has been im- ...ing and rebuilding the old lines in ...icinity. He is also negotiating ...h the Western Union for a connec- ... with their Wabash wires here, ...ch if perfected will add much to the ...enience and usefulness of the new ...

...e first ball game of the season will ...layed at Britton to-morrow, Satur- ...Lake Ridge and Britton teams being ...ched for the occasion. The grounds ... been refitted and prepared this ...ng and are in better condition than ...r before. The clubs have been re- ...anized, and will put up the best ...e in their power, and an interesting ...test way be looked for. Every one ...erested in the game should turn out ... give the boys a good send off. Sub- ...bers to season tickets will be sup- ...d with the same by calling on the ...surer.

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...ave had my first streak of luck and ...nt to tell you about it. A little ... four weeks ago I began selling ... Washers, and have cleared in that ... $400. Isn't that pretty good for ... first month? I am sure I can do ...r every month right along, as ... Washer I sell helps to sell others. ... wash and dry the dishes for an ...ary family in two minutes, and as ... people see such a machine, they ... buy it quick. This is business ...e can do well at, in any locality. ... can get full particulars by address- ...the Iron City Dish Washer Co., E. ...ittsburg, Pa. Don't wait till some ...else gets your home territory, but ... to work at once.

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...or three years I suffered from Salt ...eum. It covered my hands to such ...tent that I could not wash them. ... bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters ...d me." Libbie Young, Popes Mills, ...awrence County, N. Y. 1w

HOLLOWAY HASH.

House cleaning is all the style now days.

Mrs. Wilson and Mattie attended church Sunday.

Mr. Volney Jackson was a caller in town Thursday.

Miss Jennie Calhoun left for Milan Friday morning.

Miss Nina Anthony returned Tuesday from Adrian.

Mrs. L. C. Winship drove to Odgen Center, on a business trip.

Miss C. E. Winship made a short call at Raisin Center Tuesday.

The painting class is progressing finely under Mrs. Hogland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Macham attended the convention at Palmyra.

Mr. Joe Bilkmyer returned to Ann Arbor Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Cynthia Sutherland, of Adrian, visited friends here Thursday.

Mr. Chas. Rothfus and wife entertained friends from Blissfield Sunday.

Mrs. Campbell has returned after a winter's sojourn with her children.

Dr. Bogell's familiar figure is in town shaking hands with old time friends.

Quite a number attended the Sunday school convention at Palmyra Saturday.

Miss Olla Wilder went to Adrian Saturday evening to remain over Sunday.

Mrs. Brown went to Adrian Monday to order her spring and summer stock of milliner goods.

A. D. Macham and F. L. Florence attended the lodge, at Tecumseh, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Lon Carpenter left Saturday evening for Morenci where he has secured work for the summer.

The funeral of Miss Sara Moore was largely attended and the floral decorations were beautiful.

We are informed that Chas. Anthony and family occupy the little house owned by the Kelley estate.

The ladies' social at the home of Mrs. Anthony was not largely attended as it is a very busy time with farmers now.

Mr. Lewis' new house is getting along finely and is all ready for raising the frame. It will make a nice house for himself and wife.

Mrs. Brown, the milliner, is very busy trimming hats and has selected a very nice stock of flowers and hats, to suit everybody's taste.

Mrs. May Anthony has returned from an extended visit in the northern part of the state where she spent some time visiting her brother, Frank.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh sang a solo at the Easter concert in her usual happy manner. She has a fine voice and much praise may be said of her singing, which was very fine and well rendered.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Florence Camburn and J. W. Howell returned to their work at Ypsilanti this week.

Addie Crittenden, who has been taking a course in the Business college at Ypsilanti, has secured a position at Northville. We feel that her employers are to be congratulated on their choice.

The Grayson family, of Tecumseh, will give a concert at the M. E church on Friday evening, May 3d. Miss Grayson is the teacher of music in the Tecumseh schools. The entertainment which they gave last Tuesday night at the Tecumseh opera house drew a large house.

The well known face of our mail carrier will be seen on our streets no more. For some time past Mr. Snedicor has been in very feeble health, and last Tuesday night the tired body refused to do its work any longer. He leaves a lonely home for his daughter and granddaughter.

At a business meeting on Friday, and at the Sunday service at the Reformed church, two members of the church board were present to look after the interests of the new church, and it was decided that with the assistance which they offered the work should go right on. Accordingly the building committee Monday evening planned for a church considerably larger than the old one, with a tower and also a number of the modern church conveniences.

The following is the program of the entertainment to be given at the M. E church next Friday evening, May 3d, for the benefit of the Epworth League.

That Simple Little Song—Grayson Family.
Recitation—Ellen Burleson.
Love's Answer (solo)—Peter Ridgely.
Music—Biddie Trio
Alone on the Midnight Sea (solo)—Welling Grayson.
Recitation—Laurel Chambers.
Watermelon Song—Grayson Family.
Music—Austin Quartette.
The Sweetest Story ever Told (solo)—Dora Grayson.
Recitation—Cora Austin.
Music—Biddie Trio.
Alabama Coon—Grayson Family.
Recitation—Grace Collins.
Oh, That We Two were Maying—Dora Grayson. Peter Ridgely.
Music—Austin Quartette.
The Leader of Co. C.—Grayson Family.

Single tickets 15 cents. Children 10 cents. Reduction to families. Entertainment begins at 8 o'clock.

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It looks as if Mr. Addicks might break the record of a long-distance legislative freight payer.

People often think their liver, kidneys or stomach is out of order, when in truth it is the Nerve System controlling these organs that is diseased. Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer cures all Nerve diseases. $1 bottles at Orr & Temple's.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Wm. Riggs and wife were in Saline with friends Sunday.

R. S. Housemanand David Gibson are hustling the Page wire fence business.

Mrs. Chas. Rankin, of Rea, spent Sunday, with her sister, Miss S. A. VanVleet.

Daniel Linn and son Elmer, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Azalia.

Beginning May 1st the library will be open only in the evening, from 6:30 until 9 o'clock.

W. L. Jones is building quite a fine hen house and will launch out into the poultry business.

Mr. Todd and Mr. Riggs, of Ypsilanti, spent Wednesday night with Lafe Rappleye and family.

Emma Cheever went to Detroit Monday, for an indefinite stay with her mother Mrs. L. Priest.

Several from here attended the township Sunday school convention held at Britton last week Friday.

Richard Cadmus of North Harvey, Ill. arrived last week Thursday to look after his farm interests here.

Fred Gorton, of Ypsilanti, spent a few days with relatives, returning Monday in company with his wife.

Dr. Howell, of Tecumseh, was called in consultation in the case of Mrs. James Pocklington, Wednesday.

The oldest inhabitant cannot remember so dry a March and April as this spring. The wheeling has been fine.

Mrs. Fenner Palmer went to Detroit the first of the week for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Priest.

Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., was called here last week by the sickness and death of her father, Purdy Haight.

There was quite a large number of friends from Britton, Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Uncle Purdy Haight.

Ella Southard, having resigned her connection with the post office, leaves postmaster Santus without any assistant again.

Will Snedicor, of Howell, who was called to Macon by the death of his father, Philetus Snedicor, was in the village Wednesday.

Those who attended the Grayson Family concert at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, Wednesday night, speak of it in the highest praise.

Patrick Curry and Henry Barnes, who were reported under the doctor's care in our last week's Rambles are on the gain at present writing.

Francis Wiggins of Tecumseh has moved with his family and household effects to their home south of the village where they expect to make their future home.

Fern VanDuser, who has been spending some time with her father at Toledo, returned Saturday night for an indefinite stay with her grandmother, Mrs. L. V. Miller.

Chas. Pocklington has placed his house and lot at Britton, occupied by ... terms call at his residence, on the Ridge, south of the village.

Last week Thursday night thieves entered the homes of Mrs. Jacob Arner, C. L. Lowe and Mrs. L. V. Miller and helped themselves to some eatables. As suspicion rests rather heavy in a certain direction it would be well for them to heed a warning or they may be called upon to act as a fit subject for a dissecting table.

Mr. A. Lake of Chicago, Ill. having purchased the Waring house and land ajoining, arrived ... his wife and daughter Bessie last week, and is making some fine improvements, which, when completed will make one of the finest residences in the village. We, in behalf of the enterprising citizens, extend to them a cordial welcome.

HAIGHT.

Uncle Purdy Haight, who has been failing for several weeks, being confined to his bed but four days passed away Friday morning. For the last ten years he has been a citizen of the village and worked at the shoemaker's bench, and was engaged in the shoe business with W. P. Cadmus. By his death the village loses an old pioneer and a citizen who had no enemy, being an open-hearted obliging and accommodating neighbor and friend. The school children will feel the loss of Uncle Purdy as much if not more than any in the community. Mr. Haight was a native of New York and among the pioneers of Michigan. He passed his seventy-fifth birth day in March. He leaves two children to mourn his loss, Mrs. W. P. Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., and James Haight, of Britton. The funeral service was held at the church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Cansfield officiating and the remains were laid to rest in the evergreen cemetery.

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Emperor William of Germany has a severe cold. He is lucky, however, in that every one he meets dare not tell him what to do for it.

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I used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and have received great benefit. I believe it a safe and certain cure. Very pleasant to take.—Wm. Frazer, Rochester, N. Y. Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents. 1w

Since the ball game of Thursday we presume that all attempts to absorb Brooklyn into a Greater New York might as well be abandoned.

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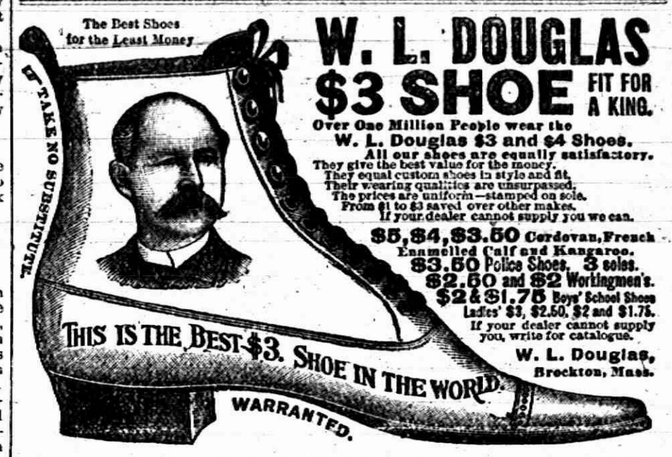

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 26, 1895.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Rev. J. P. Varner visited in Adrian Wednesday.

Mrs. Ingersoll and Mrs. Munger spent Tuesday in Adrian.

Mrs. Dora Jermain, of South Bend, Ind., is visiting in town.

The soda fountain at the City Bakery is now ready for business.

Jno. Campbell now delivers mail on a new Westminster bicycle.

Clark & Sherman have a new refrigerator in their meat market.

Leon Rosacrans made the trip to Ann Arbor and back this week on his wheel.

Supervisor Elliott is on the war path with an assessment roll under his arm.

Shurtz & Mitchell's market in the Dickinson block is closed for the present.

Rev. James Hageman occupied the pulpit of Friends church at Rollin last Sunday.

The marvelous little musician, Baby Marie Edward, has been secured to appear in Tecumseh early in May.

Ora Bowen returned from a few week's visit with relatives in Coldwater and North Adams yesterday.

All lovers of music both old and young are captivated with the wonderful performances of Baby Marie, pianist.

D. L. Whitenack & Co. sold two of their celebrated Appolo wheels last Saturday, one each to Bert Lawrence and Clifford Millis.

We begin to-day the publication of a full market report, both outside and local, and shall endeavor to continue the same regularly hereafter.

Prof. Stump will teach a night school of penmanship. Our compositors heartily wish that all correspondents would patronize this school.

Garlinghouse & Co shipped six computing scales to San Francisco, Cal., yesterday. At this rate the boys will soon have them around the world.

John Mesler and wife wish to extend thanks to their many neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them during the recent sickness and death of their father.

Rev. C. M. Brown has just received a telegram that Mrs. Wellington White, missionary from China, who has aroused so much enthusiasm in Detroit, will be here to take part in the services Sunday.

E. F. Kirchgessner still holds his luck, being the holder of ticket No. 157, which drew the piano orchestrion, offered by Eaton, Lyon & Co., of Grand Rapids, to their customers. The instrument, in the nature of a large music box, is valued at $100.00.

"The New Woman" is the subject of a paper by W. D. Howells, which will be published in Harper's Weekly of April 27th. The same number, among its varied contents, includes a richly illustrated article on New York City's Flower markets, and, in the department of sports, a graphic treatise on the "Amateur Pitcher."

Teachers and friends of education are invited to attend an educational rally at Hudson on Saturday, May 4th. An interesting program is being prepared, among the leading features of which will be papers by Prof. Wade Millis, of Addison, Miss Rose Caniff, James Schermerhorn, Grant Fellows, Miss Matie King, five minute talk by Prof. Hawkes, Tripp, Kellogg and others, discussions, etc.

A few days since it was our good fortune to visit the dairy farm of Frank Bryan's, west of town. Having heard much about the arrangement of the barns, the care given the cattle and the completeness of the milkhouse, we felt a rare treat was in store for us. We found the barns large and convenient, the stables airy and models of neatness. The cattle looked as though fitted for a fair, they were as slick as minks and in prime condition. It is seldom one sees so many grand specimens in one herd. When the hour for milking arrived we could not resist the temptation to try our hand at the business, and demonstrated even to Frank, that we were masters of the art. On visiting the milk house we found everything scrupulously clean, and a very fine device used for cooling the milk before being bottled. The milk is poured into the top and passes slowly over a cone shaped surface, made perfectly cold by being filled with ice, and thence through several different strainers. One has but to visit here to know that the milk is not only the very best quality but every care taken in its preparation for delivery.

We understand that the School board has invited all the teachers to remain another year. This will cause much rejoicing among many of our people outside of school as well as in.

Abraham VanAntwerp, who resided in Tecumseh many years ago, and will be kindly remembered by many of our citizens, died on the 3d of April at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Oliver Emlay, in Oakland, California, at the advanced age of 81 years. Mr. Emlay conducted the old tannery and a harness shop here for many years.

Subjects for Sunday April 28: Morning, 'What Constitutes a Christian? Evening, 'Whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, even so do ye unto them, for this is the law and the prophets.' St. Matt. 7:12. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic—What has Christ Done for Me? After May 1st evening service will be suspended until Oct 1st.

THE BACHELORS' BANQUET.

It is a rare occasion that the ladies of the town condescend to toast and banquet the celibates who have chosen to wander through life alone without their advice and aid. However, the ladies of the library association seem to think it their duty to occasionally administer to the bodily wants of these poor lowlies as well as to cater to the public taste for letters and literature. Accordingly the tables were laid and the banquet spread last evening in a way entirely befitting the occasion. Although the decorations were very plain and even grotesque in their quaint and suggestive disorder, they were arranged with such care and delicacy that the carefully trained modesty of the most confirmed bachelor was scarcely ruffled by their appearance. But where the efforts of the fair ones were most appreciated was at the tables. Here the ladies did themselves proud, as everyone who participated can testify.

The proceeds of the entertainment were about $25.00, which was not large considering the work and provisions furnished.

It is almost needless to praise, in this place, the enterprise and perseverance of the ladies' library association as their endeavors for public good have become a matter of regular occurrence here.

For the benefit of those unfortunates who were not there we subjoin the program.

MENU.

SOUPS

Library Consomme, Sagendorph Bouillion, Bachelor's Soup, with bachelors in it. (soup not served after 6 p. m.) Clam Chowder

FISH

Roast Whale, Pickeled Sharks, Bachelor's Bullheads, caught right here, N. B. Our fish cook has the grip, and will not be able to serve before Saturday.

ROASTS

Roast Ox on the half shell, Shingle Nail Sauce, Humming Bird stuffed with Suspender Buckles, Roast Tortoise on Base Ball Bats. Spring Chicken (48 years ago.)

ENTREES

Sliced Ham, Olives (we've got 'em) Ham Sandwiches a la World's Fair, Spider's Eyebrows, larded, Mittens (forced acceptance), very tender, Arcadian Mixture (mere sham), Bald Heads stuffed with Fond Recollections (for heiresses only.)

VEGETABLES

Green Gags, Raw Weather, Dead Beats (not too scarce), Cream Potatoes.

GAME

Post Office (tulip sauce), Blind Man's Buff, Quail on Toast (in season, only to order) Old Maid, Muggins, Authors, Penny Ante, Copenhagen, Friendly Draw with a V limit. All games of chance prohibited.

DESERT a la SAHARA

Cream Cake, Mud Pies, Punches (where Nellie wore the beads.)

DRINKS

Water, Wet Water, Cold Water, Hot Water, Holly Water, City Water, Hard Water, Ice Water, Apollinaris Water Dish Water.

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Strong Drinks for Pastors only.

Napkins a la Japan. Plates a la China.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 18th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Martha O'Hara deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Chales O'Hara a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to Walter C. Burridge, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitabse person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 13th day of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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FOR SALE OR RENT.—A modern house on Evans street for sale at a bargain, or to rent. Also house on Maumee street for sale cheap. ALFRED JAMES.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 26, 1895.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Did you ever see Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Bay Wiggins is moving to Ridgeway this week.

Mina J. Hughes has gone to work for Ah Wilson.

Gussie Burlingame returned to Ypsilanti Monday.

Chas. Cummins was in town the fore part of the week.

Joe Everett is laying off this week on account of sickness.

Walter Burridge went to Monroe on business last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. R. Wooden and Dot returned to Battle Creek last Friday.

On Monday, April 24—to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hooton, a ten pound son.

Shall we have that bicycle factory? That is the leading question now.

Mrs. L. B. Ayres entertained about sixty of her friends Wednesday evening.

Jerry Root, J. J. Freeman and W. W. Whiting were Detroit visitors Wednesday.

J. M. Bittman, of Saginaw, W. S., is sowing celery seed in these parts at present.

The regular monthly supper at the Universalist church takes place this evening.

Mrs. H. C. Snedecor, of Ypsilanti, visited Tecumseh friends from Friday till Monday noon.

Who thought Undertaker Tansley would blossom out this spring as a full fledged milliner?

Edith Ward, of Clayton, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Stacy, at Newburg.

Mrs. Margeson's committee will give the regular supper at the Baptist church parlors next Thursday, May 2d.

Cleo Hall returned Monday from a trip to the Upper Peninsula, where he has been inspecting lumber for A. W. Slayton.

Only one week more. If you have not already done so, hand in your subscription at once and secure your number.

Temperance exercises at the Friend's church next Sabbath evening at 7:30. This service no doubt will be helpful and interesting to all who attend. The public invited.

Miss Cora DePuy, of Ann Arbor, is spending the present week with her many Tecumseh friends. She expects to return next Monday. Her mother has been quite sick for the past two weeks, but is now on the gain.

The semi-annual convention of the Lenawee county Y. P. S. C. E. will be held at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday, April 30. There will be sessions morning, afternoon and evening, to which all are cordially invited.

A. W. Slayton is still using more and more printer's ink and the United States mails are his channels of distribution. He has used 6,100 one-cent stamps in the last twenty-four days and expects to increase that amount soon.

Hiram Rogers, representing the well known nursery firm of Ingelfritz & Rogers, of Monroe, has made a spring delivery here of nearly a car load of nursery stock. This speaks well for the enterprise of both the nursery men and the farmers.

The State Supreme Court last week handed down an opinion in Anderson vs. the Lenawee Co. Circuit Judge, of considerable interest to lawyers and officers. They hold that it is not necessary for officers to certify copies of records or papers that are served, although required to do so by the statute.

D. C. LeBaron was on our streets last Tuesday.

Thirty-five artists in Stowe's Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Squire Smith, of Clinton, was on our streets Monday.

Miss Mary Burridge was home from Ann Arbor last week.

Don't forget to see the specialties in Stowe's Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Tom O'Connell and Roy Treat took a spin over from Adrian Sunday.

Lee B. Millard and wife, of Adrian, were Tecumseh visitors Sunday.

Coin's Financial school for sale at this office; twenty-five cents a copy.

Everybody will attend the C. E. Convention, to be held here April 30th.

Chas. A. Sloan and Chas. Whitney, both of Adrian, were in town Sunday.

The case of Ford vs. Cheever is expected to come on in the Supreme Court, this week.

Do you want a chance at one of those sewing machines? Then pay up in April and get a receipt.

The Michigan Woman's Press Association will hold their summer meeting at Lansing, June 11, 12 and 13.

John Riley took a brief respite from his labors in Freeman's cigar factory by spending Sunday in Adrian.

Bert Carpenter and Josephine Leroy of Ridgeway, were married by Justice Wightman at his office Saturday.

The April term of the Circuit Court for Lenawee county is now in session, with a large calendar to dispose of.

How to get a copy of Coin's Financial School free—subscribe for the HERALD and pay one years, subscription in advance.

C. H. Reed has been busy with his Tecumseh souvenir for the past two weeks. He will soon have the canvass completed.

Co. C. attended divine service at St. Peter's church in a body last Sabbath, after which they enjoyed the hospitality of Capt. Hayden at the Lilley House for dinner.

W. B. Odlon and Geo. Benton, two Hudson typos, came over to Tecumseh on their wheels last Saturday. The HERALD acknowledges a friendly call from them.

Will Ingersoll has got nicely settled since the change in his rooms and he has a very neat office now. One would be almost tempted to give him a case for the fun of it, after making him a call.

We are glad to hear that Ben Strong, of Adrian, is to ship on the Marquette as wheelsman for Capt. Chilson, this season. With Ben at the wheel we feel like letting the Captain brave the stormy main with perfect assurance.

Abner Wilson is getting ready for a big plant trade this year. He has a good sized green house stocked up with pansy, verbena and other bedding plants. He has added to his hot beds and cold frames and expects to do quite a wholesale business.

C. D. Keyes has severed his connection with the HERALD. Mr. Keyes has proven himself a valuable assistant, and with his natural aptitude for clerical work, he cannot remain long unemployed. May success attend him wherever his lot may be cast.

The City Bakery is upside down at present, that is, figuratively speaking. Mr. Bice has caught the prevailing epidemic and is enlarging his ice cream room, painting and papering the same and giving the whole concern a general overhauling.

Scove Walker began work in the HERALD counting rooms Monday, and he will have charge of the local department hereafter. As he has had considerable experience in the HERALD office, he will settle down to business at once. This arrangement has been in contemplation for some time.

As Zebedee Stout and wife were returning from the funeral of their relative, Miss Violetta Camburn, whose death was the result of horrible burns from her clothing taking fire, they were met by the shocking intelligence of the death of their little grandson, Clifford Knight, who had strayed upon the railroad, where he received injuries causing his death.—Adrian Times.

'I want two pounds of CHASE & SANBORN'S coffee. I have had no decent coffee for three months.' Thus said a lady, who had been buying a new brand of coffee that an inexperienced dealer called the best in the world. She joins with hundreds of others in saying that CHASE & SANBORN'S FAMOUS BOSTON COFFEES are the best. AVERY & Co., Sole agents for Tecumseh. 1w

A letter from T. B. Gould at East Jordan, says: We have already commenced farming, after coming through the winter in good shape. One hundred and fifty men will soon go to work on the railroad from Alba to East Jordan. The saw mills are in full blast with a larger cut on hand than usual. I often think of home and recall to mind the old associates there.

The thrilling escape of Eliza over the frozen river, the fight on the rocky pass, Eva's ascent to Heaven, and the great Cotton-picking scene with the slaves at work, are a few of the many scenes and incidents witnessed in Stowe & Co's spectacular Uncle Tom's Cabin at the Opera House, Monday evening, April 29. Look for the grand Monday street parade. Seats secured at usual place; price 35 and 50cts; children 25cts.

The weather is hot, dry and dusty.

J. J. Orr and wife spent Sunday in Jackson.

Julia Wood has returned to her work in Toledo.

Ora McBride and wife spent Easter at Napoleon.

Mrs. Anna Stoepel, of Detroit, is visiting at her old home.

Capt. Lawrence is taking a trip to Denver, Col., this week.

John I. Knapp, of Adrian, was in town Wednesday and gave the HERALD a call.

Mrs. James Winans, of Toledo, spent Sunday at her father's, Hon. B. F. Baxter.

Rev. J. P. Varnef will have for his subject next Sunday evening: "Mount Moriah."

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has an apprentice in the person of Miss Nellie Sayers of Petersburg.

Wheat has been worth one cent per pound this week—the highest price for some time.

Ernest Kemp, Mary Wagner and Gertruce Schreder were Clinton visitors Sunday evening.

Wm. Warring, of Streator, Ill., was called here this week by the serious illness of his mother.

Geo. H. Melody has moved back from Battle Creek and will work his own farm in Franklin this season.

Kennedy & Rogers have got through house cleaning and now have a very commodious and tasty looking store.

Miss Lovisa Schreder may now be found at Miss Hough's millinery emporium where she is learning the business.

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Wade Waring began clerking for Tansley & Son last Monday, and his place at Avery & Co's will be filled by Guy Belding of Clinton.

The W. C. T. U. wish to call attention to their Mother's meeting the first Friday in May to meet at the home of Rev. David Lewis. Come.

Mr. Stickle, of the firm of Barkwell & Stickle who run the steam laundry, has moved his family from Mt. Pleasant and occupies a part of E. Tindall's house.

The Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Company have erected a fine portico in front of their office. By a change in the arrangement of the office furniture they have made more room for their stock of groceries, of which they are keeping a large assortment.

We have received a copy of a pamphlet called the Hand-book of Louisiana, which contains much valuable information about the Pelican state. It will be mailed free to any one on application to the State Immigration Commissioner, 620 Common St., New Orleans, La.

To avoid the smoke arising from burning leaves, etc., William Hayden would esteem it an especial favor if persons cleaning their yards would notify him and allow the rakings to be drawn away rather than burned. If notified, Mr. Hayden will gladly remove them free of charge.

Tuesday, April 16th, was the 90th birthday of Daniel D. Sinclair of Adrian. He is still in vigorous health and likely to remain on earth several years more. His Tecumseh friends and acquaintances will extend to him their congratulations upon his reaching that milestone in life which so few attain.

By request of many of his old pupils Prof. W. H. Stump has secured one of the school rooms in the Central Building, and on Monday evening organized a class in penmanship. Mr. Stump's work in our public schools during the last three seasons is sufficient commendation that his pupils will be greatly benefited by his training. Two evenings a week will be devoted to the work, the term consisting of thirteen lessons.

Tipton was somewhat startled Friday forenoon by the fatal burning of Miss Violetta Camburn. It appears that Miss Camburn was cleaning door yard and burning straw which had been used for banking about the house during the winter. In this way her clothing was ignited and her body so badly burned that death ensued before night in spite of medical assistance which was promptly summoned. Miss Camburn was 52 years of age, being born and raised on the farm where she so sadly met her death.

The Grayson concert last Tuesday evening at the opera house, was an excellent one in every particular. The solos by Miss Dora Grayson were given in her usual felicitous style and the boys all did finely in the choruses. The two songs by Welling Grayson were beautifully rendered. Mrs. Thurman added much to the interest of the program by her readings, which were well received. Almost every number on the program was greeted with an encore. It is no flattery to say that the entertainment fully equalled many that have been given in Tecumseh by professional troupes that command a high price. Miss Jennie Root rendered her assistance as accompanist in her felicitous style. The family possesses the elements for a first-class concert troupe, if properly cultivated, and they ought to travel some of these days.

Henry H. Keyser has in his possession an old newspaper relic, which is quite a curiosity. It is volume one, number one, of the Democratic Free Press, published at Detroit and dated May 5, 1831. It is a five column four page sheet. It contains a good assortment of general news and considerable politics, but no local news whatever. It has the resignations of Martin Van Buren and J. H. Eaton from Gen. Jackson's cabinet, with the latter's acceptance of the same.

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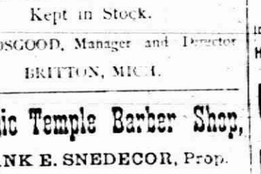

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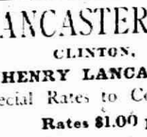

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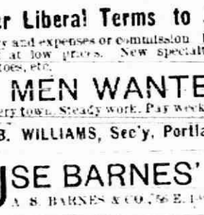

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., April 19.—The senate committee on liquor traffic on Thursday reported the house 3.2 uniform liquor tax bill, so amended as to leave it optional with the councils in cities whether saloons should be open on civil holidays or not; also changing the fiscal year for the payment of taxes to July 1, to conform with the government date.

LANSING, Mich., April 20.—The Jewell bill reducing the maximum rate of fare to be charged by the Michigan Central Railway company to two cents per mile was reported in the senate Friday without recommendation. The bill making it a misdemeanor to fraudulently use union labels was passed by the senate.

LANSING, Mich., April 24.—The senate on Tuesday passed a bill providing for a state medical board consisting of four regular physicians, two homeopathic, two eclectic and six class two homeopathic, two eclectic and one physio-medical, to constitute a board of registration for the regulation of the practice of medicine. The Eaton apportionment bill, the first of a series of measures for dividing the state into twelve congressional districts, was killed in the senate.

House.

Gov. Rich has appointed Claude W. Case and Arthur A. Henderson, of Newberry; Henry W. Jones, of Houghton; George A. Loupe, of Bessemer; Charles T. Fairbairn, of Sault Ste. Marie, trustees of the upper peninsula asylum for the insane.

LANSING, Mich., April 19.—In the house on Thursday, by a vote of 40 yeas to 52 nays, the bill authorizing the joint use of a portion of the Citizens' Street Car company's track on Woodward avenue, Detroit, by the Detroit company was lost.

LANSING, Mich., April 20.—The house committee on state affairs on Friday made a favorable report on the Jamieson bill repealing the law of 1877 which permits Roman Catholic bishops to hold real estate in trust. The bill passed the senate last week.

LANSING, Mich., April 24.—The house passed the senate municipal commission charter bill for fourth-class cities, under which about fifty-three cities become incorporated by passive consent January 1, 1896, unless they previously decide to the contrary by vote. The Redfern pure food bill was agreed to in committee of the whole after striking out the most important provision, which prohibited the coloring of oleomargarine or butterine. An amendment was adopted early in the discussion to the effect practically that it could be colored with any substance not injurious to health.

TO FOUND A STATE.

Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin Would Contribute to Its Territory.

MARQUETTE, April 19.—The old scheme of creating a new state out of portions of northern Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin has been revived by Capt. Alex McDougall, of West Superior, inventor of the whalebacks. The name "Superior" or "Mining state" would suit Captain McDougall. He proposes to make the Mississippi river the western boundary and a line drawn along the southern boundary of the northern tier of Wisconsin counties the southern boundary.

What is aimed at particularly is to place the three great iron ranges, the Vermillion, the Mesaba and the Gogebic, in one state, so that the interests of none of them could be injured by conflicting legislation and all might be treated from the same basis.

The new state would be one of the richest in wealth in the union; it would have more than 500 miles of water front and contain "the head of the lakes" harbor, which is the gateway for the trade and commerce of the entire northwest. "Superior," or "the mineral state," would at once become one of the greatest states of the union, it is firmly believed by its advocates.

ESCANABA, April 19.—There is a very strong sentiment here in favor of the new state of Superior.

SHOWS A PROFIT.

The Ionia Prison Furniture Plant Is Making Money.

IONIA, April 24.—Gov. Rich and all the members of the board of control met at the state house of correction Tuesday and listened to a report verbally from State Accountant O. C. Tompkins, who has been investigating the books of ex-Warden Parsell. He found that the books balanced within $10, and that the furniture plant for three and a half years under Parsell had paid the state nothing. Under Warden Fuller, the present incumbent, he stated that from July, 1894, to March, 1895, the profit or clear gain to the state from the furniture plant was $17,600, or a profit of $1,400 after deducting 50 cents a day for convict labor.

CUT TO PIECES.

Sawmill Employe Meets a Terrible Death in Saginaw.

SAGINAW, Mich., April 23.—A horrible accident occurred at 6 o'clock Monday morning at Wells & Webber's sawmill. The machinery was not yet in good motion when head sawyer, Frank J. Mavelle, in some way fell on the saw platform in front of the circular saw and had his scalp taken off and a gash cut 8 inches into the right shoulder, severing the spinal column and spinal cord and cutting into the lung which filled with blood. He lived an hour and a half and was conscious most of the time. Mavelle was 38 years old and leaves a widow and six children, the youngest just two weeks old.

Michigan Royal Arcanum.

FLINT, April 18.—The annual session of the Michigan Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, has closed. S. F. Woodcock, of Niles, was elected grand regent. The report of the grand regent showed seventy councils in good standing in the Michigan jurisdiction. Three councils were suspended during the year. The grand secretary's report showed the membership to be 6,161. The grand treasurer reported receipts from all sources for the year ending March 30, 1895, $10,134.22; expenses, $7,078.27, and $2,612.92 on hand. Fifty deaths occurred during the year. The next session will be held at Jackson.

Identified.

DETROIT, April 20.—The remains of the girl who died at a lying-in-hospital recently have been identified as those of Emily Hall, and information has been obtained showing that her seducer is a minister who resides in England, and who brought her to this city, a distance of thousands of miles, so that his reputation might not be damaged by the birth of the child. He has returned to England, but steps are being taken to secure his arrest.

STATE NEWS.

Bits of Interesting Information from Various Points.

Bay City police arrested six tough characters who had broken into a sealed Michigan Central freight car.

Bicycles are used by mail carriers at Grand Rapids.

From injuries resulting from a fall at the Otsego paper mill recently John Stratton died.

Wild pigeons are reported in abundance near Muskegon lake.

Manistee leads the world in the production of salt. Ludington is a close second.

Charles T. Hills, of Muskegon, has been appointed by Gov. Rich as Michigan commissioner to the Mexican exposition in 1896.

Considerable lumber will be shipped from Grand Traverse to England this spring.

Elmer Hunt, of Battle Creek, has been appointed government surveyor on the Nicaragua canal and has started for the scene of his duties.

Potatoes and beans are favorite crops with farmers this spring. They have paid the best for several years past.

The Barry county fair will be held September 24-27.

The Michigan Republican Newspaper association will meet at Hastings May 16 and 17.

The dates fixed for the state convention of the Equal Suffrage association of Michigan, in Saginaw, are May 8 and 9, at the Universal church.

Albert H. Powell has been appointed deputy collector of customs for the port of Gladstone, vice J. A. Bradley, resigned.

At Hillsdale Mrs. Laura Burleson was given a judgment against the village of Reading for $1,600 for injuries sustained by falling upon a defective walk.

Martin Rommel, who was convicted at Sturgis of burning the barns of John McKerlie, was sentenced to three and one-half years in state prison.

Henry Bahs, of Adrian, was kicked by a horse and is in a critical condition.

The 2-year-old son of Thomas Knight was killed by a train at Adrian.

Burglars entered the home of James A. Crozier, in Menominee, Sunday night and carried away jewelry to the value of $300.

William Tallier, Anton Tallier and Louis Pichette, of Nadeau, are in jail charged with burning the mill of Nadeau Brothers, which caused a loss of $15,000.

The examination of Mrs. Henry Hughsohn and George W. King, charged with the murder, by poisoning, July 20, 1892, of the former's husband, has been begun at Muskegon.

Elijah Stewart, aged 29 (colored), shot his wife (also colored) at Jackson Monday, and ten minutes later fired a bullet into his own brain. It is believed both will die.

Capt. Christianson, of the schooner Charles Wyman, reports the drowning of Hans Jacobson, one of the crew, Sunday. The sailor fell overboard while jibbing 10 miles off Two Rivers.

A representative of the Continental Match company of Passaic, N. J., is in Menominee looking for a site upon which to build a large factory that will give employment to over 1,000 hands.

The city council has ordered all stores and shops at Bay City to be closed on Sunday.

Negotiations are pending to make Kalamazoo college a part of the Chicago university.

Detroit is to have a new cemetery—138 acres of beautiful wooded land just north of Palmer park, fronting on Woodward avenue.

The university regents have decided to establish a school of technology which will include the four engineering courses now in the literary department.

Farm hands in the interior of the state are reported scarce at rates ranging from $15 to $22 per month.

Miss Valit Cumburn, of Tipton, died from the effect of burned received while burning leaves recently.

Vice President Stevenson has accepted the invitation to preside at the inter-collegiate debate between the University of Michigan and the Northwestern university that takes place next month in Chicago.

A 3-year-old child of George Tobias, a farmer leaving near Chippewa lake, fell into a log-leaf fire. The little one ran a quarter of a mile, with clothes burning, and was roasted. He died within twelve hours.

Hon. Lyman Murray, of Sparta, died recently of stomach trouble, aged 78. He was twice a member of the Michigan house of representatives and once of the senate.

James Blanchard Clews has been elected president of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan Railroad company in place of J. M. Ashley.

Sister Frances Marie, a favorite Sister of Providence, connected with St. Andrews' academy, died at Saginaw Tuesday after a short illness.

Mrs. Ruth Elwell, wife of Nehemiah Elwell, died Monday at her home in Climax, aged 77. She was a daughter of Eli Whitford, who was one of the pioneers of the township of Climax. Her marriage to Nehemiah Elwell, September 17, 1840, was the first wedding in the township.

Chauncey M. Depew has been secured by the Oratorical association to address the students in University hall, Ann Arbor, May 2.

Lincoln McAllister, an employe of the Westman Lumber company, was drowned in Hay creek at Daggett while working upon some saw logs.

Gas Works Change Hands.

GRAND RAPIDS, April 24.—The Grand Rapids gas works has changed hands, the last installment of the purchase price, $1,200,000, having been paid to the old stockholders. Emerson McMillin, of New York, who negotiated the purchase, will be at the head of the new company, and H. B. Walbridge will be secretary.

HER SON A VICTIM.

Strange Poisoning Story Told by Mrs Adams Darling.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Mrs. Adams Darling, the Virginia poetess whose volume of southern war poems was recently published in this city, called last week upon District Attorney Fellows and made a startling charge against Mrs. Irving I. Darling, her dead son's wife. She said:

"My son's wife is a wealthy Washington girl, not more than 17 years of age, and I believe she is weak-minded. She owns forty houses in the best part of Washington, other real estate, representing in all about $1,000,000, and bond holdings of $70,000 more. They were married in this city last year, and shortly after received to Detroit, where he met with a serious accident. Ultimately he fully recovered. Then, upon a second illness occurring, his wife called in a physician in Detroit. My son frequently told me that some one was poisoning him."

From this point Mrs. Darling's story becomes less coherent. She relates the death of her son. It is learned that samples of the medicine taken by the dead man have been submitted to experts for analysis. Darling died in Detroit, February 13, 1894, and his body was cremated two days afterward. Previous to death Darling made a statement that his wife and Dr. Spranger had systematically poisoned him and that he would die from the effects of the drugs given him.

The motive, according to the dead man's mother, has now been established through the public marriage of Dr. Spranger to Mrs. Darling in Baltimore on March 6 of this year. Dr. Spranger and his wife are now in southern California enjoying their honeymoon.

Mrs. Darling's son, Edward Irving Darling, was a musical composer and a poet. Prominent among his best productions was a book entitled "Echoes of the Lake." Among his musical works was "The Viking," which is to be produced in a short time. Others were the "Jolly Bachelors" and the "Gentleman Savage."

HOW THEY STAND.

A Canvass of the Legislature on the Presidential and Silver Questions.

KALAMAZOO, April 22.—The Telegraph's canvass of both houses of the state legislature on the presidential and silver question shows that from eighty-five members interviewed the following was obtained:

McKinley	69
Reed	7
Allison	2
Alger	2
Burrows	3
No choice	1
Declined	1
Total	85

On the free silver 16 to 1 proposition the eighty-five members stood as follows:

For free silver	21
Against free silver	45
Declined or undecided	19
Total	85

ARBOR DAY.

Friday, May 3, Named for Its Observance by Gov. Rich.

LANSING, April 18.—Gov. Rich has issued the following Arbor day proclamation:

"In accordance with a custom that cannot be brought to our state and its people, I hereby designate Friday, May 3, as Arbor day. To beautify and adorn our homes and highways by the planting of trees, shrubs and flowers is a duty that should not be neglected, and I most earnestly recommend that the day designated be observed in that way by every citizen of our state. The value and importance of such a custom should be impressed upon the minds of our youth and the exercises in our schools upon that day should be of such a character that its lessons will not be forgotten. Let the day be so observed that every home and school yard will bear witness in the years to come that we turned aside from our usual occupations and devoted one day to beautifying and adorning our fair state."

ENOCH ARDEN UP TO DATE.

Walter Barker Returns to His Family After Thirty-Five Years.

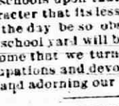
DETROIT, April 22.—Walter Barker, a veteran of the war, has just been reunited to his family, whom he had not seen since he left for the front nearly thirty-five years ago. He kept up no correspondence with home during the war and his family removed from Wisconsin to this county. When the war closed Barker returned home, but could find no trace of his wife and children and finally went west. A few weeks ago he learned his wife and children were living near here and Saturday he found them. A touching reunion followed.

Crack Shots at Battle Creek.

BATTLE CREEK, April 24.—The Michigan League of Trap Shooter's tournament opened Tuesday. Participants were present from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Manchester, Litchfield, Kalamazoo, Jackson and Battle Creek, and O. von Lengerke, of Chicago. Nine events were shot. The first average was won by Parker, of Detroit, who scored 97 out of a possible 112; Widdicombe, of Grand Rapids, second, with 90. In the team championship race Grand Rapids team No. 1 scored 59; team No. 2, 65; Battle Creek team, 61.

An amendment to submit the question of woman suffrage to a vote of the people has now passed both branches of the State Legislature. It is all over but the voting.

FOR WOMEN.



There are facts which every woman should know and should teach her daughters, but which many never learn because they have no trustworthy teacher and don't know where to find one. To supply this want the Zoa-Phora Medicine Company, at Kalamazoo, Mich., publishes a book on Diseases of Women and Children, well illustrated, easily understood. Every woman, or girl above 15 years, should read it. For the purpose of advertising they will, on receipt of 10 cts. to cover cost of mailing, send a pamphlet edition, in sealed envelope to any lady (and to ladies only) who desires it.

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If any person who reads this is suffering from dyspepsia or constipation and will use your medicine as I have done, he will never regret it."

M. J. COLEMAN, Esq.

FITS AND NERVOUS DISEASES.

When Henry M. Hall, M.D., late surgeon U. S. A., Department of Tennessee, returned from the war he found a child afflicted with epilepsy. Leading physicians were consulted, without apparent benefit. Noted specialists could give but little if any relief. To rescue his child from a fate worse than death became the object of his life. For several years experiment followed experiment, until at last success crowned his efforts. In 1880 old age and infirmities induced him to impart the knowledge of how to manufacture it, under the agreement that a bottle should be sent free of all charges to any one applying for it, who was afflicted with epilepsy. Since then over 20,000 free bottles have been sent to the afflicted. Experience has proved that it cures Insomnia, St. Vitus' Dance, and all forms of Nervous Affliction. If you want to try this wonderful remedy free of all charge, write, stating your disease as plainly as possible; give your age and post office. Address The Hall Chemical Co., West Philadelphia, Pa.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 8th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of Ezra F. Blood, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Charles H. Blood and L. C. Blood, executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to close said estate and to render their final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed to such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss
In the matter of the estate of Anzolette Ogden, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barrige, in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 1895, and on the 28th day of September, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.
And that six months from the 6th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, April 5, 1895.
HENRY C. CONKLING,
HORACE WELLER,
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This sale will open Saturday, April 27, at 9 a. m., and continue from day to day until the entire stock is turned into cash.

CONDITIONS GOVERNING THIS SALE.

Our word is as good as our bank note. We meet you upon honor. Anyone making a purchase at this sale, no matter how large or how small that purchase may be, and finding it not just as represented, can have their money cheerfully refunded by returning the goods at once. The company has engaged 75 experienced sales people that you may get good and prompt attention, and be kindly and courteously treated whether you buy or not.

The well-known Chicago Clothing Co., located for the past two years at No. 4 Monroe avenue, Detroit, wholesale and retail dealers in clothing, hats, furnishing goods and ladies' cloaks and jackets, has been forced to close its doors on account of the pressure brought to bear against them by some of their creditors. By an agreement with the creditors and also the consent of the court, the Union Clothing Company has taken possession of this stock, which consists in all of about $185,000 worth of merchandise, and in order that the stock may be turned into cash at once, and the affairs of the defunct firm settled up, this elegant and immense stock is now thrown on the market at retail for any price it will bring. To turn this stock into cash quickly means a great saving in expenses to the creditors, therefore cost or value will not be considered in the disposing of these goods. We candidly state without fear of successful contradiction that such prices and such value has never been the good fortune of the people of Detroit and vicinity to see previous to this most unexpected failure of the Chicago Clothing Company. The Union Company has taken this stock to close out. We want you to believe in us. We will do all in our power to merit your implicit confidence, and all we ask you to do is to visit this sale, examine the goods, compare the prices, and satisfy yourself that this sale is just as advertised before you make your purchase. Remember, the greater part of this stock consists of new spring clothing just received by the Chicago Clothing Co., shortly before the creditors swooped down upon them and closed their doors.

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Your choice of 1,200 men's good business suits for $2.15, good value at $5.00.

Your choice of $25 men's black cheviots and new shades of nut brown, unfinished worsteds, new spring goods, at $4.25, worth $12.00.

An elegant line of men's suits in light gray and brown shades in worsted, serges and cheviots, elegant made and trimmed goods, you could not equal elsewhere for less than $15.00, now offered for $6.75.

A most exquisite line of men's imported clay worsted suits in cutaways, Prince Alberts and sack styles, made and trimmed equal to any $30.00 merchant tailor suits, now going for $10.85.

A big line of splendid all wool dark gray and light shades spring overcoats, really worth $12.00, now going for $4.95.

Men's durable pants 48c, forth $1.25.

A big line of men's nice business pants in cheviot and black worsted, at 85c, cheap at $2.50.

Your choice of hundreds of men's elegant dress trousers in fancy worsted, and neat patterns in light and dark cheviots at $2.65, equal to any $7.00 tailor-made pants.

Your choice of hundreds of children's strong suits at 68c, worth $2.50.

A big assortment of children's blue, gray and black cheviot suits at $1.85, cheap at $3.50.

A handsome line of children's extra fine suits in double and single breasted, nice cassimeres and worsteds, at $2.35, worth $6.00.

1,200 children's knee pants 15c, worth 25c.

A big line of children's all wool knee pants 39c, worth $1.00.

Boys' long pant suits, age 13 to 19, in double and single breasted cassimeres and cheviots, at $2.87, cheap at $6.00.

A large line of men's mackintosh cape coats, warranted waterproof, at $3.95, worth $9.00. Children's shirt waists 15c, worth 35c.

1,000 men's and boys' sweaters at 23c, worth 50c.

Here is a sample of the way men's and boys' furnishing goods and hats and caps are being sacrificed:

Men's unlaundered white shirts 24c, worth 50c.

Your choice of over 2,000 highest grade spring neckwear, tecks, four-in-hand and flowing ends at 15c and 25c, worth from 35c to $1.

Men's seamless socks 4c pair, 7 pairs for 25c.

Men's and boys' spring underwear 19c, worth 50c.

Men's fine Balbrigan merino underwear 39c, worth $1.00.

Men's silk web suspenders 12c, worth 25c; boys', 5c pair.

Men's fine half hose in brown and black, 13c, worth 25c.

Men's linen collars 6c, cuffs 9c, celluloid collars 8c.

Men's working shirts 16c, worth 40c.

Men's percale shirts, spring styles, 45c, worth $1.00.

2,000 fine linen handkerchiefs, plain and embroidered, going at 5c, worth 20c.

A large line of traveling bags and satchels will be sold at 25c on the dollar.

Men's and boys' blue cloth yacht caps 15c, worth 50c.

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A big line of new fedoras and stiff hats going at 49c, worth $1.50.

Men's fine fur, stiff hats and felt fedoras in Knox, Dunlap and Youman block, regular price $3.00, now $1.25.

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We have also about 1,500 ladies' cloaks, capes and jackets in spring styles, which will be slaughtered at about 20c on the dollar of their first cost.

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DOMESTIC.

ROBERT CENTER, wealthy, and one of the best-known sportsmen in America, was knocked off his bicycle and crushed to death under the wheels of a coal wagon in New York.

AT Morgan City, La., Adolph Schenerick shot and killed Mattie Francisco and then killed himself. He leaves a wife and four children.

ALEXANDER TURK, 23 years of age, shot and killed his sweetheart, Miss Julia Fallon, at Cleveland, O., and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

LESS than 3 inches of rain have fallen in Texas since January 1 and deplorable accounts of the condition of crops were received from all parts of the state.

THE Association of Iron and Steel Sheet Manufacturers met at Pittsburgh and advanced prices of their product two dollars a ton.

JOSEPH B. GREENHUT was retired from the presidency of the whisky trust at its annual meeting in Peoria, Ill.

THE annual convention of the Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of the West met at Fort Wayne, Ind.

A BLIZZARD near Charleston, S. C., did damage to truck farm interests to the extent of $100,000.

DR. JOHN P. TALL, of Tampa, Fla., a physician of national reputation, while reading a paper before the Florida State Medical association at Gainesville suddenly gasped and fell dead.

ROBBERS secured only $23 from the home of Mrs. Hanlihan, aged 85, near Corry, Pa., after burning her fatally with a lamp.

THE entire plant used in manufacturing the counterfeit two-cent stamps which were discovered in circulation was found in Chicago.

SEVILL, SCHOFIELD & Co., proprietors of the Economy woolen mills at Manayunk, Pa., failed for $350,000.

A. SCHLEITER, owner of a large general merchandise store at Ida Grove, Ia., shot and killed his wife and then killed himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

A. T. WILLIAMS, the defaulting treasurer of Bayfield county, Wis., was arrested in Duluth, Minn.

THE remains of James W. Scott, late proprietor of the Chicago Times-Herald, were buried in Graceland cemetery.

THE North Dakota Milling association of Grand Forks, owning and operating twelve flouring mills in North Dakota and northern Minnesota, made an assignment with liabilities of $400,000 and assets of $700,000.

THE Universal Peace union in session at Philadelphia adopted resolutions that the 18th day of April be regarded as an annual Peace day for Americans.

THE price of flour was advanced twenty cents a barrel all over the country.

BY the failure of the Eureka Land company at Selma, Ind., many farmers will lose everything they have.

THE National Manufacturing and Jewelry Importing company of Chicago failed for $100,000.

THE government mint at Carson City, Nev., has been abandoned.

THE American Mutual Fire Insurance association of Denver made an assignment with risks outstanding amounting to $216,000 and assets of $2,999.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 19th aggregated $918,276,551, against $953,741,379 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 1.3.

WILLIAM CRAMER, about 30 years of age, shot and fatally wounded his divorced wife at Decatur, Ill., and then killed himself.

THROUGH undervaluation of imported goods at the port of New York it was said the government would lose over $100,000.

SIR BELIVERE, the champion St. Bernard and one of the most famous dogs in the world, owned by Capt. S. A. Pratt, and valued at $20,000, died at Little Rock, Ark.

SIXTY business houses at Ardmore, I. T., were destroyed by fire, the total loss being $600,000.

THERE were 241 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 19th, against 207 the week previous and 219 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A CYCLONE swept away twenty houses at Matties Landing, Ala., and killed three persons.

FIRE in the building in Philadelphia occupied by the New York Biscuit company caused a loss of $300,000.

BALDWIN BROS. & Co., brokers at Boston, with branch offices in over fifty New England cities and in New York, suspended with liabilities of over $500,000.

PATRIOTS' day, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington, was generally observed throughout New England.

THORNTON PARKER (colored) was hanged at Westchester, Va., for assault on Mrs. Melton, and Frank Fuller (also colored) was hanged at New Orleans, La., for murdering Henrietta Gardner.

FIVE HUNDRED garment workers went on a strike at St. Louis against the sweating system.

JOHN B. THOMAS, late editor of the Mount Vernon (Ind.) Republican and a cripple, left Evansville to go round the world in a wheel chair in two years without a cent of money except what he earns on his way.

HARRY BLAKE, Patrick Harvey and William Hardpke were killed and John Conly and J. J. Hand were fatally injured by the collapse of hoisting machinery in the Chicago Ship Building company's yards at South Chicago.

If England were to attempt to absorb the whole of Venezuela, in other words, to destroy its government, it would be the duty of the United States to interfere. To refuse to do so would be to abandon the Monroe doctrine.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning April 28. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Mystery of Evil.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job vi. 1-4; vii. 1-11.

Loss of flocks and herds had fallen to Job without warning. Oxen and asses were captured by Sabeans, the camels driven off by the Chaldeans and the sheep consumed by lightning. In each case the servants in charge had lost their lives. Seven thousand sheep, 3,000 camels, 500 yoke of oxen, 500 she asses and a very great household had been possessed by this man of princely power. He was not only the greatest among the "sons of the east," but was a man of unblemished private character and untarnished reputation in business and governmental affairs.

To add to his calamities, his seven sons and three daughters, while at a feast in the elder brother's house, were buried in the ruins of the edifice and killed. A windstorm from the desert had struck and demolished it, giving no time for the inmates to escape.

Besides this sudden plunge from great wealth to poverty, from the position of father of a large family to childlessness, a loathsome disease afflicted him and ceaseless and excruciating pain racked the body while the mind was intensely strained by financial embarrassments.

But pain of body and anxiety of mind were less grievous than the anguish of soul he was called upon to endure. Suddenly cut off as his children had been his anxiety was great for their spiritual well being. He had done all a father could do in the line of religious duties by offering sacrifices and purifying them individually each morning.

In conscious rightness of intention toward God and man Job had seen these calamities fall upon him and yet had not uttered a murmur or complaint.

Why all these afflictions should come upon him was a mystery he had scarcely tried to fathom as he sat stunned and dumb with grief.

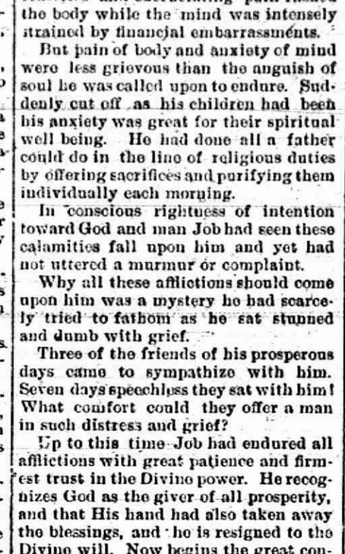
Three of the friends of his prosperous days came to sympathize with him. Seven days speechless they sat with him! What comfort could they offer a man in such distress and grief?

Up to this time Job had endured all afflictions with great patience and firmest trust in the Divine power. He recognizes God as the giver of all prosperity, and that His hand had also taken away the blessings, and he is resigned to the Divine will. Now begins the great conflict of soul, in which he is tempted to doubt the goodness and justice of God.

His first utterance is a groan. He wishes he had never been born. In all his days of prosperity he had continually feared that losses of property and death of children might come, and now, at one stroke, the worst possible disasters had fallen and wrecked all. Why should life be prolonged? Death would be more welcome to him than the discovery of hidden treasures to one who was eagerly searching for them.

Chattanooga Convention.

The second international conference of the Epworth League is to be held in Chattanooga June 27, 28, 29, 30, 1895. The general secretaries, Rev. S. A. Steel, D. D., Nashville; Rev. E. A. Schell, D. D., Chicago, and Rev. W. H. Withrow, D. D., Toronto, have charge of the programme and general oversight of all arrangements. A very efficient local committee are energetically planning for the accommodation and entertainment of the League hosts sure to rally at this great gathering.



HEADQUARTERS OF THE CHATTANOOGA COMMITTEE.

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All who attend the conference will have opportunity to visit these places of deep historic interest and also to enjoy the magnificent scenery of this region.

We are not to stand in the world to testify to Christ, but to stand in Christ to testify to the world.—A. J. Gordon.

Lord, pardon what I have been;
Sanctify what I am;
Order what I shall be;
That Thine may be the glory,
And mine the eternal salvation,
For Christ's sake.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Totten, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 5th day of October, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of April A. D. 1895, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 19, 1895.

HORATIO KEYSER
GEORGE HOWELL,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilsbeam, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at James W. Wightman's office, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1895 and on the 5th day of October, 1895 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 5th day of April, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 12, 1895.

J. F. GILMORE.
JAMES H. HEUK.
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles Burridge praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Petitioner, the executor nominated in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of May, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of George C. Pocklington, Plaintiff, against the goods, chattels and real estate of George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, Defendants, in said County, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George W. Graves and G. A. Wilkins, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The south-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of section twenty-eight (28), and the south one half of the north-west one quarter of the north-west one quarter of said section twenty-eight (28), in Town five (5), south of Range five (5), east, containing sixty (60) acres of land, more or less. All of which I shall expose for sale, at auction or public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, on the 16th, day of May, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 19th, 1895.

E. G. WILSON, Sheriff.
by R. W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect Nov. 18, 1894.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 319. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 40 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 37 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 30 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 15 "	6 25 "	
Toledo	9 00 "	4 30 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 00 P.M.	
Toledo	10 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	10 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	11 27 "	9 23 "	7 50 "
Clinton	11 36 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	11 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
Norvell	12 10 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	12 18 "	10 15 "	9,44 "
Jackson.....Ar	12 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT January 6, 1895.

EAST.		Central time.		WEST.	
No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	STATIONS.		No. 22 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		A. M.		P. M.	
		11 15	L....Allegan.....A	1 40	
		11 38	Monteith	1 14	
	A. M.	12 15	Yorkville	12 34	A. M.
A. M.	7 00	12 49	Battle Creek	12 00	1 20
8 20	7 45	1 14	Marshall	11 38	12 52
9 05	8 25	1 40	Homer	11 06	11 45
9 55	9 11	2 09	Hanover	10 38	11 08
11 20	10 05	2 45	Addison	10 05	10 15
12 24	10 14	2 52	Devils Lake	9 58	9-54
12 59	10 29	3 04	Onsted	9 40	9 36
..	10 33	3 12	Sand Lake	9 32	*9 26
1 20	10 48	3 26	Tipton	9 25	9 14
1 51	11 06	3 34	Tecumseh	9 10	8 51
2 11	11 17	3 48	Ridgeway	9 00	8 37
2 20	11 23	3 48	Britton	8 56	8 30
8 19	11 39	4 01	Rea	8 43	*8 10
3 35	11 50	4 10	Dundee	8 33	7 57
6 20	1 00	5 00	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	6 00
P.M.	P. M.	P. M		A. M.	P. M.

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TIME TABLE

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ADRIAN, AS FOLLOWS.

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:28 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:07 p m
No 59—St. Louis Express	8:28 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	8:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

† Daily except Monday. ‡Except Sunday.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., Council Room, April 15, 1895.

Regular session. Present the entire council excepting trustees Hall and Heesen. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Committee appointed at last meeting to prepare resolution setting forth necessity for building a passenger depot at Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway station, submitted the following:

Whereas some three years ago the passenger station of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company, at Tecumseh, Michigan, was totally destroyed by fire, and, whereas the said Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company has not rebuilt or constructed a suitable and convenient passenger station, within the said village of Tecumseh, to replace the one destroyed by fire, as aforesaid, but on the contrary, have used and utilized, since destruction of said passenger station, the offices of the freight warehouse as freight, telegraph and ticket offices, said office not being intended to be used or devoted to such purposes and is entirely inconvenient, inadequate and unsuitable therefor, the space therein alloted to the traveling public as a waiting room being about fifteen feet in length and eight feet in width and being too small to afford suitable space for transacting freight, telegraph and the sale of tickets and the accommodation of passengers; said apology for a passenger station being without suitable conveniences and necessaries for comfort of the traveling public and is dangerous and difficult of access and egress; and, whereas, the citizens of the village of Tecumseh and the traveling public having occasion to and being under the necessity of transacting business thereat are placed in imminent peril of loss of life or limb by reason of having to cross the main track, where all trains of said Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway pass at a high rate of speed, and also cross two side tracks to reach said apology for a passenger station, to obtain tickets etc., and then recross said dangerous tracks to reach the platform to board said trains, said platform being on the said farthest side from said freight warehouse, where tickets are sold.

That at the time of arrival of two of the passenger trains passing South through said village of Tecumseh, there are usually freight trains standing or switching freight cars on said main and two side tracks, and all persons desiring to become passengers on said trains or transact such business as they may have at said freight warehouse, are compelled and obliged to pass around and between said cars, at their peril of life and limb; and by reason thereof there have been several narrow escapes from death or serious bodily injury.

And, whereas, by reason of lack of suitable passenger station, waiting, baggage rooms etc., the traveling public are compelled to stand about the streets and business places in said village while awaiting the arrival of passenger trains that commercial travelers and the traveling public are put to great trouble and inconvenience by reason of lack of suitable and safe accomodations at said freight warehouse for the safe storing and keeping of baggage etc., that commercial travelers are compelled to store their sample cases about the said village and in the places of business over night and when desiring to take the early train of the said Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway, both travelers and the business men of said village are put to great trouble and inconvenience.

And, whereas, the Common Council of the said village of Tecumseh, Michigan believing, considering the amount and importance of the passenger and freight traffic of said village over the lines of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway, that the citizens thereof and the traveling public are entitled to demand due recognition and consideration from the officials of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company.

Therefor, be it resolved by the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, Michigan. That the attention of the officials of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company be respectfully called to the necessity of erecting a suitable and convenient passenger station at the said Village of Tecumseh, and that said officials be and hereby are requested to take such immediate action toward erecting such a passenger station, and thereby remove the inconvenience and dangers the traveling public and citizens of Tecumseh are subjected to, as to them shall seem necessary and proper.

Be it further resolved. That this resolution be spread at length on the official records of the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh, and that copies thereof be forwarded to the officials of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company.

On motion, duly supported, above resolution was adopted.

The chairman of the street committee recommended that I. B. Thomsson be engaged as teamster, for ensuing year, at $60 per month; recommendation deferred until next meeting.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of David VanTyne, asking permission to erect a building in rear of store building, on Chicago street, to be 12 ft. by 16ft. and 12ft. high, to be used for baking, roof to be covered with iron; granted, if same is covered entirely with metal sheathing.

Petition of Trustees of Raisin Valley Seminary, asking permission to erect two story storehouse in rear of store occupied by Satterthwaite Bros., same to be entirely covered with iron. Granted.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the Clerk and referred to the Finance Committee: D. L. Whitnack & Co., oil, $5.06; C. F. Field printing, $14; J. M. Ingersoll, 25c; J. H. Smith, expenses paid on trip investigating electric lighting systems, $12.25; E. N. Satterthwaite, same, $10.25; H. W. Stevens, Marshall, $5; Labor, Wm. Mellon $13.75; T. S. Langridge, $4.25; J. McWilliams, $4; Chas. Dixon, $3.62; A. Hyde, street commissioner, $17; Water Works; Telephone Co., telephone rental, $7.50. Finance Committee reporting favorably on all of above, Clerk was instructed to draw his orders for same.

The following bonds were presented; W. J. Ingersoll, Village Clerk $500, sureties, Alva Spayde and C. A. Slayton, on motion, supported, above bond with sureties named was approved and ordered filed.

The following saloon bonds, in the sum of $3,500, with sureties named, were presented for approval.

W. J. Arnold, sureties, I. P. Keyser and Geo. Merritt. Approved. Frank Wallenger, sureties, W. J. Arnold and Jacob Cheever. Approved. Jacob Cheever, sureties, I. P. Keyser and Eugene Service. Approved. Kennedy and Kolkhosch, sureties, Geo. Teachout and B. F. Reynolds, Approved. Eugene Service, sureties, Jacob Cheever and A. J. Osborn. Approved.

Druggists' bonds Orr & Temple, sureties, S. P. Hosmer and J. A. Boyd Approved. C. A. Wright, sureties, Eugene Service and Francisco Davidson. Approved.

Petitions for doing village printing for ensuing year were received from S. C. Shaw and C. I. Field, of $60.00 each; laid on table until next meeting.

President named C. A. Wright as purchasing agent for ensuing year; on motion supported, same was confirmed.

President Smith, as chairman of committee appointed to investigate electric lighting systems of neighboring towns, reported that committee had visited Monroe where the Stanley system is used, 242 arc lamps being used, lighted every and all night during year for $58.50 per lamp; company also lights council rooms and fire engine houses. At Toledo they interviewed Mr. Germain and much valuable information was secured. At Owosso the plant is owned by the town, 50 arc lamps are used on streets. The town has a bonded indebtedness on water works of $50,000 and electric $15,000; last year proceeds paid for operating expenses, interest on bonds and at close of year left balance of $500 on hand.

Moved and supported that President correspond with a committee of electric engineers and have him visit Tecumseh to investigate electric lighting system and give such information as council may desire. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
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	Wholesale	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	16	18
Eggs, per doz	10	12
Lard, per lb	12	12
Onions, per bushel		75
Potatoes, per bushel		2 00
Beans, per bushel		1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 15
Cheese, per lb		
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked Shoulders		7
Beef, by the side	4 50	
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 50	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs		6 50 15
Veal, dressed, per lb		
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12
Chickens, live, per lb		6
Hides, green		2½ 3½
Sheep Pelts		75
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		1 02
Red		70 to 70
Corn, shelled		27 to 31
Oats		1 25
No. 1 Clover seed		4 00
Timothy Seed	1 60 to	1 60
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		90
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 10 to	1 25

THE MARKETS

	New York, April 16	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$4 00 @	4 75
Sheep	2 75 @	4 15
Hogs	5 00 @	5 15
FLOUR—Minnesota Bakers	3 10 @	3 15
City Mill Patents	4 00 @	4 15
WHEAT—No 2 Red	65¼ @	66
No 1 Hard	73¾ @	73¾
CORN—No 2	53¾ @	53¾
May	52½ @	53¾
OATS—No 2	37½ @	38
Track White Western	38 @	41
May	55 @	56
RYE	55 @	55
PORK—Mess, New	13 50 @	14 00
LARD—Western	7 20 @	7 25
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	12 @	20
Western Dairy	8 @	13¾
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$4 10 @	6 15
Stockers and Feeders	2 80 @	4 55
Butchers' Steers	3 90 @	4 60
Cows	1 75 @	3 90
Texas Steers	2 90 @	3 80
HOGS	4 50 @	5 10
SHEEP	2 00 @	4 80
BUTTER—Creamery	10 @	20
Dairy	7 @	15
Packing Stock	5 @	7
EGGS—Fresh	11½ @	12¾
BROOM CORN (per ton)	(0 00 @	120 00)
POTATOES (per bu)	58 @	65
PORK—Mess	12 27½ @	12 52½
LARD—Steam	6 90 @	6 95
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 00 @	3 80
Spring Straights	2 10 @	2 75
Winter Patents	2 50 @	2 65
Winter Straights	2 35 @	2 50
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	59¾ @	61
Corn, No 2	47¾ @	47¾
Oats, No 2	28¾ @	29¾
Rye	63½ @	64
Barley	52½ @	53¾
MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	62 @	62¾
Corn, No 3	47¾ @	48
Oats, No 2 White	32¾ @	32½
Rye, No 1	63 @	63½
Barley, No 2	52 @	52¾
PORK—Mess	12 25 @	12 30
LARD—Steam	6 87½ @	6 92½
KANSAS CITY		
CATTLE—Texas steers	$2 80 @	5 00
Stockers and Feeders	2 25 @	4 50
HOGS	4 45 @	4 90
SHEEP	3 35 @	4 50
OMAHA		
CATTLE—Steers	$4 35 @	5 80
Stockers and Feeders	2 25 @	4 00
HOGS—Light and Mixt	4 80 @	4 85
Heavy	4 70 @	4 75
SHEEP	2 50 @	4 80

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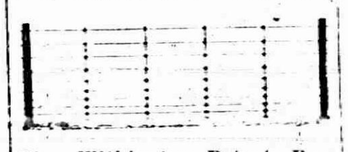

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The Ladies' Library Association seem to be prospering. At all events they have just placed on their shelves about ninety volumes of new books. The good work this association is doing with the limited means at their command is surprising. Below is a list of their new books:

1279	European Artists,	Sara K Bolton
1281	History of Spain,	J A Harrison
1281	Oahspe,	"
1283-4	Marcella,	Mrs H Ward
1285	Cynthia Wakeham's Money,	A K Green
1286	Marked Personal,	"
1287-8	The Bride of the Nile,	Geo Ebers
1289-90	Katherine Lauderdale,	Marion Crawford
1291	Foes in Ambush	Capt King
1292	Colonel's Xmas Dinner,	"
1293	Found Wanting,	Mrs Alexander
1294	A Yellow Aster,	Iota
1295	Larry,	A M Douglas
1296	The Lone House,	A E Barr
1297	The Heavenly Twins,	Sarah Grand
1298	The Last Sentence	Maxwell Gray
1299	Pira, the Egyptian,	Arnold
1300	Beautiful Joe	"
1301	Agnes of Sorrento,	H B Stow
1302-3	The Prince of India,	Lew Wallace
1304	Poems,	Rossetti
1305	The Story of David Grieve,	Ward
1306	Anglomaniacs,	Burton Harrison
1307	To Let,	B M Croker
1308	Don Orsini,	Marion Crawford
1309	Marion Daleche,	"
1310	Dr. Latimer,	C L Burnham
1311	Not All in Vain,	Ada Cambridge
1312	A Lesson in Love,	E C Kirke
1313-14	Ursula, 2 Vol	Miss Sewell
1315	Beads of Tasmer,	A E Barr
13-6	Jeanie's Quiet Life,	Eliza Tabor
1317	The Gentle Bread Winners,	Catharine Owen
1318	[illegible]	[illegible]
1319	But Men Must Work,	R N Carey
1320	Christie Johnstone,	Chas Reade
1321	A Marriage Ceremony,	Ada Cambridge
1322	A Daughter of To-day,	L M Duncan
1323	A Russian Country House,	L Dettler
1324	The Preacher's Daughter,	A E Barr
1325-6	Cleopatra, 2 Vol	Geo Ebers
1327	Buttons,	J S Winters
1328	Eden,	Ed Saltus
1329	Countess Erika's Apprenticeship,	Schubin
1330	Taken by Seige,	Eliza Tabor
1331	An Utter Failure,	Harris
1332	Old Greek Life,	Mahaffy
1333	Roman Antiquities,	Wilkins
1334	" Constitutions,	Tighe
1335	History of Rome,	Creighton
1336	" " Egypt,	Wendal
1337	" " Greece,	Tyffe
1338	" " Europe,	Freeman
1339	Manual of Ancient History,	Thalheimer
1340	History of Greece,	Smith
1341	" France,	Victor Duruy
1342	Stories from Homer,	A J Church
1343	" " Greek Tragedians,	" "
1344	The Greeks and the Persians,	G W Cox
1345	The Athenian Empire,	"
1346	Spartan and Theban Supremacies	Sankey
1347	Rise of Macedonian Empire,	A M Cortelis
1348	Age of the Antonines,	H W Capes
1349	Trilby,	Du Maurier
1350	A Tramp Abroad,	Mark Twain
1351	History of Art,	Goodyear
1352	" " Sculpture,	Redford
1353	Lyndell Sherburne,	A M Douglas
1354	A Study in Scarlet,	Conan Doyle
1355	Well Won,	Mrs. Alexander
1356	Aunt Anne,	W K Clifford
1357	His Vanished Star,	C E Craddock
1358	In the Strange People's Country,	" "
1359	A Golden Gossip	A D T Whitney
1360	Doreen,	Edna Lyall
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1362-3	A Thorny Path, 2 Vol	Geo Ebers
1364	The Constable's Tower,	Yonge
1365	Recollections of a Virginian	D H Maury
1366	Red Diamonds,	Justin McCarthy
1367	A Superfluous Woman,	Sarah Grand
1368	In the King's Country,	A M Douglas
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1370	Mr. Wyat's Wife's Sister,	Harland
1371	The Chronicles of the Sid,	Adela Orpen

FAYETTE NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

A School of Growing Reputation and Usefulness.

Last week we visited Fayette, Ohio, with our "Snap Shot" lectures and passed three days very pleasantly in that Buckeye town. It is a beautiful little village about the size of Clinton, the business blocks are almost entirely built of brick, the streets are well kept and the residences neat, with tidy yards and lawns. Fayette has gained the reputation of being quite an educational center, a reputation which is extending every year. We had the pleasure of visiting the Normal University during our stay there, and were somewhat surprised at the extent of its educational facilities. A few items about the institution may be interesting to our readers.

The school was founded by a special act of the Ohio legislature in 1888. It started on a small scale, but has been gradually improving in equipments and facilities and gradually extending its influence since that time. Its teachers are selected from the leading colleges and institutions of learning and are leaders in their work. Its special aims are these: To prepare teachers for their work in graded and district schools; to bestow a sound academic education, to offer special courses in literary, musical and educational lines, and to afford a thorough business training. There are now fourteen regular teachers and twelve departments. The institution has two large three-story brick buildings, with a boarding hall. The Normal school has a large chapel, a library and reading room supplied with many dailies, weeklies and magazines, well equipped physical and chemical laboratories, and plenty of apparatus for illustrating physiology, geography and astronomy.

The Normal is located in the eastern part of town and the Business College in the western part. Both are under one management, however, Prof. J. E. Dodds being superintendent. The school gathers a large number of outside people every year, and this is a valuable help to the town, in a financial point of view. Fayette has every reason to be proud of her Normal University.

Every woman should learn about Zoa Phora.

THE BICYCLE INDUSTRY.

Why Should'nt Tecumseh Start That Bicycle Factory?

A late copy of the Grand Rapids Herald contains some additional information in regard to the past growth and future prospects of the bicycle industry. In an interview with M. Navarro, a resident of the Argentine Republic, he says:

"The manufacturers of this country do not understand their own interests in regard to our country. The American manufacturers are being buncoed, as the German, English and French imitate American goods and sell them to the Argentines as American goods, for the Argentines believe, and rightly so, that this country produces the best of everything. The manufacturers do not realize the great wealth of our republic and its rapid development. For instance, the city of Rozario ten years ago had 25,000 inhabitants, now it has half a million. Buenos Ayres has 800,000 inhabitants. There are 1,000 cities on the lines of the railroads which form a network over the entire country, the greatest railroad being the Andes, 2,000 miles in length.

GOLD FOR BICYCLES.

"No furnishing goods to speak of direct from North America are seen in our country, and I believe in all the country there are but two houses furnished with American carpets, and these are hotels in Montevideo, and, by the way, it was a Grand Rapids house that furnished them. Bicycles are a craze there, and our house in Buenos Ayres could sell 1,000 a month if we could get them at a reasonable price. We will pay $40 in gold for good bicycles delivered on board steamer in New York. We receive many million dollars worth of furniture from England, France and Germany and but little from this country, and that only of the cheapest grades."

The Grand Rapids Cycle Company's factory has been running from twelve to fourteen hours a day in a vain endeavor to keep up with orders. Since last season the factory capacity has been doubled. The output is now about 350 wheels a week. Among recent orders received is one for six wheels to be shipped to Chili.

Concerning bicycle costumes for women it "goes without saying" that the bloomer has a firm hold upon the affections of the fair sex.

A great many ladies have already shown the courage of their convictions and donned the only real sensible costume that has yet been suggested for their use. "As far as the question of modesty is concerned," said a prominent lady bicyclist, "objection exists only in the mind of the beholder or in the con- [illegible] whether it be bloomers or long skirts. It is my belief that a woman has a greater opportunity for immodest behavior when dressed in long skirts than if she were clothed in the more sensible bloomers. There is no doubt that there are hundreds of women bicycle riders in this city who would be glad to adopt the modern dress if they can feel assured that the custom has become so general that they will not be conspicuous. Within a few days a meeting of all the lady cyclists in the city will be called with a view of adopting, by concerted action, a rational bicycle costume, presumably bloomers. Samples of all articles of apparel that go to make up a complete cyclist's outfit, including underwear, will be provided for inspection.

It is believed that the time will soon prevail, as is already in Boston and other Eastern cities, when a lady who rides a wheel in skirts will be much more conspicuous than she who considers her own comfort and grace superior to the old ideas. Until the present year there have been bold suggestions that, if a lady wears bloomers, there could be no objection to her riding a gentleman's make of wheel. This proposal was made because none of the ladies' wheels were made so light as the diamond frame variety used by the gentlemen. This objection has been overcome, however, in the 1895 models. Ladies' wheels are now constructed to weigh no more than those used by gentlemen. There is little or no likelihood that the ladies will ever ride any other machine than those built especially for their use. Among the new cycling enthusiasts are counted quite a large number of public school teachers, and a permanent organization would be nothing surprising in that direction.

Why Shouldn't You Become Famous?

The average American reads of the inventions and achievements of Franklin, Fulton, Morse, Edison, and Westinghouse, with a thrill of patriotic feeling. And yet, it is simple, trivial inventions, after all, out of which the greatest fortunes may be made in modern times, and which perhaps, may accomplish the greatest good to the greatest number. If you want to test the value of your ideas as an inventor, write to the Press Claims Company, Philip W. Avirett, Managing Attorney, Lock Drawer 588, Washington D. C., and mention this paper. They will send you a clever little booklet on patents and patent law, and if you apply for an invention through the medium of this agency, you may receive their monthly award of merit of one hundred dollars, which goes to the inventor who applies for a patent on the most meritorious invention through the medium of this great combination of two thousand or more American Newspapers. The Press Claims Company also prosecutes pension cases, land and other claims against the General Government, and its fees are as moderate as is consistent with intelligent service.

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Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account 20th Triennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the direct and only double track line from the west to Boston.

DECORATION DAY.

A Meeting To Make Arrangements for Its Proper Observance.

Last Wednesday evening a public meeting was held at the armory to make the necessary arrangements for the proper celebration of Memorial Day. Hon. J. D. Shull was chosen Chairman and A. W. Slayton, Secretary. The following officers and committees were chosen. President of the Day, Lester P. Tribou. Marshal, B. J. Garlinghouse. Capt. Hayden tendered the use of the armory as a room in which to prepare the floral tributes and in case of stormy weather, the exercises will be held there. A full program will appear next week.

To Solicit funds—J. H. Smith, C. F. Patterson.

On Floral Decorations—Pres. of W. R. C., Mrs. Wm. Spalding, Mrs. Wm. Haire, Mrs. Thomas Hanley, Mrs. Wm. Smith and Mrs. Frank Avery. Citizens' committee on the same—Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Mrs. J. Hicks, Mrs. H. S. Lee, Mrs. E. B. Wood and Mrs. Jehiel Davidson.

On Decoration of Soldiers' Monument—Chas. E. Berry, Levi B. Thompson, Wm. Smalledge, of Beers Post and Wm. Spalding and Will Wescott, citizens.

On Floral Car—Jehiel Davidson, Jas. Ingersoll, of Beers Post, C. E. Williamson, Bert Day, citizens.

On transportation—Thos. Hanley, A. VanValkenburg and Bert Garlinghouse.

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On Music—Capt. W. H. Hayden, on Instrumental, Geo. H. Tansley, vocal.

On Placing Flags on Soldiers' Graves—Wm. C. Jordan and H. W. Stevens.

On Program and Order of Exercises—Com'dr of Beers Post H. W. Stevens, and Prof. L. M. Kellogg.

AN OGDEN GUSHER.

Gas Well that Produces a Twenty-Foot Flame.

A big pocket of gas was developed last Friday on the farm of Jas. Bolton, in Ogden, at the bottom of a 100 foot hole, says the Blissfield Advance. The gas escapes with a roar that can be heard for quite a distance and is said to be the biggest gas well yet uncorked in this locality, where nearly all deep wells develop more or less gas. When lighted a flame shoots up twenty feet high. The well is perfectly dry. So far there has been no diminishing of the [illegible] and while it cannot be said that the regular gas rock has been struck, it certainly is coming from a source where the supply is stored in large quantities. How long it will hold out cannot, of course, be determined, but the opinion seems to be that it is only a temporary flow that will soon settle down to a level found in other wells in that section. The matter, however, has caused quite a revival of "gas talk," and a firmer belief than ever that gas and oil can be found in Riga and Ogden if people will only "go after it." It may be but a short time before the Ohio oil people will take hold of the matter and thoroughly develop the field.—Evening Telegram.

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. May.

The Star Spangled Banner's Author.

Many interesting things about Francis Scott Key—the author of the Star Spangled Banner—are contained in a pamphlet, which may be obtained free, from the Key Monument Association of Frederick City, Maryland, by sending one 2 cent stamp for postage. This Association is raising funds for a suitable monument to the poet, and they suggest that in the schools and every where, upon or before Flag Day (June 14th), this subject be suitably recognized. Contributions, however small, are asked for. Every one who loves the flag ought to have some small share in building this monument. The governor of Maryland has strongly endorsed the movement. The names of all contributors will be preserved in the crypt of the monument, and published (without amount) in the history of the monument when completed.

Speech Restored.

For five years I suffered with pain and discharge of the throat, hacking cough, frontal headache, weak eyes, etc., at times could not talk above a whisper; lost weight continually, and not able to be at work. I was treated by the best physicians in the country, but received no relief. After giving up all hope I was recommended to use a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. After using it for four weeks my speech returned. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared and I feel like a different person.

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Go get the old lawn mower out,
And polish off the rust;
Put oil in all the little holes,
And clean out all the dust.
Do all you can to soften down
That irritating click,
And sharpen up the cutting knives—
You'll need it pretty quick.

The emerald whiskers on your lawn
Will soon be getting long,
The exercise of trimming them
Will make your muscles strong.
So get the old lawn mower out—
But make this little mem.:
Don't ever try to cut your grass
Till after 7 a. m.

—Somerville Journal.

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We know the dog's nose is habitually cold because Noah used it to stop a leak in the ark; but why is the calamitist everlastingly howling?

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"Growler's neighbors all have a kind word to say about him now."

"Great Scott! what has he done?"

"Died yesterday."

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Pertly—"There is one thing I have to say in favor of the wind when it whistles."

Dullhead—"What's that?"

Pertly—"It never whistles popular airs."

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"Yes, his mind is unbalanced." "Did he lose his fortune or part his hair on one side?"

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"Think you'll run for office this year, colonel?" "Sure to." "What's your chances?" "First-class. The price of cotton and the general shrinkage of values have operated to bring votes down to where an honest man kin git at 'em."

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HOW THE RECORD WAS BROKEN.

Here is how the last eight seconds have been clipped off the trotting record since 1880, when Rarus made a mile in 2:11 3-4. In the same year Rarus reduced his record to 11 1-4, while Maud S. cut it down to 10 3-4 and to 10 1-4 in 1881. It was not until 1884 that Jay-Eye-See reduced the record to 10, which was lowered to 9 1-4 the same season by Maud S. and to 9 by the following year by her. In 1891 Sunol cut it down to 8 1-4, and in 1892 Nancy Hanks scored 7 1-4. Last year she reduced the record to 4, and now Alix makes it 3 3-4. It has taken fourteen years to lower the record eight seconds, and it is pretty safe to say that the present century is going to make it two minutes flat.—Boston Herald.

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"Everything is very quiet in our city this week," wrote the editor of the Spiketown Blizzard, in a double-leaded burst of confidence. "Nobody has Sundayed here. Noboly has gone to the county seat to see his best girl. Items are scarcer than ever. Not a shingle has been put on a smokehouse anywhere in town, the sap in the maple trees has not begun to run yet, and for two days there has been nothing in our midst worth mentioning except dried apples. Will some kind friend please bring us a ham on subscription?"

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A recent copy of the Ashley (Ind.) Times has this item:

At a meeting of the citizens of Ashley, in Clark's hall, Monday morning, it was necessary to become responsible for $800 cash to secure the furniture factory. A note for that amount was prepared and every man in the room endorsed the same, thirty-four in number. That is the kind of spirit that will make Ashley a 10,000 instead of a 3,000 town.

And the same spirit manifested in Tecumseh would secure a bicycle factory here within thirty days. Wake up, men and bretheren. Wake up

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It would only be proper for somebody to hail gentle spring—if they can find her—and inform her that she seems to be going crazy. From the raw, ragged, freezing edge of winter in April, we jumped into midsummer, 90 degrees in the shade, the first of May. People stood in danger of being sunstruck before they were rid of their winter cold. People laid off their ulsters, only a few days ago to put on their neglige shirts. Yesterday they dropped the neglige shirts and went back to the ulsters. In fact there seems to be no regularity or stability to spring in this year of '95, and whether we are going to have spring, summer, or winter, or a day about of each, is yet an unsettled question.—Evening Telegram.

World's Columbian Exposition

Was of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others. May.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAY 17, 1895.

Chas. Clark was in Tecumseh Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Rogers was in Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Lizzie Kirk visited in Clinton over Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark went to Blissfield Tuesday.

Geo. Jacobs will raffle off an Empress wheel next week.

Miss Margaret Ebbitt has been seriously ill this week.

L. A. Sutfin and wife have taken rooms at the Edrose.

Mrs. Devine is now working in White's tailor shop.

Attorney Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Solomon Parker took a business trip to Adrian Monday.

Allie Hough, of Manchester, is working on the new block.

E. G. Cook, of Tecumseh, was on our streets the last of last week.

James Hamilton, of Detroit, was in Clinton the first of the week.

Clinton lodge, F. & A. M., No. 175, does work at Tecumseh to-night.

Claude Rogers has returned after a considerable absence in Hudson.

The Episcopal ladies held their supper at Mrs. Whittelsey's last evening.

Willie Demuth doesn't walk any more. He don't have to. He rides a new wheel.

About sixty-five Masons from Tecumseh visited the lodge here last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Purdy, of Tecumseh, was visiting Chas. Lewis' family last week.

No. 7 was the lucky number which drew Geo. Ward's Imperial wheel Monday night.

J. J. White has moved his tailor shop into rooms over Lindsley & Kishpaugh's hardware.

Mrs. Martha Camburn, of Macon, visited her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Niblack, Saturday and Sunday.

Fruit growers in this section are watching the effect of the cold snap with considerable anxiety.

Deputy Collector Nat Schmit, officially supervised the moving of G. D. Ellis' cigar factory Tuesday.

The contemplated game between the town and mill nines was postponed last Saturday on account of the weather.

Van Tyle & Bainbridge have let the contract for their new building to Semark. Work will begin immediately.

A. P. VanDeMark showed his wonted enterprise by exhibiting a line of hard coals during the recent snow storm.

Will Yates, a lumber [illegible] Saginaw, has been [illegible] car loads of lumber [illegible] this week.

Miss [illegible] will move [illegible] store into the building [illegible] by Dr. E. [illegible] repairs can be made.

Mr. Brooks, of [illegible] been visiting his sister, Mrs. Davis, [illegible] called to Rhode Island last [illegible] the death of their father.

Horace Bartlett, who has been ailing for some months, passed away Saturday afternoon at his home in this village. Deceased was [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] Rev. [illegible] officiating.

The Mutual Entertainment Society of West Clinton, closed their winter program with an entertainment at Geo. VanTuyle's. The society has [illegible] picnic at Wampler's Lake on Friday, Aug. 30.

S. W. Dewitt now [illegible] the honor of being the most successful fisherman in Lenawee. He said in bragging this will [illegible] wonderful and exhibits great perfection in the art of angling.

A special school meeting of Dist. No. 2 has been called at the school house for next Monday evening, May 20, at 7:30 p. m. to consider the question of purchasing a more efficient apparatus for heating and ventilation.

There will be no Sunday school held at the Episcopal church next Sabbath. A service will be held at 3:00 o'clock, especially for the children, at which time the rite of baptism will be administered to several candidates.

The Concert at the town hall Saturday evening, given by Mr. C. W. Edwards, Baby Marie Edwards and local talent was a decided success in every way, and speaks most creditably for the management, the ability of Clinton musical talent and the never failing popularity of Baby Marie. The program consisted of eighteen numbers which were all rendered to the highest satisfaction of the audience. The receipts were nearly $80, half of which was divided among the churches.

A recent number of the Detroit Tribune has this item: "Clinton is enjoying a first-class boom, and is one of the most prosperous villages at the present time on the Jackson branch of the Lake Shore road. During the past year building operations have been more active than during the entire previous five years. A woolen mill, the plow works plant, and several new stores have gone up, besides numerous dwelling places. The woolen mill proprietors pay out about $60,000 a year in wages, and is one of the largest institutions of the kind in the west. If the property should be moved away, land here would not be worth fifty cents on the dollar."

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from scrofulous, skin or scalp diseases, ought to be given Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, for purifying the blood. For children who are puny, pale or weak, the "Discovery" is a tonic which builds up both flesh and strength. What is said of it for children applies equally to adults. As an appetizing restorative tonic, it sets at work all the processes of digestion and nutrition, rouses every organ into natural action, and brings back health and strength. In recovering from "grippe," or in convalescence from pneumonia, fevers, and other wasting diseases, it speedily and surely invigorates and builds up the whole system.

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MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Mrs. Douglas Baldwin is afflicted by an attack of rheumatism.

Walter C. Mack, of Ann Arbor, was in town on business, last Friday.

Miss Lillie Wurster, who had the scarlet fever, is much better.

Mesdames F. A. Kotts and H. G. Conklin were Tecumseh visitors, last Friday.

The recent rains will be beneficial to wheat and grass, even though corn planting was delayed.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church met with Mrs. C. E. Lewis, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Hollis and daughter, Mrs. Louis Freeman, of Chelsea, were in town one day this week.

Mrs. Burt Chase came down from Jackson last Saturday to visit friends, and Mr. Chase came on his wheel Sunday morning.

The new cement sidewalks in front of the Union Savings Bank building and John Wuerther's clothing store are an addition to the appearance of Exchange Place.

Rev. Geo. H. Wallace returned to Plymouth last Friday. He was called here to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Theodosia McMahon.

The June meeting of the S. W. Farmer's Club is to be held at the residence of W. H. Henion, on Friday, June 7th. Program as follows:

Selection—Mrs. W. E. Pease.
Essay—Mrs. J. P. Tracy.
Paper—J. G. English.
Question—The conditions surrounding agricultural operations are rapidly changing. What methods shall be adopted that will best meet these changed conditions?

PENTECOST POINTERS.

The Sunday School at Pentecost will give a memorial concert at the hall, June 2.

O, the snow, the beautiful—no, we won't say it, for its no go. Its only a nuisance, you know.

Miss Ella C. Webster, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith German, at this place.

Early sweet corn, potatoes, etc., begin to look pale these cold nights after the recent torrid weather.

The Rev. Eichbaum, of Brooklyn, Jackson county, will preach at Pentecost hall Sunday, May 19, at 3 p. m.

During the heavy thunder storm last week Mrs. Z. Stout received quite a heavy electrical shock, and numerous trees were struck and shivered by lightning in this vicinity.

S. Davy and wife deserve the title of Good Samaritans for the kind and faithful care they are lavishing upon the unfortunate young man who has been staying so long in their home.

W. N. Hyslop spent a short time in this place looking after his farm last Monday. He has recently returned from [illegible] where he has been engaged [illegible] fence. He reports [illegible] as "awful high," which [illegible] corn to those who [illegible] with Will's height.

The remains of Giles Turner, a resident of Franklin, were brought to [illegible] recently. Mr. [illegible] was aged 89 at his death and [illegible] wife, daughters and sons borne [illegible] grave. Only one son, Thomas, [illegible] him, with whom Mr. Turner [illegible] home in his declining years.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Farmers are busy planting corn.

Mrs. Etta Cuer is very sick with typhoid fever.

Some freezing last Saturday night but not enough to do much injury.

Miss Ada Park came from Onsted Saturday night to spend Sunday with her parents.

May Luce is improving quite rapidly and her mother will stay with her until she is well enough to come home.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Archie Taylor went to Albion Friday [illegible] on his bicycle.

Mrs. A. B. and S. N. Wisner drove to Ypsilanti Friday, returning Saturday.

Master Thomas Marshall has established a milk route from his mother's residence to the Tipton cheese factory.

The mercury dropped 42 degrees from Friday morning to Saturday. "Oh! what a fall was that, my countrymen." So at least some people thought.

The prizes given at the Normal News contest, Ypsilanti, were captured by Miss Carrie Barber, of Richland, and Mr. T. J. Tooze, of Ypsilanti.

"Nothing Venture, Nothing Have."

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed." Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mon.

It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it.—R. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn. 1w

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If the greedy beef monopolists insist on raising the prices of meat much higher, the Vegetarian Society will have to engage larger quarters.

Epworth Leaguers!

Send stamp for official book "Historic Chattanooga," containing full particulars International Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Chattanooga next June. The Queen and Crescent Route will make one fare for round trip.

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Addicks gained a vote yesterday, and the people of Delaware are not vigilant they may have their state auctioned off to make a plutocrat's political pigpen.

John P. Bruer, traveling salesman for Gem City Stove Co., Dayton, Ohio, says: I will continue to recommend Adirondak. Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure, for I know it will do all that it is claimed for it. Sold by Orr & Temple. May

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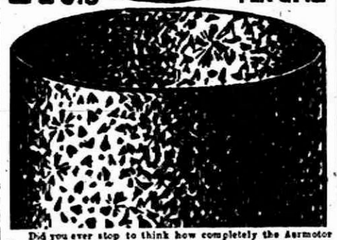

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BRITTON BUDGET.

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Mary Exelby is convalescing.

Hattie DuBois is on the sick list.

Babcock is on the road this week.

Clark visited friends in Macon

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...solid raw hide whips

...Haight's.

...Johnson has moved into rooms

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...meeting of the K. O. T. M.

...evening, May 24.

...Palver took a spin to his home

...ent over Sunday.

...M. Hiscock was the guest of W.

...family over Sunday.

...evening. Buy your window

...screens of Jas. Haight's.

...Avery, of Macon, took the train

...a business trip to Toledo.

...Curtis lost a valuable work

...last Friday morning.

...is that Frank Link will

...Chicago in the near future.

...Smith of Blissfield, has been

...at L. C. Hoagland's this week.

...Wright occupied the pulpit of

...Methodist church last Sabbath.

...Ingham will occupy the Beasley

...recently vacated by Wayne Joan-

...Brother Welling visited friends

...Manchester from Saturday till Wed-

...Knuffle sold his gray team to

...parties and delivered them

...will be service at the DeSpel-

...church next Sunday, and hereafter

...p. m.

...Beasley has painted his store

...and everybody follow suit and

...Whitow block.

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...visited his home at Milan the

...of the week.

...to buy a hammock at James

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...cold and catch cold.

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...new management, has been

...in Lee Bros' store.

...VanNocker, of Petersburg, has

...town this week arranging for

...his elevator from Ridgeway.

Nellie Marvin, who has been for two weeks with her sister ..., returned to Azalia Tuesday,

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The latest snowstorm of the season came Tuesday morning.

Preparation for moving the elevator Sunday, began Wednesday.

Miss Emma Miller is spending a portion of the week in Detroit with friends.

Kittie Clark presided at the organ Sunday in the absence of the organist.

Leila Sutton went to Toledo Saturday afternoon for a week's visit with friends.

Mrs. Moore, of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Lake, and family, a portion of last week.

Mrs. Catherine Cox went to Pittsford, Mich., Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives.

We are informed, by good authority, that the elevator will be moved to Britton next Sunday.

The hard frosts for the past few nights has hurt grapes and garden truck very badly in this section.

The M. E. Sunday School County Convention will be held at Hudson the 28th and 29th of the present month.

Mrs. H. Bodle returned Monday from ... with friends, accompanied by her sister, Miss Pearl Countryman.

Henry Smith, of Tecumseh, who has the Shafer farm on the ridge, known as the David Coryell farm, is repairing the barns.

Mrs. Sarah Rappleye while wringing clothes Wednesday morning, had her left arm caught in the gearing of the wringer and was lacerated quite badly.

In our village it only costs a fellow a quarter to hold his best girl on his lap on Sunday evening, and this fact is hidden from the wise and prudent and revealed to the small boy.

The friends of Lynn Fuller will regret to learn of his death, which occurred Thursday afternoon of last week, after a lingering illness with consumption, at his home in Detroit.

Harry Smith, our hustling tinsmith, has purchased the building of W. P. Cadmus used for his shoe business, where ... will be located in a few days in quarters of his own.

T. H. Temple, having the accounts of W. P. Cadmus to settle, will consider it a kindness if those in account with Mr. Cadmus, will call at his home and settle the same as soon as possible.

Miss Lena Swick, of Milan, met the junior members of the Sabbath School, at the close of Sunday School Sunday, and organized a Junior League to be known as the Hartly Junior Epworth League.

The third quarterly meeting of the M. E. church will be held next Sunday. Preaching in the morning at 10:30, after which the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Love Feast in the evening at 6:30 and preaching at 7:30 by Presiding Elder L. P. Davis.

The ninth annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, Adrian district, will be held at Ridgeway, Wednesday and Thursday, May 22d and 23d, 1895. Following is the program:

WEDNESDAY, 2 P. M.

Devotional Service—Mrs. W. R. Wilson, Ridgeway.
Reading of minutes. Appointment of committees. Report of standing committees.
Paper—Redeeming the Time, Miss Ida Reynolds, Rollin.
Paper—Alaska, Mrs. H. J. Williams, Adrian.
Paper—A Plea for Home Missions, Miss Stella Dewey, Cambridge.
Rec.—Miss Fannie Miller, Ridgeway.
Question box. Music. Adjournment.

WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P. M.

Organ Voluntary.
Devotions, Service—Rev. H. Cansfield, Ridgeway.
Music.
Words of Welcome—Mrs. Ella Temple, Ridgeway.
Response—Mrs. Alice A. Page, Adrian.
Music.
Address—Frontier Work in Michigan, Rev. J. Frazer, Monroe.
Music. Collection. Benediction.

THURSDAY, 9 A. M.

Missionary Prayer Meeting—Led by Mrs. L. P. Davis, Detroit.
Election of officers. Reports of Auxiliaries. Fraternal greetings.
Paper—Our Bohemian Work, Mrs. Niblack, Clinton.
Report of District Sec'y. and Treas., Miss Linna H. Brown, Hudson.
Paper—Mother's Jewels Home, Mrs. P. A. Seeley, West Bay City.
Paper—Reasons Why We Should Help the H. M. S., Mrs. C. B. Case, Clayton.
Memorial Service.
Question box. Music. Adjournment.

THURSDAY 1:30 P. M.

Devotional Service—Mrs. J. O. Shepard, Ridgeway.
Reports of Auxiliaries.
Paper—The Reflex Influence of Giving, Mrs. G. E. Sloan, Ridgeway.
Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Lillian Hollister, Detroit.
Paper,—The Indian as We Found Him, and What We Have Done for Him, Mrs. N. N. Fowler, Tecumseh.
Paper——The True Aim of the W. H. M. S, Mrs. J. W. Crippen, Ann Arbor.
Report of committees. Unfinished business. Music. Adjournment.

THURSDAY, 7:30 P. M.

Organ Voluntary.
Devotions, led by Rev. L. P. Davis, Detroit.
Music.
Rec.—Miss May Culbertson, Ridgeway.
Music.
Address—Mrs. Lillian Hollister, Detroit.
Music. Collection. Benediction.

The ladies of the H. M. S. extend a cordial invitation to all interested in the work. Dinner and tea will be served each day at the church to the delegates and visiting friends. It will be seen by the program that some very instructive and interesting papers will be presented during the convention, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

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Canker Worms in the Apple Orchard.

The time for the orchard canker worm is near. The wingless female moths are now climbing the trees from their winter quarters in the ground to deposit their eggs, and the canker worms that hatch from them will soon appear. They are not a difficult pest to control if dealt with intelligently.

Some of the moths lay their eggs on the apple tree limbs, but more deposit them in the spring. The eggs hatch at the time the buds are swelling, and the young canker worms scatter over the trees and begin feeding at once on the tender foliage. By the time the leaves are partly open the worms are large enough to be easily seen. They are nearly half an inch long, a little larger around than a common pin and vary in color from a light brown, with darker stripes, to a chocolate brown. Annoy one of them and it will stand out like a dead twig, or start off at a looping gait. Jar or shake the limb lightly, and many of them will drop, and suspend themselves in mid air by a web which they spin as they fall.

It is while the canker worms are in this very young stage that the trees should be given a thorough spraying with Paris green or London purple at the rate of three ounces to forty gallons of water.

A quart or two of glucose or molasses or a pound of freshly slaked lime (strained) added to each barrel of water, will help to retain the poison on the foliage. The lime will at the same time insure the leaves against injury from soluble arsenic.

Up to this time the canker worms have merely eaten a few holes in the leaves, but if they remain a week or two longer they will destroy every leaf on the trees, if as commen as they were last spring. They grow very fast and soon are from an inch and a quarter to an inch and a half long and as large around as a small twig. This is the time when people usually notice that something is eating the leaves in their orchard. Last spring letters came from all parts of the southern and central portions of the state, asking for help, but there was little that could be done as the calls came too late; the canker worms were mostly grown and were leaving the trees.

These facts regarding the canker worms demonstrate the importance of early spraying. Heavy rains may prevent complete success and a second spraying may occasionally be necessary.

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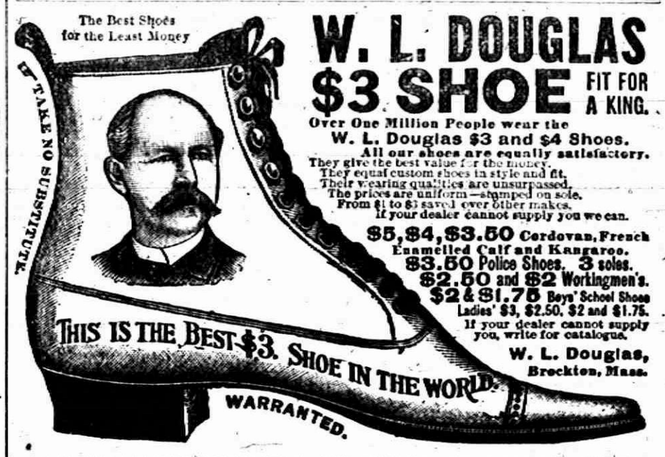

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 87, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the corner of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west, parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Executrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Auzolette Osgood, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 1895, and on the 28th day of September, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 4th day of February, A. D., 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance

Dated, April 5, 1895

HENRY C. CONKLING,
HORACE WELLER,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilsbeam, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at James W. Wightman's office in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 1895 and on the 8th day of October, 1895 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 8th day of April, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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METHODIST SCORCHER.

[Continued from last week.]

The American republic is no longer 'The land of the free and the home of the brave,' but it is the land of the millionaire and the home of the slave. The land is filled with tramps, suicides, murders, lynchings, burnings, violence and bloodshed. The great government of Washington and Lincoln is to-day in the hands of the moneyed power of the world.

"The president and congress, elected by the American people, are the agents or tools of the Rothschilds. Our government heeds every beck and call of the rich, but the cry of the helpless and needy poor goes unheeded, unanswered. In all the wrongs, wickedness, distress, oppression and corruptions to which we have referred, where has stood the ministry and where do they stand to-day? Under the 'woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter.'

"The Methodist church is strong in numbers, wealth and educated talent. She has sixteen bishops, a great many editors of church papers, several hundred presiding elders, about [illegible] effective ministers and as many local preachers, with a membership of about 3,000,000. With these great resources to say nothing about their schools, colleges and universities, with their corps of professors and [illegible] should be a power for justice, righteousness and the spiritual uplifting of the world. And she would be if the ministers were faithful to their trust. Take the Colorado conference and examine the rich men who are working poor men on the Sabbath in the city of Denver. When did Bishop Warren, Chancellor McDowell or Dr. McInTyre ever preach a sermon against John Evans or other rich Methodists for this desecration. The street cars carry hundreds of Dr. McInTyre's congregation every Sunday. These same cars take the people by the thousands to the resorts about Denver, where drinking and gambling and all manner of Sabbath desecration is going on. But when did these great ministers ever denounce these things from their pulpits.

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WAITE'S GAMBLING FIGHT.

"When ex-Governor Waite, who has done more for the morals of Denver than any other governor the state has ever had, was closing out the gamblers and bringing the saloon men to time, where stood your preachers? Did you go to him and encourage him in his good work? No, you did not, but rather formed an alliance to 'redeem' the state with the very classes the governor was fighting. It will be to your everlasting shame that you did not join in with Governor Waite in the suppression of the immoral and lawless classes. Brother Methodist preachers in supporting the Republican party you turned your backs upon the discipline of the Methodist Episcopal church and the word of God. Instead of standing up like true men for the right, you championed the cause of the worst classes of the day.

"You are a nice lot of preachers. You voted for the cause of the saloon, you voted with gamblers and prostitutes, you voted with the Republican party, that promised protection to gamblers. Are you any better than the classes whose cause you championed? If you ministers had done your duty, preaching against saloons, gambling and corruption, and supported the Prohibition party, as it was your duty to do, and had stood with Governor Waite in his war on the disreputable classes, those business houses would not have thought of petitioning for the gamblers to go unmolested. You voted for and with the worst elements of the state, and for a party without one single moral idea, but pleged to the protection of the greatest abomination of the age; and when expostulated with for such unmanly, un-Christian and unministerial conduct, you say, in justification of your unrighteous and sinful action, that this is the 'quickest way to get prohibition.' You know that it is the money, wealth and social influence in the Republican party that made you vote as you did. You knew then, just as well as you do now, that the vote was not to the glory of God nor the good of humanity. You knew that the vote would not remove a single temptation, elevate manhood, protect womanhood, feed the hungry nor clothe the naked. If the Prohibition party had the wealth and power that the Republican party now has, and were the Republican party as weak as the Prohibition party now is, how many preachers would have voted the Republican ticket? You Republican, saloon-supporting ministers of this age are a curse to the world. You are lying right across the pathway of the salvation of this country. You are responsible for the oppression, the poverty, drunkeness and immoralities of the age.

HELPED THE GAMBLERS.

I told the ministers, at their meeting at Trinity church in June, that the saloons, with drunkenness, immorality, poverty and crime, had increased under their preaching in Denver. I wish now to add that the conduct of the Republican preachers in Denver and Colorado in the last election was such that it has helped on the gambling spirit. No doubt while those preachers were exercising their exalted privilege of franchise in 'redeeming' the state, she gamblers who voted the same ticket justly expected their sympathy.

The Discipline says 'the liquor traffic cannot be legalized without sin.' The Bible says, 'Woe unto him that putteth the bottle to thy neighbor's lips.' But this does not deter you; you keep on making drunkards and increasing poverty and encouraging immoralities. The power behind the saloon is the Methodist Episcopal church. The power behind the Methodist Episcopal church is the Republican party. The children of Israel never bowed more submissively and with more adoration and worshipfulness to the golden calf at the foot of Sinai than most of the bishops, elders, editors, and first-class pastors of the Methodist Episcopal church are doing to-day bowing at the shrine of the whiskey-supporting Republican party. Such preachers are not going to deceive [illegible] people much longer; they are gradually getting their eyes open to such unjustifiable and unchristian conduct, as never before. I do not hesitate to say that a bishop or preacher who will vote for a saloon candidate or party is no better than the man who votes to license. The lines are being drawn, the conflict is on. 'Choose ye this day whom ye will serve.' If you are going to serve the Republican party, then serve it! But do not bide behind the pulpit and your ministerial vows, and thus dishonor manhood and cripple the power of the church. I speak thus strongly because the church has lost her power and the country is in an unsettled condition. The ministry of to-day, by its world-loving and world-pandering spirit, is encouraging and upholding dancing, card-playing, theater going, gambling, Sabbath-breaking and prostitution.

REFORM THE MINISTRY.

"The next reformation that must be agitated and materialized is to reform the ministry and to bring it to that high, efficient, all-conquering Bible standard of spiritual power. There never has been a reformer burned or persecuted that the ministry did not have a hand in the work. There never has been an era of slavery and oppression that the ministry as a class were not with the oppressor. It was the preachers who crucified Christ, opposed Luther and upheld the nobility against the peasantry before the French revolution and proclaimed slavery in America. Amid all the rumbling and unrest of this dissatisfied age, three great enemies of the prosperity of the church are the ministers, the saloons and the millionaires. Taking all things into consideration, there never was an age in the history of the world when the ministry gave its influence to the wrong against the right as it is doing to-day. Tetzel sold indulgences. For a money consideration he absolved men from sins and crimes that they wanted to commit. How much worse was this than for our bishops and elders to vote for a party and for men that would license men to make men drunk, break the Sabbath, destroy female virtue, commit rape, murder and corrupt a whole nation? The saloon license system of this nation is more inhuman, ungodly, destructive, devilish and damnable than ever Tetzel thought about with his indulgence system; and yet our ministers grow eloquent in their denunciation of the wickedness of Tetzel, but can see no harm in supporting a license party. You can't 'make believe' any longer. You must and you shall stand before the world in your true light. The Sabbath must be kept holy. The saloon must be overthrown. Our government must be purified from corruption. The oppressed must have justice. Wrongs must be righted. Humanity must be uplifted. God's name must be glorified. The world must be saved.

"Jesus says, 'Heaven and earth shall pass away, but My words shall not pass away.'

"The fulness of time for the church to take advanced ground has come. The organized system of wrong must be overthrown. The tremble of the ground, swell of the great moral and spiritual upheaval is now being felt. The demand of the age is great, true and tried men, filled with the Holy Ghost. There never was an age when the demand for stalwart men was so great as to-day. Men who live in fine mansions and revel in luxury, opulence and affluence never make reformers nor turn the world upside down. Brethren, you must show yourselves courageous heroes in this great struggle or acknowledge your unworthiness and take your stand among the cowards in the rear. The present attitude of the ministry will never cause the kingdoms of this world to become the kingdoms of our Lord and his christ. As Christ can never conquer this world with such a ministry as we have to-day, it is necessary that there should be very great changes in order that the ministry may be made effective for this great work.

NECESSARY TO COME DOWN.

As wealth and ease and luxury make men effiminate, and therefore inefficient, one of the first things necessary to a courageous and effective ministry will be high thinking and plain living. To this end it will be necessary for Bishop Warren to come down from his $35,000 mansion. He can never exert that great influence for God and humanity that his great ability and fine mental powers would otherwise enable him to do. And not only the bishop, but all those University Park and Denver ministers, who are living in luxury, must adopt a manner of life commensurate with the calling to save a lost world. It is not in keeping with the high calling of an ambassador of Jesus Christ to live in luxury and hoard money while women and children are starving around them.

"Go to, now, ye rich men; weep and howl for your miseries that shall come upon you. Your riches are corrupted and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver is cankered, and the rust of them shall be a witness against you, and shall eat your flesh as it were fire. Ye have heaped treasure together for the last day."—James V, 1-3.

"Woe unto them that call evil good and good evil; that put darkness for light and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter.' Brethren, the world is cold and sick and sinful and dying. Take your Bibles and go in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, and He will crown your efforts with victory."

OBITUARY.

MUNSON P. HENRY.

Munson P. Henry, whose death was chronicled in last week's HERALD, was a resident of Tecumseh for many years. He owned the farm, now occupied by A. P. Coddington on the Newburg road, before war times and later he was the owner of the property located opposite the HERALD office on Chicago street. He was a brother of Samuel Henry, who lives west of town. For the past six years he had been a resident of Easton, Md., where he was engaged in business at the time of his death. The following obituary is taken from the Easton Democrat.

Munson P. Henry died suddenly of heart disease at his residence, in Easton, Thursday morning, May 2d. Mr. Henry had been a great sufferer from rheumatism, and for two weeks previous to his death he had been unable, at times, to attend to his store. Wednesday night he left his place of business about 9 o'clock in good spirits, saying he was feeling much better. He went to bed that night anticipating a good night's rest. Next morning his wife got up and prepared his breakfast and called for him but he [illegible] went to see what was the matter and found him dead. He had been dead some time and his appearance indicated that death had come without a struggle. The deceased came to Talbot county from Tecumseh, Mich., in 1887, and purchased a farm in Chapel district. Two years later, he sold his farm and engaged in the mercantile business in Easton. The same year he married Mrs. Emily Cook, widow of the late Thomas Cook. He enlisted in the Union army Sept. 30, 1862, and was sergeant in Co. B, 7th Cavalry, Mich. Volunteers. On February 24, 1863 he was promoted to second lieutenant and received an honorable discharge January 8, 1864. The deceased was born in Norwalk, O., January 10, 1825 and was in the 71st year of his age.

Munson P. Henry was highly esteemed and very popular; he made a good citizen and had recently built himself a comfortable home. He was noted for his fair and honest dealing with his fellow men. The community loses a useful and respected citizen. He was a devoted husband and an affectionate father. He leaves a widow and three sons, H. A., E. M. and C. A. Henry, all engaged in railroad business in Toledo, O., and one daughter, Mrs. Daniel H. Cook, Easton. The funeral will be held from Trinity Cathedral Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Very Rev. G. C. Sutton, the Dean, will officiate.

JOHN MONAGIN.

The funeral of John Monagin, a pioneer of Cambridge, was held at the Springville M. E church, last Sabbath. Rev. Shier preached an excellent discourse from words found in John 11:25-26

Mr. Monagin was born in Ireland, but emigrated to the United States when quite young, coming to Michigan and purchasing a tract of land in Cambridge township, where he has always resided until about a year ago, when failing health compelled him to seek a home with his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Reed, of Brooklyn, where he was tenderly cared for until called to the better land. Mr. Monagin was one of the founders of the Springville church, and as was fitting, the last sad rites were observed in the house where he so often went for praise and prayer. R.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

The frost for the past three nights has been severe for the season. The last one last night very severe, what is known as a "black frost," destroying grapes, cherries, strawberries, and most kinds of small fruit. Mercury indicated seven degrees below freezing point at 10 o'clock p. m.

The morning of the 14th snow fell to the depth of one inch on the ground and vegetation of most kinds has suffered very much.

On Friday last, May 12, Mrs. E. R. Kilberry fell down stairs at her residence in this town. By the fall her body and limbs below the waist were paralyzed; otherwise she was not hurt very much. She lived until the Monday following and died from the effects of the fall. Funeral Wednesday at Cambridge Episcopal church at 2 o'clock p. m.

Broken down women renewed by Zoa Phora.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

What effect the death of James W. Scott, the publisher of the Chicago Times-Herald, will have on the standing of the single-tax department in that paper remains to be seen. In the meantime single-tax departments are making their appearance in daily and weekly papers all over the country.

The catalogue of the University of Michigan for the current year is at hand. It still leads them all in attendance. The total number of students enrolled during the present College year was 2864. The Literary department contained 1523; Medical, 389; Law, 679; Pharmacy, 78; Homoeopathic, 19; Dental School, 185; Summer School, 40.

The book of proceedings of the annual meeting of the Michigan Press association for 1894 is on our desk. It is nicely printed, handsomely illustrated, and contains many valuable and attractive features for the craft. It is printed by the secretary of last year, Jas. Schermerhorn, of the Hudson Gazette, and is in all respects a commendable and artistic piece of work.

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Cotton States and International Exposition, a new building to house agricultural implements, was authorized. This adds another to the list of buildings of the Exposition. The pressure on the Agriculture building proper and the machinery building was found to be so great that there was not space for the many exhibits of agricultural implements, and the committee deemed it best to erect a separate building devoted exclusively to displays of this character.

E. P. Powell, thirty years ago pastor of Plymouth church, in this city, in the Arena for May, has a striking article—"Should war be abolished?" The question discussed is whether peace under certain conditions of internal corruption and political abuse is not more to be feared than war. Mr. Powell seems to think that human nature is not yet sufficiently evolved on a plane of moral and spiritual rationalism to justify the abolition of war. His argument is able, as is everything which comes from his pen.—Adrian Times.

County Clerk Mills is sending notices to derelict clergymen and justices of the peace, requiring them to make returns of the marriages at which they have officiated. He is also endeavoring to perfect the records by writing husbands when it is impossible to reach the clergyman or magistrate who officiated. His efforts are being rewarded by many replies, but there are yet about thirty to hear from. The law prescribes that any person whose duty it shall be to return a marriage certificate to the county clerk, shall, on neglect of such duty, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine not exceeding $100, or 90 days' imprisonment, or both.—Adrian Times.

The piano recital given by the pupils of Miss Jennie Root last Tuesday evening, was carried out in a manner to elicit the most flattering praise, both for the perseverance of the young performers and the enterprise of their teacher. These recitals are looked forward to in our musical circles with great interest, and with a spirit of just criticism as well as praise, and it is gratifying to state that the last showed a steady improvement in the skill and confidence exhibited by those taking part. The program consisted of two parts of eight and nine numbers respectively, and was listened to by about 150 friends of the class who join in wishing success to Miss Root and her pupils, and in hoping that they may always be fortunate enough to witness these entertaining recitals.

The Evening Telegram of last week Thursday contains the following complimentary notice of our Royal Arch fraters; and the item is not overdrawn, either:

A convocation of Tecumseh Chapter, No 42, R. A. M., was held at Tecumseh last night, the first held in their new temple. Work in the Royal Arch degree was given. Joseph Smith, eminent high priest, and Perry Hosmer, principal sojourner, conducting the work in a manner never excelled and seldom equalled. A visiting brother, well versed in Masonry, says Tecumseh is the first chapter he ever saw where every man knew every word of his own work. There were 72 present, including Dr. J. H. Reynolds, E. J. Shepherd, John Mawdsley, W. H. Barrett W. F. King, sr., and H. N. King, of Adrian, and representatives from other chapters. A fine banquet was served, and short speeches made by E. J. Shepherd H. N. King, Dr. Reynolds and others. The night was delightful and the Adrian visitors returned home feeling that every moment was one of pleasure, and with the highest possible opinion of the hospitality of their Tecumseh brethren.

Secretary of the Interior Hoke Smith, in a recent interview with the Athens, Ga., Banner, has spoken of the great benefit which the Southern States will receive from the geological and mineralogical survey soon to be completed. North Georgia, North and South Carolina, the Virginias and the mineral lands of the Southern Appalachian range have been thoroughly surveyed and a full description of this section of the Union will be published. The store of wealth that lies buried in the hillsides and mountains of the Southern States will be a revelation to the Northern and Western miners and capitalists, and will surprise even the best informed men of the South. The work is under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, and Mr. Smith intends to have placed at the Cotton States and International Exposition a complete exhibit of the various minerals found in the South.

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YE OLDEN TIME.

The following poem, written by Hiram Raymond, of Dixon, Ill., formerly a resident of Raisin, was read at the Pioneer Social held at the house of John Richards, last winter:

Times are not now as once they were,
Some sixty years ago;
When our good mothers spun the flax
And sisters spun the tow.

When home spun garments, rudely made,
Was what we had to wear.
No truck to sell, no stock to trade,
Nor anything to spare.

Log cabins, sparsely scattered round,
Hemm'd in among the wood,
Were all the buildings to be found
In the whole neighborhood.

Our roads were trails among the trees,
Our carriages, ox carts;
Our fruit was pumpkins from the fields,
And turnips did for "tarts."

Our meat—what little meat we had—
Was captured on the run;
A good supply would make us glad,
But frequently we'd—none!

But should a neighbor kill a deer,
As soon as it was dressed
You'd see him trudging far and near,
To share it with the rest.

All were so clever, good and kind,
None ever had a doubt,
Go where they would, but what they'd find
The latch-string hanging out.

All had to work. The men and boys
Would clear and fence the farm;
Mothers and daughters, spin and weave
The cloth to keep us warm.

Our school house then was made of logs,
Where we did read and spell;
With a big oak stump before the door,
That we remember well.

Where all us lads would gather round,
With peepers open wide,
So when our lassie sallied out
We'd sally to her side.

Ah, those were times we cherish still,
Such memories are dear;
When we could gambol at our will,
As youngsters now do here.

But times have changed. That dear old house
Has mouldered to decay,
And friends we often greeted there
Have long since passed away.

Yes, times have changed, and people, too—
To this we all agree.
The face of nature, too, has changed,
As all can plainly see.

Now, fertile fields the trees succeed,
The plow the woodman's axe;
Fine dwellings take the place of logs,
And barns the place of stacks.

Now, we disdain to ride in carts,
Since carriages are cheap;
And fruit we used to relish much
Is fed to cows and sheep.

The deer and turkeys now are gone—
No use for dog and gun;
We're not compelled in getting meat
To take it on the run.

Now, to look back to those old times
We lived in former years,
We call up many happy scenes
Among the Pioneers.

And since that time, as years went by,
How many earthly joys
Have floated past on pleasure's wing
Since we were girls and boys.

But now, alas! our heads are gray—
We're numbering our years:
And we will soon be laid away
Among the Pioneers.

We know not how, we know not when,
Nor can a mortal tell;
But we can safely trust to Him
That doeth "all things well"
—*Apples.*

The May Festival.

The aim of the May Festival, which will be given at Ann Arbor, May 17 and 18, is primarily educational. Under the control of the University of Michigan, which is the head of our educational system, it endeavors to bring within the reach of the people of the state that which is best in music, just as the other departments of University work try to present that which is best in other ranges of science and professional skill. Nowhere else, outside of three or four of the largest cities, will such concerts be heard as those announced for the Festival. The soloists are of world-wide reputation. The orchestra stands in the front rank. The chorus is famous as the largest student's chorus in the world, and one of the best conducted to be found anywhere. This year there is an additional attraction in the Columbian Organ. This Festival is the first occasion afforded to the people of the state in general to hear the finest organ in the world, for the half-fare railroad rate makes it possible to come from all parts of the state at comparatively slight expense.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

COL. HENRY A. DUPONT (rep.) was declared elected United States senator on the 211th ballot in the Delaware legislature. The matter would probably be taken to the United States senate for a decision.

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE S. GREENE, the oldest living graduate of West Point, celebrated his 94th birthday in Brooklyn.

A. M. HAMILTON, a member of the Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth congresses, died at his home in Fort Wayne, Ind., aged 61 years.

DR. J. D. ROBISON, who performed the first amputation in the war of the rebellion, died at Wooster, O., aged 75 years.

A CALL has been put in circulation throughout Iowa for a democratic silver convention at Des Moines June 6.

J. A. SCOTT, who celebrated his 100th birthday a few days ago, died at Charleston, W. Va.

GEN. CHARLES SUTHERLAND (retired) died in Washington.

REV. IRA J. CHASE, governor of Indiana in 1891, died at Lubec, Me., where he had been holding a protracted meeting for Rev. Harry Minnich. He was 61 years old and his home was in Indianapolis.

JULIUS H. SEELYE, ex-president of Amherst college, died at his home in Amherst, Mass., aged 71 years. Mr. Seelye was a member of the Forty-fourth congress.

MRS. FRANK BROWN, wife of the governor of Maryland, died in Baltimore. She was famous for her beauty.

IOWA prohibitionists will hold their state convention in Des Moines on June 19.

FOREIGN.

INSURGENT chiefs in Cuba were said to have given up in despair, and the war was considered ended.

THE sealing schooner Walter A. Earle, Capt. Louis Maghesen, of Victoria, B. C., was capsized in the open sea and her crew, consisting of thirty men, were lost.

IT was reported that Queen Victoria would retire on May 24, her 76th birthday, and that after that the prince of Wales would reign as King Edward VII.

A FIRE in the town of Galshezeez, Hungary, destroyed 150 houses and three churches.

CONFEDERATION between Canada and Newfoundland has been practically abandoned.

RT. HON. SIR ROBERT PEEL, aged 73, who was chief secretary for Ireland from 1861 to 1865, died in London.

THE annual blue book of Hawaii shows that Americans have $25,000,000 invested on the island.

Russia, France and Germany, it was announced, were about to increase their naval forces in the China seas.

IT was announced that China had withdrawn her request to have the armistice prolonged and that ratifications of the treaty had been exchanged.

EX-QUEEN NATALIE arrived at Belgrade after having been in exile four years.

ADVICES from Cuba say that in a battle at Boryey between Gomez, the insurgent leader, and Salcedo, the Spanish commander, Gomez was victorious, killing and capturing more than a thousand Spanish troops.

THE British steamers Esmeralda and Martina collided near Brest, the Martina sank, and eleven of her crew were lost.

THE bodies of three unknown men were found floating in the River St. Lawrence at Sorel, Can.

THE Salvation Army will try and conquer the orient and bring the millions of Chinese into the field of Christianity.

LATER.

THE United States treasury deficit has passed the $50,000,000 mark, the exact amount of the excess of expenditures over the receipts since July 1, 1894, being $56,404,887.

FIFTEEN boats were wrecked during a recent gale on Lake Michigan and nearly a dozen persons were drowned.

THE 800 coal miners in Osage county, Kan., were in dire need and many of them and their families were in a starving condition.

TWO BROTHERS, Frank and Harm Schaumburg, living near Milford, Ill., were killed while adjusting a belt on a circular wood saw.

A FIRE in the yards of the Dwight Lumber company at Detroit, Mich., caused a loss of over $100,000.

CLAUDE STEVENSON shot and killed John Moore at Noblesville, Ind., for insulting Mrs. Stevenson. The men had been intimate friends for thirty-five years.

INDIANS were on the warpath in Arizona and miners and settlers were in danger.

HERMAN WHIPPLE, of Solon, Me., a well-known lumber operator, was swindled out of $10,000 by the "gold brick" scheme.

WILLIAM PECK and Matthew Peck, brothers whom the fortunes of war separated thirty-four years ago, met in Chicago.

OWING to lack of funds Judge Coxe adjourned the United States court at Rochester, N. Y., and among the prisoners compelled to be discharged were four well-known counterfeiters.

THE twenty-fifth annual convention of the grand division of the Order of Railway Conductors met at Atlanta, Ga.

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COTTON AND WHEAT.

Why the Price of Silver Bullion Governs the Price of These Products.

A correspondent writes from Arkansas to know "why is it that the price of silver bullion governs the price of cotton and wheat?—a proposition that statistics prove to be true for the last twenty years. But why is it so?"

It is very simple. The wheat and cotton grown in British India compete in the English markets with the wheat and cotton produced in the United States. The wheat and cotton of British India is purchased with and moved out of that country by means of silver currency. It is only among the British residents in the seaport towns of India that the purchasing power of the silver rupee has depreciated. Among the great mass of the population of British India silver has not depreciated in the slightest degree. A rupee will purchase as much now as it would when the market value of the metal was $1.3L An ounce of silver would purchase a bushel of wheat in that country in 1873 and it will purchase a bushel of wheat in that country now. An ounce of silver would purchase ten pounds of cotton in British India in 1873 and it will purchase ten pounds of cotton in that country to-day.

The result of this is that when the wheat and cotton growers of this country send their products abroad, they are compelled to take the equivalent of an ounce of silver for a bushel of wheat and for ten pounds of cotton. It has, therefore, been the policy of England to depreciate the commercial value of silver. Why? In order to get cheaper wheat for her pauper workingmen, and cheap cotton for her manufactories. In this she has been ably seconded by her commercial and banking agents in this country. She has thoroughly enlisted the aid and sympathy of the selfish classes in this country, and under cover of a plea for "sound money" our industries have been prostrated and our producers impoverished.

The master stroke of England was the closing of the mints in India. This sacrificed many interests in India, but it gave the English people cheap wheat and cheap cotton at the expense of the energy and prosperity of our own people. Following this came the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, which was another victory for British interests.

The commercial value of silver measures the price of wheat and cotton for the simple reason that the producers of wheat and cotton in British India can sell a bushel of one and ten pounds of the other for an ounce of silver and pocket as much money as they ever did.

And this is one of the reasons why the policy of this country should run counter to the policy of Great Britain—one of the reasons why the people of the United States should place their influence behind silver and legislate to increase the demand for it as money and thereby increase its value.—Atlanta Constitution.

ITS PURCHASING POWER.

The Real Question Is Whether Gold Has Appreciated or the Average Value of Commodities Depreciated.

In answering a correspondent who asks for an explanation of apparent changes in the price of silver the Indianapolis Sentinel says:

"The statistical records show that there has been no change at all in the value of silver as measured in the average of commodities. They have moved up and down together. This is due not to any intrinsic quality of silver, but to its use as standard money in some countries, while gold is the medium of international commerce. A foreign dealer in Mexico, or any other silver standard country, will pay for silver its average purchasing power in the commodities of that country. It is immaterial to him whether he pays 50 cents in gold for a Mexican dollar or a bushel of wheat, so long as wheat is worth a dollar a bushel in Mexican silver. But in a silver standard country the average purchasing power of a dollar and the average price of commodities are one and the same thing, because all commodities are measured in silver dollars. There has been no decrease of the purchasing power of silver, on the average, in silver standard countries. The real question is whether gold has appreciated or the average value of commodities has depreciated. Silver may be dropped from consideration altogether so far as this is concerned. So long as it retains this relation it is evident that no natural cause is affecting its market value, for if there were its average purchasing power would decrease. The money problem is how to bring gold back to its former relation to average prices."

The Great Fraud.

Without the least warning when a silver dollar was worth three cents more than a gold dollar, silver was fraudulently and surreptitiously demonetized, many of the owners of the silver mines were driven into bankruptcy and ruin, and thousands of laborers in the mines were deprived of work and their families brought to suffering and want. All this was done and no reason given for it, as indeed no honest reason can be given for the outrageous wrong thus perpetrated upon the people. Where was the honor of the country, and in whose keeping was it when the high-headed crime was perpetrated? To the mind of the gold-bug the honor can only be maintained by giving English capitalists the control of the finance of the country and the maintenance of the interests of the Morgans and the millionaires! We do not favor such "honor" as that!—Butler (Ga.) Herald.

The Bimetallic Sentiment.

This talk in favor of silver which is going on in England and Germany will probably help the bimetallic cause ultimately. It shows that the European friends of silver are growing in numbers and activity. At any rate the stage has been reached in England where a person can be a bimetallist without being considered necessarily a crank or an anarchist, and that is a change which should give courage to the friends of the double standard everywhere.—Globe-Democrat.

NOT, MUCH.

The "Silver Craze" Is Not Dying Out—What We Need.

The single standard journals that have blindly claimed that "the silver craze" was dying out, are now forced to face it as the leading issue. Some of them hasten to declare themselves in favor of bimetallism so far as gold and silver dollars are maintained at a parity and will exchange at par and command respect in all countries. That is very amusing. Doubtless some of those journals understand what rank nonsense it is and many of them don't. American gold and silver dollars do not circulate at par as money in foreign countries, and never could except under an international monetary system not likely to materialize. There is no international money, and and when American gold is accepted in settlement of international balances it is taken by weight, as a commodity. The bulk and weight of silver preclude its use to any great extent in international transactions.

No civilized country wants the coinage of another mixed in its circulation, and therefore the business men of each country discount the coinage of the other, to keep it out of circulation. The United States and Canada, practically the same country, with the same standard and coinage system, each impose heavy discounts on the silver coin of the other, and have done so ever since the resumption of specie payments. The regular discount on American silver in Canada has rarely been less than 20 per cent. It was simply arranged by the business men of each community. In Mexico the American silver dollar does well if accepted on a par with the Mexican dollar.

The American monetary system has not commanded the respect of foreigners since 1873, but has, on the contrary, been a fit subject for ridicule and contempt. Shortly after the demonetization act was smuggled through congress, Mr. David Watney, testifying before the royal commission, delivered himself of the following British sneer:

"I cannot suppose that everybody is wise. The idea of those Americans adopting the gold standard, and they a debtor nation! They could not see that it would increase their debt enormously. They know nothing of currency matters."

Had Mr. Watney known that the crime of 1873 was perpetrated for the purpose of doubling the debt, he could not have found words to express his contempt. The Americans, in following the dictation of the Lombard street bankers in bonding the war debt, using the bonds as a banking basis, and demonetizing silver for the benefit of the British and American bondholders, richly earned all the obloquy that could be heaped on them.

The inhabitants of Adamawa, who refuse to accept the money of any civilized country, but demand cowrie shells for their exports, are entitled and receive more respect than the Americans. They are respected because they maintain their own monetary system against the world, and the world must conform to it by purchasing cowrie shells when it wants to trade with Adamawa. They prosper on the cowrie shell standard, and don't care whether it suits the foreigners or not.

What the Americans want is some of the horse sense, independence, and sturdy self-reliance of the untutored Adamawans. They want a money to suit themselves, and not to suit foreigners. They want it for their own internal trade and development, and not for foreign trade. No system providing the money for these urgent needs can impair the power to pay out the gold commodity on foreign account, to the extent that it is now impaired. The sooner the single standard journals recognize these facts, and cease to talk the stereotyped twaddle about parity, par, and respect in foreign countries, the sooner they can earn some respect for themselves.—Aransas Pass Herald.

DAYLIGHT IN THE EAST.

A Glimmering That Penetrates Even the Dark Shadows That Hang Around Wall Street.

Senator Dubois, of Idaho, is an ardent free coinage republican. He has recently been doing missionary work in New York, and when he returned to Washington after a few weeks' sojourn among the people that have long since been given over to "hardness of heart and reprobacy of mind" on the gold standard question, Senator Dubois fell into the hands of a correspondent to whom he said that "it requires but little effort to discover that the silver sentiment is making rapid progress throughout the east. Mr. Depew is reported to have said that the east was almost unanimously in favor of the single gold standard; that 99 out of every 100 people in the east were gold monometallists. Unless he was misquoted, he has certainly not been very observing.

"I will venture to say that a large majority of the employes of his road favor the full restoration of silver by this country alone. Probably the directors and large stockholders do not. I have taken some pains to talk with car drivers and conductors and laboring men in New York city; also with a very considerable number of business men, and I know that there is a most decided free silver sentiment even in New York city.

"The producers, wage-earners and bondsmen of moderate means do not listen any longer with patience to the advocates of the gold standard. They are no longer frightened by the stock phrases of 'cheap money,' '50-cent dollars,' 'silver barons,' etc. They know they are hurt. They understand that times are hard and see no prospect of getting better."

Better Stand from Under.

A Georgia Exchange remarks: "At one time the contraction of the currency in England caused hens to sell for a penny apiece, and a fat bullock sold for 5 shillings. When the tories in this country get our farmers down to such prices perhaps they will be satisfied. But they had better keep out of reach of the farmers."

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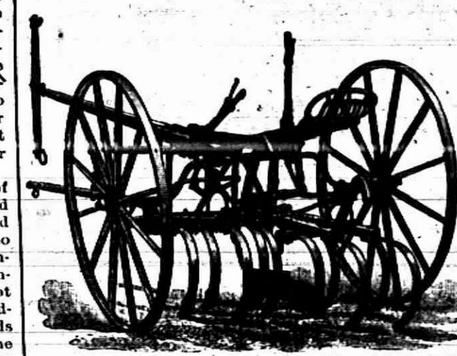

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RATES—Water rates for the sea- 1895 are now due and must be twenty days from date hereof; all le at the office of the Clerk of Water

y 1, 1895. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

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TICE—MEETING OF BOARD OF Review.—) all persons liable to assess- for taxes in the Village of Tecumseh, Coun- Lenawee State of Michigan, for the year Notice is hereby given, that the assessment of the Village of Tecumseh for the year has been completed, and that the Board of Review of said Village will be in session at the Council Room in said Village on Wednesday, Thursday the 22d and 23d days of May, A. D. 1895, from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 1 to 4 o'clock p. m., of both said days, at the time and place the aforesaid assessment roll will be subject to review and correction, at which time any person who may consider themselves aggrieved by any valuation of property as now entered in said assessment roll, or who may have any complaint to make of any errors contained in said roll, or omissions from the same, or who may have reason to suppose that such errors exist, will then and there be heard by said Board of Review. And all such errors found to exist with said assessment roll will be duly corrected, and all persons liable to taxation within said Village will have been omitted from said assessment roll will be duly placed thereon by said Board of Review. And such assessment roll, corrected as aforesaid by said Board of Review, will be the assessment roll of said Village for the year 1895.

Given under my hand, at my office in said Village of Tecumseh, this 6th day of MAY A. D. 1895.

S. G. HOSMER, Village Clerk of Tecumseh, Mich.

Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 17, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

[illegible] McNeil was home over Sunday.

[illegible] Shoebottom was an Adrian visitor day.

[illegible] James, of Detroit, was in town week.

[illegible] Jones and Eddie McClure were from Ypsilanti last week.

Geo. Merritt is visiting [illegible]rs. Cummins in Detroit this week.

Della Treat, of Adrian, [illegible] Tecumseh friends a short visit Monday.

J. R. Root, of Addison, visited ister, Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff, the first week.

[illegible]ley Warner and family have moved Tonawanda, N. Y., where they will make future home.

[illegible] Gibson and H. H. Ferguson, of were in town Saturday. The purchased Rev. J. P. Varner's

[illegible] Corey accompanied Dr. May back York for the purpose of receiving treatment from that celebrated man.

Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Mount Pisgah, or the Last Scene of Moses."

[illegible] Smith, living on the J. G. Robinson farm, had a horse severely injured by breaking through a defective roadway over the culvert near the Stanley bond.

The district convention of the Women's Home Missionary Society will be held at Ridgeway next week. The convention opens on Wednesday at 2 p. m., and closes Thursday evening.

The street cars in Adrian are now running on schedule time, and it is a great convenience to the public to know that a car can be depended on at any given point inside of 12 minutes, the longest period of waiting.

The following registers of temperature, taken by B. L. Baxter, show a great contrast in a short time: May 8, 7 a. m., 33°; May 9, 9 a. m., 93°; May 10, 7 a. m., 43°; May 12, 5 a. m., 83°; May 13, 7 a. m., 34°; May 14, 34°; May 15, 32°.

The fruit growers are of the opinion that the grape and berry crop, with the exception of currants and gooseberries, have been almost ruined by the recent frosts. The damage done to the peaches, pears and apples is variously estimated, some thinking these fruits are killed, with slight injury. We defer our judgment till next fall.

Elliott Gray was a Detroit passenger Wednesday.

C. E. Gray is working at the barber's trade in Adrian.

This week has been rather damp for base ball games.

Wilson Bros. shipped their first celery plants Tuesday.

The weather clerk is evidently badly rattled this week.

Miss Marie Campbell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Kolbesch.

Editor Myrtle Maxwell, of the Onsted News, was in town Tuesday.

Remember the Cantata given by the Epworth League next Friday evening.

Mrs. C. N. Mann and two children, of Chicago, are visiting at W. H. Spalding's.

Major Howell, Roy Treat and Mr. Mattis wheeled over from Adrian Sunday.

A. W. Mills made a trip to Ohio this week in the interest of the Page wire fence.

Shore passengers for Detroit yesterday morning.

Everybody is requested to bring flowers to the Armory early on decoration day.

Web Anderson left yesterday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Janssen, in New York City.

Garlingnouse Bros. sold their handsome chestnut driving mare to Ohio parties this week.

Mrs. W. W. Whiting is spending a few days with Adrian friends, and Will is keeping "bachelor's hall."

Miss Kate Anderson has returned from an extended visit with Mrs. E. F. Gamble, at Union Mills, Ind.

Fairfield and Madison teachers will hold a May institute at the Center school house, Saturday, May 18.

Thos. R. Kyle, postmaster at Tecumseh, paid a fraternal visit to Postmaster Hoch Tuesday.—Evening Telegram.

A slight mistake was made last week in the announcement of the W. C. T. U. supper. It occurs on Wednesday, May 29th, instead of 20th. Let all remember the date.

All lovers of music should attend the grand May Festival at Ann Arbor today and to-morrow. Half fare tickets will be good to and including next Monday.

Miss Florence Burlingame went to Ann Arbor yesterday to witness the festivities of the May musical festival. From there she will go to Cadillac for the summer.

Mr. Odion's family arrived from Hudson Monday and they are now domiciled in Mr. Weller's house on North Maiden Lane. They have a good house in an excellent neighborhood.

Friday evening, May 24, the young people of the Epworth League will give a Cantata entertainment. This is something new, and the committee are sparing no time to make a success.

Mrs. Frank Whiting, of Lake Ridge, who underwent a successful operation for removal of a fibroid tumor at Ann Arbor Tuesday, was doing well at last account though still necessarily in a critical condition.

There will be Holy Communion in St. John's church next Sunday morning instead of the following Sunday, as several persons will be baptized at the morning service on the 4th Sunday of the month.

A Lake Shore representative from the chief engineer's office in Toledo was making estimates on the feasibility and cost of a sewer from the depot grounds to Evans Creek last week. This savors of a new depot.

The program for the Cantata is as follows:

Rose—Miss Dora Grayson.
Daisy—Miss Ella Fowler.
Sunflower—Mrs. L. M. Kellogg.
Buttercup—Clarence Hurry.
Man-In-The-Moon—Harry Tansley.
Tulip—Arthur Harding.
Pansy—Bert Day.

The Veteran's Bride is the title of a very strong and interesting book, now in its second edition, by Alta Isador Gould. The scene is laid in the great rebellion of '61 and most pathetically narrates in verse the trials of one who left home and wife for his country. The book is being canvassed by Mrs. Anna Hanley who has the agency for Tecumseh and surrounding towns.

Important changes in time of passenger trains on C., J. & M., Sunday, May 19: Trains Nos. 2 and 3 will run between Franklin and Allegan, and trains Nos. 7 and 8 will run between VanWert and Battle Creek. Trains Nos. 21, 22, 33 and 24 will run between Toledo and Addison. Train No 22, west, will leave Tecumseh about 9:10 a. m.; train 21, east, about 11:05 a.m; train 24 west, about 3:55 p.m.; train 23 east, about 5:20 p. m., making direct connections at Addison with all trains west and south.

The legislature of Nebraska, at its last session, organized a department of irrigation as a department of the state government, placing the same under the management of the state hydrographic engineer, an office created for that purpose. Yesterday the governor of that state appointed R. Beecher Howell, of Omaha, formerly of this city, to that position. Mr. Howell is the eldest son of Judge Howell and a graduate of the naval academy at Annapolis, a young man of fine abilities and sterling worth. His many friends here will be pleased to congratulate him on his good fortune.—Free Press, May 13.

A. W. Haight spent last Sunday in town.

Geo. Tansley & Son have a change of ad this week.

Frank Crossman, of Jackson, was in the village yesterday.

Ernest Conklin and wife are visiting here from Streator, Ill.

Sheriff Wilson and Prosecutor Bird were in town yesterday.

Avery & Co. have a new message in today's paper. Examine it.

Andrew Kline, of Marquette, was the guest of Mrs. Phelps over Sunday.

Extensive repairs are being made on the tower of the Methodist church.

The Clinton blue lodge will exemplify the third degree in Tecumseh tonight.

A. W. Slayton has been making large contracts for basswood lumber recently.

Misses Florence Brower and Lena Hardenburg were Adrian visitors Saturday.

E. F. Kirchgessner and Geo. Tiffany attend the Ann Arbor musical festival today.

We are indebted to LaVerne Wheeler for late copies of the San Antonio Daily News.

Thos. Harris attended the reunion of the Loomis Battery at Coldwater Wednesday.

Strawberry shortcake was on the dinner bill of fare at the Lilley House Tuesday.

Fred Shepherd and Fay Anderson ride new Waverleys, purchased of Fred Rosacrans.

We issue a supplement this week to relieve our overcrowded columns. Don't fail to read it.

Percy Fitzsimmons left home Tuesday for an eastern trip, expecting to be gone about ten days.

Rev. E. C. Andrus will preach in Whitney's opera house, Adrian, next Sunday afternoon.

The Universalist ladies will give their regular supper at the church next Friday evening, May 24.

S. C. Stacy gave his "Snap Shot" lectures at Milan on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Mrs. A. K. Whitmore, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. L. L. Ketcham a couple of days this week.

Quite a contingent of Tecumseh ladies intend to drive to Ann Arbor to-day to witness the May Festival.

The lecture course committee has organized and arrangements are being perfected for the most superior course ever given in Tecumseh.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by Albert Brower, J. M. Bittman and P. W. A. Fitzsimmons to form the Middletown Celery Co. with a capital of $10,000.

This morning's Tribune says: "The young phenomenon, Harris, Kalamazoo's 17-year-old pitcher, held the Page Fence Giants down to five hits. Score 11 to 3." Frank is still in the league and doing great work in the box.

Chas. Burridge had business at the Probate court in Adrian last Monday. To save repeating this item every week, we might state that he expects to be engaged in similar business every Monday until next Fourth of July.

The funeral of the late Joshua Taylor was held at the family residence in Raisin last Monday afternoon. Notwithstanding the inclement weather a large number of his old neighbors assembled to pay their tribute of respect to a worthy pioneer and honored citizen. A fitting obituary notice will appear later.

W. C. Burridge took a brief outing at Devil's Lake the first of the week. His horse was also given a little recreation which that animal enjoyed so much that he wished to extend the vacation through the rest of the summer and could not be induced to return to work until he had made a friendly call on nearly all the equines in that part of the county.

Frank Bryan sports a new milk wagon which is high, wide and handsome. We were unable to learn whether or not it has water works connections. The wagon is the workmanship of Wm. H. Smith, and does credit to his skill. It was finished just in time to hitch on to when Frank's old wagon was accidentally overturned and damaged by the tongue falling down.

A new train, it is said, will be placed on the Lake Shore road next Monday morning. It is for the special benefit of the Chicago papers and will be known as the paper train. It will leave Chicago at 2:45 and get here about 8 o'clock in the morning, so that the Chicago papers will reach here about as soon as the Detroit papers. The train will overtake the early train at Toledo and be taken off at that point.—Evening Telegram.

The same old story was acted out in Brownville this week. The improvident husband choked the poor wife nearly to death to obtain a few cents which she had earned by hard work. Outsiders, always quick to sympathise with woman, at her cries for help interfered and were about to give the offender a wholesome ducking in the pond, when the sweet woman implored the crowd for mercy and he was spared to choke her again some other day.

—When the bugs begin to bother your potatoes go to C. A. Slayton and get Bug Finish. It will kill the bugs and make vines grow at the same time. 21-3

—Screen Doors and Windows at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry. HARRING & BENNETT.

—Hose and Lawn Sprinklers at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—One day last week I sold 15,000 ft of pine lumber, dressed on one side, at $11.00 per m. on car Tecumseh; it pleased my customer. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Just what you want—A fine black Clay Worsted Suit from $20 to $28. It will pay you to see them. Call early and make your selection. J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

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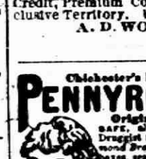

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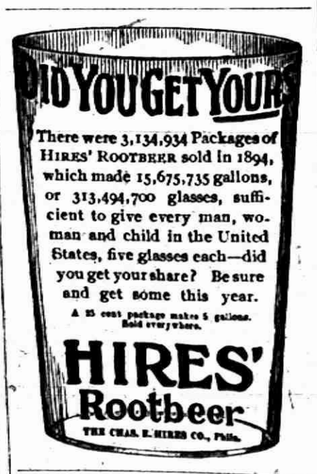

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., May 10.—The senate on Thursday, by a vote of 17 to 9, passed the Bailey bill for abolishing the state board of health and substituting another which prohibits the secretary from being a member of the board. The state affairs committee reported favorably the Smalley capital punishment bill which provides for execution by hanging. The committee on representative apportionment reported in favor of reducing the members of the house from 100 to 64, also the bill appropriating $185,000 for support of the Newberry insane asylum in the upper peninsula.

LANSING, Mich., May 11.—The senate Friday passed bills appropriating $185,000 for the completion and support of the insane asylum at Newberry and providing for instruction in public schools of teachers for the prevention of the spread of contagious diseases. The Johnson bill prohibiting the adoption of text books for public schools for a period of five years, except in cases of necessity, and providing for the appointment of a commission to prepare uniform text books, which shall be loaned without charge to pupils who agree to take good care of them, and shall annually pay a small proportion of the cost of the books, was made the special order for Monday. The Smith bill providing for a uniform system of bookkeeping in the public schools was made the special order for Tuesday. The senate committee of the whole agreed to the bill providing for the adoption of the penny system of handling car fares.

LANSING, Mich., May 13.—The senate Wednesday killed the Jamieson bill providing for taxing as personal property the franchises of transportation and express companies and the Detroit terminal street railway bill which has been reported favorably by the committee was made the special order for Friday of this week.

House.

LANSING, Mich., May 10.—In the house Thursday the Robinson act providing for a three-cent railroad passenger fare in the upper peninsula was lost by a vote of 34 to 25, the opposite counties supporting it. Bills passed providing for a state medical board.

LANSING, Mich., May 11.—The house on Monday passed a bill regulating the organization of trust companies hereafter incorporated. In cities of 60,000 or less the capital shall not be less than $50,000 in cities with a population of from 60,000 to 150,000 not less than $150,000 and in Detroit not less than $500,000 or in excess of $5,000,000. All after the enacting clause was stricken out of the Waldo bill which was described to transform iron ore and logs in transit from real to personal estate after severing the mine and the stump. The author estimated that more than $1,000,000 of this property escaped taxation annually.

LANSING, Mich., May 13.—In the house Tuesday bills were passed providing for a parole convict system and appropriating $8,000 for the inspection of factories. An effort to strike out the clause prohibiting the employment in factories of children under 14 years failed.

TWO LIVES LOST.

Disastrous Effect of an Explosion on a Lake St. Clair Steamer.

DETROIT, Mich., May 15.—An accident occurred at 5:20 o'clock Monday evening on the new river steamer Unique on Lake St. Clair which caused the death of two men, and possibly a third man may die of his injuries.

The dead—George Robinson, engineer, drowned; Anthony Case, coal passer. The injured—John Plant, fireman, badly scalded.

At 4 o'clock the Unique left Detroit bound for Port Huron, after a down trip which was the quickest ever made between Detroit and Port Huron by boat. When about 9 miles from Belle isle a crash was heard in the boiler room. It was followed by clouds of steam and soot driven through the hatches with terrific force.

At the same time the deck hands saw George Robinson, of this city, engineer of the boat, who was sitting on the port-rail, thrown overboard. Life-preservers were at once thrown to him, but as the boat was going at full speed they did not come within his reach. A boat was at once lowered and a thorough search was made for him, but he had disappeared.

As soon as the condition of affairs below would warrant it the officers of the boat went below and found a crack about 1¼ inch long in one of the boiler flues. This caused the explosion. On the floor of the boiler-room was Anthony Case, a coal passer, who had been killed outright. Near him was John Plant, a fireman, who was taken from the fire hold frightfully burned.

MRS. KNAGGS IS PRESIDENT.

Michigan Woman's Suffrage Association Elects Officers.

SAGINAW, May 11.—The election of officers of the Michigan Woman's Suffrage association resulted as follows: President, Mrs. M. S. Knaggs, Bay City; vice president, Lilla E. Bliss, Saginaw; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Helen P. Jenkins, Detroit; treasurer, Mrs. Emily B. Ketcham, Grand Rapids; member for Michigan of executive board of National American Woman Suffrage association, Mrs. Martha E. Root, Bay City. Resolutions were adopted urging each political party to declare for equal participation in government by men and women, advocating appointments of matrons of police departments, and the employment of a fair proportion of women professors at the university.

Fire at Port Huron.

PORT HURON, May 13.—The McMorran grain elevator with its contents was entirely destroyed by fire Sunday morning, and the McMorran roller and flouring mill adjoining badly damaged. The mill and contents were damaged about $20,000 by fire and water; covered by insurance. The elevator was valued at $60,000, with an insurance of $42,000. It contained 150,000 bushels of grain, principally wheat and oats, and including 15,000 bushels of peas. This was valued at $75,000 and is a total loss, but is fully covered by insurance.

Death of Theodore Hinchman.

DETROIT, May 13.—Theodore H. Hinchman, one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Michigan, died Sunday morning, aged 77 years. He was a descendant of Admiral De Camp, of revolutionary fame. Coming to Detroit in 1836, he entered the wholesale drug trade and built up the largest house of the kind in the state. He has been a leader in public work, member of the state legislature and the head of numerous local business establishments.

He Is Trapped in a Folding Bed.

DETROIT, May 15.—Soon after George S. McDonald, a well-known business man, retired Monday night smothered cries were heard, and when the door was broken open a massive folding bed was found to have closed upon him. McDonald was struck in the neck and lies in a precarious condition.

WORK OF JACK FROST.

Crops and Fruits in Western and Northern Michigan Injured.

DETROIT, May 14.—Reports from the Michigan fruit belt received here indicate that little damage was done by the frost of Sunday night. In many places, however, the snow has fallen to a depth of several inches and this may save the buds from serious injury. Grain is sure to be saved from any damage by the covering of snow. But garden truck and strawberries have already been ruined beyond recovery. The following dispatches will give an idea of the frost's work throughout the state:

Alma—Small fruits and vegetables were killed by the frost Sunday night. Grain is not thought to be very much hurt except on low ground.

Holland—Vegetables and small fruits on low lands have been severely damaged.

Dawson—Reports from the surrounding fruit district are to the effect that it is feared the entire peach crop has been ruined.

Niles—Surrounding fruit-growers say the frost has ruined their crops.

Saranac—Peaches and other small fruits have been damaged.

Sturgis—Wheat, rye and small fruits are reported badly damaged.

Hillsdale—Fruits hereabouts are reported almost entirely destroyed.

Buchanan—Fruit buds are damaged somewhat.

Menominee—A northeast storm began Sunday night and Monday morning there was three inches of snow on the ground and the mercury down to freezing. Trees were broken down from the weight of the snow and ice. It is feared that fruit is killed, and that vegetation that was so forward all put back. No such storm was ever experienced here.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 15.—Reports from various portions of the fruit belt of western Michigan are to the effect that more damage was done to the crop by the strong gale than by frost and freezing. In some sections the wind was so strong as to nearly strip fruit trees of leaves and a large per cent. of young fruit. Particularly is this the case in Ottawa and Allegan counties. In Oceana county it is the opinion of growers that the frost did but a small per cent. of damage to peaches and other tree fruits. The whole lake shore fruit belt was lashed by the strong wind, and in some parts of Muskegon, Berrien and Van Buren counties much damage was done by breaking down trees and twisting off limbs. In the upper part of western Michigan snow fell to the depth of 6 to 16 inches, and in some localities, particularly around Elmira, farmers fear for their stock, as they are out of hay and the snow is 14 inches deep, and the thermometer nearly at freezing point. In the upper peninsula traffic in some localities has been impeded by snow. Throughout all western Michigan garden truck has suffered the worst, and many market gardeners will have to replant early sweet corn, beans, etc.

DETROIT, May 15.—The fruit crop of Michigan according to reports received here Tuesday night appears to have survived the cold wave. The snow which fell all Monday night in the peach district served as a protection for the tender blossoms. Along the lower shore of Lake Michigan the weather is reported warmer, but from Holland north the mercury is still hovering dangerously near the freezing point. Beside the garden truck, which has been killed outright, strawberries seem to have suffered the worst. Estimates now place the state crop at less than half the usual yield, a direct loss to growers of close to $150,000. The covering of snow is believed to have preserved all grain from serious injury.

FEARS WILD-CAT INSURANCE.

Insurance Commissioner Giddings, of Michigan, Wants Laws Amended.

LANSING, May 14.—The annual report of Commissioner of Insurance Giddings is out. A synopsis is as follows:

It shows that 122 stock, fire and inland marine companies are doing business in the state. There are also sixty-seven mutual or cyclone insurance companies transacting a business, but the commissioner says that these companies do a business of a character not to guarantee policy holders the indemnity they have a right to expect, and the fear is expressed that unless the laws of the state are amended wild-cat insurance will become too general for the public safety. Attention is called to the fact that considerable insurance is being taken out in companies not authorized to transact business in Michigan, the law being evaded by arranging the risks by correspondence. This fact has led the legislature to pass a law licensing persons to procure insurance in unauthorized companies, upon a showing being made that the insurance cannot be obtained in regularly authorized companies. The commissioner mentions with considerable satisfaction that Lloyds companies have recently been permitted to do business under proper restrictions. Stock, fire and marine insurance in Michigan last year resulted in a neat profit to the companies. The aggregate risks written were $256,725,666; premiums received, $4,830,275.91; losses incurred, $3,085,112.87. Estimating the expense of the companies at 33⅓ per cent. of the premiums received, and adding the result to the losses incurred, it makes the total outlay for the past year $3,545,204.84, and indicates a net gain to the companies of $966,071.07.

FISHERMEN FORCED TO QUIT.

Tugs Laid Up at St. Joseph on Account of the Light Catches.

ST. JOSEPH, May 13.—The catches made by the fish tugs off this harbor are the lightest ever known since the fishing interests began, ranging from 50 to 300 pounds, with nets out from two to three days. The lifts were formerly from 1,500 to 2,500 pounds average. In consequence the tugs Hahn, Sanford, Violet and Payne have been laid up. Others will be laid up, as the owners say it does not pay the cost of fuel.

Titles for the Officers.

LANSING, May 14.—The present legislature enacted a law conferring titles on officers of the Soldiers' home, and in compliance therewith Gov. Rich has made the following appointments: Colonel and commandant, Benjamin F. Graves; major and adjutant, James W. Long; major and surgeon, L. C. Read; captain and quartermaster, Chester B. Hinsdale.

Michigan Mines Resume.

IRONWOOD, May 13.—The Brotherton, Odanah, East Carey, Mikado, Windsor and Eureka mines, all idle last season, have sold stockpiles and have begun shipments. Few really good mining properties in the Gogebic range are now idle and local conditions are better than for three years.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Localities in Michigan.

The Michigan Congregational association will hold its annual meeting at Olivet June 11 to 14.

The University of Michigan democratic club is talking of organizing a state league of college democratic clubs.

The next Saginaw county fair will be held in Saginaw September 17 to 20.

State Librarian Mrs. Mary C. Spencer has had issued a certificate which will be given to all libraries in the state, becoming associates of the state library. Dowagiac is the first to apply and is known as Associate Library No. 1.

The proposition for free textbooks was voted down at a recent school election in Holland.

Detectives arrested three strangers charged with robbing a car at Cassopolis Monday night of over $700 worth of goods.

Mrs. Charles Bartlett, wife of Capt. Bartlett, one of the oldest vesselmen on the lakes, committed suicide at Niles by taking poison.

Otto Illing & Co., manufacturers of duplicate whist apparatus, have begun suit in the United States court against C. L. Rounds & Co., of Kalamazoo, and Eaton, Lyons & Co., of Grand Rapids, for infringement of patent.

Lightning struck a small boat in the harbor at Duluth, Minn., during a storm and two of the occupants, Charles Emory, of Bay City, and George Barshaw, of Duluth, were instantly killed. William Helm, of Bay City, a third man, was slightly stunned.

Diphtheria has caused Homer schools to close.

Grasshoppers are beginning to swarm in the upper peninsula.

The state bicycle tournament will be held in Battle Creek July 22 and 23.

Muskegon county's peppermint farm is over 400 acres larger this year than last.

The Michigan State Firemen's association will meet in Traverse City May 15 and 16.

As a result of the one cent bounty on sparrows, 31,000 of the birds were killed in this state last year.

Officials of the Chicago & West Michigan railway have decided to repair the old lake harbor road for this season. Work on it will begin at once.

Michigan Knights Templar will meet in Bay City May 21.

Lansing is to build a new bridge across Grand river at a cost of $56,000.

Coldwater's council has raised the amount of liquor bonds from $4,500 to $6,000.

Ex-Gov. Luce, of Gilead, fed 1,300 bushels of wheat to his stock during the past winter.

Great preparations are being made for the state encampment of spiritualists in July at Muskegon.

Louis Pischitt was sentenced at Menominee to five years in prison for arson.

CONVICTED OF BRIBERY.

Ex-School Inspector Lichtenberg, of Detroit, Found Guilty.

DETROIT, May 13.—A verdict of guilty was rendered early Saturday morning against Julius Lichtenberg, the ex-school inspector who was tried for accepting a bribe from the agent of a Manitowoc (Wis.) school-furniture agent. Lichtenberg was remanded for sentence. This is the second conviction of members of the Detroit school board on the same charge. Inspector Liphart was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, but was recently granted a new trial by the supreme court. Inspector Joseph Walsh was acquitted and Inspector Milo H. Davis left town when the charges became public, and his whereabouts is unknown. At about the same time Lichtenberg attempted suicide.

HUSBAND AND WIFE PERISH.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hale Burned to Death by an Incendiary Fire at Midland, Mich.

MIDLAND, Mich., May 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hale were burned to death at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. There are mysterious circumstances surrounding the tragedy. The couple moved into a new house Saturday night and were busy unpacking goods until a late hour, but finally retired with the rest of the family, after seeing that the fires and everything else were in safe condition. They awoke to find the house in flames, and were so hemmed in that escape was impossible, and they died in great agony. The children were rescued. Neighbors declare that the fire was incendiary.

Left His Riches to the Church.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 14.—The will of George M. Barker bequeaths $4,000 to the general convention of the New Jerusalem church of America, $2,000 to be used for a theological school and $2,000 for missionary purposes, $1,000 to the local church, and the balance, about $5,000, to be equally divided between the local church and the general convention. Barker had many relatives, nephews and nieces, and there is talk of contesting the will.

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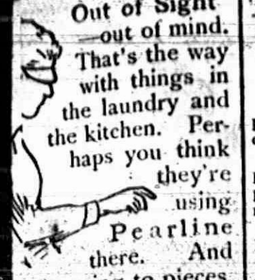

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Mrs. Eva Cambum was taken seriously and very seriously ill this morning at the High School. She complained of feeling sick and left the room. When she was laid on the lounge unconscious Dr. Woodward was called and did all that was possible to relieve her. At noon she did not regained consciousness.

The Times stated a few days ago that J. M. Gibson's farm in Ogden was improved by lightning and Editor Mr. Judson in an announcement made to Secretary Converse of the Farmers Mutual states that Ogden has been struck by lightning. This leads to the conclusion that there is an old grandmarried farmer living somewhere out in that section of the county who is a sensational liar.—Adrian Times.

Uncle Jim Bennett had a walnut tree cut down yesterday in his garden on South Main street and nearly in the center it was found to contain many nails from three to five inches in length. From the grain in the wood it is estimated that the tree is seventeen old and at the point where the nails were found would indicate that they were driven into the tree [illegible] years ago. The nails are rusty and rough and it is thought [illegible] an Indian blacksmith before white men were in vogue.—Evening Telegram.

Last Sunday evening occurred the 5th anniversary of the Epworth League which was duly remembered by exercises at the M. E. church. Mr. R. C. Dorr, president of the local organization, presided and announced the following program:

Reading—The Bible and Education—Miss Anna [illegible].

Solo—Jewels for the Junior—Miss Edna Mc[illegible].

Song—Double March—Girl Chorus.

Essay—Summer Work in the League—Miss [illegible].

Reading—Cross and Crown—Miss Helen [illegible].

Reading—One hour, and what come of it—Mrs. Ballard.

Song—The Old Oaken Bucket—Boy Chorus.

Reading—Miss Frank Snell.

The program was very interesting and [illegible] and will may the Leaguers remember their 5th anniversary. The past year has been one of success to them. The Sunday afternoon meeting of its motto [illegible] and the young [illegible] A [illegible] on the [illegible] Bible [illegible] Basket [illegible] Methodist Episcopal Sunday [illegible] on "The Need of Women." In the [illegible] of Miss Louise Burton Robbins of this city and in the article Mrs. Sherwood [illegible] of her as follows: "Mrs. Louise Burton Robbins stands for the highest type of American womanhood. Broadly educated, adding to culture, literary instinct and womanly force in all that means American citizenship she has used her talents for the advancement of patriotism, philanthropy and higher education. She is president of the alumni association of Adrian college, a co-educational institution of high rank, has served as Department President of Michigan Woman's Relief Corps, and is at present a member of the National Executive Board, W. R. C. Mrs. Robbins is the wife of Col. Richard B. Robbins, of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry, ex-state senator, present probate judge of Lenawee county, and ex-United States Consul to Ottawa, Canada. Her election as corresponding secretary gives satisfaction to large numbers of her co-workers the country over, and as she is not only a fine speaker, but a forcible and graceful writer, she may be counted upon to fill the office acceptably, made illustrious by her predecessors, Mesdames May Wright Sewall and Rebecca Foster Avery."—Evening Telegram.

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BALFOUR ON BIMETALLISM.

The Conservative Leader Makes an Able Plea for the Double Standard.

Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, conservative leader in the house of commons, made a strong speech in favor of a double standard at a late meeting of the Bimetallic league at the Mansion house in London.

He said that the belief in bimetallism was growing, not only in London, but throughout the civilized world. One great change was noticeable. It was seldom now asserted that bimetallism was intrinsically impossible.

Formerly a bimetallist was regarded as a dangerous faddist. Economists who placed value on the lessons of experience had before them the irrefutable fact that while the Latin nations maintained the bimetallic system, the par of exchange of gold and silver was preserved for the whole world, despite wars, industrial revolutions and discovery of the precious metals. Some persons admitted that monometallism in a large portion of the world had depreciated prices and put a burden on imports. Thus, for instance, [illegible] India and other countries wheat at a price below its legitimate value, and these persons figured that this was an advantage to the consumers, and therefore benefited the mass of the community.

Mr. Balfour declared, however, that he was convinced that nobody in the city was so foolish as to suppose that the interests of Great Britain benefited generally by an unlimited fall in prices, not that any large body of city men was so unscrupulous as to desire that the debts owned to foreign nations should be artificially augmented by a change in the value of the currency in which they were paid.

Another argument was that the banking supremacy of London would be threatened by a currency change, but no monometallist was ever able to explain how. He contended that London, as the financial center of the world, would gain rather than lose by anything placing the currency of the world on a sounder basis.

The third argument was very absurd. This was that a change would depreciate gold and, therefore, persons having deposits in banks payable in gold would withdraw them instantly. The change threatened thus to cause such a commercial crisis as the world had never seen. This argument was supported by Mr. Gladstone and Sir William Vernon Harcourt. Though a panic was probably unreasonable, there appeared to him no grounds to suppose that the people would do anything so inordinately silly as to withdraw their deposits because the world's currency was going to be put on a stable basis, which, except in particular international transactions, they would never discover, and, except for its slow effect on the great movements of commerce, would have no effect on private individual convenience.

The fourth and strongest argument was "let well enough alone." But bimetallists asked was it well enough? People talked of the excellence of the British system that they [illegible] although the gold standard obtained in Great Britain, that silver is the currency of Hong Kong, and the Straits Settlements, while in India debts are paid in something which is neither silver nor gold, but the strangest product of monometallic ingenuity the world has ever seen, and as arbitrary as any forced paper currency and as expensive as any metallic currency the world has ever heard of—a standard varying according to the arbitrary will of the finance minister of India. This triple system was manifestly ridiculous. Some alteration of this system was imperatively required. If Britons would turn to the world at large they would find the case much stronger. To consider home interests alone in framing a currency while Great Britain was connected with foreign countries by every commercial tie was a violation of the common sense of every practical business man. When the country depended for its very bread on foreign nations, and if it were cut off could not live a day and would have ruin staring it in the face, it was the height of folly to attempt isolation respecting the currency medium. He did not believe that the common sense of the nation would long tolerate such a state of things. In view of what was proceeding in America, Germany and France, and even in Great Britain, he was convinced that men of all classes would soon combine to end the reproach to our civilization.

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The North American for May

The North American Review for May opens with an attractive paper on 'The Preacher and his Province,' by his Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, who maintains that the closer the intimacy of a minister of religion with the special needs of his parishioners, whatever their class may be, the more effective will be his ministrations to them. Charles Dickens, the younger, in the first part of an article entitled 'Glimpses of Charles Dickens,' gives a graphic and amusing description of the great novelist's fondness for private theatricals, and Hon. Wilson T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education writes interestingly upon 'Elementary Education.' A highly suggestive contribution by Prof. Goldwin Smith, entitled 'Our Situation, as Viewed from Without,' will ensure wide attention; while, in 'Russia and England,' Prof. Arminius Vambery discusses the rivalry existing between the two countries and the chance of a permanent cessation of their hostilities in Asia. E. L. Golkin, editor of the Evening Post, New York, deals with the topic of 'Diplomacy and the Newspaper,' deploring the spirit of jingoism exhibited by certain American papers. 'The Progress of Meteorology' is described in an instructive article by Prof. Frank Waldo, of Princetown University. Two most timely contributions on 'The Income Tax' are also given, the Hon. George S. Boutwell, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, treating of 'The Decision of the Supreme Court,' and 'The Spirit of the Tax' being commented upon by a well-known economic writer who prefers, in this instance, to be known as 'Plain Speaker.'

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MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
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Smoked shoulders		11
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00	6 to 6½
Veal, dressed, per lb	5	6 to 15
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Chickens, per lb		12½
Hides, green		5
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Red		68
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43 Cans Red Cherries	5 c
14 Cans Sliced Beef, 1 lb cans	13 c
24 Cans 10 cent Sardines	5 c
17 Cans Apricot Tapioca Pudding	13 c
300–12 cent Packages Ivorine	7 c
7–25 cent Packages Bent's Wafers	13 c
3–25 cent Packages Cocoanut Macaroons	13 c
3–25 cent Packages Kennedy's Tea Biscuit	13 c
20–3 lb Pails Cottoline	25 c
14 Packages Preston's Flakes	7 c

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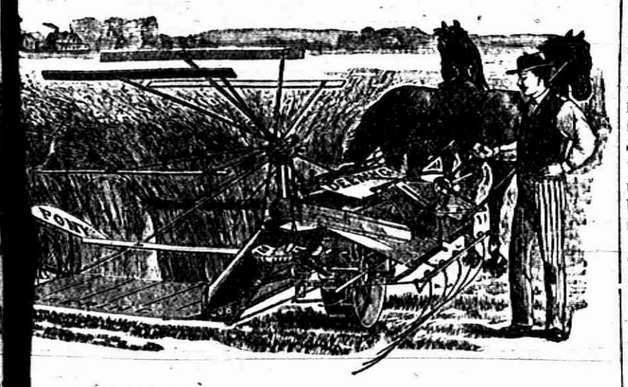

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A VISIT AT MILAN.

A Few Pointers About This Hustling Town Over the Border.

During the past fifteen years Milan has grown into a lively business center. It was a small village, one side of all the main thoroughfares, until the railroads reached that quarter. But its geographical location was a good one. The Toledo & Ann Arbor road passed through Milan on an air line, and when the Detroit branch of the Wabash was constructed, another air-line cut Mil- and thus it found itself at the intersection of two good railway lines. Fortunately a few wide awake business men resided there who made the most of their opportunity. They grasped the situation at once and the town has been booming right along ever since.

Last week we spent a portion of three days there, giving our snap shot lectures, and formed several new acquaintances. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church and for their benefit. The weather proved to be about as outrageous as the weather clerk could manufacture, but nevertheless the attendance was fair and it was a good time to hang round the fire in doors. A portion of the time we spent hanging around the Leader office.

Bro. Smith is nicely fixed now. He occupies a two story brick store, having the entire ground floor for his own use. The front part is used as a bookstore, and the rear part as a printing office. The Leader is an excellent county newspaper and a credit to the village.

Rev. J. Ward Stone is now pastor of the Baptist church at Milan and he is doing a good work there. He went from Clinton to his present charge. He did an excellent work for the Clinton church and is repeating the operation in his present location. He is popular among all the churches as well as his own.

While at Milan we took a run over to Ann Arbor one day and passed a few hours very pleasantly in the University City. We found S. W. Clarkson at his desk in the first National Bank and he seems to be the same good natured, contented soul as of yore. He has a good business position and is evidently enjoying life. A call at the Argus office found both S. W. Beakes and D. A. Hammond on deck. Mr. Beakes gives a portion of his time to the postoffice, while Prof. Hammond devotes his whole attention to the newspaper. They have lately put in a Thorne type setting machine, which is giving good satisfaction. They find it a practical machine in their office and a saving of expense in composition. They are now getting out the first number of a new monthly, issued by the Cleary Business College, called "Education Extension," which is a big job, as several thousand copies are being issued. The old Argus is thriving under its present management.

A call at Judge Cheever's office found him at home and we had a very pleasant chat with him. His interest in University matters does not flag, notwithstanding his time is engrossed with his legal practice, and he finds some time to devote to literature. He has recently published a pamphlet entitled "College Stories," which recalls to mind many of the old anecdotes we used to hear in our college days, besides many new ones.

We intended to call on Claude Van Tyne, but as he rooms east of the Campus, pretty well down towards Ypsi, we found the time too short in which to make the trip. But we give our readers a letter from him this week which will answer the purpose.

Annual Reunion Raisin Institute.

The Eleventh annual reunion of the students of the Raisin Institute will be held on June 6th, 1895, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kelly, one mile north of Holloway station. Teams to convey all comers will meet the trains at Holloway and Sutton in the forenoon. A picnic dinner will be enjoyed.

The following program has been prepared:

Music.
Prayer.
Address by President.
Reading of minutes by the secretary.
Treasurer's report.
Letters from absentees.
The Millard administration—Thomas Armstrong
Palmyra boys and girls—Mrs. Margaret Reynolds.
Music.
History of the winter and spring class of '61, the last Olcott year.
In Memoriam—Mrs. Mary J. Fisher, Mrs. Julia Edwards, Mrs. F. C. Rector.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Every woman should learn about Zoa Phora.

MEMORIAL DAY.

The Spirit in Which the Day Should Be Observed.

The members of Beers Post and the W. R. C. lately appointed a committee to report an address on the subject of Decoration Day. Last Monday the committee submitted a report, which is here given. It is a beautiful tribute to the soldier dead:

May 30, 1895, will be the twenty-seventh anniversary of [illegible] day with all its hallowed associations. The one day in the whole year which has been declared a National Day, that we, as a Nation, might adorn the graves of those noble patriots who bravely fought for their land, and gave their lives that we might live in "the land of the Free."

The day was designed to be a sacred one, and has been termed "The Sabbath of the Grand Army of the Republic," and as such should not be desecrated by games of chance, ball games, or other amusements, but rather let all the people come together to do reverence to the memory of the noble defenders of our country in the days of her fearful danger. Of late years there seems to be a growing tendency to make the decorating of soldier's graves a secondary object, the organizations, societies, and families, taking its place. This is not as it should be, nor as it was originally intended, and while we may desire to show our love for our friends, we should remember our soldier friends as well, and at least share with them our floral gifts.

Every loyal citizen should feel it their duty to assist in this work of commemoration: bring your offering of flowers for the purpose, not those deemed unworthy a place on the grave of a friend, but some of your choicest and best.

The ranks of the veterans are fast diminishing, and the soldier's graves are yearly increasing in number, and therefore, there is greater need for every one to help in this work, and by thus remembering their fallen comrades, we may cheer the living on their journey to the Land Beyond.

Roses and lillies will we bring,
The evergreen and bay,
And all the jewels of the spring
Shall crown Memorial Day.

This is not a day of triumph;
And 'tis not a day of joys,
It is more a day of sorrow
With the gallant soldier boys.

Soon their ranks of blue will vanish
From the land for which they bled,
Soon the army of the living
Will be marching with the dead.

Therefore, humbly and in silence,
Let the honest tear be shed,
While the army of the living
Greet the army of the dead.

BURT LYON BREAKS A LEG.

Accident to a Former Hudson Boy in a St. Louis Restaurant.

There was a small-sized sensation at an Olive street restaurant the other day during a heated debate, in which a well-know St. Louisan and one of the waiters took part, says the St. Louis Dispatch. In the melee a leg was broken. The gentleman in the case was Burt W. Lyon. He ordered "eggs very soft" but they came very hard. Naturally he kicked and to emphasize his remarks he pounded the table viciously.

It came down with a bang. So did one of the table legs. Being unbalanced the table tottered over. Lyon succeeded in getting out without further damage, but some practical joker telephoned several newspaper offices of a "horrible disaster," and how "Mr. Lyon broke a leg." No one dreamed of it being a table leg and it was only after a lengthy explanation that the sensation was kept out of the papers.—Hudson Gazette.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

Politicians who have a pull never use it for pulling themselves and their party together. They use it to pull for an office.

ANN ARBOR LETTER.

A Spicy Missive About Ancient Classics and Modern Bloomers.

May 17, '95.

EDITOR HERALD:—College is an extremely unexciting thing to write about, but a most thrilling thing to live in. It is hard to chill your blood, and send tremors all the length of your spine, with accounts of a "flunk," or how we evaded an unpleasant "quiz." Besides the blase nerves of a sophomore have long since ceased to have impressions strong enough to record. What boots it if "Pat" or "Dupy" or "Tommy" or "Piggie B" or even "Huddy" has floored you. That no longer penetrates to the heart's core, as in those naive freshmen days when even the sun looked melancholy after a "flunk." Of course we do have "Classical Conferences" which make the blood go surging in its channels, with intense interest in subjects which appeal to every human heart, as "The use of 'prin' in the Greek comedy" and "The difference between the Colic and Dorian dialect in conditional sentences" and that mournful theme "The fate of the Greek 'van'."

We classical students have heard faint murmurings about a certain "Silver question" which is agitating the modern world, but we in the twilight of deep antiquity are more interested in the value of the three obols which an Athenian dicast or juryman got for his day's work. None but the initiated can understand the charm and the titillations of spirit, which attend the reading in Cato's graceful Latin, about how to build Latin pig pens, and the duties of a swineherd. How plausibly too does Pliny prove that the earth can not be round, since if it were, large bodies of water would surely fall off. To be sure the grace of these literary gems suffers at times in translations as the following taken word for word from a student's translation. "The thirsty camel with pepper in the stomach breathes forth Venetian red, harmful with smoky magpie, because of a dwarf decanter." Isn't it outrageous how the ancients treated dumb brutes? Here is another production, "And the eleven twentieths destroy those who are eager to sweat, but you may climb in the opposite direction to a double fish hook." These, of course, are resultants from the chemical combinations of a fool and a dictionary.

There is a matter of strictly modern interest which agitates us now. Shall the co-eds wear bloomers? We have a large and flourishing bloomer society, and their threats are dire. Hundreds of girls wear them in the Gym. Many wear them on the streets, but keep a bicycle close at hand, for defense, I suppose. All claim that they are so comfortable and so attractive. The gilded youth smiles beningly on the new fad, but the prim and decorus boarding house lady frowns. One fair bloomerite was actually driven out of her boarding house because of her devotion to the noble cause. I understand that she is to be sainted by the bloomer sect, and to take first place in their calender.

One short month and all will be over. Until then farewell.

C. H. VANTYNE.

BALLOONIST BURK HURT.

The Ascension Made at Blissfield Last Thursday With a Swift Drop.

Prof. Geo. J. Burk, who opened the season at Blissfield by a balloon ascension and parachute drop Thursday afternoon, sustained injuries in his descent which may prove fatal. His parachute caught in the top of a tree and he was thrown to the ground from a height of fifty or sixty feet, breaking his right arm and seriously injuring himself in the back and internally.

The Advance has the following concerning the accident:

The balloon ascension and parachute drop by Prof. Burk, advertised to come off last Saturday afternoon, was postponed until Thursday afternoon on account of rain and heavy wind. Thursday the weather was favorable and the professor made the ascension in the presence of a large crowd of people. The professor made some thrilling performances on the bar and made the drop with his parachute in good shape. The umbrella shaped thing came down very rapidly and the professor was unable to manage it, as he had done in times before, so that he alighted in a tree on the Wheeler flats. He lost his hold on the bar and endeavored to grasp the limbs of the tree. In this he was unsuccessful and he dropped to the ground, some sixty feet, remaining senseless on the ground. Friends immediately went to his succor and doctors were sent to his relief. Drs. Scriber, Eccles and Barnes were soon on the ground and found that his back had been severely injured and the right arm broken at the wrist. As soon as his immediate wants were attended to, he was removed to the Miller hotel where he is at this writing lying comfortable. Just how bad his back is injured cannot be told at present.

It may be that after all the freedom of the press is less a menace to the serenity of public officials than the occasional recklessness of the pulpit.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

DAILY FOOD.

I always know what day it is
By gazing on the board
Where Mrs. Jenks sets out for us
The best she can afford.
On Monday there is chicken stew
Made out of Sunday's roast;
And Tuesday, prunes, and mutton, too;
And groaning tables boast.
On Wednesday, cabbage and corned beef;
The hash appears next day.
And Friday's tripe augments my grief
That Boston beans allay;
Which every Saturday we eat.
And so I always know
How Father Time's big Trilby feet
Keep ever on the go.

—PITTSBURG BULLETIN.

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The utility of fence board advertising is illustrated in the following mix-up, caused by repairs in the fence: Bathe your baby with—sparkling lager beer.

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The Easter woman is just as attractive and lovely as the much-talked-of summer girl.

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Curious young men stand at the church doors until every female has marched out. The Easter bonnet is getting in its work.

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"Here comes the carriage, Maud! Fancy having to go and pay calls in such weather! It's enough to give one one's death of cold!"

"Worse than that, mother! Everybody's sure to be in!"

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She—"I think there is considerable room for improvement in ladies' dresses nowadays."

He—"Well, in the sleeves, especially, I should say there was room enough for almost anything."

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HOW TO GET RID OF THE BLUES.

The blues make the person suffering from their presence extremely uncomfortable, and her discomfort in a subtle way acts upon others, so that nobody is quite cheerful in her neighborhood. People who are "blue" are quite often cross as well, and are unable to accept pleasantly the ups and downs of every day. Now, when you think of it, you must admit that it is a very humiliating experience to be cross, for cross people are disagreeable, and none of us wishes to be that.

The best way to get rid of the blues is not to own that they have you. Put on your hat and go for a walk. Call on a friend and take her the piece of music you are to try together, or the book you have just finished, which you would like to lend her. Do something kind for somebody, and stop thinking about yourself. The greatest waste of time in this world, dears, is to think too much about one's self. Mrs. Browning gives the right idea in her poem, "My Kate," where she says,

"'Twas her thinking of others made you think of her."

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THE TYPICAL AMERICAN.

The typical Americans have all been western men, with the exception, let us say, of Washington. Washington had not had much of European culture. The qualities that made him a great commander and a great president, were qualities which would have made him an equally great frontiersman. You cannot imagine Hamilton, or Madison, or Livingston, or John Adams, or the Pinckneys, living tolerably on the frontier. They are not Americans in the sense in which Clay and Jackson and Lincoln are Americans. We may wish that the typical Americans of the past had had more knowledge, a more cultivated appreciation of the value of what was old and established, a juster view of foreign nations and foreign politics; that they had been more like Webster and less like Jackson; and we may hope that the typical American of the future will be wiser and better poised. But in the meantime the past is to be understood and estimated as the facts stand, and only a thoroughly sympathetic comprehension of these men who have actually been the typical Americans, will enable us to effect that purpose. The fact that Clay rather than Webster, Jackson and not John Quincy Adams represented the forces which were really predominant and distinctively American in our development, is commentary enough on any theory that makes either of the peculiar sections of the Atlantic seaboard the principal or only theater of American history.—The Forum.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

On May 21 and June 11 agents of Ohio Central lines will sell Home-seekers Excursion tickets to points in Virginia at one fare for round trip. Limit 30 days. Also tickets to points west and southwest on same basis. Limit 20 days. See Ohio Central agents.

W. A. PETERS, M. P. A.,
Detroit, Mich.

What Zoa Phora won't do for ailing women, no medicine will.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAY 24, 1895.

James Honley is clerking at Demuth's.

Geo. Waterhouse returned from Flint Tuesday.

A new boy at J. J. White's Saturday afternoon.

W. P. Cotton was in town Monday on cigar business.

Mrs. J. T. and Laura Clark were in Tecumseh Friday.

Will Noon, of Adrian, called on friends here Sunday.

Frank Hogan visited his parents north of the village Sunday.

L. W. Culver, of Jonesville, visited Mrs. Fred Palmer this week.

Mrs. A. O. Miller, of Blissfield, visited Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark Sunday.

[illegible] building a new porch on the front of his residence.

Mrs. Cooley has been moving into the Rose building this week.

That Chicago Italian band made fine music on our streets Tuesday.

Chas. Cooley and family of Iron Creek, visited at Robt. Bower's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hause, of Riley Center, visited relatives here last week.

S. W. Demuth visited at M. D. Alexander's in Franklin township, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, of Jackson, visited at Jas. Hogan's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kimball and daughter Ruth were in Tecumseh Monday.

Mrs. Geo. McConnell arrived from Chicago Tuesday, where she has spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kies went to Detroit Tuesday. Mrs. K. will remain for a short visit.

C. J. VanValkenburg is laid up this week with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Several of our young wheelmen rode to Adrian Saturday. They rode back too—on the train.

Fr. A. P. Ternes, of Adrian, and Fr. P. J. Ternes of Marine City, called upon Clinton friends last week.

Mrs. E. R. Smith went to Ann Arbor last Friday to attend the May musical festival. She returned Monday.

The Clinton high school alumni will hold a business meeting at Mrs. S. F. Marsteller's next Tuesday evening.

A. C. Huntington and wife and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and Baby Marie, enjoyed a day at Sand Lake, Tuesday.

Mrs. Patrick Swift, who has been blind for several years, died last Friday afternoon. The funeral was held Monday.

Mrs. H. D. Niblack attended the session of the Womans' Home Missionary Society at Ridgeway this week, as a delegate.

The Episcopal choir went to Manchester Tuesday evening to assist Rev. Blachford in the service held there that evening.

Miss Kate Abbott, of Chicago, and Mrs. Dan O'Riley of Laingburg, arrived in Clinton Saturday, called here by the serious illness of their sister.

Oliver Westfall and family, of Ypsilanti, called on friends here Saturday. They attended the wedding anniversary of Elwin Glimpse and wife Friday.

The members of the Junior class tendered a reception to the Seniors at Mrs. A. E. VanDeMark's last Tuesday night, and proved themselves royal entertainers.

The special school meeting of district No. 2, called for last Monday night, for the purpose of considering new plans for heating and ventilation, was adjourned one week.

Philip Keusch had the bad luck to badly wreck his new Columbia last Friday evening while indulging in a little race. Other Clinton wheels also suffered serious injuries last week.

Last Saturday morning was propitious for out door exercise and many of both sexes started on long trips. It is reported, however, that the weather changed and some came back in the rain and some came not back at all.

At the Parish meeting held last week Wednesday, the ladies of St. Dominic's, with their usual spirit of enterprise, decided to make extensive repairs about next August. The ceiling will be overhauled and the church newly carpeted throughout. A committee of three gentlemen was also appointed to grade and dispose of the vacant lots belonging to the society. The proceeds will be used to reseat the church.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

The Rev. O. L. Winton occupied the M. E. pulpit last Sabbath evening.

Mrs. J. L. Hudson, of Alpena, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. D. Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Jairus Main, of Brooklyn, were in town Monday afternoon.

Miss Zaida Dickerson came home from Jackson for a visit with her parents last week Tuesday.

The memorial sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. E. Platt, in the Baptist church, on May 26th.

Miss Lucy Poucher spent last Saturday and Sunday at her uncle's, William Gadd, in Bridgewater.

Mrs. A. F. Freeman, Mrs. William Burtless, Mrs. Emma Lapham and Miss Frances Logan drove to Ann Arbor Saturday, to attend the May Festival, returning on Sunday.

Baby Marie Edwards, the musical prodigy, gave an entertainment at Arbeiter Hall on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church and the Manchester O. E. S.

Epworth Leaguers!

Send stamp for official book "Historic Chattanooga," containing full particulars International Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Chattanooga next June. The Queen and Crescent Route will make one fare for round trip.

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W. A. Beckler, N. P. A., 111 Adams St. Chicago, Ill.
C. A. Baird, T. P. A., Detroit.
W. W. Dinnsavant, T. P. A., Cleveland.
W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. Cincinnati, O.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Work on Wm. Bradley's barns is progressing.

A colored family moved into the house with Patrick Blair Tuesday.

Lon Billington and F. Mangus are doing the carpenter work on Wm. Bradley's barns.

Misses Alma Whelan and Irene Allen and Messrs. Alton and Hoyt Whelan drove to Wampler's lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner started on a somewhat extended drive Monday. They will visit in Oakland, Shiawassee and Clinton counties.

Aunt Anna Allen has a tablecloth, the material for which, cotton and linen, were spun by herself when she was a girl of sixteen. Although 79 years old the cloth is in a state of good preservation and is a beautiful piece.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Killing frosts in these parts [illegible] week.

May Line is better and may return home the last of the week.

May Basket time and they seem to be very numerous these days.

Frank Gilbert is without farm help as his man left the first of the week.

John Stevens and family have moved back into their old home west of the Center.

Bert Salsbury was out Sunday with a bran new buggy. Bert will stand in with the girls pretty well now.

Nothing Stands as High,

as a remedy for every womanly ailment, as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is an invigorating, restorative tonic, a soothing and strengthening nervine, and a complete cure for all the derangements, painful disorders and chronic weaknesses peculiar to the sex.

For young girls entering upon the critical "change of life;" for women approaching confinement; nursing mothers; and every woman who is "run down," tired, or overworked—it is a special, safe, and certain help. Send for free pamphlet or remit 10 cts (stamps) for a book of 168 pages, on "Woman and Her Diseases" and how to cure them with home treatment. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, piles, biliousness, indigestion, or dyspepsia, and headaches.

Li Hung Chang is said to be gaining flesh. It's too late for him to turn the scales in favor of China, however.

Be Your Own Doctor.

For one dollar get a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure. It will last for three months and is absolutely guaranteed by your druggist.

Doctors say the only way to cure Catarrh and Hay fever is by inhalation. We have worked for years to accomplish a good simple method for inhaling medicine, and offer Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure, which is used by this new method, to the public, and guarantee it to cure any case, no matter of how long standing. One bottle is all you need to accomplish a cure. It will last for three months. Ask your druggist or address

THE MAYERS DRUG CO.

For Sale by Orr & Temple.

Grover Cleveland is fond of wild ducks but he has a natural objection to cackling geese.

A Valuable Find.

After years of study and labor, there has at last been discovered a sure and never failing remedy. It has been tested on patients who have despaired of ever being cured, the results have been, in every case, wonderful. Groff's Rheumatic Cure is unequalled as a positive remedy in all cases of chronic and acute inflamatory rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia; especially ovarian neuralgia, dysmenorrhœr and all kindred affections. It is also a valuable blood purifier, being especially useful in eczema, psoriasis, scrofula, all glandular enlargements and diseases of the liver and kidneys. It is absolutely free from all narcotics. Severe attacks are relieved in from one to three days and a positive cure effected in from five to eighteen days. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh, Mich.

There is positive danger that the wills of the late James G. Fair may become as numerous as the oldest Mason.

"A Friend in Need, is a Friend Indeed."

A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 924 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

My son was afflicted with catarrh, I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents. 1w

When you get a railroad Legislature what else can you expect but boodling, dissipation, extravagance and general cussedness?

Equal and Exact Justice Obtained.

Have you a claim against the General Government, either for a pension, for land under the various acts of congress, for damage done by Federal troops during the late civil war, or do you want a patent upon a practical invention which, though simple, may be the means of making a fortune for you, and perhaps revolutionizing some important branch of industry. If so, write at once to the Press Claims Company, lock box No. 588, or 618 F Street N. W., Washington, D. C., and they will tell you all about it, besides sending you without cost, if you are a reader of this paper and mention this fact, a very interesting little booklet containing the history of some important inventions, and how to proceed to obtain a patent. Address all communications to Phillip W. Avirett, Managing Attorney, Press Claims Company, Lock Drawer 688, Washington, D. C.

No need to fear the approach of croup if you have Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house. Never was a case that it wouldn't cure if used at the outset. 1w

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THE supreme court of the United States will adjourn for the term June 3.

REAR ADMIRAL R. W. MEADE was placed upon the retired list.

THE Piedmont Marble company, the largest in the south, was placed in the hands of a receiver at Atlanta, Ga.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

ADVOCATES of political reform issued a call for a national conference to talk over the situation at Prohibition park, Staten Island, N. Y., June 28 to July 4.

REAR ADMIRAL JOHN J. ALMY, United States navy, retired, died in Washington after a long illness, aged 80 years.

MRS. ADAM CARL, of Richmondville, Mich., celebrated her 110th birthday. There was no doubt of her age, as she had documentary evidence to prove it.

[illegible] first governor of California, died in San Francisco, aged 87 years.

ARTHUR M. WELLINGTON, editor of the Engineering News, died in New York, aged 48 years.

THE only male person ever born in the white house, Robert Tyler Jones, a grandson of President Tyler, died in Washington.

CHARLES H. HINMAN, secretary and treasurer of the Northwestern Traveling Men's association, died in Chicago, aged 52 years.

FOREIGN.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, the famous Crimean war nurse, was showered with congratulations in London on having reached her 75th birthday.

ADVICES from Honolulu declared that a change of administration would soon take place there, and that the monarchy would be restored.

The Chinese troops stationed at Shan Hai Kwan openly revolted and looted the city.

A NUMBER of warehouses and factories in London, covering one and one-half acres of ground, were burned, the loss being $1,000,000.

THE Spanish steamer Gravina, bound from Antwerp for Lisbon, was lost off Capones during a typhoon and only two of those on board were saved.

THE town of Brest-Litewski, in Russian Poland, with 40,000 inhabitants, was completely destroyed by fire and thirty persons were burned to death.

A DISPATCH from Shanghai says that complete anarchy prevailed in the island of Formosa. The Chinese soldiers had chosen a king and would resist Japanese occupation.

UNUSUALLY cold weather for this time of the year prevails throughout England, with snowstorms on the sea coast.

A CAREFUL examination of the figures of the Chinese national debt shows that at the present time the debt aggregates only about £10,000,000.

HALIFAX, N. S., was visited by a $300,000 fire and there was not a cent's worth of insurance on the property destroyed.

AN earthquake shock destroyed over 3,000 residences in Florence, Italy, and did great damage in the surrounding country. Many lives were lost.

AT Santiago de Chili the building occupied by congress was totally destroyed by an incendiary fire.

THE Norwegian bark Ceylon, Capt. Olsen, was wrecked near Dover, England, and six of her crew were drowned.

FIRE destroyed the tobacco and cigar factory in Havana known as the Flor de Fumar, the loss being $150,000. Eighteen firemen were injured, two of them fatally.

THE Manitoba school question, which at one time threatened open disruption between the Catholics and Protestants, was virtually settled by Lord Aberdeen in a way agreeable to both sides.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for waht seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail." —Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com.— Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

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ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

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(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

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Inaugurating the Fight.

The state democratic central committee of Illinois by almost a unanimous vote at a late meeting called a state convention to meet at Springfield June 5 to map out a course to be pursued by the party in the state. The address accompanying the call declares that the "next national campaign must be fought out with the currency as the issue between the parties, and it behooves the democratic party as a party to assume a decided position on this question and to draw its party lines according to the wishes of a majority of its members." Interviews with leading members of the party lead to the conclusion that the silver question is to be the leading issue and that the party will place itself squarely on a platform for bimetallism and free coinage of silver. The next national campaign will clearly be fought upon this issue and the friends of the white metal are preparing for the struggle. Illinois proposes to take the lead.

China, Japan and Silver.

Senator Teller, of Colorado, sees a prospect for an ultimate benefit to silver in case Japan requires China to pay the war indemnity in gold. "I have no fear," said he, "that in that event Japan will go to a gold basis. The people there have too long been accustomed to the use of silver, and the country is too prosperous and progressing too rapidly with matters as they are for them to desire a change."

They Won't Mix.

The same party cannot hold the gold-bugs and the free coinage men. They won't mix.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Stench.

Hon. Richard P. Bland, when interviewed on Mr. Cleveland's letter to the Chicago committee, said: "Gold monometallism is a stench in the eyes of the common people. Gold standard money for the bondholders, and the bankers, but the sufferings of the industrial masses from silver demonetization will not be endured longer without a struggle, the like of which this country has not seen since the late civil war. Mr. Cleveland must remember that this crystallization and combination of the gold standard sentiment and methods has brought disaster to the people of all gold standard countries, and this policy is now ruining this country."

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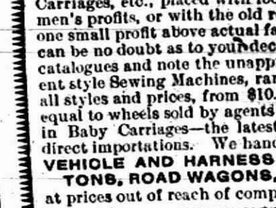

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Morris Harrington is on the sick list.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Osterhout visited at Johns this week.

Mrs. Wayne Johnson's sister is visiting here from Monroe.

C. Hoagland witnessed the League game at Adrian Tuesday.

Coveline's saw mill is closed. They are repairing the engine.

Work has commenced on the frame work of the new church.

Wesley Pennington and family called on friends here Sunday.

People with pleasure that the weather is growing a little hotter.

Mrs. Wells is suffering from the effects of a severe nervous chill.

Miss Lizzie McCarbery visited friends here Sabbath the first of the week.

Mr. Hiscock, of Toledo, is calling on Monroe and Britton friends this week.

Miss Sylvia Sowles returned from a pleasant stay in N. Farmington, Monday.

Farmer Osgood, of Morenci, spent a few days this week with his brother William.

Mrs. Underwood and wife also had a boy for Tuesday night. It's an 8 pound boy.

The Britton Giants go to Deerfield next Tuesday. Go with them and see a game.

Miss May Exelby, who has visited nearly three weeks, returned to Deerfield Wednesday.

Mr. Clark got some fine snap shots of the grain elevator while it was being transferred to Britton.

The Wabash pay car made some of the citizens more easy on the money question last Wednesday.

Pitching quoits is a very popular pastime on the Midway in these days of sport and pastime.

Hendershot Tent No. 467 will celebrate the 14th anniversary with the Knights of the Maccabees of Monroe county on June 11 and 12 inclusive.

We understand the constantly increasing value of Britton real estate has been fully recognized at the late board of review.

Don't forget the strawberry festival. It will be held Tuesday evening at the Methodist church by the society of Christian Endeavor.

The old stock yards, which have of late years become an eye sore to the community, have been removed. It is a decided improvement.

Only six innings were played Saturday between Britton and Tecumseh. At that time the score stood 12 to 6, in favor of the home team.

A goodly delegation from Adrian got on the Wabash Wednesday, on their way to the Woman's Home Missionary meeting at Ridgeway.

The L. O. T. M. wish to announce that their entertainment, which was postponed from last Saturday, will take place this week Saturday at Exelby Hall.

The A. C. Miller family, whose musical feast is well known by many of the residents of this place, will give a concert at Exelby Hall, Thursday, May 25. The proceeds will be used by the Knights of the Maccabees to make a payment on their organ. Let every body come out and give them a full house.

Messrs. Pulver and Geo. Clark were practicing the unique feat of riding two different bicycles over the same ground at one and the same time. The almost impossible performance was successfully accomplished with only the loss of a few spokes from their wheels and one of their trousers. This is a very small per cent of loss when we consider the number of wheels and trousers involved.

Last Sunday the elevator of D. D. Van Horn was finally moved from Ridgeway according to advertisement. The building of 30 large and high a building and that car was quite a trick in the moving business and drew quite a crowd from Britton and surrounding towns to witness the performance. The building was 30 feet high and about 56x22. This being in the top, thus making it rather top heavy. Engineer Joe Wells drew the car down with No. 25. The building was steadied on the car by several guy ropes from each side, by discreet and trusted Brittonites, and steady nerve brought it safely through without a mishap.

—NOTICE TO FARMERS.—I can show already excellent colts the product of my well bred stallions without fear of contradiction, we invite the public of Ridgeway and Lenawee and surroundings, to the fact that we have as good strains of Clydesdale blood as Scotland can produce. Terms $10, when six days old and all mares 1 1-3 miles east and 1 mile south of Britton. JAMES WRIGHT.

World's Columbian Exposition

Of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal science has been of equal importance. Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all other laxatives.

May.

Reduced Rate Excursions to Boston

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern will in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account Triennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the only double track line from Detroit to Boston.

Not only every one requires a tonic medicine in the spring. There is nothing as good as Foley's 20th Sarsaparilla. Sold by Orr & Temple. May

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Mothers of daughters should know Piso's Cure.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Farmers are busy fitting corn ground.

The hard frosts still keep up an appearance.

The heaviest rain for the season came Saturday night.

Mails close as follows: East, 11:18 a. m. West, 3:45 p. m.

Lou Arner went to Detroit Tuesday morning for an indefinite stay.

Presiding Elder L. P. Davis, occupied the sacred desk Sunday evening.

Mr. Kellogg, of Texas, an old vet., is spending a few days in the village.

Leila Sutton returned from her visit with friends at Toledo Monday afternoon.

A well is being dug at the cemetery which will be a much appreciated convenience.

Charles Steidle and George Chandler of Milan, spent Sunday in the village with friends.

W. L. Jones is improving the appearance of his barn and other out buildings by a coat of paint.

Willie and Mamie Fletcher received their pension last week which is very acceptable to them.

The Epworth League Experience Social will be held at the church on Friday evening of next week.

The grain elevator owned by D. D. VanNocker of Petersburgh, was moved from here to Britton, Sunday, on a flat car.

The baccalaureate discourse before the Ridgeway school will be given by Rev. Hartley Cansfield on Sunday evening, June 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Anderson, of Detroit, made a flying call with Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Jacob Arner, Sunday evening.

All articles desired for the Rambles for the HERALD, must be handed in by Tuesday night sure, or they will be too late, since the change in the mails.

Floyd Smith has the agency for the Star laundry of Tecumseh, and any in need of laundry work done would do well to see him when they have work of that kind done.

Subject next Sunday at the M. E. church will be: morning, 'Victory over Temptation;' evening, Decoration Day sermon, subject, 'Our Heroes. Rev. Hartley Cansfield, Pastor.

A. Lake is improving the appearance of his new home, the Waring property, in many respects, the latest being the rebuilding of the barns and moving the the cottage hall back from the street.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Clara Hendershot is spending a few days in Tecumseh.

Mr. Arthur Camburn, of Adrian, will occupy the M. E. pulpit next Sunday.

Mrs. Leonard, of Milan, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Osborn, Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Betzer is in Mason; she was called there by the sickness of her aunt, Mrs. Harriet Morgan.

Memorial services will be held at the Reformed church next Sunday at the usual hour of morning services.

Mrs. John C. Mills is in Ann Arbor with her sister, Mrs. Whiting, who is reported as doing well at the hospital at Ann Arbor.

There will be a Gypsy Social on the lawn of the Mills school house, Wednesday eve, May 29. Every one come and enjoy an evening with the Gypsies.

Notwithstanding a stormy day, the W. C. T. U. meeting last Saturday at the home of Miss Ann Hendershot called out a large attendance, for free-hearted hospitality is known to dwell in that home. Mrs. Emma Morgan was made Supt. of loyal temperance legion work, and a committee appointed to carry on medal contest work.

Decoration day will be observed with the following program:

Male quartette.
Invocation.
Recitation.
Address.
Solo.
Representation of the States by the children.
Male quartette.
Decorating the graves.
G. A. R. Exercises at monument.
Music—America.

A general invitation is extended to all to bring flowers and participate in decorating the soldiers graves.

Table Talk.

With the May issue of Table Talk, that valuable magazine devoted to the culinary art and household interests, adds much to its former reputation, both in looks and text. Dr. H. H. Hawxhurst, the well known authority on diet, gives the first of several articles on that subject, and Mrs. Burton Kingsland, the leading article on 'A Little Dinner.' The regular departments, 'Housekeeper's Inquiries,' 'The New Bill of Fare,' and 'Fashionable Luncheon and Tea Toilets,' are full of all the home-maker most enjoys, and during the remainder of the year many interesting additions will be made, as articles will appear by others of the leading American writers,—among them Octave Thanet, Mrs. Burton Kingsland, Mrs. John Sherwood, Miss Marion Talbot, Dean of the Chicago University, Miss Lucy Elliot Keeler, and so on, which will add much to the brightness of the magazine, while a series of articles by Miss Nora Smith, of kindergarten fame; those on 'Artistic Decorations,' by Miss Elizabeth B. Sheldon, whose work at the World's Fair is remembered with so much pleasure, will be valuable and entertaining. A sample copy will be sent any of our readers who address Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia.

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The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill, writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Eletric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statemnt. Price only 50c. for large bottle. At Orr & Temple's drug store. C

The charge made against Liliuokalani of being too much addicted to rum still stands. Perhaps this is in a measure due to the fact that Brother Lansing, of Boston, did not make it.

A Warm Friend.

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By means of its police force New York city is now making a thorough investigation as to the number of its inhabitants and hopes to bring to light some facts that will shock Chicago terribly.

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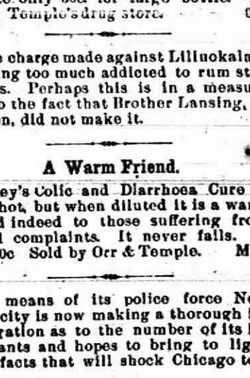
When Henry M. Hall, M. D., late surgeon U. S. A., Department of Tennessee, returned from the war he found a child afflicted with epilepsy. Leading physicians were consulted, without apparent benefit. Noted specialists could give but little if any relief. To rescue his child from a fate worse than death became the object of his life. For several years experiment followed experiment, until at last success crowned his efforts. In 1889 old age and infirmities induced him to impart the knowledge of how to manufacture it, under the agreement that a bottle should be sent free of all charges to any one applying for it, who was afflicted with epilepsy. Since then over 20,000 free bottles have been sent to the afflicted. Experience has proved that it cures Insomnia, St. Vitus' Dance, and all forms of Nervous Affliction. If you want to try this wonderful remedy free of all charge, write, stating your disease as plainly as possible; give your age and post office. Address The Hall Chemical Co., West Philadelphia, Pa



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NEWS NOTES.

The lieutenant governor and six officials were murdered and mutilated at Kuchan, Persia, during disturbances due to the premature collection of taxes.

By an explosion in a coal mine near Fairmount, W. Va., four miners were killed.

An engagement disastrous to the rebels was fought in eastern Cuba in which Jose Martf, who was proclaimed president of the revolutionary party, was killed.

A quantity of gold bearing sand was found in a well in the heart of Fort Smith, Ark.

The new and magnificent $1,000,000 temple of the odd fellows in Philadelphia was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies.

A powder house exploded at Pinole, Cal., killing fourteen men.

After making a fight for two years John B. Koeting, the banker who wrecked the South Side savings bank in Milwaukee, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years in prison.

In Costepre Castles, Mexico, fire destroyed many buildings and left thirty-five families homeless.

Frank P. Hastings presented to the state department at Washington his credentials from Hawaii as charge d'affaires.

Harmon, the professional diver, leaped from a bridge at Winona, Minn., 72 feet into the Mississippi river.

The Chinese emperor issued a decree recalling from the island of Formosa, ceded to Japan by the treaty of peace, all the Chinese officials on the island.

The Merchants' national bank at Seattle, Wash., suspended.

It was said that frost in Michigan did over $1,000,000 worth of damage in Allegan, Ottawa, Van Buren, Barry, Muskegon and neighboring counties.

Fire in Russia destroyed 200 houses at Kobur, 250 houses at Rushany and ninety houses at Pensa.

The entire grape and peach crop of western New York was destroyed by frost and the fruit was damaged in Orleans county, the great peach county of the state. The damage was placed at hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Franz von Suppe, the musical composer, died in Vienna, aged 75 years.

William Cogswell, of Salem, who had served continuously in congress from the Sixth Massachusetts district since 1886, died in Washington, aged 57 years. Mr. Cogswell was also a war veteran, entering the service as a private in 1861 and retiring as brigadier general in 1865.

Albion's New Plan.

Albion, May 20.—Albion college has organized a university extension department and is going to send specialists into the cities and towns in Michigan to lecture on Greek, German, French and English literature, astronomy, biology, chemistry, European and American history, political economy and finance.

First Shut Down in Years.

Elk Rapids, May 22.—The Elk Rapids Iron company's furnace has gone out of blast. This furnace has run continuously for twenty-two years. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment. There is over $300,000 worth of iron in the yards.

Broke His Neck.

Iron Mountain, May 19.—Charles Palmgren, a miner, fell down a wing at the Chapin mine, a distance of 60 feet, and broke his neck. James Trestrall was dangerously injured at the same mine by a fall of ore.

Cut to Pieces by a Train.

Berlin, May 19.—The body of a large man was found on the railroad track literally ground to pieces. The head was cut off from the body. There is nothing about his person to show who he was.

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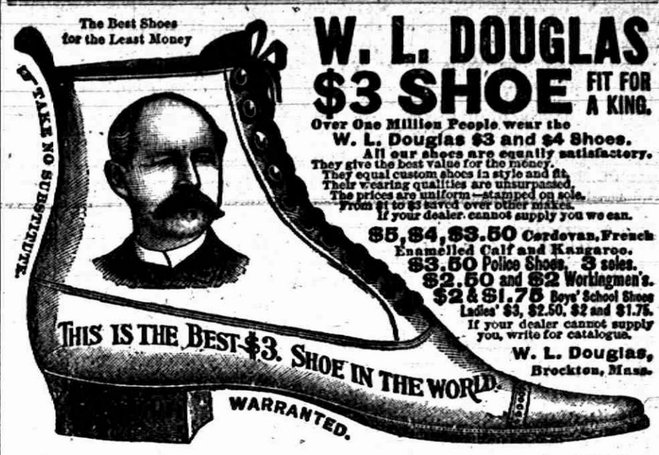

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Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 89 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee), all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4), of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

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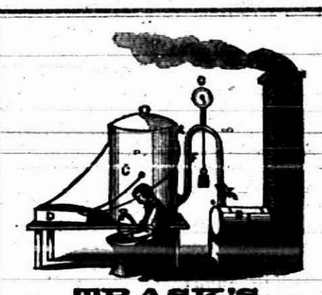

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 25, 1888.

DECORATION DAY.

The following information, in addition to what was given to the public last week, in reference to the observance of Memorial Day, will complete the program of exercises, as arranged by the committees.

The exercises on Military Square will begin promptly at two o'clock p. m., when this program will be presented:

Instrumental music—Tecumseh Cornet Band.
Vocal music—"Our native land of Columbia."
Prayer—Rev. J. P. Varner.
Vocal music—"A nation's heroes."
Oration—Rev. W. R. Blatchford.
Vocal music—"Garlands we twine."
Benediction—Chaplain L. Barnes.

At the completion of the program, the procession will form on Ottawa street. The line of march will be south on Ottawa to Chicago street; thence west to Union, and thence north to the cemetery, led by Marshal R. J. Garlinghouse and aides.

The procession will be made up in the following order.

First section—Tecumseh Cornet Band and Co. C, M. N. G.

Second—Boy's Brigade, clergy and President of the day in carriages.

Third—Floral Car, Beer's Post, G. A. R; veterans of the late war on foot and in carriages: the W. R. C. in carriages: citizens in general.

Upon arriving at the cemetery the procession will break ranks. A detail of the old soldiers will then decorate the graves of their fallen comrades. A detail from the W. R. C. will perform the same service for their own departed members. A detail from Co. C will scatter wreathes and flowers over the graves of their deceased members. Beers Post will then decorate the graves on their burial lot and pay a tribute to the unknown dead, with exercises from the G. A. R. ritual.

Vocal music will follow, entitled, "Hail, Heroes of Liberty," and the exercises will close with music by the band.

WHO WILL BE THE NEXT?

May 17 was a gala day in Dist. No. 5, Macon. The patriotic teacher, Miss Collins, invited Beers Post and Corps to participate in raising the stars and stripes over the schoolhouse where she teaches. As the flag was being slowly raised the school gave the salute, repeating the words "We give our heads and our hearts to God and our country; one country, one language, one flag." As she is implanting general knowledge to the young, she has included patriotism by this act. Very appropriate exercises were rendered by the school, after which an excellent patriotic oration was delivered by Rev. James Hageman, clearly showing why Christians and fellow citizens should uphold patriotic principles. Comrades were called on for remarks, and also Mr. Camburn, who teaches in another district, whose words were rendered with much feeling; being the son of a veteran, he knew whereof he spoke. An explanation of the salute was read, a short history of who and when the first flag was made and a selection, "The Flag of Liberty," was rendered by Mrs. Hanley. A beautiful song, "Be True to Thy Trust," by Isaiah Hendershot, closed the exercises, which were enjoyed by all.

Tecumseh Weather.

Below is a record of the weather taken twice each day for just one week, ending last Wednesday. The observations were taken at five a. m. and two p. m.

May 16,	Thursday	5 a.m.	38°	2 p.m.	65°
" 17,	Friday	"	40	"	60
" 18,	Saturday	"	38	"	64
" 19,	Sunday	"	38	"	65
" 20,	Monday	"	36	"	60
" 21,	Tuesday	"	34	"	58
" 22,	Wednesday	"	38	"	73

Sunday it rained after 4 p. m. Heavy rain nearly all night till after four the next morning and from three-quarters to one inch of water fell.

We think this a remarkable season, but seven years ago (1888) a cold wave came the 6th day of June and lasted for seven days, and frost again the 27th of June lasting 2 or 3 days, and again the 13th of July. I remember it well for Hiram Saxton and myself were in Deerfield in June planning to get rich raising tomatoes by the acre on the prairie and in consequence of the weather had to give it up. B. L. BAXTER.

The charge made against Lilliuokalani of being too much addicted to rum still stands. Perhaps this is in a measure due to the fact that Brother Lansing, of Boston, did not make it.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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Doctor Parkhurst, may we have a word with you?

There are thousands and tens of thousands of God-fearing citizens waiting and longing to hear from your lips a certain speech.

It need not be a [illegible] and yet, coming from you at this time, it would go ringing down the grooves of change long after your brave voice had been silenced forever.

You have told the people of New York city and the entire country truths that have blistered and cauterized. There is one more truth that we pray God you will tell them soon in the same unmistakable way. Will you do it? Will you tell just where the real seat of trouble is to day with our festering politics, and just why the efforts of reform have so far proved abortive?

What we ask you to do, Doctor Parkhurst, is to carry into the hearts and souls of the audience you alone command the same message that Wendell Phillips, standing before a cultured and scholarly audience at the anniversary of the Phi Beta Kappa of Harvard College, delivered 14 years ago. Here is what he said concerning efforts then recent to reform the politics of New York, and efforts as futile as those of the Lexow committee. Said Wendell Phillips:

"Evarts and his committee, appointed to inquire why the New York city government is a failure, were not wise enough, or did not dare, to point out the real cause, the tyranny of that tool of the demagog, the cornergrog shop; but they advised taking away the ballot from the poor citizen."

You know, Dr. Parkhurst—no one knows better—that Wendell Phillips told the truth when he said that. You know—no one knows better—that the saloon is still to day the potent factor in politics that is debauching citizenship and blocking the way of reform. You know as well as Phillips ever knew that the open gin-mills of New York must be extirpated and fumigated before social and political health can ever take up an abiding-place in this metropolis. But you have never yet told the public that. You will never fulfil your uttermost duty until you have told them that.

Tell them! Tell them before you go to Europe to scale those mountain peaks again. Tell them now, when those who were shouting peans of praise over the election of mayor Strong are amazed, downhearted, discouraged, and are asking themselves whether political reform is possible, and whether there is any use in further exertions. The Lexow committee, like the Evarts committee, has not dared to tell what the trouble is. The one said restrict the suffrage and all will go well. The other says bipartizanship is the only remedy. You know better, and we believe you will yet dare to tell the committee of seventy, the Good Government Clubs, and all the rest of the city that it is the saloon—not the saloon keeper, but the saloon—that is the citadel of corruption, crime, and political dovilitry, and that all efforts at reform with the gin mills inside will prove futile and fatuous.—The Voice.

Keeley Cure as an Educator.

Editor of The Voice.—The Court of Appeals has recently sustained the act of the last legislature of Maryland requiring Baltimore city and county authorities to send indigent inebriates to the Keeley Institute at the public expense. Mr. Hanes, who is the opposing attorney, has had the case appealed to the supreme court of the United States, because he thinks "there is no limit to the county and city governments if this decision stands. Why, the result would be disastrous, and would raise the taxes in every county, for the practical effects of the decision will be to have every man who is a habitual drunkard or liable to become one maintained to a certain extent at the public expense, no matter how well off his relatives may be.

Thank Heaven that a whiskey lawyer has become alarmed about the expensiveness of drunkards to the state, if the state is required to support its own progeny. If it is too expensive for the county and city governments (which are part of the state) to make sober citizens out of the inebriates which the state has made by license, why not have the state quit manufacturing inebriates?

Mr. Hanes' argument refutes itself with a vengeance, and he begs the question entirely when he insinuates that the drunkard ought to be maintained by his relatives who may be "well off." What right have the county and city governments to make inebriates by law, then turn them upon their relatives for support? What if the drunkard has no relatives, or suppose they too are drunkards? The statesmanship emanating from the saloon would say: "Let the saloon take the drunkard's money, bread, and home, then send the drunkard to the poorhouse." Has the county any relatives there who are "well-off?" Surely the drunkard has not.

I am impressed with the fact that the Keeley Institute is indirectly awakening sober and serious reflection on the liquor question which could not be awakened otherwise. I sincerely hope that the supreme court of the United States will confirm the act of the Maryland legislature; and when every state has a similar law, all sensible men will cease the infamy of supporting political parties that maintain the license system. A. S. BAUMGARDNER,
Hagerstown, Md.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Don't forget the ball game Decoration Day.

Mat Root arrived from Duluth, Minn., yesterday.

P. W. Adams returned to Philadelphia Tuesday.

The funeral of Wm. Anderson was held this forenoon.

Mrs. H. L. Stewart and daughter came from the South this week.

Fred Rosacrans took a trip to Ann Arbor Tuesday on his wheel.

Bishop Davies will officiate at St. Peters church next Monday evening.

Mrs. S. A. James came from Detroit Tuesday. Her son accompanied her.

David Jones and Minor Davidson called on friends in Brooklyn Monday.

Mrs. C. V. Hicks arrived from Oscoda yesterday for a brief visit in Tecumseh.

Arrangements are being made for a first-class ball game here on Decoration Day.

Z. C. Spencer, of Chicago, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Snedicor left Wednesday for a short visit at Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

The Manchester lodge will dedicate their new Masonic hall next Tuesday evening.

Garlinghouse & Co. shipped ten computing scales to San Francisco this morning.

Walter Lowry has purchased the oil wagon and business formerly owned by Bert Gray.

Henry Mensing is constructing a very handsome porch in front of Henry Smith's residence.

Geo. Scott and family, from New York State, are visiting at his brother-in-law's, W. W Marsh.

The fourth lecture on parliamentary law will be given at the Universalist church this evening.

The Bond Steel Fence Post company started work last week at Adrian with a force of eight men.

A subscription paper is being circulated to raise money to rent Bills' driving park for base ball grounds.

Mesdames Davidson and Mortimer attended the Woman's Home Missionary convention at Ridgeway this week.

Mrs. Clark, of Minneapolis, is spending a few days with her father, Mr. Weller. She sails for Europe June 1st.

Barkwell & Stickle have just put in a new steam washer with a capacity of 150 shirts. Every body can have a clean shirt now.

The N. Y. World, semi-weekly edition, is one of the best family newspapers now published. Clubbed with the HERALD at reduced rates.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linton entertained about sixty invited guests at a very pleasant party Tuesday evening—the fourth anniversary of their wedding.

The team which came down from Clinton Tuesday to play a picked up nine were rather badly beaten. The score was 26 to 6 in favor of Tecumseh.

L. D. Dewey has been painting and otherwise improving his residence south of Palmer's chair factory. It is now one of the nicest places on Pottawatamie street.

Last Wednesday C. E. Williamson shipped 15,120 dozen eggs, being 171,440 eggs in all, loaded into one car. That might well be called an eggs—traordinary shipment.

The topic of discourse at the Universalist church next Sunday morning will be "Capital Punishment." Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Advantages of Industry."

The Junior Auxiliary of St. Peter's church gave a very neat and substantial supper at Mrs. Corey's residence Wednesday evening. They will repeat the entertainment soon.

The Cutting Machine Co. is still conducting its business in that line independent of its manufacture of the Stimpson scale. The Anthony boiler flue cleaner is also made by these people.

Geo. Gilbert and Miss Nellie Goodrich were united in marriage Wednesday at the bride's home near Rea. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert have commenced housekeeping in town and their friends wish them prosperity and joy.

Yesterday was Frank Davidson's 56th birthday anniversary. He was born in Macon and has always resided in that town or Tecumseh. A singular coincidence in the family is the fact that the birthdays of Minor, Jehiel and Frank all come in May, on the 8th, 19th and 23d respectively. We think they are entitled to be enrolled among the pioneers.

Knapp & Osborn come to the front this week with a message about the Deering Pony Binder. Every farmer should read it.

Mrs. W. P. Root, of Cleveland, wife of the only remaining member of Jerry Root's family, came yesterday to attend the funeral. Mr. Root's health would not permit of the journey.

J. R. Haley has just turned out a handsome surry for Fred Wood. The vehicle is made with 6 inch wider track than the ordinary to fit the roads of old Virginia, is trimmed and finished in elegant style and is a beauty.

Union Memorial services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at the regular hour. Beers Post, the W. R. C. and Co. C. will attend in a body. The pastors and members of all the different churches are invited to participate.

A goodly contingent of members of the Clinton blue lodge attended lodge in Tecumseh last Friday night. The [illegible] by the visiting officers and brothers, spoke very flatteringly of their proficiency in the work.

A committee appointed at a late meeting of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. to prepare an address on the observance of Decoration Day, reported the same at last Monday's meeting. It appears on the first page and is a beautiful tribute to the soldier dead.

Dr. C. M. Woodward left Monday morning to attend the meeting of the association of Military Surgeons of the United States. The Doctor has taken an active interest in the association since its organization and is now chairman of various committees.

Wm. Anderson, who was well known in Tecumseh, met a rather sudden death in Palmyra Wednesday morning. It appears that while driving stakes the day before, he was taken with a severe pain in the region of the heart. He quit work, consulted a doctor, and was feeling better till Wednesday morning when he suddenly expired. Death is supposed to have been caused by the rupture of an aneurism of some large blood vessel of the chest.

Tuesday morning the Michigan supreme court handed down opinions in 38 cases. In 19 cases the decision of the lower court was affirmed and in an equal number of cases the decision was reversed. Among those that were affirmed and one in which the people of Lenawee county are interested was the case of Turner vs. Township of Ridgeway. This was a case that was brought into the circuit court a little over a year ago by a young woman against the township of Ridgeway, claiming damages for certain injuries received by a defective bridge.

Tuesday evening the residents of Tecumseh were shocked by the news that Jeremiah Root had suddenly expired at his home that evening. Mr. Root had been enjoying his usual health and had been on the streets during the day. Some time after supper he laid down and when next noticed had lost consciousness forever and the end soon came. Apoplexy was the cause of death. The deceased was 62 years of age and had been a resident of Tecumseh upwards of 30 years. During most of that time he was book-keeper and assistant of Wm. Hayden in the Globe mills, and was closely identified with the founding and growth of the large business which that mill has transacted as well as other interests of the concern. Some three years ago Mr. Root withdrew from the mill and has since given his attention to his vessel interests on the lakes. The funeral is held this afternoon from the house. It will be attended by the Masons of Tecumseh lodge, of which he was a member.

High School Happenings.

Monthly examinations today.

Prof. Z. C. Spencer was a caller at the office Tuesday.

Another intensely interesting game was played Tuesday afternoon between the High School Giants and the Clinton Swipers. Both teams played "awful" ball in the field and at the bases. The game was very close up to the second inning when the Giants found the ball and ran in nine scores. Six innings were played with the final score of 35 to 4 in favor of the High School. They apologized for "running up against" such an experienced team and wished the Giants a "blooming" career in the future.

The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 20 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lampkin, Lampkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to Union Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

By means of its police force New York city is now making a thorough investigation as to the number of its inhabitants and hopes to bring to light some facts that will shock Chicago terribly.

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STRAYED—A small grazing cause to my enclosure about ten days ago. Owner can reclaim same by proving property and paying charges. C. H. WHITE.
Ridge, May 24, 1895.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A middle aged or old lady capable of doing light house work, neat and tidy, can secure a home with same compensation by applying at the HERALD office.

LOST—On Sunday, May 19th, at the M. E. Church in Tecumseh, a pocketbook containing a sum of money. The finder will be suitably rewarded for its return to the HERALD office.
1w MRS. J. W. GRAY.

FOR SALE—A few ten-gallon milk cans, nearly as good as new, at $1.00 and $1.25, the $1 cans, twenty-five (25) cents.
JNO. T. CLARK,
Clinton, Mich.
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WATER RATES—Water rates for the season of 1895 are now due and must be paid within twenty days from date hereof; all rates payable at the office of the Clerk of Water Board.
Dated May 1, 1895. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

VICTOR BICYCLE—For sale cheap, if taken soon. A rare chance for a bargain. Call at the HERALD OFFICE.

MUSKAND LAKE COTTAGE—For sale. Property consists of Cottage, furnished, Ice House, filled, Boat and Boat House, etc.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 24, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bring along that wood.

Fred Shepard has a new Waverley bicycle.

Mrs. C. F. Field was an Adrian visitor Saturday.

The late cold snap whipped our woodpile completely.

Remember the Cantata at the M. E. church this evening.

Remember the W. C. T. U. supper at the Methodist church on Wednesday, May 29.

Mr. H. E. Rice, of Chicago, was the guest of A. F. Rice and family, over Sunday.

The Ladies' Social of the Universalist church give their regular monthly supper this evening.

Walter C. Burridge is in Ann Arbor this week, having some litigation there in the Circuit Court.

A. W. Anderson and Rev. C. M. Brown witnessed the program of the Ann Arbor musical festival last week.

The state military encampment will be held at Island Lake this year and will commence on Wednesday, Aug. 7.

Under the new time schedule C., J. & M. trains Nos. 22 and 23 will be discontinued on Sundays until Sunday, June 30.

Leon Rosecrans and Fay Anderson attended the May festival on their wheels—that is they road them over and back.

Dr. F. O. Teff has made a very convenient change in his office whereby he has much enlarged and improved his consultation room.

A B. Y. P. U. social will be held at the residence of Mr. John Fisher, on Friday evening, May 31. Arrangements will be made to provide conveyances for those wishing to attend.

Sam Baird, who has worked most of the time for the last four years for Jno. Haslett, left Wednesday morning for Colorado Springs, where he will remain for the purpose of building up his health if possible.

The rear end of the store of Kennedy & Rogers is being extended by building a one story addition of brick. This will give the new grocery firm the necessary room for their rapidly increasing business.

A. W. Slayton, Jehiel Davidson and Geo. Van Fine went to Toledo Tuesday and from thence over the Ohio Central to Louisville, Ky., to secure quarters for Beers Post at the coming national encampment.

J. W. Patterson, of Kalamazoo, stopped off here on his way to Elkhart Monday. Jim has purchased an old established drug business in Kalamazoo, where he has already built a comfortable and handsome residence.

An excursion train will run over the Jackson Branch next Sunday to Monroe for the benefit of the German Lutheran celebration in that city. The train will leave Tecumseh station at 8:05 a. m., returning in the evening.

Three thousand music lovers stormed university hall, at Ann Arbor, Saturday night, to hear "The damnation of Faust." The hall wouldn't hold the crowds, and the culmination of the May festival was a huge success. Nordica was a disappointment, but Heinrich and Reiger made hits.

H. A. Garlinghouse was an Adrian visitor Saturday.

Have you seen those fine new show cases at the City Bakery?

Miss Maggie Haire, of this village, is visiting friends in Adrian.

Henry Wing and Chas Sickles, of Adrian, were over Sunday on their wheels.

A farmer, who has investigated, asserts that the late frosts did not kill a single potato bug.

D. C. Le Baron of Toledo was in town Monday, but he hustled out again on the first train west.

Frank Snedicor and Vern Smith also have Waverley wheels. The Waverley seems to be a seller.

C. K. Smeed, editor of the Britton JOURNAL, made the HERALD sanctum a friendly call on Monday.

J. D. Shull will deliver the Decoration Day address at Monroe. The vets have made a wise selection.

Mrs. James Wilson, with her children, arrived in from Saturday from Detroit and will remain a few days with her mother Mrs. N. M. Sutton.

An Omaha man was fined by a police justice for peeping over a fence at a ball game. The justice may have considered it evidence of an unsound mind.

The new Lake Shore time table will be found in the appropriate corner. The trains run substantially as before, except the noon train north, which goes an hour later.

Cyrus Mead, of Ypsilanti, popped into the HERALD office Monday for a brief call. He brought Mrs. Levi Hayden home, who went to Ann Arbor last week to attend the May festival and then spent Sunday with her uncle in Ypsilanti.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. are constantly making improvements in their corner grocery. Their latest being a Hoyt computing scale of the '93 pattern. They have also put in an improved refrigerator of their own manufacture which will be of great convenience to themselves and customers.

"The Death of Stonewall Jackson" is the subject of a brilliant paper by Theodore Roosevelt in Harper's Round Table for May 21st. The same issue of the Round Table contains the first of a series of articles by Henrietta Christian Wright on famous American authors—this initial article being devoted to Washington Irving.

The Petoskey Democrat issued last week a twentieth anniversary edition, which was a stunner. It was a fourteen page paper, nearly the entire space being filled with half tone cuts and extended editorial notices of the leading mercantile houses and manufacturing establishments. It is a credit to Bro. Hampton's office and to the city of Petoskey.

Harper's Round Table, as Harper's Young People is henceforth to be called, announces for publication during the summer the following special features: "Heroes of America," a series of six articles by Hon. Theodore Roosevelt; serial stories by Ellen Douglas Deland and Capt. Charles King; "Sports of English Schools," by Casper W. Whitney; and "Great Men's Sons" (articles on the sons of Alexander the Great, Charlemagne, Luther, Shakespeare, Cromwell, and Napoleon), by Elbridge S. Brooks.

The gas well on the Bolton farm in Ogden continues to flow uninterruptedly, and, if anything, the pressure is said to be increasing. We understand Mr. Bolton has leased a part of the farm for oil and gas purposes to a party from Ohio, and it may be that in the near future that vicinity will become as active in this direction as the Ohio field. The Riga people are also still of the opinion that they want to develope the territory in that township, and a paying test well would create a grand rush for further development.—Blissfield Advance.

The Colonial Committee of the Board of Woman Managers for the Cotton States and International Exposition is gathering many rare and interesting relics of Colonial and Revolutionary days. These exhibits will be, in most cases, loaned by private individuals throughout the Union. From their nature, these relics are not for sale, and in many instances have never been on exhibition before. Among others will be a desk owned by George Washington, and now in the possession of a private citizen. This collection of colonial relics will be one of the most interesting ever seen in America.

The Kalamazoo Telegraph has the following concerning the game with the Kazoos Wednesday: Nine chocolate colored ball players, traveling under the name of the Page Fence Giants, in a private car, have been making a tour of the central states, demonstrating to the Western, National and minor league ball players that the latter know nothing of how the game should be played. St. Paul, Cincinnati, Grand Rapids, Dubuque and others had succumbed to African muscle and brains, and yesterday Kalamazoo's scalp was added to the already big stock of cappilaceous relics. In fact these dusky-hued sons of Adrian rubbed the rich colory earth of the league grounds deep into the hides of the local players. When the home team changed pitchers the visitors followed suit and the man they put in, one Miller, threatened to raise havoc with the construction of the grand stand; in fact he was so swift that Burns could hardly hold him.

Dr. L. Barnes spent most of last week at Saginaw.

Rev. Jas. Vincent was an Adrian visitor Monday.

L. W. Kimball and wife were down from Clinton Monday.

Miss Laura Clark, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. E. G. Cook, last Friday.

Mrs. A. W. James and daughter Helen arrived from Detroit Monday, for an extended stay at Tecumseh.

Farmers near Deerfield, who planted potatoes during the warm spell, will have to do it all over again. The tubers were baked by the heat and decayed.

Chas. Heck shipped in a car load of Pillsbury's flour the first of the week. This is the first and only lot of Pillsbury's flour ever brought to this market.

Mrs. F. Y. Montgomery, who has been visiting Mrs. Elsie Rowland for some weeks, has returned to Sommerton, a suberb of Chicago, where she will reside this summer.

Frank Hoxie has made permanent arrangements with the Kalamazoo league team, having signed with them while there last week. He returned this week to commence active duties in the box.

The new arrangement on the Mackinaw road is a great improvement. The extra passenger train each way will be appreciated by the traveling public, and the trains run very conveniently for both eastward and westward travel.

Pastor Smith will deliver his last sermon as pastor of the Baptist church in this place, on next Sunday morning. Owing to the memorial service to be held in the evening there will be no service at that hour at the Babtist church.

Our streets were enlivened Monday by some very good music from an Italian band from Chicago. As our dancers are prone to trip the toe to music of this kind, an impromptu party was at once gotten up and a very pretty dance enjoyed till twelve.

We are indebted to R. L. Baxter for a copy of the "Journal of the Michigan State Agricultural Society." It is volume one, number one, published in March, 1853, forty-two years ago last March. The Society seemed to be in a flourishing condition at that time.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the Methodist church parlor on Friday, May 31, at 3 p. m. Mrs. Fowler, Supt. of Franchise, will conduct the meeting. A good program has been prepared consisting of music, readings and other selections. All are cordially invited.

Rev. Wm. F. Harding was in town two or three days this week, called here by the sickness of his mother. He is now pastor of the second Congregational church, at Terra Haute, Ind. It is the most important charge he has yet had, as the church is a large and influential one. May success attend him.

The State Press Associations of Louisiana, Indiana and Minnesota have recently accepted the invitation to visit the Cotton States and International Exposition during October. The Indiana association gave up a July excursion, and the Minnesota association denied itself a trip to Yellowstone Park in order to come to the Exposition.

A convention of the Sunday schools of Adrian township will be held at Center school house, district No. 4, on Friday, May 31. An excellent program has been arranged and all are invited to attend. A picnic dinner will be held at twelve o'clock in Mr. Palmer's yard. Bring your baskets with lunch. Convention called to order at 10 a. m.

On convening the supreme court last Monday, Chief Justice Fuller read the decision of the court declaring the income tax law to be unconstitutional in toto. The vote stood 5 against to 4 for the constitutionality of the law. Those against the measure were Chief Justice Fuller and Associate Justices Field, Gray, Brewer and Shiras. This decision is in line with what has been expected with a full bench.

A hot box on a sleeper of the new paper train needed attention when the train pulled in here this morning. It was thought it could be adjusted from outside, but it was necessary to arouse two ladies asleep in the berth overhead and by the time they got out and the repairs were completed, 25 minutes had gone—yet it was mighty quick time considering two women had to dress.—Telegram of Tuesday.

The decision of the United States circuit court of appeals, in the case of the American Bell Telephone company et al., appellant, versus the United States, appellee, was filed with the clerk of the court Saturday. It reverses the decree of Judge Carpenter, declaring the Berliner telephone patent invalid and is a victory for the American Bell company. The decree practically concedes to the Bell company the monopoly of the microphone until 1908. Another victory for monopoly.

The Electricity building of the Cotton States and International Exposition was completed last week and the contractor has the Fine Arts building nearly ready to turn over. The work proceeds very rapidly this fine weather and great progress has been made during the past ten days. The work of parking the grounds is also well advanced and the contrast between the blue limestone of the avenues, the green of the sod and the darker green of the shrubbery, produces a charming effect. The terraces will be covered with running honeysuckle.

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., May 17.—The senate on Thursday passed a bill providing for the recovery of premiums paid to so-called "graveyard" insurance companies and a bill prohibiting political fusion upon all nominations for offices down to constable, and in committee of the whole agreed to the Barnard bill providing for a reduction of the membership of the house from 100 to 64, and to the bill appropriating $25,000 for the removal of the homeopathic department of the university to Detroit.

LANSING, Mich., May 18.—The senate Friday passed the house bill appropriating $28,068 for each of the years 1895-96 for the support of the industrial home for girls and the bill for the incorporation of labor societies, empowering them to sue and be sued. A university appropriation bill similar to that defeated in the house Thursday was taken from the table and referred to the university committee and a hard fight will be made to force it through in the last days.

LANSING, Mich., May 22.—The Smalley bill, providing death by hanging for murder in the first degree when recommended by the jury and affirmed by the trial judge, passed the senate Tuesday by a vote of 19 to 13 after a debate lasting over seven hours. The senate defeated the Shaw newspaper libel bill on its final passage by a vote of 16 to 10. A bill passed providing for slaughter of English sparrows during the entire year and providing a [illegible] head, also the bill making an annual appropriation of $1,000 for support of the state weather service. The Donovan bill requiring railroads to sell interchangeable mileage books good for any members of the purchaser's family was tabled by the senate pending investigation as to its constitutionality. The bill was given a substantial majority in the house.

House.

LANSING, Mich., May 17.—The bill of Donovan, the lone democrat, making it obligatory on all railroad companies doing business in Michigan to sell mileage tickets good over any road in the state was passed by the house Thursday, after being amended so as to permit the use of the mileage by any member of the family of the person purchasing it. The fight of the session in the house came up over the bill appropriating $60,000 for special improvements at the Michigan university. The amount in the original budget had been reduced from $192,000. When the vote was finally reached it was defeated, 43 to 44, but the vote was reconsidered and the bill tabled and the fight will be renewed.

LANSING, Mich., May 18.—The house passed a bill on Friday compelling the employment of at least one brakeman for every two passenger cars. The bill fixing the compensation of members of the legislature at $750 is not likely to pass. It was recalled from the senate and tabled in the house. Final adjournment is set for May 21, and sessions will be held every weekday and evening hereafter. There is still much important legislation to be considered, including the legislative, senatorial and congressional apportionment bills.

LANSING, Mich., May 21.—The house on Monday passed bills providing a ¼ cent per capita tax for support of the Michigan naval brigade; providing that surety companies may be sureties upon the bonds of state officers, and providing for warehousemen's liens. The house passed the senate bill providing for the pensioning of teachers in the Detroit schools after twenty-five years' service. At night the legislature met in joint session and memorial exercises were held in honor of United States Senator Stockbridge.

LANSING, Mich., May 22.—The house on Tuesday, by a vote of 53 to 9, passed the Robinson bill reducing railroad passenger fares in the upper peninsula from 4 to 3 cents a mile, and the bill permitting certain beneficiary societies to continue their business of providing death and sick benefits without employment of the lodge system. The Waite bill, known in legislative parlance as the anti-treating bill, was agreed to in committee of the whole. It provides a penalty for inviting and treating persons to liquor in saloons. The house also agreed to bills appropriating $1,000 annually for the support of a state weather service, amending and strengthening law for punishment of persons soliciting [illegible] unauthorized companies, and providing for a closed season during the month of November for fish in the great lakes. The Kelly representative apportionment bill was defeated on third reading.

ART SUPREME AT DETROIT.

Annual Exhibition Opens Under Auspicious Circumstances.

DETROIT, May 19.—In spite of the inclement weather, the light infantry armory was crowded to the doors Saturday night, when the Detroit Art club formally opened its first annual exhibition. In the collection there are over 700 paintings of the best American and European artists, besides a fine collection of ceramic art work, oriental rugs and architectural designs. One of the most observed pictures in the collection is Percy Ives' recently completed portrait of Grover Cleveland. Among other paintings shown are three Bougereaus, Blashfield's "Angel of the Flaming Sword," Decamp's "The Mirror," Moseler's "Wedding Feast," Beckwith's "Sleep," Neuville's "Ambush," and Margaret Wendell Huntington's impressionist, "Near Bracey's Cove," which narrowly escaped being hung upside down. The exhibition will run two weeks and will be open Sundays.

Heavy Judgment for Mr. Harrison.

KALMAZOO, May 21.—Judge Buck handed down a judgment in the famous Harrison land case, which involves a larger sum of money than any other case in this circuit court in years. The judgment gives Mr. Harrison, the complainant, $74,164.70, and releases him from the payment of notes amounting to $38,250, and the interest, which, if added in, would make the latter amount in the vicinity of $49,000, which brings the judgment to approximate $124,000. The judgment is against Smith Brothers, of Three Rivers.

Death of Charles S. Dayton.

KALAMAZOO, May 18.—Charles S. Dayton died Friday morning from a complication of diseases. He was 65 years of age, prominent in business and political circles, president of the City national bank since its beginning in 1874, and also connected with the late Senator Stockbridge in important business deals. Mr. Dayton was president of Kalamazoo village and later a member of the city council.

Big Reward Offered.

DOWAGIAC, May 19.—Fred Lee, manager of the Beckwith estate, offers a cash reward of $2,500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who set fire to the storehouse of the Round Oak stove works a few weeks ago.

Business Is Better.

KALAMAZOO, May 22.—The Telegraph publishes an article on the state of business among local and neighboring manufactories. The reports from business men are very favorable, and indicate a general revival of trade in nearly all lines of productive industry.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

The Flushing fair will be held September 25, 26 and 27.

The bay at L'Anse has recently been stocked with 3,000,000 small white fish.

Mrs. Loretta Spratt, of Jackson, won the first prize for rapid work in a recent typewriting contest at Cleveland, O.

George Clapp, a liveryman of Manton, was found dead in bed at the Michigan house in Grand Rapids. The gas was escaping from an open fixture, and he was undoubtedly asphyxiated.

Several large mint plantations have been set at Klinger lake this spring.

About 50,000 bushels of wheat have been fed to stock in Lapeer county during the winter.

At Burr Oak 4,000 dozen eggs were bought by merchants in one day and a single dealer took in 999 pounds of butter.

Bishop Hurst, of Cincinnati, O., has been appointed to preside at the Michigan M. E. conference which convenes at Albion September 18.

Union City Maccabees will observe the fourteenth anniversary of the founding of Maccabeeism with a big jubilee and a basket picnic June 11.

Jackson has at last decided to extend the street car line to Vandercook's lake. The extension will cost about $35,000.

Annual meeting of the Michigan W. C. T. U. will be held at Battle Creek June 4, 5, 6 and 7.

The Michigan State Medical society will hold its thirtieth annual convention in Bay City, June 6 and 7.

WAS BORN IN 1785.

Richmondville Is the Home of a Woman 110 Years of Age.

RICHMONDVILLE, May 18.—Mrs. Adam Carl, of this place, was born in 1785, and has kept close track of all the events that have happened during her long life. Her dark brown hair is as glossy and smooth as it was a half century ago, and her faculties are unimpaired. She lives in a neat cottage with her husband and does all the household work for the pair. Not only this, but every Sunday she walks 1½ miles to church, and is in remarkably good health. Her present husband is her third matrimonial venture, and she rejoices in the fact that she is a great-great-grandmother. There is no doubt of her age, as she has documentary evidence to prove it.

INDICTS MANY OFFICIALS.

Grand Jury at Bay City Returns Fifty-Eight Bills for Malfeasance.

BAY CITY, May 22.—The grand jury reported Tuesday to the circuit court after six weeks' work. Fifty-eight indictments were returned against various officials for malfeasance and misfeasance in office. Several hundred dollars belonging to the people have already been returned to the county treasury. The persons indicted will be arrested and tried later. The jury reports crookedness on the part of supervisors, justices and others.

Failure in Grand Rapids.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 22.—Acting under direction of the mortgage bondholders, the Michigan Trust company, as trustee, took possession of the Widdicomb Mantel company's plant, closed the plant, and will keep it closed until the bondholders decide upon a plan for the future. Bonds to the amount of $92,000 are outstanding, issued three years ago to secure creditors, and there is about $40,000 due unsecured creditors. Owing to the hard times the business has been unprofitable.

Republican Editors Meet.

HASTINGS, May 20.—The convention of Michigan republican editors was held here last week. Many topics of interest to the craft were discussed, as well as questions of a political nature. F. R. Gilson, of the Palladium, Benton Harbor, was elected president; W. R. Cook, of the Banner, Hastings, secretary, and C. H. Chase, of the Republican, St. Louis, treasurer. A banquet was given at the Hastings house Friday night. Addresses were made by Gov. Rich and a number of others.

Awarded $15,000.

MUSKEGON, May 19.—A jury in the circuit court awarded a judgment of $15,000 to George Wood against the E. G. Miller Hernia company of Chicago and Detroit this evening. The jury was out 1 hour and 5 minutes. Some time ago this company operated upon Mr. Wood for rupture and receiving ill results he brought suit with the above result.

A Fisherman's Luck.

HUDSONVILLE, May 22.—Henry Creswell while fishing at the Ottawa Beach resorts pulled up on his hook a solid silver purse containing a diamond ring, a pair of diamond eardrops, and some Spanish gold doubloons. The purse had evidently been in the water a long time. No clew to the owner was found about it.

First Michigan Strawberries.

BENTON HARBOR, May 19.—The first strawberries to be shipped from the Michigan fruit belt this season were sent from the Union pier to Chicago Friday. The consignment of only one case was shipped by A. Willard. The fruit was fine and the prospects were never better for a large crop.

Milnes Resigns.

LANSING, May 16.—Lieut. Gov. Alfred Milnes sent his resignation to Gov. Rich to take effect May 31, the date fixed for adjournment of the legislature. Mr. Milnes was elected to congress as Julius C. Burrow's successor.

Blaze in Detroit.

DETROIT, May 21.—Fire at midnight gutted the four-story building occupied by the Imperial Tea company and practically ruined its stock. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $12,000.

Found Drowned.

HOUGHTON, May 18.—Jerry Murphy, an old resident, was found drowned in Portage lake. Death is supposed to have been accidental.

WORK OF JACK FROST.

Grapes Suffer Seriously and Corn and Other Grain Damaged.

DETROIT, Mich., May 22.—From returns received from all parts of the state it is evident that the frost of the last cold snap has done over $1,000,000 worth of damage in Allegan, Ottawa, Van Buren, Barry, Muskegon and neighboring counties, to say nothing of the damage along the southern tier of Michigan counties. Advices from Allegan indicate that Monday night's frost, the most severe of the season, killed the fruit which had not suffered previously, the raspberry, cherry and peach product being entirely cut off. Monday night's frost in Wayne county, which includes Detroit, cut down all the garden truck and flowers, besides ruining the budding fruit trees. Returns from Holland, St. Joseph, Port Hope, Sturgis, Benton Harbor, Hastings, Kalamazoo, Monroe, Adrian and various other towns and cities show that the damage has been very great. Nothing escaped that was not protected. The weather now is reported as much warmer, but there is nothing left to kill except in isolated instances. Fruit and vegetable raisers are in despair.

FATAL FIGHT WITH A BOAR.

Farmer Frightfully Lacerated by a Hog That He Met on the Highway.

UTICA, May 22.—Fred Goff, a farmer living near this village, and a mad boar had a desperate fight Monday on the road near Goff's home. The boar was in the road when Goff drove up. He dismounted from his wagon seat when the pig refused to get out of the road and struck at the animal with his horsewhip. At the first blow the boar charged on him, and Goff, not expecting anything of the kind, was ill-prepared for the assault. In the first rush the boar knocked Goff down and attacked him with his teeth, nearly tearing the calf from his left leg. Goff struck at the boar with the butt of his whip, but was unable to drive the brute away until some laborers in a near-by field heard his cries and rushed to his assistance. Before they arrived the hog had bitten Goff severely on his left leg and body and the men were forced to kill the boar before it gave up the battle. Goff was taken to his home, but the doctors say he cannot possibly recover.

CHAIRMAN WON'T RETIRE.

The Prohibition State Central Committee in a Wrangle.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 18.—The prohibition state central committee Friday night adopted resolutions asking Chairman Fanning, Treasurer A. M. Todd and C. E. Wisner to resign. Todd and Wisner promptly complied, but Fanning refused. Resolutions were adopted exonerating Todd of the charges preferred by Fanning in reference to the liquor vote in his recent congressional campaign in the Third district. The resolution asking for Fanning's resignation alleged among other things that he had secured his election by improper methods. The committee cannot force him out, as he was elected by the state convention, but the payment of his $1,800 salary can be stopped. E. A. Richards, of Saranac, was elected treasurer to succeed Todd, resigned.

MAY FESTIVAL A SUCCESS.

Ann Arbor Crowded with Visitors to Hear Nordica and Other Artists.

ANN ARBOR, May 18.—The May festival of music which came to a close Saturday night has proven a grand success. Ann Arbor was overcrowded with visitors, some being forced to go to Ypsilanti for accommodations. University hall has been jammed at all the concerts. Clarence Eddy's recital on the Columbian organ was given Saturday morning. Concert three in the afternoon was an orchestra matinee. Saturday night was the crowning glory of the festival and was by far the finest musical effort ever made in Ann Arbor. Mme. Nordica William Rieger and the Choral union calling forth especial applause.

One Man Killed.

HOUGHTON, May 17.—At 1:10 o'clock Thursday afternoon there was another big explosion at the Hancock chemical works at Dollar Bay, 3 miles from here. Fred Shoper is known to have been killed and several others were injured. The office and several other buildings were blown to pieces. The property loss amounts to several thousand dollars. The debris was scattered over a half mile of ground.

Dead at Her Child's Grave.

ROCHESTER, May 21.—Mrs. J. G. Ross has been in the habit of visiting the cemetery several times a week to place flowers on her daughter's grave. Sunday afternoon she left home as usual for the journey and failed to return on time. An hour later her dead body was found lying at the cemetery gate. She had succumbed to heart disease.

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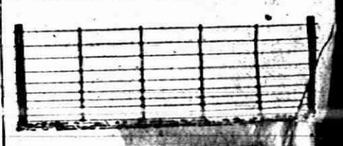

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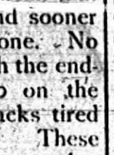

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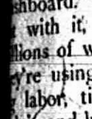

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DOMESTIC.

FIVE men were injured, three of them fatally, by the giving way of the inside work of a cotton mill in process of erection at Atlanta, Ga.

W. N. COWELL, an attorney at Kenosha, Wis., was arrested in Chicago, charged with being concerned in one of the most extensive land swindles operated in this country in years.

ELI WILLIAMS, of Philadelphia, fractured his wife's skull with an ax and then blew the top of his head off with an old army musket.

"APACHE KID" and a band of renegade Apaches had a fight in Arizona with Indians on the reservation, killed one squaw, injured several others and carried one away.

AMOS B. HOSTETTER, leaf tobacco dealer at Lancaster, Pa., failed for $250,000.

DURING the ten months ended April 30 last the imports of merchandise amounted to $302,560,634 against $230,730,221 in 1894, and the exports amounted to $676,920,337, against $754,499,072 in 1894. The exports of gold amounted to $64,414,471, which is $36,209,709 in excess of the imports.

AT Loveland, O., Frank Hill and George Myers collided while going at full speed on their bicycles, fracturing each other's skulls. Both were not expected to live.

CHARLES MURPHY and two other railroad men were burned to death in a boarding house at Osterburg, Pa.

CLOVERNOOK, the historical home of the poetical sisters, Alice and Phœbe Cary, near Cincinnati, was sold under foreclosure. The Briggs-Swift estate bought it to be preserved as an historical literary center.

IN the great Brooklyn (N. Y.) handicap race Hornpipe won by a length, with Lazarone second and Sir Walter third. Time, 2:11¼.

THE number of immigrants who arrived in the United States during the last ten months amounted to 193,621.

FRED HAUKOHL, city treasurer of Manitowoc, Wis., committed suicide by shooting. He was said to be short $2,000 in his accounts.

THE German deposit bank at Massillon, O., closed its doors.

GEN. W. H. POWELL, of Belleville, was elected commander of the Illinois G. A. R. at the annual encampment in Bloomington.

BURGLARS blew open the safe in the bank at Anderson, W. Va., and carried off $5,000.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON was present at the fiftieth anniversary in Newark of the New Jersey Historical society and was presented with a gold medal.

EX-MAYOR BEN RUSSELL, of Lexington, Mo., committed suicide by shooting himself because of financial troubles. He was the oldest native born citizen of Lexington.

LIEUT. GOV. MILNES, of Michigan, sent his resignation to Gov. Rich, to take effect May 31. Mr. Milnes is the successor to Julius C. Burrows in congress.

THE president signed proclamations declaring the Yankton Sioux reservation in South Dakota and the Siletz reservation in Oregon open to settlement at noon May 21.

THE window-glass manufacturers throughout the country decided not to form a trust.

GOV. TURNEY issued a call for an extra session of the Tennessee legislature to meet May 27.

THE Citizens' bank at Redwood Falls, Minn., closed its doors with assets of $150,000 and liabilities of $100,000.

THE San Juan and Kings rivers in California overflowed an immense area and did great damage.

ALBERT HALL, who murdered his cousin, Volney Baird, for the latter's attentions to his (Hall's) wife, was acquitted at Lexington, Ky.

ANOTHER explosion occurred at the Hancock chemical works at Dollar Bay, Mich., killing Fred Shoper and doing great damage to property.

AT Pine Bluff, Ark., Mrs. Kate Reed killed her 3-year-old child and then took her own life. She was recently deserted by her husband.

ETHELBERT STEWART, special agent of the United States bureau of labor, says there is more child labor in proportion to manufacturing institutions in Wisconsin than in any other state.

JOHN HOWERTON (white) was lynched by a mob at Marion, Ky., for assaulting Anna Pierce, the 16-year-old daughter of a prominent farmer.

FIRE in the west end of Coney Island, N. Y., destroyed about 100 buildings, causing a loss of $250,000.

THE New York legislature adjourned sine die.

THE 107th general assembly of the Presbyterian church convened in Pittsburgh, Pa.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 17th aggregated $1,161,884,506, against $127,123,981 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 30.7.

FOR a radius of 15 miles in the neighborhood of Buckley, Wash., the fir forests were on fire.

FRANK DILL, Frank Walker and Robert Moreland were struck by lightning and killed near Montgomery, Ala.

THERE were 211 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 17th, against 227 the week previous and 219 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE mine strike in the Pittsburgh (Pa.) district, affecting 20,000 men, came to an end, the miners returning to work at the old prices.

A TENEMENT house collapsed at Providence, R. I., and Asa Aldrich, Mrs. Mabel Guerlin and a child of Louis Lemoine were killed and eleven other persons were injured.

Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., was completely cured of scrofula after seventeen physicians had failed to give him relief. Burdock Blood Bitters did it. 1w

THE total collections from internal revenue sources for the past ten months of the current year foot up $130,653,071, an increase over 1894 of $1,511,724.

THE grape crop in southeastern Iowa was almost completely ruined by the recent frosts.

IKE KING was hanged at Helenwood, Tenn., for murdering W. A. Beck. It was the first legal hanging in the history of Scott county.

THE barkentine Josephine, Capt. McLean, from Rio Janeiro with a $300,000 cargo of coffee for Baltimore, went ashore 18 miles south of Cape Henry, and the cargo was lost.

IT was reported that Chief Justice Fuller had completed writing a decision which upsets the income tax law entirely and wipes it off the statute books. The justices voting against the tax were said to be Fuller, Shiras, Field, Gray and Brewer.

A RICH mica lead was discovered in Clay county, Ala., in the foothills of Talladega mountain.

THE Vanderbilts completed a deal of gigantic proportions by the purchase of a majority of the stock of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 18th were: Pittsburgh, .682; Cincinnati, .667; Boston, .632; Chicago, .615; Cleveland, .545; Philadelphia, .526; New York .500; Baltimore, .470; St. Louis, .400; Brooklyn, .350; Washington, .300; Louisville, .250.

THE Wisconsin paper and pulp mill was destroyed by a fire at Stevens Point, Wis., the loss being $500,000.

THERE men lost their lives in a fire at Gate City, Ala.

A FIRE swept St. Albans, Vt., destroying dwellings, business blocks, public buildings and a large amount of other property. The loss was $750,000.

JAMES C. CORBETT, Charles Williams and George Allen were arrested at Denver, Col., charged with counterfeiting.

PRESIDENT WILLIAM H. THOMPSON, of the Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, issued an order forbidding any and every employe of the bank from attending horse races under penalty of dismissal.

JERIDE SHIVERS (colored), who assaulted a young white girl near Montgomery, Ala., was taken to the river by a mob and drowned.

KILLING frosts were reported in fifteen different states of the west and northwest.

DURING the week ended on the 18th fires in the United States caused a total loss of $1,438,805, against $3,032,055 for the preceding week.

CHARLES, Andrew and Robert Smith, brothers, at work in a coal mine in Winfield, W. Va., were caught under a fall of slate and killed.

IT was stated at the department of justice in Washington that nothing could be done to keep the United States courts going as congress failed to make an adequate appropsiation.

FARMERS in Porter county, Ind., claimed that nearly half the wheat crop had been killed by the Hessian fly.

SAMUEL ECBOLS, Sim Crowley and John Brooks (all colored) were lynched by a mob near Ellaville, Fla., for murdering Miss Mamie Armstrong, the beautiful daughter of a prominent farmer.

A CYCLONE struck near Luling, Tex., unroofing several houses and killing a small negro boy. Crops in the track of the storm were blown out of the ground.

FOURTEEN mad dogs were killed at St. Joseph, Mo., after they had bitten several persons.

THE Milwaukee Street Railway company, with a bonded indebtedness of nearly $12,000,000, went into the hands of a receiver.

AN order was issued for the arrest of all persons who ride bicycles on Sunday at Babylon, L. I.

THE income tax law, after being twice heard in the United States supreme court, was finally decided by that court to be invalid and unconstitutional. The vote in the affirmative was Harlan, White, Brown and Jackson; in the negative, Fuller, Field, Shiras, Gray and Brewer.

MRS. WARWICK, living near Oskaloosa, Ia., poisoned her three children and then committed suicide. Two of the children would die.

THE botanist of the agricultural department in Washington says that the decrease in the value of lands in this country due to weeds amounts to tens of millions of dollars a year.

HARRY HAYWARD, convicted of inciting and planning the murder of Catherine Ging in Minneapolis, will be executed on June 21.

CRAWFORD & VALENTINE, a stock brokerage firm in Chicago, made an assignment with liabilities of $100,000.

CHARLES AIESTER, a teamster at Grant's Pass, Ore., threw his wife into a pool of water and held her head under until she was drowned.

THE thirtieth anniversary of the establishment in Lexington, Ky., of the first colored school south of the Mason and Dixon line was celebrated.

JOHN G. CARLISLE, secretary of the United States treasury, opened the discussion of the silver question at Corington, Ky., speaking against free coinage.

THE announcement was made by Internal Revenue Commissioner Miller that under section 3,220 of the revised statutes all the moneys paid in on account of the income tax will be refunded to the payers by the treasury department without delay.

STEPHEN J. FIELD, who was appointed by President Lincoln an associate justice of the supreme court thirty-two years ago, celebrated the anniversary in Washington.

STEVENS & Co., New York commission brokers, failed for $100,000.

CIVIL service examinations for clerks, storekeepers and gaugers will be held in sixty-three of the principal cities and towns the latter part of June.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 20th was: Wheat, 50,484,000 bushels; corn, 7,566,000 bushels; oats, 6,333,000 bushels; rye, 149,000 bushels; barley, 183,000 bushels.

THE Commercial bank of Kingfisher, I. T., made an assignment in favor of its creditors.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning May 26. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, Soliloquy on Integrity.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xxvii, 1-6.

The discussion between Job on one side and his friends on the other concerning the true explanation of human sufferings and the Divine government draws toward a close. It began with Job's complaint. Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar each spoke in turn and were replied to separately by Job. They held that Job's calamities were proof of his wickedness. He stoutly asserted his integrity. A second series of speeches and replies followed, yet neither side was convinced by the other. A third round of the argument is in progress. Eliphaz has spoken and Job replied. Bildad has for the third time reiterated the accusation of wickedness and exhausted all his resources of persuasion. Job is now in the midst of his answer and shows his opponents that he can discourse as eloquently as they on the advantages of integrity and uprightness of character.

Revivals Needed.

Dangers confront the church of God on every side. In the city and in the rural districts it is the same. The great world lieth in wickedness. Worldliness and apathy threaten to paralyze the church. Vice is rampant and seated in the place of power in government and social circles. Business life is largely immoral, if not positively immoral. Education will not make bad men better, but only give them more ability for the prosecution of schemes of wickedness. Social culture can only paint the cancer of sin, but never remove the virus from the system. Only the power of God by the Holy Spirit can save men from the power and love of sin. Revivals of pentecostal power are the need of the hour. Such an overwhelming sense of the Divine presence and power will fit the church for the mighty struggle which lies before her in the twentieth century.

Two Great Meetings.

In June Boston is to see the largest gathering of the Christian Endeavor societies ever held. During the same month Chattanooga will welcome the hosts of young Methodism from all parts of the continent and the regions beyond. Neither of these meetings will deal in the merely spectacular. Both are to gather for earnest discussion of the great problems arising in Christian life, for laying broader plans of co-operation obtaining deeper consecration for service and higher inspiration in the divine life.

Lifting Up.

No Methodist should fail to attend the Chattanooga convention of the Epworth League June 27-30 if able to get there. It will not only give a great uplift to the cause of the League, foster and develop fraternity among the related Methodisms represented there, but will prove a time of wondrous spiritual uplift to multitudes of souls. As devout men from all nations were blessed at the first Christian Pentecost so may many be blessed at the coming gathering.

The Battlecry.

[A million conversions this year.]

A million souls to Christ be given,
Redeemed from sin, made heirs of heaven,
Our battlecry shall be,
Christ's kingdom throned these souls within.
They shall His year new lives begin,
From satan's power set free.

Eternal Spirit, Light divine,
Descend and in our souls now shine;
Dispel the gloom of night,
Inspire thy church, awake her zeal,
The apostolic power reveal,
Endow with thy great might.

Upon the sons of Levi shower
The sevenfold gift, the gift of power,
As in the ancient days.
A million souls by Christ forgiven,
All ransomed when his side was riven,
Shall celebrate his praise.

—A. J. Merchant.

W. H. WITHROW, D. D.
[General Secretary Epworth League of Canada.]

Last Year's Harvest.

The total increase in membership of the Methodist Episcopal church for 1894 was 157,568, an average of 3,030 per week. This is in addition to filling all the losses by death, withdrawal and expulsion. The present membership of the church is 2,359,972 in full connection and 321,621 on probation.

Christian Training.

The League is proving to be a grand training school for the young life of the church in all lines of practical Christian life and effort. Personal piety is fostered by the devotional services and emphasis placed on private prayer and Scripture searching. Benevolence is developed by the missionary intelligence given and the collections taken. The department of mercy and help by visitation of the poor and sick, distribution of flowers, fruit, clothing and provision is teaching the best methods of reaching the needy as well as enlarging the affections and ability of the workers. Social and literary interests are receiving fresh impulse. The young life of the nation is receiving an uplift of great significance which shall be far-reaching in results.

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Emissions Cured. "At 15 I learned a bad habit. Had losses for seven years. Tried four doctors and nerve tonics by the score, without benefit; I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so, and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."
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W. P. M., Jackson, Mich.

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*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:27	p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19	a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41	a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41	p m
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Napoleon	6 20 "	3 27 "	1 16 "
Norvell	6 37 "	3 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 48 "	3 45 "	1 46 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 59 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 10 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	2 50 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 10 "

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STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 318 Express	No. 348 Arrives
Detroit.....Lv	8 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 35 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 10 "	6 40 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 "	8 28 "	7 05 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 75 "	8 10 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 40 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 17 "	9 58 "
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A. M.	P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
		6 35	L....Allegan....A		3 15
		7 00	Monteith		7 32
		7 30	Yorkville		7 12
	7 56	8 07	Battle Creek	12 10	6 05
5 30	8 22	8 30	Marshall	10 12	5 47
5 52	8 49	9 04	Homer	11 48	5 12
6 21	9 51	9 31	Hanover	10 53	4 22
9 31	5 05	10 15	Addison	10 01	4 30
10 45	5 11	10 51	Devils Lake	9 22	4 39
11 18	5 23	10 43	Onsted	9 46	4 28
	5 30	10 59	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	11 37	Tipton	9 25	4 15
12 20	5 51	11 16	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 09	11 18	Ridgeway	9 17	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 28	Britton	8 46	3 50
1 44	6 46	11 51	Rea	8 46	3 39
2 00	6 25	11 43	Dundee	8 32	3 20
4 55	7 20	12 30	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	2 45
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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The during-the-war price of baking powder was 45 to 50 cents a pound. Cream of tartar was then 49 cents a pound, soda, 6 cents. Cream of tarter is now 18 cents, soda, less than 2½ cents.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., }
Council Room, May 2, 1895. }

Regular session. Present—Full board of trustees, President Smith. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The chairman of the street committee reported that he had engaged L. B. Thompson, as teamster for the ensuing year, at $60 per month. Report accepted and adopted.

President Smith, as chairman of committee appointed at last meeting to confer with the Tecumseh Electric Co., as to prices for lighting village for one year and to obtain a reduction in price of commercial lighting, reported that Company had presented nothing as to commercial lighting, reported that following proposition as to street lighting had been received, but that Company had presented nothing as to commercial lighting. Proposition was as follows: All night and every night service, one year, $67.50 per lamp; three years, $65 per lamp, five years, $63 per lamp. Every night until one o'clock, one year, $57.50; three years, $55; five years, $50. On motion, supported, matter was referred back to committee, with instructions to report at next meeting, for purpose of obtaining prices of commercial lighting. Carried.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Communication from the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company, presented, asking whether or not there would be any objections to running sewerage from water closets of station, into Evans creek; refered to Health Committee, with instructions to report immediately on same.

Application of A. O. Baldwin, of Adrian, received, asking for franchise for telephone exchange at Tecumseh. Clerk instructed to obtain futher information concerning same.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the Clerk and referred to the finance committee: Labor: Wm Mellon, $16.00, Chas. Dixon, $6.00, A. Hyde, $21.00. Water Works, Sales Brothers, supplies $23.01, H. W. Conkling, labor $18.95, A. Parks, $10.65, John Hasting, $8.00. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

The President presented the name of L. B. Thompson as Deputy Marshal; on motion supported, same was confirmed by the council.

The President presented the name of Albert Hyde, as member of Board of Water Commissioners, for the term of three years, to succeed H. W. Conkling; moved and supported that the same be confirmed, carried.

Chairman of Health Committee reported that they would make an unfavorable report on the application of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway and recommended that they be not allowed to run sewerage into Evans Creek, for the reason of inadequate body of water and that same would be injurious to public health. Report accepted and adopted.

The following ordinance, relating to fire limits, was introduced; moved and supported that the same be adopted and passed as read.

An ordinance establishing fire limits within the village of Tecumseh and to regulate the construction, repair and removal of buildings therein.

SEC. 1. The common council of the village of Tecumseh ordains, That all that portion of the village of Tecumseh included within the following boundries shall constitute the fire limits of the village of Tecumseh, to wit: Bounded on the north by Logan street, east by Ontida street, south by Pottawatamie street, and west by Pearl street.

SEC. 2 No person shall erect, construct or cause to be erected or constructed within the fire limits, any wooden or frame building or any addition thereto, unless the outer walls thereof be constructed of stone, brick or cement and the roof thereof covered with slate, tile, metal, asbestos or grave; and composition; provided, the council may, within their discretion, grant the privilege of constructing within the fire limits wooden or frame buildings when the side walls of the same shall be entirely covered with metal and the roof constructed as above provided. Any person desiring to erect wooden or frame buildings shall make application in writing to the council stating therein the size and dimensions thereof and the purpose for which said building is to be used.

SEC 3. No person shall remove or cause to be removed, any wooden or frame building from any place without the fire limits to any lot or place within the fire limits, or move or cause to be moved any wooden or frame building already erected within the fire limits, without a written permit from the council.

SEC. 4. No building shall be erected within the fire limits which shall be wholly constructed of wood, which shall be more than eight feet in height or more than eight feet square, except as herein provided.

SEC. 5. No person shall alter or enlarge any wooden or frame building now erected within the fire limits, without the written permission of the council.

SEC. 6. Every building or structure which may hereafter be erected, placed, enlarged, altered or repaired or kept within the fire limits in violation of this ordinance is hereby declared a public nuisance and may be abated as such or removed, by order of the council.

SEC 7. No person shall erect, operate or maintain any steam boiler or steam engine within the fire limits without the written permission of the council.

SEC. 8. Every each and every week which a building, steam engine or boiler, erected placed, removed, repaired, operated or maintain d within the fire limits, contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, shall so remain, the owner or occupant of such building, or the owner or user of such steam engine or boiler, may be complained of and prosecuted as for a distinct and separate offence and punished therefor as herein provided.

SEC. 9. Any violations of the provisions of this ordinance, or failure to comply with its provisions shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than ten nor more than sixty days, within the discretion of the court, or by both such fine and imprisonment, within the discretion of the court, together with costs of prosecution.

SEC. 10. Sections one, two and three of Chapter VII of the Compiled Ordinances of the village of Tecumseh, and any ordinance conflicting herewith, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 11. This ordinance shall take effect June 20, 1895. Passed May 20, 1895.

J. H. SMITH, President.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Yeas—Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Hall, Wright, 5. Ordinance declared passed.

Council then adjourned until Monday, May 27th, 1895, at 7:30 P. M.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public auction on the N. C. Miller farm, one and one-fourth miles north of Ridgeway, on Wednesday, May 29, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described property: three work horses; one 2-year-old colt; 2 first-class Jersey milch cows; 3 good shoats; 2 spring pigs; lumber wagon, 1 truck wagon; double top carriage; top buggy; 2 open buggies; 2 set double harness; 1 single harness; 1 Deering binder; Standard mower; 1 spring tooth harrow; 1 Scotch harrow; land roller; Burtch plow; Curtis plow, hay rack, nearly new; cultivators; grind stone; new fanning mill; corn sheller; hoes; rakes; forks; 50 sap buckets and spouts; grain cradles; scythes and other articles too numerous to mention.

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BIMETALLISM IN ENGLAND.

A Great Revolution in Sentiment Since the Closing of the India Mints Against Silver.

Robert P. Porter, correspondent of a syndicate of American newspapers, recently interviewed the widely known English bimetallist, W. H. Grenfell, on the outlook in England for the introduction of bimetallism. Mr. Grenfell is a wealthy man and has served in parliament, and is now chairman of the bimetallic parliamentary committee.

Mr. Grenfell is reported as saying that a great change of opinion has taken place in the house of commons on the money question. "In 1893 bimetallism was considered not merely a fad," he says, "but an unclean thing, too low for serious discussion; in 1895 the closing of the Indian mints, the great fall in the price of silver, which was the inevitable consequence of that policy, the depressed state of agriculture and serious position of the great productive industries of the country, owing to the ruinous fall in prices, have forced the currency question upon the most ignorant and most bigoted—and the two form one class." Thus the same house of commons which had rejected a resolution in favor of a monetary conference in 1893 has now adopted such a resolution.

Of the aims of the bimetalists, he says: "The great aim of bimetallists is to mitigate and remove the evils arising from the constant fluctuations and growing divergence in the relative value of gold and silver, and the fact that the house of commons has unanimously passed a resolution embodying the above statement of opinion is one the significance of which it is impossible to exaggerate. It is an actual, visible and tangible result of the change of opinion in the house of commons. Bimetallism is in the air, it is everywhere discussed, the feeling that there is something very wrong somewhere, which can be redressed, is growing. The textile districts of Lancashire, Cheshire, Yorkshire and Derbyshire are getting sore and impatient. The Textile Operatives association of these districts has subscribed £300 to the funds of the Bimetalic league. There used to be an old saying in political circles that what Lancashire thinks first the rest of the country thinks soon after—and Lancashire has already begun to ask the reason why."

"Seven directors of the Bank of England," he says, "are favorable to the bimetallic cause. One of the best known of them—Mr. Lidderdale—has of late taken an active part in the work of the league and has supported it on public platforms. The league, too, numbers well-known bankers among its vice presidents. Bimetallism, in fact, in England, is merely a question of time; but unfortunately in this case every moment of delay is of the most serious importance."

Of the proposed conference, he says: "The next conference that is called should be called to settle the details of an international monetary agreement, the main principles of which should have been agreed upon before. The chancellor of the exchequer says that he will be no party to altering the currency of this country, but England can do much toward an international bimetallic agreement, and her people can still maintain the barbaric custom of carrying golden sovereigns in their trousers pockets. If England would open the mints of India to the free coinage of silver, if England would consent to put into use the powers which she already posses by act of keeping one-fifth of her reserve in silver, she would do perhaps as much as any other nation toward rehabilitating silver, and could do it at once, and without infringing upon any of the conditions laid down by the chancellor of the exchequer. India absorbs silver as the sand absorbs water; the open mints of India did as much for silver as the bimetallic ratio of the Latin union. If France, Germany and the United States could agree upon some basis upon which to reopen their mints to silver, and upon which England would agree to open the mints of India and keep one-fifth of her reserves in silver, bimetallism would be established all the world over on an absolutely secure basis, and an arrangement could be speedily arrived at without in any way affecting the prejudices and ignorances of the British people.

"It is a most remarkable fact, and one to which sufficient attention has not been called, that Mr. Gladstone's government in 1881 made a very similar proposal, and offered, if the mints of the Latin union were reopened to silver, to keep one-fifth of the bank reserves of the Bank of England in silver, which can be done by law at the present moment. Surely we have here the basis of an equitable arrangement. Personally I would much rather see England become frankly and openly bimetallic, with absolute free coinage of gold and silver at the international ratio; but recognizing the obstinacy of the English character and the fact that England has been on a gold standard since 1816, and the frightful consequences which will follow from delay, I believe that if England were to make the important concession which I have mentioned, the bimetallic system would be established and obtain all over the world, England included."

The Proposed Conference.

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Salt, common, per bbl		100
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		16½
Smoked shoulders		11
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 60	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00 to 5 12½	
Veal, dressed, per lb	5 6 to 15	
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Chickens, per lb		12½
Hides, green		5
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Wheat—White		$ 75
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Corn, shelled	52 to 60	
Oats	31 33 to 38	
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Sheep	3 37½	@	4 75
Hogs	4 50	@	5 00
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 70	@	4 10
Winter Straights	3 50	@	3 80
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	74½	@	75
No. 1 Hard	81½	@	82¼
CORN—No. 2	58	@	59
September	59½	@	60¾
OATS—No. 2	32½	@	33¾
Track White Western	37½	@	41
RYE	50	@	57
PORK—Mess, New	14 10	@	14 75
LARD—Western	7 10	@	7 12½
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	11	@	17
Western Dairy	7	@	12
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$4 00	@	5 95
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	4 00
Butchers' Steers	3 90	@	4 35
Cows	2 00	@	4 15
Texas Steers	3 10	@	5 10
HOGS	4 30	@	4 85
SHEEP	2 25	@	5 00
BUTTER—Creamery	8	@	16¾
Dairy	7	@	15
Packing Stock	5	@	7¼
EGGS—Fresh	10	@	12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 00	@	130 00
POTATOES (per bu)	40	@	70
PORK—Mess	12 62½	@	12 75
LARD—Steam	6 67½	@	6 70
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 30	@	3 85
Spring Straights	2 80	@	3 35
Winter Patents	3 20	@	3 60
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GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	70½	@	72
Corn, No. 2	51½	@	53¼
Oats, No. 2	28½	@	29
Rye, No. 1	66	@	66¾
Barley, Common to Choice	46	@	51
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Oats, No. 2 White	33½	@	33¾
Rye, No. 1	66½	@	67
Barley, No. 3	49	@	49¾
PORK—Mess	12 30	@	12 35
LARD—Steam	6 83	@	6 85
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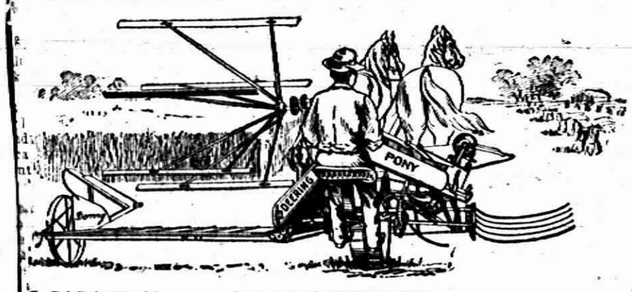

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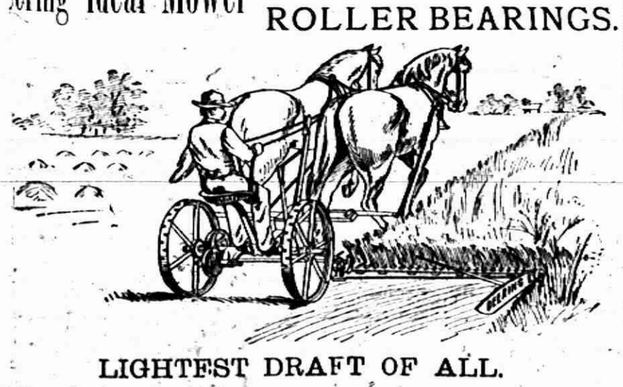

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W. H. M. SOCIETY.

The Ninth Annual Meeting Held at Ridgeway Last Week.

The ninth annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church, Adrian district, was held in Ridgeway last week Wednesday and Thursday, May 22 and 23. The meeting opened on Wednesday at 2 p. m., with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. W. R. Wilson, of Ridgeway. After the usual preliminary business, an excellent paper, "Redeeming the Time," by Miss Ida Reynolds, of Rollin, was read, followed by one on "Mission[illegible]" by Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, and one entitled "The Christian's Debt," by Miss Stella Dewey, of Cambridge.

Wednesday evening's session opened with an organ voluntary followed by devotionals conducted by Rev. H. Cansfield, of Ridgeway. Words were spoken by Mrs. Ella Temple, of Ridgeway, assuring the members of the convention of the warm welcome extended to them, and these words were responded to by Mrs. Alice A. Page, of Adrian. Miss Fannie Miller gave a pleasing recitation after which the address of the evening was given by Rev. J. Frazer, of Monroe, on "Frontier Work in Michigan." The address was both entertaining and instructive, and the speaker delighted his entire audience.

On Thursday morning a missionary prayer meeting was led by Mrs. L. R. Davis, of Detroit. The first hour's work was devoted to election of officers, reports of auxiliaries and receiving fraternal greetings. Three papers were presented during the forenoon session. One on "Bohemian Work in Chicago" by Mrs. H. D. Niblack, of Clinton, one, "Mother's Jewels Home," written by Mrs. P. A. Seeley, of West Bay City, and read by Miss Hattie Johnson, of Adrian, and one entitled "Reasons why we should help the W. H. M. S.," by Mrs. C. B. Case, of Clayton. Memorial services were led by Mrs. F. Gamble, of Tecumseh. Two members of the district society have died during the year; Mrs. E. Rogers, of Hudson, and Mrs. Cora McKinney, of Tecumseh. A question box was then placed in charge of Mrs. Lillian Hollister, of Detroit, and her ready and intelligent answers to the questions asked gave much clear information regarding the different branches of work of the society.

Thursday afternoon's meeting opened with devotional exercises led by Mrs. J. O. Shepard, of Ridgeway. A most excellent paper entitled "The Reflex Influence of Giving," was read by Mrs. G. E. Sloan, of Blissfield, after which Mrs. Lillian Hollister conducted a Parliamentary drill. "The Indian as we found him and what we have done for him," was the subject of a paper by Mrs. U. U. Fowler, of Tecumseh, and "The true work of the W. H. M. S." was presented by Mrs. J. W. Crippen, of Ann Arbor.

Rev. L. P. Davis opened the last session of the convention with devotional exercises. A recitation by Miss May Culbertson was followed by the address of the evening given by Mrs. Lillian Hollister, of Detroit. Mrs. Hollister is corresponding secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Detroit Conference, is thoroughly acquainted with the work, and her audience were deeply interested and highly pleased with her address. Mrs. Hollister cannot fail to please all those who have the pleasure of listening to her. After the passing of resolutions and the taking of the collection, the convention closed with the benediction by Rev. H. Cansfield.

The young people of Ridgeway church furnished excellent music all through the convention. Several pastors from different charges on the district brought encouragement and cheer as did also Presiding Elder Davis. There was a large attendance at all the sessions and the meetings were not only pleasant but profitable throughout. The Ridgeway people are royal entertainers.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Pres., Miss Hattie Johnson, Adrian; Vice Pres., Mrs. M. A. Martin, Rollin; Sec., Miss Hattie Montgomery, Tecumseh; Cor. Sec. and Treas., Miss Liana Brown, Hudson.

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Those who have already paid their income tax will now realize that even procrastination is sometimes a desirable quality.

ALBION COLLEGE NOTES.

The "Horn" Oratorical Contest and Class Rivalry.

The Spring term of the year 1895 will long be remembered in the history of Albion College as the term which ushered in a striking innovation. The institution of the annual "Horn" oratorical contest is the first step toward placing healthful class rivalry upon its proper basis. Too long this rivalry existing between classes has resulted in disgraceful class conflicts. This rivalry seems to have become a fact, a part of the very life of nearly every educational institution of note—and this rivalry is proper and healthful, but it should be a contest of brain rather than brawn. The first step has been taken toward placing this class rivalry upon its proper plain—the intellectual plain. Never in the history of the college has more enthusiasm and more genuine class spirit been shown than was manifested in this the first of the annual "Horn" contests. Well might there be enthusiasm and suspense, for upon the arena of oratory, representatives from four classes were to meet and strive for the most valued relic in the possession of the college—an old tin horn. And thereby hangs a tale.

About eighteen years ago there was born to one of the college classes a large tin horn, reputed to be about six feet long—reputed, for during the space of these eighteen years but few, very few, have had the good fortune of really seeing this much talked of horn. The horn was in sections. About twice a year ever since the class to whose care this myth-enshrouded horn has been entrusted—it being bequeathed from one class to another as class after class left the institution—has called to its aid the spirits and has unearthed from various sections of the country these different sections. Then some cold winter's night when all were wrapped in slumber, the brave boys of this class, armed with canes and base ball bats, would mount a sleigh drawn by swift horses, and with the precious horn in their midst, they would gallop through the streets in the vicinity of the college. Although very few have ever seen this horn, nearly all have heard it, as its shrill voice startled us from sleep. Then all was activity; all were awakened, clothing was hastily donned, cliques secured, and in the class conflicts which followed, learned men with four years worth of mental discipline and brain development were seen to lay aside their dignity and their common sense and to exhibit propensities common to the Feejee Islander and the African gorilla.

Thus around this horn there have grown associations, bits of college lore, and an atmosphere of mystery which are attached to no other feature of college life.

By the institution of the "Horn" contest this unhealthy and unhealthful class strife is destroyed and in its place is substituted the stimulating contest of mind. This first contest was provocative of more loyal zeal for class and Alma Mater than any event which has happened here in years. In the afternoon the college turned out en masse for a parade. Classes vied with each other in making the oddest display and in developing the most unique class yells. In the evening the class enthusiasm came to a climax. The classes were seated in sections and cheers and class yells were intermixed with songs and orations.

The decision of the judges awarded the contest to Mr. A. A. Maywood, who was borne from the platform upon the shoulders of his exultant classmates. Thus the Juniors retained the horn, and to them belongs the credit of having instituted the annual "Horn" contest, an event which will do much toward abolishing the greatest evil of colleges of today: an event, the good influence of which can only be measured in future time. W. E. B.

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Broken down women renewed by Zoa Phora.

FOUND A WATERY GRAVE.

Three Persons Drowned in Maharr's Lake Near Springville Last Saturday.

A most shocking accident occurred on Maharr's lake in Cambridge last Saturday afternoon by which three persons lost their lives. We condense the following particulars from the Adrian Times:

Bert Salsbury, aged 22, of Wolf Creek; Will Doolittle, aged 32, of Wolf Creek; and Mina Patterson, aged 17, whose home was about [illegible] lake crossing, in Adrian township, were drowned in a mysterious manner at Maharr's lake, situated about a mile northwest of Springville, in Cambridge township, Saturday afternoon.

The ill-fated trio started on a fishing excursion to the lake mentioned just after dinner, and were observed to go out upon the water in on old skiff about 3 o'clock. The only person who is known to have seen the boat and its passengers is a young son of Annorah Maharr, the owner of much of the adjacent land, and from whom the little lake takes its name. The party proceeded some 20 feet from shore, where they came to anchor in about fifteen feet of water, and commenced the pastime for which they had come.

A little later they called to young Maharr to get them more bait, and the boy went away to dig some worms. Returning half an hour later, he was startled to see the boat half full of water lying at its old anchorage. Except for a hat which had washed ashore, there was no sign of its former occupants.

Young Maharr, convinced that some terrible calamity had occurred in his absence, hastened to alarm the neighbors, and in a short time a company of excited residents, with some of the friends and kindred of the three men whose fate was then too easily surmised, were making preparations to learn the worst by dragging the lake.

Doolittle's body was recovered in about an hour, but it was 5 o'clock before the bodies of Salsbury and Patterson were taken out.

The bodies of Doolittle and Salsbury lay close together almost directly under where the boat had been lying, while Patterson's body was found a little way off.

None of the bodies displayed any evidences of a struggle, and only surmise can account for the manner by which they came to their death.

The parents of Patterson and Salsbury witnessed the recovery of their boys' remains, their grief at the terrible sight being extremely pitiable. Doolittle's father and mother, who live near Clayton, were mercifully spared the agonizing ordeal.

The father of Patterson is Theodore Patterson, and the mother of Salsbury is now Mrs. David Smith. Both families live about a mile west of Wolf Creek. Doolittle's parents reside on a farm near Clayton. He made his home with them the greater share of the time, but had lately been working near Wolf Creek. He was married, but had separated from his wife, who with a 6-year-old daughter, makes her home with her parents in New York state.

Doolittle was somewhat addicted to drinking, and this circumstance gives a certain amount of credence to the surmise that he, as well as his companions, may have indulged, perhaps too freely in liquor on Saturday, and that, in changing seats or fooling in the boat, they caused it to capsize. None of the victims were good swimmers and it is thought they may have struggled about the boat until thoroughly exhausted, and then sank to the bottom.

There is no reason for believing that a quarrel occurred, for the three men were the best of friends and were unquestionably in the happiest of moods when last seen. The boat, which is a small, leaky old concern, probably righted after the drowning unfortunates released their hold upon it.

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Young women should not ride their bicycles after dark without seeing that their lamps are ready for use. See Matt. xxv., 3.

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SEASONABLE THOUGHTS.

The lovers now upon the gate
At eve are gently swinging,
And overhead, in lofty state,
The twilight bird is singing.
To go upon his northward trip
The tramp is now preparing,
And everyone who had the grip
Has given up despairing.
The merchant has a brighter eye,
For spring trade up is looking,
The buyers now begin to buy,
And orders he is booking.
The only man who's glum at all—
Is he who ever since last fall
Has done no advertising.
—Tom Mason, in Clothier and Furnisher.

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"I'm a good deal worried about my son," said Mr. Whykins. "He doesn't seem to know the value of a dollar."

"Well," replied the man who puzzles over finance, "if it's a silver dollar that he doesn't know the value of, I don't see that you can blame him much."

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"What may I do for humanity?" Her bosom heaved with the great emotions that filled her heart. "I would save lives." she cried, impetuously. She was somewhat uncertain whether she would achieve more by becoming an army nurse or by having a trolley car fender put on her bicycle.

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Author—"I've got a great scheme to make a fortune. I'm going to write a book on the financial question."

His Friend—"Well?"

Author—"And then I'm going to write a reply refuting it."

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Ever since some wag put afloat the story that the president had given a present of a sum of money to the parents of twins and triplets, the White House has been filled with letters of application on that score and it is estimated that at least $10.000 a day might be disbursed at the rate of $500 to each applicant.

A sample of the kind of letters that come in the mail to the president is the following, which was sent by a man in Texas:

Mr. President Cleveland: Dear Sir—I see you are giving $500 for twins. Please send me $100 right away, for I am going to get married this week to a girl who is a twin. I come from a twin-getting stock, so you will see that there is no risk to run, and when my wife has twins I will draw on you for the balance. I need the money to start housekeeping with. I am in good health and so is the girl I am going to marry. I have always been a democrat. I voted for you the first time, and will vote for you again and name the twins after you. Don't disappoint me for I may have to get married sooner.

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A SAD CASE.

"I'll tell you how it is," said the wild eyed patient to the asylum physician. "I met a young widow with a grown up step daughter, and I married that widow. Then my father met our step daughter and married her. That made my wife the mother-in-law of her father-in-law, and made my step daughter my step-mother, and my father became my step son. See?

"Then my step mother, the step daughter of my wife, had a son. That boy was, of course, my brother, because he was my father's son, but he was also the son of my wife's step daughter, and therefore her grandson. That made me grandfather of my step brother. Then my wife had a son.

"My mother in law, the step mother of my son, is also his grandmother, because he is her step son's child. My father is the brother in law of my child, because his step sister is his wife. I am the brother of my own son who is also the child of my grandmother. I am my mother's brother in law, my wife is her own child's aunt, my son is my father's nephew and I'm my own grandfather and I can't stand it."

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., MAY 31, 1895.

Geo. Smalley was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Chas. Thompson was in Toledo on business the first of the week.

S. W. Demuth is excavating for a furnace under his residence.

Minnie Glasgow and Minnie Alexander spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

W. S. Kimball has gone to New York in the interests of the woolen mill.

Miss Cora Ward has a new Rambler. Also, a new suit of clothes to go with it.

There will be services at St. Dominic's church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A number of Clinton Masons attended the dedication services at Manchester Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fowler are the proud parents of a new boy. We could not ascertain the exact weight.

Miss Ada Case was in town ... being one of the confirmation class at St. John's church in the evening.

Miss Katherine Ebbitt returned Saturday to Chicago on the assurance that her sister is now slowly convalescing.

The Episcopal ladies will give their next social at the home of Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Carpenter, of Washington, D. C., who has many acquaintances here, was the guest of Miss Clyde Marsteller over Sunday.

Bishop Davis visited St. John's church last Tuesday evening and confirmed a class of seven. The bishop went from here to Cambridge.

Chas. Vest, of Joseph, Oregon, who was raised in Clinton, is now visiting his brother, Ray Vest, after an absence of nineteen years.

At the adjourned school meeting held Monday the question of making improvements in heating and ventilation was voted down.

The class of 1895 have decided to hold their commencement exercises on Tuesday, June 11. The Alumni will be held the following day, June 14.

Howard Scofield, of Norvell, was in town Monday. Those of whom we got the information could not tell whether he came down by wheel or rail-road.

John Schiel, who lives about four miles northwest in the township of Manchester, met with the misfortune to break his leg and severely bruise his hip last Saturday at Manchester.

The dignified Seniors will give a return reception to the Junior class Friday evening. The banquet will be held at the home of Claude Hands and the reception given at the home of Sabe Huntington.

The Clinton high school, inspired by the near approach of the commencement season, has become a very festive body and will add to their already numerous convivialities an old fashioned picnic at Wampler's lake tomorrow. They will doubtless gather a multitude.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Boots! how we shiver.

Earl Allen has a live young muskrat.

James Eddy's familiar form is again seen among us.

Clarence Burtless is home from the asylum at Kalamazoo.

There will be an ice cream social at Wm. Beebe's Saturday night.

Two cows belonging to Wm. Witherell drank a quantity of lye and one of them died.

Mrs. Geo. Deeby, of Adrian, and her sister, Mrs. Preston, visited at Fred Davenport's Saturday.

B. C. Knapp and Mr. McLane were in town Thursday in the interest of the Deering Harvester Co.

Spring borrowed some of summer's heat the first of the month, and now she is paying her debt with interest at a high rate.

John Fisher came down from Kalamazoo Saturday on his wheel. He left the asylum at 4 a. m. and arrived at Mr. Davenport's at 5:30 p. m., covering a distance of about 120 miles.

A card from Mrs. John Davis, of Milford, says that Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner arrived there May 21, and continued their journey Thursday. They were rather tired with their long drive but left in good spirits.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Drowned, in Case's East Lake, on Saturday, May 25th, between the hours of two and four o'clock, Wm. Doolittle, Albert Saulsbury and Myron Patterson. These parties came from Wolf Creek to go fishing, and drove to the residence of Henry Maharr in Cambridge and put out their horse. Going down to the lake they requested a small boy of Mr. Maharr's to go and get them some minnows. When the boy returned, in about an hour, he found the boat anchored, half full of water, about two rods off shore. Thinking they had gone to some other lake, he started for Case's house and on the way found their fishpoles and one cap. He reported to the men at Case's and they came over with another boat and grappling hook to investigate. In draging the hook along near the anchored boat they soon brought to the surface one of the bodies, and in an hour the three dead men were on the shore. They were conveyed to the Case place, the friends notified and an inquest held. The decision was "accidental drowning." It is a complete mystery how it happened, as no one was near or saw them go into the water. The funerals occurred on Monday, at their place of residence near Wolf Creek.

World's Columbian Exposition

Was of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others. May.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

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The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quickly in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

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On Sunday, June 9, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railway will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Special train leaves Tecumseh 9:30 a. m. Fare for the round trip 75 cents; tickets good returning on special train leaving Toledo at 7 p. m., or on regular trains Monday, June 10. For full information as to attractions, see hand bills.

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A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief. 1w

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It will sadden some people to learn that G'Donovan Rossa is on his way back to this country.

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NEWS NOTES.

The French steamer Dom Pedro, bound for Carril, Spain, was wrecked off Cape Corrubedo and over 100 of those on board were drowned.

The Providence (R. I.) Shade Roller company failed for $100,000.

Tramps and police fought at Fort Wayne, Ind., and Deputy Sheriff Harrod and William Walrath, one of the tramps, were fatally shot.

Mrs. James L. Straughn and her daughter were fatally injured in a runaway near Kokomo, Ind.

Thomas McGuire and his brother, Erie county (Pa.) farmers, were held up and robbed of $1,000 by masked men.

Rover & Allen's flour mill at Cincinnati was burned, the loss being $100,000.

Gen. Maximo Gomez, the leader of the Cuban revolutionists, died on a plantation near Baire from a wound received in battle.

The eighty-first anniversary of the American Baptist union was held in Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Mrs. Marion Curtain aged 45, murdered her 14-year-old daughter Mamie at her home in Baltimore and afterward committed suicide.

The safe of W. W. Brown, Indian trader and postmaster at White Eagle, O. T., was robbed of $10,000.

Settlers on Indian lands near Pender, Neb., threatened stubborn resistance to any attempts of federal soldiers to dispossess them.

Hot winds blowing 40 miles an hour did great damage to growing crops in Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

Lafayette Prince, who murdered his wife October 19, 1894, in Cleveland, was hanged in the penitentiary at Columbus, O.

Over twenty persons lost their lives by floods in the Devil's river country in Texas.

Napoleon Whatcom, chief of the White River Indians, fell dead at Tacoma, Wash., after a drunken spree.

The thirty-eighth session of the Michigan legislature adjourned sine die, having been in session since January 7.

In convention at Zanesville the republicans of Ohio nominated Gen. Asa Bushnell, of Springfield, for governor. The platform favors a protective tariff, denounces the present democratic administration, favors the use of both gold and silver as standard money, indorses the administration of Gov. McKinley and pledges him the support of Ohio in the next national republican convention, and indorses ex-Gov. Foraker for United States senator.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the journey's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cincinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chattanooga is the shortest line, and has an ... trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

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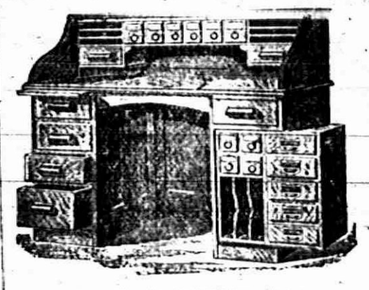

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Hot, dry and dusty.

Mrs. Bannister is on the sick list.

Lloyd Ward spent Decoration Day in Ida.

Ben F. Beasley was in Detroit Wednesday.

Mrs. Smith, of Blissfield, visited here this week.

The Britton Giants will play Monroe June 11.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new church.

Mrs. Ezra Sink was in Adrian on business Tuesday.

The Kaltin tile works have started for the season.

Several Brittonites saw the elephant in Toledo this week.

Fuller, of the Britton Giants, pitched a game yesterday.

Mr. Wood, of Alverton, is visiting at his son's L. L. Wood's.

John Gibson recently shipped eight loads of baled hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lynn were in Adrian Tuesday on busfness.

Misses Young and Steidle, of Milan, visited friends here Wednesday.

Eric Brown, of Dundee, spent a few days with his brother Frank this week.

Frank Gibson and his father-in-law saw the elephant in Toledo this week.

L. Gripton, formerly of the White Armacy, is now working in the brick yard.

Mrs. Gorham has moved into the house formerly occupied by Wayne Wilson.

Mr. Beal and Miss Norgot, of Ypsilanti made a call on Ben Pulver last Sunday.

The stocker's elevator is still here and the foundation is being laid under it this week.

Theodore Allison, of Britton, and Ella Southard, of Ridgeway, were married Wednesday.

Many Brittonites obsserved Decoration day in Tecumseh and incidentally took in a ball game.

Three cars of stock were shipped by Gorton this week. This has no reference to Pullman sleepers.

Gorton rode to Dundee Sunday on his wheel. The wheel broke down. Gorton walked on his feet.

Lowe and Bigs assisted the Tecumseh team in their game with the Adrian college nine yesterday.

Mrs. San Underwood with the Masonic dedication ceremonies at Manchester Tuesday night.

Notice and the change in date of Miller's concert from May 30th to Friday night, June 1st. Be sure to remember the date. Their entertainments are highly recommended.

Mr. Strickland, of Hillsdale, who is now in Marshall, was in Britton first of the week. Elder Strickland formerly filled the pulpit of the church here and his many friends were glad to see him once more.

The Britton boys have been scraping, rolling and generally fixing up the baseball grounds and the diamond will be in better shape for business than ever before. The grand stand, however, is the drawing card and will doubtless be filled with ladies at every performance. Arrangements have been made for a good game tomorrow.

Walter Exelby, in diging for water, struck a vein of strong mineral water with a strong taint of sulphur, at a depth of 119 feet. The water is somewhat like the Mt. Clemens mineral water and is no doubt very valuable for medicinal purposes but Mr. Exelby, in his present condition of health, prefers just plain every day common water.

Memorial Day was observed in Britton by exercises in Britton's grove. The Rev. Raderus gave an address befitting the spirit of the occasion. The graves of the departed were then decorated at Ridgeway. Although the exercises, etc., were on a somewhat more modest scale than they have been in the past, they were conducted with none the less fervor by the faithful who will never forget their fallen comrades.

Many of the heads of Britton people were as badly swelled by the prospects of suddenly fame and wealth as those of Ogden, for instance, not a hat could be worn in town not even a bonnet. On George Gorton's farm gas has escaped from a certain piece of ground for over 60 years. Last week Mr. Smith piped out the gas and a steady flame was maintained till extinguished by water. This is not as large a flow as some in the world but it is certainly one of the most reliable kind.

—NOTICE TO FARMERS.—

Britton can show already excellent colts the product of my well bred stallions and for fear of contradiction, we invite the people of Ridgeway and Lenawee county and surroundings, to the fact that we have as good strains of Clydesdale blood as Scotland can produce. Terms $10, when six days old and all within 1 1-2 miles east and 1 mile south of Britton. JAMES WRIGHT.

That are Hard to Get Around.

It is a fact that the tide of emigration is coming East. The western people, from the prairies of Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas and Nebraska, find that they can get from the C. S. Graves Land Company, R. 311, 56 5th Ave., Chicago, (see advertisement in this paper) good farming land in Central Michigan, Clark county, at a normal price. The quality as good, if not better, than their western lands, with no blizzards, cyclones or droughts and with plenty of water, fuel, and best of markets. Experience has led them to appreciate these advantages. 1w

Rate Excursions to Boston

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern will in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account Tri-ennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the only double track line from Chicago to Boston.

Mothers of daughters should know Piso's Cure for Consumption.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

With this issue we close our eleventh year as correspondent for the HERALD.

Prof. Martin Palmer, wife and son, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mrs. Palmer's father, D. W. Loree.

T. H. Montgomery has a pair of glasses in his possession that the rightful owner may have by calling at his home.

Do not forget the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Cansfield next Sunday evening, at the church, before the school.

Elder Cansfield and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Temple, attended the County Sunday School Convention held at Hudson this week, as delegates.

It is evident that Fred Clark proposes to take advantage of the beef trust as one of his fine cows gave birth to a pair of twin calves last week.

Upwards of forty of the members of the Epworth League attended a reception given them by the League of Dundee, on Friday evening of last week, and report a right royal time.

Remember the Epworth League experience social to be given at the church on Friday night of this week. Ice cream will be served for 10cts a dish, and will be furnished to the league by Mrs. Van-Antwerp of Tecumseh.

The Superintendent of the poor of the W.C.T.U., with her assistant, secured upwards of five dollars, in provision and money, for Bloomfield Sherman and family and gave it to them Monday evening, which was very acceptable as Mrs. Sherman has been unable to do any work for several weeks from at attack of rheumatism.

The attendance and interest at the Home Missionary Society Dist. Convention held here last week was good. It was one of the finest conventions ever held in the village, and the ladies of the society are deserving of a vote of thanks by the citizens for securing such an interesting and instructive organization to be held here. From first to last it was a grand success.

Theodore Allison and Ella Southard went to Saline this afternoon, (Wednesday,) where they will be united in marriage by Rev. Yager, Elmer Linn acting as best man and Miss Edna Swick as bridesmaid. They will visit friends at Azalia before their return. They will begin housekeeping at once as they have everything in readiness. We, in behalf of their friends, extend our congratulations and best wishes for a prosperous and happy journey through life.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

May has been a very cold and disagreeable month.

Tom Hartman and C. T. Ratts were callers in Adrian Saturday.

Miss C. E. Winship returned Saturday, after a pleasant visit at Fairfield with friends.

Ice cream is served to the public at the Hartman parlors every Saturday evening.

The Christian Endeavor society elect new officers Friday evening, for the next six months.

Children's Day will be observed Sunday, June 9, at the Presbyterian church with appropriate exercises.

Mr. Copeland, of London, Canada, returned home after a pleasant visit with his cousin, Merchant Brown.

A fishing party went to the lake Saturday. Have not learned how much luck they had catching fish.

The A. O. Miller family, of Blissfield, gave a musical entertainment to a small audience at Holloway hall Saturday evening.

Mr. Anderson, of Sparta Center, is here at the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. James Ash, who is very ill. Her recovery is doubtful.

Working on the road is the go at present, but the improvement is a detriment to the roads as they were in better condition to drive on than they are now.

Holloway Creamery is booming, as they now receive 8,000 pounds of milk daily. Mr. Ratts has secured the assistance of John Moore. Success to the enterprise.

The Ladies Social was entertained at the spacious residence of Mrs. Horace Holdridge and a very pleasant afternoon was spent by all. The refreshments were very fine.

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MACON MUSIC.

Miss Grace Norris is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Skinner.

Will Harring has bought the Sanford place—but he has rented it.

Miss Sarah L. Harriot is staying at Mr. Warner's, in Mooreville, at present.

Don't forget the musical entertainment to be given for the benefit of the C. E. June 5.

A number of Macon young people went to Tecumseh last Sunday night to hear the Memorial sermon given by Mr. Ramsdell.

The next regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. Libbie Ellis, June 5.

There is one item of news which no one seems glad to hear, that is that the Dorrell-Miller suit commences again June 3 at Adrian.

The adjacent schools, which are to join with our own in the Decoration Day services, met at the school house Saturday to practice.

At the meeting of the Consistory of the Reformed church they finally decided that the new church is to be built after the model of the Friends church in Tecumseh, except that it is to be somewhat larger and a tower is to be added.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will give a musical entertainment at the Macon M. E. church, Wednesday evening, June 5, for the benefit of the new Reformed church.

PROGRAMME.

Music—Male Quartet.
Violin solo—Emma Bailey.
Banjo and piano duet—Gertrude and J. L. Kniffen.
Recitation—Emma Cotton.
Cornet solo—Clare Camburn.
Vocal solo—Nettie Crittenden.
Mandolin, guitar and piano—Jennie and Delia Mills, Mrs. Florence Harrington.
Piano solo—Anna M. Osborn.
Recitation—Lulu Weeks.
Vocal duet—Jennie Hause, Grace Corwin.
Piano duet—Mrs. Hattie Sage, Mrs. May Morgan.
Violin solo—Emma Bailey.
Recitation—Lena Swick.
Vocal solo—Jennie Hause.
Banjo and piano duet—Gertrude and J. L. Kniffen.
Recitation—Bessie Camburn.
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It is a puzzle now whether it's more the thing to have one's own photograph in the Sunday papers or to have one's cat and dog represent the family by proxy.

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Bereft of the income tax decision, the professional prophets are obliged to fall back on the weather once more.

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NEWS NOTES.

GEORGE LAIBEL and Miss Annie Nelson, midgets of the Mrs. Tom Thumb company, were married at Minneapolis, Minn.

ANDRE LOUIS BAGGER, consul in Washington for Sweden, Norway and Denmark, died suddenly of apoplexy at Asbury Park, N. J.

ATTORNEY GENERAL A. G. HASKELL, of Montana, and Miss Ella L. Knowles, the assistant attorney general of the same state, were married in San Francisco.

GEN. J. B. HAWLEY, assistant secretary of the treasury under President Hayes and six years a member of congress from Illinois, died suddenly at Hot Springs, S. D.

AQUILLA ROBINSON, the oldest native born resident of Indiana and the oldest Methodist minister in the state, died at Deputy, aged 95 years.

HENRY LINDLEY FRY, who ranked high among the wood carvers of the world, died at his home near Cincinnati, aged 88 years.

WALTER Q. GRESHAM, secretary of state, died in Washington of pleuro-pneumonia after an illness of four weeks, aged 63 years. He leaves a wife and two children. Mr. Gresham's judicial career began early in the administration of Gen. Grant, and continued, with the exception of his connection with the Arthur administration, first as postmaster general and then as secretary of the treasury, until the second inauguration of Mr. Cleveland, when he was chosen as secretary of state, having left the republican party. He served in the war with distinction, retiring as a major general. His home was in Chicago.

COL. GOLDSMITH W. HEWITT, the most prominent criminal lawyer in Alabama and member of the Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh congresses from the Sixth Alabama district, died at his home in Birmingham, aged 61 years.

FOREIGN.

EARTHQUAKE shocks in Turkey destroyed seven villages and killed fifty persons.

It was said that thirty negroes who were attempting to leave Mexico for their former homes in Alabama were shot and killed by their employers.

THE revolution in Equador has assumed so threatening an aspect that the navy department cabled the commander of the United States steamer Ranger to proceed with his vessel to Guayaquill.

AN earthquake in the town of Paramythia, in the province of Epirus, which is a part of Albania, destroyed nearly all the houses in the town and 50 persons were killed and 150 injured.

MOUNT VESUVIUS was reported to be in an unusual state of eruption.

FORMOSA declared its independence and the population will fight the Japanese and will not submit to the orders of the imperial Chinese government.

THE 76th birthday of Queen Victoria was observed in London.

IT was reported that the new French company which was pushing the work along the route of the Panama canal was trying to sell the canal to an American syndicate.

GERMANY has refused to cooperate with Russia in forcing Japan to withdraw her troops from Corean territory.

OSCAR WILDE was found guilty by a jury in London of indecent conduct and sent to prison for two years.

THERE was a belief that the Formosa republic was a Chinese manoeuver backed by France and Russia to crush Japan out of the fruits of her victory, and it was feared that it would reopen the war.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

On May 21 and June 11 agents of Ohio Central lines will sell Home-seekers Excursion tickets to points in Virginia at one fare for round trip. Limit 30 days. Also tickets to points west and southwest on same basis Limit 20 days. See Ohio Central agents.

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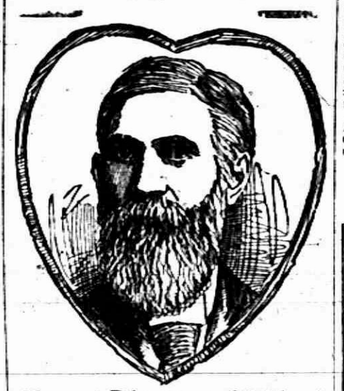
Detroit, Mich.



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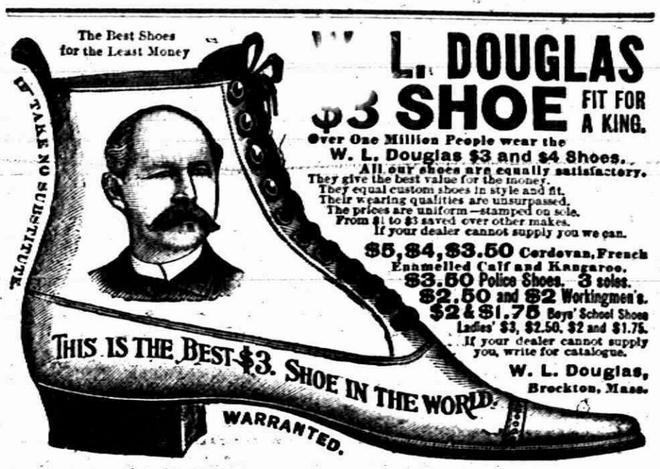

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Augustus J. Van Winkle and Julia A. Van Winkle, his wife, to William C. Fisher, bearing date the tenth day of December, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 80 of mortgages, on page 57, on the sixth day of January, 1879, on which mortgage there remains unpaid at the date of this notice, of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same. Notice is therefore, hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at eight per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee, in said mortgage provided, I shall, on the first day of June, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell, at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee, all that certain parcel of land situate and being in the township of Raisin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the center of the north side of section four (4) of town six (6) south of range four (4) east, running thence south along the east line of the northwest quarter of said section four thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, seven chains and fifty links; thence north, parallel with the first course, thirteen chains, thirty-three and one-half links to the north line of said quarter-section; thence east on north line of said section seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning.

Dated March 8, 1895.

ABIGAIL FISHER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of William C. Fisher, deceased.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Executrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 29th day of June, 1895, and on the 29th day of November, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of May, A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 31, 1895

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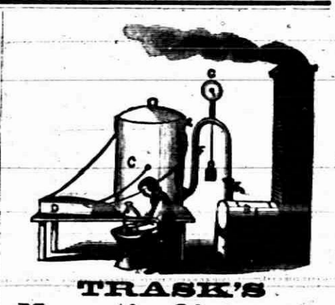

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 31, 1895.

COVER THEM OVER.

Tecumseh Honors Memorial Day in the Old Way.

PARADE AND THE PROGRAM.

A Full Report of the Celebration, Yesterday, in Honor of the Nation's Heroes.

Notwithstanding the intense heat of yesterday, a large crowd assembled, both of veterans and citizens, to participate in those annual exercises, which, since the war, have become a regular matter of observance throughout our land, and no where in a more earnest and patriotic way than in Tecumseh. It is not alone that Tecumseh has a zealous post of the G. A. R., well supported by the W. R. C., but all her citizens unite on Memorial Day to give their grateful offering to the memory of those who did and died.

The floral offerings were ample, having been collected at the Armory and, as usual, made into wreathes for decorating the graves, a goodly supply being reserved for the floral wagon. The floral car, which might well be termed a float, was perhaps the most complete and beautiful one ever gotten up by our citizens.

Beers Post, the W. R. C. and the floral car were escorted from Chicago street to Monument Square by Co. C and the Tecumseh Cornet Band. One thing is necessary to a proper observance of Decoration Day, and that is a good band. Yesterday we had the band, and the boys are deserving of praise for the hustling they did to make so creditable an appearance. Vocal music was furnished by the Methodist choir. The program was carried out almost exactly as previously arranged and as published in last week's HERALD. After music, and a prayer by Rev. J. P. Varner, Rev. W. R. Blachford delivered the oration, of which we can only give a brief synopsis.

"The inauguration of this custom is largely due to the efforts of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., and all praise be to them for their deserving work in perpetuating a pride of country through times when all public zeal is so apt to be given up to politics. The soldier is greater than the politician. The soldier gives up self for country. The politician expects his country to give up much for him and his personal interests. Today, as in the time of Sparta, the army and navy still remain the wall of our country, and every man is a brick within the great bulwark of our liberties. We all look upon the scene of public life from the standpoint of our various professions. From the standpoint of a clergyman, a man who will not fight for his religion cannot justly be termed a christian, no more than the man who will not fight for his country can be termed a patriot. We all need courage today, and no quality of the human heart receives higher praise than that of bravery. Bravery is always honored, even though unsuccessful in its aims and endeavors. Today we look upon a country of peace and prosperity; but let us not forget that these conditions were purchased by a nation's courage and must be preserved by a united and continuous exercise of that virtue. The speaker also upheld the justice of the soldier's pension and deservedly scored the selfish political tendencies of the present time."

Immediately after the exercises at the square the procession was formed and the march to the cemetery was made as previously announced. Here the organizations decorated the graves of their departed comrades with appropriate floral offerings. The impressive memorial service of the G. A. R. was read by its officers, the salute was fired, and for another time the tributes of grateful hearts were paid to our nation's dead.

Tecumseh Weather.

Below is the Herald weather report for week ending Wednesday, May 29, 1895, as recorded by B. L. Baxter:

May 23, Thursday	5 a.m.	48°	2 p.m.	80°
" 24, Friday	"	60	"	64
" 25, Saturday	"	50	"	58
" 26, Sunday	"	38		
	9 to 1	48	2 to 6	62
" 27, Monday	5 a.m.	38	5 p.m.	62
" 28, Tuesday	"	46	2 p.m.	74
" 29, Wednesday	"	62	"	94

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Regular meetings every Friday at 3 o'clock p. m. Mothers' meeting, first Friday in each month.

May meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. David Lewis.

Opinion of a Would-Be Saloonkeeper.

A real-estate agent in Buffalo sends some interesting letters. They are three in number. The first is from a resident of Punxsutawney, Pa., who had seen the real-estate agent's advertisement in the Buffalo Express, and wrote to the agent, saying he wanted to buy out a saloon and asking what he could get one for in Buffalo. In reply, the agent wrote a caustic letter, expressing his views of the saloon business as "the cursed enemy of all civilization everywhere," and expressing the wish that his correspondent, if expecting to conduct such a business, would not come within a hundred miles of Buffalo. This brought forth the following reply from the would-be saloon-keeper:

Mr. ——, BUFFALO, N. Y.:

Yours of the 11th is at hand; thank you kindly for answering my letters You will please to read the left-hand corner of my envelope; that explains my business exactly. I have never been in the saloon business in my life. I also admit all you say of the busines, being a curse, and why, let me ask you, is it allowed to go on? Simply because the church members vote for it. Men who say 'I am the follower of Christ' make and control whisky laws. If all men who have their names on the church roll would come out in a body and vote against whisky, there would be no saloon-keepers; drink would not be in existence. And why do they not do that? Simply because nine-tenths of those same members have an interest, directly or indirectly, in a hotel or saloon. They stand back and belong to a church, but use their influence and their vote to give the saloon man a right to sell the most damnable stuff on earth, that they may reap some of the profits. They will sign their names to his license paper—go on his bonds. They will also go around and beg the money he has made in his damnable business to give to the church.

A few years ago in this State they put it to vote: whisky or no whisky? The voice of the people should decide it. The churches rose up in a body and voted for a law to give men a lawful right to sell it, and I think to-day that the man that will belong to a church and vote for whisky is not as honorable as the man that runs a saloon. And just as long as there are church members reaping benefit off of saloon money just so long there will be saloons.

Yours very respectfully, ——.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., March, 1895."

A postscript reiterates the wish that the agent would look up a saloon for him.

Now we don't propose to drivel any over the writer of this letter. His attempt to excuse himself for his desire to go into what he admits is a "cursed" business by pointing to church members who are equally mean or meaner is a sniveling piece of work. A man has no more right to be mean outside the church than he has to be mean inside the church. Nevertheless, however poor an opinion we may form of the motives behind the letter, the truth that the letter tells is worthy of consideration. A diamond in a swill-barrel is still a diamond, and the truth in the mouth of the gin mill-keeper is still the truth.

Is it true that the liquor business goes on because the church members vote for it? There are about four million church members in this country who are voters, and their votes have the power, beyond doubt, to destroy the business. But the business is not destroyed. Conclusion number one: The letter tells the truth on this point.

Is it true that nine-tenths of these church members who are voting that the saloons are not destroyed are themselves interested directly or indirectly in a hotel or saloon? Undoubtedly a large number are interested in a pecuniary way—they rent buildings for saloons, or manufacture articles bought for saloons, or have saloon-keepers or their families for customers, or patients, or clients. But we do think that anything like nine-tenths—perhaps not more than one-tenth—are interested in the business in this way. But politically they are interested in the license fees that come from the traffic, and they are voting so that those fees are not imperiled. Conclusion number two: The letter tells the truth again.

Is it true that in the Amendment campaign in Pennsylvania a few years ago "the churches rose up in a body" and voted for license? No, that is untrue, for the churches have no vote. Nor did they rise up "in a body" in favor of license. The way the churches were worked was indicated by Harry P. Crowell, manager of the liquor-dealers' campaign in Pennsylvania, in the celebrated "confidential" interview with Colonel Cheves, as follows:

How did you manage, Mr. Crowell, to get so many ministers on your side?

Oh, that is the easiest thing out. No, I did not go to the preachers as I did to the politicians, but I always found out a good man in the church who could work the preacher with but very little trouble, for half the preachers are cowards. Then I hired, for so much a name some old broken-down newspaper man or politician to go around with a petition and get the names of ministers and lawyers, which we published with fine effect.

It is evident from this that it was not the church "as a body," but the church members as individuals that were worked. The liquor-dealers seem perfectly satisfied to let us have the churches "as a body" so long as they have the church members as individuals.

Is it true that "the man that will belong to a church and vote for whisky is not as honorable as the man that runs a saloon?" This is rather startling, and just as it stands, would not, we fear, pass microscopic inspection at the hands of an acute professor of moral philosophy. But if it be taken to mean that the action of a church member who knowingly votes for the continuance of the saloon is more dishonorable than that of the man who goes into the saloon business, then the statement is a correct one. The action of the former is not only more dishonorable, inasmuch as it is in violation of the principles he profess to follow, but it is vastly more damaging. This is susceptible of mathematical demonstration. The man who keeps the saloon makes himself responsible for the consequences of one saloon. The man who votes for the continuance of the saloon system makes himself responsible for the consequences of the system. As there are about 45,000 saloons in the State of New York, it follows that the man who in this State casts a vote for the continuation of the system throughout the State shoulders about 45,000 times as much as the man who keeps a saloon but does not vote at all.

It is a "hard saying," but is it not true?

PEACEFUL BE THY SLEEP.

Clara B. Hayden bid farewell to her earthly home at an early hour last Saturday morning. She was born in Tecumseh, in the same house from whence she was summoned to the other shore. She received her education in the Tecumseh schools and entered womanhood with a lofty ambition and bright prospects for future usefulness. But Providence had ordained otherwise and ill health was her earthly lot. In the fall of 1892 she took a European trip, her sister Mabel being then in Germany, hoping that a sea air and change of climate might be beneficial; but her hopes proved delusive. In the spring of 1893, accompanied by Miss Mabel, she came home much the worse for her journey. It was feared that she might not survive the trip across the Atlantic. She bore the journey like a heroine, but since her return, the sands of life have been slowly and surely ebbing away. Last Saturday morning the struggle ended and she sank peacefully to sleep.

The funeral obsequies were held from the family residence Monday afternoon. A large company of friends assembled to pay their tribute of respect to one whom they had loved in life. The members of Co. C attended in a body and escorted the hearse to the grave. The burial service from the Episcopal ritual was read by Right Rev. Bishop Davies, who was assisted by Rev. Channer, of Adrian, and Rector W. R. Blachford, of St. Peter's church. All the children were present except Miss Mabel, who is in Texas and could not return in time for the services.

The family have the sympathy of all in this hour of trial. They have the consolation, however, of realizing that everything which human foresight and skill could accomplish, to prolong Clara's earthly journey, was done. The love of father and mother, the kindest care of brothers, the best of medical attention, the most unremitting watchfulness, prolonged both night and day for many months, have been lavished upon the object of their devotion. During these years of suffering Clara herself displayed all the qualities of a heroine. Never complaining, never fretful, always faithful, always hopeful, she exemplified in her daily life the saying of the Master: "Not my will, but Thine be done." "Hope springs eternal in the human breast." Even to the fatal hour when the summons came, she had never yielded the hope that in some way, in God's own time, she would be restored to health. Loved and loving child! Thy earthly sorrows are over. Thy earthly vexation is ended. Peaceful be thy sleep.

TO THE OTHER SHORE.

After a lingering illness, Joshua Taylor departed this life on the 9th of May, 1895. Although feeble for months, life terminated suddenly, as he had taken his supper with the family that day and walked from one room to another not more than ten minutes before the end came.

He was born in Burlington County, New Jersey, December 14th, 1814, came to Michigan in 1837, and settled in Tecumseh. In 1843 he was married to Mary Comfort, who survives him, and with whom he lived nearly 52 years. In 1847 he moved to his farm in Raisin where he was living at the time of his death. The youngest son, Lewis Taylor, died May 14th, 1881. Five children are still living, all of whom were present at the funeral.

The life of the departed was one of simple goodness, which is a precious legacy for his sons and daughters. He was one of nature's noblemen, faithful to every trust that Providence had imposed upon him, both in the family circle, as a neighbor and a citizen. His life was one of temperance, probity and honor, and he was always prepared to obey the summons to mansions not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

A WORTHY CITIZEN GONE.

Jeremiah Root, the subject of this humble tribute, was born at Painsville, Ohio, July 9th, 1832. Of his youth and early manhood we have but little knowledge, but his usefulness in later years is an earnest that his early life was well spent. In those years he laid the foundation of a manly character and planted the seed which ripened into an honorable business career.

On the first day of April, 1865, he came to Michigan and entered the employ of Wm. Hayden, and for the ensuing twenty-seven years and more he was closely identified with the growth and business career of the Globe Mills. During all that period he was Mr. Hayden's trusted manager and confidant and the wonderful prosperity that has attended this milling industry was due in a measure to Mr. Root's faithful and judicious services. He severed his connection with the mill July 9th, 1892, and since that date has given his personal attention to his shipping interests on the lakes, in which he was a partner with Mr. Hayden and Capt. Chilson.

Although not possessed of a rugged constitution he had always possessed good health and was apparently destined to enjoy his well earned retirement from business for many years to come. On Monday May 20th, he went to Toledo to look after his business affairs there. On Tuesday he was about town and ate his meals as usual. After supper he dropped upon a couch in the sitting room and a few moments thereafter he was discovered to be dying. Before a physician could be summoned he had left this world for the other shore.

The funeral services were held at the family residence on Friday afternoon, May 24th, and were conducted by Rev. W. R. Blachford, the deceased having been for many years a communicant of St. Peter's church. The Masons attended to the number of nearly one hundred, acted as an escort, and directed the ceremonial at the grave.

To those who knew Jerry Root, as he was familiarly called, no eulogy of his life is needed. In his business relations he was the symbol of probity and honor. In the home circle he was a model husband, a kind and affectionate father. As a citizen he was enterprising, generous and progressive. During his service on the Village Council he left the impress of his character upon many public improvements. But in his social relations no one can overrate his virtues. Always kind and gentle, always cheerful and happy, always faithful to friends and family, none knew him but to love him, none named him but to praise. The bereaved widow and daughter and sons were not the only mourners at his bier. The Masonic brethren, the neighbors, even the little children, were all mourners there, and when the casket was lowered into its narrow bed and the sprigs of evergreen were dropped into his grave, all felt that a noble man and worthy citizen had gone to his eternal rest.

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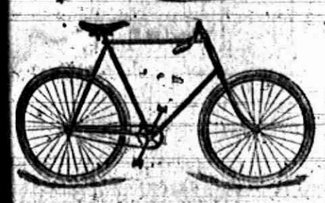

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In the month of June, 1824, the pioneer party, consisting of Gen. J. W. Brown and his associates, camped one afternoon on the flat just north of where Henry Smith's paper mill now stands, and from that event dates the foundation of Tecumseh. For twenty-six years thereafter, or until June, 1850, the village passed through the vicissitudes incident to all frontier settlements, and when the HERALD'S flag was unfurled in the business firmament on May 25th, 1850, the town had a population of about one thousand inhabitants. What changes have taken place here during the past forty-five years! The population of Tecumseh has increased three fold and her wealth probably ten fold during this interval. All of our best residences have been erected or modernized since then; most of our manufacturing establishments have been started; all our school houses have been erected, save one, and all of our churches, with one exception; there were but two brick blocks on Chicago street at that time—the Union block, west of the railroad, and the three Anderson stores east, while the entire western part of the village above the present Friend's church was an unbroken common, without a dwelling house thereon. What Tecumseh is to-day can be gathered from a perusal of these pages.

CHAS. A. SLAYTON.

Among our younger business men, no man stands higher in public esteem than Mr. Slayton. He began his business career just thirty years ago this spring, as assistant in his father's office, and he knows every nook and corner of the establishment. In 1885 his father retired from the firm, and since then he has been proprietor and sole manager of the concern. His sterling integrity, temperate habits and tireless industry form a combination that has built up a splendid business. In addition to his former lines of feed, grain, etc., he has added a stock of carriages and wagons, and he now has the most complete carriage repository in Lenawee county. He also carries an immense line of agricultural implements and machinery and sells both hard and soft coal. He has lately rented the John A. Heck building to afford additional storage room for his increasing stock.

CHARLES HECK.

The Steam Mill, which has been conducted by Chas. Heck since his father's death, has grown into quite imposing proportions. The firm of Wm. C. Heck & Son took possession of the property in August, 1891. For the last eighteen months the present proprietor has been sole manager. The mill is fitted with the best rollers and other modern machinery, and also has special burrs for the grinding of feed and buckwheat. Mr. Heck makes a specialty of these. His brands of flour are the Peacemaker, Favorite, and a new brand recently introduced, called the "Old Gold." The latter has proven to be a superior article of pastry flour and is meeting with great favor wherever introduced. This mill has evidently settled down to stay and the owner has a good business prospect before him.

ORR & TEMPLE.

Jno J. Orr is one of our hustlers. In Feb., 1888, he opened a drug store in the Waldo building, and it was a success from the very start. In December 1893 his stock was entirely destroyed by fire. But he was not one of those timid souls, who get discouraged under misfortune. He got his insurance adjusted, found an excellent partner in the person of Frank Temple of Ridgeway, and upon the 24th day of Feb. 1894, the new firm opened an elegant drug store in their present location. The store is a model one in all its appointments, and the stock as complete as one could find in a town double the size of Tecumseh. Some medicines of their own manufacture, they are working up a good wholesale demand for, among them being Orr's Sarsaparilla and Orr's Constipation Pills. They have the nucleus of what may develop into a large wholesale business some day.

THE LILLEY STATE BANK.

Forty years ago next Wednesday, on the 5th day of June, 1855, Mr. Lucius Lilley began business in the same room now occupied by this bank. In 1860 the firm of P. Bills & Co. was organized. In 1865 Mr. Lilley organized the National Bank of Tecumseh, which went into voluntary liquidation in 1874 and was succeeded by the firm of Bills, Lilley & Co. Upon the death of Mr. Bills in 1880 the firm of Lilley, Bidwell & Co. was organized. In the year 1893 the house was again reorganized, under the state banking law, when the present title was adopted, Mr. A. L. Brewer being then admitted as a stockholder. The present officers are: President, Lucius Lilley; Vice President, Albert L. Brewer; Cashier, L. P. Tribou. Every change in the firm has brought enlarged capital and increased influence. Thus, for forty successive years, this house has continued practically under one management and has justly been recognized as one of the strongest financial institutions in Southern Michigan. A faithful record for stability and fair dealing extending through all the panics and dull periods of the past forty years should count for something in public confidence and esteem.

THE GLOBE MILLS.

Among Tecumseh's leading industries, the old Globe Mills stands in the front rank. Both in age and extent of its output, it has stood the test of time. The enterprise originated in 1833, while Michigan was still a territory, and the mill was completed in 1830, at a cost, with water privilege, of $140,000. Its early history was one of bad luck and varied vicissitudes, until Wm. Hayden purchased the property in 1858. With prudent management and business sagacity he at once placed the concern upon a paying basis, and the wheels of the old mill have been in almost constant motion since, with an occasional intermission for repairs. All the improvements in milling machinery have been adopted at once, and a large foreign trade directly with Ireland has resulted. The capacity of the mill is 300 barrels per day, and during the major part of the year it is run to its limit. Capt. Will H. Hayden is now business manager and an able assistant.

ALVA SPAYDE.

Mr. Spayde began selling clothing and gent's furnishings about twenty-five years ago and has been gaining new pointers about the business ever since. On the 22d day of September, 1887, he bought out the Kies Brothers clothing stock and in Oct. '89, he purchased Joe Wilson's shoe stock, since which time he has been doing a heavy trade in both these lines. Last fall he moved into the two new stores in Masonic Temple block, where he is now located. Mr. Spayde possesses a natural aptitude for a mercantile business. A thorough knowledge of his vocation, a genial, friendly manner, strict attention to details, and an unflagging industry that never tires. He is now finely established, with an immense stock and good assistants, ann his continued prosperity is assured.

JAMES LOWRY.

In years of service Mr. Lowry is the oldest grocer in Tecumseh. He served five years as clerk and then began business on his own hook in January, 1877. By faithful devotion to all the details of the business, strict integrity in his dealing with customers, with habits of industry and economy, he gathered a long line of patrons and built up a lucrative trade. In June, 1891, having outgrown the accommodations of one store, he rented a second store in the Lilley House block for the crockery department, and since that date he has managed a double store, which is the largest grocery and crockery concern in Lenawee county. His long experience in the business enables him to buy goods at rock bottom prices and to satisfy the wants of his patrons. The result has been a constant and healthy growth in trade, and he richly deserves the success he has achieved.

ANDERSON & CO.

This firm is known as one of the leading dry goods houses in Southern Michigan. It started on a modest scale in 1855 under the firm name of Anderson, Larned & Co. The firm changed hands frequently during the ensuing twenty years, the Andersons always being the leading stockholders. Seven years ago the senior partner, Webb Anderson, retired and the name became Anderson & Co., with Fred Rosacrans and John Anderson as assistants to S. W. Anderson, their business manager. The business outgrew its old quarters more room was needed, and since 1888 the firm has occupied three stores, adjoining each other, on Chicago street. Their home trade is a healthy one and their outside custom has grown into large proportions; scarcely a day passes on which they do not receive mail orders from distant points. The house is doubtless at present the heaviest mercantile firm in the "Southern Tier."

E. F. KIRCHGESSNER.

Ed. does not belong to the old guard among our business men, as he has lived here less than five years. He opened a store in the DeWolf block, in May, 1891. In June, 1893, he bought out Hosmer & Son. In May, '94, he purchased Mr. Kinney's block, and moved into his present location. Thus, during the brief space of four years, from an humble beginning, he has developed one of our best and strongest business houses. His stock is a large one, consisting of everything usually kept in a book and jewelry store, such as silverware, clocks, watches and fine jewelry of all kinds, school and miscellaneous books, stationery and notions. His optical department has acquired a well deserved reputation. He is a graduate of the Chicago Opthalmic College, and his training in this direction enables him to fit eye glasses and spectacles to the best advantage. If you want a new pair of "specs," call on Ed.

H. BREWER & CO.

The original firm, which started the old foundry and machine shop on the present site, was Anderson & Strong, and the first entry made in their day book was on July 28, 1848. The firm had many changes in membership during the next thirty years. Horace Brewer became a partner in 1851 and from that date until his death in 1881 he was the controlling spirit of the concern. The present house is very efficiently manned: Albert Brewer is general manager; P. S. McKinnon, office and local manager, with H. E. Stout and Hendrick Heesen foremen of the shops. They manufacture the celebrated Sword & Tiffany brick and tile machines and have sold their machines in nearly every state in the Union. Although compelled to work on short time, the shop was not shut down a single week during the past two years of business depression, which speaks most emphatically for the strength and stability of the house. It is justly regarded as Tecumseh's leading manufacturing industry.

A. W. SLAYTON.

Mr. Slayton began business in Tecumseh in 1866, when he established the lumber yard now conducted by Temple, McClure & Co. Many changes have taken place since then, but he has always held his place among our most wide-awake and enterprising business men. He is still on deck and doing more trade than ever before. Gus claims to have seen signs, in his own experience, of returning prosperity. He has sold more lumber, shingles and cedar poles thus far in 1895 than during the twelve months of 1894. The secret of this increase lies in the fact that he buys exclusively for spot cash, not even taking the usual ten days' allowance, and hence he can sell cheap for cash. He has sold 1,000,000 shingles in the last three months and his sales are constantly increasing. His yard here is a branch of his Detroit yard, which contains an unlimited supply.

KENNEDY & ROGERS.

Although a new firm, it is rapidly forging to the front. A. E. Kennedy started a news room in this store in 1880 and conducted that business for nearly thirteen years. The present firm was organized Feb. 26, 1894, and they have since carried one of the best grocery stocks in town. Both partners seem to be admirably fitted for that line of trade and their increasing custom has forced the building of an addition, which is now being constructed.

N. M. SUTTON.

Although one of our largest farmers, Mr. Sutton is also classed among the business men of Tecumseh. For many years the firm of Sutton & Swan did a heavy hardware business here. When the new opera house was built in 1878 he took the largest slice of stock and has been increasing his holdings ever since, until now he is the sole owner and manager of the property. He is justly regarded as one of our leading and solidest business men.

TECUMSEH STATE SAVINGS BANK.

This institution was organized and commenced business, as a commercial and savings bank, April 24th, 1893. Although but two years old, it has already taken rank among the soundest financial institutions of Lenawee county. Its present officers are: President, O. A. Slayton; vice president, B. C. Knapp; cashier, J. H. Smith; directors, John D. Shull, C. A. Slayton, D. C. Larned, B. C. Knapp, Joe Russell, H. W. Conkling, L. D. Dewey, A. D. Gilmore and C. R. Miller. The success of the bank are due in large measure to the efforts of the stockholders, whose business reputation and integrity stand unquestioned. Also to its courteous and liberal treatment of its customers and its willingness to share its profits with depositors. It has a savings department, into which the man with $1,000, or the man with $1.00, can place his money and receive a suitable return for the use of it. Interest at 3 per cent is paid on all savings deposits.

TEMPLE, MCCLURE & CO.

The plant now controlled by this firm was started on a small scale by Slayton & Caldwell. The present firm came into possession in 1882, and although changes have been made in the partners, it has continued under this title ever since, Mr. John S. Temple being the senior partner and active business manager. Many of the finest buildings constructed in Northern Lenawee during the past twenty years have got their lumber from this establishment. On the 6th day of January 1892, the whole plant was destroyed by fire. Nothing daunted however, the firm at once began their preparations to rebuild, and in the following June, work was begun in their new planing mill. The present is the best equipped mill in Lenawee Co. and they carry an immense stock of lumber of all grades. The concern ranks among the best and strongest of our manufacturing industries.

WILL J. INGERSOLL.

Among the attorneys of Lenawee Co. Mr. Ingersoll is rapidly taking a foremost position. He was admitted to the bar in 1893, and has already worked up a good practice, not only in Justice Court litigation, but also in the Circuit. In March, 1894, he was elected Village Recorder and is now serving his second term in that office. His habits of industry and his personal worth will certainly win success in his chosen profession.

I. B. RICHART.

Mr. Richart opened a wagon shop in Tecumseh away back in 1865, in one of G. W. Griffith's buildings. In 1870 he moved to his present location on Logan street, where he has been plying his vocation ever since. He is one of our best mechanics in making and repairing wagons and sleighs, and hence he has always had plenty of work, even in close times. The superior quality of his work speaks for itself and will keep him busy twenty-five years more.

B. F. REYNOLDS.

Ben Reynolds cried at his first auction sale in the month of April, 1870, and he has been singing the same song every spring and fall for twenty-five years. During all this period he has managed a large farm in Franklin, although for the past fifteen years his residence has been in the village. His extended acquaintance and aptitude for that calling make him a very successful auctioneer and his services are in demand for many miles in all directions.

WM. J. ARNOLD.

On the first day of April, 1870, the Arnold Brothers opened a bakery here in Tecumseh. In April, 1890, William bought his brother's interest and since that date has conducted the business under his own name. Thus for nearly twenty years he has furnished this town with a first-class bakery establishment. He keeps none but the best workmen in his employ, and always has on hand a full supply of fresh bakery goods of all kinds.

GEO. W. FRASIER.

Mr. Frasier came to Tecumseh in 1864 and soon after embarked in the bakery business where W. J. Arnold's bakery is now located. He conducted this for over ten years. He has frequently held township and village offices since. Two years ago he was elected Justice and opened an office July 4th, 1893, in Bidwell's block, where he now holds forth every day, holidays and Sundays excepted. He is one of the best Justices Tecumseh ever had.

BRYAN & ADAMS.

Frank Bryan, who is the active manager of the firm, bought Jno. Wilson's milk route July 1, 1889, and the business has been growing ever since. At that time there were 150 regular customers on the books. The number now is more than double. He has arrangements for cooling milk and delivers it in glass bottles—a great improvement over the old process. He is also prepared to fill large orders to private parties for special occasions, and to ice cream dealers.

Dr. B. F. Snyder.

Dr. Snyder has been pulling teeth for ailing humanity for about seventeen years last past, and it goes without saying that he has become pretty well versed in dental science. Nearly the whole of that period he has occupied the office where he now holds forth. He is thoroughly versed in all branches of dentistry, but has made a specialty of partial plates, in which direction he has worked up a fine practice. He is becoming a better dentist and a stronger single taxer every day.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

Barkwell & Stickle bought out C. H. Hyde on the 20th of last February and they have been rushing business since that date. They have all the latest appliances and machinery for laundry purposes, having lately added to the establishment a large steam washer, which will be a great labor saver. Their superior work is gaining for them an extended reputation and they enjoy a large trade with surrounding towns.

P. M. Coller

Mr. Coller started a music store in Tecumseh nearly five years ago and is well pleased with his experience in that line. He believes that Tecumseh can support a good music establishment and he is just the man to manage it. His sales show a healthy increase. Good goods and low prices must be the cause of it. He keeps the leading pianos and organs in stock and a good supply of small instruments. He also deals in sewing machines, and keeps the best makes on hand.

Jas. M. Jones.

The firm of Jones & Hazlett dissolved partnership in September, 1891, and since that date Mr. Jones has conducted a merchant tailoring establishment of his own. Though young in years he is old in business experience and his fits always fit. He keeps a good assortment of suitings and cloths on hand, and has built up a fine trade. In addition to his Tecumseh custom, he has a nice trade with several of the surrounding towns.

Garlinghouse Brothers.

This firm have conducted a livery business in Tecumsen for eight years, most of the time continuously, and it is no flattery to say that they have the finest stock of horses and carriages to be found in Lenawee County. They own the property on Railroad street which they occupy, where they have a large and commodious stable with washing conveniences and all other accommodations. Their establishment is a credit to Tecumseh and the source of a fine income to the owners.

G. W. Jackson.

What a good thing to know where to get your carriage or wagon repairing done promptly and in workmanlike manner and at hard times prices. Mr. Jackson is just the man who will do all this. He will also gum and file your saws, repair and sharpen your lawn mowers, etc., and guarantees his work to give satisfaction. Mr. Jackson worked at his trade in Ridgeway 25 years ago and opened a shop in Tecumseh in 1885. He is now located at Hyde's old stand on South Railroad street, where he will give all orders prompt attention.

M. L. Gillen

Painting in all of its branches, kalsomining, and paper hanging is the vocation which Mr. Gillen has followed for twenty-two years, and this long experience he has put to good use. He came to Tecumseh in March last, and although a comparative stranger among us, he has already taken a place among our best artisans. His work speaks for itself, and every job of work completed to the satisfaction of his customer adds to his reputation. He has evidently come to stay.

David Macham.

On Saturday, June 25th, 1875, Mr. Macham opened a barber shop in Tecumseh, and his book shows the first day's receipts to have been $6.65. He has been bestowing upon bearded humanity clean shaves ever since. He moved into his present commodious quarters six years ago next October, where he has fine bath rooms in connection. He runs three chairs regularly. Dan Hubbard has held one of them ten years last February. Ed Holdway took one five years ago yesterday. This trio know how to manage a tonsorial room.

City Bakery.

On the 18th day of December, 1893, M. E. Bice opened the City Bakery, and began to supply this town with fresh bread and other bakery goods. The new establishment was a success from the outset. They make prime bread and pastry, which satisfy the palate. They also keep a fine assortment of confectionery, have lately put in a lunch counter, where warm meals are furnished, and their Tuffs's fountain furnishes a fine assortment of soft drinks. Ice cream is kept in its season, of which they make a superior quality.

James M. Ingersoll.

Mr. Ingersoll has worked at the tinner's trade thirty-five years, fifteen of which were spent in one store—Satterthwaite's hardware. In April, 1893, he opened a shop of his own on Railroad street where he has built up a nice business, within a few months. He makes a specialty of putting in furnaces and doing all kinds of special jobs in tin or iron. He is also an expert plumber, and has done much work in this line since the water works were started.

Anderson Bros.

The members of this firm served a long apprenticeship in the grocery trade with their father, Albert Anderson. In 1888 they embarked in business on their own hook, under the above title, and they have established themselves upon a solid foundation. They know how to cater to the wants of their costomers and always keep up with the times. They keep a full line of staple and fancy groceries and make a specialty of sweet goods. Give them a trial.

C. A. Wright.

Gus Wright began his training in the drug business in his father's store away back in 1865. For just thirty years he has been selling drugs and he is one of our young men yet. For business integrity and enterprise, no firm in Tecumseh stands higher. In addition to drugs he carries a line of groceries and a very large stock of wall paper. He has always enjoyed a lucrative trade, through dull times and flush times alike, and his success has been earned by years of faithful service.

E. L. Teeple.

Our popular photograph artist came to Tecumseh in February, 1892, and at once took a position in the front rank and gathered customers from far and near. He not only executes superior photos of adults, but has excellent success with children and infants. He also makes a specialty of outdoor and indoor views and large groups, and he is almost daily adding to his stock of negatives in this direction. He richly deserves the reputation he has won.

Hialey's Carriage Factory.

One of our oldest and soundest industries is the carriage manufactory of J. R. Hialey, who began as a blacksmith in 1848. In 1869 Mr. Hialey began business for himself and his practical knowledge of trade, coupled with natural business ability, soon brought to his shops a substantial and lucrative trade. The goods of these shops have always sustained the highest reputation for durability and honorable workmanship. His line of goods consists of carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc., which are mostly disposed of by wholesale.

Satterthwaite Bros.

The present members of this firm have been brought up from boyhood in the hardware business, having served for many years as clerks for Sutton & Swan. Four years ago they bought out their partner, Jas. A. Boyd, and since then have conducted the business alone. Although young in years, it is one of the strongest firms financially in town. They make a specialty of furnace work, metal roofing and siding, and plumbing for the water works and they have a well stocked sporting goods department.

Knapp & Osborn.

On the first day of March last B. C. Knapp and Walter Osborn entered into a combination, not a trust, but a simple business partnership, for the sale of agricultural implements. They have secured the agency of the Deering harvesters and mowers and also of the plows and other implements of the Gale Co. No better machines are made than by these two big concerns. They have rented Geo. Heesen's old store, which makes an excellent headquarters for them and they intend to push business from the word go.

Cutting Machine Co.

H. D. Cutting first established his machine shop in Clinton 24 years ago. In April 1892 he moved the business to Tecumseh and located in the Tiffany Iron Co's building, where the company did an extensive business in repairing, etc. When the Stimpson Computing Scale company located here the Cutting Co., took the contract of manufacturing the scale. The shops were then moved to the old Cummins carriage factory, where the company also make the Anthony Scale Remover, used for cleaning boilers, and other miscellaneous work.

James Montague.

Mr. Montague has run the Tecumseh Novelty store for the past seven years. His stock is rightly named, for it consists of about everything in the line of notions that a man, woman or child can conceive of. He makes a specialty of picture framing and enjoys a good custom in that line. The "Novelty" is a veritable bee hive in busy seasons of the year and the establishment has become a fixture among our business houses.

Frank Davidson.

Frank's father, "Uncle Sim," was for many years the most noted auctioneer in this section and it is no flattery to say that Frank is a chip of the old block. His services at auctions are in demand far and near. His extended acquaintance with men, his accurate knowledge of the value of farm property, and his ability to talk against wind and weather combine to make a successful crier. He keeps "going, going." May it be many years before he is "gone."

Will H. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett has conducted a livery business in Tecumseh since August, 1891. He has occupied three or four different locations, but is now in most convenient quarters just east of the Table Co.'s lot on Chicago street. He keeps a nice lot of rigs, which are well taken care of, as he gives his personal attention to all the details of the concern. He also runs a feed barn and makes a specialty of caring for farmers' teams. Owing to his convenient location, this is a prominent feature of his business.

C. A. Waldron, V. S.

Dr. Waldron commenced treating the ills of suffering equines in 1881 and by skillful treatment and hard work has built up a practice which extends over five counties. By a combination of professional skill and a high sense of the duty we owe to our domestic animals dependent upon us, Mr. Waldron has done much to elevate his calling to a place in every way equal to other professions. His extensive practice has made it necessary to fit up a barn and office at his place south of town with every apparatus and convenience for operating and treatment.

Dr. B. F. Steinhoff.

It is almost a pleasure to have a tooth drawn, when one is seated in the dental chair in Dr. Steinhoff's office. The Doctor has been pulling teeth for twenty five years, and has been located in the office he now occupies for eighteen years. He is not only a skillful operator, but is also a student in his profession, and hence keeps up with all the improvements in dentistry. He is successful in crown work and other methods of fitting artificial teeth.

Lewis M. Waldron.

Any farmer, who lives within twenty miles of Tecumseh and who owns a windmill, has heard of Lew Waldron. He began the business of putting up and repairing windmills about twelve years ago, and his name and fame have been extending since that time. He now keeps on hand a large supply of extras for all mills in this vicinity and has lately erected a large storehouse on his premises to house the stock constantly on hand.

Baker & Hall.

This house may be called one of our oldest business landmarks. Mr. Baker entered into partnership with Dr. Fisher in October, 1864. Upon Dr. Fisher's death D. T. Hall entered the firm, and they have conducted the business, in the same store, sixteen years next July. Thus Mr. Baker has conducted the business for thirty-one years, next October. The house enjoys a good trade and the confidence and esteem of the community.

John C. Hazlett.

In August, 1887, Jones & Hazlett opened a merchant tailoring establishment in Tecumseh. In 1891 they dissolved partnership and since then Mr. Hazlett has been paddling his own canoe to good acceptance. He is an experienced and very successful cutter and hence he always gives his customers "fits," in the tailor sense of that term. He keeps none but the best workmen and has built up a fine custom trade.

M. A. Zimmerman & Co.

The present handle factory was established in Tecumseh in 1890 by M. A. Zimmerman, who moved the business from Augusta, Mich., for a more favorable site. In February, 1891, S. W. Bordine bought an interest in the concern, at which time the capacity of the mill was increased and other improvements made. The present product is about 20,000 dozen of handles per year, consisting of a general handle stock of axe, pick, mall, hammer, etc., made of Michigan white hickory, and carriage work of forest hickory and ash.

Erskine & Guy.

Vet Erskine began wielding the razor in 1866, and continued the business for fifteen years thereafter here in Tecumseh. After an interval in other places, he returned here three years ago, and his tonsorial parlor on Chicago street now enjoys a fine custom. Mr. Guy, who recently entered the shop, has had twelve years experience in the business and the two make a strong team. They are skilled artists, have an elegant room and enjoy a fine custom, as they deserve.

Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

The Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co., which was incorporated in May, 1894, and transacts a general coal and lumber business at the plant formerly owned by S. W. Temple, have recently made a new departure. The company have put in a new line of groceries in their commodious office on Shawnee street and though the business has only been established a few months they have built up a substantial trade in the grocery line and have bright prospects for the future.

Wm. DeMott.

Mr. DeMott opened an insurance office in Tecumseh in 1868 and soon gathered a large line of fire companies, and also a district agency of the Northwestern Mutual Life. He possesses a natural aptitude for soliciting and for many years had the largest insurance clientage of any man in Tecumseh. In 1885 he sold out his fire business and has since given his entire attention to the Northwestern Life. He is nicely fixed now in a new office with Alfred James in the Masonic Temple block, where the latch-string always hangs out.

The Bidwell Stock Farm.

The Bidwell Stock Farm, now operated by L. I. and L. C. Bidwell, has long held a state reputation for the high breeding and individual excellence of both cattle and horses. Bidwell Bros. have now reduced their cattle to a fine herd of high grade Jerseys. The farm has become best known through its stables, at the head of which stands the beautiful Wilkes stallion, John L. No. 16,561, with a race record of 2:19 1-4. This horse, son of Bourbon Wilkes, is a noble animal, of fine individuality, combining large size, perfect action, and absolute soundness with great speed.

W. H. Smith.

In the fall of '92 W. H. Smith came to Tecumseh and began the business of wagon repairing and wood working near Tom Elliott's shop. He now has a commodious new shop, fitted up with every convenience for his work. Though Mr. Smith does general carriage repairing of all kinds, his specialty is new work and re-modeling of special orders and designs of wagons. Of this kind he has turned out the most handsome and useful wagons ever seen in Tecumseh, among which are the village hose wagon, Lowry's and Avery's delivery wagons and Bryan's milk wagon.

Tecumseh Rack Co.

This concern was organized in April 1889 and during the interval since has built up a fine business. They manufacture the "Common Sense" wagon rack under the patent issued to Richard Caldwell, Mr. Caldwell himself being the manager and chief owner of the business. Their racks are now sold in ten different states. With prosperous times, their sales will multiply immensely, and the plant may develope into a big establishment.

Central Hotel.

Geo. Teachout, the present proprietor, is a model landlord. He bought the property two years ago this spring and it was then in rather a dilapidated condition. The place was thoroughly overhauled and he went to work to restore its custom. In this effort he has been very successful. He runs a $1.00 house, but it is by no means a second-class hotel as the cuisine will compare with $2.00 houses. He runs a large feed barn in connection, which has a fine patronage.

Geo. Tansley & Son.

This firm, although recently organized, has already taken a leading position among our business houses. They bought out J. D. Kinney & Co. and began business April 5th, last. Both Mr. Tansley and his son, Harry, have been engaged in the furniture trade all their lives and Harry has had sixteen years experience in undertaking. George will continue to manage his Addison store and Harry, the junior partner, will have the sole management of the Tecumseh end of the concern. This house is destined to have a steady and healthy growth.

Lilley House.

Chas. F. Patterson began his career as manager of this hotel March 18, 1886, that being Grover Cleveland's birthday. In the summer of 1891 he purchased the property and made many improvements thereon, moving the office into the corner store and enlarging the hall on the second floor. The house enjoys a liberal patronage from drummers and has a large number of regular boarders. It is one of the best conducted hotels in southern Michigan today.

Avery & Co.

Avery & Ellis opened a grocery store Sept. 16, 1890. After eleven months Mr. Ellis sold his interest to the present firm, and since then Frank D. Avery has been the head manager. He has a natural aptitude for the grocery trade and has built up a very fine business. He deals in both staple and fancy groceries and crockery, carrying a complete assortment in both lines. No firm on Chicago street stands higher in public confidence and esteem, and it has come to stay.

Alfred James.

Alf James has been continually identified with the business interests of Tecumseh since 1853, when he began the grocery business. Since that time, however, he has been better known as supervisor and insurance agent. In 1887 he bought out J. H. Smith & Co. and has since conducted a large and increasing insurance business, representing a long line of fire, life, accident and plate glass companies. In October, 1894, he moved into the elegant office now occupied by him in the James block, where he always has a welcome for his patrons.

Harris & Hiteshu.

Harris & Hiteshu came to Tecumseh from Fremont, Ohio, in 1887 and opened a bankrupt store, in the old "Bidwell Corner." They expected to remain about three months and have been here ever since. They keep a general stock of dry goods and boots and shoes and their store is packed so full that the contents are slopping over the edges. Their gentlemanly methods and square business dealing have built up a splendid trade and they are here to stay.

George Merritt.

Mr. Merritt opened a tobacco and cigar store in the same building he now occupies in 1867, and hence has followed his trade for twenty-eight years. His brands of cigars have an established reputation, which keeps up their sale. The Princess and La Norma are the ten cent cigars and the Selected Gem is a very popular five center. Mr. Merritt is a prudent, economical manager and has built up a lucrative trade.

James Elliott.

Jas. Elliott, our Railroad street blacksmith, is now the oldest established smithy in Tecumseh, having been pounding iron on his own anvil for about 19 years. His acquaintance with the trade, however, dates from his earliest infancy, as he learned to blow the bellows at his father's forge in old Ireland, where his ancestors claimed a direct descent, through a continuous line of smithies, from old Vulcan himself. In 1881 Jim built his brick shop, which is perhaps the best fitted and most commodious shop in town.

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E. E. SHOEBOTTOM, V. S.

Shoebottom comes from the Ontario Veterinary College, from which he graduated in 1[illegible], holding a position in the class among the first. This institution has the reputation of being the best of its kind in America, and a diploma from its faculty is assurance of a thorough and complete training. Such can be obtained at the present time. Dr. Shoebottom has already proven this by his marked success in operations, correct diagnosis and skillful treatment. He has established an office at Garlinghouse Bros., where he will welcome his friends.

WOLCOTT W. MARSH.

Mr. Marsh has run a meat market on Logan street for the past twelve years. Other markets come and go every few months but he keeps right on in the same well beaten path, trying and to conquer. He keeps a complete assortment of meats, has a refrigerator and prides himself in making fresh sausage every week in the year. These are the secrets of success and have made his market a success in this town.

THE GLOBE LAUNDRY.

Two weeks ago last Monday Harring Bennett opened a new laundry on Logan street near Garlinghouse Bros.' and they have already secured a good trade. They have all the latest machinery for doing good work and devote their own time and attention to the trade, hence their work speaks for itself and they are certain to build up a good custom. The Globe Laundry has come to stay.

JAMES S. GILMAN.

Mr. Gilman prides himself on being the best harness maker in Lenawee county. He began work at the bench when just sixty one years ago this month, and has been stitching harness in Lenawee ever since. His present shop in C. A. Slayton's warehouse is a model of neatness and convenience, and he keeps a fine assortment of harness goods. He does repairing and makes heavy or light harness to order. His work apparently good for several years in the business.

BOLAND & WHITING.

Boland & Whiting, who now run a blacksmith shop in the old Ed. Rowland shop on Logan street, have only been established in business since April 1st; however, they already have good work for their share of the trade. Mr. Boland has pounded iron for over 30 years and Andy has perfected his trade in the best shops in town, and is well prepared to do all kinds of work that comes his way with promptness and satisfaction. Give them a call occasionally.

LESTER P. THIBOU.

Lester P. Thibou, although a young man has an old hand at the insurance business. He took the agency of the North British, of Philadelphia, and the Ætna, of Hartford, in 1870 and has kept the agency ever since. Other companies have been added from time to time and he now represents, besides the above, the Delphia Underwriters, the Pennsylvania Fire, the Phœnix, the Niagara, the Underwriter's Agency and the Northern Union. This is a very strong line of companies, which are admirably represented.

J. C. ECCLES.

J. C. Eccles came to Tecumseh over 20 years ago and entered the employ of Strong & McNair as their cutter and manager of their custom department. In August, 1894, he opened a shop of his own, over Marsden & Hall's, where he has given his attention to merchant tailoring and repairing. People who want their garments cut to fit and well made can make no mistake in placing an order with him. He has some elegant samples of suitings on hand, which young men are taking advantage of.

MRS. M. A. FREEMAN.

Mrs. Freeman came to Tecumseh in the summer of 1866 and opened millinery rooms over George Merritt's store. During the ensuing sixteen years she occupied two different stores, and in 1890, took possession of her present store in the Hewett house, where she has splendid rooms for her business. Having experience in this line of trade and tact in catering to the wants and whims of the ladies in the matter of dress enable her to satisfy the tastes of all classes. Hence she has had a good trade for many years.

CHAS. E. WILLIAMSON.

On the first of March, 1885, Mr. Williamson bought Frank Bumann's egg business and took possession. Although coming from a farm, his energy and tact made a success of trade from the start and he soon built up a large wholesale business in eggs and poultry. On the first of June, 1890, he added a retail grocery department and put S. Moore in charge, who has developed a fine grocery trade. They make a strong team, Mr. Williamson attending to managing the wholesale business and Mr. Moore the retail department.

L. D. DEWEY.

L. D. Dewey began buying and shipping poultry on a small scale about five years ago and his business has had a steady growth since that time. He now buys grain and produce of various kinds, including wool in its season and handles it. He is a hustler from away back and never takes a back seat in anything he undertakes. By strict economy and careful attention to details he has made a profitable trade, even in these hard times.

McCANN BROS.

James and Thomas McCann bought out Strong & McNair and took possession of the store on the 18th day of April, 1893, and they have been gaining new friends every day since. They are enterprising young men, well versed in the clothing trade, and have cast anchor in this town to stay. They have already taken a position near the head of the list among Tecumseh's most progressive and reliable business firms.

KARNER BROS.

In October, 1894, they came from Blissfield, bought out the Henry Nyland stock of boots and shoes and proclaimed their purpose to take the lead in the boot and shoe trade. By their courteous treatment of customers, and their square business methods, they have gained a solid foothold here and are already recognized as one of our best business houses. They keep a very complete stock in the line of footwear, at prices to suit the times.

CHARLES BURRIDGE.

Mr. Burridge was chosen Justice of the Peace at a special election held in [illegible] first suit was docketed Oct. 17th and was a simple civil action, "Elmer Hause vs. Abram Pelham." He has served continuously as Justice since that date, except a few months, when he resided in Raisin. Of late years he has given his attention more largely to conveyancing and Probate Court practice. In the latter direction his practice probably exceeds that of any attorney in Lenawee county and is constantly on the increase.

JAMES W. WIGHTMAN.

Mr. Wightman came to Tecumseh in December, 1888, and purchased Capt. Wood's law library and practice. Although coming among us a stranger, he soon established the reputation of being a careful, painstaking attorney and a safe counselor. He enjoys a good practice now, being frequently called to the circuit court and occasionally to the state supreme court at Lansing. May his shadow never grow less.

WALTER C. BURRIDGE.

Among the younger attorneys of Lenawee county, Mr. Burridge has already taken a leading position. He began trying cases in Justice's Court, even before he was admitted to the bar, and as soon as he became a full fledged attorney, he acquired a good clientage in the Circuit Court. He was admitted to practice in the State Supreme Court on the 11th of February, 1893, and since that date has appeared in several cases before that tribunal, where he has met with marked success.

DR. D. W. REED.

Dr. Reed graduated from the Dental School of the State University in June, 1891, and in the August following, he opened an office for the practice of his profession, in the rooms he now occupies. His success here in his chosen vocation shows that his time at the University was well spent, for he has acquired a fine practice. He is thoroughly posted in modern dental methods, including crown and bridge work, and aluminum and rubber plates. His future advancement is assured.

THE TECUMSEH NEWS.

The first week in April, 1883, the first number of the News was issued by the present proprietor, C. F. Field. During the past twelve years he has established his paper upon a solid basis and gained the respect and confidence of this entire community. He has proven himself a man of unimpeachable integrity and honor, an enterprising citizen and a first class editor. May he live long and continue to prosper.

W. H. SPALDING.

Mr. Spalding began his trade with Libbeus Drew twenty-five years ago this spring. In 1878 he drifted west and lived for many years in Milwaukee. In January, 1890, he returned to Tecumseh and opened a tinshop in his present quarters. As he is an expert mechanic he has no trouble in finding steady employment. He does all kinds of tin and metal work, puts in heating furnaces, lays tin roofs and has quite a run of plumbing, in which line his work is deservedly popular.

GEO. E. MATTESON.

Thirty-two years experience with a paint brush is not to be sneezed at when one has a new house and wants a first class job of painting or paper hanging done. It is seven years this spring since Mr. Matteson came to Tecumseh and during that brief period he has demonstrated his superiority as an artist by his works. When you need a new dress of paint or paper, give Mr. Matteson a trial. You will not regret it.

THE POST OFFICE.

Musgrove Evans, Gen. Brown, Cousin Geo. Spafford and S. C. Boughton held the Tecumseh postoffice chair in place from 1824 to 1844, when Polk was elected. Chas. Hewitt served during Polk's administration; Daniel Williams under Taylor; Col. Wm. McNair for eight years under Pierce and Buchanan; Webb Anderson served about five years under Lincoln; and Geo. C. Ketcham a few months under Johnson; Col. L. Saviers served during Grant's two terms and Edgar A. Tribou four years under Hayes; Fred Rosacrans served four years under Arthur. Judge Stacy served two years under Cleveland's first administration, and upon his death, Miss L. Loana Stacy filled the balance of his term of four years. Capt. A. D. Lawrence was appointed by Harrison and served four years. Thos. R. Kyle took the place on November 20th, 1893. The office has always been efficiently managed and never better than under the present incumbent.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

The Advent of the Herald In Lenawee County Journalism.

BRIEF SKETCH OF THE PAPER.

The Growth and Improvements Which Have Taken Place During the Past Forty-five Years.

The first number of THE HERALD was issued on the 25th day of May, 1850, and hence the paper was forty-five years old last Saturday. The present issue is the first number of the forty-sixth volume. Is it not a fitting time to indulge in a little retrospect, to examine our status at the present time and take our bearings for the future?

During the first few years of its publication the paper led a precarious existence. Following the example of most western newspapers in those days, it was a constant load to carry, rather than a financial bonanza to its owners. To conduct a newspaper successfully in a frontier town of one thousand inhabitants would be a very uncertain venture, even in this day and generation, but forty-five years ago it was not only an uncertain but a hazardous undertaking. Several times during its infancy it came very near yielding up the ghost, and actually suspended animation for a brief period during 1852. Careful nursing, however, restored it to life, and since October, 1852, its weekly messages have been scattered abroad through Northern Lenawee, without the loss of a single issue.

James H. Perry was the original owner of the paper and published the initial number. Uncle Charley Spafford, who now lives at Manitou Beach, acted as foreman, job printer, compositor, proof reader and devil. He set the first stickful of type for the first number, and he has set type for the paper nearly every year since, at some time during the year. After four months' experience in running gratuitous advertising and taking potatoes and garden truck for subscriptions, Mr. Perry's ambition was thoroughly satisfied and he concluded to quit. The plant was then sold to L. G. Sholes & Co. During the following year or more its dividends must have been a minus quantity, for it changed hands almost a dozen times in as many months, and finally tipped over into a peaceful slumber. During this period it was owned and conducted a few months by W. H. Stout, the father of our townsman, H. E. Stout. Think what a different career Hub might have enjoyed, had his paternal ancestor stuck to his stick. But Mr. Stout soon wearied of carrying the burdens and honors of journalism and he sold the concern to Wm. Richard. After a few weeks at the helm he sold to John Shepard, and within one month thereafter the good Shepard transferred all his right, title and interest to Benedict. In October, 1852, a syndicate was formed, consisting of Richard, Baxter & DeMott, who took the feeble little brat in out of the wet and gave it a financial standing. This firm was a strong one in those days. Wm. Richard represented the business stability and financial end of the establishment; B. L. Baxter the legal department, and Dr. DeMott the medical interests of the concern. This combination was regarded at the time as an irresistible one, but it soon became weary of the good work, or overburdened with editorial cares and dividends, and within one year Dr. DeMott retired from the firm. Messrs. Richard and Baxter continued their ownership and managed the paper for two years thereafter, when Mr. Baxter retired. He still lives with us, and although age is creeping upon him, his heart is as young as ever. He doubtless looks back upon his three years work in the editorial department of the HERALD as one of the pleasant features of his business career. He didn't get rich, that is true, but he carried the honors of the position with modesty and credit. Mr. Richard and Dr. DeMott have long since passed to their final reward. For the eleven years following the dissolution of this syndicate William Richard owned the plant and either managed it himself or as the lessor of other parties. During this period the office was rented one year to Ralph Stocking, two years to Geo. and Chas. Spafford, one year to W. A. Nimocks, and one year to James A. Castle. Chas. Spafford is still in the land of the living, having a cozy little home at Manitou Beach. George is still sticking type in our composing room. Among all the mutations of the office he remains unmoved and unmolested, and he is likely to stay here during the balance of this century. In Jan., '66, C. M. Burlingame purchased the property, and continued to manage it until November, 1874. On the 16th day of that month, which fell on Tuesday, S. C. Stacy bought the plant and took possession the same day. Since that date he has been the manager of the office and also the sole owner, except for two years and eight months when Stacy Bros. owned the concern in partnership. Upon the sale of the office to the present owner, C. M. Burlingame assumed the position of foreman, which he continued to hold until January, 1883. He then took a similar position in the establishment of the Coldwater Republican, where he is now located, and making up forms as of yore. He occasionally makes his old Tecumseh friends a visit, and is apparently good for many years' service yet.

The HERALD'S first abiding place was in the second story of a wooden building near where Anderson Bros.' grocery store now stands, and occupied one room about the size of Mr. Wightman's law office. This humble domicile constituted its earthly abode for many years. One night a big fire cleaned out the whole frame row, of which this building was a part, and the HERALD plant was carted across the street the next morning. Shortly after Wm. Richard bought it the property was shifted into the third story of the brick store west of the one now occupied by the Tecumseh State Bank, and here it remained for about twenty years, during the entire period of Wm. Richard's and C. M. Burlingame's ownership. The latter part of the same November, in which the present owner took control, it was moved into the second story of Bidwell's block, over the store now occupied by Harris & Hitchu, where it found commodious quarters during the ensuing four years. In the summer of 1878 Mr. J. B. Swan erected the present HERALD building for our use, for which a long term lease was taken. On the two days following Thanksgiving we took possession of the HERALD'S new home, and here the plant is likely to remain for some years to come. At the expiration of Mr. Swan's lease the building was purchased of him, so that the personal property and real estate are now under the same ownership. No better location for a printing office could be found in Tecumseh. Moving a newspaper is nearly as bad as a fire, and we have no ambition to enlarge upon our experience in that line.

Away Back in the Fifties.

Chas. Culbertson, Sr., presented to the Jonathan Hall Library of Ridgeway, in 1889, a bound volume of the Tecumseh Herald, running from Oct. 28, 1852 to Nov. 9, 1854. This covers a period earlier than any number of the HERALD we have yet made mention of. Through the courtesy of the officers of the Library we were permitted to borrow the volume, and we give a few extracts therefrom which will doubtless be of interest to our readers. The paper at that time was a seven column folio sheet, all home print. The first page contains a column of business cards and household reading. The second page contains several editorials and a column memorial on the death of Daniel Webster. It was the first number of the paper issued by Richard, Baxter & DeMott, who bought the plant after the paper had suspended, and gave it a new start in life. The third page—properly the local page to-day—is devoted wholly to Southern and European news and advertising. The fourth page is given up entirely to advertising. We give below the business directory and a few of the advertisements.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

B. L. Baxter, Notary Public.
Bills & Baxter, Attorneys.
Perley Bills, Notary Public.
Eri Button, Watchmaker.
Crane & Pennock, Architects.
L. Crane & Co., Hardware.
David Henderson, Tailor.
Mrs. Drew, Milliner.
Blanchard & Gardner, Globe Mills.
J. E. Hall, Jewelry.
Thos. Hall, Painter.
Hamilton & Everett, Physicians.
T. T. Kneeland, Dry Goods, etc.
Chas. DeMott, Physician.
Michael Slater, Tailor.
Moore & Selfridge Dry Goods, etc.
M. A. Patterson, Physician.
Richard & VanTyne, Furniture.
James Pencil, Blacksmith.
Satterthwaite & Comfort, Millers.
L. G. Sholes, Dry Goods, etc.
Spears & Bro., Woolen Mill.
H. J. Snell & Co., Merchants.
Trainor & Co., Harness-makers.
Moses Wright, Druggist.
Wm. Wishart, Dry Goods, etc.
E. B. Wood, Notary Public.
C. A. Stacy, Attorney.
Spafford & Smith, Red Mills.

PROSPECTUS.

For two years our little sheet has kept its way steadily on under adverse circumstances, having several times changed hands, rather as a matter of accident than choice, and with its editorial department oftentimes almost entirely neglected, its patrons have still given a steady and uniform support.

It is now once more out of debt, and we flatter ourselves, upon a firm and permanent basis. In purposes and character, it will be put upon its original platform. It will be neutral, but not neutralized—never pro-Slavery—never Anti-Temperance—never, so far as we may be capable of judging, irreligious or immoral, but liberal, outspoken, independent and free.

SAW MILL BURNED.

The Saw Mill of Satterthwaite and Comfort was burned to the ground during the night of the 16th inst. How it should have taken fire is a good deal of a mystery, as there had been no fire in or about it for many days previous.

TECUMSEH UNION SCHOOL.

The Fall Term of the Tecumseh Union School will be opened on Monday, Oct. 25, 1852, under the charge of Mr. J. E. Bateman, of Almond, Allegheny Co., N.Y. Able and experienced assistants have been engaged and no exertions on the part of the Trustees or Teachers will be spared to place the school on a level with the best institutions of the country.

An extended course of study has been adopted, and great pains will be taken to insure thorough and practical scholarship.

The services of a classical teacher of acknowledged ability and excellence have been secured to meet the wants of those wishing to pursue the more advanced studies of a College course.

Terms of Tuition, from $3.50 to $4.00 per quarter.

C. A. STACY, Director.

All Mail Orders

Purchasing by Person

from us is unnecessary. You can use the mails and express companies and deal at a distance quite as satisfactorily. We believe ourselves able to supply purchasers with just the Dry Goods, Notions, Books, Shoes, Millinery, Boys' Clothing, Cloaks, Carpets and Draperies that they would take.

Silks—Specials in Silks

Wash Goods.

Boys' Suits

$3.39.

Children's Reefers

$1.98.

75 Velvet Capes

$3.98.

HUNTER, GLENN & HUNTER

DETROIT

This Finely Upholstered Overstuffed Parlor Suit five pieces, covered with Silk Tapestry at $2.75 a yard, Spring-Edge Seats and Spring Backs. Your choice of six colors for $55

F. O. B. Detroit Terms, Cash with order.

We make each piece in any of the following colors: Red, Brown, Blue, Olive, Nile Green and Old Rose.

Will fill orders for separate pieces as follows:

Sofa, price $20. Back 40 inches high. Seat 55 inches by 26 inches.

Arm Chair, $14. Back 40 inches high. Seat 28 inches by 26 inches.

Small Chair, $8.

We make all of our upholstered furniture and guarantee first-class work; have been in business for over a quarter of a century; and you need have no fear about ordering this suit. If you do not think it is the greatest bargain you ever saw, when you unpack it, return to us at our expense and we will return you your money AT ONCE.

Our $15 Parlor Suit

Has been the talk of everyone in Detroit ever since we first offered it. We now give our patrons in the State a chance to purchase this suit, which is really worth $30, for $15. Fine Mahogany Finished Frames, Rubbed and Polished. French Legs, Hand Carved Backs. Seats upholstered in Silk Tapestry at $2.75 a yard, with the choice in colors the same as on the Overstuffed Suit. The three pieces of this suit are Divan, Arm Chair and Small Chair. We are unable to sell these pieces separately.

Our customers in the State needing anything in the line of Furniture or Curtains will save money by coming to Detroit and selecting the same from our large stock. All correspondence promptly attended to.

Bed Room Suits. Fine Antique Suits, rubbed finish and finely carved, for $13.50. We carry 100 samples on our floor and guarantee to satisfy the most fastidious.

We especially pride ourselves on our fine stock of Iron and Brass Bedsteads, also Odd Dressers, Toilet Tables and Chiffoniers to match. Iron Beds from $4.95. (Circular mailed on application.)

Full stock of Dining Room Furniture also on hand. Our Curtain and Drapery Department is one of the largest in the west, and anyone needing anything in this line will do well to write us for samples.

Save money by Buying your Goods from the

Largest Furniture and Drapery House in the West.

KEENAN & JAHN,

261 and 263 Woodward Ave. DETROIT.

Are You Ready For the Harvest? 1895.

There's only one way to get ready so that you can be *sure that you are ready* —and I am ready to get you ready with the World-Beating.

LIGHT-RUNNING McCORMICK STEEL BINDERS AND MOWERS.

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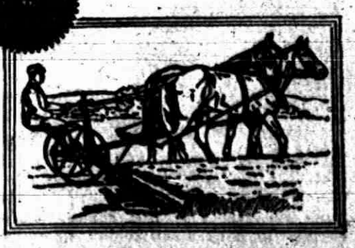
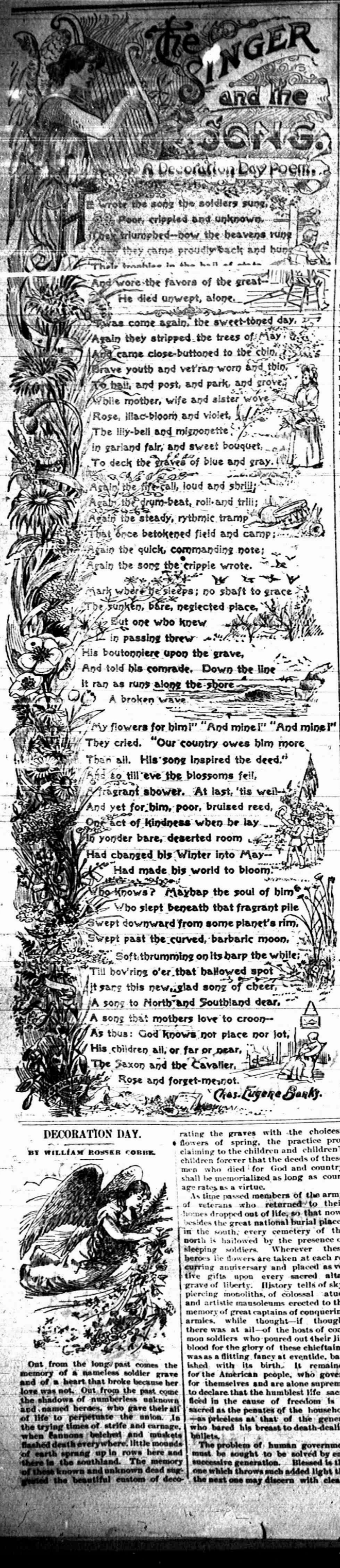


Because Most Durably Built, Lightest in Draft, Greatest in Capacity, Simplest in Construction.

All Competition Staid Away from the McCormick in the World's Fair Tests

I might to-day be selling a line of so-called "cheap" machines at a price which would still be high, but prefer to sell the *high-value* McCormick at a price which experience will most assuredly prove is *low*. Glad to show my friends these machines at any time. Come in and see them.

C. A. SLAYTON, Agent.



DECORATION DAY.

BY WILLIAM ROSSER CORBE.

Out from the long past comes the memory of a nameless soldier grave and of a heart that broke because her love was not. Out from the past come the shadows of numberless unknown and unnamed heroes, who gave their all of life to perpetuate the union. In the trying times of strife and carnage, when cannons belched and muskets flashed death everywhere, little mounds of earth sprang up in rows here and there in the southland. The memory of these known and unknown dead suggested the beautiful custom of decorating the graves with the choicest flowers of spring, the practice proclaiming to the children and children's children forever that the deeds of these men who died for God and country shall be memorialized as long as courage rates as a virtue.

As time passed members of the army of veterans who returned to their homes dropped out of life, so that now, besides the great national burial places in the south, every cemetery of the north is hallowed by the presence of sleeping soldiers. Wherever these heroes lie flowers are taken at each recurring anniversary and placed as votive gifts upon every sacred altar grave of liberty. History tells of sky-piercing monoliths, of colossal atues and artistic mausoleums erected to the memory of great captains of conquering armies, while thought—if thought there was at all—of the hosts of common soldiers who poured out their life blood for the glory of these chieftains, was as a flitting fancy at eventide, banished with its birth. It remained for the American people, who govern for themselves and are alone supreme, to declare that the humblest life sacrificed in the cause of freedom is as sacred as the penates of the household—as priceless as that of the general who bared his breast to death-dealing bullets.

The problem of human government must be sought to be solved by each successive generation. Blessed is that one which throws such added light that the next one may discern with clearer vision the working of the still-to-be-solved question. The errors of a people—their discontent and mistakes, may sorely try the safety as well as the perpetuity of a government. The labors, the pains and the sorrows of the soldier army must ever serve as warning, as entreaty, as encouragement and as strength to the living and their successors. Each returning Decoration day teaches the lesson of the priceslessness of liberty and union.

For the soldiers who sleep and the cause for which they died the wooded dells are searched, the broad fields are scanned and cultivated gardens are stripped of their choicest gifts. Hail the nation that honors its defenders, dead and living, and let Decoration day be and abide forever, a holy day in the nation. Time has softened the asperities of office days; the opposing passions of men, whose differences were based upon honest conclusions, have been subdued into respect and admiration for the courage that stamped the action of each in the trying times of infinite peril, and a common country is the heritage of all. The custom of [illegible] awakener of strife, but a sublime tribute to exalted worth.

The once ensanguined fields of the south are now being turned over by bright plowshares, and will presently yield fair harvests to the peaceful workers; the voices of the mockingbird and brown thrush fill with melody the groves through which once passed hostile armies. The sound of war is heard no more in the land, and may the memories and lessons of Decoration day preserve an everlasting peace to the nation. The one great baptism of blood should be efficient to the perpetual sealing of the republic in peace and harmony throughout the length and breadth of the land.

BARNEY JENNINGS' CHARGE.

Barney Jennings lived a very uneventful life in his Carolina home until the breaking out of the late civil war. His opportunities were very few, and he had not availed himself of those he might have seized. He was a shiftless, harmless, happy-go-lucky fellow, with abundance of leisure and little or no cash.

When he offered his services as a soldier in the southern army the captain was averse to accepting him because of his unsavory reputation, and only yielded after most urgent entreaty on the part of the ne'er-do-weel. Barney served in the army of the Potomac, or James, participating in the leading battles and winning an enviable name as a fighter. Had he been able to read or write he would have been given a commission.

Alas! at Chancellorsville poor Jennings had his left leg shot away, and his soldier days ended, much to his disgust and discomfiture. Returning home, he hobbled about on a "peg-leg," surrendering himself to whisky drinking and fighting over again his battles, under the "stoops" of the village stores or before the tall bars of the saloons.

HIS LAST TRIBUTE.

Whatever scruples he may have had before the war as to accepting charity, he now felt himself a proper ward of the community. Poor fellow! his appetite for liquor grew stronger every day, and he soon passed into a state of nearly continuous inebriety. His heart nearly broke when tidings came from Appomattox; but, like a brave soldier, he accepted the issues of battle, saying: "The feller wot lams yer is jesterfied in hol'in' on s'long's his hilt do'n' slip."

Before Barney fought at Chancellorsville there had been a battle near his native village, and in the little cemetery were graves of union as well as confederate soldiers who had fallen in that contest. Those of the former were in a group in a deserted and neglected corner of the burial ground, and when the beautiful custom was inaugurated of decorating with flowers the sleeping places of the heroes Barney was greatly distressed because the programme did not include those of former foemen.

"They mought er been wrong," he persisted, "in pilin' down onter us, but they fit p'intedly 'n' I reckon they'd wires 'n' mammies that cried over 'em."

But Barney was a trifle ahead of his neighbors in spirit of amity. The day came, when a wealth of flowers was spread over each southern soldier's grave, while no thought was bestowed upon those that were concealed by weeds, beneath the scraggy oaks and elms. When the speeches and hymns were over a party of young people strayed down in the union quarter, and their astonishment was great when they saw that every grave was covered generously with wild flowers. Near by they saw Barney extended upon weeds his bloated body had broken by its weight.

The touching tribute was Barney's last act upon earth; for he never awoke from the sleep into which he had fallen. He died beside the graves of former enemies, whose courage had inspired his praiseworthy action.

When the next anniversary day came loving hearts recalled Barney's charge over in the deserted corner, and since that time no distinction has been made in that little cemetery between the union and the confederate dead.

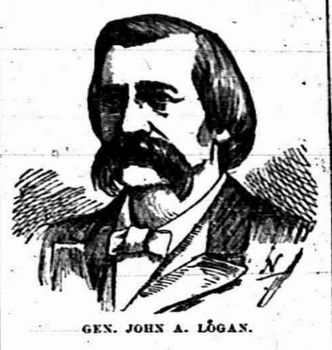
HISTORY OF THE DAY.

The custom of decorating with fragrant spring flowers the graves of departed friends is an old one, but the observance of Decoration day as it is understood to-day is shrouded in some mystery, in spite of the fact that the significant national rite is not yet thirty years old. Towns innumerable, both in the north and in the south, lay claim to having originated the day. After sifting, with perfect impartiality, all the testimony relating to the important subject, the best authorities are inclined to accord to Mrs. Charles J. Williams, of Columbus, Ga., the honor of being the mother of Decoration day.

But before speaking at length of this noble southern woman, who saw in "Memorial day" a grand opportunity to reunite the surviving heroes of the struggle between north and south, it might be well to state that the decoration of soldiers' graves did not become a really national custom until 1868, in which year, under date of May 5, Gen. John A. Logan, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, issued a general order from which we quote:

"The 30th day of May is designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion, and whose bodies now lie in almost every city, village and hamlet churchyard in the land. In this observance no form of ceremony is prescribed, but posts and comrades will in their own way arrange such fitting services and testimonials of respect as circumstances may permit."

When Gen. Logan issued this order he had no idea that young and old,



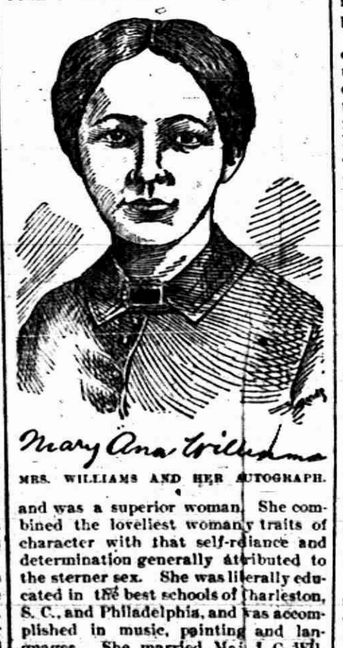
GEN. JOHN A. LOGAN.

soldier and civilian, would respond to his simple appeal with patriotic enthusiasm and that Decoration day would become one of the established holidays of the nation. And there is no reason to believe that the beautiful custom will ever cease to be observed. If there were, the Americans of the future need but recall these words of gallant John A. Logan to remind them of the duty they owe to the men who died to save their country:

"We should guard their graves with sacred vigilance. All that the consecrated wealth and taste of the nation can do to add to their adornment and security is but a fitting tribute to the memory of our slain defenders. Let no wanton foot tread rudely on such hallowed mounds. Let pleasant paths invite the coming and going of reverent visitors and fond mourners. Let no vandalism of avarice or neglect—no ravages of time—testify to the present or coming generations that we have forgotten as a people the cause of a free and undivided public. If other eyes grow dull and their hands slacken and their hearts grow cold in the solemn trust, ours shall keep it well as long as light and warmth of life remain to us. Let us then at the time appointed gather around their sacred remains and garland the passionless mounds above them with the choicest flowers of spring time. Let us raise above them the dear old flag they saved from dishonor. Let us in this solemn presence renew our pledges to aid and assist those whom they have left among us, a sacred charge upon a nation's gratitude—the soldiers' and sailors' widows and orphans."

With reverence and gratitude the aged, the fair and the young of our land strew the graves of the departed heroes with bright blossoms upon every returning 30th of May. They remember the service rendered by the dead. But they have learned to do more. They have been taught to make pleasant the last days and respect the gray hairs of those who survived the war and are even now preparing to join their comrades in the grand encampment on the other shore. It is well that while we moisten with a tear the hallowed grave of a departed friend, we lend a helping hand and give a cordial smile to the wheezing veteran by our side.

The southern Memorial day owes, as has been said, its origin to Mrs. Mary Anna Williams, of Columbus, Ga. Mrs. Williams was the daughter of Maj. John Howard, of Milledgeville, Ga.,



Mary Ana Williams

MRS. WILLIAMS AND HER AUTOGRAPH.

and was a superior woman. She combined the loveliest woman'y traits of character with that self-reliance and determination generally attributed to the sterner sex. She was liberally educated in the best schools of Charleston, S. C., and Philadelphia, and was accomplished in music, painting and languages. She married Maj. J. C. Williams on his return from the Mexican war. He was a lawyer of high standing and speaker of the house of representatives about the time the war broke out. While colonel of the First Georgia Regulars in the army of Virginia he contracted disease from which he died in 1862, and was buried in Columbus, Ga. Mrs. Williams and her little daughter visited his grave every day, and often comforted themselves by wreathing it with flowers. While the mother sat thinking of the loved and lost ones, the little girl would pluck the weeds from the unmarked soldiers' graves near her father's, and cover them with flowers, calling them "her soldiers' graves," and say they had no one else to care for them. After a short while the dear little girl was summoned by the angels to join her father. The sorely-bereaved mother then took charge of these unknown graves for the child's sake, and as she cared for them thought of the patriots' graves throughout the south, far away from home and kindred, and in this way the plan was suggested to her of setting apart one day in each year that love might pay tribute to valor throughout the southern states. In March, 1866, she addressed a communication to the daily paper at Columbus suggesting our "Memorial day" custom. She then wrote to the Soldiers' Aid societies, and they readily responded, and reorganized under the lead of memorial associations.

was buried with military honors.

TONY'S PRETTY FLOWERS.

The spring had been so late in coming that the good and loyal people of Teckerdsville scarcely knew what they should do about flowers for Decoration day. The hitherto never-failing snowballs and lilacs were in embryo, while of the wild flowers not even a spring beauty or a wood violet was to be seen.

The ladies got together and talked over the situation; the committee of arrangements solemnly decided that something surely had to be done, and that without delay. Then the ladies met the committee, when there was much more talking than ever, which finally culminated in a wrathful outburst from Old Mrs. Malliner, a soldier's widow:

"See yere, now, all there is we'se gotter have flowers ter put onto the graves 'n' all the snivelin' 'n' talkin' back in the worl' hain't ergoin' ter hurry up spring one bit. What's more, we jist kain't put off decoratin'; so we'll hafter take up er collection fer buyin' uv 'em. Here goes my quarter."

This innovation was a startling one to the Teckerdsvillians, who, if patriotic, were also economical, and their contributions were not made with startling alacrity. Still, after much persistence and a thorough canvass of the town, an amount was raised that, in the opinion of everybody, was ample for the end desired. There being no hothouse or flower store in Teckerdsville, Tony Mallinger, only son of the widow, was instructed to proceed to Detroit and make the purchase.

Decoration day opened warm, but with every promise of an all-to-be-desired occasion. The villagers decked themselves in their best attire, the farm wagons came lumbering into town, filled with happy creatures, glad to get away for a day from the arduous toil of the home. Bluejays chattered

ALAS! THE FLOWERS DID NOT MATERIALIZE.

in the apple trees, robins sang soft love notes to their mates, and sparrows twittered upon every hand.

Presently, however, as the crowds gathered, so did the clouds. Patriotism, however, is strong, and the people like to get together in the country. Hence, while they gossiped and speculated upon the possible events of the day, they gave little heed to the falling smoke from the chimneys or the fitful whiffing of the winds, those sure precursers of a rainfall.

The speaker, the preacher, the church choir and the chairman had gathered upon the stage that stood on the outer edge of the cemetery, while two or three thousand people were gathered in front. Then a raindrop fell sputtering here and there upon the new bonnets or dresses of the women, and the derbys of the men. Neighbor regarded neighbor nervously, but no one flinched as a slow, drizzling, but decidedly wetting rain set in.

Chairman, preacher, speaker, choir all did their part without abatement of one jot or tittle of the programme. Loyally the people stood at their posts, uttering no complaints, if they did fail to cheer.

Then, after the benediction was pronounced, the chairman called up the committee to distribute the flowers. Alas! the flowers did not materialize. In their stead, in the paper boxes once containing them, were wretched masses of pulpy, vari-colored paper, tangles of wrapped wire, etc. Tony had purchased a lot of miserably made paper flowers instead of nature's own dear gifts.

"They was so much cheaper," he was careful to explain.

Still there was no end to small flags, so that two of them were placed upon each soldier's grave and thus amends were made in part for Tony's blunder. But Teckerdsville never did and never will forgive him the sorry trick he played.

The Old Guard Dwindles.

There are more soldiers' graves to decorate to-day than ever before. The old guard dwindles.

DECORATION DAY POEM.

"Forward!" was the word when fate
Dawned upon the armed host;

"Fallen!" was the word when night
Closed upon the field of fight.

"Hurt, my boy?" "Oh, no! Not much
Only got a little touch!"

Wonder what the folks would say
If they knew the news to-day!

"Forward!" was the word that flashed
Homeward, when the cannon crashed.

"Missing!" was the word sent home
When the shades of night had come.

"Fallen!" "Yes: he fell, they say,
In the fiercest of the fray!"

"Died last night!" the message told
Thus the morrow's papers read.

One young heart that heard the word
Fluttered like a wounded bird.

One was broken! Bowed her head:
"Mother! Mother! Mother's dead!"

Two green graves we'll deck to-day
Sons and mothers side by side.
None will dare to tell us "Nay"
Both for Right and Freedom fell.

While we honor him who fell
In the fiercest of the fray,
We will honor her as well
Lying by his side to-day.

Let the flowers forever fair
Bloom above our fallen brave,
While the angels guard them there
Glory lingers o'er their grave.

Long ago one sweet young soul
Entered her Gethsemane,
Death to her the greatest goal,
As it must to many be!

But life lingers—O! so long!
And the years so weary grow!
Tears have choked her heart's song
Dimmed those eyes that used to glow!

O! the bleeding, broken hearts,
Living long their lingering death!
Pierced by countless cruel darts
Smothered sobs beneath each breath!

Comrades! Call the roll again!
Write their name on glory's page!
Those who bore the grief and pain
Fiercer far than battle's rage!

When they lie there by his side,
Dearer to him than his life,
Mother, Sister, Sweetheart, Wife,
Or his dear devoted Wife,

And you deck his grave again
Write her name—but not beneath
By her agony and pain,
Crown her grave with finest wreath.

Angels called the roll again,
Wrote her name above the slain
For her patient faith in pain,
Deeper far than battle scars.

Three green graves we deck to-day
This is the third, where lies his
None will dare to tell us "Nay!"
For these three for freedom died.

—H. H. Van Meter, in N. Y. Evening

TO MEMORY DEAR

Some members of the Grand Army of the Republic have recently expressed their disapprobation of Decoration day being turned into a regular holiday for big baseball matches and dancing meetings—instead of being properly regarded as a day, as intended by Congress, for the decoration of the graves of those who fought for the union and for the keeping in lasting memory the deeds of those who saved it. The present generation, says the Illustrated American, knew not those troublous times. It cannot, therefore, be blamed if it does not feel the same personal interest in the dead that do the men and women who lived amidst the tragic scenes enacted in this country from 1861 to 1865. But, at the same time, it must not be supposed that the rising generation is less grateful to the heroes of the civil war than the members of the veteran army are to those of the revolution. It may be that it can no longer say with Longfellow:

"Your silent tents of green
We deck with fragrant flowers;"

but it can finish the verse of the poet's words:

"Yours has the suffering been,
The memory shall be ours."

Largest Regimental Loss.

The largest regimental loss on either side during the late civil war was sustained by the Twenty-sixth North Carolina—Pettigrew's brigade, Heth's division. They had a full quota of men on July 1, 1863, but in the terrible battle of Gettysburg lost 588 men killed and 502 wounded, not to mention the "missing," of whom there were many. According to Col. W. F. Fox, the entire company, 86 strong, every man in the ranks and the orderly who made out the report did so while suffering from a wound in each leg. Surely those were men of iron, which not only "tried men's souls," but made heroes of those who survived as martyrs of the dead.

Oh, He Joyful!

Willy—Say, pop, I'm glad you killed in the war.

Father (pleased)—Are, you? Why?

Willy—Because I'd be going to cemetery to-day, instead of the game.—Puck.

The Terrors of War.

Mrs. Henpeck (visiting her husband's grave)—Yes; here lies all that You would not be my husband had he not been killed in the war.

Mr. Henpeck (fiercely)—Yes, curse war is!—Puck.

Remember the Soldiers.

Remember the soldiers, children,
Remember them all with flowers!
Theirs was the battle and theirs the pain,
Ours is the peace and ours the gain.
Theirs was the sowing, the harvest ours,
And all we can give them to-day is flowers.
—E. C. Dowd, in Youth's Companion.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that I will not pay no debts contracted by my wife, Minnie Wood, after this date, May 29, 1895. T. G. MOFFETT.

FOR SALE—FINE STEAM YACHT—Must be sold. In first-class condition. We invite inspection. Address, P. Box 829, Allegan, Mich.

STRAYED—A small gelding came to my premises about ten days ago. Owner can recover same by proving property and paying charges. C. H. WHITE.

Tecumseh, May 24, 1895.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A middle aged or old lady capable of doing light work. A very good and steady man secure a home and good compensation by applying at the HERALD office.

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PAINTING.—M. L. Gillen is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. Mann on Railroad street or at J. Monroe's Jewelry Store.

FOR SALE.—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Come and look, but come and see me, two miles west of Tecumseh. JOSEPH E. GRAY. Tecumseh, Mich.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 31, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Avery and Co. have a new card this week.

Geo. Hoag was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Chas. Bell was down from Jackson over Sunday.

Knapp & Osborn have a new announcement this week.

Did you notice Ed. Kirchgessner's new window yesterday?

Fred Teachout and family, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hurlbut were over from Adrian the first of the week.

John Neeley and wife are visiting in these parts, from Hillsdale county.

The report of the Farmers' Social arrived too late for insertion this week.

Geo. Hoag has been taking a respite from work this week, nursing a sore thumb.

During the month of June morning services will be conducted at St. Peter's church.

Editor Blosser of Manchester came down to attend J. Root's funeral last Monday.

Many of the store windows were beautifully decorated yesterday with flags and bunting.

Mrs. J. Ware returned to Grand Rapids Tuesday. Mrs. Ware will remain several weeks with her parents.

Beesen Bros. and Co. are receiving a lot of orders now and take a "heat" in the moulding room every day.

Rev. Geo. E. Rowe, of Brainerd, Minn., will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

A. C. Stacy gave the decoration address at Onsted yesterday. They had a large turn out and a fine celebration.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. have just received a new invoice of the best hard coal, which they offer very cheap.

Co. C has received an invitation to participate in the ceremonies of laying the foundation of the new Monroe armory. The boys will have a good time if they accept.

Pitcher Harris seems to be a bone of contention among the state league clubs. The manager of the league has decided that he belongs to Port Huron but Frank rather favors Kalamazoo.

Mrs. L. Baxter spent Tuesday at Deerfield and on the prairie. Mr. Baxter is closely identified with the development of the big prairie and the citizens thereabouts are always glad to see him.

Mr. B. Stevens of Detroit came out Saturday to visit with friends over Sunday. On account of Mrs. Palmer's illness he remained longer than his intention and did not return until yesterday. His wife, who has been here for some time accompanied him home.

Miss Loana Davidson has been invited to teach her fifth year in the public schools of Traverse City. The city will erect a new ward school and Miss Davidson has been tendered the principalship with a comfortable increase in salary. This promotion is a most complimentary and substantial recognition of her services of the last four years.

...on death again visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. ... recently summoned ... though some... attack of ... as usual ... warerooms in Hodge's ... F. Roy, Tecumseh, ... room ... red of ... her ... ted ... om ... pe-

KNOW THE ... Makes Get All ...

Knap...

Mrs. C. F. Field visited Clinton friends last week.

Cleo Hall inspected lumber in Hudson Tuesday.

A. W. Slayton is sending out odometers by the wholesale now.

The paint brush is getting in its work in lots of houses this spring.

The weather this week jumps from ice to ice cream in 24 hours.

The regular Sunday trains on the Mackinaw will begin next Sunday.

A. W. Mills has booked 285 orders for wage wire fence since last New Years.

Merton Burlingame acted as clerk at the Lilley House two or three days this week.

Walter C. Burridge was initiated into the Knights of Pythias at Adrian this week.

A choice lot of Memorial Day reading may be found on our supplement sheet this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Waring drove down to Ann Arbor last week for a short visit with friends.

Robert Stretch is at home two or three days this week. He stays longer than usual this time.

At the Methodist church next Sunday evening, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject "Mount Carmel."

Mrs. C. V. Hicks, of Oscoda, who has been spending a week or so with Tecumseh friends, returned home Monday.

Our Cambridge letter contains some additional particulars about the unfortunate drowning in that town last Saturday.

Hard coal is very cheap now, $5.50 per ton, and Slayton says he charges no more for delivery with his new wide tire wagon.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kellogg, of Jackson, a sister of B. L. Baxter's, arrived in town Saturday, for a few weeks' visit with her brother.

Rev. E. C. Andrus attended a Liberal Christian conference at Ann Arbor last Tuesday and Wednesday. He was down on the program for a paper.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell of Clinton gave a fine Memorial discourse at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. It was highly commended by those who heard it.

Darius Smith, the town treasurer of Ridgeway, is a patriotic citizen. He pays all the bills against the township whether there is any money in the treasury or not.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Hoag during the month of June. Let all ... mother's meeting the first Friday in the month, at 3 p. m. sharp.

Frank Diven, who lives east and north of Tipton, is prepared to remove tombstones and bodies of the dead from one cemetery to another. His charges are reasonable and the work will be well done.

Among the fashion features of Harper's Bazar for the first and second weeks of June will be out-door costumes, bicycle and mountain and beach toilettes in variety; also summer silks and pretty gowns for evening.

Jehiel Davidson, A. W. Slayton and Geo. VanTyne returned from their Louisville trip the last of the week. They had a pleasant trip and made arrangements so that Beers Post will have good quarters at the National encampment.

The little village of Weston is to be commended on its enterprise. It proposes to have water works, and private subscriptions have provided for this improvement. The work has so far progressed that the wind mill tower was raised Monday.

The Friends of Tecumseh will hold a social at the home of Libbie Satterthwaite, Tuesday evening, June 4th. Ice cream and cake will be served and an interesting literary program presented, in which the Woman's Rights question will be freely discussed. Bring all your bright thoughts on the subject. All are cordially invited.

Arrangements have been made whereby the Adrian team will play with the following clubs at Tecumseh on the dates given: June 14, with Lansing; June 21, with Owosso; July 19, with Kalamazoo; Aug. 9, with Port Huron. All that is required now is President Mumby's approval and that will undoubtedly be given.

A well known and prosperous farmer declares that three-fourths of the apples, at least, have been killed by the late freezes and frosts, while other fruits have greatly suffered. In some sections peaches are reported not seriously damaged, while in others the frost made a clean sweep. Altogether, said the farmer, the late frosts have been the most damaging that Lenawee county ever saw.

Two suits in equity were begun in the United States circuit court at Grand Rapids last week. The complainants in each case are Otto Ihling, et al., of Kalamazoo, and the suits are brought against C. L. Rounds & Co., of the same city, and Eaton, Lyon & Co., of Grand Rapids, for infringement of patents relating to apparatus used in the counting and playing of duplicate whist. The complainants seek a restraining injunction and an accounting of profits and losses. The duplicate whist craze has become so widespread that there is an extensive sale of the whist sets and boards, and the Kalamazoo men claim exclusive rights to manufacture them under their patents.

What a beautiful Decoration day it was.

Postmaster Hoob, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday.

The clerk of the weather was in his happiest mood yesterday.

Representative Camburn was at home over Sunday from Lansing.

Horace Fenton, of Hudson, was a guest at W. B. Odion's yesterday.

Sam James spent Sunday with his family at Mrs. O. B. DeWolf's.

The weather this week jumps from ice to ice cream in twenty-four hours.

Miss Hattie Whitlier was the guest of Miss Florence Caldwell, in Adrian, last Friday.

The Hayden boys were all at home Monday, but they came on a sad errand this time.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, visited relatives in Newburg and Tecumseh last week.

The addition to Kennedy & Rogers' store is completed, which they will find a great convenience.

J. Raynor Lilley, of Indianapolis, was a Tecumseh visitor over Sunday. His stay was entirely too brief.

Claude VanTyne came out from Ann Arbor on his wheel last Saturday and remained a day or two.

The June social of the ladies society of the Baptist church will be held on Thursday, June 6th. Supper from 5:30. All are invited.

Whitney Watkins and friend, Mr. Perry Hori, a Japan student of the Agricultural college, attended Union services here last Sunday evening.

I. S. Osborn has just sown 180 acres of Alfalfa, near Hagerman, New Mexico. Irve always did like to raise hay and we trust he will have a good crop.

D. T. Hall has received his warrant appointing him as brigade hospital steward. Co. C will be glad of this as it's fun to be sick when Dan is in the hospital.

Mrs. Robison and Mrs. Clark, of Jackson, daughters of Henry Hayden, and Mrs. Wm. T. Mitchell, of Port Huron, sister of Mrs. Wm. Hayden, attended the funeral Monday.

J. H. M. Campbell has secured the agency for Shepardson's combination bicycle lock. It is a good thing, easily managed, and moderate in price. They ought to go like hot cakes.

It seems like old times to see the H. L. Stewart residence on Chicago street again opened. The members of the family, who have returned from the South, are heartily welcomed.

Geo. Williamson was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends this week. He is about to make a tour of Michigan cities soliciting consignments for the commission house of John C. Quick, of N. Y. city, with which he is connected.

The cantata given by the Epworth League last Friday evening proved to be a very meritorious entertainment. The parts were all well taken, and the singing of each and every one was excellent. The receipts too paid for the trouble and time expended, as they were about $15.00.

Rev. H. A. Smith gave his farewell sermon at the Baptist church last Sunday morning to a large congregation. Mr. Smith has done a fine work here and made a goodly addition to the membership of his church. We sincerely regret his decision to leave us. A minister of his talents and industry cannot remain long unemployed.

The Council Proceedings this week contain the particulars of the new contract entered into with the Tecumseh Electric Light Co. The street lights will be run all night hereafter, and nine new arc lights will be erected. The rates for commercial lighting will be less than heretofore and the meter system will be adopted.

At a meeting of the Sunday school superintendents of Macon, it was resolved to hold an Institute at the Reformed church in South Macon, June 19, afternoon and evening. Program in due time. Everybody is cordially invited and a special invitation to Sunday schools in the surrounding townships.

Through the kindness of Dr. Woodward we are in receipt of a beautiful souvenir of Buffalo and program of the 5th session of the military surgeons of the United States, which he recently attended. The book contains illustrations and descriptive matter of the city. Among the members of the association appears a very natural half tone of our townsman. The doctor's name appears on several important committees.

The one subject that is uppermost throughout the country is, of course, the currency question. The first definite—and we might say, serious and compact—statement that has been made by the author of "Coin's Financial School," is made in this number of The Forum. In other words, the book which is having such an extensive circulation is practically compressed into the article by Mr. Harvey, the author of "Coin's Financial School," which he entitles "The Free-Silver Argument." This argument is answered directly, statement by statement, by the Hon. John DeWitt Warner, a member of the Coinage Committee of the House of Representatives, and a leading spirit of the New York Reform Club. This debate of free silver is one of the features of this number.

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—If you want a Bicycle, we carry them in stock. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

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—Examine the White City lawn mower at Satterthwaite Bros'.

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—Call and see my line of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.
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—Hammocks, Croquet and Base Ball goods at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

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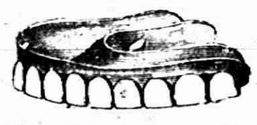

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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

LANSING, Mich., May 24.—The senate Thursday passed bills admitting all foreign corporations to the state upon the same footing as those organized within the state, and appropriating $10,000 for the support of the food and dairy commissioner's department, increasing the salary of that official from $1,200 to $1,500 and providing for a state analyst. All after the enacting clause was stricken out of the Jewell bill, which proposed to tax sleeping, dining and parlor car property.

LANSING, Mich., May 24.—The senate on Thursday passed a bill increasing the specific tax upon the gross earnings of railroad companies one-half of 1 per cent, and if earnings are in excess of $8,000 per mile it is increased 1 per cent. It will bring an additional $150,000 to the state treasury. The senate also passed the Donovan interchangeable railroad mileage book bill, which has previously passed the house. Its constitutionality is questioned.

LANSING, Mich., May 25.—The senate Saturday passed the anti-lobby bill, which requires the registration of lobbyists at each session and the record of the measure upon which they are engaged. The senate in committee of the whole agreed to the bill establishing a normal school in the upper peninsula.

LANSING, Mich., May 28.—The senate Monday struck out all after the enacting clause of the Waite anti-treating liquor bill, and took the same action on the Wildey bill providing for payment of taxes semi-annually, and the bill prohibiting extra charges by express companies upon transportation of poultry and live stock. The Aspin bill, providing for the incorporation of trust companies in cities of less than 60,000 population, with a capital of $100,000 from 60,000 to 100,000 of $150,000 and over 100,000 population of from $300,000 to $1,000,000, was lost on passage.

LANSING, Mich., May 29.—The thirty-eighth session of the state legislature closed at midnight, having been in session since January 7. The senate tabled for the session the Robinson bill reducing passenger rates on the upper peninsula railroads from four to three cents per mile by a vote of 17 to 9. Both houses passed the general budget bill providing for the general expenses of the state government, appropriating $1,900,000 for 1895 and $1,173,000 for 1896. This will make the total tax levy for the two years approximate $4,500,000.

The most important legislation of the session has been the election of Julius Caesar Burrows to the United States senate to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator F. B. Stockbridge. The liquor law was amended, making all licenses $800 for both spirituous and malt liquors. The old law was $500 for spirituous and $300 for malt. All social clubs will have to take out licenses if liquor is vended. Much time has been spent amending city charters, and every city has come in for a share of some wholesome legislation. The anti-liquor treating bill was also killed. A law was passed to compile the laws of the state by a commission, defeating the "Howell statutes" plan as well as publication by Callegan & Co., of Chicago. The University of Michigan was granted an appropriation of $5,000. The bill providing for capital punishment was killed. The anti-fusion bill prohibiting the appearing of a candidate's name on the ticket but once, though nominated by two or more parties, was passed. The bill to submit an equal suffrage amendment to the people was defeated.

House.

LANSING, Mich., May 24.—The Waite anti-treating bill passed the house Thursday by a vote of 75 to 17, and was given immediate effect. The bill makes it unlawful for any person to purchase for or give to another any spirituous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors in any saloon, bar-room, club-room or tavern where the same is kept for sale by the drink, or to treat another in any way in any such places to a drink of liquor. It also prohibits the selling of liquor for such purposes and provides a fine and imprisonment for violation of its provisions. The house passed a joint resolution submitting to the people in November, 1896, the question of relegating municipal charter legislation to the municipalities, except that the legislature shall have sole power to limit or restrict the powers of cities and villages in regard to taxation, borrowing money, contracting debts and loaning their credit. The senate capital punishment bill was reported from the committee, amended so that executions will not take place until one year after conviction, and the Michigan instead of the Ohio definition is adopted.

LANSING, Mich., May 25.—The House on Friday passed the Kelley congressional apportionment bill, which corrects the democratic gerrymander of 1891; the bill appropriating $75,000 for the support of the home for the feeble minded and epileptic; the state public school appropriation bill, and the bill creating a commission to locate a normal school in the upper peninsula and making an appropriation of $40,000 therefor. The Wood bill requiring social clubs dispensing liquors to take out a saloon license and pay a tax of $500, and the state university appropriation bill were lost on final passage, the latter for the third time. The senate capital punishment bill was made a special order for Monday.

LANSING, Mich., May 27.—The house Saturday passed the bill amending the fish and game law, authorizing the appointment of three deputy wardens and appropriating $4,000 for the appointment of a deputy in each county, if desired, with compensation not to exceed three dollars per day. The bill providing that no street car lines shall be laid upon any street in Detroit unless consent be obtained from a majority of the property owners was defeated.

LANSING, Mich., May 28.—The house Monday passed a bill requiring all social clubs to pay a $500 liquor tax, but exempts arbeiter societies having seventy-five members or other societies dispensing liquors to provide a mortuary fund. Although a restrictive measure, it amends the general law to permit saloonkeepers in villages to secure bondsmen anywhere within the township in which the village is situated instead of being confined to the village. The house also passed the Shaw newspaper libel bill by a vote of 73 to 9. Bills prohibiting marriage of females under 18 years of age without the consent of parent or guardian, and prohibiting the keeping for sale of quail, woodcock or partridge passed. The bill for the punishment of officers of banks who take deposits knowing their institution to be insolvent and making stockholders at once accountable for deficiencies in insolvent banks, was agreed to in committee of the whole, and the committee struck out all after the enacting clause of a joint resolution submitting to the people the question of leaving the matter of state officers' salaries to the legislature. The house by a vote of 43 to 43 refused to pass the senate capital punishment bill but the vote was reconsidered and the bill tabled.

LANSING, Mich., May 29.—Another attempt was made in the house to pass the hanging bill, but it failed by a vote of 47 to 47. A similar fate befell the resolution submitting the question of woman's suffrage to the people, the resolution coming within three votes of passing. The house defeated the Detroit Citizens' street railway bill, abolishing the present board of public works of Detroit and substituting therefor a single commissioner of public works.

A Gift to the State.

DETROIT, May 24.—Mrs. L. G. Chandler, widow of ex-United States Senator Zacharias Chandler, of Michigan, has presented to the state the portrait of her husband which hangs in Representative hall at Lansing. It is the work of the late L. T. Ives, father of Percy Ives, the Detroit artist who painted the portrait of President Cleveland now on exhibition at the Art loan here, and who recently restored the Chandler portrait.

Broke His Neck.

PORT AUSTIN, May 29.—Vene Badgley, a farmer near Kinde, threw himself into a well and was drowned. His neck was broken by the fall. Before committing the act he took all the money in his pocket, some $8,400, and placed it on a table.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Michigan Localities.

At Owasso, David C. Hood's 2-year-old son drank carbolic acid and died.

In Coldwater Mrs. Emma E. Barlow committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

Despondent from continued illness, Edward Downing, of Lexington, rode to Lake Huron and drowned himself.

The jury in the Callahan case at Kalamazoo, after being out twenty-five hours, disagreed, and the case will be retried. Callahan is charged with attempting to murder William Wickwire, of Climax, last fall.

Gen. Russell A. Alger, was chosen chairman and Gen. W. H. Withington of Jackson secretary of the Blair monument commission.

The Old Settlers' association of the Grand Traverse region will meet at Traverse City, June 5. Preparations are being made for 3,000 or 4,000 visitors.

A company is being organized in Grand Rapids to put up high grade fruits in glass cans, and it is expected that the plant will be in shape to begin operations by peach time.

There have been seven frosts in western Michigan since May 12.

Romeo will be the scene of an international firemen's tournament June 20.

Reed City is to have a tri-county exposition July 3.

A post office has been established at Snover, Sanilac county.

Mrs. Joseph Thoms was instantly killed in a runaway accident at Norway Tuesday.

MICHIGAN TOWN SWEPT BY FIRE.

Every Business Building But Two in Galien Is Burned.

NILES, May 27.—The village of Galien was damaged by fire Sunday morning. Every business building in the place but two stores and the post office was destroyed. The loss will aggregate $20,000, with insurance of about half. The following firms were burned out: Prince Brothers, hardware; C. D. Rhodes, general merchandise; E. Harris, general merchandise; M. O. Smith, drugs; C. H. Lyon, livery office; Dr. L. E. Peck, dwelling; Peter Critchett, George Minsler, barber shop, and De Nash Brothers, meat market.

Got Her Husband Back.

SAGINAW, May 23.—Three weeks ago a man and woman arrived here and obtained board, the man securing a position. He gave his name as Joseph Markham. Two days ago he disappeared, and it now develops that the woman is a Mrs. Berow, who eloped with him from Biddeford, Me. Mrs. Berow is only 22 and pretty. Markham's wife followed the eloping couple here and induced her husband to go back, leaving the other woman penniless.

Benton Harbor Pioneer Dead.

BENTON HARBOR, May 26.—Hon. Henry C. Morton died at the family residence Saturday morning, aged 78. In 1831 he moved from New York, his birthplace, to Kalamazoo and here in 1835. He owned all Benton Harbor at one time and set the first orchard here. He built the Benton Harbor ship canal. He was elected to the legislature in 1862, was postmaster here from 1864 to 1872.

Union of Liberals Proposed.

ANN ARBOR, May 29.—A conference of the Unitarian and other liberal churches of Michigan was held here, with 200 outside delegates. It is the first conference of the kind ever held in the state, and its object is to lead to the union of all liberal denominations. Many papers were also read on points of common work and interest.

Boat Will Withdraw.

HOLLAND, May 28.—On account of being refused dockage here the steamer Mabel Bradshaw will be withdrawn from this harbor and will go to Pentwater Sunday next. The refusal is due to the enmity of the Holland and Chicago Transportation company, whose earnings were cut into by the Bradshaw last season.

Will Close the Mines.

ISHPEMING, May 29.—The Lake Superior Iron company will close its non-Bessemer ore mines June 1. There is no market for the ore. The company has over 100,000 tons of unsold non-Bessemer in stock at Cleveland and also has several thousand tons here. Two hundred men will be laid off.

To Restrain the Executors.

KALAMAZOO, May 25.—A petition was filed in the circuit court to prevent the dissolving of the injunction to prevent Judge Kinney and Otis C. Johnson, of Ann Arbor, executors and trustees of the Lucy W. S. Morgan estate, from disposing of property of the estate.

Took a Fatal Dose.

VICKSBURG, May 28.—Charles A. Baldwin, postmaster under President Harrison and formerly publisher of the Vicksburg Commercial, committed suicide Sunday night by taking strychnine. He was about 45 years old and was a victim of drink.

Michigan Pioneer Society.

LANSING, May 29.—The twenty-first annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society will be held in the senate chamber of the capitol in this city June 5 and 6, beginning 9 o'clock on Wednesday, June 5.

Fate of a Babe.

JACKSON, May 23.—A 2-year-old son of Dr. Charles A. Littler secured possession of his father's medicine case and was taking a large dose of morphine when discovered. The child died.

Poor Man Recovers Damages.

HILLSDALE, May 25.—Andrew Cavagan, a poor laborer, who was injured by the Lake Shore cars August 23, 1893, has recovered a verdict of $7,000.

Choked to Death.

JACKSON, May 27.—Freddie Nicolay, 6, choked on a piece of meat at supper Saturday night and before a doctor arrived died.

THE POPE MURDER.

Sensational Evidence in the Trial at Detroit.

DETROIT, May 28.—William Brusseau, the self-confessed murderer of Dr. Pope, finished his testimony Monday in the trial of Mrs. Pope, also charged with her husband's murder. Brusseau admitted having at first told various stories of the crime, but insisted that the truth was that he murdered the doctor while under Mrs. Pope's influence.

DETROIT, May 29.—A sensational feature of Tuesday's session of the Pope murder trial was the statement of David Wright, a paperhanger who declared Mrs. Pope once offered him $5,000 of her husband's insurance money if he would get Pope out of the way. He said he and the woman had been drinking. To appease her he said he would do the deed, but never attempted it. Insurance agents representing various life concerns took the witness stand. They testified to a number of policies taken out by Mrs. Pope upon her husband's life. In one or two instances it was shown that the policies were canceled because the insurance men believed Mrs. Pope had designs upon her husband's life.

A WILL CONTESTED.

Mrs. House Left Much of Her Estate to Public Institutions.

KALAMAZOO, May 25.—Among the beneficiaries in the will of the late Mrs. Emaline A. House are the First Congregational church, of this city, for $1,000; Olivet college, $5,000; Drury college, $5,000; Children's home, of this city, $2,000; American Sunday School union, $500. The Women's Home Union of Congregational Churches of Michigan and the American board of foreign missions are also generously remembered. The remainder of the estate of $70,000 is divided among other charities and relatives. Some of the relatives have filed against the probate of the will, but the First Congregational of this city will defend the will.

WARM RAINS NEEDED.

Michigan Crops Would Be Greatly Benefited by a Little Moisture.

LANSING, May 29.—The weekly weather crop bulletin issued by the Michigan weather service here summarizes the crop situation as follows:

"The past week has been a continuation of cool, unfavorable weather, but with a slight improvement during the last two days. Reports show that the damage by frost to fruits during the previous week is not so great as was at first reported. The grape crop has probably suffered the most. Farm work has been greatly advanced in all sections. Corn and potato planting are nearly finished in the southern section, is well along in the central section, and has a good start in the northern section. Warm rains are much needed in all sections."

Embezzlement Charged.

DETROIT, Mich., May 28.—J. Huff Jones, who died about two years ago, has been shown to have been a defaulter, according to his accounts, in the sum of nearly $50,000. Mr. Jones acted as trustee of two wards, Henry K. Jones and Matilda Thompson, heirs of De Garmo Jones. An expert accountant has been engaged on the trustee's books for nearly a year and on Monday finished his work. The guardian is shown to have died insolvent, although he was supposed to have been wealthy.

Named by the Governor.

LANSING, May 29.—Gov. Rich made the following appointments Tuesday: Member of state live-stock sanitary commission, H. H. Hindes, of Stanton; members of state board of health, V. McAlvay, of Manistee, and Delos Fall, of Albion; members of state mining school board, John M. Longyear and Alfred Kidder, of Marquette; members of board of control of the school for the deaf, Charles S. Brown, of Flint, and W. J. Spear, of Vassar; guardian of industrial home for girls, Frank W. Waite, of Sturgis.

A Judgment for Taxes.

LANSING, May 27.—The State was given a judgment for $4,551.61 against the Wisconsin Central Railway company for the taxes assessed on the company's earnings in Michigan in 1889, payment of which was refused. The tax amounted to $1,866.64, the balance of the judgment being interest and the penalty for non-payment, which is 2 per cent a month on the amount of the tax.

Held Horse Thief at Detroit.

DETROIT, May 28.—Fred Walf, of No. 8 Palmer avenue, reported to the central police station Monday afternoon that at 12 o'clock his father, an aged man, was leading a horse from the barn to the front yard to allow it to eat grass, when a man came along, cut the rope, jumped on the back of the horse, and rode it away. The old man some time later gave the alarm and then the thief had disappeared.

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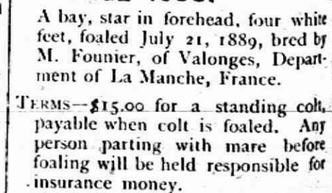

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DOMESTIC.

AT the encampment in Green Bay ex-Gov. W. D. Hoard was elected department commander of the Wisconsin G. A. R.

REPORTS from the vast wheat farms of the northwest, in Minnesota and the Dakotas, show that the wheat crop is not only uninjured, but actually is in better than the average condition.

A BILL passed the Michigan legislature making it unlawful for one person to treat another to liquor in any public place in the state. It also prohibits the selling of liquor for such purposes.

THE Kickapoo Indian lands in Oklahoma were thrown open for settlement and it was estimated that not less than 20,000 persons joined in the rush.

THE Charles A. Wood company, extensive dealers in builders' supplies at Cleveland, failed for $100,000.

IN a fit of jealousy Mrs. Anna Annable shot and killed her husband in Chicago and then put a bullet into her own heart.

THOMAS IRVING, a wealthy farmer near Lebanon, Ind., mistook his eldest son for a burglar and shot him fatally.

THE "sound money and better banking facilities" convention met at Memphis, Tenn., and was addressed by Secretary Carlisle.

THE director of the mint estimates the production of gold by the mines of the United States during the calendar year 1894 at $39,500,000, an increase over 1893 of $3,500,000. The production of silver was $64,000,000, a decrease as compared with 1893 of 10,500,000 ounces.

CLAUDE THOMPSON (colored) was lynched at Dekoven, Ky., for attempted assault on a 13-year-old white girl.

THE secretary of war was officially informed that the Indians in Arizona were restless and that a feeling of insecurity prevailed.

THERE were 207 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 24th, against 211 the week previous and 183 in the corresponding time in 1894.

AT a meeting in New York of the democratic editors of the state a letter was read from the president in which he depicts the danger of free coinage of silver.

A MOB took John Halls, Jr., and William Royce from their cells in the jail at Danville, Ill., and hanged them for assaulting Miss Laura Barnett.

NEARLY 80,000 pupils took part in the great anniversary parade in Brooklyn, N. Y., of the Sunday School union. Ex-President Harrison reviewed the children.

A GASOLINE explosion in a house at Omaha, Neb., killed William Henry and his wife and Mrs. G. S. Osborn.

REV. WILLIAM HENSHAW was indicted by the Hendricks county (Ind.) grand jury for the murder of his wife. Henshaw claimed that robbers had killed his wife and wounded him.

AT Jersey City, N. J., Commodore Ballington Booth, of the Salvation army, and his wife, Maude Elizabeth Booth, became citizens of the United States. They declared their intentions five years ago.

THE mayor of Brooklyn, N. Y., put five women on the board of education.

THERE is a good prospect for world's fair exhibitors getting their medals not later than September 1, 1895.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 24th aggregated $1,111,844,134, against $1,161,884,506 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 30.5.

EX-POLICE JUDGE CHARLES E. MORRIS, who stole $10,000 from the Citizens' Building and Loan association at Springfield, O., pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

THE Langley flying machine flew a distance of 1,000 feet at a test near Washington.

RATHER than endure the reproach of living off his wife's earnings Louis Kracman, of Chicago, killed his little girl, 2 years of age, and then took his own life.

AT Louisville, Ky., the grand jury dismissed the case against Fulton Gordon, who killed his wife and Archie Dixon Brown, son of Gov. Brown, several weeks ago.

AT Huron, S. D., C. D. Houghton's stables, with many valuable horses, were burned.

THE friends of free coinage gathered in force at Memphis, Tenn., to hear ex-Congressman W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, reply to the sound money speech of Secretary Carlisle before the anti-free silver convention. Mr. Bryan contrasted Mr. Carlisle's silver attitude now with his views in 1878.

FREDERICK W. GRIFFIN, the assistant cashier of the Northwestern national bank of Chicago, who was short $50,000 in his accounts, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

THE miners' strike in the Pittsburgh (Pa.) district was ended, the strikers going back to work at the operators' terms, sixty cents per ton.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 25th were: Pittsburgh, .714; Cincinnati, .677; Chicago, .633; Cleveland, .560; Philadelphia, .520; New York, .520; Boston, .500; Baltimore, .500; Brooklyn, .385; St. Louis, .367; Washington, .346; Louisville, .200.

CHARLES C. COUDRAY was arrested at Flint, Mich., charged with having three wives in Indiana, one in Illinois and one in Flushing, Mich.

GEORGE REED, aged 60, committed a criminal assault on the 11-year-old daughter of Rev. Clarence Welch at Lakeview, Mich., and when arrested took his own life with poison.

LI HUNG CHANG is said to be gaining flesh. It's too late for him to turn the scales in favor of China, however.

What Zoa Phora won't do for ailing women, no medicine will.

FOREST fires were raging in all parts of the upper Michigan peninsula.

AT the Troy Presbyterian church in the Nicholasville (Ky.) district George Montgomery and Arch D. Riley killed each other with pistols.

THE Fifth national bank of San Antonio, Tex., went into voluntary liquidation.

A STEAM yacht named Trilby capsized in the Hamburg canal at Buffalo, N. Y., and three men were drowned.

THE new Waverly hotel at Hot Springs, Ark., was destroyed by fire and William Burke, night porter, was cremated. All the guests escaped.

EVERY business building at Galien, Mich., but two stores and the post office were destroyed by fire.

WHILE fishing on Maharr lake three young men of Cambridge township, Mich., Bert Salsbury, aged 22; Will Doolittle, aged 32, and Mina Patterson, aged 17, were drowned by the upsetting of their boat.

GRAIN men at St. Paul, Minn., thought that the visible supply of wheat in this country was millions of bushels less than appeared by published statements.

DISASTROUS forest fires were raging in some of the heavy wooded districts of northern Wisconsin.

A TRUST of the manufacturers of wire nails throughout the country was organized at Pittsburgh, Pa.

PROF. J. MADISON WATSON, a widely known educational man, being the author and publisher of a series of school books used throughout the United States, was sent to an insane asylum at Elizabeth, N. J.

HENRY MCKINNEY, near Nashville, Tenn., accidentally killed two sisters. A rifle discharged prematurely.

THE first regular session of the national conference of charities and corrections opened at New Haven, Conn.

THE Central Bimetallic league at Memphis, Tenn., issued a call for a national convention to be held in Memphis on June 12 and 13 to formulate some definite plan for future action.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 28th was: Wheat, 54,334,000 bushels; corn, 8,978,000 bushels; oats, 7,390,000 bushels; rye, 137,000 bushels; barley, 145,000 bushels.

A LADY minister baptized thirty-nine converts in the Okaw river, 3 miles west of Arcola, Ill.

THE supreme court of the United States affirmed the constitutionality of the Geary Chinese exclusion act.

ABOUT 2 inches of snow fell throughout northern Wisconsin.

THE chamber of commerce of New York city decided to enter upon a crusade against the free coinage of silver.

WILLIAM SMITH and Charles Earlman were killed by the cars at Bellaire, O., both their heads being cut off.

FUNERAL services over the remains of ex-Secretary of the Treasury Hugh McCulloch were held at Rock Creek church in Washington.

JACOB HENSON, who murdered Daniel T. Shea, an aged grocer, about three months ago, was hanged by a mob at Ellicott City, Md. He was under sentence to be hanged June 7.

THE forest fires near Saranac Lake, N. Y., were extinguished after doing damage to the extent of $200,000.

THE Michigan senate killed the anti-treating bill passed by the house.

HOT winds swept Nebraska and adjoining states, doing great damage to the crops. Frost was also reported at many points in Iowa and Illinois.

THOMAS BYRNES, chief of police, was retired by the police board of New York city.

THE United States supreme court denied the application of Eugene V. Debs, the strike leader, for a writ of habeas corpus, and he and his seven associates must serve their sentences of six months in jail.

IT was reported that the president intended to call an extra session of the Fifty-fourth congress early in October.

AT Hankinson, N. D., Peter Enner, aged 15, killed Edward Pose, aged 50, as the result of a quarrel over a heifer.

THE Douglas county bank at West Superior, Wis., went into voluntary liquidation.

SIXTY horses belonging to the Chicago Carette company were burned to death by a fire in the stables and ten carettes were also destroyed.

G. H. TAGGERT, a wealthy farmer near Warrensburg, Mo., was induced by two men to deposit $8,500 in a tin box on an agreement to purchase his farm and then fled with the money.

A HORSE took fright at the snorting of an elephant in the parade of a circus at Fort Wayne, Ind., and dashed into the midst of a crowd of women and children, killing Mrs. Eliza Lemay, fatally injuring Mrs. F. Wehner and her boy and bruising sixteen other persons.

THE Western Interstate Baseball league has gone to pieces.

A TORNADO blew down the St. Mary hotel and Catholic church and unroofed and damaged forty other houses at Lockport, Tex., causing a loss of $100,000.

FOREST fires were raging through the region east of Superior, Wis., and great damage was being done.

INSURANCE losses this season up to May 15 were unprecedentedly heavy on the lakes. The aggregate was $520,000, as compared with losses last season up to the same date of $136,000.

BURGLARS blew open the vault of the State bank at Oneida, Kan., securing about $1,800.

SNOW to the depth of a foot fell at Creede, Col.

MISS KATE JOHNSON, Miss Maud Myers and Charles Wiley were drowned at Effingham, Ill., by the upsetting of a raft.

WHILE two young men were fishing in the Neches river near Crockett, Tex., their canoe was attacked by alligators and broken up and the young men were torn to pieces.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

HENRY A. CHITTENDEN, the philanthropist and noted abolitionist, died at his home in Mont Clair, N. J., aged 79 years.

HUGH MCCULLOCH, who was secretary of the treasury under Presidents Lincoln and Arthur, died in Washington, aged 85 years.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning June 2. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates. Topic, The Excellency of Wisdom.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Job xxviii. 12-28.

When it comes Zophar's turn to speak in the third series of addresses, he is silent. All arguments had been exhausted, and still Job is as firm as ever in maintaining his innocence of crime and impiety. After pausing for Zophar to speak and seeing that his friends have been silenced Job proceeded with his own speech, declaring his uprightness and rehearsing the false claims they had made. He then unfolded his own exalted conceptions of deity and reliance upon the divine wisdom. The lesson of the week is one of the sublimest pieces of writing in existence and may profitably be committed to memory by every one.

The Great Event.

The greatest event not only of this year, but of all the years in the League's history to the present time will be the second international convention at Chattanooga June 27-30. A beautiful illustrated pamphlet has been prepared by the local committee, which is mailed free to any Methodist writing for it to "Headquarters Epworth League, International conference, Chattanooga."

An official programme, with sketches and pictures of all speakers, music, illustrated guide to the city and environs will be issued the 1st of April by the same committee. Leading generals of both armies will explain the movements of troops on the battlefields.

The most thorough preparation for reception of all guests will be made, and every arrangement possible for comfort will be secured.

To many it will be the event of a lifetime. To all these will be red letter days.

The Forces.

The present population of the United States is about 70,000,000. The present membership of the Protestant churches is 17,500,000. Add to this the numbers of the Catholic church, and what a power for righteousness we have if all these were truly consecrated and working in harmony for God and humanity!

The Young Men.

The Young Men's Christian associations number 1,224 societies in the United States, with a membership of 232,653. This means much for social purity, business integrity and just government.

One Law For All.

There is not one standard of morality for men and another for women. Nor does God's law change for the various social orders in community. Chastity is binding on rich and poor alike. Honesty is obligatory upon all men. The same standard of virtue applies to all without regard to sex, wealth or culture.

Immutable.

"I change not!"
Lord, we need no other token
That Thou to us wilt ever faithful be.
If but one word of love
Had e'er been spoken,
That word had proved Thy love's eternity.
—Annie Clarke.

Chattanooga Leagues.

There are 20 Methodist churches and as many thriving chapters of the Epworth League in Chattanooga and suburbs. Prominent business men have been placed on the local committee of arrangements, and all inquiries regarding the coming conference will be cheerfully answered.

Much From Little.

Much interest has been aroused by a proposition of Chaplain McCabe that all members of the Methodist Episcopal church unite in a collection for benevolencies in which all shall give equally. One cent per day is the sum asked. He figures that such a contribution would yield $10,000,000 per year. He grows happy in arranging how to divide this among missionary, church extension, freedmen's aid, educational and all the other connectional societies. And this is not a wild dream, but sober calculation within easy reach. Why not do it?

The Secret of Happiness.

I have lived to know that the secret of happiness is never to allow your energies to stagnate. The old proverb about too many irons in the fire is an abominable lie. Have them all in—shovel, tongs, poker. The more the better.—Adam Clarke.

No Substitute.

There is no giving which can be substituted for obedience to God's commands. No man will ever be able to love God who does not obey Him. "Obedience is better than sacrifice and to hearken than the fat of rams."

Junior Work.

In many parts of the country this department is making rapid progress. It is wise to give attention to the boys and girls, and no better way has been found than is offered by the junior organization.

The Companionship of Christ.

Five minutes spent in the companionship of Christ every morning—aye, two minutes, if it is face to face and heart to heart—will change the whole day, will make every thought and feeling different, will enable you to do things for His sake that you would not have done for your own sake, or for any one's sake.—Drummond.

Extras.

The cause of failure among young men in the majority of cases arises from the insane desire for pleasure.

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6 30	2 52	8 8	Marshall	12 12	6 17
7 22	3 19	9 01	Homer	11 35	5 32
8 21	3 51	9 31	Hanover	10 56	5 02
9 35	5 05	10 15	Addison	10 08	4 20
10 45	5 11	10 31	Devils Lake	9 52	4 20
11 13	5 23	10 45	Ottawa	9 40	4 28
.....	5 30	10 56	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 57	Tipton	9 28	4 15
12 21	5 51	11 16	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 18	Ridgeway	9 07	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 23	Britton	9 02	3 50
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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

C. P. Bills is home from Saginaw.

W. A. Fitzsimmons returned Wednesday from his eastern trip.

Mrs. F. P. Coder came down from Norvell to visit relatives yesterday.

The subject for next Sunday at Universalist church will be, "The way of the transgressor is hard." Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Warner have moved into a house on Shawnee street for the summer. Mrs. Warner was a daughter of Gen. Brown and has many friends in Tecumseh.

Last Monday evening Bishop Davis made his annual visitation to St. Peter's church. The rite of confirmation was administered to seven candidates. The sermon of the Bishop as well as the service in which Rev. Chapman of Adrian assisted, was unusually able and impressive.

A large contingent of Tecumseh Masons attended the dedication of the Masonic Temple at Manchester last Tuesday night. The impressive Masonic ceremonies of the masonic order were regularly presented, after which the banquet was served in Arbeiter hall to about 500 participants. The literary program was fully up to the high standard of such occasions and was a high testimonial of the zeal and hospitality of the Manchester brothers.

It is very gratifying to the local management that the first game of any consequence this season came off yesterday with unqualified success. The Adrian College club was matched against a picked nine of Tecumseh, and both teams put up an excellent game. Nine innings were played, the score standing 4 to 10 in favor of Tecumseh. Base hits Tecumseh, 13; Adrian, 7. Errors, Tecumseh, 3; Adrian, 5. Lowe and Cutting for Tecumseh and Albright and Clapp for the visitors, made two baggers while Seofield helped out the score of the home team by securing three base hits in the seventh. The batteries were Clapp and Haddel for the college, Fitzgerald and Seofield for Tecumseh. Struck out—Fitzgerald 10, Clapp 2. Mr. T. Fitzgerald, who pitched for Tecumseh, holds down the box for Goodman's nine which is the lead in the Toledo City league. He throws a swift ball, which is quite hard to find with the bat. Without injustice to any it may be said that the feature of Tecumseh's game was the work of the battery, while that of the visitors was their splendid out fielding. Another feature, which games sometimes lack, was the gentlemanly bearing of the college boys which was fully appreciated by the home players.

Reduced Rates to Cleveland, Ohio.

For the Convention of National Republican League Clubs, to be held in Cleveland, June 16th, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets June 15 and 16 at one-fare for the round trip, good returning until June 22d inclusive.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

"M. Quad." the Famous Humorist, Takes his Old Place on The Free Press.

We find great pleasure in announcing to our readers that Chas. B. Lewis, the famous "M. Quad" has resumed his former place upon The Detroit Free Press. Since his retirement from The Free Press four years ago Mr. Lewis has been writing for one of the leading syndicates. His preference for direct newspaper work, however, led him to abandon that connection, and hereafter his popular writings will appear only in The Free Press. Mr. and Mrs. Bowser, Brother Gardner, Arizona Kaiser, Zeb, White, Abe Crofoot, Mrs. Jarkup and many new characters will appear regularly.

The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 35 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

Delicate girls made strong by Zoa Phora.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., }
Council Room, May 20, 1895. }

Present the entire council except Trustee Heeson.

The following bills were presented and referred to the Finance committee: S. C. Stacy, printing, $24.50; W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, $50; committee reported favorably on bill of W. J. Ingersoll and recommended that bill of S. C. Stacy be allowed at $24.50; clerk was instructed to draw orders for said amounts.

Moved and supported that Marshal immediately proceed to inspect all the sidewalks in the village and to notify the owners or occupants of property along which sidewalks need rebuilding or repairing to conform to law, and the same will be done five days from date of service of notice. Carried.

The committee appointed to obtain bids for electric lighting for streets and commercial purposes, submitted the following propositions from the Tecumseh Electric Company, and their recommendation thereon.

Arc lamps on streets, to burn all night and every night from the hour of dusk until the hour of daylight, for a term of three years, at $65.00 per lamp, additional lamps at same price.

COMMERCIAL LIGHTING.

One arc lamp until ten o'clock, per month, $4.50, two or more each per month, $4.00.

INCANDESCENT.

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Residence wiring to be furnished at the expense of owner and at five per cent advance of actual cost.

(Signed) Tecumseh Electric Co., per C. E. Williamson, Pres. & Manager.

The following recommendation was submitted by the committee. "Committee recommends the adoption of the within proposition, with the understanding that sufficient number of incandescent lights be furnished free for lighting the council building.

(Signed) J. R. Smith,
E. N. Satterthwaite,
J. A. Boyd, Committee.

Moved that the above proposition and recommendation be adopted, supported. Yeas—Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Hall, Smith, and Wright. Declared passed.

Moved that committee be instructed to make a contract with the Tecumseh Electric Co., as per above proposition, supported. Yeas—Trustees Boyd, Hall, Satterthwaite, Smith and Wright. Declared carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
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ABOUT "SAFE CURRENCY."

A Criticism of the President's Letter by Senator Stewart, of Nevada.

Senator Stewart published a lengthy open letter to President Cleveland in answer to his letter to the Chicago committee, wherein the president advocates "a safe currency," from which the following is taken:

"Assuming, as I must, that it is want of information on your part, without the least desire to deceive the people, you will pardon me for informing you for what the advocates of unrestricted coinage of both gold and silver contend. This contention is so clearly stated by your secretary of the treasury, Mr. Carlisle, in his speech in the house of representatives on February 21, 1878, that his exact words have become the matter of the bimetallists. He contended for unlimited coinage of both metals 'upon terms of exact equality.'

"That is the contention of the forces in favor of bimetallism and opposed to gold monometallism, and this is the full extent of the demands of the advocates of silver coinage. Why do you argue that a return to the coinage of both metals upon 'terms of exact equality' as established by Jefferson and Hamilton and maintained by all [illegible] of every party previous to the clandestine demonetization of silver in 1873—would debase the currency and destroy the credit of the government? Have you ever compared the prosperity of the country under your illustrious predecessors, who maintained unrestricted coinage of both metals, with the misfortune and depression which afflict the country under your administration? Did it ever occur to you that Jefferson and Jackson might be right and that you might be wrong? Did you ever consider the possibility of the radical change that you, Mr. Sherman and your associates in co-operating with you, term the 'forces of safe currency,' have made?

"You have disregarded not only the teachings of the fathers of the republic, but you have reversed the usages and customs of the civilized world which existed for thousands of years previous to 1873. You have destroyed one half of the world's metallic money and enhanced the value of the other half, fully 100 per cent. You have compelled the debtor to surrender more than double the amount of property to liquidate his debt, that the money he borrowed would have purchased at the time he incurred the obligation. You have increased the value of gold by refusing the use of both metals as money, and created a constant decline of prices until you have ruined enterprise, deprived labor of employment and produced universal distress.

"You now call upon the democrats of Illinois to present a plain and simple argument, which will satisfy the people that a financial policy which makes them miserable is 'sound money and safe currency.' If you know such an argument why do you not produce it? If you know any argument that will convince the people that it is right for them to suffer depression and hard times while all the wealth they produce is absorbed by the dealers in bonds and manipulators of money, it is your duty to present that argument without delay. Such an argument would be a new discovery and one never before used by any advocate of your sound money forces. If you can show that the contraction of the volume of money, of ultimate payment in gold alone has made times prosperous, nobody else can. It all depends upon your superior wisdom. The country is looking to you, and you alone, to explain why times are hard under your sound money policy. You have delayed the explanation too long. The country is getting impatient."

STIRRED UP.

The Agitation for Free Coinage of Silver Being Carried on with Much Vigor.

Reports from all over the country received here indicate that the agitation for the free and unlimited coinage of silver is being carried on with great vigor and earnestness. The action of the Illinois democratic state committee in summoning a state convention to adjudicate the party's action on the question has evidently given an impetus all along the line. There is no longer much doubt that the silver men are well organized, and are distributing an extraordinary quantity of literature on the free coinage question. As heretofore stated in these dispatches, the movement is taking root in the east, and serious politicians in Pennsylvania and New Jersey are now ready to believe that the silver question will be a live issue in these states in future.

Senator Don Cameron, of Pennsylvania, who has steadily voted for free coinage in the senate, has always maintained that a majority of the people of Pennsylvania, exclusive of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, were in favor of free coinage.

A conspicuous politician from Pennsylvania informed your correspondent that the farming and laboring element in rural Pennsylvania were almost as earnest advocates of free coinage as the like classes in Kansas and Colorado.

Reports received from New Jersey indicate that the free silver propaganda is making immense progress in that state, and is being taken up extensively by the agrarian communities. Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, a republican, who was solicitor of the treasury during the Harrison administration, arrived in Washington after an absence of six weeks in Iowa. "During his western trip Mr. Hepburn paid particular attention to the feeling of the people on the silver coinage question. Speaking on the subject he said:

"I thought I saw an increasing feeling in favor of an immediate unlimited coinage of silver by the United States, which was very surprising to me. I spent a number of days in Chicago, and found the same conditions there. On the railway trains silver was a general topic of conversation. Free silver literature was in wide circulation everywhere. The educational processes being put forth in behalf of free silver are having marked influence on the people."—Washington Cor. St. Louis Republic.

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Lard, per lb		7
Potatoes, per bushel	75 to 80	
Beans, per bushel	2 25	
Salt, common, per bbl	1 10	
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		10
Smoked Shoulders		11
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		
Dressed Hogs, per 10. lbs	5 00	10 to 12½
Veal, dressed, per lb	5	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb		12½
Hides, green		5
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		8
" Red		76
Corn, shelled	32	to 60
Oats	31	36 to 38
No. 1 Clover seed		6 25
Timothy Seed		3 00
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 00	to 8 00
Hay, clover, per ton		7 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

THE MARKETS

	New York, May 9	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$4 70	@ 5 25
Sheep	3 00	@ 4 75
Hogs	4 80	@ 5 00
FLOUR—Winter Patents	4 00	@ 4 40
Winter Straights	3 75	@ 4 15
WHEAT—No 2 Red		84½ @ 84½
No 1 Hard		86 @ 86½
CORN—No 2		56½ @ 57½
Steamer		54 @ 56½
OATS—No 2		32½ @ 32½
Track White Western		35 @ 42½
RYE		54 @ 55
PORK—Mess, New	13 50	@ 14 00
LARD—Western	6 75	@ 6 90
BUTTER—Western Creamery	12	@ 16
Western Dairy	8	@ 13
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$4 20	@ 6 10
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@ 4 00
Butchers Steers	4 00	@ 4 40
Cows	2 00	@ 4 30
Texas Steers	3 10	@ 4 25
HOGS	4 25	@ 4 75
SHEEP	4 25	@ 5 05
BUTTER—Creamery	8	@ 17½
Dairy	7½	@ 15
Packing Stock	7	@ 8
EGGS—Fresh	9½	@ 12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 00	@ 120 00
POTATOES (per bu)	40	@ 70
PORK—Mess	12 62½	@ 12 75
LARD—Steam	6 60	@ 6 62½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 30	@ 3 85
Spring Straights	2 50	@ 3 35
Winter Patents	3 20	@ 3 60
Winter Straights	3 00	@ 3 25
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	78½	@ 80
Corn, No 2	52½	@ 53
Oats, No 2	29	@ 30
Rye, No 2	58	@ 60
Barley, Common to Choice	46	@ 51
MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	78	@ 78½
Corn, No 3	52½	@ 52½
Oats, No 2 White	32½	@ 32½
Rye, No 1	57	@ 57½
Barley, No 2	50	@ 50½
PORK—Mess	12 50	@ 12 55
LARD—Steam	6 55	@ 6 60
KANSAS CITY		
CATTLE—Texas Steers	$2 50	@ 4 50
Stockers and Feeders	2 50	@ 4 05
HOGS	4 50	@ 4 90
SHEEP	3 35	@ 4 50
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CATTLE—Steers	$4 25	@ 5 55
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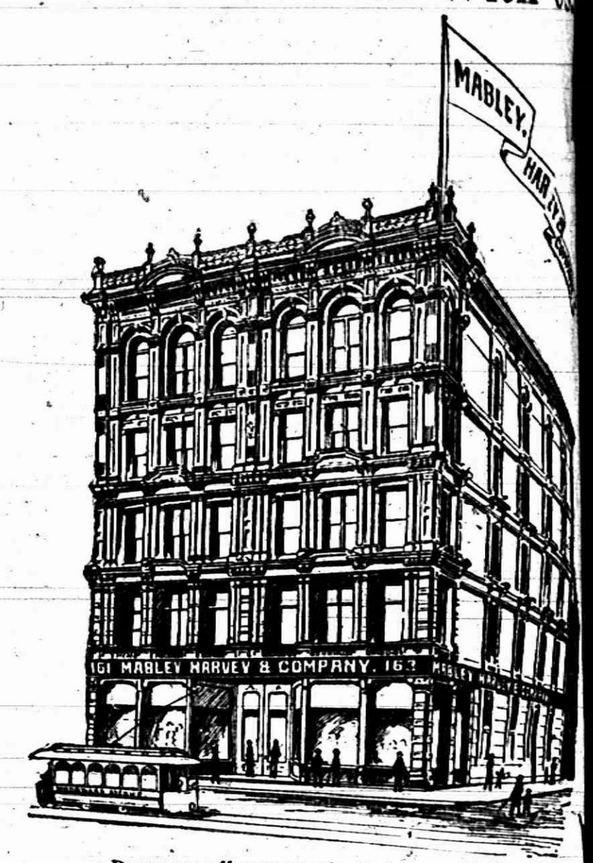

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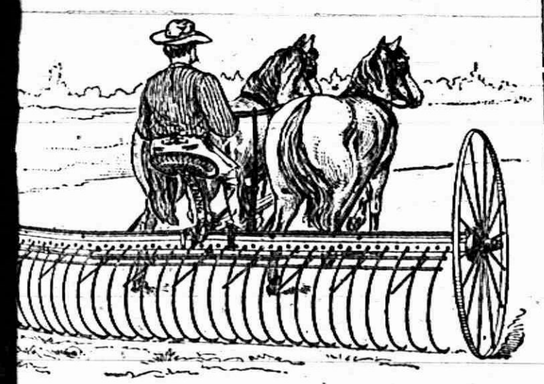

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DOWN IN SUNNY SOUTHLAND.

A Trip to Louisville, Kentucky, on a Palace Car, for the G. A. R.

Tuesday, May 21, just after tea, Jehiel Davidson, Geo. VanTyne, and myself started over the famous C. J. & M. R. R. which landed us safely in Toledo. On the following morning, after an early breakfast at the Burnett House, we took a street car that landed us at the Ohio Central depot where we found our gentlemanly and genial escort, Stimp. Harvey, and a Palace car. Besides all this we met a jolly crowd of twenty-eight people, all of whom were members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., and were enroute to Louisville on the same business as we. At 7:40 we pulled out from the depot in the very best of spirits and bright prospects for a day of sight seeing and pleasure. First at Trombley, Ohio, which is 29 miles from Toledo, we came into the famous Oil Fields of Ohio. I have been through some of the large oil fields of Pennsylvania, but these surpass all that I have ever seen before. From Trombley to Findlay, a distance of 15 miles, we were in sight of one continual mass of oil derricks with pumping arrangements and oil tanks. These tanks are made of iron and have a capacity of from 25,000 to 30,000 barrels of crude oil, and there are 500 or more of them. This will give you a little idea of the immense amount of business done in this oil field.

Our gentlemanly host did not allow us to want for a single thing; morning papers, guides, eatables, cigars and gum were as plentiful as though they grew on trees. At Kenton we left the famous Central and were switched to the Big 4, or the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, and from this point on through Belle Centre, Urbana, Springfield, Columbus, Dayton, and on to Cincinnati, we rode through the finest of Ohio's farming lands, yet all along the late, heavy and destructive frost gave vegetation a dim look. At Cincinnati we made only a short halt, after which we were rushed over the Ohio river bridge into Old Kentucky; here we were coupled to the rear end of a train on the Louisville and Nashville railroad. From Covington we plunged on around and over hills, stopping at only a few of the larger places such as Milldale, Walton, Northville, La Grange, Pewee Valley, etc., until we arrived safe and sound at Louisville at 7 p. m. On the last 110 miles we found that a portion of the inhabitants travel on the backs of horses and mules. The larger portion of the inhabitants were so thoroughly tanned that we called them negroes; and all through the valleys they were preparing the land for the young tobacco plants, which appeared to be started in beds under very large sheets of thin white cloth; this is done to prevent the flies from eating the young tender plants. When about three inches high this cloth is taken off as the plant is too far advanced for the flies to tackle; then they are allowed to harden a few days in the open air, after which they are transplanted in rows 2 feet each way. When these plants become fully matured they are attacked by an entirely different species and paid for.

A BUSY DAY IN LOUISVILLE.

After refreshing the inner man at the Willard Hotel we all adjourned to the parlor and passed resolutions expressing thanks to Mr. Harvey, of the Ohio Central, also the passenger agent of the Big Four and the L. & N. for their courteous treatment of our party; (in the near future I have the promise of a copy of these resolutions for each member of Beers Post and Corps.)

Thursday morning after having a good night's rest on Kentucky soil, we were again ready for sight seeing and business. Comrade VanTyne and myself started out to look the city over. First we took an electric car out Fourth street and back to Second; this gave us a view of the fine resident portion of the city or that much of it at least. At 10 a. m. we all met at the headquarters of the National Encampment to learn all that we could in regard to the National Encampment for September next, and we do feel pretty well posted; here we procured the address of a great many southern people, who propose to throw open the doors of their homes for a few days, or during the encampment, to the G. A. R.'s, W. R. C.'s and their friends. I was pleased with a large number of nice residences on Chestnut street at which the occupants say that they will board us for $1, $1.25 and $1.50 per day; this with the car fare of $7, or about that, from Tecumseh to Louisville and return, gives the Post and our friends one of the best chances to see the sunny south next September, 8th to the 14th inclusive. After this meeting it struck us that we would run out by the electric railway to New Albany, Ind., and from there to the Indiana penitentiary at Jeffersonville, and get back to the Willard Hotel in time to accept an invitation from Col. Melliken to be on hand at 3 p. m. and take hacks for a drive around the city. During this ride we visited the Louisville Cemetery, which is very large, and in it there are many very fine monuments erected. The flower beds are beautiful; I think that I never saw more beautiful roses anywhere; these, as well as other flowers, appear to flourish to perfection in this southern clime. Here also, rests 4,000 of our noble dead soldiers, most of whom died in the hospital, as no large battles were fought at or near Louisville. While riding through this cemetery our driver said that he wished he had a bucket to water his horses, as we were taking a "right smart long drive." After driving a distance of twenty miles or more, which took us about three and one-half hours, we decided that Louisville was one of the finest cities that we ever had the pleasure of visiting, and we fully decided then and there to recommend our friends and the people in general not to miss the low rates and beautiful city and its hospitable people next September. After tea we were nicely entertained by three colored gentlemen with their banjoes, lasting until it was time for us to go to the depot, where we found our palace car and a sleeper, which we proceeded to occupy at once. I heard that the train did not start for Cincinnati until 2:35 a. m. but I cannot swear as to whether it did or not. However, at 7 o'clock the following morning we were safely in Cincinnati, with ravenous appetites; and after a good substantial breakfast we took to our car for another ride on the Big 4, and at 10:35 we pulled into Dayton, where we could see the National Soldiers' Home, but had no time to go to it. I have been there and know it to be a very beautiful place. Its display of flowers cannot be surpassed in this country. We stopped at Springfield, the home of our former townsman, Dr. R. B. House, but did not see him at the depot and had no time to call on him. At 12:30 we arrived at Ohio's capital, Columbus, after a ride of three and one-half hours through one of the best and most productive farming districts of Ohio. I forgot to mention that just before we arrived at Columbus we passed Camp Chase, which is now the famous ground on which were housed and fed so many rebel soldiers during the war. Here lay the remains of some 2,500 men who tried their best to destroy our government, and this is a small number for the vast army quartered on these grounds. After having refreshed the inner man and finding that we had nearly three hours in which to look over this beautiful city, Baker and myself procured a carriage and, in company with four lady friends, we proceeded to do the city. We drove through the streets where the most beautiful residences were built; we then drove to the State Asylum for the blind and the deaf and dumb; then we thought we would drop in upon Gov. McKinley at the Capitol for a few minutes and shake him by the hand, all of which we did. He was very cordial to the Michigan delegation. At 3:10 we started for home, via. Kenton, which we reached at 5:10 and Toledo at 7:15; and here we began to lose some of our party, with whom we now felt well acquainted after riding, talking and sight seeing with them for three full days.

With us on our trip we had the general passenger agents of three roads, the Ohio Central, Big Four, and the L. & N., all of whom were very jolly, and two of them were old soldiers, and the way that they and our W. R. C. ladies played pedro was a caution.

At Toledo we shook hands and bid each other a hearty good bye, all agreeing that it was one of the most pleasant trips that we ever took during our lives.

Your delegate,
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BASE BALL BATS.

We understand Port Huron does not now want Harris. It seems Harris never did want Port Huron.

The Tecumseh nine have ordered new suits for the diamond. The cloth was procured at the Clinton Mills.

Next week Thursday picked nines from North Adrian and Tecumseh will match their skill on Tecumseh's grounds.

The game last Saturday between Little Hope and a picked nine from town resulted in a score of 12 to 8 in favor of Tecumseh.

Our nine will go to Dundee next Tuesday, June 11, to be matched against the Britton Giants on the occasion of the big Maccabee meeting at that place.

The first game under the arrangement whereby Tecumseh is to have four exhibition games between league teams, comes off one week from to-day, June 14, between Adrian and Lansing. Tecumseh should give the scheme the support of a good crowd.

Tomorrow the first nines of Tecumseh and Clinton will play on our grounds. Both teams are in good shape and will doubtless put up a very interesting game. The games already played here this season have been good and the boys should be encouraged in their efforts to obtain suitable suits, for which the proceeds of this game will be used.

The set-to of Knowledge vs. Business, as fought out by the high school boys and clerks, revealed the fact that the fine business instincts and training of our embryo merchants were a few better in a game of ball than the ponderous, but unfinished, brains of our intellectual giants. The score stood 5 to 3 in favor of the clerks at the end of the 5th inning, which was a pretty close game for the amateurs. Batteries, Day and Waring; Grayson and Spaulding.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The annual May meeting of the Farmers' Social Club was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rector. It was one of those delightful spring days so thoroughly enjoyed by every one and in exact keeping with the spirit of the company assembled to enjoy the meeting.

The program was excellent. First music by Misses. Fisher and Gillespie, followed by reading of a beautiful selected poem by Mrs. Garlinghouse. Little Earl and Eva Rector did themselves credit in a cute dialogue. Mrs. Remington read one of her original poems. Mrs. Fannie Rector read an excellent essay entitled. Our May meeting. Mr. O. B. Finch and Mr. I. H. Schroder each gave a declamation which spoke marvelously for their memories as they were pieces they had learned in boyhood days. The program closed with music by Ora and Jennie Gillespie. It was thought necessary to dispense with the question as the afternoon was so far advanced. Mrs. Rector then invited the company to the dining room where a delightful supper was in waiting, and all enjoyed Mrs. Rector's viands immensely.

An hour or so spent in visiting soon passed and the gathering twilight warned all—although so loth to go—that it was time to depart, each carrying home pleasant memories of the May meeting, and feeling they owed Mr. and Mrs. Rector a vote of thanks for their hospitable entertainment.

The club will hold its annual picnic at Wampler's lake, June 22d.

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I think that's just the meanest thing
That anyone can do,
For when I think I've swum enough
I want to dress, don't you?

O, I have had the bossest time,
For swimmin''s lots of fun—
But now I've come to dress myself
And found what they have done,
Who did this dirty trick;
If he'll just come and show himself
I'll make the feller sick!

My stockings both are full of knots,
And see how tight they're tied!
And both the legs of my old pants—
I think such tricks are stride—
My shirt is just an awful mess—
It almost makes me swear;
I'll have to use my teeth on that—
Gee whiz! Now just look there!

I tore my shirt, but that is all,
I've got the rest undone.
Like other boys, I like a joke
And always watch for fun,
But tying clo'es is dirty mean—
There goes Bill Simpson in!
I'll tie his clo'es up worse'n mine—
I bet he'll swear like sin.

—LaVern F. Wheeler.

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People seldom kill themselves in the city of Brooklyn. When they get tired of life they simply quit dodging trolley cars.

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Mary Jane—"Why does the man in the middle o' the diamond stand and hold the ball so long and make faces at the man with the bat?"

Abner—"Can't you see? Wants to make him so mad he can't hit it."

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The young woman who wins a man's bicycle in a raffle is in doubt whether to trade, wear bloomers, or get married.

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Dashaway—"I had no idea that your family was such an old one."

Traveler (proudly)—"I should say it was. Why, old man, we have some bills dating back four generations!"

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If we were a young man we wouldn't fall in love with a girl who loves a dog.

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Here is a dog story, which you can believe or not as you please. A gentleman remarked of a friend's dog that the two eyes of the animal were remarkably different in size. "Yes," was the reply, "and he takes a mean advantage of the fact whenever I have a stranger to dine with me. He first gets fed at one side of my guest, and then goes round the table to his other side, and pretends to be another dog."

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Here is a summer's job for some of our energetic, mathematically inclined people. A lady took a basket of eggs to town and being asked how many she had, said: If I take out two at a time I have one egg left in the basket; if I take out three at a time I have one left in the basket; if I take them out four at a time I have one left in the basket; if I take them out five at a time I have one left in the basket; if I take them out six at a time I have one left in the basket; but if I take them out seven at a time there will be none left in the basket. How many eggs are there in the basket?

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An exchange tersely remarks: The first duty of any newspaper that is fit to survive is to bring the largest possible number of people into the closest possible touch and fullest possible sympathy with each other. It will sometimes go wrong. It is human nature to do that. But if it keeps going in the right direction—the direction of serving the largest number of people with what they are sufficiently interested in to read, when otherwise they could not read at all—it is still worth more to civilization and progress, to higher education and to more nearly perfect humanity than all the exclusive organs of the select that were ever published by snobs for snobs since the kingdom of snobdom was founded.

Sunday Train Service via C., J. & M.

Commencing Sunday, June 2, and continuing during the summer season, the C. J. & M. Ry will run Sunday excursion trains to Devil's Lake (Manitou Beach) and return, at the usual low rates for the round trip. For time of trains, rate of fare for the round trip, etc., see small hand bills.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JUNE 7, 1895.

Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh is on the sick list.

Jno. I. Knapp, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

LaVern A. Sutfin is reported as somewhat ill.

Chas. Thompson was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Kies returned from Detroit last Friday.

Mrs. Geo. McConnell was in Manchester Tuesday.

Editor Blanchard is grading and improving his yard.

Ed Breese, our local baggage wrestler, has been indisposed.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kidd are the proud parents of a new boy.

Miss Minnie Sears visited in Toledo the last of the week.

Miss Petunia VanDeMark was in Tecumseh last Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Rogers has been a sufferer from quinsy this week.

O. A. Stitt is doing some repairing on Mrs. McConnell's residence.

Mrs Dan O'Reilly returned to her home in Laingsburg Friday.

Geo. Gerbach, of Bridgewater, rides a Victor bought of Kishpaugh.

Mrs. Hattie Johnson and children visited at Manchester Saturday.

C. J. VanValkenburg has resumed his clerical duties in Demuth's grocery.

H. M. Niblack took an outing at Wampler's lake the first of the week.

Messrs. Will and James Malarney, of Hudson, spent Sunday at Mrs. Sullivan's

Milo Reynolds, of Jackson, was shaking hands with Clinton friends Saturday.

Mrs. S. Hendershot has been packing up and moving to Norwalk, Ohio, this week.

Mrs. Mary Price and daughter were the guests of Mrs. H. A. Ringman in Adrian, Monday.

Rev. Warner will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the class of '95 next Sunday evening.

Next Sunday will be observed in most of our churches by appropriate exercises for Children's Day.

Mrs. L. W. Kimball gives a party this afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Hunter, of Detroit.

Lynn Hardenburg, E. M. Coller and Lavern Heesen, of Tecumseh, were callers in Clinton Sunday evening.

Miss Nina Hanford and Miss Cora Reynolds, of Tecumseh, called on Miss Mame Bradner, Sunday evening.

Miss Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. D. Niblack, returned home Wednesday.

Chas. Cummins was here from Detroit Decoration day, inspecting boilers for the insurance company which he represents.

The Hotel Edrose has been recently supplied with new furniture and now stands with open doors for its share of patrons.

Dr. Martin, of the medical faculty of the University was in Clinton Saturday. He came as counsel in the case of Mrs. Burroughs.

Guy Davidson and Phil Keusch are canvassing these parts, looking for whom they may devour for the Manhatten Life.

The first nines of Clinton and Tecumseh will play on the grounds of the latter to-morrow afternoon. A good game may be expected.

Carlton Burton has returned from New York where he has just finished an engagement for last season with a popular musical troupe.

The class of '95 have again shown their enterprise and good taste in their beautiful invitations. The job was done in Philadelphia and is adorned by a full page steel plate.

We are glad to announce the latest addition to the Methodist church. The convert is a young gentleman by the name of Ramsdell, who came to the parsonage last Tuesday morning.

J. L. Kishpaugh attended the retail coal dealers' convention at Detroit last week. Mr. K. reports the dealers as much interested in their convention and very socially inclined as well.

Mrs. Wm. Rogers and Mrs. Col. Fenn will attend the commencement exercises at Orchard Lake to-morrow. Lieut. Harry Kies and cadet Rogers will return with them as a private military escort.

The Alumni exercises will be held in the Town Hall next Friday evening, June 14, the banquet also being at the same place. The following program will be carried out, after which a feast of reason and flow of soul, under the toastmastership of Grant Davis, will be indulged in:

PROGRAM.

Inst. Duet, "Weiner Bon-bons."—Misses Tessie Carroll and Winnie Waterhouse.

Oration, "A Dying Race."—Geo. Taylor.

Vocal Solo, a "Sweetest Story Ever Told;" b "A Valentine."—Miss Minnie Humphrey.

Poem—Miss Carrie Alvord.

Inst. Solo—Miss Clyde Marsteller.

Essay, "Stepping Stones,"—Miss Tessie Carroll.

Vocal Duet, "The Autumn Wind."—Misses Minnie Humphrey and Nellie Martin.

Recitation—Mrs. C. F. Clark.

Inst. Solo—Miss Lizzie Tate.

History—Mrs. J. Blanchard.

Vocal Solo—Miss Katherine Biggins.

"Welcome to Class of '95"—John L. Tuttle.

Response—Claude Hause.

Chorus—"America."

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Some people have no patience. Several of the firms which won prizes at the World's Fair of 1893 are complaining because the medals are not yet ready for awarding.

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FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Willis Smith will give a tea party Thursday.

John VanValkenburg was called to G. W. Allen's to attend a sick cow last week. The cow recovered.

Miss Alma Whelan is making preparations for a visit to friends in Shiawassee county in the near future.

Two gentlemen from Clayton, relatives of E. C. Wisner, came over on their wheels, Sunday, from that place, but found Mr. and Mrs. Wisner still absent from home.

A letter from Delhi, La., under date of May 26, says: "There was an abundance of strawberries here, but they have been gone for some time, and the first blackberries are nearly gone. There will be plenty of other fruit soon."

If we have a chunk of weather brought down from the North Pole one day and the next are sweltering in equatorial heat, we can at least be thankful that we are not swept away by cyclones or had our crops—what there is of them—beat into the ground by drenching rain or hail.

Several cans of milk were returned from the cheese factory last week soured. As we have had good luck with our milk we give our method which we got from headquarters: The milk is thoroughly cooled, night and morning, by setting pails in cold water before straining into cans. Cover with a thin cloth—we do, at least—and never put on cover till ready for the road.

ROME RAVELINGS.

The mercury is hovering around the hundred point to-day.

Miss May Luce is home from Detroit; and slowly recovering.

Abram Park went to Adrian Saturday to visit his brother, who is in very poor health.

The funeral of Brainard Knowles was held at Wolf Creek church Sunday, at 1:30 o'clock.

The relatives and friends of those unfortunate boys who were drowned one week ago last Saturday have our deepest sympathy.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly rendered their aid and sympathy in our affliction at the loss of our beloved son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. DAVID SMITH AND FAMILY.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Miss Lillian Miller visited the Seminary last Saturday.

John Lowe was not in school last week on account of sickness. We are glad to hear that he is now much better.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold an ice cream social at the home of Robert Glenn on next Saturday evening. All are invited.

Prof. Binford attended the Adrian township Sunday school convention, which was held at the Adrian Center school house last Friday.

The Demorest medal contest last Friday evening was well attended. The medal was awarded to Miss Jennie Wolverton. Music was furnished by Mrs. Smith, of Tecumseh, and the Seminary male quartette.

Prof. T. W. White gave the senior class a reception last Saturday evening. Refreshments were served on a splendid scale. The most attractive feature of the evening were the souvenir fans which were becoming to the occasion. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

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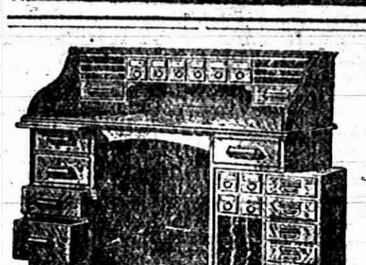

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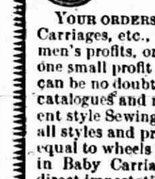

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

We enjoyed a small rain Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Hawks was a Tecumseh visitor Friday.

Wesley Pennington was over from Macon Wednesday.

A. A. Geroline was in Adrian on business last Tuesday.

The foundation is nearly completed under the new elevator.

J. B. Kinney of Adrian, is buying wool in Britton this week.

Ira Hause of Clinton, made a short call on Britton Wednesday.

Services in DeSpelder Church each Sunday at 2:00 in the afternoon.

Mrs. Osgood, of North Morenci, is visiting their son Will.

Wonderful exhibition bicycle riding may be seen daily on the midway.

D. VanNocker was looking after his business interests here Tuesday.

S. Marsteller, of Clinton, shook hands with Britton friends Wednesday.

The Britton Giants play Cone on our grounds to-morrow. Look out for a good game.

M. Hiscock came up from Toledo on the excursion Sunday to call on Britton friends.

Service of the Reformed Church in the G. A. R. Hall next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Several Brittonites took in the excursion over the C. J. & M. to Devils Lake Sunday.

The Misses Zulu and Florence Smith of Blissfield, were the guests of Mrs. Hoagland over Sunday.

Several of our Britton boys, thirsting for military glory and the clash of arms, will join the ranks of Co. C in the near future.

The corner stone of the Reformed Church will be laid with appropriate ceremonies, June 18th at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The A. O. Miller family gave their concert at Exelby Hall, Saturday night to a rather slim audience. The performance was enjoyed by those present.

Curtis & Linn are getting well settled down to business in their store. They have arranged their candy case in a most tasty and appetising manner.

Remember that the Goliaths of Britton play the Tecumseh nine at Dundee on Tuesday next, June 11. This is the occasion of the big Maccabee reunion and everybody will be there.

Will Osgood and father were passengers on the fast train to Detroit Wednesday morning. We understand that Will intends taking a short course in the art of embalming before he returns.

The W. C. T. U. will give an ice cream social on C. B. Exelby's lawn tomorrow afternoon and evening. Don't forget the quality of their cream or their manner of serving, which is the best.

Will McCarbery's infant son was most seriously scalded Tuesday by pulling over a tea pot of boiling hot tea onto itself while sitting at the table. At the last reports we have, the little one's recovery is doubtful.

We are pleased to state that Frank Allen, well known in these parts and who has been a faithful employee of the C. J. &M. for several years has received a substantial promotion. Frank is now chief train dispatcher and Superintendant of telegraph, having succeeded Mr. W. D. Stearns to that position.

Monday afternoon occurred what might have easily been a very serious accident. Some loose hay lying about the hay barn on the Mackinaw track was set on fire, probably by sparks from the afternoon local, and was burning very nicely when seen and extinguished by workmen on the elevator.

Spectators who witnessed the game played Tuesday between Britton and Milan, enjoyed a very well played contest. The score was as follows:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Britton	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	0—9
Milan	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	0—6

Batteries—Easlick and Lewis; Norris and Maynard. Struck out by Easlick, 7; by Norris, 7. Umpire, Gauntlett.

Next week will be commencement week with the Britton public schools, and a very complete program has been arranged for the various exercises. The commencement exercises will be conducted in Exelby's Hall Friday evening June 14, when the four young ladies of the class of '95 will make their first step from school work to duties of actual life. The Elsie Quartet, of Adrian, and the Britton orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. The closing exercises of the school will be given by the primary scholars on Friday afternoon at the school house, and a cordial invitation is extended to all friends and patrons by the teachers and scholars. Rev. E. Mudge will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at the Christian church Sunday morning, June 16.

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The debate between Harvey and Lauchlin may recall to imaginative Illinoisans the days of Lincoln and Douglas, but not through the ability of the contestants. It will not make presidential candidates of either of them.

Mothers of daughters should know Zoa Phora.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Postmaster Florance sports a fine new bicycle.

Geo. Riley is trucking logs for the town lumber.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin, of Milan, are visitors in town.

Fred Stephenson, of Adrian, was in town on business.

Miss Kerr and friend were callers in town Thursday.

Sleeper & Bowerman are shipping hogs at the depot.

Miss Hattie Dawson was in town Thursday afternoon.

Jennie Calhoun was a caller in town Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Nina Anthony was a visitor in town Saturday evening.

Bicycles are the go here. Several have purchased new ones.

F. G. Florance and Chas. Benedict visited the lake Thursday.

J. L. Richards has closed his school year. He is a first-class instructor.

Mrs. Chas. Anthony and son, Roger, visited Mrs. J. L. Richards Tuesday.

The next Ladies' Social will be held at Mrs. Alex Richard's at Tecumseh.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, was in town Tuesday evening.

This is an ice cream town. Ten gallons were consumed in one evening recently.

Willis Chatfield is without a hired girl now, Miss Proctor, who worked there, having quit.

Mrs. Philo Lossing is visiting her friends here. Mr. Lossing has returned to his northern home.

Miss Florence Spencer is quite a fine rider on a bicycle. She has had but little practice but does nicely.

A. D. Macham has a sick horse and quite a valuable one, being a young horse. It is better at this writing.

Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss is visiting her friends and relatives in Blissfield and will also attend the graduating exercises.

Holloway will have nice gravel sidewalks and we think it a good scheme in the muddy season. Thanks to the pathmaster.

Mrs. Chalmers, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. Roberts, of Sparta, Mich., are at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. James Ash, who is very low.

Rev. Boyer and family visited Mr. Geo. McClenathen and wife Wednesday. He is pastor of the free Methodist church of this place.

The Junior Endeavorers gave a box social Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Florence Lape. Quite a good attendance is reported.

Several ladies voted to turn out and clean the church. It was [illegible] thought as it needed it. The church now looks very nice.

Election of the C. E. [illegible] occur as no decision [illegible] Let all the members [illegible] the new officers in two [illegible]

Decoration Day was [illegible] all cities. It should [illegible] greatest events in histo[illegible] honor is due to the brave boys [illegible]

Mrs. F. G. Florance visited Mrs. Lewis Friday. The latter is able to be out after an illness of eight long months. We welcome her again among us.

Now is your chance for fine Crayon work done cheap, as there was a man from Detroit here taking orders. Those who gave him orders are highly pleased with the work.

Warren Wooster is working on John Lewis' new house and soon we hope to see a nice residence added to the west side of town. The frame is up and soon will be enclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Britton were in town Sunday on their way to Adrian to attend the ascension services of Adrian Commandery, of which both gentleman are members of that order.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed, formerly of Kansas, are moving back to Michigan. Mrs. Reed was Miss Anna Binns and her relatives and many friends are glad to welcome her to her native home.

When you want to take a drive on first-class roads, Holloway takes the cake. When the doctor and the merchant of the place take a shovel over their shoulder and start for the gravel bed, it means business before pleasure.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed. Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store. 1

Reduced Rate Excursions to Boston

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R.y in July, account National Convention Y. P. S. C. E., and in August account 26th Triennial Conclave Knights Templar. The L. S. & M. S. R'y is the direct and only double track line from the west to Boston.

Penny Wise and Pound Foolish.

are they who have not Foley's colic and Diarrhoea Cure as a safeguard in the family. Orr & Temple. June.

The Surest Way to Make Money

is to buy land in the natural or uncultivated state, improve it and get the benefit of the increase in price. That chance is offered by The C. S. Graves Land Company, R. 311, 56 5th Ave., Chicago. 1w

Eli Perkins is now a regular contributor to the anti-silver columns of the leading gold-bug papers. This should be the last straw to break the gold-bug's back.

Even chronic diarrhoea succumbs quickly to Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry, natures own specific for all bowel complaints. 1w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

A large number of the young folks went to Tecumseh to attend the Decoration Day exercises.

Helen Foster and her friend, Nellie Grafftey, of Toledo, were the guests of Leila Sutton, Friday of last week.

A. J. Sutton went to Onsted Friday for a month, to look after the station work during the absence of the agent.

Wm. Barrett, Sr., was found in his barnyard Monday in an unconscious condition. He was overcome by the heat.

Lester Osgood, wife and daughter Mary visited his daughter, Mrs. Fred Gorton, of Ypsilanti, from Thursday until Monday.

The commencement cards of the graduating class of the village school are out and are beauties. The graduating exercises will be held at the church on Friday evening of next week.

The attendance at the Epworth League ice cream social held at the church on Friday night was about the average. With a little effort in the way of advertising properly it might have been larger.

Children's Day will be observed next Sunday. In the morning Rev. H. Cansfield will present a discourse appropriate for the occasion, and the Sabbath school scholars are preparing a fine exercise for the evening service.

The following order has been issued by the superintendent of the C., J. & M. railway:

Office of Superintendent,
Toledo, O, June 1, '95.

Mr. W. D. Stearns having been assigned other duties, Mr. Frank Allen is appointed superintendent of telegraph and chief train dispatcher; his orders will be respected accordingly.

J. B. FLANDERS,
Superintendent.
Approved:
FRANK [illegible]
Gen'l Manager and Gen'l Manager.

The Senior class in school has organized with Guy Pocklington as president; Fern DePuy, secretary; Gertrude Boyd, treasurer. The class are all wearing class rings. They have adopted the red, white and blue for class colors, and are sending out invitations to the commencement exercises which are to be held in the audience room of the church on Friday evening, June 14, at 8 p. m. Every effort is being made to make this a red letter day in the history of the Ridgeway school, so come early and avoid the rush.

Equal and Exact Justice Obtained.

Have you a claim against the General Government, either for a pension for land under the various acts of congress, for damage done by Federal troops during the late civil war, or do you want a patent upon a practical invention which, though simple, may be the means of making a fortune for you, and perhaps revolutionizing some important branch of industry. If so, write at once to the Press Claims Company, lock box No. 488, or 918 F Street N. W., Washington, D. C., and they will tell you all about it, sending you without cost, if you will mention this paper and mention this fact, a very interesting little book containing the history of some important inventions, and how to proceed to obtain a patent. Address all communications to Phillip W. Avirett, Managing Attorney, Press Claims Company, Lock Drawer 588, Washington, D. C.

Dropping in Your Throat.

Hawking and spitting is one of the most disagreeable parts of catarrh. We have patients using Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure to report complete relief from this within ten days of its use.

CATARRH OF LONG STANDING.

will be cured by the use of Mayers' Catarrh Cure. Catarrh may be well called a great scourge in this country, nearly every person has it in a greater or less degree. Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure, if used promptly will cure this terrible disease. No cure no pay. For a cold in the head accompanied by frontal headache, can be cured by one or two applications. Remember one bottle lasts 3 months and is guaranteed to cure or money refunded by agents.

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OAKLAND, MD. March 24, '93.

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Gentlemen:—I have been a sufferer from catarrh for years and was recommended to use a bottle of Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure and in less than six weeks I was completely cured and deem it one of the best medicines on the market and recommend its method of treatment to any sufferer from the awful malady. Respectfully,

PERCY H. VEITCH,
Attorney at Law,
June.
For sale by Orr & Temple.

Have you earache, toothache, sore throat, pains or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas Electric Oil will bring relief almost instantly. 1w

The New York World wants to know whether the new woman will hold pins in her mouth while she is dressing the baby. She will not: the new woman will have no babies to dress.

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THE OLD RELIABLE
SWEET CAPORAL
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MORE SOLD THAN ALL OTHER BRANDS COMBINED

MACON MUSIC.

Born, May 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Mills Hatch, a son.

A flag raising at the Brick school Saturday afternoon.

Joseph Howell and a friend from Ypsilanti, spent Sunday at his home.

Children's Day services at the M. E. church Sunday evening, June 9, at 7:45 o'clock.

The entertainment given by the C. E. last Wednesday evening was excellent. There was much good help from outside, but we still feel that we can be equally proud of our home talent. Proceeds over $22.

We are pleased to see what interest the adjacent schools are taking in improvements. The interior of many of our school buildings have too long resembled prisons rather than places in which to cultivate the love of the pure and the beautiful. Another social is to be given for this work in the Merritt district next week.

Program for the Macon Sunday School Institute to be held Wednesday, June 19, at the South Macon church, commencing at 2:00 P. M.

Music.
Prayer—Rev. Mr. Cansfield.
Music.
Address of Welcome—Rev. Mr. Gulick.
Response—Rev. Mr. Cansfield.
Music.
Sunday School Union and Its Benefits—Mr. C. D. West.
Music.
The Spirit of Christ. The Spirit of Union—Rev. Mr. Warner.
Religious Canvassing, House to House visitation—Rev. Mr. Hageman.
Music.
Question Box.
Music.

EVENING SESSION 7:30 P. M.

Song Service led by Rev. Mr. Gulick.
Religious Needs of the Masses—Rev. Mr. Rederus.
Music.
Practical Hints to Superintendents—Dr. North.
Art of Teaching—Rev. Mr. Brown.
Business Session.
Music.

There will be a picnic tea given in Grange Hall at 5:30 p. m. Coffee and tea will be provided. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and enjoy the institute.

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Could Not Sleep, Nervous Headaches.

Gentlemen:—I have been taking your Restorative Nervine for the past three months and I cannot say enough in its praise. It has

Saved My Life,

for I had almost given up hope of ever being well again. I was a chronic sufferer from nervousness and could not sleep. I was also troubled with nervous headache, and had tried doctors in vain, until I used your Nervine. Yours truly,

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Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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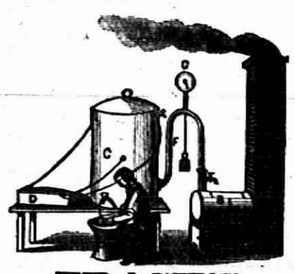

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It never fails to restore the natural functions of the skin and equalize the circulation of the blood. By this means a controlling power is gained over the most malignant forms of disease. It penetrates to every portion of the human frame; every bone, muscle, vein, nerve and ligament is searched out and made sensible to its soothing and healing influence. Hence it copes readily with internal as well as external diseases.

Over 40 Years,

this Ointment has been used by the people throughout the United States, and our confidence in its qualities is such that as we have no space here to insert any of the numerous certificates of cures which we have from all parts of the country, we simply ask those readers of this notice who have ever used this Ointment, to frankly state their experience with it to inquiring friends. If but one in a hundred would do this we should be perfectly satisfied with the result. Full directions for use will be found on pamphlet around each bottle.

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We make each piece in any of the following colors: Red, Brown, Blue, Olive, Nile Green and Old Rose.

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Has been the talk of everyone in Detroit ever since we first offered it. We now give our patrons in the State a chance to purchase this suit, which is really worth $30, for $15. Fine Mahogany Finished Frames, Rubbed and Polished. French Legs, Hand Carved Backs. Seats upholstered in Silk Tapestry at $2.75 a yard, with the choice in colors the same as on the Overstuffed Suit. The three pieces of this suit are Divan, Arm Chair and Small Chair. We are unable to sell these pieces separately.

Our customers in the State needing anything in the line of Furniture or Curtains will save money by coming to Detroit and selecting the same from our large stock. All correspondence promptly attended to.

Bed Room Suits. Fine Antique Suits, rubbed finish and finely carved, for $13.50. We carry 100 samples on our floor and guarantee to satisfy the most fastidious.

We especially pride ourselves on our fine stock of Iron and Brass Bedsteads, also Odd Dressers, Toilet Tables and Chiffoniers to match. Iron Beds from $4.95. (Circular mailed on application.)

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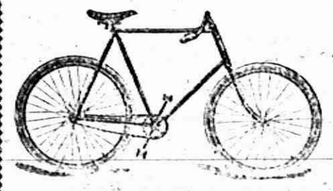

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 7, 1895.

The selection of Attorney General Olney to fill the vacancy caused by the [illegible] gives general satisfaction. Mr. Olney is undoubtedly qualified for the place, and if the rights right of a man be reserved for the Attorney Generalship, the change will strengthen the cabinet.

Flamboyantly disgusting to ordinary people was the indecent haste with which the politicians began speculating as to who would succeed the late Secretary Gresham. The very moment his death was announced. The fact that the law gives the President thirty days to fill the vacancy makes this ghoulish haste all the more inexcusable. To the credit of the President and members of his cabinet, be it said that they took no part in these discussions. It was really a great stricken party that accompanied the remains of Secretary Gresham to Chicago, and outside of the family the President appeared to be the most stricken of them all.

A reaction in favor of genuine bimetallism is evidently coming both in this country and Europe. The New York World says:

The truth is that men who look at world-wide affairs are, more than anybody else, anxious for the world-wide stability of exchanges. And some of them are beginning to think that the recent business depression extending over the world, was largely due to the fluctuations produced by making gold payments a trade barrier between Europe on the one hand and Asia and South America on the other. They take the broad view that the occupation of all nations upon a bimetallic basis would insure greater stability in finance and greater freedom of commerce than can be expected from the present situation, with silver monometallism the basis of trade in one half of the world and gold monometallism in the other.

Limit Your Wants

From the nature of things the income of most of the inhabitants of the earth must be limited, and indeed within very narrow bounds. The product of labor throughout the world is unequally divided, would not make the share of each individual large. It is impossible that every one should be wealthy or even rich. But it is by no means impossible to be independent. And what is the way to compass this—as Horace Greeley aptly designated it—"glorious privilege?" The method is very simple. It consists in one rule. Limit your wants. Make them few and inexpensive. To do this would interfere but little with your real enjoyment. It is merely a matter of habit. You require more, or you are satisfied with less, just as you have accustomed yourself to the one or the other. Limit your wants, estimate the least and never exceed it, taking pains always to keep it inside of your income. Then you will secure your lasting independence. Young men, think of this. A great deal of the happiness of your lives depends upon it. After having made your money, spend it as you choose, honestly but be sure you make it first.—Wesleyan Wesleyan.

Tecumseh Weather.

Below is the Herald weather report for week ending Wednesday, May 29, 1895, as recorded by B. L. Baxter:

May 30.	Thursday	5 a.m.	72°	2 p.m.	90°
" 31.	Friday.	"	72	"	99
June 1.	Saturday	"	74	"	99
" 2.	Sunday	"	72	"	96
" 3.	Monday	5 a.m.	72	"	99
" 4.	Tuesday	"	73		rain
" 5.	Wednesday	"	62	"	70

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness shown us in our bereavement, the death of our brother, William.

MRS. MAGGIE WOOD.
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Regular meetings every Friday at 3 o'clock p. m., Business meeting first Friday in each month.

Press greetings will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Sharp.

A Puzzled Japanese Official.

A Chicago-visited Japanese official visited N. Y. a few days recently and a member of the municipal government, who had been in Japan and can speak the language of that country, undertook to show him around.

"Is that official making an arrest?" asked the Japanese, as he saw a man stop a milk wagon.

"Not exactly," replied the official. "He is a milk inspector, and his duty is under the law, to see that no impure milk is sold in the city. If the milk is all right he will let the milkman pass on, otherwise he will arrest him."

"What is impure milk?"

"Milk that is mixed with chalk or water."

"Is chalk a poison?"

"Oh, no—it impairs the quality—that's all."

"Does water in milk make anybody sick?"

"Why, of course not. But when a person pays for milk he wants milk, not water, which he can get for nothing when he desires it. It is swindle on the public to put water in milk."

"But you say no one is hurt by it?"

"Feelings are hurt—that is all."

Soon after they passed a low corner saloon, when the door opened, and a man who came staggering out tripped, struck his head against a lamp post, and fell heavily on the sidewalk, where he lay as if dead.

"What is the matter with that man," asked the foreigner from Japan.

"Full of benzine," replied the municipal officer with a glance of disgust.

"Benzine? What is that?"

"It is the name we have in this country for poor liquor—poor whisky, you understand."

"Is there any good whisky?"

"Oh, yes, there is good whisky; but some saloons can make more money selling bad whisky."

"Bad whisky is poison?"

"Deadly poison, sometimes."

"Has a man a license to sell whisky, same as the milkman has to sell milk?"

"Of course, or he wouldn't carry on business."

"And do you inspect the whisky as you do the milk?"

"Never."

"Yet there may be poison in it, while milk is adulterated with chalk or water, that does no harm in particular you say."

"Ahem," said the city official, twisting about uneasily, "let's look at the markets."

At the markets they found officials inspecting the meat that was on sale.

"What do they do that for?" asked the Japanese.

"To see that the meat is healthy," was the reply.

"If a man should eat a piece of unhealthy meat would he stumble on the sidewalk and split his head open against a lamp post, as the man did coming out of the saloon. Would watered milk do so?"

"Why certainly not."

"Yet you inspect meat and milk, and let men sell poisoned whisky, that kills people, as much as they please. I can't understand your country."

And we ask who can?—Texas Siftings.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most exhaustive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Clow Hall is in Port Huron this week.

Mrs. David McNair has returned to Aspen, Colo.

James Lowry was in Toledo yesterday on business.

Will Finch visited his Alma Mater at Lansing last week.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin returned to Sturgis, Ill., this week.

A. W. Haight is here for the purpose of taking a vacation.

Mrs. Stephen Wheeler is visiting her brother near Dundee.

J. C. Masters was in Palmyra last Tuesday on business.

Regular Blue Lodge meeting to-night with work in the second.

Keep clean a copy of Detroit Free Press, 4 months, 50 cents.

Mrs. F. E. Hotchkiss, of Adrian, has been visiting at Mrs. Geo. Tiffany's this week.

Don't forget the first league game next Friday between Adrian and Lansing.

Messrs. A. L. Brewer and Web Anderson returned from their eastern trip today.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. P. Wagner will have for his subject: "Mount Hermon."

Mrs. E. S. Partington and granddaughter Dorothy, arrived this week at Dr. Hause's.

Chas. Reed is in Toledo this week. We understand he has accepted a position in that city.

Mrs. Elsie Rowland is now engaged with Mrs. Montague in running a boarding house in Adrian.

To-morrow Clinton vs. Tecumseh. Turn out, see a good game, and help the boys buy their new ball suits.

C. A. Slayton of the Clinton G-day to deliver two separators which he has just sold to parties about there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dewey and Mrs. Esther Miller and son Tom arrived on the noon train from Washington D. C.

C. D. Keyes has taken a position in Lowry's grocery. Mr. Lowry intends to soon depart on a summer trip to Ireland.

We are prepared to furnish the Detroit Twice-a-week Free Press and the HERALD to new subscribers four months for 50 cents.

Uncle Charley Spafford stopped off in Tecumseh, on his way home from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Grace Kirk, in Akron, Ohio.

Lost, about May 15, a silver handled pen-knife with letter "P" engraved on side. Finder please leave at this office and get reward.

The Lenawee Baptist Association met at Flat Rock this week. Capt. A. P. Coddington of Tecumseh was moderator of the meeting.

The reunion and banquet of the Tecumseh High School Alumni Association will be held at the Lilley House parlors Friday evening, June 21, '95.

Chase & Sanborn have recently sent Avery & Co. their agents for Tecumseh, a new and neat set of coffee cans for convenience in handling their celebrated brands of coffee.

Frank Avery's business is branching out, two new partnerships being formed in that firm this week. The details, strange to say, were entirely in the hands of two clerks.

Miss Loana Davidson is home from Traverse City for her summer vacation. She is accompanied by three of her pupils, who will make a short visit here on their way to Detroit.

We are glad to state that Mrs. Frank Whiting's condition is slowly improving, which seems miraculous, inasmuch as she was considered beyond hope of recovery at one time this week.

Mrs. Stimpson, who resides with her daughter at Kalamazoo, and who is best known as Aunt Helen Hoag, is visiting in Tecumseh. She was wife of Judge Hoag who built the old Michigan House.

C. D. Bills, who has been home this week packing and shipping his household goods, returned to Chicago this morning. Mrs. Bills and the children will go next week to reside in the windy city.

A new time schedule goes into effect on the C., J. & M. next Sunday. It came too late to make the change in our time table, but the only change is in No 21, which goes east at 10:55, fifteen minutes earlier than now.

The Raisin Institute reunion was held yesterday at the home of Allen Kelly. There was a large gathering in attendance. Aunt Laura Haviland having come from Chicago, and a delightful afternoon was enjoyed by all.

J. A. Bartis, of Detroit, and who once owned a shop in Ypsilanti, is moving a complete outfit of barber's furniture into the Richard's store next to Ort & Temple's. Mr. Bartis will open up a first-class tonsorial room at once.

Married, by Rev. W. T. Williams at the Congregational parsonage at Tipton, Wednesday evening, June 5th, Mr. Guy E. Belding and Miss Edna A. Fergason. Mr. Belding is one of our popular young men, too well known to need an introduction to our city readers, he having been with Avery & Co. for several years. Miss Fergason leaves a host of Clinton friends to come to her new home here. Mr. and Mrs. Belding and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Dickinson, whose marriage is noticed elsewhere, will occupy H. L. Jones' double house on E. Chicago street. May they live long and prosper.

The Council will now pay one-fourth the cost of new cement sidewalks. This will reduce the cost to Bob Hills more than the expense of lumber.

Saturday afternoon occurred the death of Mrs. Emma Blessing of Bronxville. Mrs. Blessing was the widow of the late John Blessing and been an invalid for some time. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. Hageman officiating.

Mrs. E. B. Wood will attend this week the commencement exercises of the teacher's Kindergarten class in Toledo, of which Miss Julia is a member. Miss Wood will organize a class of pupils for instructions before returning home.

Subject for Sunday in the Universalist church: "The Children." In the evening a children's concert will be given by the Sunday school. Everybody invited. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m., topic "Animals and the Golden Rule."

Monday a young man rode into town on an elegant high "Victor" bicycle, which he seemed very anxious to dispose of, as he was in a hurry to get to Toledo and he was afraid his wheel would not get him there quick enough. His strange actions aroused suspicion, and officer Richards was notified. After interviewing the young man, Cal was satisfied that the wheel had been stolen, but while he was taking the necessary steps for detention, the kid slid. It developed next day that the young man's name was Higginson, and that he stole the wheel in Colon, Mich. Saturday. He has not been located yet.—Hudson Gazette.

A Correction.

ED. HERALD.—Please allow me small space to correct the mistake in your paper of last week. You stated that I started in business on a small scale five years ago. It should have read seventy-nine years ago, as that was the time I began buying poultry, and for twenty years I bought and shipped from Adrian. In the fall of '81 I opened up business here where I am at the present time, and I must say that for the first five years in Tecumseh it was like swimming in stream among the old sharp and wolf rats. But, thank God, I am here today, enjoying as good a trade as any man in the state. I thank my old customers and the many new ones for their patronage, and say to them, to come right along and I will do as well by them as any man in the state and will pay them cash for their eggs and wool, or anything else, at my store on Railroad street. Yours truly.

L. D. DEWEY.

HOMESEEKER'S EXCURSIONS.

The Mobile & Ohio will sell tickets for these dates at One Fare for the round trip to all points along its line in the States of Mississippi and South Alabama with stop-over privileges.

For tickets apply to any railroad ticket agent or to F. W. Greene, General Agent, 108 N. Broadway, St. Louis Mo.

E. E. POSEY,
General Passenger Agent.

One More Free Excursion.

To Columbia Clark Co., Wis., via Northwestern line from Chicago, Milwaukee, Janesville, Madison and intermediate points on Tuesday, June 11, 1895. Free tickets to purchasers. Half fare to those who do not buy. A fine ride through a grand country. Don't miss it.

Excursion on May 21st, a grand success, and on account of a great number unable to go at that time we will give one more free excursion to our lands on the above date.

A free round trip ticket to any one buying 40 acres or more, and a round-trip ticket for one half fare, whether you buy or not. A discount of $10.00 for each 40 acres purchased to those buying before June 15th. Send to us for ticket, or if you buy from your local agent, take his receipt for amount paid. Buy tickets to Columbia, Wis., via Merrillan Junction over the Northwestern road. Invite friends to join this excursion.

Railroad fare from Chicago $16.00, Milwaukee $11.60, Janesville $11.10, Madison $8.75. We pay just half these amounts, or one-half fare from any point on Northwestern line between Chicago and Madison, and you pay the balance. Tickets good to return on any train before July 1st. Train leaves Chicago at 6:30 p. m. Land $5.00 to $10.00 per acre; $2.00 per acre cash, balance on easy terms.

Don't forget the day, June 11th, and write at once for further particulars.

The C. S. Graves Land Co.
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A nice line of Summer weights. We have
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Give us a call and we will please you.

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furnished cottage on Cedar Lake, will accomodate 14 persons, good barn and boat. For terms MRS. S. F. PINCH
ADRIAN MICH.

TO BUILDERS.—The building committee of the Reformed Church of Macon are ready to receive sealed bids for the work of stone foundation, wall and basement. Plans and specifications will be on file at the office of Dr. W. S. Mack, for inspection. Time for bids limited to June 22nd and the committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
W. S. MORDEN,
Chairman of Committee.

FOR THE LAKES.—I have fitted up a nice hack and am prepared to carry parties and others wishing to go to and from the lakes. Leave orders at my house.
DELL HUBBARD

REWARD.—I will pay the above reward to any person that will furnish me with such information as will lead to the conviction of the party who broke the windows in the buildings on my farm.
N. M. SUTTON.

FOR SALE.—A brand new Crusader wheel, lady or gentleman, can be bought cheap. For particulars call at the
HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED.—A small gelding came to my enclosure about ten days ago. Owner can recover by proving property and paying charges.
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ROOMS.—By the day or week; with or without meals at reasonable rates. At the Mansion House, first place north of the Mills on Tecumseh street.
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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—A farm of fine wheat or grazing land in Lenawee county, fenced with wire and stone posts; good for 100 head of cattle; good spring of water. Will sell at a bargain, or will exchange for property.
C. A. SLAYTON.

CARPENTERS.—M. L. Gillis is now ready to do all kinds of carpenter, paper hanging and decorating of every description. Orders may be left at the market of Mr. Hoag on Railroad street or at J. Monroe's Variety Store.

FOR SALE.—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Don't write but come and see me, two miles from Tecumseh.
JOSEPH E. GRAY.
Tecumseh, Mich.

Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 7, 1895.

AL AND PERSONAL.

Goff visited in Deerfield last

Dickinson was a Detroit visitor

& Osborn have a change of s week.

Kennedy has moved back to om Macon.

Lovejoy, of Adrian, was in t Saturday.

Arnold's house on Logan street completed.

Aldrich spent Sunday with his in Brooklyn.

Grangan came up from Toledo Tecumseh over Sunday.

Ross has returned from an exay in the south and east.

ubbard is prepared to take pare lake with his big wagon.

Commissioner Hyde is doing ndid work on the street this

Osborn returned Wednesday ort visit with friends at Syl-

. Harris was home the first of He returned to Kalamazoo ay.

n go to Chattanooga, June 25th 1895, at half rates, over the nd Crescent Route.

Mrs. Chas. Robison drove om Manchester to call on Tefriends last Sunday.

ices at the Friends' church next h as usual. Preaching by the everybody welcome.

Younge, of the University, who guest of Miss May Haight last returned to Ann Arbor Monday.

E. F. Gamble arrived with her ed Tuesday from Union Mills, r an extended visit in Tecumseh.

W. R. Blachford attended the n convention at Ann Arbor on day and Thursday of this week.

work on the towers of the M. E. is now completed, and it imthe looks of the church front uch.

Farmers' Social Club will hold a this year at Wampler's Lake, on ay, June 22d. They are prepara good time.

one, who had evidently imbibed hisky than rain water, amused lves last Tuesday night by in- a fine maple tree on Mike Wilarm.

Farmers' Union will hold their ual Picnic in Minor Davidson's Friday, June 21st, 1895. Extenreparations are being made. Pron next week's papers.

H. Miles was in town Wednes- He published the Clinton Local time and afterwards worked for troit Tribune. He is now travel- Wood's Railway Guide.

social held by the Friends at Libbie Satterthwaite's last Monevening, was well attended and hly enjoyed. The question of 's rights which was discussed, animously decided in favor of the .

Frank Bice, of Clinton, was in town Monday.

E. S. Tate, of Clinton, was in town Tuesday.

John Jones, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers, of Clinton, was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

Rev. H. A. Smith spent last Sunday with Rev. F. C. Fistler of Brooklyn.

Next Sunday will be observed as Children's Day at the Baptist church.

R. M. Kellogg and wife, of Ionia, are visiting Prof. Kellogg's family this week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Hoag during the month of June.

John Hollister, of Adrian, was shaking hands with his Tecumseh friends last Monday.

Clarance Kidder, of Stanton, is spending a few weeks with Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff.

Mr. James Wilson and children of Detroit, returned to their home the last of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Smith attended a Demorest Medal Contest at Raisin Valley last Friday evening.

We will furnish the HERALD and twice-a-week Free Press four months for fifty cents. Now is the time to get good reading cheap.

Miss Margaret Spafford arrived at her home Tuesday evening, from Warren, Ohio, where she has been employed in the daily Republican office.

The building committee are now prepared to receive bids for the work on the new Reformed church at Macon. See notice among the specials.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lowry expect to start about the 20th on a trip across the Atlantic, to visit old scenes in Ireland and Scotland. They will be gone about two months.

Under the new lighting contract entered into by the Council the "lightningbug" lanterns on the outskirts of the village will be discontinued and arc lamps will take their places.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Dr. Stewart will make her sojourn here a short one. She will return soon to Ocean Springs, as the climate here is already effecting her unfavorably.

The Michigan State Pioneer Society held their twenty-first annual meeting this week at Lansing. The sessions continued two days, Wednesday and Thursday. L. D. Walkins was on the program for a paper.

Perhaps B. L. Baxter is responsible for the rain of Tuesday forenoon. He got up early and sprinkled his lawn and garden, notwithstanding the threatening appearance of the clouds, and about seven o'clock it began to rain.

We received a very neat invitation to attend the Benton Harbor High School Commencement, which took place on May 29th. The graduating class numbered thirteen. This is another indication that Prof. E. A. Wilson is doing a good work in his present location.

The hot spell which ended Tuesday broke the record in these parts. They were the hottest five days in succession witnessed here for twenty years. The three first days in June, the thermometer reached ninety-eight degrees each day, the hottest weather for three successive days ever recorded here in the month of June.

Mr. W. D. Stearns, the train dispatcher of the Mackinaw has been transferred to another position, and Frank Allen has been appointed to fill the vacancy. This is a very wise selection and a just recognition of Frank's faithfulness as assistant dispatcher. The new arrangement went into effect June 1st. Here's success to the new Mackinaw dispatcher.

In the June number of the North American Review the Hon. Hilary A. Herbert, the Secretary of the Navy, who has been a close observer of the recent warfare between China and Japan, contributes an interesting article on the "Military Lessons of the Chino-Japanese War," and incidentally outlines the policy to be exercised by the United States toward the two eastern nations.

Below are the Alumni officers chosen last year, upon whom will devolve the work of getting up the reunion program for the present year:

President—Thos. H. Temple.
First Vice-President—H. H. Baker.
Second Vice-President—Miss Hattie Conklin.
Secretary—R. S. Moore.
Treasurer—Raynor Anderson.
Orator—Dr. Geo. Howell.
Poet—Miss Grace Gillespie.
Alternate—Miss Lizzie Russell.
Historian—S. W. Anderson.
Alternate—E. C. Norcross.
Toastmaster—L. M. Waldron.
Alternate—Daniel T. Hall.
Executive Committee—Philip M. V. Keusch, Willis Finch, Miss Cora Payne, and Miss Grace Heesen.

The Month of Roses will be celebrated by a special edition of American Gardening devoted to Roses and Rose Growing. Prominent amateur and professional rosarians will assist in making this the finest and most attractive number of the kind ever issued. A beautiful supplement, lithographed in eleven colors, illustrating one of the best and most popular of the new roses will be given away with each copy. This special rose number will also be profusely illustrated by half-tone engravings, etc. We have made arrangements with the publishers (American Gardening,) P. O. Box 1697, New York,) to have a copy of this superb number sent free to any of our readers who may apply for it. Send your orders at once.

Mrs. Mart Crossman is visiting friends at Jackson this week.

A new Crusader wheel can be bought at a bargain. Call and see it at this office.

Deputy Sheriff Stevens and Walter Burridge went to Adrian Monday on business.

Circulars, describing the G. A. R. trip to Louisville, are being scattered among the veterans. It is issued by the Ohio Central and Lenawee County G. A. R.

The Mobile and Ohio railroad, which is one of the principal Southern lines have appointed an agent in Detroit, Mr. M. H. Bobbeer, with headquarters at 168 Griswold street.

The Coiled Spring Hustler for May has arrived, a little late perhaps, but full of good things for the Page wire fence. The company sold over one thousand miles of fence in April.

DeWitt Arner begins his twelfth year this week, as the Ridgeway correspondent of the HERALD. He has made a good record. For length of service and quality of work he heads the list.

Mrs. H. A. Hurd and Misses Etta Thorp and Minnie Corey attended the meetings of the womans' and junior auxilliaries held prior to the diocesan convention at Ann Arbor this week.

The Mackinaw road will run an excursion train to Toledo next Sunday. The train will leave this station at 9:51 a. m. and returning will leave Toledo at 7 p. m. Fare for round trip, 75 cents.

A maiden lady of this place has a parrot which swears like a trooper and a monkey which chews tobacco. Between the two she says she has no apparent need of a husband.—Adrian Telegram.

Henry Cabot Lodge will contribute to Harper's Round Table for June 4th an article entitled "A Day in the House of Representatives." In the same number of the Round Table will be found the first chapter of a short serial, telling once again, from a new point of view, stories of King Arthur's Round Table.

The children of Mrs. Lucy O. Luce held a very pleasant family reunion at her home in Tecumseh last Thursday, it being the first time they had all been together in 8 years. Beside the family at home the following were present, Eliza A., of St. Joe Co., Geo. W., of Jackson Co., Manly A. of Ionia Co., and Chester W., of Franklin, Lenawee Co.

The edition of the Elgin, Ill., Daily News for May 30th, was a special edition issued by the Woman's Club of that city. It is a double sheet, or sixteen page paper, and is literally a hummer. The ladies were at work on it several weeks. Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy filled the position of advertising manager, and the ads. in that one number netted over one thousand dollars.

The Detroit Y. M. C. A. have arranged a bicycle trip to Niagara Falls. It will last just one week, from Aug. 14th to 21st. inclusive. We have received a program of the tour, containing a map of the route and an itinerary of the journey, which is an elegant job of printing. All State wheelmen will be welcomed to the party. It is likely to be the biggest bicycle event of the season.

The game played at Kalamazoo last week Thursday between Kalamazoo and Adrian was one of the most hotly contested ones played in the state league this season, though only an exhibition game. It was largely a pitchers' battle, and Harris won against Wilson in the eleventh inning. Harris and Wilson are probably the two best pitchers in the State league, and Harris seems to be a little the best of the two.

It is said that students of the university sell more than half the books bought of agents in Michigan during the summer months. This is the harvest time with the boys, and book dealers all over the country recognize the fact that they make elegant canvassers. The bulletin boards are covered with seductive invitations to come and make $10 a day. One wholesale book house claims to have sold 100,000 during the last season through student canvassers; most of them were from the U. of M.

William Martin Johnson, who illustrated the "Garfield" edition of "Ben Hur" for the Harpers, and also their editions of "The Cloister and the Hearth" and "Hypatia," becomes the art editor of The Ladies' Home Journal on June 1, leaving New York to reside permanently in Philadelphia. Mr. Barton Cheyney, a clever newspaper man who has been attached to the press of Delaware and Pennsylvania, is also added to the Journal's editorial staff as one of Mr. Bok's principal associates.

Last evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Montgomery, in Franklin township, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Maggie May, to Mr. Forest R. Dickinson, of this place, Rev. W. T. Williams, of Tipton, officiating. At 7:30 o'clock about ninety guests had assembled, and soon the strains of the Wedding March hushed the room. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. Allan Montgomery and Miss VanValkenburg. After the ceremony an elaborate repast was served. The large and valuable collection of gifts show the esteem in which both parties are held. Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson left this morning for a week's visit at Mr. Dickinson's old home in Waterloo, Ind., after which their home will be in this village. We join their many friends in extending best wishes for prosperity, health and happiness in the future.

—I have delivered 20,000 feet of lumber to Tecumseh customers this week. It was very satisfactory.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—Screen Doors and Windows at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—I am prepared to furnish all kinds of hay tools, Loaders, Tedders, Rakes, Carriers, Forks, Slings, Rope, Pulleys, Steel Track and Hay Racks. Call and see them.
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—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—Hose and Lawn Sprinklers at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—Just what you want—A fine black Clay Worsted Suit from $20 to $28. It will pay you to see them. Call early and make your selection.
J. C. HAZLETT,
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—Whips and Lap Dusters at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—The very best binding twine is the cheapest and I have this kind. See it and get prices before you buy.
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—With improvements now in progress, we shall soon be prepared to treat our customers better than ever. Call and see us at the City Bakery.

—When in need of roofing call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Painting, graining, paper hanging and kalsomining neatly done at reasonable rates by GEO. MATTESON.

—If you want a Bicycle, we carry them in stock. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

—Who ever buys lumber or shingles of me must save money.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—The finest line of shoes, women's shoes and slippers, ever seen, are exhibited this spring at
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—If in need of the best Carpet Sweeper call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—The best work and Lowest Prices at
J. C. HAZLETT'S,
Merchant Tailor.

—Spring is here, and now is the time to clean up. Anything in the line of painting or paper hanging in the latest style of the art I will do at hard times rates. GEO. MATTESON.

—Examine the White City lawn mower at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—The largest line of imported and domestic Woolens at the Lowest Prices.
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—Figure with Satterthwaite Bros. on the Plumbing for your water works.

—The large amount of shingles I sold to Mr. Wells, of Franklin, opens up very satisfactory. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Call and see my line of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.
J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Refrigerators and Ice Cream Freezers at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—BOOK BINDING—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

—Hammocks, Croquet and Base Ball goods at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

—We have the best work shoe and plow shoe in Tecumseh at the lowest price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Have you seen those lovely spring and summer dress goods at
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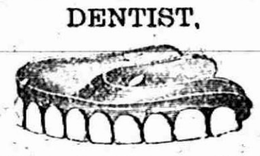

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A LIFE TERM.

Punishment Fixed for Mrs. Pope for Killing Her Husband.

DETROIT, Mich., June 5.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Nellie Pope, charged with the murder of her husband, returned a verdict of guilty at 2 p. m. Tuesday, and she was immediately sentenced to life imprisonment.

As sentence was pronounced, Mrs. Pope bowed her head and sobbed. Little Bernice, her daughter, sprang into her mother's arms, and throwing her arms around her neck, cried piteously. Mrs. Pope, kissed her child time and time again, all the while hugging her closely to her breast. The verdict and sentence were received with demonstrations of approval by the crowd, which completely filled the court room. Mrs. Pope was followed back to the jail by a large crowd of persons who struggled and fought to get a glimpse of the woman. She kissed her sister and Bernice goodby outside the jail doors. She was taken to Jackson Tuesday afternoon, but later will be returned to the Detroit house of correction to serve out her sentence.

Brusseau, Mrs. Pope's paramour, who did the killing, will undoubtedly plead guilty when arraigned and will probably receive a life sentence also.

[The murder of Dr. Horace Elliot Pope was a cold-blooded and heartless killing. Mrs. Pope claimed to be an invalid and a barber named William Brusseau was employed by her as a nurse and attendant. Pope was banished to the kitchen and a bunk upon the floor, while Brusseau slept in a second bed in the room of Mrs. Pope and her little daughter Bernice, the door connecting the two rooms being fastened. Some time after midnight of February 12 Pope was called to the bedside of his wife, she claiming to be unusually ill. He went to sleep in a rocking chair by the side of the bed. Then the woman's paramour Brusseau, crept from behind a curtain with a hatchet, and advancing upon the sleeping man, literally hacked his head to pieces. The conspirators arranged for their defense by firing a bullet from a revolver owned by Dr. Pope into the door dividing the rooms and decided on a story of assault by Dr. Pope and his killing in self-defense. Bernice, the little girl who occupied the room with her mother and Brusseau, was carefully drilled in this story, and then Brusseau raised an alarm. Both Brusseau and Mrs. Pope were held on suspicion, and the former, after getting away from the woman's influence, finally confessed that the murder was premeditated and was for the purpose of securing the insurance on the doctor's life, which amounted to $15,000. He told the story of how the murder was planned and executed on the stand, and the sharpest cross-examination could not shake his story, which is generally believed to be true.]

FAVORABLE TO CROPS.

Michigan Reports Good Corn Weather—Plenty of Rain North.

LANSING, June 5.—Tuesday's bulletin of the Michigan weather service says that in the upper peninsula the past week has been favorable for all growing crops; the rainfall has been plentiful and temperature firm and the sunshine beneficial. In the southern part of the state, where wheat is beginning to head out, the straw is short and the head small. Grass is also short and somewhat thin. The weather has, however, been favorable to corn, which is coming up nicely and looks good.

Mr. Uhl's Aspiration.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5.—It is said that in case Solicitor General Conrad gets a cabinet position Mr. Uhl, of Michigan, assistant secretary of state, would be a candidate for the vacant solicitor generalship. Mr. Uhl was a candidate for this place at the time Mr. Maxwell was appointed, and it is believed the change from the department of state to that of justice would be most agreeable to him. Mr. Uhl will perform all the duties of secretary of state until a successor to the late Secretary Gresham is named.

A Grewsome Witness.

CENTERVILLE, June 4.—In the Swartz murder trial the heart of Edward Johnson, the murdered man, was brought into court by the attorneys for the defense, who are trying to prove that Johnson committed suicide. The heart was pierced by four bullets, and the doctors gave the defense a great shock when they declared it impossible for a man to live after receiving one bullet through the heart. The defense sought to establish the theory that Johnson fired the four shots.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

BATTLE CREEK, June 5.—The Michigan Woman's Christian Temperance union is holding its twenty-first annual state convention here. The session will continue until Friday night. After a consecration meeting committees were appointed and summarized reports received from the several district presidents. Addresses of welcome, the response and a musical and literary entertainment occupied the evening session.

Fire at Kalamo.

KALAMO, June 1.—By a fire that broke out shortly after 2 o'clock Friday morning the business portion of Kalamo was wiped out, and only by the most strenuous exertions was the rest of the village saved. The principal losers were William Fowler & Co., grocery store; C. D. Cooley, drug store; Charles Herring, barber shop and office; Dr. L. C. Jones; L. Powers, meat market. The loss is $10,000, on which there is little insurance.

Strikes Reported.

MANISTEE, June 5.—The salt lifters of the state lumber camp struck Monday for and obtained an advance in wages from $1.35 to $1.50 per 100 barrels. The packers then struck for a 10 to 15 per cent. raise and are still out. The Eureka Lumber company's salt workers have also struck, and it is expected that the strike will extend to all the salt plants in this region.

Big Mortgage Filed.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 5.—The Empire straw works, formerly known as the Royston straw works, has filed a chattel mortgage for $69,500 to the Peninsular Trust company as trustee, to secure local banks. The banks are secured by notes backed by bonds indorsed by stockholders of the company, and the present mortgage tends toward reorganizing the company.

FULL OF NEWS.

Much of General Interest to Be Found in Paragraphs Below.

Stevens & Co. caught thirty-four sturgeon at St. Joseph, the fish averaging forty pounds each.

Sanford Kinney, a wealthy farmer near Colon, committed suicide by cutting his throat. Poor health was the cause.

At Battle Creek Justice Henry rendered his decision in the Peters embezzlement case, finding that the prisoner was guilty of the charge.

June 12 is the date of a band tournament in Mulliken.

The total valuation of city property in Flint as assessed is $8,013,360.

The Upper Peninsula Firemen's association will hold its first annual tournament at Ishpeming on August 7, 8 and 9.

Alma has raised the necessary bonus of $10,000, and the Toledo & Ann Arbor railroad will now include that town on its route.

Fire destroyed the Ewen Planing Mill company's plant at Ewen. Loss, $10,000.

Work on Saginaw's new public building will begin September 2.

Daniel Cummings, of Harrison, was killed by a falling tree at Boyce's camp.

Mrs. Joseph Thomas, of Norway, was killed by a runaway accident.

McClure's flouring mill at Charlotte was burned recently. Loss, $18,000; insurance, $8,000. Three carloads of beans were also burned.

All the huckleberries near East Tawas were destroyed by the recent frosts.

The national charities and corrections convention has selected Grand Rapids as the next place of meeting.

The annual encampment of the Michigan Sons of Veterans will be held at Tekonsha June 18, 19 and 20.

Mrs. Charles Bell, of Cassopolis, while in her door yard, was fatally bitten by a rattlesnake.

Lumber worth $12,000 burned in the J. E. Greilick company's yard at Traverse City.

Theodore Taylor, a resident of Adrian for over half a century, died in destitute circumstances. He lost his fortune trying to float a Methodist magazine called Wellman's Monthly.

AFTER SEVEN YEARS.

John Butler Estate Wins Its Case in the Michigan Supreme Court.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 4.—The suit of the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad company against the John Butler estate, which the United States supreme court decided in favor of the defendants to-day, involves the title to five acres of river front worth thousands of dollars. In 1871 the railroad company received a grant of 1,000,000 acres of land from the government, and in looking over the unentered lands in the state found the tract in question in the form of an island in the river, and promptly listed it as a part of the grant. Butler claimed that the island did not exist when the land was originally surveyed in 1832, but that it was a natural accretion, the development of a sandbar in the river, and he based his title to it on his riparian rights. The case has been in the courts seven years and the final decision is the same as in the state courts.

MICHIGAN BANKS.

They Make a Good Showing of Their Financial Condition.

LANSING, June 1.—A statement showing the condition of the 167 state banks and four trust companies of Michigan at the close of business, May 7, issued by the banking commissioner, shows total loans and discounts of $37,772,817; stocks, bonds and mortgages, $26,839,063; cash reserve, $13,909,676. The capital stock paid in is $12,405,112; surplus, $2,614,662; undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, $1,998,548. The total deposits of $63,782,852 show an increase of $3,226,088 over December 19 last, the date of the last report, and the total loans an increase of $3,761,140.

Fiendish Cruelty Alleged.

OWOSSO, June 4.—Mrs. Ursula Burpee was on Monday sued for $10,000 damages on behalf of her stepson, Ira Burpee, who alleges that he lost both feet through her cruelty. Ira, who is 10 years old, charges that she filled his boots with boiling water and then stuffed his bare feet into them. Amputation of both was found necessary. Mrs. Burpee was tried on a criminal charge for the offense last fall but the jury disagreed.

Fire Destroys Big Table Factory.

ST. JOHNS, June 1.—The three-story building containing the finishing rooms of the St. Johns manufacturing company, with dry-kiln and offices, was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. The factory was the largest exclusive table factory in the world. Fire started by explosion of varnish. The loss will amount to over $50,000, with no insurance. Robert M. Steele was principal owner.

H. R. Morris Breaks His Arm.

ANN ARBOR, June 1.—H. R. Morris, of Vassar, Mich., the champion bicycle rider of the University, while taking a practice spin, collided with his brother, breaking his arm and otherwise seriously injuring himself. He was therefore unable to go with the track team to Chicago, and his absence will prove a serious loss in the bicycle event.

Fire in Detroit.

DETROIT, June 4.—Fire at 5:30 o'clock Monday afternoon destroyed three dwelling houses, 249, 251 and 253 Adelaide street, occupied by the families of Louis Friedman, Moses L. Schiffman, David Robinson, Philip Velick and Frank Martin. The losses aggregate $10,000, insurance, $5,000.

On Trial for Murder.

MUSKEGON, June 4.—The trial of Mrs. Henry W. Hughson, accused of the murder of her second husband, Nathan Douglas, was begun in the circuit court, Judge Russell presiding. Seventy-four men passed through the box before a jury was secured.

NEW LAWS.

Most Important Measures That Passed the Legislature.

LANSING, June 1.—The legislature, which adjourned a week ago, did much work. A synopsis of its most important doings follows:

Most of the unusual measures and those bills which were considered of great importance because of the interests they affected failed to pass. Of the railroad bills which failed to become laws were those repealing the special charter of the Michigan Central reducing the passenger rates in the upper peninsula and increasing the rate of specific taxes. The repeal bill failed principally because of its alleged unconstitutionality and the assertion that the state would be required, under the terms of the company's special charter, to pay damages accruing from such repeal which damages were estimated at $250,000 per annum; and the failure of the tax measure was largely due to the fact that, because of special charters, the companies making the most money could not be reached by it, while those on the verge of bankruptcy would be the only ones affected.

None of the bills introduced at the instigation of the furniture manufacturers and labor organizations and designed to abolish or restrict the convict labor system became laws; the legislature believing that the present system competes less with free labor than any advocated by its opponents. All the unusual measures, such as the anti-treating bill and the bill designed to regulate and restrict the lobby, died also, although each was passed by one of the bodies. The capital punishment and the woman's suffrage bills were other important bills which went into the waste basket.

Considerable important legislation was enacted, however. The educators of the state scored a victory in having the compulsory educational law so strengthened that all children between the ages of 8 and 14 years will henceforth be obliged to attend school at least four months every school year. The penalty for a violation of this law is such that parents and guardians will not seek to evade the statute. The Redfern law provides that all teachers in city schools must hold certificates before they can teach, the penalty being the forfeiture by offending districts of all primary school interest money.

The most important enactment affecting the prison is one establishing the parole system of dealing with convicts. This bill was given immediate effect.

The pure food laws of the state were also greatly strengthened and an appropriation of $10,000 made to aid in their enforcement. The factory inspection law was amended so as to give the inspectors increased powers and to absolutely prohibit the employment of children under 14 years old in any of the factories of the state. The law was also made explicit and exacting relative to the use of elevator gates, blowers and other appliances designed to protect the lives and health of the employes.

A law providing for the incorporation of labor organizations so that they may sue and be sued was passed in accordance with the recommendation of Gov. Rich, who believes that it will tend to the more ready settlement of disputes between capital and labor.

Amendments and additions made to existing insurance laws make more binding the statutes prohibiting the soliciting of business for unauthorized companies and provide a manner in which the Lloyds companies can transact business in Michigan in certain cases.

Much legislation in the interests of purity of elections was enacted. The most important of these measures is the so-called anti-fusion law. As originally passed this law prohibited the name of a candidate from appearing on the official ticket more than once, regardless of the number of different parties nominating him, but it applied only to state and county elections. It worked so well in the special congressional election in the Third district that a subsequent bill was passed making the same rule apply to all elections, state, county, municipal and township. The Barnard law makes it unlawful for a delegate to any political convention to give a proxy, providing that all vacancies are to be filled by a vote of the balance of the delegation. It also makes it unlawful for a candidate to hire anyone to work for him in a convention.

Miscellaneous bills of much importance establish an additional normal school at Mount Pleasant; establish a training department at the State normal school; provide for the removal of the homeopathic department of the university to Detroit; empower county boards of supervisors to condemn the right of way of plank road companies; the Donovan bill, providing for the issuance by all railroads operating in Michigan of interchangeable and re-leemable mileage, good to be used by any member of the purchaser's family; making it unlawful for employers to require their employes to insure in any particular company; requiring companies accepting a bonus for locating manufacturing plants to refund the sum received with interest in case they remove any material portion of the plant within five years; providing for a permanent state weather service; creating the office of state tax statistician.

While the legislature was an economical one, yet the state tax levy for the ensuing biennial period will approximate $4,500,000, which is the largest in the history of the state.

A total of 531 bills were passed by the legislature. Of these 169 were senate bills and 362 were house measures. The total is eighty-two greater than in 1893.

LANSING, June 4.—The bill establishing an additional state normal school at Mount Pleasant, which, it was generally believed, would be vetoed, has been signed by the governor. The bill removing the Homeopathic college from Ann Arbor to Detroit was also signed.

LANSING, June 5.—The following are additional important bills approved by Gov. Rich: General budget for the expenses of the state government; placing building and loan associations under the supervision of the secretary of state; providing for a recompilation of the laws of Michigan, and the Foster bill providing for the incorporation of mutual fire insurance companies, which shall have authority to limit the liability of stockholders.

Forests Burning.

PINCONNING, June 4.—Fierce forest fires are raging near Highwood, Gladwin county. A strong westerly wind prevails and the flames are being swept to the eastward rapidly. The telegraph poles between Highwood and Rhodes are burned down and no further reports can be received. Nothing can be known of the fire until it reaches Deep river or Standish, in Arenac county.

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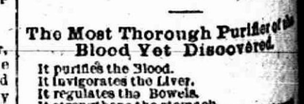

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DOMESTIC.

MEMORIAL DAY was generally observed with appropriate ceremonies in all parts of the United States. In Chicago, aside from the usual exercises, a monument to the Confederate dead was dedicated in Oakwoods cemetery.

J. W. KIRK, state superintendent of prisons, was fatally shot by A. J. Vaughan at Nashville, Tenn. The shooting was accidental.

THE largest passenger steamship ever built in America, the St. Louis, of the American line, proved a success on her trial trip.

THE grand jury at Danville, Ill., refused to indict the lynchers of Halls and Royce, the men who assaulted a young woman.

AS THE result of a drunken spree at St. Louis Henry Terrick fatally shot Charles Zoner and then killed himself.

A BICYCLE road-race from Chicago to Evanston and return, a distance of 19¼ miles, was won by Homer Fairmon over 476 competitors in 54:36. George Emerson won the time prize over the same course in 52:13.

GRAIN in many northwestern states was blighted by the heat.

THIRTY-SIX business and dwelling houses were completely wiped out by fire at Pattonsburg, Mo. Loss, $100,000.

WILL OWEN, who murdered his wife at Noble Lake one year ago, was hanged at Verner, Ark.

FOUR negroes arrested for various crimes in Polk County, Fla., were taken from the sheriff and three of them were lynched.

DEPUTY SHERIFFS ED EDWARDS and Willis Baxter, of Little Rock, Ark., shot each other fatally by mistake while gunning for a culprit.

MICHAEL DERNBERG, of Syracuse, N. Y., rode 2 miles on a bicycle in 3:51 4-5, breaking all previous records.

FARMERS in the central part of Iowa were much alarmed over the appearance of small swarms of seventeen-year locusts.

FUNERAL services were held in Oakwoods cemetery in Chicago over the remains of the late secretary of state, Walter Quinton Gresham. President Cleveland and all the members of his cabinet stood about the bier while every possible respect was shown the dead by civil and military organizations.

A CYCLONE 1-mile wide struck Chapman, Neb., and demolished everything in its path. The home of A. Ballor was blown to pieces, fatally injuring Mrs. Ballor and two children.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 31st ult. aggregated $819,130,011, against $1,111,844,134 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 15.2.

THERE were 215 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 31st ult., against 207 the week previous and 183 in the corresponding time in 1894.

AT Henderson, Ky., fire destroyed the Hodge tobacco factory and the Elliott stemmery, the total loss being $135,000.

THE inter-state miners' convention at Columbus, O., passed a resolution declaring it unwise to order a strike at this time.

THE coinage at the United States mint in Philadelphia during the month of May amounted to $2,251,862.10.

NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN patents were issues from the patent office in Washington during the week ended on the 31st ult.

LIGHTNING struck the bark Carrie E. Long, from Philadelphia to Havana, carrying oil in bulk, and four of the crew, including Capt. Rolfe, perished.

THE Canadian steamer Jack ran into and sunk the Menominee (Mich.) liner Norman about 7 miles off Middle island and three of the crew of the Norman were drowned.

JOHN OSBORN, SON & CO., importers of wines and liquors in New York, failed for $200,000.

A WATERSPOUT near Hillsboro, Tex., destroyed several houses and drowned one man and 300 head of cattle.

IN portions of Colorado snow fell to the depth of 4 feet on the level, and at Albuquerque, N. M., where it is a rare thing to find snow in the winter season, there was a foot on the level.

THE sixth anniversary of the Johnstown flood was celebrated at Harrisburg, Pa., by a dinner given by the governor.

DOUGLAS HENDERSON and Frank Jeffrey were hanged at Murphysboro, Ill., for the murder of James Towle at Carterville last winter.

THE heat was so intense that 100 feet of the Wabash track near Saunemin, Ill., were so warped out of shape that it was impossible for trains to pass over for an hour and a half.

A FREIGHT train on the Soo road ran into an army of travelling caterpillars near New Paynesville, Minn., and the obstruction delayed the train three hours.

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THE business portion of Kalamo, Mich., was destroyed by fire.

DISPATCHES from various points in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas and Missouri say that needed rains had fallen.

THE little son and daughter of William Nagle were drowned at Clinton, Ia. The boy fell into the Mississippi and his sister jumped in to save him.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 1st were: Pittsburgh, .647; Philadelphia, .600; Baltimore, .593; Cincinnati, .583; Cleveland, .576; Chicago, .571; Boston, .536; New York, .484; Brooklyn, .433; Washington, .406; St. Louis .353; Louisville, .167.

LOUIS BUDINICH, of Lussino, and Anton Rem, of Buda-Pesth, Hungary, who set out on foot from Buenos Ayres on August 7, 1892, arrived in Chicago, having walked the entire distance, over 11,000 miles.

THE great 40-inch lens—the highest telescope glass ever made—designed for the Yerkes' telescope in Chicago, was completed at Cambridge, Mass.

DURING a row in Justice Eubank's court at Snyder, Tex., James Dickson was killed and Tom Dean and a man named Chapman were fatally wounded.

THE monthly statement of the comptroller of the currency showed the amount of national bank notes outstanding on the 1st to be $211,388,029, an increase for May of $1,759,106, and for the last twelve months of $4,237,347.

THE Union Labor League of Western Pennsylvania was organized at Pittsburgh with a membership of 25,000. The object is to establish an eight-hour day and to increase wages.

A BRONZE tablet was placed in position on the corner stone of the capitol at Washington, commemorative of the 100 anniversary of its laying by George Washington.

THE receipts of the government for the eleven months of the present fiscal year were $287,694,691, against $270,474,410 for the same period last year. The disbursements were $28,558,213, leaving a deficit for the eleven months of $46,757,495.

THE state department was informed of the death of William J. H. Ballard, United States consul at Hull, England.

THE Burnet house in Cincinnati in which Sherman's Atlanta campaign was planned, and the scene of many other historical events, closed it doors because of poor business.

GEORGE DALEY and Mabel Moore were fatally burned in a fire at Portland, Ore.

IN a runaway near Moulton, Ala., William Cowart and his two children were thrown from the wagon and killed.

LOREN D. ELIAS, while insane, shot and killed his mother and little sister at Minneapolis.

JOHN WAGNER, a Cincinnati bartender, shot himself, and when his sweetheart, Miss Sophia Wagnell, learned what he had done, she took poison.

THE Oklahoma national bank of Oklahoma City, O. T., went into voluntary insolvency.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt decreased $5,386,611 during the month of May. The cash balance in the treasury was $185,270,100. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $912,363,292.

IN Nebraska Curtis lake burst its banks and swept down Medicine valley, destroying a vast amount of property and causing the loss of several lives.

FIRE destroyed an entire block of buildings at Shenandoah, Pa., the loss being $145,000, with only $4,500 insurance.

A TERRIFIC storm swept over southern Minnesota, doing great damage to crops and wrecking many buildings.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 3d was: Wheat, 52,229,000 bushels; corn, 10,762,000 bushels; oats, 8,626,000 bushels; rye, 136,000 bushels; barley, 100,000 bushels.

THE national headquarters of the Salvation Army were formally dedicated in New York city.

GEORGE JAMES and Webster Ziegler were killed by lightning at Plowville, Pa.

IT snowed all day on the 3d at Cripple Creek, Col.

THE Baptist anniversaries at Saratoga, N. Y., concluded with the seventy-first annual meeting of the American Baptist Publication society.

ELEVEN persons died in New York on the 3d from sunstroke, seven in Philadelphia, five in Pittsburgh, four in Baltimore and four in Chicago. All over the country excessive heat was reported.

FRANK SHELDON arrived in New York, having walked from Chicago in twenty-five days on a $1,000 wager, cutting off five days from the previous record.

PETER RICHARD KENRICK, archbishop of St. Louis, was deposed by Pope Leo XIII, the reason being given as "mental infirmity."

THE First national bank of Pella, Ia., closed its doors.

IT was announced that Richard Olney, of Boston, at present attorney general, would succeed the late Walter Q. Gresham as secretary of state.

MRS. A. M. CRISSMORE and her daughter were killed in a runaway accident at Georgetown, Ind.

R. V. BAILEY, Frank Jefferies, Samuel Mundy and C. M. Rowcal lost their lives in a railroad accident near Oxford, Neb.

THOMAS MCGUIRE and his brother, Erie county (Pa.) farmers, were held up and robbed of $1,000 by masked men.

ROVER & ALLEN'S flour mill at Cincinnati was burned, the loss being $100,000.

MRS. JAMES L. STRAUGHN and her daughter were fatally injured in a runaway near Kokomo, Ind.

TRAMPS and police fought at Fort Wayne, Ind., and Deputy Sheriff Harrod and William Walrath, one of the tramps, were fatally shot.

ELISHA B. MORRELL, at one time prominent in politics and the richest grocer in Brooklyn, N. Y., was buried in a pauper's grave.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning June 9. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Ways of God Justified.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xxxiv, 14-32.

After Job had uttered his eloquent tribute to wisdom, which exceeded in beauty and sublimity anything which his friends had said, he again takes up his complaint at the distressing condition in which he finds himself. He has declared that God alone understands the way of wisdom and knows the place thereof. "Unto man He said, Behold the fear of the Lord—that is wisdom—and to depart from evil is understanding."

With deep feeling Job describes in the twenty-ninth chapter his former condition of honor among the people. In the thirtieth he pathetically portrays the contempt in which men now hold him and the pain of his bodily sufferings added to the distress of mind. Earnestly he pleads in the thirty-first chapter for recognition of his integrity in all his former dealings. He protests his innocence of any wrongdoing or evil intention in any of his relations with his fellow man and calls down imprecations if he has in any way been false. He reiterates the sentiments uttered at first and firmly holds the position so clearly stated in the twenty-seventh chapter, second to seventh verses. God has afflicted him not because of wickedness or in punishment for any sin. He will maintain his righteousness and consciousness of his integrity at all hazards. He has no explanation to give of God's dealings. He doesn't understand them. Of two things he is sure. The first is that God is the supreme and all wise ruler over men and nature. The second is that his own conscience is clear of any intentional wrong to men or irreverence toward God. He indignantly repudiates the views of his friends—that God punishes and rewards every man in this world according to his just deserts. Whether he can explain God's ways or not, he knows in his own spirit that he is not the outrageous sinner which his grievous sufferings would prove him to be according to their theory; therefore their theory must be false and their defense of God's justice a gross misrepresentation.

Though the three friends of Job have been silenced, the argument is not ended. Elihu, a young man, has been listening and is full of indignation, both at Job and his friends, because none of them has justified God's mode of dealing with men. He speaks with more bluntness and zeal than any of the preceding. He perverts Job's words and charges him with grossest impiety, with maintaining his own righteousness and accusing God of injustice. His words are sharp, but his argument is even weaker than that of Job's other opponents. He thinks afflictions are for discipline rather than for punishment.

This thought is buried in a great mass of verbiage, and he concludes the whole bombastic utterance with the confession of ignorance of God's designs much in the same language which Job had used, and not an iota in advance of the afflicted patriarch's conception. "Touching the Almighty, we cannot find Him out. He is excellent in power, and in judgment, and in plenty of justice. He will not afflict."

Hot Weather Meetings.

One of the difficult questions to settle in all church work is in regard to keeping up meetings during hot weather. The city churches find it often difficult to get enough people together to have any service, because so many are away in the country. Country churches find it hard work to get time to hold services, because there are so much work and recreation to be attended to in behalf of city boarders and visitors. Yet there are always many in the city who can't get away. They need the meetings more than at any other time to keep in working shape and avoid lonesomeness. Keep up the meetings. But don't hold them in a musty, stuffy church vestry with all windows and doors closed. Get out in some one's garden or on the lawn or in ample parlors of some private residence. Make the programme short and bright and make the social element prominent. Have some letters to read from absentees traveling or at the seaside, among the mountains or on the farm. No heavy literary work should be attempted. Plan to have a day's outing in some pleasant spot. Invite and pay all expenses of some poor young men and women. Give some one a day of real pleasure that will make all the rest of the 365 days less dull and dreary because of its remembered sunshine and hearty good cheer.

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*No. 55 -Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	8:19 a m

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*No. 56 -Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
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Napoleon	8 20 "	2 20 "	1 18 "
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Manchester	8 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	8 58 "	3 01 "	2 26 "
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Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 59 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 16 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., }
Council Room, June 3, 1895. }

Present the entire council excepting Trustee Smith. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Report of sexton for month of May presented, showing five adult interments for month; $20 collected as interment fees and vault sold one lot and note of Wm. J. Osborn, for $40 for six months, with W. S. Osborn as surety. Report accepted and sexton ordered to collect on note approved.

Report of street commissioner for month of May presented, showing fifteen men labor 10 days, 2 hours, 30 cts. and 145 days, $72.50, paid for labor. Report accepted and ordered filed.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Petition of Thomas Hobson and fifteen others, asking that water hydrant be ordered for corner of Allen and Chicago streets, referred to Water Committee. Petition same was referred to Water Committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were presented, read and ordered paid: Wm. Shannon, [illegible]; Jno. Shannon, [illegible]; Fred Shannon, $6.75; E. Wood, [illegible]; A. Boyd, street commissioner, [illegible]; J. A. Boyd, [illegible]; C. F. Fred, printing, $5.50; Tecumseh Electric Co., [illegible]; A. Hess, labor, $4.75. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, same was ordered to draw the orders for the same.

The following resolution was introduced: Resolved by the common council of the village of Tecumseh, That the sum of $5,000.00 be raised for the general fund of said village of Tecumseh as the village tax for 1895, at the rate of seven mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the real and personal property therein. Moved and supported that a vote resolution be adopted. Trustees Boyd, yes; Satterthwaite, yes; Heesen, yes; Hall, yes; Wright, yes. Declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced: Be it resolved by the common council of the village of Tecumseh, That the following special assessment for building a sidewalk along the east side of the following described property, be certified to the assessor of the village of Tecumseh, and that the same be spread by him on the village assessment roll as a special assessment, to-wit: Owner, George I. Wright, description, south 10 rods of lot 5 and east 4 rods of lot 7 of block 12, Hoag's addition to the village of Tecumseh, amount $56.75. Moved and supported that above be confirmed and adopted, yeas, Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Hall, Wright. Declared adopted.

Moved and supported that clerk draw his order for the sum of $877.19 as the July payment of interest on water works bonds. Carried.

The following resolution was introduced: Be it resolved that venders of peanuts, popcorn, candy, etc., who sell their wares on the public streets of the village, pay a yearly license of $5 each, and that the marshal see that the same is paid by all who sell their wares on said streets. Moved and supported that above be adopted. Carried.

The following resolution was introduced: Be it resolved that residents desiring to construct cement sidewalks under the provisions of the village ordinance shall make application therefor to the chairman of the street committee; the street committee of the village is hereby empowered to fix the price of construction of such sidewalks, and the same shall be constructed under their direction. After such sidewalk is completed the person building the same shall present an itemized bill of the cost thereof, receipted by the person building the same and certified by the street committee, to the common council; thereupon an order shall be drawn in payment of the one-fourth of the cost to be paid by the village.

Moved and supported that above resolution be adopted. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	10	12
Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		12
Potatoes, per bushel	70 to	80
Beans, per bushel		2 25
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		10
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		16½
Smoked Shoulders		11
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 00	
Dressed Hogs, per 10. lbs	5 00	10 to 12½
Veal dressed, per lb	5	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb		12½
Hides, green		5
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		$ 80
" Red		80
Corn, shelled		53 to 60
Oats		to 35
No. 1 Clover seed		6 25
Timothy Seed		3 00
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 00 to	8 00
Hay, clover, per ton		7 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Chas. E. Partridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of June, 1895, and on the 25th day of November, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 25th day of May, A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 21, 1895.

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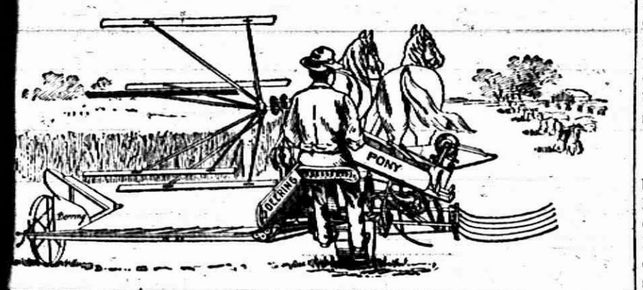

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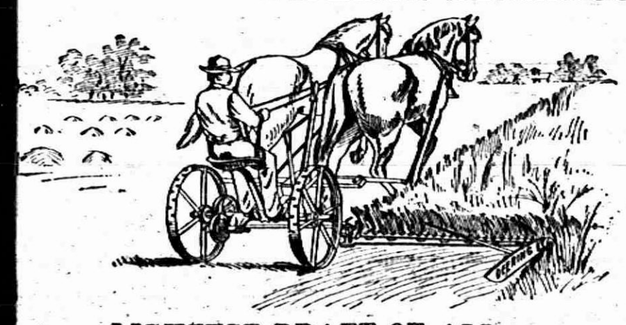

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ONSTED OFFERINGS.

A Thriving Village Among the Cambridge Hills and Lakes.

HER STORES AND FACTORIES.

A Few Facts About Our Hustling Neighbor on the Mackinaw.

We spent a portion of two days the first of the week at Onsted, renewing old acquaintances and forming new ones. Since the new railroad—then called the Michigan & Ohio—established a station there the town has enjoyed a healthy growth and has become quite a business center. It is the metropolis of Cambridge township and the best village between Tecumseh and Addison on the Mackinaw road. The population must be about 300 at present. It has a Free Baptist church, of which Rev. Wellington Joy is pastor, which is in a flourishing condition. A good school sheds its benign influence over the community. Miss Eugenia Howes, the teacher, has given excellent satisfaction. There is a fine Masonic lodge here, Finch Lodge, No. 407, of which Ed. Taylor is Master and Geo. Kilbury Secretary. They have a good membership and are in a prosperous condition. The order of the Maccabees is also represented here by Justice Tent, No. 503. Wm. T. Clayson is Commander and M. P. Wemple Record Keeper, and the lodge has a large and growing membership. The Onsted Driving Club is one of the institutions of the town, of which F. I. Kinney is President and G. W. Ross Secretary. They give their first matinee of the season tomorrow, June 15, when a fine lot of races may be witnessed. The village has two good hotels and a nice little printing office, the Onsted News. The depot is now in charge of A. J. Sutton, of Ridgeway, who is temporarily in charge until the first of July, during the absence of the regular agent.

J. F. Brooks.

Among the business firms, one of the oldest and best is that of J. F. Brooks. He began business ten years ago on a small scale by running a tin shop. Two years later he started a hardware store on the north side, and has been gradually extending his lines ever since. Four years ago he bought the Sickner property on the south side and erected a two-story building on one corner of the lot and moved into the same four years ago next January. On the first day of October, 1893, he assumed charge of Uncle Sam's mail at Onsted and is now serving in the capacity of P. M. He carries a well assorted hardware stock and also has a clock and watch department. The second story of his store is used for a public hall and for a Maccabee lodge room. Mr. Brooks is well fixed at present.

Hines & Skinner.

The partners in this firm are both heavyweights in more senses than one. Mr. Hines has bought poultry and conducted a meat market for several years. In February, 1894, the present firm was organized, and during the few months since then they have stepped to the front in business. They carry on a first-class meat market, as of yore, where a full supply of fresh and salt meats is kept on hand. They also purchase poultry and stock of all kinds and have added a full and complete grocery stock to their store. They also keep a fine line of confectionery. The partners are both practical business men, give their personal attention to all the details of their business and are bound to succeed.

W. A. Teachout.

But few men know how to run a hotel successfully, but Mr. Teachout is "built that way." Although a young man yet, he has had fourteen years experience already in catering to the public. He managed the hotel at Rome Center, in this county, for ten years, and four years ago next October he took possession of his present hotel. He has a good patronage of both regular boarders and transients, and it can safely be said that he has become one of the business fixtures at Onsted. His wife sets an excellent table and manages her part of the household affairs admirably. Mr. Teachout runs a feed barn and livery in connection with the hotel, which has a good patronage.

W. F. Muck.

Mr. Muck came to Onsted in February, 1894, and bought out German & Perkins. He has one of the best locations on the south side and is evidently enjoying a good trade. His stock consists of dry goods and groceries, boots and shoes, and he keeps a good assortment in all these departments. Although comparatively a new comer in the business circles he has acquired an excellent reputation as a man of square dealing. His future success, as one of Onsted's leading merchants, is assured.

Onsted & Wemple.

Mr. M. P. Wemple came to Onsted before such a place was known on the county map, having charge of a section of the M. & O. railroad as civil engineer. He liked the people of that neighborhood, considered it a good opening for a new town, and when his job on the railroad was completed he settled down to business at once. The present firm was organized in January, 1894, and have been forging right ahead ever since. They run the elevator and buy all kinds of grain for shipment. They also manage a large lumber yard and deal quite extensively in seeds, salt and lime. Mr. Wemple has always been the active manager of the firm and has a neat office in the elevator building, where his friends are welcome.

A. G. Weatherhead.

Mr. Weatherhead is entitled to the honor of revivingan old industry, which is likely to grow into a large and lucrative concern. Last April he rented the old Laur cheese factory, brushed out the cob-webs, cleaned it up, put in a lot of new machinery, and on the first day of May he pressed his first cheese. Although he has been running only six weeks, he is now taking in about one thousand pounds of milk daily and making four or five cheese each day. He came from South Lyon, Mich., where he had been engaged in the same business. Mr. Weatherhead is a graduate of the Wisconsin Dairy School, which is located at Madison. He is, therefore, well versed in the theory of his vocation and has had considerable practical experience as well. He proposes to fight it out on this line and develope a large business, for the building has a capacity to accommodate a trade five times the present output. May success attend his efforts.

Perkins & Wallace.

The good people of Onsted evidently believe in woman's rights, for this firm, though composed of the fair sex, is doing a fine business. Seven years ago Mrs. Jennie Perkins opened a millinery store in the same building now occupied by the firm, and four years ago last January Miss Susie B. Wallace took a partnership interest. They keep a very complete stock of millinery and also a fine assortment of dress goods and ladies' furnishings. Mrs. Perkins owns the property, so they have never been shifting about from place to place and they have the neatest and tidiest store in the village. Mrs. Perkins' long experience enables her to cater to the wants of the ladies, and she can thus satisfy the most varied tastes in hats and bonnets for the fair sex. The firm enjoys a fine trade which is constantly increasing.

J. S. Kane.

Among the business men of Onsted, Mr. Kane may be said to belong to the old guard, as he came here very soon after the M. & O. railroad was opened. He opened a drug store in December, 1885, in connection with Mr. Curtis, the firm being Curtis & Kane. In a few years they sold to L. D. Palmer and Mr. Kane entered his employ. Mr. Kane afterwards bought the property of Curtis and in July, 1892, he opened an entire new stock of goods in his own building. He keeps a large stock of drugs and medicines, a full line of groceries, ready made clothing and gents' furnishings. Mr. Kane is personally popular, keeps experienced clerks in his employ, and hence he always enjoys a good trade. He has become one of the fixtures in Onsted and is likely to continue in trade here for a long time in the future. May his shadow never grow less.

A. L. Mosher.

Mr. Mosher took the Onsted Hotel in August, 1894, and he was so well pleased with his venture that on the first of May last he renewed the lease. Mr. Mosher used to manage a livery in Brooklyn, but this is his first experience at hotel keeping. He settles into the traces, however, like a veteran and has already established the reputation of being a first-class landlord. His hotel is the brick house on the south side and is a very convenient and commodious building for that purpose. He enjoys a good custom from commercial travellers and has several regular boarders besides. He also runs a feed barn and livery in connection with the hotel, which helps out very materially with the finances. His table is well provided with both substantials and delicacies and people find it a good place to indulge in a good, square meal.

Solomon Billmeyer.

Last spring Mr. Billmeyer bought out Terry & Randolph and has since conducted the agricultural implement store on the north side. He keeps the celebrated Deering machines, of which he has sold a large number this spring, some of the Gale company's machinery and a full assortment of agricultural implements of various kinds. He also sells the Kalamazoo buggies and other makes. If industry and push merit success, then Mr. Billmeyer is bound to succeed.

Sickner & Sheeler.

No town is complete in these days without a good flouring mill. The Roller Mills, conducted by the above firm, give Onsted a first-class concern in that direction. Mr. Sickner, the senior partner, has had twenty-two years experience in the milling business and is thoroughly posted in all the details of that industry. Mr. Sheeler has recently bought Groger's interest and is settling down to his new calling admirably. They have two rollers of the latest pattern, and also an old style burr for feed grinding. The present firm is a strong one and is destined to thrive and prosper for many years. Onsted needs such an institution and they are fully capable of supplying the want.

S. J. Fish.

Mr. Fish runs a peculiar combination, but he makes it work like a charm. He has been conducting a tonsorial parlor for some two years. Last spring he added a confectionery room, where he keeps a fine supply of candies and also soft drinks, ice cream, etc. He has neat, cozy quarters, where both ladies and gentlemen can tarry a few moments with pleasure, to partake of cooling refreshments during the hot weather. His ice cream is fine and made fresh every day.

Schuyler & Smith.

Every country village needs a good blacksmith shop and this firm fully supply the wants of this community in that regard. In March, 1894, they bought out A. F. Peters and since that date the hammer and anvil have not been idle in their shop a single day, except Sundays and holidays. They do all kinds of carriage and wagon repairing and also make a specialty of horse-shoeing. They have a very large custom in this branch of the business.

The Onsted News.

Last, but by no means least, is the village paper, which is published by Miss Myrtle M. Maxwell. The paper was started in July, 1894, and this week's issue is No. 46 of the first volume. In December last Miss Maxwell bought the office and has conducted it since that date, doing all the work upon the paper herself, both editorial and mechanical. The sheet is a credit to the owner and also to Onsted, and the business houses of the village accord it a liberal advertising patronage.

ANOTHER FLAG RAISING.

The spirit of patriotism is surely spreading over the land and ere long the school house without a pole and U. S. flag will be the exception. Saturday, June 8, a beautiful white pole was raised at the school house in Dist. No. 1, Clinton township. Mr. Arthur Camburn has presided over the school the past year, and that he has given satisfaction was fully demonstrated by the large number of people who assembled to witness the exercises last Saturday. Mr. Camburn invited the school east, and also the one south of his, to join in the exercises. The Post and W. R. C. of Tecumseh were also invited to send representatives. The exercises commenced early in the afternoon, by the raising of the pole and running up the beautiful new flag, after which the exercises consisted of patriotic songs, recitations, essays and readings. A class of young boys and girls gave a flag drill, which an old veteran pronounced fine, and it was certainly enjoyed by the audience. Short talks were given by Mr. Shull, Mr. Stevens and Rev. Blachford, of Tecumseh, and an interesting paper by Mrs. Hanley. The district appreciate the assistance given by the Macon young people, Miss Clarkson's pupils, and the little folks from Tecumseh. A large canvas was stretched over the front yard, making a pleasant and convenient place for holding the exercises. At the close three cheers were given and the people dispersed to their homes, well pleased with the afternoon's entertainment. Dist. No 1 is proud of its teacher, proud of its school, and now points with pride and patriotism to its flag.

The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with final limit of 20 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q. & C. all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lampkin, Lampkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to Union Springs, Union Springs to Montgomery, Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

The story of the death of Ananias is received with some skepticism by people who have been reading recent Spanish dispatches. If liars were punished with death the whole Spanish news bureau would be swept away.

Overworked women need Zoa Phora.

TIPTON ON PAPER.

What They Are Doing in Franklin This Summer.

We made the village of Tipton a business call the other day and found the place all right side up with care. Tipton is not as large as Adrian or Tecumseh, that is true, but it is on dock, just the same, and doesn't propose to be counted out in the race for business. It contains two good churches, both of which are well sustained and in a thriving condition. Rev. H. T. Shier is pastor of the M. E. church and Rev. W. T. Williams is pastor of the Congregational. Both are young men, but well educated and thoroughly imbued with the importance of their work, and hence they are tilling the Master's vineyard to good acceptance. There is a flourishing Maccabee lodge, Tipton Tent, No. 239, which contains over 100 members. C. A. Cooley is Commander and W. J. Hampton Record Keeper. There is also a Hive of 52 members. Mrs. Wm. Pentecost being Lady Commander and Miss Edie M. Burns Record Keeper. Frank Jenkins conducts the postoffice, with the help of his wife when he is away, and the office was never better managed than at present.

W. J. Hampton.

Mr. Hampton still holds forth in the brick store on the corner and may be regarded as a fixture in Tipton. He began business on a small scale on the 1st of March, 1888, in the small building on the southeast corner. In the fall of 1892 he built his present brick store and moved into it on March 3d, 1893, with a new stock of goods. The building is an extra good one for his use, containing family rooms in the rear, a large store in front and a fine public hall in the second story. This hall is used by the Maccabees for their lodge room. He carries a general stock of goods suitable for a country store, comprising groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes, and everything which the farmers need. He also deals in farm machinery quite largely and ships butter and eggs in their season. A splendid flowing well supplies the premises with water. Mr. Hampton has a nice family, a large trade, and has "come to stay."

John Conlin.

Across the street on the south side is located John Conlin's store. He began business in Tipton away back in 1884 in the small building on the southeast corner; moved into his present quarters in April, 1889, and has been gradually extending his lines ever since. He owns the property he now occupies, which is well fitted for his uses. His family reside in the rear rooms and there is a commodious public hall in the second story. He erected a fine barn last fall and has otherwise improved the property. He keeps a general stock of merchandise suitable for the farming community. By strict attention to business and square dealing he has built up a fine trade. He makes a specialty of boots and shoes, having advantages in the buying of these goods which most traders lack, and hence he enjoys a large and increasing trade in these staple articles of necessity.

Tipton Cheese Co.

This is a new concern, less than two months old, but the way it is forging to the front is a caution. The company consists of several stockholders. J. W. Crane is president, Wm. A. Beebe manager and B. F. Beebe secretary. The building was rushed up in about two weeks and they took in the first milk April 23d. New patrons have been added to the list almost every day sihce and they are now receiving a daily average of about 5000 pounds of milk and making about 20 cheese every day. Last Monday they took in 5516 pounds of milk. They have the very latest machinery and appliances and hence turn out a product that has already established a first-class reputation in the market. Their sales thus far have been in Illinois and Wisconsin. They were very fortunate in procuring Milo A. Stocking as cheese-maker. He has had fourteen years experience in the business and has lots of blue and red ribbons for prizes received. In the year 1890 he took 27 premiums at different fairs in Illinois for the best made cheese. The same year he took the sweepsteaks prize at the American Dairy fair held in Chicago. Under his efficient management this new industry is bound to grow right along and has brilliant prospects for the future. The output is already more than the company expected, and Frank Jenkins is now employed as assistant in the factory. The farmers cannot overcrowd the capacity of the concern with Stocking and Jenkins at the helm.

A. J. Bouck.

Mr. Bouck has been pounding the anvil, setting tires and fitting on horse shoes in the same shop he now occupies for fourteen years. He does all kinds of wagon and carriage repairing and makes a specialty of horse-shoeing, in which branch he has a large custom. He generally keeps another hand in his employ and it is a "cold day" when he hasn't plenty of work to keep him busy. He is regarded as a first-class mechanic in his line of trade.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JUNE 14, 1895.

Jas Henley was in Toledo last week.

Miss Hunter returned to Detroit this week.

Will VanTuyle was an Adrian passenger Wednesday.

Ida Alexander visited her sister Minnie over Sunday.

Dr. White took a wheel ride to Manchester Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kies spent Saturday at the lakes.

C. J. VanValkenburg is again sick with rheumatism.

The Maccabees will attend a memorial service next Sunday.

Carl and Christine Burton visited in Manchester Saturday.

Mrs. I. Miller returned to Albion Saturday of last week.

Peter Kishpaugh was in Raisin Center on business Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Conklin, of Manchester, spent Tuesday in Clinton.

Miss Winnifred Dodge, of Hudson, is visiting at Jas. Halliday's.

Dell Goodrich and wife, of Corunna, Mich., are visiting in town.

W. D. VanTuyle was an Ann Arbor visitor the middle of last week.

Will St. John, wife and daughter are here from Chicago visiting his father.

Harry Strailey, of Detroit, was the guest of L. W. Kimball the first of the week.

Mrs. Billings arrived from Michigan City, Ind., Monday, to visit Mrs. Geo. Hard.

Jno. Tuttle arrived Saturday from Albion for his summer vacation at home.

Wm. Wallace, well known as a pioneer of West Clinton, was buried here Monday.

Mrs. Frank Woodward and Miss Kittie VanTuyle were Tecumseh passengers Saturday.

Geo. Kies started Tuesday for an extended trip on the road taking orders for the fall trade.

Geo Goodrich moved this week from Mrs. Price's house to the Kimball house on Franklin street.

Mrs. Frank Ice and daughter and Mrs. Ollie Brooks, of Mt. Summit, Ind., are visiting at Mrs. Mills'.

The Episcopal ladies will give their next social at the home of Mrs. C. Schmitt on Thursday of next week.

Roy Colling, Fred Koernig and Leon Clark attended church at Brooklyn last Sabbath. They went up on their bykes.

Lyle Gibson is erecting a handsome fruit emporium, between the meat market and millinery store on the south side.

Attorney Jas Watters, of Manchester, was last Sunday married to Miss Cora Hartiday, of Norvell, at the Baptist church in that place.

Codling & Machen bought last Monday a bunch of six fine market steers. This is a large purchase of stock of this quality for a local market.

Chas. Priest is this week visiting his mother and brother in town. He is now representing the Granite State Provident Association of Manchester, N. H.

The Baptist society of Clinton will hold their June social at the home of Mrs. J. Watson in Bridgewater next Tuesday afternoon. All are cordially invited.

Man, cat, boot-jack, window sash. We could locate all but the man, but on that account will have to postpone a full history of this interesting episode until the right man is located.

The annual exercises of the Alumni association are held tonight at the Town Hall. The program will be carried out as published last week, with the exception of a few changes, which it was found necessary to make. The banquet will follow at the hall directly after the program.

At a meeting last Friday the Maccabees accepted a proposition from Smith & Huntington to fit up suitable lodge rooms over their brick store now being erected. The new quarters will be finished especially for the purpose and will also be much more commodious than those now occupied.

Probably the most notable event in the history of Wampler's Lake occurred last Monday when a large party of Clinton people of eligible age and sound mind visited that popular resort for a few days outing. Tecumseh and Detroit were also represented and did their share towards making the occasion one long to be remembered both by the denizens of the lake country as well as by the participants themselves.

The game of ball last Saturday between Clinton and Tecumseh, on the latter's grounds, was hardly up to the standard for either team, Clinton, especially, putting up a poorer game than usual. The following are the particulars of the match:

TECUMSEH.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Wheelan, lb	6	2	3	10	0	1
Spaulding, ss	6	2	3	2	4	2
Lewis, c	6	3	0	9	2	1
Kennedy, cf	6	4	3	1	0	0
Hicks, 3b	5	3	2	1	3	2
Cutting 2b	6	4	3	2	2	1
Eaglick, p	5	1	2	1	1	0
Grayson, rf	6	3	1	0	1	1
Hughes, lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	51	20	19	27	14	9

CLINTON

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Hause 1b	5	2	1	10	1	1
Scofield 2b & c	5	1	1	3	4	2
Krusch, 3b	5	2	2	0	1	2
Rogers, lf & 2b	5	1	1	2	2	1
Nauman, cf	5	1	2	3	0	2
Frazier, ss	5	0	1	0	0	4
Gillen, c & p	5	1	0	4	3	0
Kennedy, p & lf	5	1	0	2	1	1
Allen, rf	5	0	0	0	0	1
Totals,	45	9	8	24	12	14

SCORE.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Clinton	0	0	4	0	0	2	1	2	0	—9
Tecumseh	1	1	9	0	2	3	1	2	1	—20

Two-base hits—Wheelan, Spaulding, Kennedy, Cutting, Hughes, Scofield, Rogers. Three-base hits—Wheelan 2. Stolen bases—Spaulding, Lewis, Cutting, Hause, Gillen 2. Left on bases—Tecumseh 10, Clinton 9. Struck out by Eaglick 10, Kennedy 1, Gillen 1. Umpire, Wm. Ross. Attendance, 150.

What Zoa Phora won't do for ailing women, no medicine will.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mr. Robinson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Wisner report Mrs. John Stout's health as poor.

The cheese factory received 5516 lbs. of milk Monday morning.

Clarence Wisner and Earl Allen drove to Ypsilanti and back Sunday.

The sound of the new whistle at the cheese factory is heard in the land.

Luman Deming, who has been troubled with a bad cough, is a little better.

Hulda Wisner is visiting relatives in Kalamazoo, Calhoun and St. Joseph Co.

There was a meeting of the patrons of the cheese factory last Tuesday night at Clipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher returned to their duties in the Kalamazoo Asylum last Saturday.

The funeral of Mr. Sayers, mother of Mrs. Seymour Love, occurred at Mr. Love's residence May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner returned from their trip last week Thursday, having enjoyed their visit very much.

As Heme Marshall was returning home from the cheese factory Tuesday his horse stumbled, fell and broke his leg; it was then killed.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Alva Baker is calling on friends at Lyons, O., this week.

Our patriotic people will celebrate the glorious fourth of July again as usual this year.

Albert Bassett preaches at the Green school house in Seneca township next Sunday morning.

The new bridge over the Gleason Creek on the town line road will be completed next week.

Mrs. May Harris left this morning for Lyons, Ohio, having found employment in the family of Chas. Potter, at that place.

The continued drouth is working great injury to wheat, oats and meadows in this locality, while corn, potatoes and other crops do not seem to feel the effects of it much as yet.

Miss Carrie Otto, of Jackson, Mich., has been holding meetings at the Free Methodist church the past week and is meeting with good success, and we hope she will conclude to continue them for some time to come.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Have you seen the seniors' invitations? They are dandies.

Aunt Laura Haviland preached at the Friends' church last Sunday.

Clyde Salkeld visited the Sem. Saturday and Henry Bourns Sunday afternoon.

Several examinations will be arranged for this week so as to lighten the work of next.

Baccalaureate at the Friends' church next Sunday evening by Rev. E. Yager, of Saline, Mich.

The Christian Endeavor social at R. Glenn's last Saturday evening was the source of a good deal of ice cream and enjoyment for all present.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Onsted has her Gala Day June 15th.

Miss Ada Park has come home for one week.

Chas. Marshall has his new house nearly enclosed.

Library social at Mrs. Warren Seger's Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fosdick is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. David R. Smith.

Humphrey Griffin had a horse hurt very badly by jumping over a Page fence last week.

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Ohio is disposed to rub it in on Gov. McKinley. During his last attack of absence from the State they lynched another man out there.

Mr. G. A. Stillson, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes, August 10th, 1891: "Clinic Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I, myself, am able to testify to its merits. My face to-day is a living picture of health, and Clinic Kidney Cure has made it such. I had suffered twenty-seven years with the disease, and to-day I feel ten years younger than I did one year ago. I can obtain some wonderful certificates of its medical qualities. Sold by Orr & Temple. June

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If you miss a friend for a day or two on the streets, likely as not you will find his name in the sailing list of some Atlantic steamer. Europe ought to take her census this summer—all America's going abroad.

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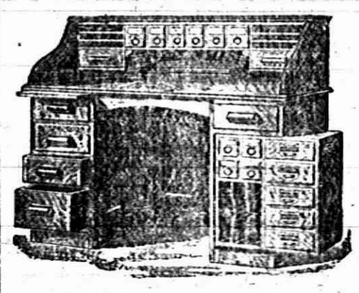

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

...mencement week at Britton.

...B. Collins was in Tecumseh Satur-

...O. Shepherd, of Rigo, was in town ...day.

...D. VanNocker was in Ossted Fri- ...on business.

...D. W. Lorec took the Wabash for ...roit Monday.

...he hay crop is reported very slim, ...on the prairie.

...ve Hause visited his parents and ...ds in Britton the first of the week.

...ill Rothfus, of Blissfield, was talk- ...with Britton friends last Tuesday.

...ant Osterhout welcomed a new visi- ...to their family circle Friday. It ...s girl.

...D. Kinney, of Adrian, sacked and ...ped his wool from Jno. Britton's ...this week.

...ndershot tent was well represented ...nnee last Tuesday and a royal ...is reported.

...ill Osgood was fishing up at the ...s the first of the week. We were ...le to ascertain the extent of the ...h.

...J. Clark was in La Port, Ind., the ...of the week, where Mrs. Clark has ...attending her mother for some ...Mr. C. reports a gradual improve- ...in the patient.

...Council of Oriental Princes, ...it was to have met to-night, have ...poned their meeting to next week ...day, June 20. The candidates ...not bring their goats, as only those ...be used which were trained in the ...d lodge of Egypt.

...e Britton Journal of last week pub- ...s the dissolution notice of the ...rtnership of Jno. Britton, M. D. ...on, L. V. Hoagland, S. Kniffin, E. ...endershot and W. J. Clark. The ...ness of the Exchange Bank will ...after be conducted by L. C. and L. ...Hoagland.

...r. VanNocker is determined to spare ...ano expense in fitting up his ...ace in first-class shape for business. ...s week a twelve foot addition is be- ...built on the east side and a raised ...eway on the south side. The side- ...k is also being laid back to the ...ding and all will soon be in readi- ...to do business.

...eep dogs have made a bloody raid ...e fold and last Monday night they ...d and maimed about 18 head for ...Linton and Lewis Swick. Beside ...estruction to property, it is a most ...l sight to see a defenceless flock ...led by bloodthirsty curs, and it is ...hoped that the canines can be de- ...d and put out of the way at once.

...B. Leonardson, F. A. Brown, Ben ...er and Vern Biggs went to Milan ...esday to witness the game between ...anti and Milan. The game was a ...interesting and exciting match, ...iting in the following score in favor ...Milan: Milan 10, Ypsilanti ...s—Milan, Moffitt, Eaglick and ...dham; Ypsilanti, Warner, Holly ...Kirk.

...we go to press with this side the ...nual reunion of Co. F, 26th Michi- ...is being held in the pleasant ...e at the home of Lieu't Jno. Brit- ...one of the best known veterans of ...company. These reunions have ...made very popular and are usual- ...ttended by members from various ...ts of Michigan and neighboring ...s. A more complete notice will be ...e next week.

...e contest between Britton and Te- ...seh at Dundee, at the Maccabee ...ration last Tuesday was marked ...ather poor, or at least unfortunate ...ts on the part of both teams. Neith- ...arris or Fitzgerald did the work ...h usually characterizes them in the ...Especially was this true of the ..., who was in no shape to pitch and ...relieved by Biggs in the 6th. Had ...taken the box even at the begin- ...of the 6th, the Giants would un- ...tedly have easily won. The sup- ...was none of the best on either side, ...given by Tecumseh to their battery ...unusually ragged. Following are ...particulars of the game: Runs, Te- ...seh, 17; Britton, 14; hits off Harris, ...Fitzgerald, 10; struck out by Har- ...8; by Fitzgerald, 6; Biggs, 3; base ...off Harris, 2; off Fitzgerald, 7.

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...little girl had diarrhœa, in a ...e form. We tried everything ...n't think of but without effect. ...got Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild ...erry, which helped her right ...Mrs. Ann Horgman, Verban, ...unty, Mich." 1w

HOLLOWAY HASH.

This is fourth of July weather.

Miss Fan Kelley spent Sunday at home.

Miss Agnes E. Still spent Sunday at home.

Miss Stella Anthony was a caller in town Thursday morning.

Mrs. L. C. and C. E. Winship drove over to Adrian Wednesday.

Chas. Sutherland, of Adrian, is visiting Cassie and Forest Florance.

Mrs. Bert Carpenter and Etta C. were callers in Tecumseh Tuesday last.

Misses Bertha Britton and Belle Rupp were callers in town Sunday afternoon.

Several ladies of this place attended the services at the Reform School at Adrian.

The ladies social meets at Mrs. A. D. Macham's Friday afternoon. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Camburn, of Adrian, were guests of Hon. Horace Holdredge last Sunday.

Mrs. Snow, of Montpelier, Ohio, is stopping with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Holt, at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Macham and Brown and wife attended the social at A. Richard's in Tecumseh.

C. T. Ratts, the popular young creamery man, has changed his abode to the home of Benj. Kelly.

Mrs. Dora Bowen attended church here Sunday and was a guest of her mother, Mrs. D. P. Anthony.

Dr. Nixon has his buggy painted up in fine shape and it looks very nice. The young ladies admire it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hoadley, Darius Fisher and Miss May Bennett, of Fairfield, visited G. McClenathen and wife Sunday.

A. D. Macham sports a fine new surrey and can put on style as well as anyone, and takes the dust of no man these days.

Hartman's ice cream parlors were thronged with visitors and they disposed of ten gallons to the public Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Florence Spencer has a fine new bicyle, a present from her father, and she makes a fine appearance as she is a graceful rider.

Children's day was observed at the church. The exercises were good and the decorations of flags, bunting and flowers were beautiful.

Married, Miss Ida Ball and Mr. Sam Boyd. They will make their future home in Kalamazoo, where Mr. Boyd has a position in the asylum.

F. G. Florance has Vienna bread to sell, fresh from the bakery. Also, a very fine line of sweet cucumber pickles. He solicites your patronage.

What's the matter of Holloway having a celebration the fourth of July? Let the citizens take hold of the affair and have a rousing old fashioned celebration.

The Maccabees give a memorial address at their hall Sunday afternoon, June 16, in honor of their departed friends. L. C. Chase delivers the address.

Miss Addie Bethel, a former operator in this place, was married Monday evening to a Mr. Rick, an engineer of the Wabash road. They reside in Montpelier, Ohio.

The new store which started here this spring is doing a good business. Mr. and Mrs. Hartman are courteous to all and treat people in a way that draws trade. Success to them in their enterprise.

The Grahamtown school held their reunion at the home of Allen Kelley and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Aunt Laura Haviland met with them once more, and may she live to enjoy lots more reunions.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Working on the road is in order at present.

D. W. Smith made a flying trip to the county seat Tuesday.

Ernest Baker, of Azalia, made his annual visit on Children's day.

C. L. and Mrs. Lowe attended the flower mission at Adrian, Saturday.

George Pocklington is repairing his barn and putting on a gamble roof.

Grass and oats begin to show the effect of the continued dry weather.

Wheat is heading out but unless rain comes soon the head will be very short.

Willie Fletcher now rides a new Wisconsin light roadster pneumatic safety.

Miss Beelmer, of Harvey, Ills., visited at Daniel Linn's a part of last week.

James Barlow and Mane Hendershot took in the excursion to Toledo, Sunday.

Frank and James Pocklington began Houseman's new horse-barn Wednesday morning.

R. S. Houseman received a car load of stone to use for the wall to his new

Mrs. Nettie Beagle, of Jackson, is visiting her father, Wm. Barrett, Jr., for a few days.

Some of the young folks attended the Children's day exercises at Britton, Sunday morning.

Several of the Britton friends attended the Children's day entertainment here Sunday evening.

J. O. Shepard, C. W. Culbertson, T. H. Temple and W. B. Arner were Adrian visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith and Wm. Larkins attended the Maccabee anniversary at Dundee, Tuesday.

Guy Coe and Henry Pullen, of Milan, took dinner at the Miller House, Sunday. They made the trip on their wheels.

The exercises given by the Sabbath school on Sunday evening passed off very nicely and the attendance as usual was large.

Alfred Putnam, wife and children, of Milan, came up on their wheels Sunday and spent the day with their aunt, Mrs. John Arner.

Loana Davidson was passing friendly greetings with her friends here Sunday having returned from Traverse City for her vacation.

Some farmers have had to cultivate up their corn fields and fit them and plant again as the cut-worms destroyed the first planting.

The graduates are Fern DePuy, Guy Pocklington and Gertie Boyd. The commencement exercises will be held in the auditorium of the church on Friday evening.

Some of the old "maids" of the village, being somewhat along in years, and longing for some sort of amusement, have organized and Old "Maids'" Club, and will serve ice cream each Saturday evening during the hot months, on the Miller House lawn, at 10cts. a dish. Music will be furnished to make the occasion interesting and enjoyable.

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We have no news that David B. Hill's attack on uncle John Sherman has produced any ill effects on the old Ohio war horse. And in these anxious moments no news is good news.

THE RAISIN INSTITUTE.

The Eleventh Annual Reunion of the Alumni, Held on Tuesday June 6th.

The annual reunion exercises of the old Raisin Institute or "Graham School," as it was once called, are looked forward to with much interest by the graduates of that institution. This year the reunion was held at Mr. Allen Kelley's, near Holloway in the town of Raisin. It is a beautiful place for a gathering of this kind and the day was perfect. Guests began to arrive early in the forenoon, and when the dinner hour had arrived, eighty-five were in attendance.

The time till noon was given to the hearty handshake, renewal of old acquaintance and reminiscences of the past.

The central figure was the founder of the institute, Mrs. Laura Haviland, or "Aunt Laura," as she is familiarly called, hale and hearty, with a laugh joyous enough to [illegible] most chronic case of "blues," and which tells us that the hand of time rests lightly on this "Mother in Israel," who has reached the ripe age of 86.

Precisely at 12 the guests were invited to the lawn, where a bountiful repast had been spread, to which ample justice was done, after which they adjourned to the spacious parlors, where the following program was carried out:

Music—"America," by W. E. Doty and others.

Prayer by Rev. Stead.

In the absence of the president, who was to have given the annual address, the Rev. L. C. Chase was called upon, and made a few timely remarks on the benefit of these reunions, paying a high tribute of respect to "Aunt Laura," whom he regarded as having done much to mould for good the character of many present.

"The last Olcott year," by Mrs. Julia Knight-Edwards, was a production of much worth.

Letters from absent students were then read.

The committee on memorial chronicled the death, since the last meeting, of the following members: Mr. F. C. Rector, Mrs. Katie Hoag-Cook, Mrs. Louise Cobb-Taggart, Mrs. Anna West-Wilson and Mr. Otis Smith.

The committee on program reported the following for the year 1896:

Address by the president.

"The Rood administration," by Rev. S. B. Smith, of Grand Rapids.

"The students of Adrian," by W. H. Knight.

"Poem," by Mr. T. S. Applegate.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Knight were appointed a committee on music.

Mr. Horace Holdridge, Mrs. Walter Fuller and Miss Carrie Colvin were appointed a committee on resolutions for 1896.

The program committee for 1896 will be Mrs. Eliza Holdridge-Camburn, Mr. E. G. Wilson, and Mr. Everett Torrey.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—J. B. Colvin.

Vice Pres.—Mrs. Eliza Holdridge-Camburn.

Sec. and Treas.—Cicero Torrey.

The benediction, by Aunt Laura, closed the exercises, and the guests were then served with ice cream. Then with a fervent good-bye the guests departed, feeling that another "oasis in the desert of life," another reunion of the students of Raisin Institute was an event of the past.

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CHILDREN'S SUNDAY.

One of the most beautiful customs observed in the entire church calendar is the celebration of Children's Sunday, and our societies and Sunday-Schools so fully realize this fact that they spare no pains to make it a day emblematic of the pure hopeful little lives for whose edification it has been established. Last Sunday was children's day all over this broad land but in the custom, in Tecumseh at least, it did not live up and exceed the blessing of such pretty and inspiring exercises as the event calls forth that each and all may have the pleasure of the occasion efforts. Accordingly the Sunday-schools of the Presbyterian, Universalist and Baptist churches observed last Sunday, while the Methodists, Episcopalians and Friends will hold the programs next Sabbath.

In the Baptist church the exercises were held in place of evening service at the usual hour of 7:30. The program consisted of recitations, responses and music, in the most part rendered by the children of the school, the regular choir singing the opening piece and Rev. H. A. Smith pronouncing the benediction at the close. Perhaps the feature of the evening might be said to be an emblematic piece of dialogue entitled "The Fountain of Life," in which the Pilgrim, Miss Blanche Taylor, was seeking life and peace. The weary seeker was offered the emoluments of education, ambition, wealth and music but was only satisfied when Mercy proffered the blessings of immortal life as represented by the cross. Rev. G. E. Rowe made a short address to the school most appropriate to the occasion. The church was decorated with wild flowers, ferns and vines.

The Presbyterians gave the time of the regular morning service to their program which was listened to by a very large audience of attentive observers and listeners, for when the children of the Presbyterian Sunday-school speak everybody looks and listens. As usual on such occasions here the children rendered most of the program, consisting of recitations, special exercises, music etc. The music was a prominent feature this year and it is unnecessary to comment upon the singing of the children when they all sing together. Of course the flowers played an important part in the affair and all in all it was carried out in a manner highly creditable to the standing of the school.

At the Universalist church the pastor gave an address to the children in the morning, and at the close of the regular service four little ones received the rite of baptism. In the evening a Sunday-school concert was given consisting of music, recitations, declamations, etc., in which both children and adults acquitted themselves with much credit. The violin solo and address by the pastor were very fine and added much to the interest of the program. Mr Andrus is entitled to more than the usual amount of credit for the good work he has accomplished during his brief pastorate. The Sunday-school is nicely started and in a healthy condition. The floral decorations were elaborate and beautiful and most tastefully arranged.

Tecumseh Weather.

Below is the Herald weather report for week ending Wednesday, June 12, 1895, as recorded by B. L. Baxter:

June,	6 Thursday	5 a.m.	48°	2 p.m.	70°
"	7, Friday	"	48	"	80
"	8, Saturday	"	48	"	86
"	9, Sunday	"	64	"	90
"	10, Monday	5 a.m.	64	"	94
"	11, Tuesday	"	60	"	94
"	12, Wednesday	"	62	"	78

A fine shower about 7 p. m., running it down to 70 degrees; kept no measure but think nearly 1-2 inches of water fell.

Every Day.

Excursion rates to the Virginias and the Southeast are in effect upon the Ohio Central lines; through trains daily between Toledo and Charleston, W. Va., via Columbus. This is the shortest and most direct route. Consult agents O. C. Lines.

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Some Unpleasant Facts.

The policy of the State of Michigan in respect to the liquor traffic is now pretty clearly defined. In 1887 a constitutional amendment was submitted to the people and defeated. Well-formulated charges of fraud in connection with the counting of ballots were presented to the legislature and were promptly shoved away into pigeon holes, never to see the light again. In 1895 the legislature refused to submit another amendment and refused to pass a bill prohibiting treating. It raised saloon licenses to $500, the purpose being, according to the organ of the party in power, to "preserve the saloon rather than destroy it." On the junketing trip to the upper peninsula the legislative train carried intoxicating drinks at public expense, and members of the legislature were seen to go into saloons by sleigh loads in a certain town in northern Michigan. With a single exception, these law-makers were all of one political faith and were all overwhelmingly elected to their positions. They may be supposed to have represented the sentiments of the voters. During the past quarter-century the drift of sentiment and legislation in this state has been away from prohibition. This fact cannot be denied, whatever the causes may be. Nor can the present conditions be ignored, whatever complaints may be made by a few, and whatever remedies may be proposed by the minority. The truth is that this commonwealth is fostering the liquor traffic and coolly ignoring radical temperance sentiment. Unless some method is devised to bring prohibitionists together for concerted action and to create a balance of power, nothing good may ever be expected from the politicians. The party press will continue to ridicule, or at least to misrepresent prohibition, some because they are opposed to the idea, and others because they wish to please the liquor element. These misrepresentations will continue to have weight with the masses of voters who prefer party to principle, and no reform may be expected. These are cold facts. One class of good people may blame another class of people for this unfortunate state of affairs, but while they are berating each other the liquor devil will retain his grip upon the lawmakers, and upon the makers of those who make the law, and nothing practical or sensible will be done.

Temperance.

There are 32,000 liquor shops in Paris and 425,000 in the departments, one to every 85 inhabitants.

The legislature of New Mexico has enacted a law prohibiting the sale of tobacco in any form to minors.

The government of Canada has prohibited the sale of intoxicants among the Indians of Hudson Bay territory and punishes severely any violation of this law.

Alarmed at the ravages of strong drink, the Belgian government has ordered the display in all school-rooms of a printed placard setting forth the injurious effects of alcohol.

State control of the liquor traffic is to be tried on a large scale in Russia. In the government of Perm Uta, Orenburg and Samara, in east Russia, drinks are to be sold only by the state.

The conversion of Sir William Vernon Harcourt to temperance views is largely due to the influence of his wife. Lady Harcourt is the daughter of the American historian, John Lothrop Motley.

Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, says he wishes to be counted among those who do not mean to give up the attempt to rescue the cities and towns of that state from the vice of dram-drinking and dram-selling.

The liquor dealears of New York now blame Mayor Strong for the failure to enact Sunday opening laws. They say he favored it and recommended them to try the experiment of keeping open saloons on Sundays, and that this stirred up the Sabbatarians and temperance men all over the state, and that representatives at Albany have been so deluged with petitions and protests and remonstrances that they dare not vote to submit the matter of Sunday opening to a vote of the people.

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The giants passed through here Tuesday night to play the M. C.'s at Jackson Wednesday.

Last Tuesday was a hot day for accidents. Schofield got a straight punch in the neck, Waring a hot rib-roaster, and Spaulding a sprained ankle.

Tecumseh is being treated today to a regular game between the leading nines of the state and we sincerely hope that she will turn out a crowd commensurate with the courtesy shown by the management in bringing the game to this town.

The game in the near future will be the long looked for contest between the Cigar Roller Cots and the Hollow Ware Giants, which has been fixed for tomorrow. There is much rivalry between these popular teams and a fight to the finish may be looked for. This will be [illegible]

Last Saturday seemed to be a hoodoo for the nines which were contesting in old Lenawee. The game at Adrian between the Adrian League and the dusky Giants resulted in 20 to 10 for the Giants; at Briton, Britton vs. Cone, 15 to 16 for Britton, and at Tecumseh the home team got 20 to Clinton's 9. The aggregate of these scores would indicate a rather bad day for the diamond.

The game at the Maccabee celebration at Dundee Tuesday was also rather ragged, considering the work heretofore done by the nines engaged. The score given below tells how the game went:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	BH	E
Tecumseh...	1	3	0	1	7	4	0	1	*	17	14	8
Britton.....	4	0	0	1	2	3	0	2	2	14	12	5

Batteries—Harris and Scofield; Fitzgerald, Biggs and Lowe. Earned runs, Britton 5, Tecumseh 10; 2 base hits, Grayson 2, Cutting, Lee, Lewis; stolen bases, Scofield 3, Grayson 2, Cutting, Whelan; base in balls, off Harris 2; off Fitzgerald 7; wild pitch, Harris 1, Fitzgerald 3; struck out by Harris 13, by Fitzgerald 6, by Biggs 3. Umpire, Wm. Ross. Time, 2:30.

A very good game was played yesterday between the North Adrian club and the first nine of Tecumseh with three high school boys in as substitutes. Harris pitched one inning, played on first base and at shot, all in excellent form. Kennedy and Pennington pitched the rest of the game with Grayson behind the plate. Ryan and Derby constituted the battery for the visitors and the whole team averaged a good, lively game, playing ball the entire time. The score was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tecumseh.....	0	2	3	4	3	0	0	2	*	—14
North Adrian.....	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	—11

Home run, Harris; 3 base hits, Harris; 2 base hits, Whelan, Harris 2, Aten, Tripp, Derby; struck out by Derby 7, by Pennington 3 Harris 2, Kennedy 1.

The game between Clinton and Tecumseh last Saturday afternoon was hardly up to the mark which has been previously set by these clubs. Clinton, especially, seemed to be suffering from indisposition, and the home team did not play the game that they have heretofore put up, though Easlick and Lewis, the battery from Lake Ridge, did a very good job from start to finish. The features of the game, outside of poor playing, were two three-base hits by Whelan, Cutting's two-bagger in the 6th with three men on bases, and Nauman's excellent work in centre field for Clinton. The umpiring was entirely satisfactory to both teams. The score was as follows:

TECUMSEH.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Whelan, 1b.....	6	2	3	10	0	1
Spaulding, ss.....	6	2	3	2	4	2
Lewis, c.....	6	3	0	9	2	1
Kennedy, cf.....	6	4	3	0	0	0
Hicks, 3b.....	6	3	2	3	3	2
Cutting, 2b.....	6	1	3	2	2	1
Easlick, p.....	6	1	2	1	1	0
Grayson, rf.....	6	3	1	0	1	1
Hughes, lf.....	6	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	51	20	19	27	14	9

CLINTON

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Hause 1b.....	5	2	1	10	1	1
Scofield, 2b & c.....	5	1	1	3	4	2
Keusch, 3b.....	5	2	2	0	1	2
Rogers, lf & 2b.....	5	1	1	2	2	1
Nauman, cf.....	5	1	2	3	0	2
Frazier, ss.....	5	0	1	0	0	4
Gilleo, c & p.....	5	1	0	4	3	0
Kennedy, p & lf.....	5	1	0	2	1	1
Allen, rf.....	5	0	0	0	0	1
Totals,	45	9	8	24	12	14

SCORE.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Clinton.....	0	0	4	0	0	2	1	2	0	—9
Tecumseh.....	1	1	9	0	3	3	1	2	*	—20

Two-base hits—Wheelan, Spaulding, Kennedy, Cutting, Hughes, Scofield, Rogers. Three-base hits—Wheelan 2. Stolen bases—Spaulding, Lewis, Cutting, Hause, Gillen 2. Left on bases—Tecumseh 10, Clinton 9. Struck out by Easlick 10, Kennedy 1, Gillen 1. Umpire, Wm. Ross. Attendance, 150.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Miss Matilda Muetschel, late preceptress of the west side schools at Hudson and who has accepted a like position at Flint for next year, was the guest of Miss Flora Hartbeck Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Hardenburgh left home Monday for a trip up the lakes on the propeller Marquette. She will be the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Chilson and will be gone probably about ten days.

At the Friends' church next Sabbath, regular service will be held in the morning and brief children's exercises in place of Sabbath school. No service in the evening, as the congregation will unite in the union services.

Mrs. R. C. Van Antwerp has disposed of her ice cream and restaurant business to Robt. Moir who takes possession soon. Mrs. Van has successfully catered to the people of Tecumseh for many years and though her many friends will miss her at the old stand, they rejoice that her business has fallen into good hands.

Next week will be pretty well filled with "doings." The Tecumseh School Commencement will take place the 20th and the Alumni meeting on the 21st. The Raisin Valley Commencement and the Farmers' Union Picnic will be held on the 21st. The Farmers' Social club and the T. and F. club will hold their picnics on the 22d.

The Tecumseh High School Commencement will take place next Thursday evening at Sutton's opera house. The class is one of the best that ever left the High School, and a program of extra merit may be expected. There are ten graduates—five young men and five young ladies. The invitations were sent out several days ago, and a crowded house is a certainty. Keep that evening clear of all other engagements.

The home of M. E. Lamkin, on section 32, in Raisin township, was totally destroyed by fire about 6 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. Lamkin arose started a fire in the kitchen stove, and then returned to bed. A short time afterward Mr. and Mrs. Lamkin were startled to hear a crackling sound, and hurrying out of bed they found the kitchen to be in flames. A good share of the contents were saved, but they were badly damaged. The house was insured in the Farmers' Mutual for $200 and the contents for $500.

OBITUARY.

MRS. JOHN BLESSING.

At her home in Tecumseh, at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, Mrs. John Blessing passed away at the age of 52 years. She was born in Yorkshire, N. Y., Aug. 1, 1842, and was married to Mr. John Blessing Jan. 25, 1858. Five children were born to them, three boys and two girls, all of whom are living to mourn the loss of a kind, loving and affectionate mother. "At sweet rest." Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. James Hageman at the house Monday, June 3, at 4 o'clock p. m. The surviving children wish to extend their thanks to those who so kindly assisted them in their time of affliction.

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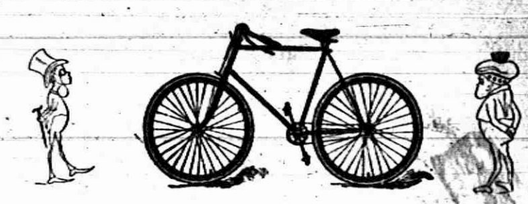

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PROPOSALS WANTED.—The Village of Tecumseh, Mich., will receive sealed proposals up to 12 o'clock noon of June 25, 1895, for building two stone abutments for bridge over the River Raisin, in Brownville, and furnishing the material, labor, excavating, etc., therefor. Plans and specifications may be seen on and after June 15, 1895, at the office of the clerk of the village. All proposals shall be delivered to said clerk. The council of said village reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
June 14, 1895. Village Clerk.

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ADRIAN MICH.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.—The building committee of the Reformed Church of Macon are now ready to receive sealed bids for the construction of stone foundation, wall and chimney of the building. Plans and specifications will be on file after June 8th at the office of Dr. W. S. Morden, Macon, Mich., for inspection. Those receiving bids limited to June 22nd; and the committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
W. S. MORDEN,
Chairman of Committee.

$10 REWARD.—I will pay the above reward to any person that will furnish evidence that will lead to the conviction of the boys that broke the windows in the buildings on my Patterson farm. N. M. SUTTON. tf

BARGAIN—A brand new Crusader wheel, fitted for lady or gentleman, can be bought at half price. For particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

STRAYED—A small gelding came to my enclosure about ten days ago. Owner can recover same by proving property and paying charges. C. H. WHITE.
Tecumseh, Mich. May 24, 1895.

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FOR SALE.—One of the best farms in Lenawee county. Good buildings and well fenced. Will sell for half what it cost, or trade. Don't write, but come and see me, two miles east of Tecumseh. JOSEPH E. GRAY.
Tecumseh, Mich.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 14, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Beautiful June weather.

Avery, the Grocer, has a change of ad this week.

Mrs. Jno. A. Hughes was an Adrian visitor Monday.

Mrs. W. James, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

Albert Baker is visiting with Roy Depew in Detroit this week.

Will McDaniels has been visiting his mother in Brownville this week.

Thos. R. Kyle acted as official starter at the Brooklyn races last Saturday.

Mrs. Holloway and wife, of Adrian dined at Wm. Steinhoff's the last of week.

Geo. Armstrong, wife and daughter, were the guests of Alva Spayde's family over Sunday.

We are indebted to Rev L. C. Chase for assistance in our report of the Raisinville Reunion.

J. H. Campbell is selling lots of combination bicycle locks. He has evidently got a good thing.

Mrs. M. Monaghan is again visiting with Tecumseh friends after an extended sojourn in Cambridge.

Remember the Farmers' Social Club picnic will be held Saturday, June 22d. Wampler's Lake. Picnic dinner.

Alva Spayde and wife spent in Evans Lake Tuesday. He took some bait this time and brought home a fine string of fish.

Mrs. Wm. Pilbeam has bought of Montague the house on Logan street recently occupied by Henry Wagner.

C. M. Kennedy and friend Mr. Rogers of Hanover, stopped over here Saturday on a bicycle trip to Saline and Ann Arbor.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will hold their annual basket picnic at Putnam's landing, Sand Lake, Saturday, June 22d.

Mr. Jno. Newburn brought his granddaughter, Miss Ethel, out from Cleveland Monday for a stay with her grandparents in Tecumseh.

The various exercises of commencement at the State Normal, will take place next week after next, beginning Sunday, closing on Wednesday, June 26th.

Next Monday morning there will be no Sunday school in St. Peter's church. Instead at 10 o'clock a children's service will be held, in which several children will be baptized.

Prof. Dewey and wife went to Cambridge Monday to visit friends there for a week or so. He will then return to Washington and his wife will remain for several weeks.

The first bicycle race meet at Tecumseh will be held at Bills' Driving Park, Saturday, June 29th. There will be seven events on the program, to conclude with two bicycle races.

Boxing match at Sutton's opera house this evening.

Mrs. G. D. Perry is visiting at Marshall this week.

Henry Wagner has moved his family into the C. D. Bills house.

Capt. Lawrence is again on our streets invigorated from his western trip.

O. P. Bills was at home a portion of last week. He went to Adrian Saturday.

Joe Everett left Monday for Toledo, O. where he has secured a position. Good luck to you, Joe.

As we go to press this afternoon the State league game is in progress at Bills' driving park.

James Updyke has solved the egg puzzle. There were just 301 eggs in the old woman's basket.

Mrs. C. D. Bills and children departed for their future home in Chicago the fore part of the week.

Drs. Jenkins and Catlin visited the University city Tuesday, and they report the attendance and general bearing of the students as steadily improving.

The Alumni of the West Side School at Hudson had a notable gathering last week, the poet Will M. Carlton being present and taking a part in the program.

The sixth annual meeting of the Michigan Woman's Press Association was held this week at Lansing, beginning Tuesday and ending Friday. An interesting program was presented.

A beautiful art supplement, representing "Trilby" was given away with last Sunday's Free Press. A similar supplement will be given with next Sunday's paper, entitled "Trilby hypnotized."

The well known features of our former townsman, Jno. R. Clark, appears in the Bay View Assembly Magazine. He is down for four of his popular lectures, it being the 19th Chautauqua assembly at which he has appeared.

The Raisin Valley Commencement will be held on Friday of next week, June 21st at ten o'clock a. m., and the Alumni meeting will take place in the afternoon at two o'clock. There are nine members in the graduating class.

Claude VanTyne expects to start soon after the commencement at Ann Arbor on a bicycle tour of Europe. He will visit France, Switzerland, Germany and Spain. He will take "notes on the way" and the readers of the HERALD will have the pleasure of perusing an occasional letter from his pen.

Hillsdale has a lady century rider. Mrs. S. Soney with her husband on Thursday last made a century run of 103 miles on their wheels to Tecumseh and return. This is rather a difficult feat for even a man to perform—whether he wears bloomers or not.—Hillsdale Democrat.

The graduates of the class of '95 will take diplomas in the following courses:
Latin—Henry C. Calhoun, Mattie E. Caldwell, Howard Whelan, Alice J. Temple, Francis M. Stead.
Scientific—Ora B. Gillespie, Clarence B. Hurry, Pauline R. Wilson, Thomas E. Caldwell.
English—Alice L. Cutting.

To-morrow, Saturday, the first trotting matinee of the season will be given by the Onsted Driving Club. A fine program of races has been arranged. People can go from here on the Mackinaw at nine o'clock in the forenoon and return at five p. m. and take in the whole show.

The Michigan Annual L. A. W. Meet will take place at Battle Creek, July 22 and 23, 1895, with $3,000 worth of prizes offered for class A and B riders. The program lists a ten mile road race with 15 prizes and other events of special interest covering the two day's sport. The Battle Creek Cycle Association are hustlers and guarantee rare sport to all wheelmen.

James Lowry and wife leave home tomorrow for their Atlantic trip. They expect to leave New York on the 19th on the White Star steamer Majestic. May they have a smooth voyage across the pond, a pleasant visit and a safe return. Mr. Lowry has been closely confined to his business for many years, and he has earned a few weeks' respite from work. That he may enjoy them is the wish of his friends.

Ladies should read carefully the advertisement headed "Tea Club Orders." They may procure either a 100 piece English Dinner Set, or a 12 piece English Bedroom Set, by getting up a club. This is an excellent opportunity. The offer is made to introduce his teas and baking powder to the readers of this paper. For full particulars write or call on A. Beesch, Importer of Teas, 613 Summit St., Toledo, O.

While the Rev. Blachford was attending the convention in Ann Arbor last week, he met Mr. David Galatian of Detroit, and Mr. Peter Galatian of Ann Arbor, two sons of the late Dr. Peter Galatian, who lived in Tecumseh from 1841 to 1842. Dr. Galatian conducted the first Episcopal church service held in Tecumseh, the place being his own home where the service was for the benefit of his family. Soon others joined, and from that time St. Peter's congregation grew. The Doctor and his wife were the first communicants. Mr. David Galatian gave to Mr. Blachford the photographs of his father and mother, suitably framed, which are to be placed in the vestry room of St. Peter's church. Mr. David VanTine is the only member of the present congregation who remembers having seen these first Episcopalians of Tecumseh.

We will not celebrate.

Adrian vs Lansing this afternoon.

Be sure to see the Hollow-Ware ants cross bats with the Cigar Roller Colts.

H. E. Stout was an Adrian visitor yesterday.

Walter Burridge is in Lansing to-day on legal business.

The boxing contest at the opera house comes off to-night.

Try Burtis, the new barber, for your next hair cut or shave.

Mrs. H. L. Crane, who is visiting at Theo. Crane's, is ill with malarial fever.

Seth Goodwin, Esq., of Detroit, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Slayton.

The league clubs which are to play to-day drove over from Adrian this forenoon.

Remember the Tecumseh High School Commencement on Thursday evening, June 20th.

The commencement exercises of both the Ridgeway and Britton schools take place this evening.

Do not forget that the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church are serving ice cream at the church this evening.

The Stimpson Computing Scale Co. of Tecumseh have filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary State.

Miss Josephine Case, who teaches music in the Hudson schools, was the guest of Rev. C. M. Brown's family Tuesday.

Mrs. Traver and Miss Beamish returned to Toledo Monday from a visit with Mrs. S. Shutt and other friends here.

T. J. Woodward and children Ray and Hazel of Elkhart, Ind. have been visiting his sister Miss Hattie this week.

A children's service will be held at St. Peter's church next Sunday at 4 o'clock instead of the regular Sunday school.

Rev. J. P. Varner will give the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class next Sunday evening at the M. E. church.

Herbert Baker has accepted a position in the clothing store of J. K. Goosman of Toledo, and will begin his duties next week.

Mrs. T. A. Buechner and son Arno returned to Battle Creek to-day after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross.

Mrs. W. H. Rutson, Mrs. Frank H. Saxton, Mrs. Sam Mettler and Mrs. Judge Powell were guests of Mrs. A. W. Slayton on Thursday.

Miss Helen E. Anderson has arrived home from Vassar, for the summer vacation. She is much pleased with her experience there thus far.

Palmer Hamilton and wife of Elkhart are spending this week among their Ridgeway and Tecumseh friends. He came out to the Co. F. reunion at Britton yesterday.

Among the Tecumseh people at the Britton reunion yesterday we noticed Mrs. S. W. Anderson, Mrs. Primrose, and many others. The old vets of Co. F. were all there.

The HERALD acknowledges a pleasant call from Mrs. E. C. Stinson, of Kalamazoo, formerly Mrs. Judge Hoag. She is enjoying her few days' visit in Tecumseh very much.

The Clinton Commencement exercises were held at the Town Hall last evening, when a fine program was given to a crowded house. Their Alumni reunion will be held this evening.

The unjust don't always get rain when good people do. Last Wednesday, the heavy shower which we enjoyed extended only just beyond the corporation in every direction.

The Farmers' Union will hold their annual picnic in Davidson's grove, on Friday, June 21, at ten o'clock a. m. Dinner at noon, after which will be presented the following program:
Invocation—Rev. Stead.
Music—By the Union.
Paper—Womans' Dress—Fern DePuy.
Oration—Lon O'Mealy.
Recitation—Bertha Smeltzer.
Paper—Dress Reform—Loana Davidson.
Music—Raisin Juveniles.
Recitation—Leora Boyd.
Everybody invited. Bring along your picnic baskets.

The reunion of the Tecumseh High School Alumni will take place at the Lilley House on Friday evening June 21st. The following literary program will be presented:—
Prayer—Rev. C. M. Brown.
Music.
Welcome to Class of '95—Thos. H. Temple.
Response—President Class of '95.
Music.
Poem—Miss Grace Gillespie.
Oration—Dr. Geo. Howell.
History Class of '87—W. E. Finch.
Music.
There will follow a banquet with toasts and responses.

The laying of the corner stone of the Reformed church of Britton will take place on Tuesday next, June 18th, at 2 p. m. The following is the program:—
Salutation and Prayer—Rev. J. I. Gulick, Macon.
Singing—Choir.
Scripture Reading—Rev. H. Cansfield, Ridgeway.
Laying Corner-stone—Rev. Sipko Rederus, Britton.
Reading Apostles Creed—Rev. C. M. Brown, Tecumseh.
Singing—Children of School.
Address—Rev. Chas. Sonnerma, Centerville.
Remarks—Rev. J. I. Gulick, Macon.
Prayer—Rev. E. Mudge, Britton.
Benediction—Rev. Sipko Rederus, Pastor.

The Karner brothers were last Monday suddenly summoned to the bedside of their sister Mrs. Mathew Rokklau, at Riga, whom they had seen the day before in good health. Death came however, before they arrived, the sufferer passing away about 5 o'clock. The death seems very sad as the deceased leaves a husband and large family of children.

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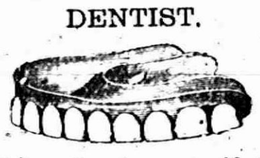

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FURIOUS FLAMES.

They Cause a Loss of Over $300,000 in Kalamazoo.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 10.—Fire Sunday afternoon destroyed the extensive lumber yard and sash, door and blind factory of Dewing & Sons and several frame and brick blocks. Dewing's loss will be over $100,000, with $75,000 insurance. The total loss will be over $300,000. The fire broke out at 3:45 o'clock in the lumber in the yard next to the immense box factory and in an incredibly short time the whole factory was in flames and at 5:30 the brick walls fell in. The blaze then began to appear over the roofs of the buildings on the east side of Burdick street, between Kalamazoo avenue and the Michigan Central tracks. All those business blocks, except a two-story brick store owned by Lawrence Luby, at the corner of Kalamazoo avenue and Burdick street, are practically or totally destroyed. The buildings totally or nearly destroyed are:

Buildings Burned.

Murphy's brick block, owned and occupied by Edward Murphy as a saloon and residence; story and a half brick building owned and occupied by Columbus Reisterer as a saloon and residence; story and a half brick block, owned by John Bommerscheim and occupied by him as a saloon and residence; brick building owned and occupied by Frank Wagner as a saloon and residence; frame building owned by Lawrence Luby and occupied as a residence by Edward Cagney; the Johnson hotel; the three-story brick owned by Mrs. John D. Johnson; the brick building owned by O'Neill and occupied by the National Cigar company, and F. L. O. Shaughnessy and F. E. McGlinon buildings.

Bommerschlem has $5,000 insurance, O'Neill $1,000 and the Johnson hotel $5,000. The contents of nearly all the buildings were saved. Everything was saved from the office of the Dewing & Sons factory. Two small dwellings on North Edwards street were also destroyed.

The firms burned out will at once rebuild. The fire is supposed to have been started by tramps. There was no fire in the engine room or anywhere about the premises. It is the largest fire ever experienced by Kalamazoo, and the fire will throw 150 men out of employment.

WORST CROPS IN YEARS.

Lower Peninsula of Michigan Suffers from the Severe Drought.

LANSING, June 12.—Over the upper peninsula and extreme northern part of the lower peninsula the weather has been very favorable to all growing crops. In the southern half of the state, however, the conditions have been very unfavorable, due to the continued spring drought. All crops except corn have suffered greatly. Wheat and grass shows the continued lack of moisture the most, being thin and having very short straw. Corn is generally reported as growing finely and coming up well, probably due to the fact that it has such a deep root. Altogether the reports received for the past week indicate that the general condition of most crops in the southern part of the state is the worst for some years.

FOR MICHIGAN SILVERITES.

State Convention Called to Meet June 25 at Grand Rapids.

BATTLE CREEK, June 8.—The following call for a state silver convention has been issued:

"The electors of Michigan are hereby called to meet in convention June 25 at Grand Rapids, to effect a state organization on the lines embodied in the address of the American Bimetallic league of March 5 and fight to a successful termination this momentous question. Let every county in the state be represented. Let every silver club send delegates or come in a body. Lastly, let the entire people turn out and prove that Michigan is not behind in this the great question of the day.

"SAMUEL MCKEE, Kalamazoo county.
"F. C. RHEUBOTTOM, Branch county.
"G. W. AYRES, Hillsdale county.
"B. S. PRATT, Eaton county.
"J. M. LITTLE, Calhoun county."

Meeting of Old Settlers.

TRAVERSE CITY, June 6.—The annual meeting of the Old Settlers' association of Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska and Leelanaw counties was held here Wednesday with the largest attendance in its history. A business session was held in the morning, and Perry Hannah was elected president. The afternoon was devoted to reminiscences. Among those present were five who were residents of Michigan when it was a territory, and have lived here ever since.

Died of His Injuries.

ST. JOSEPH, June 9.—Charles Springstein, who was injured by falling into the hold of the steamer City of Louisville Monday, died Saturday night without regaining consciousness. He was one of the managers of the Hotel St. Joseph and was formerly steward of the Chicora. He leaves a wife and two daughters. He has been in the employ of the Graham & Morton Transportation company for years.

Arrested for Swearing.

FLINT, June 10.—John Wood, an old man, who acted as second for Joe Burns in a recent wrestling match with Ed Brown, was so mad over the decision that he attacked the referee before a large crowd on the street in language that would have shocked a pirate. The anti-profanity law was dug out of the dust and used to send the old man to jail for twenty days.

A Bicyclist's Death.

KALAMAZOO, June 12.—Albert J. Monroe succeeded in covering 100 miles on his bicycle. The next day he took a long ride, at the end of which he died suddenly. The coroner's jury found that his death was due to apoplexy brought on by excessive bicycle riding.

Child Burned to Death.

GREENVILLE, June 12.—The three children of Farmer Craig, north of here, attempted to build a bonfire in the barn, and two of them were seriously burned in trying to rescue the youngest, who was burned to death.

Drowned.

BENTON HARBOR, June 11.—Nicholas Broderson, of St. Joseph, fell from a painter's scaffold on the steamer City of Louisville into the canal here and was drowned.

MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Some Items of General Interest from Many Localities.

Mrs. Auna Palmer was elected a member of the school board at Saginaw recently. Five hundred women cast their ballots.

Grand Rapids is to be the scene of a non-partisan bimetallic convention June 25.

An emery wheel burst in a sawmill near Galesburg, and several pieces struck Frank Crassfield, the proprietor. He was badly injured.

Fire at Three Rivers destroyed the Null block on St. Joseph street. The tenants, several business firms and a number of families lost heavily. The total loss is estimated at $50,000.

Adrian College has 280 students attending her present session.

The Bay View summer university will open July 10 and continue six weeks. There will be forty-five instructors from leading colleges.

Mrs. Grise, of Alpena, whose husband was killed on the Detroit, Bay City & Alpena railroad two years ago, has just been awarded $14,000 damages.

Abbie Moore has secured a judgment against the city of Kalamazoo as damages for an injury received by stepping into a hole in the sidewalk.

Wheat in Calhoun county will not be half a crop, and the oat crop is being ruined by drought and cut worms.

A soldiers' monument costing $1,500 will be dedicated at Lawton July 4. Gen. Alger will be the orator of the day.

Unknown persons entered the only store in the village of Eau Claire Tuesday night and carried away large quantities of goods in a wagon. The thieves broke all the glass and earthenware goods in the store.

The synod of the Reformed church in Amerlea, in session at Grand Rapids, elected Rev. De. Egbert Winter, pastor of the Second Reformed church in that city, to the vacant professorship in the Western Theological seminary in Holland.

James Harrington, one of the oldest residents of Marquette county, was instantly killed at Ishpeming while assisting in lowering the smokestack at the Barnum mine.

The Michigan State Medical society has concluded its annual session at Bay City. The next meeting will be held at Mount Clemens. Dr. Victor C. Vaughn, of Ann Arbor, was elected president.

The death, at Casco, is announced of Ephraim Leisure, one of the earliest pioneers of Allegan county.

William Endsley, of Ensley, Newaygo county, lost his $15,000 residence by fire recently.

The waterworks system at Niles has been completed at a cost of $125,000.

At Marshall last week Sylvester Consedine, a war veteran, dropped dead on the street.

It appears that there is some doubt as to Gov. Rich's legal right to remove Mrs. Pope to the house of correction. There is no provision for female prisoners at Jackson.

Grand Haven's temperance people will ask the supervisors at their June meeting to submit prohibition to a vote of the county. There are nineteen saloons in the county.

Citizens of St. Ignace propose to honor the last resting place of Father Marquette with a monument befitting the courage and enterprise of the explorer and missionary.

It is estimated that the farmers in the vicinity of Three Oaks will this season raise 4,000,000 cabbages for the Chicago market.

Prof. C. N. Kendall, formerly superintendent of schools at Jackson, has been elected to a similar position at New Haven, Conn.

Six thousand persons attended the recent farmers' picnic at Berrien Springs.

Detroit during the heated term consumed 51,500,000 gallons of water daily.

Charlotte factories all report an increase in business and have raised wages twenty per cent.

The Michigan State Holiness camp meeting will be held in Eaton Rapids July 25 to August 4.

At Saginaw Mrs. Richard Gaetts was fatally burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove.

Claude Harrison, a Bay City burglar, was given the extent of the Michigan law, fifteen years in the state prison.

The Canadian steamer Jack, which collided with and sunk the steamer Norman in Lake Huron, was officially appraised at $8,400, which will be all the damages that can be recovered.

Raised the Rate.

KALAMAZOO, June 10.—The city board of supervisors have finished their labors in the work of fixing the general taxes on real and personal property in Kalamazoo. The rate for the year will be $1.50, eighteen cents higher than a year ago. City officials when questioned concerning the raise, say that it was too low last year. In their opinion it costs $1.50 to run a city of this size. Again it is the earnest desire of Mayor Ihling to begin paying off the city debt, which now exceeds the limit.

Sued for Damages.

BENTON HARBOR, June 11.—Alderman Charles Shriver, of this city, who received injuries in a street railway quarrel here last season, has sued the St. Joseph & Benton Harbor Street Railway company for $25,000 damages. This, with a suit against President Bean, makes $40,000 which he sues for.

Excursionist Injured.

BENTON HARBOR, June 10.—An excursion from Anderson, Ind., consisting of two trains, brought about 2,500 persons to the city Sunday. Young Fipp, son of Miller Fipp, near Anderson, fell from the train at Reeds, and was fatally injured.

Victim of the Heat.

STURGIS, June 11.—Dennis Kane, proprietor of the Sturgis Marble works, ex-president of the water board, and an ex-alderman, was killed at Burr Oak Monday by sunstroke.

TEACHERS WILL MEET.

Forty-six Institutes to Be Held During July and August.

LANSING, June 12.—Superintendent of Public Instruction H. R. Pattengill has arranged for forty-six state teachers' institutes to be held during July and August. In July institutes will be held in the counties of Arenac, Hillsdale, Macomb, Mason, Kalamazoo, Wexford, Kent, Montcalm, Antrim, Washtenaw and Van Buren. Those appointed for August will be held in the counties of Barry, Cheboygan, Eaton, Gratiot, Oceana, Osceola, St. Joseph, Shiawassee, Genessee, Alpena, Benzie, Calhoun, Cass, Charlevoix, Clare, Ionia, Isabella, Jackson, Kalkaska, Lenawee, Livingston, Missaukee, Newaygo, Oakland, Branch, Grand Traverse, Houghton, Ingham, Lake, Manistee, Mecosta, Midland, Monroe, Ottawa, Otsego and Wayne. Some of the foremost educators in the state will act as conductors and instructors of these institutes, and none of the institutes will be of less than eight days' duration, while some will continue for two and four weeks.

SUIT INVOLVES $1,000,000.

Government Will Try to Recover 21,000 Acres of Michigan Land.

BAY CITY, June 12.—In 1856 the United States gave the state of Michigan a land grant for aiding the building of railroads. The government claims to have reserved certain parcels in Isabella county for Indian missionary lands. This reservation was certified by the government clerk as belonging to the grant, and when the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad was built it acquired possession of this reservation in addition to other lands. Tuesday the government brought suit in the United States court in this city against the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad and 350 firms, corporations and individuals who have bought land in the reservation from the railroad company for the recovery of 21,000 acres valued at upwards of $1,000,000. The railroad company claims that it acquired possession of the land regularly and it will make a strong fight against the government.

"DEL" SWARTZ IS CONVICTED.

Jury Accepts Circumstantial Evidence of His Guilt of Murder.

CENTREVILLE, June 8.—"Del" Swartz, charged with the murder of Willard Johnson last fall, was found guilty, the jury having deliberated on the verdict five hours. When asked by Judge Yaple if he had anything to say the prisoner strenuously denied any connection with the crime and asked that death might strike him at once if he were not telling the truth. He was at once sentenced to Jackson prison for life at hard labor. Swartz was convicted wholly on circumstantial evidence, Johnson's body having been found in a creek with four bullet holes in it. A family quarrel was at the bottom of the crime. Milburn Rockwell, Swartz's hired man, will shortly be tried as an accomplice.

TRAGEDY IN MICHIGAN.

A Woman at St. Louis Kills Her Two Children and Herself.

ST. LOUIS, Mich., June 12.—Mrs. Herman Becker, aged 34, and two children, a boy and girl, aged 4 and 5 years, were found at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday in a little back cellar with bullet holes in their heads. The little boy was shot in the left temple; the girl in the left cheek; Mrs. Becker in the right temple. They must have been dead for at least two hours when found. It is claimed that Mrs. Becker was not of sound mind, and there has been trouble in the family of late. She left a letter saying that she was sick, so were the children, and they must die.

Wants Deposits Returned.

LANSING, Mich., June 12.—The Central Michigan savings bank, of Lansing, failed in April, 1893, at the end of a run during which about $75,000 of deposits were withdrawn. Receiver Stone has demanded the return of all such deposits, the Michigan statute declaring that all deposits withdrawn because of the fear that the bank is insolvent are void. If restoration is not made suits to recover will be instituted. The state is interested to the extent of $25,000, which was checked on the day the bank suspended.

Killed a Woman.

ELK RAPIDS, June 12.—George Love, a farmer, had been annoyed for some time by the ponies of his neighbors getting into his field. Love caught them at night and locked them up. When their owner, Mrs. Solomon, who was a full-blooded Indian, went to release the horses Love fired at her with a shotgun. Mrs. Solomon died from the effects of the wounds, and Love was locked up.

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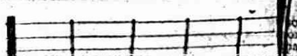

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OSCAR C. FISHER shot and killed Hugh McAfee, a constable, in Detroit, Mich. Fisher says they quarreled and he shot in self-defense.

A BICYCLE relay race between Chicago and New York started from Chicago, the intention being to make the distance in 72 hours.

THE Crystal Salt company's works at Saltville, N. Y., were burned, the loss being $100,000.

GOLD quartz found near Silver lake, north of Ishpeming, Mich., assayed $50,000 to the ton.

THE sixty-ninth session of the American Congregational Home Missionary society met in Saratoga, N. Y.

...Thomas ... (lovers) killed each other in a fit of jealousy at Norfolk, Va.

RISDALE & LEWIS, dealers in machinery and supplies in New York, failed for $100,000.

Miss MARY PHILBROOK, aged 22, of Jersey City, the first woman lawyer in New Jersey, was admitted to practice

LUNTZ GRAHAM, the postmaster at Bower, Neb., was fatally shot by robbers.

IT was said that in the bayous of the Mississippi river expeditions were being fitted out with a considerable armed force to aid the rebels in Cuba.

JAMES POWELL (colored) was lynched by a mob near Straussburg, Ala., for an attempted assault upon Mary Bussy the 15-year-old daughter of a farmer.

THE schoolship Saratoga started from Philadelphia on its annual cruise in European waters.

ELWOOD MOYES, engineer; Elias Botts, conductor, and William Klease, fireman, all from Tamaqua, Pa., were killed by a rear end collision near Shamokin, Pa.

FIRE destroyed the elevators at Appleton of the Wisconsin Malt and Grain company, the loss being $150,000.

THE free silver democrats of Iowa held a conference at Des Moines and declared for the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the action of other nations.

BOLT and nut manufacturers of the United States met at Cleveland, O., and decided to raise prices 10 per cent.

THE Bankers' Association of the State of Illinois in session at Rock Island declared against the free and unlimited coinage of full legal tender silver upon the ratio of 16 to 1 in the absence of an international agreement.

TWO CHILDREN of August Christensen, an Evanston (Ill.) painter, died from eating poisoned sausage, and six other members of the family were ill.

THE Charles C. Jacobs Cordage company went into the hands of a receiver at Cincinnati with liabilities of $115,000.

JOHN EISIMINGER was hanged at Waynesburg, Pa., for the murder of Samuel McCoy.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated 1,131,685,552, against $819,130,011 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 25.8.

WILLIAM S. HARRITY, chairman of the national democratic committee, refused to call a national convention to take action on the subject of silver.

H. S. SHIRK & SONS, proprietors of the Stevens cotton mills at Lancaster, Pa., failed for $100,000.

BLANKS were ready at the treasury department in Washington for use of persons who have claims against the government for the refund of the income tax.

THERE were 195 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 215 the week previous and 216 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A CYCLONE passed 6 miles west of Summit, S. D., causing a large loss of property but none of life.

THE Beacon Lithographic company failed in Boston for $150,000.

DR. WILLIAM B. WALLACE and his son, Dr. Alphonse M. Wallace, both died on the same day in New York of pneumonia.

THE jury in New York in the case of Police Inspector McLaughlin returned a verdict of guilty of extortion and bribery.

TEN sailors were lost by the wrecking of the schooner C. G. White near San Francisco.

AT San Quentine, Cal., Patrick Collins, Anthony Azoff and Amelio Garcia were hanged. Collins was a wife murderer, Azoff killed Detective Harris and Garcia killed James Guilminot.

BUSINESS throughout the country was reported to be steadily improving.

OVER half the graduating class at the college in Grove City, Pa., were expelled for ducking a lieutenant of the college guards because he appeared in a new uniform.

JAMES BROCK, aged 92, and his wife, aged 90, passed through Pineville, Ky., on foot, en route from Harlan to Jackson county, a tramp of 100 miles. They have been married seventy-two years.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND announced the appointment of Attorney General Olney to be secretary of state and of Judge Judson Harmon, of Cincinnati, to be attorney general.

MELVIN RUTHERFORD, Frank Sloan and Joseph Airson were killed in a railway wreck near Camden, Ark.

WILL DOWNS was hanged at Morrillton, Ark., for assaulting Pauline Bridenbaugh.

A STATE silver convention will be held at Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 25th inst.

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C. L. WOODBRIDGE & CO., importers of dress trimmings, buttons, etc., in New York, failed with liabilities of $300,000.

LEE HARRIS and Ben Mitchell, colored highway robbers and murderers, were hanged at Birmingham, Ala., for killing Pleasant Cartwether, a groceryman.

PERCENTAGES of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 8th were: Pittsburgh, .650; Boston, .600; Chicago, ... Cleveland, .579; Baltimore, .576; Cincinnati, .538; New York, .514; Philadelphia, .500; Brooklyn, .472; Washington, .333; St. Louis, .375; Louisville, .167.

WHITELAW REID was a passenger on the steamer New York which arrived in New York from Southampton and soon after he received a telegram announcing the death of his mother, aged 91, at her home near Cedarville, O.

ONE HUNDRED persons were rendered homeless and $125,000 went up in smoke in a fire at Baltimore, Md.

RALPH SWINBURN, the oldest railroad engineer in the world, died at Charleston, W. Va., aged 90 years. He was associated with Stephenson on the first locomotive engine built.

MRS. LENA BRIDENBAUGH, of Gibraltar, Pa., has eaten nothing in seven weeks. When she first refused food she weighed 188 pounds. She now weighs scarcely 20 pounds.

THE steam yacht Gilama capsized on Lake Ontario and Capt. John Blackburn, Engineer Henderson and a man named Donnelly were drowned.

FIRE in the center of the lumber and tannery district in Milwaukee did $750,000 damage.

AN incendiary fire burned 15,000,000 feet of choice lumber in the Cloquet (Minn.) Lumber company's yards. Loss, $150,000.

AT Northampton, Mass., the John M. Learned silk mills were destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

A TERRIFIC rainstorm throughout the southern half of Minnesota did great damage, washing out crops and railway tracks.

EMMET SWEENEY, Patrick Morris and Michael Sheridan, aged 11, 12 and 11 years, respectively, were drowned in the lake at Cleveland while bathing.

FOUR men were suffocated by foul gas in a tunnel near Denver, Col.

G. D. MOORE, postmaster at Keavy, Ky., and Tipton Steern, assistant postmaster, fought with pistols and both were instantly killed. Jealousy was the cause.

BARNEY FREEMAN and Will McGill, of Constantine, Mich., each 15 years old, were drowned in a mill pond while bathing.

REV. GRANLEAF LEE, pastor of the colored Baptist church at Double Springs, Ala., died suddenly in his pulpit while preaching.

BILL COLLINS (colored) was lynched by a mob in a swamp near Mayo, Fla., for attempted assault on Jeanette Allen, a young white woman.

SADIE and Dora Anthony, Sarah Booth and Rosa Rimer were drowned while bathing in Stump creek near Dubois, Pa.

FIRE destroyed the lumber yards, planing mill and sash, door and blind factory of Dewing & Sons at Kalamazoo, Mich., besides seven brick and frame stores, the total loss being $200,000.

SOME sixty settlers on government land in Gregory county, S. D., have been dispossessed of their claims by a recent survey.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 10th was: Wheat, 49,675,000 bushels; corn, 11,582,000 bushels; oats, 8,749,000 bushels; rye, 127,000 bushels; barley, 94,000 bushels.

LIZZIE COLEMAN, the 14-year-old daughter of William Coleman, of Osterville, Mass., was shot and killed by Henry Ledetke, who then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

THE consolidation of the Laclede and Merchants' national banks of St. Louis was reported.

WHILE the funeral procession of Mary McElligott was going to the church at Mattoon, Ill., her mother, Mrs. James McElligott, fainted and died in twenty minutes.

EVERY saloon in Des Moines, Ia., was closed by order of Judge Spurrier, who said that the provisions of the mulct law had not been complied with.

THREE tramps, Ed Evans, of Pittsburgh, Steve Goddinger and an unknown man were killed in a wreck on the Big Four road at Sidney, O., and George Brown, of Latonia, was fatally injured.

THE coal miners of Ohio, by a vote of 5,091 to 4,351, decided to accept the offer of the operators to go to work for fifty-one cents per ton.

THE safe in the store of James E. Hutchings at Lowell, Me., was opened and cash, stocks, bonds and securities to the amount of $50,000 were stolen.

A TORNADO 20 miles east of Perry, O. T., blew down twenty houses and several persons were hurt.

SECRETARY HERBERT issued orders to the Raleigh to proceed at once to Key West, Fla., to watch for filibusters and see that no more expeditions leave for Cuba with contrabands or men for the insurgents.

THE Santa Fe round-house and repair shops in Arkansas City, Kan., with all their contents, were burned, the loss being $100,000.

SECRETARY OLNEY was formally installed as head of the state department, the oath of office being administered by Chief Justice Fuller.

A LARGE number of negroes from various portions of Missouri met in Kansas City to form a permanent organization having for its object the welfare and advancement of the colored race.

FIRE that started in the rear of the Calumet Furniture company's store in South Chicago caused a loss of $100,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning June 16. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Discipline of Suffering.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xxxiv, 29-32.

Elihu seems to have caught a faint gleam of the truth regarding the explanation of human suffering. He finds in it an element of discipline to correct men and turn them from error into right ways of thinking and doing. It is not all vindictive or retributive, not sent merely for punishment, but rather for admonition. Yet how far short he is of the New Testament position! The true relation of men to God had not then been fully grasped by any one. Nor could it be till Jesus Christ had come in the fullness of the love and power of the Spirit of God and revealed God as a loving Father. The best passage on this subject is that found in Hebrews, xii, 1-13.

The problem of human suffering is inexplicable except in connection with the mediation and redemptive work of Jesus Christ. This deepest and darkest enigma of all human existence finds a clew to future solution in the gospel of the Son of God, who promises eternal salvation of soul and body to all who, by repentance of sin and faith in him, will accept the divine nature and do the will of God.

Don't Forget Chattanooga.

Many Leaguers plan for vacation trips of greater or less expense. To all who can possibly take it we commend the trip to Chattanooga to the great League convention, June 27-30. The programme will be the finest ever planned for any similar gathering. The leading men of the three leading branches of Methodism on the continent will be present and many of them will speak. Delegates from every section of the country will meet and become better acquainted with each other and the work in which each is engaged. Ideas will multiply and broaden, and all will separate wiser and better than they came. The travel and local excursions will give new conceptions of our land, its resources, its people and their needs. The scenery is such as will live in memory delightfully through coming years. The study of historic battlefields will quicken and deepen patriotism. Best of all, the deep spirit of devotion will be aroused to new life in all the members who place themselves under the influence of the meetings with a purpose to get all the benefit possible. It will be a great feast to the soul.

An Epworth League Worker.

Rev. George S. Butters was elected to the presidency of the First district of the Epworth League at the convention in Worcester, October, 1892. During the period of his holding this position he was on the editorial staff of Zion's Herald and had charge of the League page in that paper. He instituted the plan of having each department represented in the monthly League editions, which feature has been kept up ever since. At the time of his election a junior League superintendent was also chosen, and one of the features of Mr. Butters' presi-

REV. GEORGE L. BUTTERS.

dency was to put the junior work on a good basis. Several conferences were held under his direction for those interested in work among the children, and many of the plans which have since accomplished so much were then put in operation. Addresses were delivered at conventions and anniversaries all over New England, and the president was so much in demand for these occasions that he was unable to attend faithfully to the work of his large and prosperous church. For this reason he declined to be re-elected at the convention held at Plymouth, Mass., in 1893.

The Need of Power.

The desire for power is not of itself an unholy ambition. It is the development of natural, inborn tendencies. The manner in which the power is used and the motive back of the desire for more determine the question of good and evil. Paul prayed continually that the members of the churches founded by him might be filled with knowledge and power by God's Spirit. He exhorts them to be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. What is needed by the church at the present time and by individual Christians is not so much increase of wealth or position in society as a real increase in power of godly and good lives. Power to speak the truth, power to be gentle when men are boldly and openly evil, power to forgive when men injure, power to give of one's substance when it increases and when it decreases. The world needs Christians with power. God needs children who will use his power. Christians need the fullness of God's Spirit that they may be clothed with power.

Trusting.

O love divine, that stooped to share
Our sharpest pang, our bitterest tear,
On Thee we cast each earthborn care;
We smile at pain while Thou art near.

Though long the weary way we tread
And sorrow crown each lingering year,
No path we shun, no darkness dread,
Our hearts still whispering, "Thou art near."

On Thee we fling our burden
O love divine, forever dear
Content to suffer while we
Living and dying, Thou

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WEST BOUND.

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*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:37 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:25 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:37 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	3:19 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:41 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:28 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:15 p m
†No. Mail and Express	4:55 p m

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 32 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 18 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 53 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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A.M.	11 50	A.M. 6 35	L....Allegan....A	P.M. 3 10	P.M. 8 15
.....	12 02	7 00	Monteith	2 28	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 26	7 14
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
6 50	2 35	8 57	Marshall	12 18	6 20
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 93	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 23
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 18	Onsted	9 40	4 28
.....	5 30	10 28	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 49	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	*3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 39
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 15	A.....Toledo....L	7 35	2 45
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Eggs per doz	10	12
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel		2 25
Beans, per bushel		1 60
Salt common, per bbl		1 10
Cheese, per lb		
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12½
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders	6	7
Beef, by the side	4 @ 5	
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00 @ 5 10	5½
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 @ 5 50	6
Veal dressed, per lb		
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12½
Chickens per lb		8
Hides green	25 @ 35	
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		1 15
Red	55 @ 60	
Corn, shelled	41	50 @ 55
Oats		
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 50 @ 8 00	
Hay, clover, per ton		7 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Feed, per 100 lbs		1 00
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 05
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

THE MARKETS.

	New York, June 12.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$4 00 @	5 75
Sheep	2 00 @	4 25
Hogs	4 90 @	5 00
FLOUR—Winter Patents	4 25 @	4 75
Minnesota Straights	3 60 @	4 15
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	82½ @	82¾
Ungraded Red	78 @	85
CORN—No. 2	56½ @	56¾
Ungraded Mixed	52 @	57¾
OATS—No. 2	34 @	34¾
Mixed Western	33 @	37
RYE	50 @	57
PORK—Mess, New	13 75 @	14 50
LARD—Western Steam	6 7½ @	6 75
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	12 @	18
Western Dairy	9 @	13
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$4 00 @	5 65
Stockers and Feeders	2 30 @	4 00
Butchers' Steers	4 00 @	4 40
Cows	1 75 @	3 60
Texas Steers	2 75 @	4 40
HOGS	4 30 @	4 50
SHEEP	1 75 @	4 25
BUTTER—Creamery	8 @	17½
Dairy	8 @	15
Packing Stock	5 @	9
EGGS—Fresh	10 @	11½
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 00 @	120 00
POTATOES New (per bbl)	00 @	1 00
PORK—Mess	12 60 @	12 65
LARD—Steam	6 55 @	6 57½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 30 @	3 85
Spring Straights	3 50 @	3 85
Winter Patents	3 30 @	3 80
Winter Straights	3 00 @	3 25
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	79 @	81
Corn, No. 2	51½ @	52
Oats, No. 2	30½ @	31
Rye, No. 2	68 @	70
Barley, Common to Choice	49 @	82
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	80½ @	80¾
Corn, No. 3	52 @	52¾
Oats, No. 2 White	32½ @	32
Rye, No. 1	70 @	70¼
Barley, No. 2	68 @	69¾
PORK—Mess	12 50 @	12 55
LARD	6 50 @	6 55
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$4 00 @	5 00
Texans	3 00 @	4 35
HOGS	4 25 @	4 70
SHEEP	3 00 @	3 30
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 50 @	4 05
Feeders	2 50 @	3 75
HOGS—Light and Mixed	4 00 @	4 45
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SHEEP	3 00 @	4 00

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

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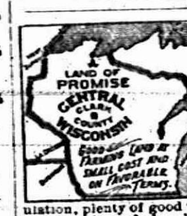
The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Barnidge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of June, 1895, and on the 25th day of November, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 25th day of May, A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 31, 1895.

BRONSON C. KNAPP,
SEATON W. ANDERSON,
Commissioners.



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THE S. W. FARMERS' CLUB.

Friday, June 7th proved to be a day such as Lowell describes in "And what so rare as a day in June." An ideal June afternoon, with fine roads, free from dust brought a large attendance of club members to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henion, on the plains west of Manchester village.

Pres. English, in his opening remarks said: This is an exceptional season. For usually the first of June, one year compared with another, finds crops, in fact all kinds of vegetation, at about the same stage of growth, however backward the season may have been, but it is not the case at this time.

First upon the program came a song by Mrs. and Mrs. H. H. Yokom accompanied by Mrs. J. F. Spafard as pianist. It was "Keep the Old Friends with the New."

The subject of capital punishment was left over from the last meeting and after remarks by Messrs. Rawson, Hitchcock, Merithew and English, who each favored its abolition, a vote was taken which stood 13 to 7 in favor of the restoration of capital punishment in the State of Michigan. This was not a full expression of the club by any means.

Mrs. J. P. Tracy read a fine essay on "Home life on the Farm." "All duties are means toward improvement." She thought farmers indulged a fault finding spirit with regard to the prices of produce etc., that had a tendency to depreciate their position and make young people dissatisfied with the farm. In straitened times, we learn to practice economy. It is a virtue to so let self-denial rule the home that only what can be afforded shall be desired.

J. G. English read a paper on the topic for discussion—The conditions surrounding agricultural operations are changing. What methods shall be adopted to best meet these changed conditions? "When fortune's wheel turns, we must sometimes expect to be on the lower side." By the past we judge the future. Wheat, cattle, sheep and wool have been profitable and may be so yet. Do not attempt specialties not adapted to your farm, such as onions, celery, beans, and the like. Onions especially, require much hand labor and oats or corn can be grown on such soil, with profit.

A. Hitchcock thought there were no changed conditions unless in wheat growing. Corn, for him, was a most profitable crop. Cultivation assures the crop of corn. Three or four times cultivating is good; seven or eight times is better. The times demand close attention to small details.

Richard Green emphasized the need of care of implements. All should be housed when not in use and Saturday night, with him, always found the tool house and barn doors closed on his tools. Cruelty to farming tools is as much to be condemned as that to animals.

S. W. Merithew said: Let farmers organize as do other classes. In proportion to the capital invested, sheep are as profitable as at any time in the past few years. He made the assertion that in twenty-five years, sixty per cent of the farms would be under the management of tenants.

A. D. English quoted Ben Johnson's saying, that we should not be the first to adopt new methods nor the last to lay the old ones aside, as applicable to the present situation.

G. S. Rawson said wool-growing seemed to have reached an unprofitable stage. A few years ago he realized two dollars per head for the wool and this year but seventy or seventy-five cents per head. Other countries feel this business depression as much as does our country. England seems to feel it more than France.

Pres. English thought most people had an impression that success was only attained by those commanding large salaries or fees. It is wrong to think it belongs only to those who have achieved extraordinary prestige along their chosen line of work. The young physician is pointed to. Dr. Bliss, who received $25,000 for attending President Garfield; the lawyer, as Daniel Webster or Rufus Choate; the minister, to Beecher, Spurgeon or to Robert Collyer, but success comes to men along the common lines of work as well as to those who stand at the head of their profession.

Adjournment for tea came next on the program and soon a merry company was seated at the club tables partaking of the refreshments so bountifully provided by the hostess. The strawberries and ice cream proved particularly tempting and delicious.

As the shadows lengthened across the lawn we took our departure, hoping we might be permitted to attend the Sept. meeting at "Hard Scrabble," home of Mr. and Mrs. Merithew, after the summer vacation.

WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT IT.

Comments of Exchanges on Our Anniversary Supplement.

The "old reliable" TECUMSEH HERALD was 45 years old last week and celebrated its birthday by publishing a fine four page supplement description of the village, its business firms, and outlining its ancestry. Long live the HERALD and wealthy become its proprietor.—Addison Courier.

THE TECUMSEH HERALD is 45 years old, and to celebrate the event last week its owner, Scovel C. Stacy, got out a handsome, 12 page paper. Four pages were devoted almost entirely to a history of "beautiful Tecumseh, the pioneer town of the banner agricultural county of Michigan," and to biographical sketches of its leading citizens.—Detroit Journal.

The first number of the TECUMSEH HERALD was issued on May 25, 1850, and the last issue began volume 46. The town had about 1,000 population when the paper was started and now numbers upward of 3,000. The paper had a varied experience, changing hands every few months in its earlier history. In 1874 the paper was purchased by S. C. Stacy, who has been its editor and proprietor ever since. The paper has had a hearty support all these years, and here is the wish that it may live and grow forty-five years longer under the present able management.—Evening Telegram.

Our esteemed contemporary, the HERALD, entered upon its forty-sixth year last week and celebrated the event by publishing an anniversary supplement containing a well-worded write-up of Tecumseh's business houses and manufacturing establishments and an entertaining account of its own history from the day it began its existence in 1850 [illegible] to the present day. The HERALD endured the vicissitudes of a precarious existence during the early years of its career, but like most children, it lived through them all, became of age over twenty years ago and is now in the robustness and vigor of manhood. May it live long and prosper is our wish.—Tecumseh News.

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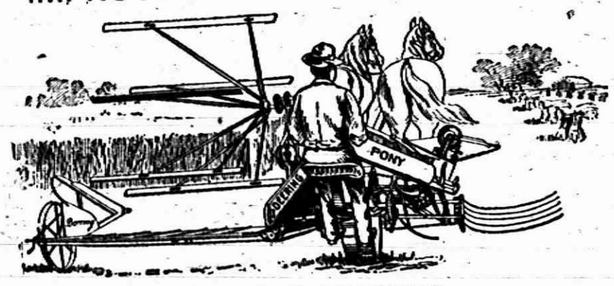

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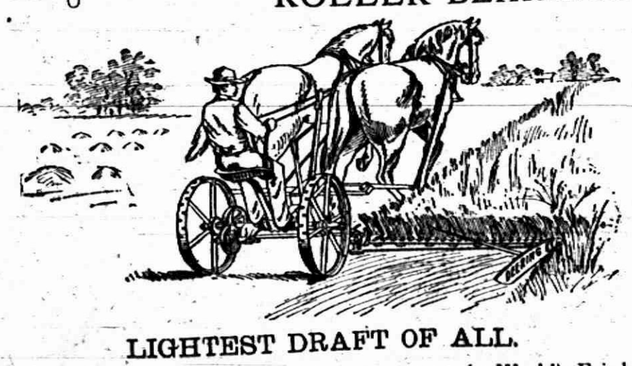

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THE PROGRAM OF EXERCISES.

A Brilliant Collection of Essays, Music, Recitations, Etc.

The season of graduation in the schools has rolled around, bringing its candidates for commencement honors as surely as June brings its flowers. Not many years ago the candidates were all men; but now a goodly mingling of women gives variety and grace to the pictures of the commencement stage. Women have learned how much education concerns them, and society is learning that woman has no real charm which education impairs, but has many charms which it enhances.

The scenes and ceremonies of the closing days in a school year have a perennial attraction. They are the same from June to June, but so are the roses. No one remains away from them because he saw them the year before. It is not change that one desires to note in them, but sameness. The old graduate does not attend them because he wishes to find something new, but more because he would recover something old—his own youth with its romance and ambition. He returns for many reasons, one of which is to renew a part of his. The sight of a graduating class has inspiration. It shows the scholar who will be the scholars of the future. It is an assurance that the intellectual life shall not want for ardent votaries to preach and illustrate its worth, and a warrant that the thinned ranks of those who labor for something better than material ends are to be replenished. There is inspiration in the young faces lit up by all the fine enthusiasm of youth and touched with the impress of thought and noble aim. And so we welcome the graduates of 1895.

In response to beautiful invitations which were sent out several days beforehand, a brilliant audience assembled at the M. E. church in Ridgeway on Friday evening, June 14th, to witness the graduating exercises of the Class of '95. The auditorium had been elaborately trimmed with flowers and plants and the national colors and was a veritable bower of beauty. Upon the platform were seated the three graduates, Gertrude Boyd, Fern DePuy and Guy Pocklington: also the other members of the school who participated in the singing, Prof. Howell and Revs. Cansfield and Yager. Bro. Yager was wise in making his old Ridgeway parishioners a visit upon this opportune occasion. At the appointed hour Prof. J. C. Howell called the assemblage to order and the program was presented in the following order.

PROGRAM.

Organ Voluntary	Miss Lelia Sutton
Invocation	Rev. Hartley Cansfield
Music—Song of Welcome	School
Recitation—Early Rising	Fred Temple
Song—Red, White and Blue	Primary Pupils
Recitation { What a Girl Thinks of Boys / What a Boy Thinks of Girls	Stella Hines
	Fred Curry
Song—The Fisher Crew's Return	School
Recitation—Artie's Amen	Arthur Miller
Song—What Robin Told	Primary Pupils
Essay—Evils of Ignorance	Gertrude Boyd
Music	Male Quartette
Recitation—Whistling in Heaven	Mae Culbertson
Essay—Religious Liberty	Fern DePuy
Music—Spring Song	School
Class History and Prophecy	Guy Pocklington
Solo—The Sweetest Story Ever Told	Miss Dora Grayson
Recitation—The Bachelor's Wedding	Peak Sisters
Presentation of Diplomas.	
Song—High School March	School
Benediction.	

The musical part of the exercises was under the direction of Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh, and the singing by the school pupils showed the effects of her careful training. The essays by the three graduates were finally written and delivered in a manner that held the attention of the entire audience. As no abstract could do them justice, we present them entire below. The recitations by the younger pupils were happily chosen and nicely rendered.

In presenting the diplomas Prof. Howell indulged in a few words of commendation and advice to the pupils and thus fitly ended the best school entertainment ever given in Ridgeway. The Ridgeway school was never in a more thriving condition than at present, and the chief credit therefor should be awarded to Prof. Howell himself for his untiring efforts to bring about that result.

The gift tables in the vestibule were loaded down with floral and other mementoes from friends of the graduates. The two young ladies were each the recipient of a beautiful gold watch from their parents, and all received many articles of value, which will be treasured by them through life. "Beyond the Alps lies Italy," was their class motto. They have crossed the Alps; Italy now lies before them.

Religious Liberty.

BY FERN DEPUY.

"Through the harsh notes of our day,
A low, sweet prelude finds its way;
Through clouds of doubt and creeds of fear,
A light is breaking, calm and clear;
That song of love, now low and far,
Ere long shall swell from star to star;
That light, the breaking day, which dips
The golden spired Apocalypse."

In the spirit of liberty which is abroad in our land, I point for a moment toward the inevitable spread of the world religion, which awaits the full and free acceptance of the methods and results of modern science.

It is no part of the present purpose to take sides on disputed critical questions, but to intimate something of the rational of the present attitude toward the Bible, which "in the field of scholarship is a settled question," but which is still a source of pain to many pious minds. Criticism is like surgery; it is needful in an emergency but it is a poor pastime. So much attention has been attracted by the press to heresy trials of higher critics, and the last century has been one of such a polemical turn that we are in danger of forgetting the movement of science in the clangor of controversy which, on both sides, contains some notes of spite. Perhaps few persons outside of scholarly Theologians appreciate the magnitude or the far reaching significance of the revolution in progress throughout the Christian world which is rapidly changing religious conceptions regarding man and his relations to the Infinite. The liberal students of life and religion in modern times have found many thought completing facts confronting them, which were unknown to the great spritual leaders of earlier days. However fearless and fond of the truth they may have been, in the very nature of the case they did not and could not utter the final word.

Humanity, actuated by the spirit of the Infinite, is ever pressing onward in search of spiritual illumination. The desire for knowledge becomes a passion with higher born natures; to know the truth is the supreme attainment, the ultimate of man's dream. And, in his ever onward march, he is like a traveler ascending a mountain range. Each day a broader world unfolds before his vision, each day he sees how incomplete was his conception and how inaccurate his conclusion based on the outlook of the day before. The revelations, while broadening human conception and exalting man's ideals, have revealed the fact that many positions maintained by theologians when human vision was more circumscribed, are untenable in the broader truth revealed to the children of this generation. That liberty of thought and human progress and the falling away of old time limitations, should awaken feelings of a widely different nature in the breasts of men equally sincere, is by no means strange. To one class of theological students, in the revelations of our day there is an inspiration calling forth their highest and holiest endeavors. To them the Creator is no longer the God of a peculiar people, with an ear deaf for ages to the cry of earth's teeming millions, but in Him they behold the love-life essence of the universe. Instead of a greatly magnified man, they see a wise, order-loving and conscious energy, which throngs the tireless ages step by step and leads life from the lowest forms, on to heaven's aspiring man. To them, in the light of today, religion reflects the sanity of the infinite. On the other hand, a large number of equally sincere Biblical scholars, who have, from the cradle, learned that all the religion from Alpha to Omega lay between the covers of our sacred Book, look upon the new thought with the greatest apprehension. They are not willing to recognize the strands of gold in the great religions of other ages. Their conception of God is such that they cannot imagine that he has spoken in any vital way to millions upon millions of aspiring souls of the earth through any other channels than the Jewish scriptures and the New Testament. They believe it is dangerous to study comparative theology; they fear they may offend the Almighty and imperil their own souls by opening their eyes to the new heaven and the new earth which the panorama of our century has unfolded before their vision. Their timidity, however, is no more striking than their fear lest the triumph of the new thought may prove fatal to religion. Ah! they little know the human soul, which in all climes and under all conditions has loved and aspired—the savage and civilized alike—for untold ages has from the contemplation of the wayside flower, turned to the limitless ether above, with a question and a prayer.

The conflict so deeply stirring the religious world is the result of facts which time has revealed to mankind. Toleration will prevail, or rather liberty and justice, for the golden rule will be the living rule of conduct. The one dark shadow which superstition has cast over the world is found rooted in the spirit of dogmatic bigotry, which led sincere men to fancy they were carrying out God's command when persecuting all who failed to see the truth from their point of view. This curse of creed and dogma, which has blighted all theology dependent on belief rather than on conduct, is directly responsible for the frightful persecution of the past which has racked, tortured, burned and buried alive, men, women and children. It compelled Calvin to flee from France for his life. It drove the Pilgrims from England and in turn led them to banish Roger Williams. It has been this baleful spirit of intolerance and persecution which has driven scores of the noblest and most human souls of the Christian centuries into atheism. They loved their fellow man too much to be able to worship a Deity of wrath. But with a more liberal conception which the new thought is ushering in, the spirit of persecution will disappear and though various forms and beliefs remain, the conditions will be much more foreshadowed than in "Utopia;" liberty and fraternity will prevail because man's conception of God will be higher and more human, and, following this, a more exalted and divine religion will come, a gradual union in spirit of all who earnestly seek the truth and the creed of mankind will be "The world is my country and to do good my religion."

The Evils of Ignorance.

BY EDDIE BOYD.

The faculties of knowledge, reason, judgment and voluntary determination distinguish us from the beasts which perish and constitute the true dignity of our nature. God, our Maker, hath made us to know more than the beasts of the field and to be wiser than the fowls of Heaven; but faculties and powers are of but little value till they are brought into exercise and directed to their proper objects. They are like seeds, which, though they possess the germs of growth and development will, of themselves, remain forever useless; unless they be buried in the earth by the husbandman, moistened by the rains and invigorated by the life-giving rays of the sun, they can never yield their increase or answer the purpose designed by God.

So it is with man. Instruction fits him for this life just as culture does the plant; and when deprived of this aid his powers are wholly inactive, or, like the produce of the uncultivated field, worthless. The conduct, which should have resulted from judgment and prudence, is directed by the senses; and he whose powers, had they been rightly improved, would have stamped upon his nature the image of his Creator, becomes little superior to the lower animals, the subject of instinct and the slave of passion.

Ignorance, more than anything else, destroys the usefulness of man. Knowledge constitutes the whole difference between savage and civilized society, for to the improvement of the mind, all nations have owed the improvement of their condition. Therefore, "Knowledge is power;" the philosopher's stone which turns everything it touches into gold; the sceptre that gives us dominion over nature; and, last of all, the key that unlocks the storehouse of creation and opens to us the treasures of the Universe. It was knowledge that obtained for Franklin the highest honors his country had to bestow. It was knowledge that gave Simpson a place among the first mathematicians and Herschel a station among the leading astronomers. It is knowledge that forms the principal difference between men of our own day, as they appear in the same society. The public mind is awake, and society in general is fast rising in the scale of improvement. He who has talents will be known and estimated and rise in the respect and confidence of his fellow man.

What is negative of everything good and useful? Ignorance. It is the darkness of night in which man slumbers away an unprofitable and miserable life, a darkness which the rays of knowledge must disperse before he will awake to exercise and rise into improvement.

But ignorance not only renders the members of a community useless to each other, but opposes and frequently triumphs over all the endeavors of enlightened understanding. How often have the salutary measures of the patriotic statesman, the discoveries of the sagacious philosopher, the improvements of the distinguished philanthropist, been rendered abortive and useless by popular ignorance and prejudice. The despotism of ignorance is of the most imperious nature. Its possession of the human mind at the age of maturity is firm and resisting and it is only by a kind of force that knowledge gains admission.

Ignorance is the destroyer of virtue. As defined by Jonson, "True virtue is the secured policy we have to make our sense our slave." In proportion, therefore, as ignorance prevails in society, virtue is destroyed, and though we cannot say, on the contrary, that in proportion as knowledge is disseminated, virtue will prevail, for there may be knowledge without virtue, yet when the doctrines of religious science are generally known, the elements and materials of virtue are proportionately distributed. And by zeal and earnestness, accompanied by the blessing of God, virtue may be produced. In this case we labor in hope, but ignorance presents us with nothing but despair. The ignorant man is but a slave and he never can rise to as high a position in life as his educated neighbor. Ignorant men may possibly be enthusiasts; they may be made superstitious; but before they can be made rational, steady and consistent members of society, they must be enlightened. It has been said that all other motives are but shapes of this all-prevailing influence. There is a pleasure in knowledge of a kind more pure and elevated than can possibly be found in any of the gratifications of sense and for which the latter are but unworthy substitutes. Never for a moment admit that any millionare or king can surpass you in the possession of that peace of mind and joy in existence which we call happiness; here you are equal to the highest. Let no yearning for riches, or office, or for any form of vain display, destroy or impede the stream of contentment which the Creator designed should flow through the soul. As the sunshine of the Almighty will shine through a simple vine as richly as upon the velvet of a king, or upon the gilded dome of a temple, so happiness falls with equal fulness upon all whose minds are at peace and in whose hearts dwell the good thoughts. Ignorance is a state, cold and cheerless, in which the finer feelings of the human heart are locked up and man is deprived of the enjoyment which results from their exercise and perfection. All the pleasures of the uninformed, if pleasures they may be called, arise only from outward objects and when they are satisfied with these or deprived of the opportunity of resorting to them, having no mental resources, no power of producing enjoyment from their own thoughts and reflections, they sink into a vacancy and torpor little superior to idiocy itself. But if we have minds which are capable of endless progression in knowledge, of endless approximation to the Supreme intelligence; if in the midst of unremitting success, objects of new interest are forever opening before you, oh! what prospects are presented to the view of man, what strong inducements to cultivate his mind and heart, and to enter upon that course of improvement here which is to run on, brightening in glory and in bliss, ages without end.

History and Prophecy.

BY GUY POCKLINGTON.

The History of a nation or people has usually been considered a narrative of the great deeds and heroic lives of its subjects. I greatly fear that were I to confine myself to the great deeds and heroic lives of the members of the class of '95 its history would as yet be unwritten. Yet in coming years childhood days and school days having vanished in the dim vista of the past, our thoughts will revert with fond yearnings to the many pleasant recollections connected with our history, e'en though it be not filled with deeds of noble daring. After what is equal to ten long years of persevering the class of '95, though small in numbers, have gained one object for which we have been laboring. While many have fallen out by the wayside, we three, Fern, Gertrude and your historian, have attained the point thus far in our course which we have been striving to reach. We have climbed over what seemed to us unsurmountable difficulties, yet in looking back we can but realize that had we not crossed the Alps there would have been for us no Italy. And we have learned, as the quotation goes, that "There are difficulties in everything except eating pancakes. Nobody ought to be expected to untie all the knots in a net. He is the greatest fool of all who pretends to explain everything and says that he will not believe what he cannot understand."

Fern has spent a greater number of years here than anyother member of the class, having acquired nearly her entire education in this district. Gertrude entered the school here five years ago, her earlier school days being spent in district number 7, about five miles north. Your historian entered the school at about the same time, his earliest ideas of school life having been formed in district number five which has since divided and ceased to exist. As I have not the privilege of recording any illustrious exploits connected with the early life of the members of the class our history must of necessity be somewhat short, yet we cannot close without thus publicly expressing our gratitude to our instructors who planned for us more wisely than we knew. Thus endeth the history of the class of '95.

So exhausted had I become in writing this history that ere I was aware of it the spell of dreams had bound me, and from slumber deep I awoke with a start only to find to my wonder and amazement that I had taken a Rip Van Winkle nap, and found myself along in the second quarter of the 20th century. And taking the first steamer on the white star line for Liverpool, crossing the channel to France I find myself comparatively a stranger in a strange and unknown land. As no engagements were pressing me to duty, I allowed myself to be carried on with the struggling masses supposing I was being led to some popular place of amusement, but instead I found myself in a court of law listening to a plea before a jury for the acquittal of a prisoner. In oratorical ability our speaker lacked nothing, and during one of her gestures, imagine my consternation to notice upon the third finger of the left hand the emblematic ring of the class of '95, and after careful study I recognized in those careworn features, Fern of old. Of course I wondered not at her plea for acquittal, when upon further inquiry I found the prisoner possessed of a double portion of this world's goods and no one to bear with him the trials and perplexities of life. As all romances end so ended this one.

Over in Switzerland a small academy rears its stately tower. Attracted by the beauty of the surroundings and having plenty of leisure time, I determined to visit this structure. After being shown over the buildings and grounds by the Principal, I, upon his urgent invitation accompanied him to his home a short distance away, and upon being ushered into the presence of the mistress of the mansion, I immediately recognized my old friend and class-mate, Gertrude. And if I had had the least doubt of her identity it would have been immediately put to flight by a hasty glance at the third finger of the left hand where I saw the well worn ring of the class of '95.

Upon returning to my native town from my trip abroad, I found the junior class holding their annual reunion, all being present except one, who was persuaded years ago, by a low musical voice, to begin life anew some two and one-half miles south-east, she being unable to attend, as the duties of a farmer's wife were so pressing as to require her whole attention. While they regretted her absence, yet Ella was always so true to duty they knew that it could not be avoided. Engaging in conversation with the other members of the class, I learned that Ben, for several years, followed the profession so much longed for in his younger days, that of a school teacher, but at present had retired from the stage of action and settled along Massachusetts bay, where he was busily engaged assisting his wife to salt down cod fish. Ray used to dream of joining the theological profession and becoming a noted divine. But he was unfortunate in securing for a companion one of those delightful beings who was forever advocating woman's rights. The public requiring so much of his attention, thoughts of higher attainment for him have long since ceased to engage him and he is quietly contented tending the baby and scolding the cook. I noticed sitting in the corner upon the hassock, a little leather case bearing the initials J. A. M. I inquired at once as to its meaning and was informed that it was loaded with pill boxes and quinine powders, and belonged to our worthy physician, Dr. Murphy, who was at that time administering to the wants of a colony of sick cats. For some time after leaving school, Carroll led the life of a farmer. He then entered college from which he graduated with highest honors, and now occupies an exalted position in life. With this we must close:

"So loath we part from all we love,
From all the ties that bind us;
So turn our hearts as on we move
To those we've left behind us."

"Though time, which steals our years away
Will steal our pleasures too;
The memories of the past will stay,
And half our joys renew."

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JUNE 21, 1895.

C. S. Burroughs was a Toledo visitor Monday.

Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh was visiting in Dundee this week.

Ida Alexander and Mrs. Burrell are visiting in Detroit.

Maude St. John returned to her home in Chicago Saturday.

Wm. Teisen, the tailor, was in Saline and Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Tina Jones spent a few days of last week in Manchester.

The town is being written up by a traveling boomer this week.

Steve Huntington, of Chicago, is visiting his uncle, A. C. Huntington.

Misses Nellie and Grace Whittlesey are visiting in Ypsilanti this week.

Miss Laura Haggart is home from the University for her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, of Norvell, are visiting at her sister's, Mrs. Calhoun's.

The high school are enjoying their annual picnic at Wampler's Lake today.

Misses Minnie Carroll and Lucy Kirk, were in Manchester Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Minnie Humphrey and Maggie Ebbitt were in Tecumseh Tuesday morning.

Geo. Freese took in Grosvenor and Adrian on his wheel the first of the week.

H. A. Lee, an eastern wool buyer, is looking up the staple in these parts this week.

W. S. Kimball is taking in wool at Owosso, St. Johns and other northern points this week.

Mrs. Green and granddaughter, Lizzie, of Pains Hollow, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Geo. Freeze.

Mrs. Lena Marriott, of Detroit, who has been visiting friends here, returned to Detroit Friday.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold Episcopal service in the Evans Lake school house next Sabbath at 3 p. m.

Willie Calahan, who has been visiting his aunt the past two weeks, returned to his home in Chicago Monday.

Clark Bailey started Saturday morning for a bicycle trip through Jackson, Charlotte, Grand Rapids and other Michigan cities.

Henry Sproul attended the reunion of ex-students of the Flint deaf and dumb school. He received most of his education at that institution.

C. D. Keyes, who is holding down a position in Lowry's grocery and crockery store in Tecumseh during the proprietor's absence in Europe, was in town Tuesday afternoon.

Do not forget the social to be given at Town Hall Saturday evening, June 29th, for the benefit of St. Dominic's church. A fine musical program will be rendered and the refreshments are bound to be first class.

A donation was recently given by members of the M. E. church and others to M. E. Lane and family. The gifts were made mostly in the line of necessities, which were greatly appreciated, as Mr. Lane has been ill for some time.

Mrs. Susan M. Hicks, who came a few weeks ago to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Allen Dillingham, died at her residence Monday evening. Mrs. Hicks was a sufferer from consumption. The remains were taken to Adrian.

Messrs Earl Chase, Homer Palmer, Charlie Younghans, Gus Schultz, Sidney Case, Elmer Silkworth, Fred Herman, Herbert Rushton and the Misses Thompson and Dora Schultz, of Manchester, attended the commencement exercises Thursday evening.

Frank Lancaster and wife and Ed. Smith and wife spent Saturday at their cottage at Wampler's. The cottage was prepared for occupancy shortly before. It is situated in the willow grove near Hardcastle's, an excellent location, and is one of the finest resorts on the lakes.

A singular and exciting, though short, runaway, occurred on our streets Monday evening. Messrs. Lancaster and McClure had just returned from Tecumseh with the former's team, and were near McClure's bakery when the team suddenly became frightened at a wheelbarrow. The horses, which are spirited animals, dashed onto the sidewalk by Schmitt's saloon, where the occupants were thrown out, thence across the road into Geo. VanGiesen's horse and buggy which was standing to a post. They knocked over the horse and broke the buggy, going on each side, around, on top, under, over and through the whole rig at one and the same time. The team seemed determined to run down Tom Roper at one time, pursuing him along the side walk at a furious pace, and it is probably safe to say that Tommy never made quicker moves since the war than he did when that team was after him. The team when stopped, did not seem much frightened, and nearly all the damage done was to the buggies.

GOOD MISSIONARY WORK.

It may not be generally known that the Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church in Clinton have taken upon themselves to clothe and educate an orphan girl in Aligarh, India. She is ten years old and they have named her Faith Elizabeth Clinton. It costs but $15 a year to clothe, board and school her. Several of the ladies, having each taken upon herself the payment of a dollar a year towards this work, and to earn this dollar in any way profitable, a meeting was held last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Haliday, at which they were to pay their dollars and relate their experiences. The occasion called together a large number of ladies and quite a sprinkling of gentlemen. After the opening of the meeting in regular form by singing, Scripture reading and prayer, Mrs. T. VanGieson gave a very interesting report of the W. F. M. S. of Detroit Conference in convention last week at Detroit, which she attended as a delegate from the Clinton Auxiliary. Mrs. Wolf then read a carefully prepared paper setting forth in a very lucid manner our missionary work in and about Aligarh and the establishment of the school whose main patron is Mrs. Souls of Stockbridge, Mich. Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell then read a letter from Miss Green, the superintendent of the school where the girl is being taught. This letter was written to Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell in answer to inquiries about the girl. Then came the dollars and the varied experiences.

One had earned her money by baking and selling fried cakes. She did not tell just how she baked them, but it is undoubtedly a new process in the way of cooking. Another had earned a nickle by getting up and building the fire on a cold morning while her liege lord lay in bed and snored. Another had washed the dishes when it was her husband's turn, and so got a nickle. But the greatest hardship which any one related was by one who, for a nickle, kept her mouth shut for a short space of time. The ladies seemed to look upon her as the hero of the hour in the line of sacrifice and the stifled words were uttered from mouth to mouth, "How could she? How could any woman do it?" In short there was baking and selling of bread, quilting, and even sorting onions. This last brought forth tears, not from the audience, but from the woman while doing the sorting. One lady hired as cleck for a short time and another, kept her husband's shop at intervals. Mrs. George Freese told her experience in a poetical effusion, which fairly sparkled with wit and brought down the house. Among other things that she did was this: she undertook to shave her husband and so got the money the barber should have had. She started in bravely but her husband, not desiring to take up lodging in the cemetery just yet, hired her to quit, and that brought in quite a sum. Another asked her husband for the dollar and he told her yes, he would gladly give it if she would go to the Missionary meeting, and so she came with her dollar. Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell told about her vigorous efforts to collect pay for cutting her husband's hair in the years gone by, in a pleasing humorous rhyme, which somewhat excited the risibilities of these dignified Methodist ladies.

In this work the ladies are doing a vast amount of good and no one is made the poorer. It is far better to take a child and train her in the right way from youth, than to break up idolatrous practices, incrusted by years of habit. To conclude, after "the feast of reason and the flow of soul" the outlay was bountifully supplied. The results footed up $26 and there's more to come.

ONSTED ODDS.

Farmers very busy with the cultivator.

That new girl at Lewis Church's takes the cake at present.

Friends from Adrian visited at Geo. Howard's last Saturday and Sunday.

Children's day services will be held at the church here next Sunday forenoon.

The members of the Masonic lodge and the Eastern Star chapter will picnic at Sand Lake on Saturday.

Skinner & Hines have a new awning in front of their store, which cools their place of business very much.

One of the main features of the races here last Saturday was the agricultural parade headed by the Tipton band.

The wife of S. P. Marlatte departed this life Monday morning, after being in poor health for a long time.

Regular review of Tent and Hive came off on Tuesday evening of this week. Regular Grange meeting on Saturday evening.

The first matinee of the season held here came off last Saturday afternoon and the town was filled chuck full of people. Some good speed was shown by the horses in the races.

The Maccabees indulged in an ice cream festival and celebration on Tuesday evening of last week. A good program was carried out and twenty-two gallons of cream disposed of.

We had the pleasure of listening to a sermon delivered by Editor Kempton of the Addison Courier, at Devils Lake last Sunday, and if any one can drive the namesake of the lake from this earthly ball he will, as he can get there with both feet in the sermon line as well as in the editorial line

Children's day services were intended to be held at the Springville church a Sunday or two ago, but having a Debs among their number perhaps, the children struck and would not perform their parts, therefore the services were dispensed with and regular Sunday services were gone through with. Low wages and the policy of the present administration must have been the cause of the strike.

TIPTON TOPICS.

J. B. Kemp is laid up with a stitch in his back.

C. E. Hampton from Fowler, Ind., is visiting in town.

A. C. Chase was called to Ohio last week by the death of a relative.

Harry Lambard and family from Somerset are visiting at Dr. Jenkin's.

Milo Stocking, the cheese-maker, fell Saturday at the cheese factory and severely injured one foot.

L. E. Taylor and W. J. Hampton went to Fowler, Ind., last week to attend the funeral of a daughter of Charles and Edith Hampton.

The Ladies' Society of the Tipton Methodist church will give a "Character Social" at Hampton's Hall, Tipton, on Wednesday evening, June 26, 1895. Admission, 10 cents. Everybody invited. Ice cream and cake served.

Graduating exercises were held at the Congregational church last Friday eve. Earl Allen from the Center school, Letta Pawson and Claud Crittenden from the Excelsior district were the ones who finished the common grades.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Charley Spangle will move back on the R. P. Baker farm some time next week.

Ed. Bowen and wife, of Adrian, were the guests of Mrs. Humphrey Griffin Sunday.

David Smith is having an addition built on his house. Warren Ellsworth is doing the work.

Alvin Ayers has been in these parts this last week buying wool, paying from 9 to 14 cents per pound.

Prof. Hicks will have to get his thinking cap on to get up an excuse for all of this dry weather in June.

The Wolf Creek Creamery Co. receives about 4000 pounds of milk at present, with prospects of an increase if it continues warm.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Frank Winker sports a brand new buggy and harness.

C. Winker has the finest 8-acre field of corn in the county.

A new bridge is being built over the Gleason Creek on the town line road this week.

Rev. John Dingee preaches every Sunday afternoon at the Hunt school house.

A. N. Baker and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown at Ottawa Lake last Sunday.

Mrs. F. G. Alcock is not improving very fast of late and her many friends here feel quite alarmed about her condition.

Word has been received here of the death of Joseph Larkin of Somerset Centre, Mich. Mr. L. was well known here and a former resident of this place.

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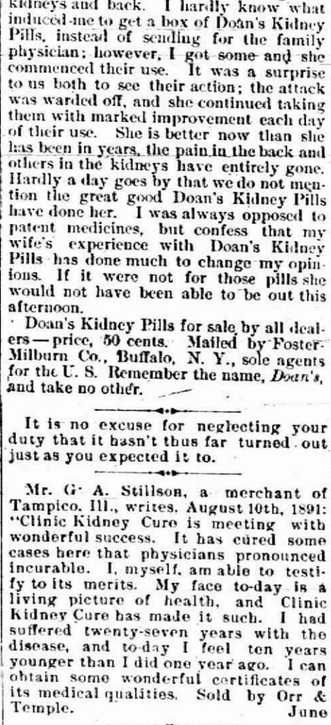

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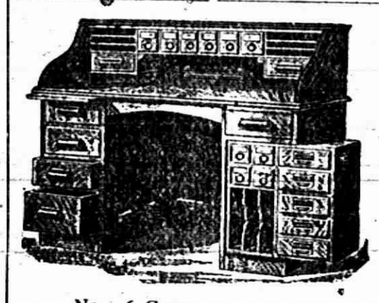

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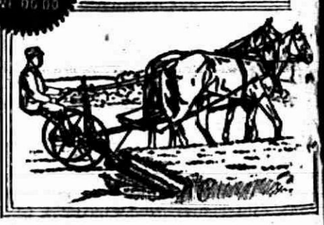

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C. Hoagland was a Toledo passenger Tuesday.

Jas Haight will sell you an ice cream freezer cheap.

You can get those adjustable window screens at Jas. Haight's.

Miss Susie Palmer, of Azalia, is visiting at John Zeluff's this week.

L. Burnham from Deerfield was buying wool in these parts last Monday.

Don't forget the excursion to Toledo on the Mackinaw, Sunday, the 23d.

Mrs. Welling and friend, Mrs Helon Hig, visited Harvey Welling Monday.

Don't let the flies eat up your horse, use one of those new nets at Haight's.

Mr. Hiscock came up from Toledo Friday to call on Britton and Ridgeway friends.

It is reported that Thos. Hoagland obtained a stroke of apoplexy Wednesday morning.

Jacob Begel, of Jackson, who formerly lived in Holloway, was a Britton visitor Tuesday.

Buy your pulleys, car, ropes, forks and all kinds of hay machinery at Jas. Haight's hardware.

Several Britton boys will go to camp with Co C this summer, having joined the ranks last week.

The hot, dry and dusty weather was postponed a few hours Wednesday on account of a slight rain.

C. D. VanNocker and Ed Bachman were in Tecumseh Tuesday, buying timber for the elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, of Rea, were the guests of their friends, W. E. Britton and wife, last Friday.

The ladies aid society hold their regular meeting at the Christian church next Wednesday evening and will then serve ice cream and cake to all comers.

C. J. Helm and wife, last Monday, attended a family reunion of her relatives at Sand Lake. Mrs. H. visits her parents in Franklin the rest of the week.

Mr. Britton, whose appointment as agent on the T. & A. at St. Johns we noted some time ago, moved his household goods to that point Monday. Mrs. Britton left for her new home Wednesday.

The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new Reformed church was performed Tuesday last with appropriate exercises. A large and enthusiastic crowd was present and, we understand, considerable funds were raised to finish the basement of building. The stone itself was properly placed in its final resting place as it was in too wet a condition to hold the mortar.

Last Tuesday evening was the regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. lodge. The work was hard; the way was long; the weather hot, dry and dusty. But the labors of the evening left the boys tired and thirsty. About this time Mrs. Wm. Britton appeared with cream and cake for the whole lodge. By the way those weary brothers relished and disposed of that ice cream would make one want to join the Knights right then and there. The supper was excellent being especially suitable at the time, and Mrs. Britton has the thanks of the lodge.

The Britton Giants did the intellectual giants from Adrian College, Saturday, by a score of 15 to 6. However, the game was very pleasant and interesting. The college boys are gentlemen and played it the grounds of another for the purpose of having a hearty time. The batteries were Biggs and Taylor for Britton, Albright and Hall for the college. The particulars follows: Hits off Albright, 6; errors, 11. Errors, Britton 6; Runs, Britton 15; Adrian 6. Britton played a good, steady game throughout form, giving a good support to their battery which handled the ball nely. Of course a few errors were made throughout the game for the purpose of encouraging the visitors and to create an interest in the contest.

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—NOTICE.—

All those who have subscribed for the building fund of the Reformed Church of Britton are kindly requested to pay their subscriptions, in full, by July 1st. The money can be handed either to Rev. Rederus or Dr. P. B. Hardy, of Britton. By order of building committee. S. REDERUS.

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4th of July Rates.

On July 3d and 4th, the Lake Shore & Michigan So. R'y will sell reduced rate excursion tickets to points within 200 miles of stations, good to return until July 5th. 2w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Buy paint and oil at Haight's.

Buy screen doors at Haight's, Britton.

Brand new stock of lap dusters at Jas. Haight's.

Some farmers have begun haying and report a very light cut.

Buy a "Dangle" gasoline stove at Haight's hardware, Britton, Mich.

Mrs. E. L. Lowe, who has been very sick for several weeks, is improving slowly.

T. H. Montgomery has seed buckwheat for sale at his home south of the village.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and grandma Harrison visited friends at Milan Tuesday and Wednesday.

Editor Stacy of the Herald was present at the commencement exercises Friday evening.

Mrs. Horace Brown, of Grand Ledge, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Smith at present.

Dr. D. W. Lorce and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Lucking and family, of Detroit, a part of last week.

Mrs. W. D. Stearns and daughter, Hazel, of Toledo, made Mrs. A. J. Sutton a short call Saturday afternoon.

The person who lost a dark shawl a few days ago, may have the same by calling at the store of Simon Gould.

Quite a number of Macon and Holloway friends were among those present at the commencement exercises Friday night.

Mrs. Julia Waldron and Mrs Ira Smith and children, of Grand Ledge, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Ace Smith at present.

Mrs. Howard Reynolds and daughter Jennie, of Dundee, called on her nephew, W. L. Jones and family last week Thursday.

Lelia Sutton and Mamie Fletcher, visited friends in Clinton, Thursday of last week and attended the commencement exercises.

Mrs. Jacob Barrett, who left Jacob's house and home last fall, returned Saturday, and once more there is happiness in the household.

C. L. Lowe and wife, Chas. Lowe and wife and E. L. Lowe attended the Frost-DePuy wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Wm. Frost, at Macon, on Wednesday of last week.

C. B. Dibble, while drawing stone lost a brown duck frock, between the Free Methodist church and Schreder's corner's. The finder will leave the same at the post office, and oblige.

Upwards of twenty went over to the Friend's church in Raisin, Sunday night to hear Elder Yager, of Saline, deliver the Baccalaurate sermon before the students of the Valley Seminary.

From letters we learn of Courtland Snedicor's failing health, he being unable to work. Mr. Snedicor is now a resident of Ithaca, but formerly lived in our village and worked at blacksmithing.

We, with other friends of C. O. Hiscock, are in receipt of the Albion College commencement invitations, which are the finest we ever saw. Mr. Hiscock is one of the graduates of the Class of '95; degree, B. S.

Leila Sutton left for Howell Tuesday, to visit her friend Gertie Snedicor, and attend the various amusements of the week given by the high school, and be present at the commencement exercises. Miss Snedicor is a graduate of the musical course.

Elder Yager, of Saline, was in attendance at the commencement exercises Friday and spent Saturday with friends and assisted Rev. Cansfield in the morning service, and delivered the Baccalaurate sermon before the Valley Seminary at the Friend's church in Raisin, Sunday evening.

Wm. Barrett, one of Lenawee's early settlers, who has been in feeble health, died at his residence north of the village, Monday morning in his 81st. year. The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday morning. Rev. Cansfield, officiating. The interment took place at the cemetery on the Ridge.

The Junior League will meet Friday afternoon at the church, for the purpose of studying the parables. We believe in Miss Clara Temple as their superintendent, they have a lady of a true christian character, and if they are regular in attendance, attentive and studious, they will receive instructions that will build up for them a noble christian character that will tell for them through life and eternity.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

The twenty-fourth commencement of Raisin Valley Seminary 10:30 a. m. June 21st.

The funeral of Mrs. Bashibah Aldrich was held at the Friend's church last Monday at 2 p. m.

The "Dressy Gads" reported a hilarious time at the spread given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill last Wednesday evening.

The baccalaureate sermon at the Friend's church last Sunday evening by Rev. E. Yager, of Saline, was an able and inspiring production.

The Children's Day exercises at the Friend's church last Sabbath were well attended. A most excellent program was furnished by the little folks and a pleasant and profitable time was enjoyed by all.

Examination for the last term of the school year began last Friday morning and will close on Tuesday. Their soothing effects were manifest in teachers as well as students. The teacher of literature, while on duty, succumbed to the calming influences and serenely passed into the land of dreams and Comfort.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mr. James Cook, of Detroit, was in town Friday.

Rothfus & Brown are increasing their stock of goods.

Miss Abbie Ray was a guest of Miss Fish over Sunday.

Maurice Farrah, of Adrian, was in town on business Monday.

Len Carpenter was down from Morenci to spend Sunday with his folks.

Mesr. Florance celebrated his birthday with a party of his children.

Miss Brown entertained her sister and husband, from Onsted Sunday.

Mr. Nixon, of Canada, is visiting his son, Dr. W. Nixon, of this place.

Several from Little Hope were over to the memorial exercises in Holloway hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothfus, of Blissfield, visited their son Chas. and wife, Wednesday.

Bert Carpenter and Tom Hartman attended the great Maccabee doings at Dundee.

Mrs. Chalmer's, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs Ash, has returned home.

Sam Rogers departed Wednesday for the Northern part of the State to visit his son Frank.

Howard McComb and sisters Della and Jessie visited their cousin C. R. Winship Sunday.

Rev. Jacob Baker speaks on his Trip to California, to the Endeavorers Sunday evening, June 23.

Hartman's parlors were filled with ice cream eaters again. He has new tables and its very nice.

Mr. James Boyd and wife attended the social; also A. Richards and Miss Dresser from Tecumseh.

L. C. Winship was called to Sand Creek to see his brother-in-law, J. R. Service, who is very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Begel and daughter, of Jackson, Mich., were entertained at Mr. and Mrs. Florance's, Sunday.

The lady Maccabees were entertained at the home of Mrs. Bert Lowis, and served with strawberries, ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Florence and Mrs. Spencer and Rev. Stead and wife attended the graduating exercises at Ridgeway, Friday evening.

Mr. Benson is a guest of Rev. Stead. He is from Minnesota and a minister and preached to a good sized audience Sunday morning.

Several have received invitations to be present at the graduation exercises at Tecumseh. Frank Stead is one of the graduates, from this place.

The ladies social at A. D. Macham's was a "rouser," over 90 being present. Mr. M. and wife are royal entertainers and always have a crowd. Refreshments were served.

The memorial Address delivered by Rev. L. C. Chase was very finely delivered, and also, the singing furnished by Mr. Doty and sister, and Mr. J. L. Richard and wife were nicely rendered, and a good sized audience attended.

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Lee Brazee, of Tecumseh, visited Macon friends last Sunday.

Miss Blanche Taylor was the guest of her friend Miss Maude Howell.

Mr. Gulic, Jr., who has been absent from home eight years, has just returned from Mexico.

A number of our people attended the commencements at Ridgeway, Clinton and Tecumseh.

Married, June 12th, 1895, Mr. Webb DePuy of Saline and Miss Mabel Frost of Macon. The marriage was celebrated on the lawn of the bride's home, and under an archway of green. About a hundred guests were present to give their best wishes to the fine looking couple.

The township Sunday School Convention held at the South Macon Church was a success, our own place being well represented. The people of South Macon are noted for their hospitality, and the bountiful supper at the hall was no contradiction of their old reputation.

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If Judge Harlan should be named for President by the Democrats, he would come in a good second to the late Horace Greely.

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The gold bugs continue to make Colorado the centre of the silver sentiment, but last year Colorado produced $12,724,608 worth of gold and $10,787,974 worth of silver.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases. 1w

A campaign of education, in these days of literary abandon, consists largely in assisting the popular mind to unlearn a lot of things.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 21, 1895.

THE BOYS IN BLUE AT BRITTON.

The Annual Reunion of Company F, 26th Michigan Infantry.

June 13th is the gala day of the whole year for the old vets, who were members of Co. F of the 26th Michigan Infantry. This year their reunion was held at the home of John Britton, in the village of Britton. The morning opened clear and beautiful, although somewhat sultry, and early in the forenoon the boys in blue, with their families and invited friends, began to gather at Mr. Britton's hospitable home. The big old apple trees on the lawn furnished abundant shade to accommodate a large crowd. The tables were spread beneath them and a platform for the speakers was also fixed up under one of the orchard trees. The forenoon was spent very pleasantly in renewing old acquaintances, and noon had arrived before the company were aware of it. A basket picnic was then on the program and a bountiful repast was served to about one hundred guests in attendance. Full justice was done to this part of the exercises. The tree trunks were covered with the national colors and there was a fine display of bunting and flags about the lawn, so that when the tables were filled with a merry company the scene was a delightful one.

After dinner was disposed of the literary portion of the exercises was opened with the roll call. Lieut. Jehiel Davidson got out the old company muster roll, that was faded and wrinkled with age, read over the list of names it contained, and the old vets who were present responded. There were twenty-nine who responded to their names, several being present for the first time since the reunions began. All the vets in this vicinity were there, of course, while Tecumseh, Cone, Dundee, Deerfield and Blissfield were all represented and Palmer Hamilton was there from Elkhart. Below is a full list of the members present:

Davidson, Jehiel, Tecumseh.
Dunbar, John H, Deerfield.
Ward, Jared, Whitefordd.
Ackley, Norman H., Britton.
Ball, Henry, Dundee.
Brewer, Philoman, Dundee.
Brimley, Henry, Springville.
Biggs, Michael, Geneva.
Beneway, George, Tecumseh.
Covill, Warren, Britton.
Ebbitt, James, Hudson.
Exelby, John W., Britton.
Howes, C. J. F., Adrian.
Hause, Lyman, Britton.
Hadley, Marques, Whitford.
Osterhout, J. B. Britton.
Osterhout, Lyman, North Adams.
Reynolds, Henry, Britton.
Smalledge, Wm., Tecumseh.
Secor, John W., Onsted.
Sperry, Frank A., Blissfield.
Tappan, Richard, Deerfield.
Thackery, Joseph, Britton.
Willas, Charles, Dundee.
Crane, James K., Blissfield.
Britton, John, Jr., Britton.
Linn, Chester, Britton.
Hamilton, Palmer, Elkhart.
McCarbery, Henry, Britton.

A big wind storm then arose and the crowd took to shelter instanter. As a heavy shower seemed to be impending, the chairs on the lawn were conveyed to the G. A. R. Hall across the road and the audience adjourned without further ceremony to that room. The hall was soon filled with a fine assemblage and the exercises proceeded.

The program was opened with singing by the choir. Prayer by Rev. S. Rederus followed. The choir then gave another selection. The choir consisted of a quartette: W. R. Osgood, LaVern Gripton, Mrs. Jas. Haight and Miss Ella Exelby, with Mrs. Chas. Gorham as organist. Their singing was excellent and was one of the leading features of the program. S. C. Stacy then made a brief address, in which he claimed to be a member of Co. F and promised to inflict his presence upon their future gatherings with the regularity of a veteran.

A number of letters were then read from absentees, which were very interesting, among them the following, which came from Taymouth, Saginaw county, written by S. Hosmer:

THE BOYS OF MANY YEARS AGO.

I am thinking of the time, boys,
How fast the years have past,
Since we were called together
By Harley's trumpet blast.
I am thinking of the time, boys,
When we left our home to go
And join the Union army,
So many years ago.

We were young and active then, boys,
We were loyal, brave and true,
As we marched beneath the Union flag
That waved o'er me and you.
But time hath wrought a change, boys,
Our step is getting slow;
But our will is just the same, boys,
As many years ago.

Our strength is falling fast, boys,
Our hair is getting gray;
We do not look the same, boys,
As when we marched away.
But when we see the dear old flag
And our comrades sit below,
It stirs the same old fire
Of many years ago.

But now the war is over
Its horrors all are past;
No more we are called together
By the bugle's trumpet blast.
And our race is nearly run,—
We to the grave must go;
But we'll near forget our comrades
Of many years ago.

The friendship of the past, boys,
Will ripen into love,
When we leave this world of sorrow
For a better one above.
So let us stand together
And deal each wrong a blow,
And soon we'll join our comrades
Of many years ago.

The choir gave another selection and a song followed by Mr. Bragg, which elicited a hearty encore.

The official reports from the Secretary, Treasurer and Historian were then presented, and the election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—F. A. Sperry.
Secretary—J. K. Crane.
Treasurer—N. H. Ackley.
Historian—R. Tappan.

Blissfield was chosen for the next meeting.

The exercises closed with another song by the choir.

The threatened shower had blown over by this time and the crowd returned to Mr. Britton's lawn, where Photographer Welling took a group picture of the old vets and their friends. Mr. Welling got a good negative which will doubtless develope into a fine print.

The crowd then began to scatter and all returned home, feeling that a most enjoyable reunion had been added to the list.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY.

Last Sabbath, the three churches, which did not observe Children's Day one week before, had services appropriate to the anniversary. The day was more generally and more elaborately observed this year than ever before and we are glad that this beautiful custom is finding a permanent place in the Calendar of all our churches.

The exercises at the M. E. Church on Sunday forenoon were well worthy of a more extended notice than we have space to give to them. As Rev. Varner pertinently remarked at the opening, it being children's day, the work was to be done by them, the children, and by the younger members of the school at that. After an impressive Baptismal Ceremony and a brief appropriate prayer by the pastor, and a fine voluntary by the school choir, the exercises proceeded under the charge of Barzillai Hurry, their excellent and efficient Superintendent, and there were in all some 20 brief recitations, interspersed with music by the choir; also, a very finely rendered solo by Miss Ella Fowler. The day was a perfect one, and though when everything was so well done it would almost seem invidious to notice any one in particular, we cannot forbear to speak of the masterly manner in which Mrs. Fred Rosacrans, teacher of the Infant class, managed them, and caused them to perform their part, nor of the masterly manner in which little Carl Varner rendered "The burial of Moses," by Mrs. Cecil Frances Alexander, one of the finest poems in our language, with a power, pathos and appreciation, well worthy an older head.

A special service was held at St. Peter's church at four o'clock in the afternoon. The service was conducted by the Rector, Rev. W. R. Blachford, in presence of a good congregation. The beautiful baptismal service was read from the Episcopal ritual, during which three children received the right of infant baptism. At the close of this service, the Rector gave a brief but very fine address enforcing the lessons conveyed by the baptismal rite, and giving parents a word of kindly admonition on the duties they owe to their children. In addition to the regular members of the Sabbath School, a number from other congregations were present. The services from first to last were very impressive and interesting.

At the Friend's church special services were held at the regular Sunday School hour. The program consisted of recitations and music given mostly by the children. Rev. Hageman gave a short address also, pertinent to the time and occasion. Flowers, many and beautiful, graced the platform and other portions of the auditorium and a good congregation listened with much interest to the exercises.

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BRITTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A Class of Four Graduates Receive Their Diplomas.

One would be sadly at fault to measure the progression and enthusiasm of the Britton schools, or the interest taken in the cause of education by the community, entire by the number of graduates, or the size of the building. Although this is but the third annual commencement and only four graduates claimed diplomas on last Friday night, the same interest was exhibited and the same efforts put forth as is customary in our larger centers of learning. The exercises took place in Exelby hall which was barely large enough to admit those who wished to witness the exercises which graduated the four plucky girls of '95. The stage was properly decorated to match the pretty toilets of the class, and about 8:30 the Britton orchestra opened the program with a well rendered piece, followed by the invocation by Rev. Rederus and music by the Elsa quartette. The essays, with well chosen subjects, careful and studious preparation, were delivered with force and distinctness, which commanded the close attention of the audience. We give a brief synopsis of each as follows:

ONWARD AND UPWARD.—MISS LIZZIE DUBOIS.

In looking over the experiences of the past, we recall many golden moments lost to us forever and by the past must we improve the future. But we must now look forward, not backward, and begin to climb the ladder of life at the bottom round and by slow but steady advancement, round by round, at last gain the lofty summit of our ambitions. No one, however gifted, can climb more than one ladder at a time, and as often as we change so often must we begin again at the the bottom round. In this age, men excel in special lines. Find your line of thought and work, aim high and persevere and you are sure to reach the top. We should remember that Heaven is not reached at a bound. We must have earnest convictions of thought and the qualities of trust. Honor and virtuousness are as needful to-day as in the time of Moses. No one should feel that he has no aim in life. God gives everyone energy and a mission and every soul is under the obligation to have the courage to carry out his work in life. The triumphs of the past prove that God is on our side. We are now about to be equipped for real life and to assume its responsibilities. In determining our plans it must be remembered that we can never attain to a position higher than the mark which we set now. With a high aim and God at the helm our voyage is bound to be successful.

THE FOOTPRINTS OF HISTORY.—MISS LETTA GIFFORD.

When we look back over the pages of history and realize the benefits which the genius of great men has bestowed on the human race, it seems almost impossible that they can again be equaled in the future. But let us pause for comparison. Napoleon, whose name is a synonym for greatness, never had a true friend, nor did he deserve one; and, after plunging Europe into useless bloody wars, died an unlamented exile. Alexander the Great conquered the world for selfish ends and perished shamefully by intemperance. So much for those great names of the past. And now we come to the shores of America with the Pilgrim Fathers, who braved the unknown seas that they might live among savages rather than in the chains of bondage, and set for the world the example of religious and civil liberty. Longfellow illumines the pages of modern history with a name than which none have been more loved. Longfellow sings of common life and his verse will stir the hearts and form the wills of mankind when hollow titles are forgotten. Frances Willard has labored in the vineyard to root out the weeds and tares of intemperance. Her name stands for temperance and morality. Lincoln, educated in the woods, has made an impress on the world which will never be effaced. Thus, in the broader enlightment of today, the heroes of past generations are dwarfed, in comparison with noble lives of modern history, and the chance still remains to eclipse them all.

"Lives of great men oft remind us
We can live a life sublime,
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time."

THE OLD WORLD AND THE NEW.—MISS BERTHA KNIFFIN.

No one can look over the pages of ancient history without wishing to know more of that interesting subject. Let us begin with Egypt, which arose in the dawn of history from barbarism to a civilization which left much of art and architecture to the world. Assyria, Babylonia and other nations of the East follow with a similar record, but all blackened by a pall of sin and darkness which forever hangs over their fame. Rome stands out as a wonderful and characteristic example of ancient greatness. She arose through a series of wonderful achievements to be mistress of the world, with triumphs in letters and art which still remain monuments to her greatness. Still the pall of darkness is not lifted, and still we can never blot from her pages the stains of crime, of human slavery and of selfish glory. Socrates, a great and noble life, was compelled by the customs of his time to drink the poisoned cup. But through this dark veil of ignorance and crime has dawned the light of modern intelligence and liberty. We now can compare with this record the sublime lives of such men as Washington and Lincoln and rejoice that we today live in an age far outshining the past. Still it is our duty to endeavor to make the world still better for those who follow us.

Miss Maud Lee made a slight diversion in the program by reciting in excellent form the well known selection from Byron, "The Prisoner of Chillon."

The music furnished by the Britton orchestra and the Elsa quartette was excellent and highly appreciated. Rev. Mudge made some timely points in his address to the class. Mr. Collins said a few parting words, the diplomas were presented, the benediction pronounced and the Class of '95 had graduated.

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CLINTON COMMENCEMENT.

A Brilliant Program Given by a Large Class of Graduates.

As announced to the friends and patrons of the Clinton High School some weeks ago by beautiful invitations, the commencement exercises here came on the evening of the 18th, and the whole performance was well in keeping with the neat, complete and tasty messenger which heralded its coming. If any particular thing arouses the generous public spirit of Clinton more than another it is the welfare of her schools. This spirit was evinced last week when the town hall was found much too small to accommodate those who wished to hear the Class of '95 make their graceful debut into the world of life. The old hall had previously received its lining of hunting and flowers, to make its walls respond with fitting lustre to the beauty and grace which held sway within and no more appropriate surroundings could have ushered in a class than the pretty settings of the room and the good wishes of an audience whose every impulse beat in unison with the hopes and aspirations of the 'chosen twelve. The strong individuality of the dozen was distinctly shown by the prominent position given to the class emblems. The stage was elaborately draped with its colors,—pink, green and white. "Press forward. He conquers who will," the motto, was given a conspicuous place directly over the stage, while at each end of this was arranged a clump of violets, the class flower, emphasizing with their hope and purity the meaning of the well chosen motto.

The Maccabee band played a very pretty overture, after which, to the strains of the march, the twelve took their way to the stage, the ten fair ones leading and covered in the rear by the two gallants of sterner mould. It is safe to say that just then many a youth was awful sorry he did not stick to it, complete the course and graduate with those ten, even if he had never thought so before. Inasmuch as the class day exercises, which in some schools are held separately, were here incorporated into the program, the occasion was rendered doubly interesting on that account. As the HERALD was unable to obtain the text of the essays the program is inserted. The productions were original, able and scholarly, being rendered in a manner which showed a careful attention to elocution and special preparation. It is generally thought necessary to give particular mention to some efforts, but suffice it to say that it would indeed be a critic who could select the numbers on this occasion for such comment, and so the praise and distinction generally given to some is hereby accorded to all, without stint or favor.

PROGRAM.

Invocation	Rev. D. H. Ramsdell
Instrumental Duet	Wirt C. Rowland, L. Alberta Johnston
Salutatory	Linda O. Nase
Oration—American Liberty	Claud M. Hause
Essay—The River is Lost if it Miss the Ocean,	Mabel I. Barnsdale
Class Poem—Our Mission	Mabel I. Redick
Vocal Solo	Mrs. L. W. Kimball
Class Essay—Press Forward. He Conquers Who Will.	Maud L. Perry
A Glimpse into the Future	Sadie L. Huntington, Eva A. VanTuyle
Oration—Kickers	Leroy Wood
Vocal Solo	Mrs. Carrie Reeves
Essay—American Poetry	Laura Sherwood
Class Record	Lois O. Bond
Essay—The Modern Novel	Emma M. Sturm
Valedictory	Olive B Mills
Cornet Solo	F. B. Greenleaf
Presentation of Diplomas	W. S. Kimball
Benediction.	

All in all, the commencement of '95 was an unqualified success, speaking in the highest praise of the industry of the class, the perseverance of our teachers and the support of citizens. No class ever took its place in the alumni whose coming was more warmly welcomed; no class has gone forth more steadfast in its motto, "Press Forward. He Conquers Who Will."

The Alumni Reunion.

The Alumni Association of the Clinton School held their annual program last Friday evening at the Town Hall. A comfortably filled hall gathered to listen to the exercises and altogether the meeting was enthusiastic and successful.

Misses Tessie Carroll and Winnie Waterhouse pleasantly opened the program by an instrumental duet.

Miss Carrie Alvord distinctly read a poem, it being a chronicle of the class of '94 since their graduation, of which she was a member.

Miss Tessie Carroll read an essay, "Stepping Stones," in which she endeavored to show the necessity of the gradual development in all lines of work and the need of heeding minor affairs.

Miss Minnie Humphrey in a very pleasing manner sang a vocal solo.

Mr. George Taylor delivered an oration, "The Dying Race." It was finely written and delivered, an eloquent appeal in behalf of the American Indian and the wrongs imposed upon him.

Mrs. C. F. Clark recited very beautifully and touchingly a pathetic poem, "Tired Mothers."

Misses Clyde Marstellar and Lizzie Tate skillfully rendered an instrumental duet.

Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle read a well written and interesting history of the members of the Alumni since their graduation.

A vocal duet was sung by Misses Nellie Martin and Minnie Humphrey, their voices blending very harmoniously.

An address of welcome to the class of '95 was delivered by John L. Tuttle, Jr., in his pleasant and gifted manner,

An appreciative response was given by Mr. Claude M. Hause, Pres. of the Class of '95.

The program closed with a chorus—"America."

The audience then dispersed, the members of the Alumni remaining to enjoy the banquet served by M. F. McClure, consisting of ice cream, cake and fruits. The members were then called to order by the Pres., Mr. Geo. Tag, and the following appointments were made for the next year:

Pres.—Mr. Clare L. Kimball.
Vice Pres.—Miss Tessie Carroll.
Sec. & Treas.—Miss Lizzie Tate.
Poem—Ella Swift.
Alternate—Grace G. Collins.
Essay—Mrs. John Noone.
Alternate—Miss Maude King.
Prophecy—Miss Amelia Tag.
Recitation—J. Dwight Hause.
Alternate—Florence A. Greene.

After the business meeting, a number enjoyed a short dance and the Alumni of '95 was another pleasant memory.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 21, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Owosso vs. Adrian here today.

Clarence Conklin spent Sunday at home.

Henry Smith was in Cleveland a couple of days this week.

Miss Rosa Wilson, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Miss Iva Elliott.

Attorney Grant Fellows, of Hudson, was on our streets yesterday.

The "We nine" and friends go into camp at Sand Lake this week.

Will McGlashen will spend the vacation with his parents at Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Mary June of Clinton was calling on Tecumseh friends last Monday.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, Mount Zion.

Mrs. Joe Crosby has gone to Plainwell, Mich., for an extended visit with her parents.

Rev. H. A. Smith is enjoying a visit from his brother Charles, who resides in Chicago.

Dr. W. D. Reed attended the meeting of the Tri-State Dental association, at Detroit, Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Ware and children returned to Grand Rapids yesterday. Miss Edna Bryan accompanied them.

Is shaving a necessity? I will try and prove to you it is a luxury, if you will call at the new barber shop.

Percy Fitzsimmons and Harry Richter represented our bicycle fraternity at the Ypsilanti races this week.

Miss Mabel Hayden returned from a very pleasant and successful year's work in music, at Austin Texas, Tuesday night.

Miss Ollie Smith, of Detroit, who is visiting in Adrian, called on her friend Mrs. W. W. Whiting, a couple of days last week.

Miss Bessie Williams and brother Roy of Minneapolis, who formerly attended school here, are visiting at their uncle's D. L. Rogers.

Mrs. Leslie Squires of Hillsdale county, and Mrs. Silas Baldwin, of Hampshire, Ill., are the guests of D. L. Rogers' family this week.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our stores at 9:30 a. m. local time, July Fourth: Alva Spayde, Harris & Hiteshu, Karner Bros', McCann Bros.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. W. Marsh left Monday for Sheldrake, N. Y., where Mrs. M. will spend the summer with her sister in the hopes of improving her health.

Last Tuesday evening the Junior Endeavor of the Friends' church, with about 40 of their friends, were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Florence Smith.

The U. of M. team have retired as champions of the west. Pitcher Sexton goes to Boston while Capt. Shields and two other players have been taken into the Owosso league club.

The following pupils of the West branch have neither been absent nor tardy during the year: Alice Gaston, Sadie Lowry, Rosa Lowry, Grace Steinhoff, Lizzie Blair, Elsie Zimmerman.

Claude VanTyne and Harry McClure were escorted as far as Saline, on their journey to New York via. Niagara Falls, by a number of our local wheel men and Leon Rosecrans will accompany them to the Falls. They will take the steamer Freedom, of the Netherland-American line on the 29th, for Europe.

Bicycling is receiving new interest here as the season of meetings draws nigh, and our local speedsters are getting in trim. Richter has done a quarter in 38 which is far from slow. He also came over from Adrian in 39 minutes, while Edition of the Herald just rode quietly over one evening in 42 without a spurt.

Wednesday's rain was very welcome, but more is needed.

Remember the Alumni reunion this evening at the Opera house.

Kennedy & Rogers swing out a new announcement this week.

Chas. Crossman of Detroit spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Co. C will hold divine services next Sunday evening at the Armory.

Dr. L. Barnes and wife spent last Sunday with friends in Toledo.

The temperance column is crowded out this week by school reports.

J. H. Osborn is home again from a six weeks' business trip up north.

Thanks to LaVern F. Wheeler for late copies of the San Antonio Daily Express.

Mrs. James Stevens of Adrian was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Steinhoff one day last week.

J. S. Starling of Seneca was the guest of his uncle, Dr. Steinhoff, a day or two last week.

Rev. R. S. Hudson, of Mass. will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday, both morning and evening.

Attorney J. W. Wightman was at Lansing last Friday in attendance upon the State Supreme Court.

Reduced rate excursion tickets on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y, July 3d and 4th. Ask agents.

Miss Emily Gniwitz of Ypsilanti is the guest of Mrs. Abbie Fisher. They visited friends at Detroit last week.

Postmaster Kyle and L. C. Bidwell attended the races at Onsted last Saturday. Mr. Kyle acted as official starter.

Mrs. W. C. Stevens, little son and niece of Chattanooga Tenn. are visiting her sister Mrs. G. H. Melody for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lowry departed last Saturday for their European trip, accompanied by the good wishes of a host of friends.

Edgar Ide, with his wife and all the children, spent a day or two last week with his parents in Tecumseh, remaining over Sunday.

J. B. Whelan and family of Detroit came out yesterday to attend Commencement exercises and will prolong their visit over Sunday.

W. B. Odion, C. F. Millis and Harry Pattison took a trip to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti on their wheels last Sunday. They found it very good wheeling most of the way.

Miss Joan Brower, of Danville, N. Y., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Stewart, for the past week, accompanied her to Ocean Springs, Miss., this morning.

Hay has gone up to $12 a ton, and it is said that a great deal of the meadow land will not produce over a ton of hay to the acre. Some farmers are talking of sowing alfalfa for fodder.

Bert Baker leaves home this week to accept his situation in Toledo. We regret to have him leave Tecumseh but wish him the best of good luck wherever his lot may be cast.

The graduating class of the Tecumseh High School gave a fine program last evening to an audience that filled the opera house to overflowing. A formal report will appear next week.

Robert Moir took possession of his new purchase, the Van Antwerp restaurant, last Monday morning. Both Mr. Moir and his wife will give their attention to the business and will doubtless succeed.

Rev. J. P. Varner delivered the baccalaureate sermon before the Class of '95 last Sunday evening at the M. E. church. It was a masterly discourse, which the large congregation present thoroughly appreciated.

R. V. Wilson, who is now clerking for Allen and Parkhurst of Toledo came up on his wheel the first of the week. He is taking a respite of two weeks from work and will visit Adrian, Lansing and other towns before his return.

The Adrian Times of Saturday says: "It is sixty-seven years ago today since Abel Whitney first came to Adrian. Then there were only two frame and a few log houses. The building now used as a barn, standing in the rear of the Masonic temple, and the house on West Railroad street, between Dr. Owen's residence and the river, are the two frame houses. The one stood where the Wells block, on West Maumee street, now is, and the other where Metcalf's store is."

Out of Town is the title of a beautifully illustrated series of papers to be published in Harper's Bazar, beginning in June. Cold Dishes in Hot Weather is another and a most strictly practical series which will soon begin in the Bazar. It is from the pen of a gifted Spanish-American woman, Madame E. De La Torre Bueno. Among the Fashion features for the first and second weeks of June will be out-door costumes, bicycle and mountain, and beach toilettes in variety; also summer silks and pretty gowns for evening.

Subject in the Universalist church Sunday morning, "Our Relations." Y. P. C. U. at 6:30 p. m., Topic, "The effects of Anger." Immediately after the morning service a meeting of the board of trustees is requested to consider a matter of special interest. Sunday evening the sermon for Company C at the Armory, will be Upward Steps of Seventy Years. Ladies social next week Friday in the church.

H. L. Crane has been spending the week in town. Mrs. Crane is improving.

Rev. H. A. Smith preached last Sabbath from the Baptist pulpit in Bay City.

Rev. V. L. Garrett, of Morenci, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Dr. Hamilton, this week.

Judge J. R. Whelan and wife are here from Detroit to witness the school exercises this week.

Satterthwaite Bros. have sold a "Relay" to Jos. Osborn, who they say has learned to ride it.

Miss Edith Ingersoll is attending commencement week exercises at Adrian college, this week.

Rev. J. L. Gulick is rejoicing in the visit of his son, who has spent several years in South America.

Dr. F. O. Tefft has received the warrant appointing him regimental hospital steward of the 1st Inf., M. N. G.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide, of Detroit, were in town Saturday, having come out to participate in the Haynes-Hamilton reunion.

Mrs. W. A. Satterlee of Kansas City Mo. arrived in town last week and will remain a few weeks with her father's family, Dr. E. Hause.

The Bills race track has been put into excellent shape for the races next week and arrangements are being made for a first class Matinee on the 29th.

The Christian Endeavor society will have charge of the regular evening service at the Friends church next Sabbath. Missionary topic. Everybody invited.

Mrs. J. B. Rue of Battle Creek and Mrs. Nellie Fleming of Vermontville are guests of Mrs. Abbie Fisher, where they expect to remain during the heated term.

Fires have been raging east of Britton on account of the protracted drouth, having done much damage to wood, fences etc. It is to be hoped that the rain of Wednesday has put a stop to their ravages.

Co. C has been ordered to hold a special election on Saturday evening to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Capt. Hayden, and such other vacancies as may occur. It is hoped every member will be present.

Mrs. Josie Grayson moved her household goods to Chicago last Tuesday. The Grayson family left last night for the windy city which they will make their future home. Miss Dora will return in the fall to resume her work in the schools here.

The Owosso team has been strengthened in its management and playing force and has defeated the famous Page Fence Giants in three hotly contested games this week. Yesterday they held Adrian down to six runs and will give them a hot game today.

The Woman's Home Missionary society will give a ten cent supper in the M. E. church parlors, Tuesday, June 25. The Ridgeway society have accepted an invitation to join us in a social visit. Tea will be served from 5:30 to 6:30, after which Rev. J. Frazer, of Monroe, will deliver an address in the audience room, in the interests of home missions. A cordial invitation is given to the public to attend both supper and lecture. No admission charged, but a collection will be taken at the close of the meeting.

News received at the headquarters of the Cotton States and International Exposition indicates that the editorial associations of nearly all the states will make excursions to Atlanta during the fall to attend the Exposition. Some time ago the Exposition management issued invitations to the editorial associations of every state in the Union, inviting them to visit the Exposition in October. Favorable answers have been received from a dozen or more and advices from those who have not yet held their annual meetings indicate that Atlanta will be the Mecca of the editorial excursions next fall.

The resignation of W. H. Hayden as captain of Co. C has been accepted by the Adjutant General of the M. N. G. and the Captain steps out of service after being at the head of the company for nearly five years. His commission dates from Feb. 3, 1891, making him the senior captain of the regiment, while only one captain in the brigade outranked him in seniority. It is unnecessary to speak here of Capt. Hayden's personal exertions in securing the new armory or his untiring endeavors to keep the company in a condition which would merit the confidence and esteem of our citizens. Considering the tender spot which he occupies in the hearts of his men and the value which was placed upon his services by his superior officers they alone can testify. Co. C will have to perform a few evolutions in double time to make good this loss.

—COAL! COAL! COAL!—

Should be selected just as much as the clothes you wear, as there is just as much difference. Come and examine our coal and compare with all others. Below are a few of our customers who selected their coal this season; space compels us to put down only a few names: Geo. Bangs, L. Lilloy, Rev. Varner, John Messler, C. A. Wright, Rev. Blachford, John Grim, M. H. Hayden, F. B. Bauer, Jerome Cleveland, Albert Brewer, L. P. Tribou, A. W. Mills, B. F. Steinhoff, Geo. Teachout, D. L. Whitenack, Chas. Burridge, Wm. Steinhoff, Mrs. Alice Hardenburg, Wm. McCowen, S. W. Smith, Horace Weller, Geo. Smith, G. W. Fraser, Wm. H. Osborn, J. Phelps, E. C. Williamson.

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Settlers on Flint & Pere Marquette Lands Have No Cause for Alarm.

SAGINAW, June 17.—William L. Webber was land commissioner of the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad company in 1861, when 1,751 acres of land in Isabella county, for which the government has now set up a claim in the courts, were certified to the state by the federal government. In an interview Mr. Webber says that the secretary of the interior in that year decided that these lands were within the land grant made to the state for the railroad company, and expresses the opinion that if the attorney general of the United States would present himself of the facts he would hold that the government's claim was without merit. Over 19,500 acres of the land were sold before the passage of the act of [illegible] innocent purchasers, and he advises the present owners of the lands not to make any sacrifice by reason of the government's claim and not to indulge in any uneasiness concerning the ultimate outcome of the case.

Fire in Saginaw.

SAGINAW, June 18.—Fire Monday afternoon destroyed the whole interior of a block in the heart of the residence portion of the city, every barn and outbuilding being destroyed totally. The high school was damaged and several residences scorched. F. E. Talmage was the heaviest loser. He had thirteen horses in his stable and four were burned, among them the famous stallion Panama (2:24½), by Jay Gould, who was the sire of Pixley. Panama was the sire of Panama Maid (2:20½). The total loss is estimated at $15,000.

Takes an Appeal.

LANSING, June 18.—A matter is presented to the supreme court in the form of an application for a mandamus by Judge Kelley, circuit judge, compelling the state board of auditors to reinstate and allow his claim for traveling and other expenses incurred by him while out of his county on official business. If successful, it will establish an expensive precedent, which will apply to the judges in all of the thirty-six judicial circuits. The claim was rejected upon constitutional grounds.

Land Decision Against Michigan.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 14.—Secretary Hoke Smith has denied the appeal of the state of Michigan from a land office decision where the state claims certain alledged swamps lands were rejected. The lands in question were settled by the state and approved by the secretary of the interior, but before being patented it was shown the original survey was erroneous and the lands were not swamp and consequently not subject to the state's grant.

May Get His Money Back.

ANN ARBOR, June 14.—Edward M. Walsh, president of the senior law class, had $20,000 worth of bonds stolen from him in 1889, when he was in New York city. He has received a telegram from the chief of police in New York, saying that a man had been apprehended for the theft, and asking Walsh to come on and identify him. Walsh will go. He was formerly a sugar planter in Hawaii, and has been studying law for the past two years.

Crop Conditions.

LANSING, June 19. — The weekly bulletin of the Michigan weather bureau issued Tuesday night says:

"Over the upper peninsula and the northern end of the lower peninsula the rainfall has been plentiful and all crops are doing fairly well. Over the remainder of the state the spring drought has continued with great severity and all crops except corn are suffering greatly. Hay will be a short crop in all sections of the state. Cutworms and insects are generally reported. Corn is doing well."

Salvationists Jubilate.

BENTON HARBOR, June 17.—A large union meeting, including all Christian denominations in the city, was held at the Salvation Army barracks here Sunday. It was in honor of Staff Capt. Pebbles, general secretary of the army for the states of Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin, and Ensign Harron, secretary of this division, of Chicago, who were in attendance.

Dentists Meet.

DETROIT, June 19.—The State Dental associations of Indiana, Ohio and Michigan are this year trying the experiment of holding their annual state meetings in conjunction, and the opening session of the convention was held Tuesday at the Detroit college of medicine. The convention lasts three days.

Michigan Legislature Expensive.

LANSING, June 15. — The total expenses of the Michigan legislature of 1893, as computed by Auditor General Turner, amount to $123,975.52, which is $8,000 in excess of the legislature expenses two years ago. The members drew $123,975 for per diem and mileage and $9,589 for incidental expenses.

Boycotted by Preachers.

BENTON HARBOR, June 16.—The Sunday Morning News receives discouragement by five pastors of the leading orthodox churches publicly declining to furnish it with church announcements or reports of church services of any sort, they agreeing to furnish to none but weekday publications.

Graduated in Music.

ADRIAN, June 18.—The annual recital by the musical department of Adrian college took place at the chapel Monday evening. The graduating class, all of whom take the degree of bachelor of music, consists of Misses, Grace Bryant, Jennie Haverly, Maud Judge and Clarissa Wagner.

To Jail for Kissing a Woman.

HASTINGS, June 18.—Rev. Lewis G. Archer, charged with kissing Mrs. John Waters, of Battle Creek, pleaded guilty and was fined $35 or sixty days in jail. He went to jail.

Goes to the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The court of appeals has allowed an appeal to the United States supreme court of the pension case of Judge Charles D. Long, of Michigan.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Localities in Michigan.

A strange animal has been making havoc among farmers' flocks near Pine Lake, Cass county, having killed several head of cattle within the past few days. The animal is described by those who have seen it as resembling a panther.

Knights of the Maccabees of Union City and neighboring towns observed the fourteenth anniversary of the founding of modern Maccabeeism on the 11th inst.

The graduating class of the Michigan military academy at Orchard Lake numbered seventeen members.

While crossing the D., G. H. & M. tracks at Stony Creek, Mrs. Cornelius Groves and Mrs. Osborn were struck by an east bound freight, and Mrs. Groves received fatal injuries and Mrs. Osborn was painfully hurt.

By the death of a grandmother in Maine Mrs. Theodore Grinnell, of Port Huron, receives a legacy of $60,000.

Cigar stores and candy shops in Allegan have been forced to close on Sunday through the efforts of energetic ladies.

An effort is being made to break the will of William Browny, of Marshall, who died leaving his entire estate, valued at $100,000, to persons not blood relatives.

The Michigan grand lodge of odd fellows will meet in Lansing October 3.

Charles Willis, who assaulted 4-year-old Bessie Perry last April at Detroit, was sentenced to serve a life term at Jackson prison.

Miss Emma Bower, of Ann Arbor, was elected president of the Michigan Woman's Press association at its annual meeting in Lansing.

The appeal of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan Railroad company against the decree of the United States circuit court of Ohio, ordering the sale of the road July 2, has been granted and the sale will not take place.

The assessed valuation of Lansing property is $7,853,255.

It cost $4,000 to reach a conviction in the trial of "Del" Swartz at Coldwater.

Dr. O. R. Long, superintendent of the Michigan asylum for dangerous and criminal insane at Ionia, has declined a professorship in the University of Michigan.

The owners of the Chicora at Benton Harbor say the search for the boat will be continued if necessary all summer.

The annual Hackley Park assembly will be held from July 20 to August 5.

Bonds to the amount of $100,000 will be issued for current expenses by the city of Grand Rapids.

Philip Last, aged 76, dropped dead in Sturgis recently.

A sewer trench caved in on John Riepma at Grand Rapids. He was dead when released from his fatal prison.

Charles Friedman was drowned while bathing in Reed's lake, near Grand Rapids.

Vineyards in the vicinity of Berrien Springs are putting forward a second crop of grapes since the frost killed the first one. The grape crop will be late, but there will be half a crop at least.

Discouraged at the threatened failure of his crops Charles Pfander, living near Battle Creek, ended his life with a dose of poison.

The cornerstone of the new armory at Monroe will be laid July 4. Gov. Rich will officiate.

Christian Endeavor.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 17.—The convention of the Christian Endeavor society of the Reformed church in America closed Sunday with addresses and reports. There are forty-five societies representing six states, with a total membership of about 2,500. It was decided to organize a general society of Christian Endeavor in the west, representing the territory west of Cleveland. Rev. John Lamar, of this city, was elected president.

Cash in the State Treasury.

LANSING, June 14.—The total cash balance in the hands of the state treasury at the close of business Friday night was $112,000. The treasury has undergone its severest strain for the present year, and from now until the end of the present month will receive a greater part of the state taxes collected, which are now in the hands of the county treasurers.

New Mining Company.

IRON MOUNTAIN, June 17.—The Antoine Ore company, organized here with a capital stock of $100,000, will operate the Traders' mine and other properties now under lease to John T. Jones. Mrs. Jones is president and R. Williams, of Sharon, Pa., secretary and treasurer. Pennsylvania capitalists are largely interested in the deal.

Will Spare the Trees.

ANN ARBOR, June 14.—Ann Arbor has a number of magnificent oak trees standing so as to blockade the sidewalk in several of the principal residence streets. The council made a vigorous attempt to cause their removal. The trees will remain.

Pioneer Burned to Death.

BATTLE CREEK, June 13. — Louis Winters, a pioneer of Newton, was found burned to death. The supposition is that children set fire to brush near a fence. The old man in fighting the fire to save his fence became exhausted and fell into the fire.

Lightning's Fatal Work.

BIG RAPIDS, June 14.—During a heavy thunder shower E. E. Fisk, a contractor at work for John M. Martin, 8 miles northwest of here, was leading his horse into Martin's barn, when lightning struck the building, killing Fisk and his horse.

Broke His Neck.

FLINT, June 14.—Israel Root, of Flint township, was driving to town with a load of potatoes, when a wagon wheel went into a hole, and he was thrown out and his neck broken. He was 71 years of age, and leaves a son and daughter.

RAILWAY BRIDGE FALLS.

Several People Hurt on the Chicago & West Michigan.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 17.—Saturday while a crowd of people and several railway employes were on the east end of the old Chicago & West Michigan railway bridge, which is now no longer used for regular railway traffic, the foot-passenger part gave way and fifteen or twenty people were precipitated to rocks below, a distance of 15 feet. No one was killed, but a number were injured, as follows:

Michael Devos, 68 years, cut over right eye and injured internally; John Devos, right ankle sprained; Frank White, right knee cap broken; Henry Wylie, brakeman, right wrist broken and right hip sprained; Henry Hurdorn, 7 years old, chest injured; Jacob Quint, 7 years, right foot broken.

BIG FREIGHT BOAT ORDERED.

Wheeler & Co. Will Build a Great Steel Steamer.

BAY CITY, June 19.—Wheeler & Co., shipbuilders, have closed a contract with David Whitney, of Detroit, for a steel freight steamer, to be 358 feet over all, 10½ beam, and 20½ depth of hold. The Wheeler company has also ordered material for a steamer which will be similar to the Whitney boat, and which will be built on stock account. With these two boats the shipyard will have seven vessels in course of construction, the entire work aggregating over $1,000,000 in value.

BIG CROP OF PEACHES.

Michigan Growers Will Supply All the Markets Can Possibly Handle.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., June 18.—The peach crop in this vicinity is going to be full and fine this year. Peaches are dropping off in some localities, but in this vicinity there will be all the peaches the market can stand. Some growers are compelled to go over their orchards with shears and cut off large quantities of peaches to prevent limbs from breaking down. The strawberry crop was small, but the peach crop will be large.

Peddlers' License Law Void.

LANSING, June 15.—The law passed at the last session controlling the business of hawking and peddling has been found to be defective. An attempt was made to amend the law of 1889, placing the matter of licenses and fees under control of township boards instead of the state treasurer in the upper peninsula, so as to apply to the entire state, but the title was not amended, the act fails, and hawkers and peddlers in the lower peninsula will get their license from the state treasurer as heretofore.

Mackinac Island Reservation.

LANSING, June 19.—As soon after July 1 as the governor of Michigan and the state legislature make a demand on the United States for the possession of Mackinac Island military reservation the greater part of that summer resort will become a public park of the state of Michigan. The act of congress ceding the island will go into effect the date named and will require only the concurrent acceptance by the Michigan executive and legislature to ratify the transfer.

Racing at Detroit.

DETROIT, June 19.—The four days' meeting of the Gentlemen's Driving club of Highland Park opened Tuesday afternoon. There was a good crowd in attendance. The winners: Three-minute class, trotting, purse, $500—Basil Wilkes; best time, 2:30¾. Two-twenty class, pacing, purse, $400—Nicol R.; best time, 2:17¼. Two-thirty-five class, trotting, purse, $300—Noral; best time, 2:26¾.

First Use of the Michigan.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—Michigan's naval militia contingent will probably get the first chance at the warship Michigan for training purposes at the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1. At present the Michigan is doing survey work off Cleveland, and Detroit will be the next stopping place, where the Michigan reserve will go aboard for a summer practice cruise.

Postmaster Resigns.

GALLEN, June 17.—J. P. Jones, who enjoyed the distinction of being the youngest postmaster in the state at his appointment, and who has enjoyed the unusual privilege of being the only republican postmaster in Berrien county left in office by the present administration, has resigned. He is compelled to vacate the office on account of ill health.

Killed by Lightning.

RAVENNA, June 18.—Mrs. Edward Burleson, of Wayland, Allegan county, who was attending the Free Methodist camp meeting half a mile east of the village, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Her sister, Mrs. Gregory, who was occupying the same tent, was severely shocked but will recover.

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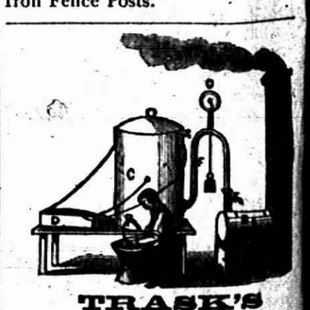

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

C. L. WOODBRIDGE & Co., importers of dress trimmings, buttons, etc., in [illegible], failed with liabilities of $200,000.

THE Milford savings bank at Nashua, N. H., closed its doors.

A WASHINGTON dispatch says that the exports of breadstuffs during May amounted to $11,809,697, a gain of $1,000,000 over May last year. For the last eleven months, however, there has been a falling off of over $52,500,000.

THE chief of police of Youngstown, O., issued orders for the closing of all places of business hereafter on Sunday.

JAMES BROCK, aged 92, and his wife, aged 90, passed through Pineville, Ky., on foot, en route from Harlan to Jackson county, a tramp of 100 miles. They have been married seventy-two years.

LEE HARRIS and Ben Mitchell, colored highway robbers and murderers, were hanged at Birmingham, Ala., for killing Pleasant Merriwether, a groceryman.

AT Mankato, Minn., the Cassidy Packing company made an assignment with liabilities of $100,000.

SEVERE hailstorms swept the central and northern parts of Iowa, doing great damage to crops.

THE silver convention completed its labors at Memphis, Tenn., by the adoption of a series of free-coinage resolutions and providing for a "national campaign of education."

GEORGE ANDREWS, a negro wife murderer, was hanged at Belvidere, N. J.

THE United States cruiser Raleigh left New York for Key West, Fla., to take up patrol duty on the Florida and gulf coasts in the endeavor to prevent Cuban filibustering expeditions.

THE Distilling & Cattle Feeding company, known throughout the length of the land as the whisky trust, was declared by the Illinois supreme court to be illegal.

ROBERT MCCALLUM, aged 19, left New York for Queenstown in a 19-foot boat, with a dog for his only companion. He will receive $5,000 if he gets across in forty-five days.

JOHN LAWSON, the "Terrible Swede," broke the world's bicycle record for 5 miles, going the distance in Chicago in 11:33 2-5.

ONE DOLLAR was paid for cash wheat in the St. Louis market. It consisted of a carload of the new wheat of the 1896 crop, raised in Missouri.

THE formal transfer of the island of Formosa to Japan was announced in a cablegram from the Japanese foreign office to the legation in Washington.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND signed an order prepared by the civil service commission whereby 2,000 positions in the government printing office are put within the classified service.

THE Western Manufacturing company at Lincoln, Neb., failed for $100,000.

A TRUST was formed in New York having for its object the entire control of the wood pulp papermaking industry of the United States.

HAL POINTER (2:04½) and Mascot (2:04) will pace two races, best three heats in five, at the grand circuit meeting in Buffalo, N. Y., in August.

I. D. HANCOCK, who killed his wife at Fort Valley, Ga., cremated himself in his own house.

THE National Brewers' association in session at Milwaukee elected Leo Ebert, of Ironton, O., as president.

A. S. MOORE, a former employe of Inman, Swan & Co., of New York, was said to be a defaulter to the amount of $102,000.

OVER forty houses and barns were blown down by a cyclone near Carney, O. T., and Alfred Dodge, a farmer, was killed.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 14th aggregated $1,033,010,496, against $1,131,685,552 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 21.8.

THERE were 241 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 14th, against 195 the week previous and 232 in the corresponding time in 1894.

LIGHT OF THE WEST, an imported stallion valued at $10,000, owned by Burgess Bros., died at Lacon, Ill. The horse took first premium at the World's Columbian exposition.

BY the explosion of the boiler in Henry J. Langley's loom and harness factory at Fall River, Mass., four persons were killed and two fatally hurt.

PHILLIP GOODWIN (colored) was hanged at Mobile, Ala., for the murder of John Poole.

W. H. JOHNSON, the defaulting ex-auditor of Muscatine county, Ia., who absconded after robbing the county funds of $30,000, has been located at Honolulu, Hawaii.

THE director of the mint, R. E. Preston, estimates the world's production of gold for the calendar year 1894 at $181,510,000, against $158,836,000 for 1893, showing an increase during the year of $22,674,000.

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J. PIERPONT MORGAN'S prize dog Roslyn Wilkes, valued at $10,000, deliberately committed suicide at West Point, N. Y., by drowning himself.

THE Golden Fleece Mining company at Denver, Col., said that it had been robbed of hundreds of thousands of dollars at its mines near Georgetown, the thieves having systematically pilfered rich sortings from the washings for months.

THE Thirty-ninth general assembly of Illinois adjourned sine die.

CLAY MILLARD, Will Cowle and John Eldred were drowned by the capsizing of a sailboat at West Superior, Wis.

FOUR persons were drowned in the St. Louis river near Duluth, Minn., by the capsizing of a sailboat. One was the boatman and the other three were father and two sons.

THE 118th anniversary of the adoption of the stars and stripes as the emblem of the United States was observed in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities.

PERCENTAGES of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 15th were: Boston, .641; Baltimore, .605; Pittsburgh, .600; Cleveland, .590; Chicago, .553; Cincinnati, .534; Philadelphia, .523; New York, .511; Brooklyn, .500; Washington, .463; St. Louis, .326; Louisville, .166.

FRANK WILLIAMS, a farmer at Francis, Kan., while in a jealous rage attempted to murder his wife, Miss Alice Smith and William Smith. He then beat the brains out of his two children and then killed himself.

GEORGE HARRIS (colored) was lynched and riddled with bullets at Pendleton Creek, Ga., for an attempted assault on a white woman.

THE treasury receipts at Washington from customs and internal revenue so far during the month of June show no improvement during last month, while the disbursements remain practically the same.

SEVERAL business buildings, besides three printing offices, the Methodist Episcopal church and a number of houses were burned at Greenville, O., the total loss being $150,000.

H. R. JACOBS' theater in New York city was burned, the loss being $200,000.

IN a railway collision at Yemassee, S. C., several cars were wrecked and four colored tramps who were stealing a ride were cut to pieces.

A RUNAWAY car near Elkins, W. Va., ran into a hand car and killed John Daily, Michael Katterman and Felix Roy.

A PORTION of Grayson county, Tex., was devastated by a cyclone. Thousands of acres of crops were destroyed and many houses blown down.

THE west-bound stage was held up near Ukiah, Cal., by a lone highwayman who secured $1,200 from the Wells-Fargo express box.

THE skeletons of seven persons, four adults and three children, were exhumed in a field near Brighton, Col., and it was believed they were the remains of a murdered party of emigrants.

MORT MCCULLOUGH, of Fort Worth, Tex., killed his wife and committed suicide.

THE town of Auderried, Pa., was threatened with destruction by the caving in of mines and the people had deserted their homes.

IN a fire in a livery stable at South Bend, Ind., fourteen valuable horses were cremated.

GOV. MORTON, of New York, signed a bill providing for the study in the public schools of the nature and effects of alcoholic drinks.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 17th was: Wheat, 47,717,000 bushels; corn, 10,784,000 bushels; oats, 8,661,000 bushels; rye, 117,000 bushels; barley, 118,000 bushels.

FRED C. FLOYD shot and killed Hattie Coombs near Trenton, N. J., because she refused to marry him and then killed himself.

THREE colored fishermen, Thomas Mixon, Hezekiah Mack and Ashley Peden, were drowned at Wrightsville, N. C., by their boat capsizing.

OWING to poor business prospects the Penny Stove company at Albany, N. Y., one of the largest stove manufacturing firms in the United States, went into voluntary liquidation.

MRS. J. K. EMMET, recently shot at San Francisco by her husband, an actor, refused to prosecute, and the case was dismissed.

JOSEPH WESTGATE killed Mrs. Christian Hambright, his mother-in-law, at Lancaster, Pa., and then took his own life.

A CLOUD burst 6 miles east of Cameron, Mo., did great damage to the growing crops.

J. S. PRINCE, of Omaha, Neb., professional bicyclist, beat by one-quarter of a mile on Washington park track in El Paso, Tex., a relay of three horses in a 10-mile race. Prince's time was 32:17.

JOHN BROWN and his wife were killed and thrown into the Ohio river at Stone City, Ky. Who committed the crime no one knew.

A CYCLONE wrecked over a dozen houses at Hartford, Kan.

TOM BUTTERWICK, 19 years of age, and his brother George, aged 15, sons of a well-known farmer near Kansas City, Mo., were struck by lightning and killed.

MRS. JAMES DRENNEN and her 5-year-old son were burned to death near Hamilton, Ala. A few days before Mr. Drennen was killed by a horse. The family is now extinct.

THE Bank of Commerce, one of the oldest financial institutions at Indianapolis, made an assignment.

THE Harlem ship canal, which connects the Hudson river with Long Island sound, was formally opened.

A CYCLONE swept a wide path at Kenwood, Ia., and vicinity, killing several persons and doing great damage to property.

AT Sandusky, O., Burt L. Hastings killed Lizzie Stoldt because she would not marry him and then fatally shot himself.

HENRY J. ALDRICH, of Denver, president and general manager of the Colorado Securities company, was missing, and his accounts were said to be $400,000 short.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning June 23. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Ways of the Wicked and Their End.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xxiv. 1-25.

This lesson is from one of Job's speeches in answer to Eliphaz. Vivid as had been the description of the wicked and their destruction given by the friends of Job, no one of them uttered anything so deeply thoughtful and full of insight into the truth as this passage. He concludes that the wicked are not really prosperous and successful, though for a time they may have power and plenty. In the end they are swallowed up by the grave and forgotten and their wickedness is broken.

Fruits of the Meeting.

No better refutation of the criticisms passed upon the conventions of the League and Endeavor societies, as immoral in tendency, can be asked than the manifest results to the churches from these great gatherings. There is wonderful inspiration in numbers, but the value of these councils is not in the numbers called together. Lifelong attachments will undoubtedly be formed. Marriages may result from acquaintance made at these assemblies.

Where is the evil of this? What better place for Christian young men and women to meet each other and begin friendships of greater or less intimacy? Yet the best results are seen in other things. They will be visible in a deepened spirit of devotion when these young people return to the home churches and live out in daily activity the new thoughts and aspirations first awakened in convention services. Ten thousand churches, scattered from the far north to the far south, from Atlantic to Pacific waters, will feel new pulse throbs of spiritual life as the story of the inspiring hours is retold. Social ties will be strengthened. Literary taste will be purified and ennobled. Relief work will take on new phases, and deeper sympathy will result in closer search for work needing willing hands. Purity of spirit and more earnest devotion of talents to the work of Christ, deeper loyalty to the church and higher patriotism and love of country will inevitably result from all this counseling together.

Lift Up.

This part of the League motto has many applications. No sooner does one become a Christian and conscious of sins forgiven than he begins to desire the conversion of others and sets to work to lift them up. True piety manifests itself in striving after better social, physical and mental conditions.

As soon as the war was over and the slaves liberated, what multitudes desired a better education! This wish was largely so that they might read the Bible and know more of God's will. In every land it is the same. Preaching the gospel compels the building of schools, the opening of hospitals, the education in industrial arts and domestic economy. The Christian religion lifts the whole man and elevates every part of society. It is making these earthly days and toils bring in the kingdom of God.

Piety and Patriotism.

The two go well together. Without the first the second is short lived. One of the most notable and encouraging features of Christian Endeavor work is the emphasis placed upon education in duties of citizenship and loyalty to the nation.

The Epworth League has not made the observance of national holidays and the study of their lessons so prominent a feature of their work as is perhaps advisable, yet there is the recognition of the principles involved, and greater emphasis will be given to these matters in coming time.

Devotion to God, personal culture, church loyalty and love of country are aims which elevate our young people and give promise of stability and righteousness in the days ahead.

Catholic Summer School.

Whatever Father Phelan of St. Louis may think and write in opposition to assemblies of young people it is evident that the great mass of the people have never seen nor heard of the terrible things he fears. The Catholic church has recognized the tendency of the times by establishing a summer school under the charge of some of her most devoted and talented members, clerical and lay. The first session was held in New London, Conn., two years since. Lectures in history, philosophy, theology and literature were given by men of eminent attainments. The second session was held in Plattsburg, N. Y. It is expected that this assembly will be in a small way to that church what Chautauqua has proved to be to Protestantism.

Convention Week.

This week, the long talked of and prepared for convention in Chattanooga will become an accomplished fact. Many from all parts of the land have been arranging to take an earlier vacation than usual in order to attend the sessions of the second International League convention. The hotels and houses of the city have been made ready for the influx of a multitude. Large and well organized committees have had every essential detail under careful advisement, and on Wednesday evening the city will be filled with strangers all ready for the opening session the following morning.

All who are unable to attend should watch the secular and religious papers for reports of the proceedings.

Our National Anniversary.

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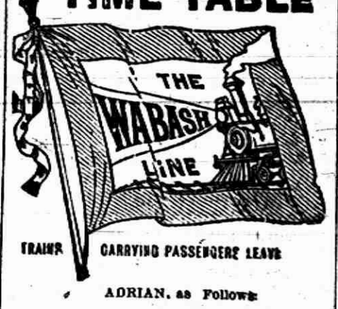

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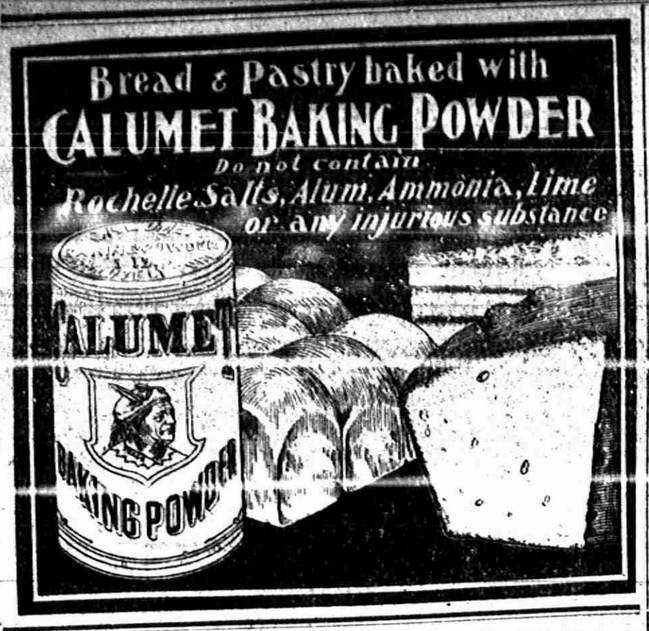

BASE BALL BATS.

ADRIAN VS. LANSING.

The Demons were done up. It seems that no club can keep in such form that they will always win and the Senators had an easy job. The teams drove over from Adrian in the afternoon accompanied by a very large number of 'fans' from the city. Robinson took the box for Lansing and pitched an easy game, that is, easy for himself but rather hard for the batters who touched him for few safe hits, while Lansing struck Derrick for 18. Adrian took first turn with Smith at bat who went out first, Justice flew to 2d, while Mulhern went out on a fly to Stines. For Lansing, Sholta after two strikes made a liner to Mulhorn who muffed it. Stines took a base on balls, McKeritt hit to center bringing in Sholta, the first score. Stines got in on a throw to 2nd while Daly made a long hit to left bringing in McKeritt. Ferguson put up a balloon to center and both Crafts misjudged the ball. Morrisey flew out to Justice ending the inning with 6 scores for Lansing, only 3 being earned. Rank errors on the part of Adrian in this inning started Lansing in the lead which they kept to the end of the game, though good hits by Lynch, Derrick and Wilson and a 3-bagger allowed Adrian to run up 5 scores in the 2d. A somewhat rank decision on a foul and several errors let Lansing get four more scores in their half which practically decided the game. In the 7th, Mulhern and P. Kraft tried to get the same fly. Kraft got the ball while Mulhern got a closed eye which retired him for the game. A lively scrap enlivened the game at one point and proved the ring has superior attractions to the diamond. Lansing put up a good even game, doing excellent outfielding while Elton behind the bat made fine throws to 2d and held the ball well. Adrian's poor infielding, several misjudged balls and errors on bases were very costly. Derrick was hit rather hard but must be given the credit of always playing his best ball, no matter how the game goes, which can hardly be said of all his associates. The score is given below:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lansing	6	5	1	0	3	0	0	0	*	—15
Adrian	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	—8

Earned runs—Lansing, 1; Adrian, 2. Two-base hits—Dailey, Graham. Three-base hit—D. Kraft. Passed balls—Graham 1. Base on balls—Robinson 5 Derrick 3. Struck out—by Robinson 1, by Derrick 2. Left on bases—Lansing 11, Adrian 4. Double play Graham to P. Kraft. Time—2:00. Umpire—Burnett. Attendance—525.

COLTS VS. GIANTS.

It is with fear and trembling that we take in hand the soft lead pencil to chronicle a game in which such long-seated strife and animosity exists that a word of unmerited praise or censure would bring upon the defenceless scribe the wrath of giants and the treachery of unbroken colts. But the public must be informed and, blindfolded, we let justice guide the graphic graphite No. 2. String Dove, a promising 2-year-old, took the box for the Colts, while the Giants imported a brawny stranger to the Titan brood, and Spaulding twirled the ball for them. The celebrated war horse, Hi, sustained his rep behind the bat, though disabled by a sprained thumb. Floy Heesen and Purdy held the ball for the Teutons—that is, sometimes they held it and sometimes it passed. Of course everyone expected to see the Colts, under the coaching of such experienced old wheel horses as Hi, Mac, Patsy and Cliff, make easy work of the sluggish Goliaths. But luck was against the equines, and play and coach as they would, those untamed, frisky yearlings would muff, throw wild and fall down whenever a good play was needed. Some of those steeds are good hitters, too, but the strange giant queered them. The complacency of that paper-maker is a wonder. No howling or wildest coaching rattles his sleepy self composure, which is quite exasperating to his opponents. However, Patsy lost the ball for him once, making a home run. The bulky chief of the moulders played in excellent form, being everywhere present with his imposing, gigantic stature to inspire and encourage. Although the score was high on both sides, the batting was not hard and the runs were made by a glorious record of the most brilliant errors ever witnessed. Hold on! Amid all the confusion and muffs and balls, one Colt shines through the muddy fog without an error, and that, too, on 1st, where balls came thick and fast. A wonderful record for an unbroken 10-year-old.

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Butter	10	12
Eggs, per doz	10	12
Lard, per lb		12
Potatoes, per bushel	40 to	60
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		10
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		12¼
Smoked Ham		10½
Smoked Shoulders		8
Beef, by the side	6	8
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 00	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00 to	12½
Veal, dressed, per lb	5 to	10
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12½
Chickens, per lb		8
Hides, green		5
Sheep Pelts	25 to	35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		6 49
Red		
Corn, shelled	58 60 to	65
Oats	31 to	38
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 50 to	8 00
Hay, clover, per ton		7 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		90
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, June 19.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$4 35 @	6 00
Sheep	1 75 @	4 75
Hogs	4 60 @	5 10
FLOUR—Winter Patents	4 25 @	4 75
Minnesota Straights	3 85 @	4 25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	76¾ @	77
Ungraded Red	73 @	79
CORN—No. 2	53¾ @	54¾
Ungraded Mixed	52 @	57½
OATS—No. 2	31¾ @	33½
Mixed Western	32 @	33
RYE	50 @	57
PORK—Mess, New	13 50 @	14 25
LARD—Western Steam	6 67½ @	6 70
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	12 @	18
Western Dairy	9 @	14
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$3 75 @	5 95
Stockers and Feeders	2 25 @	3 90
Butchers' Steers	3 50 @	4 00
Cows	1 70 @	3 60
Texas Steers	2 60 @	4 50
HOGS	4 35 @	4 55
SHEEP	1 50 @	4 30
BUTTER—Creamery	8 @	17½
Dairy	8 @	15
Packing Stock	8 @	9
EGGS—Fresh	10 @	11½
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 00 @	120 00
POTATOES, New (per bbl)	1 40 @	2 00
PORK—Mess	12 37½ @	12 50
LARD—Steam	6 55 @	6 60
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 30 @	3 85
Spring Straights	2 50 @	3 35
Winter Patents	3 20 @	3 60
Winter Straights	3 00 @	3 25
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	73 @	74
Corn, No. 2	49 @	49¾
Oats, No. 2	28¾ @	29
Rye, No. 2	62 @	62½
Barley, Common to Choice	49 @	53½
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	74¼ @	74¾
Corn, No. 3	47½ @	47¾
Oats, No. 2 White	31¾ @	31½
Rye, No. 1	68½ @	68¾
Barley, No. 2	50 @	50¾
PORK—Mess	12 30 @	12 35
LARD	6 45 @	6 5
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 20 @	3 30
Texans	3 10 @	4 30
HOGS	4 15 @	4 70
SHEEP	1 75 @	3 25
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 50 @	5 25
Feeders	2 50 @	3 75
HOGS—Light and Mixed	4 05 @	4 40
Heavy	4 40 @	4 52½
SHEEP	3 00 @	4 00

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 29th day of June, 1895, and on the 29th day of November, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of May, A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 31, 1895.

BRONSON C. KNAPP,
SEATON W. ANDERSON,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 17th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

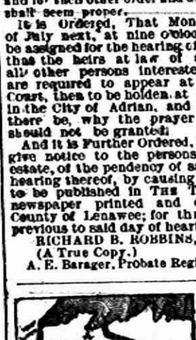
In the matter of the Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Linton, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the provisions of said will, and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted;

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.



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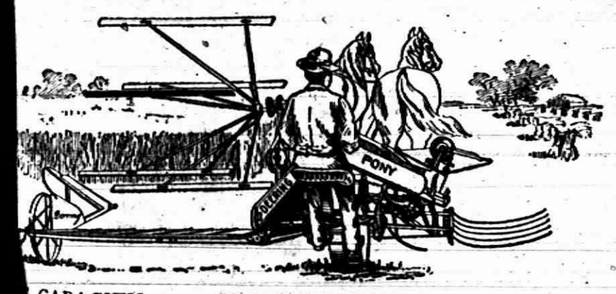

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A FINE PROGRAM PRESENTED.

Ten Graduates Cross the Threshold From School Days Into the Active Duties of Life.

The school commencement possesses attractions for both old and young. The young look upon it with a feeling akin to awe, regarding it as the goal of their own ambition, wondering whether they can ever attain the coveted position, and resolving to press onward and redouble their efforts to equal or surpass those who have gone before. There is a stimulus about such a gathering, to a bright intellect, that nothing else possesses. True, some geniuses have achieved greatness with but little school training in their youth. But these few exceptional cases only emphasize the general rule, that both men and women who become famous in the professions, in literature, and even in business, lay the foundations in school and college for the fame that awaits them in maturer years. The boys and girls of today, who possess the mental aptitude to excel, are drawn to the commencement exercises as naturally as the needle is drawn to the pole. Here they drink in the inspiration, which moulds their resolves, which stimulates their ambition and which spurs them on to achieve a name and fame in life. And older heads take delight in the commencement season no less than the young. Here they renew their youth, for a brief time, live over again their own school days. Here they note with a keen relish those who will become the scholars of the future, and select in mental vision the favored few whom they mark for future greatness. Hence the commencement season is the same old story and yet it is ever new.

The Class of '95 will rank as one of the best that ever received their diplomas from the Tecumseh High School. It contains ten members, equally divided between the sexes, all of whom have arrived at mature years. Tecumseh, Franklin, Raisin and Clinton are represented in the list. The ability of the members, with their extensive circle of acquaintances, combined to draw a larger gathering than usual and the opera house was crowded to overflowing with a brilliant audience. The stage setting was very tasty and not overdone and the gallery front was trimmed with festoons of bunting. The weather clerk was in a very gracious mood, as the evening was cool and delightful, while the audience was a sympathetic one, as commencement audiences always are. The class motto, "Energy Wins the Way," stamped its impress upon the exercises from the first to the last number. It was a superior program, given to an audience that could appreciate its excellence.

Promptly at eight o'clock the first selection was announced and the exercises proceeded in the following order:

Music—Song	Wellington Grayson
Invocation	Rev. C. M. Brown
Music	Miss Anderson's Orchestra
Salutatory	Pauline R. Wilson
Oration—The Influences of Virgil	Francis M. Stead
Essay—Professional Education of Women	Alice J. Temple
Music	The Grayson Family
Oration—No Stephenson in America	Thomas E. Caldwell
Oration—Noble Discontent	Howard Whelan
Essay—Language	Mattie E. Caldwell
Music—Chorus	Grammar Grade Pupils
Essay—Science	Ora B. Gillespie
Class Prophecy—Time, 1915.	Henry C. Calhoun, Alice L. Cutting
Valedictory	Clarence B. Hurry
Music	Male Quartette
Presentation of Diplomas	P. S. McKinnon
Benediction	Rev. C. M. Brown

The essays were all of superior merit, and they were delivered in a manner which disclosed both intellectual brightness and thorough school training. The prophecy was a very happy innovation, being in the form of a colloquy between two members of the class. It struck a responsive chord in the hearts of the audience, however, and was the most prominent feature of the program. The music, too, was fully in harmony with the essays and orations. The vocal selections were in charge of Miss Dora Grayson, which is sufficient eulogy to bestow upon them. The selection by Miss Anderson's orchestra, composed of adults and juveniles, was a brilliant performance, which elicited a hearty round of applause. In presenting the diplomas, Mr. McKinnon, the moderator of the board, gave the class a few words of excellent advice and admonition, which should be cherished in kind remembrance as they start upon the journey of active life.

The gift tables in front of the stage were laden with flowers and the collection comprised many mementoes of value, such as books, jewelry and other articles. A synopsis of the essays is appended, which will show their character. Lack of space alone, not lack of merit, prevents their publication entire.

Salutatory.

BY PAULINE R. WILSON.

In behalf of the class of '95 it is my pleasant duty to welcome here tonight not only our friends but all who are interested in the welfare of the Tecumseh schools. The welcome I extend to you is more than a mere formality, for this is an occasion of more than usual importance to us. And we shall strive to do our best tonight and keep the record up to its usual high standard. Our four years in the high school have been only preparatory work and the real work and study of life is about to begin. Nearly forty of us started as proud, happy freshmen in 1891. As reckless and jolly sophomores we numbered twenty-six and we grew into a sober, industrious junior class of sixteen. About Thanksgiving time of that year we resolved to distinguish ourselves in some way and hit upon an old time exhibition, with a Shakespearian play as a climax. A junior was known in those days by the pocket edition of Shakespeare which he produced at every opportunity. The 20th of February was the eventful day, and when the curtain fell on the last act we realized what a success our junior exhibition was. Then followed our pleasant receptions and banquets at the close of the year and we became ten dignified seniors. The four years of our high school course have been very pleasant ones. They have brought us much of sunshine and a few shadows. We only hope that the value of the lessons and duties they have taught us may be as great as the efforts they have cost us. Again thanking you for your presence with us this evening, I will leave it with my associates to further entertain you.

Influences of Virgil.

BY FRANCIS M. STEAD.

In these modern days, we note with satisfaction, that in the minds of all who love the literature of ancient Rome, the bard who basked in the sunshine of a Caesar's favor, still holds the supreme place among the writers of Latin origin. We are glad of this and hope that Virgil's fame may never decrease. We rejoice at it, not only because we honor the greatness of the intellect that could conceive an epic worthy to be a sequel to Homer's Illiad, not only because we wonder at the perseverance of the man who devoted eleven years of his life to its composition, not only because his memory has been cherished by the masters of thought who have followed him, but also because we wish to see Virgil read and honored by every boy and girl student of this nineteenth century, and chiefly because he has exerted, directly and indirectly, a marked influence upon the growth of Christianity. The life of Virgil was a revelation to the degenerate Romans of his day, for it was to them a constant reminder of what Christian virtue ought to be. It is said that even the voluptuous satirist Horace could not speak of his friend Virgil, but that his voice would hush into a tone of tender reverence. Born in an age when truth and morality existed only in name, when Roman civilization itself was tottering on its very foundations, Virgil could and did maintain a life of spotless character. The highest tribute that can be paid to his virtues lies in the esteem in which he was held by all. The influence of his poetry upon all literature is shown everywhere. They have entered more largely than is generally supposed into the composition of the master pieces of all languages. Milton was susceptible to them, especially in his Paradise Lost, which is considered by many the grandest epic in existence. Dante owed a large part of his inspiration for the Divine Comedy to Virgil. We might multiply instances of great minds feeding upon Virgil. But the greatest influence he exerted was upon Christianity by the hymn entitled Pollio, the most famous of his pastoral songs. Many regard it as a direct prophecy, foretelling the birth of Christ. Probably this influence was the chief cause of the Emperor Constantine's conversion. If Virgil had not written his Pollio, we might not have had Constantine's Edict of Toleration, and the entire course of the world's history might have been changed.

Professional Education of Women.

BY ALICE J. TEMPLE.

The history of the past few decades is largely concerned in the history of womankind and the improvement that has taken place in the condition of women as workers. Many arts, trades and branches of business, which have hitherto been carried on by men only, are invaded more and more by women. As the demand is growing louder and the necessity more imperious, it is desirable that women should find such labor as they are naturally well fitted for. A woman may engage in any work for which her physical powers fit her, provided she is otherwise capable of maintaining her position in the place which she elects to occupy. But there is a general lack of serious preparation among women for occupations of every kind. A girl may throw herself heartily into a profession for two or three years, but then she has choose between business and a domestic life. But should not woman be thoroughly trained in some direction, prepare herself for life's vicissitudes; in short, master some subject in all its details and thus make herself a far better woman, even in a domestic capacity? Girls, however, do not often view the subject in this way. They do not realize the length of life's road, and that though it may seemed to be fulfilled when one enters the gate of marriage, yet one-third of a woman's life is usually passed after her children are grown; that the education and use of the early part of life determine the aspect of this latter third. A capable and educated woman will find these latter days full of enthusiasm and enjoyment. The number of women in the three learned professions of theology law and medicine is constantly increasing. There are 2500 women in the United States practicing medicine, 275 preaching the gospel and the number of women lawyers is constantly growing larger. Next to these, the greatest profession is that of teaching, and in this women largely outnumber the men. Life is a service, and the question is: Whom shall we serve? Mr. Parker answers this query when he says, that the greatest work of women is to teach children. There are thirteen millions of children enrolled in the public schools of this country, and two-thirds of our teachers, or nearly three hundred thousand, are women. Woman should take up this work with a relish for she is peculiarly adapted to it. Another art which is receiving more attention recently, is that of Cooking. Owing to the influence of Domestic Science, this subject is now receiving proper consideration. Women are pressing their way into almost every field of action, so that now the question is not: "What may a woman do?" but rather: "What may a woman not do?"

No Stephenson In America.

BY THOMAS E. CALDWELL.

On the 3d day of December, 1894, the famous novelist, Robert Louis Stephenson, died. His death was the greatest loss the literary world has sustained in years. He has been likened to Shakespeare in originality and depth. America united with Europe in mourning his death, who invalid that he was, had made life merrier and happier for the people of two continents. But as certain as death comes to a great man, so certain is the question asked: "Who can fill his place?" Its no easy task to find a successor to Stephenson. The public first turned to Scotland, the home of Stephenson, and they were not entirely disappointed. They then turned to America, the land of abundant promise, but the list of American writers was searched in vain. America has plenty of authors who can write for present popularity, but none whose works would be admired by posterity. Is there no explanation of this? Why can not America, so rich and powerful, so far as gold can make it so, take her place with the foremost in literary achievements? Is it because America has time only to get rich? Greece and Rome passed through the same struggle. It was not until after Greece had been shorn of her power that literature and art shone forth in all their glory. It was only after the love of conquest had departed and Rome had become impoverished that the masterpieces of art and literature were produced. Shall America follow the example set centuries ago, or shall she take her merited place among modern nations whose writers find recognition and homage among the great names of other countries? Shall some Augustus or Elizabeth have to take the reins in America before the literature of this country takes its place with the masterpieces of the world? Will the American people realize that they possess the knowledge and power to place themselves on a par with any nation, however old and cultured it may be?

Noble Discontent.

BY HOWARD WHELAN.

The late Prof. David Swing said: "Man should be contented, but never satisfied;" that is, he should be contented with his present lot, but filled with that untiring energy which arouses men to noble deeds. What an amount of human wisdom is embodied in those words, "Contented, but never satisfied." We should be contented with the life we now enjoy, but still we should not be drones. Abraham Lincoln started in life a poor boy. He was not satisfied to perform his day's labor and then sit down in idleness. It is the persistent working at some definite plan that causes a man to steadily rise. We must not expect fortune to come to us. Fortune has fleet wings and if we do not grasp her as she passes, our opportunity is lost. A man must put heart and soul into his business to achieve success. That time honored motto, "There is always room at the top," is a true one. Some of the most learned men the world has ever known are living today. Sidney Smith says: "Have the courage to be ignorant of a great many things, that you may avoid the calamity of being ignorant of all things." We should not take too wide a scope for our future, but limit ourselves to a narrow range. This is a large world and it takes constant work on the part of the most learned men to be among the first; but is this any reason why we lesser ones should become discouraged? A certain amount of difficulty doubtless strengthens the resolution, invigorates the will and toughens the chords and sinews of both mind and heart. It has been clearly demonstrated that it is not in the sheltered garden or the hot house, but on the rugged Alpine cliffs, where the storms beat most violently, that the hardiest plants are reared. A certain amount of misfortune and hardship in early life seems to be essential to ultimate success. Determination, courage, ability and will are elements that seem to have led others to success. They have been self-reliant, but not conceited. They have not trusted too much to themselves, but have listened to the warnings of experience. They have been contented, but never satisfied. May this be the ideal of the Class of '95.

Language.

BY MATTIE E. CALDWELL.

Language, in its general sense is any means of communicating thought. This is accomplished by the use of spoken words, or characters representing them, Hence language is "Human Speech." How and when language originated is not known. One thing is quite certain, that it did originate. It is not an inborn faculty; otherwise we would inherit it as we do our senses. The two most popular theories regarding its origin are these; That of divine inspiration to our first parents, and that of invention by man in the earliest era of the world's history. The latter theory is the one generally accepted at present. Any divine faculty or power bestowed upon one man cannot be imparted to another. But an invention can be learned and understood by study. The sign or gesture language was the earliest form of communication. Take the savage as a specimen of primitive man. He knows but the mere rudiments of spoken language, but he can tell a whole history in a few simple gestures. Notice the first attempts of a child to master the spoken language. Why did not the gesture language suffice since it is so easily attained? It would be useless at night. And this proves the truth of the old saying: "Necessity is the mother of invention." Thus in the moment of necessity the spoken language was begun. The connection of language with words and thought is very close. Words form our language. They are the combinations of sound by which we express ourselves. Thought is that revolution of the mind which produces language. Language has been called the record of thought. Through it is recorded for our benefit the whole history of the world from its foundation. Of what use would be thought, if there was no language to impart it to the world. The beautiful conceptions of the poet would be useless if they could not be shared by others. The names of Homer, Milton and Shakespeare would express nothing to us. Even the Bible, the source of all light and truth could not have been written. Language then is one of the greatest blessings the world possesses. Written language followed the spoken, then the telegraph and telephone. What will the next stage be?

Science.

BY ORA B. GILLESPIE.

In geometry we learn that a straight path is the shortest distance between two points. In science it is not always so; we must build our knowledge piece by piece along a zigzag path. The term science comes from the Latin word Scientia and means a classified knowledge of principles and causes, ascertained truths or facts. Science discovers and classifies, but can neither create nor destroy. Hence we say: "Science is classified knowledge; it is certainty; truth found out." A knowledge of science is not gained in a single day. It involves industry and continuance. A great violinist gave this as his secret of success: "Twelve hours a day for twenty years." Noah Webster was thirty-six years in completing his dictionary. He began the work in 1807. Finding difficulties in etymology, he devoted ten years to this study, then completed the dictionary. He then revised and enlarged it and published it in 1846. Wm. Harvey, the great physician, labored eight years before he discovered the circulation of the blood. James Watt worked eight years on his condensing engine. Many other scientists were as long in preparing their work. Science has been the means of perfecting electricity. Electricity has always existed, but only recently has it come into practical use. The development of the means for using electrical force has been very slow. We are anxiously waiting for the wizard of Menlo Park, or some other electrician, to develope the means whereby every house may be both lighted and heated by this mysterious force. Botany teaches us of all that treats of the vegetable kingdom. Everything relating to plants is included in this science. The study of science, says Prof. Woodhull, is valuable for the purpose of developing a constructive imagination. It begets a desire to examine the evidences of everything. It furnishes a foundation for religion. Science prospers in the same proportion as religion does. The light of science is from God and no one can afford to brush it aside. Its aims are noble, inspiring and spiritually elevating. To be sure, we have not yet reached the scientific ideal, but judging from its growth in the past few years, who dare prophecy its future?

Valedictory.

BY CLARENCE B. HURRY.

Nearly every intelligent young person has his day dreams. It appears so easy and yet how few either attain anything like their ideal. Not less than 250,000,000 of people have lived and died in the U. S. since the discovery of America. Yet out of this vast number the experts who compiled the encyclopedia of American Biography could find, after the most careful research, only 15142 names considered worthy of mention. What a comment on human vanity and weakness that for every 16000 persons who live only one achieves sufficient honor to warrant the historian in recording his name. This fact should arouse serious thought. Every young man should ask himself, "Shall I be one of that great horde of bending reeds, driven hither and thither by public opinion, or shall I resolve to rise above the common throng and live a life which shall be a credit to myself and to the nation in which we live? Youth is the seed time of life and whatsoever ye sow that shall ye also reap. This is an intensely practical age, and our young people are beginning to realize the practical necessity of a college education. To-day, whatever business or profession we enter, we are obliged to compete with men of classical learning. Can we hope to succeed unless we fit ourselves to stand on an equality with them? "There is always room at the top" but the top is much higher now than it was fifty years ago. Our course of study in the High School would compare favorably with that of any college in 1840. The standard of learning advances with the progress of civilization and unless we gain the highest education now, we will find ourselves below the level. To the friends and patrons of the Tecumseh schools we wish to express our obligations. To your kindness and liberality do we owe the fact that we have been permitted to enjoy the privilege of a free school. Notwithstanding the late financial depression, it has steadily advanced its standard. And in behalf of the class of '95 we wish to extend to our teachers, who have labored so faithfully for our advancement, our heart felt thanks. Fellow members of the class, Let us resolve tonight to work harder than ever before, constantly pushing onward and upward, never resting satisfied until we reach the goal of our highest ambition. Remember that "energy wins the way."

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JUNE 28, 1895.

Jno. Hazlett, the Tecumseh tailor, was in town last week.

James Ferrick rides a new Columbia purchased of Demuth.

Robert Lake, the Jackson contractor, was on our streets Monday.

Neal H. Williams is visiting his friend Howard Hause, at Ann Arbor.

Little Florence Niblack was taken quite ill with convulsions Monday.

Mrs. Hendrick, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Sullivan over Sunday.

Miss Louise Krames and Oscar Blum, of Manchester, spent Sunday at Chas. Kidd's.

Photographers from Findlay, Ohio, were taking snap shots of the village Monday.

Chas. Ellis was off duty the last of last week, suffering from a slight indisposition.

Miss Mame Bradner went to Britton Monday. She is spending the week in that vicinity.

The mother and sister of M. C. Reeves are over from Ann Arbor making the Doctor a visit.

Sun Bros. exhibit their only own show here tomorrow. Just keep your eye on the good people.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Breese left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Grand Rapids and surrounding towns.

Mrs. McConnell, of Franklin street, is making some repairs to her house which are a decided improvement.

Miss Louise VanDeMark went to Tecumseh Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with friends there.

Miss Winifred Dodge, who was the guest of Miss Alice Halliday last week, returned to her home in Hudson last Friday.

W. R. Keyser has disposed of his meat market and general provision store to Chas. Bosteedor, who took possession Monday.

Steve Huntington, who has been railroading in Wisconsin since last February, commenced weaving in the mill again this week.

Miss Belle Thomas, of New York City, is visiting at Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh's. Miss Thomas contemplates attending the University next year.

Henry and Geo. Lancaster and Andrew McDerMott drove to Britton Tuesday to take the Wabash into Detroit for the purpose of witnessing the Derby races.

Frank Ice arrived from Mt. Summit Tuesday. He returns the last of the week. Mrs. Ice, who has been spending some time here with relatives and friends, and Miss Ollive Mills will accompany him.

Miss Rachael Smith left for Chatanooga, Tenn., Tuesday, as a delegate to the Epworth League convention to be held in that city. A. C. Huntington and daughter, Sadie, and Miss Bertha Shugars accompanied the delegate.

Last Monday the steel girders, which are to support the brick work in the front wall of the new buildings on the corner, were put in place. The work of laying up the front, which had been delayed for some time, has since been rapidly pushed along.

The Masons of Clinton observed St. John's day in a very appropriate manner. A committee of the Eastern Star furnished flowers and the graves of departed members were decorated. In the evening a banquet was held with a short and interesting program.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Allen went to Ann Arbor Thursday. They will witness the graduation of the class of which Flavius Knight is a member. Mr. Knight will be a made an M. D. He will probably take kindly to a profession whose practice requires so much labor after sundown.

Clinton and vicinity with the rest of the country hereabouts, are suffering beyond expression from the drouth. The crop of hay is hardly worth cutting while wheat and oats are perhaps the poorest ever known. Pasturage is being rapidly dryed up. This sounds something like a chronic kick, but a short ride in the country will convince us that it is a serious, cold pickled fact, without a line of romonce or poetry about it.

Ice cream, sandwiches and coffee will be served at the social held in the town hall tomorrow night. Refreshments will begin at 3 p. m. The following program will be given in the evening:

Instrumental Duet—Tessie Carroll, Minnie Humphrey.
Vocal Solo—Rev. Fr. Heidenreich.
Recitation—P. C. Ryan.
Piano Solo—Miss Julia Heidenreich.
Violin Solo—Miss Katherine Noone.
Vocal Duet—Lizzie Sullivan, Minnie Humphrey.
Violin Solo—Rev. Fr. Heidenreich.
Recitation—Tessie Carroll.
Vocal Duet—Minnie Hnmphrey, S. B. Renshaw.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Farmers have commenced haying and report a light crop.

Very dry, no rain for two weeks; weavel in the wheat doing much damage; 10 per cent falling by their work, or more.

Chas. Dewey and Bert Case went to Toledo Sunday on the excursion. They took their wheels and we expect they canvassed the city.

The ice cream social at Andrew Billmeyer's, Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the Episcopal church, was largely attended. Receipts for ice cream, $8.

The exercises of Children's Day, which occurred on the evening of June 16th, at the Episcopal church, was a very pleasant event. The exercises consisted of music, recitations, essays and select readings, which were rendered very nicely and show that the Sunday school is still alive.

4th of July Rates.

July 3d and 4th, the Lake Shore & Mich. Sou. R'y will sell reduced rate excursion tickets to points within 200 miles of stations, good to return until July 5th. 2w

Eczema of the scalp or scald head, even in its most severe form, is never-failingly cured by Doan's Ointment, the surest specific for all itchiness of the skin.

DISTRICT NO. 5, CLINTON.

The school in District No. 5, Clinton, closed the year's work with exercises and a picnic in B. J. Rector's woods, Thursday afternoon, June 13th. Shortly after noon clouds began to gather and soon rain fell, and the children were fearful lest their anticipated pleasure was to end in disappointment, but soon the clouds passed over and the sun shone brightly, drying the grass, and the children's spirits were soon as bright as the sunshine. The people of the district arrived in due time at the picnic grounds, where Mr. Rector had erected a stage and prepared seats and tables. The exercises were necessarily late in beginning, but the little people were thoroughly prepared to please the patrons of the school with songs, instrumental music, essays, recitations and comic dialogues, which were thoroughly enjoyed, or would have been had not the wind blown so hard as to interfere with hearing plainly. At the close of the exercises two little girls stepped forward and presented the teacher, Miss Halsted, with a book of poems, as a token of love and esteem. Miss Halsted was taken by surprise and could only respond with a broken, tearful "Thank you." She distributed the certificates of promotion, after which all repaired to the tables where a delicious supper was served, also plenty of ice cream and cake. After supper, the good byes were spoken, for Miss Halsted was to start the next morning for her home in New York, and the people and pupils wended their way homeward, well pleased with the entertainment and very much gratified with the work done in the school the past year. Miss Halsted is a thorough teacher and the district would be very glad to retain her another year.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Wm. Raymond's people visited friends in Tecumseh last Sunday.

A. N. Baker and wife are in Lyons, O., this week calling on friends.

Farmers are in the midst of their haying, but the job will be a very light one.

Our new bridge is completed and the township has put a good railing on the same.

Several of our farmers are plowing up their poor meadows and sowing them to fodder corn.

N. Gleason was called away to the bedside of sick friends at Lyons, O., last evening.

Mrs. Charles Potts, Mrs. F. G. Alcock and Mrs. John McPhail are reported no better at this writing.

Daniel Bateman is confined to the house with a very severe attack of siatic rheumatism.

Our neighbors all around us have been blessed with refreshing showers of late, but yet we have not been remembered.

In Self-Defense

you ought to keep your flesh up. Disease will follow, if you let it get below a healthy standard. No matter how this comes, what you need is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. That is the greatest flesh-builder known to medical science far surpassing filthy Cod liver oil and all its nasty compounds. It's suited to the most delicate stomachs. It makes the morbidly thin plump and rosy, with health and strength. Send for a free pamphlet, or remit 10 cts. (stamps) and get a book of 168 pages with testimonials, addresses and portraits. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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A Valuable Find.

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4th of July Excursion Rates.

The C., J. & M. R'y will, as usual, sell special excursion tickets, at rate of one fare for the round trip, between all points, including Cincinnati and points on connecting lines. Special tickets on sale July 3d and 4th, good returning up to and including July 5, 1895. For full particulars, attractions, etc., see handbills or call on nearest C., J. & M. agent.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Pass. Ag't.

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The C. S. Graves Land Company, 56 5th Avenue, Chicago, is offering land at from $5 to $10 per acre. This land is recommended by the Chairman of the County Board of Supervisors of Clark county, Wis., where land is located, and by over one hundred actual purchasers. All who make a thorough examination are satisfied. Write for particulars.

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Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 189 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

Half Fare to Chattanooga.

The Queen and Crescent will sell tickets Cincinnati to Chattanooga and return at one fare for the round trip June 25th to 27th, with liberal limits and conditions, on account of the International Epworth League meeting. Ask any ticket agent for particulars, or address

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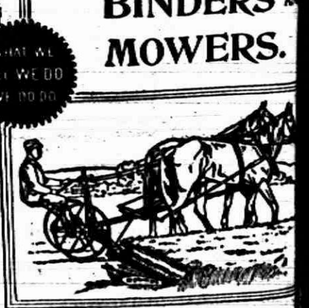

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Miss Mame Bradner, of Clinton, is in town this week.

Miss Lizzie McCarbery was a Tecumseh visitor last week.

The boiler for Kniffin's brick and tile has arrived Tuesday.

The new addition to the elevator is rapidly being completed.

Miss Eva Welling visited her brother Harvey and friends here this week.

Mrs. W. Lenardson visited friends in Toledo and Sylvania the first of the week.

Mrs. Rice and son Will, of Clio, are visiting at her sister's, Mrs. Neal Ex-ley's.

Mrs. W. C. Babcock is taking in the commencement exercises at Ypsilanti this week.

Rev. Edward Palmer, of Covert, has been visiting his parents in this vicinity this week.

Clyme Hause and daughter Emma, and E. F. Sink and Miss Myrtle Searle of Adrian visitors Friday.

We are glad to note the improvement in health of Miss Lizzie DuBois, who has been ill for some time.

Many mechanics from town attended the barn raising at A. Easlick's Wednesday afternoon. They raised the barn, nothing else.

C. M. Bright, of Battle Creek, has taken the place of Will Allen in the C., S. & M. ticket office during the latter's vacation this week.

Mrs. W. F. Clark returned from La-Porte, Ind., Saturday and reports her mother as much better, her condition now enabling her to sit up most of the time.

Geo. Smith was slightly overcome by the severe heat of Tuesday, but soon recovered. However, Geo. will have to wait a little cool on such days for a while.

Will Underwood has just struck a vein of water in his well which flows to the surface. Sam Boyd did the work and will now do a similar job for Wes Hulf.

Britton is a town with very acute civic instincts. For this reason we understood, as soon as the schools are out a large number of very learned experts.

Station Agent W. E. Allen and wife are visiting in commencement week at Ann Arbor this week. Mrs. Allen's brother, Will Hancock, graduates this year from the college.

The mother's meeting will be held next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Osgood. All ladies interested in this branch of social purity are invited to attend.

Ed. Lenardson and wife, of Blissfield, and Miss Pearl Bennett of Shelby, were the guests of C. S. and E. W. Wilson a part of last week. The latter returned to Blissfield Sunday.

The ball game was played last Saturday on the second nine of Britton and Lime Cone. The score was 31 to 21. We do not ascertain which side had 31, but the other was not quite shut out which makes no difference.

The Britton Giants play the Ypsilanti Underwear Makers at the grounds this afternoon today. We predict the Ypsi's will have to spend the rest of the season practicing a new line of their favorite excuses after the Giants get through with them.

Mr. Hudson, of Deerfield, has been in town recently canvassing the prospects for starting in a saloon in the village. Some people will probably have soon to decide whether to have a saloon or not and the sooner they make up their minds the better.

Britton has been served by the highway commissioner on property holders who voted that a meeting will be held at Mrs. Osgood's, Tuesday, July 2d., for the purpose of considering the question of laying out a street through the Wabash depot yards. The street would be somewhat expensive, and as its opening would doubtless be opposed by the Wabash people, the project will probably meet with some opposition.

Last Tuesday evening a party of about twelve jolly Brittonites, both old and young, assembled at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Underwood. The occasion was a party given by the latter in honor of their guests, Mrs. Wm. Boyd and Miss May Holcomb, of Williams, who have been visiting here since Saturday and returned Wednesday. A very pleasant social time was enjoyed by all and the entertaining powers of the hosts fully appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson, of Ridgeway were also present.

The game played here last Saturday between Clinton and Britton, was quite close and interesting, notwithstanding the fact that slugging was the prominent feature. Harris was a dead easy mark for the Giants, while the weavers Biggs and Easlick for a good share of safe hits. The wind also helped things along. Kelley's home run in the 7th was made on the longest hit ever made on the grounds. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Britton	2	7	1	2	1	3	0	4	*	—20
Clinton	2	5	0	0	0	4	6	1	0	—18

Batteries, Biggs, Easlick and Lowe. Struck off Harris, 22; off Biggs, 8; off Easlick, 6.

Umpires, Britton 11, Clinton 13.

—NOTICE.—

Those who have subscribed for the building fund of the Reformed Church of Britton are kindly requested to pay their subscriptions, in full, by July 1st. The money can be handed either to Rev. Rederus or Dr. P. B. Hardy, of this place. By order of building committee.

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Mothers of daughters should know Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Farmers are haying and the cut is very light.

Mrs. C. L. Lowe is under the doctor's care at this writing.

Grandma Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, is here visiting old friends.

Miss Spaulding, of Clinton, was the guest of Erwin Palmer over Sunday.

Miss Mary Osgood is in Ypsilanti this week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Gorton.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton went to Toledo Monday, for a week's visit with friends.

V. G. Burdeck, of Augusta, visited Agent B. Beedle and family over Sunday.

G. W. Jackson and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with Dr. D. W. Loree and family.

Mrs. David Allison and children, of Stony Creek, visited her brother, Daniel Linn, Sunday.

Rev. S. L. Ramsdall, of Clinton, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday, morning and evening.

Several from here attended the Farmers' Club picnic held in M. Davidson's grove last Friday.

David Coryell and wife and Grandma Smith, of Newburg, were calling on relatives here Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, are here for their vacation with Mr. Wilson's parents.

John Houseman and wife, of Essex, Clinton county, visited relatives here a few days, returning Monday.

Miss Emma Miller and Mrs. DeWitt Martin visited friends in Ypsilanti Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Quite a number attended the township Sunday-school institute held in South Macon church last week Wednesday.

Miss Kittie Clark went to Ypsilanti for a week's visit with the Rappleye sisters and to attend the Normal commencement.

Mrs. Catherine Cox, who has been visiting relatives at Pittsford and Malory Lake for several weeks, returned home Saturday.

MACON MUSIC.

Little Florence Niblack, of Clinton, is reported very sick.

Miss Elva Richart returned home from Chicago last Saturday.

Children's day services at the Reformed church, Sunday, drew the usual full house.

Mrs. Martha Betzer and children returned last Saturday from their long stay at Mason.

Two aid societies this week, one at the home of Mrs. Eliza Hendershot, and one at Mrs. James Boises.

On Tuesday, June 25th, the funeral services of Mrs. Frank Whiting of Lake Ridge, were held at their home.

Two new iron bridges are being built, one crossing the Macon by the saw mill, and one by Wesley Pennington's place.

Saturday closes Mrs. Denykes long term as mail carrier, and Mr. Sarver commences his duties the Monday following.

Several couples from Macon went to the lakes last week. The trouble is that when once the fatal habit is started, it is so catching.

Joseph Howell, who graduated last Wednesday from the Normal, has accepted the position of principal of the Gladwin schools with four assistant teachers.

Much needed repairs are being put on the school grounds. The roof-shaped finish to the new fence will effectually keep the small boy from using it as a promenade.

So many of our citizens were compelled to attend the Dorrell-Miller suit at Adrian this week, that Macon was not so well represented as usual at the Ypsilanti Normal Commencement.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. mean to show their patriotism and celebrate the Fourth by an entertainment and ice cream social on the school grounds that evening. The following program has been prepared:

Invocation—Rev. J. I. Gulic.
Music—Ladies' Quartette.
Recitation—Bertha O'Hara.
Cornet Solo—Clare Camburn.
Song—Florence Camburn.
Violin and Organ—Mrs. Fred Camburn and Lewis Skinner.
Recitation—Charles Skinner.
Song—Male Quartette.
Recitation—Nellie Gooding.
Duet—Mamie Pratt and Mabel Allen.
Guitar, Mandolin and Organ—Mrs. Harrington Delia and Jennie Mills.
Oration—Rev. Hageman.
Song—Isaiah Hendershot and Wm. Richart.
Ten minute speeches.
Song—Star Spangled Banner.

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A RAISIN SOCIAL IN TECUMSEH.

On Saturday afternoon, June 7th, the Ladies' Aid Society of the Raisin Presbyterian church held a social at the home of Mrs. A. Richard in this village. A large number attended and filled the house to overflowing. After part of the company had arrived, Mr. Richard was informed that, in order to carry out the program that had been previously arranged for the occasion he must deliver an address of welcome. Owing to the short notice, he left out the address and, in a few brief words, welcomed his old friends and neighbors of Raisin to his home. He said it was hardly necessary for him to do this, as many similar gatherings at his old home in Raisin must have assured the good people of Raisin that they are always welcome. There is a little green valley in the center of the heart in which is enshrined many pleasant memories, and dearest of all are those of the labors of love and joyous social occasions with the people of the Raisin Presbyterian church. He hoped this would not be the last gathering of the kind and assured those present that they would always find the latch string out and warm hearts and kind hands ready to greet them. Mrs. W. E. Doty, in reply, read a poem written for the occasion, after which the regular business of the society was attended to. Supper and a general good time occupied the rest of the afternoon.

We thank you very kindly, for we were glad to come
To have a social meeting in your happy, cosey home.
We come with generous feelings—good appetites, likewise—
For you will find us mortals, not angels in disguise.

We remember quite distinctly your good and friendly cheer,
That always so refreshed us when you were living near;
Your kind and cheerful greetings, your quiet, cordial way;
So with happy feelings we come to you today.

While we are here together we will simply tell to you
Our aim and our object, what we intend to do.
Our object is sweet charity; our aim, though very slow,
Is to pay the church debt that oppress the members so.

When we need a shepard to guard this little band
And preach to us of heaven, he is made to understand.
That small must be his salary—we cannot pay him more—
Because this heavy church debt rests on our shoulders sore.

To help remove this burden and money matters mend,
To the wheel we put our shoulders and give an onward send.
We'll work with willing spirits, and hoping for the best,
Using our one small talent, will leave to God the rest.

We likewise do our duty and in the cause are strong,
We give unto the missions to help them move along.
But still we think it duty our money to save some
To help benighted heathens we have here at home.

Don't think us selfconceited because in the present day
The talk of women franchise o'er country has its sway.
Now we are very lenient and know we never can
Begin to raise this money without the aid of man.

Now, in this pleasant meeting, we hope we shall renew
The old and friendly feelings that in bygone days were true,
When we would meet together with loved ones gone before,
Who having passed the river rest on the shining shore.

Your father, how we miss him, a pillar good and strong,
Now with his life companion he is singing his new song.
But when he went and left us we think his mantle fell
Upon his only grandson, who wears that mantle well.

As past, so in the future, our friendship we'll renew,
And along life's pathway bright memories we'll strew.
And when our labor is ended we'll enter, one by one,
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 25th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mathew L. Root, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, Petitioner, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 22d day of July, nex , at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this Order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 17th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Linton, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the provisions of said will, and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 15th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ann Norcross, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 26th day of June, 1895, and on the 26th day of November, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 20th day of May, A. D. 1895, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 31, 1895.

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ENERGY WINS THE WAY

Continued from first page.

Prophecy.

ALICE CUTTING AND HENRY CALHOUN.

Place—in Detroit. Rapping at door.

H. Is this Miss Cutting?

A. It is.

H. Do you not recognize me?

A. No Sir.

H. Do you remember a classmate—Henry Calhoun?

A. Of course I do. Walk in and sit down. I think this is quite an eventful day for me. You are the second one of our class that I have seen today for the first time since we left school. I saw Pauline this morning. I presume you saw by the bills down town that she is to speak in the Auditorium tonight?

H. Yes. I heard at Monroe that she was to speak here.

A. How do you happen to be here today? Let's see, it has been about 20 years, has it not, since we graduated? What have you been doing since then?

H. I took a degree as LL D. at Ann Arbor after I left Tecumseh and later located at Elkhart, Ind., where I have since resided. Legal business and other matters of interest induced me to come to Detroit today, and when I was told that you were here, I resolved to call and renew my old acquaintanceship. Your residence here in the city is significant that you are engaged in some occupation, is it not?

A. Yes; I have been here now nearly 15 years. I only went away to school a very short time and soon obtained this position as stenographer for the Evening Post. I am obliged to be on the road most of the time but make this my headquarters. I enjoy the work very much as it gives me the opportunity of hearing some of the best lecturers. I presume your business relations have brought you in contact with some of the members of the class have they not?

H. Yes. I have seen several and heard of others. Not long ago I was traveling in Iowa and during a strike was obliged to spend several days in Des Moines. On Sunday evening, as I was strolling down the street, I came to a large, brick church that, by its broad entrance and magnificent appearance, together with a peculiar presentiment that came over me, caused me to enter. Within it was adorned with costly tapestry and had all the touches of the modern artist, and was capable of seating about 2,500. I had not been in the church long before a tall gentleman, with dark hair and smiling countenance and of very striking appearance, entered and at once took his seat in the pulpit. I inquired of a man sitting beside me who the pastor was and was amazed to hear that it was Frank Stead, the great pulpit orator and platform Demosthenes of the West. His charming manner and deep learning had gained him a position among the first pastors of that district and as I listened to his eloquent address that evening, my thoughts wandered back to our schooldays, passed together in Tecumseh, and I could see now the result of such zealous and untiring application to his studies.

A. I am glad one of our class is so happy and I am sure another is enjoying life just as much.

H. Then you have heard of another classmate?

A. Yes. I must tell you how I happened to know. During the fall of 1905 my health failed me and the physician said that I must seek a warmer climate, and rest through the winter, so I decided to go to Mobile. While at Louisville, Ky., waiting for my train, I noticed a couple that looked familiar. The lady was slender, had dark hair and wore glasses. The gentleman was of light complexion and very stately carriage and dignified mein.

H. Ha, ha, your description is sufficient, you need not name the couple. I remember how thoroughly Cupid had them ensnared and with what frequency occurred their committee meetings and moonlight promenades. So she writes Mrs. Whelan now instead of Miss Osborne. How are they situated?

A. Before we left the depot I found that this couple was Howard and Hattie and that they were going to the same city. We had a long, pleasant journey together and when I said that I was going to spend the winter there they were determined to entertain me.

H. I presume Howard is practicing law is he not? He told me that was his chosen profession.

A. Yes; he has a very large practice in Mobile for he is considered the best lawyer in the city. He is also greatly interested in politics. I heard him make several political speeches while there. His business is so great that he is at home very little.

One day during my stay with them, I received a letter from Alice Temple. It was so pleasant to hear from her, especially as I knew that Howard and Hattie were both interested in her too.

H. Alice Temple! Where is she located and in what is she engaged? I have not seen her for years.

A. Neither have I, but we have always corresponded since we left Tecumseh. You saw her occasionally while she was in Ypsilanti did you not?

H. Yes, I saw her quite often but never since then. Time always seemed to hang heavily upon her hands as one more Day was alloted to her each week than to the rest of us.

A. Well, after she finished college she taught school in several places during which time she was preparing herself for a foreign missionary. I had not heard from her for over a year when I received the letter at Mobile. In that she told of her work in Greenland, where she is laboring at the present time. She said that they were doing a grand work there. They had established six mission stations in the southern part and two farther north. I wonder where Clarence Hurry is?

H. About a year ago I was called to my old home in Clinton by the death of a relative and a very tall, stately gentleman had charge of the funeral arrangements. His general demeaner reminded me of some one that I had known and it dawned upon me that this was Clarence Hurry. He manifested great skill and taste in conducting the services and I found later how this came about. The former undertaker of Clinton had a daughter who, by her winning ways, had gained the respect and admiration of our [illegible] turned to the same business which her father followed, an alliance was easily and satisfactorily formed and after Clarence had gained a college education he immediately married this lady of his choice and became a partner with her father. Later, as the business increased and the [illegible] retired, Mr. Hurry became sole repositor of departed souls. I learned that he takes great interest in politics and reform movements and had twice been honored as mayor of the city. Such a Hurry—cane in politics seldom passes public notice and honor.

A. That is nearly always so and I hope he is satisfied with his reward. He ought to consider it a great honor to be maror of such a progressive city as Clinton. I intend making a visit there before long and I must not fail to call on them. I presume music is an especial feature of their home?

H. Oh yes. They are both good singers and Mrs. Hurry plays very finely.

A. I remember that she used to play and she showed considerable talent in that accomplishment. There are so many more opportunities now of studying music than when we were young. Don't you think so?

H. Yes, I do. It seems to be the universal desire of late years to be well versed in this fine art. One seldom finds a school now in which music is not taught, instrumental as well as vocal.

A. Why you know that is what Ora Gillespie is doing. She is teaching music in the largest school in Minneapolis, and she also has a large private class. Last winter while visiting there I attended one of her recitals. It was perfectly grand! Some of the pupils were so young it must have taken a great deal of patience to teach them to render such long pieces in a faultless manner. I don't know when I have enjoyed anything so much. Do you know what profession Thomas Caldwell is engaged in?

H. Yes. Haven't you heard of his success of late years?

A. No, I have heard nothing of him.

H. He first graduated in the literary department at the U. of M. in 1901 and while in college was engaged on the staff of the Courier and showed signs of great talent in that line. Later he removed to Saginaw and bought a paper, and in a very few years made a marvelous success of it, converting a mere local paper into an interesting state journal. He disposed of the paper at Saginaw for a handsome sum and invested it as a partner in the "Cleveland Herald."

A. What rapid progress he made! Have you heard anything of him since then?

H. Yes, has served two terms as alderman and in 1900 was elected to the state senate. His efficiency in politics proved even more marvelous than his success in journalism and as a recognition of his untiring efforts to maintain pure local government, he was nominated and elected to the lower house of Congress. His service here was of the same characteristic nature as in his other offices and again last fall he was returned to Congress with an overwhelming majority and he is now serving on the committee of war, possibly on account of his successful use of the Knapp-sack when yet a youth—. vertheless he is serving his country nobly and is the recognized leader of the Ohio delegation although a junior member.

A. I heard some years ago that Mattie was also in Cleveland. Is she living with Tom?

H. Yes, she lived with him till about a year ago. In the meantime she was taking instruction in painting and music. But in the midst of her studies she received word from abroad that a rich uncle had died and left her a large portion of his wealth. This enabled her to complete her much desired education in a foreign land and after speedy preparation she sailed for Italy. Under the instruction of one of the most able teachers of Florence, she made great advancement in her studies. Last summer she completed her course and returned home. Not long afterward her ability was recognized from the several public appearances which she made and an offer was extended her from the Conservatory of Music, in Chicago, to become one of its teachers, and the last I heard of her she had accepted the position and was meeting with flattering approbation.

H. (Taking out his watch.) It is about time for the lecture to begin and if we intend to hear Pauline Wilson tonight we must start before long. What is her subject?

A. "Women and Social Reform."

H. Then she is a Woman's Suffrage advocate?

A. O yes, one of the strongest kind. This reform wholly absorbs her attention, and she contributes many articles to the leading magazines.

H. Do you know as to her success as a lecturer?

A. I read an account of one of her lectures not long ago and it spoke very highly of her.

H. I have the greatest confidence in her success in her present capacity. If she has lost none of her youthful vim she will lead her party on to victory and precipitate her political enemies in an equal fate as befell the fallen angels.

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On Friday last this spirit was evinced by the usual large number who had driven from the surrounding country to witness the debut of the Class of '95, and in that number were representatives of nearly every school year and class since the founding of the institution 46 years ago. The stage was tastily and elaborately decorated with bunting, ferns and lillies to welcome the crowded hall, which was filled at an early hour. Jackson's orchestra opened the exercises with a pleasing selection and the Class of '95, consisting of six young gentlemen and three ladies, took their places on the rostrum. Aunt Laura Haviland, whose very presence is an inspiration to all who know her and especially to those connected with this institution of the Friends, invoked the Divine blessing and asked that the Teacher of Teachers might give knowledge to all who walked from those doors. The program was given as below, except that the second and eighth essays changed places in the order given here.

PROGRAM.

Music.....Jackson's Orchestra

Invocation.

Past and Future.....Ralph G. Westgate
The Loom of Life.....E. Rose Ladd
The Maid of Orleans.....Charles A. Coffin
Music.....Jackson's Orchestra
Footsteps Echoing Through the Corridors of Time.....Valentine H. Slee
Influence of Literature.....A. Blanche Coffin
The Triumph of Peace.....J. Emerson Beal
Music.....Jackson's Orchestra
Beyond the Alps Lies Italy.....Halsey C. Sayrs
Unity in Diversity.....Mable A. Graves
The Intensity of the Age.....W. Frank Hill
Music.....Jackson's Orchestra

Class Address.

The Power of Thought.....Pro'. B. Binford

Class Song.

Presentation of Diplomas.

Music.....Jackson's Orchestra

Benediction.

The productions were carefully written and delivered in a way which showed much attention to elocution and a thorough preparation for the occasion. The various themes disclosed the proclivities of their authors for poetry, history, literature, practical utility and science, as well as the studious zeal with which each one had gleaned and arranged their ideas on their chosen subject. A short synopsis of each is given.

PAST AND FUTURE.—RALPH G. WESTGATE.

In looking into the past we see that Egypt built up an empire of strength for a time and attained to considerable knowledge, but only left to us the principle of the inclined plane in the way of inventions. Rome progressed far in education, but then retarded. The early Brittons were isolated and unknown for many generations, for no inventions made their life practical as a social unity. The savages of this country could not profit by education or invention and melted rapidly before their advances. In the past time, before inventions had revolutionized the civilization of the world, great advancement was made in learning and great nations were founded. But this was not power for the people and the principle that might made right ruled all. The knowledge and privileges secured to the people through means of modern inventions has changed this condition. The inventions of the alphabet, the press, the application of steam and electricity were cited and their various influences on life of today clearly shown. It was facetiously shown how a man would soon be able to put on his hat, button up his coat, step into a tube and be blown across the continent in no time.

UNITY IN DIVERSITY.—MABLE F. GRAVES.

Diversity is the law of nature and unity is its truest maxim. In the great firmament which we see about us, God has computed the irregularities of the spherical evolutions and evolved from them movements of regularity and precision. From these vast bodies we come to trivial and ordinary objects and we find that no two are alike; the flowers, the seasons, all are different, and yet they blend into the harmonious combinations which form the perfect, beautiful whole. Things change. The granite crumbles to decay. Life springs up. Death follows, only to give way to life anew. Countless millions of rain drops fall, not two alike. They all flow down different rivulets to old ocean where they make the vast eternal sea. Land, atmosphere and water, so different, and yet all connected and working together, accomplish the will and plan of the Divine Creator.

THE MAID OF ORLEANS.—CHARLES A. COFFIN.

In this age it is difficult to comprehend the usages in vogue when the dark pall of superstition hung about the beliefs and customs of a people. In comparison to the degree of darkness so shines out the light when some noble uplifted soul parts the dark cloud and casts a gleam of daring truth down across the dark pages of that history. A graphic synopsis of the life and works of Joan of Arc was then given, not forgetting to point out the lessons of beauty and trust which were taught in the life work of such a character, the simple, pious life of the Maid of Orleans. The summons which came from her bleeding country, her devotion, bravery and forbearance, and finally her conviction and burning at the stake by an ungrateful country, by which act the last remnant of the chivalry of France was forever lost.

FOOTSTEPS ECHOING THROUGH THE CORRIDORS OF TIME.—VALENTINE H. SLEE.

It is not alone from the scroll of philosophical or religious narrative that the land marks of history are handed down to us, but also by the deeds of men, which as footsteps, will forever echo through the corridors of time. The work of life is done as it were on an aeolian harp, and through the careless refrain may be discerned some sharp thrilling notes which never cease to be heard and recognized. Men die but to live again. We should pause as we hear the reverberations of these footsteps, and so live that future generations may not hear a discord as the intonations of our work mingle in the universal harmony of life. We should so live that when the echoes of our footsteps fall on some careless ear it shall be an influence for truth and right.

INFLUENCE OF LITERATURE.—A. BLANCH COFFIN.

As we begin at the spring to trace the course of a river, so must we begin at the fountain head to trace the course of literature and we find the smallest beginnings have finally formed those great rivers of literary thought which so influence the world. Literature above all preserves for others the thought and works of great minds. The loss of the Latin literature made it possible for the dark ages to engulf Europe in ignorance. Now we have the best of all ages preserved for our guidance. Even light literature has weight, but the influence of such men as Carlyle, Emerson and Ruskin cannot be estimated. There is danger that the importance of literature may be overlooked from its very abundance. The greatest influence wielded by literature has been effected by the Bible which combines within its pages the highest types of prose and poetry. The obstacles of literature are many, but as sure as the water from the spring shall reach the sea so shall the influences of literature combine in an irresistable ocean of moral and intellectual force.

THE TRIUMPH OF PEACE.—J. EMERSON BEAL.

Man was given the highest place in the scale of creation. Despite this fact, from the earliest history till within a few years, his history has been a tale of strife and war. Man has always lived and studied to kill his fellowman. However, the principle of christianity is love, and hence its dispensation is gradually ridding the world of this awful crime. The speaker then depicted the horrors, as well as the cost and irreparable sacrifices which wars entail and the check which their practice puts on the advancement of civilization and progress. Arbitration was cited as the modern substitute for war, as the differences arising between nations had been most successfully settled in this manner. He very patriotically alluded to the important part which the United States has taken in the use of arbitration and expressed the belief that this country would soon become the arbitrator of the world.

BEYOND THE ALPS LIES ITALY.—HALSEY C. SAYRS.

As an example of what invincible determination can accomplish in overcoming seemingly impossible obstacles, the wonderful exploit of crossing the Alps with an army in the time of Hannibal, stands without a parallel in history. When this great leader undertook the task it seemed beyond the range of possibilities, and his men refused to go. It was then that the great leader told his followers that what one man could do an army could do, and his words not only encouraged his men to success but have inspired many a faltering heart since that time. Italy is the goal of our hopes and ambition, and the Alps are the barriers with which nature has surrounded every great and noble attainment. But he who will, can climb up step by step. Heaven is not reached by a bound. Nor did Hannibal climb the Alps by dreaming of the pleasures beyond.

THE LOOM OF LIFE.—E. ROSE LADD.

Miss Ladd treated this subject with well chosen language and in a very pretty and poetical vein of thought. The human life is a mystery with all its diversity of contrast and similarity. The mysterious weaver throws the shuttle to and fro, making checkerwork and figures, which have their meaning though they may not be understood. However, the figures are in most part only reflected light from heaven, since God is the master weaver who shapes our destinies. Life is largely made up of sentiments and illusions, and who can tell but what they are as potent as real objects in shaping the great fabric for the loom. The insignificant is often the momentous. If a thread is broken in the loom it must be traced back to the careless weaver. So we will be held responsible for all our careless weaving and every broken thread in our life must be accounted for. Let us all endeavor to weave in our lives all the bright, beautiful designs which it is possible for us to do.

THE INTENSITY OF THE AGE.—W. FRANK HILL.

Progress consists in change. In the cycle of change and advancement there is always left ample opportunities for others to improve. Freedom and the removal of restrictions from the natural efforts of man has created a spirit of competition which prompts the most earnest and intense efforts of which the human race is capable. The gradual growth of rivalry and competition from savagery to the present time was cleverly drawn out by the speaker. The interests and demands which characterize our age necessitate a careful special training and afterward the most intense efforts of which we are capable. If you would be thoroughly in sympathy with aggressiveness of the age, you must put yourself in touch with the dynamic energy of humanity. We are building near the apex where the finest stones are needed. The last stone will be laid when all knowledge has been made perfect through Christ.

The address given by Prof. B. Binford, of Haviland, Kan., who has been an assistant in the schools for the past year, was very carefully written with a view of impressing the class with the power of thought. Thought is the power behind the throne, without which all efforts in art, literature and science are lifeless. The object of an education is to learn how to think. The effort certainly did impress the class and spectators both by the thought contained and by its eloquent and forcible delivery.

A very pretty class song followed and the diplomas were presented with appropriate remarks by Prof. White. Another selection from the orchestra, the benediction by Mr. Green, and the Class of '95 were numbered with the alumni of Raisin Valley Seminary.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 28 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Adrian will celebrate.

Don't forget the matinee tomorrow.

Charles VanAntwerp and wife spent Sunday in Adrian.

A. Rowland and wife are visiting Toledo this week.

Mrs. Wm. Cassel and daughter, Hettie are visiting in Detroit this week.

Misses Hartbeck and Gray attended the commencement exercises at Ypsilanti this week.

Miss Blanche Douglass left Saturday to spend the vacation with her parents at Ionia, Mich.

The Misses Ina and Lena VanValkenburg are visiting friends in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti this week.

Miss Julia Wood came home from Toledo, Ohio, Saturday. She is spending the week at the lake.

The ladies of the Universalist church will serve a regular supper at the church tonight. Take tea with them.

Mrs. Edith Lamkin and son, Will, returned from an extended visit with her parents in Kansas last Tuesday.

Reduced rate excursion tickets on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y, July 3d and 4th. Ask agents.

Mrs. L. I. Bidwell and Miss Alice Temple have been visiting Mrs. Augusta Waldron at Jackson this week.

Mrs. T. A. Berry, of Stockbridge, was the guest of her brothers, Jas. and Tom Hann, from Saturday till Monday.

The Misses Ada and Clara Waldron are home for the summer vacation from Dominee, where they are both engaged in the public schools.

The LaPearl children, the greatest child wonders before the American public. With LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show. Will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Miss Hettie McClue came home from her school duties in Charlotte and left Friday afternoon for Pittsburgh, Pa., to spend her vacation with friends and relatives in that city.

Sojourners at Sand Lake can now procure everything in the grocery line at Fuller's store. This is a great convenience to cottagers and campers at this popular resort.

The special election held by Co. C Friday evening resulted in the choice of Lieut. S. R. McClure for Captain, Sergt. Walker for 1st. Lieut., and Sergt. [illegible] for 1st. Sergeant.

The greatest of all child artists, Little Ruby LaPearl, the contortionist wonder for her age, with LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show. Will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Lost. Three and one-half, incisor teeth, two partly worn by use, about one and one-half miles east of Saline on T. & A. A. track. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.

Subject at the Universalist church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., "Vacation Genie." All are invited. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Holiness of service to God." Prov. 3:6, Matt. 5: 2122, Rom. 12: 16-20. La-dies' social Friday night. Supper 10 cts. Everybody welcome.

The village council let the contracts for constructing the new iron bridge and stone abutments to be erected near the paper mill, last Wednesday evening. The contract for the bridge work was awarded to The Columbus Bridge Co., of Columbus, O., at $1360. The stone work was given to Lowry & Mitchell at $1300. Nine bids were submitted on the bridge work, of which the one above was selected as the cheapest for the work required. The figures for the stone work may seem rather expensive, but it must be borne in mind that this is much the largest and most important feature of the work, and in that particular place it must be done rightly to be permanent.

McCann Bros. have a new ad in today's paper.

There will be "doings" at Wamplers lake on the Fourth.

A big celebration will be held at Fruit Ridge on the Fourth.

Remember the blanket matinee tomorrow at Bills' driving park.

Street Commissioner Hyde is putting down a lot of new cross walks this week.

Hud and Henry Conklin were down to the "big prairie" on business last Monday.

Monroe will celebrate the Fourth in grand style and lay the corner stone of the new armory.

The report of the High School Alumni reunion has been crowded out of this issue by school commencements.

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The June Number of American Gardening is a beautiful specimen of fine printing. We have a few extra copies on hand. Call early, if you want one.

Miss Blanche Bigelow, daughter of Rev. A. J. Bigelow, a former pastor of the M. E. church here, was a member of the graduating class of the Flint High School, last week.

Misses Rosa Wilson and Genevieve Cross, who have been the guests of the Misses Iva and Eva Elliott during the past week, returned to their home in Ypsilanti, Wednesday.

Mrs. Gertie Mann (Spalding) and two children, who have been enjoying a few weeks with relatives and friends, returned to their home in Chicago, last Wednesday morning.

The Michigan Press Association will hold their summer meeting at Benton Harbor, July 9th and 10th, to be followed by a trip to St. Paul, Duluth, and home via Lake Superior to Port Huron.

The Britton Journal has changed hands again. It will be published at Deerfield hereafter with a Britton department, managed by Harvey Welling. Here's success to the new arrangement.

Next Sunday morning, Rev. D. H. Ramsdall, of Clinton, and Rev. J. P. Varner, of this place, will exchange pulpits. In the evening the subject at the Methodist church will be, "The Mount of Transfiguration."

Entries for the races tomorrow on Bills' driving track have been coming in very satisfactorily and a most successful matinee is looked for. The best horses and riders in these parts, besides many from away, will take part.

Mrs. Thos. Hanley is now canvassing for the book entitled, The Veteran's Bride. As Mr. Hanley has been compelled to cease work for a time on account of his eyes, the care of the family now devolves upon her, and she has met the issue bravely by starting out at once to earn a living. Mrs. Hanley has always taken much interest in the W. R. C. and flag raising movement. The old soldiers can now return the compliment by giving her needed assistance.

The general council of Philadelphia, at its session last Thursday, decided by a unanimous vote to send the Liberty bell to Atlanta. Some months ago the management of the Exposition asked for the bell but the request was refused. The matter has been put to the Philadelphia council in a new light since the legislature of Pennsylvania decided to make a State exhibit at the Cotton States and International Exhibition, and the unanimous action of the council in favor of taking the Liberty bell to Atlanta was the result.

The following young people are enjoying a week's outing at Sand Lake. Viola McGlashan, of Buffalo; Charlotte Bissell of Toledo; Viola Shull, Inez Thorpe, Lena Hardenburgh, Edyth May Corey, Florence Lulu Brewer, Jule Wood, Winifred DeWolf, Magdalena Arnold, Jule Hicks, Raynor Brewer, Ed. Corey, Lester Heesen, Leon Burlingame, Harry Spaulding, Ralph Bidwell, Vern Smith and Fay Anderson. Mrs. Corey Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Bidwell have undertaken the duties of chaperones. They have secured the double-decker of Mrs. Baker, of Adrian, one of the finest cottages on the south side, and are putting in the week to the best advantage.

Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanley revisited Prof. Carrow, of Ann Arbor college and after another thorough examination of Mr. Hanley's eyes, revealed the true fact, that Tom has lost the entire use of his right eye and unless the disease is staid it is only a matter of time until the other one will go too. The doctor has forbid Tom performing any more manual labor and use the best of care and treatment, with only the slightest hopes of his recovery. This will be a serious circumstance, as he has always worked hard and supported his family by days' work, having only a small pension. For two years Tom has been too troubled to read, and five weeks ago he went to Ann Arbor to have his eyes fitted to glasses, when, to their surprise, these facts were revealed. It will be hard for the public to believe such to be the case, but it is much harder for Tom and his family. Everything will be done to give him a chance to retain what sight remains in his left eye. The days will seem long because being deprived of reading. May all his friends speak words of cheer and try to make life still a pleasure for him.

Prof. Frank Potter is home from Aurora, Ill.

Don't miss the bicycle races at the matinee tomorrow.

Howard Whelan was a Detroit passenger Wednesday.

Mrs. Robt. Elliott left on Tuesday for a month's visit with friends in Illinois.

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, are spending the vacation at Mrs. Abbie Fisher's.

Capt. Hayden attended the funeral of Quartermaster-General Devlin, at Jackson last Monday.

Harry Richter took a short vacation at Sandusky directly after he returned from the Ypsilanti bicycle races.

The regular meeting of the W. F. M. Society of the M. E. church will be held on Wednesday, July 3rd at 2:30.

Our local military has been rapidly recruiting during the past two weeks, and will take a large company to camp.

The July meeting of Tri-State Fair and Exposition will take place at Toledo July 2-5. A great speed program has been arranged.

Miss Phoebe A. J. Howell, who filled a position in our high school during a part of the past year, returned to Ann Arbor Monday.

Rev. Wellington Joy, pastor of the Baptist church at Onsted, and his wife, were guests at J. Cleveland's Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. J. S. Starling, recently of Port Dover, Ont., is fitting up a tailor shop in the east side of the store occupied by Burtis the Barber.

Rev. H. A. Smith has accepted the pastorate of the Broadway Baptist church at South Bay City, and will commence his duties there sometime next month.

Friday evening service at St. Peter's church will be discontinued after tonight. Next Sabbath the rites of holy communion will be celebrated at eight o'clock a. m.

The T. & F. Farmer's Club held their picnic at Putnam's Saturday. No program was given, but they had a fine dinner, a jolly good time and a chance to listen to the exercises given by the Onsted Masons that afternoon.

The D. & C. new steamers are now running four trips per week between Toledo, Detroit and Mackinac. Send for their illustrated pamphlets, Midsummer Voyages to Mackinac. Address A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit.

Friday, July 5th at 2:30 will be held the mothers' meeting in the M. E. church parlors. Rev. Hageman will give an address on the responsibilities of parents to their children. Every one is invited, both men and women.

The Farmers' Social club held their annual picnic at Wampler's lake last Saturday. They confined their attention to eating and enjoying the day in the grove and on the lake. There was a liberal attendance and all present had a splendid time.

Tecumseh girls can do most anything, but three of them were unable to drive one horse through the water at Wampler's lake recently. However, they had the pluck to get right out in the waves and unhitch, and they didn't have their bathing suits on either.

John R. Clarke will give four lectures this season at the Bay View Assembly. We are glad to know that our old friend is marching right along. He takes rank now among the best platform lecturers of the land, and he has earned his reputation by years of faithful service.

TECUMSEH, MICH., June 13, 1895,

I have read with interest the book entitled the 'Veteran's Bride'. It is spoken of very highly by all because it is a real story. I gladly recommend it to the public as an interesting and useful work. J. E. HAGEMAN,
Pastor Friend's Church.

Among the graduates of the University this year we note the name of Garland R. Gillespie, who also graduated from our high school three years ago. Mr. Gillespie studied in a Detroit office one year and attended a course of lectures in the Detroit Law School and entered the University last October. He was admitted to the bar in both Circuit and Supreme courts early this month, and this week will receive the degree L. L. B.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Hause, of St. Paul, Minn., spent the first part of their honeymoon with the parents of the groom, in Tecumseh, coming directly here after the ceremony Tuesday. The Doctor is a well-known Tecumseh boy. The bride was recently Miss Lizzie Shiell, of Detroit. The announcements dated the wedding for Thursday, June 27th, at Detroit, which was one of Bert's practical jokes. However all of his friends here tumbled and gave the pair a right royal welcome Tuesday evening, with fire-works and music.

The friends of Mrs. Frank Whiting and family have watched with deep interest and sympathy, her condition since the operation which she sustained six weeks ago at Ann Arbor, trusting that the hard battle for life would be successful. Such was not to be, however, and the sufferer passed away last Sunday morning at the hospital. The funeral was held at the home Tuesday, Rev. Mr. Sunderland, of Ann Arbor, officiating. Mrs. Whiting was a sister of Mrs. John C. Mills, of Macon, and of Cub Berdan, of Detroit. The deceased leaves her husband and three children, Mrs. Chas. Booth, of Moreville, W. W. Whiting, of Tecumseh, and Roy Whiting.

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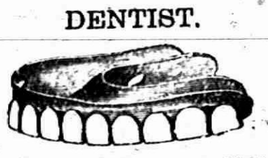

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ANN ARBOR'S LAW DAY.

A Class of 308 to Graduate—Two of Its Members Women.

ANN ARBOR, June 25.—Monday was the Laws' day at the university. Their class-day exercises were held this morning before a large audience in University hall. The exercises opened by an address by the class president, Edward M. Walsh. The class history was delivered by John William Ferrier, of Council Bluffs, Ia. The class numbers 308, two of whom are women. These are Miss Agnes F. Watson, of Allegheny, Pa., and Mrs. Annie Balfour Butler, of Newton, Kan. George William Dayton, of Florida, gave the prophecy and Lindley Grant Long, of Ohio, the oration. Sanford G. Barker, of Ohio, read the class poem, the subject of which was "Reason, Law and Justice." The valedictory was delivered by Philo G. Burnham, of Ohio.

The second annual promenade of commencement week occurred Monday night. This feature was introduced by the class of '94, and it is simply a huge lawn party and band concert. Thousands of Chinese lanterns lined the State street walk for a quarter of a mile, also the other walks leading from it and on the main building. The affair is for the public and there were about 4,000 persons present Monday night.

ANN ARBOR, June 26.—Tuesday belonged to the literary department. They held their class day exercises under Tappan oak in the afternoon. Tappan oak is a venerable tree in the midst of a pretty grove between the library and main building. From time immemorial the "lits" have held their class-day exercises here. The programme opened with the class history by Robert O. Austin of Michigan.

The class oration was by James S. Handy, of Ann Arbor. The class poem was read by Frank P. Daniels, of Michigan. Miss Belle Colton, of Ohio, read the class prophecy in verse. The last speaker on the class-day programme proper was President R. R. Lyman. He spoke mainly of the duty of the class to the university.

Next came the unveiling of the bust of President Angell. This bust is about the same in cost and style as the Cooley bust presented in May by the senior law class. Miss Ann L. Richards, of Michigan, made the presentation speech and Regent G. O. Crocker accepted the bust on the part of the university.

SENT TO JAIL FOR CONTEMPT.

Detroit Judge Punishes an Assessor Who Refused to Answer a Question.

DETROIT, June 24.—In court Saturday Col. Fred E. Farnsworth, one of the city assessors, refused to divulge the name of the man who told him that for $1,000 the council would confirm his nomination and was sentenced by Judge Sellers to thirty days in the county jail for contempt. The colonel was taken to jail. His attorney secured a writ of habeas corpus in the afternoon and released his client. The supreme court will be asked to pass upon the constitutionality of the law under which the justice acts. The council hung Farnsworth's nomination up for one session, but confirmed him at the next. He is not suspected of using money.

A HAY FAMINE.

The Crop Is Short and Prices Are Advancing.

JACKSON, June 20.—Hay has advanced on the Jackson market $2 to $3 per ton in the last three days. Good timothy and mixed hay sells readily at $12 to $15 per ton, and the indications are that another advance will take place soon. There is little clover hay in this section for sale, and marsh hay and wheat and rye straw bring $6 to $7 per ton. A gentleman who watches the hay market and who has been about the state recently says the outlook for the hay crop in Michigan is the worst it has been for years.

TO COMBAT FREE SILVER.

Democrats of Grand Rapids Form a Sound Money League.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 24.—A democratic sound money league has been organized in this city, the purpose of which is to combat the free silver fallacy, which has gained such a hold upon the Michigan democracy. The officers are: President, Judge John W. Champlin; vice presidents, George W. Thayer, Dr. G. K. Johnson, Thomas Hefferan; secretary, J. C. Holt; treasurer, Dudley E. Waters. The league is the first organized in the state. It is proposed to organize in all the cities in the state and to raise funds for carrying on a vigorous campaign.

Boodling Charged.

DETROIT, June 25.—Prosecuting Attorney Frazer will apply to the circuit court for the summoning of a grand jury to investigate the charges of boodle and corruption in office in the city council and other rumors of irregularities in and about the city hall. He asserts that the present investigation of boodle charges by a council committee is slow and ineffective. He desires to have a county grand jury appointed as a permanent adjunct to the Wayne circuit courts.

Crop Conditions in Michigan.

LANSING, June 26.—The weekly crop bulletin of the Michigan weather service says:

The average temperature for the last week was 1.8 degrees above the normal, while the rainfall was much below normal; the sunshine, 71 per cent. Over the upper peninsula the crops are in generally good condition, but over the greater part of the lower peninsula all vegetation is suffering for rain. Hay is a light crop. Wheat is thin and short; its harvest will begin next week. Oats indicate a light drop. Corn and potatoes, however, are still doing generally well.

Killed Himself in Virginia.

NORFOLK, Va., June 24.—Charles M. Finch, who came to Norfolk from Saginaw, Mich., committed suicide by taking morphine Saturday night. He is a young man 25 years old and has been in Norfolk only a few days. His parents reside in New York state and are wealthy. It is said that a love affair in Michigan was the cause.

SALARIES CHANGED.

Some Michigan Postmasters to Get More Pay, Some Less.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 21.—The post office department has announced the twelfth annual adjustment and changes in the classification and salaries of presidential post offices, which will take effect July 1. The salary is graded in accordance with the business of the office. The following changes will occur in Michigan:

Berrien Springs is reduced from the third to the fourth-class, and Ironwood from the second to the third. Dowagiac, Iron Mountain, St. Joseph, Three Rivers and West Bay City are advanced from the third to the second class. Increases in salaries:

	1894.	1895.
Ann Arbor	$2,700	$2,800
Bad Axe	1,100	1,200
Birmingham	1,000	1,100
Buchanan	1,500	1,600
Caro	1,600	1,700
Cass City	1,100	1,200
Cassopolis	1,300	1,400
Cheboygan	1,800	1,900
Clinton	1,000	1,100
Constantine	1,000	1,500
Dowagiac	1,900	2,100
Fair Haven	1,500	1,600
Escanaba	2,000	2,100
Gaylord	1,100	1,200
Gladstone	1,300	1,400
Grand Haven	1,800	1,900
Grand Ledge	1,400	1,500
Hart	1,200	1,400
Holland	2,000	2,100
Holly	1,500	1,700
Homer	1,200	1,300
Houghton	1,700	1,800
Iron Mountain	1,900	2,000
Jonesville	1,300	1,400
Kalamazoo	3,100	3,200
Lansing	$3,000	$3,100
Lexington	2,000	2,100
Madison	1,600	1,700
Manchester	1,000	1,100
Marlette	1,000	1,100
Menominee	2,100	2,200
Morenci	1,100	1,200
Nashville	1,200	1,300
Ontonagon	1,400	1,500
Orion	2,400	2,500
Oscoda	1,800	1,900
Oxford	1,200	1,300
Paw Paw	1,400	1,500
Plainville	1,300	1,400
Reading	1,100	1,200
St. Joseph	1,900	2,000
St. Mary's	2,100	2,200
Three Rivers	1,900	2,000
Traverse City	2,300	2,400
W. Bay City	1,900	2,000
W. Branch	1,100	1,200
Whitehall	1,000	1,100
White Pigeon	1,300	1,400
Wyandotte	2,300	2,400
Ypsilanti	2,300	2,400

The decreases are as follows:

	1894.	1895.
Bessemer	$1,200	$1,100
Clare	1,300	1,200
Crystal Falls	1,200	1,000
Decatur	1,300	1,200
East Tawas	1,200	1,100
Fort Gratiot	1,400	1,300
Howard City	1,400	1,300
Ironwood	2,000	1,900
Ithaca	1,600	1,500
Kalkaska	$1,200	$1,100
Mancelona	1,300	1,200
Manistique	1,600	1,500
Marine City	1,400	1,300
Marshall	2,400	2,300
Muskegon	2,600	2,500
Negaunee	1,800	1,700
Newaygo	1,300	1,200
Petoskey	1,300	1,200

VICTIMS OF A POOR BOILER.

Two Men Killed by an Explosion in a Michigan Sawmill.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 24.—The boiler in A. H. Crocker's small sawmill, 2 miles east of Byron Center, Kent county, exploded at 7:30 o'clock Saturday morning, entirely demolishing the mill and a brick barn across the road. Martin Skinner, aged 35, married, and Arthur Barney, aged 19, single, were killed instantly, their bodies being nearly blown to pieces by the shock. Avery Crocker, aged 19, a son of the proprietor, was badly mangled and cannot live. The boiler was new, and the cause of the explosion is unknown. Barney and Skinner were in front of the mill when the explosion occurred. They were carried across the road along with the boiler, and their bodies were found mixed up in the debris of the barn.

GREATEST FRUIT YEAR.

Railroad Company Obliged to Increase Its Service This Season.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 25.—C. E. Fink, car accountant of the Chicago & West Michigan railroad, has just made a trip through the Michigan fruit belt to ascertain the needs of the peach growers in the matter of transportation facilities. He interviewed the growers in all parts of the district from St. Joseph to Hart, and the conclusion reached is that more cars will be needed to carry the peaches to market this year than ever before. In some localities damage was done by frosts, but these localities are exceptional and the amount of damage done was in most instances merely nominal.

MRS. SPRANGER DIES.

Woman Accused of Poisoning Her First Husband Expires in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—Mrs. Spranger, who, with her second husband, was accused of murdering her first husband by slow poison, died at a resort in Santa Cruz mountains Thursday of diabetes. The mother of the woman's first husband made the accusation.

Mrs. Spranger was married to her present husband, Dr. F. X. Spranger, of Detroit, one year ago. She had previously been the wife of H. B. Darling, a musician of some note who died at Mount Clemens two years ago, and whose mother charged the doctor and Mrs. Darling with poisoning him. Mrs. Spranger was a woman of rare beauty and some three years ago inherited a fortune of $500,000 from relatives in Washington.

RISKS HER PATRIMONY.

Flora Whitney, of Detroit, Marries a Foreigner, Her Father Objecting.

DETROIT, June 26.—Putting her share of the $10,000,000 estate of her father in jeopardy, Miss Flora Ann Whitney was married Tuesday to Rudolph Alfred Demme, of Berne, Switzerland. The bride is the second daughter of David Whitney, Jr., and is the wealthiest young woman of Detroit. The groom comes from one of the oldest and most aristocratic families of Switzerland. The match between Miss Whitney and Mr. Demme was opposed. Mr. Whitney had no objections to Mr. Demme personally, but he has a strong antipathy to foreigners.

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DOMESTIC.

A CAR on the Lookout Mountain incline railroad at Chattanooga, Tenn., jumped the track and W. B. Mitchell, president of the Third national bank of Chattanooga, and M. M. Henderson received fatal wounds.

UNCLE SAM says that Spain must immediately pay the Mora claim of $1,500,000, or severe measures will be taken for its collection.

COMMODORE BUNCE has been appointed to the command of the North Atlantic squadron to succeed Admiral Meade.

THE General Society of the War of 1812 met in Independence hall, Philadelphia. Delegates were present from Massachusetts, Maryland, Ohio and Connecticut.

GOV. ALTGELD, of Illinois, was hanged in effigy by students of the state normal school at Normal, aided by indignant citizens of Normal and Bloomington. The abolishing of the high school of the normal university was the cause.

HENRY TAYLOR (colored), of Burgette, Miss., chopped off the heads of his wife and child with an ax. Jealousy was the cause.

THERE are now 2,477 presidential post offices in the United States. The salaries of postmasters were increased in 1,057 offices and reduced in 393 offices during the past fiscal year.

JAMES SANDERS (colored) was hung by a mob near Jackson, Miss., for murdering his wife.

WILL CHANDLER, a negro, was lynched at Abbeyville, Miss., for an attempted assault on Miss Johns, the daughter of a prominent citizen.

THE third congress of the Universal Postal union will be held in Washington in May, 1897. The chief object of the congress is to adjust mail regulations the world over on a uniform basis.

FOREST fires west of Decatur, Ind., destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of fences, barns and crops.

IN a freight train wreck near Bedford, Ind., four tramps were killed and three car loads of cattle were crushed to death.

THE Osage Indians in council at Guthrie, O. T., passed a law prohibiting negroes living in their country and making it a crime for any person to employ them.

FLAMES destroyed a large part of the business section of the town of Dover, Me.

THE power house and twenty-five cars belonging to the Seattle (Wash.) Consolidated Street Railway company were burned, the loss being $200,000.

AN appeal was made to the charitable people of Topeka, Kan., by Judge C. J. Foster, of the United States district court, in behalf of the poverty-stricken people in the Cherokee strip in Oklahoma.

MRS. W. W. BOND fell down a stairway in her house at Columbus, O., and struck her jaw upon the steps in such a way as to cut her tongue almost in two.

THE Consumers' Pure Ice company, one of the largest ice companies in Chicago, made an assignment with liabilities of $250,000.

WILLIAM PAYNE, who has been making moonshine whisky and shooting at revenue officers for thirty years, was arrested for the first time at Greenville, Tenn.

AUGUST BERGERMANN was hanged at Morristown, N. J., for the murder of his brother Julius, January 19, 1894.

REV. FRANK KING (colored) killed Deacon William Toney, also colored, at Little Rock, Ark., and was lynched by a crowd of negroes.

AN express train was wrecked near Houston, Tex., and five persons were seriously injured.

MEN and women raided the only saloon in Bascom, O., and demolished everything in sight.

IN a fire at Fail & Co.'s livery stable in Pittsburgh, Pa., two men lost their lives and forty-six horses were cremated.

AS a result of his wife's unfaithfulness Gus Streitmater shot and instantly killed Z. B. Kemp, at Toledo, O., and then shot himself.

THREE HUNDRED oil wells are to be drilled at once in West Virginia.

AT a meeting in Omaha of the Junior Order of Mechanics it was resolved to establish a national home for widows and orphans of members, to be located at Tiffin, O.

IN a bottle picked up at Quintana, Tex., was a letter signed J. Rodgers, mate of the Aggie G., stating that the vessel was wrecked April 2, 1895, off the coast of Yucatan and its crew of eight and three passengers lost.

THERE were 228 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 21st, against 241 the week previous and 214 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A GIGANTIC conspiracy was discovered in New York to burn houses, to defraud insurance companies and to divide the insurance money.

A HAILSTORM in Stevens county, Minn., did great damage to crops.

JUDGE M. C. SAUFLEY will try at the next term of the circuit court in Louisville, Ky., an action for breach of promise before a jury of women.

THE comptroller of the currency authorized the Park national bank of Cleveland, O., to begin business with a capital of $500,000.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 21st aggregated $1,076,419,460, against $1,033,010,496 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 29.0.

SEVENTEEN horses, two mules and all the contents of the White Sulphur livery stables at English, Ind., were destroyed by fire.

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MASKED men held up the cashier of the bank at Rainy Lake City, Minn., and stole $30,000 and escaped.

HORACE COOPER (colored) was hanged at Elkton, Md. He murdered his sweetheart, Maggie Pitts. Jealousy was the cause.

JAMES MAHAN, a big lumber dealer of Hancock county, Tenn., murdered Loudon Collins, his best friend, because the latter asked to marry his sister.

ANTHONY JOHNSON (colored) was hanged at Dumas, Ark. He killed Howard, another negro. Jealousy was the cause.

NEAR Tunnelton, W. Va., lightning struck a dynamite magazine and an explosion followed by which several persons were killed and much property was damaged.

WILLIAM MEASHINTUB was riding in a wagon with his wife near Tallhina, O. T., when his brother Jackson came up behind, shot and killed him and then drove off with the wife.

ACCORDING to a treasury statement the excess of expenditures over receipts for the current fiscal year up to date has been $48,429,428, and the deficit will undoubtedly exceed $50,000,000 by the end of this month, which finishes the fiscal year.

PERCENTAGES of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 23d were: Boston, .630; Pittsburgh, .620; Baltimore, .591; Cleveland, .569; Chicago, .566; Brooklyn, .542; New York, .531; Cincinnati, .521; Philadelphia, .520; Washington, .426; St. Louis, .337; Louisville, .149.

THE boiler in the sawmill of A. H. Crocker, near Byron Center, Mich., exploded, killing Arthur Barney and Martin Skinner and fatally injuring Avery Crocker.

IN a quarrel over a division of property at Webster Grove, Mo., Dr. Frank Seitle shot and killed Mrs. Jane Peterson, his sister-in-law, Mrs. Peterson's sister, Mrs. Horish, and then killed himself.

JOHN W. FOSTER, ex-secretary of state, who went to China last December as legal adviser to China in the peace negotiations with Japan, received from China a fee of $250,000.

IN an experiment with electricty as a motive power on the Nantasket Beach (Mass.) road a speed of 80 miles an hour was attained.

BY the explosion of a steam-valve in the whaleback steamer Christopher Columbus off Waukegan, Ill., two men were killed and twelve others were injured.

A FIRE that started in H. T. Clarke's wholesale drug house at Lincoln, Neb., caused a loss of $150,000.

ALL the saloons in New York city were closed on Sunday by order of President Roosevelt, of the police board.

JOSEPH COLLINS and three brothers named Brent were killed by an explosion of a boiler in Moses' sawmill at Spring Hill, Ark.

TWO THOUSAND kegs of giant powder stored in Fisher's mills at Krebb's Station, Pa., exploded, destroying several buildings, some a mile distant.

BY the breaking of a wheel on a Dartmouth and Westport (Mass.) street railway car thirty persons were badly injured.

CLAUDE D. SANFORD rode 62 miles on his bicycle at Northport, L. I., and then dropped dead.

HARVEY H. NOBLE and Fred Joslin were drowned in the Illinois river opposite Peoria, Ill., by the capsizing of a boat.

ARTHUR ZIMMERMAN made a new world's bicycle record at Pittsburgh, Pa., by covering a mile in two minutes on a quarter-mile track.

PRIVATE ALFRED MATTHEY, of the United States army, bearing dispatches from Gen. Miles at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., to Gen. Wesley Merritt at Chicago, arrived in the latter city, having made the trip of over 1,200 miles by bicycle in 13 days, 7 hours and 45 minutes.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 24th was: Wheat, 46,225,000 bushels; corn, 9,499,000 bushels; oats, 7,976,000 bushels; rye, 137,000 bushels; barley, 130,000 bushels.

JOHN OSBORN, SON & CO., dealers in wines in New York, failed for $1 330,000.

SPECKER BROS. & CO., wholesale dry goods dealers at Cincinnati, failed for $500,000.

A CYCLONE near Owensboro, Ky., destroyed trees, crops and houses in a path nearly a mile wide.

A DRY lake bed at Red Lake, S. D., containing 3,500 acres, was filled with water to the depth of 8 inches by a cloudburst.

ANTON METZGAR, aged 81, a reputed anarchist at Allegheny, Pa., committed suicide by placing a bomb in his ear and touching it off. The whole side of his head was blown off.

IN the 4-mile college boat race at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Columbia defeated Cornell and Pennsylvania, making the distance in 21 minutes and 25 seconds.

A NUMBER of barns were wrecked and horses killed by a tornado near Albert Lea, Minn.

SEYMOUR KEENER killed his two cousins, Lillie and Laura Moore, near Tallulah Falls, Ga. Keener was rejected by Lillie and he said he would kill both his cousins.

THE five children of William Cass died of diphtheria within a week at their home in Grinnell, Ia.

THE family of Gustav Kunz, of Arensville, Ill., contracted anthrax from eating of diseased meat and the mother and four children died.

GEORGE G. BOOTH, of Detroit, Mich., purchased and immediately assumed control of the Chicago Mail.

JOHN FRYE, a dissolute young white man, was lynched at Gretna, La., by a mob for burning the cabins of colored people.

A. R. HOLMAN, an attorney and tax collector at Spring Valley, Minn., was missing and was said to be short $40,000.

THE cruiser Atlanta was under orders to leave New York harbor to enforce the neutrality laws in Cuban waters.

THE will of Gen. Walter Q. Gresham, late secretary of state, was admitted to probate in Chicago. The entire estate, valued at $51,000, is left to Mrs. Gresham.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning June 30. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Result of the Divine Remonstrance.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Job xlii, 1-17.

After Elihu has finished his speech, the narrative represents God as answering Job out of the great desert whirlwind. In all literature there is no more sublime specimen of writing than the thirty-eighth chapter of Job, in which God's wonderful works in the world of nature are described. In the succeeding chapters the same elevated tone is maintained in the description of God's providential care over the animal creation. Through it all runs the thought that man cannot understand how God made and preserves all these lower forms of creation. Nor can man, with all his boasted superiority to them, subdue and make them obedient to his will. How, then, can man expect to understand all the ways God deals with him in the moral world? The result is not an explanation of the reason why God permits men to suffer, nor is there any attempt to justify his dealings with men. It is simply a demonstration of man's inability to master easier knowledge and the consequent unreasonableness of demanding of God an explanation of deeper truths.

All this has the desired effect on Job. He no longer asserts his innocence and desire to plead his cause with Deity that justice may be done him. He has before this only heard of God as words came to his ear, but now he sees God as He is, and before that divine presence abhors himself and repents in dust and ashes. The sight of the infinite greatness and goodness and tenderness of God in caring for all His creatures so sets the nature of God before him that he knows God would do nothing unjust, and all his own complaints come up before him and fill him with shame and self contempt.

The lesson of the whole book is seen in this. The cultivation of a right spirit and attitude toward God is the work of man and not the vain attempt to fathom all God's designs.

A Leader In the League.

The president of the First General District League is pastor of the Winthrop street church, Boston, one of our largest and best churches in the east. He was

REV. E. M. TAYLOR.

first called to this position in the League by the unanimous and hearty choice of the district cabinet on the resignation of Rev. F. H. Knight, who went abroad to study. At the annual convention last October he was elected to the same position for the present year. He is a graduate of Boston university school of theology; has been pastor of some of the largest churches in both the New England and also in the New England southern conferences.

He is a good presiding officer, a magnetic and forcible speaker, a natural leader among men. He is abundant in labors among the chapters and deservedly popular. Long may his bow abide in strength!

Progress In Fraternity.

A great deal has been written and spoken recently regarding organic unity in the Christian church. Whatever one may think of the advisability or possibility of this, one thing is certain, the various denominations are drawing nearer together in spirit. The Young People's societies are aiding forward this good work. The undenominational Christian Endeavor movement appears to give much aid in this direction. The Epworth League, while a strictly denominational concern, has less appearance of assisting in this direction, but a little investigation of its workings will show that no more efficient agency is today at work for this much desired end.

There is no special advertising of liberality, but we have never yet heard of a case where the true spirit of Christian courtesy has been lacking in the attitude of the Epworth Leagues of Methodism toward the sister societies of other denominations.

Dr. Steel, secretary of the League of the Methodist Episcopal church south, was recently at the Michigan state convention in Detroit of the Epworth League and received as hearty a welcome as was ever tendered him in his own southland.

Dr. Withrow of Canada and our own Dr. Schell are equally at home on both sides of the invisible boundaries between the states and the Dominion.

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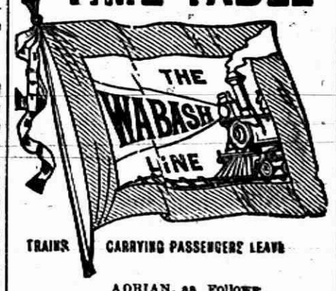

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8 21	3 51	9 37	Hanover	10 46	5 28
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WOMEN'S BIG CONGRESS.

W. C. T. U. Convention Opens Friday in London. Gathering Such as the World Never Saw.

At the present moment hundreds of women are traveling by land and sea toward the city of London, everyone of whom is a delegate, representing in some cases 50 members of her sex and in others 5,000. Their objective point is a quaint and ugly church edifice, known as Memorial Hall, Farrington street, London, and they are going to the biennial congress of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the British Woman's Temperance association.

Besides these two wonderful organizations, a large number of associations which are affiliated or are on friendly terms with either or both, will be represented. There have been previous conventions of both bodies, but never before was there one so large, so composite, or so remarkable as the one which will meet in Memorial Hall on Friday, June 14. If every organization associated with the two societies is represented the proceedings will be conducted in thirty-two different languages. The members will represent every civilized country on the globe and a corporal's guard of so-called semi-civilized and barbarious lands.

The dream of the British statesman of a confederation of all the English-speaking nations of the world, is insignificant alongside of this woman's parliament. Such a gathering has never been known in history. It would have been impossible 50 years ago—50 years ago, even 10 years ago—for its existence depends upon transcontinental railroads, ocean greyhounds, the telegraph, and, above all, the new woman. Though held in England, it is an American idea and an American creation.

The congres is called for tomorrow. Both that day and the next will be used by the executive committee for the reception and reading of reports, the making up of the roll, the completion of the program and other formal parliamentary business. On Sunday, June 16th the World's organization proposes to startle London. In the afternoon and evening it will hold devotional exercises in more than 200 churches, chapels, and halls, all of which are already engaged for the purpose. The largest meeting will be in the city temple, on Holborn viaduct, a great building nearly as large as the Metropolitan opera house. The exercises will be conducted by picked women from the four English speaking organizations. More than 800 women are available as speakers, and the executive committee will make their selection from among them. In order to interest the public, foreign talent will receive the first consideration, and more especially that which Uncle Sam has supplied. There is much curiosity in London to hear Miss Willard and her colleagues. So much has been written about them in the newspapers and other publications, and so much said about them at the numberless meetings of the various societies, that there are already many applications for seats at the meetings where they are expected to speak. On Monday and Tuesday there will be meetings of the British Woman's Temperance association under the title of the National Council of women. They will be held at the city temple, and will afford a good opportunity to the visiting delegations of getting a correct idea of the oratorical ideal of the British leaders.

On Tuesday evening there will be a mass meeting in Queen's hall. Wednesday will be devoted to the World's W. C. T. U. There will be three sessions, at each one of which not less than 10 speakers will make addresses. On Thursday evening there will be a grand demonstration and monster mass meeting at Albert hall, Kensington. This edifice is the largest in Great Britain, if not in Europe, and nearly equals in size the Madison Square Garden. The demonstration will be very picturesque—in fact, almost spectacular. After the audience is seated, there will be a procession of the various elements which compose the convention. A large military band will supply the instrumental music. A uniform choir of 500 boys will march in, singing one of the new songs of the order. There will then be a white ribbon choir composed of 400 young women in dark blue suits, with white ribbons. Then will come the various delegations, according to nationalities. The American delegation will be received with The Star Spangled Banner, the French with La Marsellaise, the Germans with Die Wacht Am Rhein, the Russians with their national hymn and the other delegations each with its own national air. After the delegations will come the friendly and affiliated societies in regalia. Then will come the British delegation, and the band will play "God Save the Queen," which will be sung by all present.

On Friday there will be committee meetings and a great reception at Ryegate, given by Lady Henry Somerset to all the members of the congress, several thousand in number. The spacious grounds about her residence will be open all day to visitors, and refreshments will be served both within the house and out in the open air. On Saturday the convention will break up and and a large number of the Canadian and American delegates will start for home.
—Detroit Journal of June 13th.

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BASE BALL BATS.

ADRIAN VS. OWOSSO.

Last Friday the second game of the series which had been arranged between league teams to be played at Tecumseh, came off between Adrian and Owosso. The contest was interesting. Adrian putting up a much better game than has been their wont of late, making only two errors. The colts, however, did not do the work the public expects to see performed by professionals, and again there were many disappointed fans in the crowd. Nevins, the new pitcher for Adrian, did excellent work throughout, as did Haynes, who occupied the box for Owosso, though the latter had much poorer support, the short, especially, making numerous and costly errors for the colts. In the second, Lynch, while waiting for a good ball, was struck fairly on the head by a hot wild pitch, and felled senseless to the ground. Considerable excitement followed, but the Captain, with commendable grit, came to and took his base. There was also some exciting playing in this inning, which resulted in four scores for the Demons, which practically decided the game in their favor. Smith and Derrick each made safe hits which each brought in two men. Mulhern made a neat double play all by himself in the fourth. In the eighth Owosso got one by Bloomingston making a three bagger and scoring after a high fly from Shields had been fielded. In the last half of the ninth the colts came to bat with the score 7 to 3 against them. After one score had been made Bloomingston cut the third base with a hot grounder which rolled outside the flag, letting in two men, he stealing second in the meantime. However, the strike was ruled out and the scorers returned to their bases. If this strike had been left, with Shields to bat, Adrian would undoubtedly have been tied, if not beaten. The crowd which was so badly disappointed by the playing the week before, only numbered 275, which, however, though small, is a better comparative showing than Adrian turns out to her own games. The Telegram states that "owing to the small appreciation shown by Tecumseh for a good game, there will likely be no more league games played there." It is very evident that neither Tecumseh, Clinton, Britton or Ridgeway are far enough advanced in the principles of the great national game to appreciate such excellent playing as was put up for their edification in the first game and the work done then was the only basis on which such an unappreciative crowd could make calculations for last Friday. Even those very appreciative 200(?) fans from Adrian could hardly gather enough enthusiasm to return to the second game, and it has been even intimated that, in that city, the great base ball center, appreciation for some unaccountable cause, has been a little shy of late. People can appreciate almost any old game when they are looking for it, but when they pay to see a good game between professional teams they don't seem to have the sense to appreciate anything short of that. The verdict here was that the Demons put up a "good game" Friday, but we are hardly appreciative enough to accord that record to the Colts. It is to be regretted that the management had not been aware of this great lack in time to educate the unsophisticated fans of this section when they put on the first game here.

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THE FARMERS' UNION PICNIC.

The second annual picnic of the Farmers' Union was held in Minor Davidson's grove last Friday. It was a splendid place for such a gathering. The trees are plentiful enough to furnish sufficient shade, and the grounds are clean and dry. They had been fully prepared beforehand to accommodate a good crowd and the crowd was on hand to enjoy them. Tables were built in the rear part of the grove on the north side, and near the street a nice platform was erected, with plenty of seats for a large audience. Flags and bunting were scattered about the grove, so that it presented a gala day appearance—a passer by would infer a big Fourth of July celebration was in progress.

A basket dinner was served at noon, and all present were fully satisfied. Ice cream was a part of the menu and all the substantials that farmers' wives know so well how to prepare, were furnished in abundance.

At 2 o'clock, Mr. John Boice, president of the club, called the assemblage to order and announced the program in the following order:

Music, Soldiers' Chorus—By the Union Choir.
Prayer—Rev. C. M. Brown.
Music, Duette—Iva and Eva Elliott.
Recitation, The Grumbling Woman—Leora Boyd.
Music, Old Mother Hubbard—The Union Choir.
Essay, Woman's Dress—Fern DePuy.
Recitation—Mabell Ager.
Recitation—Floyd Ager and Eva Murphy.
Address—Lon O'Mealey.
Essay, Dress Reform—Loana Davidson.
Music—By Raisin Choir.
Recitation—Bertha Smeltzer.
Music—By Raisin Juveniles.

The program was well selected and arranged, and it gave excellent satisfaction. The essays by Misses DePuy and Davidson were of superior merit and set the people to thinking. They both deserve to appear in print. Mr. O'Mealey's address hit the mark, as all of his addresses do. It was a happy mixture of humor and good sense, which kept the audience good natured and gave them a little advice and instruction also. The music was all good and of sufficient variety. In short, it was a tip-top program from first to last and would well repay one for coming many miles to hear.

Most of the crowd tarried two or three hours to enjoy themselves and finally left for home, with the determination to meet again next June for another picnic reunion.

The Ladies.

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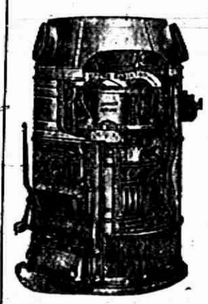

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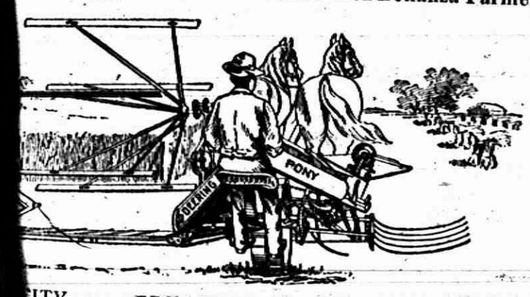

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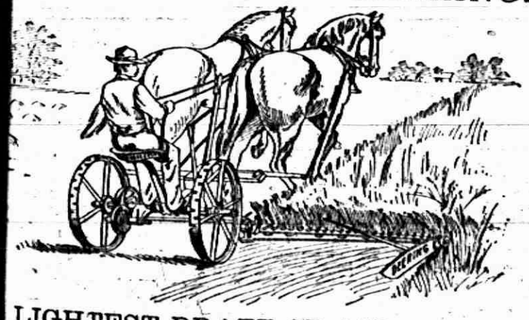

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BUSTLING BRITTON,

Short Sketch of Her Business Houses and Factories.

AN ENTERPRISING VILLAGE.

The Present Status and Future Prospects of the Town on the Wabash And Mackinaw Roads.

The Village of Britton is comparatively a new candidate for public favor, that is, measured in years. A village was started there upon the opening of the Wabash road, and when the Mackinaw made that an intersection point, the place took a boom that has been running ever since. Considering the competition of Tecumseh on one side and Dundee on the other, with the hard times of the last few years, Britton has achieved a growth and business position that she may well be proud of. The village contains a fine 2-story building, in which Prof. Collins and Miss Marvin conducted a first-class school during the past year. The Christian church, of which Rev. E. Mudge is pastor, is in a flourishing condition. The Reformed church is also thriving, having erected a new church edifice this summer which will be ready for dedication in a few weeks. The Maccabees are well represented here. There is Hendershot Tent No. 467, with W. J. Clark, Com., and Will Britton, Record Keeper. Also Ivy Leaf Hive, No. 506, with Mrs. W. C. Babcock, Lady Com. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Lady R. K. Both lodges have a large membership and are in a growing condition. Labo Babcock is the present efficient postmaster. He took possession of the office October 1, 1893. He has filled the position before and knows all the ropes. Will J. Clark, the genial agent of the Wabash, began work at the station the first day it was opened, Aug. 15, 1881, and has been right there ever since. During most of that time he acted as agent for both the Wabash and Mackinaw roads. He is also agent of the Pacific Express Co. Nov. 16, '93, W. E. Allen took the place as Mackinaw agent and is now holding down that chair very efficiently. We append a short personal sketch of the leading business houses and firms of the village.

LEE BROTHERS.

This is a new firm, but the boys are getting right to the front. They bought out L. Brown & Son and took possession in August 1893, nearly two years ago, and since then their trade has expanded in a very creditable manner. They carry a full line of staple and fancy groceries and also a good stock of ready made clothing and boots and shoes. They buy eggs and butter and ship the same in large quantities. The partners are both young men of good business qualifications and hustlers, and their trade has had a healthy growth since they took the helm. They have evidently embarked in trade, not as a temporary makeshift, but with the intention of becoming permanent citizens, and they are entitled to their full share of the public patronage.

ANDREW GOGOLIN.

This name has the merited distinction of representing the largest manufacturing industry of Britton. In March 1893 he purchased the Sam Kniffen saw mill and has been the sole proprietor and manager ever since. The mill is rigged with the latest pattern of buzz-saw and other modern improvements. There is also a planing department connected with the mill, which contains a planer and other machinery for finishing lumber, and this part of the business has a good patronage. There was a big run of sawing last winter, and a large lot of logs yet remains in the yard to be dressed out before next winter's season begins. When the mill is running to its full capacity, it keeps from eight to ten hands in constant employment. This is one of the solid establishments of Britton.

P. B. HARDY, M. D.

Doctor Hardy opened an office and hung out his shingle in Britton in August 1892, and during the intervening period from that date to the present he has acquired a fine practice. He had an excellent preparation for his profession to begin with. During the summer of 1891 he served as undergraduate in the Presbyterian Hospital, N. Y., one of the largest in that city, serving in the surgical wards. He graduated from the Long Island College, at Brooklyn, in March 1892. Before his removal to Michigan he studied and practised with Dr. F. E. Comstock of Andover, N. Y., a man of extended professional reputation. During the past spring the Doctor completed a course of surgical work at Emergency Hospital, Detroit. He has had much practice in nasal surgery recently, having removed six nasal tumors in one day. The Doctor has evidently come to stay.

THE WHITE PHARMACY.

This is one of the neatest and best conducted stores in Britton. Mr. Ben Pulver, the manager, is a recent addition to the business circles of the place, but he has already established himself as one of her most enterprising citizens. He keeps a very choice and well assorted drug stock, and also carries a nice line of notions and school supplies, confectionery and cigars. Mr. Pulver is a graduate pharmacist with four years experience in large drug stores, and is fully up-to-date in his peculiar calling. He purchased his present stock and began business Jan. 1st, 1895, and since that time his trade has experienced a healthy growth. Mr. Pulver is a gentleman himself and his store is conducted on business principles, and hence is bound to reap a merited reward in a growing and lucrative business.

THE EXCHANGE BANK.

Nothing helps the reputation of a country village more, or gives it more importance outside, than a good, responsible banking institution. The Exchange Bank was organized in January, 1892, as a stock company, several of Britton's leading citizens being among the stockholders. Mr. L. C. Hoagland was chosen as cashier of the bank and has acted in that capacity ever since. On the first of June, 1895, the other stockholders sold their holdings to T. V. & L. C. Hoagland, who now control the entire concern under the title "Exchange Bank of Hoagland & Co." Mr. L. C. Hoagland still acts as cashier and active manager of the bank, and no better man could have been found to fill that responsible place with credit. The bank has ample capital, is on a sound financial basis and is doing a good business.

L. C. HOAGLAND & CO.

Mr. Hoagland is not satisfied with running one business alone. He has plenty of leisure time outside of banking hours and plenty of ambition to put it to good use. And this fact gave rise to the above firm, that deals in agricultural implements, buggies and wagons, grain and seeds. This firm was organized in the summer of 1893 and has been running about two years. Mr. L. C. Hoagland is the active manager and has been from the start. They hold the agency for the Champion machines—mowers and reapers—and the celebrated Gale plows, rakes, etc. They hold the agency for a dozen different buggy manufacturers, among them the Elms buggy of Albion. They are pushing trade in this line for all it is worth, having sold 76 buggies and wagons in the ye... 1894 and 43 in the first six months of 1895. May Mont's shadow never grow less.

JAMES HAIGHT.

No man in Britton is enjoying a better trade or is better liked personally than the proprietor of the hardware store. Haight & Calkins purchased the store of Osgood Bros. Dec. 10, 1890, and this firm ran the business about two years, when Mr. Haight bought his partner's interest and has paddled his own canoe since that time. Although brought up on a farm, he takes to trade as a duck does to water and has made a fine success of it. He carries a good stock of shelf hardware, tinware of all kinds, small implements and tools, stoves and ranges. He keeps a good assortment of the celebrated Peninsular stoves on hand. A tin-shop is connected with the store. Mr. Haight has proven himself to be a first-class business man, an enterprising citizen and an excellent neighbor. He can be regarded as one of the fixtures of Britton.

KNIFFEN, HENDERSHOT & CO.

This is the title of another new firm, which is likely to become quite prominent during the next few years. They control the Britton Brick and Tile Factory, which is located one mile northeast of the village on C. A. Kniffen's farm. A brick yard has to be built where the clay can be found, and here is located a very superior deposit of clay, which makes excellent brick and tile. A few thousand brick were burned last fall, enough to test the quality of the clay, which was found to be an extra good sample. They are now putting in a larger engine, and preparing to push business on an extensive scale. The expectation is to start up next week. Mr. Samuel Kniffen, Dr. Hendershot and C. A. Kniffen are partners in the concern and they possess the ability and push to make the enterprise a successful one.

WILLIS J. HELM.

Mr. Helm started a harness shop in Britton five years ago next August. Although he hasn't got rich enough to buy a farm, he has no reason to complain of the patronage he receives. He turns out nothing but first-class work, both in new harness and in repairs, and hence the people of this vicinity accord him their custom. He went into his present rooms January 1, 1895. He is also the agent of the American Express Co., which adds a nice slice to his receipts each year.

WM. R. OSGOOD.

Mr. Osgood is one of the "old guard" among Britton's business men and no man within the confines of the village is more highly respected. He came to Britton twelve years ago, when it was a very small burg, and started a feed mill. Afterwards he built an addition to the mill and went into the sorghum and cider business. A portion of this time he was in partnership with his brothers and the firm of Osgood Bros. also conducted the hardware store now owned by James Haight. During the whole period, however, W. R. Osgood was the manager of the mill. He has gone out of the sorghum business and has a good sorghum mill for sale. He will run the cider department stronger than ever this fall; that is, if the apple crop pans out. He has lately put in a new rig for grinding plow points. Mr. Osgood is also a practical undertaker and the active partner in the firm of Osgood, Linn & Co.

CURTIS & LINN.

This is one of the youngest firms in Britton, figuring the time it has been in existence, having been organized the last week in May, 1895. They purchased the stock of E. R. Wells & Co. at that time and took immediate possession, and they have already demonstrated their capacity to conduct a first-class country store. They carry a well selected stock of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes and ready-made clothing. They buy butter and eggs and will pay the top of the market price therefor. We predict that this firm will prove a valuable acquisition to the business circles of Britton. They are both young men and hustlers, possessed of good health and a willingness to work. They have gone into this venture with a determination to win and hence they are bound to succeed.

LUKE BANNISTER.

But few men can make a successful landlord, but Mr. Bannister is built that way. Seven years ago he run the Exelby House one year and then retired. On the first of April, 1895, he leased the property for one year and again took possession. He has a valuable assistant in his better half, who sets an excellent table. The house has a fine patronage now, both transient and regular boarders. It is one of the best managed country hotels in this section.

JOHN B. BEASLEY.

Mr. Beasley opened a furniture store in his present location when the block was first built, ten years ago, and he has hung on through thick and thin ever since. He manufactures most of his furniture, as he owns a good shop for that purpose, and thus has been able to tide over the hard times, which always hurt the furniture business. His family occupies the rear part of the store and he keeps a good stock of bakery goods on hand. Mr. Beasley may be said to belong to the old guard.

FRANK M. LINK.

Any town the size of Britton needs a first-class painter and paper hanger, and in this direction Mr. Link fills the bill exactly. He has a good shop over Rinn's blacksmith shop. He does house and carriage painting, paper-hanging and sign-writing, makes prices to suit the times and guarantees satisfaction. If Britton doesn't keep well painted up hereafter it will not be Mr. Link's fault. Although a recent comer, he is working up a good custom.

HARVEY WELLING.

Britton has long needed a good photograph gallery, and the one recently started by Mr. Welling fills the bill to a dot. He opened the gallery on the 15th day of May last, and has good reason to be satisfied with the patronage he has received since then. Two weeks ago he assumed the local management of the Times-Journal and now has that business also to take care of. He will have his hands full now, sure enough.

JAMES WRIGHT.

Farmers are giving much more attention than formerly to the improvement of their stock, and especially to their horses. "Glendale Farm," located south of the old Kniffen mill site, has four high-bred stock horses, which will enable the farmers of this section to gratify their ambition right at home. These are Glenwood, Chief of Banas, Prince of Fenwick, and King of the West. They represent all styles, from the draft horse to the fast trotter. Mr. Wright has had a fine patronage this season.

LUE L. WOOD.

Mr. Wood bought out Spitzer's meat market Oct. 1st., 1894, and has extended the business considerably since he took possession. He has a large and well arranged refrigerator, which enables him to keep a good assortment of meats in both hot and cold weather. He also keeps a good supply of soft drinks on hand, where a man can get a refreshing glass at any time. Although young in business, his success is fully assured.

MRS. EZRA SINK.

Mrs. Sink makes no lofty pretensions, but she is doing a very nice, lucrative business, just the same. She has conducted a millinery store in Britton for six years, having occupied the present cosy corner for the past two years. She has good quarters and keeps a fine line of millinery goods. Her long residence in Britton enables her to cater to the tastes of the ladies of that town exactly, and hence she holds a good trade.

HENRY BACHMAN.

Henry Bachman has been conducting a blacksmith and wagon shop in Britton for the past seven years, having been in his present location about two years and a half. He is a first-class mechanic in both lines and enjoys a good custom. Most of the time he has to hire additional help. He builds wagon racks and does all kinds of wagon repairing in addition to his regular blacksmithing business.

EDWARD BACHMAN.

"Ed" is another honorable representative of the Bachman family. He fills a niche, that must be well filled in every growing town, that of contractor and builder. He began the business here in 1888 and during the past seven years he has erected the brick block on the south side and many of the finest residences in Britton. He now has the contract for the new Reformed church and the addition to the big elevator.

E. F. SINK.

Mr. Sink began painting sixteen years ago, when painters had to mix their own paint, and consequently he learned his trade properly. He worked for a time in Macon and for the past six years has been a resident of Britton. House painting and decorating is his specialty and his skill is attested by the fact that he always has work, even in dull times. He frequently employs other help to enable him to meet his engagements promptly.

THE FIRST MATINEE.

The Fast Horses and Fast Wheelmen Combine to Make a Fine Day of Sport.

The matinee races which came off last Saturday were exceedingly well filled and drew a crowd which was very flattering, considering the busy season and that this was the first of the series. There being 21 entries in the 3 minute class it was found necessary to put on an extra race to accommodate the horses. The races were good, especially the two bicycle events, and everything passed off smoothly with no accidents or dissatisfaction. The track was in excellent shape. The next of the series will come off on the 20th of this month, with the additional feature of a ladies' bicycle race. The old favorite, Banker Rothchilds, now owned by John Gibson, was called for by the crowd and trotted an exhibition half mile in excellent form, which showed that he is still in the ring and ready to do business. Following are the summaries:

NAMED RACE—BEST 3 IN 5.

Fannie K	1	1	1
Bill	3	2	3
Nona	6	4	2
Spring Brook Girl	3	3	4
Joe. Farrand, Jr.	4	5	6
Lady K	5	7	5
Old Gyp	8	6	7
Cooney N	7	8	8

Time—1:35¼, 1:33, 1:39½.

3:10 CLASS—BEST 3 IN 5.

Berdie B	2	1	1
Hambletonion Girl	1	3	2
Butterfly	3	2	3
Ida C	4	4	4
Clinton Girl	5	5	5

Time—1:33, 1:28¼, 1:25½, 1:27¾.

3 MINUTE CLASS—BEST 3 IN 5.

Goshen Prince	1	1	1
Wrightwood	3	2	2
Leopard Rose	2	4	4
Claymont	4	3	3
Snowball	5	5	5

Time—1:24, 1:19, 1:13½.

FREE FOR ALL TROT OR PACE—BEST 3 IN 5.

Panama Gazelle	1	1	1
Frankie B	2	2	2
Old Nell	3	3	3
Sickle's Hambletonian	4	4	4

Time—1:13¾, 1:01½, 1:11¾.

BICYCLE—½ MILE HEATS—BEST 2 IN 3.

Stofflett	1	1
Davidson	2	2
Burleson	3	3
Ott	4	5
Taylor	5	4

Time—1:17¾, 1:29.

The two mile dash was a very close, pretty bicycle race, being watched with intense interest throughout. Five wheelmen took part, the same who entered for the half mile heats. Ott immediately took the lead and set the pace till the last quarter of the last lap, closely followed by Stofflet and Davidson, with Taylor and Burleson close to their rear. At the turn before the stretch, Stofflet and Davidson pulled out, shot past Ott and made the finish in a very exciting dash, the former only winning by about half a length. Ott, Taylor and Burleson finished in the order named in excellent time—5:43. By halves—1:28, 2:55, 3:24.

LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad show, better than ever, the all-star attraction, at Tecumseh, July 10.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JULY 5, 1895.

W. O. Silvers is a Chicago visitor this week.

Mrs. John Hause went to Palmyra Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Dr. Conklin, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday.

Misses Agnes Stevens and Mary Burridge were in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark spent the fourth at their cottage at Sand lake.

Mrs. Sullivan and daughter, Margaret Ebbett, went to Marine City Wednesday.

Mrs. Haywood, of Topeka, Kansas, came last week Thursday to visit Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mrs. J. S. Kies and Mrs. Fred Field are spending the week at the cottage at Sand lake.

A great many Clinton people are at the lakes and news also seems to be away on a vacation.

W. D. VanTyle rode into Detroit last Thursday on his byke. He made it in 5 hours against a head wind.

Mrs. John Machen and children departed Tuesday for Wisconsin, where they will visit her parents.

Mrs. Verne Sutfin comes home from Racine to-morrow, where she has been visiting for the past month.

Frank Ice, who has been visiting here was called to his home in Indiana by telegram Tuesday morning.

Ed. Smith and family, Mrs. Len Kimball and Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark are sojourning at 'Tarry-a-While,' Wampler's lake.

To-morrow Mrs. L. K. Davis, Mrs. Geo. Seagrave, and Fred Davis go to Massachusetts to visit their old home in the east.

The service next Sabbath at St. John's church will be held in the morning. Rev. Blachford leaves next Monday for a few week's vacation in Canada.

Last Tuesday evening Mrs. Dr. Fowler gave a very pretty lawn party in honor of Mrs. Magoon, of Muskegon, who is visiting at her uncle's, Mr. Brainbridge.

Henry Hollenbeck has returned from northern Michigan to take his old position as loom fixer in the woolen mill. This time Mr. Hollenbeck is accompanied by Mrs. Hollenbeck.

Ferdinand G. Grinnell, of Detroit, is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. Thos VanGieson. Mr. G was brought up in these parts but he has not visited here before in 13 years.

S. W. Demuth and Rev. Ramsdell were fishing at Evans lake Monday. The principals in the affair claim that fish enough were caught to fill the lunch basket. However, others who have a personal knowledge of the size of the basket regard this as an impossibility.

On Friday, of last week, J. B. Hause met with a rather painful accident which might easily have been still more serious. He was arranging a high load of furniture when losing his balance, he caught hold of a stand. The article was not solid and Mr H fell to the stone pavement badly bruising his shoulder and receiving a severe shaking up generally.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Farmer's are anxiously looking for rain, but it fails to come.

Mrs. Dallas Whitney from Decatur, Ill., is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Cherries are quite plenty in this vicinity and sell readily for $1.50 per bushel.

Mrs. John Warner from Adrian is visiting her mother, Mrs. David R. Smith this week.

There was a bowery dance in John Comb's woods last Friday night. The first of the season.

Abram Park was called to Adrian last Wednesday to attend the funeral of his brother, Eliab Park.

An ice cream social was held at Sam'l Schureman's Friday night with good attendance and an enjoyable time.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Wm. Bradley is still very poorly.

Patrick Blair is assisting E. C. Wisner in haying.

Much time is consumed in securing the short hay crop.

Irene Allen has congestion of the liver, caused by the kick of a horse. She is now better.

Mrs. August Crego was seriously burned last week. She dropped while on the stairs a lighted lamp, breaking it and falling upon it. Doubts were entertained as to her recovery.

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A HORRIBLE MURDER.

A Former Tecumseh Girl the Victim of a Husband's Brutality.

A horrible murder has just come to light in Toledo which explains the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. John E. Mundy, formerly Miss Lillian Morrison, of Tecumseh.

It seems that several days ago, a boy playing under the house at 1114 Wisconsin street, Toledo, discoved the partially decomposed body of a woman, which was subsequently identified as that of Mrs. John Mundy, who disappeared some two years ago. It was supposed she had left the city with her husband. Mrs. Mundy had her husband arrested in 1893 for abusing her and threatening her life, and he went through the ordeal of a trial in police court. Their life appears to have been a very unhappy one, and it is reported that he threatened to kill her on several occasions.

When Mundy left Toledo he announced that his wife had gone on a visit, and the matter gradually dropped out of the minds of Toledo people. It is probable that the self confessed murderer who now lies in a cell at the central police station would never have been brought to justice but for the accidental finding of the body. This led to an investigation. The police authorities began to search for Mundy. It was learned that he had gone to Detroit, and that city was throughly scoured in search of him. He had changed his residence three or four times, and finally left the city, it was learned, for St. Louis. To the Mound City Chief Ben Raitz and Detective Joe Nichter went at once and commenced search in which they were greatly aided by the police of that city. Mundy's home was at last located. Chief Raitz and Detective Nichter finally started with him for Toledo, and on the way home the Toledo chief went at him in such a shape that he finally confessed to the crime and related in broken accents and anguish all the horrible details, which were substantially as follows:

"Yes, I killed her," said the prisoner, choking with emotion. "The deed was done in January, 1893. We did not live happily together, and she had me arrested and fined in police court the month before. I was angry and had been drinking. The devil must have been in me that awful night.

"The children had all gone to bed. We had words and I knocked her down. I thought she was dead; she lay so still and did not breathe. Then the demon got into me. I choked her until she was black in the face. I know she was dead, but I was still crazy.

"I took the butt end of a butcher knife that had a metal handle and was sharp pointed, and jabbed it into her neck. That is what made the hole there. I did not use a revolver. Then I wrapped her up in a rug, thrust her body into a closet and locked the door.

"I kept it there two days and did not know what to do with it. I told the children that their mother had run away. We had two children both boys by my first wife, and a three year old girl by this one. The second night I took up a cleat across the closet door, sawed the floor and pushed her body under the house. The ground was frozen. A joist prevented the body from settling right, so I got a rope, tied her hands together, got under the house myself and dragged the corpse six feet away from the hole in the floor.

"The next day, which was Saturday, I went to Detroit myself and have not been in Toledo since. I told relatives in Detroit that Lillie had deserted me, and that I had broken up house-keeping. They believed the story. To others, I told different stories, and as time wore on I began to feel safe. A year ago I moved to St. Louis, where I have been since.

The murdered woman was formerly Miss Lillie Morrison, and lived with her widowed mother at Tecumseh. She was about 22 years of age at the time she was murdered, and had been married to Mundy three years.

The murdered woman left a mother Mrs. E. J. Morrison, of Tecumseh, a brother at home and married sisters as follows: Mrs. Fred Ney, who lives near the asylum in Toledo; Mrs. W. E. Warner, a school teacher in Detroit; Mrs. Katie Crego, of Sandusky, her husband being a brother of Mrs. Vinnie Dean, of Toledo; and Mrs. Minnie Orendorf, of Kensington, Ill., near Chicago. A peculiar thing is how Mundy kept the fact of his wife's disappearance from her relatives.

John E. Mundy is a Canadian about 38 years of age. He is a carpenter by occupation and worked for different contractors while in Toledo.

A Story In a Few Words.

John—How did you come out last year on your rented farm?

Tom—Barely made enough to pay the rent

John—What rent did you pay?

Tom—I was paying $5 per acre.

John—Will you rent a farm this year?

Tom—No, I am going to buy a farm for the price that I have paid yearly for rent.

John—Where are you going to buy it?

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(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

...ot, dry, dusty and smoky.

...uy rope of Jas. Haight, Britton.

...Y. J. Clark was a Tecumseh visitor ...esday.

...Morris Harrington went to Blissfield ...dnesday.

...Willis Helme was a Toledo visitor ...dnesday.

...uy an ice cream freezer of Jas. ...ght, Britton.

...F. Allen resumed his duties at the ...kinaw today.

...iss Lou Jolly, of Tecumseh, is visit... at Brown's this week.

...etween harvesting and the glorious ...rb, news is a trifle scarce.

...ike Gillen has the job of painting ...church, and has put on the first coat.

...ank Brown and Joe Weidner visited ...ds in Ypsilanti Friday and Satur...

...Battenfeld attended the cele... ...on and ball game last Wednesday ...undee.

...any of our local fans attended the ... between Monroe and Cone at Dun... ...aturday.

...rence Hause has been laid up a ...ys as the result of a friendly bout ...Grant Osterhout.

...Monroe Independents will play ...ants here tomorrow. The Monroe ...play good ball and an interesting ...is looked for.

...s. Egan was in town Wednesday ...g the last shipment of wool for ...Kinney & Co., of Adrian. The ...n have bought a large clip here ...eason.

...bulk of the harvest and most all ...haying, will be finished this week. ...farmers about these parts feel a ...lue over the drouth and short ...hey had better take a few days ...n and ride over the rest of the ... They would be so well con... ...then that they would never want ...off their farms again for fear ...body out west would steal them.

...Wednesday a Wabash engine set ...to the dry hay stubble in a recently ...own meadow of Sam Underwood. The ...carried along quite rapidly by ...wind and Mr. Underwood was ...ed to run a few furrows across ...d to stop the threatened approach ...flames to his buildings. The fire ...ubdued after destroying a few ...s of fence and 3 cocks of hay.

...game at Ypsilanti last Friday ...n the Athletes and Giants was a ...ed affair, though much sport was ...d by all witnesses. The sluggers ...he prairie had it all their own ...he score resulting in 34 to 17 in ...favor. The features were heavy ..., especially by our boys, Kelly ...g two home runs. The one-hand... ...ch by Wiggins in center field was ...y, and though he sprained his ...he held the ball.

...st Wednesday Britton enjoyed quite ...el conflagration. A large box car ...arcoal from the kilns of Mr. Auten, ...ne, was being hauled through here ...e Wabash. At this point it was ...vered to be on fire and a large ...nt of water was turned into the car ...t from the water tank, but without ... The car was quickly sidetracked ...e it was left to partially burn up. ...il tank car was then filled with wa... ...nd the embers put out and cleared ... The charcoal was probably taken ... the kiln and loaded before the fire ...entirely extinguished.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

...at harvest has begun.

...ffy nets of Jas. Haight, Britton.

...le Fletcher has a fine new organ.

...Jacob Arner is under the doctor's ...

...machine oil of Jas. Haight, Brit...

... Houseman is building a new ...arn.

... Smith spent Sunday in Ypsi... ...ith friends.

...Lotta Arner came home Tuesday ...r week's vacation.

...McCrimmon, of Luther, was the ... Clara Temple last week.

...mer returned from her stay in ...on Thursday of last week.

...fall, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is at ...a for her summer vacation.

... Sutton returned from Lansing ...y, accompanied by Miss Gertrude ...

... Smith is improving the appear... ...his horse barn by a fresh coat of ...

...a good source we learn there is ...be another drug store in the vil...

...Ramsdell, of Clinton, occupied ...pit Sunday in the absence of the ...

...H. Cansfield went to Blissfield ... to assist in the quarterly meet... ...vices.

...Romyne Miller, of Big Rapids, ...relatives of the village the first ...eek.

...Will Ford and daughter Gertie, ...mseh, spent Sunday with Wm. ... and family.

...H. Cansfield and family left Mon... ...rning for a week's stay at Port ... with relatives.

...Fred Gorton, of Ypsilanti, is ...g a portion of the vacation with ...her, Lester Osgood and family.

...er Burnett, of Tecumseh, who is ...om Albion for his vacation, will ... the sacred desk next Sunday ...g in the absence of Rev. Cans... ...There will be no services in the ...g.

Worms in Children,

...ns of which are restlessness, and ...g of the teeth in sleep, bad ... itching of the nose pain in ...omach, hardness and swelling ... abdomen and convulsions. A ...are and pleasant remedy for ...complaints is Foley's Family ...e Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & ... July

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Buy lap dusters of Jas. Haight, Britton.

Miss Agnes E. Still spent Sunday at home.

Chas. Sudburough was in town on business.

C. T. Ratts is on the sick list for a few days.

Buy your wife a clothes basket of Jas. Haight, Britton.

Miss Fannie Kelley is home for a summer vacation.

B. Carpenter and wife visited at the Binns' mansion Sunday.

Sheriff E. G. Wilson, of Adrian, was in town Friday morning.

Rev. Shoemaker and family were in town calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winship, of Adrian, spent Sunday in town.

The Free Methodist church has a new carpet. It looks very nice.

The farmers are busy attending the hay crop, which is very light.

Mrs. Erastus Brockway and son was the guest of Mrs. Deloren Brown.

A. D. Macham and family attended the graduating exercises at Tecumseh.

Dr. J. W. Nixon is sojourning at his native home in Canada, visiting his parents.

Charles Anthony arrived Wednesday evening to spend the Fourth with his family.

Mrs. Howland, of Tecumseh, still meets with her painting class at this place.

Mrs. Tom Hartman entertained her father and sister from Wauseon, O., over Sunday.

Rev. Ed. Palmer preached to a good sized audience Saturday evening at the Free church.

A blind violinist was on our streets Friday evening and dispensed very sweet music.

The ice cream which was furnished by H. Hartman for the farmers' picnic was superfine.

Henry McClenathen and family, of Temperance, O., have been guests of his brother, George, and wife.

The much needed rain was perfectly beautiful and a great help to crops, as it was very dry in this locality.

Rev. Jacob Baker delivered an address on his sojourn in California, Sunday evening, to a fair sized audience.

Sam'l Rogers has returned from a two week's sojourn accompanied by his son, Frank, wife and children, for a visit.

Miss Satie Kelley, of Bay City, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eva Florence, for a week, has returned home.

The Junior Endeavorers held a social Fourth of July evening in Geo. Holloway's grove. Ice cream and cake were served.

The Free Methodist quarterly meeting convenes in this place Saturday and Sunday. Presiding Elder Vincent will be present.

Miss Abbie Ray closed a very successful term of school in the Kelley district with a picnic in the grove, the parents taking part.

The Ladies' social was highly entertained by Mrs. Hainey assisted by Mrs. Lane. Refreshments were very fine. Net receipts, $5.

Joe Billmyre has returned from Ann Arbor where he has graduated as a dentist, and can supply people's wants in his line. Success to Joe is the wish of his friends.

A large number of our citizens attended the picnic in Minor Davidson's grove, and listened to an able address by Lawyer O'Mealey, of Adrian. His remarks on practical education were fine.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Corn and potatoes are looking finely.

Oscar Foote and family spent the Fourth at Lyons, O.

Miss Mary Bentley is detained at Lyons, O., yet caring for sick friends.

Our farmers are harvesting their rye this week and finishing their haying.

There will be preaching every Sunday afternoon at the Shumway school house.

Frank Hunt, of Fort Wayne, Ind., is stopping with his grandfather, C. Hunt, for a short time.

Rev. Edson G. Simonds preached at the church last Sunday evening. There was a good attendance present to hear him.

Two of our prominent neighbors engaged in a fight the other evening and neighbor No. 1 retired from the ring with two black eyes and a badly swollen face.

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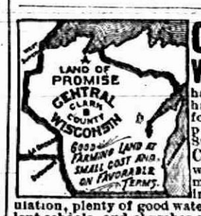

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 25th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mathew L. Root, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, Petitioner, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 22d day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 17th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Linton, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the provisions of said will, and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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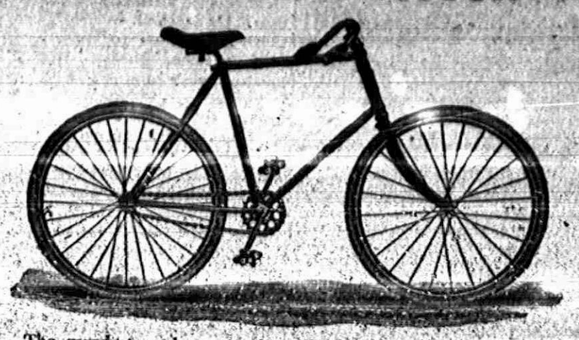

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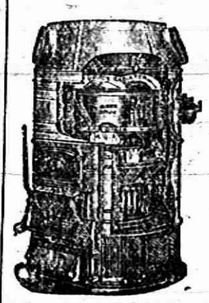

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THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

The Commencement Exercises at Ann Arbor Last Week Thursday.

We had the pleasure of attending the commencement exercises at the University last Thursday, and to say that the visit was enjoyed with a keen relish would be expressing the fact very mildly. Aside from the University, Ann Arbor is a beautiful city for a home, but the associations formed during a few months of school life there make it doubly attractive to an old student.

We went to Dundee the evening before and took an early train on the T. & A. A. road, Thursday, arriving in the city about nine o'clock. Taking a street car we went at once to the campus and found the grounds and buildings alive with students at that early hour. But what a wonderful change has taken place on the campus since war times. The central part of the main building, containing the big auditorium, has been constructed since then; also a large addition to the law building, the electrical and mechanical laboratories, Tappan Hall, the library building, the museum building, the dental building, the hospital, and lastly the Waterman gymnasium. A graduate of twenty-five years ago, who would return today for the first time, would hardly know the institution.

At ten o'clock the procession, which contained the graduates, members of the faculties and distinguished guests, formed near the law building, and marching around the west side, entered the front portal of University Hall and took possession of the auditorium. The faculties occupied the stage and the students the central seats on the lower floor. As soon as they entered, the great hall was rapidly filled with spectators until every available seat and every foot of standing room was occupied. It was a magnificent audience.

After music by the Chequamagon Orchestra and an eloquent invocation by President Angell, the commencement oration was delivered by James Hulme Canfield, D.D., Chancellor of Nebraska University. His topic was Individuality. It was an able production and held the strictest attention of the vast audience for over an hour. Mr. Canfield is a perfect specimen of a "sound mind in a sound body," and his oration was tersely written and splendidly delivered. At its close he was greeted with a rousing ovation. Prof. A. A. Stanley then gave the audience a treat with a selection on the big Columbian organ, which was enthusiastically received. The conferring of degrees followed. During this ceremony the President was kept busy for nearly one hour passing out the rolls of parchment, which are known in student parlance as sheepskins. Each class was called up by itself and after listening to a brief recital from the President, the graduates marched across the stage in single file and each one received his diploma from Proxy's hands. The total number was 692. The largest class was the lawyers, numbering 296, and the smallest was one lone graduate from the Homoeopathic school and one electrical engineer. The degrees bestowed were as follows:

Bachelor of letters, 43.
Bachelor of science—In Biology, 7.
In Chemistry, 4.
In Electrical Engineering, 16.
In Mechanical Engineering, 11.
In Civil Engineering, 20.
In Science, 17.
Bachelor of Philosophy, 53.
Bachelor of Arts, 63.
Electrical Engineer, 1.
Master of Letters, 3.
Master of Science, 8.
Master of Philosophy, 3.
Master of Arts, 6.
Doctor of Philosophy, 1.
Doctor of Medicine, 64.
Bachelor of Laws, 296.
Master of Laws, 9.
Homeopathic College—Doctor of Medicine, 1.
Doctor of Dental Surgery, 45.
Doctor of Dental Science, 2.
Pharmaceutical Chemistry, 19.

At the close of this ceremony the crowd slowly vacated the hall and scattered about the grounds. A large number of those present, including many distinguished visitors and older members of the Alumni, wended their way to the gymnasium to partake of the Commencement dinner. Nearly five hundred guests sat down to the tables and an elegant repast was served by caterer Hangsterfer. At two o'clock President Angell, officiating as toastmaster, called the assemblege to order and several toasts followed. Among those who responded were Gov. Rich President C. K. Adams of Wisconsin University, an old Alumnus of Ann Arbor, and others. Edmund Fish, the oldest graduate living, and the sole survivor except Rev. Cooper of the first commencement, which took place just fifty years ago in June 1845, was present and responded briefly. President Angell read a letter from Rev. D. M. Cooper, now a resident of Detroit, relating many incidents connected with the first commencement. The design then was to have a burial ground on the site of the gymnasium. The hands on the dial marked four o'clock, when the audience [illegible] and departed.

The remainder of the day was very enjoyably passed in calling upon old acquaintances. Judge T. M. Cooley was "at home" in more than one sense. The latch string is always out at his hospitable mansion, and the Judge himself is the same kind-hearted genial man, as of yore. A couple of hours were passed very pleasantly at Judge Cheever's, where we took supper and met some old graduates and friends of the family. Our worthy citizen, B. L. Baxter, happened to be there at the same time. A call was made at the Argus office, but Prof. Hammond happened to be out at the time. A call at S. W. Clarkson's found him sitting on the front porch, taking in the breeze and chatting with some student friends, who were paying their farewell respects. His family are all well at present. Judge Kinne was found in the same cozy home he has occupied so many years, the old Dr. Denton place on Huron street. His present position of Circuit Judge is evidently a congenial one for him, as time sits lightly upon his shoulders; he looks no older than he did twenty-five years ago. The hours passed all to quickly, and we reluctantly took our departure for the train at nine o'clock that evening.

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To the Dressy Public of Tecumseh and Surrounding Country.

I would respectfully call your attention to the fact that I have just opened another first-class tailoring establishment in the east side of J. Burtis' new barber shop, next door to Orr & Temple's drug store, where I shall continually carry a fine line of choice foreign and domestic cloths and trimmings, which can be bought at close prices. I shall also have a full line of samples for Suitings, Overcoats, Trouserings &c. from the best manufacturers, both at home and abroad. I would respectfully request all who contemplate purchasing anything in the above line to call before buying and examine my goods and get prices, which will be within the reach of all. Those who have been compelled to wear ready made clothes on account of hard times, will have occasion to do so no longer, as I shall be in a position to supply you with an elegant tailor made suit at a price that will surprise the closest buyers. But, notwithstanding our prices being cheap, there will be no cheep, trashy work turned out, but everything will be done in a neat and artistic manner. Ten years' experience on fine trade in a number of the leading shops of England, Canada and United States places me in a position to know my business thoroughly, which will be proven to the satisfaction of all who favor me with their patronage. I use nothing but the latest and most improved systems of cutting that have been put to the test and have given entire satisfaction to all admirers of stylish and easy fitting garments. My motto is to have but one price, to buy for cash, to sell for cash and give my customers the benefit of the discount. Call and see me. No trouble to answer questions and show goods, which will be on exhibition after July 1st.

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The Newest Fad.

Our people fairly dote on originality, but they rave over originality in their amusements, especially when it is allied to real merit. The latest fad is "Black America," a gigantic entertainment. This exhibition is composed of nearly half a hundred real Southern negroes, principally from Virginia, North and South Carolina and Georgia. There are no whites in it at all. The performance they provide is unique and interesting beyond anything ever seen on this continent. The singing portion of the program is the grandest thing ever heard. All the old plantation melodies, so infinitely sweet and simple to the musical ear, are rendered in a way to enthuse and electrify the audience. The buck and wing dancing, the drills, marches and all else are wonderful to behold. There is a real cotton field, cotton press and gin in full operation. The above company will give one performance only in Tecumseh. At opera house, Tuesday evening, July 9.

LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show has a troupe of performing goats, a troupe of performing monkeys, the best troupe of performing ponies, the best troupe of performing dogs. Will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Tecumseh in June.

Prof. Swing used to say that "it took eleven months to make a June," but the compensation for this is, that when it does come at last, it is June.

As Tecumseh, with its quaint old Indian name, its broad streets lined with maples, its four school houses, its six churches, its close shaven lawns, its beautiful cemetery, its electric lights, and ample water works, is the most beautiful rural village in Southern Michigan, so also in this first month of summer, is it at its best.

True it has not the beautiful hills on either side, which make Battle Creek picturesque, and the little village of Augusta twelve miles further west still more so, nor Kalamazoo which so long claimed to be the finest village of the west. But with its broad Chicago street, one hundred feet wide, and over a mile long, falling beautifully by a gentle, natural grade from the center to the River Raisin on the east, and to Evans Creek on the west, flanked on the south by Pottawattamie and Kilbuck streets, and on the north by Logan and Shawnee streets, and intersected by Evans and Union streets running north and south, over one and a half miles long; they too flanked by Oneida and Maumee streets on the east and Adrian on the west; this "loveliest village of the plain" is the admiration of accidental and transient visitors, as well as the tired denizens of our surrounding cities, who come year by year to enjoy its cool shade, and drink in its pure air and water, during their summer vacation. Its clean streets, its fine system of electric lights, and ample water supply, are a just tribute of praise to the good taste and efficiency of Board of Village Trustees, its Village Marshal, its Street Commissioner and Board of water works.

We did not set out to praise Old Tecumseh, for it does not need it at our hands, nor at the hands of any one, as it speaks for itself; but with a just village pride, simply to call attention to its rural beauties and unusual attractions as a healthful and pleasant resort for a summer outing. B.

Sad End of a Lovely Life.

On Monday, June 24th, the community was shocked by hearing that the body of a murdered woman had been found under the house 1144 Wisconsin street, Toledo. A few days later it was learned that the victim was a former resident of Tecumseh, whose family still belong here. She was the daughter of Mrs. E. Morrison, was born here, and when about 13 years old went to live with some relatives in Philadelphia. She returned after about 5 years, having grown up a pretty winsome young lady. She remained in Tecumseh only a few weeks when she obtained a situation in Detroit, and there met and married John E. Mundy, a young man of good family and comfortable circumstances. In the fall of '92 Mundy and his family moved from Detroit to Toledo. In January or February '93, Mrs. Mundy's mother called at her daughter's house. She was not at home, and her husband said she had gone to stay a day or two with a woman belonging to their church, who was sick and too poor to hire help, and as Mrs. Mundy was exceedingly kind and charitable, the story seemed plausible. Calling again in a day or two, and still finding her daughter from home, Mundy informed Mrs. Morrison that she had just gone to Detroit to find a house, as they had decided to return to that city, which they did in a few days. This explanation satisfied Mrs. Mundy's relatives with the exception of her mother, who is a lady of more than ordinary shrewdness and intelligence. Suspecting something wrong, she obtained the key of the house they had just vacated, and with incredible nerve and courage searched the house alone. She discovered nothing suspicious, although at one point in her search she must have been within a few inches of the body. Not wishing to give publicity to the affair by placing it in the hands of the authorities, Mrs. Morrison continued her investigation by the more expensive and less efficient means of private skill. No trace of the missing lady could be found though the husband was located until a few months ago, when he moved to St. Louis, Mo., where all trace of him was lost.

With the details of the terrible crime all are familiar. The finding of the body by a little boy who crawled thro' a breech in the foundation wall in search of his dog, the almost unparaleled efforts and success of chief of police Raits and detective Nichter in securing the murderer in St. Louis, the wretched man's confession of how he choked his wife till she appeared dead and then drove a knife into her heart, have all been published.

Mrs. Mundy was about 25 years old and left a little girl who will be given to her mother. In early life she made a profession of religion and joined the Baptist church in Philadelphia, and subsequently by letter united with the Clinton Ave. Baptist church in Detroit, her pastor being the Rev. C. E. Conley, formerly of Tecumseh. She was an active, earnest christian, aiding to the extent of her means and capabilities in missionary and charitable work. As soon as arrangements can be made the remains of the once beautiful and amiable girl will be laid by those of her father, in the Tecumseh cemetery "till the day break and the shadows flee away."

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mrs. Whittaker, of Detroit, is sojourning at Mrs. Tiffany's during the hot weather.

Mrs. Ed. Newburn came up from Cleveland Wednesday to spend a vacation in Tecumseh.

Miss Jones, who has been with Mrs. Mosher for some months, returns to her home in St. Clair tomorrow.

Miss Cooper, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Edith Woodward who is home from that city for her vacation.

A. O. Hall and D. T. Hall attended the funeral of Mrs. Thos. F. Moore in Madison last Monday. The deceased was an aunt of D. T. Hall's.

After services last Sunday morning a unanimous call was extended to B. S. Hudson to accept the pastorate of the Baptist Church. He will fill the pulpit again next Sunday and in the meantime has taken the call into advisement.

Runaways seem to be a necessary pastime to the equine race. Ben Garlinghouse has so trained his steed that he can now indulge in this dangerous diversion with innocent pleasure to himself and credit to his master. The first practice heat was given Monday morning over the Lake Shore track up across the trestle bridge by Bidwell's farm. This was done without the slightest injury to horse or buggy.

BIFF! BOOM!! BANG!!!

That is the way the meeting of the Bicycle Association was punctuated, when, on last Monday evening the boys came together in committee of the whole to discuss the ways and means of the coming races. There wasn't one who wasn't enthusiastic, who wasn't willing to put forth every effort to make the meet a success and who was'nt willing to 'pungle' the hard coin of the realm to make the races of 1895 eclipse any previous festal event.

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Bay View Announcements Out.

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VILLAGE TAXES.—I will be at the banking office of The Tecumseh State Savings Bank, June 21, 1895, and upon every Friday during month of July, 1895, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m of each day, to receive Village taxes for the year 1895. Four per cent. will be added to all taxes not paid on or before July 31 st, 1895.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 5, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bicycle Day July 25th.

Go and see Black America.

Look out for Field's Minstrels next week.

Miss Mamie Osborn is at home for the vacation.

Grant Fellows, of Hudson, was in town Monday.

Tecumseh will celebrate the Fourth of July on the 25th.

Jerome Travis, of Lansing, was in town last Saturday.

The advertising car connected with the LaPearl show was in town Monday.

Miss Anna and Jennie Service Sundayed with their mother in Tecumseh.

Wait for the Big Bicycle Races. Thursday, July 25th. $750 in prizes.

Mitchell & Lowry will begin their job on the Brownville bridge next week.

LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

The best minstrel troupe that ever visited Tecumseh will be here next Thursday.

Miss Mary Burridge arrived home from Ann Arbor last week for the summer vacation.

At the Methodist church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Mount Calvary."

Prof. Kellogg and Editor Field went to Adrian Monday to start their "Summer Normal" at the college.

A. W. Haight, who has been enjoying a respite from work in Tecumseh, returned to Columbus last Saturday.

Fred Osborn, who is attending the university at Ann Arbor, is spending a few days with his uncle, J. H. Osborn.

Rev. E. C. Andrus left town Monday for a month's vacation. He will spend most of the time at his old home in Grand Rapids.

The Al. G. Field's troupe is the best minstrel organization that ever visited Tecumseh. Next Tuesday evening at the opera house.

LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show, three times larger than before, ten times better than ever, will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Ed Hollister, of Norwalk, Ohio, was in town two or three days last week. He is getting his celery plantation down there nicely started.

Will Anderson, of Devils Lake, was in town a part of last week. He is looking hale and hearty. Dairy farming evidently agrees with him.

Next Monday Rev. J. P. Varner will go north with his family for a month's vacation. Rev. Walter Burnett will supply the pulpit in his absence.

Frank Whiting, of Lake Ridge, was a HERALD caller Tuesday. Frank has the sympathy of all in his recent bereavment, for his wife was a most estimable woman.

The bicycle meet to be held here July 25th will cap the climax. There will be elaborate programs, forenoon afternoon and evening, including a ten mile race and fireworks.

Miss Naomi Gamble and her sisters, Saida and Marian, visited their Grandma Gregg last week. Mrs. Robert Service, their auntie, returned to their home in Wheatland with them.

George Hanford has bought a new 5 1-2-horse power gas engine of the Springfield make and a centrifugal pump to use on his celery farm for irrigation. The outfit will be just what is needed in a dry season.

B. L. Baxter attended the commencement at Ann Arbor last week and had a very pleasant visit there. He was the guest of Judge Cooley and Judge Cheever and also called upon Ex-Governor Felch. Mr. Baxter was regent of the university during war times and hence enjoys quite an extended personal acquaintance in Ann Arbor. He made a three days' trip of it, visiting friends in Ypsilanti on Friday.

Bicycle Day July 25th.

Will Baker is in Toledo this week.

Bert Day is spending his vacation in Chicago.

Tecumseh's big day will come on July 25th this year.

Miss Gussie Whitenack visited friends in Detroit last week.

J. S. Starling was in Detroit last week buying a stock of goods.

Mr. Jesse Draper, of Cleveland, was in town a couple of days this week.

Miss Jane Corlett, of Toledo, was the guest of Miss Anna Osborn this week.

Anna Osborn gave a very pretty lawn party to a number of friends yesterday.

Wait for the Big Bicycle Races. Thursday, July 25. $750 in prizes.

Charlie Van Antwerp opened his new restaurant in the Kniskern block yesterday.

Harris & Hiteshu have something to say about the silver question in their space to day.

Mrs. C. P. Field and family are spending a couple of weeks at the Kies cottage, Sand Lake.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman respectfully requests all who are indebted to her to call and settle at once.

LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show, the greatest in the modern world, will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Mrs. James Rue, the guest for several days of Mrs. Abbie Fisher, has returned to her home in Battle Creek.

Raynor Anderson arrived home from Buffalo Saturday for a short vacation. He will soon take a position in Detroit.

Walter Burnett got home last week from Albion College and expects to spend most of his vacation in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McGlashan, of Windsor, Ont., and daughter Olive spent the 4th with Dr. Woodward's family.

Mrs. Thos. Hanley is meeting with good success thus far in canvassing for her book. She deserves the assistance of everyone and will doubtless work up a good list of subscribers here.

Two splendid bands will discourse music during the morning, afternoon and evening of July 25th. Ten mile crackajack road race in the morning. Amateur and professional track races in the afternoon.

You can see an exciting ten mile road race, a splendid exhibition of fancy and trick bicycle riding and the ascension of an illuminated air ship absolutely free of charge if you will come to Tecumseh on Thursday, July 25th.

Tecumseh was almost deserted yesterday. The afternoon resembled a Sunday, as all stores were closed. Most of our citizens who left town, went to Adrian to celebrate, although a good many went to the lakes.

The Electric Light company have contracted for a new boiler and compound condensing engine of 125 horse power each, and several new arc lights will be erected at once. The new outfit and additional lamps will be in running order by August 1.

Prof. J. W. Cupples and family of Lapeer are spending a couple of weeks with his father, Wm. Cupples. Prof. Cupples has been engaged as Superintendent of the Lapeer schools for another year, which is a sure indication that he is succeeding there.

Mr. H. H. Chapin is in town this week with an assistant correcting the canvass which was made last fall for his directory in order that it will be fully up to date. The directory will be out next month, the work in Hudson and Adrian being already completed.

J. W. Crane, of Elmhurst, Ill., with his family, is spending a few days with Tecumseh friends. Mr. Crane is President of the new Tipton Cheese Co., so he is now able to combine business with pleasure in his Tecumseh trips. His new venture at Tipton is running very nicely thus far.

C. H. Reed has shipped his goods to Belding where he has taken an interest in the Belding Star. Mr. Reed and family expect to go this week. Belding is a hustling little town and Charlie is a hustling good printer, and though his many friends regret his departure they all wish him every success.

The greatest bicycle meet in Southern Michigan will take place in Tecumseh on Thursday, July 25. Prizes to the value of seven hundred and fifty dollars have already been guaranteed and it is even expected to increase this amount. Riders from all sections of the country will compete and the Tecumseh Bicycle Association assures the community of the biggest big-day in the history of our fair village.

This week Wm. Arnold has been moving his family into one of the finest residences in Tecumseh, his new house on Logan street. The house not only represents a beautiful and tasty appearance suggestive of comfort and commodious rooms, but from cellar to roof is put up in the best manner that good material and skillful workmanship could produce. A peninsular furnace heats the rooms. The house is connected with the water works, is furnished with porches, mantles, bath room and all modern conveniences. The first floor is finished in quartered oak and the second in Georgia pine, making a beautiful effect throughout. Henry Mensing made the plans and superintended the building while James Mitchell did the mason work and both are to be complimented on the thoroughness and excellence of their work.

Bicycle Day July 25th.

Where did you celebrate?

Roy DeWolf spent the 4th in Tecumseh.

Chas. Van Antwerp preached in Homer last Sunday.

Miss Ella Chilson is now organist at the Baptist church.

Ralph Webb, of Minneapolis, called upon old friends here Saturday.

Geo. Newberry, of Jackson, visited at his uncle's, B. L. Baxter's, over Sunday.

Fred Guyt formerly with Erskine, is now employed in Burtis' barber shop.

Wait for the Big Bicycle Races. Thursday, July 25th. $750 in prizes.

Barnum and Bailey's show will exhibit at Adrian next week Saturday July 13th.

Two first-class barbers and everything clean at Burtis' new shop. Give them a call.

Leon and Harry Rosacrans take a trip to Chicago on their wheels next week.

Miss Iva Elliott spent several days of last week with Miss Julia Gilmore, of Macon.

LaPearl's greatest of the great 10 and 20 cent shows will exhibit at Tecumseh July 10th.

Norman Allen, of Cleveland, Ohio, is making his nephew, Peter Welling, a few days' visit.

The Misses Jessie Case and Minnie Reeves celebrated the 4th, or rather the 3rd, in Dundee.

Dr. E. W. Gamble is visiting old friends and celebrating the 4th in Tecumseh this week.

Misses Emma Clarke and Nettie Taylor, of Manchester, took dinner with Mrs. Peter Welling Sunday.

Misses Mae and Mabel Sisson, of Detroit, spent the 4th with relatives and friends in Tecumseh and vicinity.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will leave home next Monday for a short vacation at Hamilton, Ont. His family will accompany him.

Gus Cummins is something of a rider too. He came in Monday on his wheel from Chicago, having been just 12 hours on the road, a distance of 220 miles.

Henry Mc Clure celebrated yesterday in red, white and blue. That boy, who arrived at his home yesterday morning, will be a patriotic citizen, or all signs will fail.

The Tecumseh Bicycle Association gave a splendid race meeting last year but the meet of 1895 will outshine the meet of 1894 as the arc light does the candle. Don't forget the date,—all day Thursday, July 25th.

A. W. and Chester Slayton, of Grand Rapids, cousins of A. W. and C. A. Slayton, stopped off here Tuesday and Wednesday to make a short visit. They are on their way to Massachusetts to visit relatives.

On our trip to Ann Arbor last week, we stopped over night at the Pocklington Hotel, and got first class accomodations as we always do at that house. When in Dundee, patronize the Pocklington Hotel and you will be happy.

Mrs. James Elliott and little daughter, Toozy, went to Homer Wednesday for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rainey. Mrs. Elliott returns Friday while her little daughter will spend her vacation with an aunt, Mrs. T. C. Cook, of Quincy, Mich.

The Tecumseh souvenirs are completed and are being delivered this week. The job is a very neat one, both typographically and editorially, and reflects credit upon the compilers, J. H. Smith and C. H. Reed. It makes a fine showing of Tecumseh and her business interests.

The calendar for the current year of the University School of Music is at hand. This school has met with a wonderful success under the superintendence of Prof. Stanley and has become one of the permanent fixtures of the university. In the roll of students for last year we note the name of Camilla Mead of Tecumseh.

The verdict of $1500 found in the Ford vs Cheever case in the Lenawee circuit court was carried to the supreme court and there reversed last Tuesday. Watts, Bean & Smith and W. C. Burridge were counsel for Cheever while J. W. Wightman and Jake Winnie represented Mrs. Ford's interests. Isaac Wolcott also won his case of Globe Casket Co. vs Wolcott at Lansing. W. C. Burridge made the arguments in both of these cases for the successful litigants and has thus added to his successful practice before the supreme court.

Wm. Herrick, an old pensioner, who has been living with his brother-in-law, W. H. Smith, for the past fifteen years, died last Monday at the age of 64 years. He was born in Ireland, but had lived in this country from early manhood and served in the late war with much credit as a cavalry soldier. He died of heart failure. The funeral services were held at the home of W. H. Smith on Tuesday afternoon, Beers Post G. A. R. conducting the services, and Chaplain L. Barnes officiating. The deceased was a quiet unassuming man but a warm hearted friend and neighbor, who will be missed by those who knew him best.

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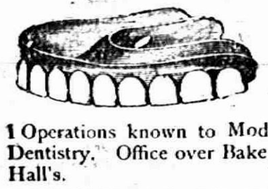
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MICHIGAN FARMERS.

Report of the Secretary of State Presents Interesting Statistics.

LANSING, July 1.—The advance sheets of what is probably the most important census bulletin yet issued by Secretary of State Gardner, as the result of the compilation of the state census of last year, have been given out. The total area of the state is 36,443,346.40 acres. The total area of the southern four tiers of counties is 11,145,881.66 acres. Compared with 1884 there is in the southern counties an increase of 506,610 acres in the area of improved land, and a decrease of 613,701 acres in the area of unimproved land. The value of farms, including land, fences and buildings in the state, is shown to be $528,249,503, as compared with $571,443,463 in 1884, a decrease of $43,193,959. There is a loss in the southern counties of $61,690,047, making the total loss in the state $43,193,959.

in the state in 1884 was $38.48, and in 1894 $34.54; the average value in the southern counties in 1884 was $46.94, and in 1894 $41.23. The average decrease per acre in the state is $3.94, or 10.24 per cent., and in the southern counties $5.71, or 12.16 per cent.

Farm implements in the state are valued at $21,134,616, a decrease compared with 1894 of $762,870. The value of implements in the southern counties is $14,575,204, or $2,963,567 less than in 1884. Live stock in the state is valued at $53,150,113, as compared with $70,626,248 in 1884, a decrease of $18,476,135. In the southern counties there is a loss of $19,061,373. In the southern counties the amount paid for outdoor labor was $7,825,891, a decrease of $1,289,507, and for indoor labor $881,571, a decrease of $438,728 compared with 1883. In the southern counties the value is stated at $58,676,696, a decrease of $6,217,237.

SEAMAN JURY DISAGREES.

Detroit Physician Is to Be Given Another Trial at Once.

DETROIT, July 1.—The jury in the trial of Dr. Dennis J. Seaman, the physician who is charged with responsibility for Emily Hall's death on account of a criminal operation, came into court at 9 o'clock Saturday morning and announced a disagreement. The jury was discharged and another trial of the case will be begun this afternoon. It is understood that the jurors stood eight for conviction, four for acquittal. They were locked up for eighteen hours.

DETROIT, July 2.—When the recorder's court opened Monday afternoon Prosecuting Attorney Frazer moved that the case against Dr. J. B. Seaman, who is accused of having caused the death of Emily Hall, the English girl who died in a lying-in hospital here last February, be immediately proceeded with. Fred H. Warren, attorney for the defense, objected, saying that his associate and himself were not ready to proceed with the case. He had no good reason to offer, however, and Judge Chapin ordered that the case be proceeded with, and drawing for jurors began.

DETROIT SMALLPOX EXPENSIVE.

A Hotel Proprietor Secures Damages in a Test Case.

DETROIT, July 1.—The first of the cases against the city for damages growing out of the incompetency of the health board in the recent epidemic of smallpox was decided Saturday afternoon in favor of the plaintiff, M. S. Safford. Safford is proprietor of the Merchants' hotel, where the first case of smallpox developed. He charged that the board of health failed to give prompt attention to the case, which necessitated the hotel being placed in quarantine and the destruction of property and loss of business, and sued for damages. The jury gave a verdict for $850. Other similar suits will now be brought against the city.

Green-Goods Men Guilty.

DETROIT, June 30.—In the United States court the jury brought in a verdict of guilty against John S. Treadwell and William Derry, the green-goods men who were captured at Hillsdale a couple of months ago, and who were charged with using the United States mails in operating a green-goods swindle. Sentence was not pronounced. Four others were discharged.

Census of the Pottawattomies.

NILES, July 2.—A census is being taken by Indian Agent J. W. Cadman of the Pottawattomie tribe of Indians who live near Dowagiac, for the purpose of establishing their individual claims to $150,000 shortly to be paid them by the government. There are 250 members of the tribe living.

Earnings of Michigan Roads.

LANSING, Mich., June 29.—The earnings of Michigan railroads for the month of April were $2,507,974, an increase of $253,382 over the same month of 1894. The total earnings from January 1 to May 1 were $8,920,191, an increase of $367,987, or 4.34 per cent. over the same period in 1894.

Minister Killed by the Cars.

BLISSFIELD, Mich., July 2.—Rev. H. N. Brown, a retired M. E. clergyman who has held pastorates in prominent churches in Detroit and other Michigan cities for forty years, was struck and instantly killed by a locomotive while walking on the Lake Shore railroad track Monday evening.

Aged Man Burned to Death.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Mich., July 2.—William J. Kennedy, aged 79, was burned to death Sunday night in his house. His family escaped. Incendiarism is suspected.

Gets a New Trial.

LANSING, July 1.—William H. Thacher, of Benzie county, convicted of poisoning his wife and sentenced to prison for life, was granted a new trial by the Michigan supreme court.

Sawmill Burned.

PIERPONT, July 1.—Representative Perry's saw and grist mill burned late Saturday night. The loss is $10,000; no insurance.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Preparations for the Second Annual Training Assembly.

LUDINGTON, July 1.—Arrangements are almost completed for holding at this place the second annual training assembly of the Epworth league. The institution located at Ludington was the first of the kind ever undertaken by the league, which to-day is an organization of 2,800,000 members. The prime object of the training assembly is to provide a summer school, combining intellectual and spiritual development and having special regard to the recent great movement among Christian young men and women. The programme is so arranged as to allow during a three weeks' sojourn ample opportunity for amusement and recreation on one of the prettiest beaches on Lake Michigan. Any member of the league may attend the assembly, where, in a large auditorium, is given during a three [illegible] instruction touching on League, Endeavor, Bible study and Sunday-school work, conference work for young preachers, evangelistic effort, and Christian citizenship. The programme for this year includes the time from July 9 to 28. Well-known religious instructors from Chicago, Detroit, Boston, Chattanooga, and many other points will be present.

A BIG CLASS.

Graduating Honors Conferred on 692 Students at Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 29.—Commencement week at the state university closed Thursday with the graduating exercises proper, followed by the usual banquet in Watterman gymnasium. Five thousand persons witnessed the graduating exercises. The number of degrees conferred was 692, which is the largest number conferred on any class in America this year. Degrees were conferred as follows:

Bachelor of letters, 43; bachelor of science, 76; bachelor of philosophy, 58; bachelor of arts, 63; masters' degrees, 30; doctor of philosophy, Frank Haigh Dixon, Ph. B.; doctor of medicine, 64; bachelor of law, 296; master of law, 9; pharmaceutical chemist, 19; doctor of medicine, homeopathy, William Hodgins Atterbury; doctor of dental surgery, 45; doctor of dental science, 2.

The following honorary degrees were conferred:

Master of arts: Andrew J. Poppleton, undergraduate of 1847 and 1850, of Omaha; Maj. Willis Cranson, 1848, of Saginaw; Rev. William Frackelton, of Sydney, Australia, and professor of Greek at Wellesley. Doctor of law: Alfred Noble, 1870, United States commissioner on the Nicaragua canal; Henry Mills Hurd, 1863, superintendent of Johns Hopkins hospital and dean of the faculty. Master of laws: Robert H. McMurdy, 1890, of the Chicago Alumni association.

HEIR TO $225,000.

Inmate of a Prison Informed of His Luck on the Expiration of His Sentence.

IONIA, Mich., July 2.—Two years ago August Dahner was sent to the Ionia prison for two years for whipping a man who refused to pay him his wages. Dahner served his time and was released Monday. When he stepped out of prison he was met at the door by attorneys who informed him that a fortune of $225,000 was his when he chose to claim it. It appears that Dahner's uncle was one of the original forty-niners and struck pay dirt in the Calico mining district of San Bernardino county, Cal., years ago, and had increased his wealth. When he died about eighteen months ago he had six living heirs, one of whom is Dahner. Dahner will go back to his home and then to California to claim the fortune. When he was sentenced to state's prison he had the sympathy of the neighborhood. Dahner is young and unmarried.

Recovered Her Daughter.

KALAMAZOO, June 29.—At the residence of Phillip Buckhout in West Oshtemo lives Meta Moore, a supposed orphan. Sunday evening a poorly-clad and tired-looking woman appeared at the house, asked for the girl and recognized her immediately as her daughter whom she had become separated from in some unaccountable manner ten years ago. The mother was supposed to have died years ago. Mrs. Moore is poor and had traveled many miles on foot in search of her child.

Reds with the Supreme Court.

LANSING, June 30.—The case of the state of Michigan vs. Bay county, involving the claim of the state for delinquent taxes aggregating about $106,000, has been submitted to the supreme court. An opinion is not looked for for some weeks. On the result of the case hangs the right of the state to recover from a number of other counties in which a similar state of affairs exists.

The Plot Failed.

BATTLE CREEK, June 29.—Deputy Sheriff King unearthed a plot to send Amelia Henzleman, an important witness against the alleged train wreckers here, to Germany and to capture the witness in Detroit on her way to New York, whence she was to sail for her home. She claims that she was given her transportation and $100 to leave the country.

Robbed by Tramps.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 2.—George R. Culp, the 13-year-old son of a Methodist clergyman at Battle Creek, Mich., was found by a policeman Sunday morning in North Buffalo. The boy ate as if he had been days without food. He had fallen in with tramps who had robbed him. The policeman wins a reward of $50 offered by the boy's father.

In Jail Again.

LANSING, July 2.—John Bodewig and George Johnson, two of the men charged with train-wrecking at Battle Creek during the railroad strike last year, are in jail here. They were rearrested last week upon a charge of obstructing the United States mails.

Albion College to Get $25,000.

ALBION, June 27.—At the Alumni association meeting of Albion college it was announced that $25,000 had been pledged for the alumni professorship of the English Bible. The chair will be fully equipped at once.

FULL OF NEWS.

Short Paragraphs of General Interest to Residents of Michigan.

Ten young men were graduated from Hope college recently.

In the union depot at Grand Rapids, recently, Mrs. Amelia Lowing, of Georgetown, Ottawa county, died of heart disease.

The law relating to peddlers passed by the recent legislature is unconstitutional, in the opinion of Attorney General Maynard.

At the recent session of the Michigan state Bar Association, in Lansing, George P. Wanty, of Grand Rapids, was elected president.

Caroline Josephine Hartman is the first woman to take out naturalization papers in Washtenaw county.

Albert W. Tourgee will address the Michigan Equal Rights association at Jackson August 1 and 2.

Huron county maintains 107 schools, and with a population of 22,600 has but one village with more than 1,000 inhabitants.

The present outlook for the grape crop of southwestern Michigan is that there will be considerably more than half of an average yield.

Van Buren township farmers are busy planting potatoes, and the acreage this season in this section will be much larger than ever before.

D. C. Spears, of Azalia, has been appointed an aid on the staff of Commander in Chief Lawler of the G. A. R.

Prof. Daniel Cady Eaton, one of the most eminent authorities on botany in this country, and professor on that subject at Yale college for the last thirty-five years, was born at Fort Gratiot 61 years ago.

The university regents have raised the fees again, and all students will have to pay five dollars more after this year.

The naval reserve at Saginaw has been ordered to report at Mackinac island in July to take an instruction cruise on the Michigan.

LOWEST IN SIXTEEN YEARS.

St. Joseph County Crops Suffer for Want of Rain.

THREE RIVERS, July 1.—The average farmer of southwestern Michigan is deeply discouraged on account of the effect upon crops of the exceedingly dry weather and late frosts. The late frost nearly destroyed the entire mint crop, which generally is very large, and also injured the wheat. The hay crop is almost nothing and hay is worth here from $18 to $20. The wheat crop which is being harvested is very light and will average about one-half a crop. Corn, potatoes and oats are in a fair condition, and should we have summer rains will result in fair crops. The fruit crop in St. Joseph county is fair, but much has fallen off on account of dryness. Peaches will be nearly a full crop. The rain of about 3 inches last Wednesday was the heaviest since last fall, and the total amount of precipitation since January 1, '95, in St. Joseph county has been only about 10 inches. Many wells are dry and the manufacturing establishments cannot run a full capacity on account of the lowness of the streams, which are the lowest now they have been in sixteen years.

HONORED BY THE GOVERNOR.

Recent Important Appointments to the State's Service.

LANSING, June 28.—Gen. James H. Kidd, of Ionia, ex-inspector-general of the Michigan national guard and ex-commander of the Michigan department Grand Army of the Republic, has been appointed by Gov. Rich quartermaster-general, to succeed George M. Devlin deceased. Gen. Kidd was colonel of the Michigan cavalry and was brevetted brigadier-general of volunteers for gallant and meritorious services. Col. Charles V. Deland was selected by the governor to fill the office of state statistician, which was established by the last legislature.

Racing at Grand Rapids.

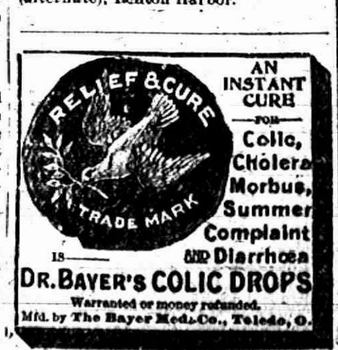
GRAND RAPIDS, July 2.—The first of the meetings to comprise the "Big Four" circuit, which includes Grand Rapids, Lansing, Saginaw and Detroit races, opened Monday afternoon with good attendance, fine weather and track in good condition. Three events were completed as scheduled. The winners were as follows: Trotting, 2-year-olds, 2:50 class, purse, $500—Emeer; best time, 2:33. Pacing, 2:28 class, purse, $1,000—Queen Lil; best time, 2:18. Trotting, 2:30 class, purse, $1,000—Roelta Soap; best time, 2:22.

Big Mortgage Filed.

DETROIT, July 2.—The Citizens' Street Railway company Monday morning filed a $7,000,000 blanket mortgage, covering its property, to the New York Security and Investment company. It is what is called a consolidated mortgage and is made to cover all the company's indebtedness and for the continuance of its work of equipping the lines with electricity.

Michigan Boys for West Point.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29.—The following appointments of Michigan cadets to enter the military academy at West Point in June, 1896, have been made during the last week: George R. Spalding, Monson; Andrew J. Weatherwax (alternate), Jackson; Jay P. Hopkins, Cassopolis; William H. Yore (alternate), Benton Harbor.



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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

By the explosion of a boiler at a sawmill at Walthourville, Ga., two men were killed and a third fatally injured.

Fire caused the total destruction of the plant of the St. Mary's (O.) Woolen Manufacturing company and seven adjacent buildings. Total loss, $100,000.

During a thunderstorm at Falkland, Ala., Thomas and George Washington were killed by lightning and James Hackney met a like fate at Lincoln.

William Methvin was killed by a falling tree at Smith's Mills, Ala., and his wife was killed at about the same time in a runaway accident.

On July 1 next twenty-six post offices, because of increased receipts, will be made presidential offices.

A cyclone at Baird, Tex., destroyed several buildings and killed three persons.

Tom Allen, Bob Smith and Bob Jesse, train hands, were killed in a freight wreck on the Central railroad near Milledgeville, Ga.

William Kouth fatally wounded his wife at Richmond, Ind., set fire to the house, and then cut his own throat and died.

City Marshal Williams and R. W. Patterson, register of the United States land office, were both killed in a shooting affair at South Enid, O. T.

By the explosion of a miniature cannon at Omaha E. N. Dedreich was killed and George Watt was fatally injured. Both were railroad employes.

Williams college held its one hundred and first commencement at Williamstown, Mass. An unusual number of alumni were in attendance.

Louis Blanchard, 16 years old; Albert Birkel, 12, and William Birkel, 11 years, were drowned at Seattle, Wash.

The fifth meeting of the international railway congress was opened in London by the prince of Wales.

The biennial session of the international supreme lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars opened in Boston. The total membership of the order in this country is now 560,605.

The first cargo of Egyptian sugar ever brought to this country arrived at Laurel, Del., on the British steamer Daylight.

Six firemen were killed and ten hurt in a fire at Minneapolis that caused a loss of $100,000 to McDonald Bros., dealers in crockery, chinaware, glassware and silverware.

The B. & M. Packing company went into the hands of a receiver at Denver with liabilities of $100,000.

The international conference of the Epworth league met at Chattanooga, Tenn., with 15,000 delegates present.

At Bethlehem, Pa., John S. Johnson made the fastest time on record in a competitive professional bicycle race. It was a half-mile handicap, and Johnson rode the distance in 1:03¼.

A tornado at Put-in-Bay island tore down walls and uprooted trees and summer campers on the island were terror-stricken.

Michael McDonough, aged 60, was hanged in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., for the murder of his wife at Kenton on September 8, 1894.

Volcanic disturbances were reported in the Cocopah country of Lower California.

The supreme court of Ohio declared the law taxing inheritances by direct heirs unconstitutional.

Twenty-three officers of the Cotton Screwmen's association of New Orleans were indicted for the recent riots.

A cyclone struck Keysville, Ga., and all the houses were either demolished or badly wrecked.

In an old skirt belonging to the late Mrs. Augusta Keller, of Lexington, Mo., members of the family found $9,000 in greenbacks.

An appeal was issued by the Irish National Federation of America for money to carry on the home rule campaign in Ireland.

Anthony Paoli and John Tursick, rivals for the affections of Rosina Dubach, fought a duel in the woods near Shamokin, Pa., using clubs for weapons, and both were fatally hurt.

Senators Voorhees and Turpie prepared papers to file in court to test the last Indiana legislative apportionment.

The expenditures for the four years of civilian administration of the weather bureau are estimated at $3,398,090.

Fire destroyed four blocks in the heart of the manufacturing district of San Francisco, involving a loss of $1,500,000 in property and sacrificing one life.

Tom Bowen (colored), in jail at Brook Haven, Miss., charged with assault on Miss Lizzie Britt, was taken from the sheriff by a mob and hanged.

The cruiser Columbia is to race against time from Southampton to New York under instructions from Secretary Herbert.

The Alpine tunnel on the South Park road in Colorado, said to be the highest railroad tunnel in the world, was reopened. It had been snowed up for five years.

Haywood & Son, bankers at Clinton, Ia., failed for $160,000; assets, $275,000

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The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 28th aggregated $1,010,482,041, against $1,076,419,460 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 33.6.

The population of Jersey City, N. J., according to the state census just completed, is 182,981.

At Bently, Kan., L. C. Kennedy and Miss S. F. Helvie, two well-known young people, were married by Rev. Ella Thorp. It was the first marriage ceremony performed in Kansas by a woman.

There were 256 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 28th, against 228 the week previous and 214 in the corresponding time in 1894.

The National Association of Elocutionists in session in Boston elected Prof. W. B. Chamberlain, of Chicago, president.

George S. S. Moore, assistant postmaster at Mobile, Ala., was sentenced to two years' imprisonment for embezzlement of public funds.

The supreme council of the United Commercial Travelers of America met at Columbus, O.

Frost visited Dickey county, N. D., damaging corn, potatoes and flax.

In a fight at Spartansburg, S. C., between State Constables Pettigrew and Toland and two moonshiners named Fisher and Durham the latter were killed and the constables were fatally injured.

Dr. Robinson, of Camden, Mass., died at the age of 34 years. He discovered the use of the spectroscope in medicine.

The lumbermen of Stillwater, Minn., were said to have cheated the government out of $400,000 by fraudulent log measurements.

"Bad Tom" Smith, a member of the French faction in mountain warfare, and the murderer of eight men, was hanged at Jackson, Ky.

Snow fell for an hour at Cumberland, Wis.

Contractor David Copper and his father fell 75 feet from a scaffold at Mossy Creek, Tenn., and both were killed.

Winter wheat does not make a very good showing in the June crop report of the statistician of the department of agriculture at Washington.

Yale won the 'varsity 4-mile race at New London, Conn., by ten lengths, beating Harvard by thirty-five seconds. The official time was: Yale, 21:30; Harvard, 22:05.

The reservoir at Chatcher, Col., holding 25,000,000 gallons of water, gave way and swept over all the country, doing great damage.

Tom Bowen, a negro who committed an outrage upon a blind white lady at Brookhaven, Miss, was captured by a mob and hanged.

St. Louis city employes who have failed to register and vote were being dropped from the rolls for their negligence.

Thomas Porvier and his wife were killed by a stroke of lightning at their home near Lowell, Mass.

Percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 29th ult. were: Boston, .640; Baltimore, .612; Pittsburgh, .607; Cleveland, .589; Chicago, .583; Cincinnati, .547; Philadelphia, .538; Brooklyn, .528; New York, .491; Washington, .415; St. Louis, .298; Louisville, .154.

The records of the immigration bureau show the number of immigrants who arrived in this country during the fiscal year just ended to be approximately 255,325, a decrease for the year of 30,303.

All grocers, fruit stand proprietors and dry goods men in Springfield, O., found keeping open on Sunday were arrested.

All the window glass factories in the United States closed down until September.

The bullion treated at the Denver mint during the year just closed was valued at $5,614,642, a gain of $2,374,061 over the previous year.

Mrs. Leland Stanford won in a suit brought by the government against her husband's estate involving $15,000,000.

A majority of the liquor sellers in the northern counties of Iowa retired from business.

Five farmhouses were washed away near Lenoir City, Tenn., by a cloudburst and the crops were destroyed.

Charles W. Perry's grist mill at Pierpont, Mich., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

The wholesale firm of A. L. Putnam & Co., boots and shoes; J. C. Cosgrove, boots and shoes, and the American college of dental surgery were burned out in Chicago, the total loss being $150,000.

Lee Richardson, of Chicago, broke the world's bicycle record for 1 mile backward riding, going in 4:04 2-5 at Philadelphia.

A gasoline stove exploded in the home of Christopher Brown in Chicago, killing Agnes Brown and fatally injuring Mrs. Brown.

The treasury deficit for the fiscal year just closed will be approximately $43,250,000. This added to last year's deficit of nearly $70,000,000 makes the excess of expenditures over receipts since June 30, 1893, about $113,250,000.

On the fifth trial of the George Lewis murder case at Mexico, Mo., the defendant was found not guilty.

The new directory of St. Paul, Minn., shows a population of 190,000.

The secret service officials have discovered a new counterfeit $10 silver certificate, series 1891, check letter "A," W. S. Rosecrans, register, E. H. Nebeker, treasurer. The word "Register" is spelled "Regist."

Texas state officials issued a license for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas.

The second international conference of the Epworth league came to an end at Chattanooga with a big mass meeting.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Rev. Tiberius Jones died at Richmond, Va., aged 74 years. He was one of the most famous Baptist preachers in the south.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning July 7. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Turning Water Into Wine.

Scripture Reading.—John ii, 1-11.

The book of Job contained the lessons of the preceding three months. For the present quarter the topics are selected from the four gospels and are all related to the miracles of Christ.

The general subject of the whole three months is, "Greater things than these shall ye do." Careful thought upon the various themes suggested in the lessons will show in clear light the glory of Jesus. The work He came to earth to accomplish and the work He left for His followers to do and their glory in faithful performance of duty.

The miracle at Cana of Galilee is the subject for study this week. One of the best ways to consider this topic is to read the account of the baptism of Jesus as given in the different gospels, and then the temptation in the wilderness. Following this comes the episode recorded by John in the first chapter of his gospel, where the disciples of John are made acquainted with Jesus and become His disciples. All this naturally leads up to the marriage feast at Cana, the account of which should then be carefully read.

It is worth while to think on this matter carefully, and after fixing in mind the succession of events, the persons engaged in the transactions and vividly picturing the oriental scenes, to then critically sift out the principles underlying and controlling all the actions. A still further exercise of much interest will be found in the theoretical application of the principles discovered to the affairs of one's own everyday life.

Such study of the topics of the present quarter will yield most valuable results by increasing one's knowledge of the Bible teachings, developing powers of careful attention and analysis, revealing weak places in personal faith and defects in practice and bringing closer communion with God and correction of life.

From Another View Point.

Considerable stir was made in the city of St. Louis in April last by an article by Father Phelan of the Roman Catholic church, printed in his paper, The Western Watchman, in which he reflected severely upon the conventions of the Epworth league and Christian Endeavor societies. He said, "The corrupting tendency of such heterogeneous gatherings of young people cannot be overestimated, and for downright viciousness and depravity they have never been equaled since the horrid saturnalia of Greece and Rome." Oh!

Other parts of the article are even stronger in statement. He seems to think the end and aim of these gatherings is matrimonial when not criminally vicious. He says: "These young people are very much in each other's company. They are actively engaged in courting when not most actively busy in singing and praying."

The unwarranted slander of the article is equaled only by its unparalleled stupidity. The world in which his mind has evidently been trained has an orbit outside that in which the League and Endeavor societies move. He has no more idea of the purity of their spirit and earnestness of their devotion than of the magnitude of their membership. He credits each organization with over 100,000 members. The League alone has over 1,000,000 in membership. Such an article does more execution at the breech than at the muzzle. Its recoil on the author was severe but well deserved.

Summer Assemblies.

Chautauqua was a delightful spot in 1874, when for the first time it gathered from all over the States the young people for Bible study. Lewis Miller, Esq., and Rev. John H. Vincent, D. D., were the life of the whole movement. How wonderfully it has developed since, and how many copies of it on a smaller scale have been made in the different parts of the land! Even the Roman Catholic church has caught the Chautauqua idea and spirit. English enterprise in the person of Dr. H. S. Lunn has carried the scheme into the Swiss mountains, so that Grindelwald and the glaciers have become familiar ground to European students after the Chautauqua style. The original spot in western New York state has now become a city in proportions and accommodations. The assembly has become indeed a university. Yet we doubt if any class will ever assemble there which will more thoroughly enjoy the work or get more profit from it than did that first class in the opening year. The Park of Palestine was well worth all the expense of the trip. It gave help of great value to many who can never walk the hills of the Holy Land. Good speed to all the summer assemblies! Attend one if you can. Take in what you need. Don't cram or overwork, but enjoy and assimilate and grow while resting from accustomed work.

Wesley Guild.

The Wesleyan Methodists of England have been for several years debating the wisdom of forming their young people into some sort of a league. The committee appointed at the conference at Birmingham last summer will report to the conference which meets this season at Plymouth recommending the formation of a society with the name of "Wesley Guild." It would have pleased many if the name of Epworth League had been chosen, thus giving the Methodists throughout the world the same name. But even if sentiment fails of full gratification fraternity will still march on with increasing power. Welcome, Wesley guilders!

No Short Cut.

One of the most experienced workers among the city slums says: "The longer a fellow works among the poorest poor the weaker his faith gets in any short cut to the millennium by legislature or anything else. They will have to be saved just exactly as the rest of us are—one at a time."

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.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville.....	1 26	7 14
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek.....	1 00	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 57	Marshall.....	12 08	6 30
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer.....	11 25	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 21	Hanover.....	10 46	5 23
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison.....	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake.....	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 18	Onsted.....	9 40	4 28
.....	5 30	10 38	Sand Lake.....	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 43	Tipton.....	9 25	4 15
12 21	5 51	10 58	Tecumseh.....	9 10	4 00
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway.....	9 00	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 18	Britton.....	8 56	3 50
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A Woman's Logic.

A STORY IN FOUR CHAPTERS.

"Maria, I do wish you would quit your talking to me about prohibition. If men want drink they are going to have it, and all your prohibition laws in the world ain't agoing to stop them from getting it."

"But see here, Joshua, don't you know—?"

"Yes, I do know considerable more about it than you women do. Why, only yesterday, that lightning rod man told me that he could get all the liquor he wanted to in Maine and Iowa. I am in favor of repealing all prohibitory laws, so long as they are violated in that manner. Maria, the only way to deal with this question is to persuade the drinkers to quit—sign the pledge. Moral suasion will do more good in one day than prohibition that does not prohibit will do in a year. Then make the rum-sellers pay a high license. That's what I call practical temperance."

II.

"Maria, this 'ere stealing from my orchard has got to stop or, there will be a few dead thieves around here pretty soon. I won't stand it any longer."

"Joshua, is n't there a pretty strong prohibitory law against stealing, in this state?"

"Yes, sir, there is; and I am going to see it enforced. I will get a first-class gun and hire some man, to watch the thieves and shoot them on the spot."

"Say, Joshua, what's the use of trying to enforce that law? It is violated every day, and wouldn't it be better to repeal all laws against stealing until public sentiment is ready to enforce them?"

"Public sentiment be hanged! That shows how much you women know about practical matters."

"But, Joshua, you can't make men honest by law, you know, and the only way you can settle this thieving question is to persuade the thieves not to steal—get them to sign the pledge, you know, and—"

"Maria, are you going crazy?"

"No, Joshua. I am getting to be a little 'practical,' don't you see? As I was saying, get the thieves to sign the pledge never to steal again, and make those who refuse, pay a high license for stealing. That's what I call practical work."

"Maria, what a legislature you would make! Under the magnificent schemes of your fertile brain, all great problems would be solved in two weeks. Now, I propose to show you that the law against stealing can be enforced."

III.

"Well, Maria, I have been to town, bought a gun, have hired Bill Sykes to handle it and keep a sharp lookout for the thieves and bang away at the first one that shows his head over the fence."

"Well, Joshua, you know that prohibition doesn't prohibit, and here you have gone and spent $20 or $30 for a gun that will do no good. If men want to steal they are going to, and all your prohibition laws in the world won't stop them."

"Maria, stop your nonsense. Wait a few weeks and we'll see if the thieves can be squelched or not."

VI.

"Well, Joshua, six weeks have gone by and the thieving goes on just the same. Now, what are you going to do about it."

"You just wait and see."

"That's exactly what I have been doing. Prohibition doesn't prohibit, does it?"

"Not yet, but just you wait.

"Is the gun all right?"

"Yes, the gun is first class."

"Gun loaded?"

"Yes, the gun has been properly loaded all the time."

"And the stealing has been going on right along?"

"Maria, you are enough to drive any man crazy, but if you'll let up a few minutes, I'll tell you why the thieving has not stopped. I have just discovered that Bill Sykes is one of the thieves."

"Oh! that's it, is it? well, since you are one of these non-partisan temperance men, your next move will be to get up a petition addressed to Bill Sykes, begging him to do the work he was hired to do. Or, perhaps, you will organize a law and order league to force Bill Sykes to enforce the law.'

"Maria, I am not a fool, and I want you to understand it. I have discharged Bill Sykes and hired a man in his place who has no sympathy with thieving or thieves. Now, I expect that prohibition will prohibit."

"Joshua, learn a lesson from this. You complain that prohibition of the liquor traffic does not prohibit and that the liquor men violate every law passed for the protection of society. Yet you and the rest of your party vote into office men like Bill Sykes, who are part of a gang of law breakers. Instead of voting to discharge these men and put prohibitionists into offices, you re-elect the same old crowd and then whine that 'prohibition does not prohibit,' and 'you cannot make men good by law,' and such cowardly nonsense. Joshua, vote to discharge forever all the Bill Sykes's and place the prohibition guns in the hands of prohibitionists, who have no sympathy with rum-selling or rum-sellers."

"Oh, these women! these women!

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, June 17th, 1895.

Regular session. Entire council present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of E. Snedicor, asking permission to erect a coal shed in rear of Anderson & Co's dry goods store, presented. Permission granted.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Labor: Wm. Mellon, $17.50; Charles Dixon, $13.13; E. Vandergriff, $.63; John Alexander, $1.00; A. Hyde, $20.00; W. J. Ingersoll, postage, $1.70; S. P. Hosmer, assessor, $16.00; C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, supplies, $114.70; A. Park, labor, $7.50. Finance committee reporting favorably on above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for said sums.

A proposition was received from C. F. Field, for printing the council proceedings, reports, notices, etc., excepting ordinances, in the TECUMSEH NEWS and Tecumseh Herald, for one year, for the sum of $75.00. Moved and supported that above proposition be accepted. Carried.

Dr. George Howell appeared before the council and presented an oral remonstrance as to some of the rules and regulations of the board of water commissioners and requested the council to modify the same. No action was taken thereon by the council.

The committee on electric lighting reported that there had been prepared a contract which was satisfactory to the committee and Electric company, said contract reading as follows:

This agreement, made and entered into this day of A. D. 1895, by and between the Tecumseh Electric company, a corporation, party of the first part, and the village of Tecumseh, party of the second part, both of the village of Tecumseh, County of Lehawee, and State of Michigan.

WITNESSETH:—Said party of the first part hereby undertakes, promises and agrees to furnish party of the second part, under the directions of the common council thereof, (under and by virtue of the provisions, conditions and regulations of an ordinance granted by said council, January 18th, 1892, to the Thompson-Houston Electric company, under which said party of the first part are, at the time of executing these presents, organized and operating) thirty-five (35) arc lamps of 1,200 candle power of the Thompson-Houston system, for lighting the streets of said village of Tecumseh; said arc lamps to be located, maintained and operated as located by party of the second part. Said arc lamps are to be lighted each and every night from and after the first day of August, A. D. 1895, until the first day of August, A. D. 1898. Said arc lamps are to be lighted at the hour of dark of each and every day during the continuance of this contract, and to be kept continuously lighted until the hour of daylight of each succeeding day. Party of the second part, the village of Tecumseh, by the council thereof, hereby reserves the right, with the full power to exercise the same, of appointing a member of said council who shall be vested with full power and authority to determine and declare at what hour of each and every day during the continuance of this contract, said arc lamps are to be lighted and extinguished. Such member of said council so appointed shall have power to determine what hour shall constitute the "hour of dark" and the "hour of daylight" and said party of the first part hereby agrees to abide by such determination and to light and extingnish said arc lamps according to such determination.

Party of the first part also agrees to furnish and light ten sixteen candle power incandescent lamps for lighting the several apartments of the council building of said party of the second part, also one thirty-two candle power incandescent lamp to be suspended over the front doors of that part of said council building used and occupied by the fire department of said village, said party of the first part to furnish and do all wiring therein without cost to party of the second party also to supply without cost all necessary incandescent lamps to replace worn out or broken ones. The above mentioned ten sixteen candle power incanescentd lamps to be lighted at such times and all times as may be deemed necessary by said party of the second part or of its officers or agents in charge of said council building, said thirty-two candle power incandescent lamp to be lighted at the same and all times that the street lamps above mentioned shall be lighted and to burn each and every night during the existence of this contract, from the hour of dark until the hour of daylight.

Party of the first part hereby expressly agrees, and the same is a part of the consideration for the granting of this contract to party of the first part by party of the second part, that said party of the first part shall and said party of the first part does hereby agree to furnish, from and after the first day of August, A. D. 1895, and during the existence of this contract commercial lighting in the places of business and residences of the citizens of said village of Tecumseh, at the following rates per month, per lamp: One arc lamp, until ten o'clock, p. m. of each night, per lamp, per month, $4.50; two or more arc lamps, until ten o'clock p. m. of each night, per lamp, per month, $4.00. Incandescent lighting: One, two, three or four incandescent lamps of sixteen candle power, to burn until ten o'clock p. m. of each night, per month, per lamp, sixty cents; five or more sixteen candle power incandescent lamps, per lamp hour, three-fourths cents, same to be measured by meter or by the hour at option of consumer, meters to be furnished with five or more lamps at at option of purchaser, at a yearly rental of $3.00.

Wiring of residences to be done at the expense of the owner thereof, by party of the first part, at an advance of five per cent, of actual cost thereof; said wiring when completed, to be the property of the owner of said residences.

Party of the first part also agree to operate and run their system of incan descent lighting, during the existence of this contract, so that residence lights may be burned any hour of the night or all night.

If, at any time during the existence of this contract, said party of the first part shall fail to furnish and supply the lights herein contracted for or any number thereof, for the whole period or any part thereof, exceeding one hour, a corresponding and proportionate deduction shall be made in the monthly bills hereinafter mentioned; if said party of the first part shall wholly fail to furnish lights by and from any one or more arc lamps for one or more nights said first party shall forfeit to said party of the second part the sum of one dollar per night for each and every lamp that shall not be lighted and for each and every night said lamp or lamps shall so remain unlighted; provided, however, if such failure to furnish lights shall be due to breakage of machinery, rendering it impossible to manufacture lights, then and in such event the said forfeiture of one dollar shall not be enforced or collected. Any such forfeiture incurred as above by said first party said second party is hereby authorized to deduct the amount thereof from any sum that shall be due said first party under this contract.

Party of the first part hereby agrees to set and operate such number of additional arc lamps, in excess of said thirty-five, for lighting the streets of said village, as the council shall require, and light the same from the hour of dark until the hour of daylight each and every night, as herein provided; party of the first part receiving the sum of sixty-five dollars per year for each additional lamp from and after the time said additional arc lamps shall be first lighted until the expiration of this contract.

The said thirty five arc lamps herein contracted for shall be installed and lighted for continuous use on the first day of August, A. D. 1895, all additional arc lamps ordered and required by party of the second part, together with arc and incandescent lamps for commercial and resident lighting as soon after application therefor is made to party of the first part as is possible without any undue or unnecessary delay on the part of party of the first part.

Party of the first part agrees that said arc lamps operated for street lighting shall be so operated and maintained as to develop their fullest lighting capacity and said arc lamps shall be kept in such condition and repair as shall be conducive to furnishing lights of 1,200 candle power each.

Party of the first part further agrees to save and keep harmless party of the second part from any and all claims, judgments, damages, costs and expenses, which said second party may incur or become liable to pay by reason of the negligence of party of the first part, its agents, employees or servants, in the construction, erection, operation or maintainance of the poles, lines, machinery, etc., in any of its various branches whatsoever; and if, at any time, said party of the second part, shall be compelled or obliged to pay any judgment or claim upon any cause of action or suit that may arise by the neglect of said party of the first part, its servants, employees or agents, upon notification thereof party of the first part hereby agrees to pay the same to party of the second part within thirty days from the date of such notice. Said first party hereby undertakes and agrees to undertake and make, at its own expense, the defense to any action that may be brought against said second party by reason of said neglect, as above stated, upon notification thereof.

In consideration of the foregoing promises, undertaking and agreements upon the part of the said Tecumseh Electric company, party of the first part, and in consideration of their faithful performance thereof during the continuance of this contract, the said second party, the village of Tecumseh, hereby agrees to pay unto said first party the sum of (two thousand [illegible] five dollars ($2,275.00) per year for the term of three years from and after the first day of August, A. D. 1895, payable in equal monthly installments at the end of each calendar month during said term of three years for the said thirty-five arc lamps and the incandescent lamps in and about said council building, also the further sum of sixty-five dollars per year for each and every additional arc lamp in excess of said thirty-five, that may be ordered by said council, from and after the date said additional arc lamps may be lighted and until the expiration of this contract. All payment shall be due upon the presentation of the bill of party of the first part to the council of said village and the allowance thereof by said council.

In witness wherof the parties hereto set their hands and execute this contract in duplicate, the day and year first above written, at the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, State of Michigan, the party of the first part by its president and secretary, duly authorized so to do, said second party by its president and clerk, duly authorized so to do by resolution of said council passed at a meeting thereof held May 20th, 1895, and each of said parties have hereunto set their corporate seals.

Moved that above contract be approved by the council and that same be executed by the president and clerk, and that same take effect August 1st, 1895. Supported.

Yeas: Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Hall, Smith, Wright. Declared adopted, approved and passed.

Moved that five additional arc lamps, in excess of said thirty-five contracted for, be ordered and that said lamps be located by committee in charge of electric lighting. Supported. Carried.

Moved that a committee consisting of President Smith, Trustees Heesen and Hall, be appointed to have charge of construction of Brownville bridge, to open bids, etc. Supported. Carried.

Moved that marshal serve notice on Harvey Wood to build a sidewalk within ten days from date of notice. Supported. Carried.

Moved that marshal be instructed to enforce ordinance prohibiting playing of ball on the public streets. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the following amendment to ordinance be adopted and passed:

The Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh ordains That Chapter II of the compiled ordinances of said Village, entitled, "Relative to the Office of Treasurer," be and the same hereby is amended by adding thereto two new sections, to stand as Sections 5 and 6.

SEC. 5. The treasurer shall add the sum of two per cent. for collection fees, to all village taxes voluntarily paid to him on or before the expiration of his warrant and after said warrant shall have been extended, by order of the Council; the sum of four per cent. shall be added thereto as such collection fees.

SEC. 6. Said treasurer shall not receive any compensation for his services other than said collection fees mentioned in the preceding section.

This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

Passed June 17, 1895.

J. H. SMITH, Village President.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Above motion supported. Yeas: Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Hall, Smith, Wright. Declared passed.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send circulars and testimonials. Address.

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Highbee: "My wife has had considerable trouble with her head lately. What do you think will relieve it?" Doctor: "A new hat."

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There are facts which every woman should know and should teach her daughters, but which many never learn because they have no trustworthy teacher and don't know where to find one. To supply this want the Zoa-Phora Medicine Company, at Kalamazoo, Mich., publishes a book on Diseases of Women and Children, well illustrated, easily understood. Every woman, or girl above 15 years, should read it. For the purpose of advertising they will, on receipt of 10 cts. to cover cost of mailing, send a pamphlet edition, in sealed envelope to any lady (and to ladies only) who desires it.

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A BRAND NEW SHOW

At the Opera House, Tuesday Evening, July 9.

In the Southern States there are a number of crack colored military companies. Savannah, Ga., has three of them, one infantry company, a cavalry troup and the Hussars. These companies give jointly an outing annually. They camp for at least a week. The negroes for miles wend their way to Savannah, and many of them camp near the quarters of the soldiers. The games, dances and antics indulged in are a revelation to those who have not seen the negro as he is, at home in the south. Al. G. Field spent an entire week at one of these outings, and this led to his formation of Black America, the new show he is organizing. All the people engaged in it are genuine negroes, and are direct from Southern Georgia. A brass band and orchestra comes from Raleigh, N. C, and a colony of camp meeting shouters from Charleston, S. C.

Are you suffering from rheumatism? Thomas Eclectric Oil has cured thousands of the worst cases of this terrible disease. It only costs 50 cents to try it. 1w

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The C. J. & M. Railway.

Will sell Land Seekers Excursion Tickets to points named below at one first-class limited fare for round trip. Limited to continuous passage in each direction with, final limit of 21 days from date of sale of return. All points in Kentucky south of Danville on Q & C; all points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and points in Georgia as far east as Augusta, and west of a line drawn from Augusta to Millen, Millen to Eastman, Eastman to Abbeville, Abbeville to Americus, Americus to Lumpkin, Lumpkin to Eufaula, Eufaula to [illegible] Montgomery to Pensacola. Also to New Orleans and all points in Louisiana on Q. & C. route.

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DYSPEPSIA AND LOSS OF FLESH FOLLOW THE GRIPPE.

This Disease Attacks the Weakest Parts of the Body. The Harmful Effects can be Prevented by Properly Strengthening Those Parts.

A CASE CITED IN OCEANA CO.

A Further Case Cited by the Jackson Patriot, in which Rheumatism, Resulting from Same Cause, was Cured in the Same Way.

From the Muskegon, Mich., News.

Oceana County, Michigan, is widely known as one of the finest fruit-growing sections in the country, and especially for its fine and luscious peaches. But all the peaches grown on trees are not to be placed in comparison with the peach bloom which has again returned to the cheeks of one of the best known ladies in Hart, the county seat of Oceana county. How this wonderful and beautiful effect was obtained, and the history of the illness preceding the cure, has been known long since to residents of Hart and others throughout the county, but to a *News* reporter of Muskegon, who was in Hart at the fair, the following interesting and joyful tale was unfolded recently by Mrs. W. S. Eggleston, the person who once was a helpless invalid. To-day a more happy woman can nowhere be found.

"In 1891," said Mrs. Eggleston, "I resided in Cass county, at which time I in common with nearly everybody in the county suffered a severe attack of the grippe, only it left me with a still more serious trouble. The greatest part of my trouble then was in my stomach. I had no appetite and wasted away until I lost twenty-four pounds. Of course I was doctoring, but nothing reached my case. I moved up to Hart in June, 1892, and my ill health continued, although I tried two resident physicians. I grew disgusted finally and quit doctoring, as it seemed it would take our all, and yet I grew no better and looked like a skeleton. My husband read in a paper of a medicine called Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he immediately got some for me. I had no hope hardly and was not enthusiastic over the new pills, but I am now.

"It is a solemn fact that I began to get better the very first day and kept on improving. In a short time my stomach had a better feeling; my appetite picked up and I could eat everything I wanted to. I had a second trouble, however, which I did not expect the pills would reach, but they did, and the result is that a swelling in my right side, caused by some ovarian trouble, is almost entirely gone. I can lie on my right side now with comfort, and this is not all the relief I obtained.

"Formerly in wet weather my bones would ache terribly. Now I do not notice any bad effects whatever. I am able to walk three miles at a stretch now, for I did that last week in going to visit a friend. I tell every one of my wonderful cure, and many of my afflicted friends are using the Pink Pills now with good effect. I now weigh 132 pounds, a gain of twenty-one pounds."

Mrs. Eggleston's husband was present during the narration of his wife's troubles and triumphs, and he willingly corroborated the statements made by her.

A neighbor, Mrs. Brown, who happened to drop in, stated that Mrs. Eggleston did not look like the same woman who came to Hart a year ago.

RHEUMATISM'S VICTIM.

How He Was Attacked—How He Was Treated—How He Was Cured.

From the Jackson, Mich., Patriot.

How often are seen people a little past the meridian of life who, but for the lingering effects of some ailment of an unusually stubborn nature, might still be enjoying robust health, but who on account of the lack of a remedy to assist nature in throwing off the disease are broken down and worn out long before the allotted time.

Marcus S. Lyon, of 1071 Francis Street, Jackson, Michigan, is one of the unfortunates. A year and a half ago Mr. Lyon was a physical wreck, hardly able to leave his bed, and his friends had no idea that he could survive more than a few months longer at best. He is however to-day a well man. During the course of a recent conversation with a reporter, he gave a history of his case and the cause of his recovery, as follows:

"About two and a half years ago I had a severe attack of influenza which proved very bad in its effects, and would not yield to ordinary treatment. Some four months later I had another attack which was fully as persistent as the first. After being treated by the family physician for some time I thought the disease had run into rheumatism, and I treated for the same several months, all the time getting worse. I kept getting weaker in the muscles of my legs, feet and hands which were quite sore and tender. My feet and the lower part of my legs, and my hands were badly bloated and dropsical and had a numb or paralyzed feeling, and I could stand on my feet but a few minutes at a time. I became restless and nervous, and would awaken twelve or fifteen times in the night, and my legs would shake for a few seconds, similar to shaking ague—but not cold. With all the rest, my limbs had stiffened and I had not been able to dress myself for several months, and some of my friends thought I would not live but a few weeks. I was looking so bad and pale and still had taken what the doctor had ordered all the time. I went to another doctor for his opinion in my case. He, judging from the dropsical condition of my limbs, said I had Bright's disease. I disputed this and another doctor said I had no indication of it whatever of which I was confident. Dr. N. H. Williams finally concluded my blood was out of order and asked him for a remedy for my bad blood. This was in February, 1893. He said about all that could be done was to exercise out doors, get my strength when the weather got warm. At last he said he had gone into my case as far as he could and I dropped him and his medicine and began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People about the 15th of March, 1893, and in ten days after taking the pills the dropsical condition and weakness began to leave my feet and legs. In a comparatively short time I was nearly cured, and I gained strength so that I could walk a mile and back. I then went to work at my trade as a joiner and stair builder, and have worked almost every day since. My recovery is been a wonder to my friends. I am sixty-five years old this month, and my general health has never been better than it is at present. I can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as a great blood builder and for general debility. A dozen or more of my friends have been using Pink Pills on their merits in my case with very beneficial results. I can say the Pink Pills have been a life-saving remedy for me, and have given me at least a few more years of health and vigor."

MARCUS S. LYON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March, 1894.

A. A. SPAULDING, *Notary Public.*

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are now given to the public as an unfailing blood builder and nerve restorer, curing all forms of weakness arising from a watery condition of the blood or shattered nerves. The pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price (50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50—they are never sold in bulk or by the 100) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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HAPPY HOLLOWAY.

A Few Facts About the Business Status and Future Prospects of Our Raisin Neighbor.

One of the neatest in general appearance and one of the most thriving villages in this county is Holloway, which is located on the Wabash road between Adrian and Britton. When the Wabash was built from Detroit to Butler, Ind., a station was planted here and a settlement started. The place was named after Butler Holloway, one of the oldest pioneers and best men who ever lived in the town of Raisin. Having good railway accommodations and good shipping facilities, it began at once to put on business airs and it has enjoyed a steady and healthy growth for the past twelve years. The Presbyterian church, although not in the village, properly belongs to Holloway and is now in a thriving condition under the pastoral charge of Rev. A. J. Stead. There is also a flourishing Free Methodist church here, of which Rev. J. N. Boyer is pastor. The Maccabees have a flourishing tent and hive—Holloway Tent, of which James Ash is Commander and Albert Carpenter is Record Keeper; and Osgood Hive, of which Mrs. Lucy M. Lewis is Lady Commander and Miss Agnes Still is R. K. There is a good public hall in the village, which is used for political meetings and other public gatherings. The postoffice is efficiently managed by F. G. Florence, who began handling Uncle Sam's mail on the 1st day of July, 1893. Will Holt is now the Wabash agent at the depot and he is also agent of the Pacific Express Co. The town is a very congenial place for a residence. The society is first class, the people are intelligent and hospitable, the farmers are enterprising, while the farms themselves are productive and well supplied with buildings. It is one of the best neighborhoods in the "banner county" of Michigan. Below is a brief sketch of the business firms.

ROTHFUSS & BROWN.

This is comparatively a new firm in Holloway, but they have settled down as a permanent fixture. They bought out Mr. Osgood, June 1st, 1893, and hence have conducted the business a little over two years. They are both men of business experience, having formerly run a store in Blissfield. Their stock consists of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes and crockery, with some hardware and other articles, their aim being to fully supply the farmers' needs. They have a large, commodious store and a large assortment of goods for the size of the place. Mr. Brown's family live in the building, which is a very convenient arrangement. The partners give their personal attention to the business, their expenses are small, they buy for cash, and hence their patrons get the benefit of hard times prices. Although new comers, they have, by their gentleman'y demeanor and square business dealings, worked up a lucrative trade, which they can easily hold permanently

H. A. HARTMAN.

Mr. Hartman has stitched leather and made harness for the past seventeen years and what he doesn't know about horse gear is hardly worth knowing. He opened a shop in Holloway in November, 1893, and has filled a "long felt want" ever since. His shop is well supplied with light and heavy harness and other horse goods and he is prepared to make anything in the harness line to order on short notice. He also sells ice cream in the hot season. Harness and ice cream make rather a peculiar combination, but he makes it work like a charm and his cream has gained the reputation of being excellent in quality. He makes cream every Friday and keeps it on sale at his rooms on Saturday and Sunday of each week. Mr. Hartman has planted his stakes in Holloway with the intention of growing up with the town, and he is evidently a stayer. May Harvey's shadow never grow less.

L. C. WINSHIP.

Every new and growing town needs a good saw mill and Mr. Winship supplies this want to perfection. He has had thirty-two years experience at the business and hence knows "where he is at," having run the old saw mill plant near Raisin Center for many years. He erected his present mill in the summer of 1891 and began work in August of that year. Afterwards he put in cider and sorghum machinery and in December, 1893, he put in a feed mill. He saws lumber for the farmers of that section; also ships in logs on the Wabash road and sells the sawed product at wholesale in Detroit. He intends to move his sorghum apparatus this fall to Ogden Center, but the cider press will be run here, whenever Providence will furnish the apples. The feed mill is run regularly every Friday and oftener when necessary. Mr. Winship is one of the main spokes in Holloway's business wheel.

F. G. FLORENCE.

Mr. Florence embarked in business in Holloway about Thanksgiving time in the year 1889. He started on a modest scale and has been gradually extending his lines ever since. He keeps a good stock of groceries and drugs, confectionery and cigars. Also runs a barber's chair, and can sell you a Relay bicycle, if you are inclined that way. He is also in company with Geo. Holloway in the sale of agricultural implements, of which they keep a good supply on hand. Mr. Florence is also postmaster and gives the people of Holloway excellent satisfaction in that capacity. Floyd is a young man and a hustler, of good business tact and industrious, temperate habits. His success, therefore, is not at all problematical, for he has already acquired a position among the leading business men of Holloway.

CLOVER LEAF CREAMERY CO.

This name represents an establishment that Holloway has good reason to be proud of. The creamery building was erected in the fall of 1892 and the first churning was turned out on the 3d day of November of that year, and it has run every day since, including holidays, not being shut down even one day for repairs during the interval from that time to the present. The output has gradually increased every year. At present the factory absorbs about 6000 pounds of milk and turns out about 250 pounds of butter daily. The butter of the "Clover Leaf" brand has already acquired a gilt edged reputation and every pound is sold in Detroit as fast as manufactured, commanding the highest market price. Mr. C. T. Ratts, the present foreman, has had ten years experience and is a superior butter maker. Geo. Holloway as business manager fills the bill equally as well. Under their efficient management the Clover Leaf Creamery will keep forging ahead.

MRS. C. E. BROWN.

In these days every wide-awake village needs a good millinery store. Mrs. Brown has had six years experience in fixing and trimming ladies' head gear and hence she is well qualified for the task she has undertaken. She opened millinery rooms here in June, 1893, and has enjoyed a good trade from that day to this. She keeps a gold stock of ribbons, hats and millinery goods of all kinds on hand and is enjoying a fine trade such as her merits deserve.

THOMAS HARTMAN.

Mr. Hartman has started a new enterprise which bids fair to become a paying institution. Last Christmas he opened rooms in the store formerly occupied by Maurice Nay, where he keeps a supply of small groceries, confectionery, cigars, soft drinks, etc. He also furnishes meals to transients and keeps regular boarders. As Holloway has no hotel, this establishment is much needed and Mr. Hartman supplies the need in first class style. He is deserving of a liberal patronage.

ALBERT LEWIS.

Mr. Lewis runs the village wagon shop, and what is more to the point, he runs it right up to the handle. He has a good custom in repairing wagons and buggies and also keeps a general repair shop where people can get most any kind of "tinkering" done to good advantage. Mr. Lewis owns the house he occupies and also the shop, and hence is well fixed. He has been located here five years and expects to keep right on indefinitely. He has lately added bicycle repairing to his business.

O. E. CARPENTER & SON.

Mr. Carpenter, senior, began pounding out shoe nails and tiring wagon wheels just forty-five years ago. Think of it! For almost fifty years he has been pounding the anvil. The present firm opened their shop October 1st, 1887, eight years ago, and have enjoyed a good business ever since. They make a specialty of horse shoeing and do a general blacksmithing business in all its branches. They are excellent mechanics and exemplary citizens and hence they are reaping a first class patronage.

The Cotton States Exposition.

The ladies of Cobb county, Georgia, will have at the Cotton States and International Exposition, the famous "battle-scarred cabin" from the battlefield of Kennesaw Mountain, which is situated in Cobb county. This was a plain log cabin about twenty feet square, which was situated just behind the Confederate breastworks. It was the center of fire from some of Sherman's batteries, but strange to say, did not burn up. There are over thirty holes in the cabin made by the Federal shells, and innumerable bullets are buried in the logs. The battle cabin will be taken down and exactly replaced on the Exposition grounds. Inside will be sold relics of the battlefield, of which a great many have been collected in the way of shells, old gun barrels, bullets and battlefield relics of like character.

MUSICAL MACON.

The Northeast Corner Town of Old Lenawee Still on Deck.

Monday was a very hot, dry and dusty day, even more so than usual in this hot, dry and dusty summer, and the day was an awful windy one, also. It was not an ideal day, by any means, for a pleasure trip through the country, but nevertheless the afternoon was put to good advantage in interviewing the business men of Macon village. Upon arriving there, shortly after noon, we were somewhat startled at finding the Reformed church off its foundations and traveling eastward into the next lot. A "bee" had been fixed for Monday morning and a large gang of men assembled to move the old church, preparatory to beginning work on the new. Before night the old site had been vacated and work will begin at once on the new edifice. It will be a very neat structure, modeled somewhat after the Friends' church in Tecumseh, and will cost in the neighborhood of $2400. Rev. J. I. Gulick is pastor and his excellent work here for the past three or four years has culminated in this new church. The M. E. church is also in a thriving condition, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell being the pastor. This church and the one at Clinton belong to the same charge. The village has a fine school, of which Edward Miller was teacher during the past year. Sylvester Travis is postmaster, who has an able assistant in Miss Sadie Jackson. The Maccabees are also represented here with a tent and hive, Morden Tent and Glenn Hive. Of the tent, Sam Hatch is commander and Maynard Hatch record keeper. Mrs. Rose Hatch is Lady Commander of the hive and Mrs Ellen Richart R. K. Below is a short sketch of the business firms.

W. P. COTTON.

Mr. Cotton embarked in business here away back in 1875 and has been growing up with the country ever since. He can justly be called the pioneer merchant of Macon. He keeps a stock of general merchandise suitable for a country store, although he makes a specialty of drugs and groceries. He is a registered pharmacist and hence is well qualified to handle drugs and medicines. Mr. Cotton also manufactures cigars quite extensively. His principal brand is the "Little Duke," which is a first class five-center and is having an extensive sale. Mr. Cotton is a young man yet, is a hustler and is one of the business fixtures of Macon. Although Cotton, he is still "all wool and a yard wide."

MILAN SAGE.

Mr. Sage can justly be called one of the business wheel horses of Lenawee Co. although his domicile happens to be in Macon and hence that town gets the credit of his residence. He started business in the saw mill twenty seven years ago, and has always enjoy a large lumber trade, both wholesale and retail. A few years thereafter he began the manufacture of brick and tile, as a fine clay bank is located near the mill, and under his efficient management, the business soon grew to large proportions. He has the most extensive brick and tile plant in Southern Michigan, without an exception, and his tile are scattered over a dozen different counties in this part of the state. About twenty years ago he added a feed mill, which is run regularly on Tuesdays and Saturdays, and is a great convenience to the farmers. He frequently keeps as many as fifteen hands in his employ when the concern is running to its full capacity.

BURLESON & CO.

This firm, composed of Dill Burleson and Elmer Hunter, is a new candidate for public favor, but the boys are getting to the front at a lively pace. They began business about one year ago in the room occupied by the postoffice; but their trade soon outgrew their accommodations there and they moved into their present quarters, the first of last April, where they have fitted up a very fine, tasty, and commodious store. They keep a large and well selected stock of fancy and staple groceries, and expect to add other departments in the future. They now keep a nice stock of cigars and confectionery. The members of this firm are both young men and hustlers, possessed of good business capacity and they are bound to succeed. We violate no confidence in saying that Mr. Burleson is still unmarried.

GEORGE FROST.

Mr. Frost is not so cold blooded as his name would indicate, but is a most jolly man and neighbor. He began pounding out horse shoe nails in his father's shop just twenty-four years ago this summer, and he claims to be a young man yet. He is a good mechanic of course, for he learned his trade under John Frost, and worked in the same shop for about seventeen years, but for the past seven years he has paddled his own canoe. He makes a specialty of horseshoeing, but does all kinds of general blacksmithing besides.

H. S. SCUDDER.

Mr. Scudder embarked in trade in his store on the south side in the summer of 1883 and has been selling goods to the good people of Macon, in sunshine and storm, through summer and winter, for the past twelve years. In the summer of 1890 he erected a second brick store, adjoining his former one, and now has a fine double store, which is well filled with a large stock of goods. The west store is devoted to groceries and drugs and small hardware, while the east one is given up to dry goods, boots and shoes and furnishings. He also carries a line of bakery goods; fresh bread and cakes are kept constantly on hand. Mr. Scudder has a good trade in cigars of his own manufacture. He makes the "Home Comfort" and "Little Dot," both of which are good five-centers and popular brands. Mr. Scudder's honorable business methods have built up a lucrative trade, which he can keep as long as he wants to stay.

W. S. MORDEN, M. D.

No sketch of Macon would be complete that did not include the popular village physician. Dr. Morden graduated from the Medical Department of the State University in June 1880. Immediately thereafter he came to Macon, hung out his shingle and began the practice of his profession. His thorough school training and his natural aptitude for the work, combined to make an excellent doctor, and his success was assured from the outset. He now owns the place where he resides. Dr. Morden is not simply a good physician, but a most genial gentleman and a public spirited citizen as well.

HELP FROM ABROAD.

Expressions of Good Will from Manufacturers and Dealers.

Many of the most prominent firms in the country have liberally contributed to the prize list offered by the Tecumseh Bicycle Association at their second annual race meeting, to be held Thursday, July 25th. We append a list complete to date, although each mail and express adds new and valuable articles!

Acme Puncture Proof Co., Chicago—One pair Puncture Proof Strips.

Palmer Pneumatic Tire Co. Chicago—One pair Palmer Pneumatic Tires.

M. E. Griswold & Co., Chicago—One set mud Guards, and Griswold repair outfit.

Bean & Lang, Fon du Lac, Wis.—One gold plated U. S. Cyclometer.

Pittsburg Tire Protector Co., Pittsburg.—Two sets Hoffman's Tire Protectors.

Eagle Bicycle Co., Torrington, Conn, One pair Eagle Aluminum Rims.

Morgan & Wright, Chicago,—One set "M & W" tires.

Ames Sword Co., Chicopee, Mass.,—One bicycle lock and chain.

Hartford Rubber Works, Hartford, Conn.,—One pair racing tires, repair outfit and Pump.

Bicycle Chain Lightning Co., New York.—Four dozen "Chain Lightning."

Diamond Rubber Co., Akron, O.,—One pair Racing Tires, Pump and Repair Outfit.

Butler & Ward, Newark, N. J.,—One "B & W" saddle.

New Departure Bell Co. Bristol, Conn.—Gold plated bell.

Bridgeport Brass Co., Bridgeport, Conn.,—Search light lantern and Grand Stand tickets.

N. Y. Standard Watch Co., N. Y.—Standard Cyclometer.

Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.—One pair either 'Vim' or 'Vici' tire; also special prizes of solid gold bricks to winner of first prize in either road race, mile open or half mile open. Certain conditions to be complied with.

Bearings' Publishing Co., 1000 lithographed entrance tickets.

Bridgeport Gun Implement Company, Bridgeport, Conn.—One Bridgeport Cyclometer.

Punnett Cycle Mfg Co., Rochester, N. Y.—One cap and pair bicycle trousers.

In the above list the Cycle fraternity will find firms of national reputation who have given us a financial demonstration of their interest and good will toward the sport we enjoy.

Moral: Call for the goods of these firms whenever in need of anything in their respective lines.

Besides the above named firms both Wright & Ditson, The Yost Mfg. Co., and The Pneumatic Cycle Co. have signified their intention of contributing articles.

LaPearl's Circus.

The LaPearl show was indeed a good circus in every respect, and this is saying much of a 10 and 20 cent exhibition. One prominent feature, which most strongly commends an aggregation of this kind to the public and which is conspicuously absent in many tent shows, was the fact that LaPearl Bros. allow no confidence men, fakirs, peanut or lemonade venders or loafers to hang about their company, to annoy and swindle their patrons. The proprietors are extremely courteous to the public and their example is followed by every member down to the laborers. The performing was excellent, holding the closest attention of a large tent full of spectators from start to finish. The specialties of rope dancing, trained ponies and clown work were exceptionally fine and pronounced by many as the best ever seen. The LaPearls will visit Tecumseh next year and it is safe to predict for them even greater success than they enjoyed last Wednesday.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JULY 19, 1895.

Bicycle day at Tecumseh, July 25.

Ed. Parker's little child has been sick this week.

George Kies makes a short trip on the road this week.

J. S. Hunt, of Tecumseh, was on our streets Tuesday.

O. W. Crane moved his family to Toledo on the 4th.

Miss Julia Hough, of Tecumseh, was in Clinton Saturday.

Miss Ella Tuttle went to Flint Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

Mesdames Boyd and Whiting of Tecumseh, were in Clinton Tuesday.

Dr. Conklin and Attorney Freeman, of Manchester, were in town Tuesday.

F. D. Lancaster has been drilling for a drive well at his residence this week.

Stewart VanDeMark rode over from Detroit on his wheel the first of the week.

Miss Eva Schimman visited her [illegible] week.

Miss Ada Case, of Manchester, was the guest of Miss Nellie Kishpaugh on the 4th.

Mrs. Martin and daughter, of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. Felton part of last week.

Miss May Hillock, from northern Michigan, is making a visit with her brother James.

Frankie and Herman Rupp, of Detroit, are visiting their grandfather, Frank Kirchgessner.

E. D. Newcomb and wife, of Brooklyn, visited his mother, Mrs. P. M. Newcomb, the first of the week.

Misses Celia Brewster and Maud King and Leon Hunter are attending the summer normal at Adrian.

Mrs. Chas. Lewis, who has been visiting in Baraboo, Wis., for the past six weeks, returned Tuesday.

Miss Allie Chandler, of Saline, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. N. Kies. She will doubtless spend most of the summer vacation here.

The fierce and wiley sprinkling wagon team ran away Monday. That is, they didn't exactly run away but rather ran to town. A very well trained team.

Clark Bailey, who has been taking a bicycle tour through Saginaw, Grand Rapids, Muskegon, etc., arrived home Monday, much pleased with his trip.

Mrs. Hill, of Franklon, Mich., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wilcox, returned home Tuesday by way of Ann Arbor, where she will make a short visit.

Mrs. P. M. Newcomb departed the first of the week for Blissfield, on her way to Tuckaberry, Mass. when she will visit her daughter, Dr. Libbie Newcomb this summer.

The work of reseating and otherwise repairing the Episcopal church was begun last Tuesday. Service of all kinds will be suspended during the prosecution of the work.

A very pleasant lawn fete was given by Miss Nellie Kishpaugh to a number of her friends last week. Miss Thomas and Mrs. Linisley were guests in attendance from abroad.

The Misses Sadie and Bertha Taylor started for Bay View, Tuesday, with the intention of spending a month at that popular resort. Miss Sadie will attend the summer school while there.

Miss May Morey, who has been teaching at Brooklyn for the past year, has been visiting at Mrs. Tuttle's during the fore part of the week. Miss Morey left Wednesday morning for Baraboo, Wis., where she will visit her mother and sisters during the summer.

Entries for the bicycle meet at Tecumseh on July 25 are coming right along. Seven hundred and fifty dollars, actual value, has been hung up in prizes and this will be a great event to wheelmen and those interested in the sport. The enterprise shown in getting up a first class meet should be heartily supported.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

All kinds of crops are suffering terribly for want of rain.

Mrs. F. G. Alcock is said to be improving again this week.

Charles Gater visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gater, last Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Potts died last night of consumption. She had been a great sufferer for a long time.

There was no meeting held at the church here on Sunday evening last as several of our churchgoing people attended the tent meetings being held near Weston.

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For meeting of Baptist Young People's Union of America at Baltimore, Md., July 18 to 21, Agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell tickets at one fare for round trip, selling July 16 and 17, limit August 5. See Ohio Central Agents.

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"I hate these bicycles built for two," said Mrs. Jemmison. "It encourages people to talk behind your back."

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

"M. Quad," the Famous Humorist, Takes his Old Place on The Free Press.

We find great pleasure in announcing to our readers that Chas. B. Lewis, the famous "M. Quad," has resumed his former place upon The Detroit Free Press. Since his retirement from The Free Press four years ago Mr. Lewis has been writing for one of the leading syndicates. His preference for direct newspaper work, however, led him to abandon that connection, and hereafter his popular writings will appear only in The Free Press. Mr. and Mrs. Bowser, Brother Gardner, Arizona Kicker, Zeb Whipple, Abe Cruffoot, Mrs. Gallup, and many new characters will appear regularly.

The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

You can see an exciting ten mile road race, a splendid exhibition of fancy and trick bicycle riding and the ascension of an illuminated air ship absolutely free of charge if you will come to Tecumseh on Thursday, July 25th.

Woman's Dependence on Man.

Wonderful, that knowledge comes, wisdom lingers. Wonderful that women have suffered so long to win, once won they should cease to prize; that education should not teach women that man was by nature very far removed from the gentle domestic animal she knows to-day. However the modern woman may swagger about her individuality, way talk of her "spiritual needs," and deplore the stupid tyranny of man who demands sacrifices from her in return for his tenderness, protection and support, the fact is not changed, that however she may be man's intellectual equal, or spiritual superior, the exigencies of motherhood put her at his mercy. She can not be entirely self dependent except at the cost of the welfare of the offspring. The Factory Acts are a recognition of the right of the child to its mother's health and vitality. Woman may not simply eat her cake and have it too. Using all her energies for her own needs she can not give vigor to her children. If she employ for her own ends her store of life she robs the child. To adequately supply the new generation with health, brains and nerve force she must husband her resources and yield herself to the generosity and tenderness of the man and trust to his care. That he has not always been generous and tender, that he is not always so even now, does not alter the general fact.—From "The Modern Woman and Marriage," by Elizabeth Bisland, in North American review for June.

Tecumseh's big day will come on July 25th this year.

Bay View Announcements Out.

The Bay View summer announcements are out and are of public interest. They fill sixty pages of magazine size and are beautiful with a hundred half-tone views of scenery and life at this great Northern Michigan resort and summer educational center. The Assembly four weeks' program is strikingly attractive and the Summer University with its forty-five instructors from leading institutions, offers unsurpassed advantages. It embraces eight throughly equipped schools: College and school of methods, Bible school, conservatory, schools of art, oratory, physical culture, and for writers. The enrollment a year ago was very nearly 800. It is given out at headquarters that this is going to be the largest and finest of all the Bay View Years. The University opens on July 10th, the Assembly July 17th, both closing August 14th. All Michigan railroads will sell half-fare tickets there, daily, from July 8th to 17th inclusive, return limit August 15th. Round trip tickets from Tecumseh will be $9.14. The public will be supplied with the summer announcement, giving also full information about expenses, etc., by addressing a card to J. M. Hall, Flint, Mich. Call for the June Bay View Magazine.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

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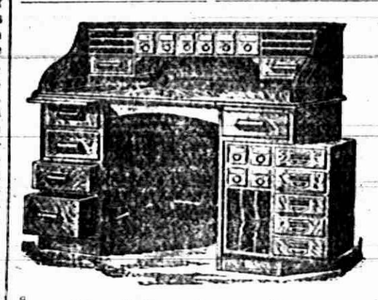

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET

Philip Strong has been indisposed the t week.

Will Swick of Dundee has been in wn this week.

ate Gregory took a business trip to ledo, Wednesday.

dward Hardy returned last Monday his home in Andover, N. Y.

W. L. Saundrson and wife went to ledo Sunday, returning Tuesday.

The regular meeting of Hendershot nt, K. O. T. M. will be held next esday evening.

Mark Soule and wife, of Farmington, e been visiting at her sisters, Mrs. a Sly's,

uts for the past week.

he finishing touches are being put the elevator this week and it will bably be in running order ere this n greets the public eye.

emember that the bicycle meet umsen on July 25 will be equal to thing of the kind that has ever oc- in the state, and every wheelman others interested in sport should

e famous Paze Fonze Giants will the Milan team at the grounds of later on Saturday July 13. Several on Giants will be hooked with the team and a very large game is d for.

e Wabash has been doing an im- e business in the special line late- Last Tuesday fourteen long extras through Britton bearing delega- of Christian Endeavorers to Boston Chicago, St. Louis and further

t Saturday morning occurred the of Mrs. Wm. Cornell, one of the ers, of Britton and this section. uneral services were held Monday noon. Her son, Manuel Cornell icago, grandson Will Taylor, of it, and Mrs. Jane Thompson, of , were present at the funeral.

Tuesday afternoon the Sunday ool of the Reformed church held a nic in John Britton's grove. Ice eam and cake were served, a good rowd was present and the members heir friends had a very pleasant The feature of the amusement very enjoyable merry-go-round. s not a steam 18 carat stem wind- erry-go-round, but it went merrily d just the same, and was much en- by the children.

as. Avery started his new thresher ant Miller's last Wednesday. The ation was witnessed by many and very successful. This machine has eumatic dust collector, straw car- and stacker. The only trouble s to be that it takes away that le spirit of rivalry among farmers o which buck-wheater will stand he head of the carrier and swallow . Without this soft snap it will bably be almost impossible to get to work around the machine.

ll things change in this world and he Giants were at last done up, dn't possibly help it under the cir- stances. Wiggins was in such e that his cistern which he usually ishes for center field wouldn't hold r and several cloud-bursts were in that quarter. Palmer was also ing from third and his absence was

The visitors were largely profes- als and would probably have been visitors anyway, but still had the ts been at their best they would made their visit a little more in- ting. A return game is looked for and we predict will result in a even if not entirely different score. core stood 18 to 5 in favor of the e Independents. Batteries: Mon- isher, Hicks and Cossack. Brit- iggs and Lowe.

Britton and Saml. Underwood of the rank and file of the vil- Britton who have many friends an. Both are members of the Templar commandery in this when visiting brothers from ple City happen that way a sub- welcome. a table loaded with s and a cordial visit is always ult. The hustling village that he name of Mr. Britton owes progress and prosperity to its ke, and he is worthy of every rust upon him. He is also an and takes great pride in the post which still has several s there, left to tell stories of lution. Mr. Underwood is one rgest farmers in that locality, farm of 210 acres, and he is to the occasion, as he tips the t 270 pounds. The duties of arer for Adrian commandery en placed on his shoulders for arch toward the sea" next He will hold the colors high march through Boston streets, hey represent the state, nation- colors of the order, all will be o have him in line.—Evening m.

MACON MUSIC.

Franc Richart is home from her ork in the northern Peninsula.

Ridgeway boys came over to play th the 'Macon's' the afternoon ourth.

new flag pole has been erected of the school yard, and some e walks added which wonderful- ove the grounds.

ambers and a friend, the Rev. olvin, drove up from Ft. Wayne, ce of 110 miles, last week Mon- Tuesday. Mr. Colvin returned t day, but the Doctor remains to friends.

usiness and social meeting held E. L.'s at Mr. Jackson's, last rew out an unusually large num- Leaguers. An interesting pro- d been prepared and eight new s were added.

Why Not You?

housands of people are taking Sarsaparilla to overcome the s and languor which are so at this season, why are not g the same? When you know d's Sarsaparilla has power to umatism, dyspepsia and all di- used by impure blood, why do tinue to suffer? Hood's cures hy not you?

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Wheat harvest and haying is nearly finished.

Mrs. C. L. Lowe is no better at present writing.

Mrs. Samuel Barlow is quite sick at present writing.

W. L. Jones and Ella Hall were Detroit visitors Tuesday.

Lulu Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, is visiting old schoolmates and friends here.

Dispatcher Frank Allen and family spent Sunday with their parents here.

Several from here attended church in Tecumseh Sunday evening, as there was no service here.

Mrs. Daniel Allen visited her sons, Frank and Lorern Allen of Toledo last week, returning Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Gripton, of Britton, was called here Sunday by the sickness of her mother, Mrs. Darrow.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon Friday with the Tecumseh union in Tecumseh.

Nettie Dibble teacher in the Home for Girls at Adrian was at the home of her parents, Chauncey Dibble, over Sunday.

Mail messenger Vote Miller and wife visited their mother, Mrs. L. V. Miller, for several days, returning to their home in Detroit Tuesday.

By letters from C. O. Hiscock, we learn that he is nicely located with Power Bros. of Chicago, having engaged with them for a year.

The old corner store is undergoing a thorough renovating and a fresh coat of paint, preparatory for the new drug firm that is soon to occupy it.

Quite a scheme, the Editor of the HERALD has in getting the public to read Britton adds by placing them in the Rambles column as has been done of late.

Rev. Walter Burnett, of Tecumseh occupied the pulpit Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, and presented a very interesting discourse in an eloquent and forcable manner.

Alfred Lucking wife and children, of Detroit, Prof. Martin Palmer, wife and son of Jackson, Prof. I. D. Loree and wife of Lawrence, Michigan, enjoyed the Fourth at the home of their parents, Dr. D. W. Loree and wife.

The women of the W. C. T. U. will hold a Gospel Temperance meeting Sunday evening in place of the regular church service. Mrs. Mary Wood is expected to be present and give an address her husband will accompany her.

A fall of nearly 60 degrees in temperature would kill one-third of the population of the globe and cause intense suffering among another third, but in New England it is spoken about as "quite a change in the weather," and is taken as a matter of course.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

C. J. & M. Notice.

Effective Sunday 30 inst., fast freight-train service will be inaugurated between Cincinnati and all stations on the line of C. J. & M. Ry., making close connections also for important points on connecting lines Northbound, Train No. 10 will leave Cincinnati daily, except Sunday, at 8:35 p. m. connecting with No. 8 at Van Wert, thus making deliveries of Cincinnati freight in from 12 to 18 hours. South-bound, Train No. 7 will connect at Van Wert with train No 9 at ten p. m., arriving in Cincinnati early the following morning.

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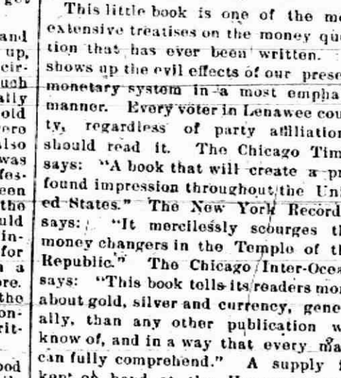

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

A. Richards was in town Thursday morning.

The cherry crop is rather short and very scarce.

Several from this place attended the German picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tobey were in town Wednesday.

Johnnie Gordon spent the Fourth at home with his parents.

Several attended the ball game at Britton Saturday afternoon.

Fred Rogers, of Oklahoma, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Isley, of Homer, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wear.

Business meeting of the C. E. society at the parsonage Friday evening.

Dr. J. W. Nixon has returned from [illegible] Kansas.

The Wabash company are digging a well near the depot. It is a good idea.

Fannie Kelley was a visitor to Detroit and spent the fourth with friends.

Mr. George Hoxie, wife and child were the guests of Ben Kelley Sunday.

C. H. Luther, of Adrian, was the guest of his cousin, Miss Hattie Still, Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. McClenathen left Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Hoadley, of Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothfuss and Master Arthur are spending a few days in Blissfield.

Jim Ash and Rob Boyd are purchasers of new reapers through the agency of Geo. Holloway.

Miss Alma Hall, of Chicago, is the guest of Blanche and Bertha Macham for the summer.

River Raisin is getting to be a very popular resort for people to rusticate by its crystal stream.

Miss Ola Wilder has gone to Adrian to attend the summer school for teachers at Adrian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Rothfuss and the Misses Brown attended the funeral of Mr. Hewitt, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy McWilliams are the proud parents of a boy baby who will stop with them a while.

Mrs. Stead and son Frank visited Ann Arbor where Frank intends to enter the University this fall.

Miss Hattie Dawson and Rhilla Wright attended a tent meeting at Weston conducted by Rev. Miller, of that place.

The fourth was very quiet in Holloway, only the small boy with firecrackers to denote that the fourth was upon us. In the evening a few celebrated with anvil and bonfires and their fourth was drawn to a close.

It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill. writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Eletric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statemnt. Price only 50c. for large bottle. At Orr & Temple's drug store. 6

One lesson to be drawn from the mood in which the people look upon a deficit of $50,000,000 is that an income tax is not wanted in this country. The almost total absence of all expressions of regret clearly demonstrates this proposition.

Many Rich Men In This Country.

made their money buying unimproved land at a small cost and cultivating it, thus securing the benefit of the increase in valuation. Why any one would rather rent a farm for cash, rent or work one on shares when they can buy one in Central Wisconsin for the low price offered in this paper, we cannot see. We would advise all who want to improve their chances for making money to write to The C. S. Graves Land Company; for particulars, and join the large number soon to settle in Clark County. 56 5th Ave., Chicago. 1w

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Dr. Miles' Nervine strengthens the weak, builds up the broken down constitution, and permanently cures every kind of nervous disease.

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A friend brought me Dr. Miles' book, "New and Startling Facts," and I finally decided to try a bottle of DR. MILES' Restorative Nervine. Before I had taken one bottle I could sleep as well as a 10-yr.-old boy. My appetite returned greatly increased.

When I had taken the sixth bottle My weight increased to 176 lbs., The sensation in my legs was gone; My nerves steadied completely; My memory was fully restored. My brain seemed clearer than ever. I felt as good as any man on earth. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is A great medicine, I assure you."

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Worms in Children,

symtoms of which are restlessness, and grinding of the teeth in sleep, bad breath, itching of the nose, pain in the stomach, hardness and swelling of the abdomen and convulsions. A safe, sure and pleasant remedy for these complaints is Foley's Family Favorite Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & Temple. July

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 25th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mathew L. Root, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, Petitioner, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 22d day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 17th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Alexander Patterson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Linton, executor of the last will and testament and [illegible] the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thereof have been fully paid and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the provisions of said will, and that he may be discharged and his bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 15th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A. W. Slayton was a Detroit passenger Wednesday morning.

O. A. Slayton went to Battle Creek yesterday on business.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher is making a few weeks' visit in Vermontville.

Mrs. W. D. Adams, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Mrs. L. I. Bidwell.

Tecumseh's first 'Derby Day' occurs on Thursday, the twenty-fifth.

Lucius Lilley made a short trip to Detroit and Toledo Wednesday morning.

A meeting of the Blue Lodge is called for tonight to exemplify the first degree.

Miss Winifred Walline, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Miss Grace Heosen this week.

Mrs. Will Wooden and daughter Dot, of Battle Creek, are visiting at H. E. Stout's.

Mrs. Jennie Gilman and Jno Sutfin, of York state, are visiting their cousin, Jas. Aten.

Rev. David Lewis is at home again, after two months revival work in New England.

Tribou Le Baron drove over from Toledo Wednesday and will remain here a few days.

A "thing of beauty is a joy forever." This is the sentiment of all who get a suit made by Starling.

Dr. Anderson, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is making a brief visit here and at Devils lake this week.

W. S. Millispaugh, of Branchport, New York, is the guest of his aunt Mrs. Hamilton for a few days.

Miss Lillian Keyes, of Grand Rapids, niece of C. D. Keyes, arrived Tuesday for a short visit at E. G. Cook's.

Arthur A. Hall, of Washington, arrived from the capitol last Friday to spend his vacation in these parts.

The Misses Elizabeth and Harriet Dodds, of Detroit, arrived Tuesday night and are guests of Miss Catherine Anderson.

Bert Blood and wife, of Toledo, are in Tecumseh during his vacation. The sudden death of his mother renders this visit sad indeed.

Mrs. Martha Mc Glashan and the Misses Ella and Lizzie of Windsor, Ont., are the guests of Dr. Woodward's family this week.

Charles Burridge and wife and daughter returned yesterday from their Cedar Point Cottage, where they have been rusticating since the Fourth.

Mrs. Dr. Gifford and daughters, Jessie and Gertrude, of Toledo, arrived last week at Mrs. Jennie Hall's, where the Misses will remain for a few weeks. Mrs. Gifford returned Monday.

Will Darling has not been attending to business very much this week. The truth of it is he has had another darling little Darling boy to look after since last Sunday. Ten pounds too.

There are very few clergymen in Tecumseh just at present. It is a mark of the highest compliment to the moral and spiritual constancy of our citizens that they can be trusted to shift without guidance for so long a time.

Let all doubting Thomas's, who think that no good thing can come out of Tecumseh, try J. S. Starling for a suit of clothes or an overcoat and they will at once be convinced that they have been laboring under a great mistake.

Thomas G. Marshall died at his home in this village on Saturday last. He was over eighty years of age and had been in feeble health for some time. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Stephen Harkness officiating.

The Michigan Press Association met at Benton Harbor Tuesday. After a two day's session the members started on their trip to St. Paul and Duluth. Neither the HERALD nor News are represented in the annual gathering this year. Mrs. Applegate will represent the Adrian Times.

Fred Rosacrans and Alva Spayde were Adrian visitors yesterday.

Second Blanket Matinee at Bills' track next week Saturday, July 20.

Miss Jessie Crane, of St. Louis, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Theodore Crane.

Morenci has an equestrienne who wears bloomers and rides on both sides of her horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Keenan are the happy parents of a new girl which arrived Saturday last.

Le Roy Blood came down from Lansing yesterday afternoon to attend Mrs. Chas. Blood's funeral.

Miss Agnes Woodward returned for a vacation from her musical studies in Detroit last evening.

[illegible] gone to Chicago for a visit with her parents and friends in the windy city. Fred is keeping bachelors hall during the interim.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wilcox, of Detroit, are guests of A. W. Slayton and family this week. Mr. Wilcox is the manager of Mr. Slayton's Detroit wholesale lumber yard.

Tuesday evening Field's minstrels played to a fair house. The performers were genuine darkeys and gave a very excellent minstrel show with many new hits. The music was especially fine.

Good teachers command good salaries. A teacher may expect to be appreciated if he is fully prepared to do his work. The F. N. U. at Fayette, O. does no slipshod work. The cream of the old methods and the best of the new are to be found there.

Mrs. Julia Harding died this morning at 7:30 at the home of Arthur Harding. Mrs. Harding has been sick almost continually since last fall, and for the past two weeks has been failing rapidly. The funeral will be held Sunday, at 4 p. m., at the house.

W. E. Caligan, of Jackson, is laying a considerable amount of cement walk in town for parties who are taking advantage of the bonus offered by the council to put down first-class durable walks. Mr. Caligan has put in cement walks in many surrounding villages and cities, and comes with the best recommendations.

Last Sunday afternoon Mrs. Mahala Addis died at her home in this village. Mrs. Addis had been an invalid for years and for the last year and a half had been confined to her bed nearly all the time, being a great sufferer towards the last. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, in the Friends church, conducted by Mrs. Mary Wood. The deceased leaves her husband, Lewis Addis, but no children. Mrs. J. R. Hialey was an adopted daughter.

The friends and relatives of Mrs. Chas. Blood, were very much shocked to learn of her sudden death, which occurred about 6 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Blood had been suffering for about a week with neuralgia of the stomach, but was not considered in a dangerous condition until a very short time before death came. The funeral was held from the house yesterday afternoon, Rev. Ramsdell, of Clinton, officiating. Further obituary mention will appear hereafter.

The second matinee which takes place Saturday, July 20th, one week from tomorrow, will be up to the standard in interest and attendance. The horses will be better matched and closer races may be looked for. Two named races have been arranged, with a 2:40 trot or pace, and a free for all trot or pace. A ladies bicycle race has been added to the half mile heats, and the two mile dash given before. Good prizes are offered. Harris & Hiteshu donate a fine silk umbrella to winner of ladies' race.

Last Sunday morning John J. Orr's beautiful St. Bernard dog went the way of all flesh, having been poisoned by some rascal. The discovery was made too late to save him. Rover was nine years old, right in his prime and was valued at over $100; Mr. Orr had once refused $125 for him. He was registered in the American Kennel Club Stud book. No. 4,959, and was the sire of 40 young St. Bernards, which sold for figures ranging from $20 to $100 each. He was a great pet with the children in the neighborhood and they were greatly shocked and grieved over Rover's sudden death.

The Eastern Star Lodge entertained the Stars of Onsted last evening. About forty visiting members came down on the six o'clock train. They were met at the train by carriages and conveyed to the Masonic Temple, where a good supper was served to the guests and committees. A secret session of the Lodge came next when several candidates were initiated. Then followed refreshments of ice cream and cake. The Onsted friends went home on the fast freight about midnight, apparently well pleased with their visit. "Come again" was the parting word of the Tecumseh Stars, when the meeting adjourned.

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Their Reunion on Commencement Week—A Fine Program and a Banquet.

The alumni reunion, which was held on Friday, June 21st, was a very enjoyable meeting. Nearly one hundred members and invited friends were present and it was nearly midnight when the festivities were ended. The session was held in the Lilley House dining room, which is an excellent place for such a gathering. The regular program was announced by Thos. H. Temple, president of the society. First came the welcome to the Class of '95, by the president himself; then a re[illegible] by Clarence Hurry; a poem by Grace Gillespie; an oration by Dr. Geo. Howell; a history of the Class of '87 by Will Finch. They were all fully up to the proper standard of excellence. The history consisted of letters from the members of the class. They were usually interesting and are given in full below.

The banquet came next on the program and this was up to the standard also. Then came the toasts and responses as follows, L. M. Waldron acting as toastmaster:

A Story Without an End—Abner Wilson.
Bright Spots—Miss Lucy Train.
Progress—Dr. L. G. North.
Future of Class of '95—Howard Whelan.

And these responses were all up to the standard, too.

At intervals during the evening the Social Concert orchestra furnished some fine music.

The following list of officers was announced for the coming year, and they were duly elected:

Pres.—C. A. Slayton.
1st Vice Pres.—Ellen R. Fisher.
2d Vice Pres.—Ella M. Primrose.
Secy.—Alice Cutting.
Treas.—J. R. Hosmer.
Orator—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Alternate—S. C. Stacy.
Poet—Lucy Train.
Alt.—Edna McClue.
Historian—Mamie Osborn.
Alt.—Abner Wilson.
Executive Com.—Will H. Hayden, Howard Whelan, W. C. Burridge.

THE HISTORY.

Below are the letters read by Willis Finch, all the graduates of '87 being represented, except Helena Adams, deceased:

TECUMSEH, MICH., June 20, '95.

Dear Friend:—You ask for a sketch of my life for the past eight years. It has been very uneventful, indeed, and I have left it to the other members of the class to be the "bright and shining lights." The first year after graduation was spent at home, after which the desire to be once again in the school room led me to accept the position as teacher of the school known as the "Section," which position I held for a year and a half. The next three years were spent in study at Olivet College and the University. The past two years I have been teaching in Sterling, Ill.

Very sincerely,
IDA B. RECTOR.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15, 1895.

MR. W. E. FINCH, Tecumseh, Mich.

Dear Sir:—In response to your letter, I send you the following brief sketch of myself since leaving the high school. The two succeeding years after my graduation were spent in teaching school in Lenawee county. In March, 1889, I took the civil service examination and in November of the same year received an appointment to a clerkship in the War Department, which position I still hold. Since coming here my time has been fully occupied in work and study. In February following my arrival I entered the Spencerian Business College and was graduated from that institution in May, 1890. Since that time I have been in Georgetown University studying law. In June, 1893, I received my diploma as Bachelor of Laws and on the tenth of the present month took my degree of Master of Laws. Please remember me to the alumni of the T. H. S. and tell them I am sorry I cannot be with them.

Yours,
ARTHUR H. HALL.

Since leaving school, June 23, '87, my life has been an uneventful one. In the following September I entered my father's store as clerk and book-keeper. Here I continued to sell diamond rings and watch chains for brothers until the winter of '92, when I came home to assist in the home duties. With the exception of three weeks and one day, the past three years have been devoid of any item of interest to the alumni. The three weeks and one day of which I speak was an experience not soon to be forgotten, because for that space of time I was a school teacher and realized, as one never can fully realize until they try it, a teacher's life, its trials and duties. I may say I taught six weeks and two days, for I held night school as well, but for the latter I was not paid.

Yours truly,
ASENATH HOSMER.

WEST BAY CITY, MICH., June 13, '95.

Dear Sir and Friend:—Yours of June 11th at hand and agreeably to your request I hasten to make reply. A sketch of my personal history since my graduation in 1887 must, although eight years have elasped, of necessity be brief and uninteresting. Immediately after leaving school I entered the drug store of A. S. Doty, since deceased. Six months later the store was transferred to J. J. Orr, with whom I served my apprenticeship and to whom I owe a debt of gratitude for his kindly assistance and sympathy in those, the hardest years of a boy's life, when he is settling to business. With him I remained four years and in January, 1892, having been offered a position with G. L. Lusk of this city, I accepted. The store has changed owners since then, but I still remain in the same place. May 31, 1893, I was married to Miss Carrie Keyser, of Tecumseh, and since that event have been a resident at 211 So. Fremont street, this city.

Wishing that I could be with you at the meeting of the alumni, and with regards to all, I remain

Sincerely yours,
E. W. GOFF.

TECUMSEH, June 20, '95.

Eight years close the record of a commonplace life, one spent in filling the niches. It is so uninteresting to tell how the first year after graduation was spent in caring for a sick aunt, followed by a happy year at home; then three very pleasant years of school life in the Baptist College at Kalamazoo, where the hope of being thoroughly equipped intellectually came to strengthen me for my battle with the world. But the Heavenly father had other plans for me and I came home to fill, in my weak way, my mother's place whom God had taken to be with him. At commencement eight years ago the future was so full of hope and there was the opportunity to make life one grand, sweet song. We cannot tell what lies before us. If disappointment comes, our comfort is in knowing that whatever is is best.

Yours, with love for my Alma Mater,
ELLEN R. FISHER.

LEETONIA, OHIO, June 14, '95.

W. E. FINCH:—

Dear Sir and Friend—It affords me pleasure to greet Class '95 of our Alma Mater. My name appears on the register of every room of the East Branch and High School, from '78 to '87, covering a period of nine years. I can look back to many pleasant experiences under our various able instructors (in the art of shooting paper wads) during my passage from room to room, also to some very painful ones. There is one chapter among the painful ones, that associates Z. C. Spencer and some marbles, which a few of us boys insisted on playing on East Branch school grounds in spite of rules to the contrary. After our interview with the professor, we immediately concluded that further interviews of the kind were not exactly essential for our future good health or peace of mind. Hence we see the advantage of discipline. The Class of '87 was eight in number, five girls and three boys. Very smart class. It is hardly necessary to state that each of us, at the time, were sure we could conquer the world very quickly, that we could surmount all obstacles with the greatest ease. Each cloud had a gold lining instead of a silver one (as it should have had); each obstacle appeared as a snowbank in the middle of April. I guess we each found our errors later, but I would not have it different at this late day. I entered in the studies of my profession in the spring of '88 and in the fall of the same year started in college at Cleveland, graduating in Cleveland two years later, third in a class of 37, at 93 per cent. After a short visit home in the spring of '90 I left for the place at which I am now located. Of course I am married and have a bald spot. I don't see why they should be associated, but they are, as is proven by my case. Professionally, my history and experience since entering medicine is the same as many hundred of young men. We make many mistakes and failures in seeking the top of the ladder, as experience can only be gained by hard work and unremitting study. The top of the ladder appears a long way off yet, but our class motto, "Eile Mit Weile, renews my courage for greater efforts and more thorough understanding. With best wishes I remain

Respectfully and fraternally,
C. C. TAYLOR, M. D.

TECUMSEH, MICH., June 19, 1895.

WORTHY HISTORIAN:—

The old saying that we pass from school life to life's school was not literally verified in my case. After graduating I spent my (first) vacation on the farm, where I planned to make myself supremely useful for an indefinite period. However, when September came I was back in Tecumseh, having been promoted during vacation to the primary department. Equipped with my first certificate and strengthened by a very high opinion of my own powers, I entered upon the work, feeling that I was thus bestowing a great blessing on the cause of education. I soon found myself confronted by more intricate problems than I ever found in any textbook. After months of discouragement, defeat and victory, I became accustomed to the work and soon derived satisfaction and pleasure therein. Now, after eight year's experience in dealing with the future men and women of our Republic, I can truthfully say, "There is nothing on earth half so holy as the innocent heart of a child." I have started on the broad highway of knowledge two hundred and ninety little individuals. The mental, moral and physical well being of fifty children every year has not deprived me of my mental balance. My mistakes have been many, my blunders more, yet I trust that the work has not been done in vain. One glorious October day in 1889 I experienced the first and greatest sorrow of my life, the sudden death of my mother. Seventeen months had scarcely marked this milestone when I was again summoned home to stand by the grave of both parents. The last home tie being thus severed, the following year I decided to pitch my tent in our fair village. In March, '93, my sister and myself concluded to swell the number of that unfortunate class who submit to taxation without representation. Accordingly we purchased a home on Maiden Lane, where we expect to spend our days in peace, if not in prosperity, and grow old gracefully. A limited purse has prevented me from making many journeys, never going farther north than Bay View and west than Chicago. In 1893 I completed the four years Chautauqua course. For several years I have studied the money question from an experimental, rather than a theoretical point of view. I am at present a strong advocate of free silver; the more of it the better for every hard working teacher.

With greetings to my classmates and best wishes for the prosperity of my Alma Mater, I remain

Most cordially,
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BOARDERS WANTED. A few boarders by the week or day. Price $3.50 per week. Accomodations first class. Inquire at corner of Cummins and Evans streets.
GEORGE B. MIZE.

VILLAGE TAXES.—I will be at the banking office of The Tecumseh State Savings Bank, June 21, 1895, and upon every Friday during the month of July, 1895, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m of each day, to receive Village taxes for the year 1895. Four per cent. will be added to all taxes not paid on or before July 31, 1895.
GEORGE W. KNAPP,
Village Treasurer.

WALL PAPER CLEANED—Also painting kalsomining and all kinds of inside finish cleaned as good as new, without dirt or trouble, at less than one-fourth original cost, by our new process. Investigation invited. Leave orders at Orr & Temple's, or with A. J. VanWinkle, C. A. Rowland, F. S. Packard, F. A. O'Neil.

A BARGAIN—A brand new Crusader wheel, fitted for lady or gentleman, can be bought at half price. For particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

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PAINTING.—M. L. Gillen is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Monroe's Novelty Store.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 12, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bicycle Day, July 25th.

Kennedy & Rogers have a change of ad this week.

Tecumseh will celebrate the 4th this year on the 25th.

W. S. Kimball, of Clinton, was in town Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Gamble returned to Union Mills, Ind., Wednesday.

All indications point to a big crowd and some fine races on the 25th.

If the public will push the button the Bicycle Association will do the rest.

Spencer Lester and wife spent the Sabbath with A. P. Coddington's family.

The business houses, generally, will decorate with flags and bunting on the twenty-fifth.

Miss Nan Frazier went to Cleveland Monday for a visit with Mrs. Grace Riggs Martin.

Last Sunday was one of the hottest days of the season, the mercury marking 95 degrees in the afternoon.

L. M. Jones, Jr., returned from Ypsilanti this week, where he has been attending school the past year.

Rev. Chas. M. Brown goes to Boston this week to attend the National Convention of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Barnum has the same old show but Tecumseh always improves. The races this year are bigger and better than ever.

Mr. John Baker, of Detroit, and daughters Sena and Agnes, are making a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whiting.

The bicycle manufacturers think the coming race meeting of sufficient importance to donate very liberally to the premium list.

Mrs. Jas. E. Pittman, of Detroit, is here for the summer. Mrs. Pittman will occupy the H. L. Stewart house during her stay.

Mrs. E. B. Strickland, of Lawrence, Kan., is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. E. Pickard this week. She will visit her daughter at London, Ohio. before returning home.

Rev. J. P. Varner and family left today with his family for Au Train, Michigan, to enjoy his annual vacation of about a month. Walter Burnett will occupy the Methodist pulpit during his absence.

Miss Mana Monaghan, who left here for commencement week to meet California friends in Ann Arbor, stopped over on her return for a short visit with friends and left Thursday for Marshall to visit her sister, Mrs. G. H. Sherwood.

The paths of glory lead but to the grave. We hope however, that this will not prove true of some of the committees who have the celebration in charge, for there is certainly more glory on their pay check than anything else. Encore the boys by taking a holiday, Thursday, the twenty-fifth.

While stopping at Dundee last week on the way to Ann Arbor, we called on Mr. J. B. Haynes and found him flourishing. He has begun the erection of a new residence, having sold the old one, which will be one of the finest houses in the village when completed. H. Gainsley was found at his store as smiling and good natured as ever. He seems to be tiding over the hard times better than most merchants, and is looking forward to a good fall's trade.

Chas. M. Walker, of Adrian, has invented the most complete pencil sharpener on the market. It is intended to be placed on a desk or table in an office and will be a valuable fixture. A stock company was organized yesterday to place this article on the market, called the Walker Manufacturing Co., of which C. M. Walker is president and Ed. Baker secretary and treasurer. An order for 1,000 has been placed and the sale of the article will be pushed.—Evening Telegram.

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Sheriff E. G. Wilson was in town Saturday.

Tecumseh's big day will come on July 25th this year.

Anderson & Co. announce their special summer sale this week.

Miss Norris, of Boston, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. N. Satterthwaite.

Prepare to come to town early in the morning on the day of the celebration, July 25th.

Hattie Montgomery has gone to Ypsilanti to take a six months' business course in the Cleary business college.

Fifteen special trains passed through Adrian this week conveying passengers to the Christian Endeavor Convention at Boston.

The "Bike" boys are working hard to make our celebration a success. Let every one turn out and show his appreciation of their efforts.

Frank Stead will enter the U. of M. next fall and take a full classical course. If he will take proper care of his health he will make his mark there.

J. C. Eccles has repapered his tailor shop, which greatly improves its appearance. He is better prepared than ever now to give the young men fits.

The Chenango Telegraph, published at Norwich, N. Y., issued a woman's edition on the 4th. Among the halftone pictures was a fine portrait of our old citizen, Dr. S. J. Fulton.

The camp at Island Lake will be laid out by Capt. Harry Devlin, of Jackson, this year. He has commenced work and tents will be shipped next week. One hundred more tents will be used this year than ever before.

Gov. Rich has bought a bicycle and is learning to ride. He says he needs exercise, and believes that the "bike" will "fill a long felt want." He will probably fill several long deep ditches before he masters the wheelman's art.

Prof. Kellogg and Editor Field of Tecumseh, assisted by Prof. Palmer of Adrian College, began a summer normal school at the college last week Monday morning. This faculty is a strong one and we bespeak for them a liberal attendance.

The horse is doomed, whether to total extinction or a life of comparative ease, is a question; but that he is doomed admits of no doubt. Come and see in vast and copious numbers, the successor of the quadruped. Free exhibition of every breed of the new beasts in Tecumseh, all day Thursday, July 25th.

A colored preacher in Indiana recently delivered a sermon against the present feminine fashion of wearing puffed sleeves, taking for his text, "Woe to the women that sew pillows to armholes." Some of his hearers doubted if he had a bona fide text, but were not a little astonished to find the words in Ezekiel 13-18.

Fred Eccles, a son of J. C. Eccles is stopping at the old home a week or two. Fred worked in the HERALD office at one time, went from here to Deadwood Dak., and for the last four years he has been in Chicago. He has not been here before since he left twelve years ago, and he has changed so one would hardly know him.

Harry Bice, who is living at Grand Ledge, had a peculiar experience on the 4th, which he will not care to repeat. The local paper thus describes it: "A spark from a firecracker ignited Bice & Sackett's stock of fireworks in their show window yesterday just before noon. Several heavy explosions followed and the glass in the window was shattered:—also the bottoms of Harry Bice's pantaloons, as he kicked the fire-works out of the house. Lots of excitement and smoke for a few moments—damage small."

In describing the production of Pain's "Lalla Rookh," which is to be given under the promotion of The Detroit Railway, at Boulevard Park, Detroit, the Brooklyn Times of June 30, 1894 said: "The wealth of color displayed is a treat for the artistic eye, and the fireworks which follow the brilliant pageant of the Orient are the sort to inspire the onlookers with all imaginable patriotic sentiment. Taking all in all, 'Lalla Rookh' is the most elaborate of all spectacles." As this Pyro-Spectacle is to be given at Boulevard Park in all the minutiae or details which marked its New York production, it can readily be seen that there is a treat in store for those who attend the inaugural carnival of The Detroit Railway.

Messrs. Everett & Pack, of the Detroit Railway, seemingly have no end of original plans for the improvement of street railway service in Detroit. Their latest original conception is that of having cars absolutely controlled and timed by a train dispatcher, the same as on a steam railroad. The departure of each car, from each terminus, will be accurately recorded and its movement reported to the train dispatcher every few blocks. By this method the officials can tell the approximate location of every car and absolutely control it. This will be of inestimable benefit where there are crowds to be handled or a delay on the line, as such delay would be instantly overcome. The new idea will probably be working successfully before The Detroit Railway's Boulevard Park is opened with Pain's "Lalla Rookh."

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Don't forget the crackajacks, Thursday, July 25th.

Orr & Temple will soon open a branch drug store at Ridgeway.

Get ready for the big wheelman's tournament on July 25th.

Miss Hattie Conklin will take a position in the village schools the coming year.

Mrs. Howland has a fine painting class at Holloway, which now numbers twenty-one pupils. She goes down there every Tuesday.

Wm. B. Hatch, of Macon, received a post graduate diploma from the law department of the State University at the last commencement.

Prof. Romyne Miller, of Big Rapids, who has been visiting old friends in Ridgeway for a few days, paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum last Saturday.

Mitchell & Lowry began work on the Brownville village bridge last Monday. Twenty car loads of stone will be used on the abutments, and six of them have already arrived.

Ann Arbor led all the colleges this year in the number of her graduates, the total being 692. Harvard was a good second with 678, and Yale followed closely behind with 575.

Rev. B. S. Hudson has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church. He is absent in Boston for a short time, after which his family will move to Tecumseh and Mr. Hudson will assume his duties.

The annual Spiritual camp meeting at Devils Lake will commence July 26 and close August 12th, extending over three Sundays, and two full weeks intervening. Services and medium tests will be held every day.

A Catalogue of the Fayette Normal University will be sent free on request of any reader of this paper. If you are interested in knowing more of one of our most popular schools, send for this catalogue. Address J. E. Dodd's, Fayette, O.

The Albion College year book is at hand, which shows that institution to be in a flourishing condition. In the roll of students we note the name of Walter Burnett in the Sophmore class. The total enrollment last year in all the departments was six hundred and thirty students.

Mrs. Morrison, mother-in-law of murderer Mundy, came here from Tecumseh, Mich., this morning. The object of her visit is to get an order from Mundy for possession of his child, Mamie. Mamie is the child of the murdered woman and grand-daughter of Mrs. Morrison.—Toledo Bee, July 2d.

The following startling piece of information is traveling around the country in the shape of a news dispatch from Hudson: "Owing to the excessively dry weather Devils lake, this city's summer resort, has sunk five feet and is no longer navigable. The steamer City of Hudson is stranded high and dry."

Prof. L. R. Taft, is at Adrian, Kalamazoo and Tecumseh, Mich., visiting the various irrigation plants at those places for the purpose of getting material for a bulletin on irrigation soon to be issued by the experiment station. He will also visit the college sub-station at Grand Haven.—Lansing Republican.

The Y. M. C. A. of Battle Creek are getting up a unique exposition. It will consist of an exhibition of art, science, industry, curios and relics. It will begin Sept. 2d. and close October 5th. Mr. Frank J. Kellogg, a brother of Prof. Kellogg, is the general manager of the affair, and he is already pushing the preliminary work to insure its success.

The new cement walk which is being constructed down on the lower corner is a daisy. It will extend nearly half a block, reaching around the corner adjacent to Cheever's block, and thence along Teeple's, Harry Lee's lot and Miss Hough's Millinery store. The action of the council will stimulate the building of a good many cement walks.

If any one thing more than another should receive the hearty support of our citizens it is enterprise, and especially public enterprise. This sort of enterprise is sometimes a little shy, but just now it is rampant in Tecumseh. The particular case which we have in view is the enterprise evinced by the Tecumseh Bicycle Association in arranging for and pushing to a successful issue a bicycle meet which will be second to none ever held in this state, which has been fully and generously supported by the hard cash of our enterprising business men. Now this is the kind of enterprise which merits and demands support. The wheelmen and business men can and will get up a magnificent day's sport, but they can't do all the celebrating. A great many of our people have wheels and they will celebrate anyway. We all have little wheels in our heads, which turn with sympathetic delight and profit when we see a good rider ride a good wheel. Save up a car wheel and go. Write about it, go to it and everybody will be there.

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—For genuine good home made bread. For ice cream by dish or bulk go to the new restaurant. CHAS. VANANTWERP.

—Don't have your house all torn up when you can get your paper cleaned as good as new, without dirt or trouble, by our new process. Leave orders with Orr & Temple. tf

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—To RENT—House to rent, with cellar, well, wood house, cistern and garden. Price, $1.25 per week.
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—I have second hand mowers and binders for sale at a bargain. Please call and see them. C. A. SLAYTON.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—I am well established next to Adamson's and would be pleased to see my old friends, CHAS. VANANTWERP.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—Our new process for cleaning wall paper has been used in the houses of A. W. Mills, O. P. Bills, Eldridge Hyde, Dr. H. L. Stewart, J. J. Orr and others, with entire satisfaction. Leave orders with Orr & Temple. tf

—Just what you want—A fine black Clay Worsted Suit from $20 to $28. It will pay you to see them. Call early and make your selection.
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—Spring is here, and now is the time to clean up. Anything in the line of painting or paper hanging in the latest style of the art I will do at hard times rates. GEO. MATTESON.

—The largest line of imported and domestic Woolens at the Lowest Prices.
J. C. HAZLETT,
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—Call and see my line of Suitings, Pantings and Overcoatings before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.
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—BOOK BINDING—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

—House cleaning time has arrived. To save money on lace curtains, curtain goods, new styles, carpets, rugs, etc., call on HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

—We have the best work shoe and plow shoe in Tecumseh at the lowest price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Have you seen those lovely spring and summer dress goods at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

—COAL! COAL! COAL!—

We handle the best of all kinds. Below are a few names of our customers who purchased their coal of us this season. Ask them as to quality. Our prices are all right to everybody: L. Lilley, A. W. Mills, E. C. Coryell, C. A. Wright, Albert Brewer, C. E. Williamson, Wm. McCowen, W. A. Osborn, D. L. Whitenack, Wm. Hayden, H. Weller, L. P. Tribou, F. A. Bauer, J. Cleveland, D. Branigan, B. F. Steinhoff, Wm. Steinhoff, Geo. Bangs, S. M. Smith, G. W. Frazier, Rev. Blachford, Rev. Varner, Chas. Burridge, Mrs. Moir, Mrs. A. Hardenburg, Mrs. Beamish, Mrs. Forestall, Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. B. Bangs, Mrs. J. Phelps. In our grocery department we have a complete stock. Some of our specialties are our great 45 cent Japan tea. Our Java-Mocha coffee can't be beat. We handle the choicest of dairy and creamery butter—is kept in prime condition in our large refrigerator. We have a complete assortment of stove wood which is kept under shelter—always dry.
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as we shall continue to run it for some time yet.

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Opens Saturday, July 6, and continues during the entire month.
We quote you a few of the many bargains.

Best 7 cent Print	5	Ladies Night Gowns, worth $1.25 & 1.50	79
Best Shirting Print	4	Ladies Jersey Vests, worth 10 cents	5
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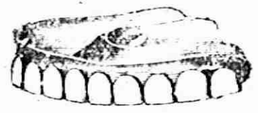

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AN IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

Berrien County Courthouse Cornerstone Laid Under Masonic Auspices.

ST. JOSEPH, July 5.—The cornerstone to Berrien county's new courthouse was laid Thursday with impressive ceremonies conducted by the grand lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Michigan. It is estimated that 10,000 people were present. The weather was all that could be desired. At 9:30 o'clock the procession formed, there being represented in the line several bands, the grand army, odd fellows, Knights of Maccabees,

THE NEW COURTHOUSE.

Modern Woodmen, Knights Templar, Master Masons, Grand Lodge, board of supervisors, county officials and citizens in carriages, who paraded the main thoroughfares to the courthouse, where the exercises took place. After raising the new flag and music by the quartette, Grand Master Edwin L. Bowring conducted the masonic ceremonies. Then Rev. Hardin W. Davis read an original poem by Nixon Waterman entitled: "A Song of Peace," and Orville W. Coolidge, judge of the Second judicial circuit, delivered an address.

FOREST FIRES IN MICHIGAN.

Timber and Grain Destroyed Near Mio—Helped by the Drought.

MIO, Mich., July 10.—Extensive forest fires are raging in this section and spreading rapidly on account of the drought. Information comes from Cummings township that Joseph Sullivan's farmhouse and buildings were consumed.

PITTSFIELD, Mich., July 10.—Forest fires have been raging along the Toledo & Ann Arbor road the last few days, and unless rain comes within twenty-four hours the damage will be great. Over 100 acres of wood land and wheat fields have already been burned. Smith's dairy farm is wiped out and miles of fences consumed.

MUSKEGON, Mich., July 10.—The city of North Muskegon and vicinity is in the throes of the greatest forest fire ever witnessed here, and hourly the danger becomes greater as the flames creep along with astonishing rapidity. Farmhouses and extensive crops are threatened on all sides, and the farmers have turned out in a body to check the headway. It will be almost fruitless, however, as already over 5 square miles are one mass of flames, and the dense smoke makes a battle with them almost impossible.

Word has reached the city of the burning of Albert Van Zandt's sawmill, a large quantity of logs, shingles and lumber, amounting to several thousand dollars. Several farmhouses cannot escape the flames, and it is reported that many acres of crops have already been reduced to ashes. Unless rain comes soon no one can tell what the damage will be.

MUST APOLOGIZE TO BOYNTON.

Decision in the Case of the Valley Tent of Maccabees.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 9.—Officers of Valley City Tent of Maccabees have received the decision of the executive commitee of the grand tent in relation to its alleged rebellious conduct toward the peremptory removal of Great Record Keeper Boughton. The tent is required to strike from its records all reference to the mass meeting at which resolutions were adopted condemning Commander Boynton, and is also required to apologize and pass resolutions expressing loyalty to the present officers.

Three-Cent Fares at Detroit.

DETROIT, July 9.—Mayor Pingree figured as motorman Monday on the first car which marked the inauguration of the Detroit railway's new car system in this city, and at the same time the introduction of a three-cent fare, for which the mayor has fought for several years. He was cheered enthusiastically along the entire route.

The Mob Relented.

MORENCI, July 9.—A band of masked men strung up Chester Strong by the neck until he confessed to mistreating little girls. Then he was let down, given a few cents and told to leave the state at once, on pain of being hanged for keeps. He started for Ohio on the run, followed by a shower of revolver bullets.

Wants a Divorce.

GLENDORA, July 9.—Mrs. Jacob Vandusen has begun divorce proceedings against her husband. The couple have been married sixty-five years. The trouble arose over their property, which the husband sold without his wife's consent.

He Wanted to Die.

OWOSSO, July 4.—John R. Rockwell, a prominent merchant of Jackson, turned on the gas in his room at the Newton house Tuesday night. When discovered he cut his throat with a jackknife. He will recover.

Drowned Himself.

BRUSSFIELD, July 9.—Robert Pollard, aged 83, and one of the oldest masons in southern Michigan, despondent through ill health, dropped from his window Sunday night, and drowned himself in the river.

Killed by a Hog.

OWOSSO, July 8.—The 2-year-old child of Edward Frost, of Venice township, was killed and eaten by a vicious hog. The mother did not notice its absence until too late.

Falls from a Boat and Is Drowned.

HOLLAND, July 7.—Gerrit Bontekoe, a 9-year-old lad, while playing in a boat tied to the shore fell into the water and was drowned.

DISCOURAGING CROP REPORT.

Michigan Wheat Yield Much Less Than for Many Years.

LANSING, July 9.—The following very discouraging crop report has been issued from the state department:

"For this report on wheat more than 1,100 returns have been received, representing all parts of the state. The correspondents estimate the yield per acre in bushels and not in percentage of previous or average crops. The average of the estimates for the state and each section is as follows: State, 9.88 bushels; southern counties, 8.14 bushels; central counties, 11.13 bushels; northern counties, 11.22 bushels, and upper peninsula, 14 bushels. The estimate for the state is the lowest ever made July 1. It is nearly 6 bushels lower than the estimate of July 1, 1894, and nearly 7 bushels lower than the average yield in the eighteen years, 1876-1893. The light crop is mainly because of the drought that has prevailed all the season and still continues, yet other causes have worked more or less injury. A correspondent well says: 'Light top last fall, freezing and thawing in spring, frosts in May and drought in April, May and June.' To these should be added extensive damages by insects. The number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in June is 822,311, and amount marketed in the eleven months, August-June, 10,599,809 bushels. The acreage planted to corn is slightly in excess of the average, and the condition is 91 per cent. of condition in average years. Oats are estimated at 61 per cent of [illegible] crop. The average for the southern counties is only 57 per cent. The acreage planted to potatoes is 6 per cent. in excess of average years, and in condition the crop promises 86 per cent of an average crop. Corn and potatoes seem to have stood the drought remarkably well. If an abundance of rain comes soon both crops may be expected to yield fairly well. Meadows and good pastures were probably never in poorer condition at this date, and the spring seeding to clover is nearly all lost. The outlook for apples and peaches is not encouraging. The former promises perhaps one-third and the latter five-eighths of an average crop."

AGED WOMAN MURDERED.

Her Young Daughter and Her Grandson Held for the Crime.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 10.—Mrs. Levi Pierce, aged 68, who lived 2 miles southwest of Berlin, Ottawa county, was murdered Monday morning, and her daughter, May Pierce, aged 13, and her grandson, George Keesbro, aged 18, are now in jail in Grand Haven awaiting examination. Mr. Pierce went to the field to work as usual, leaving his wife, and May and George at home. About noon May came running to him across the fields, yelling that her mother was dead. Pierce ran to the house and found a horrible state of affairs. On the floor beside the kitchen stove was Mrs. Pierce's dead body. The chin was horribly gashed, the teeth were knocked out, and the neck was black and bruised as if she had been choked to death. There were evidences of a terrible struggle. At the inquest, owing to the self-contradictory stories told by George Keesbro, and his evident desire to avert suspicion from himself and turn it toward a mythical tramp, Keesbro was arrested and taken to the Grand Haven jail Monday night. Tuesday further investigation led to the girl, May, also being taken to jail. It is believed that Keesbro did the killing, and the little girl knows all about it, and perhaps assisted in the murder.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SCHOOL.

Second Session of the Summer Gathering Opened at Ludington.

LUDINGTON, July 10.—The second annual session of the summer school of the Epworth league opened here Tuesday. This is a new departure in young people's church work, the idea originating at a camp-meeting two years ago. The people of Ludington and the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad company donated 240 acres of land on the lake shore and $21,000 in cash to the league, and with this as a beginning buildings were erected and the work successfully inaugurated. The lecture courses which were begun Tuesday, will continue for three weeks, during which time instruction will be given in Bible study, Sunday-school work and the general work of the league.

BIG FURNITURE SALE.

Semi-Annual Event at Grand Rapids Attracts Many Buyers.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 9.—The semi-annual furniture sale opened Monday. An unusual number of buyers were present, mostly from local factories, whose output makes this city the furniture center of the world. One hundred factories of other cities have agents and sample rooms on the ground. It is the first time that the railroads have granted excursion rates to all buyers. The trade outlook is brighter than for three years previously. Prices rule firmer and factories are running full time.

Fifty Years in Office.

ANN ARBOR, July 6.—Ex-Sheriff Thomas F. Leonard died of heart disease Friday night. He was elected sheriff of the county in 1838 and made a splendid record during those trying times. For the last fifty years he has held the position of either deputy sheriff or constable almost continuously, gaining a wide acquaintance with public men. He was nearly 80 years old.

Abandoned Iron Mine Is Worked.

NORWAY, July 8.—A small crew of miners has been set at work at the Quinnesec mine, which has been abandoned for the past five or six years. The present demand for Bessemer ore is so far greater than the supply that every available source of supply is being worked.

Michigan Millers.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 10.—The summer meeting of the Michigan Millers' association was held here, with a large attendance. The conclusion was reached that Michigan wheat would reach about 65 per cent. of an average crop, with a greatly reduced acreage.

Slept on the Track.

ALPINE, July 7.—Michael Price, a woodsman, went to sleep on a railroad track on Thursday and a train cut off his left leg. He died here Saturday morning.

Killed by the Cars.

CADILLAC, July 4.—Patrick Ryan, a section hand, was run over by Cobb & Mitchell's logging train and instantly killed. His home was near Reed City.

STATE NEWS.

Short But Interesting Paragraphs Concerning Michigan Men and Affairs.

The Kalamazoo board of education refused to employ Miss Kate Shea as a teacher because, it is alleged, she is a Catholic.

Clark & Dutton's machine shop at Kalamazoo was damaged by fire recently to the amount of about $4,000.

In many cities of this state the Fourth was observed in elaborate style, parades and patriotic addresses forming the usual mode of celebration.

A. R. Sprague was seriously and perhaps fatally injured Thursday by the bursting of an anvil at Coal's Grove. He has since died.

When Thomas Remington, of Grand Rapids, awoke on the morning of the Fourth he found his wife lying by his side cold and rigid in death. The coroner decided that she had died of paralysis of the heart.

Attorney General Maynard decides that jurors are, under the statute, entitled to pay only for such time as they are actually in attendance upon court.

Perry Ruggles shot and killed Samclaims it was in self-defense.

Testimony was begun at Detroit Saturday in the second trial of Dr. D. J. Seaman, charged with causing the death of Emily Hall.

Following is the schedule for civil service examinations in Michigan: DeWolf, October 4; Grand Rapids, October 7.

The Oceana county fair will be held at Hart September 24 to 27.

Two new brick business blocks will be erected in Cassopolis this summer.

The new Hart cannery is putting up green peas at the rate of 30,000 cans a day.

The berry crop of southwestern Michigan is larger this season than for many years.

The state has loaned Rose City a library comprising 200 volumes of choice literature.

The Big Diamond Match company's box factory at Ontonagon has shut down for sixty days.

Commencement exercises at the Michigan agricultural college will be held August 7 to 13.

The river Raisin has reached the lowest mark ever known, and large quantities of dead fish are strewn along its banks.

Augustus Spies of Menominee and Isaac Stephenson of Marinette have purchased 100,000 acres of pine land near Alexandria, Va., for $100,000.

The colored people of southwestern Michigan will hold their annual camp meeting at Berrien Center, Berrien county, July 29 to August 9.

Cass county's largest wheat growers estimate that the harvest now under way will produce an average yield for the county of eleven bushels per acre.

At a special election St. Johns voted to bond for $35,000 to purchase R. M. Steel's electric light plant.

The university summer school at Ann Arbor opened with nearly 200 registered.

The convention of American deaf mutes closed its session at Flint to meet again in three years, without selecting a place.

Elias Hill, a miner employed at the Queen mine at Negaunee, was killed by the cars.

Fire destroyed the main building of the Greenville Implement company. Loss, $15,000; insurance, $4,000.

Bill posters from many cities are gathered in Detroit to attend the annual meeting of the United States Associated Bill Posters' association.

Two horse traders, Benjamin Whitmore, of Battle Creek, and Edward Leary, of Fort Wayne, Ind., got into a quarrel in Delphi, Ind. Whitmore shot and killed Leary.

Melburne Rockwell, charged with being an accomplice of Del Swartz in the murder of Willard Johnson near Colon last October, has been acquitted.

Invaded by Grasshoppers.

WEST OSHTEMO, July 7.—Grasshoppers are making havoc of the farms in this vicinity. They begin in the clover, then turn their attention to the wheat fields and the rye fields. They have eaten up the beans and attacked the corn and potatoes, also the melons and squash.

Death of Dr. H. M. Foster.

JACKSON, July 8.—Dr. Horace M. Foster, one of the oldest odd fellows in the United States, died Saturday, aged 84. He had been an odd fellow fifty-two years and held every office of the subordinate lodges. Mr. Foster came to this city fifty-three years ago.

Low Water in Kalamazoo River.

ALLEGAN, July 9.—The drought has made the Kalamazoo river here so low that not a wheel in the mills can be turned and the city is absolutely without water. The river has not been so low since early in the '30's.

Sarah A. Clute Dead.

KALAMAZOO, July 9.—Sarah A. Clute, formerly well known in Michigan educational circles and a former instructor at Mount Holyoke seminary, died in this city Sunday night at the age of 68.

Pioneers Dead.

COLDWATER, July 7.—Mrs. L. E. Parrish, aged 81 years, and Mrs. Nelson Baker, aged 72 years, died here Saturday. Both were residents of Coldwater for more than half a century.

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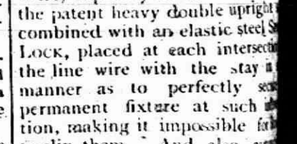

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DOMESTIC.

INDEPENDENCE day was celebrated all over the United States.

BOB FITZSIMMONS, the pugilist, on trial at Syracuse, N. Y., on the charge of being responsible for the death of his late sparring partner, Con Riordan, was acquitted.

THE sidewalk on an old bridge spanning the St. Joseph river fell at Bristol, Ind., carrying down 100 persons, several being fatally injured.

MARTIN RATTIGAN, just released from prison at Shenandoah, Pa., fatally wounded his wife, her sister and himself.

PROF. WILLIS L. MOORE, of Chicago, was appointed chief of the weather bureau to succeed Prof. Harrington, removed.

BILL PURVIS, Griffin Hubbard and Grant Wilson, all negroes, were hanged at Vicksburg, Miss. They murdered Dr. King, owner of a trading boat.

PART of the grand stand at the bicycle race in Buffalo, N. Y., fell, injuring nineteen persons, three fatally.

WHITE CAPS under indictment burned the courthouse at Center, Col., the loss being $100,000.

ILLINOIS miners last year lost $1,693,910 in wages through strikes and gained practically nothing.

THE village of Reddick, Ill., was nearly wiped out by fire.

DR. C. D. SHERWOOD, once lieutenant governor of Minnesota and later founder of the town of Sherwood, Tenn., drowned himself in the lake in Chicago while despondent.

AUGUSTUS FIELDS, of Meadowville, Mo., a prominent business man, murdered his wife and child and committed suicide. No cause was known.

THE Arrowhead hotel, one of the noted tourists' resorts of southern California, was burned to the ground.

DERNBERG, GLICK & HORNER, proprietors of the Leader, one of the leading department stores in Chicago, failed for over $225,000.

FIVE persons dead and thirty-three injured was the record of accidents of the Fourth of July in Chicago.

FOR the first time in five years all the saloons in Atchison, Kan., were closed, with no prospects of opening again.

THE bureau of navigation received preliminary returns showing that 682 steam and sail vessels of 132,719 gross tonnage were built and documented in the United States during the last fiscal year.

FANTASY defeated the great Directum in a free-for-all trot at Minneapolis, going a mile in 2:09.

AT the national convention in Flint, Mich., of teachers of the deaf W. O'Connor, of Georgia, was elected president.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 5th aggregated $975,994,944, against $1,010,482,041 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 14.9.

THE Harvard bank at Cartersville, Ga., closed its doors with liabilities of $27,000.

GEORGE LAWSON while drunk fatally shot his wife and then himself at Springfield, Ill.

THE American Strawboard works at Anderson, Ind., the largest controlled by the great company, were burned the loss being $100,006.

HOPE HENRY, a young colored preacher, was lynched by a mob near Lake City, Fla. He was charged with assaulting a white woman.

AS A result of a riot at a picnic given by German Roman Catholics at Siberia, Ind., three persons were dead, five fatally wounded and fifty seriously hurt. The riot was started by a gang of roughs who were drunk.

CAPT. PAUL WEBB, the famous swimmer, lost his life near Cœur d'Alene, Idaho, in an attempt to ride down a 300-foot chute into the lake in his barrel.

THIRTY-SIX eloping couples from Kentucky were married at Jeffersonville Ind., in as many hours.

HEAVY rains did great damage to property near Fort Scott, Kan., and many families were driven from their homes.

FOUR more deaths growing out of Fourth of July accidents were reported by the Chicago police, bringing the total number of fatalities up to ten.

THE Santa Rita copper and iron mill at Santa Rita, N. M., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

JOHN WILLS was shot and instantly killed and his sister mortally wounded at a celebration at Lincoln Ridge, O., by a man named Tipton.

THERE were 6,657 commercial failures in the United States in the first half of 1895, with liabilities of $88,839,944, against 7,039 in the first half of 1894, with liabilities of $101,739,305. Manufacturing failures were 1,254, against 1,521 last year, and liabilities $40,301,949 against $41,376,107 last year. Banking failures were sixty-three, with liabilities of $16,653,276, against sixty-three last year with liabilities of $13,184,461.

JOHN W. CARTER, a well-known ink manufacturer of Boston, was drowned while bathing at the beach at Harwich, Mass.

JOHN CUNNINGHAM, an aeronaut, was instantly killed at Winigan, Mo. His parachute failed to work and he fell 1,200 feet.

THOMAS NORVILLE (colored) was hanged at Mobile, Ala., for murdering Louis Coleman last summer.

The annual meeting of the National Educational association began at Denver.

PROF. MARK W. HARRINGTON, chief of the weather bureau, was relieved from duty, owing to a disagreement with Secretary Morton.

The Tecumseh Bicycle Association gave a splendid race meeting last year but the meet of 1895 will outshine the meet of 1894 as the arc light does the candle. Don't forget the date,—all day Thursday, July 25th.

JOHN ANDERSON, Frank Bevans and Miss Marembeck, all residents of Philadelphia, were drowned in the Delaware river at Beverly, N. J., by the capsizing of a boat.

JAMES RYAN, a blacksmith at Terre Haute, Ind., shot his wife and then killed himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

LIGHTNING killed Postmaster Edward Bryan, wife and child at Louisville, Ala. One boy survives.

FREDERICK HELLMAN, a building contractor, aged 37, deliberately killed himself, his wife and their four children in Chicago by shutting his house up tight and turning on a gas jet. No cause was known for the deed.

THOMAS PUCKETT (colored) was lynched by a mob at Pelahatchie, Miss., for robbing a farmer.

A CONFERENCE of the advocates of free silver coinage of all parties in Ohio will meet at Washington Court House on the 10th inst.

The [illegible] of the United States steamboat inspection service show that during the last fiscal year 368 lives were lost on steam vessels.

ABOUT 3,500 teachers were in attendance at the National Educational [illegible] in Denver.

A CYCLONE which struck Baxter Springs, Kan., killed five people and injured a dozen others, two fatally. Three churches and many houses and barns were wrecked.

EX-GOV. E. A. STEVENSON, of Idaho, committed suicide at Paraiso Springs Cal. Sickness was the cause.

FIRE in Oswego, N. Y., destroyed business and residence property of the valve of $100,000.

"WALTER Q. GRESHAM" is to be the name of the new steel revenue cutter, which, when completed, will be assigned to duty in the great lakes.

THE city directory just out in Kansas City, Mo., shows its present population is 205,985, an increase of 12 per cent. over that of 1890.

O. T. SWANSON and H. P. Gidley started from Kansas City on a novel trip around the world. They expect to walk every step of the journey, except when water interferes, and started out penniless.

WINONA, in point of population and importance the leading town of Shannon county, Mo., was wiped out of existence by a cloudburst and eleven persons were drowned.

AT Gray Gables (Buzzard's Bay Mass.) a girl baby was born to President and Mrs. Cleveland.

THE big warehouse of the Union Dock company at Duluth, Minn was burned, the loss being $150,000.

THE census of Iowa, estimated upon returns received, will show a population of 2,039,288, a gain of 127,392, or 6 2-3 per cent. since 1890.

SIX lives were lost by the sinking of the packet Lady Lee at the head of island No. 40, 18 miles above Memphis, Tenn.

IN a fit of jealousy Robert Brown shot his white wife at Calamus, Ia., and then killed himself.

A CYCLONE crossed Putnam and Morgan counties, Ga., killing four persons and badly damaging property.

JUDGE CLARK, of Waco, decided that Texas, having accepted a fee from Corbett and Fitzsimmons, could not stop the fight.

JERRY COLEMAN, a widower with ten children, and Mrs. Dennis Fitzgerald, a widow with ten children, were married at Green Bay, Wis.

THE supreme court of Kansas rendered a decision upholding the removal of Mary E. Lease from the state board of charitable institutions.

A TORNADO did considerable damage in business portions of Chicago and on the lake shipping was wrecked and five men were drowned.

AT Lake Geneva, Wis., a steamer was wrecked during a gale on the lake and Dr. John E. Hogan and his wife and son and father and sister and Engineer John Preston were drowned.

FIRE at Scotia, Col., destroyed property worth $250,000 belonging to the Pacific Lumber company.

EVERY building in Canton, Kan., was wrecked by a cyclone and twenty-five persons were injured, seven fatally.

GEORGE LONG, Gem Eldridge and Miss Emma Euton were struck by lightning and killed at Apalachicola, Fla.

A STORM in North Dakota damaged 40,000 acres of grain, threw buildings from their foundations and deluged the country.

PERCENTAGES of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 8th were: Baltimore, .618; Boston, .609; Chicago, .588; Pittsburgh, .587; Cleveland, .569; Brooklyn, .559; Cincinnati, .557; Philadelphia, .552; Washington, .480; New York, .475; St. Louis, .328; Louisville, .169.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 8th was: Wheat, 43,350,000 bushels; corn, 7,811,000 bushels; oats, 6,286,000 bushels; rye, 143,000 bushels; barley, 170,000 bushels.

GEORGE P. JOHNSON, clerk of the court of Watonwan county, Minn., committed suicide at St. James while insane.

THE bodies of eight Chinamen were found in the San Joaquin river near Madera, Cal. Foul play was suspected.

ABOUT fifty representatives of the Knights of Pythias of various cities were in Detroit to perfect the organization of the "Improved Order of the Knights of Pythias."

THE business portion of Manchester, N. Y., was wiped out by fire. Loss, $100,000.

MISS CELINE GRAY, of Guthrie, O. T., has the honor of being the first woman appointed as a United States commissioner.

J. W. CHAMBERLIN, a bartender at Norwich, N. Y., shot and mortally wounded his wife and then killed himself.

WILLIAM BEST, a notorious resident of Kentucky, was shot and killed at Paintlick, Ky., by Speed Nunn. The killing of Best wipes out the last of a family of outlaws.

THE storms of three days' duration covered an area of 200 square miles in Kansas and Missouri and cost thirty-seven lives as far as reported with many others missing, and a property loss that would exceed $1,000,000.

JOHN NIBLE'S son and daughter, aged respectively 10 and 12, were drowned at Neche, N. D.

TWO DISTINCT earthquake shocks were felt at Springfield, Mo.

THE Redding and Alturas stage was robbed near Redding, Cal.

THE Pacific national and the Citizens' national bank, two of the strongest banks in Tacoma, Wash., will be consolidated.

PHILIP FITZGERALD left Indianapolis for Georgia to close the purchase of land for the old soldiers' colony. The colony has taken options on 125,000 acres of land in Irwin and Wilcox counties.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

HARLOW S. ORTON, aged 78, chief justice of Wisconsin, died suddenly at his home in Madison of heart failure.

A SECRET organization for political purposes was incorporated in West Virginia, with Senator Stewart, of Nevada, as president, to be known as the Supreme Temple, Silver Knights of America.

IN convention at Lincoln the Nebraska prohibitionists nominated A. G. Wolfenbarger [illegible] supreme court judge. The platform favors woman suffrage, an income tax and the election of president, vice president and United States senators by a direct vote of the people.

EDWARD PARMLEE JONES, "king of green goods men," died suddenly in Boston of heart disease.

SPEAKER JOHN METER, of the Illinois house of representatives and one of the most prominent republican politicians of Cook county, died at Freeport, aged 44 years.

MRS. CATHERINE O'LEARY, owner of the cow which in October, 1871, kicked over a lamp and started a blaze which cost Chicago $190,000,000, died of pneumonia.

JOSEPH B. STEARNS, inventor of the duplex system of telegraphy, died at Camden, Me., aged 65 years.

KENTUCKY populists in convention at Louisville nominated Thomas I. Pettit, of Owensboro, for governor.

ALEXANDER HESLER, the pioneer photographer of Chicago, and for many years the most famous daguerreotypist in the United States, died at his home in Evanston, aged 72 years.

FOREIGN.

CANADA'S criminal code is to be so amended as to include poolrooms that accept bets on races in the United States.

RT. HON. W. E. GLADSTONE, who has represented Midlothian since 1880 in the British house of commons, in a letter announces his retirement from public life.

HIGH Guatemalan officers were charged with stealing $3,000,000 from the government.

MOUNTS Etna and Vesuvius broke forth in alarming fashion, and the villagers in the little hamlets about the mountain bases left their homes in terror.

TWENTY buildings were burned at Lorneville, Ont., rendering fifty families homeless.

A ROYAL proclamation dissolving the British parliament fixes the date of the assembling of the next parliament at August 12.

IN a battle between insurgents and government troops near Manzanillo, Cuba, 280 of the former and fifty of the latter were killed.

A CLOUDBURST destroyed half of the village of Olanesel, in Roumania, and many persons perished.

THE French chamber of deputies adopted a motion that the government negotiate with the United States for the conclusion of a permanent treaty of arbitration.

LATER.

FOR the [illegible] months ended June 30, 1895, the fire waste of the United States and Canada amounted to $66,497,600, being $4,884,400 in excess of the figures for the corresponding period of 1894.

FOREST fires were doing great damage in the vicinity of Muskegon and Alpena in Michigan.

ESTHER HORNBACK (colored) died at Centerville, Tenn., at the age of 119 years. The records of her age were said to be unimpeachable.

THE Smoky river broke over its banks and the east side of Salina, Kan., was under water.

IN Chicago Judge Woods modified the sentence of Eugene V. Debs from one year in jail to six months and those of the other directors of the American Railway union from six months to three.

THE first heat in the race at London for the grand challenge cup was won by the Cornell crew of Ithaca, N. Y.

PERRY TUFTS, his wife and three children lost their lives by the capsizing of a sailboat on Lake Keuka at Penn Yan, N. Y.

A CAISSON of a big bridge building at Nagelhamed, Egypt, collapsed and forty workmen perished.

THE livery stable of Case & Co. in Detroit, Mich., was burned, the loss being $100,000. Fifty horses perished in the flames and five men were missing.

FIRE destroyed $200,000 worth of property in the Parry Storage warehouse in Chicago.

DANIEL WERLING, who shot and killed his wife on April 7 because she had him sent to the workhouse for drunkenness and abuse, was hanged at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Z. T. LEWIS, a banker at Urbana, O., was said to have realized $300,000 on spurious bonds. He was missing.

MANUEL PERARA, a cattleman, and his son and three cowboys were killed by Indians in the Yaqui river valley in Mexico.

THE Lincoln monument at Springfield, Ill., was transferred to the custody of the state.

IN portions of Iowa, South Dakota and Wisconsin frost was reported and ice formed in some places.

TWO UNUSUALLY heavy shocks of earthquake were felt at Shawneetown, Ill.

TWO SECTIONS of a train bearing pilgrims to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre in Quebec collided at Craig's Road, and thirteen persons, including three priests, were killed and twenty-nine injured.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning July 14. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Miraculous Draft of Fishes.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Luke v, 1-11.

It is a noticeable fact that in many of the accounts of the marvelous works of Jesus which we call miracles that term is not used by the Bible. In the present instance the astonishment of the fishermen is noted, but that is all. No word is spoken by the Master or the others regarding any superhuman work in the affair. Yet all recognized the presence of one more than a mere man, and this work was regarded as a sign of his power.

Much controversy has arisen in past times about miracles. Considerable would have been gained by a careful examination of the Scriptures free from prejudice. With a good [illegible] and the Bible one quickly discovers that John uses the word miracle oftener than all the other New Testament writers put together. The Greek word he used, and which is usually translated mira[illegible] in the gospels, [illegible] Literally it means a sign and is so translated in several places in this gospel and is usually in the other parts of the New Testament so rendered. Once only in Luke is it called miracle.

Another word often used in the gospels and epistles in referring to these unusual works performed by Jesus and the apostles and sometimes translated by our English word miracles is dunamis. This actually means power. In Matthew the English expression given as its equivalent is usually "mighty works," or "power." Once in Mark this word is used and translated "miracle."

There is good reason for this careful selection of terms by the evangelists. Matthew intends to call special attention to the kingly character of Jesus and so lays great stress on power and mighty works. Mark and Luke also purpose each in his own way to emphasize the "virtue" or power exercised by the Messiah.

John deals with the superhuman more than all the others. His theme is the pre-existing Son of the Eternal God as incarnate in the Son of Man. The deeds of the Christ are not, then, so much to be considered in their elements of power as prodigies and wonders, as in their character as signs of the Messiahship, as proofs of the Deity of the worker. Perhaps it would be well to keep in mind this essential distinction in purpose so clearly evident in the different evangelists and so avoid the confusion arising from lack of uniformity in the translation of the Scripture terms.

An Active Leaguer.

A young man thoroughly interested in all that affects the church of God, Bro. Knight has been identified with the Epworth League from the first. His presi-

REV. FRED H. KNIGHT.

dency of the First general district was very satisfactory. He resigned in order to have the advantages of study abroad under the provisions of Jacob Sleeper fellowship of Boston university. His return to active League work will be welcomed by all Leaguers who have known him, and their number is great.

Efficient or Deficient.

At the annual session of the New England southern conference at Providence in April, the presiding bishop, J. M. Walden, requested that each preacher, as his name was called for the passage of his character, should not only report the amount collected by his charge during the year for missions and various other causes, but should also state if there was an Epworth League in the charge, and if it was helpful or otherwise.

The largest chapter was reported from Brockton, Mass., with a membership of 304. New London, Conn., was second, with 224 members. Most of the preachers reported Leagues organized. In the majority of cases they are helpful. In most of the churches they can easily be made more valuable. In a few cases only were they found detrimental to the interests of the church, and then only because of local difficulties, due to individuals and not to the nature of the organization.

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Be Thou my guide 'mid passion's way,
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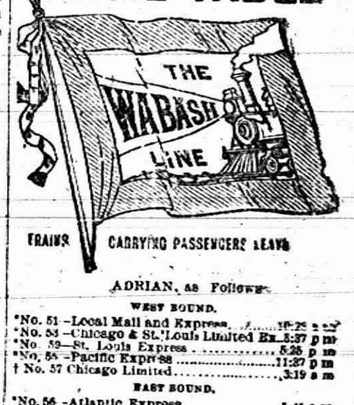

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AN APPALLING HAVOC.

An Open Letter to Rev. J. Buckley, Editor of the Christian Advocate.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:—In looking over the columns of the Christian Advocate I find on the editorial page the following

APPALLING HAVOC.

The ravages of alcohol in Belgium are probably worse than in any other country in the world. A royal commission has been appointed to inquire into the causes thereof. This commission was rendered necessary by the following series of awful facts:

First, the licensing system has proved utterly inefficient.

Second, the suppression of 38,000 public houses has resulted only in the creation of an equal number of clandestine establishments.

Third, the sale of alcohol has increased in alarming proportions.

Fourth, the poisonous nature of the liquor sold, said by chemists to be seven times more deadly in its effects than pure spirits is an additional evil. Similar clandestine establishments exist in the United States, known as "Speakeasies," "Holes in the Wall," etc.

No license system in this country diminishes in any appreciable degree the opportunities or temptations of the people to debauch themselves with liquor and intoxicate themselves. Increased attention should be given to the sowing of total abstinence principles in the minds of children.

The above is clipped from the issue of June 6, 1895. I write not in the spirit of hate, for with such conditions there should be no hate with christians.

When I was an unbeliever in God's word I openly defended the liquor traffic. Everybody that knew me, knew where to find me at the ballot box: I was always on the side of rum. But thank God I got converted and joined the Methodist church, and naturally thought every Methodist ought to be against the liquor traffic with both prayer and ballot, but in my experience I find the vast majority of Methodist bishops, many presiding elders and preachers as well as a majority of laymen are on the side of the prohibition of the liquor traffic with their prayers but are on the side of the license dram shop with their ballots. This seems to me to be entirely wrong. Recognizing the fact that you stand at the head of Christian journalism and as a minister and journalist you are second to none in the advocacy of the right, I find your pen ever ready to espouse the side of the home against the saloon but am informed your ballot is not cast for a political party that declares for the home against the saloon. If this be true, why is it that your love of home is not strong enough to swing your ballot on the side of the home instead of throwing it for a party that is for a saloon. The "appalling havoc" you speak of is certainly great enough to induce every Christian man to vote against saloon parties.

If what you say in the above editorial is true and I do not believe you would say it were it not true, that is, "No license system in this country diminishes in any degree the opportunities, or temptations of the people to debauch themselves with liquor and intoxicate themselves." Now I concede this is true. Who is for the license system? The democrat and republican parties. You published in the same issue of the Christian Advocate from which I clipped the above quotation a very able article from the pen of Louis Albert Banks, D. D., in which he gives the following quotations which I give as sustaining your article on Appalling Havoc. Banks says, 'A barkeeper in Richmond, Va., hearing some talk of a reform movement in municipal politics, laughed it to scorn with these words, 'Any bar room in Richmond is a bigger man in politics than all the churches in Richmond put together.' If this be true is it not a sad commentary on the power of Christian ministers. Why should you, the ablest of them all, stand for a political party that stands for the saloon? The N. Y. Herald is quoted by Dr. Bank as saying, 'We must no longer be ruled by the graduates of the tombs and nurslings of the grog-shop.' This is as strong language as you generally used in the Advocate but the Herald man like yourself votes to continue the party in power that helps to fill the tombs schools with pupils to graduate to rule New York, and furnishes the nurslings to run your municipality. Another quotation made by Dr. Banks is as follows: 'Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler, speaking a few evenings ago in Huron Place M. E. church, Brooklyn, said that there is absolutely nothing to to expect in the way of opposition legislation to the liquor traffic under present conditions, from either of the leading political parties. That distinguished temperance reformer clearly called attention to the fact that we have had a democratic legislature in Albany and obtained no reform legislation against the liquor traffic from it and now that we have a republican legislature, we not only do not expect anything against the saloon from it, but are compelled to work tooth and nail to keep it from repealing the Sunday law and doing for us a great deal worse than their democratic predecessors.'

Do you believe that Dr. Cuyler tells the truth? If you do where ought you and the Dr. to stand politically as conscientious Christian men? The prohibition party stands for temperance, stands for the home, stands for God and stands against the accursed liquor traffic. Do you think you are doing right to stand for a party that will do no more than the democratic party against the 'appalling havoc' of the saloon. Again I quote from your editorial above. Your only remedy seems to be in this language, which closes the above quotation from your paper.

'Increasing attention should be given to the sowing of total abstinence principles in the minds of children.' Now my Rev. sir, that seems to be a very thin remedy when taken in connection with the fact that all the Sunday schools, all the churches, the Epworth League and prayer meetings of the M. E. church has been one hundred years 'sowing the seeds of total abstinance principles in the minds of children,' while such preachers and editors as you and a majority of our bishops have been sowing saloons in the midst of our children.'

Let us stop this nonsense and sow prohibition ballots against this "appaling havoc" and victory will come to the home against the saloon, and God will bless the M. E. church and its newspapers and editors, and our children will not need the sowing you speak of to dodge the sowing you do not do.

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If she— Just here his courage fled,
And quavers trembled in his voice.
Soon once again he went to work
To indicate his hastings vain
And said, "I fear I'm like a cork
That holds some jubilant champagne."
"Ah," laughed the maid with rosy hue,
As passion brought him to a stop,
"I understand you fully. You
Must be drawn out before you'll pop."
—Lippincott's.

ZETTE.

Upon the posters which hung on the outside of the carriage she was styled "Mlle. Antonia, Somnambule Extraordinaire."

Her mother called her Zette—her real name was Suzanne.

She was a pretty girl, not very large, with fair complexion and long black hair that she let float about her during her consultations, though ordinarily she wore it in a loose coil upon the nape of a neck that was perfect.

Never having done much work, her hands were delicate and well shaped. She was enough of a coquette to wish to keep them so. She had a finely modeled form, and to have seen her simply dressed in some quiet color, with the gait of a wise little workwoman, one would never have suspected her strange calling.

Her mother, Mme. Floury was as little like others of her class as her daughter. About her there was nothing in common with the shrews who frequent fairs in red dresses and soiled skirts. She had the air of a little merchant who was good and proper, with a winning, honest smile, and people stopped before the carriage and even entered there (without thinking of the charlatanism on the posters) in order to see the interior of this small dwelling that smelled so sweet.

The vehicle was painted brown, with a thread of gold running the lengths of the plinths. There was a tiny balcony in front of it, and on this balcony convolvulus and nasturtium vines, planted in boxes, twined about wires up to the roof, where they clustered in bright hued bunches.

Along the route persons stared in amazement at this queer coach all covered with garlands of flowers.

The two women were always together, but associated very little with their neighbors. They were not proud, and having the best of hearts were the first to offer to care for a sick child or to give to others in distress. Indeed the foreigners who knew them well loved them sincerely, even though they did feel somewhat oppressed by what they termed "their grand manners."

There was, however, some one who was all devotion to Zette and her mother.

It was a young gymnast of two and twenty in a large traveling circus that had very nearly the same itinerary as Mme. Floury. His name was Jacques, but on the playbills they spelled it Jack. He was exceedingly handsome and of no common type. There was fire in his eyes and much intelligence in his smile. There was, too, much tenderness in this same smile, especially when he spoke to Zette. His love for this pretty brunette—so unlike any other woman he had seen about him in his wandering life—was very sincere.

Near her he felt himself quite another man to what he was in the circus. There was such an atmosphere of honesty surrounding Zette that his own manners, when with her, were altogether different from what they had been, and he was astonished at how well they became him.

Then, too, he had dreamed of being loved by this sweet girl and of never being separated from her. Their positions accorded admirably. His salary was good, and some day perhaps he might enter one of the great circuses of Lyons or Paris. It would be charming to find so sweet a little wife awaiting his coming after his work was done.

He had often spoken to Zette of these plans. He loved her so dearly that it could not be possible she did not love him at least a little.

Zette always listened silently, visibly touched by what she heard, and he thought each time she would say "Yes," but when he had finished by asking, with such pleading in his eyes, "Will you be my wife, Zette?" she replied very gravely, "No."

Then Jacques would be astonished. Why not? Could it be that she did not believe him when he said he loved her; that she had no confidence in him; that she did not love him?

"Yes, I love you," Zette answered sweetly, "but I do not wish to marry you."

And she would never say why.

One day, however, Mme. Floury blamed her for refusing the hand of this brave lad.

"Listen, mother," she said. "I adore Jacques, and I believe I shall always remain single because I do not wish to marry him. Do you remember the day when we went together to the circus? I saw as we entered how all the women who were there turned their lorgnettes toward him, and afterward they smiled and talked about him and tried to attract his attention by applauding him. I ought perhaps to have been proud to think that this man whom they all wanted loved me, and that I had only to say the word to be his wife. Ah, well, in my heart there was nothing but jealousy. I wanted to tear the lorgnettes away from those women. From what I suffered that evening I understood how much more I might suffer if we were married. No, that cannot be. He is too handsome. See? Suppose, some day, when he had grown tired of me, one of those women should take him from me. I would die surely. You know now, mother, why I cannot say yes."

But notwithstanding this obstinate refusal, which he could not explain, Jacques came every day. He no longer mentioned the subject to Zette, understanding that he was contending against a fixed resolve, except once when he said to her:

"You will not have me, Zette, and I do not wish any other woman. Some day, though, you may change your mind, and then you need only hold out your hand and say to me, 'Let us be married, and it will make me happy.'"

So after thus simply settling the affair Jacques was like a brother in the house. It was he who in the springtime planted the seeds in the boxes upon the little balcony. It was he who twined the tendrils about the wires, and it was he who at all seasons furnished the gilded porcelain vases that held the flowers.

These flowers were a great luxury to Zette.

This state of things did not long continue, however. The young girl was now 20 and Jacques 23. One evening he presented his friends with tickets to the circus. It was the last day of a long continued fair, and Zette and her mother had nothing to do. So they decked themselves in their best and went early.

Mme. Floury was much amused with the horses, the rope dancers, the clowns, the trained dogs. Zette thought only of Jacques, whose name on the programme occupied a line to itself, and whose apparatus was hanging up at the top of the high tent. The latter consisted of bars, with copper balls that shone, a maze of trapezes, ropes and pulleys, and the young girl, a little frightened, inquired if it all was secure.

At last the first part of the performance was over, and keeping time to a slow waltz Jacques appeared. He was as beautiful as a god in his silk tights, that displayed to advantage his superbly molded form, and for the rest, his costume consisted of a black satin calecon, spangled with gold.

After having responded by a bow to the applause of the crowd and by a smile to Zette's smile, he darted up a rope to his trapeze.

The preliminaries were gone through with amid prolonged bravos, for the handsome gymnast was a favorite, and it was truly a pleasure to see him act—the supple body so pliant, yet so marvelously exact in its movements.

Then there came silence—even the orchestra was still.

It was to be the hit of the evening and a new feat that was to give an added glory to the circus. He was to leap from one trapeze to another, with his face and head covered, then suddenly drop from this giddy height upon a net stretched below him. The two trapeze were swinging with a regular movement. Jacques, standing on a little board, his head enveloped in a black velvet bag, put forth his hand blindly. The crowd held its breath. The man was going to jump—he had jumped!

A piercing cry rent the air.

Missing the second trapeze, which had been badly regulated, Jacques fell to the net, but it proved too frail to support his weight, and striking upon the seats he rolled to the ground, where he lay motionless.

With a cry of horror, Zette sprang to her feet, rigid and pale, her eyes fixed upon the spot where the men were now carrying away the apparently lifeless body of her friend.

Then suddenly seizing her mother's arm, "Come," she said in a hollow voice.

Breaking through the crowd, the two women reached the stables, but were refused admission. For a long while they remained at the entrance, listening to what was said around them, but no one knew anything. Finally Mme. Floury saw a clown whom she recognized as one of Jacques' friends. He was just coming out of the refreshment room when she called him.

"The net broke the force of the fall," said the man, whose face looked troubled, even under the paint. "The doctor says he will be lame for life, and that this ends for him his profession as a gymnast. Poor fellow! But he has something laid up for a rainy day."

Mme. Floury looked at Zette. She was very pale, and her eyes were fixed upon the man as he spoke as though trying to find if he lied. At last she said, "Let us go."

And thanking the clown by a gesture she left the circus.

The two women did not speak as they traversed the grounds of the fair, and they were still silent as they ascended their own little stairway. But when Mme. Floury had lighted the candle she saw Zette sitting beside the bed, with a strange smile on her lips. She felt frightened for her and went to her.

"Of what are you thinking, little daughter?" she asked, trying to reassure herself.

Then Zette laid her head upon her mother's shoulder, with a childlike gesture.

"I think—that now I can marry Jacques," she told her.—From the French in Romance.

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A Worthy Name, with Thread of Gold.

[Written for the Sauk Rapids Sentinel, by J. QUINCY A. WOOD.]

Inscribed to Hon. B. L. Baxter, of Lenawee county, Michigan, ex-Regent of the University of Michigan, a worthy and honored member of the legal profession of that state; once prominent as an able and eloquent champion of the Temperance cause and Social Reform; an accomplished scholar and poet, and for several years editor and proprietor of the TECUMSEH HERALD; but now, in declining years, retired from all activities, solitary in his beautiful home at Tecumseh.

There lives within my memory old
A worthy Name, revered by me;
His inner Life has never been told,
And I would tell it worthily.

A worthy Name in strife and peace,
Of lore and song and precept bold;
And ever his life and muse auresse,
I'll run through his a Thread of Gold.

He was my junior in the birth,
[illegible]
A man of finest moulded form,
With soul of eager soaring wings.

In song, he was my elder brother;
In precept, my discourser true;
The Muse—she was our common mother,
[illegible]

We sipped at Poesy's Chrystal fount,
Together toiled, together slept;
We saw Fame on his shining mount,
And turned our eyes away and wept.

No cloud obscured his youthful day,
No vapor chilled his tempered fire;
No song of bird or summer spray
Was sweeter than his tender lyre.

He loved all pure and lovely things,
And voiced them in his faultless strain,
He gave to Thought poetic wings,
Nor deemed such pastimes wholly vain.

His Muse was like the woodland spring;
Whose limpid currents flow unknown,
And to the silent shadow sing,
And to its fronded fountain lone.

He was heroic in his faith,
He spared no strength, nor pains, nor time;
The powers of Evil felt his scath—
For God and Truth he stood sublime.

In conflict, swift and eloquent
His tongue and pen bore equal sway;
And with a stubborn logic rent
The false conceptions of his day.

His Charity was large and free,
He tried professions by their deeds;
From no encounter did he flee
Where Truth and Human Rights had needs.

In peace, a gentle, loving soul;
In strife, a brave but generous foe;
He warred against th' Inebriate's Bowl,
And dealt it many a sturdy blow.

A worthy Name, revered by me,
Deep written on my memory old;
Than his, no finer Life could be
More worthy of a Thread of Gold.

Sauk Rapids, Minn., March 23, 1895.

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Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked Shoulders		10
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	
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CORN—No. 2	46½	@	48
September	47¼	@	47¾
OATS—No. 2	27	@	27¾
Mixed Western	28	@	29
RYE	50	@	57
PORK—Mess, New	13 50	@	14 25
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SHEEP	1 50	@	4 20
BUTTER—Creamery	10	@	16¾
Dairy	8	@	14
Packing Stock	6	@	8½
EGGS—Fresh	10	@	11¾
BROOM CORN (per ton)	100 00	@	120 00
POTATOES, New (per bbl)	1 50	@	2 75
PORK—Mess	11 25	@	11 50
LARD—Steam	6 37½	@	6 40
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 30	@	3 85
Spring Straights	2 50	@	3 35
Winter Patents	3 10	@	3 60
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 25
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	66	@	69¾
Corn, No. 2	42	@	43¼
Oats, No. 2	23½	@	23¾
Rye, No. 2	50	@	51
Barley, Common to Choice	40	@	48
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GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	70½	@	70¾
Corn, No. 3	47	@	47¾
Oats, No. 2 White	29	@	29¾
Rye, No. 1	55	@	55¾
Barley	48	@	48¾
PORK—Mess	12 20	@	12 25
LARD	6 50	@	6 55
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CATTLE—Native Steers	$2 40	@	4 85
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SHEEP	2 00	@	3 00
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CATTLE—Steers	$3 50	@	5 15
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of [illegible]

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And that six months from October 28th, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

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RIDGEWAY ROLL-CALL.

A Bit of Local History and Prophecy About Our Enterprising Neighbor On the Ridge.

Whether the [illegible] dry and dusty, or cold, wet and stormy, our Ridgeway friends are always smiling, always take the world as it comes with a serene temper, and always hang the latch string out for the visiting guest. The society resembles that of a large village or city; they take much interest in temperance and church affairs, and the influence of their public Library has a marked effect upon the entire community. The M. E. church has a strong organization here; in fact it is considered one of the best charges in Adrian district. Rev. H. Cansfield the present pastor, is doing a fine work and he has able helpers in the Epworth League and other auxiliary societies. Jay A. Santus, P. M. took the helm July 1st., 1893, and fills that important position to the satisfaction of all. They have an excellent school here for the size of the place. Prof. J. C. Howell, the efficient principal last year, has already been engaged for the coming year, and he will have an assistant in the primary department. But the enterprise of a public character, which reflects the most credit upon Ridgeway, and which has given our neighbor on the Ridge a state reputation, is the Jonathan Hall Memorial Library, the gift of the late Rufus T. Bush of Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Bush, having a desire to bestow some gift of value upon the town where his wife had lived in her childhood days, conceived the project of this public library, which was carried to a successful completion in one year after its conception. The first informal meeting was held Dec. 28, 1886, and the building was dedicated Nov. 16, 1887, Mr. Bush himself taking part in the day's festivities. It was a gala day for Ridgeway and one that will always be cherished in fond remembrance by the oldest inhabitant. The structure is a beautiful brick building, containing a large circulating library and reading-room. It is a fitting monument to the memory of Jonathan Hall, one of the grandest men in the band of Lenawee pioneers, who made the Wolverine wilderness to blossom as the rose; and it has enshrined the name of the donor, Rufus T. Bush, in the local annals of Ridgeway for generations to come. The officers for this year are: President, Thos. H. Temple; Vice Pres., Chas. Culbertson; Secy., Emma Miller; Treasurer, W. L. Jones.

We append a sketch of the leading business firms:

J. O. Shepard.

Mr. Shepard occupies the old site on the northeast corner, where Geo. W. Clark opened a dry goods store away back in 1859, and the corner has been occupied for mercantile purposes ever since. The present occupant has had fourteen years experience in trade, and bought out H. J. Williams in December 1891, and has since conducted a hardware and grocery store. He keeps a good stock of shelf goods, heavy hardware and stoves, making an assortment that would do credit to a much larger town. Mr. Shepard is a careful, painstaking man, a good neighbor and genial citizen, hence he is personally popular, which helps his trade very materially. He now has the agency for the Wisconsin bicycle, so he is up-to-date in this direction. His expenses are small, as he gives his undivided attention to his business. The general impression is that he has come to stay.

Simon Gould.

Mr. Gould is a new comer in the business circles of Ridgeway, but he succeeds to an old established business. He occupies the same store first started by G. P. Waring, some eight or ten years ago. In July 1894, Chas. Gould bought an interest in it with A. J. Sutton. Jan. 1st he bought out Sutton, and on the first of May last Simon Gould came into possession, who now runs the establishment with the assistance of his son, Fay. He carries a well selected stock of dry goods, groceries and crockery, and one which meets the wants of the community. Mr. Gould buys for cash and keeps no clerk, hence his expenses are light and his customers get the benefit in reduced prices. He has been a successful farmer in Macon for many years, but he takes to trade like a duck to water, and his push and integrity will surely carry him to the front.

Ed. Harrison.

Mr. Harrison fills a niche which every well regulated town wants well filled. He started a meat market in Ridgeway seven years ago and has kept diligently at it ever since without the intermission of a single week. Fresh and salt meats are both kept on hand so that he can supply the wants of the community in the meat line. Ed. knows how to satisfy his customers, is a good judge of meats, and a genial man personally; consequently he can be regarded as a fixture in Ridgeway.

D. W. Loree, M. D.

But the old wheel horse of Ridgeway, the man who is accepted by all as the leading citizen of the place at present, is Dr. D. W. Loree. He graduated from the medical department of the State University at Ann Arbor in the spring of 1860, and began the practice of his profession at Petersburg, in Monroe county. In 1863 he became a citizen of Ridgeway, where he has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession ever since. His thorough school training and his natural aptitude for a physician's work soon brought him an extensive practice, which has kept up without a break until the present day. Before the advent of the Wabash and Mackinaw roads he enjoyed a very large buggy ride, probably larger than that of any other doctor in Lenawee county. In addition to his medical practice he has been quite an extensive farmer. Several years ago he invested in 240 acres of land on the "big prairie" and in a few years made a fine farm of it. One 20-acre lot on this farm yielded oats, wheat and hay, during five consecutive years, that sold for $2340. He still owns a tract of 170 acres which is let out for $4 an acre, money rent. The doctor is a most genial neighbor and an enterprising citizen as well. He believes in promoting all public schemes, having been one of the chief patrons and promotors of the Library, and spends his money liberally to improve the village of his residence. Last summer he rebuilt his dwelling, making almost an entire new structure of it, which is one of the finest homes in this section of the county. It is provided with a summer kitchen in the basement and all the modern conveniences for washing and kitchen purposes; also a fine office apartment. The general rooms on the first floor are large and connected by folding doors, and there are five beautiful chambers up stairs. The house is finished in modern style, both inside and out, and is an ornament to the village. The doctor says he might have been wealthy today, if he could have taken men by the throat and commanded payment, but his office ledger contains thousands of dollars in accounts that have long since been outlawed. He is well fixed, however, now and can enjoy the down hill side of life with every comfort and convenience possible. May he live many years to enjoy it.

Orr & Temple.

This firm has become synonymous with push and enterprise. The Tecumseh house, which has been doing a thriving business for the past two years, are already sighing, like Alexander, for other worlds to conquer and are just opening a branch store in Ridgeway. The old corner, so long the domicile of Peter Sharp and later occupied by Mr. F. J. Temple himself as a drug store, has been thoroughly renovated and painted and is opened to the public this week. The stock will consist of general drugs, patent medicines, toilet articles, confectionery and cigars, and will comprise a fine assortment in all these lines. Charles Culbertson will have charge of the Ridgeway store, who will be assisted by Dr. Loree. This arrangement is an excellent one and the store will fill a "long felt want" in the business circles of Ridgeway and be a great convenience to the public.

F. E. Pocklington.

Mr. Pocklington does not run a store, but he is one of Ridgeway's hustlers, just the same. He began working at the mason's trade at seventeen years of age and has been in the business for 26 successive years. There is no better mason in Lenawee county, as he is an expert in all branches of the trade. He built three of the brick stores in Britton, the Masonic Temple in Tecumseh and many of the finest residences in northern Lenawee. He is now at work on the two new Reformed churches, one at Britton and the other at Macon village.

S. P. Smith.

Mr. Smith makes no lofty pretensions, but he fills an important niche in Ridgeway, and fills it most worthily. In April, 1890, he bought out G. P. Waring and for two years conducted the business in partnership with David Coryell. For the past three years he has been sole proprietor, and manager. He keeps a good stock of furniture, but his specialty is undertaking, in which line he has been very successful. He keeps a large stock of caskets and trimmings and, as a funeral director, is excelled by no one in this section.

Samuel Helm.

"How long have you stitched harness?" was the first query put to Mr. Helm. His reply was: "I began at 17 years of age and I am now 68 years old." Just think of it! Fifty-one years at the bench. He ran a store in Tecumseh 21 years and has been located in Ridgeway for the past 13 years. He claims to be the best harnessmaker in the state, and it is doubtless true, for he has the reputation far and wide of being an expert workman. May he live long and continue to prosper.

A. M. Christensen.

The Ridgeway Creamery is an industry, in which the village can well take a pride. The concern is owned by a stock company, of which John Boyd is President and Thos. H. Temple Secretary, but the plant is rented to Mr. Christensen, who has the entire management of the business. He took possession April 1st, last and it has proved a very successful venture thus far. The factory is equipped with the most approved and modern machinery for butter making, and is turning out an excellent brand of butter. About 2000 pounds of milk are absorbed daily and the daily output of butter averages 85 pounds. Every pound of the product is sold in Detroit at the highest market price. Mr. Christensen is an expert workman, having learned his trade in Denmark, which is noted for its fine dairy establishments, and having worked seven years in the business, three in this country.

A BIG SCORCH AT HOLLOWAY.

The Store of Rothfuss and Brown Totally Consumed with All Its Contents.

About three o'clock last Tuesday afternoon fire was discovered in the large building occupied by Rothfuss & Brown as a store, and by Mr. Brown's family as a dwelling. Mrs. Brown also had millinery rooms in the same building. The structure was a large frame building sixty feet square, with an addition on the south for storage purposes. The origin of the fire is a mystery. Mrs. Brown started to go into the millinery room from the rear part of the house and discovered the ceiling in the sitting room to be on fire. She immediately ran into the bed room for her pocketbook, which was in the bureau drawer, but was driven out by the smoke, as the interior of the bed room was all ablaze. Within five minutes the entire building was enveloped in a mass of flames. It was useless to fight the fire and the few persons present gave their attention to saving the contents. But little was accomplished however, for the fire spread so rapidly only a few goods were saved, while Mr. Brown's family lost all their household goods, even to their clothing. The building was owned by H. H. Osgood and rented by the firm for a store and dwelling.

The drug store of Floyd Florence across the street narrowly escaped cremation as the wind at first was in that direction. The shifting of the wind, and the diligent work by the bucket brigade, saved that and the other stores east. It was a close call however, and at one time the entire village seemed doomed to destruction. When the fire first broke out, there were but few people about the stores. Dr. Nixon, Mr. Florence and Mr. Brown were down at the river bathing. The alarm soon brought a crowd from the village and country around and valiant hands were soon at work to save the surrounding property. It was the worst calamity that Holloway has ever sustained and will be a severe blow to the village. Whether the building will be rebuilt is not yet decided.

The stock, valued at between $5,000 and $6,000, was insured for $4,000. Mrs. Brown had $250 insurance on her millinery stock, and $500 was carried on the household furniture. The building was valued at $1,200 and insured for $500. All of the insurance was carried in Gilkey's agency.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send circulars and testimonials. Address,

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BEAUTIFUL SAND LAKE.

A Few Items of Interest to the Patrons of Old Lenawee's Favorite Summer Resort

Among the numerous little lakes in the western portion of Lenawee county, there is none more delightful than Sand Lake. It lies on the boundary line between the townships of Franklin and Cambridge, extending into both towns. The lake is 14 miles from Adrian, 10 from Tecumseh and 9 from Clinton, with good wagon roads leading in all directions. It is two miles from Pentecost on the Mackinaw railroad. The water is clear as crystal, with gently sloping shores, the surrounding banks being mostly wooded hills, with here and there a golden field of grain or brown meadow exposed to view. It is about one and three-fourths miles long and one mile wide, with no marshes about the borders, and the water is deep enough to furnish excellent boating. Over forty cottages have been constructed about the lake and there are two commodious hotels there, one each on the north and south shores. The lake is a favorite resort for picnic parties, club and family reunions, and celebrations of various kinds. The cottages are owned by residents of Tecumseh, Clinton and Adrian, mostly, but Chicago, Toledo, Detroit and other cities are represented in the list. It is a beautiful pleasure resort for both old and young, furnishing rest for the weary toiler, comfort for the aged and pleasure for the children. It has both telegraph and telephone connection and a daily mail. It is secluded enough to escape unruly crowds from the cities, and yet convenient of access by wagon road and rail. These are advantages which but few of our inland lakes possess.

J. J. Putnam & Son.

At the south-east corner of the lake, on the road from Adrian and Tecumseh, is located the Putnam House, which has been established for 14 years and which has been constantly enlarged and improved to accommodate its always increasing trade. The Putnams know that good accommodations draw good trade. This spring a new steam force pump was put in, forcing the water to a 1000-barrel tank 60 feet above the lake, thus amply supplying the house, grounds, barn, etc., with water. The grounds have also been fitted up with a splendid ball ground, and will soon have a complete driving track for bicycles and horses. As to the hotel, it will accommodate 75 to 100 boarders, and it is often taxed to its utmost. The dining hall is one of the largest and pleasantest in the country, easily seating 125 guests, and on festive days it is filled and refilled at every meal. Putnam's Grove is the popular spot for picnics and Putnam can take care of all that come. Many farmers' clubs and societies hold their reunions here. The Knight Templar commandry of Adrian have held their best and most successful encampments at Putnam's. Although a great pleasure resort the hotel's special trade consists of summer boarders, from Toledo, Cincinnati, Chicago, Adrian and other cities, who find this location, in close proximity to the fine cottages of the south side, most congenial for a summer outing, and most complete with every adjunct for its full enjoyment. And still the Putnam House is to be improved, and another year will find new and more extensive accommodations for her ever increasing guests.

Kennedy Bros., North Side.

The old Adam's House which was so popular in days gone by was purchased in July of '94 by Kennedy Bros. of Chicago. The boys are young, active and practical hotel men. They bought the land and entire property, which shows that they mean business and have come to stay, and under their management the hotel is regaining all its old time patronage, beside a large new trade of regular summer boarders from the large cities, who seek the rest and recreation afforded here during the heated term. Stopping there recently, the writer met families from Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Richmond, Ind., and other points. To accommodate this large trade Kennedy Bros. have greatly enlarged their accommodations by taking out the large dance hall and fitting up 20 new rooms. They also have an adequate system of waterworks and the largest ice house on the lakes. Since the advent of Kennedy Bros. on this side two large double and one single cottages have been put up here by Richmond parties. A. B. VanDeMark, of Clinton, also chose this spot for a beautiful lake house. The boys are hustlers in more ways than one. They have moved their barn to the front, painted it anew and rent the advertising space for $200 a year. You can there read the cards of the following business men: Anderson & Co., Anderson Bros., Satterthwaite Bros., A. Spayde, Tecumseh; A. B. VanDeMark & Co., B. O. Randall & Co., F. D. Lancaster, E. W. Freese & Son, Clinton; Taylor Bros., F. R. Stebbins & Sons, J. G. Gussenbauer, Geo. M. Tripp, G. C. Ner, W. F. Muck, J. S. Kane, G. W. Fuller, Onsted; Robinson & Koebbe, Manchester.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JULY 19, 1895.

Bicycle Day at Tecumseh, July 25th.

Big celebration in Tecumseh next Thursday.

E. R. Smith was an Adrian visitor last Monday.

E. F. Muir has gone to Eaton Rapids for a few days' stay.

Walter C. Burridge was in town Tuesday on legal business.

Mrs. S. Parker returned from South Bend the last of the week.

Everything and everybody goes to Tecumseh next Thursday.

Chas. Kleinrock in town Tuesday and will remain a few days.

Will Rhodes and wife, of Pittsfield, Sundayed at H. D. Niblack's.

W. J. Roundy, of Lansing, was in town Tuesday, trying to buy wool.

Mrs. Dr. Brown, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting friends in this village at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parker, of Hillsdale, are visiting at Mrs. S. Parker's, this week.

Miss Margaret Clarkson, of Macon, is the guest of Miss Louise VanDeMark this week.

Go to Tecumseh next Thursday and hear our boys beat the drum and blow the cornet.

Mrs. L. H. Ames, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ham Niblack, this week.

F. D. Lancaster's drive well proved to be a failure and John Rogers is now digging an open one.

Mrs. C. C. Fisk and little son came Monday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nase.

Will Clark was on the sick list the first of the week and Burt Tate was taking his place in Demuth's store.

Mrs. Will Niblack and daughter Florence went to Macon last Saturday for a few day's visit with friends there.

James Riley has secured a position in a Rubber hose factory at Toledo, and will leave home for that city next week.

Miss Margaret Biggins, of New York City, and Catharine Biggins of Toledo, are visiting at their father's home this week.

Miss Louise VanDeMark went to Detroit yesterday to spend two or three weeks with friends in the City of the Straits.

"Dry, hot and dusty" is no name for the present weather. The protracted drought is injuring all kinds of crops very badly.

Mr. Marsteller is having lots of work this summer. He has just erected a fine monument for A. D. Hunt in the Franklin cemetery.

David S. Goodrich, who has been sick so long with spinal affliction, died yesterday morning. Further mention will be given next week.

Schmitt & Wallinger have settled their suit with the corporation by paying all costs and a license on their billiard tables of $5 each.

Mrs. C. A. Grinnell, of Detroit, and Mrs. Lucy Grinnell and two children of Vermontville, are visiting Mrs. Thos. Vanderson for a few days.

VanTuyle and Woodard find their new store "just the thing" for their business, and the wonder is that they hadn't have thought of it years before.

One hundred and ten tickets for Adrian were sold at this station last Saturday and many Clinton people drove over that day. Barnum's show always draws a crowd.

Eddie Sherwood met with a sad accident Monday. He fell from the fence in front of the Catholic church, breaking his right arm. He will have to forego play for some time.

Carlton Burton left home Monday for New York to resume his work as musical director in Wing's Opera Co. Carl is becoming an expert musician and is bound to make his mark in the profession.

Miss Grace Martin went to Jackson Wednesday to meet her sister Nellie, who has been visiting Miss Mav Pierce at Clyde, Michigan. They go from there to Homer, where they will make an extended visit.

The Lancaster house is booming right along now. Henry is always making some improvements, the conversion of the old bar room into a nice cozy barber shop, being the latest and best. Competition never phases him a particle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Burroughs and Frank Lancaster and wife are spending the week at their Wampler's Lake cottage. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Burroughs is improving quite decidedly and the prospects are good for her full recovery to health.

Mr. A. G. Burton left home Tuesday morning for Angola, Ind., to attend the funeral of his grand-son, the only child of Geo. Burton. He was fifteen years old, and was drowned at that place while in swimming. His sad and untimely death was a great blow to the family.

Our city spinkler met with a sad mishap Saturday. We refer to the big tank on wheels, not to the owner, Albert Carruth, nor to the driver, John Koernig. When near the residence of Harry Davis, the concern lost its balance, from imbibing too freely of cold water probably, and capsized into the gutter. It is now in dry dock for repairs. In the meantime the merchants are dieting on dust until the sprinkling cart is ready to launch again.

The new block is rapidly approaching completion and will be a great ornament to the town. The plasterers are now at work and the fronts are being put in. The corner store will be a beauty. It is owned by Smith & Huntington and will be occupied by Frank Lancaster, with a Maccabee hall in the second story. The peculiar shape of the corner gives a fine ante-room at one side for the Maccabees and leaves windows for light and ventilation at both ends of the lodge room. The middle store is owned by M. F. McClure and will be used by himself for a bakery. A modern oven will be constructed in the rear. Fred Sherwood is the contractor and builder for both of these stores. The west store is owned by Will VanTuyle and D. M. Bainbridge, but it is not certain as yet what tenant will occupy it. Ed. Semark is doing the work on this store. All three stores are furnished in uniform style and form one block, which Clinton may well be proud of. Will Spaulding, of Tecumseh, is putting a tar roof on the entire block and also metal ceiling on the three stores below. He is using a new and very neat pattern of ceiling which will be a decided ornament to the store rooms. He is also furnishing and putting on the metal cornices.

MACON MUSIC.

Bicycle Day at Tecumseh, July 25th.

Milton Augustus was over from Ypsilanti Sunday.

Miss Maude Howell is spending a few days with friends in Ft. Wayne and vicinity.

Mrs. Denike and daughter ida returned Monday from a few day's visit at Ypsilanti.

Mr. W. B. Hatch is at home for a short vacation before commencing the practice of his profession.

The services of the Reformed church will be held in the Baptist church until the new one is completed.

We failed to see any notice of the Macon and Ridgeway ball game in the Ridgeway items of last week. How is that, Mr. Correspondent?

M. V. Sickly, our school director, deserves the gratitude of his fellow [illegible] for the improvements he has made in and around the school house.

Miss Edith Cotton is the first Macon girl to ride a wheel; we trust there will soon be others and that ere long bloomers will be as common as pneumatic sleeves.

Chas. Avery and Clate Ellis have added stackers to their threshing rigs. Everybody will want to work on the straw stack this year, but any invention is welcome if it will make threshing more agreeable.

Editor Stacy recently wrote up a description of our lively burg which all Macon people should read; the article spoke in glowing terms of merchants and business men, and will be found in last week's paper under the heading "Musical Macon." We fail to see what connection the heading has with the remainder of the article, but submit to the editor's judgment in the matter. There are many points of interest in our village which the editor didn't notice, we presume from lack of time, and many attractive features he did not describe, owing no doubt to his being a confirmed old bachelor; but these are only minor defects and the article, as a whole, is excellent.

The Corner Stone of the new Reformed church of Macon village will be laid with appropriate ceremony on Tuesday July 23d., 1895, at 2 p. m. After the service, ice cream and cake will be served by the ladies of the church at 10cts. per dish, the proceeds to go to the church fund. The following order of exercises will be observed:

Anthem by Choir.
Invocation and Salutation by Pastor.
Singing by Congregation.
Reading Scripture and prayer by Rev. Ramsdell of Clinton.
Singing by Choir, "Christ the foundation Stone."
Repeating, in unison, "The Apostles Creed" and the Laying of the Corner Stone.
Anthem by the Choir.
Address by Rev. C. M. Brown of Tecumseh.
Remarks.
Prayer by Rev. S. Redorus of Britton.
Singing "All hail the power of Jesus' Name."
Benediction.

The young people of South Macon will give an entertainment at the Grange Hall, Wednesday evening, July 24, '95. The following program will be presented:

Music—Britton Orchestra.
Recitation—Martha Lauton.
Music—Macon Quartette.
Violin Solo—Emma Bailey.
Recitation—Hattie Osborne.
Vocal Solo—Fern VanDuser.
Recitation—Julia Gilmore.
Inst. Trio—Jennie and Delia Miller, Mrs. Florence Harrington.
Vocal Solo—Gertrude Kniffen.
Recitation—Robert Bailey.
Music—Ridgeway Quartette.
Recitation—Lulu Weeks.
Vocal Solo—Fern VanDuser.
Recitation—Mrs. Wm. Martin.
Music—Britton Orchestra.
Recitation—Emma Cotton.
Vocal Solo—Leana Morgan.
Recitation—Marvin Patterson.
Violin Solo—Emma Bailey.
Recitation—Frank Morgan.
Vocal Solo—Gertrude Kniffen.
Recitation—Guy Collins.
Music—Britton Orchestra.
Tableau.

After the entertainment ice cream will be served. Program to commence at 8 o'clock, sharp. Admission 10cts.

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A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A very pleasant gathering of relatives and friends at the home of George B. Gray occurred July 11th, for the purpose of celebrating Mr. Gray's 60th birthday. As he had been kept in blissful ignorance of the gathering, the surprise was fairly complete until nearly a score of carriages had driven up and their occupants entered his gate; then he began to realize that something more than common was the order of the day.

Soon after our arrival the dinner hour came and we were invited into the sitting room, and ye scribe had the pleasure of presenting Mr. Gray a very fine rocker, a present from his family, and other presents from friends. We then were ushered into the dining room, and lo, we found the table spread and fairly groaning under its burden of good things, such as only farmers' wives and daughters can prepare, that tickleth the palate and maketh him strong for all his daily toil.

Dinner over, 63 partaking thereof, we gathered in the sitting room and under leafy shade, and story telling, music and song were the order of the hour. Many pleasant incidents of early farm life were related, Mr. Gray being the center of attraction, he possessing, in a rare degree, the faculty of [illegible] story in such a manner that it did not need one added to it to make it well told. Uncle Horace Gray, so well and widely known in Lenawee county, was present and enjoyed the pleasant greetings of the company.

Among those present were S. W. Anderson and wife and D. C. Larned, of Tecumseh; Martin Whelan and wife, Franklin; J. Wilson and wife, Ann Arbor; Oscar Stimpson and wife, Mrs. Wm. Gleason and family, Saline; Wm. Taylor and son, S. Gould, Ridgeway; Eber Bradley, Jesse Warner and wife, Stephen Smith and wife, York; B. S. Scudder and family, J. C. Mills and wife, J. F. Gilmore and family, DeWitt Martin and wife, E. J. Gould and wife, Macon; J. C. Cone and wife, Mrs. Ortis Bradley, Miss Ellen Richardson, Mrs. Ollie Curry, Milan.

The time passed all too quickly, for at 5 o'clock ice cream and cake were served and one by one we took leave of our host and his pleasant family, wishing for them many pleasant birthday anniversaries in the future, and we shall remember it ourselves as one of the most pleasant days of our lives.

YE SCRIBE.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Cailloutte, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 2

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "de folks dat finds it 'he had'dest ter git deir hands off'n money am de leas' successful in getting dah hands onter it."

Murder will out.

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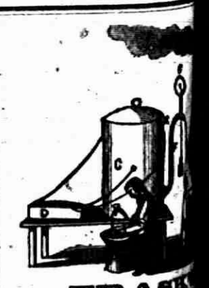
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BRITTON BUDGET.

Day at Tecumseh, July 25th.

Henry Taylor is quite sick at writing.

Underwood was a Blissfield last Tuesday.

Thackery went to Adrian on last Friday.

Mrs. Chet Linn were Tecumsors Sunday.

Myrtle Sowles was a Milan visTuesday last.

Underwood went to Jerome Frivisit relatives near there.

D. M. Webster, of Allegan, spent day with Mrs. W. J. Clark.

Chiffan is enjoying himself for ays keeping bachelor's hall.

Osgood, of St. Johns, visited his Will and family, last week.

irst load of grain was taken into elevator last Monday afternoon.

a number from here attended om and Bailey circus at Adrian turday.

en and Hendershot have their ller set and will start their tile ery very soon now.

Sowles and wife, of Farmington, e been visiting friends here, reto their home last Monday.

—— went to see his best girl At least he was headed west. e else would he or could he be

in's mill was shut down a few repairs. They started the ednesday and it is now running st.

e should use every precaution to res in this extreme dry spell. A park might kindle a big conon now.

way Commissioner Chas. Gove is down several iron bridges in the p. It is evident Charley means work well.

V. Hoagland had another atthis disease on Sunday morning, soon able to be around again been in town the same day.

next regular review of Hender- Tent, K. O. T. M. will be held Important business will come the lodge and a full attendance ed.

nderstand that the members of shot Tent of this place have to challenge the Macon Maccato deadly combat on the diamond. particulars later.

e rumor says that one of our men has contracted the habit of ng with his clothes on. At least oung brotner says that was the ast Sunday night.

D. Williams, of VanWert, O., chief neer of C. J. & M., was in town esday looking after the interest of ew wagon road that is to cross the east of the elevator.

itton was almost deserted last rday. Many went to Adrian to see Barnum & Bailey show and a large allment went to Milan to see the e Fence Giants play ball.

e dry weather doesn't seem to Mont Hoagland any. He sold nders Tuesday and on Wednesso sold two buggies. Pretty good he first half of such a "dry" week his.

he charcoal yard of E. M. Lewis had arrow escape from fire Tuesday. A sing engine on the Wabash set fire he meadow just north of the kilns, it took the combined efforts of ral men to keep it out of the wood.

st Friday nine young men, who d themselves "Killdeers," came from Ogden Center to play ball the Giants. When they departed were nine killed Giants, as this shows:

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score stood 4 to 1 in favor of Britthe end of the 5th inning, but k let down in the 6th and thus tted Ogden to pound out five runs in the game. Batteries—Ogden r: Marshall and Cheney; Britton: k, Biggs and Lowe.

ried, at the residence of Rev. E. e, 812 70th St., Chicago, Ill., July 5, Mr. Clifford C. Mudge and Miss Crane, both of Chicago. The oc- was one of much pleasure, and fts to the newly wedded pair were ous and valuable. Among other nts, the groom received from his yers a gift of thirty dollars in gold ase of absence one week without f time. The couple took boat the night for St. Joseph and visited week with relatives of the groom errien and Cass counties. They e down to housekeeping in Chicago.

e elevator was opened for business Monday and is complete in all its intments. Mr. VanNocker has ed Chas. DuBois to act as local r and manager for him and Charley ht his first load of grain on the Mr. VanNocker has shown much rprise in putting up the elevator and he has shown good judgment curing Chas. DuBois as assistant. DuBois has an extended acquaintall through this section and he fill the place to perfection. The will make a strong team and be a able help to the business of Brit-

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l persons indebted to me are reted to call and settle between now Aug. 1st. '95, and oblige.

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or meeting of Baptist Young Peo- Union of America at Baltimore, July 18 to 21, Agents of Ohio Cen- Lines will sell tickets at one fare round trip, selling July 16 and 17, lt August 5. See Ohio Central ents.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Bicycle Day at Tecumseh, July 25th.

Wells have gone dry that never failed before.

Mrs. Samuel Barlow is a little better at present.

Oat harvesting is the present occupation of the farmer.

The hum of the threshing machine is heard once more.

Some farmers are cutting up their oats and feeding their stock.

A. C. Arner returned Saturday from a three months' stay at Addison.

Editor Stacy, of the Herald, was in the village on business Monday.

May Jones is the happy possessor of a Ladies' Columbia wheel, a gift from her Aunt Ella.

S. P. Smith has improved the appearance of his house by giving it a fresh coat of paint.

Ed. De Puy and family of Saline, were called here last week by the death of Mrs. E. L. Lowe.

Some of the young folks went to Sand Lake, Tuesday, for a day of recreation.

Quite a number went to Adrian, Saturday to see Barnum & Bailey's circus and the trained pig.

Mr and Mrs. George Hill, of the Valley, spent Sunday with their uncle Lester Osgood and family.

Bessie Barrett left for Jackson Thursday for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mrs. Nettie Begel.

Maggie Gould of Lima Center, Wis was called here last week by the death of his sister Mrs. Eldridge Lowe.

Fred L. Cook of Lansing, rode over on his wheel Saturday for a few days stay at the home of Lelia Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gove spent a portion of last week with Russell Williams and family of Perrysburgh Ohio.

James Nelson, of Hudson, rode out on his wheel last week for a few days stay with old school mates and friends.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. H. C. Wilson of Paw Paw, a son on the 10th inst. So it is Grandpa and Grandma W. R. Wilson now.

Mrs. Fred Fagan, of Tecumseh, was called here the first of the week by the sickness of her mother Mrs. E. L. Lowe.

Mrs. Louis Travis Chandler, of North Hector N. Y. is visiting her neice Mrs. Charles A. Pocklington and family at present.

Eugene Harrington and Aunt, Miss Rachel Boon, of Blissfield, called on friends while on their way to Saline, Saturday.

Helen Foster, of Toledo, visited at the home of A. J. Sutton, during the past week, returning to her home Tuesday evening.

Dr. Stevenson, of Adrian, was called here Wednesday to council in the case of Mrs. C. L. Lowe, who is in a critical condition at present.

The temperance addresses given by Mr. and Mrs. Wood, of Tecumseh, on Sunday evening were very interesting, and listened to by a good audience.

F. J. Temple of the firm of Orr & Temple of Tecumseh, has been in the village assisting C. W. Culbertson in getting their drug stock ready for their opening. Success to the new firm.

The remains of Mrs. Peter Perry of Lambertville were brought here Wednesday for burial. A service was conducted by Rev. Cansfield, after which the interment took place at Evergreen Cemetery.

Geo. C. Pocklington has traded his traction engine for a mounted J.I.C. plain engine, which he offers for sale cheap, and any person wishing an engine will do well to call and see him and get prices and terms.

Leila Sutton entertained her Sabbath school class of young ladies at her home Wednesday evening of last week. The same number of young men acting as honorary members. Miss Foster of Toledo furnished some very fine violin selections.

The old maids' Saturday night's ice Cream catch they have been holding at the Miller House for the past few weeks have ceased to exist. We have not learned whether they accomplished the desired object or not, but time will reveal the effect.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Eldridge Lowe, who has been in poor health for twelve years and for the past few months been helpless, but had of late so far recovered as to be able to call on friends, was called to her final rest on Thursday afternoon of last week. She was helping prepare some cherries for canning during the morning, when she complained of feeling badly and slowly sank to that rest from which none ever return. She leaves a husband and daughter to mourn a wife and mother's departure for the other shore, where the frail bark has been so long drifting. The funeral services were held at the church Saturday morning, Rev. H. Cansfield speaking words of comfort and hope to the bereaved husband and daughter. The remains were laid at rest in Evergreen Cemetery to await the resurrection morn. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends and neighbors in this sad hour.

CARD OF THANKS.

We feel our inability to express our heartfelt appreciation to the neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness bestowed upon our dear wife and mother, during her long sickness; also, for such valuable assistance rendered at the time of her death and funeral service and to the choir for their services. Respectfully.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Bicycle Day at Tecumseh, July 25th.

The hum of the reaper is heard these days.

Tom Hartman has a very sick horse. Distemper.

Jim Gordon, of Morenci, is visiting his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Hartman took in the circus at Adrian.

Mr. Benson is here again, the guest of Rev. Stead and family.

Full particulars of the big fire are given in another column.

Quite a number attended "Barnum's circus at Adrian Saturday.

Mrs. Spencer and Mrs. Florence visited Clinton Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. C. E. Begel, of Jackson, is in town fitting glasses to those who wish them.

Miss Mary Thompson, of Blissfield, is the guest of her sister, Miss Rothfus.

Miss Inez VanFleet, of Morenci, was the guest of Jennie Gordon over Sunday.

Mr. Spencer and postmaster Florence visited Sand Lake Sunday on their wheels.

Mr. Will Rainey and Miss Bertha Britton were callers on Miss Winship Sunday.

Smith Fairbanks, of Ogden Center, called on his aunt, Mrs. L. C. Winship, Friday evening.

Mrs. Deloren Brown entertained Rev. Stead and wife and mother for dinner Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Hanley, of Tecumseh, was canvassing the town on Tuesday. She had a fine book.

Miss Mary Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, departed for Lansing Tuesday to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and children visited in Tecumseh Wednesday, guests of Miss. Pearl Kemp.

Mrs. Frank Rogers and children, accompanied by Fred Rogers, returned to her home Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Still visited her sister Agnes, Saturday and attended the circus in the evening, at Adrian.

Mrs. Snow returned Wednesday to her home in Montpelier, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Holt, as far as Munson.

The Ogden base ball team played the Brittons and scooped them. They went through Holloway rejoicing, on their homeward way.

Mr. Ike Dawson, who has been in the northern part of the state for some time, is visiting his parents near Holloway, Albert Dawson and family.

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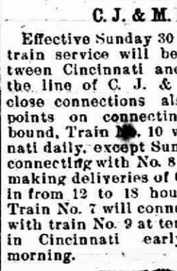
like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but ***Constantly grows worse.*** There are thousands who know they have a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and ***Don't know what to take for it,*** as they have been told time and again that heart disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:

"I had heart disease for 23 years, my heart hurting me almost continually. The first 15 years I doctored all the time, trying several physicians and remedies, until my last doctor told me it was only a question of time as I could not be cured. I gradually grew worse, very weak, and completely discouraged, until I lived, propped half up in bed, because I ***couldn't lie down*** nor sit up. Thinking my time had come I told my family what I wanted done when I was gone. But on the first day of March on the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie Jones, of Anderson, Ind., I commenced taking ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart*** and wonderful to tell, in ten days I was working at light work and on March 19 commenced framing a barn, which is heavy work, and I hav'nt lost a day since. I am 56 years old, 6 ft. 4½ inches and weigh 250lbs. ***I believe I am fully cured,*** and I am now only anxious that everyone shall know of your wonderful remedies."



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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at Charles Burridge's office in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 10th day of August, 1895, and on the 28th day of December, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of June, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated July 10, 1895.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JOSEPH RUSSELL,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 25th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mathew L. Root, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, Petitioner, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 22d day of July, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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ON BOARD THE MAJESTIC.

A Daily Record of a Trip Across the Atlantic on an Ocean Greyhound.

From a letter sent to his family at home by James Lowry after his arrival at Queenstown we gather a few daily items, which might be called his "log book" of the voyage. They had some rough weather a part of the way:

R. M. S. MAJESTIC, Wednesday, June 19, '95.

We sailed exactly at 2 o'clock today. The weather was very fine. Had dinner at 5 o'clock; first meal on the boat; it was very good. After dinner we received May's letter, which we were very glad to get. Luella had me read it to her several times. She began to get sea sick about 6 o'clock. Your mama and myself are all right yet. A great many are getting sick, as there is a very bad motion to the boat. We had supper at 9 o'clock, but Luella could not eat anything. Mama and she went to bed at 10 o'clock; I stayed on deck until 12:30. The evening was very pleasant.

Thursday morning, 20th.—I got up at 6 o'clock; mama got up, too, but Luella was too sick to come to the table, nor could she eat anything. Mama and I are all right this morning. We have breakfast at exactly 7:30. The weather is very nice this morning, but the sea is quite rough. Not more than half the second cabin passengers are up to breakfast. We have dinner at 12 o'clock. Mama and I are all right yet, although the ship is quite heavy. We had a very good dinner. Weather is still fine, but Luella is sick yet. She wished once that she had stayed with Mrs. VanDeventer. She is so good and so patient; she never complains, and there are plenty of ladies who offer to do anything they can for her. We have a very fine doctor on board. He called to see her today and said she was a very sweet little darling, and she thought he was nice. He gave her some medicine that he said would make her all right in a day or two. We now go to supper, as we have it at 5 o'clock. Mama and I are still ready to eat our meals, which we find are very nice. We have every kind of meat, chicken and turkey, fruits, nuts, ice cream, lettuce, etc. We get a lunch at 9 in the evening, if we wish it. It is now 9.30; mama and Luella are in bed, but I will stay up till 10.30. It is very dark and foggy at this time.

Friday morning, 21st.—I just got up; it is 6 o'clock. I did not rest very good last night as they sounded the fog horn all night. It has cleared up, so it is quite nice this morning, but the air is cold. Mama is not feeling well this morning, she could not eat; Luella is still sick, and I have to go to the dining room alone. We just came in sight of the steamer City of Paris, that left New York three hours ahead of us. It is now dinner time. Your mama and Luella don't feel well enough to come to the dining room, so I shall have to go alone. We are gaining on the City of Paris and expect to pass her before night. We have seen quite a few sailing boats since we left New York. It is now 5 o'clock. We are just up with the City of Paris; shall be out of sight of her before morning. It is supper time. Mama is up to the table, but Luella is no better; she is in bed. The weather is quite cold tonight and the sea is getting rough. I am going to bed, but don't expect to sleep much, the ship is so rocky.

Saturday, 22d.—I got up at 5 o'clock. The weather is awful cold and the sea is tremendous rough. The ship heaves and pitches terribly. Nearly everyone is sick, there is scarcely a dozen on deck. Luella is still sick; mama is not very bad, but she don't want any breakfast, so I will have to go it alone. There are very few in the dining room. It is so rough the dishes slide from the table. The sailors tell us it will be so till Sunday noon. It is now time to go to dinner. It is still rough, the ship will sometimes dive down into the sea, with her stern up in the air, and one would think that she would never get right again, but soon she will come up all right to try it again. Mama has been up to dinner, but Luella has not eaten anything since Wednesday. It is still cold and wet, the spray from the waves as they dash back and forth is like rain. It is now supper time and it is still very stormy. It has been an awful day for this season of the year. It is now 8 o'clock and we have to go to our rooms, it is so rough, but don't think we will sleep much.

Sunday morning, 23d.—Six o'clock and just got up. I am sea sick for the first time; not as bad as most of them, but sick enough so I can't eat. Mama is better, she has been to breakfast. Luella can't eat yet. It is quite calm now and promises us a nice day. Mama and I attended church service at 10:30, in the dining room, conducted by one of the officers of the ship. After church we go to dinner. The weather is clear now and the sea is quite nice. Luella is better and has taken some beef tea which was very nice. We brought her up on deck at 10 o'clock, it is so nice she can sit outside. There is another ship very close and she delights to watch it, also the fish jumping up out of the water and a great many sea birds that are flying around now. After supper we attended a very nice concert in the dining room, consisting of church hymns and hymns composed for us at sea. We enjoyed it very much and it helped to pass the time. At 10 o'clock we all retired, feeling very well indeed.

Monday, 24th.—We all got up at 6 o'clock and all felt tip top. We had all rested well. It is now very smooth sailing. Luella is feeling good today; she has eaten a good breakfast. Everyone is feeling better. The sky is clear, and it is fairly warmer, so all can be out on deck. At dinner today the seats were all filled and the people seem to have found their appetites. We have had a lovely afternoon and now all three go to supper feeling good. After supper, from 8 to 10, we attended an entertainment in the dining room, gotten up by the passengers of the second cabin, [illegible] music, recitations, speeches and comic stories. It was as good as you could get at the opera house for fifty cents. We then spent a short time on deck, the evening being very pleasant, then we went to bed and had a fair night's rest.

Tuesday, 25th.—Up at 6 o'clock. The weather very nice and sea smooth. We took a walk of an hour before breakfast, just to give us a good appetite. We have spent all the forenoon on deck, the weather being so nice and the sea so calm. Luella is feeling like herself again; she is playing around on the deck with other little girls. It is [illegible] sailed: first day, 2 o'clock till 12 next day, 369 miles; from 12 Thursday to 12 Friday, 445 miles; 12 Friday to 12 Saturday, 444 miles; 12 Saturday to 12 Sunday, 426 miles; 12 Sunday to 12 Monday, 454 miles; 12 Monday to 12 Tuesday, 452 miles, and we have 301 miles yet to make to Queenstown, which the captain says we will make by 4 o'clock Wednesday morning, where we will land.

GONE TO REST.

MRS. HANNAH M. BLOOD.

Mrs. Blood who was well known in this community and greatly beloved by all who knew her, departed this life after a brief but very painful illness, July 9, 1895.

Her maiden name was Hannah M. Stearns, daughter of Alpheus and Susan Stearns. She was born in Tecumseh, Feb. 11th, 1841, and lived with her parents until united in marriage to Charles Blood, Oct. 25, 1865. Her father died July 4th, 1886, but her mother, though advanced in age and very feeble, survives, bereft of a loving and beloved daughter. After her marriage she went with her husband to the home in which they lived for 30 years, and in which she died. Their marriage was blessed with three children, Albert, Mrs. Ina Howland, and Howard, all of whom survive to mourn the death of their dear mother. Her only brother was a soldier in the late war, but like many other brave heroes of that war, gave his life in defense of his country. Mrs. M. E. Conklin, so highly esteemed in this place, was an only sister. They were so inseparable in their life that this separation by death is sad indeed. She was converted under the ministry of Rev. E. R. Hascall, and united with the M. E. church and was ever after devoted to its interests. Possessed of a generous nature she entered heartily into the benevolent work of the church. The members of the ladies aid society will always remember her as one of their most reliable and efficient coworkers. She was a member of the Bible class and always manifested a deep interest in the study of the Sacred Scriptures. The church of her choice truly mourn her loss. She was an active member of the W. C. T. U. of which she was Corresponding Secretary. In private life the sweetness of her disposition and her peculiarly genial manner, greatly endeared her, not only to her friends but to all her acquaintances. She was truly a good woman. So bright and cheerful that the sunshine of her life was the light of her home. In her death the community in which she lived so long, feel very deeply the loss of one so generous and kind as a neighbor and friend. But the family of which she was the bright center are the most deeply afflicted. Their bereavement would be too great for them to bear if not sustained by the christian's hope. They mourn but not without hope for when their solicitude could not longer retain her, the more protecting care of their Heavenly Father took her to a Heavenly Home. She was a true and loving wife and an affectionate mother. Her precious memory will ever be a most sacred legacy to the bereaved family, and may serve to temper this their great discipline of sorrow so as to be borne by them with calmer resignation, when their aching hearts might otherwise be rebellious. How inscrutable the Providence! That one so bright and helpful to others should so suddenly drop out of life. In our short sightedness we lament her death as untimely, but in the wisdom of God there are no untimely departures. There was a completeness in her life which leaves nothing incomplete. Her funeral was held from her home, and the services were conducted by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell of Clinton, whose words of consolation and noble tribute to her Christian character were greatly appreciated by the family. Her remains were deposited in the family burial ground in the Tecumseh cemetery in the presence of relatives and friends.

JULIA JANETTE M'RAY HARDING.

Julia Janette McRay, daughter of John S. and Sarah Ann McRay, was born in Raisin, June 5th, 1844. When a young woman she gave her heart to Christ and joined the M. E. church of Tecumseh. She married Abel W. Harding, Aug. 28, 1866, and the following year her husband joined the Detroit conference, in which they served several charges faithfully. To them were born three children, two of whom, Arthur and Anna, survive, the other being buried at Marysville, on the St. Clair river. After her husband's death she was again connected with the M. E. church here. She was devoted to the church of her choice and sought to advance all its interests, being a faithful Sunday school teacher and an earnest worker in the W. F. M. S. and other church societies. She was for many years recording secretary of the W. F. M. S. of Adrian District, which office she held at the time of her death, July 12th, 1895. Her only brother, Joseph McRay, visited her during her last illness, but was unable to be present at the funeral on account of sickness. Her step-son, Rev. W. F. Harding, and wife, of Terre Haute, Ind., were present among the mourners. The funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. W. Q. Burnett, at the home of her son, Arthur. She was buried in the Tecumseh cemetery by the side of her husband, with the glad hope of a blissful reunion in that bright world where "there remaineth a rest for the people of God." L. BARNES.

MAHALA PADDOCK ADDIS.

Another pioneer has gone to rest. Mahala Paddock was born in Sing Sing, N. Y. Oct. 16, 1816. She came with her father's family, numbering thirteen children, to Michigan in 1836 and settled near Adrian, where she lived [illegible] Sept. 1841, when she was married to Lewis R. Addis, the remainder part of her life being spent in Raisin and Tecumseh. No children came to bless her home, so on the death of one of her sisters, Mrs. Amos Porter, they adopted her two children, Darius and Mary Porter; only Mary survived her, she being the wife of J. R. Hally. Much might be said of her generosity, but suffice it to say that she had an undying love for children and all classes of weak humanity. No one was ever turned from her door who came there in want of charity, she dividing with others that which ought to have been kept for herself. For many years she was a great sufferer from disease, but about one year and a half ago she received a severe injury from a fall, which resulted in her death July 7, 1895. Much credit is due her faithful husband, who for sixteen months never left her bed-side for a day. M. A. H.

Resolutions of Respect.

The death of Mrs. Hannah Blood calls the Women's Christian Temperance Union to mourn the loss of another earnest worker, promoted to the Heavenly hights. Her cheery hopefulness, her ready willingness to lend a hand, combined with her generous warm-hearted impulses was an inspiration to us. Our memories of her will be ever precious and sweet. Her influence is with us still; she has only gone on ahead and will help us from the other shore.

RESOLVED: That the sympathy of the Union be extended to the bereaved family and friends whom we commend to Him who saith "I will not leave you comfortless.

MRS. DELIA JONES,
MRS. N. N. FOWLER,
Committee.

Card of Thanks.

We, the family of Mrs. J. J. Harding, wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to the many friends who have so kindly assisted us during the sickness in the family and the burial of our mother.

MR. & MRS. A. B. HARDING,
MISS ANNA M. HARDING.
MR. & MRS. WM. F. HARDING.

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7th Acme Puncture Proof Strips, **Acme Puncture Proof Co**, Chicago.
8th One set Hoffman Tire Protectors, **Pittsburg Tire Protecter Co.**, Pittsburg.
9th Standard Cyclometer, **Standard Watch Co.**, N. Y.
10th Bicycle Lock and Chain, **Ames Sword Co.**, Chicopee, Mass.

EXHIBITION OF FANCY AND TRICK BICYCLE RIDING BY AMERICA'S GREATEST RIDER, SID BLACK.

TRACK EVENTS. 1:30 p. m. Half Mile Track.

ONE MILE NOVICE.

1ST Gold Watch, T. B. A.
2nd One Pair Hartford Racing Tires, **Hartford Rubber Works Co.**, Hartford, Conn.
4th Bridgeport "A" Cyclometer, **Bridgeport Gun Implement Co.**, Bridgeport, Conn.

HALE MILE OPEN.

1st Diamond Stud, T. B. A.
2nd Diamond Cuff Buttons, T. B. A.
3rd Pair "VICI" or "VIM" tires, **Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.**
4th Gold Plated Bell, New **Departure Bell Co.**, Bristol, Conn.
5th Fifty "Estrellas," **W. W. Whiting.**

BOYS' RACE—Open to Boys under Eighteen.

1st Gold Watch, T. B. A.
2nd... One Set Griswold Mud Guards and Repair Outfit, **H. E Grisw & Co.**, Chicago.
Bicycle Trousers and Cap, **Punnett Cycle Co.**, Rochester,
3rd "B. & W." Saddle, **Butler & Ward**, Newark, N. J.
4th Combination Bicycle Lock, **J. H. M. Campbell.**

TWO MILE HANDICAP.

1st Diamond Ring, T. B. A.
2nd Diamond Ring, T. B. A.
3rd One Pair "Diamond" Racing Tires, **Diamond Rubber Co.**, Akron, O.
4th Pearl Scarf Pin, T. B. A.
5th Fifty "La Normas," **Geo. Merritt.**

HALF MILE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Solid Gold Medal.

ONE MILE OPEN.

1st Diamond Stud, T. B. A.
2nd Diamond Stud, T. B. A.
3rd One Pair "Palmer" Tires, **Palmer Tire Co.**, Chicago.
4th "Search Light" Lantern, **Bridgeport Brass Co.**, Bridgeport, Conn.
5th Pair "Ball Bearing" Bicycle Shoes, **Karner Bros.**

THREE MILE LAP RACE.

1st Diamond Ring, T. B. A.
2nd Gold Watch, T. B. A.
3rd One Pair "Eagle" Alumnium Rims, **Eagle Bicycle Co.**, Torrington, Conn.
4th Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, T. B. A.
5th One set Hoffman Tire Protectors, **Pittsburg Tire Protector Co.**, Pittsburg.

Following the races will be an Exhibition of Fancy and Trick Bicycle Riding by Sid Black and a *Balloon Ascension and Parachute Drop* by a Lady Aeronaut.

For entry blanks address P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Sec'y.

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Price of Meat to Suit the Times.

BEEF		PORK	
Sirloin Porterhouse	14c	Pork Steak, round or loin,	
Round Steak	12c	Pork Shoulder	
Shoulder Steak	9c	Sausage	
Shoulder Roast	8c	Bacon	
Rib or Flank	5c	Pure Kettle Rendered Lard	
Bologna	10c	Leaf Lard	

We are Cutting Meat

The above prices will hold good until further notice.

W. W. MARSH.

Tecumseh, Mich., July 10, 1895.

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BED ROOM SUIT. A good quartered oak bed room suit for sale at a very reasonable price. Enquire at the HERALD office.

VILLAGE TAXES.—I will be at the banking office of The Tecumseh State Savings Bank, June 21, 1895, and upon every Friday during the month of July, 1895, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. of each day, to receive village taxes for the year 1895. Four per cent. will be added to all taxes not paid on or before July 31st, 1895.
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Village Treasurer.

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PAINTING.—M. L. Gillee is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of Smith on Railroad street or at J. Monroe's Novelty Store.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bicycle Day, July 25th.

Remember the trotting matinee tomorrow.

Eugene Brown has gone to Dundee to visit relatives.

This protracted drought is injuring all kinds of crops very badly.

A new side walk has been laid in front of Mrs. C. M. Tilton's residence.

The residence of D. A. Downer of Clinton was destroyed by fire last Monday.

W. W. Mills has engaged Mr. Caligan to put a cement walk in front of his business block.

Mrs. B. J. Bidwell is putting a new roof and making other improvements on her dwelling house.

C. B. Park of Adrian has a new card this week. It is short and sweet, but contains valuable information.

The Mackinaw is having a big run of passenger travel between Toledo and Devil's Lake this season.

About twenty delegates from Lenawee County attend the B. Y. P. U. convention at Baltimore this week.

The Jackson Patriot has lately introduced a Thorne type setting machine and it is said to work like a charm.

The Caligan Cement walks are all the rage now. Several parties are going to put it in front of their residences.

Will Odion and Cliff Millis took a bicycle cuit on their wheels Sunday, embracing Blissfield, Palmyra, Adrian and Tipton.

The wheat yield in this vicinity is not one half a full crop. But the quality is extra, much above the average.

Mrs. James Winans and her two daughters of Toledo are spending the present week with her father, Hon. B. Baxter.

The official prize list of the Bicycle meet, to come off July 25th, is published in full on another page. It is a good program of prizes.

The entries for the races tomorrow are coming in lively. The first race will be called promptly at one o'clock, as the program will be a lengthy one.

We take pleasure this week in presenting to our readers a section of Miss Lowry's first letter to friends at home, written on the steamship Majestic.

Mrs. F. J. Temple is spending the present week with her parents at La Salle. In the meantime Frank is putting in most of his time in Ridgeway arranging the goods in the new branch dry goods store of Orr & Temple.

The State Bicycle meet comes off at Battle Creek next week, July 23d and 24th. Many of the expert wheelmen of the country will attend that meet and come from there directly to our meet on the 25th.

Rev. H. A. Smith and family took their departure Tuesday for Bay City, their future home. Their many friends in Tecumseh will sincerely regret their departure. Mr. Smith's abilities as a pulpit orator will have a larger field in which to display themselves and he will doubtless make his mark in that thriving city.

The M. E. Church was filled to repletion last Sabbath morning with a congregation representing every church in town, drawn there to listen to Walter Burnett's first sermon in Tecumseh. It is no flattery to say that he made a most favorable impression upon the audience. He spoke without notes, but his sermon had been carefully prepared and digested beforehand, and it was eloquently delivered. At the close of the services he was warmly congratulated by many of his auditors. Mr. Burnett inherits his father's aptitude for preaching, and he will surely make his mark in the ministry.

Grand Celebration and Bicycle Races at Tecumseh, Thursday, July 25th. $750 in prizes.

Bicycle Day, July 25th.

M. P. Wemple, of Onsted, was in town yesterday.

The big day this year in Tecumseh will fall on the 25th.

Mrs. Dr. Jones is visiting friends at Brooklyn this week.

Orr & Temple opened their new drug store at Ridgeway yesterday.

"Happy Holloway" has been sorely afflicted by the fire fiend this week.

W. J. Arnold has connected his bakery building with the water works.

Read the prize list for the Bicycle races on the 25th and then sail in.

Sid Black, the champion trick cyclist of America, will be here on the 25th.

Bigger, better and cheaper than Barnum's—Tecumseh's first Derby Day.

A Bargain for somebody, in a Lady's High Grade Wheel. Ask F. Rosacrans.

Fires in the pastures about Holloway have been raging for two or three days.

Make your homes and places of business gay with flags and bunting next Thursday.

Everything free next Thursday, except admission to the track and that is only a silver quarter.

Leon McNeil, who has a position in Finch's printing office at Adrian, is home this week on a vacation.

A movement is on foot among the merchants to close their establishments during the track races in the afternoon.

Clinton, Tipton, Macon, Ridgeway, Adrian and Britton will all be here on the twenty-fifth. Don't neglect to come.

Sid Black, the champion trick Cyclist of America, will surely be here on the 25th and give an exhibition of his skill.

Miss Minnie Ross and friend, Miss Myrtle Reynolds, of Chicago, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross.

Barnum's show at Adrian last week drew a big crowd from all sections of the county. It is wonderful how many Tecumseh people had business in Adrian on that day.

In the absence of other services on Sunday evening the Baptist Young People's Union have prepared a musical and literary program to which all are invited to listen.

Communion services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. In place of the usual evening service the Pastor will speak of the C. E. convention at Boston to which he was a delegate.

Rev. W. F. Harding and wife, of Terre Haute, Ind., were here over Sunday, having been called here to attend the funeral of his mother. They left Monday for Hackley Park, where Mr. Harding has work connected with the Assembly.

The Maacabee Lodges of the County will hold their Annual Picnic at Pleasant Grove, Devils Lake, on Friday of next week, July 26th. A fine program has been arranged and preparations are being made to accommodate a large crowd.

Will Spalding is putting the roof on the new block at Clinton and also fitting all three stores with a metal ceiling. It is a big job altogether and will consume about three weeks' time. The contractors know where to look for first class work in that line.

The large Annual Farmer's Picnic will be held at Wells's Wampler Lake Summer Resort on Friday, Aug. 2nd. Rev. D. R. Shier will deliver an address. There will be races and other sports during the day and a dance in the evening. Music by Tipton band.

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The number of the Victor bicycle, stolen Sunday evening from Major Howell, is thought to be 35,569, but as he made a change in wheels shortly after purchasing of the dealer, here, it is possible that the number may be 35,701. It is one of the two numbers, and if anyone should come across a model D Victor, bearing either of the above numbers, they will be rewarded by Sheriff Wilson for any information regarding it.—Evening Telegram.

The fine new pole erected and side walks laid about the school grounds in Macon village, displayed the true spirit of patriotism on the 4th of July, where was carried out a fine program prepared by the W. C. T. U., which was ably presided over by their worthy President, Mrs. Myra Camburn. The songs, recitations and remarks were all good. The grand oration delivered by the Rev. James Hageman was a credit to himself, and an honor to the W. C. T. U. It is estimated that there were some 700 people on and about the premises during the exercises.

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Bicycle Day, July 25th.

All kinds of fun at Tecumseh next Thursday.

Horace Baker took a days fishing at Evans Lake Monday.

Mrs. Martin Crossman has a new upright piano in her house.

For a nice, clean, comfortable shave visit Burtis's new barber shop.

The prize list for the Bicycle race meet has been increased to $825.

Rev. Frank S. Lyon of Cleveland will occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday morning.

Don't forget the lady aeronaut and her daring drop from the clouds next Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. L. G. North and family are occupying the De Wolf cottage at Sand Lake this week.

W. J. Kies and family of Elkhart are spending a few days at the Kies cottage, Sand Lake.

Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff and children were guests of M. P. Brown's family at Adrian last Saturday.

Rev. Frank S. Lyon and family, of Cleveland, are spending the week at A. P. Coddington's.

Miss Catherine Bailey, of New York City, is visiting at her grandfather's, Geo. W. Frazier, Esq.

Two bands will discourse sweet music to charm the victors and sooth the vanquished in next Thursday's races.

J. S. Starling, the new tailor, has engaged E. H. Porter, from Adrian, to assist in his increasing trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moore left the first of the week for South Bend, where they will put in a two week's vacation.

Sid Black, the acknowledged king of trick and fancy bicycle riders, will give two grand free exhibitions next Thursday.

Mrs. D. H. Silvers, of Chicago, was calling on Tecumseh acquaintances last Saturday. She is spending a few days in Clinton.

There will be a skating party at Wells's Wampler Lake Summer Resort to-morrow evening, June 20. Music by Clinton band.

Don't forget the ten mile crackajack road race next Thursday. The start and finish will be in plain view on Chicago Street.

The corner stone of the new Reformed church at Macon village will be laid with appropriate ceremony next Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

D. P. Anthony has traded his Raisin farm to Lucius Lilley for a farm near Grand Rapids. Mr. Anthony will take up his residence in this village.

Fires are of very frequent occurence along the Mackinaw road, even within the village limits, and people are frequently called from their work to fight fire.

The best Class A. riders in this State, N. Y., Ohio, Indiana and Canada will compete next Thursday for the splendid prizes hung up by the Tecumseh Bicycle Association.

Several of our wheelmen will ride to Battle Creek to take in the state bicycle meet the first of the week. They will start from the Lilley House at 3 a. m. Sunday morning.

Clayton Ellis has just purchased of C. A. Slayton one of the latest improved Advance Threshers with a wind stacker. With this device no men are required on the stack.

Don't fail to see the splendid premiums offered next Thursday's race winners. Diamonds, watches, bicycle, and bicycle sundries are now on exhibition in Spayde's big corner store.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a Wheel social in the Baptist Church parlors Tuesday evening July 30th. Supper tickets 10c Ice Cream and Cake 10c. Everybody come and see the wheels go around.

A meeting was held at the Presbyterian church last Monday evening to devise some means to stop the selling of liquor in Tecumseh on Sunday. A committee was appointed to circulate a petition. This will be an innocent pastime for the committee. The best way to enforce the law, men and brethren, is to enforce it.

Wednesday the dough mixers attempted to grind up the dusty millers on the diamond, but since the raise in wheat the stone peckers have been mixing sweepings with the patent and the oven coolers found their cake all dough. Geo. Beneway is a regular cistern in the field and his efforts probably saved the day for his brethren.

Last Tuesday night fire broke out in Metcalf's dry goods store in Adrian and though the flames were kept under control, the $50,000 stock was nearly ruined. Mr. Metcalf was rusticating at Devil's Lake Hotel at the time, his vacation there being cut short by the news of his loss. The fire was probably caused by spontaneous combustion.

David S. Goodrich, of Clinton, died at the home of his parents, Wednesday evening after suffering from spinal trouble for over two years. Funeral will be conducted by Clinton Lodge F. & A. M. by request of Palestine Lodge No. 357 of Detroit Mich, he being a member of that body. Funeral will be held at Congregational church at 3:30 P. M. Sunday afternoon. Tecumseh and Manchester Brothers are requested to be present.

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Don't forget the matinee to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Muir, of Clinton, were in town Tuesday.

Remember to see the ladies race at the matinee tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heesen have returned from their visit in Illinois.

Miss Margaret Knapp, of Adrian, is spending a week with Miss Inez Thorpe.

Down go the prices on meat. If you doubt it, read Wolc Marsh's new card.

Miss Flora B. McKee is spending her summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. Geo. J. Benedict.

Wm. Hayden and S. P. Hosmer are enjoying a trip around the lakes as the guests of Capt. Chilson.

I. S. Osborn, of Eddy, N. M., arrived in town Wednesday and will spend two or three weeks in this vicinity.

Rev. S. V. McKee, of Remington, Ind., is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Geo. J. Benedict, while on his way to Detroit.

The new awnings in front of the HERALD office were put up by J. M. Ingersoll, who is agent for an Adrian firm. It is an extra good job and will fill a long felt want.

Mrs. E. M. Crowell, of Cleveland, and her mother, Mrs. Wm. Bresle, are spending a couple of weeks with friends in Tecumseh. Mrs. Crowell's sons, Jack and Mort, accompany the party.

The merchants of Tecumseh are talking of closing their places of business on bicycle day from 1:30 to 6:00 P. M. during the track races. This is the proper thing to do under the circumstances.

Rev. Wm. F. Harding has entire charge of the "Round Table" work at Hackley Park Assembly this season. The Assembly will open tomorrow, July 20th, and close Sunday, Aug. 4th. Daily programs will be given and he is on the program nearly every day.

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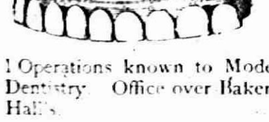

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SIX MEN PERISH IN FLAMES.

Sleeping Employes Burned to Death in a Livery Stable.

DETROIT, July 13.—Six employes perished in the flames which destroyed the livery stable of G. F. Case, No. 41 West Congress street, early Wednesday morning. The fire was discovered at 2 o'clock. All of the employes were lodged and fed in the building. On the fourth floor were sleeping accommodations for twenty-five men. How many occupied beds is not definitely known, but five horribly burned and charred bodies are now at the morgue awaiting burial, and one other person is missing. There were many narrow escapes and heroic rescues by the firemen and police. The following are the victims:

John Shaw, driver, 35 years old; came from Canada some time ago.

John Bowman, second cook, aged 20; formerly of Bay City.

Thomas Webb, painter, aged 35; came here from London, Ont., where he leaves a widow and a son in this city.

Edward Hughes, hostler, aged 13 years, of

James R. Shaw, harness, aged 27; has relatives at Caledonia, Ont.

Charles Davis, barnman; missing.

There were about eighty horses stabled in the basement, all of which were got out with the exception of O. A. Graves' Ethel G., valued at $1,000, and 'Little Mac, the pacer, valued at $3,500. Many vehicles of all descriptions, together with harnesses and other livery appointments, were destroyed.

James Cummings, aged 18, a stableman, reached a window on the top story, but was overcome by the smoke and flames and fell headlong through the window to the street. He was badly injured and may die.

The later estimates of the loss place it at $100,000, with insurance of about $4,500.

REMAINS IN A BOX.

Found Floating Near Algona and Believed to Indicate a Murder.

ALGONA, July 16.—A box containing part of a human body was found in Mitchell's bay Monday, and everything indicates that a murder was committed. The body had been hewed in two just below the ribs, and the chest, head and arms are missing. The remains were carefully packed and the box securely nailed. There is no way of identifying the body, and the case is a complete mystery.

BADLY DAMAGED.

Frosts and Drought Cost Michigan Fruit Growers $200,000.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., July 17.—A fruit man estimates the damage to fruit and vegetables from the late spring frosts and the terrible drought that at present prevails at $200,000, within a radius of 5 miles from Grand Haven. The total rainfall for the past two months has been less than ½ inch.

A Steamer Sunk.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., July 17.—The steamer Nyanza, upbound with coal, collided Tuesday morning with the Northern liner Northern King, downward bound with merchandise, in a fog at the foot of Sugar island, in St. Mary's river. The Nyanza was cut down and sank in shoal water. The Northern King was apparently uninjured. The Nyanza was valued at $110,000 and owned by the McBrier syndicate of Erie, Pa.

Thirteen Years in Prison.

DETROIT, July 15.—John Fasbender was sentenced to thirteen years in Jackson prison at hard labor in the recorder's court Saturday. His crime was manslaughter. He was the leader of a group of young men who, December 23 last, assaulted Emil Noseck and literally kicked him to death in a drunken fracas. Max Detlof is yet to be tried on the same charge.

Michigan Wheel Record Broken.

MENOMINEE, July 15.—J. A. Sandburg, of this city, rode 1 mile in 2:13 3-5, beating the track record by 2 2-5 seconds. This is the fastest mile ever pedaled north of Milwaukee. He also rode 5 miles, paced, on the Marinette track in 12:29, beating the state record by 33 seconds. Both exhibitions were on a sandy turn.

Will Remodel the Russell House.

DETROIT, July 16.—L. A. McCready who for twenty-five years has held positions from clerk to proprietor of the Russell house, at one time the leading hotel in this city, has disposed of his interest in the venture to W. H. Crittenden, his partner. The latter will remodel the hotel.

St. Joe Street Railway Sold.

ST. JOSEPH, July 13.—The St. Joseph & Lake Shore Street railway was sold at execution sale Friday to St. Joseph & Benton Harbor Electric Street Railway company for $306 above the many judgments. There is 3 miles of the road, and it will be equipped with electricity.

A Boy Drowned.

NILES, July 12.—Carl, the 7-year-old son of Lyman Topping, accidentally fell into the St. Joseph river and was drowned. A brother two years older made an effort to rescue his younger brother and but for assistance arriving in time would have lost his life in the attempt.

Michigan Peaches on the Market.

ST. JOSEPH, July 16.—The first peaches shipped from this port this year were sent to Chicago Monday afternoon by F. W. Borge. They were grown on high land and are very large and plump for early peaches. The later ones will not be so fine on account of the dry weather.

Fire in Jackson.

JACKSON, July 16.—Fire started in the storeroom for raw material in the Jackson Paper company's plant at 6 o'clock Monday night. It was four hours before the department extinguished the fire in the bales of old rags and papers. Loss, $12,000; fully insured.

Mother Dead, Babe Asleep.

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., July 15.—Mrs. John Cooper, aged 35, was found dead in her rocking chair Saturday morning. She had a child in her arms, which was asleep.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Various Parts of Michigan.

Gertie Andree, aged 20, of Holland, caught fire from a stove and was burned to death.

D. J. Kimball, formerly a ticket broker in Chicago and St. Paul, committed suicide in Detroit.

The retail hardware dealers of Michigan formed an association at Detroit with F. S. Carlton, of Calumet, as president.

Off Charlevoix the schooner Naiad was dismasted during a recent gale and Andrew Mattson and Charles Abramson were swept overboard and drowned.

Suit has been commenced against the city of Coldwater by Miss Nellie Smith, of Detroit, who seeks damages in the sum of $10,000 for injuries received through a defective sidewalk.

The Michigan Commercial Travelers' Mutual Accident association has been incorporated with forty members.

Detroit school board awarded the contract to Grand Rapids Seating company for 5,000 adjustable desks.

Cannon Ball, a 3-year-old colt owned by C. Gauntlett, of Milan, dropped dead during a race at Fostoria, O. The animal was valued at $1,500.

Owing to the crowded condition of all the state asylums it has been found necessary in Bay City to send pauper insane to private asylums at the expense of the county.

John Nordhouse, a Grand Haven young man, is now Secretary Morton's private secretary, having been promoted from stenographer.

Dr. Charles Wray Ingalls, of Stephenson, was found dead in bed. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that he died from an overdose of chloral.

John Quimby died at Menominee, where he had lived for fifty years.

THOUSANDS QUIT.

Big Strike for Higher Pay in Upper Peninsula Mines.

ISHPEMING, July 16.—All of the men employed at the mines of Negaunee, about 5,000 in number, went out on a strike Monday morning, their demand for an advance in pay having been refused by the companies, and a general walk-out at the mines in both cities is now certain. The men have been dissatisfied for some time past, and many of them are determined and may remain out some time. The Negaunee miners have asked for an advance of 10 cents a car on the contract price, while the trimmers and laborers want an advance of about 15 per cent.

ISHPEMING, Mich., July 17.—Every iron ore mine in Michigan and Negaunee was idle Tuesday morning, about 3,000 men being out. The Negaunee miners forced out the Ishpeming, Lake Superior, Salisbury and Lake Angeline miners Monday night. Tuesday morning the miners employed at Section No. 21 mine of the Lake Superior Iron company, located 2 miles south of Ishpeming, walked out. A mass meeting of Negaunee and Ishpeming miners was held Tuesday and by vote it was decided to remain out until the mining companies advanced the pay of the miners to two dollars per day and laborers to $1.75.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 16.—The strike of iron miners is general, involving every mine on the Marquette range, and the movement of ore from the mines to Marquette and Escanaba has been stopped pending a settlement, for which at present there is slight prospect, as both sides appear determined to hold out. About 4,000 men are out. No disturbance is yet reported.

SENTENCED.

William Brusseau, Accomplice of a Murderess, Is Sent to Prison.

DETROIT, Mich., July 18.—The case of William Brusseau, the paramour of Mrs. Nellie Pope, who murdered the woman's husband, Dr. Horace Eliot Pope, last February at her instigation, was brought up in the recorder's court Tuesday morning. Brusseau pleaded guilty and was sentenced to twenty five years imprisonment in state prison at Jackson.

Big Shipments of Iron Ore.

ESCANABA, July 15.—The shipments of iron ore from the mines on the Menominee, Marquette and Gogebic ranges are now very much larger than at any time since 1892, when over 4,000,000 tons passed through this port. The weekly shipments now aggregate 125,000 tons, and it is claimed by those who are in a position to know that that pace will be kept up during the balance of the season.

Farmers to Try Irrigation.

BENTON HARBOR, July 13.—Farmers in the neighborhood of Fairplain, 3 miles east of this city, are forming a company for the purpose of irrigating their farms. It is proposed to use a thirty horse-power gasoline engine and force the water from the St. Joseph all through Fairplain. The unusually dry weather has convinced the farmers that irrigation is necessary to save crops.

College Lands to Be Sold.

LANSING, July 16.—Land Commissioner French has decided to place the agricultural college lands ordered sold by the legislature on the market at once. Those at Grand Traverse and Manistee counties, amounting to 1,500 acres and valued at from $5 to $12 per acre, will go first, the date set being August 15. The sale will be conducted at the office of the land commissioner.

Second Trial Successful.

OWOSSO, July 16.—Because Anna Smith's mother refused her consent to her wedding John Samuelson, the latter took a dose of morphine Saturday, but doctors saved his life. Monday morning he swallowed some rat poison and died.

Escaped Prisoner Recaptured.

JACKSON, July 16.—Charles H. Keehn, who escaped from Jackson prison October 29, 1891, has been captured at Lamar, Mo. Keehn was sentenced in 1889 from Muskegon for fifteen years for robbery.

SWEPT BY FLAMES.

Vast Area of Northern Michigan Suffers from Forest Fires.

The Town of Wallin Destroyed—Heroic Rescuers Save the Inhabitants from an Awful Death—Much Damage Is Done.

THOMPSONVILLE, July 12.—For some days past forest fires have been raging in the timber about Wallin and in this vicinity. There being no fire protection, the strong winds drove the flames into the lumber settlement, wiping out every building. Hardly any of the household effects were saved, many of the inhabitants barely escaping with their lives. Some of the men, exhausted from fighting fire, fell fainting while trying to save their property and had to be carried to places of safety. The principal business of the town was lumber, and that industry is at a standstill by the burning of the big mill.

Thomas McClusky, of the Traverse City division of the Chicago & West Michigan railroad, with a work train and fifteen men, was fighting fire at Interlochen. He at once started in to save a bridge at Wallin belonging to the road. Fire was raging on both sides of the road and leaping from treetop to treetop overhead. The men were obliged to lie down, flat and push the car in under the flames. They supposed if any were left in the village they must be dead, but to their surprise found all the twenty-two families in the midst of the flames. Four of them had buried themselves in the banks of the Betsy river. One woman, whose husband was away from home, had dug a hole in a potato patch near the house, buried her three children, one a babe 8 weeks old, and herself, covering all with wet blankets. When the trainmen reached them the topmost blanket was burning. One old lady refused to leave her belongings to burn, and had to be carried out by force. No lives were lost. Some of the rescued party were badly burned. But for the heroism of Superintendent McClusky and the men under his orders the loss of life would have been large.

THOMPSONVILLE, July 15.—In all of the churches in this part of the state rain was prayed for Sunday. Showers are needed badly to extinguish the forest fires and to revive the withering crops, but the sky gives no signs of immediate answer to the petitions.

PETOSKEY, Mich., July 16.—Rain fell Sunday night and forest fires have gone down some and telegraphic communications are being restored. All day Sunday the smoke was very dense over Petoskey and settled like a thick fog. Monday morning the skies were clear and the weather was very pleasant.

MIDLAND, Mich., July 16.—A soaking rain visited this section of the state Sunday night, checking the forest fires. The settlers at Hubbard are out of danger for the time being.

DETROIT, Mich., July 16.—Heavy rains have effectually extinguished all the forest fires in the state and farmers are jubilant over the benefit which the crops will receive, as this is the first general rain in six weeks. Settlers at Wallin and Clary have begun to return to their destroyed homes and will make another attempt to establish themselves.

THREE LIVES LOST.

A Yacht Capsizes Off South Haven, Mich.—No One Saved.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., July 15.—The yacht Arctic, built by Coates & Stillson for H. S. Titsworth, launched last Tuesday, started for Saugatuck Sunday with the owner and builders and capsized about 2 miles out, sinking at once. The life-saving crew found only a cap. The victims are Messrs. Coates and Stillson, builders of the yacht, and H. S. Titsworth, the owner of the ill-fated craft. All were married and leave families.

Dr. Seaman Found Guilty.

DETROIT, Mich., July 15.—The jury in the Dr. Seaman case, after being out all day, reached a verdict about 9 o'clock Saturday night. Judge Chapin was out of the city and it was impossible to learn the verdict until Judge Chambers came into court at 12:45 a. m. and received the verdict, which was guilty on the third count. Dr. Seaman was charged with causing the death of Emily Hall in a hospital in this city.

Railroad Sold.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 13.—The Escanaba, Frankfort & Northeastern railroad, which was sold a month ago to eastern parties for $100,000 under mortgage, has been sold to the reorganization committee of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern railroad for $210,000, and will be operated as a part of the Ann Arbor system. The purchase price was paid in cash.

Adrian Visited by Fire.

ADRIAN, July 17.—Fire was discovered in the basement of Metcalf's large dry goods store at 10 o'clock Tuesday evening. The entire stock will be ruined by smoke and water. The stock is the largest carried in the city and the loss will be $30,000.

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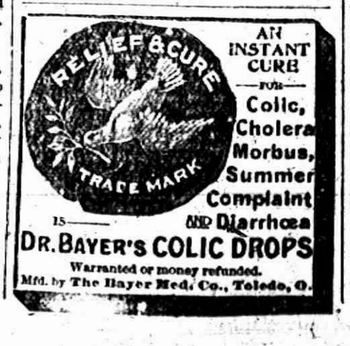

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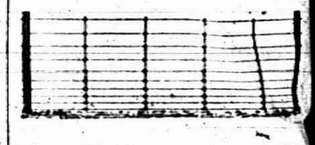

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DOMESTIC.

THE collapse of a floor in the Casino building at Atlantic City, N. J., during a social session of the National Lodge of Elks, resulted in the death of one man and injuries more or less severe to 200 other persons.

THE wife and child of Dr. T. J. Henry, of Apollo, Pa., were run over by a freight train and instantly killed.

MARY and Della Arlington, of Iredell, Tex, attempted to ford the Bosque river, but their cart was overturned and both were drowned.

FIRE destroyed the entire business portion of the village of Barkers, N.Y.

EX-PRESIDENT LUIS BOGRAN, of Honduras, died at Guatemala, aged 46 years.

SEVERE earthquake shocks occurred in the Caspian and Ural districts of Russia and many houses were destroyed at Usunada, Astrachan and Krasnovodsk.

GEORGE MONTAGUE & Co. and F. A. Hibbard & Co., Chicago grain dealers, failed

ALEXANDER SIMMS (colored) was hanged at Jacksonville, Fla., for the murder of Policeman Ed Minor on April 7 last.

GOV. UPHAM appointed Judge Charles Webb, of the Eighth judicial district, to fill the vacancy on the supreme bench of Wisconsin caused by the death of Chief Justice Orton.

GEORGE E. RIPPET, aged 7 years, John Keegan, aged 6, and John McGuil, aged 5, were drowned at Slatersville, R. I., while fishing.

FIFTEEN of the finest buildings at Clayton, N. Y., were burned, the loss being $100,000.

THE insurance men of Oregon, Washington and Idaho completed an organization at Portland to be called the Northwest Insurance association.

THE Canton stoneware plant at Canton, O., was destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000.

ALFRED B. CLINE completed his walk from Denver, Col., to Detroit, Mich. Cline left Denver May 1, having wagered $1,500 that he would walk to Detroit in seventy-two days without a cent of money.

THE exports of provisions during June amounted to $11,134,867, a loss for the month of about $6,250,000. For the entire year the exports of provisions amounted to $159,169,448, a loss of about $15,000,000.

THE business portion of Williams, A. T., was burned by incendiaries.

JOHN HOCH, an ex-convict, killed Minnie Ingersoll, aged 16, fatally shot N. P. Strife and shot himself at Chapel Hill, N. Y. Minnie refused to receive his attentions.

FOREST fires in Michigan wiped out the villages of Wallin and Clary, and many country houses north of Petoskey were burned and the crops ruined.

LENA GROH and Stella Schlaudecker were run down and killed at Cleveland by an electric motor.

OWING to improved business and big crops all the western railroads were putting on more men.

ELIZABETH NOBLES and Gus Fambles were convicted of the murder of the woman's husband at Jeffersonville, Ga. The woman paid $10 to Fambles for the job.

THE receipts at the United States treasury thus far this month aggregate $10,979,000 and the expenditures $23,318,000, making the deficit $12,338,000.

AT the annual meeting in Saratoga of the New York State Bankers association resolutions were adopted opposing the free coinage of silver.

THE new city directory of New York contains 399,128 names, an increase from last year of 11,717.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 12th aggregated $1,146,243,696, against $975,994,944 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 29.5.

A FIRE among business houses at Osceola, Ia., caused a loss of $135,000.

THE formation of the World's Christian Endeavor union, to meet triennially, was the chief business event of importance at the Christian Endeavor meeting in Boston on the 12th.

THERE were 253 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 12th, against 256 the week previous and 247 in the corresponding time in 1894.

W. D. BENDER, of Cincinnati, while insane burned up $45,000 in cash and $13,250 in United States bonds.

A. M. KENNEDY, 71 years old, died in Morris county, Kan., after a fast of sixty-eight days. His tongue, lips and throat were paralyzed.

A PEAR tree loaded with apples is a freak of nature that can be witnessed on a farm near Sailor Springs, Ill.

MRS. J. DEBAY, of Anfawan, Ill., in a crazy fit killed her two children, aged 3 and 5 years, with a hatchet.

THE Cloverdale (Ind.) bank closed its doors.

THE National Division of the Sons of Temperance finished its annual meeting at Cleveland, O., and adjourned to meet in Washington next year.

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A GRAIN elevator at Indianapolis was burned with its contents, the loss being $100,000.

THE Catholic Total Abstinence union of America has opened its rolls to all denominations.

THE Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, Cincinnati, Dayton & Ironton and the Cincinnati, Dayton & Michigan railroad companies were consolidated into one company to be known as the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad company.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 13th were: Baltimore, .627; Pittsburgh, .588; Boston, .533; Cincinnati, .509; Cleveland, .557; Chicago, .555; Philadelphia, .548; Brooklyn, .538; New York, .500; Washington, .400; St. Louis, .338; Louisville, .190.

GINGER, the oldest circus horse in the country, aged 34 years, died at Cincinnati.

FORT PEMBINA, located near St. Vincent, in North Dakota, was ordered abandoned by the war department.

ONE of the biggest gangs of counterfeiters that had operated in the United States for many a year was found in Chicago. They had been making silver quarters and half-dollars and $1, $2 and $5 bills by the wholesale.

BURGLARS entered the post office at Clinton, Mo., and carried away the safe in a buggy.

MRS. ELIZABETH RANKIN, wife of Hugh Rankin, of Pittsburgh, gave birth to four children, three male and one female.

CORA PACE (colored), Mary Hunley and Lewis Stewart, confined in the Owsley county (Ky.) jail for immorality, were taken out by a mob and given 100 lashes each.

TWO GIRLS named Flora and Mary Tomasch, who accompanied an excursion from Cleveland to Chippewa lake, were drowned by the capsizing of a rowboat.

AT Hampton, Ark., two negroes were hanged by eighty-five men for killing a white man two weeks ago.

MISS JESSIE ROBINSON, aged 20, of Indianapolis, will ride a bicycle from Chicago to the City of Mexico, 3,000 miles. She will start August 19, will ride alone, and has wagered to make the run in thirty-eight days.

IN session at St. Louis the National Furniture association resolved against handling prison-made goods.

WILLIAM LANAHAN'S country home stables near Baltimore were burned, six valuable horses being lots.

A TORNADO made twenty-five families homeless at Cherry Hill, N. J., and killed three persons.

THE yacht Arctic capsized near South Haven, Mich., and Messrs. Coates and Stillson, builders of the yacht, and H. S. Tisworth, the owner of the craft, were drowned.

THE large passenger steamer Cibela of the Niagara Navigation company was burned at Leadstone, N. Y., the loss being $250,000.

MRS. JOHN COOPER, aged 33, of Traverse City, Mich., was found dead in her rocking chair with a child in her arms, which was asleep.

IN a wreck on the Texas Pacific road near Handley, Tex., Engineer Al Horner and Fireman John Devine were killed.

MANY buildings were demolished by a tornado at Wood Haven, L. I., and one woman was killed and a number of men, women and children were injured more or less seriously.

ISAAC HUFFMAN and Marshall Garner, two young farmers in Shelby county, Ky., killed themselves with knives in a fight.

THE forest fires in northern Michigan were dying out. The loss to property thus far was over $200,000.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 15th was: Wheat, 41,258,000 bushels; corn, 6,882,000 bushels; oats, 5,632,000 bushels; rye, 132,000 bushels; barley, 151,000 bushels.

IRA JOHNSON (colored) was lynched at Greenville, S. C., for killing a young white man named Longford in a quarrel at Piedmont.

THE most successful convention in the history of the Christian Endeavor society and the largest religious gathering in the world's history was brought to a fitting close in Boston with three great meetings and two big overflows, and fully 60,000 voices were raised in singing "America" and other patriotic songs.

THE waters of the Rio Grande swept out of their banks and flooded the lower part of El Paso, Tex., destroying many houses.

THE Missouri democrats will hold a silver convention at Pertle Springs on August 6.

AT Barnesville, W. Va., Mamie Floyd, aged 8, and her mother were burned to death. The little girl caught fire from a stove and her mother was burned trying to save her life.

EX-STATE SENATOR E. R. CASSATT, the Pella (Ia.) bank wrecker, was sentenced to nine years in the Anamosa penitentiary.

THE forest fires which raged in Michigan for a week were the most destructive in the last decade. Whole counties were swept clean.

BOB HUGGARD, a mulatto accused of assault, was taken from the jail at Winchester, Ky., by a mob of 200 men and lynched.

THE Hitchcock Manufacturing company, manufacturers of wagons and sleighs at Cortland, N. Y., failed for $190,000.

MISS CARRIE MOORE, aged 19, the only child of W. F. Moore, mayor of Atwood, Ill., took her own life with a pistol. A love affair was the cause.

HUNDREDS of acres of growing tobacco in Connecticut were ruined by a hailstorm.

ORDERS were issued by the post office department abolishing the post office at Pisgah, Morgan county, Ill.

TWENTY-EIGHT freight cars were thrown down an embankment at Carey, O., and an oil tank exploded and the cars were burned.

THE president issued a proclamation stating that as Spain had extended to American citizens the privilege of copyright, as contemplated by our copyright act, Spanish citizens are granted the privilege of American copyright.

ANNIE WILLIAMS, aged 13 years, stepdaughter of James S. and Martha Williams, residing at Langdon Station, Ind., killed both her parents with rat poison.

NEARLY 5,000 men employed at the mines in Negaunee, Mich., went out on a strike, their demand for an advance in pay having been refused.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE republicans of Iowa in convention at Des Moines nominated the following ticket: For governor, F. M. Drake, of Centerville; lieutenant governor, Matt Parrott, of Waterloo; supreme judge, Josiah Given, of Des Moines; superintendent of public instruction, Henry Sabin, of Clinton; railroad commissioner, G. W. Perkins, of Farragut. The platform congratulates the people upon the evidence of returning prosperity, which is attributed to the prospective return of the republican party to power; deplores the destruction of the reciprocity agreements by the democratic party; affirms the declaration of the Minneapolis national convention on the currency question and urges an international agreement on the silver problem, and heartily indorses the work of Senator Allison in the senate.

REV. DR. MCANALLY, senior editor of the Christian Advocate, died in St. Louis, aged 78 years.

CAPT. W. O. WYCKOFF, head of the Remington Typewriter company, died suddenly at his summer home on Carleton island, N. Y.

FREDERICK REMANN, congressman from the Eighteenth Illinois district, died at his home in Vandalia, aged 48 years.

FOREIGN.

THE British wheat acreage is 20 per cent. smaller than in 1894 and drought has damaged all the crops.

SIX men were executed in the Montezuma district of Sonora, Mexico, for complicity in a series of robberies.

IN a collision between two immigrant trains at San Pablo, Argentina, fifteen persons were killed and thirty injured.

ADVICES indicated an alarming increase in yellow fever in Cuba and other West India islands.

FOUR negroes at Guanajayabo, Cuba, murdered a groceryman and his wife and three daughters and a brother-in-law.

SIX lives were lost by a cloudburst in the mountains above Taluapantia, Mexico.

REV. DR. CLARK, an American missionary to Siam and an intimate adviser of the king, died in Siam. He had been there twenty-two years.

IN the British elections the tories secured an overwhelming victory. The most notable event was the defeat of Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the liberal leader in the house of commons.

THE feeling at San Salvador against the government was at fever heat. Four of the police guarding the palace were found murdered.

M. STAMBULOFF, ex-premier of Bulgaria, was attacked by four men in the streets of Sofia and probably fatally wounded. Both of his hands were cut off.

THE two dead bodies of Alice and Nellie Pitzel, daughters of B. E. Pitzel, whom H. H. Holmes, now under arrest in Philadelphia, is alleged to have made away with for the purpose of defrauding the Fidelity Insurance company, were found in the cellar of a house in Toronto, Ont.

RELATIVES of persons killed in the recent collision at Craig's Road, Que., have sued the Grand Trunk railroad for damages exceeding $150,000.

LATER.

ROSWELL G. HORR, of New York, and William Hope Harvey, of Chicago, began an eight-day contest in Chicago over the currency question, the former speaking for gold and the latter for silver.

THE bank of Norborne, O., and the Carrollton county (O.) bank were placed in the hands of receivers.

Z. T. LEWIS, the Urbana (O.) bond forger, also floated many thousands of dollars of spurious bonds of Indiana towns.

THE doors of the Banque du Peuple at Montreal were closed, with liabilities of $700,000.

THE Richelieu hotel in Chicago, H. V. Bemis, proprietor, went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $320,000.

CASHIER L. T. PARRISH, of the Farmers' bank of Orrick, Mo., was missing with $20,000 of the bank's money.

THE family of C. C. Newton, en route from Marion, Ind., to Arkansas, ate poisonous mushrooms at Jonesboro, Ill., and three of the children died.

JAMES and Thomas Maloney and James McNerney were arrested near Union City, Pa., where they were counterfeiting silver coin.

REV. DR. ARTHUR BROOKS, aged 50, for twenty years pastor of the Church of the Incarnation in New York, died at sea while returning home from Europe.

AT the twentieth annual convention in Chicago of the National Amateur Press association William Hancock, of Fargo, N. D., editor of Prairie Breezes, was elected president.

DURING the fiscal year 1895 the number of immigrants who arrived in this country was 276,136, against 311,612 during the previous year.

NEBRASKA silver democrats will hold a state convention in Omaha on August 22.

WILLIAM BROSSEAU, the accomplice of Mrs. Nellie Pope in the murder of Dr. Horace N. Pope, on February 2, in Detroit, Mich., was sentenced to twenty-five years imprisonment.

A SLEEPING car conductor and porter were arrested at Detroit for smuggling Chinamen in berths from Canada.

FIGURES compiled by the treasury bureau of statistics in Washington for the last fiscal year show the exports of merchandise to have been $731,860,319, or excess of exports over imports of $75,732,943; gold coin and bullion, $66,131,183, or excess of exports over imports of $30,984,449; silver coin and bullion, $47,226,612, or excess of exports over imports of $37,707,684.

EPWORAH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning July 21. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Stilling the Tempest.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Math. viii, 23-27; Mark iv, 37-41; Luke viii, 22-25.

In relating this incident in the life and ministry of Jesus the three evangelists vary as to the order of events. Matthew, after giving the Sermon on the Mount to show the teaching of the Lord, introduces ten wonderful works to show his power over disease, demons and powers of nature. Among these is the quieting the storm on the lake.

Opposition to Christ had begun to show itself among the Pharisees and scribes. To meet this he teaches in parables. After a day of much mental and spiritual tension in speaking to the great crowds which had gathered, the people possessed with demons were brought forth by friends into the streets of Capernaum and he healed them. Tired with incessant labor and pressed by growing enmity among the influential, he enters a boat with his disciples to cross the Lake Gennesaret. One of the sudden tempests to which that body of water is peculiarly liable strikes down the mountain gorges and lashes its surface into foam. The peril is as great as it is sudden. These hardy fishermen, acquainted with the lake from boyhood, knowing its moods and used to its navigation in storm and calm, find their craft unmanageable, rapidly filling and in danger of sinking. They lose control of themselves as well as of their craft. In the after part of the boat, with head pillowed on the steersman's leather cushion, lies the Master soundly sleeping amid all the turmoil. To him they turn in their fear. Undefined faith in his wondrous power struggles with scarcely concealed irritation at his calm indifference in sleeping in such a time.

Great as is their perplexity before, greater still is their astonishment when aroused by their cries he arouses, rises and speaks in tones of command to waves and winds. Suddenly as the tempest struck the water, more quickly does it subside and deep calm falls. In gentle rebuke he shows them their lack of faith.

This lesson, in connection with the nine other miracles described by Matthew, teaches most impressively that power in the natural world is under the direct control of the Lord, and that our lives are at all times precious in his sight. We should rest without undue anxiety but, trustingly, in his watchful care and protection. We are to commit all our cares and ways unto him, knowing that he careth for us.

The First Methodist Episcopal Bishop.

The first regularly ordained American bishop of any church was Thomas Coke, LL. D. He was born in Wales in 1747, educated at Jesus college, Oxford, England, and became a minister of the English church. In 1776 he joined Mr. Wesley and became prominent and influential among the Methodists. In 1784 he was ordained by John Wesley as superintendent of the Methodists in America, in the English form of consecrating bishops. Coming to America, he was elected as their bishop by the assembled Methodist preachers at Baltimore Dec.

DR. COKE.

24 of the same year. Francis Asbury was also elected to the same office and ordained by Bishop Coke. The needs of the work in England did not permit the latter to continue long in this country, nor did he exercise episcopal functions when absent from America. He was a tireless worker and deeply interested in missionary effort. He established the missions in the West Indies, which largely prepared the way for the after emancipation of the slaves there.

A man of considerable wealth, he devoted it all to advancing the cause of Christ. He assumed the expense of founding missions in India to the amount of $30,000 and died at sea on his way there, in company with six other preachers, in 1814.

Past but Not Perished.

The three great conventions of the Methodist League at Chattanooga, Baptist union at Baltimore and Christian Endeavor at Boston have met, done their work and adjourned, but the influence of these immense gatherings has but begun to be felt. After the season of vacation is past and the local societies get together for work once more the result of all the planning, speaking, praying, singing and shouting will begin to appear in better service and deeper consecration in a thousand lines of effort. Money and toil were not wasted.

The League in Camp.

Camp meetings have become greatly modified in character during the last few years. One of the new features is the League day and various forms of Bible conferences. Much good results from these gatherings. New ideas are gained, zeal is quickened and devotion deepened. Recreation of spirit, mind and body results from such gatherings.

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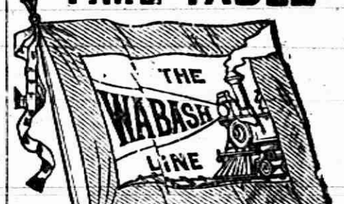

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6 20	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 16	6 10
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 28	5 32
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 26
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 06	4 50
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11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
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Church Resolutions vs. The Saloon Resolution.

BY JOHN G. WOOLEY.

Extracts from a speech delivered in Boston before the Convention of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, July 11, 1895.

The bewildering paradox of the Christian reformer, in these days, is that he must speak of politics without mentioning politics, unless, indeed, he feel constrained to say something contemptuous of the only political party that stands for the only political thing that the Church politically, stands for. You smile, but that is the indispensable condition of commanding the cordial attention of that touchy fugitive from divine justice that goes by the alias of "Christian Public Sentiment." I refuse to try to do it. I should despise myself for such capacity of shrinkage in my manhood as would fit me to scull an argument along the devious larvae-breeding lagoons that go by the name of "policy."

Away back at the sky line of history, limned in heroic outline on the flushing East of legendary time, whoever looks may see a glorious crank or, in theological language, a minor prophet. And like a bugle blast of some blenched and horror stricken but unflinching Titan, sounding a challenge to perdition's envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, his voice splits the great deep of twenty-five centuries of cruelty as rapiers of lightning flash through summer clouds, and scandalizes the 'good form' of decorous and perfunctory Hebraism, hallowing, "Woe unto them that supply drink to other men!"

Voices of his critics do not survive, but doubtless, prude "per diem" orthodoxy shrunk aghast into its gabardine and said, "this Prohibitionist is a nuisance and seditionary. You cannot make men sober by law, statutes should never be in advance of public sentiment. That was the blunder of the Golden Rule, the weakness of the decalogue, the farce of Sinai. I am as good a Prohibitionist as he is but not third party. He is throwing his influence away. He is setting the cause back twenty years. He wants an office. He is a sore head. He is in it for money. He is paid by Babylonish gold. The best we can do now is to work vice on shares and confine it to the tenement districts. Why does he not content himself with scotching sin in general, or tweaking the nose of heterodoxy as the major prophets did. Noah made wine and so did David. Solomon said 'Wine is a mocker, a thing for medicine and pudding. Let this upstart fanatic stick to that, or hold his peace!"

But he said, "There is no muzzle in Palestine that will stop my mouth. I will wear no armour that does not fit me, I will worship no book nor retrogress to any other man's ideal: I refuse to be careful for anything, but in everything, by prayer and thanksgiving, let my wants be made known unto God; I will stand upon my watch tower and see what He will say unto me."

So I, least of the prophets of the great reform, a fugitive from the black galleys of the pirate ship of drink's despair, with the purple welts of a thousand whippings on my heart and whom it is as lawful for any drink-seller to entrap and damn, as it is to kill a rat, have come again, dead spent with tolling up and down the land, to tell you, in the name of the transcendant citizen who threw his vote away on Calvary, what God has been saying to me in the swish of cat-o'-nine-tails of the two hundred and fifty thousand licensed bastinadoes in this Christian land. Expect no soft sheeny sentences from me to-night. Let no sleek politic doctrinaire admonish me to be careful. The white faces of my dead father and mother came to me this morning before the dawn and said, "Get up and curse the saloon!" O friends, O father, O mother, O graves of my dead, O my country, O Heaven, O God, hear me! If I held here in a crucible, while hot, the most scalding, corroding and consummate curse of God I would pour it out upon the liquor traffic with a steady hand!

But stop! Who knows how far that curse would burn its way? Who is it, in the great white dominion and in these states, that keeps the drink on sale?

I have no word to utter here against the distiller, the brewer or drink-seller. The public virtue was for sale, they bought it at its own price, and paid for it in hard cash, bloody dimes wrung from the hands of folly, poverty and toil, and while they own it they have a right to enjoy and profit by the usufruct. My voice is to the voting church. "Awake, thou that sleepest, arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light. Awake, awake, put on thy strength, O arm of the Lord. Put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem. Shake thyself from the dust. Arise, loose thyself, O captive daughter of Zion, for ye have sold yourselves for naught, and ye shall be redeemed without money!"

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, June 7th, 1895.

Special session called to receive report of special bridge committee and to examine plans and specifications for bridge and masonry over Raisin River in Brownville.

Special bridge committee reported that nine bridge companies had presented plans and proposals for steel bridge, two with stone work and one bid on stone work alone. The following were the proposals of the different companies: Mensing & Co., Toledo, Ohio, bridge and stone work, $3,300.00; King Bridge Co., Cleveland, Ohio, bridge, $1,570.00, stone work, $1,510.00; Iron Substructure Co., Columbus, Ohio, bridge, $1,505.00; Wrought Iron Bridge Co., Canton, Ohio, bridge, $1,440.00; Toledo Bridge Co., Toledo, Ohio, bridge, $1,403.35; LaFayette Bridge Co., LaFayette, Ind., bridge, $1,398.00; Massillon Bridge Co., Massillon, Ohio, bridge, $1,360.00; Columbus Bridge Co., Columbus Bridge Co., Columbus, Ohio, bridge, $1,360.00; Detroit Bridge Iron Works, Detroit, Mich., truss, $1,350.00, plate girder, $1,490.00; Lowry & Mitchell, Tecumseh, Mich., stone work, $1,800.00.

Committee reported that they had heard a representative from each of the above companies, had examined and compared plans and specifications and had selected two styles of bridges to submit to the council for their adoption. Said plans and proposals consisted of those of the Columbus Bridge Co., of Columbus, Ohio, being an all steel low truss bridge, price $1,360.00; the other that of the Detroit Bridge and Iron Works, of Detroit, Mich., being a steel plate girder, price $1,490.00.

Mr. Hilton, representing the Detroit Bridge and Iron Works, of Detroit, Mich., and Mr. Jennison, representing the Columbus Bridge Co., of Columbus, Ohio, addressed the council as to the merits of their respective bridges.

A vote being taken as to whether a plate girder or truss bridge should be adopted, resulted in five ballots for the truss bridge.

Moved by Trustee Boyd that a contract be entered into with the Columbus Bridge company for a low truss steel bridge, according to the plans and specifications presented, for the sum of $1,360.00 and that the president and clerk enter into such contract in behalf of the village. Supported by Trustee Hall. Yeas: Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Hall, Smith and Wright. Yeas five, nays none.

Moved and supported that proposal of Lowry and Mitchell for building stone abutments, for the sum of $1,800.00 be accepted and that president and clerk enter into contract for building the same. Contractors to furnish bonds in the sum of $2,000.00 with three sureties. Yeas: Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Hall, Smith and Wright. Nays, none.

Moved and supported that clerk be instructed to draw his orders in such sums and at such times as special bridge committee shall direct, for advance money on contract for stone work. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, July 1st, 1895.

Regular session. Entire council present except Trustee Hall. Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved. Minutes of special session of June 20th, 1895, read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Chairman of special bridge committee reported that contracts had been made with the Columbus Bridge Co., for bridge and with Lowry & Mitchell for the stone work. Bond of same, in the sum of $2,000.00, with C. A. Slayton, W. J. Arnold, James Elliott and Alex. Richards, as sureties, presented and approved. Report accepted and adopted.

Chairman of committee on electric lighting reported that committee had located nine additional arc lamps at the intersections of the following streets:—Maumee and Cummins, Cummins and Union, Kilbuck and Adrian, Adrian and Chicago, Division and Logan, Bidwell and Pearl, Maumee and James, Maumee and Brown, one on Brown street east of L. S. & M. S. railroad track, also that arc lamp on Mill street, opposite residence of David VanTyne had been removed south opposite Spalding's green house: Moved that report of committee be approved and that location of lamps be adopted, supported, carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for June, presented, showing one adult interment and $10.00 collected as interment fee. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for June presented, showing fire team labor 22 days, hand labor 44 days and 8½ hours, hired team labor 7 days. Accepted and ordered filed.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: S. C. Stacy, printing, $7.16; C. F. Field, printing, $4.38; W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, $50.86; Tecumseh Electric company, lights for June, $156.40. Labor: Chas. Dixon, $13.13; Wm. Brown, $1.00; A. Hyde, $23.50. Water works: Garlinghouse Bros., $4.00; C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight, $40.75; A. Park, labor, $4.50. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Moved and supported that street committee build a fence along north side of roadway on Water street. Carried.

The following resolution was introduced:

Be it resolved: That the clerk collect a yearly license of $10.00 from the manager of the Tecumseh opera house, which license shall date from last payment of license fee; or in default the marshal is hereby instructed not to permit any show of entertainment to begin until the license of $3.00 per day, as fixed by ordinance, shall be paid.

Moved that above resolution be adopted, supported, carried.

Moved that street committee secure the services of a surveyor and establish a line and grade for all sidewalks within the fire limits. Supported, carried.

Mr. Satterthwaite, of the board of water commissioners, reported that water supply at the water works well was so low that immediate action should be taken to procure larger supply; that water-board would recommend that two, eight inch, tubular wells be sunk.

Moved that water board be authorized to secure additional water supply, and that they have full power to contract for same. Supported, carried.

Water board also reported that they would recommend that $5.00 be added to salary of C. A. Hooten, for making taps in water mains. Moved that above recommendation be adopted, supported, carried.

Moved that the following words be stricken from Sec. 19 from the Rules and Regulations of the Water Works, viz: "except upon payment of fountain rates, as per schedule." supported, carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Regular session of July 15th, 1895.

All present but Trustee Hall. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

A petition signed by representatives from the Epworth League of the M. E. church, the C. E. society of the Presbyterian church, the C. E. society of the Friends' church, the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church, was presented, asking council to enforce or cause to be enforced the laws relative to the closing of saloons on Sundays and legal holidays and the removing of screens and the enforcing generally of the liquor laws.

Moved and supported that the village marshal be and hereby is instructed and ordered to enforce the laws relative to the closing of saloons on Sundays and legal holidays and the removal of screens therein. Carried.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: For building cement sidewalks:—Miss J. A. Hough, $9.80; H. S. Lee, $14.00; Thomas Mark, $12.35. Labor: A. Ames, $1.25; A. Hyde, $21.00. Water works: S. P. Hosmer, $6.90; E. N. Satterthwaite, $1.00; Thos. Maynard, $13.00; Alex Park, $9.52. H. W. Finch & Co., coal, $21.20; H. D. Edwards & Co., $5.50. Committee reporting favorably on all of above clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Moved and supported that chairman of the street committee cause to be constructed on Chicago street, a sample cement cross walk from the Mills block to Williamson's block. Carried.

Whereas: A disturbance was caused upon the public streets of this village, on Sunday, July 14th, which is considered by this council as a disgrace to this village and the officers in charge thereof. That the action of Constable Wm. Bennett was entirely unwarranted.

Therefore, be it resolved: That Constable Bennett be and hereby is deprived of any and all rights, use and access to the council building or lock-up of this village and that any and all keys to said building now in his possession be delivered to the marshal on demand.

Be it further resolved: That the action of Deputy Marshal Levi B. Thompson, in assisting Constable Bennett on said Sunday, be referred to the street committee, under whose control said Thompson is acting, for investigation and proper action thereon.

Moved and supported that above resolution be adopted. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	18	15
Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		12
Potatoes, per bushel	90	1 00
Beans, per bushel		2 25
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked shoulders		10
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25 to 4 50	
Dressed Hogs, per lb	6	6 to 15
Veal, dressed, per lb		
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb		12½
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—White		60
" Red		67
Corn, shelled	50	55 to 60
Oats	25	to 27
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00	to 12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		8 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		85
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, July 17		
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$4 20	@	$5 75
Sheep	2 50	@	4 25
Hogs	5 40	@	5 65
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy	3 30	@	4 00
Minnesota clears	3 10	@	4 10
WHEAT—No 2 Red	71½	@	71½
Ungraded Red	65	@	73
CORN—No 2	49½	@	50
September	50½	@	50¾
OATS—No 2	28	@	28¼
Mixed Western	29	@	30
RYE	70	@	70½
PORK—Mess, New	12 25	@	13 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 60	@	6 65
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	12	@	17
Western Dairy	9½	@	13
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	$5 70
Stockers and Feeders	2 40	@	4 25
Mixed Cows and Bulls	1 60	@	3 85
Texas Steers	2 75	@	4 25
HOGS—Mixed	4 85	@	5 25
Heavy Packing	4 85	@	5 25
SHEEP	1 75	@	4 80
BUTTER—Creamery	10	@	16½
Dairy	9	@	15
Packing Stock	6	@	9
EGGS—Fresh	10	@	12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	60 00	@	120 00
POTATOES, New (per bbl)	1 65	@	2 10
PORK—Mess	10 50	@	10 90
LARD—Steam	6 17½	@	6 27½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75	@	4 25
Spring Straights	2 50	@	3 25
Winter Patents	3 00	@	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	66½	@	68
Corn, No 2	44¾	@	45¾
Oats, No 2	23½	@	23¾
Rye, No 2	49	@	49¾
Barley, Common to Choice	36	@	42
MILWAUKEE			
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	63	@	63¾
Corn, No 3	47¾	@	48
Oats, No 2 White	27¾	@	27¾
Rye, No 1	54	@	54½
Barley	48	@	48¾
PORK—Mess	10 95	@	11 00
LARD	6 25	@	6 30
ST LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 60	@	$5 60
Texans	3 00	@	4 20
HOGS	4 90	@	5 15
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 50
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 50	@	$4 90
Feeders	2 40	@	3 65
HOGS—Light and Mixed	4 65	@	4 95
Heavy	4 75	@	4 95
SHEEP	2 25	@	3 00

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At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, July 11, 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 53,313 31
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	26 500 46
Overdrafts	892 11
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	73,589 84
Checks and cash items	958 43
Nickles and pennies	123 74
Gold coin	16,089 20
Silver coin	784 20
U. S. and National Bank Notes	5,834 00
Total	$ 179,351 28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expens s	
Interest and taxes paid	1,419 74
Commercial deposits subject to check	101,297 28
Commercial certificates of deposit	32,534 26
Total	$ 179,251 28

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1895.

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Two Cases Cited in Which the Patients Themselves Give the Facts to Two Well-Known Journals.

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From the Battle Creek, Mich., Moon.

This is indeed an inventive age. Science and art have vied with each other in an endeavor to see which could outstretch the other. Every day the world is astonished by the announcement of some wonderful discovery or invention. Medical science has made as great, if not greater, advancements in the past century than any other science or art. Cures have been performed the past quarter of a century that in the days of our fathers were deemed impossible. Miracles have been performed the past few years that are almost incredible, and which seem almost as marvelous as those performed in the olden time.

A *Moon* reporter, hearing an almost incredible story of the restoration to health of Mary C. Gould, wife of John Gould, who has been unable to sit up for over two years, drove out to her home to hear the story from her own lips.

The reporter made his business known and asked the lady if the story of her restoration to health was true. "Yes," she said, "all you have heard is true, and more, too. Two years ago last September I was taken with what the doctor called inflammatory rheumatism. At first I only had slight pains in my left limb, but the pains gradually grew worse, and in a short time I was compelled to take to my bed. It was impossible for me to move my leg at all. It seemed to shrink and shrivel up; and when the cold weather set in it was almost impossible for me to keep this limb warm, it was so susceptible to the cold. I doctored and doctored; and although I employed the best medical skill that I could get in Battle Creek, there seemed to be no help for me. After over a year of suffering that no human being can describe, the doctor gave me up. I was discouraged, and it did seem to me that if I had to die I might as well die one time as another, for my pain was beginning to be almost unbearable. A neighbor told my husband that he had heard that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People was a remedy highly recommended for such cases, and he advised me to try them. The next time he went to Battle Creek he called on Messrs. Amberg & Murphy, the druggists, and bought six boxes of the pills and brought them home with him. I commenced to take them and soon began to feel a little better. I kept right on with the medicine, and on the 12th day of September I was able to leave my bed, and to-day I am doing all my work alone. I did not get better all at once, but gradually gained strength. My limbs slowly but surely became strong, and my whole system felt strong and healthy, which it had not for many years. After suffering so long and enduring so much pain, it is little wonder that I feel grateful to this remedy for my restoration to health."

The *Moon* reporter then called on Messrs. Amberg & Murphy to hear their statement of the case. "Yes," they said, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have done wonders for Mrs. Gould. She was given up by the doctors, and her lot seemed to be to spend the rest of her days in bed. There probably is no remedy on the market that has done so much good for suffering humanity as Dr. Williams' pills. We know they will do just what they are recommended to accomplish, and that we will never have to take back a statement we make about them."

ACUTE DYSPEPSIA.

Sympathetic Heart Disease Often Attends It.

From the Republican, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. V. Curley, who has resided in Clarence, Iowa, for the past twenty-one years, tells an interesting story of what she considers rescue from premature death. Her narrative is as follows:

"For ten years prior to 1894 I was a constant sufferer from acute stomach trouble. I had all the manifold symptoms of acute dyspepsia, and at times other troubles were present in complication—I did not know what it was to enjoy a meal. No matter how careful I might be as to the quality, quantity and preparation of my food, distress always followed eating. I was despondent and ill almost to the point of insanity at times, and would have been glad to die. Often and often I could not sleep. Sympathetic heart trouble set in, and time and again I was obliged to call a doctor in the night to relieve sudden attacks of suffocation which would come on without a moment's warning.

"My troubles increased as time went on, and I spent large sums in doctor bills, being compelled to have medical attendance almost constantly. During 1892 and 1893 I was impossible for me to retain food, and water brashes plagued me. I was reduced to a skeleton. A consultation of physicians was unable to determine just what did ail me. The doctors gave us as their opinion that the probable trouble was ulceration of the coats of the stomach, and held out little hope of recovery. One doctor said, 'All we can do to relieve your suffering is by the use of opium.'

"About this time a friend of mine, Mrs. Symantha Smith, of Glidden, Iowa, told me about the case of Mrs. Thurston, of Crawford Junction, Iowa. This lady said she had been afflicted much the same as I had. She had consulted local physicians without relief, and had gone to Davenport for treatment. Giving up all hope of recovery, she was persuaded by a friend to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The result was almost magical.

"I was led to try them from her enthusiastic and before many months I felt better than I had for a dozen years. I am now perfectly free from trouble, and if through some piece of diet I feel badly, this splendid remedy sets me right again. I have regained my strength and am once more in my usual flesh. I sleep well and can eat without distress. I have no doubt that I owe my recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I only wish that I had heard of them years ago and thereby saving myself ten years of suffering and much money."

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A BEAUTIFUL CEREMONY.

Laying the Corner Stone of the New Reformed Church at Macon Village.

Last Tuesday afternoon was the day fixed for the formal ceremony of putting the corner stone in place of the new Reformed church edifice now in course of construction at Macon. This church should not be confounded with the one located near the Grange Hall, which is called the South Macon Church. Both churches belong to the same charge and Rev. J. I. Gulick is the pastor. His faithful labors for the past three years have culminated in a new building at Macon village, which will, when completed, be a monument to his industry, a credit to the society and an ornament to the town.

The edifice will occupy the old site, on the east side of the road to Tecumseh and in the edge of Pennington's grove. An addition has been made to the lot on the east side and the old building has been moved to the eastern boundary and will be utilized for social and general purposes. It is planned like the Friends' church in Tecumseh, only there will be a tower at the northwest corner and the pulpit will be located in the southeast corner. The room on the north side is separated from the main auditorium by folding doors and the two can be thrown together when necessary. The church will be heated by a furnace in the basement. When finished the building is expected to cost about $2300, but the expense is likely to reach a total of $2500 before all the necessary work is done. The contractor is Frank Drake. George Kempf furnished the plans and Fred Pocklington will do all the mason work, both foundation walls and plastering. The regular executive committee of the church consists of three members. To these were added four more names to make the building committee, thus forming a strong committee of seven, as follows: Dr. W. S. Morden, chairman; C. L. Morgan, treasurer; Mrs. Hattie Sage, secretary; G. D. Kuder, Dr. Geo. Howell, Thomas Boyce and Wm. Osgood.

It was a beautiful day Tuesday for an out door gathering. The heavy rain of last Saturday had cooled the atmosphere and laid the dust, and at the appointed hour, 2 o'clock, the village was alive with teams and visitors. A platform and seats had been arranged in front of the foundation walls and there, amid the piles of sand and big boulders, with the corner stone in view and apparently overseeing the ceremony, the exercises were held.

The program opened with an anthem by the choir. Then followed an invocation and salutation by the pastor, Rev. J. I. Gulick.

Next came singing by the congregation, scripture reading and prayer by Rev. Ramsdell, of Clinton.

The choir rendered the anthem, "Christ the Foundation Stone," after which the congregation repeated in unison the Apostles Creed and the corner block was formally placed in position. Another anthem by the choir followed.

Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, was then introduced and gave a fine address, about thirty minutes long, which held the closest attention of the audience throughout.

We append a brief synopsis thereof: The true church is one of spiritual power. Not in fame, nor in worldly power, nor in wealth to make a strong church. A church may have all these and still be a pigmy in real strength. No matter how much money the pew may represent, nor how influential the members are, never will that church be noted for great and abiding strength until it is possessed by the spirit of God. We can not make gold out of clay, nor precious stones out of fire brick. No amount of cutting and polishing will make a flint rock glow and sparkle with the luster of a diamond. Equally is it impossible to make an ideal church out of worldly material. A church can be ideal. It is in the power of all churches. The great head of the church has promised it. If it is not attained it is the fault of the members. The power of a few ideal members is wonderful. What would the church be were it not for the few ideal workers, the few pillars?

Then followed a historical sketch by Dr. Geo. Howell, giving some of the early religious history of Macon township, which is given herewith:

Today we lay the corner stone of a new house of worship.

To the members of this church, and of the several churches, perhaps, a short historical sketch of the early religious interests of our village may be of interest.

Sixty-five years ago this past June the first settler came to reside in Macon. The new settlement grew rapidly and in 1833, sixty-two years ago, the residents of Macon built a little log school house on the hill between Jesse Coller's and the creek beyond. For $25 Peter Sones, Sr., built the house and fitted it ready for use. Previous to this, religious meetings were held in the log houses of the various settlers. The first public religious service in the settlement was held at the house of Peter Sones, in 1832, by the Rev. Joseph Bangs, a local Methodist minister residing near Tecumseh, and later in the same year Rev. A. S. Wells, a Presbyterian minister from Tecumseh, also preached at the same place.

To the little log school house in the forest, built by the pioneers in the interests of education and religion, Mr. Bangs came in 1833 and preached the gospel of Christ and Methodism. Mr. A. S. Wells came and preached the same gospel and the Presbyterian faith, and the Rev. Mr. Limbarker came with the same gospel and taught the doctrines of the Free Will Baptist church. From their teachings three churches had their beginning. The characteristics of those three pioneer ministers differed greatly. Mr. Bangs was quite clear and logical; kind hearted, but uncompromising. Mr. Limbarker was rhetorical, eloquent, impetuous, and at times sarcastic. Mr. Wells was calm, persuasive, gentle and winning.

I speak of these men from early impressions, for from the time I was an infant in my mother's arms until eleven years of age they all were very frequently entertained at my father's. Each of them cradled me in his hands, each carried me in his arms. I sat on the knees of each and, as I grew older, listened to their conversation, and the impressions of my childhood have never been effaced.

The Methodist church was organized in the log school house in 1832-3, with James Dennis as class leader. The Free Will Baptist church was organized Aug. 8, 1835, by Rev. C. P. Goodrich, with five members: Joseph Litchard and wife, Hiram Cole and wife and David Green. The baptismal service took place just east of the bridge, near T. E. Hendershot's. Mr. Wells won several to the Presbyterian faith and baptised a number of little children. Mr. Wells' work was a labor of love. He closed his ministry at Tecumseh in 1835 without organizing a Presbyterian church. After this he occasionally visited the neighborhood and was gladly received by the settlers. Soon after the close of Mr. Wells' ministry the Rev. John DeWitt was sent by the board of Domestic Missions to Ridgeway.

The Presbyterian and Reformed churches are so nearly alike that Mr. DeWitt followed the ministry of Mr. Wells, and by Mr. DeWitt was preached in this neighborhood the first sermon by a Reformed minister.

In the missionary work Rev. John Minor succeeded Mr. DeWitt. There was as yet (1847) no church organization, nor was it decided whether there should be a Presbyterian or a Reformed church organized. In the ministry of Mr. Minor in 1847 those friendly to the Presbyterian and Reformed churches circulated a subscription for the purpose of building a house of worship. No denomination was named, for it was to be left to a vote of the subscribers to determine whether it should be a Presbyterian or a Reformed church. The committee having the matter in charge was Peter Sones, Sr., Robert Harriott and Dr. Joseph Howell. The site was leased of John Pennington, Jr., to be deeded by him to whichever church the subscribers should by vote decide. The lease is dated July 1, 1847. The subscribers were:

Peter Sones,	$100	Job Burleson,	$ 5
Joseph Howell,	100	Jo Pennington,	5
Robt Harriott,	40	Gab Mills,	15
John Harriott,	5	James Jacobus,	5
W. Harriott,	5	Garrett Aten,	10
Charles King,	10	Ab Wheeler,	5
John Niblack, Sr,	15	R. Richart,	4
John Morgan,	2	D. Haggert,	3
Charles Morgan,	5	O. Miller,	8
A. VanAntwerp,	10	R. Liddle,	15
Matthew Aten,	5	D. Hatch,	5
Sam Morgan,	5	M. Hendershot,	10
Jose Pennington,	10	D. O'Riley,	3
Joshua Kuder,	5	Sam Lindsley,	5
H. C. Smith,	5	J. N Niblack,	6

These amounts were to be paid in full by October 1, 1847. Today only two of the subscribers are living The others have gone to the land on whose "shore the waves of eternity break."

The committee contracted with Abram V. Hunt to build the house, 40x28, for $480, he to have it ready for use the first of November, 1847. The house was occupied during the winter of '47, but not completed until the summer of 1848.

It was in this house, in the winter of 1847, that Rev. J. Minor tried to teach us juveniles the catechism while sitting on the rough side of a whitewood board.

Rev. Rob't. Taylor, pastor of the Reformed church at Ridgeway, began his ministry here on April 30, 1849.

Forty-eight years have passed since the old building was erected. It has been a house of worship. Here the Methodists have gathered and partaken of their Communion. Here the Baptists have held revival meetings and administered the Lord's Supper. Here the Friends, moved by the inner light and Spirit, have taught the gospel of Christ. Here our church has met since 1849—45 years.

Rev. Mr. Gulick then read a sketch of the Reformed church organization. This sketch we are obliged to omit for lack of room. The exercises closed with singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

The audience then adjourned to the old church. The body pews had been taken out and tables substituted in their place, and for two hours the crowd passed in and out to partake of refreshments. The ice cream and cake held out, however, and all were amply provided for, the receipts adding a nice sum to the building fund. Thus ended a ceremony that will long be remembered by the residents of Macon.

Here is a Bargain.

During the month of August 1895, we will take short term subscriptions for the Michigan Farmer and the HERALD at the rate of twenty-five cents for three months. Both papers three months for only a quarter. This offer will be withdrawn on the first of next September. Pass in your subscriptions.

A POPULAR SUMMER RESORT.

A Few Items About Devil's Lake and Some of Its Numerous Attractions.

Among the many popular inland lakes of old Lenawee perhaps that which local parlance has consigned to the possessions of his Satanic majesty stands at the head as to size, variety of scenery and the advantages and attractions which private enterprise have placed on its shores to beguile the sojourner seeking recreation and comfort. The lake is the largest body of water in the county and situated in the northwest corner in the townships of Woodstock and Rollin. On the north end is Devil's Lake station, on the main line of the C., J. & M. railway, while the southwest corner touches Manitou on the Cincinnati branch of the same road. This gives this resort excellent railroad facilities. It is also within easy driving distance from Adrian, Hudson and Tecumseh, the journey making a pleasant drive, which is daily indulged in by residents of those towns. The natural scenery of the lake and surrounding country, which is the highest land in southern Michigan, is unsurpassed in all the lake country of this section. The lake has bold shores, sloping shores, wooded shores, and now and then a tilled field stretches to the water's edge with its golden grain or waiving corn. The beaches are as varied as the shores, with gravel or sandy bottoms for bathing, and shorter slopes where the looser soil, lilly pads and pickerel grass afford cover and sustenance for an abundance of the finny tribe. The long stretch of the lake affords excellent opportunities for yachting and boating. The lake is ever decked with neat rigged sails and fishing boats, while the smoke and whistle of the active excursion steamer betokens its presence. The railroad facilities and hotel accommodations have attracted to this resort a very large patronage of summer boarders from the larger cities. The picnics, reunions and encampments which here enjoy their annual outing are many in number and numerous in size. Altogether, Devil's Lake may be said to combine all of the drawing points possessed by the smaller and larger lakes, with the disadvantages of neither.

DEVIL'S LAKE HOTEL.

At the head of the lake on the north end is situated the hotel known by the above name. This place is situated on the main line of the Mackinaw road, the trains stopping directly in front of the house, making it the most easily accessible by rail of any place on the lake. J. B. Allen built this house before space was quite as valuable as at present, and it is safe to say that it has the largest, airiest and most commodious rooms to be found at this resort. Mr. Geo. Armstead is now proprietor, with the genial J. R. McEldowney, of Adrian, as clerk. Mrs. Armstead superintends the culinary and domestic branches of the concern in person and the result is a thoroughness which is seldom found where these important duties are delegated to others. Her meals cannot be described. They are just like your mother's. At present, as always, the fishing is excellent at this end of the lake. Good boats, tackle and all kinds of bait are furnished here for the wiley angler and the fish will do the rest. Capt. Dimick has his steam and sailing yachts always ship-shape for the accommodation of visitors, making this hotel his headquarters. The Trilby is the only steamer on the lake which can pass through the channel at present. The Devil's Lake Hotel is open the year round for patronage. Its aim is to give first-class, home-like accommodations to its guests both as to board and lodging. To this is added the personal attention and courtesy of those in charge which combine to make the north end a most satisfactory place to spend a day or a month in the pursuit of rest, recreation and pleasure.

GREEN & PATTISON.

The Pleasant Grove House, situated on the south side, is rightly named, for if there is a pleasant spot in Michigan it can be found here. The house is situated on the southeast shore and is easily accessible from Adrian and Hudson by road and to the station at Manitou Beach. This is Allen's old stand. The management was last year assumed by W. J. Green and N. M. Pattison. Mr. Green has charge of the hotel in person. Last year was his first year in the business, but the new proprietor came with distinct and well formed ideas of his own as to how a summer resort should be conducted. The success of his plans is best demonstrated by the patronage which the house received last year and from the fact that this season has brought back the old guests with many new ones. At present the house is nearly full, accommodating from 75 to 100 guests from Dayton, Cincinnati, Kansas City, Toledo and other cities. Mr. Pattison has charge of the boats and picnic grounds. This gentleman is identified with the history of the lake, has a large acquaintance with resorters and knows just what they want. He will have his hands full at the big Maccabee picnic, July 26, and will give satisfaction to all. This place is an ideal resort, combining as it does all the advantages for summer boarders, picnic parties, campers and transients, and the courteous attention of the proprietors will always please and hold their ever increasing patronage.

CAPT. GEORGE DIMICK.

If any one thing more than another adds to the comfort and enjoyment of a sojourn at the lake it is the sense of security and pleasure which one experiences when riding in a staunch seaworthy boat which is managed and run by a man who understands the business. Capt. Geo. Dimick is the man and he has the craft. The steam launch Trilby is a new, swift, neat boat of about five tons burden. She is light draft, has a new engine of latest design, and is the only steamer which can pass the channel this summer. The sailing yacht, Norma, is also new, made at Detroit under special order from the Captain. She is a beauty throughout and probably the finest boat ever launched on the lake, carrying ten to fifteen persons and sailing like a greyhound. The Captain is a thorough sailor and is ever ready to place himself and the Norma at the disposal of pleasure parties. He makes the north side his headquarters, making trains and all points of interest about the lake.

THE SECOND MATINEE.

A Large Gathering and a Fine Lot of Races Last Saturday.

The second matinee of the season came off at Bills' driving park last Saturday afternoon, and was more successful, if anything, than the first one. There was a large crowd in attendance and the entries were numerous, but as the weather was cool and cloudy the first race was called promptly on time and they were rushed through with a swim. The last race was completed just as the big shower began and the grounds were vacated in short order. Below is the score.

NAMED RACE, NO. 1.

White Locks, b. g., Chas. Armstrong,	1	1	1
Minnie Aragon, b. m., W. S. Roberts,	2	2	4
Ida C., b. m., P. Cole,	4	3	2
Pumpkin Seed, b. g., Wm. Gibson,	3	4	3
Lady Mull, g. m., M. Lancaster,	5	5	6
Nona, s. m., P. C. Smith,	6	6	5
Springbrook Girl, s. m., B. Billington,	7	7	7
Bill, b. g., J. B. Oven,	8	8	9
Gray Spot, g. g., J. Whelan,	9	9	8

Time 1:27, 1:26½, 1:25½.

NAMED RACE, NO. 2.

Prairie Lill, blk. m., Wm. Cadmus,	1	1	1
Hambletonian Girl, g. m., E. Simmons,	2	2	2
Bonny Bell, b. m., A. Paulding,	4	3	4
Birdie B., blk. m., Chas. Craig,	3	4	5
Claymont, g. s., Allen Bros.,	5	6	3
Clinton Girl, b. m., H. Lancaster,	7	5	6
Fannie K., b. m., A. Cooley,	6	8	7
Leopard Rose, sp. m., E. Prichard,	8	7	8

Time 1:22½, 1:23½, 1:22.

FREE FOR ALL.

Sickles Hambletonian, b. s., Sam Ramsby,	1	1
Texas Jim, blk. g., A. Harmon,	2	2

Time 1:19½, 1:20.

BICYCLE RACES, ½ MILE, 2 IN 3.

Lasley,	2	1	1
Stofflet,	1	6	2
Ott,	3	0	3

Time 1:31½, 1:19; 1:27½.

TWO MILE DASH.

Lasley,	1
Stofflet,	2
Ott,	3

Time by halves, 1:31, 2:52, 4:09, 5:28.

LADY BICYCLE RACE, ½ MILE DASH.

Rena B. Stofflet,	1
Blanche D. Sprague,	2

Time 1:40.

Emancipation Day at Battle Creek.

Account of the Grand Celebration of Emancipation Day at Battle Creek, Aug. 1st., the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Railway will run a special low rate excursion train, Toledo and intermediate points, to Battle Creek and return. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 7:17 a. m., fare $1.00 for round trip, tickets good going and returning on special train of Aug 1st.

For full particulars, etc., see large hand bills or call on the nearest C. J. & M. Agent. T. C. M. SCHINDLER.
Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

"Ma, that baby across the street hasn't any teeth." "Of course not Tommy. You didn't have any when you were that small." "But that baby's pa is a dentist."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JULY 26, 1895.

Mrs. Dr. Fowler is a Detroit guest this week.

Mrs. James Hoaley is visiting friends in Toledo this week.

Mrs. Fred Davis spent Sunday with her sister at Jackson.

Miss Eva Shimmen called on Tecumseh friends Monday.

Mrs. Ham Niblack is visiting her people in Ypsilanti this week.

Perrine & Downer's circus gave an exhibition in town yesterday.

Mrs. G. R. Wolf went to Detroit last Thursday for a few days stay.

Miss Petunia VanDeMark has been visiting in Detroit this week.

The Baptist Sunday school held a picnic at Wampler's lake Tuesday.

Will McGuire, of Toledo, was a Clinton visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Hannah Murphy visited her sister, Mrs. Wilder in Adrian, over Sunday.

Miss Anna Klein, of Chelsea, is making a visit at the home of Martin Keusch's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Prentis, returned Saturday from a two week's visit in Charlotte.

Hon. Chas. H. Fisk came over from Detroit last Sunday to attend the Goodrich funeral.

The Misses Lizzie and Tessie Sullivan and Minnie Humphrey were Adrian visitors Monday.

Miss Bessie Corwin, who has been in Grass Lake for the past few weeks, returned last Friday.

Miss Nellie Cavenaugh came from Chicago Monday for a few week's visit at Patrick Murphy's.

Early peaches are very plentiful on the market and are selling at a correspondingly low price.

Miss Gertrude Cross, of AnnArbor came to Clinton last Friday for a week's visit at Mr. Kingsessher's.

The K. O. T. M. band of this village furnished music for the visitors at the bicycle meet at Tecumseh yesterday.

C. R. Miller and L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian, and A. F. Freeman of Manchester, were in town on legal business Saturday.

Casius C. Fisk is expected here from Detroit Saturday and will return Monday with his wife, who has been visiting here for the past two weeks.

Henry Lancaster, B. G. Woodward, G. D. Ellis and Wm. Teisen drove to Ypsilanti Tuesday and went from there to Detroit to witness the races at the blue ribbon meeting.

S. W. Demuth and Eugene Fowler were dining at Evan's Lake, Monday. It is almost useless to add that these anglers caught fish, as they never fish without so doing—that is, hardly ever.

A pretty heavy game of ball was played at Manchester Monday between the Clinton and Manchester teams. The score stood 27 to 17 in favor of the home team, which shows heavy batting and running if nothing else.

The convivial young ladies of Co. V, with a few friends, have rented quarters at Wampler's Lake and will go into camp next Monday. The company will be champeroned by Mesdames Merritt, Martin and Wm. Waterhouse.

The woolen mill was closed down for repairs on the boilers last Monday. Many of the employees took advantage of the rest to pass a day at the lakes or elsewhere, while some even dared to go to Manchester and play ball.

The large Annual Farmer's Picnic will be held at Wells's Wampler Lake Summer Resort on Friday, Aug. 2nd. Rev. D. R. Shier will deliver an address. There will be races and other sports during the day and a dance in the evening. Music by Tipton band.

The funeral of David Goodrich, who died Thursday of last week, was one of largest ever held in Clinton. It was held in the Congregational church Sunday morning at the usual hour for services, the other churches suspending that service that their pastors and members might be present. The sermon was preached by Rev. Warner, the choir choir assisting at the church, while the masonic fraternity took charge of the ceremonies at the grave. The master and brethren of Palestine lodge, F. & A. M. acted as pall bearers. Members of Covenant lodge I. O. O. F. also performed rites of their order and the floral offerings of these two bodies, of which the deceased was an active member were rich and beautiful. Altogether the obsequies were very impressive, the large attendance testifying to the popular favor of the young man while living. S. B. Goodrich, of Detroit, D. F. Goodrich and wife, of Cortland, and Mrs. C. M. Moore of Rochester, N. Y., were mourners from abroad.

TIPTON TOPICS.

This dry weather has effected the business of the cheese factory somewhat as it reduces their daily supply of milk. They are taking about 3,400 pounds of milk daily even now and if the pastures revive, this amount will soon be increased.

Harry Pattison of Tecumseh is taking out door views for Teeple and got a fine negative last Monday, of W. J. Hampton's store.

The Tipton band go to Devils Lake to-day to make music for the Maccabee picnic, which is being held at Pleasant Grove.

Rev. Shier and family are enjoying a vacation of about a month at Bay View, near Petoskey.

Fred Cooley leaves this week for Dakota for an indefinite stay.

Elmer Lifce and wife of Napoleon visited at C. W. Luce's over Sunday.

Important Facts.

If you have dull and heavy pains across forehead and about the eyes; if the nostrils are frequently stopped up and followed by a disagreeable discharge; if soreness in the nose and bleeding from the nostrils is often experienced; if you are very sensitive to cold in the head accompanied by headache, then you may be sure you have catarrh; and should (immediately) resort to Ely's Cream Balm for a cure. The remedy will give instant relief.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Luman Deming gets no better.

Wm. Bradley was no better at last accounts.

John Bradley, now of Hillsdale, called on E. C. Wisner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wisner, of Bridgewater, were guests of Franklin relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Bradley's remains were brought to Franklin and are at rest in the Iron Creek cemetery, where those of the family who have gone before are interred.

The well business is booming on the south pike. Horace Wilcox has put down one for Mrs. Hanford and Mr. Derby, getting plenty of water. He is at work now at Phil Pentecost's.

If you like a rich, finely flavored cheese, insist on having the Tipton, or call at the factory and get it. We are sampling a freshly cut one and find it excellent.

Rev. Bert Alverson, wife and daughter, Dena, of Rives Junction, visited Franklin relatives last week. They were en route to their daughter Bernice's and expect to return this week when they will visit in Tecumseh.

Wm. Spalding met with a serious accident last Sunday morning. A neighbor's horses had been getting into his father's fields and Will went to look after them, finding them beside the fence with several rails down. He approached to drive them away and remembers nothing further til he found himself sitting up against a tree an hour or two later. Near him were two pools of blood, his head and face were cut and his face covered with blood. The clothes on one shoulder were cut entirely through as though a horse might have stepped on him. It is supposed, of course, that one of the horses must have kicked him.

ONSTED ODDS.

The needed rain has come at last.

The farmers have commenced cutting their oats.

Regular grange meeting last Saturday evening.

Skinner & Hines are painting the exterior of their store.

The mill proprietors are having an increase of feed to grind.

Baker & Mosbier are doing some good jobs in carriage painting.

Frank Aldrich visited near Norvel last Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Clark, of Jackson Co., was a caller in town a few days ago.

Rye in this locality is yielding very good but wheat very poorly.

The threshing machines of this vicinity have commenced operations.

Smyth & Schuyler are kept quite busy setting tires on all kinds of vehicles.

A very nice rain came last Saturday afternoon which refreshed everything.

M. Aldrich now drives a young team which he bought of D. Turner of Woodstock.

A goodly number from this vicinity took in Barnum and Bailey's show at Adrian.

The next Masonic meeting occurs July 31st, and the first degree will be conferred.

On account of the scarcity of water a number of wells are being dug in and around town.

The store occupied by W. F. Muck has been very nicely painted both in the interior and exterior.

L. D. Palmer is closing up his business preparatory to join his cousin in the clothing business in some town in Penn.

Joe Sayles took his departure from this vicinity very suddenly and now is sojourning in the salubrious climate of Canada, but if he had left that horse and buggy behind Chas. Horton would have felt better.

Mrs. Mary Townsend, living southwest of town, died very suddenly a few days ago with heart trouble, being attacked about one-half hour before her death. The funeral services took place at the North Rome F. B. church and the remains were laid beside that of her husband in the cemetery.

Did You Ever Think

That you cannot be well unless you have pure, rich blood. If you are weak tired, languid and all run down, it is because your blood is impoverished and lacks vitality. These troubles may be overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla because Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure, rich blood. It is, in truth the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion. 1w

Patient(after wound has healed): "Yes, I am all right again, but I fear that I shall carry this terrible scar as long as I live." Surgeon (reasuringly): "Yes; but then you know, you may live only a year or two."

What We Offer you

is this: if you are troubled with Catarrh, Cold in Head, Hay Fever, go to Druggist named below and get a bottle of Century Catarrh Cure. No danger of being humbugged. Relief in five minutes and a positive cure. Sold by C. A. Wright. July

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Even in the most severe cases of sprains or bruises, cut or burn, Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment. 1w

"Ma, that baby across the street hasn't any teeth." "Of course not Tommy. You didn't have any when you were that small." "But that baby's pa is a dentist."

Don't you know that Hood's Sarsaparilla will overcome that tired feeling and give you renewed vigor and vitality? 1w

"This hasn't a sign of a clam in it,' said the guest who had ordered clam chowder. "It's a swindle; that's what it is." "Excuse me, sir," responded the waiter, who is too good for that business, "but we only undertake to serve a chowder, not an aquarium."

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

What seems to be a case of simple diarrhœa frequently develops into the most dangerous of bowel troubles. If neglected. Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry is a never failing specific in all such cases. 1w

Have You Had Your Vacation?

If you have not, you should read what Governor McKinley, Chief Dunn, Joe Jefferson, Rev. Thomas Dixon, Dr. Cyrus W. Edson, and Camille d'Arville say about the best way to enjoy an outing, in "The Question of Vacations from Different Standpoints," published in Demorest's Family Magazine for August, and profit by their experience; and if you have already had your summer rest, you will still enjoy reading their views and comparing them with your own. Apropos to the same topic, a charmingly illustrated paper in the same number, "A Queen of the Coast," gives a most vivid description of that popular resort Atlantic City, and to those who can't get away the illustrations and descriptive letterpress will be almost equal to a trip there. The "silent steed," the favorite one this year, is treated both humorously and pratically in two profusely illustrated articles. "My First Experience With a Bicycle," which will appeal to every woman cycler, and "Woman's Dress for Cycling," which gives excellent advice on the all-absorbing matter of dress on the wheel; and if you havn't a wheel, and can't have a vacation, you may solace yourself with the breezy stories, of which there are a number. In fact, every one will be sure to find something of interest in this bright midsummer number, which is full to overflowing with interesting and timely matter. Published for $2 a year by the Demorest Publishing Co., 110 Fifth Avenue, New York.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c., and $1.00. 3

Bay View Announcements Out.

The Bay View summer announcements are out and are of public interest. They fill sixty pages of magazine size and are beautiful with a hundred half-tone views of scenery and life at this great Northern Michigan resort and summer educational center. The Assembly four weeks' program is strikingly attractive and the Summer University with its forty-five instructors from leading institutions, offers unsurpassed advantages. It embraces eight throughly equipped schools: College and school of methods, Bible school, conservatory, schools of art, oratory, physical culture, and for writers. The enrollment a year ago was very nearly 800. It is given out at headquarters that this is going to be the largest and finest of all the Bay View Years. The University opens on July 10th, the Assembly July 17th, both closing August 14th. All Michigan railroads will sell half-fare tickets there, daily, from July 8th to 17th inclusive, return limit August 15th. Round trip tickets from Tecumseh will be $9.14. The public will be supplied with the summer announcement, giving also full information about expenses, etc., by addressing a card to J. M. Hall, Flint, Mich. Call for the June Bay View Magazine.

High Prices Must Go.

The idea of paying $25 to $75 per acre for land that is improved and with only a prospect of making a living is preposterous.

The chances for selling such farms at an advance are limited.

The C. S. Graves Land Company, 56, 5th Ave. Chicago, is offering fine farming land, unimproved, in Central Wisconsin (see advertisement in this paper) at such low rates and on such favorable terms that prices will increase from year to year. This land is located within easy reach of good markets with plenty of fuel, good water and excellent schools, and is selling at from $5 to $10 an acre. 1w

C. J. & M. Notice.

Effective Sunday 30 inst., fast freight-train service will be inaugurated between Cincinnati and all stations on the line of C. J. & M. Ry., making close connections also for important points on connecting lines. Northbound, Train No. 10 will leave Cincinnati daily, except Sunday, at 8:35 p. m. connecting with No. 8 at Van Wert, thus making deliveries of Cincinnati freight in from 12 to 18 hours. South-bound, Train No. 7 will connect at Van Wert with train No. 9 at ten p. m., arriving in Cincinnati early the following morning.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, Itching Piles, and say nothing about it through a sence of delicacy. Instant relief in Doan's Ointment. It never fails. 1w

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cicinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon appication. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chatanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

TOO MUCH WORK

For a Healthy Existence.—That's Why the Kidneys so often Fail.

Nature has provided a certain amount of work for every organ of the human body; overtax them and disease eventually follows. There is not one portion of our organism that is so overworked as the kidneys; on them is placed the important function of filtering the blood of the impurities which naturally form in the regular action of life and digestion. The kidneys are consequently termed the sewerage of the system; clog up this sewer, and the blood becomes tainted with poisonous uric acid, which brings on disease in many forms. The ack is the first to show this stoppage. From there comes the warning note; it should be heeded, and the kidneys receive prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills will right the action of the kidneys quickly, relieve the back of pains and aches, and cure all troubles of kidneys and bladder. Read the following:

Mr. Wm. Nelson is a well-known business man of Kalamazoo, he resides at 822 Portage Street, and his business is that of a grain buyer. He says:

"For five years I have suffered from an inability to urinate, which resulted from what was said to be a stoppage of the bladder. During these years I have taken mineral and electric baths and used other means in expectancy of getting better, but they all proved unavailing. Some months ago I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, which I had heard highly recommended, and I can now say that the flattering reports were not greater than they deserved. I got better right along, and I am free from any trouble now. I feel better than I have done for three years past. If Doan's Kidney Pills were well known all over they would do an immense amount of good."

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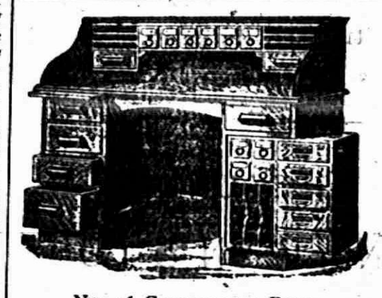

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ighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

P. B. Hardy is reported ill this

Lenardson was a Milan visitor ay.

Lee played ball with the Adrian team Saturday.

ne Johnson is now a papa—a r girl—Saturday.

Arthur Curtis and children are g her parents in Ypsilanti.

Blanche Bannister and Maude on the sick list this week.

farmers of this section are in the of their oat harvest at present.

Babcock and Vern Osterhout Milan visitors one day last week.

nd Mrs. King, of Ida, spent Sun- Britton with Mrs. King's parents, d Mrs. Ackley.

Ward has resumed work at the n Haight's hardware. You can r milk pans mended there now t order.

ster Clark, of Elkhart, Ind., and ole Woodruff of Detroit, are vis- t their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Clark's.

arget at the intersection of the and Mackinaw roads has a new paint. The coat fitted so the put it on.

Hall Britton will have a cir- morrow. Perrine & Downer's ous aggregation and only one, tively exhibit on that day.

E Horton, secretary of the exe- committee of the Reformed will address the people July 7:30 p. m. in the G. A. R. hall. invited.

Britton Mandolin Club discours- c for the multitude at the on- ent at Grange Hall Wednesday The club are becoming very entertainers.

en of these parts, having miss- e specimens of his feathered r several nights, laid for the He bagged a good sized coon and have ceased to fly at night.

a number base ball enthu- from this place witnessed the ed at Lake Ridge last Thurs- ween the Atlantas of Ypsilanti home team of that place.

on claims the banner wheat crop county, if not of the state. Eb. ecently threshed the product of s getting therefrom just 2087 bu. y acres produced 45 bushels to re. The wheat was from seed uced in this section by C. A. Slay- ing called No. 6.

nteen of Britton's fair damsels art for a week's encampment at ake the first of next week. The will be chaperoned by Mrs. Geo. y. A great event is looked for will not be surprising if many of oung men will have business at particular resort about that time.

s. Anna Hanley, of Tecumseh, has canvassing the town this week g orders for a book, entitled "The er's Bride." The poem gives a interesting and vivid description r incidents, and is well worth read- Mr. Hanley has recently lost near- entire use of his eyes and her ose is worthy of support.

t Tuesday the Brittons played eturn game with the Ogden Center loors, at the grounds of the latter. Killdeers are not flying so high as re, for despite their most heroic ts their wings were slightly clipped. Giants were minus three regular rs and Biggs was unable to pitch. ral Lee took the box and did some ition twirling, striking out 4 men. ome team had a nice, hot, dry and ride of 53 miles, which they en- hugely. Score:—Britton 23; Og- nter, 13.

Britton Goliaths played the last f the series with the Cone But- last Saturday and succeeded in their opponents 5 to 1. The as called at the end of the 7th on account of rain. Batteries, and Lowe; Caswell and Cas- Hits off Easlick 1; off Caswell 7. k pitched a superb game. Only 18 me to bat in the first six innings ly 1 hit was made off him in the The game was one of the best ayed by amateurs in the county s a credit to both teams. Score:

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	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2

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en a mother sees her little girls on a programme for a piano solo feels that there can be nothing er in life to hope for, but when, in ourse of a few weeks, the girl ap- s and plays with her hands crossed, wonders that she was so proud be-

Worms in Children,

toms of which are restlessness, and ding of the teeth in sleep, bad th, itching of the nose, pain in stomach, hardness and swelling he abdomen and convulsions. A sure and pleasant remedy for e complaints is Foley's Family rite Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & ple.

July

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Ed Dawson took a spin up on his wheel Sunday.

Chester Clark had a rib broken by a horse kicking him.

Elitor Stacy was a caller in the burg Saturday morning.

Will Anderson, of Grand Rapids, visited his sister Mrs. Ash Saturday.

The C. E. Social meets at Wm. Doty's Friday evening. All are invited.

Mrs. Wilder is very poorly. She is under the efficient care of Dr. Nixon.

We were remembered by a few drops of rain Saturday, just enough to lay the dust.

Miss C. E. Winship visited a few day's at the Misses Graham's in west Raisin, last week.

Monday a few sprinkles, but that was only an aggrevation in this dry time. We need rain very bad.

Mrs. James Ash is about the same at this writing. She has a trained nurse from Detroit to care for her.

F. G. Florance is having a new brick cellar added to his store, which is a much needed improvement.

A missionary from Persia will give an address at the church next Sunday morning. Every one welcome.

The social at Mrs. J. L. Richard's was largely attended; had a good time and the net receipts amounted to $5.00.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winship of Adrian, visited L. C. Winship and wife Sunday, also Miss Jennie Underwood of Ridgeway, Mich.

It is not decided about the store that was burned down last week, whether it will be rebuilt by Rothfuss & Brown or some other parties as yet.

Mr. Joe Billmyre, of Belleview, Ohio, is home to attend the funeral of his mother, who departed this life Friday morning at 10 o'clock a. m.

Friday morning at 10 a. m. death invaded the home of Joseph Billmyre and claimed as its own Mrs. Billmyre, who has been an invalid for nine months. Apoplexy was the cause of her death at last. The family has the sympathy of all in this sad affliction. Rev. Cansfield of Ridgeway officiated at the burial.

CARD OF THANKS.

I the undersigned, take this opportunity to express my heart felt thanks to the neighbors and friends for their timely assistance in protecting my property during the fire.

Respectfully,
F. G. FLORENCE.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

C. W. Culbertson rides a Hickory.

Saturday's rain was the first for several weeks.

Mrs. C. L. Lowe is on the gain at present writing.

Lillian Dersham, went to Palmyra Saturday for a week's stay with her parents.

Russell Williams, of Perrysburg, visited G. M. Gove and family Sunday and Monday.

Brewster Clark, Elkart, Ind., is spending a few days with his cousin, George Houseman.

Eddie Williams, and May House, of Clinton, visited Wm. Larkin and family Sunday and Monday.

Mattie and May Consaul, of Adrian, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gove Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houseman, went to Clinton Sunday to spend the day with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Clark.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Billmeyer, held at her late home in Raisin Monday afternoon.

Fred L. Cook with his sister Gertrude who has been spending several days as the guest of Leila Sutton, left for his home at Lansing Monday.

Mrs. S. L. Travis, of Macon, in company with her grand-daughter Marie Travis, of Lansing visited her neice Mrs. Sarah Pocklington, last week.

Mrs. Frederick Gorton left for Lansing Monday to spend a few days with her husband who is attending the summer normal at the Agricultural college.

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OBITUARY.

On Friday of last week the Angel of death called to her reward one of the much loved members of our church, Mrs. Joseph Billmyer of Raisin. For several years she has been in very poor health being near death's door at times, but never for a moment during this long time was she known to complain over her affliction, but bore her suffering bravely trusting in her Savior that all would be well at last. Whenever friends and neighbors visited her at her bedside, she spoke words of hope, pointing them to her Jesus, who doeth all things well. To know her was to love her. She was a devoted wife and mother to her family which is shown by the well order of her household. A vacant chair is left in the home that can never be filled again; a loving wife's counsel and a Christain Mother's smile will ever be sacred in the memory of the bereaved husband and children. The funeral services were held at the house on Monday afternoon, where a large gathering of neighbors and friends met to pay their last respects to a true friend and loving neighbor. Rev. H. Cansfield spoke words of comfort and encouragement to the afflicted family. The remains were laid to rest in the family lot in Evergreen cemetery. The afflicted family have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends.

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The ladies aid society of M. E. church met at Mrs. Angie Mills' this week; an attendance of fifty and a very enjoyable time are reported.

The corner stone of the Reformed church was laid Tuesday with appropriate exercises. The ladies of the church served refreshments and cleared nearly twenty-five dollars for the benefit of the church.

The entertainment at Grange hall Wednesday night was excellent. Much credit is due to Mrs. Dewitt Martin and Miss Lulu Weeks; for their untiring zeal in its arrangement. The program was about equally divided between Macon, Ridgeway and Britton talent and was creditable to all. The Macon quartette failed to appear owing to the absence of Mr. Allen.

There seems to be a tendency toward increasing the length of all entertainments here. The exercises on the 4th were too long and those at the hall Wednesday were open to the same criticism. A recitation, a song, or even a sermon, is never appreciated by a tired, half suffocated audience, and we believe there would be no loss in attendance, but a real gain from refreshments, etc., sold, if our programs were not prolonged till people were anxious to go home. It is all right to give people their money's worth, but this giving a fifty cent entertainment for ten cents is being more than generous.

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And that six months from the 29th day of June, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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A GREAT BICYCLE DAY.

The Ten Mile Road Race Won by Harry Caldwell, of Detroit.

MANY EXPERT WHEELMEN PRESENT FROM ABROAD.

The Events at Bills' Park in the Afternoon Witnessed by an Immense Crowd—A Fine Balloon Ascension.

Bicycle Day has come and gone and to say that the celebration was a grand success would be putting it very mildly. Tecumseh did not celebrate the Fourth, but Tecumseh's first "Derby Day" will rank among the grandest gala days the town ever witnessed. The old-time greased pole and greased pig were no where to be seen, the ten cent dance was non est, but modern inventions and methods ruled the hour and Young America, adorned as an athlete, controlled the celebration. The clerk of the weather was in his happiest mood, for it was a model July day from sunrise till sunset. The committees in charge had perfected all the necessary arrangements down to the last detail, so that nothing was left undone to insure the success of the affair.

Many wheelmen arrived in town the evening before, having come from Battle Creek, where they participated in the State meet on Monday and Tuesday, and yesterday morning brought them in by the dozen from all quarters. Chicago street had been scraped and put in fine condition for the fancy trick exhibition where the champion, Sid Black, was to show his skill. The grand stand had been enlarged and a wire netting placed in front of the track to prevent the crowd encroaching thereon. Extra policemen were sworn in to be used in case of emergency. Two bands of music had been engaged to provide the necessary musical parts of the program. In short, all the preliminaries had been properly attended to and all that was necessary was a crowd. And the crowd came in due season.

The merchants, also, had caught the spirit of the occasion and had decorated their stores with flags and bunting, which made Chicago street present a veritable holiday appearance, while many residences along the ten mile course displayed the national emblems.

As early as eight o'clock teams began to pour in from the surrounding towns and at ten o'clock the village harbored an immense crowd of visitors. Shortly after ten the road race was called and after that came an exhibition by the famous Sid Black. The seven track events in Bills' park were witnessed by another large crowd and consumed the entire afternoon. Just before nightfall the balloon ascension took place from Monument Park and thus fitly terminated a most successful celebration.

Below is the official roster of the day:

Referee—Albert Allan.

Judges—W. W. Whiting, W. H. Hayden, E. N. Satterthwaite.

Time-keepers—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Fred Rosacrans, J. J. Freeman.

Starter—Ben. J. Garlinghouse.

Clerks of Course—Bert A. Garlinghouse, T. R. Kyle.

Announcer—Geo. Burt.

Scorers—G. S. Field, W. B. Odion.

Umpires—E. F. Kirchgessner, Bert Lawrence, C. H. Millis.

The referee was a citizen of Detroit and the announcer hailed from Bay City. The other officials were Tecumseh men. The Clinton and Tipton bands both furnished music at intervals during the day and both did valiant service. The Lilley House was the headquarters of the officers and wheelmen, and Landlord Patterson had his hands full to entertain them all. He succeeded admirably, however, and the Lilley House added another chapter to its good record for taking care of a crowd. To the officers of the Tecumseh Bicycle Association and the committees in charge too much credit cannot be awarded for their untiring efforts. We do not believe in flattery, but it is only simple justice to say that Percy Fitzsimmons especially performed his arduous duties most admirably, and demonstrated executive abilities of a high order. Not an accident occurred during the entire day to mar the pleasure of the visitors. The crowd, though large, was an orderly one, and no drunkenness or rowdyism was to be seen. The day's program was given without the slightest hitch or [illegible] from start to finish. We append a brief description of each event as fully as time will permit:

THE ROAD RACE.

It hardly seems possible that a ten mile road race, where only the start and finish can be witnessed by the spectators, would develop enough interest to hold a large crowd. But interest is no name for it. The ten mile handicap of yesterday worked up the wildest enthusiasm in a crowd of over two thousand people. The course consisted of two five mile laps, starting from the four corners, two miles south to White's corners, thence one-half mile west to the Strong school house, thence two miles north to Stacy's corners and east on Chicago street to place of starting. Everything was excitement from the start to finish and yet the officials took every care of every detail with promptness and without confusion or error. The limit men, the five and four minute men and so down to the scratch, shot out on the course, and it seemed as if the Marshalls had hardly time to dress back the crowd before Ott dashed around the corner, the first around the course. The others soon passed and now the crowd was wild with the expectancy of the finish. Now the scorers, timekeepers and judges rubbed their eyes, took positions of advantage and sharpened up their choicest nerve for the occasion. Ott soon showed up still in the lead, setting the pace for Holmes of Kalamazoo, close behind. The leader seemed to have a sure thing till within ten rods of the tape when Holmes, by a clever spurt, took first from out of his teeth by less than a length in 27:24. Harry Caldwell, of Detroit, a 30 second man, won the time prize, a gold crank Falcon bicycle in 25:53.

The first prize was a diamond ring, $75. The second, diamond stud $30. The Third, diamond cuff buttons $20, C. F. Wolcott, Gibsonburg, O. Fourth, pair M. & W. tires, W. A. Tinker, Jackson. Fifth place, Elmer M. Stoffiet, Ann Arbor, all 4 minute men. The other prizes-winners, in order named were: Harvey Stoffiet, AnnArbor, Richard Schaddelee, Grand Rapids, C. D. Wilson, W. Bay City, C. H. Diehl, Jackson, C. M. Bayfield, AnnArbor.

THE CHAMPION'S TRICK RIDING.

Following the road race was an exhibition of fancy and trick bicycle riding by Sid Black, the phenom. for certainly his performances are phenominal. For nearly an hour he held the closest attention of the crowd. It would be simply impossible to describe or enumerate his positions, or the subtlety of his manipulations. Even the grandest diction of our verbose hyperbolist, the Secretary of the association, would fall far short of this task. Suffice it to say that he was a favorite with the spectators, and Barnum's show would have played to empty benches during his performance. In the evening he repeated a portion of his show and rode down a 30-foot ladder on a buggy wheel for a little diversion.

THE TRACK EVENTS.

The afternoon races were a grand success, being witnessed by about 3000 people, beside a good sized audience of public spirited sneaks who looked on from their showy carriages through the gaps in the fence. Considerable gun powder was exploded near them, but even their horses were armed with the 6-inch triple cheek of their owners, and didn't even wink. A fine photograph was taken of their faces. The proofs will be submitted to the war department to be tested by the fire of heavy ordinance, and those worthy citizens may soon find lucrative employment for their unmitigated, brazen-faced gaul.

The riders were obliged to contend with a stiff west wind, but the track was good, and very fast time was made. We give below a synopsis of the events. Owing to lack of time and space the official score card is omitted and will appear in full next week.

One mile novice—1st prize, $30 gold watch, Philip Keusch, Clinton; 2nd, Alfred packer, Morenci. Time, 2:43 1-5.

Half mile open—1st prize, $50 diamond stud, H. A. Caldwell, Detroit, 2nd Fred Loughead, Sarnia, Ont. Time, 1:07 2-5, breaking track record made here by Barnhart last year by 4 4-5 seconds.

Berna Oldfield, of Toledo, won first, a gold watch, in the boy's race—1:12 4-5.

An exhibition half mile, done on unicycles, was given by Sid Black, the fancy rider, and Roy Keator, of Chicago.

Two mile handicap—1st prize, $50 diamond ring, C. D. Wilson, W. Bay City; 2nd, John Schaffer, Detroit. Time, 4:40.

An exhibition half was done by Percy Patterson, of Bay City, in 1:02 2-5, breaking the state record by 1 3-5 seconds. H. R. Morris, of Vassar, made an exhibition quarter in 31 1-5 seconds lowering the track record.

Gay Davidson again carried off the county championship, a $40 solid gold medal in 1:12 4-5. Ott came in second.

One mile open—1st prize, $50 diamond stud, Fred Toughead; 2nd, Caldwell. Time 2:38. Three mile lap race—1st prize, $50 diamond ring, Caldwell; 2nd, Toughead. Time 8:05.

THE BALLOON ASCENSION.

The balloon ascension and parachute drop was a very pretty and creditable aeronautic effort, taking place at monument square just before evening. Mrs. Ollie Phillips, whose stage name is Susie Belmont, sailed majestically up on the trapeeze to a point in the zenith above the C. J. & M. depot and dropped lightly down underneath her parachute to the track below and the program for the day was ended.

A very interesting part of the exhibit to be made by the Department of Household Economies of the Woman's Board, at the Cotton States and International Exposition, will be cooking by electricity. Electric stoves will be shown in operation, and the process fully explained. Aladin's Oven, an invention of Mr. Edward Atkinson, the famous statistician, will also be shown. By means of this oven, the heat from an ordinary oil lamp will cook a dinner.

Last Wednesday the remains of Mrs. Lillie Morrison Mundy were brought from Toledo and buried in the family lot in Tecumseh cemetery. In the absence of our Baptist pastor the Rev. Whitney, of Adrian Baptist church, officiated, the deceased lady having been a member of that denomination. The burial was strictly private only the near relatives being present. General sympathy is felt for the stricken family and particularly for the little motherless girl. She will be adopted by her mother's family and take their name.

Have You Had Your Vacation?

If you have not, you should read what Governor McKinley, Chief Dunn, Joe Jefferson, Rev. Thomas Dixon, Dr. Cyrus W. Edson, and Camille d'Arville say about the best way to enjoy an outing, in "The Question of Vacations from Different Standpoints," published in Demorest's Family Magazine for August, and profit by their experience; and if you have already had your summer rest, you will still enjoy reading their views and comparing them with your own. Apropos to the same topic, a charmingly illustrated paper in the same number, "A Queen of the Coast," gives a most vivid description of that popular resort Atlantic City, and to those who can't get away the illustrations and descriptive letterpress will be almost equal to a trip there. The "silent steed," the favorite one this year, is treated both humorously and pratically in two profusely illustrated articles. "My First Experience With a Bicycle," which will appeal to every woman cycler, and "Woman's Dress for Cycling," which gives excellent advice on the all-absorbing matter of dress on the wheel; and if you havn't a wheel, and can't have a vacation, you may solace yourself with the breezy stories, of which there are a number. In fact, every one will be sure to find something of interest in this bright midsummer number, which is full to overflowing with interesting and timely matter. Published for $2 a year by the Demorest Publishing Co., 110 Fifth Avenue, New York.

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To give some idea of the scale of thoroughness with which the whole is environed it should be stated that Mons Arnold Kiralfy, whose name has been for years associated with dramatic and lyric specialties, was engaged to superintend the training of the ballet and he arrived in Detroit Monday night for that purpose. The Detroit Railway cars are now running direct to the main entrance to the park. Performances will will be given July 23, 25, 27, 30, August 1, 3, 6, 7, 8 and 10. The opening performance was given Tuesday evening to an immense crowd.

"Well, I should say there is a difference between a railroad time table of the present and one before the war," said an old time railroader the other day. "An instance which will give you a faint idea of what an early time table was comes to my mind just now. It was when Fred Avery was a young man running an engine on the Lake Shore. He got ahead of his time on a trip, running from Toledo to Adrian in six hours, and was suspended two months for the rash act. Just think of it. Why 15's time from Toledo to Adrian is now three minutes less than an hour."—Evening Telegram.

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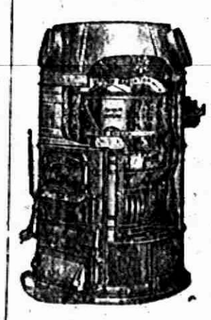

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SEH, MICH., JULY 26, 1895.

OCAL AND PERSONAL.

t Stretch is in town two or three s week.

R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., was over Sunday.

nd Mrs. Dwella Hodges are in or few day's visit.

B. S. Hudson is expected here is family this week.

Burlingame has connected his ith the water works.

Mary Mills was visiting at Joe 's in Franklin last week.

H. E. Barnum, of Hastings, is est of Dr. Steinhoff's family this

Osborn, of Eddy, New Mexico, is ng two or three weeks in this y.

and Jenny Snedecor, of Ypsi- re visiting friends in and about eh.

LeBaron, of Toledo, closed his ks vacation and returned home day.

C. Baird, of Dayton, Ohio, is a few days with her mother, Wood.

Q. Jones and Dr. B. F. Stein- ted the family of Dr. L. M. Brooklyn last week.

Martin Palmer and wife, of are spending a couple of weeks umseh and Ridgeway friends.

Hayden was summoned home nd Rapids Saturday by reason eRoy Mead's death. He will t home all this week.

the difference between the oman" and the "old woman?" w woman" has more hustle and woman" had more bustle.

mmer meeting of the Detroit Club is to be held this week, cing Monday and closing to- Several horsemen from this are in attendance.

piritual Camp meeting at Devils ll begin to-morrow, July 27th, over three Sundays, closing ay, Aug. 11th. Good music will endance and there will be tests h lecture.

remium list of the Michigan air is at hand. The Fair will at Grand Rapids this year, Sept. an effort will be made to pay the society's indebtedness. A ow may be expected.

lendar of the Michigan Mining as been received, giving the of study and general informa- arding the school. This insti- s now well established and is in public favor every year.

re would you advise me to at- ool the ensuing year," asked a cher, of one of the leading edu- f the state, "I know of no better was the response, "then the Normal University, of Fayette,

Rising, porter at the Lilley has purchased of Earl Slayton te and agency of the Detroit Mr. Rising will deliver your promptly where you want them. orders first house north of the ist church.

Geo. Childester, of Lansing, was in town last Monday.

The News went to press Wednesday evening this week.

Kennedy & Rogers have a new card this week. Read it.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Orr also have a daughter. Ten pounds.

Rev. C. S. Lester, of Eaton Rapids, is visiting Raisin friends.

Take tea with the ladies at the Universalist church this evening.

Marvin Hayden is home from Grand Rapids a day or two this week.

A. W. Mills is constructing a cement walk in front of his residence.

Did you notice the show windows of Tansley & Son's store yesterday?

Rev. B. S. Hudson is expected to occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday.

Will Odion and Bert Lawrence took a ride to Clayton Sunday on their wheels.

Miss Clara Campau, of Reading, was visiting W. B. Odion's family over Sunday.

A night blooming cereus at Mrs. E.G. Cook's unfolded its blossom Monday evening.

The Baptist ladies are repapering the parsonage and getting it ready for the new pastor.

Harry Martin, of Chicago, is taking a vacation with his old Macon and Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. Geo. Everett leaves today for a few weeks' visit with Coldwater and Elkhart friends.

The Clinton and Britton ball clubs will play a game upon our grounds tomorrow afternoon.

There are now over one hundred students enrolled at the summer school at the Adrian college.

H. W. Stevens has caught the fever and is having a cement walk laid in front of his residence.

The work on the new bridge near Smith's paper mill is being pushed along as fast as possible.

Rev. J. M. Getchell and wife arrived in town last evening for a brief visit with Tecumseh acquaintances.

J. S. Strong is having some cement walk laid on his premises and steps to the front entrance of the house.

Editor Faling, of the Petersburg Sun attended the races yesterday and paid a paternal call at the HERALD office.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Smith, of Grand Rapids, are spending a week or two with old Tecumseh acquaintances.

A number of the Masonic brethren of Tecumseh attended the funeral of David Goodrich at Clinton last Sunday.

Miss May White left this week for her home in Chicago after a three weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beebe.

Mrs. G. A. Bowles, nee Mattie Totten, of Mathertown, Ionia county, is the guest of Miss Hattie Woodard this week.

Herman Herning spent a few days in Tecumseh this week. He is living in California where his parents and brothers now reside.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a Wheel Tea in the Baptist church on Tuesday evening, July 30th. Come and see the wheels go around.

Wm. Hayden and S. P. Hosmer got home from their lake trip last Wednesday feeling much refreshed and invigorated by the journey.

W. Weaver, of Toledo, who was engaged here in the harness business forty years ago with John Clements, is now working for J. S. Gillman.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held in the M. E. church parlor on Wednesday, July 31, at 3 p. m.

P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, J. L. Anderson, Clifford Millis, C. F. Patterson and J. H. M. Campbell attended the bicycle tournament at Battle Creek the first of the week.

Eb. Price has the banner yield of wheat this year. He threshed out 50 acres with a yield of 2087 bushels. Twenty acres of this went 45 bushels to the acre. The wheat is known as No. 6 and was introduced in this section by C. A. Slayton.

The officers and directors of the Farmers Picnic Association of Lenawee and Hillsdale counties will meet at Broadsell's Landing, Devils Lake, Saturday, the 27th inst., at 10 a.m. to make arrangements for the forthcoming annual picnic.

Several Tecumseh people were present at the corner stone laying at Macon last Tuesday afternoon. There was a large gathering present and a fine program was presented. The new church edifice there was started under most favorable auspices.

Mr. A. W. Habbin, general manager of the Habbin Electrotype & Engraving Co., of Detroit, was in town Wednesday and favored the HERALD with a call. Mr. Habbin worked ten years for the Free Press Co. and in '92 started in business for himself. The company do all kinds of engraving and are working up a fine business.

Mrs. Lovisa Clark, who formerly lived at Newburgh, died on Monday last at the home of S. J. Walker in the town of Norvel. The remains were brought to Tecumseh for burial, and a brief service was held at the grave yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock. The deceased had been a sufferer for several months from a cancer, which finally terminated her earthly life.

The heavy rain of last Saturday has revived the failing crops wonderfully.

Miss Mary McClure, of Alton, Ill., is visiting this week at Samuel McClure's.

Miss Anna Mc Clure has returned from a two weeks stay with friends in Toledo.

Miss Hattie Hurd, of Tuscola, Ill., is the guest of her sister Mrs. C. M. Brown this week.

Cyrus Mead and wife, of Ypsilanti, were called here Monday to attend Mrs. LeRoy Mead's funeral.

Some vigorous action was taken by the council last Monday evening to enforce the liquor law on Sunday. This is a move in the right direction.

The HERALD and Michigan Farmer will be sent three months on trial, both papers, for twenty-five cents. This offer will hold good only during August.

Rev. C. M. Brown returned from his vacation trip last week. Sunday evening he gave his congregation a little sketch of the great C. E. convention at Boston.

Owing to different arrangements, a banquet will be served at the next regular meeting of the Eastern Star, Thursday, Aug. 1st. A full attendance is desired.

Prof. F. H. Hillman, of Reno, Nevada, his wife and child, are guests of his father's family for a few days. The professor holds a position on the faculty of the Nevada State University, and is evidently prospering there.

Miss Adah Waldron has been appointed superintendent of twenty-five or more primary grades of the Menominee city schools. Miss Waldron has been teaching Kindergarten in the same schools for the past three years.

The story of an exiled lottery, which, after having been driven out from the United States, is now existing precariously in a Central American Republic (Honduras,) is told by Richard Harding Davis in Harper's Weekly for Aug. 3.

A bright and amusing little story in the July Arena is Alice W. Fuller's "A Wife made to order." Since so many confirmed bachelors seem to demand something of this sort Miss Fuller's story will obtain a wide reading among the ladies.

The expenses are so low at the Fayette Normal University that a thorough education is placed within the reach of any earnest young man or woman. The president would be glad to answer all inquiries concerning special courses. Write him for catalogue.

Harry Pattison is taking out door views for Teeple. He travels about on his bicycle, carrying his camera with him, and has had a good run of work for the past month. He has taken several of the Sand Lake cottages, with their groups of visitors, during the past few weeks.

"Chautauqua: Its Aims and Influence" is the title of an exhustive article by Professor Albert C. Cook, of Yale University, in the August number of The Forum. He describes the Chautauqua system of education, explains its aims, and tells of the far-reaching influence it is exerting, not only in the United States, but throughout the world.

A gentleman left a dollar at his favorite grocery store when the circus was here, to get the grocers to buy him a couple of show tickets in the evening. They did, but for a joke they bought children's tickets, and the circus visitor didn't discover the difference until he presented himself at the door. As he was afraid of pickpockets he had left his pocketpook at home, and the show was half out by the time he found some one he knew to borrow a dollar from.—Evening Telegram.

The B. Y. P. U. gave a very interesting program at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, to an audience that completely filled the church. It consisted of music, readings, recitations and essays. The choruses were all well sung, and the solo by Mrs. L. M. Kellogg was excellent. The essays by Misses Fisher and Millis were worthy of especial mention. Master Eddie Cookingham has wonderful talent as an elocutionist. Notwithstanding the torrid weather, the audience was held to the close, and it was a lengthy program.

We stopped at Raisin Center an hour or two last week, between two trains, and as the depot accommodations there are not first-class we called at Stephen Galloway's. It was fearfully hot that morning, but we found it quite comfortable in a big rocking chair near an open door on the shady side of the house. Mr. Galloway came to Michigan in 1839 and the family settled on this same farm, where he has lived most of the time since. He has been postmaster 27 years, having been appointed under President Johnson, and he remains undisturbed through all the mutations of parties and politics.

Mrs. Josphine Mead, relict of the late LeRoy Mead, died at her home in this village on the 19th. She had been an invalid for several months, caused by a severe hemorrhage of the lungs, from which she never fully recovered. Her last illness, however, was of short duration, being an attack of catarrhal pneumonia. The deceased was a daughter of Uncle Daniel Clarkson, one of the pioneers of Macon, and was a woman of rare intellectual worth and domestic virtues. The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the house on Union street, and was largely attended by friends of the deceased, both from Tecumseh and Macon, Rev. J. I. Gulick, officiating.

Charles Williamson passed away this forenoon at 9:30 o'clock. The deceased was in his 72nd year. The funeral will be held Sunday at the house at 4 o'clock.

Evangelist Jay Lord, from Ypsilanti, will preach in the Friends church next Sabbath morning and evening. J. C. Hageman will be out of town and will preach elsewhere.

A small roll of currency was lost yesterday, about $20. If the conscience of the finder is troubling him the loser will soothe it and incidentally will present him with half the bill if it is returned to this office.

There will be a meeting of the South Macon Cemetery Association at Grange hall Thursday, August 1st, 1895, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of president. D. BAILEY, Sec'y.

Harry Smith, the tinsmith of Ridgeway objects to being left out of the Ridgeway write-up. It was an inexcusable oversight, that is true, and we make haste to correct the omission. He is known over all this section of the county as a first-class workman and people wanting anything done in the tinner's line will not miss it by giving him a call. "Tink" will treat you well and do your work in the same manner.

An interesting series of social and economic papers by representative women opens in the July Arena. The initial papers discuss the question,—"Is the Single Tax Enough?" and are from the pens of Sarah Mifflin Gay, and Frances E. Russell. It is stated that leading English and American thinkers among progressive women will contribute to this unique symposium. Verily the women are coming to the front.

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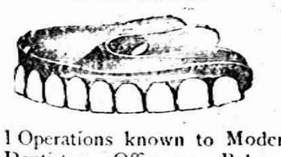
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FATAL WINDSTORM.
Destruction Wrought at St. Clair, Mich., by a Cyclone.
ST. CLAIR, Mich., July 22.—A fatal wind storm, accompanied by a heavy rainfall, burst upon this city soon after 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. For several weeks prayers had been offered in this vicinity for rain. The storm was cyclonic in fury, and before it had spent itself a child had been killed, two men injured and much property destroyed. The city hall was partly demolished, hundreds of trees were blown down, roofs were taken off buildings by the dozen, two large craft were blown aground in the river and general confusion reigned.
The 11-months-old child of Elmer E. Black was killed instantly by the overturning by the wind of the Black home. There were four other children in the house at the time but they escaped without a scratch. The children were alone in the house.
The horse of Joseph Dam was blown into the river and in attempting to rescue it Mr. Dam sustained injuries that are serious. A horse of Julius Belknap was also blown into the river, together with a shed which the wind took a fancy to set down in Pine river. Joseph Goulait, a workman at Belknap's brickyard was injured by a flying brick. A large chimney at Sheldon's brick yard was blown to the ground. The tower and chimneys of the city hall were blown down and part of the roof was blown into the next yard. The roof was torn off the Hotel Cadillac. A liberty pole now stands upside down through the roof of one of the largest store buildings in the city.

HEAVY SHIPMENT OF PEACHES,
Twenty-Three Thousand Baskets Leave a Single Michigan Port.
SAUGATUCK, July 23.—The shipment of peaches from this place Monday night is a record breaker, the total amount going by boat to the Chicago and Milwaukee markets being 23,000 baskets. This is more phenomenal when it is taken into consideration that the first shipment of peaches for the season occurred July 14. Never before in the history of the peach business here have the shipments of July aggregated as much as one-half of Monday night's shipment. The cause for this is that the excessive hot and dry weather has caused the early peaches to ripen in a bunch. The fruit is small, but in other respects excellent. It is feared the shipments for the balance of the week will exceed the capacity of the boats.

FOUND GUILTY.
Woodruff Parmelee Given a Life Sentence at Traverse City.
TRAVERSE CITY, July 19.—The jury in the case of Woodruff Parmelee, who was charged with the murder of Juliar Curtis, after being out twenty hours brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree at 11:15 Wednesday morning. Parmelee received the verdict calamity, but shows the great strain and mental suffering. Imprisonment for life at hard labor and solitary confinement was the punishment imposed. The result of the trial gives great satisfaction to the public generally.

After Michigan Timber.
TOLEDO, O., July 22.—A large party of lumber dealers from central and southern Ohio points left this city for the Michigan pineries for the purpose of inspecting the stock. A syndicate representing $1,000,000 has been formed for the purpose of buying all the available timber and shipping it to southern points.

Forest Fires Approach East Tawas.
EAST TAWAS, July 24.—The forest fires which are raging in this vicinity are within half a mile of this city, but there is no danger to this place as yet unless a high wind comes. A light wind is blowing and the fire running slowly toward town. A large amount of marsh hay has been destroyed.

Jackson Baptists Won.
JACKSON, July 21.—The Junior Baptist Church Young People's union of this city won and has been awarded the prize banner at the Baltimore convention. The banner was given for excellence in the Bible reading course, junior unions of the United States, Canada and Mexico competing.

Paid Their Taxes.
LANSING, July 22.—Cash is again rolling into the state treasury. The following railroads have paid specific taxes: Detroit, Lansing & Northern, $24,130.88; Chicago & West Michigan, $29,520.30; Saginaw Valley & St. Louis, $1,718.82; Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan, $20,905.73.

Victim of Heart Disease.
LANSING, Mich., July 22.—G. A. Hurd, an agent of the Merchants' Mercantile agency of Chicago, was found dead in his room at the Hudson house Friday afternoon. He retired Thursday night evidently in good health. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Robert J. in 2:03.
SAGINAW, July 19.—The feature of the races on Thursday was Robert J.'s mile in 2:03, the fastest one so far this year. It was merely an exhibition, but might have been a new record for the state had it been so announced.

Had Passed the Century Mark.
CONCORD, July 22.—Timothy Dewey, who was 100 years old on May 30 last, died here and was buried from the M. E. church, of which he had been a member for sixty-five years. He was born in Rutland, Vt., and came here in 1836.

Accidentally Killed.
SHELBY, July 19.—Reuben Morningstar, of Shelby, gave his 5-year-old boy a revolver to play with. It happened to be loaded and was discharged in the boy's hands, the ball passing through the little fellow's head, causing his immediate death.

Brothers Drowned.
MUSKEGON, July 19.—Albert and Walter Galgerson, aged respectively 7 and 11 years, were drowned in Muskegon lake while bathing. Their bodies were recovered.

MICHIGAN WHEELMEN.
Ten Thousand Persons Attend the Meet at Battle Creek.
BATTLE CREEK, July 23.—The Michigan wheelmen's state meet Monday was attended by 10,000 persons. The track is extremely dangerous, it being narrow and slippery as glass. The turns are not banked and as a result accidents were numerous, the worst one happening to Allie Burkhart, of Toledo, whose collar bone was broken. The first day's summaries are as follows:
Half mile open, class B—Cooper, of Detroit, won; Bell, of Chicago, second; best time, 1:08 4-5.
One mile handicap, class A—Hensel, of Lansing, won; Strienburger, of Cleveland, second. Both were disqualified for foul riding and Weller, of Coldwater, got first prize, and S. C. Cox, of Chicago, second; best time, 2:21.
Two mile championship—Hicks, of Bay City, won; time, 5:01.
Two-mile handicap, Class B—Hiles, of Chicago (150 yards), won; time, 4:53 1-5.
One mile—Wilder, of Battle Creek; time, 2:28 4-5.
Ten-mile road race, forty-eight starters, fourteen miles, H. C. Coleman, of Detroit (4:00), won; time, 28:00¼.
One-mile novice—Wilder, of Battle Creek, won; time, 2:23 1-5.
Half-mile championship—Ralph Samberg won; time, 1:13 2-5.
BATTLE CREEK, July 24.—The Michigan state bicycle meet closed Tuesday afternoon. Eight thousand persons were in attendance. Summaries:
Quarter mile state championship—Leo Flushburg, Kalamazoo, won; time, :32 2-5. One mile open, class B—Ed Ball, of Buffalo, won; time, 2:02 4-5. One mile championship—Ralph Strong, Port Huron, won; time, 3:06¼. One mile, class A—Morris, of Vassar, won; time, 2:37 4-5. One mile handicap, class B—F. B. Rigby, Toledo, (90 yards), won; time 2:05. One mile against time—Mike Dirnberger won; time 2:05 4-5. Five miles, class A handicap—Walter Jones, Kalamazoo (580 yards), won; time 12:48 3-5. One mile tandem, class B—Bowler and Rau, of Chicago, won; time, 2:16 4-5.

CAVE-IN REVEALS RICH ORE.
Large Quantity Easy of Access Is Exposed at Ironwood.
IRONWOOD, July 24.—A cave-in at the Ashland mine occurred last week by which a great thing will be realized. An enormous body of ore has been exposed and is easy of access. Work will be commenced at once to get the ore on the surface. More men will be hired and the present wages raised. No one was hurt by the cave-in and little damage was done.
BESSEMER, July 24.—Corrigan, McKinney & Co., of Cleveland, O., have secured control of the big Colby mine. It is known that the Colby has several thousand tons of ore in sight and Manager Cole says that another large body of ore will be found under the dike. The property will be explored.

A TOWN'S HEAVY LOSS.
Fire Destroys the Best Part of Holton Muskegon County.
MUSKEGON, July 21.—News was received here Sunday that Holton, Muskegon county, with a population of 250, was destroyed by fire. The losses were: J. P. Utter, D. P. James, barn and hotel; Kingstaad's saloon, Thompson's blacksmith shop and house, Dr. Block's office, L. P. Murphy's store. The loss is about $7,000, with an insurance of $2,000. The grist mill, two drug stores and a meat market are all the business buildings left. A cigar stub in a barn was the origin of the fire.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE.
Miners Buried By a Cave-In Are Rescued Alive.
IRON MOUNTAIN, July 20.—A cave-in on the first level of the Pewable iron mine late Wednesday afternoon buried nine men in the debris. Rescuers went to work at once to try and reach the unfortunates, and at midnight Thursday they were released, none of them being injured. The escape is considered the most remarkable one in the history of mining. The men suffered no great inconvenience. All heard the crash of timbers and made their escape to the dry drift on the first level.

HEAVY FAILURE IN DETROIT.
Mabley, Harvey & Co. File Mortgages Aggregating $105,000.
DETROIT, July 23.—Mabley, Harvey & Co., retail clothing and furnishings, filed three chattel mortgages Monday aggregating $105,000, for the benefit of their creditors, most of whom are eastern parties. The assets are not stated, but as the firm was but recently established it is believed that they will be sufficient to meet all claims.

Blown from the Trees.
DETROIT, July 18.—St. Joseph, Benton Harbor and other points in the fruit belt of western Michigan report a terrific gale, reaching a velocity of 70 miles an hour. Many small buildings and forest and fruit trees were blown down and thousands of bushels of apples, pears and peaches blown from the trees.

Big Lumber Plant Burned.
BIG RAPIDS, July 19.—The Phelps Lumber company's mill, near Keno, was completely wiped off the face of the earth by forest fires, which was fanned by high winds. With the mill about 2,000,000 feet of lumber was destroyed. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

A Vacancy Filled.
LANSING, July 24.—Edward W. Jenks, of Detroit, has been appointed a member of the state board of corrections and charities, vice Samuel W. Bell, who resigned to accept the superintendency of the upper peninsula hospital for the insane at Newberry.

Chastised by White Caps.
WESTPHALIA, July 19.—John Radamacher was bound and gagged by white caps and taken to a strip of woods and given a horsewhipping. He was released with a warning not to beat his wife again.

Poisoned.
THREE OAKS, July 18.—The little son of Peter Venise, living near here, ate a piece of bread on which paris green had been spread, and died several hours later.

Improving St. Joseph River.
ST. JOSEPH, July 20.—Wing dams are being built in the St. Joseph river to deepen the channel for river steamers.

INTERESTING FACTS.
Short But Newsy Items from Various Localities in Michigan.
Allegan county's soldiers and sailors' reunion will occur August 27, 28 and 29.
Sunday schools of Osceola and Lake counties will hold a joint rally at Reed City August 1.
Banking Commissioner Sherwood has called on all state banks for a report of their condition at the close of business on July 11.
The Michigan supreme court has adjourned until September 25.
At the recent convention of Michigan druggists in Detroit George J. Ward, of St. Clair, was elected president.
Emancipation day will be celebrated in an appropriate manner at Battle Creek August 1.
There are 30 miles of ditches in process of construction in Genesee county.
The Marinette & Menominee Paper Mill company will erect a $50,000 sulphite plant at Menominee.
Coldwater district Methodists will hold their annual meeting at Peninsula grove from August 1 to 11.
Milan threshers report excellent returns from wheat, despite the drought, many fields averaging twenty bushels per acre.
Charles Young, of Flint township, Genesee county, sold 1,002 quarts of strawberries from forty-four rods of land, which brought him $125.25.
The new cannery at Hart is in full operation, turning out 20,000 cans of peas daily and employing 100 hands.
The Bancroft union market fair association has changed its dates to September 24-27.
Eaton county's hay crop has for many years averaged $350,000 per annum for surplus sold. This year the county will import hay.
The factories along the river at Niles are compelled to shut down frequently on account of low water. Old settlers say the river was never known to be as low as at present.
Never before have the pastures in southwestern Michigan been so parched for want of rain as this season. Shipments of butter have almost entirely ceased.
Ex-Treasurer Anthony Czizek, of Mount Clemens, has settled with the city, making good a default of $9,000.
Glen, the 12-year-old son of Enos Smith, of Allegan, was drowned while bathing in the river.

A STRANGE OFFER.
Michigan Mine Owners Present a Proposition.
MARQUETTE, Mich., July 24.—The demonstration of striking iron miners Monday was greater than ever. A written proposition was submitted to the strikers by the owners of the Winthrop mine offering to surrender lease of mine and pay an additional $4,000 as bonus if the strikers will take the mine and work it themselves. This strange proposal was intended to convince the strikers that even at the present low wages the mine is losing money and owners would be glad to get it off their hands. But the miners doubt the sincerity of the management. They denounce the proposal as a pure bluff and have referred it back to the management of the mine.

MAY LOSE THEIR LANDS.
Shortage Discovered in the Books at the Land Office at Marquette.
SAULT STE. MARIE, July 18.—A shortage has been discovered in the books of ex-Receiver Meades and ex-Register Boyce, of the United States land office at Marquette. Homesteaders in nearly every county of the upper peninsula are affected and many will lose their land on account of no entries of the applications or proof of claims having been placed on record.

Monument to Marquette.
ST. IGNACE, July 22.—Interesting historical exercises will be held here August 7 to raise funds to build a suitable monument to the memory of Father Marquette, the early missionary and explorer. Addresses will be delivered by Mayor Connors, Congressman Springer, Gov. Rich and others. The formal exercises will be followed by a grand parade, with bands, native Indians in the costumes of 1671, historical floats, memorial arches and various other features, and fireworks in the evening.

Bicyclist Killed at Battle Creek.
BATTLE CREEK, July 24.—While a visiting bicycle rider by the name of Beatty was attempting to cross the Michigan Central tracks he was struck by a fast express, cutting off both legs and otherwise injuring him, from the effects of which he died.

Military Assignment.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.—Capt. Frederick A. Smith, Twelfth infantry, has been detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Michigan military academy, Orchard Lake, to take effect September 1.

Wages Raised.
ISHPEMING, July 22.—Wages have been voluntarily advanced 10 per cent. in the Pewabic mine on the Menominee range and a similar action is expected from the other mines in that district.

Michigan Monuments.
LANSING, July 24.—The Michigan monuments at the battlefield of Chickamauga will be dedicated September 18. Gov. Rich and many other prominent men of the state will be present.

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DOMESTIC.

AT New London, Conn., four sailors, members of the engineers' gang of the torpedo boat Ericsson, were fatally scalded by the bursting of a hot water pipe.

BECAUSE his divorced wife would not remarry him Joseph Nickma shot her dead at Miller, Neb., and then killed himself.

IN a drunken fury George McNamara, of Kansas City, fatally stabbed his wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. S. E. Mayfield.

THE postmaster general issued an order denying the use of the mails to the Mecklenburg Schwerein state lottery of Schwerein, Germany.

A CENSUS shows the population of Milwaukee to be 273,000.

WILEY BUNN, a negro who murdered J. Martin at Summerville, Ark., on July 2, was chased to a dense swamp by a posse and killed.

ARTHUR NEWMAN, late a magistrate on the island of Trinidad, was arrested in Brooklyn upon the charge of embezzling $250,000 from estates of which he was the administrator.

SECRETARY HOKE SMITH refuses to allow pay for Sunday work of interior department employes.

FIRE destroyed nine buildings in Cincinnati and killed two firemen. The property loss was $145,000.

TWO MEN were shot to death and six were wounded in an affray at Larned, Miss., the culmination of a family feud between the Terrells and McRees.

THE fruit crop report for July shows a heavy decline in condition, especially in the New England states, New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

THE annual congress of the National Prison association of the United States will be held in Denver, Col., September 14 to 19.

THE report that Gen. Harrison had said to friends that he would under no circumstances be a candidate for the presidency was positively denied.

HOT winds have injured corn in central Iowa.

A TORNADO in Tazewell county, Ill., unroofed many buildings and two men were killed by lightning. At Pekin houses were wrecked.

W. P. WAGNER, a member of the wholesale drug house of Wagner & Wagner, of Indianapolis, Ind., was drowned while fishing near Fort Scott, Kan. He was on his wedding tour.

WILLIAM FREEMAN and John Good (colored), were hanged at Greensburg, Pa. Freeman murdered Gertrude Smith July 25, 1894. Good killed a man named McSlaughter in a gambling row.

IN a wreck on the Peoria & Pekin railway near Peoria, Ill., Miss Martha Wright, of Eureka, Ia., was killed and six other persons were injured.

ANDREW THOMAS (colored), accused of a brutal assault on an aged white woman near Moss Point, Miss., was taken from the train at Scranton, Miss., and lynched by a mob.

HENRY BROWN (colored) was hanged at Live Oak, Fla. He killed Ed Ryberg (white) on March 27. Brown confessed that he had murdered seven men, all for money.

THREE members of a gang of cattle thieves were hanged by vigilantes near Chamberlain, S. D.

CHARLES GORE, for years treasurer of the New York Herald, disappeared with $10,000 belonging to the company.

TWO MEN were killed, two fatally injured and three seriously injured by the caving in of a sewer trench in Harrison, N. J.

ROBERT J. paced a mile at Saginaw, Mich., in 2:03.

GRAND MASTER SOVEREIGN issued a manifesto to the Knights of Labor reciting the wrongs of the masses and calling for a general boycott on national bank notes in all dealings between individuals, the boycott to go into effect September 1.

THE fifth annual session of the Baptist Young People's Union convened at Baltimore with 10,000 persons in attendance.

CAPT. RALPH HACKETT, David Canary and John Cattanock were swept from the tug Torrent by a tow line at Detroit and drowned.

THE total production of pig iron in the United States in the first half of 1895 was 4,087,558 gross tons, against 2,717,983 tons in the first half of 1894.

ALONZO MEYERS, 21 years old, killed his 16-year-old wife and fatally wounded Herbert Lindson, a friend, at Long Beach, Cal., and then shot himself fatally.

THE Delaware peach crop is estimated at 1,500,000 baskets, worth $750,000—greater than it has been in ten years.

THE bimetallists of Georgia, who favor the free coinage of silver, met at Griffin and adopted resolutions calling for the immediate and independent free coinage of silver and gold.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 19th aggregated $1,030,030,049, against $1,146,243,696 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 26.0.

THE president issued an order placing employes of all pension agencies under civil service rules.

THE national silver committee in session in Chicago adopted resolutions urging the organization of bimetallic leagues throughout the entire country.

CHICAGO is to be the headquarters of the American Spirits Manufacturing company which will succeed the whisky trust.

THREE negroes were killed outright by lightning during a thunderstorm that passed over the town of Varnville, S. C.

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AT the meeting in Baltimore of the Baptist Young People's Union John B. Chapman, of Chicago, was reelected president, and Milwaukee was chosen as the place of meeting next year and Brooklyn in 1897.

A TORNADO swept over Findlay, O., and vicinity, unroofing buildings and doing great damage.

THE sloop Restless was reported lost off Santa Cruz island, Cal., with sixteen young persons on board.

A TORNADO at St. Clair, Mich., wrecked a dozen buildings, unroofed as many more, and killed the infant daughter of Edgar Black.

JAMES L. TRAVERS, a negro, was hanged at Washington, D. C., for the murder of Lena Gross November 19 last.

INTENSE excitement prevailed around Hanlin, Cleburne county, Ala., over rich finds of gold.

THE three children of Fred Whitney, of Bankers, Mich., were fatally poisoned by eating apples that were sprinkled with paris green.

THE triple funeral of Dr. John E. Hogan, his wife and little son, who were drowned at Lake Geneva two weeks ago, was held at Elgin, Ill.

AT the ninth annual convention in Denver, Col., of the American agricultural college and experimental stations S. W. Johnson, of Connecticut, was elected president.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 20th were: Baltimore .597; Cleveland, .590; Pittsburgh, .583; Boston, .574; Cincinnati, .562; Chicago, .544; Philadelphia, 536; New York, .535; Brooklyn, .529; Washington, .373; St. Louis, .360; Louisville, .197.

MRS. GRAHAM, of Buffalo, fell 110 feet into the rocks below Niagara falls but broke no bones.

A TORNADO wrecked a camp meeting tent near Roseville, O., killing Mrs. Clement Wilson and Patrick Deselm and injuring several others.

FRED and Frank Sunbeim and Mrs. Fred Sunbeim and two other persons were drowned by the capsizing of a sail boat at Brooklyn, N. Y.

CASHIER JOHN L. WALDEN, of the Dime savings bank at Willimantic, Conn., was said to have disappeared with $30,000 of the bank funds.

ONE of the mills of the National Linseed Oil company in Chicago was burned, the loss being $750,000.

JAMES LOWER and his son John T. were instantly killed at Philadelphia by coming in contact with an electric light wire.

GEORGE R. DAVIS completed his report as director general of the World's Columbian exposition, and it fills twenty volumes, besides the catalogue of exhibits, consisting of nearly 2,400 octavo pages.

R. S. STRAHAN, ex-judge of the Oregon supreme court, fell dead in a public building at Portland.

JOHN MCCOLLUM and his three sons, on their way from Wisconsin to Oklahoma to seek a home, perished in a cloudburst in Missouri.

THE village of Deer Creek, Minn., was swept away by a cyclone and two women were fatally injured.

ON the Terre Haute plantation in St. John's parish in Louisiana Joe Naska shot and killed the wife of Rosario Giordano and two other persons and fatally wounded three others.

SEDGWICK SAUNDERS and Henry Clark were instantly killed at a grade crossing of the West Jersey road at Vineland, N. J.

THE house of Mrs. Abe Phillips (colored) was burned by some persons unknown at Mart, Tex., and five negroes perished.

DURING the year ended June 30 1,342 immigrants entered the port of San Francisco, possessing about $50 apiece.

THE annual meeting in Baltimore of the Baptist Young People's union came to an end with services in 108 churches in that city.

NELSON TRUDEAU, Peter Roche, Louis Tatro and Oliver Dudley were killed by an engine at a railway crossing near Williamstown, Mass.

THE wealthy friends of Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague in New York and other cities have raised a sum sufficient to maintain her in comfort for the rest of her life.

THE opera house, two livery barns and three our four business houses in Little York, Ill., were burned, and twenty horses perished in the flames.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 22d was: Wheat, 40,483,000 bushels; corn, 5,941,000 bushels; oats, 5,137,000 bushels; rye, 148,000 bushels; barley, 58,000 bushels.

SEVENTEEN Indians were killed at Jackson Hole, Wyo., by officers. The red men were charged with breaking the game laws, had been made prisoners, and were trying to escape when killed.

LOUIS SCHMIDT, JR., a local pugilist, received a blow in a fight in Milwaukee with Frank Klein from which he died.

MRS. MARY B. CHAPPELL, a widow 62 years of age, was shot and killed at Delavan, Wis., by her son Charles, who mistook her for a burglar.

IN a runaway near Monroe, Ind., William Elzey and his wife and Mrs. Thomas Elzey and Miss Myers were fatally injured.

JUDGE ROSS in the United States district court at Los Angeles, Cal., declared the Wright irrigation law unconstitutional. This decision invalidates bonds to the extent of $50,000,000 that are held all over the United States and Europe.

A GREATER portion of the business section of Silver City, N. M., was destroyed by a flood.

REV. D. W. GILLISSLEE, of Live Oak, Fla., reported a reign of terror among the negroes of Lafayette and Taylor counties. He said their churches were being raided by white men, congregations dispersed and pastors driven away.

THE Gould coupler works at Buffalo, N. Y., were destroyed by fire, the loss being about $200,000.

AT Cooke's inlet in Alaska rich gold fields were discovered.

AT Angel's Camp, Cal., the Utica mine, which had been yielding $500,000 worth of gold every month, was damaged by fire to the extent of $350,000.

MABLEY, HARVEY & Co., retail clothing and furnishings in Detroit, Mich., failed for $105,000.

A HEAVY rain flooded over 100 houses at Connellsville, Pa., and thousands of coke ovens were drowned out by the torrent.

DESTRUCTIVE forest fires were still raging in the pine woods near Long Lake, Mich.

FIRE that started in the Wright & Adams machine works at Quincy, Ill., destroyed $60,000 worth of property and crushed the life out of Percy Hunsaker, a fireman.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

JOSEFFY, the famous Hungarian pianist, arrived in New York. His last visit to this country was fourteen years ago.

THE people's party in state convention in Boston nominated E. Gerry Brown, of Brockton, for governor. The platform favors free coinage of silver and woman suffrage.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S third baby has been named Marion.

WILLIAM E. LEHMAN, ex-congressman from the First district of Philadelphia, died at Atlantic City.

GEORGE NEDER, veteran journalist, and publisher of the Daily Volkszeitung, died at Dayton, O., aged 67 years.

THE funeral of Timothy Dewey, who celebrated his 100th birthday last Decoration day, was held at Concord, Mich.

THE famous chief, Benjamin Pikey, who had held every important office in the gift of the Choctaw nation, died at his home near Minco, Kan.

ALEXANDER H. RICE, of Boston, died at Melrose, Mass., aged 77 years. He was a member of congress from 1857 to 1865 and governor of Massachusetts from 1876 to 1879.

MRS. CYNTHIA FALCONER SMITH, the oldest resident of Westchester county, died at her home in Elm Ford, N. Y., in her 103d year.

FOREIGN.

CHARLES EMMANUEL SCHENCK, aged 70, ex-president of Switzerland, died in Berne from the effects of injuries received in a carriage accident. He had been president seven times.

MR. JOHN MORLEY, who was chief secretary for Ireland under Rosebery, was defeated for reelection.

STEFAN M. STAMBULOFF, ex-prime minister of Bulgaria, died at Sofia from the effects of the wounds inflicted upon him by four men when he was returning to his home from the Union club.

THE Pan-American Congress of Religion and Education was formally opened at Toronto, Ont.

MRS. R. F. PITZEL identified the decomposed remains found in a cellar at Toronto, Ont., as those of her two little girls, Alice and Nellie, whom she had last seen in Galva, Ill., ten months ago, when they were taken away by their alleged murderer, H. H. Holmes.

IN a fight on the Turko-Macedonian frontier between a force of insurgents and a body of Turkish troops the latter were defeated with a loss of 600 men.

THE Italian steamers Ortegia and Maria P. collided off Isela del Pint at the entrance of the Gulf of Genoa and the latter sank and 148 persons were drowned.

TWENTY-FIVE houses were destroyed and fifty-nine partially destroyed by a sinking of the earth at Bruex, Bohemia.

THE Canadian parliament adjourned after a three-months' session.

PREPARATIONS were being made in Madrid to dispatch large reinforcements of troops to Cuba to fight the insurgents.

LATER.

MASKED men boarded a west-bound Lake Shore & Michigan Southern express train at Reece siding, near Wauseon, O., forced open an express car and at the point of revolvers compelled the messenger to unlock the safe. It was known that at least $8,000 was taken.

THE five children of Alexander Berch, a farmer near Winnipeg, Man., were drowned by the sinking of a boat.

IN another fight between Indians and settlers near Jack's Hole, Wyo., three white men and six Indians were killed.

RESIDENTS of Batesville, O., blew up with dynamite the only saloon in the town.

REPORTS as to the conditions of crops throughout the country made by the directors of the different state weather services say they were in fine condition.

B. P. CHENEY, president of the American Express company, died at his home in Wellesley, Mass., aged 80 years.

THE Lake View Land company at Los Angeles, Cal., failed for $200,000.

IN a quarrel at a social party at Union Ridge, W. Va., knives, razors and revolvers were used and four men were killed and several others seriously wounded.

HERMAN FRANTZ, an artilleryman, left Fort Hamilton, N. Y., on a bicycle for Fort Snelling, Minn.

THE steamer Terrier reported upon arriving in New York that in a collision July 12 with the British schooner Eagle two men, two women and a child were drowned.

GIBSON ROLAND, a well-known young farmer near Manchester, Ia., shot and killed his brother Henry, also a farmer, and then shot himself. No cause was known.

IN a dispute over money at Hot Springs, Ark., W. C. Myers and his brother James, popular young men, were shot and killed by D. W. Claiborn, a liveryman.

A PREMATURE explosion of dynamite on the drainage canal near Willow Springs, Ill., killed William Kelly, Joseph Smith and Thomas Soaker.

THE bank of Archie, located at Archie, Mo., went into the hands of a receiver.

THE Connellsville (Pa.) coke region was swept by a tornado which spread destruction far and wide. Railroads were washed out, delaying all traffic, buildings blown to pieces, hundreds of cattle drowned, orchards uprooted and crops laid waste. The total loss was estimated at $500,000.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning July 28. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Feeding the Five Thousand.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Math. xiv. 15-21; Mark vi. 35-44; Luke ix. 10-17; John vi. 1-14.

The disciples have returned from their preaching tour. To escape from the throng of people Jesus and the twelve leave the villages and cities on the west ern shores and by boat go to the northeastern corner of the Lake of Galilee. The green slopes and secluded nooks of this region were favorite resorts with the Master, where he often retired to pray and meditate and recruit his spiritual strength by communion with the Father after wearying encounters with men.

The multitude miss them, and as the distance is but about six miles from Capernaum, many ran and reached the place before the boat had reached a landing. After a long day spent in teaching, the disciples urged that the congregation be dismissed that they might get something to eat. What was their astonishment when Jesus told his followers to provide food for the multitude! It was utterly beyond their power to do so.

But when all had sat down in orderly manner on the greensward the five barley loaves and two small fishes, blessed by the Master and distributed by the apostles, satisfied the hunger of the 5,000 men, besides women and children. The fragments gathered up were more in amount than the original quantity of provision.

This wondrous work was designed by Christ to impress on the minds of his hearers his power to supply all their needs. As Moses had given manna in the wilderness and had received God's law for the spiritual guidance of the people, so would this Son of Man show his power to reveal the full will of God and feed them spiritually. In token of his mission and message he gave them bread in a way such as none but the Son of God could do.

But the multitude cared little for religious truth and lusted for material glory and physical comfort.

Sabbath Reverence.

Pharisaical strictness in observance of the Lord's day is not to be commended. But becoming reverence for holy things is inseparable from true piety. In these days of loose ideas and lax action the course pursued by the emperor of Germany is specially gratifying to all earnest Christians.

When in Venice some time since, the city excelled itself to honor him. These efforts culminated in a grand theatrical performance to be given Sunday evening. As both King Humbert and the Emperor William were expected to be present, the theater was densely packed. But the royal box was empty. When the emperor was informed of the meeting and asked to be present, he replied, "Since I have become emperor I have made it a principle of my life never to attend any place of amusement on the Lord's day." King Humbert followed his example. It would be well if all Christians would do likewise.

Commendation Not Flattery.

The effect of such kindness upon a man who feels the seriousness of work and of responsibility is not to make the head dizzy, but the heart warm. Instead of tending to pride, it tends to humility. Instead of fostering self sufficiency, it gives a deep sense of inadequacy. This is no affectation; it is in the nature of the habit of thought which the Christian faith produces. The most thoroughly humbled throng that will ever meet will be they, and at that instant, when Christ shall say to them, "Well done, faithful servants!" they cannot bear to wear their crowns, but will cast them down at his feet.—Gray.

Good Advice.

The Cosmopolitan gives some good rules all young men should remember:

First.—He should be absolutely honest; there is no success without this.

Second.—Be alert, alive to every opportunity.

Third.—Willing to learn.

Fourth.—Avoid entirely the use of intoxicating liquors.

Fifth.—Be always respectable and respectful.

We would add be a true Christian, faithful to Christ and faithful to his church.

Junior Leagues.

Childhood impressions are the most permanent. Habits of thought and action formed before one is 10 years of age it is almost impossible to change in after years. The church must see to it that the boys and girls of our homes are trained in their earliest years in Bible truth, in religious practices of devotion and works of charity. Junior leagues can best do this work. What to believe, how to act, and, above all, earnest love of God and sincerity in his service are lessons needing to be taught them.

Get It.

Development, physical and mental, is receiving much attention in these days and none too much. Still there is a greater need. Without conscience they will but energize crime. The greatest need of the time is educated and quickened moral sense—more conscience in all departments of life and among all classes in society. Are you getting it?

The Muster Roll.

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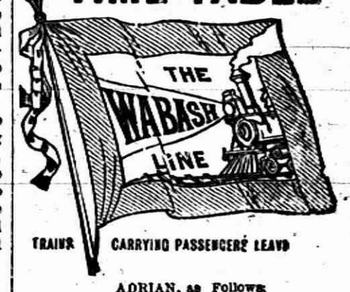

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Church Resolutions vs. The Saloon Resolution.

BY JOHN G. WOOLLEY.

[Extracts from a speech delivered in Boston before the convention of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, July 11, 1895.

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.]

The case is between church resolutions and saloon resolution, plural versus singular, division versus solidity, a pious sprinkling pot versus an ocean current of practical politics, local option versus universal empire. Multiplication of fractions, that is to say, division, pursuing the saloon, which is an integer. The difficulty, dimly seen for years, has crystalized into the maxim, "Temperance people ought to get together." Of course we ought; but where? It happens at every change of the moon, that some pliable philanthropist pushes his peripatetic bandbox into the public square and challenges the saloon to mortal compromise upon some contemptible Scandinavian basis of profit-sharing, or the more brutally straightforward and American method of a fixed price for taking civic honor out of politics, and for the debasement of public virtue to the plane of stark revenue—like a brothel, and simpers to worn and anguished women and haggard, bergared men, as they crawl out of the wreckage of their drink-rent lives, "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for saints and saloon-keepers to vote together in unity."

And when some heart-wrung man cries out against the truculent infamy this same philanthropist sneers at him as a new-washed, impudent drunkard, "over scrupulous," "a maligner of the Church," "an auxiliary of the saloon," while the bell Pharisee, with honesty at half-mast, struts into politics and delivers over the Christian vote into "a league with death and a covenant with hell," and answers the wail of stricken homes, the voice of the Church and the plain word of God, with the pusillanimous logic of the bargain counter: "It is not what we want, but it is cheap," and then, upon election day the voting Church eagerly ambles after a party leader to the polls and silently ratifies his offer of a lease of God's world to satan, for a mess of spoils, and would mitigate the perfidy by saying that wrong is sometimes right in politics. And that is a lie, as black as ever flapped its bat wings at the glory of a sunset!

And I, for one, dare stand apart and be a fool for Christ's sake, and call wrong wrong, in religion or politics, in New York City or hell or Norway. For a man, a woman, a city, a state or a nation to buy the truth and sell it" is treason against the God of Truth, label it what you may: "tax" in Ohio, "license" in Massachusetts, "mulct" in Iowa or "bribe" in New York, it is shame everywhere and forever. We would better stay apart eternally than get together in the nicest wrong.

Take a vote upon the various propositions that have came up in this reform and there is just one that can command the universal sympathy of Christians and that is that "the saloon ought to die."

Then why not kill it? Why have we not voted it to death long ago? The answer is very simple and brings me at once to the gist of this argument. We have not voted the saloon to death because the ruling politicians would not let us. How could they prevent? Are Christian men slaves? Yes: abject, motley slaves, contraband of machine statesmanship and annually put up and sold upon the auction block of party.

Why has Iowa violated the express will of her people and by a general statute compounded the felony of liquor selling and consented to become the laughing stock of courts? Because she supposes that she has a statesman so neutral tinted that he can make an invisible race for the presidency provided he can go before the party free from the fatal blemish of hailing from a state that is unfriendly to the saloon. Why has Rhode Island gone back into the service of the saloon and concentrated her intelligence and conscience upon a measure to establish free gold cures for her home-made drunkards? Because the hand of Providence—Rhode Island—a private office broker, points out the party peril of being steadfast.

Why has Christianity been insulted in Ohio and denied the right of self-defense against the saloon? Because her favorite son was a candidate for president and the leaders of the house said that to estrange the saloon-keepers would swamp the party. Why has the enforcement of the prohibitory law of Kansas been betrayed in different cities into the hands of its notorious enemies? In order to hold the saloon vote in the party. Why did those senators of New Hampshire find it necessary to cringe and trim and lie to prevent the prudent and necessary strengthening of the prohibitory law? Because that sacrifice of patriotic manhood was necessary for the party. Why does Maine's chief justice habitually insult the law that he has sworn to enforce and permit himself to be known and despised as the saloon-keeper's friend in a prohibition state? Because the party interest requires that Christianity and crime should be politically harmonized by a flexible judiciary. Why did Michigan disfranchise a large number of her noblest citizens? Because they felt in honor bound to unite against the ruling party. Why has New York disfranchised everybody except Platt and Croker, the "twins" in the zodiac of dirt? Because the recent wave of civic honesty in the city was a common menace to both parties and so in self-defense they make the empire robber's roost, bipartisan. And so throughout the land the Christian vote cries craven, hangs its harp upon the party willow on election day and sings the party version:

"All hail the power of Jesus' name,
Let angels prostrate fall',
Bring forth the royal diadem
And sell it, Lord and all."

This is plain talk, but not a word at random. Somebody must talk plain and I have no parish to please, no trustees to satisfy, no session to consult, no subscription list to consider, no career to foster, no presiding elder has an eye on me, no bishop counts me in his diocese, and this is Boston, the home of independent thinking and free speech.

The defeat of the Church, the disgrace of the law, the despair of reform is the all but universal substitution of party-ism for patriotism. This country will go straight for prohibition whenever it shall suit the interest or convenience of the two great parties to let the people loose with the saloon. We await their pleasure.

Meanwhile a young Christian man arriving at his majority and entering into respectable party affiliations, must shed his greatest and clearest political conviction, as one would leave his mackintosh and rubbers at the door. But in the face of that truth ninety-five per cent of Southern Christians and about forty-eight per cent in the whole country pour out the blood of their civic virtue in defense of a party, which is the open enemy of prohibition, and this they do for the utterly unpatriotic and unworthy motive of "beating another party." And again, ninety-five per cent of Northern Christians and about forty-eight per cent in the country at large, annually bind the Son of God and lay Him on the altar of unpatriotism as a sin offering for a party organization which is as destitute of honor to the Church as the moon is of atmosphere, and they do this because they hate another party.

If we believe it to comport with Christian profession to keep silent about the saloon at general elections, or that it is indifferent what we do about it there, we ought to expunge our top-lofty resolutions like honest men, and stop the braggart lies that have been published in our name. Be patient with me! I know you will scorn to take such action. Well, then, for the sake of the chivalry of your manhood, the luxury of self-respect, the strength of your youth, the truth of the Church, stand up like brave men, and make your resolutions good.

Do not ask me to instruct you how or when you may achieve the victory, or what party will win it. I don't know. No man can tell you that, for no man's mind is big enough to calculate the tension of ideas, the strength of organizations, the lines of least resistance, the resultant of infinite forces, and antagonisms, the percentages of friction, or the quantum of inertia in the civic world. I have but one clear vision today about it, and that I have come a thousand miles to give you. It is this. We must overcome the sag of dirty politics. How? Get out of it! But where shall you go? Never mind. Get out of the slough, and then inquire the road.

Christian citizenship means at least two things—Christianity and Citizenship. The voting church by trying to be true to parties, has been untrue to both. The Christianity that stays in dirty parties loses its savor precisely as the fishes of Mammoth Cave have lost their eyes. Politics is average virtue. The first duty of a Christian is to raise the average. Because we have lost sight of that, the parties have been able to disfranchise civic Christianity and transmute the power of the church into saloons.

There are men enough at this convention to stop that now, and we have no business to ever pass another resolution against the saloon until we have made up our minds to march out of that fellowship. Last general election ninety-five per cent of Christian men consented to shut their eyes to the saloon to help one moderate drinker beat another to the White House, and yet that ninety-five per cent are continually asking us to propose something practical. Wash your hands: that is practical.

Somebody is sure to say that I have spoken here in the interest of the Prohibition party. I make you my witnesses that I do not. No party owns me; no party claims me. I speak in the interest of a clean church, and in my judgment the very day the church cuts loose from dirty politics there will come a new cleavage of voters, new ideals of citizenship, new measures of candidates, new meanings of loyalty, new victories and a new country, and the Prohibition party will have done its work and will disappear, except in its one clean, noble page of American history, and there will be a new party either for Christians or for saloon-keepers, for no honest party can hold both. I speak in the interest of a robust and vital Christianity, that will not be under obligation to saloons, nor mix with cowardice or lies.

Oh, my friends, come up where the church stands like an impregnable fortress upon the crown of the rock of ages. Come up where the air is better, the horizon wider and where in the skyward silence you can hear God speaking. Let the unclean parties know of you what they know of Francis E. Clark, John Willis Baer, William Shaw, Wilbur Chapman, Ballington Booth, Bishop FitzGerald, Joseph Cook, De Witt Talmage, and some two hundred and seventy thousand others in the states alone, that though their citizenship go mute and inglorious forever for want of a party. Their vote cannot be had, on any terms, for a man or a party that does not say, in the platform, "Down with the saloon." Join every-one of you tonight in the pledge of Habakkuk. "I will stand upon my watch-tower and see what God will say unto me."

General Grant said, "There is a moment in every battle when the first advance means victory." The battle royal of the centuries is on. The Church that never lost a fight with wrong, or ever succeeded in a stratagem against it, faces the saloon upon the fairest field and fairest terms the universe could furnish, the ballot-box of a republic where, by divine right, the people rule. The voice of the trimmer is heard in the church and the state, saying, "Let the saloon alone one more campaign, and let me lead you toward the good by stealth and the aid of enemies." Away with trimmers, great or small! Cowards to the rear! Call in the pickets! Close ranks! Guide center! Forward, with this new battle cry, The Church for Christ!

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In famine's deadly hold.
He sits and longs, like Tantalus,
His dinner growing cold.

No hooded, grim inquisitor
Inflicts his long drawn pain.
He pays a price to suffer it,
Disdaining to complain.

Oh, sing of heroes dead in war,
But here I pledge in wine
The third class passenger who rides
On a suburban train!

—Fred E. Wells in Home and Country.

HYPNOTIZED.

"There isn't anybody living who can hypnotize me."

"Don't be too sure, Leonora," said her husband. "You cannot afford to run a tilt against science."

"But I deny that it is science. What has ever been proved by hypnotism? It is foolish to argue about it, for I will not even admit that there is such a thing. The shrewd people who go about the country giving exhibitions of their power are always in collusion with some one in the audience—you know that yourself, Ned."

"Nothing of the kind," retorted Ned, as Mrs. Darl called her husband. "It is a science that is yet in its infancy, and there are only a few individuals who have the hypnotic power and are able to throw less positive subjects into a trance. But I have seen it done, and it is wonderful—wonderful."

"What did you see?"

"I saw a young man climb walls like a cat, drink milk out of a saucer, catch a mouse, and then wash his face and hands as a cat does. And when he came out of the trance he had no idea that he had done any of these things or that he had even lost consciousness."

"Hum!" said Mrs. Darl incredulously, "I don't believe a word of it. If he did all that you said he did, he was simply a conspirator. And what good can such a faculty bring to science, I should like to know? Where is the scientific value in acting like a cat or a monkey?"

"Why, don't you see, dear, it is the verification of a theory?"

"No, I do not see. And I am not sure that I would believe it if I did see it. The whole stock in trade of these hypnotizers is the power of producing an illusion. I defy any of them to hypnotize me."

"I had intended asking you to go with me to the exhibition tonight."

"And be transmogrified into a cat? No, indeed! If I make a sacrifice of myself in the cause of science, it must be for something worth while. You have yet to convince me, Ned, that what you call the hypnotic sleep is not assumed to help carry out the plan of the hypnotizer or as a means of creating a sensation. There is no one living who could by a few ridiculous passes, a stare or pressure of my thumbs make me do anything I did not choose to do."

"But you acknowledge, do you not, that a strong will can control a weak one?"

"Yes, and always could, but that is as old as the days of Adam, who was evidently in subjection to Eve. I suppose some one will say that deep sleep which overtook our first father when his rib was taken from him was hypnotic. It would be just about as sensible."

"I have an idea," said Mr. Darl suddenly. "Suppose, since Mohammed won't go to the mountain, that the mountain comes to Mohammed. The hypnotist can come here after the entertainment, and we will invite a few neighbors in, and he can give an exhibition of his powers. How does that idea strike you?"

"Favorably, Ned. There are the Rusts, and the Pebbles and Dr. Smithly and his wife, and Cousin Fanny and her husband. You can let them know, and I will order refreshments, and we will have an evening of hypnotism. It will begin late, but we can find other amusement until your hypnotic operator comes."

Mrs. Darl had everything arranged—her house in beautiful order and herself gorgeous in a dress of ruby velvet, which was far too fine for the occasion, but was worn as a piece de resistance, she having read that velvet resisted hypnotic influence.

The neighbors and relatives came, a merry company, and the time passed in an animated discussion upon the power of hypnotism, one friend going so far in research as to visit the library and look up that wonderful story, the "House of Seven Gables," and read aloud to attentive listeners a passage from the weird history of Alice Pyncheon.

"He spoke," and Alice responded with a soft, subdued inward acquiescence and a bending of her form toward him, like the flame of a torch when it indicates a gentle draft of air. He beckoned with his hand, and rising from her chair the proud Alice approached him. He waved her back, and retreating Alice sunk again into her seat.

"'She is mine,' said Matthew Maule. 'Mine by the right of the strongest spirit.'

"'Oh, that was mesmerism,' said Mrs. Darl as the reading ceased.

"And what is mesmerism?" asked one of the company. "I think that it is as unexplainable as hypnotism, if it is not the same thing. Oh, here they are now! Let us hold on to our chairs, or we may be spirited away to China. I, for one, am afraid."

"I am not," said the queenly hostess as she swept forward in velvet and diamonds to meet her husband and his guest.

A pale, composed looking man accompanied Mr. Darl, and he did not seem surprised by the elegance of his hostess or flushed by the critical gaze of the company.

After the introductions were made and conversation became general, Mrs. Darl slipped into the hall and beckoned to her husband, who immediately joined her. Then she whispered in his ear:

"If—if—by any possibility he should be able to hypnotize me, you will not let him make me do anything ridiculous?"

"My dear Leona, how can you imagine such a possibility? But if you have any fear"—

"Fear!" echoed his wife scornfully in a stage whisper. "You will see that he cannot make the slightest impression on me." And she went back to the parlor and found one of her guests climbing the piano to escape an imaginary bear that was pursuing him. A few passes and he was restored to his normal condition, looking very foolish.

There were some amusing and some perplexing exhibitions of the professor's power, then the company followed host and hostess to the dining room, where a generous spread awaited them. Mrs. Darl was rather silent. Her test would be the next one, and she watched the wiry hands of the young professor as if his secret lay in them. But they were harmlessly busy with the sandwiches. His face was quite noncommittal too. What was the power he held of reducing the will to a mere blank? She would soon know.

Back in the parlor Mrs. Darl seated herself under the brilliant chandelier.

"Not there," said the professor, but she did not intend to yield to any command of his and said quietly:

"I prefer to sit here."

"Then I cannot hypnotize you."

"Oh, you acknowledge that it is only under certain conditions that this great power can be displayed?"

"Certainly, there are conditions that must be complied with. I am positive, and you are negative, but you are a very difficult subject because you are resisting me with all your might."

Mrs. Darl looked reproachfully at her husband and said in the dumb alphabet of the married, "You have told him."

He flashed back in the same language, "I have not," and she moved in accordance with the wish of the professor and sat with her back to the light. Some of the company were removed to remote parts of the room, but a few, including Mr. Darl, stood near.

"Look into my eyes," said the professor. "Permit me." And he took her hands and pressed the thumbs gently.

"It is like being in a dentist's chair," said Mrs. Darl, with a little forced laugh. Then she attempted to rise, struggling slightly, but continued to look into the eyes of the hypnotizer until in the place of two eyes she saw 20. Then she asserted her will and shook herself free.

"I—told—you—I—could—not be—hypnotized," she said. Her voice sounded strange and far away. "How queer I feel! Staring so long has made me dizzy."

"Drink this," said Mr. Darl, giving his wife a glass of water.

She drank it, then rose to her feet and said she felt as well as ever.

"Where is the professor?" she asked. "I expect he has lost faith in his science."

"He was here a moment ago," said her cousin Fanny anxiously. "He thought he had succeeded in hypnotizing you, Leona. Were you not unconscious?"

"Not for one moment," said Mrs. Darl triumphantly. "He held my thumbs until they were numb—why!—where!—Ned!"

"What is it, Leona?" he asked in surprise at her peculiar tone.

"Where are my diamonds?"

There was a startled exclamation from every one present. Mrs. Darl stood there bereft of every jewel she possessed. Not a single one of her gems which had flashed on her fingers, at her throat, in her ears, was now visible. Dazed, she held up her ringless hands and said:

"Is this a joke? What does it mean? Where are my diamonds?"

"Where is the professor?"

"Search the house!"

"Send for the police!"

But the professor had left for parts unknown, and with him went Mrs. Darl's diamonds, and neither the police nor the Darls ever saw or heard of them or him again. But one thing was in his favor. Not only had he successfully hypnotized Mrs. Darl, but, as Mr. Darl admitted, he must have hypnotized the whole company in order to bring his hypnotic scheme to such a climax.

And Mrs. Darl is at last a convert to both the theory and practice of the occult science and a firm believer in the power of the hypnotic will.—Mrs. M. L. Rayne in Free Press.

A Daring Forgery.

A neat forgery was recently committed by a Parisian criminal, one Altmayer, which in its adroitness and audacity was worthy of "Jim the Penman" himself.

The accused had lately had several hearings at the Palais de Justice before M. Villiers, juge d'instruction. Several times during these hearings M. Villiers was summoned from the room for a few minutes at a time.

During one of these absences the culprit contrived to get possession of a sheet of paper and an envelope with official printed heading, and also to affix the official seal. Then he drew up at his leisure a document ordering his own immediate release, counterfeiting with rare skill the judge's signature.

On quitting the court one day he handed the letter thus prepared to the sentinel stationed in the corridor and remarked in an offhand manner, "The judge wants you to carry this letter immediately to the director of the Mazas prison." The soldier, suspecting nothing, took the letter and accompanied the prisoner to Mazas. A few minutes later Altmayer was summoned to the director's office and was informed that he was a free man.

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A TRIP TO CHATTANOOGA

And a Visit to Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge and Chickamauga.

The selection of Chattanooga, Tenn., as the site of the second International Convention of the Epworth League was a most fortunate choice. Its beautiful location, its historical interest, its magnificent natural scenery all combine to make a visit there one of unusual pleasure. The proceedings of the convention have been so fully published that no further report is necessary; we will merely say that the meeting was a grand success, full of enthusiasm and religious fervor, and pervaded throughout with true christian zeal.

The ride from Cincinnati to Chattanooga is said by experienced travelers to be one of the finest in this country. The first four or five hours' ride is through the famous blue grass region of Kentucky. The land is very rolling, almost mountainous, but unexcelled for grazing purposes, and herds of fine looking horses and cattle can be seen in every direction. In a short time the scenery becomes very different. After passing the Kitty mountains, by means of two tunnels, each nearly a mile long, and several shorter ones, we find ourselves in the Switzerland of America—Eastern Tennessee. Kentucky's rolling hills have developed into steep, rugged mountains, covered with scrubby pines and hemlocks, instead of blue grass, and pastured by gaunt looking mules and goats in place of high bred horses and cattle. This is the home of the "po' white trash" of the south and a more indolent, ignorant looking class of people would be hard to find. A weather-beaten board shanty about 15 by 20 feet, in size, with a huge clay chimney built in the rear and extending to the ground, a rail fence surrounding the whole at a distance of about fifty feet, within which enclosure pigs, ducks and children mingle in happy confusion, bore the dignified sign, "Post Office," written on a pine shingle with blue paint. A little farther on the worthy post-master and his good wife were stationed, one at either end of a bilious looking mule, striving to persuade it to drag a cultivator through a patch of very fair corn. Those mules are true representatives of the "Solid South;" that is, if the amount of labor which appears necessary to move one of them can be accepted as proof. For nearly two hundred miles not a school house and only one church was seen. Evidently the people have no time to spare for such things. The natural scenery through this uncivilized country is magnificent. Mountains everywhere, on all sides, below and above. We passed through twenty-seven tunnels, most of which were through solid rock.

As we approach Chattanooga the country becomes less rugged and the people look more enterprising. The city is a very beautiful one, of about 40,000 inhabitants, situated on the Moccasin bend of the Tennessee river in a valley surrounded on all sides by mountains. The Cumberland mountains to the north and the great Smokies in the east, are plainly visible, although quite distant. Lookout mountain is about two miles south-west of the city, towering above it like a sentinal. Missionary Ridge bounds it on the east and Walden's Heights on the north. The historical battlefield of Chickamauga is beyond the Ridge about twelve miles distant. This great battlefield, with considerable adjoining territory, comprises the National Military Park, which is to be dedicated with imposing ceremonies in September. The government is using every means to make this one of its most beautiful parks. A succession of rolling hills, covered with giant pines, most of which are deeply scarred and wounded by heavy shot, has been made to resemble, as nearly as possible, its appearance during the famous engagement of September 19-20, 1863. The old breastworks of fallen logs, long since rotted away, have been replaced; trenches have been re-dug, old cannon have been cleaned and polished to their former brightness and stationed on the identical spots from which they belched forth fire and death thirty years ago. Ammunition wagons, loaded with shot and shell, stand near by, giving such a reality to the scene that many old soldiers who visit the place are overcome by painful recollections so vividly recalled. The little negro boy who drove our carriage made this touching remark: "I don't never like to drive old soldiers out here; they cry so much, and every little while one of them finds the spot where his brother or father was killed and then I can't get them to leave it, no how." Several old log houses, used as the headquarters of some general, still stand just as they appeared at the time, with heavy cannon stationed all about them.

The different states whose troops were engaged in this battle are erecting magnificent monuments to their memory. Ohio already has fifty-six, at a cost of nearly $60,000, and several other states are not far behind. To a person whose knowledge of our great civil war is confined to his study of U. S. history, a visit to the Southern battle-fields is indeed a revelation. If never before, as he strolls among the pines and oaks on Chickamauga, or Missionary Ridge, and searches in vain for a tree which does not bear the marks of battle, he is forced to realize the horrors of war and at what a terrible cost our union was preserved.

We returned from the park by means of the fine government road along the east of Missionary Ridge. Observation towers mark the site of Bragg's and also Sherman's headquarters on the ridge and afford excellent views of the city and river. At various points along the road little negro boys had large collections of war relics for sale, and oven eager to show "bullets right in the ground, been there ever since the war, and ain't never been dug up yet." Our guide informed us that "planting" bullets was a very profitable employment. Everyone who visits Chattanooga visits Lookout. The summit is reached either by an inclined railway car, which is hoisted directly up the side by means of a cable, or by a dummy steam route which winds slowly around making a journey of nearly twelve miles. This being our first experience in mountain climbing we were naturally a little cautious and consequently gave the toboggan-slide incline a wide berth. The morning was very cloudy and we enjoyed the novel sensation of riding through the clouds, and a few minutes later of observing them several hundred feet below us, while the sun shone bright and clear above our heads. The clouds shut out all view of the city for several hours, but finally cleared away and we could see far down in the valley Chattanooga, appearing no larger than Tecumseh. Time will not permit a description of the many points of interest on the mountain. National Bridge, Telephone Rock, Fat Man's Squeeze, Old Man of the Mountain, are all interesting to visit and examine. Rock City, about four miles back on the mountain, is a most wonderful natural formation of rock. Broad avenues, huge rock buildings hundreds of feet square, narrow cross-streets, many of them closed at the top, dark caves and immense natural statues, all lend beauty to this wild scene and make it one never to be forgotten. We ate our dinner in Smoker's parlor, a pretty little cave about twenty feet square, having a table of solid rock in the center just adapted to our purpose. Here we met a party of Florida people, who invited us to share the pleasure of a ride about the mountain in a mule wagon. Unfortunately, a heavy thunder shower overtook us, and quite an exciting time followed. Our mule did not mind the rain until a heavy thunder bolt struck a tree near by. This was too much, even for his calm and peaceful disposition, and away he went over the roughest, stoniest road ever traveled, kicking with a force and veracity that would have shocked the modesty of a circus donkey, and resisting bravely all attempts to check his furious pace. Over logs, and thro' clouds, with rain pouring furiously all the time, we proceeded until we arrived at the mule's home. It being nearly train time we were obliged to run through nearly a mile of Tennessee red mud to the station. We gathered courage and slid down the incline, reaching home in time for a late supper. Despite rain, mud and mule, the visit was a most delightful one, which we would have repeated had time permitted.

C. B. H.

Resolutions of Respect.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church of Tecumseh is again called to mourn the loss of a faithful, earnest worker in the death of Mrs. Julia J. Harding, who left us for the heavenly home July 12, 1895. We shall miss her cheery, helpful presence and her influence will be ever with us, inspiring us in our efforts towards success in the work in which she was so enthusiastic. Let us emulate her virtues and strive to meet her in the better land.

Resolved, That the sympathy of this society be extended to the bereaved family and friends, whom we commend to the loving care of our Heavenly Father.

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Three of a kind is a lucky hand, and the fact that Grover Cleveland has drawn it is a sign that he will have luck enough to miss a third term of the Presidency.

A BICYCLE TRIP IN EUROPE.

Tecumseh to New York via Niagara and the Hudson—Speeding Across the Atlantic

Mid Ocean, July 6, 1895.

EDITOR OF HERALD:—A bicycle trip in Europe, like charity, begins at home. At two o'clock, on the afternoon of June 18th, myself and friend, Harry McClure, left Tecumseh with an escort of wheelmen. The escort diminished one by one. A patch of deep sand swallowed several; a convenient town furnished a resting and stopping place for others, but the steadfast few rode 15 miles to Saline and then left us together with Leon Rosacrans, a boy of 15 years, who was to accompany us to Niagara Falls. Then we rolled along merrily to Detroit, passed the night there; crossed to Windsor, in Canada, and ran hard aground at the custom house. I don't like to dwell upon what happened to us there. Here is a recipe for passing the custom house with bicycles: Get a day off, and if you smoke, take several pounds of tobacco and your pipe. Enter the custom house. There you will be told to go back to Detroit and get some letters from the L. A. W. consul. Go and return. You will be told that instructions have just been received from the queen or governor not to accept such papers. Now look disconsolate and discover that you have a friend in Windsor who may aid you. Mount your wheel, and tear madly up and down the streets until you find the friend. Get the friend to ask his or her uncle to entreat his friend to ask the collector to take his guarantee that the wheels will go out at Niagara. Then get dinner and feel relieved. After dinner, learn that the collector has gone to a funeral. Get your wheel and chase the funeral 3 miles, and get frowned at when you gesticulate wildly what you want. Go back and wait calmly until 5:30 p. m.; then the collector will appear, sign your papers, and you may go on rejoicing, after losing 9 hours. That was our experience. We rode thirty miles that evening and put up at the Bicycle Rider's Farm House, where they charge nothing a day and give you the company bed-room and all the bread and milk you can eat in the morning. All the next day we rode in sight of Lake Erie, blue and rippling in the sunshine. So in the morning, but in the afternoon we rode in a drizzling rain. Occasionally we bathed our rheumatism with a concoction of witch-hazel and arnica and then struggled on. Canadian roads are the finest or we could not have ridden. We looked so bedraggled, that even the geese hissed at us when we passed. I have not space to describe the magnificent view which we had of London, nor to linger upon praises of the beautiful scenery in Dundas valley as we neared Hamilton. Lofty hills surrounded it, forming a vast amphitheatre which contains green groves, brown tilled fields, waving grain, and cloud shadows. Intoxicated with every variety of cherries, we wheeled or reeled into the U. S. again across Niagara's suspension bridge. Then, Sunday in Buffalo and a spin over a few of its 200 miles of asphalt. Here we bade good-bye to our boy companion who had ridden nobly the 360 miles so far. Monday on the road again and we soon saw the blue outline of the Appalachian ranges of Mts. The hospitality in this region is delightful to bicycle riders, at least. We even took breakfast with a crazy woman who mumbled and croned while we devoured our meal in haste. That day we passed the north end of lakes Canandaigua, Seneca and Cayuga. Here we toiled up one hill only to plunge precipitately down another. Harry displayed his total depravity by coupling to a load of hay and coasting up one of the longest hills. We passed through Syracuse and Utica and started down the Mohawk, riding the tow-path. When we met the stubborn mules which drew the canal boats we had to dismount and stand aside respectfully. We soon tired of the monotony of the canal, and took to the highway where we passed, now between gray rocky walls, now through towns with rows of houses built in old colonial style, and here a talkative farmer's wife pointed out General Herkimer's historic mansion. At Albany we were compelled by heavy rains to take a day boat down the Hudson to N. Y. This trip was a panorama of historic buildings with lines as strict as Quaker bonnets; rocky, wooded islands; the lofty hill called the Storm-King; mountains and highlands whose green sides vied with envy herself; the blue Catzkills, suggestive of Rip Van Winkle; Tarrytown and the Palisades, whose continuous rows of perpendicular rocks border the broad, bold, flowing river, and the rakish looking cottage at Newburgh, which was at one time Washington's headquarters. At New York we crated our wheels and were amused to see them taken to the pier in a hack while we walked. Once on board the Veendam we witnessed usual parting scenes; heard volleys of "smacks" in various dialects, and saw the crowd surge off the boat at the last moment. Out in N. Y. bay the kodak fiend fired a last shot at N. Y. and then we went below to dinner. We are on a Dutch boat and the passengers are of every nationality, with Dutch and German predominant. But the dinner: First course was soup, composed of seven different vegetables and melted grease. Then with great pomp the soup plates were removed and meat of some nondescript character and abominably cooked was brought on, accompanied by potatoes cooked in sea water and some cooked sea weed which they called greens. Next course was the same, only reversed. The dessert came in the shape of more sea weed, sweetened, and a new alias, viz: pie-plant sauce. Of course we had coffee and milk—so called—but we decided that it had been condensed and then expanded to the utmost tension or perhaps was the milk of a scape-goat. And the sugar. I had supposed it impossible to spoil that, but it looks and tastes like pulverized isinglass. Harry and I tried one course after another, fearfully yet firmly, and then went on deck wiser but hungrier men. Soon the dread angel of sea-sickness put his hand on my friend's stomach and so suddenly that Harry put the ship's menu on the front of his coat instead of thoughtfully feeding the fishes as many a less hurried man was doing. I want to tell about the fat man whose legs would not go through between the dining table and the seating bench, and the belle of the ship who walked the deck until 1 o'clock A. M. to avoid sea-sickness—of course the lady had an escort—and the fat men who sit all day and tell stories while they shake all over with laughter, or the melancholy fellow who said this boat was a regular stomach pump, and how Harry swore he would eat that soup this time if it killed him, so that he would not get it again, and the Dutchman, who "can't make out vich is de head or dail of deez officers." I would enjoy describing these but there is one who surpasses all these. He, too, is Dutch, and we call him the Lying Dutchman. His face is so honest, and his melancholy is oppressive, but his cheerful power of lying is colossal. On the day before the 4th of July, he came on deck looking so woe-begone that everyone pitied him. The ladies asked his trouble and he begged them not to talk about it. He said that he had just learned that the ship was to stop right in mid-ocean all day and celebrate the 4th. They were to have tub races, and the men were to swim on one side of the boat and ladies on the other, and we should fish, "and for dot all you bays one dollar." His indignation waxed strong. "You dink I stays und bays, no. I goes to my state room and fish de window throo." Then he begged the ladies to go altogether and beg the captain not to stop. Three of the most credulous actually did. Next day, he suggested that if there were no fireworks we might have water-works "for dere ist youst water enough." In the evening he invented vocal fire works. We all at a signal hissed a long "sh" and then ejaculated a "bang" when our imaginary sky-rocket burst and this was followed by a prolonged groan. Next day our Lying Dutchman came on deck much perturbed by a plot which he had discovered among the steerage passengers to throw all the steamer chairs over board. "And den we stand onp all de time." He had learned this from his 3-months old son whom he was bringing in the steerage because it was "sheeper." This is all now, but I shall write you again from Paris.

C. H. VANTYNE.

Here is a Bargain.

During the month of August 1895, we will take short term subscriptions for the Michigan Farmer and the HERALD at the rate of twenty-five cents for three months. Both papers three months for only a quarter. This offer will be withdrawn on the first of next September. Pass in your subscriptions.

Boston Excursion, Aug. 20. 1895.

Special train of Wagner Sleeping cars will be run on the L. S. & M. S. Railway to Boston, on the above date. The route will be via Niagara Falls, thence to Clayton N. Y. connecting with a special steamer for a day-light ride down the beautiful St. Lawrence River, through the famous Rapids, to Montreal; taking the Special train at this point, the journey through the White mountains will be made by day-light with three or four hours stop at Mt. Washington; thence through the famous Crawford Notch and via Portland to old Orchard Beach, stopping two or three hours for dinner, and thence along the Atlantic Shore to Boston, arriving in time for supper.

The train will be known as the "Brownie Special" and will be in charge of Sir Knight, W. S. Brown, Travelling Passenger Agent for L. S. & M. S. Ry., who will accompany the party through to Boston, giving his personal attention to the comfort and pleasure of patrons.

Very low rates will prevail. Space in sleeping cars should be arranged for at once. Itineraries giving the time of train, desciption of route, etc., will be out soon and will be sent on application to W. S. Brown, Hillsdale, Mich.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., AUGUST 2, 1895.

Roy Codling is at Wampler's Lake this week.

C. H. Marr and Jas. Kehoe, Sr., were Adrian visitors Monday.

C. H. Mace, of Detroit, is spending his vacation with friends here.

Master Willie Demuth was on the sick list the first of the week.

Mrs. Allen and son, of Toledo, spent Sunday at Mrs. Kate Suffin's.

Mrs. J. S. Kies entertained friends in honor of Mrs. Alvord last Monday.

H. P. Downs went to Jackson Monday for a ten day's visit with his sister.

Mrs. Dorrity and Mrs. Korn, of Jackson visited M. Scully's over Sunday.

Mrs. Laban Ward is visiting her sister in the northern part of the State.

Misses Belle Thomas and Nellie Kishpaugh spent Tuesday at Sand Lake.

Mary Riley, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Maggie Collins over Sunday.

Gertrude Kress, who has been visiting at F. Kirchgessner's, returned home Monday.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth was with her parents near Tipton from Friday till Monday.

Mrs. D. B. Silvers, who has been here for some time, returned to Adrian Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson and children, of Detroit, are visiting at E. F. Muir's this week.

Ed Breese, who has been poorly for some time, is considerably worse at present.

Mrs. Jacob Nase accompanied her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Fisk, to Detroit last Monday.

Mrs. Mina Parker, who has been making a visit at her mother's, Mrs. Jane Parker's, has returned home to Hillsdale.

Miss Maggie Everiss, of Adrian, visited Mrs. C. F. Clark from Tuesday till Saturday of last week.

Miss Lillian Kewes, of Grand Rapids, has been visiting Clinton friends and relatives the past week.

Misses Minnie Ebbert and Ella Campbell, of Hudson, were guests of the Misses Sullivan over Sunday.

The Methodist society and Sunday School will enjoy an outing and picnic at Wampler's Lake to-morrow.

Mrs. Ham. Niblack returned from Ypsilanti Tuesday, where she has been making her parents a short visit.

The young ladies society of St. Dominic's church will take a picnic excursion to Wampler's lake Tuesday, Aug. 6.

Mr. Brownell, of Detroit, a former stockholder in the woolen mill, was calling on Clinton friends last week.

Miss Frances Henderson, of Manchester, and Mr. Larry Schafer of Detroit, were the guests of Clinton friends over Sunday.

Fern Hendershot was called to Brooklyn last week to attend the funeral of his nephew who so sadly met death by drowning.

The new furnace boilers for the school building have arrived and will soon be placed where they can do the most good next winter.

Mrs. C. A. Grinnell and Mrs. Lucy Grinnell and children, returned to Detroit Saturday after a two week's sojourn in Clinton.

Dr. E. R. Stauffer, of Fremont, Ohio, was in Clinton a few days since canvassing the prospects for putting in a stock of drugs in this town.

Mrs. Alvord and two grand-daughters, Lottie and Carrie Davidson, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose, returned Tuesday to Detroit.

Miss Laura Clark gave a very pleasant party to a number of friends Tuesday evening. The occasion was to meet Miss Maggie Everiss, of Adrian.

F. D. Lancaster and C. S. Burroughs and families have been rusticating at Tarry-a-While, Wampler's Lake. They all returned to town the first of the week.

A new building is being put up this week at the plow works. It is a large frame structure, situated on the new street which has been recently opened to the plant.

Miss Belle Thomas, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks, left Wednesday for Hillsdale where she will spend the remainder of the vacation.

Alice Carroll came home from Detroit Saturday for a month's visit with her mother. Miss Myra Way, of Canada, accompanied her and will make a two weeks' stay at Mrs. Carroll's.

Messrs. Montgomery and Snauble, of Ann Arbor, were the guests of Geo. Lindsley's and J. A. Bush's families the last of last week. The gentlemen took in the bicycle meet at Tecumseh.

Will VanTuyle wheeled over to Adrian Monday. As he was coasting down hill the road suddenly heaved up in the centre, sloped off to the ditch, and Will took the slope. He got home all right.

Mrs. Sullivan and grandson, Bennie Ellis, returned Saturday from a three month's visit in Detroit and Marine City. Freddie Lynn, of Detroit, returned with them and will spend a part of the vacation here.

Geo. Kies is an enthusiastic wheelman, and he also likes a good road for himself and others to ride on. He has raised nearly $60.00 in Clinton to be used in perfecting a bicycle track from here to Tecumseh. Money is also being raised in the latter place and we trust every wheelman will unite in pushing this matter through.

L. J. Leek, S. G. Waterhouse, D. Woodward, A. G. Burton, Myron Millspaugh, G. W. Freese, M. Bartlett, A. B. VanDeMark, Miss Jennie VanTuyle, Mr. and Mrs. Greenleaf, Alfred Hulet, A. C. Huntington, Otis Kingsworth, W. S. Kimball, L. W. Kimball, C. E. Corwin, E. R. Smith, W. D. VanTuyle, R. P. Bauer, C. G. Ward, Geo. DePuy, W. B. Keyser, B. O. Randall, James Wadsworth, J. M. Estabrook, Christian Schierla, D. M. Bainbridge and J. R. Blanchard, of Clinton, and Wm. Gadd, of Bridgewater, were in Adrian Monday attending the Clinton Plow Company case, now being tried in the circuit court.

The ladies of the Episcopal church have again demonstrated their energy and the undeniable fact that man must go—at least to the rear. They have decided to have new seats for the church. The men said they couldn't. They have also provided means to raise the wherewithall. The men said they couldn't do that, but they have; and it is as sure as the decree of fate that those ladies will listen to the teachings of divine lore in brand new pews with the serene composure of actual proprietorship, while their weaker halves will be preparing a frugal meal at home.

MACON MUSIC.

Misses Cora and Grace Austin spent Sunday in this place.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell led the E. L. meeting Sunday evening.

F. J. Knight, of Clinton, was the guest of Mark Mills last week.

Dr. Hewell and family, of Tecumseh, made a picnic excursion last Tuesday to their old farm home.

Macon has had a circus and it drew a crowd. Perhaps that was what was needed to break the drought.

An eastern lady spoke in the Baptist church Sunday morning in behalf of home mission work in the Reformed church.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next monthly tea at the home of Mrs. Susan Burleson on Friday afternoon, Aug. 9. All are invited.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will meet at the home of Mrs. Isaac Hendershot on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 14. All will be welcome.

The number of Macon people who stayed at home on the day of the Tecumseh bicycle races could be more easily counted than the number who went to the races.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a conundrum social on Edwin Howell's lawn Wednesday evening, Aug. 7. The object of this entertainment is to finish paying for the repairs made upon the church. As the building has by this means been made much more pleasant and convenient for public use, the public is invited to come and help on the good work.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking those who so willingly assisted us in making our entertainment a success at Grange hall on Wednesday evening, July 24th.

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Senator Peffer is again preparing for a revolution. The trouble is that there are a few years left before Peffer can be revolved out.

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Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone. W. J. Hitchcock, Late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen. Buffalo, N. Y.

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Three of a kind is a lucky hand, and the fact that Grover Cleveland has drawn it is a sign that he will have luck enough to miss a third term of the Presidency.

Are you a sufferer from that terrible plague, Itching Piles? Doan's Ointment will bring you instant relief and permanent cure. Get it from your dealer. 1w

"And you said Dodkins is married?" "Yes." "Why, I thought he hadn't a cent of money?" "He hadn't. But he's all right now. The young lady has any quanity of cash. All he will have to do now is to clip the coupons off the bonds of matrimony."

The Most Important Question

among the practical farmers of today is where they can get the most for the money invested, and the largest profit for the labor of themselves and families. Buying high priced land or working land on shares does not meet with the best results. This question is answered by The C. S. Graves Land Company, 56 5th Ave., Chicago. See advertisement in this paper. 1w

The Care of the Eyes.

A few rules on the care of the eyes written for the Journal by an old lady nearly 83 years of age, who has never worn glasses.

First of all begin with the little baby carriages, and take off the white parasols and afghans. The reflection of the sun upon them is entirely too strong for the infant's eyes. Use green or brown.

Never place the child where it can see a gas jet. The parents are not aware of the harm that is being done, till the child is old enough to attend school, when they find to their sorrow that from some cause the eyes are injured. Let those two directions be followed and there will be fewer children seen in the street wearing spectacles.

Never read lying down, or print that seems too fine. Never read between daylight and dark.

In reading, writing or sewing, whether by day or night, always have the light at the left hand. If in the evening use a shade. Never sew on black at night. Never use liquor or tobacco in any way, and it would be better to abandon the use of tea and coffee. I have never used them.

Think of your mercies more than your afflictions, and there will be much fewer tears shed. In short, be cheerful; laughing is better than crying.—Detroit Journal.

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The mother of Baby McKee and the daughter of Benjamin Harrison is riding around Indianapolis on a wheel. This is the largest wheel in the Harrison machine.

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In a recent examination some boys were asked to define certain words, and to give a sentence illustrating the meaning. Here are a few: "Frantic means wild: I picked some frantic flowers." "Athletic, strong. The vinegar was to athletic to use.

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Housekeeper: You think you can do the moving in five loads? Mover: Yes'm That is it will be five reg'lar loads; but I s'pose there'll be two or three extra loads to take the things the teamsters forget.

"Mamma, was that a sugar-plum you just gave me?" asked little Mabel. "No, dear, it was one of Dr. Ayer's Pills." "Please, may I have another?" "Not now, dear; one of those nice pills is all you need at present, because every dose is effective." 1w

Wheeler (who has just bought a bike): Do you think the bicycle has come to stay? Sprocket: Well, a good deal depends on whether you paid outright for it, or got it on the installment plan.

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(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 25 Hailey Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some gravel stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

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The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 29th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry T. Luce, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Elvira S. Luce, executrix of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to render her second annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 26th day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at Charles Burridge's office in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 10th day of August, 1895, and on the 28th day of December, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of June, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated July 10, 1895.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Dry and dusty, but cool nights.

Mrs. P. B. Hardy was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

E. W. Lenardson was in Toledo on business Friday.

John Beasley made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

W. J. Helme and family visited at Ridgeway Sunday.

O. R. Lenardson and wife were Adrian visitors Wednesday.

Rev. E. Mudge returned to Chicago the first of the week.

Miss Maude Lee is improving and is able to be out again.

Miss Grace Smith, of Milan, is visiting friends in Britton.

Quite a number of Britton people are reported on the sick list at present.

Prof. Chas. Bowerman and sister called on friends in the village last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Maynard visited relatives at Detroit last week, returning Monday.

Miss Edith Russell, of Marshall, who has been visiting at Frank Gibson's, returned Wednesday.

A goodly contingent of Britton fans went to Adrian Tuesday to witness the ball game at that place.

Mrs. Chas. Gorham, Mrs. Mike Bachman and Miss Nettie Bannister are rusticating at Sand Lake this week.

Bert Nichols and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Andress visited friends and relatives in Ohio last week. They returned Monday night.

Burt Allen and Art Curtis rode to Adrian with Lon Wood Tuesday and Wednesday his horse died. The cause can only be conjectured.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barlow, of Ridgeway, took the morning train Wednesday for Brooklyn, N. Y., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Bush.

Mrs. Nellie Sink has moved her stock of millinery goods to her residence, one door west of the new reformed church. Mr. Dakin is making some repairs on the building.

Mrs. E. Horton, secretary of the executive committee of the Reformed church, gave a very interesting address to a good sized audience in the G. A. R. hall last Sunday evening.

There are a lonesome lot of boys in Britton this week and they hang around the stores with hardly enough ambition to pitch quoits or play catch. Nearly 20 of the girls are at the lakes.

Art Hughes, who is agent for J. L. Dexter & Co., has shipped upwards of 2 car loads of hay this week. It would not seem as if there were so much hay to spare in the country this year.

This vicinity has enjoyed several showers of late, which, though a small amount of what is needed, have given corn and pastures a start and stopped the small fires which were a constant menace to property.

Andrew Gogoline is shipping a large order of heavy oak timber to Canada. The stuff which he is getting out consists of choice specimens of oak to be used in the ship yards at Cornwall in repairing dredges, etc.

Perrino & Downers circus gave their exhibition last Saturday to a good sized crowd with entire satisfaction. Their performance was small as compared to the large shows but all was first-class, their tumbling being especially interesting.

Geo. Clark, Judson and Clyde Kniffin, Ed. Gripton and "Dad" Hatch started for Wampler's lake Wednesday for a few days outing. We are not informed as to whether the boys will try to break the fishing record while there or devote their time to pitching quoits.

Al. Lee and Frank Brown returned from the lakes last evening where they have been spending a couple of days fishing. They report a large, pleasant time and a large catch of choice fish, but of course they gave away the fish as they were too large and numerous to carry home so far. The boys should make arrangements to ship their fish by rail in the future.

Britton was especially favored last Wednesday afternoon when such a delegation of charming femininity as is seldom seen on the streets of our quiet village favored the place with their benign and fascinating presence. The ladies in question were from Tecumseh. The first section was a delegation from that flourishing young society, the "We Nine." The second consisted of their elder sisters who were "We Nines" in days gone by. They all came down to see friends off on the Wabash and, incidentally, to enjoy the beauties of our town.

The ball game Saturday between the Giants and the Palmyra Flyers, resulted in a shut-out for the visitors. Only twice during the game did a man from the southern township reach the third base, and only three hits were made off Biggs' delivery, ten men striking out. One feature of the game was a fine one handed running and long jump catch by Lowe. Another, the double play made at 2d., when that famous war horse, Sergt. Lee, unassisted, put two men out. Batteries Biggs and Lowe, Bailey and Osborn. Struck out by Biggs 10; by Bailey 5. Hits off Biggs 3; off Bailey 35. The following is the score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Britton,	3	2	2	2	7	0	2	2	*	—20
Palmyra,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—00

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Before another Polar expedition starts out, how would it do to organize a relief party to go to Maine in search of Tom Reed?

HOLLOWAY HASH.

The ride of Friday Eve. was enjoyed by all.

C. B. Anthony drove over to Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Miss Grace Carpenter is on the sick list, but is better.

Harv. Hartman furnished ice cream for the C. E. Social.

David French, of Ogden Station, was here on business Friday.

Grace Spaulding is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. B. Spencer.

Herbert Pease is reported sick with symptoms of Typhoid fever.

Miss Hattie Still left Wednesday for Adrian, to visit a short time.

Mr. Osgood, of Tecumseh, is down looking after his interests in town.

Miss Ida Pibeam was the guest of her aunt Mrs. Allen Kelly over Sunday.

Miss Eva Holt, of Montpelier, Ohio, is visiting operator Holt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt took in the City of Straits Sunday for a day of pleasure.

Miss Ora Bowen, of Tecumseh, attended church Sunday morning at this place.

Several of our towns people attended the bicycle races at Tecumseh Thursday.

The social at Wm. Doty's was not largely attended as it was a rainy evening.

Agnes Still came down Wednesday morning to care for her brother Ernest, who is sick.

Mr. Tom Hartman and daughter Ester, left for Wauseon, Ohio, Tuesday, for a few day's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, of Morenci, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Robt. Mitchell.

Miss Jennie Gordon left for Michigan Center last Friday to visit her brother, Prof. Gordon and wife.

Mrs. Frank Holdredge, of the northern part of the State is here visiting her parents, Mrs. Jacob Wright and family.

Mr. Brown and Dr. J. W. Nixon attended the ball game at Ogden Center Tuesday between the Britton and Ogden boys.

Mr. Auraham's lectures both Sunday and Monday evenings, were fine and were listened to by an attentive audience. He described the modes and customs of the Mohammedan and a Persian life. As he is a native of that country, his lecture was very fine.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Bert Tate, of Clinton, was in the village Saturday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Osborn is very sick at present writing with fever.

A. Lake and wife drove over to Saline on business last week Thursday.

Josephine Woodruff, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here at present.

A good many from here attended the bicycle races in Tecumseh last Thursday.

Rev. Hoag, of Au Sable, occupied the pulpit Sunday evening by request of the pastor.

James Boyd left for Ireland Thursday for an indefinite stay with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter Leila visited Alfred Richard and family the first of the week.

J. D. Arner and Leila F. Sutton attended the Yinger-Hibbard wedding at Rea Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ella Jackson Hodges, with her husband, called on friends in the village Monday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoag, of Au Sable, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ed Palmer, and husband at present.

Subject at M. E. church next Sunday morning: "The Cumulative Power of Curistian Work." Evening: "Saying and Doing."

The boy quartette furnished some music at the entertainment given at Grange hall in Macon on Wednesday evening of last week.

Pearl Countryman, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. H. Beedle, for several weeks, returned to her home Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barlow left Wednesday morning for their daughter's, Mrs. I. T. Bush, for an indefinite stay and to enjoy life up the Hudson.

Nettie Dibble, after a month's visit with relatives and a short trip up the lakes, returned to her school duties at the Home for Girls at Adrian the first of the week.

The entertainment committee of the Epworth League take pleasure in announcing that on Tuesday evening next, Aug. 6, an elocutionary recital will be given in the auditorium of the church by Miss Josephine Woodruff, of Detroit. Music will be furnished by Miss Ella Hall, the male quartette and others. Admission; Children, 10c; adults, 15c. Commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. A good attendance is desired.

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THE OFFICIAL SCORE.

The Winners and the Prizes Awarded on Bicycle Day.

We give this week the official score of the winners in the various events in the second annual race meet of the Tecumseh Bicycle Association.

TEN MILE ROAD RACE.

Time winner—Harvey A. Caldwell, Detroit, 25:53; gold crank Falcon bicycle.

1st—F. W. Holmes, Kalamazoo, 27:24; diamond ring.

2d—August Ott, Macon, 27:25; diamond stud.

3d—C. F. Wolcott, Gibsonburg, O., 27:48; diamond cuff buttons.

4th—Walter A. Tinker, Jackson, 28:05; pair M. & W. Tires.

5th—Elmer M. Stofflet, Ann Arbor, 28:42; U. S. Cyclometer, gold plated.

6th—Harvey Stofflet, Ann Arbor, 27:41; 4 dozen Chain Lightning.

7th—Richard Schaddelee, Grand Rapids, 29:13; Acme Puncture Proof Strips.

8th—C. D. Wilson, West Bay City, 27:46; one set Hoffman Tire Protectors.

9th—C. H. Diehl, Jackson, 28:50; Standard Cyclometer.

10th—C. M. Banfield, Ann Arbor, 30:33; bicycle lock and chain.

ONE MILE NOVICE.

1st—Philip Keusch, Clinton, 2:43 1-5; gold watch.

2d—Alfred Packer, Morenci; pair of Hartford racing tires.

3d—Leon E. Clark, Clinton; solid gold cuff buttons.

4th—Emerson Taylor, Britton; Bridgeport "A" Cyclometer.

HALF MILE OPEN.

1st—Harvey A. Caldwell, Detroit, 1:10 3-5; diamond stud.

2d—Fred Loughead, Sarnia, Ont.; diamond cuff buttons.

3d—Berna Oldfield, Toledo, O.; pair Vici or Vim tires.

4th—M. Hoachstetter, Toledo, O.; gold plated bell.

5th—John Schaffer, Detroit; fifty "Estrellas."

BOYS' RACE.

1st—Berna Oldfield, Toledo, Ohio, 1:12 4-5; gold watch.

2d—S. C. Cox, Chicago; Griswold mud guards and repair outfit, bicycle trousers and cap.

3d—George Fletcher, Marshall; B. & W. saddle.

4th—J. V. McFall, Sandusky, Ohio; combination bicycle lock.

TWO MILE HANDICAP.

1st—C. D. Wilson, W. Bay City, 4:40; diamond ring.

2d—John Schaffer, Detroit; diamond stud.

3d—F. Hicks, Bay City; pair diamond racing tires.

4th—Chas. V. Lasley, Toledo, Ohio; pearl scarf pin.

5th—Berna Oldfield, Toledo, Ohio; 50 La Normas.

HALF MILE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

1st—G. J. Davidson, Tecumseh, 1:12 4-5; solid gold medal.

2d—August Ott, Macon.

3d—Alfred Packer, Morenci.

ONE MILE OPEN.

1st—Fred Loughead, Sarnia, Ont., 2:38; diamond stud.

2d—Harvey A. Caldwell, Detroit; diamond stud.

3d—Ralph Samberg, Port Huron; pair Palmer tires.

4th—C. D. Wilson, West Bay City; search light lantern.

5th—John Schaffer, Detroit; pair Ball Bearing bicycle shoes.

THREE MILE LAP RACE.

1st—Harvey A. Caldwell, Detroit, 8:08; diamond ring.

2d—Fred Loughead, Sarnia, Ont., gold watch.

3d—Chas. V. Lasley, Toledo, Ohio; pair Eagle Alumnium Rims.

4th—S. C. Cox, Chicago, Ill.; solid gold cuff buttons.

Through some misunderstanding, a portion of the complimentary grand stand tickets were not honored by the ticket takers. The management wish to announce that this was entirely unintentional and that any grand stand ticket which was presented at stand on the 25th and not honored will be redeemed at its face value if presented within ten days from date.

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GONE TO HIS REWARD.

In the death of Charles W. Williamson, Tecumseh has lost one of her oldest residents and most highly respected citizens. The deceased was born at Bedford, Westchester county, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1823, and his early childhood was passed at Poughkeepsie, in that state, where he obtained the rudiments of a common school education. He came to Michigan in 1834 with his father's family and has been a resident of Tecumseh or Franklin ever since that date. In 1847 he married Miss Phoebe Ketcham with whom he lived a happy domestic life for over forty years. Two sons blessed the union, both of whom are now living. For many years the family resided on Kilbuck street in this village where he followed the trade of a carpenter. He was a fine mechanic and conducted a large and lucrative business. In 1878 the family moved to Franklin and took up their abode with a son, Chas. E. Williamson, where they resided until 1885. In that year the son moved to Tecumseh and engaged in business here and the father and mother came with him, where they both lived in peace and contentment until death summoned them away. The deceased was a man of robust appearance and usually enjoyed good health, but for the past four years he had been gradually breaking down under the weight of years. The end came peacefully and painlessly; the body had finished its earthly course and the spirit ascended to God who gave it.

The obsequies were held at his son's residence in this village last Sunday afternoon, where a large concourse of neighbors and acquaintances assembled to pay their last tribute of respect to an honored friend. In the absence of his pastor, Rev. J. P. Varner, Rev. H. Cansfield, of Ridgeway, officiated, who spoke words of consolation to the mourners, and the remains were deposited in our Evergreen cemetery.

The deceased leaves two brothers and one sister living: Edmund Williamson, of Tecumseh; John W. Williamson and Mrs. E. Dart, of Grand Rapids; also two sons, Geo. A. and Chas. E. His wife preceded him to the better land in October, 1890. Until her death he was a man of very genial disposition and a great favorite with all who knew him. He was a well informed man upon all current topics and kept up with the times in his reading. His wife's demise, however was a sad blow to him, from which he never recovered and which undoubtedly hastened his own departure. He leaves to his sons the legacy of an honorable life here on earth, which they will always cherish in fond remembrance.

Joint Pioneer Meeting.

The Pioneer Society of Fairfield, Ogden, Madison and Palmyra and the Lenawee County Pioneer Society, will hold a Union Meeting in Rufus Baker's Grove near Fairfield village, Friday August 9, 1895. There will be sessions both forenoon and afternoon and a Basket dinner at noon. The Grove is located six miles south of Adrian city and one and one-half miles north of Jasper Station on the Fayette branch. The Old Settlers of Lenawee County are invited to attend. There will be room for all and a pleasant time is anticipated. Warm meals will be served on the grounds.

PROGRAM.

10:00 a. m.—Call to order.
Music—Adrian City Band.
Prayer—Rev. J. Bettes.
Vocal Music—Fairfield Village Choir.
Address of Welcome—Hon. G. B. Horton.
Response—Rev. Geo. Humphery.
Bass Solo—By a member of Adrian City Band.
Memoriam—N. J. Strong, Madison: M. T. Cole, Palmyra; G. P. Robertson, Ogden; J. H. Cole, Fairfield.
Appointment of Committees.
Recitation—Lewis Smith.
Music by the band.
Adjourn for dinner.

AFTERNOON.

Music—Adrian City Band
Report of Committees and election of Officers.
Duet—Mayne Van Fleet, and Mrs. Fannie Mitchell.
Address—Rev. Jacob Baker.
Song, "Mrs. Mulligan's Pie," Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson.
At this point the County Pioneer Society will take charge of the program under the direction of Pres. T. F. Moore.
Vocal Music—Weston Male Quartette.
Address—Pres. T. F. Moore.
Song—B. F. Thomas.
Recitation—Miss Mabel Graves.
Early Clergy of Lenawee County, Pres. C. Quick
Male Quartette, "Evening Bells." Adrian City Band.
Music—Darius Cross Band.
Five Minute Talks—Alex Richards, James Colvin, Harvey Shepard and others, interspersed with music.
Closing Exercises.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

M. E. Conklin was an Adrian visitor yesterday.

Jas. E. Pittman, of Toledo, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

John J. Orr and wife are enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Bay View.

C. E. Williamson is laying a new cement walk in front of his store.

Company C will attend divine service next Sunday evening at the Universalist church.

Mrs. T. R. Lovett is visiting Zack Cook's family and other Raisin friends for a few days.

Roy C. Burlingame returned to-day from a week's vacation at Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Merritt's in Cadillac.

Miss Winnie Daboll, of St. Johns, is the guest of James Clarkson's family in Macon, for a couple of weeks.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will be home tomorrow and services will be held in St. Peter's church on Sunday at 10:30.

The Epworth League for the Adrian district will hold their sixth annual convention at Chelsea Aug. 13 and 14.

R. J. W. Bowen took several snap shots of the crowd on bicycle day. The pictures are in Orr & Temple's window.

Sumner Collins and wife, of Chicago, are spending a week or so with Edwin Howell's family and other friends in Macon.

Rev. E. C. Andrus returned yesterday from a month's vacation at Grand Rapids and other points in western Michigan.

Miss Bessie Williams, who has been visiting at D. L. Rogers' for some time, returned to her home in Minneapolis this morning.

Miss Jane Corlett departed for her home in Toledo this morning, accompanied by Miss Bertine Brewer, whose guest she has been during her stay in Tecumseh.

S. R. McClure just received a telegram that his sister Mattie is sick with typhoid fever at Pittsburg. Sam left on the afternoon train and will return Monday.

Rev. W. G. Hubbard, of Columbus, O., will give a temperance address at the Friends church at Raisin Valley, Sunday, Aug. 4th, at 2 o'clock p. m. Every body invited to attend.

Dr. Hause has just received the patent on his new window fastener. It is dated July 30th and was issued on that day. We believe he has a very useful invention, and one that will have an extensive sale.

A symposium of women discusses in the August Arena, the question "Is the Single Tax Enough?" The arguments pro and con show that the women are beginning to do their own thinking on all the great social and political questions of our time.

Subjects for the Universalist church, Sunday, Aug. 4th: Morning, "Have we grown?" Evening, sermon to Company C, "Systematic training." Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Thought for others." Phil. 2: 1-4: St. Luke 9: 18-24.

M. V. B. Bennett is a remarkable platform speaker. He is an encyclopaedia of facts, and his impassionate manner, his chaste thoughts, his keen wit and sledge-hammer arguments are made the more effective by his concentrated Christian life. He is one of nature's noblest men.—G. W. Bain.

The nine new lamps, together with the thirty-one old ones, simply eclipsed the full moon last night. They burned all night too, and finally the moon gave it up and sank beneath the horizon in despair. The new contract with the Electric Light Co. went into force yesterday. We doubt whether there is a better lighted town in Michigan than Tecumseh will be hereafter.

Last Thursday Anderson's dry goods store came very near experiencing a blaze. An incandescent lamp had been placed near a rod in the show window on which was displayed some dress goods. When the current was turned on at night it heated the fabric to the point of combustion, when it was discovered just in time. Fire damaged stocks are very popular among the dry goods merchants of Adrian, but our dealers are selling just as cheap, only of course you will have to burn the goods yourself, and you will never know the difference.

Card of Thanks.

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A LEGEND.

Edward the Confessor founded Westminster Abbey on a knoll by the River Thames. While the chapel was in the greenness of its youth, the hour drew near for its dedication, and one can fancy the ripple of anticipation that stirred within the patient breasts of men who told their beads and kept long fasts and weary vigils without hope of earthly recompense.

One dark night, the Sunday before the day appointed for the chapel's dedication, a poor fisherman, Edric by name, rowed slowly up and down the Thames. All day long he had worked faithfully, but, in the very places where fish were to be had almost for the asking, this day he had caught none. At last he laid down the oars in despair, and with uncomplimentary thoughts of the saints whose business it was to look after his interests, sat with his chin sunken on his breast and his hard hands clasped around his cold knees, when suddenly, out of the very middle of the silence around him, he heard, or thought he heard, a voice calling his name.

It was not the sharp voice of his wife, which had more than once broken in upon his reveries by heralding his ill luck, but an unknown, mellow sound, that by keen contrast made little shivers chase down his aching spine.

As he looked about him warily, a light from the shore flashed on the water and trembled like a reflected star at the boat's head. Edric hastily caught up his oars, and, pulling in the direction of the voice, saw an old man on the bank, who beckoned him with one hand, and as he drew near, begged to be rowed across the river.

Now, whether Edric chanced to be a soft hearted fellow in those hard old days or whether conscience pricked because he had gone a-fishing on the Sabbath day, I cannot tell. But, be that as it may, he quickly made ready for his passenger without first claiming a fee, and when the stranger was seated, turned his boat across the stream toward the monastery.

Once or twice Edric cleared his throat cheerfully to address the venerable figure, which sat silently, with crossed arms, facing him, but after all, he had nothing to say, especially without encouragement; so they went on without a word.

A heavy, black robe lay in long lines over the knees of Edric's companion, except for one fold that was thrown backward over the head, concealing the hair and most of the forehead. The face was chiefly in shadow, but now and then, as Edric glanced toward it, a light like that of two near stars shone on him from beneath the heavy brows and made him uncomfortable and awkward with the oars.

Once across, the stranger leaped out like a lad, and without so much as a thank you, though his looks were courteous, walked straight to the chapel, which on the instant blazed at every window with a soft, warm light like that of a thousand candles, a cheery sight to a fisherman who was not only hungry, but wet and shivering as well.

Edric was a bold man and not one whit afraid of a miracle, which was a thing not to be carped at, so he moored his boat and drew nearer, and lo! like the swift patter of a summer shower on fluttering leaves, a soft, swishing sound fell all around his ears and a billowing host of angels alighted within an arrow's length of where he stood. It was as if they "brake through the sky," or rather as if the earthly atmosphere grew thin and revealed them on the outskirts of the heavenly place where it touched the earthly. Then they glided into the chapel, but whether with wings or without Edric could never remember, the stranger leading the host, and there, with litanies and genuflexions, the celestial convoy dedicated it to the service of the Highest.

Edric had heard the monks singing both at matins and at vespers as he threw his lines and pulled in his fish day by day, but never had he listened to such Te Deums and Glorias as thes ethat shook the monastery like a mighty wind. He was creeping cautiously to the threshold of the door, throbbing with curiosity and wondering if it were lawful to enter or even to look upon the altar, when there came a rustle, a sweep of vast wings and sudden darkness, and out of the darkness the voice of the stranger:

"Give me to eat, Edric," it said.

But Edric replied, cap in hand, "I have toiled all night and taken nothing."

"Where learnedst thou those words?" the old man asked, and as Edric's pupils expanded in the starlight, which was the only light now that the chapel stood a black heap against the sky, he saw that the stranger smiled, and a sudden flash of thought made the fisherman catch his breath.

"Be not afraid," the stranger said benignly. "I am Peter, and I feed my Lord's sheep as he commanded me. Thou rememberest the words in Holy Writ? And I hold the keys of heaven; they are even now in the pocket of my robe—and open to whom I will. I must be gone, for a great multitude is even now waiting at the gate. Be not afraid, but hearken."

"I fear naught," said the fisherman—"that is, naught but the devil." But his teeth chattered as he crossed himself.

"Go then to the bishop," commanded Peter, "and tell him what thou hast seen and heard this night. And hereafter thou shalt find good fishing, save only on a Sunday. Promise me thou wilt not drop line on the holy day and that thou wilt give food to my poor."

Edric promised quickly, for indeed he could not well do less, knowing that he was keeping souls out of heaven, and as the saint vanished, with much jingling of keys, he made clumsy haste to put the river between himself and the chapel.

Next day, when the bishop arrived with miter and crozier and a great retinue, the fisherman met him on the farther river bank with a noble salmon in his hand, the gift of Peter, and told him in many words the tale of the night just past.

And so it befall that the chapel had no further consecration, for even the bishop was not sure that he could surpass St. Peter and his angels.—Ayln Yates Keith in New York Post.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

STRAYED—From my pasture Saturday night a 2-year-old colt. Color, bright bay. ABY-nursing colt or giving information as to whereabouts will be paid for his trouble.
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LOST—On bicycle day between Orr & Temple's drug store and Bennett's stable a K. of Templar charm and chain. Charm bears name of F. A. Ferguson. Finder will receive reward by leaving at Herald office or Satterthwaite's hardware.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 2, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

James Long, of Onsted, was in town Tuesday.

C. T. Cummins, of Detroit, was in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. John Linton is visiting friends in Union City this week.

Trot race, novelty race and bicycle race at matinee, Sat. Aug. 10.

Clarence Conklin is home from Napoleon, Ohio, for a couple of weeks.

The regular teacher's examination will be held at Adrian, Aug. 15th and 16th.

C. H. Smith returned Wednesday evening from a business trip to Chicago.

Emancipation Day was celebrated in Adrian style yesterday at Battle Creek.

Miss Winnie DeWolf has gone to Detroit for an extended visit with friends there.

Mr. A. Hammond, of the Ann Arbor Argus, was in town Wednesday between trains.

Miss Mary Hosmer, of Freeport, Ill., is the guest of S. P. Hosmer's family a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Love, of Tekonsha, are visiting their mother, Mrs. G. H. Melvin this week.

Rev. W. C. Burns, wife and daughter, Canton, are the guests of Rev. Vincent and family.

C. T. Harris is keeping bachelor's hall while his wife is making an extended visit with friends at Fremont, Ohio.

Miss Belmont will give a grand ballascension at Pleasant Grove, Wolf's Lake, next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Baptist pulpit will be occupied next Sunday morning in the interests of State Missions by Rev. C. E. Conley, of Detroit.

In adjusting the Metcalf loss at Adrian last week, S. W. Anderson of this village has been chosen to act as referee between the adjusters.

Emery Smith's paper mill is being thoroughly overhauled to receive new and improved machinery of much increased capacity.

Don't fail to see match between the favorites, Banker Rothschilds and Sickle's Hambletonian at the matinee, Saturday from to-morrow.

The proof of the pudding is in eating and the only sure way to test Mr. Long's superior accomplishment in flooring is by your patronage.

Messrs. Eccles and James Eccles, with families, are taking a ten days' outing at Wampler's Lake. Look out for fish stories on their return.

Prof. Huckins pleases everyone. He has a whole choir by himself. His solos captivate his audience and all are ready to join the choruses with him.—Californian.

Have you seen Frank Snedecor's new watch case. It was made by the T. J. Evans Furniture Co., of Toledo, and is perhaps the finest piece of barber furniture ever shown here.

Mr. F. Anderson, of Devil's Lake, was in the city at this office Thursday. He left the afternoon train for Chattanooga, Tenn., where he will make his brother, the doctor, a visit.

Rev. J. M. Getchell is now located at Waterloo, Iowa, and is doing well there. He is now enjoying a short vacation, which will be spent in Tecumseh, Marshall and other points in Michigan.

Bennett & Huckins, the celebrated elocution team will appear at Sutton's opera house next Monday evening, Aug. 5. Mr. Bennett is known as the "Kansas Cyclone" and Prof. Huckins is a fine singer. Turn out and fill the house.

The Misses Gifford, who have been visiting Mrs. Jennie Hall's family for several weeks, returned Monday. Nine children were present at her home over Sunday, the only time that all of Mrs. Hall's nieces and nephews were together at one time.

Thousands of cyclists all over the country will read attentively "What to Eat in Cycling," by Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson, M. D., in the North American Review for August. The value of such a contribution from so eminent a source is apparent.

Tecumseh will soon have a local telephone exchange.

N. H. Bradley, of Bay City, was in Tecumseh last Tuesday.

Levi C. Hayden returned to Grand Rapids the first of the week.

The different masonic bodies hold their regular meetings this week.

The County G. A. R. association will meet at the fair grounds in Adrian on Aug. 13th.

Jas. F. Cummins and wife, of Toledo, spent Saturday and Sunday with his father's family in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Chilson and daughter Ella went to Toledo Saturday to take a trip round the lakes on Capt. Chilson's boat.

Do not forget the mother's meeting at the M. E. church Friday at 9:30 p. m. Discussion, "Woman Condemned."

Mr. J. G. Buchsteiner, of Warren, O., is enjoying a few day's visit in town, the guest of Geo. S. and Margaret Spafford.

Rev. B. S. Hudson and family arrived in town last Saturday and they are getting settled in the parsonage this week.

J. S. Starling has rented the Hyde house on west Chicago street, and he will begin house-keeping there next week.

Prof. Fred Hillman is enjoying his visit at the old home exceedingly well. He will take his departure for Reno next week.

Come and hear the best temperance lecture you ever heard in the Opera House, Monday evening, Aug. 5. Admission free.

A joint meeting of the County Pioneer and Fairfield Societies will be held next week Friday, Aug. 9th, at Rufus Baker's grove in Fairfield.

Harry Martin is enjoying himself during his two weeks' stay at home. He still holds his place with J. V. Farwell & Company of Chicago.

There will be a Universalist social at the Lake Ridge House, on Friday evening, Aug. 9th. A very cordial invitation is extended to all. Bill, 50cts.

Van Bennett, the "Kansas Cyclone" Huckins, the "Sankey" of the Temperance cause, in the Opera House Monday evening, Aug. 5th. Admission free.

Merton Burlingame has gone to Uhrichville Ohio, having secured a place as clerk in the railroad yards there, in which Wm. A. Wood is foreman

The wheel social, given by the W. C. T. U., at the Baptist church Tuesday evening was well attended, although the weather was rather cool for ice cream.

The first letter from Claude VanTyne, describing his trip through Europe on a bicycle, appears this week. It makes a good beginning of what will doubtless be a very interesting series.

Mr. J. Zack Miller, Jr., of the Belton National Bank of Texas, paid the family of Chas. E. Burns, a flying visit over Sunday, on his way home from a business trip to New York City.

The Jackson Patriot asserts that with some anxious minds, the question whether or no the bicycle has come to stay, depends upon whether paid for or bought on the installment plan.

Nothing succeeds like success. The truth of this adage is fully demonstrated by the successful way in which J. S. Starling, the new tailor, is succeeding in the face of all apparent opposition.

There will be a shadow social given at Grange Hall, Wednesday evening, Aug. 7th, 1895. Refreshments will be served, after which the remainder of the evening will be spent in games and amusements. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Baptist and M. E. churches of Hudson will give an excursion to Put-In-Bay next Wednesday, Aug. 7th, over the Mackinaw. Tickets for the round trip, only $1.00. A special train will carry the excursionists, which will leave Tecumseh at 7:49 a. m.

In a letter, remitting his subscription, Heb. Langan, of Douglass, Allegan Co., says: Peaches are a great crop this season, the largest ever known. If you could come out here the latter part of August, we could open your eyes and make it interesting for you.

The state dairymen's association of Michigan, organized under the new law, will hold a series of dairy institutes at the various county fairs this fall, in which experienced dairymen will give familiar talks to butter and cheese makers on the practical side of dairying. They will hear and answer questions and illustrate their actual knowledge by pointing out defects in dairy products, and tell how to remedy them. It is expected ex-Gov. Hoard, of Wisconsin, one of the best informed dairy experts in the country, will be one of the instructors.

Space in the Transportation Building of the cotton states and international exposition has been granted for the model of the Nicaragua canal as exhibited in Paris. The national character of this undertaking and its especial importance to the development and extension of industries of the South make it an exhibit of interest to this section. The model is fourteen by forty feet in size and is a representation in relief of the entire canal from San Juan del Norte on the Caribbean Sea to Brito on the Pacific, showing the topography, water courses and lakes. The model will be an operative one, arranged to show the flow of water from Lake Nicaragua, the great central reservoir, to either outlet of the canal.

Another fine rain last Monday night was most welcome.

Dr. Loree, of Ridgeway, was calling on Tecumseh friends last Monday.

Miss Alma Teeters, of Manchester, is the guest of A. P. Coddington's family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser returned Saturday from a several week's visit at Athens, Mich.

Next Sunday, the Friends will hold a quarterly meeting at the Raisin Valley church. Ministers from abroad are expected, and a good meeting is anticipated.

Starling's specialty is in cutting and making clothes for corpulent men and small suits for children. We have a system especially adapted for them. Bring them along and we will guarantee satisfaction. 12

There will be no services at the Friends church Sunday morning, Aug. 4th, on account of Quarterly meeting at Raisin Valley. Services in the evening as usual, at which some visiting ministers may be present.

The work on the Brownville bridge is progressing. In the meantime the street commissioner has laid out a road across the river below the dam. This route is somewhat less convenient but far more picturesque.

With an education you have recognition, social standing, and an easy way to make a living. If a teacher the Fayette Normal University can aid you to double your wages. Enter the Fall Term which opens Aug. 27th.

The Michigan Equal Rights Association are holding their annual meeting at Jackson yesterday and today, and the colored people are attending in full force. Theo. P. Wood of this village is President of the Association.

While Horr is talking as long as his wind lasts against silver dollars, the people are working for them and are mighty glad to get them. Next year they will turn in and vote for them by a large majority.—Jackson Patriot.

Chas. Lasley, of Toledo, while in attendance at the bicycle races last Thursday, lost in dressing tent or on the track, a Century Road Club badge with six bars, two dated 1893 and four 1894. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving badge at this office.

Rev. Wm. G. Hubbard of Columbus, Ohio, President of the Peace Association of Friends in America, will deliver his lecture on Higher Life for Nations" on Friday evening, Aug. 2nd. at the Friends church of this place. Pastor and people of all the churches and the W. C. T. U. especially invited to attend.

Tuesday forenoon an alarm of fire brought out a large force of firemen and others anxious to save property in times of danger. No one knew where to go, but all wanted to run. They took a little sprint around by the C. J. & M. depot and finally found the fire, which had originated at John Mahaney's, was put out.

Here is a rounder on mistaken identity where "the devil gets his due." There are two men in AnnArbor who are constantly mistaken for each other. One is a preacher, the other a newspaper man; yet they are widely apart in their religious ideas except in one particular—they are agreed in damning the "devil."

What makes a good school? Strong, capable, experienced teachers; a clean pure town; varied and well-planned course of study; large, well-ventilated buildings and rooms; ample and reasonable accommodations; and a large attendance of earnest, energetic, young men and women. These requisites are all to be found in the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, Ohio. Send for catalogue.

Beautiful out-door costumes from Parisian models will be given in great variety during the next few weeks. It is too early to indicate autumn fashions except in very general terms; but hints of the coming season will appear in the August number of Harper's Bazar. An article on "Early Autumn Fashions for Men" will interest the sterner sex. A charming play for amateurs, entitled 'Piazza Life,' by Alice Ruth Carter, will be published in the Bazar early in August.

"Hay is hay in these days," says a Toledo dealer. "It is now worth $18 per ton at retail. Will it go higher? Possibly, but I am inclined to the opinion that it will reach its highest point between now and October. You see it is like this. Farmers are generally of the notion that hay will be dearer, and so are holding their crop. This makes it scarce now. Then much marsh grass is being cut this year, and will be employed to a certain extent, in the place of hay. Then, when the summer had advanced enough to indicate the probable shortness of the crop, many farmers sowed corn, which will yield a great deal of that kind of fodder.

The executive committee of the Farmer's picnic association met on Saturday last and decided to hold the annual reunion Thursday, Aug. 29, at the usual place, Beardsell's landing, on Devil's lake. Charles Wilcox was chosen marshal of the day. The matter of securing a speaker was referred to a committee consisting of Calvin H. Crane, of Madison; J. H. Jacklin, of Adrian, and D. J. Peirce, of North Adams, Hillsdale county. A favorable proposition for reduced rates was received from the management of the C. J. & M. railway, and after the transaction of some routine business, the committee adjourned subject to call.

The Evening Telegram of Wednesday says: A pleasant reception was tendered the students of the summer school at Metcalf hall last evening by the college faculty. There were about 100 people present. After choice refreshments had been served, Judge Lane, Prof. Kellogg, of Tecumseh, Prof. Palmer, President Thomas and Hon. Norman Geddes were called on for impromptu speeches and responded in a happy manner. A social time followed.

The Third matinee will be held at Bill's driving park, Saturday, Aug. 10, one week from to-morrow. There will be held three named races which are well filled. The features of the matinee will be a novelty race, one mile dash, last horse in wins first prize; owners to change drivers and time must be in four minutes or better. The four prizes in this race are presented by Thomas Elliott. A 100 yard foot race between fast runners, a two mile bicycle dash, and a matched race between Banker Rothschilds and Sickle's Hambletonian will also take place. It is the best program of races yet presented.

The boys of Co. C are making active preparations for camp. The mess chests are being repaired and carefully packed. The buttons are polished, guns cleaned, haversacks relined and canteens refilled. The company, though not as large as some years, will go with the full enlistment, and is doing hard and effective work at drill that it may hold its reputation for efficency in camp. It means something now days to be on the muster roll as no man can be excused from camp except in case of great necessity, and a dishonorable discharge is sure to follow a breech of this regulation. Dan T. Hall goes this year as brigade hospital steward with E. C. Andrus as assistant, while Dr. F. G. Tefft has been appointed regimental hospital steward of the 1st. Reg.

The opening production of "Lalla Rookh," by the Pains under the promomotion The Detroit Railway, was the most brilliant success in every way the City of Detroit has ever known. The Free Press, the next morning, in speaking of it said. "The stage set was the most elaborate affair of the times ever seen here. The large choruses were well trained; the principals were as effective as possible, the specialty performers were above the average, and altogether the performance was the most extensive entertainment imaginable, both in the diversity of its features and in the dimensions of the stage. It is impossible to enumerate all its features. The sight was of a dazzling nature, when the entertainment was at its height. It is needless to mention the various set features but they were marvels of delight to the 6,000 or so people assembled and the "oh's"and "ah's" became a general murmur of admiration and pleasure. Certainly the effect was startling in the extreme, and nothing stronger or more sensational could have been devised."

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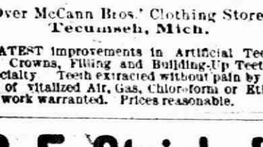

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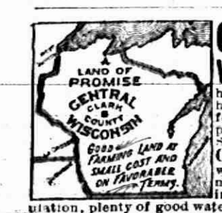

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LEADERS AT THE BAR.

Detroit Prepares for a Great Gathering of Lawyers.

DETROIT, July 31.—The annual session of the American Bar association will be held here August 27, 28, 29 and 30. The meeting promises to be one of the most interesting held and will have a large attendance from all over the country. The opening of the session will be at 10:30 Tuesday morning, August 27, with the address of the president, James C. Carter, of New York, generally acknowledged to be the leading lawyer in the country. The rest of the forenoon will be devoted to routine business and in the evening will be the welcome of the association by the Michigan and Detroit bar, an address by George V. N. Lathrop, president of the Detroit Bar association, ex-minister to Russia and the Nestor of the Michigan bar. On Wednesday morning will be the annual address by Hon. William H. Taft of Ohio, judge of the United States circuit court of appeals. The annual dinner will be given at the Hotel Cadillac at 7 Friday evening, and on Wednesday afternoon and Thursday evening the Detroit bar will give the visiting lawyers excursions to points of interest.

BELIEVED EACH OTHER DEAD.

Husband and Wife Reunited in Lansing After Twenty-Two Years.

LANSING, July 29.—Charles L. Doebler and wife have been reunited here after a separation of over twenty-two years, during which time each believed the other was dead. In the early '70s, when the Doeblers were living in Detroit, the husband, a veteran of the rebellion, went west to take up some government land. Not long after an acquaintance wrote Mrs. Doebler that in a fight with Indians her husband had been killed. From that time Doebler was mourned as dead. About six years ago Mrs. Doebler removed to this city, and a short time ago made application for a pension. The proof of Doebler's death being unsatisfactory, the pension department started an investigation, which resulted in locating him in the soldiers' home at Dayton, O. A Detroit man heard that Mrs. Doebler was dead, and meeting Doebler in Colorado, so informed him. Doebler always thereafter believed his wife was dead.

A HEAVY SENTENCE.

A Would-Be Train-Wrecker Sent to Prison for Thirty Years.

IONIA, July 27.—Cass Waterman, alias Black Diamond, arrested at Lowell, confessed he attempted to wreck the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee evening train Monday last. While on the train en route to the Ionia jail he got off at the place of the attempted wreck and turned over to the sheriff the tools with which he did the work, and which were hid in the woods.

IONIA, Mich., July 29.—Case Waterman, whose home is in Lowell, a few miles west of this place, and who was arrested Friday night charged with attempting to wreck the evening express train on the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee road last Monday night, was arraigned in the circuit court Saturday afternoon, and pleading guilty as charged, was sentenced by Judge Davis to thirty years in the state's prison at Jackson. As Waterman is 48 years of age, this is practically a life sentence.

CHERRY PIT IN HER NOSE.

Peculiar Result of an Accident to a Grand Rapids Girl.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 31.—Gertrude Smith, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, got a cherry pit in her nose some time ago. She did not say anything about it until Monday, when the child was taken to Dr. Prentice. The pit was removed, and it was found that during the two weeks or more it had remained there it had started to grow. The shell had cracked, and a tiny shoot had made for daylight at the end of the nose.

Big Paper Mills

IRON MOUNTAIN, July 29. — Ground has been broken at the Lower Quinnesec falls for what will be the largest paper manufacturing plant in the state. It will consist of two wood pulp mills, a sulphite mill and paper mill, representing an investment of $500,000. The enterprise is backed by Wisconsin capitalists, who have been compelled by the government to close their mills on the Fox river. A large hotel, stores and numerous dwellings are also to be erected.

Relics of the Chicora.

ST. JOSEPH, July 29.—Since the storm of Friday night three sacks of flour, a ship buckle and several incandescent lamps which were aboard the Chicora were washed ashore at Pier Cove. The point on shore where the articles were found is off the place where the searching parties drag caught when they were searching for the sunken hull. The find will be investigated, and in all probability the searching party will be started again in August.

The Marquette Monument.

ST. IGNACE, July 30.—Every Catholic archbishop and bishop in the United States has received an invitation to take part in the unveiling of the monument which has been erected to the memory of Father Marquette, who, more than 200 years ago, sounded the first notes of the Gospel among the Indians, with whom this region was populated. The exercises are to be of the most solemn and imposing character.

Barred from the Mails.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 26.—The postmaster general has issued a fraud order against the Columbia Benevolent association of Saginaw, Mich. Upon a report of the postmaster of that city, the department declared the concern a bond investment scheme and a lottery.

Stole His Cash.

KALKASKA, July 27.—Thieves broke into the store of A. F. Little and stole $470, which he had drawn out of the bank and placed over a door joint.

FULL OF NEWS.

A Batch of Short But Very Interesting Paragraphs.

Hartford has three churches without pastors.

The Basket factory at Spring Lake is forced to run night and day in order to keep up with the rush of business in that line.

Jackson voters will decide, on August 19, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of $35,000 to increase the city's water supply.

The almost total failure of the whortleberry crop in the vicinity of Battle Creek is announced.

Two hundred and twelve different varieties of peaches are under cultivation at the experiment station at South Haven.

R. L. Ginsburg, a Detroit commercial traveler, was drowned while bathing at Orchard Lake.

Hundreds of dead cisco have been washed up on the beach at St. Joseph. For several miles the shore is covered with them.

The Flushing fair will be held September 25, 26 and 27 next.

Homer is to have a baseball tournament August 13 to 16.

The Free Methodists of northern Michigan will hold their annual camp-meeting at Manton, beginning August 14.

Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, is besieged by letters from all over the country in which information concerning the three-cent street-car fare plan is wanted.

The dedication of Michigan monuments at Chickamauga must not take over two hours' time. The state authorities have been advised that Snodgrass hill will be at their disposal from 10 o'clock until noon, September 18.

While temporarily insane Mrs. Sefje Ryl, of Grand Rapids, drowned herself in the Grand river.

The formal closing of the Grand Rapids furniture exposition will take place August 10.

The blueberry crop in the northern peninsula, which is usually the source of quite a revenue to the pickers, is very light this year.

Charles T. Baker, a business man of Jackson, who arrived at Buffalo, N. Y., with his wife about ten days ago, has mysteriously disappeared. Murder is suspected.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Preparations Completed for the Encampment at Island Lake.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 29.—The annual encampment of the Michigan national guard will be held at Island Lake, opening August 7 and continuing one week. The troops will leave for camp August 6 and upon arrival will find tents erected and all preparations made for them. The camp ground is on the bank of Island lake, 3 miles distant from Brighton, the nearest town, and 30 miles from Detroit. The guard constitutes one brigade, with five regiments, each of eight companies, and the total muster is about 2,500 men. The week will be spent in instruction and drill and much hard work will be mingled with the fun and frolic of the thing. Officers of the United States army will be in attendance to offer suggestions and to observe the methods of doing business, and they will report officially what they think of it. Gov. Rich, as commander in chief of the troops of the state, will of course be there, and will be accompanied by his military staff in the gayest of full military uniform.

Charge Against a Lawyer.

BATTLE CREEK, July 30. — A sensational arrest was made in the train-wrecking cases Monday, being that of Attorney W. A. Crosby, who has represented most of the defendants. He is charged with an alleged conspiracy to spirit away the witness, Amelia Henselman, a German girl who worked for W. H. Smith, one of the alleged train-wreckers. Smith's wife was also arrested on the same charge. Jewett, one of the defendants in the cases, was arrested last Friday for running the girl away.

Held for Trial.

LANSING, July 27.—George Johnson and John Bodewig, formerly employed as watchman and engineer, respectively, by the Chicago & Grand Trunk company, and who have been in jail for the last year on charges of train-wrecking, etc., growing out of last summer's strike, have been bound over for trial in the United States court on a charge of obstructing the mails. It is alleged that they greased the track near Battle Creek.

Instructions in a New Law.

LANSING, July 29.—The state board of health has prepared and the superintendent of public instruction is now distributing to the teachers' institutes throughout the state a leaflet supplying data and statements which will enable teachers to comply with the new law requiring the teaching in the public schools of the methods for the prevention and restriction of dangerous contagious diseases.

Gen. Shaffer Dead.

CASSOPOLIS, July 25.—Gen. George T. Shaffer died Wednesday afternoon at his home in Calvin township, 8 miles south of this place. He had been in poor health some time, but was around as usual up to the time of his death, having been to town Monday. The immediate cause of death was hemorrhage of the lungs. He leaves a widow, two daughters and a son.

The Crops.

LANSING, July 27.—Wheat harvesting has been general in most sections of the state, and in the southern counties considerable thrashing has been done. The straw has been short, and the yield of grain, although light, is generally reported as of good quality. The yield of oats is light, both of straw and grain.

Burned to Death.

MANISTEE, July 27.—Charles Beals, while playing with matches accidentally set fire to his clothes. He was burned so badly that he died.

MORE MINERS STRIKE.

Men Working in the Champion Mine Near Negaunee, Called Out.

NEGAUNEE, July 26.—The men employed at the Champion mine, 10 miles west of here, quit work Thursday morning. A delegation of strikers from Negaunee and Ishpeming visited the mine and urged the men to join them. There are a little less than 300 men employed at the Champion. It is said their average pay has not been as good as men working in the other mines here. Superintendent Fitch asserts that the mine will be closed indefinitely. Capt. Hoar appealed to the strikers to permit him to resume work at the Star West mine on the Cascade range, which he is operating on contract. He offered to grant the men all the demands they asked, but they said all the mines in the county would have to remain closed until a general advance was granted.

CHAMPION, Mich., July 30.—Orders have been received from the eastern offices to close down the Champion mine, the 250 employes being on a strike. The Champion mine produces hard ore.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 30.—As was announced Saturday night the call of the local mine managers for all strikers to be at their places Monday morning to learn what concessions would be made by the companies was entirely ignored by the strikers, not one reporting as requested. The demonstration Monday was larger than ever. One man was thrown out of the procession with considerable violence on suspicion of being a spy. A double line of guards was stationed around the park where the meeting was held. At mine offices pay rolls are being made up in full, and the managers say it is their intention to pay all wages due and then shut down the mines.

FOREST FIRES.

They Are Working Much Ruin in the Vicinity of Gladstone.

GLADSTONE, July 31.—The situation here regarding forest fires remains the same. The swamps to the west and northwest of the city below the bluff and in the Goodmon addition, as well as the marsh lands on both sides of the Soo railway, are burning furiously. The buildings on the Hammer property, owned by W. D. Washburn, Jr., of Minneapolis, were destroyed Tuesday afternoon. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the fire getting into the business and residence portions of the city. The wind still remains in the north and is blowing a gale and the smoke in the streets is almost blinding. The city fire department has been on duty all day. Heavy fires are reported between Sault Ste. Marie and Trout Lake.

BURIED UNDER A STRAWSTACK.

Michigan Farmer Without Food or Water for a Week—He Will Die.

ADRIAN, July 31.—Humphrey Tabor, Jr., a young farmer living 2 miles west of here, has been mourned for dead the last week. He was the owner of a large farm and possessed of considerable property. On July 22 he disappeared from home and was last seen going in the direction of his barn. Nothing was heard of him until Tuesday, when one of his hired men heard moans in the hay loft, and, digging away in the hay, found Tabor nearly dead for want of food and drink. When resuscitated he said that in attempting to remove the hay the mow had tumbled over on him, and he had no idea how long he had been there. The doctors say he will probably die.

MYSTERY OF FOUR SKELETONS.

Evidence of a Big Crime Is Unearthed at Ionia.

IONIA, July 28.—Workmen excavating at the corner of Main and Jackson streets Saturday afternoon, where an old store was recently burned, unearthed four human skeletons. It is thought there has been a big crime committed, but no one knows how the bones came there. They have probably been there for years. They were only 2 feet under ground and were all in a heap.

Delegates Chosen.

LANSING, July 25.—The following additional delegates to the dedication of the Michigan monument at Chickamauga in September have been selected: Thirteenth infantry, E. P. Doyoe, Cooper; Charles H. Ruggles, Prairieville; Howell H. Trask, Hastings; Charles Thall, Battle Creek; Charles Nelson, Gobleville. First regiment engineers and mechanics, P. V. Fox, J. C. Herkner and John W. McCrath, Grand Rapids; James L. Wilkins, Hastings; Fayette Wykoff, Lansing.

Not the Only Pottawatomies.

COLDWATER, July 28.—John B. Shipman denies the claim made by Chief Pokagon that the 200 Indians in Pokagon's tribe are the only Pottawatomies in Michigan entitled to the $104,000 recently allowed by the government. Mr. Shipman says he personally knows 1,000 and is counsel for 500.

Death from Swallowing Cherry Pits.

MANISTEE, July 27.—The 17-year-old daughter of August Smith died Friday morning from the effects of swallowing the pits of cherries. Physicians succeeded in removing nearly a pint of pits from the girl's stomach, but the resulting inflammation caused her death.

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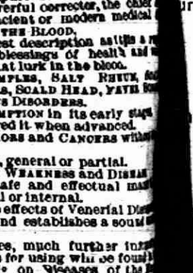

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THE BIG BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Notes On the Trip from Tecumseh to Baltimore and Six Days in the Monumental City.

When it was announced that the 5th international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America would be held in Baltimore many of our people were greatly disappointed, realizing that the distance between Maryland and Michigan would prevent their attendance; but there were others who not only determined to go, but to go the longest way around. So, on Tuesday morning, July 16, a small party left the Lake Shore depot in Tecumseh, bound for Baltimore by way of Toledo, Cincinnati and Washington. The journey was a delightful one throughout, its entire length. We were joined at almost every large town by bright, enthusiastic young men and women, who needed no other introduction than the little silver or gold pin inscribed with "B. Y. P. U. A." and "Loyalty to Christ." These people were so kind and thoughtful that we soon lost the sense of loneliness which one sometimes feels in taking a long journey over an unfamiliar road. But the country itself is so beautiful that we gave much of our attention to sight seeing.

In Ohio we were much interested in the oil region through which we passed. We saw hundreds of immense tanks for holding the oil, but were told that there are not many refining establishments in the vicinity of the wells as most of the oil is carried in great underground pipes to Chicago where it is refined and sold. In Cincinnati we went about the city with some young ladies who had attended school at Granville and who are well acquainted with the Adkins family. We went to Mt. Auburn, past some of the public buildings, past the famous Institute, the beautiful cemetery, and the renowned zoological gardens out on our way to some suburban town, when we suddenly realized that if we would leave Cincinnati that night we must be "looking backward." Then in a little while we had crossed the Ohio river and were in the state of Kentucky and the "Land of Nod." Early in the morning, however, we were wide awake and were enjoying to the utmost the rugged mountain scenery presented to our view. We were strangely moved at the first glimpse at those great, beautiful, tree-covered, cloud-fringed hills and wondered if in all the meetings we were soon to attend we should find anything more spiritually uplifting than this sight. Almost involuntarily we repeated some of the expressions the Jews of old always chanted as they were going up to Jerusalem to their great feasts: "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord which made heaven and earth. They that trust in the Lord shall be as Mount Zion, which cannot be removed but abideth forever. As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth, even forever."

The scenery all along the route of the Chesapeake & Ohio is exceedingly varied and picturesque. We question whether any more charming views could be found anywhere than those we obtained from the windows of the "Fast Flying Virginian" between Charleston and Washington. Of course there is grander scenery elsewhere, but this is certainly entrancing. At one moment we leave a long, dark tunnel and follow the windings of an ever turning narrow river at the foot of steep or gently sloping mountains; at another moment we are climbing these great hills and looking down on pretty, peaceful valleys. At one moment the engine is hidden from our view around a curve in the road, the next it is almost at our side. One thing we do not see, however, except in rare instances, and that is a pretty residence. One young girl who was sitting near us mourned over this fact constantly and would not be comforted with the beauty of the landscape. For ourselves, we found attractions enough in the plain, unpainted miners' cabins, destitute as many of them are of anything that looks in the least like comfort.

Nearing Washington we passed thro' many historic places and were shown here and there a spot "where the battle was fought," or again a field filled with soldiers' graves. We were much interested in Rapidan, Manasses Junction and Culpepper Court House. Then we saw the home where Jefferson had lived; Alexandria, where the brave young Colonel Elmer Ellsworth met his death, and Arlington, the home of Lee. We did not remain long in Washington at this time, but went on to Baltimore, which we reached about 9 o'clock Wednesday evening. We found a delightful home while we remained there with Mrs. C. F. McCormick, who will be remembered in Tecumseh as Nellie Cole. She lives in a very pretty part of the city, near Harlem Square, one of the most beautiful parks we have ever seen. Her husband was chairman of one of the entertainment committees and helped to make our stay in Baltimore very pleasant. Baltimore has about 500,000 inhabitants and is a very attractive city. There are many points of great interest within a radius of a few miles. Johns Hopkins University; Peabody Institute, Art Gallery and Library; Walters Art Gallery; Johns Hopkins Hospital; Baptist Orphanage; Baltimore Orphan Asylum; the Catholic Cathedral; Shot Tower; Fort McHenry, bombarded by the British during the war of 1812 but not taken, which gave Francis Scott Key, then a prisoner on one of the British men of war, the idea of writing "The Star Spangled Banner;" Patterson Park with its historic associations, besides very many more fine parks, monumants and public buildings. All of these places we could not visit but we had a fine view of most of them from the Federal Hill Observatory, and with some of them we became quite familiar. We were much pleased with a visit to the markets one evening between meetings.

The convention itself was an inspiration to everyone who attended it. The weather did not behave well, but everything else did. The Baltimoreans themselves complained of the intense heat and to northern people it was very trying; yet it seemed almost rude to speak of it since our hospitable southern hosts did everything that could possibly be done to make us comfortable and happy.

On going to the state headquarters the morning after our arrival we were given a badge, a hymn book, a copy of the song of welcome, a souvenir program, a map of the city and a fan. Armed with these useful articles we soon went to the great tent which had been placed near the entrance to Druid Hill Park and only a short distance from the lovely Druid Lake. Here on the first morning we heard President Chapman, of Chicago; Eugene Levering, the president of the Baltimore Board of Trade; Mayor Latrobe; Dr. H. M. Wharton, of Baltimore; Rev. L. M. S. Haynes, of New York; Dr. Wilkins, our general secretary; Chancellor O. C. S. Wallace, of McMaster University, Toronto, Dr. Roland D. Grant, of Portland, Oregon, and a few other speakers. What they said would make an interesting volume. In the afternoon we heard Rev. Frederick Anderson, of Rochester, N. Y., and Rev. Johnston Myers, D. D., of Chicago, and in the Open Parliaments conducted by Rev. E. E. Chivers, of New York, and Rev. S. A. Northrup, of Cincinnati, just called there from Fort Wayne, Ind., we heard a score or more men of equal note. In the evening the speakers were Rev. E. B. Pollard, of Roanoke, Va.; Prof. C. L. Williams, of Granville, Ohio; President John F. Forbes, of De Land, Florida; Revs. F. D. Penny, T. B. Thames and E. H. Lovett; Dr. Wm. R. Harper, the brilliant president of Chicago University; Prof. J. M. Stifler, D.D., of Crozer Theological Seminary; and last, but not least, Rev. Russell H. Conwell, of Philadelphia.

The morning session Friday was taken up with the exercises connected with the "Salvation of the Flags." This was an imposing scene. Each state and province represented had chosen as speaker some man of decided talent to answer for his delegation at roll-call, and as standard bearer some sweet faced girl. As the choir began to sing "Onward Christian Soldiers" these representatives of their states left their seats in the audience and began their march to the platform where a place had been assigned to each. As the states were called, their standards were lifted in the air and the chosen speakers responded with a report of progress made in the year. These minute guns, as they are called, were full of life and wit. It is hard to believe that thirty-five more brilliant speeches could be made in the same time anywhere. In the afternoon twelve Helpful Worker's conferences were held in different parts of the city. We wanted to attend them all, but as this was impossible we chose the Junior meeting and did not regret it. In the evening, after the presentation of the Christian Culture banners, Dr. M. B. Wharton, of Norfolk, Va., and Rev. A. C. Dixon, of New York, gave two excellent addresses. Our hearts were filled and thrilled as we listened to their words. Dr. Carroll, of Texas, and Rev. A. S. Gumbart, of Boston, were the principal speakers at Saturday morning's service. In the evening each section held a meeting by itself. The meeting of the Gold which we attended was a splendid gathering. On Sunday nearly all the protestant pulpits of the city were filled by ministers of the Baptist denomination. At the Mount Vernon Place Methodist church we heard a fine sermon by Rev. Mr. Morrill, of Denver, Colorado. In the afternoon, at the tent, Dr. Kerfoot, of Louisville, Ky., gave a temperance address; Dr. Henson, of Chicago, preached a sermon and Dr. Gordon, of Philadelphia, led an after meeting, while at another place a Junior Rally was held. In the evening the president's annual address was eloquently given and the most blessed of all the helpful services of the convention was held, the closing consecration service with the roll-call of states and provinces and missionary lands. We believe that the influence of that last meeting will always rest like a benediction upon those who attended it, and we cannot too strongly urge those, who might make it possible to attend these great annual gatherings of young people, to do so.

The Monday following the convention we spent in Baltimore, in writing and sight-seeing. Early Tuesday morning we started for Luray. Page county, Virginia, to explore the famous Luray Caverns about a mile from the town. Unfortunately for us, although we had read of these caverns, we really knew very little about them until we began to plan our visit to them. Then we found that in 1878, Mr. B. P. Stebbins, a Maryland photographer, became convinced from traditions he had heard, and from geological indications, that there must exist somewhere in this neighborhood an undiscovered cave. He started out with some companions early in April to search for this underground treasure but it was not until the 13th of August that it was found. A depression on the hillside was examined and found to be full of loose stones and brush. Removing these with much labor the party found an opening from which air was escaping in a steady current. The opening was made larger and Mr. A. J. Campbell was lowered into it by means of a rope. He soon became so interested in what he saw that he left the rope and went on, making new discoveries with every turn. At length the rest of the party became alarmed at his absence and went in search of him. It was soon apparent to all that a valuable discovery had been made, and at night the young men returned to the cavern with candles to make other observations. They went through several halls but were stopped at last by a lake as they did not know the wealth of resources of the caverns until they had bought the land underneath which they lay and had made more extended investigations. Soon after this discovery, the tract of land covering the caverns was sold at a bankrupt sale and Stebbins, Campbell and their companions were glad to become its possessors, but when the relatives of the original owners learned what a valuable estate they had lost, they instituted suit for its recovery and were at last successful. The caverns are now the property of the Valley Land and Improvement Co., and are worth a very large amount of money. The 'Century' of January 1882 speaks of the ornamental formations of crystalline rock, which render this cave without a peer in the world, perhaps, for the startling beauty and astonishing variety of its interior. While a Smithsonian Institution report says: "It is safe to say that there is probably no other cave in the world more completely and more profusely decorated with stalactitic and stalagnitic ornamentation than Luray." It is impossible to satisfactorily describe the cave itself. We can scarcely imagine anything more weird and unnatural. Quaint shapes suggesting and sometimes even closely resembling the things of the outside world are everywhere seen, but there is an utter absence of life except in the people who move dreamily about, charmed with the conditions in which they find themselves, and yet almost fancying themselves in some strange new world. The names of the apartments and their furniture are suggestive: Entrance Hall, Washington's Column, Vegetable Garden, a space which contains all sorts of vegetable forms. The Theatre, The Gallery, the Rustic Flower Basket, the Fish Market, where one may see but cannot buy bass, shad, perch, mackerel and other rock fish; the Elfin Ramble, Pluto's Chasm, a gorge seventy-five feet deep and five hundred feet long, at the bottom of which is a real Spectre, Mirror Lake, the Balcony and Skeleton Gorge, where we may see the actual bones of man or a maiden; it is difficult for visionary people to determine which, certainly not the new woman. Then we fine our way to the Giant's Hall where we see Titania's Veil, Santa Claus, the Snow Bank, Diana's Bath and the Saracen's Tent. Now we go into the Cathedral where we see the Angel's Wing and listen to the music of the Organ, as we examine some groups of statuary, Christ Blessing Little children, and the Sleeping Infant. It is difficult to leave this room with all its attraction behind, but we do at last and come into the Ball Room, a handsomely furnished apartment two hundred and sixty feet below the surface of the earth. Here may be found the Idol, the Vault, the Lady's Whip, Cinderella and other interesting objects. On the day of our visit a sacred concert was held in the Ball Room, and we never expect to hear sweeter music in this world than America and the other stirring hymns that seemed to come right from the hearts of our B. Y. P. U. delegates. Altogether the day spent there will long be remembered.

The route from Baltimore to Luray is a very interesting one; passing Harper's Ferry where we saw the monument which has been erected to the memory of John Brown, and where we can see at one glance Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, passing many historic and otherwise attractive places the ride is one well worth taking even without the attraction of the cavern. We had a very good opportunity to become acquainted with several Virginia people as we found ourselves on our way to the train invited to an ice cream festival given by the ladies of the Methodist church of Luray. We accepted their invitation and found them as enterprising and pleasant as their northern sisters. We greatly enjoyed every glimpse we had of Southern life and customs.

Wednesday morning we took a steamer for Claiborne on the Chesapeake Bay and from there we went by rail across eastern Maryland to Ocean City where we spent another delightful day, bathing in the ocean, gathering sea shells, and watching the wonderful Atlantic. It was a perfect day and one of rare enjoyment. Thursday morning we started for Washington reluctantly leaving Baltimore, but carrying away pleasant thoughts of the bright days we had spent there.

Of the visit to Washington and Mount Vernon we may speak at another time for the benefit of the young people whom we hope will go there in large numbers next summer to the Christian Endeavor convention.

CARRIE MILLSPAUGH.

LENAWEE COUNTY G. A. R.

The sixth annual reunion of the Lenawee County A. A. R. Association will be held on the Lenawee County Fair Grounds, Adrian, on Tuesday next, August 13, commencing at 10 a. m. sharp.

PROGRAM.

Music by the Orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. W. K. Spencer.
Address of Welcome—W. Stearns, Commander Woodbury Post.
Response—Hon. J. D. Shull, of Tecumseh.
Enrollment of Members. (Badges for 1895 at 25c.)

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30 P. M.

Music by the Orchestra.
Reading of Minutes.
Election of officers for 1896.
Reports of G. A. R. Posts, W. R. C. and C. S. V.
Oration—Col. A. Deyo.
Camp Fire speeches by President J H. Reynolds, J. D. Shull, M. T. Cole, J. H. Fee, Henry N. King and others.

Brevity is the soul of wit; if you have something good, let us have it.

Let every old soldier take a day of rest. Family basket picnic. Come out and enjoy the day with the veterans. Comrades, come out, one and all and enjoy this gala day reunion. The ladies of the W. R. C. will provide hot coffee. Bring the family; have the haversack well filled. J. H. REYNOLDS, Pres.

H. W. STEVENS, Secy.

Reunion of the 18th Regiment.

The 28th Annual Reunion of the 18th Mich. Vol. Infantry will be held at Dundee, Mich., August 27, 1895. Business meeting at 2 p. m. Officers are to be elected for the ensuing two years. Rates on C. J. & M. R'y, one fare for the round trip from Homer to Dundee. Negotiations are pending for rates on other roads. Inquire at your local stations. Good speakers and music will be in attendance.

Comrades:—Thirty-three years is the time between our muster and this reunion. (One-third of a century-a generation.) Yet for one day the remnant of the 18th Mich. will be boys again. Boys, come out, we want to look into each other's faces and clasp each other's hands. Bring your ladies. Let the comrades of other regiments and the citizens of Dundee and vicinity meet with us, and may we each receive an inspiration of patriotism direct from the defenders of the republic.

FRED BAY, President.
D. H. WARREN, Sec'y.

Very Low Rates to Baw Beese Park.

Account of the Tri-State Grange Assembly at Baw Beese Park, Aug. 20th. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern R'y. will sell excursion tickets at very low rates and run special train to Baw Beese Park and return. For rates and time of train see hand bills.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Teacher; What is a desert? Pupil; An arid waste. Teacher. Illustrate. Sunday in New York under the Roosevelt regime. Teacher. What is an oasis? Pupil. The club.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., AUGUST 9, 1895.

Miss Kit VanTuyle is on the sick list this week.

Miss Minnie Humphrey spent Sunday in Manchester.

S. W. Demuth was on the sick list the first of the week.

Ed. VanDeMark went to Ann Arbor last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Chas. Clark is spending a few days with Detroit friends.

Mrs. Dr. White and daughter spent last Tuesday in Manchester.

Mrs. Will Wood is spending the present week with friends in Ypsilanti.

Rev. W. R. Blachford was calling on his Clinton parishioners last Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Woodward, who has been ill for several days, is now on the gain.

If you would be in fashion now, then attend Frank Lancaster's discount sale.

Robert Redjek is laying more cement walks in town, and always does a good job.

Mrs. E. M. Crowell, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mrs. E. S. Tate last week.

Gus VanDeMark is indulging in the pastime of keeping bachelor's hall this week.

Co. V returned home from Wampler's Lake on Monday, and report a splendid time.

Miss Kate Ebbitt arrived home Saturday night from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Mary Rhude, of Detroit, is making a brief visit at her father's, Ben. Woodward's.

Chas Johnson of Detroit came over on his wheel Saturday and will spend his vacation here.

There will be services at St. Johns Church next Sunday evening, Sunday School at 12 m.

The rain of Monday night was a most welcome visitor, and will help the corn crop wonderfully.

Mrs. J. V. Amspoker and Mrs. Sarah Stevens spent Wednesday at the VanDeMark cottage at Sand Lake.

Miss Ollie Mills, who has been enjoying a lengthy visit with friends in Indiana, is expected home this week.

Miss Tina Kennedy, of Detroit, arrived in town Tuesday and will be the guest of Miss Grace Stevens for a few days.

Mrs. Dr. Fowler, who has been stopping with friends in Detroit for the past two weeks, returned home last Friday.

Sumner Collins, of Chicago, who is spending a few days at the old home in Macon, was calling on friends here Tuesday.

Geo. Freese has to answer a good many queries this week in regard to his experience in bicycle riding at the county seat.

The Clinton Plow Co. case is attracting much attention here and the decision of the Circuit Court is awaited with interest.

Mrs. Frank Woolward is quite ill at her grandmother's, Mrs. Wastell's. She was taken [illegible] to be improving at present.

The Congregational picnic was held at Wampler's Lake Wednesday. It was a lovely day and a good crowd enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

The sojourn at Wampler's Lake improved Mrs. C. S. Burtough's condition considerably and her friends hope that the improvement may continue.

Frank Lancaster will move his stock of clothing into the new corner store about the first of next month. He will have the nobbiest store in town.

Mrs. J. H. Breese came from Fenwick last week to visit her son Ed. who has been quite sick. Ed. is now improving and will soon be out again.

Masons are at work putting in the big brick oven in the rear of McClure's new store. Frank expects now to occupy his new quarters about the first of next month.

The Catholic church held their picnic on Tuesday, at Sand Lake North Shore. Although rainy in the morning it proved to be a very good day for picnicing.

Sherwood & Foster, of Webberville, Mich., have rented the new VanTuyle & Bainbridge store and will take possession about Sept. 1st with a stock of drugs and groceries.

Miss Louise VanDeMark returned from Detroit on Friday last and on Saturday left for Chicago to spend a week or two with her brother in that city.

The two new boilers for the woolen mill are being placed in position. They are each one hundred horse power capacity and will supply steam enough for all future emergencies.

David Woodward recently received an order from Ballymena, Ireland, for a lot of canned fruit, and will put up a quantity of raspberries, peaches, pears, plums and cherries to fill the order.

The Clinton Celery Co. will soon have their product on the market. Their irrigation machinery has been kept at work all through the dry spell and they have a fine patch of celery in consequence.

The new block is progressing right along. The plastering is all done on the three ground floors, and the carpenters and painters are putting on the finishing touches. The shelving is now being put into the corner store.

Garland Gillespie has concluded to hang out his shingle in Clinton and will open a law office here about Sept. 1st, occupying the room over Freese's store. This is rather a peaceful community for a lawyer, but there ought to be enough business here, outside of litigation, to support an attorney. Success to him.

The Mileage Par Excellence.

Is now the Ohio Central Lines' Interchangeable 1,000 Mile Ticket. Covering the B & O. System West of Pittsburgh, including the Pittsburgh & Western, the Big Four and other systems, it is a book that no person who travels can afford to be without. It is commended for investigation by our patrons.

NOTES FROM THE EMERALD ISLE

What James Lowry is Doing Among the Scenes of His Childhood.

In a letter recently received from James Lowry he gives an interesting account of his travels on the Emerald Isle, which we are able to present our readers in this issue of the HERALD:

We landed at Queenstown on the morning of June 26th at 4 o'clock; but owing to the delay of the Tender in coming for us and our baggage it was 7 o'clock before we went ashore. As 400 landed here there was great commotion for two hours getting the baggage from the Tender and through the custom house. When we got our luggage into the station we started out to see the town, or rather city, for it has a population of 14,000. The harbor here is fine and Queenstown a pretty city. We enjoyed our stay here and continued our sight seeing until driven in by a severe thunder shower. The streets were flooded in a short time. This being the first rain since May first it was thankfully received. From Queenstown we went to the renowned city of Cork, and after driving through the pleasant thoroughfares and resident streets we visited the lovely Lakes of Killarney. The scenery surrounding these lakes is beautiful beyond description. Returning to Cork we took the train for Limerick. This, like the others, is a pretty city and furnishes many interesting subjects for the tourist. From Limerick we went to Dublin, where we spent some time. This city furnishes many points of interest, among them being Phœnix Park, which is, without exception, the finest I have ever seen. Regreting that we could not tarry longer, we took the train for Belfast, the best city in Ireland, which is more like American cities than any I have yet visited. It is growing very rapidly and has a population of 325,000. We only spent a few days here, although it would have required weeks to visit all the places one would like. From here we went to Ballymena, the town where I went to school and three miles from which I lived till I was 18 years of age. It has grown in size and made many improvements since I left it 23 years ago. It has now a population of fully 10,000 and is the only town of any importance within a radius of twenty or thirty miles. More business is transacted here than any place of its size on the island, for it furnishes all the surrounding towns for twenty or thirty miles with their merchandise. Saturday is their general market day, when buying and selling is done. Tuesday and Thursday of each week are the days when dressed pork is brought in and I discovered this to be a very extensive business. The pork is bought principally by four firms here who cure it and the excess over what is needed for home consumption is shipped to England. Yesterday, July 23, dressed pork sold for what in our money would be ten cents per pound; but the quality, I must confess, is far superior to American pork. The next place we visited was Glenariff Glen, or the Water Falls, the most beautiful spot in all Ireland. The river runs down between two mountains for several miles and there are numerous waterfalls. The natural scenery here presented to the eye is delightful. This glen is now owned and controlled by the Narrow Guage Railway Company, who have expended large sums of money in building rustic bridges—some of them hundreds of feet above the water—and laying out walks both sides of the glen, on either side of which choice plants and flowers in endless profusion may be seen. These, with the natural beauties of the glen, have made it a popular resort and it is yearly visited by thousands from England and Scotland, as well as all portions of the isle. We next visited Cushendall, a small town on the seashore. This is a very pretty watering place and a popular resort. There are many pretty towns on the shore which we intend to visit while here.

The crops in this country are looking fine, especially the potatoes. I never saw anything to compare with it in America. Ireland has improved wonderfully in every respect since I left it 23 years ago, and as I go around among the farmers I find them, as a class, in a prosperous condition; living as well as in any country and many of them laying up money. I spent a few days with William Elliott, a brother of Jim and Tom. He resides at Clough, the place where the wind blows from all directions at one and the same time. He owns a farm, with good buildings, has a fine blacksmith shop and has work enough for himself and two or three helpers. Judging from appearances, he is as well fixed as any of us in America. Anyone with a trade can do well in this country. It is the common laborer that finds it hard to get along. Their wages are not half what they are in America and provisions much higher. I do not see how they live as well as they do, but most of them seem to be satisfied. One man informed me that he had worked for his present employer twenty-five years and supported himself and family on 50 cents per day, or two shillings, English money. How he could do it was to me a mystery, for here butter is 24c, eggs 25c, beefsteak from 16c to 20c, boiling pieces 10c to 13c, pork 12c to 13c, ham 16c, and other things in proportion. With this state of things you can see it must require the strictest economy for a laborer with a family, at 50 cents a day, to make both ends meet.

I could give you much more had I the time, but the carriage is waiting for me and I must say good bye and be off.

Yours truly,

JAMES LOWRY.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phœbe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

The Arena's Art Gallery.

We call attention to the prospectus of the Arena, to be found in another column. In addition to being the leader among the high class magazines, it gives to each subscriber a copy of the "Arena Portrait Gallery," containing forty portraits of distinguished persons, which is worth as much as the magazine itself. There are fifty readers of the HERALD who could and should take advantage of this offer.

In This Country.

everybody is more or less affected with Catarrhal troubles, and all these victims of our atmospheric changes are on the look out for effective remedies. Century Catarrh Cure has proved itself the best remedy on the market, for Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, and all other forms of this insidious disease. It has proved a reliable remedy, cleansing the nasal passages, and allaying pain and inflammation and restoring the senses of taste and smell. Sold by C. A. Wright. aug.

Miss Swift: "No, I shall not go into conservatory with you, Mr. Slowboy; I'm afraid you would try to kiss me." Why Miss Swift, did you ever in your life know me to do an ungentlemanly thing?" Miss Swift: "But, you see, so many people wouldn't think that ungentlemanly."

If your dealer tells you something else is "just as good" as Doan's Ointment for Hives, Pin Worms, Itching Piles or other itchiness of the skin; tell him you want the original. It is safe; never-failing. 1w

Thirsty for Song—Al Rost: "Dis paper tells about the greates' sopranny singer in the wor'. I'd like to hear her." Tyred: "Wat's de peculiarity uv the warbler?" Rost: "It ses she 'poured forth a volume of liquid notes.' Dat must have been a great graft."

To nursing mothers. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a priceless female boon, for it not only strengthens the mother, but also promotes an abundant secretion of nourishment for the child. For those about to become mothers, it is even more valuable for it lessens the perils of child birth and shortens labor. (If all dealers.)

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Teacher: What is a desert? Pupil: An arid waste. Teacher: Illustrate. Sunday in New York under the Roosevelt regime. Teacher: What is an oasis? Pupil: The club.

Glad Tidings to Asthma Sufferers.

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The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 29th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Henry T. Luce, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Elvira S. Luce, executrix of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to render her second annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at Charles Burridge's office, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 10th day of August, 1895, and on the 28th day of December, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of June, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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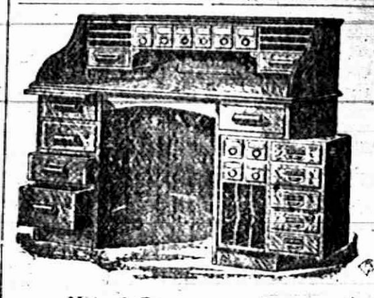

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The Giants play ball at Hudson today.

Mrs. Andrew Wood is on the sick list at present.

John Beasley is building a new house over on Coal Kiln avenue.

Frank Gibson made a business trip to Toledo the first of the week.

Orange blossoms will bloom in the near future, or all signs will fail.

Sam Brangan, of Tecumseh, gave Britton a call Tuesday afternoon.

The C. J. & M. will put a new crossing in the Wabash track to-morrow.

W. R. Osgood and family took in the excursion to Put-In-Bay last Wednesday.

The rain of Monday night and Tuesday morning was a most welcome visitor in these parts.

Joseph Oakin is making some needed repairs in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Nettie Sink.

Fred Snedecor and sister, Jennie, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Miss Georgia Cheever, last week.

Dr. F. E. Hendershot, of Macon, was in town one day this week. He claims that farming agrees with him.

The lathers are now at work upon the new Reformed church, and the plasterers will begin duty next week.

John Hicks, of Tecumseh, was in town Wednesday, having come in on the afternoon train from Detroit.

John Woodruff, of Detroit, spent Wednesday with relatives in the village, on his way to Addison for a few days.

A. H. Holland, of Arkansas, is relieving George Clark at the Wabash office as night clerk, for a a few weeks.

Harvey Welling has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to resume work at his gallery this week.

W. P. Cotton and wife of Macon, were among the visitors to Put-In-Bay Wednesday, taking the train at this place.

The fifth annual reunion of the Hoagland family will be held at the home of Homer Miller, in Rea, on the 17th of August.

I. S. Osborn and O. P. Bills, of Tecumseh, paid Irve's prairie farm a visit last Wednesday. They found everything O. K. down there.

Miss Myrtle Sowles and father, who have been visiting in Britton several days, returned to their home in Farmington Tuesday morning.

Quite a number from here took in the excursion to Put-In-Bay Wednesday. They report a fine day's sport, as it was a beautiful day on Lake Erie.

John Britton, Will Britton, Samuel Underwood, George Smith and their wives are figuring on going to Boston Aug. 26th, to attend the Conclave.

Summer Collins, who has been visiting in Macon for the past two weeks, took the afternoon train on the Wabash, Wednesday for his home in Chicago.

Dr. Hardy and family will leave here next Tuesday for a vacation of three weeks. They will spend most of the time at Dr. Hardy's old home. Andover, N. Y.

Sergeant A. J. Lee took Wabash No. 2 Tuesday morning for Island Lake. Lining Co. C at Milan. The Company could not well dispense with his services at camp.

The new brick yard is in full blast this week, turning out about 15000 brick daily, having started in bright and early Monday morning. The first kiln will be ready to burn in about two weeks.

James Haight, John Zeluff, Chas. Gripton and George Gripton with their families took a day of recreation at Wampler's lake Wednesday. It is needless to remark that they had a jolly time.

Twenty of our girls have been spending a week at Sand Lake. A better lot of girls, and a better time never got together. Geo. Exelby looked after their interests and everything passed very pleasantly.

Fred and Clyde Kniffen, George Clark and Ed. Gripton, who had been in camp at Wamplers lake, returned on Sunday morning and report a good time. They saved the lives of all the Clinton and Tecumseh girls—about 100 in all—at least, they did not allow any of them to get drowned while they were.

ROME RAVELINGS.

The late rains are very encouraging to farmers.

Miss Ada Park came home from Onsted to stay with her folks over Sunday.

Many people will take advantage of the excursion this week to the Great Lakes.

The thrashing of grain is progressing rapidly in this vicinity, and will soon be done.

Dallas Whitney and family will return to Chicago the first of the week, after spending one week among friends here.

The Baker families will hold a reunion on the anniversary of their coming to this country, at Charles Baker's grove in Rome, August 7th.

When a person is losing flesh and wasting away there is cause for alarm. Nothing so worries a physician. Consumptives would never die if they could gain their usual weight. In fact there would be no consumption if there were no wasting of the system. The cause of this loss of flesh is a failure to properly digest the food eaten. Nine-tenths of all our diseases date back to some derangement of the stomach. The Shaker Digestive Cordial will stop the wasting of the body. It acts by causing the food we eat to be digested as to do good, for undigested food does more harm than good. The Cordial contains food already digested and is a digester of food as well. 1w

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Taking her part—"Jack Little said some rather hard things about you at the club last night, but Bobby Garlyle stood up for you." "Ah! Bobby always was a friend of mine. What did he say?" "He said all women do."

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Russell Culbertson is on the sick list at this writing.

The rain on Monday night was the heaviest of the season.

John Woodruff, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here at present.

Miss Jennie Snedicor, of Ypsilanti, visited friends here last week.

Over twenty from here took in the excursion to Put-in-Bay Wednesday.

Glenn Smith had one of his fingers lacerated quite badly in a cutting box Tuesday.

F. L. Cook, of Lansing, is spending a few days at present as the guest of Leila F. Sutton.

Ed. Smith and family of Toledo, after a week with friends here, returned to his home Friday.

Lottie Arner who has been spending a month with her mother returned to Detroit Saturday.

L. Rinebold, wife and son Russell of Addison, were in the village calling on friends, Saturday.

Mollie Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, is spending a few days with old schoolmates and friends.

Mrs. J. F. Temple, and daughter Clara, visited relatives near Adrian last week Friday and Saturday.

R. S. Houseman, W. L. Jones, C. W. Culbertson attended church in Ann Arbor Sunday. Monday they rode over on their whells.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoag who have been spending a fortnight at Mrs. Ed Palmer's, left for their home at AuSable Wednesday morning.

A. R. Arner conducter at the State House of Correction at Ionia, is spending a few days with his mother, also calling on friends.

Quite a number went to Tecumseh Monday night to hear the Kansas cyclone, Hon. M. V. B. Bennett, and Prof. A. B. Huckins of Nebraska.

Subject at the church next Sunday morning, "Am I My Brothers Keeper?" Evening, "The World's need." All are welcome. Rev. H. Cansfield pastor.

Chas. Pocklington on the ridge south of the village, has been successful in boring for a flowing well and has a fountain that flows a pailful a minute.

E. L. Lowe with his mother and daughter Nina left for West Plains Mo., Wednesday morning for a few days visit with his brother Logear Lowe and family.

The elocutionary and musical entertainment given by the Epworth League on Tuesday evening, passed off very nicely. Miss Woodruff though young possesses a talent for the work she has begun, that will develop into a fine elocutionist. For the lack of proper advertising the attendance was not what it should have been.

Vacation Time.

Is at hand and is gladly welcomed by all, especially by those whose duties in life have caused them to greatly run down their system to meet the requirements, physical and mental, forced upon them. With these and others, it is important, whether at home, at the seashore or in the country, that some thought be given to diet, and as further assistance to Nature, a good building-up medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla had best be resorted to. If the digestion is poor, liver deranged and frequent headaches seem to be the rule, Hood's will change all this and enable everyone to return to their home and business in a refreshed state of mind and bodily health. 1w

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WHEELING THROUGH FRANCE.

The Route From the Sea Coast Over Macadamized Roads to the City of Paris.

PARIS, July 12, 1895.

EDITOR HERALD:—Our European trip awheel properly began on the afternoon of July 9th, when the Veendam, after passing several rocky capes of England and the Isle of Wight, reached Boulogne, France, and landed us, together with a large party. Viewed from about a mile out at sea, the coast here presents a quaint and charming scene. Here the land comes down to the sea, steep and bare; there it slopes and keeps green to the water's edge and the verdure sets in relief an ancient white-washed chateau. As our tender neared the pier we saw gendarmes with red trousers, blue coats and red hats; peasants with great, red, bare feet; trousers which hesitated midway between long and knickerbockers, and frocks of blue over-all material extending nearly to the knee. The background of this picture was white cobble-stones, white plastered walls of stores and the red tiles which roofed them. If Rip Van Winkle had slept backward 500 years he would have felt much as we did. We were aided in getting our wheels thro' the custom house by a Parisian mademoiselle, a friend on shipboard, who talked French as fast as the officials. Once in the street, we were surrounded by a howling mob of draymen, peasants, coachmen and small boys. Mlle. said they wanted the crates of our bicycles. Wood is in demand here. Two draymen had a regular fight over my crate and some boys struggled desperately for the twine. At last we mounted, but the pavement rolled so—first one side of the street then the other was the highest—we decided that our bikes still had their sea legs. For two hours the roads had that billowy motion. The complete antiquity of everything dazed us. We rode through the narrow streets, looking for the postoffice, and felt as if we were in an alley. Involuntarily, I kept looking for the front street. We viewed the chateau where Louis Napoleon was imprisoned for a time and an odd old Norman church with its flying buttresses. Then we went out into the country, en route for Paris. Here we rode between high hedges and stone walls; for farm houses are impregnable in France. A thick growth of trees behind the stone wall prevents more than a glimpse of the chateau. There is no good American farmer's wife with her glass of milk and a doughnut to comfort the weary wheelman.

We have absolutely perfect roads and a country ornamented by every device of artistic cultivation. Valley sides show consummate skill in checkered arrangement of various grains. The yellow wheat fields are thickly dotted with a red flower—what this blossom is I cannot find out. They ask me for "cinq sou," 5 cents, every time I enquire. As we pass through small villages there is a chorus of demands for one "sou," which we laughingly ignore. At almost every cross road is a cross of iron, ten feet high, with a grotesque figure in bronze of Christ crucified. Remember that this is in Normandy and Norman churches are frequent. These are so old, crumbling and weather-stained that we feel as if among monuments of the dead. To increase this feeling, there are the churchyards filled with moss covered stones upon which are hung invariably wire frames to hold flowers. These frames are of all designs.

Even in Europe a wheelman eats, and after a 30 mile ride we sat down in a queer little cafe in a village where every store seemed to be a cafe. About the door was a round clock with pearl figures and the outline a series of sixteen scollops. The floor was tile, strewn with sand. On one side of the room was a martial array of loaves of bread, one end on the floor and the other leaning against the wall three feet above. A bar reached half way across the other side, on which were odd glasses and bottles. When we asked for water to drink the landlady could not understand (though my French was faultless) and made motions as if washing her hands. I insisted that it was to drink and in a dazed way she went and returned with a long necked bottle, such as the stork in the fable offered the fox. This was filled with clear water. Then she watched us curiously and when we drank she got her husband and daughter to come and see these amphibious creatures. Wherever we ask for water they look incredulous, ask over again and supplement by a questioning "to drinky".

Curiosities by the wayside in this region are old round stone towers and windmills with four huge fans which revolve as ponderously as an elephant walks.

The abject poverty here makes me heartsick. Faces of old men and women are invariably hard and repulsive. The peasants, you know, live in small villages and go out from these to work in fields. So the view of the country stretches away, unbroken by fences or farm houses, and excites exclamations of admiration as we reach each hill-top. Imagine a vast hillside checkered and streaked with geometrical exactness. A block of yellow grain, then a block of blue flowers and another of coffee colored grain, and this varied by blocks of green, purple and scarlet; all bounded, perhaps, by a streak of white. Behind this a dark green forest or a grove of yellowish green poplars. Here and there we meet a good natured shepherd in his sackcloth frock and, while we were near the seacoast, processions of bare-footed, short-skirted fish women shouldering a short pole on which are wound nets. Again, there is a line of strapping fellows, feet and legs bare and wearing blue frocks. Their hard muscled faces bear a grim smile, but they look straight ahead and plod along.

We go into peasants' houses at times on various pretexts and where the dirt is not too deep, the antiquity of all is amusing. Ancient fire-places with a pot sizzling on the irons, and above this a row of cracked plates with huge flowers painted gaily upon the bowl, the omnipresent scalloped clock, a couple of cane-seated chairs, an unbalanced table, and a beer advertisement chromo complete the picture. Some coarse grained salt was given us to flavor eggs which we ate at one peasant's house, and I actually believe it had been in the family's possession for generations. It was black with handling. We have amusing experiences with our small stock of French. I wanted some bicycle oil, and could not think of a word for "sperm" so I asked for the "oil of the whale," in French. The druggist laughed and handed out exactly what I wanted.

Two wheeled carts are the only vehicles seen in farming districts, and to those are harnessed every conceivable domesticated animal, including man and woman. A donkey kicked viciously at me as I was passing, and horses frequently turn right about. Dogs are chained beneath venders' carts to guard, and very savagely they do it, too.

Such rags and infirmity and deformity as we see in every village, you could not see in a month's ride in the U. S. and peaceful as is our pilgrimage, we see many a hard, frowning face looking malignantly at us from the narrower alleys of the narrow streets. Old women bent double, hideous in features, crawl along the stone pavements. Others with grim mouths sit and knit before doors. Houses with plaster sides and huge holes in the plaster and with thatched roofs are the homes of these wretches. A composite mental picture of a peasant village is dazzling white with strong impression of squalor.

I don't intend to oppress you with proper names, but a general outline of our route to Paris may be had by finding on your map Etaple; Abbeville, its fine Gothic church with its elaborately sculptured facade, and a house of Frances I; Meru and St. Germain situated on an eminence thirteen miles from Paris. Here we saw the chateau of Francis I and from the lofty terrace from whence many French kings had gazed we looked upon Paris for the first time. At the foot of the terrace winds the Seine and beyond stretches the immense plain in which memory puts so much human history. In descending from this terrace we trundled our machines because common sense and the Bicycle Touring Club of France told us to do so. In France you are notified of every long, steep hill, and at every turn you are told where to go and how far. Near large cities are houses for bicycle riders to rest in and a broad bicycle path saves a ride over cobble stones. The roads are macadamized in the country and made smoth as asphalt, and at certain intervals are authorized repair shops. But you cannot get chain paste; they use vaselene and never heard of any other lubricant.

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The time will come when the people of the state of Michigan will regret their action in wiping prohibition from their statute books, and in enacting a tax law under which the saloon is doing such a thriving business. The old prohibitory law was a poor affair, as everybody concedes, but the principle was right, and the law might have been so toned up as to be effective in excluding breweries and saloons from our commonwealth. But no. The liquor oligarchy determined to kill the law, and the people suffered it to be done. Eight years ago they also suffered this same oligarchy to defeat the prohibition amendment. Thousands of times we have been told "prohibition doesn't prohibit," yet prohibition is the very last thing in the shape of a law which liquor dealers want. A tax law doesn't prohibit, either, and it costs liquor dealers an immense sum to maintain it, yet they prefer it to a measure which outlaws their business, renders it odious, and brands them as criminals. The people of the state of Michigan ought to be doing something to rid the state of the terrible scourge which the liquor business is inflicting. Our sons are growing around us familiar with saloon rowdyism, whisky murders, bar-room brutality, and the hardening influences of the liquor trade generally. Our lawmakers shamelessly set pernicious examples in patronizing saloons and in sustaining habits of debasing conviviality. Lager beer, wines, champagnes, and stronger drinks flow freely at official installations and political banquets and other assemblings. The wishes of liquor dealers are often consulted and sometimes respected in making and in enforcing law. Little or no effort is made by the secular press, by the platform, courts of law, or even by the public schools to create a lively and healthful sentiment against the sale or use of liquor. One thousand saloons are flourishing in Detroit alone, and the people are accepting a half million dollars as a condition of toleration. It is cash against morality. The whole trend of law and custom is in the wrong direction. We are educating our boys to think that almost anything is right if a big price is paid for the privilege. The direct purpose of our liquor law, as conceded by the Detroit Tribune, is to preserve the saloon and not destroy it." The same paper teaches that the evils of saloonism are "incidental" rather than inherent. A condition of thought and belief is being created, under which the demoralizing influences of drinking-houses can be perpetuated. Murders and rapes, political corruption and official rottenness, are increasing, and everybody knows that the debasing tendency of saloonism is the chief cause thereof, yet the public is listless, if not reckless. There is deep trouble ahead if reform does not come. Revolution of law and sentiment alone can prevent ruin. This fair state will needlessly sacrifice thousands of good-hearted boys, and perdition will reap a mighty harvest, unless the false principles and pernicious teachings of those who are seeking to mould popular sentiment can be counteracted and rebuked.—Mich. Christian Advocate.

Serious Facts.

Senator Hill of Georgia went to a premature grave, after terrible suffering from cancer of the tongue. Cause—tobacco.

The life of Thomas Dunn English, eminent poet and physician, was barely saved by a torturing operation in removing a cancer. Cause—tobacco.

General Grant died too young with cancer. Cause—tobacco.

The tobacco habit threatens to exclude men from some important industries. A woman holds the position of inspector of colored glass in New York, her sense of color being more perfect than any of her male competitors.

Lieutenant Greely says of those who went with him to the north pole, of the seventeen of his men who died, all were smokers but one, and he died last. Of the seven survivors none were smokers.

The tobacco habit is injurious to health, it is an expensive habit, and it is a bad example, therefore it ought to be shunned.—Rev. A. M. Viren.

Do You Want Summer Boarders?

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Yesterday morning the H. O. Will's quartette, with their covered rig and organ appeared on Chicago street and for half an hour entertained quite a crowd with their speaking and singing. They are now conducting revival meetings at Dundee and came over here to give this town a little evangelical work. They may conclude to visit us a few days at some future time.

The advance in leather has obliged manufacturers to make a corresponding advance in the price of shoes, with probably, the only exception of W. L. Douglas, who, notwithstanding the high price of leather, will continue at the old prices, and give a better shoe than ever before. The recent additions to his already large factory, makes his plant the largest in the world devoted to manufacturing an exclusive line of shoes.

The closing performances of "Lalla Rookh" at Boulevard Park, Detroit, will mark the ending of the most stupendous attraction the City of the Straits has ever seen and it also marks the successful conclusion of the plan of the Detroit Railway to fittingly celebrate its opening. There have been other enterprises started in Detroit with a greater blare of trumpets and more sanguine hopes of success, but none has achieved as much glory and been as eminently successful as has "Lalla Rookh" under the promotion of The Detroit Railway. The liberality and enterprise of Messrs. H. A. Everett and Albert Pack have richly merited the rewards won and the people of Detroit, and of the state, have taken a great interest in the new line and its managers.

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Entered peacefully into rest, on the morning of July 20, 1895, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Levi Hayden, in Tecumseh, Mrs. Josephine Mead. She was the daughter of Daniel Clarkson, of Macon, Mich., at whose home she was born April 8th, 1838. She was married Feb. 19, 1867, to Lieut. LeRoy Mead, of the 4th Michigan Infantry, and settled in a home amid the scenes of her happy girlhood, where she lived until her husband's death on March 21, 1883, and for ten years after, taking up the cares and duties of life so bravely. Her sweet, unselfish, christian life and genial, cheerful disposition made her the light of the home she loved so well and endeared her to her many friends. Two daughters, Mrs. Levi Hayden and Camilla Mead, survive her; and two, a lovely young lady and a bright baby girl, were awaiting her on the other shore. From her early girlhood she was a consistent member of the Reformed church, "ever loyal to Christ and His church."

OUR BOSTON TRIP.

This is what the Sir Knights of Adrian Commandery call the pilgrimage, which they propose making to Boston on Aug. 23d. They will leave Adrian at 10 o'clock a. m., over the Wabash, and will arrive in Boston on Monday, Aug. 26, at the same hour. The route will include Detroit, Toronto, Kingston, Montreal, Fabyans, Portland, old Orchard Beach and Boston. The return trip will be via Saratoga and the West Shore road to Buffalo and thence to Detroit and home again. A neat pamphlet has been issued giving a full description of the itinerary, noting the chief points of interest along the route, and illustrated with many fine half-tone engravings. Niagara Falls will be twice visited, on the outward and on the homeward trip. Special palace cars will be provided for the journey and every provision made to enhance the enjoyment and satisfy the comfort of the Knights in attendance. It will be a famous pilgrimage for the Adrian Commandery. Are you to be one of the company in "Our Boston Trip?"

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Trotting matinee tomorrow.

We have a big grist of letters this week.

Go and see the races at Bills' park tomorrow.

Spencer Lester, of Detroit, was in Tecumseh over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Crowell returned to her home at Cleveland last Saturday.

Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff visited friends in Jackson a couple of days last week.

John Hicks arrived home from Saginaw Wednesday evening for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Orr are expected home from Bay View the last of the week.

Miss Ida Stevens, of Milwaukee, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Potter, Sr.

Rev. J. P. Varner arrived home Wednesday evening and reports a happy vacation.

Miss Grace Hillman rides a lady's wheel now, which was purchased of Jo. Merritt.

Miss Edith Steinhoff, of Simcoe, Ontario, is the guest of Dr. Steinhoff's family this week.

Go and see the matched race between Tinker Rothschilds and Sickle's Hamletonian tomorrow.

Miss Florence Kayner, of Adrian, has enjoyed a week in our village, the guest of James Elliott's family.

Leon Temple returned last week from a two week's visit at St. Johns, Mich., with relatives there.

Elbridge Hyde has shingled his house on west Chicago street. Mr. Starling moved into it the first of the week.

The Odd Fellows of Lenawee, Hillsdale and Branch counties will picnic at Wabeese Lake on Wednesday, Aug. 21.

Dr. Loree, of Ridgeway, has caught the fever too; we mean the sidewalk fever. He is putting down some cement walk.

Miss Gussie Whitenack left home Thursday for a trip up the lakes. She will visit the "Soo" and other Northern points.

Rev. C. E. Conley, of Detroit, occupied the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning. Mr. Conley always receives a hearty welcome in Tecumseh.

Mr. C. G. Berry, business manager of the Detroit Journal, gave the HERALD a friendly call Wednesday, during a few hours' stay in town.

We have received a copy of the premium list for the Dundee Fair, which will be held Sept. 17-20. We find several Tecumseh firms represented in the advertising pages.

Capt. Will Hayden left for Camp Dundee yesterday morning. He goes to camp this year in a non-official capacity and will be the guest while there of Lieut. McClure of Co. C.

Mr. J. R. Hialey, accompanied by his wife and daughter Madge, left home Monday morning on a trip to Virginia, where they will make an indefinite visit with Capt. Fred B. Wood's family.

Mrs. I. S. Osborn, who has been visiting friends down in the old Bay State, arrived in town Tuesday. After a brief visit here, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn will return to their home in Eddy, New Mexico.

The evening News of last Sunday contains a lengthy sketch of John Mundy, with an interview with his mother, Mrs. Harrison. The latter is stopping in Detroit for a few weeks and favored the News with an interview.

The August races of the Lansing driving club, for which $20,000 in purses and specials are offered, begins August 20 and continues five days. There are over 500 entries for the eighteen events and the general admission has been reduced to 25 cents.

On application of Mrs. Levi Hayden, Judge Lane rendered a decision last Monday enjoining Mrs. Catherine Osborne, and the highway commissioner from building a private road through the former Mead farm, owned by Mrs. Hayden and sister, Camilla Mead.

Lawrence McLouth's barns in the town of Dover were struck by lightning Monday evening and entirely consumed by fire. They contained this years crop of hay and grain which will be a total loss, which is partially covered by insurance of $1,500 in the Farmer's Mut.

Trotting matinee tomorrow.

The picnic season is fairly on.

Do not fail to attend the races tomorrow.

We publish a batch of Council Proceedings this week.

Miss Clyde Marsteller, of Clinton, was visiting friends in town last week.

C. A. Slayton and family are enjoying an outing at Sand Lake this week.

Dr. S. Byron Skeels will be at the Lilley House next Wednesday, Aug. 14.

Mrs. G. W. Griffith has had a new roof put on her dwelling house, on west Chicago street.

J. P. Whitmarsh, of Palmyra, was in town Wednesday and paid his respects at the HERALD sanctum.

Mr. S. S. Melody and family, of Union City, are visiting his brother, Geo. H. Melody, for a few days.

P. W. A. Fitzsimmons took a business trip into Ohio the latter part of last week, returning Monday.

A new cross walk is being laid on Chicago street between the Mills block and Williamson's corner.

O. P. Bills was at home over Sunday. He is now located at St. Louis, Mich., and has a good position there.

Corinne Sheldon and Maude Oliver, of Sterling, Ill., are visiting at Mrs. Seth Sheldon's, in Newburgh, for a couple of weeks.

Henry F. Barnes, County Drain Commissioner, has located a drain on A. K. Waldron's farm, leading southwesterly into Raisin.

A. R. Arner, of Ionia, was in town a day or two last week. He still holds his position in the State House of Correction and likes it very much.

Miss Lillian Keyes, who has been visiting Clinton and Tecumseh acquaintances for the past four weeks, returned to her home in Grand Rapids, Monday.

Miss Marie Dieterlie, who has been attending school here for the past year, went to Saline last Friday to spend the remainder of the vacation with parents and friends.

The home of Robert Westgate, in Raisin, was entered Saturday, while the family were away and two watches, one gold and the other silver, were stolen, together with two suits of clothes.

D. A. Hammond, editor of the Ann Arbor Argus, was shaking hands with his old Tecumseh acquaintances Tuesday afternoon. He remained over night and went to Adrian Wednesday morning.

Editor Munger of the Dundee Ledger was doing Tecumseh last Wednesday and dropped into the HERALD sanctum while here. He has just finished a big pamphlet job, the premium list for the Dundee Fair.

Shall we have a good bicycle track between Tecumseh and Clinton? The Clinton wheelmen have taken hold of the project with their accustomed vim, and Tecumseh should meet them half way in this project. Once made, it can easily be kept in repair.

An alarm of fire Tuesday afternoon called out the hose carts. The dry grass west of Prof. Kellogg's new house had caught fire and the blaze was traveling towards his house in a very threatening manner. The blaze was extinguished, however, before the boys arrived on the ground.

A model of the famous cathedral of St. Peters at Rome will be erected on the Midway Hights at the Cotton States and International Exposition. This is the same model that attracted so much attention on the Midway Plaisance at Chicago. It will be an exact reproduction, on a small scale, of the world famous cathedral.

The quarterly Tea Meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will be held Wednesday, August 14th, at the home of Mrs. John Temple. A very interesting program is being prepared. Exercises to begin promptly at 3 o'clock. Tea will be served at 6. All holding mite boxes are requested to bring them.

A party of five wheelmen, consisting of T. L. Moffatt, C. H. Millis, Bert Lawrence, Geo. S. Field and W. B. Odion started at 5 o'clock a. m. last Saturday for a trip to Detroit. They had a pleasant ride, making an average run of 12 1-4 miles an hour. They took in the exhibition of Lalla Rookh, in the evening. They returned on their wheels Sunday afternoon.

The W. H. M. S. will hold a special meeting on Thursday Aug. 15, at 2 p. m. in the M. E. church for the purpose of completing the business of the year. All who hold mite boxes are requested to bring them, as they will be opened at this time. The ladies are also expected to come prepared for sewing, as there are garments to be made ready to send to the needy.

We are indebted to Hon. B. L. Baxter for a copy of the first business card printed at the HERALD office. It is on enameled card board, about 2 x 3 1-2 inches in size, and must have been printed on a Washington hand press, as the office contained no other press for several years. This is the message the card contains: "Tecumseh Herald, a weekly newspaper. James H. Perry, printer, publisher and proprietor. Solicits orders for advertisements. Book, Card, Job and Fancy Printing in all its branches. Law forms and blanks, school books and stationery always on hand. Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 30, 1850. Agencies solicited. V. B. Palmer, agt. for New York, Boston and Philadelphia."

Trotting matinee tomorrow.

A. W. Slayton is in Detroit this week looking after his lumber yard.

Wolc Marsh makes another slash at prices this week. Read his card.

Rev. W. R. Blachford was calling on his Clinton parishioners Tuesday.

We have an interesting letter this week from James Lowry. Read it.

Wilson Bros. made their first shipment of celery the first of the week.

Miss Florence Hyde left Friday for an extended visit with friends in Toledo.

Morris Conklin, of Elmwood, Ill., is spending a few days with Tecumseh friends.

The Adrian Commandery are making great preparations for their Boston trip on the 22d of August.

There will be three named races, a novelty race and a foot race in the matinee program tomorrow.

Mrs. C. A. Schnippee and daughter, of Battle Creek, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Geo. H. Melody, this week.

B. S. Scudder, of Macon, has a new announcement this week, giving some particulars about his clearing sale.

Several young people from Tecumseh attended the entertainment at Macon Grange Hall last Wednesday evening.

St. Peter's church was opened in this village sixty years ago, Aug. 3d. Anniversary services will be held in October.

Quite a number of Tecumseh people took in the Put-In-Bay excursion on Wednesday. It proved to be a delightful trip.

Twenty-five chests of tea, imported direct from Japan, were received at Lowry's grocery store Tuesday. This invoice represents $2,000 in value.

Starling's specialty is in cutting and making clothes for corpulent men and small suits for children. We have a system especially adapted for children. Bring them along and we will guarantee satisfaction. 12

Tuesday afternoon, while Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ide were driving through Macon, their horse got frightened and overturned the buggy. Both were thrown out and Mrs. Ide was quite seriously shaken up, and has been under the doctor's care since. It is not thought however that her injuries will prove serious.

The kids have arranged for bicycle day next Wednesday. A two mile road race will take place in the forenoon. In the afternoon on the track there will be a mile race, half mile, and quarter mile. Prizes will be given to the winners. The admission to the grounds will be only ten cents, which ought to insure a good attendance.

A party of 10 Tecumseh girls are making merry days at Wamplers lake this week, occupying the Fitzgerald cottage. Misses Ora Gillespie, Mary Mills, Anna Williamson, Winnie Richards, Bessie Spayde, Winnie Wilson, Josie and Minnie Russell, Hattie Hurry and Ora Bowen constitute the party, while Mrs. R. B. Gillespie and Mrs. Alva Spayde fill the responsible position of chaperones.

Bennett and Huckins spoke and sang last Monday evening at the opera house and a good audience was well entertained. Prof. Huckins opened the meeting with three or four songs, which put the audience in good humor, and Van Bennett followed with a rattling address an hour and a quarter long. At least one-half of his speech was devoted to the money question and he made many strong points in favor of free silver coinage. The latter part of his speech was devoted to prohibition and he handled the liquor traffic without gloves. It was an excellent speech throughout and he sowed some good seed in fallow soil. The meeting closed at 10 o'clock with another song by Prof. Huckins.

Mr. C. A. Payne and Miss Adah E. Waldron were married by Rev. J. P. Varner, Wednesday evening. Quite a number of friends were present. They received many beautiful gifts, some of which were very valuable. Friday afternoon they will leave for Watkins, N. Y., their future home; where Mr. Payne is engaged in business as Photographer. The bride was born in Tecumseh, where she passed her childhood and school days, and by her genial disposition and ladylike accomplishments gathered about her many admiring friends. For the past three years she has been a successful teacher in the public schools of Menominee. The best wishes of a host of friends will accompany them to their future home, and the HERALD begs leave to add its congratulations.

At eight o'clock on Wednesday evening, a quiet little wedding occurred at the residence of Geo. S. Spafford, when he gave his daughter Margaret to Mr. John G. Buchsteiner in marriage. Owing to the recent death of the groom's mother, the wedding was strictly private. Rev. B. S. Hudson, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. The happy pair took the early train yesterday morning for Detroit and Mackinac, to spend a brief honeymoon. They will be at home after Aug. 26th, No. 112 Clinton street, Warren, Ohio, where the groom has a position in a large mercantile house. The bride has always lived in Tecumseh, is a graduate of our High School, and has endeared herself to a large circle of friends, who will extend their hearty congratulations at this time. May happiness and prosperity always attend them thro' the voyage of life.

Trotting matinee tomorrow.

L. D. Dewey is building a new barn on his residence lot.

Roy Langton is the new clerk at Kennedy & Roger's store.

Whitney Watkins, of Manchester, went to camp with Co. C.

Prof. and Mrs. L. M. Kellogg gave a reception at their home on Tuesday evening.

The new engine for the electric light house has arrived and will be placed in position at once.

The Misses Neikamp and DeWolf of Cleveland are the guests of Geo. Heesen's family, where they will remain until next week.

Saturday's races will be the best thus far held. The first race will be called promptly on time, as the program will be a lengthy one.

At the Baptist church last Sunday evening the delegates to the big Baltimore convention gave an account of the trip and the doings of the convention.

Edgar Coddington arrived in town Tuesday, and will spend three or four weeks at the old home. He is now located in the office of the Wells Fargo Express Co., at Cincinnati.

In addition to the regular enlisted members of Co. C., the following Tecumseh men are at Camp Devlin this week; Dr. F. O. Tefft as regimental hospital steward, D. T. Hall as brigade hospital steward with E. C. Andrus as assistant, and W. D. Ross as company quartermaster.

Co. C left for camp on the early train Tuesday morning with about 50 men in the ranks. The rain of Monday night cleared and cooled the atmosphere, so they had a fine day for a start. They went via the Lake Shore to Dundee and thence over the Ann Arbor road to the camp grounds.

Oliver Drake, of Raisin, lost two horses last Saturday. After two days' fruitless search he concluded they had been stolen, and set Sheriff Wilson at work on the job. Tuesday he found the missing equines in a neighboring corn field. The horses evidently preferred good corn fodder to the dried up pasture they had been getting, and who can blame them?

The Dundee Reporter is responsible for the following: "Wonders will never cease; Frank Davidson, of Tecumseh, of late has got so he comes to Dundee to eat breakfast with Dr. G. W. Richardson. When the Dr. asked the Tecumseh gentleman to eat, he says, 'No, thank you,' but on requesting him again he accepted. The Dr. says if by one having been to breakfast is any proof of how much a man will eat he would like to know it. Frank got away with four eggs, half pound beef steak, six potatoes, three cups of coffee and a whole lot of other vituals in the most elegant style that any man ever did. Moral: Be careful when you ask a man to eat who claims he has been to breakfast.

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ISHPEMING, Aug. 3.—The Ishpeming and Negaunee strikers held a big demonstration in Ishpeming Friday. Almost 3,000 men were in line of march from the park at noon. Some of the speakers made an effort to induce the men to visit the mines to ascertain what concession the companies are prepared to make, but the matter was voted down. The men will not listen to compromise talk, and those who attempt to speak of effecting a settlement in that way are given but little encouragement. Many of the men desire to go back to work, but the majority are opposed to it, the latter insisting on recognition of the union by the companies. It is certain, however, that the companies will not recognize the union in any regard, and will keep the mines closed until such time as there is a break in the ranks of the organization. The companies will all have paid off their men in full, this week, and are preparing for an indefinite shut-down of their works.

DR. JOHN L. NEAR DEAD.

Prominent Republican of Michigan Passes Away at Flat Rock.

FLAT ROCK, Mich., Aug. 6.—Dr. John L. Near, aged 67 years, died at his residence here Monday morning. Dr. Near was a republican of prominence, having assisted in the formation of that party under the "Oaks" at Jackson. He was a member of the legislature when the seat of the government was in Detroit, and was a friend of Chandler, Howard and other men of equal prominence. He was United States consul at Sarnia, Ont., under Lincoln, and during Grant's first administration was consul at Windsor, Ont.

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Wages of Franklin Copper Mine Employes are Restored.

HANCOCK, Mich., Aug. 5.—The employes of the Franklin copper mine have had their wages restored to the figure holding before the cut caused by the panic of two years ago, when a general cut was made in all the copper mines of the lake district. It is thought that the example of the Franklin will be speedily followed by the eight other mines now in operation, as the copper market shows excellent prospects for several years of prosperity.

MICHIGAN BANKS.

Their Condition Is Shown to Be Very Prosperous.

LANSING, Aug. 1.—Bank Commissioner Sherwood's statement shows the condition of 167 state banks and four trust companies of Michigan at the close of business July 11. The total loans and discounts, stocks, bonds and mortgages were $65,175,510.28, an increase of $473,629.75 over May 7, the date of the last previous report; savings deposits, $39,251,648.45, an increase of $1,114,847.55; total deposits, $64,306,284.51, an increase of $613,431.71.

FERRY BOATS FOR SIBERIA.

Detroit Gets the Contract for Three, Costing $2,400,000.

DETROIT, Aug. 6.—The Detroit Dry Dock company has closed a contract with the Russian government to build three car ferries for winter traffic on Lake Batkul, in the middle of Siberia, to connect with the Transsiberian road, which that government has been building for some years. It is thought the composite type is the one selected. The contract price is $800,000 for each boat, the largest contract ever given a lake firm. Each boat will have 7,000 horse power.

Carved Himself.

BATTLE CREEK, Aug. 7.—George McMillan, insane, with a railroad ticket from Chicago to Oaksville, Canada, met a horrible death here Tuesday. While waiting to make train connections he was lodged in jail. When discovered he was naked and had cut himself so about the legs with a penknife that physicians decided amputation was necessary. Following the operation he died, after giving the address of a sister in Canada.

Mine Resumes.

CALUMET, Aug. 7.—The Copper Falls mine resumed work Tuesday morning. It is probable the Arnold and Copper Falls mines will be consolidated and work. This is the first idle mine to resume since the improvement in the copper situation and it is now the only active mine in Keweenaw county. There is a prospect that several other mines where operations are now suspended will resume with full forces in the near future.

Will Build a New Boat.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 6.—The Graham company announces that it has decided to build a handsome new steel side-wheel steamer for the Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago route. It will be 275 feet long, and capable of making 20 miles an hour regularly, or three hours from the St. Joseph pier to the Chicago pier. The boat will cost $250,000.

Refuse to Accept Resignation.

JACKSON, Aug. 7.—At a meeting of the state central committee of the prohibition party here Tuesday evening M. F. Fanning tendered his resignation as state chairman. The meeting refused to accept the resignation, but later adopted a resolution declaring the office of chairman vacant. John Gilperson, of Claire, was then elected chairman.

A Strange Pest.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 6.—A new insect has been discovered which is eating the foliage from the fruit trees in this vicinity and threatening to kill many trees. The pest cannot be exterminated until the crop is gathered.

Burned an Orchard.

ALPENA, Aug. 2.—Forest fires have destroyed 6,000 trees in Atchison & Folkert's big plum orchard near here. Farmers are fighting the fires night and day to save their crops.

AERONAUTS HURT.

Man and Woman Fall from a Balloon at Jackson.

JACKSON, Aug. 5.—The balloon ascension which was advertised at the park here Sunday developed into a tragedy. Charles Elliott and Ella Park were billed to go up in a hot-air balloon and to give a trapeze performance 1,000 feet above the ground. The inflation of the balloon was successfully accomplished and the pair sailed upward, sitting upon the trapeze. They went through the various feats of the trapeze performer, and had nearly completed their programme, when somebody in the crowd yelled: "It's on fire." The balloon was seen to shoot down rapidly and then everybody saw that the big bag was burning, and burning with fearful rapidity. It seemed like an hour, but it was only an instant that those two performers hung in the air. Elliott, as he neared the ground, released his hold upon the bar and swung clear, while the woman held fast. Both were dashed upon the hard earth with a sound that sent a chill over every spectator. When the crowd rushed to pick them up both were found to be unconscious. Elliott was crushed into an unrecognizable mass, but still breathing, while Miss Park had both legs and arms broken and was fearfully injured internally. They were taken to the hospital, but were beyond the doctor's help, and both will die. Miss Park is a niece of the famous balloon ascensionist, Hogan, who, it will be remembered, was lost from Campbell's airship some years ago.

NEW PRISON LAWS.

The Board Meets at Mackinac Island to Discuss Them.

MACKINAW, Aug. 7.—The state prison boards in annual session here Tuesday adopted rules for the application of the parole system for convicts. The rules prescribe that the governor may parole prisoners on the recommendation of the prison board, who shall be guided by the information given by the wardens. Upon receiving a parole the convict shall go at once to his place of employment, which must be provided for in advance. Shall not leave that place without permission, and shall not leave the state. He must report monthly as to where he is and what he is doing, and shall always be subject to return to prison for conduct unbecoming a good citizen. Under parole he shall save or lose his good time the same as though still in prison. The joint board will consider the convict labor question, and will probably readopt the contract and state account systems now in vogue.

BURNS CAUSE HER DEATH.

Mrs. Harriet Guild Burton, a Pioneer, Passes Away.

GRAND RAPIDS, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Harriet Guild Burton died Thursday night, aged 80 years, from the effects of the burns received Thursday night by the paper she was reading catching fire and from the infirmities incident to old age. She was born in Herkimer county, N. Y., June 23, 1815, and with her parents came here in 1833, the first white family to locate here, arriving on her birthday. She was the first white woman to be married here and has always made this her home. Her husband died several years ago. They had no children.

Michigan D. O. H.

LANSING, Aug. 6.—The annual session of the Michigan Grand Lodge, D. O. H. A., Grand Beneficiary society, is being held here. It has a total membership of 562, having gained 172 during the year. It has a balance of $1,791 in the treasury and is in a flourishing condition. The following officers were elected: President, C. Hoppe, Lansing; vice president, Christ Vogel, Lansing; great marshal, Andrew Lorenz, Manistee; secretary, Gustavus Zadler, Detroit; treasurer, Eugene Oesterlin, Lansing.

Earnings of Michigan Railroads.

LANSING, Aug. 3.—Railroad Commissioner Billings reports the gross earnings of companies operating in Michigan for the month of May at $2,698,827.40, an increase of $278,773.61 over May, 1894. From January 1 to June 1, this year, the companies earned in Michigan $11,528,468.33, an increase of $647,210.20, or 5.94 per cent. over the same period last year.

Appointed State Analyst.

LANSING, Aug. 3.—Commissioner Storrs appointed William L. Rossman, of the agricultural college, deputy pure food commissioner and state analyst, and work in the way of detecting violators of the pure food law will be begun as soon as a laboratory for the analysis of foods offered for sale can be fitted up.

Leaves the University.

ANN ARBOR, Aug. 6.—The University of Michigan loses Anderson H. Hopkins, assistant librarian, who goes to the new John Crerar scientific library in Chicago at a salary of $2,000. He is one of the best officials the university ever had. He was in charge of the catalogue work. Mr. Hopkins has a wide acquaintance.

Wages Are Raised.

ISHPEMING, Aug. 3.—The men employed at the Republic mine have been given an advance of from 10 to 15 per cent. in their wages. The Republic was the only mine on the Marquette range working, and the increase in pay at this time will have a tendency to keep the men at work.

Opposition Telephones in Lansing.

LANSING, Aug. 4.—A telephone company was organized here Saturday, composed of local capitalists, with a capital of $30,000 and a twenty-year franchise, and will at once put in a system for competition with the Bell.

Hanged Himself.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 4.—Eugene Shuart, a blacksmith and well-known resident of this city, committed suicide by hanging. He was 30 years old.

Baby Drowned.

WHITEHALL, Aug. 1.—While boating, Mrs. A. Johnson's 18-months-old babe was thrown from its mother's arms and drowned.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of News from Various Localities in Michigan.

The Equal Rights association convention adjourned at Jackson to meet in Lansing July 31, 1896.

George Meaus was arrested at Holland charged with embezzling $340 from Perkins Bros., of Grand Rapids.

The interstate Methodist camp meeting opened at Crystal Springs, to continue ten days. Rev. T. K. Gale, of Chicago, will conduct an Epworth league rally August 7.

The secretary of war has awarded a medal of honor to Christian Albert, private Company G, Forty-seventh Ohio volunteers, now living at Brest, Mich., for gallant conduct as a member of the storming party at Vicksburg, Miss., May 22, 1863.

Mathias Van Tyne, of Kalamazoo, committed suicide recently. It was his second attempt. He was 71 years of age.

Negotiations are under way for the location at Cheboygan of a plant for the manufacture of jack pine into paper pulp.

The American Playing Card company, of Kalamazoo, has paid to Uncle Sam the sum of $20,000 since August 28, 1894, the date upon which the tax on playing cards went into effect.

At Manistee Mrs Mary Eagan, aged 65 years, was found dead sitting in her rocking-chair Thursday morning. She had lived alone for a number of years.

The office of the Daily News at Manistee was recently destroyed by fire. Loss, $12,000; insurance, $4,000.

A post office has been established at Squireville, Macon county, with Emma Squire as postmistress.

The Colby iron mine at Bessemer, which has been idle two years, will be leased to Corrigan, McKinney & Co., of Cleveland.

Oscar Westlund, a Swede, was instantly killed at Felch Junction, while attempting to board an ore train that was running 20 miles an hour.

The Knights Templar and Masonic Mutual Aid Society of Cincinnati, which withdrew from Michigan last January, has been readmitted to do business in the state.

Traverse City was visited by a severe thunderstorm. The large residence of A. Campeau, a prominent citizen, was struck by lightning. Mr. Campeau received a severe shock, though none of the family were seriously injured.

Charles Patterson, of Otsego, died suddenly from an attack of apoplexy.

Last Friday night frosts did considerable damage to corn and wheat in the vicinity of Lawrence.

The executive committee of the Muskegon county fair, which is to be held from September 17 to 20, has decided to give $100 in prizes to bicycle racers and $500 to horse racers.

Foster lake, near Corwin, has dried up entirely. It was three-fourths of a mile long.

The Tri-State Band association will hold its annual tournament in Hillsdale, August 28. Fifty bands will take part.

August Schlagg, of South Bend, was drowned while bathing in the lake at St. Joseph. He was about 40 years old.

Walter Dennison, Ann Arbor, and H. F. Decon, Detroit, have been awarded scholarships for study in the American colleges at Athens and Rome.

Girl Sleeps Nine Weeks.

GRAND RAPIDS, Aug. 5.—Maggie Ley has fallen into a sleeping habit which thus far the doctors have been unable to overcome. For nine weeks she has slept for twenty-two or twenty-three hours daily. She can be aroused for her meals and eats heartily and talks intelligently when awake, but these lucid spells are of short duration, and she drops off asleep again.

Michigan Troops Will Camp.

ELBA, Aug. 5.—Gov. Rich, who is at his home here, was asked whether the upper peninsula militia companies would be kept at home from the state encampment this week on account of the miners' strikes. The governor replied that not having received any advices from the civil authorities at Ishpeming, he does not feel justified in revoking the order for the troops to go to camp.

Accident at a Funeral.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 5.—The funeral of Eugene Shuart, who hanged himself Thursday night, was held Sunday afternoon from his late home. While the service was in progress the floor in the room in which it was being held gave way. Several women fainted, but none were seriously injured. Everything was righted again and the funeral services proceeded.

Macatawa Park Assembly.

HOLLAND, Aug. 5.—Prof. H. L. Willett, of the University of Chicago, opened Macatawa Park assembly Sunday with a lecture on "Paul's Place and Preparation." The programme included regular Sunday school assembly sermon and beach meeting on Lake Michigan in the evening.

Bodies Recovered.

SOUTH HAVEN, Aug. 6.—The bodies of Coates and Stilson, builders of the yacht Artist, who were drowned three weeks ago by the capsizing of the boat in a squall while the Artist was on her trial trip, were recovered near Gleur Pier Monday.

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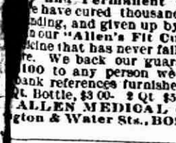

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DOMESTIC.

THE oldest person in Iowa thus far shown by the census returns is Mrs. Lucy Alexander (colored), of Keokuk. She was born in Virginia 119 years ago.

THE Dollar savings bank in Kansas City, Mo., went into voluntary liquidation for the purpose of retiring from business. It would pay dollar for dollar.

MARY THRUSH was sentenced at Ashland, Wis., to state's prison for life for murdering her husband last spring.

DEAD fish by the million were floating down the Missouri river, some weighing as much as four pounds.

THOUSANDS of bushels of peaches and apples will be lost in the vicinity of West Plains, Mo., for the want of means to take care of them.

A CLOUDBURST at Adelaide, Col., destroyed property and killed three persons.

THE tonnage tax collection for the last fiscal year is shown by the records of the navigation bureau in Washington to have been $522,234, against $539,023 for the previous year.

CHARLES E. COLE set 76,300 ems in seven hours and fifty-four minutes on a Mergenthaler nonpareil machine at Cincinnati, beating the world's record of 63,400 ems, set by a Denver printer named Taylor.

MAYWOOD, a pleasure resort in Michigan, was destroyed by a forest fire.

FARMHOUSES and crops were entirely swept away near Socorro, N. M., by a cloudburst and seven persons were killed. The property loss was over $1,000,000.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased $38,435,938 during the month of July. The cash balance in the treasury was $187,149,530. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $1,127,258,435.

THE Colorado City State bank at Colorado Springs, Col., closed its doors.

THE Standard Wagon company in Cincinnati assigned with assets of $300,000 and liabilities of $400,000. The Davis Carriage company was carried down by the failure with assets of $150,000, and liabilities of $300,000.

THE monthly statement prepared by the director of the mint shows that during July the total coinage of the United States mints amounted to $3,235,800, as follows: Gold, $2,910,000; silver, $277,000; minor coins, $48,800.

WILLIAM HOGAN'S residence at Marion, O., was destroyed by fire and Mrs. Hogan and her son Frank were fatally burned.

GEORGE PERKINS aged 45, who until a year ago had been the leading editorial writer on the Cincinnati Enquirer, was found dead in his room in that city.

A WATERSPOUT and hailstorm visited Hardscrabble, Col., and completely destroyed farms and orchards.

ROBERT J., the king of the light harness pacers, was defeated at Cleveland, O., by Joe Patchin, the average time for the four heats being 2:01¼, the fastest race ever paced.

BISHOP PHELAN, of the Roman Catholic diocese of Pittsburgh, Pa., issued peremptory orders to the clergy to prohibit round dances by Catholics in that diocese.

By the breaking of a cable at the "chutes" in Chicago twenty persons plunged with terrific velocity in a runaway car down a 250-foot incline and thirteen were injured, one fatally.

FIRE among shipping in New York caused a loss of $150,000.

THE receipts of the government during the month of July were $29,069,697, against $24,809,339 for July, 1894, disbursements, $38,548,063, against $36,648,582 for July, 1894.

MAYOR STARKWEATHER, of West Superior, Wis., was impeached by the common council on a charge of extorting money from policemen and firemen.

FOUR business blocks were destroyed by fire at Lima, O., the loss being $100,000.

A STATEMENT prepared by the comptroller of the currency shows the amount of national bank notes outstanding July 31 to have been $211,281,908, an increase for the year of $3,836,419. The amount of circulation based on United States bonds was $186,577,433, an increase for the year of $5,521,499.

REAME'S tobacco warehouse and opera house, A Max and Ellis & Stone's dry goods stores and several other business houses at Durham, N. C., were destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000.

DURING July the total ore shipments from Duluth, Minn., were 536,148 tons, the largest on record.

THIRTY life-saving stations on Long Island were opened a month earlier than usual.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 2d aggregated $915,847,689, against $726,665,760 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 18.6.

PAPERS were signed at Pittsburgh which increase the wages of 100,000 miners in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois and put a stop to the contemplated strike.

THE Indian scare in Wyoming was said to be at an end.

THERE were 261 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 2d, against 202 the week previous and 230 in the corresponding time in 1894.

LEE THOMAS was hanged at Corsicana, Tex., for the murder of J. M. Farley. The murder was the result of a game of cards.

THE crop of corn in the United States this year was estimated at 2,500,000,000 bushels, the largest ever known.

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IT was feared that 100 residents of Beaver island, located in Green bay, at the entrance of the straits of Mackinaw, had been burned to death in the forest fires which had desolated the entire island during the last few days.

THE Woodrough & Hanchett company, one of the largest wholesale hardware houses in Chicago, failed for $180,000.

THREE tramps were killed in a freight train wreck near Canton, O.

THE United States cruiser Columbia broke all records for warships by making the run from Southampton to New York in 6 days 23 hours and 49 minutes.

THE special session of the Illinois legislature adjourned sine die.

PHILLIP BOUNDTREE, wife murderer, was hanged at Hayneville, Ala.

FRANK A. MAGOWAN, a Trenton (N. J.) millionaire, and president of several big corporations, failed for $500,000.

NEARLY the entire business portion of Crystal Lake, Mich., was burned.

WILLIAM P. and George Taylor were found guilty at Carrollton, Mo., of murdering a man named Meeks, his wife and two children on the night of May 10 last.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 3d were: Cleveland, .596; Pittsburgh, .595; Baltimore, .590; Chicago, .566; Boston, .557; Cincinnati, .543; Brooklyn, .543; Philadelphia, .538; New York, .513; Washington, .360; St. Louis, .321; Louisville, .262.

A SETTLEMENT of 200 negroes near Spring Valley, Ill., was attacked by 500 white miners, many shots were fired, and forty of the negroes were wounded, some fatally.

SIX acres were burned over at Berlin, Md. The total number of houses burned was seventy-five, and the loss was $200,000.

DURING a tornado along the New Jersey coast houses were wrecked and five persons were drowned by the capsizing of boats.

PROF. ELLIOTT and Mary Peak, of Jackson, Mich., were probably fatally injured by falling from a balloon at Vandercook's lake resort.

A TELEGRAM from Charlevoix, Mich., says the report that Beaver island had been devastated by a fire was a hoax.

MAJ. J. T. ESTEES, of Rutledge, Ga., who was pursuing his eloping daughter, was killed by her lover. The couple then proceeded to a magistrate and were married.

THE Northern Pacific railroad was the heaviest loser by a fire at Sprague, Wash., which swept over 320 acres of territory and destroyed property valued at over $1,000,000.

THOMAS BUTLER and Timothy Sweeney were caught in a storm on Niagara river and were carried over the falls.

CHARLES DUNLAP, general superintendent of the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific railroad, died at his home in Chicago from injuries received at the "chutes" accident.

IN a trial of speed at Decatur, Ill., Effie Powers and Pestora Wilkes paced a mile as a team in 2:15 flat. This beats the world's record one and one half seconds.

THE Methodist church at Quakertown, N. J., was struck by lightning during services and a score of people were injured, several of them probably fatally.

ADVICES from San Francisco expose an alleged plot to restore Queen Liliuokalani and loot Honolulu. Rudolph Spreckels, the youngest son of Claus Spreckels, was said to be backing the scheme.

THOUSANDS of persons from Ohio and adjoining states met at Greenville, O., to celebrate the centennial of Gen. Anthony Wayne's treaty of peace with the Indians.

AN express train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad collided with a freight near Zanesville, O., and Fireman William Bolin was killed and Engineer May fatally injured.

EUGENE TAYLOR, of Denver, who recently broke the world's record in agate composition, has now made a new record of 76,300 ems minion in eight hours on a linotype machine.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 5th was: Wheat, 38,517,000 bushels; corn, 4,654,000 bushels; oats, 3,754,000 bushels; rye, 194,000 bushels; barley, 28,000 bushels.

JOSEPH BINGHAM and Oliver Benway were killed by poisonous gases while digging a well at South Perry, O.

THE levee in Cincinnati was visited by a $200,000 fire in which one half of the Laidley river steamboat line was destroyed.

JOHN M. TRENDLEY, of St. Louis, arrived at Denver, Col., after an adventurous journey of 1,200 miles on a bicycle.

THE Citizens' state bank at South Sioux City, Neb., failed with liabilities of $30,000 and assets of $23,000.

J. M. CURTIS, a Kansas City horseman, was relieved of a pocketbook containing $2,300 by pickpockets in Cleveland, O.

RICHARD LEACH was electrocuted at Sing Sing, N. Y., for the murder of his wife, Mary S. Leach, on December 11, 1894.

HUERFANO COUNTY, Col., was attracting attention on account of important discoveries of tin ore.

R. D. MARSHALL, of Chippewa Falls, was appointed judge of the supreme court of Wisconsin.

A NEW counterfeit $10 national bank note on the First national bank of Detroit was discovered by the secret service bureau. The notes are photographic productions of brown backs, series of 1882, check letter "C," "B. K. Bruce, registrar; James Gilfillan, treasurer."

WILL SIMS and Lucy Perry, sweethearts, quarreled at Paducah, Ky., and Sims started to leave when the woman shot him dead and then killed herself.

THE total assessed valuation for taxation in Wisconsin this year will be about $605,000,000, which is about $5,000,000 more than last year.

THE fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of July shows a total of $9,085,000, against $16,307,000 for the same period in 1894.

TWENTY-TWO prisoners were terribly injured by a falling bridge in the penitentiary at Jefferson City, Mo.

WILLIAM NEWTON LANE shot and instantly killed James Rodenbaugh and mortally wounded the young man's father, H. C. Rodenbaugh, in a drunken debauch at Versailles, Ky. All were prominent citizens.

EVERY negro in Delta county, Tex., was notified that he must leave at once or he would be hanged.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

JACOB S. COXEY, of Massillon, was nominated by the populist convention at Columbus for governor of Ohio.

ANDREW FRANKLIN, an old soldier of the wars of 1812 and Mexico and the late rebellion, died at his home in North Burlington, Kan., aged 103 years 7 months and 4 days.

A NEW political party was born in Kansas, and a call for a state convention at Topeka September 5 was issued. The name of the organization is the Independent Americanism, and it declares for true Americans, free coinage of silver and the removal of the national capital to a more central location.

MRS. MINNIE MURRAY died at Olneysville, N. J. She claimed to have been 116 years old. It is known she was alive 108 years ago.

MRS ELIZABETH DAVIS died at Muncie, Ind., aged 106 years.

THE wife of Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage died at Dansville, N. Y., of nervous prostration.

FOREIGN.

IT was reported that thirty citizens belonging to leading families in San Salvador were arrested and shot inside the barracks.

THE latest news from Cuba was that the towns of Baire, Jiguani and Guantanamo had been captured by the insurgents.

AN earthquake occurred at the Russian town of Krasnovodsk and twelve persons were killed.

THE firm of Messrs. Fratolli Gingen, one of the largest and oldest banking houses in Genoa, Italy, closed its doors with liabilities of about $2,000,000.

THE Auchen Harvey colliery at Salt Coats, Scotland, was flooded and fourteen miners were drowned.

A FIGHT was reported near Baracoa, Cuba, in which Col. Sandoval was wounded, and the insurgents burned Jiguani and Baracoa.

THE scarcity of bread led to serious rioting at Tabriz, Persia. The troops dispersed the rioters, twenty of whom were killed.

THE mission and sanitarium at Wha Sang, China, was attacked by the Chinese and ten British subjects killed. Rev. Mr. Stewart, wife and child were burned in their house. Miss Yellow and Miss Marshall, two sisters named Saunders, two sisters named Gorden and Steetie Newcombe were murdered with spears.

A RESIDENCE of the Cleuzkrug estate at Breslau, Germany, was burned and four women and a child perished in the flames.

CONTINUOUS rains ruined the rice crops in many parts of Japan and a famine was feared. Many lives had been lost and the damage done was enormous.

WHEN the cashier of the savings bank at Brussels, Belgium, opened his cash box he found the sum of 1,800,000 francs ($37,500) in bank notes had been stolen.

AT a crowded meeting of the European residents of Shanghai resolutions condemning the action of the Chinese authorities in the case of the massacre of missionaries at Whai-Hau, near Ku Cheng, were adopted.

SENOR EDUARDO VADELO was elected president of Chili.

LATER.

SILVER democrats in convention at Fort Worth, Tex., adopted resolutions in favor of free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, independent of international agreement, and condemning the financial policy of the present administration.

MRS. ARCHIBALD THACKER, aged 104 years, died at her home in Martinsville, Ind.

THE democrats of Missouri in convention at Pertle Springs committed the party to the principle of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

PEORIA, Ill., has been decided on as the permanent headquarters of the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

THE secret service gave warning of a new photographic counterfeit five-dollar national bank note. First national bank of Flint, Mich., series of 1882.

A. T. KELLEY, a commission dealer, shot and killed himself at the grave of his wife in Cleveland, O.

THREE seamen of the steamer Bengerhead, Capt. Brennan, were drowned at Montreal while going ashore without leave.

WILLIAM E. BROCKWAY, the notorious counterfeiter and forger, and three members of his gang were arrested at Jersey City, N. J.

JOE HAMILTON and Clarence Chapman, of Lonoke county, Ark., cut each other to death with pocketknives because they could not agree as to which owned a bull.

THE Rocky Mountain savings bank at Denver closed its doors with liabilities of $60,000.

THE reports as to the condition of crops throughout the country made by the directors of the different state weather bureaus were favorable.

ELI HIX, a laborer at Bigstone Gap, Va., while drunk set fire to his home and he and four of his children were cremated.

JOHN GREER and Henry Greer, cousins, of Carter county, Tenn., fought with knives over the ill-treatment of the latter's child and both were killed.

THE G. Y. Roots Flour company in Cincinnati failed for $100,000.

THE Italian miners at Spring Valley, Ill., drove the negroes from the town. Women with three and four children running after them were driven over the hills and through the woods, many shots being fired after them as they fled. The governor was appealed to for aid, and negroes in Chicago and other cities were arming themselves wit a view of going to Spring Valley to avenge the outrage inflicted on their race.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Aug. 11. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Healing the Nobleman's Son.

SCRIPTURE READING.—John iv. 46-54.

Rejected by his own townspeople at Nazareth, Jesus had left it forever. He had gone for a short time to Cana, where the water had been turned to wine. While here a ruler from Capernaum, probably one of the courtiers or officers of the household of Herod Antipas, came to him. The serious sickness of his son made the nobleman urgent. He pressed Jesus to come down to the city and heal the young man. Jesus, to rebuke any merely curious seeking after wonders and to prove the motive of the man, says, "Except ye see signs and wonders ye will not believe." Then the father's faith and desire shine out clearly, and he becomes urgent. "Sir, come down, ere my child die."

His confidence in Christ is rewarded. He receives the assurance that the child shall recover. He believes, and even though Jesus does not go with him he starts on his return. It is 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Five hours away lies Capernaum, but so confident is he of the Master's announcement that he stops over night on the way. The slaves from home meet him next morning and tell him that the son began to recover at the very hour Jesus gave him the word.

From this time the man and all his family became disciples of Jesus. Perhaps this was Chuza, the steward of Herod, whose wife, Joanna, is afterward mentioned as ministering to the Lord of her substance.

Show Your Colors!

During this month many persons will be away from home and so may feel the sense of responsibility to attend religious services relaxed. It is the best way to go to meeting wherever you may be. It may do some one else good to hear your prayer, your songs and testimony. It may do you great good to hear those of others. The fidelity to Jesus which your attendance upon service will show will surely bring its blessing in strengthened purpose and will often deliver one from many temptations. Wherever you go, make it a point to seek and associate with Christians, especially in their religious gatherings. Show your colors, and don't be afraid to let men know you are a follower of the Christ!

Help a Little.

Nothing so helps a person as to help some one else. Aches and ills are forgotten and often cured, life has new interest, and we take hold of things with zest which before were irksome. On every side there are people needing a lift; poor women and men and children needing an outing. Share your pleasure with them. A ticket for an excursion will cost something, but it will give you more pleasure to give it once in awhile to a needy one than to take them all for yourself. Try to help some one every day by a kind word or deed. This is the season of blossoms. Make lives bud and flower and bear fruitage of goodness.

Warm Weather Work.

In many places it will be difficult during the hot weather to do anything in literary or social lines. It may even seem impossible to maintain the weekly devotional service, yet there is work which should not be neglected. Every member of the League should be faithful in private devotions. Daily reading of God's word and prayer, not only for one's self, but for God's blessing on others, should never be omitted.

Where it is possible, it is a good plan to attend one of the summer assemblies either on the Chautauqua or League basis.

That Notebook.

Every one, especially every Leaguer, should always carry notebook and pencil, ready to jot down anything which will be either personally helpful or of benefit to the other members of the chapter. Incidents, items of news, new ideas, quotations, plans, gems of prose or poetry, titles of books, striking illustrations, addresses and a hundred items one will wish to recall should be briefly noted. There is no greater delusion than to think because a thing interests at the time we can therefore recall it whenever we choose. Note it.

A Look Ahead.

It is none too soon for the League officers to begin to form plans for the autumn meetings. Lectures should find some place in the programme. Local talent should be interested and preparation made so that those who go away from home on vacation shall on their return bring new facts, enthusiasm and light with them. Papers can be written, or at least material gathered for them, which can be worked out after the return home and presented at some meeting of the League. Plan ahead.

Harvest the Fruits Soon.

Some souls were converted, or at least made a start in Christian life, at the camp meeting or assembly. Don't let them get back into the world before you try to gather them in. Invite them to church service. Get them to join the League. Call upon them at their homes. Be friends with them. Replace their old companions with new and Christian friends. If you don't gather the fruits when ripe, be sure they will spoil, and be lost to you and themselves.

Arms More Than Armor.

Nothing can take the place in Christian living of constant Bible searching. It is not enough to get its history, geography, biography and stories. One must get its spirit. When one knows the Bible and feels possessed by its truth, he has the sword of the Spirit.

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12 22	7 00	Monteith	2 28	7 52
1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 36	7 14
1 55	8 07	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 20	6 20
3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 52
3 51	9 31	Hanover	10 46	5 23
5 05	10 19	Addison	10 05	4 50
5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
5 47	10 42	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
6 05	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	*3 54
6 04	11 18	Britton	8 56	3 50
6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 39
6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 30
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

A present but Trustee Hall. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Several petitions for sidewalks presented, referred to the proper committees.

Street engineer's report for month of July presented, showing five teams about 27 days each, and 5 days, cost $2 per day, and he charged $100. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Isaac E. Ames, $10.25; Jay Mead, $—; Clarence Avery, $1.50; A. Brooks, $1.00; A. Hyde, $34.00; H. Dresser & Co., $14.83; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for July, $150.40; telephone rents, $7.50; S. C. Stacy, printing, $2.00; Jacob Cheever, cement walk, $20.80; Water works, E. N. Satterthwaite, expenses $4.25; L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co., freight, $2.94; C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight $1.02; H. Moeller Mfg. Co., supplies, $5.—; The Shaw, Kendall & Co., supplies, $—.—; A. Park, labor, $0.75; M. A. Zimmerman & Co., supplies, $5.60. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Moved and supported that clerk draw orders for $2.00 for each of deputy marshals who served July 25th. Carried.

The request of the chief of the fire department for a supply of new hose was referred to the committee of fire department.

Council then adjourned.

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HER CONFESSION.

At the age of 16 my aunt had succeeded in having me "finished"—according to the fashionable patent. I was beautiful, willful, utterly selfish and a devotee of the art of flirting. So accomplished, I returned to my old home. A gay party went with me, with whom I was to make the round of watering places after a short visit to my father.

The sabbath before we were to start we all went to the old village church. I shall never forget that day. As we all sat silent there was a slight rustling of leaves and the imperceptible stir that announces a newcomer, and I turned to see that the clergyman had entered noiselessly. He was kneeling at his desk, but when, after a moment, he rose I saw a pale, intellectual face, a grand head covered by light, waving hair of golden brown, a tall figure finely proportioned, but a little too slight for the indication of robust health. I was attracted and interested at first, but when he began to read the deep, melodious inflections of his voice completed the charm. I listened entranced.

From that instant I saw nothing, felt nothing but his presence, until the service and the sermon were ended.

Mechanically I followed my friends into the porch. A sudden summer shower was gathering, the air was chill, and nature wore the gray hue so ominous of her coming convulsions. I had been unconscious of the change, but the chill wind had been blowing upon me from an open window as I sat in church, and now I shuddered as, taking my father's arm, I hurried homeward. Before we reached the house the storm broke, and all but the swiftest pedestrians were thoroughly drenched. Ere nightfall burning fever alternated with icy chills in my frame, and the effect of draft and drenching declared themselves.

Mr. Fletcher had been invited by my father to dine with us, but had excused himself with the simple remark that his duties absorbed the entire Sabbath day. But during the week and after our friends had left us, he called. I saw him in the little morning room where I rested upon a couch, and he dined with my father. This visit was followed by many others, until at last he dined with us nearly every day and spent most evenings in listening to my performances upon the pianoforte or in conversing with me.

I saw the effect of my charms. I knew that I was beautiful, and the world declared me brilliant. And I brought every art that I had learned to lure this silent, grave youth to my feet. It was a triumph to bend his intellect to a girl's will, and I liked him too. But I am sure no thought of the future or of the consequences of my act ever intruded upon me.

And yet I suffered, too, for I was not destitute of sympathy and my heart not wholly untouched, either, by the profound devotion of the silent, grave man, when I listened to his declaration of love and spoke the words that separated us forever.

I went up to my room half angry with myself. But I stifled the silent monitor, and ordered my maid to prepare for the journey I was about to undertake to join my friends at Newport.

The morning I left home my father mentioned, casually, that he had heard that Mr. Fletcher was very ill. I felt myself grow pale and cold, but I stifled my emotions and in a constrained voice expressed my regret and begged my father to inform me in his letters of his state.

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Two years later I was in Italy with my husband—the husband of my Aunt St. Clair's choice. I had made a grand match, but I was not happy.

One night I saw my husband making his way toward me through a crowded saloon. I pressed forward, for I felt the need of his protection from advances that were insults, though perhaps not intended as such. He drew my arm in his, but did not speak until we reached the anteroom.

Then he told me that he had been summoned to the bedside of a dying countryman and that he had come from this melancholy visit to conduct me thither. He would tell me no more, and when I refused to go he compelled me, almost by force, to accompany him.

It was to Mr. Fletcher we were going. We found him in humble lodgings, for he had spent his last dollar and was reduced to die in the midst of poverty and deprivation. He had heard of us, had seen us when he crawled forth upon the piazza and had ventured to send for us in his extremity. He uttered no reproaches, though he told me, in hollow accents, that my rejection had been his doom, and now that he was dying, he desired only to look upon my face.

I knew then how I had loved John Fletcher, and if the sacrifice of my life would have saved his, most gladly would I have died that hour.

But God willed otherwise.

I told my husband all as we returned in the purple Italian twilight from the funeral. We had hated each other before, but now a new antagonism had arisen. We felt that the false and hollow bonds that bound us must be snapped asunder. I left him in Naples and returned alone to America, thus voluntarily renouncing the station of wifehood and compelling myself to seclusion and solitude.

Years have passed since that hour. My father has long been dead, and I should live quite alone at Verdhill but for the sweet presence of a fair young girl—John Fletcher's sister. I found her—a mere infant—on my return, abandoned to poverty by her brother's death, and she has been with me ever since. In my care of her I have striven, in some little measure, to repair the one great wrong of my life. But for her, life would be all dreary and no gleam of pleasure would light the passage of a sorrowing penitent to the grave.—Philadelphia Item.

Old Parr's Possible Age.

One of the last services Dean Stanley did for Westminster Abbey was to cause the almost effaced inscription over the celebrated old Parr's grave to be recut. It is as follows: "Tho: Parr of ye County of Salop Borne in AD 1483. He lived in ye reigns of Ten Princes viz.: K. Edw. 4, K. Edw. 5, K. Rich. 3, K. Hen. 7, K. Hen. 8, K. Edw. 6, Q. Ma. Q. Eliz., K. Ja. & K. Charles. Aged 152 yeares, and was Buried Here Novemb 15, 1685."

The "old Countess of Desmond," who is said to have died at the age of 140, is mentioned by Lord Bacon, Archbishop Usher and Sir William Temple. The first assures us that "she did dentige (renew her teeth) twice or thrice, casting her old teeth, and others coming in their place."—Chambers' Journal.

Gulleful Gallantry.

Matron—Do not be vulgar, even though poor. There is a great deal of difference in the way a sentence is pronounced.

Tramp—Indeed there is, madam. I'd rather listen to you all day than hear a few words from the highest dignitaries at court.—Adams Freeman.

One Red Rose Pays the Rent.

Many curious tenures might be cited from England, Scotland and Germany, but I only know of one in America that is rich enough to deserve special mention. Away back in 1772 Baron Henry Stiefel, the founder of Manheim, Pa., donated a plot of ground to the Lutheran congregation, with the understanding that it was to pay 5 shillings down in cash and each year thereafter "one red rose." According to provisions made at the time, this red rose was to be given to the eccentric baron or his legal heirs on the Sunday nearest June 15 of each year. Ever since that date large congregations meet at the Manheim Lutheran church to observe the ceremony of presenting the red rose, which always takes place on the mid-June Sabbath. The recipient of the rose (for the last seven years a Mrs. Boyer) always gives a receipt in full for the year's rent.—St. Louis Republic.

Self Love.

Self love is, in almost all men, such an overweight that they are incredulous of a man's habitual preference of the general good to his own, but when they see it proved by sacrifices of ease, wealth, rank and of life itself there is no limit to their admiration.—Emerson.

Tender Hearted Women.

"Like mistress, like maid," is a saying that is probably oftener true than "like master, like man." The story is told that Mlle. Augustine Brohan, a celebrated French comedienne, who was extremely humane to all animals, no matter how humble, one day, at table, found a fly caught on her plate. She took it up tenderly with her thumb and finger and called her maid. "Marie," she said, "take this fly—be careful, don't hurt him"—and put him outdoors." The girl took the fly and went away, but presently Mlle. Brohan saw her standing near with a troubled expression on her face. "Well, Marie," she said, "did you do as I told you?" "No, mademoiselle, I have the fly still. I couldn't venture to put him outdoors—it was raining, and he might have taken cold!"

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"No, nothing is the matter. I don't believe I was thinking about your looks at all."

"How rude to tell me so! I suppose your thoughts were miles away. I don't suppose you were paying the slightest attention to what I was saying."

"To be perfectly frank with you, I was not, but you need not be vexed with me, because I was recalling something you said to me long ago."

"Something brilliant, no doubt."

He smiled. "It was such a characteristic speech," he said; "so exactly what I might have expected from you, that I have never forgotten it."

"Then you have been disobeying orders, for I told you positively that you were not to remember anything I said."

"It happened this way," he went on: "You had just come back from New York and had brought with you all manner of souvenirs—photographs and books and german favors, and I don't know what all beside, and one night you very kindly offered to show them to me. When I came to one picture, you blushed a little, and I asked: 'Is this the lucky fellow? Has the heart you have so jealously guarded found its master at last?' And you answered, with a shrug of your shoulders: 'Bah! that man—he loves me too well. He lets me see just how much I am to him. He would bore me to death in a week.'"

"Well," she cried, opening her eyes, "and is that all? Have you been treasuring up a foolish speech like that? Why, I have said ever so many cleverer things since."

"But none more characteristic!" he replied.

"Do you know," she said, "it is humiliating to reflect that after being as much with me as you have been you should know me so little. It argues that I am either very stupid or very reserved."

"I not know you!" he cried. "Why, I know you almost as well as myself. Do you suppose I could have studied you in all your moods as I have done for years without having gained some knowledge of your disposition?"

She laughed slightly. "And have you been studying me all this time? I hardly think I am worth it. Did you find me interesting?"

"Absorbingly so! And one thing that I have discovered about you will surprise you. People call you fickle, do they not?"

"Sometimes."

"Well, you have impressed me as being unusually consistent. I thought when first I knew you that you were the coldest girl I had ever known, and I think so still. You have never given me any reason to change my opinion."

"Cold!" she repeated. "I cold? That just shows how well you have analyzed me!"

"I am not the only one who thinks that," he said. "Look at those roses," pointing to a cluster of Brides in the vase at his elbow. "The man who sent those meant you to know that they were appropriate; that as they are white and cold and passionless, just so are you!"

"And do you know," she cried, "when I opened the box and saw them my first exclamation was one of disappointment—White roses! How vexing! Why not red ones? They at least mean something; they convey an idea. But these!" And I pushed them away."

"I heard yesterday," he said irrelevantly, "that you are going to be married. I wondered if it was true?"

"Who is it now?" she laughed. "The northern army officer or the South Carolina physician?"

"Is it true?" he asked.

"Do you suppose," she said, holding out a ringless hand, "that if I had so far forgotten my good resolutions as to promise to marry anybody I would not wear the badge of my servitude?"

"That is well put, 'the badge of your servitude.' No, I think until the fatal words are said over you that you will allow no man the pleasure of publishing his triumph abroad!"

"O wise young judge," she cried, "how I do honor thee!"

"Oh, it is all very well to laugh," he said. "It is an easy way to dispose of a subject, but you will never convince me that you have any feeling—nothing could!"—

"Would you like me to persuade you?" she said in her soft voice.

There was a moment's silence, then he turned from her roughly. "No; it is better that I should think of you as I do now, for I can be bitter against you, and that is a protection."

She looked up at him dazedly. Hitherto no suspicion of the truth had come to her, but it flashed over her all at once and with it a great rush of pity and regret.

"I am going now," he said rising. "If I staid, I would make a fool of myself, and it frets you to have people make fools of themselves, doesn't it? And yet they are not always to blame. You have a faculty for drawing them out, for leading a man on to reveal his tenderest and most sacred thoughts. Why do you do it? When it is all told, you are not apparently touched. What especial object have you in view?"

For a moment she hesitated, then a soft answer trembled on her lips, but her worldly wisdom came to her aid and reminded her that this was not the method to pursue; it would only mislead him and end in trouble. Better be misunderstood herself than prolong his suffering by ill advised kindness.

"What object have I?" she asked, throwing her head back against her cushions—"have I ever any object? I don't think I have. If men will tell me their private affairs, I am sure I am not to blame. I often wish they wouldn't—I certainly would be spared much boredom. Now, what I have always liked about you is your indifference. You are so delightfully unemotional, so free from the troublesome sentiment that makes other men uninteresting. Dear Geoff"—she rose from her chair and laid her hand lightly on his sleeve—"if I thought you would ever get like the rest, so stupidly personal and all that, I should be perfectly wretched; for, after all, there is nothing like a friend who is nothing but a friend, is there? I don't think you can know what a comfort you have always been to me."

He turned very pale, but after a moment's fierce contest with himself bent his head down to hers.

"Have I been a comfort to you?" he said gently. "Then may I never disappoint you."

He clasped her hand firmly in his and with a murmured good night was gone.

A few minutes later her brother came in, to find her brooding over the fire.

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Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		11
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25 to 4 50	
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Sheep	2 00	@ 3 80
Hogs	5 50	@ 5 85
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 85	@ 3 85
Minnesota Patents	3 75	@ 3 95
WHEAT—No 2 Red	73½	@ 73¾
September	72¾	@ 73½
CORN—No 2	47¼	@ 47½
September	46	@ 46½
OATS—No 2	30	@ 30½
September	24½	@ 25½
RYE	70	@ 70¼
PORK—Mess, New	11 00	@ 11 50
LARD—Western Steam	6 45	@ 6 50
BUTTER—Western Creamery	13	@ 20
Western Dairy	10	@ 13
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Beeves	$4 25	@ $ 5 50
Stockers and Feeders	2 50	@ 4 00
Mixed Cows and Bulls	1 50	@ 4 00
Texas Steers	3 00	@ 4 50
HOGS—Light	4 80	@ 5 40
Rough Packing	4 70	@ 5 03
SHEEP	2 00	@ 4 10
BUTTER—Creamery	12	@ 19½
Dairy	9	@ 17
Packing Stock	6	@ 9
EGGS—Fresh	11½	@ 12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	50 00	@ 100 00
POTATOES, New (per bbl)	90	@ 1 25
PORK—Mess	$ 9 37½	@ $ 9 50
LARD—Steam	5 95	@ 6 03
FLOUR—Spring Patents	$ 75	@ 4 25
Spring Straights	2 50	@ 3 25
Winter Patents	3 00	@ 3 75
Winter Straights	3 00	@ 3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	68	@ 68¾
Corn, No 2	41	@ 41¾
Oats, No 2	20¾	@ 21
Rye, No 2	44	@ 44½
Barley, Poor to Choice	33	@ 38
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Oats, No 2 White	27	@ 27¼
Rye, No 1	43½	@ 43¾
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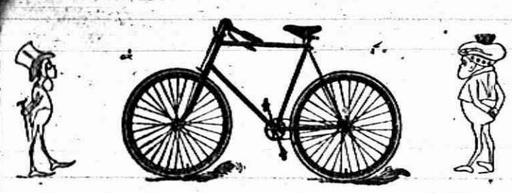

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DRESS REFORM.

Essay Read by Loana M. Davidson at the Farmers' Union Picnic, June 21, 1895.

This is an age of rapid progress. Never in all the history of the human race has the ingenuity of mankind, in the form of inventions and all kinds of science, made such great advancement as at the present time. Were you able to put forth your hand, push back the veil and peer through the Stygian blackness of the mysterious future, your eyes would behold still greater changes and advancement. Could you step from the present time across a space of twenty-five years into the year of 1920, it would be like leaving the old world and entering a new one.

We live in a land of liberty and freedom, a land where woman has been liberated from her shackles and is allowed to think and act for herself. She is no longer considered inferior to man and simply a servant or slave, but in every respect man's equal. It is no longer a disgrace for a woman to have a good education, but they are freely admitted to our colleges and higher institutions of learning, and thus equipped for life's work we find them actively engaged in nearly all the occupations that are entered by man. Parents are beginning to see the wisdom of giving their girls, as well as their boys, a liberal education, so that, if circumstances demand it, they can fall back on their own resources and be able to take care of themselves, and not, as a last resort, marry some poor stick of a man and finally be obliged to take in washing to support the family.

Since woman's sphere has become so enlarged and she is filling so many positions that were not open to her a quarter of a century ago, she finds it necessary, as well as does her brother co-workers, to find some cheap and speedy means of getting to and from her work. Man's inventive genius has solved this knotty problem of locomotion, not only on the streets of our towns and cities, but on our country roads, in the shape of a bicycle. But woman finds herself hampered and hindered in the freedom of locomotion by her long, heavy skirts. Hence, in order to avail herself of the convenience of the bicycle, the common sense woman of today finds an imperative demand for a radical change in woman's dress.

The necessity for such a change having been established, the next thing is what shall it be; the Assyrian costume, which was so popular at Chicago during the Columbian Exposition; the Greek drapery, so highly lauded by Mary Stowe and Mrs. Flower; or, will it be the divided skirt, which combines all the essentials of a perfect dress. There are arguments in favor of all. However, let us consider a few of the advantages that any one of these costumes would bring to woman-kind. What a boon it would be to the women in factories, schools, offices and shops to be free from the weight of a long, heavy skirt! Especially is this true in stormy weather, when the skirts become damp and we have to sit at our work a half a day at a time with damp skirts, thus endangering our health and perhaps our lives. Such a costume would prevent many severe and painful accidents occasioned by the dress skirt becoming entangled in the wheel. Then they are much cheaper and more cleanly, for they do not sweep the streets and thus become worn and frayed, besides picking up all the filth and dirt, and oftimes germs of disease, from the streets. The Assyrian costume affords a superior amount of warmth for the same amount of weight, over the open skirt of the same length; the Grecian robe is more appropriate for a house dress. So it seems that only the divided skirt can assume all requirements.

Of course modern prudery will prejudice popular sentiment against this new departure in dress. A class of gentlemen, of undoubtedly benevolent intentions, have taken upon themselves the onerous task of deciding, somewhat dogmatically, what the feminine half of the human race ought to be, to do, to think, to want and to wear; no shadow of doubt as to their fitness for this self-appointed mission appears ever to have flitted across their minds, and it seems almost too bad to have to criticize when they evidently mean so well; but it is ever our duty to be cruel to fiction, if thereby we may be more kind to truth. They apparently imagine that the world began with male man living scrupulously within "one sphere" and with female man living rigidly within "another sphere," each having different tasks, habits and occupations and wearing different costumes. Their amazing misconception of the actual habits of the male and female of the human race is displayed in the following sentence of a paper read before an anti-bicycle club in a New England town: "Woman has made her way into the smoking room and mounted the bicycle. She has begun to adopt the male attire and nothing but her own taste will stop her. After all, nature has made two sexes." Now these learned "Thebees" really believe that nature gave to man a taste for tobacco not shared by woman, and that bicycle riding in the streets is a peculiarly unfeminine action, and that nature bestowed upon man the ability to create for himself a peculiarly "male attire" to which woman has no title. While it would of course be pleasing to feminine vanity to believe that the feminine half of the race never possessed the weakness of smoking and that the occasional woman to whom they referred as having "made her way to the smoking room" is a new and extraordinary departure in the female part of the human race, truth utterly refuses to allow us to lay this flattering unction to our feminine souls. We may admit, possibly, that woman shows superior sense in having in some countries left off smoking, but it will never do to say "she has made her way into the smoking room, and mounted the bicycle, as if the two were equally innovating, equally modern and peculiarly unfeminine customs. As a matter of fact, originally there was not a particle of difference between man's love for tobacco and woman's enjoyment of that enticing weed. Then, as to mounting the bicycle, this is the tamest of tame procedure, as compared with the well known thousand of years old feminine custom of riding in the most public and crowded city streets astride a donkey or a camel, and it was womanly because woman did it. Since this is the case, why should these modern gentlemen object to a woman mounting a wheel when she does not happen to possess a donkey or a camel.

But in regard to "male attire," I doubt if there is any subject regarding which so much popular ignorance prevails and about which so much nonsense is talked. To hear the average person orate, one would suppose that nature created male man fully clothed in a bifurcated, and gave him an indisputable patent which claim is good for all eternity, secure against infringement by the other sex. It is a pity to have to shatter an illusion so dear to millions of men. The truth is, man did not invent, nor did he first wear the bifurcated garment which is variously designated as "trousers," "breeches," or "pantaloons." The fact is "trousers" were a purely feminine invention created by woman for her own special use, and man was actually reproached when he first began to adopt trousers for his attire. We are indebted to the historian for alluding to this garment 450 years B. C. as being the common dress of the beautiful oriental woman, and this same fashion abides today in Morocco, Algiers and Tunis. Since it is established that the bifurcated garment was a feminine invention for female attire, woman, in returning to the divided skirt, or oriental trousers, will merely return to a perfectly womanly, eminently sensible fashion of her own original creation. For thousands of years man wore skirts; scanty skirts, full skirts, plaited skirts, or short skirts. Man has worn single gowns, double gowns, gowns trailing in the dust in true street sweeper fashion, without a thought of impropriety in such imitation of female attire, and woman has never interfered with this sincerest form of flattery as far as has been discovered. Down to the fourteenth century there was almost no distinction between the dress of an English man and woman of rank, save that when riding to battle men wore short skirts instead of long. Englishman's first bifurcated garment appeared about the twelfth century, but undoubtedly man's ultimate rejection of the gown and the adoption of the effeminate oriental trousers was due to a fitness of the costume.

Will the movement fail as did the bloomer in the early sixties? We think not, for the same conditions do not exist at present that made the bloomers unpopular. Already women throughout christendom are returning to this bifurcated feminine costumes for bathing, gymnastics and bicycle riding. Imagine what a blessing such a costume would be to the 500,000 women who toil as agricultural laborers in the United States, or the 3,000,000 who travel daily through dust or storm to the task of earning their own livelihood in shops and factories, or to the smillions of housewives who now work in and about their dwellings pampered and senselessly encumbered with long and heavy skirts.

Courage to adopt what reason demonstrates to be the best attire for any occasion requires an independence of intellect to which the world as a whole has never yet fully attained. The beauty of the American woman depends on three things,—physical culture, careful diet and correct dress. These, added to her already acknowledged intellectual ability, will give her a preeminence in the world equalled by none.

OUR CORRESPONDENT ON A BYKE

The Grand Entry Into Paris and Some of The Sights of That City.

NEAR WATERLOO, July 18, '95.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—I concluded my last letter at St. Germain where we got our first glimpse of Paris. From there we rode through suburban towns, noisy and as busy as a city, to the gate of Paris. The fortifications are sodisguised at this point, that one sees only an iron gate wide and hospitably opened. We rode in without having our tires examined by the officers to see if they contained wine. That is the latest mode of smuggling wine into Paris and several have been detected. At once we saw the Arch of Triumph in the distance and so immense is it, that we were greatly deceived regarding the distance to it. Harry's red cap and our general saddle-sore and weary appearance, as well as the extreme height of our wheels, at once got the attention of the crowd. Even Paris stopped in the midst of her mad riot and paid the homage of curiosity to those long, lank American globe-trotters. We passed the Arch of Triumph, glided among the myriad cabs in the Champs Elysees, and reached the gardens of the Tuileries. Here we swerved aside and passed the Louvre, the Pont Neuf, and reached our hotel, St Pierre, where we were glad to get four brick walls about us and recover from the vertigo which Paris had given us. I don't wish to annoy you with the oft told tale of seeing Paris but there may be interest in knowing the rapidity of an American bicyclist in "doing" Paris. On the first morning, there was rain and we went to the Louvre where we wandered through endless galleries of painting, sculpture, antiquities, and curiosities. We saw the Venus de Milo, but her great age prevented the ecstasies of admiration due so famous a beauty. Had she been younger—well I can't speak for Harry. The sphinxes stared at us with the same fixed and stolid features which they had preserved for ages. We could astonish Paris but if the sphinxes were moved they did not show it. Among the paintings, we found difficulty in going into spasms just at the correct and conventional time. Great masters wearied us while lesser lights won sympathy. Rubens, Murillo, and Raphael, however, were masters of our feelings and we graciously granted them unstinted praise. By noon, we had traversed nearly every gallery of the Louvre and we left it to tramp for a while amidst the wonders of Paris, the Bourse or Chamber of Commerce, where we arrived at the busiest hour and watched the writhing, gesticulating, shouting and apparently mad Frenchmen buying and selling stock. It was a Babylon, Bedlam, and purgatory loosed. Chicago and New York chambers of commerce are mere sheepfolds with this. Here again, we also attracted attention and we modestly withdrew. We strolled on toward the opera house, and made several ineffectual attempts to deposit mail in fire alarm boxes. The system of mailing letters in Paris is a mystery yet.

There are some phases of Parisian life peculiar, to say the least. There are four places in Paris where you can get a drink of water and 400,000 where you can get wine. Bananas cannot be bought in Paris. You can drop a nickle in a slot and get a cup of hot chocolate. If you sit down beneath the Eifel tower an old lady comes around with a receipt for two sous and collects it, too. But our sight seeing. After the Opera, with its magnificence and grandeur of architecture, we went to the Madeleine, the edifice surrounded with monster Corinthian columns and with an interior which awes and overwhelms by its solemnity and the suggestive sacredness of every adornment. Pictures and descriptions of these places are so numerous that I pass them with haste. After visiting numerous smaller places of interest, we returned to our hotel, and on the following day rode out to St. Cloud, Sevres and Versailles. At the latter place we lingered some time in the magnificent gardens, where every artifice has been tried to make a prince happy. The Gallery of Battles, and the apartments of the queen next, and the Salle del' Oeil Boeuf, scene of famous intrigues. At noon, post haste back to Paris. A visit to the Trocadero, Eifel Tower, Champs de Mars, and an hour in the Luxembourg art gallery. Sunday was the French national fete day, celebrated much like our 4th of July, and because it happened on Sunday was celebrated with so much more vigor. Early we visited the Place de la Bastile, finding that and all the streets extravagantly decorated with the tricolor. Then to the Pere Lachaise cemetery where so many world-famous men are buried, and from here we rode our wheels through an intricate throng of cabs, hacks and trucks to the Arch of Triumph. Unless one is as much at home awheel as on foot, one can not venture on Parisian boulevards or narrow streets on a bicycle. The hackmen delight in shouting and attempting to confuse a wheelman. We saw a cavalry parade and the President of France in his carriage followed by numerous other men of note. Every park was occupied by venders of useless toys and by fake shows of infinite variety. But the evening. Then Paris celebrated and we went afoot, both in the swell quarters and the slums. Bacchus ruled supreme; everyone was drunk or verging upon it. Gangs of students from the Latin quarter, with girls, paraded the street. The girls threw one arm about their fellow's neck and made drunken gyrations with the other. Hacks and cabs rolled by with shrieking companies of girls and men. The trees in parks were thickly hung with red chinese lanterns, which threw a fiendish glow over these riotous proceedings. Beneath the trees danced soldier boys with drunken girls. Old men passed us with their girlish captors whom they ogled and smirked at hideously. One girl, dressed in bloomers with pockets in them, swaggered insolently down a main boulevard shouting and singing, while her hands were plunged in her pockets.

To us this was all a feverish dream, a phantasma, and wearied at last we retired and on the following morning, after seeing the tomb of Napoleon, we left Paris to recover from its debauchery and rode out into the quiet and peaceful country toward Brussels.

C. H. VANTYNE.

THE THIRD MATINEE.

The third matinee, held last Saturday, was unquestionably the most successful one held here this season, or any other season, for that matter. The weather was delightful, and the prizes offered and the several specialties advertised brought out a large number of entries and a large concourse of spectators. The popularity of this day's sport may be testified from the fact that the aggregation of complimentary fence viewers was almost as great as on bicycle day. Everything passed off smoothly and satisfactorily. Ezra Simmons ran into a sulky and was thrown off; then he was run into and thrown again; both times uninjured. His horse got away and finally sized up the surroundings and, concluding that the stables were the most attractive feature of the grounds, made haste to get there.

The novelty race and foot race were the features outside of the horseracing. Banker Rothchilds did not take part, as advertised, being lame from a strained tendon. Hambletonian Star went an exhibition half in 1:16 1-5. Star is 21 years old and can still set a pace for many of his sons and grandsons. Wellington, driven by F. D. Teachout, won the third named race in three straight heats. The horse is not yet three and is a very promising colt, owned by Smead Bros., of Blissfield. The summaries are given below.

NOVELTY RACE.

Little Kit	1
Flora B	2
Spott	3
Moonlight	4
Time, 3:15.	

NAMED RACE, NO. 1.

Bonnie B	3	5	1	1	1
Nona	1	1	2	2	2
Springbrook Girl	2	4	3	4	4
Clara Wilkes	4	2	7	7	6
Prince H	5	3	5	5	3
Lady Mull	6	7	4	3	5
Plow Boy	7	6	6	6	dr
Aragon, Jr	8	9	8	dr	
Frank B	9	8	9	dr	
Gray Spot	10	10	10	dr	

Time, 1:33¼, 1:33¼, 1:32, 1:27, 1:29.

NAMED RACE, NO. 2.

Leopard Rose	5	4	2	1	1
Claymont	1	1	3	3	3
Birdie B	8	3	1	2	2
Mollie W	2	2	4	6	4
Hambletonian Girl	3	7	6	5	5
Tipton Girl	4	6	5	4	6
Ida C	7	5	7	7	7
Clinton Girl	9	8	8	8	8
Minnie Aragon	6	9	dr		

Time, 1:23½, 1:21, 1:22½, 1:18, 1:19, 1:21½.

NAMED RACE, NO. 3.

Wellington	1	1	1
Texas Jim	2	2	2
Bell H	3	3	3
Prairie Lill	4	4	4

Time, 1:18¼, 1:19, 1:18½.

Exhibition one-half mile by Sickles' Hambletonian (21 years old); time, 1:16 1-5.

FREE-FOR-ALL TROT OR PACE.

Jim Bruce	1	2	1	1
Dick R	3	1	2	2
Frank B	2	3	5	4
Sickles' Hambletonian	4	5	3	3
Barnie B	5	4	4	5

Time, 1:18, 1:11½, 1:12¼, 1:11½.

BICYCLE RACE—2 MILE DASH.

C. F. Wolcott, Gibsonburg, Ohio	1
R. M. Crosby, Clinton, Mich	2

Floyd Williams failed to finish. Time by halves, 1:35, 2:10, 4:37, 5:51.

Exhibition half mile by C. F. Wolcott; time, 1:14½.

100 YARD FOOT RACE—$50 A SIDE.

L. G. Rickerd, North Adams	1
Wm. Rowin, Union City	2

Time, 10 3-5.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., AUGUST 16, 1895.

Fred Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

The big oven at McClure's new store is now completed.

Frank L. Woodward was at home the most of last week.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth has been quite sick for the past few days.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner is visiting friends in Monroe this week.

Miss Ella Ball, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark this week.

Miss Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. D. Niblack.

C. D. Keyes and John Orr, of Tecumseh, were in town last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Dillingham arrived home from Chicago Monday for a few days' stay.

Mrs. T. H. Mosher, of Tecumseh, was calling on Clinton friends one day last week.

Postmaster Kishpaugh went to Wolf Lake last Monday for a few day's recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannibal Osborn of Tecumseh, visited Clinton friends one day last week.

Mr. Butterfield, of Whitmore Lake, was the guest of Dr. J. L. Tuttle's family Tuesday.

Walter K. Plumb and bride, of Grand Rapids, are visiting Jas. W. Bradner's family this week.

Miss Grace Stevens went to Detroit last Saturday for a few day's visit with friends in that city.

Mr. Pease, of LosAngeles, Cal., visited J. R. Well's family last Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. E. K. Bliss, daughter and niece of Deerfield, spent three day's last week at W. D. VanTuyle's.

C. G. Ward and wife went to Wampler's lake Tuesday morning to tarry a week at E. R. Smith's cottage.

Miss Olive Mills, who has been at Mt. Summit, Ind., since the close of school, returned home on Friday last.

Miss Louise VanDeMark returned home from her Chicago trip on Monday. She had a very pleasant visit there.

Mr. Webber and sister, of Lake Charles, La., are visiting their aunt, Miss Catherine Smith, for a few days.

Mrs. E. A. Clark is spending the present week at Sand Lake. She is stopping at Kennedy's Hotel on the north side.

L. W. Kimball and family went to Wampler's lake Monday evening for a few days' outing at the Smith and Lancaster cottage.

John J. White will move his tailor shop into the second story of McClure's store as soon as finished. He will have a fine room there.

Robert Lake has the contract for putting down the cement walk in front of the new corner block, and the work has already been commenced.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fetcleman, of Blissfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weisinger of Deerfield, were the guests of G. Wolf's family last Sunday.

The new corner store is being pushed rapidly forward. The shelving is mostly in place and the big plate glass windows will soon be in position.

The plasterers are now at work in the upper rooms of the new block, and they will soon be ready for occupancy. Most of them have already been rented.

Miss Lizzie Dillingham returned from Chicago last Saturday, accompanied by her cousin, Elizabeth Holmes. They expect to remain until the first of September.

Duncan Clark's female minstrels will give an exhibition on Friday evening at the town hall. How Clinton will patronize such an entertainment is a question as yet unsolved, as we go to press.

Prof. Aldrich and wife, of Moores Hill (Ind.) College, are visiting Miss Ella Smith. His sister, Mrs. E. Louise Williams, a teacher of music in the same college, is also expected this week.

The insurance companies are making trouble about the electric wiring in some of the stores. B. O. Randall's store has been rewired and the new Smith & Huntington store will go through the same process.

Jud Ladd, of Lyons, Ohio, was the guest of W. D. VanTuyle on Friday. He came on his wheel, rode to Detroit Saturday, returned to Clinton on Tuesday and thence home again, making quite a trip of it altogether.

Howard Hause of this place and Miss Emma Hause of Britton, were married on Monday evening. The wedding was private, only relatives being present. The young couple are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

Mr. Chas. Guinness, elocutionist, humorist and character delineator, gave an entertainment at the town hall Wednesday evening for the benefit of the K. O. T. M. lodge. He was assisted by Miss Marion Crowl, as pianist. A fine program was given to a good audience and the Maccabees made a good thing of it.

A large delegation from here attended the Epworth League convention at Chelsea on Tuesday last. Among them were Frank Parker, the district President, and Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, Mrs. Geo. Wiltze, Charley Wiltze, Cora King and Dave Haggart were the regular delegates from the Clinton League. Besides these a large number of visitors attended.

The hair, when not properly cared for, loses its lustre, becomes crisp, harsh, and dry, and falls out freely with every combing. To prevent this, the best dressing in the market is Ayer's Hair Vigor. It imparts that silky grace so essential to perfect beauty. 1w

The Chicago and Northern Pacific Railroad has decided to equip its Chicago suburban service with electric motive power.

Every day symptoms of digestive disorders, acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling—Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct any troubles of this sort. 1w

PIONEERS OF OLD LENAWEE.

Joint Meeting of the Lenawee County and Fairfield Societies in Baker's Grove at Fairfield.

The local pioneer societies of the townships of Fairfield, Madison, Palmyra and Ogden held their regular annual session in Rufus Baker's grove on Friday of last week, Aug. 9th. Although the weather was rather torrid it proved to be a fine day for an outdoor gathering, and a larger crowd than ever before participated in the meeting. The County Pioneer Society accepted an invitation to meet with the local society and a fine program, embracing both forenoon and afternoon was the result.

As early as ten o'clock the capacious grove was filled with teams and visitors and shortly after that hour President Quick of the local society called the assemblage to order, and announced the forenoon's program. After music by the Adrian city band and reading of the minutes by the secretary, Mrs. Bessie J. Strong, prayer was offered by Lewis Wilcox, and vocal music followed by the Fairfield choir.

Hon. Geo. B. Horton then gave the address of welcome, which was a brief but most appropriate welcome to the vast audience present and especially to the old pioneers in attendance. Rev. Geo. Humphrey responded in an equally appropriate address, and then Frank Harvey of the Adrian band gave a fine tenor solo.

The memorial committee, consisting of one from each township, next presented their report as follows:

N. J. Strong, for Madison, said the mortuary list for the past year was brief, having only three deaths to record, Mrs. Thomas F. Moore, who came to Michigan in 1840; her daughter, Mrs. Warren Beal, who died January 3, '95, and William Schaeffer.

Palmyra was represented by Minor T. Cole, who reported the deaths as follows: Mrs. Maria M. Smith, aged 72; Mr. Wm. M. Graves, aged 72; Mrs. Nancy Harvey, aged 85; Mrs. Electa M. Southwick, aged 47; Mr. Nathaniel Gleason, aged 81; Mrs. Electa Plunket, aged 73, Mr. Jesse Rogers, Mrs. Mattie Mitchell, Miss Eunice Welch and Jacob Purdy, aged 47.

G. P. Robertson, of Ogden, said there had been only one death in his township, Mrs. Hannah French, aged 90.

The mortuary record as given by J. H. Cole was larger than usual, 17 deaths being recorded, and of this number it was found that 1 was born in England, 3 in Ireland, 1 in Vermont, 1 in Michigan, 6 in New York, 1 in Connecticut, 1 in Maryland, 1 in Scotland and two in Ohio, and one in regard to whom he was unable to get any statistics. The average age was 77 years, and the names and ages are as follows: Hannah Ray, aged, 95; Job Scott, 89; Wm. Upton, 90; Alice Maynard, 46; Josiah Quick, 84; John M. Goodale, 68; Hannah Hurlbut, 78; Ezra Cole, 87; Abram Carpenter, 85; Porter Negus, 94; Jane Nelson, 80; Adelia Smith, 91; Henry King, 75; Sam'l P. Knapp, 84; Louisa Barnes, 74; her daughter, Frank Barnes aged 52; Catherine Wilbur, 70, and James Smith.

Lewis Smith then gave a recitation, "How I did My Courtin," which was greeted with hearty applause.

The nominating committees were then appointed as follows:

For the township organization—C. R. Porter, Madison; G. B. Horton, Fairfield; B. W. Tetter, Palmyra; G. P. Robertson, Ogden.

For the county organization—Rufus Baker, Fairfield; G. B. Horton, Fairfield, and J. L. Knapp, city.

After music by the band, a recess was announced for dinner, and the way the provisions vanished during the next hour was a caution. The big crowd however was well supplied and the fragments gathered at the close of the feast would have filled many baskets.

The afternoon program was begun with music by the city band, followed by the reports of the nominating committees.

The following persons were named as officers for the ensuing year for the Fairfield society

President—Rufus Baker, Fairfield.
Secretary,—Mrs. Bessie Strong, Fairfield.
Vice Presidents.—M. T. Cole, Palmyra, J. W. Woolsey, Madison, John Cole, Fairfield, B. L. Hicks, Ogden.

The officers for the county society were named as follows:

President—Norman Geddes, city.
Secretary—S. C. Stacy, Tecumseh.
Ass't Sec'y—J. H. Cole, Fairfield.
Treasurer—J. L. Knapp, city.
Executive Com—C. H. Dewey, Cambridge; J. C. Porter, Seneca; Dr. Geo. Hovell, Tecumseh.

The regular program of the afternoon was then introduced with an ocarina quartette from the Adrian City band, followed by a recitation from Miss Knowles.

Rev. Jacob Baker then gave a fine address, presenting a brief historical sketch of the four townships, which was replete with reminiscences of the old settlers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson gave a duet, "Mrs. Mulligan's Pie," which was heartily applauded.

Hon. T. F. Moore, President of the County Society, then assumed charge of the meeting and after a song by the Weston Quartette, he favored the gathering with one of his characteristic addresses relating some of the early history of the society. He stated a fact which we think was new to most of his hearers, that John J. Adam, of Tecumseh, was a class-mate of Wm. E. Gladstone at the university of Edinburg, Scotland, and out of a class of 400 they took the price for scholarship, Gladstone standing first and Adam second. The speaker then referred to the position Lenawee county and Michigan held in the war, the county sending 4,000 out of 92,000.

B. P. Thomas sang a song, which drew an encore, and Miss Mable Graves gave a recitation, 'The Debating School' which turned the entire audience topsy turvey.

President Quick then read a paper on the early clergy of Lenawee County, which had been carefully prepared and contained much matter of historical value.

The Darius Cross Martial band gave a rattling selection with drum and fife, which tore the audience all to pieces. They had to repeat the music about five times before the crowd would release them. Mr. Cross is now 81 years old. A quartette from the City Band closed the formal exercises of the day.

The crowd present was estimated by good judges at 5000 or upwards, and some called it 7000. At all events it was the largest gathering and the best meeting ever yet held by the Fairfield Society.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail." —Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com:— Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

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Mr. Nathaniel Mortenson, a well known citizen of Ishpeming, Mich., and editor Superior Posten, who for a long time, suffered from the most excruciating pains of rheumatism, was cured eight years ago, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge of it since. 1w

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ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

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(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

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The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cincinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon appication. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chatanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday the 29th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry T. Luce, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Elvira S. Luce, executrix of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to render her second annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at Charles Burridge's office, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of August, 1895, and on the 28th day of December, 1895, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of June, A. D., 1895 are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated July 10, 1895.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
JOSEPH RUSSELL,
Commissioners

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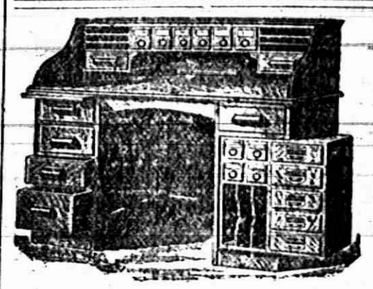

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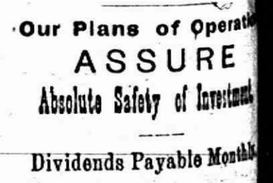

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...ITTON BUDGET.

...itton is on the sick list this

...rain visited this section last

...coline went to Adrian on bus... Tuesday.

...g Haight went to Dundee on ... last Wednesday.

... Hoagland made a business trip ...field last Tuesday.

... Linardson and wife have been ...g friends in Sylvania, Ohio, this

... Ellen Ousterhout is recovering ...er illness and is able to be out

...b Underwood left home last Sat... to visit relatives near Jerome for ...days.

...n Bachman and Jas. Hillock have ...to Ann Arbor, having secured ...here.

...Daisy Lilly, of Wayne, Mich., ...n visiting friends in Britton for ...week.

...Chester Linn, Mrs. Andress, and ... Nichols were Tecumseh vis... Tuesday.

... Mrs. Joshua Kent of Rea, ...guests of W. E. Allen and ...dnesday.

... Haight was under the weather ... of the week, but was about ...a day or two.

... Mrs. P. B. Hardy left home ... for a three weeks' visit at his ... in New York.

...Clark fills the place of Wabash ...gent temporarily, while W. J. ...ston his trip up north.

...d says that I. S. Osborn has sold ...se and lot now occupied by Mor...rington to Mike Bachman.

...and Mrs. Earnest Maynard, of ... are visiting their parents, Mr. ... A. O. Maynard, this week.

...Lamkins, of Tecumseh, who has ...iting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. ...sturned home last Saturday.

...urtis has shipped four car loads ...t this week from this station ...inger & Munson of Deerfield.

... Mudge occupied the pulpit ...Christian Church last Sunday ...ained in town a portion of this

... Blanche and Madge Kniffen, ...e been visiting relatives at St. ...returned home Monday after...

... Lee and James Winsley arrived ...om Island Lake Monday night. ...eport a good time and a very ...ul camp.

...uinness entertainment was re...uesday evening for the benefit ...ristian Endeavor society, but ...dance was rather slim.

...d Mrs. W. J. Clark started Mon... few day's outing at Petoskey ...r northern resorts. May they ...leasant trip and a safe return.

...Babcock and family and Andrew ...and family started for Wamp... Thursday for a few day's out... finay tribe will suffer during

...Pocklington has been a section ...the Wabash for eleven years ...sely to remain eleven years ...He is considered one of the ...on men on the road.

...astering is now being done up... terior of the Reformed church. ...finishing coat will be put on ...xt week. Fred Pocklington is ...the work right along.

...usiness entertainment at the ...church last Monday evening ...g creditable program indeed. ...ved a larger house. People ...sy now and it is hard times

...coming into the new eleva... ...ely rate and Charley DuBois ...to handle it. Not a day ...cept Sunday, that several ...s are not received and a car ...ped out nearly every day.

...were defeated by the Hud... ...t Friday, the score stand... ...in their favor. Batteries, ...Lowe for Britton; Brunskill ...for Hudson. Brunskill is ...self to be a phenomenal ...will doubtless be in some of ...eams next season.

...s a new clothing store. Mr. ...ack has opened a stock of ...oots and shoes, hats and caps, ...in block, where Mrs. Sink's ...tore was located. Mr. Nib... ...pial gentleman, who is well ...s line of trade, and he will ...btain his share of the public

...terhout met with quite a ...dent, which will give the ...b. He was leading a cow by ...e when the critter became ...and ran, pulling Vern along ...quick pace. A clothes-line ...progress, striking him ex... ...e mouth, pulling out five ...acerating his jaw seriously. ...g along as well as could be

...pleasant social event took ...itton Monday afternoon at ...ce of L. E. Hause, when his ...mma Hause was united in ... Mr. Howard Hause, of Clin... ...E. Mudge performed the ...n his happiest manner, after ...e congratulations and a wed... ... The attendance was con... ...ily relatives and a few in... ...nds, but it was a most pleas... ...n for the fortunate ones who ...nt. The bridal pair were the ... of many fine gifts which ...e esteem in which they are ...eir friends. They left on the ... Wabash train for Detroit, ...hence they will take a lake ...ing about a week at Macki... ...her northern resorts. Upon ...rn they will take up their ...linton, where the groom has a ...ady prepared for a home. The ... favorite in Britton society ...armest wishes of many friends ...pany her as she starts upon ...rimonial journey.

...e that your blood is pure, ...th follows the use of Hood's ...la which is the one great ...dier. 1w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Frank Sisson is sick with the grippe.

N. C. Miller is visiting friends in Big Rapids.

Mat Fox, of Dundee, called on friends Thursday.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett returned to Allegan Saturday.

Dr. Nelson called on friends in the village Tuesday.

Grandma Rappleye returned to Ypsilanti Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Underwood, Sunday, a boy.

May Jones is the guest of Mary Nelson of Hudson this week.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti was in the village Friday and Saturday.

A. R. Arner, who has been spending a few days at home, returned to Ionia the first of the week.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman and son George are visiting Romine Miller and family at Big Rapids.

H. O. Wills, a noted evangelist of Detroit, with his male quartette, were in the village Thursday afternoon.

May Jones and Misses Luina and Blanche Wiggins spent Friday in Tecumseh, the guests of Miss Anna McClure.

Daniel Linn, wife and son, and Elmer and Edna Swick visited Mrs. David Allison and family at Stony Creek over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Lousch, of St. Thomas, Ont., and Mrs. James Parker, of Sarnia, Ont., are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Gifford, and family.

Dr. D. W. Loree has had a Portland cement walk put down at his residence. It is the finest walk of the kind in the village and is an ornament to the town.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Wilder's daughter from New York is here visiting her.

Camp meeting was largely attended by several from this place.

The showers of late are very refreshing and of great help to corn.

Mrs. Stead and sons have been camping at Sand Lake for a few days.

Messrs Florence and Spencer rode over to Dundee Sunday on their wheels.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Pease are both sick and they have the sympathy of all.

Miss Hattie Still is visiting her cousin Allie Luther of Adrian, for a few days.

The Sunday School convention is held at the Raisin Presbyterian church, Aug. 31.

We are very glad to announce that Rev. Stead and family are retained for another year.

Mrs. Bert Lewis and daughter Jennie, leave Wednesday morning for New York to spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. Mary Dutton and child returned to Philadelphia last Tuesday, after a sojourn of a few month's at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane and daughter Florence, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Winship and Miss Carrie, attended the Pioneer picnic at Fairfield village, Aug. 9.

ONSTED ODDS.

Potatoes and corn are doing nicely since the rains.

Edward Short and wife visited friends near Tecumseh recently.

The farmers are preparing their ground for sowing wheat and rye.

Will you take in the farmers' greatest picnic on the 30th of this month?

Little Marian Walker, who has been sick so long, is slowly recovering.

The Cambridge Farmers' Club held a picnic at Devils lake last Saturday and it was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne, from near Tecumseh, called one day at J. O. Maxwell's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Aldrich visited friends in Rollin and Hudson the latter part of last week.

L. D. Palmer's goods have been invoiced by Peebles & Brooks, preparatory to their occupying the store soon.

About fifty took the train here for Put-In-Bay island on Wednesday of last week and all report having a good time.

The Kelley's Corners and North Rome crossed bats here last Saturday afternoon during the matinee and the North Romans won the game.

Frank Kishpaugh and John Stevens now walk off like the Sir Knights of old, as they were shown the mysteries of modern Maccabeeism at the last review here, but they don't sit down much.

A number of out citizens in and around the village have been camping at the several lakes along back, and judging from the big stories they told about the big fish caught, we would say that the lakes were fishless now.

A. Monaghan, an old Springville boy and a recent graduate of a dental school at Detroit, is at present located with Dr. Ross and is prepared to do all kinds of dental work for his old friends and as many new ones as may call for his assistance.

Our friend, Simeon Smith, is very anxious that we send in weekly batches of news and would like to see the HERALD increase in circulation in this vicinity; therefore we think the editor ought to put him in chief devil over the office towel and feed him on pi and composing sticks, which would increase the Smiths and the HERALD also.

We would like to look into the pleasant face of some one who has never had any derangement of the digestive organs. We see the drawn and unhappy faces of dyspeptics in every walk of life. It is our national disease, and nearly all complaints spring from this source. Remove the stomach difficulty and the work is done. Dyspeptics and pale thin people are literally starving, because they don't digest their food. Consumption never develops in people of robust and normal digestion. Correct the wasting and loss of flesh and we cure the disease. Do this with food. The Shaker Digestive Cordial contains already digested food and is a digester of food at the same time. Its effects are felt at once. Get a pamphlet of your druggist and learn about it.

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ROME RAVELINGS.

May Luce is suffering from an attack of summer grippe.

A great birthday party will be held at Fred Segar's, Aug. 27th.

John Hutchinson and family were guests at B. W. Griffin's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Tooker were the guests of Fred Hunt and wife last week.

A little boy living with C. Marshall fell from a thresher and broke his arm.

The Ellsworths will hold their annual picnic at Devils Lake, Thursday the 15th.

Mrs. Burroughs from Tecumseh, also a cousin from Buffalo, are visiting at David R. Smith's this week.

Some dogs were caught in D. R. Smith's sheep Wednesday the 7th, and were disposed of before doing much damage.

Monday the 5th, while Dallas Whitney and little boy were swinging, the swing untied and he fell, sustaining painful injuries.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

At present writing Luman Deming is better.

Mrs. Oliver Mull has been quite seriously sick.

Luman Deming has been worse the past week.

Miss Pauline Wilson will teach in the Hurry district.

The Cheese factory declared a dividend Thursday night.

Miss Kate Ellis will teach the fall term in the stone school house.

E. J. Whelan attended the Spiritualists campmeeting at Devils lake Sunday.

Mrs. B. Lamkin came up from Britton on the train Saturday, where she had visited her daughter Clara and other friends.

Mr. Bartlett, of Wisconsin, his daughter Mrs. Bowen, Mrs. Ellis, of Macon, and her daughter Mrs. W. Esterbrook, visited Mrs. Frank Marshall Monday.

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Catarrh caused hoarseness and difficulty in speaking. I also to a great extent lost hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

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A Gold Mine

might be offered to some people and they would not take it, but those who take advantage of offers of land at a low price can not make a mistake in buying. See advertisement in this paper of The C. S. Graves Land Company, 56, 5th Avenue Chicago, and write for particulars. Their land is bound to increase in value in a very short time. 1w

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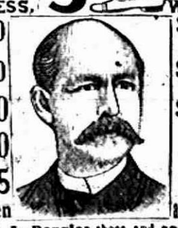

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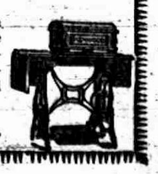

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THE KIDS' BICYCLE DAY.

Wednesday was a great day among the kids of Tecumseh—it was bicycle day for them, and to say it was a howling success, would be stating it mildly. The meet was gotten up and carried out to a successful completion by boys under 15 years of age, and everything went off without a hitch or an accident. In the forenoon occurred the road race of two miles, open to boys of 15 years or under and the time made shows that there are a number of fast kids in Tecumseh. Following are the winners and time made in the road race:

Harry Rosacrans 1st, 6:44; Floyd Williamson 2nd, 6:52; Lavern Smith scr. 3d, 6:00; Levi Owens 4th, 7:31; Harry Pattison scr. 5th, 6:24; Jesse Lee 6th, 7:06; Lavern Pattison 7th, 8:48; Wade Jones (age 10) 8th, 9:00.

The races at the track in the afternoon were all good, and especially so the mile handicap, it being as pretty a race as one could see among professionals, if the time made was not so fast. At the track Bert Garlinghouse and Philip Keusch acted as judges, Bert Garlinghouse and Fay Anderson, timers; W. B Olion, scorer; Ralph Bidwell, starter and Fay Anderson, announcer. Following are the events and winners:

Half-Mile Dash—Harry Rosacrans, 1st Floyd Williamson, 2nd; Levi Owens, 3rd. Time, 1:32.

One Mile, 2-in-3—First heat—Floyd Williamson, 1st; Lavern Pattison, 2nd; Levi Owens, 3rd. Time, 3:38. Second heat—same winners. Time, 4:07.

One Mile Handicap—Wade Jones, (age 10) 1 min., 1st; Lavern Smith, scr., 2nd; Lavern Pattison, 40 sec., 3rd; Harry Rosacrans 20 sec., 4th. Time, Jones, 3:46, Smith 2:46 1-2.

Fay Anderson rode an exhibition one-fourth mile in 37 seconds.

Lavern Smith and Harry Pattison gave a very pretty half-mile race in 1:26.

One-Fourth Mile Dash—Harry Rosacrans, 1st; Floyd Williamson, 2nd; Lavern Pattison, 3rd. Time, 41 seconds.

Attendance about 200. The kids had a surplus after paying all expenses and are thinking of making Kid's Day an annual feature of Tecumseh hereafter.

Tecumseh High School.

The summer vacation of the public schools is nearing its close; two weeks from next Monday, Sept. 2, the fall term of the Tecumseh Union School, as well as most other public schools, will begin. While many of the resident pupils in the various school districts are making preparations to resume their studies at home, there are others who have completed the courses there and are looking for some higher institution of learning in which to complete their studies. We therefore beg leave to call attention to the Tecumseh High School as one of the most desirable in this part of the state, that young men and young women can find to attend. As we look over the large list of graduates and the still larger one of those who have studied here, and see the positions of honor and trust now filled by so many of them, we feel that we can speak with pardonable pride, not only of the excellent work that has been done, but that is being done here.

The three courses of study, Latin, Scientific and English, lead to corresponding courses in the State University and various colleges, and a diploma from the High School admits the holder to any of them without examination. Those who are not able to take a full course of study, or do not desire to do so are permitted to select such studies as they can pursue to advantage and thus get the greatest good for the time spent here. The schools are well equipped with apparatus and a reference library, and with a good corps of competent teachers. We do not believe any better opportunities are anywhere offered to do high school or preparatory work for college than in the schools of the attractive village of Tecumseh.

The indications now point to an increased attendance of foreign pupils at the beginning of the next school year.

A telephone was recently installed between Berlin and Potsdam by trotting cavalry. The distance is about twenty miles and the work occupied four hours.

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I count on securing your approval at the onset by announcing that I have no baccalaureate reflections to dispose of, no advise, compliment or apostrophe to education. I have been to college and consider it almost indispensable to one who would get on about as well without going, but almost worthless to one who could not get along without it. So not as college men, but as men I greet and congratulate you, and if I do not mistake the motive of the meeting you want me to speak to this splendid company of your guests rather than to yourselves exclusively. And so I am going to talk to you about Christian politics.

Not party politics. Perhaps it will put some of you at ease if I promise at the outset not touch that. It makes some people nervous, and tonight I want you to be calm. I aspire to make you think, and no man thinks about his party. That is a state of the blood or matter of almost pure feeling, heredity or natural selection—nobody knows exactly what—but at all events one no more thinks his way into or out of a party than a tadpole thinks itself into a frog pond.

We hear sometimes of men who are better than their party, but such statements can only be justified by poetic license—which perhaps is the least obnoxious form of license—for politically no man is either better or worse than the party feather he flocks withal, and the platform is the official analysis of the essential and composite virtue of the party. Whatever is not there is not in the mixture, or is so delicately gaseous as to evade the manipulations of political chemistry.

Upon this basis if you examine the Democratic platform you will find that there is nothing in it for us, and that the Republican party carries a hypodermic syringe with which to fight the gatling gun of the saloon.

A Christian man may—indeed is apt to—think in his heart that he is better than his party. This is not vanity, but absent mindedness as to his sublunary condition. But as a matter of fact, as a man thinketh into a ballot box so is he politically.

Any given party is the best thing that can be made of the component materials at the time. If it ever improves, it will require better stuff. You cannot make a whistle out of a pig's tail. In point of fact parties do not improve, but die of childbirth like an egg. The practical politician can rebuild the shell perhaps, but he cannot breathe into it the breath of life. He has not that kind of breath.

One of the sad, sure, solemn facts of human existence is that every free agent is, almost without exception, where he belongs—morally, socially and politically. The worst thing about the drunkard is not that he is in the gutter, but that he belongs there. The gutter, like congress, is sole judge of the eligibility of its members. The worst thing about the roue in fashionable circles is not that he is there, but that, according to the average social ethics, he belongs there. The worst thing about a thief in the city council is not that he is there, but that he represents the voting strength of the public estimate of larceny and belongs there. The worst thing about the saloon keepers in the Republican party is not that they are in it, but that they belong in it.

The Southern member who propounded the grave inquiry, "Where am I at?" illustrated a profound philosphy—for indeed there is the question as to a member of congress or a Christian voter, not history or his feelings, but "Where is he at?"

The worst of the 250,000 saloons is not that they are, but that our voting Christianity is of such a sort as not only to tolerate, but to declare them politically right at so much a head per annum.

So a man is in the Republican party because he is a Republican, or he is in the Democratic party because he is a Democrat, or in the Prohibition party because he is a prohibitionist. There is no thought about it. No man by thinking can find out whether he is a Republican or Democrat. It is nonsense for a Democrat to call himself a Republican, or a Republican to call himself a Prohibitionist, or for a Prohibitionist to call himself something else. We do not choose our parties. They choose us on the distinct basis of fitness for their purposes, and the need of the hour is not first of all a better party, but an accelerated individual Christian conscience of sufficiently bony structure to articulate into something like a workable.

The party question will adjust itself, for when the principles a man stands by get to be better than his party he is turned out nolens, volens, by the automatic compulsion of truth, manumitted then and there by the inherent and irrepressible veracity of things, liberated on the spot by the truth which makes men free. But to our principles we come by thinking, and in that view I venture to speak of Christian politics, mainly for the reason that there isn't such a thing, but there ought to be. To say there is no such a thing is inaccurate, but there is not enough of it.

(Continued next week.)

FIVE DAYS AT CAMP DEVLIN.

The Daily Routine of Camp Life and Special Incidents of the Annual Outing.

Co. C left for the annual encampment at Island Lake, Tuesday, Aug. 6, via the L. S. & M. S. Ry to Dundee, thence over the T. & A. to Howell Junction, going from there on the D. L. & N. This year a new system was introduced. The baggage was not sent ahead with cooks and quartermaster to prepare the quarters and dinner for the tired troops, but the boys were made to go in more after the custom of the regulars and "pitch" camp upon arrival. The tents were put up however, but the baggage had to be hustled over, the cook's shanty arranged, the quarters settled and supper prepared after arriving, and all done in a heavy rainstorm; but what difference to a soldier. Rain or shine, cold or hot, he takes his work or his pleasure without murmur.

The rain was slightly moist for pitching camp, but it added much toward making this camp the pleasantest ever held by the Michigan brigade. It saved the camp from being hot, dry and dusty, and this was what Co. C most feared—Co. C can stand anything but hot, dry and dusty weather.

Upon arriving at quarters the arms were quickly stacked, the baggage hustled in and a good, warm supper was served in due season. The first and last night a detail for guard duty was pulled from each company. The intervening time each company did guard duty for the regiment by itself, the tour of duty being twelve hours. The guard discipline this year was very thorough and effective, the company on guard each day being thoroughly inspected by Gen. Walsh and Capt. Vernou. The first place in efficiency was accorded to Co. — of the 5th. Co. C also received many compliments on its acquaintance with the details of this important duty of the soldier.

The work on the field was mostly confined to batallion drill. One forenoon our batallion, Major Howell commanding, indulged in extended order drill, moving across the field with firing line, support and reserve, finally charging on the enemy in the woods. This drill was highly complimented in the Detroit papers.

Sunday was, as usual, gives up to inspection, Governor's review and divine service. A memorial service in memory of Gens. Eaton and Devlin was also held. The inspection was in the company streets, the arms stacked, with the clothing and equipments displayed in the tents. The brigade was justly praised by Capt. Vernou who marked an increased steadiness and soldiery bearing in the men over last year.

Sunday night was the last night and the fact was regretted by nearly every member of the militia. That evening everything was packed except blankets and guns. The dishes were packed, the stoves crated, helmets, dresscoats and overcoats packed, and nothing was left to eat except sandwiches and nothing to drink except water. Everything was astir at 4 a. m. Monday and Co. C was the first company in the brigade to have its baggage at the depot. A Lake Shore car was awaiting which carried the boys home without change, making this the pleasantest return ever experienced by the company. On arrival the company was entertained at the Lilley House for dinner. The arms were taken to the armory, and the experience of Camp Devlin was a thing of the past.

NOTES.

Camp Devlin can justly be given the credit of being the most quiet and instructive camp ever held by the 1st brigade, and the citizens of this state may well be proud of its soldiery.

A detachment of the 19th was the guest of the Michigan brigade, and its officers and men did much to make the camp the success which it proved to be. They marched to and from the camp.

The Wheatland band was a feature of Camp Devlin.

Capt. Hayden was the guest of Co. C during the latter half of the camp. Several of our wheelmen came up Sunday.

The 4th and 1st were quartered side by side in camp, and the posts of their sentinels were somewhat near together. Col. Latimer, of the 4th invited an officer of the 19th and others to inspect one of his sentinels. The sentinel halted the party, advanced them, answered all questions relative to his duty and recited his general orders promptly and correctly, with much satisfaction to the officers. "What is your company?" said the officer. "C, of the 1st," said the sentinel.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A ten pound girl came to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Henderson, last Sunday.

This morning Robt. Owen, who has been a sufferer from consumption for many months, died at his father's residence in the village. The date for the funeral has not yet been decided.

Chas. A. Ham, a Jackson dry goods merchant, and a former resident of Tecumseh, Wednesday closed his store, filing chattel mortgages for $5,720 in favor of creditors. Geo. W. Millen, of Detroit, has been appointed assignee, and will endeavor to realize 100 cents to the dollar indebtedness. Hard times caused the trouble. Mr. Ham has numerous friends in Tecumseh who will regret learning of his reverses.

Britton vs. Tecumseh.

Yesterday Britton and Tecumseh played off the tie for this season which resulted in an easy victory for the visitors. The game was good up to the fifth innigs when the score stood 3 to 2. The errors were few, but wild throwing and poor disposition of Tecumseh's players seemed to let that side go to pieces. Several very good plays were made on both sides. Following is the score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Britton	0	2	0	0	6	3	0	3	9	23	27	5
Tecum'h	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	7	10	3

Batteries, Briggs and Lowe, Stinson and Gillen. Earned runs, Tecumseh 1, Britton 8. Two-base hits, Hause, Lee, Larrabee 2, Kelly, Easlick, Wheelan, Hicks, Kennedy. Home run, Kelly. Double plays, Spalding to Wheelan, DuBois unassisted, Kelly to DuBois, Kelly to Lee. Struck out by Stinson 4, by Briggs 5. Stolen bases, Britton 5, Tecumseh 3. Umpire, Sutfin. For want of time and space this report is limited to the above.

New York World—Thrice-a-Week.

The twice-a-week edition of the New York World has been converted into the Thrice-a-week. It furnishes 3 papers of 6 pages apiece, or eighteen pages every week, at the old price of one dollar a year. This gives 156 papers a year for one dollar and every paper has 6 pages eight columns wide or 48 columns in all. The Thrice-a-week World is not only much larger than any weekly or semi-weekly newspaper, but it furnishes the news with much greater frequency and promptness. In fact it combines all the crisp, fresh qualities of a daily with the attractive special features of a weekly. Club rates with the HERALD.

OBITUARY.

JULIA A. WARING.

Mrs. Julia A. Waring, wife of Albert Waring, died Aug. 7th. She was the daughter of George W. and Frances Sisson. Mrs. Waring requested that if any at all, a short obituary be written, making very little mention of her name. She left four sisters, Mrs. Eva Dougherty of Ypsilanti, Mrs. Frances Eckert of Tecumseh, Misses May and Mabel Sisson of Detroit, and one brother, Edward Sisson. They were all present at the funeral. Mrs. Waring showed remarkable courage, struggling with her severe affliction for fourteen years, more than half of which time she was confined to her home. In spite of all that medical skill could do the fatal hour came. She had a host of friends, who sympathized with her during her illness, and who formed a large procession following her remains to their resting place in the beautiful cemetery of Tecumseh.

One Cent a Mile. Direct Line to Louisville.

Account of the Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Louisville, Ky., September 11th to 14th inclusive, and Dedication of Chicamauga, Chattanooga, Tenn., Military National Park, September 19th to 20th inclusive, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will offer for sale special round trip excursion tickets at rate of one cent per mile in each direction. Tickets on sale September 8th to 11th and 16th to 19th inclusive, good returning up to and including October 5th, 1895.

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Special attractions at Lake Erie Park and Casino. The West Unity Military Band will accompany this Excursion.

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Farmers' Annual Picnic.

The Annual Farmers' Picnic will be held at Manitou Beach, Devils Lake Thursday, August 29, on which occasion the C. J. & M. R'y will offer special low excursion rates for the round trip, and ample train accommodations.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 16, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Try Burtis for a hair cut.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. E. S. Tate, of Clinton, was in town last Saturday.

Miss Ella Chilson returned last Saturday from her trip around the lakes.

Lost—A pair of steel-bowed spectacles. Finder please leave at this office.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher is spending two or three weeks with friends in Cleveland.

Mrs. Lorenzo Brown returned to Toledo Sunday with her daughter, Mabel.

Miss Jessie Quine, of Toledo, is visiting Miss Florence Brewer for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Rosscrans and children returned from their Chicago trip last week.

Miss Florence Lister, of Grosse Isle, the guest of the Misses Wood, in town.

Mrs. Lovesa Cook, Union St., has been entertaining Mrs. C. H. Deyo of Jackson the past week.

H. H. Smith and C. A. Wright and wife will take the Boston trip with the Knights Templar Commandery.

Miss Edith Steinhoff, who has been visiting at Dr. Steinhoff's for the past week, left for home on Tuesday.

Louis Hardenburg arrived from Brighton Tuesday. He will resume his studies there in September.

Mr. Win Ambrose and Miss Helen Hammond, of Ypsilanti, were guests at Burtis' the first of the week.

Mrs. E. Triplet, wife and two children of Buffalo, have been visiting friends in Tecumseh and Macon for a few days.

Mrs. Ida Stewart, neice of Mrs. Jas. Usher, Sr., will return to her home the first of next week. Frank will accompany her to Wisconsin.

How is the bicycle track between Clinton and Tecumseh progressing? The Telegram suggests that the track be extended to Adrian.

Mrs. E. L. Sheldon entertained a number of ladies at tea on the 8th, in honor of her nieces, Miss Corinne Sheldon, of Spring, Ill., and Miss Maude Oliver, of Chicago.

The State Teachers' Institute for Lenawee county will be held at Adrian commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, August 19, and closing at 4 p. m. Friday, August 23.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Orr got home from Friday. They had a delightful time visiting Mackinac, the "Soo," Petoskey and Bay View. They were gone just one month.

The closing matinee will be held at Tecumseh, Saturday, Aug. 17. The programme consists of two named races, running race, free-for-all trot or pace, and a 2:40 foot race. J. J. Dixon, Sec'y.

Mr. Crane, of Elmhurst, Ill., was in Tecumseh yesterday. Mr. Crane is interested in the Tipton cheese factory and says that they have been paying more for milk there this season than in any creamery in Illinois.

St. Peter's church Sunday school will have its annual picnic next Wednesday afternoon in S. Haight's grove. The children of the school are requested to meet their classes next Sunday to receive further information.

Misses Edna McClue and Grace Burrell attended the 6th annual convention of the Adrian district of the Epworth League, held in Chelsea, Tuesday and Wednesday. The were sent as delegates representing the society of the Methodist church.

Misses Lizzie Beamish, Harriet Burridge and Mary Burridge, of our village, Florence Caldwell and W. C. Burridge of Adrian, and Ed. Frensdorf, of Toledo, are enjoying the hospitalities of the Burridge cottage at Devil's Lake this week. The party is under the watchful care and guidance of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ellis.

The great Grange assembly and people's excursion picnic will be held Aug. 22, at Baw Beese park, near Hillsdale. The Lake Shore will run trains at less than half fare. Train leaves Tecumseh at 8 a. m., 85 cents being the fare for the round trip. This will be an immense picnic, with speaking, bands, etc. If you want to see a big crowd and have a good time, go to Baw Beese Park.

Get an easy shave at Burtis'.

Scrap cast iron wanted at Heesen Bros' foundry.

Webster Anderson arrived home from the East Sunday afternoon, coming via Britton.

Bert Lawrence visited his parents near Clayton last Sunday, going over on his wheel.

John Pocklington, of Dundee, was in town Saturday, having come up to attend the races.

Mr. Benj. Janssen, wife and child, are the guests of Webster Anderson's family this week.

Lamont Rowland is taking a brief vacation, which he will spend with Cleveland friends.

Duncan Clark's female minstrels will appear at the opera house tomorrow evening, Aug. 17th.

J. G. Campau, of Reading, was the guest of his son-in-law, W. B. Odion, and family over Sunday.

Stephen Galloway, of Raisin Center, was in town Saturday and favored the HERALD with a friendly call.

C. E. Triplet, formerly of Macon, who is now pension examiner at Buffalo, was admitted to the bar last Monday.

Mrs. J. D. Shull and daughters, Viola and Edyth, are spending the present week with Mrs. Crowell at Cleveland.

Tecumseh will be entertained with a female minstrel troupe tomorrow evening. It is said to be a good organization.

The Misses Dodds, who have been the guests of Miss Kate Anderson for some weeks, returned to their home in Detroit last Friday.

Gus Cummins is making a good long vacation at home, but he expects to return to his duties in Chicago about week after next.

Miss McDonald, of Buffalo, who has been the guest of Chas. Bidwell's family recently, left for Detroit on Tuesday to visit friends in that city.

Dan Gibson, of Clinton, is marketing a portion of his peach crop in Tecumseh. He has an extra fine crop this year and he knows how to put the fruit up in good shape.

Frank Bryan is raising a special fund to build a new cement walk in front of the Baptist Church. As Frank never undertakes anything in vain he will doubtless have the necessary sum very soon.

The Handle Factory is booming now. The firm has received orders since Aug. 1st for over one thousand dozen handles, one single order being for 328 dozen, all of which must be shipped before the first of next month.

C. F. Patterson, C. H. Millis, Harry Richter, Geo. Field and August Karner went to Camp Devlin on their wheels Sunday morning. The three former returned the same night and the two latter came home Monday forenoon.

Robert Sherrard, of Cambridge, has got a big peach crop this year. He was down here Saturday with a large load of prime fruit, and found a market for the same in short order. He is one of the most successful peach growers in this county.

Geo. Knapp has bought a lot east of E. G. Cook's house on Pottawatamie street and will build a fine residence thereon. The work of laying the foundation walls has already been begun. F. E. Pocklington, of Ridgeway, has taken the contract to do the mason work, and George Kempf will have charge of the carpenter work.

The Adrian Times had better stop poking fun at our lawyers, which it did the other day in this language: "W. C. Burridge's horse ran away at Tecumseh the other day, wrecked the buggy and leveled a couple of rods of fence. The copy for a brief which Mr. Burridge accidently dropped in front of the equine was responsible for the disaster."

Adrian cut quite a figure last week in the bicycle prize-contest conducted by the Chicago Times-Herald. Miss Julia J. Brown and Miss Isabel Larwill each took awards of $5, while Miss Aggie Jewell and Mr. M. P. Brown were given awards of $2, in the consolation class. Miss Jewell is an ingenious and untiring competitor, having once or twice before won honorable mention in this connection.—Adrian Times.

The barns on the farm of John Seymour, near Hudson, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground Sunday. Loss 15,000. Mr. Seymour will commence suit for damages against the city for not turning in an alarm and trying to save his property. He says members of both fire departments were present and just sat on the fence and laughed at him when he asked their assistance.—Adrian Times.

Our neighbor of the Petersburgh Sun is hungry and this is the way he feels: During these days as the market gardener's wagon rolls into town and the driver ladens the breeze with cries of his products, we are pleased to note fine varieties of fruits, vegetables, etc., and the ownership of cash quickly changes hands therefor. Did we say pleased to note? No; 'tis with a long felt want, a tired feeling at the gizzard, an insurmountable depression and sympathetic affection of the pocket. D'ye think we can live on potatoes at $1.25 per bushel, with beefsteak smothered in onions, and cheese, melons, confections, to the end of the menu?" The printer simply isn't in it and, what is worse, they are not in the printer, nor is the price, nor anything but delinquent promises from last fall's crops.

Raynor Anderson spent Sunday at home.

Avery & Co. have a new card this week.

Scrap cast iron wanted at Heesen Bros' foundry.

We are glad to see Forest Dickinson out again.

Mrs. T. O. Perry, of Chicago, is visiting here this week.

James Lowry will sail for home on the Teutonic, Aug. 21st.

Remember the special excursion next Sunday to Toledo, over the Mackinaw.

C. D. Keyes and John J. Orr were Clinton visitors last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Edna Potter left this morning to visit friends at Onsted and Brooklyn.

Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson visited Jackson and Grass Lake the first of the week.

Chas. Montgomery, who is working at Toledo, is taking a brief vacation at home.

Mrs. Dr. Hamilton and Miss Carrie Millspaugh were visiting friends in Adrian yesterday.

Prof. A. B. Curtis, of Tufft's College, Mass., occupied the pulpit of the Universalist church last Sunday.

Prof. E. A. Wilson and wife, of Benton Harbor, are visiting their Tecumseh and Ridgeway friends this week.

Geo. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, has been spending three or four days this week at the old home in Newburgh.

Fred Guy has opened a barber shop in the store west of Adamson Bros., which will be the fifth barber shop in town.

Mrs. Edward T. May, of Boston, is visiting her sister and niece, Mrs. Jas. H. Morehouse and Mrs. Annie Bryant Smith.

J. S. Gillman has got up a new style open bridle which is the neatest thing of the kind ever seen here. Call and examine.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Stacy, of Elgin, Ill., arrived in town Wednesday last and will remain about a week at the Judge Stacy homestead.

Mrs. C. G. Norris, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. G. D. Perry for the past month, returned to Boston Wednesday with her children.

The subject at the Universalist church next Sunday will be "Youth and Heroism." Topic for the Y. P. C. U. meeting, Opportunities—Gal. 6: 10.

The infant department of the M. E. Sunday School will hold a picnic next Wednesday at 2 o'clock, at the church. Parents are especially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCann are home from their vacation in Ingham county. Tom is now taking his semi-annual tour among relatives and friends in that section.

The funeral of Mrs. Albert Waring was very largely attended last Friday afternoon. Mr. Waring has the sympathy of the entire community in his sore affliction.

John R. Clarke gave four of his lectures at Bay View this year, and gave excellent satisfaction too. John M. Hall, the superintendent, says: John R. Clarke will ornament any lecture course.

Have you seen the automatic grain seed separator on exhibition at Heesen's old store? It is a wonder and does its work with almost human ingenuity. Negotiations are being made for its manufacture in Tecumseh.

Dr. L. G. North's times expires this fall on the School Board. He will doubtless be re-elected, as he has made an excellent record in his position as director. When the public have a good man in any official position, it is best to keep him there.

Of all the recent efforts at writing the life of Napoleon in popular style, Miss Tarbell's easily leads, in point both of merit and of interest. It first appeared serially in McClure's Magazine, and is now published in a handsomely printed cloth-bound volume, with 250 illustrations. The book is having an enormous sale at $1.00 per copy. Public Opinion, (New York City) is actually giving away this fine volume to new subscribers. Write for particulars.

The following dispatch from Lansing last Monday indicates that the Mackinaw road will build its extension from Addison to Jackson at an early day: "The Jackson & Cincinnati railroad, which will build a line from Jackson, Mich., to Addison Junction, Lenawee county, filed articles of association here today. The road will connect Jackson with the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw road, forming a straight line to Cincinnati. The new company has an authorized capital of $160,000."

The members of the Lenawee county G. A. R. association held their 6th annual reunion at Lawrence park, Adrian, last Tuesday. The meeting was a success in every way. Commander Stearns of Woodbury post, was unavoidably absent and, in consequence, President J. H. Reynolds welcomed the guests in well chosen words. Hon. J. D. Shull, of Tecumseh, responded with much enthusiasm, as is his wont when reviewing the deeds of his comrades. Col. Deyo was the orator of the day, and in his speech the comrades lived over again the scenes of war. Rev. J. M. Getchell also made recruits in his usual happy style. The election of officers resulted in the following choice:

Prest.—Byron Stansbury, Blissfield.
Vice. Pres.—M. T. Cole, Palmyra.
Sec.—Geo. W. Westerman, Adrian.
Treas.—J. N. Chappell, Morenci.

The next reunion will be held in Deerfield, Aug. 22, '96.

The September number of The Forum will contain an unusually interesting paper by Mr. Clarence King, entitled, "Shall Cuba be Free?" Mr. King paints the treatment of the Cubans by their Spanish masters in the darkest of colors and makes an eloquent appeal for Cuban independence.

Not since "The Anglomaniacs" has there been so clever a society satire as Henry Fuller's, "Pilgrim Sons," which is published in the August Cosmopolitan. The problems involved in woman's use of the bicycle are so startling and so numerous, under the rapid evolution of this art, that one welcomes a careful discussion of the subject by so trained a mind and so clever a writer as Mrs. Reginald de Koven. The Cosmopolitan illustrates Mrs. de Koven's article with a series of poses by professional models. A new sport, more thrilling than any known to Nimrod, more dangerous than was ever experienced by Buffalo Bill, is exploited in the same issue in an article on "Photographing Big Game in the Rocky Mountains," before shooting. The idea that ten cents for The Cosmopolitan means inferiority from a literary point of view is dispelled by the appearance in this number of such writers as Sir Lewis Morris, Sir Edwin Arnold, Edgar Fawcett, Tabb, W. Clark Russell, Lang, Sarcey, Zangwill, Agnes Reyplier, etc.

The excursionists from Richmond, Ind., who have visited Sand Lake for some few years past are now there for a stay of several weeks. They form a colony nearly forty strong, and brought with them this year as a part of their equipment six handsome carvel built boats. Two families are located in leased cottages on the west side, the others having established themselves in a pretty grove near the Kennedy Bros. hotel, where they have had three handsome and capacious cottages built, one double one being especially roomy. These tourists come some two hundred miles to enjoy a stay by the shores of Sand lake. Among the number are the sheriff, county clerk and many leading business men with their families, several fine singers, and a young miss who is a phenomenal elocutionist. There are also seven young ladies, all in their seventeenth year. These have composed and set to original music "The song of the seven." All in the party are members of the society of Friends. Sunday school and regular services in the grove, to which all are welcome, is a stated part of their weekly program.—Adrian Times.

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—Spring is here, and now is the time to clean up. Anything in the line of painting or paper hanging in the latest style of the art I will do at hard times rates. GEO. MATTESON.

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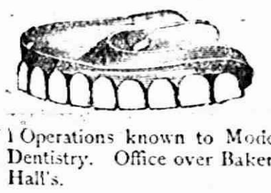

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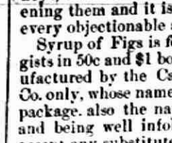

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STEVENS' DEATH A MYSTERY.

Died in a Poorhouse Without Investigation and His Body is Cut Up.

ANN ARBOR, Aug. 12.—A man died in the poorhouse under circumstances indicating foul play. He came from Toledo Monday evening evidently drugged. He died and was turned over to a medical college without investigation. He has since been identified as John Stevens, of Kalamazoo, who, with his brother-in-law, Frank Clancy, went to Toledo last week in search of Clancy's wife, who eloped with a Kalamazoo married man named Pat Boyle. The guilty pair were traced to Toledo under the names of "James Dillon and wife." Mrs. Boyle thinks they are now in Chicago, and hence not connected with the crime. Clancy is still missing, and Stevens wore his clothes and carried his grip. The mystery does not clear away. The final inquest will be held Wednesday. A post mortem examination was held, but there were no discoveries.

ANN ARBOR, Aug. 13.—The coroner Monday found the body of Frank Clancy in a pickling vat at the University Medical college. A body supposed to be that of John Stevens was found to be that of John Hudgins, who died a natural death in Detroit. Attendants substituted this body for Clancy's in order to save both for the college. The body substituted looked like that of John Stevens, and was so identified by friends. The college loses both bodies.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 14.—A Kalamazoo newspaper man discovered Patrick Boyle here Tuesday and he was immediately arrested and held to await trial for the injuries that resulted in Frank Clancy's death in Ann Arbor one week ago. Boyle confesses that Mrs. Clancy joined him here with her children, and says that she stayed for a week, leaving for a lake trip July 30. Clancy came here August 3, and Boyle says he talked with him, but that Clancy did not know of his wife's whereabouts. A message from Ann Arbor states that the autopsy shows that Clancy died from concussion of the brain. Boyle claims that Mrs. Clancy is hiding in Windsor, Ont.

WHEAT CROP NOT LARGE.

Estimates Show Condition Below the Average—Other Crop News.

LANSING, Aug. 10.—Estimates on the Michigan crop for August, issued by Secretary of State Gardner, are based on more than 800 returns received since August 1.

Wheat is estimated to yield an average of 10.91 bushels per acre. One year ago the estimates were for an average of 15.47 bushels. The reports as to the quality vary greatly from the same and adjoining localities.

The number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in July is 437,804, as compared with 847,972 reported marketed in July, 1894, and the amount marketed in the twelve months, August-July, is 11,007,691 bushels, as compared with 15,146,278 bushels in the same months last year.

Oats are estimated to yield 22 bushels per acre in the southern counties, 23 in the central and 17 in the northern, the average for the state being 21.

The average condition of corn is 73 per cent. comparison being with vitality and growth of average years, and potatoes are estimated to yield 70 per cent. of an average crop.

The estimated yield of hay per acre is only three-tenths of the yield in average years, and the condition of meadow and pastures is but 31 per cent. of condition in average years. Clover sowed this year is nearly an entire failure; the estimates showing condition but 13 per cent. of an average.

Apples promise scarcely more than one-fourth an average crop.

Foiled.

JACKSON, Aug. 13.—It has leaked out that an attempt was made one day last week by Forger Stonewall J. de France and Frank Hayes, who is serving a life sentence for the murder of a drug clerk in Detroit, to escape from prison. Hayes, who is a pharmacist, was employed in the hospital department. De France feigned illness and was taken to the hospital for treatment. They concocted a plot to escape, part of which was to saw the bars to the window. The plot was discovered before it had fully matured and both men are undergoing punishment in the "solitary."

Spiritualists Elect Officers.

LANSING, Aug. 14.—The State Spiritualist association elected the following officers here Tuesday: President, L. V. Moulton, Grand Rapids; vice president, Abbie E. Sheets, Grand Ledge; secretary, J. H. Clement, Lansing; treasurer, J. C. Balsdorf, Grand Rapids; delegates to the national convention, Dr. A. W. Edson, Lansing, and Mrs. Abbie E. Sheets, Grand Ledge.

From Jackson to Cincinnati.

LANSING, Aug. 13.—The Cincinnati & Jackson Railroad company, with a capital stock of $160,000, filed articles of association with the secretary of state Monday. The stockholders are Toledo parties, and the line will connect Jackson with the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw line at Addison Junction.

New Depot to Be Built.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 13.—It has been officially stated that the Big Four and Chicago & West Michigan railways have decided to build a new union depot in this city. The time when the work will be commenced has not yet been stated.

Capt. Tom Hanson Drowned.

MANISTEE, Aug. 12.—The body of Capt. Tom Hanson, of the schooner Goodman, plying between Chicago and Manistee, was picked out of Manistee lake Sunday. He left his boat Wednesday night, and was not seen again until Sunday.

Ate Strychnine Pills.

CONSTANTINE, Aug. 13.—Nelson van Moddleworth, of Athens, the 2-year-old grandson of Rodney Beckwith, of this place, found a box of strychnine pills at his grandfather's and ate some with fatal results. The child was on a visit.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

Interesting Bits of News Rolled Down for the Hurried Reader.

Near Holland D. Brandt, a farmer, fell into a separator, and both legs were so badly mangled as to necessitate amputation.

Paralysis caused the sudden death of Dr. P. Seeley, of Jackson, recently.

About 300 members attended the four days' session of the Photographers' Association of America at Detroit last week.

The annual convention of the Chosen Friends of the Eleventh district, comprising the states of Michigan, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Colorado, Utah, Iowa, Oregon, Minnesota and Kansas, was held in Grand Rapids last week.

Nearly 2,400 militiamen attended the annual encampment of the Michigan national guard at Island Lake.

Harvey Mellen, of Romeo, who was a member of the state senate in 1889, was struck by a Grand Trunk train at Imlay City and died later of his injuries.

Charles McQuewan, of Grand Rapids, has been chosen president of the Mississippi Valley Amateur Rowing association.

In a fight between two farmers near Allegan Nicholas Kipen bit off the nose of John Schestag.

Alpena county will spend $54,000 in improving her roads.

The home supply of apples in northern Van Buren county is so small this year that fruit from southern Illinois is finding a market there.

Miss Fannie Hunt, of Stockbridge, fell from a ladder and is thought to be fatally hurt.

The tannery at South Haven is manufacturing leather at the rate of six tons daily.

The veteran soldiers and sailors of Macomb and St. Clair counties will hold their annual encampment at Marine City, August 20 and 21.

Over 300 convicts in the state prison at Jackson will soon be employed in the manufacture of shirts, the Brunk Shirt company, of Albany, N. Y., having signed a contract with Warden Chamberlain for ten years.

Michigan Grand Legion of Select Knights will hold its annual session in Grand Rapids September 10 and 11.

A Jackson saloon is to be torn down and a church to be erected on the site.

SHOT HIS FATHER-IN-LAW.

Crime of an Enraged and Abandoned Husband in Michigan.

DETROIT, Aug. 13.—Mrs. William Haas left her husband a week ago because of his abuse of her, and went back to her parents' home to live. Monday morning Haas walked into the kitchen where his wife and children and her father, Michael Kreig, were sitting. "Are you going to live with me?" he asked his wife. She replied: "No," and Haas drew a revolver. Mrs. Haas picked up her baby and ran into another room shutting the door behind her. Haas attempted to follow her, when Kreig interfered, and Hans fired two shots at him, one taking effect in the left breast just above the heart, and the other passing clear through the left shoulder. Kreig will probably die. Haas was arrested.

LAKE STEAMERS COLLIDE.

Disaster in the Detroit River—One Life Lost.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 12.—The steamers Britannic and Russia were in collision in the Detroit river just below Wyandotte shortly before 5 o'clock Friday evening, and as a result, the Britannic was sunk and one of her firemen was drowned. The Russia was quite badly damaged, but managed to keep afloat until she reached the Detroit dry dock.

Big Camp Meeting.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 13.—One of the greatest Methodist camp meetings in the thirty-five years' history of Crystal Springs camp ground, near here, closed Monday. The meetings were largely attended throughout the ten days. Over 5,000 people attended service there Monday morning. One thousand two hundred people were in possession of tents and cottages. Presiding Elder Carlisle, of Niles, was in attendance.

Valuable Pearls Are Found.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 14.—A clam shell containing fourteen handsome pearls was found in the St. Joseph river. Besides this many have been found in smaller quantities and large numbers of searching parties are out on the river. It has occasioned considerable excitement and it is thought that large numbers of pearls are to be found in the clam shells on the river bottom.

His Neck Broken.

OWOSSO, Aug. 10.—Thursday night the 3-year-old son of Gustave Balk, on Milwaukee street, was playing on a ladder lying against the fence. The ladder tipped over and the boy in falling struck his head on a rock. The ladder fell across his neck, breaking it.

Famous Case Settled.

MUSKEGON, Aug. 10.—The famous booming company cases were settled Friday and withdrawn from the court. There were three cases involving some $300,000 worth of property. No information as to the basis of settlement has been given or will be given.

New Peach Blight.

SAUGATUCK, Aug. 12.—A new disease has appeared this year among the peach orchards of this section. It has no name as yet, but its effect is to cause blight to the tree and fruit, and its certain result is the death of the tree within a few weeks.

Undertaker's Great Record.

CLAYTON, Aug. 10.—N. Perkins, who has been in the undertaking business here for the past fifty-one years, sold his business to J. W. Minor, of Pittsford. Perkins has a record of 2,000 persons he has buried.

Drowned.

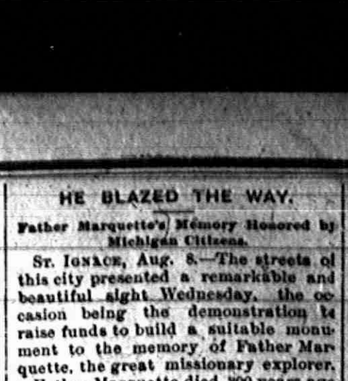
BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 13.—R. E. Wigent, a prominent merchant of Watervliet, was drowned while bathing in Paw Paw lake Sunday.

HE BLAZED THE WAY.

Father Marquette's Memory Honored by Michigan Citizens.

ST. IGNACE, Aug. 8.—The streets of this city presented a remarkable and beautiful sight Wednesday, the occasion being the demonstration to raise funds to build a suitable monument to the memory of Father Marquette, the great missionary explorer.

Father Marquette died 200 years ago when on his way to this place from establishing a mission among the Indians in the neighborhood of the present city of Chicago. His remains were brought here by the Indians and placed in the vault of the little mission church which he built here, and after the burning of the church early in the eighteenth century, when the Jesuits abandoned this field of labor, the site was forgotten and for many years the exact place was unknown. About twenty years ago Father Jackson, pastor of the church at this place, now dead, discovered the remains of the church and the bones of the missionary. He erected a modest monument to mark the site, and a movement was started to raise



THE PROPOSED MONUMENT.

funds for a monument of suitable proportions. Considerable money was raised, but the interest lagged and the movement finally died out. The exercises Wednesday were for the purpose of reviving interest and to raise money enough to warrant going ahead with the monument.

The town was profusely decorated, every business house and dwelling being covered with bunting. Memorial arches covered with evergreens and bunting and bearing appropriate inscriptions were numerous. The formal exercises were held on the heights of Sco-Bo-Go-No-Wis, overlooking the town, and were opened at 2 o'clock. Father J. A. Keul read an address on "The History of the Grave of Marquette in St. Ignace." Hon. T. A. E. Weadock, of Saginaw, and Judge William M. Springer delivered eloquent addresses, both of which were of great historical interest. Weadock spoke on "Marquette the Explorer," and Springer on "The Explorations of Father Marquette and Others on the Mississippi River." Gov. John T. Rich and others also delivered addresses. More than 15,000 persons were present during the exercises.

A new monument association was formed to which the money subscribed some years ago was turned over. A large sum was subscribed Wednesday and the monument to Father Marquette is assured. The formal exercises were followed by a grand parade in which everybody joined with bands, native Indians in the costumes of 1671, historical floats, etc. There was a fireworks display in the evening.

Charged with Larceny.

ST. JOHN'S, Aug. 14. — Samuel S. Walker, late president of the Michigan Mortgage company, will be brought to St. John's on a criminal warrant charging him with larceny. In March, 1891, Mrs. Mary J. Chilson paid Walker $1,000 in full for the discharge of a mortgage, which Walker and his partner, White, claimed to own, but which afterward turned out to be the property of Hobart college, of Geneva, N. Y. The money was never turned over to the college.

Held for Trial.

DETROIT, Aug. 14.—Gideon Granger, who was one of the leading witnesses before the Lexow investigating committee in New York, was arrested here on Saturday last on a charge of having passed a forged check for a small amount on a local merchant. He was arraigned in the police court Tuesday morning and pleaded guilty, and was remanded for trial in $1,000 bail.

A Boy Drowned.

SAGINAW, Aug. 12.—Pleasure seekers found a pole and fishing tackle on the abutment of the Flint & Pere Marquette north bridge and were led to search the river for the owner. The searchers were rewarded in three hours by finding the body of Carl Ganss, a 15-year-old boy.

Wages Advanced.

IRON MOUNTAIN, Aug. 10.—The Pan Iron Mining company, operating East Vulcan, West Vulcan and Currie mines at Norway, have announced an increase of wages of 10 to 25 per cent. to take effect immediately. The Aragon company have also raised wages in the same ratio.

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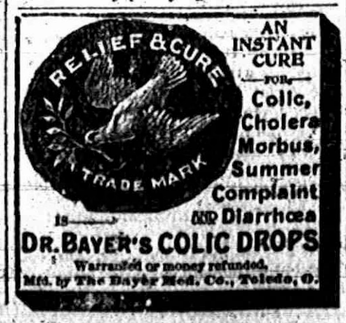

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Aug. 18. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Healing the Centurion's Servant.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Math. viii, 5-13; Luke vii, 1-10.

The two evangelists relate the same incident, though Luke gives the details so much fuller as to make him seem, at first sight, to refer to a different incident.

The centurion may have been a Roman in charge of a small garrison at Capernaum, or he may have been one of Herod's soldiers. He was a man who had special regard for the Jews, and so much reverence for their God that he had built them a synagogue in the city. This was far different from the ordinary Roman. Yet he does not appear to have been a proselyte. His humility in sending a deputation of Jewish synagogue officers instead of making the request in person, and his firm belief in Jesus' power to heal his paralytic servant, even though he was apparently dying, all impressed the Lord most deeply. The second company sent when he heard Jesus was coming gives greater emphasis to his faith and real humility of heart.

Christ declares that this heathen showed deeper faith and truer insight into spiritual things than had been shown by any Israelite. It furnishes him the occasion to declare the unlimited extent of the kingdom of God to include real believers in all nations. This teaching was particularly distasteful to the scribes and Pharisees, to whom ceremonials were more important than heart piety.

Inspiration of Travel.

Not the least valuable result of the great Boston convention of Christian Endeavor was the uplift given to multitudes by the excursions to historic sites. Bunker Hill had been to many only a name. Their visit to the spot fixed forever in memory the events which the granite shaft is intended to commemorate. The trip to Plymouth and visit to places made sacred by pilgrim toil, the excursion to Lexington and Concord, the very sight of the Old South church and the Old North and a score of other localities left an impress indelible on memory and knit up the loose fibers of patriotism.

It would be an excellent plan for any League to spend an evening in the study of historic Boston or Plymouth. Have essays on various phases of the subject, reading of poetical and prose selections and appropriate music. Then arrange to make an excursion to the localities studied. A taste for good reading and real study will thus be given, and every opportunity for travel, however limited in scope, will furnish new inspiration to learn things worth knowing.

The Third Methodist Bishop.

Richard Whatcoat came to this country with Dr. Thomas Coke to assist in founding the Methodist Episcopal church. He was nine years older than Francis Asbury, having been born in England in 1736. He had had much experience in preaching in England, Ireland and Wales, and was ordained elder by Mr. Wesley before coming to America in 1784. He traveled extensively through the colonies, preaching and administering the ordinances.

Mr. Wesley wished him made a bishop in 1787, but the conference feared if

BISHOP WHATCOAT.

this should be done Asbury would be recalled to England, and so refused to elect him. In 1800 the health of Asbury was such as to demand an assistant, and the conference elected and consecrated Whatcoat to the office of bishop. The vote was almost evenly divided between him and Jesse Lee.

Bishop Whatcoat rendered heroic service for six years following, and died in 1806. He was buried under the altar of Wesley chapel, near Dover, Del.

What to Read.

The multitude turn in summer to light reading. In too many cases this means trash; sometimes it is even worse than rubbish. It is a mistake to think that novels alone are fitted for summer reading. Many of them are unfit to be read at all.

There is much of fiction which may be profitably taken up in these days, but there are other great realms of literature equally fascinating and no more taxing to mind. What interest can be awakened in the study of our common garden and field flowers, insects, birds and rocks? In the shortest country ramble or even a walk in city streets there is enough of nature to be seen, if one knows how to use his eyes, to furnish amusement, study and recreation for days together. Books abound which will aid to open one's eyes to this unrealized world which surrounds us. This kind of literature is helpful and not harmful and yields results of permanent benefit.

Work.

Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do that day which must be done whether you like it or not. Being forced to work and forced to do your best will breed in you temperance, self control, diligence, strength of will, content and a hundred virtues which the idle will never know —Charles Kingsley.

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DOMESTIC.

FIRE at Pendleton, Ore., consumed the Transfer hotel and several buildings and four persons lost their lives.

REPORTS received at the state department in Washington from the United States consul at Victoria, B. C., were that the seals in Behring sea were practically exterminated.

THE Merchants' national bank of Rome, Ga., which suspended payment April 27, 1895, was authorized to resume business.

HELIOGRAPH communications were exchanged between the summit of Pike's Peak and army headquarters in Denver, a distance of 60 miles.

REV. E. C. WHEELER, a Baptist evangelist, who had been in California with his car Emanuel, was killed in a railway wreck near Denver Col. Several other persons were hurt.

THE United Typothetæ in session at Minneapolis elected E. R. Andrews, of Rochester, N. Y., president and decided to meet in Rochester in August, 1896.

HEARST, DUNN & CO., a large agricultural implement firm at Peoria, Ill., failed for $123,435; assets, $115,649.

THE C. F. Guyon company, commission dealers in hardware and bicycles in New York, failed for $150,000.

THE Bank of Buckner, at Buckner, Mo., went into the hands of a receiver

REPORTS to the post office department for the three months ended August 1 show that the total receipts at the twenty largest post offices in the country were $6,794,000, an increase of $499,000 over the corresponding quarter in 1894.

MRS. HENRY JOHNSON and her three children were struck by an engine at a railway crossing in Decatur, Ind., and one child was instantly killed and the others were fatally injured.

IN a head-on collision at Plymouth, N. H., between the cannon ball express and a freight train, Engineer Frank Stevens and Firemen George S. Merrill and W. H. Glines were instantly killed.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 9th aggregated $976,032,215, against $915,847,689 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 25.9.

THE total equalized assessed valuation of the state of Iowa is $558,985,292.

THE foundry and pattern house of the Knowles steam pump works at Warren, Mass., were burned, the loss being $175,000.

THERE were 225 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 9th, against 261 the week previous and 264 in the corresponding time in 1894.

BUSINESS continued unusually active throughout the country for midsummer and, though there was perceptible relaxation, there were no signs of reaction.

A HORSE became frightened and plunged off of a 30-foot embankment near Decatur, Ind., and three prominent society women, Mrs. Mangold, Mrs. J. C. Paterson and her mother, Mrs. Erwin, were fatally injured.

FREMONT SMITH was hanged in San Quentin prison, California, for the murder of two fishing companions.

THE Bank of Palouse, at Palouse City, Wash., closed its doors with liabilities of $65,000.

MATTSON & MAGEE, wholesale grocers in Philadelphia, failed for $100,000.

C. C. CLARK was appointed receiver of the Lockwood Manufacturing company at South Norwalk, Conn. The liabilities were $280,000.

A BIG Newfoundland dog capsized a boat on the lake at Highland Park, Ill., and M. T. Green, president of the Chicago Lumber company, and Sorn Sorenson were drowned.

MRS. HELEN C. STEWART, of Springfield, Mo., was appointed sheriff of Green county, to succeed her deceased husband. Mrs. Stewart, as far as is known, is the first woman sheriff in the United States.

SEVEN persons were killed in New York city by the collapse of a new building on Broadway.

WILLIAM HASSON, Martin Ervin and William Stanley were killed in a trolley car and railroad accident in Philadelphia.

BY her will Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage leaves $166,000. Her husband is the sole legatee.

THIEVES entered the Connecticut state prison at Wethersfield and got away with articles valued at $1,500.

ARTHUR and C. J. Johnson (brothers) and A. C. Anderson were killed by lightning near Odebolt, Ia., They had taken refuge under a tree during a storm.

JOHN BUCHANAN, a mill-worker at Pittsburgh, Pa., killed himself after fatally injuring his mother. His wife was missing and it was thought he had killed her.

DR. LAWRENCE ANDERSON, aged 54 years, one of the best-known veterinary surgeons in the west, committed suicide at Cincinnati because of failing eyesight.

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THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 10th were: Cleveland, .606; Pittsburgh, .600; Baltimore .588; Boston, .576; Cincinnati, .563; Chicago, .558; Philadelphia, 535; New York, .529; Brooklyn, .517; Washington, .346; St. Louis, .315; Louisville, .253.

THE fertilizer factory of Joshua Horner Jr. & Co. was burned at Baltimore, Md. Loss, $106,000.

A TORNADO of wind, hail and rain struck Rensselaer, Ind., and at least fifty dwellings were wholly or partially ruined.

DURING a windstorm in Baltimore, Md., many houses were unroofed, trees uprooted, windows smashed and other damage done.

A FREIGHT train went through a bridge near Bainbridge, O., and Conductor George Henry, Engineer Clint Radcliff, Fireman Hauser and Brakeman Thomas Byers were killed.

FIRE in the plant of the Central Stamping company at Newark, N. J. caused a loss of $500,000.

A LARGE part of the business section and several houses at Lockport, Ill., were burned, the loss being $300,000.

WILLIAM P. TAYLOR and his brother George were sentenced at Carrollton, Mo., to hang October 4 for the murder of the Meeks family.

A CONVICT at the prison in Jeffersonville, Ind., to avoid doing his task in one of the departments of the institution cut off four fingers of his right hand.

FIERCE forest fires were raging in the state of Washington and scores of farmers had lost all they possessed.

DR. J. H. WHITEFORD, a prominent physician at Wilmot, S. D., while laboring under a temporary aberration of mind shot and killed his wife and then fatally shot himself.

VICE PRESIDENT STEVENSON and party sailed from Tacoma, Wash., for Alaska on the steamer Queen.

JUDGE SMITH, of the fourth district court of Utah, decided that women in Utah had a right to vote for the ratification or rejection of the new constitution, and also for the officers of the proposed state.

M. P. MOLLER'S organ works at Hagerstown, Md., were destroyed by fire and 100 reed organs were burned.

A. W. HESUTIE, of Crown Point, N. Y., and Miss Helen B. Randall, of Oneida, were killed by the cars near Oneida. They were soon to be married.

LEW SMITH and his child wife, fearing prosecution at Wheelock, Tex., for forging an order for a marriage license, took morphine, and both were found dead in bed.

THE deaf-mute institute at Salt Lake City, U. T., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

TWENTY-FIVE head of cattle were killed by a single flash of lightning in Finney county, Kan.

A BOILER in a sawmill at Monticello, Fla., exploded, killing Allen Brooks, Prince Hall and Amos Cross.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 12th was: Wheat, 37,840,000 bushels; corn, 4,613,000 bushels; oats, 3,925,000 bushels; rye, 254,000 bushels; barley, 44,000 bushels.

THE Baptist church at Sterling, O., was destroyed by lightning, the second time in eighteen months.

HERMAN KOHANP, a young German at Sibley, Ia., blew out the brains of Mrs. William Kruger, wife of his employer, and then committed suicide by cutting his throat. No cause for the tragedy was known.

WHITE caps drove every negro out of Delta county, Tex. One, who refused to go, was shot dead.

IN a fight at Nowata, I. T., between the McGurt brothers and the Walker brothers because of an old grudge all four were killed.

THE export of provisions from the United States during July aggregated $14,024,688, against $14,786,755 in July, 1894.

A FIRE which did damage amounting to $350,000 started in the five-story building occupied by Brown & Bailey as a box manufactory in Philadelphia.

THE boiler of a sawmill on Clay lake, Montgomery county, Ky., exploded, killing John Hines, his son and the fireman, William Smith.

GEORGE CROMLEY, Cornelius Shay and John Ryan, iron workers at Pittsburgh, Pa., have discovered the lost art of welding copper to iron or steel.

THE noted outlaw, Cherokee Bill, was sentenced at Fort Smith, Ark., to be hanged September 10.

THE First national bank of South Bend, Wash., suspended.

WILL HARRIS, a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. J. F. Monroe, a 60-year-old white woman in Colquitt county, Ga., was shot to death by a mob.

PATRICK and Dennis Morgan, brothers, quarreled while intoxicated at Pittsburgh and killed each other with penknives.

A STAGE COACH was held up by two masked men at Wright's Bridge, Ore., and the passengers were robbed of their money and valuables.

J. B. SAGE, director of the weather crop bulletin of Iowa, announces that hot winds for a week did great damage to crops.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

IN state convention at Marshalltown the Iowa democrats nominated the following ticket: For governor, Judge W. I. Babb, of Mount Pleasant; lieutenant governor, S. L. Bestow, of Chariton; superintendent of public instruction, Lyman B. Parshall, of Maquoketa; railroad commissioner, Col. George James, of Dubuque; supreme judge, Senator Thomas G. Harper, of Des Moines. The platform reaffirms the national platform of 1892, indorsing the money plank therein adopted, urges the repeal of the mulct law and the enactment of a local option measure, favors the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people and favors just and liberal pensions to all deserving veterans.

THE death of Assistant United States District Attorney William Haight occurred at Los Angeles, Cal. He was for many years in the department of justice at Washington.

PETER SURPRISE celebrated his 103d birthday at his home in Lowell, Ind.

HOWELL EDMUNDS JACKSON, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, died at his residence at West Meade, Tenn., of consumption, in the 64th year of his age.

S. WHITE PAYNE, a well-known composer of church music, died in Rochester, N. Y., aged 80 years.

MRS. CATHERINE JUDGE died at Renova, Pa., at the age of 106 years. She was born in Ireland. Her husband died fifty years ago.

MRS. MARY WINNS died at Cincinnati, aged 108 years.

MRS. KEDZIE PIERCE, who had formerly been a slave in Virginia, died at the Alpha home in Indianapolis at the age of 123 years.

MR. and Mrs. Joseph Manuel, aged 112 and 97 respectively, celebrated their seventy-fifth wedding anniversary at Cape Porpoise, Me.

FRANK M. PIXLEY, the veteran editor and politician, died in San Francisco, aged 70.

THE funeral of Justice Howell Edmunds Jackson occurred at Belle Meade, Tenn.

THE Independent American party the latest political organization in Kansas, met in Parsons and nominated a county ticket. The new party believes in the free and unlimited coinage of American silver and America for Americans.

JACOB URBAN, one of the inmates of the Lutheran home for the aged at Mount Airy, Pa., celebrated his 102d birthday anniversary.

FOREIGN.

THE Spanish government was prepared to dispatch 100,000 troops to Cuba if necessary, and said that the rebellion would be crushed before the end of the year.

THERE will be no prize fighting allowed in any part of Mexico. This edict was issued by President Diaz.

THE British ship Prince Oscar, from Liverpool, collided in midocean with an unknown sailing vessel and both sank in less than ten minutes. Six members of the crew of the Prince Oscar and all on board the unknown vessel, some thirty in number, were lost.

THE British steamer Catterthun, which sailed from Hong Kong May 27 for Australia ports, was wrecked near Sidney, N. S. W., and sixty lives were lost.

A MOB looted the American mission chapel at Inghok, China.

THE increase of British exports to America for the last six months amounts to £5,326,673 over 1894, while the imports decreased £2,900,179 for the same period.

ADVICES from Tarsus, Asia Minor, say that a mob attacked the American school at that place, maltreated several of the students and threatened the missionaries.

AMERICAN missionaries in Japan reported that the germs of cholera were scattered throughout the empire.

BABY STEWART is dead, the eleventh victim of the massacre of missionaries by the Chinese at Hwasang.

THE Hawaii legislature adopted a resolution that "the republic of Hawaii hereby declare anew their fealty to the policy of the annexation of this country to the United States of America."

GEN. MARTINEZ CAMPOS resigned the captain-generalship of Cuba. It was generally believed that he strongly urged the home government to grant the island of Cuba self-government.

THE British parliament convened in London.

SEVENTEEN members of a gang of highwaymen were shot at Fronteeras, Mexico

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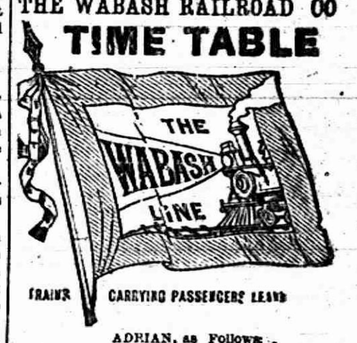

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*No. 55—Pacific Express	1 45 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

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Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 p m
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	8 30 "
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 25 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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EAST. No. 93 Loc.	No. 93 Pass	No. 91 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 35	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 15
.....	12 12	7 10	Monteith	2 58	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 36	7 14
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	*5 47
6 20	2 33	8 57	Marshall	12 08	6 20
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 32
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 03
9 39	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 18	Devils Lake	9 59	4 39
11 18	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	8 60	*3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 39
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 30
4 55	7 30	12 15	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	2 45
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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The persons in charge of the instruction at these institutes are those who have had practical experience in school work and know how to impart to others a portion of what they have gained in this experience. Effort has been put forth to give the county the best institute ever held.

The work will combine professional and academic instruction. The institute will be divided into sections, and the instructors will conduct classes for the purpose of reviewing some studies, and also to illustrate certain methods of instruction. The workers have been urged to arrange for calisthenic exercises, singing, marching, and the like, so as to make the work move off cheerily and without fatigue.

The time for study at the institute will necessarily be limited, and in order to permit the most profitable of class exercises the following topics are suggested, so that those who purpose attending may make some preparation:

ARITHMETIC—1. Mental Arithmetic drill 2, applications in percentage.

GRAMMAR—1. Substantive clauses, 2. synopsis of verbs, 3. analysis of sentences selected from Vision of Sir Launfal.

GEOGRAPHY—1. Michigan, 2. model outline of Europe.

HISTORY—1. 1789—1815, 2, slavery, 3, political parties, 4, important current events.

PHYSIOLOGY—1. The skin, 2. health lessons—see manual for country schools 3 circulation of the blood, 4. the eye.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT—1. Legislative officers of the nation, state, county, city, village, 2. compare duties of governor and president, 3. prohibitions on states, on congress.

PEDAGOGY—The sixth and seventh chapters of Putman's Primer, or its equivalent.

READING AND ORTHOGRAPHY—Vision of Sir Launfal. A spelling match will be conducted on Michigan Test and fifty technical words of physiology and geography.

The preceding topics are given to aid in a proper preparation for the work. Bring any text-books. Be thinking and studying along the lines of the topics suggested, and even a week's institute may be made very profitable with class work and lectures combined.

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LAGGARD IN LOVE.

Sara, belle though she was, thought herself the most unhappy of human beings as she stood on the steps beneath the shadow of the linden trees and felt herself clasped for the first time to her lover's breast.

"Oh, if you should forget me, I should die," she said earnestly as she looked up at him. His was a fair, frank, open face enough, but there was a flash and sparkle in the blue eyes that spoke of faithlessness even then.

"Forget you!" he said, with a light laugh. "Have I not sworn myself away to you for ever and ever? And where among all the Spanish senoritas and Mexican donnas shall I find a face and form more beautiful than yours? Sara means 'princess,' you know, my pretty one, and never was the name more fitly given."

Well, it is all very true. She was beautiful even then in her unformed girlhood. Her glass and the eyes of her admirers had told her so a score of times, and she had been pleased ere this to hear her lover praise that beauty. As the last caress was given she felt that she would rather have heard some more earnest words than the praises of her beauty.

The stony hearted train bore Oliver Clayton away from his boyhood's home the next morning, and Sara Graham, watching at her window as it passed, was rewarded by one brief glimpse of the bright, handsome face that was all the world to her. How gay and happy he looked! And yet he was leaving her!

Still, could she blame him? He was young, ardent, ambitious, and the world was now before him. So she excused him to herself and to others when the days and weeks and months rolled themselves slowly into years, and his letters, frequent and loving at first, became cool and few and far between.

She waited, "hoping against hope," and keeping her trust and faith in him still, in spite of his long silence and his apparent coldness.

But the years of absence grew slowly from one to five, and still he came not. In his place many another would have wooed the still lovely belle, but her answer was to all alike. Heart and hand were pledged to this "laggard in love" and might not be reclaimed, save at his own request.

It came at last! He loved another and would be set free from early vows. Sara released him in a few cold and quiet words.

And then for a long time life and love seemed alike dying within her heart. When health and strength came back once more, she married the wealthiest of her suitors and removed to New York.

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It was five years afterward, and when she was in the very height of her beauty and her power, that she met Oliver Clayton once more. He had returned from California a wealthy but a lonely man, for his young Spanish bride had died in their honeymoon, and he had never tried to fill her place. Perhaps some vague hope of finding his early love free and unfettered still had prompted his return. Be this as it may, he met her for the first time at a grand ball and had the felicity of seeing her followed and flattered by half the men in the room and of hearing that her husband loved her to distraction, and that her home was a perfect haven of peace and comfort.

On that evening he found it impossible to speak to her, but three nights after they met at a private party, and he found himself near her at the entrance of the music room just as she had consented to sing.

She had heard of his arrival and was therefore forearmed. If he had expected any display of emotion on her part, he must have been cruelly disappointed.

"Mr. Clayton," she said, with a look of well bred surprise and without offering her hand, "is it possible that you have returned? How delighted all your friends must be!"

And she sailed on to the piano without another word. He lingered to hear her voice once more. She lifted her eyes and saw him standing there. And this is what she sang:

"Close to my dreaming heart
You stood that day.
The time of my life had come
To hear yea or nay.
I looked into your face,
But you turned it away,
And if ever hope had lit my heart
It died out that day.

And then she rose from the piano, listening laughingly to the praises of her friends as she drew on her gloves. She left the room, leaning on the arm of the British embassador.

And as she passed by where Clayton was still standing he heard her say, in answer to some low remark from her escort:

"Oh, my lord, I might have sung that song with proper feeling once! But that was many years ago. Time works wonders, as you know, and if I give the right expression to the words now it is but a trick of a successful actress. Give me credit for nothing more!"

Her dark eyes rested full on the handsome face of her early lover as she spoke—rested as they might have done upon a picture, or even a wall! She gave him a quiet little bow of recognition as she passed, but look and smile and bow all said plainly, "We are strangers!"

Stung and mortified, he rushed from the room and out of the house. The words of her song still rang in his ear, and before his eyes rose up the vision of that little white cottage up amid the hills, and the dark eyed girl who stood with him there beneath the linden trees, so many years before!

"And she might have been my wife!" he said, with a kind of groan, as he stepped up to a lamppost and lit a Mexican cigar!—New York News.

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PROVISION MARKET.	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	16	18
Eggs, per doz	11	13
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	40	50
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25 to 4 50	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	6	10 1/2
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb		12 1/2
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—New		$ 65
" Old		68
Corn, shelled	50	56 to 60
Oats	18	to 20
Hay, timothy, per ton	14 00	to 13 00
Hay, clover, per ton		8 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 25

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Aug. 14		
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	$4 25	@	5 30
Sheep	2 00	@	3 50
Hogs	5 40	@	5 45
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 85	@	3 85
Minnesota Patents	3 75	@	3 95
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	70 3/8	@	71 3/8
September	71 3/8	@	72 3/8
CORN—No. 2	45 1/2	@	45 1/2
September	42 3/8	@	44 1/4
OATS—No. 2	23 1/4	@	24 1/2
September	24 3/8	@	24 3/8
RYE	70	@	70 1/4
PORK—Mess, New	11 00	@	11 50
LARD—Western Steam	6 42 1/2	@	6 50
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	13	@	20
Western Dairy	12	@	13
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$3 60	@	6 05
Stockers and feeders	2 40	@	4 00
Mixed Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 80
Texas Steers	2 60	@	4 25
HOGS—Light	4 60	@	5 15
Heavy Packing	4 40	@	4 90
SHEEP	1 75	@	4 75
BUTTER—Creamery	11 1/4	@	19
Dairy	10	@	16 1/4
Packing Stock	6	@	9
EGGS—Fresh	11	@	12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	50 00	@	100 00
POTATOES, New (per bu)	30	@	38
PORK—Mess	9 50	@	9 62 1/2
LARD—Steam	6 00	@	6 02 1/2
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75	@	4 25
Spring Straights	2 50	@	3 25
Winter Patents	3 03	@	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	61 1/4	@	65 1/4
Corn, No. 2	37	@	38 1/2
Oats, No. 2	18 1/2	@	19 1/2
Rye, No. 2	43 1/2	@	43 1/2
Barley, Common to Good	33	@	38
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	65 1/2	@	65 1/2
Corn, No. 3	39	@	39 1/4
Oats, No. 2 White	24	@	24 1/4
Rye, No. 1	45 1/2	@	45 1/2
Birley	43	@	43 1/2
PORK—Mess	8 30	@	9 35
LARD	5 85	@	5 90
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$3 25	@	5 75
Stockers and Feeders	2 25	@	4 25
HOGS	4 40	@	5 10
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 30
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 40	@	4 80
Feeders	2 50	@	4 00
HOGS—Light and Mixed	4 50	@	4 70
Heavy	4 50	@	4 60
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 50

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Thomas R. Kyle, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Joseph Grey, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 7th day of August, A. D., 1895, levy upon seize and take all the right, title and interest of Joseph Grey in and to that parce of land situated in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as Beginning at a point in the east line of northeast quarter of section 30, town 5 south, of range 4 east, 5 chains south of the northeast corner of said section, running thence south along the east line of said section 18 chains 71½ links; thence west parallel with the quarter section line running east and west through said section 10 chains to the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north along said quarter section line 10 chains and 43½ links to the southeast corner of land formerly owned by David Mudgett, thence easterly along the south line of said land formerly owned by David Mudgett as aforesaid to the southwest corner of land formerly owned by Atuston Inis, thence easterly along the south line of land formerly owned by Inis to place of beginning, containing about 41.65 acres. Also the north 12½ acres of a certain 85 acres conveyed by G. J. Bamford to Eliza Grey by deed, dated May 11, 1858, recorded in Liber 142 on page 433, said 85 acres described as south part of northeast quarter of section 30 town 5 south of range 4 east. All of which I shall expose for sale, at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee on the 26th, day of September, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D. 1895.
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WALTER C. BURBIDGE,
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MRS. JAS. M. TODD, OF LONG RAPIDS, DISCARDS HER CRUTCHES.

In an Interview with a Reporter She Reviews Her Experience and Tells the Real Cause of the Miracle.

From the Argus, Alpena, Mich.

As is well known by many of the people of Alpena county, Mrs. Jas. M. Todd, of Long Rapids township, has been a great sufferer and a cripple for many years with that terrible affliction, rheumatism. Some two years ago we became somewhat interested in Mrs. Todd's case, and, in common with Alpena people, rejoice that this great sufferer has at last found relief, and is now in a fair way to a permanent cure. Knowing of the substantial benefit Mrs. Todd had received, and that she was at last regaining her health and strength, we sought to hear her story from her own lips, and here give it to our readers, in her own language.

"As you know, my name is Mrs. Jas. M. Todd, and for the benefit of suffering humanity I wish, through the ARGUS, to tell the world at large what may seem to them, as well as myself, a miracle.

"Eight years ago I was afflicted with what doctors called nervous prostration. The following spring I was taken with rheumatism, commencing first in my arms and hands, and leaving them it would go directly to my head and heart. I cannot describe what I suffered. The only way I could get my breath was to sit where the air would blow directly on me. Thus I lived and suffered for two years, when the affliction left my arms and went directly to my feet. Again I was taken to doctors, and they said I had inflammatory rheumatism in its worst form. My feet were so swollen that it was impossible for me to wear anything upon them, my hands were drawn out of shape, and I could only sit up a few minutes at a time, and often wished death would end my suffering.

"Then another year of misery, doctoring all the time, and using every remedy I could hear of, when, as a last resort, I went to Ann Arbor where I could have the advice of not only one, but many physicians. They pronounced my trouble inflammatory and muscular rheumatism, said it was brought on by hard work, and if rest did not cure me nothing would, for medicines would not do it. I again went to the city, and was treated by one of our best physicians, but grew more helpless, and at last went to live with my daughter, thinking I could not live long. I was then as helpless as a child, and after lying down awhile, I could not raise my arms to cover myself, nor speak until shaken or lifted up. One of my limbs was entirely helpless, and the skin was dry and cracked until it would bleed.

"From a tall, straight woman of over five feet, I was drawn all out of shape, my eyes were swollen shut more than half the time, my knee joints out of place, no strength to raise or dress, for eighteen months had been held up by one on each side of me to dress or undress. Another year passed when my attention was called to a case similar to mine cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was urged to try them and at last did so. In three days after I commenced taking Pink Pills I could sit up and dress myself, and after using them six weeks I went home and commenced working. I continued taking the pills until now I begin to forget my crutches, and can go up and down steps without aid. I am truly a living wonder, walking out of doors without assistance.

"Now, if I can say anything to induce those who have suffered as I have to try Pink Pills, I shall gladly do so. If other like sufferers will try Pink Pills according to directions, they will have reason to thank God for creating men who are able to conquer that terrible disease, rheumatism. I have in my own neighborhood recommended Pink Pills for the after effects of la grippe and weak women with impure blood, all with good results."

Mrs. Todd is very strong in her faith in the curative powers of Pink Pills, and says they have brought a poor, helpless cripple back to do her own milking, churning, washing, sewing, knitting, and in fact about all of her household duties, thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

The following letter to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. refers to the above, and will be read with much interest:

LONG RAPIDS, MICH., Jan. 12, 1895.
Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N.Y.

Gentlemen: "Some time ago I gave to the editor of the *Argus* a full account of my sickness, with the exception of one thing which I withheld after writing to you about my case, viz.: I took seventeen boxes of your pills then I stopped. Seeing Mr. Vial, the editor, one day, I told him what the pills had done, but told him I thought they would help me no more. He said they would and that I must keep on taking them. He sent me altogether twenty-four boxes of pills, and also cheerful letters of encouragement, God bless him. If it had not been for him, I verily believe I should have been in my grave. And also I bless God he ever created men that could combat with rheumatism. It has occurred to me that one person cured as I have been, and who would go from one large city to another and tell of the experience with your pills, their sale would be doubled, as half the world does not believe what they read of your miracles. But when they see a poor twisted body like mine, hear from living lips the medicine that cured me, the most skeptical could not help but believe. Already in this country place double the pills have been used since I commenced to take them. If I had the means to start on I would spend the next six months in treating the worst cases in Bay City and Saginaw and Detroit. I believe I could do a great amount of good in this way, and perhaps make a little money. Please do not think that I am a grasping woman for I am not, but I am poor and destitute, and I should like to help suffering humanity to health and strength for both can be had if they only know about Pink Pills. God bless you and keep you long, is the prayer of

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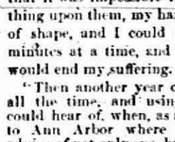

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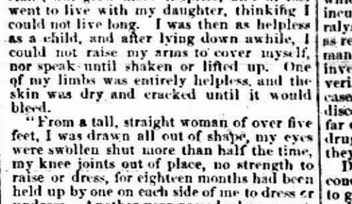

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WOMAN'S DRESS.

An Essay Read by Fern DePuy at the Farmers' Union Picnic, June 21st, 1895.

"Strive as you will," says Garret Smith, "to elevate woman, nevertheless the disabilities and degradation of her dress, together with that large group of false views of the uses of her being and of her relations to man, symbolized and perpetuated by her dress, will make your striving vain."

They say it is for beauty's sake that woman submits to the discomfort and restraint of her costume. But how many of the styles of dress depicted in a quarter of a century's file of fashion plates can stand the test of Keat's fameus line, "a thing of beauty is a joy forever?" Each one is declared ugly when it has gone out of fashion. In the language of Emerson, I am warned by the ill fate of many philosophers not to attempt a definition of beauty. I will rather enumerate some of the qualities.

We ascribe beauty to that which is simple; which has no superfluous parts; which exactly answers its end; which stands related to all things; which is the mean of many extremes. It is the most enduring quality as well as the most ascending quality. The fashionable dress has none of these qualities, yet the delusion rests like an evil spell on the public imagination, that women are in zealous pursuit of the beautiful when they go zizzaging after the fashion.

The catechism teaches that the chief end of man is to glorify God and enjoy him forever; but society teaches that it is the chief duty of woman to make herself beautiful and attractive to man. This manner of reasoning implies that it is not in woman's nature to be beautiful and attractive, but she may become so by alterations of her natural shape with disguises dictated by fashion.

No one exhorts the rose to try to be fragrant, or beseeches the lambs to cultivate gentleness.

I have no quarrel with society, nor fashion; the present age is so promised, since science has been unlocking the silent chambers of nature and bringing to light a world's story of life and evolution. While invention has been knitting nations and races into one great family, and establishing means by which our earth may be transformed into an Eden as soon as the savagery of man's passion and the selfishness of his instinct are subdued. A few generations ago, he who had the temerity to even tentatively put forth the right of woman to enter upon any of the hundreds of walks which today she treads with honor and distinction, courted social ostracism and raised a storm of indignation, in which one heard much about social and moral disorganization of society and degradation of womanhood; the distruction of the home and the righteous wrath of God which would follow those who so lightly treated the solemn admonitions of his servant, Paul Now those days are memories only of a well meaning but dim-visioned past, and woman has successfully, step by step, passed into the van of civilization's onward moving column. That which was forbidden yesterday is grudgingly granted today; while on the morrow, even conventionalism tries to forget that she ever opposed the just demand. And so today, as we study unfolding womanhood, only beginning as yet to appreciate the splendid possibilities that lie before her, I am thrilled with exultant hope in her progress and in the dawning consciousness of her power and her rights. I see the prophecy of higher and purer civilization. The day star of reason and sober judgment is breaking upon the vision: she is ceasing to be a mere echo of husband, father, brother, or a reflex of conventional thought; she is no longer swayed solely by sentiment; she is now asking herself, when questions arise which relate to her and about which she has never seriously thought before, Is it right? Is it just? Is it in accordance with common sense? The dead past, over whose aged mounds she has so long knelt, no longer holds her inthralled. The impulse of new life, strong as the voice of spring to budding trees and springing flowers, is urging her forward, and not the least of these questions which is pressing upon the thought of our leading women is that of rational dress, and to add a word on this subject was the motive that prompted this paper.

In the logic of recent events and the trend of multitudinous potent agencies now at work I see the prophecy of an early triumph of sober reason and common sense in the question of woman's dress over a conventionalism deep rooted in the soil of ancient orientalism, and springing from the old time barbaric idea that woman was inferior to man. Indeed the prospect for positive and sensible reform in the dress of women was never half so bright as today, and I believe there are forces at work which will bring about, at a far earlier day than most persons imagine, as great a revolution in public sentiment as that which overcame conventionalism in regard to the sphere of woman. I think it is fair to say the battle for woman's emancipation from tyranny of absurd health destroying and grotesque fashions is more than half fought.

With fear of trespassing beyond my allotted time, I wish very briefly to state a few reasons which lead me to believe that the triumph of this reform is near at hand. The preliminary skirmishing is over. The battle which has raged around some of the noblest and most far-sighted souls of our century has spent its fury. Ridicule and caricature, prudery and conventionalism, the greed of fashion makers and the confederate interests, which fatten on woman's folly, have done their worst. Reason, the all-conquering, the master spirit, the ultimate victor, is asserting herself. The small, still voice crying in the wilderness has broadened and swelled into the fearless demand of millions of our best thinkers and the forces are ever augmenting in strength.

I have no doubt as to the ultimate victory of this great movement of rational dress. The agencies working for its success will prove irresistable. The only question is, how soon can the reformation be accomplished.

In behalf of art, grace and beauty, which have been so remorselessly outraged by fashion during the past generation; in behalf of that comfort of body and physical development which are absolutely essential to the proper unfoldment of the soul life; and in behalf of the physical life and health of the rising generation of womankind, as well as the race of the future, let the marching orders be given and let no retrograde step be taken.

THROUGH FRANCE TO GERMANY

Our Wheelmen Take Breakfast at Waterloo and Tarry the same Night in a Dutch Town.

COLOGNE, GERMANY, July 20.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—We were leaving Paris when last I wrote you. The gate by which we departed was not such a one as we entered. The fortifications are very plain here and the great wall with the moat, looks very formidable. St. Denis, the burial place of the French kings and an extremely uninteresting place otherwise, was the first city on our route. We entered the ancient cathedral, which has been destroyed and rebuilt, has decayed and been rebuilt, until it is a curious mixture of architecture. There was an atmosphere of awe and majesty which quite quelled my democratic spirit. After untangling the French streets, we resumed our ride towards Brussels.

How amused you would be to see Harry and me wheeling along in our happy-go-lucky fashion. Now removing a turnip carefully from its bed (and discovering that it is a green beet,) now gathering a few cherries and getting a volley of French oaths, wholly inoffensive to us because we don't understand a word; then again, seated by a stone wayside fountain with its grand semi-circle of trees. The town pumps are such odd edifices—for they are edifices about 12 feet high; made of stone or brick or iron, 4 feet square and having an ornamental roof. The handle varies from six to ten feet in length and gives an enormous stroke. It is handled much like a base-ball bat—with a mighty sweep of both arms. Roads paved with stone but with good sidepaths extend from Paris to Brussels. On both sides of the road, there are continuous rows of trees which furnish a most agreeable shade for a wheelman.

We passed Chantilly where is the beautiful chateau and park of the famous Conde'l and then Longpont with its antique, crumbling and unroofed cathedral. We stopped for the first night out of Paris at Tubise. Here we were requested by the good landlady to remove our shoes before going up stairs to bed. We complied and found our shoes at the foot of the staircase in the morning. We took breakfast at Waterloo, next morning, in sight of the Lion and the Prussian monument and commented learnedly during our repast upon the famous battles. From there to Brussels, where, upon our first entrance to the city, it seemed a bedlam of market women. Even on the road leading into the city was a long line of small carts drawn by dogs of every pedigree and size. In the carts were brazen milk pails varying in grotesque shapes. The streets of the city were thronged with women, venders of a sort of clams, of vegetables in all stages of decay, and of old clothes and live eels. But when we passed to the front of the magnificent Hotel de Ville, we found a boulevard where all was gaiety and the squalor and vileness of lower town unknown. Riding along the ostentatious boulevard, we viewed the public buildings and then wheeled away into the country toward Aix la Chapelle. We soon discovered that the language was changing. The French of western Belgium was getting mixed with Dutch and the compound was so hopeless a jargon that we nearly despaired. At forks in the road, one man would tell us in vehement French to go one way and another, in emphatic Dutch, to go the other. Then a fellow who spoke a mixture of both, would tell us to go either. We were fortunate, however, and went the direct route to Aix la Chapelle.

At one time, my tire was badly cut on a sharp stone and as it was raining we took refuge in an old flour-mill which was run by a huge windmill. What a quaint old place it was, with the stolid Dutchmen sluggishly moving here and there to adjust machinery. They reefed the sails of the windmill while we were there and we studied the whole operation. This old-fashioned method is strange, but when we see all the reaping done by hand with a sickle, and the threshing done with a flail, and the women, with brawny, weather-beaen arms, doing more than half the work, we are thankful that we live in progressive America. Men, women and children are all experts in balancing on the head, jugs, trays, baskets and anything portable. There is a curious uniformity in the leather bags which each of the myriad school children carries on his or her shoulder.

They have a remarkable hydrant in this country. You press a button and the hydrant does the rest with full force at once. There is no adjustment but the water makes a terrific rush. It is funny to see us try to catch a drink "on the fly." We apply our mouths to the side of the torrent, and inbale, as it were.

We had a great surprise as we neared Aix la Chapelle. I went into a post-office to get a stamp and was told my Belgium money was not good. Then I discovered that we were passing thro' a strip of Holland. It is a surprise, I assure you, to turn up suddenly in a country which you never expected to see. The small villages through this region were so full of pigs that we could not avoid running over them as they scurried about. The inhabitants and pigs took that good-naturedly, so we did. We are getting accustomed to running over small boys, pigs and dogs.

I haven't time to tell the harrowing particulars of how we tried to eat the famous German black bread; nor Harry's chargin when he found one evening that his hair had grown so long, he could not remove his sweater. I can only briefly suggest the appearance of a Dutch village with its slim, pointed church spires and little, dirty, white-washed houses with red-tile roofs. Some of the chateaus are charming. In front of one, I remember a small pond of clear water, a small island covered with foliage; and just above the verdure a charming sculptured Venus rose. Enough now, but more soon.

C. H. VANTYNE.

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THE SLANDERER.

"A lie that is half a lie
Is ever the blackest of lies—
A lie that is all a lie
May be met and fought outright,
But a lie that is half a truth
Is a harder matter to fight."
—Tennyson.

Was Cain a murderer?
Are they also who hate
A brother without cause?
And his, their doom and fate?
More lenient their sin,
And easier to forgive,
Than that which kills the soul
But lets the body live.

A thousand deaths they die
Whom slanderers defame;
The victims of a lie,
Bereft of hope or name.
The tale is glibly told,
Be it, or false, or true,
None careth to inquire,
It harms not me, nor you.

But is there none it harms,
Stealing along by stealth,
Despoiling of its charms
A name more dear than wealth?
A brother's choicest gift,
A sister's hope and all,
Swept by that idle breath,
Years never can recall.

Before the Judgment Seat
Where shall the slanderer stand,
To see recorded there
The work of his own hand?
The agony and tears,
The grief and hopeless sighs,
And vain attempts to trace
His labyrinth of lies.

The malice mixed with truth,
The careless sneer or gibe,
The blasted hopes of youth
The tears that never dried,
The smile that came no more,
The hearts made desolate,
The lost—upon that shore,
How terrible to meet!

Tecumseh, Mich. —V.

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A funny editor describes bloomers as baggy pants, abnormally full at the pistol pocket and where you scratch a match, cut decollette at the bottom and tied around the bottom to keep the mice out.

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This is the salutatory of an Arkansas editor: "Our aim—Tell the truth though the heavens take a tumble. Our paper—Of the people, for the people. Our religion—Orthodox, with a firm belief in hell for delinquent subscribers. Our motto—Take all in sight and rustle for more. Our policy—To love our friends and brimstone our enemies. If thine enemy smite thee on one cheek swipe him with haste and dexterity at the but of the most convenient ear. What we advocate—Our country, one flag and one wife—at a time. Our object—To live in pomp and splendor.

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This man is said to do a good business, although you would not expect it, and his patients say he cures diseases, and does it thoroughly and quickly."—Medical Record.

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THE BOGUS CHECK RACKET.

"Ever get left on the bogus check racket?" repeated the hotel clerk. "Only once.

"It was just after I came here. A stranger alighted from the bus and called me by name even before he entered the door. He was asking me how I liked Buffalo and telling me that Jimmy, the bartender, and Dave, the head waiter in the hotel where I used to work in Pittsburg, had sent their regards to me, even before he registered. I was kicking myself because I couldn't remember him, but, of course, I didn't give myself away. The name he put on the register didn't enlighten me any, either.

"The next morning when I came on watch my new friend was ready to depart. He greeted me with 'Hello, old man! Just tell your cashier this check is all right, will you? I want to settle my bill. I've got to run down to Rochester, but I'll be back with you tomorrow.' The check was for $50 and was signed by one of the best firms in Pittsburg. I told the cashier to take it. He didn't happen to have enough money at the time, and my gentleman began to bluster: 'If you don't want to cash it, he said, 'I'll take it down to the Mansion House, where I used to stop. They'll take it fast enough.' That ought to have aroused my suspicions. Men whose credit is good are not ready to resent fancied slights on their financial stability. But I argued to myself that the man had only come to our house on my acconnt, and that we should lose a customer if he was not accommodated, so I was more anxious than ever to oblige him. I held him till the cashier got the money and gave him his change, $47.

"A few days afterward the check was returned to us as a forgery. I have heard that the fellow played the same game all over the country. He evidently made a specialty of posting himself on the history and personal appearance of hotel clerks, and the desire of our class to be known as everybody's friend did the rest."—Buffalo Express.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., AUGUST 23, 1895.

Mrs. Mary Noon returned from Philadelphia last week.

Miss Lina Jones is enjoying her vacation this week.

Fred Breese, of Lansing, spent Sunday with friends here.

Will Niblack is sojourning among Macon friends this week.

The new block is patiently waiting for its plate glass spectacles.

The Episcopal Sunday school held a picnic at Sand Lake Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Derr went to Dundee Tuesday for a short visit in that village.

Mrs. John Machen returned Saturday from a six weeks' visit at Racine, Wis.

S. O. VanDeMark rode over from Detroit Wednesday on his byke, returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irve Hause were delighted with the arrival of a new boy, Saturday night.

Miss Mamie Humphrey, of Leslie, has been spending a week with friends in our village.

Mrs. Ham Niblack and sister Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, called on friends in Macon, Monday.

H. E. Lindsley and wife visited their friends in AnnArbor and Chelsea the latter part of last week.

Bert Sullivan started Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with friends in the village across the county.

Miss Nellie Cavenaugh, who has been visiting at Patrick Murphy's, returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Florence Davis returned from Hanover, Ill., last Saturday, after a several weeks' absence in that city.

Misses Nellie Martin, Edith Van Giesen, Abbie Chandler, Mae and Minnie Waterhouse spent Wednesday visiting at Morenci.

D. A. Hammond, late of the AnnArbor Argus, and who is now interested in a Chicago book concern, was the guest of W. D. VanTuyle last Saturday.

Miss Carrie Alvord was an Adrian passenger Tuesday, going over for the purpose of attending the teacher's institute in session at the county seat.

Mrs. Fannie Wilder returned to Adrian Monday. Mrs. Wilder has been spending a week at the home of her father in Clinton.

Miss Nellie Kispaugh is taking a vacation from her duties in the postoffice this week. She has been spending most of the time at Manchester and Brooklyn.

E. C. Breese, whose ill health has been a subject of much concern on the part of our towns people, is improving, and, we are glad to say that his recovery is now expected.

Mr. Fanning, a traveling evangelist, will be in Clinton next Saturday. He will hold services in a large tent, which we understand will have a seating capacity of 1,000 souls.

Dr. and Mrs. White accompanied Mrs. Frank Woodward to Ann Arbor the first of the week. Mrs. Woodward went to the University city for the purpose of advising with medical experts in regard to her health.

Rev. A. W. Stalker, of Detroit, who filled the pulpit of the Methodist church here for several years and who still has a host of friends among his old parishoners and others, has been visiting here the past week.

Robert Lake, the Jackson contractor, came down to Clinton Tuesday and took the contract for building the cement walk in front of the new block. The new block is up to date in every particular so far and must have an up to date walk in front of it.

The Indianapolis colony is flourishing at Sand Lake, and the individuals of that miniature commonwealth are making many friends among the citizens of the surrounding country. Mr. and Mrs. Sailor and daughter Edna, who have identified themselves with the aforesaid, are expected to partake of Clinton hospitality at the home of Mrs. C. A. Clark to-day.

The Episcopal ladies said they would, and they did, in spite of circumstances which seemed to be to the contrary. Some time ago as stated in these columns, they decided to repair and renew the whole inside of the church. Their male associates in parochial endeavor rather doubted their ability to carry out the undertaking, but were finally coerced into passiveness and even formulated extensive plans for raising money to re-seat the church. The fair church workers have performed their task to the letter and the church is now decked with new paper, new carpets and new paint, giving the whole inside the appearance of a new edifice. And now, behold, they have ordered new seats in place of the old ones and they will be put in without delay. The ladies of St. Johns are to be highly complimented on their perseverance and tact in this undertaking.

The Shakers have made a great hit. Their Digestive Cordial is said to be the most successful remedy for stomach troubles ever introduced. It immediately relieves all pain and distress after eating, builds up the feeble system and makes the weak strong. The fact is, foods properly digested are better than so-called tonics. The Cordial not only contains food already digested, but is a digester of other foods. Food that is not digested does more harm than good. People who use the Cordial insure the digestion of what food they eat, and in this way get the benefit of it and grow strong. The little pamphlets which the Shakers have sent druggists for free distribution, contain much interesting information on the subject of dyspepsia.

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It is said that a fleet of electric launches will soon be in operation on the lake in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, N. Y.

You cannot say you have tried everything for your rheumatism, until you have taken Ayer's Pills. Hundreds have been cured of this complaint by the use of these pills alone. They were admitted on exhibition at the World's Fair as a standard cathartic. 1w

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

"M. Quad," the Famous Humorist, Takes his Old Place on The Free Press.

We find great pleasure in announceing to our readers that Chas. B. Lewis, the famous "M. Quad," has resumed his former place upon The Detroit Free Press. Since his retirement from The Free Press four years ago Mr. Lewis has been writing for one of the leading syndicates. His preference for direct newspaper work, however, led him to abandon that connection, and hereafter his popular writings will appear only in The Free Press. Mr. and Mrs. Bowser, Brother Gardner, Arizona Kicker, Zeb White, Abe Crofoot, Mrs. Gallup, and many new characters will appear regularly.

The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recomended Dr. King's New Didcovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in resnlts." Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

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Prof. Bell believes that telephoning by means of a ray of light will yet be commercially practical.

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I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste or smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus Geo. Shantz, Rahway, N. J.

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A Great Many are Going.

The C. S. Graves Land Company, 56 5th Ave., Chicago, is forming companies of practical farmers in this and other counties of this state, to settle on land in Central Wisconsin, Clark county (see advertisement in this paper). Unless you have made arrangements to buy land of this company, you had better write for particulars, as the present price will be advanced soon. 1w

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Farmers' Annual Picnic.

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Do You Want Summer Boarders?

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway has in course of preparation for the season of 1896 a book of information for people desiring to learn of places at which to pass their summer vacation. This information is wanted both for hotels and boarding houses at summer resorts as well as for farm houses wishing summer boarders. Send your name and address to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for a blank to be filled out to cover the matter desired for the book. 4w

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NEWS NOTES.

An explosion at furnace H of the Carnegie Steel company at Braddock, Pa., killed six men, fatally injured five more, seriously burned fifteen others and destroyed $30,000 worth of property.

A passenger steamer ran into and sank a barge near Mehrum, France, and eight persons were drowned.

Thomas Bond, who murdered George Hackett and attempted to kill Mr. and Mrs. Blakewell, at Orgreave last spring, was hanged at Stafford, England.

The twenty-eighth annual Peace union opened at Mystic, Conn., and would continue four days.

Field and forest fires were doing great damage in many parts of southeastern Michigan, and farmers were engaged night and day in efforts to save their buildings from destruction.

A steam yacht foundered in Lake Erie at Buffalo and seven men were drowned.

Four men held up a Chicago & West Michigan express passenger train near Fennville, Mich., but got only seven dollars and two silver watches.

The entire Salvation Army corps at Madison, Wis., were arrested for holding meetings in the street.

Directors of the Atlanta exposition have decided to prevent the Mexican village commissioners from holding a bull fight during the exposition.

The Pullman company has discontinued the sale of wines and liquors in its cars in Wyoming rather than take out a state license.

A rate war prevailed among retail druggists of Kansas City which was demoralizing the trade.

The Buffalo (N. Y.) driving park, the mother track of the grand circuit, which recently closed its thirtieth annual meeting, is to be closed up and pass out of existence as a race track.

John Wester Hardin, the terror of the Mexican border, was shot and killed in a saloon at El Paso, Tex., by Constable Sellman.

A. J. Lusk, who while cashier of the First national bank of Wichita, Kan., two years ago was accused of stealing $80,000, was captured near Portland, Ore.

It was said that Ainsworth R. Spofford, librarian of congress, was short $35,000 in his accounts.

Four carpenters endeavored to extinguish a fire on a burning bridge near Coeur d'Alene, Wash., but the flames cut off their retreat and all four had to jump into a chasm 136 feet deep and were dashed to pieces.

Will Have a Free Silver Organ.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 16.—Ex-Congressman George F. Richardson and F. W. Ball, late proprietor of the Democrat, have bought the Grand Rapids Independent and will start a weekly free silver organ of the white metal Michigan democrats.

Old Comrades Meet.

Ypsilanti, Aug. 16.—At the annual reunion of the Fourth Michigan cavalry J. T. Hurst, of Wyandotte, was elected president; E. C. Crane, of Kalamazoo, vice president, and H. A. Backus, of Detroit, secretary.

Death of Levi Lawrence.

Decatur, Aug. 15.—Levi Lawrence, who came into Michigan while it was a territory, and was one of the largest grain growers of the state, died Wednesday at Volnia.

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Mr. Charles H. Hoffman is a fireman on the M. C. R. R., and resides at 132 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: "I have suffered for a long time from a kidney and bladder disorder which has at times rendered me incapable of work; have been at the hospital for my complaint and discharged from there as cured, but the old complaint has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I began taking them, with most gratifying results. Urinary complaints which bothered me greatly are very much improved, and the pain I suffered in my back has entirely left me, my general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without Doan's Kidney Pills, I think others should know what a valuable remedy it is."

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, in said county to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 2d of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres in the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-one (21), township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee on the 5th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

John E. Bird, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Thomas R. Kyle, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Joseph Grey, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 7th day of August, A. D., 1895, levy upon seize and take all the right, title and interest of Joseph Grey in and to that parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as beginning at a point in the east line of northeast quarter of section 34, town 5 south, of range 4 east, 5 chains south of the northeast corner of said section, running thence south along the east line of said section 18 chains 71¾ links; thence west parallel with the quarter section line running east and west through said section 40 chains to the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north along said quarter section line 10 chains and 43¾ links to the southeast corner of land formerly owned by David Mudgett, thence easterly along the south line of said land formerly owned by David Mudgett as aforesaid to the southwest corner of land formerly owned by Atuston Inis, thence easterly along the south line of land formerly owned by Inis to place of beginning, containing about 41.65 acres. Also the north 42½ acres of a certain 86 acres conveyed by G. J. Hanford to Eliza Grey by deed, dated May 11, 1856, recorded in Liber 142 on page 483, said 86 acres described as south part of northeast quarter of section 30 town 5 south of range 4 east. All of which I shall expose for sale, at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee on the 26th, day of September, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

Walter C. Burridge,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

State of Michigan, County of Lenawee. ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 29th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry T. Luce, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Elvira S. Luce, executrix of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to render her second annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decreee as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Mrs. James Haight is on the sick list.

James Haight made a business trip to Toledo on Wednesday.

Chas. DuBois is taking in wheat liveow at the new elevator.

Geo. Clark resumed his duties as t operator last Tuesday night.

R. S. Scudder and Mart Sickley, of con, were in town Wednesday afterod.

Do not forget the place and date of e farmers' big picnic at Devils Lake, g. 29th.

M. Hiscock, of Toledo, is visiting reives and friends in this vicinity for w days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pennington, of con visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen Thursday.

There will be a ball game to-morrow ernoon on the home grounds between ne and Britton.

Dr. E. E. Hendershot and family, of con, were visiting friends in the llage last Tuesday.

The Holcomb sisters of Jerome were guests of Samuel Underwood's famSunday and Monday.

Knifin & Hendershot are negotiating th the Wabash for a side track at ir brick and tile works.

E. G. Price shipped a valuable Shropire buck to E. D. Ludlum, of Eddy, w Mexico, one day last week.

About ten people from Britton will ke in the Boston excursion. They ave over the Wabash this forenoon.

L. E. Ousterhout and wife, who have en visiting friends and relatives in lisdale, returned home Tuesday ght.

Miss Hattie Ball, of Dundee, is visitg Bertha Britton this week.

Mr. Hallam, who has been night operor at the Wabash station for the past o weeks, left for Decatur on Wednesy.

David Watson, of Moscow, visited reives and friends here Sunday, returnon the excursion train Sunday eveg.

It is expected that the Page Fence nts will play ball here on the 31st, the arrangements are not yet fully pleted.

W. Lenardson and family are rusting at Wampler's lake this week, company with J. B. Coller and family Macon.

A. A. Babcock and family and Andrew ever and family returned from their ing at Wamplers Lake on Sunday ernoon.

The first car of celery from Tecumseh season was transferred to the Wah here Wednesday. Shipped by the irie Side Celery Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hause returned m their wedding trip Monday. On sday they went to Clinton, where y will reside permanently.

The ball game last Friday between business men and laborers was quite xciting one, the latter winning by a re of 31 to 18. There will be another me soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark returned day night from their Mackinaw trip. hey had a delightful journey and Will turns much refreshed and ready for siness again.

The Wabash coal house took fire esday afternoon and it took several rs hard work to get the fire out of e coal. Spontaneous combustion was e cause. Damage slight.

Be sure and take in the excursion to evils Lake next Sunday, Aug. 25th, to e Driggs Bros. in their double trapese rformance. They will be at the easant Grove Hotel on the south side.

Clarence Lowe went to Hamilton, Ind., day, to catch a trial game for that b. The score stood 10 to 2. Lowe d the game without a single error he may conclude to sign with them.

Andrew Gogoline seems to be a hustr. His next scheme is to build an n to the village, on the North, nd owners will give him a show ll not be long before we will see es going up. We understand he already arranged for five or six ings on land belonging to Thos. land on North street.

t Saturday, while Ray Nivison was g their horse from the blacksmith home, the horse took fright and him off. The boy struck on his and shoulders and was picked up nsible. Fortunately, however, he ained no serious injury and soon red, and was about town the next day ell as ever. It was a boy's lucky dent.

he condition of the side walks on n street along the hotel block is ainly rocky, and to hear biff of the followed by the low but earnest words that follow some poor ununate's innings with the end of a e plank, ought to inspire a philanphic feeling in the breasts of the perty owners. Let's have them fixed. are several walks about the vil- are sadly in need of repair.

enty-five Knights walked O. T. M. hall at the close of k of the Hive on Friday evennd taking possession, pronce to set table and before recovered from their surprise were loaded with things good being a very warm evening, cream being of the best, the bsorbed was considerable. body had a good time. May such be more frequent.

HOAGLAND REUNION.

h reunion of the Hoagland t place at the home of Homer ea on Saturday last, Aug. 17. o be a most enjoyable occaweather was fine and about enty relatives were present, nprising parents, children and grandldren with a few intimate friends g in Rea. The company began to early in the forenoon and the until noon was passed in a social A bountiful dinner was served noon. In the afternoon a formal am of exercises was presented, furnished a delightful entertainfor the guests. The reunion next will be held at the home of Chas. gland. Below is the program as ected.

PROGRAM.

Quartette.
Devotional Exercises—Clark Miller.
Instrumental—Clara Miller.
Secretary's Report.
Recitation—Jennie Hoagland.
Duett—Mabel Kniffin and Mertie Bachman.
Recitation—Blanche Kniffen.
Song—Jud Kniffin.
Recitation—Grace Hoagland.
Inst. Music—Gertie Kniffin.
Recitation—Matie Hoagland.
Song—Jud Kniffin.
Recitation—Madge Kniffin.
Inst. Solo—Clara Miller.
Inst. Music—Mable Kniffin and Mertie Bachman.
History—Mamie Osgood.
Officers for the ensuing year—Pres. Chas. Hoagland; Sec. L. C. Hoagland; Treas. Sam'l Kniffin; Historian, Gertie Kniffin.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Miss Hattie Osborne is gaining slowly.

Montie Florence is visiting friends at Grosse Isle.

Mr. J. O. Shepard and Mrs. Cansfield are on the sick list.

Prof. E. A. Wilson and wife returned to Benton Harbor Friday.

Farmer's picnic will be held at Devil's Lake, Thursday, the 29th.

Addie Sherman attended the examination at Adrian last week.

Miss Edith Collins, of Blissfield, is the guest of Miss Lillian Dorsham.

Prof. H. C. Wilson, of Paw Paw, came out for a short stay with his parents.

Miss Mae Jones returned from Hudson Friday, accompanied by Mary Nelson.

Miss Martha Lawton is the guest of Mrs. O. D. Fairbanks, at Adrian, this week.

Mattie and Mollie Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, are the guests of Mrs. S. L. Rappleye this week.

Wm. Cox and wife, of Holloway, Theodore Cox and wife, of St. Johns, visited Kate Cox, Monday.

Mr. W. B. Amer got his hand badly cut with a band knife while feeding a threshing machine.

Mr. Joe Foote and bride, of Farmer, Seneca Co., N. Y., are the guests of Chas. Foote and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson are at Hanover this week attending the Densmore and Kelly reunion.

Bert Raymond, of Dixon, Ill., visited his cousins, Mrs. W. L. Jones and Ella Hall, from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Anderson, of Detroit, who were called to Holloway by the death of his sister, Mrs. Ash, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jacob Arner.

C. W. Culbertson and wife with relatives and friends went to Sand Lake Sunday for a day at the water's edge. Most of the party will remain a week.

The ladies of the Ridgeway W. C. T. U. will hold their annual ice cream social on Mrs. John Arner's lawn, Friday evening of the present week. The committee in charge decided not to have a program for the occasion, but make it a social event, where young and old may have an evening of enjoyment. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Ice cream and cake 10c.

Last Sunday morning while Frank Wintersteen and family were away from home attending church, two rough looking men broke into their house, stole two razors, a large butcher knife, jewelry, clothing and a number of other articles, besides helping themselves to a good square meal of vituals. Leaving the house after they had taken all they wanted, they were seen coming down the road by Henry Karcher, who lived close by, and Ed. Smith, of Toledo, who happened to be visiting at Karcher's, a relative of his. When they came nearer Smith recognized one of the men as belonging to the party who broke jail at Toledo last Saturday. Smith told Mr. Karcher of his suspicions and the two men started for the thieves, who, seeing them, broke into a run across a corn field. They were pursued for some distance and then all track of them was lost. Deputy Stevens, of Tecumseh, was at once notified. Mr. Wintersteen did not learn of his loss until he returned from church.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Seymour Love is very poorly.

Mrs. Oliver Mull is somewhat better.

Truman Deming continues to improve.

Miss Aylsworth will teach in the Center school this fall.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is feeling the effects of her arch enemy, hay fever.

Walter Osborne, of Tecumseh, was in this vicinity, selling grass seed, Monday.

Fred Bunting came out to see his sister, Mrs. Toby Mudget, whose health is very poor.

Cecil Billington, Hoyt Whelan and Earl Burtless were among the excursionists to Toledo Sunday.

The Misses Alma Whelan and Irene Allen sojourned at Wampler's lake last week, the guests of Allen Wells.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Ed. Dawson of Blissfield, spent Sunday at home.

John Lewis and wife are domiciled in their new home.

Uncle Ben Kelly is quite sick. Dr. Nixon is in attendance.

Miss Jennie Underwood, of Ridgeway, was in town Thursday evening.

Mrs. Carrie Kishpaugh, of Hanover, Mich., was calling on friends Friday.

Tom Hartman and L. C Winship went to Ogden Center on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hainey, of Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hainey of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winship were in town Saturday evening the guests of their parents.

F. G. Florence and family and L. B. Spencer and family are outing at Sand Lake this week.

Ed. Anderson and wife, of Detroit, came down to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Ash.

Bert Chase, of Detroit, is here for a few weeks' visit before returning to complete his education as a doctor.

Ed. Rogers and Bro. Fred, C. B. Anthony and Stanley Doty, rusticated at the lakes Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Mercer of Harper Hospital, Detroit, who has been caring for Mrs. Ash, returned to that city Friday evening.

Let some one with enterprise come with a new store, for we need one very much, and help boom the town, for it is a good location.

Maude and Allie Brown returned from Ogden Saturday afternoon where they have been stopping with their aunt, Mrs. Henry Houghtby.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rothfus and Master Arthur returned from Blissfield Tuesday, accompanied by her little sister, Nannie Thompson.

Death has again visited our town taking for its victim Mrs. Jas. Ash, who has been a sufferer from consumption for four months and died August 15th. She was buried from the Friend's church, Raisin Center, the 17th, inst., and a large audience attended, showing the deep sympathy they had for the husband and six little children to mourn the loss of a devoted mother and wife, the youngest being four months. Rev. Maynard, of Sparta Center, Michigan, officiated and Mr. Everiss and daughter Maggie and Mrs. Regina Winship of Adrian, furnished sweet music and it was one of the saddest funerals ever held in this community. The lady Maccabees attended in a body.

MACON MUSIC.

J. W. Howell left for his work in the north last Friday.

Mrs. Austin, of Tecumseh, spent several days with friends here last week.

Mr. Arthur Camburn occupied the Reformed pulpit last Sunday morning.

Arthur Howell, of Detroit, spent several days among Macon friends last week.

Their Macon friends were glad to see the faces of Mrs Hamilton Niblack and Miss Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, in our midst last Monday.

Emerson Sage has been one of the fortunate ones who have secured a good well, though it was necessary to go 67 feet to get the water.

The Maccabee entertainment of last Friday evening drew out a fair house. In spite of the intense heat, the reciter made his audience appreciate him.

Misses Ida Hendershot, Minta Jackson, Maggie Clarkson and Maude Howell chose(?) last Thursday and Friday to visit some of the scenery of Adrian.

Our district has been so fortunate as to secure the services of Mr. Geo. Rendell in our school for the coming year. Mr. Rendell has been attending the Normal the past year and for the three years preceding that he taught in the Lewis school.

(Delayed Letter)

C. E. Triplet was in town the first of the week.

Van Bennett and Huckins have come and gone. Peace to their ashes.

John Austin, of Tecumseh, came down on his wheel Monday evening.

The Maccabees gave an elocutionary and musical entertainment in the M. E. church Friday evening.

The regular correspondent is "off duty" this week, which accounts for the excellence(?) of the items.

Edgar Harriott now runs a meat wagon and he can be depended upon to sell a good article at a fair price. Try him once and you will be convinced.

Misses Nettie Crittenden and Mabel Pennington and Messrs. Ed Miller, Chas. Skinner and Guernsey Collins were appointed delegates to the E. L. convention at Chelsea this week.

The conundrum social was a success, netting about $15 to the church society. The Peake sisters spoke a piece about a bachelor's wedding, in a costume which made the bachelors present get behind a tree to hide their blushes. The Comb orchestra was excellent.

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The yacht of the future will doubtless be driven, heated and lighted by electricity.

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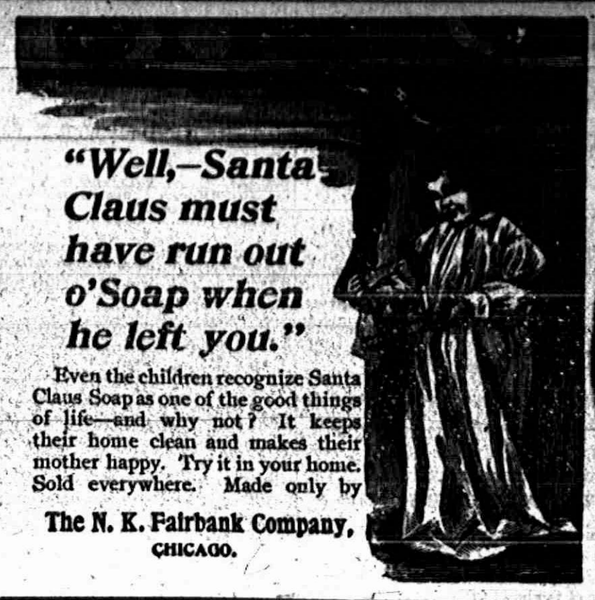

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THE STAR COURSE FOR 1895-6.

Tecumseh may not be much of a "show" town, but we have for several years supported an entertainment course second to none in the State. This season the management have determined to improve, if possible, their former lists and with that end in view have made their selections early, thereby securing the very best talent in the market.

The first concert will be given by the Redpath Grand Concert Company, which is booked for Saturday, Oct. 19. This troupe consists of four artists, artists in the full meaning of the term, any one of whom would alone be an attraction even in a Tecumseh Star course. Mrs. Genevra Johnstone-Bishop, the soprano, Miss Maud Powell, the violinist, Mrs. Clara Murray, the harp virtuoso, and Mr. Rudolph VonScarpa, an Austrian pianist, complete the quartette. The expense of this company will necessitate putting the price of single admission at $1.00. Buy your season tickets early and get in on this concert.

The second will be Geo. Kennan, the Siberian traveler, writer and lecturer, whose work and reputation are too well known to need description. Nov. 9th is his date for Tecumseh.

The third will be Leland T. Powers, Tecumseh's favorate impersonator. The more our people see of him the more they want to. Dec. 10, is fixed for Mr. Powers' appearance here.

John Temple Graves will lecture here Jan. 27, '96. This man is new to our audiences but his reputation as "the most eloquent Southerner of to-day" has become national.

Edward Remenyi occupies the 5th place for Feb. 5. It is a matter of exceptional favor that a Tecumseh audience ever has the opportunity to hear so great a master of the violin as this renowned Hungarian. Remenyi is supported by able associates.

The sixth and last will be Prof. John B. DeMotte. Everybody who heard DeMotte last year wanted to hear him again the very next night. Those who did not hear the lecture talked about him so much that they have been living since simply to hear DeMotte before they die. They will all be there on March 28, if they live through the winter.

The season tickets at $1.50 each will soon be on sale, and the above array of talent will assure their ready disposal.

Correcting a Misapprehension.

In our issue of July 5th, this item appeared:

Gus Cummins is something of a rider too. He came in Monday on his wheel from Chicago, having been just 12 hours on the road, a distance of 220 miles.

Gus came on the Lake Shore train and rode from the depot to the house on his wheel. People here understood the joke, but some outsiders misconstrued it, as the following note will show:

DETROIT, Mich., 7-22-'95.

EDITOR HERALD—Dear Sir: Refering to clipping shown from "Herald" July 5th, the writer is an old long distance wheelman and has looked in later issues of the "Herald" for a correction of either of the distance or the time, as 19 1-6 miles an hour on the road, is too near passenger train time to be credited by very many readers, as a continuous run, and the writer infers that some one has made an error in the riding time, or that the rider rode on a passenger train for part of the distance, or made too many halts for refreshments on the way. I would also say that the time is faster than that of the Cleveland-Pittsburg road-race of a few days ago. Yours very truly.

READER.

The Arena's Art Gallery.

We call attention to the prospectus of the Arena, to be found in another column. In addition to being the leader among the high class magazines, it gives to each subscriber a copy of the "Arena Portrait Gallery," containing forty portraits of distinguished persons, which is worth as much as the magazine itself. There are fifty readers of the HERALD who could and should take advantage of this offer.

The yacht of the future will doubtless be driven, heated and lighted by electricity.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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THE COLLEGE BOYS.

(Continued from last week.)

If Paul were to visit this country and be as frank as he was with the Athenians, he would say, "I perceive, O Christian men of America, that ye are too superstitious!" The word is Latin, compounded of "super," meaning over, and "stare"—to stand—to stand over. Now it is just as true in law, logic, religion and politics as in Latin that one who stands over a thing does not understand it. Which is to say that a superstitious person is uppish, stilted, uncertain or unsound, with wild, exaggerated or grotesquely foreshortened views of things. To go up in a ballon is a very poor way to see the world, and that is our trouble. Our common Christianity suffers for an application of Solomon's old fashioned, expressive, but infallible specific for nonsense, acute or chronic—to wit, "Get understanding." That of course would be quite impossible for some of us, and it would be difficult for many and not nearly so easy for any of us as it sounds.

But the rub is to get rid of our overstanding. Some of us keep such a sharp lookout for God that we fail to see people. Others of us so diligently observe the wind that we forget to sow. We get so carried away by the thought of having a preacher sent to the heathen that we never notice that there are 30,000 gallons of whisky on the same vessel. We watch so for the coming of the Lord in the air that we ignore his footprints in the dust and soil of the earth, but that is where they are or nowhere, and his own word is, "He that will come after me, let him take up his cross and follow me." Which by the usual interpretation means to speak in class-meeting or the like, and it may be that, but is much more. You will not think I cast a slur upon any custom, interest or doctrine. I am contending that our best people are prone to overlook close, present, unpopular, disagreeable, dangerous crosses just as we are apt to be busier about the faults of others than our own. The drunkard sees his wife's ill temper; she sees his drunkenness, and each grows worse.

Take up your cross.
Yours is a hod; shoulder it!
Yours is a broom; sweep with it!
Yours is a pick; strike with it!
Yours is pen and paper; write!
Yours is a flag; fly it!
Yours is a song; sing it!
Yours is a sword; smite with it!

But there is one common cross to all citizens; I mean the one we place against men and measures on a ballot slip. We must take up that and follow him to the capitol.

But the road is through Gethsemane and Calvary and so instinctively we follow the way of the world and make detours to avoid trouble. It is all very fine to follow Jesus to a wedding, to raise Lazarus, to visit Mary and Martha, and be caressed. But to be crucified—that is different. That is where we lose power.

Paul said "Be not conformed to this world"—Latin for "spoon fashion." Be not "spoon fashion" to a saloon keeper in the ballot box! There is the saddest phase of the saloon question, that the voting church is spoon fashion with the drink shop. But be transformed—cross-formed. I remember in Gounod's opera where Valentine would avenge poor Margurite and finds his sword useless against the foul find, but suddenly reverses it and holds up the hilt, which is a cross, and the fiend crouches and flies. So in the presence of a church transformed by real, operative, unwavering faith in God, wrong shrivels, crawls and dies, but all the powers of sin revel in the coy conformity of Christians.

When the steeple stoops to shake hands with the saloon upon election day it is out of plumb, and out of plumb for a day is out of power for a year, and it is no answer to say it is trying to make the saloon look up.

You ask me to preach the old gospel and draw drunkards into the church. Stop! Let me ask you where does the pastor stand upon this question? He does not stand—he sits upon it.

He would not dare read a W. C. T. U. notice in his pulpit or pray at a Prohibition convention. I say he is not a good pastor for a drunkard. Where is the membership? They are for high license! A drunkard must find a higher level, or he will go back to drink. Show me a clean church, and I'll devote my life to getting men into it, but I will exhort no drunkard to join a church that winks at or consents to a saloon.

I do adjure you to put the cross of Christ upon your ballots. We do intend to—next year. But there is such procrastination, in consequence and up-in-the-airness about much of our religion that some of us never get the relations of terrestrial things upon the level. Ages of rolling up our eyes have given us astigmatism: perpendicular lines are vivid, but we are blind horizontally.

(Continued next week.)

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Burtis is a slick shaver—try him.

Jackson vs. Tecumseh tomorrow.

Miss Mattie Caldwell is visiting in Onsted.

Roy Conklin is at home this week on a short visit.

Mrs. F. B. Deuel, of Elkhart, is stopping with friends in town.

Rev. C. M. Brown returned from his vacation in Iowa last night.

The Baptist Sunday School will hold their picnic next Thursday.

Deacon Howard is worse again and his condition is regarded as critical.

Teeple, the artist, is cleaning house and getting ready for a big business this fall.

Mrs. Aldrich, of Minneapolis, is the guest of C. H. Bramble's family this week.

Mrs. Levi C. Hayden and Miss Camilla Mead have both been on the sick list this week.

Miss Allie Warren, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Everett, the first of the week.

Capt. S. R. McClure will act as junior warden for the Adrian Commandery during their Boston trip.

Miss Edith Steinhoff, of Simcoe, Ont., who has been the guest of Mrs. Starling, returned home Monday.

H. O. Wills, accompanied by a male quartette, is holding open air gospel meetings every evening, on monument square.

Roy Langton and Earl Updyke took in the excursion to Toledo Sunday, but they did not take it back. It came back too soon.

Miss Lizzie Lowry departed for Chicago Wednesday morning for a few weeks' visit with her brother and friends in that city.

Mrs. Fred Rosacrans' Sunday school class indulged in a picnic Wednesday afternoon in the old Court House park. The little shavers had a fine time.

Mrs. A. E. Kellogg, of Denver, Col., is visiting for the week with Mrs. Geo. Kellogg, of Jackson, and Mrs. L. F. Selfridge, of Chicago, at B. L. Baxter's.

The stockholders of the Tecumseh Library Association are requested to meet at the reading room, Saturday evening next, at 8 o'clock. A. P. Lee, Sec'y.

Miss Iva Elliott enjoyed a few days' visit with friends in Adrian. She returned Wednesday night with her sister Toosy, who has been at Quincy two months.

Twenty bands have already signified their intention of being present at the annual tournament of the Michigan and Ohio band association, to be held at Hillsdale, Aug. 28.

Yesterday's Telegram announces that the Adrian ball team will not disband, but that enough money has been raised to keep them in the league the remainder of the season.

The Episcopal Sunday school held their picnic Wednesday afternoon in Samuel Haight's grove in Raisin. There was a good attendance and they had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Earle, of Cincinnati, arrived in town Wednesday, and will remain about a week with A. P Coddington's family. They like their present home very much.

The Christian Endeavor society held a lawn social at the Presbyterian church last evening, which was well attended. Ice cream and cake were served and Wills' quartette favored the crowd with their presence.

Harry Nay, aged 18 years, 2 months, 24 days, died in his mother's house in Holloway, Wednesday night, supposedly from concussion of the brain, or from the bursting of a blood vessel in the brain. It is a great loss to his mother. Last winter she buried her oldest son and now is called upon to part with her youngest so suddenly. He was a young man of promise and was liked by all who knew him. His death is a great surprise to his many friends. He will be buried beside his brother in the Tecumseh cemetery from the home in Holloway, Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Last Monday occurred a very pretty wedding ceremony at the Methodist church whereby John Barkwell and Miss Minnie Doolittle were united in marriage. Both of the contracting parties are natives of Canada. They came to Tecumseh from Mt. Pleasant and have won a goodly circle of friends and acquaintances since residing here. The groom was recently associated with Mr. Stickle in the steam laundry and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Stickle. Mr. Barkwell will simply change partners, and the HERALD joins in congratulations and in wishing the new firm success and happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Barkwell, after a short trip to Detroit and Windsor, have returned to Tecumseh where they will reside.

The young people of South Macon will give a carpet ball social at Grange hall, Friday evening, Aug. 30. The ladies are requested to bring a ball with their name written on paper inside the ball. The balls will be sold to the gentlemen at 25 cents each. Proceeds to go towards painting the hall. Refreshments, peaches and cream, etc. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The game last Saturday between Tecumseh and Clinton was a little ragged on both sides, although quite well enjoyed by those who witnessed it. It also turned out pretty evenly, the score standing 16 to 15 in favor of our boys at the close. Some very good plays were made, but want of practice makes wild throws and errors, which allows a side to go to pieces now and then, while their opponents are scoring. More practice and both teams will be O. K.

The great bicycle race event in Michigan will be the tri-state meet to be held at the fair grounds in Jackson, on Wednesday, Sept. 4. The races are nearly all for class A men and the prizes that have been hung up by those having the arrangements in charge, include a rich lot of diamonds and gold and silver trophies. The program is a fine one, special championship races being arranged with fast men to start. Some of the fastest men on the track will be present. Perfect arrangements for the reception and entertainment of bicycle men have been made. Jackson will do herself honor in the eyes of Michigan bicyclists. T. W. Chapin is president of the meet; W. A. Tinker, treasurer; H. R. Earle, secretary.

"Prosecuting Attorney John E. Bird has sprung a genuine surprise on his friends in this city. At noon today, at the home of the bride's parents in Troy, New York, Mr. Bird and Miss Katherine Brown were united for life. The bride is a prepossessing young lady, intelligent, highly educated and will grace with dignity the home of the prosecuting attorney. They first met two years ago at Ocean Springs, Miss., where Miss Brown was visiting her uncle, Lon Sheldon, a half brother of Wm. M. Sheldon of this city, and Mr. Bird was spending a time on account of the health of his mother. The young people will spend a couple of weeks in a trip around the lakes, to Mackinac and other points, and return to Adrian, where rooms at the home of Geo. R. Morey, of Toledo street, are awaiting their arrival." Above is from the Telegram of Wednesday. The groom has a host of friends in Tecumseh and in this section of the county who will unite in extending their congratulations. Mr. Bird has already acquired a fine legal practice and all that he needed now to make life happy was a better half to share his happiness with him. The happy pair will please accept the HERALD'S best wishes for their success in life.

OBITUARY.

MRS. KITTIE MARSH.

Last Saturday morning occurred the death of Mrs. Kittie Stevenson Marsh, wife of W. W. Marsh. Mrs. Marsh has been a sufferer from consumption for many months. Some weeks ago, in company with her husband she took a trip to relatives in New York State, in hopes that the change would be beneficial to her failing health. However, such was not to be and the sufferer was compelled to return home where, in spite of every attention she gradually failed until the end. The deceased was born in Seneca county, New York, Aug. 5th, 1851, died Aug. 17, 1895, at her home in Tecumseh, Mich., aged 44 years and 12 days. She was the mother of seven children, five of whom together with her husband survive to mourn their irreparable loss. Mrs. Marsh was an exemplary wife and mother, and little else need be said in praise of any woman. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the house, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

MRS. LOVISA CLARK.

Lovisa Walker was born in Madison county, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1814. On the 7th of June, 1833, she became the wife of Henry R. Clark, and for over thirty years the family lived on a beautiful farm near Earlville, Madison county. In 1866 they came to Michigan and bought the old Goodrich farm at Newburgh, where she found a happy home until 1883. Her husband passed on to the higher life in 1875. In 1883 she came to this village where she lived for seven years. In 1890 she left her home in Tecumseh and took up her abode with her brother, Scovel J. Walker, in the township of Norvel, where her declining years were happily spent and where she passed peacefully to her final rest on Tuesday, July 23d, 1895. She was never blessed with children and her household duties seemed to be only a pastime for her. She possessed a peculiarly cheerful disposition, was friendly with everyone and never knew an enemy. For over fifty years she was a firm believer in the beautiful philosophy of Spiritualism, which made her earthly pilgrimage bright and happy, her transition joyous and peaceful. The funeral obsequies were held at Mr. Walker's residence on July 25th, conducted by H. C. Andrew, an inspirational speaker, of Bridgeport, Mich., assisted by Rev. J. Merrifield, the Universalist minister of Manchester. The remains were then conveyed to Tecumseh and deposited by the side of her husband's on the family lot in our Evergreen cemetery. Let us trust that her spirit is already communing with the loved one who has gone before.

Card of Thanks.

W. W. Marsh and family wish to extend thanks to all those who kindly assisted with help and sympathy during their recent bereavement. Also, to the Masonic brothers in recognition of their beautiful floral offering.

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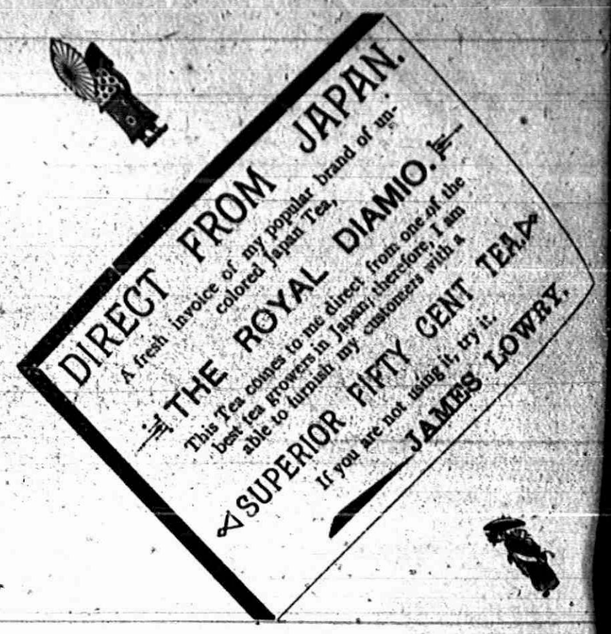

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 22, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Trotting matinee Saturday, Aug. 31st.

Dr. Steinhoff went to Addison on Monday.

Bert Baker, of Toledo, was in town over Sunday.

J. S. Starling was a Clinton visitor on Wednesday.

Remember the next trotting matinee on Saturday Aug. 31st.

Mrs. Capt. Chilson returned last Saturday from a trip up the lakes.

Geo. J. Keyser has received an original pension of $6.00 per month.

Lavern Bidwell has put down a cement walk in front of his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, of Elgin, Ill. left for their home last Wednesday.

Miss Pauline Wilson will teach in the Hurry district in Franklin next term.

Ed. McDermid, of London, Ont. is the guest of A. P. Coddington's family this week.

Mr. Baxter rather expected a shower Tuesday afternoon, but it failed to materialize.

Miss Alta Phinney, of Vineland, N. J. is the guest of Mrs. Theo. Crane for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwella Hodges are the guests of G. W. Jackson's family for a few days.

Several Tecumseh teachers attended the teachers' examination at Adrian last week.

The State teachers' institute for Lenawee county is in session this week at Adrian.

The Coiled Spring Hustler for July, is hustling around among the admirers of the Page fence.

Mrs. Geo. Merritt went to Cadillac last Wednesday for a brief visit with H. H. Merritt's family.

A meeting will be held next Monday evening at the Baptist Church to organize a law and order league.

Mrs. J. D. Shull and her two daughters returned home last Friday from a week's visit at Cleveland Ohio.

Fred Pocklington is rushing the foundation walls of Geo. Knapp's new dwelling. The frame will be raised next week.

Jud DePuy, of Detroit, is spending the present week with his many Tecumseh acquaintances. He does'nt seem to grow old a particle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hialey have returned from Virginia. They had a delightful trip and a very enjoyable visit with Capt. Wood's family.

Mrs. Thos. Miller and Mrs. Lister Bovey, after several weeks' sojourn with Tecumseh friends, took their departure last Friday for their home in Washington D. C.

We are indebted to Will F. Anderson for late Chattanooga papers. Preparations are already in progress for a big time at the dedication of the Chickamauga battle field.

Educators know that it is in the preparatory courses that the pupil needs the most instruction: "Rightly begun is half done." To begin right enter the fall term of the F. N. U. Aug. 27.

Henry Stevens has three acres of immense corn on the Kneeland place, opposite the Globe mill. One stalk of corn, measuring 14 feet in length, is on exhibition in front of Whitenack's store.

A. D. Dewey has a fine lot of clover and timothy seed for sale, as cheap for cash as any man in town. He pays 12 cts cash for eggs. Chickens, hides and furs wanted at the highest market price.

Will VanAntwerp went fishing Tuesday at Wamplers Lake, and caught one hundred and eleven fish. At least Dame Rumor so reported, and the old lady wouldn't lie about a little matter of that kind.

Will Odion took a trip on his wheel to Wamplers and Sand lakes last Sunday. He came home from Sand Lake in just forty-five minutes. There was a stiff west wind and he coasted about half the way.

Last Saturday morning, six men broke jail at Toledo, one of whom was John Munda, the wife murderer. Some of the men were seen near Ridgeway on Monday and recognized, but they eluded pursuit. None of them have been captured as yet.

Burtis can cut your hair right.

Trotting matinee Saturday, Aug. 31st.

Geo. Tansley, of Addison, was in town Wednesday.

C. H. Thompson, of Clinton, was in town this morning.

Miss Clara Davis, of Tekonsha, is the guest of Miss Ada Boyd this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Farrah, of Ann Arbor, visited friends in town the first of the week.

Clyde Pratt, of Toledo, spent Sunday here as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Jennie Hall.

Many people from this vicinity will attend the big picnic at Devils Lake, next Thursday.

Mrs. Sallie Wager, of Sturgis, who has been visiting at W. W. Shurtz', returned home Tuesday.

James Lowry has received another invoice of tea direct from Japan. Read his new card for particulars.

The Prairie Side Celery Co. shipped a car load of celery to Detroit Tuesday over the Mackinaw and Wabash.

Irve DeLapp, who runs on the Lake Shore from Auburn, Ind., formerly of Tecumseh, was visiting friends here last week.

Remember the farmer's big picnic at Devil's Lake next week Thursday, Aug. 29th. Excursion trains will run over the Mackinaw.

C. A. Wright and wife and J. H. Smith took the Lake Shore train this morning for Adrian to join the K. T. excursion party over the Wabash, which left Adrian at 10 o'clock this forenoon.

Last Saturday evening Mr. P. Kuntze and Mrs. May DeHaven, both of Cincinnati, were married at the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bly. The couple left for their home, Monday.

The Odd Fellows of Hillsdale, Lenawee and Branch counties held a grand reunion and picnic at Bawbeese Park last Wednesday. There was a large crowd present and a fine program was given in the afternoon.

An Ypsilanti lady has discovered that powdered cloves will make a carpet bug throw up the sponge. The dust is found to enter the circulation, clogging the arteries. Heart-clog ensues and there is a dead carpet bug.

C. A. Slayton invites the public to witness the performance of the McCormick corn binder to be seen on Frank Bryan's farm to-morrow, Saturday, at 2 p. m. This machine is a wonder and if you dislike to cut corn as badly as some people do you had better investigate.

The convention of the Commercial Lawyers, held last week at Detroit was attended by several Lenawee County attorneys. Among them were J. W. Wightman and Will Ingersoll of Tecumseh, who were present during the entire session, returning home Friday evening.

During the past season John R. Clarke was at the Georgia Chatauqua Assembly and this is what Gov. Northern says of him. "I thank you most heartily for the pleasure you gave me in 'Hits and Misses' and the other entertaining and instructive lectures you gave. I hope to hear you again soon.

The president of the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, O., would be glad to have those of our readers who are interested in education to send to him for catalogue. There are many things to commend this excellent school to parents or to any energetic young man or woman desiring the best advantages. Fall term opens Aug. 27.

A new money order blank has been introduced in the post offices throughout the United States. The blank was first given to the post offices on the first day of July and has gradually worked its way into general use. The use of the blank so far has been mostly by city post offices and is not used extensively by them yet, as they are compelled to use up the old blanks first.

The Tecumseh ball team is again in the harness. The boys came out ahead last Saturday in their game with Clinton, and will cross bats with Jackson tomorrow. The Jackson club is one of the best amateur clubs in the state and a good game is assured. Turn out and help the boys through.

The meat market of C. M. Dickinson, which has been vacated for some time is again opened for business. George A. Braun, of Waterloo, Ind., has rented the place and proposes to give the people a first class market. Mr. Braun comes highly recommended, has had 20 years experience as a butcher, and we predict for him a good share of the public patronage.

Justice Abbott, of Clayton, before whom the recent "wedding beer" cases were tried, is credited with being a man of considerable nerve. Once when as constable, he had papers to serve on a man who fled into Hillsdale county, Abbott pursued, and overtaking the party, promptly knocked him down, dragged him back into Lenawee, and proceeded in a businesslike way to serve the papers.—Adrian Times.

Col. R. B. Robbins, of this city, has been selected as one of the delegates to represent the fourth Michigan cavalry at the dedication of Chickamauga park in September next. The battle of Chickamauga was one of the great battles of the war and in which the fourth Michigan cavalry took an important part, as to Minty's saber brigade belongs the credit of having opened and closed the great battle of Chickamauga. —Evening Telegram.

Trotting matinee Saturday, Aug. 31st.

Geo. Quine, of Toledo, was the guest of Gus. Cummins over Sunday.

E. G. Berdan, of Chicago, visited his cousin, W. W. Whiting, Saturday.

Miss Minnie Douglas, of Church, Mich, is visiting in Tecumseh and vicinity this week.

The Adrian base ball club has disbanded. Their last league game was played on Wednesday.

Lieut. A. S. Cummins, of the 4th U. S. Artillery at Washington, D. C., is in Tecumseh for a ten days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Slayton and daughter, Ethel, are Detroit visitors this week. Mrs. Slayton and Ethel will remain for a week.

The fourth trotting matinee will come off on Saturday, Aug. 31st. A fine program has been arranged, which ought to insure a large attendance.

Mrs. Della Moll and daughters came last week from Defiance, O., to attend the wedding of her sister. They will make a short visit at Mrs. Geo. Bly's.

LaVern Heesen accompanies Arthur Hall back to Washington D. C. to-day. Art returns to his duties in the department and Vern will make a two weeks' trip to the Capitol.

Miss Brennan, of Cincinnati, who has been sojourning at Devils Lake for several weeks, is the guest of Miss Margaret Clarkson for a few days before returning home.

Arthur Hall, of Washington D. C. who is visiting Tecumseh relatives at present, passed the examination for admittance to the Lenawee county bar, last Monday at Adrian.

Geo. L. Graves and family of Milwaukee, who have been spending the season at eastern resorts, arrived here yesterday noon. They will remain over Sunday with relatives.

The Tri-State Fair and Exposition will be held at Toledo at an earlier date than usual this year, beginning Aug. 26 and ending Aug. 31st. They have a very flattering entry list and expect to have a big fair.

The August report of the agricultural bureau estimates the corn crop for this season to be the largest ever grown in the United States. The yield is put at 2,341,791,000 bushels. Corn will be king this fall with a big K.

The annual meeting of the W. H. M. S. will be held in the M. E. church parlors on Wednesday, August 28, at 3 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Let all members make an effort to be present.

Frank Keeney, of Franklin, has bought a fine Victor wheel of the Satterthwaite Bros. He will attend school at Tecumseh next term and his Victor will be his trusty pony to carry him back and forth between his home and school.

A recent circular to the public issued by the superintendent of the ninth division of the railway mail service states that the immense letter mail for Chicago will be hereafter separated for the carriers entirely on the trains, thus much facilitating prompt delivery. All mail for that city should bear, in addition to the street and number, the number of the carrier's route or the letter of the sub-station. Your correspondents there can easily furnish this information and mail bearing such designation will be delivered much quicker than without.

The fourth matinee will be held Saturday, August 31st, one week from tomorrow. The series of track entertainments which have been held here this season have been well patronized from the first, each succeeding one drawing a little larger crowd than the one before. The program for the next is as follows: Named race, with 21 entries; free for all trot or pace; 3:00 trot; 2:40 trot or pace, one-half mile heats, three in five. Four good prizes in each race. Two bicycle races, one-half mile, 2 in 3; two mile dash. Three prizes. Foot race, 100 yards dash, open to all; two prizes.

The Toledo Blade of Wednesday says: "The Brice syndicate is quietly working on the Jackson extension of the C. J. & M. The survey has been completed and a new company has been organized to build the road. The new company name is the Addison & Cincinnati, but the same men are back of it that are interested in the C. J. & M. It is necessary for Brice to organize a new company, as the C. J. & M. is in the hands of a receiver, but when he steps out the two companies will be consolidated. Until that time both lines will be under the management of the C. J. & M. The extension will be from Addison to Jackson, a distance of twenty miles. At Jackson it will connect with the Grand Trunk.

Regular weekly prayer meetings have been instituted in the Universalist church. Topic for next Wednesday evening, "The Heroic Spirit." Subjects for Sunday next. Morning: "In the beginning was the word, and the word was with God, and the word was God."—St. John 1: 1. Regular evening services have been resumed, and we trust the same good spirit will prevail that ruled before. Evening: Revivals and Revivalism. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 o'clock. Topic: Excuses.—Luke 14: 16-27. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend our meetings; we shall make you very welcome. A special meeting of the parish will be held Sunday next for the consideration of some important matters. Ladies' social next week Friday.

The Evening Telegram of Wednesday says; Daly and Munda, two of the prisoners who escaped from the Toledo jail on Saturday have been heard from. Yesterday morning while Sheriff Tual, of Lucas county, and his deputies were busy mailing circulars containing descriptions of the "birds" he received a telegram from Chief of Police Raitz, who has been on the still hunt in Michigan, near Tecumseh. The telegram announced that the Chief had forwarded a coat for identification and stated that Munda and Daly had been seen in that vicinity. The chief instructed the sheriff to send all instructions to Sheriff Judson, of Ann Arbor.

The University of Michigan has fallen heir to six scholarships of $200 each, to be derived from the income of property bequeathed by Henry Phillips, Jr. of Philadelphia. By his last will and testament Mr. Phillips gives four pieces of property in Philadelphia to the regents in trust asking that it be neither mortgaged nor sold, as it will in time become of considerable value, being in the heart of the city. The scholarships are to be known as the Phillips scholarships. Phillips was a great friend of the late Prof. Frieze, and was intimate with President Angell. He is not an alumnus of the university. He stipulates that the scholarships shall be given to students who spend at least one-fourth of their time in the study of Greek and Latin. Mr. Phillips was secretary of the American Philosophical society. It is not known in Ann Arbor whether he is dead or not, and the university will probably not realize on the gift for some time.

Six prisoners escaped from the jail at Toledo last Saturday. One was soon recaptured. The other five, including John Munda, with whose deeds and history Tecumseh people are familiar, are still at large. Rewards aggregating $1,000 are offered for their capture and return. The local constabulary here have been somewhat active this week, as it is believed that Munda and one of his pals were located Sunday one mile north of Ridgeway. While the family of Frank Wintersteen were at church, tramps entered the house, helped themselves to refreshments and exchanged a coat and trousers for one found in the house. The cast off garments were concealed and when found were supposed to belong to Munda. However this may be, the former wearer left no part of his person in the cloths and so far has taken good care to keep himself out of sight. The reward is still good, and here is a rare chance to make a bundle.

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—Pine Lumber is cheap, it will cost you from $100 to $125 for enough to build a barn. A. W. SLAYTON.

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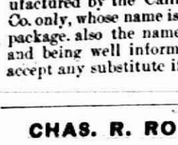

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MICHIGAN MINES.

Strikers Decline to Accept Offers of Settlement—Mines Ordered Closed.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Aug. 20.—The striking miners at their mass-meeting Monday decided not to accept the company's terms, and will not return to work. This has caused great dissatisfaction among the men, and many of them have declared their intention of returning to the mines to-day and asking for work under protection. This, it is believed, will break the strike.

NEGAUNEE, Mich., Aug. 21.—The Star of the West mine, near here, resumed work at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, paying full schedule demanded by the miners' union. The big mines remain recalcitrant and several have stopped pumps. The miners regard this as a big bluff, and are preparing for a sixty days' further strike. The men remain peaceable with very little drinking, but are fully determined.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Aug. 21.—All the pumps in the Lake Angeline, Salisbury, Cleveland, Lake Shaft and Number Seven mines of Lake Superior are stopped. The fires are out of the boilers and the machinery is being painted to prevent rusting, and the buildings are being boarded up. The companies have decided that they will remain idle till winter.

WAYNE COUNTY CELEBRATES.

Her Ninety-Ninth Anniversary Observed at Detroit.

DETROIT, Aug. 19.—Sunday was the ninety-ninth anniversary of the issue of letters patent that brought Wayne county into existence, and on Saturday thousands of people held a celebration on Belle isle. Wayne county at the time of its organization included all the states of Michigan and Minnesota and parts of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Wisconsin. Fifty years ago there was a similar celebration at which Belle isle was named and the only surviving pioneers who were present at that event are ex-Senator Thomas W. Palmer, John Sabine and J. Willis Moore. At the formal exercises Saturday, after addresses by W. C. Maybury and others, the audience joined in singing the same songs that were sung half a century ago, together with "Auld Lang Syne." Perhaps the most honored of the guests was Mrs. Steven B. Mason, widow of the first governor of the state of Michigan, who now resides at Toledo.

Legion of Honor Meets.

DETROIT, Aug. 21.—The biennial session of the supreme council of the Order of the American Legion of Honor opened at the Hotel Cadillac on Tuesday. The meeting will last four or five days. There are forty-nine delegates present. John M. Gwynnell, of Newark, N. J., supreme commander of the order, called the first session to order. The entire session was taken up by the reading of reports of officers and the presentation of documents from different states, principally proposing amendments to the by-laws. Supreme Treasurer Kendrick reported his receipts for the two years to be $234,235.31 and disbursements $192,364.11, leaving $41,861.20 on hand June 30, 1895.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

NILES, Aug. 18.—An accident which will probably result fatally occurred here Saturday afternoon. Three young boys—Herman Wirtz, aged 16; John Walker, aged 13, and Bert Welling, 15 years old—while in swimming were approached by Garfield Finley, a colored boy, who carried a shotgun which he claimed was not loaded. In a playful manner he pointed it at the boys and pulled the trigger. The gun went off and the three boys were struck by the flying shot. Wirtz was only slightly injured, but Welling and Walker were badly hurt by the shot. The doctors say the wounds may cause death.

Acquitted.

FLINT, Aug. 15.—After a seven-day trial the jury in the case of Frank Annis, accused of causing his wife's death by setting fire to her home while she was asleep, returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury was out four and a half hours, and took nine ballots before agreeing on a verdict.

Park for Spiritualists.

LUDINGTON, Aug. 18.—The spiritualists of Michigan have closed a lease for five years of a beautiful and picturesque park, between Pere Marquette lake and Lake Michigan, just opposite the city, where they intend to hold a thirty-days' assembly each year, from the 1st to the 30th of July.

Big Lumber Deal Closed.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 19.—The largest pine land deal ever made in northern Minnesota has just been closed at Duluth. Rupp & Kerr, of Saginaw Mich., have sold 75,000,000 feet of pine near Ely, Minn., to the Knox Lumber company, the consideration being $180,000.

Will Foreclose.

HOUGHTON, Aug. 19. — Foreclosure proceedings have begun against the Crystal Mining company, and the property is to be sold September 3 to pay debt, interest and taxes amounting to $165,000. About $1,500,000 have been sunk in the mine.

Invalid Commits Suicide.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 19.—Miss Jennie Tate, of Berrien Springs, committed suicide by jumping into the St. Joseph river Sunday morning. Miss Tate had been in ill health and despondency is supposed to have caused her act.

Will Give a Fall Meeting.

LANSING, Aug. 21.—The Lansing Driving club has arranged for a fall trotting meeting here September 24 to 27, inclusive. Purses aggregating $5,000 will be hung up. Entries close September 16.

His Second Experience.

BATTLE CREEK, Aug. 16.—The tallow and hide storehouse of Robert Stewart burned Thursday, the loss being $3,000. Stewart lost a similar building a year ago.

SHORT BUT NEWSY.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Gladys Swarthout, while riding a wheel at Paw Paw, fell under a horse and was kicked to death.

Edward Magg was arrested for causing the death of E. A. Aram at Mount Clemens, during a street fight.

The Michigan Mining school at Houghton closed its year Friday night. Ex-Secretary of State Washington Gardner and Judge Jay Hubbell presented the diplomas.

At Allegan, during a recent quarrel, Nicholas Kiper bit off a piece of John Schastig's nose. Kiper was let off with a fine of $10 and the payment of costs of $6.80.

Mrs. Winifred Caples, who has been a resident of Grand Rapids since 1836, is dead.

The date for the dedication of the Masonic temple at Grand Rapids has been set for October 15.

The next convention of Michigan county superintendents of the poor will be held at Mount Clemens.

While bathing in the St. Joseph river, at St. Joseph, Nick Becker, of Chicago, was drowned.

Unable to live with him longer, Mrs. Nina R. Kirkland, of Williamston, has been divorced from her husband who is 73 years of age.

At Coldwater on the 14th inst. Mrs. Bernetta Woodard celebrated her 100th birthday.

The annual reunion of Berrien county battalion, Grand Army of the Republic, will be held at Buchanan August 29 and 30.

John Stafferson, while drunk, was killed at Detroit by an unknown man whom he had insulted.

Charles Linder, of Houghton, prominent in business and political affairs in the copper district, died on shipboard while on his way to Carlsbad for his health.

The national assembly of the American Bar association will open in Detroit August 28.

S. Rinkles' 15-year-old daughter at Sissons swallowed a screw and died in a few minutes.

The tank house belonging to Bittner Bros. burned at Escanaba, entailing a loss of $10,000; no insurance.

Struck by a board at Sands' sawmill, Manistee, Albert Fink received injuries which caused his death.

Marshall T. Gass, for a long time superintendent of schools at Flint, and once superintendent of the state school for the deaf, has accepted the position of superintendent of the state school for soldiers' orphans at Davenport, Ia.

A free ferry across the St. Joseph river has been established, giving six townships direct ingress to Benton Harbor and shortening the distance to a shipping point from 1 to 5 miles.

The supreme commandery of the United Friends of Michigan will hold its next biennial session in Grand Rapids September 18.

The annual state convention of the Disciples of Christ will be held at the Church of Christ in Grand Rapids September 4 to 8. About two hundred delegates from the state will be in attendance.

GASOLINE EXPLODES.

Causes Slight Damage to a Grand Rapids Hotel.

GRAND RAPIDS, Aug. 20.—Sweet's hotel was damaged $5,000 by fire late Monday afternoon. Martha Meholski, a servant, was cleaning a bed with gasoline in room 10, in the servants' hall, when she struck a match and the whole room was in flames in an instant. Several servant girls were asleep in adjoining rooms, but they were soon aroused and fled down to the shed roof in the rear of the kitchen, where they were rescued. The servant Martha was the only person injured, being burned about the face and her hair singed.

Jackson's Coming Cycle Meeting.

JACKSON, Aug. 20.—The tri-state bicycle races will be held here Wednesday, September 4. Valuable diamonds have been hung up, and the fast men of the west are expected. The business men who are behind the enterprise intend making this the banner meeting and have offered prizes that should call for fast time. The races will be held under the L. A. W. sanction.

A Night Watchman's Sad Experience.

HOLLAND, Mich., Aug. 20.—A lantern carried by Night Watchman Henry Kramer exploded in the shavings vault of the Holland furniture factory about midnight Sunday night. The fire was extinguished with small damage. Kramer was seriously burned around the neck, face and arms. He inhaled the flames and his recovery is doubtful.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

READING, Mich., Aug. 20.—The business portion of Camden, a small village 6 miles from here, was almost totally destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. Among the buildings burned were those in which the odd-fellows, masons, Maccabees, G. A. R. and U. V. U. had their lodge rooms. The total loss is about $50,000. Incendiarism is suspected.

Money for Clerk Hire.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 19.—The post office department has made annual allowances for clerk hire in the following Michigan post offices beginning August 16: Menominee, $1,900; Ypsilanti, $1,900; Ionia, $1,900; Calumet, $1,700; Marshall, $1,700; Owosso, $2,000; Coldwater, $2,100.

Gov. Rich on the Strike.

LANSING, Aug. 16.—Gov. Rich considers the strike situation at Ishpeming and Negaunee alarming, and believes a crisis is at hand. The refusal of merchants to grant the miners further credit will, he thinks, bring matters to a head.

Fate of a Blind Man.

BEAR LAKE, Aug. 18.—Byron Wolverine, a blind man, aged 30 years, was crushed to death by a tree. He sat down on a log, when a branch of unusual size fell upon him.

PRISON FOR LIFE FOR A BOY.

First Degree Verdict Against George Chesebro, a 17-Year-Old Murderer.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., Aug. 20.—George Chesebro, the 17-year-old youth who was convicted of murdering his grandmother, Mrs. Levi Pierce, on July 8 last, was sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson Monday.

[Six weeks ago, in the town of Talmadge, Mary E. Pierce, a woman aged 54 years, was found dead in her kitchen, frightfully mutilated. Mary I. Pierce, the youngest daughter, and George C. Chesebro, the grandson, were arrested for the murder. The trial of the latter took place this week. Before the justice he confessed the deed. The boy is 17 years of age and the girl 13. The trial of the girl will take place at this session of the court. She is supposed to be the real prime mover in the crime, but it is doubted if she can be convicted. She appeared as a witness against her nephew and a more hardened and dogged witness never appeared on the stand.

According to the story told on the witness stand by the girl her mother was mopping the kitchen floor and became angered at some remark which the daughter made. She procured a switch and was about to apply it when the grandson interfered and killed her. The grandson's testimony agreed with the daughter's as to the beginning of the trouble. He said his grandmother came at him with a knife and when he took that from her she grabbed a stick of wood. He pleaded self-defense in using the poker, but did not explain the necessity of beating the old lady until her neck and head were covered with bruises and then jumping upon her prostrate body with his feet.]

BUILDING FALLS IN DETROIT.

Workmen Buried Beneath the Ruins and One Is Killed.

DETROIT, Aug. 18.—A thunderstorm, accompanied by heavy gusts of wind, which came up suddenly at noon Saturday, caused a fatal accident at the United Presbyterian church, which is being erected at Twelfth street and Grand River avenue. Frank Senova, a bricklayer, was killed. Three other men were injured. The walls of the church were nearly ready for the roof. When the squall came portions of the front and rear walls collapsed, several men being hurled from ladders and scaffold and buried in the ruins. Frank Senova was on a scaffold outside the rear wall when the crash came. The scaffold fell and Senova was buried under two feet of brick and mortar. Death must have been instantaneous, for his body when dug out was found to be badly mangled.

A MICHIGAN TOWN'S LOSS.

Nine Buildings Burned in Montgomery—Loss Between $30,000 and $40,000.

MONTGOMERY, Mich., Aug. 19.—Early Sunday morning fire destroyed between $30,000 and $40,000 worth of business property here. Nine buildings were burned, including Alward's drug store, Jones & Sons' dry goods store, Perego & Sons' shoe store, the odd fellows', masonic and G. A. R. halls, Spalding & Ritchie's meat market, Kimmel's restaurant and G. Headley's harness shop. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. The insurance aggregates $13,300.

FOUND NO BUYERS.

Land Commissioner Falls to Sell College Property.

LANSING, Aug. 26.—The state land commissioner on Thursday offered for sale 100,000 acres of Michigan agricultural college lands, but there were no sales. The price was fixed by the state board of agriculture several years ago, and the several land commissioners have held that the price was too high. The result of Thursday's effort demonstrates that they were correct, for there was not a single bid even at the minimum price. A large portion of these lands is covered with heavy hardwood timber.

Confesses to a Fatal Blow.

DETROIT, Aug. 21.—Frank A. Fassnacht announced to the police that he was the person who struck the blow which resulted in John Stafferson's death early last Sunday night. He says Stafferson persisted in following himself and the lady he was escorting. He has not been arrested or detained.

Mother and Son Drowned.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., Aug. 19.—The wife and little son of Arthur Francis, of Englewood, Ill., were accidentally drowned in Spring lake Saturday. The child was in bathing and got beyond his depth when the mother went to his rescue and both were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

Forests Ablaze.

DECATUR, Aug. 21.—In many parts of southwestern Michigan field and forest fires are doing damage and farmers are engaged night and day trying to save their property from destruction. If the protracted drought in this region should continue great damage is inevitable.

Shot His Wife and Himself.

MENOMINEE, Aug. 17.—John Lauch shot his young wife twice through the hand and arm Friday morning. Thinking she was dead he jumped into a clump of bushes near the house and shot himself through the head, dying instantly. The woman will recover.

Streams Drying Up.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 17.—This has been the dryest season in forty years in Berrien county. Creeks that never went dry before are now reduced to occasional pools of standing water. Springs are drying up, and rivers were never before so low.

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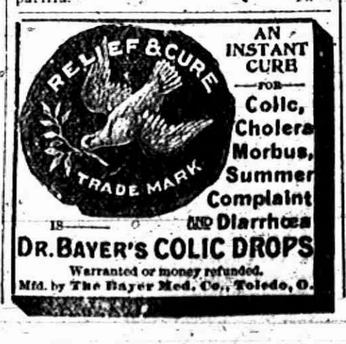

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Aug. 25. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Demoniacs In Gadara.

SCRIPTURE READING. — Math. viii, 28-34; Mark v, 1-20; Luke viii, 26-40.

After stilling the tempest on the lake of Galilee Jesus and his apostles arrived at the southeastern corner of that sheet of water in the country of the Gerasenes, not far from the city of Gadara. Passing up the rocky road to the town built on the hill, on either side were seen caves, partly natural and partly artificial. Some of these were used as burial places, and some even then, as in later years, served as dwellings. The insane and demoniacal suffered little restraint, but were allowed to wander where they pleased. Two such approached the party from Galilee. One was particularly violent, and his cure by Jesus had much after influence on the community. The demons when driven out of the man entered a herd of swine and destroyed them in the lake.

Alarmed by such manifestations of power and disturbed by the loss of the swine, the people of the place, with much earnestness, asked Jesus to leave that region. Semiheathen, if not wholly so, they did not discriminate clearly nor see the great deliverance which had come to the man hitherto possessed with evil spirits, but felt severely the loss of their property.

The healed man was refused permission to go with Jesus, but was told to go home and tell how great things the Lord had done for him. In this way the gospel would be preached where Christ would not then be received and the way opened for a return at some future day.

His Mark In Their Foreheads.

Bishop Galloway, writing from southern India to the boys of The Epworth Era, speaks of the many and peculiar marks on the foreheads of the people in that land. "Some have a round red dot in the center of the forehead; others paint it white. Then there are lateral and vertical white and red stripes, and also marks at different angles. These have a religious significance, denoting the god they worship, the sect to which they belong and the fact that their devotions have not been neglected."

Is it not some such custom as this which is referred to in Rev. xiv, 1, and xxii, 4? What depth of spiritual meaning underlies this custom. Truly one shows in his face the mark of the God whom he serves. He needs not to paint it, for all life forces of body, mind and spirit co-operate, and he is surely transformed into the likeness of that one whom he has in his heart enshrined.

Worship the Lord of life and let his glory change you daily more and more into his likeness.

Expenses.

It cost in 1894 to support all grades of our ministers, pay the current church expenses, repairs and improvements on church property, $22,184,209.

The total contributions to connectional benevolent societies was $2,370,650. Of this sum $1,323,600 was expended on work in the United States and $1,047,000 in foreign fields.

The Missionary society received $1,184,109. Yet so vast is the work and so pressing the need that the financial depression has seriously affected the treasury, and a debt of $175,000 has necessarily been incurred to keep up work already begun. How easily this could be met if the individual members of the great Methodist host would each lift a little! What immense advance would be made if each would do his proportionate share according to his ability and his pledged word of honor given to God and the church when he joined in full!

Value of a Vacation.

Some are good and some are good for nothing. It is not the time one has to spend, but what he does with it which shows the length and value of one's recruiting time. All busy workers need occasional change of occupation and scene. Energies become exhausted by too long continued application in the same line. It is unwise to neglect too long a needed rest. Many a one has been made foolishly sensitive at the remark that the devil never takes a vacation. Well, suppose he doesn't! What of it? Are we to follow him, or shall we do as Jesus bade his disciples, go apart a little while and rest? Use your vacation wisely, so as to return to work with vigor and spring, and not jaded out by a feverish whirl of excitement.

A Good Excursion.

Many of the railroad and steamboat lines run cheap excursions at this season of the year. It is a good idea to get a company of Leaguers together and make a trip either to some seaside, country or mountain resort. Appoint one person as mineralogist for the trip, another as botanist, some to collect shells or bugs, some to be geographers, others chroniclers, and so give to as many as possible some special work to do. Let each one learn all possible of the subject assigned. Then have an evening when the results of all committees shall be given in short papers or talks. These can be illustrated with photographs taken on the trip, cuts from books and papers, drawings or diagrams.

Boxed Up.

A little girl, in rummaging in a trunk, found her mother's church letter, which had long been neglected and never handed to the proper church officer. Rushing up to her mother, she cried, "Oh, mother, I've found your religion in your trunk!" That is where too many keep their piety as well as their church letters.

Let It Alone!

In the summer time some are tempted by physical weakness to use beer or some mild stimulant who would be shocked to think themselves in any danger. Many a one has found this the opening of the road to dissipation. Better not meddle with it. Rest, recuperate, but let beer alone.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THE new system adopted by the Western Union Telegraph company of employing boys on bicycles to deliver messages proved satisfactory in New York.

MERCHANTS of Ohio, Indiana and Michigan met at Columbus and organized the National Wholesale Buyers' association, the object being to purchase in large quantities direct from the producers and thus save for themselves the profits of the eastern jobber.

THOMAS HOVENDEN, the famous artist, was killed by the cars near Norristown, Pa., in attempting to save the life of a little girl. The child was also killed.

BY the overturning of a hosereel at Cincinnati Capt. Ed Meyers and Pipeman Al Doherty were fatally injured.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT and wife opened the doors of their new summer palace "The Breakers," at Newport, R. I. The building cost $3,000,000.

A BOAT capsized in Highland lake near Eldred, N. Y., and three men were drowned.

AT Ellensburg, Wash., Samuel Dinsom and his son Charles were hanged by a mob for murdering Michael Kohloph and Joseph N. Bergman in a saloon row.

IN New York Fred Titus made 10 miles on a bicycle in 20:58 4-5, breaking all previous records for the distance.

THE official returns for August show that the prospective fruit crop of the country, taken as a whole, was much larger than for several years.

THE business part of Pikeville, Tenn., was destroyed by fire, only one store being left standing.

THE mill and concentrator of the Katie mine at Basin, Mont., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

W. W. TAYLOR, ex-state treasurer of South Dakota, pleaded guilty at Pierre of embezzling $367,000 of the state funds and was sentenced to five years imprisonment.

MARY C. KORSANGE, aged 23 years, was killed and her betrothed, Jacob Westover, was probably fatally hurt in a runaway at Kalamazoo, Mich.

ACCORDING to the census just completed the population of Duluth, Minn., is 59,396, a gain of 26,281 since 1890.

DURING a storm near Marshall, O. T., Mr. and Mrs. William House, but lately married, were killed by lightning.

THE shops of the Colorado Midland railroad at Colorado City, Col., were burned, the loss being $100,000.

T. D. MARSHALL, member of the state legislature; H. H. Coleman and R. T. Fox, prominent residents of Vicksburg, Miss., were sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of R. T. Dinkins in a quarrel.

AS THE result of family quarrels Mrs. William Browning, of Evansville, Ind., shot and killed her husband and then blew out her own brains.

MRS. D. H. REYNOLDS was killed and Mrs. S. L. Cook probably fatally hurt by being thrown from a buggy in a runaway at Albion, Ind.

LOUIS GIMM, of Cleveland, O., rode 455 miles on a bicycle in 24 hours, beating the world's record.

TOM ROBISON, of Fairbury, Ill., at the fair grounds in Bloomington ran 100 yards in 9 3-5 seconds, breaking the world's record.

IT was discovered that Chinamen were being smuggled into New York from Havana by hundreds every month.

E. SHERMAN'S distillery at Leavenworth, Kan., recently built at a cost of $110,000, was burned. No insurance.

GREAT damage was done by a storm at Chickamauga park, near Chattanooga, Tenn. Some of the finest trees in the park were ruined.

THE town of Hindostan, Ind., was wiped off the face of the earth by an incendiary fire.

THE conference of free silver democrats concluded its session in Washington. The address to the party urges united action to have a white metal declaration at the national convention and a candidate for president nominated who is a free coinage man. A plan of organization was also outlined for states to carry out.

MRS. ELEANOR BITTING, who lives near Washington, attempted to take the lives of her seven children by strangling them, but was prevented by neighbors. Mrs. Bitting was partially insane because of the death of her husband.

EMMETT DIVERS, a negro who killed Mrs. Cain near Fulton, Mo., a couple of weeks ago, was taken from jail by a mob and hanged to a railroad bridge.

MRS. M. H. CASE, 96 years old, and confined to her bed by infirmities of age, was burned to death at her home near Delaware, O.

A BICYCLE railroad has been incorporated to run from San Francisco to Santa Cruz, 99 miles.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 16th aggregated $873,743,725, against $976,032,215 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 13.0.

TWENTY-THREE men, charged with participating in the recent assault upon the colored people of Spring Valley, Ill., and with driving them from their homes, were arrested and held for trial.

A LOG house near Arlington, Tenn., was burned, Mrs. Callie Harrill and two grown daughters perishing in the flames. Foul play was suspected.

MRS. WILLIAM HOWARTH, of Newark, N. J., and her brother, Joseph Shaw, of New York, met after an enforced separation of thirty years.

FIRE destroyed nearly the entire village of Ludlow Falls, O.

"For three years I suffered from Salt Rheum. It covered my hands to such an extent that I could not wash them. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured me." Libbie Young, Popes Mills, St. Lawrence county, N. Y. 1w

THERE were 196 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 16th, against 225 the week previous and 229 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE thirtieth annual reunion of the Brotherhood of Locomotive engineers opened at Pittsburgh, Pa., with 1,000 members of the brotherhood present.

THE directors of the Commercial bank in Milwaukee decided to close the bank because of poor business.

DR. H. R. HOLMES and Dr. R. K. Aushland fought a duel at Portland, Ore., and both were fatally injured.

AT Stineville, Ind., David Culross and Charles Deck fought a duel with knives, the outgrowth of an old feud between families, and both were fatally injured.

EIGHT men were killed and ten seriously hurt by the premature explosion of a blast near Mehaffy, Pa.

THE Humane society will prevent the advertised bull fight at the Atlanta exposition if possible.

IT was decided by Acting Attorney General Conrad that the appointment of Matt Ransom as minister to Mexico was illegal, on the ground that the salary of the office had been increased by congress while Mr. Ransom was senator.

IT was estimated that the wheat crop of Nebraska would be 15,000,000 bushels and the corn crop 180,000,000.

JOHN JOHNSON (colored) was hanged at Mount Sterling, Ky., for killing Policeman Charles Evans on June 15.

THE Otis Elevator company at Cleveland, O., has gone out of business, giving as a reason the decreased demand for grain caused by bicycles and trolley cars.

CHARLES M. LININGTON, who did an extensive country business in Chicago in novelties and notions, failed for $150,000.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 7th were: Cleveland, .623; Baltimore, .615; Pittsburgh, .594; Chicago, .556; Philadelphia, .554; Cincinnati, .553; Boston, .543; Brooklyn, .521; New York, .500; Washington, .349; St. Louis, .326; Louisville, .241.

A STORM at Pittsburgh, Pa., wrecked several buildings and killed Patrick McShane, John Adams and Millie Linbaugh.

MRS. BAIRD, wife of a farmer, was in jail at Old Monroe, Mo., for having killed Samuel Elston, a druggist, for supplying her husband with whisky.

THREE THOUSAND colored voters formed a state organization at Wichita, with branches in all the large cities of Kansas, as the independent colored league, and will hold a state convention September 26.

SAMUEL LEWIS, who murdered three men, was lynched at West Palm Beach, Fla., the mob also killing Jailer Gustave Kaiser.

H. H. HOLMES' notorious "castle," Sixty-third and Wallace streets, Chicago, the place of murder and mystery, was almost destroyed by a mysterious fire, the walls and part of the roof alone remaining.

THE sloop Jumbo, stone laden, was sunk at Newburyport, Mass. Capt. Stephen Orr and Seaman George Welch were asleep on her and were drowned.

THE mammoth Patent Steel Whip company's works in Springfield, O., were destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $100,000.

NEAR Marion, Ill., Fred Hisholn shot and instantly killed William Malke and William Read in a quarrel over a game of cards.

A PLEASURE boat capsized at Ocean City, Md., and William Storr and his wife and two children and Myrtle Stevens and Lina and Lulu Hall were drowned.

JOHN WALSH walked from San Francisco to Boston in ninety-three days, winning a wager of $500.

THE Gumry hotel at Denver, Col., crowded with guests, was demolished by a terrific explosion and it was thought that forty or more persons lost their lives.

THE Ocean Bay View house at Hammell station, Rockaway Beach, was completely destroyed by fire. All the guests were saved.

A PARTY of lumber dealers who arrived at Tacoma, Wash., reported an unbroken chain of forest fires from the Rocky mountains to the Pacific ocean.

FIRE destroyed a block of buildings at Algonquin, Ill., and F. D. Kozar and his daughter perished in the flames.

WEST of Orlando, O. T., Eli Bourse and his bride of two months were both instantly killed by a stroke of lightning which wrecked their house.

C. H. MITCHELL and W. B. Taylor, bicyclists, arrived in Philadelphia from Denver, Col., having covered the entire distance on their wheels.

THE wife and little son of Arthur Francis, of Englewood, Ill., were drowned in Spring lake at Grand Haven, Mich.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 19th was: Wheat, 36,893,000 bushels; corn, 4,293,000 bushels; oats, 3,634,000 bushels; rye, 304,000 bushels; barley, 218,000 bushels.

THE Bank of Tacoma at Tacoma, Wash., closed its doors with liabilities of $379,000.

FIRES during the week ended on the 17th caused a total loss of $2,670,000 throughout the country, as compared with $3,102,500 for the previous week.

FURTHER advices place the number of dead and missing by the fire in the Gumry hotel at Denver at twenty-five.

ARTHUR BUTLER and his brother Walter and Florence Willard and Thomas Walsh were drowned in the lake in Chicago while bathing.

EXPERTS reported that the accounts of ex-County Treasurer M. W. Stewart, of Wyandotte county, Kan., were short $33,885.

HEAVY marsh fires were reported in Palmyra, Hebron and Cold Spring townships, Mich. Fires were running under the sod, destroying thousands of acres of meadows.

THE main part of Bingham, U. T., was burned, the loss being estimated at $200,000. Thousands of people were homeless.

THE business district of Camden, Mich., was almost wholly destroyed by fire.

WILLIAM BLANCHARD, a prominent farmer of Prairie City, Ill., having separated from his wife, went to where she was living and shot her dead and then killed himself.

MRS. J. LONG, living near Madison, Mo., hanged her 4-year-old child and herself. Separation from her husband was the cause.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

PETER FREDERICK ROTHERMEL, the well-known painter of "The Battle of Gettysburg," died at his home at Linfield, Pa.

AUNT CASSY CHRISTY, aged 100 years, died at Paint Creek, O.

NEW YORK democrats will hold their state convention at Syracuse on September 24.

SAM BELL MAXEY, who was United States senator from Texas from 1874 to 1886, died at Eureka Springs, Ark., aged 70 years.

THE Massachusetts democratic state convention will be held at Worcester October 2.

WILLIAM STRONG, who retired from the bench of the United States supreme court in December, 1880, died at Lake Minnewaska, N. Y., aged 87 years. Mr. Strong was also a member of congress from Connecticut from 1847 to 1851.

JOHN MILLER WILCOX, editor of the Cleveland Press, died suddenly at Rose Island in the St. Lawrence. He was 52 years old.

JAMES COONEY, aged 103 years, died at Canton, Pa.

LEONARD W. VOLK, the sculptor, of Chicago, died suddenly at the Hotel Cascade in Osceola, Wis., of heart trouble, aged 67 years.

FOREIGN.

A TRAIN bearing a large detachment of Havana volunteers to the Santa Clara district was destroyed by dynamite and most of the soldiers were killed.

GENERAL LORD WOLSELEY has been chosen to succeed the duke of Cambridge as commander in chief of the British army.

THE city treasury at Montreal was robbed of $40,000.

J. MOTT SMITH died at Honolulu. He was Hawaiian minister at Washington when the queen was dethroned.

THE foundation stone of a monument to Emperor William I. was laid in Berlin by his grandson, Emperor William II., with the most imposing ceremonies.

A SEVERE earthquake in Peru destroyed several houses in Chincha and Lima.

AMANDA and Mamie Lobban and Matilda Stewart fell from a steamer near Black Brook, N. B., and were drowned.

TURKISH officials drove the Christians out of their houses in all the country between Sassoun and Moosh, and gave the houses to the Kurdish tribes. The victims were starving.

A BOAT containing twenty-five passengers was run down and sunk by the steamer Concordia near Hamburg, Germany, and seventeen persons were drowned.

AN explosion destroyed the artillery barracks at Touls, Russia, and 300 men were killed, including many officers.

IN a battle at Arillao, Cuba, the insurgents lost fifty killed. On the government side eight soldiers were killed.

IT was announced that the Chinese government had refused to allow the American and British consuls to investigate the Ku-Cheng massacre.

CUBAN revolutionary agents were reported to be enlisting in the City of Mexico retired officers from the Mexican army.

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*No. 55—Pacific Express	11:45 p m
† No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

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*No. 56—Atlantic Express	8:34 a m
*No. 58—N. Y. Limited	4:41 p m
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Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 25 "
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Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
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12 53	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
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The firm of W. L. Milner & Co., of Toledo, have a unique daily show at their store, commencing with the week of August 12. The world-famous Silver Statue sent by the State of Montana to the World's Fair and admired by hundreds of thousands of people at Chicago, will be on exhibition in their store free of charge. This is the same statue for which Ada Rehan, the famous New York actress, posed as a model; the same statue that cost the State of Montana for silver alone $64,800; the same that has been shown in all the big cities of the United States, and which people have come miles to see. The figure is nine feet high, every part delicately and beautifully modeled from purest silver. The figure stands, as in the illustration, upon a globe of gold, the scales of Justice in one hand and the sword of right and retribution in the other. This statue created a greater sensation before it was first shown at the World's Fair than any other attraction the big exposition produced. Columns upon columns of matter were written concerning the beautiful model Ada Rehan, the jealousies of other actresses who aspired to the honor of posing, concerning the men who sent it from Montana, the industries represented, the novelty of the idea, etc. It has never ceased to be a tremendous drawing card throughout the United States, and is certain to attract a throng of people in Toledo. In order to make the exhibition of the statue in this city an event to be remembered a remarkable contest will be conducted to decide the temper of the people of Northern Ohio on the all-important question of Free Silver or No Free Silver!

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Music—Ocarina Quartette.
Address of Welcome—The President.
Bass Solo, 'Out on the Deep.'—Member Adrian City Band.
Reading Minutes of Last Meeting.
Music—Ocarina Quartette.
Recitation—Miss Mildred C. Hathaway.
Song and Chorus, 'De Lime Kiln Club'
Address—J. L. O'Mealey.
Election of Officers.
Music—The Band.

New Library Books.

Below are the titles and numbers of new volumes, that have recently been added to the public library:

1378 Century History of the U. S.
1379 Drummond's Addresses.
1380 A Little Sister, etc., Bell.
1381 White Company, Doyle.
1382 Uncle Tom's Cabin.
1383 House on the Marsh, Warden.
1384 The Dead Secret, Wilkie Collins.
1385 Treasure Island, Stevenson.
1386 Little Minister, Barrie.
1387 The Manxman, Hall Caine.
1388 Lilac Sunbonnet, Crockitt.
1389 Saracinesca, Crawford.
1390 My Lady Rosha, Weyman.
1391 A Gentleman of France, Weyman
1392 A Bonnie Briar Bush, McLaren.
1393 Princess Aline, J. H. Davis.

Do You Want Summer Boarders?

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway has in course of preparation for the season of 1896 a book of information for people desiring to learn of places at which to pass their summer vacation. This information is wanted both for hotels and boarding houses at summer resorts as well as for farm houses wishing summer boarders. Send your name and address to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for a blank to be filled out to cover the matter desired for the book. 4w

Is Kentucky a Doubtful State?

The peculiar political conditions that exist in Kentucky have led many people to believe that the State is a doubtful one and that the Republicans have a chance to carry it this fall. For this reason there is great interest, both at home and abroad, in accurate and reliable political news from all parts of the State. The Weekly Courier-Journal is now covering this field perfectly, and it is publishing the news without bias or prejudice. A close reader of the Weekly Courier-Journal should be able to forecast in advance what will be the outcome of the State election next November. In addition to giving all the news of every kind, the Weekly Courier-Journal is offering to its subscribers $6,000 in cash presents for guesses as to the exact vote and closest to the exact vote that will be received by the Democratic, Republican and Populist candidates for Governor of Kentucky. The price of the paper is one dollar a year. Sample copies containing full details of the cash present plan will be sent free to any address. Write to Courier-Journal Company, Louisville, Ky.

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Account of the Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Louisville, Ky., September 11th to 14th inclusive, and Dedication of Chicamauga, Chattanooga, Tenn., Military National Park, September 15th to 20th inclusive, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will offer for sale special round trip excursion tickets at rate of one cent per mile in each direction. Tickets on sale September 8th to 11th and 16th to 19th inclusive, good returning up to and including October 5th, 1895.

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We find great pleasure in announcing to our readers that Chas. B. Lewis, the famous "M. Quad." has resumed his former place upon The Detroit Free Press. Since his retirement from The Free Press four years ago Mr. Lewis has been writing for one of the leading syndicates. His preference for direct newspaper work, however, led him to abandon that connection, and hereafter his popular writings will appear only in The Free Press. Mr. and Mrs. Bowser, Brother Gardner, Arizona Kicker, Zeb White, Abe Crofoot, Mrs. Gallup, and many new characters will appear regularly.

The publishers are making a special four months' trial offer of the Semi-Weekly Free Press for 25 cents to introduce their paper to new readers, and we would advise those looking for a great bargain to send in their subscription at once. The offer is good only until August 1.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

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New York World—Thrice-a-Week.

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G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the journey's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cincinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chattanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

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The Annual Farmers' Picnic will be held at Manitou Beach, Devils Lake Thursday, August 29, on which occasion the C. J. & M. R'y will offer special low excursion rates for the round trip, and ample train accommodations.

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FLIGHT.

Marcus Hulings, with his wife and baby, was a settler in the Juniata in 1755. While plowing one day Hulings was informed by a Mohawk Indian that a band of hostile savages was but half a day's journey away.

In the next valley, three miles across the mountain, a settler named Hugh Glen had taken up a grant of land in the previous year. The family consisted of a man and wife and two full grown boys. The Mohawk admitted that he had not warned the Glens, and he refused to do so now, as he had to push on as quickly as possible to the main river.

He advised Hulings to flee at once. But the Swede was too brave and unselfish to abandon his neighbor to almost certain butchery.

"What shall I do, Elsa?" he said. "My first duty is to you and the child."

"You must warn the Glens, Mark," was the plucky woman's reply. "There is still plenty of time if the Indians are half a day's journey off. While you are gone I will get ready to start for the fort."

Hulings kissed his wife and child and hurried from the house with his musket over his shoulder. It was 4 o'clock when he reached his neighbor's clearing.

Hugh Glen lay dead inside the door, almost within touch of the body of his wife. The boys, James and Archibald, lay near the window.

For a moment a mad thirst for vengeance drove all else from Hulings' mind. Then, with a keen pang of anguish, he remembered his defenseless wife and child and instantly he was out of the house and speeding like a deer across the clearing.

Twilight was shrouding the blue river when he staggered across his own clearing. He saw the black horse saddled and bridled and tied to a sapling. Then the door flew open, and Elsa came out with the baby in one arm and a musket on the other.

"All is ready," she said. "In that bundle on the floor are some things we must take along. I hid the cradle and a good deal else in the bushes and drove the cow and sheep back into the woods. Our poor, kind neighbors!"

He helped his wife into the saddle and gave her the sleeping child and the bundle. Then, with a last look at the deserted home, he strode into the forest, leading the horse after him.

After an hour the fugitives reached the Susquehanna and forded a shallow stretch of water to an island—now known as Duncan's island—that lay abreast of the mouth of the Juniata. There was yet the main channel of the river to be crossed—a three-quarters of a mile wide surface of swift and troubled water. Then eight miles down the other shore was Fort Hunter and safety.

"Here, take my gun, Elsa," he said, "and stick tight to the saddle. I'm not going to mount till I get across. I can pick the way better on foot."

But just as he entered the water his wife checked him with a low cry of dismay. "Oh, Mark, the money! It is still in the crack of the logs beside our bed. How could I have forgotten it?"

Huling had never doubted that the money was in the bundle or in Elsa's bosom. For a moment he was vexed and inclined to sharp words.

"Give me the musket," he said. "I am going back. Twenty gold sovereigns are well worth the journey. We have saved them for three years, and now the time of need is coming. We will be obliged to start afresh if the savages destroy our home and crops."

His wife begged and entreated him not to go, but he judiciously reasoned with her and finally won her reluctant consent. She firmly refused, however, to push on to the fort alone, and this point he had to yield.

Hulings helped his wife to dismount with the sleeping child and placed them and the horse amid thick bushes a little back from the lower end of the island. Then, musket in hand, he hurried to the upper point and waded noiselessly to shore.

On reaching the clearing Hulings found his fears realized. A bar of yellow light was flashing on the ground before the cabin door. He crawled on hands and knees to the rear end of the cabin and peered through a crevice in the back room. Here he saw a painted warrior holding a blazing torch in one hand, while with the other he ransacked a chest of drawers.

He quickly decided what to do. Gliding to the door, he entered and gained the threshold of the inner room without detection. Then the Shawnee straightened up with a start, to find himself covered by Hulings' musket.

Just then Hulings discovered a bloody scalp dangling at the savage's belt, and he recognized Hugh Glen's iron gray locks. His blood boiled with rage, and he was about to reverse his musket and brain the assassin when he made a startling discovery. A looking glass that hung over the bed showed him a second Indian creeping up behind him with raised tomahawk.

Like a flash Hulings wheeled about with a yell and fired point blank. He saw the savage reel and fall, and instantly he turned again to confront the Indian in the back room.

The latter had by this time grabbed his gun from the bed, but before he could raise it to shoot the maddened settler was upon him with clubbed musket. There was a dull crash, and Hugh Glen's murderer lay sprawling on the floor with a broken skull.

Hulings snatched the Indian's gun and jerked the bag of gold from between the logs. As he dashed for the cabin door a third Shawnee stepped upon the threshold.

The Indian hurled his tomahawk, but Hulings dodged the weapon and then fired. Without awaiting the result of his shot he fled to the inner room, slammed the door shut and trampled out the torch. He took his own gun from the bed and dropped the other. With two blows he demolished the window sash and shutter and leaped through. As he sped across the clearing behind the cabin he heard yells and the reports of half a dozen guns.

Hulings made a short detour toward the mountain before striking the bridle path. Then he hastily reloaded his musket and started off with long, rapid strides. In running he was a match for any Indian.

He was far from exhausted when he reached the Susquehanna and started to wade to the island.

He pushed on, alternately swimming and wading, and came safely to the east bank. Then he imitated the cry of a screech owl, a signal of long standing between himself and wife, and almost immediately he got an answer from a little distance.

Hurrying down the shore, he found Elsa and the child on the horse, and in a canoe near by were Gideon Galbraith and his son, neighbors who lived ten miles up the Juniata.

The whole party reached Fort Hunter in safety that night and remained there during the perilous and trying weeks that followed.—Exchange.

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Potatoes, per bushel	40	50
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25 to 4 50	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	6	10 12½
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12½
Chickens, per lb		5
Hides, green		25 to 35
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GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—New		$ 58
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Corn, shelled		45 to 50
Oats	18	to 20
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00	to 12 00
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Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.			
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	$3 20	@	5 75
Sheep	1 50	@	3 37½
Hogs	5 00	@	5 25
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 55	@	3 85
Minnesota Patents	3 75	@	3 95
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	71½	@	71¾
No. 1 Northern	72	@	72½
CORN—No. 2	45½	@	45½
September	43½	@	44½
OATS—No. 2	26	@	26¾
September	24½	@	24¾
RYE	70	@	70¾
PORK—Mess, New	12 50	@	12 75
LARD—Western Steam	6 52½	@	6 55
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	13	@	20
Western Dairy	9½	@	18
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$3 60	@	5 95
Stockers and Feeders	2 40	@	4 00
Mixed Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 70
Texas Steers	2 60	@	4 25
HOGS—Light	4 50	@	5 05
Rough Packing	4 25	@	4 45
SHEEP	1 75	@	4 65
BUTTER—Creamery	11½	@	19
Dairy	9	@	16½
Packing Stock	6	@	9
EGGS—Fresh	11	@	12
BROOM CORN (per ton)	45 00	@	100 00
POTATOES (per bu)	32	@	40
PORK—Mess	10 00	@	10 15
LARD—Steam	6 15	@	6 17½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75	@	4 25
Spring Straights	3 50	@	3 75
Winter Patents	3 00	@	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	65	@	66
Corn, No. 2	38½	@	39⅜
Oats, No. 2	20	@	21½
Rye, No. 2	42½	@	43
Barley, Good to Choice	38	@	45
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	66½	@	66½
Corn, No. 3	38	@	38½
Oats, No. 2 White	24	@	24½
Rye, No. 1	45½	@	46
Barley	43	@	43½
PORK—Mess	9 30	@	9 35
LARD	5 85	@	5 90
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Export Steers	$5 25	@	5 75
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ED. HERALD:—My last letter closed with an attempt to describe Holland, or the strip into which we innocently strayed. A peculiarity which I omitted is the frquently seen stone towers, round and teapot shaped or truncated cone. They seem absolutely useless, and just hanging around, as we say. They look fully as intelligent as the round shouldered, sluggish Dutchmen who stare at us as we pass. Pharaoh's chickens are the only bird I can see that the latter resemble, and they are as impervious to impressions as an armidillo. The country is perfectly level, so they never have to look up nor down, and therefore gaze churlishly and gloomily ahead.

We were nearing the German boundaries, and as our fears by day and our nightmares by night had been of the German custom-house, we had many and ominous thumpings about our hearts and we quaked inwardly. At last we sighted the dread monster and advanced with unsteady wheels to the ordeal. A big, smiling faced German in an awe-inspiring uniform accosted us and we said we were Americans and began fumbling for our passports. The monster said in good, honest German; "All right, gentlemen," waved his hand majestically and let us pass without seeing a paper. We hastened along until out of sight and then went into convulsions and pounded each other for joy.

Aix la Chapelle is inhabited by people endowed with more than human curiosity. No sooner were we well in the city than we were surrounded and gently mobbed. Small boys fought and bled for a sight of us and we feared police intervention. At last, by leaving our wheels at our hotel and taking refuge in an old cathedral built by Charlemagne, we escaped the crowd and witnessed one of the most impressive services imaginable. In that vast nave, amid hundreds of devout worshipers, with the solemn hush followed by the chant of the choir, reverence and awe was all one could feel.

On the following morning we set out for Cologne, 50 miles away, and though it rained continually yet the roads were perfect and at noon we reached our destination. What can I say of the Cologne cathedral? One can only think that grand edifice. Gothe said of gothic architecture, that when we look up and think of climbing there, thought itself slides off, and indeed it does here. One cannot grasp its immensity mentally. Only the physical activity of walking and climbing convinces one of the real dimensions. I don't burden you with all we see in cities because Baedecker or Bayard Taylor or Mark Twain can furnish that so much better, but I assure you that, with true American enterprise, we get a rapid view of all the guide book calls for.

As we neared the famous bridge of boats we got our first glimpse of the Rhine, and our eyes, loyal then to the Hudson, saw only a muddy, narrow stream not to be compared with the Hudson. But wait! Even patriotism succumbs to the charms of the upper Rhine and I have more to say. We left the city of perfumes, all of which, I assure you, are not sweet, and began to ride on the most wonderful road, as we believe, in the world. From Cologne to Bingen this road follows devotedly the curves of the river, level as a table and smooth as marble. Rain or shine—and we had both in rapid succession—the road is perfect. It is, as I said, a marvelous road and I would encourage every enthusiastic American wheelman to make that ride, if he has to sell his bicycle to get home. It would be a pleasure to ride there if both sides of the road were walled high with empty tomato cans. But when the mind and eye are delighted with every beauty that nature, art and antiquity can lavish, then the journey becomes a dream or a fantasy of beauty.

Our dream was much as follows: A short ride to Bonn brought us to the most picturesque portion of the river. From the west bank where we were throughout we saw the ruin on the Dragon Rock. This rock beetles over the broad, swelling Rhine and the vine-covered hillsides and the banks of trees and the cavern where Siegfried, the hero of the Low Countries, slew the dragon. The wine produced near here is called the dragon's blood. By bathing himself in the dragon's gore, Siegfried became invulnerable. I suppose that is what those who soak themselves in wine in this region are seeking to do. On Basaltic rock beyond and on the west side is Roland's arch, a castle remnant, about which clings a legend which I must briefly tell you. It relates how brave knight Roland saw and loved and wooed the daughter of the lord of the Seven Mountains. Then Charlemagne summoned him to the crusades. Hildegrunde, the maiden, heard sad rumors of his capture by infidels and she entered a cloister. Roland returned and found that Hildegrunde was lost to him. He built this castle, whose crumbling arch remains, and lived in solitude, watching daily the pensive nun at her devotions. Then he missed her and after the funeral procession assured him that she was gone he spoke no more and at last was found dead with his lifeless eyes fixed upon the convent walls.

Our eyes feasted long upon the seven blue mountains whose graceful outline changed with every new point of view. Villas and the enchanting spires of old and modern churches pass constantly before the vision. Again and again, history animates a twice or a thrice dead ruin and the magic presence of Frederic Barbarossa or Charlemagne or some other mighty Teuton fires the imagination. The Apollinariskirche stirs the fancy with the associated tale of the ship which refused to go down the Rhine until the head of St. Apollinaris was deposited there. Frederic, the Red Bearded, was sending the head to Cologne.

For supper that first evening on the Rhine, we purchased rolls and a little butter, some eggs and a few cakes and we ate our meal while sitting in Nature's vast dining room with three romantic castles perched high above, and amid bird songs and rushing vine leaves. It was enough to make a poet out of a man. We seriously thought of climbing up and sleeping in one of those old castles that night, but thoughts of rheumatism and other possible ills deterred us and we very prosaically went to a hotel.

The next day we passed castle after castle, ruined walls and temples built by the Romans in their greatest days, churches and abbeys built by the sturdy Teutons, and the steep cliffs rising perpendicular from the wall. At one point, we climbed down the rocky wall and took a swim in the romantic river. While we thus disported ourselves, a passenger boat passed us and when they saw our wheels on the bank, the people seemed much amused. German curiosity still exercises itself upon us and it is an actual fact that they stopped a street-car which ran out to a suburb to allow the passengers and crew to examine us while we were oiling our wheels. Our pilgrimage resembles a pageant as we pass through villages and towns. Men and women in front and a tapering line of children in the rear. Perhaps a comet serves the metaphor better. Chimes of bells often greet us as we enter a town but we are modest enough to interpret that as merely announcing the hour. I can't tell you more now, but in my next letter I shall take you with me up to Bingen.

C. H. VANTINE

CORN CUTTING BEE.

The Trial of the McCormick Corn Binder at Frank Bryan's Farm.

C. A. Slayton, our agricultural implement dealer, has a deep feeling of sympathy for his overworked patrons who sow the seed and reap the golden, etc., and so he determined that all should have an opportunity to witness the operation of the latest labor saving device. This is the McCormick corn harvester. It was advertised to appear on Frank Bryan's farm Saturday afternoon and then and there, to cut and bind the standing corn—and this is just what it did. It actually cut and bound the corn without food, drink or watermelons. The performance drew like a circus and about 200 witnessed the new machine. When you get a machine or contrivance that will let a farmer out of corn cutting you will see him wide-awake and interested every time.

It is useless to attempt a detailed description of the machine here. To appreciate it you must see it, or go cut corn some hot, dry and dusty day yourself. The harvester is drawn by two horses. The corn is drawn over two stationary knives by endless chains and from thence upright to the binder which is very similar to that on the wheat harvesters. The machine is very simple with comparatively little gearing or complicated parts. The spectators were mostly practical farmers and well pleased with the machine and its work. Its practical utility and success as a corn-cutter is an established fact. It seems to be particularly useful and expeditious in cutting ensilage or fodder corn, and leaves the stalks in good shape for handling, and its advent will doubtless make the growing of fodder corn in quantities much more cheap and practical. Where large areas of field corn are grown this machine will soon become as indispensable as the small grain binder, as the saving in fodder will be immense. The only question here is the price. It will do the work, if the crops grown will warrant the purchase. If you wish to see the machine, get descriptions, etc., call on C. A. Slayton.

Prof. Ramsay's last conclusion is that argon and helium contain as a common ingredient a gas not hitherto identified.

JACKSON vs. TECUMSEH.

One of the Best Games of the Season On the Home Diamond.

Last Saturday the Jackson Athletic base ball team crossed bats with the home team on our grounds. This is the first time that a team from the Central City has played here for some time, though we have had many games with them in the course of our base ball history and good games they were generally. The last was no exception, being a very interesting game and perhaps as well enjoyed by the spectators as any played here this season, not excepting the league games. Though in former contests with Jackson our boys have a good majority of successes they were defeated in this by the odd score. Up to the last half of the 6th innings the game was all that any one would ask for, standing 5 to 8 in our favor. When the visitors took their 6th they set the ball rolling, and by good batting, with a little ragged, rattled playing and wild throwing by their opponents, they run in 8 scores. They did not get another, but this was enough. When the home team came to the platethey had vengeance of the same kind, with 5 scores, which was not enough, as they only got one more in the 8th.

Tecumseh took first innings with Scofield to the bat who got his base on balls and stole 2nd. Harris hit a grounder to Stinson in the box, who assisted the batter out at 1st. Gillen then made a safe letting in Scofield. Chambers popped a little fly to first, closing the deal with one score.

Mix took the first stick for the J. A. C. opening with a two-bagger to left. Mack made a single and Murphy let in Mix with a sacrifice hit being put out on 1st. McCleary, after 2 strikes sent a hot grounder to Chambers who made a good stop assisting Mack to the bench at 2d. F. Stinson made a safe, McCleary had stolen 2nd, and got 3rd. Cahil struck a grounder to Spaulding, he to Gillen, who retired the side by putting out Stinson at 2d. while McCleary scored on fielder's choice.

Spaulding opened the 2d. by striking out and Vecelius quickly followed him to retirement. It looked bad, but Hicks and Kennedy got bases on balls when Hughes drove the latter out for a chance to cross the plate. Now Scofield put a fly straight toward A. Stinson in center field, who made a hard run on the fallow. The effort was good but he didn't hold it, and Hughes and Kennedy got home, making 3 scores for the side, which was relieved when F. Stinson got Harris' grounder and shut him off at 1st.

A. Stinson fanned. Neesley got 1st by error to 3rd. and 2nd. on wild throw; another error at 3rd let Mix get 1st, when Mack made a safe and let in Neesley. Murphy then tryed a safe to left but Hughes got it, made a fine double to 2nd, retiring Mack and the side with one score.

The 3rd. and 4th innings were sooners, only 6 men to bat on a side in the two, and no scores. In the 5th each got a count making it 4 to 5. Good game. Tecumseh didn't count in the 6th, but Jackson—eight. They made six safes. They got hit twice by pitched balls one of which forced a man home. Errors and wild throws did the rest. Hughes took in a fly and Harris struck out two, finally ending the misery after 13 men had been to bat.

In the 7th our boys retrieved their fortunes partially and had it their own way till 5 were run up in their favor. Gillen found it for a two-bagger; three singles were made; three errors and a little wild throwing also assisted.

Only one score was made after this inning. The visiting team played very good ball and played all the time. Stinson seems to so pitch the ball that it comes back to him, he making 6 assists to first during the game. The following is a summary:

TECUMSEH.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Scofield, c	4	3	1	8	0	1
Harris, p	5	1	0	0	3	0
Gillen, 2b	5	1	3	6	2	1
Chambers, 3b	5	1	1	1	3	3
Spaulding, ss	4	0	0	0	3	1
Vecelius, 1b	5	0	1	7	0	1
Hicks, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kennedy, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hughes, lf	4	3	2	2	1	0
	38	11	9	24	12	7

JACKSON.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Mix, rf	5	2	1	0	0	1
Mack, lf	5	1	2	2	0	1
Murphy, 1b	5	2	2	14	0	1
McCleary, ss	5	1	1	1	1	0
Smith, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
F. Stinson, p	4	1	2	0	6	0
Cahil, 3b	5	1	0	0	2	2
A Stinson, cf	4	1	3	4	0	1
Neesley, c	3	2	1	4	1	0
	40	12	13	27	13	6

Batteries, F. Stinson and Neesley; Harris and Scofield. Umpire, Reddy, of Jackson. Struck out by Stinson, 5; by Harris, 6. Wild pitch by Stinson, 3. Passed balls, Neesley 8. Double plays, Hughes to Gillen; Harris to Gillen, to Vecelius. Earned Runs, Jackson, 3; Tecumseh, 2.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

DOG DAYS.

Every dog
Has his day,
Of several of them.
These are our
Days, these hot ones.
I'm a dog and I
Don't like hot weather.
But I'm not going mad.
Why should I, when I
Can lie in the shade
Of the woodshed
And study the flies?
In August I feel like
An alderman.
Every one suspects me.
If I let my tongue hang out
The children scream.
Yesterday I growled.
What of it?
Every one growls in this weather.
But the woman next door
Heard me growl.
This morning I saw her
Put some white powder on meat.
The meat's over there
By the fence.
It can stay there.
I know a thing
Or two.
If I pass a hydrant
Without taking a drink
Some one points me out
And says I am mad.
I see men pass hydrants.
No one accuses them.
How about it?
I musn't slobber
These days.
Well, I should say not;
I can slobber all winter
And no one will
Offer an objection.
But let me slobber
In August
And I have to begin
Ducking bullets.
Also I have to walk
Very slowly.
If I trot
Some wise guy yells
And tells every one to
Look out!
Oh, but I have
To be careful.
Yesterday I smelled of
A boy's leg and
A large, frantic mob of
Men, women and children
Chased me a mile.
Hello, here comes a policeman,
Now watch me.
Keep quiet.
I am not mad.
I am not mad.

—Chicago Record.

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A HANDFUL OF LACONICS.

To be a good listener is to possess as great an art as to be a good talker.

The girl who is the close confidante of her father makes, in nine cases out of ten, the best kind of a wife.

A pretty woman with nothing but her fairness to offer, invariably attracts men. But she seldom holds them.

It is singular and yet a fact that the virtues we are most loath to believe possessed by others are those we are incapable of ourselves.

It is a habit with some people when they wish their own virtues to look the whitest, always to use the faults of others as a background.

The lover women complain, does not always survive in the husband. But is it not equally true that the sweetheart does not always survive in the wife?—Edward W. Bok in September Ladies' Home Journal.

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The editor of the Arizona Kicker has had some trouble since his appointment as postmaster, as the following would indicate: "When we assumed the duties and responsibilities of postmaster of this town we found that every judge, general, colonel and major in this locality had the idea that his letters ought to go free. In order to keep friends with them the former postmaster had stamped their letters at his own expense. We promptly refused to carry out any such line of policy, and as a result there was more or less shooting for the first month. Gen. H[illegible] one of our ears with a Phelps sent a bullet but we were firm finally brought Capt. Joe thinking the other Tomb was in [illegible] for [illegible] i [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., AUGUST 30, 1895.

Fred Allen, jr., is visiting Clinton relatives for a few days.

Rob. Miller, of the depot force, spent last Sunday in Morenci.

Miss Hough, of Adrian, is the guest of Franc Hause this week.

Postmaster Kishpaugh spent last Sunday with friends at Dundee.

Miss Maud Abbott, of Franklin, is the guest of Clyde Marsteller.

Miss Laura Clark was calling on Tecumseh friends last Tuesday.

The regular annual school meeting occurs next Monday evening.

Geo. H. Semark moved his family into the Gillen house this week.

Mrs. L. Mills, of Dallas, Texas, is visiting Mrs. R. B. Mills this week.

Mrs. R. Mills, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Mrs. Ed. Smith for a few days.

Miss Iva Crane, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Petunia VanDeMark this week.

Miss Edna Wilkerson, of Dundee, is visiting Peter Kishpaugh's family this week.

John J. White expects to move into his new shop about the middle of next month.

Miss Calista Galloway, of Adrian, is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers' this week.

Miss Cora Witherell, who has been visiting at Fostoria, Ohio, returned home Tuesday.

E. G. Hanford, of New York, who has been visiting friends in town, started for home yesterday.

Fred Bostedor, of Eaton Rapids, came out to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Bostedor.

Chas. Strong, of Somerset, passed through here Tuesday on his wheel, calling on D. St. John.

Services will be held at St. John's church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. to be followed by the holy communion.

A new cement cross walk is being laid on Jackson street which will be a great convenience to the east siders.

Clark & Shinman have received their first invoice of fall goods, consisting of new hats and ribbons. More will follow in due time.

The funeral of Mrs. Chas. Bostedor took place at the family residence at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended.

Chauncy Fuller is putting in a new furnace. A. B. VanDeMark has the job, which is sufficient guarantee that it will be well done.

The west store in the new block has received its plate glass front and the carpenters are now pushing the inside work to completion.

Will Niblack returned last Saturday from a week's visit with Macon, Saline and Ypsilanti friends. His wife and daughter returned with him.

The regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., will occur next Wednesday evening, Sept. 4, when the election of officers will take place.

W. P. Weber and his sister May, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, left on Wednesday for Kalamazoo, where they will visit for a few days and then return home.

The funeral of Mrs. C. S. Burroughs, held last Saturday, was largely attended, and the sympathy of our entire community is bestowed upon the afflicted husband and other relatives.

The Episcopal Sunday school enjoyed their annual picnic at Wampler's lake Wednesday. It threatened rain in the morning, but it proved to be a fine day for out door sport and all had an enjoyable time.

The ladies of St. John's church will give their annual harvest supper at the town hall, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 11th. Ice cream and cake will be served from 3 to 10 p. m. and the regular supper from 5 to 7.

Garland Gillespie will hang out his shingle and begin the practice of the law next Monday. He has secured the room over Freese's store for an office which will make a fine room. Success to him in his new venture.

Extensive repairs have been made on the school building and new furnaces have been put in. The Peninsula furnace, made at Detroit, is the kind adopted and it will doubtless give good satisfaction. The fall term of school will begin next Monday.

The corner store in the new block is about completed. The two big panes of plate glass are now in place, which are the largest in Clinton, if not in the county, and they make a beautiful front. Mr. Lancaster will probably occupy the store next week.

The Clinton Woolen Co. propose to put in a system of water works in the ... enough people will ... take water by the ... Let everyone ... as they should ... a go.

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GONE HOME.

The quaint saying, "Death loves a shining mark," was never more aptly illustrated in this community than when the Angel summoned Genevieve Burroughs from her earthly to her heavenly home.

Genevieve Lancaster, the daughter of Franklin L. and Mary Lancaster, was born in Bridgewater, three miles east of Clinton, May 21, 1864. Five years later the family moved into the village of Clinton which, with two brief intervals, has since been her home.

She was a pupil in the Clinton high school and graduated therefrom with the class of '80. She then taught school for several terms in country districts and in the Clinton school. She was united in marriage to Charles S. Burroughs May 10, 1883, and began her matrimonial voyage with bright skies overhead and a happy little circle at her own hearthstone. One child blessed this union; Frank, now eleven years of age. In March, 1890, the family moved to Kokomo, Ind., but remained there only a short time. In September, 1894, she joined her husband in Oklahoma, remaining three months, and her health was much improved by the trip. For the past few years she has been a great sufferer from tuberculosis and for a few months her friends have been hoping against hope that a favorable change might ensue which would permit her to tarry with loved ones here below many years longer. Providence, however, had decreed otherwise, and on Thursday, Aug. 22, death came to her relief. These few words contain a recital of her earthly pilgrimage, but who can measure in words the happiness that reigned supreme in her household? Who can tell all the good deeds which she scattered like beautiful flowers along life's pathway?

The funeral obsequies were held at her father's residence last Saturday afternoon. Rev. W. R. Blachford read the burial service from the Episcopal ritual, and the members of Golden Rod chapter rendered the funeral service of the Eastern Star at the grave. Grace Smith, Minnie Hard, Carrie Draper, Libbie Scovell, Lina Jones and Grace Stevens, all dressed in white, acted as pall bearers. The display of floral emblems was profuse and beautiful, by which her sorrowing friends testified their love for the departed one.

The deceased was a woman of bright intellect and rare domestic virtues. In the relations of daughter, wife and mother she illustrated the highest type of womanhood. It is hard for the bereaved husband and friends to reconcile themselves to this dispensation; but they know that the best medical advice obtainable and the most watchful care were lavished upon the object of their devotion; they can always cherish in fond remembrance her Christian example, their best legacy on earth; they can look for consolation to Him, who alone has the power to comfort the sorrowing and to wipe away the tears from their eyes.

MACON MUSIC.

"Summer grippe" seems to be the fashion here at present.

Mrs. Biddle is reported very sick. Her sons at Caro have been sent for.

Nellie Frost is on the sick list, though gaining.

Agents for church furniture are visiting Macon.

Misses Franc and Elva Richart left this week to begin their work at Republic.

Laura and Nellie Gooding and Bessie Camburn commence school in Tecumseh next week.

The Aid society report a very pleasant time at Mrs. Slaight's, though doubtless some were kept away by the threatening rain.

The W. C. T. U. tea meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elwin Camburn on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 7. All are cordially invited to attend.

A Book for Young Men.

An immeasurable amount of suffering and injury to the human race, is due to the ignorant violation of physiological laws by the youth of our land. Ruinous practices are indulged in, through ignorance of the inevitable injury to constitution and health which surely follows. By every young man, the divine injunction, "Know Thyself," should be well heeded. To assist such in acquiring a knowledge of themselves and of how to preserve health, and to shun those pernicious and most destructive practices, to which so many fall victims, as well as to reclaim and point out the means of and cure to any who may unwittingly have violated Nature's laws, and are already suffering the dire consequences, an association of medical gentlemen have carefully prepared a little book which is replete with useful information to every young man. It will be sent to any address, securely sealed from observation in a plain envelope, by the World's Dispensary Medical Association of 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y., on receipt of 6 cents in stamps (for postage,) if enclosed with this notice. 1w

It is said that a slight electric current applied right and morning to the neck, between the shoulders will increase the flesh and improve the complexion.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Gagnette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., writes: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 2

Experiment has shown that electric cars are capable of attaining a speed of 80 miles an hour with ease, and that heavy freight can be readily transported.

In This Country.

Everybody is more or less affected with Catarrhal troubles, and all these victims of our atmospheric changes are on the look out for effective remedies. Nature's Catarrh Cure has proved itself the best remedy on the market, for Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, and other forms of this insidious disease. It has proved a reliable remedy, cleansing the nasal passages, and allaying inflammation and restoring the senses of taste and smell. Sold by A. Wright. aug.

NEWS NOTES.

Some 750,000 persons saw the parade of over 25,000 Sir Knights Templar in Boston. At the business meeting Grand Commander McCurdy delivered his address. The report of the grand recorder, William B. Isaacs, Jr., showed that there were 961 regular commanderies, and thirty-nine under the jurisdiction of the grand body. The membership of the former is 103,541 and of the latter 3,119.

Eight persons were drowned and many houses were wrecked by a waterspout at Huatengo, Mexico.

As the result of a quarrel Frank Hurst and Belle Levi were fatally wounded by Charles Williamson and William Broshears near Rockport, Ind.

Rains throughout the northwest greatly improved pasturage and crops.

At Wapakoneta, O., a strike on the waterworks trenches developed into a tragedy and three men were fatally injured.

The annual encampment of the National Spiritualist association commenced at Liberal, Mo.

It was announced that Secretary Olney had made a peremptory demand on the British government for a settlement of the Venezuela boundary dispute.

Fourteen states were represented at a meeting of the Western Editors' association at Salt Lake City.

Masked men stripped and tarred and feathered William Sprill and his wife at Burnettsville, Ind., and ordered them to leave town.

The president reappointed Matt W. Ransom to be United States minister to Mexico.

Confidential advices received at the department of state in Washington were to the effect that Spanish rule in Cuba could not last much longer, possibly three or four months at the outside.

The twenty-fourth annual conclave of the grand commandery of Colored Knights Templar opened in Cleveland.

A meeting of the largest steel concerns in the country was held at Pittsburgh, Pa., and preliminary steps were taken to form an organization to control prices.

The convent at Ribordaine, Italy, was partially destroyed by fire and eight women perished.

The charred remains of the body of Howard Pitzel, the one remaining missing child of Benjamin Pitzel, were found stuffed in a chimney in the cellar of a house which H. H. Holmes occupied two or three days last October in Irvington, Ind.

There is no excuse for any man to appear in society with a grizzly beard since the introduction of Buckingham's Dye, which colors natural brown or black. 1w

All the potassium chlorate used in making safety matches is now produced by the electrolytic method.

Impure blood is the cause of boils, pimples and other eruptions. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures these troubles. 1w

Prof. Ramsay's last conclusion is that argon and helium contain as a common ingredient a gas not hitherto identified.

The Mileage Par Excellence.

Is now the Ohio Central Lines' Interchangeable 1,000 Mile Ticket. Covering the B & O's System West of Pittsburgh, including the Pittsburgh & Western, the Big Four and other systems, it is a book that no person who travels can afford to be without. It is commended for investigation by our patrons.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

CROSS-EXAMINATION

Could Not Weaken Such Testimony As This.

(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

The following statement is one of great interest to many a citizen of Kalamazoo, and a man as well known as Mr. Wallace should carry more than ordinary weight with our readers. Here it is as taken down by our representative:

"My name is John A. Wallace. I am a member of the firm of J. A. Wallace & Co., doing business as tinners, etc., at 106 Eleanor Street, Kalamazoo, in which city I also reside. For the past nine or ten months I have been having attacks of kidney complaint, the pain in my back over my hips was very severe at times; my urinary system was also in a bad state of derangement, sometimes the urine was scanty and then again the amount would be excessive, and a difficulty of passage always existed. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills at a time when I felt that I was going to be sick, but their use warded off an attack, and I am now feeling very much better; the urinary organism has regained a normal condition, and the terrific pain in my back is much reduced in severity, while it is now fast going away altogether. I am continuing the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, with positive feeling that they will effect on me a permanent and speedy cure. I have unbounded confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills as a remedy for all kidney ailments; have good reason to be, as they have done so much for me."

Can you ask any more than this? Doan's Kidney Pills are relieving more backs of the burdens they have been forced to bear through the kidneys than all other means devised, and, better still, they are doing this right here in Michigan. Ask any one who has ever taken them and see what they will say.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, in said county to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 24 of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres in the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty one (21) township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee on the 5th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 5th day of August 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
JOHN E. BIRD, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Thomas R. Kyle, against the goods chattels and real estate of Joseph Grey, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1895, levy upon seize and take all the right, title and interest of Joseph Grey in and to that piece of land situated in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as Beginning at a point in the east line of northeast quarter of section 34, town 5 south, of range 4 east, 5 chains south of the north east corner of said section, running thence south along the east line of said section 18 chains 75 links; thence west parallel with the quarter section line running east and west through said section 40 chains to the quarter section line 10 chains and 45 links to the southeast corner of land formerly owned by David Mudgett, thence easterly along the south line of said land formerly owned by David Mudgett as aforesaid to the southwest corner of land formerly owned by Absalom Ihls, thence easterly along the south line of land formerly owned by Ihls to place of beginning, containing about 41.6 acres. Also the north 42¾ acres of a certain 86 acres conveyed by G. J. Stafford to Rilla Grey by deed, dated May 11, 1876, recorded in Liber 149 on page 433, said 86 acres described as south part of northeast quarter of section 30 town 5 south of range 4 east. All of which I shall expose for sale, at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee on the 26th day of September, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D. 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
WALTER C. BURRIDGE, Jr.
Attorney for Plaintiff

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 29th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry T Luce, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rivita S. Luce, executrix of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid and that she is now ready to render her second annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree in the premises as it seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 26th day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it Is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE EXPOSITOR HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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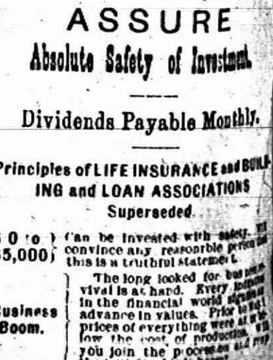

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

We had a fine rain Wednesday night.

A. Gogolin made a business trip to Toledo last Friday.

You will see a good game on the home diamond tomorrow.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was in town one day last week.

Frank Osgood, of Morenci, is visiting his uncle, W. R. Osgood.

W. F. Weisinger, of Deerfield, was in town last Thursday on business.

Quite a number of Brittonites attended the ball game at Deerfield on Tuesday.

Dr. Hardy's three weeks' vacation will be up next Tuesday and he is expected home about that time.

Thomas Gorham's sister, who has been visiting him for some time, returned to her home in Marshall, Wednesday.

Arthur Curtis is buying wheat for Heusinger & Munson, of Deerfield. They make their shipments over the Wabash.

A. Beal went to Devils lake Wednesday, accompanied by his row boat. Now the fish in that pond of water have to suffer.

The person who stole the watermelon from Hotel Hause Wednesday had better send settle for the same and thus avoid further trouble.

Gogolin is getting material on the ground, as fast as men and teams can do it, for several cottages in the addition north of last week.

Shipments from this point during the past week aggregate twenty-five car loads. Commodities were hay, wheat, straw and livestock.

Misses Lee accompanied by her sister Birdie and Anne have been spending a few days with a sister in Detroit. They returned Wednesday.

Rev. James Wright filled the Christian church pulpit last Sunday, Elder Mudge having been called to Chicago on account of sickness in his family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, have been visiting friends in this vicinity this week. Mr. Williams has been repairing the Page wire fence.

Among the passengers taking the train Wednesday were H. J. Williams and wife for Adrian, and Miss Davidson for Traverse City.

Miss DuBois has been playing hide and seek with the cholera morbus this week. In the first half of the fifth inning she scored a home run and stayed all day.

The delegation from Britton attending the Farmers' Picnic at Devils lake today. The rainy weather in the morning kept many away who would otherwise have gone.

It seems like old times to see Dr. E. Hindershot among us so often of late. Wonder why he don't make up his mind to come back here for good. Most of friends are ready to welcome him.

Although L. C. Hoagland has been driving buggies at a song, yet some of the young bloods insist on making a one horse buggy do double duty after dark. Now why not chip in and get one built for her?

Dr. E. Mudge was called to Chicago very suddenly on Friday last on account of the serious illness of his son Clifford's wife, formerly Miss Eda Crane, of Dundee. Further news from the patient is awaited with anxiety.

The Knights John Britton, Sam Underhill and Geo. Smith, accompanied by their wives, and Wm. Britton, are in Detroit this week attending the grand lodge conclave. We venture the assertion that they are enjoying themselves.

Today's game at Deerfield resulted in another victory for the Giants. Although they were somewhat crippled, they put up a good game and won easily. Score 12 to 2. Batteries for Britton, Hall and Lewis; Deerfield, Bailey, Hall and West.

Mr. Black, our new clothier, while coming from the store last Thursday, caught his foot in the sidewalk and seriously injuring his ankle. He went home to Addison for rest and his place is supplied temporarily by Mr. Howd.

The Britton and Tecumseh teams will play a game on the home grounds today, Aug. 31st. This will be the last game of the series and as each team has won one game a hot game may be expected. Tecumseh has strengthened their team by Harris, of Port Huron, Fairchild, of Morenci, who will do the battery work. The Giants will surely hustle all through the game. Admission, 10 and 5 cents. Game called at 3:30 p. m.

We are now ready to make cider as soon as apples are brought in. Long experience and new improvements will enable us to make better cider than ever before this year. 2w W. R. OSGOOD.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Mrs. S. L. Rappleye is on the sick list.

Mollie Rappleye returned to Ypsilanti Sunday.

Bert Gould and wife are the guests of Simon Gould this week.

Miss Jennie Allen is visiting relatives in Toledo this week.

The annual school meeting will be held Monday evening, Sept. 2d.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman and son George returned from Big Rapids Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, visited friends here the first of the week.

Miss Darlington, of Wheeling, Gratiot county, is the guest of Mrs. Herman Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorton came out to attend the McCrimmon and Temple wedding.

Warren Jones and daughter May went to Ypsilanti Monday on their wheels, returning Tuesday.

Miss Louisa Schreder, of Clinton, visited her aunt, Mrs. Tabitha Arner, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Lowe, who has been under the doctor's care for several weeks, is able to ride out again.

Mrs. Wm. Doty and Ella Hall left on the midnight train Tuesday to visit relatives at Dixon, Ill.

Samuel McClure and daughter Annie and Miss Naomi North, of Tecumseh, called on friends Sunday.

A. J. Sutton left for Yorkville Monday to attend the station work there during the agent's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stearns and little daughter, of Toledo, visited A. J. Sutton and family over Sunday.

Mrs. S. P. Smith left Tuesday morning for Chatham, N. Y., for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Statts.

Mrs. R. H. Nelson and Miss Irene Thompson, of Hudson, visited friends in the village Thursday and Friday.

E. L. Lowe and his mother and daughter Nina returned from their visit with relatives at West Plains, Mo., Monday.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Frank Bailey and Miss Mary Smith were united in marriage at the home of Chas. Lowe.

Mr. Kellogg, who has been spending the past three months in the village, returned to his home in Texas last week Thursday.

Mr. Maurice Farrah and wife of Adrian, and F. J. Temple and wife of Tecumseh, attended the McCrimmon-Temple wedding.

Bessie Barrett, who has been spending a few weeks in Jackson with her sister, Mrs. Byron Beagle, returned home Saturday evening.

Fourth and last quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held next Sunday. Love feast at 9:30, preaching at 10:30, sacrament following.

Seven high grade milch cows will be sold at the Cyrus Mead auction next Wednesday. These are choice animals, their milk standing among the highest tests at the Ridgeway creamery.

The marriage of W. R. McCrimmon of Luther and Clara Temple took place Wednesday at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. Cansfield officiating. The many friends of the bride extend their best wishes and congratulations.

There was a large attendance at the W. C. T. U. annual ice cream social held at the home of Mrs. John Arner. The ladies of the union desire to extend their appreciation to those present for their kind support and help in making it a success. The proceeds amounted to nearly sixteen dollars.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs. Art Chase was in town Monday.

Uncle Ben Kelley is quite poorly at this writing.

Dr. J. W. Nixon and lady enjoyed the lake breeze Friday.

Geo. Holloway and A. D. Macham visited Toledo Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Campbell, of Indiana, is here visiting his aged mother.

Miss Grace Carpenter went to Clinton to spend a few days visiting.

D. P. Anthony, of Chicago, arrived Monday evening to visit his family.

Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, of Clinton, is visiting Miss C. E. Winship for a few days.

Mr. Anderson and daughter, Mrs. Roberts, returned to Sparta, Monday via the Wabash.

Strangers from abroad are expected to the Sunday school convention held Aug. 31, at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Richard and daughter, were callers on C. B. Anthony and wife Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alma Hall left for Chicago Saturday morning after a sojourn of seven weeks at the home of A. D. Macham.

The stock-holders of the Holloway Hall held a meeting to decide in regard to selling it to store, Wednesday 28th.

Miss Jennie Gordon returned Monday from Michigan Center, where she has been visiting her brother Elec for a month.

Mr. Hagaman and daughter are enlightening people that Spiritualism is a fake. A good audience attended Friday evening.

Nathan Spencer, Sam Rogers, Wm. Cox, Allen Kelley and wife left Friday morning for Boston to attend the Knight Templar Conclave in that city.

The community was shocked to hear the sad news of Harry Ney, who was found dead in his bed. The widowed mother has the sympathy of all in her sad affliction. The Universalist minister of Tecumseh officiated; also a Tecumseh choir. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the house.

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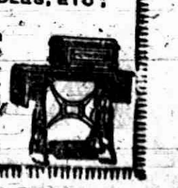

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 30, 1895.

A FINE FARM HOUSE.

One Sunday in May, 1894, the dwelling house of Horace Eaton, located on his farm about a mile east of Tecumseh, was destroyed by fire. The loss was a serious one to him, but he did not propose to go without a home any longer than necessary. He moved his family back to the Raisin farm and began work last fall upon a new and larger house upon the old site. The foundation and brick walls were put up last year and the interior finish has been progressing since. The work is so nearly completed that the family will move into their new home next week.

While going to Ridgeway the other day we halted a few moments to inspect the building and found Mr. Eaton himself there, superintending the arrangement of the water works. The main part of the house is a square, brick edifice, two full stories high with slate roof. This part contains a vestibule, two parlors connected by folding doors, a dining room and a family room. A wing in the rear contains a kitchen and wash room, bath room and closet. There is a cellar underneath the entire house, which is divided into four compartments, each having a cement floor. One of these contains the furnace and the others will be used for milk and ordinary kitchen purposes and a store room. A Floral Queen furnace has been put in for heating the house, and it has a hot water connection from which pipes run into the bath room. A large reservoir has been constructed above ground of solid stone walls, which will hold 75 barrels of water, and feed pipes run from this to both the house and barn. This reservoir will be fed by the windmill and is so constructed that the water will be kept cool in summer and kept from freezing in the winter. Lew Waldron is now doing the plumbing and getting the water connections in proper shape for use. This feature will be a great household convenience. The kitchen is arranged with a cistern sink, cupboards and other conveniences, which will make it a pleasure to get a meal. The whole interior finish of casings and doors is done in hard oil, showing the natural color of the wood, giving a tasty and cheerful appearance to the rooms. The carpets are being laid in the front rooms this week. When the details are all completed Mr. Eaton will have a beautiful home. May he live long to enjoy it.

OBITUARY.

From the Pratt County Union of Aug. 22d we clip the following obituary notice of J. L. Hanford, son of James Hanford, who formerly lived in Tecumseh. He was a very promising young man and many of his old acquaintances here will learn of his demise with sincere regret:

Jay L. Hanford was born at Tecumseh, Mich., December 31, 1871. Died at his home near Pratt, Kan., August 18, 1895, aged 23 years 7 months 17 days, after an illness of a few days, with malarial fever. He has lived here since March, 1887. In that time he made numbers of friends. He leaves to mourn his departure, a father, mother, three brothers, other relatives and many close friends. The funeral service was conducted at the Christian church last Monday by Elder Sloan. Text: Job 14:14: If a man die shall he live again.

Public Auction.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, on his farm in Township of Macon, opposite Grange all, and 3 miles north of Ridgeway village on Wednesday, Sept. 4, '95, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property: One 6-year old horse. 7 cows-New Milch or coming in soon. (These are all high grade cows) 2 year-old bull, yearling heifer, 7 shoats, 38 pigs, 5 breeding sows with pig; 1 stock hog, 3 seat platform wagon. Lumber wagon, hay and stock Rack, Self rake, 2 set double harness, Howe scales, 3 cultivators, corn sheller, grind stone, wheel barrow, stoves, hay in barn, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, August 19th, 1895.

Present the entire council. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Labor: A. Park, $13.80; I. A. Brown, $12.50; Brant Bangs, $1.00; Wm. Fielder, $17.00; C. Hartman, $6.25; Chas. Spicer, $1.25; Fred Holmes, $1.25; C. Marsh, $1.00; A. Woodbeck, $1.00; Geo. Haywood, $.63; John Blesing, $1.00; Chas. Packard, $1.00; A. Hyde, $24.00; C. F. Field, printing, $1.50; Tecumseh Electric Co., wiring council building, $7.50; Wm. E. Caligan, cement cross walk, $76.00. Cement walks: H. W. Stevens, $19.42; C. E. Williamson, $13.21; Mrs. A. M. Youngs, $30.59; A. W. Mills, $58.59. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

A proposition was received from A. W. Mills, stating that if village would pave the west side of Ottawa street north from Chicago street to alley he would donate therefor the amount of rebate on cement walk. Moved and supported that above proposition be accepted. Carried.

Moved and supported that the street commissioner be paid $40.00 per month from Sept. 1st, until expiration of his term of office. Carried.

The following ordinance was introduced:—

AN ORDINANCE.

The Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh ordains: That an ordinance passed May 6th, 1895, entitled "An ordinance requiring the building and maintaining of sidewalks within the Village of Tecumseh," be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto four new sections to stand as sections XI, XII, XIII and XIV.

SEC. XI. All sidewalks hereafter built or rebuilt on the north and south side of Chicago street, between the west line of Ottawa street and the west line of Sutton's Opera House property and the west line of Wm. J. Arnold's property shall be built or rebuilt entirely of cement or artificial stone.

SEC. XII. All sidewalks hereafter built or rebuilt within the fire limits shall be of the following widths on the north side of Chicago street all sidewalks between the west line of Ottawa street and the west line of Sutton's Opera House property shall be ten (10) feet six (6) inches in width; from said west line of Sutton's Opera House property to the east line of Pearl street sidewalks shall be not less than six feet in width, on the south side of Chicago street from the west line of Ottawa street to the west line of Wm. J. Arnold's property, sidewalks shall be eleven (11) feet in width; from the said west line of William J. Arnold's property to the east line of Pearl street, sidewalks shall be not less than six (6) feet in width; On the east side of Evans street, between the north line of Pottawatamie street and the south line of Logan street, sidewalks shall be not less than six (6) feet in width; on the west side of Evans street, between Pottawatamie street and the south line of Logan street, sidewalks shall be not less than six (6) feet in width, excepting between the north line of Chicago street and the north line of C. M. Dickinson's property, which sidewalk shall be eight (8) feet in width.

SEC. XIII. All sidewalks hereafter built or rebuilt on the north and south side of Chicago street, between the east line of Adrian street and the west line of Wyandotte street, excepting that part lying in the fire limits and mentioned in the preceding section, shall be not less than five (5) feet nine (9) inches in width.

SEC. XIV. Where sidewalks shall be constructed upon two sides of lots situate on a corner or intersection of two streets that part of such sidewalk constituting the corner thereof, contained and lying within the intersection of the inner and outer lines of said two sidewalks shall be built by the owner of such lot, so as to form a continuous sidewalk.

This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

Passed Aug 19, 1895. J. H. SMITH, President.
W. J INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Moved that above ordinance be passed and adopted. Supported. Yeas—Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Hall, Smith, Wright—6. Nays—0. Declared passed.

The following resolutions were introduced:—

Be it resolved by the common council of the village of Tecumseh, Michigan: That a copy of a resolution passed by this council April 15th, 1895, relating to and setting forth the necessity for the erection of a passenger depot by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway company at Tecumseh, Michigan, a copy of which resolution was on the said 15th day of April, 1895, transmitted to the superintendent of the said Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway company, be submitted to the commissioner of railways for the state of Michigan.

Be it further resolved: That said commissioner of railways be and hereby is requested to investigate the cause of complaint set forth in said above mentioned resolution and if the facts and circumstances stated in said resolution are found to be true that said commissioner of railways cause, by and under the authority vested in him by the laws of the state of Michigan, said Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company to erect at Tecumseh, Michigan, a suitable and convenient passenger depot for the accommodation of the citizens of said Tecumseh, and the traveling public.

Be it further resolved: That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the superintendent of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway company.

Moved that above resolutions be adopted. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

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It was neither hot, dry nor dusty. We have had hot, dry and dusty weather all summer, and what better diversion of the elements than a good, long, steady rain for a farmers' picnic. If a picnic dinner tastes good in the sun and flies, imagine how keenly appetising the same is when eaten in the buggy with rain water, mud and horse hairs.

Of course everybody wasn't there. The timid, embroidered-gown agriculturist was scared out by the sullen skies of the morning. But the hardy, horny-handed sons of toil, who dig prosperity and poor potatoes from the soil of those parts, were there. The fellow and his best girl, father and mother and the hired man were there, and they all got wet, muddy and hungry. However, that made no difference. Father had uncovered the summer-fallow and mother had set the wash tub under the eve-trough, and the harder it rained the more thankful and good natured the crowd become.

Probably not more than one-half the crowd paid admittance to the grounds that would have been there had the day been fair and propitious for out door amusement. Still it is safe to say the popularity of this annual gathering brought out over 8000 people to picnic and see each other at the lake. They could not picnic to any great extent, but they saw each other to complete satisfaction. Oh! those white, airy, fairy, picnic skirts. Oh! those cute new patent leather shoes. The rustic clothes lines of Lenawee will tell it all today in a vivid panoramic reality. Where were the disciples and advocates of dress reform? They should have been there, for surely no greater object lesson in that line will be seen. Even some stern men will be converted when they come to pay for those dresses.

The program which had been prepared for the occasion was very fine. But they didn't indulge in programs. Programs want nice, dry, ideal weather. The weather yesterday wasn't that kind. The program will be given next year. The balloon didn't go up nor the parachute drop. They will be saved until next year also, along with the white duck pants. They probably won't be worn again this year if ever.

Eight coaches took up the excursionists on this branch and they were all full. Large excursion trains also came from the south and west, and the grove seemed to be nearly as full of teams as ever in these picnic days. The crowd did not fill the grove to the usual extent, but they mostly congregated under shelter and there it seemed enormous.

The Devils Lake Farmers' Picnic is one of the great events of the season. What they lost in pleasure they knew they gained a hundred fold by the benefit of the rain and they and their friends will all be there next year.

Four pickpockets were looking for those fat wallets which some always carry to large public gatherings. They came off the C. H. & D. where they had operated the day before. The gang got off at Devils Lake by mistake, came back to Tecumseh for some unknown reason, and missing the freight were conveyed to the picnic by Garlinghouse Bros. They were a little late to operate at the grounds but began early on the trains by relieving a citizen of Macon and Ridgeway of their surplus cash.

Notice of Infringement.

A bill has been filed in the circuit court of Barry Co. (Hastings Mich.) by Drs. Mixer against C. M. Tower who it is alleged has been infringing on the trade-mark of Mixers Cancer and scrofula Syrup. A temporary injunction has been allowed by Judge Clement Smith restraining C. M. Tower from further use of said trade mark.

Hastings, Mich. Aug. 23, 1895.

To the wholesale and retail druggists throughout the country. We desire to give you notice of an infringement on our trade mark for Mixers' Cancer and Scrofula Syrup put up by one C. M. Tower and under the name of "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." Hastings Mich. Said Tower having no right or authority to use our name, "Mixer." The wrapper of this bogus medicine bears Dr. Mixer's portrait and is very similar to our genuine wrapper, but in every case can be detected, for on the face and back of our wrappers (which contains bottle) is our signature, "Drs. Mixer" in a bold back handwriting, every bottle also has Mixer's Cancer and Scrofula Syrup" blown in three sides, the bogus medicine being put up in plain panel bottles.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hayden, of Grand Rapids, are the proud parents of a new boy.

Rev. C. P. Nash, of Holly, Mich., is spending a couple of weeks in Tecumseh on business.

F. J. Temple attended the Temple-McCrimmon wedding at Ridgeway last Wednesday.

The state fair will be held at Grand Rapids this year, beginning on Monday, September 9.

Rev. E. C. Andrus will administer intellectual food to the young ideas of Newburgh this fall.

Where shall you buy your school books? Ed. Kirchgessner tells you where in another column.

Geo. A. Braun, the new proprietor of the Dickinson market, has a message on the meat question in to-day's paper.

Miss Grace Heesen, who attended the Normal last year, left for Negaunee this morning where she will teach the ensuing year.

Miss Edith Ingersoll has chosen the Service district in Clinton township for her first attempt. She evidently has a certificate.

Miss May Kingan will teach at Wellsville, Ohio, and Miss Amy near Adrian, the coming year. They depart for their duties this week.

Miss Rhoda Dixon, who has been the guest of Misses May Kingan and Mattie Hastings, returns to her home in West Toledo, this afternoon.

Monday is Labor Day and Labor Day is a legal holiday in this state; therefore the banks and some other places of business will be closed.

Shall the Public Library be incorporated with the school library? This will be an important question for the school meeting to deliberate upon next Monday evening.

People of Tecumseh and vicinity should remember that Geo. Tansley & Son are prepared to sell them furniture and crockery cheaper than any house in Lenawee county.

A piano recital was given last evening at Albert Anderson's residence by Miss Mary Anderson's pupils, where a fine program was rendered to a large audience. In addition to the regular program Mr. Janssen favored the audience with a few humorous selections which were highly appreciated. A night blooming cereus lent its charms to the gathering also by unfolding a blossom. The guests present enjoyed the evening very much.

The 18th Michigan Infantry held their 28th annual reunion at Dundee last Tuesday. The meeting was very satisfactory, about 150 veterans uniting. The citizens of Dundee and vicinity swelled the meeting and welcomed the old comrades most heartily. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: Pres., Gen. C. C. Doolittle, Toledo; 1st vice, Lieut. L. R. Baker, Adrian; 2nd vice, Chas. Davis, Clinton; Sec., D. H. Warren, Clayton; Treas., L. B. Walcott, Hillsdale; Memorial Com., H. W. Stevens, W. H. Colvin, Rev. C. N. Bellman. Ten comrades have fallen since the last meeting. The next reunion will be held in Tecumseh, Aug. 26, 1896. The following old vets were present from Tecumseh: W. C. Jordan and wife, H. H. Wescott and wife, H. W. Stevens, Geo. Burroughs, A. W. Slayton, J. M. Ingersoll, Chas. Barry, Miles Baldwin, Delos Love, Wm. Smith, Thos. Wyrill.

COMING TO TECUMSEH.

The Good Citizenship Tent, under charge of Hon. M. J. Fanning, of Jackson, will be pitched in Tecumseh, on the corner of Oneida and Shawnee streets, east of the Central School building, on Tuesday next, September 3d. There will be meetings held in it every night, commencing Sept. 3d and continuing at least 10 days.

Sunday appointments, afternoon and evening.

These meetings will be in the interest of Temperance and Law and Order. There will be no partisan nor denominationalism talk. At these meetings Mr. Fanning will have charge of the speaking and Prof. W. M. Skinner, of Jackson, will have charge of the music. They are both men of national reputation in their respective lines. Let no one think that because Mr. Fanning is a recognized leader of the prohibition party that these meetings are in the interest of that party.

Every friend of the home, the state and the church can rally at these meetings, and it is hoped they will do so.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Aug. 28, 1895

Mrs. Adelia Granger, James M. Hendershot, Wellington Morris, Mrs. Alice Stephens, Mrs. Nettie Stephens, C. C. Travis.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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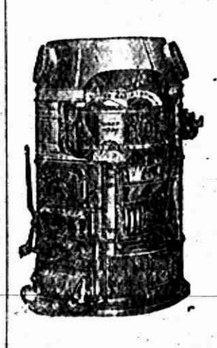

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUG. 30, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Fourth matinee to-morrow.

Harry Root is again on our streets.

Levi C. Hayden is home from Grand Rapids for a few days' stay.

James Lowry is expected home from his European trip to-night.

The farmers should remember Cyrus Mead's auction next Wednesday.

Mrs. Montague, of Adrian, was calling on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Harris and Scofield will be the battery for Tecumseh at Britton tomorrow. Go and see a hot game.

Fanning and Skinner make a strong temperance team. They will open their meetings here next Tuesday.

Miss Loana Davidson started Wednesday for Traverse City, to resume her duties as teacher there next Monday.

Tomorrow will be held the Raisin and Palmyra Sunday school convention at Raisin Center.

Mrs. Howard's committee of Baptist ladies will give a 10 cent supper at their church next week Thursday, Sept. 5th.

Elliott Gray got home Tuesday from six weeks' sojourn in northern Michigan: He returns feeling much invigorated.

Chas. R. Robinson has been engaged as janitor at the Central and East Ward buildings for the coming school year.

Examinations and classification for admission to the high school are being held at the central building today and tomorrow.

S. Osborn and wife, who have been making an extended visit with relatives and friends in these parts, returned to Ely, N. M., last Monday.

The oldest citizen and pioneer in Ogden passed away recently at the respectable age of 90. She was known on earth as Aunt Abbie Ovenshire.

The members of the Chautauqua circle meet at Mrs. C. A. Slayton's this evening to organize for next year's work. All interested are requested to be present.

If you can get away tomorrow, and wish to see the rubber between Tecumseh and Britton, go down to the latter village. It will be played there for all there is in it.

A big excursion train went through from the Lake Shore yesterday enroute to a big Sunday school reunion at Jackson. It was mostly a train, however, as there were few passengers aboard.

Rev. at the Friend's church next Sabbath preaching both morning and evening.

Mr. Hageman has returned from the annual meeting of the friends in Ohio, and will conduct the services for a few weeks. Everybody welcome.

Miss Alice Temple will enter Albion college this fall with the intention of taking a four years' course of study at that institution. The fall term will open the last week in September. Tecumseh will be well represented at Albion next year.

Rumor is current on the streets to the effect that Anderson & Co., dry goods dealers at Tecumseh, have leased the Metcalf building and will run a dry goods store there. As near as can be learned, there is no foundation for the report.—Adrian Times.

The subjects in the Universalist pulpit next Sunday will be: Morning, "I will look to the man according to his work." Prov. 23:29. Evening, "The Church of Labor." Y. P. C. U. topic. "Every Day Thoughts;" Prov. 16:26; St. Matt. 11:28. Topic for prayer meeting next Wednesday, "The Word of Life." St. John 1:5.

Mr. Snyder has a new gas lamp in his store which is a dandy. It is the Welsbach incandescent gas lamp. It burns ordinary gasoline gas, but uses a Bronson burner, making a very hot flame which heats a kind of gauze surrounding it to a white heat. This makes a beautiful, steady white light of 60 candle power, with about one-half the gas consumed in the ordinary burner.

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The fourth matinee will take place tomorrow. The track is in excellent shape and all arrangements have been made to make this the best race day of this summer. There will be a 2:35 classified named race, an exciting free for all, a 3 minute trot, and a 2:40 trot race. In addition to these horse races two good bicycle events have been arranged together with a 100 yard foot race open to any one.

Trotting matinee to-morrow.

School meeting next Monday evening.

Roy DeWolf was at the old home Sunday and Monday.

C. A. Slayton has been in Chicago this week on business.

M. L. Root took in the excursion to Boston this week.

Take tea with the ladies of the Universalist church this evening.

Maud Gilderaleeve is spending the present week at her home in Spring Arbor.

The fall term of our public schools will begin next Monday in all the departments.

C. H. Millis, Bert Lawrence and Will Odion took a trip to Devil's lake on their wheels last Sunday.

William J. Boyd and Miss Julia Hall were married by Rev. J. P. Varner, Tuesday evening, at the Methodist parsonage.

In addition to the matinee at Onsted last Saturday, a ball game, balloon ascension and parachute drop were indulged in. Nothing is too good for Onsted sports.

Mrs. Henry Crane has been spending the summer in Tecumseh. She returned to her home at Minneapolis, Monday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Chadwick.

I. B. Richart had the misfortune to take the end of a finger almost entirely off in a gearing Wednesday morning. Dr. North fixed on the nearly severed end and thinks it may stay there.

The abutments for the new bridge at Brownville were completed last Saturday. Mitchell and Lowry, the contractors, have done an excellent job. The bridge itself will be placed in position very soon.

Mrs. Judge Stacy has a night blooming cereus which has been doing a land office business lately. One bud came out last Saturday evening, on Sunday two more, and on Monday night a fourth blossom unfolded.

Chas. Burridge spent a couple of days last week at his Cedar Point cottage. Henry C. Conkling was his guest, and the two caught nineteen fish in two days. This statement can be relied upon as strictly true.

Services in St. Peter's church next Sabbath will be as follows: Holy communion, 8 a. m., and evening prayer at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Blachford will hold holy communion in St. John's church, Clinton, at 10:30 a. m.

Cleo Hall returned the first of the week from a trip in the northern peninsula scaling lumber for A. W. Slayton. He says they need no corn harvester in that section this season as Jack Frost has already done most of the cutting.

The citizens of Brownville are well pleased that the woodshed of the North Branch school has received a coat of paint. The coat was intended for a building at the West Branch of less size and pretentions, but it fits the woodshed all right.

Rev. E. L. Hurd, who supplied Rev. Brown's pulpit during his recent vacation departed for his home at Tuscola, Ill., the first of the week. Rev. Hurd will spend the present week with Dr. Chapin, the evangelist, at the Winona Lake assembly.

Frank H. Hall and family arrived last Sunday from Washington, D. C., where Frank is bibliographer in the agricultural department. They will take a month's vacation. We have farmed it some ourselves, but we don't just know what that word means.

The game played on our diamond Saturday was a good one. Such games merit a good attendance. The boys believe now that they will get attendance and support. Therefore, they have partially reorganized to have some good amateur games here this fall. Let everyone interested support the effort.

It is reported that James Schermerhorn, late of the Hudson Gazette, and who has been doing state editorial work on the Detroit Evening News, will take up his permanent abode in the metropolis. Mr. Schermerhorn was one of the brightest newspaper men in the State and will be missed by Hudson and Lenawee county people. Nevertheless the HERALD joins with his friends in wishing him success in his new field

At a special parish meeting held last Sunday at the Universalist church Rev. E. C. Andrus received a unanimous call to remain as pastor a second year, to begin Oct. 1st next. Mr. Andrus has accomplished a good work here under adverse circumstances. He has not only won the confidence and esteem of his own parishioners, but has gained many friends in other churches, all of whom will be glad to learn of the action of the parish meeting, which will insure his remaining in Tecumseh another year.

Mr. J. A. Gorman, Manager of the California Building, at the Cotton States Exposition has received from the Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, a communication saying that an Orange Tower, thirty-five feet high, will be erected in the center of the building, and will be illuminated by means of three hundred incandescent electric lights. The tower will be covered entirely with oranges, which will be kept fresh during the entire Exposition. For that purpose five carloads of oranges have been placed in cold storage at Los Angeles and supplies will be shipped once every fifteen days to replenish the exhibit.

Fourth matinee tomorrow.

Bert Baker was home over Sunday.

Wm. R. Bresle, of Decatur, Ill., is in town a day or two.

Horace Baker has been on the sick list for a few days.

Teeple has a fine new carpet in the front room of his gallery.

Geo. Tansley & Son sold and shipped six full sets of china last month.

Read the new sidewalk ordinance in the council proceedings this week.

The Central Market swings out a new card this week. Don't fail to read it.

Teachers and pupils are changing home for duty in considerable numbers now.

Mrs. A. W. Mills entertained a large company of friends at a five o'clock tea Monday afternoon.

E. C. Kennedy and wife returned Saturday from an extended sojourn at their Sand Lake cottage.

Miss Linda DeMott returned to her home in Flint yesterday, after a week's visit with Miss Julia Hicks.

Miss Jessie Quine, who has been visiting Miss Florence Brewer for the past week, returned to her home in Toledo, Monday morning.

The new cement walk in front of the Baptist church is completed. It is a beauty and will add much to the appearance of the property.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton has purchased the cottage "Idlewild" at Sand Lake, of Mrs. M. E. Chittenden and will rent it when Charley cannot find time to occupy it.

The treasurer of the Library Association has collected about $135 the past ten months, from our business men to support the reading room and $60 has been paid in at the library for tickets and fines. The reading room has been well patronized, even during the hot summer evenings. Let us keep it up another winter.

The annual election of officers of the Tecumseh Chapter of the O. E. S. was held last evening with the following result; Worthy Matron, Mrs. J. F. Hicks; Worthy Patron, P. S. McKinnon; Associate Matron, Mrs. A. Hardenburg; Conductress, Mrs. A. R. Boyd; Associate Conductress, Bertha Smoltzer; Secretary, Mrs. R. A. Heesen; Treasurer, Mrs. F. M. Bryan.

We have been cleaning house at the HERALD office lately. The up-stairs rooms have been renovated and George Matteson was drafted into the service to do the necessary painting and papering. It is needless to say that his part of the job was done in a prompt and workmanlike manner, as usual. When you need anything in the painter's line, you can't miss it by calling on Matteson.

The entry list for the tri-state bicycle race meeting to be held in Jackson on Wednesday, September 4, will be a long one. Perfect arrangements are being made for the entertainment of riders and strangers. This is to be the last grand bicycle tournament of the season. Sid Black, the champion trick rider of the world, will give an exhibition. Fast riders will be there and several special races be put on.

Sir Knights Bresie and Johnson of Ill., and Ind., started Wednesday for the triennial conclave at Boston. The two knightly adventurers boarded the Devils Lake excursion at Toledo by mistake. Though somewhat disappointed at first, they had a royal day's outing, called it a good joke, and have signified their intention of attending the big picnic every year in the future. The Michigan rain water seemed to do them good.

Toledo Blade, 26: An amusing incident occured on a C., J. & M. excursion train returning from Devils lake last evening, and many passengers on board thought for a time the train was being held up for the purpose of robbery. Three bold tramps were the cause of the trouble, and they kept the trainmen busy for a time. The hoboes were trying to steal a ride on the trucks and were put off several times, but managed to return to their births on the bumpers. At Monroe Junction the train was stopped for the purpose of getting rid of the fellows, and there occurred a brief fight. This it was that alarmed the passengers and an incipient panic resulted.

An effort was made last Saturday evening to get the stockholders of the Tecumseh Library Association together at the reading room to discuss the feasibility of turning the library over to the school district as has been done in Adrian, Jackson, and many towns in the state, making it a free library and combining it with the present school library to the decided advantage of both, but as usual there was not sufficient interest manifested to get out enough of the stockholders to accomplish much. Mr. Kellogg gave valuable assistance by his advice, as did also Dr. Steinhoff. It was decided as the only way to reach a majority of the stockholders to get their consent legally to this plan, to have some forms prepared for proxy votes to be signed by them, which has been done. An adjourned meeting was appointed to be held next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Reading Room when it is hoped there will be a good attendance. If the library is turned over to the school district no charge will be made for books, but every person in the village can draw books. A tax of one-seventh of a mill on a dollar's valuation, will support a free library and reading room.

The Wit and Wisdom club held a picnic Tuesday afternoon. If they had solely desired to sharpen their wit, they would have gone to the farmer's picnic. As it was, their wisdom prevailed and they went by themselves on a fair day.

Miss Clara Temple was married Wednesday at her father's residence in Ridgeway to Mr. Wm. McCrimmon, of Luther. A company of about forty witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. H. Cansfield. Miss Temple has long been a social favorite in Ridgeway and also has many friends in Tecumseh, who will unite in their congratulations and good wishes.

Dr. J. F. Jenkins' residence was the scene of a pleasing social event last Wednesday morning, when his daughter Mabel was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. E. Young, of Chicago. Rev. C. M. Brown tied the knot in his usual happy manner in the presence of a few family relatives. A wedding breakfast followed and the bridal couple took their departure on the Lake Shore train for Chicago. After a lake trip, they will take up their permanent abode at 230 43rd street. The groom is engaged in the dental supply business on Wabash Avenue. The bride has hosts of friends in Tecumseh who will extend their congratulations on this auspicious occasion and tender their best wishes for her future happiness as she leaves the old home. In these good wishes the HERALD heartily joins.

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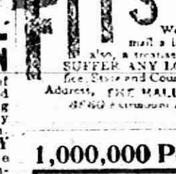

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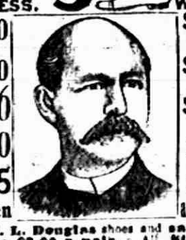

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SHOT BY THIEVES.

Detective Is Killed While Trying to Arrest Train Robbers.

GRAND RAPIDS, Aug. 23.—Detective Powers was seriously and perhaps fatally shot in the head while arresting two of the train robbers who held up the Chicago & West Michigan passenger train Tuesday night near New Richmond, in a smoker of the 10:40 north-bound Grand Rapids & Indiana train Thursday night.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 26.—Detective George W. Powers, of the city police force, who was shot Thursday night, presumably by one of the Fennville train robbers on a Grand Rapids & Indiana train, died Friday morning.

McBAIN, Mich., Aug. 26.—A man supposed to have been one of the Chicago & West Michigan train robbers, and the murderer of Detective Powers, was shot dead Saturday night. He came here from Clare Saturday night. He was known here as John Smalley. His description tallies closely with that of the murderer of Powers, and his actions were such as to arouse suspicion.

About 8 o'clock Gillis McBain, of McBain, and Bert Spafford, of Cadillac, stepped to the open door of the house of Chip Brown, brother of Smalley's wife. Smalley was sitting in a rocking chair slightly behind and at the right of the doorway. McBain and Spafford called upon Smalley to throw up his hands. Instead of complying he threw his hands toward his hips and at the same time slammed the door shut with his feet. McBain and Spafford each shot through the door with their Winchester rifles. The man rose from his chair, took half a dozen steps toward the rear of the house and fell dead into the kitchen.

It was found one of the bullets went clear through his body, entering the left breast. The other entered his neck. On his person were found two big revolvers with all the chambers loaded. He had been arrested once before on a charge of train robbery, but was discharged for lack of evidence. It is known that Smalley was a member of the Cook gang in the Indian territory and while there his place was a rendezvous for the desperadoes of that section.

Detective Way, who was with Detective Powers at the time he was killed, has identified the remains of Smalley as those of the man who murdered Powers.

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—At the inquest at McBain Monday it was proved by Conductor Rice and Detective Jackway that Smalley, the dead train robber, was not only the murderer of Detective Powers but the leader of the gang.

SALVATION ARMY PEOPLE HELD.

Pontiac Arrests Causing Great Indignation Among the Citizens.

PONTIAC, Aug. 27.—The arraignment of the eleven incarcerated Salvationists was anticipated with a good deal of interest by many citizens. At 2 o'clock Monday the prisoners were brought in. In the case of five of the eleven the case was nolle prossed. Capt. Teed, his wife and four comrades were held for examination September 11 on a complaint for resisting the officers and were released on their own recognizance. There is evidence of much indignation with the authorities at their course in the arrest. The indignation meeting at the opera house Monday evening was attended by fully 2,000.

Miners to Get More Money.

HOUGHTON, Aug. 23.—Quincy, Wolverine and Kearsarge copper mines announce a 10 per cent. raise in wages, effective from August 1. The other six active mines in the district had previously announced an advance from the same date. The increase in Houghton county will amount to nearly $50,000 a month. The advance was voluntary on the part of the mine owners.

A Swamp Fire.

NILES, Aug. 24.—Fire has been raging fiercely in the large marshes between Galien and Three Oaks for the past few days and is spreading to surrounding woods. Many miles of fence has been destroyed, and farmers are in a state of despair, for fear the flames may be communicated to their homes, as everything is as dry as tinder. Men are working night and day trying to extinguish the fire.

Buried at Grand Rapids.

GRAND RAPIDS, Aug. 24.—The remains of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Greiner, the victims of the Gumry hotel horror at Denver, arrived in this city Thursday night over the Lake Shore road, and were interred in Greenwood cemetery Friday afternoon. The funeral at the German Lutheran church was one of the largest ever held in this city.

Says She Saw Him Die.

KALAMAZOO, Aug. 25.—During Friday night Mrs. Corydon Beach, of Galesburg, awakened her husband telling him that his brother Lysander Beach, of Hastings, was dead. When laughed at she insisted that she "saw him die." At 8 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. Beach received a telegram announcing the death of his brother Friday night.

Pear Trees Overloaded.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 25.—The pear crop here this year eclipses that of any former year. The trees are many of them breaking down under their load. The fruit is large and well filled out. One man shipped 260 barrels from his farm Thursday. They are being shipped to all sections of the country.

Due to a Foolish Transaction.

SAGINAW, Aug. 27.—Martin Herb, of Thomastown, sold a horse to two men and took their note, payable thirty days after death. He has been in Saginaw several days despondent over such a foolish transaction, and hanged himself with a halter. He was unmarried and 35 years old.

Captain and Sailor Lost.

SAND BEACH, Aug. 23.—The crew of the schooner Wanderer, which ran in for shelter, reports that they lost the captain, Alexander Spence, and a seaman named John Boby in a heavy gale [illegible] day.

MICHIGAN HAY.

The Crop This Year Shows a Heavy Shortage.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—A hay famine in southern Michigan is one of the agricultural curiosities which the present week has developed. Ordinarily Michigan raises an immense amount of fine timothy. But this year, instead of sending to Chicago large quantities of hay, Michigan is keeping local dealers and shippers busy sending over the product of Illinois, Iowa and other states. A local dealer, who is making large shipments, explained the situation as follows:

"Michigan's crop of hay this year will not exceed one-fifth of a normal growth, and as a result the farmers must buy in order to have feed for their stock during the winter. I think as much as 2,500 tons have been shipped from here in the last few weeks. Most of the hay comes from Iowa, but Illinois contributes a fair share and some of it comes from Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas. Another reason for the increased demand from Michigan is that the corn crop is very poor there, and the usual quantity of fodder is not available for stock food."

FATAL FIRE AT MENOMINEE.

Two Children Will Die and Their Parents Are Injured.

MENOMINEE, Aug. 26.—Fire caught in a bed at a Michigan avenue boating house Sunday afternoon, kept by John Anderson, and his two boys, John and Mathew, aged respectively 7 and 5, who were asleep, were so badly burned that both will die. The father also was severely burned while rescuing the children and the mother jumped from a second story window with a little baby and fractured one of her legs. The house was partly destroyed.

State Teachers' Institutes.

LANSING, Aug. 24.—The following one-week teachers' institutes have been announced by Superintendent of Public Instruction Pattengill: Joint institute for Montgomery and Osceola counties, at Lewiston, beginning September 19, H. C. Rankin, Lapeer, conductor; at St. Ignace, September 9, W. N. Ferris, Big Rapids, conductor; at Iron Mountain, October 3, W. H. Cheever, Milwaukee, conductor; at Detroit, September 3. The Detroit institute will be in charge of a prominent Boston educator.

Death of J. James L. Edson.

DETROIT, Aug. 26.—James L. Edson, head of the large wholesale dry goods firm of Edson, Moore & Co., died Sunday evening, aged 65. A week ago Wednesday Mr. Edson suffered a stroke of paralysis, and his life has since hung in the balance. He was born at Batavia, N. Y., and began his business career in Buffalo. He came to Detroit and entered the employ of Zach Chandler. In 1871 he, with Messrs. Moore, Burchar and Gillis, started for themselves, and to-day it is the leading dry goods firm in Michigan.

Formally Transferred to Michigan.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Secretary Lamont Tuesday issued an order turning over to the state of Michigan for use as a state park the military reservation, buildings and lands on Mackinac island, Mich. The transfer was authorized by an act of last congress and was made at the request of Gov. Rich. The lands are to be used only for park purposes, and whenever the state ceases to use them they are to revert to the United States.

Judge Long Served with Notice.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28.—Judge Charles D. Long, of the supreme court of Michigan, who appealed from the decision of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia in his pension case to the supreme court of the United States, has not yet perfected his appeal by filing the record, and the attorney general has served notice on him that unless he does so by September 10 he will have the appeal dismissed.

Woman Mysteriously Disappears.

HOUGHTON, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Philip Schuermann, wife of the manager of the C. Schuermann Brewing company, left the residence of John Nelson in West Houghton at 9:30 o'clock Monday night to walk home, a distance of less than 2 miles. No trace of her whereabouts have been found, and foul play is feared. Searching parties are hunting for clews, and the lake may be dragged.

Tree Wrecks a Passenger Train.

KALAMAZOO, Aug. 24.—The passenger train on the Kalamazoo & South Haven road, due in this city at 6:20 o'clock p. m., was wrecked 3 miles east of Grand Junction at 5:40 o'clock p. m. Friday night, by a collision with a large tree which had been blown across the track by a storm. The engine went into the ditch.

Flames in a Packing House.

MONROE, Aug. 22.—About midnight flames were discovered in the cellars and packing house of I. E. Ilgenfritz & Sons, just west of the Lake Shore depot. The upper part of the buildings, which were frame, burned so fast that the firemen could save nothing. They were practically new and cost about $15,000.

Good for Michigan Melons.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 24.—A heavy rain has fallen here. It will do an unlimited amount of good to melons and late fruits.

DECATUR, Aug. 24.—Rain broke the protracted drought in this region and will extinguish the swamp and brush fires, which have been doing much damage.

Michigan Editor Killed.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 26.—George E. Legge, editor of the Sunfield Sun, was instantly killed in this city Sunday evening by jumping off an electric car in front of another going in an opposite direction at a high rate of speed. His body was cut in two and horribly mangled.

Alleged Horse Thief Caught.

SAGINAW, Aug. 27.—William Schmidt, charged with stealing the famous running horse Rief from the St. Asaph track and the horse W. H. from Roby, Ind., was arrested Monday by Saginaw police and held for trial.

STATE NEWS.

Information of General Interest from Many Localities.

Farmers in the vicinity of Niles are shipping in hay from Nebraska.

Charles Connors, of St. Ignace, has been appointed judge of probate of Mackinac county to succeed James Gallagher, deceased.

Col. John R. Bennett of Muskegon, William B. Scattergood, of Ithaca, and John I. Breck, of Jackson, have been appointed inspectors to look up violators of the pure food law.

During a quarrel at Thompson, Alexander St. Mary stabbed and killed J. Lurally. St. Mary is under arrest.

While the grape crop of Van Buren county will not be as large as last year, a good yield is expected. The grapes are rapidly ripening and will soon be ready for the market.

Annual reunion of the Seventeenth Michigan infantry at Lansing October 2.

Cedar Springs fair will be held September 3, 4, 5 and 6.

The tri-state fair and exposition for Ohio, Michigan and Indiana is in session at Toledo, O.

The seventh annual meeting of the State League of Building and Loan associations will be held in Grand Rapids September 12 and 13.

October 8 to 11 are the dates fixed for the Union fair at Dowagiac.

The second annual Sunday school rally of St. Joseph county took place at Three Rivers. Eight thousand people attended.

The 3-year-old son of Philip Alsombrack, of Owosso, met a horrible death by being crushed beneath the wheels of a heavy truck.

Elwin Dailey, of Fennville, whose eyes were gouged out by a kick from a horse, went to Chicago and had both eyes replaced by an expert. He is doing nicely.

The twenty-third reunion of the survivors of the Tenth regiment, Michigan veteran infantry, was held in Saginaw Thursday. About 100 were present.

The pension agency at Detroit has drawn $1,750,000 for payment of veterans.

Daniel McCarty, a sawmill hand from Whitehall, lost his life in a burning hotel at Toledo, O., early Saturday morning.

The Michigan and Indiana colored Baptists closed their annual camp meeting at Decatur Sunday.

The Standard Oil company will erect a 10,000-gallon tank at Marquette, besides a large warehouse.

Members of the Gen. John C. Smith camp, Sons of Veterans, Chicago, are holding a campfire with Richard Winans camp of Benton Harbor and John Sherman camp of St. Joseph, at Benton Harbor.

F. J. Merrium, manager of the Gladstone company, has returned from Minneapolis and reports that negotiations are about closed for the location of two large tanneries in Gladstone.

Hot winds, lasting for some time, blew fruit from the trees in Schoolcraft orchards.

At St. Johns, October 1, the Clinton county fair will begin, continuing for four days.

A new iron bridge, 100 feet long, is to be erected over the Tittabawassee river at Highwood.

Heavy frost has injured the crops near Weeland.

A addition has been made to the bar in Traverse City by the admission to practice of Miss Ella Backus.

Peaches do not bring sufficient prices to pay to ship them to Chicago from Bangor this season. Trains are coming direct from Indiana to the orchards, while owners are sending the fruit by wagon to other points.

A large canning factory has just been completed at Ludington, and is now ready to dispose of 1,000 bushels of peaches or apples daily.

September 4 is the date for the tri-state bicycle meet at Jackson.

Secretary Fralick reports entries for the state fair coming in rapidly and every indication points to the greatest exhibition ever seen in the state. The entries embrace almost every conceivable class of exhibits.

Frederich F. Rech, of Detroit, aged 73 years and afflicted with an incurable malady, cut his throat.

Fifty cigarmakers from Chicago who had gone to take the places of strikers joined the ranks of the latter.

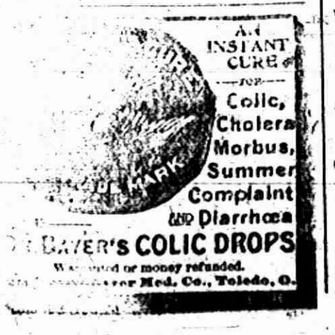
Straw Is Scarce.

NILES, Aug. 24.—Low water is not the only danger that menaces the paper mills here. The wheat crop has been so scarce in this vicinity that it is impossible to secure any straw. The mills have been compelled to have baled straw shipped to them. It is feared this supply will soon get short and the mills will be compelled to shut down.

Want to Buy a Courthouse.

NILES, Aug. 27.—Catholic sisters of charity are making efforts to purchase the courthouse at Berrien Springs, which was abandoned by reason of the removal of the county seat to St Joseph last spring. They intend to make it a home for aged homeless people. It will be the first of its kind in this part of the state.

It is proposed to tax gas and electric [illegible] used for lighting and heating in Paris.



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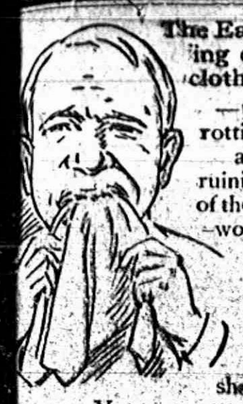

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The day that Harold Barnes said goodby to the office force and went into the country for two weeks' summer vacation his numerous friends nodded to each other and remarked that it was about time that popular young man got away from work and worry, for of late he had grown thin and white and was looking fairly wretched. They were sorry to see him go for their own sakes, but glad on account of his, and the farewell greetings were filled with wishes for a restoration to health and all sorts of good luck and fortune and rest. And, feeling as if he would like to take all of them with him—for many of them needed rest as well as he—Harold thanked them heartily and bundled himself off into the country, leaving the city and the office, with all their manifold trials and tribulations, far behind.

It was a quiet, old fashioned little farmhouse where the health seeking young man finally decided to stop, with a motherly little woman who had "seen better days" in charge, and with acres of sloping lands and rich fields rolling away from it in every direction, while meadows of waving grass wound through by gurgling brooks and inhabited only by birds and little animals of every description stretched far away back of the low, never painted little home. An ideal spot the young man thought it the day he drove up to the gate to ask for a drink of buttermilk, and an ideal spot he found it when, a few hours later, his telescope trunk and valises were put down in the clean, best room and he himself ensconced there for the holiday. Before Harold Barnes had become a mere slave in the mercantile world he had achieved some little reputation among those who knew him as an indifferent poet, and though the last few years of his life had been such as to drive all that sort of thing out of him, when he found himself settled in this picturesque old spot, there came a sort of aftermath of his former harvests in the fields of rhyme and he went to work again lazily scrawling verses whenever the fancy struck him. And scrawling verses being conducive to retrospection, the past began to parade itself before his mind one day and bring back a great many things he might wish to forget.

There are very few men of Harold's age who have not either had or are at present going through with a love affair of some sort or other, and he, being a rather up to date young man, had left his far behind him. A long train of differences, misunderstandings and hot words caused by too little thought on her part and too much on his had caused the breach between him and Beatrice Harland. He had gone his way in a sort of dazed but determined belief that she was wrong and he right, and she had done likewise. When he found that she did not ask him to come back, he only plunged deeper into work and tried to forget, and she plunged deeper into society and did forget—for the time being. A few months later her father went west and soon after sent for his family, and thus the two who might have been happy lost sight of each other.

Young Barnes had dreamed of what might have been for awhile after the estrangement, but only for a little while, and today as he wandered slowly down the little crooked path leading out into the cool meadow, with here and there a sunny spot lighting up the long grass into more vivid hues, there was little thought of regret for the past in his contented mind. If he had not forgotten entirely, as men are so often accused of doing, he had put away that portion of his life so far it did not recur to him, until he reached the gnarled apple tree down by the brook, a quarter of a mile from the house. Then a sudden flood of memories came over him, and he stopped still and gazed before him at the object that had brought them back.

It was a little white parasol, so like the one she had once carried, and under which she had sat when the last quarrel reached its height, that his heart beat fast and his self possession fled like a cloud before the sun. The fluffy thing of lace and silk, stuck so jauntily in the ground near the old tree, drew him on as a magnet the steel, and before he knew it he was sitting with his back to the tree, looking longingly and with mixed emotions at that emblem of the long ago. For half an hour he moved not, while picture after picture of that past came before his mind. Then the handsome eyes closed, the pencil and pad of paper, with a half finished poem on it, dropped from his hand, and this romantic young man, who would have scorned to do such an unromantic thing had he known it, fell quietly asleep as if his heart had never been broken by any one.

Ten minutes later he woke to find the sun beating down on him—but through the white parasol, which had been carefully raised and placed where it would intercept the hot rays. Red with anger at himself, he started to his feet, when another bit of white silk caught his eye, this time just on the other side of the tree where he sat. For a moment he debated what to do, and then there stole out from under that white bit of finery a still whiter hand—a hand which he could never forget, asleep or awake. It was the same little fingers, the same little wrist and the same little pink palm.

Harold's heart was in his throat, and the love that had so long lain dormant sprang to life again in the moment that followed. Slowly the hand crept toward the white parasol, and slowly his crept toward the little one. A moment it hesitated there, and the next his strong, brown fingers had closed about hers, and a muffled little scream came to his eager ears.

"Beatrice!" he cried, springing to his feet and striding around the tree, "is it you indeed?"

To which very foolish remark she made no reply at all, though her eyes spoke volumes. The next moment the little white parasol had turned over and was sailing cheerily down the meadow before a merry breeze, while its owner was being crushed to a certain young man's breast and hearing all sorts of wild, sweet statements poured into her pretty ears.

And when Harold Barnes returned to work again a few weeks later his friends one and all assured him he looked 50 per cent better than he had for the last three years, to which he replied that he felt so too. As for the white parasol, you may see it any day in a certain pretty little hallway of a certain pretty little cottage, which is presided over by a certain very pretty little matron, whose calling cards read "Mrs. Harold Barnes."—E. J. Appleton in Cincinnati Post.

Had Learned the Lesson.

"At last I understand," sighed Mr. Homeflat wearily as he put a slat in the bedstead and saw that it didn't fit.

"Understand what?" said his wife, hammering the tack into the carpet.

"At last," answered Mr. Homeflat, "I understand the true force of that phrase 'a moving scene.'"—Chicago Record.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

R. J. HINCHCLIFF, of Pittsburgh, Pa., coughed up a silver dime which had been imbedded in his windpipe for two years.

THE New York produce exchange estimated the corn crop this year at 2,425,000,000 bushels.

THE sealing schooner Walter Earle was reported to have sunk off Kodak island, Wash., and her crew of eighteen persons were drowned.

THE National Christian union convened at Columbus, O., in annual session with 3,500 delegates, representing thirty-five states.

BENJAMIN C. JOHNSON was appointed receiver of the Farmers' bank at Laddonia, Mo.

THE loss by the New Jersey forest fires was placed at $250,000. The damage to the cranberry crop alone was $100,000.

THREE more bodies were taken out of the ruins of the Gumry hotel at Denver, making the total number twenty.

WILLIAM J. WINBERG, aged 35, a prominent New York banker, shot his wife fatally and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

THE principal business portion of State Center, Ia., was burned, presumably by parties who were robbing a clothing store.

A MOB took Noah Anderson (colored) from the jail at New Richmond, O., and hanged him for the murder of Franklin Fridman, nearly 80 years old and president of the First national bank of that place.

THE sealing schooner George R. White, which sailed from Seattle, Wash., with fourteen men on July 14, 1894, was given up for lost.

JESSE ISBORO, crazed by religion, fatally wounded his landlady at Pine Bluff, Ark., and killed himself.

JUSTICE BROWN has been assigned to the Sixth circuit to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Justice Jackson.

JOHN STRAUSS shot and killed Will Gilbert and James Owens, brothers-in-law, near Keystone, W. Va. A family feud was the cause.

THE six directors of the American Railway union, except Eugene V. Debs, were released from the jail at Woodstock, Ill., having served a three months' sentence for contempt of court. Debs has three months more to serve.

MRS. WILLIAM MCGUIRE and James Brown, brother and sister, were reunited at Nevada, Mo., after a twenty years' search for each other.

AT the Washington park track in Chicago Joe Patchen and John R. Gentry raced for the world's pacing championship, the former winning in three straight heats, the mile heats being paced in 2:05¼, 2:07¼ and 2:07¼ respectively.

THE corn, hay and fruit crops of Virginia are the largest for ten years.

CHARLES R. BISHOP, of San Francisco, first vice president of the Bank of California, has contributed $800,000 to schools and societies in the Hawaiian islands.

THE expenditures of the government for the first two-thirds of the present month exceeded the receipts by $7,009,293.

DR. L. F. CARTER, of Boston, and Miss Foster and Miss Elora, of New York, were drowned near Ellsworth, Me., by the overturning of a boat.

A HEAVY frost, destructive to crops and fruit, visited Susquehanna, Pa. At Gulf Summit ice formed to a considerable thickness.

FIRE that started in the warehouse of the Union Steamboat company burned over a dozen blocks in Milwaukee and destroyed property worth $382,000.

SEVERE frosts occurred in the vicinity of Warren, O.

THERE were 222 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 23d, against 196 the week previous and 234 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE Society of American Florists, in session at Pittsburgh, Pa., elected William Scott, of Buffalo, president.

THE Grand Union hotel at Congers, N. Y., burned with its contents. The guests lost all their baggage.

RAILWAY men announced that it would require two years to move the Iowa and Kansas corn crops.

EIGHT THOUSAND cloak makers were on a strike in New York city for higher wages.

A MASKED mob went to the jail at Monticello, Ark., broke down the door, secured Jim Jones, a negro charged with murder, and hanged him.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 23d aggregated $900,518,416, against $873,743,725 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 10.7.

FIRE at Shelbyville, Ind., destroyed Conroy, Bierly & Co.'s table factory, the largest of its kind in the world.

GOV. CULBERTSON announced for the second time that no prize fighting would be allowed in Texas while he was governor.

A CIRCULAR signed by every presiding elder of the Methodist church of Ohio has been sent to the members of that denomination throughout the state calling for united political action on the part of all Methodists in an effort to elect to the next legislature as many members as possible who will fight the saloons.

FIRE destroyed the tannery company's extensive buildings at Irvona, Pa., the loss being $100,000.

JOHN T. JONES, James Heney and Henry Piper were indicted at Carson, Nev., for the mint shortage discovered last April.

A dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral taken in time has prevented many a fit of sickness and saved numerous lives. This proves the necessity of keeping this incomparable medicine where it can be readily reached at all hours of the day and night. 1w

OWING to the low price of horses incident to the general use of bicycles and electric power, large shipments of horses were being made from Baltimore to European markets.

THE hotel at Air Line Junction, O., was burned, and Timothy McCarty, of Hillsdale, Mich., and two other men perished in the flames.

BY a fall of slate in the Algoma (W. Va.) coal mine three men were killed and three others were fatally injured.

THE whole south side of the square at Osceola, Neb., was burned, with the exception of the bank building.

THE steamer Penobscot cleared from Superior, Wis., for Buffalo with the largest wheat cargo ever carried from the head of the lakes, 122,000 bushels.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 24th were: Baltimore, .639; Cleveland, .632; Pittsburgh, .576; Boston, .561; Philadelphia, .556; Brooklyn, .550; Chicago, .544; Cincinnati, .541; New York, .510; Washington, .330; St. Louis, .311; Louisville, .235.

THE Dan Head & Co. bank at Kenosha, Wis., closed its doors with deposits of $150,000.

DURING a fire in the house of John Anderson at Menominee, Mich., his two boys were burned to death.

GEORGE E. LEGGE, editor of the Sunfield (Mich.) Sun, was instantly killed in Grand Rapids by jumping off an electric car.

LOUIS HAMMOND and his wife committed suicide in a hotel in Boston by taking poison. They left a note saying they were tired of life.

AT Melrose, Mass., Daniel J. McLeod shot his divorced wife and then killed himself.

THREE buildings in Cincinnati owned by Bradford Shinkle were burned, the loss being $250,000.

IN a fight between the Cox and Thomas families in the Cumberland mountains, near Whitesbury, Ky., William Cox, John Boyd and James Thomas were killed and Sam Cox fatally wounded.

THREE Indians were held up by three masked men near Lewiston, Idaho, and robbed of $2,300 paid them by the government for land.

MAX NOACK shot Hazel Hammond at Sioux City, Ia., and then killed himself.

THREE tramps were killed in a freight train wreck on the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus road near Millersburg, O.

LIDA TERHUNE, 13 years old, and her cousin, Bertie Terhune, 4 years old were drowned near Greenwood Lake N. Y.

THE Bank of Dawn, Mo., made an assignment with liabilities of $46,000.

AN excursion steamer from Toledo O., collided with a schooner off Presque Isle and five persons lost their lives.

BISHOP FOLEY, of Detroit, who recently returned from Ireland, said it was the impression among conservative men in that country that the factionalism in the ranks of the Irish parliamentary party had thrown back Ireland fully twenty-five years.

FIRE at Rosendale, N. Y., destroyed seventeen buildings, the loss being $100,000.

IT was reported that fifteen Bannock Indians were killed by cattlemen under the leadership of "Rye" Smith. Smith's reason was revenge for the murder of his father in 1878 in Diamond Valley, Ore.

THE Falcon Iron & Nail company at Niles, O., employing about 1,500 men, posted a notice that all employes not governed by labor unions would be granted an increase in wages of 10 per cent.

R. H. KING, president of the Cash Insurance company of Pittsburgh, Pa., one of the wealthiest men in the country, was killed by falling downstairs.

THE twenty-sixth triennial conclave of the grand encampment, Knights Templar of the United States, began in Boston with representatives present from all parts of the country.

LAWRENCE JOHNSON, William Null, Louis Moreno and Harland Seemler were hanged by a mob at Yreka, Cal., for murder.

A LARGE barn on the Berriedale farm near Eakota, N. D., was burned and thirty-five valuable horses were cremated.

THE dedication of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national military park at Chattanooga, Tenn., will take place on the 19th and 20th of September.

HARRISON LEWIS, a negro who murdered Joe Brooks, also colored, was taken from the jail at Springfield, Ky., by twelve men and hanged to a tree in the courthouse yard.

LAWYERS and jurists from many states met in Detroit, Mich., to attend a conference for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States.

THREE children of Henry Johnson (colored), living near Mexia, Tex., were burned to death while their parents were away from home.

WHILE counting his hoard of $7,000 at Hamilton, Ala., Ben Stillman upset a lamp, which set fire to the house, and the money and building were consumed.

A. J. GABLER and Mrs. Ada Vennum, a lad friend, were drowned in the Elkhorn river at Waco, Tex.

CHARLES AVANSINION and Frank Kell, of Sedalia, Mo., each 15 years old, went to sleep on the Missouri Pacific track and were killed by a train.

WINDOW GLASS manufacturers from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois met in Cleveland, O., and organized a combination, the purpose of which is to advance prices.

ENGINEER NEAL MCKINLEY saved the lives of many passengers in a railway wreck near Richmond Beach, Wash., but was killed himself.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 26th was: Wheat, 35,089,000 bushels; corn, 5,287,000 bushels; oats, 3,719,000 bushels; rye, 390,000 bushels; barley, 46,000 bushels.

AFTER almost five years of work and the expenditure of over $3,000,000, Niagara has finally been harnessed and the monster 5,000-horse power dynamos of the Cataract Construction company are now sending out electricity for commercial uses.

PROBATE JUDGE WHITE decided at Cleveland that Will J. McConnell, the well-known temperance lecturer, is insane.

SOLOMON HUGHLETT, one of the most prominent democratic politicians in Missouri, killed himself with a gun at Wellsville.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Maryland prohibitionists in convention at Baltimore nominated Henry T. Andrew for governor. The resolutions adopted indorsed the Omaha platform but declared against free silver.

IN convention at Omaha the Nebraska democrats nominated E. J. Phelps, of Schuyler, for supreme court judge and adopted a platform favoring the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation on earth. A minority committee report commending President Cleveland's administration was rejected.

LUZON B. MORRIS, ex-governor of Connecticut, died at his home in New Haven, aged 68 years.

THE duke of Marlborough reached New York on his first visit to the United States. He will tour the world.

H. O. HOUGHTON Sr., head of the well-known publishing house of Houghton, Mifflin & Co., in Boston, died suddenly from heart disease at his summer residence in North Andover, aged 70 years.

REV. SAMUEL BISSELL, 98 years old, the oldest graduate of Yale, died at Twinsburg, O., where he conducted an academy for many years.

FOREIGN.

SINCE the outbreak of cholera in Japan there have been 25,000 cases of that disease and 16,000 deaths.

A STATEMENT issued in London of the condition of Oscar Wilde's finances shows that he is a bankrupt.

PETER DENNY, one of the best-known shipbuilders on the Clyde, died at Dumbarton, Scotland, aged 80 years.

MISS ANNIE S. PECK, of Boston, climbed to the peak of the Matterhorn in Switzerland. It is said that only two other women have done this—Miss Brevoort, of New York, and Miss Carrel, daughter of a Swiss guide. The top of the mountain is 14,705 feet above sea level and is most difficult of access.

OVER 25,000 jute workers in Dundee, Scotland, were on a strike for increased wages.

A TYPHOON wrecked many vessels in the harbor of Moji, China, and a large number of lives were lost.

THE cost of the war in Cuba up to the present time has been about $20,000,000.

A DASTARDLY attempt was made to assassinate Baron Alphonse de Rothschild, head of the great banking house in Paris. An infernal machine was sent to him by mail, and his clerk was terribly injured when he opened the package.

A PEACE agreement was signed by the federal government of Brazil and the Rio Grande do Sul revolutionists.

CUBAN insurgents attacked and killed 170 Spaniards at Camaguay bay.

ADVICES from Cheng Tu, China, say that four of the ringleaders of the recent massacre of missionaries there had been executed.

THE 40-foot sloop Spray, Capt. Joshua Slocum, arrived at Gibraltar from Gloucester, Mass., after a passage of eighty-nine days.

DR. SCHNUDREHER, of Prague, and two Italian guides, while ascending Mont Blanc were killed by falling over a precipice.

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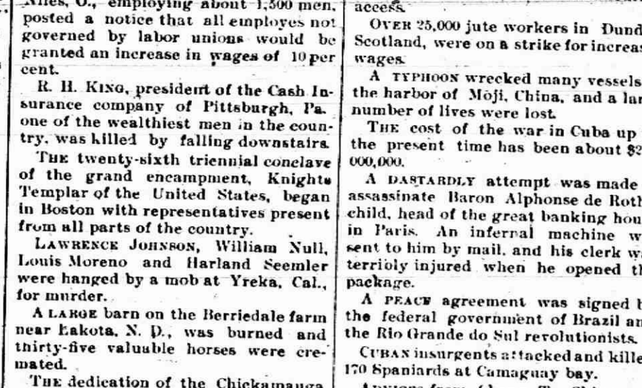

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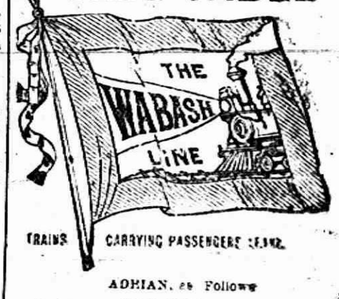

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(Continued from last week.)

Out on the void and primitive chaos of the temperance reform one mountainous fact emerges to wit: That the issue between the church and the saloon is political. And the sword of the spirit of republican government is the ballot, which makes it imperative that we hit upon some chemistry to participate our super Christianity into ballot boxes. Not so much that it may at once control elections as that for the greater convenience and assurance of the politicians it may be known where and what it is in case they should see fit to coin it into statutes. It will be a great day for this country when the virtue of the church shall be expressed in available power against the wrong rather than in raising the price of licenses.

"God so loved the world"—that is politics—"whosoever believeth," that is personal rescue. Politics first, then personal rescue. "Then began he to upbraid the cities," etc., that is politics. "Come unto me," etc., that is personal rescue. Politics first, then personal rescue. The city, then the man. The lesser thought out of the greater. And it seems clear to me that when Jesus said, "Greater works than these ye do," he had in mind the larger life of later ages and the consequent adjustment of atoning service to a scale so large that they to whom he spoke, having never had any hand in public affairs or in any hope of it, may very well have failed to grasp his meaning. But times have changed. His disciples rule the world today, or can rule it, and when the Christian voter in dead earnest goes into the battle of the ballots in his master's name he will bring back to lay in the equal hand of womanhood such trophies as no hero ever laid at the feet of any queen.

Very slowly but very truly the truth has begun to dawn upon the church that her field is not alone the man, but the environment of the man, not alone the immortal soul, but the mortal body, the soles of the feet and better roads.

And so it has at length become peremptory that a Christian be a man. Some may think he ought to be a good man, but that is in advance of public sentiment" and fanatical, but he ought to be a man and not a paroxysm. A man I say, for I am speaking of voting, and as to that he would as well be an alien, an idiot or a baboon as a woman. Indians and aliens may be naturalized, convicts may be pardoned, but idiots and women can only be "protected." I mean no disrespect for our Christian civilization. We have done much for women, we men, we have abolished polygamy and brought divorce within the reach of all at a low price; opened many occupations to her at half the wages paid to men for like service. There is even a movement on foot to admit her to the ministry notwithstanding the horrible thought that she may by superior merit dislocate some men, God forgive her.

It seems a prevalent and most mischievous theory that the more one is a Christian the less he is a man, but I am persuaded that the more truly spiritual one becomes, the greater bodily impact will he make against the enemies of his soul, his home and his country. A Christian ought to be a man of affairs and power. That does not mean that he should be an alderman or anything disreputable, but he ought to be a whole man, not a mere voter, nor a mere fighter, but a symmetrical man, who, up to the limit of his gifts, will turn his hand to anything, wash weary feet, serve tables, nurse the sick, lead the flock, testify, fight, vote, legislate, for wherever in his providence God can use half a man, a whole one would do better.

In the human body nervous energy is manifested by two sets of nerves, which parellel each other throughout the system. They are called the sensatory and the motor nerves. By the first we get impressions; by the second we make impressions. The first acts from without inward, the second from within outward. By the sensatory apparatus I taste food, but by the motor I get it. The first without the second results in anaemia or starvation. By sense I hear a command; by motion I obey it. By sense I thrill with patriotism; by motion I carry a musket. If the sensatory nerve act one way and the motor another, it is paralysis or ataxy.

The voting church, which by a very poetic and beautiful idealism aspires to be and dares to call itself the body of Christ, is comparatively undeveloped in her motor function, due in part to miasmatic influences suffered by investigating somewhat too closely how the world is to be damned, when what it needs is draining and developing, but mostly to defective assimilation of the bread which cometh down out of heaven, through lack of exercise. She is, in fact, the most perfect illustration extant of pure vaso-motor existence, continuing to live by inscrutable spiritual operations, and owing to circumstances over which apparently she has no control. She does indeed some very pretty things in callisthenics, but it is a fact of triple significance, sanitary, economic and—vital, that she is at last compelled to "go to work for a living."

I must not seem to call her idle, she does work and exquisitely at light housekeeping, taking her meals as it happens," except table d'hote, with all the delicacies of the season, on Sunday, and being mainly occupied in sedentary ways, embroidering dollies, splashers, fascinators and the like, all very fine and very proper, no doubt, but conducive of hepatic lungs and anchylosed joints. The church is dying of tuberculosis, and it ought to start a revival right here for each one of you to ask himself, "Am I a drop of red blood in the body of Christ, or am I only a tubercle?" What she needs is to get out into the open, and have a baptism of immensity, and catch the long swinging strides of power, and feel the expansion of "all truth."

For lack of this Christian politics is in a bad way. Two-thirds of the Christian population are denied the right of suffrage, and nineteen-twentieths of the other third deny themselves the privilege of voting their real sentiments, but perennially yield their convictions to party exigency, and vote as they are voted. The tomato can tramp is not more regularly "voted" than the average Christian man. The tramp is handled in "blocks of five," and gets money or beer, the Christian men are handled in masses and get ease, customers and offices. A very prominent leader of young men and, in his way, the foremost man of his party, recently gave out the official utterance that the peril of their party was the "intolerance of morality." Every Christian member of the party was shocked and disgusted at the contemptible and brutal proposition, but nineteen-twentieths of them voted "amen" to it at the following election. Into the merits of that election I do not go, but leaders need to be taught that Christian conscience is not to be trifled with.

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In the last analysis the trouble is that the Christian voter does not think. Some can't, some are afraid to, because of the expense—it costs pulpits, popularity, customers to think of this thing.

Some distrust their own opinions, and some even doubt their own experiences. The average voter reads a newspaper whose editor smiles at religion and would not recognize an honest conviction if he ran against it; hears a speech, sees the chairman of the central committee, or is seen by the ward boss, and thinks he has thought, but the thought is second hand, stale, cold and paltry, but he rolls it over in his mind and warms it and thinks it is alive and his own, votes it and is in perpetual grief that nothing comes of it. Thus the Democratic politician in the south and the Republican politician in the north have manipulated the enemies of the saloon, and the parties persist and rotate and alternate in office, and the saloon grows sleeker and fatter all the time.

The boy said, "An elephant is a large animal with a leg at each corner and a tail at each end." Our politics is like that, the saloon wags both parties and is ambidexterous, so to speak—equally effective with proboscis or tail. The failure of the voting church is apparently the same case as that of the hen and a china nest-egg—she dosn't think and so contributes regularly to the plunder of her own product—which is an allegory, and a good one. Jeremiah, speaking of avarice, says, "As a partridge sitteth on eggs and hatcheth them not, so he that getteth money without right shall perish in the midst of his years and in the end shall be a fool."

Instead of "getting money without right" insert "casting ballots without thought," and you will have an excellent descriptive roll of the average Christian voter. Now, when a hen 'sitteth on eggs and hatcheth them not,' there is something wrong with the egg—the hen is all right, only she dont think. An egg hatches because there is something alive inside. If there is nothing in it but say, an unpleasant odor, an all wise Providence has made no provision to hatch that, and it is easy for us to see the evidence of design in that, because human wisdom is unanimous that in such a case success would be the worst possible failure, which is a reflection full of sweetness and light—but it is hard on the hen, for the more her eggs do not hatch the more she sits, until she grows morose, weary, dejected and mishen-thropic, and little by little her beautiful maternal instinct becomes acute insanity, and she will sit on anything—a rotten apple, a little gourd—even an old nest with nothing in it. I have carried such a misguided fowl out into the barnyard and put her on the ground, and she would simply settle down to incubate the terrestrial globe—crazy about sitting! And so it goes on until some morning the poor, emanciated body is found dead on the nest and flung over the back fence with the reflection, "Another good old hen gone to Ge-hen-na." Now, when a Christian voter behaves like that he is called very "spiritual," but the true diagnosis is that he is insane about his nest, and it is all one to him what is under him, or whether anything. And so we have the funny but pitiful spectacle of the voting church brooding over the foul straw of an empty nest year after year—and hatching vermin to prey upon her own flesh.

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(Continued next week.)

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PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	16	18
Eggs, per doz	17	19
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	40	50
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25 to 4 50	
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs	6	10 12½
Veal dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		12½
Chickens per lb		8
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—New		57
Old		57
Corn, shelled	45 to 50	
Oats	18 to 20	
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 12 00	
Hay, clover, per ton		8 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Aug. 28.	
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	$3 80 @	5 40
Sheep	1 25 @	3 75
Hogs	5 35 @	5 87½
FLOUR—City Mill Patents	4 00 @	4 25
Minnesota Patents	3 50 @	3 65
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	66¾ @	66¾
No. 1 Hard	68¾ @	69
CORN—No. 2	43¼ @	43¾
September	41⅝ @	41⅝
OATS—No. 2	24¾ @	25¼
September	24 @	24¼
RYE	70 @	70¾
PORK—Mess, New	12 00 @	14 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 35 @	6 40
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	18 @	20
Western Dairy	9½ @	18
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Shipping Steers	$3 80 @	5 85
Stockers and Feeders	2 40 @	4 00
Mixed Cows and Bulls	1 50 @	3 70
Texas Steers	2 80 @	3 75
HOGS—Light	4 40 @	4 85
Rough Packing	4 00 @	4 15
SHEEP	1 75 @	3 65
BUTTER—Creamery	11¾ @	20
Dairy	9 @	17
Packing Stock	8 @	9
EGGS—Fresh	11 @	13½
BROOM CORN (per ton)	45 00 @	100 00
POTATOES (per bu)	30 @	32
PORK—Mess	9 87½ @	9 80
LARD—Steam	5 90 @	5 92½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75 @	4 25
Spring Straights	2 80 @	3 85
Winter Patents	3 00 @	3 75
Winter Straights	2 60 @	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	60 @	60¾
Corn, No. 2	36¾ @	37¾
Oats, No. 2	19¾ @	19⅝
Rye, No. 2	40 @	40¾
Barley, No. 3	32 @	43¾
MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	61 @	61¾
Corn, No. 3	37 @	37¾
Oats, No. 2 White	22¾ @	23¾
Rye, No. 1	44¾ @	44¾
Barley	44 @	44¾
PORK—Mess	9 30 @	9 35
LARD	5 90 @	5 95
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 75 @	5 40
Stockers and Feeders	2 30 @	4 10
HOGS	4 00 @	4 80
SHEEP	2 00 @	3 50
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 00 @	4 75
Feeders	2 40 @	3 75
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Electric Power for September.

Electric Power—always excellent—is unusually interesting in its September issue. The success which was predicted for this magazine at the beginning of the year has more than been achieved, and the high standard of excellence has been maintained and even exceeded. The articles which always treat upon the fascinating subject of electricity are being written in a more popular vein and are easily understood by those who have had no previous acquaintance with the science. The opening article is entitled "How Shall We Educate Our Sons For the Electrical Profession?" and is written by Nelson W. Perry, an eminent authority. The father of every boy should read this article; it may help him decide an important question—important to the boy whose future is considered. Harold McGill Davis continues his entertaining biographies with portraits of the "Editors of the Electrical Journals," and Ira W. Henry contributes an interesting description of "Electrically Lighted Buoys," which explains the lighting of buoys in New York Harbor, Sandy Hook and elsewhere. The usual amount of miscellaneous, literary and patent notes complete the number. The Electric Power magazine is certainly a valuable acquisition to any one's library.

Prof. Bell believes that telephoning by means of a ray of light will yet be commercially practical.

It is said that a fleet of electric launches will soon be in operation on the lake in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Of Diphtheria, Defective Sight, Paralysis, Dyspepsi...

Mrs. A. T. Lyon of Detroit the Noted Patient, ... She Talks of the Means Used. It is an Interesting Story and Means a Great Deal.

The Same Means Used on Patrick Doyle of Lewiston, ... for Inflammatory Rheumatism and Paralysis with Perfect Success.

THE MOST INTERESTING SUBJECT OF THE DA...

In a neat, home-like cottage at 112 Fifth Street lives Mrs. A. T. Lyon, a remarkably pleasant and motherly lady who tells a very interesting story of her life and, incidentally, speaks of her gratitude for a remedy which has wrought such a wonderful change in her.

Said Mrs. Lyon to a *Journal* reporter:—"About 30 years ago, before we knew how to pronounce the word diphtheria, I was stricken with that awful disease which left me blind, nearly, and paralyzed in my lower limbs.

"There seemed but little hope for me, but I did improve gradually until I was able to sit in a chair and drag myself around the room by pulling the chair along with me.

"I doctored for years, but was not cured. I spent a great deal of money and tried many of the most noted physicians. They only gave me temporary relief. I never was well. Finally, I began to have dyspepsia. My stomach refused all food. I had the most dreadful feelings. I can not describe them. It was a peculiar burning sensation, as if I had been poisoned. I would fall down in the streets, and became so weak that I could not sit up only part of the time. I suffered intensely. Nothing seemed to do me any good. I became thoroughly discouraged. To add to my misery, I had trouble with my heart.

"One day a lady friend called to see me. She told me about the Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I did not want to take them and it seemed foolish to bother with them when physicians had failed to help me. She said so much about it, however, that I was at last induced to try them. After taking the first half of the box I began to feel differently. They made me feel so much better. I continued taking them and they have made a different woman of me. I feel like a new creature. I feel better than I have since I was a girl.

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How Patrick Doyle of Lewiston, Mich., Was Cured of Paralysis.

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Since then reports of marvelous cures by this medicine have come from all parts of the world. That Lewiston has not been slighted in this good work is proven by the following as told a reporter of the *Journal*:

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"About six or seven years ago I was afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism, contracted while at work in a Manistee saw mill, and had to quit work on that account. Then came a long time of despair for me. My limbs became numb and cold and lost of them almost entirely. For a long ti... unable to stand on my feet without ... For four years I could not think ... any kind of work.

"I treated with many eminent ... without deriving any benefit. I s... than $100 in one summer for medi... ment which failed to help me. ... doctors could not give me any enco... ment, and, in fact, did not know what ... ment was. I became tired of doctori... for a year I did nothing for my trouble, ... ering that my case was hopeless. ... time the life was gone out of my legs, ... could not bend them at all, the cords ... hard as lone. The cold occasioned ... pain. I could not walk at night, and ... I moved around in the daytime I ... watch the ground each step, and then ... only hobble along with the use of a c...

"Hope had about gone out of my li... I read in my local paper of persons ... knew having been cured of similar c... Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so I tried ... and in a short time I could climb the ... with ease, a thing I could not before ... years. I did not give them a fair tria... ever, until a year ago, and after using ... boxes, the life came into my limbs, ... and I was soon able to resume work. ... now bend my legs and straighten ... which I had not done for years prev... the use of the pills. I consider myself ... pletely cured and give the entire c... Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I most ch... recommend them to the use of all ... flicted with similar diseases."

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IN THE FATHERLAND.

A Visit to Many Old Castles and Other Objects of Interest Along the Beautiful Rhine.

CARLSRUHE, Germany, July 26, '95.

Dear Mr. Editor:—To resume my travels up the beautiful Rhine, I must begin with the storied old watch tower at Andernach, with its octagonal summit and the huge scar in its side which tells of French cannon in 1688. We stop and stare at such things, while the crowd stares at us. How important we feel to excite more interest than these venerable old ruins. Every town along here has some extraordinary wine. Either some knight of renown or hero died here and improved the wine or some dragon's blood still filters through the vine and gives a magic flavor to the liquor. At Newweid, are the Moravian Brothers, the Quakers of Germany, formerly followers of Huss. 'Love feasts' and the dwelling apart of unmarried brethren are peculiarities of this sect.

One of the charms of traveling in historic old Europe is the gazing reverently upon the tomb of some hero or great man, seeing his birthplace or the house in which some great work was accomplished. At Bonn, we saw Beethoven's birthplace; and throughout the Rhine valley, greater or less celebrities have hallowed many a spot and made it a shrine. The university buildings at Bonn are antique piles, crumbling, cracking, and replete with signs of age, I must hurry you on to Coblenz, where we stood on the Moselle bridge and were hypnotized by the power and majesty of the fortification of Ehrenbreitstein. That huge fortress has the appearance of growing there as it stands in its red sandstone massiveness on a bold, bleeding headland. Nature made it impregnable and man has improved on nature. It is so artistic that it is the charm of the river at this point. We viewed it again as we walked along the beautiful Rhine Promenade. The latter is a paradise for Cupid's victims and also for the less poetic.

Leaving Coblenz, we were soon again riding between the almost perpendicular walls of the river. It is wonderful how a garden is made and thrives on a slope of forty-five degrees. We call them Gothic gardens. The vines are grown on terraces only a few feet in width and as these are faced with flint and basaltic rock. It appears to one looking from below as if the vines grew upon rocks. One huge headland after another thrusts its nose out into the river and holds upon its seemingly inaccessible summit, a mighty ruin which tells of chivalry and, too, of dark ages and oppression. Throngs of historic associations surround the old Konigs Stuhl or king's chair, which stands now in lonely majesty by the side of the Rhine. Here so many German kings were chosen by the electors, who met in this open octagonal edifice of stone, looked upon the Rhine and chose a king for it. Every town along this wonderful Rhine is a picture with its ivy-coved church; its narrow, congested streets; its door-ways where dames as old, it seems, as their dwellings, sit and knit or merely croon; its old men, too, with their fat, wrinkled faces and the long stemmed pipes which smoke away as steadily as volcanoes; and, lastly, the ever present groups of soldier boys. Germany is a vast military camp and we see more young men in uniforms than without.

It is interesting to note the changes time has wrought. Benedictine monasteries and nunneries have become hydropathic establishments or museums; churches have become town halls, and jails, dungeons and wine cellars. The twin castles at Bornhofen have a legend pleasing and pathetic. Conrad and Heinrich, brothers, and lovers, of the beautiful Hildegrade, are the heroes. Heinrich leaves the fair prize to his brother and goes away to the Crusades. The father of the youths builds the legended castles for Conrad and his proposed bride. Love cools. Conrad goes also to the Crusades and returns with a beautiful Grecian bride. Hildegrade shuts herself in a lonely castle room and sees no one. Heinrich returns and chivalrously challenges Conrad to mortal combat. Hildegrade interposes, wins a reluctant reconciliation and retires to the convent of Bornhofen. The Grecian bride is false, Conrad begs his brother's forgiveness and the estrangement ceases; they live in the ancestral castle, while the new one is forever deserted. The Two Brothers, as the castles are called, are charming ruins. Near St. Goar we saw the castle derisively called the "Mouse" by the haughty owner of the "Kats" near St. Goar. We were not initiated according to the good old custom at St. Goar which compelled every stranger to choose one or two ordeals—water or wine. Water, and he got a good ducking in the Rhine. Wine, and he drank a goblet to the memory of Charlemagne, the queen of England, the reigning prince and then became a member of their society upon giving a small donation to the poor. Genial custom! Here attractions came thick and fast. The grand and gloomy, old castle of the Rhinefels, the "Bank," a sunken craig over which the water seethes in rapids and whirling eddies, its companionpiece the "Lurlei," the precipice from which the nymph used to entice the sailor to the cruel waters of the rapids. Heine saw the poetry of this and preserved it in his famous ballad. From poetry to business. There are salmon fisheries near here—oh, yes! and a famous echo.

The rocks of the Seven Virgins stand as a fearful warning to the girl, ambitions never to wed. The god wrathfully wrought this metamorphosis and now these sweet girls have to lie there in the wet forever. A few more castles and then the Pfalz, a tower standing on a rock in the midst of a Rhine stream. This edifice has a pentagonal tower and extremely unsightly roof but is very suggestive of song and story. At Rocharach, is the Gothic trefoil formed ruin of the church of St. Werner, built because the sainted boy, St. Werner, floated upstream after being murdered, and stopped there. Now we saw the most picturesque of all castles, the Rheinstein, and resolved to visit it. We clambered up the zigzag pathway where the rocks have formed in so many grotesque and beautiful shapes and at last stood at the castle gate. The castle has been restored in ancient style and we were piloted by a charming German damsel through armorial halls and massive pinnacled towers. A fine collection of armor and antiquities is shown and we saw the bedroom used by Frederick of Pruss'a. A short way down the river is the Bingen Loch or rapids and then the island with the mouse-tower, so called because the Archbishop Hatto compared the famine suffering people to mice and caused some to be burned in a barn, was pursued by the real vermin even to the tower of refuge and there devoured. Then Bingen, but that must wait until next time.

C. H. VANTYNE.

TWO SURPRISES IN ONE WEEK.

The residence of James Lowry on Shawnee street was the scene of two surprises the past week, which were in marked contrast each to the other.

It being known that Mr. and Mrs. Lowry were to return from Ireland on the Teutonic, which sailed Aug. 21st, some of their friends decided to give them a cordial welcome at their pleasant home on their return. The boat being due in New York Wednesday, Aug. 27th, it was decided to hold the reception Friday evening and preparations were accordingly made, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cupples. Relatives and friends far out in the country, as well as in town, were invited to be present and make merry. Friday at last arrived and all arrangements were completed. When the noon train arrived without bringing the expected ones but little was thought of it, as but few thought they would arrive before evening. Evening came, and at the stated hour the friends, numbering over seventy, had assembled at Mr. Elliott's on West Chicago street. All were in the best of spirits. The train finally came and Mr. and Mrs. Lowry were not on board. When this was announced there was a change in the countenances of all. The surprise was the wrong way, and the faces of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Cupples were a study. All realized the tables were turned and the surprisers were the ones surprised. The situation was carefully considered and it was decided to devour the fatted calf, as it were, and try it over the following Monday evening. When the matter was settled, spirits revived and a pleasant time followed.

The expected ones arrived Saturday night, and of course soon heard of the joke they unconsciously played upon their friends, and rather enjoyed it. When Monday evening arrived everything worked like a charm and Mr. and Mrs. Lowry were the ones to be surprised. It was a success in all respects and enjoyed by all present in the highest degree.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Sept.

Excursion Tickets to Chattanooga.

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway September 16th to 19th. Very low rates. For desired information write A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, O., or apply to agents. 2w

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Last Monday night was the first Monday night in September. Consequently there were a good many school meetings in the state of Michigan. Of course the tax payers of District No. 7 of Tecumseh township indulged in the necessary bit of legislation which it is their privilege and duty to exercise at least once a year. The ladies also had something to say, coming out in force claiming their one opportunity to exercise the right of franchise.

Moderator McKinnon presided at the meeting. Director North, as Secretary of the board, read the minutes of the last meeting, which were accepted. He then presented his report for the last year in detail which was adopted by the meeting. Prof. Kellogg then took the floor to present the estimate which he had made of the probable foreign attendance for the coming year and the tuition to be derived therefrom. He also stated that every graduate of '95 who had taken the teacher's examination had received a certificate, which fact speaks volumes for the thoroughness of the work done in our public schools.

Dr. North was the only trustee whose term of office expired on this day. C. A. Slayton and C. F. Field were appointed tellers and a ballot was taken to fill the vacancy, which resulted in 43 votes, 34 of which were cast for Dr. North. The doctor was then unanimously declared elected to succeed himself as trustee. The essential parts of the report are here appended:

RECEIPTS FOR 1895.

Balance on hand Sep. 3, 1894	$1,630 50
Borrowed of Tec. State Sav. Bank	200 00
Special tax as voted and collected	4,605 77
Primary school interest fund	711 44
One mill tax	1534 52
Dog tax	26 50
Commencement door receipts	67 10
Library money	18 74
Foreign tuitions	508 42
Sundry small receipts	8 80
	$9,836 59

EXPENDITURES FOR 1895.

Teachers' salaries	$6,018 76
Janitor's "	482 00
Director's "	100 00
Repaid borrowed money and interest	202 41
Graduating class appropriation	50 00
Fuel	623 20
Incidentals	248 48
Library books	13 75
Repairs	223 04
West Branch privy, fence and walks	295 75
Balance on hand Sept. 2, '95	1,191 82
	$9,836 59

ESTIMATES FOR ENSUING SCHOOL YEAR.

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	$5,850 00
Janitor's "	436 00
Director's "	75 00
Fuel	585 00
Incidentals	250 00
Insurance	239 00
Repairs	225 00
	$7,600 00

RECEIPTS.

Primary school interest fund	$ 700 00
One mill tax	1,400 00
Foreign tuitions	500 00
Special tax	5,000 00
	$7,600 00

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Board of Education makes the following recommendations:

That school be held for 38 weeks, commencing Sept. 2d, 1895. That one male superintendent and 14 female teachers be employed. That one of the latter teach vocal music.

That the present grading and standing of the school be maintained.

That special taxes be raised as follows: For general school purposes, $5,000.

The number of children of school age in the district is 533, as shown by the annual census just taken by Mr. Snedicor.

A petition was submitted to the meeting in the form of a proposition from the stockholders of the Ladies' Library Association, the body of which was as follows: "That we will, and hereby do, transfer the whole property of said institution to the Union School District of Tecumseh, on condition that the said district pledge themselves to equip and maintain hereafter a free public library and reading room in said village." It was also provided that the property should be returned to the present owners if not properly maintained. The proposition was accepted and a tax of three-tenths of a mill was voted for its maintenance. This tax will be small and it seems but just to our town and to the ladies who have so well built up the library and reading room to its present efficiency, that we have a free privilege of this kind.

Last Excursion to Toledo.

On Sunday, September 15th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y., will run its last excursion to Toledo, Ohio. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:07 a. m. Fare 75 cents for the round trip, tickets good returning on special train on Sunday, September 15th. and on regular trains Monday, Sept. 16th. Free entertainment at the Lake Erie Park & Casino. Don't fail to visit Toledo.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

On to Louisville, Ky.

G. A. R. Encampment, Sept. 11 to 14, 1895. The official Route for the large Posts of Toledo, O. The Ohio Central Lines will run special trains with Commissary Car attached, leaving Toledo, Tuesday, Sept. 10th, at 9:30 a. m., arriving at Lousville about 8:00 p. m. A daylight ride. The shortest and only direct route. No mistake made when you take this route.

THE FOURTH MATINEE.

The fourth matinee of the season was held last Saturday with the usual satisfaction to a good audience. The weather in the forenoon was cloudy and foreboding, in the afternoon, somewhat chilly. In spite of this 400 people witnessed the amateur sport on the turf and seemed well pleased and satisfied with the events. In races of this kind, the time used up in scoring and preparation is considerable, but the crowd seemed to make all necessary allowance for green horses and inexperienced jockeys, and good naturedly enjoy their fruitless efforts to get the word "go." The track was in excellent shape but the wind was very strong and dead against the horses, foot racers and wheel riders coming down the stretch. Davidson and Clark made a tie for second place in the half-mile bicycle dash and were required to run the heat over in which Davidson won. In the two mile dash, the time limit was 5:25 but on account of the strong wind the prizes were awarded on the second heat made in 5:36. The foot race was very good for amateurs, considering the odds of a stiff head wind. The following is a tabulated summary of the events:

NAMED RACE.

Butterfly, b. s.	W. T. Murphy	1	1 1
Maud A. br. m.	Frank Aten	3	2 2
Minnie W. b. m.	John W. White	2	3 4
Clara Wilkes b. m.	N. A. Baily	7	4 3
Rhoda Dee b. g.	Fuller Dexter	4	7 5
Lady Mull g. m.	H. Lancaster	8	5 6
Dandy Jim b. g.	Wm. Plunket	9	6 7
Prince H. b. g.	Chas. Hines	6	6 dr
Freddie B. g. g.	H. Blackmer	9	dr

Time, 1:30, 1:31¼, 1:29½.

3:00 TROT RACE, ½ MILE, 3 IN 5.

Wrightwood bk. g.	John Onsted	1	1	1
Prairie Lill bk. m.	Wm. Casmus	2	2	3
Bill H. s. m.	Rufe Westfall	3	3	2
Bonnie Bell b. m.	A. Paulding	4	4	4
Hamblet'n Girl g. m.	E. Simmons	5	5	6
Tipton Girl br. m.	A. Cooley	6	6	5
Clinton Girl	H. Lancaster	7	7	7
Leopard Rose sp. m.	E. Pritchard	8	8	8

Time, 1:21½, 1:18¼, 1:17½.

2:40 TROT OR PACE.

Barnie B. s. g.	Jas. Wright	2	1	1
Panama Jewel b. m.	Jno. Onsted	1	3	2
Frank B. g. g.	Jas. Vancellus	4	2	4
Texas Jim bk. g.	A. Harmon	3	4	3

Time, 1:14, 1:17, 1:14¾, 1:18¼.

FREE FOR ALL TROT OR PACE.

Sickles Hamb'ton'n b. s.	S. Ramsby	2	1	1
Lady Bell ch. m.	John Onsted	1	2	2
Frank B. g. g.	J. Vancellus	3	3	3

Time, 1:19¼, 1:19¼, 1:18, 1:17.

BICYCLE RACES. ½ MILE, 2 IN 3.

Wolcott	
Davidson	1 1
Clark	2 2
Burleson	3 3
Time, 1:29½, 1:16½.	4 4

2 MILE DASH, 5:25 LIMIT.

Wolcott	1 1
Burleson	2 2
Clark	4 3
Davidson	3 4

Time by ¼, 1:25, 2:59, 4:32, 5:31. 2nd heat, by ½, 1:17, 2:41, 4:09, 5:36.

FOOT RACE, 100 YARDS.

Day	1
Burton	2
Eckert	dis

After the three minute race Mr. Wolcott gave an exhibition half on his wheel in which he undertook to lower the record of the matinees, which was 1:10. With the wind against him he made it in 1:11 4-5. However, he made another attempt with a pacer and reduced it in 1:09 3-5. This was very good time considering the track and wind.

Electric Power for September.

Electric Power—always excellent—is unusually interesting in its September issue. The success which was predicted for this magazine at the beginning of the year has more than been achieved, and the high standard of excellence has been maintained and even exceeded. The articles which always treat upon the fascinating subject of electricity are being written in a more popular vein and are easily understood by those who have had no previous acquaintance with the science. The opening article is entitled "How Shall We Educate Our Sons For the Electrical Profession?" and is written by Nelson W. Perry, an eminent authority. The father of every boy should read this article; it may help him decide an important question—important to the boy whose future is considered. Harold McGill Davis continues his entertaining biographies with portraits of the "Editors of the Electrical Journals," and Ira W. Henry contributes an interesting description of "Electrically Lighted Buoys," which explains the lighting of buoys in New York Harbor, Sandy Hook and elsewhere. The usual amount of miscellaneous, literary and patent notes complete the number. The Electric Power magazine is certainly a valuable acquisition to any one's library.

The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs. Sept.

Devils Lake.

Sunday, September 8th, will be the last of the Sunday service between Van Wert and Manitou Beach, and Toledo and Addison. On and after September 9th the Sunday service will be discontinued. The usual special low rates will be in effect Sunday, Sept. 8th.

T. C. H. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Pass'r Agt.

The electrical method of manufacturing chloroform is so cheap and rapid that it is supplanting all others.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., SEPT. 5, 1895.

Thos. Lee, of Britton, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Hannah Murphy spent Sunday in Manchester.

Will P. Hamilton, of Detroit, was in town on Monday.

The plasterers are now at work on the new Maccabee hall.

Mr. B. Whitney, of Detroit, spent Sunday at Mrs. Carroll's.

A. J. Wilkerson, of Dundee, is visiting at Peter Kishpaugh's.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Lazelle, of Saginaw, visited friends over Sunday.

Mrs. John Noon went to Adrian Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wilder.

Donald and Gertrude McAdam returned Saturday from a visit in Hudson.

Bert Sullivan returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with Hudson friends.

Oral Harmon, of Lake Ridge, was the guest of Ham Niblack and wife Monday.

The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Rav Conklin, of Manchester, was buried here Sunday.

Miss Kate Ebbitt went to Detroit Monday after a five weeks' visit at Mrs. Sullivan's.

Ed. VanDeMark is putting down a cement walk along the street in front of his dwelling house.

After the supper at the Hall a short program well be given free to everyone, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Freddie Lynn returned to his home in Detroit, Monday after a five week's visit at Mrs. Sullivan's.

The street commissioner is repairing the cross walks about town this week, and he is doing a good job too.

Ice cream and cake will be served for 10cts. at the Hall Wednesday from 3 to 5. Also, during the evening.

Miss Iva Crane, of Chicago, is the guest of Ed. VanDeMark's family this week. She returns home to-day.

The meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Clinton Woolen Mfg. Co. was held at their office Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Eva Shimmen and Mrs. E. A. Clark are spending the week in Detroit, preparing for the fall line of goods.

Miss Minnie McAdam went to Manchester Saturday to take up her position as teacher in the Manchester schools.

Fred Sherwood is pushing the work on McClure's new store. Frank expects to move into it about the first of October.

The Annual Harvest Festival of St. John's church will be held at the Hall on Wednesday afternoon and evening, Sept 11.

Harvest supper at the Hall for 10cts. Sept. 11, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Come and get some hash and some of mother's pumpkin pie.

Joseph Alexander and brother have contracted with the temperance evangelist, James Smith, and will do Canada with him.

W. P. and J. P. Hamilton and M. L. Williams, of Detroit, came out to attend the special meeting of the Clinton Woolen Mfg. Co.

At the school meeting held on Monday evening, Mr. J. B. Wells, whose term expired, was reelected as a member of the Board of Trustees.

Garland Gillespie opened his law office over Freese's store last Monday. He has a very pleasant room and invites all his friends to give him a call.

During the absence of Clark & Shimmen at Detroit, this week, Minnie Humphrey has charge of their store. The business is left in good hands.

The drug store in the new block will be a beauty. The fixtures and furniture will be the finest in town, and the work on them will soon be finished.

A. G. Burton and daughter attend "Old Homestead" at Detroit this week. The manager is a friend of Carl's and visited him at Mr. Burton's last summer.

The peach crop is extra large and fine this year and all the growers are harvesting a large yield. Peaches are cheap in consequence and prime ones can be bought for fifty cents a bushel.

School began Monday morning with the following teachers at the helm: F. E. Wilcox, principal; Ada Stancliff, Celia Brewster, Nellie Martin and Floy I. Avery, assistants. School opens this term with bright prospects for a very successful school year.

Frank Lancaster began moving into the new corner store last Monday, and is now safely stationed in his new business domicile. He has an elegant store for his use, and no man in Clinton is better qualified to occupy it. There isn't a better store in the county for the clothing trade, and Frank will doubtless receive his full share of the public patronage.

The congregation of St. John's church, Clinton, have made within the past year a great improvement in their little church, by entirely refitting the interior. About $530 will be spent upon the work when all is finished, the greater part of which is already in hand. A fact to note in this effort to beautify God's house, is that over $300 came by direct gift. The people of this congregation are learning that it is more churchly and profitable to give for Christ's work in prompt cash, than thro' the ever-vexing system of socials and entertainments. May the principle prosper and grow.—Chicago Living Church.

The annual harvest festival of St. John's church will be held next Wednesday, Sept. 11th. After supper a short program will be given, free to every one, beginning at eight o'clock. Mrs. Grace Smith will read the experience of the ladies and children in earning money for the new carpet for St. John's church.

PROGRAM FOR WEDNESDAY EVE.

Instrumental Duet—Miss Marsteller and Miss Johnston.
Recitation—Mrs. Hard.
Vocal solo—Nellie Whittlesey.
Recitation—Flora Semark.
"The Owl Critic"—Grace Whittlesey.
Vocal Duet—"Won't you come out and play?"—Nettie and Mamie Keysor.
History of Carpet—Mrs. Grace Smith.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Blashford.

Premature baldness may be prevented and the hair made to grow on heads almost bald, by the use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

ONSTED ODDS.

Did you get wet at the farmers picnic?

Mrs. Geo. Rigden has been on a visit to her parents in Oceana Co.

Cabbage and celery peddlers are seen on our street almost daily now.

Business is quite lively at the brick and tile yard of Howard & Hand.

Frank Stacy, of Brooklyn, called on friends in this vicinity recently.

Alfred Onsted has disposed of his team to parties near Devil's Lake.

The school here commenced on Monday with I. B. Sevenson as teacher.

Henry Long has gone to Standish to stay with a sister and attend school.

J. E. Gibbs still carries his arm in a sling on account of a fractious horse.

H. Ketcham has gone to Duluth, Minn. and will work in a grocery store there.

Cottage prayer meetings are held at private residences in this vicinity at present.

Marshal Baxter, of Macon, came out to call on friends and attend the Farmers' picnic.

Mrs. Philinda Baker lies in a very critical condition at present and death is hourly expected.

Mrs. Arthur Maxwell and children, of Chicago, are visiting among old time friends here at present.

Wallace Corwin is now clerking for Will Muck and the young ladies all go there to do their shopping.

Charlie Jessup still holds the fort at his harness and cobbler's shop in the rear of the News office and finds plenty to do.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Miss Vandercook is teaching in the Bradley district.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is suffering all the torments of hay fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith are the happy possessors of a brand new boy.

The Franklin orchestra played at the picnic at Wampler's Lake last Friday.

Mr. Geo. Taggett is visiting relatives here. He drove out from Caro last week.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

L. B. Bailey and family, of Adrian, will hold meetings in Bateman's grove next Sunday.

School commenced last Monday morning in the Hunt district. Mrs. Sarah Rice, of Adrian, presides at the desk.

Mrs. Henry Pollock is in Morenci this week caring for her sick daughter, Mrs. William Milliman, who is lying at the point of death in that place.

Daniel Bateman lays claim to growing a radish in his garden 22 inches long and 18 inches in circumferance and which weighs, by honest weight, 4¼ lb. Who can beat it?

There is a first class opening for a good blacksmith right here at Gorman. Let the right man come here and open a good shop and the community will do all they can to help him.

Stop suffering! Try Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected!

How few people realize when their back begins to ache that it is a warning provided by nature to tell you that the kidneys are not working properly. You have a severe fall, you strain yourself lifting or perhaps you are compelled to maintain a sitting or stooping position for long intervals at a time, your back begins to ache, then your head, you become listless, tired and weary, but do you understand the real cause? We think not, else you would not use plasters and liniment on the back, which only relieve but do not reach the cause. If you would rid yourself of the pain and cure the root of the trouble, at the same time save many years of suffering and perhaps life itself, you will take a kidney remedy that has been tried and proven that it will cure.

Mr. John Robsoln of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Robsoln was a member of the Fifty-first Illinois Regiment, which served through the war with honor and distinction. Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have recently perfected an ingenious cure for dyspepsia. Their Digestive Cordial consists of a food already digested and a digester of foods happily combined. The importance of this invention will be appreciated when we realize what a proportion of the community are victims of some form of stomach trouble. Thousands of pale, thin people have little inclination to eat, and what they do eat causes them pain and distress. The Digestive Cordial of the Shakers corrects any stomach derangement at once. It makes thin people plump. Every one will be greatly interested to read the little book which has been placed in the hands of druggists for free distribution.

What is Laxol? Nothing but Castor Oil made as palatable as honey. Children like it. 1w

Mrs. Hashcroft keeps a good many boarders doesn't she? said Mrs Snaggs to Mrs. Prunes, who manages a rival establishment. It's no wonder, was the spiteful reply. After they have been there a few weeks they become too weak to get away.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cincinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chattanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c., and $1.00. 3

The 'company' was asked to take another roll. I cannot, she replied. Really, I don't know how many I've eatem already. Little Johnny (eagerly): I do. You've ate seven. I've been counting.

A Woman's Burdens

are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weakness, delicate derangements and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she's overworked, nervous, or run down, she has new life and strength after using this remarkable remedy. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic and nervine which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of "female complaints" and weakness. For young women just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life;" in bearing-down sensations, periodical sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflamation and every kindred ailment, it effects perfect and permanent cures. 1w

'I see that John's speakin' on the financial question.' 'Oh, yes!' 'What's the old man doing?' 'Furnishin' the finances.'—Exchange.

In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. 1w

The electrical method of manufacturing chloroform is so cheap and rapid that it is supplanting all others.

NOT A SICK DAY

For Over Thirty Years!

RESULT OF USING

AYER'S PILLS

"Ayer's Cathartic Pills for over thirty years have kept me in good health, never having had a sick day in all that time. Before I was twenty I suffered almost continually—as a result of constipation—from dyspepsia, headaches, neuralgia, or boils and other eruptive diseases. When I became convinced

that nine-tenths of my troubles were caused by constipation, I began the use of Ayer's Pills, with the most satisfactory results, never having a single attack that did not readily yield to this remedy. My wife, who had been an invalid for years, also began to use Ayer's Pills, and her health was quickly restored. With my children I had noticed that nearly all their ailments were preceded by constipation, and I soon had the pleasure of knowing that with children as with parents, Ayer's Pills, if taken in season, avert all danger of sickness."—H. WETTSTEIN, Byron, Ill.

AYER'S PILLS

Highest Honors at World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla Strengthens the System.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 31 day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Margeson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John L. VanDoren and Burton A Garlinghouse, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be empowered and licensed to mortgage the real estate in said petition described for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of September, 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARIGAR, Probate Register.

NEWS NOTES.

THE coinage at the mints of the United States during August amounted to $4,517,600, as follows: Gold, $3,672,200; silver, $748,000; minor coins, $97,400.

THE tug L. D. Smith was the first American craft to pass through the new Canadian ship canal.

FIRE at Evansville, Ind., destroyed the Hellman flour mill, an elevator and 100,000 bushels of wheat, the loss being $100,000.

ANGELO ANDREW, the largest wall paper and paint dealer in Akron, O., assigned to James V. Welch.

NAPOLEA C. RATTE, his wife and three daughters were poisoned at Akron, O., by paris green in boiled cabbage. Mrs. Ratte and Alice, aged 15, could not live.

JOSEPH B. NORTON was hanged at Jasper, Fla., for the murder of James Denmark on January 4 last.

MRS. JOHN B. GRIFFIN and a little daughter were the only survivors of a family of six at Little Rock, Ark., three children having died of starvation and the father of alcoholism.

THE trial of William Henry Theodore Durrant, for the murder of Blanche Lamont commenced in San Francisco.

THE boycot of national bank notes ordered by General Master Workman Sovereign, of the Knights of Labor, was said by Washington officials to be a failure thus far.

THE Toronto industrial exhibition was opened by Lieut. Gov. Kirkpatrick.

THERE were 25,000 cases of cholera in China and Japan during August and 16,278 deaths from the scourge.

THE livery stable of Fleming Bros.' at Petersburg, Ind., was burned, twenty-eight valuable horses being destroyed. A hotel was also burned, the guests losing all their valuables.

AMBROSE E. DEAN and his wife while driving were struck by a Wabash train near Montpelier, O., and instantly killed.

A TOTAL eclipse of the moon was observed at many places in the United States.

THE receipts of the government for the two months of the current fiscal year were $58,022,394, against $75,226,945 for the corresponding months of the last fiscal year. Expenditures for the like period were $71,136,248, against $68,305,218 for the last fiscal year. The treasury deficit for the fiscal year, or the excess of expenditures over receipts, was stated at $13,113,854. Last year for a like period receipts exceeded the expenditures $6,921,726.

The Surest Way To Make Money.

is to buy land in the natural or uncultivated state, improve it and get the benefit of the increase in price. That chance is offered by the C. S. Graves Land Company 56, 5th Ave., Chicago. (See advertisement in this paper.

And now, shouted the exhorter, what is to be done when a man is rushing headlong with lightning speed along the road to destruction. Deacon Jones (between snores): Reduce size o' your sprocket. She's too high gear.

Travelers are frequently troubled with dysentery, diarrhoea or other bowel complaints brought on by change of water and diet. One dose of Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry will bring relief. 1w

Von Blumer (earnestly): Old man, you have no idea how much it costs a man to send his wife away for the summer. Plankington: I suppose not. Von Blumer: No sir! Since my wife has been away I've lost $25 a night on the average.

Truth.

"Calumet" is true to the merchant, because it pleases his trade; is true to the housekeeper, because it speaks the truth in the oven; is true to its name, because it is a true "symbol of peace." Truth crushed to earth will rise again,
And will stay riz, you bet;
If you wish your bread to do the same,
Why, use the "Calumet."

City Youth: 'Where was it you said you lived?' Mountain Maid: 'I told you that I lived in 'The Switzerland of America.' City Youth: 'Y-e-s, I know, but which one?'—New York Weekly.

Which is worse, imprisonment for life or a life-long disease, like scrofula, for example? The former, certainly, would be preferable were it not that Ayer's Sarsaparilla can always come to the rescue and give the poor sufferer health, strength, and happiness. 1w

Piano Tuner: 'Good day, madam, I came to tune your piano.' 'Pianiste: 'But I did not send for you.' Piano Tuner: 'I know, but your next door neighbor did.'—Freund's Musical Weekly.

Weakness is the symptom, impoverished blood the cause. Hood's Sarsaparilla the cure. It makes the weak strong.

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BRITTON BUDGET.

Thos. Lee went to Clinton on business Tuesday last.

L. C. Hoagland was a Detroit visitor Sunday and Monday.

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Several good ball games are on the schedule for the near future.

Wm. Rinn, our village blacksmith, is quite sick at the present writing.

A number of our townspeople took in the tri-state fair at Toledo last week.

A. E. Osterhout went to Hillsdale on business Monday, returning Tuesday.

The next regular meeting of Henderson Tent, No. 467, will be held Sept. 9.

Dr. O. Q. Jones, of Tecumseh, was in town on Wednesday on professional business.

Mr. Chas. Barnaby, of Ida, has been spending a day or two with his cousin, Will Clark.

Mrs. Haight is building an ice house on his premises. That's right, Jim; keep cool.

Born, on Thursday, Aug. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bachman a daughter. All doing well.

John Comstock and Charley Howard of Ypsilanti spent last Sunday with Ben Pulver.

Harvey Welling was in Toledo on Monday last, purchasing supplies for the gallery.

Curtis & Linn, although a new firm here, are working up a fine trade and they deserve it too.

One hundred and eight tickets were sold at this station for the farmer's picnic, notwithstanding the rain.

The plastering is nearly completed at the new church, and the carpenters will soon be at work on the interior finish.

Ypsilanti nine meet our boys here tomorrow; a good game is expected. Be sure and come and see good ball played.

School opened Monday morning with a good attendance. Prof. Collins is principal and Miss Nellie Marvin assistant.

Many of our ball players were going to Tecumseh Wednesday to see the game, but the rain choked them off.

D. Ellis, of Clinton, was in town Wednesday selling cigars. His brands are popular and he has a large trade here.

Mrs. Nichols went to the picnic at Devils Lake last week and lost his pocketbook while getting aboard the train for home.

Rev. Lee went to Lansing last week to the Adrian League team. He did some work there with the stick, and does at home.

Mr. Hardy and family returned yesterday from their eastern trip. They enjoyed their visit very much and the boys is ready for business again.

C. K. Smith, of Monticello, Ind., is in town this week, taking orders for Smith's wire gate. He is also appointing agents for the sale of this gate.

Clarence Lowe came home from Hamilton, Ind., on Monday, but returned Tuesday. He has engaged for the balance of the season with the Hamilton club.

Things are booming at North Britton. Lumber is already on the ground for two new houses and work will be commenced at once. Keep the ball rolling.

Mr. Kelly and wife, of Holloway, came over the Wabash Tuesday night on their return home from Boston. They stopped over night with Jas. Haight's family and preceeded home Wednesday morning.

Mr. Britton and wife and Will Britton returned from their Boston trip last Friday morning. Geo. W. Smith and Sam Underwood and wife got home Saturday night. They all report a delightful trip.

Biggs, the pitcher for the Tecumsehs, had a rib broken in Saturday's game by colliding with Catcher Harris of Tecumseh's at the home plate. Biggs is playing well but will not be able to play in addition for a week or two.

The Britton nine met the Hudson base ball team at Devils Lake last Thursday at the Labor Day Picnic. The wet weather made the game somewhat short, being called at the end of the fifth innings. Score 9 to 4 in favor of Britton. Batteries—Britton and Brunskill and Smith; Britton and Lewis.

The Boston excursionists from Britton have returned and report a good time. Some of them relate very interesting experiences. If you have any friends in this point get Geo. W. Smith to tell you, while in New York. Will undertake can give you a very pleasing description of the Hudson River scenery.

The Ypsilanti team will play the team at Britton on Saturday, Sept. 7. The Ypsilanti club claims to be one of the strongest amateur teams in Southern Michigan and have won one game from the Britons. This game will decide which they play them again or not. Admission, 10 cents; ladies, 5 cents. Game called at 3 o'clock, standard time.

The Britton nine met our ball team last Saturday on our grounds and were, for the second time, defeated by a score of 11 to 4. The game was noted for its errors on both sides. Batteries—Britton, Kelley and Lewis; Harris and Ellis. Following is the score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Britton	5	0	0	3	0	4	2	6	*	—20
Ypsilanti	1	1	0	3	0		3	0	0	—11

Earned runs.

The annual school meeting was held Monday evening and the liberal vote shown in voting money for maintenance and improvements speaks well for the district. A woodshed and a new fence are going to be added this fall. Mr. Swick was elected trustee for three years, in place of Henry Bachelor, whose term expired Aug. 31, and Mr. Kaiffen was elected to fill the vacancy caused by Walter Eberby, who moved out of the district. Our school is in better condition and we have a splendid school for this year.

Britton is now ready to make cider as soon as apples are brought in. Long experience and new improvements will enable us to make better cider than ever before. Call and see us. W. R. Osgood.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Frost is reported in some places.

The summer girl, as she is termed, is making the rounds.

Presiding Elder Davis occupied the pulpit Sunday morning.

A. Lake and R. S. Houseman were at Adrian on business Monday.

Little Eugene Dibble is very sick with cholera infantum at present writing.

Rev. F. M. Webster and wife, of Lansing, visited relatives in the village Friday.

The rains of last week helped plowing and has improved pastures very materially.

Keep your eye peeled for those orange blossoms that will show up as soon as the Price is paid.

John Bauchman, of Ann Arbor, visited with one of the young ladies of this village Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Lake and daughter Bessie, left Monday for a few weeks' visit at Cincinnati with relatives.

Ed. Harrison has put a set of the Dayton computing scales in his meat market, which is a great convenience.

Dr. Chas. Barneby, of Ida, Mich., was in the village the first of the week prospecting for a place to practice.

There were a good many who went to Tecumseh to hear H. O. Wills and his male quartett Sunday afternoon and evening.

There was no service Sunday evening, so all who wished might go to Tecumseh to hear H. O. Wills and his male quartette.

H. J. Williams, of Adrian, was in the village Monday to lease his village property to Smidth & Smith, the new hardware firm.

J. O. Shepard having disposed of his hardware and grocery business, will as soon as the change is made, move to Flint, his old home.

The monument placed in Evergreen cemetery by the Ypsilanti granite works last week for Wm. Taylor, is one of the finest in the cemetery.

Mrs. Halsey Montgomery, of Cleveland, Ohio, with her cousin from Syracuse, N. Y., visited their uncle, T. H. Montgomery and wife, Friday.

J. O. Shepard sold his hardware and grocery business to Smidth & Smith, of Toledo, the deal being made the first of the week. The new firm take immediate possession.

It was voted at the annual school meeting last Monday night that an Iron flagstaff be put up on the school grounds. B. F. DePuy donated 20 feet and the district purchase 40 feet more.

Miss S. A. VanVleet, in company with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Rankin, of Rea, took a pleasure trip over the T. A. A. & N. M. to Frankfort, last week. They report crops looking fine up there and peaches plentiful and selling for $1.00 per bushel.

We have heard of surprises and picnics, but one of the happiest companies that ever gathered together in this capacity, was a company of Ridgeway friends who gathered at the home of their former pastor, Rev. E. Yager, in Saline on Tuesday, Aug. 27th. We assaulted the parsonage with such a strong force that its occupants soon surrendered, and the kitchen and pantry soon took on the appearance of a wholesale supply store. At noon the spacious lawn was decorated with a long table loaded down with all that our appetites made keen by our long drive, could desire, amid the flow of happy speech the dinner hour passed away, and then such an afternoon of pleasure, made up of song and prayer and pleasant talk, it never was our lot before to enjoy. Again at 5 p. m. the tables were reset with a fresh supply of cake, ice cream and many other good things which made us all feel that a ride home would be a good gymnastic exercise for our physical natures, and all that was there experienced the feeling that it was good to have this little outing, and it strengthened the cords of our affections and we were all made to feel that life has a great deal of sunshine in it if we will but seek to do our part in casting its shadows. From One Present.

MACON MUSIC.

Wednesday was pension day and the old soldiers were busy and happy.

On Sunday Mr. Ramsdell will preach his last sermon before conference.

The members of the L. O. T. M. have received notice of an assessment for this month.

Mrs. Houghtaling and daughter from Illinois, were guests of Mrs. Sylvanus Travis last week.

Mrs. Biddle, who has been very sick during the past few weeks, is somewhat better at present.

The Epworth League held a business meeting at the home of Baron Pennington last Saturday evening.

Leigh Pennington, Bessie Camburn, Laura and Clara Gooding entered school at Tecumseh last Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Avery on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 11th.

There was an unusually large attendance at school meeting Monday night. Dr. Morden was elected moderator for the next three years.

A number of Macon people attended the farmer's picnic in spite of the rainy weather. One citizen was so anxious to go that he paid $90. for the privilege.

The schools of the township generally began Monday. Mr. Geo. Randell teaches in district No. 1; Edith Cotton, No. 2; Emma Cotton, No. 3; Grace Collins, No. 5; Grace Sage, No. 6, and Edward Miller No. 8. The youngsters of Macon are in good hands for the coming year.

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HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mr. Rothfuss is in Blissfield on business.

Grass is looking fresh and green after the rain.

Mrs. Carpenter was on the sick list for a few days.

Miss Hattie Still and brother visited Adrian for a day.

The rain of Wednesday was beautiful and laid the dust.

The Presbytery convenes at Tecumseh, Sept. 10 and 11.

Dexter Still has struck luck, clerking in a store at Palmyra.

Chas. Anthony and family occupy rooms at J. L. Richard's.

Morgan Florance and wife took in the Toledo Fair this week.

Jim Sutherland, of Adrian, was here Sunday calling on friends.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton, of Tecumseh, attended the convention Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Kirkpatrick, of Indiana, is visiting her parents, Stephen Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Mize visited A. D. Macham and wife Monday.

Miss Jennie Gordon and Ida Silk attended the farmers' picnic at Devils lake.

The Hall Association agreed not to dispose of the hall for a store. A very wise act.

H. Osgood, of Tecumseh, is down clearing off his lot and drawing away the rubbish.

Miss Nett Simmons, of Saline, is here making her annual visit with John Welch and wife.

Master George Gordon left Saturday for Michigan Center, where he expects to attend school.

Dr. J. N. Nixon left Wednesday evening for Detroit from where he goes to the northern part of the state to visit relatives.

The Sunday school convention which was entertained at this place, was well patronized by several from abroad. The dinner was fine and lots of it, and the speaking good. The address of C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, was eloquent and fitting for the occasion and all profited thereby. Also, Rev. Humphrey, of Palmyra, spoke very nicely, and others, and upon the whole, the affair was a very interesting and pleasant gathering. Hope to have many more.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 6, 1895.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Harris & Hiteshu are making some considerable improvements in their store this week, the better to accommodate their increasing patronage. A new cloak room has been fitted up and added near the rear of the store, and the whole building has been wired and fitted with electric lights.

Next Sunday at the Universalist church, Rev. C. P. Nash, of Holly, Mich will preach in the morning. Evening:—Spiritualism and Spirit Philosophy. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m.—Topic: Am I Watching? St. Mark, 13: 34-37. Topic for prayer meeting next Wednesday: Daily Practice.

"Information" is the title of a new and unique publication. It is a weekly journal, wholly devoted to a brief synopsis of important events in the world's history during the preceeding week. It is a grand paper for the busy man. Sample copies will be mailed free by addressing the Transatlantic Pub. Co. 63 fifth Ave, New York.

The Michigan State Fair will open on Monday, September 9th, at Grand Rapids, and continue through the 13th. The location is sufficient guarantee of a fine exposition of the agricultural and manufacturing products of the State. Grand Rapids is the center of the great fruit growing region of Michigan, and insures the largest fruit exhibit ever made in the state. Grand Rapids is the greatest furniture manufacturing city in the world, and will make a fine display. The fair is in the grand circuit New York, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, which is a guarantee of a large display of pure bred stock.

Judge Emory Speer, of the United States court of the Southern District of Georgia, has accepted the invitation to deliver the opening address at the Cotton States and International Exposition. In his letter to President Collier Judge Speer says: "I beg you to convey to the board my high sense of the honor they conferred. I accept with pleasure their invitation, so kindly and cordially supported by your own expressions. Indeed, I am unaffectedly happy to be connected with an occasion auspicious for Georgia and the South, and instinct with the vitality and patriotism of your great, broad-minded municipality."

The friends of Raynor Sutfin were shocked and deeply grieved when the news came to Tecumseh last Monday that he had parted with life and promise so soon. The deceased had been frail for years from organic disease of the heart. He was a graduate of our High school and of Cleary's business college. When he returned from Ypsilanti he took a position in Kennedy & Roger's grocery, but was soon compelled to stop work from failing health. Raynor and his mother had been visiting at Jackson and with his sister, Mrs. Jones, at Morenci. Here he was taken worse. Physicians were called, but of no avail, and death came about 1 p. m. The funeral will occur at 4 o'clock at the house this afternoon, Rev. Hudson, officiating.

The Computing Scale Company, of Dayton, O., filed a bill in the United States circuit court at Detroit Tuesday, against the Stimpson Computing Scale Co. When asked about the matter by the HERALD, the Stimpson Co. said that ever since they commenced the manufacture of the scales, the Dayton company had used every means to intimidate them as well as the users of their scales and that they considered this move of their rival only another and last resort to drive the Stimpson scale out of the market. They also say that they have given the matter of infringement of patents a thorough investigation and have always been perfectly satisfied that they do not infringe any patents and that they are increasing their capacity to enable them to meet the fast increasing demand for their scales.

He: 'I love the country, where everything so smacks of freshness.' She: 'That may be, but freshness can gain no smacks here.'—Adams Freeman.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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THE COLLEGE BOYS.

(Continued from last week.)

I ought not to talk this way carelessly. But what is the Christian voter up to in this country? Well, that depends a little and very little on his party preference: if he is a Democrat he is serving God and mammon with impartiality under the leadership of Professor Wilson, and if he is a Republican he is serving mammon and God with almost judicial fairness led by Mr. McKinley. That is to say, he is devoting his political talents to the accomplishment of an impossible thing. "Ye cannot serve God and mammon." I must not be understood to belittle the tariff question, though I do think that the difference between the parties as to that is infinitesimally trifling compared to the drink question. The tariff is an important and noble study, but I don't believe it engrosses the heart of Jesus Christ as he waits expecting beside the throne of God. The Wilson bill may be unwise, but none will be so bold as to call it unchristian. The McKinley act may be extravagantly protective, but we should only smile at one so infatuated as to call it devilish. It is a thing for political economists, for cabinets, for experiments, amendments, concessions, compromises. It cannot get far wrong because the common greed of trade and the interminable pressure of the revenue are forever alert to perfect it. It is not sensible and I doubt if it is honest to try to make the eleavage of parties at the tariff. If the Democratic party should die to-day—and it seems very ill—the tariff would not be settled. If the Republican party were defunct it would be just so. President Cleveland could manage the Republicans very well, but what to do with his own people is reducing his flesh. The same thing may be said of the currency, banking, state rights and the rest. If you mean to postpone the drink question until the tariff matter is settled you simply abandon it.

And if the conduct of the Christian voter is mysterious in federal matters it is incredible in municipal affairs. There he is engaged in the remarkably unpromising occupation of trying to reach a basis of agreement with saloon keepers, gamblers and bawds as to a painless and gradual method of destroying them by employing their customers to conduct the negotiations and subsequent police operations watching them kill themselves gradually. It recalls the historical Thompson's colt.

Let us all be protectionists; will that hurt the church? Or all free traders; will it hinder the church? But if there is an unchristian, traitorous, murderous devilish thing in our politics one would expect the Christian voter to be at least making motions at that, upon the ground of simple loyalty to Christ and the church.

But is there such a thing? The church says there is. The liquor traffic. Have you heard of that? I know you have not from any state paper or document of high authority or dignity in statecraft. Christian statesmen abound, but who of them has heard of the saloon? Have you ever heard that there are 240,000 saloons in this country? Have you ever heard that every one of them carries an insurance policy upon its life of which the government is the underwriter?

Have you heard that into their tills $500,000,000 of wages are annually poured?

Have you heard that they are favorite places for party caucuses?

Have you heard that three-fourths of all the crime is traceable to them?

Have you heard that 4,500 deaths were the murder crop of the saloon last year?

Have you heard that war, pestilence, famine, cholera, typhus, yellow fever, all told, are a bagatelle compared to the regular staple annual misery product of this one business?

Did you read the other day how Arthur Dustrow got drunk and went home, and when his young wife ran to meet him shot her dead, and while he knelt above her calling her pet names and begging her to live his baby boy ran into his arms and kissed him, and simultaneously with the baby's kiss crash went a bullet through the baby's brain?

Did you read how a widow's son went home the other night and beat his mother to a shapeless thing, unidentifiable but by the clothing?

Did you read how at Rahway, N. J., men found a baby dead beside its drunken mother in the woods in midwinter, its hair frozen into the ground? Or did you read the headlines only of such things and skip the rest?

The daily papers teem with things like these. Our leaders are not fools. They know these things. Are they traitors, then? No! not a man of them. Or cowards? No, not many. They are representative citizens and fairly true to what they represent. They stand for constituents who mean one thing and vote another, and who is to wonder or who is to blame if the servant catches the political aphasia of his master?

President Harrison possibly meant in his last message the "drink," but he said "car-couplers." President Cleveland may have meant prohibition in America; he said "Africa." The legislature of Minnesota perhaps meant "saloons," but said "slot-machines." The same legislature meant "alcohol," but said "stale pie." The mayor of Chicago meant "drinkshop," he said "lumpy jawed cattle." The United States senate meant the "liquor traffic," but said the "Russian thistle." Our trouble, peril, shame is not the parties, nor the preachers, but the aphasia of Christian politics.

I wish to express now my conviction of the intelligence, truth, bravery, efficiency and sufficiency of the Christian citizen to meet this crisis and conquor it, if only he can be made to stand firmly on the ground and look at it. This country's peril is that our people have eyes, but do not see. They roll their eyes and glance at things and stand and get no views.

"Where there is no vision the people perish." Scarcely a city government in the land could last a year but for the reason that when we get a glimpse of it we find it unpleasant and look away and trust to luck or Providence, which in such a case are much the same. And in the case of the saloon, its life and thrift and impudent control of the nation, state and city are directly due to the wandering vision of the Christian man; it lines the way, poisons all the air, lusts openly for every life and would die like a reptile, as it is, in the first flash of intelligent vision. But so few people see it. Some 500,000 Prohibitionists, men and women—scarcely more.

Do you resent that statement and say you see it but have not yet taken sides? I should be sorry to believe it, for I think a Christian man who sees the saloon and is at peace with it is a coward, unworthy the name of Christian or citizen. But I doubt there being many such; men see some fruits of it, some calamnity, momentarily and think they have looked at the saloon, and they wave it off, disgusted, and go calmly on. I have too much respect for any Christian profession to believe that such men see the thing.

When you face an antagonist, you must watch his eye, not his hands: his fist will tell you very little, but in his eye you read his purpose and his power.

For Jesus' sake stop watching the saloon's antics and look it in the eye! You saw it break up a home. What of that? It is the science of home breaking. You saw it rob a man. What of that? It is systematic, legalized, monopolized robbery reduced to a fine art and stole a billion last year. You saw it kill a man. What of that? That is its trade; it will kill 100,000 every year. You saw it break a woman's heart. What of that? It is a dull bour when it does no more than that. Oh, for the sake of humanity, stop sparring and kill it!

OBITUARY.

MABEL FLORINE MARKS.

Two weeks ago T. D. Marks and family took an overland trip to Riga for the purpose of giving the children an outing before starting in school. In the midst of their pleasure illness came. Two of the children became very sick; medical aid was summoned but without avail. Little Florine could not be helped and died Thursday morning Aug. 29. She was a very sweet child and of an affectionate disposition. Full of love for those about her and loved by all that knew her. Her death was a very severe blow to the family. But the purity of the little life and the blessedness of the four and a half years of its earthly existence will be a continual benediction in the midst of their sorrow. The funeral was held at the house Saturday afternoon at four o'clock conducted by Rev. Charles M. Brown and attended by a host of friends. The little body was placed to rest in the Tecumseh Cemetery to await the great reunion at the final day.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of T. D. Marks kindly return their thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement.

Memorial Tablet.

The memorial tablet purchased by the communicants of St. Peter's church has arrived from Philadelphia and been placed in the chancel, the proper place for a memorial to a priest. The inscription reads as follows:

IN MEMORIAM.

JOSIAH PHELPS,
BORN JUNE 16TH, 1820.
DIED JANUARY 24TH, 1895.

For Twenty-two Years Rector of This Parish.

Low Rates to Louisville and Return.

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway September 8th to 11th, tickets good returning until Oct. 5th.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

New York World—Thrice-a-Week.

The twice-a-week edition of the New York World has been converted into the Thrice-a-week. It furnishes 3 papers of 6 pages apiece, or eighteen pages every week, at the old price of one dollar a year. This gives 156 papers a year for one dollar and every paper has 6 pages eight columns wide or 48 columns in all. The Thrice-a-week World is not only much larger than any weekly or semi-weekly newspaper, but it furnishes the news with much greater frequency and promptness. In fact it combines all the crisp, fresh qualities of a daily with the attractive special features of a weekly. Club rates with the HERALD.

Do You Want Summer Boarders?

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway has in course of preparation for the season of 1896 a book of information for people desiring to learn of places at which to pass their summer vacation. This information is wanted both for hotels and boarding houses at summer resorts as well as for farm houses wishing summer boarders. Send your name and address to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for a blank to be filled out to cover the matter desired for the book. 4w

G. A. R. National Encampment.

For this occasion the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Louisville and return at one cent per mile each way for the round trip. Sept 8th to 11th, inclusive, good to return until October 5, '95.

Chickamauga Military Park.

For the dedication of this park tickets to Chattanooga and return will be sold by agents of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway September 16 to 19th, at one cent per mile each way for the round trip, good to return until Oct. 5, 1895. 2w

Low Rates to Knoxville, Tenn.

September 13th to 16th, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Knoxville and return, account Battlefield Encampment, Sons of Veterans, at one cent per mile each way for the round trip, good to return until October 5, 1895. 2w

Southern Excursions

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Railway September 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19. Extremely low rates. Excursions include Louisville, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Apply to ticket agents for particulars. 2w

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Notice of Infringement.

A bill has been filed in the circuit court of Barry Co. (Hastings Mich.) by Drs. Mixer against C. M. Tower who it is alleged has been infringing on the trade-mark of Mixers Cancer and scrofula Syrup. A temporary injunction has been allowed by Judge Clement Smith restraining C. M. Tower from further use of said trade mark.

Hastings, Mich. Aug. 23, 1895.

To the wholesale and retail druggists throughout the country. We desire to give you notice of an infringement on our trade mark for Mixers' Cancer and Scrofula Syrup put up by one C. M. Tower and under the name of "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." Hastings Mich. Said Tower having no right or authority to use our name, "Mixer." The wrapper of this bogus medicine bears Dr. Mixer's portrait and is very similar to our genuine wrapper, but in every case can be detected, for on the face and back of our wrappers (which contains bottle) is our signature, "Drs. Mixer" in a bold back handwriting, every bottle also has Mixer's Cancer and Scrofula Syrup" blown in three sides, the bogus medicine being put up in plain panel bottles.

We earnestly request all persons using our C. & S. S. to be particular that they buy genuine goods, for the bogus medicine is put up without regard to merit. Examine the bottle which you now have and if it is not lettered as stated, and the signature of Drs. Mixer" on both wrapper and label return the same to your druggist or agent and exact genuine C. & S. S. In all cases avoid any medicine or circulars put out by "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." or C. M. Tower. Any person coming in contact with bogus medicine as heretofore described will confer a great favor by communicating with Drs. Mixer, Hastings, Michigan.

Very respectfully yours in the interests of right and justice to all the afflicted.

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To Subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition.

One thousand special gifts valued at $6,807.10 were distributed to subscribers to the Twice-a-Week edition of The St. Louis Republic, who sent in their subscriptions in July, and 1,000 special gifts valued at $5,607.20 were given to those who sent in their subscriptions in August. Another list of one thousand special gifts, valued at $5,512.8, is offered to subscribers who send in their orders during September. In addition, a valuable engraving is to be given to every subscriber during this distribution, making the total value of the gifts over $53,000. The list of gifts for subscribers in September is given below. The first 700 and the last 300 subscribers during September to send correct answers to the question:

Where does the word "Paper" first occur in the Bible?

will be awarded the following gifts in the order their answers and subscriptions are received:

FIRST 700 GIFTS:

1st Correct Answer—Scholarship at Metropolitan College of Music, New York City (the leading Musical College of America).....$672.00
2—One year scholarship Clara Conway Institute, Memphis, Tenn.... 200.00
3—Scholarship Barnes' Shorthand School, Arthur J. Barnes, Prest., St. Louis..... 150.00
4—Life Scholarship, Watson's Business College (successors to Leddins Business College), Memphis, Tenn.; W. T. Watson, Prin..... 150.00
5—One year scholarship Central Female College, Archibald A. Jones, Prest., Lexington, Mo..... 115.00
6—One year scholarship complete business course (actual business practice and practical bookkeeping, with banking), Jones' Commercial College, J. G. Bohmer, Prin., St. Louis..... 100.00
7—Scholarship Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y..... 100.00
8—Complete course New York College of Business..... 100.00
9—Course of Shorthand and Typewriting, Jones' Commercial College, St. Louis..... 100.00
10—Scholarship Christian Brothers' College, Memphis..... 100.00
11—Scholarship K. C. (Mo.) Bus. University..... 100.00
12—Scholarship French or German.. 70.00
13—Walter A. Wood Cyclone Mower.. 65.00
14-15—One year scholarship Springfield Normal School, Springfield, Mo.; $90 each..... 120.00
16—Springfield Farm Wagon..... 60.00
17—New Home Sewing Machine..... 60.00
18-19—Round Trip Colorado Springs via Missouri Pacific, $54.20 each.. 108.40
20—One year scholarship (literary department) Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President..... 100.00
21—Round trip ticket to Denver via Burlington Route..... 75.00
22—Fine Breech-loading Shotgun..... 60.00
23-24—Round trip to Cotton States Exposition, Atlanta, Ga., via L. & N. and N., C. & St. L. Ry.; $37.20 each..... 74.40
25—Gold Filled Hunting Case Watch 50.00
26—Gold Filled Hunting Case Watch 50.00
27—China Dinner Set..... 25.00
28—Steamboat trip..... 25.00
29-31—Barnes' home course instruction in shorthand; $10 each..... 30.00
32—Pair Fine Opera Glasses..... 15.00
33-34—Graphic Atlas of World; $7.50 ea. 15.00
35-37—Ladies' Mackintosh, $7.00 each. 21.00
38—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 15.00
39—Remington 22-Caliber Rifle..... 15.00
40—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 15.00
41—Remington 32-Caliber Rifle..... 15.00
42—Five Dollar Gold Piece..... 5.00
43-47—Subscription to "North American Review"; $5 each..... 25.00
48-52—Oxford Teachers Bible, $5 each 25.00
53-112—Political and Geographical Map of United States (31 colors), $5 each. 150.00
113—Set Rogers' Table Spoons..... 45.00
114-122—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $3 ea. 27.00
124-128—Gold-filled Thimble, $3 each.. 15.00
129-143—Fine Umbrella, $3 each..... 45.00
144-146—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $1.25 each..... 3.75
147-171—H. & G Corset; $1 each..... 25.00
172-322—Fine Engraving; $1 each..... 151.00
323-523—Tickets two days' trip to Louis Fair, 1895, Oct. 7 to 12; $50.00 in premiums; $1 each..... 200.00
523-636—Fine Engraving; $1 each..... 114.00
637-695—Dollar Packages Old Coon Smoking Tobacco; $1 each..... 59.00
696-700—One Silver Dollar each..... 5.00

LAST 300 GIFTS:

Many answers will come in late from subscribers who reside in remote parts of the United States, and in order that these may also receive handsome gifts we will give the last 300 subscribers sending correct answers (envelope to bear postmark not later than September 30, 1895, and reach Republic office not later than October 12, 1895), the following handsome and valuable gifts:

Last Correct Answer—One year scholarship Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President.....$300.00
2—Scholarship (same as No. 4 1st 700) 150.00
3—Course at Memphis Keeley Institute..... 134.00
4—Scholarship (same as No. 8 1st 700) 115.00
5—Scholarship (same as No. 9 1st 700) 100.00
6—Scholarship (same as No. 11 1st 700)..... 100.00
7—Scholarship French or German.. 70.00
8—Scholarship (same as No. 14 1st 700)..... 60.00
9—Ticket to Colorado Springs and return..... 54.20
10—Ticket to Denver and Return..... 49.60
11—Round trip to Atlanta Exposition..... 37.20
12—Gold-filled Hunting Case Watch. 25.00
13—Steamboat trip..... 12.00
14-15—Home Course Shorthand, $10 each..... 20.00
16—Pair Fine Opera Glasses..... 3.00
17-18—Graphic Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $7.50 each..... 15.00
19-20—Fine Ladies' Mackintosh, $7 each..... 14.00
21—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 15.00
22—Remington 32-caliber Rifle..... 15.00
23-27—Sub. North Am. Review, $5 ea. 25.00
28—Gold Watch Charm..... 5.00
29-38—Genuine Oxford Teachers' Bible, $5 each..... 50.00
39-55—Geo.-Political Map U. S., $5 ea. 85.00
56—Set Rogers' Table Spoons..... 15.00
60-64—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $3 each 15.00
65—One Gold Coin..... 5.00
66-78—Gold-filled Thimble, $3 each.. 39.00
74-78—Fine Umbrella, $3 each..... 15.00
79-81—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of the World, $1.25 each..... 3.75
82-90—Fine Engraving, $1 each..... 9.00
91-104—Celebrated R. & G. Corset, $1 each..... 14.00
105-804—Ticket St. Louis Fair, $1 each 700.00
805-854—Fine Engraving, $1 each..... 50.00
855-295—Pkg. Old Coon Tobacco, $1 ea. 295.00
296-300—One Silver Dollar each..... 5.00

Total.....

Special Gifts awarded for answers received during SUMMARY—Total value of Special Gifts given during prior to August 1st, $6,807.10; Total value of Special Gifts to be given during September, $5,512.80; $5,607.20; Total value of Special Gifts to be given during October, engravings, National Capitol, etc., $1 each, $36,000. GRAND TOTAL, $53,970.10

EVERY SUBSCRIBER SENDING AN ANSWER RECEIVES A GIFT

Subscribers sending answers too late to secure one of the first 700 special gifts too early for the last 300 special gifts will each be presented during September with a HANDSOME ART ENGRAVING, consisting of the NATIONAL CAPITOL, by a handsome border, embellished with PORTRAITS OF EVERY PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, printed on extra quality paper; size 17x24 inches, worth $1 EACH. Each person desiring to contest for one of the special gifts listed above must not later than September 30 an answer to the question printed above.

EVERY ANSWER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY ONE DOLLAR FOR A YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TWICE-A-WEEK REPUBLIC. All answers recorded the moment received. This contest will close September 30, 1895, as above, and the name and address of each subscriber securing one of the 1,000 special gifts will be published in the issue of October 17, 1895.

Address: The Twice-a-Week Republic, Republic Building, St. Louis.

TO THE PUBLIC.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—Pocketbook, between Clinton and Tecumseh on the Newburg road, on Monday, Sept. 2, containing a sum of money and railroad ticket. The finder will receive reward by leaving at this office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good house and lot; 10 minutes' walk from Postoffice. Enquire of ORR & TEMPLE, Druggists.

A BARGAIN—A brand new Crusader wheel, fitted for lady or gentleman, can be bought for half price. For particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

PAINTING.—M. L. Gilbe is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Montague's Novelty Store.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 6, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Try Burtis on a hair cut or shave.

Dr. Snyder is cleaning and renovating his office this week.

Miss Hattie Montgomery returned to Ypsilanti Wednesday.

The W. C. T. U. meet in the M. E. church parlor during September.

B. L. Baxter has gone to Battle Creek on a business trip and may be gone several days.

Clayton has got through with her beer law suits, but has an epidemic of scarlet fever.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Stoepel, at Pine Lake, Mich.

Mrs. L. F. Selfridge left town Wednesday for a visit with friends at Oconomowoc, Wis. and Chicago Ill.

Lincoln Stevens, of Chicago, is visiting at Dr. North's this week. He has not been in Tecumseh for two years.

Farmers in this vicinity will find it to their advantage to attend the Dundee Fair, which will be held Sept. 17-20.

The Adrian Times says: "Tecumseh has a wit and wisdom club. Statesmen and joke writers are barred as ineligible."

Mrs. Geo. Kellogg, after a month's sojourn at B. L. Baxter's, returned to her home in Jackson last Wednesday.

The Baptist Sunday school picnic was postponed last Thursday on account of rain. It will be held Saturday in Tallman's grove.

R. J. W. Bowen has some fine snapshots of bicycle day,, the matinees and other scenes about town. He is selling them to a number.

The school meeting last Monday evening, though not largely attended, transacted some important business in a very proper way.

A special illustrated sermon will be given to the children at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Young and old are invited.

A. E. Wells, the enterprising proprietor of the Wamplers' Lake Hotel, will have a closing dance on Friday evening, Sept. 13. Music by Tipton orchestra.

Starling, The Hustling Michigan tailor, just received a fine line of new samples for fall and winter wear, which will be made up in the latest styles, best workmanship and lowest prices.

The Presbytery of Monroe will convene in the Presbyterian church here on next Tuesday at 2 p. m. Special popular services will be held at 7:30 in the evening to which everyone is invited.

The Baptist Young People's Union will hold a social at the Baptist parsonage Thursday evening, Sept. 12th. An interesting and unique program has been prepared. All are most cordially invited.

Jason Van Ness, of Britton, who is foreman of the section gang on the railroad, has been in the employ of the company nearly eight years, and is always at his post. His section is kept in rough repair.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Union will be held next Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. in the Presbyterian church. Sessions throughout afternoon and evening open to the public. All invited.

Battery G, of which Geo. VanTyne is a member, will hold their re-union on next Thursday, Sept. 12. The meeting will be held in G. A. R. hall in the afternoon, to which comrades and others interested are invited.

A letter to the Council from the Gen'l Superintendent of the Lake Shore, dated Aug. 28, in reply to their resolutions asking for a new depot, states that plans have been adopted and that they expect to have the structure completed within the next two months.

Prince Hurry expects to attend school at Albion College next year. Miss Burnett will return to his duties and Miss Alice Temple will enter the freshman class. Thus Tecumseh will have three representatives at Albion college next year.

Dr. C. P. Nash, of Holly, who is visiting a week or two in Tecumseh is a friend of Lieut. Elliott Gray's. He was chaplain of the 7th Mich. Cav. during the war and Gen. Custer frequently paid him the compliment of sending him to preach to the brigade.

We ask the attention of thoughtful readers to the catalogue of the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, Ohio. If you have boys or girls interested in any of its twelve different departments we feel sure of our ability to aid them in planning and starting a noble, useful

Everybody says Burtis is the barber.

Anderson & Co. have a change of card this week.

Gen. Jas. E. Pittman, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

W. H. Wiggins and family of Adrian, spent Sunday with relatives here.

W. J. Ingersoll went to Detroit last Monday on professional business.

We are glad to note that the "good citizenship" tents is well patronized.

The last Sunday train from Toledo to Devil's Lake will run next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, of Washington, D. C., are the parents of a little Michigan girl.

Miss Dora Grayson returned Saturday from Chicago to resume her duties in our public schools.

The Eastern Star lodge will hold a special session next Thursday evening to install officers.

A number of our young people attended the social at Macon Grange hall last Friday evening.

Miss Libbie Kress, of Ann Arbor, visited her cousins, E. F. Kirchgessner and sisters, last Wednesday.

J. L. Trann and wife, of Peoria, Ill., are in town. Mrs. Trann will remain some time for a visit with her parents.

Jacob Totten leaves today for a few weeks' trip to Petoskey, Belding, Mackinaw and other points in Western Michigan.

Mrs. John B. Whelan, of Detroit, who has been visiting relatives here for some time, returned to her home Wednesday.

S. W. Anderson left Monday for his fall trip to New York City. Look out for the stock of goods he will purchase while there.

Prof. and Mrs. L. D. Loree left last Friday for Lawrence, Michigan, where the Professor will resume his duties in the public schools.

Miss Agnes Woodward has been engaged to teach music in the public schools of Chillicothe, Ohio, and left for that city last Friday.

Season tickets are now on sale for the lecture course. They can be procured of S. W. Anderson, J. H. Smith, C. F. Field or at E. F. Kirchgessner's.

L. D. Dewey has purchased the property south of the Bidwell lot on Evans street of the Henry estate. It will be a good location for a business block.

The McCormick corn binder was again worked in Ab Wilson's corn field yesterday cutting and binding the field corn in a manner satisfactory to all.

Chas. A. McNeil, who is a machinist in Brewer's foundry, got the fingers of one hand badly mangled in a lathe this morning. He may lose some of his fingers.

Sir Knight Smith arrived home from the Boston conclave yesterday. He reports a most glorious trip throughout. C. A. Wright and wife are still visiting in the east.

Hon. James H. Eckels, Comptroller of the Currency, writes hopefully in the September number of the North American Review regarding "Our Reviving Business."

Early autumn fashions will be represented very fully in the number of Harper's Bazar to appear Sept. 7. A practical article on "Every-day Physical Culture" will find many interesting readers among women.

The Ypsilanti team will play the Brittons on the Britton diamond to-morrow afternoon, Sept. 7th. The Ypsis have won one game from the Giants and this game will decide whether they play them again or not. A good game may be expected.

Mrs. M. E. Corey left last Saturday morning for Saratoga, N. Y., summoned by a telegram that her son, Bert, was hardly expected to live. Later reports indicate an improvement in Bert's condition, and the family are in hopes that he may be well enough to be brought home to Tecumseh.

In the September number of the North American Review, Dr. Francis E. Clark, D. D., President of the United Society of Christian Endeavor gives an interesting account of "The Christian Endeavor Movement," dwelling upon the great conventions of the Society and their extensive work.

The first century run, made by Tecumseh wheelmen, was made last Sunday by Messrs C. F. Patterson, George S. Field, Bert Lawrence, C. H. Millis and W. B. Odlon. The route selected was from Tecumseh to Hillsdale, the hardest run that could be made in any direction from this place. The start was made at 4:55 a. m. and the finish at 5:50 p. m. lacking five minutes of being 13 hours on the trip. Hudson was the stopping point for both breakfast and dinner. The boys were in the saddle just 7 hours and 40 minutes, making their average riding time 13 1-2 miles an hour. The boys all finished in a bunch, excepting Odlon, who has had a bad knee for the past six weeks, and was obliged to fall out about five miles west of Adrian. He came in just one hour behind the others, riding the last 16 miles with one pedal. The run was full of comical incidents, but only one serious one. At Pittsford, on the return, Mr. Millis struck the hard end of a side-walk, throwing him several feet, luckily not hurting him to any extent. The collision broke the front forks loose from the head of his wheel, but a repair man soon remedied the fracture and the party proceeded on home without further accidents.

Dr. Skeels will be at the Lilley House next Wednesday, Sept. 11th.

John S. Temple has recently added a fine broad portico to the front of his dwelling house.

There was a big crowd at Cyrus Mead's auction, Wednesday, and the property sold well.

Miss Harriet Woodard enjoyed a pleasant visit with friends in Brooklyn and Clark's lake last week.

The rain of Wednesday afternoon spoiled the league game here, which was advertised for that day.

The Dundee fair will be a grand success this year, or all signs fail. Remember the date, Sept. 17-20.

Miss Lena Hardenburgh will attend college at Hillsdale this year. She departed yesterday for that institution.

Mrs. E. Conant, of Hudson, and Mrs. C. H. Oakes, of Wheatland, attended the Brown—Humphrey wedding Wednesday evening.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Raisin, will give a neck tie social at Wm. Calhoun's on Thursday evening next, Sept. 12th. Everybody invited.

Abner Galloway and sister, of Raisin, have gone to Massachusetts to visit a sister, and other friends in Washington Co., N. Y. They went on the Knights Templar excursion.

Mrs. Edward T. May and daughter, Alice, of Boston, who have been visiting at Mrs. Annie Bryant Smith's the past month, left Tecumseh for home last Monday morning.

Mr. M. J. Fanning, of Jackson, who is holding gospel temperance meetings in this place, will occupy the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning. Prof. Skinner will assist in the singing.

Lt. A. S. Cummins returned to Washington yesterday. He enjoyed his ten days' furlough at the old home very much, and his only regret was that he couldn't prolong his ten days to thirty.

Miss Myra Chase left last week to fill a position in the Calumet schools for the coming year. Miss Chase has taught in our schools for several years and goes to her new field with a well earned reputation for efficient work.

There will be a base ball dance at Exelby's hall, Britton, on Thursday evening, Sept 12. Ice cream and cake will be served by the committee at the hall. Music by Bacon & Rhodes' orchestra. Everyone invited to come and give the boys a substantial benefit. Bill 50 cts., including care of horses.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Wednesday at 8 o'clock, p. m., by Rev. E. C. Andrus, Mr. Charles M. Brown and Miss Eva E. Humphrey. The bride and groom are well known in our village and have many warm friends who wish them all the good luck there is in wedded life. The large company left many tokens of their best wishes as mementoes. The old home was neatly decorated with smilax, asters and golden-rod. The refreshments were bountiful and lovely. A happy wedding indeed.

The Detroit annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, will convene at Ann Arbor, Sept. 11 and continue one week. At this conference all Methodist pastors will be reappointed or sent to new fields. Rev. Varner, together with Mrs. B. Hurry as lay delegate, will attend from this place. As Mr. Varner, who has just completed 3 years of successful work here, has received a unanimous invitation from his parishioners to remain, we sincerely hope the conference will coincide in giving him this appointment for another year.

Our European bicyle travelers, C. H. VanTyne and Harry McClure, arrived on their wheels from Detroit Wednesday. They took ship at Naples on the North German Lloyd steamer, Werra. The Werra stopped two days at Genoa and five hours at Gibralter, giving the boys ample time to do these interesting and historic places. They also deviated from the course enough to view the Azores, making the trip home perhaps the pleasantest part of the route. The remaining letters from the pen of C. H. VanTyne will appear weekly in the HERALD.

Arrangements have been made for holding a day of sports at Manchester, Sept. 12. Ball games between best neighboring clubs in the forenoon and afternoon. Prizes $40. Ladies' and gentlemen's bicycle races, prizes $20. Foot races, etc., for liberal prizes. Balloon ascension and parachute drop at 4 o'clock p. m. All sports on exchange place and free to every body. The business men have charge, so that everything will be worth coming miles to see. Come in the morning and stay until after the fireworks in the evening.

The big temperance tent was pitched on the lot corner of Shawnee and Oneida streets, on Tuesday last, and meetings have been held nightly since. They are well attended and their character commends them to all good citizens. Everything connected with them is first-class and persons who take little or no interest in the temperance work can spend a profitable and pleasant evening in the well lighted and comfortably seated tent. Meetings will be held nightly to and including Sept. 18. There will be two meetings on Sunday, at 3:30 and 7:45 p. m. The Sunday night meeting will be given over to a song service, and magnificently illustrated lecture on the "Life of our Saviour." The friends of temperance should not neglect to make the most of this opportunity to do good work for that worthy cause.

Mrs. J. D. Shull was a Lake Shore passenger this morning for Chicago.

Dr. J. F. Jenkins was in attendance at the Mississippi Valley Medical Association at Detroit, Wednesday and Thursday. The Doctor reports a very interesting and enthusiastic meeting.

The weekly crop bulletin shows that, with the exception of a few places in the upper peninsula, the crop conditions have been much bettered by the weather of the past week. Corn and potatoes have improved and pastures show a pleasing greenness. The ground is moist enough for fall plowing and seeding, and much of this work is being done.

A very suggestive and valuable article in the Arena for September is Prof. Joseph Rodes Buchanan's "The Marvels of Electricity." Dr. Buchanan is one of the leading scientific investigators in the United States, and his contributions to physiological psychology are considered to mark an epoch in the treatment of nervous and mental diseases. This paper is especially interesting, as showing the revolution electricity can produce in the science of surgery and healing.

Last night Britton people had a regular burglar adventure, whereby George Clark, the night operator for the Wabash, was severely wounded. George, with some others, were near Leonardson's store about 2 o'clock and hearing a noise within were investigating. The people within opened fire at once, hitting young Clark in the shoulder twice. Several shots were fired, the burglars escaping in the excitement. A colored man and a white man, both suspicious characters, were hanging about the town yesterday, and they were probably the burglars. Clark is seriously wounded the ball not having been found so far.

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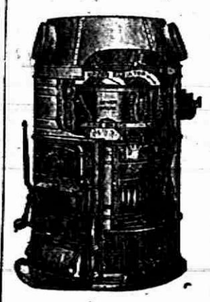

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SHORT BITS OF NEWS.

Interesting Items from Many Localities in Michigan.

The cucumber crop in the vicinity of Highland, Oakland county, will yield 200 bushels per acre.

The fair in Gratiot county will be held from September 24 to 27 inclusive.

September 12 is the date for the reopening of the Michigan mining school.

Steven Smith, a choreman in the Atlantic mine near Negaunee, has fallen heir to $25,000 in Poland.

The fortieth annual session of the Detroit Methodist conference will be held at Ann Arbor September 10 to 14.

Bickle & Edwards' flouring mill at Sanilac Center was totally destroyed by fire. Loss, $8,000, with no insurance.

Grand river claimed another victim Thursday. James DeVoner, a 9-year-old boy, was drowned while bathing at Grand Rapids.

The extension of the Detroit & Mackinac railroad to Cheboygan is finished.

The North Star post office was robbed of $22.73, a lot of stamps and considerable merchandise.

September 10 to 13, inclusive, are the dates for the Shiawassee county fair at Owosso. Races will be held each day.

The state fish commission has closed the purchase of a small but prettily located tract of land south of Grand Rapids for the establishment of a bass hatchery.

Dead fish along the Huron river are annoying the people so much that they threaten to have the state authorities called upon to make some provision for the nuisance.

Mrs. [illegible] Connell, president of the Association of Charities of Jackson, died at Detroit.

John Henry Kurz, of the Monroe Democrat, died at Monroe. He had been in newspaper work in various Michigan and Illinois cities for many years.

LABOR DAY.

Its Observance a Notable One in Detroit and Grand Rapids.

DETROIT, Sept. 3.—Labor day in this city was pretty generally observed, all of the factories being shut down and many of the retail stores closed. There was a monster parade of workingmen, it being estimated that fully 10,000 men were in line. There were many handsome floats in the parade. The procession marched through the principal streets out Jefferson avenue to Belle Isle park. At the park there were athletic games, yacht races, baseball games, an association football game and dancing. It was by long odds the most successful Labor day celebration ever held in this city.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 3.—Business was generally suspended Monday and 2,500 members of labor organizations paraded through the streets in the morning. In the afternoon a picnic was held at Reeds lake and addresses were made by Hon. Thomas E. Barkworth, of Jackson, and Peter Doran, of this city, and by John D. Flanigan, president of the day. After the speech-making various athletic sports were indulged in.

Michigan Knights Entertained.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 29.—Sultan commandery, No. 16, entertained knights templar from Michigan and Pennsylvania right royally Thursday. Sultan and its guests, with ladies, embarked on the steamer Gay Head for a sail in Buzzard's bay. A shore dinner at Fort Phœnix followed. Mount Olivet left the city in the afternoon. A reception was given in the evening in honor of the Michigan knights and ladies.

Justice Long's Case.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—Judge Charles D. Long, of the supreme court of Michigan, who appealed from the decision of the court of appeals in his pension case to the supreme court of the United States, has not yet perfected his appeal by filing the record and the attorney general has served notice on him that unless he does so by September 10 he will have the appeal dismissed.

Much Small Game in Michigan.

LANSING, Sept. 2.—There is great plenty of small game in southern Michigan this year, with every prospect of good hunting this fall. The dry summer has been especially favorable to the increase of rabbits and quails. In some regions the quails have bred twice, while because of the absence of heavy rains few young rabbits have been drowned in the burrows.

Earnings of Michigan Railroads.

LANSING, Sept. 2.—The following earnings statement was issued from the commissioner of railroads' office Saturday: Total earnings of Michigan roads for June, $2,578,507, an increase of $156,829 over the same month in 1894. The total earnings January 1 to July 1, 1895, were $14,106,975, an increase over the same period in 1894 of $804,040, or 6 4-100 per cent.

For Fruit and Passengers.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 31.—An electric railway is to be built from Coloma to Paw Paw lake. As soon as this is completed it will be continued to this city, a distance of 15 miles. It will be built for the passenger and fruit-carrying traffic and will be run only in the summer. The road is to be ready for use by spring.

Death of an Aged Woman.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 31.—Mrs. M. Haney fell down the cellar stairs and severed an artery, which caused her death soon after. She was the mother of thirteen children and had forty-six grandchildren, seventy-four great-grandchildren and fourteen great-great-grandchildren. She was 81 years old.

Charged with Arson.

BIG RAPIDS, Aug. 29.—Mary Pepper was held to the grand jury on a charge of setting fire to three houses because the owner had promised to marry her and had failed to do so.

TROOPS ARE OUT.

Steam Shovels at Ishpeming Mich., Operate Under Guard.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 3.—Houghton, Calumet, Marquette and Ironwood companies of state militia, Fifth regiment, of the upper peninsula, reached here at 1 o'clock Monday morning, and pitched their tents on High bluff at Lake Angeline and Lake Superior mines. With the troops were four steam shovel gangs of fifty men.

The steam shovels were started at 9 o'clock in the morning without interference by strikers. The militia was jeered by strikers, who, however, did no overt acts nor attempted to cross the dead line which is marked by flags.

The strikers have made threats to attack the shovelers, but no trouble is anticipated.

Strikers held a largely attended meeting Monday and resolutions of indignation against Sheriff Broad and Mayor Johnston were passed for calling on state troops. The men profess that they contemplated no infraction of law whatever and so far it seems certain that the presence of troops is unnecessary.

Most of the miners recognize that the strike is lost and are either arranging to leave for other fields or are hoping to return to former jobs in a few days. Hundreds of families in Ishpeming and Negaunee are on the verge of actual starvation and the miners' union has nothing to give them.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Sept. 3.—At a meeting of the miners' union another effort to secure the passage of a resolution looking toward a settlement of the strike by concessions in the demands for wages failed, and President Coad, of the miner's union, thereupon resigned. John Roberts, formerly treasurer, was elected to the vacancy, and resolutions were passed condemning the sheriff, mayor and prosecuting attorney for having called in state troops. Withdrawal of the troops was requested, the strikers pledging themselves not to interfere in any manner with the shipments of ore.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 4.—Everything was quiet Tuesday. The shovels are all working and the South Shore railway is preparing to remove the ore to Marquette.

There are very few strikers around the shovels or near the camping grounds. One of the military companies stationed here will probably be transferred to Negaunee, as the shovelmen there have refused to work unless protected by the soldiers. Thirty-five of the strikers left Monday night for other districts and many more are preparing to leave.

NEW SOURCE OF REVENUE.

Under the New Deer Hunting Law 10,000 Licenses Have Been Taken Out.

LANSING, Sept. 4.—The recent session of the legislature passed a law requiring persons who intended to hunt deer to take out a license, residents paying fifty cents and non-residents $25, with a big penalty for neglect to comply with the law. The secretary of state thought that 5,000 would be a large estimate, but already applications have come to the number of 10,000, and Secretary Gardner estimates that there will be at least 15,000 deer-hunting licenses granted in Michigan this year. The state will get a big revenue.

Sedan Day Observed.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 2.—The resident veterans of the Franco-Prussian war and resident Germans celebrated Sedan day with a barbecue Sunday afternoon at Reed's lake. One thousand Germans attended. An ox was roasted, and after the feast speeches were made by Prof. John Storrer, of Owosso, and M. M. Housmann, editor, and Editor Beno Meuhlen, of this city. The exercises closed with fireworks.

Medical Men in Session.

DETROIT, Sept. 4.—Upward of 300 delegates to the twenty-first annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Medical association are in Detroit. This organization numbers 1,800 physicians as members. It has members in every state. At the opening session of the convention Tuesday Mayor Pingree welcomed the delegates and paid tribute to their profession. Dr. William N. Wishard, of Indianapolis, president of the association, responded.

May Become a Great Industry.

GRAND HAVEN, Sept. 2.—From present indications here there is a prospect that the digging, preparing and shipping of marl from this place and the many ports of western Michigan will in a few years grow into an extensive industry. Marl is found in great quantities in the marshes along the principal streams of western Michigan, and when kiln dried and ground is used for the adulteration of paints.

Frisky Their in Old Age.

KALAMAZOO, Sept. 1.—A great-grandmother and several grandfathers and grandmothers gave a party at the home of Andrew Snyder, near this city, in honor of the 87th birthday of Mrs. Sally Poncher, of Clinton. Among the diversions of the evening was the dancing of the Virginia reel by the aged merrymakers.

Only One-Half a Crop.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 29.—The large canning factories here, which formerly employed about 150 hands each, will only employ sixty hands this season. The early frosts and continued drought shortened the tomato crop fully one-half, and the tomatoes left are of an inferior quality.

Michigan Man Suicides in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept 2.—Andrew Storey, 60 years old of No. 14 Chatham street, Grand Rapids, Mich., who is visiting in Brooklyn, tried to kill himself early Saturday morning by shooting himself in the right temple. He will probably die.

Death of a Pioneer.

LANSING, Sept. 2.—Edwin R. Merrifield, the first white settler in this vicinity, a veteran of the Mexican war, and a prominent business man, died Sunday afternoon, aged 74 years.

WITH MASONIC HONORS.

Remarkable Funeral of Mrs. Mary Bush, 113 Years Old.

NOVI, Mich., Sept. 4.—A most remarkable burial occurred here Monday, when Mrs. Mary Bush, 113 years old, was laid to rest. Her father and grandfather before her had been prominent masons, her husband, who died some years ago, was a well-known templar, and her sons all free masons. Besides this, she herself had been an ardent partisan of the order and was universally liked. Until very recently Mrs. Bush was not a care to anybody. But the last few months her faculties failed her and she coveted death, frequently asking: "Why can't I die and go home, the same as other people, and not be left here so long?" When the body was borne from her late residence to the church the coffin was surrounded by the templars from Northville, and it was borne by six stalwart masons. The escort was a long one, consisting of delegations from a half-dozen masonic lodges, and was followed by four generations of her family, many more gray-headed than the dead woman. Within the church and at the grave the regular masonic burial services with the impressive ritual of the templars were given. The body lay in state guarded by Knights Templar from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m., and was viewed by hundreds of people.

CANADIAN SHIP CANAL LOCK.

First American Boat to Pass Through — Will Be Formally Opened Monday.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Sept. 4.—The first American boat to pass through the Canadian ship canal lock was the Hursley line tug L. D. Smith, which was locked through, west bound, at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. Capt. Jay Hursley had a party on board consisting of canal officials from this side of the river and several lake captains and newspaper representatives. It required just 35½ minutes to fill the lock chamber and everything worked in perfect order. The formal opening of the canal will occur next Monday, when the Canadian passenger steamer Pacific will be locked through. The approaches at either end have been dredged and cleaned up and the channel above the canal has been thoroughly staked out. After next Monday American boats can lock through.

The opening of the Canadian lock will be a boon to the shipping interests inasmuch as it will obviate much of the delay caused by the inadequacy of the American lock to accommodate the traffic.

A CLOSE CALL.

Ann Arbor Constable Saved by His Sweetheart's Picture.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 4.—A row between Constable Paul Schall and Jerome Quinn, a baker, in the American house, came very near resulting in murder, and Quinn can thank his stars that he carried a tintype of his sweetheart in the upper left vest pocket. Quinn had knocked Schall down and the two men were separated when Schall drew his revolver and fired. Quinn fell to the floor, crying that he was shot, but it was found that Schall's bullet had pierced only the coat and vest and then been deflected by the tintype. Quinn was not hurt at all and no complaints have been made.

SHOT THE WRONG MAN.

Man Slain by Michigan Detectives Proves to Have Been Innocent.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 30.—John Smalley, killed Saturday while resisting arrest on the charge of complicity in the train robbery at Fennville August 20 and the murder of Detective Brewer August 22, was at Brinton, Isabella county, Mich., 90 miles from the scene of the crime, from noon August 20 till noon August 24. Scores of old acquaintances there, farmers and former friends, all of the utmost respectability, will swear to this. They intend prosecuting Smalley's slayer for murder.

Battle Creek Double Tragedy.

BATTLE CREEK, Aug. 31.—Jack Will son, for ten years past a hack driver, shot his wife Friday night and then blew his brains out. He had not been living with his wife since last June and called at her living rooms Friday evening and attempted to shoot her. She got the revolver away from him and threw it out the window. He then dragged her downstairs and out doors, picked up the revolver and shot her twice, then shot himself, dying instantly. Mrs. Wilson is still alive, but cannot live.

Sale of State Lands.

LANSING, Aug. 31.—During the last year the state land office sold 9,929 acres of land for $24,790. The total receipts of the office from all sources were $70,248. The state now holds 423,880 acres of land, of which 208,796 is primary school land, 101,650 agricultural college land, 113,103 swamp land, 80 university land and 440 salt spring. Penalties aggregating $6,153 were collected from trespassers on state lands.

Must Bulletin Trains.

LANSING, Sept. 1.—Railroad Commissioner Billings has issued a circular to the superintendents and general managers of the various railroad companies operating in Michigan, calling attention to the act of the last legislature, which requires the bulleting of all trains, and urging a strict compliance therewith. The act took effect August 3.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Thomas R. Kyle, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Joseph Grey, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 7th day of August, A. D., 1895, levy upon all the right, title and interest of the said Joseph Grey in and to that parcel of land situate in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as Beginning at a point in the east line of northeast quarter of section 30, town 5 south, of range 4 east, 9 chains and 50 links south of the north east corner of said section, running thence south along the east line of said section 13 chains 71½ links; thence west parallel with the quarter section line running east and west through said section 40 chains to the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north along said quarter section line 10 chains and 43½ links to the southeast corner of land formerly owned by Augustus Midgett, thence easterly along the south line of said land formerly owned by David Hodges aforesaid to the southwest corner of land formerly owned by Attuton Inis, thence easterly along the south line of land formerly owned by Inis to place of beginning, containing 41.65 acres. Also the north 13½ acres of certain 86 acres conveyed by G. J. Rand to Joseph Grey by deed, dated May 11, 1858, recorded in liber 112 on page 283, said 86 acres described as the south part of northeast quarter of section 30, town 5 south of range 4 east. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the east door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee, on the 26th, day of September, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D. 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

WALTER C. BERRIDGE, Attorney for Plaintiff

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, to me said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 3d of July last, levy upon all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred and sixty rods of the southwest quarter (¼) of section number one (1), township six (6) south, range two (2) east, in the county of Lenawee and State of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, on the 9th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1895.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Sept. 8. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Opening the Eyes of One Born Blind.

SCRIPTURE READING.—John IX, 1-7.

The scene is in Jerusalem. The time is early autumn at the feast of Tabernacles. The public teaching of Jesus in the temple has aroused intense hostility against him on the part of the Pharisees. The whole of the ninth and tenth chapters of John should be read to get the full occurrence and the lessons drawn from it by Jesus.

Special attention should be directed:

First.—To the fact of the blindness; a case notorious and incurable by natural means.

Second.—The reality of the cure, conclusively attested by reliable witnesses.

Third.—Refutation of the idea that special calamities are punishment for and proof of unusual wickedness.

Fourth.—To the contrast between the man cured and his parents when in danger of the council's displeasure and excommunication.

Fifth.—The contrast between the one blind born and the rulers in their attitude toward spiritual light and truth, and resulting spiritual condition.

Sixth.—The contrast between the true and good Shepherd and those Pharisees opposing him, who were the responsible religious teachers of the nation, God's chosen flock.

New England Conventions.

1887, at Grace church, First Methodist Episcopal church, Boston, the Young People's Christian league was formed.

1888, the second annual meeting was held in Tremont Street church, Boston.

1889, at the annual meeting in People's church, Boston, the reorganization as the First general district Epworth League was effected.

1890, the annual meeting was in Mathewson Street church, Providence.

1891, Chestnut Street church and city hall, Portland, Me.

1892, Worcester, Mass., in Trinity church and Mechanics' hall.

1893, Plymouth, Mass.

1894, Manchester, N. H.

1895, October, it will be held in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

The Fall Campaign.

Vacations are over. People are returning to accustomed work. Plans should now be matured for the coming season. It is wise to plan systematically for all the departments the work for several months in advance. Method is much. In the spiritual committee there is need of consultation and careful consideration of the best measures to advance interest in the devotional services of the church. Mercy and help, literary and social departments, all need vigorous administration. Get earnestly at work before the attractions and distractions of the winter prevent concentration of thought and result in dispersion of energy and dissipation of purpose.

No Loose Spokes.

No department of the League is superfluous. No chapter can afford to neglect the work of any department. The less apparent the ability to maintain the interest in any given direction the more certain it is that danger lies in just that lack of talent or interest. A missing spoke endangers the whole wheel and may wreck the vehicle itself. No wheel is stronger than its weakest point, which is its breaking point. Excessive attention given a favorite form of work to the neglect of other needed kinds is like putting material enough in one spoke for half a dozen. In such a case division will multiply efficiency.

Development and Degeneration.

It is a singular and significant fact that every great religion of the world except Christianity has been purer in its earlier than in its later forms. Corruption has appeared with age until they have perished of degeneration. There has been no natural process of evolution in the religious history of men. Christianity shows alone the result of a development by supernatural power of the religious nature. In consequence of this it alone presents the spectacle of steady progression not only in numbers, but also in doctrine and activity. The parable of the mustard seed is illustrative of its growth.

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It is a long time since the 1st of July, when the great Chattanooga conference met and worked and shouted and shook hands. Don't let the plans there laid fail to be carried out because so little could be done during the summer. Begin to plan now for the autumn campaign. Review your notebooks. Lay out the work in all departments. Let the spiritual department lead off. Be sociable without frivolity. Get your literary committee awake. Remember your conference resolutions, and begin to fulfill them.

Surely great words do not make a man holy and just, but a virtuous life maketh him dear to God.

It is vanity to desire to live long and not to care to live well.—Thomas a Kempis.

How We Learn.

Great truths are greatly won, not found by chance,
Nor wafted on the breath of summer dream,
But grasped in the great struggle of the soul,
Hard buffeting with adverse wind and stream.

Not in the general mart 'mid corn and wine,
Not in the merchandise of gold and gems,
Not in the world's gay hall of midnight mirth,
Not 'mid the blaze of regal diadems.

But in the day of conflict, fear and grief,
When the strong hand of God, put forth in might,
Plows up the subsoil of the stagnant heart
And brings the imprisoned truth seed to the light.

Wrung from the troubled spirit in hard hours
Of weakness, solitude, perchance of pain,
Truth springs like harvest from the well plowed field,
And the soul feels it has not wept in vain.
—Bonar.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THE feature of the second day of the Knights Templar encampment in Boston was the competitive drill. The grand treasurer's report showed cash resources of $30,302.

THE barn of Foxhall Keene at Lexington, Ky., was burned and his imported stallion Kallacrates, valued at $35,000 and the American stallion Hyderbad perished in the flames.

WILLIAM HAYGOOD, while profaning at High Shoals, Ga., declaring there was no God, no Heaven and no hell, had his tongue paralyzed.

A BOAT upset in a squall on the St. Clair river near Marysville, Mich., and Mrs. Michael Derufg, Frank Derufg, her brother-in-law, and Miss Celia Choniski and Miss Edith Connors were drowned.

THE resurvey of the boundary line between California and Nevada resulted in giving California a strip of country aggregating several hundred square miles.

"TOMMY" CONNEFF, an amateur runner, broke the world's record for a mile at New York, going the distance in 4:15 3-5.

AT Itasca, Tex., John Brown, 23 years old, cut the throat of Miss Boone, aged 13, and then killed himself. Refusal of the girl's father to a marriage was the cause.

AT the twenty-sixth triennial conclave in Boston of Knights Templar W. La Rue Thomas, of Maysville, Ky., was elected grand master, and Pittsburgh was chosen as the meeting place in 1898.

AT Central City, Col., the Americus and Sleepy Hollow mines were accidently flooded and thirteen miners were probably drowned.

THE third annual convention of the National Spiritualists' association of the United States and Canada will be held at Washington October 15, 16 and 17.

FROSTS were reported at many points in northern Minnesota.

JAMES STEWART, the famous swimmer, better known by the name of Paul Webb, died in Spokane, Wash., from injuries sustained July 4 last in sliding down a 1,500 log chute in a barrel.

THE Waif Savers' association in session in Detroit elected ex-Gov. R. J. Oglesby, of Illinois, as president.

AUGUST SELNOU and two sisters named Holtzhuler were killed by the cars at Deerfield, Wis.

A COMPANY was organized at Denver to operate the first steamboat line on the Colorado river.

HEZEKIAH ROBERTS, a young farmer at Butler, Ky., cut his wife's throat and then cut his own. He was supposed to have been insane.

JOHN SKINNER, a prominent business man at Bloomington, Ill., died while the funeral of his father was taking place.

FOR criticising the United States courts in the mint cases H. A. Lemon, editor of the Carson (Nev.) Tribune, was fined $50 and sent to jail for ten days.

ON the Fleetwood track near New York city Robert J. defeated Joe Patchen and John R. Gentry in three straight heats, the best time being 2:04¾.

A CALL was issued for a convention of free silver editors at Little Rock, Ark., September 7.

AT the session in Detroit of the American Bar association Justice Brewer, of the United States supreme court, urged a better education for lawyers.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 30th aggregated $885,351,854, against $900,518,416 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 18.9.

FIRE destroyed fourteen buildings, comprising the business section of Libertyville, Ill., the loss being $100,000.

FOURTEEN men perished in the mine disaster near Central City, Col.

ALONZO J. WHITEMAN, formerly mayor of Duluth, Minn., ex-member of the Minnesota legislature, ex-banker and millionaire, who dissipated a fortune in a few years, was sentenced at San Francisco to nine years' imprisonment for forgery.

THE gold mining company at Heflin, Ala., was incorporated at Chattanooga, Tenn., with a capital stock of $500,000.

THE circuit court at Parkersburg, W. Va., in a decision held a doctor was entitled to his fee whether he cured or not.

THERE were 186 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 30th, against 222 the week previous and 196 in the corresponding time in 1894.

AN excursion train was wrecked between Doman and Pope's, Ga., and fifty people, among them many Pythians, were hurt, and Mrs. C. W. Hancock and J. A. Kennedy were killed.

TWENTY men from Penn's Grove, N. J., were lodged in jail at Wilmington, Del., charged with violating the neutrality laws in having organized a hostile expedition to Cuba.

Every Lady In Town.

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A WOMAN named Dora Heilwagon fatally shot her faithless lover, Henry Boding, and her rival, Ross Swearingen, near Quincy, Ill., and made her escape.

THE firm of Penfield Brothers, printers and publishers, of Asbury Park, N. J., made an assignment.

AT Battle Creek, Mich., Jack Wilson, a hack driver, shot his wife and then killed himself.

THE convention near Winterset, Ia., to choose a state senator for Adair and Madison counties, took 4,000 ballots without result and adjourned.

TWENTY houses were wrecked and 600 persons made homeless by a cloudburst at San Marcial, N. M.

THE triennial conclave of the Knights Templar closed at Boston after the new officers were installed.

A NEGRO farm hand that betrayed the 14-year-old daughter of John Mulligan, a farmer of Simpson county, Miss., was lynched by a mob.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 31st ult. were: Baltimore, .650; Cleveland, .640; Philadelphia, .571; Boston, .563; Brooklyn, .552; Pittsburgh, 546; Chicago, .533; New York, .524; Cincinnati, .519; Washington, .827; St. Louis, .311; Louisville, .248.

THE supreme court has decided that women cannot vote at the coming Utah election in November. This reverses a decision made by Judge Smith at Ogden.

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SAMUEL A. EARLE, a prominent resident of Stamford, Conn., and his young son were drowned by the upsetting of a boat.

JOHN MCGRIFF and his brother Richard, two of the oldest twins in the United States, celebrated their 91st birthday at their home in Geneva, Ind. Both were in good health.

MILKWEED is being cultivated in South Dakota for rubber and other useful things it yields.

THE Buena Vista state bank at Storm Lake, Ia., failed, with liabilities of $50,000.

CHICAGO has 5,243 saloons, 500 more than there were at this time last year.

A SEVERE earthquake shock was felt in Delaware, New Jersey, eastern Pennsylvania and eastern New York, including the western part of Long Island. No damage was done.

THE potato crop of Minnesota will be 10,000,000 bushels this year.

CHARLES TULLER & CO., coffee brokers of Philadelphia, made an assignment with liabilities of $100,000.

A RECEIVER was appointed for the Memphis (Tenn.) Car & Foundry company, whose liabilities were $300,000 and assets $775,000.

THE Academy of Music, the oldest playhouse in Buffalo, N. Y., and one of the historic theaters in America, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $250,000.

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THE treasury statement shows that the excess of expenditures over receipts for August was $3,693,103, against a deficit in July of $9,500,000. The custom receipts during the month were $15,639,047 and treasury receipts $28,952,696.

DR. GEORGE W. FRAKER, of Excelsior Springs, Mo., who was supposed to have been drowned in the Missouri river two years ago, was captured near Tower, Minn. Fraker's life was insured for $58,000 and the heirs brought suit to recover. The insurance companies were defeated in the final decision, it being recorded last month.

WHILE endeavoring to prevent Fred Chapman from beating his wife at Wilkesbarre, Pa., William Davis was fatally shot by the enraged husband.

HILL CARTER, a colored ex-convict, shot and fatally wounded his divorced wife at Vincennes, Ind. He was pursued by a posse and fatally shot.

LABOR DAY was generally celebrated throughout the United States.

THE National Association of Letter Carriers opened its sixth annual convention in Philadelphia.

THE grand jury indicted Martin Delmagro, mayor of Spring Valley, Ill., for complicity in the recent race troubles at that place.

THE cotton crop of the United States for 1894 and 1895 amounted to 9,901,251 bales, against 7,549,817 last year and 6,700,365 the year before.

CHARLES M. COOKE, of Franklin county, N. C., was appointed secretary of state to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Octavius Coke.

ED DONOVAN, of Natick, ran 100 yards at Brockton, Mass., in nine and three-fifths seconds, breaking the world's record for that distance.

THE forty-fifth annual Ohio state fair opened at Columbus.

WHILE despondent Dr. E. M. Remington killed his mother at Hot Springs, Ark., and then took his own life.

HENRY H. WOLFE & CO., of Louisville, Ky., one of the largest clothing firms in the south, failed for $250,000.

THE wholesale clothing store of Shell, Rosenbaum & Steefel was burned at Rochester, N. Y., the loss being $100,000.

O. B. HACKENBERGER won the 25-mile bicycle race at Denver and beat the world's record, his time being 1:04:4-7, the old record being 1:05 4-5.

THE American Association for the Advancement of Science met at Springfield, Mass.

WILLIAM BUTCHER, a desperate negro, was taken from jail at Hickman, Ky., by a mob and his head was shot off and his body riddled with bullets.

A LOCOMOTIVE became unmanageable on the New York & Sea Beach railroad and ran into an excursion train near Bay Ridge, injuring sixty-eight persons, some probably fatally.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

OCTAVIUS COKE, secretary of state, died at Raleigh, N. C., aged 55 years.

DR. PATRICK F. QUIGLEY, one of the most learned and picturesque characters in modern Catholicism, who caused the formation of the American Protective association, died in Toledo, O.

MIDDLETON MCGHEE (colored), aged 112, died in Monroe county, Tenn., within 10 miles of where he was born.

MARSHALL MCDONALD, of West Virginia, who had been United States commissioner of fish and fisheries for the last seven years, died in Washington, aged 60 years.

MRS. MARY ANN BUSH died at Novi, Mich., aged 112 years and 2 months. She was the oldest mason's widow in the world.

MAJ. RICHARD SYLVESTER, the oldest and one of the best-known journalists in Washington, died suddenly.

GEN. ELY SAMUEL PARKER, the famous full-blooded Indian who was Grant's private secretary during the war and later commissioner of Indian affairs, died suddenly at Fairfield, Conn.

EX-UNITED STATES SENATOR J. S. LEWIS died at his home near Harrisonburg, Va., in the 77th year of his age.

CHARLES ANDERSON, governor of Ohio in 1865 and a war veteran, died at Kuttawa, Ky.

THE populist state committee of Indiana met at Indianapolis and decided that in the campaign next year the party should make its fight on free silver.

THE people's party of New Jersey in convention at Trenton nominated William B. Ellis, of Trenton, for governor. The platform favors female suffrage, advocates the state conducting the saloons, and demands the election of the president and vice president and United States senators by popular vote.

FOREIGN.

GERMANY'S torpedo boat No. 14 capsized in the North sea and thirteen persons were drowned.

HALF the town of Yukhnoff, Russia, containing 4,000 inhabitants, was destroyed by fire.

MONDAY, September 9, has been officially fixed upon as the date for opening the Canadian Sault Ste. Marie canal.

IT was announced that the rebel general Gomez attacked the city of Puerto Principe, Cuba, burning one entire ward.

SOME 10,000 Kurds attacked the Armenian town of Kemakh and several villages and plundered the churches and monasteries and burned the houses.

LIGHTNING struck a house near Croix, Mexico, killing five persons and seriously injuring four others.

CHOLERA was said to be raging at Honolulu, brought there by the steamer Belgic on her last trip from Hong Kong to San Francisco.

WILLIAM G. BURCHARD, for several years United States consul accredited to the Atlantic coast ports of Honduras, died at Reaton.

IN a fight between the forces of the Congo state and the Mahdists in the district of Adda Lieut. Cassart and nineteen men were killed.

THE Peruvian congress opened at Lima.

RIOTERS at Hok Chiang, China, attacked the Christians, wounded four and destroyed houses.

KING ALEXANDER of Servia nearly lost his life while bathing in the Bay of Biscay.

THE twenty-fifth anniversary of the battle of Sedan, the final engagement of the Franco-Prussian war, was celebrated at Berlin.

J. C. PATTERSON, a member of the dominion cabinet, was appointed governor of Manitoba in the face of determined opposition of the people of Manitoba.

A STORM in northeastern Mexico caused loss of property running up into the millions. The Mexican National and Monterey and Gulf railways were the heaviest losers.

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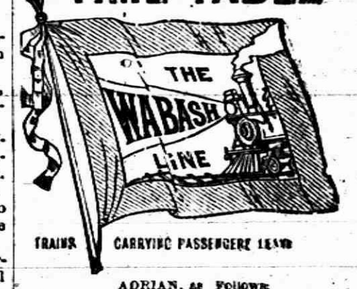

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Clinton	6 58 "	1 01 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	1 11 "	3 18 "
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Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 30 "	7 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 "	9 05 "	7 30 "
Clinton	12 28 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 17 "	9 22 "
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.....	11 50	6 35	L. Allegan A	3 10	8 15
.....	12 2	7 00	Monteith	2 58	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 46	7 14
.....	1 59	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 17
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 08	6 20
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 31	Hanover	10 36	5 08
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 30
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 21	4 30
11 13	5 23	10 18	Onsted	9 00	4 28
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	8 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	8 25	4 13
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	8 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	8 00	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 18	Britton	7 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	7 42	3 39
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	7 32	3 30
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A MENTAL WRECK.

Jealous Wife—I wish to consult you confidentially concerning my husband. He seems to be completely infatuated with me, but—

Divorce Lawyer interrupting—That is sufficient for a divorce, madam; he is suffering from hallucinations.—Leslie's Weekly.

THE TOAST OF THE DAY.

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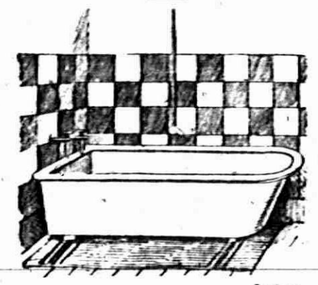

—Judge.

SHE TURNED HIM DOWN.

Mortimer McMullen—Say, Libby, I heard 'at you said you t'ought I were a slob.

Libby McLaughlin—I never said I t'ought you was no slob. I said I *knowed* 'at you was a slob. See?

Mortimer—Ah! yer kin spurn me love, Libby McLaughlin, but what would yer say if I was to tell yer 'at I been left a fortune an' got money ter burn.

Libby—I'd say yer not only a slob but er liar, an' a mighty poor liar, too. So go chase yerself.—Truth.

'I see that John's speakin' on the financial question.' 'Oh, yes!' 'What's the old man doing?' 'Furnishin' the finances.'—Exchange.

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Herbert had long loved Miss Ashton, literally from afar, she being sublimely long and he more than common squat. However this defect he shared with Cupid himself, who is always represented as diminutive and podgy, and Mary, I really think, was not averse to my brother's suit, for she frequently dropped smiles on the top of his tall hat, much to its wearer's content. She also said she would not hear a word said against him. This was generally when there was nothing more to say. Even a bishop could find something funny to say of a short man. Nevertheless Herbert was happy under the smiles of his beloved.

But, alas! there came a day when the smiles were directed elsewhere, and Herbert found that Mary could never be more than a sister to him. It was astonishing to hear him recite this declaration of hers as a choice specimen of feminine feeling and originality. Young as I was, I knew that remark, having taken to myself several such voluntary relations whose existence I had immediately forgotten. But Herbert derived gloomy consolation from this promise of sisterly affection and even quoted the length of his nether garments as ample justification for Mary's decision. He was certainly petite, and magnanimity was strong within him.

The wrecker of my brother's hopes was none other than Eric Frodsham, whom you may recognize as the author of certain chaotic pieces of literary composition. We had known Frodsham as a distant acquaintance for some time and had watched the tortuous trouble of his literary career. In the beginning, when the world was young, Frodsham wrote plain, clear novels, which were a lasting joy to his stationer, to whom the selling of paper was a high mission in life. These works, for the most part, blushed unseen on Frodsham's table till their author succeeded them with a weary work, the title of which, "A Secret Vow," was the only intelligible part of the volume. Probably for this reason the book was an instantaneous success and Frodsham was a celebrity. He was interviewed, and we all recognized in his conversation the good things we had said to him in times past. Mary then fell in love with him and joined our family as a sister to Herbert. We appreciated her kindness.

My brother at this time was eminently depressing as a companion, and gloom was imprisoned in the corrugations of his brow.

One day he came to me in a state of virtuous wrath, waving a daily paper round his head. He was speechless with indignation, so I relieved him of his journal and discovered the cause of his excitement. Some clever person had read "A Secret Vow" and in a letter to The Herald had pointed out that that work was an unblushing plagiarism of an unknown novel, published anonymously some years previously under the title of "On His Oath." Frodsham had evidently been guilty of literary theft.

"The scoundrel," said my brother at length. "He's stolen somebody else's brains and my love. He's nothing more than a thief. I'll expose him to Mary."

"Where is Frodsham?" I asked.

"On his way to New York. But I can't let that high minded girl remain fettered to such a villain, can I? I'll tell her at once, in case she hasn't heard the news."

"Better not," I remarked. "If she loves Frodsham, she won't thank you. Let things take their course."

But Herbert didn't. He told Miss Ashton there and then, and that young lady listened to the tale. She expressed herself as being greatly shaken and unable to decide what to do. She also wondered about the deceit of man, which impressed Herbert. Finally she told my brother he might call and see her, and he returned to me beaming. Incidentally he referred to Frodsham as a "poor devil." Herbert was magnanimity itself.

Mary smiled sweetly but sadly, as an angel whose wing had been broken by a brick. Her grief was picturesque, and people pitied her. Herbert especially, who lured her to take an interest in the world by going to theaters with him. I had forgotten to mention that my brother was well to do, though short.

For a broken hearted girl Mary was fairly jolly, and I commented upon the fact. Herbert explained that he was taking her out of herself. This meant taking her into places of amusement.

One fatal day—fatal to my brother's love story in its second and enlarged edition—I bought The Herald to read the daily installment of indignant correspondence on the subject of the now famous plagiarism. And this is what I read:

"Sir, I have on my return to New York just received various copies of your widely read journal, which have been awaiting me. I am much astonished to become acquainted for the first time with the storm which has blown up in my absence apropos of my work, 'A Secret Vow.' Permit me to make a tardy apology to the public through the medium of your extensively circulated columns by stating that in elaborating the story 'On His Oath,' which appeared some years ago, into my successful book I should have acknowledged my indebtedness to the former novel and have avowed myself, as I do now, your obedient servant, its author, Eric Frodsham."

Poor Herbert! He is still single.—London Sun.

Horrors of Modern War.

As the principal squadron circled around us, the range varied from 2,800 meters (nearly two miles) to perhaps 1,000, at times even less. At about 3 o'clock the Matsushima closed upon the Chen Yuen to about 1,700 meters, and we fired at her, from one of our 12.9 inch guns, a steel shell of five calibers (5 by 12.2 inches) length, having a bursting charge of nearly 90 pounds of powder. The Japanese flagship was struck by this missile, and as a burst of flame arose from her, followed by a great cloud of white smoke, hiding her entirely from view, our gun's crew yelled their satisfaction.

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No. 1 Hard	68½ @	69
CORN—No. 2	52½ @	52⅝
September	41⅛ @	42
OATS—No. 2	24¼ @	24⅛
September	23½ @	24
RYE	70 @	70¼
PORK—Mess, New	12 00 @	14 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 27½ @	6 30
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	18 @	20
Western Dairy	9½ @	13
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40 @	5 65
Stockers and Feeders	2 40 @	4 10
Cows	1 35 @	3 60
Texas Steers	2 25 @	3 80
HOGS—Light	3 90 @	4 45
Rough Packing	3 85 @	4 05
SHEEP	1 50 @	3 40
BUTTER—Creamery	9 @	20
Dairy	5½ @	17
Packing Stock	6 @	8½
EGGS—Fresh	13 @	13½
BROOM CORN (per ton)	40 00 @	90 00
POTATOES (per bu)	22 @	37
PORK—Mess	$ 87½ @	$ 9 00
LARD—Steam	5 67½ @	5 95
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75 @	4 25
Spring Straights	3 50 @	3 25
Winter Patents	3 90 @	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00 @	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, September	60 @	61⅜
Corn, No. 2	35½ @	37½
Oats, No. 2	18½ @	18⅞
Rye, No. 2	40 @	40¼
Barley, No. 2	35 @	40
MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	61½ @	61⅝
Corn, No. 3	36 @	36¼
Oats, No. 2 White	22½ @	22⅝
Rye, No. 1	42 @	42¼
Barley	41 @	41¼
PORK—Mess	$ 95 @	$ 9 00
LARD	$ 80 @	$ 85
ST. LOUIS		
CATTLE—Export Steers	$3 30 @	$ 5 65
Stockers and Feeders	2 00 @	3 75
HOGS	3 45 @	4 30
SHEEP	2 90 @	3 90
OMAHA		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 10 @	$ 3 75
Feeders	2 80 @	3 70
HOGS—Light and Mixed	4 10 @	4 35
Heavy	4 20 @	4 40
SHEEP	2 80 @	3 70

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THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

Should the Senate be Abolished or Reformed? A Serious Question.

BY JOS. W. HOWELL.

Last November I was present at a gathering of farmers and tradesmen. The U. S. Senate was the subject of their conversation, and the consensus of opinion was against it. A man of good sense and sound judgment remarked: "A Senate may be needed, but I believe, just the same, that if the question were submitted to popular vote today, the Senate would be abolished." This sentiment is held by many men, who are among the most conservative that we have. The opinion is all the more significant on this account. Distrust of the Senate is growing. During 1893 and '94 the magazine indexes show an immense amount of discussion relative to the matter; the daily press has joined in the attack, and the voters are not silent. Why this outcry? Today the Senate is on trial. As it now is, popular government is actually imperilled. We cannot deny that the American people urgently demand reform. But, in what way shall it come? Two methods are presented. One is that the Senate shall be elected by popular vote; the other, that the Senate be unconditionally abolished and implicit confidence be placed in the people. Popular election would prove ineffective, because we would still have a Senate and its effect and influence on all law would remain unchanged and the majority of arguments against it would still hold good.

Our present form of government is the English system, modified by the experiences and environments of the Colonial period. Thus, in England, we find the Commons and the Lords; in the Colonies, the Assembly and the Council; and in the United States, the House of Representatives and the Senate. "Through all the ages one increasing purpose runs." In matters of State, this is true of Popular Government. The past gave us the idea of a Senate, but not the form. At the close of the Revolution there were thirteen independent nations. Expediency ruled them, as well as now, and their extreme jealousy could be satisfied only by equal representation in the Senate.

Our forefathers instituted this provision with thirteen states in mind, not forty-four; four millions of people, not sixty-five; and one staple industry instead of many. Can the child's shoe be expected to fit the man?

It is argued that the Senate prevents hasty leislation. This is more than true. Better say, "The Senate delays needed legislation." (And this delay is usually due to a half dozen obstructionists.) The argument is founded on lack of confidence in the people. It is a slap in the face. I hold that there is no other force in the Government so conservative as the great mass of common people. They represent an infinite variety of opinion, and that issue which unites a majority of them, strikes its roots deep into the soil of reform, where flow the springs of justice and righteousness. In the history of the world, where did reform spring from an Upper House?

Did the French people throw off the shackles of feudalism too soon? Was America too hasty in breaking the British bands? Were the English people unreasonable in their struggle for power in the Commons? Away with this insult to the people! Popular government, full and free, is the hope of the world!

Look now at the Senate. What becomes of the popular will in that body? It is composed of three classes of men: first, good men; second, professional politicians; third, men of extreme wealth. I call special attention to the good men. Justice demands that some one acknowledge their existence. Now, the people express their wish in regard to a bill, and the House speaks for them. The measure comes to the Senate. Here party strength differs by less than six votes. All that work back in the campaign and afterward in the House simmers down to this: What will these six men do? They are not apt to be good men because they are quietly accepting the will of the people. Not so with the rich men; not so with the professional politicians. They scheme and they pull wires; they roll logs till the bill is amended into a form where the rich man's investments are safe and the politician's fences are secure; then the measure stands forth in all the dignity and all the commanding presence of the sovereign will of the American people, a spectacle for gods and men! And hasty legislation is prevented.

It is argued that the Senate prevents unwise legislation. Were all our wisdom in the Senate this might be true, but be sure you are right before you deride the wisdom of Gov. McKinley and Prof. Wilson, backed by a majority of the whole people.

The Senate has done no more in the last thirty years than to offer mere substitutes for the will of the House, and these substitutes are often inferior in nature. Since 1860, the Senate has twice shown itself far less conservative than the House in regard to the money question.

Another argument in favor of the Senate is that it represents the sober, second thought of the people; their second will or testament, as it were. Now, one-third of the Senate is elected every two years. Four years ago Section 1 was chosen. They represent the will of the people of that time; if democrats then, they are democrats now; if republicans then, they are republicans now. They remain so, even if the Legislature changes. In fact, these men stand for the first thought of the people. Two years ago Section II. of the Senate was chosen. If they represent anything, they stand for the second thought of the people. This year Section III. was elected. They represent our last and most enlightened will and testament. Here is a two-third majority of the Senate elected on back issues! Fellow congressmen, search the spectral visages of these grave antiquities and read there, if you can, the expression of the last, the ripest, the maturest opinion of the people. Why not look for it where reason points, in each newly elected House of Representatives? Gladstone and Roseberry do not fear the Commons; and yet our House represents a constituency superior to theirs. Let us be loyal.

It is argued that the Senate secures representation by territory, thus enabling sparsely settled districts to stand on an equal footing with more populous localities.

This looks well, but it does not work well. The western states are very large and the eastern states are very small. These groups stand for interests far from identical. But the theory of representation by states claims to even the whole matter. Consider this: The North Atlantic, the Middle Atlantic and the South Atlantic states command 34 senatorial votes. Add to this six northern states possessing interests most nearly identical with the Atlantic states. This gives 12 more votes, making 46 in all; that is, a majority of the Senate. Yet these 46 votes stand mainly for the narrow strip of land north of the Ohio and east of the Appalachian mountains. Notwithstanding this, they exert more power than that vast strip of territory south of the Ohio and west of the Mississippi. In its practical working out, the Senate utterly defeats the idea of fair representation by states. This system would secure the desired result only when all states were exactly equal in area. This will never be. On the other hand, if we have but one House, increasing population would equalize the power of the old and the new sections. No; the argument is worthless now.

The senate is open to this grave charge: It violates that wise principle of government which demands utter separation of the three departments of government; a principle unrecognized by despots, but at the very foundation of Republican security. First, the Senate is a legislative body. It can modify and defeat the will of the House, and that means the will of the people. It can do this, even though it is totally unfitted to do so. Second, it encroaches upon the Executive and shares in treaty making and political appointments.

In recent years we have an instance of two New York senators resigning because of a quarrel with the president over an official appointment. This power gives them patronage. They use it for their own good, and selfish, unwise legislators are the result, followed by poor laws and hard times. This appointing power corrupts both senators and the law. Lastly, the Senate acts as a court, and so invades the judicial department. It tries the president when impeached by the House. But it is never constituted as a judicial body. Its personality ought to equal that of the Supreme Court. Instead, we have the before mentioned good men, the professional politicians and the rich men. O, what a court! Besides they are open to the basest temptation, and that is to let their decision depend upon partisan interest and party capital. These judges are elected because they are such thorough partisans.

Thus the Senate partakes of all three departments of government, even though there is strong reason to believe it is unfitted and unnecessary for legislation, that its executive power makes it a menace, and that its judicial power condemns it.

My last argument is that the Senate renders popular government almost a farce. If aught is sacred, it is human rights. We must maintain equal rights, man for man, else we cannot hope to retain the loyalty and devotion of all men. The census of 1890 shows this: Nevada, 45,000 people; New York, 5,997,853. In the Senate the states are equal. That is to say, one man in Nevada equals 131 in New York. What argument can make this injustice seem just? Idaho has 84,385 inhabitants; yet, improbable as it may seem, they are equal in power to Pennsylvania's 5,258,014. Wyoming has 60,705, as an equivalent to Ohio's 3,672,316. With varying degrees of injustice, the same thing exists throughout the country. It is nothing more than a gigantic national gerrymander. The House cannot remedy the trouble in the least. It could pass a bill 70x7 times, and then this unequally, unjustly elected Senate could knock it all to pieces at its own sweet will. Think of an intelligent people hiring two agents, and then giving one power to annul the acts of the other!

Let us drop this suicidal policy and on national questions let the wish of the greatest number rule. No possible injury can result to the states. The constitution carefully provides for that. Every power given to Congress is general and is wisely bestowed. On the other hand, paragraph after paragraph guarantees to the states their individual rights. It even goes so far as to say that the enumeration of certain rights shall not be so construed as to deny others not expressly named. In fact, the problem of the Nation, as it grows older, is how to nationalize, not how to disintegrate. On all questions affecting the whole people let us vote as a unit. Drop the Senate. Drop the Electoral College. Let us do Government business in a simple, direct way, or else call on our neighbors to show us how. Not from vain disrespect to our constitution do I implore you. Our true constitution is the unseen spirit that pervades the written page. "The unseen is more real than the seen." We reverence no man, put the soul within; so let it be with our constitution. It stands for the good of the many; it stands for self-government and "triumphant democracy." Let us interpret it in the name of the people, then it shall stand forever "a tower of strength, four square to every wind that blows." We rest our case on these points, which we believe have been fairly proven:

1. The Senate has survived its usefulness and is no longer adapted to our large population, varying interests and unequal division into states.

2. It delays needed legislation and prevents action till each bill is modified to suit personal interests. For example, the late Gorman-Brice Amendment to the Wilson Bill.

3. Its small membership and its manner of election render it the natural partisan of class interests.

4. Owing to the fact that two-thirds of its members were elected on past issues, the last and ripest decision of the people is time and time again defeated.

5. It defeats equal representation by territory, owing to the inequality of the states in size, which gave a majority of small states full power in the Senate, even though they represent barely more than one-tenth of the area of the whole country. And further, it prevents any hope of remedy through increase of population.

6. By exercising the functions of the three departments of government it violates that principle which demands their utter separation.

7. Its presence justifies the existence of 44 smaller Senates.

8. On national questions it renders equal rights impossible and practically disfranchises millions on account of their geographical location.

9. It must, therefore, give us laws which do not express the wish of the majority of the people and which must breed dissatisfaction with the government and contempt for all law.

10. It has lost its hold upon the great mass of people and is therefore weakening their faith in the government.

Fellow citizens, with these ten reasons fairly stated I leave the issue in your hands. Deal with it as with a sacred trust answerable to the American people. It rests with you to inaugurate the greatest advance in the constitutional growth of the 19th Century.

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BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS.

A Well Developed Case Discovered Near Tecumseh.

The subject of tuberculosis in cattle has become one of great interest and concern, not only to owner and breeders of the bos domesticus, but to those of the human family who look to this source for their chief supply of meat, milk and butter. Perhaps one of the latest and best known instances of the ravages of this disease was the case of O. S. Shipman's herd in Detroit. This herd, whose whole dairy product was consumed in Detroit, and which was a very valuable one, was suspected of disease and a complaint was made to that effect. Upon examination, 28 out of 47 were found to be tuberculous and were destroyed.

The case in question, in this vicinity, was developed in a milch cow belonging to James Bloomer, who lives on Henry Keyser's farm, 2 1-2 miles north-west of town. Mr. Bloomer purchased the cow of Aaron Waldron about April 1st. Soon after the animal seemed to be gradually getting thin and apparently growing worse though fed abundantly and having the best of care. The cow was treated for some time for tonsilitis, but without improvement.

It seems that the progress of this dread disease is very similar in the bovine race to the symptoms so well known in the human family. The case came to the notice of Dr. Shoebottom, who, being satisfied that tuberculosis existed, at once notified the state live stock sanitary commission. J. J. Woodman, of Paw Paw, Secretary of the commission came to investigate the report, arriving Monday noon in company with Dr. Gibson of Adrian. Upon examination, the official agreed with the diagnosis of Dr. Shoebottom. An autopsy was held completely verifying the diagnosis and revealing a well-marked and well advanced case of tuberculosis, nearly every organ of the animal being effected. Dr. Woodman complimented our young veterinary very highly, not only upon his diognosis, but upon his skillful assistance at the autopsy.

The importance of a prompt discovery and suppression of tuberculosis in cattle can hardly be over-estimated. The last report of the commission emphasizes this fact by placing this as the most insidious and dangerous disease to which our domestic animals are subject at the present time. No animal product is so universally utilized for human food as the milk of the cow, and it is a universally accepted fact that the facillus tuberculocus is found in the milk of all tuberculus cattle. The law also recognizes the importance of stamping out the disease in improving the officers of the commission to examine and even destroy any cattle which show symptoms of the tubercular infection.

The township board of health have been also notified and will take measures, if necessary, to hold the disease in check, until further action of the state live stock sanitary commission.

THE DUNDEE FAIR.

The Fifth Annual Fair of the Dundee Agricultural Association will be held Sept. 17-20, 1895. Below are the speed contests:

Wednesday, Sept. 18—Green, $60; 2:40 trot, $100; 3:00 pace, $100.

Thursday, Sept. 19—2-Year-Olds, best 2 in 3, $60; 2:25 trot, $200; Free-for-all pace, $200; Half mile running, $60.

Friday, Sept. 20—2:30 trot, $200; Free-for-all trot, $200; 1 mile running, $80.

Bicycle, 1 mile, 2 in 3, $100 in prizes. Entrance $1.

$50 to beat the trotting record of the track in any of the races.

Entrance fee 5 per cent of purse, and 5 per cent added from winner. Mile heats 3 in 5 to harness, and will be conducted under rules and regulations of the American Trotting Association, except as to distance.

Five to enter, three to start.

Any horse distancing the field or any part thereof will be entitled to first money only.

The society reserves the right to declare all races off, on account of bad weather or other unfavorable cause, in which event entrance money will be refunded.

All purses to be divided as follows: 50, 25, 15 and 10 per cent.

The Henry Bowen Farm for Sale.

The well known Henry Bowen farm in Franklin, is to be sold by the Administrator of the estate, Monday, Sept. 23, at the Court House in Adrian. The farm is 204 acres. Two 80's adjoining, and 44 acres opposite across the road. Rich soil, good land, fine celery grown on each 80. The farm is one of the best in the county. Elegant wheat and grass land. It is worth $75 per acre. It will be sold at auction, either as a whole or in parcels. It may not bring over $50. Do you want a good farm cheap? Keep watch of the sale.

Half Rates to Adrian Fair.

Account of the Lenawee County Fair, to be held at Adrian Sept. 23 to 27, the L. S. & M. S. R'y will sell excursion tickets to Adrian and return at one fare for the round trip, good going on date of sale and to return not later than Sept. 28. See agents. 2w

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., SEPT. 18, 1896.

Ed. Martin is on the sick list this week.

Frank Schmidt, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Chas. Tate is now officiating as janitor of the schools.

Mrs. E. P. Felton is reported on the sick list at present.

E. Williamson, of Tecumseh, was in Clinton Tuesday on business.

Robt. Bauer has rented S. W. Demuth's tenant house on church street.

Miss Kate Ebbitt returned to her home in Chicago last Saturday.

Dr. Rose, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Dr. Reeves over Sunday.

Chauncey Fuller had the misfortune to loose one of his cows last Saturday.

Philip Keusch is now holding down a position in Grand Rapids. Success to him.

Mrs. E. A. Clark suffered from a temporary indisposition the fore part of the week.

The ladies of the Baptist church held a very pleasant social at the church last Tuesday evening.

Miss Alice Perry left for Chicago yesterday where she will work at the dressmaker's trade.

Miss Jennie VanTuyle goes to Ypsilanti this week to take a course in Cleary's business college.

Miss Clyde Marsteller was suffering from a slight illness last week, but is now able to be out again.

Mrs. Martha Camburn and daughter Florence, of Macon, visited her daughter Mrs. Will Niblack, Tuesday.

A. G. Burton went to Detroit Saturday for the purpose of witnessing the matinee of the Old Homestead.

Miss Iva Crane, who has been the guest of Louise VanDeMark for some time, returned to her home in Chicago last Friday.

Miss Anna Eagan, who has been visiting at Martin Keusch's, left Friday for Grand Rapids where she will teach for the coming year.

The recently elected officers of the Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., will be installed at a special meeting called for Wednesday evening, Sept. 19th.

Lyman Thompson, who has been visiting here for about a month, returned to Grand Rapids, Monday, just in time to take in the State fair at the furniture city.

E. VanDeMark was the first man that had "sand" enough to put down a cement side-walk in front of his residence. Wish we had more citizens with Van's public spirit.

H. D. Niblack had the misfortune to step on a rusty nail Tuesday morning running the obnoxious bit of metal nearly through his foot. Though Ham is quite lame he does not fear blood-poisoning.

H. Wiltse & Son have moved their harness business into the V shaped room in rear of Lancaster's clothing store. These are very neat and nicely situated quarters for a business of this kind and the firm are as justly proud of the arrangements as any of the merchants who recently made like changes.

As Rev. Warner is taking a vacation in Canada and Rev. Ramsdell is attending the M. E. conference in Ann Arbor, there will be no preaching services in the Congregational or M. E. churches next Sabbath. Union service will be held by Rev. C. C. Marshall at the Baptist church, both morning and evening.

All lovers of good ball will go to Tecumseh to-morrow to witness the game between the Jackson A. C. and the Britton Giants. The game is of especial interest to Clinton people as it is arranged for by Clinton management. The clubs are two of the best amateur teams in the State and a warm game is looked for.

Milton Augustus and wife, of Ypsilanti, were in town Monday. On Friday, Sept. 6th, they suffered the loss of their little eight-months old daughter. The child was laid to rest in Macon, the funeral being at the Thomas home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus have the sympathy of many friends hereabouts.

The suit between the two plow companies over the title or trade name was decided and settled in the circuit court Monday. Judge Lane restrained the new company from assuming to be the successors of the Woodward & Greenleaf Co., but decided that the latter had acquired no proprietary right in the name of the Clinton Plow Co., and allowed the new concern to use that name.

F. D. Lancaster last week moved his stock of clothing and gents furnishings into the new block. He occupies the east store which is a commodious room 60 x26 on the inside, giving ample room for the display and handling of his stock. The store is also neat, clean and airy, and well lighted through broad plate glass by day, and by two arc lights at night. Altogether Mr. Lancaster has as fine a house for his business as any merchant in Lenawee.

The male hopefuls of our public schools celebrated "field day" last Saturday, and though the exercises might better perhaps be called "street" day, the juveniles, as well as their older sympathisers, enjoyed as great sport as any of our large institutions of learning on such occasions. The events consisted of bicycle races, foot-races, jumping, etc., divided into different classes. Every race was witnessed by a goodly crowd who thoroughly enjoyed the sport. We were unable to obtain reports of the various events. A similar day will be observed to-morrow, which will be open to a larger class of entries.

In Clinton, now-a-days, when one man moves out the place is not long left vacant. The Lancaster store on the north side was just exacty the place which was needed by The Freese Whittlesey Co. to accommodate their increasing business. The place is being thoroughly overhauled and refitted with shelving, etc., suitable for their goods. The west side will be occupied by their boot and shoe department, while the east will afford quarters for their stock of gents' furnishing goods. The room is connected with the old store by two large archways. A complete new plate glass will be put in which, together with the other repairs, will make this one of the finest and best stocked double stores in this action of country.

A CORRECTION.

EDITOR HERALD:—Our editor(?), so called, in his last issue gives the credit of the nice cement walk in front of E. VanDeMark's residence to another party. The party Editor(?) Blanchard credits with building the walk knows nothing about said walk only as he has seen it in passing by; has nothing to do with expense of said walk and could not tell, to save his life, the cost of said walk. We always supposed newspapers were published to give correct news and not mislead the reading public, but it seems this biased editor(?) of the Local ignores all precedents. From the many blunders we have noticed in his paper during the last two years, your correspondent is of the opinion that the editor(?) of the Clinton Local is about as fit for the position he occupies as a mephitis, stirred up, would be for a bouquet.

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Chickamauga Military Park.

For the dedication of this park tickets to Chattanooga and return will be sold by agents of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway September 16 to 19th, at one cent per mile each way for the round trip, good to return until Oct. 5, 1895. 2w

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To Carry on an Almost Helpless Fight. —At Last the Fight is Over.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Our representative called at 26 Battle Creek Avenue, the residence of S. I. Robbins, and in an interview with him brought out the following facts: Mr. Robbins tells of his wife's experience in a manner that carries conviction with his words. He says: "I am sorry my wife is not at home this P. M., but no one knows better than I how she has suffered during past years. For twenty years she has been afflicted with the various forms of kidney complaint and an enlargement of the liver. She was often confined to her bed for more than two weeks at a time suffering untold agony. She has doctored constantly, and I have paid out in doctors' bills for her alone as much as $900.00, and then her relief was only such that she would be able to be around for a spell. Some time ago she felt the symptoms of another attack coming on, such as a pain in through the kidneys and back. I hardly know what induced me to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, instead of sending for the family physician; however, I got some and she commenced their use. It was a surprise to us both to see their action; the attack was warded off, and she continued taking them with marked improvement each day of their use. She is better now than she has been in years, the pain in the back and others in the kidneys have entirely gone. Hardly a day goes by that we do not mention the great good Doan's Kidney Pills have done her. I was always opposed to patent medicines, but confess that my wife's experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has done much to change my opinions. If it were not for those pills she would not have been able to be out this afternoon.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Low Rates to Knoxville, Tenn.

September 13th to 16th, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Knoxville and return, account Battlefield Encampment, Sons of Veterans, at one cent per mile each way for the round trip, good to return until October 5, 1895. 2w

What use is there in eating when food does you no good—in fact, when it does you more harm than good, for such is the case if it is not digested. If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested, when an appetite will come, and with it a relish for food. The tired, languid feeling will give place to vigor and energy, then you will put flesh on your bones and become strong. The Shaker Digestive Cordial as made by the Mount Lebanon Shakers contains food already digested and is a digester of food as well. Its action is prompt and its effects permanent.

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Southern Excursions

Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Railway September 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19. Extremely low rates. Excursions include Louisville, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Apply to ticket agents for particulars. 2w

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Over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway September 16th to 19th. Very low rates. For desired information write A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, O., or apply to agents. 2w

Worms In Children,

symptoms of which are restlessness, and grinding of the teeth in sleep, bad breath, itching of the nose, pain in stomach, hardness and swelling of the abdomen and convulsions. A safe, sure and pleasant remedy for these complaints is Foley's Family Favorite Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & Temple. Sept.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c.), which always gives relief. Sept.

New York World—Thrice-a-Week.

The twice-a-week edition of the New York World has been converted into the Thrice-a-week. It furnishes 3 papers of 6 pages apiece, or eighteen pages every week, at the old price of one dollar a year. This gives 156 papers a year for one dollar and every paper has 6 pages eight columns wide or 48 columns in all. The Thrice-a-week World is not only much larger than any weekly or semi-weekly newspaper, but it furnishes the news with much greater frequency and promptness. In fact it combines all the crisp, fresh qualities of a daily with the attractive special features of a weekly. Club rates with the HERALD.

There is nothing to prevent anyone concocting a mixture and calling it "sarsaparilla," and there is nothing to prevent anyone spending good money testing the stuff: but prudent people, who wish to be sure of their remedy, take only Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and so get cured. 1w

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cicinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chatanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

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Do You Want Summer Boarders?

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway has in course of preparation for the season of 1896 a book of information for people desiring to learn of places at which to pass their summer vacation. This information is wanted both for hotels and boarding houses at summer resorts as well as for farm houses wishing summer boarders. Send your name and address to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for a blank to be filled out to cover the matter desired for the book. 4w

All those terrible, itching diseases of the skin that help to make life miserable for us are caused by external parasites. Doan's Ointment kills the parasite and cures the disease. Perfectly harmless. Never fails. 1w

'I'm so puzzled and worried I don't know what to do,' she said to her dearest girl friend. 'What's the matter?' 'Papa has insisted tha I must choose between a private yacht and the Baron Neaucash.'

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NEWS NOTES.

THE second of the five races for America's cup was won by the Valkyrie, the British yacht, by 47 seconds, over a triangular course 30 miles long, off the coast of New York.

MICHIGAN bankers in annual session at Detroit adopted resolutions against the free coinage of silver.

THE Spanish steamer Manila and the Norwegian steamer Xania collided near Borsselin and the Xania sank and six persons were drowned.

A CAR in which a number of negro employes of a sawmill in Holmes county, Fla., were asleep, was surrounded by masked men who shot two negroes dead and wounded several others.

THE insurgents burned the village of San Juan de Amaro, in the province of Santa Clara, Cuba.

STRIKERS at Negaunee, Mich., were becoming desperate and guards had to be kept along the railroads leading to Ishpeming to protect the passengers.

DR. A. W. HITT, of Chicago, says that there are over 500 cases of leprosy in the United States.

CHARLES ONGUN and William Gooding started from Lacon, Ill., to make a tour of the states on bicycles, to be gone three years.

THE South Carolina constitutional convention convened at Columbia.

HARRISON MILLARD, composer of "Viva L'America" and other patriotic songs, died in New York, aged 65 years.

IN a railway wreck near Evansville, Wis., F. P. Hollinshead and E. J. Sullivan were killed and several other persons were injured.

WILLIAM MURPHY, of Saginaw, Mich., one of the best known lumbermen of the northwest, died in Bangor, Me., aged 51 years.

THE Roman Catholic university in Washington decided to admit women as pupils in all the higher studies.

THE forty-ninth annual meeting of the National Council of United American Laborers commenced in Philadelphia.

THE Ohio republican state campaign opened at Springfield.

WILLIAM ROSE shot and mortally wounded Mrs. Philip Kuhn at Denver, Col., and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

JOHN BARILLO and Michael Sabo were asphyxiated while cleaning tanks at the Standard Oil company's plant at Whiting, Ind.

The Arena's Art Gallery.

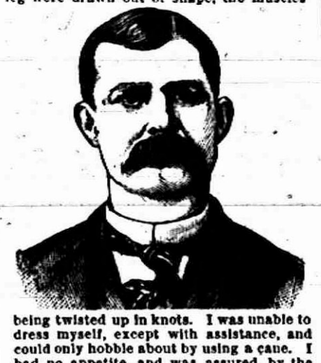
We call attention to the prospectus of the Arena, to be found in another column. In addition to being the leader among the high class magazines, it gives to each subscriber a copy of the "Arena Portrait Gallery," containing forty portraits of distinguished persons, which is worth as much as the magazine itself. There are fifty readers of the HERALD who could and should take advantage of this offer.

UNTOLD MISERY FROM RHEUMATISM

C. H. King, Water Valley, Miss., cured by

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

"For five years, I suffered untold misery from muscular rheumatism. I tried every known remedy, consulted the best physicians, visited Hot Springs, Ark., three times, spending $1000 there, besides doctors' bills; but could obtain only temporary relief. My flesh was wasted away so that I weighed only ninety-three pounds; my left arm and leg were drawn out of shape, the muscles



being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Mafgeson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John L. VanDoren and Burton A. Garlinghouse, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be empowered and licensed to mortgage the real estate in said petition described for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of September, 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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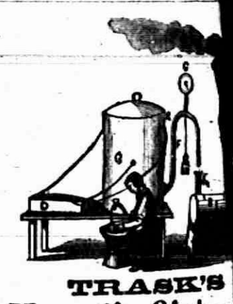

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BRITTON BUDGET.

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Wm. Brindle is able to be out

S. Rederus was in Tecumseh sday.

buildings are going up over in ward.

e Clark is much better at the writing.

golin made a business trip to last Monday.

Rinn is improving and will soon e shop again.

rted that Wm. Smith's little boy xpected to live.

Williamson, of Tecumseh, was last Wednesday.

Andress, our shoemaker, is suffer- h a sore arm at present.

Hardy has been kept hustling is return from the East.

Niblack, of Addison, is back at t again, in the clothing store.

you hear those squawkers that ought at Lee Bros.' Wednesday

and Mrs. A. O. Maynard and their ter, Mrs. Ward, left Saturday for Rapids.

y and John Leland, of Toledo, een spending a few days with Zeluff and family.

ese Zeluff, of Toledo, and Miss . of Adrian, were guests of Mr. s parents over Sunday.

Deerfield club played the Giants rn game of ball at this place yes- y. Full report next week.

Giants play the Jaxon Athletic at Tecumseh Saturday, Sept. 14. verybody go and see a good game.

and Mrs. P. B. Hardy returned Thursday from their trip to An- N. Y., and report a very pleas- me.

last excursion of the season will over the Mackinaw road next Sun- Sept. 15th. Special rates to Toledo return.

Osterout is sporting a black the result of stopping a batted ball the practice before the game, aturday.

nd Mrs. Will Hause left Wed- with their household goods for where they will take up their ent residence.

oys who were engaged in the ith the burglars escaped very but they have no desire to re- e experiment after all.

d Mrs. J. O. Shepard, of Ridge- t on the Wabash last Wednes- orning for their future home at May success go with them.

ular meeting of the Ladies' Chris id Society will be held at the h, Wednesday afternoon, the 18th. here be a good attendance as there be an election of officers. Supper ved from 4 till 6.

st dance of the season was held in by Hall Thursday evening under spices of the Base Ball Associa- There was a fine attendance con- g the torrid weather and those t had a fine time.

t Saturday the Atlantas of Ypsi- came over to play a return game l with the Giants. They came determined to win the game, but couldn't do it. The Giants didn't thing but touch up Kirkwood's ery for 20 safe hits, in the first nnings after which he gave place tranger. The boys feel pretty ver this record as the St. Pauls Western League only made 18 9 innings when they played the as last Thursday. Kelly for the struck out twelve men, which pretty good work as the Atlan- hard hitters, and this is the ame he has pitched this year.

THE BURGLARY.

was the scene of intense ex- the latter part of last week the burglary which occurred Thursday night. It was im- to obtain any correct informa- gard to the affair before going last week, as there were so sational rumors afloat. Since town has cooled off and we are led to print a brief but ac- tatement of all the facts con- ith the affair.

ursday night, about 1:30 o'clock, Gorham, car inspector on the , was on his way home for a e noticed two men acting in a us manner in front of the store d by L. J. Niblack. When he d he saw nothing of them and diately told Geo. Clark, the perator, and they began a search m at once, assisted by Will Lar- whom they had awakened at the They were not long in locating bbers in the Niblack store. Lar- nd Clark stood watch while Gor- ent for a lantern, but the robbers, they were caught, decided to get once, if possible, and started by g fire from the inside, one shot g Clark in the right shoulder and er just missing Larrabee. The en started to beat a retreat, as was the only one armed, he g his revolver at the robbers as n down the road. By this time crowd had gathered and a party in pursuit, but the robbers had h of a start and got away in the ss. Sheriff Wilson was notified me, with Under Sheriff Ferguson, as he could drive from Adrian. rrounding towns were notified country thoroughly searched in ection the thieves went, but no f them has been found.

first broke into the store of W. ock and helped themselves to obacco, etc., and tried to affect an e into the clothing store by pry- n the double doors between the ns, but found that the doors pealed a brick wall on the op- de. The only thing missed by lack was a coat and vest.

ark's wound is not dangerous, ew painful. He is doing with no complications, ee him about once

the holera infantum, and all those be to the little ones ren by Dr. Fowler's Ext. bowels. 1w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

R. S. Houseman is on the sick list.

Postmaster Santus is under the doctor's care.

John Orr, of Tecumseh, was in the village Tuesday.

Irving Barnes is laid up at home with a very sore foot.

Eldridge Lowe is under the doctor's care with typhoid fever.

Florence House, of Clinton, visited May Fletcher last week.

Farmers are busy cutting corn and sowing wheat and rye.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shepard left for Flint, Wednesday morning.

Rev. Yager, of Saline, called on friends the first of the week.

Lavern Allen and wife, of Toledo, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. E. Yager, of Saline, called on friends in the village Friday.

Thede Harris, wife and daughter Jennie May, called on friends Sunday.

Mary Osgood is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Gorton of Ypsilanti, this week.

Adam Stevens, of Ionia, visited his sister, John McClellan and family last week.

Lewis Waldron, wife and daughter Margaret, of Tecumseh, visited with their aunt, Mrs. Crisilda Arner, Sunday.

Eddie Winder who has been spending several week's with his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Larkin, returned to Clinton Saturday.

Rev. H. Cansfield preached his last sermon for the present conference year, Sunday night, and left for conference Tuesday.

School opened Monday with a good attendance, with Prof. John Howell, of Macon, and Miss Marvin of Azalia, as teachers.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their first evening meeting at the home of Mrs. Sarah Pocklington, on Friday evening of this week. A good attendance is desired.

Eugene Dibble, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dibble, after a little over a week's sickness with cholera infantum, died Tuesday about noon. The funeral services were held at the church Thursday afternoon, Rev. E. Yager, of Saline officiating. While death has entered the home and snatched a precious bud and left a vacant chair in the family circle, there is a blossom in Heaven that will never fade but will ever beckon to the bereaved parents to come where parting is no more. The grief stricken family have the sympathy of their neighbors and friends in this hour.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Otis Hoadley and wife were visitors in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Wildy's condition does not improve very much.

James Lane has a sick horse and Tom Hartman is caring for it.

J. L. Richard is repairing the road in the Holloway district.

Geo. Holloway and A. D. Macham are both filling their silos.

Mrs. Wm. Doty returned from her visit to Illinois Saturday eve.

Miss Abbie Ray is again among us teaching in the Kelley district.

The peach crop is a big crop in this country. The orchards hang full.

Rev. C. Page, of Kalamazoo, was a guest of Geo. McClinathen Monday.

Miss Eva Doty is quite sick and under the care of Dr. North of Tecumseh.

Did you observe the total eclipse on the moon, Sept. 3d. It was beautiful.

Dr. Nixon returned from his northern sojourn Saturday, looking hale and hearty.

Will Rothfus and Mr. Phillips were in town Tuesday, looking over grounds for a new store.

The C. E. hold a neck-tie social at the home of Wm. Calhoun, Sept. 12th. All are invited.

Mrs. W. C. Holt left for Montpelier, Ohio, to visit her parents, her father being very sick.

A beautiful four-horse tandem team with coachman, went through here last Tuesday with four ladies and gentlemen, bound for some popular resort, we should judge. They made a fine appearance.

MACON MUSIC.

Lewis Skinner commenced school at Ypsilanti Monday.

Sunday, Sept. 8, closed the second year of Mr. Ramsdell's work as pastor at Macon.

John Howell commenced his second year's work in the Ridgeway school last Monday.

A letter from Seattle, last week, told to Macon friends the sad news of the death of Mrs. Eliza Crittenden.

Mr. Fanning's tent service at Tecumseh Sunday night drew out a number of Macon young people.

Wedding bells of several varieties last week celebrated the marriage of Mr. Chalkeley Lincoln to Miss Isabel Sides.

The W. C. T. U. meeting at Mrs. Myra Camburn's Saturday afternoon, drew out a large attendance. It was decided to hold an entertainment during the holidays at the home of Mrs. Clara Gooding.

On Friday, Sept. 6th, occurred the death of little eight-month's old daughter of Milton and Della Augustus, at Ypsilanti. The funeral services were held at the home of Mr. Thomas at Macon, Sunday afternoon.

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Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store. 4

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is better.

The threshing is nearly finished here.

Jan Deming improves very slowly.

Mrs. Oliver Mull is not gaining very fast.

E. J. Whelan is kept very busy with his peaches; he has a fine crop.

Hoyt Whelan and Earl Allen drive daily to Tecumseh High School.

The Franklin Ochestra play at Allen's closing, Wamplers lake, Friday night.

Mrs. Stella Billington and two daughters, of near Athens, are visiting relatives here.

While drawing a tank of water up the Marshall hill, one of Tom Collins' horses fell dead.

Deputy Sheriff Stevens was in town Thursday and Saturday of last week, on official business.

The negro living in the house with Patrick Blair and known as Harry Payne, was arrested last week on a charge of assault and battery on his "supposed" wife; on investigation it was found that his name was not Payne and that he had never been married to the woman. Those who went to his examination Monday went to a wedding also, and the couple are now Mr. and Mrs. Hustler.

If there is one sneak thief who is worse than another sneak thief, it is the melon thief, and public sentiment instead of condoning the crime should sit down mighty hard on the criminals. Several melon patches have been raided in this vicinity; in some of them every melon was carried off, destroyed or plugged, in two of the cases there is an invalid who has been hungrily waiting for the first melon; in one case an old lady has worked with her own hands, for two consecutive years for the fruit which she has never tasted.

A Friend in Need is a Friend Indeed.

A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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The Washington Star expresses the reasonable hope that the new woman will buy her husband a new sealskin overcoat every winter.

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A Timely Reminder.

Each season forces upon our consideration its own peculiar perils to health. The advent of fall finds many reduced in strength and vigor, poorly prepared to continue the business of life. The stomach and bowels, the great highway of animal economy, is especially liable to disorder in the fall. The nervous system has also suffered in the struggle. Typhoid fever and malaria in particular find in the fall that combination of earth, air and water that mark this season as especially dangerous. The falling leaves, the decaying vegetables contribute their share of contamination. Hood's Sarsaparilla furnishes a most valuable safeguard at these important points, and should be used in the fall before serious sickness has laid you low. 1w

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DR. J. H. WATTS,

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 13, 1895.

MONROE PRESBYTERY.

The fall meeting of the Monroe Presbytery convened in the Presbyterian church here on Tuesday afternoon. This Presbytery consists of Branch, Hillsdale, Monroe and Lenawee counties and has two meetings yearly, vs, in the spring and fall. Though this was the fall meeting the weather experienced on that day was more suggestive of midsummer and in a tropical latitude at that. Nevertheless a fair representation of the clergy and lay presbyters throughout the district mentioned were present to take part in the deliberations. The meeting commenced Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Judge Victor H. Lane in the chair as moderator and Rev. Geo. Sheldon, of Quincy, as clerk. In the evening a public sermon was given by Rev. G. H. Smith, of Reading, which was profitably listened to by an audience largely composed of those outside the members. The sessions of the judicatory were continued Wednesday forenoon, the routine work and other business being transacted. The Presbytery was adjourned to October, when it will meet on the floor of the Synod to be held in Adrian at that time. The spring meeting will be held in Ransom on the second Tuesday in April, 1896.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETIES of the Monroe Presbytery followed Wednesday afternoon with their sixth annual conference. The noon train brought a goodly delegation to this meeting. The delegates and visiting members were the guests of the local society and partook of a substantial chicken pie dinner in the church parlor. Of course this was not as large a gathering as the C. E. convention held here this spring, as the conference is a meeting of a different character. However, the register showed that nearly every society in the four counties was represented, and some, as Adrian, Palmyra and Hillsdale had many members here. An interesting and instructive program had been prepared which was carried out very nearly as published.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. A. J. Gilbert, of Jonesville. Without giving the whole program mention might be made of the address by Miss Cora H. Bailey, of Hillsdale, and the open parliament conducted by Miss Alice Angell, of Adrian, also the missionary address by the state secretary of the C. E. Union, and the address on Christian Citizenship by Rev. L. B. Bissell, of Monroe. The principal features of the evening session were a very interesting talk on the Boston convention by B. E. Tobias, of Adrian, and the convention sermon by Rev. Geo. F. Sheldon, of Quincy.

A very interesting collection of curios, brought from the interior of China by "Mother" Lane, were on exhibition. Mrs. Lane also gave a very appropriate talk on her several year's experience in that country. Miss Alice Angell, of Adrian, was chosen president for the ensuing year.

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This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

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Falls of the Rhine, July 29, '95.

We were nearing Bingen when I closed my last letter. Bingen on the Rhine, of which song and poetry have told so much, was a bitter disappointment. The river, to be sure, makes a beautiful curve here but the town is a dirty, evil-smelling place with old, decayed buildings not even picturesquely antique. Everything is awry and the people all have relatives in America—at least every one we talked with or asked a question assured us of that fact first. I think myself that it is a good place to emigrate from. We left the town and the Rhine because the road makes an air line for Mayence. For a mile, we toiled up a hill at whose summit we gained a grand view of the Rhine valley. Such an expanse of country—beautiful scenery too—I never saw at one time. At least 20 villages and cities were in sight and all the rest unbroken farming land with the silvery Rhine threading its center. The wind was behind us and away we sped on this table-land to which we had climbed. All went well until we saw a tree loaded with black cherries and that caused an unavoidable delay. The obstruction having been partly removed we went on and soon coasted three miles into Mayence. Here our travel worn appearance excited much mirth or else the inhabitants are very pleasant and laughter loving. Every place of interest which we visited lost its attraction for others and we became the object of comment. The Cathedral and Citadel were interesting. The latter especially because it was founded in the year 9 B C. But what we saw was, on the whole, not of interest to you in far off America and I must hasten to tell our experience when we left Mayence.

As we passed through the first town, Hochsheim, we chatted happily and rejoiced that we were in a couple of hours to be at rest in Frankfurt where friends were to entertain us for several days. The very cobble stones which are always on the main streets of towns, seemed to jolt less than usual. We passed them and were just spurting along on good road when a huge officer in blue clothes, brass buttons, and a helmet, hailed us. This minion of the law was actually seven feet as he stood stern and stolid before us. "Sie haben kein nummer."—"You have no number," he said. "No, but why should we?" "Come with me," he said, and we came. I put on my American nerve and told him who we were and what doing and after giving him good proof, informed him that we could not talk much German. He went unyieldingly along, and reached the burgmeister's office and motioned us to enter. When inside, he motioned us to remove our hats, we did. He told our awful sin to his chief and this immobile stupid drew from his desk a monster book, began at the beginning and slowly turned the pages until he reached the 570th, and asked me if I could read. I said, "Yes" and proceeded to read my first lesson in German law. I finally discovered that sinfully and criminally, we had ridden bicycles through the town without numbers. Six marks was the fine and as I knew that I might as well remonstrate with a steam engine, I paid up at once. Alas, not all. He motioned us to wait, drew out a multitude of papers, wrote upon six for my case and six for Harry's, and kept five and gave us one. They were receipts and evidences of our depravity and shame. We had lost two hours, six marks and were informed that we must walk through all towns or get a number each time. One and one-half marks for each license. Crestfallen and weary we rode between towns and walked through until at last we reached Frankfurt. There we walked the whole length of the town and bitterly watched the smiles of the police. But our haven of rest repaid the toil we endured. Good German hospitality, the best cooking we had ever known and hearty sympathy made us optimistic again and we decided that the world was not all bad after all.

We saw the town and was delighted in its antiquity. There are reminders of the Romans and of Charlemagne, of Gutenberg and Goethe. The latter's birth-place is a very interesting old mansion. There is the old bridge at whose center is the cock, put there as legend has it, because the architect vowed to sacrifice the first living creature which passed over and the unfortunate rooster made the first trip. The Romer or town hall, is the scene of the choice of many an emperor of the Holy Roman Empire. Then, the original house of the Rothchilds in the Jewish quarter. We entered the old cathredal while the morning services were in progress. The odorous incense, the low, solemn chant, the reverent tiptoeing of the worshipers and the organ tones sounding thro' the vast nave and transept united with our knowledge of the awe-inspiring history of the church to impress us deeply. We remembered the crowning of the emperors there and imagination reproduced the ceremony for us. No one can go to Frankfurt without seeing the marvelous work of the sculptor Dannecker. "Ariadne and the Panther." One afternoon, we went to the Palm Garden, pride of the Frankfurter, and then were persuaded to drink apfelwein and eat pretzels. Apfelwein is simply cider, case hardened. We were dizzy after one glass and gave up in disgrace, for it is a weakness in Frankfurt not to drink apfelwein as freely as water.

We could not ride our wheels while in Frankfurt without a license and we found that to the East, a bicycle was a curse. In every small town, we must get a license or walk. Then, too, we must have a bell, a lantern, and a brake. Our plan was to ride to Dresden, Prague and Munich, and then through Switzerland, but these facts changed our plans and we resolved to ride south and get out of the land where to ride a wheel was a mark of Cain.

A German bicycle ready for use, is a a thing to marvel at. It looks like a coach and four. First the wheels are heavy, then loaded with a large lantern and a brake, a bulky cylometer, a huge bell, a steel mud guard for both front and rear wheels and a tin projecting with a number. Besides this, a German wheelman out of town, always has a large packet strapped to his back and goes along at the rate of a horse car. Needless to say that ladies don't ride in this land; at least we have not seen one since we entered Germany.

There are so many sharp stones in these otherwise really good roads that our tires are badly cut. My rear wheel has been patched on the outer tube until it looks like a buzzsaw as I ride. The patches are curiosities, rags, pieces of leather and fragments of old trees. But we shall still go marching on.

C. H. VANTYNE.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber September 2nd, 1895.

Regular session. Present, Trustees Smith, Boyd, Satterthwaite and Hall. Absent, President Smith; Clerk Ingersoll; Trustees Wright and Heesen.

Reading of the minutes of last meeting laid over until next meeting.

Trustee Boyd nominated president pro tem, Trustee Hall clerk.

Sexton's report for the month of August presented, showing six adult interments and one infant, three lots sold and $30.00 collected. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for month of August presented, showing team labor 22½ days; by fire team, 15 days; hired teams, 38 days 4½ hours, poll tax collected, $11.63. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported and referred to the finance committee: Labor: W. Fielder, $21.25; Casper Hartman, $7.50; A. Hyde, $15.00; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for August, $216.67; Cement walks: Baptist church, $17.51; L. I. Bidwell, $40.40; corner of Mrs. Young's walk, $2.24; C. E. Williamson, $13.49. Water works: C. J. & M. Ry., freight, $42.99; L. S. & M. S. Ry., freight, $4.06; H. W. Finch & Co., coal, $20.08; Thomson Meter Co., $16.90; Crane Co., supplies for well, $107.22; Detroit Lead Pipe Works, supplies, $37.22. Labor: S. P. Hosmer, $10.40; A. Park, $4.50.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Council then adjourned.

D. T. HALL, Clerk pro tem.

Notice of Infringement.

A bill has been filed in the circuit court of Barry Co. (Hastings Mich.) by Drs. Mixer against C. M. Tower who it is alleged has been infringing on the trade-mark of Mixers Cancer and scrofula Syrup. A temporary injunction has been allowed by Judge Clement Smith restraining C. M. Tower from further use of said trade mark.

Hastings, Mich. Aug. 23, 1895.

To the wholesale and retail druggists throughout the country. We desire to give you notice of an infringement on our trade mark for Mixers' Cancer and Scrofula Syrup put up by one C. M. Tower and under the name of "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." Hastings Mich. Said Tower having no right or authority to use our name, "Mixer." The wrapper of this bogus medicine bears Dr. Mixer's portrait and is very similar to our genuine wrapper, but in every case can be detected, for on the face and back of our wrappers (which contains bottle) is our signature, "Drs. Mixer" in a bold back handwriting, every bottle also has Mixer's Cancer and Scrofula Syrup" blown in three sides, the bogus medicine being put up in plain panel bottles.

We earnestly request all persons using our C. & S. S. to be particular that they buy genuine goods, for the bogus medicine is put up without regard to merit. Examine the bottle which you now have and if it is not lettered as stated, and the signature of Drs. Mixer" on both wrapper and label return the same to your druggist or agent and exact genuine C. & S. S. In all cases avoid any medicine or circulars put out by "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." or C. M. Tower. Any person coming in contact with bogus medicine as heretofore described will confer a great favor by communicating with Drs. Mixer, Hastings, Michigan.

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The undersigned persons and firms, doing business in Tecumseh, do hereby agree to close their respective places of business from 8 to 8:30 Friday evening, Sept. 13, 1895, on account of the benefit concert to be held in the opera house at that hour. Anderson & Co., C A Slayton, Kennedy & Rogers, Avery & Co., James Lowry, C E Williamson, Adamson Bros., Miss J A Hough, Fred Guy, David Macham, Karner Bros., E M Coller, J E Loomis, L D Dewey, Miss H Hanford, Harris & Hitchin, Baker & Hall, E Erskine, Tansley & Son, Globe Laundry, W H Spalding, J M Ingersoll, W C VanAntwerp, Jas S Gilman, F E. Sandeson, Alva Spade, J A Burtis, Orr & Temple, Satterthwaite Bros., McCann Bros., E. F. Kirchgessner, C A Wright, Anderson Bros., Mrs. M A Freeman, E L Temple, H W McClure, Mrs. T H Mosher, James Montague. The willingness of our merchants to thus recognize the merit of Mr. Fanning's work, and assist in its execution, speaks volumes for the regard in which he is held. Mr. Fanning has been clean and upright in his labors here and we predict a rousing house for him tonight.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thus express our sincerest thanks and appreciation of the kind assistance rendered in our late trouble by neighbors and friends. Also for the beautiful floral offerings bestowed in remembrance of our devoted one. MRS. JOHN SUTFIN AND FAMILY.

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FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN FREE GIFTS

To Subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition.

One thousand special gifts valued at $6,807.16 were distributed to subscribers to the Twice-a-Week edition of The St. Louis Republic, who sent in their subscriptions in July, and 1,000 special gifts valued at $5,607.20 were given to those who sent in their subscriptions in August. Another list of one thousand special gifts, valued at $5,112.20, is offered to subscribers who send in their orders during September. In addition a valuable engraving is to be given to every subscriber during this distribution, totaling the total value of the gifts over $15,000. The list of gifts for subscribers in September is given below. The first 700 and the last 300 subscribers during September who send correct answers to the question:

Where does the word "Paper" first occur in the Bible?

will be awarded the following gifts in the order their answers and subscriptions are received:

FIRST 700 GIFTS:

1st Correct Answer—Scholarship at Metropolitan College of Music, New York City, (the leading Musical College of America).....$672.00
2—One year scholarship Clara Conway Institute, Memphis, Tenn.....200.00
3—Scholarship Barnes' Shorthand School, Arthur J. Barnes, Prest., St. Louis.....150.00
4—Life Scholarship Watson's Business College (successors to Leddins Business College), Memphis, Tenn., W. T. Watson, Prin.....150.00
5—One year scholarship Central Female College, Archibald A. Jones, Prest., Lexington, Mo.....115.00
6—One year scholarship complete business course (actual business practice and practical bookkeeping, with banking), Jones' Commercial College, J. G. Bohmer, Prin., St. Louis.....100.00
7—Scholarship, Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.....100.00
8—Complete course New York College of Business.....100.00
9—Course of Shorthand and Typewriting, Jones' Commercial College, St. Louis.....100.00
10—Scholarship Christian Brothers' College, Memphis.....100.00
11—Scholarship K. C. (Mo.) Bus. University.....100.00
12—Scholarship French or German.....70.00
13—Walter A. Wood Cyclone Mower.....65.00
14-15—One year scholarship Springfield, Normal School, Springfield, Mo., $60 each.....120.00
16—Springfield Farm Wagon.....60.00
17—New Home Sewing Machine.....60.00
18-19—Round Trip Colorado Springs via Missouri Pacific, $54.20 each..108.40
20—One year scholarship (literary department) Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President.....$200.00
2—Scholarship (same as No. 4 1st 700).....150.00
3—Course at Memphis Keeley Institute.....134.00
4—Scholarship (same as No. 5 1st 700).....115.00
5—Scholarship (same as No. 9 1st 700).....100.00
6—Scholarship (same as No. 11 1st 700).....100.00
7—Scholarship French or German.....70.00
8—Scholarship (same as No. 14 1st 700).....60.00
9—Ticket to Colorado Springs and return.....$54.20
10—Ticket to Denver and Return.....49.00
11—Round trip to Atlanta Exposition.....$7.20
12—Gold-filled Hunting Case Watch.....25.00
13—Steamboat trip.....13.00
14-15—Home Course Shorthand, $10 each.....20.00
16—Pair Fine Opera Glasses.....8.00
17-18—Graphic Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $7.50 each.....15.00
19-20—Fine Ladies' Mackintosh, $7 each.....
21—Solid Gold Ring, 14 karat.....
22—Remington 32-caliber Rifle.....
23-97—Sub. North Am. Review, $5 ea.
24—Gold Watch Charm.....
25-26—Genuine Oxford Teachers' Bible, $5 each.....
27—Geo.-Political Map U. S., $5 ea.
28—Set Rogers' Table Spoons.....
29-44—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $3 each
45—One Gold Coin.....
46-75—Gold-filled Thimble, $2 each.....
76-78—Fine Umbrella, $3 each.....
79-81—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of the World, $1.25 each.....
82-93—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....
94-104—Celebrated R. & G. Corset, $1 each.....
105-204—Ticket St. Louis Fair, $1 ea.
205-254—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....
255-295—Pkg. Old Coon Tobacco, $1 ea
296-300—One Silver Dollar each.....
Total.....

LAST 300 GIFTS:

Many answers will come in late from subscribers who reside in remote parts of the United States, and in order that these may also receive handsome gifts we will give the last 300 subscribers sending correct answers (envelope to bear postmark not later than September 30, 1895, and reach Republic office not later than October 12, 1895), the following handsome and valuable gifts:

Last Correct Answer—One year scholarship Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President.....$200.00
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SUMMARY—Total value of 1,000 Special Gifts awarded for answers received prior to August 1st, $6,807.16; Total value of Special Gifts given during September, $5,607.20; Total value of Special Gifts to be given during September, $5,112.20; Engravings, National Capitol, etc., $1 each, $35,000. GRAND TOTAL, $52,076.56.

EVERY SUBSCRIBER SENDING AN ANSWER RECEIVES A GIFT.

Subscribers sending answers too late to secure one of the first 700 special gifts, but too early for the last 300 special gifts will each be presented during September with a HANDSOME ART ENGRAVING, consisting of the NATIONAL CAPITOL, surrounded by a handsome border, embellished with PORTRAITS OF EVERY PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, printed on extra quality paper, size 11x34 inches, worth ONE DOLLAR. Each person desiring to contest for one of the special gifts listed above must send not later than September 30 an answer to the question printed above.

EVERY ANSWER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY ONE DOLLAR FOR ONE YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TWICE-A-WEEK REPUBLIC. All answers will be recorded the moment received. This contest will close September 30, 1895, as above stated, and the name and address of each subscriber securing one of the 1,000 special gifts will be published in the issue of October 12, 1895.

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he Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., SEPT 13, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

nefit concert this evening.

P. Tribou spent last Sunday in roit.

d Kirchgessner was a Detroit visitor first of the week.

ill Odion was an Adrian visitor nesday afternoon.

oy DeWolf, of Detroit, is spending present week at home.

riday evening services begin this k at St. Peter's church.

ev. J. P. Varner is attending con-ence at Ann Arbor this week.

J. H. M. Campbell took a trip to Na-leon last Sunday on his wheel.

Miss Clara O'Mealey, of Adrian, is iting Tecumseh friends this week.

Mrs. E. R. Crossman visited relatives Dundee a couple of days this week.

Lucius Lilley has been attending the te Bankers' convention held in De-t this week.

E. J. Hollister was in town a couple days last week looking after his interests.

Tiffany arrived home Wednes-from an extended absence in Illi-on business.

r. and Mrs. C. F. Coller are spend-a few days with their son, B. J. er, of Detroit.

rs. E. W. Gamble, of Union Mills, is the guest of her father, Alfred es, this week.

rs. J. L. O'Leary has placed the ALD under obligations for a basket icious grapes.

emember the Dundee Fair next k. There ought to be a large at-dance from this section.

special meeting of the Eastern lodge was held last night to install e newly elected officers.

Miss Anna Bailey, of Macon, is in uisville, Ky., this week, in company th friends from St. Johns.

Thirty-six foreign pupils have been rolled in the Tecumseh high school is term and still they come.

Harry Richter, Bert Lawrence, Cliff illis and Will Odion took a trip to oledo Sunday on their wheels.

A good delegation of Tecumseh peo-went to Manchester yesterday to the games and sports. There was a d crowd in attendance.

The new boiler is being placed in dition this week at the Electric Light nt. It is expected to be ready for within a week or ten days.

W. Stevens has received the ap-tment of truant officer. His duty, be to see that the compulsory ol law is properly enforced.

rs. G. W. Jackson went to Adrian rday to attend the funeral of her ew, little Paul Palmer, who met eath by an accident on Monday.

e three days of Tuesday, Wednes-and Thursday gave us another d spell, the thermometer being ve 90 degrees every day. Thursday ached 94 degrees.

nator David Turpie and daughter, s Ella, of Indianapolis, are guests Mrs. J. Phelps this week. The Sen-r is a brother of Mrs. Phelps and is a quent visitor at Tecumseh.

Rev. R. S. Pardington and wife, of ooklyn, N. Y., are spending a few s with Tecumseh friends. Mr. Pard-ton will occupy the M. E. church lpit next Sunday morning.

H. H. Osgood has cleaned up his lot Holloway where the store burned wn a few weeks ago. He is inclined to erect another building on the e and will probably decide to do so.

We took a trip through Macon yester-and took dinner at Thomas Mur-y's. We have found, from experience, t this is a good place to stop at about al time. Mr. Murphy's crops are od this year and he is prospering as ual.

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During a trip down east of Holloway e other day we arrived at John P. wab's about noon and concluded to try an hour or so. After an excellent ner and a good rest we went on our y rejoicing. Mr. Swab is well fixed ow, having a fine farm and good build-gs, and the latch string always hangs t at his hospitable home.

Benefit concert this evening.

Remember the ball game tomorrow.

Jackson Athletic Club vs. Britton Giants tomorrow.

Sergt. Muldevick, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh Monday.

J. W. Wightman and wife were Monroe passengers Monday.

Everybody will go to the benefit concert tonight and give Mr. Fanning a lift.

Turn out and fill the opera house tonight and give Fanning and Skinner a rousing benefit.

Miss Edith Gordon, of Holloway, and Miss Bessie Bangs spent Saturday and Sunday in Adrian.

Chas. Beebe and Arthur Kelly have secured positions in the large furniture factory in Adrian.

The Jackson and Adrian league teams are contesting for leading place at Adrian this week.

Commander H. W. Stevens is in line this week with the old vets at the Louisville National Encampment.

At the Friend's church next Sabbath regular services morning and evening at the regular hour, to which all are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Whittier are visiting their son Charles in Grand Rapids this week and incidentally taking in the state fair.

Dr. S. Byron Skeels was at the Lilley Wednesday, as per appointment. He is now treating a goodly number of patients in our town.

Will McDaniel is spending a short vacation with his mother in Brownville. He is running an engine on the Clover Leaf route in Indiana.

The reunion of Battery G, 1st Reg. Mich. Light Artillery, which was to have taken place here yesterday, has been postponed for one month.

H. D. Cutting is in attendance at the state fair at Grand Rapids this week. Mr. Cutting is acting as one of the judges in the bee and honey department.

Rev. W. R. Blachford commences Friday evening services for the winter from Friday of this week. Services at 7:15. Holy communion next Sunday at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden left last Friday for Grand Rapids for a visit with her sons, Levi and Marvin, in that city. Mr. Hayden followed this week. They return next week.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold their first mouthly tea meeting on Wednesday, September 18th. Business meeting at 4 o'clock, Supper served from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock by Mrs. Hause's committee. All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rowland have rented the old Spaulding green-house lately conducted by Mrs. Osgood. They propose to make the old place bloom as the rose and in due time will be prepared to furnish flowers, both cut and uncut, as the public wish.

The sixth reunion of the 7th Michigan Cavalry will be held in Masonic Temple, Saginaw East, Mich., on the 11th day of October, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., it being the 32d anniversary of the battle of Brandy Station. The headquarters of the regiment will be at the Bancroft House. Arrangements have been made with all railroads in this state to charge only one and one-third fare to Saginaw and return on the 10th, 11th and 12th of October.

Melvin W. Sisson, of Tecumseh, and Miss Elizabeth Colbath, of Canandaigua, this county, were united in marriage at Adrian last Thursday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Palmer, of Adrian at 29 Merrick, in the house which was already furnished for the reception of the bridal pair, and where they will commence at once the duties of housekeeping. The groom is a Tecumseh boy and his friends and relatives here wish the couple much happiness and joy.

Last Monday evening while Ed. Prichard and Robt. Elliott were speeding their trotters on the track, Robt's horse became unmanageable, throwing the driver off the cart. The horse finished the heat but Bob didn't want him to go home alone so attempted to stop him as he went out the gate. However this only resulted in Bob getting the worst of it and he still bears a few scratches to tell of his adventure. The horse finally brought up at home with little damage done.

The Good Citizenship tent was taken down last night after the meeting and placed on a car to be moved to Jackson today. This series of meetings have been well spoken of by all who were able to attend. The speaking, singing and art illustrations were all of high grade and deserving of the best of patronage. Mr. Fanning and his co-workers remain here to take part in the benefit meeting to be held in the Opera House tonight. A splendid program is arranged for the occasion, some of our best local musical talent assisting the quartette in a concert, which will be followed by a short humorous address by Mr. Fanning on "Ridiculous Things." This will be followed by a stereopticon exhibition of choice views from the large collection owned by Messrs. Fanning and Skinner. The stores and business places will all close at 8 o'clock to give all an opportunity to attend this benefit meeting. A small fee of ten cents will be charged at the door. These workers have done much good here and Tecumseh people should show their appreciation by crowding the Opera House tonight.

Benefit concert this evening.

Bert Baker was home over Sunday.

J. H. M. Campbell is no longer in the post office.

Mrs. J. D. Shull returns from her visit in Chicago to-day.

Miss Hattie Bates is visiting Jackson friends for a few days.

J. W. Wightman was at Britton Wednesday on legal business.

A car load of material has arrived for the new Lake Shore depot.

Mrs. Kittie VanDuser returned Tuesday from a short visit in Jackson.

Harry McClure went to Crawfordsville, Ind., Monday to resume his college duties there.

Claude VanTyne went to Ann Arbor Saturday to begin another year's work at the University.

Fred. Rosacrans took a trip on his wheel Sunday to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti and return. He covered 64 miles on the trip.

Chas. Crossman, who is now on the Detroit police force, has been enjoying a ten days' furlough at the old home in Tecumseh.

Mr. Smith Briggs, of Woodstock, and daughter, Mrs. Martin, of Cleveland, attended the Bell-Frazier wedding here Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas Beals and daughter are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Bert Higby, bride and groom, of Dundee. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Beals.

Rev. B. S. Hudson will preach especially to the children next Sabbath morning from the Baptist pulpit. The young people are all invited.

We have some nice stone abutments on each side of the river by the paper mill. It would be a good plan to lay something across so people could drive over.

Miss Georgia Rogers was given a very pleasant party last evening as a farewell to her many friends here, at the home of Miss Anna Cutting. Miss Rogers left this morning for her home in Venango, Pa.

Leo H. McConnell, who lives in Raisin beyond the brick yard, has been in a critical condition for several days. Yesterday Dr. Carstens, of Detroit, assisted by Dr. North performed an operation for appendicitis. The case is very serious and the outcome doubtful.

The Hudson Post says: "Tecumseh has a Wit and Wisdom Club. Their stock in trade is taken from the two papers; wit from the Herald, wisdom from the News." The question now is: Did the Post intend this item to be regarded facetiously or seriously?

L. I. Bidwell's promising 4 year old, Coral Queen, with Fred Teachout as driver, has been winning laurels lately. At Napoleon, Ohio, last week, she took first in the 2:29 trot. At the state fair, Wednesday, she also won first, a $300 purse, in three straight heats, getting a mark of 2:20 3-4. It was a 2:27 trot with eight starters.

Last Wednesday we took a trip through the town of Ridgeway and had the pleasure of enjoying C. F. Smith's hospitality during the noon hour. Mr. Smith is almost helpless with the rheumatism but he keeps about the house and likes to see his neighbors as well as ever. The boys are now running the farm and they have just finished a fine new barn on the place.

Visitors at Devil's lake were recently entertained by an exhibition given by Professor Talmadge on a water bicycle, which he pumped around the lake with almost the ease of a wheelman on a good road. The machine, which he constructed himself, is constructed of two canvass canoes, eight feet long, twenty-two inches wide and six inches deep, fastened togther at either end by strips, upon which is fixed a frame. Two wheels, which operate with pedals, and attached to which are eight paddles, form the motive power, the handle bar serving as a rudder. It's a great invention.

Everybody in Tecumseh is looking for a good ball game tomorrow and will be there to see it. At 3:30 the game will be called between the Jackson Athletic Club and the Britton Giants. Both of these clubs are well known in Tecumseh and the game will draw a good crowd. The following is a list of players with their positions:

JACKSON.		BRITTON.
Murphy	1b	Lewis
Smith	2b	Lee
McCleary	ss	Kelly
Cahill	3b	Palmer
Mix	lf	Larrabee
Harris	cf	Osterhout
Mack	rf	Dubois
A. Stinson	c	Lowe
Stinson / Kennedy	p	Biggs / Easlick

It seems that only too often in this world are our seasons of happiness and pleasure closely followed by the deepest sorrow and mourning. Mr. and Mrs. James Lowry had barely returned from a most enjoyable visit to their native land when they were asked to part with the life and joy of their little daughter Luella, who had accompanied them during the entire journey. She was called at the age of 5 years, 1 month and 5 days, being sick only thirty-six hours with membranous croup. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday, at 2 p. m., Rev. Brown, officiating. The sorrow brought to parents and the family by a loss of this kind can only be fully known to those who have shared a like misfortune. But, Luella, even at her age, was known and loved by many who join in extending the heart of sympathy to those bereft.

Mr. Everett Hayden, of New York, was the guest of Wm. Hayden's family the first of the week.

Last Tuesday was Tom Moffat's birthday and it was one of the hottest of the season. Though Tom was not a hundred years old he made a century run, being gone from the hotel 14 1-2 hours and in the saddle 8 hours and 3 minutes. This is the best time made here considering the heat.

People in these parts well know the methods employed by Adrian clubs and managers in playing ball, but in spite of all their experience with them, they were more than disgusted at the cowardly back down made by them in their game with Jackson yesterday. Bluff and kicking and hoodooing are bad enough, but one would think the members of the Adrian club would blush at this baby act, even if the managers, through fear of Jackson's superiority, would stoop to take such advantage.

Last Wednesday at high twelve occurred the marriage of Miss Agnes Eliza, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Frazier, to Mr. Allen Dugald Bell, of Ely, Minn. Mr. Bell is superintendent of the Chandler mine, situated at Ely, Minn., and operated by the Minnesota Iron Co. After a wedding lunch the bridal party took the afternoon train for Detroit. The best wishes of a host of friends will accompany the bride to her western home.

Abraham Lincoln's sentimental perplexities are to be shown in an article of singular interest which John Hilmer Speed has written from unpublished letters of Lincoln to Joshua Speed, for the next issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. The article will show that the great President was not steady in his affairs of the heart, that he floundered in his love, and finally induced his friend Speed to marry and tell him (Lincoln) whether marriage was a failure or not.

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—Shingles are away down at A. W. Slayton's Cut Rate Shingle Yard.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
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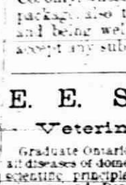

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MINERS PERISH.

Fire Breaks Out in a Copper Mine in Michigan.

Thirty-Five Men Entombed in the Burning Pit—All Avenues of Escape Cut Off, and They Are Doubtless Dead.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Sept. 9.—At 12:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon fire was discovered by timbermen in the thirty-seventh level of the Osceola copper mine. The timberman at once rushed to the shaft and when brought to the surface in the big bucket gave the alarm. Thirty-six miners were at work at the time, and up to the present but one person has been rescued, a pump boy, and he died shortly after reaching the open air. Among those known to have been imprisoned in the burning mine are the following:

The Doomed Men.

Capt. Richard Trembath, shift boss; Fred Reardon, Richard Bickel, Michael Johnson, Michael Schulte, Alexander Daniel, John Cuddihy, Moses Greenfield, William Bryant, Thomas Curtis, Robert Johns, Peter Palmreen, William Donald, Barney Elmer, Anton Seycsly, Peter Stangard, Frank Lauder, Walter Dahl, Joseph Lawter, Joseph Harrington, A. Winzia, Andrew Ross, Stephen Bythbere, Joseph Slutts, Isaac Harvey and two Austrian trammers, names unknown.

Twenty of the unfortunates are married and most of them have large families.

The blaze on the thirty-seventh level is 2,600 feet below the earth's surface. The underground workings are heavily timbered with pine, and as the fire spread it generated great quantities carbonic acid gas, which sank to the lower level, so that death from suffocation is as certain to all in the level below the thirty-seventh as to those above. Smoke is pouring in dense volumes from the mouth of every shaft in the mine, and escape through those openings is impossible.

An Incendiary's Work.

It is now positively known that the thirty-five men entombed cannot possibly escape, nor can their bodies be recovered until the fire is entirely extinguished, which may not be for months. It is the opinion of some of the oldest officials of the mine that the fire was the work of an incendiary. They say there could be no other explanation of the fire starting in that portion by any other means, as no oil, waste or rubbish is used or accumulates there, and the timber work is out of the reach of the lamps on the miners' hats.

Warnings Unheeded.

The saddest feature of the disaster is that all the doomed wretches might have escaped had they heeded warnings, as Capt. Edwards, who was the first to detect the existence of fire, dispatched messengers to every slope where the miners were known to be working, but as the mine is not heavily timbered, except in the shafts, the idea of serious danger was scouted. By going a roundabout way the last men who were in the lower level of No. 4 shaft might have escaped, but they preferred a shorter route of ascent, and when they got up to the eighteenth level found themselves cut off. Some passed into lateral drifts expecting to reach other shafts. Capt. White descended with Anton Secysk, who said he had left his father in a lower level, but Secysk lost his head, and finding him unmanageable Capt. White abandoned him to his fate and pushed toward the south workings of the mine and reached the surface in safety, the only one of the party in No. 4 shaft to escape. He reported that he had offered to carry one of the drift boys to the surface, but the boy was so frightened that he refused to move and was left to perish.

Pathetic Scenes.

Gathered about the shafts of the Osceola are the wives, mothers and children of the unfortunate men, anxiously awaiting further news from their loved ones. The scenes are very pathetic, but beyond the doubtful assurance that the men may have found the abandoned Hecla drift little comfort can be extended. Every effort is being put forth to rescue the unfortunate men, but hope is not high.

The Burning Mine.

The Osceola is, next to the Tamarack, the chief copper producer in the Clark Bigelow group. It has been in continuous operation since 1888 and paid average dividends of $100,000 annually. The deepest point of the mine is 2,700 feet.

CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 11.—Ten miners went down the southernmost shaft of the Osceola mine Monday morning. The men were especially selected among the fearless and experienced workmen, habited to breathing powder smoke and foul air. The party descended in the skip, or iron car, used in bringing up rock from the mine to the 24th level, and managed to press north on that level to within 250 feet of No. 4 shaft, next south of the burning one. At that point two of the party were overcome by the gas, and to save adding fresh victims to the already long list the relief expedition turned back. In No. 1 shaft at the other end of the mine a similar attempt was made by a carefully organized party similar to the first, but at the depth of only 280 feet down the shaft smoke was met in such volume that it was foolhardy to descend further and the miners quickly came to the surface. The experience of the rescuing parties are in Nos. 1 and 8, where the smoke would naturally be met with in the least quantities, renders it certain that the entire mine is now filled with it, and cuts off the last hope that the missing men may have been able to preserve their lives. Rescuing parties will be sent down as frequently as possible to test the condition. It will probably be several days before the mine will be clear of smoke, even if the fire has gone out, which is quite doubtful. Every shaft was late Monday afternoon ordered tightly closed up, to remain so for twenty-four hours.

Will Sell Bonds.

MENOMINEE, Sept. 6.—Menominee county has ordered the sale of $10,000 worth of 5 per cent. bonds, payable April 1.

INTERESTING FACTS.

Much of a Newsy Nature to Be Found in Paragraphs Below.

Senator McMillan has returned from his European tour.

Detroit is the proposed location for the biggest salt refinery in the world.

While insane Lawrence Malloy jumped into the canal at Sault Ste. Marie and was drowned.

Gov. Rich has appointed Charles A. Blair prosecuting attorney of Jackson county to succeed his brother, George H. Blair, resigned. Both men are sons of the late ex-Gov. Blair.

Bishop Turner presided at the Michigan conference of the A. M. E. church recently held in Detroit.

John W. Wagner, of Grand Rapids, fell under a train near Hot Springs, Ark., and died of the injuries received within three hours.

Joseph Nowicki, 16 years of age, a tinner's helper, fell 40 feet from a roof in Detroit. His injuries caused his death.

Odd fellows of Cass and Berrien counties indulged in a picnic at Diamond lake Tuesday.

Near Ishpeming the gun carried by P. A. Rundquist while hunting was accidentally discharged, and Rundquist was killed.

The Evelyn industrial institute at Manistee has closed its doors for the present at least, and the thirty odd inmates have been assigned to private homes. It is said the step is an outcome of the break for liberty on the part of a party of unruly girls.

There is talk of connecting the cities of Allegan and Saugatuck by the erection of an electric railway.

The Coopersville Agricultural association will hold its eighth annual fair at Coopersville from September 24 to 27 inclusive.

Enforcement of the compulsory education law has greatly increased the school attendance at many points in this state.

A farmer named William Hale died at Leslie with lockjaw. Two weeks ago he thrust a nail into his foot. Blood poisoning resulted, and he died in great agony.

FARMERS FLEE FROM FIRE.

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Property on Beaver Island Destroyed.

HARBOR SPRINGS, Mich., Sept. 10.—The fire on Beaver island has started anew and is making fearful headway. People who came in on Monday's boat say the fire was started by some campers leaving their camp-fire unattended. The farmers on the island are leaving everything and fleeing to the St. James river and the coast. Many thousand dollars' worth of valuable timber has already been burned, and clouds of smoke cover the lake. Cinders have been borne to the mainland. The only hope of stopping the fire is in backfiring at the swamp between the marsh and the village of Cross. If not stopped there the town must go.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Thirteen-Year-Old Girl in Michigan Sentenced to Industrial School for Girls.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., Sept. 7.—Mary I. Pierce, aged 13 years, who has been on trial for the murder of her mother, was on Friday morning found guilty of manslaughter. Judge Padgham sentenced the girl to the industrial school for girls at Adrian until she is 21 years old. This is the murder for which George Chesebro, the girl's nephew, was sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson a month ago. Chesebro was brought here and testified against the girl.

THE CROPS.

Michigan Report Places the Wheat Average Yield at 12.61 Bushels.

LANSING, Sept. 9.—In the Michigan crop report for September, issued Saturday, Secretary of State Gardner gives the Michigan wheat yield at 12.61 bushels per acre, the estimate being based on the results of actual threshings of 76,000 acres. It is estimated that beans will be 76 per cent., peaches, 80 per cent.; apples, 28 per cent.; and potatoes, 84 per cent. of an average crop. The estimate for oats is 23 bushels per acre, and barley, 16.50 bushels.

REFUSE TO QUIT.

Pumpmen and Firemen in Michigan Will Not Obey Dictates of Union.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 9.—The miners' union ordered the pumpmen, firemen and other union employes engaged at section 21 mine of the Lake Superior company to come out Saturday morning, but the men say the order is a ridiculous one and stick to their posts. This is the first refusal to obey the union dictates and it indicates weakness on the part of the union.

Big Peach Crop.

SOUTH HAVEN, Sept. 5.—The peach yield in this vicinity will exceed anything heretofore anticipated by the most sanguine. A conservative estimate places the crop at 3,000,000 baskets in excess of any year since 1879, when the yellows killed nearly every tree in the peach belt. One of the successful features this year is the use of refrigerator cars to ship to distant points.

Girl Killed for a Burglar.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Sept. 9.—Edward Hurst (colored), shot and killed his sister-in-law, Miss Vena Johnson, early Saturday morning, supposing her to be a burglar. The girl, who was only 16 years of age, thought it would be great sport to frighten her relatives a little. Hurst surrendered himself to the sheriff.

To Meet Next Year at Grand Rapids.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 9.—At Saturday's session of the National Association of Letter Carriers Grand Rapids was selected as the next place of meeting. The convention then adjourned sine die.

State Finances.

LANSING, Sept. 10.—Receipts of the treasurer of Michigan for the fiscal year just ended were $3,704,000 and the disbursements leave a balance of $390,000 on hand.

STATE CENSUS FIGURES.

A Gain of 147,565 Shown Since the Government's Count in 1890.

LANSING, Sept. 7.—An important bulletin has been issued from the state census department. It gives the corrected total population of the state at 2,241,641, of which 1,670,786 are natives and 570,855 foreign born. The population of males among the foreign born is 3.47 per cent. greater than in the native population. The report shows a steady proportionate increase in the number of foreign born persons in the state over the census of 1884.

The table relating to the nativity of the inhabitants of the state is of considerable interest, nothing so exhaustive having ever been compiled in the state before. The number of inhabitants of incorporated cities returned as having both parents native is 240,633; the number having both parents foreign born, 467,536, and the number having one of each, 90,182.

Outside the cities the number is 671,173 native, 537,392 foreign and 165,393 native and foreign. The number in each 1,000 having native parents is 301 in the cities, as compared with 488 in the country; the number having both parents foreign born is 586 in the cities, as compared with 390 in the country; and the number having one parent native and the other foreign born is 113 in the cities, as compared with 122 in the country. The number of inhabitants with native parents, to each 1,000 of population, was 172 less in 1894 than in 1870. In each 1,000 inhabitants the total of foreign parentage was 413 in 1870, 547 in 1890 and 534 in 1894.

The state has increased in population since 1890 but 147,565, a large proportion of the number being accounted for by the growth of the cities. Many of the agricultural counties show an actual decrease in population. The population of some of the leading cities is given as follows:

Detroit	287,837	Battle Creek	15,522
Grand Rapids	79,424	Menominee	12,538
Saginaw	44,612	Ann Arbor	11,009
Muskegon	20,522	Manistee	13,449
Kalamazoo	21,353	Ishpeming	11,687
Jackson	22,414	Marquette	9,724
Port Huron	18,146	Adrian	9,511
Lansing	13,847		

VICTIMS OF DYNAMITE.

Explosion of a Cartridge Kills One and Injures Two Persons.

HASTINGS, Mich., Sept. 7.—A terrible accident occurred Friday morning on the farm of Henry Ragley, 6 miles northeast of this city, which resulted in the death of one and serious injury of two other persons. Robert Bryan, of Coates' Grove, was employed in driving a well. He had driven down 99 feet and was blasting with dynamite through a large rock. As he stood by the well with a cartridge in his hand ready to drop into the pipe, the cartridge exploded with terrific force, killing him instantly and severely injuring Mrs. Henry Ragley and Miss Whitney, who were standing near. Bryan was terribly mangled, having his forearm entirely blown away and his body torn open so that his vitals protruded.

THE STATE FAIR.

It Opens at Grand Rapids Entries Are Numerous.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 10.—The forty-sixth annual fair of the state fair association opened at Comstock park, in this city Monday, in conjunction with the West Michigan association. The entries in all departments are numerous, and if the weather be favorable the success of the meeting is assured. The display of live stock, agricultural products and fruits is especially large, varied and choice. The agricultural implement manufacturers have not in late years made exhibits at the fairs, but this year most of the leading concerns are represented and the display is the largest ever made in Michigan.

Four Boilers Explode.

MARINE CITY, Mich., Sept. 11.—Just before resuming work at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the four boilers in the Marine City Stave company's salt block exploded with terrific force, completely demolishing the boilers, boilerhouse and a portion of the main building, and injuring two men. Charles Essenberg was probably fatally and Rosswell Heath was severely injured. The explosion was caused by low water or high steam in one of the boilers. The damage is estimated at $15,000.

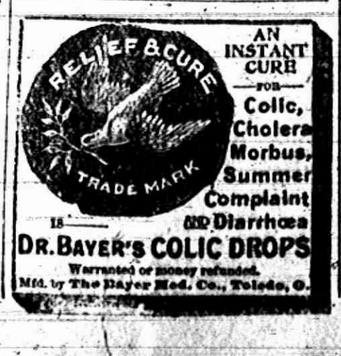
Michigan Bankers Meet.

DETROIT, Sept. 11.—Over 100 of the leading bankers of the state gathered in annual session here Tuesday afternoon. The address of welcome by Don M. Dickinson was responded to by Gerritt J. Diekema, of Holland. The feature of the day's session was the annual address of President S. M. Cutcheon. In his remarks he declared that the effect of the passage of a free coinage law would be disastrous to the best interests of the country, not to say dishonest.

A Militiaman Killed.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 7.—A touch of sorrow makes the whole world kin. In the big storm of Thursday night Camp Ishpeming suffered severely. A score of big maples were uprooted and Private Joseph Hoenes, of Calumet, was instantly killed by a falling tree.

A Frenchman has recently taken out a patent for a propeller life buoy.



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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit Court for the County of Lenawee, in favor of Thomas R. Kyle, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Joseph Grey, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 7th day of August, A. D., 1895, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Joseph Grey in and to that parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described as Beginning at a point in the east line of northeast quarter of section 33, town 5 south, of range 4 east, 9 chains and 50 links north of the northeast corner of said section, running thence south along the east line of said section 18 chains and 71½ links; thence west parallel with the quarter section line running east and west through said section 40 chains to the quarter section line running north and south through said section; thence north along said quarter section line 10 chains and 43½ links to the northeast corner of land formerly owned by David Mudgett, thence easterly along the south line of said land formerly owned by David Mudgett to the southwest corner of land aforesaid to the southwest corner of land formerly owned by Atuaton Inds. thence east along the south line of land formerly owned by Indian to place of beginning, containing 41.65 acres. Also the north 42½ acres of that part of the 86 acres conveyed by G. J. Bradford to Joseph Grey by deed, dated May 11, 1858, recorded in Liber 142 on page 633, said 86 acres described as the south part of northeast quarter of section 33, town 5 south of range 4 east. All of which I shall expose for sale, at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Adrian, in said County, that being the place for holding the Circuit court for said county of Lenawee, on the 26th day of September, next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D. 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

WALTER C. BURRIDGE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Rosetta McWilliams, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 3d of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Rosetta McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres of the southwest quarter (¼) of section two (2), one (21), township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, on the 9th day of October, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Sept. 15. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Healing of the Ten Lepers.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Luke xvii, 11-19.

Dying by inches! Objects of loathing to themselves as well as to all others; hideous in their growing deformity; losing by degrees the bodily senses and all sensibility; mental dullness keeping pace oftentimes with physical infirmity; spiritual powers becoming likewise insensible; the leper is now and always has been an outcast from society from very necessity. No hope of cure; death was the only relief from a life worse than death. Those loved most dearly must be shunned most carefully lest they be also infected with the dread disease. No place in the home circle, synagogue, temple, workshop, bazaar or common streets for these stricken ones. If any one appeared they must cover the head and cry "Unclean! Unclean!" and avoid all meeting. Only with others like themselves could they find company.

Ten lepers! Samaritans and Jews together! Climax of the loathsome and horrible!

Hark! How they cry! Their strangely unnatural voices are more fearful than their forms. How differently they act than usual. It is no dull, mechanical call of "Unclean!" but shrill, piercing screams. How they wave their arms and beckon. They have recognized the prophet of Nazareth. "Jesus, have mercy on us!" is their cry as they stand afar off, not daring to come nigh the throng with him. He hears them. He stops and looks. "Go shew yourselves to the priest," he shouts back to them. They wait for no preparation, but start on the long journey to Jerusalem from the northern border of Samaria. The slow, crippled hobbling grows easier with every mile. Muscles gain strength and suppleness, blood courses more freely, sight, hearing, feeling come slowly back. They walk, then run; they jump and shout with joy "Clean, clean!" and push with all speed toward Jerusalem that they may have the priest officially pronounce them so. They obey most strictly the command of Jesus.

One alone stops. Cured like the rest, but what has he to hope for in Jerusalem? He is a Samaritan. The priest is naught to him. Jesus cured him and his soul goes out in trust and love toward the Master. He will find him and free the soul by telling of the gratitude that fills it. Backward he turns over the miles he has come. Down the road that Jesus went he hastens till he sees in the distance the company. From the hill top he shouts with all his might to them; he runs and overtakes them. Shouting glory and praise to God, he falls at the feet of Jesus and thanks him.

"Were not all of the ten cleansed?" asks Jesus. Yes, in body, but of them all only this one, and he an alien, returned to thank God. Their hearts were still insensible to gratitude and love of God; still unclean were they, lepers in spirit.

"Arise," says Jesus to the returned Samaritan. "Thy faith hath made thee whole."

How to Grow.

In the home where a baby lives how its growth is watched! The day when it can sit alone, when it begins to creep—above all, when it takes the first step—is a memorable time. Creeping, walking, running, all to be learned, all to be taught by those who have learned. So in Christian life. The young convert must be nurtured. The church, the League, is a nursery to teach Christ's little ones how to walk in the narrow way. They need to be encouraged in giving expression to their inner life. Christian testimony is almost indispensable to growth in grace. Tell your experience to some one, and you will soon have more experience to tell. Neglect it, and you will soon be doubtful if you have any. Pray in public, and you will find it like taking the first steps alone—hard at first, but easier each time you repeat the lesson. Our young people need to become strong in these things. Men and women of prayer and speech are greatly needed in God's cause. Grow into this grace.

Camp Meeting Fire.

Many Epworth Leaguers will attend the various camp meetings. Many are sure to be helped into a deeper spiritual experience. It is important that on the return home all find their proper place in the regular activities of the church. Let the weekly prayer meetings ring with the songs of devotion. Let the testimonies be prompt, hearty and simple. Give new force to all the various lines of work. League meetings will be resumed where they were discontinued during the hot weather. Plan for an earnest, aggressive campaign for soul saving. Let the fire burn!

A Great Lack.

Many active members of the church most useful in various spheres are missing the chief thing, which is genuine spiritual life. They mean to be conscientious, but their work is too much outward. When they come face to face with spiritual minds, meet trouble or life sinks apace they will be conscious of a painful vacancy within. "To be spiritually minded"—not merely busy about the church and League—"is life and peace."

Push.

On the entrance doors of many places of business you see a brass plate with that word. Doors rarely open of their own accord. Few but will yield to persistent effort. Push is a prime factor in success of all kinds. Push the League matters if you want them to succeed.

God doeth well in giving us his grace and benefits. Man doeth ill and wickedly when he returns not God's gifts to him with thankfulness.

Not all that is high is holy, not all that is sweet good, not every desire pure, nor is everything dear to us pleasing to God.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THE trial of Rev. W. E. Hinshaw, a Methodist minister at Belleville, Ind., for the murder of his wife on January 10 last, commenced at Danville, Ind.

THE Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science selected the University of Cincinnati as the location of its immense library.

H. S. WEBBER, a member of the Sixteenth infantry, traveled from Salt Lake City to Washington on a wheel, covering 2,927 miles in 374 hours' actual running time.

THE twelfth annual exposition at St Louis opened and will continue for forty days.

FIVE employes of the Providence (R. I.) Gas company met death in a cellar by asphyxiation.

PIERRE LORILLARD, the New York tobacco magnate, has tired of America, and, following in the footsteps of William Waldorf Astor, will go to England to live.

AUGUST SONTWEIN, 19 years old, shot and killed his brother-in-law, Paul Miller, at Omaha for attempting to assault his mother. The boy gave himself up.

A TOWER on the new machinery hall building on the state fair grounds at Springfield, Ill., fell, killing five workmen and injuring seven others, two fatally.

FIRE destroyed property at East Boston, Mass., aggregating $250,000. No. 1 pier, belonging to the Boston & Albany railroad, was burned with all its contents.

ALL the Hawaiian consuls in America were notified by telegraph that a filibustering expedition would soon start from this country with the avowed purpose in view of overthrowing the present republican government of Hawaii and replacing ex-Queen Liliuokalani on the throne.

THE Ohio Wool Growers' association in convention at Columbus urged the Fifty-fourth congress to pass legislation favorable to wool protection.

C. W. RIPPEY, who shot John W. Mackay in San Francisco three years ago, is now pursuing Charles L. Fair. Fair's friends were nervous.

A CYCLONE at Huntingdon, Tenn., wrecked many buildings and did other damage.

SIX men were sleeping in a barn at Earnest station, Pa., when the structure was burned and all were cremated.

COMPTROLLER BOWLER, of the treasury, in a decision in the sugar bounty cases declared the act unlawful and refused to pay the bounties.

THE crop of oranges in Florida this year was estimated at not over 100,000 boxes, against 5,000,000 for the season of 1893-4.

THE treasury's gold reserve on the 5th, reported from Washington at $99,127,567, showed the first break below the $100,000,000 mark since June 25.

AT Galesburg, Ill., Azote trotted a mile in 2:04¼, beating the world's record for geldings.

THE retail grocers of Little Rock, Ark., condemn the action of members who keep open Sunday and will remove them from the association if they continue.

MRS. NICHOLAS OHM, JR., was instantly killed and her father-in-law, Nicholas Ohm, Sr., was fatally injured by the cars near Reilly, Pa.

WILLIAM BRAVERSON, aged 35 years, shot and killed at York, Pa., his wife, Ida, aged 30 years, from whom he was separated, and then killed himself.

THE Davis Carriage company of Cincinnati failed with liabilities of $272,000 and assets of only $15,427.53.

GEORGE BLACKBURN, who had been in the penitentiary almost continuously since 1853, escaped at Columbus, O.

SIX business dwellings were burned at Carrollton, Ky., the loss being $100,000.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 6th aggregated $914,840,999, against $885,551,854 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 15.1.

EARTHQUAKE shocks were felt in Montana at Butte, Helena and Great Falls.

THE twelfth annual convention of the Association of Agricultural Chemists, representing agricultural colleges in more than thirty-five states, met at Washington.

JUDGE PEABODY, of St. Louis, rendered a decision far-reaching in its effects on future strikes and lockouts. He holds that the distribution of boycott circulars is a finable offense.

J. J. O'LEARY & SON, packers at St. Paul, failed for $200,000.

STELLA JOHNSON, the 16-year-old daughter of a widow who lives near Amilla, Fla., was kidnapped and outraged and then murdered by unknown fiends.

FRANK SCHORPE, aged 61 years, and Miss Mary Sarah Simpson, aged 13, were married at Manchester, Tenn., the parents of the girl having given their consent.

A STATE convention of silverites, without reference to party, has been called to meet in Birmingham, Ala., November 13.

AT Grand Haven, Mich., Mary L. Pierce, aged 13 years, on trial for the murder of her mother, was found guilty and sentenced to the reform school until she is 21 years old.

THERE were 186 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 6th, against 186 the week previous and 219 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE tenth annual session of the national encampment of the Union Veteran Legion of America will be held in Buffalo, N. Y., the third week in October.

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MAYOR WEBB MCCARTHY, Chief of Police Frank Frellichowsky, C. A. Tally, president of the school board, and a score of keepers of concert halls and saloons of the disreputable women order at Lemont, Ill., were arrested by Chicago officials.

IT was said that the big advance in the price of steel had killed the tinplate industry, and that in a few months every mill in the country turning out that product would be closed, throwing 30,000 persons out of work.

JAMES WARD killed Aaron Hunter, his father-in-law, and John Hunter, his brother-in-law, and then took his own life near Hymera, Ind. Family differences were supposed to have led to the crime.

THE Westminster Presbyterian church at Minneapolis was burned by an incendiary fire, the loss being $100,000.

IN the municipal court in Boston Joe Wolcott and Dick O'Brien, pugilists, were held in $1,000 bail for the grand jury on the charge of engaging in a prize fight.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 31st ult. were: Baltimore, .651; Cleveland, .632; Philadelphia, .598; Brooklyn, .559; Boston, .555; New York, .536; Pittsburgh, 534; Cincinnati, .532; Chicago, .513; Washington, .318; St. Louis, .310; Louisville, .257.

THE Sioux Indians at Rosebud Agency, in South Dakota, under the leadership of Hollow Horn Bear, a powerful and influential chief, warned Indian Agent Wright and the employes to vacate the agency within twenty-four days. The Indians also threatened to burn the agency buildings.

JOHN SLOSSER, fireman, and James Hendricks, trainman, were killed, and Engineer Roberts was fatally injured in a collision on the Cincinnati Southern railroad near Blanchet, Ky.

THE office of the Adams Express company in Terre Haute, Ind., was robbed of cash amounting to probably $40,000. J. D. Farden, cashier of the express company, and J. R. Barnett, city ticket agent of the Vandalia line, were accused of the robbery.

A REPORT had reached Brownsville, Tex., that the schooner Gurlock of Lake Charles, La., had been lost with six men aboard.

THE first of the three races for the America's cup was sailed in New York bay and the Defender, the American yacht, won, defeating Valkyrie III., the English boat, by eight minutes and forty-nine seconds.

BURGLARS entered the Bank of Kinkaid, Kan., blew open the vault and took all the money, some $3,000.

A FIRE in the Osceola copper mine near Houghton, Mich., entombed forty-two miners, and there were no hopes of rescuing them.

A BOY accidentally set off 600 pounds of dynamite stored in his father's cellar at Specht's Ferry, Ia., and Edward Latshaw and his wife and two children and Hans Bjornstern were killed and three other persons were injured, two fatally.

A TORNADO at Emporia, Kan., and vicinity, did great damage, the loss to the state normal school alone being over $50,000.

BEN STILLMAN, an old miser living near Hamilton, Ala., lost $5,000 in money, the savings of a lifetime, in a fire.

THE Masonic temple in Boston, which recently was resplendent with decorations on the occasion of the Knights Templar conclave, was partially burned, the loss being $300,000.

JAKE VAN RAE, of Holland, Mich., shot his wife three times and then lodged a bullet in his own brain. A quarrel was the cause.

A TRAIN on the Cherry Valley branch of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis road went through a bridge between Monmouth and McCune, Kan., and twenty-three persons were injured nine fatally.

C. M. CLAY, treasurer of Sciota county, O., was reported to be short between $14,000 and $18,000.

THE brewery of H. A. Bowler in Amsterdam, N. Y., and adjoining barns and sheds were totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $200,000.

IN a pension case in Washington Secretary Reynolds ruled that troops called into service during the war by a state governor were not pensionable.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 9th was: Wheat, 36,751,000 bushels; corn, 5,782,000 bushels; oats, 3,194,000 bushels; rye, 578,000 bushels; barley, 187,000 bushels.

THE personal property of Minnesota is $99,553,000, as against $100,726,000 in 1894.

FOREST fires were again raging in the vicinity of Harbor Springs, Mich., doing great damage.

THE city council of Winona, Minn., passed the curfew ordinance making it unlawful for children under 15 years of age to be on the streets alone from 9 p. m. to 6 a. m.

THE new census gives Wisconsin a population of 1,931,905, a gain of 245,025 in five years.

FIRE in the San Jose Lumber company's yards at San Jose, Cal., destroyed property worth $180,000.

A FLOOD at Webb City, Mo., did damage to the extent of $100,000.

THE world's fair exhibition medals and awards to Italian exhibitors will be received by them in October.

BECAUSE she refused to live with him Lon Rooker cut the throat of his wife at Indianapolis, Ind., and also fatally wounded Mrs. Emma Pees, her sister, and then cut his own throat.

CHILCOOTS, Chilkats and whisky were responsible for the death of two braves and one squaw during an aboriginal difference of opinion in Alaska.

THE annual national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic commenced at Louisville, Ky.

THE Frank Moseley company, leather merchants and tanners at Montreal, failed for $300,000.

THE eighty-second annual conclave of the grand commandery of Knights Templar of New York state convened at Niagara Falls.

FIVE business houses at Neosho, Mo., were destroyed by a rise in the river and a number of dwelling houses were carried away.

CALIFORNIA celebrated the forty-fifth anniversary of her admission into the union.

MANY rivers overflowed their banks in Kansas, inundating several villages and doing immense damage. The town of Gridley was completely wrecked.

WILLIAM BRINKLEY and his brother James met at Columbus, Ind., after a separation of sixty-two years.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

ALFRED JUDD, aged 93, a hero of the Mohawk war, died at Lacon, Ill. He had lived in Marshall county since 1831.

THE democrats of Nebraka who are supporters of the administration's financial policy, opposed to free silver coinage and fusion with populists, met in convention at Lincoln and T. J. Mahoney, of Omaha, was nominated for supreme judge.

THE Utah democratic convention at Ogden nominated John T. Caine for governor and B. H. Roberts for congress. The platform declares for the free coinage of silver.

PETER STYERS, the oldest locomotive engineer in the country, died in Bethlehem, Pa., aged 75.

WILLIAM A. SACKETT, aged 84 years, dropped dead at his home in Saratoga Springs, N. Y. He was a member of the Thirtieth and Thirty-first congresses.

JABEZ CAPPS, the founder of Mount Pulaski, Ill., celebrated his 99th birthday.

AUGUST GEMUNDER, founder of the great violin manufacturing house of that name and one of the most noted violin makers in the world, died at his home in New York, aged 81 years.

REV. STEPHEN R. BEGGS, the oldest Methodist minister in the Illinois conference, died at Plainfield, aged 94 years.

THE socialists of the Sixth Massachusetts district nominated Michael T. Berry for congress to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Coggswell.

FOREIGN.

SIX HUNDRED Spanish soldiers and eight officers were killed and many were wounded by the insurgents in a battle near Santiago de Cuba.

AN anarchist, who refused to give his name when arrested, threw a bomb into M. Rothschild's banking house in Paris, but no damage was done.

THE Spaniards recaptured the city of Baire from the insurgents and massacred thirty-seven inoffensive Cubans—mostly women and children.

WILLIAM H. HURLBERT, at one time editor-in-chief of the New York World, died in Cadenabbia, Italy, aged 68 years.

IN Moscow and St. Petersburg 900 nihilists were arrested and large quantities of bombs, firearms and dynamite were found in their lodgings.

A FIRE destroyed the greater part of Liverpool, N. S.

CHOLERA was raging in China and 2,000 deaths occurred daily in Peking.

THE villages of Carni, Tiruguegner, Tortan, Horoput and Marig were completely sacked by Turkish troops, and the population, aggregating 5,000 people, were foully treated.

A GREAT Cuban battle was fought in Puerto Principe, with the defeat of the Spanish and the capture of the capital by the insurgent forces.

IN the province of Santa Clara, Cuba, provisions were scarce because of the war, and the women and children were dying of starvation.

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Adrian.....Ar	9 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	4 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express	No. 320. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 40 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 00 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	8 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 "	9 25 "	7 30 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 55 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 30 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	8 52 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 18 "	9 44 "
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A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	8 35	L.....Adrian.....A	3 10	5 35
.....	12 12	7 00	Moenith	2 50	7 02
.....	1 14	7 30	Yorkville	2 36	7 46
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6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 45	8 30
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 28	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 06
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 30
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 20
11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 20
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 41	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 01	3 52
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 45	3 40
2 00	6 25	11 28	Bunroe	8 30	3 30
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TO THE CHURCHES.

Rev. J. C. Hogan on the Subject "If Christ Should Come to the Churches."

The following extracts are from a powerful sermon delivered Aug. 27, by Rev. J. C. Hogan before the Free Methodist campmeeting at Ararat, Pa., on the subject "If Christ Should Come to the Churches." Mr. Hogan said:

If Christ should come to the churches doubtless he would find some noble souls in both the pulpit and the pews—men and women loyal to Him first, last and all the time and who refuse to bow the knee to Elon Baal. If Christ should come to the churches to-day He would find the rank and file well meaning and even ready to rally around His standard, but at the same time He would find them badly blinded and misled by those at the head of the churches; for be it remembered that it is the chief priests and scribes who stand in the way of reform and not the common people. If Christ should come to the chuches I fear He would find things very much the same as when He walked upon this earth more than eighteen hundred years ago. We read in the third chapter of Mark that Jesus entered into the synagog, and there was a man there which had a withered hand. And they, the Scribes and Pharisees, watched Him whether He would heal him on the Sabbath day, that they might accuse Him.

You will note the enormity of their iniquity when you mark the fact that it was not what is called 'the world, the flesh and the devil,' but the Scribes and Pharisees—the men who sat in Moses' seat, the successors to Moses, the recognized leaders of the people in faith and morals, who watched Jesus that they might accuse Him. These Scribes and Pharisees were eminently pious and sanctimonious sinners, so to speak. They fasted frequently and gave tithes even above the written law. But they had so far forgotten the original truth as to overlook the fact that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath. In their view the Sabbath and the synagog were too holy to be used for doing good. The point at issue was: Should the man be healed on the Sabbath day? We have no intimation from the text or the context that these Scribes and Pharisees had put forth any effort to help this poor and afflicted man before that day or that they intended to do so after the Sabbath. They were very much concerned over the Sabbath, but lost sight of suffering humanity!

There are Scribes and Pharisees to-day who strain at a Sunday saloon, but swallow a license party. They object to the discussion of Prohibition and reforms on Sunday or in the pulpit, but they do not seem to be in any great haste in coming forward Monday or any other day of the week. If those modern Scribes and Pharisees will not touch Prohibition on Sunday why don't they do something for the cause on Monday?

How did Christ deal with such men? Let us see. 'And He saith unto the man with the withered hand, stand forth. We hear nothing about waiting for public sentiment or the necessity of persuading these pious hypocrites to take a different view. No. Christ forces the issue then and there! To the afflicted man He says, 'Stand forth,' before the people. Then He saith unto the scribes and Pharisees, 'Is it lawful to do good on the Sabbath days or to do evil? to save life or to kill?'

Surely that was a simple and fair question to put to the doctors of the church, to ask the men who sat in Moses' seat! Surely they will be ready and pleased to answer a question so reasonable. But they held their peace. To-day there are preachers who say that they doubt the wisdom of the Prohibition party method, but they fail to tell us anything about the wisdom and morality of the license method.

Jesus was unlike most of the modern ministers who seem to be willing that hundreds of thousands of souls, innocent and otherwise, shall suffer in this life or go down to perdition while the preachers wait for 'public sentiment' or anything to save their popularity, and so as not to offend the license voters in the pews.

If Christ should come to the churches to-day and enter the pastorate as we now have it, and should undertake to heal the broken hearts and blighted souls now cursed by the rum power, by presuming to discuss the holy cause of Prohibition and related reforms, demanding righteousness at the ballot-box, he would no doubt offend the pious license voter. But they would not have to go out to consult with the license sinners of the other party. All they would have to do is to petition for a change of preachers, and they would find most of the bishops and presiding elders at their service, especially if the petitioners represented money and political influence. There is no need to cut off the head of John the Baptist in these days. It is only necessary to cut down the salary, which seems to answer just as well, and at the same time saves funeral expenses. The Pharisees were very much concerned over the Sabbath: so are most of our preachers to-day when it comes to the matter of Prohibition.

When Jesus preached in the synagog that day the Scribes and Pharisees got up and went out. When that thing happens in a modern congregation, so far have the people drifted from the original spirit of the gospel, they at once get on 'nerves and nettles' over it.

If Christ should come to the churches, He would find that there are many ministers and people who ask the Lord to lead them in a great many things, but when it comes to politics they think that they can judge best themselves.

He would find the churches asking more of the state than they exact of their own ministers and members. He would find them demanding Prohibition of the government while allowing their ministers and members to indorse and support the sin of license at the ballot-box.

If Christ should come to the churches he would have to issue a search warrant to find a Methodist bishop or presiding elder who has ever been known to preach one whole sermon in his official capacity on the subject of total abstinence and Prohibition.

If Christ should come to the churches he would find most of the ministers, when in conference assembled, pledging their votes to Him, but on election day giving them to the license parties.

If Christ should come to the churches He would find ministers standing before the altar, discipline in hand, demanding of candidates for admission into membership, 'Do you renounce the Devil and all his works?' while they themselves, are supporting the chief work of the devil, with a license ballot. He would find even Prohibitionist preachers holding revivals that make hundreds of converts to the church, but not one convert to Prohibition. He would hear preachers say 'The saloon can never be legalized without sin, at the same time they receive into the church all the license-voting sinners that may apply for membership.

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	17	19
Eggs, per doz	12	14
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	30	40
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		14
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 00 to	4 50
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	6	6 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	8 to 10
Mutton, dressed, per lb		7½
Chickens, per lb		10½
Hides, green		5
Sheep Pelts	25 to	30

GRAIN, SEED AND HAY.

Wheat—New		64
Old		54
Corn, shelled	45 to	50
Oats	18 to	20
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Sept. 11.	
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	2 25 @	4 25
Sheep	3 50 @	5 50
Hogs	4 60 @	5 00
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 40 @	3 60
Minnesota Patents	3 30 @	3 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	62½@	62¾
September	62½@	62¾
CORN—No. 2	39½@	40
October	39½@	39½
OATS—State	25 @	34
September	23½@	23½
RYE	70 @	70¼
PORK—Mess	10 25 @	10 75
LARD—Western Steam	6 20 @	6 25
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	13 @	20
Western Dairy	9½@	13

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CATTLE—Beeves	3 50 @	5 75
Stockers and Feeders	2 40 @	4 00
Cows	1 30 @	3 60
Texas Steers	3 15 @	3 30
HOGS—Light	3 60 @	4 50
Rough Packing	3 75 @	3 90
SHEEP	1 50 @	4 00
BUTTER—Creamery	9 @	20
Dairy	9½@	17
Packing Stock	6 @	8½
EGGS—Fresh	13½@	15
BROOM CORN (per ton)	40 00 @	90 00
POTATOES (per bu)	25 @	32
PORK—Mess	8 20 @	8 25
LARD—Steam	5 75 @	6 00
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75 @	4 25
Spring Straights	3 50 @	3 85
Winter Patents	3 60 @	3 75
Winter Straights	3 40 @	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	56½@	57½
Corn, No. 2	34½@	34¾
Oats, No. 2	19½@	19¾
Rye, No. 2	37 @	38
Barley, Good to Choice	35 @	45

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GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	57½@	57½
Corn, No. 2	34 @	34½
Oats, No. 2 White	22 @	22¾
Rye, No. 2	40 @	40½
Barley	42½@	42¾
PORK—Mess	8 30 @	8 35
LARD	5 80 @	5 85

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Export Steers	3 25 @	5 65
Texas and Indian	2 65 @	3 50
HOGS	3 75 @	4 45
SHEEP	1 50 @	3 25

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CATTLE—Steers	3 00 @	3 75
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From the Courier-Herald, Hopkins, Mich.

Several days ago a representative of the *Courier-Herald* was called to Dover, Clare County, Michigan, to investigate and report what was purported to be a marvelous occurrence. In order to reach Dover it is necessary to go to Clare by rail and thence by team. After a drive of about fifteen miles into the country the reporter proceeded to find his item of interest which was not an arduous task, for the first man met knew very well indeed the subject of this article, Mrs. Sarah E. Coulter. Everybody in Clare County knows the Coulter family, if not personally, by the sickness that has brought poverty into their home and made them prominent figures in the community.

As the scribe knocked at the door of their residence he was met by Mrs. Coulter who, upon learning his mission, extended a hearty welcome and the following interview took place.

"I understand, Mrs. Coulter, that you have been close to death on several occasions, and that through certain means have been, figuratively speaking, resurrected. Have you any objections to giving me, in brief, a short review of the circumstances?"

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"About three years ago I had a miserable feeling at the back of my ears, my right hand became paralyzed, and the paralysis extended to my arm and throat, and would affect my head and eyes, sometimes for days I would lose my sight, my face was deformed, lifeless as it were, my nose was drawn to one side, and I presented a pitiable appearance and never expecting to regain my natural facial expressions. I employed the best physicians that could be procured expending thousands of dollars for their services, but could not obtain relief. At last, they stated my case was beyond the reach of medical skill, and it would be but a short time until the end would come. This certainly was not very encouraging to me, but I never gave up hope. In connection with receiving the attendance of physicians I have tried every medicine known to the apothecary but never received any relief until Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People came to my assistance. Before I had taken half of the first box the deformity in my face had left me, and before four boxes had been consumed the paralysis had disappeared entirely and much to my surprise I felt like a new woman. I have not taken any medicine since last spring. Just about a year ago, and my trouble has not appeared since. I owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, not the only cure that has been in our household by this wonderful 'A short time since my little boy afflicted with St. Vitus' dance, not walk across the room without in fact he would fall all over adopted what we knew to be as evidenced by my own case, taking a few boxes of Dr. Pills, St. Vitus' dance entirely left no trace of the affliction is left. are worth their weight in gold. You may in this connection that I am willing at any time to make affidavits to these statements, and furthermore answer any communication case, as I consider is nothing right and just that I should assist humanity."

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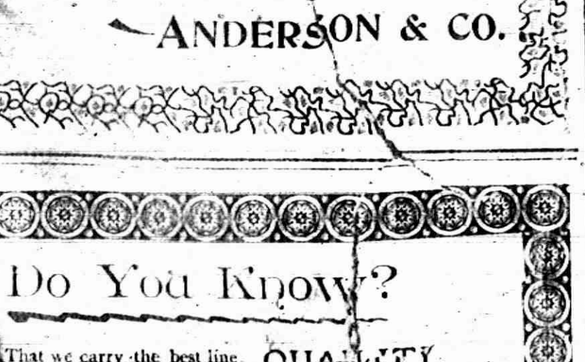

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Iden Baden, the Famous German Watering Place, and the Great Strassburg Cathedral.

MILAN, Aug. 4, 1895.

Dear Mr. Editor:—Frankfurt was the last resting place of your globe-wheeler, and from there we departed one fine afternoon with a good breeze against us but fine roads. We were still in the region of licenses, and numbers, and bells, so we rode to the first town and walked through it, rode to its successor and took another walk. You won't believe it, but they are so mean in this country that their laws not only compel you to lead the awful bike through a town, but they lay out a town along the main road—every house—and string the town out for a mile. It is terrible the measures that they take against the noble sport. We passed Darmstadt with its statue to Grand Duke Ludwig somebody and some ducal palaces, and finally some fossilated ideas about bicycles. We didn't love anybody, we were unhappy, we said unpleasant things and wished ourselves in the land of the free. Soon we were in Bavaria. The dialect changed and the people changed as well as their houses. The beams are exposed on the outside of the buildings. They go through some conventional zig-zags and then are filled in between with plaster and brick. Some houses are thatched, some tiled, and some have boards. The roofs are gothic in form and have a window in the centre for the upper room. We wanted to reach Worms that night, but, tired and footsore we gave up in a small town Biblis, where we sought the best hotel. That bed chamber haunts me yet. They charged us extra cunningly because we were foreigners, and after paying our six cents apiece, we were led by a hag with a dim flickering candle to a crooked structure used as stairs. Our hideous guide mumbled and chattered and conducted us to a gothic room 6x9 with strips of paper fluttering from the wall.

One window in the inclined ceiling was directly over the bed. The bed defies portrayal. They were covered with yellow colored sheets, to hide dirt, and above this a mattress common to German beds. Beneath was a something made of corn stalks. A grotesque chromo of the Virgin Mary hung on the wall. There was a tin wash dish and a crippled stand which should have been pensioned and let off duty long ago. Needless to say we did not disrobe. No, we put our night gowns on the yellow pillows to keep our heads from the dirt, we placed the matresses intended for covers beneath us and crawled to the dizzy heights of the bed to sleep a troubled sleep.

When we left town on the following morning our progress was actually hindered by a flock of over 1000 geese driven by an evil tempered old witch with a whip. The throng filled the road swarmed into every open yard and hissed and fluttered as we struggled through. We soon reached Worms after crossing the Rhine on a bridge of boats. The boats lie side by side and have a platform resting upon them. When boats pass, several bridge boats are allowed to float out of the chain and then hauled back. Worms is one of the most ancient of German cities. Towers of the medieval walls are extant. History has written much on its venerable brow. Charlemage lived there. Luther met Charles V and the six Electors there at the famous diet. We hunted out the Luther monument—very impressive—and palace where Luther made his defense. Then with a glance at the cathedral, we mounted our wheels and rode away to new fields for sight seeing. The roads are very straight for long distances between large cities. The only curves or turns are in small towns and it is enough to make any road squirm to get in a small Bavarian town. On the main street in front of every farmer's house, (for all farmer's live in town) is a huge manure heap and usually piled about the pump. This feature, taken with the dirty children, streets paved with huge stones and the general dirty plaster exterior of the houses constitutes a very unpleasant picture.

At Manheim we paid the third two cents that we had spent for crossing the Rhine. This time, over a bridge with magnificent portals. We visited the old structure, and then rode on to Heidelberg, the famous university town. Here two Americans informed us that students were duelling at the Hirschagasse, or students' tavern. We hurried up there and bought a lunch so so that we might watch the excitement with an excuse. They fight savagely there and it is a serious matter. One fellow had his cheek laid open six inches, and cuts and pricks, and blood were plenty. It was a savage scene and the pale faces of the defeated as their friends led them away, will haunt me long. Lady friends of contestants awaited anxiously the outcome and drove away with them in hacks when the struggle was over. Heidelberg is wonderfully situated for scenery, at the mouth of the mountainous valley of the Neckar, and its pride, the magnificent old castle, adds not a little charm. That cradle of science, its old university, is most venerable with its antique air and rather ruined appearance. The students in their various class caps are very picturesque as they wander about town in groups. When we left the town enroute for Karlsruhe, an old farmer kindly pointed out the tower of the Speyer Catbedral. It was fifteen miles distant, but plainly visible.

The Rhine Valley from Mainz up to Basel is a long strip of level plain, twenty-five miles or more in breadth.

We have been riding in the fertile valley, on both sides of which rise a range of mountains which we approach very close, now on one side and now on the other. Carlsruhe is a resort and the gayety of the place at once impressed us. At the gate of the city we went through our usual program of looking up our places to visit and arranging our line of march through the town accordingly. An old palace and an art gallery, and a gay street was all we saw, and then found our way out toward Baden Baden. The following day we saw the strangest sight we had witnessed. In a small town, we met a funeral procession, weird and aweing enough with the chant of the priest and the slow tolling of the bell as they neared the church. An aged priest led, followed by two boys in a red garb, and a woman, apparently the mother of the dead child, carrying the coffin balanced upon her head. It was a most pitiful sight.

I don't need tell about Baden Baden. So famous a watering place and its location at the entrance of the Black Forest is too well known. Its "drink hall" an old castle, are interesting as are also the 50,000 annual visitors of whom we seem to see all in one day. Late in the afternoon we stopped at a bakery in a small town to buy a bun or two which would sustain us until supper. The baker's daughter was a charming damsel, and the indecision which Harry displayed in choosing biscuit was alarming. After we were on the way several miles, he wanted to return and buy more biscuit. We compromised, however, by watching some bare-footed peasant girls gathering sheaves of wheat. The Rhine valley bristles with German fortifications. Every town or city of any size is surrounded by several moats and walls and has a citadel, but at Strassburg we were nearly lost in the intricate network of fortifications. Soldiers are drilling constantly for every sort of contest. We saw them running in perfect lines, guarding as in war every gate, and even the neighboring forests were the scene of marching and drilling. The Strassburg cathedral is famous. For me, I can never forget it. I fixed my much scarred tire in front of it while Harry took his turn seeing the interior and clock. The crowd was as great as a political speech could draw. I could hardly get air enough to fill the pneumatic tube. The University where Goethe graduated is here, and several magnificent buildings, as the Imperial Palace and Temple Neuf. Gutenburg is claimed by this city also, and has a fine monument.

C. H. VANTYNE.

BBITTON vs. JACKSON A. C.

It was advertised for a good game and would have been such, had it been played through without rooting, kicking and chewing. But these qualities so assiduously studied and so perfectly mastered as they are by ball players, fans and small boys seem to have largely superceeded the legitimate methods of the national game. Saturday the crowd and some of the players were evidently striving to emulate the example of certain league teams in their efforts to kick and scrap. It appears that all the kicking was not done on one side, as many here are wont to believe.

The trouble and excitement in the crowd had probably more to do with the teams not being able to agree on a change of umpire than any disagreement between the managements. However the case may be, it is extremely unfortunate for lovers of good ball, that between the crowd and the players so [illegible] a hopeless squabble. The winners were to receive 60 per cent of the net proceeds. As it ended, they divided equally. At the end of the 6th inning the game stood 12 to 11 in favor of Britton.

The Adrian Fair.

Sept. 23-27th inclusive. All of the Leading Attractions, Fast Races, Beautiful Grounds, Fine Music. A Great Fair all around. Ample room for all the people and their teams. You can go at one-half rates on the Railroads. Ask your nearest Railroad Agent all about it.

The September Cosmopolitan.

Fiction and travel are the strong points of the September Cosmopolitan, which by the way, illustrates better than any previous number the perfection of its plant for printing a magazine of the highest class. Conan Doyle, H. H. Boyesen and Clark Russell are among the story tellers. A well known New York lawyer relates the story of "A Famous Crime" the murder of Dr. Parkman by Professor Webster. A delightful sketch of "An English Country House Party" is from the pen of Nina Larre Smith—the house at which she visited being no less than the historic Abbotsford, still occupied by the direct descendants of Sir Walter Scott. "The Realm of the Wonderful" is descriptive of the strange forms of life discovered by science in the ocean's depths, and is superbly illustrated in a surprising and marvelous way by the author, who is a member of the Smithsonian staff. An article on Cuba is timely. Without bothering the reader with unnecessary description of the famous yachts now so much talked of, The Cosmopolitan presents four full-page illustrations showing these noted boats. Thomas Moran again contributes a series of the most exquisite landscapes of western scenery, twelve in number, illustrating an article by Col. John A. Cockerill, on "Modern Utah." And it may be said that no more beautifully illustrated number of The Cosmopolitan has ever been given to the public.

THE ADRIAN FAIR.

The Adrian fair will be held next week, Sept. 23d. to 27th, inclusive. Below is the daily program for the four best days. There will be something attractive in all of them:

Tuesday—The entire exhibit may be seen bright and clean. Races—Colts under two years old, trot or pace. Colts two years old, trot or pace. 2:40 pace.

Wednesday—The great Flag and School Day. Grand Inspection Drill of Militia and Uniform Ranks of the Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows and Maccabees, escorted by the First Regiment Band. Races—Gent's pair drivers. 3:00 class trotting. 2:20 class pacing, one-half mile run.

Thursday—The Universal People's Day. Special attractions provided for the tens of thousands of people. Races—Gent's single drivers. Three years old trot or pace. 2:22 pace. 2:37 trot. Five-eights mile run.

Friday—The Grand Round-Up of all previous days. Every prize winner wearing the blue or red. The best of everything saved for the last day.—Races—All that has been carried over. 2:35 trot. Free for all trot or pace. Three-quarter mile run. One-half fare on all railroads.

Petit Jurors.

The following is the list of petit jurors to serve during the October term of the circuit court. They are summoned to attend on the second day of the term, October 8:

City of Adrian—
First Ward—A. H. Peavy.
Second Ward—George Lewis
Third Ward—James R. Gilkey.
Fourth Ward—John B. Davis.
Adrian—John Swartz.
Blissfield—W. I. Bliss.
Cambridge—Wm. H. Neeley.
Clinton—H. D. Niblack.
Deerfield—Edwin Pool.
Dover—George Abbott.
Fairfield—Ed. Cole.
Franklin—Philip Pentecost.
Hudson—James Hughes.
City of Hudson—James B. Thorn.
Macon—Martin V. Sickly.
Madison—George G. Force.
Medina—O D. Colgrove.
Ogden—Eugene C. Wotring.
Palmyra—George D. Whitmarsh.
Raisin—J. B. Martin.
Ridgeway—H. H. Atwell, Arthur Curtis.
Riga—Nicholas Caswell, Edwin Watson.
Rollin—Liscom N. Chase, S. D. Tingley.
Rome—Daniel Snecke.
Seneca—Jacob M. Rorick.
Tecumseh—Charles Bidwell.
Woodstock—Marion Morgan.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets as follows:

To Virginia, Sept. 24 and Oct. 2. Rate one fare for round trip; limit 30 days. To Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee, on Oct. 2. Rate, one fare for round trip; limit 20 days. To Arkansas, Alberta, Arizona, Colorado, Iowa, Indian Territory, Kansas, South Missouri, Manitoba, Minnesota, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Wisconsin, Wyoming, date Sept. 24; rates one fare, plus $4.00; round trip limit 15 days for return.

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Covers more mileage than any ticket in the market. The only book good on entire B. & O. system, west of Pittsburgh. It also includes the Big 4 system. Get it and have an ever ready ticket over all important lines.

Price $30.00 good one year. Apply to Ohio Central Agents, or address

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Toledo, Ohio.

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GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

WATERMELONS.

O, the Georgia watermelon! It's a growin' coo an' green,
An'll soon be pullin' heavy on the stem;
An' the knife—it needs a whettin', an' the blade is gettin' keen.
O, the Georgia watermelon is a gem!

Melons, cool an' green!
Just the best you ever seen!
See the sweet juice drippin'
From them melons cool an' green!

O, the Georgia watermelon, with the purtiest sort o' stripe!
It ain't a streak o' fat an' streak o' lean;
You thump her with your fingers, an' you hear her answer: 'Ripe!"
O, the Georgia watermelon, cool an' green!

When you pull a Georgia melon you must know what you are at,
An' look out how your knife is goin' in;
Put one-half on this side o' you—the other half on that,
An' then you get between 'em an' begin!

They're mighty—mighty fillin' with their flamin' hearts o' red—
Like the reddest o' the roses in the south!
When cotton's down to nothin', take the place o' meat an' bread—
Make you think a hive o' honey's in your mouth!

But they're away ahead o' honey, as a slice or two will prove;
It's slicker an' it's sweeter as it slips;
There ain't no nigger problem when the melon's on the move—
Make the white man an' the nigger smack his lips!

Melons, cool an' green—
Don't want any fence between!
But I'd outclimb all creation
For the melons cool an' green!
—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

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A JUDGE OF CHARACTER.

"So you want a situation?" said the business man.

"Yes, sir," replied the applicant.

"Hum—do you ever go fishing?"

"Occasionally."

"When were you fishing last?"

"Day before yesterday."

"Catch anything?"

"Not a thing."

"You can come to work next Monday, if you like. If you keep on telling the truth like that you may be a partner in the firm one of these days."

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The old story is going the rounds that the days of the bicycle are numbered. It is said that the wheel is a fad and it will soon die out. This is a mistake. There are more riders today than ever and the prospective buyers are greater than ever before. People have become to look upon the wheel as a necessity and not a plaything. It is practical and the business man can hardly get along without it. Cycling is no fad and the sales of '96, according to all reports, will far eclipse any previous years. This is a progressive age. The hustlers get there and the bike is just the thing for the hurried business man. We may have a horseless age, but the bike is here to stay.

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HUMOR FOR THE YOUNG.

The following extracts are from examination papers recently handed in at a public school in Connecticut:

1. From what animals do we get milk? From the camel and the milkman.

2. The hen is covered with feathers. With what is the cat covered? The cat is covered with fleas.

3. Name an animal that has four legs and a long tail. A mosquito.

4. Name two kinds of nuts. Peanuts and for-get-me-nuts.—Harper's Round Table.

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Doctor—"I would advise you, dear madam, to take frequent baths, plenty of fresh air, and dress in cool gowns." Husband (an hour later)—"What did the doctor say?" Wife—"He said I ought to go to a watering place, and afterwards to the mountains, and to get some new light gowns at once."—Fliegende Blatter.

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Printers' Ink says: Some men try advertising as the Indian tried feathers. He took one feather, laid it on a board and slept on it all night. In the morning he remarked: "White man says feathers heap soft; white man d—fool."

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A story is told of a grocer engaged in business in a London suburb, to the effect that he once declined to attend a very popular concert even though a free ticket was offered him. "Ye see," he said to the person who gave him the ticket, "if I went I'd see so many people who owe me money for groceries it would spoil my fun, and the sight o' me would spoil theirs. I'll stay at home." Harper's Round Table.

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"My good man," said a serious old lady to a Hudson youth the other day, "have you ever thought how much money is thrown away every year on whisky and tobacco?" "No, mum, I hain't," replied the object spoken to, "it is taking all my spare time trying to figure out how many poor families could be clothed out of the extra cloth women are putting in their sleeves now-a-days."

"You should live near heaven,' said the preacher to the editor. 'I know it,' replied the editor, 'but these mountain lots come so high.'

Clinton Columu.

CLINTON, MICH., SEPT. 20, 1895.

A day of sport, to-morrow.

See the tug-of-war, to-morrow.

Henry Heying has moved into W. D. Fisk's house.

Geo. Kies and wife returned from Sand Lake last Wednesday.

Wm. Theisen will soon move his tailoring business to Ann Arbor.

Slade Lazelle and wife, of Caro, Mich., visited here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, of New York, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Clark.

Miss Maggie Ebbitt returned home Saturday from a visit to Detroit and Marine City.

Lawyer Freeman was in town Monday looking after the interest of his client, Wm. Dick.

Ed. Kehoe and Fred Koernig went to Toledo Saturday, and spent Sunday with relatives in that city.

Season tickets for the Tecumseh Star Entertainment Course are on sale at Lancaster's clothing store.

E. R. Smith has purchased the frame building, occupied by the Clinton Provision Co., of Schloss Bros. of Detroit.

Mrs. Patrick Noone is building a new residence on Jackson street. It is her intention to reside in Clinton in the future.

Wm. P. Campbell, a well known farmer who resided west of Clinton, near Wampler's lake, died Monday of paralysis.

J. J. White has moved his tailor shop into the pleasant new rooms in the second story of the Brainbridge & Van Tuyle building.

Lieut. Harry Kies and Cadet Floyd Rogers returned to Orchard Lake, Wednesday, to resume their school duties at the Military Academy.

Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle gave a very pleasant tea Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Angeline Conkright, who is visiting here from Pittsfield, Ill.

Frank Parker will give up his position in the woolen mill to attend Albion college during the coming year. We understand that Frank will fit himself for the ministry.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a New England supper at Town Hall, Saturday evening, Sept. 21st. Supper served from 5 to 8 p. m. All are invited to attend.

H. D. Niblack and wife went to Ypsilanti, Sunday, to attend the marriage of Mrs. Niblack's brother, which occured the first of the week. They spent the remainder of this week visiting in that city.

Wm. Dick, who was arraigned some few weeks ago, charged with the theft of oats, had his adjourned hearing before justice Smith, Monday. He was discharged, there not being sufficient evidence to establish a case.

Frank Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, and Cora Ames, of Ypsilanti, were married at the latter place last Saturday morning. The couple called on the bride's sister, Mrs. H. D. Niblack, on their way to Wampler's lake, where they will sojourn for a short time.

Loren Taylor was called to Bay View two weeks ago on account of the serious illness of Miss Bertha, who was attending the summer school at that resort. We are glad to state that Bertha was able to accompany her father home Monday much improved.

Saturday, Sept. 14th, after a short illness, little Glen, aged 8 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Marshall, of Clinton, passed away to be with Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not; for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have our sympathy in their deep bereavement. May the Lord of all mercy be with them in this trial of affliction. In the absence of Rev T. H. Warner of the Congregational church of which Mrs. Marshall is a member, Rev. C. C. Marshall of the Baptist church conducted the funeral.

Two weeks ago to-morrow, the schools celebrated a field day, which was so keenly enjoyed by them, as well as the towns-people, that the zest for sport there engendered has developed into arrangements for a great "Day of Sport" to be celebrated to-morrow. This day will have the support, as well as the interest of the entire town. The sports will be confined to the afternoon, and everybody will either take part or look on. A large fund has been raised for disposal by the committee on sports in the way of prizes, and these liberal offers have attracted a large number of entries in the various contests. This kind of sport has become very popular throughout the state, and Clinton will not be behind either in the character and quality of the sports, or in the enthusiasm of her citizens. Turn out. It will be a great day. The following is a schedule of events without giving particulars in each race: Bicycle races: Five mile handicap, one mile open, 3 mile lap, 1 mile race for boys under 16, one mile to nship championship, one-half mile ladies' race. Other races: Fat man's race, open only to 200 lbs. or over, sack race, wheel-barrow race, 100 yard foot race. The last and greatest event will be an old fashioned tug-of-war between 25 emyloyees of the woolen mill and as many stalwart young men of main street. The K. O. T. M. band will furnish music for the occasion. A good course has been prepared for the wheel races, and all details carefully looked after. Turn out. The affair is in charge of the following officers: F. D. Lancaster, Pres.; E. L. Parker, Secy.; A. F. Kishpaugh, Treas. For terms of entry apply to the Secretary.

Before going on a sea-voyage or into the country, be sure and put a box of Ayer's Pills in your valise. You may have occasion to thank us for this hint. To relieve constipation, billiousness, and nausea, Ayer's Pills are the best in the world. They are also easy to take. 1w

Clerk: You will need 12 yards for a bathing suit, miss. Fair Customer: Gracious! Why, last year it took only three. Clerk: I know, but this year they are wearing them with puffed sleeves.

Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's true remedy for constipation and kindred ills. It acts directly on the bowels, the liver, the skin, and while cleansing the blood imparts strength to the digestive organs. 1w

THE FAMILY LOG BOOK.

A Suggestion Worth Making a Note of and Profiting by.

Perhaps one of the most amusing and absorbing diversions is the keeping of a family logbook—not an egotistical diary but a big open volume in which the family doings are recorded—each member of the family taking, in turn, the duty of setting down the day's events, and each vying with the other in making this family history as gay and pleasant as possible, writes Elizabeth Bisland in "When Living in the Country," in the August Ladies' Home Journal. An endless series of interests and amusements will arise from this practice, and the book will gain infinitely in attraction if it is illustrated. If some one in the household is clever with the pencil, so much the better, but occasionally the crude attempts of the unskilled are quite as amusing as if better done, and in any event one always has the illustrated papers and magazines to fall back upon. It will astonish those who have never tried to find how completely and cleverly any story can be illustrated by clipped pictures. The whole picture need not be used, a horse, a man, a dog, a house or tree may be taken out of some complete story, and made to fit in as appropriately to the text as if drawn specially for it.

Let the logbook lie close at hand, with ink and pens always ready; a box of clipped pictures, a gum bottle and scissors always in place, and before long the family history will be growing into a delightful illustrated story.—Exchange.

Use Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

WE WANT TO TELL YOU

Why Your Back is Lame—Why it Aches and Pains, and How to Cure it.

Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe billious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and won'dered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

The Queen & Crescent Route to Chickamauga.

G. A. R. members and their friends will all want to attend the great National Park dedication at Chickamauga this fall. It will be a notable event. Do you want to know how to make the trip, and what you'll see when you reach the jouney's end? Write to W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A. of the Queen & Crescent Route, Cicinnati. Illustrated and descriptive matter upon application. The Queen & Crescent Route to Chatanooga is the shortest line, and has an incomparable service of handsome trains of standard day coaches. Thro' sleepers, parlor, cafe and observation cars from Cincinnati. Quick schedules and magnificent scenery en route help to make the Queen & Crescent the Southern route par excellence.

Worms In Children.

symptoms of which are restlessness, and grinding of the teeth in sleep, bad breath, itching of the nose, pain in stomach, hardness and swelling of the abdomen and convulsions. A safe, sure and pleasant remedy for these complaints is Foley's Family Favorite Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & Temple. Sept.

The coming woman, it seems, is coming on a bicycle; at least that is the way she is always pictured.

When a person begins to grow thin there is something wrong. The waste is greater than the supply and it is only a question of time when the end must come. In nine cases out of ten the trouble is with the digestive organs. If you can restore them to a healthy condition you will stop the waste, put on new flesh and cause them to feel better in every way. The food they eat will be digested and appropriated to the needs of the system, and a normal appetite will appear. Consumption frequently follows a wasting of bodily tissue because nearly all consumptives have indigest on. The Shaker Digestive Cordial will restore the stomach to a healthy condition in a vast majority of cases. Get one of their books from your druggist and learn about this new and valuable remedy.

When the children need Castor oil give them Laxol,—it is palatable. 1w

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NEWS NOTES.

William Anderson, a prominent farmer, and two young ladies named Miss Anna and Etta Rock were fatally injured by being thrown from a carriage at Williamstown, Ind.

The college at Beloit, Wis., opened with women enrolled as students for the first time in its history.

Cuban rebels captured and sacked the town of Banes, on the northern coast, and had possession of the seaport and fort.

The State bank at Perry, O. T., one of the leading banks of that city, failed for $80,000.

An expedition, consisting of several hundred well equipped men, left Key West, Fla., to aid the Cuban insurgents.

At Summerfield, Kan., A. A. Gerhart's livery barn was burned and fifteen head of horses were cremated.

Two little girls, daughters of Thomas Thompson, a farmer near Illiopolis, Ill., were poisoned to death by eating elderberries.

It was reported that two Englishmen traveling in the Congo Free State were murdered and eaten by natives.

Forty business houses and many residences were burned at Dodge, Neb., the damage being over $100,000.

An opinion by Chief Justice Hurt at Dallas says that there is no law against prize fighting in Texas.

George W. Singer, aged 75, postmaster and keeper of a small general store at Dunfee, Ind., was murdered in his bed and robbed of $200.

The National Association of Labor Statisticians met in Minneapolis.

Republicans of New York in convention at Saratoga made the following nominations: Secretary of state, John Palmer, of Albany; comptroller, James E. Roberts, of Erie; state treasurer, A. B. Colvin, of Warren; state engineer, C. W. Adams, of Oneida; attorney general, F. E. Hancock, of Onondaga; judge of the court of appeals, Celora E. Martin, of Broome. The platform scores the democratic administration for failing to defend the rights of American citizens in foreign countries, the tariff and the handling of the deficiency question by the last democratic congress receive condemnation; a sound and stable currency, giving the people a dollar's worth for a dollar, is indorsed; Gov Morton's wise and patriotic administration is praised and his candidacy for president formally launched, and the enforcement of the state Sunday liquor law and the preservation of the Sabbath are demanded.

Scolding.

The cook within the kitchen stood,
Her hands upon her hips,
And many were the angry words
That came pouring from her lips.

Her victim was the grocery-boy,
And lotty thus spake she:
Oh, what a little fool you are,
To bring such stuff to me.

Take high priced baking powder back,
And bring me "Calumet."
And if he did not go straightway,
She'd likely scolding yet.

"This is a terrible world," said the misanthrope; "a dreadful world." "Ya-as-as," replied Cholly; "it does seem so at times. Still, the Pwince of Wales lives on it, you know."

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been used for forty years and has never yet failed to cure a case of diarrhoea, dysentery, or summer complaint in any of its various forms. 1w

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NOTICE OF DRAIN LETTING.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, George East, Township Drain Commissioner of the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, will, on the 14th day of October A. D. 1895, at the residence of Fred Miller, in the said township of Macon, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as "Karcher Drain No. 6" located and established in the said township of Macon and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake situated 470 ft. E and 70 ft. S from N E corner N fractional part N ½ N E ¼ Sec 12, T 5, S R 5 E, Michigan, owned by Fred Miller; thence N 29½ degs W 170 ft, thence N 8 degs E 280 ft, thence S 81 degs E 330 ft, thence N 81½ degs E 100 ft, thence N 16 degs E 210 ft, thence N 8 degs W 20 ft, to a point on the section line S E fractional ¼ Sec 13, owned by Abraham Harrington, and 790 ft E S W cor thereof; thence N 2 degs W 989 ft, thence N 87½ degs E 330 ft, thence N 45 degs E 190 ft, thence N 88 degs E 450 ft, thence N 61 degs E 320 ft, thence N 4 degs E 250 ft, thence N 43 degs E 240 ft, thence N 67½ degs E 500 ft, thence N 88 degs E 265 ft, to a point in the W L N W fractional ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, owned by Lewis Martin, and 1265 ft S N W cor thereof; thence N 5 degs E on Sec line 985 ft, thence N 32 degs E 170 ft; thence N 87½ degs E 470 ft, thence E 170 ft, to a point in the W L fractional N W ¼ S W ¼ sec 14 owned by Joseph Harrington, and 10 ft S 45 degs E N W cor thereof; thence E 600 ft, thence N 39½ degs E 10 ft, to a point in the S L S ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, owned by Chas. Hendershot, and 1345 ft E N W cor thereof; thence N 19½ degs E 1009 ft, thence N 21 degs E 470 ft thence N 30 degs E 180 ft, to a point in the S L E pt N ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, owned by D. C. Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, and 515 ft W S E cor thereof; thence N 30 degs E 50 ft, thence N 2½ degs E 80 ft, thence N 45½ degs E 280 ft, thence N 345 ft, to a point in the S L E ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, owned by Fred Miller and John Smith, and 10 ft W S E cor thereof; thence N 25 ft, thence W 1310 ft, to a point in the E L S W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, owned by Henry Karcher, and 20 ft N S E cor thereof; thence W 130 ft, to a stake set for terminus of drain at said point. Total length of drain, 1,780 ft; greatest depth, 6.6 ft; extreme width on top, 14.2 ft; width on bottom 1.0 ft. Stakes were set every 100 ft.

The length of said drain upon each of the above described parcels of land is as follows: Fred Miller, N part N W ¼ N E ¼ Sec 12, T 5, S R 5 E, 129 ft; Lewis Martin N W frac ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E 1615 ft; Abraham Harrington S E frac ¼ Sec 13, T 5, S R 5 E, 2405 ft; D. C., Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, E part N ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, T 5 S R 5 E, 1675 feet; Joseph Harrington, part N W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 18, T 5, S R 5 E, 810 ft; Fred Miller and John Smith, E ½ S W ¼ Sec 11, T 5 S R 5 E 1305 ft; Charles Hendershot, E ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E, 1650 ft; Henry Karcher, S W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, T 5, S R 5 E, 1300 ft.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first and the remaining sections in their order up stream in accordance with the diagram now on file with other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the township clerk, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract and the terms of payment therefor shall be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is further hereby given, that at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the drain commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessment for benefits and the land comprised within the "Karcher Drain No. 6, Special Assessment District," will be subject to review.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the special assessment district of said Drain viz:

Abraham Harrington, se frac ¼ sec 13, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lewis Martin, nw frac ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Joseph Harrington, pt nw ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Charles Hendershot, e ½ nw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lizzie Boyd and T. S. Boyd, lots on e pt of ½ nw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller, n frac pt nw ¼, ne ¼ sec 22, t 5 s r 5 e.

Abraham Harrington, se frac ¼ sec 13, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lewis Martin, nw frac ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Joseph Harrington, pt nw qr sw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Charles Hendershot, e ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

D. C., Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, e pt n ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller and John Smith, e ½ sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Henry Karcher, sw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Chester Gooding, w ½ e ½ sw qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on east side.

Martin Gooding, e ½ e ½ sw qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

S. S. Camburn Estate, s ½ e ¼ w ¼ ne qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on south side.

Hebron Camburn, e ½ nw qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e, 10 acres on east side.

Catharine Ellison, w ½ e qr ne qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Garig Harring, so 20 a w qr sw qr, sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on south side.

Sarah J. Osgood, n 21 a e ¼ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Isaiah Hendershot, n ¼ nw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

John B. Harring, e ½ nw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

John Smith, w ½ e ½ sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller, e ½ se qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Jane A. Boyd, w 35 a w ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

John Smith, e ¼ n ½ ne qr ne qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

John McKendry, w ¼ w ¼ ne qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lester B. Ayers, w ¼ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lot of Thomas Murphy bounded on the north by section line and land of Warren Adler, on the east and south by Ridge Road and land of Charles Hendershot, and on the west by land of T. S. Boyd, Township of Macon at large.

Joseph Harrington, e ½ of se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Harriet Hand, s pt e ¼ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Dated September 20, 1895.

GEORGE EAST,
Drain Commissioner Township of Macon.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 2d of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres in the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-one (21), township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee on the 5th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 12th day of August 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

John E. Bird, Attorney.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Margeson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John L. Vanboren and Burton A Garlinghouse, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased praying that they may be empowered and licensed to mortgage the real estate in said petition described for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of September, 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Tecumseh Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

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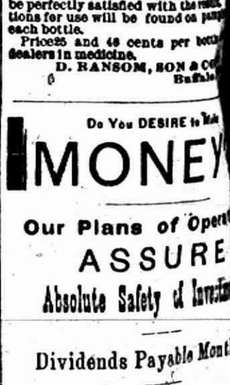

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ghborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Mathew Yates is reported on the

Brown was a Detroit passenger

Osgood made a short trip to Monday.

Beals, of Ypsilanti, spent Tues- ht in town.

Kniffin was a Marshall visitor turday till Monday.

is considerable sickness abroad parts at present.

Hause is moving his household to Clinton this week.

Dexter, bay merchant of De- as here Friday on business.

a number from here are taking ights at the Dundee fair this

s Helm is the possessor of a ew sole-saving outfit. All work teed.

and Mrs. Hawks visited Mrs. mother and family in Tecumseh nday.

k Gibson has bought the Elder t place and will take possession Nov. 1st.

Clark is once more about town, h as yet not able to resume his as operator.

mie, the infant son of Darius and hretta Curtis, died Sunday night. funeral was held Tuesday.

e dance Thursday night under the ices of the B. B. B. A. was a very yable affair, though the attendance not large.

rence Lowe came home from ilton, Ind., last Thursday, return- Monday. He is holding the sphere hat team.

rn Biggs went to Hamilton, Ind., nesday, to pitch a game of ball for Hamilton team. He may possibly in the balance of the season.

weary correspondent is waiting the promoters of the north side ad- ition to build a trolley line out to their ith ward, that he may ride out and te it up.

The Jackson Athletic Club will play he Giants here two weeks from to-mor- ow. This stands in evidence that e is not a particle of ill feeling be- n the clubs.

Lewis returned to Addison on day afternoon, Mr. Niblack now able to attend to the work of his ing store here. Bert is again here hind the counter, however.

Wm. S. Osborn, who lived some miles east of this place and who was known to citizens of Britton, died ay night. The funeral was held esday, the remains being buried nge Hall.

Woman's Home Missionary y held their meeting and election cers at the Christian church last esday evening. A supper was served at the church. We were to get the results of the meet- this week's issue.

The Wabash pay car dispensed its y's allowance of stipendfary nts to its employees at this last Wednesday. We hardly n which side of the financial the Wabash tracks are laid, ch check is pretty good col-

eek Thursday the Deerfields ittle game on our grounds which ry interesting and even contest went. It only went as far however. At about this the captain of the visiting third base. This was all ue umpire had not seen him, ortunately for his laudable am- to again cross the paternal stone that all-seeing autocrat s eagle eye upon him, and called t. The ambitious boy wo nklin, owever, so got in his w on and me, taking s players with his ended that game with the head 8 to 7.

A Pretty Face

sult of a healthy physical con- "Beauty is but skin deep," yet y depends on a clear complex- e from wrinkles and hollow Health always brings wealth y. A healthy state of the sys- es with Doctor Pierce's Favor- cription. It's a medicine pre- or woman's ailments—it cures derangements and weaknesses ake woman's life miserable. A who neglects to take proper ex- particularly prone to excessive tion, debility and a sluggish tion. This is the time we ad- the Prescription. In all derange- ts and displacements of the special ns which result in signs of inflam- on in catarrhal discharges from ining membranes, and distressing ualarities—the medicine effects per- and permanent cures. 1w

Half Rates to Adrian Fair.

unt of the Lenawee County Fair, held at Adrian Sept. 23 to 27, the & M. S. R'y will sell excursion to Adrian and return at one fare round trip, good going on date e and to return not later than s. See agents. 2w

Two Lives Saved.

Pheobe Thomas, of Junction ill., was told by her doctors she nsumption and that there was no for her, but two bottles of Dr. New Discovery completely cured d she say it saved her life. Mr. Eggers Florida St. San Fran. su from a dreadful cold, ption, tried without hing else then bought one King's New Discovery and eeks was cured. He is natural- kful. is such results, of these are samples, that prove onderful efficacy of this medicine ghs and colds. Free trial bottles & Temple's drug store. Regular 0c. and $1.00. 5

ed the bold navigator. 'Bring glass.' He scanned the horizon ly. 'Another glass. Ha!' After econd glass he had no trouble ver in discerning the outline of a rpent which was signaling that its ng gear was not under good con-

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

E. L. Lowe is slowly recovering from his sickness.

Nearly a dozen went to Toledo Sunday on the excursion.

Mrs. Cansfield attended conference at Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Postmaster Santus is confined to his bed at the home of S. P. Smith.

Rev. H. Cansfield will remain as pastor of this charge for another year.

Elmer Linn and Edna Swick spent Wednesday with friends at London.

Charles Mordoff, of Columbus, Ohio, was the guest of Lou M. Arner, Friday afternoon.

T. H. Temple attended Conference held at Ann Arbor last week, returning home Monday.

There was no meeting here last Sunday and quite a number attended divine service at Britton.

Kittie Clark, went to Ypsilanti Saturday. She expects to take a course in art and music at the Normal.

Mrs. Shaw and daughter Carrie, of Adrian, were the guests of Mrs. Samuel Helm, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah J. Camburn and son, Laverne, of Saline, spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Sarah Pocklington and family.

Mrs. Foster, of Toledo, and Mrs. Gobbert, of Salem, Ind., made Mrs. A. J. Sutton a short visit Thursday of last week.

Henry and Edward Palmer, with their wives were called to Adrian last week Thursday to attend the funeral of their little nephew, Paul Palmer.

A. J. Terwilliger, after a two weeks vacation, of which he spent a portion with his best lady, Miss Emma Miller, returned to his home at Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter, Leila, spent Sunday with friends at Gull lake, Mrs. Sutton returning Monday; Leila will visit Mrs. Floyd Yinger, of Marshall, before her return.

Miss Edith Collins, of Blissfield, desires to announce to the public through the Rambler in the HERALD, that she will be in the village at her former place of business, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Arner, with a new stock of Millinery goods, containing the latest novelties, in a few days.

Through the kindness of S. H. Linn we were the recipient of some of his fine peaches. From one tree that was set three years ago last May, he picked nearly a bushel of extra large ones. They averaged 9 1-4 inches in circumference by actual measurement. They were of the Elburtis variety.

We heartily indorse the sentiment expressed by the correspondent of the Franklin Facts, in last week's issue in regard to the persons, let them be boys or men who infest melon patches or orchards, and think if the law was inforced to its fullest extent that there might be respect shown to sex and age at least.

Card of Thanks.

We desire in a feebie way, to express our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who lent such valuable aid during the sickness and at the death, of our lear boy Eugene; also to the ladies of the W. C. T. U., and friends for the beautiful floral pieces and flowers, and to the choir for their appropriate selections.

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A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief. 1w

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"Matron of a Benevolent Home and knowing the good Dr. Miles' Nervine has done me, my wish to help others, overcomes my dislike for the publicity, this letter may give me. In Nov. and Dec., 1893, ***The inmates had the "LaGrippe,"*** and I was one of the first. Resuming duty too soon, with the care of so many sick, I did not regain my health, and in a month ***I became so debilitated and nervous*** from sleeplessness and the drafts made on my vitality, that it was a question if I could go on. A dear friend advised me to try ***Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.*** I took 2 bottles and am happy to say, I am in better health than ever. I still continue ***its occasional use, as a nerve food,*** as my work is very trying. A letter addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., will reach me."

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ALLISON'S ESCAPE.

"Speakin of blood," said the old cattleman, "reminds me of a time Clay Allison had in Las Animas about 20 years ago. I think it was the same day Clay adjourned court. You see they'd been holdin court for a couple of weeks already, an Clay allowed that ought to be enough.

"'There ain't nothin unsettles society like holdin too much court,' says Clay, so he saddles his old white warhorse Bill, and he rides slap in where the jedge is a-settin.

"'Jedge,' says he, 'there's a delegation of people down to the Full Blown Rose saloon been a-caucusin, an they thinks you all have done enough for once an had better quit an call it a day. What do you think yerself?'

"'Vox populi vox rock an rye,' says the jedge. 'Adjourn this yere court until some time next fall.' So they all goes down to the Rose an gets a drink.

"But I starts to tell you about somethin else. It was this yere same day in the evenin, an the dance hall was a-drawin like a furnace, an was mighty near as hot, when along comes Clay Allison. He's been around town all day, sorter feverish an restless, an bein, as I say, kinder fretful, he picks up a pitcher of water an pours it down the sheriff's back. Clay didn't have no particular meanin in it, but the sheriff takes it hard, an goes away a-cussin as how he'll braid some mule's tail (names not being called) before mornin.

"But about this wet sheriff. Well, after we'd forgot him, an long after he'd got dry, do you know, this malicious, revenge harborin cuss gets a shotgun an stands outside in the dark, an, aiming through an open winder, chucks a load into John Allison, who is a brother of Clay's, jest as John was cavortin to the call of 'balance all.' Clay was in the same set, an lightnin wasn't quicker. His six shooter comes to the front, an a bullet goes lookin for that sheriff before the flash of his shotgun has faded into the night.

"Did it ketch him? Well, I believe you, my son. His deputies struggled along without him after that. John got well, though. Some of the girls took him an pulled him through. It was jest as well, too, for if he an the sheriff had both cashed in an their trails ever crossed up above, there'd have been a row as would have caused some flutterin among any angels that might 'a' been hoverin contiguous thereunto. They came pretty near lynching Clay that same night. The Las Animas people took him an called the committee together to talk it over. I mind one old shorthorn now, the chief of the committee, as he made his speech.

"'I don't much mind this particular killin,' he says. 'Water wouldn't hurt this yere sheriff at all. My own opinion is most of 'em git a heap too little of it as it stands. But jest the same, we might as well hang this yere man Clay Allison. He's made this state of Colorado a heap of trouble. Always gittin drunk on us an pesterin round for a row; always a-ridin an a-yellin an a-shootin up the town, so I say, bein a quiet man myse'f, an wantin a quiet place to live in an pass my declinin years in peace, that we do take this man Clay Allison to a place convenient for our purpose an string him up.'

"Then a little, knotty, black whiskered man, with an eye that glanced like a knife, gits up an speaks:

"'The chief's sentiments is my sentiments,' says he, 'an I moves, so that it won't be overlooked nor missed, that we proceed at once an git the hangin over. I would suggest as a place possessin the advantages we desire the sign as stands over the sidewalk in front of the First National bank, it bein strong 'nuf to stand pullin the rope over, which is all we needs.'

"'As it's gettin late,' says the chief, 'unless I hears objection,' the remarks of Locoed Charlie'—which was the last man's name—'will be taken as the census of this yere meetin, an it's hang she is. Do I hear any remarks?

"'Am I in on this yere talk,' asked Allison, gittin up whar a couple of the strangers was guardin of him, 'or don't I git no hand at all? I'd like to know.'

"'Make yer little speech an ease yer mind, Mr. Allison,' says the chief. 'This yere is a square American deal, an yer remarks are in order.'

"'Well, then,' says Clay, 'what I wants to say is this: I don't like the deal. There's altogether too much fuss over this yere sheriff. He was nuthin but a panhandle hoss thief, an I knows it. For this yere camp to git to rarin back on its hind legs an raisin the long yell over a dead hoss thief is too many fur me. But the fact is this outfit's gittin too aristocratic; too many frills an too much style fur me. The people of this yere town of Las Animas are gittin too d——d particular to take their regular drinks. I'd"—

"'Stop right thar,' says the chief, motionin for the guard to set Clay down. 'There ain't no parliamentary president ever took no cussin yit, an I don't take none. Yer out of order, an you've got to keep still. When a man's out of order once, he can't talk no more that meetin.'

"'Mr. President,' says a man that owns the lumber yard, 'I'd like to say a word. I count myse'f one of the decent people of this town, an I want it understood I'm in favor of hangin this yere man. But I'd like to request a postponement of one day to move my family. The fact is, the spring round up has brought a passel of the boys to town, an I s'pose there's 200 more within ten miles. This Allison is popular with these cow people, most likely 'cause they don't see much of him as individuals, an I'm ready to bet by the time we gets him hung they'll burn the town. This bein true, Mr. President, I asks for time to move my family before the thing begins.'

"'I've been thinkin this thing over,' says the chief, 'an there's somethin in this town hurnin talk—'nuf, anyway, to create a doubt. It's a roole of law that all doubts goes to a prisoner; same as it is that all chips on the floor goes to the house; so I reckon we'll postpone this hangin an convene a grand jury on the matter yereafter in reg'lar form.'

"Clay is tried afterward reg'lar, an they throws him loose on the ground of self defense. The jury said a shotgun usually has two barrels, an when Clay sees John git one he has a right to figger on stoppin the other onless he gits a move on himse'f, so they lets him go."—New York Times.

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THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT.

A Trip to Louisville, Ky., Bowling Green and Nashville, Tenn., and Return.

Leaving Tecumseh Tuesday morning, Sept. 10th, over the L. S. & M. S. R'y, at Lenawee Junction we first encountered a large delegation of the old veterans, in a special car, from Hudson, Clayton and Adrian; many with their wives, to make the journey more enjoyable by the presence of the loyal ladies of the W. R. C. At Blissfield, still another delegation awaited our coming and our special car was filled, every seat being occupied. Before reaching the special at Lenawee Junction, my eyes first rested on an old comrade of my company, Sergeant Darwin H. Warren, of Clayton, who had held in reserve a seat for me, and we, like brothers and comrades, seated, bunked and marched together all during the trip. I will say just here that I had splendid company in Comrade Warren. Whether he had the same or not, I leave you to find out from him. We mutually agreed not to peach on each other.

Arriving at Toledo we were met by our old genial comrade, Stim. G. Harvey, who had worked hard and long in behalf of the southern Michigan G. A. R. boys for pleasant and comfortable accommodations for our journey. We found our car that we boardrd at Lenawee Junction chartered for the long trip to Louisville. Therefore, no change at Toledo, as we were transferred across the Maumee river to the Ohio Central line where we were attached to a special train of eleven coaches, ten being occupied by passengers and one car exclusive for commissaries, eatables, hot coffee, thunder pop and pop that made thunder after a while. At the appointed time the familiar words came, "All aboard!" and again the boys in blue were spinning their way southward to Dixie's Land.

Journeying through Ohio we passed through the heavy belt of oil fields, with their towering derricks, mammoth tanks for oil, pipe lines running in all directions, and the mammoth engines pumping oil from these tanks through pipe lines to Chicago. The flames from the natural gas burned brightly, as if they were trying to out-do the Thompson-Houston electrical plants.

Arriving at Cincinnati just as the shades of twilight were creeping over the southern sky, we crossed the Ohio river into Covington, Ky. As we crossed the Lexington Pike, Warren and myself fancied we could pick out the exact spot where, 33 years ago, the 18th was halted to await the transportation of our baggage and commisaries to our first camp on southern soil,—Camp Mitchel. Yes, Darwin, and there is the bakery we bought out with Erie & Kalamazoo. Our train had scarcely stopped when the venders of pies, cakes, pones, melons and fruit of all kinds were hoisting their wares to the car windows, offering great inducements to buy. A colored lad being questioned as to the ripeness of his melons said, "Oh, yes, massa; so ripe, so sweet, you certainly would buy two if you just got a chew at it." I bought a pie along the route, and trying to divide with Comrade Warren he saw I was having some trouble to separate the crust and said: "Hank, which is it, sewed or pegged?" I replied that it was soldered.

Down and up and over the mountains, through the many tunnels, we thundered our way on to Louisville, arriving there about four hours late from schedule time. Much of this time was taken up in the city limits of Louisville. Finally, at 11:40, we reached the great union depot, where a motley throng awaited the coming of the Grand Army, that was by thousands invading the city. Monday and Tuesday, both night and day, a constant stream of G. A. R.'s and sightseers had been flocking in by every conceivable way. At 12 o'clock we marched through the rotunda out into Broad street, a surging mass of humanity. We made our way out by the gigantic electric light that shone by reflection on colored glass of red, white and blue, emblems of our flag and nation. The escort soon found where our quarters were. An aide was detailed who showed us up Broad street to 6th street, where we found a large, commodious school building in readiness for us,—seats removed and matresses provided. We laid our weary limbs to rest, well satisfied that the loyal citizens of Louisville had made ample accommodations for lodging the boys.

A partial night's rest much refreshed us and we started out to view the city in its gorgeous array, seemingly festooned from the humble Negro's hut to the mansions on Broad street. On some of the business places, several thousands of dollars was said to have been spent in those wonderful electrical displays, which my pen and power of description cannot portray. As suddenly as a flash, near a point I had just passed on Broad street, came the thundering report of artillery, and taking for granted that a sunrise salute was being given, I turned and looked back up the block, where all seemed dark. Volumes of smoke were arising and figures were seen running this way and that. An electric car came up the street, clanking its alarm, and I made a rush for it. The moterman said: "There is some trouble ahead." What is it? "Horrible! There is a dead man, and there another." The cannons were across the car track. He gripped the lever and the car stopped on the scene. Oh! horror of horrors! The magazine of the battery had exploded and of the boys, eight in number, five were lying dead, one missing and two badly wounded. I was among the first that arrived on the scene. The men killed were from Battery A of the Loyal Legion of Louisville.

But break away from this appalling scene, as we did in '61 and '65; close up your ranks and march on.

The great parade began to form and I hied myself to the Louisville House, where Michigan headquarters were, there met our department commander, Judge Daboll, reported Beers Post present and accounted for, 111 strong—lacking two figures. Michigan was assigned to the 4th Grand Division, with Maryland, Nebraska, Iowa and Indiana, which formed a small part, on Wednesday, of this monster parade, every state in the union being represented.

The day's work done, then came the rush—every man for himself. To get to his quarters, or out of the city for home, was simply a roiler process. My friend, Warren, persuaded me to go farther south. So, at 12 o'clock that evening, we took the train on the L. & N. to Nashville, Tenn., arriving there at 8 o'clock in the morning. Our principal visits were to the Capitol building, the court house, the old Zollecoffer Barracks (now the Maxwell House), Fort Negley, College Hill, Nashville & Chattanooga depot, and the old military prison, or the Tennessee State Prison. Mrs. A. B. Shankland, a mother to many a Union seldier, was called upon and a royal welcome was extended. The daughter, Lilley, and Mrs. Shankland live just where they did, next to President Polk. Mrs. S. is now 76 years old, yet she retains her strong memory, inquiring for many of the old comrades and wished to be remembered to you. I will say our visit was most enjoyable. The prison was the most natural point we reached as to structure—not a brick added and not one lost. Five posts are still maintained on the walls and the watchful eyes of the sentinel is the same for prisoners of today as in '61 and '65.

Homeward bound with a rush. We left Nashville at 8 o'clock in the evening, passed Bowling Green at 12 o'clock and arrived at Louisville about 2 o'clock in the morning. Without change of car we sped on to Cincinnati, arriving there about 8 o'clock, again crossing the Ohio, intending to reach Toledo for the evening train, but we were 45 minutes late and did not arrive home until Saturday noon.

H. W. STEVENS.

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IMPASSIONED LOGIC.

A Second Speech to The Christian Endeavorers.

When Mr. Woolley arose to speak he was given quite a reception. He said in part:

"Whatever we do we do to the glory of God and in the name of Jesus Christ. When you see a man go to the polls with a saloon keeper at his side and a brewer behind him and a brothel-keeper in his company and vote the same ticket, it is exactly as if that man went to the polls and prayed Almighty God: 'Dry up the saloons, but don't let them be dried up at the expense of my party or by the fanatical interposition of the third party; dry up the saloons, but let us down by the Scandinavian system. When a man votes he prays. When I staggered up against Jesus Christ and got a glimpse of glory I found that there was a place where a drunkard could find rest and a condition that would stop drunkenness, and that he could make his way through this drink cursed country. No saloon keeper troubled me, for I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus Christ. (Applause)

From that morning I said, so help me God, I will vote no ticket at any election that does not mean death to the saloon. (Great applause.)

When my Quaker friend says he will use any of the political parties, I part company with him. I will use no dirty thing to serve my Saviour with. I will use no soiled, godless thing to honor Jesus with. (Applause.) There is much good in them all, but when you come to take the political machines by which to express Christian citizenship in opposition to the saloon the Republican party is contemptible, and so as to all the other things I am ready to take off my hat to them all, but if you mean to kill the saloon and the liquor traffic you must let them alone and hope that in time they will become prohibition parties. (Applause.) I say when that time comes I will go back into the Republican party, out of which I came; but while the Republican ticket means license of any sort, so help me God, I hope my hand will wither before I put such a ticket into the ballot box. If that is heresy, I cannot help it. (Applause and a voice, "It is not.")

I have got to stand as straight as a church spire for God or else go back to the slums. When a church spire bows over to take the arm of a saloon keeper on election day, to go to the polls, that church spire is out of plumb.

What's the matter with the country? Men say the trouble is the demontization of silver or the McKinley law perhaps. The matter is not money, tariff or the lack of it. It is the lack of confidence in the people who do the politics of the country. It is the general spirit of devilry in the land. (Applause.) Ninety-five per cent of the voters are teaching their sons that it is not good politics to be dead square with Jesus Christ on election day. (Applause.

Whenever a man prays down with the saloon and votes against the saloon, then he will begin to have prayer answered. There are too many kinds of Christians—a kind for election day, for Sunday and for other days—but there is only one kind of truth and Christianity.—(Applause.)

It is like the dog taken into the woods to find a lost child as playmate, but which went after a rabbit, a chipmunk and a pheasant according as he scented them, and of which the master's servant said 'We can't depend upon him. There are too many kinds of dog in him.' (Laughter and applause.) That's the matter. There are too many kinds of Christianity. Let us speak one voice and stand together like a wall for the destruction of the liquor traffic in this country. It is perfectly possible for the Christian Endeavor to do such things and before the campaign of 1896 begin to dethrone King Alcohol. The exasperating thing to me is I hear a man of God in the pulpit making a terrific attack on the liquor traffic. His whole soul is evidently stirred to its very depths with indignation for 40 minutes, and then he spends the remaining five saying he did not mean it if it would hurt the party of the rich parishioner in the front pew. No minister should apologize at the end. (Great applause.)

I want to beg of the young men and women of the Christian Endeavor to prove that we believe in Jesus Christ. It will be possible then for us to get out into the highways and bring people in, and when it is known that the church has power and will stand fast when it is embarrassing to serve God the drunkard and the harlots and such people will crowd our missions and the altars of our churches faster than we can take them in and baptize them. (Applause.) We will never have a great revival of religion in this country until the voting members of Christian churches can hold up pure and clean hands on the liquor traffic question. God can't trust such people.

Continued next week.

BATTLE CREEK EXPOSITION.

The hustling city of Battle Creek has the honor of getting up the first Y. M. C. A. Exposition in America. The affair is now in full blast, having opened Sept. 2d, and it will continue until Oct. 5th. Last Wednesday we spent a few hours in Battle Creek and took advantage of the time to visit the Exposition. We were quite surprised to see the extent and character of the show. Mr. Frank J. Kellogg is the manager and he has performed his allotted task with signal ability. The Exposition is there in all its completeness, and all that is needed now is a daily attendance in sufficient numbers to insure a financial profit. The show occupies a large three story building near the postoffice in a central location. The lower floor is devoted to a museum and lunch room. The museum contains a wonderful collection of rare old relics and curiosities, among them being a manuscript of the Koran, over 1,000 years old, genuine autographs of Napoleon Bonaparte and Daniel Webster, and Sojourner Truth's clock. The entire list comprises several hundred articles.

The main floor is allotted to booths gotten up by the business firms of Battle Creek. There are about forty of them and they contain magnificent displays of goods and wares of every kind. The third floor is devoted to an art gallery and concert hall. The former contains a very fine collection of paintings, Gen. Alger's gallery at Detroit furnishing several pieces. The hall has a fine stage and seats for about 400 spectators, where programs of a literary and musical character are given every evening. The people of Battle Creek may well feel proud of their first Y. M. C. A. Exposition.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

School is in full session again with about the usual number in attendance. The prospects are good for a lively time during the coming year.

Mr. Graves has organized a class in mechanical drawing.

The Class of '98 have organized and begun their united march toward the end. Much joy and happiness to them.

Miss Sybil Stanley has been teaching the past week in Mr. Grave's place, he being absent on account of sickness.

The Sem. boys are interested in ball now. They expect to play at Holloway soon.

Mr Binford gave the Sem. a call last Friday on his way from Toronto to Richmond, Ind., where he will attend college this year.

Miss Rose Ladd, '95, called at the Sem. Saturday afternoon. She is now teaching at Rollin, Mich.

Miss Mabel Graves, '95, is teaching the Valley district school at present and calls on Seminary friends frequently.

OBITUARY.

MRS. ELIZA CRITTENDEN.

On the 31st of August at Zillah, Yakima Co. Washington, occurred the death of Mrs. Eliza Crittenden of bowel trouble. The deceased was a sister of the late John Morgan and Mrs. Elizabeth Camburn and was well and favorably known in this community, having spent the greater part of her life in and around Macon. About seven years ago they removed to Washington where she leaves a husband and two sons to mourn her departure. The many relatives and friends of Macon mourn with the family in their bereavement.

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A bill has been filed in the circuit court of Barry Co. (Hastings Mich.) by Drs. Mixer against C. M. Tower who it is alleged has been infringing on the trade-mark of Mixers Cancer and scrofula Syrup. A temporary injunction has been allowed by Judge Clement Smith restraining C. M. Tower from further use of said trade mark.

Hastings, Mich. Aug. 23, 1895.

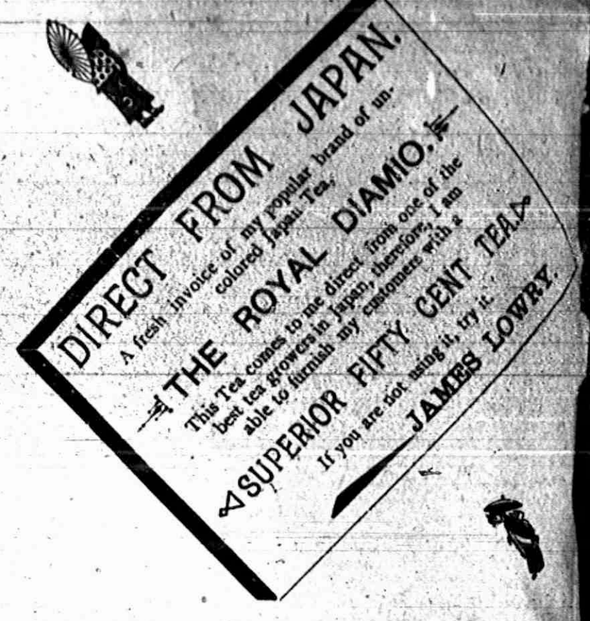
To the wholesale and retail druggists throughout the country. We desire to give you notice of an infringement on our trade mark for Mixers' Cancer and Scrofula Syrup put up by one C. M. Tower and under the name of "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." Hastings Mich. Said Tower having no right or authority to use our name, "Mixer." The wrapper of this bogus medicine bears Dr. Mixer's portrait and is very similar to our genuine wrapper, but in every case can be detected, for on the face and back of our wrappers (which contains bottle) is our signature, "Drs. Mixer" in a bold back handwriting, every bottle also has Mixer's Cancer and Scrofula Syrup" blown in three sides, the bogus medicine being put up in plain panel bottles.

We earnestly request all persons using our C. & S. S. to be particular that they buy genuine goods, for the bogus medicine is put up without regard to merit. Examine the bottle which you now have and if it is not lettered as stated, and the signature of Drs. Mixer" on both wrapper and label return the same to your druggist or agent and exact genuine C. & S. S. In all cases avoid any medicine or circulars put out by "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." or C. M. Tower. Any person coming in contact with bogus medicine as heretofore described will confer a great favor by communicating with Drs. Mixer, Hastings, Michigan.

Very respectfully yours in the interests of right and justice to all the afflicted.

DRS. MIXER.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.



THIRD AND LAST MONTH OF THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN FREE GIFTS

To Subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition.

One thousand special gifts valued at $6,907.10 were distributed to subscribers to the Twice-a-Week edition of The St. Louis Republic, who sent in their subscriptions in July, and 1,000 special gifts valued at $5,607.20 were given to those who sent in their subscriptions in August. Another list of one thousand special gifts, valued at $5,607.20 is offered to subscribers who send in their orders during September. In addition, a valuable engraving is to be given to every subscriber during this distribution, making the total value of the gifts over $53,000. The list of gifts for subscribers in September is given below. The first 700 and the last 300 subscribers during September who send correct answers to the question:

Where does the word "Paper" first occur in the Bible?

will be awarded the following gifts in the order their answers and subscriptions are received:

FIRST 700 GIFTS:

1st Correct Answer—Scholarship at Metropolitan College of Music, New York City (the leading Musical College of America).....$672.00
2—One year scholarship Clara Conway Institute, Memphis, Tenn.... 200.00
3—Scholarship Barnes' Shorthand School, Arthur J. Barnes, Prest., St. Louis..... 150.00
4—Life Scholarship Watson's Business College (successors to Leddins Business College), Memphis, Tenn.; W. T. Watson, Prin..... 150.00
5—One year scholarship Central Female College, Archibald A. Jones, Prest., Lexington, Mo..... 115.00
6—One year scholarship complete business course (actual business practice and practical bookkeeping, with banking), Jones' Commercial College, J. G. Bohmer, Prin., St. Louis..... 100.00
7—Scholarship Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y..... 100.00
8—Complete course New York College of Business..... 100.00
9—Course of shorthand and typewriting, Jones' Commercial College, St. Louis..... 100.00
10—Scholarship Christian Brothers' College, Memphis..... 100.00
11—Scholarship K. C. (Mo.) Business University..... 100.00
12—Scholarship French or German.. 70.00
13—Walter A. Wood Cyclone Mower.. 65.00
14-15—One year scholarship Springfield Normal School, Springfield, Mo., $60 each..... 120.00
16—Springfield Farm Wagon..... 60.00
17—New Home Sewing Machine..... 60.00
18-19—Round Trip, Colorado Springs via Missouri Pacific, $54.20 each.. 108.40
20—One year scholarship (literary department) Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President..... $300.00
21—Round trip ticket to Denver via Burlington Route..... 50.00
22—Fine Breech-loading Shotgun..... 50.00
23-24—Round trip to Cotton States Exposition, Atlanta, Ga.; via L. & N. and N., C. & St. L. Ry.; $37.20 each..... 74.40
25—Gold Filled Hunting Case Watch 25.00
26—Gold Filled Hunting Case Watch 25.00
27—China Dinner Set..... 25.00
28—Steamboat trip..... 25.00
29-31—Barnes' home course instruction in shorthand; $10 each..... 30.00
32—Pair Fine Opera Glasses..... 25.00
33-34—Graphic Atlas of World; $7.50 each.. 15.00
35-37—Ladies' Mackintosh, $7.00 each.. 21.00
38—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 5.00
39—Remington 32-Caliber Rifle..... 20.00
40—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 5.00
41—Remington 32-Caliber Rifle..... 20.00
42—Five Dollar Gold Piece..... 5.00
43-67—Subscription to "North American Review;" $5 each..... 125.00
68-82—Oxford Teachers Bible; $5 each 75.00
83-112—Political and Geographical Map United States (11 colors); $2 each.. 60.00
113-122—Set Rogers' Table Spoons, $3 each 30.00
114-123—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $3 each 30.00
124-138—Gold-filled Thimble, $2 each.. 30.00
139-143—Fine Umbrella, $3 each..... 15.00
144-146—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $1.25 each..... 3.75
147-171—R. & G. Corset; $1 each..... 25.00
172-322—Fine Engraving; $1 each..... 151.00
323-522—Tickets two days great St. Louis Fair, 1895, Oct. 7 to 12; $50.00 in premiums; $1 each..... 200.00
523-622—Fine Engraving; $1 each..... 100.00
623-636—Dollar Package Old Coon Smoking Tobacco; $1 each..... 14.00
637-695—Dollar Silver Dollar each..... 59.00
696-700—One Silver Dollar each..... 5.00
Total.....

LAST 300 GIFTS:

Many answers will come in late from subscribers who reside in remote parts of the United States, and in order that these may also receive handsome gifts we will give the last 300 subscribers sending correct answers (envelope to bear postmark not later than September 30, 1895, and reach Republic office not later than October 17, 1895), the following handsome and valuable gifts:

Last Correct Answer—One year scholarship Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo. Rev. W. A. Wilson, President..... $300.00
2—Scholarship (same as No. 4 1st 100) 150.00
3—Course at Memphis Kenlon Institute..... 100.00
4—Scholarship (same as No. 9 1st 100) 100.00
5—Scholarship (same as No. 9 1st 100) 100.00
6—Scholarship (same as No. 11 1st 100)..... 100.00
7—Scholarship French or German.. 70.00
8—Scholarship (same as No. 11 1st 100)..... 60.00
9—Ticket to Colorado Springs and return..... 54.20
10—Ticket to Denver and Return.... 49.00
11—Round trip to Atlanta, Exposition..... 37.20
12—Gold-filled Hunting Case Watch. 25.00
13—Steamboat trip..... 12.00
14-15—Home Course Shorthand, $10 each..... 20.00
16—Pair Fine Opera Glasses..... 5.00
17-18—Graphic Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $7.50 each..... 15.00
19-20—Fine Ladies' Mackintosh, $7 each..... 14.00
21—Solid Gold Ring, 18 karat..... 5.00
22—Remington 32-caliber Rifle..... 20.00
23—Subs. North Am. Review, $5 each.. 125.00
24-27—Gold Watch Charm..... 4.00
28—Genuine Oxford Teachers' Bible.. 5.00
29-32—Subs. Geo.-Political Map U. S., $2 each..... 8.00
33-82—Set Rogers' Table Spoons, $3 each 150.00
83-84—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $3 each 60.00
85-86—One Gold Coin..... 10.00
87-93—Gold-filled Thimble, $2 each.. 14.00
94-73—Fine Umbrella, $3 each..... 21.00
74-78—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of the World, $1.25 each..... 6.25
79-87—Fine Engraving, $1 each..... 9.00
88-103—Celebrated R. & G. Corset, $1 each..... 16.00
104-105—Ticket St. Louis Fair, $1 each 2.00
106-204—Fine Engraving, $1 each..... 99.00
205-254—Pkg. Old Coon Tobacco, $1 each 50.00
255-295—Pkg. Old Coon Tobacco, $1 each 41.00
296-300—One Silver Dollar each..... 5.00
Total.....

SUMMARY—Total value of 1,000 Special Gifts awarded for answers received prior to August 1st, $6,907.10; Total value of Special Gifts given during September, $5,607.20; Total value of Special Gifts to be given during September, $5,607.20; Total value of Special Gifts, etc., $1 each, $35,000. GRAND TOTAL, $53,021.50.

Engravings, National Capitol, etc., $1 each, $35,000. GRAND TOTAL, $53,021.50.

EVERY SUBSCRIBER SENDING AN ANSWER RECEIVES A GIFT

Subscribers sending answers too late to secure one of the first 700 special gifts will each be presented during September with a copy of the last 300 special gifts will each be presented during September too early for the last 300 special gifts will each be presented during September with a copy of the HANDSOME ART ENGRAVING, consisting of the NATIONAL CAPITOL, surrounded by a handsome border, embellished with PORTRAITS OF EVERY PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, printed on extra quality paper, size 17x24 inches, worth $1 each. Each person desiring to contest for one of the special gifts listed above must send in answer not later than September 30 an answer to the question printed above.

EVERY ANSWER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY ONE DOLLAR FOR A YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TWICE-A-WEEK REPUBLIC. All answers will be recorded the moment received. This contest will close September 30, 1895, at which time and the name and address of each subscriber securing one of the 1,000 special gifts will be published in the issue of October 17, 1895.

Address: The Twice-a-Week Republic, Republic Building, St. Louis.

TO THE PUBLIC.

OUR NEW PLANING MILL is now fully equipped with the Latest Styles of machinery, and our facilities are unsurpassed for doing all kinds of finished work for building purposes, such as Sash, Doors, Blinds and mouldings. We keep a mammoth assortment of Seasoned Lumber on hand. Special terms on car load lots, and Contractors and Builders will find it to their advantage to deal with us.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE—Four Jersey bulls. Also a car No. 1 cedar shingles at $1.25 per thousand. JOHN T. CLARK, Clinton.

WANTED—For the township of Tecumseh, A live agent for the best selling household article on the market. Big money for a live man. SPONGE RAISER AND OVEN CO., Adrian, Mich.

LOST—A lady's black material silk cape near the Brazee residence in Brownville, on Sept. 1st. Finder please leave at Herald office.

A BARGAIN—A brand new Crusader wheel, fitted for lady or gentleman, can be bought for half price. For particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

PAINTING.—M. L. Gillen is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Montague's Novelty Store.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 20, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Wait for the harvest festival.

Go to Clinton tomorrow and see the sports.

Mrs. Frank B. Deuel, of Toledo, is visiting at Fred Deuel's.

Undertaker Tansley has assumed a new role as marriage director.

Mrs. John Heesen is visiting her brother Chas. Bell in Jackson.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf is quite ill. Roy is home this week from Detroit.

Mrs. Bailey and daughter Katherine returned home to Boston Monday.

Miss Anna Nesink, of Kalamazoo, is the guest of Henry Nyland's family.

Mrs. John Heck departed Wednesday for a month's visit in South Bend.

Miss Margaret Grey, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Hartbeck this week.

Mrs. Al. Heidenrich and children were Toledo visitors the first of the week.

Tickets for our lecture course are now on sale. They should be secured at once.

Mrs. Fred Kolkloesch left Tuesday for Avon N. Y. for a visit with relatives there.

The Cotton States Exposition at Atlanta was opened in a blaze of glory last Wednesday.

Rev. J. P. Varner comes back to Tecumseh for a fourth year. This is a wise arrangement.

Mrs. Waldron, of Jackson, nee Augusta Hall, is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Slayton for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pardington, son George and little Dorothy, departed for Brooklyn, N. Y. Monday.

Clinton people turned out liberally on our Bicycle Day. Let us return the compliment tomorrow.

Tansley & Son have just received another large invoice of their great bargains in bed-room suits.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Phipps, of South Bend, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dolph Heesen this week.

The Baptist society will hold a harvest festival at the Armory Oct. 8. Look out for a good time.

Miss Elizabeth McElroy, who has been spending a vacation in this vicinity, returned to Detroit last week.

Frank H. Hall returned to Washington, D. C., Wednesday. Mrs. Hall will remain here for the present.

We are in receipt of a very fine sample of celery from the celery farm of E. Allen & Son, of Franklin.

Mrs. Judge Stacy is visiting friends at Marshall and Battle Creek this week. She expects to return next Monday.

The special Saturday sales at Tansley & Son's are very well patronized and have gold dollars to all who patronize them.

T. E. Powell, representing the Chicago Newspaper Union, was in town yesterday and gave the HERALD a business call.

Mrs. Cora Reynolds, of Dundee, visited Mrs. D. T. Hall Wednesday. Miss Reynolds is a theological student at Boston.

Mrs. Anna Mather Lovett died at her home in Owosso last Friday. The remains were brought here for burial Monday.

Landlord Patterson combined pleasure with business by riding to Chicago on his wheel the first of the week. John Campbell accompanied him on the journey.

The dedication of the Chattanooga Military Park came off yesterday. There was the largest gathering of the blue and the grey that has been seen since the war.

Miss Mathel Bolks, who has been visiting for some time at Henry Nyland's, departed for Cleveland Monday on her return home to Orange City, Iowa. Frank Nyland accompanied her to Cleveland.

Temple, McClure & Co. have added new machinery to their plant for the manufacture of celery boxes, onion, and potato crates, etc. They are furnishing many of our celery growers this season.

Mrs. Edna G. Aten departed this life Monday morning after nearly three years' suffering from consumption, being confined to her bed for over a year of that time. The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Brown officiating. The deceased leaves two motherless boys aged three and five and her husband to forever miss her care.

Tom Adamson was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Grant Fellows, of Hudson, was in town yesterday.

Wm. McKinney has been granted an original pension.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

C. F. Patterson returned this morning from Chicago—by rail.

H. T. Dunn, of St. Paul, made Tecumseh a flying visit to-day.

L. H. McConnell is doing well since the operation last week.

Robt. McClure returns to Boston today after a week's visit here.

Miss Carrie Hand is entertaining her friend, Miss M. Lee, of Rome, N. Y.

Last Sunday's excursion train to Toledo, over the Mackinaw, carried 1,650 passengers into that city.

Peter Phelps spent a few days here this week. He was on his return from the east where he witnessed the great yacht race.

L. D. Dewey has just received another large lot of timothy seed which he will sell cheaper than ever. Come and see him before you buy.

The Odd Fellows have followed the Knights of Pythias and other fraternal orders in shutting out saloon keepers and bartenders from membership in the order.

If you wish to hear the most celebrated concert company which ever visited Tecumseh, buy a season ticket. It will only cost you fifty cents more than a single ticket to this entertainment.

Miss Edith Woodward has returned to Chicago to take charge of the kindergarten work in one of the schools in that city. As there are 15,000 surplus pupils to select from, Miss Woodward should have a very select school.

The committee in charge of the star course have taken a large responsibility on their shoulders in engaging such talent as will appear here this season. Our citizens should see them through with the undertaking. Buy your tickets early.

The managers of the Lenawee County Agricultural society are bending all their energies to make the exhibit of next week a success in every particular. Reduced rates have been secured on all roads coming to the city, $1,000 have been spent in printing and advertising the fair throughout Southern Michigan, and everything has been done, with the means at command, to warrant hearty support and patronage.

Deacon Marvin Howard passed away Wednesday morning at his home west of town after an illness of several months, at the advanced age of 80 years. The funeral was held this morning at 10 o'clock at the house, Rev. B. S. Hudson, officiating. Deacon Howard has been closely identified with the Baptist church since his residence here as well as enjoying the reputation of a man and citizen of sterling worth and ability. The remains were taken to Cambridge, his old home, for interment.

Fanning & Skinner closed their series of meetings here last Friday evening with a benefit concert at the opera house. The program that night was an exceptionally good one. The vocal music was of a superior character. Mr. Fanning was in his happiest vein and the views presented were of a high order, being mostly a collection of ruins in Italy and other parts of Europe. Misses Jennie Root and Dora Grayson and the Social Concert Orchestra rendered their assistance, which was appreciated by all. Mr. Fanning gained new friends during his meetings here. Come again.

We spent three days at Marshall the first of the week and gained some new acquaintances there. Our lectures were given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Universalist church, the business being managed by Mrs. W. L. Swan, the pastor's wife, in whom the church has a most efficient and valuable worker. Our sojourn there was a very pleasant one personally, as we enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Geo. H. Sherwood, formerly Miss Lola Monaghan. Mr. Sherwood is proprietor of the steam laundry there, and the family occupy a beautiful residence on Kalamazoo Ave. We hope to visit Marshall again at some future time.

The young till tappers, Edward King aged 15 and Howard Hand aged 14, have their hearing this afternoon before Justice Wightman. They will be brought over from Adrian where they have been confined since their arrest. It appears that Ticket Agent Satterthwaite has been missing small change left in the till for some time, and became satisfied that it was being taken by theft. He put the matter in the hands of Deputy Stevens who set a trap for the offenders. Tuesday night at supper time, watch was kept in the depot. Young King came in through the window which had been let down at the top, while Hand kept watch on the outside to hold up any one who should approach from that quarter. King was "pinched" after he had procured the key and touched the Lake Shore for $1.35. He plead hard when the icy hand of the law was laid on his shoulder but it didn't melt. Hand saw the game was up and beat a retreat for home where he was soon captured. Stevens took the young culprits in charge and lodged them in the county jail the next day. This is a serious matter for the boys and the only excuse we can think of is, that perhaps the misguided youths were simply emulating the shining example of Brother Wills.

Adrian Fair next week.

Wm. H. Waring, of Decatur, Ill., is visiting his son Bert a few days this week.

Miss Mabel Hayden is entertaining Miss Tone, of Dennison, Texas, this week.

E. E. Russell and family, of Jackson, are spending a few days with Tecumseh friends.

The iron work of the new Brownville bridge is being placed on the foundations this week.

The ladies social of the Universalist church meet next week Friday, Sept. 27. Supper from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Miss Fannie Wilcox, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of her grand-mother, Mrs. E. D. Burlingame, this week.

Wednesday a very convivial picnic supper was enjoyed by about twenty of our society people in Haight's grove.

A. W. Slayton has started a retail lumber yard at Royal Oak and the prospects are favorable for a large business there.

The Gripton Bros. of Britton, will start their sorghum mill next week. The sugar cane is of excellent quality this fall.

Will D. Ross left Tuesday for St. Louis Mo. He will take charge of a large purchase of apples near that city for Gleason Bros' of LeRoy, N. Y.

H. Brewer & Co. shipped off another new tile machine last week. They are beginning to feel the revival of business and expect a good trade this fall.

Mrs. F. W. Hoyt and Mrs. G. W. Adams, of Battle Creek, visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross, the first of the week.

Mr. B. G. Wood, who is engaged on the Ireton, Iowa, Clipper, and wife, are the guests of Frank Bryan's family. Mrs. Wood is a cousin of Mrs. Bryan.

Fred Hoyt and F. A. Buechner rode down from Battle Creek one week ago last Saturday, in 8 hours. They were the guests of Mrs. Wm. Ross while here.

The Stimpson Scale Co. had a man reprsenting their firm at the State Fair last week. Their business is having a healthy growth, and they are gradually extending their lines.

The ladies' of the Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, will meet at the home of Mrs. Beamish, on Wednesday, September 25th, at 3 p. m. A good attendance is desired.

Geo. S. Tiffany has been experimenting with a new terra cotta roofing tile, and we believe he has got a good practical thing. There ought to be idle capital enough in Tecumseh to start a factory here.

Improvements are still in progress at Harris & Hiteshue's store. New shelving has been arranged on the east side of the store, reaching to the ceiling, to make more room for goods. Their new cloak room is a daisy.

A new writer, N. W. Cotton, has a very suggestive article in the September Arena outlining the plane of "A Labor Exchange," to take the place of the existing industrial system of competition among the laborers for mere existence.

Why should a young man or woman ambitious to rise in life hesitate about expense when the Fayette Normal University at Fayette, O., offers such excellent educational advantages at so small an outlay? Any kind of literary, musical or business training with many other lines of work is offered.

A paper that throws a new light on the career of Napoleon is the Hon. John Davis' criticism in the September Arena showing the extent to which Napoleon utilized and fanned the democratic spirit existing all over Europe at the time, and when it had served his purposes remorselessly crushed it beneath an iron military despotism.

At the suggestion of President Collier, the Executive Committee of the Cotton states and International Exposition has voted to make September 21st Blue and Gray Day at the Exposition. It is estimated that one hundred thousand veterans of the Union army will be at Chickamauga and Chattanooga on the 19th and 20th of September, and the majority of them will come to Atlanta on the 21st.

The Hon. Charles S. Fairchild, Ex-Secretary of the Treasury, has written for the October number of The Forum an article entitled "The Present Condition of the Silver Question in the United States." In his opinion there are no more advocates of the free-silver policy to-day than there were a year ago; he thinks that those opposed to that policy are far more outspoken now than they were then, and that the sound-money cause is rapidly gaining ground.

A series of articles on the Public Schools of the United States will be contributed to Harper's Weekly by F. M. Hewes. They are to be statistical and comparative, giving the data in regard to attendance, pupils, teachers, salaries, curricula, expenditures, city schools and high schools. They will deal with the entire subject of public-school education in the United States, and the facts in regard to the various sections will be carefully collated and compared with each other, and studied in their relation to the general status of public education in this country. They will be graphically illustrated and elucidated by means of ingenious and accurate diagrams, charts and figures. There are seven papers in all, which will begin in September and continue through the autumn.

We are pleased to state that Rev. Varner has been returned to this charge for another year. Since his return from the conference, however, he has been quite ill. On this account, no preaching services will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday. Sunday school and Epworth League meeting at usual hour.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday next: Morning—"Who can understand his errors." Evening—"The world, the flesh and the devil." Y. P. C. U., topic, Christians and the temperance question. Special meeting at the church after morning service to elect delegates to state convention at Grand Rapids, Oct. 8, 9 and 10.

To accommodate those who were disappointed last Sunday, the C. J. & M. will run another special excursion from Bryan and intermediate points to Toledo, Sunday, Sept. 22d. This is the last chance to visit the Lake Erie Park and Casino. Following will be the schedule of special train and rates of fare for the round trip: Leave Devil's Lake at 9:13 a. m., fare 90c; Onsted, 9:25, fare 90c; Sand Lake, 9:31, fare 80; Tipton, 9:39, fare 80c; Tecumseh, 9:52, fare 75c; Ridgeway, 10:01, fare 75c; Britton, 10:05, fare 75c; Rea, 10:17, fare 75c; Dundee, 10:26, arriving at Toledo at 11:15. Returning special train will leave Cherry street depot at 6:30 p. m., standard time. Plenty of coaches will be provided for this occasion. Tickets good returning on special train Sunday, Sept. 22d, and on regular trains Monday, Sept. 23d.

—A FEW THINGS WORTH REMEMBERING.—

Remember that my goods are all new. There is no old nor shelf-worn goods to choose from, as every yard was bought new at the time of opening up business. Remember that I import them direct from the mills, saving wholesale profits and expenses and giving the customers the benefit. Remember they are all bought for cash, thereby saving large discounts, and that, while the stock is not large, it is kept fresh and new by continual renewals. Remember that those who do not care to buy from stock can choose from samples, of which I have a most complete selection of nearly 2,000 patterns from four of the leading woolen manufacturers. Remember that my work stands second to none in every respect. It sells on its merits alone. Valueing public opinion, I invite their inspection and patronage.

Yours truly,
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—For the newest styles and patterns go to J. C. Hazlett's. His stock is all new. No old shelf worn goods to be found there. He has no use for them. The best and latest patterns are none too good for his trade. His fits are guaranteed.

—Shingles are away down at A. W. Slayton's Cut Rate Shingle Yard.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—Having an unusually large stock of suitings, pantings and overcoatings, I am better prepared than ever to please my customers. Call and look them over. John C. Hazlett.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—With improvements now in progress, we shall soon be prepared to treat our customers better than ever. Call and see us at the City Bakery.

—Figure with me for your house and barn lumber. A. W. SLAYTON.

—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

—The lowest prices and best work done in Merchant Tailoring at J. C. Hazlett's.

—For a tasty stylish fit go to J. C. Hazlett. He can give you business suits from $20 up; Dress suits from $26 up; Full Dress suits from $35 up; Overcoats from $20 up; Pants from $5 up.

—BOOK BINDING—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

—John C. Hazlett would call your attention to his large and choice stock of suitings, pantings and over coatings just in. He does not sell you from the samples but has the goods in the piece to show you.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. BARKWELL & STICKLE.

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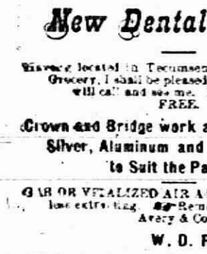

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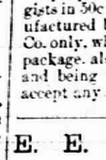

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OLD-TIME TURFMAN DEAD.

Ezra R. King Dies Suddenly While Attending the Sturgis Fall Meeting.

PONTIAC, Sept. 16.—Ezra R. King, the oldest turfman in the state, died very suddenly at the Shepard house at Sturgis Sunday night, while attending the fall meeting of the Sturgis Trotting association. Uncle Ezra, as he was known from Maine to California, was born in New York state in 1828, and had followed the races ever since 1846. He had dabbled in the betting ring to a large extent during his later years, and was successful, even to the point of acquiring a fortune. He was noted also as being the leader of the famous King's orchestra, which had a state reputation, but laid aside the fiddle when his wife died twenty years ago and had never touched it since. He was a lifelong democrat, a mason of the royal arch degree and known to every turfman in the United States.

PLENTY OF ROOM.

Jackson Prison Has Accommodations for More Convicts.

LANSING, Sept. 17.—For over a year there has been so little work at the Michigan state prison at Jackson that several hundred convicts were in idleness. In addition, the prison was badly over-crowded. Because of this the circuit judges throughout the state were requested to send convicts to other prisons as far as possible. This request was withdrawn Monday, the judges being officially notified that there is plenty of room at the Jackson institution and that the prospect for plenty of work for an indefinite period is excellent, several contracts having recently been made.

HAULED DOWN THE FLAG.

The Government Formally Abandons Fort Mackinac, Mich.

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich., Sept. 18.—The last step in the total abandonment of Fort Mackinac was carried into effect Monday in the transfer of the command of troops under Lieut. Geary to Fort Brady. The honor of hauling down the stars and stripes, which for more than 100 years have floated over the fort's historic walls, was awarded to Judge B. Lachance, a veteran of the late war. The fort and park are now under the supervision of the state, to which they have been transferred by the United States government.

VALUE OF THE NEW LOCK.

Crush of Boats at the Soo Is Relieved by Its Operation.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Sept. 17.—The great benefit of the new Canadian lock to vessel owners was shown Monday when there was a great crush of boats from both directions. Twenty-nine boats were locked through the Canadian canal between 10:30 a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., relieving the pressure on the American locks that much, and preventing delays of from twelve to twenty-four hours on a good part of the fleet. From 11 o'clock Sunday night until 5:30 o'clock Monday afternoon seventy-eight boats passed the Soo.

Women Score a Victory.

DETROIT, Sept. 17.—The Detroit M. E. conference, comprising one-half of the state of Michigan, Monday evening voted, by an overwhelming majority, to give women representation in conference. The first vote taken was on the Hamilton amendment, which provides that only male delegates shall be admitted to the conferences. The result was: For the amendment, 3; against the amendment, 164; not voting, 36. The next vote was on the Baltimore amendment, providing for the admission of women to the general conference, and resulted: Yeas, 185; nays, 9.

An Infant Horsethief.

JACKSON, Sept. 17.—In less than two weeks little Eddy Thayer, 7 years old, has stolen four different rigs from hitching posts, has been as many times caught and has been locked in jail twice, but afterward given his liberty. He stole a rig Monday afternoon belonging to Mrs. Charles McCallum and was caught by Deputy Sheriff Smith at Parma, 10 miles west of this city. The common prosecutor has failed to find a law which provides for punishing so young a criminal.

Strike Not Ended.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 18.—The miners union voted Tuesday almost unanimously to continue the strike to the bitter end. The steam shovel operators will probably be called out again to-day and the men are grimly determined to carry on the war. It will be surprising if there is not serious trouble in the very near future unless the mine-owners make some movement toward a compromise.

Will Meet Next at the "Soo."

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 14.—The eighth annual session of the Michigan League of Building and Loan associations closed Friday. W. L. Jenks, of Port Huron, was elected president. The next convention will be held at Sault Ste. Marie. The session was occupied in reading papers and discussing regarding building and loan associations and their management.

Good Fortune Killed Him.

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., Sept. 14.—Frank Meyers, a veteran of the late war, was notified Friday that he had been granted a pension of $10 a month. When he heard the news he fell over in his bed dead. He had been ill some time and leaves no relatives.

Two Miners Killed.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Sept. 14.—By a fall of ground in the fifteenth level in No. 1 shaft of the Tamarack mine Thursday afternoon two miners, John Voghina and Michael Benitch, were instantly killed. John Bokela and Joseph Varden were injured.

A Little Boy Drowned.

SAUGATUCK, Sept. 12.—Lloyd Hammer, a 7-year-old boy, was missing Tuesday night. Wednesday morning his mother found his clothes on the bank of the Kalamazoo river. It is supposed that he was drowned while bathing.

OSCEOLA MINE VICTIMS.

Twenty-Seven Bodies Are Recovered from the Deadly Pit.

CALUMET, Sept. 15.—It was decided Wednesday that the fire which started in the Osceola mine last Saturday must be out, and at 5 o'clock Wednesday night No. 4 shaft, where the fire started, was opened and left open all night. A searching party descended the shaft early Thursday morning, and at noon Friday twenty-seven bodies had been found. This leaves but three still in the mine.

CALUMET, Sept. 14.—Twenty victims of the Osceola mine were buried Saturday. The victims of the fire were of many nationalities, there being English, Irish, Poles, Austrians, Norwegians, Swedes and Finns among the number. Hence nearly every church had one or more of the sad ceremonies performed within its portals.

Subscription papers have been started in nearly every town in the copper district for the families of the men killed in the Osceola, and a large amount will probably be realized. It will be needed, for there are twenty-one widows and over sixty orphans resulting from the mine fire of a week ago.

CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 17. — The bodies of Peter Malstrom and Walter Dahl, the two remaining victims of the Osceola mine disaster, were found Monday morning in the eighteenth level south of No. 4 shaft. This ends the final chapter in this mining horror.

NEW DEER KILLING LAW.

Non-Residents as Well as Home People Must Have License.

DETROIT, Sept. 14.—The new law regarding the hunting of deer in this state passed by the last legislature provides an open season from November 1 to 25, inclusive, in all sections of the state. The killing of deer in the red coat or fawn in the spotted coat is prohibited, as is also the killing of deer while in the water or by the aid of pit, pitfall, traps, dogs, or artificial lights. Non-residents are required to secure a license from the clerk of the county in which they propose to pitch their camps, and residents in the county in which they reside. The fee for non-residents is $25 and for residents fifty cents. Such license will entitle the holder to kill no more than five deer in any one year. A coupon from the license must be attached to each deer or portion thereof in case of shipment and must be detached from the license in the presence of the shipping agent.

THREE THOUSAND EXPECTED.

Large Number of Students to Attend the University of Michigan.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 16.—From present prospects it is very probable that the number of students of the University of Michigan will this year reach, if not pass, the 3,000 mark. Secretary Wade reports that the number of inquiries from intending students this summer has been unusually large. The secretary says that it would be impossible for the attendance to fall below the number of last year, 2,818, and, judging from the experience of former years, he expects that the number will stop somewhere near 3,000.

Indignant at a Christian Scientist.

AKRON, Sept. 17.—There is trouble and excitement in this village over the death of a 2-months-old child of H. K. Knowling. When the child was taken sick two weeks ago, with the summer complaint, the parents summoned a Christian scientist instead of a regular doctor. The people of the village who were cognizant of the fact were very much aroused and their indignation was greater when the child died without regular medical treatment. Complaints are heard of the parents and the alleged Christian scientist healer, a woman.

To Abolish Days of Grace.

DETROIT, Sept. 14.—At a meeting of the executive council of the Michigan Bankers' association a resolution recommending the printing of all notes and checks without days of grace was adopted. The association elected the following officers:

Lewis H Withey, of Grand Rapids, president; W. J. Cooker, of Adrian, and Marx Brewer, of Pontiac, vice presidents; John A. Covode, of Grand Rapids; G. B. Morley, of Saginaw; George A. Abbott, of Muskegon and A. G. Bishop, of Flint, members of the executive board.

Insurance Men Meet.

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich. Sept. 18.—The twenty-sixth national convention of insurance commissioners of the United States met here Tuesday morning, nineteen states being represented. President Bradford Durfee, of Illinois, called the meeting to order and after an address of welcome, read his address. No other business was transacted.

Muskegon Valley Veterans.

NEWAYGO, Sept. 16.—The seventeenth annual reunion of the Muskegon Valley Soldiers' and Sailors' association will be held at Riverside park, near here, September 23 to 27, inclusive. Tuesday, September 24, will be "Pioneer day," and the main address will be made by Attorney General Fred A. Maynard, of Grand Rapids.

University Wants the Paintings.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 16.—The board of regents of the University of Michigan has begun suit in chancery against Edward R. Root, of Coldwater, to force him to deliver to the university a part of the Lewis art collection given to the institution by H. C. Lewis. The paintings are worth $40,000.

Recaptured.

CROOKED LAKE, Sept. 13.—One Cruse, who recently escaped from Ionia prison, where he was serving a term for incest, was captured in a Crooked Lake store by prison officials. His term was nearly up.

Select Knights.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 14.—The Michigan Grand Legion, Select Knights, Ancient Order of United Workmen, met in annual session in this city. J. F. C. Hollings, of Detroit, was elected G. C.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Points.

September 23 to 27 is the date for the Lawrence county fair at Adrian.

Fred Brown's barns at Albion were burned recently, with their contents, including six horses.

A new bridge to cost $40,000 is to be built across the Menominee river between Menominee and Marinette at once.

Mrs. Alice M. Holman of Saginaw has begun suit against the Union Street railway company for $10,000. In the declaration it is claimed that the woman was seriously injured by being thrown from a street car in a collision with another car August 17.

Saginaw's new opera house will seat 1,200 persons.

The soldiers' monument at Tipton, said to be the first one erected in the United States July 4, 1865, is being repaired and relettered.

The Michigan Dairymen's association is sending a representative to all the fairs held in Michigan this fall.

Several vineyards in the vicinity of St. Joseph are yielding second growths of grapes.

Melville Scranton and Paul Schmitte, of East Saginaw, were drowned in Tupper Lake, near Malone, N. Y.

The case of the Salvation Army people arrested at Pontiac for obstructing the streets has been continued to October 4.

While trying to get aboard his boat at Bay City, Capt. Gombard of the steam barge Fostoria fell into the Saginaw river and was drowned. His home was in Saginaw.

Contractor Frank Osborne, in charge of the government works at Grand Marais, is alleged to have fled with $3,300.

The high school at Delray, a suburb of Detroit, burned. Loss, $40,000; insurance, $24,000. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary.

The annual meeting of the National Protective legion, designed to protect both sexes, is in session at Allegan.

At Lansing Mrs. Warren L. Bristol had her father-in-law, Ira C. Bristol, arrested for alienating her husband's affections. She wants $10,000 damages.

Mrs. Thomas P. Whittier, one of the leading society women of northern Michigan and a niece of ex-Senator T. W. Palmer, died recently at Saginaw.

JUDGE COOLEY ILL.

Venerable Jurist Attacked by His Old Malady at Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 18.—Judge Thomas M. Cooley was taken seriously ill on Sunday, his ailment being the same that has troubled him for the last few years, making him very feeble. It was reported that the judge had suffered a stroke of paralysis, but his son, Dr. Thomas B. Cooley, of Boston, who is with his father, denied the report and gave out the statement that, although his father was not so well Tuesday, he would be about again in the course of two weeks.

Big Deal Made in Lumber.

CRYSTAL FALLS, Sept. 18.—The Davis-Holmes company has sold to the H. Witbeck company, of Marinette, 13,000,000 feet of standing white pine in Iron county for $85,650. For a large quantity, this is the highest price known for stumpage in this section. In 1889 a large lumber concern purchased a lot of excellent white pine on Poplar river for $13,000, at that time considered an enormous price. The company received an offer last week of $131,000 in cash for the same timber.

Receiver Named.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Sept. 17.—Hon. Charles D. Shelden has been appointed receiver of the Pontiac and Mesnard copper mining companies. The corporations adjoin each other, holding 160 acres of mineral lands on the copper range between the Franklin and Franklin Junior mines. Both companies failed to renew their charters in accordance with the Michigan laws and their affairs will be wound up and the corporation dissolved.

Methodist Statistics.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 16.—Statistical Secretary Case's reports for the Methodist conference show a total membership of 46,634, an increase of 2,807. The total number of Sunday school pupils has increased 2,301. Missionary collections were $11,666. The conference contains 463 church buildings, valued at $2,114,275. About $45,000 church indebtedness has been paid, and $61,220 has been invested in church improvements.

Schooner Founders.

MONTAGUE, Mich., Sept. 18.—The schooner Phantom, thirteen tons, foundered off Little Point Sauble last Friday at 5 o'clock p. m. Capt. Jennings and crew were saved. She was loaded with 75,000 laths, total loss, no insurance. The cargo was owned by Jennings & West, of Holland, Mich.

First for Years.

DETROIT, Sept. 18.—An extraordinary session of the Wayne county grand jury convened here Tuesday. It is the first time a grand jury has been called since 1889. It will consider rumors of election frauds, and alleged bribery of aldermen and supervisors.

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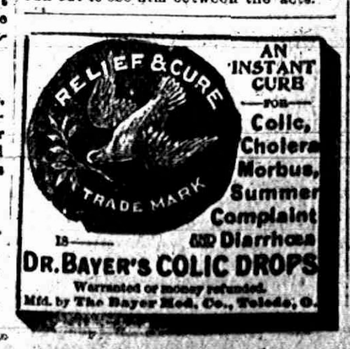

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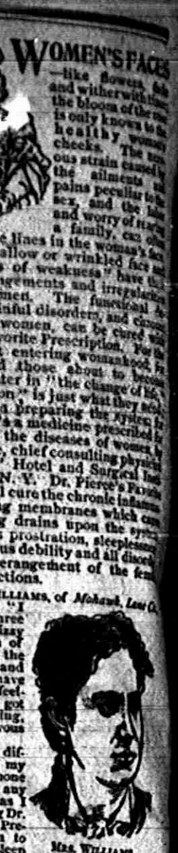

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Sept. 22, Committed by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Raising the Widow's Son.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Luke vii, 11-17.

Southwest from Capernaum 25 miles lay the little village of Nain, on the slopes of Little Hermon. To the north was Mount Tabor, to the west the meadows, fields, brooks and villages of the great Esdraelon plain. Not far to the east on the same mountain side was Endor. Here came Jesus and a large company of people after the healing of the centurion's servant.

The funeral procession of a young man is met. The only son of his mother, and she a widow! The whole population felt deeply the sadness of the case and were there to show their sympathy. No one appeals to Jesus for help. Who could expect any help in such affliction as this? This is not disease, but death.

Ages ago the prophet Elisha had raised the son of the woman of Shunem, a village not far away. But who has ever come back to life since?

Jesus stops those carrying the bier. His compassion is moved to the depths, without request from any one. Awe-struck the people stand in silence. They hear his words to the dead—words of calm command, as if he ruled the world of spirits and world of flesh. No agonizing, as with Elisha. "I say unto thee arise!" Amazed they see the young man sit up and begin to speak. Jesus checks him, and turning to the mother, whose mourning he has turned to joy, gives the son into her charge. He who can raise the dead must be the Lord of Life.

Unsociability.

Much has been said in criticism of churches and church members failing to welcome strangers. The services of God's house ought always, as far as possible, to be open to others than the members of the local church and regular attendants, even though the house may be owned by them and the expenses of maintenance must be paid by them. The claims of the stranger to hospitality are not met when he has been given a sitting by an usher and tendered a hymn-book. He has the right to expect a Christian greeting at the close of worship from the members of the church. It is a matter of duty for Christians to speak to strangers, welcome them to the services of God's house and make inquiry after their spiritual welfare. No excuse of lack of acquaintance, diffidence or any other subterfuge will cover this neglect. To fail to welcome strangers is a grievous breach of etiquette socially and deep wrong religiously, which will react disastrously on those who are guilty of the fault.

The Times Have Changed.

So it is said. More truly the people have changed. Men do not hold less tenaciously to their opinion now than formerly. Truth is not less valued. There is not less depth in experience. But men have become more tolerant toward those who differ in opinion and practice. This is not a sign of degeneracy, but of advancement in Christian charity. The father of Hugh Price Hughes was a zealous Arminian, who refused to let his horse drink from the same trough at which his Calvinistic opponent had watered his horse. This did not make him any better defender of the faith than his son shows himself to be when he unites at Grindelwald conference with men of all religious faiths in praying and working for a closer union of the churches.

What It Costs.

Many desire to be helpful to others and of value in the Master's service who are perplexed and disappointed at the sufferings they are called to endure and failure of their cherished plans for doing good. This is often the way God takes to fit us for our work. Sympathy with the suffering never truly comes to one till he has himself suffered. Ability to help develops from desire into disposition and actual possession only when one has known need of help and received it and so learned how to impart to others. Suffering, privation, disappointment and sorrow are the necessary discipline a soul must endure to be fitted for ministry to sinful and suffering. In this school Jesus himself learned and so in heaven can have compassion on our infirmities.

Ready to Every Good Work.

St. Paul exhorted Titus to "put the people in mind to be ready to every good work." There is much need of the same injunction at the present day. Some people are reluctant to any work, especially if it be good work for the benefit of others. Some will engage in good work if they can select the kind, amount, time and people. Christians should be ready to give a helping hand and hearty sympathy to all good causes. Widening and whitening fields require willing workers of broad intelligence, deep piety and intense earnestness.

Safety.

God knows what steep places lie before us. He has provided the "shoes of iron and brass" for us to put on. They are truth and honesty, faith, courage and prayer. A clear conscience will keep the head cool. Along the hard road is a signboard, on which is written in large, bright letters, "He that walketh uprightly, walketh surely."—Cuyler.

Trusting.

"Casting all your care upon him, for he careth for you."

Cast thy care on Jesus!
Tell him all thy grief,
All thy fierce temptations
And the wrong within.
He himself was tempted,
And he pleads above
For the soul that asketh
Pardon through his love.

Cast thy care on Jesus!
What is death to those
Who in deep submission
On his love repose
But a short step farther,
Nearer to his side,
Where their eyes shall see him
And be satisfied?

—F. G. Scott.

SEPTEMBER—1895.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

RANSOM SMITH and Henry J. Green, leaders of a dangerous gang of counterfeiters, were captured at St. Joseph, Mo.

THE United States Veterinary Medical association in session at Des Moines, Ia., elected Horace Hoskins, of Philadelphia, as president.

THE entire business portion of Conway Springs, Kan., was burned.

THE parade of the Grand Army of the Republic at Louisville, Ky., was participated in by 50,000 veterans. In the evening speeches were made by Henry Watterson, Lieut. Gov. Jacobs, Commander-in-Chief Lawler, Gen. Lew Wallace and Mrs. John A. Logan.

FOUR members of the Louisville (Ky.) legion were instantly killed by the explosion of ammunition in the caisson of a gun being driven for service in the G. A. R. parade.

TRAINS collided on the Great Northern road near Ashby, Minn., and five persons were killed.

THE New York Central's record-breaking train went from New York to Buffalo, 436 miles, in 407 minutes, or 6 hours and 47 minutes, an average of 64¼ miles an hour, breaking all records.

THE wife and child of a man named Stiles and his father-in-law, J. D. Borden, were killed by Indians near Las Flores, Cal.

FLAMES in tobacco warehouses at Lancaster, Pa., caused a loss of $100,000.

DISPATCHES from various points in the northwest reported extremely hot weather, the thermometer ranging from 90 to 97 degrees.

AT the encampment in Louisville Col. I. N. Walker, of Indianapolis, was elected commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and St. Paul captured the reunion and encampment in 1896. The report of the adjutant general showed the total amount expended for charity the past year was $198,898. The total membership in good standing on July 1 was 357,639.

In the bicycle tournament at Springfield, Mass., F. J. Titus made 27 miles and 185 yards in one hour, W. C. Sanger went 2 miles in 4:24, and Starbuck made 5 miles in 10:11, and E. C. Bald went one-half mile in 1:01—all record breakers.

THE total number of votes in Philadelphia, as shown by the assessors' returns, is 291,256, an increase of 5,868 over the corresponding assessment last year.

A PORTION of the grand stand on which were seated at least 10,000 people witnessing the Grand Army fireworks in Louisville gave way, injuring about 200 persons, but no fatalities were reported.

MISS ANNIE LONDONDERRY, of Boston, the globe girdler who left Chicago on a bicycle a year ago last spring, arrived home two weeks ahead of her scheduled time.

TWENTY-FIVE of the thirty bodies of the men who lost their lives in the Osceola mine fire near Houghton, Mich., were recovered.

THE free-for-all class pacing race at Louisville for a purse of $5,000, with Robert J., Joe Patchen and John R. Gentry as starters, was won by Robert J., the best time being 2:04¼.

STEPS were being taken by the grand lodge, A. O. U. W., of Missouri, to expel every saloonkeeper and bartender.

A PASSENGER train on the Santa Fe was held up by four masked men at Curtis Station, O. T., but the robbers got nothing.

THE Iron exchange bank at Duluth, Minn., owned by the Merritts, made an assignment and will retire from business. Depositors will be paid in full.

THE international yacht series in New York bay is at an end. The American yacht, Defender, sailed over the course alone, thereby winning the third and deciding race. The Valkyrie went to the starting point, crossed the line and then hauled down her sails and quit.

A HEAVY earthquake shock lasting ten seconds prevailed in lower East Tennessee along the North Carolina state line. No damage was done.

A TORNADO destroyed the railway depot a Cape Vincent, N. Y., killing two persons and injuring several others.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 13th aggregated $897,606,918, against $914,840,995 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 17.0.

CHARLES H. KEY was executed at Paris, Tex., for killing Smith McLathlin in the Chickasaw Nation July 21, 1894.

A WIND and hail storm did damage at Wooster, O., and vicinity to the extent of $300,000.

MRS. EMMA RIGGS, aged 47, and her daughter, aged 19, were burned to death in Philadelphia. The clothing of the daughter caught fire, and the mother lost her life in trying to save her child.

Every Lady In Town.

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METHODIST conferences at Ann Arbor, Mich., Ottumwa, Ia., and Jacksonville, Ill., voted to admit women as lay delegates.

THE eighth international conference of Young Men's Christian associations of the United States and Canada opened at Clifton Forge, Va.

FOREST fires were again raging in the vicinity of Atlantic City, N. J., consuming everything in their course. A vast amount of valuable timber and game land was being swept by the flames.

FOR the second time in two years the Kearney (Neb.) national bank closed its doors, with liabilities of $90,000.

COL. ROBERT ALDRICH introduced a complete constitution in the convention at Columbia. Its most novel feature was a provision that no negro shall hold office in South Carolina.

FRANK MEYERS, a veteran of the late war, was notified at St. Joseph, Mich., that he had been granted a pension of $10 a month and when he heard the news he fell dead.

DANDY JIM in a trot at Huntington, Ind., went the last heat in 2:11¼, making a new world's trotting race record on a half-mile track.

THE Columbia liberty bell left Chicago on its trip around the world.

THE twenty-ninth encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic closed at Louisville with a grand barbecue. The Woman's Relief Corps elected Mrs. Elizabeth Turner, of Boston, as president, the Daughters of Veterans selected Mrs. Ellen M. Walker, of Worcester, Mass., as their president, and the National Association of ex-Prisoners of War elected as president George W. Grant, of Minnesota.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 15th were: Baltimore, .664; Cleveland, .631; Philadelphia, .608; Brooklyn, .542; Boston, .542; Pittsburgh, .542; Chicago, .512; New York, .529; Cincinnati, .517; Washington, .322; St. Louis, .305; Louisville, .250.

BOLER & ROBINSON'S grain elevator and a large stock of grain which it contained was burned at Brooklyn, N. Y. Loss, $100,100.

MELVILLE SCRANTON and Paul Schmitt, of East Saginaw, Mich., were drowned in Tupper lake, near Malone, N. Y.

LOTE LASHAW was killed and Andrew Hospander fatally wounded at Hazleton, Pa., by discharged Italian miners.

GRASSHOPPERS by the million appeared in southeastern Kansas.

WALLACE BROS., of Statesville, N. C., the largest dealers in medical herbs in the world, failed for $200,000.

FRED A. WEAGE and Hector MacGigan, of Chicago, broke the 100-mile tandem century record, making the run in 7 hours 23 minutes, twenty-two minutes below the best previous record.

THE entire business portion of Lenoxdale, Mass., was destroyed by fire.

PROF. CHARLES V. RILEY, aged 48, the entomologist of the department of agriculture in Washington, died from the effects of being thrown from a bicycle.

THE candle factory in Cincinnati owned by the Jacob Weller company was burned, the loss being $195,000.

AT Tower City, Pa., Joseph Wolf, Joseph Bowers, Ray Spittle, Albert Weiss and Aaron Schneibley were fatally burned by an explosion in a mine.

THE immigration to the United States during the month of August numbered 27,199, and for the year to date 215,733, as opposed to 17,448 and 166,581 during 11894.

THREE tramps were killed in a freight wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio at Matz, W. Va.

JOHN HALL and wife, daughter Maude, 18 years of age, their son John and Dr. Gillam, of Cross, O. T., were drowned in fording the Arkansas river 10 miles northwest of their home.

GOLD to the value of $16,667,261 was exported during August, making $55,756,217 for the eight months of the year.

A MAN and two children, names unknown, were swept away while attempting to cross the Verdigris river near Tallelah, I. T., and several similar deaths were reported near Coffeyville, Kan.

PRAIRIE fires between the North and South Loup rivers in Nebraska did thousands of dollars' worth of damage.

THE Order of Chosen Friends will erect a monument at Baltimore to the memory of Francis Scott Key, the author of "The Spangled Banner."

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 16th was: Wheat, 38,033,000 bushels; corn, 4,934,000 bushels; oats, 2,481,000 bushels; rye, 585,000 bushels; barley, 486,000 bushels.

THE ninth annual national encampment of the Sons of Veterans met at Knoxville, Tenn.

JOSEPH CALLAHAN and his wife and three children and another woman were killed by the cars at a crossing near Rustburg, Va.

MRS. JULIA A. LEONARD secured a divorce at Wichita, Kan., in just ten minutes and two seconds in the district court, the quickest time on record in a divorce case.

IT was announced that, owing to unavoidable delays, the Columbian world's fair diplomas would not be ready for delivery until next February.

HAILSTONES as large as hens' eggs fell for twenty minutes to the depth of a foot over a strip a mile wide near Marshalltown, Ia., and corn was cut to the ground and every vestige of vegetation was destroyed.

ISAAC EDWARDS was hanged in the penitentiary annex at Columbus, O., for the murder of Sarah Sellers in Hocking county.

DANIEL COFFEY, one of the best known detectives in the police department at San Francisco, committed suicide by shooting.

THE twenty-seventh annual session of the society of the Army of the Tennessee began at Cincinnati.

THE sovereign grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, met in seventy-first annual session at Atlantic City, N. J. The total membership is 790,795; relief paid out during the year, $3,323,811; total revenue, $8,427,870.53.

OVER 20,000 coke workers in the Connellsville (Pa.) district decided to strike for higher wages.

MRS. MAMIE LEWIS emptied the contents of a shotgun into the back of her divorced husband near Clinton, Ia., inflicting fatal wounds.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE Pennsylvania democrats in convention at Williamsport nominated Benjamin F. Meyers, of Harrisburg, for state treasurer and six candidates for judges of the supreme court. The platform lauds the administration of President Cleveland and declares for "honest money."

MRS. HIRAM JEFFERSON, the oldest colored woman in Wisconsin, died at Janesville. She had eighteen children born in slavery.

REV. SAMUEL WAKEFIELD died at West Newton, Pa. He was said to be the oldest mason, the oldest preacher of the Methodist church, and likely the oldest preacher of any denomination in the world.

JAMES O. BROADHEAD, of St. Louis, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the Swiss republic, forwarded his resignation to the secretary of state.

MRS. SARAH HUSTED celebrated her 100th birthday at her home in Mayville, Mich.

REV. T. DEWITT TALMAGE, the well-known Brooklyn minister, was asked to accept the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church in Washington.

JOHN B. REDDICK, ex-lieutenant governor of California, is dead.

FOREIGN.

MRS. MUTCHMEYER (American) died in San Salvador. Her husband, United States consul, died there a few days ago.

IN a letter to George Peel, secretary of the Gold Standard association in London, Mr. Gladstone says he believes England should stand squarely for a gold standard.

IT was reported that the crops in Europe would be far below the average.

CHINESE officials at Ku Cheng refuse to execute a single murderer implicated in the massacre of missionaries, unless assured that with the execution of the men accused all other demands shall cease.

THE Chinese steamer Catterhun, bound from Sydney to China, sank off Seal rock and fifty-four persons were drowned.

A LARGE number of banana fields were destroyed by a violent storm which swept the isthmus of Panama.

AN aeronaut named Toulet and three companions made an ascension at Loschenbeck, Belgium, and the balloon exploded in mid-air and the four men were killed.

MISS MINNIE DEAN was hanged at Invercargill, New Zealand, for the murder of infants intrusted to her care. She protested her innocence up to the last.

FIRE broke out on board the steamer Iona, from Edinburg to London, and six of the passengers and the stewardess were burned to death.

THE Mexican congress convened in the City of Mexico. In his address President Diaz said the country was in a prosperous condition.

FOX, CLINCH & CO., corn merchants at Gloucester, England, failed with liabilities of $1,000,000.

IT was reported that Mexico would recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents within a few days.

THE provincial synod of the Church of England in Canada, in session at Montreal, rejected a motion to authorize the use of the revised New Testament in churches under its control.

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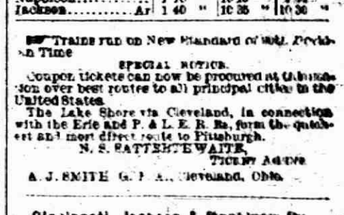

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7 22	3 10	9 0	Homer	11 25	5 10
8 21	3 51	9 ...	Albion	10 46	4 28
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 15	4 00
10 45	5 11	10 18	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 30	4 28
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 22	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	4 ...
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 ...
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	...
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Old Gentleman—My man, how did you manage to guess my weight so perfectly?

Weigher—I uster weigh hogs.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

THE RULING PASSION.

"Why so pensive, my son?"

"I was wondering if I could learn to ride one of those things."—Life.

In a private test of generator No. 1 at Niagara Falls a speed of 300 revolutions was obtained.

SNIP AND I.

I met Snip when I first came to New York. He was an evening newsboy who haunted Park row, and he had such a queer voice and was so queer in his looks that he attracted attention above all other boys. One evening I took him over into City Hall park and asked:

"Snip, how old are you?"

"Goin on 10, sir."

"Do you live at home?"

"No, sir; I have no home. Father an mother are both dead, an I have no brothers or sisters."

"Where do you put up?"

"With Aunt Mary, down on Pearl street."

"Can you read or write?"

"No, sir, but I can tell money an change a dollar."

We took a liking to each other from the start. I wanted him to go to school, but he was a born gamin. I offered to buy him a suit of clothes, but he preferred to pick up a garment here and there which had seen its best days. He did accept and wear an overcoat, but I don't think he ever felt exactly comfortable in it—at least not until it became dirty and greasy and the boys could no longer taunt him with being an aristocrat. Sometimes I had Snip wash his face and comb his hair and go to lunch with me, but it hurt his feelings, and he went under compulsion. He preferred to have me go down on Frankfort street with him, where we sat on a bench at a rude table and got two ancient sandwiches and a glass of watered milk for a nickel. Knives and forks and napkins put him out and made him feel tired.

When Snip got dead broke, he knew where to find me. When he got licked by a bigger boy, he came to me for consolation. On several occasions when "the gang" tried to drive him off the street because he was "a-gettin to be a Vanderbilt" I went down and got the police to see him through, and twice when he was arrested with others for disturbing the peace I went to the Tombs and begged him off.

We got to be "pards"—Snip and I. I liked him for a dozen reasons, but principally because he was a genuine type of the New York waif who was fighting his way. His self reliance and energy were something any man might envy. Nothing could down him, and it was rarely that he gave way to discouragement. Early in the battle I went down and gave Aunt Mary the tip not to turn him out when he failed to square up, but the boy didn't know of this. At long intervals he would come to me for a "stake," but he had pride in trying to take care of himself. I wanted Snip to grow up something better than a gamin, and that was the only point we differed on. He had it in his blood and couldn't make a change. He wasn't vicious, but he was a street arab in the fullest sense. He knew New York from the Battery to Harlem, and nothing pleased him so well as a night out. We walked the Bowery at midnight—together we descended into the dives and rum holes and dancehouses. Once or twice, during the first year of our acquaintance, I got Snip into a barber shop and had his hair cut, but he felt so bad about it that I ceased to experiment after awhile. He managed to look reasonably clean on Sundays, but my attempt to stick him up on week days was a failure.

A month ago I saw that Snip was failing in health. He had always been as hard as nails, but the rough life was beginning to tell on him. He made light of his ailment, but the day came when I had to go down and have a talk with Aunt Mary about him. She advised the hospital, and after much coaxing I got him to go there. He said it was too stylish for him, and that sleeping on a regular bed and eating chicken soup would make a booby out of him, but at length I got him to go. The doctors said that it was a case of quick consumption, and that he could not hold out long, and after a bit the boy suspected the true state of affairs. He went to his death like a man, however. Not once did he whimper or complain. On the contrary, he hoped against hoped. He would say to me as I sat beside his cot:

"I'm bound to git up, pard—bound to do it. Me'n you has got lots of things to do this summer, an I don't want you to go pards with any other boy. I'm square, you are square, an we just want to keep on bein pards."

One night, when no one believed that his end was so near, Snip realized that the hand of death was upon him. He knew they could not send for me at that hour, and so he said to the nurse:

"Git a pencil an paper an write sunthin fur me. I've got a knife, a pair of clappers, a harmonicon an 'leven cents in money. Write it down that I leave everything to my ole pard an that I thought of him last of all!"

And next day when I called to see him I found that penciled message and him lying dead. They had him in a pauper's coffin, ready for burial in a pauper's grave. I would not have it so. He sleeps in a grave in another field, and I hope it is well with his immortal spirit. Other boys have come to me and would call me "pardner," but I can't do it. Snip was my earliest and last. While he lay dying and yet hoping he asked me to be loyal to our friendship, and though he sleeps his last sleep I will wait.—Detroit Free Press.

Sydney Smith.

Sydney Smith, the world renowned wit, was something more than a perpetrator of clever sayings, or even than a politician and agitator for reforms. He was celebrated, in each country parish, where by far the greater part of his life was spent, as doctor and magistrate, combining these offices with those of a faithful and hard-working clergyman. The home side of Sydney Smith is too little appreciated. While he still lived in Edinburgh, before he had taken his second charge as minister, he studied medicine so that he might be enabled to work upon body as well as soul in future livings. He was very proud of this knowledge of the art of healing, and not a little inclined to boast to his son-in-law, Dr. Henry Howland, of his cures. The following remedy for a common juvenile complaint was written to friends in London:

"We conquered ... the whooping cough with a pennyworth of salt of tartar. What an odd thing that such a specific should not be more known!"—New York Times.

Waltzing In 1809.

Then I have a dancing master, who teaches me the Scotch and Irish steps and another who teaches me attitudes, and I shall soon learn the waltz, and I can stand longer on one leg already than Lady Di.—"Coelebs In Search of a Wife," Chapter 28, Notes and Queries.

Life Briefly Summarized.

If a woman gets what she wants to wear and a man what he wants to eat, there's no reason why they shouldn't live together and be happy.—New York Recorder.

STRATEGY.

Miss Prudence Needham was in the milk-room, humming the burden of some old ballad that had been fashionable in her youth.

"Oh, it is you, is it?" said Miss Prudence.

"Yes, aunty, it is I," said Kenneth Dare.

"I've no time to attend to you, Kenneth. Yes, I have, too," she added suddenly as she caught sight of a drawn look around his eyes. "Ken, you aren't sick?"

"No, not sick. It's a mind disease that you had better be ministering to, aunty!"

"Oh, I see. It's that little Helen Baldwin has been teasing you. Now, Kenneth, tell me the truth."

"There's not much to tell. She doesn't care for me."

"Has she told you so?"

"Not in so many words perhaps."

"But"—

"Oh, aunty, don't pray, talk about it any more."

When Kenneth was gone with his fishing rod to the shadowy little trout stream among the rocks beyond the field, Prudence sat herself down to think.

"Kenneth's a fool," she said. "But, dear, dear, we're all fools once in a lifetime, I s'pose, and if he really has set his heart on the moon, why, the moon he must have."

Helen Baldwin was sitting on the doorstep when Prudence came up the garden path.

"Morning, Helen!" was Prudence's salutation. "Is your mother at home?"

"Yes, she is at home, Miss Prudence. Will you walk in?"

"Presently—after I've caught my breath a little. Nice chickens, these. We have had no luck with ours this season. But I shall have more time to see to 'em after awhile. Kenneth is going away this week."

"Is he!"

No eye but the keen observant orb peculiar to womankind in general, and to Prudence in particular, could have detected the slight deepening of the carmine of Helen's cheek.

"Yes," and Prudence heaved a small spasmodic sigh, "I don't s'pose I'll ever see much of him again."

"Why?" questioned Helen, with a shrug of her shoulders. "I suppose he is not going to Patagonia or Alaska?"

Prudence rubbed her plump hands complacently together.

"What should you say, my dear, to a wedding in the family?"

"A wedding! You are not going to be married, Miss Prudence?"

"Me? Nonsense! It is Kenneth I mean."

"Kenneth?"

"And what should you say to a rich lady up in Boston, my dear? Ah, you may well open your eyes, but I always said Kenneth's handsome face would make his fortune for him!"

And away bustled Miss Prudence to meet Mrs. Baldwin.

And then, tying her hat over her face, Helen went out into the woods. She felt that just then she must be alone.

Helen had made too sure of the handsome young captive to her beauty. Was he lost to her forever? And Helen felt for the moment almost as if life had no further interest.

There was a crackling of the underbrush, and Helen started up, turning red and white, for it was Kenneth's step.

He raised his hat with a sort of cold courtesy as he passed her, but showed no indications of an intention to pause.

"Kenneth!" she spoke softly, so softly that it was strange he caught the murmured syllables.

"Did you call me, Helen?"

"Yes. Oh, Kenneth, is it true?"

"Is what true?"

"Don't play with me, Kenneth!" she cried vehemently. "You knew that I loved you; that I love you still. I know it is too late, but I must speak out, or I shall die!"

"Helen, I don't understand you!"

"Yes," she said bitterly, "it is all very well to take refuge in a pretense of ignorance, but you knew all the while that I loved you!"

And then Helen began to cry as if her heart would break. Kenneth drew her hands gently away from her wet eyes.

"Nelly!"

"It makes no difference now," sobbed Helen. "You—you are going to be married to some—somebody else!"

"Never! What misunderstanding are you laboring under? Who has told you that I was going to be married?"

"Your Aunt Prudence."

"There is some mistake here. I am not going to be married unless"—he smiled and hesitated—"it is to you, Helen."

And when they returned to the house, where Prudence and Mrs. Baldwin were chatting cozily, Prudence gave them one long look.

"Ah," she said after the scrutiny was ended, "I see how it is!"

"But, Aunt Prudence," said Kenneth, "how came you to tell Helen such a story about some imaginary Boston girl?"

"I told her no story," said Prudence. "I only asked her what she would think of such a young person."

"But you told her I was going to be married."

"So you are, aren't you?" said Prudence, with a twinkle of the eyes.

"Kenneth," said Helen, who had been mentally solving the riddle, "I see it all. Aunt Prudence has woven a web of stratagem around me—and, after all, I'm not very angry."

So Prudence went home to look up her very best recipe for wedding cake in a little book that hung behind the milkroom door.—Exchange.

Enterprising English Journalism.

The ethics of journalism is still a somewhat strange and inexplicable thing, but lobbying is now conducted with the unscrupulousness which marked it not so many years ago. I have heard of a lobbyist who for years paid a handsome weekly sum to one of the charmen (the men who sweep out the house of commons) for the torn scraps of letters and documents with which the floor, close to the treasury bench and the front opposition bench, is littered at the close of a sitting.

The lobbyist used to go carefully through the scraps, piecing and patching them together, in the hope of lighting upon a state secret or an important item of political news. However, he gained very little for his pains. Our leading politicians are more careful of their important private correspondence than this lobbyist supposed; most of the letters were appeals for charity or applications for situations from constituents.—Macmillan's Magazine.

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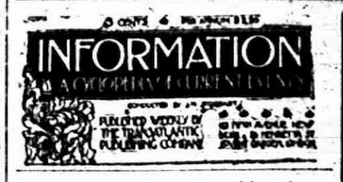

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ALONG THE BEAUTIFUL RHINE.

Switzerland, the Promised Land for Bicycle Riders.

On Board "WEBRA," Aug. 21, '95.

Dear Mr. Editor:—With Strassburg behind us and Basle as our goal, we wheeled over a perfect macadamized road and through a fertile district where tobacco was the chief article cultivated. Every city along the Rhine valley is strongly fortified, but except being stopped occasionally when Harry tries to ride into an arsenal or I attempt to cross a parade ground, we were not hindered because of moats and walls and forts innumerable.

At Basle, we were hailed by custom house officials and informed that a deposit of 22 francs was necessary before we could enter Switzerland with our wheels. This was to be returned at our departure. We complied, were properly tagged, ticketed and receipted and entered Basle. There was a fair going on and as we pushed our wheels slowly through the throng, we observed the various contrivances which fakes and venders invent to coax the sous from the Swiss, who like to be gulled as well as Americans. The flimsy toys and goods indescribable, are there in myriad forms. With bicycles upon our hands, we were prevented from buying, with exception of Harry's purchase of some abominable cakes. But that is an infirmity of his and must be overlooked.

We were in the land of the Helvetii, of the mythic William Tell, where, as Goldsmith writes:

"The bleak Swiss their stormy mansion tread,
And force a churlish soil for scanty bread."

I must tell you in advance that it is the "Promised Land" for bicycle riders. Only a photograph can describe Basle. It is ancient. It is odd. It is grotesque and fantastic. Nothing is symmetrical. No, not even the people. The language is partly German partly French. After you escape, you can remember nothing in particular, but you recall a phantasmic conglomeration of all.

We crossed an old bridge which had figured basilisk at at both ends (these are the heraldic symbols of Basle,) and after wheeling half a mile, were in German territory and received our deposit. We were to ride up the Rhine to Constance on the German side. It is at Basle that the grandeur of the Rhine scenery begins again after its far extending, evensurfaced, simple beauty found continuing from Mainz to this point. The sun was low in the west and it was raining slightly from an overhanging cloud. The Rhine lies far below the road between steep banks of mingled rocks and grassy plots. An eight-oared crew, floating and singing, were returning from a row up the river. Boys from the villas on the opposite bank were paddling in boats beneath the steep shore. All very picturesque but we wanted a resting place. Darkness closed above us. The moon was among the clouds above the mountain tops, and there was a solitary dim loveliness which almost compensated for our physical discomfort. The rain made the roads slippery and Harry took an ignominious tumble into the dirt. Every house was a tavern. Beer was plenty, but beds, scarce. We were getting desperate when at last a patronizing German, a loafer at one of the taverns, told us to follow him. We did and listened respectfully while he informed us that he had studied Greek and Latin, and could talk innumerable languages except English—and French also—after I said that I could speak a little French. He did, however, show us a small but clean hotel and left us to marvel over his learning. Next day we followed the Rhine as it wound its way among the many-folded mountains. At every turn, some new beauty or superb vista opened before us. Streams rushed down the mountain side to join the Rhine. They enter through gulfs and chasms with a roar and surge. High above, we see the tongueless caverns and hear the whispering pines. The valley sides vary from a gray rock declivity to a lovely, grassy incline. The color of vegetation changes with rapidity. Apple-green, nile-green, and every-green which is conceivable. Sometimes the grooved and pitted mountainside bristles with crags and then, a new turn, and there is a mantle of velvet. The cottages in the valley are generally thickly thatched with straw and this often overgrown with mottled velvet moss. Very nice to look at, but to live in—no, I have been inside. I could not take space to tell about all the picture-like towns through which we passed; the town with Gothic roofs of red tile and whose walls were also the wall of the river and in whose midst rose an inaccessible, solitary rock crowned by a castle, and near which stood the broad Rhine stream was confined in a narrow gorge where it became a maelstrom, a seething, writhing torrent with romantic, legendary lore of heroes who had passed valiantly through it; then the town whose main street was closed at both ends by a castle-like building and into which we entered by an arch while above a gate hung threateningly. How poetic these towns are to tell about, but if you could smell the odoriferous stench and see the heaps of manure which stand before every house and hear the sickening jargon of the venders and feel the pitiful presence of poverty, if you could experience all these, I would toil in vain to make you see the poetry.

During the second day from Basle, we rode all day through evergreen arches, flower arches, maple arches and flanking us were flags in profusion. Everybody was dressed up and seemed to be expecting someone. We received so much attention that we might easily have been convinced that all was for us. Soldiers patrolled the whole road, seemingly on sentry duty. At last, when it began to rain and we entered a small town, the conundrum was solved. The German prince and the Duke of Bavaria were driving with their retinue from Lake Constance to Basle. The crowd blocked the highway and when we, with American audacity, attempted to push through we were very decisively ordered by a huge German officer to step back and wait. We pulled our waterproof over shoulders and watched. There were crowds of wide-eyed little girls, dressed in white, and large girls in similar garb. Besides the diverse uniforms of the soldiery, there were local clubs with their uniforms. The Duke and Prince came. Everybody took off their hats, put down their umbrellas and made themselves as uncomfortable as possible while the royalty passed. We saw, and while the crowd followed, we hastened on. The rain soon became so bad that we ceased riding for that day. The tavern where we stopped was adorned within by mottoes: "Be happy in this world—don't think it will be better." in other words, "Drink my beer and be merry." We passed the evening studying the tavern characters: the blusterer, the charlatan, the fool, and the sober old Dutchman, who never smiled but just steadily drank glass after glass of beer, and blinked. Next morning, after taking toll from a harvest apple tree, we started for Schaffhausen and the Falls of the Rhine, twenty miles away.

C. H. VANTYNE.

New York World—Thrice-a-Week.

The twice-a-week edition of the New York World has been converted into the Thrice-a-week. It furnishes 3 papers of 6 pages apiece, or eighteen pages every week, at the old price of one dollar a year. This gives 156 papers a year for one dollar and every paper has 6 pages eight columns wide or 48 columns in all. The Thrice-a-week World is not only much larger than any weekly or semi-weekly newspaper, but it furnishes the news with much greater frequency and promptness. In fact it combines all the crisp, fresh qualities of a daily with the attractive special features of a weekly. Club rates with the HERALD.

Notice of Infringement.

A bill has been filed in the circuit court of Barry Co. (Hastings Mich.) by Drs. Mixer against C. M. Tower who it is alleged has been infringing on the trade-mark of Mixers Cancer and scrofula Syrup. A temporary injunction has been allowed by Judge Clement Smith restraining C. M. Tower from further use of said trade mark.

Hastings, Mich. Aug. 23, 1895.

To the wholesale and retail druggists throughout the country. We desire to give you notice of an infringement on our trade mark for Mixers' Cancer and Scrofula Syrup put up by one C. M. Tower and under the name of "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." Hastings Mich. Said Tower having no right or authority to use our name, "Mixer." The wrapper of this bogus medicine bears Dr. Mixer's portrait and is very similar to our genuine wrapper, but in every case can be detected, for on the face and back of our wrappers (which contains bottle) is our signature, "Drs. Mixer" in a bold back handwriting, every bottle also has Mixer's Cancer and Scrofula Syrup" blown in three sides, the bogus medicine being put up in plain panel bottles.

We earnestly request all persons using our C. & S. S. to be particular that they buy genuine goods, for the bogus medicine is put up without regard to merit. Examine the bottle which you now have and if it is not lettered as stated, and the signature of Drs. Mixer" on both wrapper and label return the same to your druggist or agent and exact genuine C. & S. S. In all cases avoid any medicine or circulars put out by "Drs. Tower and Mixer Medical Co." or C. M. Tower. Any person coming in contact with bogus medicine as heretofore described will confer a great favor by communicating with Drs. Mixer, Hastings, Michigan.

Very respectfully yours in the interests of right and justice to all the afflicted. DRS. MIXER.

The British official who has charge of the money affairs says that all the gold in the world could be stored in a room 24 feet square and 20 feet deep.

The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs. Sept.

A STRANGE SUICIDE.

Alexander Crockett, of Ogden, Hangs Himself to a Peach Tree.

A strange suicide occurred at midnight Sunday night in South Ogden. For a year or two past Alexander Crockett, on a farm in that section, has been more or less unbalanced in mind. He went about his work as usual and no serious thought was given to his condition, but it is evident now that the morbidness of insanity had settled in his brain. About 12 o'clock Sunday night he got up from bed and told his wife that he would be back in a few minutes, as he went out into the yard. As he failed to return in about a quarter of an hour his wife aroused a son, a young man, and he went out in the yard to look for his father. It was but a short time until the young man made the horrible discovery that his father had killed himself, and in a manner that would seem almost impossible. The deranged man had selected a small peach tree only a few feet high, which forked about four or five feet from the ground. He had stuck his head through the fork, and dropping his weight on his neck, had been strangled. He had no rope, had not tied his hands, and his feet were dangling on the ground. It was a most remarkable method of ending his life, and nothing but a persistent determination to die would have made such a method effective. Neighbors were called and the body carried into the sorrow stricken home. It is thought the rash act was caused by the supposition on the part of Mr. Crockett that he was to be taken to the insane asylum. He owed a neighbor a bill and the man was to go shortly to get some oats to balance the account, and it is thought he was laboring under the idea that people were coming to take him to the asylum, and rather than go there he preferred to take his own life.—Adrian Telegram.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, September 16th, 1895.

Regular session. Present, the entire council.

Minutes of last two regular sessions read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Chairman of street committee reported that bids had been received for paving on Chicago and Oneida streets, on Chicago street 50 feet by 8 feet, on Oneida street 100 feet by 13 feet, as follows:—John O'Hara $90.00, Robert Orr $85.00, Vm. Ross $80.00, Mitchell & Lowry $75.00, and that job had been let to Mitchell & Lowry as the lowest bidders. Moved that above report be accepted and adopted. Supported. Carried.

Board of water commissioners reported that the two new tubular wells were nearly completed, that one had been in use for some time and developed an abundant supply of water.

NEW BUSINESS.

Moved and supported that marshal be and hereby is instructed to make immediate inspection of the sidewalks of the village and notify the owners or occupants of property along which sidewalks need rebuilding or repairing to rebuild or repair the same within ten days from date of notice; that Marshal report at next regular session of council the names of the persons upon whom notice has been served and also the names of all who have not complied with the commands of said notice to rebuild or repair. Carried.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: A. Richard, surveying, $6.00; C. F. Field, printing, $3.50; Chas. Dixon, $1.88; Satterthwaite Bros., supplies, $30.84; cemetery supplies, $34.57. Water works: A. Park, labor, $7.80; Satterthwaite Bros, supplies, $41.64; C. J. & M. Ry., freight, $3.78; L. S. & M. S. Ry., freight, $.57; Wm. Cassell, labor, $3.00; Lake Shore Foundry, water pipe, $71.35; The Cook Well Co., well points and strainers, $149.25.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for said several sums.

Moved that clerk procure an indexed record book and enter thereon an alphabetic list of the owners of cemetery lots. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets as follows:

To Virginia, Sept. 24 and Oct. 2. Rate one fare for round trip; limit 30 days. To Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee, on Oct. 2. Rate, one fare for round trip; limit 20 days. To Arkansas, Alberta, Arizona, Colorado, Iowa, Indian Territory, Kansas, South Missouri, Manitoba, Minnesota, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Wisconsin, Wyoming, date Sept. 24; rates one fare, plus $4.00; round trip limit 15 days for return.

See Ohio Central Agents. 2w

The Arena's Art Gallery.

We call attention to the prospectus of the Arena, to be found in another column. In addition to being the leader among the high class magazines, it gives to each subscriber a copy of the "Arena Portrait Gallery," containing forty portraits of distinguished persons, which is worth as much as the magazine itself. There are fifty readers of the HERALD who could and should take advantage of this offer.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

There are times when man would be alone,
Far from the madding crowd,
Where he his privacy can own
And think his thought out loud.
One of these times, without a doubt,
Is when he first bestrides
A bike, and neighbors all come out
To see how well he rides.

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If the ruination of a boy is desired, says an exchange, let him roam the street at will. There is nothing that will ruin a boy so quickly as unwatched liberty. It is during these night carousals that he learns the vulgarism which will grow to something worse and the idea of having so little respect for himself or those around him. The fond parent it may be who allows her 10 or 12-year-old boy to continually absent himself from home night after night will some day, when it is too late, have cause to weep, and bitterly, too, for neglecting her boy during his tender years."

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A WARNING.

Everybody, or at any rate almost everybody, has been saying that the diabolical practice would lead to mischief, and now it has. You can't throw rice, shoes, and other groceries and habiliments at young married persons, year after year, without doing damage. In East New York, which is really a part of Brooklyn, a wedding took place the other night. The husband and the wife came down the stairs amid the customary shower, and bolted for the carriage. At this moment the bridegroom's brother rushed into the street, pulled a big revolver, and fired it cheerfully but recklessly in every direction. "Some of the wedding guests," says the chronicler, "had an enjoyable time dodging flying lead." Among those to whom the wedding guest afforded amusement and exercise was a policeman, who, as soon as the revolver was emptied, arrested the convivial gentleman and put him in jail. It is thus plain to be seen that rice-throwing leads to the most deplorable consequences.—Buffalo Courier.

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LEGAL STATUS OF THE BICYCLE GIRL.

It is well known that, owing to the phenomenally rapid development of the bicycling habit, the legal rights and privileges of riders are not clearly defined, and a code of bicycle law is generally regarded as one of the necessities of the near future. Especially is this the case in the west, where the changes in conventional costume introduced by riders have aroused an amount of alarm as to the safety of our social institutions which is little felt in this part of the country. Only a few weeks ago two male riders, clad in knickerbockers, were rudely and almost forcibly ejected from a Wisconsin hotel because they had undertaken to enter the dining room "while ladies were present." They were "fed," we believe, in a small, secluded room, and allowed to leave the town unharmed by taking back lanes and riding as modestly as possible. Female riders in bloomers have had much more serious trouble, and have usually been arrested and taken to court, only to be released with nothing more serious than a rebuke, since there was no written law under which they could be held or punished. We are glad to see that Judge Williamson, of Little Rock, Ark., has begun the compilation of a system of bicycle law by establishing, on very broad grounds, one great principle which may be used as a precedent by other jurists.

A certain Mrs. Noe was arrested and brought before him a few days ago for riding a bicycle in bloomers. Excitement ran high, the entire moral sentiment of Little Rock was rampant, and every eye was fixed upon the judge. He knew a crisis had arrived, and he met it without flinching. "Women," he said in a voice which will penetrate every hamlet in the land, "have a constitutional and God-given right to ride a bicycle, and they are bound to have some comfortable and appropriate dress therefor." In elaborating his view, Judge Wilson is both striking and convincing. He says:

"Were Mrs. Noe a woman with one foot in the grave and the other on a pedestal, were she of a size that threatened to frighten horses and impede traffic, or were her habiliments of the sort originally designed by the woman whose name they bear, I should be disposed to give her the limit of the law. As it is, the case is dismissed at the city's cost."

That makes the legal way clear to even the meanest capacity. So long as a woman "with one foot in the grave" does not try to ride a bicycle, so long as she is not of a size "to frighten horses or impede traffic," so long as her bloomers are not like unto the original Bloomer costume, she is free to dress as she thinks necessary in exercising her constitutional and God-given rights.—New York Evening Post.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., SEPT. 27, 1895.

Clinton's gala day was a gala day indeed.

Tate & Stoner are buying live stock this fall.

Chas. F. Clark was an Adrian visitor Monday.

There was a big crowd in town last Saturday.

James Honley is moving into the Chase house.

Clark & Shimman are getting in their new fall goods.

Ben. Garlinghouse, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Burroughs returned to Grand Rapids Friday.

Garland Gillespie was at the County seat Tuesday on business.

Miss Eva Shimman was in Petersburg Monday visiting her mother.

Albert Chase and mother were over from Ypsilanti last Saturday.

The Baptist people took in $20.00 at their New England supper last Saturday.

Walter H. Smith is very sick, having had some kind of stroke while at work in the garden.

Mrs. A. F. Tuttle is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook, of Tecumseh.

Our tug-of-war team thinks quite seriously of challenging Tecumseh to mortal combat.

Robert Redick is at his old tricks again. He is putting a new ceiling on the barber shop.

Miss Laura Clark and Miss Nellie Kishpaugh went to Adrian Tuesday to attend the Episcopal convocation.

Ham Niblack and wife were at Ypsilanti all last week. They went out to attend the wedding of his wife's brother.

R. J. W. Bowen took a lot of snap shots on the street last Saturday which he has developed into some fine views.

John J. White is now fully settled in his new room and it makes very convenient and commodious quarters for him.

G. D. Ellis is doing a good business this fall. His "Green Eagle" cigar is becoming a leader and is having a big sale.

Mrs. Hurd and her daughter, Mrs. Angie Conkright, have returned home to Pittsfield, Ill., after a two weeks' visit with friends in Clinton.

The Epworth League gave a pink tea at the M. E church parlors Tuesday evening. They had a good attendance and a very enjoyable time.

Fred. Greenleaf's son fell from his wheel and was unconcious several hours. It is reported that he was heated. Dr. White attended him and he is all right again.

H. Wiltse & Son have moved into their new shop in the corner of the new block, which makes an elegant room for their use. They have one of the neatest harness stores in the county.

Workmen are now making the new counters and fixtures in McClure's store. They will be done in the latest and most fashionable style. Frank expects to occupy his new store within two or three weeks.

The new drug firm, Sherwood & Foster, are taking possession of the west store in the new block this week. They will carry a full line of drugs and also staple and fancy groceries. They came here from Webberville and have had ten years' experience in the business. Success to them.

The improvements at the Freese store are progressing rapidly. The two archways through the partition wall have been completed and the west store is receiving its stock of boots and shoes. The firm will get all settled next week and will hold a grand fall opening on Saturday October 5th, when they will show the best line of goods ever shown in Clinton. Refreshments will be served and they want everybody to come.

One of those delightful occasions that linger vividly within the realm of memory after months and years have passed, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Crittenden, in Saline township, on Thursday evening, Sept. 19. At this time Mr. Edward Miller, of Macon, claimed the hand of their youngest daughter, Nettie, and the words were pronounced by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell that sealed the solemn vow and made them one. Both of the contracting parties have grown up in this vicinity and are possessed of hosts of friends. Mr. Miller is engaged in teaching, a calling in which he has achieved much success. Much pleasure as it would have given the host and hostess to entertain all their friends and relatives on this occasion, the circle was so large that only the near relatives could be invited. All the arrangements of the wedding were made with excellent taste and carried out with ease and harmony. Many beautiful and useful presents betokened the high esteem in which the wedded pair is held. Their beginning is most auspicious; may it be prophetic of their entire life.

OUR GALA DAY.

Our gala day drew a large crowd last Saturday afternoon and all the games and sports came off substantially as prearranged. The weather was torrid enough to please the most fastidious, but it seemed to keep no one at home. Tecumseh on the south and Manchester on the north wete both represented by large delegations. The total number in town was estimated by some as high as 1500. There were doubtless more people than that in town during the entire afternoon, as the visitors we coming and going from noon until ... Patrick Swift was knocked down during one of the foot races, but he was only slightly injured and with that exception not an accident occurred to mar the pleasure of the day. The program closed with a fine display of fireworks in the evening. Good music was furnished during the day by the K. O. T. M. band, and there was a liberal display of flags and bunting by the business places on Chicago street. We append a brief synopsis of the events as they took place.

There were eight entries in the five mile handicap which proved to be the most exciting event of the day. The winners were Crosby first, Burton second, Clark third. Burleson who came in fourth was the scratch man, Crosby and Burton were given one minute the start and Clark one-half minute. Burleson's time was 17-1-4 minutes.

There were four entries in the boys' one mile race, Fay Anderson, Ralph Kishpaugh, Ed. Schmidt, and Merritt Martin, and the boys crossed the line in the order named. Time 3:16.

Next came the fat men's race for which there were three entries, J. B. Wells, John Mingues and John VanTuyle. The race was very close and won by Wells by about a foot.

The ladies' half mile race was contested by the Misses Cora Ward, Addie McDermott and Ella Cheatham, who won prizes in the order named.

There were ten starters in the foot race, 100 yards. The winners were Steve Huntington, C. M. Stevens, Newman. Time, 10 1-4 seconds.

The one mile open bicycle race was won by Robert Crosby with Leon Clark second and Floyd Williams third. Time, 2:12.

In the three-legged race there were five pairs entered and the three prizes were captured by Dickerson and Silkworth, Farrell and Phillips and Tag brothers.

The one-mile township championship bicycle race was closely contested by Robert Crosby and Leon Clark. Crosby won the first two heats and the medal. Time, 2:14; 2:19.

There were eight starters in the sack race. Henry Hollenbeck, Will Phillips and James Farrell won the three prizes.

Another comical race was the wheelbarrow race. There were eight starters and the winners were Huntington, Reilly and Stevens.

The bicycle three-mile lap race was contested for by nine wheelmen and was won by Burleson, Beneway being second and Vernie Smith third.

The last event of the afternoon was the tug-of-war. Fifteen Main street men were pitted against fifteen factory employees and when the signal was given there was a tremendous tug on the rope, neither side gaining any advantage for a time, but the business men outranked the factory boys in solid weight which finally turned the victory in their favor.

Taken altogether, Clinton has every reason to be proud of her gala day.

—COME AND SEE US—

Our fall and winter opening will take place on Friday and Saturday, Oct 4th and 5th. All the latest styles in Millinery novelties will be displayed. Come and see us. CLARK & SHIMMAN
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PENTECOST POINTERS.

G. W. Fuller, who took in the excursion to Louisville, Chattanooga, etc., has returned home, pleased with his trip.

B. F. Clement, while feeding a threshing machine, was struck accidently by the band cutter and got a bad wound on the hand.

Their many friends in this place offer their sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Halliday on the advent of a baby daughter. How are you, Grandpa and Grandma Daniels?

Wilson Bros shipped two car loads of celery from this place this week to points in the west. A car load today goes to Kansas City, we believe. The celery, onions, etc., shipped by this firm are very fine.

Mrs. G. W. Fuller, while driving a spirited young horse on her way to bring her son from school last Friday, was thrown from her wagon and bruised quite severely by the horse turning too short in entering the yard. A. F. Peters caught the horse and brought him back.

The Pentecost Library Association give a "Wonderland" entertainment at Glenn's hall, Pentecost, on Oct. 5th. A handsome prize of decorated china will be given to the one who first guesses correctly the identity of a mysterious veiled Nun, who appears among the collection of "freaks" on the stage. There will be a wonderful bearded lady who will sing a solo in a voice as heavy as a man's; also Indians, Negroes, giants, dwarfs, etc.; comic songs, recitations, etc. Farmer Jay, of Jayville, will give his ideas on some matters in a way to bring down the house. Come and get a dollar's worth of fun for ten cents. Children under ten, half price.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Mr. Mortimer Myers is on the sick list but is improving some at the present time.

The Peach Crop has been very large this year; all the orchards are full of peaches which keep the people very busy caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones are home from Hillsdale. Mr. Jones is going to run Mr. A. T. Graves' Cider and Jelly factory at Brooklyn.

Wilford Dewey has been visiting in Grand Rapids for two weeks reports a lovely time in his letters. He is expected home Monday.

Mr. H. S. Lawrence, of St Louis, Mo., spent a few days at the home of C. H. Dewey last week. He went to Jackson last Thursday to visit friends.

The Ladies Church Social met at the home of C. H. Dewey last Thursday afternoon. The weather was so very warm there was not a very large attendance.

We learned Saturday that Mrs. George Bartlett of Jackson had passed away from earth. She was formerly from this place and all who knew her will deeply regret to hear this sad news.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Everybody will be taking in the fair this week at Adrian.

Charlie Baker's little boy has been quite sick with cholera infantum.

Fred Seger spent last Sunday at Ernest Sta...'s near Springville.

Farmer... got most of their corn cut, and are about through sowing wheat.

Dwight Luce has been confined to the house the most of the time for the past few ...

Mrs. Humphrey Griffin and l... girl were q... sick last week wit... summer G...pe.

The new bridge on the Whitney road is nearly completed having been down about four weeks.

Fred Hunt had an attach of typhoid fever but by consulting medical advice in season is able to be around again.

ONSTED ODDS.

Corn all cut and some husked out.

Farmers are busy sowing wheat and rye.

Dr. Minneker has been on the sick list lately.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Halsted, of East Rome, called on friends in this vicinity last Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Laughlin, of Valley City, N. D., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Short.

Our lady merchants, Peskins & Wallace, have received a nice stock of goods for their fall trade.

Miss Jennie Maltman, of West Rome, was the guest of Miss Nellie Durkee the latter part of last week.

A Christian science social was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Mariatte on Friday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Morton, of Pittsford, were callers at Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Aldrich's a part of last week.

A. P. Onsted and M. O. Aldrich went out to Ingham county and purchased each a pure bred Lincolnshire ram. They are very nice ones.

The remains of Deacon Marvin Howard were brought here from Tecumseh on Friday last and buried beside his wife in the cemetery. He formerly resided in this vicinity and was very highly respected.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Kate Maxwell; vice pres., Mrs. Amanda Ross; secy. and treas., Mrs. L. Morey; 1st col., Mrs. Emily Wimple; 2d col., Mrs. S. Redfield; overseer of work, Mrs. Charlotte Maxwell.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is on the gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hustler have moved to Mr. Older's, near Adrian.

Miss Fisher and Miss Ella Munger are again in attendance at the Normal, Ypsilanti.

The members of the lyceum met at A. D. Hunt's Saturday night and re-elected J. C. VanDoren president; Andrew Taylor, vice president; Nina Allen, secretary; Geo. Taylor, treasurer, and then adjourned to meet at G. W. Allen's, in four weeks.

Even a cat may be made useful. Clarence Wisner wanted to get a log chain under a building in order to move it, but the building being too close to the ground to admit of a boy crawling under it the family cat was impressed into the service. He is a large and intelligent cat, but even he could not carry a log chain, so a long string was procured and secured to the chain at one end and to the cat at the other, then a boy at the other side of the house began to call the cat. He ran to within about two feet of the boy's reach and sat down to study the situation. Explosive "Scat's" were hurled at him, but in vain. Finally, when hope was about to be abandoned, he suddenly broke cover, and the string at the same time, in a wild flight for a place of safety; but, happily, the string was within reach and the wished for end attained.

AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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Prof. F. G. Plummer of Tacoma, Wash., is authority for the statement that there are hundreds of trees in that vicinity upwards of 700 feet in height.

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Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill. writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Eletric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statemnt. Price only 50c. for large bottle. At Orr & Temple's drug store. 6

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NOTICE OF DRAIN LETTING.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, George East, Township Drain Commissioner of the township of Macon, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, will, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1895, at the residence of Fred Miller, in the said township of Macon, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as "Karcher Drain No. 6" located and established in the said township of Macon, and described as follows, to-wit.

Beginning at a stake situated 470 ft. E and 810 ft. S from N E corner N fractional part N W ¼ N E ¼ sec 12, T 5, S R 5 E, Michigan, owned by Fred Miller; thence N 82½ degs W 170 ft, thence N 8 degs E 280 ft, thence S 61 degs E 300 ft, thence N 55¾ degs E 160 ft, thence N 16 degs E 240 ft, thence N 5 degs W 90 ft, to a point on the section line S E fractional ¼ Sec 15, owned by Abraham Harrington, and 790 ft E S W cor thereof; thence N 2 degs W 180 ft, thence N 87½ degs E 340 ft, thence N 4½ degs E 190 ft, thence N 60 degs E 350 ft, thence N 41 degs E 120 ft, thence N 4 degs E 225 ft, thence N 43 degs E 240 ft, thence N 67½ degs E 500 ft, thence N 53 degs E 265 ft, to a point in the W L N W fractional ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, owned by Lewis Martin, and 1225 ft S N W cor thereof; thence N 1 deg E on sec line 805 ft, thence N 82 degs E 470 ft, thence N 57 degs E 470 ft, thence E 170 ft, to a point in the W L fractional N W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, owned by Joseph Harrington, and 40 ft S 45 degs E N W cor thereof; thence E 600 ft, thence N 39½ degs E 10 ft, to a point in the S L E ¼ N W ¼ Sec 14, owned by Chas. Hendershot, and 1845 ft E N W corner thereof; thence N 19½ degs E 1000 ft, thence N 31 degs E 470 ft thence N 30 degs E 190 ft, to a point in the S L E pt N ¼ N W ¼ Sec 14, owned by D. C., Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, and 515 ft W S E cor thereof; thence N 30 degs E 60 ft, thence N 20½ degs E 800 ft, thence N 15½ degs E 290 ft, thence N 545 ft, to a point in the S L E ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, owned by Fred Miller and John Smith, and 10 ft W S E cor thereof; thence N 25 ft, thence W 1310 ft, to a point in the E L S W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, owned by Henry Karcher, and 20 ft N S E cor thereof; thence W 1310 ft, to a stake set for terminus of drain at said point. Total length of drain, 11,280 ft; greatest depth, 6.6 ft; extreme width on top, 14.8 ft; width on bottom, 1.0 ft. Stakes were set every 100 ft.

The length of said drain upon each of the above described parcels of land is as follows: Fred Miller, N part N W ¼ N E ¼ Sec 22, T 5, S R 5 E 1120 ft; Lewis Martin N W frac ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E, 1615 ft; Abraham Harrington, S E frac ¼ Sec 15, T 5, S R 5 E, 3105 ft; D. C. Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, E part N ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E, 1425 feet; Joseph Harrington, part N W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E, 610 ft; Fred Miller and John Smith, E ½ S W ¼ Sec 11, T 5, S R 5 E, 1335 ft; Charles Hendershot, E ½ N W ¼ Sec 14, T 5, S R 5 E, 1620 ft; Henry Karcher, S W ¼ S W ¼ Sec 11, T 5, S R 5 E, 1320 ft.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the township clerk, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract and the terms of payment therefor shall be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is further hereby given, that at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the drain commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessment for benefits and the land comprised within the Karcher Drain No. 6, Special Assessment District," will be subject to review.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the special assessment district of said drain, viz:

Abraham Harrington, se frac ¼ sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lewis Martin, nw frac ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Joseph Harrington, pt nw ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Charles Hendershot, e ½ nw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lizzie Boyd and T. S. Boyd, lots on e pt n½ nw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller, n frac pt nw ¼ ne ¼ sec 22, t 5 s r 5 e.

Abraham Harrington, se frac ¼ sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lewis Martin, nw frac ¼ sw ¼ sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Joseph Harrington, pt nw qr sw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Charles Hendershot, e ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

D. C., Lizzie and T. S. Boyd, e pt n ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller and John Smith, e ½ sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Henry Karcher, sw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Chester Gooding, w ½ e ½ sw qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on east side.

Martin Gooding, e ½ e ½ sw qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

S. S. Camburn Estate, e ½ e ½ w... ne qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on south side.

Hebron Camburn, e ½ nw qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e, 40 acres on east side.

Catharine Ellison, w ½ e qr ne qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Garig Harring, so 20 a w qr sw qr, sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e, 5 acres on south side.

Sarah J. Osgood, n 21 a e ½ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Isaiah Hendershot, n ½ nw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

John B. Harring, s ½ nw qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

John Smith, w ½ e ¼ sw qr sec 11; t 5 s r 5 e.

Fred Miller, e ½ se qr sw qr sec 11, t 5 s r 5 e.

Jane A. Boyd, w 55 a w ½ nw qr sec 14, t 5 s r 5 e

John Smith, e ½ n ½ ne qr ne qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

John McKendry, w ½ w ½ ne qr sec 15, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lester B. Ayers, w ¼ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Lot of Thomas Murphy bounded on the north by section line and land of Warren Miller, on the east and south by Ridge Road and land of Charles Hendershot, and on the west by land of T. S. Boyd. Township of Macon at large.

Joseph Harrington, e ½ of se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Harriet Hand, s pt e ¼ se qr sec 10, t 5 s r 5 e.

Dated September 20, 1895.

GEORGE EAST,
Drain Commissioner Township of Macon.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 3d of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres in the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-one (21), township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee on the 8th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of August 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.

JOHN E. BIRD, Attorney.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 3d day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Margeson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John L. VanDoren and Burton A. Garlinghouse, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be empowered and licensed to mortgage the real estate in said petition described for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of September, 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c.), which always gives relief. Sept.

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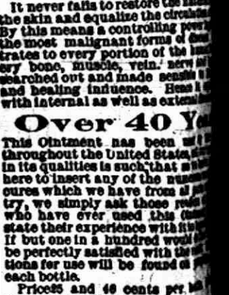

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ghborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

r Curtis was a Detroit visitor day.

Niblack was an Adrian visitor dnesday.

Osgood made a business trip to last Friday.

r Burridge, of Tecumseh, was last Saturday on business.

Blun is able to be out again, but not yet resumed work at the

aster Babcock and Samuel took in the fair at Dundee last

Addie Babcock, who was on the t last week, is better at this

Bilton, father-in-law of Robert died at the County House last y.

ory nuts are plentiful and the already laying in a stock for evenings.

ext regular review of Henderat, 467, K. O. T. M. will be held y, Oct. 1st.

Brooks, of Clinton, visited his Will and Labe Babcock, last riday and Saturday.

Helm and family visited with er's family in the town of Rome riday until Monday.

Nettie Sink was in Toledo Tues- Wednesday selecting a new fall millinery goods.

Helen Hardy went to Ypsilanti sday, where she will take a in Cleary's business college.

t new houses will be built over fifth ward before next spring, of which are now well under way.

W. J. Clark and son, George, are g a few days at Laporte, Ind. is rapidly recovering from his

everybody in Britton went to ian fair Thursday. There was legation from this corner of the

and Mrs. Andrew Wood and left Monday afternoon for attend the funeral of a re-

om here took in the Toledo last Sunday. It was not as tronized as the one the week

says that Thos. Lee and family ove to Ypsilanti, for the purallowing the girls to attend here.

mployees of the C. J. & M. reheir pay checks Tuesday, the t., and the town is again floodmoney.

Frost put in his appearance Monht and tender crops were somejured. The few fields of corn mout were wilted some.

W. J. Helm wishes to inform the s of this vicinity that she is still making at her home. Work and hard time prices.

B. Mudge, Geo. L. Oliver, Mrs. ew Yates, Mrs. Chas. Gorham and erlis Kniffin are accredited del- to the convention at Marshall, eek.

ard Hatch left here Wednesday n for Battle Creek, where he red a position in the C. J. & M. office. Success to him in his ture.

cars of dressed poultry from and several cars of celery from h have been received here late- poultry was consigned to New y and Springfield, Mass. via sh and Hoosac Tunnel line. y was going over the Wabash is, Mo. and Kansas City.

Mudge goes to Marshall, Monday next to attend a Unity conference in which tives of various denomina- participate. The topic he is s "One Church—Why? How? On Wednesday the Michigan convenes, of which Mr. ecretary.

of brimstone in a Wabash fire while standing on the rday and after a lively scrap ew succeeded in extinguish- . After the excitement was Pulver was found in deep behind the coal house. d what the trouble was he d you see that blue blaze and awful smell? I am going to e a better life hereafter."

is progressing rapidly on the Several buildings are now and others to follow, and the are trying to get rich out e of land, by holding it for will soon learn that al- have deterred the growth ity of our village for a few are bound to grow. It is at a part of a farm border- turnpike on the west side nde will soon be platted and the ball rolling. There is y we should not begin with prosperity of the country selves right along into a own.

MACON MUSIC.

ddie Crittenden was home from st week to attend her sister's

day last we welcomed Rev. D. ell back to his fourth yeat of acon.

t of Orange Blossoms is be- most oppressive, and then, ample once set, so many are ollow it.

lso to announce the mar- former residents of this 17, Mr. Bert Ames of De- rried to Miss Pinkney of on Sept. 21st. Miss Cora Manti was married to Mr. Brooklyn.

Sep. 19th, Mr. Edward Mil- Miss Nettie Crittenden. The took place at the home of the followed by a trip to The many friends extend tions, congratulations, and the can be a little more readily for buying off such a prize as tear her away from Macon.

BROADWAY RAMBLES.

The first frost to injure vegetation made its appearance Monday night.

Mae Fletcher visited Miss Florence House, of Clinton, Saturday and Sunday.

Charles Barber from near North Adams called on Mort Kelly Tuesday.

Roy Williams, of Perrysburg, Ohio, is spending a few days with C. M. Gove and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell, who have been spending the past six months in Mass. returned last week.

Mrs. H. Beedle with her daughter Bernice left Monday for a few weeks' stay with relatives at Plainwell.

Mrs. Jacob Arner left Friday for an indefinite stay with her daughter Mrs. Ed. Anderson, and family, at Detroit.

Mrs. Frances Barrington, of Maple Rapids, is visiting her aunt, Miss S. A. VanVleet and cousin, Mrs. L. V. Miller, this week.

Rev. Cansfield will begin a series of sermons on the life and character of Abraham with next Sunday morning's discourse.

Editor A. B. Smith, of the Milan Leader of Milan, was in the village Monday calling on his Aunt, Mrs. John Arner, and family.

Postmaster Jay A. Santus, who was reported under the doctor's care last week, is very low at present writing, with no hopes of recovery.

Mrs. Lewis Priest and daughter, Ermie, and Maggie Cheever, of Detroit, are spending the present week with her mother, Mrs. Fenner Palmer.

Mrs. S. P. Smith, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Charles Statts of Chatham N. Y. for several weeks, returned home Tuesday morning.

Rev. C. W. Baldwin and wife, of Addison, and Rev. T. A. Greenwood, of the Ninde Church, Detroit, are the guests of Rev. H. Cansfield this week.

Mrs. Ace Smith left Wednesday for St. Louis, Mich. for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. M. D. Britton. She will visit her other daughters at Grand Rapids and Grand Ledge before her return.

When you are in the village don't fail to call at Smith & Schmidt's place of business at the northeast corner store, where you will find a full line of hardware and groceries as cheap as any place in the village.

Beginning with October 1st, the library will be open from 2:30 until 6 and from 7 until 9 p. m. As the time for the yearly dues to be paid is at hand, the board desire all members to call and leave the same with the Librarian as soon as convenient.

Edith Collins, of Blissfield, having arrived with a full line of new millinery goods of the latest styles, at her rooms with Mrs. W. H. Arner, will be pleased to receive a call from former patrons and all others in need of any thing in her line. It will cost you nothing to call and see her fall styles and get prices.

Robert Marshall, of Lowell, Mich., was in the village last week as the guest of Lafayette Rappleye, renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Marshall worked for Samuel Rappleye in 1836-7-8. He went to Grand Rapids where he lived six years, and from there moved to Lowell, then a village of only three houses, he being one of its pioneer settlers. He is a cooper by trade and still keeps a force of hands at work, doing a good business. He lost his wife a little over a year ago, which leaves him without any family ties. Although past 73 years of age and broken down in health, he attends to his business personally. Since a resident of Lowell he has filled different positions of public honor and trust, which speaks well for his noble character and business ability.

The most perplexing problem with a certain young lady is, whether to pay the market Price for Go(u)ld or to buy the gold that Price has.

RAISIN RACKET.

Geo. Kispaugh is on the sick list.

Sam Westgate has moved on the Laird farm, north of here.

Mrs. Harley Aldrich, of Adrian, visited at Chas. Aldrich's last week.

Mr. Wiggins and Mr. Barrett, of Adrian, were at Church at Little Hope Sunday.

Charles Barker, who has been laid up with a sprained ankle, caused by a runaway team, is slowly improving.

The remains of the infant child of Wm. Graves, of Wellsville, was brought here for interment, Friday afternoon.

Before Aunt Rachael Spaul left Mr. Lyons, where she has been living, a birthday party was given her, at which she was presented with a black dress, the present of a few members of the Friends' Church.

The Young Ladies' Society of King's Helpers met at Mabel Westgate's last Saturday, and spent a profitable afternoon. The young ladies are sewing for an orphan home at Rocky Beach. The next meeting will be held at the home of Ella Pierce.

A Cure for Catarrh.

Bucyrus, Ohio, May 19, 1895.
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Gentlemen:—My wife and myself have been chronic sufferers from catarrh in its worst form for a number of years. We have tried every remedy heard of with the hope of securing relief, but without success. By the advice of a friend we tried a jar of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm, and I am most happy to bear testimony to its merits. I believe it to be the only Catarrh Cure. It has cured me and I think it will cure any one who will give it a trial.
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[Copy] J. G. EAGLE, 486 Poplar St.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 27, 1895.
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Gentlemen:—I have been a sufferer from catarrh for a number of years, trying every remedy I heard of, hoping that they would affect a cure—but without avail. Although I have been using Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm but a short time, I find that my nasal catarrh is entirely cured. I wish to recommend it to all who are suffering with catarrh.
Yours very truly,
[Copy] A. E. MARRIOTT, with Wayne Hotel
A small sample can be obtained by sending a 2c stamp to the manufacturers.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

S. C. Stacy was a caller in town last Tuesday.

Benjamin Kelly is reported better at this writing.

Miss Binns, who has been quite sick, is again able to be out.

The missionary social at Rev. Stead's was not largely attended.

Mrs. Pease entertained the Maccabee Ladies Saturday afternoon.

Look out for those orange blossoms that bloom in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Corey occupy the vacant House in the west part of town.

Miss Eva Doty is rapidly improving and her friends rejoice at her speedy recovery.

Operator Holt and wife left Monday for Montpelier, Ohio, for a two weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Mary Harris, who has been visiting her parents, returned home to New York last Thursday.

Mrs. Rothfus is visiting in Blissfield while Mr. Rothfuss has gone on the road selling fanning mills.

Mr. Tom and Harve Hartman are running a lunch counter at Adrian fair this week. Success to them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Macham and Chas. Benedict and wife visited their sister, Mrs. Will Rector, who is sick, Sunday.

Mr. Joe Campbell of the northern part of the state is here moving his aged mother home with him to spend the winter.

L. C. Winship is operating his sorghum mill at Ogden Center, where he expects a big run of molasses the coming season.

Mrs. Stead and son Frank leave for Ann Arbor Thursday where Frank enters the University of Michigan for a four years' course.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown attended the wedding of Mrs. B.'s niece, Miss Edna Houghtby, to Mr. Dave McComb, both of Ogden, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Deloren Brown is figuring to go in business again soon. We sincerely hope he will, for there is need of a first-class general store in this place. Success to him.

Wednesday, Sept. 16, at high noon, Mr. Wm. Mitchell had made up his mind that it was not well for man to live alone, so he took for a life partner Miss Opal Osborne, of Madison, a prominent young lady. May happiness abide forever in that household.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for waht seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail." —Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com.— Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

In the famous Garden of Olives at Jerusalem there are eight flourishing olive trees that are known to be over 1,000 years old.

Truths Tersely Told.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is one of the standard medicines used in the Working Woman's Home Association, at 21 South Peoria street, Chicago."
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"Foley's Honey and Tar gives the best satisfaction here."
C. F. Bickhaus, Roseland, Ill.

"My customers call for Foley's Honey and Tar when wanting a good cough syrup." J. H. Kusse, Easton, O.
For sale by Orr & Temple. Sept.

Bed quilts made of perforated sheets of white paper are becoming quite popular in Europe, especially in England, Holland and France.

Look Out

for breakers ahead when pimples, boils, carbuncles and the like manifestations of impure blood appear. They would'nt appear if your blood were pure and your system in the right condition. They show you what you need, a good blood purifier; that's what you get when you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It carries health with it, All Blood, Skin and Scalp Diseases, from a common blotch or eruption to the worst Scrofula, are cured by it. It invigorates the liver, purifies and enriches the blood, and rouses every organ into healthy action. In the most stubborn forms of skin diseases, such as Salt-Rheum, Eczema, Tetter, Erysipelas, Carbuncles and kindred ailments, and with Scrofula in every shape, and all blood-taints, it effects perfect and permanent cures of the worst cases. 1w

The British official who has charge of the money affairs says that all the gold in the world could be stored in a room 24 feet square and 20 feet deep.

The Best Is Cheapest.

Foley's Sarsaparilla is from three to ten times stronger in blood cleansing qualities than any other proprietary medicine. Trial size 50c. Sept

The Mount Lebanon Shakers recently performed a great deed of charity, although it was not designed as charity, being nothing more nor less than an advertising scheme. It however resulted in great good just the same. They gave away 1,000 bottles of their Digestive Cordial to those suffering from stomach derangements. It was so effective in curing those who used the remedy that they were loud in their praises of it and in consequence a large demand for the cordial was at once created. The druggists of this town have little books that tell all about it. Digestive Cordial creates an appetite, aids digestion and brings about a rapid increase in flesh and strength.

Laxol is the name of a palatable Castor Oil. Just the thing for children. 1w

The largest sheep ranch on the North American Continent is one of 400 000 acres lying in the counties of Dimmit and Webb, Texas.

The secret of happiness, "Keep your liver right." Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's remedy for complaints of the liver or bowels. 1w

Trust.

Calumet does not belong to a Baking Powder trust, but consumers are rapidly learning to place their trust in "Calumet."

The American people aren't only being robbed by the coal combine, the sugar trust, the match trust, the biscuit trust, and a multitude of kindred extortions, but they have for years been paying tribute to a high priced Baking Powder monopoly, which has never given them value received. 1w

The largest steam shoveler in the world is at work in the phosphate beds of St. John Island, near Charleston, S. C. It weighs 56 tons.

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

I suffered terribly from roaring in my head during an attack of catarrh, and became very deaf, used Ely's Cream Balm and in three weeks could hear as well as ever.—A. E. Newman, Grayling, Mich.

Directions for using Cream Balm.—Apply a particle of the Balm well up into the nostrils. After a moment draw strong breath through the nose. Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring. Price of Cream Balm is 50c. 1w

When you get to figuring on the immense size of the state of Texas, remember that it has 57 counties each of which is larger than the State of Rhode Island.

Worms In Children,

symptoms of which are restlessness, and grinding of the teeth in sleep, bad breath, itching of the nose, pain in stomach, hardness and swelling of the abdomen and convulsions. A safe, sure and pleasant remedy for these complaints is Foley's Family Favorite Worm Candy. Sold by Orr & Temple. Sept.

There is a little village named Markneukirchen in Saxony where every working person, men, women and children, are engaged in the manufacture of violins.

"I have nothing in the store that sells so well or gives such general satisfaction as Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry. I always recommend it in cases of summer complaint or bowel trouble of any kind." C. A. West, Rainsborough, O. 1w

To Our Readers.

This is the season when farmers, and others desiring to invest in farm lands, are planning for the coming year. Attention is called to the great opportunity offered to secure lands at a very low price that will double in value in a short time. The income per acre is about the same as that from high priced land. Oats average 60 to 80 bushels per acre, abundant yield of hay and other grains, vegetables, etc. Climate, water, and railroad facilities are good. Those wanting unimproved land can find no more favorable location. Special inducements are offered during the next thirty days. Railroad fare paid if you buy. For further particulars write The C. S. Graves Land Co., 56, 5th. Ave. Chicago, who have an advertisement in this paper.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a secret preparation. Any physician may have the formula on application. The secret of success as a medicine lies in its extraordinary power to cleanse the blood of impurities and cures the most deep seated cases of blood disease. 1w

Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes ***"I was troubled with heart disease*** for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. ***They said there was no help for me,*** that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,*** which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and ***It completely cured me. I sleep*** well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

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Emissions Cured. "At 15 I learned a bad habit. Had losses for seven years. Tried four doctors and nerve tonics by the score, without benefit; I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so., and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."
C. W. LEWIS, Saginaw, Mich.

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W. P. M., Jackson, Mich.

A Minister Speaks. The Rev. W. E. Sparks, of Detroit, says: "I know of no disease so injurious to the mind, body and soul of young men as that of Self Abuse. I have sent many victims of this lustful habit to Drs. Kennedy & Kergan for treatment. I can heartily endorse their *New Method Treatment* which cured them when all else failed."

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SWINGING AROUND THE CIRCLE.

FT. WAYNE, Ind. Sept. 21, 1895.

After spending two weeks in Battle Creek, Mich., we came yesterday, via. Kalamazoo, to this old time city of northern Indiana. We were first here in 1843, when it was a mere village of perhaps 2000, and now it has 46.000.

I was last in Battle Creek six and one-half years ago, having been engaged in business there for the previous four years. It is but little larger now then it was, perhaps has 5.000 more inhabitants and very many new buildings, but the general depression of the times is very much felt there, besides the severe drouth of the last four months, and a bad small-pox scare, have served to arrest trade and for the time depress it still more. But its 20.000 inhabitants are not the sort of people to sit down and give up to adverse circumstances, and with a change of times, we think fast approaching, we look to see it soon booming again. And even now there is much new building going on, forty or fifty new residences perhaps, two or three new manufactories and the Presbyterian church and congregation are putting up a new church to be completed this fall, at the corner of West Main and McCalmly streets, at a cost of $50.000.

Many of its older citizens have passed away since we were last there. John Nichols, founder of the Nichols & Shepherd Vibrator Thresher Co., and founder of the Nichols Home for accidental sufferers from railroad or other accidents, or disease; Col. John Peavey and his son C. C. Peavey, Rich Kingman, Prest. of the City Bank, and two or three of its old directors, Dr. Hubbard, H. H. Hubbard, Dr. Chapin, and many other of its older citizens.

We did not stop at Kalamazoo, but leaving Battle Creek at 8:05 a. m. arrived here at 12:15 p. m., in the heat and dust, the thermometer ranging at 94° for the last 30 miles. The drouth in this vicinity is even more severe than in Lenawee county. The corn is either ripened, or dried up, cut up and in stacks for fodder. Wheat fields are sown but mostly dry as dust, and most of them will not come up till it rains. The thermometer has usually been from 75° to 80° during the night and 90° to 95° at 2 p. m. for the past week; was 94° as I came to my room this afternoon.

I came of course to visit my son W. F. Baxter who is agent for the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., and has his office at 33 Bass Block, in the center of the city, and just off the Court House square. When I have nothing else to do I run in upon the circuit court now in session, to see how their administration of the laws compares with those of Michigan. You are aware that I practiced law at Logansport, Ind., just fifty years ago, before going into partnership with Perley Bills at Tecumseh in 1846.

I have been up to the junction of the St. Joseph and St. Mary's Rivers here, which coming together form the Maumee river and in the forks of which was the site of Old Ft. Wayne, from which the city takes its name. There is now only a well kept grass mound, an artesian well and a planted cannon to mark the spot. When here in 1845, it had something of its old character as an Indian trading post, and very many of the Pottawatamie Indians were still on the reservation on the St. Mary's river, drawing their bounties quarterly I think, and spending the money in dissipation at the groggeries in the village it then was; but all this and also the Indians have passed away. I leave for Toledo next Wednesday and will write again from there. B. L. BAXTER.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend through these columns our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the sad bereavement of our darling little baby, Samuel. May it be the blessed lot of all when they come to die to gently fall asleep in the arms of Jesus as did our darling.

DARIUS J. AND MARGARETTE CURTISS.

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

"For God, Home and Native Land."

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IMPASSIONED LOGIC.

A Second Speech to The Christian Endeavorers.

I stood on the corner of Fulton street, in New York, a sad and an utterly hopeless man. The light had gone out. There was no soul on the face of the earth except one woman and a little boy who believed in me. They were in their desolate home in the far northwest, my wife, worse than a widow because her husband was not dead. There are worse things than widowhood. I stood there and heard a splendid band playing. It was at the head of the dramsellers, who were out for their holiday with their carriages decorated with banners. I saw my sorrowful heart with my wrecked life and with an awful lump of homesickness in my throat such sights in that procession as no other man could describe. I could see at every turn of the carriage wheel some heart crushed and my own boy cursed with hereditary taint of the drunkard. I could see them crushed under the wheels of the Juggernaut of the drink traffic of New York and Brooklyn. Broadway seemed to be paved that day with the fragments of broken homes. I could see joined to the carriage wheels a countless multitude of men like I was, friendless, beggared, starving their pitiful way to be a part of the saloon keeper's spectacle, and I could see haggered faced women holding in their forms little pinched and ragged clothed babes, which tugged at their mothers' starved breasts in vain for food.

"I could see my own wife in the procession. I could see the gray hairs of my mother woven into the fine cloth that was worn on the backs of those dramsellers. I saw a trembling drunkard when the procession began to move, and when it had passed away I found myself standing erect with my face toward heaven, and I found myself saying by the grace of God I would not make another fight for myself again, but I would extend every energy to stop that procession in this country."

During the telling of this story by the speaker there was a deep and impressive hush, which was at this point broken by a demonstration of applause and shouts that were beyond adequate description.

When the applause subsided, the speaker continued: "I went from city to city, from state to state, asking nothing better than to testify to drinking and fallen men of the power of Jesus Christ to save them (applause,) and I beseech the clear, calm, steady handed men who never had the hell of passion or the appetite for drink in their own veins to lend a hand for the rescue of these fallen creatures. I say I have no ambition in the world beyond being a missionary to the drunkards in the land. I desire to spend the remainder of my life beseeching tempted men to come and find out for the salvation of their own souls.

I know of the faith of the Son of God, but you cannot blame me for being particular to what church I lead them. I can't lead them where it won't be helpful. (Applause.)

I would never ask a man to send his son to the Sabbath school where the superintendent is in favor of liquor saloons, or ask the drunkard to join a church having a pastor whose private habits were such it would not be safe for him to imitate, or to put myself into Christian company of deacons and officeholders of a church who themselves smell of wine, and, because of their complicity with the liquor traffic, are unable to raise their voices in the name of Jesus Christ against the saloon keepers. (Great applause.)

A drunkard must get to a higher level of Christian grace and faith and service than is represented by a license superintendent or tippling deacon or Christian man who lets a house to a saloon or brothel keeper. I will take no chances like that. For Jesus Christ's sake, let us get the church clean. (Tremendous applause.)

We will never save the world until we get the church right for Christ. Change the Christian Endeavor motto from 'For Christ and the Church' to 'The Church For Christ.' For the sake of the chivalry of your own manhood, for your self respect, for the truth of the church and for true Christian citizenship stop being whipped by party politicians into a crowd you don't belong in. Don't go there because your father did or because it is the biggest or because the newspapers advocate it. (Renewed applause and cheers.)

Go into the Democratic party if you like, but think about it. Go because you fit and join there. No party owns me. I doubt if any party claims me. My flag is up for no spoils, no dirty politics, is up for Jesus Christ and a pure manhood. Down with spoils; down with liquor saloons; down with strikes; down with pauper and criminal immigration. (Tumultuous applause.) Down with the lying, juggling partisan tariff reform; up with arbitration; up with the little red schoolhouse. (Repeated cheering, shouts, stamping of feet and clapping of hands.)

Up with the English language; up with a clean press; up with the voice of the people; honest traffic for American capital, honest wages for American workmen, a fair chance for American boys, another for American drunkards and equal chances for American women, respect for the laws and for the Sabbath obedience to law and loyalty to the whole country without regard to section. Glory to God in the highest—that is my flag. (Wild demonstration.)

Don't ask me to follow your party or candidate if they don't come there or follow that flag. There is no trouble about securing the success of this great crusade against the liquor saloons.

In emphasizing these points Mr. Woolley drew a terrible picture of a country entirely controlled by liquor dealers, given up to its sale and use, and occupied only by its supporters and victims.

It was, he said, 'a vision most repellant and repugnant.' It was, he continued, a scene of horrors and of despair. It was a country free from Sunday laws, free from the fanatical interference of Christian people. There were coils of distilleries, breweries, brothels, madhouses and gaming houses. Mothers sat upon the ground beside the dead bodies of their firstborn, and praying for death themselves. Drunken men go into drunkards' graves, women go about broken hearted. Six millions of people and not one happy home in all the land; not one cheerful face; no sweet notes raised, on Sunday, no church, no God. It is like the leprosy island in the Pacific ocean. The infernal cruelty and atrocity of it have never struck you, oh, men, and you women of the temperance union, because there is no drunkard in family. Look at it today as never before for Jesus Christ's sake! If I could take the roofs of Boston off and show you the secret of the unhappy homes here, made so by the liquor traffic, I would make you men of Boston stand up and swear that you would take no rest until the dramshops of this city were in smoking ruins. (Prolonged applause and cheers.)

If the suggestion is made to you to quiet the saloon on the Scandinavian plan, or to keep them 100 feet away from schoolhouse or church, be it clergyman or layman, dump him in Boston harbor, and keep him there until the meanness is soaked out of him. (Great applause.)

Stand up, men of Beston, and cleanse thyself, so that it will be a clean place, and safe for the boys and girls to grow up in. I expect to win this fight and put my own heel on the neck of this liquor traffic. I will plant my heel upon its accursed neck, with 'Down, down, to hell, and say I sent thee.' (Tumultuous applause.)

May God help you to keep the shadow of drink from your own homes, and may God give you great strength and grit and sand and the determination to conquer in this fight against this great curse and foe."

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Buy a lecture ticket.

Burtis is the smoothest shaver in town.

Regular meeting of Blue Lodge tonight—for degree work.

A big delegation of Tecumseh people went to Adrian yesterday.

Read the new announcement of Platt Sisters of Clinton on the first page.

Rev. J. P. Varner is improving and hopes to be able to preach Sunday morning.

The school board have purchased two new flags for the central and east branch buildings.

Joe Keeney, of Franklin, arrived home Monday from an extended trip through Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Graves of Milwaukee were guests of Wm. H. Osborne's family the first of the week. They were on their way home from a European trip.

The opening concert of the Star course will cost $1.00 per ticket. A course ticket for six entertainments can be bought for $1.50. Buy a course ticket and be happy.

The two new drive wells have been connected with the pump at the water works, which will largely increase the supply of water. The wells now dug ought to furnish plenty of water for all ordinary seasons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Slayton entertained a large party of their Tecumseh friends at Idlewild cottage, Sand Lake, last Friday. It was very sultry weather and Idlewild furnished a good resting place for sweltering mortals that day.

The funeral of Brother J. A. Santus, under the direction of the Knight's Templar, will be held at Ridgeway Sunday morning, Sept. 29th, at 10 o'clock. All members of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, are requested to be present.

B. J. GARLINGHOUSE, W. M.

Edward King and Howard Hand were arraigned before Justice Wightman last Friday for till-tapping and sent to the Reform School until they are seventeen. Deputy Stevens took them to Lansing Monday. Their fate should be a warning to other boys, to shun evil ways and associations.

Smith & Schmidt is the title of a new firm at Ridgeway, successors to J. O. Shepard. Mr. E. T. Smith is a son of George Smith of Toledo, a former resident of Tecumseh, and he has a large circle of acquaintances in Macon. He is a young man and a hustler and the firm will doubtless succeed.

At the meeting of the southern convocation of the Diocese of Michigan, held in Adrian Tuesday, the Hon. Jas. O'Donnell was re-elected treasurer and Rev. W. R. Blachford secretary. Rev. Henry Tatlock continues the Dean by appointment of the Bishop. Mr. Chas. Keyes was the lay delegate from Tecumseh. The Junior Auxiliary to missions also met under the presidency of Mrs. Richard McCauley, of Detroit. A very good meeting was held and a branch of the society organized for Christ church parish. Delegates from Tecumseh were Misses Etta and Inez Thorpe, and from Clinton Misses Laura Clark and Nellie Kishpaugh.

A singular accident occurred at the corner of Maiden Lane and Logan St. Tuesday evening, by which Miss Hattie Woodard was somewhat injured. Rev. Mr. Hudson was riding his wheel along the street and came in collision with the lady. She is quite deaf and failed to hear the alarm. Fortunately no bones were broken, but she has been quite ill from the nervous shock. Mr. Hudson is much grieved over the affair, as it was purely accidental on his part, and no blame can be attached to anyone.

LATER—Miss Woodard passed away at 9 o'clock this forenoon, being unable to rally from the nervous shock sustained, not having regained consciousness from the time of being struck. It is a very sad affair, both for the innocent victim and the equally innocent cause of the accident. The funeral has not been fixed upon as we go to press.

Preparations are being pushed at Ann Arbor for the resumption of studies at the university which will occur next week. Work during the summer has been largely confined to the making of needed repairs. Some new walks have been added, closets placed in the law building and university hall, stairways strengthened in the latter building, iron work painted and ceilings and walls frescoed. At the university hospital it has taken much of the summer to rebuild the ampitheater and replace the disagreeable benches with folding seats. There have been numerous repairs at the observatory. The great movable dome looms out in the brightest of blue, and a few inside changes have been made. It was found impossible to make the proposed changes at the athletic field and it remains much as before. A well is being sunk, the great quantity of water needed making it too expensive to use the city water mains. Old students will not find many changes in or about the university buildings when they return.

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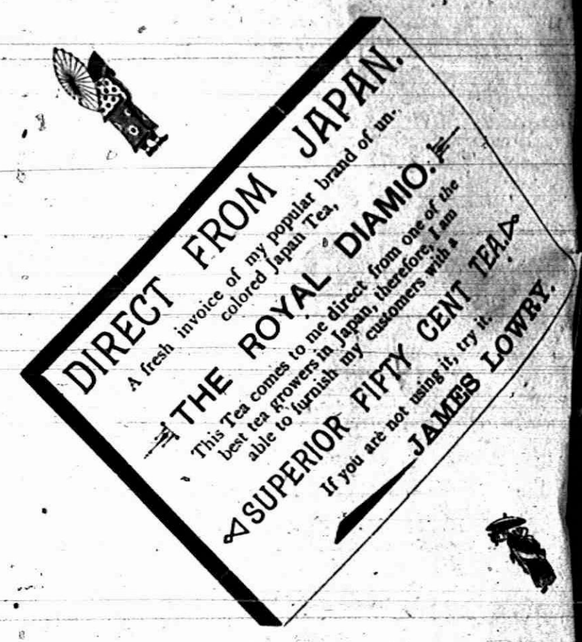

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FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN FREE GIFTS

To Subscribers of the Twice-a-Week Edition.

One thousand special gifts valued at $6,807.10 were distributed to subscribers of the Twice-a-Week edition of The St. Louis Republic, who sent in their subscriptions in July, and 1,000 special gifts valued at $5,807.20 were given to those who sent in subscriptions in August. Another list of one thousand special gifts, valued at $6,807.20, is offered to subscribers who send in their orders during September. In addition a valuable engraving is to be given to every subscriber during this distributing. The total value of the gifts over $53,000. The list of gifts for subscribers in September is given below. The first 700 and the last 300 subscribers during September who send correct answers to the question:

Where does the word "Paper" first occur in the Bible?

will be awarded the following gifts in the order their answers and subscriptions are received:

FIRST 700 GIFTS:

1st Correct Answer—Scholarship at Metropolitan College of Music, New York City (the leading Musical College of America).....	$672.00
2—One year scholarship Clara Conway Institute, Memphis, Tenn....	200.00
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5—One year scholarship Central Female College, Archibald A. Jones, Prest., Lexington, Mo.....	115.00
6—One year scholarship complete business course (actual business practice and practical bookkeeping, with banking), Jones' Commercial College, J. G. Bohnier, Prin., St. Louis.....	100.00
7—Scholarship Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.....	100.00
8—Complete course New York College of Business.....	100.00
9—Course of Shorthand and Typewriting, Jones' Commercial College, St. Louis.....	100.00
10—Scholarship Christian Brothers' College, Memphis.....	100.00
11—Scholarship R. C. (Mo.) Bus. University.....	100.00
12—Scholarship French or German..	70.00
13—Walter A. Wood Cyclone Mower..	65.00
14-15—One year scholarship Springfield Normal School, Springfield, Mo.; $60 each.....	120.00
16—Springfield Farm Wagon.....	60.00
17—New Home Sewing Machine.....	60.00
18-19—Round Trip Colorado Springs via Missouri Pacific; $54.20 each..	108.40
20—One year scholarship (literary department) Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President.....	$300.00
2—Scholarship (same as No. 4 1st 700)	150.00
3—Course at Memphis Keeley Institute.....	134.00
4—Scholarship (same as No. 5 1st 700)	115.00
5—Scholarship (same as No. 9 1st 700)	100.00
6—Scholarship (same as No. 11 1st 700).....	100.00
7—Scholarship French or German..	70.00
8—Scholarship (same as No. 14 1st 700).....	60.00
9—Ticket to Colorado Springs and return.....	54.20
10—Ticket to Denver and Return....	49.00
11—Round trip to Atlanta Exposition.....	27.20
12—Steamboat trip.....	12.00
13-35—Home Course Shorthand, $10 each.....	20.00
36—Pair Fine Opera Glasses.....	5.00
37-38—Graphic Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $7.50 each.....	15.00

SUMMARY—Total value of 1,000 Special Gifts awarded for subscriptions received prior to August 1st, $6,807.10; Total value of 1,000 Special Gifts awarded for subscriptions received in August, $5,807.20; Total value of Special Gifts to be awarded for subscriptions received in September, 1,000 Steel Engravings, National Capitol, etc., $1 each, $1,000. GRAND TOTAL.....$53,000

LAST 300 GIFTS:

Many answers will come in late from subscribers who reside in remote parts of the United States, and in order that these may also receive handsome gifts we will award the last 300 subscribers sending correct answers (envelope to bear postmark not later than September 30, 1895, and reach Republic office not later than October 12, 1895) the following handsome and valuable gifts:

Last Correct Answer—One year scholarship Baptist Female College, Lexington, Mo., Rev. W. A. Wilson, President.....	$300.00
2—Scholarship (same as No. 4 1st 700)	150.00
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39-40—Fine "Ladies' " Mackintosh, each.....	10.00
41—Solid Gold Ring, 18-karat.....	5.00
42—Remington 32-Caliber Rifle.....	20.00
43-47—Gold-filled Thimble, $1 each..	5.00
48-52—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....	5.00
53-62—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....	10.00
63-67—Subscription to "North American Review," $1 each.....	5.00
68-82—Oxford Teachers' Bible, $1 each	15.00
83-112—Political and Geographical United States Oil Colored, $1 each	30.00
113—Set Rogers' Table Spoons.....	5.00
114-123—Set Rogers' Tea Spoons, $1 each.....	10.00
124-138—Gold-filled Thimble, $1 each	15.00
139-143—Fine Umbrella, $5 each.....	25.00
144-146—Miniature Atlas and Gazetteer of World, $1.25 each.....	3.75
147-171—R. & G. Corset, $1 each.....	25.00
172-222—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....	50.00
223-632—Tickets two days great St. Louis Fair, 1895, Oct. 9 to 13; good in premiums; $1 each.....	410.00
633-636—Fine Engraving, $1 each.....	4.00
637-696—Dollar Packages Old Colony Smoking Tobacco; $1 each.....	60.00
696-700—One Silver Dollar each.....	5.00
Total.....	$3,000.00

Special Gifts awarded for answers received prior to August 1st, $6,807.10; Special Gifts given during August, $5,807.20; Special Gifts given during September, $6,807.20; GRAND TOTAL.....$53,000

EVERY SUBSCRIBER SENDING AN ANSWER RECEIVES A GIFT

Subscribers sending answers too late to receive one of the first 700 gifts, but in time to secure one of the last 300 gifts, will have the special gift which may be awarded them forwarded by express, charges prepaid. Each special gift will be packed in a neat box, and will be accompanied by a CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY, printed on fine paper, size 11x14 inches, and handsomely engraved. This certificate is a HANDSOME ART ENGRAVING, consisting of the NATIONAL CAPITOL, surrounded by a handsome border, embellished with PORTRAITS OF EVERY PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, printed on extra quality paper, size 11x14 inches, and suitable for framing. Each person sending an answer to the question printed above will receive a CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY. not later than September 30 as answer to the question printed above will receive a CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY. EVERY ANSWER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY ONE DOLLAR, which will pay for a YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TWICE-A-WEEK REPUBLIC. This contest will close September 30, 1895, and the names and addresses of each subscriber securing one of the last 300 gifts will be published in the issue of October 11, 1895. Address: The Twice-a-Week Republic, Republic Building, St. Louis, Mo.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 27, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Burtis is a slick hair cutter.

C. D. Bills is home from Chicago for a few days.

Will Elliott is the new clerk in the post-office.

Anderson & Co., have a change of ad this week.

Chas. Bidwell is one of the judges at the Adrian fair.

Scove Walker is visiting friends at Elgin, Ill. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anderson are visiting friends in Toledo.

The first frost of the season visited this section Monday night.

Geo. Matteson is moving in his new house on east Chicago street.

Cunningham Patterson has a large show of poultry at the county fair.

Theo. Wood is running his peanut roaster at the Adrian fair this week.

Mrs. B. C. Ellis is visiting W. G. Sawyer's family at Coshocton, Ohio.

Geo. W. Mead is showing his wire rope at the county fair this week.

Earl, the young son of G. W. Mead, is down with an attack of typhoid fever.

Charles Wright, of Ridgeway, won the $50 steaks race at Adrian yesterday.

C. D. Hall is confined to the house by illness, which is something unusual for him.

T. Hall is acting as assistant for Treasurer Wm. H. Wiggins at the county fair.

Harry Lee has purchased the old E. F. Reed farm and will become a horny-handed son of toil.

Hinsley & Son have just received another large invoice of their great bargains in bedroom suits.

Joseph Collins, of Raisin Center, was in town last Monday and favored this office with a friendly call.

Deputy Stevens is looking after the children, who are not in school. He is just the man for truant officer.

A large gang of carpenters are at work on the new Lake Shore depot, and the building will soon be enclosed.

Tecumseh is well represented at the county fair this week, and it has been a busy week at home in consequence.

The Jackson train yesterday morning had four coaches, which contained about four car loads of passengers going to the fair.

Mrs. Zinn and daughter, of Lafayette, Ind., who have been guests of Mrs. Mary Fisher for several days, have returned home.

Miss Burnett has returned to colleagues at Albion. Clarence Harry and Miss Alice Temple enter the Freshman class there this week.

The river Raisin has never been as low during a part of the present summer has interfered seriously with the running of mills along the stream.

Dr. Osborne got a telegram Tuesday from ColoradoSprings conveying the sad news that Percy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lowe was dead. No further particulars, as yet.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Linda Church during the month of October, Friday, Oct. 4th, at 2 p. m., is the mothers meeting to which are most cordially invited.

C. M. Brown visited Jonesville last week to assist in the installation of the pastor of the Presbyterian church of that place. The services were very elaborate and interesting.

The torrid spell of last week was broken Sunday night. There was a drop of thirty degrees in the thermometer between six o'clock Sunday morning and six o'clock Monday morning.

Frank Potter assumed his position Sept. 25th, in the Colton, California, as Professor of Foreign Languages and Mathemetics. Frank is a young man and he has many friends who wish him all the good things there in Southern California.

Tecumseh as probably the biggest fair ever held at the County Fair. The first day was the best before settled the ground and made pleasant driving; the farmers came en masse from every township. It seemed as though half the population of Lenawee County was on the grounds.

Wm. C. Hayden has been busy this week at the City Fair. He runs a stand for D. C. Andrews & Co. giving away samples of their new powdered soap, "Bests". At noon yesterday they had distributed 6,000 sample packages. Sant Cutting is working as assistant and there is more than one man for him to do.

Get your tickets for the lecture course at once.

The County Fair was a big success this week.

The council proceedings will be found on the first page.

H. Brewer & Co. have added another tile machine last Monday.

Henry C. Hall, of Hudson, was in town yesterday on business.

Subject for morning service at the Baptist church Sunday, Sept. 29: "The Divine Source of Scripture."

The record breaking craze has invaded all classes of people this summer. Even "Old Probe" has caught the infection.

C. H. Hopkins, of Battle Creek arrived in town Monday and will be the guest of H. E. Stout's family for a couple of weeks.

The W. F. M. society of the M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Steinhoff on Wednesday, Oct 2nd. Meeting to begin at 3:30.

The committee in charge of the lecture course this winter have assumed a heavy responsibility. Help them out by investing liberally in course tickets.

Dr. Hause exhibited his window fastener at the State fair; last week he was at Dundee; this week he is taking in the County Fair at Adrian and next week he will go to Hillsdale.

Miss Bertha Smeltzer left last Thursday for a months visit with friends in Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo. She is the guest of Ex-Senator Wescellius family in Grand Rapids this week.

The Table Factory, which has been shut down for the past month, resumed operations with a full force of hands last Monday. Orders are coming in and the prospects are good for a lively fall trade.

The young people of South Macon will have a peanut hunt social at the home of Dewitt Martin on Wednesday evening, Oct. 2. Prizes given to the lucky ones. Refreshments, watermelons. Proceeds to go towards painting hall. All are invited.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Bramble died early Wednesday morning. It was taken very sick Sunday afternoon with cholera infantum, but seemed to pass away with heart failure. Funeral services were held yesterday at the house at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. B. S. Hudson.

The two lower rooms of the HERALD office have been subjected to the house cleaning process this week. M. L. Gillen wielded the paint brush and it is needless to say that his part of the work was well done. People who want any work done in the line of painting or paper hanging will make no mistake in patronizing Mr. Gillen.

A new town has been started on the C. J. & M. railroad in Hillsdale county, between Jerome and Addison. Hudson parties will erect a building for groceries and general merchandise, and a platform has been built for loading wheat into cars, the railroad having put in a side track some time ago. The new town has been christened Bakertown.

A couple of Lenawee county officers not long ago visited one of the small villages in the county to arrest two young men on a trivial charge. The pair were members of the local brass band, and sufficient time elapsed before their departure to allow the musical companions of the young men to assemble and cheer them up with the strains of "Home, sweet home."—Adrian Times.

M. P. Brown went to Wauseon, O., yesterday to "shoot" a family reunion with his camera. The pleasant event took place at the home of C. H. Lozier and about 80 were present to celebrate the occasion. Mr. Brown is a sure shot for family reunions, and it kind of makes him step high to think that people will send 80 miles for an artist with the right kind of ammunition to do the job.—Adrian Telegram.

Sumner Collins was in town yesterday looking up a location for a law office and expects soon to hang out his shingle here. Tecumseh has some good attorneys already, but we believe there is room enough for another one. With his personal acquaintance in this vicinity and his varied legal experience he ought to work up a good practice, and we predict that he will make a creditable addition to the bar of Lenawee county.

Golden rod is in blossom, and, as usual, influenza is prevalent. It has come to be a recognized fact that the aesthetic yellow flower over which poets rave is responsible for the many cases of this disease that always occur at this season of the year. The flower on no account should be allowed in the house, especially in the sleeping apartments. It is said the blossoms give off an imperceptible powder like substance which, if breathed into the lungs, causes irritation and produces violent sneezing and coughing.

The Baptist church will hold a harvest festival at the Armory, Tuesday evening, October 8. A New England supper will be served; grain and vegetables will be exhibited for sale; ice cream, pop corn and candies will be found there; a fancy booth will display many beautiful and useful articles. Also, a fine entertainment will be furnished, consisting of a laughable pantomime entitled "The Three Lovers;" recitations, and music by the Dexter ladies' quartette. Admission, 10 cents. An enjoyable time is assured to all who attend.

Splendid weather for the Adrian Fair this week.

Ben Garlinghouse was a Clinton visitor Tuesday.

C. E. Williamson went to Adrian on business Monday.

Bert Garlinghouse was an Adrian visitor last Monday.

The cold wave which came Sunday night was very acceptable.

Mrs. A. F. Tuttle, of Clinton, is the guest of Mrs. E. G. Cook this week.

Mrs. Ann Brown, of Detroit, is the guest of her son, Alexander Brown.

Last Sunday was one of the worst days of the whole summer for excessive heat.

We are indebted to LaVerne Wheeler for late copies of the San Antonio Daily News.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will have their monthly tea meeting on Thursday Oct. 3, from 5-30 to 7-30.

Frank Davidson conducts an Administrators Sale of real estate, consisting of between 600 and 700 acres, at Dundee next week.

Mrs. Rosette Burk, of Romulus N. Y. and Mrs. C. Hoagland, of Britton, mother and cousin of Mrs. Charles Beals have been visiting there for the last week.

Mrs. Kittie VanDuser returned home last week after enjoying a short visit at Jackson with her daughter, Mrs. Royal C. Royce, and niece, Mrs. C. L. Comfort.

One day last week fire caught in the fence along the Lake Shore track north of the village, and over one hundred rods were burned before it was extinguished.

Over 300 editors have been invited to Toledo next Monday to take in and be the guests of the city. They will be entertained in magnificent style without money and without price. It will be a great event.

A large three-story brick building excellently equipped with everything necessary for actual business and office practice is devoted exclusively to the commercial college of the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, O. Many others have secured lucrative positions by preparing themselves in this school.

The soldiers' monument at Tipton, which was erected in 1866 at a cost of $1,200, has been repaired recently, part of the base being replaced with new material and the monument cleaned from top to bottom. The interest in this monument is more than local, as it was the first one erected after the war to the memory of the boys in blue.

In the Universalist church next Sunday morning: "The uniformity of nature." Evening: "Whosoever shall do the will of my Father, which is in heaven, the same is my brother and sister and mother"—St. Matt. 12:50. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30 p. m.—Topic, Charity—1 Cor. 13. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening Oct. 2—Topic, Evil, its origin, and a remedy.

At a meeting of the W. R. C. it was decided to hold an experience Social in their Hall Oct. 7th, Monday evening, every member to relate her own experience of how she earned her $1.00. The conference committee will furnish literary and musical exercises to fill in the program and the Executive will also prepare their part and make it interesting. The public will be welcome and assist in replenishing their funds.

The work of securing a right of way for the C., J. & M. extension to Jackson will soon be completed. The company has been remarkably fortunate in getting a very straight line. It does not cross any large streams, but the country is broken and it will require some very heavy grading. The company hopes to get the right of way in time to build the line this fall. The C. J. & M. closed its excursion season Sunday with 500 or 600 passengers into Toledo from points along its line.

Wm. F. Pocklington, whose place is the first farm below the Mackinaw road south of Frank Davidson's, met with a very singular accident Saturday night last. He was putting out his horses, and when passing from the stable his foot caught in a halter on the floor, throwing him down and breaking his leg in two places between the ankle and the knee. Dr. Woodward reduced the fracture and the patient is doing as well as could be expected. The doctor says the fracture was caused by muscular action and not by the fall.

At Ann Arbor, Miss Emma E. Bower, who is editor of the Democrat, and prominent in the state L. O. T. M. affairs, surprised the men folks of that city by filing a bond for $40,000 as treasurer of the Ann Arbor school board, to which position she was elected a week ago, by having every one of her sureties a woman. There were ten of them, whose names are: Olivia B. Hall, Mrs. J. F. Nichols, Mrs. C. C. Warner, Lucy D. S. Parker, Mrs. Miranda Lukins, Ella P. Stafford, Elizabeth S. Pardon, Lizzie Voy Milfen, Katharine T. Cramer, Frances J. Miner and Henrietta A. Spencer. This is the first time in the history of the school board that anything of the kind has happened. The new woman has undoubtedly come to stay, and when she is built of that kind of stuff, it will be a good thing to brace up some of the men that she is among us.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

The tenth day of October will be the sixty second anniversary of laying the corner stone of St. Peter's church, and the event will be celebrated in a befitting manner.

The new bridge over the river at the paper mill is completed and was opened for traffic last Saturday. The bridge is a very substantial structure and will be a public improvement of permanent character. The entire job, both abutments and bridge, reflects credit upon the contractors.

Postmaster Santus of Ridgeway, who has been seriously ill for several days, departed this life yesterday. He was an excellent official, a most genial gentleman personally, and a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity. The funeral will be held at Ridgeway next Sunday morning at ten o'clock and will be in charge of the Masonic fraters.

A beautiful wedding took place last Tuesday evening at the home of John Mitchell, when Miss Minnie Wiegert became Mrs. Mitchell. The knot was tied, by Rev. Jas. Hageman, in presence of a large company of relatives and friends, there being about one hundred guests present. Clark Bailey of Clinton acted as best man and Miss Minnie Wiegert, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaid. After the ceremony, the usual congratulations followed and then a bountiful wedding supper was served. Miss Emma Shultz of Manchester favored the company with some fine music. The following guests were present from abroad; Mrs. Samuel Jenkins of Owosso; Mrs. Emory Heath and John Rawson of Dundee; Mrs. Wiegert, the brides mother, of Douglas Mich; Mrs. Guyune of Macon; Clark Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Semark, and Miss Mabel Bird of Clinton. It was a very happy event and greatly enjoyed by all present. A host of friends will extend their best wishes to the newly wedded couple.

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—Shingles are away down at A. W. Slayton's Cut Rate Shingle Yard.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—Having an unusually large stock of suitings, pantings and overcoatings, I am better prepared than ever to please my customers. Call and look them over. John C. Hazlett.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—Bring on your Buggies. I paint them for $6.00 each.
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—With improvements now in progress, we shall soon be prepared to treat our customers better than ever. Call and see us at the City Bakery.

—Figure with me for your house and barn lumber. A. W. SLAYTON.

—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

—The lowest prices and best work done in Merchant Tailoring at J. C. Hazlett's.

—For a tasty stylish fit go to J. C. Hazlett. He can give you business suits from $20 up; Dress suits from $26 up; Full Dress suits from $35 up; Overcoats from $20 up; Pants from $5 up.

—John C. Hazlett would call your attention to his large and choice stock of suitings, pantings and over coatings just in. He does not sell you from the samples but has the goods in the piece to show you.

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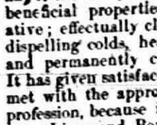

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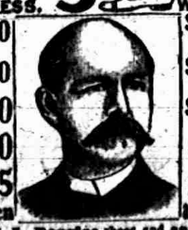

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Right of way has been secured for an electric railroad from Ann Arbor to Detroit.

Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, has issued his requisition upon the governor of Michigan for the extradition of C. J. Seymour, alias C. J. Noe, wanted at Decatur for embezzlement, and now under arrest at Detroit.

Prof. H. L. Wilgus, of the Ohio state university law school, has been called to the Michigan university law department.

Rev. James Richardson, of Adrian, accompanied by his family, has gone as a Methodist missionary to Nagayo, Japan.

Charles P. F. Cushing, salesman, 21 years old, was arrested at the Hotel Cadillac, Detroit, at noon Sunday. He is wanted in New York on the charge of forging three checks to the amount of $100. His home is in New York.

Farmers in the vicinity of Forestville have decided to engage in flax culture extensively next season. The ground in that section is said to be admirably adapted to this crop.

Mason county farmers are sowing an extra amount of wheat this fall, the advance in price over last year being the cause.

According to the verdict of the coroner's jury at Calumet, no one was to blame for the Osceola mine disaster.

On the 7th day of last March a Lake Shore train killed Anthony Korte in Detroit. The company has just voluntarily paid Korte's widow the sum of $5,000.

Not satisfied with having borne one immense crop of fruit this season, several of the plum and pear trees in the great fruit belt of western Allegan county are again in blossom.

The South mill belonging to the Ward estate, at Ludington, was destroyed by fire Friday night. Loss, $15,000; no insurance. The mill has been idle two years.

The Twelfth Michigan infantry will meet at Benton Harbor in eleventh annual reunion on October 9 and 10.

The hotel keepers of Michigan will hold their annual convention at Mount Clemens some time in the early part of October.

There are 362 Grand Army posts in this state, with 16,951 members.

TO MICHIGAN HEROES.

Dedication of Monuments on Chickamauga's Bloody Field.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 20.—Among the interesting incidents connected with the dedication of the national military park on the battlefield of Chickamauga was the dedication of the Michigan monuments on Thursday. The Michigan legislature appropriated $20,000 for the erection of monuments to the eleven commands that participated in the battle of Chickamauga, when 600 brave Michigan men were left dead on the field, and hundreds more were wounded and taken prisoners. The monuments are of granite and bronze, that of the Ninth infantry being a statue of Gen. John C. Parkhurst, 6 feet in height and standing on a base rising 6 feet. In addition to the eleven monuments, thirteen markers have been erected to locate the subordinate positions occupied by the different commands during the great engagement.

The dedicatory exercises were opened with music by a band and prayer, after which Capt. Charles E. Belknap, of Grand Rapids, president of the state commission, formally presented the monuments to Gov. Rich in the name of that body, and the governor accepted them on behalf of the state. The oration was then delivered by Col. Henry H. Duffield, of Detroit.

CREW IS SAFE.

No Loss of Life by the Sinking of the Schooner E. R. Williams.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 25.—A private telegram to the Journal from Cleveland says that the report that the schooner E. R. Williams was lost with all hands is erroneous. A message was received Tuesday morning by Warner & Co., from Capt. Hunton, of the Williams, which said that the schooner sank at 2 a. m. Monday morning off Saint Martin's island. The crew took to the small boats and reached Manistique safely.

Two Children Killed.

KINDE, Sept. 19.—A cyclone struck Pinnebog late Tuesday night, demolishing the house of Richard Tott, and killing two of his children, aged 4 and 6 years. One child's head was crushed in by falling timbers, and the other's breast was crushed. Three other children were hurt, one being carried several rods by the wind.

Town of Alaska Burned.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 20.—Alaska, in Caledonia township, 18 miles southeast of this city, was visited by a disastrous fire early Wednesday morning which wiped out the entire business part of the town. Seven buildings were laid in ruins, entailing a loss which is hard to estimate, but which is probably not far from $10,000.

Udder a New Name.

LANSING, Sept. 22.—The Ann Arbor Railway company filed articles of association with the secretary of state Saturday with a capital of $7,250,000. The franchise fee amounted to $3,625. The corporation is the successor of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan Railway company.

Favorable to Crops.

LANSING, Sept. 25.—The week has been generally favorable. Corn is about all secured and out of the way of frost. Potatoes are being dug and are of a good quality, but few in a hill. Rains have improved the ground for plowing and seeding, which have been pushed.

Killed by an Electric Shock.

PONTIAC, Sept. 19.—Edward Lathey, an employe of the Commercial electric light station, was instantly killed by coming in contact with the big motor.

STRIKE IS ENDED.

Miners by a Vote of 700 to 600 Decide to Go to Work.

MARQUETTE, Sept. 20.—The strike of the Ishpeming and Negaunee miners was declared off by a vote of the men at their meeting Thursday afternoon. A division of the men in attendance was taken on one proposal to abandon the fight and 700 were counted in favor of calling the strike off and going to work, 600 voting for its continuance. This ends the struggle of the men to secure the scale demanded by them. They will now go to work as work is given them under the scale submitted to them by the companies during the second week of the strike. Double shifts are being worked at the steam shovels at several of the mines, and ore from the stock piles is going forward rapidly now.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 21.—The number of miners who have been idle during the strike numbers about 5,000. Of these not more than 300 have left the county to seek employment on other ranges and a number have returned. They will be started slowly, as time must be had to pump out the water that has accumulated in the lower levels, where the principal mining was being done at the time of the strike. At Section 21 mine of the Lake Superior Mining company nothing will be done for some weeks to come. The Lake Angeline will start with about one-half its old force, and the Cleveland Cliff will put on about a like percentage. In Negaunee the Buffalo mines will not resume work for some time to come. The water is going into the Cambria and nothing may be done there this year. It will require at least a month before the mines are working smoothly, and there will be a shortage of men if compared to the number that struck, of about 600. This is due to the fact that the shipping will be over for the year, and the men engaged in that work will be out of employment. The companies entertain no malice towards the men, and will treat them fairly.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 24.—All was peace in Ishpeming and Negaunee Monday. The mines are all resuming with such forces of men as can be employed to advantage. It will be two weeks before they will be working full-handed, owing to the water in the lower levels. The Ironwood county and state militia have gone home, and the other companies will leave immediately.

The troops have been on duty for twenty-three days at an expense to the county of $20,000. Miners will be employed as fast as needed and no discrimination will be made against any on account of the part taken in the strike. Union men, on the other hand, promise not to interfere with non-union men who were brought here during the strike.

PENNANT IN DISPUTE.

Jackson and Adrian Claim State Baseball Championship.

LANSING, Sept. 23.—The Michigan Baseball league season closed Saturday, the pennant being won by Jackson. Adrian finishes second, Lansing third and Kalamazoo fourth. The present intention is to reorganize the league for another season, and, if the Grand Rapids is left out of the Western association, to include that city in the league. Standing of the clubs is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Jackson	20	13	.606
Adrian	18	12	.600
Lansing	16	17	.485
Kalamazoo	15	18	.454

ADRIAN, Sept. 23.—Adrian won Saturday, securing the state league pennant. President Mumby ruled out last Monday's game declared forfeited to Jackson, because Butler was a suspended pitcher.

Closed by the Health Board.

ADRIAN, Sept. 25.—As a result of an order from the board of health forbidding them to run refuse in the river, four big canning factories, employing hundreds of hands, will be forced to close down. Health was endangered by the filthy condition of the river.

Inherited a Large Sum.

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., Sept. 24.—A brother of James McGinnis, a railroad brakeman, employed on the Chicago & West Michigan railway, died recently in Cincinnati. Monday Mc Ginnis received word that he had had $750,000 left to him by his brother.

Cigarmakers' Strike Broken.

DETROIT, Sept. 22.—The first break in the cigarmakers' strike occurred Saturday when a local firm of cigar manufacturers agreed to accede to the union's demands and employ union men exclusively. The old hands will be taken back.

Old Comrades Meet.

BATTLE CREEK, Sept. 20.—Michigan battalion, Merrill's horse, held its twelfth reunion here to-day, and concluded with a banquet Thursday night. J. M. Caldwell, of this city, was elected president and J. C. Lewis, of West Leroy, secretary.

Logs for the Drainage Canal.

ST. JOSEPH, Sept. 25.—A contract was closed Tuesday by the Chicago drainage canal contractors for 60,000 feet of logs. They will be cut 15 miles up the river and floated down and loaded onto steamers for Chicago.

Young Man Fatally Hurt.

JACKSON, Sept. 25.—George Wyckoff, the 19-year-old son and support of his mother, a widow, slid off a hay mow at his home near Jackson, striking a pitchfork handle and fatally injuring him.

Newspaper Suspends.

NILES, Sept. 24.—The Niles Recorder, the oldest democratic paper in Michigan, has suspended publication after a life of fifty-three years. Lack of support caused its suspension.

Traverse City's First Mayor.

TRAVERSE CITY, Sept. 24.—Monday, in the first election here as a city, Perry Hannah was elected mayor by 263 majority. He has been president of the village since 1881.

RUIN BY A GALE.

Heavy Losses Experienced by Members of Lo[illegible]

DETROIT, Mich., [illegible].—Advices received from se[illegible] of the state show that the s[illegible] Sunday night was little less se[illegible] that of last week. At Alpen[illegible] cyclone wrecked the big roof of [illegible] Mennek tannery and blew the [illegible] pole through the roof of a house near by. The pole crashed down to the first floor, upsetting a stove and setting fire to the house. Several vessels had their canvas blown away and masts split. The velocity of the wind at Middle Island off Alpena was 72 miles an hour. From Menominee comes the report that a cyclone swept over there wrecking buildings and uprooting trees with a damage estimated at over $100,000. Harrisville and Presque Isle suffered severely.

At St. Joseph the thermometer dropped 52½ degrees inside of twenty-four hours, and a high wind carried disaster to the fruit trees. Cheboygan had winter weather, with a fierce westerly gale, and the thermometer showed a drop of over 50 degrees in ten hours. At Saginaw the wind blew the water up the river, lowering it 5 feet, so that the waterworks were obliged to suspend from lack of water. All the lake ports report a heavy wind. Off Sand Beach a sailboat was capsized and William Arndt was drowned.

TRAVERSE CITY, Sept. 24.—The high wind culminated Sunday, blowing furiously all day and most of the night. An immense quantity of timber was blown down all through this region. The roof was blown partially off the factory of the Potato Implement company and the metal work of the Mason block was damaged. There are probably no winter apples left on the trees in the Grand Traverse region. At Keswick, near Sutton's bay, the house of Fred Priest was twisted around on its stone foundation.

MRS. LARKINS CONFESSES.

Tells How She Killed Mrs. Jane Merrill at Her Home.

MONROE, Sept. 21.—The mystery which surrounded the finding of some charred bones in the woods near here has been cleared up. Mrs. Enos Larkins, who is now in jail with her dark-skinned twin babies, has broken down. She confesses that she killed Mrs. Jane Merrill, her husband's benefactor, by striking the old lady on the head with a billet of wood while the two were quarreling at her home. She says the body was buried that night, but, fearing detection, was dug up next day and burned in a heap of cordwood. She claims that she had nothing to do with the burying of the body, but that her husband did that, assisted by another man, whose name she will not reveal. Mrs. Larkins tells how she burned the personal effects of the woman she murdered, admits personating Mrs. Merrill in Toledo and writing the letters which were sent to cover the crime. The confession was extorted from Mrs. Larkins by the officers telling her that her husband had given the whole thing away and accused her of the murder, which was a fact. The officers do not believe that there was any quarrel between the two women, and think it was all a plot on the part of Larkins and his wife to get old Mrs. Merrill out of the way that they might get possession of her forty-eight acres of land, which is so poor that beans would hardly grow there.

WILL SELL A GRAVEYARD.

Mountain Home Cemetery at Kalamazoo to Be Sold for Taxes.

KALAMAZOO, Sept. 20.—Mountain Home cemetery, one of the handsomest in Michigan, is advertised in the list of delinquent taxpayers to be sold at auction. The cemetery is delinquent for paving to the amount of $52.45. The county treasurer says the property will be sold to the person first bidding the total amount of taxes due. There are men of national reputation buried in Mountain Home, including ex-Senator Charles E. Stuart, Senator Stockbridge, Prof. Edward Olney, author of Olney's schoolbooks, and Congressman Allen Potter.

Immense Copper Output.

HOUGHTON, Sept. 25.—The Calumet & Hecla company is materially increasing its output of refined copper, and mineral stored from previous years' operations is now being smelted. This year the output of copper will be nearly 20,000,000 pounds more than last year's, an increase of one-third. The Calumet & Hecla at the present price of copper is earning nearly $500,000 net profit every thirty days.

Alleged Violation of Election Law.

DETROIT, Sept. 21.—The county grand jury, which is investigating alleged misdeeds of various public officers, returned its first indictment Friday afternoon. Frank Marcier, ex-clerk of Hamtramck township election board, is the man indicted. The charge is violation of the election law. Immediate arrests are to follow all indictments.

Funds for Albion College.

ALBION, Mich., Sept. 24.—The Michigan conference closed its session here Monday evening. Washington Gardner took up a subscription for Albion college. It amounted to $5,000. This, together with ten cents per capita subscription on every Methodist in the conference, amounting to another $5,000, will be a good thing for the college.

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Scripture Reading: Matth. ix, 18, 19, 23-26; Mark v. 21-24, 35-43; Luke viii, 41, 42, 49-56.

The chief ruler of the Capernaum synagogue was in distress of mind. His little 12-year-old daughter was dying. All remedies had failed. He knew of Jesus' presence in the city; perhaps recalls the cure of the servant of the centurian who built the synagogue. As the last possible chance for her life he seeks the Master. Choked with emotion, he asks that Jesus will come and lay his hands on her and heal her. Jesus rises from the feast in the house of Levi (Matthew), the publican, and goes with him.

A messenger meets the ruler and tells him the child is dead and adds, "Don't bother the Master further." Jesus overhears the message and reassures Jairus: "Be not afraid. Only believe." Arriving at the house the hired flute players and mourners are found already there, weeping, howling, beating their breasts and tearing their hair, according to their professional custom. Jesus takes but three of the apostles with him. Entering the house, he rebukes the people for the din they are making. It was idle noise and not the expression of real sorrow. They greet with coarse ridicule his declaration that the child is sleeping and not dead. He ejects them from the house. Quiet secured, he takes the parents and his three followers, and entering the room, lifting the cold hand of the child, says to her, "Little girl, get up!" Eyes open, she arouses, rises, touches her feet to the floor and walks.

Great is the wonder of all but Jesus himself. He gives orders for food to be given her. Restored by supernatural power, she must be sustained by natural means.

Then he strictly charges secrecy. The rising opposition of Pharisees and rabbis will flame out at once if this cure of the chief elder's daughter is published abroad. The consequence will be that serious hindrance may be given his work. He will avoid all open conflict as long as possible.

A Leader In the League.

Rev. O. W. Scott was born in Newbury, Vt., Oct. 15, 1842. He was the son of Rev. Orange Scott, of antislavery fame in the Methodist denomination. He was educated at the Vermont Conference seminary and Wesleyan university, from which he received the degree of A. M. in 1889. He has served pas-

REV. O. W. SCOTT.

torates in all the New England states except Vermont, and in Pennsylvania and New York. He has held the position of president of the Norwich district and also of the New England Southern Conference League two years each. He is now pastor of the church in Willimantic.

A Bad Pair.

Human meannesses usually travel in pairs as the Christian graces go in groups. Covetousness or avarice, the desire to get what other folks possess, is a mean trait. It is mother to stealing and lives next door to murder. It is ever hungry, nor could all harvests satisfy its craving, since it digests nothing. It respects no rights of others, but is governed by its own wants. Boon companion with it is ingratitude. No benefits received ever stir the cold pulses of this latter lodger in human habitations. No thanks ever trip its tongue to stammering or blind its eyelids with mist of tears. They two lodge together, and they pay board in coin of discontent and checks on the bank of misery. Better eject them and get more thrifty tenants.

Politeness and Piety.

Virtue is so delightful whenever it is seen that men have found it to their interest to cultivate its manners. Now we are come to love the sign more than the thing itself. Beyond doubt, many prefer, though they never confess it, manners without virtue to virtue without manners.

The Spirit of Prayer.

When thou prayest, rather let thy heart be without words than thy words without heart. Prayer will make a man cease from sin, or sin will entice a man to cease from prayer. The spirit of prayer is more precious than treasures of gold and silver.—Bunyan.

The Celestial Country.

The sunlit land that reeks not
Of tempest nor of fight
Shall fold within its bosom
Each happy Israelite—
The home of fadeless splendor,
Of flowers that fear no thorn,
Where they shall dwell as children,
Who here as exiles mourn.
That peace—but who may claim it?
The guileless in their way
Who keep the ranks of battle,
Who mean the thing they say—
The peace that is for heaven
And shall be for the earth;
The palace that re-echoes
With festal song and mirth;
The garden breathing spices,
The paradise on high;
Grace beautified to glory,
Unceasing minstrelsy.

—Bernard of Cluni, Translated by Dr. Neale.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

JOHN R. GENTRY beat Joe Patchen in three straight pacing heats at Milwaukee. Best time, 2:05¼.

JOHN and James Howard, desperate moonshiners of Knott county, Ky., were killed by revenue officers.

THE dedicatory exercises at Chickamauga, Tenn., of spots where heroes fell in the late war were attended by multitudes of persons from various portions of the country.

THE thermometers all over the west on the 18th registered in the vicinity of 100. In Chicago there were three deaths from the heat.

THE Morgan company's sash and door factory and other property was burned at Oshkosh, Wis., the total loss being nearly $300,000. J. Zimmer, a workman, was burned to death.

GOV. CULBERSON, of Texas, refused to express himself in reference to Judge Hurt's opinion favorable to prize-fighting, but it was evident he would ignore the opinion and prevent the fight.

ROSS C. VAN BOKKELEN, receiving teller of the Merchants' Loan and Trust company of Chicago, was missing, and so was $38,000 of the money belonging to the institution.

A TRAIN of seven vestibuled cars on the Pennsylvania railroad ran from Jersey City to Philadelphia in 98 minutes. The distance is 94 miles.

CHARLES KENDALL and Ella Gillette were wedded at Lima, O., and left on bicycles for a three weeks' wedding tour of Indiana and Ohio.

IN session at Denver, Col., the National Prison association elected Roeliff Brinkhoff, of Ohio, as president.

THE Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in session at Atlantic City, N. J., adopted an amendment to the constitution of the order providing that no saloonkeepers, bartenders or professional gamblers shall be eligible to membership.

MRS. ANNA DAVIS, Mrs. Sophia Davis and Miss Anne E. Ingram, of Big Rock, Ill., took out their final naturalization papers. They are natives of Wales.

THE government of the United States is now in full possession of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga field. The park dedicated on the 19th to the nation was consecrated with the blood of 35,000 heroes in 1863. It was consecrated by a battle which, for desperate fighting and carnage, has few if any equals in the world's history.

A NEGRO charged with criminally assaulting a white woman at Benton, La., was hanged by a mob.

THE Indiana supreme court says that the lending of public money by an official is a felony and lays the offender liable to imprisonment for twenty-one years.

THE H. T. Clarke wholesale drug company at Lincoln Neb., made an assignment with liabilities of nearly $100,000.

ROBBERS attacked an express train on the Wisconsin Central road in a swamp near Waupaca, but failed to secure any booty. The train was ditched by ties placed on the track.

BENJAMIN B. JONES, paying teller, and Receiving Teller Joseph H. Wilson of the National Bank of Illinois in Chicago were accused of taking $19,800 from the concern.

THE large sawmill of the Murphy Lumber company at Green Bay, Wis., was destroyed by fire, together with the tramways, lumber piles, etc., entailing a loss of $100,000.

THE great strike of iron ore miners in Michigan was declared off.

THE national silver committee appointed by the convention which met at Memphis some months ago has prepared an address for general circulation which declares that a double standard is needed, that a popular vote in 1896 would settle the question, and that the United States can act independently of European nations.

THIRTY buildings were destroyed by a cyclone which swept over Door county, Wis., farmers being the principal losers.

DAVE BURNETT, a farmer living near Owensboro, Ky., accidentally shot and killed his two children, 3 and 5 years old.

FIRE at Trautman's station, O., destroyed seven acres of buildings, the loss being $200,000.

A SHORTAGE of $59,000 was found at Charlestown, W. Va., in the county funds.

A FIRE at Alden, Minn., burned fourteen stores, a church, a newspaper office and several other buildings.

GOV. UPHAM, of Wisconsin, in jumping from a carriage at Chattanooga, Tenn., fell and broke his right leg.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 20th aggregated $1,081,861,381, against $897,606,918 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 20.3.

IN a quarrel over a game of cards at McKinney, Ky., a man named Kane shot and killed William Woodloe, two Swope brothers, and two other men whose names were not known.

ROBERT POOLE (colored) was hanged at Spartansburg, S. C., for the murder of Will Long (colored) in 1889.

THERE were 213 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 20th, against 187 the week previous and 210 in the corresponding time in 1894.

A NEW census gives Iowa a population of 2,035,000, against 1,911,894 five years ago.

FIRE at Oneida, Kan., destroyed nearly the whole of the business portion of the town.

TWO INCHES of snow fell on the 20th at Bald Mountain, S. D. In Chicago and other portions of the west the heat was terrific.

Every Lady In Town.

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THE village of Tower Hill, Ill., was nearly wiped out by fire.

NICK HAINES was acting as a pallbearer at the funeral in Bucyrus, O., of a friend who had dropped dead, when he also fell dead of apoplexy.

AS THE result of a trivial dispute Peter Kenizel, a farmer residing near Arapahoe, Neb., shot and killed his wife and then blew out his own brains.

LILLIAN SHAFER, an equestrienne, of St. Louis, and her companion, Edward Kerns, of Chicago, were fatally injured in a hurdle race at Findlay, O.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 21st were: Baltimore, .659; Cleveland, .648; Philadelphia, .616; Chicago, .555; Boston, .553; Brooklyn, .539; Pittsburgh, .524; New York, .516; Cincinnati, .500; Washington, .320; St. Louis, .300; Louisville, .269.

HARRISON O. FISKE, Miss Annie Earle and Miss Brown, all prominent young people, were drowned at Manasquan Inlet, N. J., while bathing.

DANIEL MILLER, aged 60 years, was eating supper at his home in Arcola, Ill., when he accidentally swallowed a fly that had been on fly paper and lived only three hours.

THE sound-money committee of the New York chamber of commerce made a poll of the next house of representatives on the money question and records 88 members for free silver, 216 opposed to free silver and 52 whose views are not known.

IN a fire at the library of the Geographical society at Cranden, Wis., 7,000 books were burned.

THE two sons of Frank Newman perished in a snowstorm near Rawlins, Wyo.

MAYOR LEWIS, of Duluth, declared off a baseball game between the Boston bloomer girls and the home team, saying that women could not appear in bloomers in that city.

AT Pittsburgh, Pa., Joseph Lasovic, Henry Turner and George Tate were burned to death by exploding benzine.

THE profits of the government bond syndicate were distributed by checks issued by Morgan and Belmont, of New York. They amounted to nearly $4,000,000.

M. E. STINSON, a St. Louis printer, shot and killed Miss Arta Moore at Oskaloosa, Ia., and then killed himself. A love affair was the cause.

THE Rockford (Ill.) Cabinet company's factory was burned, the loss being $100,000.

THIRTY acres of lumber yards at Fond du Lac, Wis., owned by Moore & Galloway, were burned over, the loss being $200,000.

ROBERT BECKER, Otto Schweiger, Oscar Huber, Willie Elliott and George Engel, all young boys, were drowned in the lake at Chicago while bathing.

WILLIAM SMITH (colored), who on September 12 murdered Tony Podone, a banana peddler, was taken from officers at Hammond, La., by a mob and lynched.

YELLOW BONNET, a Cheyenne Indian of some note, applied for a blanket divorce from four wives at Tologo, O. T.

DURING the week ended on the 21st eleven persons and 250 horses died from the heat in Chicago.

SEVERE snowstorms occurred in Utah, Wyoming, Colorado and South Dakota.

HUNDREDS of acres of swamp lands were burned over in La Porte, Porter and Lake counties in Indiana.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 23d was: Wheat, 39,385,000 bushels; corn, 5,411,000 bushels; oats, 3,045,000 bushels; rye, 614,000 bushels; barley, 1,008,000 bushels.

FIRE almost destroyed the town of Tiosa, Ind.

AN order issued by the president extends the civil service system to 330 consular officers.

HERMAN D. MUDGETT, alias H. H. Holmes, was arraigned in Philadelphia on an indictment charging him with the murder of Benjamin F. Pitzel on September 2, 1894. The prisoner pleaded not guilty, and Monday, October 28, was the day fixed for the trial.

THE United States & Hayti Cable company chartered the steamer Mackay-Bennett for the purpose of laying the first section of a submarine cable to connect New York direct with Hayti, West Indies.

WHILE attempting to arrest a desperado named Owens, near England, Ark., Deputy Sheriff Harris and Officer Slaff were both shot and instantly killed.

NINETY Russians left Topeka for their native country. This is the fourth Russian colony that has left Kansas for Europe.

MRS. HENRY L. DUDLEY, a mulatto, was murdered at Stamford, Conn., by Mack Simpkins, a colored plumber, who then committed suicide.

THE annual report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell for the last fiscal year shows that on June 30 last the total number of post offices in operation in the United States was 70,064. Of these, 66,560 were fourth-class offices and 3,504 presidential, being an increase over the last fiscal year of 259. During the year 2,422 post-offices were established and 2,163 discontinued.

THE schooner E. R. Williams sunk in a gale off St. Martin's Island in Lake Michigan and Capt. Hunton, master of the schooner, home in Cleveland; Maggie Bennett, stewardess, home in Cleveland; mate and four sailors, names unknown, were lost.

JAMES MCGINNIS, a railway brakeman at St. Joseph, Mich., received word that his only brother had died in Cincinnati, leaving him $750,000.

AT the close of the Western league baseball season the percentage of the clubs was as follows: Indianapolis, .643; St. Paul, .597; Kansas City, .584; Minneapolis, .530; Detroit, .472; Milwaukee, .469; Terre Haute, .419; Grand Rapids, .306.

OVER 300 of the 700 negroes who left Alabama last February for Mexico were either dead or missing, and others on their way home were stranded at Eagle Pass, Tex., in a starving condition.

THE twenty-one Cubans held at Wilmington, Del., for violation of the neutrality laws were acquitted by a jury.

HIP SING LEE, a wealthy Chinese merchant at Los Angeles, Cal., offers a half interest in his extensive business and $5,000 in cash to any reputable young American who will marry his daughter, Moi Lee.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

NEW JERSEY republicans in state convention at Trenton nominated a full ticket headed by ex-State Senator John W. Griggs, of Paterson, for governor. The platform opposes any attempt to impose upon this country a debased or depreciated currency, and firm belief in the wisdom and beneficence of a tax upon imports which will afford protection to American industry and adequate revenue.

GEORGE M. PARSONS, no doubt the wealthiest man who ever made Columbus, O., his home, died at the age of 77 years. His wealth was estimated at $8,000,000.

THE engagement of the young duke of Marlborough to Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, of New York, was announced.

MR. AND MRS. DAVID VAN WEBT, the former 76 years old and the latter 72, died within a few hours of each other of old age at their home near Kalamazoo, Mich.

MRS. ELIZABETH DURRANT BLACKBURN celebrated her 100th birthday at her home in Fond du Lac, Wis.

S. CORNING JUDD, postmaster of Chicago during President Cleveland's first administration and one of the leading lawyers in Illinois, died at the age of 68 years.

CHARLES STEWART, a member of the Forty-ninth congress, died at Houston, Tex., aged 59 years.

FOREIGN.

THE cruiser Barcastegui was wrecked in a collision with the merchant steamer Mortera in the canal at the entrance of Port Borcastegui, Cuba, and Admiral Parejo and thirty-eight other persons were drowned.

THE fetes celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the entry of the Italian army into Rome culminated in the unveiling of a monument to Gen. Garibaldi.

THE German mission near Swatow, China, was looted by 600 Chinese plunderers.

THE village of Guinia in the province of Santa Clara, Cuba, and in which were fifty houses, was burned by insurrectionists.

THE Chinese government has withdrawn its opposition to the proposed investigation on the part of the United States of the missionary riots.

FIFTY THOUSAND Mohammedans were in active rebellion in the northwest part of China. They were fighting to set up an independent government in territory taken from Kansu and Thibet.

FIVE members of the family of Z. Normandin lost their lives in a landslide at St. Luce, Canada.

AFTER six months of suffering, trials and danger Lieut. Peary and his companions in his Arctic travels were rescued by the steamer Kite and landed at St. Johns, N. F.

A CONSTITUTIONAL convention was held at Najasa at which Bartolome Masso was elected president of the Cuban republic.

CUBAN insurgents were said to be within 75 miles of Havana.

SEVEN persons were drowned in the lake near Geneva, Switzerland, by the sinking of a boat.

LIEUT. CASSARTS, of the Belgian army, who captured the murderer of Emin Pasha, was eaten by cannibals in a remote part of the Congo state.

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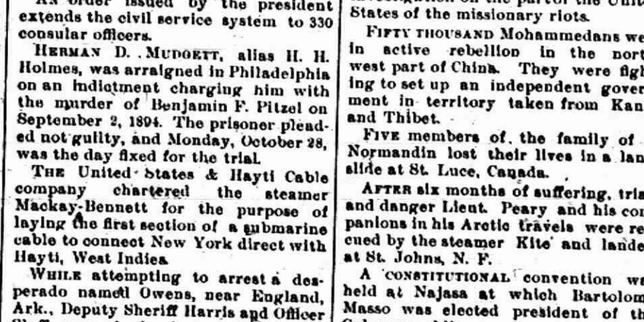

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Napoleon	6 20 "	3 25 "	1 10 "
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Clinton	6 58 "	4 01 "	1 46 "
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STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 336 Express.	No. 346 Accom.
Detroit....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 30 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 54 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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Jackson....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 35 "

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.....	12 12	7 00	Monteith	2 50	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 26	7 14
.....	1 35	8 17	Battle Creek	1 06	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 45	6 20
7 32	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 35	5 32
9 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	4 53
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 30
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 57	4 20
11 15	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 08
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 01
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	3 55
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 45	3 39
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 35	3 30
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Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12

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Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	6	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	2 75 to 3 03	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 5½	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	8 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb		6
Hides, green	25 to 35	
Sheep Pelts		

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat—New		57
" Old		57
Corn, shelled	35 to 40	
Oats	18	10 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 12 00	
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	CHICAGO, Sept. 25.	
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	$2 00	@ 5 25
Sheep	1 50	@ 3 50
Hogs	4 50	@ 5 00
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 40	@ 3 60
Minnesota Bakers'	2 70	@ 2 85
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	62	@ 62½
September	61¾	@ 62
CORN—No. 2	37	@ 39¼
September	37½	@ 37¾
OATS—No. 2	24	@ 24½
September	23¾	@ 24
RYE	70	@ 70¼
PORK—Mess	10 00	@ 10 22
LARD—Western Steam	6 22½	@ 6 25
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	13	@ 22
Western Dairy	9¼	@ 13
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@ 6 20
Stockers and Feeders	2 40	@ 4 25
Cows	1 40	@ 3 75
Texas Steers	2 75	@ 3 60
HOGS—Light	3 70	@ 4 30
Rough Packing	3 60	@ 3 75
SHEEP	1 50	@ 3 60
BUTTER—Creamery	9	@ 21
Dairy	9¼	@ 17
Packing Stock	6	@ 9
EGGS—Fresh	13¾	@ 15
BROOM CORN (per ton)	40 00	@ 90 00
POTATOES (per bu)	20	@ 25
PORK—Mess	8 00	@ 8 12½
LARD—Steam	5 77½	@ 5 80
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75	@ 4 25
Spring Straights	2 50	@ 3 25
Winter Patents	3 00	@ 3 75
Winter Straights	3 60	@ 3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	58¾	@ 59¼
Corn, No. 2	31¾	@ 32
Oats, No. 2	18¾	@ 19
Rye, No. 2	38¼	@ 38½
Barley, Good to Choice	33	@ 41
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	56¾	@ 57¾
Corn, No. 3	31	@ 31¾
Oats, No 2 White	21¼	@ 21¾
Rye, No. 1	41	@ 41¼
Barley	41	@ 41¾
PORK—Mess	8 30	@ 8 35
LARD	5 80	@ 5 85
ST. LOUIS		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$4 00	@ 5 40
Texas	2 80	@ 3 75
HOGS	3 50	@ 4 20
SHEEP	2 00	@ 3 50
OMAHA.		
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From the Muskegon, Mich., News.

Oceana County, Michigan, is widely known as one of the finest fruit-growing sections in the country, and especially for its fine and luscious peaches. But all the peaches grown on trees are not to be placed in comparison with the peach bloom which has again returned to the cheeks of one of the best known ladies in Hart, the county seat of Oceana county. How this wonderful and beautiful effect was obtained, and the history of the illness preceding the cure has been known long since to residents of Hart and others throughout the county, but to a *News* reporter of Muskegon, who was in Hart at the fair, the following interesting and joyful tale was unfolded recently by Mrs. W. S. Eggleston, the person who once was a helpless invalid. To-day a more happy woman can nowhere be found.

"In 1891," said Mrs. Eggleston, "I resided in Cass county, at which time I in common with nearly everybody in the county suffered a severe attack of the grippe, only it left me with a still more serious trouble. The greatest part of my trouble then was in my stomach. I had no appetite and wasted away until I lost twenty-four pounds. Of course I was doctoring, but nothing reached my case. I moved up to Hart in June, 1892, and my ill health continued, although I tried two resident physicians. I grew disgusted finally and quit doctoring, as it seemed it would take our all, and yet I grew no better and looked like a skeleton. My husband read in a paper of a medicine called Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he immediately got some for me. I had no hope hardly and was not enthusiastic over the new pills, but I am now.

"It is a solemn fact that I began to get better the very first day and kept on improving. In a short time my stomach had a better feeling; my appetite picked up and I could eat everything I wanted to. I had a second trouble, however, which I did not expect the pills would reach, but they did, and the result is that a swelling in my right side, caused by some ovarian trouble is almost entirely gone. I can lie on my right side now with comfort, and this is not all the relief I obtained.

"Formerly in wet weather my bones would ache terribly. Now I do not notice any bad effects whatever. I am able to walk three miles at a stretch now, for I did that last week in going to visit a friend. I tell every one of my wonderful cure, and many of my afflicted friends are using the Pink Pills now with good effect. I now weigh 132 pounds, a gain of twenty-one pounds."

Mrs. Eggleston's husband was present during the narration of his wife's troubles and triumphs, and he willingly corroborated the statements made by her.

A neighbor, Mrs. Brown, who happened to drop in, stated that Mrs. Eggleston did not look like the same woman who came to Hart a year ago.

RHEUMATISM'S VICTIM.

How He Was Attacked—How He Was Treated—How He Was Cured.

From the Jackson, Mich., Patriot.

How often are seen people a little past the meridian of life who, but for the lingering effects of some ailment of an unusually stubborn nature, might still be enjoying robust health, but who on account of the lack of a remedy to assist nature in throwing off the disease are broken down and worn out long before the allotted time.

Marcus S. Lyon, of 1071 Francis Street, Jackson, Michigan, is one of the victims. A year and a half ago Mr. Lyon was a physical wreck, hardly able to leave his bed, and his friends had no idea that he could survive more than a few months longer at best. He is however to-day a well man. During the course of a recent conversation with a reporter, he gave a history of his case and the cause of his recovery, as follows:

"About two and a half years ago I had a severe attack of influenza which left me very bad in its effects, and would not yield to ordinary treatment. Some four months later I had another attack which was fully as persistent as the first. After being treated by the family physician for some time I thought the disease had run into rheumatism, and I treated for the same several months, all the time getting worse. I began getting weaker in the muscles of my legs, feet and hands which were quite sore and tender. My feet and the lower part of my legs, and my hands were badly bloated and dropsical and had a numb or paralyzed feeling, and I could stand on my feet but a few minutes at a time. I became restless and nervous, and would awaken twelve or fifteen times in the night and my legs would cramp for a few seconds, similar to shaking ague, but not cold. With all the rest, my hands had stiffened and I had not been able to dress myself for several months, and many of my friends thought I would not live but a few weeks. I was looking so bad and pale and still had taken what the doctor had ordered all the time. I went to another doctor for his opinion in my case. He, judging from the dropsical condition of my limbs, said I had Bright's disease. I disputed this and another doctor said I had no indication of it whatever of which I was confident. Dr. N. H. Williams finally concluded my blood was out of order and asked him for a remedy for my bad blood. This was in February, 1893. He said that all that could be done was to exercise indoors, get my strength when the weather got warm. At last he said he had gone just as far as he could and I dropped Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People about the 15th of March, 1893, and in ten days after taking the pills the dropsical condition and weakness began to leave my feet and legs. In a comparatively short time I was nearly cured, and I gained strength so that I could walk a mile and back. I then went to work at my trade as a joiner and stair builder and have worked almost every day since. My recovery has been a wonder to my friends. I am sixty-five years old this month and my general health has never been better than it is at present. I can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as a great blood builder and for general debility. A dozen or more of my friends have also been using Pink Pills on their merits in my case with very beneficial results. I can say of Pink Pills have been a life-saving remedy for me, and have given me at least a few more years of health and vigor."

MARCUS S. LYON.

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The Falls of the Rhine and a Bicycle Ride Over the Alps.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—After our two days almost imperceptible climb, we reached Newhausen and the Falls of the Rhine. I can call it names, and apply a few weak adjectives but describe it—well an instantaneous photograph can do it; a painting cannot; even the poet Bayard Taylor falls when he says that "it winnows a stormy chaff of sparkling diamonds." A phonograph might reproduce the sound for you, but you must lose the grand variety of motion unless you take your own eyes there. I can tell you that it has an irregular rocky ledge to plunge from, that four huge limestone rocks seem to attempt to bar its way and that one of them has been buttressed to keep it from being hurled away; that there are rainbows in the clouds of silvery spray and that the emerald green mass of water rushes by the stone parapet, where we stand, with a roar like the hungry sea; but adequately describe it, I cannot. We left it and were dazed and hushed by its beauty and grandeur until we reacred Shaffhausen, two miles beyond where new and strange scenes wakened us. A fine old round tower high on a hill and the cathedral in which is the bell which inspired Schiller's "Song of the bell" are the chief attractions.

Now began our real ride in the Alps, for we set out for Zurich. What is riding a bicycle in the Alps? It is partly being a bird, flying and floating, partly being a galley slave, toiling and moiling. We would make a long ascent with our muscles taut and the sprocket chain creaking, and our minds all oblivious to the billowy hills about us, then from the summit all is relaxed and with feet on the coasters, we float for two or three miles, and exclaim every now and then in wonder or admiration over some view which we are now perfectly free to enjoy. We reached Zurich. Think of a site inhabited in prehistoric times as Lacustrine remains show. Imagine a long, pale green lake, whose shores are outlined by orchards, vineyards and villages. Behind this scene, conjure lofty alpine mountains with their diadems of snow and the fantastic peaks of the Rosstock range. Fancy yourself on a long bridge which spans the end of the lake where the river enters upon whose banks the city lies. Then look up the river lined by quaint houses, a modern library, and an old time stained cathedral. But you cannot make yourself as uncomfortable as we were when we tried to find the way to Zug. There are seven best ways and we found seven different people who spoke seven different languages and vehemently advised a certain route, and asserted solemnly that all others were impassible. In desperation, we took our map, shut our teeth hard together and set out on a route which we chose ourselves. We soon got into a race with a steam tramway, and unconsciously covered a great deal of ground and ourselves with cheap glory by beating the cars. Darkness came on and we were on a lonely mountain road over-arched by pine trees. In the twilight there was a light green haze over everything. The air was pure, and the night insects busily hummed about us, but our speed saved us from any unpleasant experiences. At last a long glorious coast, and we found ourselves in Zug, where a night's rest left us light hearted and open eyed for the lake beauties about us. Views of the Rigi mountains and Pilatus and the Bernese Alps are the charm of Zug, together with its antique walls and towers. On a lonely road we set out for Lucerne. The crack of a teamster's whip alone disturbed the stillness. This teamster of the mountains always gets his cart and oxen at an angle across the road and then stops them to see you go by when you can't.

The valley of the Emme is a characteristic Swiss vale, where the steep sides are dotted with cottages and the bottom lands have an occasional town. The prosperous Swiss farmer has a cottage with an umbrella-like roof which projects sometimes ten feet over the sides and the siding looks like the scales of a large fish. The windows are often filled with flowers. These dwellings are very pleasing and pretty in their place, and their place is a Swiss valley. They seem part of the landscape. We were obliged to buy our dinner at one of these cottages of the humbler class, and while we ate our coarse bread and milk and Harry ate some horrible pork which he purchased additional, I noted the interior. A stone floor, a ceiling supported by huge beams smoked black, a stove about the size and shape of a steamer trunk, a clock with a brass face and a lame tick, a razor hung over the door like Damocles' sword, and various religious chromos completed the visible interior, but there is an odoriferous and auriferous interior which cannot be told.

I am going to give a sort of condensed guide-book description of Lucerne. It has walls and nine ancient watch-towers. It faces the snow-clad Alps of the Uri. There are mediæval covered bridges, painted with scenes from the lives of saints. The famous "Lion of Lucerne" is by Thorwaldsen. The lake, with the magnificent mountains behind it, is beautiful enough to be haunted by a whole aquarium of water deities. But loveliest of all is the wealth of tradition and story which is associated with its banks. It is an altogether lovely spot if one could only escape the hotel, the cab, the steamboat, and other vexations, for which nature and the genius of the place are not to blame.

We lingered long and wheeled away reluctantly. Berne had now become our goal. Valleys of rich pasture land and, high above, beautiful pine forests pleased the eye and made our ride delightful. The houses remind us of that of Little Red Ridinghood's grandmother. Great, bulky, round shouldered mountains rise at times right before you, and as they sit upon their thrones of rock with their robes of forests, they seem majestically to defy your passage; but the road goes round and the railroad good naturedly dives through. The line of forest trees is drawn on a mountain side with such military precision that Birnam's wood seems to be marching in very truth. Mountain streams are crossed by covered bridges and the roof is so huge that it usually has the appearance of having squelched the bridge.

How we reached Berne and what we did I shall tell you later.

C. H. VANTYNE.

Shall Cuba be Free?

For some time, members of the Dr. Miles' Medical Company have been deeply interested in the unequal struggle of the Cuban patriots for liberty. Desiring to render them substantial aid they decided that instead of illegally sending money direct, it would be better if used in enlisting the people of the United States in a legal movement to obtain beneficial legislation. The first thing done was to bring this company itself into line; employing the far-reaching machinery of its extensive business correspondence, in circulating a petition to congress in behalf of this deserving, liberty-loving people. To this end they are sending out over one hundred thousand petitions, to distributing agents and to the many thousand druggists, as well as to newspapers, boards of trade, merchants, schools, colleges, clubs, etc.

Senator Call, of Floridr, is quoted by the Chicago Times-Herald as saying: "Spain, simply because of long-established and long-recognized authority, has no right to oppress people anxious for freedom, worthy of freedom, and seeking to govern themselves.** They are our next door neighbors and are appealing to us in their distress, and I think we, we of all people, ought to help them. At least, we ought to leave our people free in the matter.** The truth is, the United States is Spain's main-stay. The widest advertisement is made of the rigid attitude of this government respecting the neutrality laws, which has the double purpose of serving Spain and crippling the Cubans by holding back Cuba's eager friends, while Spain perfects arrangements designed to make her grip on the island tighter than ever.** Sever the relations between the United States and Spain, by recognition of the Cubans as belligerents, and Cuban independence would be an accomplished fact in a very short time. The spirit is abroad in the land, the money is at hand, fifty thousand men, including some of the brightest and most ambitious in the nation, would leave these shores at once to join the Cuban army; ships would be purchased and equipped for service, and Spain would have to yield."

The Tobacco War.

The present war existing between the big plug tobacco manufacturers is proving very interesting for the consumers, they being the only ones who are profiting by this war. The manufacturers are unquestionably losing a great deal of money, and, as far as we can see, the whole cause of the war is on account of a brand of plug tobacco called "Battle Ax" which appears to be as powerful a weapon as its name implies. The manufacturers of "Battle Ax" claim it to be the largest piece of high grade goods ever sold for the money. And the success of the brand, the enormous quantity being sold, clearly demonstrates that the consumers have not been slow in detecting the fact that they have a bargain. This has caused the demand for other heretofore popular brands to be greatly diminished. Hence the great tobacco war.

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A HARVEST FESTIVAL.

To Be Given by the Baptist Church at the Armory, Next Tuesday.

The Baptist Church Society will give a harvest festival and fair at the Armory next Tuesday afternoon and evening, Oct. 8, at which there will be a grand display and sale of grains, fruits, vegetables and fancy articles. There will be provided a New England supper and fine literary program. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring articles for display. A fine list of prizes given by the enterprising merchants of Tecumseh. Admission 10 cents. Supper 10 cents. Ice cream, popcorn, candy, fancy articles and vegetables for sale. Prizes for harvest festival.

Best collection of cut flowers—one ladies' fine purse, Baker & Hall. Second best collection cut flowers—fine piece chinaware, Tansley & Son.

One-half bushel largest potatoes—bottle Orr's Sarsaparilla, Orr & Temple.

Best one-half bushel beans—1 pair best suspenders, McCann Bros.

Best 2 pound roll butter—$5.00 discount on suit of clothes, made by Starling.

Finest bunch Celery—filling one tooth with silver, B. F. Steinhoff.

Best bushel corn—bread, carving and paring knives, Satterthwaite Bros.

Best display of fruit, one-half dozen of each variety—1 years' subscription Tecumseh News, C. F. Field.

Best bushel tomatoes—fancy plaque, dogs and game, Adamson Bros.

One-half bushel largest onions—choice of any necktie in store, Alva Spayde.

Best string of peppers—1 box Hall's Headache Cure.

Largest variety vegetables—2 pounds Royal Satsuma 50c. tea, Kennedy & Rogers.

Best loaf white bread, home made—50 pounds Old Gold flour, Chas. H. Heck.

Best display of fancy work—china tea and toast set, Avery & Co.

Second best display of fancy work—1-2 doz. best cabinet pictures, E. L. Teeple.

Choicest display canned fruit—1 ladies' silk umbrella, Anderson & Co.

Best bushel peaches—3 1-2 pounds San Morto coffee, C. E. Williamson.

Heaviest bushel wheat—$3.00 Oxford Teachers' Bible, E. F. Kirchgessner.

Best 1-2 bushel apples—2 pounds 50 c. Japan tea, Anderson Bros.

Best bushel oats—1 glass toilet bottle, 2 bottles cough syrup, C. A. Wright.

Best 1-2 bushel turnips—1 box. cold cream, Orr & Temple.

Best 1-2 doz. cabbage—1 hair cut and shave, F. E. Snedicor.

Best 1-2 doz. Hubbard squashes—Gents' kid or ladies' silk mitts, Harris & Hitesbu.

Heaviest dressed chicken—$1.00 cash, Dr. L. G. North.

Heaviest 2 doz. Eggs—china tea set, James Lowry.

Best 1-2 bushel beets (not dead)—one set Potts' sad irons, Whitenack & Co.

To the handsomest baby, not less than one, nor more than two years old—a year's subscription to the Tecumseh HERALD and a free obituary notice.

Rev. C. M. Brown offers to tie the nuptial knot free of charge for any couple who will be married at the Festival and the Globe mills will add 100 pounds of flour to the bargain. Get your license ready.

Competition open to all. The articles exhibited to be sold for the benefit of the church. Come out everybody and bring your wife and children. Bring in articles for exhibit Tuesday afternoon.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c. oct

Cheap Excursion to Cincinnati.

On Thursday Oct. 17, the C., J. & M. R'y will offer special low rate excursion tickets to Cincinnati and return, tickets good going on date of sale, Oct 17, and returning on regular trains up to and including Oct. 21, 1895. For full information as to time of trains and rate of fare for the round trip see large handbills or address the general passenger agent.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

The Indiana Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional the law permitting agents of humane societies to kill horses and other animals, without due notice to the owners and a hearing before a proper tribunal.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

THE FALL CAMPAIGN.

Take the carpets out and hang them
On the line once more;
Hire a man to lie supinely
In their place and snore.
Rustle 'round and fetch the stovepipe
Into view again—
We must all get ready for the
Fall
Cam-
Paign.

Hail the haughty scrubbing lady,
Patient 'neath her frown,
Let her sweep the house in triumph;
We can move down town.
From complaint or criticism
Carefully refrain.
Just be glad if we survive the
Fall
Cam-
Paign.

—Washington Star.

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Discussing the cost of bicycles, an exchange says there seems to be a prevailing idea that there will be a reduction in price next year, but where the authority for this very widespread impression exists it is hard to determine. Manufacturers deny that there will be any fall in price for 1896. The great number of new firms, and indeed individuals, now engaged in the business of making bicycles, will undoubtedly exercise an influence upon prices in the immediate future, though the recognized standard high-grade makers of wheels will always command what people are pleased to say is too high a price.

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HARD EARNED WAGES.

An old church in Belgium decided to repair its properties, and employed an artist to touch up a large painting. Upon presenting his bill, the committee in charge refused payment unless the details were specified, whereupon he presented the items as follows:

To correcting the Ten Commandments	$ 5 12
Embellishing Pontius Pilate, and putting new ribbons on his bonnet	3 02
Putting new tail on the rooster of St. Peter and mending his comb	2 20
Repluming and gilding left wing of Guardian Angel	5 18
Washing the servant of the High Priest and putting carmine on his cheeks	5 02
Renewing Heaven, adjusting the stars, and cleaning up the moon	7 14
Touching up Purgatory and restoring lost souls	3 06
Brightening up the flames of Hell, putting new tail on the Devil, mending his left hoof, and doing several odd jobs for the damned	7 14
Rebordering the robes of Herod and adjusting his wig	4 09
Taking the spots off the sun of Tobias	1 30
Cleaning Balaam's Ass and putting one shoe on him	1 70
Putting earrings in Sarah's ear	1 71
Putting a new stone in David's sling, enlarging the head of Goliah, and extending Saul's legs	6 13
Decorating Noah's Ark and putting a head on Shem	3 31
Mending the shirt of the prodigal son and cleaning his ear	2 39
	$58 42

The bill was paid.

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The personal rights of the editor of the Arizona Kicker are not to be trampled on according to this: "The Lone Jack Record takes us to task for being one of the spectators of the dog fight which took place at Hill City last Saturday, and says that a senator, mayor and postmaster ought to set a better example to his fellow men. In assuming the duties of the offices named we did not sacrifice our rights as a private citizen, and it was as a private citizen that we attended the performance referred to. In fact, we own one of the dogs, and it is perhaps needless to add that he came out victorious. We think we know our gait without advice from the Recorder or any other source. As a senator, representing this glorious territory, we put on more dignity than a horse can draw and even stand the governor off. As mayor of this town, we are "boss" and have the right of way over all vehicles on the street and dead head passes to all shows which come along. As postmaster we cock our hat on our ear and step high, and as editor and proprietor of the Kicker we can borrow money at the bank without an indorser. All this is all right and as it should be, but when the fit takes us to throw off these mantles of dignity and become a private citizen for a few hours we propose to follow our inclinations and let the carping public go to grass.

Do You Know

That you are being imposed upon?

That there is no such office as Government Chemist?

That neither the United States or Canadian governments have recommended any special brand of Baking Powder as being superior to all others?

Many of the alleged Government and Board of Health certificates that are appearing in the newspapers, recommending a certain brand of Baking Powder, are signed by the employes of the high priced Baking Powder companies. 1w

Mrs. Keen: Mason, Mr. Keen: What, dear? Mrs. Keen: The next time we go to the opera buy your friend a seat alongside of us, so you won't have to run out to see him between the acts.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., OCT. 4, 1895.

Mrs. Rev. Marshall is quite ill at present.

Alonzo Clark has purchased the livery barn on the corner.

S. W. Demuth was in Manchester Tuesday on business.

Miss Alma Swift, of Greenville, is visiting here this week.

Noone Bros. have laid the foundation for their new house in Clinton.

H. W. Stevens and Alex Richards were up from Tecumseh Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kies will go to housekeeping on East Chicago street.

Miss Kate Cotton is improving the utility and appearance of her residence by an addition.

Miss Calista Brown, of Saginaw E. S., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh this week.

Mrs. Haggart moved to Tecumseh the first of the week where she will make her future home.

The Episcopal ladies held their social at Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh's yesterday afternoon and evening.

P. S. Hendershot and wife, who are now residents of Tecumseh, are the proud parents of a brand new boy.

Elmer W. Grinnell, salesman for Grinnell Bros., of Detroit, visited friends and relatives in Clinton over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, of Detroit, stopped over from morning till the afternoon train in Clinton last Monday.

G. R. Gillespie will now insure you in the Northwestern. A good company and a good agent. Get your life insured.

Miss Louise Van De Mark gave a 5 o'clock tea Tuesday afternoon. The affair was in honor of Mrs. Dr. Fowler and Miss Grace Stevens.

Rev. Marshall left last Monday for a two week's visit in Indiana. There will be no preaching service in the Baptist pulpit for the next two Sabbaths, but Sunday school will be held as usual.

Wm. Hardcastle, of Evans lake, died last Monday night. Mr. Hardcastle was an old resident having lived near Evans lake for many years, and was well known throughout this section.

Ed. Breese was able to resume his duties in the Lake Shore depot Tuesday. His friends here will be very glad to note his improvement. Robt. Miller, who was working in his place has returned to his home in Morenci.

Sherwood & Foster have opened up their drug and grocery store in the new block and a very fine room they have with new fresh goods. We predict for them a good share of patronage. Mr. Sherwood moved his family here from Webberville. Mr. Pardee also came with the firm from that place and will assist in the store.

The Freeze-Whittlesey Co., now have a double store fitted up and stocked up in a manner which makes them justly proud of their efforts to give the people of this vicinity as fine and complete stock in their lines, as is carried in the county. They also wish their friends and patrons to see their improvements, and hence will have a formal opening to-morrow, Saturday. They will even serve refreshments while you wait.

The Redpath Grand Concert Co. open the entertainment season of the Tecumseh Star Course on Saturday, Oct. 19. The management have taken a large responsibility on their shoulders in securing this expensive troupe. The company consists of four artists, any one of whom have sufficient merit and reputation to alone sustain a first-class company. It should be borne in mind that this company will open the very best courses in the state this winter. They have been secured for Detroit, Grand Rapids, and Ann Arbor. The single tickets for this entertainment have been placed at $1.00. The season are only $1.50. Only 600 will be sold and they are going fast.

A young gentleman named Dickinson, a relative of Michigan's leading democratic statesman and an attache of McClure's magazine, who has been visiting friends at Clinton, had a dangerous experience at Sand lake a few days ago. While hunting, he essayed to cross a swampy spot along the northeast shore, when he suddenly found himself sinking in the treacherous soil. Efforts to extricate himself only increased his dilemma, and realizing his danger he brought into play a good pair of lungs with which nature had favored him. Mrs. George Wagner heard his cries and, summoning her husband, they proceeded to investigate. When they reached the spot the young man was immured nearly to his armpits. Fortunately there was a board fence near by and with the boards from this the doctor was able to bridge the swampy spot and with considerable hard work effect a rescue. They also saved the gun. Dr. and Mrs. Wagner did all in their power to assist the young man after his release and he was soon enabled to return to his friends. At the present stage of water it behooves all visitors to be very careful how they approach the shores of our small inland lakes.—Adrian Times.

—COME AND SEE US—

Our fall and winter opening will take place on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 4th and 5th. All the latest styles in Millinery novelties will be displayed. Come and see us. CLARK & SHIMMAN
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FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Oliver Mull is getting better.

Peter Powell is painting Mrs. A. B. Wisner's house.

James Eddy has moved into Mrs. A. B. Wisner's house.

A goodly number of our citizens attended the fair at Adrian last week.

The Lyceum will occur on Oct. 12th, instead of the 19th, at G. W. Allen's.

Mrs. F. Davenport has some tickets for the Tecumseh lecture course for sale.

Len Billington is fixing over the inside of his house. Lon Billington is doing the work.

Miss Huldah Wisner arrived home Tuesday after a protracted visit with her sister, Mrs. Bradley of Augusta.

Nearly everyone needs a good tonic at this season. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true tonic and blood purifier
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PENTECOST POINTERS.

Sunday gave us a foretaste of winter. "Don't like it," was the general verdict.

Mrs. R. W. French and son Gaylord, of Jackson county, visited friends here Friday and Saturday.

George E. Fisk, Will Fellars and Harry H. Vanderpool will take in the Hillsdale fair this week.

The community were shocked to hear that James Boyd, a farmer of this section, had been crushed to death by the cars at Britton.

Richard Jones, who has been helpless so long from some mysterious spinal trouble, is, we regret to say, failing very fast and suffering intensely.

Mrs. Mary E. Simmons and daughter Lida and Harrison Daniels, Sr., Mrs. Simmons' father, will go to Chicago to reside this winter. Their many friends about here are very sorry to part with them and they will be greatly missed.

A bunch of celery weighing thirty-five pounds started for Dallas, Texas, last Friday, labeled "J. J. Corbett." It will no doubt prove an appetizing treat for the noted pugilist, but as strength is desirable in Corbett's business, we would suggest that Wilson Bros. send a crate of onions also.

W. B. German has put between 30 and 40 tons of ensilage in his silo, cutting it up into about half inch bits, packing it tightly and covering with green marsh hay on top. All kinds of stock eat it voraciously. Will has given the silo a trial and advises other farmers to do likewise.

Don't forget the "Wonderland" Oct. 5th. Come and see the strongest woman, the female Sandow, lift a horse as high as her shoulder, also heavy weights, etc., and many other curious and wonderful sights, under the efficient management of Mr. B. E. Elliott, at Glenn's hall, for only ten cents; children half price.

If you desire a nice relish with your roast spareribs, or any other roast, prepare it is follows: Place a layer of horseradish leaves in a jar, than a layer of ripe, sound tomatoes; another layer of leaves, then tomatoes, until the jar is full; put on a weight, then fill up with cold cider vinegar. When wanted to use, peel, cut up and add sugar, salt and pepper as for fresh tomatoes.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Mrs. F. G. Alcock is improving nicely of late.

Orvin Himes, of this place, received several fine premiums on his vegetables taken to the county fair.

L. H. Gates had another very poor spell last week, but at this writing he is said to be improving again.

Johny McPhail held the winning ticket that drew the fine tricycle of the Toledo White Lime company, of Toledo, Ohio.

George P. Bracy and Ada E. Richmond, both of Clinton, were united in marriage on Thursday evening of last week at Gorman in the presence of a large company of friends, Justice S. E. Bentley officiating.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed. Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store. 1

The highest steeple in the world is that of the Antwerp Cathedral—417 feet.

What the People Say.

I couldn't keep store without Foley's Honey and Tar.—E. D. Whipple, Lostant, Ill.

Ship at once—can't sell any other cough medicine.—H. W. Ellis, Montrose, Wis.

Foley's Honey and Tar saves me doctor bills every winter.—L. A. Towner, Manteno, Ill. For sale by Orr & Temple. oct

A few years ago Mary Smeaton of Cincinnati, 91 years of age, cut a third set of teeth.

There Is Danger In Delay.

Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh, I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances are cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, Late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents. 1w

The Atlas moth, a giant night-flying insect, has a wing spread of 14 inches.

No mystery about it. When the Shakers offered some time ago to give away a bottle of their Digestive Cordial to any one who might call at their New York office, there was a great rush and a great many people thought they were crazy. Subsequent events prove it to have been a very clever advertising transaction, for although they gave away thousands of bottles, it was in the end profitable: nearly every one that took a free bottle came back for more and paid for it with pleasure, saying they had derived better results from its use than from any other medicine they had ever used. There is nothing so unfortunately successful in the treatment of stomach troubles as the Shaker Digestive Cordial, and what is better than all, it relieves at once.

Laxol, the new form of Castor Oil, is so palatable that children lick the spoon clean. 1w

According to the Treasurer's statement, made in 1893, there are 38,889 $10,000 bills in circulation in the United States.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers is the best, handfest, safest, surest, cleanest, most economical and satisfactory dye ever invented. It is the gentlemen's favorite. 1w

CHRONIC MALARIA.

A Very Prevalent Disease Following the Hot Summer of 1895.

The continuance of hot and dry weather is sure to produce the prevalence of chronic malaria. The past summer has been exactly suitable for the production of a great deal of malaria. Even in localities where malaria has been previously unknown many cases of malaria are developed. This form of malaria is distinguished from the old-fashioned fever and ague by the insidiousness of its attack and the difficulty with which it is cured. It does not come on quickly, like chills and fever. The symptoms pester and provoke sometimes for several weeks before the patient is made sick enough to take medicine.

Slight chilly sensations, cold, sweaty spells, frontal headache, biliousness, furred tongue, bad taste in the mouth, sticky mucous in the throat, constipation, languor, etc.

A medical treatise on chronic malaria will be sent free by Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio. This book is a complete guide to the prevention and cure of malaria in its various forms. Pe-ru-na has long since been recognized as the only infallible cure for the chronic form of malaria. While quinine has become the standard remedy for acute malaria, commonly called fever and ague, many people have found by bitter experience that it will not cure the chronic form. Pe-ru-na cures these cases promptly and permanently.

Explorers say that there are places in the Congo River where it is so wide that ships may pass and be out of sight of each other.

Brace Up.

There is nothing better to impart life and vigor than Foley's Sarsaparilla. Trial size, 50c. Sold by Orr & Temple. oct

Mrs. James L. Gates of Milwaukee owns a Bible that was brought over in the Mayflower in 1620.

A BACK BLOW.

The Weapon Small—but None More Certain or Effective.

In these times when backs are lame, when almost every other one we meet has now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains—"a weak back," "a bad back," a back that makes their life a misery to bear—and still they go on day by day in pain and suffering. Now 'tis the easiest thing in the world to give this played out back "a blow" that will settle it, and put in its place a new one equal to any. It's just like this: hit at the cause; most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up filters in operation; when this is done you can say good-bye to backache.

Here is a case from Battle Creek: Mr. Josiah M. Shoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. As a member of the force he served the city well, but the rough weather he was often subjected to laid the foundation of kidney disorder, which has troubled him very much. Here is what he says about it:

"About three years ago, while on the police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of trouble. The pain was right through my kidneys and across the small of my back; if sitting down and I wanted to stand up, I had to arise very slowly and gently to avoid increasing the pain; I had such tired-out feelings all the time, and I was steadily getting worse. About two months ago, hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box. Their action and effect was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now get around as quickly as anybody. Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly as represented."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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The surface of a man's lungs is estimated at 150 feet, ten times more than the entire external surface of the body.

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The fact has been demonstrated by the thousands of testimonials the Mayers Drug Company, of Oakland Md., has received since it has sent its famous Mayers Magnetic Catarrh Cure out to the sufferers of catarrh. No medicine has received such an endorsement from the people in so short a time as it did.

The makers sell the medicine on business principles, and a patient is not required to buy the medicine by the dozen to get a cure. The Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure sells for $1 per bottle, one bottle to last for a three months treatment. 3 bottles is the highest record ever required to complete a cure. General catarrh one bottle is guaranteed. No cure no pay.

This is an unequalled offer and if you are a sufferer from catarrh get a bottle from your druggist, if no benefit derived costs you nothing. A prominent R. R. conductor speaks:

CUMBERLAND, MD., April 29th, '94.
To the Mayers Drug Co.,

Gentlemen:—Yours to hand, in reply will say that I have the highest regard for your Catarrh Remedy, my trouble is in a chronic form and expect to use more than one bottle. I used one bottle which removed the trouble from the head in good shape and am on the second bottle for throat trouble, if I should succeed with the latter as I did in the former, I shall write you again in the near future. Hoping it will do for suffering humanity what it did for me, I remain Yours truly,
G. J. SCHMUTZ.

Sold by Orr & Temple. Oct.

Historians are now trying to prove that the little village of Yaleta, Tex., is the oldest settlement in the United States.

Have you earache, toothache, sore throat, pains or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will bring relief almost instantly. 1w

La Besta.

NEWS NOTES.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased $1,834,687 during the month of September. The cash balance in the treasury was $185,405,363. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $941,089,636.

THE Blaine (Wash.) state bank went into the hands of a receiver.

BRICK yards, a row of houses and an electric light factory were burned in Philadelphia, the total loss being $250,000.

STULTZ, LISBERGER & CO., large tobacco manufacturers at Danville, Va., failed for $100,000.

THE Texas legislature convened at Austin for the purpose of passing a law that will effectually prohibit the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight at Dallas announced for October 31.

THE total number of cholera cases in Japan since the plague started is 42,073 and the number of deaths 28,078.

HENRY CARPENTER, an engineer, and three negroes were killed near Dupont, Ga., by a sawmill boiler explosion.

JOHN LITTLEFIELD, of Ukiah, Cal., accused of shooting J. V. Vinton, was hanged by a mob of cattlemen.

IN the Eighteenth Illinois district the democrats nominated Edward P. Lane and the prohibitionists Rev. M. M. Cooper for congress.

THE Valley Mutual Life Insurance company of Richmond, Va., failed for $100,000.

ALBERT WADE, assistant cashier of the First national bank at Mount Vernon, Ind., was said to be $20,000 short in his accounts. He had disappeared.

FROST was general and very destructive in Virginia and North Carolina, a fifth of the tobacco crop being ruined.

CHARLES F. KLINE, a life prisoner in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., was paroled, being the first life man to be so favored.

SINCE June 30, 1892, the net expenditures of the government have exceeded the receipts by $120,151,467.

PETER CRAWFORD, 22 years old, a mail messenger, has been a cripple in New York for the last seven months, and every device employed to awaken the man had proven futile.

THE banks at Monett and Purdy in Barry county, Mo., were placed in the hands of receivers.

AFTER a two-year struggle to retrieve the loss caused by the financial depression the produce cold storage exchange in Chicago went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $500,000.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee, in favor of Oliver Q. Jones, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Robert McWilliams, in said county to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 2d of July last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Robert McWilliams in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece and parcel of land known and described as follows, to-wit: The north one hundred acres in the southwest quarter (¼) of section twenty one (21), township six (6) south, range five (5) east, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Lenawee on the 5th day of October, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 15th day of August 1895.

EDWIN G. WILSON, Sheriff.
JOHN E. BIRD, Attorney.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

L. J. Niblack spent Sunday in Addison.

Buy a perfection Washer of James Haight.

Fred Taylor is on the sick list at present.

Chester Linn is ill at the present writing.

Joe Hudson, of Deerfield, was in town Monday.

Call and see those oil cloth patterns at Jas. Haight's.

Rev. S. Rederus made a business trip to Tecumseh Monday.

Wash Smith has gone to Sulphur, La., to spend the coming winter.

Rev. Mudge and wife left Monday for Marshall to attend conference.

Geo. Hoyland and and wife, of Howell, are visiting in town this week.

Ernest and Lizzie DuBois are spending the week at the Hillsdale fair.

Mrs. L. L. Wood and son, Carl, are in Morenci visiting Mrs. Wood's parents.

Winter will soon be here. Examine Jas. Haight's line of stoves before you buy.

Miss Eveline Curtis, of Ionia, is visiting her brother, Art Curtis, and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lee called on friends in Ypsilanti and Wayne Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jno. Britton and grand-daughter Martha, went to Hillsdale Tuesday to visit friends and relatives.

Vern Biggs returned from Hamilton, Ont., Monday p. m. Clarence Lowe came Tuesday.

Don't cut your fingers twisting bands. Buy fodder twine of Jas. Haight for your corn stalks.

Lyman Ousterhout started Wednesday on his wheel for the Hillsdale fair. He has probably got there before this time.

Miss Gertie Kniffin left Wednesday for Marshall to visit her brother Jud, who has a position with W. H. Alexander & Co.

Jud Kniffin left Monday for Marshall, where he has a position as bookkeeper for W. H. Alexander & Co. Success to you Jud.

Gripton's sorghum mill is doing a thriving business this fall, there being more cane on hand than any year since the mill has been ruuning.

Geo. Clark and mother returned from their Indiana trip Monday. George is fully recovered from his wound and is ready for more jirking lightning for the hash.

Geo. Gifford and Gip Arner are putting in a well on the school grounds. The well is laid up in cement and nothing but fresh pure water will be allowed in it.

Frank Davidson will auction off 585 acres of land and several lots at the administrators sale of the property of the late Thos. L. Hecock, at Dundee on Wednesday, Oct. 30.

Jas. Wright proudly carried off five premiums on five colts at the county fair last week. They were the get of the fine horse, Glenwood, and are good representations of his stock.

Notice.—Those who have not yet paid their subscription for the church building fund are requested to do this soon, as the committee has to make settlement with the builder. Pay the minister or Dr. Hardy.

Mr. Sowle, of Ypsilanti, who has friends in Britton and vicinity, is dying from a stroke of paralysis which almost wholly destroyed the use of one side. This seems extremely unfortunate, as Mr. Sowle is still a young man.

The Classis of Michigan of the Reformed Church, will meet in Britton, Oct. 8th and 9th. Communion service Thursday evening, Oct 8th at 7:30, President of Classis officiating. Dedication of the new church Oct. 9th at 2:00 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Hall Williamson, of Grand Rapids. Let as many attend as can.

Mr. DuBois is buying wheat for the elevator and taking in considerable quantities of oats as well. Everybody knows that Chas. is a competent grain buyer, but what puzzles his friends is to understand how he can run engine to elevate the grain. Our friend is a born genius and can handle the intricate machinery of that mill with the ease and confidence of a skilled mechanic.

A very pleasant ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Easlake last week Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents in Raisinville. It was a marriage of interest, the bride being Miss Ida Taylor, and the groom John Taylor, of Britton. Mr. Taylor is one of our most worthy known young men and the bride have the hearty good wisnes of many friends. They are now well established in housekeeping on the Taylor farm east of town.

DEATH OF JAMES BOYD.

How does an engine and train do the work and awful work to an unfortunate victim as did No. 55 on the Wabash Saturday night. No. 55 is the fast express and makes fast time. It was coming along at 50 miles an hour when the unfortunate man was seen. About three quarters of a mile east of the tracks run over the "long culvert" he had evidently laid down on the track or perhaps to sleep as his head had been removed. When the train approached he was seen in the glare of the headlight to be crawling from the bridge. It was impossible to stop the train and the body was simply mangled and torn beyond recognition. The remains were fairly gathered together and taken to the undertakers. From papers found in the pockets of the clothes worn his identity was established as James Boyd. He had lived some with his sister Mrs. Sowle and worked for McCarbery near Petersburg of late. He owned a farm near Lake but had not been living on it for some time. He leaves four children all of whom are married. It is thought by some that he fell through the bridge and broke a leg, others think that he fell in a drunken stupor and rolled down on the trestle. Whatever this may be it is a sad ending to a life addicted to liquor. A coroner's inquest was at once held and adjourned from day to day. On that day the jury rendered a verdict of accidental death while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, and completely exonerating the railroad employes from all blame.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Mrs. Charles Wood, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here at present.

There were quite a number who attended the Fair at Adrian last week.

Mail Messenger A. Palmer of Adrian was in the village Wednesday.

David Jones and Ella Anderson, of Tecumseh, were in the village Monday.

Sunday and Monday were fair reminders that winter is in the near future.

Emma and Fanny Miller spent Saturday and Sunday in Ypsilanti with relatives.

Willie Fletcher now rides a wheel large enough for two; it is a covered buggy.

Ella Hall visited Dr. R. H. Nelson and family, of Hudson, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Noon-Dresser and son, Tom, of Jonesville, called upon friends Saturday.

Lena Smith visited Mrs. L. Rinebold and family at Addison from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Charles Rankin, of Clarksville, visited her sister Miss S. A. VanVleet, Tuesday.

The struggle for the postoffice has begun and promises to create an exciting contest.

W. L. Jones and wife and Ella Hall, were called to Holloway Monday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Chester Clark.

Mrs. John Temple left Wednesday for an indefinite visit with her daughter Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon, of Luther, Mich.

The Peebles reunion was held at the home of John Van Vleet, on Tuesday; they meet the first of October each year. There were about sixty present.

Smith & Schmidt are here to do business and are already picking up a good trade. They have an announcement on the first page of this issue. It will pay you to read it.

Lawrence Rappleye will deliver the Detroit Journal, Evening News, and Toledo News, all dailies, the same evening of publication, and will receive any one's name for his subscription list who wishes to take it.

The subjects at the Methodist Church next Sunday will be, Morning "Abraham's Declaration of Independence" Evening "What is sin?" The pastor will also preach a short sermon to children in the morning. All are welcome.

The school base ball team and the corn huskers as they are called from Lake Ridge, crossed bats here Saturday resulting in a victory for the school team in a score of 5 to 28. The battery for the school team were Palmer and Johnson; for the visiting team, Craig, VanGiesen and Zibbie.

There was a very large attendance at the funeral service of postmaster Jay A. Santus, held at the home of S. P. Smith on Sunday morning, one of the largest ever held in the village. The Knight Templars and Masonic fraternity, of which he was a member, having charge of the service. Rev. Jamss Wright, of Britton, made a few remarks that were very appropriate and becoming, which met with a hearty approval from all who heard him. Mr. Santus was in his sixty-fourth year at the time of his death, which occurred on Thursday morning at two o'clock. The greater portion of his life has been spent in this village and vicinity. He always took an active part in politics and was a democrat of the old kickory type. He was elected Township clerk several terms, filling the position with honor to himself and credit to the township. He was consulted by nearly every township official for advice, and instructions With two or three exceptions he was better posted with the township business in all of its different official requirements than any person in the township. He was appointed postmaster under president Cleveland's first administration, holding that trust a little over a year, when he resigned, and was again commissioned as postmaster under president Cleveland's second administration, which he held at the time of his death. He was reporter for the Detroit Daily Free Press, Adrian Weekly Press and Tecumseh News, when death called him from our midst. He was a genial, popular man. There were no relatives to follow the remains to their last resting place. He leaves a brother and an aunt whose whereabouts are not known.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss Agnes E. Still spent Sunday at home.

Miss Jennie Gordon is visiting in Morenci.

Miss Fannie Kelley is reported on the sick list.

Uncle Ben Kelley is failing and chances are against him.

Mrs O. Carpenter, who has been very sick, is a little better.

Mrs. Johnson, of Wauseon, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cora Hartman.

Three carriages filled with Sir Knights attended the funeral at Ridgeway Sunday.

A. D. Macham and L. C. Winship attended Sir Knight Santus' funeral at Ridgeway Sunday.

A large concourse of people visited the Adrian fair. The exhibit was very fine; the best we have seen for a number of years.

Chester Clark, an old and respected pioneer, passed to his final rest Saturday evening after a short sickness caused by paralysis. He leaves a young widow and a young girl, the only daughter, to mourn his loss. Rev. Stead conducted the funeral services and J. L. Richards and wife and Chas Fowler and wife furnished the music. One by one the old pioneers are crossing the dark river.

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MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Betsy Camburn is visiting her son Hebron.

The new church is to be completed within two weeks.

Frank Morgan commenced school in Tecumseh last Monday.

J. C. Howell and L. S. Camburn visited Detroit last Friday.

Mrs. Phoebe Marshall has returned from a family reunion at Wayland.

Mrs. Minnie Tuttle and children, of Bedford, are visiting at George Harmon's.

Sumner Collins spent Sunday at his old home. He is now located in Tecumseh.

Rolph Mills returned to Ann Arbor last week to pursue his law studies at the U. of M.

Mrs. Myra Camburn has been suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia for more than a week.

Miss Jane Langan, who has been suffering for some time from a severe sprained foot, is gaining rapidly.

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The skin of the black fox of Kamchatka is the most expensive fur known. Single skins have been known to sell for more than $1,000.

In the Morning

If you are troubled with a sense of fullness in the head, a constant inclination to hawk and spit with mucus dropping into the throat, try Century Catarrh Cure, direct mode of application, and the only remedy on the market that gives instant relief. oct

There is a "rocking stone" in Sullivan county, N. Y., which is estimated to weigh 40 tons, and which is so evenly balanced that the strength of one finger is sufficient to set it in motion.

For several months I was troubled with a persistent humor on my head which gave me considerable annoyance, until it occurred to me to try Ayer's Hair Vigor. Before using one bottle, the humor was healed.—T. T. Adams, General Merchant, Tuberville, Va. 1w

Alabama's cotton acreage, reported to the state department of agriculture, is 30 per cent less than that of last year.

Burdock Blood Bitters entirely cured me of a terrible breaking out all over my body. It is a wonderful medicine. Miss Julia Elbridge, Box 35, West Cornwell, Conn. 1w

It is said that Spain has arranged with Paris bankers for four million pounds sterling with which to carry on the war in Cuba.

If your child is puny, fretful, troubled with glandular swellings, inflamed eyes or sores on the head, face or body, a course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is needed to expel the scrofulous humors from the blood. The sooner you begin to give this medicine the better. 1w

Revenue cutters of the United States at the request of the Spanish Government will keep closer watch for filibustering expeditions to Cuba.

Consumption is the natural result of a neglected cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, bronchitis, asthma, and all lung troubles down to the very borderland of consumption. 1w

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows adopted an amendment by which saloon-keepers, bartenders and professional gamblers are denied admission to the order.

For Itching Piles, irritation of the genitals, or itching in any part of the body, Doan's Ointment is worth its weight in gold. No matter how long standing the trouble, Doan's Ointment will not fail to give instant relief, 1w

The Indiana Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional the law permitting agents of humane societies to kill horses and other animals without due notice to the owners and a hearing before a proper tribunal.

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It is thought probable that Congressman Black, of the Augusta, Ga., district, may lose his seat throgh having consented to run the race over with Tom Watson. The A. P. A.'s are said to be after him.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

Dr. Brown's Advice About Catarrh.

Severe colds in the head followed by attacks of catarrh are apt to be common during the early fall months of the year. Constant changes in atmosphere brisk winds and wet feet are followed by symptoms that indicate a prevalence of this disease. Great care should be taken; often these attacks result in pneumonia. I have always felt that an "ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" in medicine and that it was wise to heed these warnings. Don't take cold, but if you do, on the first symptoms, obtain from your nearest druggist a jar of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm and apply it freely to the nostrils several times each day, especially before retiring at night. This invaluable preparation I have prescribed for a number of years and have invariably found it most efficacious. The camphors which it carries in large quantities are specially healing for the inflamed and diseased organs of the head. In my general practice I have never known a case of catarrh, no matter of how long standing, that this preparation would not cure.

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A small sample can be obtained by sending a 2 cent stamp to the manufacturers, Pretzinger Bros., Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Keen: Mason. Mr. Keen: What, dear? Mrs. Keen: The next time we go to the opera buy your friend a seat alongside of us, so you won't have to run out to see him between the acts.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Didcovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

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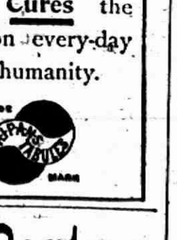
A friend brought me Dr. Miles' book, "New and Startling Facts," and I finally decided to try a bottle of DR. MILES' Restorative Nervine. Before I had taken one bottle I could sleep as well as a 10-yr.-old boy. My appetite returned greatly increased.



When I had taken the sixth bottle My weight increased to 176 lbs., The sensation in my legs was gone; My nerves steadied completely; My memory was fully restored. My brain seemed clearer than ever. I felt as good as any man on earth. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is A great medicine, I assure you."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 4, 1895.

St. Peter's Church Anniversary.

The Rector of St. Peter's is arranging for special services to be held on Thursday, Oct. 10th, to commemorate the opening of the church, which was first used for public worship and administration of the sacrament sixty years ago, the second day of August. Owing to the warm weather of that month, the observance of the anniversary was set for a later date, the present month, that being the 62nd. anniversary of the laying of the corner store. The services will be, Holy communion at 10:30 a. m., and evening at 7:00 p. m., to which the public are cordially invited. The preacher for the two services will be Rev. Dr. McCarroll, of Grace church, Detroit. From 4:30 to 7:30 o'clock a reception for the congregation will be held in a place yet to be chosen, for which special invitations will be extended to those who were personally acquainted with the Rev. W. N. Lyster, the priest who was instrumental in having the church erected.

Though a very modest building in present day estimation, St. Peter's church was considered sixty years ago a good and costly church. It is described in the local publication, The Tecumseh Democrat, under date of Aug. 1st. 1835, as "confessedly without a rival in the territory of Michigan, a noble monument of enterprise and zeal of western Episcopalians."

St. Peter's congregation does well to celebrate this event, seeing it has in the best of repair, the oldest Episcopal church in present use in the State of Michigan. Only two others were built before it, both of which have given place to new edifices, but St. Peter's stands good for many years to come. The present bell was placed in the church in 1880, to take the place of the original bell, which being cracked was unfit for use. The following lines were composed by priest W. N. Lyster, on hearing the first tones of the original bell, used for the first time on Sunday, Sept 25th, 1837:

A voice rides forth on the breeze today,
O'er village and forest, around and away;
And the busy farm and the prairie lone
Are singing alike with its full, clear tone.
'Tis a voice through this region unheard before,
Yet recalling blest scenes and seasons of yore.

And well, fair town, may thy startled ear
Incline with delight, yet with awe, to hear;
For the lofty pealings around thee borne
Are calls from that High One who blessed this morn.
Lose not, Tecumseh, one cadence sweet—
It is Wisdom's voice as she cries in the street.

Hear it, ye woods! 'tis the echo—the child
Of His that once rang through Judea's wild—
Prepare—prepare ye the way of the Lord,
Make straight the paths for His glorious word.
O welcome the strains to your dwellings rude,
Let it gladden each depth of your solitude.

Hark as it rises—that joyful swell!
Up! up and respond to its promptings well!
'Tis a summons to prayer—'tis the Sabbath bell,
The noblest music that earth has given
To clothe the most tender entreaties of Heaven.

Friends of the church, we would charge you ply
Long and Oh! frequent those calls from on high.
Defile not their source! let it ever be
A herald sublime of ETERNITY.

Dare not to lower that hallowed chime
To mark the lapses of changeful time;
Nor for earthly meetings profane one tone
Which should speak of Heaven and Heaven alone.

HAPPILY WEDDED.

The Jackson Citizen of Wednesday contains the following marriage notice. The groom has hosts of old friends in Raisin and Tecumseh, where he spent his boyhood days, who will unite in extending their congratulations:

COMFORT—CASE—At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah S. Case, 112 W. Morrell street, Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 10 o'clock, Mr. N. Lindley Comfort and Miss Marian B. Case.

The wedding was a quiet one, only relatives and intimate friends being present. The house was beautifully trimmed with flowers and plants. The bride was attended by Miss Florence Carr. The bride was attired in a handsome gown of pink silk covered with white organdie and carried a large bouquet of bridal roses. Miss Carr wore a pretty dress of white. The presents were handsome and valuable. An elegant wedding breakfast was served.

Among those present from out of the city were A. A. Hawkins and Miss Clara Case, of Detroit, and Mrs. Watkins, of Brooklyn.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Comfort, and is a young man of sterling qualities. The bride has many friends in this city, and she will be missed by Jackson society.

Mr. and Mrs. Comfort left on the 11:35 train for Kansas City, their future home.

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Meetings for September will be held at the M. E. Church parlors.

SOME THINGS WOOLEY SAID.

His Reference to Neil Dow and Wendell Philips Evoke Wild Cheers.

I believed, eight years ago, the Democratic party to be incapable of administering this government, even in conditions of prosperity and utter quiet, and as to that my judgment has undergone no change. . . . I believed the Republican party to be the brainiest thing in politics thus far, best trained to rule, and in its ranks, sentimentally, an enemy of the saloon, but swamped past remedy by bossism. Its bloody-shirt idiocracy in Ohio, its progressive degeneracy in Pennsylvania, its moral insolvency in Maine, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island, its moral paresis in New York, its inexpressible infamy in Iowa, its concentric conspiracies and conscience-crucifying candidature throughout the land, mark the regal ruler of the sixties, the flabby, impudent decadent of the centuries. You have it as its best in this state. The Republican party in Massachusetts, in its relation to the national concern, is an island of hopeful ill-health in an ocean of pus. I had no choice but to leave it. I have to be a party Prohibitionist, or be false to myself.

A man ought to be true to his country. This is a republic, a government of the people, for the people, by the people. Once a year the voter stands within the throne-room of the nation's power, and with unbated breath and unbent knee may speak his mind. I hold my citizenship a thing so sacred and so royal, that every time the election day comes around. I say to myself, my country wants to know my mind today, and like an honest, loyal man, I shall give her the best that I have. To do less would be incipient treason, and what I say to her I will stand to; even in the shock and smoke, blood and cruelty of war, or that worse thing, jeers—contumely of majorities. I believed the tariff, the financial reforms, the recuring panics to be trifles light as air compared to the saloon in labor, commerce, politics and law; and as to the Monroe doctrine about which we hear so much now, upheld by Government which derives one-third of its revenue from the ruin of its own citizens and the degradation of its own honor, I am at a loss whether to consider it a bowling farce or paltry brag. I have to be a party prohibitionist, or be false to my country.

A man ought to be true to his church. Mine says officially that the liquor traffic can never be licensed without sin in which case, unless logic be a Jack o'Lantern, it is a sin for a man at a general election to be a Methodist and a Republican. I have to be a party Prohibitionist, or be false to my church.

A man ought to be true to his party, and that is why we are here, and we have come to stay. To the charge of being a feeble folk and unprolific, we must needs plead guilty. But there is good blood in our veins. Twenty-five years ago a white-plumed, clean-handed, knightly man, returned covered with glory from the great crusade—not for the holy sepulcher of the Savior of men, but a crusade for the holy cabin of the poorest man himself—took up our flag, and it has never touched the ground, and, by the grace of God, it never will. Stand up you Prohibitionists; salute the name and the fame and the white soul of the flower of Massachusetts chivalry, the immortal Wendell Phillips!

He has gone away, and Gough and Hale and Finch and Fisk and Smith and Black and Gambrell and Haddock and Mary Lathrap—and "the other Mary"—have followed on. We can not see where, in the eternal depths of stars, our constellation shines, but we can hear Mead shouting at the front, the swish of Hopkin's steel, the rhythmatic swing of St. John's battle-ax, Leonard's Maxim-gun sweeping the century, with Small and Bennett raking the right and left, Boole rushing like a mighty whirlwind on the foe, Bain's silver, trumpet voice like the voice of an angel of victory everywhere along the line of battle; Fitzgerald leading the Epworth Leagues; the gallant young chairman of this meeting, John Willis Baer, calling on the young people's societies of Christian Endeavor; Mary Hunt deploying the children of 43 states along the hilltops of the future, 500,000 women praying; our Prohibition press like the sound of a mighty gong 'in the tops of the mulberry trees;' Dickey in the midst crying 'Steady, steady;' Frances Willard coming home to stay, and yonder in snowy glory haloed, sits the King Arthur of the new chivalry at his 'table round,' with heaven's far, sweet bells all ringing in his ears, salutes eternity and glorifies humanity by remaining of it yet awhile. I expect to see unveiled on Boston Common a heroic statue, in everlasting granite, of Neal Dow, the party Prohibitionist; and when he goes away there will remain 270,000 voters, standing like Lebanon cedars in the rift of coming revolution, biding their time. Break us, will you, you dirty-handed, dirty-hearted, empty-headed politicians? Well, break and be damned in the hell of honest history. The breaking boughs the falling trunks, the snapping roots will testify the truth, even in death; and church and country, in the generations that are coming on, will delight to speak in honor of the 'whip' of God's unorganized democracy in these days—the Prohibition Party.

OBITUARY.

JOHN HERBERT COREY.

Several weeks ago Mrs. Corey was called to the bedside of her son, Bert, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where he was taken to make a last stand against that fatal malady consumption. On Saturday last the news of his death reached here and the remains were brought Tuesday accompanied by Mrs. Corey and the nurse, Miss Roberts. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home, Rev. Blachford officiating, and were largely attended.

John Herbert Corey was born at Quincy Mine, Hancock, Mich., twenty-four years ago. After his father's death, he accompanied his mother to Tecumseh. Since that time, his career as a student and successful young business man has been well known to people here. After finishing school at Providence, he accepted a position with The Woonsocket Rubber Co. at Buffalo. In proof of the confidence placed in his integrity and ability, he was placed in charge of their large exhibit at the World's Fair and the Midwinter Exposition at San Francisco. At these places he contracted the disease which has no cure. It is useless to recount the particulars of the struggle which Bert, with hopeful courage and every means which friends could devise, made against the inevitable. The deceased was a young man of exceptional business qualifications and was very popular among those who personally knew him. His death is a grevious blow to his mother and other relatives, who have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

MRS. EDNA CHARITY ATEN.

On Monday morning, Sept. 16, Mrs. Edna Charity Aten left this life at the early age of 26 years. The deceased had been a sufferer from that terrible disease, consumption, for over three years, having been confined to her bed the last year, and during all that time bore her misfortune with christian fortitude. She was an attendant of the Presbyterian church and demonstrated her trust in the christian promise by receiving the rites of baptism before it was too late. The mother leaves two little ones who will never more know a mother's care and guidance. During life she was a patient, loving wife and mother. In death, her reward is certain and complete.

Cards of Thanks.

We wish to extend sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who gave their kind assistance during our recent sad affliction. F. V. ATEN AND FAMILY.

To the kind friends who so thoughtfully helped us during our recent bereavement, we tender our sincerest thanks.

J. H. PAYNE AND FAMILY.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

It is thought probable that Congressman Black, of the Augusta, Ga., district, may lose his seat throgh having consented to run the race over with Tom Watson. The A. P. A.'s are said to be after him.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

AN OCTOBER OFFER.

During the present month only, Oct., 1895, we will give new subscribers to the HERALD a three months' paid subscription for twenty five cents. In addition we will give as a premium a copy of Coin's Financial school, which sells for the same sum. Pass in your quarters.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

J. S. Starling has a new sign.

Miss Maude Howell was a Detroit visitor Thursday.

Tansley & Son's motto is good goods, quick sales and small profits.

Joe Eaton will take Wade Waring's place in Tansley & Son's furniture store next week.

Mrs. Ann Brown of Detroit, is visiting with her son Alexander Brown and other friends here.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt and Miss Florence Burlingame, of Cadillac, arrived here yesterday for a few weeks' visit.

Gen. James Pittman and Miss Julia Pittman, of Detroit, were here Wednesday to attend the funeral of Bert Corey.

Mrs. Susan Pilbeam and daughter Mrs. Nellie Caswell, of Cone, were the guests of Mrs. Charles Beals the first of the week.

The low prices Tansley & Son have placed on the entire line of furniture and crockery has ensured for them a great increase in trade at home and abroad.

C. C. Tefft received a telegram this morning conveying the intelligence of the death of Wm. Bass, his wife's brother, at his home in Lawrence, Mich. The funeral will be held next Sunday.

Nathaniel Jackson, of Clinton, was the owner this morning of three huge Burbank potatoes, one of which would weigh a pound. They are a part of the HERALD office furniture now.

The Board of Supervisors will appoint a school examiner next week. In that connection we hear Prof. Wade Millis of Addison very highly spoken of. He is amply qualified for the place and came within three votes of getting the nomination last fall for County Commissioner, instead of Prof. Keeler.

Mrs. Murray's execution is rapid, and yet each tone is brought out with remarkable clearness and beauty. Harmonics arpeggios and difficult passages impossible upon the piano are woven about sweet melodies like a musical embroidery.—Denver, Col.

Under the masterful touch of Mrs. Murray the harp became powerful and soothing beyond expression. Her technique is as wonderful and brilliant as her artistic appreciation is deep and true. As a harpist it must be conceded that she has no equal in this country.—Tribune Duluth Minn.

A large concourse of friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John VanVleet of Ridgeway, on Tuesday, Oct. first, the occasion being the ninth annual reunion of the Peebles' family, Mrs. VanVleet being a cousin of the family. The day was all that could have been desired, and a happy time was enjoyed by all. A sumptuous dinner was served at noon, such as Mrs. VanVleet knows so well how to provide, to which all did justice. A program of music, songs and recitations, followed by election of officers for the ensuing year, Mr. VanVleet being elected President, and all went home feeling that the time had been all too short, and the occasion one to be long remembered.

To Our Readers.

This is the season when farmers and others desiring to invest in farm lands are planning for the coming year. Attention is called to the great opportunity offered to secure lands at a very low price that will double in value in a short time. The income per acre is about the same as that from high priced land. Oats average 60 to 80 bushels per acre, abundant yield of hay and other grains, vegetables, etc. Climate, water and railroad facilities are good. Those wanting unimproved land can find no more favorable location. Special inducements are offered during the next thirty days. Railroad fare paid if you buy. For further particulars write The C. S. Graves Land Co., 56 5th Ave., Chicago; who have an advertisement in this paper. 1w

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—The Woodard house and lot corner Logan and Union streets; monthly payments; also coal and wood stove, sewing machine, and other household goods. Enquire of MRS. GEO. BANGS.

A BARGAIN—A brand new Crusader wheel, fitted for lady or gentleman, can be bought for half price. For particulars call at the HERALD OFFICE.

PAINTING.—M. L. Gillen is now ready to do painting, paper hanging and decorating of all kinds. Orders may be left at the market of W. W. Marsh on Railroad street or at J. Montague's Novelty Store.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 3, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

We want some wood.

Ball game tomorrow.

Buy a Star course ticket.

C. F. Patterson is on the sick list.

Alva Spayde is in the swim. Read his new card.

New fall advertising is coming in with a rush this week.

You may expect a good, pleasant game of ball tomorrow.

Mrs. Haggart, of Clinton, is making her home in Tecumseh now.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hall, of Chicago, are visiting at John Fisher's.

Wheat has taken a jump of four cents since last week. Let'er jump.

Sheriff Wilson and Prosecutor Bird called on friends here last night.

Have you seen Alva Spayde's advertising dollar? It is worth $1.05.

J. W. Mendell, of Eaton Rapids, has a position in Alva Spayde's clothing store.

See Miss Hough's and Mrs. Freeman's local for free tickets to the harvest home.

Geo. P. McCoy and wife and Mr. Eber Bennett, of Milford, spent Sunday at A. D. Hall's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cleveland, of Detroit, are the guests of M. A. Zimmerman's family this week.

G. W. Moore, of Medina, and Hon. Thos. F. Moore, of Madison, spent Thursday at D. T. Hall's.

What is La Besta? The best washing powder on the market for clothes, dishes, or house cleaning.

Harris & Hiteshu are in the ring, and to get their share of the fall trade. If you doubt it, read their new card.

Mrs. J. J. Dodd, who has been the guest of Miss Kate Anderson for a couple of weeks, returned to Detroit Wednesday.

Ed. Holdway returned yesterday from a visit with Jim Curry and other friends in Grand Rapids. He brought back a fine grey hound.

Mrs. Emily Waters, of Kansas, is visiting relatives in Tecumseh. Mrs. Waters is a sister of Mrs. Wm. Hayden and S. P. Hosmer.

Our new firm, D. C. Andrews & Co., supplied the town Monday with their washing powder and soap for scouring. Try their samples.

Mrs. B. J. Janssen and daughter have returned to New York last Thursday after a several weeks visit at her father's, Webster Anderson's.

Come to Clinton tomorrow and see the new store and new goods. Formal opening. Refreshments served.

THE FREESE-WHITTLESEY CO.

Who are indebted to L. M. Dibble, of Clinton, for a choice bunch of celery. It was a dozen at H. L. Jones' which weighed 17 1-2 pounds. This is mammoth celery.

Poultry and eggs are wanted by L. D. Covey. He pays 6 1-2 cents for hens and 11 cents for eggs. See him before you sell. He gives $1.00 a bushel for hickory nuts.

Mann Bros. believe in taking time by the forelock, and sawing out a new card this week. It is rather torrid for this week for overcoats, but that weather will come in due season.

James Boyd, the unfortunate man who was killed by the cars at Britton last Saturday night, owned a farm just east of Sand Lake, where he lived for many years, and had many friends and acquaintances.

R. A. Heesen is doing the Hillsdale fair this week in the interest of his firm, Heesen Bros. & Co. The firm are getting out a fine line of kettles, pots and boilers and make all kinds of grey castings.

Chester Clark, of Holloway, who departed this life last week, was one of the oldest settlers in that section, and a man who was highly esteemed by all who knew him. His death leaves an unfilled vacancy in the band of early pioneers.

Attorney Sumner Collins has opened a law office in the Masonic Temple block, taking the room north of A. W. Slayton's, [illegible] fronts on Evans street. It will be a very convenient office. He is getting fairly settled and would be pleased to have his acquaintances call upon him.

Deputy Stevens and Supervisor Elliott attended the funeral of the late L. Harrington at Blissfield. Mr. Harrington was an old and respected resident of southern Lenawee, having been county sheriff for many years beside filling other offices and positions of trust. The funeral was largely attended.

C. H. Bramble is going to Texas to [illegible] residence.

A. W. Slayton will light his residence with electric [illegible]

Miss Effie Yaw[illegible] Somerset, is visiting friends in [illegible]

Work is rapidly progressing on the new Lake Shore depot.

Mrs. Arthur Dance, of Detroit, is visiting friends in town this week.

Mrs. G. S. Tiffany and Mrs. L. I. Bidwell were Adrian visitors Tuesday.

Dr. E. Hause is exhibiting his window fastener at the Hillsdale Fair this week.

Do you want a new stove this fall? Read Whitenack's advice on the subject.

Geo. S. Wilson, of Macosta, was in town a day or two the first of the week.

A good many people from this section are attending the Hillsdale fair this week.

L. H. McConnell, of Raisin, is slowly improving, with good prospects of final recovery.

October was ushered in Tuesday morning with the mercury exactly at the freezing point.

J. F. N. Bowen brought to this office yesterday a twig containing several fine red raspberries, fully ripe.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher is spending a week or two at Lawrence Mich, as the guest of Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree.

The first meeting of the Wit and Wisdom club will be held next Monday evening at Miss Alice Wimple's.

Rev. J. P. Varner is able to be around again, and the usual services will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday.

Phil Hendershot has a young son in the family, which is the cause of Phil's smiling countenance this week.

Teller Woodard, of Elkhart, and Jay Woodard, of Rome, were here to attend the funeral of their sister, Hattie Woodard.

A new sidewalk has been constructed at each end of the new bridge at the paper mill, which pedestrians will enjoy.

W. B. Odion, of the HERALD staff, took in the Hillsdale Fair Wednesday. Over ten thousand visitors were on the grounds that day.

Miss Maggie Vetie, of Orland Ind., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Rude several weeks, returned to her home last Tuesday.

To the purchaser of $2 worth of goods at their respective stores on Tuesday, Oct. 8th, Miss Hough and Mrs. Freeman will give a free ticket to the harvest home and supper.

The barn of Mrs. Sarah Potter, of Cambridge, was destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. The origin is unknown. An insurance of $800 was carried in the Farmer's Mutual.

New Stores; new goods; Grand opening Saturday Oct. 5. Refreshments served.

THE FREESE-WHITTLESEY CO.,
Clinton.

The annual renting of the pews of the M. E. church, Tecumseh, will take place next Wednesday, Oct. 9th, commencing at 2 o'clock, p. m. and continuing until 8 o'clock p. m, By order of the Official Board.

The new Reformed Church of Britton is about completed and the dedication will take place next Wednesday afternoon, Oct 9th. The edifice is a fine structure and will be an ornament to Britton.

The funeral of Miss Hattie Woodard was held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock and was attended by a large concourse of sympathizing friends. Owing to the illness of Rev. Varner, Dr. L. Barnes officiated.

The October calendar of the supreme court just given out contains 205 cases which is thirty more than the calendar for the corresponding term one year ago. It is one of the largest dockets issued in some time.

Mrs. James H. Payne of Raisin, who had been ill from Brights' disease for over two years, was released from her sufferings Monday at five o'clock in the afternoon. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the Friend's church in the Valley, Rev. Richard Harkness officiating.

A coroner's inquest was held last Saturday by Justice Wightman over the remains of Miss Hattie Woodard, and a verdict was rendered exonerating Rev. Mr. Hudson from all blame in the premises. Owing to her deafness, Miss Woodard has had several narrow escapes from serious accident.

Strawberries for supper on the last day of September. This may seem a fiction but it was an actual fact in ye editor's family last Monday, for we had a quart of fine, sweet berries, grown on Chas. McNeil's patch in Newburgh. Had the warm spell lasted a week longer, he could have picked several bushels of them.

Thirty-nine Knights of Adrian Commandery and fifty-four fraters of the Tecumseh Blue Lodge went to Ridgeway last Sunday and escorted the remains of Postmaster Jay A. Santus to their final resting place. A peculiarly pathetic incident connected with the obsequies was the fact that not one solitary relative followed the hearse to the grave. An aunt and a brother may be living, but Providence alone knows, as their whereabouts had been unknown to the deceased for many years. But the kind hearts and willing hands of his Masonic brethren lent their presence, and tenderly consigned his mortal remains to the tomb.

Only 650 tickets have been printed for the star course and they are selling rapidly.

Geo. W. Armstrong, of Adrian, wheeled over to Tecumseh last Saturday to call on friends here.

Mrs. Robt. Boyd and children started for Kansas yesterday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Brown.

Those persons who wish to pay their subscription in wood are requested to bring it along at once while the roads are good.

The Freese-Whittlesey Co. of Clinton will open their new double stores tomorrow. Refreshments served. Every body invited.

Come and see our new goods and new stores tomorrow.

THE FREESE-WHITTLESEY CO.,
CLINTON.

Mrs. Judge Patchen, of Detroit, Mr. Frank Norris of Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stewart of Dundee, were the guests Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ide Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. Hastings and daughter, Flosie, left Tuesday morning for a two week's visit in Defiance, Ohio. Her father, Mr. George Bly, accompanied her there.

"I Know that My Redeemer Liveth" has been grandly sung many times before Toledo audiences, but Mrs. Bishop's rendition last night bore off the palm."—Toledo Blade.

Stephen Brewer, of Cortland, N. Y., was the guest of A. L. Brewer last week. Although seventy-four years of age Mr Brewer made the entire trip on his wheel.

H. H. Chapin is in Tecumseh this week finishing up his directory work. He is making such corrections and additions as are necessary to bring all up to the present time.

H. C. Hall, of Hudson, was in town Tuesday inspecting the new bridge in Brownville. Hudson is about to build a new bridge, and sent Mr. Hall to inspect our exceptionally fine one.

W. S. Colton, local reporter on the Hudson Gazette, was in town between trains Tuesday. He was on his way to Clinton, being a delegate to the Congregational meeting at that place.

Mrs. Johnstone Bishop and Miss Maud Powell already have many admirers in Tecumseh. Mrs. Clara Murry is probably the finest harpist in America, while Rudolf Von Scarpa is master of the piano. You can hear all of these virtuosoes for 25 cents if you buy a season ticket to the lecture course.

The new Reformed church at Macon is going forward rapidly and the inside work is now progressing. The building committee have made rapid progress with the work, and it will be a beautiful church when completed. It is expected now that the church will be ready to dedicate on October 30th, as the edifice will be ready for occupying on that date unless something unforseen prevents.

Mr. Hardcastle, of Evans Lake, ex-treasurer and a prominent farmer of Franklin township, died Monday after a period of two or three years failing heath. He was something over sixty years of age, and leaves four sons and one daughter, all married but one son, his wife having died three years ago. The funeral was held at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon; the burial took place at Cambridge Junction.

Tecumseh people should remember that they are in duty bound to fully back up the management of the Star Course in their efforts to give a course of entertainments second to none in the state. The opening entertainment by the Redpath Concert Co. has been secured to begin like courses in Detroit, Grand Rapids and Ann Arbor. Buy a season ticket and hear this superb company of artists in Tecumseh for a quarter.

There are many good penmanship schools in the country, but none excel the Pen Art Department of the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, O. If you have any talent of taste for pen drawing, lettering, flourishing, automatic shading, or any line of fine pen work you should enter this school. Its expenses are so low that one can become the equal of any penman in the land for a small outlay. Write for specimens and catalogue.

Attorney Sumner Collins states his intention of soon removing from Chicago to Tecumseh, Mich. Mr. Collins resigns a paying practice, but the little Michigan city was the home of his childhood and he feels that the present financial loss will be more than compensated for by the pleasure of living among old friends and relatives and that his business there will soon equal that which he has given up in Chicago. —The Legal Adviser, Chicago, Sept. 18.

What is generally conceded in Philadelphia to be one of the most desirable building sites in the city has just been purchased by the Ladies' Home Journal. The property is located at Sixth and Walnut streets, which means that it fronts on two of the most beautiful squares in Philadelphia, the famous Independence Square on the east and Washington Square on the south. The land acquired includes five properties. On May 1st, next, the houses thereon will be torn down to make room for a building costing $250,000, to be solely owned and exclusively occupied by the Journal. The building will require two years in its construction.

The U. S. Gov't Reports
show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

We have received a copy of a unique publication called H. M. Greene & Co's "History of Grain and the Grain Trade of the World." It is printed in colors and is illustrated with a picture some 6,000 years old, from the tombs of Thebes, representing the ancient Egyptians elevating their wheat into graneries. There is also a threshing song in hieroglyphics, with the translation of each character. The book covers the prehistoric chapters of the subject. Egyptian, Caldean, Assyrian, Babylonian, Persian, Indian, Chinese, Phoenician and Carthagenian historians are quoted. There is a very rare description of land caravans and sea caravans. The history of wheat in Greece, Rome, Antioch, and among the Scythians, Celts, Gaths, Scots, Brittons, Irish, Africans, Mound Builders, Peruvians and American Indians, finishes the first part, or ancient history of grain. The part called Modern History deals with Venice, carrying of wheat to the New World, the Philippines, the Dutch, Antwerp, and the great modern European and American cities. There is an index covering all the matters combined in the book. It is the publishers' desire to present a copy of the work to every miller, grain dealer and interested party in the United States, and all such wishing a free copy should address H. M. Greene & Co., Rialto Building, Chicago, Ill.

—To save money on dress goods, coats, capes, jackets, underwear, hosiery, gloves, mittens, boots, shoes, rubbers, felts, etc., come and see us.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

—A FEW THINGS WORTH REMEMBERING.—

Remember that my goods are all new. There is no old nor shelf-worn goods to choose from, as every yard was bought new at the time of opening up business. Remember that I import them direct from the mills, saving wholesale profits and expenses and giving the customers the benefit. Remember they are all bought for cash, thereby saving large discounts, and that, while the stock is not large, it is kept fresh and new by continual renewals. Remember that those who do not care to buy from stock can choose from samples, of which I have a most complete selection of nearly 2,000 patterns from four of the leading woolen manufacturers. Remember that my work stands second to none in every respect. It sells on its merits alone. Valueing public opinion, I invite their inspection and patronage.

Yours truly,
J. S. STARLING,
The Hustling Michigan Tailor.

—M. L. Gillen paints Buggies for $6.00 each.

—Of course you know Harris & Hiteshu are agents for the E. Stout snag-proof rubbers, the best rubber on earth.

—For the newest styles and patterns go to J. C. Hazlett's. His stock is all new. No old shelf worn goods to be found there. He has no use for them. The best and latest patterns are none too good for his trade. His fits are guaranteed.

—I will paint your Buggy for $6.00
M. L. GILLEN.

—Shingles are away down at A. W. Slayton's Cut Rate Shingle Yard.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

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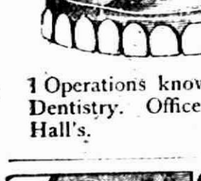

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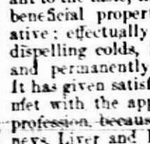

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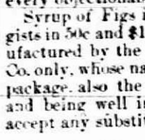

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DISASTROUS TO SHIPPING.

Many Vessels Suffer During the Lake Storms.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Oct. 1.—The terrific northwest gale which has raged here for two days doing great damage to shipping continues. Reports of vessels ashore and stranded owing to the steady gale driving the water southeastward, and intelligence that all kinds of wreckage is coming ashore north of here are heard from various points. It is reported that two large steamers are ashore at Keweenaw point. The captain of the Schuylkill, which arrived from Duluth Monday morning, says he could not make out who they were, but thought they were the Matos and Masaba, belonging to the Minnesota company and valued at $200,000 each. The steamers cleared from Two Harbors Sunday for Cleveland loaded with iron ore. The point where they are aground is said to the most dangerous of any on the whole chain of lakes.
From Whitefish Point comes the report that a schooner is flying signals of distress. Two tugs have gone to her rescue. At Shelldrake the barges Carney and Lillie May, of the Nellie Torrent tow, are ashore and total losses. Twenty boats are anchored between here and Iroquois Point, and above the encampment several large steamers are awaiting an abatement of the gale.
Near Manistique wreckage has been coming ashore since Friday. About 10 miles east were found pieces of a table and bed, and part of the cabin from a schooner. The wood was painted white. This is probably what is believed to be the pilot house of a steamer as originally reported. Although nothing could be found with a name upon it, it is now believed that the wreckage is from the schooner which went to pieces.

CREW OF THE ELMA RESCUED.

Succeed in Making a Landing on a Ledge of the Pictured Rocks.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Oct. 2.—The crew of the schooner Elma, except one man who was washed away by the sea before the vessel was abandoned, was found by lighthouse keepers in a ledge of the Pictured Rocks, 75 feet above the water, early Tuesday morning.
The steamer Birckland had the Elma, Jones and Commodore in tow when the northwest gale of Saturday came on. The tow broke up and the boats became widely separated, the Commodore running to the Soo, the Jones coming to an anchor off Whitefish and the Elma being abandoned off Pictured Rocks. After the crew of the Elma had taken to the yawlboat they seemed to face certain destruction, being dashed against the rocks, but they succeeded in making a landing on the ledge and then crawled far out of the reach of the seas. They suffered greatly from hunger and cold, and were half dead when found by the lighthouse keepers.

STATE TAX.

A Big Increase in the Levy Over Former Years.

LANSING, Oct. 1.—Auditor General Turner has apportioned the state tax for 1895 among the several counties of the state. The total tax apportioned is $3,013,919.53, as against $1,689,135.89 in 1894 and $1,931,214.69 in 1893. This year's rate is 2.23 mills on the dollar, that of 1894 being 1.4 mills and 1893 1.7. The increase is accounted for by the fact that the last legislature made up deficiencies in the appropriations of its predecessors, aggregating $700,000. Taxes apportioned to counties in western Michigan are:
Berrien, $48,418.84; Charlevoix, $9,642.88; Grand Traverse, $12,356.59; Ionia, $9,[illegible]8.60; Kent, $134,197.72; Manistee, $24,545.40; Muskegon, $35,148.23; Montcalm, $27,252.58; Newaygo, $12,423.01; Oceana, $12,318.81; Ottawa, $40,392.50; St. Joseph, $52,741.95; Van Buren, $40,061.51.

ANN ARBOR OPENS.

Attendance This Year Will Reach Three Thousand and Possibly More.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 2.—The University of Michigan formally opened its doors Tuesday to the class of 1899. For the last two days the registration has amounted to a crush, and Secretary Wade estimates that the attendance will exceed 3,000.
The medical library and new engineering departments show gains, while the law school, on account of the introduction of the three years' course, will doubtless fall off in attendance.

Fire at Menominee.

MENOMINEE, Oct. 2.—Fire destroyed the grocery store of James F. Pelnar, the dwelling-house of Albert Holup, the tenement house of Rev. A. W. Bill, the barn of G. A. Blesch, several smaller barns and a large quantity of stovewood. For a time a large portion of the most costly residences in the city were threatened. Loss, $12,000; partly covered by insurance.

Train Stalled in the Sand.

ST. JOSEPH, Sept. 30.—Tons of sand drifted on the Chicago & West Michigan tracks here Sunday morning, and when the north-bound freight came along it stalled. It took gangs of shovelers several hours to clear the track. The engine was damaged, and the excursion train bound to Laporte was delayed.

Look Out for Typhus.

LANSING, Sept. 28.—The drought is likely to cause an epidemic of typhoid fever in October, as the water in the wells is unusually low, and consequently impure. For this reason Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, advises everybody to boil water before drinking.

Big Crop of Potatoes.

CRYSTAL FALLS, Oct. 2.—The yield of potatoes in Iron county will be the largest ever known in this section of the state, and thousands of bushels will be harvested in the next few weeks.

Seeks Heavy Damages.

KALAMAZOO, Sept. 26.—Peter Van Brooke has begun assault for $10,000 damages against the city for injuries received by a fall on a sidewalk last July. His hip was broken.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Localities in Michigan.

Andrew B. Pierce was crushed to death beneath a falling tree near South Haven recently.
There is talk of the establishment of a plant at Kalamazoo by the Bryant Paper company to cost $100,000 and employ 125 men. A bonus of $10,000 is asked of Kalamazoo.
William Chamberlain, of Monroe, has obtain a verdict of $400 damages against the Lake Shore railroad for putting him off the train one rainy night in April, 1892.
The Twelfth district Woman's Christian Temperance union, in session at Sault Ste. Marie, voted to withdraw from the state organization and form a separate union.
The new Masonic temple at Grand Rapids will be dedicated next week. The dedication will continue for four days, beginning Tuesday, October 15.
The Elliot house of this city, the largest and oldest hotel in the city, was burned to the ground last week. It was built over twenty years ago. The loss is about $10,000.
Nearly 3,000 children attend Kalamazoo's schools.
Bass wood timber in large quantities is being shipped to England from Eaton county.
Butternuts are an immense crop in the vicinity of Saugatuck this season.
One Grand Haven canning factory is putting up 4,000 cans of tomatoes daily.
New buggy and cart plants are to be added to the list of Holland's industries.
Lansing's new bridge, which is 115 feet wide, is said to be the widest bridge in the whole world.
Swamp lands along the Kalamazoo river are to be surveyed this fall and sold at auction in separate parcels.
The largest pulp mill in the world is located at Sault Ste. Marie and owned by the Lake Superior Power Company.
Young Willett, the 19-year-old Mount Clemens boy who drowned his sweetheart because she resisted his advances, will end his days in prison, the supreme court having affirmed his conviction.
Mrs. John Deibel, Sr., one of the oldest residents of the Saginaw valley, died at Saginaw, aged 68 years.
J. B. Wheeler, of Dayton, O., vice president of the American Fence company, and an alderman, was found dead in bed at a hotel in Mount Clemmens. He died of hemorrhage of the brain.
At Palmer the Volunteer mine, of which Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Detroit, is the principal owner, will be unwatered and active mining will be resumed. The Volunteer employs over 300 men.
In a wrestling match at Grand Rapids between Michael Dwyer, of that city, and Peter Schumacher, of Cincinnati, Dwyer won the first and third falls and the match.

BAD FOR DEPOSITORS.

Supreme Court Decision Affecting a Defunct Kalamazoo Bank.

LANSING, Sept. 28.—The supreme court filed an opinion of the court below in the case of the First National Bank of Kalamazoo vs. George W. Stone, receiver of the Central Michigan savings bank, in which an affirmative judgment was rendered to the effect that certain papers held by the plaintiffs indorsed by Cashier Bradley and of the defunct bank were rediscount paper and that the holders could share in the assets of the bank. The amount of this paper held by various parties is about $150,000, and the opinion will affect the depositors to that extent and destroy all hope of an immediate further dividend. The bank has already paid 50 per cent., and if the judgment had been reversed would have paid 15 per cent. more.

Injured by Frost.

DETROIT, Oct. 1.—There was a light frost throughout Michigan Sunday night. Reports regarding damage done are rather meager, but garden truck and late fruits are completely ruined and all kinds of vines have been destroyed. Places along the west shore of Lake Huron report from one-sixteenth to an eighth of an inch of ice formed Monday morning.

Pennant Given to Adrian.

LANSING, Sept. 28.—President Mumby, of the Michigan Baseball league, has declared Adrian the winner of the state league pennant, which has been in dispute, Jackson also claiming it. The percentages given by President Mumby are as follows: Adrian, .692; Jackson, .571; Kalamazoo, .437; Lansing, .333.

Strange Disease Among Horses.

ST. JOSEPH, Sept. 27.—Fifteen horses in this city have become victims of a mysterious disease which causes them to reject food, keep up a continual snorting and kick their stalls down. Some have escaped and run around the yard in a circle, as if mad. Surgeons think marsh hay is responsible.

Found Guilty.

MOUNT CLEMENS, Sept. 27.—Edward Hoag was found guilty of murder in the second degree on Thursday for killing Ernest Grom August 15 last. Both men were employed in the Egnew house and the murder was the result of a quarrel.

Caught a Wild Woman.

ALPENA, Sept. 28.—Officers captured a wild woman in the woods near here. She had been in the vicinity for several months. Her only food was berries and wild fruit, and she was reduced to a mere skeleton.

Death of Capt. Shaw.

BAY CITY, Oct. 2.—Capt. John Shaw, manager of the Eddy-Shaw fleet of steamers, died at his home here Tuesday. He was 51 years old, and had been a sailor all his life.

Fire at Lapeer.

LAPEER, Sept. 30.—Fire caused $12,000 damage to business property. G. W. Mahon, dry goods, $5,000, and John McLennan, $4,000, were the heaviest losers.

FURIOUS STORMS.

Wind, Rain and Lightning [illegible] Considerable Damage.

WHITEHALL, Sept. [illegible] during an electrical storm [illegible] Wednesday night lightning struck the farm barn of William Norris, [illegible] the barn and house. Loss, [illegible] Nels Mikelson's large barn [illegible] Montague, containing four [illegible] grain and machinery, all [illegible] at $5,000, was also destroyed. At Holland heavy thunderstorms accompanied by heavy rains and wind passed over the town flooding the streets, washing out the area wall of J. Alberti's basement and burning out the flues of the electric fire alarm. The barn of Lubbert Hop, in New Holland, was struck by lightning, killing two horses.
LAKE VIEW, Sept. 27.—Wind blew down the Good Templars' hall in Hinton township, 3 miles northeast of here, entirely demolishing it, and some of the heaviest timber was carried 80 rods away; also the Moffett school, just finished last spring, was moved entirely from its foundation and carried several feet away and would have probably been wrecked had it not hit a large pine stump. Jay Vining's residence was lifted from its foundation, but no damage done further than a terrible shaking up of the family. The buildings were all within 80 rods of each other.

FLOWERS IN THE FALL.

Nature Cutting Queer Pranks with Vegetation in Richland.

RICHLAND, Sept. 28.—Nature is cutting up queer antics since the rains set in breaking the long drought. Wild flowers that should have blossomed in May and June are now in full bloom, and apple and plum trees are bearing ripe fruit and blossoms on the same branch. Fields of beans that were planted late have the ripened pods, green beans and beans in blossom in the same hill. Garden seeds which were planted last spring and did not sprout are growing now, and farmers are having their second growth of early vegetables.

WHEELOCK WILL SET ASIDE.

New York Charities Lose an Important Michigan Case.

BATTLE CREEK, Sept. 27.—Judge Smith, of this circuit, has just filed a decision setting aside the will of Sarah Wheelock, sister of the late Moses W. Wheelock, a millionaire bachelor farmer. The will gave all of Miss Wheelock's property to the following New York societies: The American Board of Foreign Missions, the American Tract society, the Congregational Home Missionary society and the American Female Guardian society and Home for the Friendless.

THE LAW MUST STAND.

Supreme Court Passes Upon the Anti-Fusion Act.

LANSING, Oct. 2.—The supreme court in the case of A. M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, against the board of election commissioners relative to the legality of the anti-fusion law, which provides that no candidate for public office shall be entitled to have his name appear more than once upon the official ballots, holds that the statue is constitutional and must stand.

Snow in Upper Michigan.

MICHIGAMME, Mich., Sept. 30.—Three inches of snow fell Sunday afternoon and evening at Summit. Late crops are damaged by heavy frost. Snow is also reported as falling in small quantities at several other elevated points in the upper peninsula.
CALUMET, Sept. 30.—A light snow fell here Saturday night followed by several flurries Sunday morning. This is the earliest fall on record in this county.
HOWELL, Sept. 30.—Several snow flurries occurred here about noon Sunday, breaking all records. Reports from the surrounding country also indicate light shows.

Victim of a Bicyclist Dies.

ADRIAN, Mich., Sept. 30.—While riding his bicycle after dark at Tecumseh Thursday night, Rev. Hudson, pastor of the Baptist church, of that village, struck Miss Woodard at a cross-walk, injuring her so severely that she died Friday morning. A contusion on the young woman's head was the only mark of injury. The affair has created great sorrow in Tecumseh, both on the reverend gentleman's account and the esteem in which Miss Woodard was held.

Lake Steamers Collide.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Sept. 30.—The wooden steamer Robert L. Fryer, bound up with coal, and the steamer Corsica, bound down with iron ore, were in collision at the dyke in Hay lake channel Saturday morning. The Fryer was cut through the foremast and her bow was almost entirely carried away. She lies with her decks under water. The Fryer was valued at $95,000 and carries insurance of $90,000. The Corsica is badly damaged.

Won Her Suit.

JACKSON, Sept. 27.—Owen O'Neil, 23 years old, was sentenced from Jackson to three years and four months in prison last November for assaulting Theodore Wagner, a saloonist, with intent to kill. O'Neil was drunk at the time. A jury in the circuit court gave O'Neil's mother $300 as damages against Wagner for selling her son liquor. The Jackson Liquor Dealers' association bore Wagner's expenses.

One Hundred Converts Baptized.

LANSING, Sept. 30.—Yesterday was big Sunday at the adventist camp grounds. A large crowd was present at all services and the labors of the last three weeks found fruition in the baptism of nearly 100 converts. The river bank was lined with thousands of witnesses of the baptism.

Incendiary Fire in Peppermint Marshes.

NILES, Mich., Sept. 30.—Incendiaries have set fire to the large peppermint marshes east of the city, and the flames have destroyed fences, haystacks and outbuildings. The loss will amount to thousands of dollars, as many tons of peppermint were destroyed.

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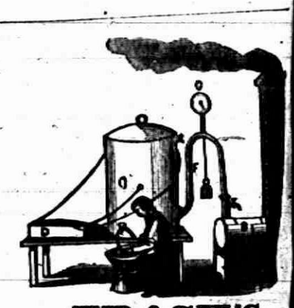

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Scripture Readings. Luke xxiv, 1-36; I Cor. xv, 4-8.

Lessons of the Quarter.

The last quarter of the year has come. Attention for three months will be given to studies from the history of the early Christian church as found in the book of Acts. This is a most favorable time in which to give the whole book a thorough study. It will broaden one's thought of the scope of the church, quicken devotion by showing examples of unparalleled devotion and awaken new interest in the extension of Christ's kingdom.

Review.

It is well to note that the lessons of the first quarter presented "Christ In All," by a study of the utensils and services of the tabernacle and temple.

The second quarter was devoted to "Man Sinning and Repenting," founded on the book of Job.

The third was occupied with "Greater Works Than These Shall Ye Do," calling attention to the miracles of healing performed by Jesus and directing attention to the need of spiritual renovation of man's nature by the power of the Holy Spirit.

All this leads up to the study of the present quarter devoted to the trials and triumphs of the apostolic church.

Points to Consider.

A good way to study the topic for this week is to:

First.—Read carefully the Bible lesson, with pencil in hand, noting on paper the various items treated.

Second.—Read some good commentary on the passages, adding any new information to the notes already made.

Third.—Read some good "Life of Christ," like Geikie's or Farrar's or Andrews', still noting new items.

Fourth.—Carefully read all the notes taken, make a plan of the progress of events, and sum up the teaching presented and the most prominent Spiritual truth unfolded.

Items For Study.

Among other things in "the forty days," the following are worthy of noting:

First.—Christ living, directing the energies of his people and giving promises.

Second.—Christ ascending to the place of power, and the prophecy of his visible return.

Third.—The united disciples awaiting the gift of power, filling the office of the apostate witness.

Fourth.—The ten appearances of Jesus during this period, when, to whom, where and with what results.

Bible Study.

One might naturally think that careful study of the Bible for a series of years would render one so familiar with it that there would be small possibility for the element of freshness and zest which comes from new discoveries to continue, yet, strange as it may appear, the fact remains that the more study that is given to it the more does it expand and open into new realms of truth before unpenetrated. Treasures before hidden are discovered and power for still wider explorations is developed. Pickax and spade are unearthing monuments, tablets, utensils and a thousand things buried for centuries which give wondrous light on the Bible story. Study is stimulated in other lines, and literature furnishes treasures as valuable to the Christian inquirer as yields of mummy pits are to archæologists. You may exhaust the stores of science and weary of the task, but the riches of the Bible are exhaustless, and searching only gives new strength and stimulates to fresh exertion.

Spiritual Work In the League.

No amount of activity in any or all other departments will compensate for lack of zeal in this one. The most important thing about any chapter is the condition of its devotional work. This cannot be gauged by the amount of noise made in singing, the number of prayers and testimonies offered in a given time, the attendance at devotional service or any other outward indication. It is known, however, as clearly as if indicated by these means. If true spiritual power possesses the membership, the singing will be joyous and full voiced, prayers and testimonies will be prompt and plenty, people will be attracted, but deeper and better results will also appear. Earnest love to each other and to God will appear in an undefinable unction of utterance and kindness of manner. Souls will be drawn to Christ. Seek spiritual life and power.

Benefits of the Convention.

Conventions may have collations, but they are not intended to be picnics merely. Their social value may be great, but our young people bring home from them other things of greater value. Those who use conventions rightly get:

First.—Increased knowledge of the Bible, deeper desire to know its truths, stronger belief in its teachings.

Second.—Clearer understanding of Christianity, purer love of God and his service, more earnest consecration to his work.

Third.—Better methods of working, wider acquaintance with workers, greater happiness in serving.

Fourth.—Fuller knowledge of the world's needs, completer reliance on Christ's power, more hopeful views of the future.

Have Faith In Truth.

Have faith in truth,
And in the True One trust.
Though bright with fancy's brightest hues,
Abhor the lie thou must.

God's thoughts, not man's,
Be these thy heritage.
They, like himself, are ever young,
Untouched by time or age.

With God alone
Is truth and joy and light.
Walk thou with him in peace and love;
Hold fast the good and right.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

GOV. CULBERSON of Texas, called an extra session of the legislature to meet October 2 to make provision for preventing prize fighting in the state.

REV. DR. TALMAGE, of Brooklyn, has accepted the call to be co-pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Washington.

MARTIN ADAMS was hanged at Columbus, O., for causing the death of John Ohmer by poisoning his beer.

THE Cooperative Banking association, capital stock $100,000, suspended at New Orleans. The bank had but few depositors.

JOSEPH RENISCH, a pressman, and Della Bolin, his sweetheart, committed suicide at St. Louis.

TO SAVE the life of her baby boy aged 3 years, Mrs. William Dickinson, suffered herself to be trampled to death under the hoofs of a runaway team at Neenah, Wis.

AT the closing session in Chicago of the Irish national convention an organization was effected to be known as the Irish National Alliance and having for its object the securing of the independence of Ireland by any means within its power consistent with the laws and usages of civilized nations.

BY an explosion six men lost their lives at the Belgian mine near Leadville, Col., and four others were badly injured.

FEDERAL officers at San Francisco were notified that all British sealing vessels were carrying arms contrary to law.

THE village of Haskins, O., was almost totally destroyed by fire.

THE Western Baseball association closed the season with the Lincoln (Neb.) club as champions. The percentages were as follows: Lincoln, .626; Des Moines, .582; Peoria, .568; Rockford, .519; Quincy, .504; Burlington, .500; Dubuque, .419; St. Joseph, .381.

WILLIAM GIDEON, a farmer near Montpelier, O., shot and killed his wife and then shot himself. Gideon was despondent because of foreclosure of a mortgage on his farm.

A PHYSICIAN in Cincinnati, who has made a study of the diseases, claims to have found a remedy which will absolutely and permanently cure diabetes and Bright's disease.

FORTY THOUSAND people celebrated in Atchison Kansas' 400,000,000 bushel corn crop in one of the biggest and noisiest carnivals the west has ever seen.

WHITE CAPS took William Massey, of Fulton, Mo., charged with abusing his family, out of his house and rawhided him within an inch of his life.

AT Weir City, Kan., "Paddy" Purtell and Johnson, the "Terrible Swede," were sentenced to one year each in the penitentiary for prize fighting.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 27th aggregated $997,924,422, against $1,081,861,381 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 20.8.

THE oldest counterfeiter in the United States, William Norris, of De Kalb county, Ala., was convicted at Birmingham of making and passing spurious coins. He is almost 100 years old.

A CYCLONE which passed through Crown Point, O., destroyed much property and severely injured three persons.

BY a collision of trains near Tunnelton, W. Va., one person was killed, two fatally injured and several others seriously hurt.

OVER 10,000 persons were idle at Hazleton, Pa., because of a water famine.

THE state department at Washington was advised of the payment in London of the Spanish draft for the Mora claim, amounting to $1,449,000 in gold.

CORWIN C. HAYWORD, of Warren, O., died suddenly from accidental poisoning. He ate toadstools in mistake for mushrooms.

THE body of John Kuttler, a farmer living near Barada, Neb., was found in his hog pen, partially eaten by the hogs.

WHILE attending the "apple carnival" at Glenwood, Ia., D. U. Reed, of Blue Springs, Neb., secretary of the Nebraska State Horticultural society, was run down by a fast mail train and killed.

THERE were 216 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 27th, against 213 the week previous and 235 in the corresponding time in 1894.

THE state department at Washington announces the death in Corea of Ye Sung Su, the Corean minister to the United States. He had been absent from his post for about a year. He died of cholera.

AT Caldwell, Kan., James B. Sherman, a relative of Gen. Sherman and a former comrade of Col. Cody and Wild Bill, was acquitted of the murder of Mayor Meagher, of Caldwell, twenty-one years ago.

La Besta

MUCH excitement was caused in Jewish circles in Boston over an order by the police board that they must hereafter close their places of business on Sunday.

AT Dayton, O., Clarence Ward, of Buffalo, N. Y., a steeple climber, fell 100 feet to his death.

BY a fire in the Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco company's storage warehouse 2,775 hogsheads of tobacco were destroyed, entailing a loss of $300,000.

AT Salyersville, Ky., Judge William May, while hiving bees, was stung to death.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY HERBERT has awarded to the Herreshoff Manufacturing company the contract for building two of the new torpedo boats authorized by the act of the last congress, the price being $144,000.

A CONSTITUTIONAL convention was held at Najasa at which Bartolome Masso was elected president of the Cuban republic.

CUBAN insurgents were said to be within 75 miles of Havana.

SEVEN persons were drowned in the lake near Geneva, Switzerland, by the sinking of a boat.

CAPT. ARMES, of the regular army (retired), was arrested by a column of soldiers at Washington and taken to the barracks by order of Gen. Schofield, the cause of the arrest being a personal insult to Gen. Schofield.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 29th were: Baltimore, .667; Cleveland, .646; Philadelphia, .592; Chicago, .554; Brooklyn, .546; Boston, 543; Pittsburgh, .538; New York, .508; Cincinnati, .508; Washington, .333; St. Louis, .295; Louisville, .267.

THE elevator of the Daisy flour mill at Superior, Wis., was burned, causing a loss of $180,000.

TWO HUNDRED steers died in western Kansas because they dieted on second growth sorghum.

A RICH vein of gold ore was discovered on Spring creek, in the vicinity of the Storm Hill group of mines near Rapid City, S. D.

MRS. NELLIE W. HAGEL, of Illinois, fell from a balloon at Monrovia, Cal., a distance of 1,000 feet, and was instantly killed.

THE Cheyenne and Arapahoe Indians on the reservation west of Hennessy, O. T., were holding war dances and disregarding the agent's orders to keep on the reservation.

TWENTY-FOUR horses, including the best drivers in Great Falls, Mont., with all carriages and hacks, were burned, and Hostler Marshal Nevins was roasted to death.

TYPHOID FEVER, due to impure water and impure milk, was epidemic in Chicago.

THE Farmers' and Citizens' bank of Pawnee, O. T., closed its doors with liabilities of $50,000.

THE big plant of the River Spinning company at Woonsocket, R. I., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $135,000.

FIRE losses in the United States for the week ended on the 28th amounted to $3,084,760, as compared with $3,375,310 for the preceding week and $2,413,030 for the week ended September 14.

THREE inches of snow fell at Summit and other portions of northern Michigan.

DESTRUCTIVE gales swept lakes Michigan, Superior and Huron, doing great damage to shipping.

IN his annual report Director of the Mint Preston estimates the total stock of gold and silver coin in the United States January 1, 1895, at $1,700,219,251, of which the gold goin is placed at $577,182,792. This shows a net loss in gold coin for the year 1894 of $886,182,792 and only $5,889,541 of silver. The world's production of gold for 1894 was $179,865,000, an increase of $22,668,000, while the 1894 figures for silver were $165,757,300.

EDWIN W. MCHENRY, of St. Paul, chief engineer of the Northern Pacific, and Frank G. Bigelow, a Milwaukee banker, were appointed receivers of the Northern Pacific railway.

THE Wabash (Ind.) Church and School Furniture company failed with liabilities of $100,000.

FIRE almost totally destroyed the town of Big Stone Gap, Va.

AT the close of the twentieth season of the National Baseball league the clubs stood in the following order: Baltimore, .669; Cleveland, .646; Philadelphia, 595; Chicago, .554; Boston, .542; Brooklyn, 542; Pittsburgh, .538; Cincinnati, .508; New York, .504; Washington, .336; St. Louis, .295; Louisville, 267.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 30th ult. was: Wheat, 40,768,000 bushels; corn, 5,451,000 bushels; oats, 2,725,000 bushels; rye, 537,000 bushels; barley, 1,916,000 bushels.

SIX lives were crushed out at a quarry near Independence, Mo., by the premature explosion of a blast.

AN immense mass meeting was held in Chicago, presided over by Mayor Swift, to protest against Spanish tyranny in Cuba. Speeches were made and resolutions were adopted asking the United States government to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.

HON. J. P. BOYD, the eminent lawyer-politician and recently minister of the Gospel, was found dead in his bed at the Boyd mansion in Cincinnati from heart disease.

AT Rockford, Ill., Leonard Preston, a bank clerk, and George Ashbrook, of Janesville, Wis., were drowned by the capsizing of their boat.

THE schooner Elma foundered in Lake Superior off Miner's river and the captain and his wife and child and the six members of the crew were drowned.

THE grand jury of the District of Columbia recommended that the whipping post be established in the district for the punishment of wife beaters and petty thieves.

THE United States treasury closed the month of September with a surplus of $3,175,040 in receipts over expenditures. It showed an available cash balance of $185,080,217, with a gold reserve of $92,811,328.

NEAR Brigham City, U. T., Mrs. Inger Jeppsen, Christian Jeppsen and Miss Ipsen were killed by a runaway.

THE spot where Miles Standish landed September 29, 1621, in Squantum, Mass., was marked by a unique monument composed of round stones brought by members of the Daughters of the Revolution and kindred societies and placed in position by a mason.

FRANK J. DAVEREAUX, aged 27, and W. Porter Hunt, aged 32, two newspaper correspondents living at Oneida, N. Y., were drowned in Oneida lake by the upsetting of a boat.

B. D. BLAKESLEE and N. A. Winquest left New York for San Francisco on bicycles and will endeavor to break the present record of 48 days and 18 hours.

IN the Rock River Methodist conference at Elgin, Ill., it was decided to admit women as delegates in the general conference by a vote of 142 to 27.

THE schooner John Raber went ashore 18 miles east of Whiting, Ind., and Capt. Johnson and an unknown sailor were drowned.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE New York democrats in convention at Syracuse nominated the following ticket: For secretary of state, Horatio C. King; attorney general, Horton B. Chase; state treasurer, Dewitt Clinton Low; comptroller, John B. Judson; state engineer, Russell R. Stuart. The platform declares gold and silver the only legal tender, favors the gradual retirement of greenbacks, declares against the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and indorses the national democratic administration.

THE New Jersey democrats in convention at Trenton nominated Alexander E. McGill, of Hudson county, for governor. The platform reaffirms the national democratic platform of 1892 and indorses the administration of President Cleveland.

THE populists of the Eighteenth Illinois district nominated G. S. Culp, of Shelby county, for congress.

JOSEPH FIELD, the wealthy Middletown farmer, known throughout New Jersey as "Uncle Josey," celebrated his 103d birthday.

MISS FRANCES E. WILLARD, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, arrived in New York from Europe.

LIEUT. GEN. SCHOFIELD retired as commander of the United States army and Gen. Nelson A. Miles succeeds him.

EX-SENATOR MAHONE, of Virginia, suffered a stroke of paralysis at his room at Chamberlain's hotel in Washington, and his recovery was doubtful.

FOREIGN.

THE German government has issued a decree setting forth that after October 1 no cattle or hogs shall be imported into Germany from any country without being quarantined.

PREMIER BLAIR has dissolved the New Brunswick legislature and the general election will take place October 16.

TEN THOUSAND diamond cutters struck at Amsterdam, Holland, upon the refusal of the employers to adopt conditions upon which the cutters' trades union insisted.

HARRY PAYNE, the famous pantomime clown, died at his home in London after a brief illness.

PROF. LOUIS PASTEUR, the eminent bacteriologist, died in Paris of paralysis, aged 73 years.

A MONUMENT to the late President Carnot, of France, was dedicated at Fontainebleau.

CHINA yielded to the demands of Great Britain and deposed Viceroy Lul because he made no effort to stop the riots at Sze-Chuen.

THE inhabitants of western Mexico were terrorized by earthquakes and their country was nearly ruined.

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ADRIAN, as Follows:

WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:48 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:30 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11 45 p m
‡ No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:34 a m
†No. 50—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:4 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:38 p m

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 325. Express.	No. 343. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	3 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	3 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	3 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 55 "	4 01 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	4 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	4 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	6 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express	No. 344. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 55 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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Passenger Time Table

IN EFFECT June 9, 1895.

EAST. No 35 Loc.	No. 93 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 94 Pass
A. M.	A. M	A. M.		P. M	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 35	L....Allegan.....A	3 10	8 15
.....	12 32	7 40	Monteith	2 28	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 36	7 14
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 57	Marshall	12 18	6 20
6	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 35	5 52
6 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 23
9 30	6 05	10 10	Addison	10 15	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 30
11 13	5 23	10 18	Onsted	9 40	4 28
...	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 33	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 04
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	*3 55
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	*3 50
1 44	6 18	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 39
2 00	6 23	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 30
4 55	7 30	12 15	A.....Toledo..L	7 35	2 45
P.M.	P. M.	P. M		A. M.	P. M.

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It has fine churches and, like Tecumseh, is distinguished for a moral, church going people. I often fall into the courts now in session, ride around the electric belt line of railroad, walked the whole length of Berry street, one of the most aristocratic residence streets of the city, a little over a mile to where it strikes the Maumee river and so home again, prefering to walk in the beautiful sunset hour to riding on the electric cars passing in W. Main street, next parallel, every fifteen minutes.

It was fearfully hot all the week until last Monday morning, when the cold wave so long prophesied and promised finally struck us, lowering the temperature about 50° degrees. It was so hot in church Sunday night that I could not stand it, and left before sermon, came to my room where the thermometer stood at even 100° and went to bed, but had to put on my thickest clothes and my overcoat as well, the next morning.

I leave to-morrow by the Wabash R. R. for Toledo, where I will finish this letter.

I called on Wm. D. Page, publisher of the Ft. Wayne News, who as one of the firm of Chapin & Page succeeded P. R. Adams & Son, in the publication of the Tecumseh Record. He is progressing finely, owns and publishes a live successful paper in Ft. Wayne.

TOLEDO, Sept. 26th, 1895.

Of course I can tell you nothing new about Toledo, you have been there so often yourself. We left Ft. Wayne at 1:15 p. m. and came here in just three hours, on time.

The country is fearfully parched with drought all the way. We passed some regular old fashioned log houses just before we came to Cecil which made it look like old times at Tecumseh.

Defiance was the only place of any note when we crossed the raging Maumee, tame enough just now, and afterwards Napoleon, which I visited by mistake taking the wrong train for Tecumseh about forty years ago. Saw some good farms out of Ft. Wayne, and also near Defiance, but the most of the land was a light sandy soil, and parched up with the long summer's drought.

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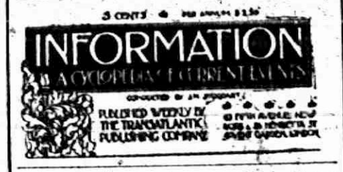

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At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, Sept 28, 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 62,363 01
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	26 500 45
Overdrafts	1 128 69
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	52 331 26
Due from other banks and bankers	694 68
Checks and cash items	874 05
Nickles and pennies	112 25
Gold coin	16,414 20
Silver coin	472 30
U. S. and National Bank Notes	7,104 00
Total	$ 169,677 90

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses interest and taxes paid	1,634 28
Commercial deposits subject to check	97,508 57
Commercial certificates of deposit	31,395 05
Total	$ 169,677 90

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of October, 1895.

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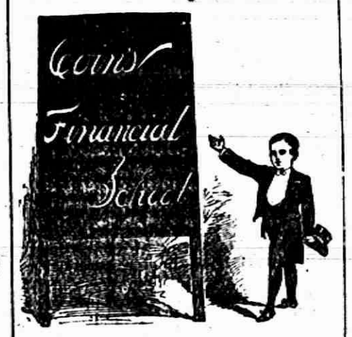

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	20	22
Eggs, per doz	15	17
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5 @ 5	
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 00	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 5½ @ 6 10	
Veal, dressed, per lb	7 @ 8 to 15	
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb		8
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—New		5 60
" Old		60
Corn, sheled	35 to 40	
Oats	18 @ to 25	
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 12 00	
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	Oct. 2.	Oct. 3.
CHICAGO.		
LIVE STOCK—Beeves	$3 50 @ 5 20	
Sheep	2 00 @ 3 65	
Hogs	4 70 @ 5 10	
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 50 @ 3 75	
Minnesota Bakers'	2 80 @ 3 00	
WHEAT—No 2 Red	69¼@	69¼
October	67⅝@	67⅝
CORN—No 2	27⅜@	28
October	27¼@	27½
OATS—No 2	24¼@	24½
December	24¼@	24⅜
RYE	70 @	70¼
PORK—Mess	9 75 @ 10 00	
LARD—Western Steam	6 27½@ 6 30	
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	18 @	22
Western Dairy	9½@	13
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40 @ 5 00	
Stockers and Feeders	2 25 @ 3 75	
Cows	1 40 @ 3 40	
Texas Steers	2 50 @ 3 25	
HOGS—Light	3 90 @ 4 45	
Rough Packing	3 85 @ 4 50	
SHEEP	1 50 @ 4 00	
BUTTER—Creamery	9 @	21½
Dairy	9½@	17
Packing Stock	6 @	9
EGGS—Fresh	15 @	16
BROOM CORN (per ton)	35 00 @ 80 00	
POTATOES (per bu)	10 @	28
PORK—Mess	8 37½@	8 50
LARD—Steam	5 67½@	5 90
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75 @	4 25
Spring Straights	2 50 @	3 25
Winter Patents	3 00 @	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00 @	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	60¾@	61⅝
Corn, No 2	30⅝@	31¼
Oats, No. 2	18½@	19⅝
Rye, No. 2	39½@	39⅝
Barley, Good to Choice	33 @	41
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	61¾@	61⅝
Corn, No. 2	32 @	32¼
Oats, No. 2 White	21¾@	21½
Rye, No. 1	41¾@	42
Barley, No. 2	41½@	41¾
PORK—Mess	8 80 @ 8 85	
LARD	5 80 @ 5 85	
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50 @ 5 25	
Texas	2 50 @ 3 50	
HOGS	3 80 @ 4 25	
SHEEP	2 00 @ 3 50	
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$2 85 @ 3 65	
Feeders	2 30 @ 3 50	
HOGS—Light and Mixed	3 85 @ 4 10	
Heavy	3 95 @ 4 15	
SHEEP	3 00 @ 3 25	

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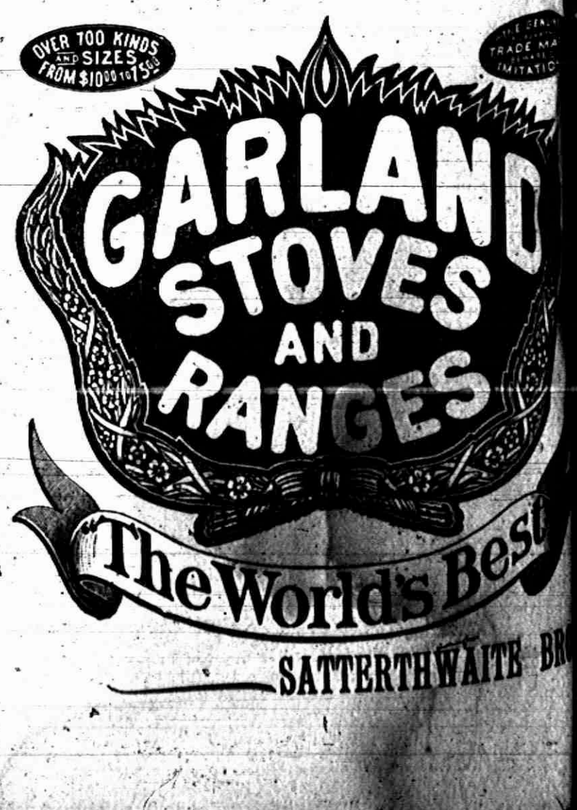

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MR. EDITOR:—We found as much that was truly Swiss in our ride to Berne as in all the rest of our wanderings. There are numberless taverns along the roadside with their queer signs which seem to dedicate them to the Lion, to the Bear, the Sword or Crown. Beneath the far projecting roof is a wooden image of a Golden Lion or Brown Bear or some hideous Dragon which asserts the right to the name adopted. Every one seems to have his place of business and residence united, and we find the cobbler, the tinner and various tradesmen all working in their own cottages. Then there are the makers of a thousand toys and nicknacks of pine wood, working industriously at home. They have the blocks of wood piled up artistically in front of the house beneath the sunbonnet roof and at the door is nailed a humble sign telling their vocation.

Riding amid mountains is delightful. When we are weary, there is always a clean, grassy plot where we lie down by a stream and allow the babbling brook to talk us to sleep. There is nothing so conducive to slumber as a long bicycle ride and one of these lulling, whispering streamlets. Then the abundance of cherries and harvest apples is not unpleasant. We tried to keep a railroad in sight during this ride but it was a veritable will-o-the-wisp and at times would dodge straight into the mountain and reappear again, teasingly, after we had a long ride around. I nearly forgot the interesting feature in architecture which gives a Swiss house 60 windows in the front. The gable end is the front and when the roof has made its majestic sweep to either side and sits brooding over 60 windows, there is a decidedly startling effect. The Swiss like effects, such as a brown or yellow field of grain stretched upon a green mountain side where it looks like a huge, tawny lion's skin. But you have been waiting for me to reach Berne. We reached that city just as the Alpine glow was beautifying all the glorious mountain scenery. Berne, city of many fountains; built on a sandstone peninsula formed by the Aar; its streets flanked by arcades or covered ways for foot passengers; city where is the grotesque old clock with the crowing cock and procession of bears. The bear is the city's emblem and a bear's den is maintained at the city's expense. The old bridge across the Aar affords a fine view of old and new municipal buildings. But I can't make you see those queer old structures so I shall hurry you along to the old city of Freiburg, which we reached before noon the following day. We saw it first from a suspension bridge 200 feet above a large part of the city. Down far below, the tile roofs and street with moving streams of people appeared strange enough. At the end of the bridge was a part of the town on the bridge level. Altogether, the oddest town we have seen. An old lime tree there, has a pleasing legend attached that it was originally a twig borne to the city by a lad to herald the victory of Morat.

After leaving the ancient walls and passing near an old, round watch tower, we rode eagerly under the inspiring thought of soon seeing Lake Geneva. The approach is a superb mountain district where stupendous heights, abrupt precipices and beetling cliffs, gave and took our breath in alternating awe, admiration or horror. At one time we rode into a deep valley filled with a dread inspiring mist, soon we were faced by an almost perpendicular immensity of rock. I knew then that Dante did not imagine the depths of hell but he had seen them in mountain fastnesses. The mist rolled away and mats of wheat and vegetable fields lay upon the mountain side. Ahead was a bare, snow-clad mountain, and as we rounded a cliff, Lake Geneva lay before us far below. That first sight stopped the beating of my heart. The sudden burst of transcendent beauty is marvellous. The blue of the lake sheds a blue haze over the mountains of the opposite side. Green hills rolled away from our place of view down to the water's edge. Vevey and other small cities lay white and glistening at the lake side. The blue of Lake Leman is a River of Paradise blue. We coasted rapidly down into the very bosom of this loveliness. Zigzag went the road and now we turned our eyes to our right, now left upon the majestic charms of the lake. At last we were by its side and it was lovely as before, with the added grace of lake birds, swans, gulls and sea swallows. What names this lake conjures with its beauty. Rousseau, Voltaire, Byron, Dumas and Shelley have all woven a poetic woof and painted its deep blue enchantments there. So many jagged, snowy peaks rise about it. The fierce Dent an Midi, the sacharrine Sugar Loaf, the rocks of Meillerie and the Pleiades all win admiration. We rode along the lake shore and passed the hotels with their Elysium modeled gardens and we saw the dingy old Castle of Chillon on its isolated rock and tried to fancy Bonivard peering from his dungeon. Then up the Rhone valley where we passed the night at St. Maurice, a little, old town with a big, old abbey, oldest in Switzerland. Its old-time hospitality is no more; they would'nt let us stay all night. There is a fairy grotto near. The owner gets two francs for exhibiting the fairies and a cascade.

It was cold, bitterly cold, when we started next morning. Not even enthusiasm could warm us when we saw through a lateral valley the snowy-domed Mt. Blanc. The spray of a cascade which we passed only made us more chilly. The Rhone valley is low and marshy but with a gigantic range of mountains on both sides. A turn in the valley runs east and west, thereafter we were warm enough. The vegetation began to be rankly luxuriant. Apples, plums, apricots, peaches and all ripe and in easy reach as we ride by, is my remembrance and dream of that ride. Everyone carries a basket balanced upon the head and the women all knit industriously as they walk alo laden baskets.

The lower slopes of the gre lel mountain ranges have vineyards and vegetable plots, but high above all is bare rocks, snow and solitude. Again and again the valley seems blocked by a Cyclopean rock surmounted by a castle and wall. Sometimes there is a break in the continuous wall where a turbid stream rushes through a gorge to join the Rhone.

The outer tube on the rear wheel of my bicycle bursts regularly once a day, I now sit down resignedly to wind one more peice of leather or old tire about it. The chances of a puncture are small because there is a double layer of wrapping at nearly every point in the circumference. The old ship is getting unseaworthy but we shall not abandon her while patches will keep her up. We had just finished one of these reparations, when a crowd of young men with alpenstocks appeared, and we recognized them as the old crowd on the "Veendam." Truly, the world is not very large. We exchanged greetings and they asked in astonishment if we really were going up the pass among the glaciers with those bicycles. We answered by bidding them goodbye and wheeling on toward Brieg, where the great pass begins to ascend. Before reaching Brieg we made a purchase of a quart of lucious mountain strawberries for about two cents. More about them later; at present, remember that we put them carefully in my case. Upon our arrival at Brieg, we were surrounded and harrassed by a crowd of hotel drummers, who assured us that at that hour, 6 p.m., it was impossible and absurd to start over the Simplon. We, half in wrath because of their importunities, and half in a spirit of adventure, pushed the too eager mob aside, bought a loaf of bread and started up the pass, walking and pushing our wheels.

C. H. VANTYNE.

COIN'S FINANCIAL SCHOOL.

This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

Brace Up.

There is nothing better to impart life and vigor than Foley's Sarsaparilla. Trial size, 50c. Sold by Orr & Temple. oct

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Covers more mileage than any ticket in the market. The only book good on entire B. & O. system, west of Pittsburgh. It also includes the Big 4 system. Get it and have an ever ready ticket over all important lines.

Price $30.00 good one year. Apply to Ohio Central Agents, or address

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Toledo, Ohio.

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Don't Be Imposed Upon,

Always insist on getting Foley's Honey and Tar, and it is positively, absolutely and unqualifiedly the best cough medicine. Accept no substitute. Sold by Orr & Temple. oct

THE HARVEST FESTIVAL.

A Very Successful Entertainment Given by the Baptist Church.

It was slightly cold and somewhat rainy last Tuesday for an ideal harvest festival occasion, but the Baptists are not afraid of a little water or weather. The festival came off just the same and its success was ample reward for the time and labor spent. This society has an excellent reputation for entertaining a crowd, either in the way of substantials for the appetite, or in line of a program to amuse the higher senses. The festival was a grand combination. If you were hungry, the choicest viands tempted you to the tables. If you wished diversion, a party pantomime was being played before your eyes. If you were interested in agriculture, a complete exhibit of the products of the farmer's art was displayed for your admiration and study. If you happened to be of the gentler sex, a booth laden with fancy work and feather-few panders to your delicate taste. No one could get away with any money in their pocket.

The display of vegetables, brought out by the prizes offered by our business men, was certainly very fine and would have done credit to any county fair. They also demonstrated that, in spite of Democratic times and protracted drowth the farmers are still on top.

The Stimpson Scale Co. had a sample of that improved No. 2 computing scale among the fancy work and onions, which was a wonder of workmanship and inventive genius. We should stop a moment, as, filled with Baptist supper, we rush madly into the giddy panorama of pillow shams and sweet nose corn, to feel proud that in Tecumseh is manufactured the finest article of its kind in the world—the Stimpson Computing Scale.

Many housewives, of a more practical turn, examined the booth of D. C. Andrews & Co., where LaBesta was quartered and took a package home to try it on their own children.

The vegetables on exhibit were auctioned off for the society, the proceeds amounting to about $30.00.

The ladies booth was well patronized, netting in the neighborhood of $25.00.

D. C. Andrews & Co., presented the society with 100 packages of LaBesta. We have not learned whether this will be used on the church or sold for the treasury.

Over five hundred people participated in the festivities of the harvest and the society realized $120.00 from their entertainment. We await with impatience the return of another harvest.

The prizes as awarded are given below:

Best collection of cut flowers—Mrs. R. S. Moore.

Second best collection of cut flowers—Mrs. R. S. Moore.

Largest potatoes, 1-2 bushel—Samuel Haight.

Best 1-2 bushel of beans—A. P. Coddington.

Best 2-pound roll of butter—Jas. Colvin.

Best bushel of corn—Harry Lamkin.

Finest bunch celery—Wilson Bros.

Largest display of fruit, 1-2 dozen of each variety—Mrs. Sheldon.

Best 1-2 bushel of tomatoes—Mrs. James Kennedy.

Largest onions, 1-2 bushel—Fred Ives.

Best string of peppers—Wm. Smith.

Largest variety of vegetables—Mrs. Sheldon.

Best loaf white home-made bread—Mrs. M. E. Bice.

Best display of fancy work—Mrs. R. S. Moore.

Second best display of fancy work—Miss Adah Cullen.

Best bushel peaches—Geo. Walter.

Choicest display canned fruit—Mrs. J. H. Heck.

Heaviest bushel of wheat—F. M. Bryan.

Best 1-2 bushel apples—J. K. Waldron.

Best bushel oats—Henry Keyser.

Best 1-2 bushel turnips—Fred Ives.

Best 1-2 dozen cabbage head—Fred Sheldon.

Best 1-2 dozen Hubbard squash—Andrew Miller.

Heaviest dressed chicken—Clarence Andrews.

Heaviest 2 dozen eggs—Will Fisher.

Best 1-2 bushel of beets—Wm. Jordan.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB

The Club will hold the first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. F. D. Rector on Tuesday evening, Oct. 29th:

PROGRAM.

Music—Miss Ellen Fisher.
Dec.—Ralph Bowen.
Reading—Mrs. John Boyce.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Conundrums—Mrs. F. D. Rector.
Essay—Mrs. Coddington.
Music—Bertha Roberts.
Charade—Mr. and Mrs. Garlinghouse.
Question—What inventions and discoveries, (the printing press and alphabet excepted) have been of the greatest benefit to the human race. From what particular one has the farmer derived the most benefit? Opened by a paper by O. B. Finch followed by John Fisher and others.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

BICYCLE SONG.

Oh Bessie has bought her a bonnet of red,
And started afoot for the ball;
She never was minding a word that I said,
Or looking about for my call.
Quit mourning, quit mourning, good Mother, I say;
She maybe will linger to talk on the way:
I'll follow the truant as well as I may,
And catch her, whatever befall.

Oh Bessie has bought her a bonnet of blue,
And started to ride to the ball;
She's taken the speediest horse that she knew,
The swiftest that stood in the stall.
Quit mourning, good Mother, it might have been worse;
There's many a mount that is better than hers;
I'll follow her closely with saddle and purse,
And catch her, whatever befall.

Oh Bessie has bought her a coat and a cap,
And started to wheel to the ball;
With only a bit of a skirt for a lap,
And bloomers distressingly small!
Keep mourning, good Mother: your sobbings repeat;
For whether her going be tardy or fleet,
I never should know her, if her I should meet:
We're lucky to catch her at all!

—Will Carleton.

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Detroit paper contains the following: The imprisonment of a preacher for kissing another man's wife, in Calhoun county, shows the degeneracy of the age since the days when Hon. A. L. Millard, of Adrian, was a young man. Mr. Millard, is an astute lawyer and a strict Presbyterian. Judge Watts one day dismissed an action for slander in which no injury to complainant was alleged in the declaration, charging slander in that defendant had reported seeing complainent, a school teacher, clandestinely, kissing one of the big girls. Said the judge: "I see no violation of law in kissing a girl. Brother Millard, you are an older member of the bar than I. Is there any law making it a crime to kiss a girl?" With a recollection of his youthful days, the old Presbyterian coughed dryly and responded: "If there is, it must be very modern—ah." The laugh that followed jarred the dead flies down from the wall.

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In speaking of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, who celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday recently, the Hartford Courant says: "The general health of this famous woman is better than it was on her birthday last year; her appetite is excellent, and her strength such that she is to be seen daily during this beautiful June weather walking with her attendant on Forest street, where is situated her pleasant home. Mrs. Stowe's physical powers are remarkable, in view of her advanced years, and no doubt her fondness for outdoor life does much to keep her in such good condition. Congratulations and remembrances will come to her to-morrow, as usual, from all parts of the country and from foreign lands. It is forty-three years now since "Uncle Tom's Cabin," her world-renowned novel, made its appearance, but its popularity has continued unabated until the present day."

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I CAN LET IT ALONE.

"I can do something that you can't," said a boy to his companion; "I can chew tobacco."

"And I can do something that you can't, was the quick reply. "I can let tobacco alone."

Now this is the kind of a boy we love to see. The boy who has the backbone to refuse when asked to do a foolish or wicked thing is the one of whom we are proud. It is an easy matter to sail with the wind or float with the tide, and it is easy to form bad habits; so that none can boast over the power to do that. It is the one who can let them alone that is worthy of praise. And the best way to let tobacco alone is before the appetite for it has been formed. There is nothing inviting about it then.

Don't use it, boys. It is filthy, poisonous, disgusting stuff at its best. Be men enough to let it alone. Hold up your head and say that you are its master, and never intend to be its slave.

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GREAT TEXAS.

It should be remembered that Texas has nearly 275,000 square miles and 174,585,840 acres. It has more coal than Pennsylvania, more iron than Alabama, more granite than New Hampshire, more oak than West Virginia, more prairie than Kansas, more corn land than Illinois, more cotton land than Mississippi, more wheat land than the two Dakotas, more sugar land than Louisiana, and more rice land than South Carolina. It contains as many rivers as any other five states, and as much coast as any other three. As was appropriately said by Mayor Tone, of Denison, the iron mines of Michigan, the granite quarries of Maine, the wheat fields of the Dakotas, the corn fields of Illinois, the cotton fields of Mississippi, the prairies of Kansas, the oyster beds of Maryland, the orange groves of Florida and the vineyards of California are all duplicated in Texas.—St. Louis Republic.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., OCT. 11, 1895.

Frank Bice has moved into the Hulet house.

Mrs. Hattie Case, of Chicago, is visiting in town.

Chas. Avery was down from Jackson last Saturday.

Oral Hartman, of York, was on our streets Tuesday.

Lawyer Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday.

Geo. A. Kies started out on the road Monday morning.

Mrs. Eva Cooley was in Toledo last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Dr. Fowler joins her husband at Ann Arbor tomorrow.

John Jenkins was an Ann Arbor visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Schoen, of Bridgewater Station, is the guest of her father, Fred Tag.

Miss Laura Haggart, of Buchanan, attended her father's funeral here last Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Smith went to Chicago Wednesday to visit her brother, David Silvers.

Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle and son Percy went to Ann Arbor last Friday, returning Sunday.

Miss Foster, of Chelsea, visited her brother, of the firm of Sherwood & Foster, last week.

[illegible] meeting of the Tipton Hive, L. O. T. M., last Tuesday afternoon.

The young people of Clinton will participate in the pleasures of a social hop at the town hall tonight.

Considerable moving has been done in Clinton during the last week. Going into winter quarters, evidently.

Miss Louise VanDeMark departs for Chicago tomorrow where she will remain for a part of the winter at least.

S. W. Dewith and Will Burton were fishing at Evans' lake Monday. They just went up to catch what few were left there.

Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark has been to Saginaw this week as a representative from the Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., of Clinton.

Jim Hogan left his team, last Saturday, standing near the old foundry. But they didn't stand. They ran. In fact, they ran away.

Dr. Flave J. Knight, who has been home for a week recovering from indisposition, returned to his practice at Charlotte, Tuesday.

LaBesta, a new washing and cleaning powder manufactured at Tecumseh, has been advertised in this vicinity. Try it. It does the work.

D. C. Andrews & Co., of Tecumseh, sampled the town last week with "La Besta," a new washing powder, manufactured in Tecumseh.

E. R. Smith has bought the frame building occupied by M. F. McClure. It is reported that Lyle Gibson will move his stock into the store at no distant date.

Frank L. Woodward was home over Sunday. He will return and expects to move his family to Hudson next Tuesday where his business interests are now located.

Geo. Tiffany, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday in the interest of the Stimpson Computing Scale Co. Their new scale, No. 2, is a marvel of accuracy and beauty.

Lyle Gibson was taken Monday on a charge of selling intoxicating liquors without a license. Tuesday he appeared in Adrian, waived examination and was bound over to the circuit court.

Clark & Shimman enjoyed a large crowd at their fall opening last Saturday. We hardly suspect their sales were very heavy, as a woman rarely purchases a hat the first time she sees it. However, their harvest will surely come later, as their stock is very complete and tasty.

David Haggart died last Saturday, about noon, at the residence of his son David, west of Clinton. Mr. Haggart was an old resident of this section and was considered as one of the pioneers, few of whom are left in our midst. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. Ramsdell officiating.

The merchants on the south side have put in a complete new line of hitching posts of uniform pattern on their side of the street. The posts are of iron, connected by substantial iron piping, and are set in concrete cement. They will neither rot off, fall down, nor be chewed up by hungry equines. The gutter is also to be paved in front of the new stores and the posts will be extended around the corner.

The Freese-Whittlesey Co.'s opening, as advertised to take place last Saturday, took place. The company opened and their patrons and friends did the rest. Their two stores were filled, both on the ground floor and second story. Nearly 600 people partook of refreshments from their lunch room, which was open during the day. The members of the firm express themselves well pleased with the manner in which their efforts to show to the public a complete store in their lines were appreciated. The day's trade was also very large, showing that the visitors appreciated a good bargain as well as a pleasant sight and a toothsome lunch.

As we go to press, we expect that Chauncey Ogden and Art. T. Smith are well on their way back from Detroit, and from what we know now, it would be very difficult to tell which is ahead. They were to leave Clinton this morning [illegible] Detroit and back on their wheels, the winner to receive a substantial purse for his efforts. Ogden rides a Cleveland wheel while Smith propells a Victor. Both young men are good riders and their friends on either side are confident of their champion's winning, and the interest in this race is perhaps greater than in any event occurring here this season. Even some money is likely to change hands on the result of this match. So sanguine are the supporters of the boys. The distance, 52 miles and back, or 104 miles, will probably be covered in less than eight hours.

Druggists say that their sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla exceed those of all others. There is no substitute for Hood's. 1w

ONSTED ODDS.

Farmers husking out their corn crop.

Ben Law has returned from the north.

A number from around here took in the Hillsdale fair last week.

Frank and Daisy Aldrich are at present visiting in Eaton county.

A number from here took in the excursion to Chicago last week.

The W. C. T. U. held their last meeting Oct. 24, at the grange hall.

O. S. Burcham has been entertaining a nephew from Cheboygan lately.

The bridge on Main street has been taken up and replaced by large tile.

The foundation for J. F. Brooks' new house is completed and the frame will soon be up.

Mrs. Julia Reed entertained her Sabbath School class on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Cora Kane goes to Adrian every Friday and takes music lessons of Prof. Rhinehart of the College.

The township farmers' club met last Saturday at Mrs. Marlette's where a good program was carried out.

David Corwin has got a position at Lima, Ohio, as bridge builder on a railroad, and went there last week.

Mr. Joseph Wooden, of Battle Creek, has been visiting his father and sisters in this vicinity during last week.

The marriage of Miss Flora Ross of this place, to a gentleman of Chicago, occured on Thursday of last week, and we extend them our congratulations.

The Lenawee county Pomona Grange [illegible] Thursday of last week, and a very enjoyable time was had, and a large crowd was in attendance from all over the county.

J. O. Maxwell lost two $10 bills from his pocket the other day, but they were found by Fred Smith and returned. Fred is an honest blacksmith and free silverite, so did not need the money bad enough to keep what was not his.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

H. D. Nash is building a fine addition to his house.

Mrs. F. G. Alcock is reported improving finely this week.

L. H. Gates is confined to his bed at this writing. Dr. Turbett is in attendance.

Charles Harmor of Rochester N. Y. is visiting his aged father John Harmor of this place.

Pollock and Powell are running their sorghum mill day and night in order to keep up with their patrons demand.

Our farmers are beginning to fear the dreaded scourge of hog Cholera which is now but a few miles from our borders.

The Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Porter McMillen on Wednesday afternoon next. The election of officers will take place at this meeting. A full attendance is requested.

Worthy Your Confidence.

The success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in conquering scrofula in whatever way it may manifest itself is vouched for by thousands who were severely afflicted by this prevalent disease, but who now rejoice over a permanent cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Scrofula may appear as a humor, or it may attack the glands of the neck, or break out in dreadful running sores on the body or limbs. Attacking the mucous membrane, it may develop into catarrh, or lodging in the lungs lead to consumption. Come as it may, a faithful course of treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla will overcome it, for working upon the foundation of all diseases, impure blood, the system is clarified and vitalized, and vigor, strength and health restored to the body. 1w

Mrs. Sweet: Do you find it economical to do your own cooking? Mrs. Burnem: Oh, yes; my husband doesn't eat half as much as when he had a cook.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood, and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until it is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

Send 21c in 1-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated. 1w

Customer in dry goods store: Will this stuff wash? Clerk from Boston: No, madam. Customer: Well, I don't want it. Clerk: But it can be washed, madam.

Use It in Time.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes, ears and throat, and is in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh, causing an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucous discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow, such as bad breath, severe pain across the forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles. 1w

Binkers: Has Winkers succeeded in teaching his daughter to ride her new bicycle yet? Minkers: Yes; she is out riding now. Is Winkers with her? No, he's in a hospital.

For Pin Worms, Eczema, Hives, in fact, any of the various torturing, itchy diseases of the skin, Doan's Ointment is an instant and positive remedy. Get it from your dealer. 1w

A camel travels one hundred miles a day.

FREE MEDICAL BOOKS.

An Illustrated Book on Health, Diseases and Family Medicines.

A recently published book, packed full of valuable information for the masses, will be sent free for a time by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio. This book contains numerous physiological and anatomical illustrations, conveying accurate and useful instruction. The book covers the whole list of diseases to which the human family is liable, and gives the treatment for each one. It is written in plain and chaste language, expressly for family use. It contains no reading or illustrations of an objectional character. The author of the book is Dr. Hartman, whose long and extensive experience has enabled him to speak with authority on all medical subjects. This book should be in every family. Another book by the same author, entitled Woman's Handbook of Female Diseases, will be sent for a short time to ladies only. This book can not fail to be of priceless benefit to the afflicted women. It has led to the cure of thousands of suffering women. Those preferring Dr. Hartman's personal advice should write, giving age, symptoms, and duration of disease. Answer free. Everybody takes Peru-na for chronic malaria and all forms of nervous prostration and fall biliousness. It is the greatest of tonics and invigorators.

Unconscious he lay on his deathbed. At last, with a faint glimmering of intelligence, he beckoned his tearful wife to his side. Slowly came the solemn words: Can—can the wheel be mended?

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 2

A scientist says that the average term of human life has increased in the last fifty years from thirty-four to forty-two years.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to openly shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up, and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

For sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents per box. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Stop suffering! Try Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

There are 26 monarchies and 25 republics in the civilized world today: 16 republics are in South America.

It's a Grand Success.

The fact has been demonstrated by the thousands of testimonials the Mayers Drug Company, of Oakland Md., has received since it has sent its famous Mayers Magnetic Catarrh Cure out to the sufferers of catarrh. No medicine has received such an endorsement from the people in so short a time as it did. The makers sell the medicine on business principles, and a patient is not required to buy the medicine by the dozen to get a cure. The Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure sells for $1 per bottle, one bottle to last for a three months treatment. 3 bottles is the highest record ever required to complete a cure. General catarrh one bottle is guaranteed. No cure no pay.

This is an unequalled offer and if you are a sufferer from catarrh get a bottle from your druggist, if no benefit derived costs you nothing. A prominent R. R. conductor speaks:

CUMBERLAND, Md., April 29th, '94.
To the Mayers Drug Co.

Gentlemen: Yours to hand, in reply will say that I have the highest regard for your Catarrh Remedy, my trouble is in a chronic form and expect to use more than one bottle. I used one bottle which removed the trouble from the head in good shape and am on the second bottle for throat trouble, if I should succeed with the latter as I did in the former, I shall write you again in the near future. Hoping it will do for suffering humanity what it did for me, I remain Yours truly.

G. J. SCHMUTZ.

Sold by Orr & Temple. Oct.

The Navajo Indians stretch a lariat of horsehair about their tents at night. It is an effective barrier for keeping out snakes, tarantulas and centipedes.

Even catarrh, that dread breeder of consumption, succumbs to the healing influences of Thomas' Electric Oil. 1w

NEWS NOTES.

EDWARD ANDERSON, who was to have been hanged at Hastings, Minn., for murder, cheated the gallows by strangling himself.

GEN. WILLIAM MAHONE died in Washington from a stroke of paralysis received several days ago, aged 69 years.

D. P. ROCHE, a printer, killed his wife and then took his own life at Scranton, Pa., the unfaithfulness of his wife being the cause.

UNITED STATES treasury officials arrested thirty Chinese women at the exposition grounds at Atlanta, Ga. It was charged that they were imported for immoral purposes.

THREE were lost from the port of Gloucester, Mass., during the last fishing year thirteen vessels and ninety-two men.

MARY KUNZE, near Logansport, Ind., was pronounced dead by her attending physician after a long sickness. Eighteen hours later, and just before the time of the funeral, she arose in her coffin and asked for a drink of water. It was thought she would recover.

By the burning of a four-story tenement house at Cincinnati three persons were burned to death.

THE Temple cup, being contested for by the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs of the National league, was won by the former by a score of four games out of five.

A PRAIRIE fire in Brown county, N. D., burned over 40 miles in length and destroyed much property. One person was burned to death and several severely scorched.

THE liberty bell arrived in Atlanta and was installed in the Pennsylvania building with elaborate ceremonies.

REPORTS from Michigan were to the effect that a general snowfall occurred throughout the state.

TWO MINERS were fatally injured by the explosion of powder in a mine at Leadville, Col.

A REWARD of $2,500 has been offered for the arrest of the men who held up and robbed the trolley car on the outskirts of Chicago.

SIX men were seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler at Hibernia, N. J., and it was feared some of them would die.

AT Willows, Cal., W. A. Gehorn, editor of the Journal, shot and killed J. E. Putman, druggist. They disagreed about an account amounting to a few dollars.

AT the municipal election in Indianapolis, Ind., the democrats were victorious by a majority ranging from between 4,000 and 5,000.

What the People Say.

I couldn't keep store without Foley's Honey and Tar.—E. D. Whipple, Lostant, Ill.

Ship at once—can't sell any other cough medicine.—H. W. Ellis, Montrose, Wis.

Foley's Honey and Tar saves me doctor bills every winter.—L. A. Towner, Manteno, Ill. For sale by Orr & Temple. oct

"You should live near heaven," said the preacher to the editor. "I know it," replied the editor, "but these mountain lots come so high."

To remove the constipated habit, the only safe treatment is a course of Ayer's Pills, followed by a laxative diet. Most other cathartics do more harm than good, therefore leading physicians recommend Ayer's Pills, especially as a family physic. 1w

The coming woman, it seems, is coming on a bicycle; at least that is the way she is always pictured.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

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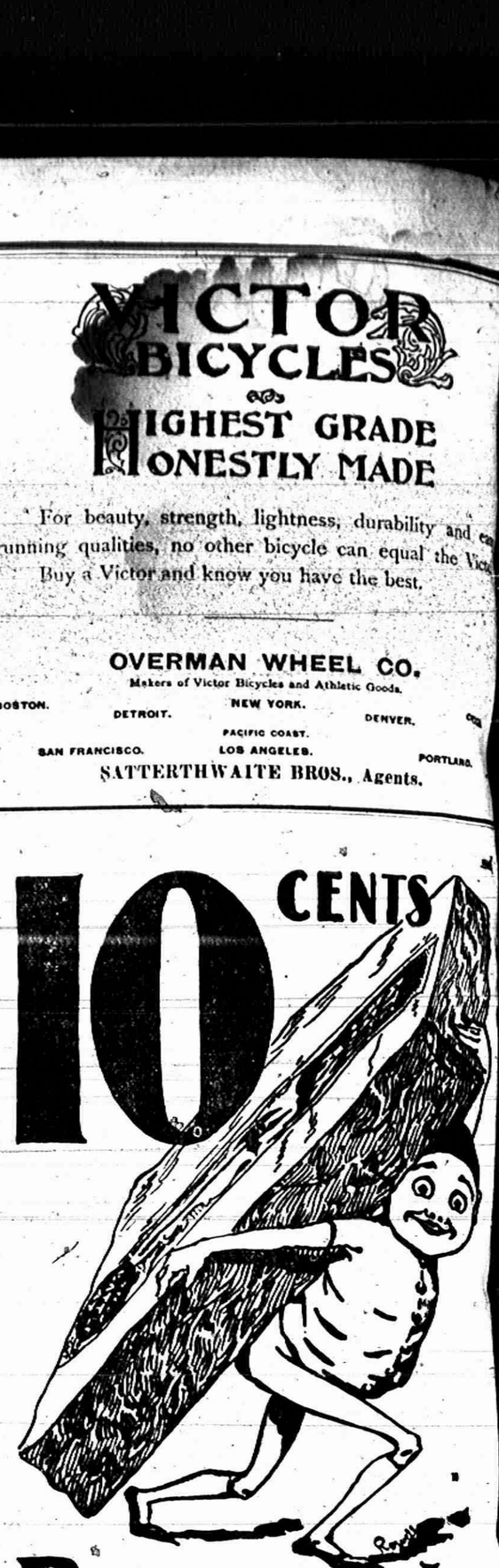

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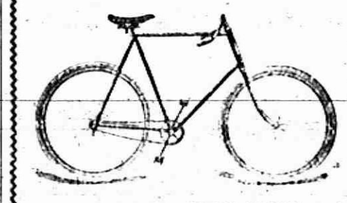

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... Osgood took a business trip to ... Monday.

...ert, did you get dat board? Say ...am dat board?

... Maud Lee is visiting relatives ...ell this week.

...ur complete stock of underwear ...you buy. LEE BROS.

...and Mrs. L. L. Wood visited rela... ...nd friends at Sand Creek last

...ander Eaglick, who has been ...ly ill for some time, is reported ...etter.

...er Gripton is home for a vacation: ...rned from his work in New ...aturday.

... DuBois has built a new fence ...edge of the drive up to the ele... A wise precaution.

... Pierce, route agent for the ...an Express company, was in ...onday on business.

... regular review of Hendershot ...o. 467, K. O. T. M., will be held ...y evening, Oct. 15th.

...nd Mrs. John Britton attended ...lsdale fair last week. They re... Monday, accompanied by Bertha.

... Barlow, of Ridgeway, who has ...isiting his daughter, Mrs. Bush, ...klyn, N. Y., returned home Sat...

...ry Gamber and family left this ...for Delray where Mr. Gamber has ...ition of section foreman on the ...a.

...rence Lowe returned to Hamilton, ... Wednesday, to catch a couple of ...s there. He returns tomorrow for ...season.

...s. Sink has decided to keep her ...nery stock at her house for the ...g season and would be glad to see ...iends and patrons there.

...old, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and ...Morris Harrington, died last Satur... ...ght of brain fever. The funeral ...onducted Tuesday at the house.

...e Bros. have been engaged for some ...s in rearranging their stock, clean... ...up and putting in new goods. They ...ow prepared to show goods in good

... Ladies Aid of the Christian Union ... will hold their regular meeting ...church parlors on next Wednes... ...ternoon, supper served from four ...ix o'clock. All are invited.

...g to continued ill health, Thos. ...nd has been compelled to give ...ming and has moved in town with ... Mont. Geo. Hawks has rented ...m and moved there Monday.

... rumored that William Swick is to ...into Geo. Hawk's house in Brit... He has sold an interest in his ele... ...at Dundee and likewise bought a ...in the D. D. Vannocker elevator ... He will buy grain for the con... ...here.

...new wheelbarrow factory is a much ...ed of concern to be erected on the ...of the new settlement on the North ... A good thing, push it along. The ...ltants will need lots of wheelbar... ...to carry over their mail and gro... ...from Britton.

... parties indebted to me, whose ...re of more than 30 days standing, ...lease favor me with at least a por... ...their account at an early date. ...have some money.

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...53 on the Wabash had quite an ...nce with a hot box last Saturday ... The journal burned out on one ...leepers, and so serious was the ... that the car was cut out and ...engers rudely transferred from ...mbers to other cars. The car ...rward fixed up and taken away.

...TION OF THE REFORMED CHURCH.

...day and Wednesday were two red ...days in the history of the religi... ...of Britton and vicinity. As an... ... the classis of Michigan of the ...d Church in America convened ...w edifice here at 7:30 p. m. on ... the 8th inst. Preceeding this ... however, were held the two ...e and beautiful religious rites ...n and communion. At the ...g, three youths received the ...tes which made them members ...urch and society. The three ...d were Harold Dyre Hardy, ...derwood and Rena Underwood. ...elebrating the communion, the ...as formally organized, as stated ...nd then adjourned till Wednes... ...rning. The classis was called ...day morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. ...lder being absent, the Rev. Gu... ...presided in the chair. Rev. S. ..., of Fairview, Ill., was the stated ... of the judicatory, while Rev. W. ...Williamson, of Grand Rapids, acted ...mporary clerk. The members of ...classis present at this session were ...llows: Revs. H. G. Birchby, Hol... W. H. Williamson, Grand Rapids; ...ng, Fairview, Ill.; S. Rederus ...ulick. Lay members—W. Har..., Peter Schrier, John Groote... Wm. Hutchins, Jno Boyd, Geo. ... M. D., P. B. Hardy, M. D., S. ...art, Chas. Foote and Wm. Os... This classis represents all the ...speaking churches in Michigan ...g the faith of the Reformed ... America, and is the judicial ...that denomination. The prin...siness of the morning ses...listed in passing the measures ... the association and building ...re officially set off from the ...pelder church, and made a sep...nd distinct church of itself, ... to all the powers and privileges ...uch a body enjoys under the ...stical laws which govern this ...nation. The DeSpelder church ...kewise constituted a mission ... and as such, subject to tempor...pply. However, there is little ...but that Rev. DeSpelder, the ... of that organization, will re...ith his people for years to come ...e afternoon the dedication took ...nd the exercises were witnessed ...rge audience deeply in sympathy ...e meaning of the ceremony. The ...d ceremonies of this proceedure ...ad by Rev. Gulick, in the im... liturgy of the Reformed Church ...erica, which is used on such oc... Following this was the dis... of the meeting delivered by Rev. ...nson. The gentleman chose as a fitting subject, "The Delights of God's House," and his hearers soon appreciated that the House of God was a place filled with the highest pleasures as well as the sanctuary of serious worship.

The classis as a body congratulated the Rev. Rederus on the success of his labors in this field and highly complimented the energy and presistance wich has brought about such substantial results. It is well to state here that the expense of this edifice of worship exceeds $2000 and the committee in charge were able to report all paid except $250, $75 of which was raised Wednesday. This is a remarkable showing, considering the times.

The public may also well congratulate Brother Rederus and his fellow laborers, and even themselves, on the outcome of this undertaking, for surely no enterprise ever undertaken in Britton speaks so much for the moral and intellectual advancement of the community as this. None was ever carried out more earnestly and successfully.

Regular services will be held here in the future at 10:30 in the morning.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Corn husking is the order of the day with farmers.

Henry Conklin and wife, of Tecumseh, visited Ella Hall, Saturday.

Leila Sutton spent Saturday at Devils Lake, with a party of friends from Toledo.

Mrs. Romine Miller, of Big Rapids, visited her sister, Mrs. R. S. Housman, last week.

Mrs. B. J. Coller and children, of Detroit, visited her mother, Mrs. L. V. Miller, Friday.

Mrs. A. Lake, after a month's visit with relatives at Cincinnati, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Dayson, of Toledo, was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Sutton from Wednesday until Saturday.

There was no school in the advanced room Friday, as Prof. Howell was in Detroit on business.

Miss Lillian Dorsham returned Saturday after a three week's visit with her parents at Palmyra.

Henry Toby and family, of Toledo, visited his uncle, M. M. Florence and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. Reedle, returned from Plainwell last Monday, where she has been for several weeks with her parents.

John Patterson, Sherley Smith and Smith Pocklington attended the Hillsdale County Fair, held at Hillsdale last week.

Smith and Schmidt have been having some lettering done on the front of their store, that attracts the attention of the passerby.

Mrs. Stella James, of Detroit, who has been spending several weeks with Mrs. Lafayette Pocklington, retured to her home Friday.

Frank Hass moved with his family to Addison, the first of the week, he having secured team work on the C. J. & M. extension to Jackson that is being built.

Samuel Barlow, who has been spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. J. T. Bush, at their summer house on the Hudson, in N. Y., returned home Saturday.

G. C. Arner went to Marshall, Saturday to attend the funeral of breakman Fred Lot, who was killed at Manhattan Junction, Wednesday morning, by the cars he was breaking on, one of the night through freight, on the C. J. & M.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold an evening meeting at the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Pocklington, on Friday evening of the present week. As it is to be an evening devoted to social amusement it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

An effort is being put forth to have a singing school, and those having the matter under consideration wish all who would like to join the class, or are interested in a class, to meet with the choir on Saturday evening of this week for a final consideration.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Chas. Fowler is reported sick.

Miss Nina Anthony is on the sick list.

Mrs. Chas. Anthony is on the sick list.

Communion is observed Sunday at the church.

Mr. G. H. Winship, of Adrian, Sundayed at home.

Miss Jennie Underwood was a caller in town Wednesday evening.

Mrs. H. Osgood, of Tecumseh, was calling is town Friday afternoon.

We are favored with beautiful weather for October, it being much warmer.

Mrs. Ester Carpenter entertained the Lady Maccabees Saturday afternoon.

Tom Hartman's sister and brother, of Wauseon, O., are visiting him for a few days.

Mrs. Rhoda Dance, of Detroit, is visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Benedict.

The Synod of all the Presbyterian church of the State convenes at Adrian this week.

George Kishpaugh and daughter, Florence, were callers in town Thursday afternoon.

Miss Allie Luther and brother, of Adrian, are visiting their couzin, Hattie Still, over Sunday.

The ladies' social will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. L. C Winship, and Mrs. Gen. Kishpaugh at the latter home.

A burning freight car was seen going through Holloway. It was discovered and backed on a side track where it completely burned up. It was laden with charcoal.

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MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Abel is very sick.

Miss Jane Langan spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Their Macon friends will be interested to learn that C. E. Triplet and family have gone to Bangor, Me., from Buffalo.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Belle Hendershot, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 16. All are invited.

We were well represented at the G. A. R. and W. R. C. meeting at Tecumseh Monday night. Charles and Will and Mabel and Bertha Allen, Mrs. Gusta Pennington, Miss Mary Richart and Clara Camburn all assisted in their program.

On Sunday, Oct. 6, occurred the sad death of little Harold Harrington, son of Maurice and Florence Harrington. Friday morning he was seized with convulsions which continued until about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Their many friends extend their warmest sympathy in their great bereavement.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. for October was held last Friday afternoon at Mrs. Ellen Richart's. Delegates were appointed for the county convention, to be held at Morenci in November. At the close of the meeting tea was served to the members and friends, numbering about thirty. A pleasant and profitable afternoon was spent by all. The union will hold their next meeting Nov. 1st at Mrs. Libbie Hendershot's.

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Cutten: I met a man this morning who came from your old town in Wisconsin. Said he knew you well. Gives you an excellent reputation, too. Dryde: Spoke well of me, did he? Cutten: Well, no; but he said he didn't know anything mean about you.

Going into a decline. How often do we hear this expression. What does it mean? It means that people are losing flesh, growing thin, wasting. The way to correct this condition is to improve the digestion. The condition arises from an inability to eat and digest food. In fact food does more harm than good because it ferments and putrefies in the stomach, developing poisonous substances which when absorbed cause various disorders. What is required is that the stomach be made to perform its duties. The Shaker digestive Cordial is a food already digested and a digester of foods as well. It will make the stomach healthy. Get a book from the druggist and read about it.

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Stern parent: You say you love her and that she loves you, and that you can never be happy apart; but there are others besides yourself; have you considered her father and mother? Young Spoyner: I have; but I love her so much that I don't mind the kind of parents she has. Besides, it's no fault of hers, you know.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 14, 1895.

REUNION OF BATTERY G.

Yesterday was a military day as well as a church day in Tecumseh. But, luckily for our citizens, the boys of blue had long since buried the hatchet and came in peace. The occasion was the reunion of Battery G., Michigan light artillery, and the comrades of that battery were the guests of our townsman, Geo. S. VanTyne. George is the only member of the battery who lives in Tecumseh. The visitors had all arrived yesterday by noon, and were taken to the home of their comrade for dinner. In the afternoon was held their business meeting at the Armory. After the usual routine of the meeting was over, Henry C. Conklin was chosen an honorary member of the battery, as a mark of respect to the memory of his brother, Lieut. Alanson Conklin, who died at Young's Point, La., at the age of 37, while in active service. H. J. Sweet was also made an honorary member as he served in a Pensylvania battery during the war. It might be said that Hudson Conklin is already enrolled as an honorary member. After the meeting the members proceeded to our cemetry and decorated the grave of their departed officer and comrade, Lieut. Conklin. The members of this battery are widely scattered and their fallen brothers lie in many fields, and it is a beautiful custom of theirs to always meet, if possible, where they may honor their dead as well as greet their living comrades. The next meeting of the battery will be held at Quincy, Mich., the second Thursday in October of next year. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., Julius Goodrich; Vice Pres., Wm. Thurbur; 2nd Vice Pres., Somers Leeland; 3rd Vice Pres., Monroe Barney; Sec., E. Lewis; Treas., Wm. Hurst.

In the evening the battery turned their guns on the banquet, which their host had prepared at the Armory for their entertainment, and they captured the whole outfit. The Armory was tastily decorated with the colors so familiar to the soldier's vision, and there were many things on the table beside hard tack and black coffee. A G. A. R. likes to eat pretty well, but they never forget the "flow of soul," and after the banquet a genuine camp fire was indulged in which all admitted was the most enjoyable feature of the occasion. The evening was shared by many of the members of the G. A. R. post and of the W. R. C. An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Geo. VanTyne, and remarks were made in the spirit of the occasion by J. W. Wightman, J. D. Shull, Rev. Hudson, Capt. Lewis, of Coldwater, Lieut. Garvin, of Cleveland, Henry Conklin, Wm. DeMott, A. W. Slayton, H. J. Sweet, H. W. Stevens and others.

The members present were: T. F. Garvin, S. M. Closson, J. Goodrich, E. E. Lewis, Sidney Palmer, W. H. Palmer H. G. Irving, C. H. Baker, Geo. VanTyne and Julius Goodrich. The number of this company who can now come together at roll call is comparatively small, but the interest and feeling of good comradeship which was engendered in the days of '61 will never grow less among the boys of Battery G. All voted this one of the most pleasant reunions ever held, and comrade VanTyne a most royal entertainer.

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Wm. Lewis,	A. Shaler,
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Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

St. Peter's Church Anniversary.

Yesterday, Oct. 10th, will be long remembered by the members and friends of St. Peter's Episcopal church and parish. The anniversary services of the laying the corner stone of the church which occurred Oct. 10, 1833, (61 years ago) were of an interesting character, and were largely attended. At 10:30 a. m. the Holy Eucharist was celebrated by the Rector, assisted by Rev. C. H. Channer of Christ's church, Adrian, the Rev. J. McCarroll of Grace church, Detroit, being unable to be present as expected. Mr. Channer was the preacher and gave a strong sermon from these words, "Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken—Zion—City of Our God."

The reception to the members of the congregation and those of our citizens who were living here at the time of laying the corner stone, was held at the spacious residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lee on E. Chicago street from 4 to 6. It was an unqualified success in every particular. It is doubtful if ever there has been so many old people together here who have passed the three score years and ten as were present at the reception. It was fully seven o'clock before all had partaken of the elegant refreshments served by the ladies of St. Peter's church.

Soon after seven the evening service began, and after evening prayer had been said Rev. W. R. Blachford presented a concise but complete and beautiful history of St. Peter's church and the work done by her godly and faithful Priests and her self-sacrificing wardens and laymen, after which the Rev. McCarroll, who reached here at 6 o'clock, delivered to the large congregation, a powerful sermon, in an eloquent and impressive manner, from these words taken from the parables, "How much owest thou?"

After the benediction was pronounced a short time was spent in friendly greetings, and then came the farewells. Among those from away who were present are Mrs. N. G. King, Mrs. A. J. Williamson and W. S. Culver and wife, Brooklyn; Mrs. Alonzo Clark, Mrs. Laura Tuttle, Mrs. Ella Rose and daughter Blanche, of Clinton; Rev. C. H. Channer, wife and two sons of Adrian; Mrs. Jos Pritchard, widow of a former Rector, of Ludington; Gen. James E. Pittman and David Galatian, of Detroit, the latter of whom was present and assisted in laying the corner stone 62 years ago. The exercises were attended with deep interest throughout and will long be cherished in remembrance by those who participated. The historical sketch by Rev. Blachford will be given to our readers next week.

Cheap Excursion to Cincinnati.

On Thursday, Oct. 17, the C., J. & M. R'y will offer special low rate excursion tickets to Cincinnati and return, tickets good going on date of sale, Oct. 17, and returning on regular trains up to and including Oct. 21, 1895. For full information as to time of trains and rate of fare for the round trip see large handbills or address the general passenger agent.

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AN INDULGENT HUSBAND.

Wife—Tom could you let me have—
Husband—No, I couldn't; I'm busted.

Wife—Oh, I simply wanted change for this fifty-dollar bill which papa gave me to-day.
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Scene, a conservatory. Enter Miss Dorothy Stainton and George Railton.

Dorothy—Ah! this is better; anything rather than that frightful crush. Now we can have a nice friendly chat.

George—About the approaching event?

Dorothy—Why did you speak of that?

George—I don't know. Scarcely because it is the pleasantest topic I can think of.

Dorothy—We've still to be friends, George; you promised that.

George—Yes, I suppose we will keep up some form of acquaintanceship.

Dorothy—Friends, you promised, not acquaintances.

George—Synonymous terms in this world of ours. One thing, however, I will undertake to say. Our friendship, be it what it may, will be quite sincere enough to please Lord Eastonville.

A pause.

Dorothy—How changeable the weather is!

George—The inevitable alternative to a subject of dissension.

Dorothy—What do you mean? I never could fathom your epigrammatical phrases.

George—The weather versus your marriage.

Dorothy—George, you are simply horrid tonight.

George—Strange, is it not, with everything conducing to my happiness?

Dorothy—I wish you wouldn't talk in that way. You make me miserable.

George—What a curious power of reciprocity some natures possess!

Dorothy—You never used to talk like this.

George—No; one does change. But, you see, it is a failing common to humanity. Some natures change, some hearts.

Dorothy—George!

George—I was only generalizing. (She rises to leave. He catches her hand.) Don't go, Dor! I suppose I may call you by the old name until after the ceremony? I admit I am changed.

Dorothy—And not for the better, I fear. (Shaking her head.) Why cannot you be natural—your old self?

George—My old self? Ah! that being is dead.

Dorothy—Asleep, not dead. If it died, you would lose all that makes life worth living.

George—I have lost all, except one thing—a woman's heart.

Dorothy—What do you mean?

George—Once upon a time there lived a beauteous maiden who loved and was loved by a poor man. They plighted their troth, and he traveled into a far country determined to amass wealth wherewith to gain her parents' consent to their marriage. When he had departed a lordling rode that way, not a handsome knight, but one who bore an ancient name and of gold had much store. He sued for and won this fair maiden's hand, but my story does not end as fairy tales should. They did not live happily ever afterward, for you see, though the lordling won her hand, the poor man still held her heart.

Dorothy—You have no right to say that.

George—I suppose not. (Rising.) Come, there is the music; one more waltz; let us dance out of each other's existence!

Dorothy—George, have some pity! If you only knew how I fought against it, but mother is on his side, and that means more than I can say.

George—You have told him about—about me?

Dorothy—Yes; he can, at least, never say that I deceived him. Oh, how I hate it all!

George—Yet this is only your probation. In 48 hours you will be joined to this man for better or worse, until death—

Dorothy—Don't torture me. What can I do?

George—Throw him over.

Dorothy—I have given my word.

George—Change your mind; it's a woman's prerogative.

Dorothy—I haven't strength. You don't know my mother. Position is everything in her eyes, and I dare not defy her.

George—Elope with me.

Dorothy—Oh, no, no; I could not do that.

George—Why not? I am not poor now. We will be married by special license, then cross over to France. It will be a nine days' wonder, but that will die down, and we can live quietly abroad.

Dorothy—I must not listen to you.

George—Stay, remember you hold the happiness of three lives in your hand—yours, his and mine. All three will be wrecked if this marriage is allowed to proceed.

Dorothy—If I were a man, I might do it, but I am only a weak woman. Oh, don't tempt me.

George—Meet me tomorrow at 2 o'clock just within the Green Park gates at Hyde park corner.

Dorothy—It is useless. I dare not.

George—In 48 hours it will be too late. Then it will be "cannot" instead of "dare not."

Dorothy—Yes, but—

George—There is no time to argue—some one is coming. Promise you will be there.

Dorothy—No, I must not promise. I will not go.

George—You will change your mind.

Dorothy—No, no.

George—You will (looking at his watch). Twenty minutes past 11. I shall wait here until 12 o'clock for your answer.

(Enter Lord Eastonville.)

Lord Eastonville—Oh, you are here, Dorothy. I've been looking all over for you. How do, Railton? Beastly crowd, isn't it? I've just been dancing a waltz. Makes a fellow beastly hot, doesn't it?

George (abstractedly)—Eh? I beg your pardon. Oh, yes, beastly.

Lord Eastonville—Come along, Dollie, I'll take you down to supper. That's done well. Beastly good job they do something well. Ta, ta, Railton.

(Exeunt Lord Eastonville and Miss Stainton. Half an hour later enter Lord Eastonville.)

Lord Eastonville—Hello, Railton, still here? Miss Stainton has lost a glove. Says she thinks she dropped it here. And, oh! by the way, she sent a message to you. And a silly enough message it is. She said I had to tell you that she had decided to exercise a woman's prerogative.—Exchange.

Somber Thoughts.

Somber thoughts and fancies often require little real soil or substance to flourish in. They are the dark pine trees which take root in and frown over the rifts of the scathed and petrified heart and are chiefly nourished by the rain of unavailing tears and the vapor of fancy.—J. F. Boyes.

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AN OCTOBER OFFER.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Bring along that wood.

Mrs. Charles Beal and Mrs. Jehiel Davidson were at Britton and Ridgeway Friday, calling on friends.

The office force is indebted to Arnold's bakery for a sample of hot fried cakes. As a result of being well fed, we go to press earlier than for several weeks.

C. D. Keyes drove to Britton at five o'clock last evening to meet Rev. Dr. McCarroll, who came in on the Wabash, and then took him back there to catch the late train home.

Work commenced Wednesday at Addison on grading the extension of the C. J. & M. railway from Addison to Jackson. By next week 200 men and 60 teams will be at work.

David Galatian, of Detroit, who was here yesterday to attend the St. Peter's Church Anniversary, is remaining here a day or two to review old scenes, and will return home tomorrow.

OBITUARY.

MISS HATTIE WOODWARD.

Was born in Vienna, Oneida Co., N. Y., June 6th, 1839, died in Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 27th, 1895. She came to Tecumseh with her parents in 1858, and soon after was converted and joined the M. E. church and remained for 30 years a faithful member of the church of her choice. Although for many years afflicted with deafness, she was a constant attendant on the public services of the church. Her example in this respect was a glorious testimony to the preciousness of the public worship of God, for she came not to hear, but to worship. After the sad accident which proved to be fatal, she did not recover her consciousness; she could not therefore leave any last words, but she did leave to all who knew her, the better testimony of a beautiful christian life, retaining to the last a cheerful submission to the divine will. She passed unconciously from this world to the wider, larger life beyond. One sister, Mrs. Louisa Totten, and three brothers, V. Y., A. J. and T. J. Woodard survive to mourn the breaking again of their family circle, caused by her sad death. The memory of the beloved ones gone on before, who died in the christian's faith, will be a constant call to those surviving to meet them in Heaven.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 11, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

We want some wood.

Chas. Heck was a Milan visitor Wednesday.

Miss Alice Sisson is in Detroit at present.

E. F. Kirchgessner was in Clinton Wednesday.

Dr. O. Q. Jones was an Adrian visitor last Monday.

The board of supervisors will be in session Monday.

Miss Julia Hough was in Toledo yesterday on business.

Lucius Lilley was a Detroit visitor the first of the week.

Miss Anna Bauer is visiting friends in Manchester this week.

Mrs. T. L. Rogers, of Jackson, is the guest of Mrs. E. L. Teeple.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster, of Clinton, were in town yesterday.

Miss Metta Owen visited friends at Macon and Britton last week.

Paul and Ora Bowen are visiting relatives in North Adams this week.

J. S. Strong and wife and Dr. Snyder and wife were in Detroit Wednesday.

Miss Ida Jones, who has many friends in Tecumseh, is again with Mrs. Mosher.

Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Cleveland moved their household goods to Detroit yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Prichard, of Ludington, formerly of Tecumseh, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Collar are visiting their son, L. C. Collar, at Coldwater this week.

Circuit Court opens in Adrian today. Mrs. Bidwell is on the list of petit jurors.

Miss Nellie Sayer, of Petersburg, has resumed her position in Mrs. Freeman's millinery.

The commissioners in the Osgood case met Wednesday and adjourned one week.

Only 150 season tickets to the Star course remain unsold. Be the first to own one of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Ambler, of Brooklyn, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Dickinson and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Belding visited in Arbor over Sunday.

Dr. J. F. Hicks represented this city at the Grand Chapter O. E. S. at Saginaw this week.

Mr. Elliott Gray started for Vanderbilt, Mich., where he will stalk the deer and catch big fish.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. got a new carl this week. Read it all through and then act accordingly.

Knights have been in town this week for the purpose of organizing a Knights of Pythias Lodge in Tecumseh.

Harry Smith has further improved the convenience of his paper mill by putting in a 95-light electric dynamo.

The annual inspection of the Ladies' Drum Corps will be held tonight, Oct. 11th. All are requested to be present.

Prince Conklin is now express messenger on a run between Fort Wayne and Lafayette, Ind. It is a good position.

The Brooklyn Exponent states that Frank Fistler has been retained by the parishioners there for another year.

Mrs. Casper Arnold, Mrs. Geo. Nusbaum, Miss Anna Arnold, of Adrian, and Mrs. Wm. Arnold's family Wednesday.

Misses Ione and Edith Corey left Monday afternoon for Providence, R. I. They will attend the Friends' school there this year.

Prof. Bartholomew is making repairs in his bicycle shop and putting in some new machinery. His business is constantly increasing.

Rev. Swift, of Adrian College, delivered two very able sermons to the congregation of the Methodist church last Sunday morning and evening.

The Primrose and her committees will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, Oct. 16, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Buy your season course tickets at once.

Fred Shepherd is somewhat improved.

H. W. McClure has the swim with a new card this week.

Single tickets for the Redpath Concert will be one dollar.

B. L. Baxter got home from his western trip last week.

B. L. Teeple has a new flash light camera which does the work up brown.

Hear H. E. Fink in his "Destructive Elements of Fashion," next Thursday night.

Several Adrian people attended the St. Peter's church anniversary held here yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Odion returned home last Saturday from a visit with her people at Reading.

Mrs. Calvin Bovee, of Hudson, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Owen, over Sunday.

There will be no services at the Universalist church next Sunday, the pastor being out of town.

Rev. E. C. Andrus will be in Jackson Sunday to assist in the ordination services of Rev. Mr. Taylor.

The reserved seat sale for the Redpath Concert will open next Thursday morning at Kirchgessner's.

Gen. James E. Pittman and David Gallatian of Detroit, attended the anniversary of St. Peter's church yesterday.

Rev. E. C. Andrus, Miss Loana Stacy and S. C. Stacy went to Grand Rapids Monday to attend the Universalist State Convention.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher returned home yesterday from a visit with Prof. I. D. Loree at Lawrence. She stopped a day or two at Battle Creek on the return.

C. E. Williamson is attending the sessions of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. at Lansing this week. Our townsman is chairman of the finance committee.

The spare table in the HERALD office is now ornamented with a big beet which weighs only eighteen pounds. It was raised on Sam Boyce's place in Clinton.

Mr. Willis Hall, who has been visiting friends in town, favored the HERALD with a call last Saturday. He is now foreman of the Lake Shore round house at Chicago.

LaVerne Wheeler has sent us more copies of the San Antonio Daily News. We mistrust that the Tabitha Trott articles are from his pen. They furnish good reading too.

The Synod of Michigan is holding its 61st annual session in Adrian this week. Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, is in attendance. It is a very large and important gathering.

Alva Spayde, Henry Sweet, Henry Wagner and J. W. Mendell drove to Delta, O., Sunday, to visit Geo. VanTyne who is running a clothing store there. George returned with them.

Mrs. Kellogg and Mrs. Selfridge, who have been visiting in Jackson and Chicago for the past month, returned Wednesday. They will spend the winter here with their brother, B. L. Baxter.

H. E. Fink will give one of his popular lectures at the opera house, on Thursday evening of next week, Oct. 17. Mr. Fink will at this time treat another feature of the great social problem, his subject being the "Destructive Elements of Fashion." Admission 25 cents.

While Wm. Kyle was raising the new sheet-iron smoke stack at the electric light works yesterday, a guy chain broke as the cylinder was almost erected. As the stack is 50 ft. long by 32 in. in diameter, it came down with considerable force, parting the rivets at several joints.

Mr. Wm. Bass, a brother of Mrs. C. C. Tefft, died last week at his home in Lawrence, Van Buren county. Dr. Tefft attended the funeral which was held last Sunday. The deceased read law in Stacy & Wood's office away back in the fifties and many of our older residents will remember him.

Frank Bryan and Gurdon Garlinghouse returned Tuesday from a ten day's trip around the lakes on the steamer Marquette, as the guest of Capt. Chilson. They started from Toledo, went thro' the Straits to Escanaba and Cheboygan, thence to Detroit. They saw some rough weather Monday, but live to tell of it.

The Fayette Normal University gives you your choice of two excellent systems of shorthand; the Ben Pitman or the New Rapid. One, the best of the old systems and the other, the best of the new. We do not turn out second-rate stenographers, for the business world has no need for them. Merit a good position and you will get it.

Miss Mabel Hayden departed for Austin, Texas, Wednesday, taking the early Wabash train at Adrian. Miss Hayden has a large private class on the violin and voice culture at the capital of the Lone Star State, and has already won a high position in the musical circles of that city. Miss Emma Bailey accompanies her as pupil.

HESPERIA, Oceana Co. Mich. Oct. 4, '95.
D. C. Andrews & Co:—A friend of mine brought home from the State Fair a sample package of LaBesta, or washing powder, which I have tried and found it the best thing that I have used for washing clothes, so have concluded to write to you for your terms to agents, or the price of the goods.
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MRS. OLIVE McGILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Higly were guests of Miss Ollie Beal last Sunday.

Mr. James McGrath, of Detroit, late of Edinburg and Liverpool, has been engaged by J. S. Starling to take charge of the ladies' tailoring department to be established by him.

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist Church will hold their first regular business meeting for the month of October, Monday evening next, October 14th, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

The experience social at the G. A. R. hall, was given last Monday evening in the presence of many citizens. Roll call of members was answered by those present of the W. R. C. Many being absent, the funds were not replenished as had been hoped for.

The North American Review for October contains a highly important contribution on the "Future of the Arid West," by the Hon. Edmund G. Ross, Ex-Governor of New Mexico, who deals with this topic in a thoroughly comprehensive and scientific manner.

Ex-Gov. James M. Ashley contributes a timely paper to the October Arena entitled "Should the Supreme Court be Re-organized?" Many recent decisions handed down from that body have created much discussion along this line, and Gov. Ashley's paper will be read with great interest.

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The brilliant, logical and incisive writer, Helen H. Gardner, contributes her third paper on the history of the recent legislative Battle for Sound Morality in the October Arena. These contributions are of special value to all persons interested in protecting girlhood, and raising the standard of morality.

Rudolf VonScarpa, who arrived in America but a short time ago from Vienna, at once established himself in the good graces of his auditors by the finished rendition of his solos, which were warmly applauded. He is a genuine pianist; and one who will compare favorably with d'Albert.—The Empire, Toronto, Canada.

"The Atlanta Exposition," by the Hon. W. Y. Atkinson, Governor of Georgia, forms the opening article of the October number of the North American Review. The Governor is very eloquent upon the subject of the Great Cotton States and International Exposition, claiming for it a superiority to Chicago's World's Fair.

Maud Powell is undoubtedly America's greatest female violinist. She played Wieniawski's "Russian Airs" with a degree of excellence seldom equalled. Miss Powell has fully mastered the violinist's bane—the harmonics—and her rendering of the variations in harmonics vividly recalled Wieniawski's playing of the same.—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Bishop, the Chicago soprano, really carried off the honors of the evening. Her voice is clear, well-trained, and strong, and possesses a remarkable range. In her singing she grasps the feeling of the selection, be it pathetic or dramatic, and imparts it in such a pleasing manner as to captivate the audience. Her work in two selections in the first part of the program and in "Christophorus" cannot be praised too highly, and during the evening she frequently received enthusiastic applause.—Detroit Free Press.

We, the undersigned firms, agree to close our places of business at 8 o'clock p. m., commencing Monday, Oct. 28th, 1895, and continuing till March 15th, 1896, excepting Saturday nights, the night preceding Thanksgiving, and from Dec. 16th to Jan. 1st.:

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While boring a well on the farm of Hon. M. T. Cole, of Palmyra, on Thursday, the drillers struck a good sized pocket of gas at a depth of 116 feet, which threw the mud and water fifteen or twenty feet high. The workmen kept on drilling, saying nothing to Mr. Cole, who visited the well at the close of the day's work and was surprised to hear a gurgling sound issuing therefrom. He held his hand over the well and gas was coming up with such force he couldn't keep it there. He applied a match to see if it was gas, and the blaze loomed up several feet. There is probably no value to the well as a gasser, but the indications are such that people in the eastern part of the county, where a number of these pockets have been struck, are not going to be satisfied until that territory is thoroughly tested. Already upwards of 1,000 acres of farm land have been leased in Ogden by Toledo parties and a test well is to go down in the near future. There seems to be good foundation for believing that at least the southeastern section of old Lenawee is underlaid with rich deposits of gas or oil or both.—Adrian Telegram.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Announcement is made that the contract for the Jackson & Cincinnati railroad, the C. J. & M. extension, has been let to Geo. M. Huss, of Chicago. The physical condition of the new line when complete, will be good enough for a trunk line business. It is to have gravel ballast and heavy stone abutments for all its bridges. No expense will be spared in grading to make one of the best pieces of road in Mich. Sixty pound steel rails will be laid. The C. J. & M. is also reported to be quietly improving the condition of its old lines. Two steam shovels and a large force of men are at work replacing its old bridges with new ones of the most substantial character. Work is progressing rapidly on the new shops at Van Wert. By the first of January the machine and blacksmith shops will be completed.

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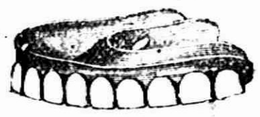

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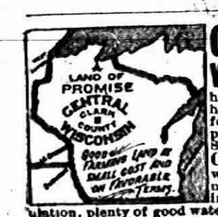

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SENTENCED FOR ARSON.

Prison Walls for a Man Who Has Been the Terror of Unadilla for Years.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 6.—Cuyler J. Barton, the Unadilla terror, was sentenced Monday morning to five years in state prison at Jackson for the crime of arson. This disposes for a short period of a man who for ten years has kept the people of two counties terrorized. Incendiary fires, entailing a loss of over $100,000, have broken out in that time within a radius of 10 miles from the little town of Unadilla, 9 miles from this city. Three years ago a local detective traced the burning of a $4,000 barn in Lindon to Farmer Barton. Barton fled to Chicago, where he was arrested and brought back. He had some money and was released on bail and for over two years the case has slowly dragged along. Finally Barton's nephew confessed to the methods followed and brought forward a sort of infernal machine consisting of a series of candles which set fire slowly to each other and finally exploded a bottle of inflammable stuff, the whole enabling the perpetrator to escape to a safe distance. Confronted with this, Barton broke down and confessed to burning two barns and a large grist mill within the last few years. More developments are expected in this, the most sensational case the county has had for years.

MACHINE SHOP A NUISANCE.

Located in the Residence Portion of Port Huron and Must Be Removed.

PORT HURON, Oct. 9.—In the spring of 1892 J. H. and T. J. Fitzgerald and D. H. Runnells established on the St. Clair river one of the most extensive and complete machine shops on the lakes. The shops were located in the residence portion of the city, adjacent to some of the most beautiful homes in Port Huron, and the owners of the latter complained that the smoke, dirt, odor and noise from the shops and the boats stopping there constituted a nuisance which should be suppressed. The court below enjoined the shops and the supreme court in passing on the injunction says that residents are supposed to be protected from such annoyances as smoke, soot, etc., and manufactories must seek locations in which discomfort will be brought to the least number.

GEN. POE DEAD.

Famous Engineer Passes Away at His Home in Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 3.—Gen. O. M. Poe, the well-known United States engineer, died suddenly at his residence in this city Wednesday morning. He had been ill for several days, but the serious nature of his condition had not been announced. Gen. Poe rendered valuable service to the marine interests on the lakes. Some of the most important light stations, including the famous Stannard Rock Light, have been designed and constructed by him. He also constructed the new and famous lock at the Soo. He had general charge of all river and harbor improvements, and was regarded throughout the country as a very able engineer.

SNOW FALLS IN MICHIGAN.

Reports from Different Parts of the State Show It to Be Quite General.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 9.—Reports from all over the state show that there has been a geneaal snowfall the last twenty-four hours. Snow fell during the night at Soo Junction in Alger county, and Tuesday Holland had snow, with the mercury at 4½ degrees above zero. Niles caught a slight snowfall, the ground at Schoolcraft was covered and St. Joseph had some with the thermometer close to the freezing point.

BUSINESS MEN IN PULPITS.

Jackson Baptists Making Preachers Unnecessary.

JACKSON, Oct. 9.—The business men of Jackson will attempt a novelty in evangelical work. Twelve of them have agreed to occupy the pulpit of the Free Will Baptist church, one each Sunday evening during the next three months. They will preach on a variety of subjects. Among the prominent speakers are James O'Donnell, Warden Chamberlain, Prof. McCullough, Prof. Wesley Sears, Mayor A. J. Weatherwax, T. A. Barkworth.

Death of Capt. Edward Haff.

MONROE, Oct. 9.—Capt. Edward L. Haff, one of Monroe's oldest residents, died Tuesday morning, aged 89. He was a conductor, on the Michigan Southern railway in the days of the old strap rail, and was once a prominent lake captain. He also commanded the steamer Lookout, transporting United States troops at Chattanooga under Gen. Thomas during the war of the rebellion. He returned to the service of the L. S. & M. S. railway, where he continued until seven years ago, when he was retired upon a pension.

Ruins the Corn.

NIRVANA, Oct. 5.—A worm similar to the striped one that infests apple trees is ruining fields of corn. The worm begins at the top of the ear, and works down, leaving a filthy road. Owing to the heavy frost and the worms, many acres will not be cut at all.

Deed of a Jealous Man.

HOUGHTON, Oct. 8.—William Smith, 60 years old, one of the oldest citizens of Cooper Harbor, shot his wife and then blew out his own brains with a revolver. He died instantly. The woman is still alive, but will die. Jealousy was the cause.

Fish Killed by the Storm.

ST. JOSEPH, Oct. 5.—Fishermen who lifted their nets, which had been set in the lake during the recent storm, state that the fish were dead, and in some instances already putrid when taken out. Hundreds of pounds were thrown away.

Trees Forced to Blossom.

COLOMA, Oct. 3.—Many orchard trees in North Coloma have been forced into blossom by the heat from the forest fires that have been burning in that vicinity during the past few weeks.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Localities in Michigan.

Capt. Hugh Reynolds, owner of the steamer Germania, died of cancer of the abdomen at Bay City.
Dennis Lynch, of St. Joseph, has sued the Big Four railroad for $15,000 for damages sustained while boarding a train at Eau Claire.
L. W. Tisdale, for thirty-two years agent of the American Express company at Saginaw, has been placed on the retired list and given a pension. He is succeeded by Millard Perry.
The Exchange bank of Deckersville has closed its doors and sold its business to the Farmers' bank of that place.
Violators of the fish laws in Lake county are being summarily dealt with. This county has more trout streams than any other county in the state, and violations of the laws have been numerous.
Barney Griffith, an ex-soldier of Company E, Thirteenth Michigan infantry, was found dead in bed at his home in Galesburg. The deceased bore an honorable record as a soldier and carried to his grave a severe wound received in action at Stone river.
The prevailing high winds of last week have caused nearly the whole of the crop of South Haven winter apples to fall. They are being offered at the evaporator for 10 or 12 cents a bushel and find a slow sale at that price.
The Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in Grand Rapids November 6 and 7.
Eli Weland, aged 78, and one of the oldest settlers of Berrien county, died at his home in Hagar recently.
Hog cholera has made its appearance among Branch county herds.
The citizens of Bronson have voted to light the town with electric lights.
State Bank Commissioner Sherwood has issued a call for a report of the condition of all state banks at the close of business September 28.
Gratiot county's treasurer says that more mortgages have been discharged in the last two years in that county than in the five years previous.
The Michigan state board of pharmacy will meet in the hall of the representatives at Lansing on Wednesday and Thursday, November 6 and 7, for the purpose of examining candidates for registered pharmacists and assistant certificates.
Muskegon's new directory shows a population of 25,055.
Marquette citizens estimate that the recent miners' strike cost over $500,000, and that three-fourths of that amount was in the loss of the miners' wages.
Packing moss for fruit trees promises to become an important industry at Vicksburg. The stuff is shipped to eastern fruit tree dealers in large bales.
In the circuit court Violet Williams secured a verdict of $3,000 damages against the city of Muskegon for injuries sustained from a defective sidewalk.
St. Joseph is negotiating with the owners of a large shipyard elsewhere, who will move their institution there if proper arrangements can be made.
H. N. Laird, late treasurer of Reno township, Iosco county, was arrested at Saginaw, accused of misappropriating $1,000.
C. S. McMillan has been appointed auditor of the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad company to succeed the late Gilbert W. Ledlie.

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Attorney General Maynard Has Some Views on Ballots.

GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 8.—In an opinion rendered Monday Attorney General Maynard holds that no general registration of voters is necessary in this state prior to the presidential election in 1896. The inquiry came from Kalamazoo, where a special election will be held in November. Mr. Maynard thinks it was a mistake, in view of the constitutional amendment restricting the franchise to actual citizens, not to require general registration, but the legislature did not so enact.

Mrs. Loomis Succeeds Hopkins.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 5.—The regents have appointed Mrs. Mary W. Loomis, of Cherokee, Ia., first assistant librarian at the University of Michigan, vice A. H. Hopkins, who goes to Chicago as assistant librarian at the Crerar library. Mrs. Loomis comes from successful work of the same kind at Albany, N. Y. The women of the university are jubilant over the appointment of a woman.

Hill to Lecture at Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 7.—The students' lecture course opens October 25 with a nonpolitical lecture by Senator David B. Hill. There have also been engaged for the course ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, Henry Watterson and Theodore Roosevelt.

Trust Mortgage Filed.

KALKASKA, Oct. 9.—The Smith Lumber company of this place has given a trust mortgage covering all its real estate and personal property which includes 6,000,000 feet of lumber. The indebtedness of the company is $40,000, while the assets are estimated at $100,000.

Timbermen and Trammers Strike.

IRONWOOD, Mich., Oct. 9.—The timbermen and trammers at the Norrie mine went on strike for higher wages Tuesday and the mines are closed. Only about 250 are directly involved, but the miners are unable to work without them.

Must Label the Liquor.

LANSING, Oct. 5.—Food Commissioner Storrs says that all packages containing liquor must be labeled "pure and without drugs and poison," according to the new food regulations. A fine of $50 or six months' imprisonment is the penalty.

Burned to Death in a Bonfire.

NILES, Mich., Oct. 7.—While burning straw John Andrews, a wealthy farmer living six miles west of this city, inhaled smoke and fell into the blazing pile, where he slowly burned to death.

LOTTERY TICKETS SEIZED.

Government Officers at Detroit Make a Wholesale Haul.

DETROIT, Oct. 8.—[illegible] of lottery tickets sent [illegible] here by over a half [illegible] lottery companies were seized [illegible] United States officers Monday. The tickets were in the possession of the American Express company, which informed the government officers. In each package was a private note to the agent marked "Prize Ticket," and inside was the cheerful information: "Please sell this ticket to a prominent business man who will not object to have us use his name as the winner of a prize." The tickets seized are in the following lottery companies:
Montana Mining & Loan association, Kansas State Lottery company, Little Louisiana Lottery company, Louisiana State Lottery company, Louisiana Tuxilla Lottery company, Louisiana Graw company, Santo Domingo Chance association, Montana Loan & Iron company, Hondur a National Lottery and the Louisiana Grand Lottery company.

DATE FOR MILLENNIUM.

"Saints of God" Say the World Will Come to an End in 1941.

GRAND JUNCTION, Oct. 9.—The "Saints of God" from all parts of the state congregated here in great numbers Tuesday, and packed the big pavilion to listen to an address by D. S. Wamar, editor of the Gospel Trumpet, on "Prophecy and Revelation." Mr. Wamar diagramed his sermon on the blackboard, and pictured out to the followers that the year 1896 would ring in a new epoch in the church and lead on to the millennium. He traced in his own way year by year the epochs which he said would mark the end of the world, and declared that in 1941 time would be no more and the world would be wiped out. The followers of the church seemed to take his sermon as Gospel truth and declare that the prophecy will be fulfilled.

FIVE WOMEN INJURED.

Thrown from Their Vehicle by Runaway Horses Near Shepard.

SHEPARD, Oct. 5.—Five women were badly injured in a runaway accident near this place Friday afternoon and one of them, Mrs. Drake, may not recover. The injured are:
Mrs. H. C. Bigelow, ankle dislocated.
Mrs. William Drake, injured internally; likely to die.
Mrs. John Dough, right leg broken at thigh.
Mrs. E. A. Furlong, left arm broken.
Mrs. Fred Knapp, right leg broken at ankle.
There were eight women in the vehicle, and they were on their way to a neighboring village. As they started down a steep hill, the pole of the buggy dropped and the horses became frightened and ran. At the foot of the hill the buggy was overturned and all the occupants thrown out in a heap. The three women who escaped injury went for help, and the injured were taken to a farmhouse.

SHE IS INNOCENT.

Ira Burpee Says His Foster-Mother Did Not Scald His Feet.

OWOSSO, Oct. 8.—Ira Burpee, the New Lothrop lad who lost both his feet two years ago and caused his foster-mother, Ursula Burpee, to be arrested and tried for scalding them, made an affidavit Monday morning to the effect that the story he told on the stand was one manufactured by the neighbors for the purpose of sending Mrs. Burpee to prison, and was without the slightest foundation. The story as told up to date by Ira is identical with that told by Mrs. Burpee at the trial. A peculiar feature of the case, however, is the fact that the boy never departed from his first version of the affair until he returned to live with Mrs. Burpee a week ago.

CLAIMED BY THE STATE.

St. Clair Flats Belong to Michigan, According to the Attorney General.

PORT HURON, Oct. 4.—The St. Clair flats summer resorters, who hold their possession by permission of the federal government, will now have to defend their titles, for Attorney General Maynard has begun suit in behalf of the state to recover Harsen's and Stromne's islands. According to the state's claims, these lands were ceded to Michigan by the general government thirty years ago, in common with all other marsh and overflowed lands. The suits already begun are against the Lake St. Clair Fishing and Shooting club, David A. Whitney, Don M. Dickinson, John K. Randolph, Frank Guelett and Adolph Sloman.

Ypsilanti Firemen Set Free.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 8.—The case against the Ypsilanti firemen, who were charged with causing fires so they might get pay for working on them, were dismissed Monday morning, Prosecuting Attorney Randall filing as his reason that the principal witness was of doubtful competency and that the evidence so far produced was insufficient for conviction.

Sent to Prison.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 7.—Norval A. Hawkins, who was convicted in the recorders court last spring of embezzling $4,000 from the Standard Oil company while acting as its cashier in this city, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment at Jackson.

May Lose Her Sight.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 8.—The wife of Alderman Charles W. Shrever was run into by a horse and buggy Monday night while riding her bicycle, and was seriously injured internally by being trampled on by the horse. She wore glasses and both were broken in her eyes. The attending physicians say recovery is doubtful and that she will lose the sight of her eyes.

A Vacancy Filled.

LANSING, Oct. 4.—Gov. Rich has appointed Stearns F. Smith of Owosso, judge of the Seventeenth Michigan judicial district to succeed Luke S. Montague, deceased.

Killed by a Swing.

MENOMINEE, Oct. 3.—Charles Brunner, aged 13 years, was killed while swinging a companion. The seat of the swing struck him in the breast and he died in half an hour.

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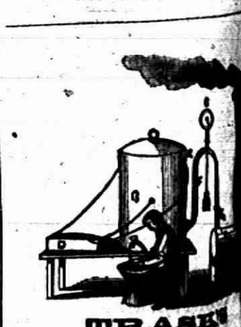

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Oct. 18. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Day of Pentecost.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts ii. 1-41.

Fifty days after the Passover feast came that of Pentecost, so called from the number of days intervening. It was also called the Feast of Weeks because kept seven weeks after the other. It continued but one day. It marked the wheat harvest and also probably commemorated the giving of the Law of Moses at Sinai. Most appropriately the Holy Spirit came in power to the New Testament church on this day and gave it deeper and new meaning, just as the Passover is replaced by Easter.

The place was Jerusalem. The city was filled with devout Jews and proselytes from all parts of the world. Many had lingered since the Passover. The followers of Jesus, after a short time spent in Galilee, had returned to Jerusalem, had witnessed the ascension and for ten days past since that event had been held together by expectation of some special manifestation of God's power according to the promise of Jesus at his ascension.

All the incidents of the outpouring of the Holy Spirit are deeply interesting and will repay careful reading from the Bible, however familiar one may suppose himself to be with them. The sound, the sight of lambent flame, the wonderful elevation of spirit in the hitherto timid ones, the marvelous power of speech which came upon them, all merit careful thought. Much has been written and spoken about the gift of tongues which appeared for the first time on this occasion. It is wonderful enough without being incumbered with absurdities unwarranted by the Scripture. It is well to note that the Holy Spirit came upon all of the disciples, about 120. These were Galileans. All began to praise God in a different language from their native dialect, some in one and some in another language, so that every variety of speech in use by the various nationalities gathered in the city at the feast was represented by some person. The utterances may have been some one of the Psalms so often used in worship. One of the Messianic hymns from the temple service or synagogue worship may have been sung by the company, who would refer it to Jesus as the Christ, and as they sung and the Spirit fell upon them each may in ecstasy have used words different from the other singers and unknown to himself before, but now fully expressing his devotion and understood by people from some faroff land, come to Jerusalem for the feast, who soon flocked together where the disciples were met and were astonished to hear in the chorus of sound Jehovah's praise spoken in their own language from Galileans who were acquainted with only their own dialect.

Ecstatic utterances of praise and devotion by all the company of disciples seem to have been the character of the "gift of tongues." That Peter's address was heard in any other than his own language does not appear.

The spiritual condition of the disciples appears to have been one of entire harmony in belief, unity in desire and determination, complete consecration and devotion to the cause of Jesus.

This is the important thing in the case. Fidelity to God and fellowship with his people is the lesson of Pentecost.

All at It, Always at It.

Vacations are over; the folks are at home again. The League should be at work. Every member should find a place in one or more departments. Every department should have its work well planned for the whole season ahead. It is easier to lay out the work systematically for three or six months in advance and make a long pull, a strong pull and a pull all together than to let affairs drift in a sort of haphazard manner. All should work in the spiritual department. Such as have adaptability for special work should in addition do service in temperance, relief, social and literary lines. It is not enough to be busy; we need to use all power and time to the best advantage for the Master.

Musical Talent.

Too largely the musical ability of our young people has been unemployed by the church. This is a gift which should be recognized and utilized by the League. A glee club is a good thing in a college or school; an orchestra is used in many social societies. Why not use all vocal and instrumental ability available in your local chapter? This will save many a young man and woman from the temptation of questionable company. Find out those who are now capable and organize them. Then seek out and add others whose talents are yet undeveloped. Use the orchestra in prayer meetings, Sunday school and regular church services as well as in the entertainments of the chapter.

That Lecture Course.

Every chapter would do well to consider the possibility of a lecture course during the autumn and winter. Let it not be a series of musical entertainments merely. Do not plan just to make some money, nor merely to have pleasant recreation. Let the prime object be to broaden knowledge and quicken devotion. Have some stereopticon evenings among the number. Study the missions of our own church. Take a trip to Palestine and Egypt. See something of our own land. Get the eyes wider open and let the heart beat quicker.

Revival.

One of the best seasons for a revival is—now. The glorious days of autumn ought not to pass without an awakening of zeal and devotion in the church and in the community. Is your chapter alive on this? Are you?

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DOMESTIC.

THE whole business portion of Cambridge, O., was destroyed by fire with a loss of over $100,000.

MANY orchard trees in North Coloma, Mich., have been forced into blossom by the heat from the forest fires that have been burning in that vicinity during the past few weeks.

STRATHERRY broke the world's record for a mile on a half-mile track, making it in 2:07¾ at Oskaloosa, Ia.

THE inaugural baseball game for the Temple cup was played at Cleveland between the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs, and was won by the former by a score of 5 to 4.

THE United States cruiser Brooklyn was launched at Cramp's shipyard in Philadelphia.

THE wife of Patrick Carroll, a Chicago laborer, gave birth to four children—two boys and two girls.

GOV. CALEB WEST, of Utah, submitted his last annual report to the secretary of the interior. Before another report can be made the territory will become a state. The population, according to the census of 1895, is 247,324; property valuation, $97,942,151.

JOHN CZECH was executed at Jersey City, N. J., for the murder of his wife.

STANLEY BRAINE and Mabel Olds, prominent young people, were drowned in Mad river at Springfield, O., while boating.

FLAMES at Warren, R. I., destroyed three large cotton mills, two warehouses, small sheds, freight cars and other property, causing a loss of over $1,000,000.

THE second baseball game for the Temple cup was played at Cleveland between the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs, and was won by the former by a score of 7 to 2.

AT the Kendallville (Ind.) fair five incendiary fires were started simultaneously among the fancy stock paddocks and James Jackson and an unknown woman were burned to death.

THE constitutional convention at Columbia, S. C., adopted a clause forbidding the intermarriage of a white person with any person who contains any negro blood in his or her veins.

THE Farmers and Merchants' bank at Creighton, Mo., made an assignment with liabilities of $60,000.

COL. R. E. A. CROFTON, commander of the Fifteenth infantry at Fort Sheridan, Ill., was shot at by Lieut. Pague, who was temporarily insane, and narrowly escaped death.

IT was said that Secretary Olney had sent a dispatch to Minister Bayard in London declaring in the most positive language that the United States would never consent to British occupation of the disputed territory in Venezuela unless that nation's right thereto was first determined by arbitration.

JOSEPH TIERNAN, of St. Louis, who died September 1, has been discovered to have been short $33,000 in his accounts with the Security Building and Loan association.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 4th aggregated $1,137,089,777, against $997,924,422 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 13.6.

THE sash and door factory of Rufus R. Thomas & Co. in Philadelphia was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $100,000.

THERE were 207 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 4th, against 216 the week previous and 219 in the corresponding time in 1894.

DURING the past year there were 6,546 applications for divorce in Ohio and 2,597 were granted.

S. W. LAMOREUX, commissioner of the general land office, in his annual report says the total area of vacant public land in the United States in acres is as follows: Surveyed, 313,887,888; unsurveyed, 285,245,707.

ANOTHER big haul of Italian counterfeiters was made by the agents of the government's secret service in New York.

GEORGE WHITECOTTON, of Anderson, Ind., found his daughter who was kidnaped twelve years ago.

AT a meeting in New York of prominent paper manufacturers a trust was formed with a capital of $35,000,000.

MR. PRESTON, the director of the mint, is of the opinion that the gold product during 1895 will show an increase over last year of from $5,000,000 to $7,000,000.

CHARLES BLOMBERG, eldest son of August Blomberg, a prominent banker in Rockford, Ill., left New York on a wager of $5,000 that he can walk around the world in 201 days.

MAJ. GEN. RUGER assumed command of the military department of the east, with headquarters at Governor's island.

MINISTER CASTLE, the new diplomatic representative of Hawaii to the United States, arrived in Washington.

THREE men were arrested at Hillsboro, Tex., for participating in a glove fight after the passage of the new law.

AT the Episcopal triennial convention in Minneapolis a resolution was adopted complimenting the governor and legislature of Texas on the prize-fighting question.

W. R. HEARST, publisher of the San Francisco Examiner, purchased the New York Morning Journal.

WHILE delivering a sermon before a large audience at Dayton, O., Rev. L. L. Langstroth dropped dead in the pulpit. He was 85 years of age.

DANIEL LIZER, living near Lincolnville, Ill., found in an old trunk the first manacles worn by John Brown, Ossawatomie, during his imprisonment at Harper's Ferry. Mr. Lizer's brother was in charge of the armory at the time and so got the handcuffs.

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NEAL SMITH, the negro who assaulted and murdered Maggie Henderson at Coal City, Tenn., was taken from the stockade by a mob of 200 men and lynched, after being mutilated in a terrible manner.

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AT Birmingham, Ala., Sam Childress tried to shoot his sweetheart in a fit of jealousy. He was killed by Deputy Sheriff Cole in attempting to escape.

AT Washington a petition asking congress to give Cuba support has received over 1,000 names, including some of the leading men of the city.

IN convention at Fresno, Cal., the State Bankers' association adopted a resolution opposing the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

NOT knowing what the punishment would be fifty-one saloonkeepers at St. Joseph, Mo., pleaded guilty in the United States court to failing to cancel stamps on liquor barrels and were sentenced to one year each in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $500.

AT the laying of the corner stone of the new St. Mary's Catholic church at Loraine, O., a platform gave way, and in the crush that followed one person was killed, a number fatally injured and a score or more seriously hurt.

BY the wrecking of a freight train near Blackstone Junction, Mass., Charles Lawson, the engineer, and Edward Fay and George E. Monroe, brakemen, were killed.

THE big 50,000-pound flywheel at the power house of the Hudson Electric Light company at Hoboken, N. J., burst, killing the engineer and badly wounding his two assistants. A similar accident in the electric light plant at Homestead, Pa., killed John Bowman, the engineer.

EX-SHERIFF PATRICK KENNEDY was murdered at Leadville, Col., by his father-in-law, ex-Police Justice Thomas Powers, family troubles being the cause.

HENRY FABLE, Louis Wegman and Charles Wegman were suffocated in a well on a farm near Toledo, O.

THE first men to be convicted under a law enacted by the Oklahoma legislature making the punishment for highway robbery imprisonment for life, were Tullis and Henry Welsh. They were convicted of robbing an old man of seven dollars.

L. L. HIATT and William H. Grote, two of the most prominent and oldest business men of Wheaton, Ill., were drowned in Powers' lake by the upsetting of their boat.

ANDREW J. SCOTT was hanged at Charleston, W. Va., for the murder of his wife.

BY a collision between an engine and a crowded passenger train near Wavre, Belgium, ten persons were killed and forty injured, several of them seriously.

THE Coforado Milling and Elevator company's flour mill and elevator at Fort Collins was destroyed by fire, the loss being $125,000.

A BIG FOUR passenger train at Tiffin, O., killed George Shoemaker, who was trying to cross the track in front of it.

FROM the headquarters of the Irish National alliance in New York city an appeal was issued calling for money to carry on the new campaign for "the complete independence of Ireland by any means consistent with the laws of nations."

WHILE attempting to save the life of a young doe Henry Nelson, the keeper of the Forest park zoo at St. Louis, was gored to death by an infuriated elk.

NEAR Twohig Station, Tex., J. Shaw, a ranchman, two Mexican men and a Mexican child were shot dead by thieves who had stolen a yearling steer from Shaw.

NEAR Birmingham, Ala., by the explosion of a kerosene lamp Ellie and Addie Evatt were burned to death.

WHILE driving across the Milwaukee & St. Paul tracks in Chicago Frank and George Winkelman, aged 7 and 9 years, were instantly killed, while their father was seriously injured.

BY the explosion of gas in a mine at Wilkesbarre, Pa., a number of miners were killed and several seriously injured.

JUSTICE HAGNER, of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, rendered a decision giving full effect to the government's title to Potomac flats lands.

IN a dock riot at Tonawanda, N. Y., Capt. Phillips was killed and his son fatally injured.

MASKED men held up a trolley car on the North Shore electric line between Edgewater and Argyle Park, suburbs of Chicago, and eighteen passengers were beaten, shot and robbed.

THE international convention of fire chiefs opened at Augusta, Ga., Congressman Black delivering the address of welcome.

JOSEPH EWALT, in a jealous rage, shot Mrs. Nellie Stegman at Denver, Col., and then sent a bullet through his own brain.

SALOONKEEPER SILER shot and killed John Otto at St. Louis and then killed himself. Siler's wife was the cause of the trouble.

THE fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of September shows a total of $10,766,300, against $10,149,900 for the same period last year.

THE fourth baseball game for the Temple cup was played at Baltimore between the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs, and was won by the latter by a score of 5 to 0.

TWO MORE deaths were reported at Sabula, Ia., from wholesale poisoning, which occurred recently at a wedding, making four deaths in all. One hundred persons were said to be under treatment.

AT Delaware Water Cap, Pa., Mrs. John Knox Marshall, wife of a prominent Boston manufacturer, jumped from a window of a boarding house and was killed.

A CARLOAD of new corn, the first of the season, arrived at St. Louis from southeast Missouri and graded No. 2. This is the earliest that corn grading No. 2 has ever arrived at that market.

C. N. SMITH, who recently killed his sister-in-law, Edna Buchert, and his 5-year-old daughter, Louise, was sentenced at Decatur, Ill., to be hanged November 29.

AN earthquake shock occurred in the vicinity of Wenona, Ill., doing great damage to the coal mines.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE republicans of the Eighteenth district of Illinois nominated Cyrus T. Cook for congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frederick C. Remann.

HARRY WRIGHT, chief of umpires of the National League of Baseball clubs, died at Atlantic City, N. J., aged 60 years.

MAJ. J. C. C. BLACK (dem.) defeated Thomas E. Watson (pop.) for congress in the Tenth Georgia district by a majority of 1,641.

W. H. MOODY, of Haverhill, Mass., was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Sixth district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Gen. William Coggswell.

JARED FERGUSON, aged 101 years and 8 months, died in Decorah, Ia. He was one of the very few surviving pensioners of the war of 1812.

HAVING lived 104 years in Ireland, Mrs. Mary Coffey arrived in New York to pass the remainder of her life.

PROF. HJALMAR HJORTH BOYESEN, of Columbia college, the noted Norwegian author, died suddenly in New York, aged 47 years.

DEMOCRATS of the Eighteenth district of Massachusetts nominated Charles A. Russell for congress.

MASSACHUSETTS republicans in state convention at Boston, nominated a ticket headed by Gov. Greenhalge, the present incumbent, for governor.

FOREIGN.

MANUEL ROMERO RUBIO, aged 68, minister of the interior and father-in-law of President Diaz, died in the City of Mexico.

IN an engagement between the insurgents and Spanish troops at Las Veras the insurgents lost forty killed and had 136 wounded.

THREE vessels, one French and two English, were lost on the south coast of Newfoundland and five men were drowned.

THE Armenian church at Constantinople and the other churches situated in different parts of the Turkish capital were crowded with refugees to escape Turkish mobs. According to the Armenians about 200 of their number were killed during the rioting.

AT the international law congress at Brussels a resolution was passed providing that the next meeting of the congress be held in the United States during the year 1897.

SEVEN HUNDRED deaths were reported at Tangier Morocco, to date from cholera.

THE Spanish bark Joven Lola has been wrecked near Rosario, on the Colorado reefs and five of her crew were drowned.

WILLIAM WETTMORE STORY, the distinguished American sculptor, died suddenly at the home of his daughter, Marquise Peruzzi, in Rome.

THE commercial treaty between France and Great Britain relating to trade between France and the Dominion of Canada has been ratified.

THE representatives of the six powers sent a collective note to the Turkish government demanding the prompt institution of a rigorous inquiry into the recent rioting, bloodshed, and wholesale imprisonment of Armenians there and demanding the release of all prisoners who are innocent of wrong doing and the cessation of arrests.

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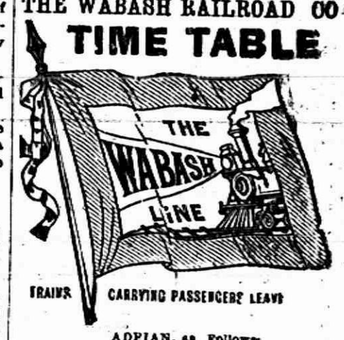

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WEST BOUND.

*No. 51—Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:48 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	8:30 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11 45 p m
†No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:34 a m
*No. 50—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:24 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:38 p m

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Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 38 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 13 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 20 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 368. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 33 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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Passenger Time Table.

IN EFFECT June 9, 1895.

EAST. No 85 Pass	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 55	L....Allegan....A	3 10	6 18
.....	12 22	7 00	Monteith	2 38	7 52
.....	1 16	7 39	Yorkville	1 56	7 14
.....	1 55	8 07	Battle Creek	1 10	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 40	6 20
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 32
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 28
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 18	Onsted	9 49	4 28
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 23	4 07
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 15	4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	8 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	8 00	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	7 58	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Ren ze	7 42	3 35
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	7 32	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 15	A.....Toledo.....L	6 35	2 45
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, October 7th, 1895.

Regular session. All present but President Smith. Trustee Hall was appointed president pro tem.

Minutes of last regular meeting and of special meeting of September 30th, 1895, were read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The chairman of the street committee reported that paving at the intersection of Chicago and Oneida streets was completed to the satisfaction of the street committee and recommended that the contractors, Lowry and Mitchell, be paid the contract price, $75.00 in full. Moved and supported that above report be accepted and adopted. Carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton reported four adult and three infant interments, one lot sold, $110.00 collected on lots sold, and $25.00 interment fees collected during the month of September. Report accepted and placed on file.

Marshal reported that he had inspected sidewalks and that all that had been notified to repair or rebuild had done so, excepting J. S. Temple, Jacob Cheever, Mrs. Penniman and Al. Paxon, to repair, and Co. C., M. S. T., and Chas. Snell to rebuild. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner reported 28 days village team labor and 7 days hand labor during month of September. Report accepted and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Moved and supported that tax of Abram Mangus be remitted. Carried.

The following resolution was introduced: Be it resolved: That the position of village lamp lighter be and the same is hereby abolished. Moved and supported that above resolution be adopted. Carried.

The following bills reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: C. F. Field, printing council proceedings three months, $18.75; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for September, $216.67; Baker & Hall, paint, $2.80; W. J. Ingersoll, supplies and as clerk, $43.06; John McCaughn, labor, $5.00; Wm. Doke, labor, $1.88; Lowry & Mitchell, paving, $75.00. Water Works:—Crane Co., well supplies, $139.33; R. D. Wood & Co., supplies, $6.00; The Ohio Central Fuel Co., coal, $24.68; C. J. & M. Ry., freight, $50.08; A. Park, labor, $7.05.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

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STEARNS' EMPHATIC OPINION.

Brother Willard Stearns of the Adrian Press is nothing if not pugnacious. He is never quite happy unless kicking hard at something. He has for some years past been a member of the Lenawee county board of school examiners, and in the days "befoah de wah" he was county superintendent of schools.

Friend Stearns has semi-spasmodic spells or spasms in which he dips his pen in bile and attacks the examination questions and everybody that he thinks has anything to do with them. A recent issue of the Press has a little more than two columns of the first page devoted to a very readable and racy tirade of this sort. Some capital hits are made, but one thing in particular calls out attention to a tip-top story, which every one who knows the man will enjoy, and probably Editor Stearns as well as anybody.

In the article referred to Mr. Stearns expresses the opinion that the questions would better be made by each examining board as was once the style—and this leads to the story.

While Hon. D. A. Hammond, now member of the State Board of Education, was county secretary of schools for Lenawee county, he had the task of preparing questions, and he always had his friend Stearns print them. Mr. Stearns was always finding fault with the questions, and scoring Hammond for putting in or not putting in this kind of question or that, and referring with commendable pride to the sets he used to make when he was county superintendent. Mr. Hammond, very naturally, grew weary of this constant harassing and resolved to take sweet revenge.

One day when the irascible editor was fondly displaying his old questions and scoring all others, Brother Hammond, unknown to Stearns, dexterously purloined a set. These questions were carefully copied and when occasion came for another examination these Stearns' questions verbatim, et literatim, et punctuatim were handed to the publisher, Mr. Stearns, for printing.

When Mr. Hammond came for the printed questions to use at the examination, he was met by the cheering remark from Mr. Stearns, the innocent father of the list: "Say, Hammond, I thought I had prodded you enough on the kind of questions you get up so that there would be some improvement, but this last list is the biggest damn fool lot of questions you ever sent in."

Then Mr. Hammond told him whose they were, and Mr. Stearns just grinned that sardonic grin of his, and rubbed his stumpy beard, and turned his attention to the latest political quarrel.

Now in view of this maturer criticism on his own questions, the Superintendent of Public Instruction can quite serenely read the mild assaults of Brother Stearns on the questions of today.—Michigan Moderator.

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	20	23
Eggs, per doz	15	17
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 0	
Dressed Hogs, per 0 lbs	5 5½	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb		6
Hides, green		25 to 35
Sheep Pelts		

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat—New	8 60
Old	6
Corn, shelled	35 to 0
Oats	18 to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 12 0
Hay, clover, per ton	9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs	85
Middlings, per 100 lbs	1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 0

THE MARKETS.

	CHICAGO.	Oct. 5.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 40	@	5 10
Sheep	1 10	@	3 60
Hogs	3 50	@	3 75
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 10	@	3 10
Minnesota Bakers			
WHEAT—No. 2 Red		@	65¾
October		@	65¾
CORN—No. 2		@	20¾
October		@	21¾
OATS—No. 2		@	22¾
December		@	22¾
PORK—Mess	9 75	@	10 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 20	@	6 2½
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	14	@	23
Western Dairy	10	@	13
EGGS	16	@	18½
	CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	5 00
Stockers and Feeders	2 85	@	3 70
Cows	1 25	@	3 60
Texas Steers	2 75	@	3 90
HOGS—Light	3 70	@	4 15
Rough Packing	3 55	@	3 75
SHEEP	1 60	@	3 75
BUTTER—Creamery	9	@	22
Dairy	9½	@	18
Packing Stock	A	@	8
EGGS—Fresh	13½	@	17
BROOM CORN (per bu)	$5 00	@	$3 00
POTATOES (per bu)	17	@	20
PORK—Mess	8 25½	@	8 30
LARD—Steam	3 82½	@	3 85
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75	@	4 25
Spring Straights	3 50	@	3 85
Winter Patents	3 20	@	3 75
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2	87½	@	88
Corn, No. 2	20	@	20¼
Oats, No. 2	17½	@	17¾
Rye, No. 2	40¼	@	40
Barley, Good to Fancy	33	@	46
	MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2, Spring	87½	@	87½
Corn, No. 3	33½	@	33½
Oats, No. 2 White	20	@	20¾
Rye, No. 1	41	@	41¾
Barley, No. 2	40¾	@	40¾
PORK—Mess	8 65	@	8 80
LARD	5 85	@	5 90
	ST. LOUIS		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50	@	$5 25
Texas	2 50	@	3 60
HOGS	3 50	@	4 20
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 50
	OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$2 90	@	$4 10
Feeders	2 50	@	3 65
HOGS—Light and Mixed	3 75	@	3 90
Heavy	3 90	@	4 00
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 85

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A WAR REMINISCENCE.

Scenes at Hatcher's Creek and Petersburg Recalled.

John B. Scace Speaks to a Reporter of Stirring Scenes—Escaped with a Slight Wound, but, Like Other Veterans, Has Suffered Since—A Story that Reads Like a Page from History.

From the Albany, N. Y., Journal.

When one encounters in print the life story of some scarred veteran of the civil war a feeling of admiration and sympathy is the certain result. Accustomed though we are to tales of heroism and suffering in everyday life, there is something peculiarly attractive about these old war records, serving, as they do, as a sacred passport to the heart of every true American. Thousands found their rest on the field of carnage or in the hospital, but their comrades, when the struggle was over and the victory won, returned to their homes and began anew the battle of life.

John B. Scace, the widely known contractor and building mover of Albany, N. Y., has had an unusually interesting life, and when seen by a reporter recently at his home, No. 15 Bradford Street, told of his many experiences and adventures while serving under the old flag in the late war. Although having endured all the hardships and privations of life in the ranks, Mr. Scace bears his more than half century of years with an elastic step and a keen mind, taking an active interest in private and public affairs.

While still a boy, his family moved from Albany, his birthplace, to Pittsfield, Mass., and here he was educated. He mastered the carpenter's trade, became a member of Berkshire Lodge, No. 52, I. O. O. F., and was entering upon a successful business life when came the call from Washington for men. All over the country the word sped, and excitement ran high. All the old-time patriotism that had made Massachusetts famous in Revolutionary days was fired to its utmost. Every town and village sent out its squad or company.

The company in which Mr. Scace enlisted in September of 1862, as a private, became Company A, Forty-ninth Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry. Under the common impression that the war would be one of but short duration, the men were enlisted for nine months only. Scarcely were they uniformed and armed before they were ordered to the front. The regiment, which at the time was under the command of Col. W. F. Bartlett, served in the First Brigade, First Division, Nineteenth Corps, and participated in some of the hottest battles of the great rebellion.

Mr. Scace, at the time, was but twenty-two years of age, and he remembers well with what a beating heart he first fell in line. His regiment was ordered South, directly through the enemy's country, with Baton Rouge as the objective point. After several months of weary marches, during which Company A passed through several lively scrimmages with the enemy constantly hovering about the flanks and rear, the capital city of Louisiana was reached. An evacuation followed. Citizens and the rebel soldiery stationed in the city fled like frightened sheep, bearing with them what goods they could carry and setting torch to the rest. The beautiful capitol building, which had been converted into a war prison, had also been fired, and the boys in blue swarmed in, just in time to save their captive comrades from perishing in the flames. Mr. Scace, who had been, while en route, promoted to corporal, was in the thickest of the melee, and describes the scenes in a graphic manner. Although the city had fallen almost without a blow given or received, a fight was not far off, for word was received that a large force of the enemy was fast approaching.

A bloody battle ensued at Plain Store, a few days' march out of the capital, in which Corporal Scace was severely wounded. A minnie ball struck his left thigh and, grazing the bone, narrowly missed the great artery. He was retired to the camp at Baton Rouge, but recuperated so rapidly that he entered, soon after, again into active service. The battles of Port Hudson and Donaldsonville followed, with all their thrilling episodes.

It was not long after this that, by reason of the expiration of his term of enlistment, he was honorably discharged. His respite was not a long one, however, for he soon afterward re-enlisted, to serve for the remainder of the war. For meritorious action he had been raised to the sergeant's stripes, and as such served in Company A Sixty-first Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, under Col. Charles F. Walcott. During the term of his re-enlistment Sergeant Scace participated in some of the hottest struggles of the war. Many a gray-haired veteran to-day recalls the scenes of Hatcher's Run, the fall of Petersburg and the battle of Sailor's Creek.

After his honorable discharge, June 4, 1865, Mr. Scace returned to Albany and settled down once again to his business and social interests. He has resided in the city ever since. It would seem that now, of all times, his peace and happiness would have been uninterrupted. Such was not to be the case, for four years ago, while engaged in superintending the raising of the immense smokestack of the Albany Electric power house, the lever of a loosened windlass struck him a heavy blow across the back. The effect of the blow was not at first apparent, he being able to leave his bed in a few days. But the worst was to follow, for without warning he was seized with sciatic rheumatism in all its virulence. Untold agony followed.

Said Mr. Scace "I could not sleep for the pain. No one will know the tortures the rheumatism gave me. I don't know how I lived during those days. I became little more than skin and bones, and it seemed like life didn't have anything but suffering in it. Cures? I tried every so-called rheumatic cure that was ever invented. I gave all of them a good trial before I stopped taking them. My friends and neighbors recommended remedy after remedy that they heard of, but my rheumatism went on just the same. Well, after I had almost had the life tortured out of me, I came across a newspaper account of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I thought I might as well add another name to the list as not, so I ordered some of my druggist.

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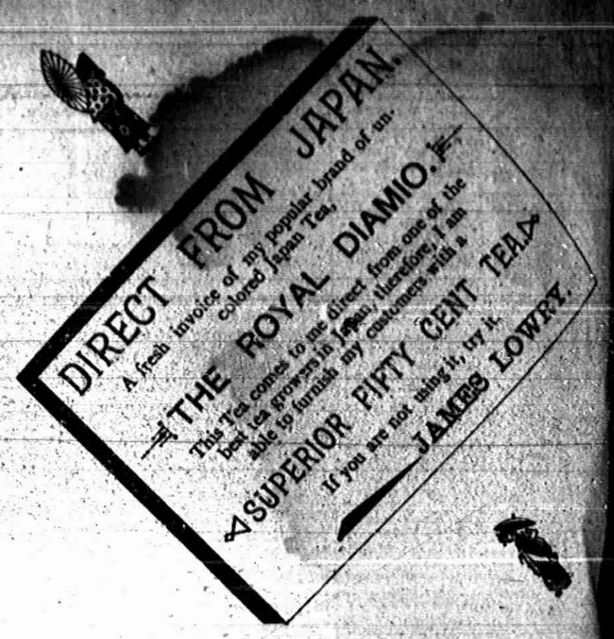

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OUR WHEELMEN ABROAD.

A Thunder Storm in the Mountains And a Feast Prepared by Monks.

MR. EDITOR:—I closed my last letter after relating our experience in Brieg and the start up the pass. There was a storm brewing and great black clouds were hiding the mountain peaks. Darkness was hastened by these sable mists and added to this there were lighter exhalations floating up the valley and now and then enveloping us. We had expected nothing but walking and pushing our wheels for fifteen miles, so we bowed our heads, closed our teeth determinedly and plodded on. We had already ridden seventy miles that day and our progress was just that weary machine like drawing one leg after the other while mentally we went into a sort of painful dream oblivious to all except the road and the snail like advance over it. The mountaineers we met smiled knowingly and hurried on driving their herds of goats. Every body was coming down the pass except our foolhardy selves. At last we halted near by a spring and took out of my bundle, the strawberries and bread before mentioned. The berries were jam by this time but we spread the moss on slices of bread and laughing, ate our improvised supper. Then we advanced again upon the road which zig-zagged up the steep mountain side. It was dark and rain fell in frequent showers of short duration. Absolutely no shelter except occasional niche in the rock where a bizarre painted Virgin appeared behind bars and surrounded by old wreaths of dead flowers. All at once, the road seemed to end at the verge of a frightful precipice, but in reality, there was an abrupt turn and the road was cut for some distance in the face of the rock. We gazed down into the valley over the parapet and we thought of Sinbad's valley of diamonds and the roc and pieces of meat. In the darkness, the chasm was simply terrific. Then there was a long distance which is to me a confusion of horrors. Streaks of lightning gave us glimpses of depths unfathonable, heights inacessible and an interminable road ahead of us. The pines swayed and cracked above us and deep down in the chasm we could hear the rumbling, growling and splashing Saltine as it tumbled along its rocky gorge.

But relief always comes just as troubles become unendurable and a turn revealed the long hoped "refuge," as hotels on a mountain pass are called. We stored our wheels in a barn amid vehicles and then urged the landlady to prepare our bed at once. She cuffed each one of 13 children and sent approximately two thirds of them on various errands and beckoned us to follow her while she led with a flickering candle up rickety stairs, through shaky passages, to a room apart where she left us with half the candle to light us about disrobing. We soon ascended the precipitous bed and upon its dizzy summit fell asleep. About midnight, we awoke amidst a quaking, and roaring, and whistling, and found the house rocking and the window blown out. The wind seemed to expand the room like a balloon. Boards cracked and a loose splinter in the ceiling vibrated until it moaned and shrieked. The demons of the mountains seemed freed, and above the noise of the tempest, we could hear crashing trees and tumbling rocks. It was a true Walpurgis night and every witch was pounding that hotel with her broom stick, I am sure. This ended in the conventional way. The rain ceased, the wind went down and we slept.

Morning at last and we departed. The valley was filled with mist and clouds blown about between us and the mountains, and at times wrapped us up. There was a rumbling in gorges overcharged by the torrents of the night. I heard the twitter of a single bird in that vast solitude and loneliness. The wind blew the clouds along rapidly. Now we are folded in the mists, now looking through clear air at Monte Leon and other famous peaks; sometimes plodding blindly on, and again amazed by grand abysses and by overhanging cliffs. Thundering cascades pour over the galleries and tunnels through which we passed. Galleries are stone sheds extending from the mountain side over the road to protect the traveler from avalanches. At last near the top of the pass, we looked upon those frozen hurricanes, the glaciers. Imagine a storm at sea and then freeze it. There is the wildness of a whirlpool united with the immobility of rocks. It is nature's cemetery with its solitude and solemnity. After passing the most dangerous part of the road, we at last reached the summit of the pass. I shiver now when I recollect the long, cold tunnels dripping galleries and the bleak, natural basin in which nothing grows except that unpronouceable rhododendron. Passing through the just mentioned basin we reached the Hospice, that benevolent institution with kindly, jolly monks as hosts. We were chilled and weary and you should have seen the feast which they set before us. We were warmed with soup and wine, and fed with good substantial food, and hospitably shown the spacious halls and neat bed chambers and impressive chapel. A good old monk was our guide and I thrill yet with awe when I recall the reverential tone in which he said, Napoleon, and pointed at a picture of the great emperor whom all Europe reveres. We left the Hospice, and, after leaping in the saddle, rolled away at a terrific speed with one foot on the coaster and the other pressed hard on the tire of the front wheel. Again and again, we changed the occupation of our several pedal extremities, and long before the foot of the pass was reached we wished for more feet. Without the least exaggeration, our feet were nearly blistered and a place was hollow in each shoe sole a quarter of an inch deep. We shot down long straight inclines, dashed around bends, rushed madly into tunnels, dashed under cascades and along the edge of precipices until breathless and flushed with excitement, we reached Gondo, the last Swiss town, where we received our deposit on the wheels.

It makes me confused and dazed as I think over that wild ride in the wild gorge, amid impassible heaps of rocks and between walls of slate-mica rising 3000 feet above our heads, and over abysses on thread-like bridges. The sombre mouths of tunnels contrast impressively with the blinding white spray from cascades. Such frightful sounds as we heard, too, which we learned were slipping glaciers, huge masses of ice falling into chasms. We passed Gondo and passed the granite column which marks the Swiss—Italian limits, and then reached Iselle and the Italian custom-house. We paid the duty on our wheels, temporarily, and rode down the narrow valley which suddenly turned at right angles and revealed sunny Italy in a beautiful, wide valley. We both exclaimed involuntarily, in the words of Byron (having carefully learned them by heart previously): "Italia, Italia, thou who hast the fatal gift of beauty!" But, seriously, think of it. One hour before we were nearly frozen, and only the hardiest weed could grow upon the soil about us; but now the heat was oppressive and about us were growing chestnuts, figs, vineyards, mulburries, maize, in real luxuriance. Loveliness was every where. The bridges of stone made graceful curves across the silvery Doveria. Villas nestled prettily in the green, shady nooks on the smiling mountain side. Temptingly colored fruit waved invitations from out their own verdure. Fortunately, too, our first sight of the people was a wealthy family riding indolently in their carriage. We paused then while I examined the patches on my tire to see if the mad coast down the pass had torn them loose. With a few repairs and readjustments, we were able to resume our ride toward Lake Magglore, our object point. Of the ride, the lake and more, I shall tell next time.

C. H. VANTYNE.

The Correct Dress For Cycling.

If women all dressed alike what a monotonous aspect this world would present! Even on the wheel variety in dress is most desirable, and the rivalry between bloomers and skirts for cycling is interesting "most reverand seigneurs" as well as those of the more frivolous sex. Bishop William Taylor, Ex. Gov. Foraker, Mrs. Elizabeth Grandis, Miss Cynthia Westover, Miss Florence Dangerfield and Oliver Sumner Teall,—representing the church, politics, law, journalism and society,—all have decided opinions regarding the question "Shall Wheelwomen Wear Bloomers?" which each answer in characteristic style in Demorest's Magazine for October. These opinions are unique and well worth reading. With the same number in one's hand one may take in imagination a sea voyage, for the illustrations to the paper "Homeward Bound From Europe" are so graphic, and the letter-press details the happenings so vividly, that the stay-at-home may enjoy the trip thoroughly without enduring any of the inevitable inconveniences. There are charming stories from the pens of Gilbert Parker, Margaret Sutton Driscoe, Madge Robertson and James Buckham, which is sufficient guarantee of their excellence; and poems by Gustav Kobbe and Ella Higginson contribute additional charm. The departments are as usual full of good things interesting to women; and the fashion department is replete with ideas on the coming fashions that will be of great value to those who wish to be forehanded in their preparations for the coming season.

Annual Meeting.

The Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee county will hold their annual meeting at Whitney's opera house, in the city of Adrian, Mich, Monday, Oct. 28, 1895, commencing at 8:30 o'clock a. m., for the election of a secretary and five directors; also to take action on amending section 2 of the company's charter in relation to the separation of the office of the president and treasurer and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

A. D. HALL, Pres.
GEO. R. COCHRANE, Sec. 2w

A TRIP TO GRAND RAPIDS.

A Pleasant Visit of Two Days in the Second City of Michigan.

The metropolis of western Michigan is one of the most beautiful cities in the entire west. It is a hustling city also, in a business sense, and hence is enjoying a remarkably healthy and vigorous growth. Its population at present is not far from one hundred thousand and it has grown to its present status from an Indian village within the past sixty years. It is located at the head of natural navigation on the Grand river, the largest river in Michigan, about thirty-three miles from its mouth. The rapids in the river at this point furnish one of the best water powers in the state, which is utilized extensively for manufacturing purposes. It is a first-class manufacturing city, household furniture being its great specialty, in which branch of manufacturing it leads the whole world. Large consignments of furniture are shipped annually, not only to every state in the Union, but also to South America, Europe, Asia and Africa. This industry alone employs a capital of over seven millions, and several of the big factories are larger than any other like factories in the world. Another industry of world wide fame is that of making carpet sweepers. In another direction the city has a very important trade, that of land or calcined plaster, of which over one hundred thousand tons are mined annually. These few statistics will give a stranger a faint idea of the present importance and future prospects of the city of Grand Rapids.

We had the pleasure of a brief visit there last week and between attending the convention and hunting up old Tecumseh friends we were kept exceedingly busy. The convention was held at All Soul's church, one of the finest church edifices in the city. The principal sessions occurred on Tuesday and Wednesday, the second day being occupied almost wholly by the Young People's Christian Union and the state branch of the Woman's Centenary Association. As a whole, the convention was a most successful one. The delegates were all entertained by the Grand Rapids church and were enthusiastic in their praise of "All Soul's" hospitality.

J. M. Hayden & Co. are located at 69 Pearl street and are building up an extensive business. They deal in mill supplies of all kinds and are securing a big run on babbitt metal of their own manufacture. Albert and Marvin constitute the firm and they make a strong team. They do all their own work, thus saving clerk hire, and are rapidly working up a fine paying trade. Their families are located in the eastern part of town, in a beautiful residence quarter, where they have fine homes. Mrs. E. J. Ware, nee Lizzie Hayden, lives but a few blocks distant. Thus three of the Hayden children are now living at Grand Rapids, and it will please their old Tecumseh friends to know that they are all prospering.

Dr. H. B. Catlin has a fine office at 70 Monroe street, the principal business street of the city. The doctor is now a member of the pension board and also enjoys a good practice aside from that. He has taken a good position in the medical fraternity of the city, has got well established and, with excellent health, a bright business future lies before him. He has a good home on Ransom street, where his mother, Mrs. R. C. Catlin, also makes her home. We were glad to see Bert so well fixed.

James A. Curry runs a barber shop at 471 South Division street. We could not find time to make him a call, however. Chas. Whittier now lives in the city, but he has recently moved into a house in the eastern suburbs and our effort to find him was unsuccessful. We took a drive out there with Dr. Catlin's horse and buggy, and after circulating through several new streets and making several inquiries we gave up the search. Charley will have to take the will for the deed this time.

Usher Mathews is located in a large block at the corner of Monroe and Pearl streets. He is now filling the position of traveling freight agent for the Big Four railroad. He is away much of the time and he was not at home at the time of our call. We learned, however, that he was filling the place with credit to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the company. His schooling with the Mackinaw road here in Tecumseh stands him in good turn now.

Rev. E. C. Andrus came to Tecumseh from Grand Rapids and his mother is now a resident of that city. Mrs. Dr. A. L. Andrus is a practising physician, living at 223 Jefferson street, on the west side near the Lake Shore depot, and only a stone's throw from the big Phoenix furniture factory. She has a good practice and is also a member of the city board of education, having served on the board for the past four years. We enjoyed her hospitality during a portion of our visit in the city.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

IT WAS TOO MUCH.

He bore each passing fad or whim,
No wish met his denial;
Her lightest word was law to him—
He stood all test and trial.
E'en whispers of her broken oath
He scorned as idle rumors;
But he gave her back her plighted troth
The day she put on bloomers.

—Once a Week.

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POEMS FOR CHILDREN'S RECITATIONS.

I have two ears and two bright eyes,
Two busy hands and feet,
But one short nose, one teenty mouth,—
Mamma says that is sweet.
I wonder why I'm not all "tweet"
I think it must be this:
One nose is just enough to bump,
One mouth, enough to kiss.

I asked mamma how many meals
Every day she had for me.
She said, "Just count them for yourself,
And you will find there are but three.
There's breakfast, one, and dinner, two,
And supper, three, that's last and best."
I wonder why she did not count
"Oat-meal" as one among the rest?

"I'm just a little child, 'tis true;
But then the biggest tree
Was one time just a teenty plant,
No higher than my knee.
And if it lived on sun and rain,
And grow so very tall,
Why shouldn't I, when I am grown,
Be just as great? That's all."

One, two, "How do you do?"
That's how the ladies talk.
Three, four, they come through the door,
And this is how they walk.
Five, six, their bangs they fix,
And brush them out just so.
Seven, eight, they get them straight,
And then away they go!

—Lucy H. Buck.

From Demorest's Magazine.

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TEACHER AND BICYCLE.

As for the moralist, any old fogy who thinks he sees the shadow of indelicacy in a wheelwoman, had better make up his mind on the spot that he will have to throw up his prejudice before the judgment of the world, which looks on the wheel without even a thought of immorality in its head, and which, in its commonplace sense and impartiality regards wheeling as an exercise morally indistinguishable from the every-day occupation of walking. The more school teachers and scholars that find their way to school on bicycles, the better will be the scholarship and the fewer need to be the school houses.—N. Y. Sun.

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When Socrates was asked whether it was better for a man to marry or remain single, he answered: "Let him take which course he will, he will repent of it."

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EQUAL TO THE EMERGENCY.

A young Irishman in want of a five-pound note wrote to his uncle as follows: "Dear Uncle—If you could see how I blush for shame while I am writing, you would pity me. Do you know why? Because I have to ask you for a few pounds, and do not know how to express myself. It is impossible for me to tell you. I prefer to die. I send you this by messenger, who will wait for an answer. Believe me, My dearest uncle, your most obedient and affectionate nephew, ——. P. S.—Overcome with shame for what I have written, I have been running after the messenger in order to take the letter from him, but I cannot catch him up. Heaven grant that something may happen to stop him, or that my letter may get lost." The uncle was naturally touched, but was equal to the emergency. He replied as follows: "My Dear Jack—Console yourself, and blush no longer. Providence has heard your prayers. The messenger lost your letter. Your affectionate uncle, ——."

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ANECDOTES OF THE ABSENT-MINDED.

Another "absent minded man" item has been received. This one refers to Ampere, the famous mathematician, who was noted for his absent-mindedness. On one occasion it is stated that while walking along the street he mistook the back of a cab for a blackboard, and as a blackboard was just the thing he needed at the time, to solve a problem which had been vexing his mind for some moments during his walk, he made use of it. Taking a piece of chalk out of his pocket he proceeded to trace out a number of algebraical formulae on the cab's back, and following the moving "board" for the space of a quarter of an hour without noticing the progress of the conveyance. As to whether the cabman charged him by the course or by the hour, or even at all, the item does not inform us.

From the same source we have the following item: They have a good joke just at present on a well known lawyer who is noted for his absent-mindedness. He went up his own stairs the other day, and seeing a notice on his own door, "Back at two," sat down to wait for himself.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., OCT. 18, 1895.

A. F. Kishpaugh was a Detroit visitor over Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Felton visited friends in Detroit over Sunday.

Cassius C. Fisk, of Detroit, spent the first of the week in Clinton.

Mrs. J. S. Kies is entertaining relatives from Hillsdale this week.

Mrs. Mary Pomeroy, of Ypsilanti, is visiting at Wm. Wood's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Whittlesey were visiting in Ypsilanti last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jennie Brown held a tea party last Saturday in honor of Miss Calista Brown.

A. B. VanDeMark and mother were in Hillsdale Saturday and Sunday, visiting.

Several of our young people attended a wedding at Manchester Wednesday forenoon.

Many members of the Methodist church attended the missionary convention at Chelsea this week.

Ham Niblack is attending the sessions of the circuit court this week. He officiates as a petit juror.

Miss Clyde Marsteller gave a very pleasant card party to a number of friends last week Thursday.

About sixteen couples participated in the dance last Friday evening. A very pleasant time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Ames drove over from Ypsilanti Sunday to spend the day with their daughter, Mrs. H. D. Niblack.

Channing Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith, died last Thursday morning. The funeral was held Friday afternoon.

The Freese-Whittlesey Co. now show their goods at night under new electric arc lights. They give a very steady white light.

The Smith Ogden bicycle contest which was to have come off last Friday was postponed sine die on account of the condition of the roads.

The ladies of the Episcopal society will hold their next social at Mrs. Bert Tate's next week Thursday, Oct. 24. Supper served from 5 to 7 o'clock.

The ladies of the M. E. church here have been quite busy this week. To the usual fall task of church house cleaning was added a large batch of sewing.

J. B. Murrah, of Texas, arrived in Clinton Sunday, coming over the Wabash to Adrian and driving from there. Mr. Murrah came directly from Old Mexico and experienced some difference in climate upon arriving here.

Nearly twenty people from here attended the Lyle Gibson trial in the circuit court at Adrian Tuesday. Many went as witnesses, while some attended out of mere interest in the case. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty about 3 p. m.

Married in Adrian on Sunday, Oct 13, James Priest, of Clinton, and Miss Mary Ray, of Dansville, Ill. The couple will assume the duties of housekeeping in the groom's residence in Clinton and have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends.

Wednesday evening the Maccabees opened their new hall with a chicken pie supper. These gallant knights know how to serve old fashioned chicken pie, as well as get up a program. The tent is well satisfied with their new quarters and many citizens outside the order assisted in its opening.

The Freese-Whittlesey Co. have met with such an unlooked for demand for capes and jackets since their opening that they have decided to hold a special sale of capes and jackets tomorrow, Saturday, Oct 19. The company will have a large assortment to choose from and expect a large crowd to do the choosing. Get there early if you wish to get your pick.

Considerable petty thieving has been going on in Clinton within the past few weeks. Last Monday night Wallinger Bros. Cigar store was made the object of such a visit. An entrance was affected by cutting two panes from a rear window. The cash box was relieved of between seven and eight dollars. Though local operatives are credited with most of the depredations which have occured lately, it is thought that this was the work of a hobo who was hanging around the place that day.

At six o'clock last Monday morning occurred a very quiet wedding ceremony which made Mr. A. M. Kennedy and Miss Grace E. Stevens man and wife. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Blachford in the impressive ritual of the Episcopal church. After a wedding breakfast the couple took the morning train for Hamilton, Ont. where resides a brother of the groom. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present at the marriage, among those being a brother and sister of the groom from Detroit. Announcements are now out stating that Mr and Mrs. Kennedy will be at home in Clinton Oct. 21. Both parties are too well known to the society of Clinton to need any introduction to our readers and the best wishes of a host of friends go with them on life's journey.

ROME RAVELINGS.

Farmers are trying to finish up their fall work before winter steps in.

Chas. Baker has been north the last two weeks buying cattle and sheep.

May Luce has just returned from a two weeks' sojourn in Adrian among her friends.

The Free Methodists are holding camp meetings near Lott Warner's with quite large attendance but with few converts.

Vera Segar was taken sick very suddenly a few days ago and has lost the entire use of her limbs. The doctor says she will not be able to walk for two months, if not more.

In Your Blood

Is the cause of that tired, languid feeling which afflicts you at this season. The blood is impure and has become thin and poor. That is why you have no strength—no appetite, cannot sleep. Purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will give you an appetite, tone your stomach, and invigorate your nerves.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy in action and sure in effect. 25c. 1w

PENTECOST POINTERS.

I. S. Pentecost is on the sick list; ditto Silas Randall.

The Herald's Pentecost Bro. is in Adrian this week visiting friends there.

Willard Merrill, who is reading law in an Adrian office, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. J. S. Pentecost.

Sylvia Tripp has been quite sick during the last few days, also Mrs. Albert Camburn, but both are on the mend.

There are whispers in the air that a gigantic surprise is to be perpetrated on somebody before this week goes out.

Dr. Willard Perkins and wife, of Seneca Station, were at the "Wonderland" Saturday night, and shaking hands with old friends.

Stanley Woodward and Stuart French, of Brooklyn, came over on their wheels to attend the Base Ball game at Adrian, Friday, and stopped one night for a short visit with Mr. French's uncle, Smith German.

The Free Methodists and a detachment of the Salvation Army are holding a protracted meeting in a large tent on the farm of Lawson Warner in the south part of Franklin. A large stove warms the tent, and it is said the meetings are well attended.

James Tripp is quite fond of equestrian exercise; or, rather, he was. But last Sunday evening, when returning home his horse turned into the gate while going at a rapid rate and threw his rider with such violence as to injure his shoulder quite seriously. Dr. Rice was called and made him comfortable as possible.

The Pentecost L. A. tender their thanks to Messrs. Wilson for use of lumber for stage purposes; to Mr. G. W. Fuller for the generous loan of his curtains and other stage appliances; also to Mr. B. A. Elliott for the hall, which was well lighted and furnished free, as were his services in assisting in the entertainment; to Mr. W. B. German for sending a man to help put up the stage, &c.; and last, but not least, to the editors of THE TECUMSEH HERALD and Adrian Press for an extended notice of the entertainment, which was greeted with a full house and gave materjal aid to our association in their efforts to furnish our people good books for the long winter evenings at hand.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c., and $1.00. 3

'What are you going to do with the overhead trolley going out of business?' said one undertaker to another. 'I dunno,' was the lugubrious reply; 'I hate to do it, but I guess I'll have to live in Brooklyn.'

Ohio, Illinois, Minnesota.

H. Mitchell, 249 Herman Ave., Riverdale, Dayton, Ohio, says: "For seven years my throat was so badly affected that it was covered with ulcers and scabs as large as my thumb nail. By advice of a friend I bought a jar of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm last winter, and after using five jars, am fully cured, and I have not had the slightest return of my former trouble." This under date of September 19, 1894.

Chicago, Ill., August 23, 1894.

The writer can cheerfully recommend Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm as being just what it is represented. It will cure the very worst cases of catarrh if the directions are carried out. I was a sufferer from catarrh for years and was cured by Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm.

W. A. CAVERLEY, 57 Michigan Ave.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 5. 1894.

Messrs. R. Pretzinger & Bro., Dayton, O. Gentlemen:—Enclosed please find $1.00. Send by first mail two bottles of your Catarrh Balm. It is worth $1.00 per drop. W. B. Manierre, 2218 Illion Ave. N.

A sample can be secured by sending a 2c. stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio.

Doughhead: Your cane is good company when you're walking alone, I suppose. Jazley: Yes, and when I'm walking with you, too.

"Trust Those Who Have Tried."

Catarrh caused hoarseness and difficulty in speaking. I also to a great extent lost hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

I used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and have received great benefit. I believe it's safe and certain cure. Very pleasant to take. —Wm. Fraser, Rochester, N. Y.

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents. 1w

Mrs. Sweet: Do you find it economical to do your own cooking? Mrs. Burnem: Oh, yes; my husband doesn't eat half as much as when he had a cook.

Regret.

We've all done things that we regret.
And things that we would fain forget.
But with the past we'll have no row
Provided we are ready now
To mend our ways, and ne'er neglect,
To use in baking "Calumet."
1w

Customer in dry goods store: Will this stuff wash? Clerk from Boston: No, madam. Customer: Well, I don't want it. Clerk: But it can be washed, madam.

A good appetite and refreshing sleep are essential to health of mind and body, and these are given by Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

Hunters' Rates.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines are selling Hunters' Tickets to all points in the hunting territory at hunters' rates. See Ohio Central agents. tf

Bicycle riders, football players and athletes, generally, find a sovereign remedy for the sprains and bruises and cuts to which they are constantly liable, in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. 1w

TOO MUCH WORK

For a Healthy Existence.—That's Why the Kidneys so often Fail

Nature has provided a certain amount of work for every organ of the human body, overtax them and disease eventually follows. There is not one portion of our organism that is so overworked as the kidneys; on them is placed the important function of filtering the blood of the impurities which naturally form in the regular action of life and digestion. The kidneys are consequently termed the sewerage of the system; clog up this sewer, and the blood becomes tainted with poisonous uric acid, which brings on disease in many forms. The back is the first to show this stoppage. From there comes the warning note; it should be heeded, and the kidneys receive prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills will right the action of the kidneys quickly, relieve the back of pains and aches, and cure all troubles of kidneys and bladder. Read the following:

Mr. Wm. Nelson is a well-known business man of Kalamazoo, he resides at 822 Portage Street, and his business is that of a grain buyer. He says:

"For five years I have suffered from an inability to urinate, which resulted from what was said to be a stoppage of the bladder. During these years I have taken mineral and electric baths and used other means in expectancy of getting better, but they all proved unavailing. Some months ago I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, which I had heard highly recommended, and I can now say that the flattering reports were not greater than they deserved. I got better right along, and I am free from any trouble now. I feel better than I have done for three years past. If Doan's Kidney Pills were well known all over they would do an immense amount of good."

Sold by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

Binkers: Has Winkers succeeded in teaching his daughter to ride her new bicycle yet? Minkers: Yes; she is out riding now. Is Winkers with her? No, he's in a hospital.

It's a Grand Success.

The fact has been demonstrated by the thousands of testimonials the Mayers Drug Company, of Oakland, Md., has received since it has sent its famous Mayers Magnetic Catarrh Cure out to the sufferers of catarrh. No medicine has received such an endorsement from the people in so short a time as it did.

The makers sell the medicine on business principles, and a patient is not required to buy the medicine by the dozen to get a cure. The Mayers' Magnetic Catarrh Cure sells for $1 per bottle; one bottle to last for a three months treatment. 3 bottles is the highest record ever required to complete a cure. General catarrh one bottle is guaranteed. No cure no pay.

This is an unequalled offer and if you are a sufferer from catarrh get a bottle from your druggist, if no benefit derived costs you nothing. A prominent R. R. conductor speaks:

CUMBERLAND, MD., April 29th, '94.

To the Mayers Drug Co.,

Gentlemen:—Yours to hand, in reply will say that I have the highest regard for your Catarrh Remedy, my trouble is in a chronic form and expect to use more than one bottle. I used one bottle which removed the trouble from the head in good shape and am on the second bottle for throat trouble, if I should succeed with the latter as I did in the former, I shall write you again in the near future. Hoping it will do for suffering humanity what it did for me, I remain Yours truly.

G. J. SCHMUTZ.

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NEWS NOTES.

THE total immigration in September was 36,599; for September, 1894, 24,904; for nine months, 1895, 249,432; for corresponding period of 1894, 191,485.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., is 100 years old, and a four days' celebration was opened with the booming of cannon.

AN epidemic of what resembled cholera caused sixty-three deaths in the vicinity of Hamburg, Ark., during the past fifteen days.

BY recent frosts it was said that 1,000,000 bushels of potatoes had been ruined in northern Minnesota.

THE total exports for September were $58,543,443, against $48,793,675 for last year; for the first nine months of 1895 $557,930,846, against $576,618,278 for the corresponding period last year.

THE tenth national encampment of the Union Veteran Legion of the United States opened in Buffalo, N. Y.

TEN THOUSAND miners in session at Clearfield, Pa., decided on a general strike throughout the central and northern Pennsylvania coal fields.

PRAIRIE fires were consuming large quantities of hay and grain in North Dakota.

FIFTY Armenians were killed and a number wounded at Akhissar, in the Villayet of Adin, on the Anatolian railway, by a Moslem mob.

MILLIONS of bushels of fruit were going to waste along the Ohio river because of the close of navigation.

JEFF ELLIS, a negro charged with criminal assault on a white girl, was lynched on the spot where he committed the crime, near Braden, Tenn. The mob, before hanging him, cut off his fingers, toes and nose.

THE president and his family returned to Washington.

THE report that British soldiers had been landed in Brazil and were proceeding to the disputed British-Venezuelan territory was denied.

FOR the first nine months of 1895 the excess of gold exports was $44,350,343; for the corresponding period last year, $73,815,163.

THE little village of Loraine, Ill., was almost wiped out by fire.

THE American ship Parthia, Capt. Carter, from Liverpool for San Francisco with coal, was burned at sea and nineteen of the crew were lost.

THE American Bankers' association met in annual session in Atlanta, Ga., with a large attendance.

NEAR Manchester, Tenn., Eugene Vanoy a negro, was called out of his house by a crowd of white men and shot to death. He was charged with mistreating a young white girl.

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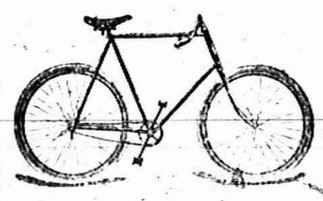

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Miss Ella Exelby is spending the week in Deerfield.

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L. A. Babcock and Vern Osterhout were Milan visitors Wednesday.

M. Hiscock, of Toledo, is visiting in Britton and Ridgeway this week.

Webb Underwood left last Saturday for a visit with friends at Jerome.

Geo. Smith and Geo. Exelby made a business trip to Toledo last Friday.

L. C. Hoagland has still a few special bargains in buggies. See him before you buy.

Mrs. John Britton and daughter, Mrs. Ed. Bachman, visited friends at Tecumseh Wednesday.

Tomorrow, Saturday, Lake Ridge and the Goliaths will have another set to on the diamond at Lake Ridge.

Arthur Curtis is attending circuit court in Adrian this week, being one of the jurors drawn from this town.

Clarence Lowe came home from Hamilton, Ind., last Saturday to stay, the base ball season being finished.

Building on the north side is progressing. The fifth house is already begun and rumors of a store are afloat in the air.

The ladies aid society of the Christian church will give a chicken pie social at the church parlors next week Friday night, Oct. 25th.

The Misses Bertha and Addie Lamkin, of Franklin, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. W. J. Helm and family, from Friday till Monday.

Geo. Clark was called to Ashley, Ind., last week to work in the dispatchers office for a few days. Mr. Chappell, of Morenci, takes his place here.

Frank Allen, chief train dispatcher of the C. J. & M. Ry., and family are visiting friends and relatives in Britton, Ridgeway and Macon this week.

D. C. Andrews & Co., of Tecumseh, supplied the town last Monday from stem to stern with La Besta. It will be for sale hereafter at Lee Bros. and Curtis & Linn's.

Mr. L. J. Niblack, having discontinued his sale of clothing etc., moved the remainder of his stock to Addison last Monday, where he will resume duty at his old store.

The Holloway nine and the Giants played here yesterday for the state championship. We are unable to get the score, but as it was a good day it must have been very large for both sides.

Mrs. Mudge, who was called by telegram, a short time since, to attend the funeral of her sister at Maple Rapids, has been quite ill at that place. She is better now, however, and hopes soon to return.

The ball game last Saturday at this place between Lake Ridge and a picked nine from Britton resulted in a victory for the Brittonites. Score, 18 to 7. Batteries: Kelly, Lee and Lowe; Lewis and Hanlon.

One of our young business men likes to drive a team on Sunday, but it is lots of work to keep changing them when he can put only one in the barn at a time on a cold night. Every young man should keep a double stall ready for emergencies. However, he had a strong body guard and lots of help.

The sheriff of Monroe county passed through here Tuesday with a prisoner for Toledo. The sheriff and his prisoner did evidently had a difference of opinion as to the advisability, of making the arrest. There were evidences that the strong arguments used by the sheriff and his forcible logic had evidently prevailed.

The ladies' aid society, of the Christian church held their social Wednesday. This society has the advantage of very pleasant and commodious rooms in which to hold their meetings, and the advantages, when made the most of, assist most materially in maintaining the social life of the church and community. The ladies' suppers are very popular.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Mrs. Wm. Ransom is on the sick list at present writing.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe is in Adrian this week, attending the Supervisor's Meeting.

Mrs. W. L. Jones and Ella Hall went to Ypsilanti Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

A. C. Arner went to Jonesville Saturday to take a position as clerk in the Mosher House.

Richard Cadmus, of Harvey, is shaking hands and cracking jokes with old friends at present.

Dispatcher Frank Allen and family, of Toledo, are spending the week with their parents here.

C. M. Gove and wife visited Mrs. Henry Atherton and family, of Hudson, a part of last week.

Enos Palmer and wife left for Covert, Mich., Friday for a visit with their son, Rev. Edward Palmer.

Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh, was in the village Saturday evening in the interest of a singing class.

Sunday evening service will begin at seven o'clock instead of seven thirty from this date until further notice.

It is by a telegram we leaan that it is a girl that has come to Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Bush's home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

A. J. Sutton, who has been at Yorkville as agent for the past two months, returned to his home Thursday noon.

G. C. Arner and Frank Sisson went to Addison Saturday to work on the grade of the C. J. & M. extension to Jackson.

Dr. R. H. Nelson and family and Mrs. Nellie Perkins of Hudson, called on friends in the village and vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson went to Paw Paw, last week Thursday, to visit their son, Prof. H. C. Wilson, and family.

Lou M. Arner, having accepted a position in Harris & Hiteshu's dry goods house at Tecumseh, left for her new responsibilities Monday morning.

We notice that our new firm, Smith & Schmidt, have got the La Besta washing and cleaning powder on their shelves, showing that they are up-to-date grocers.

Those in attendance at church Sunday morning from neighboring villages were Dr. R. H. Nelson and family and Mrs. Nellie Perkins, of Hudson, and Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh.

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There was a good attendance at the W. C. T. U. parlor meeting held at Miss Sarah Pocklington's Friday night. The evening was spent in a social way with a short program, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Chas. Sutton's entire family were very sick Friday afternoon from eating dried beef. Dr. Hardy was called and relieved them from intense saffering. Whether the beef was diseased when put up or spoiled since being dried we have not learned.

A singing school is a sure thing with Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh, as teacher. The class will meet Friday evening at the church for their first lesson. It is hoped a large number will avail themselves of this grand opportunity to learn the art of reading music and training the voice.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiggins is agent for the Star Course to be given in Tecumseh this season and any who are thinking of attending can secure a season ticket of her for $1.50 for the course of six entertainments. The first on the course is the Redpath concert company, which will be given in Sutton's opera house on Saturday evening of the present week.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mrs Eda Crane called on Miss Winship Wednesday.

Master Fred Hartman is very sick with malarial fever.

Potato digging and corn husking is pretty well on in this vicinity.

Several are going to the big woods, hunting, the first of November.

Tom Hartman and family have moved over to the Kopkie farm where he works for Mr. Kopkie.

Mr. W. C. Holt and family returned from their visit at Montpelier, Ohio, after a vacation of two weeks.

Miss Eva Doty was out to church, Sunday for the first after being laid by with sickness for some time.

Mr. Brown and family will occupy the old store building as soon as they can get ready for housekeeping; also, a general store.

The social held at George Kishpaugh's at Raisin Centre was quite largely attended both afternoon and evening and a good time was had by all present. The social given by the young people was in the nature of a postoffice social, the ladies writing the letters and paying five cents to post them and the young men being oblige to pay ten cents if he did not read his letter aloud, making lots of fun for all, and a royal good time was enjoyed by all. Collection afternoon and evening, $4.00.

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The ladies of the M. E. church will give a chicken pie social at the home of Mrs. Lester Coller, Friday evening, Oct. 25.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Francis Walp, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 23. The president desires a good attendance, as the year's reports are to be read.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Harrington, of Macon, are deeply afflicted by the death of their little boy nearly four years of age. The unusually bright and attractive child awakened an interest in all who met him, and the grief stricken parents and grand-parents have the undivided sympathy of the entire community. The little form was carefully laid away in the Macon cemetery on Tuesday, Oct. 8th. The funeral services at the home were very largely attended, J. I. Gulick officiating; the choir of South Macon Reformed church gave three excellent selections of song appropriate to the occasion. The little child was an unusually bright and winning child for its early years.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to acknowledge the valuable services of our friends and neighbors in their assistance and sympathy during the severe sickness of our dear child and to the friends who assisted in the burial service and in the selecting and furnishing of such suitable hymns and music.

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ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Historical Sketch Read by Rev. W. R. Blachford at the Anniversary Exercises Last Week.

The following notes of history are taken from the records of St. Peter's church, as entered there from time to time by the wardens or rectors of the congregation. Believing it will be of interest to us all, I have made out the following sheets for our information today.

The first service of the Episcopal church ever held in Tecumseh was conducted by Dr. P. Galatian, who made Tecumseh his home in 1831. The doctor desired to give his own family the benefit of our beautiful worship and to this end held services in his own house. That place in a very short time becoming too small for the friends who gathered with him and family, the office of Gen. Brown was offered for the church's use. It was found necessary before long to seek a more commodious room still and the school house was secured to accommodate the worshippers. Dr. Galatian did good work for the church as a Lay Reader during the eleven years he lived in Tecumseh. He and his wife were the first communicants in this place. We are privileged today to have with us their eldest son, David Galatian, of Detroit, to enjoy these anniversary services, and look upon the outgrowth of the work so lovingly initiated 64 years ago this present month by his father.

The parish of St. Peter's was organized in the year 1832, when the Rev. Mr. Freeman, of Ypsilanti, preached and held the first regular service. Lay services by Dr. Galatian continued until 1833, in which year the parish was visited by two Detroit clergymen, Revs. Rich. Bury and Rev. Mr. Curtis, who administered the sacrament of baptism. In May of the same year Rev. W. N. Lyster, then of Cleveland, Ohio, came to the village and celebrated Holy Communion in the court house. Mr. Lyster's name was given to the congregation by Mr. Musgrove Evans, the very first settler in these parts and who was a member of the society of Friends.

In June of the same year, 1833, Rev. Mr. Lyster moved with his family to Tecumseh and took charge of St. Peter's parish. There were then only four communicants, Dr. and Mrs. Galatian, Geo. Spafford and Mrs. Cornelia, wife of Gen. Brown. Bishop McIlvane, of Ohio, made an Episcopal visit to the parish in 1834 and confirmed four persons. The rector of the parish at once urged the little flock to prepare for the building of a church, the corner stone for which was laid the 10th day of October, 1833, just 62 years ago today.

The rector preached a sermon on that occasion upon the text, "A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid," a text more strictly appropriate at that time than at the present, for the elevation of the church's site was more marked by the natural lay of the land. In that sermon the preacher referred to the peculiar character of the church the congregation was then founding. He said that in this latitude of the Union this building was the "most western Episcopal church edifice" which stood upon "the main highway of migration" towards the west; that our brethren in their journeyings toward those parts of the country just opening out, would find this church structure the very last. In other latitudes there might have been more western churches of our religion, but they were in very isolated spots and not upon "any main highway of migration." Friends in the east assisted the little congregation to the extent of $2000 in providing for themselves a church home, and nearly two years after the laying of the corner stone, priest and people were rejoiced to see their aspirations realized by the opening on Aug. 2nd, 1835, of the new church. A paper published in Tecumseh at that time, the Tecumseh Democrat, describes the church in the following words: "In the simple yet elegant grace of its external proportions, the commodious and tasteful arrangement of everything within, and the picturesque and conspicuously situated ground of its location, it stands confessedly without a rival in the Territory of Michigan—a noble, and we trust, not useless, monument of the enterprise and zeal of Western Episcopalians and of many residing at the East." On the opening day the Rev. John O'Brien preached in the morning and the rector, W. N. Lyster in the evening.

In the same month the church was opened, a Sunday-school was formed, consisting of 43 children, 8 teachers and a superintendent, Mr. Thos. Wright. The consecration of the new House of God took place in January, 1837. As it is our custom to defer consecration services until all debts are paid and the church property free from all incumbrances, a year and a few months elapsed to accomplish this requisite.

I learned just yesterday from Mr. Galatian, who is with us, that some great names are associated with the building of our church—a fact perhaps not generally known among us. On the subscription list appeared the names of General Jackson, president of the United States, for $15; Henry Clay, $10; Daniel Webster, $5.00; Thos. Benton, a congressman, $5.00; Governor Wise, of Virginia, $5.00. We may feel proud that such men should assist in erecting the temple where we are habitual worshippers. Though other men's money would have been just as good and have helped to no less extent, yet it is a quiet satisfaction to be identified in church work with men of such prominence in their day, whose names are held among us in highest esteem.

Of the congregation itself a number of men subscribed $100 each, a good round sum for the times and circumstances of early settlers in a country so wild and rugged. But prosperity soon showed itself to the early villagers, as the following testifies: The paper to which I have referred states that the first house, a log cabin, was built in 1824 and in *eleven* years the business portion of the village consisted of *six large stores, two tanneries, one grist mill, one foundry, two wagon manufactories, two smith shops* and several other establishments of various trades and business.

The Rev. Mr. Lyster resigned the rectorship of this parish in 1836, though the records show he supplied services at intervals afterwards, even for months at a time, coming in one year from Monroe to preach and conduct services on the first Sunday of the month. Dr. Galatian again did good work by acting as Lay Reader during these vacancies in the rectorship. The names of others who were at times active workers as Lay Readers, are Dr. Palmer, Dr. Patterson and Mr. Alonzo Tribou.

On the 4th of Sept. 1837, the original bell cast for this church was first rung. The lines written by the first rector upon hearing the first tones have been given you in the weekly papers, the NEWS and the Herald. The present bell was hung in the tower in 1880.

During the 63 years St. Peter's parish has been organized, 14 priests have been licensed to administer the sacrament and preach the word of God, the longest incumbency being 22 years, that of my predecessor, the late much revered pastor and priest.

It should give us intense pleasure to be permitted by Almighty God to celebrate this anniversary, to enjoy the services here today, to worship in a building erected by some of the pioneers of the state and through the energy of so noble a priest as Rev. W. N. Lyster. We cannot value too highly, as a congregation today, the labors of that pioneer priest who labored so zealously, perseveringly and lovingly amid the wilds of early times, to establish a congregation of the Kingdom of Heaven in this place. His labors were many and weary and we reap the benefit. He not only sowed the seed but prepared the ground to receive it while the church people of succeeding decades and we have enjoyed the fruit of due time. The sermons of that godly man are still fresh in the memories of men and women of our own hour, who heard him preach the comfortable gospel of Jesus Christ and who look back to those times with pleasing satisfaction when religious impressions were made that have hallowed the days of later life.

Of the original communicants worshipping here in the early days, we have but few left, and of the few I think I am right in saying there is only one, who, 62 years ago, viewed the laying of the corner stone and was present at the church opening. That one is Mrs. David VanTine. Though a child at the time, she remembers the occasions distinctly. There probably are members of other Christian bodies in Tecumseh still living who stood upon this hill to see the reverent ceremonies, but of our own people we have but the one.

Of the present male communicants two have served as wardens many years, Mr. Wm. Hayden and Mr. David Van Tine, the latter having been senior warden over 20 years. A third vestryman, Mr. Alonzo Tribou, now unhappily too ill to be with us, was most helpful and active for many years in the Sunday-school.

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It was not the mere coincidence of dates which gave the celebrations at Chattanooga and Atlanta last month their chief significance in the country; it was rather their profounder relation to the growth and progress not only of the South but of the Nation. The characteristic Southern hospitality recently extended to the members of the Grand Army at Louisville; the joint celebration of the great events which cluster about Chattanooga; the opening of the Industrial Exposition at Atlanta, with Mr. Booker T. Washington as in some sense the leading speaker of the occasion, constitute a series of events vitally connected with each other, and indicative of a development which is not only commercial, but social and spiritual as well. There is a new South; its existence is demonstrated beyond question by the exposition in the city of the eloquent man who framed the phrase; but there are a new North and a new West as well. It was not simply the new South which expressed itself at Chattanooga and Atlanta last month; it was the new Nation; the Nation in contradistinction from the old sections. Those sections still live, and will always live. They represent natural lines of activity, natural centers of affection, natural differences of temperament and habit; but they do not constitute the central organizing force of the country. That force is to be found in National feeling, transcending sectional lines, deeper than sectional affection, and greater than sectional differences. The American, not the Northerner, Southerner, or the Westerner, the representative figure in this country today.

The tremendous conflict which left some of its severest scars about Chattanooga rang the death-knell of the old sectional feeling, and marked the dominance of the National feeling. It is true the sectional note is still heard at times in the East, the South, and the West. There are still, and there will long continue to be, provincial Americans, but the dominant man is the National American, and the dominant sentiment is the National sentiment.

No more impressive spectacle has been seen in modern times than that which was witnessed at Chattanooga when the surviving contestants of those terrible days of war met to celebrate the achievements of both sides and to record the common courage and devotion. It was no artificial working up of fraternal feeling which brought the blue and gray together. There was no slurring of past differences. The Federal idea triumphed absolutely and finally in that great struggle. That is conceded by the men on both sides, and the recognition of its supremacy underlay the celebrations of last week and gave them their noble significance. That principle established, the old rancor and animosities have died a natural death, and the men who once faced each other for destruction are now joined together for protection and growth. By the working of a natural law, the clear establishment of this great principle, silencing forever so many false notes and divicive influences, has wrought a new prosperity in the new South. The scars of the war are still there; the disorders which followed the close of the war have left heavy burdens behind them; but through all the suffering, disorder, and loss there has been growing up a new and lasting prosperity which finds its illustration in the really noble Exposition at Atlanta. For the next few months this fine and rapidly growing city ought to be visited by every man and woman who can make the journey. The Exposition is not international, but it is National, and in some respects the more important because of its limitations. It ought to have generous support. The antidote for provincial Americanism, such as one still finds in New England, in the South and in the West, is a fuller acquaintance with other sections of the country. The North and West now have the opportunity of seeing the South at one of its great centers and in the richest expression of its material life which has yet been made. They will also undoubtedly, through public and private hospitality, have the opportunity of coming into touch with the generous and warm-hearted Southern nature. There was a world of meaning in the presence of Mr. Booker T. Washington among so many distinguished Southern leaders at the opening ceremonies at Atlanta, and it was especially gratifying that this colored man in some sense made the speech of the occasion—a report of which the readers of The Outlook will find in another column. Mr. Washington's presence and utterance marked the enormous stride which has been taken in the South, not only in industrial but in racial progress. Even more than the fraternal meetings at Chattanooga it signified the death of that old sentiment which not only made the South provincial, but which shut it off from the sympathies of the world. The old South had many fine characteristics and many attractive qualities, but the new South, penetrated by the National sentiment, is a greater and a nobler South.—The Outlook.

In the Morning

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The heavy frost last week hit some of the late celery about these parts pretty hard.

Mrs. Hettie Brewer and Miss Bertine Brewer were Toledo visitors yesterday, returning to-day.

E. E. Shoebottom, V. S., went Tuesday to North Baltimore, Ohio, where, we understand, he will locate.

Frank Allen, who is now chief train dispatcher for the C. J. & M. Ry., at Toledo, called on Tecumseh friends yesday.

Jno. S. Wells brought in the latest sample of potatoes, four mammoth seedlings weighing 5 lb, 1 1-2 oz. The largest contains 2 lb 1 oz. of starch, water etc.

Mrs. Josiah Phelps and daughter Louise departed Tuesday for Tacoma, Wash., where they will spend the winter with David Phelps who resides in that city.

Co. C. Attention—Every member of the company is requested to be present at the business meeting next Tuesday evening as important business is to be transacted.

Mrs. James Pittman and Miss Kate Hutchinson who have been spending the summer in the Stewart house on Chicago street, returned home to Detroit yesterday.

Geo. Knapp's new house is progressing finely. It is all enclosed and the lathers are now at work. When completed it will be one of the finest residences on Pottawatamie street.

The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. have brought a new supply of poles to Tecumseh and will rebuild their lines hereabouts. A long distance phone will also be put in here. You can talk with most anybody thon, for a consideration.

Will Carlton, the poet, will celebrate his fiftieth birthday, Oct. 21st. Tens of thousands of people, scattered all over this broad land, whose lives have been made brighter and hearts happier by his genial verses, will unite in extending their good wishes to the Lenawee county poet.

Last Wednesday, Oct. 16, Mrs. Peter R. Adams celebrated her 80th birthday by giving a party to a number of her friends. Mrs. Adams still enjoys excellent health and her friends confidently expect an invitation to her centennial celebration, provided they are here to receive it. Waller Adams, of Philadelphia, was present on the occasion.

This morning Bert Rector met with quite an accident while riding his new wheel. He was riding one way on Evans street near the railroad crossing while Joe Lanning was going the other way. They attempted to pass, but it seems that the wheel went the wrong way, running into the team. The horses became frightened, running over Fred and his wheel. The rider was severely bruised and the wheel pretty badly demolished.

Announcements are out of the wedding of Mr A. M. Kennedy and Miss Grace E. Stevens, both of Clinton. The ceremony took place at 6 o'clock Monday morning and the couple were greeted by many friends as they passed through Tecumseh on the morning train. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy will be at home in Clinton after Oct. 21st. Their many Tecumseh friends beg leave to extend their best wishes and congratulations.

On the way home from Grand Rapids last week we stopped at Allegan three hours between trains, and called upon the brethren of the quill. There are three printing offices in Allegan, the Journal, Democrat and Gazette. The former is still conducted by the old veteran Don Henderson, who has been in the harness close to half a century, and is the Republican organ. It occupies a fine office on the ground floor. The Gazette is probably the neatest and most complete office. It makes a specialty of horticultural matters, and has a large list extending through several counties. The Democrat is the democratic organ and is doing a fine business in a strong Republican locality.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 18, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

We want some wood.

Beautiful October weather.

John Heck was in Toledo last Monday.

James Ingersoll has been off duty for a few days from illness.

The hose company had an exhibition drill last Tuesday evening.

Miss Hattie Whittier returned last week from her visit to Elgin, Ill.

Have you bought a ticket for the Redpath concert tomorrow evening?

Robert Stretch has been sojourning at home two or three days this week.

Miss Ella Lehn, of Manchester, is the guest of Miss Lena Arnold this week.

Only twenty-five season tickets for the Star Course remained unsold this morning.

The buckwheat season has opened and Chas. Heck will grind buckwheat every Friday hereafter.

Lawrence Bauer was called to Adrian Monday to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. John D. Kaiser.

Fred Rosacrans and Will Caldwell took a trip to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti on their wheels last Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Beamish is very seriously ill with typhoid fever. Her condition is not slightly improved this morning.

S. P. Smith has been appointed postmaster at Ridgeway. No better selection could have been made. He will fill the bill to a dot.

Mr. Jacob Totten returned from his visit to Petoskey, Kalkaska, Belding and Kalamazoo, last Saturday, having had a pleasant visit.

Miss May Hall took the Mackinaw excursion train yesterday for Cincinnati to make a few days' visit with her brother, Will Hall, at Covington.

Mrs. S. A. James, of Detroit, is in town this week. After a brief visit here she will leave for the South, to spend the winter in a milder climate.

A living picture in our window Saturday afternoon. Everyone invited to see them, especially the children.
ANDERSON & Co.

L. W. Temple has started a grocery store. Leon Temple holds the reins and peddles out the groceries, and he is "rushing on" to the business very nicely.

The Knights of Pythias lodge was organized at Tipton last Tuesday evening by Hudson brethren. There are thirty-four charter members and Dr. Fox is the chancellor commander.

The Congregational church of Hudson will try the free pew system during the coming year. This plan will probably increase the church attendance and decrease the minister's salary.

Mr. Richard V. Wilson, formerly an old Tecumseh boy, who is now with Allen & Parkhurst, of Toledo, O., is taking a course in short hand and type writing at the Tri-State Business College of that place.

Each and every selection Mme. Bishop sang at the Arlington concert was a gem in itself. She sings with her whole heart, and the sounds of her charming voice went straight to the hearts of her listeners.—Hot Springs, Ark.

Benjamin Kelly, of Raisin, departed this life at his home in Holloway, Wednesday morning. He was one of the well known among the pioneers of the township and commanded the respect of all who knew him. His age was 72 years at his death.

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Mrs. Murray's mastery of the harp, that most expressive instrument, was a revelation. She is of modest and sweet appearance, and plays with a grace in perfect accord with the harmony her trained fingers evoke. Her technique is that of an artist in love with her instrument, and aside from her wonderful instrumentation, she gives life and spirit to the tone.—Journal, Minneapolis, Minn.

Buy your Star Course tickets at once.

P. S. Hendershot went to Britton last Tuesday.

Chas. Bidwell was an Adrian visitor Wednesday.

Miss Adah Cullen called on Toledo friends Monday.

George Teachout, landlord of the Central Hotel, is on the sick list.

Satterthwaite Bros. have a revised message among the advertisements this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart, of Dundee, spent last Sabbath with Wm. Ide's family.

Anderson & Co., have a change of card this week. Capes and Jackets is the topic.

Rev. W. R. Blachford was called to Bay City last Monday to officiate at a wedding.

Mrs. Hattie Hurd left home Tuesday for Freeport, Ill., expecting to make a lengthy visit there.

A. W. Slayton has just returned from Detroit and Royal Oak lumber yards. He found business very good.

The new Lake Shore passenger depot is being pushed along rapidly, and will soon be ready for the painters.

Mrs. J. P. Varner and Mrs. P. C. Snell are in Chelsea this week, attending a meeting of the district W. F. M. S.

Persons, who are seeking employment, should read the advertisement of the S. I. Bell Co. in another column.

H. M. Temple, of [illegible] Minn., was in town over Sun[illegible]eft on the early train Monda[illegible]siness trip east.

Miss Lou Arner, of Ridgeway, has taken a position as clerk in Harris & Hiteshue's store. This is a wise arrangement all round.

The sudden appearance of summer birds is a puzzle to everybody. We see more songsters this morning than we have noticed in the past six months.

Remember our special sale of capes and jackets tomorrow, Oct. 19.
THE FREESE-WHITTLESEY CO.,
Clinton, Mich.

Editor Fifield, of the Deerfield Times, was in town Monday and gave the HERALD a friendly call. He has recently added a new press to the Times office.

Read the prospectus of the Country Gentleman in another column. It is one of the best agricultural papers published, and is clubbed with the HERALD at reduced rates.

Mr. Rudolf VonScarpa rendered the "Polonaise" by Liszt with precision and faultless technique. For an encore he played Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" with exquisite delicacy and charm, and was enthusiastically applauded.—The Times, Minneapolis.

Harris & Hiteshu announce the fact, which will be interesting news to the ladies, that on Saturday, Oct. 19th, and Monday Oct. 21st. they will show a complete line of ladies capes and jackets from one of the largest manufacturers in this country. This will be a chance which the ladies cannot afford to miss.

A petition has been circulated asking that Hudson be put under the curfew law, which provides that children shall not be allowed on the streets after the hours of 8 in the winter and 9 in the summer. In several of Michigan's villages this law is being enforced, and the published accounts are to the effect that it gives good satisfaction.

The work of collecting information for Chapin's Tecumseh Directory will be completed this week. Every effort has been made to obtain complete information, correct to date. Those who have lately made any change of business or residence, or who may think their names have been omitted, are requested to leave information at the office of the Herald or News, as soon as Nov. first.

Miss Powell is a born artist—too conscientious to resort to trick for the purpose of capturing applause—and, being an artist, her moods are so variable that if one listens to her a hundred times it is only to come away, not only with gratification, but also puzzled to know how and by what witchery she contrives to render so varied the interpretation of the same work. She executes the Mendelssohn concerto as no other violinist in America can.—Brooklyn Citizen.

Postmaster General Wm. L. Wilson yesterday afternoon made final announcement of his determination to grant Detroit and Michigan the relief desired in the matter of the establishment of fast mail service. The mail will be sent over the Canadian lines from Buffalo to Detroit. This terminates the long contest for the betterment of mail facilities and is a great victory for the Michigan fast mail committee and Hon. Don. M. Dickinson, who made the splendid presentation of their claims before the postmaster general last Saturday afternoon.—Adrian Telegram.

The business men of Jackson have attempted a novelty in evangelist work. Twelve of them have agreed to occupy the pulpit of the Free Will Baptist church, one each Sunday evening, during the next three months. They will preach on a great variety of subjects. Hon. E. W. Barker opened with an able address on "Reform." Other prominent speakers who will follow are: Hon. James O'Donnell, Warden Chamberlain, Prof. McCullough, Prof. Wesley Sears, Mayor A. J. Weatherwax, Hon. T. E. Barkworth, Hon. D. P. Sagendorph and Thomas A. Wilson.

Redpath Concert tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Hettie Brower was in Detroit last Saturday.

Major Seymour Howell was over from Adrian Tuesday.

Postmaster Chas. Keeber, of Palmyra, was on our streets Tuesday,

The regular October session of the board of supervisors is being held this week.

Clinton, Macon, Ridgeway, Tipton, and Onsted have all invested liberally in Star Course tickets.

W. H. Brown, of Hudson, traveling passenger agent for the Lake Shore, was in town Wednesday.

The Coiled Spring Hustler for September has arrived. It keeps hustling, as usual, for the Page wire fence.

The Star Course will open tomorrow evening most auspiciously, and the first entertainment will be given to a crowded house.

M. L. Gillen is now prepared to paint carriages in first-class shape. Also house painting, calsimining, paper hanging, etc.

The Freese-Whittlesey Co of Clinton, hold a special sale of capes and jackets tomorrow, Oct. 19. They offer some great bargains.

Mrs. Charles Beal was called to Britton the fore part of the week on account of the sickness of her mother Mrs. C. Hoagland.

C. E. Williamson is in attendance upon the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, which is held at Lansing this week. He goes as a delegate from the Tecumseh lodge.

D. C. Andrews & Co. report their sales good on La Besta. They have recently filled orders for twenty cases to Cincinnati, ten cases to Chicago and ten to Milwaukee.

Percy Patterson, of Bay City, the young man who broke the half mile state record at the Tecumseh bicycle meet in August, was in town on business Wednesday.

The teachers of Raisin, Ridgeway, Macon, Clinton and Tecumseh, with the east half of Franklin and Adrian, will hold a meeting at Tecumseh Saturday, Oct. 19, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Fayette Normal University is a school with a purpose. What that purpose is will be shown in the catalogue. Good work counts. Our students are our best friends. The next term begins Nov. 5.

Next year will be the last leap year of the century, and another will not occur until 1904. So that maiden ladies of uncertain age will need to take advantage of their opportunity or forever after expect to enjoy the peace of single blessedness.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist church, will begin a series of five sermons to young people next Sunday night. The following topics will be discussed: "Young Men Who are to Be Giants;" "Young Men and Their Company;" "Our Girls;" "Husbands;" "Wives."

Mrs. Bishop is one of the best-known concert singers in America. Memphis will always give her a welcome after her artistic singing at the Beethoven concert last evening. She has a wonderful voice of great power and a brilliant quality and fine method.—Memphis, Tenn.

The Tecumseh Star Course is meeting with great success this season. Of the 650 Season Tickets to be sold 625 are now sold—only 25 more to sell. The course opens to-morrow night with the Redpath Grand Concert Co. Admission $1.00. Any one wanting season tickets at $1.50 should call on the committee at once, or they can be secured at the box office.

The native wife of an English merchant figures as a character of secondary importance in Julian Ralph's story, Alone in China, which is one of the prominent features in the current number of Harper's Magazine. In the November number the fortunes of the same character will be traced, her anomalous position furnishing the author with an opportunity for a vigorous characterization of Oriental society.

Secretary H. H. Ferguson, of the Lenawee County Agricultural society, is paying up the bills and premiums with commendable promptness. The premium list is the largest ever known, requiring over $600 more money to settle the claims than ever before. While it is impossible to tell how much will be left, it is thought a snug sum will be realized to be used in paying for the grounds.

The first Pingree county fair is now in progress at Detroit in the armory of the Detroit Grays. It is an exhibition of potatoes, pumpkins, corn, cabbages, etc., raised on the Pingree plan to help out the poor of the city. And whether Pingree ever did anything else worthy of mention or not that scheme showed him to be a man of the people. The fair promises to be an immense success, crowds being present last night. Pingree may be a scheming politician, but the man who tries to get into power by fighting the battles of the common people is such a rarity in modern politics, that he stands out unique and alone among the self seeking corruptionists of the closing hours of this century.—Adrian Telegram.

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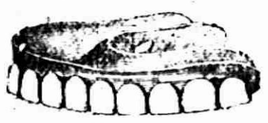

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A GOOD CROP.

Wheat and Other Grains a Little Short But the Average Is Good.

LANSING, Oct. 11.—The state department in issuing the monthly crop report for October, places the average yield of wheat per acre in the state at 13.30 bushels, and the crop for 1895 at 16,782,637 bushels, or 4,658,778 bushels less than in 1894. There were reported marketed in September, 1,095,469 bushels, and for August-September, 1,798,468, or 677,606 bushels less than for the same months last year. The oat crop is estimated at 21 bushels per acre; barley, 15.78, and corn 60 bushels of ears. Compared with average crops potatoes are estimated to yield 82 per cent.; beans, 78; winter apples, 25, and late peaches, 83. Potatoes yield 38 per cent., and corn 21 bushels per acre more than last year, and oats 7 bushels less.

THE THREE LINKS.

Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows Meets at Lansing.

LANSING, Oct. 16.—Grand Master Salter in his annual address to the Michigan grand lodge of odd fellows Tuesday stated that while there was a net loss in membership of 740 during the last fiscal year ending December 31 last the loss had been more than overcome by the phenomenal growth of the order during the last ten months, and he predicted the reports to be made in December will show this has been the banner year in the history of the order. Eighteen subordinate and forty-four Rebekah lodges have been organized during the year. The Rebekahs were organized into an assembly Tuesday as provided by the sovereign grand lodge.

STRUCK A VEIN OF WARM WATER

Well Diggers Near White Pigeon Believe They Will Discover Coal.

WHITE PIGEON, Oct. 15.—While driving a well on the farm of John Middling, near the village, F. W. Northrop's men struck at a depth of 25 feet a stratum of coarse gravel and warm water of 98 degrees. Nothing of the kind has been before found in this section of the country. Many speculations are rife as to the cause of this phenomenon. Geologists hold that underlying this sheet of warm water, at no great depth, is a large quantity of soft coal, which, undergoing metamorphosis, generates sufficient heat to warm the water. It is possible that gas as well as coal may be found.

TYPHOID FEVER IN MICHIGAN.

Disease Is More Prevalent In the State Than Ever Before.

LANSING, Oct. 12.—Typhoid fever is more prevalent in Michigan than ever before, which is attributed to the low water in wells as a result of the continuous dry weather. The secretary of the state board of health reports 260 outbreaks for the quarter ending September 30, which is 105 in excess of the same period in 1894. There have also been 195 cases of smallpox reported since the beginning of the year, of which forty-five have been fatal. It is believed to be confined to three localities at present.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

Mosher Failure Carries Down Another Saginaw Lumberman.

BAY CITY, Oct. 13.—The failure of Alfred Mosher & Son has bankrupted A. Maltby, another prominent lumberman, who on Saturday gave mortgages aggregating $144,171.19. The creditors are mostly Bay City mill men who have been sawing for Maltby. These two failures have created a great sensation in the lumber market and will seriously affect the business interests in the Saginaw valley. Bay City banks escape without loss, but Detroit, Saginaw and Alpena banks have a great deal of both Mosher's and Maltby's paper.

Michigan Wins State Tax Cases.

LANSING, Oct. 12.—The state won a victory of vast importance when the supreme court issued a writ of mandamus directing the county of Bay to pay its claim for back state taxes collected and retained by the county. The amount of the state's claim is $108,000, but this decision renders possible also the immediate collection of claims against other counties aggregating several hundred thousand dollars which have been hanging fire for years, in addition to settling several other important questions.

Will Fill the Industrial Homes.

LANSING, Oct. 13. — The industrial homes at Adrian and Lansing are liable to be taxed to their utmost capacity. The attorney general filed an opinion Saturday that under the compulsory education law of last winter children between the ages of 7 and 16 years can be sent to those institutions for truancy. The maximum term of imprisonment is ten years. Under the statute which the new law repealed no child under 12 years old could be so committed.

Death of Willard S. Pope.

DETROIT, Oct. 12.—Willard S. Pope, president of the Detroit Bridge and Iron works, died here Thursday evening, aged 63. He had a great reputation as a bridge designer and builder and had devoted the latter years of his life to that business. He was chief engineer of the Chicago & Northwestern in the '60s, and also served in an engineering capacity for the Illinois Central. He was a talented man and possessed literary attainments of a high order.

Train Wrecked in Michigan.

BRIGHTON, Mich., Oct. 12.—Freight train No. 44 on the Detroit, Lansing & Northern road was wrecked here by a broken axle at 4 o'clock Friday morning. Six cars, together with their contents, consisting of 100 head of sheep, apples, flour and general merchandise, were completely destroyed. The train crew escaped injury.

Marshes for Peppermint Fields.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 11.—The mammoth marshes at the outskirts of the town are being plowed preparatory to growing peppermint. The marshes have long been valueless.

STATE NEWS.

Many Paragraphs of General Interest to Be Found Below.

The crop of hazel and other nuts will be heavy this season.

A second crop of timothy hay has been cut by a farmer near Pinckney. It is pronounced excellent.

Over $8,000 has been paid out for cucumbers in the vicinity of Bangor by the Dingeen pickle factory during the season just closed.

Average yields of 100 bushels per acre for corn and 150 bushels for potatoes are reported from Livingston county.

An infant of William Hathaway, living near Scottville, fell into a swill barrel and was drowned.

George S. Clapp, leader of the Berrien county bar and one of the best-known attorneys in Southern Michigan, died at Benton Harbor recently.

At the session of the Episcopal triennial conference at Minneapolis last week the diocese of northern Michigan was created.

Michigan's forestry exhibit at Atlanta is in the form of a large pavilion nine feet high, which is used as a general headquarters for the Michigan visitors.

Old settlers say that the water in St. Joseph river is lower than ever before known. Several bars have formed, rendering navigation almost impassable.

From South Haven alone this year there have been shipped nearly 1,000,000 baskets of peaches by boat and 600,000 by the cars. For four months over 2,000 men and 200 teams were kept busy.

At Ann Arbor Saturday the University of Michigan football team defeated the Detroit eleven by a score of 42 to 0.

Robert L. Carey, of St. Joseph, has sued the Buchanan Weekly Record for $10,000 damages for libel.

A buggy factory, in which D. Denbleyker and Horace Peck are interested, has been incorporated to do business at Holland.

MARITAL RELATIONS MIXED.

Two Husbands and a Paramour Testify Against Mrs. Bradford.

DETROIT, Oct. 16.—A case is on trial here before Judge Hosmer wherein William L. Sagar is suing Mrs. Pleasant Bradford for $5,000, money advanced on a bond given the woman to induce her to return to her husband after she eloped with the plaintiff. He discovered after paying an annuity for years that instead of going to her husband she was married to a Detroit butcher, Peter Platz, twenty years her junior, without the formality of a divorce. He in turn left her when he learned the fact. All three of the men involved testified against her, the husband coming on.

ATTENDANCE AT ANN ARBOR.

Michigan University Has in All Departments 2,708 Students.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 15.—The official figures of the registration at the university of Michigan were given out Monday night. They are as follows, by departments: Literary, 1,119; engineering, 305; medical, 401; law, 607; dental, 175; pharmacy, 76; homeopathic, 23; total to date, 2,708. After this date last year 349 students registered. If the same be true this year the final enrollment will reach 3,057. The increase of 160 from the figures of last year is distributed through all the departments, although greater in the literary, law and engineering departments.

Struck by a Train.

KENTON, Oct. 15.—While L. Westenberg, proprietor of a restaurant, and Mrs. Jane Wood were crossing the high bridge on the way to the depot Monday morning they were knocked from the bridge by a train, falling 40 feet. Mrs. Wood received injuries which will prove fatal. Westenberg may recover. They were in the middle of the bridge when the train whistled. For some reason both stood perfectly still, the woman waving her hand to stop the train, but not making the slightest move to get off the bridge.

Tax Cases to Be Reopened.

LANSING, Oct. 16.—Last week Circuit Judge Stone, of the Twenty-fifth circuit, set aside 1,600 real estate descriptions for taxes at Crystal Falls, Iron county, on account of errors and informalities of the local assessing officers in assessing the taxes of 1893 which are delinquent. Auditor General Turner proposes to have the action reviewed by the supreme court in an effort to enforce the collection of the state tax.

Faster Mail Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 15.—Postmaster General Wilson said Monday that the request of Detroit and Michigan people for faster service would be granted. If a faster service cannot be secured over American lines the mail cars and clerks will be carried over Canadian lines. Mr. Wilson added that there is ample authority for such a move.

Pioneer School-Mistress Dead.

OWOSSO, Oct. 10.—Mrs. A. B. Beach, the oldest resident of Shiawassee county, died in this city Wednesday morning, at the age of 95 years. Mrs. Beach came here in 1836 and opened the first school taught in the county, and the village of Bancroft is located on the former Beach homestead. Mrs. Beach leaves an estate of $200,000.

Civil Service in Michigan.

LANSING, Oct. 13.—The state board of health adopted civil service rules to govern all appointments to be hereafter made in the department, and salaries will be graded according to the term of service and proficiency of the clerks.

Newspaper Burned Out.

SARANAC, Mich., Oct. 10. — Fitzgibbons & Co.'s car factory and the Saranac Advertiser office were destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. Loss, $16,000; partly insured.

Fevers Rage at Benton Harbor.

BENTON HARBOR, Oct. 13.—Typhoid and typhus malaria fevers are raging in this city. Several deaths have resulted from the diseases.

MASONIC TEMPLE DEDICATED.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Thronged with Visitors to the Grand Parade.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 16.—The masonic temple was dedicated Tuesday, the ceremonies being more elaborate and imposing than any before seen in this city. The principal streets are profusely decorated, many of the hotels and business houses and hotels being almost hidden by bunting and masonic emblems, while an electric display was made Tuesday night and viewed by no less than 12,000 visitors. The feature of the day was a parade at 2:30. The column, led by the Detroit Commandery Knights Templar, was nearly 2 miles in length. After the parade the dedicatory services were conducted by the grand lodge officers in accordance with the masonic ritual.

The temple occupies the four upper floors of the new seven-story building erected by Col. E. Crofton Fox, and the apartments were arranged and designed throughout with the purpose to which they will be put kept constantly in view. In furnishings and fittings the temple will be the finest, richest and most sumptuous in the United States, in this respect no regard having been paid to expense. The furniture, all constructed after special designs by the Nelson Mathes company, of this city, cost $15,000, and the heavy velvet carpets, the silk and tapestry draperies, the rugs, wall finishings and other features cost as much more. The master of the blue lodge will sit in a solid mahogany chair which alone cost $250, and the high priest in the chapter will have a chair that cost as much. The top of the altars are 2-inch planks of solid mahogany and the ornamentations are of the finest hand carving. Everything else is on the same scale.

The sixth and seventh stories of the temple are devoted to the uses of the consistory, commandery and shrine. On the south side of the building, opening from the sixth floor, is the asylum, 47x70 feet in size and 40 feet high, with a gallery on two sides, smoking and choir rooms opening from the gallery and parlors and smoking-rooms from the asylum in front. On the same floor, in the northwest corner of the building, is the Red Cross room, 31 feet square, with a heavily-vaulted roof, the walls shaded from deep red to gray, and in the middle of the ceiling a red cross illuminated by hidden electric lights.

The armory for the commandery is located on the north side of the sixth floor, with a vaulted passage separating it from the asylum, and in front are parlors, offices and reception rooms. On the seventh floor are parlors in front and a large drill room or banquet hall in the rear, with kitchen, china closet and private dining room attached.

The fourth and fifth floors are occupied by the blue lodge and chapter. On the south side of the fourth floor, in front, are two large parlors of the blue lodge, furnished in mahogany and upholstered in corduroy, with an examination and preparation-room adjoining and then the blue lodge room, which has been named Corinthian hall. The lodge room is 47½x66 and the ceiling reaches to the top of the fifth floor.

On the north side of the building, fourth floor, is the chapter room, the most sumptuous and elaborate of them all. The room is Moorish in design, with oriental decorations in gold and red, with red carpet and cherry woodwork, the furniture in mahogany and the upholstering to correspond with the other fittings. On the fifth floor are the Masonic club rooms with parlors, billiard rooms, and card rooms in front and a large banquet hall, with kitchen and china closets, in the rear.]

LITTLE GIRL MURDERED.

Shocking Climax to a Mystery at Ishpeming.

ISHPEMING, Oct. 16.—On June 24 last a 5-year-old daughter of Adolph Lafrenieres disappeared, and, though a thorough search was made, no trace of her was found. Tuesday, however, the decomposed remains of the little one were found in the attic of the house of a neighbor named Wendel, where she was last seen before she disappeared. An examination showed that her skull had been fractured and there were blood stains on her clothing. An investigation is being made by the police.

Michigan Bank Statement.

LANSING, Oct. 15.—Banking Commissioner Sherwood reports that at the close of business September 28 the state banks of Michigan had loans and discounts, stocks, bonds and mortgages aggregating $67,938,834, an increase over July 11, the date of the last previous report, of $2,763,323. The undivided profits amounted to $2,005,547 and surplus to $2,672,792. The total deposits increased $3,136,203. The saving deposits were $40,333,612; commercial, $8,801,503; increase, $1,081,944 and $1,405,718 respectively.

Died at the Age of 103.

DETROIT, Oct. 10.—Mrs. Hinda Fink, a Polish Jewess, died here, aged 103 years. She had been a widow for forty-four years, and during all that time earned her own living by needlework. She was able to move around quite briskly until three months ago, when she began to fail, and her eyesight remained as keen as ever up to the very last. She had sixty descendants, including thirty-nine grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren.

Two Big Mortgages Filed.

BAY CITY, Mich., Oct. 12.—Alfred Mosher & Son, a big lumber firm of this city, Thursday filed two mortgages, one in favor of G. H. Tilden, of New Lebanon, N. Y., for $56,780; the other in favor of the Union national bank, of Troy, N. Y., for $217,029. The mortgages cover all of the firm's extensive business interests in this city and its lumber and mills north of here.

To Enforce the Medical Law.

JACKSON, Oct. 12.—A movement to drive out all illegal medical practitioners, clairvoyants, faith doctors, etc., was inaugurated at a meeting of about twenty-five of Jackson's physicians Friday. They claim a lax observance of the state law has made Jackson a dumping ground. All available legal power will be employed to this end.

Dr. Brownson Fined $1,000.

TRAVERSE CITY, Oct. 13.—In the circuit court Saturday afternoon Judge Corbett imposed a sentence of $1,000 fine, the extreme limit, upon Dr. Myron S. Brownson, who was found guilty of manslaughter a week ago. He was tried on the charge of causing the death of Hattie Belle Coe last March.

Secures Grand Rapids Opera House.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Oct. 10.—John T. Condon, manager of the Temple opera house, has formed a circuit of theaters in lower Michigan, and has just completed his circuit by the acquisition of the Powers opera house at Grand Rapids.

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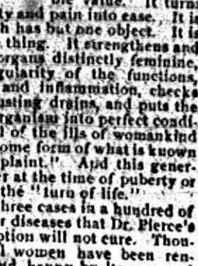

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Oct. 20. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Choosing of the Seven.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts vi. 1-8.

Division of labor is as necessary in the church as in any secular business. Possession of a certain temperament and skill fits a person for one kind of work, but just as surely disqualifies for other sorts.

Care for the bodily wants and physical well being of its members is a part of the duty of the church. Care for and relief of the poor, sick and needy bring spiritual culture to those giving aid of more value than all the benefit of body received by those whom they have helped. The poor are always here and the duty is always laid on Christians to seek them and become helpful to them. No other check is so effectual to avarice and selfishness as to give to some needy person.

Fraternal and benevolent orders are numerous and often receive more attention from church members than is given to the church work. Some of them take better care of their members than many churches do of theirs. Is their rapid growth evidence of neglect on the part of the church? Or is it only an indication that the principles of Christianity are leavening society and elevating men into fraternity? Perhaps both these thoughts are true.

Does official position in the church unfit a person for activity in the devotional services? Is possession of secular business ability a sufficient qualification for appointment to office in the church? Why do so few trustees and stewards in the Methodist Episcopal church attend and take part in the prayer and class meetings? Why has it become so difficult and in many places impossible to find men fitted for class leaders or to take charge of prayer meetings?

A thorough study of this lesson will throw some light on all this dark subject and reveal several principles which should be applied in every church.

1. Every Christian should contribute regularly, systematically and liberally to the benevolences of the church.

2. The needy cases and causes should be carefully considered and treated according to their merits.

3. This work should not be left to the preachers, but placed in charge of those specially fitted to do it.

4. Wisdom and deep spirituality are essential qualifications for this office.

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spirituality without fanaticism, faith and zeal balanced by sound judgment, all pointed him out as the man providentially raised up to lead the hosts of India into a new day. We commend the study of his work to all our members.

The Greatest Discovery.

The way in which Dr. C. H. Payne worded it at the Chattanooga convention was somewhat startling: "The present age has been marked by brilliant discoveries, but the greatest discovery has yet to be made, and when made will startle and quicken the world. That discovery is the discovery of Christ. He has never yet been really and fully known; has never been rightly recognized; never had a fitting place in the world for which he died. Christ's own type of Christianity must and will be realized. The greatest need of the world today is the Christianization of Christianity—the making of Christianity what Christ intended it to be."

The Other Side.

But blame does not lie wholly on the side of members of the church. Oftentimes strangers rudely repel the advances made. Sometimes they forget they are guests and act with boorish incivility. Some appear to think they have conferred great favor upon the church by attending and act as if the whole thing belonged to them. "Be courteous," was a direction no more needed in the days of the apostle that at present.

A Thirsty Nation.

The beer drank in the United States last year amounted to over 16 gallons for every person; distilled spirits, 1¼ gallons; wine, nearly one-half gallon.

This made the enormous total of 279,746,044 gallons of beer, 69,572,062 gallons of spirits and 10,700,000 gallons of imported wine. The consumption of beer exceeded that of coffee two gallons per person.

What We Paid For It.

The tax last year on spirituous liquors amounted to $85,259,546. On fermented liquors it was $31,414,493. The tax on tobacco was $28,617,898.

The retail cost of the intoxicating liquors consumed in the United States last year was $1,014,759,057.

There are no trifles in the moral universe of God.—Punshon.

Guilt is the very nerve of sorrow.—Bushnell.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

MAJ. ARMES (retired), who was arrested recently for using insulting language to Gen. Schofield, and confined in the barracks at Washington, was discharged by Judge Bradley, of the district supreme court, who characterized the arrest as unlawful, tyrannical and capricious.

IT was feared that the steamer Africa, with her crew of ten men, had been lost on Lake Huron.

THE anniversary of the execution of the seven students and the beginning of the first insurrection was celebrated by Cubans at New York, Tampa, Key West and other places.

THE Missouri state grange, in session at Warrentown, passed resolutions demanding an export duty on agricultural products.

A STAY of proceedings was granted in the case of Father Flaherty, under sentence at Geneseo, N. Y., for assaulting a young girl, and the prisoner was liberated under $10,000 bail.

A STORAGE reservoir at Scranton, Pa., containing 2,500,000 gallons of water, burst and did great damage to adjoining property.

EDWARD EVANS met his wife, who had just secured a divorce from him, on the street at Alexandria, Minn., and shot her dead, and then sent a bullet through his own heart.

THE executive committee of the National Library association decided to hold the next convention at Cleveland, September 1, 1896.

CINCINNATI'S board of trade will send a junketing committee to Mexico to drum up trade.

THE state health authorities of Kentucky were alarmed over the prevalence of diphtheria and typhoid fever in the state. Many deaths were reported.

LIZZIE BRYANT, aged 14, died at Sabula, Ia., being the fifth victim of the poisoning at the Taplin-Gage wedding at that place.

MRS. JOSEPH BURNS died at Duluth, Minn., from blood poisoning. While caring for her young son, who was ill with diphtheria, the child in its agony bit the mother and death was the result.

MOSHER & MCDONALD, one of the largest logging firms in Washington, whose property is worth $500,000, was placed in the hands of a receiver.

MRS. CATHERINE HARK, aged 64 years, was murdered at Dayton, O., and her daughter, with whom she quarreled during the day, was held for the crime.

HARRY LYONS was hanged in Chicago for the murder of Albert Mason on February 9 last.

FOUR men were killed and seven others fatally injured as the result of the collapse of the casting house of the Cleveland valley mills at Cleveland, O.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 11th aggregated $1,144,304,762, against $1,137,089,777, the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 23.2.

A BOY named Toomey died at Pittsburgh, Pa., from excessive cigarette smoking. He had smoked several boxes daily for years.

MANDY CADY and Florence English, her paramour, were sentenced to be hanged at Washington, Ga., for the murder of the woman's husband.

SAILING vessels and revenue cutters from Behring sea report a great scarcity of seals this season and aver that in five years the seals would be wholly exterminated.

THE Citizens' bank of Omaha, Neb., was closed by order of the state board of examiners. Inability to realize on outstanding paper caused the failure.

THERE were 268 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 11th, against 207 the week previous and 231 in the corresponding time in 1894.

DANIEL LAWSON, aged 25, and Miss Georgia Rhinehart were found dead in bed at the Ewalt house at Omaha, Neb., where they had been asphixiated by gas.

DELEGATES from normal schools of Illinois, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas met at St. Joseph, Mo., and formed an oratorical association.

BY the explosion of a threshing engine near Mountlake, Minn., Joseph Schumacher, Jasper Malette and two other men, names unknown, were killed.

AT Liberty, Tex., Kit Robinson (colored) was hanged for the murder in June, 1895, of John Johnson.

EDWARD KESSLER, manager of the Louisville branch of the American Tobacco company, stood before a mirror and committed suicide.

THE Illinois Federation of Labor in session at Peoria laid a motion on the table expressing sympathy for Eugene V. Debs.

WILL HENDERSON (colored) was taken from the sheriff at Jackson, Mo., and hanged for assaulting Minnie Rust.

GEORGE TURNER, in a fit of jealousy, dashed a cup of sulphuric acid in his wife's face at Sistersville, W. Va. She died a few hours after in great agony.

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JOHN F. SOULE and other old settlers on land near Aberdeen, Wash., valued at $1,000,000, won the suit brought by the Northern Pacific railroad company to eject them.

THE drought in Adams county, O., was so severe that farmers were compelled to haul water for stock from 6 to 10 miles. Water was selling at from twenty-five to forty cents a barrel.

EX-POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER, of Philadelphia, was elected president of the American Sabbath School association in session at Williamsport, Pa.

A CALL was issued for a national convention of colored men to meet in Detroit, Mich., December 12 to deliberate upon principles and measures important to their welfare.

IN attempting to step across the track in front of an incoming train at Mount Meigs, Ala., Miss Mattie Murdock was struck by the engine and instantly killed.

MAZEPPA, the famous champion trick horse of the world, valued at $40,000, was instantly killed in a train wreck near Waterbury, Conn., and George W. Lusgoe, his groom, was fatally injured.

JAMES HUNTER, William Reynolds, Harvy Steiner and Charles Volkman were drowned near Baltimore by the capsizing of a boat.

IN a fight at a political meeting in Knott county, Ky., Tom Howard and Henry Patton (democrats) and Josiah Combs (republican) were killed.

HEAVY earthquake shocks were felt in the central portion of the Black Hills in South Dakota.

AN electric car in Pittsburgh leaped from the track and went down an embankment 10 feet high, killing four persons and injuring twelve others.

THE Masonic temple block in Duluth, Minn., was burned, the loss being $200,000.

J. B. BREWSTER & Co., manufacturers of carriages in New York, failed for $140,000.

AT a meeting of the Massachusetts Reform club in Boston Secretary Carlisle spoke on finances, declaring that the free siver coinage idea was waning.

THE State bank at Everest, Kan., closed its doors.

ALBERT PETERSON, Alexander Eastman, Ine Ingeson and George Payne were suffocated in a coal mine near Story City, Ia.

THE Commercial bank of Springfield, Mo., closed its doors with liabilities of $50,000.

THE farmers' national congress adopted a resolution at Atlanta, Ga., favoring reciprocity between the United States and the South and Central American countries.

COL. GEORGE MENDELL, the second ranking officer of the engineer corps of the army, was placed on the retired list on account of age.

IN the United States court of appeals at San Francisco Mrs. Leland Stanford won the suit against her to recover $15,537,000, alleged to be due the government from her husband's estate on account of Central Pacific bonds.

WILLIAM P. DONNELLY left Pawtucket, R. I., to walk and trundle a wheelbarrow to Sacramento, Cal., a distance of 3,000 miles, in eighty-two days on a wager of $1,000.

IN the national conference at Syracuse, N. Y., of Congregationalists the doctrine of the church on temperance was declared to be total abstinence.

FRANKLIN L. POPE, aged 65 years, one of the most noted electricians in the country, was killed by a shock in the cellar of his home at Great Barrington, Mass.

LEBBINS B. KING, of Lockport, N. Y., aged 83, committed suicide by jumping over the American falls at Niagara Falls.

THE treasury department discovered a counterfeit $10 silver certificate of the series of 1891, check letter D, bearing the portrait of Thomas A. Hendricks.

THE Farmers' National congress in session at Atlanta, Ga., refused by a vote of 251 to 104 to adopt a resolution favoring the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1.

JOHN L. THOMAS, assistant attorney general for the post office department, in his annual report to the postmaster general says the mails are virtually closed to all lottery concerns.

THREE bridge carpenters were knocked from the top of a high trestle by a falling timber near Butte, Mont., and killed.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 14th was: Wheat, 44,180,000 bushels; corn, 5,375,000 bushels; oats, 4,029,000 bushels; rye, 760,000 bushels; barley, 3,027,000 bushels.

N. B. FALCONER, a leading dry goods merchant at Omaha, Neb., failed for $150,000.

THE two pacing mares, Miss Rita and Josie B., went a mile double in 2:12¼ at Lexington, Ky., making a new world's record.

THE schooner Nellie Duff sank off Lorain, O., and Capt. Peterson and two sailors were drowned.

REPORTS to the agricultural department in Washington show a decline in the condition of all the principal crops except oats, rye and barley.

JACK CREWS was hanged at Denton Tex., for the murder of the Merrill family in 1866. He killed father, mother and children. The hanging was public, the crowd being estimated at 10,000.

THE United States supreme court opened its fall term in Washington.

THE advisory board of the American Protective association met at St. Louis to perfect a national organization.

THE national purity congress, comprising representatives of all churches and other religious bodies and philanthropic associations in sympathy with the objects of the congress, met in Baltimore.

FLORENTINA SUARIO, a Mexican, was lynched at Colusa, Tex., for the murder of H. T. Saul, a stockman.

THE State bank at Fort Scott, Kan., closed its doors because of the defalcation of the cashier, J. R. Coleman.

A PASSENGER train on the Norfolk & Western road was wrecked by a broken frog between Bluefield and Kenova, W. Va., and seventy-six persons were injured.

NEWS was received at Fort Smith, Ark., of the assassination of Cade Miller and his wife in bed at their home on the Oklahoma border.

MRS. JOSEPH LANGDON, the wife of a farmer living near Delta, O., gave birth to five children, all of them males.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MRS. SARAH E. V. EMERY, the well-known lecturer and writer on woman suffrage, died at Lansing, Mich.

J. J. BROOKS, ex-chief of the United States secret service, passed away at his home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

JUDGE CYRUS L. COOK, the republican candidate for congress in the Eighteenth Illinois district, who was nominated to succeed the late Congressman Remann, died in Chicago of heart disease.

GEN. WILLIAM J. LANDRAM, of Lancaster, Ky., veteran of the Mexican and civil wars and a personal friend of Gen. Grant, died in his 68th year.

ELISHA P. FERRY, governor of Washington territory from 1869 to 1875 and the first governor of the new state of Washington, died in Seattle, aged 70 years.

THE republicans of the Eighteenth Illinois district nominated W. F. L. Hadley, of Edwardsville, for congress.

CLARA DOTY BATES, a well-known authoress and writer of children's stories, died in Chicago, aged 57 years.

FOREIGN.

IN the hurricane which swept over La Paz, Mexico, 184 houses were destroyed, four lives lost and twenty-one persons were wounded. Nineteen craft, including an American schooner, were beached.

HAVANA advices say that the rebel leader Amereaga had been condemned to death, and Liembal, another insurgent chief, to penal servitude for life.

A WOMAN was arrested at Aderno, Italy, on the charge of poisoning children. After her arrest she confessed that she had poisoned twenty-three children, and led the officers to the graves of ten of them.

IT was stated that the total number of killed, wounded and missing Armenians up to date as a result of the recent uprising was over 700.

ROSS C. VAN BOKKELEN, who embezzled $13,000 in gold from the Merchants' Loan & Trust company of Chicago was captured in Mexico and would be brought back.

TO PREVENT her pilferings from being discovered by her parents, a 14-year-old girl, the daughter of a laborer in Santander, Colombia, murdered her three little brothers.

IT was reported that the sea coast town of Baracoa had been blown up by Cuban rebels.

FOUR persons were fatally burned near Winnipeg, Man., while fighting prairie fires.

GEN. ERASMUS D. KEYES, who was a volunteer brigadier general in the war of the rebellion, died at Nice, France, aged 85 years.

AT Chatham, Ont., the banking house of S. Barfoot was closed, with liabilities of $200,000.

THE German steamer Emma collided with the French bark Pacifique off Spurn Head and twelve persons were drowned.

AS A result of the British consul's interview with him the viceroy of China agreed to execute eighteen more persons accused of murdering missionaries.

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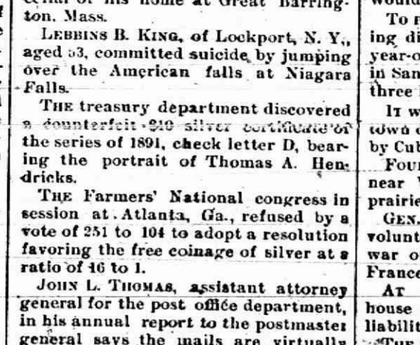

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*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:30 p m
*No. 55 —Pacific Express	11 45 p m
‡ No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 —Atlantic Express	5:34 a m
†No. 70—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:24 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:38 p m

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STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 365. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 50 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 38 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 13 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 00 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 364. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 17 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 25 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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IN EFFECT June 9, 1895.

EAST. No. 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 55	L....Allegan....A	3 40	8 15
.....	12 2	7 10	Monteith	2 28	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 36	7 10
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 18	6 20
7 32	3 10	9 01	Homer	11 25	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 31	Hanover	10 46	5 23
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 19
...	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 45	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	3 39
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 33	3 30
4 58	7 20	12 15	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	2 45
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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Last Monday night DeWitt C. Bowen's feathered possessions took flight, turkeys and all. As domestic fowls rarely fly at night unaided, Mr. Bowen began a search and found two of his choicest pets in Francisco's coop. Deputy Stevens was notified and information was obtained further implicating Francisco, showing that he had taken the rest of the poultry to Toledo for disposal. A complaint was made Wednesday night before Justice Wightman, and Deputy Stevens went to Toledo yesterday morning. He got the offender and the poultry. The poultry was sold. Francisco was willing enough to then act as agent even without pay, and requested the proceeds to be turned over to Mr. Bowen. He was arraigned before Justice Wightman on a charge of stealing 11 turkeys, 30 chickens and 1 1-2 bushels of corn. He waved examination and was bound over to the circuit court to appear next Monday. As the bail fixed could not be furnished, the prisoner was committed to the county jail where he was taken this morning by Deputy Stevens.

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Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas: During the past few months death has entered our ranks and claimed three of our earnest workers. Mrs. Charles F. Blood, Mrs. Julia J. Harding and Mrs. W. W. Marsh, obeyed the summons and passed over the river to their home beyond, while we as a society, are left to mourn. Therefore

Resolved, That although we do not understand why these were taken in the midst of their usefulness, yet, one high in authority has said, "what I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter," and we submissively bow to Him who doeth all things well. We miss them for their hearts were ever ever willing and their hands always ready to assist in every good work, and in their death our ladies society has suffered an itreparable loss. As we think of our loss, our sympathies go out to the afflicted families in their greater bereavement, and we pray that the divine Father may sustain and comfort them.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be placed on our record, and one presented to the families.

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Butter	20	23
Eggs, per doz	15	17
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		2 00
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 00	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 5¼	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 16
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb		6
Hides, green		25 to 85
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—New		$ 60
" Old		65
Corn, shelled		35 to 40
Oats	18	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00	to 12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	New York Oct. 16.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 65 @	5 30
Sheep	1 50 @	3 25
Hogs	4 40 @	4 55
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 50 @	3 75
Minnesota Bakers'	2 60 @	3 10
WHEAT—No 2 Reds	67⅝@	67¾
October	65⅝@	66
CORN—No 2	37⅝@	37½
October	36⅝@	36¾
OATS—No 2	24½@	24½
December	23½@	23¾
PORK—Mess	9 75 @	10 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 17½@	6 20
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	14 @	23
Western Dairy	10 @	14
EGGS	18 @	20
CHICAGO		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40 @	5 40
Stockers and Feeders	2 25 @	3 75
Cows	1 20 @	3 70
Texas Steers	2 75 @	3 50
HOGS—Light	3 60 @	4 15
Rough Packing	3 45 @	3 55
SHEEP	1 25 @	3 50
BUTTER—Creamery	9 @	22
Dairy	9¼@	18
Packing Stock	6 @	9
EGGS—Fresh	15 @	17
BROOM CORN (per ton	35 00 @	80 00
POTATOES (per bu)	17 @	24
PORK—Mess	8 50 @	8 62½
LARD—Steam	5 75 @	5 77½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 75 @	4 25
Spring Straights	2 50 @	3 25
Winter Patents	3 00 @	3 75
Winter Straights	2 00 @	3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	59¾@	60½
Corn, No 2	29½@	29¾
Oats, No 2	17½@	17¾
Rye, No 2	39½@	39¾
Barley, Choice to Fancy	39 @	45
MILWAUKEE		
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	67½@	68
Corn, No 2	31 @	31¼
Oats, No 2 White	19½@	19¾
Rye, No 1	40 @	40¾
Barley, No 2	40¼@	40½
PORK—Mess	8 50 @	8 55
LARD	5 70 @	5 75
ST LOUIS		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50 @	5 25
Texas	2 50 @	3 40
HOGS	3 40 @	4 50
SHEEP	2 00 @	3 50
OMAHA		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 00 @	4 00
Feeders	2 40 @	3 50
HOGS—Light and Mixed	3 60 @	3 80
Heavy	3 70 @	3 85
SHEEP	3 00 @	3 35

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Table Talk.

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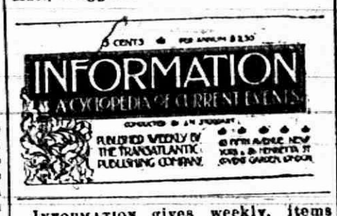

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OUR WHEELMEN ABROAD.

From the Alps Into Italy, Beautiful Venice and Verona and the Italian Lakes.

MR. EDITOR:—Italy and Italians made it necessary to change our tongue again and I will not betray how lamely and unfashionably we did so. The ridiculous makeshifts and the perfect gravity with which they are received, shows the Italians to be very courteous indeed. We rather dreamed than rode the first few miles of Italy. It was like entertering Eden from a polar ice field. But we reached a town and Italy's mask dropped. Dirty, white buildings, adorned with dirty frescoes just under the eaves, dirty churches with an outrageous picture of a virgin or holy family, or saint done in dirty colors and yellow streaked by the weather, the campanile or bell-towor always separate from the church, always square and white and dirty, and, finally, filthy children in rags, who run shrieking after us demanding a soldo. Then as we were leaving the town, crowds of maddened imps, minions of Satan I am sure, pursue us and rain stones upon us while they curse and grimace hideously.

After that town, the valley road was lined by houses and they were made of stone. If you know how the stone fences around a typical New York farm appear—heaped up stone and no mortar—you can imagine these houses. They are not windowless and the interior, wherever visible, is a mass of dirt. Crowds of workmen pass by singing furiously. The laboring women, however, are devoid of this lightsome spirit. A typical costume does not exist in this region. They wear anything which will partially cover nakedness. Rags are fastened in parellel stripes running horizontally, perpendicularly and bias. Rags, dirt and a polka-dot handkerchief is the national costume. Strips of cloth hang like stalactites from some of them.

While I was making these observations, my tire burst in an alarming manner. It looked for a moment as if all were over, but by dint of sacrificing our shoe-strings and lacing the hood tightly, we made the wheel rideable and decided to make one more desperate effort at Milan to get a new tire. On we went through queer hills and more bedizened and painted towns until we reached Lake Maggiore. This is another magic lake set in an enchanted landscape. On its banks grow fig trees, pomegranites, olives and the myrtle—yes, even the fabled cypress. Its islands are creations of a wizard's wand; Isola Bella with its terraces luxuriant with magnolias, lemon trees, cedars, laurels and oleanders of fabulous size, Isola Madre and (translated unpoetically) the isle of the fishers. Only fancy such a ride as ours along that lake shore for 15 miles. The click, click of the statuary's chisel whose shops border the lake for miles, then the beautiful chateaus and vilas built on the hillside which slopes steeply from the water's edge. While we were riding a long stretch between two towns, a storm arose at the end of the lake. The sun was setting, and out of the densely black clouds the lightning burst in fan shapes sending fierce bolts in all directions from a single point. We were lighted on our road by this pyrotechnic display, and just as the storm burst we reached a hotel and were put to bed in a wonderfully artistic room, such as we have since learned to expect in Italian houses. The rain beating into the inner court of the house made us nervous for fear the floor would get wet, but no one else cared, so we finally slumbered and awoke only once to hear the waves beating on the beautiful shore of the lake, and again in time to see the most glorious of sunrises. On we rode thro' historic towns where we were directed and misdirected on our road to Milan, until we stopped and drew up a solemn compact that we would believe one man in five, and flip a coin to see which one of the five that one should be. We have grown more charitable since and believe it is ignorance. Italians are so desperately ignorant.

Time after time we looked back affectionately at the Alps, where the great Mt. Blanc and Rosa and the Matterhorn displayed their snowy peaks. How many chapels we passed all painted inordinately with full-length saints, immaculate conceptions and scenes from the life of Christ. Milan at last and the great arch which terminates the famous Simplon road. Soon after passing it, a wheelman approached us. He was courteous in manner and elegantly dressed. Quite unobtrusively he learned our purpose, conducted us to a large wheel establishment where we learned that no tire could possibly be secured for my peculiar wheel, and then guided us to all the attractions: the famous Leonardo da Vinci's, "Last Supper," Brera art gallery, the great arcade, the cathedral, (which I assure you I am in love with and want one just like it, but can't pause to describe,) the Corso and many minor attractions. A more ideal gentleman I have never met than our self appointed Milanese guide. He evidently entertained us, travel-stained and unprepossessing as we were, merely because of the kindness in his heart. He escorted us to the city walls, shook hands, touched his hat, wished us a pleasant journey and left us. In a few minutes another tire burst delayed us until too late to ride and we stopped at an albergo, or inn, just out of the city. At a council of war held that night, we decided to continue our prescribed route as far as Rome, if we had to ride on the bare rims.

Next day we started out with a vengeance and in two days, upon the finest roads we had yet seen, we rode to Venice a distance of 200 miles. I can only drag your fancy furiously along that road, tell you how we crossed the bridge of Lodi where Napoleon showed such consummate bravery, inform you that the whole territory is a low plain watered by irrigation ditches, which are neatly hidden by overhanging willows, relate that we did not steal watermelons because the owners have little wicker houses where they sit and watch the fields and sell to whomever will buy, and lastly, tell how Italian boys try to stick pins into our tires, and we have to take our wheels into the restaurants with us. Brescia, Verona, Vicenza and Padua were the cities through which we passed. At Brescia was an amusing sight in the market place. A small sideshow there had an enormous painted sign: "Barnum's Exposition!" As we entered Verona we met an Italian funeral. All were dressed in black and carried a white wand 5 feet long. Three priests led and while they chanted in a low hypocritical monotone they looked at us, at each other and smiled. We went into the Piazza Erbe, or fruit market, and wended our way among the tombs of the Scaligers and stared at the famous old amphitheatre and visited innumerable cathedrals.

There was something so ethereal about the beauty of Lago di Grada that I cannot now realize that it is a real lake and lay between Bresica and Verona, therefore I nearly forgot it. Let me say to make amends, that over no scene in Europe have we eulogized so much and I think nothing can surpass its beauty on a bright summer day. Oh, how discursive and wandering I am becoming! I passed Verona and failed to tell how we searched out Juliet's home. It was about twilight, and if it was Juliet who sat in the window of the old Capulet mansion, then she has lost her beauty. We slept in Verona that night and I recall fancifully how the moon shone in my face and woke me. It is hard to believe that in fair Verona the fairer Rosamunde drank wine from her father's skull; but legend says so and I leave you to meditate till my next letter.

C. H. VANTYNE.

THE REDPATH CONCERT.

The efforts of the committee of the Star entertainment course to secure the very best talent have been amply rewarded. In the first place, they secured the best; in the second place the citizens generously supported this action and the success of the course this year is assured. It should be extremely gratifying to know that Tecumseh and vicinity demand and support an entertainment course second to none in the state, for surely no criterion marks the higher tastes of a community more certainly than this.

The first entertainment of the course by the Redpath Grand Concert Co., was looked forward to with great expectations, both by our musical critics and the people, for Miss Powell and Mrs. Johnston Bishop were already favorites with Tecumseh audiences. However, the treat in store for patrons of the course went far beyond their most sanguine anticipations. Concerning the technical merits of these artists we will not attempt a word. It would be an easy matter to copy a few choice expressions about "faultless technique," "steadiness of tempo," "thematic development" and "astounding virtuosity." We leave this for our metropolitan contemporaries and accept their highest technical praise in the fullest faith. However, it can be truthfully said that the audience last Saturday evening were entertained with every number—entertained to the fullest extent of their appreciation and feelings—entertained, not because they thought they ought to be, but because they could not help it. Miss Powell and Mrs. Johnston Bishop have added new laurels to their former success here. Mrs. Murray and Herr Von Scarpa have won a host of admirers, and any one of the artists could fill the Opera House alone. It is hoped that the committee will be able to secure this company to open our course next season.

Hall's Hair Renewer is pronounced the best preparation made for thickening the growth of the hair and restoring that which is gray to its original color. 1w

THE INDIAN DANCING GROUND.

An Item of Local History Showing From What Source Tecumseh Derived Its Name.

We have been shown and permitted to copy for the Tecumseh HERALD two very interesting articles, written by Dr. M. A. Patterson in 1868 for the Tecumseh CHIEF, then owned and published by Geo. S. & Chas. K. Spafford, but we believe never before given to the public, and it is to Mr. Geo. S. Spafford, in the employ of the Tecumseh HERALD printing office that we are indebted for this favor, not only to ourselves, but to the readers of the HERALD and our citizens generally, we would fain believe. B. L. BAXTER.

Tecumseh, Oct. 18, 1895.

THE TECUMSEH CHIEF.

A white man meeting an Indian inquired "whose Indian are you?" "I am God Almighty's Indian" he replied, "Whose Indian are you?"

Why have you given this name to your paper? This question is still occasionally asked by a friend, and in order to gratify a very natural curiosity, we answer. Because Tecumseh is the name of our village, and our village is named after an Indian Chief.

As but few of our citizens know how this happened, the following brief information will be new and interesting to most of our readers.

When Musgrove Evans, Austin E. Wing, Col. Landman and several other gentlemen from Monroe, Mich., were partaking of a rural dinner in a primitive way, under the branches of a spreading oak that grew in the center of the old village ground, (this was before the village had a name, or any permanent inhabitant,) the question arose as to what should be the name of the proposed embryo village.

Several names were proposed and rejected, as being too romantic, far-fetched, or meaningless.

Musgrove Evans at last remarked. "why not call it Tecumseh?"

"That will not do," replied one of the party. "Tecumseh was a British Indian."

"Thee is mistaken," quietly answered friend Musgrove, who was a member of the Society of Friends, "Tecumseh was Nature's Indian."

"That's a fact," exclaimed Wing, "and nature's noblest specimen of a man."

This emphatic remark decided the question, and before rising from their repast, our village had a name.

*Now dear reader turn over this sheet and look at the Chief. Notice his high bones, his solid chin, his firmly closed mouth, his broad, massive forehead rising like a tower above his deep set eyes, which are half concealed amid their dark o'er arching brows. The artist has done his work so perfectly, that a mysterious grandeur is stamped upon the noble lines of the chieftain's features, a mystery that hangs over his origin, his purposes, and his death.

Now look again. His is not perhaps what a refined sentimentality would call handsome, but in the very massiveness of that darkly shaded outline, and the bold, rude, tracing of the pencil, that leaves to the imagination everything to surmise respecting the chieftain's country, character and fortune, we cannot be mistaken in the belief that we have before us the portrait, rudely drawn it may be, but still the portrait of no ordinary man. His brow is as bold and lofty, as that of any noble saxon, though he was not in any way allied to that proud race. His skin is tawney, yet not a drop of African blood darkens his viens.

On the second marriage of his mother to a chief of the Shawnees he became a member of that powerful tribe, and hence it has been said that he was born in the valley of the Sciota; but this was not the case, and traditionary history has located his birth place near the Indian dancing ground of the Lenawee, his ancestral tribe.

Where was that "Dancing Ground?" We will undertake to answer this question in the next No. of the "Tecumseh Chief"

In the mean time some of our citizens may unconsciously tread upon this sacred ground. We say sacred, for the slow and solemn dance of the Indian, constituting a profoundly grave and earnest religious ceremonial, is very different from the festive exhilerating dance of the white man, and no less so from the hilarious, triumphant, and almost fiendish war dance with which the Indians are accustomed to celebrate their victories.

*An engraved portrait of Tecumseh's head embellished the first page of the Tecumseh Chief.

Card to the Public.

We, the undersigned firms of Britton, agree to close our places of business at 8 p. m., city time, commencing Monday, Nov. 4, 1895, and continuing till March 15, 1896, excepting Saturday nights, the night preceeding Thanksgiving, and from Dec. 16, 1895, to Jan. 1, 1896:

Lenardson Bros., Lee Bros., James Haight, Ben. J. Pulver, L. J. Wood, Curtis & Linn.

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TAKE A HINT FROM MARY.

Mary had a little lamb;
You do not look surprised;
Of course you don't, for Mary has
Been widely advertised.

And something you may learn from this,
If you are not a clam;
You can be just as widely known
As Mary and her lamb.

Your name can be a household word,
And you be known as well,
That folks will confidently buy
The things you have to sell.

And when you once have got yourself
Into the cheering rays
Of the sunlight of publicity,
You bet your life it pays.
—Printers' Ink.

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SPEECH-MAKING IN KENTUCKY.

As Judge Lurton of Tennessee was once going through Texas he met an old Texan who described at length the people who had settled in the neighborhood, a large number of them having come from Kentucky.

"And there's them Kaintuckians," said he. "Their the speakin'est people I ever see in my life, fer a fact. Why, whenever we hev a shootin' match, a camp-meetin', a weddin' or a fun'ral, you can jest bet that them Kaintuckians will be thar, and afore you knows it they'll be offerin' resolutions and a makin' speeches tell you can't rest. To tell the truth, jedge, they cain't cut a watermelon without a speech."—Century.

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NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.

During the last six months The Kicker has purchased a new paper cutter, two fonts of job type, a can of blue ink and $10 worth of pink paper for poster work, and not a word of boasting has appeared in these columns. A little thing happened the other day, however, which we want to brag about, and which we think equals anything in the way of New York or Chicago enterprise. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Col. Joe Smith sent us word by messenger that we were a slouch editor and must stop his paper. Our mule was out at pasture a mile away, and our guns needed cleaning. It is twelve miles as the crow flies to the colonel's ranch, and yet at half past 3 o'clock we were there. The fusilade between us lasted ten minutes. It took five minutes more to get the colonel to subscribe for three extra copies to send east, and four or five to water our mule and tighten the saddle-girths. At exactly 5 o'clock we were back at The Kicker office and booking the new subscriptions. Thus, in three hours, we cleaned two guns, run a mile after our mule, rode twenty-five miles and had a fight lasting ten minutes. We don't admit that this is the best we can do, but until some other critter beats it, we shall rest easy.—M. Quad.

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GEN. CUSTER'S CHECK.

The tragic death of Gen. Custer and his gallant men at the hands of the Sioux Indians in the massacre of Little Big Horn was recalled the other day at Bismarck, N. D., says a recent dispatch from that town, by the forwarding to Mrs. Custer of a check for $1,560 drawn to the order of Gen. George A. Custer, in 1876. The check is dated June 25, and is signed B. L. Smith, at that time assistant paymaster of the army. It was on June 25, 1876, the massacre took place. The check is still unpaid, and soiled and tattered though it be, constitutes a valid claim against the government for the amount represented on its face, which was no doubt intended as part payment of Gen. Custer's salary as an officer of the United States army.

Where the check has been all these years no one knows, least of all Michael Francis, who found it in the street, at Bismarck, last Febuary, and who has retained it in his possession until now. When Francis picked up the bit of paper it was almost as legible as when it was drawn, but three heavy creases in it showed that it had been worn through. The parts were joined together by narrow strips of paper pasted on the back, and the edges were somewhat soiled, as though the paper had at one one time been dropped in the mud.

No endorsement appears upon the back of the check and the face shows the mark of no cancellation stamp, demonstrating that the check has never been presented for payment. The check was, no doubt, forwarded to the northwest before the news of the Custer massacre reached Washington. Had it reached those in charge of the dead soldier's effects it would have been sent in at once in order that one payable to the heirs could have been sent in its place. It has evidently been under shelter somewhere, and the chances are that it was lost last February and swept out into the street where it was found by Mr. Francis.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases. 1w

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., OCT. 25, 1895.

Ed. Clark is erecting some new box stalls near his livery stables.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark left Wednesday for an extendad visit in Chicago.

Miss Lizzie Shuler returned to Tiffin, Ohio, Thursday, after visiting in Clinton.

Miss Jennie Kimball, of Leoni, returned with Will Kimball for a visit here.

Attorney G. R. Gillespie made a business trip to Tecumseh last Saturday night.

Attorney A. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town on business last Friday.

Misses Nase and Barnesdale attended the teachers' meeting at Tecumseh last Saturday.

Mrs. H. E. Stout and son Charles, of Tecumseh, called on Clinton friends Tuesday.

Capt. C. Rewell, of Cleveland, is visiting at Editor Blanchard's and Mrs. Jane Sinclair.

Mr. Elmer Halliday, of Palmyra, N. Y. is visiting his mother and brotners in this vicinity.

The Clinton Social Club gave a reception Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kennedy.

A number of our young society men are attempting to get up a series of dances here this winter.

E. R. Smith and wife started Monday for a trip to New York. They expect to be gone about ten days,

The McClure bakery is being well established in its new quarters and a very neat accomodation it has too.

Miss Gertrude Larzeleer and Miss Howland drove over from Grass Lake last Friday for a few days visit with Miss Grace Corwin.

J. B. Murrah, of Texas, who has been visiting James Hogan and others about the village for a few days, returned to his home last Friday.

Between 25 and 30 of our music-loving citizens attended the performance of The Redpath Grand Concert Co. at Tecumseh last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kennedy returned last Monday and are now nicely situated in the rooms formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kies.

The Misses Jennie and Kittie Van Tuyle went to Ypsilanti on Saturday. The former will attend business college there, and the latter work at dress making.

Misses Linda Nase, Mable Barnesdale and Olive Mills attended the teachers' examination at Adrian Thursday and Friday of last week, Miss Nase has been engaged as a teacher in the Clinton public schools.

The special sale of capes and jackets held by The Freese-Whittlesey Co. last Saturday was a great success notwithstanding the unfavorable weather. Many more garments were sold by the firm than on the big day of their opening.

The Congregational society will hold their annual chicken pie social at the church parlors next Wednesday, Oct. 30. People should remember that it is necessary to their well being to get at least one good meal during the year and this is their chance.

Frank Woodward came over from Hudson Saturday to pack and ship his household effects to that place. The goods were shipped Tuesday. Mrs. Woodward went Thursday. The couple have a host of friends here who wish them every success in their new home.

Mrs. Tobias Mudget died last week Thursday. The funeral was held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bunting, Saturday morning and the remains were buried at Tipton. The deceased was a member of the L. O. T. M. at this place and held a benefit of one thousand dollars in that excellent organization.

Lyle Gibson, who was found guilty in the circuit court last week Tuesday of violating the state liquor law, was last Saturday sentenced by Judge Lane to a fine of $75 and costs amounting to $50, or 60 days in jail. This fine is thought to be rather excessive by many of the citizens, considering this is the first offense, and over a hundred dollars have been raised to assist in paying the fine.

Four of our country young gentlemen thought Chicago street would be a good course on which to speed their horses, and accordingly tried their equines there last Friday night. As a result, Marshal Sherwood brought them up before Justice Smith who fined two of the young racers $5 each and one $6 for their sport. Not in every town are the ordinances enforced in so prompt a manner.

Some people were perhaps not aware the young men of Clinton maintain a first class gymnasium. An enterprise of this kind must needs labor unknown and unrecognized perhaps for years ere it can win for itself the position and respect which its importance deserves. At last the reward of perseverance has come, and the once unheard of gym. is the talk of great and small. A member has at last broken an arm.

The long looked for race to Detroit and return between Chauncey Ogden and Art Smith took place last Saturday. Ogden made the trip in 9:15 1-2, but Smith was compelled to give up when but a few miles out of the village on the return trip. Ogden made the trip to Detroit in 2 hours and 54 minutes and Smith in 2 hours and 58 minutes, but as there was a heavy western wind the trip back took considerable longer. A large crowd began gathering about the four corners soon after dinner to witness the boys come in.

OBITUARY.

David Haggart, Sr., was born in Compar, Angus, Scotland, Aug. 5, 1815, and died at his old home in Clinton, Oct. 5 1895. He came to America in 1844, settling in Catskill, N. Y., where he lived for about six years. Thence he moved to Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich. After a residence of a few years in this locality he became identified with the community where he has since lived and of which he has been an honored and respected member. Converted in boyhood, he was an active Christian during his long life. His affiliations were with the Presbyterian and Congregational churches. He was a man of superior talents; a man who read and thought and had ideas. This was especially true of the Bible and religious themes. He was "rooted and grounded" in the Christian faith; nothing, seemingly, could shake his confidence in God. His early life was lived in a period when persecutions were not unknown. These, doubtless, had an influence in developing that Christian character and manhood which he possessed. The climax of his life's joy was reached when he saw his youngest son embrace the religion he had so long followed. This fact accounted for his affiliation with the Methodist church during the last few months of his life. He came down to the grave like a shock of corn ripe for the harvest.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Mrs. L. D. Watkins is very sick.

George Heimerdinger, of Clinton, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Van Wormer, of La Peer, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bivins celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday of this week.

Miss Rosa Kiebler, of Jackson, was called here last week by the death of her father.

A singing class has been organized at Iron Creek by the Rev. Ira B. Buffum, of Hillsdale.

Elmer Silkworth begins his school in the McMahon district the first Monday in November.

F. W. Smith and wife go to Chicago the first of November to visit their son, Bert Smith, and family.

The S. W. Farmers' club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Baldwin on Friday, Nov. 1, at 10 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sutton are in Cayuga, Canada, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowins.

Mrs. E. S. Cushman, of Ann Arbor, came Friday to assist in caring for her mother, Mrs. L. D. Watkins.

B. W. Amsden will move his stock of jewelry, clocks, etc., into the Chubbuck block, next door to the postoffice.

Last Thursday evening a reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. George T. Kirkwood, at their new home at Sharon Hollow.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church held a chicken pie social at the church parlors on Friday afternoon. The proceeds were added to the building fund.

The remains of Mrs. Fannie Robison, mother of I. M. Robison of this village, who died at the residence of her son, A. M. Robison, in Ann Arbor, were brought here on Tuesday and the funeral held at the residence of C. W. Case. Rev. D. H. Yokom officiated.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

A call for Dr. Rice went over the wire Saturday night, Lyman Randall, who has been sick for several months, being much worse. He is a little better at this date, Monday.

The surprise party given Harrison Daniels and daughter, Mrs. Simmons, was an immense success, and with music and social converse, passed off in first rate style, and everybody voted it a good time.

While husking corn recently, W. B. German lost a five dollar bill from his pocket. After blowing about the field for a week or so, the hired man found it lodged against a shock of corn, and returned it to the owner.

A well known Franklin farmer found a bag laying on his cellar floor, recently, with the name of another prominent granger stamped on it. The owner of the bag, is however, above reproach, and it remains to be found out who stole his grain bag, and then used it in an unlawful raid on a neighbor's potatos, canned fruit, etc.

The members of Pentecost L. A. are requested to be at Glen's Hall, Saturday night, Nov. 2d. The election of officers for the ensuing year takes place at that time, and there is also much other business of interest to members to come before the association, it being proposed to reduce the dues nearly fifty per cent.

O, the snow, the ----and so forth, "you know,"
If there'd fall eighteen inches or so.
And the sun would shine warm
Right after the storm,
And the same into fluid would go,
We'd rejoice and be glad:
For it's long since we've had
A nice muddy time, "don't you know."

RAISIN RACKET.

Mrs. Chalon Lyon visited Clinton last week.

Winter has begun with the first snow storm.

John Masten was sitting on jury at Adrian last week.

Jared Haviland is improving his barn with a coat of paint.

Mrs. Butler, who lives at Joseph Bowerman's, is on the sick list.

There will be an exhibition at Dist. No. 7, Friday evening, the proceeds being used to purchase an organ.

No church at Little Hope Sunday as the minister, Rev. Levi C. Chase, went to preach the funeral sermon of Mr. Gates, of Fairfield.

The funeral of Uncle Ben Kelley, of Holloway, was held at the Quaker church this place, last Friday, and was very largely attended.

Leander Hoag and Charles Haviland will not have to draw so many squashes this year, as some one went into their fields and took a small wagon load of them the other night.

ROME RAVELINGS.

David Smith is on the sick list.

Miss Vera Seger is now a better.

Mrs. Fred Taylor is very sick with typhoid fever.

The dance at Seger's hall was well attended Friday night.

Elma Patterson has been visiting friends in Adrian the past week.

William Wool has been confined to the house for a week, but is reported better.

Halsey Sayers will attend school at Brown's business university the coming winter.

Fred L. Seger will commence studying medicine with Dr. Rice, of Tipton, one week from next Monday.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 23 Hailey Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

First Chicago Alderman: Did you catch the chairman's eye? Second Chicago Alderman: No, only the point of his jaw.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box os Dr. King.s New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store. 4

Table Talk.

In Table Talk for October a number of household subjects are touched upon. The culinary interests are treated in the Housekeepers Inquiry Department, where a large number of good recipes are given, and in the menus suggested for every meal during the month. The Fashions and whims of today are mentioned in the New Bill of Fare and under Fashionable Luncheon and Tea Toilets, while other points of equal interest are to be found in the article on the Kindergarten Influence. The Charm of the Lily, by Miss Nora Smith, whose experience has been great in that line. How to Make Good Servants, by Mrs. Burton Kingland, and Diet in Diabetes, by Dr. H. H. Hawxhurst. The market list, books of the month, and so on, are all found in the pages of this valuable little magazine, a sample copy of which is free to our readers, by addressing Table Talk, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Always insist on getting Foley's Honey and Tar, and it is positively, absolutely and unqualifiedly the best cough medicine. Accept no substitute. Sold by Orr & Temple. oct

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During the present month only, Oct., 1895, we will give new subscribers to the HERALD a three months' paid subscription for twenty five cents. In addition we will give as a premium a copy of Coln's Financial school, which sells for the same sum. Pass in your quarters.

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The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis R'y, the model railroad of the South in equipment, roadway and service, is also the greatest in historical interest, more than fifty famous battlefields and five national cemeteries being located on the various lines of this system. This is the preferred route to Atlanta for the Cotton States and International Exposition, open from September 18, to December 31, 1895, for which very low excursion rates have been made. Through sleeping car service from St. Louis to Atlanta via Evansville, Nashville and Chattanooga. This is the route of the famous Dixie Flyer through sleeping car line which runs the year round between Nashville and Jacksonville, Fla. For further information, address Briard F. Hill, 328 Marquette Building, Chicago, Ill., or R. C. Cowardin, Western Passenger Agent, Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis, Mo., or D. J. Mullaney, Pass Agt., 59 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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What the People Say.

I couldn't keep store without Foley's Honey and Tar.—E. D. Whipple, Lostant, Ill.

Ship at once—can't sell any other cough medicine.—H. W. Ellis, Montrose, Wis.

Foley's Honey and Tar saves me doctor bills every winter.—L. A. Towner, Manteno, Ill. For sale by Orr & Temple. oct

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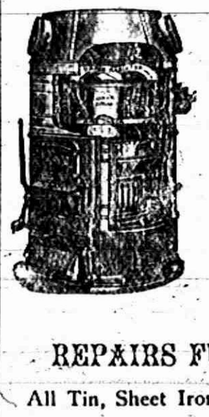

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

J. Lee was in Toledo Tuesday.

Miss Mary Sowle is on the sick list.

L. C. Hoagland was in Adrian Monday.

Miss Bertha Britton is taking lessons on the banjo.

Andrew Gogoline returned from Flat Rock Tuesday.

Walter Exelby will soon move into the Will Babcock house.

An unfortunate bovine was killed by Wabash 56 Tuesday morning.

Do not forget the chicken pie supper at the Christian church to night.

Miss Florence Miller, of Chicago, visited friends in Britton over Sunday.

E. W. Lonardson and wife will occupy the house lately vacated by Geo. Hawk's.

W. J. Clark was suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia the first of the week.

Jno. Stewart has the largest potatoes on exhibition at Lee Bros. Bring along your big tubers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Maynard have been visiting friends and relatives in Detroit this week.

Geo. Clark returned from Ashley, Ind., Monday night, where he has been assisting in dispatching trains.

Four of Britton's intelligent young men attended a Maple Leaf party at Deerfield Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ernest Hoagland and mother, Mrs. Stewart Ballou, went to Toledo to visit Mrs. Ballou's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Bachman, this week.

Chas. Du Bois has bought $100.00 worth of hay from one man recently. This would be a considerable addition to the average farmers revenue this year.

A regular old fashioned prairie schooner passed through here last Wednesday, chickens, cow, kids and all. It seemed a little strange, however, to see it sailing east.

Ernest DuBois has received 80 barrels of apples from his uncle, John Stone, of Hillsdale, which he is rapidly disposing of. The apples are very fine fruit, which is something rare this year.

Will Babcock left Wednesday morning for the state of Wisconsin where he will travel in the interest of a large easterntobacco concern. We unite with Will's many friends in wishing him the success which he deserves.

Eugene Zeluff and Miss Mildred Fleming were united in marriage at the home of the bride in Adrian, Wednesday night. The groom is well known in this section and his friends here unite in congratulations and good wishes.

The Kniffen brick and tile yard closed down Wednesday for the season. The tile made Tuesday were considerably damaged by the severe frost that night, and as the temperature of the nights from now on will be a little uncertain, work will be postponed till next season.

Before this paper goes to press again, we expect the stalwart hunters of Britton will have bagged enough game in the north woods to furnish material for a two column write up. Frank and Lawrence Brown, Al Lee, David Boyd, and Clarence Lowe will start for the wilds of Roscommon county next Monday. They will take two guns apiece and one dog and ammunition of all kinds. If they don't get deer, who will?

Last Monday night Will Babcock and wife were the recipients of a genuine surprise party. In fact it was such a surprise to Will that he was not even there to enjoy it. He was in Adrian at the time, and was expected home but did not arrive till next morning. However, about 50 couple under the leadership of the L. O. T. M. took possession of the house and a first class social party was enjoyed. Of course it is unnecessary to add, that the participants had something to eat.

MACON MUSIC.

Mrs. Foda Burdett is on the sick list.

Roy Collins is recovering from a severe illness.

Mr. David Rimert was the guest of Mrs. Mills Hatch last week.

Mrs. Fisk, of Jackson, visited her sister, Mrs Burleson, last week.

Mrs. Edward Carter was the victim of a stroke of paralysis Saturday night.

About fifteen Maconites attended the concert in Tecumseh Saturday night.

Clare Brazee and Lavern Heeson spent Sunday at the home of S. Chambers.

Don't forget the W. C. T. U. tea meeting at the home of Mrs. Libbie Hendershot next week.

Mr. Orange Berdan and family, of Detroit, returned last Saturday from a week's stay at the home of J. C. Mills.

Married, at the parsonage of the Reformed church, by Rev. J. I. Gulick, on October 21st, 1895, Mr. Austin S. Robison and Miss Sarah A. Young, both of Saline.

Another home is left desolate. On Sunday afternoon the remains of Mrs. Beulah Harriott were laid to rest. For a long time Mrs. Harriot has been in feeble health.

Married, at the parsonage of the South Macon Reformed church, on Oct. 16, by Rev. J. I. Gulick, Mr. Albert W. Showalter, of Wyandotte, to Miss Aggie Stewart, of Britton.

The River Raisin quarterly meeting which was expected to be held November 2nd and 3d, has been postponed on account of the State Association being at that time. It will be held Nov. 16th and 17th, at the Free Baptist church at Macon. Ministers from abroad are expecting to be present.

The dedication of the new Reformed church of Macon will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1895, at 2 p. m. The dedicatory sermon will be preached by Rev. Peter Moerdyke, D. D., of Chicago. There will also be other addresses by neighboring ministers. The public in general are cordially invited to be present and participate in the services.

Died, at her late residence, on Friday, Oct. 18, Mrs. G. W. Harriott. She had been an invalid for over a year, but always patient and never a murmur escaped her lips. A noble, christian woman. Her ardent and tender love for her husband and two daughters fuse them deep sorrow, as she is taken om them. Her life was one of faith d trust in God and her end was peace.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Go to Smith & Schmidt's for your fodder twine.

Buy your salt, lime, cement of Smith & Schmidt.

The first snow squall for the season put in an appearance Saturday.

C. B. Dibble had a valuable cow killed by the Wabash fast east bound train Tuesday morning.

F. N. Miller, of Angola, N. Y., arrived Saturday night for a short stay with his mother, Mrs. L. V. Miller.

Anna Osborn visited Dr. R. H. Nelson and family of Hudson, last week, returning home Monday.

We have just received a large invoice of nickle, tin and granite ware. Call and see it. Smith & Schmidt.

The ladies church social met at the home of Mrs. S. P. Smith Wednesday evening for the election of officers.

Fannie Hall, of Ypsilanti, visited her cousin Mrs. W. L. Jones and family, last week returning home Tuesday.

Morris Kelley was called to Holloway, Monday, by the sickness of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Cox, who died Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Arner, who has been spending several days in Tecumseh with relatives and friends, returned Wednesday.

Miss Collins, our popular milliner, is receiving new goods every weeek, of the latest styles, which she will sell as cheap as any dealer.

Postmaster C. W. Arner, of Wellington, Ohio, visited his mother Mrs. Louise Arner, a portion of last week, leaving for his home Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, and daughter Mrs. Dwella Hodges and son Dale, of Jackson, were in the village Thursday calling on friends.

G. C. Hale, of Palmyra, having rented A. J. Sutton's tenant house, moved his household effects here Wednesday. He will open a boot and repair shop at once.

The singing class, with Miss Grayson as teacher, started out very encouragingly with over 40 scholars. The class will meet Friday evening of each week at the lecture room of the church.

Simon Gould, the west side grocer and dry goods dealer, has a mammoth Japanese umbrella on exhibition at his place of business, where you will find the Royal Garden tea, the best on the market.

Don't be afraid to call at the new hardware firm of Smith & Schmidt for fear you will not be able to get what your wants demand. They carry a full line of hardware from a machine needle to the finest base burner, and a complete line of staple and fancy groceries.

By a letter received from Mrs. Courtland Snedicor, of Ithaca, we learn of Mr. Snedicor's ill health. He suffers so from consumption as to be unable to leave his bed a portion of the time. He formerly lived in our village, working at the blacksmithing trade.

Those who attended the first entertainment of the Tecumseh Star Course, the Redpath Grand Concert company, at Sutton's opera house Saturday evening, were highly pleased and fascinated with Miss Powell in her art of handling the bow, and charmed by Mrs. Murray's perfect touch on the harp.

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Householder: Here, drop that coat and get out! Burglar: You be quiet, or I'll wake your wife and give her this letter you forgot to post.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucassus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined? Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers, the world over. 1w

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To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

What Can A Woman Do?

Why should not a lady be independent? Everybody will respect her all the more, whether she be rich or poor, and then adversity may come. Why should not the wife help build the home? She will appreciate it all the more for doing so. But the question is: What can a woman do? S. I. Bell Company, Publishers, No. 2018 Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, offers a pleasant and profitable employment to ladies as well as gentlemen. It will be to your interest to write them at once. Now is just the time. See their advertisement on another page.

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If you could select the pure gold from the dross, the wheat from the chaff, the good from the bad, you would never make the mistake of taking any other remedy than Foley's Sarsaparilla for blood disorders. Trial size, 50c, at Orr & Temple's. oct

In One Week.

There are some people that accomplish great results in one week; with others, the weeks drift by, one much like another. A great many would like to be up and doing if they knew where to find the work best suited to them. S. I. Bell Company, No. 2018 Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, can start you in a pleasant business that will pay you a handsome sum of money each week. They have a fine line of Juvenile Books now ready. See their advertisement on another page. Write now. Do not put it off. Be first in the field. 1w

Yes, said Willie Wibbles. I went to the weception with a boil on my neck; And what did your friends think of you? All jealous, dash boy. It was the swellest thing there.

The French say "it is the impossible that happens." This has proved to be the case with the Mount Lebanon Shakers. The whole scientific world has been laboring to cure dyspepsia, but every effort seemed to meet with defeat. The suffering from stomach troubles has become almost universal. Multitudes have no desire for food and that which they do eat causes them pain and distress. Sleepless nights are the rule and not the exception, and thousands have become discouraged. The Shakers of Mount Lebanon recently came to the front with their new Digestive Cordial, which contains not only a food already digested, but a digester of food. It promptly relieves nearly all forms of indigestion. Ask your druggist for one of their books.

Laxol, the new Castor Oil, is being used in hospitals. It is sweet as honey.

Hunters' Rates.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines are selling Hunters' Tickets to all points in the hunting territory at hunters' rates. See Ohio Central agents. tf

"Yield Not to Misfortune."

I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste or smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus Geo. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave. Chicago, Ill. Cream Balm is agreeable. 1w

Biggs: I see Jiggs has been married. Suppose Congratulations are in order? Miggs: Well, I don't know his bride, so I can't congratulate him, and I do know him, so I can't congratulato her.

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That you cannot be well unless you have pure, rich blood? If you are weak, tired, languid and all run down, it is because your blood is impoverished and lacks vitality. These troubles may be overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla because Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure, rich blood. It is, in truth the great blood purifier. 1w

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Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta dufing the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

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Electric Power for October.

This enterprising magazine seems to have made a particular effort in its October issue to appeal to the popular mind. Although an article by Mr. Wiener on Technical Measuring Instruments, and one by Mr. Emmet, on The Original of Alternating Currents, as well as Messrs. Freedman and Osterberg's serial on Practical Testing, are very scientific, there are several others of interest to anybody at all versed in science. Prof. W. M. Stine contributes a very able article on The Aim of Laboratory Training, a subject widely discussed, and worthy of deep thought. The writer is a particularly able man for this subject, having a large laboratory in personal charge. Mr. E. P. Thompson, well known for his writing on Invention, points out that the principal of reversal is one everybody should take to heart; he shows that by simply reversing the process some of the most important inventions have been made. The Synopsis of Technical Literature is exceptionally long, showing the activity which is being developed all over the world in trying to further the science of electricity and its application.

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Softly: Your trip to the mountains seem to have benefited you, Bilkins. It has made a different man of me, Softly: Is that so? Then what has become of the man I loaned $10 to when you left the city.

YEARS OF INTENSE PAIN.

Dr. J. H. Watts, druggist and physician, Humboldt, Neb., who suffered with heart disease for four years, trying every remedy and all treatments known to himself and fellow-practitioners; believes that heart disease is curable. He writes:

"I wish to tell what your valuable medicine has done for me. For four years I had heart disease of the very worst kind. Several physicians I consulted, said it was

Rheumatism of the Heart.

DR. J. H. WATTS.

It was almost unendurable; with shortness of breath, palpitations, severe pains, unable to sleep, especially on the left side. No pen can describe my sufferings, particularly during the last months of those four weary years. I finally tried

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Humboldt, Neb., May 9, '94.

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GOOD AND EVIL OF WEALTH.

Tabitha Trott Discourses About the Lives of Men who Live Only to Grow Rich.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

When I was doing up the work after supper last night, I got to thinking about the life led by the average man who lives for the sole purpose of laying up wealth. After hanging up the dish towel I saw that everything was all right for the night in the back part of the house and then went into the sitting room, where Trott was reading the daily paper.

"Tabbie," said he, as I entered the room and sank into my old rocking chair, "here is an item that will interest you," and he handed me the paper, with his finger indicating the paragraph he referred to. To my surprise, it was just in the line of thought that I had been indulging in. It read as follows and were the words of the late John Jacob Astor, multi millionaire:

"The houses, wares, ships and farms I own and have to take care of are for the accommodation of others. I can do nothing with my income but buy more land, build more houses and lend money on mortgages. In short, I am found with the necessaries of life, and more than these I cannot get out of my money. Meantime my labor is incessant and I know no peace by day or night."

"Well, what do you think of that?" Thomas Trott inquired, as I finished the item and turned towards him. The question was superfluous, for he knows what I think pretty well, or at least he ought to; we have been living together long enough.

Astor said he had no peace by day or night. Well, he did not deserve any. He had devoted his life to serving Mammon, and to ease his itching palms they were filled with gold, but the itching did not cease. The gold cure only served to inflame his disease and he died as he had lived, grasping for more, knowing not the sweet peace that comes with a spirit of content. He pinched his clerks and employees, as all such men do, getting much service for small pay, caring no more for the welfare and happiness of those who labored for him than the mine owner does for those who lose their lives in loathsome pits for a pittance while the owners spend their time in luxurious ease or riotous living. John Jacob Astor was but like the greedy swine, who drowned himself in a trough of swill rather than get out and let his brothers have a chance to live. What did his incessant work amount to? It lets his decendants live in splendor in foreign lands, giving up their citizenship in their native land to fawn and cringe at the feet of titled snobs who despise them.

And there was old Cornelius Vanderbilt. His life was passed in building steamboat lines, railroads and monopolies. Think of the millions he wrung from an outraged public. And he, too, ended his life grasping for more. In all his miserable old life he did not really enjoy himself as much as an honest mechanic can on one fourth of July, if he goes about it rationally. And what did he pinch and cheat and scrimp along for? That his descendants might live in mansions costing more millions than some small cities are worth, and buy yachts costing millions, and purchase the rusty titles of aristocratic snobs in old England. What would old Cornelius say if he could know that his grand-daughter is to pay $10,000,000 down in cold cash for one measley duke? Could you persuade him that it was a love match? Not much! He would realize the fact that she wants the title and he wants the millions.

The same disease that got such a firm clutch on the vitals of old Astor and old Vanderbilt is now eating all the humanity out of Rockefeller, Elkins, Widener, Pullman, Armour, Carlisle, Hoke Smith, John Sherman, Grover Cleveland, Yerkes, Marshall Field, and hosts of American worshippers of the golden calf, not to mention some you know in old Michigan.

If it were not for the unholy example set our youth by such men, we would think it were best for them to live and die as they do, but the fact that only the glitter of their gold is shown makes it a thing to be deplored. The glitter attracts the poor, silly moth, who dashes into the flame and is lost. Men who live for the sole purpose of accumulating wealth lose all the better things of life. Their estimate of a man is according to his ability to accumulate. "How much is he worth?" is the first question with them, instead of "what has he done for the good of his fellow man?" Speak of an author, and they want to know how much he makes per line or per volume in ready cash. When they see the volume of a successful writer the first question is, "Will he sell enough to get rich?" not, "Will it be a help to poor, struggling humanity?" The Rockefellers and Yerkes may build universities and endow churches, but they will not restore the millions they have stolen from an outraged people. Their universities but spread their doctrins of lust for gold and power, and their churches only give the husks of a sham religion to plutocrats and Pharisees. Christianity is not to be found in the homes of plutocracy; only churchianity exists there. A man cannot be a Rockefeller and a Christian any more than an Astor or a Vanderbilt could be christians. Building fine churches or renting pews in them and filling the pews one or twice a week does not make a christian, while the balance of the week is passed in squeezing discounts and usury from helpless brothers, or forcing the laborer to buy his necessaries from monopolies that get a profit that amounts to more than Shylock's pound of flesh. When once the money disease gets a firm hold on any one the case is hopeless. It precludes the possibility of being broad minded, generous and humane.

The true way for the rich to be charitable is to quit robbing their fellow men. When men live without work, making their fellows work to support them, they are not living up to the injunction, "Earn thy bread by the sweat of thy brow." How many dollars did John Jacob Astor, Vanderbilt or Rockefeller ever really earn? Undoubtedly it would amount to much less than a single million.

It is to be hoped that this era of fraud, lust and thirst for gold is nearing its end. Welcome will be the day when there will be an aristocracy of brain instead of gold; an aristocracy of mental worth and noble deeds. When that day comes gold syndicates will not be able to purchase a mercenary president and congress, and crush a nation under the wheels of a gold standard juggernaut. Standard oil monopolies, meat combines, and trusts of all kinds will not fatten off the hard earned wages of a struggling people. Railroad corporations will not be able to crush the farmer into his own soil, and bankers, brokers, railroad kings and other great robbers will have to earn their own bread and butter, and not have it supplied them by men who have not enough to clothe and feed themselves and families properly.

Thomas is snoring so loud that I must stop and see to it that he gets to bed. I can't think clearly when a man is snoring almost into my ear.

TABITHA TROTT.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The fifth semi-annual convention of the Lenawee county Y. P. S. C. E. union will be held at the Congregational church in Morenci, Mich., on Tuesday next, October 29th. The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

9:00 A. M.—Praise service.
Devotional exercises, led by Clayton Society.
Paper—"The Responsibility of Christian Endeavorers."—Miss Florence Green, Clinton.
Discussion of above Paper.
Music.
Address—C. E. via Popular Amusements—Rev. J. D. Hageman, Tecumseh.
Music.
Business meeting.
Reports of Junior Supt. and Lookout Committee.
1:00 P. M.—Prayer and Praise service.
Roll Call of societies.
Music.
Address—"Good Citizenship,"—J. C. Winne, Esq., Adrian.
Paper—"Importance of Faithfulness in Committee work.—Mr. W. S. Colton, Hudson.
Music.
Free Parliament—Conducted by Rev. W. K. Spencer, Adrian.
Question—"What is your Society doing for your Church?"
Music.
Address on Junior Work—Mrs. L. E. Stead, Holloway.
7:30—Praise service.
Convention Sermon—Rev. W. T. Williams, Tipton.
Consecration Service, led by Rev. A. E. Selbert, Morenci. Mispah.

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Table Talk.

In Table Talk for October a number of household subjects are touched upon. The culinary interests are treated in the Housekeepers Inquiry Department, where a large number of good recipes are given, and in the menus suggested for every meal during the month. The Fashions and whims of today are mentioned in the New Bill of Fare and under Fashionable Luncheon and Tea Toilets, while other points of equal interest are to be found in the article on the Kindergarten Influence. The Charm of the Lily, by Miss Nora Smith, whose experience has been great in that line. How to Make Good Servants, by Mrs. Burton Kingland, and Diet in Diabetes, by Dr. H. H. Hawxhurst. The market list, books of the month, and so on, are all found in the pages of this valuable little magazine, a sample copy of which is free to our readers, by addressing Table Talk, Philadelphia, Pa.

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In the Morning

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Bring along that wood.

Alf. James was in Detroit this week.

The Universalist ladies held a supper at the church this evening from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Misses Agnes Stevens and Margaret Hairo left yesterday for a few weeks' visit in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Church, of Charlotte, were the guests of Mrs. B. J. Bidwell yesterday. Mrs. Church is a niece of Mrs. Bidwell.

Frank Davidson will attend an auction next Wednesday Oct. 30th, at Dundee. A fine farm will be sold to the [illegible]

One thing noticable is the fact that if have you a small job to do you will find most of the shops over run with work, and a delay of several days is necessitated in most of them. This is an indication that business is picking up in many quarters, and the outlook is better for the future.

President Cleveland has ordered a medal presented to Capt. William G. Whitney, of Hillsdale county, Mich., who served in the Eleventh Infantry for four years. The medal is for distinguished galantry at the battle of Chickamauga. At the time the confederates were about to make a charge Capt. Whitney went outside the union works at great risk of his life, and going among the dead and wounded on the field, cut off and secured their cartridge boxes. He brought this much needed ammunition into the union lines, where it was used with such good effect that the enemy was repulsed. In this battle the eleventh regiment conducted itself with conspicuous gallantry.—Adrian Telegram.

The much-talked-of Pingree book is now ready for delivery. No work published for years has been so conspicuously noticed by the papers of the country. Mayor Pingree's great fight against corporation and railroad greed and for the masses of the people, is known in every hamlet in America and in many homes of the old world. He has continually been opposed by the rich corporations, but three times he has been elected Mayor of this great city, and each time by an increased majority. Again, and for the fourth time, he will be returned by a greater majority than ever. Corporation rule or ruin is at an end in Detroit. The Mayor's book is not a campaign document. In it he tells his trials and struggles, and how his earnest, honest efforts have been crowned with victory. He tells how the people may rid themselves of the corporation and monopoly burdens that each year are growing greater and greater. It is a book for the times. It is a book that the public need and demand. Autograph subscription edition in cloth, $1.00; Paper covers 25cts. Published by F. B. Dickerson Co. Detroit, Mich.

Annual Meeting.

The Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Lenawee county will hold their annual meeting at Whitney's opera house, in the city of Adrian, Mich, Monday, Oct. 28, 1895, commencing at 8:30 o'clock a. m., for the election of a secretary and five directors; also to take action on amending section 2 of the company's charter in relation to the separation of the office of the president and treasurer and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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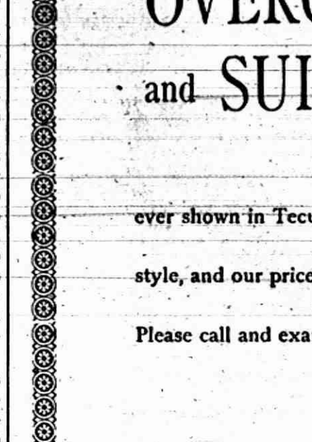

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 26, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Plenty of brick at Comfort's yard now.

Major Howell, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Vincent Wood made a business trip to Onsted last week.

The new Lake Shore depot will soon be ready for occupancy.

Will Ingersoll was in Adrian the last of the week on legal business.

All persons in want of brick can find a supply now at Comfort's yard.

There is quite a demand for houses to rent, and it is difficult to find one.

Elbridge Hyde has repainted his residence on west Chicago street.

The local telephone exchange for Hudson is being placed in position.

S. Root, of Addison, was calling on Tecumseh friends last week Friday.

An audience of about 800 listened to the Redpath Concert last Saturday evening.

W. C. Burridge went to Lansing Monday on legal business in the Supreme Court.

E. J. Hollister was in town a couple of days last week, looking after his celery interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Rogers, of Jackson, are spending a few days with Tecumseh friends.

The surrounding towns all sent a good contingent to the Redpath Concert last Saturday evening.

David Garlinghouse and wife, of Napoleon, have been visiting their nephews in and about town this week.

We are glad to learn that Fred Shepard is improving and he will soon be able to resume his business duties.

The table factory is booming now. Orders are coming in lively and they have work blocked out for several weeks ahead.

No use for other states attempting to get their favorite sons in offices when a mother in Ohio gives birth to five boys at once.

The condition of Miss Lizzie Beamish is about the same. She is a very sick girl, but her friends hope for a favorable turn soon.

Anderson & Co.'s special cape and jacket sale last Saturday and Monday was a big success. A liberal use of printers' ink pays.

About forty employes of the C. J. & M. lines reside at Addison. When the new line is completed to Jackson, they will be centrally located.

The W. H. M. society will meet at the home of Mrs. Martimore on Wednesday, Oct. 30, at 2:30 p. m. Let every member try and be present.

A. B. Cotton, of Chicago, was in town last Monday. He was on a trip to Alpena and Cheboygan, and made a short stop at Tecumseh and Clinton.

Levi C. Hayden has sold his house and lot to Harry Hanford and will soon be compelled to move. We hope he will decide to remain in Tecumseh.

S. C. Stacy will give his "Snap Shot" lectures at Mooreville, Washtenaw Co., on the evenings of Nov. 4, 5, & 6 for the benefit of the Universalist Church of that place.

Last Sunday afternoon we had a slight fall of the beautiful and that night was the coldest of the season thus far. The freeze blistered one of the celery companies to the tune of about $5,000.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lowe, of Colorado Springs, were the guests of Wm. H. Osborn's family over Sunday. They are on their way to New York city and stopped over here a couple of days.

On Oct. 26, Nov. 5, 15 and 25, Dec. 5 and 16, the C. H. & D Ry will sell tickets from Toledo to Atlanta and return, good for 10 days, for $18.00. These will be the dates to take in the exposition.

The Arena will begin its seventh volume with the month of December, and the price will be reduced from $5.00 to $3.00 per year. The Arena has taken its place as the leader of the big magazines, and with a reduction in price to meet the hard times, it is destined to gather an immense clientage. It will continue to be the champion of the people's rights as heretofore, and will be a general magazine, in the best sense of the term.

Jacob Totten is visiting in Dundee.

Stephen Whittier was in Toledo the first of the week.

B. L. Baxter made a call on Ridgeway citizens Tuesday.

Mrs. L. P. Tribou called upon friends in Toledo last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Darling are visiting relatives in Lansing.

Rev. W. R. Blachford held a funeral service in Hudson last Tuesday.

A new kiln of brick has just been opened at Comfort's yard in Raisin.

Miss Bertha Monigan goes to Brooklyn to day to spend Sunday with relatives.

Art Harding has bought of H. L. Jones the house formerly occupied by Geo. Wilson.

Little Blanch Haines, of Macon, visited with her aunt, Mrs. Eugene Service, last week.

Miss Emily Gulwits, who now lives in Ypsilanti, visited in Tecumseh from Friday till Monday.

Mrs. N. H. Kimball has returned from her visit to Los Angeles and will stop in Adrian for a while.

The Tabitha Trott article in another column is from the pen of our old Tecumseh friend, La Verne Wheeler.

Cliff Millis, who has made many friends during his residence in Tecumseh, left Monday for Pueblo, Colo.

Herman Bailey, of Franklin, has been chosen by the board of Supervisors for the office of county drain commissioner.

Editor Blosser, of Manchester, and daughter Maggie, attended the Redpath Concert last Saturday evening.

W. R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., and C. E. Johnson, of Logansport, Ind., are shaking hands with Tecumseh friends this week.

Rev. D. J. Lewis is taking a respite at home for a couple of weeks. He will then return east to resume his evangelistic work.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist Church, will have for his subject next Sunday night. "The young man and his company."

It is probable that the suit of Mrs. Emma Ford vs. Jacob Cheever, will come up for trial again at this term of the Circuit Court.

E. M. Lewis, of Dundee, has purchased the Rev. Wright house on the corner of Killbuck and VanBuren Sts. He is thoroughly repairing the place and will soon move here.

Mrs. Floyd Brown, of Harrietta, Mrs. Charles Lowe, of Ridgeway, and Mrs. Eugene Service, of Tecumseh, drove out and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Ager, Thursday.

The Adrian Times says: Some superstitious tenant has hung an old rusty horseshoe on one of the hinges of the door opening into the stairway of the Masonic Temple building.

Mrs. W. S. Elder, of Deadwood, S. D., arrived Tuesday night for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eccles, and other relatives. Mrs. Elder likes her western home very much.

Mrs. James Ardene Parkinson, of Jackson, will meet classes in dancing at the Armory, Wednesday, Oct. 30, at 4 p. m. and 7 p. m. All are invited. Good music in attendance. No admission charged.

Over at Jackson it is alleged that two well known ladies recently stood on a freshly constructed tar sidewalk so long gossiping, that they got stuck fast, and had to call in the assistance of a policeman to pull them off.

The school book trust got a black eye from the supreme court on Tuesday at Lansing. The legality of the Grand Rapids school board's action in substituting Frye's for Harper's geographies in the public schools was sustained.

Invitations announce the marriage of Bradford W. Butler and Millie C. Ball at Eaton Rapids last Wednesday. Mr. Butler will be remembered as an old Tecumseh boy. He is now employed with the Gale Plow Works at Albion.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Anna Osborn during the month of November every Friday at 2:30 p. m. Mothers' meeting the first Friday, to which all are cordially invited. The superintendent of this department has made these meetings very interesting and will be glad to see a large attendance.

The deeds of the right of way of the new G., J. & M. railway through Woodstock township have all been filed. A. J. McCourtie and wife, over which there was likely to be some trouble as the road passes between their house and barn, have also deeded the right of way, through their lawyer, L. H. Salsbury.

An exchange says: The Erie & Kalamazoo railroad company re-elected their old officers the other day. Isn't this interesting? Not but it is though. When the Lake Shore system reached out for the threads of iron that ran between Adrian and Toledo, the Erie & Kalamazoo stockholders refused to surrender their charter and they hold it yet. The little strip they owned and still own, they leased. With all its swallowing and crushing proclivities the Lake Shore constrictor couldn't crush or swallow the little Erie & Kalamazoo company, and since the lease has paid that company over $1,000,000. A. L. Millard, of Adrian, is, we believe, president of this little non-crushable, non-purchasable, non-extinguishable railroad company.

Anderson & Co. have a new card this week.

Mrs. Horatio Keyser is visiting friends at Eaton Rapids.

Kennedy & Rogers have a change of card this week. Read it.

James Lowry has a revised message in the advertising columns.

The regular meetings of the Masonic lodges will occur next week.

Mrs. M. E. Corey is visiting Mrs. Delos LeBaron in Toledo this week.

L. D. Dewey has opened a wood yard and will keep a full supply on hand.

Miss Minnie Douglas visited her parents at Church, Mich., last Saturday.

Levi Hayden will move his family next week into the Woodard house, corner of Logan and Union streets.

J. S. Gilman has moved his family into H. W. Stevens house, on Evans St., that he may be nearer his place of business.

Wm. Hayden is putting in a steam heating arrangement to warm the lower stories of the Globe Mill. It will be a great improvement over stoves.

As the term of Willard Stearns as school examiner had expired, the board of supervisors, last Monday, chose Wade Millis, of Addison, for the position.

Frank Bryan has bought the Harding farm of thirty five acres on the Newburgh road, but he has not yet decided what to do with his purchase.

A teachers' meeting was held at the high school Saturday. Talks by Com. Keeler and Prof. Kellogg were supplemented by examples of special work done in the Tecumseh grades.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday the regular services will be held in the morning. In the evening the pastor will give his tenth illustrated lecture on the "Life of Christ." All are invited.

The Massachusetts Shoe Co. will open a big stock of shoes in the Heesen store on Wednesday of next week, Oct. 30th. This will be a chance for bargains. Read their announcement on the eighth page.

Theo. Crane is overhauling and repairing the old shop on his residence lot. This is a wise thing to do. Better convert it into a dwelling house, for that building was once a Baptist church.

A. P. Coddington had another birthday last Friday. His friends met at Mrs. John Heesen's and descended upon the gentleman unawares. Everybody, including the host, had a very pleasant time.

An education is the best capital. Without it we miss most of life's happiness. Youth is the seed-time. Don't delay but start at once for some good school, such as the Fayette Normal University, of Fayette, O., and prepare for an active, successful life.

The Epworth League has reorganized with the following officers:

President—Bert Day.
1st. Vice Pres.—Mrs. Varner.
2d. " " —Gertrude Howell.
3d. " " —Mrs. Mortimer.
4th " " —Marie Eaton.
Secretary—Leon Rosacrans.
Treas.—Clarence Jackson.

Fire destroyed part of the buildings on the fair grounds at Dundee last Monday. Most of the box stalls on the west side of the grounds were destroyed. Help arrived in time to save the grand stand and main building. The loss is $1,500, partly insured; cause of fire unknown.

You can earn $5 each day "giving" our absolutely indispensible household article away. New plan of work, making experience unnecessary and success certain for either sex in any section. Sample dozen free. Credit given and freight paid. Address, Melrose M'f'g. Co., 25 Melrose Park, Ill. 4t

The Stimpson Scale company are gradually extending their trade and the outlook is very favorable at present. They will soon put up a lot of scales with agate bearings. These bearings are usually made of steel, but that is liable to rust, which effects the accuracy of the scale. The agate is procured from the Lake Superior district and polished in Philadelphia. Agate is the best known material for scale bearings and will produce a scale absolutely perfect for accuracy.

Frank Bauer lately received a letter from H. M. Magill, general agent of the Phoenix Ins. Co., giving a brief recital of the agency here in Tecumseh. The first Phoenix policy was written Sept. 18, 1837. Among its early patrons were Albert Anderson, Strong & Drew, Geo. Curtis, M. A. Patterson, L. T. Baylis and C. A. Stacy. John Cummins, father of Thos. Cummins, was the first agent. The present incumbent (F. B. Bauer) is maintaining its reputation and transacting for the old company a splendid business.

The jury in the William Brighton vs. Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway case, at Ann Arbor, returned a verdict of $4,791 for the complainant, Friday night. Attorney Weaver for the defendant at once gave notice of a motion for a new trial. The case is becoming celebrated. The plaintiff claims damages for breach of contract. About a year and a half ago the complainant in the same court secured a verdict of $3,500. The case was taken to the supreme court, which sent it back on error, the new trial resulting as above.—Adrian Times.

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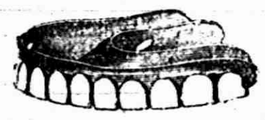

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting Paragraphs Covering a Variety of Topics.

Coal has been discovered near Bellaire.

There are 14,571 school children in Saginaw.

Fred Stockwell was fatally injured by a runaway team at Hartford.

Fifty-five per cent. of the Ann Arbor students are from Michigan.

It is proposed to build an electric railroad to connect Dundee and Monroe.

Johannes Fisher, the oldest citizen of Grand Haven, aged 94, died Tuesday.

The annual convention of the state Y. M. C. A. was held in Hillsdale last week.

Gen. Horace Porter has been secured for the Michigan club banquet at Detroit next February.

At Paw Paw Free & Hagerman's saw and planing mill was destroyed by fire. Loss, $5,000.

A firm in Grand Haven has put up 80,000 cans of fruit so far this season and is still at it.

The pastors of Jackson churches have formed a union for mutual improvement.

The new fast mail service to and from Detroit across Canada will be in operation in a few days.

The safe in the city treasurer's office in Escanaba was blown open recently by burglars, who secured fully $500 in cash.

Over 1,000 pounds of peppermint oil has been marketed at Dorr this season, a uniform price of $1.60 per pound being paid.

Forest fires, which have been burning on Beaver island for the past two months, have finally subsided. Farmers have been heavy losers.

David Wolff, a Detroit cigarmaker, aged 23 years, was run over and killed by a Fort street car in front of his father's place of business.

The state board of education has let the contract for building the new training school for the normal at Ypsilanti, to a Detroit firm for $39,675.

John Voiselle, of Lansing, has sued the city for personal injuries received by falling through a grating on a sidewalk. He wants $20,000 damages.

The State bank of Carsonville, capitalized at $30,000, has been authorized to commence business by Commissioner Sherwood. State Senator Joseph M. Gaige is president of the institution.

R. B. Oldt, of Riverton, raises more honey than any one individual in that part of Michigan. His yield this season amounts to 7,000 pounds, 5,000 pounds of which have been marketed.

TO PAY POTTAWATOMIES.

Chief Collecting Descendants to Receive $146,250 from the Government.

Benton Harbor, Oct. 22.—The Pottawatomie Indian claim against the United States will be settled soon. The government paymaster is expected here within a few days. Chief Simon Pokagon is now collecting the 250 scattered descendants of the tribe. Pokagon will bring the Indians to this city, where they will receive the sum of $146,250. George Miller of this city, who is attorney for the Pottawamies, has been working for the last twenty years to secure this claim for the Indians.

GAME LAWS INEFFECTIVE.

Michigan Authorities Being Imposed Upon by Hunters.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 20.—The deputy game wardens have discovered that extensive frands upon the game hunters' license law, enacted by the legislature, are being practiced. The wide difference between the license fee from resident and non-resident hunters is probably responsible therefor, the former being fifty cents and the latter $25. Very few of the latter have been issued by the county clerks as provided, and the game wardens' department claims that the clerks have been imposed on.

TERRIBLY MANGLED.

A Miner Dies of Injuries Received Through a Premature Blast.

Calumet, Oct. 20.—By a premature explosion of giant powder of the thirteenth level of No. 7 shaft, Calumet & Hecla mine, Saturday morning, William Truan, miner, aged 26, had his right arm torn out at the socket, his left arm torn off at the wrist and the wooden swab stick blown through his body. Notwithstanding his horrible injuries Truan was conscious when picked up after the explosion. He lived nine hours, dying Saturday evening.

Strange Epidemic.

JACKSON, Oct. 17.—A strange epidemic has appeared in the village of Munith, 12 miles north of here, and the schools have been closed. It resembles diphtheria, but the doctors find it differs in many phases. A dozen cases are reported, one of which proved fatal, death being wholly unexpected until a few minutes before it occurred.

Heavy Damage by Frost.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 23.—It is estimated that the low temperature Sunday night caused damage to celery in this vicinity to the extent of $50,000. The loss will be pretty evenly divided among the 300 or more growers. The thermometer Sunday night registered 10 degrees below freezing point.

Democratic Nominee for Mayor of Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 22.—At the democratic city convention Monday Samuel Goldwater received the nomination for mayor over Don M. Dickinson, ex-postmaster-general, by a vote of 51 to 34, and the nomination was then made unanimous.

Ann Arbor's Grand Stand Burns.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 22.—The grand stand and football paraphernalia at the University athletic field took fire Monday from flying sparks and were entirely burned. No insurance. Loss, fully $1,000.

Well-Known Lawyer Dead.

Kalamazoo, Oct. 23.—Oscar T. Tuthill, a criminal lawyer well known in this city and vicinity, died here Tuesday morning at the age of 56 years.

MURDERED IN COLD BLOOD.

Frederick Kramer and Wife Slaughtered at Hancock by Robbers.

Hancock, Oct. 21.—Frederick Kramer, aged 57, and his wife, five years younger, were ruthlessly murdered between midnight Friday and daylight by a robber or robbers unknown. Kramer and his wife lived opposite the cemetery, west of the city, and were reputed to keep considerable money in the house. Kramer was blind and sold beer. His windows were guarded by solid wooden shutters and the doors were kept strongly barred. After dark the door was opened only to persons known to Kramer.

At 9 o'clock Saturday morning Kramer's brother, who lives at Lake Linden, came here and went to the house. The front door was open, but the shutters were closed. He called several times, but getting no answer grew alarmed and went in search of neighbors. A search of the house revealed a big pool of blood upon the floor of the main room. One or more bodies had been dragged through this blood and a broad smear of half-dried blood led to a trap door, which opened upon the cellar. In this cellar at the foot of the short stairway were found the bodies of Kramer and his wife. Kramer's throat was cut on the right while Mrs. Kramer's throat was cut from ear to ear and the left side of her face and forehead was pounded to a pulp, the skull fractured, the jaw broken and an eye beaten from the socket. The hammer covered with blood and hair, with which Mrs. Kramer's skull was fractured, was found on the premises, but the blunt knife or hatchet with which the throats were cut was not found. A single pistol cartridge was picked from the floor, but there had been no shooting. The old-fashioned trunk in the bedroom which was supposed to contain money had been roughly forced open and ransacked. Otherwise the house was undisturbed. The murders were clearly for purposes of robbery and were apparently done in cold blood. Circumstances render it probable that it was done by some one with whom his victims were well acquainted.

An odd character named George Swagler was arrested Sunday afternoon on suspicion of complicity in the murder. Swagler was a neighbor of the Kramers and frequented their house, and is unable to explain his whereabouts on the night of the murder. Other clews are being followed, but nothing very promising has been discovered.

SHE WAS MURDERED.

Horrible Fate of a Little Girl at Ishpeming.

Ishpeming, Oct. 18.—The surgeons who examined the remains of little Eva Lefreniere, whose body was found hidden in an attic of the Wendel block last Monday, testified that the child was unquestionably murdered. The child disappeared June 24 and was last seen in Mrs. Wendel's millinery store. The discovery was made in a most peculiar manner. Mrs. Wendle gave to Mrs. Lefreniere last Monday some carpet rags in which were found shoes worn by the little girl on the day of her disappearance. A thorough search of the Wendel premises resulted in the discovery of the child's body hidden away in an almost inaccessible corner under the roof.

The coroner's jury investigated the case, but so far has returned no verdict. Thursday evening a warrant was issued by Prosecuting Attorney Young for Mrs. Wendel's 16-year-old son, and he was immediately arrested and placed in jail. The evidence so far taken amply established that the child was assaulted and murdered.

BANKS IN GOOD CONDITION.

Those of Michigan Make a First-Rate Showing.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 23.—The comptroller of the currency has given out an abstract of the reports of the condition September 26 of the eighty-eight national banks in the state of Michigan, exclusive of Detroit. It shows total resources of $15,294,525, of which the loans and discounts were $29,549,201; stocks, securities, banking house, furniture, fixtures and other real estate and mortgages owned, $3,164,802; reserve agents, $7,114,067, of which $1,601,254 was in gold. The principal liabilities were: Capital stock, $8,834,000; surplus funds and undivided profits, $4,134,035, and deposits, $26,467,583. The average reserve held was 27.18 per cent.

Michigan Baptists.

Marquette, Oct. 18.—The sixteenth annual convention of the Baptist churches of Michigan began formal sessions here Thursday morning. The work of the day was devoted to discussing reports of the mission committees. These reports show gains in membership and number of churches never before equaled in the history of the church in this state. The number of Baptists in Washington is shown to be 42,355, a gain of nearly 4,000 over last year; number of churches 430, a gain of ten.

Hanged Himself.

Detroit, Oct. 18.—John Schwartz, an aged and respected German citizen of this city, committed suicide Thursday night by hanging himself to a tree in a neighboring forest. He suffered from a painful disease which at times produced wild mental aberrations during which spells he often spoke of suicide by hanging or drowning. Schwartz has no family.

Judge Long's Pension Case.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The supreme court set the hearing of the case of Judge Long, of the Michigan supreme court, who seeks to prevent the reduction of his pension from $72 to $50 a month, for the third Monday in January.

Search for Tug Sunk Twenty Years Ago.

Sand Beach, Oct. 19.—The Mitchells, from Chicago, are here with two tugs, and will sweep for the wreck of the tug Mills sunk twenty years ago in 90 feet of water near here.

HARPER'S BOOKS BARRED.

The State Courts Banish Their Geographies from the Schools.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 23.—The supreme court sustained the action of the board of education in substituting the Frye for the Harper geographies in the city schools, and this ends the school-book war, which cut so much of a figure in the school election in September. The Harper Geography is an American book company, or trust, publication, and has been in use in the city school for five years, while the Frye book is published by Ginn & Co., as independent. The school board adopted the Frye book at the August meeting, and then L. E. Kendall, representing the trust, asked the circuit court for a writ of mandamus to restrain the board of education from completing its contract with Ginn & Co., on the grounds that the change was contrary to public interest on account of the inferior character of the Frye books and because the board had not lived up to its own rules in adopting the Frye books. The court held that the board itself is the best judge of the merits of the text books to be used in the schools, and that a technical violation of its own rules does not vitiate a contract made by the board. The supreme court affirms the ruling of the circuit.

FAMILIES MADE HOMELESS.

Fire Does Much Damage in the Village of Riverside.

Benton Harbor, Oct. 21.—The village of Riverside, 6 miles north of this city, was the scene of a destructive fire Saturday night. Many poor families have been made homeless, and the one industrial institution of the town, the stave factory and sawmill of David Cook, was destroyed. The fire started in Cook's cooper shop and spread to the stave factory and mill, all of which, with contents, were consumed. The homes of Mr. Bernette, Arthur Gettige and A. Woods were in the path of the fire, and rapidly went up in flame and smoke. The home of M. Sheldon was torn down to save the residence of James Curtis adjoining. A fortunate change of the wind saved the Chicago & West Michigan depot and other property. A. Johnson's stable, with contents of hay, grain and implements, was destroyed. The total loss is about $10,000, with no insurance. Mr. Curtis' loss alone is $6,000. The mill employed twelve men. The homeless people have been given shelter by neighbors.

RIGHT OF ACTION AN ASSET.

Important Decision Growing Out of the Wreck at Battle Creek in 1893.

Lansing, Oct. 23.—In its opinion in the case of Robert Findlay vs. the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway the supreme court decided a very important matter growing out of the wreck and holocaust at Battle Creek in October, 1893. Findlay's wife was killed in the wreck, and the husband, who lives in Hamilton, Ont., was given letters of administration by the Wayne county probate court, the entire estate of the wife consisting of a right of action against the railway company for damages. The suit for damages was tried in the Wayne circuit court, which directed a verdict for the company on the ground that the probate court had no jurisdiction, the claim being that the right of action for causing the death of the woman does not constitute assets of the estate. The supreme court, however, held that such right of action does constitute assets of the estate. The decision of the court below was reversed, therefore, and a new trial ordered.

HACKLEY'S GIFT TO MUSKEGON.

Presents the City with an Endowed Manual Training School.

Muskegon, Oct. 19.—Charles H. Hackley, Muskegon's millionaire lumberman and philanthropist, who has given education in this city over $300,000, Friday night raised it to nearly $500,000. He is president of the board of education and just before the board adjourned offered $30,000 to be used solely in the building and equipment of a manual training school wherein the boys and girls of the city of Muskegon may receive free of charge such instruction and training as is afforded in manual training schools of the best class in this country. The property will belong to the public schools of the city of Muskegon. When completed he will give $5,000 a year during his life to defray the expenses of providing instructors, and at or before his death it will be endowed with the sum of $100,000, the income of which shall be used for the purpose of providing instructors.

BRAVERY REWARDED.

Medal of Honor Presented to a Michigan Veteran.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 19.—By the direction of the president a medal of honor has been presented to William C. Whitney, late captain of company B, Eleventh Michigan volunteer infantry, for distinguished gallantry in action at Chickamauga, Tenn., September 30, 1863.

[This officer, at the time the enemy were about to make a charge, went outside the union temporary works and, at great exposition to himself, cut off the cartridge-boxes of the confederate dead and wounded and brought them within the union lines, where the small ammunition secured was used with good effect in again repulsing the attacking force.]

A Queer Will.

St. Joseph, Oct. 19.—The will of John Andrews, a farmer, was offered for probate Friday. The estate is valued at $35,000 and the will gives it all to the children, while the wife receives annually 100 bushels of oats, 100 bushels of wheat and 300 bushels of corn, and in case of serious need she is to receive the sum of $8 annually. If she marries again she is to receive nothing.

Two Detroit Firms Fail.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 19.—Louis Kattnauer & Co., a wholesale leaf tobacco firm, doing business at Nos. 71 and 73 Jefferson avenue, and Kunsaeur, Rosenfeld & Co., wholesale clothing, doing business at Nos. 190 and 192 Jefferson avenue, Friday filed chattel mortgages covering the stocks in both establishments, aggregating $180,000.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Ending Oct. 27. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Death of Stephen.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts vi, 8; vii, 7-60.

Stephen appears to have been one of the most notable persons in the early church. His eminent ability in business affairs and true spirituality led to his selection among the seven stewards or deacons to whom was committed the care of the poor. His understanding of the Hebrew Scriptures and the breadth of the gospel seems to have been greater than that of any other one in the church at Jerusalem. He was specially gifted in debate and argument or teaching. From the meager accounts given it would seem that he frequented one of the synagogues in the city where the Jews of Egypt and Asia Minor were accustomed to worship. Here he was accustomed to speak of Jesus as the Messiah and to expound the Old Testament prophecies as applying to him. It is likely that here a young Jew of Tarsus, who had come to Jerusalem as a pupil of Gamaliel, encountered him. Doubtless Saul often listened to the eloquence of Stephen and may have more than once been worsted in argument with him. Unable to answer the reasoning, stirred by zeal for ancient institutions, conspiracy is laid against Stephen.

The address before the council is of deepest interest. It shows an apprehension of the broadening of the church such as was not to be found even in Peter and was equaled only by that of Paul in after times.

Though Saul was consenting to the death of Stephen he never escaped from the influence of his reasoning and persuasion. Indeed, it is not too much to say that Paul's view of the gospel and his mission to the gentiles were in considerable measure the result of Stephen's preaching. Struggle as he would, he could not escape its force, and finally after his conversion the mantle of the first Christian martyr fell upon Paul and he became the apostle to the gentiles.

The stoning of Stephen seems to have been the result of mob rage, excited by his reference to the worship of Jehovah as broader than the temple service. This was construed as a slur upon the temple, and as blasphemy, the penalty for which was death by stoning. Nowhere is the contrast between blasphemous bigotry and reverent spirituality more clearly shown than in this tragedy.

Suffering and Punishment.

Not all suffering is punishment. If it is inflicted to make one better in the future, it is of the nature of discipline. If inflicted by arbitrary authority for the benefit of society, it is injustice on one side and martyrdom on the other unless indeed it be voluntarily borne, when it becomes heroism and self sacrifice. To be punishment the suffering must be inflicted by proper authority on one who by voluntary disobedience to known law deserves to suffer, and the penalty must be proportioned to the ill desert.

Heavenly Fruition.

All that we have hoped or willed or dreamed of good shall exist there. Not its semblance, but itself. No beauty nor good nor power whose voice has gone forth but each survives for the melodist when eternity affirms the conception of an hour. The high that proved too high, the heroic for earth too hard, the passion that left the ground to lose itself in the sky, are music sent up to God by the lover and the bard; enough that He heard it once; we shall hear it by and by.

Cheerful.

James Fields used to relate a conversation he had with a countryman. He inquired if there had been no amusements in the village, and was told that they did try it once, but with no great success. The town was in need of a new hearse. In order to raise funds a minister who was out of employment was engaged to deliver a course of lectures on mummies. He died before the course was finished, and they had never had the courage to try any amusements since.

Sin and Suffering.

The sufferings which punish sin in this world and the sufferings which will punish it in the next are the expression of the irreconcilable antagonism of God to sin and to those who persist in sinning. They are an assertion by God himself of the principle that those who sin deserve to suffer.—R. W. Dale.

Saving Faith.

The absence of true justifying faith, says John Wesley, consists in entire personal trust of the man of a penitent and broken spirit upon the merits of his Saviour as having died for him. To all who so believe faith is imputed for righteousness, or, in other words, pardon is administered.

The Greatest Talent.

"It requires talent to make money, it requires a higher degree of talent to save money, but the highest talent of all is required to use money rightly. Many get, some keep, few indeed even acquire, ability to wisely use and give."

Endless Life.

Among the rudest pagans death never quenched the hope of immortality. That hope rose over the grave, shining to weeping eyes like the evening star above the place where the evening sun had gone down.—Guthrie.

Our Bishops.

The present number is 18, of whom 2 are missionary bishops. Four were elected in 1872, 3 in 1880, 5 in 1884 and 6 in 1888. The church has had 46 bishops since its organization in 1784.

Humility is the base of every virtue. They who dig deepest build safest. God keeps all his pity for the proud.—Bailey.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

THE Young Men's Christian associations of Illinois met in twenty-third annual state convention in Evanston.

A SPECIAL bulletin issued by the department of agriculture shows that the value of agricultural exports for the fiscal year ended July 1 was $553,915,817, against $628,663,638 for 1894.

PENNSYLVANIA millers will try to induce congress to retaliate upon foreign nations who have discriminated against American flour.

THE state department in Washington received the invitation of the French republic to take part in the Paris exposition of 1900, which is to usher in the twentieth century.

A. C. CHARLTON and Allen Stalker, private bankers at Richland, Ia., failed, and Charlton was missing.

THE fourth annual convention of the American Association of State Weather Observers began at Indianapolis.

TWO MEN were killed, and one fatally and several slightly injured in a wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad near Allegheny, Pa.

THE second day of Fort Wayne's (Ind.) centennial celebration was devoted to entertaining the old settlers.

MERREDITH MAHAN and Francis M. Chilton, of Eminence, Mo., blew out the gas in a St. Louis hotel and were suffocated.

MILWAUKEE concluded the celebration of her golden jubilee with an industrial parade and fireworks.

REPRESENTATIVES of leading clothespin factories of the country met in Cleveland and formed a trust.

NEAR Sharpsburg, Ky., dynamite exploded prematurely, killing three workmen and wounding several others who were building a turnpike.

C. H. STUCKEY, cashier of the State bank of Duluth, Minn., was said to be missing with $11,000 belonging to the bank.

JOHN H. BOWEN, aged 55 years, a weigher in the United States appraiser's stores at Philadelphia, shot his wife, aged 50 years, and then killed himself. No cause was known.

CIVIC, military and industrial display in the form of a great parade was the feature of the third day of the centennial celebration at Fort Wayne, Ind.

AN active volcano was said to be in a state of eruption in the Olympic mountains, south of Port Townsend, Wash.

A. K. WARD, treasurer, secretary and general manager of the Memphis (Tenn.) Barrel & Heading company, was said to be a defaulter to the extent of $100,000.

AT the final session in Washington of the American association of weather service chiefs H. H. C. Dunwoody, of Washington, was elected president.

WILLIAM BLAKE, sentenced to life imprisonment at Hampton, S. C., for murder, was taken from the sheriff by a mob and hanged.

AT Greeley, Col., a negro named Bob Marshall was treated to a coat of tar and feathers for abusing Gov. McIntyre and ordered to quit the town.

JAMES J. CORBETT was arrested at his training quarters in Hot Springs, Ark., charged with conspiracy to commit a breach of the peace by agreeing to engage in a prize fight with Robert Fitzsimmons.

THE Michigan grand lodge of odd fellows in session at Lansing decided that no saloonkeeper, bartender or gambler would be allowed to join the order after January 1 next.

THE Empire Cordage company's works at Champaign, Ill., were burned, the estimated loss being $100,000.

THE American Bankers's association closed its annual meeting in Atlanta, Ga., after electing E. H. Pullen, of New York, president.

THE national road parliament, the greatest gathering ever held in this country for the agitation of the good roads question, met in Atlanta, Ga.

A PARDON was granted by the president to George M. Van Leuven, sentenced in Iowa to imprisonment for two years and $1,000 fine for violation of the pension laws.

TOMMY BRITTON broke the world's 2-year-old race record at Lexington, Ky., trotting a mile in 2:15¼.

MRS. CARL HUBERICH and her daughter Bertha, aged 19, were killed near Fremont, O., by being thrown from a buggy by a runaway horse.

THE annual report of the surgeon general of the army for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1895, shows a gratifying record as regards the health of the army for the calendar year of 1894. The prevalence of alcoholism in the army continues to decline.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 18th aggregated $1,161,032,962, against $1,154,302,762 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 21.9.

AFTER four days of festivities the Fort Wayne (Ind.) centennial celebration closed with a display of fireworks.

THE village of Blanchester, O., was nearly wiped out by fire, the total loss being over $200,000.

FOUR blocks of the business portion of Creede, Col., were burned, causing a loss of $175,000.

THE firms of Kuttnauer, Rosenfeld & Co., wholesale clothing dealers, and Louis Kuttnauer & Co., wholesale tobacco dealers, failed in Detroit, Mich., with total liabilities of $200,000.

THE Union Veteran Legion in session at Buffalo, N. Y., elected Col. George C. James, of Cincinnati, national commander.

THE time for the meeting between Fitzsimmons and Corbett was postponed, but to what date was not announced.

SEVERAL buildings, including a rice mill, were burned at New Orleans, the loss being $300,000.

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THOMAS ST. CLAIR and Hans Hansen were hanged at San Quentin, Cal., for killing Nate Fitzgerald.

THE twenty second annual convention of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union began at Baltimore.

THE pay-car on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad was wrecked near Ceylon, Ind., and William Brown, James Gilson and John Matott were killed and several others were injured.

A. J. MILLER, ex-mayor, and Henry Clay, a prominent business man, were drowned in the river near Canton, Mo.

FIRE in a mine at Franklin, Wash., caused the death of John H. Clover, S. W. Smalley, John Adams and James Stafford.

THE battleship Indiana made her official speed trial run over the government ocean course at Cape Ann and showed an average speed of 15.61 knots per hour.

THE National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution met at Atlanta, Ga.

Three men, Fred Awe, Sr., Fred Awe, Jr., and John Schmidt, while digging a well in Milwaukee were suffocated by gas.

A GREAT prairie fire swept along the Minnesota river near Rothsay, Minn., destroying thousands of tons of hay, several houses, barns and granaries.

MORRIS SCHOENHOLZ, a noted fire-bug, was sentenced in New York to forty-eight years in state's prison.

DURING a row at a colored cake walk near Moorestown, N. J., James Haggerty, a negro, fatally shot Charles McKim, Mrs. Silas Wessels, George Whittaker and Charles Wiman. Some one then shot Haggerty fatally.

JOHN CARR and his wife and two sons were killed near Dry Forks, W. Va., by a tree falling upon them.

BY an explosion of gas at a colliery in Pottsville, Pa., three persons were fatally and six others seriously injured.

CHRIS KRAMER and his wife, an aged couple, were found murdered in their home at West Hancock, Mich. Robbery was the motive.

THE mining village of Stockton, Pa., was practically wiped out by fire.

THE First national bank of Puyallup, Wash., made a run on its depositors, probably the first time such a thing was ever done in the history of banking.

THE plant of the Northwestern Fertilizing company in Chicago was burned, the loss being $100,000.

FIVE farmers near Kewaunee, Wis., lost their dwellings and barns in a prairie fire.

THE village of Riverside, Mich., was completely wiped out by fire.

ALBERT CABLE and James Brett were killed at Bolivar, Pa., by P. Kingaland, a wealthy farmer, who claimed that the young men insulted his wife.

THE annual report of the commissary general of the army shows resources amounting to $2,557,147 and expenditures of $2,365,065, leaving a balance of $192,082.

AT St Louis Maud Lewis, the woman who killed State Senator Morrissey last winter, was found guilty of murder and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

REPORTS received at the weather bureau in Washington say the present drought in many portions of the country is one of the severest and most prolonged known in the United States since the bureau's organization.

SCHUYLER C. HAUGHEY was acquitted at Indianapolis on a charge of assisting his father in wrecking the Indianapolis national bank, which failed in 1893.

THE Corbett habeas corpus case terminated at Hot Springs, Ark., in Chancellor Leatherman granting the writ and releasing the prisoner.

THAT portion of the city of New Orleans known as Algiers was almost wiped out by flames, causing a loss of from $350.000 to $500.000 and rendering 1,000 persons homeless.

TWO NEW gunboats for the United States navy were launched at Newport News, Va. They were christened the Nashville and Wilmington.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 21st was: Wheat, 46,199,000 bushels; corn, 6,479,000 bushels; oats, 4,380,000 bushels; rye, 979,000 bushels; barley, 3,781,000 bushels.

A TRAIN ran into a wagon at Miller's Station, O., killing Samuel Cogan, Sr., Samuel Cogan, Jr., Edward Cogan and John Campbell.

SNOW fell to the depth of 22 inches at Oswego and other portions of western New York.

THE sixteenth annual session of the national conference of Unitarian and other Christian churches convened in Washington.

THE presidential party left Washington to attend the exposition at Atlanta, Ga.

THE session of the national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Baltimore was devoted almost entirely to memorial services for twenty prominent workers who died during the year.

THE Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight was declared off by the Florida Athletic club. Corbett was willing to postpone the fight to November 11, but Fitzsimmons would not agree to it.

FRANK LOFTUS, of the Green Bay (Wis.) Athletic association, started to walk to New Orleans in forty days on stilts nearly 4 feet high on a wager of $2,500.

AT Philadelphia United States Judge Butler held it is a crime to send dunning letters in black envelopes.

PRAIRIE fires caused great destruction in Finney, Greeley and Wichita counties, Kan.

PISTOLS were used to settle a quarrel at Uniontown, Fla., between City Marshall Robert Britton and V. S. Metzger, a merchant, and both were fatally wounded.

GOV. THORNTON, of New Mexico, in his annual report says that the population during the year has not materially increased. The total bonded indebtedness of the territory up to July 20, 1895, was $907,800.

THE State bank at Duluth, Minn., made an assignment because of the flight of the cashier with $15,000 of the bank's money.

A SUCCESSFUL test of towing canal boats by electricity was made at Buffalo, N. Y.

THE business portion of Fairchild, Wis., was wiped out by what was believed to have been an incendiary fire. The loss was $200,000.

FRANCIS MARION, for twenty-nine years editor of the Kentucky Register, dropped dead at his home in Richmond, Ky.

JOHN S. JOHNSON lowered the bicycle record for a mile with a flying start at Louisville, Ky., to 1:44 1-5.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE executive committee of the National League of Republican clubs met in Chicago to consider plans for the campaign of 1896.

JUDGE JOSEPH M. BAILEY, of the Illinois supreme bench, died at his home in Freeport, aged 62 years.

ACCORDING to a decision of the supreme court there are two democratic parties in Nebraska.

MRS. ELLEN HEGERSON died in Chicago at the age of over 100 years.

MAYOR PINGREE was unanimously renominated for mayor for a fourth time by the republicans of Detroit, Mich.

FREDERICK L. BILLON, aged 95, who had resided in St. Louis longer than any other inhabitant, is dead. He was the oldest mason in the west.

DR. ASAHEL CLARK KENDRICK, professor in the University of Rochester, a famous Greek scholar and a member of the committee on the New Testament revision, died in Rochester, N. Y.

THE democrats of Detroit, Mich., nominated Samuel Goldwater for mayor.

FOREIGN.

JAPAN was forced to comply with Russia's demand for a speedy withdrawal of Japanese troops from Liao Tung.

THE Spanish government acceded to the request of Secretary Olney and restored diplomatic functions to Consul General Williams at Havana.

DURING a hurricane near Ancona, Italy, a fishing smack foundered and twelve fishermen were drowned.

A FERRY-BOAT collided near Cairo, Egypt, with a steamer and the ferry-boat capsized and fifty of those on board of her, mostly workmen, were drowned.

THE English missions at Changpu, China, were destroyed by a mob.

JOHN W. MACKAY, JR., eldest son of the American millionaire, was thrown from his horse while riding near Paris, France, and sustained injuries from which he died.

IT was said that England had sent an ultimatum to President Crespo, of Venezuela, demanding reparation for the arrest of policemen at Uruan, and that the demand, if insisted upon, might force the United States into a war in defense of the Monroe doctrine.

THE Raca Latina, a Spanish daily paper in the City of Mexico, says Spain will send the Sixth division of the navy to bombard New York as soon as Cuba is whipped.

TEN children were killed by the burning of the home at Starford in Polish Prussia.

FIELD MARSHAL DUNST-ADELSHEIM and his wife killed themselves at Vienna. He was 73 years old; she was 50. Money troubles caused the crimes.

FOURTEEN Chinamen were put to death at Ku Cheng for taking part in the massacre of missionaries at Hwa Sang.

THIRTY persons were drowned at Caliacau, Lower California, by a storm which destroyed La Paz.

HENRY REEVES, the English historian, died in London, aged 82 years. He was for many years editor of the Edinburgh Review.

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
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Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 45 "
Clinton	6 56 "	3 01 "	2 00 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

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Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
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.....	11 50	6 35	L.....Allegan.....A	3 10	8 15	
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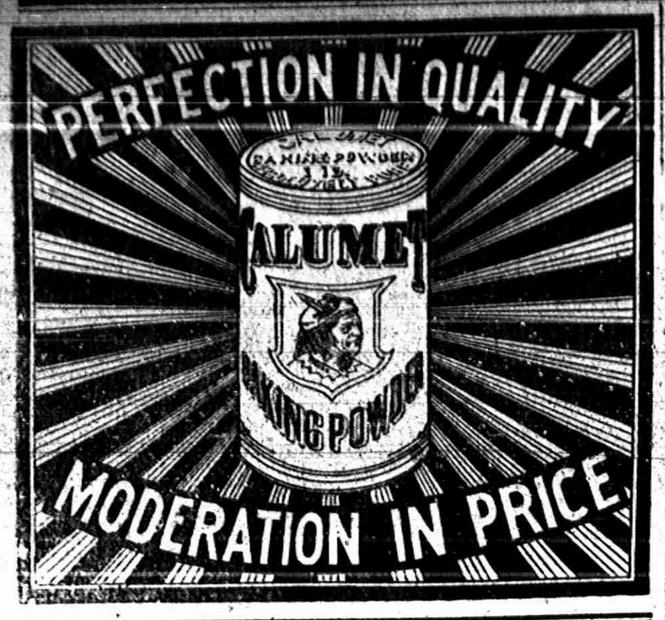

OBITUARY.

DEWITT C. CLARK.

DeWitt C. Clark, one of the foremost citizens of Adrian, died Tuesday, Oct. 15, from an attack of rheumatism of the heart. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon, Oct. 17, from his late residence at 22 Dennis street. The following notice is condensed from an obituary in the Telegram;

DeWitt C. Clark was born in this city, November 22, 1837, and would have been 58 years old had he lived until his next birthday. He had imbibed the mining fever when a young man and when the war came on was in California engaged in gold mining and speculative enterprises. He was patriotic in disposition and enlisted in Co. H, First Regiment California cavalry, and served through the dark days of the rebellion, being mustered out at Ft. Worth, Texas. At the close of the rebellion he returned to Adrian and engaged in the grocery business, later buying a farm to which he devoted his attention until the winter of 1880, at which time he sold out and removed to Mandon, Dakota, where he engaged in mercantile business. The death of his father, Hon. E. L. Clark occurred in the April following and he went back to Dakota and closed up the business there, and returned to Adrian until 1882. He then went to Saginaw and engaged with Ald. E. J. Shepherd in the wholesale drug business, and continued in business there for two or three years. In 1885 he sold out the Saginaw business and returned to the home of his birth where he has ever since resided. After disposing of his Saginaw business, Mr. Clark became interested somewhat largely in copper mining in the northern part of Michigan, and in gold mines in Montana, which interests he retained at the time of his death. Mr. Clark was one of the wealthy men of the city, owning several stores and houses in this city and Detroit, besides his mining and other interests. A conservative estimate would value his property at $100,000, while it was oftener estimated at twice that sum. Mr. Clark was twice married, his first wife being a Miss Paine; his second wife, who survives to mourn the loss of a kind husband, was S. Maud Wetmore. The only child, a son of the last marriage, died in infancy, and they have an adopted son, Bonny, about fourteen years of age. Mr. Clark was a man who detested show or display of any kind. He was considered somewhat set in his ideas and manners, but he was willing to be convinced, and his heart was in the right place, as many people know who received quiet, unostentatious benefits at his hands. He gave more liberally to charity than any knew, buying shoes and clothing for suffering children or decrepit old people, and doing it in a way that made others happy while the world in general knew nothing of his deeds of kindness. He was a man whose word was as good as his bond and, while surrounded by a somewhat brusk exterior in his dealings with the public, strict integrity and sterling honesty were part and parcel of his being, and those who knew him best were his best friends.

FRANCES J. JONES.

This obituary is clipped from the Albion Mirror of Oct. 4th. The deceased formerly resided in Tecumseh and had many acquaintances here, who will learn of her demise with regret.

Sadness filled many hearts in this city on hearing of the death of Miss Frances Jones, who a few years ago was one of society's favorite young ladies, but who for the past four months has been a sufferer from rheumatism. Frances J. Jones was born at Tecumseh, April 23rd, 1865, and came to this city nine years ago and was at that time engaged with her sister, Mrs. M. C. Butler in the millinery business in the store now occupied by Austin & Tucker. Later they closed out their business and Miss Jones entered the employ of W. B. Crane, where she was sales lady for a year, then accepted the position of head trimmer in Ury's store, where she remained for a year and a half, when her health began to fail and she was taken to Ypsilanti for treatment at the sanitarium, but receiving no benefit returned home and was treated by physicians here. Later on she was taken to Allen's Institute at Indianapolis, but there she received no help and returned in a much worse condition than before leaving home and since that time she has suffered untold agony, but through it all she was most wonderfully cheerful and patient. Sunday morning after more intense suffering than any she had ever experienced, she slept for a number of hours to awaken in another world. She leaves her mother, Mrs. Caroline Jones, and four sisters, Mrs. J. G. Clark and Mrs. Abbie Frost, of Grass Lake, and Mrs. M. C. Butler and Mrs. W. M. Gillette, of this city. All through her sickness the friends who had loved her so well still remembered her with flowers and delicacies, and loving hands lined her grave with white, evergreens and beautiful flowers. Two years previous to her death, she chose her bearers and expressed wishes concerning her burial which were carefully carried out. Miss Jones was a member of St. James' church and the impressive Episcopal service was used. Rev. T. H. Honley conducted the services. And thus passed from our midst one whom we hope to meet in the home where there is no more sorrow or suffering.

BENJAMIN KELLEY.

Benjamin Kelley, an old and respected resident of Raisin, died on Wednesday, the 16th inst., the funeral being held and largely attended at the Friends church, at Raisin Center, on Friday last. Mr. Kelley was born in Sidney, Kennebec county, Me., Sept. 1823. He came to Michigan with the late Libni Kelley, his father, about the year 1836, and settled on section 23, so we may say he was a pioneer in the full sense of the word, doing his life work here in Raisin. He was married to Miss Jane M. Hoxie, who came with her parents and settled in Palmyra in the year 1834 who is left to mourn the loss of a loving husband. Mr. Kelley, by his energy and business tact, became the owner of a large and well stocked farm. For many years he was the principal stock buyer and shipper in this vicinity, and by his honorable dealing became a favorite buyer of stock among the farmers of this county. He was a public spirited citizen, doing well his part in building up schools, churches, and other public improvements, and with a kind heart and almost too liberal hands assisting the needy and suffering. He was a consistent and faithful member of the Friend's church, being liberal in supporting, building up and sustaining the church, society and Sabbath school. His only child died when only 11 months old, but he and his wife became the foster parents to Louisa Mulligan, Zora Hoxie, Madison Graves and Fannie G. Kelley. For the last few years his life became clouded by misplaced confidence in others with whom he was connected in business, thus losing the honest accumulations of his life's work. Yet though he was made poor in this world's goods, he died with the glad consciousness that he had treasures abundant laid up in Heaven. Thus "Uncle Ben," who has spent his life largely in doing good to others, has passed from us to his reward.

Electric Power for October.

This enterprising magazine seems to have made a particular effort in its October issue to appeal to the popular mind. Although an article by Mr. Wiener on Technical Measuring Instruments, and one by Mr. Emmet, on The Original of Alternating Currents, as well as Messrs. Freedman and Osterberg's serial on Practical Testing, are very scientific, there are several others of interest to anybody at all versed in science. Prof. W. M. Stine contributes a very able article on The Aim of Laboratory Training, a subject widely discussed, and worthy of deep thought. The writer is a particularly able man for this subject, having a large laboratory in personal charge. Mr. E. P. Thompson, well known for his writing on Invention, points out that the principal of reversal is one everybody should take to heart; he shows that by simply reversing the process some of the most important inventions have been made. The Synopsis of Technical Literature is exceptionally long, showing the activity which is being developed all over the world in trying to further the science of electricity and its application.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	15	20
Eggs, per doz	15	15
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		14

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon	10
Smoked Ham	15
Smoked Shoulders	9
Beef, by the side	5 6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60 to 3 80
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7 6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	
Chickens, per lb	8½ 6 10
Hides, green	6
Sheep Pelts	25 to 85

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	61½
Corn, shelled	34 to 40
Corn in ear	17 to 22
Oats	18 to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 11 00
Hay, clover, per ton	9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs	85
Middlings, per 100 lbs	90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 40	@	4 90
Sheep	1 85	@	2 80
Hogs	4 20	@	4 50
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 50	@	3 75
Minnesota Bakers'	2 60	@	3 00
WHEAT—No 2 Red	68½	@	68¼
October	68½	@	68
CORN—No 2	38½	@	39
October	37¾	@	37¾
OATS—No 2	23¼	@	23½
December	23¼	@	23¾
PORK—Mess	9 50	@	10 00
LARD—Western Steam	5 85	@	5 90
BUTTER—West'n Creamery	14	@	23
Western Dairy	10	@	15
EGGS	18	@	20
CHICAGO			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 35
Stockers and Feeders	1 90	@	3 75
Cows	1 10	@	3 40
Texas Steers	2 60	@	3 45
HOGS—Light	3 40	@	3 85
Rough Packing	3 25	@	3 40
SHEEP	1 25	@	3 25
BUTTER—Creamery	9	@	21
Dairy	9	@	18
Packing Stock	6	@	10
EGGS—Fresh	15	@	17
BROOM CORN (per ton	50 00	@	60 00
POTATOES (per bu)	15	@	22
PORK—Mess	8 10	@	8 20
LARD—Steam	5 40	@	5 50
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 15	@	3 60
Spring Straights	2 85	@	3 00
Winter Patents	3 00	@	3 50
Winter Straights	2 90	@	3 30
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2	59¾	@	60
Corn, No 2	30¾	@	30¾
Oats, No 2	17¾	@	17¾
Rye, No 2	38½	@	39
Barley, Choice to Fancy	79	@	85
MILWAUKEE			
GRAIN—Wheat, No 2 Spring	57¾	@	58
Corn, No 3	30¾	@	30½
Oats, No 2 White	20¾	@	20¾
Rye, No 1	40	@	40¼
Barley, No 2	40½	@	40¾
PORK—Mess	8 30	@	8 35
LARD	5 60	@	5 65
ST. LOUIS			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 70	@	5 40
Texas	2 50	@	3 85
HOGS	3 10	@	3 75
SHEEP	2 60	@	3 50
OMAHA			
CATTLE—Steers	$2 85	@	3 75
Feeders	2 30	@	3 45
HOGS—Light and Mixed	3 40	@	3 55
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The Beautiful City of Venice, Livy's Home and Along the Po.

MR. EDITOR:—My last letter concluded just where the marvels began. We were approaching Venice. I shall tell you about the sea Cybele as soon as I relate how we met detachments of Italian cavalry every five minutes during two days preceeding our arrival in Venice. They were uniformed in brown and were dusty and real enough. I learned that they were going to Genoa, there to embark for Abysinia and quell the rebellion After passing innumerable villas, built on low and marshy soil, we at last reached the Adriatic shore at Fusina and made the embarassing discovery that the queen of the seas, was throned on her hundred isles, about three miles out and in deep water. She did not send her winged lions after us, and as bicycles are so clumsy to swim with, we graciously deposited our wheels with the steamboat company, and embarked for the fairy city of our dreams. This was our first ride in Europe on anything except our bicycles and it was very pleasant, I assure you, to sit at ease in the bow of the boat and see the tiara of towers, and the vast and sumptuous pile rise clearly, and more clearly from the waves. We entered Venice in the evening, just as the full moon was rising. I do not think that anyone believes he has been in Venice until he has had some realistic experience—quarreled with a gondolier, or been outrageously overcharged by a hotel-keeper. Before that, it was all a dream, such as it was for us while we wandered among the throngs on the Piazza of St. Mark and heard the orchestra, and watched the revelers who sat and gaily drank wines and absinthe at the tables in front of the brilliant cafes. We strolled up and down the quays and tried to feel unsympathetic before that "pathetic swindle," the Bridge of Sighs. Then the crowd melted away and we tried to follow one of the many streamlets, but it vanished finally and left us on the Bridge of the Rialto at midnight. We stood there a long time under the hypnotic influence of the flaring torches and cries of gondoliers as they rowed lazily home. Beneath us was the sound of dipping oars and occasionally the merry laugh of a girl. Above wa the quiet light of the stars, and when all became as still as they, we felt the need of sleep and hunted up a hotel where we slept and nervously waited for morning to reveal new wonders.

Of course I cannot tell you all we saw in Venice. Ruskin, Howells or Hare can do it so delightfully for you. But these few confidences. We rode with the most unpoetic of gondoliers up and down the Grand Canal and we learned that the palaces in Venice are crumbling, that the gondolier is songless and conscienceless, but not voiceless, that the Moor and Shylock cannot be forgotten, and that St. Mark's steeds of brass were bridled long ago. We also walked those streets which are not canals and we found them so intricate and making such a labyrinth that even the best of maps would hardly extricate the wonderers. There are no horses in Venice. There is no dust, and, as the poet has written it, "no steps, no track of man leads to her gates." Late one afternoon we took the steamboat, and when it touched Fusina awoke from our dream and, in a dazed way, mounted our wheels and rode away.

Our ride for 25 miles was a retrace of our approach, as far as Padua. We lost our way before in that city and now did it again. Such a maze as those streets are, and you have to go around the city three times before a magic gate is opened by this conjuring, you are released. From there to Ferara we wheeled upon an elevated road, or enbanked highway I should say, from which we could see the low plain, broken at times by volcanic hills and intersected by branches of the Po. Beautiful villas and castles upon steep hills, relieve an otherwise monotonous succession of rice fields. We saw Livy's home and Petrarch's native town and far more exciting we were well shaken up by an earthquake just as we were going to bed in the tiny inn of the little town of Battaglia. You will insist that I exaggerate when I say that the long-horned cattle in that region made us nervous for fear we could not get by, but we felt like giving them the road and being thankful we were not gored.

We passed through Rovigo and reached the Po river along whose bank we rode in search of a bridge. It is a miserable stream with lazy, yellow waters and stupid, marshy banks, all uncultivated. The only use made of the stream seems attained by corn mills. These are wonderfully old structures, supported on the water by boats, old black hulks, which are anchored; and between the boats is a very wide water wheel which turns slowly, monotoonusly in the sluggish current. When we at last found a bridge, there was a terrific wind and thunderstorm at our back. We were almost hurled across that bridge, and through the town on the opposite side. Then we were driven with fearful violence along a magnificent road toward Ferrara but the rain overtook us just a mile out of that city and we took refuge in the wierdest old rookery where four or five ugly Italians with fiendish tempers were employed in some unlawful manufacturing, as was evident from the suspicious, fierce way in which they entertained us and drove us out when the storm moderated.

Ferrara's glory has departed. The streets are grass-grown and palaces are forlorn or occupied by merchants. The old castle with the dungeon, where Tasso was imprisoned, stands within its moat, grand and lonely, in the midst of the busiest street. It was a relief to look upon the simple house where Ariosto lived so contentedly. All this we left behind and we reached Bologna after a ride through a region where the rice reeds stood eight and ten feet high and where there were threshing floors made of polished red bricks and grand canals, the surface of whose waters was high above the plain. We amused ourselves for a time riding through the narrow streets and lofty arcades, peering now and then into old palaces and cathedrals and hunting for the sausages after which, I suppose, the city was named. When we were wheeling out of the city an officer confronted and stopped us, saying that we had no brake. We conceded that fact and remarked that we did not care to buy. The officer, however, insisted and led us, followed by a curious crowd, back to the police station, and after a few preliminaries, the magistrate informed us that we were fined five lira. Our American ire was aroused and we refused to pay, saying we had plenty of time and would stay there and board it out. The officer began to sweat and the magistrate looked much concerned. The Italian government is too poor to keep anyone over night. Then we threatened to see the American Consul on the following day. We left our wheels as hostage and finished seeing the sights. At 9 o'clock in the evening they were getting desperate, so sent for the chief of the department who, when he heard our story, told us to go on our way. We thanked him and he shook hands with us, wishing us "buono viaggia." On the following day we set out for Florence over the Appenines. More about the mountains in a later letter.

C. H. VANTYNE.

SATURDAY'S BLAZE.

Last Saturday, about 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the loose straw about Henry Smith's paper mill was discovered to be on fire. It was hardly started before the high wind blowing at the time had spread the flames about the yard and over the large piles of baled straw. The alarm was quickly turned in, and the engine team being away Art Harding's dray team was pressed into the service, hauling the hose cart to the scene in good time. In the meantime a reel of hose, which is kept in Mr. Smith's shed for use in that part of town, was quickly coupled and used with excellent effect to stay the flames. So furious was the wind and so combustible was the material at hand, that it seemed for a while as if the two powerful streams which were playing on the fire would hardly be able to hold its progress in check, much less put it out. However, the fire was gradually driven back and at last confined to the piles of baled straw where it would ever break out afresh. The piles had to be overhauled, wet down, and were then drawn down on the flats away from the mill. It was necessary to keep close watch of the whole premises for several days and nights, as some hidden fire would constantly break out afresh. The roof of the lower part of the mill was blazing in many places and it required the efforts of a strong bucket brigade to keep the fire in check even there. Considering the distance and length of hose to be used, there was never more prompt and earnest work done at a fire than here, both by the members of the hose company and by other citizens. Everybody seemed to feel that the loss of the Smith paper mill would be a personal loss, and worked accordingly. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks from the smoke stack.

The citizens of Tecumseh can again well congratulate themselves on the fact that they possess a most efficient system of water works, for it is conceded by all that, had it been necessary to wait for the engine last Saturday, the paper mill would now be in ashes.

The loss sustained by Mr. Smith on his stock of straw and on the sheds and mill amount to nearly $1500 with no insurance.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly sympathized with and assisted us in the death and burial of our dear, beloved wife and mother.

G. WASHINGTON HARRIOTT
AND DAUGHTERS.

LOCAL OPTION.

To Try or Not to Try it, that is the Question.

A meeting was held Wednesday morning at the First Baptist church in Adrian, and the matter of asking for a special election in this county to test the sentiment of the public on the question of local option came up for consideration. There seemed to be considerable dissatisfaction with the character of the legislation as regards the liquor traffic, and the question as to whether or not local option under the circumstances would be effective as a temperance measure was discussed somewhat. It was finally decided that a committee should be appointed to call a meeting of citizens generally interested in the subject, and let that meeting act as it deemed best when the people came together. The committee got together and formulated the following call:

To the Citizens of Lenawee County who are Interested in the Provisions of the Local Option Law:

A meeting will be held to consider the advisability of taking advantage of provisions in local option act, in Adrian, Friday, November 8th, at 10 a. m., in the M. P. church.

D. C. THOMAS, Adrian,
J. P. VARNER, Tecumseh,
A. E. SKIBERT, Morenci,
JOHN BETTIS Blissfield,
C. W. BALDWIN, Addison,
B. S. HUDSON, Tecumseh,
Committee.

It is understood those in favor and those opposed are invited to be present and disouss the question, after which a decision will be reached as to whether further action will be taken or not.

Valuable Maps.

Messrs. Rand, McNally & Co., of Chicago, the famous map firm, have issued a wall map of this great State, which should be in every home, office and school-room.

This Map illustrates the complete system of United States Land Survey, and by a special process of Relief Line engraving presents all the details without confusion.

Each county is clearly shown by different colors and the name printed in large, clear type.

Each County Seat is distinctly shown by a special character and the name printed in conspicuous type.

Each Railroad system is represented and named.

The location of every railroad station, post office, and town is plainly designated and can be readily located, as all section lines are clearly delineated, and the township and range numbers are printed in the plainest possible manner.

Rivers, creeks, small lakes, and innumerable details are clearly and correctly located. Taken all in all it is a marvel of beauty.

Notwithstanding the great cost of production the price is as moderate as could be expected. The prices are $2.00 for the paper back wall map, or $3.00 for the cloth back, at which rates they are sent postpaid.

The same firm issues another map which is worth mentioning. It is 46 inches from top to bottom. One side shows the largest United States map ever printed on one sheet. The other side shows a similar map of the World. Each of these maps is sold for $5.00 when put up on cloth back, but this one map will be supplied for $2.50 postpaid.

We advise any of our readers who wants profitable work should write to this firm for agents' terms. Good canvassers earn from $15.00 to $35.00 per week. 3w

AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, one and one half miles north of Ridgeway, on Thursday, Nov. 7, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property: Three good horses, 1 bay gelding 8 years old; 1 gray mare 8 years old; 1 good road mare 5 years old; 2 Jersey Cows, 1 nearly new milch, 1 due in April; 10 good Fine Wool Ewes; 1 Fine Wool Buck; 5 tons Timothy Hay, 1,000 bundles Corn Stalks; 400 bushels assorted corn in ear; 60 bushels potatoes; 10 bushels beans; one lumber wagon; 1 combination hay and stock rack; 1 Milwaukee binder; 1 mower; 1 road cart; 1 set bob sleighs, nearly new; 1 cutter; 1 land roller; 1 set Scotch Harrows; 1 Mitchell fanning mill, corn sheller; cutting box; hay fork, with 120 ft. rope and pulleys; double harness; corn marker; dinner bell; forks; shovels; spades; log chains; plows; cultivators, 4 tons Bean fodder, and other things too numerous to mention. Terms of sale—All sums of $5.00 or under cash; all sums over $5.00, twelve months' credit at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

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The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known, and every family should have a bottle on hand. Nov—

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The chap who is ready to shirk
Will never be counted a winner;
If you wish for success you must work,
Just as sure as man is a sinner.
You will learn if you take daily load
Of the toil, and the strife, and the rustle,
That the fellow who's found in the lead
Is the one who will get up and hustle.

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"Hullo, Fatty," said the Copy-book to the Dictionary.

"Hullo, Thinny!" retorted the Dictionary.

"You're a wordy person, Fatty," said the Copy-book.

"You're an empty thing, Thinny," said the Dictionary.

"Bound to have the last word, eh, Fatty!" sneered the Copy-book.

"Need it in my business, Thinny," said the Dictionary, and the Umbrella in the library corner laughed so hard that it bent one of its ribs.—Harper's Round Table.

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"What are you doing now, old fellow?" "I'm a stenographer." "Stenographer? I didn't know you understood the business." "I don't, but I got a job with a man who stutters."

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Toddles: Papa, I've found another word that's all wrong.

Papa: Well, Toddles, what is it?

Toddles: Why, it's butter-milk. The idea of taking all the butter out of the milk, and then calling it butter-milk! When it comes from the cow it's butter-milk, seems to me.

Papa: Well, what would you call it afterward?

Toddles: Butterless milk, of course.

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HOW GIRLS KISS.

The next time you happen to see two girls kiss each other just watch and notice how they do it. It is a very interesting study, and you will be surprised to discover how many hundreds of methods there are of kissing. A girl usually kisses another girl because she feels it her duty and one of the things she can't evade. Sometimes she does it when there's a man around, for it is well to set him a good example. Once in a while, though, she kisses her friend because she likes her.

The most popular fashion is to make a hurried dive and both kiss the atmosphere. Kissing on the cheek is considered quite the thing, too, but as for one girl to kiss another girl's mouth—well it is not even to be thought of. The tender, gentle girl usually puts a hand on either side of her friend's face and presses her lips on the friend's forehead, or may be on her chin or her eyes.

And then some girls just press their cheeks together and let it go at that. Most girls consider it a bother, anyway.

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MCKINLEY AND HIS SECRETARY.

The Major: What was that last run that we made on the special?

Secretary: Ninety-nine miles in ninety-six—

The Major: Hush! Not so loud about '96. We don't want to have too much to say about that around here. The people have sort of caught on to that fellow Whitney's remarks about letting '96 take care of itself. How would you say that run was?

Secretary: Ninety-nine miles in ninety-five minutes and sixty seconds.

The Major: That is better. It was a good run. We'll show Tom Reed a point or two about railroading ourselves into the White House. Hey, Mr. Secretary?

Secretary: Indeed, we will, sir. And the railroads pay the McKinley bill—I mean the freight.—N. Y. World.

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WHAT MAKES A RELIGION.

According to an eminent preacher it takes two things to make a religion, viz., a creed and a cultus. Christianity is indeed a creed: but this creed is not a thing that you can roll up and lay among the manuscripts. It is a living thing, with eyes to see and a heart to pity, and feet to go about doing good. And Christianity is also a cultus, but not a mere litany or illuminated missal that the dust can cover and decay gnaw at. It is a living spirit that goes everywhere, making the waste places glad and communing with heaven by blessing earth.

At this point Christianity differs from all other religions. Confucianism is proverbial philosophy. Mohammedanism is a politico-moral force. Brahminism is sacerdotal formalism. Buddhism is cold ethics. The religion of Jesus comes in among these false religions and gives light and life. It is more than a philosophy—it is motive power; it is morality spiritualized; it is sacerdotalism put in touch with sciology; it is ethics applied to human affairs.

Pure blood and a good digestion are insurance against disease and suffering. Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digestion perfect. 1w.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 1, 1895.

How about that cider, Joe?

News is a little shy this week.

Jno. F. Clark is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. J. D. Smith has retured from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Priest have gone to housekeeping.

C. J. VanValkenburg, of Jackson, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood visited friends in Chelsea over Sunday.

It is rumored that a mandolin class will be started here soon.

Jas. McCann and James Elliott drove up from Tecumseh, Thursday.

C. E. Judge rode to Manchester last Saturday to call on friends in that town.

Geo. Wilson has secured a position with the Page Fence Company, of Adrian.

Miss May Morgan, of Manchester, spent Sunday with Misses Minnie and Alice McAdam.

Miss Minnie Alexander was called to Tecumseh Tuesday on account of her father's illness.

Mrs. Lettie Ward, who has been in the woolen mill, has returned to her home in Chelsea.

Roy DeWolf, of Tecumseh, who is on the road for James Bros. of Detroit, was doing Clinton Tuesday.

A very pleasant Halloween party was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gillespie last Thursday.

The ladies of the Congregational society fed a goodly crowd at their chicken pie supper Wednesday night.

The protracted drouth is favorable to the spread of fire, and the woods west of town were burning several days this week.

Last Saturday Stoner & Fate shipped three decks of hogs and Richmond Hogan & Gadd shipped two decks of hogs from this place.

VanTuyle and Woodward have shipped in a car load of spring wheat flour from Minneapolis, Minn., the first of any amount ever shipped here.

Hiram W. Mills has sold his personal property to Richmond & Hogan, rented his farm and will go to Texas to spend the winter with his doughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannibal Osborne, of Tecumseh, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wheelan, of Franklin, were the guests of Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh Tuesday.

Wm. Richmond was unfortunate enough to to get his hand in the cogs of a cutting box last week. Dr. White took several pieces of crushed bone from one finger and his hand is doing as well as could be expected.

ONSTED ODDS.

Rather windy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Ross are visiting their son in Chicago.

Id. Edwards has a steel wind-mill to do his pumping now.

Well digging is a very good business at present in this locality.

A new bridge has been built across the creek on Railroad street.

Mrs. Payne, of Napoleon, has been visiting friends hereabouts recently.

Alfred Onsted is on the sick list at present not being able to be out around.

The Grangers celebrated Ceres and Pomona day on Friday evening of last week.

The children of Fred Wooden have been quite sick along back, but are better now.

J. F. Brook's new house, on the corner of Railroad and second Streets, will soon be ready for occupancy.

The school children here indulged in some literary exercises last Friday afternoon, and each and everyone did their part very nicely.

A gang of fifteen men held a wood-bee in the woods of M. O. Aldrich, and cut a pile of wood for Mrs. Emma Walker on Saturday of last week.

Andrew Belcher, of Rollin, has taken one of our fair daughters, Miss Nellie Durkee, as his better half, and they will reside upon the farm in North Rome known as the Levi Stevens farm.

The grange fair, held at their hall recently, was a success throughout, and they talk of extending and enlarging and hold one next year upon the grounds of the trotting association, and make it a township or district fair. If they do it will be a success.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

The celery company will put up large ice houses this fall, it is said.

Cold, dry and dusty. Without rain comes soon, wheat must prove a total failure in this vicinity.

The tent meetings still continue on the faam of Mr. Warner, and the attendance is said to be large.

Mr. Marsh, the Methodist clergyman at Tipton, will preach in the hall at Pentecost, Nov. 3d, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The Bilton marsh has been accidentally set on fire, supposed to be caused by sparks from a passing train, and great damage is likely to result.

The C., J. & M. are putting in a long stretch of sidetrack (some 40 rods, we believe) at Sand Lake Crossing. The farmers hereabouts turned out yesterday and helped do the grading.

An alarm of fire called out the neighbors to help L. Daniels last Saturday. A fire was burning in a piece of muck and the wind was fanning it into a dangerous blaze. It is still burning, with no prospect of being extinguished soon.

Are you ever Annoyed?

by a buzzing or roaring sound in your head? Have you difficulty in hearing distinctly? Are you troubled with a continual dropping of mucus, irritating the throat and causing you to cough? Is your breath unpleasantly affected and accompanied with bad taste? Is your hearing less acute? If so, you have catarrh and should at once procure a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, the best known remedy. The Balm will give instant relief. 1w

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

John F. Spafard started for Chicago, on business, on Monday.

William Henroon is quite ill from the effects of a stroke of paralysis.

William Burtless is in AnnArbor in attendance on the board of supervisors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crafts, of Grass Lake, visited at Henry Gilberts, over Sabbath.

Some one entered and ransacked the ticket office of the L. S. & M. S. depot, here, Friday night.

William Amspoker went to Ann Arbor, Saturday, with a drove of cattle, for William Rehfuss.

The German school in connection with Emanuel's church, opened for the winter term on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. R. Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Amsden visited in Brooklyn last Sunday.

Joseph Sechinger held a raffle to dispose of his bicycle and Clarence Berger was the fortunate winner.

L. M. Baldwin visited a sister, at Oakley, Saginaw Co., last week, returning this week Wednesday.

C. W. Sandford and wife contemplate making an extended visit in Philadelphia and Newark, N. J., soon.

J. W. Cowan died at his home, in the north part of the village, Friday morning and his funeral was held on Sunday at 3 p. m. The Rev. Yokom officiated. Mr. Cowan was born in Washington Co. N. Y., in 1822 and emigrated to Michigan in 1838. At one time, he owned upwards of 1500 acres of land in Manchester and Sharon and was known as a prosperous, public-spirited citizen, but business reverses overtook him. He was generous to a fault. The poor and hungry found in him a true friend. He leaves a widow but their only child, Katie, died several years ago.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Emma Witherell is getting better slowly.

Luman Deming's health is not much improved.

Mrs. Mary Deming entertained visitors from Devil's Lake, Saturday.

The next Lyceum will occur at Seth Simmons' in three weeks. A good program will be prepared. The question for debate is: Resolved, that the Patent Laws should be done away with. Affirmative, Clarence Wisner; negative, Will Spaulding, assisted by others.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

Neighbor: I called to say that you must keep your dog from barking. He won't let our baby sleep. Householder: I'm glad you called. I want to say that if you don't keep your baby from crying I shall have to enter a complaint. He annoys my dog awfully.—Boston Transcript.

No Humbug.

Foley's Honey and Tar does not claim to perform miracles. It does not claim to cure all cases of consumption or asthma. But it does claim to give comfort and relief in advanced stages of those diseases and to usually cure early stages. It is certainly worth trying by those afflicted or threatened with these dread diseases. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov

Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta during the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

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Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers does its work thoroughly, coloring a uniform brown or black, which, when dry, will neither rub, wash off, nor soil linen. 1w

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W. L. DANLEY, G. P. & T. A.
tf Nashville, Tenn.

A cough which persists day after day, should not be neglected any longer. It means something more than a mere local irritation, and the sooner it is relieved the better. Take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It is prompt to act and sure to cure. 1w

D'LONGPRE'S $1,000 PICTURE.

A Reproduction of This Exquisite Painting Given Away Free.

An exquisite reproduction in 14 colors of DeLongpre's water-color Chrysanthemum picture, size 12x28 inches, is given to every subscriber, with the December issue of Demorest's Magazine, published November 15. This issue is enlarged and bound in a beautifully printed colored cover, and is replete with illustrations and reading matter pertaining to the Xmas holidays. It is sold for 20 cents a copy. The chrysanthemum plate alone in this one number is worth more than the price of a year's subscription; do not fail to get it. The original painting by DeLongpre is valued at $1,000 and the publishers guarantee that none but an expert can detect the difference between the original and the copy. Any of our readers who wish this beautiful picture can, by cutting out this notice and sending it to the Demorest Publishing Co., 110 Fifth Avenue, New York, with 20 cents in stamps, receive it by mail, carefully packed, and at the same time a copy of the Xmas Demorest. The magazine for the coming year is to be improved in many ways. It is to be made the very best magazine for the family circle in existence. The publishers offer to give the original painting to the person sending in the most subscribers before May 1st. The offer is printed in the December issue.

GOT THE BACKACHE?

If You Have, Here's the Way to Rid Yourself of the Weariness and Pain Attending It.

Some people suffer with headaches, many people are worn out and weary all the time, many more people have lame back and backache. Few people understand the real cause of their aches, and fewer yet know how easily they can find a cure. Just a word of explanation before we prove that what we say is true. The back is the key-note of the kidneys. It aches; that's a sign that the kidneys are not working properly; it is lame; another sign, the kidneys are out of order. The kidneys, you know, are the filters of the blood, but filters sometimes get clogged up. This means in their case that the blood courses through the entire system impregnated with poisonous uric acid, bringing on many a disorder which, if neglected, means disease perhaps incurable. And now about the cure:—Don't take our word for it; read what others say:

Mr. David C. Oaks is proprietor of the well known hardware and paint shop at 220 East Main Street, Kalamazoo. Mr. Oaks has suffered a great deal from kidney ailments; he described his condition and cure as follows: "I had a bad, lame back, which I suppose was caused by my kidneys; was confined to my bed during bad attacks. I might say, from time to time, I have been in that condition for years. The urinary organism was affected, urine being scanty, highly colored, and difficult in passage. I was in a bad shape when I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, about which I had heard. I have used now two boxes of them, and the pills have removed all the pain and trouble. There was a marked improvement right from the first, and it has continued right along. Doan's Kidney Pills are the right thing in the right place."

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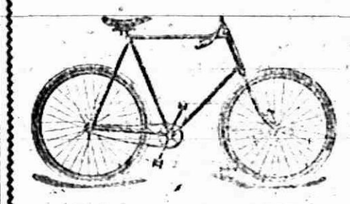

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The news is dry and dusty.

A law suit is brewing in town.

L. E. Ousterhout is on the sick list.

T. G. Hoagland was in Adrian last Wednesday.

James Haight and Jas. Du Bois were Detroit visitors Saturday.

Regular meeting of Hendershot Tent, K. O. T. M. next Tuesday.

Chas. DuBois and wife were visiting friends in Plymouth over Sunday.

Earl Lenardson has moved into the house formerly occupied by Geo. Hawks.

Harvey Welling and Loyd Ward were calling on friends in Manchester Sunday.

Lee Bros. would respectfully call attention to their lines of underwear and odd trousers.

Remember that the stores close at 8 o'clock p. m., sun time, commencing with next Monday.

The hunters left Monday for the wilds of Roscommon. How many will come back alive no one can tell.

Geo. Steele had the misfortune to have two horses killed on the tracks of the C., J. & M. last Saturday.

Arthur Palmer left on Wednesday for Detroit to accept a position with the Standard Savings and Loan Association.

Rev. E. Mudge, Everette Exelby and Clarence Heuse attended the sunday school convention at Adrian Wednesday.

Work is progressing finely on the houses in north Britton and it is rumored that a store 80 by 60 will soon be erected.

Walter Gripton left on the fast train Monday for Brooklyn, N. Y., where he will resume his business duties after a short vacation here.

Geo. Exelby is making a very decided improvement in front of his residence by raising and relaying the sidewalk and fixing the driveway into the hotel yard.

Mrs. Carlyle Roberts died at her home east of Britton on Monday. The funeral was held Wednesday forenoon at the home and the remains were interred at Ridgeway.

Mrs. Will Babcock has moved her household goods to her parents', Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pocklington, on the Ridge, where she will make her home during Will's absence this winter.

A party of three of Britton's most illustrious youth had planned to commit sad havoc to life and property Halloween night. We have not learned whether they relented before it was too late, or carried their awful threats into execution.

The first chicken pie supper of the season held by the Ladies' Aid society at the Christian church last Friday was a success in every way and only shows that Brittonites can eat chicken pie if they only think so. The proceeds amounted to $23.

Next week, Friday Eve. Nov. 8th a apron and necktie social will be held at K. O. T. M. hall under the auspices of L. O. T. M. The ladies furnish the neckties and the gentlemen buy them at the normal price of 15cents. Let everybody attend and have an enjoyable time.

A gas pocket has recently been discovered on the farm of Wm. Underwood. We do not know how much of the combustible lies under his land, but if this had been found in Southern Lenawee, you would hear that the whole country for miles around had been leased to Toledo parties.

Gripton's cane mill closed Wednesday for the season. The product of the mill this year is the largest since its astablishment, being 8,954 gallons. We have made a little mathematical computation and find that this, if used on pancakes, would sweeten nine million acres of griddle cakes; if made into candy, it would stretch to the North star and back and leave enough over to hopelessly mat every girl's hair in this section.

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

We, the undersigned firms of Britton, agree to close our places of business at 8 p. m., city time, commencing Monday, Nov. 4, 1895, and continuing till March 15, 1896, excepting Saturday nights, the night preceeding Thanksgiving, and from Dec. 16, 1895, to Jan. 1, 1896:

Lenardson Bros., Lee Bros., James Haight, Ben. J. Pulver, L. L. Wood, Curtis & Linn.

MACON MUSIC.

Mark Mills is taking a hunting trip near Cairo.

Mrs. Jackson is visiting Tecumseh friends this week.

Master Theodore Wood visited in this place last week.

Sumner Collins and J. H. Kennedy spent Sunday in Macon.

Mrs. Libbie Hendershot and Minnie Camburn have returned from a visit at Moscow.

Mrs. Denyke and her daughter Ida are visiting friends at Ypsilanti and Howell.

Misses Cora and Grace Austin and Miss Ella Fowler, of Tecumseh, were in the place last week.

We regret that the social of Wednesday eve at Wm. Morgan's and the Maccabee party at Wm. Richart's on Friday evening cannot be reported this week.

Notwithstanding the fact that every one should have been sleepy Saturday night, the business meeting of the League at Mabel Allen's was well attended.

A fine night and the well known "free hearted hospitality" of the house drew out a crowded house at Mr. Collins last Friday night. Chicken pies were plentiful. Proceeds over $13.

Her old time Macon friends will deeply regret to hear the sad news of the death of Mrs. Mamie Gay Phillips at St. Louis, Oct. 28, and would extend their sincerest sympathy to the bereaved friends.

You cannot be well unless your blood is pure. Therefore purify your blood with the best blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Once more we are warned of approaching orange blossoms.

The singing class comes to the front with fifty scholars.

Mrs. Morris Kelly, is under the doctor's care at present writing.

Mrs. Cryscilda Arner is visiting relatives in Tecumseh and vicinity this week.

Several of the young folks took in the chicken pie social at Britton, Friday night.

For good kerosine oil and gasoline go to Smith & Schmidts, they sell none but the best.

Mrs. L. V. Miller went to Detroit Wednesday for a few days stay with her children.

Mrs. A. B. Smith, of Milan, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Arner, at present writing.

Mrs. Wm. Ramaley, of Bannester, Mich., is spending a few days with relatives in the vicinity.

Mrs. Frank Rector and daughter, Ida, of Clinton, spent Friday with Mrs. W. L. Jones and family.

Call and see the new line of gloves and mittens, for ladies, gentlemen and boys at Smith & Schmidts.

Frank Fox, and wife of Dundee were called here Friday of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Cox.

Mrs. Jacob Arner left for Allegan Friday, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Barrett.

Go to Smith & Schmidt for your cabbage for winter use. They have just received a car load of fancy stock from the west.

Elder Wright, of Britton, having rented the house north of the village belonging to grandma Rappleye, moved there Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Wilkins, of Macon, and Elnora Camburn, of Saline, visited Mrs. Sarah Pocklington and family last week Wednesday.

Are you thinking of buying a new stove? If so call and see the fine line of Jewett & Co's cook and heating stoves at Smith & Schmidt's.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe, S. P. Smith, Richard Cadmus, went to Adrian Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co.

Mr. Hale, the cobbler, will be found at his bench at his home in the Sutton house on North street, where you may have the soles of your shoes repaired.

H. Kelly, of Groveland, N. Y., who was called here last week by the death of Mrs. Wm. Cox, of Holloway, after a few days stay with his brother, Morris Kelly, left for his home Monday.

Miss Collins was in Detroit last week getting an invoice of pretty varieties in the way of millinery supplies. She will hold her winter opening of millinery, Nov. 1, 2, 4 and 5, during which time goods will be sold 10 per cent off.

The C. J. & M. depot here was broken into Saturday night, and a valice containing clothes valued at $15.00 was taken and the cash drawer pried open. The house of Theodore Allison was broken into the same night. No clew as to who the sneaks are.

The ladies of the L. C. S. will open the season of church socials and festivals by giving an old fashioned oyster supper in the lecture room of the church on Wednesday evening of next week, Nov. 6. The ladies are making every preparation to have it one of the most enjoyable gatherings of neighbors and friends in a long time. Young and old will meet with a hearty welcome from the members of the society. The proceeds above expenses will be put into a reserve fund for purchasing a new carpet which will be needed in the near future. It is hoped that each one will feel a personal interest in the enterprise and assist the ladies in their undertaking. Supper will be served from 7 till 10 p. m. Supper for adults, 25 cents; children under twelve years, 10 cents.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

The hog cholera is prevailing here at an alarming extent.

J. C. Pierce is having a large stockwell put down this week.

Pollock and Powell are still running their cider mill on full time.

R. C. Fuller has a large force of men and teams trucking logs from here to his mill at Jasper.

Jerome Eldred will leave for Detroit next Monday morning where he joins the regular army.

C. Wriker has left with your correspondent a potato of the white star variety, the actual weight being three and three-fourths pounds.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no wiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters and aids digestion. Old People find it is an excellent appetixer just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at Orr & Temple's drug store. 5

Did your uncle remember you in his will? Yes, dear old fellow. He left me his best wishes in a special codicil.—Harper's Bazar.

You Can't Afford to Chance It.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov

At the Dramatic Club.—What play ought we to open with this season? Oh, do let's have a—a—something about Napoleon. I've got such a lovely empire gown.—N. Y. Recorder.

No Lady or Gentleman

In the world suffering from catarrh but what would prfer the easiest method of being cured. No knife, no cautery, no pain, but a sure cure for catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever, by using Century Catarrh Cure. Nov

Reward! $200 Reward!

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I feel it my duty to say something in regard to the merits of your Magnetic Catarrh Cure. I have been a sufferer from rose or June cold for the last 15 years. It comes on about the middle of June and lasts about six weeks or two months. I commenced using Mayers' Catarrh Cure about the middle of April as a preventive, and it certainly did the work. I passed through the summer without the slightest return of the disease. I am station baggage master at Oakland, Md. Respectfully,
D. M. MASON.

Sold by Orr & Temple. Nov

Tailor: Why don't you pay this bill? Customer: How much is your bill? Tailor: Thirteen dollars. Customer: Great Caesar, man, that's unlucky. I can't pay it.—Detroit Free Press.

Highly Pleased with Hood's.

Those who have found in Hood's Sarsaparilla relief from suffering cheerfully recommend it, because of their gratitude for the benefit they have received from this medicine. Elizabeth Bartle, of Charlevoix, Mich., writes: I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier, and I am highly pleased with the results and cheerfully recommend it to others.

Hood's Pills cure sick headaches, billiousness. Nov

Dyner: How much is it? Waiter: Lemme see. Soup, roast beef and salad and a bottle of wine—that makes 80cts. Dyner: Say, that's pretty steep. Why, I have an appetite yet. Waiter: Well, that's 20 cents more.—Fliegade Blaetter.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

Are you sure you love him? Am I sure? Do you see this dress? Of course I do. What of it? Will you kindly tell me if it bears the slightest resemblance to the present fashion? Well, really, it—or—it—. It doesn't. No. Well, I am wearing it because he likes it.—Tit-Bits.

How to Make $500.

If you want to make from $250 to $500 selling a beautiful set of Juvenile Holiday Books, write to S. I. Bell Company, No. 2018 Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, and send 50 cents to pay express charges on their $4.50 outfit, and begin at once. Now is the time to begin in order to accomplish the best results. See their advertisement on another page. 1w

Lady: You know, I wish my portrait to be a total surprise for my husband. Artist: Yes, madam, I understand. Lady: And you will try not to have too strong a likeness, as I would not like him to recognize it at the first glance. —Tit-Bits.

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Youngster (who has just had a penny given to him:) How much is them grapes, mister? Shopkeeper (amused:) They are a dollar a pound, my lad. Youngster: Well, then, give me a cent's worth o' carrots. I'm a demon fer fruit. —Exchange.

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No impure blood if Foley's Sarsaparilla is used. Trial size, 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov

I don't see you with Dolly Dawkins any more. Have you and she had a quarrel? Oh, no; but she gossips too much to suit me. Everything I told her she immediately repeated to Lillie Loving, so I had to give her up. I abhor gossips. —Harper's Bazar.

How to Prevent a Cold.

After an exposure, or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov.

Salvation Army Exhorter (solemnly:) My friend, are you prepared to die? Alkali Ike (drawing a revolver:) Throw up your hands! I might have chucked a little suthin into that hat if you had asked me civilly, but yer can't skeer me into contributin!—Truth.

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NEWS NOTES.

Henry Hilliard, a negro who assaulted and then murdered Mrs. Caroline Be[illegible] near Tyler, Tex., was captured by a mob, taken to Tyler and burned to death in the public square. [illegible]nesday

Mrs. Johanna Clifford died in Chicago, aged 100 years. [illegible]he A

The town of Hongo los Ongo, containing 300 inhabitants, was burned by the [illegible]t of Cuban insurgents, who did not leave a house standing. [illegible]are

The First national bank of La Grange, Tex., closed its doors with liabilities of $60,855. [illegible]s an ox [illegible]day and

Capt. Gen. Martinez de Campos examined to suspend further military [illegible]t looks erations in eastern Cuba while the rest this last.

The Legonda hotel and several business buildings were burned at Springfield, O., the total loss being $500,000. [illegible]orking [illegible]wish

George H. Smith, who murdered Philip Eichmeyer at Albany, and Charles K. Davis, who outraged and killed six-year-old Maggie Shannon at Cohoes, were killed in the electric chair at Clinton prison in Dannemora, N. Y. [illegible]ome [illegible]i in [illegible]der-[illegible]th [illegible]s-

Isador H. Suitzbach, an extensive dealer in clothing in Philadelphia, failed for $200,000. [illegible])

Thousands of acres of valuable timber land in Livingston, Genesee, Wayne and Seneca counties, N. Y., were ruined by forest fires. [illegible]nade [illegible]the

At Chillicothe, O., W. W. Windle cut the half-mile bicycle record from 51 to 48 seconds. [illegible]and [illegible]w. be [illegible]phies

At Columbia, S. C., the constitutional convention voted down the woman's suffrage amendment by a vote of 121 to 26. [illegible]—

James O. Broadhead, United States minister to Switzerland, presented to President Frey his letters of recall. [illegible]d. of [illegible]west

Commissioner William L. Lochren, of the pension office, in his annual report shows that the number of pensioners, June 30, 1895, was 970,404. The appropriation for the year was $150,000,000, and there was paid during the year $138,807,337. [illegible]ures. [illegible]inter

Alfred Austin, according to a London dispatch, has been chosen poet laureate of Great Britain. [illegible]ay. [illegible]Brit-

E. E. Craig, an aeronaut, of Sturgis, Mich., fell 200 feet from his balloon at Huncock, Md., and was fatally injured [illegible]Steam

Passenger trains on the Union Pacific road collided in St. Louis and the two engineers, Eugene Campron and John Harper, were killed outright, the two firemen, George True and George Dunbar, were fatally injured, and six other persons were badly wounded. [illegible]tment [illegible]aters [illegible]feed

[illegible]laight,

"For Charity Suffereth Long."

Mrs. Laura C. Phoenix, Milwaukee, Wis.

"Matron of a Benevolent Home and knowing the good Dr. Miles' Nervine has done me, my wish to help others, overcomes my dislike for the publicity, this letter may give me. In Nov. and Dec., 1893, The inmates had the "LaGrippe," and I was one of the first. Resuming duty too soon, with the care of so many sick, I did not regain my health, and in a month I became so debilitated and nervous from sleeplessness and the drafts made on my vitality, that it was a question if I could go on. A dear friend advised me to try Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I took 2 bottles and am happy to say, I am in better health than ever. I still continue its occasional use, as a nerve food as my work is very trying. A letter addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., will reach me." June 6, 1894. MRS. LAURA C. PHOENIX.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Jay A. Santus, deceased

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of George Exelby, alleging, among other things, that he is a principal creditor of said deceased, and that more than thirty days have elapsed since the death of said Jay A. Santus and no one interested in said estate have applied for administration upon said estate, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cornelius Exelby or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 1, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Bring along that wood.

Roy De Wolf is at home.

Geo. Kennan next Saturday night.

Did you find any cabbages this morning?

S. P. Hosmer returned last week from Eddy, N. M.

Geo. Caldwell is making some improvements on his house.

B. L. Baxter left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit in Battle Creek.

J. F. Hicks has returned from his business at Saginaw for the season.

It is rumored that leap year is beginning rather soon with some of the young ladies.

Next Sunday night Rev. J. P. Varner of the Methodist church will have for his subject, "Our Girls."

Mrs. Conklin, of India, a returned missionary, will speak in the Methodist church next Sunday morning.

D. P. Wheeler, who expects soon to go into the furniture business here, has rented the Elwood Comfort house.

Miss Ida Taylor and Miss Etta Coddington entertained a party of friends at the home of the latter, Halloween night.

The friends of Rev. Hudson gave him a very pleasant surprise last Wednesday, and incidentally a fine study chair in the bargain.

P. S. McKinnon delivered a paper on "Suggestions on the Preparation of the Sunday School Lesson" at the Wednesday morning session of the Sunday school convention at Adrian.

Halloween was celebrated by a pleasant social gathering at the home of Ora and Jennie Gillespie. As Mr. Gillespie's cabbage crop was a failure this year his neighbors probably caught the worst of it.

The pastors of the churches in Tecumseh will meet in the parlors of the M. E. church next Monday morning at 10 o'clock. They invite all the pastors in the surrounding community to meet with them.

The dedication of the new Reformed Church of Macon village, will be postponed for a couple of weeks, inasmuch as the work is not yet completed on the interior of the building. Due notice will be given at the proper time.

Mrs. E. B. Wood started for Dayton Ohio, last Saturday. Monday Mrs. J. Root and Miss Jennie joined her and the party are now visiting the Atlanta exposition. Mrs. Wood will visit her son Fred in Virginia before her return.

There will be an old fashioned husking bee at the residence of Mr. Wm. Doty, of Raisin, next Thursday evening Nov. 7th. Refreshments consisting of coffee, johnny-cake and pumpkin pie. All are invited to come and have a good old-fashioned time.

Rev. G. M. Brown, P. S. McKinnon, Wm. Smith, C. A. Slayton, Mrs. Fred Rosacrans, and Misses Gertrude Howell and Grace Burnett, of Tecumseh, were in attendance upon the sessions of the Sunday school convention held in Adrian the first of the week.

It is said that an earthquake shock would not wake some people up in the morning. So if you did not feel the three sensible earth tremors which were noticed here yesterday morning you may know the reason why and not doubt the senses of people who were up at the time.

There is always good demand for a good article. J. M. Hayden & Co., have just shipped 4,500 pounds of their famous globe box metal to the Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., and have an order for 500 from the H. Channon Co., of Chicago.—The Michigan Tradesman Grand Rapids, Oct. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross were happily surprised last Monday afternoon by about 35 of their friends, it being their 41st. anniversary. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all, and they departed for their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Ross a happy return of the the day.

Mes. James Elliott and daughter, Iva, left on the Tuesday morning train for N. Y. city to visit relatives. Mrs. Elliott intends to remain from home six weeks or more, and Miss Iva will study music at the celebrated Dahl Musical Conservatory. Miss Iva is a promising student and the Dahl Conservatory one of the most efficient schools in our country, and her many friends wish her success.

Geo. Kennan Saturday, Nov. 9.

Mrs. I. Pierce, of Como, Ills., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. Snedicor.

You can hunt deer today. Remember that next year they will hunt you.

An earthquake here in Southern Michigan. Well, what will come next?

Mrs. N. M. Sutton went to Adrian yesterday to attend the Stebbins-Bliss wedding.

Mrs. N. R. Merritt, of Big Rapids, is spending two or three weeks with old Tecumseh friends.

Remember the dates of the second Star Course entertainment. Saturday evening Nov. 9th.

The changeable weather we are having produces stubborn colds and quinine socials are "up-to-date."

Dr. Catlin has been called to Battle Creek for consultation in the case of Joseph Wooden, who is dangerously ill.

S. C. Stacy returned last evening from a four days' visit to Elgin and Chicago. No time for comments this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jordan were called to Eaton Rapids last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Harrison Bramble.

The big fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons did not come off yesterday. Both sluggers are in the hands of the sheriff at Little Rock.

White Cleveland raised some good hogs this year if the weather was dry. Three of a lot which he sold to Derby & Lewis, of Franklin, Saturday, weighed 1800 pounds, one of them tipping the beam at 815 pounds.

There was a boxing match in front of L. D. Dewey's last night. A choice collection of dry goods boxes were trying to see which one could climb to the top of the telegraph pole.

Mr. T. M. Joslin, of Adrian, was in town last Saturday and gave the HERALD a friendly call. Mr. Joslin is one the leading young attorneys of Adrian and is working up a good practice. He was over here on professional business.

Miss Matie E. Ticknor, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Minnie Douglas over Sunday. Miss Ticknor, who is at present conducting a class in elocution at Cassopolis, entertained a small party at Mrs. A. W. Slayton's with some excellent reading and selections.

The monthly tea meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Hause, on Wednesday, P. M., Nov. 6th., meeting to begin promptly at 3 o'clock. A report of the district meeting will be given by Mrs. Varner. Tea served from 5-30 to 6-30. All are invited.

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An alarm of fire was given early Friday morning. It was found out that the Teachout Hotel roof was on fire. Will hustled out, collided with the bed post, and was too much stunned to be of any use, one of the railroad boys was seen running around with water in a pint cup, but Mr. Harlow, with a cool head, mounted the wind-mill, jumped to the roof, and with a pail of water stopped the fire.—Onsted New.

Will Hicks has organized a new foot ball team. Following is a list of the players with their positions: Left end, Jim Montague; half tackle, Ed. Holdaway; left guard, Irve Clark; center rush, Frank Bauer; right guard, Geo. Hoag; right tackle, Geo. Martin; right end, Frank Nyland; quarter back, Geo. Rubadou; half back, Geo. Adamson; right half, Al Gamble; full back, Scove Stacy.—Co. C Kazoo, Oct. 23, 1895.

Mert. Smith, representing C. F. Adams Co., of Toledo, was canvassing the town yesterday in the interest of his company. He was arrested on charge of selling goods without a license but was released this morning for the reason that the charter provision under which this ordinance was passed fails to give the power to impose a license. Byron F. Ritchie ex-congressman and Mr. W. F. Adams of the firm were here to look after Mr. Smith's interest.

It is a great pity that Scientists cannot inform us of the exact date and nature of the occurance of such interesting phenomena in the same manner that eclipses etc are advertised. If this were done, we could make a more thorough study of the subject. As it is, the only explanation that has been advanced is that the rain fall has been so unevenly distributed this season that some areas of the earth's surface have shrunk while others have not.

Mrs. W. W. Whiting is visiting her parents at Detroit this weekr

Bert Garlinghouse returned Tuesday from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. H. H. Hauchett, of Deansboro N. Y. is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Tufft.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, of Coldwater, is the guest of Mrs. Libbie Everett this week.

For Sale, Timothy hay, also large white bronze turkeys.
JAS. HATCH, MACON

James Francisco, whose exploits as chicken thief were given in the HERALD, pleaded guilty before the circuit court, and was sentenced to 2 years and 9 months at Jackson.

It sometimes takes a nerry man to win a wager, or the lack of the nerve in the other fellow. Tuesday morning a tonsorial artist of questionable strength undertook to carry a merchant who, it would seem had no weight at all, from the cafe Moir to Montague's novelty store. When about half way, his knees wobbled so frightfully that he was about to give up, when some ladies appeared on the scene and his burden slid off from sheer fright. Of course the referee decided that the carrier won the bet.

Dr. C. M. Woodward, surgeon of the C. J. & M., at this place started Wednesday for Van Wert, Ohio., to attend the meeting of the Association of Railway Surgeons of the Mackinaw system held there yesterday. The Doctor reads a paper on "Compound Fractures and their Treatment" with the presentation of recent illustrative cases which he has handled. He takes with him Carl Updyke as one of the cases, the general manager sending the doctor a special pass for Carl.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Society of Friends, will convene in this place Saturday and Sunday. The opening service will be especially for the young people, and will be held at the church this evening at 7 p. m. Rev. J. W. Malone, from Cleveland, will address this meeting. Saturday at 10:30 a. m. preaching by visiting ministers. Business meeting at 2 p. m. Sabbath preaching at 10:30, and the regular missionary meeting at 2:30 p. m., to be addressed by Rev. J. W. Malone, of Cleveland. In the evening old fashioned revival service. To all of these meetings the public is cordially invited.

On the morning of Friday, Oct. 25th, the home of Mrs. N. Doke was the scene of a pleasant occasion, it being the annual reunion of the class taught by Mrs. Griswold in the M. E. Sunday school. Mrs. Griswold has held the position of teacher in this class for thirty years, and several who were with her then were present with a large company of those who have since been members of the class. As the invitation was extended to the husbands and children this year, the company numbered about 60. After partaking of a bountiful supper, a short program was given, that proved quite interesting. Letters were read from several of the former classmates who have made their homes in other parts of the country. A memorial paper was presented in memory of two of the sisters who have passed over to the better country since our last meeting. Music, both vocal and instrumental, a short poem, and remarks by the pastor completed this part of the meeting, after which an hour was spent in social converse, and when the company dispersed each one felt that they were the better for having met together.

The Kentucky Stock Farm is out with an announcement of a very unique and liberal purse for trotters and pacers. The amount of this purse is $6.000, of which amount $5.000 is for the trotters and $1.000 is for pacers. The entrance fee to accompany nomination is only $5, which includes a year's subscription to the paper, and the entire amount to be paid to start a trotter is only $50 and to start a pacer only $25. Thus it will be seen that the cost of nominating and carrying the entry through is far below that for any other purse of anything like a similar amount. The money will not be tied up long, as the purse is offered for foals of 1895 to be contested in 1897. Furthermore the second payment, the amount of which is $10, is not due until June 1, 1896, and the final payment is not due until June 1, 1897, the year of the race. The amount of this purse is so large, the entrance so small, and the payments so easy that it should receive the patronage of every colt owner in the land, and be one of the most remarkable purse races ever trotted. The Stock Farm is a great advocate of increasing the earning capacity of the trotter and pacer, and it makes this substantial offer, practically carrying out its advocacy. It argues that youngsters well entered in stakes and purses will bring far better prices than those not entered. It believes in youngsters selling out their prospects and it gives breeders a good opportunity to better the prospects of their foals of 1895 by entering in this purse.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to heartily thank the members of the fire department and all citizens who so willingly assisted in saving my property from fire last Saturday.
HENRY SMITH.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

High School Happenings.

Will Hicks was absent Wednesday and Thursday on account of sickness.

Miss Sena Hosmer called on the A room Thursday morning.

The class in English Literature are reading Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice.

The Physiology class examined an ox heart in the class on Wednesday and Thursday.

There was no one called to examination in Eng. 4 last month, but it looks as if things would be different this month.

The Philosophy class are working in hydrostatics this week. We wish they would hurry up and have some hydraulics out of doors as well as in the class room.

A goodly number of the class in German II. were invited to remain with their teacher after four o'clock on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. All report a pleasant time and an early (?) return home.

A great improvement has been made in the appearance of the desks in the A room by the use of sand paper and new shellac. Each pupil will now be held responsible for the hieroglyphics found engraven on his desk.

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—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

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—Figure with me for your house and barn lumber. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Buy a Perfection clothes washer of Jas. Haight, Britton.

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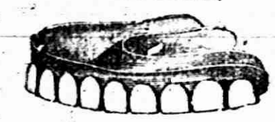
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CALLED TO MEET.

State Federation of Labor to Convene in Saginaw.

Saginaw, Oct. 28.—The executive board of the Michigan Federation of Labor has issued a call for the annual convention of that body to be held in this city December 2. The call says:

"Unions not already enrolled under our banner are cordially invited to join and send delegates, thus uniting their forces with their colaborers in facilitating the work of organization and obtaining the objects for which they are formed. We are working for a common purpose—the amelioration of the condition of the workers and improvement of their social and industrial environment. With this grand object in view every union should realize that synchronized and effective work in this direction can only be accomplished through a central organization such as the Michigan Federation of Labor, whose mission is to disseminate knowledge of interest to the workers, systematize boycotts, act as intermediaries in disputes between employer and employe, perfect organization, foster and encourage young and isolated unions, formulate plans for putting in practical operation the crystallized thought of its members as expressed at the annual conventions, and in other ways keep abreast of the times. The afternoon of the second day of the convention will be devoted to the reading of essays upon almost every conceivable subject of interest to progressive trade unionism, and all delegates are requested to furnish papers upon the phases of the labor movement they are most familiar with, thus giving their fellows the benefit of their researches. There should be no drones in our hive and we should always be alert to the needs of the wage-workers and the benefits that can be derived from collective effort."

HELD IN BOND.

W. C. Denny to Be Tried on a Charge of Embezzlement.

Manistee, Oct. 26.—Upon the charge of embezzlement W. C. Denny has been bound over to the November term of circuit court in the amount of $2,500. Denny is prominent in business circles at Richmond, Ind., and two years ago was cashier of the First national bank of Little Rock, Ark., which became insolvent. While there he, it is said, secured a loan of $1,000 from the Manistee national bank, and George Burr, the cashier, testified that Denny knew at the time the bank was insolvent. The president of the bank is now serving a sentence in the United States prison in Brooklyn for being implicated in the failure.

Schooner Goes Down.

Montagde, Oct. 30.—The schooner Henry C. Richardson, of Cleveland, foundered Tuesday morning 15 miles off Little Point Au Sable. The crew took a yawl boat, and after terrible suffering were picked up by the White river life saving crew. The vessel parted from the steamer H. B. Tuttle, which was towing it, Sunday night, and drifted helplessly until it foundered.

Pingree's Ambition.

Detroit, Oct. 29.—According to a local paper, Mayor Pingree may be a candidate for the nomination for president of the United States in 1900. After referring to the events respectively through which Washington and Lincoln were called to their responsibilities as chief magistrate of the nation at critical periods, the paper booms Pingree for governor in 1896 and president in 1900.

Relics in a Mound.

Big Rapids, Oct. 30.—A party of residents of this city visited the Indian mound on the farm of J. H. Rogers, six miles south, and put in the day excavating. They found two tablets, nine by twelve and six by five inches respectively, both having ancient inscriptions in hieroglyphics. They also found pipes and small dishes, all made in a crude manner and of clay, evidently sun-baked.

Wants Insurance on a Chicora Victim.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Oct. 26.—Mrs. May D. Pearl, wife of Joseph Pearl, who was lost on the steamer Chicora, has commenced suit against the Preferred Masonic Mutual Accident association of Detroit to secure $5,000 due on a policy held by her husband, and $1,000 damages for nonpayment of the claim. The company asks to see the remains before the claim is paid.

Great Poultry Show.

Saginaw, Oct. 28.—What will probably be Michigan's banner poultry show is to be held in this city December 10, 11, 12 and 13 next, being the second annual exhibition of Michigan Chapter No. 8. The premium list has just been issued and contains much information of value to intending exhibitors as well as poultry breeders. Entries close December 4.

Death of Charles P. Hunt.

Jackson, Oct. 25.—Charles P. Hunt, recorder of this city, died at noon Thursday from the effects of an operation. Mr. Hunt was 37 years old and was very prominent in masonic circles, being grand king of the Michigan grand chapter royal arch masons. He has held the office of recorder since 1887.

Strike Broken.

Gladstone, Oct. 30.—The strike of the flour handlers on the Soo Line docks has turned out disastrously for the men. Superintendent Kellie secured enough new men to load the boats in port and has other men on the way here. Some of the strikers are being given work again.

Election at Three Rivers

Three Rivers, Oct. 29.—The republicans elected a mayor, clerk, six of the ten councilmen, two supervisors and three constables at the first city election. The democrats secured the treasurer, one supervisor and one constable.

Favors Farming for Convicts.

Detroit, Oct. 29.—Mayor Pingree in an interview advocated the abolition of the present state prison system and the adoption of stockades, where prisoners could be made to earn their living out of the soil.

Broke His Neck.

Cadillac, Oct. 26.—Swan Sutherland, of this city, aged 53, while driving down a steep grade, fell out of his wagon and broke his neck. He lived but a few minutes after the accident.

COLD WAVE, WIND AND SNOW.

Gale That Swept Over Michigan One of the Worst Ever Known.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 29.—All the records of the weather office for October were broken by the cold wave and northwest gale of Monday. In Detroit Monday morning the thermometer registered 29 degrees, at Grand Haven, on the west shore, 30, and at Alpena 32 degrees. The wind attained a frightful velocity, so much so that the sand dunes at St. Joseph were shifted and hundreds of tons of sand blown across the Chicago & West Michigan tracks, stopping all railroad traffic. From numerous points throughout the state came the report of wind and snowstorms and bitterly cold weather.

From Schoolcraft it is reported that there have been sand and dust storms of great fury, the air being filled with sand, which cuts the faces and makes it almost impossible to be out of doors. No such weather has ever been experienced before and thousands of dollars' damage has been done to the celery crop in Kalamazoo and at other points throughout the state. The Newberry celery crop is utterly ruined by Sunday night's cold snap. Reports received up to midnight show that there is a general snowstorm in the upper peninsula as far east as Sault Ste. Marie.

THIRD OF A MILLION.

W. N. McNaughton, of Detroit, Going to England to Collect His Heritage.

New York, Oct. 29.—Walter N. McNaughton, of Detroit, Mich., is now in this city and will sail on the Paris for England to bring back a liberal slice of the gold which has been transported to that country by its titled sons and their American brides. A fortnight ago he learned that he had fallen heir to one-third of a million dollars, left by his uncle, the late Lord Stuart McNaughton, of Southampton, who was largely interested in the great ship-building industries of that city. The estate, valued at £200,000, is to be divided among the heirs at law, and Mr. McNaughton comes in for an even third. A few days before learning of this windfall his grandmother died, leaving him the comfortable sum of $30,000. He is only 21 years old, and is naturally quite well satisfied with the start he has made in life.

Will Preach in Chicago.

Detroit, Oct. 29.—Rev. Dr. Z. Grenell, of this city, who has accepted a call to the Western Avenue Baptist church of Chicago, was given a reception by his parishioners, which was attended by the pastors of many other churches and about six hundred friends. Many short speeches were made expressing regret at Dr. Grenell's departure, and wishing him all success in his new field. A set of engrossed resolutions from the congregation was presented him.

Sues a Defunct Bank's President.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 26.—John S. Lawrence, receiver of the Northern national bank, which failed two years ago, began suit in the United States court against President Stearns, in effect charging maladministration and asking for an accounting. The creditors have received 55 per cent. of their claims to date and in time will be paid in full, but it will be a dead loss for the $100,000 stockholders.

Game Warden Arrested

Grand Rapids, Oct. 29. Duncan McMillan, one of Game Warden Fullerton's deputies, is in jail here on a charge of robbing several camps in the northern part of Itasca county. The arrest is the outcome of the fight being made against Fullerton by the men who charge that he and his deputies are blackmailing the settlers and in other ways using the law for private gain.

Improvement Needed

Lansing, Oct. 25.—Inspector General Walsh is far from satisfied with his last inspection of the Michigan national guard. In a report made to the commander in chief he says several companies are, for various reasons, very weak, and unless material improvement is noted at once radical changes will be made.

Railway Earnings.

Lansing, Oct. 26.—Railroad Commissioner Billings reports that railroad companies earned $2,801,916.25 in Michigan in August as against $2,679,260.92 in August of last year. From January 1 to September 1 the Michigan earnings were $19,648,971.16, an increase of $1,357,141.18 over the same period of 1894. The per cent. of increase is 7.42.

In Honor of Dead Heroes.

Saginaw, Oct. 28. — Col. Michael Jeffers, the millionaire bachelor of this city, was so imbued with patriotism upon his return from the recent reunion at Chattanooga that he has decided to erect a $50,000 monument in memory of the departed soldiers of the Saginaw valley.

Beattie Held for Trial.

Gladstone, Oct. 30.—At the hearing in the case of the state vs. Robert Beattie for the killing of Alex Erickson last Thursday night, the defendant was bound over to the January term of the circuit court under the charge of willful and malicious murder.

Threw Herself Under the Cars.

Coldwater, Oct. 26.—Mrs. Will Hard wife of the ticket agent at Quincy, cas of here, threw herself in front of a passenger train on the Lake Shore railwa Friday afternoon and was killed instantly. Continued poor health was undoubtedly the cause.

Couldn't Hear the Train.

Adrian, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Sarah Knigh aged 66, was struck and instantly kille by the Lake Shore fast mail at the Division street crossing Sunday afternoon. She was deaf. There was no guard at the crossing.

Caught in Oklahoma.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 29. — Oscar Smalley, the young man who was on the train with the murderer at the time of the killing of Detective Powers near here, has been captured in Oklahoma.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Points in Michigan.

A poultry show will be held at Concord December 13 and 14.

Van Buren county will levy a tax of one mill for the maintenance of indigent soldiers.

Richard Bush, for 27 years bailiff of the United States court in Detroit, died recently.

Electric cars, it is said, will be running between Saginaw and Bay City within 60 days.

At Ann Arbor the senior law class in the state university elected F. L. Ingraham president.

The potato crop of Lake county is the largest ever raised, several farmers having 3,000 bushels.

The post office at Watervale, Benzie county, has been discontinued. Mail will go to Arcadia.

Over 800,000 cubic feet of sandstone have been shipped from Portage entry quarries this season.

For violations of the local option law Eaton county liquor dealers have recently paid fines amounting to $500.

The apple crop is unusually large near Vicksburg. Many farmers sold their fruit to contractors for 75 cents a barrel.

The three-year-old boy of Z. Diamond, living near Alpena, while playing around some blazing rubbish, was burned to death.

A $30,000 salt plant is to be erected at Muskegon, Millionaire John Tarrent being convinced that a paying well can be developed there.

The removal of the county seat of Oceana county is a bone of contention between that city and Hart. The former wants it badly.

Rev. Father Michael Francis Sullivan, aged 30, acting pastor of the Roman Catholic cathedral in Denver, is dead. He was born in Grand Rapids.

A gristmill, sawmill and shinglemill at Omer, Arenac county, belonging to George Gorris, were destroyed by fire recently. The loss is about $9,000.

Lewis B. Beecher has brought suit against the Grand Rapids & Indiana railway company for $5,000 for the loss of two fingers while braking July 19, 1893.

There are thousands of acres of hard wood timber in the vicinity of Alpena, and the experiment of making hardwood flooring will be tried in that city this winter.

A committee of prominent negroes from many states in the union has issued a call for a national conference of colored men to meet at Detroit on the 12th of December, 1895.

The Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan Railroad company has filed the largest mortgage with the register of deeds ever filed in Gratiot county. The amount is $7,000,000.

John Faber, aged five years, while playing in a boiler yard, in Grand Rapids, was caught under a boiler that rolled from its block and crushed so badly that he died in a few hours.

Public meetings in behalf of social reforms were held at Detroit Monday. Prof. Graham Taylor, of Chicago; Prof. George D. Herron, of Iowa, and Rev. Dr. Bennet, of Ohio, were the speakers.

Owing to the abundance of potatoes and the scarcity of hay, many Grand Traverse county farmers will feed a great quantity of their potatoes, mixed with meal, to their stock this winter.

The colored republicans of Michigan want a colored man elected as delegate-at-large to the next republican national convention. A campaign to accomplish their ambition is being waged all over the state.

Nineteen-year-old Don Haggart, of Paw Paw, was taken suddenly sick a few days ago. In his delirium he said he had swallowed a door key. After his death a brass key was found in his stomach.

The Reading house block, the largest and finest block in Niles, has been sold for $25,000 to Chicago parties, who will convert it into a hotel. The block originally cost $100,000, but has been vacant many years.

The peppermint oil crop around Burlington was about half what it was last year. Farmers have engaged in the industry quite extensively, and the shortage of the crop and the low price is a serious disappointment to them.

Fell Downstairs.

Coldwater, Oct. 29.—Mrs. J. L. Truesdell, of this city, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ayres, in Jackson, fell down a flight of cellar stairs there last Friday afternoon and died at 1:30 o'clock Monday morning from her injuries. She was the mother of C. T. Truesdell, cashier of the Quincy national bank, and was about 70 years old.

To Buy the Waterworks.

[illegible] the junior odd fellows, announces [illegible] state council of this body will meet in this city January 3.

Post Office Burned.

Alamo, Oct. 28.—The general store and post office here was set on fire and burned. It was owned by Jay Travis and was probably looted by thieves. The loss is $4,000; covered by insurance.

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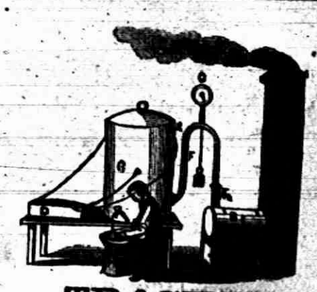
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Butter	15	20
Eggs, per doz	16	18
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		14
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5 @ 6	
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60 to 3 80	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 @ 6	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7 @ 8	to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	5½ @ 6	10
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		61½
Corn, shelled		34 to 40
Corn in ear	17	to 25
Oats	18	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00	to 11 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 50	@	4 60
Sheep	1 50	@	3 25
Hogs	4 00	@	4 25
FLOUR—Fancy	3 80	@	4 00
Minnesota Bakers'	2 60	@	3 10
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	72½	@	72¾
October	66¾	@	67
CORN—No. 2	37⅝	@	37½
October	37½	@	37⅝
OATS—No. 2	23⅝	@	23⅝
December	23⅝	@	23⅝
PORK—Mess	9 75	@	10 25
LARD—Western Steam	5 85	@	5 90
BUTTER—West'n Cr'm'y	14	@	22
Western Dairy	10	@	15
EGGS	18	@	20
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 25	@	5 25
Stockers and Feeders	2 25	@	3 75
Cows	1 10	@	3 50
Texas Steers	2 75	@	3 50
HOGS—Light	3 30	@	3 75
Rough Packing	3 30	@	3 35
SHEEP	1 50	@	3 40
BUTTER—Creamery	9	@	21
Dairy	8½	@	18
Packing Stock	6	@	10
EGGS—Fresh	15	@	17½
BROOM CORN (per ton)	30 00	@	60 00
POTATOES (per bu)	15	@	24
PORK—Mess	6 00	@	6 10
LARD—Steam	5 50	@	5 52½
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 15	@	3 50
Spring Straights	2 65	@	2 90
Winter Patents	3 00	@	3 50
Winter Straights	3 00	@	3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, Dec	60	@	60½
Corn, No. 2	30	@	30½
Oats, No. 2	18	@	18½
Rye, No. 2	38	@	38½
Barley, Choice to F'cy	38	@	45
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wh't, No 2 Sp'g.	$ 58½	@	58½
Corn, No. 3	80	@	81
Oats, No. 2 White	20½	@	20½
Rye, No. 1	40	@	40½
Barley, No. 2	40	@	40½
PORK—Mess	7 95	@	8 00
LARD	5 55	@	5 60
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$2 50	@	5 25
Texas	2 50	@	3 35
HOGS	3 30	@	3 65
SHEEP	2 25	@	3 40
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$2 75	@	4 30
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An Address Delivered at the Christian Endeavor Convention at Morenci by Rev. J. C. Hageman.

The Christian Endeavor society is the most important organization in this country. No society advocates good citizenship or right living as this society and I hold no organization either in or out of the church is as important as The Christian Endeavor Society. As I understand Mr. President we are making no distinction these days; a person never becomes too old and we take them in sometimes before they are graduated from the junior society, thus all are treated alike. I think the Christian Endeavor Society takes us all in, even the preachers, he must endeavor to do better work. I do not know but the time is speedily coming when the entire church shall belong to the Endeavor; to live a christian life we find it is a constant Endeavor. It is only a question of time when our stakes shall be lengthened and our cords strengthened, only to take possession of new territory, and then truly we shall possess the whole land. We believe the great Endeavor movement came from God. God has honored and blessed it so abundantly that none could think that such a mighty influence came from any other source save the Giver of all good things. Anything that is born of God shall not die, but live. "Yea the spirit quickeneth and giveth life." God looks upon the endeavor society as a power, in the land, or else He would not bless its efforts so wonderfully. Think of it, hardly a village or hamlet in this wide world, in which its teaching and influence have not been known. From the river to the ends of the earth, He surely will girdle the world, and with our motto, "For Christ and the Church" we can shout victory everywhere.

We work first for Christ, and then for His church. We have no time for popular amusements, we do not need them to carry on the work of God. Such things do not increase our love and zeal for Jesus, one iota.

The person, who lives in this age simply to have a good pleasant time will never amount to anything. It is not the question, if we can or have to become amused or entertained. But the all important question is; How can I become most useful and helpful to all? No matter what it means to me, if it requires much sacrifice or self denial on my part, then I must deny myself for others. For in this alone I can find true happiness.

The right kind of amusement is good, healthy exercise, but who can tell us what is the right kind of amusement? I am not here for that purpose, and if I was I could not tell you, for I do not know. Everyone can speak for themselves along this line, what might amuse me would not amuse you. Thus you see we all have our different likes and dislikes. In the first place the Christian Endeavor Society was not intended to become a plaything, or a place of entertainment or amusement and in the second place we are not Christian Endeavorers if we are seeking some pleasant place where we can be amused or entertained at somebody else's expense, no matter if we belong to a half dozen of societies. The Christian Endeavor Society was organized for work and not for play.

We need consecrated workers, and when we are consecrated to Christ, body, soul and spirit, amusements will not concern us, for we are busily engaged in the great work of saving and helping men. We hear the question everywhere. Is this particular amusement right or wrong? Is it right to dance? Is it right to play cards? Is it right to see a game of ball? Is it right to attend the theatre? Is it right to have a good time? Is it right to do anything that the preacher tells us is wrong? Is it right to do as we please? And everywhere, in every church and society we hear such questions. I suppose no Christian Endeavorer has any desire to do any thing that is questionable. The reason many young people wish to know about these amusements, is simply because there is a question between right and wrong, who will decide for them? I can not, I have no authority to dictate to any what they shall do, and how they shall spend their evenings in this place of entertainment or amusement. I simply preach a plain gospel and invite all mankind to follow and imitate the Master in everything. The fact of the case is, we do not observe His sayings as we should, and the result is, often times we do not honor Him. No doubt there are very few in this convention who will knowingly disobey the commands of Jesus, but many fall into error because of uncertainties, and it is then that the mind is not fully settled in regard to the many different kinds of amusements.

Why do not young people come to me and ask if there is any harm in a prayer meeting or a Sunday school? Why don't they ask me if I think any harm can come from a mission school or a kindergarden? I will tell you why. They know. And when a person is certain about anything, it is not necessary to ask questions for information. As a christian I will go to no place where I would be ashamed to meet the church and the world, telling them both where I have been and why. As a christian I will go no place where Christ does not send me. The Christian Endeavor Society has always been against popular amusements and worldliness in every form, and I am glad of it. This is why I have associated myself with such a grand organization, and God helping me I shall unite myself to no society or click that does not renounce sin and all wrong doing. We want to advocate right living, and we can not do so unless we live a pure christian life ourselves. The amusements now are about as popular as they were in the olden times.

I know of nothing new unless it is the base ball fever, and I am inclined to believe the Christian Endeavor has been effected not a little by this popular amusement. I cannot see, however, if the society has been benefitted greatly by catching such a fever. But perchance some here might think that the base ball fad is the most popular and useful amusement on hand.

I overheard a gentleman scoring some women that lived in the county seat of a certain county in this state, not far distant, for actually becoming excited over a game of ball. They waved their handkerchief's and screamed almost as loud as some school-boy. Well, I thoug about the "new woman," and if they believe in equal rights, I suppose it will not be long until the women will be playing against the men. Of course, if you condescend to attend any of these new games as a Christain Endeavorer you will know which side to scream for. According to the new woman's story, the men will be compelled to take back seats in everything. The women are going to outstrip the men, so they say, and oftentimes it is difficult to tell which are to the front in many reforms. It is said, however, that three-forths of the inhabitants of Heaven are women. That surely bespeaks a good word for the fair sex. But we do not want to see the women playing ball. If they attempt it, I am afraid some will think they have lost their calling. If I was a woman I would advocate "Woman's Rights;" and would think I had a perfect right to do anything that the men do. So, according to that, women have liberty to attend base ball games and participate in them, fully as much as the men. I look at it this way: If it is wrong for the women it is certainly wrong for the men, and I say, unless the base ball amusement is a help to you and your society, leave it alone. I never attended but one game of ball in my life, and that was in Cleveland. Of course I refer to a league game. As far as playing ball is concerned I will take off my coat and play with any of the boys or girls, but it is of the associations that I speak. I was told that the two best nines in the world would play. The crowd's gathered, myself among the the number. I do not know when I ever have seen a larger concourse of people assembled together than I witnessed that day. Everybody seemed to have a good time but me, and, perhaps I was a little queer, but at any rate, God being my judge, I can say I never heard so much cursing and swearing before or since, as I heard that day. It would be impossible for me to calculate the number of times that the name of Almighty God and Jesus Christ was taken irreverently upon the lips. So common has blasphemy become that the public mind and public ear have become accustomed to it. Profane swearing is as much forbidden by the law as theft, or arson, or murder, yet who executes it? Profanity is worse than theft, or arson, or murder, for these crimes are attacks on humanity—that is an attack on Almighty God. This country is preeminent for blasphemy. A man traveling in Russia was supposed to be a clergyman. "Why do you take me to be a clergyman?" said the man. Oh said he, "All other Americans swear." This crime is multiplying in intensity. Now Christain Endeavorer, you cannot afford to attend any place of amusement where you are compelled to hear such blasphemy. There is no harm in the game of ball, but we, as Christian Endeavorers want nothing to do with a lot of Godless fellows, unless God sends us to help them in some way. You cannot find one out of a hundred who belong to these leagues who are real christians. The influence is bad. I go farther, by saying that all amusements are wrong that lead into bad company. If you have to associate with the intemperate, the immoral, the ungodly, and the unclean, however well they may be dressed, in the name of God quit it. They will despoil your nature, they will undermine your moral character, they will drop you when you are destroyed, they will chuckle over your damnation. Oh, beware of evil companionship.

(CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.)

A THRIVING ILLINOIS CITY.

A Two Days' Visit at Elgin and What we Saw There.

A week ago last Saturday we took the afternoon Lake Shore train to Adrian and, about midnight, the late train on the Wabash road bound for Chicago. Had a very comfortable night's ride, arriving in the Windy City at 7 o'clock Sunday morning. At eight we took the Northwestern road and at nine o'clock reached our destination—the city of Elgin. We spent that day and Monday as the guest of Geo. N. Stacy's family. Sunday we took a good, solid rest, and Monday we spent to excellent advantage in calling on friends and acquaintances.

Elgin is one of the most thriving cities in the northwest. It reminds one of Grand Rapids or Battle Creek in this state. It is the location of the mammoth watch factory which turns out the world renowned Elgin watch, and it is also the center and headquarters of the creamery industry of Illinois. It boasts of a butter board of trade. The panic of 1893 was seriously felt, that is true, but the city has already recovered from the effects of it and business is booming right along as usual this fall. We have several relatives and quite a few acquaintances there, and were quite fortunate in meeting most of them.

Since our last visit at Elgin, the News and Advocate printing house has been moved into a home of its own. The building is a three story brick, finished in modern style, and is a model of convenience for that business. It is heated by steam and lighted by incandescent lamps. The basement story is devoted to the heating apparatus and the press room. The latter contains a Cox Duplex press, two cylinders, one large size and one pony press, and a Gordon. The Cox press is used for the newspaper printing and works like a charm. The first floor is devoted to the counting room, which faces the corner of Chicago and Spring streets, and three stores for rent, opening on Spring street. The second floor is given up to editorial and reporters' rooms and a few offices to rent. The third floor is devoted wholly to the news room and bindery. Geo. N. Stacy has his business desk in the counting room and still holds his position as manager of the advertising department. The fact that he has held the same position for more than nine years, is pretty good evidence that he gives satisfaction. Mr. Lowrie, the senior member of the firm, is an old veteran in the newspaper business, having owned the Adrian Expositor before the war. Although his whitening locks betoken the approach of years, his heart is as young as ever, and is regarded as a model newspaper man. He possesses more than a state reputation as a journalist, having served as treasurer of the National Press Association. In Mr. Black, the junior partner, he has a valuable assistant, and the firm is conducting a very strong and lucrative newspaper business.

Royal Beardsley's family are residents of Elgin. Mrs. Beardsley was formerly Louise Walker and taught school in Tecumseh abut twenty years ago. Royal is now a motorman on the street railway. Will Walker, a brother of Scove Walker, is foreman of the electric plant that furnishes power for the street railway and incandescent system of lighting. He has a very responsible position and gets a good salary. Will Beardsley has a subordinate position in the same shop. Scove Beardsley, a twin brother of Will, has a good position in the press room of the News office. Mr. Clarkson, who married Edna Beardsley, is the foreman in the press room of the Courier office. This brief recital shows that "our relation" are pretty well taken care of by the electric light works and newspapers of Elgin.

We found David Burger in a cozy little shoe shop in the basement room of a store on Chicago street, head over heels in work. He is doing well there. All of his children, but one son, are now living in the city, which makes it very pleasant for Mr. and Mrs. Burger. We never got fully reconciled to Mr. Burger's leaving Tecumseh, as he was our family shoemaker for years and years when he held down a shoe bench for Henry Nyland. But we are glad to know that he is prospering.

On Monday evening we had the pleasure of attending a stereopticon lecture on the Yellowstone Park, given by Rev. J. H. Selden, pastor of the Congregational church. Brother George managed the lantern for him and the large audience present seemed to be highly pleased with the entertainment. George has recently fixed up an electric light attachment, of his own invention, to the stereopticon, which works very nicely. It is as easily managed as an oil lamp and makes as brilliant a light as the oxy-hydro-calcium light.

Tuesday morning an hour's ride brought us into Chicago, where we remained a couple of days. But as this yarn is long and strong enough for one dose, we defer the recital of our experience in the Windy City until next week.

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

THE GRIP.

You may choke me off with quinine,
You may frighten me with scrills,
You may try to overcome me
With your tonics and your pills;
But I'm stronger than your doctors,
Though for miles extend their fame;
I'm a little "grip" bacillus—
And get there, just the same.
—New York Herald.

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DROP IN.

The proprietors of a West Philadelphia sale stable have this sign outside their establishment: "If you are looking for mules, don't forget us."—Philadelphia Record.

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CLASS IN ETHNOLOGY.

Teacher—Who were the three sons of Noah?

The Class—Shem, Ham and Japhet.

Teacher—Where did the descendants of Shem settle?

The Class—In Asia.

Teacher—Where did the decendants of Japhet settle?

The Class—In Europe.

Teacher—Where did the children of Ham settle?

Bright Boy (after a pause)—My father says they're all on the stage.—Boston Transcript.

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SHALL CUBA BE FREE.

[Original poem by H. C. Rose, of the Dr. Miles Medical Co., read at the mass meeting in Buckley Opera House, Elkhart, Ind., Oct. 26, 1895.]

Wake, sons of Liberty!
A wail comes from the sea
With every tide;
And when it turns again,
A dolorous refrain
Doth still abide.

Oh, list our plaintive cry,
And to the rescue fly
Of that fair isle,
Whereon your statua
Of Bella Liberta
Refuse to smile.

Have you forgot when ye
Scanned the tempestuous sea
For sail or sign
Of an approaching foe,
Who fain would overthrow
Your holiest shrine?

Shall we stand idly then,
When groans of dying men
Are borne across
A land of new made graves,
Where e'en the palm tree waves
It's funeral moss?

Is brotherhood a dream?
Doth valor only seem
What it should be?
List! Just beyond your shores
The tyrant's cannon roars
Defiantly!

Sons of departed sires,
Who lit the altar fires
At Freedom's birth;
Rest not, nor hold your peace,
Till tyrants shall release
Their hold on earth.

What erst the gods have willed
Shall surely be fulfilled;
The fair bride of the sea,
Ravished by cruel fate
And wronged by tyrant's hate,
Fair Cuba shall be free

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A STORY OF JOE JEFFERSON.

Many boys and girls have seen the famous actor, Joe Jefferson, in his great play, Rip Van Winkle, that delightful story of the Catskill fairies, and in it that weird scene where he partakes of the spirits that the elves give him, making him sleep for twenty years. Well, there is a good story told about Jefferson in that particular scene. Once being near some good fishing grounds, he spent the day drawing in the gamy trout, and was thoroughly tired when the curtain rolled up for the evening performance. Things moved smoothly enough until he is supposed to fall asleep. Now that sleep in fiction lasts twenty years, but on the stage about two minutes. This time, however, the two minutes were lengthened out into ten, much to the amusement of the audience and provocation of the stage-manager. Jefferson had really fallen asleep, and his snores, it is said, were quite audible beyond the footlight. Several remarks were fired at him by the audience, and, finally, the stage-manager had to go beneath the stage and open a trap near where Jefferson was lying to try and wake him up. He called and called, but it was no use, and in desperation he succeeded in jabbing a pin into him, which made Jefferson jump up with a sharp cry, and quickly realize where he was.

A Child Enjoys

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known, and every family should have a bottle on hand.

The will of Thomas O. P. Burnham, a Boston second-had bookseller, gives nearly $400,000 to charities and other public purposes.

ATTORNEYS

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 6, 1895.

James Hamilton, of Detroit, was over the first of the week.

Mrs. Ella Niblack spent Thursday with a cousin in Adrian.

Mrs. Gordon R. Wolfe was calling on Adrian friends Tuesday.

Ira VanGelson and mother visited Adrian friends Saturday last.

Richmond, Gadd & Hogan shipped a double deck of hogs Saturday.

Ham D. Niblack left Monday to resume his duties as juror at Adrian.

Tate & Stoner shipped one car of hogs Monday, as did VanTuyle Bros.

R. P. Mills and Gust Lundquist took in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti Monday.

Frank McGuire went to Texas Wednesday, where he will spend the winter.

See to it that you secure your lecture course tickets at once, as the time is short.

Frank M. Thompson and son, Charles, were calling on Tecumseh relatives Sunday.

James W. Bradnet has been quite indisposed the past week, but is some better at present.

James Priest and bride are now nicely settled in their pleasant home on Washington street.

John Middlebrook, of Norwalk, Ohio, spent a few days the first of the week among his Clinton friends.

Geo. A. Kies left Saturday for Utica, N. Y., to prepare for a business trip. He expects to be gone a week.

The friends of Mrs. T. H Warner are very anxious about her, as she is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Harry Davis has greatly improved his residence by having it painted in an artistic manner by Jas. Gillen & Son.

Mrs. J. S. Kies returned Tuesday from a visit of several days with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, at Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogers, of Springville, came over Friday and spent the day with Wm. C. Rogers and family.

The condition of C. S. Baker not improving as hoped for, his removal to the private asylum at Flint is contemplated.

Mrs. Martin Whelan, of Tipton, and Mrs. Laura Barlow, of Petersburg, were the guests of Peter Kishpaugh's family Monday.

Lavern Bradstall, of Brooklyn, and Miss Mazie Beach, of Wampler's Lake, were the guests of Harlow Welch's family Sunday.

Mrs. George Rentschler and child, of Toledo, arrived Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends here and in Bridgewater.

L. W. Kimball drove to Adrian Saturday afternoon to meet Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith, who had been spending some time in Gotham.

A. H. St. John, E. T. VanDeMark, Frank Palmer and several other Clintonites were in Tecumseh Sunday afternoon and evening.

Charles S. Burroughs is contemplating removing from Clinton for a time. He has not fully decided whether he will go east or west.

Gus Middlebrook attended a meeting of Beers Post, G. A. R., at Tecumseh Monday night. Gus holds an important office in this society.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Scully, Sunday morning, a son. No wonder Mike wears so broad a smile. This completes a fine pair.

Twenty-four from the Baptist society here attended the B. Y. P. U. rally at Manchester Saturday evening. They report a delightful time.

We are happy to state that our venerable friend, Mrs. E. P. Felton, who has been quite ill, has nearly recovered her usual health and strength.

The bank on the east side of the coal house at the Woolen Mill having caved in, they are clearing away the earth and will put it a substantial wall.

The next Episcopal social will meet with Mrs. Ella Rose at the Edrose next Thursday afternoon and evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford spent Tuesday here, he performing his parochial duties and she calling on friends. They dined with Mrs. Louise Clark.

Wednesday evening the M. E. society gave a chicken pie supper at the church parlors. This completed the annual suppers of this kind for the season.

Clark Bailey attended the quarterly meeting at the Friends' church, Tecumseh, the last of the week. Friday evening, he was accompanied by Geo. Tag.

Miss Alma Swift is making her farewell visits here, before returning to her home in Greenville. She makes her headquarters with Dr. and Mrs. J. E. White.

The interior of Dr. J. E. White's home on Jackson street has been greatly improved. It is wonderful what changes can be wrought by paint and paper.

The Noone house on Jackson street is ready for the plasterers. When completed it will be one of the most convenient and attractive cottages in the village.

Several of our lady Maccabees paid a fraternal visit to their sister Maccabees at Britton, Friday. To say that they were royally entertained but lightly expresses it.

Mr. Whinnery, an artist of Adrian, has secured a large class in drawing and painting. He will remain for two weeks and give instruction both forenoon and afternoon each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Babcock, formerly of Britton, visited Will Hause and wife Tuesday. Will is to travel in Michigan for a Wisconsin firm and has not as yet decided where he will reside.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston went up to Manchester last Friday to attend the meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter and remained over Sunday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kate Conklin.

Next Wednesday and Thursday Mrs. Sarah Stevens and daughter, Mrs. Grace Kennedy, will give 5 o'clock tea to their lady friends at the residence of Moses Bartlett on west Chicago street.

Miss Stella Lewis, who recently had the misfortune to get her hand crushed in one of the machines at the Woolen Mill, has so far recovered that she resumed her position in the mill Monday.

The aroma of orange blossoms which has pervaded the air of this community for some time is becoming stronger and almost stifling. Cupid must have been applying his art very effectively for some time.

The south side of East Chicago street presents a better appearance than a week ago. A large portion of it has a new walk and the balance has been repaired. This will be appreciated by pedestrians generally.

E. T. VanDeMark reached here Saturday morning from Chicago and will spend some weeks in this section, combining business with pleasure. He left his sister, Louise, in charge of his office in the city.

Col. A. T. Bliss Tent, K. O. T. M., is just now experiencing a season of great prosperity. At their two last regular meetings 18 candidates were elected for the degrees, and the end is not yet. No danger but what the goat will have sufficient exercise for some time to come.

Wm. C. Rogers left Monday for Texas where he expects to spend some time, perhaps all winter. He goes to sell his wire fence. He has one advantage over the army of fence men who are working that state, as he is not restricted to territory, having a state right.

R. B. Gillespie and Will Rector have recently purchased one of the celebrated machines for husking corn. Chas. Avery has been engaged to run it with his engine. It is expected to have it in operation at the farm of Will Rector on Saturday (tomorrow), and any one desiring to see the modus operandi are invited to call in person.

Last Tuesday evening, at Albion, occurred the wedding of Mr. Calvin T. Smith and Mrs. Libbie F. Allen. The bride was well known in this community, having been born and reared in Bridgewater, and her host of friends join in congratulations. Those from here who were present were Geo. and Eda VanGelson. They went to Jackson Saturday and spent Sunday with friends and then went on to Albion.

Officers Sherwood and Muir were the victims of a practical joke Holloween night. They saw a number of youngsters running off two carriages, one belonging to Chauncy Ogden and the other to Ed. Clark. Seeing an opportunity of distinguishing themselves, they called a halt, when Chauncy and Ed were found seated in their respective vehicles, being propelled in this novel manner. The laugh was on Will and Buck.

December 15th is the day fixed for the Annual Episcopal Fair at the Town Hall. In the afternoon a large array of useful and beautiful articles will be offered for sale, after which an elegant supper will be served and in the evening a choice entertainment will be given. The reputation of the ladies having charge is too well established for any words of commendation from us; will only say it is expected this will eclipse all former ones in all respects.

Mrs. June met with a painful accident last Thursday: In attempting to split a stick of wood the axe struck not the stick but some wood that was piled, which changed matters materially. The axe came over, striking her on the head, making an ugly gash. For a time she was stunned Finally she got to Mrs. Carroll's, a neighbor, but presented a pitiful sight. Her clothing was completely soaked with blood. A physician was called, the wound sewed and dressed and she made quite comfortable. It was a close call for her.

Henry Starrett and A. H. St. John, who have been placing the new pews in St. John's Episcopal church, completed their labors Saturday afternoon and last Sunday morning they were used for the first time. They are very easy and pretty and an important factor in the transformation which the interior of this cozy church has undergone, making it not only more modern in construction, but very attractive to the eye and one of the prettiest churches in the diocese. When the pews are nicely upholstered, and stained windows replace the present ones, then it will be complete in all respects.

Clinton, not to be behind her sister towns in the way of a lecture course, got a hustle on herself recently, and we are pleased to announce that the committee have completed a fine course of five entertainments, which will consist of the following:

Thos. McLary: The Mission of Tramps
Glenville P. Kleiser: Monologue Artist, Our American Cousin.
Unity Concert Co: 1st. part instrumental—2d part, Broken Ties.
H. H. Emmett: Either Indian Question, or, Boy of To-day.
J. Hugh DeWitt Miller: Uses of Ugliness.

The price of tickets has been placed at one dollar for the course. Within three days 150 course tickets were sold. The first entertainment will be given about Dec. 1st.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Remember the lyceum at Seth Simmons' next Saturday night.

Mrs. Laura Barlow, of Petersburgh, has been visiting Franklin friends.

Elijah Allen has rented Seymour Love's farm for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Love have removed to Adrian. Seymour will make a model landlord.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hunt left last Thursday for Iowa, where they will visit Mrs. Hunt's parents.

How to Prevent a Cold.

After an exposure, or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov.

Miss Maltby, an American girl, has taken the degree of doctor of philosophy, cum laude, at Gottingen, Germany.

Weak and Nervous

Describes the condition of thousands of people at this season. They have no appetite, cannot sleep, and complain of the prostrating effect of warmer weather. This condition may be remedied by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which creates an appetite and tones up all the organs. It gives good health by making the blood pure.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache. 1

D'LONGPRE'S $1,000 PICTURE.

A Reproduction of This Exquisite Painting Given Away Free.

An exquisite reproduction in 14 colors of DeLongpre's water-color Chrysanthemum picture, size 12x28 inches, is given to every subscriber, with the December issue of Demorest's Magazine, published November 15. This issue is enlarged and bound in a beautifully printed colored cover, and is replete with illustrations and reading matter pertaining to the Xmas holidays. It is sold for 20 cents a copy. The chrysanthemum plate alone in this one number is worth more than the price of a year's subscription; do not fail to get it. The original painting by DeLongpre is valued at $1,000 and the publishers guarantee that none but an expert can detect the difference between the original and the copy. Any of our readers who wish this beautiful picture can, by cutting out this notice and sending it to the Demorest Publishing Co., 110 Fifth Avenue, New York, with 20 cents in stamps, receive it by mail, carefully packed, and at the same time a copy of the Xmas Demorest. The magazine for the coming year is to be improved in many ways. It is to be made the very best magazine for the family circle in existence. The publishers offer to give the original painting to the person sending in the most subscribers before May 1st. The offer is printed in the December issue.

ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

The Trials and Tribulations of a Battle Creek Citizen—How He Comes to Tell This Story.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Foster-Millburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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Hunters' Rates.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines are selling Hunters' Tickets to all points in the hunting territory at hunters' rates. See Ohio Central agents. tf

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for waht seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail." —Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com.— Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

At an estimated saving to the country of $200,000 a year, the department of agriculture, on Oct. 1, stopped distributing free seed to farmers.

The Silver Craze.

Silver has greatly depreciated in commercial values, and may be found impracticable for money purposes, but thousands suffering from dyspepsia, indigestion and constipation have found that 50c or $1 in silver invested in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is worth its weight in gold. Trial sizes (10 doses 10c,) by Orr & Temple. Nov

Mrs. Higgins, of New York City gave birth to triplets, two boys and a girl. They weighed five, six and seven pounds.

No Humbug.

Foley's Honey and Tar does not claim to perform miracles. It does not claim to cure all cases of consumption or asthma. But it does claim to give comfort and relief in advanced stages of these diseases and to usually cure early stages. It is certainly worth trying by those afflicted or threatened with these dread diseases. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov

London has another scandal. Lady Frances Gunning is under bail for forging her dead father's name. Other charges against her are being inquired into.

Comings.

The date of the coming of Christmas is set.

The date of the coming of New Year is set.

But bakers, and cooks and all who make bread.

Applaud the swift rider, who's clearly ahead.

And shout with one voice, "All our hopes we have set.

On the presence and coming of good "Calumet." 1w

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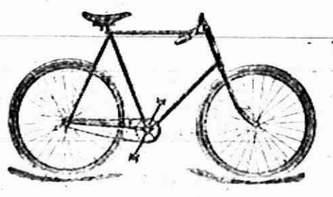

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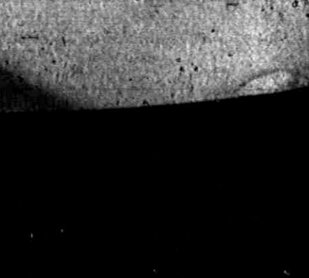
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...as an Adrian visitor Tues-

... Attorney Bird was in ...dnesday.

...ght has been building an ...o his barn.

...tities of hay are still be- ...rom this point.

... is moving from Dundee ...s Underwood house.

... of Dundee, was visiting at ...nd's, last Wednesday.

...ast Wednesday was con- ... almost laid the dust.

...een those nobby suits at ...gnee's sale in Britton.

...y, Chet Linn and Mr. Ad- ...oledo passengers Wednes-

... Kyle, of Tecumseh, was ...ritton friends this week

...k has improved the comfort ...nce of his residence by sub- ...steps for the porticos.

...t the Maccabee's necktie ...t. You have got to have a ...this winter, anyway.

...en Lady Maccabees came ...linton Friday night to at- ...ting of Ivy Leaf hive here.

...s, of Dundee, was on our ...nesday. Mr. Lewis has ...he Wright property in Te- ...will move there soon.

... who borrowed a pair of ...at the hotel barn, some six ... respectfully requested to ...me. L. BANNISTER.

...uits are brewing this week. ...f contention has changed ...ood to lumber. The ques- ...be, who owns the lumber?

..., of Detroit, is conducting ...lothing sale in the Beasley ...k, for Mr. Wilson of that ... something to say in this

... supposed the convivial- ...een were confined to one ...re in Britton two were ...nd the 2nd was louder

...vel object lesson in the ... transit was presented by a ... one day last week. It ...veying 14 cars of street

...ve you from 50 to 60 per ...y kind of clothing. Come ...ill not be with you long. ... H. WILSON, Assignee. ...ley Block, Britton, Mich.

...erful performance of the ...our which occurred last ...ht was quite scantily at- ...bably the heroic deeds of ...ere so fresh in the minds ...g gentry that even the ...feats of legerdemain had ... for them.

... was most patriotically ...last week Thursday night. ... of Britton started out to ... time and they had it. Of ... the older inhabitants also had a ... time next morning, straightening ... up and, perhaps, were glad that ...ular season of festivities hap- ...ens only once a year.

...Christian Union Ladies' Aid ...ety will their next meeting in the ...ora next Wednesday, Nov. ... clock p. m. A bee will be ... purpose of cleaning up the ...nds and the men are earn- ...ested to be present early. ...s committee will serve sup- ...till 6 o'clock.

...o Rederus will organise an ...hich will include instructions ...and oil painting, landscape ...t painting. All who are ...take this opportunity will ...him their names. He re- ...premiums on his paintings ... State Exposition of ama- ...ions at LaGrosse, Wis.

...scribers to Reformed church ...d (old and new lists) who ...d the full amount subscri- ...and the balance to the ...me, on or before Nov. 14th, ... necessary for the build- ...se to meet its obligation to ...directly after that date. ... HARDY, Sec. Bldg. Com.

...ar review of Hendershot ...7, occurred last Tuesday ... business of the meeting was ...ge indulged in a substan- ...d social time. Sir Knight ...presented his brothers with ...coffee pot. If there is any- ... a Maccabee enjoys it is ...nce brother Smith receiv- ...nerous vote of thanks for ...ilness.

...ACON MUSIC.

...nt and family, of Franklin ...ests of Mrs. Holmes last

...yer is improving in health. ...is very sick. Mrs. Biddle is

...amburn and family, of Ash- ...lting old friends and rela- ... place.

... Camburn returned Satur- ...veral week's visit in Gratiot ... Mr. Edward Morgan's.

...ion of carpeting all, or only ...new church, is to be decid- ...xt aid society meeting.

...'s Aid Society, of the M. E. ... hold their next meeting ... of Mrs. Francis Walp, Wed- ...rnoon, Nov. 13th.

...Mrs Elwin Camburn, Mr. and ...on, and Mrs. Allen attended ... and Relief Corps meeting ...ght.

...C. T. U. met with Mrs. Lib- ...rshot last Friday, and it was ... hold the next meeting at ... of Mrs. Hendershot.

...ies aid society of the Reform- ... will meet at the home of Mrs. ...nington, on Thursday after- ...v. 14. A cordial invitation is ...to all.

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Ed. Palmer and wife were in Adrian Saturday.

Grandma Eaton visited Mrs. D. W. Loree Tuesday.

A. J. Sutton left for Lansing Friday for an indefinite stay.

A. J. Terwilliger, of Detroit, spent Holloween as the guest of Emma Miller.

Dr. D. W. Loree and wife went to Ypsilanti Wednesday to visit with friends.

Mrs. Mary Arner, of Harbor Springs, arrived Friday night for a visit with relatives.

Chas. Smith and daughter, of Essex, Clinton county, are visiting old acquaintances and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Chas. Hendershot and daughter, of Macon, and Lena Swick, Milan, visited Mrs. Sarah Pocklington Saturday.

Remember George Kennan at Sutton's Opera House in Tecumseh, Saturday night, in his Adventures in Arctic Asia.

Mrs. C. E. Lowe and Mrs. Wm. Bigge went to Morenci Wednesday as delegates to the W. C. T. U. county convention held there this week.

Mrs. Henry Pocklington is under the Doctor's care with a very painful hand, caused by burning a finger from which gangrene set in.

Mrs. Samuel Barlow, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs. L. T. Bush, near Brooklyn, N. Y., returned home Wednesday.

Daniel and Mrs. Linn, and son Elmer and Miss Edna Swick went to Azalia to see Mrs. Swick's father who is fast nearing death's door with that dreaded disease consumption.

Guy Pocklington was given a surprise on Tuesday night by the Sunday school class, of which he is a member and a number of school scholars. Many young girls were among the company to make it a jolly crowd. Guy expects to leave for a commercial course at Cleary's college in a few days.

Jennie Lawton was made the victim of a surprise party Saturday afternoon at her home by her mother, Mrs. James Pocklington. The Sabbath school class of young ladies, of which she is a member were present to assist in carrying out the plans that made the afternoon one of the most pleasant birthdays Jennie ever spent. Refreshments were served and the afternoon spent in a jolly manner.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Miss Ella Braun is very low at this writing.

C. M. Fellows, of Saline, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Cushman is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. R. C. Miller, of Toledo, is visiting relatives in town.

Chris Marx has moved into the Hoy house, near the depot.

Miss Florence Merriman returned from Toledo last Saturday.

B. W. Amsden went to Chicago on business the first of the week.

M. D. Avis, general pension agent, was in town on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conklin returned from a visit to Lansing on Tuesday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Merrifield on Saturday at 3 o'clock p. m.

The M. E. church is nearly completed and will be reopened on Sunday, Nov. 17th.

Mrs. W. S. Culver, of Brooklyn, visited her daughter, Mrs. Amsden, last Sunday.

Wm. Fargo, of Jackson, is in town this week doing some surveying for John Wisner.

Mrs. E. T. Woodruff, of La Peer, returned last Friday from a visit with Mrs. J. R. Holmes.

Miss Anna Fellows, of Saline, was the guest of her friend, Miss Frances Logan, over the Sabbath.

Mrs. J. W. Patchin and children, of Traverse City, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Halladay, of Norvell, attended the Farmers' Club, at L. M. Baldwin's, last Friday.

The marsh on the Coy farm, just southwest of town, is on fire and doing considerable damage in the standing timber.

Several farmers hereabouts, among the number Geo. Heimerdinger, will try threshing a part of their corn this week.

Mrs. Goddart and daughter, of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. W. G. Doty, of Ann Arbor, are guests of their cousin, Mrs. J. F. Spafard.

Rev. I. B. Buffum, pastor of the F. B. church of this place, was at Capac, Mich., the first of the week, in attendance at the Free Baptist Association.

Mrs. A. W. Spencer and daughter, Ella, returned the last of the week from Bath, N.Y., where she visited her parents and attended their golden wedding.

The Universalist society and other friends held a social at Mrs. T. J. Thorn's on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Carr. That day was her 81st birthday.

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After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

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A. J. Carnegie, the iron and steel magnate:

"The credit system has much to do with it."

P. D. Armour, the man who controls the meat supply of the United States:

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Up and Down the Appenines, Through Florence and Pisa to Old Rome.

MR. EDITOR:—We feel so proud of the manner of which we climbed the Appenines that I am going to tell you first and impressively that we reached the highest point of the pass without doing any walking—we rode in the saddle 51 miles of up grade and the last 10 miles very steep. Of course you don't care if we rode with one leg and with both eyes shut. Editors are so far above interest in physical feats! Well, we had both eyes open. We saw sun burned hills, dried up mountain courses, remains of old Roman aqueducts and the plain and ugly mountains on all sides; none of the grandeur or beauty of the Alps.

About noon we passed mountain towns where the whole populations were laying lazily upon the mountain side, smoking, eating and sleeping in the shade. We saw mountain-valley-sides completely covered with chestnut trees, and from the summit we saw Pistoja lying thousands of feet below us in the valley and from that height we began one of those exciting plunges down into the valley. The road is like the track of lightning and our speed was only a few knots an hour less than that same phenomenon. Soon we reached the luxuriant vines and vegetation of the Tuscan valley. Pistoja is a quaint, time-stained city, so dusty that it might have traveled a long journey itself, but as it is guarded by a wall and moat and many soldiers, I suspect it got its dust from other travelers.

It was nearly sunset when we left that city for Florence. The road was lined with houses of the contadinie, and many a beautiful Tessa walked among her companions, and wore hats and other things in straw. Only by using superhuman eloquence did I persuade Harry that he did not need a straw hat. But darkness came to my aid and we could not see the beautiful signoras any more. We wandered in the gloom thro' innumerable suburban towns, pushing our way among throngs of revellers of the lower classes. In Italy, everyone lives out of doors in the evening. Italians like to exercise their lungs and the discordant cries made us feel very strangely indeed. Venders were hooting, small urchins yelling, girls giggling, mothers screaming, and children shrieking. Lamps were very rare and flared in bizarre and grotesque corners. Florence at last and the moon just rising over it. We passed the good guardsman at the gate and were riding in the enchanted city. The music and crowd in a Piazza attracted us, and in that piazza we found a desirable hotel where we rested gladly from our 90 mile ride.

We stayed two days in Florence, and saw—I have half a mind to make you read "Romola" to learn what we saw—but I will catalogue a few things. There is the old palace with its airy tower which rises, a slender mast, and the superb dome of the cathedral, and that massive stone prison of art, the Pitti palace, and linked with it by the corridor over the old bridge, the Uffizi palace. Then the doors of the Baptistry, one of which Michael Angelo said was worthy to be at the entrance of Paradise; Santa Croco, the cathedral where Florence has buried her famous dead. Most charming of all are the singing girls with their guitars. Those fair musicians haunt the cafes and are real sirens to attract custom.

We left Florence one hot afternoon and followed the course of the Arno down to Pisa. The river was small and muddy, and the hills which shaped its course were dry and parched. It was on the following morning that we reached Pisa, after passing the night in a wayside inn which was discouraging on the exterior but contained a surprise bedroom with frescoes and lace curtains and a canopied bed, all very clean. Pisa has all its attractions in one out of the way corners. We rode eagerly to the corner and after the first glimpse at the leaning tower, I found myself involuntarily "ducking," for fear that the tower would lose its equilibejum before we should reach it. We stood and marveled for a time and then entered the cathedral near by. When we came out there were several Capucinian monks and three blind beggars examining our wheels. I had to repair my tire some and the blind men, in spite of their infirmity watched the operation with breathless interest.

We extricated ourselves from Pisa and began a ride to Rome which I shall never repeat. I heartily recommend to bicycle riders all of the roads and climate and countries, through which we had previously passed, but whoever undertakes that ride to Rome should have epidermis of a salamander and bicycle tires as impervious as an armadillo. As my friend expressed it: "Every vegetating thing in this infernal country grows a thorn." The roads are so dusty that the tires rolling in them sound like flapping sails, and the heat is as if the air above was burning glass. We first saw the Mediterranean at about sunset. I can see vividly now the light green of the shore, the dark green of the waters, and the deep blue of the isle of Elba, near which was the red of the setting sun, flanked by dark gray clouds.

We purged our minds of one popular fallacy. All roads do not lead to Rome. Most of them lead anywhere else. My recollections are a mixture of the horrible and beautiful. I see little fishing villages where the sailors are squabbling with market women about the price of pears. I see the flashing waters of harbors dotted with white sails, and that vision gives place to chalk-white roads filled with thorns and no shade in which to mend punctures, except the shade of mile stones. Then rises the blue outline of the Appenines, and while admiring that we come to a sandy, ugly river with no bridge, and we have to stand and scorch until the ferryman arrives. This is followed by a blur of dust, heat and blackberries.

One night we rode too late, and at last, in desperation we sought lodging in a castle situated high on a hill to whose summit we toiled. We found several men there who said in answer to a plea for a bed, that we must ask the captain. The captain came out and said that it was impossible, we must go on. We dragged our wheels down to the plain and pedaled laboriously on until we found a house at a railroad crossing. Our pleadings finally secured us a bed here, and a promise of milk in the morning. At dawn I heard a knock and bade the visitor to enter. He did. It was our host leading a goat into our bed chamber. He seemed greatly injured because we refused the goatish beverage. We rode on over waste lands which look much like our Colorado deserts. By the road sides are remains of massive gates which have outlasted their walls, and they are overgrown with vines. On these plains roam herds of white cattle—very picturesque. Near the sea are occasional lemon orchards and cork trees. The mountains are very near the shore at times, and old mediaeval cities are seen perched on a hill-top and the houses built closely together around the edge of the hill so they may serve as a wall. In one more letter I will relate the remainder of our venture.

C. H. VANTYNE.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

The Club met at Mrs. Rector's home on the evening of Oct. 29th. The good attendance at this, the first meeting of the season was good evidence that all were disposed to make the winter meetings interesting and profitable. The literary program was engaging throughout. The question, regarding discoveries and inventions was opened by Mr. Finch, reading an excellent paper. He considered iron the most important of all discoveries and he so efficaciously applied his argument that there was but little opposition. One member thought the plow had proved the greatest invention for the farmer, while another thought it would be inconvenient indeed to get along without money. The club will hold the next meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Remington on Tuesday evening, Nov. 26th. Meeting to commence at 7-30 o'clock. Program:

Dec.—Ralph Gillespie.
Select Reading.—The First Thanksgiving.—Ida Rector.
Paper—Is the present year as disastrous as it appears?—J. F. N. Bowen.
Dialogue—Frank and Lava Gillespie.
Charade—Mr. and Mrs. Remington.
Question—Is the present state of taxes justifiable at any time, and especially during such financial depression? Opened by O. P. Remington.

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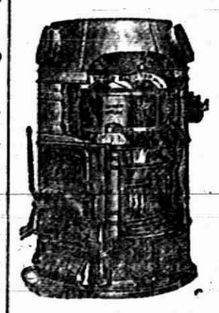

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

g along that wood.

you get an aluminum medallion?

atio Keyser went to Eaton Rapids visit last Saturday.

F. Stimpson, of Milan, was in Teh a few days this week.

and Mrs. M. P. Brown, of Adrian, on friends here Sunday.

Spencer Lester, of Detroit, is g relatives in this vicinity.

J. S. Kies, of Clinton, visited her ter, Mrs. C. F. Field, over Sun-

dancing school was postponed ek. It will soon be running, r.

floor of hard maple is being Albert Brewer's store occupied ry & Co.

ysanthemums—Chrysanthemums out for the announcement of the " show next week.

b Bros., photographers of Adrian, taking the various school buildnd rooms yesterday.

gers are out announcing a footame at Clinton to-morrow afterbetween Tecumseh and Clinton

xt Monday night the council will an adjourned meeting to take action in regard to licensing ped- etc.

and Mrs. Will Hurlburt, of Adrian, r. and Mrs. A. M. Weaver, of Bend, spent Saturday and Sun- Chas. Heck's.

and Mrs. W. J. Arnold, Mr. and Frank Wallinger and E. F. Kirchr attended the funeral of Charles at Monroe last Monday.

Catlin is in receipt of a letter Will Wooden, of Battle Creek, g that his father, Joe Wooden, is better and able to be out.

. Hosmer and son, Robe, have arrangements to start a commisbusiness in Chicago. Robe has mployed in that business there e time.

pastors' conference will meet in rlors of the M. E. church next y morning at 10 a. m., for the of organization and discussion ial topic, "Best Methods of Bible

tion G. A. R's. Monday evenv. 18th, at 7 o'clock, Maj. Seyowell will inspect Beers Post, We hope to see every comrade at this meeting. A social after ion.

ollowing were delegates to the e association of the Woman's ary Society and B. Y. P. U. held ston Tuesday and Wednesday: S. Hamilton, Mrs. Lester, Rev. udson and Harry Pattison.

r Alexander, who was one of the citizens of Tecumseh, died at me of his son, John, Tuesday , aged 84. The funeral was sterday, Revs. Hudson and Brown ng, and the remains were taken ton for interment.

case of Emma Ford vs. Jacob has been on trial again this t Adrian. The case was concludterday and the jury returned a of $3,037 in favor of the plainhe defendant will probably carcase to the supreme court.

rt Moore, yesterday purchased cery stock and business of C. E. nson. Mr. Moore has been idenith the business since its first me few years ago and has had o do with building it to a sucg trade and we predict for him success as proprietor. Mr. Wilon will give his attention to the ic light company, of which he is er, and to his extensive commisbusiness.

ar Cook died very suddenly at sidence on south Pearl street early day morning. Suffering from a, he was lying on a couch. t 3 o'clock Mrs. Cook noticed the er was breathing unusually hard administered some medicine. ly after she awoke again and found usband dead. The deceased forlived on Sid Hathaway's farm sin, but some two years ago movtown on account of ill health, e he has since resided.

E. A. Doke is in town this week.

Mrs. Dora Clark is visiting friends in Cleveland, Ohio.

A literary club has been organized in the Epworth League of the M. E. church.

Rev. C. M. Brown gave an address to the Y. M. C. A. at Adrian last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Beumont, of Cleveland, made her sister, Mrs. Ed. Snedicor, a short visit last week.

Ten thousand turkeys wanted for Thanksgiving at L. D. Dewey's next week. Must have them to fill my order. Come early and avoid the rush.

The Kentucklans must keep their distilleries clean. D. C. Andrews & Co. shipped 9,000 packages of their washing powder to Kentucky Thursday.

The Mortgage Shoe Sale will stay in Tecumseh until every pair of shoes is sold at 50 cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost price. Heesen's old stand.

The council have instructed marshal Stevens to enforce the ordinance prohibiting boys catching on moving trains and all boys found so doing will be arrested.

C. K. Spafford, who has been spending a week with his brother George, here, left this morning for Akron, O., to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Kirk.

If you have no school for this winter enter the Fayette Normal University and prepare yourself for a permanent position at a good salary. You can enter at any time. Send to Pres. J. E. Dodds Fayette, O., for catalogue and circulars.

The Annual meeting of Tecumseh Masonic Association will be held at Masonic Temple, Monday evening, Nov., 18th, at 7 o'clock. All members of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., and Tecumseh Chapter, No. 42, R. A. M. are requested to be present.

On or before December 31, 1895, is the time for making nominations in the Stock Farm $6,000 purse. The nomination fee of $5 includes a year's subscription to the Stock Farm and new subscribers will get the paper until Jan. 1897, thus receiving the rest of this year free. For particulars address the Kentucky Stock Farm, Lexington, Ky.

James Whitcomb Riley has completed a new series of poems in which he varies the treatment of each one to such an extent that they are said to show the Hoosier poet's versatility to a remarkable degree. He has given the series to The Ladies' Home Journal, the first is about to be published. A. B. Frost has been engaged by the magazine to illustrate the poems.

In the November number of the North American Review the Hon. W. C. Oates, Governor of Alabama, discusses the "Industrial Development of the South." Governor Oates gives a remarkable clear and practical account of the revival of business in the South, especially in Alabama, and speaks hopefully of the continuance of the financial recuperation now going on in that section.

Next Sunday evening Rev. C. M. Brown will begin a series of sermons on "The Home." The subjects will be as follows: 1st. The Wife and Mother; 2d. The Husband and Father, Nov. 17; 3d. The Children, Dec. 8. 4th; Family Reunions, Dec, 15. On Sunday, Nov. 24 will occur the annual praise service of the missionary circle; on Dec. 1st. Illustrated sermon, Wonderful Nazerine. The public are cordially invited to all of these services.

The Friends Quarterly meeting was well attended, many coming from a distance. The Gospel of Jesus was preached with power by Rev. J. W. Malone, from Cleveland, President of the Christian Workers training school of that place. The influence of that meeting was good, and many expressed themselves by saying it was the best quarterly meeting we ever had. The Friends expect to commence their revival soon; an evangelist from Cleveland will conduct the meetings.

Services will be held at the Baptist church next Wednesday evening and Thursday forenoon, afternoon and evening, consisting of preaching in the evening services by pastors from other parts of Southern Michigan. The services during the day Thursday will be given up to discussions and laying plans for aggressive christian work. These meetings are known as the Workers' Conference of the Lenawee Baptist Association. An invitation is extended to the public to be present and participate.

The Masons of Detroit are arranging for a big expositon which is to be held Nov. 25 to Dec. 7. Many novelties and interesting displays are promised from all over the United States and even from the land of the Orient. There will be elaborate decorations inside the big new temple which is just being finished. Many professional entertainers have been engaged for the performances in the Turkish and American theatres and in the "Streets of the Orient," which will be thoroughly equipped with goods and attractions now being secured by a special agent who is searching Persia, Turkey and Egypt for novelties. The booths will be varied in architecture and style, each being equipped from the land it represents. The wonderful painting of "Trilby" will be on exhibition and a big art loan display, with several new pictures never shown in the west, will occupy one floor. The entire building, and it is seven stories in height, will be used for exhibition purposes. Additional particulars will be given hereafter.

H. W. McClure has a new card to-day.

Geo. Tansley, of Addison, was in town Tuesday.

I. P. Keyser, of Jackson, is home a part of this week.

Remember Geo. Kennan's lecture tomorrow evening.

C. T. Cummins, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

H. Brewer & Co. have had a new floor laid in their office.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher visited friends in Adrian last Wednesday.

Sumner Collins is now a member of the Lenawee county bar.

Prof. Dershem, of the Palmyra school, was in town last Monday.

Avery & Co. have a new message on teas and coffees in this issue.

The reserved seats for Kennan's lecture are going off like hot cakes.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. have a new ad in this week's issue.

Burr Anderson, of Devil's Lake, is visiting Tecumseh friends this week.

Jackson Whitney, of Canton, Ill., is visiting James Aten's family this week.

Read what the grocers, of Tecumseh, say about La Besta, in another column.

Kennedy & Rogers have something to say about Christmas prizes this week.

Harry Moore, of Petersburg, was visiting his brother Robert, last Wednesday.

Go and hear about Mr. Geo. Kennan's adventures in arctic Asia, tomorrow night.

The electors of Adrian have decided to live under the old charter awhile longer.

Geo. W. Knapp's new house on Pottawatamie st., will soon be ready for occupancy.

Rev. Hageman, of this village, has received a call from the Dundee Congregational church.

Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Husbands."

The rain of yesterday and to-day will be a welcome visitor for the farmers. The weather had become so dry as to seriously interfere with corn husking.

A teachers Institute will be held at Ridgeway on Nov. 23rd for the teachers of Ridgeway, Macon, Clinton, Raisin, Tecumseh and the east half of Adrian and Franklin townships.

Alex Easlick, of Lake Ridge, has been seriously ill for some time, but we are glad to learn that his symptoms are somewhat more encouraging and we hope to see him up town again soon.

Editor Field held quite a family reunion at his house last Saturday. The following guests from abroad were present; Mrs. Geo. Talbot and daughter, Mamie, of Denver; Mrs. G. W. Doty, of Ann Arbor; Mrs. John Chaplin of Sylvania, Ohio; Mrs. John Field and J. F. Spafard, wife and daughter of Manchester.

The secretary of state has issued 17,500 deer licenses, and still hunters clamor for more. As there is probably half that many deer in Mich. the state is realizing handsome profits on the license law. It is a pity, however, to think of the large number of nimrods who will expend their cash and energy by shooting the air full of holes.

With the December issue the price of the Arena will be reduced from $5.00 to $3.00 a year, but notwithstanding that fact, The Arena for 1896 will be abler, brighter and more inviting than ever. This magazine is now recognized as the leader of liberal thought in periodical journalism, and the field it occupies has been thoroughly cultivated. We predict a large increase in circulation and influence under the new departure. And Editor Flower deserves all the success which his enterprise will doubtless bring him.

Within six weeks Adrian will be enabled to talk with New York and Chicago over the telephone, provided it has the price, which will be $7 for five minutes with New York and $2.50 for a like period of connection with Chicago. A metallic line, starting from Detroit, and running through Ann Arbor, Clinton, Tecumseh, Adrian, Hudson, Hillsdale, Coldwater and Three Rivers, is now in course of construction, and within another week it is expected the line will be completed to this city, when Chicago and New York connections can be made via Detroit.—Adrian Times.

A fearful calamity occurred in Detroit on Wednesday morning, one of the worst that ever befell the city. The large boilers in the basement of the Detroit Daily Journal building let go with terrific force, scattering death and destruction on every hand. The force of the explosion was so great that a portion of the building collapsed, and with it scores of busy people were buried in the wreck and ruins. To add to the horror of the situation the ruins caught fire and the fire department which hastened rapidly to the scene was compelled to do the double duty of fighting the fire and rescuing the people engulfed under the tons of debris. According to the latest estimate 40 people were killed outright and about 30 were injured. Up to last evening 34 bodies had been recovered. The entire city is shrouded in gloom over the awful catastrophe. None of the editorial staff of the Journal were in the building when the explosion took place. The press of the state will unanimously tender its sympathies to the Journal in its misfortune.

High School Happenings.

Charlie Schreder has left school.

Naomi North was absent Friday and Monday.

Florence Kishpaugh visited the High School last Friday.

The class in Philosophy are studying specific gravity this week.

A number of pupils from the several rooms of the Central had their pictures taken yesterday.

Some of the pupils needed an eye opener and a remedy for that tired feeling on the day after Halloween.

The North branch school was closed yesterday, that the teacher Miss Millspaugh might visit some of the other schools.

Some of the dignified senior and jolly junior girls, feeling the need of more exercise than walking, indulged in a game of "crack the whip" Tuesday noon.

Some one attempted to celebrate Halloween at the H. S. building by breaking part of the glass in one of the windows. We hope all students in the school are above such celebrations.

—Pingree & Smith ladies' fine hand-turned shoes, worth $4.00, for $2.00, at the Big Mortgage Shoe Sale, Heesen's old stand.

—Owing to our largely increased trade on Sewing Machines, I have put in as complete a line as can be seen in this section, including New Home, Domestic, White, New Goodrich, Household, and cheaper machines. Easy terms and prices very low.
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—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—If you are using any lumber or shingles come and see me, I can save you money. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Men's fine Cordavin Shoes worth $5.00 for $3.50 at the Big Mortgage Shoe sale in Heesen's old stand.

—Call and see that elegant New Style English Oak machine at Coller's Music store.

—See those Oil and Gasoline Heaters at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Slayton's shingles sell like hot cakes. They are so good and so very cheap.

—TAFFY TAFFY TAFFY—
—The City Bakery is the place to get your taffy, fresh every day. We make it ourselves, and warrant it to be as good as made and sell it at wholesale and retail prices.

—You can get a liberal discount on red cedar shingles by hauling them from the car. See me at once.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—Ladies rubbers worth 50c. for 25c. at the Big Mortgage Shoe Sale, Heesen's old stand.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—That nice, new hard maple flooring just laid in H. Brewer & Co's office Avery & Co's store and Wm. Arnold's, all came from A. W. SLAYTON'S Yard.

—Men's fine velvet, patent leather back slippers, worth $1.50 for 75c., at the Mortgage Shoe Sale, Heesen's old stand.

—A large assortment of floor Oil Cloth at Satterthwaite Bros.

—To save money on dress goods, coats, capes, jackets, underwear, hosiery, gloves, mittens, boots, shoes, rubbers, felts, etc., come and see us.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Of course you know Harris & Hiteshu are agents for the E. Stout snag-proof rubbers, the best rubber on earth.

—Remember—Tin-work a specialty at Satterthwaite Bros.

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARKING & BENNETT.

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Whips, Plush and Wool Lap Robes at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Have you called to see Harris & Hiteshu's cloak room?

—Buckwheat grinding at Steam Mills every Friday. Cash paid for buckwheat.

—Call at the City Bakery for a glass of Ice Cream Soda.

—With improvements now in progress we are prepared to treat our customers better than ever. Call and see us at the City Bakery.

—A full line of Bakery and Confectionery, up-to-date and at fair prices, at the City Bakery.

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SOUTHERN MICHIGAN SHAKEN.

Reports Show the Earthquake General Save in the North.

Detroit, Nov. 1.—The earthquake which agitated the Mississippi valley was very generally felt over Michigan. In Detroit the guests at the Wayne and Metropolitan hotels were aroused from their sleep and went rushing to the first floor in their night clothes. Advices from the state show that the shock was general in the southern portion of the lower peninsula, but north of Grand Rapids no indications of the earthquake were observed. Lansing was shaken twenty seconds and beds were set trembling so that the occupants were awakened and doors swung to and fro. At Ann Arbor five distinct waves were felt, which lasted two minutes and began at ten minutes after five o'clock. Prof. Hall of the university could not believe it because his seismoscopes failed to register it. Kalamazoo people were awakened by the shaking of their beds. At Niles the shock was very violent. Buildings trembled, windows were cracked, pictures fell from the walls and people ran from their houses in terror.

In Grand Rapids the shock swayed the big buildings and many of the residents of the hills ran out of their houses in alarm. The shock at Jackson was so severe that hundreds of people in the western section of the city hurriedly dressed and sought the streets. The guests in the Albion house, Albion, deserted the hotel in a body, fearing it would fall. At Blissfield the earthquake broke windows and scared the people generally, and at St. Joseph the shock was so violent that the large fire bell sounded a single stroke. Dishes were shaken down and broken at Pinckney, and at Concord a man was almost thrown from his bed.

In Munith more than 500 dishes were smashed and people badly frightened. The residents of Benton Harbor ran into the streets in a fright, and a loud report and rattling of windows was heard at Cassopolis. Guests in the Lawrence hotel ran out of the house without stopping to dress. Reports received from Adrian, Buchanan, Saugatuck, Pawpaw, Decatur, Galesburg, Three Rivers, Marshall, Allegan, Schoolcraft, Sturgis, Constantine, Coldwater, South Haven, Hastings, Grand Haven, Belleville and Hudson show that the shock was plainly felt in all these places, and the people were generally alarmed at the unusual occurrence.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Thousands of Hunters to Take Advantage of the Open Season.

Lansing, Nov. 2.—The open season for the killing of deer in Michigan commenced Friday and the exodus to the north woods during the last few days has been enormous. It is estimated that over 10,000 licenses to hunt deer have been granted by the county clerks. Each license entitles the holder to kill five deer, and a coupon must be attached to each animal shipped. If every deer hunter kills the number to which he is entitled there will not be enough deer left in Michigan to perpetuate the species. The license fee is 50 cents for residents and $25 for non-residents. Pot hunters who desire to slaughter a large number of deer will find an opportunity to evade the law by taking out several licenses under different names.

A Water Famine.

Hubbardston, Nov. 6.—The water famine has extended itself to this vicinity. A majority of the wells are dry, and, in boring new ones, persons have gone down 50 to 60 feet, passing three and four strata of gravel, without discovering a semblance of moisture. Others drive four and five miles to buy their drinking water, paying for it at the rate of ten cents a barrel.

Streams Drying Up.

Schoolcraft, Nov. 1.—The wells, streams, lakes and marshes are drying up. Never have they been so low as at this time of year. Many wells have dried up entirely and have been sunk from three to six feet deeper after water. Lakes have receded. Weed's lake and Mud lake are dry, Ransom's and Sugar lakes receded four to eight feet.

Teachers to Meet.

Lansing, Nov. 6.—The executive committee of the State Teachers' association has decided to hold the annual meeting of the association in this city on December 26, 27 and 28, and if possible to secure Stanley Hall, of Clark university, to deliver the principal address. Section work will be the great feature of the session.

Accidentally Killed.

Mount Clemens, Nov. 3.—Robert B. Mitchell, of Warren, while alighting from a boat at the Lakeside pier, pulled a gun out towards him. The hammer caught on the seat, and the charge penetrated his breast. He died.

An Adamless Eden.

Ann Arbor, Nov. 2.—Over 500 women students of the university attended a reception given by the sophomore girls Friday. All male students were carefully excluded, and the men in the orchestra were hidden by a screen.

Cannot Be Sold for Taxes.

Lansing, Nov. 1.—An injunction was issued restraining the sale of the Michigan branch of the Wisconsin Central railroad upon an execution obtained by the state for $5,000 for the unpaid specific taxes of 1891.

Ex-Gov. Jerome Dying.

Saginaw, Nov. 5.—The family of ex-Gov. David H. Jerome, of this city, received word Monday that the governor is in a very critical condition at the sanitarium at Watkins, N. Y., and death is imminent.

Found Guilty.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 3.—Dr. Joel A. Thomas, on trial for several days for causing the death of Miss Helen Bos by a criminal operation, was found guilty Saturday morning of manslaughter.

Election in Port Huron.

Port Huron, Nov. 6.—Boyntin (rep.) is elected mayor by 431 majority and the rest of the republican ticket with him. Democrats get but three of the ten aldermen chosen.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

A Budget of News from Various Localities in Michigan.

A recent gale carried away a portion of the pier at Holland.

Plymouth's new reservoir, which has just been completed, will hold 1,500,000 gallons.

At Cadillac, recently, a horse trader named Charles Wright was found dead in his bed at a hotel.

Ex-Senator Palmer has written a letter denying the rumor that he is a candidate for governor.

The Bryant Paper company, with a capital stock of $125,000, will erect a big mill in Kalamazoo.

Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, ridicules the report recently circulated that he is a presidential candidate.

Lumber on Churchill Bros.' mill stock at Alpena burned, causing a loss of $25,000; one-third insured.

Heavy falls of snow and good sleighing have already been reported from several points in the state.

The annual convention of the state association Knights of the Grip is to be held in Lansing next month.

Surviving members of the Twenty-eighth Michigan infantry held a reunion recently at Kalamazoo. Eighteen of the old veterans were present, although the secretary reported that there were still living 400 members scattered all over the land.

Four horses were cremated in a burning livery barn at Ann Arbor recently. They belong to William Wallace.

Col. Michael Jeffers, of Saginaw, will erect a monument to the memory of Saginaw valley soldiers who died in the rebellion.

The condensed milk factory at Howell is to double its capacity. Over 50,000 pounds of milk are now being handled daily.

The trustees have called W. E. C. Wright, D. D., of Cleveland to fill the chair of the late Prof. Estabrook at Olivet college.

At Gagetown, Saturday, Tooley & Son's $10,000 roller mill burned to the ground and 400 cords of wood were reduced to ashes.

The citizens of Flint have held a mass meeting and passed resolutions asking congress to grant Cuban insurgents belligerent rights.

Benjamin Constant's life-size portrait of Senator James McMillan has arrived at the state capitol and will be hung in the senate chamber.

William Choats, a farmer living a few miles west of Lansing, has found a four-foot vein of soft coal on his farm. It is about 60 feet down, and covered by a 12-foot layer of slate.

The cold weather and severe frosts have about ruined the celery crop in the Au Gres country in the upper peninsula. One farmer named Harris has lost $1,400, this being his first year in the business.

Rev. Fred B. Spindler, a former pastor of the Lutheran church at Grand Haven, was found dead with three bullet holes near his heart on the outskirts of Minneapolis Wednesday. Whether murder or suicide is a mystery.

At Detroit, on Friday, the Michigan Political Science association elected Judge J. W. Champion, of Grand Rapids, president. Methods of government of various Michigan cities were discussed from every point of view.

Wants an Investigation.

McBain, Nov. 2.—A petition has been freely circulated in this vicinity and signed by a large number which is to be sent to Gov. Rich. The petition asks the governor to order an investigation of the killing of John Smalley here August 24, 1895, stating among other things that the petitioners believe he died innocent of the crimes charged against him, the Fennville hold-up August 20 and the killing of Detective George W. Powers on August 22.

Terminal Route Decided Upon.

Marquette, Nov. 6.—It is understood that the matter of terminals for the Ishpeming & Lake Superior railway, which is to be built and in working order shortly after the opening of the next ore-shipping season, was settled here by the choice of what is known as the North Marquette route. The construction contract has been let to Winston Bros., St. Paul, Minn.

Passed Bad Bills.

Coldwater, Oct. 31.—"Shovers of the queer" got in their work here, passing a $50 counterfeit greenback on the ticket seller at the opera house, where the Chicago marine band was playing, and a $20 bill on the ticket agent at the Lake Shore depot. The fellow who passed the money escaped. The work on the bills was fine, but the paper was poor.

Found Hanging from a Rafter.

Sturgis, Nov. 6.—John C. Drake, of the firm of J. C. Drake & Co., founders and machinists, committed suicide by hanging. His body was found hanging from a rafter in the upper portion of the store building. He had stood on an empty nail keg, which he kicked from under him. Ill-health is supposed to have unsettled his mind.

Prominent Saginaw Citizen Dies.

Saginaw, Nov. 6.—George H. Durand, Sr., one of Saginaw valley's most prominent citizens, died Tuesday, aged 82. He was the father of Hon. George H. Durand, ex-congressman and ex-chief justice of the supreme court; Mrs. John P. Williams, of Chicago, and Hon. L. T. Durand, of this city.

A Block Burned.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 2.—The Stevens block, one of the finest in the city, was badly damaged by fire Friday morning. The fire started from spontaneous combustion in the basement and soon the three storerooms above and three floors above that were burned out. The loss is $20,000.

Will of the Late Mrs. Emery.

Lansing, Nov. 2.—The will of the late Sarah E. V. Emery, author and lecturer, has been admitted to probate. The greater part of her estate, valued at $35,000, is to be held in trust for the education of the children of her brother and nephew to the third generation.

RECOVER THE STOLEN MONEY

Brown's Confession Enables the Sheriff to Secure the Kessler Plunder.

Allegan, Nov. 2.—Sheriff Stratton and the officials for the Lake Shore railway and United States Express company have secured $1,565 in currency and $85 in gold in Isabella county as the result of Jim Brown's confession of the Kessler robbery. The money was found in a tin can buried where Brown said it was hidden. Brown gave the sheriff letters asking his wife and brother-in-law, Charles Robbins, to turn over the money, besides the title to a hotel in McBain, valued at $1,000. All were turned over to the United States Express company. The hotel was bought with part of the Kessler plunder. Brown's confession implicated only two besides himself in the job at Kessler, John Smalley was one, the name of the other not being given. Brown's share was $3,090.

Lansing, Nov. 3.—Gov. Rich has honored the requisition of Gov. Matthews, of Indiana, for James W. Brown.

ALL FOR CHARITY.

Grand Rapids Young Ladies Give a Bench Show Many Entries.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 5.—The bench show held under the management of the Butterflies, a dozen young women who are pledged to maintain a free bed in the Union Benevolent association home and hospital, opened Monday afternoon with every assurance of financial success. There are 144 entries, in 95 classes, with a total of 206 animals, including some of the best dogs in the country. The most interesting exhibits are the pugs and the poodles from the Eberhart kennels, Cincinnati; bloodhounds from Rockwood kennels, Lexington, Ky., and from the Ovid kennels, of Ovid, Mich.; and Great Danes from Oakhurst kennels, owned by Dudley E. Waters, of this city. A. G. Eberhart, of Cincinnati, is judge. The show is not given under the authority of the American Kennel club, but the rules of that organization will govern the awarding of prizes, which will not be matters of record.

PINGREE WINS.

Elected Mayor of Detroit for the Fourth Consecutive Term.

Detroit, Nov. 6.—Mayor Pingree swept this city for the fourth consecutive time Tuesday, being elected by a majority of 10,400 over Sam Goldwater, democratic and labor candidate, in a total vote of 30,000, with one precinct missing. The mayor's great running ability is evidenced by the returns from the Fifth, Seventh, and Ninth wards, largely populated by Germans and Poles, and nominally strongly democratic. The mayor's potato patches caught their votes and his majority in these wards aggregated 1,200. With the mayor the remainder of the city ticket was elected by majorities nearly as great. Out of 16 aldermen elected the democrats have secured only three.

County Seat War.

Lansing, Nov. 5.—Lansing and Mason are now preparing for the hottest kind of a county seat war. Mason is now the nominal county seat, but two terms of circuit court are annually held at Lansing. The magnificent new city hall building at Lansing is intended for the joint use of the city and county. The fight will be precipitated at the January meeting of the supervisors when a proposition to remove the county seat may be submitted to the people.

Sale of State Lands.

Lansing, Nov. 6.—On November 15 there will be offered at public sale at the state land office some very valuable state lands. Among the most valuable are sections 11 and 12 of the Bois Blanc island lands, which were reconveyed to the state by Contractor George W. Webber, of Ionia, in settlement of the state's claim that the Bois Blanc island state road was not constructed according to contract. These lands are heavily timbered.

Famous Stallion Dead.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Nov. 2.—The famous stallion Ambassador, the property of the Kalamazoo Farm company, died at Kalamazoo farm Friday morning. But three years ago S. A. Browne & Co. were offered $60,000 for Ambassador. The purchase price was $18,500. Among his most illustrious offspring are Sciota, Lady Wilkin, Cuckoo, Dan Court and Wyandote, all with records better than 2:20.

Value of Marsh Lands.

Galesburg, Nov. 4.—The capabilities of the marsh lands in Kalamazoo and Calhoun counties, once considered valueless, have been fully illustrated during the past season. The little station of Sonoma, in Calhoun, ships daily from three to four car loads of cabbage, averaging 200 heads to the ton. Fully one-half as many onions are also freighted out. One man has shipped 5,000 bushels of onions.

A Heavy Failure.

Bay City, Nov. 2.—The third big lumber failure in three weeks was that of John McLennan & Son, hardwood dealers, who filed four mortgages amounting to nearly $70,000 Friday. It is believed that their assets are greater than their liabilities. The failure was caused by the poor condition of the lumber market and the refusal of banks to renew paper.

Convicted of Passing Forged Check.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 4.—John S. Granger, alias Gideon Granger, who was convicted of passing a $50 forged check, was Saturday sentenced by Judge Chapin to one year's imprisonment in the house of correction. The sentence is a very light one. Granger said he was innocent, but took his sentence calmly.

Hackley Park Assembly Sold.

Muskegon, Nov. 5.—Rev. H. W. Bolton, of Chicago, president of the Hackley Park Assembly association, signed a deed Monday transferring to Albert Dodge, of Grand Rapids, all of the assembly property; consideration, $26,000. He will organize another association, and says an assembly will be held next year.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 10. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Opening the Church to the Gentiles.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts x, 1-48.

An officer of the Roman army, benevolent, prayerful, God fearing, believing in the Jehovah of the Hebrews, having heard of Jesus of Nazareth, seeks to know more of the true way. His vision is evidence that he was deeply thoughtful on the matter of the gospel message and earnestly desired salvation. The hesitation of Peter to go to such a man shows clearly how deep was the Jewish prejudice against the gentiles. If even the most advanced leaders of the disciples is yet so bound in prejudice that he needs a threefold vision to move him, how deep must have been the formalism of those less liberal minded.

The manifestations which accompanied the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the day of Pentecost appearing in Cornelius and those with him is proof to Peter that God has granted salvation to the gentiles as well as to the Jews. He is a practical man of good sense rather than one who arrives at his conclusions by a long process of reasoning. If these heathen have the Holy Ghost as truly as his own countrymen why should they not be at once baptized and be recognized as brethren with the disciples of Jesus, the Christ? It seems reasonable to him and so he baptizes them. This is an event of utmost importance not only to the followers of the Nazarene and the orthodox Jews, but to the world for all ages.

When Peter returned to Jerusalem he was at once charged with his breach of custom in associating and eating with uncircumcised heathen. This was an offense of gravest character, and stirred the church as deeply as the preaching of Stephen had stirred the synagogue and council. This act of Peter is the overturning of all the exclusiveness of Judaism in practice. It brings matters to a crisis.

In theory the followers of Christ had been by the Master's teaching and example gradually enlarging in their thoughts of the kingdom of God. Some few, like Stephen, had grasped the idea of the worldwide extension of gospel privileges to gentiles as well as Israelites. But this was all in doctrines merely and future fulfillment of prophecy. When the actual case came of breaking down the division walls, prejudice and long education made severe opposition. One less prominent and influential than Peter could scarce have stood against the tide of opposition. One less bold than he would never have dared to do the deed of opening the door to the gentiles.

The question was important as settling the point whether the followers of Jesus were to become merely another Jewish sect, bound under the laws and ceremonials of Judaism, or if Christianity was to expand into a world religion adapted to the needs of men in all ages and of all nationalities. Stephen prepares the church for its work by his unanswerable arguments and exposition of prophetic truth, and by his death. Peter practically begins the work, but it remains for St. Paul, for a greater than either one of these, by a lifelong devotion and heroic self sacrifice to accomplish the task of bringing the gentiles into the church.

The Outlook.

All signs point to an era near at hand of wonderful revival of righteousness. Substantial faith in the Christian Scriptures was never before as prevalent as now. The age of skepticism is well nigh passed. The spirit of controversy and division no longer dominates the church. Bible truth is known and believed and applied as in no previous time. Individual righteousness in heart and life is now looked upon as the essential characteristic of every true man. Still further, social righteousness is coming to be looked upon as indispensable to the well being of community. Sociology is the newest and greatest of the sciences. Men are waking to the fact that society, as well as the individual, must be saved. Society must be Christianized. This is the supreme duty of the hour. The work of the League is along these lines. Theory must be mastered and truth clearly apprehended must be followed by practical godliness and exhibition of brotherly love.

Work of the Church.

The church of Christ was designed to represent Him on earth and to minister to all the moral needs of men. She must send out preachers and teachers; she must organize and by sacraments, liturgies and all needed appliances preserve the form of godliness; she must build churches, schools and all institutions for carrying on the moral reform of the world. But she has not completed her work when all this is done, but must seek out in alleys and slums of the city, in palace and factory, in mine and forecastle, on farm and in counting room, in the home and in the place of work and recreation, all classes of men. The rich as well as the poor need the gospel. Like sunlight, her influence must permeate every nook of society with life giving power. She is set for the moral renovation of the race, and so, like the sea, must press up on every shore line of society and flow into every inlet with her tides of cleansing and healing.

Opening Doors.

It is but a few years since the great prayer of the church was that God would open the doors of heathenism for the gospel. Wondrously has that prayer been answered. At that time Japan, China, India, Africa, Mexico, a large part of South America and many other regions were closed to all efforts to evangelize the people. Now all doors stand wide open. Every mail coming from the orient contains facts which appeal to Christians to consider the needs of the world and plan for the conversion of the world.

NOVEMBER—1895.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

Fire destroyed eight business buildings at Miller's Falls, Mass., the loss being over $100,000.

Mrs. Fortescue Whittle of Petersburg, W. Va., Miss Lucy Stone, the youngest child of Mrs. Whittle, and a negro servant were fatally burned by an exploding gasoline stove.

A burglar killed at Newmarket, Mo., by Dr. Hale was identified as Harry Huguley, the wayward son of H. W. Huguley, a millionaire brewer of Boston.

Moses Rosenburg & Co., dealers in dry goods and notions in New York, failed for $157,000.

It was said that the Lincoln monument in Springfield, Ill., had been found to be only a pile of rotten brick, with a veneer of stone, and that it would have to be rebuilt.

The states of Illinois, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin, Ohio, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and the central southern states experienced earthquake shocks more or less severe, but no serious damage was reported and no lives were lost.

Mgr. Satolli, papal delegate to the United States, has been made a cardinal by the pope.

S. M. Bixby & Co., manufacturers of shoe blacking and harness oils, failed in New York for $245,000.

At a meeting in Washington in behalf of Cuban liberty a committee was appointed to urge the cause of the patriots before congress at its session early in December.

Orville Smith and his wife were killed by snakes at their home near Frankfort, Ky.

All coinage of other than subsidiary silver was suspended by order of Secretary Carlisle.

At Green Springs, O., Bert Fox shot his wife and then killed himself. No cause for the deed was known.

Deserted by her husband, Mrs. Mattie Wolford poisoned her child and herself at Preston, Minn.

Halff & Newbourer Bros., wholesale dry goods dealers and cotton buyers at Houston, Tex., failed for $225,000.

Mrs. Dr. Mabel Spencer was appointed county physician of Riley county, Kan., and was said to be the first woman ever appointed to a like position in the United States.

Miss Flagler, daughter of Gen. Flagler, of Washington, who shot and killed a negro boy who was stealing fruit several months ago, was indicted for manslaughter.

The Masonic Temple association at Duluth, Minn., made an assignment, with liabilities of $135,000.

Commodore Matthews, chief of the bureau of yards and docks of the navy, in his annual report estimates $2,124,149 as needed for new work.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased $5,341,472 during the month of October. The cash balance in the treasury was $179,947,998. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $946,431,168.

The day set for the fight between Fitzsimmons and Corbett has come and gone without a contest. Fitzsimmons was in custody at Little Rock and Corbett was under bonds at Hot Springs, Ark.

J. Lowentraub's roller and ice skate factory at Newark, N. J., was burned, the loss being $210,000.

William Haberman and Jacob Vogel, prominent business men, were killed by the cars at a crossing in Elizabeth, N. J., and John Hughes, a hack driver, was fatally injured.

W. W. P., owned by Dubois Bros., of Denver, broke the world's record for a two-mile pace, making the distance at Lincoln, Neb., in 4:22¾.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 1st aggregated $1,082,880,957, against $1,148,708,311 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 17.1.

There were 299 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 1st, against 231 the week previous and 259 in the corresponding time in 1894.

Chancellor Martin, in Little Rock, issued a restraining order enjoining Corbett or Fitzsimmons from taking part in a prize fight in Arkansas. The pugilists and their backers decided to retire from the state.

The summer packing season in the west has closed and the aggregate number of hogs slaughtered from March 1 to October 31 is 8,120,000, against 8,735,000 for the season of 1894.

The supreme court of the United States has adjourned until Monday, November 11.

The value of the coinage at United States mints for October was: Gold, $7,215,700; silver, $820,000; copper, $23,500, making a total of $8,059,200.

Mrs. Mary McDole, aged 56, of Johnston, R. I., was shot and killed by her son, Thomas McCloughlin, because she married a second time.

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Central New York reported a heavy snowstorm.

The express companies of the country put into effect an advance of 33 1-3 per cent. in the carrying charges of currency between New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago.

Theodore Durrant was found guilty of the murder of Blanche Lamont on April 3 last in the Emanuel Baptist church in San Francisco. His attorneys would take an appeal to the supreme court.

Ada Potter, aged ten years, and Nettie Vague, aged nine years, were drowned in the Des Moines river at Jackson, Minn., by breaking through the ice.

W. P. Bentley, a prominent lawyer, and A. B. Higknight fought a duel at London Depot, Ky., over politics, and both were killed.

In a street fight at Warrior, Ala., George Farley, aged 17, fatally shot his father and a man named Strickland.

The New York State Mutual Fire Insurance company, with headquarters in New York city, went into the hands of a receiver.

Surgeon General Tyron, in his annual report, calls attention to the number of casualties at the Naval academy resulting from the present method of playing football, and recommends that unless the rules be materially modified rival games be prohibited.

Charles Shabel, of Rochester, N. Y., lowered the world's bicycle road record for 200 miles from 11:58:30 to 11:46:58.

August A. Hanson, of Minneapolis, in a 24-hour bicycle ride made 375 miles, the best previous record being 367 miles, held by Hueblin.

The Dickinson Hardware company, one of the largest business concerns in Little Rock, Ark., failed for $150,000.

Upon assurances that Corbett and Fitzsimmons would leave Arkansas the peace warrant cases against them were dismissed.

The stable at the Dorrance mine near Wilkesbarre, Pa., was burned, and 18 mules were cremated.

Marsh fires that have burned for six weeks underground in Jefferson and Waukesha counties, Wis., have destroyed the fertility of hundreds of acres of valuable land for half a century to come.

Henry H. Holmes was convicted in Philadelphia of murder in the first degree for killing Benjamin F. Pitzel. A motion for a new trial will be made on the 18th inst.

The village of Arcadia, Ia., with the exception of one store, was destroyed by fire.

Marsh fires broke out in several places in Porter county, Ind., and hundreds of acres of land were burned over.

A passenger train on the Southern Pacific road went from New Orleans to San Francisco in three days, two hours and 45 minutes, the fastest time ever made in the history of railroads over an equal distance.

A sweat-shop building in New York was burned and four persons perished in the flames.

An express train on the Baltimore & Ohio road was ditched at Elm Grove, W. Va., and two persons were killed and 35 were injured.

The town of Walcott, Minn., was nearly destroyed by fire, the loss being $250,000.

Two passenger trains collided at Edgeworth, Muss., and John Flaherty was killed and 20 other persons were injured and a large amount of property destroyed.

At the Crow Creek reservation near Huron, S. D., the St. Stevens' Indian mission was burned.

John D. Rockefeller gave $3,000,000 more to the University of Chicago, making the total sum of his gifts to the university $7,425,000.

The fifteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor will commence in New York city December 9.

The treasury circulation statement shows a net decrease of money in the treasury during October of $12,973,340. The total circulation in the country was $1,598,859,316, or $23.72 per capita, based on 70,378,000 population.

The president issued a proclamation naming Thursday, November 28, as Thanksgiving day.

Flames swept away nearly the entire business portion of Anchor, Ill.

A motion at Danville, Ind., for a new trial for Rev. William E. Hinshaw, convicted of wife murder, was overruled.

Lieuts. D. L. Wilson, N. J. Halpine, Houston Ridredge and Chief Engineer E. A. Magee were placed on the retired list of the navy.

Simpson's cotton mill at Morristown, Pa., erected 65 years ago and owned by Dean & Mitchell, was destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000.

President Cleveland appointed James B. Angell, of Michigan; John E. Russell, of Massachusetts, and Lyman E. Cooley, of Illinois, as commissioners to make inquiry and report upon the feasibility of a deep water canal between the great lakes and the Atlantic ocean.

A fire that broke out in the Powers grand opera house destroyed an entire block in the business center of Decatur, Ill., the total loss being $500,000.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 4th was: Wheat, 52,990,000 bushels; corn, 4,854,000 bushels; oats, 4,999,000 bushels; rye, 1,064,000 bushels; barley, 3,373,000 bushels.

The Litchfield (Ill.) Car and Machine company went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $168,000.

Seven students of the German theological seminary at Bloomfield, N. J., were expelled for hazing.

Sergeant Matthew M. Wolff, of Company B, 23d regiment, U. S. A., died suddenly at Dallas, Tex., from hydrophobia, resulting from the bite of a cat.

The United States Leather company of New York shut down for 60 days the 100 tanneries under its control, throwing 15,000 persons out of work.

Ida Gaskin, aged 11 years, was assaulted and murdered in Omaha by three young men, who were under arrest.

An ordinance was passed forbidding the sale of cigarettes or cigarette paper inside the city limits of Eureka, Ill.

Albert England (colored), who stole $25 worth of goods from a store at Beebe, Ark., was taken from officers by a mob and shot to death.

James Haffa, of Philadelphia, committed suicide at Niagara Falls by jumping from the Goat island bridge into the rapids.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Jack Dempsey, the ex-champion middle weight pugilist, died in Portland, Ore., of consumption, aged 33 years.

Lieut. Leonard M. Prince, Second infantry, U. S. A., died in Chicago from injuries received in a football game at Annapolis, Md., in 1892.

Republicans of the 54th congress will meet in Washington on the 30th inst. to nominate a speaker, clerk, doorkeeper, sergeant at arms, postmaster and chaplain for the house.

Wilton Dimock Mott, editor and proprietor of the Milford (Pa.) Dispatch and associate judge of Pike county, died at the age of 42 years.

Eugene Field, poet and humorist, died of heart disease at his residence in Buena Park, a Chicago suburb, aged 45 years.

Mrs. Coleman, of Galesville, Minn., celebrated her 100th birthday anniversary by being admitted to full membership in the Presbyterian church at that place.

Mrs. Catharine O'Mara, aged 103, died at Rock Island, Ill.

FOREIGN.

The government of Brazil discovered a plot to restore the monarchy in that republic. The headquarters of the conspiracy were in San Paulo.

Advices from China say that 60 miners were killed by an explosion of fire damp in a coal mine near Hankow, and that 943 houses were destroyed by fire at Nemuroin.

The Spanish cabinet agreed on plans for fortifying Havana, Matanzas and other Cuban ports.

The Swiss federal council gave a farewell dinner at Berne to Mr. J. O. Broadhead, the retiring United States minister.

A severe and prolonged earthquake shock was felt in Rome, Italy. Many houses swayed badly, walls were cracked and other damage was done.

Advices from Cuba say that fully 5,000 men joined the insurgents from Matanzas province in the last month.

Francis M. Hatch, minister of foreign affairs, was appointed Hawaiian minister to Washington.

The Garibaldi monument at Milan, Italy, was unveiled with imposing ceremonies.

The abstract of cases and deaths from cholera in Japan, covering 12 principal cities, shows 19,554 fatalities out of 28,475 persons attacked.

At Texacapa, a small town in Mexico inhabited by Indians and Mestizos (half-breeds), ten persons were burned as heretics by order of the town judge, who claimed he was acting according to the will of God.

One-half of the village of Lancaster, Ont., was wiped out of existence by fire.

Five leaders of the Ku Cheng missionary massacre were executed at Foo Chow, China.

The rebellion of the Dingans in the northwest portion of China was extending and now embraced the whole of the province of Kansu.

The Turkish government again instructed the officials at Bitlis to protect the American missionaries at that place.

Reports from the Santa Catarina district in Mexico state that a slight shock of earthquake was followed by the sinking of large areas of ground.

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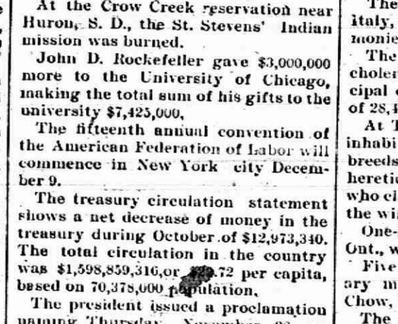

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ADVENTURES IN ARCTIC ASIA.

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Departure from San Francisco. Fifty-seven days in the bay village of Kamchatkan village of Petropavlovsk. Kamchatkan scenery and flowers. The Russian Language, with a few illustrations. A horseback ride through the Kamchatkan peninsula. The first great storm of winter. Lost in the Sanranka mountains. Three days in the wilderness without food. Terrible with the wandering Koraks. Korak hospitality and domestic economy. A Korak wedding. Religious incantations of the Korak "shamans." The murder of the evil and sicks. Camp life in winter on the great Siberian steppes. Effects of intense cold. The Siberian "winter dress. Arrival at Anadyrsk. Improvising as American flag. Social life on the Arctic Circle. A Siberian dancing party, with illustrations of Siberian dance music. A midnight search for a lost party. Narrow escape from death. Sunset of a winter night. Loneliness and monotony of Arctic life. Methods of passing away the time. Winter amusements. Astronomical lectures to native audiences. An American saint in Siberia. Native opponents of American progress. The circulation of "American" newspapers in Arctic Asia. A magnificent display of the Arctic aurora. A disappointment of our enterprise, and return to America.

And this is what the Boston Evening Transcript says about it:

The first of George Kennan's course of lectures under the auspices of the Boston Press Club, was given last evening in Tremont Temple. Mr. Kennan's voice is of a pleasing quality, and apparently without effort he filled the large hall, every word being distinctly heard by those in the rear seats. The subject was 'Adventures in Arctic Asia.' The lecturer gave a remarkably interesting account of his first visit to Siberia as a member of the first exploring party of the Russo-American Telegraph Expedition. The summer beauty of Kamchatkan scenery was described in a charming way, and the customs of the people of that little-known country were explained. The horrors of a winter in that desolate land were vividly portrayed, and a graphic account given of a successful search for a lost party. Mr. Kennan's description of the aurora borealis was a wonderful bit of word painting, and at its close the audience burst into applause. The Russian songs given by Mr. Kennan caused much amusement; his humorous account of some incidents in his travels and of the intricacies of the Russian language created much laughter, which alternated with the intensity of interest in the other parts of the lecture.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[illegible] entire council. Minutes of [illegible] meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

[illegible] committee on electric [illegible] reported that committee [illegible] made several inspections of the [illegible] lighting of the village and that [illegible] were not giving proper service and that committee determined that they were not receiving proper attention, nor were they lighted early enough each evening that they had conferred with the manager of the Electric company who had promised that better service would be given, but that committee were unable to see any improvement in the service. Committee would recommend that their bill for lights for month of October be referred to committee and that same be not paid until company comply with the terms of their contract, and that clerk be instructed to draw his order for same when so instructed by committee. Moved that the above report of committee be accepted and that recommendation be adopted. Supported. Carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICES.

Sexton's report for October, presented, showing three adult interments, three lots sold, $120.00 collected for same, and $3.00 vault rent and interment fees collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for October presented, showing village team labor 23 days and one dollar poll tax collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

The village treasurer presented the following report as to taxes collected and amount of money on hand:

Total amount of taxes on assessment roll,	$9,395.40
Total amount collected,	$9,330.65
Returned to county treasurer as unpaid:	
Wallace B. Chaffee,	1.40
Croswell & Cooley,	.70
Miss Esterbrook,	1.75
Ella McCaughn,	8.75
Abijah Packard estate,	2.80
Tecumseh Mfg. Co.,	46.20
Refunded by council,	
Mrs. A. Mangus,	3.15
Total,	$9,395.40
Total amount on hand Nov. 4th, 1895,	
General fund,	$4,837.95
Water fund,	50.65
Cemetery fund,	297.51
Total,	$5,186.11

Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Report and recommendation from village marshal referred to committee on ordinances.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: W. J. Ingersoll, supplies, $1.95; C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, supplies, $81.10, supplies for cemetery, $16.95; A. Park, labor, $2.70; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for October and two new incandescent lamps, $217.72. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills excepting that of Tecumseh Electric Co., which was referred to committee on electric lighting, the clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Certain ordinances relative to licenses and speed of railway trains through the village were presented and referred to committee on ordinance with instructions to report thereon at next meeting.

Chief of the fire department appeared before the council and recommended that A. Harding be paid a reasonable amount for drawing hose wagon to fire on October 26th during absence of fire department team, and that council fix some amount that will be paid to any drayman drawing hose wagon to a fire in the absence of fire department team. Also, that he would request that a swinging harness be purchased for fire department.

Moved and supported that A. Harding be paid the sum of $2.00 for drawing hose wagon to fire October 26th. Carried.

RESOLVED: That any drayman drawing hose wagon to any fire, upon request of fire department in absence of fire department team, will be paid a reasonable amount therefor. Carried.

Recommendation of chief of fire department for swinging harness referred to committee on fire department with instructions to report at next meeting.

Moved that marshal be, and hereby is, instructed to enforce the village ordinance relative to boys catching on moving trains while passing through the village. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned until November 11th, 1895, at seven o'clock p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

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Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 9-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon to accrue, costs of this foreclosure and sale, including the attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH RUSSELL,
Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Jay A. Santus, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of George Exelby, alleging, among other things, that he is a principal creditor of said deceased, and that more than thirty days have elapsed since the death of said Jay A. Santus and no one interested in said estate have applied for administration upon said estate, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cornelius Exelby or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 25th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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When the reporter called upon him he was engaged in active work about his house, something which he has not been able to do with any freedom for years. He gave the following story, which is well worth perusal:

"I was wounded and sent to the hospital at Winchester during the war. They sent me together with a batch of wounded to Washington. Having no room in the box cars we were placed face up on the bottom of flat cars. The sun beat down upon our unprotected heads. We rode about one hundred miles in this fashion. When I reached Washington I was insensible and was unconscious for ten days while in the hospital. An abscess gathered in my ear and broke; it has been gathering and breaking ever since. Since I took Pink Pills the matter discharged has been very small in quantity and is steadily decreasing. The sharp, knife-like pains have almost left me entirely and my head feels clear as a bell, where before it continually felt as though it would burst. The sunstroke which befel me on that one hundred-mile ride brought on heart disease, nervous prostration and insomnia. I had that terrible sinking feeling at the heart and at times would faint dead away. I became fearfully nervous and any steady mental effort was absolutely impossible. I could not sleep at nights, and many a time have I got up out of bed and walked the floor with my body racked with pain unable to find relief. No one knows how I suffered. In addition to this six years ago rheumatism fastened upon me and I could not shake it off. I went to a doctor. I bought patent medicines; I tried nearly every remedy with no good effect. As a last resort I purchased a box of Pink Pills, and it helped me to such a degree that I procured another and still another, until up to the present time I have bought in all seven boxes. My rheumatism is gone, my heart failure, dyspepsia, and constipation are about gone, and my once shattered nervous system is now nearly sound. Look at those fingers," Mr. Edwards said, "do they look as if there was any rheumatism there?" He moved his fingers rapidly and freely and strode about the room like a young boy. "A year ago those fingers were gnarled at the joints and so stiff that I could not hold a pen. My knees would swell up and I could not straighten my leg out. My joints would squeak when I moved them. That is the living truth.

"When I came to think that I was going to be crippled with rheumatism, together with the rest of my ailments, I tell you life seemed not worth living. I used to drop a pencil, knife, spoon, or any article which I had in my hands, my crippled and nervous fingers refusing to retain their hold. I suffered from dejection. I cannot begin to tell you," said Mr. Edwards, as he drew a long breath, "what my feeling is at present. I think if you lifted ten years right off my life and left me young and vigorous at forty-seven I could feel no better. I was an old man and could only drag myself painfully about the house. Now I can walk out without any trouble. That is how I continued Mr. Edwards, "would be sufficient to give me cause for rejoicing, but when you come to consider that I am no longer what you might call nervous and that my heart is apparently nearly healthy and that I can sleep nights, you may realize why I may appear to speak in extravagant praise of Pink Pills.

"I know that if I had not taken that first box of Pink Pills that to-day I would have been one of the most wretched of men. There were years when I would not sleep more than an hour or two a day. Do you realize what that means? My nerves were like aspens, subject to the slightest shock. That was due to sunstroke. Those pills quiet my nerves, take that awful pressure from my head and at the same time enrich my blood. There seemed to be no circulation in my lower limbs a year ago, my legs being cold and clammy at times. Now the circulation there is as full and as brisk as in any other part of my body. I have regained color, such as I have not had in many years. Why, do you know, I used to be so light-headed and dizzy from my nervous disorder that I frequently fell while crossing the floor of the house. I could not walk a straight line upon a sidewalk, and I was afraid that people that think me intoxicated. I do not fall any more and I can walk straight. That's another thing I owe to Pink Pills. Every spring I fall ill was in very poor health. Spring coming on and I never felt better in my life. I am looking forward to a long season of work.

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We reached Civita Vecchia that night and after getting into the slums of the city and being fairly mobbed by the roughest element in Italy we found a respectable lodging and sleep. Early in the morning we started on to make Rome that morning. The famous old Aurelian Way was our road, and at first in the dawning hour with the sea by our side, and the black rocks with slimy seaweed, now a charming villa and again an old ruin, we thought our woes were over but soon we left the sea, rocks and villas and entered upon the barren Roman campagna. The dust was terrible, the heat "tirriblissimi" and hills unintermitten. The land near Rome waves into huge billows and they break at last in the seven historic hills. Hill after hill we toiled up, coasted for a brief moment and then struggled up again. Sisyphus and the stone he rolled up hill, which always rolled down again, isn't a parallel to the actual fact of pushing a bicycle up the hills in the infernal plains about Rome. Sweat rolled from us until our veins seemed as dry as the dust about us. There was no water to be had. No houses, no towns, no ruins (even they have vanished from that forlorn region) no people; all we could see on the horizon was St. Peter's dome and that seemed a mirage so long we were in reaching it. The man who wrote poetry about this campagna deserves the lowest round in Dante's purgatory. We wished more than once that the geese had not saved Rome. We had for the first time implicit faith in the Romulus and Remus and the wolf story. Nothing but a she wolf would abide in such desolateness and she would take care of the boys just for sociability. These are the thoughts we indulged in before seeing the city but the last hill was climbed and the Niobe of nations was before us. We shouted for joy and thrilled with triumph. We felt as great, as proud, and as exalted as ever Caesar returning from his victories. The marble wilderness was ours; belonged to our eyes at least.

Battle, flood, time and fire have worked upon the city's wonders; so too the Vandal and the Christian; but where they have obliterated a work of art, they have left history, romance and legend until memory and imagination are overwhelmed by the demands upon them. But I should be writing in blank verse if I continued this strain long. You know what we saw in Rome. One without imagination would see little more than a quasry in the Forum, three huge old water tanks in the Pantheon and Coleseum and Mausoleum of Hadrian, and an old church with about half a mile of useless colums in a circle around the front dooryard, would adequately describe St. Peters for him. Well we had imagination and we grew poetic, bombastic and eloquent at the proper times. We got ambitious and ascended St. Peter's dome and you arn't very far from the owners Golden Gate when you are at the top. The guidebook makes you chase around after a lot of fountains, and old remains of walls. Then we did the Sistine chapel, a room like a huge coffin box and fully as dark and gruesome, but with some of the world's rarest gems painted upon the walls. Likewise the Vatican and its sculpture and painting.

Our hotel in Rome, when the name and situation are translated, was the "Hotel of the Sun," in the plaza of Paradise. Now when we were driven out of Paradise we went to Naples, and that is the devil's own city. After getting our bikes on board of the "Werra," the boat on which we were to retun to America, we spent a day in Naples. We had made a duty deposit on our wheels when we etered Italy and were to get it back when we should leave. Such a time as we had getting that money. Every custom house officer told us to go to somebody else, and at last I was ordered to get the signiture of an officer who was somewhere in the bay of Naples. There were only 5,000 boats and ships there. I got the services of an oarsman who knew the officer and we started upon our quest. He rowed around every individual boat in Naples' bay but we did not find the officer. Then I became desperate and told a head officer at the custom house that it was an outrage to daily so about a plain matter and I made some vague threats about the U. S. counsul. Thereupon he signed my paper, which he might have done three hours before, and I received my money. Then we began sight-seeing. In Naples that consists chiefly in watching the people. Boys as old as twelve roll in the dirt, naked, in the street. Older boys have a rag which passes over the shoulder and holds up a pair of trousers which have neither definite division for the legs or the completeness of a skirt. In Naples your business is everybody's business. If you turn a corner someone runs and grasps your shoulder and with frantic gesticulations informs you that that isn't the way. "The way to what?" you ask. "Why where you are going." "But I am going anywhere," you reply. "Well, that isn't the way anyhow." In the early morning on the following day we saw milkmen going around with cans and goats and milking them before the doors of customers. Gladly we escaped the dirt, vice and annoyance of Naples and boarded the tender which soon conveyed us to the "Werra."

From the deck as the boat left the bay we took a last look at Vesuivius smoking tranquilly in the distance. passed the isle of Capri and soon, except the faint blue of the mountainous coast, there was nothing but that marvelous scintillating blue of the Mediterranean all about us. Night came and passed and with the dawn we began to see the faint line of that beautiful Riviera, the coast which flanks Genoa east and west. Soon we were entering the bay amid a forest of masts and a wilderness of cranes and through the web of cordage we could see Genoa with its white buildings and dirt. It is built upon a mountain-side and from the sea looks like half of a great amphitheatre. There we lay three days, and with the ship as our stronghold we, in company with two other American boys, made sallies up into Genoa where we saw Columbus' monument and innumerable palaces and made life a burden for backmen, whom we never intended to patronize, but with whom we haggled and bartered then decided not to indulge, to their disgust. Then the hour of departure, and throngs of fat and greasy Genoese came to the wharf to see their friends in the steerage sail. We got out to sea at mid-day and that evening, could you endure the discription of just one more sunset? As the sun disappeared the whole sea from the horizon to the vessel's side had a robe of gold. Above this was a red stained cloud. Then almost magically the golden robe was withdrawn and soon was as enchantingly spread. This in time seemed torn into strips and between the lines of gold were lines of cerulean blue. Finally the wind seemed to blow away the film and that soft Mediterranean blue lay like a richly brocaded silk. In the sky there was a gold rayed fan upon which colors came and went as if vibrations of the pendulum of beauty. There it wasn't so bad; or did you skip it?

We passed the Balearic Islands with their rocky, seamed and convoluted cliffs. The shores look as crude as if just from the Creator's hand. Then the coast of Spain, a stern and rocky succession of headland, presenting a dark, rude and forbodding shore, and behind were snow capped mountains. Africa too was sighted at last; a long low shore rising just opposite Gibralter to a mountain peak. Gibralter itself is a stupendous rock which we approached from the rear and then rounded to where we saw the long stone seawall and the white and yellow houses above it, on above, burned vegetations and at the summit the broken ledge of the lofty ridge. The boat stopped five or six hours there and then set sail for America.

We began to make acquaintances and worried out the creeping hours studying them. There was the lady who wanted a "price list of the passengers" and whose sympathy went out to the steward in the following beautiful phrase "I should think the waiters would get tired a bringin of grubs to the womins." Then the baby faced innocent man who isn't helpless at all, but he insists that he is. He had crossed a dozen times and yet couldn't sleep nights for fear the boat was going down. He wondered why the motion of the screw wasn't utilized for making ice cream or butter. "All it does now is to make this boat go," he added naively. A great cause of the sea was the water in it; so he wisely concluded. This fellow was always "surprised" and "dead with fright" at every new event on board. He called all the men waiters "Marys" and some "queer Marys." He had lived everywhere four years, and when we passed among the Azores he described his dwelling in each village that we sighted on the island shores. Then there was the ship's band which tortured us from early morn till dewy eve. They did not mind whether they were in time as long as they made noise enough. I must tell how there were four women and two parrots in one state room, and then set my friend and myself safely on land, and thank you for watching our travels with kindly interest, and close. C. H. VANTYNE.

THE STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

How Michigan Cares for Her Dependent and Neglected Children.

The State Public School, for the care of the dependent, neglected and ill-treated children of Michigan, is an institution of which the people of Michigan may well be proud. It has solved the financial problem of taking care of these children, and as a protective measure against pauperism, vice and crime, its value to the public is immeasurable. Before its foundation there was no place for the children thrown upon public charge, except the county houses, where they were necessarily under the debasing influence of pauperism and vice. At a time in their lives when impressions received are most lasting, they were thrown among those whose influence is almost uniformly bad, and their young lives were thus blighted.

The establishment of the State Public School marked an epoch in the child life of Michigan. The state assumes the right to the guardianship of those children who are dependent, neglected or ill-treated, and cares for them by furnishing them a temporary home at the school where, by means of perfect physical comfort and healthful moral training, they are led to forget their old life and become prepared to take their places with their more fortunate fellows in the families and public schools throughout the state. Before admission to the school they have known little of comfort and happiness. Their residence there, short though it usually is, gives them a new idea of life and they have no desire to return to the old manner of living. The price of admission is dependence or ill-treatment, and the qualifications are that they shall be between one and twelve years of age and sound mentally and physically. They are not tainted with crime.

Since the opening of the institution in 1874, nearly 3,500 children have been received and cared for. There are now in the institution about 200, and over 1,300 are with good families throughout the state and under the supervision of the school. The others have passed out from under the school's control. Those with families are placed on contracts which provide for their proper care and education.

Is it not probable that there are many in this vicinity who would gladly take one or more of these children into their homes and make them their own?

The best selections are boys from 4 to 8 years of age, and it is believed that the homes would be blessed fully as much as the children by taking the children into them.

Any information desired may be had by addressing A. J. Murray, Superintendent, Coldwater, Mich., or Joseph R. Bennett, agent for Lenawee county, Adrian, Mich.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, EXECUTIVE OFFICE.

To the People of the State of Michigan, Greeting:

In pursuance of a time-honored custom, I do hereby appoint Thursday, November 28th, as a day of general thanksgiving. The people of this state are requested on this day to abstain from the ordinary avocations of life and devote the day to exercises and recreation appropriate to the occasion.

It is a good time to forgive offenses, to gather the family together, to forget or suspend differences of opinion in relation to politics, religion and beliefs, to remember the needy, to do kind deeds and return thanks for blessings enjoyed.

Given under my hand, etc.

JOHN T. RICH.

By the Governor,
WASHINGTON GARDNER,
Secretary of State.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who assisted in our recent bereavement.

MRS. HENRY BROWN AND FAMILY.

Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta during the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

JACKSON SMITH, Div. Pass. Agt, Cincinnati, O.
C. P. ATMORE, Gen'l Pass Agt. Louisville, Ky.

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GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

RULES OF WHIST.

If you the modern game of whist would know,
From this great principle its precepts flow:
Treat your own hand as to your partner's joined.
And play, not one alone, but both combined.
Your first lead make your partner understand
What is the chief component of your hand;
And hence there is necessity the strongest
That your first lead be from your suit that's longest.
In this with ace and king, lead king then ace;
With king and queen, king also has; first place;
With ace, queen, knave, lead ace and then the queen;
With ace, four small ones, ace should first be seen.
With queen, knave, ten, you let the queen precede;
In other cases, you the lowest lead.
Ere you return your friend's your own suit play
But trumps you must return without delay.
When you return your partner's lead, take pains
To lead him back the best your hand contains,
If you receive not more than three at first:
If you had more, you may return the worst.
But if you hold the master card, you're bound
In most cases to play it second round.
Whene'er you want a lead, 'tis seldom wrong
To lead up to the weak or through the strong.
If second hand, your lowest should be played,
Unless you mean "trump signal" to be made;
Or if you've king or queen, or ace and king,
Then one of these will be the proper thing.
Mind well the rules for trumps, you'll often need them:
When you hold five 'tis always right to lead them;
Or if the lead won't come in time to you,
Then signal to your partner so to do.
Watch for your partner's trump request,
To which, with less than four, play out your best.
To lead through honors turned up is bad play,
Unless you want the trump suit cleared away,
When second hand a doubtful trick you see,
Don't trump it if you have more trumps than three:
But having three or less trump fearlessly.
When weak in trumps yourself, don't force your friend:
But always force the adverse strong trump hand.
For sequences, stern custom has decreed,
The lowest you must play if you don't lead.
When you discard, weak suits you ought to choose,
For strong ones are too valuable to lose.

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SHE WAS IN TRAINING.

"What's the matter with Mabel?" asked the girl in blue. "I never see her in society any more."

"I think she has gone into training," replied the girl in pink.

"Into training!" exclaimed the girl in blue.

"Yes. I understand young Mr. Tillotton has jilted her and she is dieting in order to show the ravages of blighted affection when the time comes to sue him for breach of promise or something of that sort. Mabel is a very thoughtful and painstaking girl."—Chicago Post.

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DANGEROUS GROUND.

Hicks—"What made you run out of that jewelry store the other day when the policeman came in?"

Wicks—"Why, there was any quanlity of wedding and engagement rings there."

Hicks—"What of that?"

Wicks—"What of that! Don't you know they can arrest a fellow for being present where there are gambling implements?"—Boston Transcript.

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The doctor is a gentleman of elegant presence and ministerial bearing and is often mistaken for a clergyman. A good story was related of him some time ago by the Chicago News. Being in Chicago one day the doctor stepped into a hat store to make a purchase and having selected a shining galgatha, asked the price. "Seven dollars," answered the clerk. The doctor placed his hand on the clerk's shoulder and observed solemnly, "My friend, that's a little high." "You are a clergyman, are you not?" asked the clerk. The doctor nodded ministerially. "Then I can let you have it for six dollars." The doctor hesitated. "It is rather shiny for my plain people." "O, no; just the thing," chirped the clerk. "Well," resumed the doctor, as he "tawed" over the cash, "I'll take it, and if my congregation don't like it they can go to ——."

The Historic Route.

The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis R'y, the model railroad of the South in equipment, roadway and service, is also the greatest in historical interest, more than fifty famous battlefields and five national cemeteries being located on the various lines of this system. This is the preferred route to Atlanta for the Cotton States and International Exposition, open from September 18, to December 31, 1895, for which very low excursion rates have been made. Through sleeping car service from St. Louis to Atlanta via Evansville, Nashville and Chattanooga. This is the route of the famous Dixie Flyer through sleeping car line which runs the year round between Nashville and Jacksonville, Fla. For further information, address Briard F. Hill, 248 Marquette Building, Chicago, Ill., or R. C. Cowardin, Western Passenger Agent, Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis, Mo., or D. J. Mullaney, Pass Agt., 39 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

W. L. DANLEY, G. P. & T. A.,
Nashville, Tenn.

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ATTORNEYS

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 23, 1895.

Mrs. George Walters has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Grant Schreder has been on the sick list the past week.

Len W. Kimball returned from his Chicago trip Saturday night.

Lawyer Gillespie made a professional visit to the county seat Monday.

D. H. Haggert was in Adrian Monday on business in the probate court.

Jean Marsteller returned Monday night from a visit with Ohio friends.

Miss Dena Doaner, of Adrian, is the guest of Ed. Semark's family this week.

The Baptist society gave a supper at the church parlors Tuesday afternoon.

Chas. Stoner, of Tate & Stoner, went to Buffalo with two deck of hogs Saturday.

George Runyan and wife visited relatives in Woodstock a few days last week.

Will Hause and wife have moved into D. W. Bainbridge's house on Locust street.

Melvin Sutfin is painting the interior of the store soon to be occupied by G. D. Ellis.

The Campbell auction was largely attended, and the sale was very satisfactory all around.

F. B. Greenleaf has been having a severe attack of Pneumonia, but is on the gain now.

Irve Hause has moved from the Priest house to Mrs. Wastell's house on West Chicago street.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold Thanksgiving services at this place next Thursday morning.

Mrs. Martha Camburn, of Macon, visited her daughter Mrs. Will Niblack, the first of the week.

George R. Brown's condition still continues very serious and his friends are very anxious about him.

The show given by the Dan Rice Specialty Co. was very rocky, we learn by those who were present.

Fred Bostedor and family of Eaton Rapids are making their relatives and friends of this vicinity a visit.

Tom McGuire left for Toledo Saturday, where he has secured a position. His friends wish him success.

Henry Jacobs made a business trip to Toledo the first of the week and made his friends a little visit as well.

Rev. P. J. Ternes, of St. Josephs church Adrian will exchange pulpits with Rev. Frederic Heidenreich next Sunday.

Miss Kate McNally who attended the wedding of her sister at Grand Rapids recently returned home Saturday last.

The Jubilee Singers were greeted by a very large and appreciative audience Tuesday evening, and they gave a fine entertainment.

Geo. A. Kies left Monday night for a business trip through the northern part of the state. He expects to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. Fanny Huntoon has taken the position with the Clinton Provision Co. made vacant by the departure of Minnie Humphrey to Toledo.

E. L. Clapp's team indulged in another run away Tuesday noon. They started from the Clinton Plow Company's plant. But little damage was done.

Walt Osborn of Tecumseh, came up Saturday to see his father-in-law, Geo. R. Brown, since which time he has been very ill from heart trouble.

"Chris" believes in having a cage before getting a bird, consequently has the Fenn house on East Chicago street very prettily and completely furnished.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner is now clerking for Ed. at Tecumseh. She went down last week to take the place of Mont Rowland who has gone to Chicago.

Keep in remembrance the Episcopal fair at Town Hall December 12th. You will be sure to find something not only useful but elegant for Christmas presents.

Miss Mary Murphy visited her sister, Mrs. Fanny Wilder, at Adrian over Sunday. She attended the confirmation and other services at the Catholic churches.

James Keboe, daughter Alice and Tessie Sullivan spent last Sunday at Adrian. Miss Alice was one of those confirmed by Fishop Foley at St. Mary's Catholic church.

VanTuyle Brothers do not confine their business entirely to their home community, but are branching out over a large territory. They shipped a car of hogs from Grass Lake Saturday.

The game of foot-ball Saturday resulted in a decided victory for Tecumseh, they scoring three touch-downs, making the score 12 to 0. It was a very pretty game notwithstanding the unexpected result.

Henry Lancaster had the misfortune to lose a fine Banker mare. She was taken sick Sunday while driving to Ogden, they finally got her home, but all efforts to relieve her were unavailing and she died Monday.

The funeral of Conrad Berg, who died of consumption at his home east of town Friday, was held at the residence Sunday morning at 7:30, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell officiating. The remains were taken to Ogden for interment.

Monday was the birthday of Mrs. James B. Wells and the event was duly celebrated by an elegant family dinner at her cosy home on Church street. None but relatives were present save Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith. It also being Mrs. Smith's birthday the two being the same age. It was a very pleasant occasion.

Miss Minnie Humphrey left yesterday for Toledo, where she will take the position of book-keeper for Shurtz Brothers, who have an extensive market on St. Clair street. Minnie will be greatly missed, not only by her relatives and the members of St. Dominic's church, where she has not only been organist and leader of the music, but a great worker in all departments of church work, but by the entire community, among whom she is a general favorite. The best wishes of all accompany her to her new field of labor and it is hoped the change will be to her benefit every way.

Miss Alma Swift brought her visit among old friends to a close last Saturday. She spent Sunday with Jackson friends and left Monday for her home in Greenville.

Miss Eva VanTuyle, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Woodward when they moved to Hudson some weeks ago, returned home Friday last. She is well pleased with the city and expects to return after a visit with home friends.

Tuesday morning at an early hour, Rev. T. H. Warner at his residence, pronounced the all important words which united in marriage two of our most popular young people, George Jacobs and Cora Ward. After the wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, they left on the morning train for Detroit and other points. It is expected they will reside at Plymouth, Mich., where George will engage in the bakery business. While we regret to lose them from our community, they have the best wishes of one and all and the people of Plymouth are to be congratulated for their coming among them to reside.

George R. Brown feeling that, on account of advanced age and feeble condition, he wished to be relieved from business cares, recently disposed of his real estate among his children. His division was most satisfactory and equitable. Thomas receives the homestead farm; Alexander, that part of the VanDeMark farm lying west of the road; Horace, the land lying on the east side of the road, with sufficient means to erect a house and barn, and Mrs. M. R. King receives the residence and lots in town. This transaction is in keeping with Mr. B.'s life-long custom of having his affairs in shape for any emergency.

Sunday morning about church time, Jackson street was the scene of great excitement. Mrs. Chris Saley and daughter Martha were coming to church, as was also Mrs. Al VanGeison and two children. When near the residence of Mrs. House, Mrs. VanGeison turned out to go by Mrs. Saley, but her calculations were faulty, in some way one thill struck the top of the Saley carriage penetrating it and overturning the carriage, throwing the occupants violently to the ground. Mrs. VanGeison's horse became frightened, wheeled around and ran towards home. When reaching Charles Strum's corner, the horse turned west and taking to the south side of the street struck a tree and overturned the carriage. Neither Mrs. VanGeison or children were injured, but the others were not so fortunate. Mrs. Saley was found to be unconscious and it was feared she was injured internally, and Miss Martha received an ugly cut over the eye. Dr. White attended to the sufferers and shortly after they were removed to their home. Aside from the top no damage was done to the Saley carriage, but VanGeison's was badly wrecked. It was fortunate that the result was not more serious.

ONSTED ODDS.

Very nice weather for fall.

Fred Mashie has gone to Minnesota.

J. F. Brooks' new house is nearly ready for occupancy.

Alfred Onsted became pa to a three pound infant recently.

Lem Shuler has been confined at home with a very lame back.

E. Stoddard, of Eaton Rapids, is at present visiting bereabouts.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Aldrich called on friends at Brooklyn last Saturday.

The members of Finch Lodge No. 407 will hold their next regular meeting, Nov. 27th.

William Ryther has gone to work with the bridge builders on a new railroad near Lima.

The ladies of the church here will serve a dinner at the church parlors on Thanksgiving day.

Lyman Randall an old veteran of the First Michigan Engineers and Mechanics was buried last Sunday.

Rev. Hawley, of Brooklyn, will deliver another of his interesting sermons next Sunday at the Grange hall.

Oscar Laughlin came out from Dakota the other day to visit among friends and to accompany his wife home.

Alex Linton the young man that met with an accident a few days ago on the railroad seems to be on the road to recovery.

John Cassidy who has worked for John Maxwell during the past season returned to his home in Clinton county last week.

Frank Sage started in Monday to work at the forge in J. W. Russell's new blacksmith shop that he has built adjoining his repair shop, by the creek.

The order of the Eastern Star which was organized nearly a year ago has been granted a charter and the members are happy. They have enlarged their membership very much during the past year and the future is very promising for the order.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 2

Hunters' Rates.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines are selling Hunters' Tickets to all points in the hunting territory at hunters' rates. See Ohio Central agents. tf

No Humbug.

Foley's Honey and Tar does not claim to perform miracles. It does not claim to cure all cases of consumption or asthma. But it does claim to give comfort and relief in advanced stages of these diseases and to usually cure early stages. It is certainly worth trying by those afflicted or threatened with these dread diseases. 50c. Orr & Temple. Nov

The electric hearse has appeared in Milan.

The soothing, healing effects of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is felt almost instantly. There is no other cough medicine that combines so many virtues. Sold by all dealers. 1w

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Mrs. Conrad Naumann spent last week in Ann Arbor.

Messrs. Yocum and Marx are in N. Y. city, on business this week.

Miss Ella Rose is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Virgil Peck, in Grass Lake.

William Burtless started on a business trip to Chicago last Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin went to Clinton for a short visit last week Friday.

The pastime of the children just at present is learning to walk on stilts.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Loyd, died on Friday the 15th, aged one week.

Mrs. Harry Burtis, of Jackson, visited Mrs. T. J. Farrell, from Friday until Monday.

J. G. English, Albert and Lucy English attended the R. R. L. M., at Macon last Saturday.

The C. Banyoun jubilee singers gave an entertainment at Arbeiter hall on Monday evening. The proceeds went toward the M. E. church building fund.

Rev. J. W. Scott, formerly pastor of the M. E. church, is spending the week among his former parishoners and friends. He occupied the M. E. pulpit on the Sabbath.

Mrs. D. F. Gilberts, of Fort Wayne, Ind., who came here to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowers, started on her way home on Saturday, stopping to visit in Jackson and in Lafayette, Ind.

The reopening services at the M. E. church will take place on Sunday, Nov. 24th. Sermon at 10:30 a. m., by presiding elder, L. P. Davis, D. D. At 2:00 p. m., Rev. D. R. Shier, of Marine City, will preach. In the evening Dr. Cobern, of Ann Arbor, will occupy the pulpit.

CROSS-EXAMINATION

Could Not Weaken Such Testimony As This.

(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

The following statement is one of great interest to many a citizen of Kalamazoo and a man as well known as Mr. Wallace should carry more than ordinary weight with our readers. Here it is as taken down by our representative:

"My name is John A. Wallace. I am a member of the firm of J. A. Wallace & Co., doing business as tinners, etc., at 106 Eleanor Street, Kalamazoo, in which city I also reside. For the past nine or ten months I have been having attacks of kidney complaint, the pain in my back over my hips was very severe at times; my urinary system was also in a bad state of derangement, sometimes the urine was scanty and then again the amount would be excessive, and a difficulty of passage always existed. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills at a time when I felt that I was going to be sick, but their use warded off an attack, and I am now feeling very much better; the urinary organism has regained a normal condition, and the terrific pain in my back is much reduced in severity, while it is now fast going away altogether. I am continuing the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, with positive feeling that they will effect on me a permanent and speedy cure. I have unbounded confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills as a remedy for all kidney ailments; have good reason to be, as they have done so much for me."

Can you ask any more than this? Doan's Kidney Pills are relieving more backs of the burdens they have been forced to bear through the kidneys than all other means devised, and, better still, they are doing this right here in Michigan. Ask any one who has ever taken them and see what they will say.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealer's, price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

The central stations of Berlin, Germany, supply current to 146 motors, aggregating 546 horse-power, used in driving printing presses. In the same city 139 motors, aggregating 834 horse-power, are used in running elevators.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails. 1w

A good substitute for gutta-percha is prepared as follows: Tar, one part; paraffin, ten parts; dissolve together at 120 degrees, and then add caoutchouc, two parts. This should be kept at this temperature until a homogeneus mass results.

I was completely covered with sores. Every limb in my body ached. Had been sick for five years. Doctors could do me no good. Most of my time was spent in bed; was a complete wreck. Burdock Blood Bitters have completely cured me in three months. Mrs. Annie Zoepen, Crookstown, Minn. 1w

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"If taken into the head by the nostrils two or three times a week, Thomas' Electric Oil will positively relieve the most offensive case of catarrh." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y. 1w

16,000 Miles.

Always a leader, the Ohio Central Lines mileage ticket, with latest additions is the Best. Covering the Big Four, B. & O., C. H. & D., Ohio Central and innumerable other systems, it is the favorite Travelers' Companion. 4w

Three Crops a Year

Can be grown on the same land in eastern Mississippi and southern Alabama along the line of the Mobile & Ohio railroad. The summers are cooler, the winters are milder, the death rate is lower than in the north. Improved farms $10 to $15 per acre; unimproved land $3 to $5 per acre near railway stations. It is the best portion for raising fruits and early vegetables, stock raising and general farm crops. Lands are advancing; now is the time to buy. Very low rate excursions monthly. The Mobile & Ohio has put on two through fast trains each way daily between St. Louis and Mobile. It is the shortest and quickest route to the South. An illustrated pamphlet telling all about our country will be sent free to all who wish it. Apply to F. W. Greene, general agent, No. 198 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., or to E. E. Posey, general passenger agent Mobile & Ohio R'y, Mobile, Ala. tf

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah E. DeWitt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles Burridge, administrator with the will annexed, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms and conditions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitione give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

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On reading and filing the petition of Burton A. Garlinghouse, one of the executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to render their first annual account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 9th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 28th day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Jay A. Santus, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of George Exelby, alleging, among other things, that he is a principal creditor of said deceased, and that more than thirty days have elapsed since the death of said Jay A. Santus and no one interested in said estate have applied for administration upon said estate, and praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cornelius Exelby or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 25th day of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to Joseph Russell all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three (3) east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal annual instalments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 91 of Mortgages, on page 731, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof, or any instalment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 9-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon to accrue, costs of this foreclosure and sale, including the attorney fee provided by law, I shall, on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH RUSSELL, Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Mortgagee.

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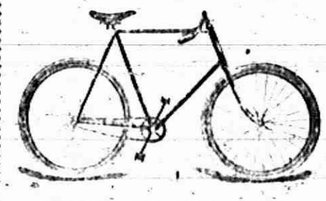

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Cold damp and muddy.

Please bring us some wood.

Clarence Lowe shot the deer.

See Lenardson Bros. ad. on the first page.

Mr. Weisinger was in town Monday on business.

Herb Cranshaw was in Toledo from Friday till Monday.

Wm. Swick commenced doing business at the elevator last Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Cunningham, of Andover, N. Y., is the guest of her nephew, Dr. Hardy.

Eugene Zeluff and wife spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeluff.

Mrs. Jack Grady and family were the guests of Mrs. C. B. Exelby one day last week.

Rumor has it that a number of our most gallant young men will give a party on Thanksgiving eve.

Chas. Gorham and wife went Saturday to Wayne, Mich., for the purpose of visiting relatives there. They returned Monday night.

Seven cars of live stock passed through Monday night from the C. J. & M. en route to East Buffalo over the Wabash. Good starter for the week.

The annual donation of the Christian church will occur at the church parlors Friday evening, Nov. 6. As this will be the last donation for our pastor let us make it a good one.

John Pocklington has one of those old fashioned pets on his right hand. He is so proud of it that he will allow no one to touch it. John now draws his pay with his left hand.

The barnstorming act as exemplyfied here by the Rice agregation last Saturday night came very near being disastrous to the agregation, and was certainly so to the good sense of all who heard it.

Britton is gaining a world renowned reputation as a lumber shipping point. Geo. S. Hyde, of McBride, a lumber dealer of that place, was here Monday and shipped a car load of shingles from our station.

Last Saturday little Floyd Allen was the recipient of a very beautiful birthday present from his Grandfather Hiscock of Toledo. It was a very fine and showy variety of chrysanthemum holding 37 perfect blossoms.

Miss Frankie Earle and Chas. H. Merrill, impersonators and musical artists gave a very credible performance at Exelby hall Wednesday evening which was well attended and greatly enjoyed by our citizens.

The Assignee Clothing Sale will be continued till Dec. 1st, by request of the people of this vicinity. This is the last and only chance to get good clothing at the low figures offered at this sale. H. WILLSON,
Beasley Block, Britton, Mich.

Last week Thursday a social hop occurred on Beasley avenue. The pleasant social features of the occasion were somewhat marred by little differences of opinion between the floor manager and some of the dancers. Everything was settled easily, however, and the dance was a great success.

The ladies of the Reformed church will hold a Night Cap social at the home of C. B. Exelby, Friday eve. Nov. 22 id for the purpose of raising money for building a sidewalk and crossing to the church. Let every one turn out and help the ladies for this purpose and have a good time. Caps 20c.

Clarence Lowe and Frank Brown are home from the hunt. Frank rather pined away under the slow life of the hunter's camp. The spicy aroma of the pine needle couch and the pungent flavor of bear meat are powerful tonics to most men, but the slow life of a woodsman is fatal to one accustomed to the fierce excitement of the diamond.

Attention Knights! You have had your innings with the coffee pot, now I want to say that a coffee pot, now I long again in use, as it will still last as get rusty by standing on the stove. Keep her hot, and when it wears out, make a bigger one. There is no will atimulus for the latter end of after "review" than aroma from a pound of Java, when the old coffee pot is getting in her best licks. HARRY SMITH.

The L. O. T. M. will give an apron and cap social Wednesday, Dec. 4th, '95. During the evening a football game will take place, Mrs. Nellie Marvin and Mrs. Luella Haynes being captains of the contesting teams. After which a new game, just imported from China, will be played. A handsome prize for both winner and loser of said game, will be given. After numerous other games supper, which will consist of all the delicacies of the season. Price of admission, supper included, 25 cents.

The Lady Maccabees of Ivy Leaf Hive are fast becoming one of the most aggressive and enterprising factors in the social life of Britton. Last Wednesday they proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson and wife en masse and nicely surprised the family. Of course refreshments were found under every buggy seat, and a very pleasant time was enjoyed. If you should ever find yourself hungry in Britton, which is not likely, just hunt up and look for a L. O. T. M. They always have plenty to eat with them.

Cure of Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure in the most dreaded sick headaches and to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give the remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels. A few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Orr & Temple's drug store. 1

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To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the best wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. H. TULL, Chicago.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

G. C. Arner was home Friday night.

Call at E. J. Gould's and get prices on goods.

For gloves and mittens go to Smith & Schmidt's.

Mrs. George Gifford is still under the doctor's care.

Try our Sam Marto 30c coffee at E. J. Gould's.

H. F. Barnes and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Monroe.

Go to Smith & Schmidt for dairy supplies.

Lyman and George Pilbeam of Traverse City, are visiting friends here.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was in the village Tuesday and Wednesday.

Try E. J. Gould's Royal Garden Japan Tea at 50 cents.

J. D. Arner left Thursday eve for a three weeks visit with friends at Ithica and Ionia.

H. J. Barnes took possession of the PostOffice at the close of business Friday night.

Go to Smith & Schmidt's for your cabbage for winter use.

Rev. Cansfield of this place and Rev. Varner of Tecumseh exchange will pulpits next Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter Leila left Saturday for a week's visit with friends in Lansing.

Twenty pounds of granulated sugar for $1 at Smith & Schmidt's.

Guy Pocklington left for Ypsilanti Monday morning, where he will begin a business course at Cleary,s college.

Fred Miller and family who have been visiting friends here for the past few weeks returned to their home at Angola N. Y., to day.

Friends of Leon L. McRobert, of Macon, who was so severely injured by being run over by a Seperator, will be pleased to learn that he is better, but is in a very critical condition yet.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.

Thanksgiving will be generally kept and as usual services acknowledged to the great giver of the bounties bestowed upon this people.

Cards are now out for the marriage of Cora B. Allen Myres to W. J. Crista, of Detroit. Wedding to be at Mortimer Myres residence, the home of the bride elect.

The funeral of Frank Gallop, who died of consumption the 16th ult., was very largely attended at the Episcopal church at this place on Monday, Nov. 18. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Thomas of the Presbyterian church of Brooklyn. The deceased was forty-five years old and leaves a wife and one child. He had been sick a long time.

C. H. Dewey and daughter Linda, have returned from a weeks' visit to Decatur, Mich., where many friends reside and the only sister of C. H. Dewey, who is in very poor health. In and around Decatur are large peppermint fields from which thousands of dollars have been derived from the products thereof, the mint being distilled upon the premises. The production of oil per acre is from 15 to 30 pounds, bringing from $1.25 to $1.30 per lb., affording a good profit to the producer.

MACON MUSIC.

Sumner Collins and wife spent Sunday at his old home.

Don't forget the School entertainment Saturday night.

Mrs. Hilda Pennington and children of Petosky are visiting old friends and relatives.

The Teacher's Association at Ridgeway gives the teachers an opportunity of doing Saturday work.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Ann Remington enjoyed a nice time at her birthday party last Saturday.

Mr. Cooper and Mr. Myers were the two ministers who preached at the Baptist Quarterly meeting service.

We wish to make a correction. The time of the entertainment at the new church is not to be Thanksgiving night. We were misinformed as to the date.

A False Diagnosis.

LaGrippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the latter. These individuals suffer severe pain about the forehead, eyes and stoppage with soreness in throat and head, of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapaciated for work of any kind at a time. These are catarrhal days has been letters. Ely's Cream Balm such cases. With the best results in instant relief. A remedy will give in- lw

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Arrangements for the smelting of iron ore by electricity are being made in Duluth.

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HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSION

To Virginia and the South, Nov. 19th. Dec. 3d and 17th, 1895.

On the above dates agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip; limit for return 30 days. Consult O. C. Agents.

Not a Fortune.

No, $100 is not a fortune, but it is surprising how many things it will buy when judiciously invested. You may have wanted something for a long while. Will $100 get it for you? S. I. Bell Company, Publishers, No. 2013 Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, can show you how to make this amount in a month, if you have a few hours to spare each day. See their advertisement on another page. Write at once, for this is the harvest time of the year. 1w

The Philadelphia board of health has adopted a new electrical disinfecting system.

Generous Offer—$200 In Gold Given.

R. H. Woodward Company, Baltimore Md., are making a very generous offer of $200.00 to anyone who will sell within three months 200 copies of "Talks to Chidren about Jesus." This is one of the most popular books of recent years. Agents often sell from 10 to 15 copies a day. It contains a great many beautiful illustrations, and is sold at a remarkably low price. They give credit and pay freight and send complete canvassing outfit for 35 cents. It is just the book to be sold for the holidays. They also offer an Estey Organ, retail price $270, to anyone who will sell 110 books in three months.

It is an excellent opportunity for a church or society to secure one of these organs. A $100 bicycle to be given for selling 80 copies in two months, or a gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium is in addition to the regular commission. They have also published a new book, Gems of Religious Thought, by Talmage, which is having a large sale. Same terms and premiums as on Talks to Children about Jesus. Agents who do not get any of the premiums are given a liberal commission. They also make a specialty of other books and Bibles for Xmas holidays. Write them immediately. 3w

The switching of trains in the yards of the Union Depot at St. Louis is done by electricity.

A cup of muddy coffee is not wholesome, neither is a bottle of muddy medicine. One way to know a reliable and skillfully-prepared blood-purifier is by its freedom from sediment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is always bright and sparkling, because it is an extract and not a decoction. 1w

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Electric Power for November.

Electric Power for November is devoted principally to the electric railway. Those readers who are not interested in this branch of engineering will, of course, not be disappointed, for there are such articles as Mr. Sachs on the Electrical Equipments of Modern Office Buildings; Mr. Thompson's paper on the Principles of Invention; Mr. Wiener's serial on Electrical Measuring Instruments is continued, and the Literary Review is quite extensive. Nevertheless, it is a railway number. Prof. Bemis and Mr. Foster each presented a paper on Municipal Ownership of Street Railways, and Mr. Osterberg adds an editorial on the subject. The Metropolitan Elevated Road of Chicago has been quite fully described, but there are still some points of interest left, which Mr. Hazleton has pointed out in an able manner. Those interested in the historical progress of the science of electricity will find a review of the electric locomotive, with which they will certainly be pleased.

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Table Talk.

Table Talk is well to the front as a Thanksgiving magazine, touching that subject many times in various ways between its covers. The leading article is "Thanksgiving Day," by Mrs. Burton Kingsland, including a typical dinner menu,—also a fin-de-siecle one. Other menus are given elsewhere, as well as a recipe for thanksgiving Plum Pudding. The Housekeeper's Inquiry Department is full of excellent recipes, old and new, just as needed by the subscribers, and besides you will find the Kindergarten for mothers ably upheld in 'The Priestly Office,' by Miss Nora A. Smith: the 'Food in Bright's Disease' by Dr. H. H. Hawxhurst; how 'Miss Dorothy entertains,' by Mrs. M. C. Myer; much about 'The Dignity and Beauty of the Household Arts,' by Lucy C. Andrews, the well-known lecturer on Cookery; how to give a pretty 'Bicycle Luncheon,' as well as a menu for every meal, and much else of equal value our limited space does not allow us to mention. Our readers, however, are invited to send for a sample copy to the Table Talk Publishing Company of Philadelphia.

Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C., J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines. T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
tjl Gen'l Pass. Ag't.

HEART DISEASE, like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but *Constantly grows worse.* There are thousands who know they have a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and *Don't know what to take for it,* as they have been told time and again that heart disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:

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AWAY DOWN IN DIXIE.

Michigan Press Association Bound for the Cotton States Exposition at Atlanta.

About the first of November the Buckeye Press Association planned for their annual meeting at Cincinnati to be followed by a trip to Atlanta. They extended an invitation to the members of the Michigan Press Association to accompany them, which was very generally accepted, and a right royal trip it proved to be.

Having decided to take advantage of this opportunity to visit the Cotton States Exposition, which we have had in contemplation ever since it opened, we left old Tecumseh on Monday afternoon, the 11th, over the Lake Shore, bound to Toledo taking supper at the Burnett House. When business calls us to Toledo, even for one day, we generally make this hotel our headquarters. It is centrally located and is well managed. It is a favorite resort for drummers, and they generally keep track of the best hotels. After making two or three business calls we left about midnight over the C., H. & D. for Cincinnati.

An all night's ride brought us to the Queen City about 7 a. m. and we proceeded directly to the Burnet House, where the Ohio bretheren were to hold their meeting. The Cincinnati Burnet differs from its Toledo namesake in one respect—the former is spelled with one "t" and the latter with two. But they are both well kept houses. Here we remained twenty-four hours, until Wednesday morning, and we enjoyed ourselves very much. The Burnet is the best hotel in the Queen City, without an exception, and every pains possible was taken to promote the pleasure of their guests. At the breakfast table we met Fred Blosser, of Manchester, who came down the day before, and on Wednesday morning we met A. J. Kempton, of the Addison Courier, who was accompanied by his sister. Most of the Michigan men arrived Tuesday morning, although they came stringing along all day, and when we left Cincinnati on Wednesday morning the party numbered altogether about three hundred. The forenoon of Tuesday was devoted to business matters, securing our transportation and getting our sections allotted in the sleepers, as the party made the trip from there to Atlanta in a special train of Pullman coaches.

After dinner on Tuesday the Enquirer and a citizens committee took the party in charge and proceeded to thrust upon us a big dose of Buckeye hospitality. Joseph M. Bossong, of the Enquirer staff, was chairman of the committe—"Uncle Joe" is the name he generally wears round—and he proved himself fully equal to the occasion. The following extract from the Enquirer of the following morning gives a very apt recital of the doings of that memorable afternoon:

The newspaper men were taken in hand by the Enquirer after dinner, and from that time until after midnight were the guests of this paper. A few minutes after 1 o'clock Weber's great military band, in full uniform, started the ball of pleasure rolling in the corridor of the Burnet House with the now celebrated "Enquirer March," and Louis W. Brand, the talented composer, was one of the players, who were under the direction of John Weber himself. The playing of the band was one of the features of the occasion, and it was complimented in the highest terms. A better band, for the number engaged yesterday, could not be put together in this country.

The crowd of visitors marched behind the band to the Chamber of Commerce, and were welcomed on Change by Vice President William McCallister.

His Honor Mayor Caldwell, who is always to the front for the good of the Queen City, made a happy speech of welcome to the Buckeye Press. He was glad they were here, and the freedom of the city was offered to them in an eloquent and enthusiastic way that received loud applause. Mr. E. A. Meigs, editor of the Detroit Saturday Night, the orator of the party, responded. He told briefly and forcibly the influence of the country press upon all classes of trade, and he paid a kind compliment to the Enquirer, proclaiming it the best newspaper in the United States.

Another Michigander, Mr. T. W. Crissey, of Midland, President of the Board of Control for the Michigan School for the Blind, was the last speaker, and he displayed still more the oratorical ability of the members of the association. From the Chamber of Commerce the Enquirer took its guests to the Cliffe engine house, where Chief Archibald personally superintended an exhibition of rapid hitching, which astonished and excited the admiration of the party. The popular Chief was exceedingly kind and accommodating, and wanted to give an exhibition of ladder raising, but on account of lack of time his invitation was reluctantly declined. Everybody in the crowd was in ecstacies over the City Hall. They had never seen anything like it, and said so. Superintendent Lillard, Mayor Caldwell and Chief Deitsch were unremitting in their attentions to the rural newspaper people, and did their full share to leave a good impression on the minds of their callers.

The visitors, numbering nearly 300, went to the Zoo by the Clifton avenue and McMillan street, the Vine street cable and the Mt. Auburn electric roads. They thoroughly appreciated the generosity of President Kilgour, of the Cincinnati Street Railway Company, and Receiver Brent Arnold, of the Mt. Auburn Inclined Plane Road, in placing their lines at their disposal without cost. The lunch at the Zoo, with the compliments of the Enquirer, was served at 4:45 o'clock, and while the discussion of the substantials liberally provided by Caterer Smith was in progress Weber's Band played some delightful selections on the balcony. There was a liberal supply of the famous Moerlein export beer, and it was drank and praised by every one. With their invariable courtesy the Christian Moerlein Brewing Company contributed more than their share to the enjoyment of the feasters. Mr. Goetz, the Vice President of the company, insisting on supplying the finest cigars in addition to the beer.

In the evening the guests had invitations to attend either Robinson's Opera House or the People's Theatre, most of whom took advantage of one or the other, and at the close of these performances the gentlemen of the party, with quite a number of ladies, visited the Enquirer building on Vine street and saw the typesetting machines and presses work. Those who took in this part of the program got back to the Burnet about 2 o'clock in the morning.

Wednesday morning all was hustle and hubub for about two hours, while the guests were getting breakfast and departing for the train. At 9 a. m. our train, composed wholly of Pullman sleepers, left the Louisville & Nashville depot and was soon over the Ohio river, speeding on its way toward Louisville. The country is quite rough along the south bank of the Ohio, until within twenty miles of Louisville, when we struck a beautiful level section dotted with elegant buildings and large plantations. We reached Louisville at 1 o'clock, where we enjoyed a bountiful dinner, and arrived at Nashville at eight in the evening, where we made a halt of one hour for supper. The balance of the trip was an all-night ride. At 7 o'clock Thursday morning the train pulled into the grand Union Depot at Atlanta. About two hours were consumed in getting to our headquarters, obtaining breakfast, and procuring our admission tickets, and then we were taking in the Fair. The two associations stopped in a body at the Hotel Derwent, only two blocks from the Exposition grounds. We found it a good place to stop and a very convenient one, as it didn't take half the time to travel back and forth down town.

Some of our experience at the Fair will be given next week.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will hold their next meeting at the residence of A. K. Waldron, Friday evening, Nov. 29th, with the following program:

Song—America—By the Club.
Address—President.
Essay—Mrs. W. J. Waldron.
Music.
Select Reading—Harold Hoag.
Chip Basket—Roy Mathews.
Declamation—Dean VanValkenburg.
Charade.
Select Reading—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Music.
Question—What have we learned during the past year that will benefit us the coming season? Opened by Geo. Swartz.

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And to all other girls getting 20 or more votes, 25c in Silver.

Any Girl under 15 years of age Nov. 8th, can compete for the prize.

Any person purchasing one-half pound of our

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is entitled to one vote, a vote for each and every one-half pound purchased. All purchases must be CASH.

THE BEST 50C. TEA IN TECUMSEH.

You can vote for your own girl. If none yourself vote for somebody else. The voting will end Dec. 23, 1895. The girl getting the most votes gets the $5, the 2nd $3, etc. The prizes will be given on the afternoon of December 24th.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 23, 1895.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TAX NOTICE.—I will be at my office at W. B. Dartt's store, to receive the taxes for 1895, on Nov. 6, and every Friday during the month of December, 1895, from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m.
O. W. MARSDEN,
Township Treasurer.

STRAYED—Came into my enclosure, three or four weeks ago, one black and white hog. Owner please call, pay charges and take away.
E. T. WHITE.

HOUSE PLANTS.—I have many choice house plants which I will sell at a low figure. Call and see them.
MRS. O. A. STACY.

FOR SALE.—The C. J. Hills farm consisting of 105 acres, good buildings, very desirable location just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Enquire of C. J. Hill. Terms reasonable.

HOUSE TO RENT.—With cellar, wood house, well and cistern; all in good repair; only $1.50 per week. Call at once.
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Hattie Whittier spent Sunday with friends in Adrian.

See what R. S. Moore has to say about matters on the opposite page.

Jamie Cook has lately received some fine game stock from Canada.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Sisson, of Deerfield, Nov. 10th, an 8 pound boy.

The large snow flakes which fell Monday were really "beautiful."

Mrs. Baxter retured from a two weeks visit in Battle Creek last Friday.

Don't you looked over the grocery stock of R. S. Moore, while making purchases.

The Methodist church supper this evening in the church parlors from 5:30 to 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Hendershot goes to Detroit to spend Thanksgiving with her son, Mrs. E. N. Sisson.

Meet at the Presbyterian church next Thursday evning Nov. 28th, and try to find out who it is.

Mrs. M. Campbell is visiting in Ann Arbor now has a good position in the U., being foreman of the Herald office there.

Rev. W. R. Blachford will hold evening services at Clinton in the morning and at Tecumseh in the afternoon of that day.

Just as if the Street Railway Co. had, on whose line the awful accident occurred, would be the next grand jury.

Mrs. Ely Newcomb, of Macon, started Wednesday for DeFuniak Springs, Florida, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Hoyt.

The annual praise service of the Ladies' Missionary Circle and Y. P. S. C. E. will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

The Daily News, San Antonio, Texas, gives great credit to our townsman, Lavern F. Wheeler, for original production read by him at the parsonage of the Reformed church of Macon, by Rev. Ebenezer Mitton, to Mrs. [illegible] Sloan Wednesday, Nov. 20, '95.

Robb [illegible] who purchased [illegible] grocery business, has settled down to business for himself. [illegible] column has something to say about groceries.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will give a social in the church parlors Tuesday evening Nov. 28. All are cordially invited to attend. Good program will be given.

A copy of the St. Paul Pioneer Press gives the report of Herbert M. Temple, late accountant and assignee of the Standard Gasoline Co., to the council of that city on the subject of municipal lighting. Mr. Temple seems to be getting there right.

Dell & Co., the enterprising druggists, "LaBesta," have rented the old office of S. W. Maynard for a permanent head-quarters, and are pushing the trade in washing powder, which meets with ready sale and their business has been becoming quite an extensive one.

Mr. Hendershot has been very ill for weeks with a disease which the doctors calls Eczema. Dr. Hall was called in for consultation and pronounced the disease one, although he has hopes of man's recovery. Mr. Hendershot's friends made him a husking bee a few days ago and were doing all possible to aid him. He is

Inspection of Beers Post, G. A. R., Michigan., at Tecumseh Nov. 18th, by Department Quarters, by Major [illegible] of Woodbury Post, of Detroit. Major Jewell reported the Beers post in fine shape, financially and financially solid. Supper on the ladies of the W. R. C. refreshments and fifty or more veterans enjoyed the repast. The A. R. officers for the ensuing year will occur on the first Monday in December. Comrades

Foot ball Thanksgiving.

Don't forget to pay your taxes.

Leland T. Powers, December 10.

Burtis the barber, is looking for another rope.

E. L. Teeple and wife are visiting in Brighton.

W. C. Burridge rode the Pythian goat at Adrian Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. M. Hendershot has been quite ill for the past week.

The Emmit Rifles are mustered out. What company is on the peg now?

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Hawes are shaking hands with old friends here this week.

Mrs. J. Rood and Miss Jennie are home from Atlanta and other southern points.

Rev. James Hageman will commence his pastoral duties in Dundee next Sunday.

Foster & Sisson are giving their store a thorough renovating. Look out for their new stock later.

Mrs. B. S. Hudson left Tuesday for a few days' visit with friends in Dexter, Grass Lake and Jackson.

Rev. B. S. Hudson will exchange pulpits next Sunday, the 24th, with Rev. F. E. Wright of Grass Lake.

The Jubilee Concert given at the Baptist church Wednesday evening was highly enjoyed by all present.

D. C. Andrews & Co. have donated a case of LaBesta washing powder to the Masonic Fair Association of Detroit.

Harry M. Bailey, of Macon, who took the examination last spring for the railway mail service, has received an appointment.

On dit that a new republican newspaper will soon be ushered into existence here to be called the Tecumseh Republican.

Evangelistic service every night next week, except Saturday, at the Baptist church. Rev. U. G. Marshall, of Clinton will preach.

On account of the unfavorable weather the auction of the Mortgage Shoe Sale has been postponed till tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon.

The A. M. Palmer Trilby Co. passed through here Wednesday from Jackson to Adrian, where they played to an immense house that night.

Geo. H. Tansley has moved his china and crockery stock and embalming business into the store recently occupied by J. A. Burtis, the barber.

Lyman Randall, who died in Franklin last Friday, was a member of Beers Post. The Post took charge of the funeral at Little Hope last Sunday.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. David Branagan gave them a surprise Monday night. The couple will shortly move to Toledo where their children are located.

A return game of foot ball will be played Thanksgiving, by the Clinton and Tecumseh High School teams. Game called at 11 a. m. at south end of Pearl street.

J. S. Starling will occupy his present place of business till the first of the month, when his lease expires. However, he has no intention of leaving town as he has come to stay.

Mrs. M. Broderick, mother of Mrs. Oscar Palmer, of this village, is very sick at her home in South Macon. Mrs. Palmer has been caring for her mother for the past six weeks.

Next Thursday at 10:30 a Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist church, Rev. C. M. Brown will preach the sermon. Subject, "The Coming Bridegroom."

A gang of fifty men is at work along the Saline road, between Tecumseh and Macon, putting up the new telephone poles. They expect to complete the line to Tecumseh this week.

The [illegible] church [illegible] in the Universalist church next Sunday Morning, "My [illegible] next are as follows: and all that is in the Lord, Oh my soul, name." Ps. 103:1 In me, bless his holy a part of nature. [illegible]vening, Conformity

About sixty gue[illegible] ceremony performed witnessed the last evening, by which Rev. Brown and Nina B. Anthony to W. Nixon marriage. The wedding [illegible]ated in pretty affair, being celebrated very [illegible]ers, presents and feasting, and [illegible]ow by the congratulations of a [illegible]ed friends. The couple will reside in [illegible]oway.

A postponed game of foot ball between Tecumseh High School and Clinton High School was fought out on the gridiron at Clinton last Saturday. In spite of the drizzling rain a fair crowd turned out to see the excellent game put up by both teams, which resulted in a victory for T. H. S. by a score of 12 to 0. In the first half a touch-down was made in 19 minutes, which was followed three minutes later by another one making the score 8 to 0, Smith carrying the ball from the 3rd lines and making a fine run. Clinton being strengthened in the second half by Taylor, ex-centre-rush of Albion college, a stronger game was played, Anderson making the first and only touch down of this half in 19 minutes. At the call time, the ball was in Tecumseh's possession, 1yd from Clinton's goal. The features of the game were Taylor's strong playing for Clinton, Smith's and Anderson's long runs and Tansley's fine tackling for Tecumseh. Referee, Huntington; Umpire, Bidwell; Lineman, Jones; Time two thirty-minute halves. Score: T. H. S. 12; C. H. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mattison celebrated their fifteenth marriage anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 17th, 1895, at their pleasant home north of the village.

It is rumored that a change of time will occur on the Lake Shore Sunday. The probable change will effect the noon train which will likely pass through here considerably earlier than now.

LaMont Rowland left for Chicago last Friday afternoon where he will be in the employment of S. P. Hosmer & Sons. LaMont has a host of friends here who wish him every success in the great metropolis.

Dr. E. Hause is again in the field with a new book. This time it is Rev. Frances E. Clerk's "Our Journey Around the World," which comes well recommended. A full account of the work appears in another column.

Engineer Thomas M. Thompson, who ran the boilers in the Detroit Journal building which exploded with a result that thirty-seven lives were sacrificed, has been indited for manslaughter, a true bill for every death having been filed against him. His hearing has been set for Dec. 6th.

At the M. E. Parsonage, on Monday evening, Nov. 18, 1895, by Rev. J. P. Varner, occured the marriage ceremony which united for life the lives of Mr. Bert H. Nichols and Miss Adah E. L. Conger. Both young people have always lived in this vicinity and the best of success and happiness is wished them by all.

Lovers of beautiful flowers can now enjoy a visit to the greenhouse of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland, where they will find a profusion of choice flowers which they have grown since they rented the Spalding property. People wishing cut flowers can have their order promptly filled by calling at the greenhouse, at prices to suit the times. Leave orders for Thanksgiving flowers as early as possible next week, and you will be pleased with the results.

The new Lake Shore depot is now completed and Agent Satterthwaite took possession Monday. The depot is a very creditable and serviceable structure consisting of two waiting rooms, ticket office, and baggage room. It is of the regulation style, neat and attractive in appearance, finished inside with varnished white pine trimmed with red oak. Just two months were taken to build and finish the building during most of which time work was given by the company to five carpenters and two laborers living here.

Mary E. Wilkins has done something new in the piece of work just completed and given by her to the Ladies' Home Journal for publication. It is a series of neighborhood types. These types are the most unique characters, and are found in a supposed New England village; to the portrayal of each type Miss Wilkins devotes a separate sketch. Thus she pictures a striking male character in the Wise Man of the Village; one of the most natural of children in The Village Runaway; a familiar figure in the Neat Woman of the Town, with three other characters equally distinct. There are six types and all are illustrated.

The chrysanthemum show was a success and the ladies of the Research Circle found in the success of their scheme ample returns for their work and enterprise. The weather of Tuesday was so unfavorable that the opportunity was extended the next day, and many availed themselves. Fifty varieties were on exhibition, all but seven grown here and owned for the most part by the members of the circle. A few other choice plants were tastily arranged as background, among them being a cactus owned by Mrs. Ketcham for forty-five years. Altogether, the exhibition was flattering to the promoters, and will do much toward stimulating the propagation of this wonderfully interesting flower in Tecumseh.

The Rev. W. R. Blachford is in receipt of a letter from the Rev. J. Wainwright Ray who was pastor of St. Peter's church in 1855. The letter is in answer to an invitation to attend the anniversary services held a month ago. Mr. Ray recounts several of his acts and experiences while living in Tecumseh. One was the re-marriage of a couple who had already been married by an Ohio clergyman in this state. Michigan did not allow ministers from another state to take privileges properly belonging to those within her own [illegible]ers, but as each clergyman received [illegible] $20 there was no jealousy in the [illegible] Many names of well-known [illegible] families are still fragrant in which [illegible] gentleman's memory, of "I did [illegible]ctions a few. He also says: Brother [illegible]ning too, in those days, [illegible]ground, and [illegible] giving me potato that I had to [illegible]den grew such corn shot gun." Why chickens with a Mr. Ray preached [illegible]or of St. Peter's of Lincoln and the [illegible]on on the death on the death of [illegible]Sunday another the first was, "A great[illegible]he text for and that for the second [illegible]s fallen," buried with the burial of [illegible]shall be following words give the [illegible]. The union of Tecumseh people [illegible]an's here there once or twice a[illegible] was [illegible]d to a larger parish, but [illegible]d four better friends than in the old [illegible]n of Tecumseh."

The U. S. Gov't Reports *also Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.*

C. E. Williamson left for New York City yesterday.

Ben Garlinghouse had business at the County clerks office yesterday.

The Lilly House is connected with the long distance telephone with a force of 23 operatives.

P. S. McKinnon and C. A. Slayton attended the Sunday school convention at Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. C. M. DeWolf has recovered from her long illness and went Tuesday to visit her daughters in Detroit.

Chas. Blood finally brought some wood just in time to save this office force from perishing miserably. Who will follow this example?

I am still buying poultry and calculate to be in the market every day this winter, paying the highest price. Also have choice feathers for sale.
L. D. DEWEY.

The remains of Mrs. J. D. Sholes were brought here from Detroit Wednesday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cummins, at whose home in that city she died Tuesday at the age of 68 years. Mrs. Sholes was an old and well known resident of Tecumseh and leaves an endearing memory in the hearts of many friends. The funeral was conducted at the home of Mrs. Hettie Brewer, Rev. Blachford officiating.

—Ladies' rubbers worth 50c at 25c at the big Mortgage Shoe Sale.

—The STANDARD DICTIONARY is admired here, as everywhere. Among others who have the work are Drs. North and Woodward, the High School, W. J. Ingersoll, A. L. Brewer, Lillian Warring, etc. Any who wish it at present prices must buy soon, as they advance nearly one third Jan. 1st, 1896. The HERALD testifies to its extraordinary merits.
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Dundee, Mich.
Salesman for Monroe, Lenawee and Hillsdale Counties. 2w

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Choice buckwheat flour 2 1-2 cents per pound.
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—A second hand piano in good repair, for sale at Jas. Montague's.

—See our new lines and specialties in fancy china ware at Montague's Novelty store.

—The Mortgage Shoe Sale is still doing business and will continue till every pair of boots and shoes is sold. A large, new stock will be put in soon. A special auction sale will be held Saturday afternoon.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—If you are using any lumber or shingles come and see me, I can save you money.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—Come and buy boots and shoes at the big Mortgage Shoe Sale at from 50c to $1 off manufacturer's cost price.

—Slayton's shingles sell like hot cakes. They are so good and so very cheap.

—TAFFY TAFFY TAFFY—
—The City Bakery is the place to get your taffy, fresh every day. We make it ourselves, and warrant it to be as good as made and sell it at wholesale and retail prices.

—One of the largest assortments of holiday novelties ever brought to Tecumseh, just received at Montague's Novelty Store.

—You can get a liberal discount on red cedar shingles by hauling them from the car. See me at once.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—That nice, new hard maple flooring just laid in H. Brewer & Co's office Avery & Co's store and Wm. Arnold's, all came from A. W. SLAYTON'S Yard.

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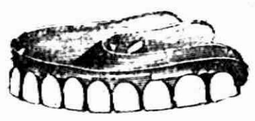

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MURDERED BY TRAMPS.

Luther H. Beecher Killed and Then Placed on a Railroad Track.

Lapeer, Mich., Nov 16.—The engineer of a north-bound Michigan Central train saw a man on the track about three miles south of here Wednesday night. The train could not be stopped, but was run back and the body picked up. The head was cut off and the remains greatly mangled. Shortly after the body was brought to this city it was identified as that of Luther H. Beecher, the grandson of the late Luther Beecher, a millionaire of Detroit. Developments show that young Beecher had been waylaid and murdered by tramps, his valuables taken away and the body placed on the track. Two tramps were seen near the place about the time Beecher's body was discovered, and the men are known to have taken a freight train to Saginaw.

Young Beecher was in poor health, and as a means of recreation and pleasure was in the habit of journeying about the state on his bicycle, stopping wherever night overtook him. He had nothing to do and plenty of money, and preferred to spend his time this way. The Beecher estate, of which the young man would have had a large slice on the death of his father, has no interest that would have called him to Lapeer. No trace of his bicycle has been found, although officers have searched diligently for it and for the two tramps.

INDICT THE ENGINEER.

Held Responsible for the Larned Street Boiler Explosion in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—The grand jury which Friday started an investigation of the Larned street boiler explosion Saturday afternoon returned an indictment against Thomas M. Thompson, the engineer in charge of the boilers operating the Journal plant, charging him with manslaughter in having caused the death of Hattie Hiller, one of the victims of the disaster. Engineer Thompson was brought to court from Grace hospital and arraigned. His attorneys asked for 20 days in which to plead to the indictment, which was granted, and the prisoner was returned to the hospital.

Needed for Michigan Harbors.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—The annual report of Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers, to the secretary of war has been made public. Estimates for continuing the work on Michigan river and harbor projects are submitted as follows, the amount to be expended in the next fiscal year: Portage Lake and Superior canal, $75,000; Michigan City harbor, $95,000; St. Joseph harbor, $30,000; Grand Haven, $25,000; Muskegon harbor, $30,000; Charlevoix harbor, $25,000; Saginaw river, $40,000; Sand Beach, $20,000; Detroit river, $30,000.

Burrows for Chairman.

Detroit, Nov. 15.—The News says Senator Burrows is being urged by his friends for the temporary or permanent chairmanship of the republican national convention, and that Gen. Alger is likely to head the Michigan delegation. Gen. Alger will be a probable candidate for secretary of war, a position which he had anticipated under the Harrison administration.

Lack of Miners Is Serious.

Bessemer, Nov. 18.—Miners are so scarce on the Gogebic range that the companies have been compelled to offer an increase of about 15 per cent. in wages. Still there is a scarcity. If this continues it will be a serious drawback to the expected activity next season, which is expected to eclipse the palmy days of 1888 and 1889 on the Gogebic.

Will Issue Bonds.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—The Detroit Railway company filed a trust mortgage Saturday morning for $1,800,000 to secure an issue of bonds which is to be made immediately. The mortgage is dated November 1, 1895, and runs to the Cleveland Trust company, of Cleveland, and draws interest at the rate of five per cent., payable semi-annually.

For a Deaconess' Home.

Lansing, Nov. 15.—At the concluding session of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, of Michigan, it was voted to raise $500 for the Aldrich Deaconess' home in Grand Rapids for the coming year. Mrs. A. A. Knappen, of Albion, was elected president. The next session will be held in Ionia.

Thinks His Sister Was Murdered.

St. Clair, Nov. 19.—The probate court for the county of St. Clair has granted to Horace M. Carleton the administration of the estate of Miss Olive Carleton, who met her death in a mysterous manner a month ago. The estate is valued at $7,500. The administrator of the estate still insists that his sister was murdered.

Product of Pingree's Farm.

Detroit, Nov. 20.—Mayor Pingree's famous potato farm has this year yielded 61,840 bushels of potatoes, 1,000 bushels of beans, 3,000 of turnips, 1,000 of beets, 420 of corn, 4,668 heads of cabbage, 400 squashes and 500 pumpkins. At present market prices the total value is $1,997.30.

Bankers Enter Suit.

Bay City, Nov. 19.—Orrin Jump, president of the old Second national bank of Bay City, has sued Estey & Calkins for $17,000. The suit is the result of the recent failure of that firm. Mr. Bump claims the security given his bank is worthless.

Arm Ground to Pulp.

Manistee, Nov. 15.—Dollie Crowley, employed on the Daily News, had her right arm drawn into the cogs of a press. The flesh was ground to a pulp above the elbow. She wore balloon sleeves, and these were the cause of her misfortune.

Dividend Declared

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19. — The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of 15 per cent. in favor of the creditors of the Northern national bank of Big Rapids, Mich.

MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Interesting Bits of News from Various Parts of the State.

Twelve counties in Michigan have decided to set prisoners at work.

Gerrit Douwma, aged 18, son of a farmer in Ottawa county, committed suicide by shooting.

At the special election held in Cadillac the blanket charter was rejected by a vote of 267 to 85.

Knights of Maccabees in Michigan now number 200,125, while the Lady Maccabees have 48,840 members.

An auditorium capable of holding 6,000 persons is to be built, it is said, at Ann Arbor. It will be used for musical purposes.

Alfred Kinney, who killed George Betts in a Port Sahilac saloon row, waived examination and will be tried in January.

Pauline Oesterle has sued the village of Chisea for $10,000 damages sustained last winter by a fall on a defective sidewalk.

The Ludington board of trade is considering how the town can secure a new railroad, new depot, new hotel and a few new factories.

Men are boring for coal about six miles from East Jordan. They struck a four-foot vein and will begin active mining operations.

Harry Jacks, of Niles, has begun the publication of a new paper called "The Stamp." It is devoted wholly to the interests of stamp collectors.

The Manistee & Luther Railroad company have resumed work on the road, which is now nearing completion. The track is laid within eight miles of Luther.

The recent heavy freeze caught many farmers in Manistee county with their late potatoes yet undug, and the loss is variously estimated at from 12,000 to 15,000 bushels.

The report of the secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. churches in the state shows the memberships to be 1,162. Last year $2,500 was raised for missionary purposes.

Previous to the earthquake Coldwater lake had risen four inches. Since that time it has been falling rapidly. On the other hand, creeks and rivers near Bronson and Tekonsha that were nearly dry are gradually rising.

A movement is on foot at Niles looking to the pardon of Guy Bathrick, who killed his father in December, 1892, and is serving a seven-years' sentence at Ionia therefor. The deed was committed while protecting his mother from the assaults of her husband.

May Renew the Fight.

Detroit, Nov. 19.—Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, O., president of the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company, announced on Monday that unless the city would within a few days agree to a readjustment of his company's franchises the company would hereafter charge straight five-cent fares and give no transfers except those required by the company's ordinances. The raise in fares, it is expected, will cause a renewal of street-railway hostilities.

Arrested for the Kramer Murder.

Hancock, Nov. 16.—Sheriff Dunn arrested John Griff, who runs a small sawmill on Portage lake, in West Hancock, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer, four weeks ago. The crime was a brutal one. Both had their throats cut from ear to ear, and the woman's face was butchered beyond recognition with a hatchet. The evidence collected apparently weaves a net around Griff which he can hardly escape from.

Church to Rival Saloon.

Flint, Nov. 16.—The trustees of the Congregational church of this city have given the pastor authority to open the church doors on Saturday afternoons and invite farmers and all others who come to the city to trade to enter and warm themselves and spend a pleasant hour instead of going to the saloons. Music will be provided, and a committee of women will be present to entertain all the callers.

Flower Show at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 15.—The first annual chrysanthemum show under the auspices of the Grand Rapids Florist club and for the benefit of the children's home and hospital opened Thursday night in Lockerby hall. There are 12 exhibitors, representing nearly all the florists in West Michigan. The display is large and brilliant.

Becomes Part of a University.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 20.—By arrangements which have practically been completed, the Kalamazoo college will become affiliated with the University of Chicago. The latter institution will furnish lecturers and teachers to supplement the work of the college, and will lend its apparatus and books when needed.

Give Up Racing at Lansing.

Lansing, Nov. 19.—The Lansing Driving association will dispose of its property and retire from the field. Although it has one of the best tracks in the country, it has failed to make business pay expenses.

Michigan Horticulturists Hold Meeting.

Allegan, Nov. 18.—Secretary Reid, of the Michigan Horticultural society, has issued a circular stating that the next meeting will be held at Adrian, December 3, 4 and 5.

Chosen by the President.

Holland, Nov. 16.—President Cleveland was appointed by the office of deputy to the newly collector of customs for this port.

Michigan Poultry Exhibit.

Saginaw, Nov. 20. — The Michigan Stock association will hold its poultry exhibit in Jefferson this city December 10 to 14, inclusive.

Convicts Paroled.

Lansing, Nov. 15.—Gov. Rich paroled two convicts, eight of the men being in charge of the state prison.

ANOTHER HORROR.

Detroit Match Factory Burned and Three Lives Lost.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—Another fire, attended with terrible fatalities, occurred about 3:30 o'clock Saturday morning, when the factory of the Improved Match company at Bellevue avenue and Frederick street was burned and three lives lost. The dead are:

Reuben Davis, night foreman, 24 years old; single.

John Wagner, night watchman; an elderly man; married.

Agnes Yettke, 17 years old.

After destroying the main building and gutting the smaller one the fire burned itself out. The bodies of Davis and Miss Yettke were recovered, burned beyond recognition. The building, machinery and stock destroyed were valued at $60,000; insured for $6,000.

The factory has been working night and day. About 3:30 a shift of 30 hands were busily employed, when the fire suddenly started, probably by friction. The flames spread with great rapidity. All the employes except the above escaped.

Davis and Wagner, assisted by the Yettke girl, secured the fire hose and attempted to put out the fire. Before they were aware of their danger flames sprang up all around them and they were unable to escape.

The Improved Match company is a new concern not in the trust, which was organized by a number of Detroit citizens and filed articles of incorporation last week.

BOMB WRECKS DRUG STORE.

Desperate Attempt to Kill Dr. John Sweetland at Mottaville.

Constantine, Nov. 15.—At Mottaville, a small place six miles southwest of here, at ten o'clock Wednesday night some fiend threw a dynamite cartridge through the window of Dr. John J. Sweetland's drug store in the main street. The cartridge exploded with terrific force, and the heavy front door was blown clear across the street. The explosion also tore a hole three feet in diameter in the floor, slivered heavy joists, and demolished everything in the building. Dr. Sweetland miraculously escaped injury, but one of his patients, Andrew Gray, who was present, was not so lucky. Gray received serious injuries from flying timbers and lies in a dazed and precarious condition at his home. Dr. Sweetland is said to have made many enemies, owing to a long-standing feud, and it is thought one of these tried to blow him up.

For Good Roads in Michigan.

Lansing, Nov. 20.—Gov. Rich is daily in receipt of petitions asking him to call a mass meeting of citizens of Michigan who are interested in the subject of good roads, the meeting to be held in this city at a date to be selected by the executive, the object being to organize a state league to agitate the desirability of improving the highways of the state. The governor has not yet taken any action in the matter, but will doubtless grant the request.

Detroit's Big Street Railway Mortgage.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—The Detroit railway, the three-cent-fare company, has filed a trust mortgage for $1,800,000 to secure an issue of bonds to that amount which is to be made immediately. The mortgage runs to the Cleveland Trust company, of Cleveland. The capital stock of the Detroit railway is $1,000,000, and, according to its attorney, $1,700,000 has been expended in equipping the system.

Earthquake Makes Him Insane.

Niles, Nov. 18.—The recent earthquake disturbance has caused D. L. Pierson, a prosperous resident of New Buffalo, to become insane. When the earthquake occurred Mr. Pierson was suddenly aroused and in his frightened state imagined that the end of the world had come. Since then he has been unable to recover from the hallucination, and was placed in an asylum.

Detroit Swells the Fund.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—Two concerts were given at the Auditorium Sunday afternoon and evening in aid of the fund for the survivors of the victims in the Journal disaster. Both concerts were attended by crowded houses. The talent furnished high-grade programmes, and the fund received a big boost. The amount raised from all sources will approximate $[illegible].

Smalley Will Be Smalley, Now

Niles, Nov. 20.—Oscar Ian, charged confined in jail at the train robwith being implicated also suspected bery at Feunville of the gang that being connected with robbed a Lake ago, will probably ler, Ind., the case, the authorities be given evidence that he was conhaving the robbery.

Sale of Forfeited Lands

Nov. 16. — Commissioner conducted the annual sale of forfeited homestead lands and forpart-paid lands of all classes at state land office Thursday afternoon. There were very few bidders and no competition. Each bidder got the description he was after at the minimum price of $1.25 per acre.

Big Sawmills Closed.

Ontonagon, Nov. 17.—The Diamond Match company has closed down its two big mills for the season. During the year the company has cut 76,000,000 feet of pine and shipped 60,000,000 feet. It has left 140,000,000 feet of logs in the river, and consequently will be obliged to do little or no work in the woods this winter.

Accidentally Killed.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 18.—Eben Ireland, 15 years old, son of Charles Ireland, was accidentally shot and killed by the premature discharge of a gun in the hands of a boy companion.

Acquitted.

Red Jacket, Nov. 16. — Klonowski Brothers, arrested and tried for attempting to burn their store on October 29, have been acquitted.

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 24. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The First Missionary Journey.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts xiii, 4, to xiv, 28.

A new section of the book of Acts opens with this lesson, as a new section of history opened for the Christian church in the events which it records. The center of interest and influence is transferred from Jerusalem to Antioch. The evangelization of the Jews wanes, and that of the gentiles increases in importance. Peter is no longer the important figure, but Saul of Tarsus comes to the front, to be henceforth known as Paul the Apostle to the Gentiles.

The Impulse.

Special religious services among the disciples at Antioch, probably having special reference to the further evangelization of the gentiles, leads to the consecration of Barnabas and Saul for work as missionaries. It is noteworthy that this forward movement is undertaken under special direction from the Holy Spirit, and that this illumination and determination come as the Christians are seeking to know God's will.

The Course.

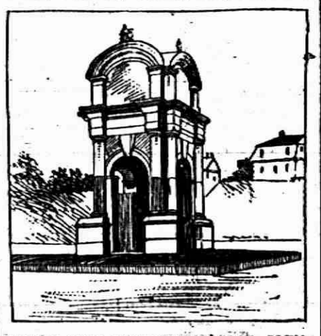
It is intensely interesting to follow in the Bible narrative the journey of these two devoted men in this first Christian missionary tour. The sojourn in the island of Cyprus, the voyage to Perga and climb up the tableland of Asia Minor to Antioch, in Pisidia; popularity followed by persecution; flight to Iconium, where the same experience is endured; escape to Derbe and Lystra, with alternate triumphs and perils, are all described most vividly. The firm establishment of the church in all these places and appointment of officers is accomplished before the region is left, and the evangelists retrace their steps to Antioch, in Syria, and report to the home church. The whole season from spring to autumn was probably occupied in this journey. Its excitement, frequent perils by sea and land, at the hands of robbers, fellow countrymen and heathen, positive suffering and danger to life, its hopes and fears, its honors and indignities, all left their impress on body and mind.

Results.

The wisdom of the church and direction of the Holy Spirit were demonstrated in the selection of the two men. Any less determined, less consecrated, possessed of less tact and skill with men would have failed, and the forward movement might have ended there. These men conquered in spite of all difficulties and opened the path to the church for all coming ages into the heart of heathenism. They showed how the work must be done. They developed the full strength of the opposition and demonstrated the power of the gospel of Christ to overcome.

Pilgrim Shrines.

Great care is taken in Plymouth, Mass., to preserve everything known to have connection with pilgrim history. The Forefathers' Rock is under a granite canopy and inclosed with an iron fence. Visitors during the day may enter and



CANOPY OVER FOREFATHERS' ROCK, PLYMOUTH.

stand on the rock. It is in the original position, except the filling of the street has caused it to be raised about three feet above its former bed. In the upper part of the canopy, inclosed in a metallic case, are remains of some of the victims of the first winter's hardships. It has been proposed to remove the canopy and restore the rock to more of its former appearance.

Thanksgiving.

Many of those who annually observe this festival give little thought to its origin. It would make an excellent evening's exercise for any chapter to take up this subject. It dates back to pilgrim days at Plymouth. Great privations and perils had been endured. During the first three months on shore 50 graves had opened and then closed over the remains of loved ones, till but half the original number who landed in December saw the flowers of spring. Abundant harvests in the autumn relieved the fear of famine, and so a day of thanksgiving to Almighty God was appointed. Religious services were followed by a feast of all good things possible. This was according to the Bible custom, and the harvest feast was instituted by divine command. Rejoice in the abundance God has given you. Recognize the Giver. Freely as ye have yourselves received, free y give. Share your blessings and multiply your enjoyment.

Pilgrim History.

After the study of Methodist history and some attention to general church and Bible history, it will be well to give attention to the story of the pilgrims. The difference between the pilgrims and Puritans, the life in England and Holland, the voyage in the Mayflower, exploration of Cape Cod, settlement and first year at Plymouth will give items for various members of a chapter to investigate and the essays or talks upon them will instruct as well as entertain.

Darkness In the Sudan.

In the Sudan, Africa, there are 60,000,000 people ignorant of Christianity and salvation through Christ.

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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

The National Grange Patrons of Husbandry opened its 29th annual session in Worcester, Mass.

The Marinette iron works at West Duluth, Minn., went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of $300,000.

In session at Tallequah, I. T., the Cherokee council passed a bill which prohibits the employment of others than Cherokee citizens, as managers, clerks or bookkeepers in any mercantile establishment.

The steamboat James W. Boyle foundered off Rockaway inlet, near New York, and the five persons on board were drowned.

Gov. O'Ferrall will ask the Virginia legislature to pass a law making the bondsmen of sheriffs liable to the heirs of men who are lynched.

The National Reform association will meet at Baltimore on December 12 and 13.

The revenue cutter Bear, Capt. Healey, arrived at San Francisco from her summer cruise in the arctic.

High winds and heavy seas did extensive damage among summer resorts along the New Jersey coast

Postmaster General Wilson directed all postmasters to mark mail sent to lottery companies as fraudulent and return it to the senders.

As the result of an investigation 16 letter carriers in Chicago were discharged for disobeying rules and 90 were suspended for from one to 30 days.

The Williams & England Banking company of Salem, Ore., closed its doors. The bank was a depository for the city treasurer and of several large corporations.

The general missionary committee of the M. E. church in annual session at Denver announced that the receipts for the year were $1,174,554 and the expenditures $1,237,345. One million dollars were appropriated for the work of the society for the coming year.

Fire on the premises of the Empire Distillery company in Boston destroyed $100,000 worth of property.

Kim Taw Etaw, a Miami Indian, committed suicide at Wabash, Ind., by shooting. He had squandered a fortune of $10,000 in drink.

Twenty-five immigrants en route to California from Oklahoma were said to be starving on the Colorado desert.

At the session of the Knights of Labor in Washington the right to vote in the general assembly was taken from T. V. Powderly, formerly general master workman.

Capt. Hughes, of the Texas rangers, scouting on the Upper Rio Grande near Yoleta, reported much lawlessness and smuggling.

The lumber cut of the Duluth (Minn.) district for the season just closed reaches a total of 461,000,000 feet, exceeding the cut of previous years by nearly 100,000 feet.

F. Schlatter, who had gained great prominence as a divine healer, disappeared mysteriously from Denver.

At Bisbee, A. T., Frederick Romero and James Montague fought a duel in which each received fatal injuries.

Sixty newspaper men, representing the agricultural press of the country, met in Chicago and organized the Agricultural Press league with M. J. Lawrence, of Cleveland, as president.

The State Insurance company of Salem, Ore., went into a receiver's hands.

A horseless wagon was started from New York to Chicago. This is said to be the longest trip ever undertaken by a road vehicle propelled by a motor.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 15th aggregated $1,170,356,164, against $1,121,504,739 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 14.5.

Augusta college, the most historic building in Augusta, Ga., was destroyed by fire.

John Koch, while drunk and jealous, shot his wife and then himself at Cincinnati.

Six incendiary fires occurred in Hurley, Wis., in 24 hours.

The British steamer Leo foundered off the coast of Denmark and 15 persons on board were drowned.

There were 279 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 15th, against 280 the week previous and 280 in the corresponding time of 1894.

At Phoenixville, Pa., Thomas Elwin cut the throats of his two children, aged four and six years, with a razor, and then committed suicide in the same manner.

In October 32,890 immigrants reached the United States, against 27,209 for the same month in 1894.

Ferdinand Kennett, ex-chief of police of St. Louis, who killed Detective A. B. Lawson at Los Angeles, Cal., was sentenced to ten years in prison.

In just seven minutes after an application for divorce was made at Sioux City, Ia., Mrs. Sarah J. Wallace was separated from W. J. Wallace.

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The little town of Lamora, Neb., was practically wiped out by fire.

G. Dupree (colored) was hanged at Devall's Bluff, Ark., for the murder of Robert Harris (colored) on June 15, 1894.

The preliminary report of the treasury department on our foreign trade for October shows an excess of exports over imports to the amount of $11,960,000.

An electric motor went through the draw bridge of the central viaduct at Cleveland, O., falling 100 feet, and 18 persons were known to have been killed and four others were missing.

Fire destroyed the sash, door and blind factory at Meridian, Miss., the loss being $112,000.

At Cincinnati the Banner brewery was burned, the loss being $175,000.

Superintendent Kimball, of the life-saving service, in his annual report states that at the close of the last fiscal year the establishment embraced 251 stations. The crews saved during the year 379 vessels, valued, with their cargoes, at $3,561,665, and 5,382 persons. The cost of the maintenance of the service during the year was $1,345,324.40.

Charles G. Hoffman, assistant cashier of the New Orleans Brewing association, was said to be an embezzler to the extent of $20,000.

Ward Leonard, aged 60 years, was drowned in the Wabash river at Vincennes, Ind. His father, mother, two brothers and a sister were drowned in the Ohio river at different times.

The Linz block at Sherman, Tex., was burned, causing a loss of $100,000.

James Goings (colored), who assaulted Miss Lillie Jones near Frederick, Md., was taken from the jail by a mob of 300 men and hanged.

The Chicago Evening Journal and the Evening Press were consolidated and placed under the management of the Evening Press company.

Nine of the men engaged in the recent riots at Spring Valley, Ill., were found guilty and sent to prison.

Eight of the detectives of the Berry agency concerned in the shooting of Frank White in Chicago were held to the grand jury on the charge of murder.

Frank Baker, John Kinch and William Keen were drowned at Clayton, N. Y., by the upsetting of a skiff.

White railroad men at Moss Bluff, Fla., who resented the introduction of negro laborers, raided their cabins, killing three and wounding many more.

The Choctaw Indian council has passed a bill making it treason, punishable by death, to sell land to a noncitizen or to urge a change in the present government.

The duke and duchess of Marlborough sailed from New York for England by the steamship Fulda.

Reuben Davis, John Wagner and Agnes Yettke lost their lives in a burning factory at Detroit, Mich.

The annual report of the secretary of agriculture shows the total number of animals inspected at slaughter-houses during the past year exceeded 18,000,000. Over 1,360,000 animals, cattle and sheep, were inspected for foreign markets, of which 675,000 were exported. Over 45,000,000 pounds of pork was inspected and exported, against 35,000,000 in 1894.

John White, a prisoner in the county jail at New Martinsville, W. Va., escaped, and fatally shot three men who attempted to capture him.

The work of the United States weather bureau for the past year cost $878,439, and the warnings of cold waves secured from freezing more than $2,275,000 worth of agricultural products.

Albert England, a post office robber, was lynched near Velonia, Ark., by nine men to prevent him telling about a large number of robberies.

A forest fire burned over 50,000 acres near Santa Rosa, Cal., destroying houses and barns and other property.

The argument for a new trial in the case of the convicted murderer, Holmes, was heard in Philadelphia, and during the proceedings Mr. Shoemaker, one of Holmes' counsel, was found to have introduced a false affidavit and was held to answer.

At Fountain Ferry, Ky., E. J. Berlo, of Boston, broke the two-mile bicycle record, making the distance in 3:43 1-5.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 18th was: Wheat, 60,326,000 bushels; corn, 4,306,000 bushels, oats, 5,972,000 bushels; rye, 1,287,000 bushels; barley, 4,047,000 bushels.

The Nez Perces Indian reservation in the state of Washington was opened for settlement.

Sun Chief, principal chief of the Pawnees in Oklahoma, is dead, and the whole tribe was mourning.

Chief Hazen of the secret service, in his annual report shows that during the year 803 arrests were made, with few exceptions for violations of the statutes against counterfeiting. Altered and counterfeit notes, counterfeit coins and the like were captured having an aggregate face value of almost $5,000,000.

A convention to consider the question of statehood for Oklahoma will be held at Shawnee on December 4 next.

Earthquake shocks were felt in portions of Missouri and Colorado.

The Henry O. Shepard company, one of the best-known printing firms in Chicago, failed for $100,000.

A Great Northern train crowded with passengers was held up four miles west of Clear Lake, Minn., but the bandits were scared away without obtaining booty.

In a test case Judge Ricks, of the United States circuit court, sitting Cleveland, decided that a receiver of defunct bank can assess stockholders and recover in suits from those who refuse to pay.

A bright comet was discovered in the constellation Virgo by Prof. Perrine, of the Lick observatory at San Francisco.

Fire destroyed the livery stable of J. P Koons and five dwellings in San Francisco and 30 horses were cremated.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grier, of Wilmot, Wis., died within an hour of each other. The husband was aged 73 and the wife 70. Last April they celebrated their golden wedding.

David Henderson, a young colored school teacher at Dunlop, Kan., who assaulted Dora Ray, one of his pupils, was cited to appear before the school board, and while there fatally wounded Samuel Ray and his wife and two other persons with a hatchet.

The National Grange in session at Worcester, Mass., reelected J. H. Brigham, of Delta, O., as national master to serve his fourth term.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Samuel Faze, aged 64 years, of Cuyahoga Falls, O., was wedded to Miss Elsie Miller, aged 16, of Akron. The groom is a bachelor and worth $75,000.

The official count of the vote in Kentucky in the recent election for governor is as follows: Bradley (rep.), 179,436; Hardin (dem.), 163,982; Pettit (pop.), 16,011; Demaree (pro.), 4,162; Bradley's plurality, 5,474.

W. H. Evans, the oldest democratic editor in southern Indiana, died at his home in Oakland City, aged 60 years.

Ottway Davis, a negro, celebrated his 102d birthday at Knoxville, Tenn.

Eben D. Jordan, head of the great dry goods firm of Jordan, Marsh & Co., died at his home in Boston, aged 73 years.

Dr. T. N. Jamieson, of Cook county, was elected to succeed John R. Tanner, of Clay county, as chairman of the republican state committee of Illinois.

Rev. Dr. Samuel Francis Smith, the venerable author of the national hymn, "America," and of the missionary song, "The Morning Light Is Breaking," died suddenly in a railway station in Boston. He was born in Boston October 21, 1808.

Mrs. Amelia Darwin, aged 103, died at Black River Falls, Wis. Her husband, who is still alive, is 107 years of age.

The official plurality of Gov-Elect Bushnell, of Ohio, is 92,138.

FOREIGN.

Five Russian warships were ordered to the Mediterranean to join fleets sent by England, Italy, France and Greece to take part in the naval demonstration arising out of the Armenian question.

It was announced that the rebellion in Cuba was costing Spain $150,000 a day.

In St. Petersburg a daughter was born to the czar and czarina. Both mother and child were doing well.

The launch of the British cruiser Edgar sank off Nagasaki, China, and 43 lives were lost.

The board of directors of the Societe Generale, a big banking institution at Brussels, discovered that it had been robbed of $2,500,000.

Advices from Turkey say that fully 20,000 Armenians were killed during the recent massacre.

Dispatches received in London say that the Armenians were being massacred everywhere in Asia Minor, and that over 100,000 were dying of starvation and exposure.

Dispatches from Constantinople announce that the anti-Christian agitation was extending throughout northern Syria and that many Christians had been murdered at Aleppo.

Indians to the number of 200 were caught by troops in a canyon near Bogota, South America, and killed to a man by rolling stones on them from above.

Advices from Port Barrios say that American negroes live a terrible life in that country working on the railroads. Many of them have been beaten to death, and recently five of them were found hanging to a tree.

Manager Short, of the Commercial bank at Sale, Victoria, shot his wife and two children and then killed himself.

LATER.

The funeral services over the body of Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D., famous as the author of the national hymn, "America," were held at the First Baptist church in Newton, Mass.

Daniel H. Brenizer, cashier of the Citizens' Trust and Surety company in Philadelphia, was said to be short $25,000 in his accounts.

The president has appointed John L. Peak, of Kansas City, Mo., United States minister to Switzerland, to succeed Minister Broadhead, resigned.

At Purcell, I. T., 32 buildings were burned at a loss of $150,000, and two merchants were arrested for arson.

Jesus Vialpando and Feliciano Chavez, convicted of murdering and burning the body of young Tomas Martinez, were hanged at Santa Fe, N. M.

The magnificent new battle ship Indiana was accepted by the government from the builders.

A great forest fire was raging on the Little Kanawha near Parkersburg, W. Va., and large tracts of woods and barns and fencing had been burned.

Two earthquake shocks frightened the residents of Cairo, Ill., but did no damage.

The Texas Paper company and the Deering Harvester company lost their plants by fire at Dallas, Tex., the total loss being $125,000.

The catch of the Gloucester (Mass.) mackerel fleet the past season was only 25,000 barrels, against 50,000 last year.

Four boys wrecked a train on the New York Central road near Rome, N. Y., and N. N. Hager, the engineer, and an unknown man were killed.

The Italian bark Brom Carlo was lost off Cape Horn and 15 persons were drowned.

It was said that a new gold-bearing region had been found in Archuleta county, Col., which would eclipse anything known in the world.

Assistant Secretary Reynolds, of the interior department, has decided that where a pension has been obtained fraudulently the attorney procuring the pension is not entitled to the fee and must refund it.

Fire in the Parker block at Lowell, Mass., caused a loss of $350,000.

At the 27th annual banquet of the chamber of commerce of the city of New York Secretary Carlisle spoke on national finances. He said the legal tender note was the fundamental vice of our currency system, was responsible for many vagaries, and should be retired.

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Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	10 25 "
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 00 P.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 25 "

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EAST. No 98 Pass.	No. 93 Pass	No. 91 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 94 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 35	L....Allegan....A	3 40	8 15
.....	12 2	6 50	Monteith	3 29	7 52
.....	1 14	7 39	Yorkville	1 36	7 14
.....	1 55	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 46	6 30
7 22	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 42
8 21	3 51	9 34	Hanover	10 46	5 23
9 30	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 39
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
.....	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 43	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 41	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	*3 54
12 55	6 07	11 13	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 35
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 15	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	2 45
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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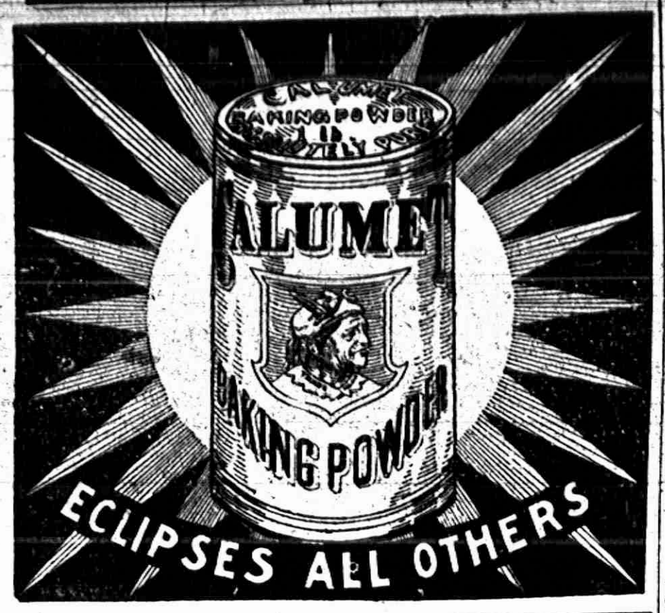

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, November 11th, 1895.

Adjourned session. Present; the entire council except Trustee Hall.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The chairman of the ordinance committee reported that committee had prepared an ordinance relative to licensing hawkers, peddlers of goods by transient traders [illegible], and also licensing shows [illegible]tainments; also an ordinance regulating the speed of railway trains passing through the village, which were read to the council. Moved that report of committee be accepted. Supported. Carried.

Chairman of committee on electric lighting reported that a schedule for Lighting and extinguishing lamps for a term of four months from the first of November, had been prepared and that manager of Electric Co. had agreed to be governed thereby, that they had authorized clerk to issue order in payment of lights for October. Moved that report be accepted. Supported. Carried.

Chairman of committee on fire department reported that they had investigated the cost of a set of swinging harness and that by buying collars and having balance of harness made by local harness makers, same would cost not to exceed $300. Moved that report be accepted and adopted and that committee procure a set of swinging harness for the fire department if not to exceed $300. Supported. Carried.

The following ordinance entitled "An ordinance relative to licenses," was introduced.

AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO LICENCES

SEC. 1. The village of Tecumseh ordains that no person or persons shall hawk, peddle, or offer for sale any goods, wares, merchandise, patent medicine, jewelry or other property of any kind or description, in any of the streets, lanes, parks, public places, alleys, or on any vacant lots, within said village, without first having paid for and obtained from the clerk of the village a license therefore, upon the terms hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. Hawkers or peddlers going about said village from place to place or from door to door with any vehicle drawn by any beast, horse, mule or any other means of locomotion, or peddling any cart, wagon or barrow, carrying with them and selling or offering for sale any of the articles or property mentioned in section 1 of this ordinance, shall pay a daily license of two dollars for each and every day or part of a day while so engaged.

SEC. 3. Any person or persons selling or offering for sale any of the articles or property mentioned in section one of this ordinance, from any carriage, cart, buggy, wagon, dray, show stand, show case, box or barrel or in any other manner, in the streets, public parks, spaces, alleys or on any sidewalk in said village, shall pay a daily license of six dollars for each day or part of a day while so engaged.

SEC. 4. Any person or persons selling or offering for sale any of the articles or property mentioned in section one of this ordinance, from any carriage, cart, buggy, wagon, dray, show stand, show case, box or barrel or in any other manner, in the streets, public parks, spaces, alleys or on any sidewalk in said village, shall pay a daily license of six dollars for each day or part of a day while so engaged.

SEC. 5. Persons selling fish on the streets or from place to place shall pay a yearly license of five dollars or for a daily license the sum of one dollar for each day or part of a day.

SEC. 6. Any transient merchant or trader selling or offering for sale at private sale, any of the articles or property mentioned in Section 1, in any building or store building in said village, shall pay twenty five dollars per month or two dollars for each day or part of a day, if such license is issued for a shorter period than one month.

SEC. 7. No person or persons shall engage in, carry on or exercise the business or occupation of an auctioneer, or sell or offer for sale any of the articles or property mentioned in section one, without first having paid for and obtained from the clerk of the village a license therefor. Provided, that this ordinance shall not prevent the sale of any goods, wares, merchandise or property by virtue of any legal process issuing from any court. Provided, further, that this ordinance shall not apply to sales of any second hand furniture or household goods.

SECTION 8. Auctioneers shall pay for a license for the term of one year, which shall be from January first until December thirty first of each year, the sum of ten dollars, or for each day or part of a day while selling goods at auction or offering the same for sale, two dollars.

SEC. 9. No person, persons, company or companies shall exhibit or show in said village any circus, menagerie, sideshow, exhibiting under any tent or canvas, or any play, theatrical exhibition or performance, any exhibition of any natural or artificial curiosities, or give any concert, show or exhibition for which an admission fee is charged or demanded, without first having paid for and obtained a license from the clerk of the village.

SEC. 10. The proprietor, manager or person in charge of any circus, menagerie or show, showing under a tent, tents or canvas, shall pay for a license the sum of fifteen dollars for each day.

SEC. 11. Every sideshow of natural or artificial curiosities, exhibiting or performing, attending or traveling with any circus or menagerie, shall pay for a license three dollars for each day.

SEC. 12. Proprietors, managers or persons in charge of any show or performance, not being a circus, menagerie or sideshow traveling with or attending any circus or menagerie, but exhibiting under any tent or canvas, shall pay a license of five dollars for each day.

SEC. 13. The proprietor, manager or person in charge of any concert, musical entertainment, show, theater, theatrical exhibition, play or game, for which an admission fee is charged or demanded, shall pay for a license the sum of three dollars for each day or part of a day. Provided: nothing in this section contained shall apply to any exhibition of any public or private school, musical association, music teacher, order, society or any entertainment for the benefit of any church.

SEC. 14. Any person, company, manager, agent or person in charge of any hall, building or opera house within said village, where entertainments mentioned in the preceding section are given may obtain a yearly license by paying an annual license fee of ten dollars, which license shall be dated from January first and shall expire December thirty-first of each year, which yearly license shall exonerate all companies or persons giving entertainments or shows therein, from payment of a license mentioned in the preceding section.

SEC. 15. That all licenses granted under the provisions of this ordinance shall be issued by the clerk of the village upon application and payment to him in advance of the fee required therefor by this ordinance.

SEC. 16. All licenses shall state therein the name of the licensee, kind of business, occupation or vocation, place where same is to be exercised or carried on and the time for which said license is granted.

SECTION 17. No license shall be transferable nor assignable in any manner, nor shall any person other than the one named in said license do any act or carry on any business thereunder; any transfer or assignment of said license shall be void and any person working thereunder shall be liable to prosecution the same as if working without a license.

SEC. 18. It shall be the duty of the village marshal to ascertain whether every person, who shall be carrying on any business, occupation or trade for which a license is required by any ordinance of said village, has paid for and taken out a license and to make complaint to any justice of the peace of the township of Tecumseh, of all who violate the provisions of any ordinance relative to licenses.

SEC. 19. The common council may, at any time revoke or annul any license that may be granted, whenever, in their opinion, it shall be expedient so to do. Whenever any license shall be revoked or annulled it shall be the duty of the clerk to give notice thereof in writing to the person or persons to whom such license was granted.

SEC. 20. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace of the township of Tecumseh, be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, together with costs of prosecution. Upon default in the payment of any fine and costs such person shall be confined in the county jail for not more than sixty days, unless such fine be sooner paid, and any person so sentenced to imprisonment may be kept at labor during the term thereof.

SEC. 21. An ordinance passed August 7th, 1871, entitled "An ordinance relative to licenses," as amended March 3rd, 1881, and December 6th, 1886, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances the provisions of which in any wise conflict with the provision of this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 22. This ordinance shall take effect December 1st, 1895.

Passed November 11th, 1895.

J. H. SMITH, President.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Moved that above ordinance be adopted and passed, supported. Yeas, Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heesen, Smith, Wright—5. Nays, none. Declared passed.

The following ordinance, entitled "An ordinance relative to the speed of railway trains," was introduced.

AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO THE SPEED OF RAILWAY TRAINS.

SEC. 1. The village of Tecumseh ordains: That it shall not be lawful for any railroad company to run or propel its locomotives, trains or cars within or through the corporate limits of the village of Tecumseh at a greater rate of speed than six miles an hour.

SEC. 2. Any railroad company violating the provision of this ordinance shall pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offence, which penalty shall be recovered before any justice of the peace of the township of Tecumseh, in an action of assumpsit, together with costs of suit.

SEC. 3. The conductor, engineer or other employee of any railway company, in charge of or running any locomotive, railway train or cars, in or through said village at a greater rate of speed than six miles an hour, shall be punished, upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace of the township of Tecumseh, by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than fifteen days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, together with costs of prosecution.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall take effect December 5th, 1895.

Passed Nov. 11th, 1895.

J. H. SMITH, President.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Moved that above ordinance be adopted and passed, supported. Yeas, Trustees Boyd, Satterthwaite, Heezen, Smith, Wright—5. Nays, none. Declared passed.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

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The Railways of the North have made unusually low rates, and even lower figures may be obtained on specified dates in connection with special parties now being formed to start from Detroit and other Northern centres.

A beautifully illustrated and descriptive folder of the Exposition, and also setting forth the perfect Southern service of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railway, can be had free by addressing D. G. Edwards, G. P. A., Cincinnati, or any C. H. & D. Agent.

The Masonic Fair at Detroit.

Those who are conversant with preparations made for the masonic fair and exposition in the new masonic Temple, Detroit, Nov. 25 to Dec. 7, say it will require a whole day to see it.

Mr. D. D. Thorp, who heads the soliciting committee, had reports read at the recent meeting of this committee showing that the contributions to the fair extended over the whole country. From California and Mexico came offers of semi-tropical fruit, from the south the products of that sunny land and from the east the fruit of the loom, the spindle and the factory.

Sometime ago it was decided to secure a warehouse in which to store the various contributions offered and an amusing incident occurred at a recent meeting of the woman's auxiliary committee when Mrs. John Walker, President, read the request that each sub-presiding officer should send the goods she had secured to this warehouse. Mrs. Jules A. Dresser, in a very dry and plaintive way, convulsed the members of the committee by asking how on earth she could get the 40 acres of land and horse she had secured into the warehouse. Mrs. W. E. Robinson, wife of the superintendent of schools, suggested that Mrs. Dresser get somebody to give a wagon and harness and haul the acreage down to the warehouse, load at a time.

For an international display of curios, novelties and numismatics, Messrs. Wm. Carson, H. E. Hatch and John Walker, respectively chairman of the named committees, have secured the most valuable collection ever seen in this country. Mr. Hatch has all the electric novelties of these fin de siecle times. Mr. Carson has secured the curios of the police departments of Detroit and other cities,—most interesting of themselves,—and John Walker has ransacked both this and the old continent for valuable souvenirs and has secured four most valuable, including the cross of Napoleon, the medal of the Legion of Honor and that struck off by George IV commemorating the capture of Detroit.

The music which will enliven the fair will probably be the most expensive and pleasing, as well as artistically perfect, that has ever been heard in Michigan. Chairman C. M. Hayes has secured promises from all the leading musical organizations of the city for special nights and each afternoon and evening of the fair will reveal a wealth of musical talent.

To Hon. Geo. H. Barbour a great deal of credit and congratulation is due. He has procured that grand masterpiece of George Rochegrosse, "The Fall of Babylon," that picture which amazed with admiring wonder the Paris salon of 1891 and created such a marked sensation in New York later. This masterpiece which marks an epoch in Michigan art, is the one which Anthony Comstock endeavored to have suppressed because of the lifelike nude figures so realistically depicted in it. All the railroads will run excursions to the fair on dates to be announced later.

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Of Greenville, Ill., Mr. C. E. Cook, writes: "I have been troubled with, biliousness, sick headache, sour stomach, constipation, etc., for several years. I sought long and tried many remedies, but was disappointed until I tried your Syrup pepsin I can cheerfully recommend it to any suffering from above complaints."—Orr & Temple. Nov

Tecumseh Price Current.

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PROVISION MARKET.	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	16	18
Eggs, per doz	18	20
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel		1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		14
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 15 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 18
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	5½ 6	10
Turkeys	7	
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		
Corn, shelled		30 to 40
Corn in ear	15	to 25
Oats	18	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00	to 12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		75
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Nov. 20		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$2 00	@	4 75
Sheep	2 00	@	3 25
Hogs	4 00	@	4 30
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 50	@	3 70
City Mill Patents	4 10	@	4 35
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	67½	@	68
No. 1 Hard	67½	@	67¾
CORN—No. 2	36	@	36½
May	35⅞	@	37⅛
OATS—No. 2	23	@	23¼
PORK—Mess	$ 35	@	
LARD—Western Steam	$ 6	@	6 00
BUTTER—West'n Cr'm'y	14	@	23
Western Dairy	10½	@	15
EGGS	21	@	23½
CHICAGO			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 25	@	4 90
Stockers and Feeders	2 30	@	3 70
Cows	1 50	@	3 35
Texas Steers	2 50	@	3 25
HOGS—Light	3 40	@	3 45
Rough Packing	3 35	@	3 45
SHEEP	1 60	@	3 30
BUTTER—Creamery	11	@	22½
Dairy	11	@	19
Packing Stock	6	@	11
EGGS—Fresh	15	@	20
BROOM CORN (per ton)	20 00	@	50 00
POTATOES (per bu)	15	@	24
PORK—Mess	$ 00	@	8 10
LARD—Steam	$ 5 52½	@	5 55
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 15	@	3 50
Spring Straights	2 65	@	2 90
Winter Patents	3 00	@	3 50
Winter Straights	2 60	@	3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, Dec	56⅞	@	57½
Corn, No. 2	29	@	29¾
Oats, No. 2	18¾	@	18¾
Rye, No. 2	26	@	26½
Barley, Good to Choice	32	@	40
MILWAUKEE			
GRAIN—Wh't, No. 2 Sp'g	56⅞	@	57
Corn, No. 3	29	@	29½
Oats, No. 2 White	19¾	@	19¾
Rye, No. 1	37½	@	37½
Barley, No. 2	35½	@	35¾
PORK—Mess	7 95	@	8 00
LARD	5 40	@	5 45
ST. LOUIS			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50	@	4 90
Texas	2 40	@	3 60
HOGS	3 30	@	3 65
SHEEP	2 25	@	3 40
OMAHA			
CATTLE—Steers	$2 90	@	4 75
Feeders	2 40	@	3 50
HOGS—Light and mixed	3 30	@	3 40
Heavy	3 25	@	3 45
SHEEP	2 75	@	3 25

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He Refused a Tempting Offer From the Chi Government—His Health Would Not Permit His Acceptance.

From the Springfield, Mass. Union.

As the result of long and arduous attention to business for many years, Jefferson M. Clough, now of Belchertown, Mass., who has just turned sixty-five years, found himself disabled by muscular rheumatism, two years and more ago and was obliged to relinquish the position of general superintendent of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, of New Haven, Conn., where he had been employed for eleven years at a salary of $5,000 for the first few years of his service, but which was increased to $7,500 by the voluntary action of the company. Previous to his service for the Winchester Repeating Arms Company he had filled the responsible position of superintendent at E. Remington & Son's armory, at Ilion, N. Y., for seventeen years; during which time large quantities of arms were made for foreign governments as well as our own, besides sewing machines and typewriters—Mr. Clough having perfected the first of the latter machines that was exhibited. After leaving the Remingtons and previous to making an engagement with the Winchester Arms Company, the secretary of the Chinese Legation in this country came to Belchertown and negotiated with Mr. Clough to go to China to build arms for the Chinese government; but the long delay in getting the answer from the Chinese decided him in accepting the offer to go to New Haven. It was during his service for the Arms Company he visited the leading armories of England, France and Germany in company with the vice-president of the company, in order to learn whatever new methods there might be in the manufacture of muskets. It was after this long term of active labor as a business man that, finding himself incapacitated for further service by the embargo which rheumatism had laid upon him, he resigned his position more than two years ago and returned to Belchertown, where he owned what was originally the Phelps farm, about three miles southeast of the centre of the town, in a retired spot where he has five hundred acres of land.

From this quiet home he began to seek a remedy for the muscular rheumatism which was located largely in the muscles of his shoulders, chest and back. He employed Dr. Holbrook, of Palmer, and received great benefit from his treatment for a time; but was so anxious to gain faster that he decided to seek another treatment, and being a man of means did not spare the cost, and was treated by baths at celebrated springs without receiving any benefit worth notice. He then tried various remedies advertised for rheumatism without receiving any good effect. During the summer of 1893 and the winter of 1894 Mr. Clough was confined to his house in Belchertown, being unable to rise from his bed without assistance, and suffering continually with acute pains and with no taste or desire for food, nor was he able to obtain sufficient sleep.

Early in the year 1894 Mr. Clough heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People through his brother James M. Clough, of Easthampton, Mass., who came to visit him, and was induced to make a trial of them. He began taking these pills about the first of March, 1894, and continued to do so until the first part of September following. The first effect noticed was a better appetite and he began to note more ability to help himself off the bed and to be better generally. Last August (1894) he was able to go alone to his summer residence, an I farm of 163 acres on Grenadier Island, among the Thousand Islands, in the river St. Lawrence, where from the highest land of his farm he commands a view for thirteen miles down the river.

Instead of being confined to his bed Mr. Clough is now and has been for some time able to be about the farm to direct the men employed there, and he is thankful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for him.

A Society Girl.

From the Oswego, N. Y., Palla

"For months I lived in an agony thought surely I was going to die greeted me as one not long for this Physicians were unable to help me believe that I would have died but for writing to me from Detroit, Michigan, commending that I try Dr. Williams' Pills for Pale People. I did so reluctantly with little faith in their efficacy. I am now and I know that I owe my restored health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for People, and to them alone."

That is the story Miss Elizabeth Wi of 110 West Third Street, a lady promine society circles, told a reporter of the Os N. Y., *Daily Palladium*, who called upon at her home in that city yesterday. Miss Williams is the daughter of the late Capt. Williams, who was for many years maste some of the finest passenger steamers on great lakes and an inspector and rater of l for the Lloyd's marine records on the la Continuing the story of her illness in her own way, Miss Williams said:

"I was always regarded as healthy an bust by my family and friends; in fa hardly knew what sickness was until the ter of 1893-4. I was then taken down w attack of la grippe from the attending of which I did not recover for months. seemed to be a general break-down health and constitution, winding up early summer with nervous prostrati sciatic rheumatism. I can't describe symptoms. My appetite was gone and I was unable to eat or relish food lu ingly. I lost flesh rapidly and was as a shadow. Local physicians attended stantly. After months of treatment missed both and took my brother's adv tried Pink Pills. He had found them cious for kidney trouble. Before I had taking the first box I noticed an improv in my physical condition. I began t my food and my rheumatism trouble Gradually the general tone of my s proved and my rheumatic pains le tirely. I regained strength and was until to-day I regard myself as fres from all ailment and in perfect h My friends noted my improvement and never hesitated to tell them what Dr. liams' Pink Pills did for one sufferer, that others may be benefited that I make statement and relate my experience."

The foregoing is but two of many wo cures that have been credited to Dr. Pink Pills for Pale People. Even heretofore have been supposed to be such as locomotor ataxia and paralysis to this wonderful medicine so most trifling ailments. In many cases ported cures have been investigated leading newspapers and verified in every sible manner, and in no case has the semblance of fraud been discovered. fame has spread to the far ends of the and there is hardly a drug store in the or abroad where they cannot be found.

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The divine that is in man constantly seeks after the infinite. Hence among all peoples there is an universal searching after God. As are the cult and the morals of the people, so their idealization of the preexistent. All, however, clothe Him with righteousness and confess Him to be the supreme almoner of the universe. Gratitude is neither dead nor asleep, and as men receive so the wells of thankfulness send forth bubbling waters whose ripples make music of praise. Among Christian nations, where conceptions of the All-Good have reached greatest perfectness, the lesson of gratitude is most frequently taught and most universally practiced. Long anterior to the birth of the American nation the people were wont at the close of the aftermath to set apart a day in which to consider the tender mercies, the boundless love, the generous hand of God, in order that their hearts might swell and throb in responsive touch to His beneficence. This practice, born amid the rocky hills of New England, has been perpetuated annually by a nation, which, above all peoples that have been and are, has most cause to be glad.

Here indeed do the rocks pour out rivers of oil, the earth yields marvelous increase and only the sins and shortcomings of men make possible want or suffering anywhere. Among this people is the greatest personal liberty, broadest interpretation of the rights of the individual, highest aspirations after comforts and luxuries and greatest general faith in the promise and fulfillment of a more exalted condition of universal happiness. With this people, as with no other people, are greater diversity of climate, more varied yields of vegetation and a wider range of employment for the masses than is found anywhere else upon the globe. In this country men have need to their comfort to employ less hours for labor and may devote more time to enjoyment and pleasure than their fellow-beings in other lands.

Recalling these superior benefits our people have cause indeed for gratitude; not because they enjoy privileges that would seem to be denied others but for the reason that their lines are cast in pleasant places. The grateful heart is best capable of appreciating, and he who remembers his blessings cannot fail of according praise where praise belongs. Retrospecting the year and its results there are suggestions that the barns are filled to fatness with golden grain, the wheels of industry whirl and whirr, the marts of trade are active with hurrying feet and the hope and promise of better things are potent. Remembering his divinity as well as his mortality; recalling the Providence that is over all and giveth all, he who receives should not fail of a grateful heart nor selfishly measure his own gifts by those of his neighbor.

There are those who sorrow, because from the beginning the laughter of the joyful has rung out amid the cry of hearts made desolate; but there is the universal promise of comfort to the mourner. At this season of the year the once green leaves are sered, fallen upon the ground, betrodden under foot of man; but the naked trees, through which the chilly blast of the west wind now moans, shall, with the warming days of spring, put on new beauty and freshness. So the days that are to be give assurance of peace to spirits that may be troubled. The night comes, but the glad sun is on its course and its rays will spread life and light upon all. The mortality of man confirms suffering at intervals, but the divine that is in him lifts him up out of the depths, and in the higher life he sees and adores the beneficent God of all. It is a good thing to remember mercies, to forget afflictions and to give thanks to the All-Giver.

WILLIAM ROSSER COBBE.

A THANKSGIVING HYMN.

Sacred wine of Jove's libation
To the Father ever more,
Gratitude and consecration
From our hearts we'll daily pour.

In the hand extended o'er us,
In the golden days behind,
In the sky-bright hopes before us,
Thy compassion we may find.

For the friendships that engirt us,
For affection's sacred flame,
For Thy law which doth convert us,
We would magnify Thy name.

Thanks we give for home and nation,
For the blood that made us free,
Seeking still the consummation
Of our perfect liberty.

For the altar fires glowing
With religion's holy light;
For the spirit breezes blowing;
For the faith transcending sight;

For the storm, the sun, the rainbow,
Verdant pastures, pleasant ways—
For Thy mercies' constant inflow
Hear our orisons of praise.

—Rev. Samuel J. Barrows, in Christian Register.

Impure blood is the cause of boils, pimples and other eruptions. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and and cures these troubles. 1w

High School Happenings.

Paul Bowen entered school last Monday.

Miss Hartbeck went to Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Harriet Osborn visited A room Monday.

Philosophy class are still studying Pneumatics.

Charles Hurry will spend Thanksgiving in Albion.

Miss Harding is absent this week and Mr. Field fills her place.

Geometry class are engaged in the construction of triangles.

Floyd Pentecost, of Franklin, visited the High School Thursday.

This unpleasant weather seems to have an undesirable effect on the tardy lists.

Calvin Snell ably discussed the topic of self-sacrifice in A room Tuesday morning.

It has been proposed that the students in some of the rooms be provided with Siberian winter suits.

Misses Ethel Hampton, Cora Burtless and Veda Pentecost, of Franklin, were visitors in A room Thursday.

Monday was an unfavorable day for the furnaces, but Janitor Robinson made them do their duty Tuesday.

A lyceum was held in A room Wednesday, consisting of essays, recitations and music. It was the first one of the season and was well attended. Among the visitors were Mrs. North, Mrs. Waring, Mr. Joe Eaton, Miss Mary Eaton and Miss Grace Burnett.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Upon invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Remington the club held a meeting at their home on Tuesday evening, Nov. 26. The gathering was not as large as was desired owing no doubt, in a measure, to the prospects of a disagreeable and stormy evening. All who went were warmly welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Remington and found their home a pleasant place for a meeting.

The literary program consisting of quotations, paper, declamation, charade, etc., was good. The paper read by J. F. N. Bowen showed that in many respects the depression of the present time was not as great as it appeared. The question of taxes was but briefly discussed. The general opinion being that the school and road tax was entirely justifiable, but that county and state taxes were often increased by the extravagance of officials. The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Gillespie, Tuesday evening, Dec. 17th.

PROGRAM.

Music—Ora Gillespie.
Rec.—Katharine Remington.
Reading—Ida Rector.
Rec.—Edna Hendershot.
Music—Bertha Roberts.
Rec.—Lovina Schreder.
Dialogue—Ora Bowen, Fred. Rector and others.
Prophecy—Mrs. John Keusch.
Locals and Personals—Lova Gillespie.
Music—Mrs. Geo. Benedict.
Election of officers.

It is hoped that all members of the club will be present at this meeting, and an invitation is extended to the other clubs to send delegates to this meeting, that the advisability of holding a Farmers' Institute be considered.

Resolutions of Respect.

Since it has pleased the Great Commander to remove from us to his reward Lyman Randall, our late comrade, we would record our appreciation of him as a brave soldier, who served his country in the days of her greatest peril. He died Nov. 15th, 1895, at his home in Cambridge, of Bright's disease. During his last illness he professed faith in Christ as his Saviour. He leaves a wife, one child and an aged father to mourn his death. His funeral was held in the Congressional church, of Little Hope, under the auspices of Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R. A very appreciative sermon was delivered by the pastor of the church, after which his remains were by Comrades deposited in the cemetery near the church, in the presence of the bereaved family and sympathizing friends. Therefore

RESOLVED, That we extend to the bereaved friends our sincere sympathy in this their great affliction.

L. BARNES,
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Michigan Day, Atlanta Exposition, December 9th.

The C., J. & M. R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets from all points within the state of Michigan to Atlanta and return, account Michigan Day. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 6th and 7th, good returning ten days from date of sale. For further information as to the time of trains, etc., call on nearest C., J. & M. agent or address the general passenger agent.

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DOWN IN THE SUNNY SOUTH.

A Few Notes on the Great Cotton States Exposition Now in Progress at Atlanta.

We stopped our recital last week just as we were preparing to enter the Exposition grounds. Upon arriving at the Union Depot in Atlanta, at 7 o'clock in the morning, we found half a dozen trains in the depot from as many different directions, all discharging a load of humanity into the crowded streets. The depot is located in the center of the business part of the city, and hence it is always crowded, but the whole town is a typical western hustler. It reminds one of Chicago or Kansas City, for it is on the boom every day from sunrise until midnight. The growth of Atlanta since the war has been phenominal. During the last two years of the great conflict it was almost wiped out of existence, the battle of Atlanta itself, which was fought on the outskirts of the present city, being one of the bloodiest engagements of the war. But the few citizens left then possessed genuine American pluck and business sagacity, and, with the return of peace, they boldly set about the task of rebuilding the city. It was no holiday play spell, either. The city itself was almost a ruin, while the farming area for hundreds of miles in all directions was devastated. The city, however, possesses a fine geographical location for an inland town. Nature has made it a railroad center, and it has aptly been named the "Gate City" of the South. Her leading men grasped this idea and made the most of it from the outset. The railroads then centering there were improved and extended and new lines were projected. The state capital was secured by reason of her railway facilities, and Atlanta began the race in improvement, which has since been felt in all portions of the "New South." The city now contains a population of about 110,000 and it will doubtless contain 150,000 by the close of the century. It has many elegant hotels and business blocks that rival the best ones in Cincinnati, Cleveland or Detroit. It is well provided with churches and school buildings. It has a first-class water works, a fine electric street railway system, and a big electric light plant. It possesses all the characteristics of our best northern cities, and, but for its mild climate and clear blue sky, a northern visitor would hardly mistrust that he was in a southern clime.

The members of the two press associations were provided with passes to the Exposition grounds, good for five days, and hence they set out at once to make the most of the time allotted them. The grounds are located north of the city, about two miles from the Union Depot, and were formerly known as Piedmont Park. The Exposition is reached from the city by the Southern railway, carriages, and three electric car lines, and there are several large hotels near the grounds—only a block or two distant. We put up at the Derwent, only one block from the main entrance. The house is well managed and furnished a good home during our stay in Atlanta.

Upon entering the grounds at the west or main entrance, the first thing which strikes the attention of the visitor is the natural beauty and lovely landscape features of Piedmont Park. The park is set on a succession of hills, ranged upon four general levels, and contains 189 acres. We will attempt to picture, to the mind's eye of our readers, one of the most picturesque spots that the art of the landscape gardener, supplementing the work of nature, has ever produced. Go with us to the Art Gallery, located at the northwest corner of the park, and take a seat on the steps of the front portico, where we can view the landscape at our leisure. At first the eye wanders to the south, east and west and takes in the general surroundings. We behold a beautiful, undulating country, with wooded hills and shady dells rising one above another on every hand. The range of vision is narrowed down and the eye is then fixed upon the acres within the Exposition walls, when an ideal picture of harmony and beauty bursts upon the view. Our point of observation is the highest on the grounds and gives us an unobstructed view of nearly all the buildings on the Park, spread out before us like a grand panorama. The scene is a great amphitheatre, in the production of which nature and art have vied with each other and finally combined their efforts to captivate the eye and please the brain of the spectator. Fifty feet below is the Plaza, a level flat of ground, bounded by a broad walkway, oblong in form and about half a mile in circumference. This level plat is divided into walks and patches of green sward, ten in number, of various shapes and sizes, ornamented with plants, shrubs and evergreens, the walks being paved with crushed limestone. The various shades of green and golden yellow, combining with the gray pavements and the silver mist of the great fountain playing in the center of the Plaza, produce a most striking effect. After admiring this scene and the surroundings from the steps of the Art Gallery, let us descend and take our observations from the Plaza, near the center fountain. To the west, and twelve feet above stand the Auditorium, the Georgia, and Agricultural buildings. The ascent is made in a circle, by the gentle slope of the walk-way or up a terrace by broad, easy steps, which are bounded by balustrades of rustic rock masonry. Further to the west is the main entrance and the Administration building. North of this are located the structures of Pennsylvania and New York, the Piedmont Club and Fire building, and then the Art Gallery, all from thirty to fifty feet above. Skirting the Plaza on the South, and nearly twenty feet below, is a broad walk, just beyond which reposes beautiful Clara Meer, whose placid surface is twenty-five feet below. In form the lake resembles an immense stocking, with the toe pointing to the west and the leg northward, a rustic bridge spanning it at the ankle. At the instep plays a magnificent electric fountain. No more beautiful effects can be witnessed on this continent than by this electric fountain that glitters over beautiful Clara Meer like a rainbow, at night. The water presents the appearance of a mass of gorgeous flowers, rising to a height of one hundred and fifty feet, and changing their colors as they fall. The central part of this mass represents a geyser, a stream of water emitted from a two-inch pipe and descending in a spray around the fountain. Encircling this mass is a mist bank, which is an entirely new effect in hydraulics. It envelopes the fountain in a dense mist of spray, illuminated with colored lights in endless combinations. On the bosom of the lake gaily bedecked gondolas, electric launches and other craft flit gaily to and fro. Clara Meer is entirely surrounded by a broad walk from five to ten feet above the water level. Directly south of this lake stands the Machinery building, west of which, twenty feet above the lake, is the Mineral and Forestry building, its bold outlines clothed with a natural coat of bark. The latter has a large roof garden, used for the Aragon restaurant and cafe. The grounds about the central Plaza vary from twenty-five feet below to thirty feet above the Plaza and the various buildings all face the fountain that throws its spray from the center of this Plaza. East of the Machinery building are the California, Georgia, Manufacturers', Negro, and a number of minor structures. East of Clara Meer, the north arm of it, are located the Transportation and Electricity buildings. On the flat between the Plaza and the north arm of the lake stands the Woman's building, and a few rods north of this is the Liberal Arts, the largest structure on the grounds. North of the Plaza on the upper level are located the U. S. Government building, the Chinese tower, and a number of state and private structures and cafes. The first level is twenty feet, the second level thirty feet, the third level forty feet and the fourth level fifty feet above the Plaza. These are reached by easy flights of steps in different directions, all of which are bordered by massive balustrades of rustic rock masonry. The numerous terrace slopes are covered with grass and running vines of sweet scented, ever blooming honeysuckles. The massive outlines and peculiar arrangement of the buildings, the placing of statuary, fountains and vases, the location of parks and Clara Meer with its fountains, the enchanting vine covered terraces, all combine to produce a glorious landscape effect. On the terraces south of Machinery and Forestry runs the Midway street with its manifold attractions. A complete water system, with three miles of mains, furnishes an abundant supply of pure water. Ample provision is made for the public comfort by a complete system of sewers and a model electric light plant turns night into day.

These are the main features of Piedmont Park, but there are many minor details which will be briefly described hereafter. Compared with the great Columbian Exposition of 1893, it is a secondary show, that is true, but it rivals all other expositions that this country has ever seen.

Next week we will give a detailed description of some of the main buildings and exhibits.

A Child Enjoys

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known, and every family should have a bottle on hand.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., NOV. 29, 1895.

Fred Koering was an Adrian visitor Saturday.

Remember the Ladies' Fair, Wednesday, Dec. 11th.

John Kensler, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Sharts, of Toledo, is visiting at Henry Lancaster's.

M. Alexander, of Tipton, visited S. W. Demuth and family on Monday.

John Tuttle was home from the University to spend Thanksgiving season.

Communion was celebrated at St. John's church Thanksgiving afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Cummins, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Kies last Saturday.

The large cross was blown from the St. Dominic's church last Monday night.

A very pleasant social party was held at the home of Wm. Muir last Monday night.

Miss Zoa Fitch, of Deerfield, has been visiting at Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs, of Deerfield, have been visiting at C. Giger's part of this week.

Jess Davis entertained a number of friends at the home of his parents last Wednesday evening.

Santa Claus will be at the Fair, Dec. 11th. Come and buy your Chistmas presents from him.

Miss Sara Huntington gave a very pretty lemon tea to the members of Co. V on Thursday of last week.

Alonzo Marshall has been drawn as juror for the December term of the circuit court at the county seat.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Chas. Bostedor and Miss Belle Order next week Wednesday.

The annual election of officers in Clinton Lodge No. 154, F. & A. M., will occur at the regular meeting tomorrow night.

Fred Greenleaf, who has been very ill for some weeks, is able to sit up part of the time and will doubtless soon be about.

Walt Osborn, who was taken so seriously ill at his father-in-law's, Geo. Brown's, has been taken home to Tecumseh.

Frank Gillespie has a position with King Richardson & Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, and commences work with the firm this week.

Minnie Humphrey was home from Toledo over Sunday and filled her accustomed place at the organ of St. Dominic's church.

Quite a jolly crowd of dancers tripped the light fantastic at the town hall Wednesday night, working up a spirit and appetite for Thanksgiving.

S. W. Demuth and R. B. Mills were hauling duck at Evans' lake Tuesday. It was a little but rough Tuesday, but we presume it was an excellent day for ducks.

The Clinton high school had it out on the gridiron with a like collection of young men at Tecumseh yesterday. A full account of the game appears in another column.

The first lecture of the Clinton course will be given by Thos. McClarry, on Dec. 14th. His subject for this occasion will be "The Mission of Mirth"—a gay topic at least.

Dan Davis made a partially successful attempt to get into one of Demuth's show cases last Tuesday. The affair has been fixed up, however. That is, the show case has.

Union services were held at the Congregational church on Thanksgiving day and were well attended.—Rev. Marshall of the Baptist church, delivered the address.

Dr. Herman Brown was called from Chicago by telegram Saturday on account of the serious condition of his father. He returned Monday, it being impossible for him to leave his practice for any length of time.

Wm. C. Rogers, who went to Texas a few weeks since to spend the winter, returned Saturday noon from that land of flowers. The winter there was so short that he will now have a chance to spend the winter in both places.

Chris Wallinger and Miss Lizzie Kirk were very quietly married last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Codling in Tecumseh. The couple are well known here and have the congratulations of many friends.

The budding orange blossoms, whose heavy fragrance burdened the people as far away as Adrian, are unfolding pretty fast now. Will Katner and Miss Hattie Platt will also take a hand in the orange blossom business next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Editor Field, of Tecumseh, was here Tuesday in the interests of the News. We predict a very newsy Clinton page for that paper this week—for nowhere are our fair sisters more at home than in the reportorial field.

The transformer which supplies that particular part of electric fluid which goes to the post office, Dr. White's office and a part of Preese's store, has been out of repair lately causing those people to resort to the ancient kerosene lamps.

Wiltsey & Son have let the contract to Fred Sherwood for building them a store on the lot north of the Woodard foundry, which they purchased some time ago. The cite is an excellent one for their business and they will soon be stitching harness under their own roof.

Arrangements for the Clinton lecture course have been perfected, the entertainments and dates being as follows: Thos. McClarry, December 14th; Granville P. Cleiser, December 28th; H. H. Emmet, February 7th; Unity Concert Co. February 18th; John DeWitt Miller, March 24th.

The suit of T. R. Kyle, administrator of the estate of William Anderson, deceased, vs. H. W. Stevens, all of Tecumseh, before Justice Smith was decided Tuesday in favor of the defendant. Both plaintiff and defendant were really nominal parties and the suit was brought to determine the ownership of a lot of butcher's tools at one time owned by Wm. Anderson and subsequently seized by officer Stevens on some process.

Mrs. Archie Crane, who resided north of Clinton in the town of Bridgewater, has been a sufferer from consumption for some time past. Lately, however, she was somewhat better and last Saturday was able to be about the house. At night she was taken much worse and passed away early Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday.

The ladies of St. John's society have changed the date of their fair from Thursday, Dec. 12th to Wednesday, Dec. 11th. They will have for sale many fancy articles, both useful and ornamental. A good supper will be served from 4:30 to 8:30. In the evening the Cantata, 'Areia, the Fairy of the Waters,' will be given by twenty children.

It is nearly always fatal for beings of lowly and common-place origin to effect the sublimity of romantic nativity or poetic existence. A doting mother, of Clinton, of the lowly name of Tidlidewinks bestowed upon her tender offsprings the names of Glamora and Ione. This did very well during the days of baby innocence, but with the hard experiences of maturer days the sweet things pined and died. How sad! when 'Tom' and 'Tabby' would have spared their lives for usefulness. The moral is apparent. Take warning.

The uses to which the electric alarm bell can be put to for domestic purposes are a source of wonderful revelation to some. It has proved to be equally alert when put in an innocent looking couch as when affixed to a door or window. It can be so nicely adjusted that it will remain quiet when only one person occupies the couch, but when two endanger the springs with their combined weight the little bell gives an awful alarm of distress. This is not guess work, but is a fact well established by recent practical tests in Clinton.

RAISIN RACKET.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kishpaugh and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bowerman visited Clinton last week.

Mrs. Stanley Harkness and father left last week for California where they will make their home.

Rev. L. C. Chase will preach a Thanksgiving sermon at the Church of Christ, Little Hope, next Sunday.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh is at Hanover visiting her brother, John Kishpaugh, formerly of this place.

Miss Anna Chase is visiting friends and relatives here this week; it seems quite natural to see her again.

The grippe has begun to secure a hold for winter. Mrs. Art Chase, the first victim here, has been very ill the past week.

About thirty friends gathered at Frank Bowerman's Saturday evening and gave him a little surprise, it being the gentleman's twenty-eighth birthday. All report a good time.

P. H. Bowerman, wife and daughter, Miss Celia, will go to Brooklyn Wednesday, to attend the wedding of Miss Bertha Fuller and Mr. Fleming. Miss Fuller is a sister of Cassius Fuller and will be remembered as a former resident of this place.

The camel is a beast of great strength and endurance. Nothing hurts it until the the proverbial "last straw" is added to its burden. It is really astonishing how much abuse it will stand. Sometimes, however, something worse than usual will be eaten, and will go through the stomach into the bowels, and there it will stick—that's constipation. Nine-tenths of all human sickness is due to constipation. Some of the simplest symptoms are coated tongue and foul breath, dizziness, heart-burn, flatulence, sallowness, distress after eating, headaches and lassitude. A little thing will cause constipation, and a little thing will relieve it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pallets are a certain cure for constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and natural in their action. There is nothing injurious about them. Sold by druggists.

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The balance of nature has surely been somehow disturbed. It takes 800 expensive roses to make a teaspoonful of perfume, while a penny worth of cooked onions will scent a whole neighborhood.

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D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr. & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c., and $1.00. 3

Hunters' Rates.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines are selling Hunters' Tickets to all points in the hunting territory at hunters' rates. See Ohio Central agents. tf

The Shakers have made a great hit. Their digestive Cordial is said to be the most successful remedy for stomach troubles ever introduced. It immediately relieves all pain and distress after eating, builds up the feeble system and makes the week strong.

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"If taken into the head by the nostrils two or three times a week, Thomas' Electric Oil will positively relieve the most offensive case of catarrh." Rev. E. P. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y. 1w

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Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected!

How few people realize when their back begins to ache that it is a warning provided by nature to tell you that the kidneys are not working properly. You have a severe fall, you strain yourself lifting or perhaps you are compelled to maintain a sitting or stooping position for long intervals at a time, your back begins to ache, then your head, you become listless, tired and weary, but do you understand the real cause? We think not, else you would not use plasters and liniment on the back, which only relieve but do not reach the cause. If you would rid yourself of the pain and cure the root of the trouble, at the same time save many years of suffering and perhaps life itself, you will take a kidney remedy that has been tried and proven that it will cure.

Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Robsoin was a member of the Fifty-first Illinois Regiment, which served through the war with honor and distinction. Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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Mr. Henpeck anxiously.—Can I bring proceedings in court, Mr. Blackstone, to set aside my wife's will? Lawyer—Why, your wife isn't dead, man, is she? Mr. Henpeck—No; that's just the trouble.

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"I was afflicted with bowel trouble, and could get nothing that would help me until last fall I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have found it to be the only medicine that has done me any lasting good. It is the best blood purifier and regulator of the system." R. L. Richardson, 511 Mountain St., West Bay City, Mich.

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"Strikes me that Vanerchump is awfully conceited. He is; you know how it came about? No. Why, several years ago the report got out that he was dead. Several papers printed his obituary and of course, he read 'em!

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I do not understand it, said the philosopher. What is bothering you now? inquired the other. If a man is two hours late arriving at home, his wife raises a row, while if he is gone two years she will give him a royal welcomes. Women are peculiar.

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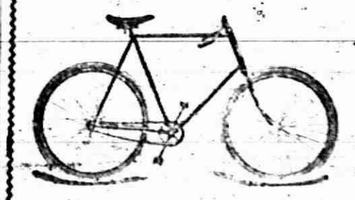

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John ... deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of ... Garlinghouse, one of the executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to render their final account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 9th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to John ... all those certain tracts or parcels of land ... and being in the township of Franklin, ... county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: The ... quarter of the southeast quarter of the ... east quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range two east, containing of both parcels eight (8) ... of land more or less, to secure the payment of ... one thousand dollars, in ten equal ... staliments next ensuing the first day of ... ber, 1893, with interest from the ... six per cent per annum payable ... mortgage was, on the 5th day of ... D. 1892, recorded in the Register's ... for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, ... 90 of Mortgages, on page 731, &c. ... said mortgage contains a provision ... any default be made in the payment ... interest or any part thereof or in the ... of principal or any part thereof ... wherein the same is made payable ... primed, and should the said sum ... and in arrear for the space of ... and from thenceforth, that is to say, ... lapse of said sixty days, so much of the ... said sum of one thousand dollars ... paid, with all arrearages of interest ... shall, at the option of said party of the ... part, his executors, administrators or ... become and be due and payable ... thereafter, although the period above ... for the payment thereof may not then ... pired.

Default having been made in the ... the principal of said mortgage, the ... hereby elects to declare and does hereby ... the whole amount due both principal and ... est, amounting at the date of this notice ... sum of nine hundred, nine and ... and no proceedings at law or in ... been commenced for the recovery of ... any part thereof, both, therefore, ... given that, by virtue of the power of ... mortgage contained, and of the statute ... vided, for the purpose of realizing ... above mentioned and interest thereon ... costs of the foreclosure and sale, ... attorney fee provided by law, I shall ... third day of February, A. D. 1896 ... the forenoon of said day, at the ... the court house in the city of Adrian, ... county, Michigan, (that being the ... which the circuit court for said county of ... awee is holden) sell at public ... highest bidder the lands and ... scribed.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH ...

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Mortgagee.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Leonardson Bros. double ad. on the page.

Brown is somewhat better tho' quite ill.

Underwood shipped two cars of Wednesday.

Hayden, of Tecumseh, was in Wednesday.

Weisinger, of Deerfield, was on beets Wednesday.

Gould, of Dundee, was a Britor Wednesday.

Florence Miller visited friends on Thanksgiving.

DuBois and Bert Porter made a trip to Toledo last Saturday.

Oliver visited his daughter, Hanover over Thanksgiving.

cases of whooping cough are among the small people of

and Mike Bachman ate turkey their brother, George, at Toledo day.

Clark, who was under the doctre last week, is at the electric rain.

illiant ball is one of the attracooked for this village in the ture.

eshments at L. O. T. M. hall next day evening. Don't miss that in pie.

ur Curtis, W. J. Helm and L. L. were in Tecumseh Tuesday on tant business.

Underwood left Wednesday for a ys sojourn with friends and relanear Jerome.

n't it a beautiful day for Thanks- yesterday. Wonder what the s thought of it.

eech, of Detroit, was loading a of lumber here Wednesday to ed over the C. J. & M.

signee sale of clothing conducH. Wilson & Son in the Beasley will be discoutinued to-morrow.

te is the season of raffles. What ve you won? Of course you have lost ough, but that should never be spoken

e made our usual trip Wednesday nd a foretaste of Britton Thanksas the guest of Art Lee, and it small taste either.

Gorham's family were very neatised last Tuesday night by enty-five friends who passed a asant evening at his home.

track of the storm Monday night ainly marked in this locality by ills, cisterns and other shrubhich were strewn about promisy.

ministerial committee of the an Union church have decided to the date of the donation to day, Dec. 11th. Please bear this

e next regular meeting of Hen- Tent. No. 467, K. O. T. M. on ay next, will be held the yearly nation of officers. Be present with idates in mind.

n't forget the apron and cap social given by the L. O. T. M. next eday, Dec. 4th. The new games introduced by a foot ball contest aynes and Collins as captains.

o and Lawrence Brown returned e hunt Tuesday night. The ere more successful than the this fall. Their bag contained two bucks, three doe and one sides plenty of small game.

son Bros. are handling some e sample shoes at present. ods are not sold by samples, e very pairs which have been the sample cases of traveling number some very fine bar-

ing men of Britton very hapated the Thanksgiving holiby feasting and dancing. A y time was had by the young the floor, and the spirit of as observed in no small way later sat down to the turkey erry sauce.

ptu parties are the most enter all, and a surprise party is impromptu of any, which exso many are indulged in at A very pleasant event of this ened at the home of Will Wednesday night, in honor mer and brothers who were re.

B. Collins, principal of our lieves in the hearty co-operchers, and hence effected a partnership with Miss Nelwho was formerly associatin the work of pedagogy in inal way. The affair was last Sabbath evening at Miss Marvin in Azalia, by marriage ceremony. The well and most favoraby hers and the sincere congratuof a host of friends attend them.

services were held in the new church yesterday to fittingly the gratitude of a christian y for all blessings which ear has brought to us. Rev. f the christian church, preachappropriate sermon. His retered around the thought that t blessings of God accrue to through our own endeavors. er clearly showed how often of blessings and happiness experience are due to our own ristian endeavor and appreci-

udge has accepted a call for he state of Illinois under the of the Illinois State Christian ce. The nature of the work very different from ordinary work, though Mr. Mudge's preperience has peculiarly fitted he work in hand. His is to soFrom the various societies of ian Church in that state for ding and maintainance of a t Lewistown, Ill. The fund ed by a bequest from a citizen lace, of $50,000. The citizens ed $10,000 and it is the work of r to raise the amount to $100,- It is necessary to commence k as soon as possible Rev. xpects to leave for his new ut Dec. 15, which will shorten here about two weeks and to a supply for two Sundays.

Remember that the Frank J. Dean Theatre Co., give three nights of entertainment at Exelby's hall, next week Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The company comes well recommended and gives a show well worth the money. Prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Dr. Osterhout made a very successful probing for the bullets in the neck of the deer which was brought here by the hunters. The ball was found, and strange to say had greatly changed since leaving the gun of the hunter. It will probably require some fine detective work to tell just who slayed that deer.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Bert Waring was in the village Tuesday.

Rev. Varner occupied the pulpit here Sunday.

Two pair mittens for 25c at Smith & Schmidt's.

Ed Gould was in Toledo on business Wednesday.

W. E. Barrett was calling on friends here Monday night.

Call and get prices on Felts and Rubbers, at E. J. Gould's.

Emma Miller left for Detroit Tuesday for a visit with friends there.

Mrs. John VanVleet is very sick at this time with pneumonia.

For a good cross-cut saw and a good axe go to Smith & Schmidt's.

20 pounds granulated sugar for one dollar. E. J. GOULD.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter returned from Lansing Saturday.

Mr. Schmidt, of the firm of Smith & Schmidt, is in Toledo this week.

Charles Avery started his saw mill in Charles Bird's timber lot Tuesday.

Look at our Pork at 8 cts. per lb. E. J. GOULD.

Arthur Mapes started for a week's visit with relatives in Perrysburg, O., Tuesday.

Courtland Snedicor, of Ithica, died Monday night and was buried Wednesday afternoon.

R. S. Houseman, agent for the Page fence, reports the largest sales for spring delivery that he has ever had.

The ladies' church aid society will give a social and dinner in the church parlors at 9 p. m., Wednesday evening, Dec. 18. The "bill of fare" will be published later.

Those who attended the teachers' institute here last Saturday report a very interesting meeting, but owing to the inclement weather there was not a very large attendance.

Richard Cadmus will erect a wind mill to do the pumping of water from his new well which he has drilled to the depth of 140 feet and which has 125 feet of water in it. Lew Waldron, of Tecumseh, will erect the mill for him.

The annual meeting of the Hall memorial Library Association will be held at the library next Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 3, for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. All that have not paid their annual dues will not be entitled to a vote. So pay your dollar at once.

OBITUARY.

The many friends and acquaintances of Courtland Snedicor will regret to learn of his death, which occurred at his home near Ithaca, Mich., on Monday night near midnight, after being confined to his bed for nearly eight weeks with consumption. Mr. Snedicor learned the blacksmith trade with James Peck, over thirty-five years ago, after which he run a shop of his own in our village. He was united in marriage with Miss Helen Crego, of Monroe, in the fall of 1860 and began housekeeping in this village in the house now the property of Mrs. Wm. Andrews on South street where they lived until the spring of 1876, when he moved on a farm in the township of Augusta, northeast of Milan village. After one year of farm life he returned to our village, working at his trade until the winter of 1881, when he moved with his family on an 80-acre farm of woodland two miles and a half east of Ithaca, then a wilderness, where they struggled with pioneer life and cleared up their farm which has blossomed into one of the finest farms in Gratiot county. Three sons were born to them; Carl, the youngest, was hurt during the fireworks at a 4th of July celebration in Ithaca the summer of '87, from which he died. Mr. Snedicor leaves a widow and two sons to mourn the loss of a husband and father. The funeral services were held at his late home on Wednesday afternoon. The remains were consigned to the tomb in the family lot in the Ithaca cemetery.

MACON MUSIC.

Miss Lottie Brunt returned to her home this week.

Mr. Ostrander was the guest of Mr. Randall last week.

Mrs. Burnham, of Detroit, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Howell.

Misses Cora and Lulu Day, of Tecumseh, attended the entertainment Saturday night.

Several Macon boys are employed in putting up telephone poles along the line to Adrian.

Mrs. Hilda Ovens, of Petosky, is visiting in Macon while Dr. Ovens is studying in Europe.

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The school entertainment last Saturday night was excellent; in fact, there was so much that was good that it seemed almost a pity that half of it couldn't have been saved for a second entertainment. The music by Mr. and Mrs. Fulkerson and John and Vern Austin was an unlooked for and very welcome treat.

The Silver Craze.

Silver has greatly depreciated in commercial values, and may be found impracticable for money purposes, but thousands suffering from dyspepsia, indigestion and constipation have found that 50c or $1 in silver invested in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is worth its weight in gold. Trial sizes (10 doses 10c,) by Orr & Temple. Nov

A Famous Prescription.

Potio calida ante ignem ardentem, lectus bene Ventilatus, hauri recte naribus ante lecto descendere, Pretzingeri Baldamum.

Repete quoties oportet.

WHETSTONE, M. D.

IN ENGLISH.

"O Jupiter" Aid Us—

"With a hot drink before a warm, cosy fire, bed well aired, Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm to be thoroughly snuffed up the nostrils before retiring. Repeat as Required."

The above prescription was published by Dr. Whetstone in a Cincinnati journal last winter and was copied by nearly all the leading journals of the country and it is probable that thousands of people, as a result, have tried its efficacy. In the original a hot lemonade was specially recommended as being the best sedative. If you keep your feet dry this winter you are not apt to take cold unless exposed to a draught or unless the house is badly heated or ventilated, but we will have rains and snow this winter and thousands of people will be certain to take cold and Dr. Whetstone's prescription should be cut out and carefully preserved as it is a certain cure for a cold in the head, the incipient catarrh that so often follows will be cured and the inflammation reduced by the use of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm. Pretzinger's is not a secret medicine; its contents are well known and is constantly prescribed by physicians, and is kept by nearly every family as a preventive and cure for cold in the head. Serious cases of catarrh, accompanied by the horrible choking, are relieved at once as if by magic. Its uses cannot be too highly recommended. Druggists sell it for 50 cents, or a small sample can be obtained by sending a 2 ct. stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio.

I don't know what I'm going to do about my memory, said a member of a London club. I'll have to take some kind of mental gymnastics for it. I'll forget my own name next. That's easily fixed, was the reply. How? Go over to America and lose a yacht race. People seem to never forget then.

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Guest—Got any roast beef? Waiter—Yes, sir. Guest—Bring me one of your best cuts. I want it tender, juicy, not too well done, not too raw, and with a little gravy. Have the fat and lean about equally divided, and be particular not to cut the slices thick. And don't forget the horse-radish. Can you remember all that? Waiter—Yes, sir. (Loudly) Plate o' roas' beef!

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

Deacon De Good—It won't do; it won't do. We most not have games of chance at our church fairs. Mrs. De Good:—But this is not a game of chance. Deacon De Good—You propose to sell tickets and give prizes. Mrs. De Good—Oh, no; you are mistaken. We shall sell the tickets, of course, but we can't give any prizes, you know, because we haven't any to give. There is no chance about it.

Reward! $200 Reward!

To any person who can prove we don't refund money where no cure is effected after giving a fair trial according to directions.

MAYERS' MAGNETIC CATARRH CURE.

The only safe and reliable medicine for catarrh, hay fever and asthma used by vapor inhalation. One bottle to last for a three months' treatment. This grand remedy will positively cure all forms of those terrible diseases. June cold and hay fever cured.

JUNE COLD AND HAY FEVER CURED.

Oakland, Md.

To the Mayers' Drug Co.

I feel it my duty to say something in regard to the merits of your Magnetic Catarrh Cure. I have been a sufferer from rose or June cold for the last 15 years. It comes on about the middle of June and lasts about six weeks or two months. I commenced using Mayers' Catarrh Cure about the middle of April as a preventive, and it certainly did the work. I passed through the summer without the slightest return of the disease. I am station baggage master at Oakland, Md. Respectfully,

D. M. MASON.

Sold by Orr & Temple. Nov

A Generous Offer—$200 in Gold Given

R. H. Woodward Company, Baltimore, Md., are making a very generous offer of $200 to anyone who will sell within three months 200 copies of "Talks to Children about Jesus." This is one of the most popular books of recent years. Agents often sell from 10 to 15 copies a day. It contains a great many beautiful illustrations, and is sold at a remarkably low price. They give credit and pay freight, and send complete canvassing outfit for 35 cents. It is just the book to be sold for the holidays. They also offer an Estey Organ, retail price $270, to anyone who will sell 110 books in three months. It is an excellent opportunity for a church or society to secure one of these organs. A $100 bicycle to be given for selling 80 copies in two months, or a gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium is in addition to the regular commission. They have also published a new book "Gems of Religious Thought," by Talmage, which is having a large sale. Same terms and premiums as on "Talks to Children about Jesus." Agents who do not get any of the premiums are given a liberal commission. They also make a specialty of other books and Bibles for the Xmas holidays. Write them immediately.

If you want a reliable dye that will color an even brown or black, and will please and satisfy you every time, use Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers. 1w

Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C., J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
tjl Gen'l Pass. Ag't.

Electric Power for November.

Electric Power for November is devoted principally to the electric railway. Those readers who are not interested in this branch of engineering will, of course, not be disappointed, for there are such articles as Mr. Sachs on the Electrical Equipments of Modern Office Buildings; Mr. Thompson's paper on the Principles of Invention; Mr. Wiener's serial on Electrical Measuring Instruments is continued, and the Literary Review is quite extensive. Nevertheless, it is a railway number. Prof. Bemis and Mr. Foster each presented a paper on Municipal Ownership of Street Railways, and Mr. Osterberg adds an editorial on the subject. The Metropolitan Elevated Road of Chicago has been quite fully described, but there are still some points of interest left, which Mr. Hazleton has pointed out in an able manner. Those interested in the historical progress of the science of electricity will find a review of the electric locomotive, with which they will certainly be pleased.

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Table Talk.

Table Talk is well to the front as a Thanksgiving magazine, touching that subject many times in various ways between its covers. The leading article is "Thanksgiving Day," by Mrs. Burton Kingsland, including a typical dinner menu,—also a fin-de-siecle one. Other menus are given elsewhere, as well as a recipe for thanksgiving Plum Pudding. The Housekeeper's Inquiry Department is full of excellent recipes, old and new, just as needed by the subscribers, and besides you will find the Kindergarten for mothers ably upheld in "The Priestly Office," by Miss Nora A. Smith: the 'Food in Bright's Disease' by Dr. H. H. Hawxhurst; how 'Miss Dorothy entertains,' by Mrs. M. C. Myer; much about 'The Dignity and Beauty of the Household Arts,' by Lucy C. Andrews, the well-known lecturer on Cookery; how to give a pretty 'Bicycle Luncheon,' as well as a menu for every meal, and much else of equal value our limited space does not allow us to mention. Our readers, however, are invited to send for a sample copy to the Table Talk Publishing Company of Philadelphia.

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THANKSGIVING AT KINGSLEY HALL.

BY

Miss Victoria Kingsley, of Kingsley hall, could afford to be a little eccentric, people said. Not only was she rich and beautiful and highly accomplished, but she had reached the mature age of six-and-twenty and was mistress of her own fortune. Prior to the death of her parents, both of whom had succumbed in the same month to a prevailing fever, the family had resided in the city, spending a portion of each summer only at their handsome country seat. But soon after her bereavement the young lady had gone into seclusion at Kingsley hall, which was a part of her heritage, and had since lived in the strictest retirement there, receiving no visitors except when her younger brother, Robert, brought a party of his boon companions up from town for a few 'days' recreation during the shooting season.

It was now three years since Miss Kingsley had been left an orphan. At her age this was a long time to renounce society, and it was not strange that the world pronounced her eccentric. But that portion of the world residing in the wealthy and eminently respectable village of Pennstock began to have hopes for her when she suddenly emerged from her sequestration so far as to become the hostess of a Thanksgiving dinner party. The truth was that Miss Kingsley had been doing some serious thinking. It had occured to her, upon reflection, that people had a right to conclude that she was supremely selfish and proud, and she decided to set aside this verdict, if possible, by giving a series of entertainments at her house. Thanksgiving day was at hand, and she began to put her plan into execution by inviting a number of her church acquaintances in the village to dine at Kingsley hall on that day.

Of course the invitations were all promptly accepted, and the event was looked forward to as something out of

"MAURICE GRANBY!" SHE SAID.

the ordinary in Pennstock. As for Miss Kingsley, she was surprised to find that she took a lively interest in the preparations for the dinner, and when Thanksgiving day dawned, with a frosty and nipping air, she was inclined to be proud of the success of her undertaking in one respect. It had proved to her that there was a pleasanter way of passing her time than in brooding over her sorrow. All day she was strangely buoyant and cheerful, as if possessed by a presentiment that something very pleasant was about to happen.

And that afternoon something did happen—something that was not down on Miss Kingsley's programme. The busy young woman had entered the kitchen to give some final directions to the cook, when she observed that a strange man was sitting quietly in a chair on the opposite side of the room. She paused abruptly and stared at him, with a flash of startled recognition in her eyes.

"A poor tramp, mum, what asked for a bite to eat," explained the cook, apologetically.

But Miss Kingsley did not hear. The color was coming and going in her cheeks, and she grasped the back of a chair as if to steady herself.

"Maurice Granby!" she said, in a low but distinct voice. "Can it be possible?"

The recognition was evidently mutual. The stranger rose to his feet, a picture of astonishment and confusion. He was a strikingly handsome man, tall and straight as an arrow, with a drooping brown mustache. He certainly had not the appearance of a tramp, except that his clothing was threadbare, and even ragged in places, and he wore no overcoat.

"I-I beg pardon!" he stammered. "I did not know—"

But Miss Kingsley seemed to suddenly recover her self-possession. Turning to the cook she said:

"Never mind, Hannah; I will see this gentleman myself. He is an old friend of the family." Then, addressing the man: "Will you please come with me, Mr. Granby?"

He looked as if he would have preferred to sink through the floor, but she had turned and was leaving the kitchen before he could reply. He followed her hesitatingly, mechanically, like one in a dream. She led the way to a small room adjoining the library. There she turned and faced him.

"Mr. Granby, will you kindly tell me what this means?"

He stood before her, fumbling his hat in his hands. Her question seemed to increase his confusion, and he had to clear his throat several times before he could find his voice.

"It is all an unfortunate blunder," he exclaimed at last. "I did not know that this was your home. I chanced to be passing, and I thought—well, I was hungry, and I—no, I will not sit down," as she waved her hand toward a chair. "If you will be good enough to let me go now I will be careful not to intrude upon you again."

"You mistake my meaning," said Miss Kingsley, with a look of distress. "I am not asking why you are here. God knows I am glad to see you. What I want to know is what has brought you to this—this—condition? I cannot believe that you have voluntarily adopted the life of a—"

"Of a tramp?" he said, finishing her sentence with a bitter smile.

"Pardon me," she added, hastily; "I have no right to question you. Pray, don't misjudge my motive. I know that you are not to blame for the change in your fortunes; I know that you are incapable of a wrong act."

He gave her a sharp look, as if he would read her thoughts.

"That is a remarkable statement," he said, slowly. "Can it be that you have forgotten why I ran away from home five years ago?"

"I have not forgotten the miserable story that was told at that time," she replied, firmly; "but I have heard a different story since. Mr. Granby, my unhappy brother has told me everything."

The man started.

"He has told me," continued the woman, her face white with suppressed excitement, "that it was he and not you who forged the check for $15,000!"

"He told you that? Good heavens! does your father know?"

"My father and mother have both gone to another world, Mr. Granby. Robert and I have been orphans for three years. It was not until after their death that he made his confession to me. He told me of his youthful infatuation for gambling and horse races; how he became so deeply involved that in a moment of desperation, to avert the disgrace he saw staring him in the face, he forged the signature of a depositor in father's bank, hoping thus to retrieve his losses and replace the money before its withdrawal was discovered. You, as teller of the bank, cashed the check without suspicion. Afterward, when the money was squandered, and Robert realized that he could not hope to conceal his crime, he confided in you and begged you to help him out of his trouble. He said that his exposure would kill his mother, bring disgrace upon his family, and cause his father to forever disown him. Then it was that you sacrificed yourself to save him and his family. You told him you would divert suspicion from him if he would keep his own counsel and promise on his oath to never gamble again. You kept your word by suddenly disappearing, thus bringing suspicion upon yourself, so that when the forgery was discovered nobody could doubt that you were the criminal, and that you had fled to escape the consequences of your crime. Oh, it was a noble thing to do! Not one man in a million could have made such a sacrifice!" Miss Kingsley's voice betrayed her agitation now, and there were tears in her eyes. "But you do not know what a shock it was to—to—father and the rest of us to be forced to believe you guilty. We had such faith in you. Thank heaven, the story never got into the papers. Robert and I have tried hard for two years to find some trace of you, that we might make such reparation as lay in our power. And Robert says that in some mysterious way the bank has recovered the amount that was lost on the forged check, including the interest."

Maurice Granby, by this time, was smiling with the air of a man who has had a great burden lifted from his mind.

"I am glad you know the truth," he said, with an expression of profound relief. "When I left New York I went west and enlisted in the regular army under an assumed name. I served five years. But I was in communication with an intimate friend—a young lawyer—and when my aunt in Vermont died last spring, making me her sole heir, I had my friend convert the property into cash and turn it over to the bank. There was just enough, with what I had been able to save from my pay as a soldier, to replace the $15,000 with the accrued interest. I had assumed the debt, you know, and thought I ought to pay it. On leaving the army I started back to New York, where I still have a few friends. I had not money enough to take me clear through, so I concluded that a tramp of a hundred miles or so would do me no harm. I am accustomed to marching."

"You have outdone Don Quixote himself!" exclaimed Miss Kingsley. "Of course, every dollar of that money will

THE GRAND TURKEY DINNER.

be returned to you, and my fortune and Robert's are at your disposal."

"But, after all," said Granby, seriously, "you must not give me too much credit for what I have done. Perhaps I should have hesitated if your answer to that audacious note of mine had not made me wretched. Do you remember it? I felt that I had nothing to live for after that. Of course, I don't blame you; it was the worst kind of presumption on my part, a poor man, to offer myself—"

"Don't say that!" she interrupted, with a note of entreaty in her voice. "I could go down upon my knees to you now, in your rags, and beg your forgiveness for wounding you. I was young then, and scarcely knew my own mind, but I—I found out—afterward—"

"Victoria!"

"But we are wasting precious time," she said, hastily, glancing at her watch. "Do you know this is Thanksgiving day? I am to have some guests for dinner. You are to stay and dine with us."

"I? In these clothes?"

"My brother has a room and a wardrobe here, and I am sure his clothes will just fit you. You will find everything you need. No; I will hear no excuses. I will call a servant to show you upstairs, and will send up a luncheon at once. To-night you will stop at the village hotel, and to-morrow you will come and see me before resuming your journey to New York."

And so it came about that Maurice Granby, transformed from a tramp into a conventional gentleman in evening dress, sat at the right hand of the hostess at the grand turkey dinner that evening, having been introduced to the other guests as an old friend of the family. At least two persons at that table were in harmony with the spirit of the occasion, for their hearts throbbed with gratitude and joy during the whole of that Thanksgiving feast.

It was only two months later that Kingsley hall was the scene of a brilliant wedding reception, and Maurice Granby had come there to stay.

Cut and Dried.

Clara Norris—I invited Mr. Sandstone to dinner on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Norris—Good gracious me! Didn't you know that it was a strictly family affair?

Clara—That's all right. He's going to be one of the family.—Brooklyn Life.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Miss Flora Hartbeck is visiting Mrs. Chas. Ham at Jackson.

Ed. McClure came home from Toledo to eat dinner yesterday.

Art Hall came up from Toledo Tuesday night to make sure of the turkey.

Mr. Will Hall, of Covington, Ky., feasted at the old home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Heesen, of Toledo, also visited Tecumseh for the occasion.

Mrs. Dr. Gifford, of Toledo, was the guest of Mrs. R. R. Hall the fore part of the week.

Dr. W. D. Reed and Miss Minnie Corey were Toledo visitors during Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Bertha Beardsley and aunt, Mrs. Whitmore, of Adrian, are visiting at Mrs. Andrew Covell's.

Make arrangements to hear Leland T. Powers, Dec. 10, in his great impersonation of "The Rivals".

Stereopticon lecture on the life of the great Nazerine next Sunday night at the Presbyterian church.

Misses Iva and Flora Slayton, of the University, were entertained by A. W. Slayton's family from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mr. Corbette and daughter, Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. James Cummins of Toledo, were Thanksgiving guests of Tecumseh friends.

Lookout for our Young People's Christain Union social. It will soon be here and we want you to come and share the good time we are planning.

The free public library will be moved into the room back of the one now occupied and the present room used exclusively for a reading room. New books are soon to be added.

Alva Spayde encountered all kinds of weather on his trip between here and Delta, O., last week. The Ohio state line seems to have a chinch on warm weather this fall.

Subject in the Universalist church next Sunday, a. m: "Thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth"—Isaiah, xxv; 1st. Evening—A gleam of Heaven. Y. P. C. U. Topic, "True Friendship." Prov. 17; 17; St. John 15; 13-14.

Mr. Lewis, who has been conducting a shoe sale here, moved his goods to Jonesville yesterday. Mr. Lewis is much pleased with Tecumseh and expects to put in a permanent stock of clothing, boots and shoes here early in the spring.

The ordinance, enacted by the Council, putting a license tax on peddlers, has caused some unfavorable comment, and the Evening News of Wednesday contains a sharp criticism upon it. The writer of that article is evidently misinformed, for the ordinance is practically the same that existed here for years under the old charter. We do not understand that it taxes any resident of the village for selling books, or any farmers who may sell produce in town. However, if the ordinance should prove to be too stringent in practice, it can easily be modified hereafter.

County Teachers' Association.

The Lenawee County Teachers' Association will meet at Whitney's Opera House, Adrian, Saturday, Dec. 7, 1895, at 9:30 a. m.

PROGRAM.

9:30 Opening Exercises.

9:40 Paper 'Benefits of Teachers' Associations.' F. E Wilcox, Clinton.

10:00 Discussion.

10:30 Address, The Scientific Alphabet. What is it and what are its advantages? V. K. VanDeVenter, Dundee.

11:15 Business Session.

AFTERNOON.

1:15 Music.

1:25 'The Teachers' Influence in the neighborhood.' D. M. Halsey, Woodstock.

1:45 Discussion.

2:05 Music.

2:10 Paper: Current events, their importance and how to teach them. B. L. Hart, Jasper.

2:30 Discussion.

2:50 Election of Officers. Miscellaneous business. Adjourn.

J. B. TENBROOK, President.

I was completely covered with sores. Every limb in my body ached. Had been sick for five years. Doctors could do me no good. Most of my time was spent in bed; was a complete wreck. Burdock Blood Bitters have completely cured me in three months. Mrs. Annie Zoepen, Crookstown, Minn. 1w

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...OST—Last Saturday morning, on the way to ... the Presbyterian church, a pair of steel ...ed spectacles. Finder please leave at Ander... & Co.'s store.

...AXES—I will be at my office at W. B. Dar... ...ling's store, to receive the taxes for 1895, on ...day, Dec. 2, and every Friday during the ...th of December, 1895, from 9 a. m. till 4 p. m. G. W. MARSDEN, Township Treasurer.

...TRAYED—Came into my enclosure, three ... or four weeks ago, one black and white ... Owner please call, pay charges and take ...way. E. T. WHITE.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 29, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Cantata; Canjata.

Seventy voices in the cantata.

Gus Cummins is home from Chicago.

The date for the Cantata will be ...ven next week.

Prof and Mrs. I. D. Loree spent the ...station in Tecumseh.

Levi Hayden took a business trip to Grand Rapids last night.

...Ward Waring and family feasted at ... Rogers' residence in Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Ontonagon, ... the guests of Dr. Lombard and fam...

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown have been ...iting friends in Hudson during the ...st week.

Miss Linda Hall came from Ypsilanti ...nd Miss Allie Temple from Albion to ...at turkey.

Leon McNiel, who now has a position ...n Finch's printing office, in Adrian, ...as in town Tuesday.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist ...hurch, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for ...is subject: "No Difference."

O. C. Dickinson, of Waterloo, Ind., ...s Thanksgiving turkey with his broth... ...er, G. M. Dickinson, of this place.

Miss Anna Hewitt left home Wednes... ...day morning for Buffalo, where she will ...spend a few weeks with friends.

Miss Kate Lombard returned to her ...ome in New Hampshire Tuesday after ...visit at her uncle's, Dr. Lombard's.

To make a good country attorney one ...ould spend several years at farming, ...the story of the pig and the fox will ...ove.

The HERALD from now till Jan. 1st. ...7 for $1. 00, if paid spot cash in ad... ...ce. Cheap silver dollars will be ...en at par.

Tom Caldwell and Glen Jackson ex... ...nged their Ypsilanti diet of oat ...al and hash for good Tecumseh tur... ...y yesterday.

The Misses Braithwaite, of Escanaba, ...o are attending school at Ypsilanti, ...re the guests of Miss Nellie Heesen ...ring the vacation.

W. M. Sutton returned from Detroit ...nday night and reports his grand... ..., Roy Wilson, slightly better though ...ll very seriously ill.

The annual meeting of the Union ...ograph Co. will be held at Grange ..., Macon, Monday, Dec. 2nd, at 2 p ... All members are requested to be ...ent. J. T. BOYCE. Pres.

...ied at her home in Goshen, Ark., on ...nesday, Nov. 20th, 95, of asthma, ... Hayward, aged 43. Mrs. Hayward ...he daughter of Mrs. Mary Boyd ...lives east of town.

...H. Osborn Jr., who has been ...ending some time in Europe, stopped ...e on his return Monday. He was ...companied to his home in Milwaukee ... Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Osborn and ...iss Carrie Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Keyser prefer their ...Tecumseh home for a winter resi... ...nce, though Mr. Keyser's extensive ...lery business demands his presence ...Jackson during the summer. They ...turned Tuesday, the celery crop being ...arly all taken care of,

T. R. Kyle has accepted the Captaincy ... Co. C and took command Tuesday. ...om has had much experience in the ...tate service, having held two commis... ...ions as first lieutenant in the company ...ne in '84 under Gov. Begole and one ...n '90. The company is recruiting ...apidly and will endeavor to go into ...amp next year second to none in the ...tate.

Several Tecumseh residents had the ...pleasure of attending a Detroit wedding ...last Tuesday evening. Rev. C. M. Brown ...was the officiating clergyman, and the ...following guests were also present: Mrs. ...Gatlinghouse and Bert, mother and ...brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. W. ...W. Whiting; Mrs. L. C. Hayden; Misses ...Flora Hartbeck and Camilla Mead; Will ...H. Hayden, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and ...E. N. Satterthwaite.

Why don't you bring that wood?

Andrew Ayers and wife, of Cambridge, were guests of W. H. Smith's family over Sunday.

Jas. McCann has rented Capt. A. D. Lawrence's house and will soon move his family thereto.

December 9th. will be Michigan day at the Atlanta Exposition. A big delegation will doubtless attend from this state.

The Farmers' Social Club will talk up a farmer's institute at their next meeting. That is right; only let the talk end in action.

D. C. Andrews & Co. are taking lots of orders for their La Besta powder now days. They seem to be getting there at a good steady gait.

Wheeler & Sisson, our new furniture dealers, are getting nicely started and are swinging into a good business position very handsomely.

The G. A. R. Post have an entertainment in progress which they expect will take place about Dec. 20th. Further particulars next week.

Rev. Jas. Hageman preached his farewell sermon at the Friend's church last Sunday evening, and has gone to visit his parents near Cincinnati, Ohio.

The wind storm last Tuesday morning was quite general throughout Michigan. Several buildings in Detroit and Toledo were unroofed and otherwise damaged.

The pulpit of the Friend's church will be occupied next Sabbath by J. Edgar Williams, of Cleveland, O. He comes to fill the place of pastor for a time, as successor to Jas. Hageman.

Marshall Doolittle has returned home from Oregon and expects to remain here during the winter. He has been in California, Washington and Oregon sin... he left here almost a year and a half ago.

The Detroit Masonic Fair is a great success, and will be in full blast all next week. A special train will be run over the Wabash next Tuesday and many will doubtless avail themselves of that chance to visit the fair.

It was feared by many that the Steamer Marquette might have been caught out in the big storm Tuesday and seriously damaged. Word has been received from Capt. Chilson that both steamer and crew are all safe.

Mrs. E. R. Crossman has been seriously ill for several weeks. Last Monday her brother, Dr. J. B. Haynes, of Dundee, came up to see her and she returned home with him, where she can receive better care and treatment.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, for Lew Waldron has had his hands full since Tuesday. Five windmills were blown down flat that morning and many others damaged in this vicinity. Seven men called at his house Wednesday to see him about repairing damaged mills and he sold two new mills that day.

Nearly every store in town was closed yesterday afternoon and many of them were closed the entire day. Family parties were quite numerous, the weather was delightful, and our citizens generally made the most of the holiday. Thanksgiving is more and more generally observed every year and it is well that it should be so.

A sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner was served at the Lilley House yesterday to an extra large company of guests. In addition to the transients and regular boarders many of our village residents happened around about dinner time and were escorted to the dining room. The Lilley House has become noted for its holiday repasts, but yesterday's banquet broke the record in that regard. An elegant menu card served as a neat souvenir of the occasion.

The Eastern Star Chapter will give a unique entertainment next Tuesday evening, Dec. 3rd., called a birthday party. It seems to be a sinister scheme to inveigle the old maids and old bachelors into revealing their age. A neat invitation, bearing these dainty lines, tells the whole story:

The little sack that doth attend
The invitation that we send,
Will serve to hold, if you will give,
A penny for each year you live,
Until the present, anyway,
A mile-stone for each bright birthday
Please drop them in and bring the sack.
Of good refreshments none shall lack.
Then come along, but if you fail,
Just send the sack by hand or mail,
Or pass it over to a friend.
Who will his pence and presence lend,
To grace our temple bright and fair,
And meet the many gathered there.

Tecumseh was visited with an all day's rain last Monday. During the night the rain broke and turned into a gale, which amounted almost to a hurricane. The wind blew for several hours with terrific fury and considerable damage resulted in this section. Shade trees about the village were badly broken and a few were uprooted entirely. Many fences were leveled to the ground. An electric wire, to which the street circuit was attached, was broken, and the street lamps were thus extinguished. The wind mill on Mrs. Judge Stacy's place was blown over and the wind mills on John Fisher's and Mrs. Frank Rector's farms were laid flat. The awning of Anderson Bros. store was literally blown into strings. A portion of the roof on the Globe Mill grain elevator was blown off. The photographic show case belonging to Miss Lynne Daly, at the foot of the stairs, was wrenched from its fastenings and blown against the west window of Wright's drug store cracking the large plate glass. These are the principal casualties with the back towns yet to hear from.

Winter is coming early this year.

Did you have a slice of roast turkey yesterday?

Geo. Knapp will soon move into his new house.

Born to Arthur Joseph and wife of Franklin, on Monday Nov. 18th, a boy.

The W. R. C. will hold their election of officers at the regular meeting which occurs the first Monday in December.

The Hudson M. E. church has purchased a lot for $2,000, and a fine new brick church will be erected in the spring.

Because of his health and the numerous duties in hand Mr. Andrus has resigned as teacher of the Newberg school.

All Clinton was excited last week over a sign put in Lancaster's show window, which read; "Socks—five cents a foot."

The latest official figures place the membership of the Knights of the Maccabees at 200,126, and Ladies of the Maccabees at 48,840.

The Dan Rice theatrical company collapsed a few days ago at Dundee. The season opens rather badly for barn storming combinations.

A class of young ladies will compete for the gold medal in the contest to be held in the Friend's church at Raisin Valley, Friday evening, Dec. 6th.

Mr. W. D. Howells has written a striking paper for the December Forum on "The Nature of Liberty," contending that liberty and poverty are incompatible.

The annual election of officers of the Royal Arcanum will be held next Tuesday evening. All members are requested to put themselves in good standing and be present.

"Our Journey Around the World" in the pure gold binding will make a nice present. See the description of the work in another column. Dr. Hause handles the work.

Ladies, you are cordially invited to be present at the Mothers' meeting, Friday afternoon, Dec. 6, at 2:30 o'clock, to listen to Rev. Varner's address, "Advice to Mothers."

Committee No. 4 of the Baptist Society, will entertain the ladies social, in the church parlors Thursday, Dec. 5. Supper from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock, to which all are invited.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Dr. Jones during the month of December. Meetings are held every Friday afternoon at 2:30. Mothers' meeting the first Friday.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. society of the M. E. church will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 4th, at the home of Mrs. L. B. Ayers; meeting to begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

Sunday services in St. Peter's church for the month of December will be in the morning. Next Sunday the second quarterly payment for Diocesan Missions is due, and the Rector asks that the subscribers send in their amounts in the usual way.

In the Stock Farm $6.000 purse for foals of 1895 to be contested in 1897 it costs only one-twentieth of one per cent to start, and the last and largest payment does not have to be made until June 1. 1897, the year of the race. Address the Kentucky Stock Farm, Lexington, Ky.

Died, Nov. 25th, of quick consumption at his home in Ithaca, Mich., Mr. Courtland Snedicor, aged 58 years. The deceased was the oldest and only brother of Ed. and C. H. Snedecor of this place. Mr. Snedecor will be remembered by many as a Ridgeway blacksmith, where he ran a shop for several years.

Brook's drug store and hardware store at Onsted were entered by burglars Saturday night. The only booty secured was a watch from the latter place. An attempt was made to enter a grocery store, but the proprietor awoke in time to scare a man away from the front door, where he was working with a chisel.

The Bean-Chamberlain Co., at Hudson, has procured suitable quarters and proposes to go into the manufacture of high grade wheels on a large scale about the first of the year. The gent's wheel will be named "The Hudson," and the ladies' wheel, "Lady Hudson." The factory will add largely to the force of workmen in the city on the Bean.

Mrs. Jos. H. Emery has begun suit through her attorney, J. E. Bird, for $5,000 damages against the Lake Shore railway company, on account of the accident at the intersection of the Beecher and Madison street crossing one dark, rainy night during September. The contest will be made on the grounds that the company should have provided guard rails for the bridge off which Mr. and Mrs. Emery went into a deep ditch in the dark.—Telegram.

The statement has recently been made in several Sunday papers that Will Carleton is writing very little nowadays, and stays at home "nursing his health." The statement is true with these exceptions: Mr. Carleton writes more and lectures more than ever, has just published a book of new poems, has a book of prose nearly ready for the press, is in perfect physical health, and has been so almost uninterruptedly for the past ten years.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

A. D. Hall is reported quite ill.

R. S. Moore has a change of card in this week's paper. Read it.

Miss Minnie Douglas rusticates at her parent's home in Church, Mich., during the vacation.

Fred Teachout and family, of Brooklyn, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones yesterday.

B. L. Baxter and sisters, Mesdames Selfridge and Kellogg, enjoyed the hospitality of Jackson relatives yesterday.

Miss Harding is at her home in Hillsdale this week recovering from a slight indisposition. C. F. Field supplied her place in the high school.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Codling last week Thursday, in which Chris Wallinger, of Clinton, and Miss Lizzie Kirk, of Manchester, were principal actors. Both parties have many friends in Tecumseh. They are now keeping house in Clinton.

Detroit was honored with a Tecumseh wedding last Tuesday; at least the contracting parties and many of the guests were residents of our village. At eight o'clock in the evening in the cosy parlors of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gray, their daughter, Margaret, became the wife of Mr. Benson J. Garlinghouse. Rev. C. M. Brown tied the nuptial knot in the presence of about forty guests. The bridal party returned home the same evening via the Wabash line and Brighton and began at once the serious duties of housekeeping in the house of Mrs. J. Phelps, on Shawnee street, which had been fitted up to receive them. The groom has always resided in Tecumseh and no one among our younger business men is more highly esteemed. The bride, during her residence here as a teacher in the High School, gathered about her a large circle of friends, who will gladly welcome her back as a permanent resident. The HERALD begs leave to join in the congratulations which will be bestowed upon them as they begin their matrimonial voyage.

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—The STANDARD DICTIONARY is admired here as everywhere. Among others who have the work are Drs. North and Woodward, the High School, W. J. Ingersoll, A. L. Brewer, Lillian Waring, etc. Any who wish it at present paices must buy soon, as they advance nearly one third Jan. 1st., 1896. The HERALD testifies to its extraordinary merits. V. K. VANDEVENTER, Dundee, Mich., Salesman for Monroe, Lenawee and Hillsdale Counties. 2w

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—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

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—Buckwheat grinding at Steam Mills every Friday. Cash paid for buckwheat.

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Proposed Changes with Reference to State Troops.

Lansing, Nov. 25.—The state military board, consisting of the adjutant general, quartermaster and inspector general, have recommended changes in military regulations and rules which are of interest to the members of the Michigan national guard. These recommendations have been approved by the commander-in-chief. The principal changes are as follows: It has been ordered that all uniformed dress coats and helmets be returned to the quartermaster general; that the company letter and regimental figure be placed on the collars of the blouse; that the chevrons of non-commissioned officers be worn on the blouse in white and on the overcoat in blue. That portion referring to dress uniforms and helmets meets with the hearty approval of members of militia. They were never liked on account of their weight. It is presumed that the felt hat will be used entirely by the privates and the small caps by the officers.

BOWERSOX BEATEN.

Judgment of $3,044 Against Him for Alienating His Son's Affections.

Niles, Nov. 23.—About seven years ago Miss Rebecca Reinhardt, then of this city, was married to Richard Bowersox. They went to Three Rivers to live near Richard's parents. After one year of bliss without warning Richard suddenly left home, and the young wife naturally began an investigation. An attorney was engaged and Father-in-Law Bowersox was sued for $15,000 damages. It was shown that he had made the son's life a burden, and for the sake of peace of mind he concluded to depart. The suit for damages has been hanging fire for a long time, but has just come to trial, and Mrs. Bowersox was on Saturday awarded damages in the sum of $3,044. An appeal was taken to the supreme court.

FARES RAISED.

Citizens' Street Railway of Detroit Makes Good Its Threat.

Detroit, Nov. 25.—T. L. Johnson, president of the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company, on Sunday put straight five-cent fares into effect, with the exception of the "workingmen's" tickets night and morning. The action was in pursuance of a threat made by President Johnson to Mayor Pingree to the effect that if the city government persisted in refusing to meet the company part way in the matter of extending the company's franchises the six-for-a-quarter tickets would be abolished.

Big Masonic Fair.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 26.—The biggest masonic fair ever held in the west opened here Monday. It is the first use made of the new Masonic temple, which is the finest building in the world devoted exclusively to masonry, and will cost over $500,000. Goods from every state in the union and every country in the world are among the exhibits. The exhibition of curios and numismatics is considered the finest yet seen in this country. The opening was a society event.

Horribly Mangled.

Tustin, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Nels Gunnison, an aged Swedish lady living one mile north of this village, was instantly killed by a Grand Rapids & Indiana railway train some time Friday night, the body being shockingly mutilated and the head being torn from the trunk. She was subject to temporary fits of insanity. After the remainder of the family had retired, she got out of the house and made her way to the railroad with the above result.

Money for Pottawatomies.

Niles, Nov. 25.—On Christmas day at South Haven the United States government will distribute $10,400 among the 300 Pottawatomie Indians who live in this part of the state. The amount to be divided among the Indians is the balance of $200,000 which the government owed the red men for their land, which was purshased in 1833. The Indians claim they have been defrauded out of $50,000 by the government.

Seeks Heavy Damages.

Adrian, Nov. 26.—Mrs. Joseph Emery began suit against the Lake Shore railroad for $5,000 damages for injuries received last September. A horse she was driving was frightened by an engine and plunged off a bridge. She claims the company's duty was to protect the bridge with a railing.

Balanced Accounts.

Lansing, Nov. 22.—Ex-Secretary of State Jochim does not now owe the state a cent. The excess of his salary drawn under the fraudulent amendment was $900, and a check for $400 received by the state treasurer closes up the matter, as the other $500 had already been received.

Fatal Fall.

Grand Haven, Mich., Nov. 26.—William Kelly, a marine engineer on the steamer City of Milwaukee, fell from the hurricane deck to the crankroom floor, when the boat was just outside Monday morning. His skull was fractured and he died a few hours later.

Assets Have Depreciated.

Lansing, Nov. 24.—It has been learned that the assets of the defunct Central Michigan savings bank will not pay the depositors more than 70 per cent. of their claims, having depreciated from $864,000 to $519,600 since the bank failed in May, 1893.

Files More Mortgages.

Detroit, Nov. 22.—W. H. Mitchell & Co., the wholesale millliners who Thursday filed chattel mortgages aggregating $30,000, Friday morning filed additional mortgages to the amount of $78,000 to secure 70 western creditors.

Hunted Deer with Dogs.

Baldwin, Nov. 23.—Leonard Newhouse, Albert Kimball, James Kelly, Frank Rohler and V. H. Woodruff were tried and convicted before Justice E. E. Decker here and fined $50 each upon the charge of hunting deer with dogs.

A. O. U. W. MEN BARRED.

Peculiar Action of a Minister Selected to Officiate at a Funeral.

Adrian, Nov. 26.—The funeral of Ludwig Shaaf, member of St. Stephen's German Lutheran church, took place Sunday under the auspices of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, to which he belonged. Rev. Mr. Detzer, the pastor, refused to allow members of the order to enter the church with the remains. They offered to go in as individuals and he consented, provided they would remove their badges. They refused, and arranged for services at the house. Mr. Detzer refused to officiate there, and the sons of the deceased secured Rev. Mr. Bancroft, of the Methodist church, and after some delay the obsequies were concluded. Mr. Detzer's objection was to secret societies.

THE WILL STANDS.

Decision in a Contested Case at Muskegon.

Muskegon, Nov. 24.—Judge S. A. Aldrich, of the probate court, handed down a very important decision Saturday afternoon in the case of Edwin Hayward, whose will was contested. Mr. Hayward died in Casnovia last May, leaving an estate valued at $43,000. Carrie Hayward was keeping the company of a young man at the time of her father's death, and her father did not like her knight. In his will Hayward provides that his daughter should have $4,000 if she did not marry this young man, and if she did marry him she was to receive but $400. In his decision Judge Aldrich held that the will is legal and has sustained its provisions.

TO CONSOLIDATE.

Big Mines in Michigan to Be Worked Jointly.

Iron Mountain, Mich., Nov. 26.—The dispatches announcing the purchase of the Hamilton and Luddington mines by the Chapin were premature. Papers have been drawn for the consolidation for the property and will probably be signed this week. Owing to the mines being connected under ground, the question of unwatering and the caving of the ore render it almost imperative that the three big properties be worked jointly. The three mines can easily produce 1,500,000 tons of iron ore next season if placed under one management.

MOTHER TO HOMELESS ONES.

Mrs. E. O. Turbush Adopts and Rears Twenty-One Children.

Bay City, Nov. 23.—Preparations are being made to honor Mrs. E. O. Turbush on her 81st birthday for her long career in charitable work. She has adopted 21 children and reared them to maturity. All have gone out into the world with honest enterprise and most have been successful. The good lady seldom speaks of her benevolence. It is said she will give a site for a children's home to any association that will establish one. Financially she is independent.

Makes a Strong Protest.

Saginaw, Nov. 23.—The Saginaw Valley Lumber Dealers' association is making a strong protest to the state board of insurance-policy commissioners against the use of the rider known as the percentage-value clause in insurance policies. It declares the clause is a violation of the intent of the legislature and an undue hardship upon the insurer, increasing his insurance for the benefit of the insurance companies and making the value of an insurance policy uncertain, fluctuating with every change in the amount of stock on hand.

Evade the Tax.

Lansing, Nov. 26.—It is evident that the law passed by the last legislature requiring nonresident deer hunters to pay a license fee of $25 to hunt in Michigan is not a success. Although hundreds of hunters from other states have sought the fastnesses of Michigan forests this year in pursuit of deer, the state treasurer has up to date received but one license of $25, or the state's portion thereof, from county clerks.

Again Defeated.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 23.—In the suit for $15,000 damages of Alderman Charles W. Shriver versus W. W. Bean the jury was out nine hours, finally agreeing to a verdict in favor of Bean, finding that the shot was accidental and that the plaintiff had no cause for action.

Death of a Detective.

Jackson, Nov. 25.—James Z. Ballard died at his residence here Saturday of Bright's disease, aged 67 years. Mr. Ballard became noted as a detective in connection with the celebrated Crouch murders, which occurred here 12 years ago.

Met a Violent Death.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—Patrick Thomas, foreman in charge of a derrick hauling material to the top of a 14-story building, lost his footing Friday and fell nine stories to an adjoining building and was killed.

School Law Enforced.

St. Clair, Nov. 22.—The first case in Michigan under the new compulsory school law came up in this city, when two parents were fined five dollars each for refusing to send to school their daughters.

Woolen Mill Burned.

Yale, Nov. 24.—Andrew Bros.' woolen mill in this village has been totally destroyed by fire, about 30 men being thrown out of employment. The mill was valued at $15,000 with but $3,500 insurance.

Husband and Wife Burned.

Menominee, Nov. 26.—By an explosion of a lamp in the residence of Angus F. McGillis both he and his wife were badly burned about the head, hands and face. Both are lying in a critical condition.

Charged with Bomb Throwing.

Wintervliet, Nov. 22.—George Franks, of this city, has been arrested, charged with complicity in the attempt to blow up Dr. Sweetland, of Mottville, Ind., by throwing a bomb into his office.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

A Budget of News from Various Points in the State.

A post office has been established at Wesley, Mason county.

At Luther Gustav Florian was instantly killed by a falling tree.

By a majority of 35 Mason has voted to reject the blanket charter.

Hog cholera is reported prevalent among the herds of farmers near Alma.

Chicago capitalists propose to start a big malleable iron factory at Muskegon.

To pay quarterly pensions, the Detroit office has received the sum of $1,800,000.

A large number of counterfeit silver dollars have been put into circulation at Muskegon.

Monday, December 9, will be Michigan at the Cotton States exposition now open at Atlanta.

Muskegon cyclists are organizing for the purpose of building a plank road five feet wide from that city to Ravenna.

Good land can be bought in some parts of Roscommon county, it is said, at three dollars and five dollars per acre.

Owing to the prolonged coal war in Port Huron the dealers are now expecting a coal famine before the winter is over.

Niles has organized a military company with 25 men and will try to secure admission to the Michigan national guard.

As the work of compiling the state census is about completed, Secretary of State Gardner has begun discharging clerks.

It is said that Senator A. Oren Wheeler, of Manistee, will be a candidate before the republican convention for the nomination for governor.

The receipts of the post office at Ewen having aggregated $1,900 for the past four quarters, it will be made a presidential office on December 1.

The Crouch farm, well known as the site of one of the most outrageous and mysterious murders in Michigan, has been sold for $6,000 on a mortgage sale.

At the recent meeting of the Western Baseball league in Chicago the franchise was taken away from Grand Rapids, and that city dropped from the league.

In the vicinity of Ithaca there are about 40,000 bushels of potatoes yet in the ground. The famers did not think it worth while to dig them and let them freeze.

The Michigan Sunday School association has decided to meet in Kalamazoo next year. Its session at Detroit has closed. Fifteen hundred delegates were in attendance.

Pontiac has secured the Kelly Potato Digger company's factory by donating a $12,000 site. An additional bonus of $5,000, with which to equip the plant, has also been provided.

The annual exhibit of the Michigan Poultry and Pet Stock association will be held at Saginaw, December 10 to 13 inclusive. Birds from all parts of the state, as well as Canada, will compete for premiums.

In an interview at Detroit Hon. Stanley Turner predicts the election of Gen. Russell A. Alger as delegate-at-large to the republican national convention. It is understood, also, that Gov. Rich will be a candidate.

Capt. N. Robbins, superintendent of the 11th United States Life-saving district, is making the rounds of the life-saving station on the west shore, paying the crews for the last time this season. This station will close December 10.

Berrien county farmers are considering the advisability of raising more sugar cane the next year. Near Pipestone there is a sorghum mill which this year will put out over 600 gallons of pure sirup. Fifty people were given employment.

Kalamazoo is to have another industry. A number of Lansing and Kalamazoo capitalists and experts in the lumber business are to form a company called the Kalamazoo Hard Wood Finishing company, to manufacture lumber used in the interior finishing of houses.

Ex-Postmistress Found Guilty.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Addie B. Holland, formerly postmistress at North Grand Rapids, was found guilty in the United States court Friday morning on the charge of embezzling money-order funds. The charge was that bogus money orders were issued on other offices and collected by her son. Before she was arrested she claimed the office had been robbed, but the robbery was only a blind.

Potato Growers Alarmed.

Galesburg, Nov. 24.—Considerable alarm is manifest among extensive potato growers here regarding the decay of the harvested crop. In almost every instance where they have been buried in pits, settling from the top indicates with certainty the loss of the entire contents, and a large proportion of those stored in cellars seem destined to the same fate.

To Prison for Life.

Monroe, Nov. 22.—Thursday afternoon Judge Kinne sentenced Mrs. Enos Larkins to Jackson for life. No disposition has yet been made of the twins which were born in the jail here, and the officers do not know what to do with them, as the prison authorities positively refuse to receive them in Jackson with their criminal mother.

May Vote on Local Option.

Lansing, Nov. 26.—There is but little doubt that Ingham county will be dry after May 1 next. A mass convention held Monday decided by a vote of two to one to circulate the necessary petitions for an election to decide whether local option shall be adopted in this county.

Elections in Michigan Cities.

Lansing, Nov. 26.—At special elections in Michigan citizens of Holland and Charlotte voted against the blanket charter. Charlotte voted $12,000 more in bonds to extend the waterworks system, and Ludington voted $10,000 in bonds to take up outstanding orders.

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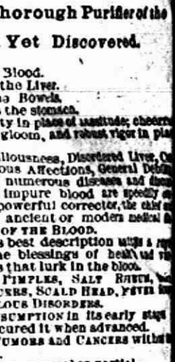

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Dec. 1. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Council at Jerusalem.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts xv, 1-29.

The abhorrence of idolatry and all its attendant abominations had led to isolation, social and religious, on the part of the Jews. It is difficult for us to fully understand the feelings of a pious Jew concerning social and religious fellowship with the surrounding heathen of Paul's age. Grossest licentiousness was connected with the idol feasts and worship of Antioch and other places. In all the cities of that part of the world the Jews had synagogues and conducted worship which led them to utterly detest the impurity of the heathen ceremonies and refuse any companionship which might in any way compromise their own principles.

Under the preaching of Paul and Barnabas many gentiles had accepted Christ as their Saviour. They were uncircumcised and untaught in the Jewish customs and laws of Moses. How can these two elements, the Christian Pharisees and gentile Christians, be harmoniously united in one church? This was the burning question of the time. It was a problem on whose solution hung all the future of the church of Christ and the world.

Certain teachers from Jerusalem having come to Antioch declared that the gentiles must be circumcised or they could not be saved. Paul vehemently opposed them. The contention was sharp, and finally it was agreed to refer the matter to the decision of the church at Jerusalem.

Accordingly Paul and Barnabas, taking Titus, a gentile convert, with them, went up to Jerusalem. After a thorough discussion of the whole matter the decision was made that the converts from heathenism were not to be circumcised, neither required to keep the Mosaic law. But as the Jews were everywhere dispersed, and held in abhorrence all things offered to idols, and things strangled, and the eating of blood, the gentile converts, in order to have fraternal and social union with them, should also shun these things. The one most prominent evil of Antioch and Syria was licentiousness connected with idolatry. This was a moral evil to be strictly shunned.

By wisdom, tact and real Christian courtesy the great danger of division in the early church was thus avoided and a basis of unity found.

Paul gives additional light on the events of this convention at Jerusalem in his epistle to the Galatians in the second chapter.

The Epworth League House.

In many communities there is little or no call for "slum work." Institutional churches cannot be sustained in all localities—in fact, are not needed everywhere. But there are places, especially in the great cities, where every appliance and device that can be invented by sanctified sound sense is demanded. In Boston at the north end, almost under the eaves of the Old North church of Paul Revere fame, we have an Epworth League house which is doing good work in saving the people of that vicinity. Another in Chicago is equally successful. The needs of every locality should be studied, and then just the thing needed there should be done, without special regard to what some one else is doing.

A Notable Stone.

Bishop Asbury, in 1785, laid the cornerstone of Cokesbury college, at Abingdon, Md. This was so named from the first bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, Coke and Asbury. It was the first Methodist college in America. The building was burned in 1795 and never rebuilt, and the college soon after was given up.

A block of granite weighing 300 pounds from the old foundations was secured in 1893 and has been polished and is to be placed in the foundation of Asbury Memorial hall of the great Washington university, thus linking this latest Methodist school with the earliest.

It Grows.

In many places the church grows slowly, but we must guard against thinking that because we see no great gain right about us, therefore the church is doing little or nothing. The Methodist Episcopal church during the past year has begun 1,000 new Sunday schools in the United States and aided 3,000 others, all through its Sunday School union. Every school, congregation and individual who contributed to its funds is a partner in this good work, even if it is ignorant of the dividends its investment has earned. The work does grow even if we didn't see it all. Help a little and it will increase more rapidly.

Temperance Work.

This must not be lost to mind. The most prominent evil in society at the present time is the open saloon and the drink traffic. The League should be active in efforts to assist the temperance reform. Occasional meetings to pray and counsel together should be held. Circulate the pledge. Secure the votes of friends for no license. Have a talk on some phase of the work. Do whatever is possible to increase interest, arouse conviction and save the young people from contracting the habit of using intoxicating liquors as a drink.

Helps to Study.

Careful reading of the Bible, comparing passage with passage, will give much insight into the truth. There is no substitute for this.

After all this has been done one can profitably read "Ben-Hur" for a knowledge of life in Antioch in the time of Paul.

Probably no better single volume can be found to assist in clear understanding of the present lessons than the "Life of St. Paul," by Conybeare and Howson. The "Life of Paul," by Farrar, is also of much value.

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DOMESTIC.

Indianapolis was flooded with dangerous counterfeit two-dollar bills. They are a trifle larger than the genuine, and in the portrait of Windom the eyes are larger than in the original.

At a meeting in New York of the Silk Association of America the price of twisted silk was advanced five per cent.

One hundred and twenty settlers south of Ashland, Wis., are, by a decision from the general land office, made homeless.

The schooner Shamrock of Key West, Fla., foundered off St. Martin's Key and six of the crew, all colored, were lost.

The monthly output of the gold mines at Cripple Creek, Col., was said to be $1,000,000.

The American cruiser Minneapolis was ordered to sail for Smyrna, Asia Minor, to assist in protecting the lives of American missionaries and other subjects of the United States in the districts now being ravished by the Mohammedan fanatics.

The annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform league will be held in Washington December 12 and 13.

Thieves broke into the post office at Summit, N. J., blew open the safe and secured over $5,000 worth of stamps and $500 in cash.

Ex-State Comptroller Edward Wemple, of New York, was taken to the Utica insane asylum. His insanity has taken a bent toward arson.

Dr. David J. Hill, president of the University of Rochester, N. Y., resigned to take effect at the close of the present college year.

The secretary of the interior issued a requisition on the treasury for $10,850,000 for the quarterly pension payment.

The First national bank of La Grange, Tex., which suspended, payment October 20 last, was permitted to resume business.

John Tod, of Cleveland, was appointed receiver of the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio Railroad company.

Mrs. Theresa Fell, who was injured by a Chicago & Alton train, was awarded $7,000 damages by a jury at Bloomington, Ill.

Charles Hurd, a negro who killed Joseph D. Kelley at Wartburg, Tenn., was taken from jail by a mob and hanged.

A negro accused of riding a horse over a little white girl near Bryan, Tex., inflicting serious injuries, was lynched by a mob, but later developments showed that the mob got hold of the wrong negro.

The constitutional convention at Columbia, S. C., made provision for the establishment of an industrial, mechanical and normal school for negroes.

After a confinement of six months Eugene V. Debs, the president of the American Railway union, was released from the jail at Woodstock, Ill.

At the general assembly of the Knights of Labor in Washington a boycott was ordered against the establishment of Wanamaker & Brown, of Philadelphia, and against the beer output of breweries controlled by the English syndicates in St. Louis, Pittsburgh, Omaha and Philadelphia.

Ten business houses and one dwelling were burned at Geneva, Ind., and Oliver Martin was in jail charged with having caused the fire.

Fire that started in the Excelsior building in Chicago, owned by Warren Springer, destroyed property valued at $500,000.

Hawley's block at Danbury, Conn., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

The annual report of the commissioner of internal revenue shows the receipts from different sources during the last fiscal year were $143,246,077, a decrease of $3,922,371 over the previous year.

At Whitinsville, Mass., 100 Armenians employed at the Whiting machine works refused to work because the firm would not discharge four Turks.

Atchison, Kan., was being flooded with $1 bills raised to $10. The specimens were almost perfect.

Six boys who had dug a playhouse in a steep embankment at Louisville were buried by a cave-in and Howard Ramage and Louis Snow were killed. The others escaped.

Christ church in Philadelphia celebrated its 200th anniversary, distinguished prelates from all over the country being present.

The schooner Edna M. Champion, which sailed from Philadelphia October 12 for Port Tampa, Fla., was given up as lost with her crew of nine men.

Mrs. Mary T. McMillan was found guilty at Auburn, N. Y., of making counterfeit two-cent postage stamps and was sentenced to the Erie county penitentiary for 18 months.

The Troy (N. Y.) Morning Telegram, established in 1853 as the Troy Morning Whig, has suspended publication.

Col. Fitzgerald, the New York restaurant man who was arrested for dressing his waiter girls in bloomers, has sued the city for $10,000 damages.

Schools and churches at Maysville, Ind., were closed because of the prevalence of diphtheria.

In the National Hardware association's convention in Pittsburgh resolutions were adopted asking the republican and democratic national committees to make the presidential campaign one of three instead of six months.

There were 320 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 22d, against 279 the week previous and 322 in the corresponding time of 1894.

In a fire in the Exchange building in Chicago which caused a loss of over $300,000 Patrick J. O'Donnell, Martin Sherrick, John Downs and John Prendergast, all firemen, and Kittie Landgraf were burned to death.

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A 40-ton meteor fell on a farm near Round Head, O.

Eugene V. Debs was given a reception in Chicago upon his arrival from the Woodstock jail and spoke to a large audience in Battery D, his subject being "Liberty."

The Puget Sound Loan Trust and Banking company at New Whatcom, Wash., failed with liabilities of $60,000.

Winebrenner Bros., oyster packers in Baltimore, made an assignment with liabilities of over $100,000.

The new census of Wisconsin shows the total percentage of foreign-born population of the state to be 27.04.

A jury in the United States court in Chicago awarded $50,000 damages in favor of Wilbur F. Davidson against the Illinois Central railroad. Davidson was injured for life by a freight train.

Thomas Mabe and his two sons were burned fatally in a fire which destroyed their brandy distillery near Danbury, N. C.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 22d aggregated $1,126,226,638, against $1,170,356,164 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 10.1.

Prof. Brooks, director of Smith's observatory at Geneva, N. Y., discovered a new comet. This is the 20th comet discovered by Prof. Brooks.

The National Hardware association in session at Pittsburgh, Pa., elected W. W. Supplee, of Philadelphia, as president.

George Harris, the original of "Uncle Tom" in Mrs. Stowe's novel, is in destitute circumstances at his home in Lexington, Ky. He will soon be 84 years old.

D. N. Morgan, the treasurer of the United States, in his annual report says the net ordinary revenues of the government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1895, were $313,390,075, an increase of $15,688,055 as compared with the year before; net ordinary expenditures, $356,195,298, a decrease of $11,328,981. Including the public debt, the total receipts on all accounts were $720,516,625 and the expenditurs $710,472,157.

Nancy and Fannie Armstrong and Mollie Whitney (all colored) were burned to death in a cabin at Stony Point, Ky.

Judge Reynolds, assistant secretary of the interior, in his annual report recommends legislation which will define with more certainty the pensionable rights of minor children in cases where the soldier dies leaving no widow surviving.

Postmaster-General Wilson in his annual report says the receipts of the post office department for the year ended June 30, 1895, were $76,171,090 and the expenditures $86,790,172. He estimates the revenue for the year ending June 30, 1897, at $89 793,120 and the expenditures at $94,817,000.

Fire destroyed the main building of the St. Louis Shovel company's plant, the loss being $100,000.

Rev. John Henry Barrows, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Chicago for the past 14 years, resigned to become a lecturer on Christianity in India.

The report of James White, superintendent of the railway mail service, shows that during the past year 497 accidents occurred to railway post offices, in which seven clerks were killed and 178 injured, an increase over 1894 of 137 accidents and 27 clerks killed and injured. Of the 10,377,875,000 pieces distributed and redistributed, but 1,166,682 errors occurred.

The director of the mint in his annual report says the value of the gold deposited at the mints and assay offices during the fiscal year was $87,482,082; value of silver, $15,714,365. During the year the gold product was valued at $59,500,000; silver, $31,422,000. The coinage by the mints during the year was: Gold, $43,933,475; silver dollars, $3,956,011; subsidiary silver coins, $5,113,469; minor coins, $712,594, a total coinage of $53,715,549.

The interstate commerce commission in its report on the income and expenditures of railways in the United States for the year ended June 30, 1895, includes the returns from 650 roads, or 92 per cent. of the mileage of the United States. The gross earnings were $1,003,022,853 and the operating expenses were $677,677,635, leaving net earnings of $325,355,218, against $320,137,670 for the same roads in 1894. Dividends paid were $53,135,545, leaving a deficit from the operations of the year of $31,075,030.

In a fit of jealousy Hans Allen, a wealthy Norwegian farmer near McGregor, Ia., killed William Cross, seriously shot a girl and then committed suicide.

The post office at Cambridge, O., was robbed of $300 worth of stamps and the contents of numerous registered letters.

Thomas Davis, David Callum and Miss Nora Work were drowned while crossing the Cumberland river near Nashville, Tenn.

Robbers entered the State bank at Alpha, Ill., and secured $4,700.

Prof. Perdue, a white school teacher 60 years old, charged with assaulting Miss Willie Grady, was lynched by a mob at Ailey, Ga.

John Richards and Thomas Watts, negroes who robbed, murdered and then burned the body of Miss Bagwell, near Greenwood, S. C., were hanged by a mob.

The Hasty Pudding club of Harvard wound up its centennial celebration in Boston with a big banquet.

Investigation among the miners in central Pennsylvania shows starvation among them at the outset of winter. The trouble is that there are two men for every job.

Commissioner Stump, of the immigration bureau, in his annual report recommends that congress enact radical legislation for the suppression of the padrone system.

Jack Yarborough, convicted of the murder of Josie Davis and sentenced to the penitentiary for life, was taken from officers by a mob at Crystal Springs, Miss., and hanged.

At Amsterdam, N. Y., Fred Banker killed Miss Cora Harrison and then took his own life. Jealousy was the cause.

The Galthright-Benton company, furniture dealers at Richmond, Va., assigned, with liabilities of $110,000.

Boatmen reported a fall of a foot in the Missouri river in South Dakota. The water was lower than at any known record.

Buyer & Reich, wholesale dealers in fancy goods in San Francisco, failed for $120,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The funeral services over the body of Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D., famous as the author of the national hymn, "America," were held at the First Baptist church in Newton, Mass.

Alcaeus Hooper, the first republican mayor of Baltimore in 30 years, was inaugurated.

Congressman J. P. Dolliver and Miss Louise Pearsons were married in the First Presbyterian church at Fort Dodge, Ia.

Senor Augusto De Saguira Thedim, Portuguese minister to the United States, died at his residence in Washington, aged 38 years.

H. W. Smith, associate justice of the supreme court of Utah, died at Ogden.

Miss Ella Tickle, the smallest woman in Ohio, was buried at Miamisburg. She was 33 years old, 30 inches high, and weighed only 31 pounds.

Mrs. Phoebe Woodward celebrated her 102d birthday anniversary at Charlestown, Mass.

FOREIGN.

Advices from West Africa say that Capt. Bower, the British resident at Ibadan, attacked and killed the king of Oyo and many of his followers.

In a battle near Santa Clara the insurgents defeated the Spanish troops, 500 of the latter being killed and wounded. The insurgents loss was small.

A combined boiler and magazine explosion on the troop ship Kung Pai at Kin Chow, China, sent 600 men to death.

Sir Henry Ponsonby, formerly private secretary to Queen Victoria and keeper of the privy purse, died at Cowes, aged 70 years.

Thanksgiving day in Canada was observed on the 21st.

Chinese papers are bitter in their attacks on the Japanese authorities in Corea, whom they blame for the murder of the queen. They say that there were 15 women of title in the court, the queen, her mother and 130 ladies in waiting and they were all soaked in oil and burned.

Dr. Cornelius V. A. Vandyck, the translator of the Bible into Arabic, and perhaps the foremost Arabic scholar in the world, died suddenly in Beyruth, Syria, aged 67 years. He was a native of Kinderhook, N. Y.

Advices from Turkey say that the Kurds destroyed 20 villages in the northwestern portion of the district of Aleppo, and the 10,000 inhabitants were massacred.

John Redfern, the well-known ladies' tailor, whose reputation is world-wide, died in London.

In the City of Mexico a sharp shock of earthquake occurred and waterpipes were broken and a few small houses were destroyed.

The dead bodies of five men, two of whom were Americans were discovered in a wild section of the Sierre Madre mountains near Mazatian, Mexico. It was supposed they died of starvation.

Cuban insurgents captured a Spanish fort at Santa Clara.

LATER.

A heavy snowstorm prevailed all over the west, in Chicago and vicinity the storm being very severe, and much damage was done to telegraph and telephone lines.

Four people were found murdered on a boat adrift in Red river near Paris, Tex.

The Norgegian bark Isaaden, Capt. Isaksen, was wrecked off Yarmouth, England, during a gale and twelve of the crew were drowned.

Bushrod Kelch shot and killed his divorced wife at Cleveland and then sent a bullet through his own head.

Herman Hattenhaft, a physical instructor, killed his two children and himself in Brooklyn, N. Y. No cause was known for the deed.

In a collision on the Santa Fe road near Shoemaker, N. M., between an express and freight trains, 12 passengers were more or less seriously injured.

The A. H. Fuchs millinery store, one of the largest in St. Louis, was burned, the loss being $150,000.

The National Society for the Prevention of crime was incorporated at Springfield, Ill., with headquarters in Chicago.

The Nebraska Savings and Exchange bank closed its doors at Omaha with liabilities of $150,000.

A score of pedestrians, including a number of the most famous walkers in the country, started on a six-day go-as-you-please match in Minneapolis.

Alaska's gold output for 1895 is estimated to be $3,000,000.

Arrangements were completed at Cleveland by which 3,000 Christian Endeavorers were to unitedly pray for Robert Ingersoll's conversion.

Angus F. McGillis and his wife were probably fatally burned by the explosion of a lamp in their home at Menominee, Mich.

At the fair grounds in McArthur, O., C. H. Rogers was ridden on a rail and afterward tarred and feathered for speaking disrespectfully of a lady school-teacher.

Barthelemy St. Hilaire, the author of many important political, philosophical and scientific works, died suddenly in Paris.

An old cartridge exploded at Palma, capital of the island of Majorca, killing 17 persons and wounding 40 others.

The Nicaraguan canal commission in its report to the president says the present surveys are inadequate and misleading, and that the estimated cost of the work is entirely too low.

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*No. 59—St. Louis Express	6:30 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	11 45 p m
‡ No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:25 a m

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No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:14 a m
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Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 25 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 324. Express.	No. 346. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 10 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
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EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A M	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	6 35	L....Allegan.....A	3 05	8 15
.....	12 2	7 10	Monteith	2 38	7 52
.....	1 18	7 39	Yorkville	1 56	7 14
.....	1 35	8 17	Battle Creek	1 00	6 47
6 30	2 35	8 37	Marshall	12 08	6 20
7 32	3 10	9 04	Homer	11 25	5 52
8 21	3 51	9 51	Hanover	10 48	5 23
9 33	5 05	10 10	Addison	10 05	4 50
10 45	5 11	10 16	Devils Lake	9 52	4 39
11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
..	5 30	10 35	Sand Lake	9 32	4 21
11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	*4 15
12 21	5 51	10 55	Tecumseh	9 10	4 02
12 41	6 00	11 04	Ridgeway	9 00	*3 54
12 55	6 04	11 08	Britton	8 56	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 19	Rea	8 42	*3 30
2 00	6 25	11 28	Dundee	8 32	3 39
4 55	7 20	12 15	A.....Toledo.....L	7 35	2 45
P.M.	P.M.	P. M.		A.M.	P. M.

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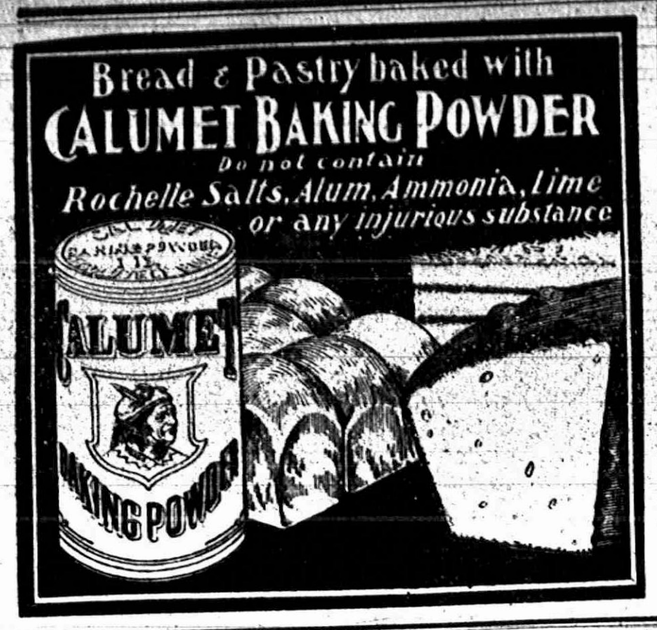

THE FOOT BALL GAME.

The discordant fish horn and the howls of faithful cranks proclaimed loudly to us yesterday morning that the annual foot ball game between Clinton and Tecumseh was in progress. The Clinton team was coached by Hollis Taylor and greatly to Mr. Taylor's credit be it said that he brought upon the field the best team Clinton has ever placed in opposition to the home team. At 11 o'clock the umpire's whistle sounded and Wade kicked off for Clinton. The ball was immediately stopped and punted back down the field where it was cleverly recovered by Tecumseh and went down for the first scrimmage. Tecumseh played her halfback for good sharp gains and on the third down Davidson planted the ball squarely behind Clinton's bar. Smith kicked goal. Score, Clinton, 0, Tecumseh, 6. Time 6 minutes. Wade kicked off again and the ball was as promptly punted back and recovered. Tecumseh lost the ball on a fumble and Clinton took a turn losing the ball on 3rd. down. A mix in Tecumseh's signals threw the ball back of the line and to save a loss it was punted down, the field where Burger recovered it on Huntington's fumble. A halfback play took the ball within a yard of Clinton's goal line, when our boys forced it through Clinton's left end. Davidson touched the ball down. Smith failed to kick goal. Score, C. 0, T., 10; time, 13 minutes. Clinton now tried her only hope, bucking the line which constituted her principal line of play, and in the next six minutes advanced steadily to Tecumseh's twenty-five yard line, when time was called.

SECOND HALF.

Heesen kicked off. Clinton failed to hold the ball and it was downed almost where it struck. Fast work by Tiffany and Smith took the ball within a foot of Clinton's line. Tecumseh shoved Davidson and Tiffany through Clinton's right end and scored the ball. Smith kicked goal. Score, C. 0., T. 16; time, 5 minutes.

Again Clinton failed to freeze onto Heesen's kickoff and the same operations were repeated with the variation of Tecumseh being fined 10 yards on a foul tackle; Clinton ditto. Clinton got another chance to buck the line without material gains. Wade let the ball slip when tackled and Davidson gobbled it. Loose interference allowed Davidson to score. Smith kicked goal., C. 0, T. 22; time 9 minutes.

Heesen slipped in kicking off and the ball went over the north touch line. Clinton brought it in for a scrimmage. Clinton lost the ball on down. Tecumseh was fined twenty-five yards for advancing the ball in the hands of the quarter back. Smith made a 35 yard run and was downed on the 15 yard line. Second down Smith scored, failing of goal. Score, C 0, T. 26; time, 7 minutes. In the next four minutes the teams sawed up and down the field, each one trying every scheme to advance. Time found the home team far into Clinton's territory again.

Clinton's team lined up the heaviest and their gains were mostly made by forcing through our lines steadily, but the rapid play and excellent running qualities of the home team made Clinton's best efforts useless. Yesterday's attendance 500.

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Miss Georgia Elliget, an eighteen years old girl employed as domestic in the family of Mr. Walker, was preparing breakfast about 7:30 o'clock. A fire had been kindled in the kitchen stove, but as this was slow in burning and it was nearly school time, the girl thought to hurry matters by using the small gasoline stove. The reservoir of the stove needed filling, and taking a dish she went out to get a measure full of gasoline. In the hurry some of it was spilled on her hand in filling, and as she lighted a match it took fire. In a second the light wrapper she wore was on fire. This frightened her so that instead of running out the side door, she rushed screaming through the house, and out the door into the front yard where she threw herself on the ground and rolled in the snow. Her clothing, with the exception of a few shreds, was entirely burned from her body. As she ran through the house wrapped in flames Mr. Walker grabbed after her to snatch off the blazing dress, but failed.

The girl's terrible screams alarmed the neighbors, who at once summoned Dr. Todd. The doctor was on hand in an instant and did everything possible to relieve the girl's awful suffering. The body was blistered and burned across the shoulders and around the hips. One limb was burned nearly the whole length. The arms and hands were badly burned and the long flowing hair on the girl's head was nearly burned off. The injuries are very serious but the sufferer's strong constitution is in her favor and she may recover.

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Smoked shoulders		9
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Veal, dressed, per lb	6 to 15	
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	5½ 6	10
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Hides, green		
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
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COTTON STATES' EXPOSITION.

A Brief Description of Some of the Principal Buildings and the Exhibits They Contain.

Having given our readers a general idea of the topography of Piedmont Park and the location of the main structures, we are now prepared to examine the Exposition in detail.

At the foot of Fourteenth street, which is the terminus of the Peachtree street motor line, is located the main entrance, which is combined with the Administration building. This building is 132 feet in length and the entrance gates are located in the center. It is modeled after the famous Blarney Castle in Ireland and the Tower of London. Old fashioned quarried leaded glass is used for all the windows, and every detail is carried out in harmony with the general antique design. The building is given up entirely to offices for the various branches of the administration department, where visitors can obtain all desired information from the officials in charge.

Directly east from the main entrance, and about ten rods distant, stands the Auditorium. It is 194 feet in length and 104 feet in width. The east front rests on a level ten feet below the west front. The main audience room is arranged in the form of an amphitheatre with a seating capacity for 3,000 people. Cafe and restaurant accommodations are provided, and a special feature consists of large boxes for private parties and distinguished guests. The building is utilized for a variety of purposes, lectures, musical entertainments, receptions and convention hall. Its acoustic properties are excellent and the building is commodious and airy. The rostrum is located in a recess on the east side of the room in the center and will accommodate about 200 performers. The room is brilliantly lighted with electricity.

South of this building stands the Agricultural structure. This is one of the largest buildings on the grounds, being 305 by 160 feet. There are four towers at the principal corners. The building stands on a terrace, which adds materially to its appearance when viewed from the east or south. In this department most of the Southern states have made a special effort to demonstrate the progress made by their section in agriculture, and their efforts have been crowned with signal success. Neither are the Northern and Western states behind, for their products were never shown to better advantage. Mexico, Guatamala, Venezuela and the Argentine Republic are also admirably represented. The building is divided into sections, lettered from A to N. Sections B K and C are taken by Florida and Arkansas. The booths are decorated with cotton on a black background, trimmed with varicolored bunting, producing a beautiful effect. Three more sections are occupied by South Carolina and Louisiana. Here the varied products of these states are grouped so as to be shown to the best advantage. The remaining sections are mostly occupied with private exhibits, of which there is a wonderful display. Among these might be mentioned the following, as worthy of special notice: The Cottolene exhibit by N. K. Fairbank & Co.; an immense display of cigars from Tampa, Fla.; preserved fruits by the Illinois Packing Co.; an extensive show of meats, lards and oils by the Hammond Packing Co. of Omaha; a splendid array of prepared foods by the American Cereal Co.; baking powder and flavoring extracts by the Sauer Co. of Richmond; a wonderful show of milk products by the Condensed Milk Co. of New York.

Farther south, on a lower level and around the west end of Clara Meer, is located the Minerals and Forestry building. This is a rustic structure built entirely of natural Southern woods, all of which are found in Georgia. It contains no less than twenty different varieties of wood. Wahoo and blackwood bark are used to cover the outside, the whole design being of rustic work. The exhibits consist of a variety of forest products, in the shape of logs, sections of trees, ornamental and fancy woods in veneers, as well as an extensive collection of minerals, all very effectively and beautifully arranged. The roof of the building is used as a complete roof garden, where tropical plants and foliage are shown. The Government exhibit is the most complete exhibition of the flora of the South ever gathered together. It covers 3,000 square feet in the center of the building. In the east end of the building is a fine exhibit from the Argentine Republic. This edifice is brilliantly illuminated at night by the Welesbach incandescent gas light system, which is in itself an important exhibit. The principal feature is the burner, which is made from a peculiar mineral, monazite sand, found only in North Carolina. A powerful, soft, blue light is produced, equal to an incandescent electric lamp, and the burner can be used with any illuminating gas.

A few rods eastward on the same level stands the Machinery building, an imposing structure five hundred feet in length by one hundred in width. The front facade is relieved by three large porticoes enclosed by colonnades of great Corinthian columns. The principal pediments contain beautiful staff figure work in appropriate design. Underneath the floor is a large basement where all the main and counter shafting are placed. An annex on the south 232 feet long is used for a boiler house. Here are four batteries of boilers of enormous size, which furnish steam for the ponderous engine in the main building. These latter have a capacity of 2,250 horsepower and supply the power necessary for all the purposes of the Exposition. This building rivals in interest the immense Palace of Machinery at Chicago. The floor area is divided into sections, many of which contain wonderful exhibits. Here is a cotton seed oil mill from Dayton, Ohio. There is a large collection of wood working machinery from Boston. Here is a big show of saws from Chicago. There are some ice making machines. In another is cotton weaving machinery from Woonsocket, R. I. In another is a show of cotton mill machinery from Castleton, England, and near by are a lot of cotton gins from Boston. An envelope machine in operation, turning out envelopes by the thousand, excites much curiosity. In another section is a Hoe printing press and type setting machine exhibited by the Atlanta Journal. Here is a knitting machine and there a loom, warper, twister and spooler. In one section is an immense display of soap and machines for making the same. These are a few of the principle exhibits, but not a tithe of what the building contains.

East of this is the California state structure, which contains a grand show of fruits from the Pacific coast, and near by is a train shed with six tracks on which trains of cars and locomotives are shown. Among these is a locomotive used during the war, on the Western & Atlantic, taken by Gen. Sherman's troops. Also a Pullman train and a palace train of the Plant System, one of the trunk lines of the South.

The structure which excites more curiosity and interest, perhaps, than any other, is the Negro building. It is located near the southeast corner of the Park and is a large edifice 270 feet in length. The exhibits within cover a period of over fifty years. It is the first building ever erected at an exposition for the sole purpose of showing the progress of the Negro race in the arts of civilization. The contractors and laborers employed in its construction were all of the colored race. The colored schools and colleges of the South have a wonderful show of exhibits, and the display of bric-a-brac and woman's work is large and beautiful. This building is a tangible proof of what the colored people are doing for themselves towards improving and elevating their race.

Directly north of this is the structure erected by the Georgia Manufacturers' Association. It differs materially from the other main buildings, being decidedly Moorish in both architecture and color. A beautiful rotunda, the roof of which is supported by eight arched trusses, extends the entire width of the building. The edifice is constructed wholly out of Georgia material and every exhibit in it is shown by a Georgia manufacturer. It contains some of the best exhibits, especially in the line of cotton manufacturing, to be seen on the grounds. Near by is a neat and unique building, octogonal in plan, erected by the Southern Railway System. This is the longest trunk line in the South, extending from Richmond and Washington through the gulf states to New Orleans, with a northern spur from Chattanooga to Cincinnati.

We now come to the Transportation building, one of the largest on the Park, located east of Clara Meer. Probably no other industry surpasses that of transportation in utility, and, considering the capital invested, it overshadows every other. The building contains a wonderful array of farm implements and machinery and all the latest improvements in railroad construction and coaches. Road wagons and carriages are shown in profusion. There is also a gas light exhibit in this building and a display of disinfectant fluids and machines. Among the curiosities are some rice hullers and a combined harvester and thresher. There is a large display of cane mills and grain mills and a gasoline engine and boat.

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AUNT TABITHA TROTT.

A Few Common Sense Thoughts About Popular Amusements and Christianity.

HERALD:—Thomas Trott was brought up in the Methodist church, and it took him a long time to overcome the prejudices he imbibed there against many things that are of no material account when we come to talk about the welfare of the human race, both religious and secular. It only took the two recent issues of the HERALD, containing the address of a certain gentleman before a certain society you are more or less interested in, to settle his mind in regard to the amusements spoken of.

"Thomas," said I, after I had read the two articles mentioned, "do you suppose that preacher has ever studied astronomy?"

"Why do you ask that?" inquired Thomas.

"Because," I answered, he seems to have a small idea of the Great Creator. When I think of the vastness of space, and the innumerable worlds it contains all showing us weak mortals that we cannot even get the faintest conception of the greatness and power of the Creator, it seems ridiculous that Christians should do so much to belittle God and make him seem puerile."

"Yes," said Trott, hardly knowing what to say. I continued.

"Recent discoveries in astronomy, by the aid of photography, have proven that there are stars in the milky way that are many times larger than our sun. They are so far away that astronomers have not computed the distance, and it may be some time before they do, but it cannot be said that they cannot do it. I am not surprised at any statement made by them, and it makes me think our old idea of a deity very small. How can we insignificant creatures injure Him?"

"I give it up! said Trott, "ask me something easier."

Without noticing what he said I went on. "Here is a preacher who says, "profanity is worse than theft, or arson or murder, for these crimes are attacks on humanity—that is an attack on Almighty God."

"The idea!" I exclaimed, "that we could injure Almighty God by what he calls profanity, which is but a vaporing of the breath, while theft, arson and murder are actual crimes and injuries to God's creatures. The thing seems so absurd to me that I cannot imagine the gentleman thought of what he was saying when he uttered the words."

"I agree with the gentleman in what he says about an innocent game of ball and when we consider that their so called league games are but means for gambling, I, also condemn them. As for women playing ball, I do not know that there is anything wrong about it any more than for the men and boys. If they are strong enough to stand the violent exercise it may do them good, and one thing you may be certain of, that is, if women were to mix in such games many of the objectionable things would disappear."

"What do you think of what he says about dancing?" asked Thomas.

"I do not agree with him entirely," I replied. "What is more natural than for a thoroughly happy person to feel light and joyous? Let a hand organ come onto the street and watch the children gather around it. Who can see the happy, innocent little things dance, prance around, thrilled to the heart by the, to them, beautiful strains and say that there is anything sinful about it? Why it is as natural to them as it is to sing when their little hearts are free from care and worry. A social dance among friends and acquaintances is no more sinful than a Methodist campmeeting, for many a crime has been committed in those delectable places. No one will admit that a public ball where men and women of all classes and conditions may mix indiscriminately is above reproach, neither are Thanksgiving tables soiloaded with rich and indigestible food that people, Christians, make gluttons of themselves and violate nature's laws, which are God's laws.

"The gentlemen says, "every Christian denomination in the world today renounces the dance." The gentleman is mistaken, and very much so. If he were not prejudiced he would realize that his saying is untrue. The Episcopalians, Universalists and the Catholic churches do not, and they are as much Christian as the denomination to which the gentleman belongs. They may be as nearly right, and they may be as wrong in their doctrines.

"His reference to that blatherskite, for money, Sam Jones, is not worth touching upon, but what he says about card playing and theatre going can be taken up with some interest, for they show that he is either an arrant humbug, or very ignorant of his subject."

"Guess you are about right, Tabby," said Thomas, and I went on.

"According to his reasoning churches should be shunned more than the theatre, for crimes and murders have been committed in them, and by preachers, too, as much as that fact is to be deplored. There is no more wrong or sin in a game of cards among friends then there is in the amusements his reverence would probably endorse. A game of cards can be made a source of wrong as can a Methodist choir meeting. There are many people who are too dull to master an intricate game of cards, but they can learn all the religious bigotry that is afloat.

"As to the theatre, the gentleman probably never saw a decent one, and there are thousands of them, where the objectionable play he mentions could not be seen or heard for any amount of the money even the preachers worship. The age for such bigotry, ignorant rot about the theatre is past. Your Aunt Tabitha has heard plays that were sermons to be remembered a life time, while she will acknowledge she would have hard work to remember a half dozen sermons from the pulpit, and she has heard many illustrious preachers. I could mention a number of plays that the gentleman could see and hear with profit, and gain in truly Christian ideas."

It gives me a very tired feeling when I come across the emanations of such religious bigots, for no other term will fill the bill. They will fret and groan about the non-essentials, such as games, dances and other amusements, and say nothing that will offend the wealthy members of the congregation, when the time might better be passed in denouncing the wrongs done the poor through unjust laws and usages. The preachers are very careful not to say anything that will offend the rich man who sits under the drippings of the sanctuary, though he may be guilty of usurious extortion, and even greater wrongs.

In politics the preachers are usually on the side of one or the other of the popular parties, whichever seems to be likely to bring the most credit to them from the worldly part of the congregation. There are very few Myron W. Reeds and Rev. Passmores, men who are brave enough to denounce wrong, even though it brings disaster upon their own heads. When Mr. Passmore denounced the worldliness of the Methodist bishops he brought a hornet's nest about his ears, for he told truths that were likely to prejudice the faithful, and that would mean reduced revenues.

Your Aunt Tabitha longs to see the day when we will have more real Christianity and less churchanity. A time when the gentlemen who fill pulpits for a yearly stipend will look more after the material welfare of their flocks, which will redound to their spiritual welfare. It is all folly trying to prepare places in a Heaven they are all very uncertain about for people whose stomachs have a chronic feeling of emptiness. Glittering robes in a New Jerusalem are of very little use to people in this life who have not a decent suit to their backs.

If the reverend gentlemen would use some of their time in trying to reform Congress and the state legislatures and put a stop to corruption in high places, instead of attempting to lessen the innocent amusements of mankind by decrying those that they know nothing of, or are too stupid to learn, they might earn their salaries.

Being good Christians does not consist in going about with long faces and crying, "woe, woe!" unto those who happen to be trying to enjoy the faculties for pleasure and amusement given them by their Creator. Give us more practical Christianity and less sham. Give us more comfortable, well supplied homes and less robbery with religious universities endowed by the plunder of powful, but legalized thieves.

True Christianity needs but a few words to give its creed. "Do unto others as you would others should do unto you." Nothing there about dancing, card playing or theatre going. All else besides those eleven words for any religion is superfluous. All else is mere doctrinal bosh, taken to build up creeds of churchanity. A man or woman can even go to the theatre on Sunday without violating the golden rule, and no religion needs more than that. Vice is as bad in the church as out of it. It will be impossible for any religious organization to ever convince all people that amusements are bad because they sometimes are abused. All the senses are abused by some people, but that is no reason why others should be derived of their senses. The preachers should get down to hard common sense, and they cannot do it too soon. These are the sentiments of your Aunt,

TABITHA TROTT.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 6, 1895.

Good sleighing.

Fred Sherwood began work on the Wiltse building this week.

Supper, Cantata, Fair Episcopal Ladies—next Wednesday.

That transformer has been fixed and those people again have light.

Don't forget the date of the ladies' Episcopal fair, Wednesday, Dec. 11.

Chas. Burroughs started for a trip to Oklahoma last Wednesday morning.

Atty. A. J. Waters, of Manchester, was on our streets Saturday morning.

We are glad to state that Fred. Greenleaf was able to be out the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Downley, of Adrian, were in attendance upon the Katner—Platt wedding.

Rev. Eikbaum, of Brooklyn, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Blachford next Sunday evening.

Hugh McElroy bought 15 acres of land of Wash Warren, adjoining his farm last Tuesday

A. J. Wilson and wife, of Dundee, were the guests of Peter Kishpaugh and family over Sunday.

M. H. Smith, district agent for National Loan Co., of Detroit, was in town the first of the week.

Miss Mable Barnsdale left Tuesday for a two week's visit with friends and relatives in Blissfield.

James Hogan has been drawn as juror to serve at the December term of the circuit court for Washtenaw county.

An appeal has been taken in the case of T. R. Kyle vs H. W. Stevens which was held before Justice Smith last week.

Aprons by the dozen. Chickens for family use. Also candlesticks with candles always ready, for sale at the fair.

Miss Bertha Gibson, who has been in Detroit and Chicago for some time, returned last week for a visit in these parts.

A Japanese student, of Albion, named Jamama, gave a very interesting talk at the M. E. Church, Sunday morning.

Mr and Mrs. A. M. Kennedy and Miss Clyde Marsteller attended the Eastern Star birthday party Tuesday evening at Tecumseh.

Mrs. Newcomb Brown and daughters and Bert Mosher and wife, of Jackson, ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Jennie Brown.

Come to the Fair next Wednesday and stay to supper, we will serve hot roast beef with dressing and many other good things for 15 cents.

Mrs. Martha Camburn and daughter, Florence, of Macon, visited Mrs. W. H. Niblack over Sunday. Miss Florence will remain here for a few weeks.

Chas. Gray's hunting hound tried conclusions with the Lake Shore passenger last Thursday afternoon. He was landed on the lake shore in another world.

The foot ball game played at Tecumseh Thanksgiving day was a very well played and exciting contest. A full account was published in last week's Herald.

Miss Isabel Case celebrated her birthday last Saturday with friends in Manchester. We know not whether the friends found out the exact age of their guest.

Mrs. Whittlesey and children, of Toledo, and Mrs. Landon Dudley and two sons, of Battle Creek, spent Thanksgiving at the Wm. Whittlesey home and returned Monday.

Be sure to hear Thos. McClarry in his lecture on "The Mission of Mirth" next Saturday the 14th. Mr. McClarry comes well recommended and we should give the opening night our hearty support.

You will find funny and fine fancy fabrics at the Episcopal Fair next Wednesday. Supper served from 4:30 to 6:30. Cantata, "Areia, The Fairy of the Waters," by twenty children in the evening.

Mrs. Mary Biddle, mother of William Biddle, died at her home in Macon last Friday, at the age of 78. The funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. Ramsdell at the Baptist church in Macon.

Go to the entertainment at the K. O. T. M. hall, Tuesday evening, and hear the ravings of John McColough; it was taken in his cell when he was crazy. This selection alone is worth the price of admission.

The remains of Mrs. Harriot Morgan were brought here from Mason last Saturday and taken to the home of Mr. Crittenden in Macon. The funeral was held at that place Sunday morning, Rev. Ramsdell officiating.

J. R Coller will give one of his Graphophone concerts under the auspices of the K. O. T. M., at their hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 10. Don't fail to go and hear the wonderfull machine. Admission to all, 10c.

The younger voices, of both boys and girls, which are being trained for the cantata to be given at the Episcopal Fair next Wednesday evening, are developing very satisfactorily and will be worth the trouble to hear.

Rev. Ramsdel pronounced the ceremony last Tuesday noon which united the lives of Wm. Katner and Miss Hattie Platt, both of Clinton. The wedding took place at the home of the bride and the bridal couple took the afternoon train for Detroit, accompanied by the congratulations of many friends.

A very pretty wedding occurred in Clinton last Wednesday evening, when Rev. Ramsdell again tied a nuptial knot this time uniting Miss Belle Ogden and Chas. Bostedor with the ties that bind. The couple are well and favorably known here and the best wishes of many friends go with them.

The annual election of officers of the Clinton lodge, No. 175, F. & A. M. held last Wednesday evening resulted in the following choice:

W. M.—Geo. DePuy.
S. W.—Jas. Woodward.
J. W.—Hiram Saxon.
Treas.—Geo. Runyan.
Sec.—J. R. Blanchard.
S. D.—Chas. Fabrique.
J. D.—Frank Dorr.
Stewards—Henry Davis, J. L. Kishpaugh.
Tyler—Henry Sterritt.

Rev. C. C. Marshall has been on the sick list for a few days, and was unable to hold service on Sunday. It being the night for union service at the Baptist church, there was no service in town except at the Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Brown, of Chicago, were here Monday on account of his father's funeral. The Doctor returned Tuesday to Chicago while Mrs. Brown and child will visit her parents at Adrian on her return.

Geo. R. Brown, who has been ill some time past, died last Friday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. King, where he had made his home recently. The deceased was an old resident of this township and had been identified with the history and development of the locality for a great many years. He had foreseen the approaching end and had made a suitable and equitable division of his property among the children. The diceased was 77 years of age and leaves two daughters and four sons, Mrs. Wm. Marshall, Mrs. M. R. King, Alexander, Horace and Thomas Brown of Clinton, and Dr. Heman Brown of Chicago. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. King, Rev. Ramsdell officiating, and was largely attended.

Fourteenth Annual Fair of St John's Church Society at Town Hall, Wednesday, Dec 11th, 1895. A sale of useful and ornamental articles will be offered for sale, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. A hot supper will be served from 4:30 to 6:30 for 15cts., after which an entertainment will be given by over forty children. Admission 10c. Below we give the entire Program:

PART FIRST.

Miss Lena Clark, pianist
America—Full Chorus.
Old King Cole—Ten Young Boys.
Medley—Twelve Young Girls.
When I was Single (char. song)—Mamie Keyser.

PART SECOND.

Aeria—Fairy of the water.
Prince Clever—Ralph Kishpaugh.
Boy Blue—Willie Hard.
Dame Bustle—Nellie Whittlesey.
Lillia—Sybella Lancaster.
Flirta—Eva Smith.
Bo Peep—Flora Seamark.
Hunters—Karl Keyser, Percy VanTuyle, Willie Smith, Fred Johnston.
Fairies—Nettie Keyser, Mabel White, Lily Seamark, Mamie Keyser, Nina Gibson, Katherine Clark.
Tableau and song—Queen of Hearts.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

S. W. Holmes, of Norvell, was in town on Tuesday.

S. H. Perkins, Esq., is quite sick at this writing.

Josiah Sloat shipped a carload of hogs to Buffalo, Tuesday.

The new plate glass windows are in the Goodyear House.

Albert Case, Esq., of Jackson, was in town the first of the week.

John Horning, of Norvell, was in town, Tuesday, on business.

George Kempf, of Chelsea, was in town on business last Monday.

Elwin English, is assisting Cashier Root in the Union Savings Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Millen, of Wolf Lake, were in town on Saturday.

H. A. Leeson was home from Albion College for a few days this week.

A singing class was organized at the M. E. chapel, on Monday evening.

Henry Naumann went to Toledo to work in the bicycle factory last Saturday.

Mrs. Warren Kimball arrived from an extended visit at Whitewater, Wis., on Friday.

Milo Woodruff and family, of Somerset, spent Sunday at William Freeman's.

Rev. G. P. Wright, of Denver, Col., occupied the Baptist pulpit on Sabbath morning.

Mort Hendershot gave a phonographic concert, at Iron Creek church, Tuesday evening last.

Miss May Henion, of Toledo, spent Thanksgiving day with her parents west of town.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wells R. Martin on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Julia Martin, who is attending the Normal school, at Ypsilanti, spent Thanksgiving at home.

John E. Thomas and family, of Toledo, spent Thanksgiving day at the Merriman home west of town.

The M. E. church was dedicated on Sunday evening, Dr. C. T. Allen, of Detroit, preaching the dedicatory sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Witherell, of Jackson, ate Thanksgiving turkey at Mrs. Rushton's and Mrs. W. remained until Wednesday.

Married, at the residence of W. H. Merriman, on Nov. 28th, Miss Florence Salome Merriman and Clarence Whitford Young, of Omaha, Neb.

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Buttons are the winter vogue.

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Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin advertised for months, but have you ever tried it? If not, you do not know what an ideal stomach remedy it is. A 10c bottle (10 doses 10c) will show you its great merits as a cure for constipation, indigestion and sick headache. Regular size, 50c and 1, at Orr & Temple's. Dec

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 11th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah J. ... deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charles Burridge, administrator with the will annexed upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that he is ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms and conditions of the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 9th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden on at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioners should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

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On reading and filing the petition of John Garlinghouse, one of the executors of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that they are now ready to render their final account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and for such other order as to this court shall seem proper.

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MORTGAGE SALE

ON the first day of September, A. D. ... James Boyd mortgaged to ... all those certain tracts or parcels of land ... and being in the township of Franklin ... county of Lenawee and state of Michigan ... described as follows, to-wit: The ... quarter of the southeast quarter and the ... east quarter of the southeast quarter of ... seven (7) of town five (5) south of range ... east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) ... of land more or less, to secure the ... one thousand dollars, in ten equal ... staliments next ensuing the first day of ... ber, 1893, with interest from the ... six per cent per annum payable ... mortgage was, on the 8th day of ... D. 1892, recorded in the Register's ... for the county of Lenawee, ... 91 of Mortgages, on page 781. ... said mortgage contains a ... any default be made in the ... interest or any part thereof ... whereon the same is made payable, ... pressed, and should the same ... and in arrear for the space of sixty days, ... and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the ... lapse of said sixty days, ... said sum of one thousand dollars ... paid, with all arrearages of ... shall, at the option of said party of the ... part, his executors, ... become and be due and payable ... thereafter, although the period ... for the payment thereof may not ... pired.

Default having been made in the ... the principal of said mortgage ... hereby elects to declare and does ... the whole amount due, both ... est, amounting at the date of this ... sum of nine hundred, nine and ... and no proceedings at law or in ... been commenced for the recovery ... any part thereof, notice, ... given that, by virtue of the power of ... state of Michigan in such case made ... vided, for the purpose of realizing ... above mentioned and interest ... costs of this foreclosure and ... attorney fee provided by law, ... third day of February, A. D. 1896 ... the forenoon of said day, at the ... the court house in the city of Adrian, ... county, Michigan, (that being the ... which the circuit court for said county ... awee is holden) sell at public ... highest bidder the lands and ... scribed.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH ... Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Mortgagee.

BRITTON ...

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Cass Zeluff is on the sick list.

Don't forget the play Saturday night.

Miss Bertha Britton is visiting friends in Milan.

Mr. Beal, of Ypsilanti, was in town Thursday.

Miss Carie Shaler, of Detroit, is visiting in town.

Lawyer Smith, of Adrian, was in our village Friday.

A. C. Hosgland and Art Curtis were in Adrian Tuesday.

A. P. B. Hardy made a business trip to Tecumseh Friday.

Mike VanNess, who has been ill for a week, is much better.

Miss Florence Miller returned to her home in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Make your arrangements to attend the donation next Wednesday.

We have a new hay firm in town; Swan & Hughes are the principals.

A number of Britton people attended the Masonic fair at Detroit yesterday.

Admission to the Play, Saturday night, Dec. 7th, 10c., to any part of the house.

Rev. Mudge expects to preach his farewell sermon one week from next Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Cox and son Harry spent Thanksgiving with her sister Mrs. W. Allen.

The Play at Exelby hall Saturday night will be given by the members of Frank J. Dean Co.

Leonard Kramer who has been visiting at W. Taylors, returned to his home in Detroit Monday.

Frank Brown was able to be out Wednesday for the first time since he returned from the woods.

Only a little more snow to make the sleighing perfect. It is excellent even where the roads are smooth.

The social Wednesday evening, given by the L. O. T. M., was somewhat slimly attended on account of the show which played in town that night.

Oats are in much favor at the depot and you can always find one or two nice selections there. Some new ones will soon arrive. Watch out for them.

The annual society meeting of the Christian Union church for the election of officers and other business will be held at the church parlors to-morrow p. m.

The Exchange Bank of Britton, has changed quarters and the firm will now hereafter do doing business at the store of Sharp & Linn. The safe was moved Saturday.

John Zeluff and family were sleighing for rabits last Tuesday, but were unfortunate enough to not even find a rabbit. The sleigh ride was much enjoyed, however.

Next Wednesday James McCarbery will move the old Beal's farm which was recently occupied by Alex Peters. The farm was sold at Administrator's sale for the sum of $31.50 per acre.

The F. J. Dean Company, who met with such successes here the first of the week, have been induced to put on an other "Rohman's Luck" at Exelby's Hall Saturday night. Don't miss it.

I am expecting to make a change in business soon, I would respectfully ask all persons indebted to me to kindly settle their account before Jan. 1st, the latest. JAS. HAIGHT.

The annual nominations in the K. O. T. M. took place last Tuesday night and election will take place at the next meeting. A candidate will also be present and every member should be present.

Gross. have a bookkeeper who was on trial. He will be seen at the store daily every day. If his duties are punctually attended to in the future as in the past he will doubtless be taken into the firm soon.

Will Underwood, while gamboling with a hog which he was driving Monday, stepped suddenly into a hole, severely strained the ligaments in his ankle. The injury will probably lay him up for some time.

Arnold, of Adrian, who represents the Page Wire Fence Co., recently announced a runaway east of town. The horse became frightened, ran and collided with the sleigh of Joe VanValkenburg. There was quite a squabble for a few minutes, but the rigs were finally separated with little injury.

Colby has been to considerable expense repairing his side walk and having completely overhauled it. As a result breakage was largely due to passage of heavy trucks, he has no more than fare to ask for heavy trucks to use some other than that made for foot passengers.

The annual donation of the Christian church will be held at the parlors of the church next week Wednesday, Dec. 4th. This is the last chance which the people will have to show their appreciation of the work which has been done in our midst by our pastor, let all turn out and make the donation a success.

The young ladies of Britton have long been looking for an opportunity to reward their admirers for the many attentions of past years, and they are already making most elaborate preparations for the leap year of femenine priviliges. The first day of the chosen season will be realized and a jolly party given New Years night, and doubtless many more thereafter during the year will be realized in some way by the fair sex.

The Frank J. Dean Company which played a three nights engagement here the first of the week deserved and received the most flattering success. Monday night was given "Woman against Woman" Tuesday "The Country Girl" Wednesday "Peck's Bad Boy." All popular plays were put on in first class style by the company, which by the way, is composed of artists in their particular roles. Barnstormers usually get a cold shoulder in Britton but the fact that the attendance increased with each nights performance of the company speaks stronger than words their popularity and excellence.

Surprise parties and cyclones are similar in some respects. One hardly knows their source, but after they have come and gone one knows that they have been, and those who have passed through both think the surprise party preferable. At least that is Walter Swick's decision, for he passed through one of those surprises Saturday evening, Nov. 30. Mr. Swick and wife, formerly Miss Bertha Underwood, reside with Walter's father, Lute Swick, one mile north of Britton. Saturday evening, as the family was seated around the fireside visiting, perhaps thinking of the sweet repose that would soon encircle their minds, their meditations were disturbed by the sound of voices outside. The door was soon thrown open and in marched an army of friends and neighbors to the number of 35, headed by James Underwood's family and followed by brothers and sisters of Mrs. Swick, with their families, also friends and neighbors. The evening's entertainment opened with happy greetings of one to another, followed by a time of sociability. Then the table was drawn out and loaded down with the rich provisions which the good ladies had not forgotten to prepare. When ready, the company gathered around the table and satisfied their apetites with the rich viands. This act over, Lute Swick took down the fiddle and the bow and entertained the company with some favorite selections, which was followed by the sweet strains of the organ and singing by the company. This continued until quite a late hour when the party broke up and the good byes were said and the company departed, feeling it had been an evening well spent, and that the strong cord of love which binds families, friends and neighbors together had been more closely drawn.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Good sleighing.

Arthur Mapes returned from a week's visit with friends in Perrysburg, O., Tuesday.

John VanVleet is very sick at the present time.

Miss Emma Miller returned from Detroit Monday.

R. S. Houseman and wife were Adrian visitors Tuesday.

This place is well supplied with fruit tree agents at present.

Frank Gillispie, of Clinton, was in the village Wednesday.

W. L. Jones and family attended the Platt wedding at Clinton Tuesday.

Alex. Easlick is no better, he has been confined to his bed for more than three months.

The election of officers of the Hall Library has been postponed until Monday afternoon.

The friends of Jame Nelson will be pained to learn of his serious attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Ells Potts and son, Philip, and Fern VanDuzer left for Washington Tuesday evening.

Notice—Slaughter sale of trimmed hats at the Ridgeway millinery store Saturday and all next week, call early

Mrs. E. N. Law, of Detroit, will deliver one of her famous temperance lectures in the Ridgeway M. E. church, Friday evening, Dec. 13, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Collection.

The town has settled with Mr. Niblack, who was injured by falling through a defective sidewalk at Britton, by paying him $300. That being the amount awarded by the Arbitrators.

Lost, near the Witt school house, a black electric seal muff. The finder will receive a suitable reward by notifying the owner, Miss Edith Collins, at Ridgeway, whose name is on inside of muff.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Frank Fisher drove to Ypsilanti last Wednesday.

Herbert Munger drove to Ypsilanti Sunday with the Normal students.

Miss Dora Davenport gave a Thanksgiving dinner to a number of her friends.

Milton Burns who has been very dangerously ill, is reported slightly better.

Misses Lavica Fisher and Ella Munger, and Clarence Fisher came home from Ypsilanti for Thanksgiving.

L. E. Taylor has been finishing up his celery this week. It is the celery man who raketh in the shekels this year.

Miss Ruth Taylor expects to eat her Christmas dinner with her aunt, Mary Wood's, who will entertain relatives on that day, in Hillsdale.

Mrs. John H. Davis, of Milford, has sent invitations to a Christmas celebration to Franklin relatives. It will be the anniversary of their wedding day. 1864.

The next Lyceum will occur at E. J. Whelan's two weeks from last Saturday night. A good program is being prepared and an interesting debate will follow led by Wm. Spaulding and Andrew Taylor. We notice on the program a speech from H. Taylor, Declamation, G. W. Allen; song., Mrs. Van Doren; paper., Alma Whelan, and A. Taylor, a dialogue and other things too numerous to mention. Come out.

RAISIN RACKET.

Mr. VanNorman has moved into the Houghtby house.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kishpaugh visited at Hanover this week.

The "Bowermans" had Thanksgiving at Frank Bowerman's this year.

Miss Nellie Bowerman came home from Clinton to spend Thanksgiving.

Theodore Harkness and family expect to move into the house just west of their present home, owned by Mr. Holden, of Adrian.

A Sunday school convention is to be held at the Friends church, at the Center, next Saturday at 10 a. m, Palmyra and Raisin townships.

Mrs. Butler, who has been living at Joseph Bowerman's, died Saturday. She had been suffering with la grippe, but it is thought died in an epileptic fit.

The severe wind took the roof from the shed at the Quaker church last Monday night and left it in the berry patch at Lee Hoag's. The men made a "bee" Saturday and repaired it.

DR. HARTMAN SAYS

Now is the Time to Guard Against Colds—The First Cold Weather.

In a recent lecture at the Surgical Hotel Dr. Hartman is reported as saying that no one need catch cold if he willing to give the matter slight attention; that a cold is the beginning of chronic catarrh, consumption, disease of the liver, stomach, kidneys and pelvic organs. All this could be prevented by taking his advice. The doctor's professional duties compelled him, for many years, to be on the road night and day, by carriage, railroad and steamboat. During all this time he never caught a cold. This could not have been done without Pe-ru-na, he says. At the slightest evidence of a cold a few doses of Pe-ru-na invariably check it.

This is especially seasonable advice, for the cold winter is here, with its storms, sudden changes, slop, rain and snow. Thousands of people will contract diseases from which they will never recover, by catching cold. Dr. Hartman's advice should be heeded. Pe-ru-na cures catarrh of any stage or location. It is the most popular remedy for la grippe, coughs, colds, etc.

Send for a free copy of an illustrated book on catarrh. It contains sixty-four pages of valuable instruction. Address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, O. Ask your druggist for a copy of the Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1896.

Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C., J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines. T. C. M. SCHINDLER, tjt Gen'l Pass. Ag't.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta during the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition, and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

JACKSON SMITH, Div. Pass. Agt, Cincinnati, O.
C. P. ATMORE, Gen'l Pass Agt. tf Lousville Ky.

The Grip.

An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics, warrants the bold claim that Dr. King's New Discovery will positively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be refunded if no good results follow its use. Sold by Orr & Temple. 4

White felt hats are seen much at the theatre.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

The feather boa is the becoming rival of the fur one.

Mother and Babe.

Both equally benefited by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Is the baby constipated? Then try this pleasant liquid laxative, both sure and mild, and pleasant to the taste. Has the mother indigestion or sick headache? There is nothing so effective. In 10c 50c and $1 sizes, of Orr & Temple. Dec

Christmas buyers are beginning to make the shops wake up.

Century Catarrh Cure

has wrought relief, cure and comfort to thousands of sufferers from catarrh. It is certainly a great remedy and should be tried by every one suffering with that dangerous and disagreeable disease. dec

Have your miniature painted for your sweetheart's Christmas gift.

Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of itching piles there ever was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering relieved in a single night. Get Doan's Ointment from your dealer. 1w

Have a white edge to your black veil if you wish to be dubbed smart.

For earache, put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough, isn't it? 1w

When in doubt about your Christmas giving buy gloves or handkerchiefs.

To retain an abundant head of hair of a natural color to a good old age, the hygiene of the scalp must be observed. Apply Hall's Hair Renewer. 1w

If you wish to be healthy eat whole wheat bread.

Scrofula lurks in the blood of nearly every one, but Hood's Sarsaparilla drives it from the system and makes pure blood. 1w

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSION

To Virginia and the South, Nov. 19th. Dec. 3d and 17th, 1895.

On the above dates agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip; limit for return 30 days. Consult O. C. Agents.

For three years I suffered from Salt Rheum. It covered my hands to such an extent that I could not wash them. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured me.—Libbie Young, Popes Mills, St. Lawrence county, N.Y. 1w

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems sent as a special providence to little folks. Pleasant to take, perfectly harmless, absolutely sure to give instant relief in all cases of cold or lung trouble. 1w

Holiday Rates on Ohio Central Lines.

Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31. Also on January 1. Limit for return January 2, 1896. Rate one fare and a third for round trip between all stations. See Ohio Central Agents for full particulars.

The Historic Route.

The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis R'y, the model railroad of the South in equipment, roadway and service, is also the greatest in historical interest, more than fifty famous battlefields and five national cemeteries being located on the various lines of this system. This is the preferred route to Atlanta for the Cotton States and International Exposition, open from September 18, to December 31, 1895, for which very low excursion rates have been made. Through sleeping car service from St. Louis to Atlanta via Evansville, Nashville and Chattanooga. This is the route of the famous Dixie Flyer through sleeping car line which runs the year round between Nashville and Jacksonville, Fla. For further information, address Briard F. Hill, 328 Marquette Building, Chicago, Ill., or R. C. Cowardin, Western Passenger Agent, Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis, Mo., or D. J. Mullaney, Pass Agt., 59 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

W. L. DANLEY, G. P. & T. A., tf Nashville, Tenn.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c) which always gives relief. Dec.

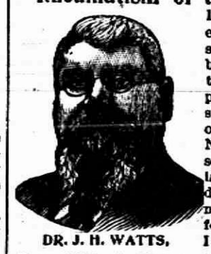
A tea cosy is a dainty gift for the woman who entertains her friends at afternoon tea.

YEARS OF INTENSE PAIN.

Dr. J. H. Watts, druggist and physician, Humboldt, Neb., who suffered with heart disease for four years, trying every remedy and all treatments known to himself and fellow-practitioners; believes that heart disease is curable. He writes:

"I wish to tell what your valuable medicine has done for me. For four years I had heart disease of the very worst kind. Several physicians I consulted, said it was

Rheumatism of the Heart.



DR. J. H. WATTS.

It was almost unendurable; with shortness of breath, palpitations, severe pains, unable to sleep, especially on the left side. No pen can describe my sufferings, particularly during the last months of those four weary years. I finally tried

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 6, 1895.

A WORD TO OUR PATRONS.

The HERALD is looking forward to the year 1896 with a determination to make it the most successful one in the history of the paper. And we have concluded to confer with our readers in regard to the lines upon which the paper shall be conducted next year. Our patrons look upon the old HERALD, in a certain sense, as their own, and so far as we can do so without surrendering our own convictions, we desire to respect their wishes as to the class of reading which its columns shall contain.

We are now printing six columns of general news each week, three of Michigan state news and three of condensed news items. We take it for granted that the local news of Tecumseh and the surrounding towns should be kept up to its present standard and extended whenever possible. This news cannot be obtained in so complete a form elsewhere. Most of our readers, however, take some city weekly, in which the general news is furnished more fully. Shall the HERALD discard its six columns of news, and if so, what shall be substituted in its place? Hence these questions:

1. Shall we retain the three columns of Michigan News, or substitute therefor neighborhood and county items and a short story?

2. Shall we keep the three columns of condensed news, or substitute free silver coinage matter in their place?

3. Shall we run a dairy column, a temperance column, or both?

4. Shall we continue the Epworth League and Grab Bag columns?

Five minutes' time and the expenditure of one cent for a postal card will enable every subscriber on our list to answer these questions. Answer the question you consider the most important, or, better still, all of them. Don't be bashful. Speak out frankly. Add to your direct answers such comments as may occur to you. Send in your postals between this date and Christmas. They will be collated and examined immediately thereafter, and the HERALD for the coming year will conform, as nearly as possible, to the recommendations which they may contain.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The club will meet at the residence of H. A. Hoag, Friday evening, Dec. 13th, with the following program:

Music—Elva Tallman.
Rec.—Hattie Hurry.
Rec.—Halleck Wilson.
Reading—Ada VanValkenberg.
Song—Ernest, Bertha and Willie Lamkins.
Rec.—Howard Matthews.
Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
Charade—Bertha VanValkenberg.
Rec.—Herbert Munger.
Song—Perry, Ada, Lena and Bertha VanValkenberg.

In place of discussion the young people will each have a quotation from Will Carleton. A short essay on the author's life, by Clara Waldron.

Sel. Read.—from same author—Ina VanValkenberg and Charley Hurry.
Song—Charley and Harriette Hurry.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The Farmers' Union will hold the first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Lydia McIntire, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, 1895. The following program will be given:

Music—Mary McIntire.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Reading—Mrs. Will Raymond.
Essay—Miss Mabel Wood.
Dec.—Floyd Ager.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Poucher.
Reading—Mrs. J. T. Boyce.
Music—Miss Nettie Wilson.
Election of officers.

For Pneumonia,

Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: 'I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month, with good results.' Orr & Temple. Dec.

Mock jewels flash on all fine millinery.

Yes, 'tis true; Foley's Honey and Tar Is the best Cough Medicine. Orr & Temple. Dec.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

C. E. Williamson got home from New York, Saturday night.

J. H. Smith went to Sturgis yesterday on a business trip.

Mrs. Geo. S. Tiffany went to London, Ont., Monday, for an extended visit with friends.

The HERALD never issued a better supplement sheet than the one sent out this week.

The Ministers' meeting will be held next Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, at the M. E. church parlors.

Mr. Wm. Hayden and Levi C. Hayden go to Jackson this afternoon to attend the funeral of Henry Hayden.

Young Peoples' Christian Union Social at the Universalist church this evening. Everybody turn out and have a good time.

The Baptist Sunday School library has received a large invoice of new books, which will greatly please the scholars.

A joint conference of the Liberal Churches of Michigan will be held at Battle Creek, Thursday of next week, Dec. 12th.

Madame Irene L. Kennedy, of Detroit, manicure, will be here one day only, Monday, Dec. 9. Leave orders with Orr & Temple.

Mrs. W. S. Satterlee and two children arrived in town last Saturday from Canada, when they have been visiting for several weeks.

The board of supervisors never did a better thing than establishing a stone yard at the county jail. Testimonials to this effect come in from various quarters. The authorities at St. Joseph's hospital say that formerly an average of nine tramps called at the hospital for something to eat every day, while now they do not have a single visitor of this description.—Telegram.

High School Happenings.

Mrs. Silvers visited the A room Monday.

Algebra II are working in ratio and proportion.

Geometry class are engaged in the construction of polygons.

New double windows now add to the warmth of the central building.

Mrs. Garlinghouse made the A. room a hasty visit Monday afternoon.

Lavern Smith took a post graduate course in the eighth grade Tuesday morning.

Sam McClure entertained the A room Wednesday morning with an essay on the question of reaching the North Pole.

It is reported that Leigh Pennington is becoming an object of envy to some of the young men of the Philosophy class.

It has been decided to place a lunch stand in the A room for the benefit of the girls and some of the boys who still retain their baby characteristics.

The clock in the A room decided last Thursday that it had little to be thankful for, and Monday morning refused to perform its daily work. However arbitration has been resorted to and it has promised to fulfill its contract for at least another year.

AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, at the Arner place, next door to the Tin Shop, in Ridgeway, on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1895, at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property: Black 4 yr. old Gent's driving horse; Bay Mare 7yrs. old; 1 spotted mare, 7 yrs.-old, family driver, 1 Clydsdale horse, 5 yrs.-old. 2 cows, one 6 and one 8 years old. Steel hay rake nearly new; 2 mowers—Walter A. Wood and Meadow King; Spring tooth cultivator, both bought this spring; Check rower and corn planter combined; Sulky Plow; Disk Harrow; Scotch Harrow; Horse Corn Cutter; Pair scales; Fanning mill; Wheat drill; 2-tooth cultivator; New wide tire Jackson wagon, Hay rack, 2 Set heavy work harness, Single harness, Top Buggy, Road wagon, 3-spring wagon, Single Buggy and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale. All sums of $5.00 or under cash. All sums over $5.00, twelve month's credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises. GEO. BRAGG.

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To California in Through Tourist Sleepers, via Wabash R. R.

These sleepers leave Dearborn station, Chicago, every Wednesday at 11:03 a. m. via Wabash and thence via St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern, Texas and Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways, running through to Los Angeles and San Francisco without change. Pullman Palace Sleeper leaves Chicago daily on same train for City of Mexico with one change at Laredo. This sleeper lands you in Hot Springs the next day at 12:45 p. m., four hours and forty minutes ahead of any other line. No snow or ice via this great Southern Route. This is the only line from Chicago that can offer this excellent service. Call or write to any ticket agent of the Wabash or connecting lines for printed matter showing time, route, rates, descriptions of cars, etc., or

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You can vote for your own girl If none yourself vote for somebody else. The voting will end Dec. 23, 1895. The girl getting the most votes gets the $5, the 2nd $3, etc. The prizes will be given on the afternoon of December 24th.

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Tecumseh Herald Holiday Supplement.

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THE HERALD FOR 1896.

Again the "Old Reliable" greets its patrons. The hard times of the past two years are slowly but surely improving, and we have reason to expect a fair business year during 1896. It behooves us all, therefore, to set our house in order and be prepared to take advantage of the revival when it comes.

The HERALD will enter the coming year better equipped than ever to meet all requirements upon it—to tide over close times, if such shall be its destiny, or to make hay while the sun shines, if the opportunity shall be offered. In any event, therefore, its weekly visits will be continued during 1896, as they have been for over forty-five years. The character of the paper will be substantially the same as heretofore. First and foremost, it will fill the bill as a first-class local newspaper, giving such additional matter as seems to be most satisfactory to a majority of its patrons. It will not be the organ of any party, sect or clique, but will be independent in all things, and it will never shrink from expressing its honest convictions on all subjects, whenever occasion seems to demand it. Our rates have been placed upon a hard pan basis for 1896, and we offer a few extra combinations for those who regard them with favor; and we take pride in the fact that we can meet all competition in this direction. We print the most favorable club list ever presented in these columns, which will be found elsewhere. Here are the combination offers in detail.

NUMBER ONE.

The Marsh Reading Stand and Revolving Book Case is the best article of that kind now on the market. It has a strong metal base and the sides are handsomely finished. It revolves easily, shelves and top are of solid oak, has six feet of shelf room and will hold forty small or medium volumes. The price has been recently reduced to $5.00, and by a special arrangement with the manufacturers we can sell this useful article for only $4.00, which will include a full year's subscription to the HERALD. Never before has this elegant piece of furniture been offered at such a price.

NUMBER TWO.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the regular price, $2.00, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER THREE.

The Housekeeper, published monthly at Minneapolis, is one of the oldest and best of the domestic periodicals, widely circulated and popular. It has recently been enlarged to twenty pages and the price reduced to $1.00 a year. For $2.00 we will furnish both the HERALD and Housekeeper one year with any one of these six premiums: Buckeye Cook Book, Poultry Raiser's Guide and Candy Making, a six-bladed chopping knife, a pair of nickel plated curling irons, the Silver Lustre egg beater, a serrated bread knife. Two dollars will pay for any one of these premiums, The Housekeeper and the HERALD.

NUMBER FOUR.

The Practical Home Physician is the best book of that character published in recent years. Its authors are men of national repute. It contains about 1200 pages, weighing six pounds, is printed in bold, clear type, on extra good paper and is handsomely bound in English cloth. This book sells for $6.50, but, by a special arrangement with the publishers, we can furnish it for only $3.50, which will also include a year's subscription to the HERALD. This is a bargain.

NUMBER FIVE.

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Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C., J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines.

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Though times be sad and murky—
That though we still love turkey meat,
We do not live in Turkey.

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Tommy: "I didn't need the paper to draw on, 'cause I was drawing on my imagination."

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Teacher: "Now suppose there were five boys going skating, and they had only three pairs of skates; how many boys would have to look on?"

Boy: "I know; the two that got the worst of the fight."

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Hudson Post slander: The following excuse was handed in to a teacher of the Adrian high school last week, and the faculty are not yet through smiling over it. It read:

"Dear Miss—

Please excuse Sary for not being in school Monday, as she had to stay to home and help her father butcher.

Her Mother."

The teacher has been keeping a watchful eye on the youthful murderess ever since.

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There is a type of girl that everybody likes. Nobody can tell exactly why, but after you have met her you turn away to some other woman and say: "Don't you like Miss Grosvenor?" Now, the reason you like her is a subtle one; without knowing all about her you feel just the sort of a girl she is.

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She is the girl who appreciates the fact that she cannot always have the first choice of everything in the world.

She is the girl who is not aggressive and does not find joy in inciting aggressive people.

She is the girl who, whether it is warm or cold, clear or stormy, finds no fault with the weather.

She is the girl who, when you invite her to any place, compliments you by looking her best.

She is the girl who is sweet and womanly to look at and listen to, and who doesn't strike you as a poor imitation of a demimondaine.

She is the girl who makes this world a pleasant place because she is so pleasant herself.

And, by the by, when you come to think of it, isn't she the girl who makes you feel she likes you, and, therefore you like her.

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THE SUPREME COURT BARS KODAKS.

Visitors and tourists are not allowed to take kodaks into the Supreme Court room in Washington. The dignified members of that high judicial tribunal were deeply mortified recently by the report that a kodak fiend took a snap shot at Mr. Associate Justice Gray, of Massachusetts, while he was "dozing" on the bench. Judges of the Supreme Court frequently take 'forty winks' during the arguments if the talk happens to be uninteresting, but they manage to conceal the fact from all but the closest observers. Justice Gray is the tallest member of the court and for that reason he is the most conspicuous; besides he has a peculiarly shaped head, which always attracts attention and elicits comment from visitors.

Unfortunately for Mr. Justice Gray, he is more given to 'nodding on the bench' than any of his associates, and when he takes a nap his head falls low upon his breast, his mouth hangs open and he could not truthfully be called a 'sleeping beauty.' It was during one of his naps that the kodak fiend got in his work. Naturally Mr. Justice Gray is very sensitive on the subject, and he was further mortified one day by receiving a severe reprimand from his wife. She had taken some friends to the capitol to witness the proceedings of the court, but principally to show off her husband in his rich silk gown. It so happened that the case pending before the court was dull and the attorneys uninteresting, so that when Mrs. Gray and her friends entered the court room Judge Gray was sound asleep in his chair.—New York Sun.

Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta during the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

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EXECUTIVE VIEWS

Of What Is the Matter With the United States.

GREENBACKS THE CHIEF TROUBLE

A Message Almost Entirely Devoted to the Burning Question of Finance.

LITTLE SAID ABOUT THE TARIFF.

Review of the Difficulty in Keeping the Gold Reserve Intact—Bond Issue That Gave Only Temporary Relief—Suggestions as to What Should Be Done to Put Uncle Sam's Monetary Affairs on a Safe Basis—Argument Against Free Silver—Remarks on Cuba, Armenia, and the Venezuela and Alaska Boundary Questions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The president's message was delivered to both house of congress today. It begins with a recommendation to congress to give the department reports careful scrutiny and examination. He then calls attention to the fact that the Argentine republic has amended its tariff in recognition of the opening of our interest to its wool, so as to admit to that country a number of products of the United States at reduced duties.

The first subject of importance touched upon is the disordered condition of affairs in China, following upon the close of the war with Japan, the consequent weakening of the central authority of the government and the serious outbreaks of the old fanatical spirit against foreigners is discussed. The demands of the United States and other powers for the punishment of the aggressors and the compliance of the Chinese government are related, as is the demand of the United States for a special commission to investigate the disturbances when they first broke out.

Of the Waller incident the message says: "The customary cordial relations between this country and France have been undisturbed with the exception that a full explanation of the treatment of John L. Waller by the expeditionary military authorities of France still remains to be given."

The official record of the trial has been furnished this government, says the message, "but the evidence adduced in support of the charges—which was not received by the French minister for foreign affairs till the first week in October—has thus far been withheld, the French government taking the ground that its production in response to our demand would establish a bad precedent. The efforts of our ambassador to procure, however, though impeded by recent changes in the French ministry, have not been relaxed, and it is confidently expected that some satisfactory solution of the matter will shortly be reached. Meanwhile it appears that Mr. Waller's confinement has every alleviation which the state of his health and all the other circumstances of the case demand or permit."

TAKES UP THE TARIFF PROMPTLY.

Refers to Our Commercial Relations With Kaiser Billy's Domain.

Our relations with Germany he says are influenced by the "delusive doctrine that the internal development of a nation is promoted and its wealth increased by a policy which is undertaking to reserve its home markets for the exclusive use of its own producers without considering that such a policy necessarily obstructs their sales in foreign markets and prevents free access to the products of the world; the desire to retain trade in time-worn ruts, regardless of the inexorable laws of new needs and changed conditions of demand and supply, and our own halting tardiness to invite a freer exchange of commodities, and by this means imperil our footing in the external markets naturally open to us, have created a situation somewhat injurious to American export interests, not only in Germany, where they are perhaps most noticeable, but in adjacent countries." The effect of this particularly on food products and also on our insurance companies is pointed out. The necessity for open handed fairness in dealing with other nations is stated, but it is argued that if necessary to provide restrictions similar to those from which we suffer, in order to guard against unfair discrimination, the way to such a course is easy, but should not be lightly entered upon.

The president goes on as follows: "It is not to be forgotten that international trade cannot be one sided. Its currents are alternating and its movements should be honestly reciprocal. Without this it almost necessarily degenerates into a device to gain advantage or a contrivance to secure benefits with only the semblance of a return. In our dealings with other nations we ought to be open handed and scrupulously fair. This should be our policy as a producing nation, and it plainly becomes us as a people who love generosity and the moral aspects of national faith and reciprocal forbearance.

"These considerations should not, however, constrain us to submit to unfair discrimination nor to silently acquiesce in vexatious hindrances to the enjoyment of our share of the legitimate advantages of proper trade relations. If an examination of the situation suggests such measures on our part as would involve restrictions similar to those from which we suffered, the way to such a course is easy. It should, however, by no means be lightly entered upon, since the necessity for the inauguration of such a policy would be regretted by the best sentiment of our people, and because it might naturally and logically lead to consequences of the gravest character."

The Bering Sea Question.

The vexatious points of the Bering sea questions referred to the failure of the arbitration tribunal provide a means of settlement are pointed out. The insufficiency of the British patrol of Bering sea and the necessity for a more effective enforcement of regulations have, it is said, been pointed out to the British government. If it is hoped to save the seals from extinction. Of the proposal to pay $425,000 to Great Britian in settlement of British claims for damages, which was refused by the last congress, the president recommends that it again be considered and sanctioned.

If this is refused we are bound by every consideration of honor and and good faith, he says, to provide for a speedy settlement by arbitration. A treaty of arbitration is to be laid before the senate. An appropriation for the completion of the Alaska boundary survey which follows the contour of the coast is recommended. The importance of an international agreement as to the line of the 141st meridan which forms the rest of the boundary is dwelt upon. Attention is also called to the unsatisfactory condition of the boundaries with Canada in the Great Lakes and the necessity for a joint commission on the subject.

ASSERTS THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

Substance of the Communication to Great Britain About Venezuela.

Of Venezuela the message says that a statement of the interest and policy of the United States regarding the boundary dispute was sent to Great Britain in July last. "The general conclusions therein reached and formulated," says the president, "are in substance that the traditional established policy of the government is firmly opposed to a forcible increase by any European power of its territorial possessions on this continent; that this policy is as well founded in principle as it is strongly supported by numerous precedents; that as a consequence the United States is bound to protest against the enlargement of the area of British Guiana in derogation of the rights and against the will of Venezuela; that, considering the disparity in strength of Great Britian and Venezuela the territorial dispute between them can be reasonably settled only by friendly and impartial arbitration, and that the resort to such arbitration should include the whole controversy, and is not satisfied if one of the powers concerned is permitted to draw an arbitrary line through the territory in debate and to declare that it will submit to arbitration only the portion lying on one side of it. In view of these conclusions the dispatch in question called upon the British government for a definite answer to the question whether it would or would not submit the territorial controversy between itself and Venezuela in its entirety to impartial arbitration. The answer of the British government has not yet been received but is expected shortly, when further communication on the subject will probably be made to the congress."

Hawaii is dismissed with a reference to the uprising last January, the demand made upon the Hawaiian government for the rights of American citizens concerned therein and the demand for the recall of Minister Thurston.

The padroni is denounced as responsible for such manifestations against helpless aliens as the lynching of Italians in Colorado. Congratulations are offered on our good relations with Japan, in view of her vast gains in greatness. Unimportant references are made to our relations with Mexico, Nicaragua and Russia. He also gives a brief resume of the British-Nicaragua difficulty, without comment.

The Insurrection in Cuba.

Of Cuba the president says the United States must preserve international faith, whatever the sympathy of our citizens with the insurgents. He continues: "Though neither the warmth of our people's sympathy with the Cuban insurgents nor our loss of material damage consequent upon the futile endeavors thus far made to restore peace and order, nor any shock our humane sensibilities may have received from the cruelties which appear to especially characterize this sanguinary and fiercely conducted war, have in the least shaken the determination of the government to honestly fulfill every international obligation, yet it is to be earnestly hoped on every ground that the devastation of armed conflict may speedily be stayed and order and quiet restored to the distracted island, bringing in their train the activity and thrift of peaceful pursuits."

Hopes That Europe May Settle Turkey.

The president expresses his regret that the Turkish government should have thwarted the purpose to send to the disturbed quarter of the empire the United States consul at Sivas in order to investigate and report. Every effort, he says, is put forth to insure the safety of American citizens and the United States minister is alert. But, he goes on, several of the most powerful European powers have assumed a duty as agents of the Christian world in Turkey to restrain fanatical brutality, and "it is earnestly hoped that prompt and effective action on their part will not be delayed."

We have sent ships as far toward the points of actual disturbance as it is possible for them to go, where they offer refuge to those obliged to flee, and we have the promise of other powers which have ships in the neighborhood that our citizens as well as theirs will be received and protected on board those ships. On the demand of our minister orders have been issued by the sultan that Turkish soldiers shall guard and escort to the coast American refugees.

These orders have been carried out, and our latest intelligence gives assurance of the present safety of our citizens and missionaries. Though thus far no lives of American citizens have been sacrificed, there can be no doubt that serious loss and destruction of mission property have resulted from riotous conflicts and outrageous attacks.

To Insure Against Massacres.

By treaty several of the most powerful European powers have secured a right and have assumed a duty not only in behalf of their own citizens and in furtherance of their own interests, but as agents of the christian world. Their right is to enforce such conduct of the Turkish government as will restrain fanatical brutality, and if this fails their duty is to interfere as to insure against such dreadful occurances in Turkey as to have lately shocked civilization. The powers declare this right and this duty to be theirs a one, and it is earnestly hoped that prompt and effective action on their part will not be delayed. The new consulates at Erzeroum and Harpoot, for which appropriation was made last session, have been provisionally filled by trusted employes of the department of state. These appointees, though now in Turkey, have not yet received their exequaturs.

The arbitration of the claim of the Venezuela Steam Transportation company under the treaty of Jan. 19, 1892, between the United States and Venezuela resulted in an award in favor of the claimant.

Used Our Good Offices.

The government has used its good offices toward composing the differences between Venezuela on the one hand and France and Belgium on the other growing out of the dismissal of the reprentatives of those powers on the ground of a publication deeme offensive to Venezuela. Although that dismissal was coupled with a cordial request that other more personally agreeable envoys be sent in their stead, a rupture of intercourse ensued and still continues.

Our Consular Service.

In view of the growth of our interests in foreign countries and the encouraging prospects for a general expansion of our commerce, the question of an improvement in the consular service has increased in importance and urgency. Though there is no doubt that the great body of consular officers are rendering valuable services to the trade and industries of the country, the needs of some plan of appointment and control which would tend to secure a higher average of efficiency is not denied. The importance of the subject has led the executive to consider what steps might properly be taken without additional legislation to answer the need of a better system of consular appointments. This matter having been committed to the consideration of the secretary of state, in pursuance of his recommendations, an executive order was issued on the 20th of September, 1895, by the terms of which it is provided that after that date any vacancy in a consulate or commercial agency with an annual salary or compensation from official fees of not more than $2,500 or less than $1,000 should be filled either by transfer or promotion from some other position under the department of state of a character tending to qualify the incumbent for the position to filled, or by the appointment of a person not under the department of state, but having previously served thereunder and shown his capacity and fitness for consular duty, or by the appointment of a person who, having been selected by the president and sent to board for examination is found, upon such examination, to be qualified for the position. Posts which pay less than $1,000 being, usually, on account of their small compensation, filled by selection from residents of the locality, it was not deemed practicable to put them under the new system.

The boundary dispute which lately threatened to embroil Guatemala and Mexico has happily yielded to pacific counsels and its determination has, by the joint agreement of the parties, been submitted to the sole arbitration of the United States minister to Mexico.

The commission appointed under the convention of Feb. 18, 1858, to set new monuments along the boundary between the United States and Mexico has completed its task.

FINANCES OF THE UNITED STATES.

The Important Question Given a Large Share of the Message.

Fully half the message is devoted to a discussion of the financial situation. "By command of the people, the message says, a customs revenue system designed for the protection and benefit of favored classes at the expense of the great mass of our countrymen and which, while inefficient for the purpose of revenue, curtailed our trade relations and impeded our entrance to the markets of the world, has been superseded by a tariff policy which in principle is based upon the denial of the right of the government to obstruct the avenues to our peoples cheap living or lessen their comfort and contentment, for the sake of according especial advantages to favorites, and which, while encouraging our intercourse and trade with other nations, recognizes the fact that American self-reliance, thrift and ingenuity can build up our country's industry and develop its resources more surely than enervating paternalism. But this and the repeal of the silver purchase law, it is said, fall far short of curing the financial evils from which we suffer.

The currency denominated United States notes and commonly known as greenbacks was issued in large volume during the late civil war and was intended originally to meet the exigencies of that period. It will be seen by a reference to the debates in congress at the

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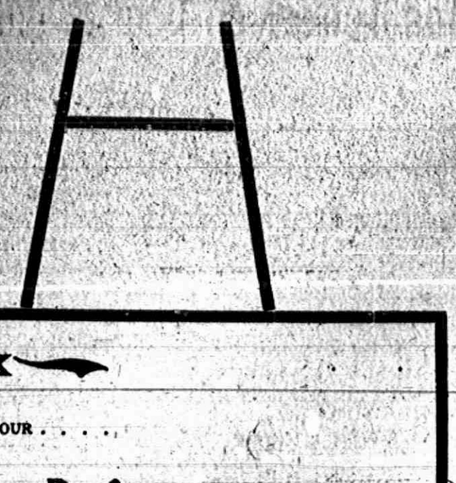

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Then the laws were passed authorizing the issue of these notes that their advocates declared they were intended for only temporary use and to meet the emergency of war. In almost all the laws relating to them some provision was made contemplating their voluntary or compulsory retirement. A large quantity of them, however, were kept on foot and mingled with the currency of the country, so that at the close of the year 1874 they amounted to $381,999,073.

[The president then gives a history of the laws providing for the resumption of specie payments and the authority to issue bonds for that purpose, and that and the law forbidding the further cancellation and retirement of the greenbacks passed in 1878.]

Redemption That Don't Redeem.

The law of 1878 did not stop at distinct prohibition but contained, in addition, the following provision: "And when any of said notes may be redeemed or received into the treasury under any law from any source whatever and shall belong to the United States, they shall not be reissued, canceled, or destroyed, but they shall be reissued and paid out again and kept in circulation." This was the condition of affairs on the 1st day of January, 1879, which had been fixed upon four years before as the date for entering upon the resumption and retirement of all these notes, and for which such abundant means had been provided. The government was put in the anomalous situation of owing to the holders of its notes debts payable in gold on demand which could neither be retired by receiving such notes in discharge of obligations due the government, nor cancelled by actual payment in gold. It was forced to redeem without redemption and to pay without acquittance.

Fluctuation of the Gold Reserve.

There has been issued and sold $95,500,000 of the bonds authorized by the resumption act of 1875, the proceeds of which, together with other gold in the treasury, created a gold fund deemed sufficient to meet the demands which might be made upon it for the redemption of the outstanding United States notes. This fund, together with such other gold as might be from time to time in the treasury available for the same purpose, has been since called our gold reserve, and $100,000,000 has been regarded as an adequate amount to accomplish its object. This fund amounted on the first day of January, 1879, to $114,189,390, and though thereafter constantly fluctuating, it did not fall below that sum until July, 1882. In April, 1882, for the first time since its establishment, this reserve amounted to less than $100,000,000, containing at that date only $97,011,330.

In the meantime and in July, 1890, an act had been passed directing larger governmental monthly purchases of silver than had been required under previous laws, and providing that in payment for such silver treasury notes of the United States should be issued payable on demand in gold or silver coin at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury. It was, however, declared in the act to be "The established policy of the United States to maintain the two metals on a parity with each other upon the present legal ratio, or such ratio as may be provided by law."

In view of this declaration it was not deemed permissible for the secretary of the treasury to exercise the discretion in terms conferred on him by refusing to pay gold on these notes when demanded, because by such discrimination in favor of the gold dollar the so-called parity of the two metals would be destroyed and grave and dangerous consequences would be precipitated by affirming or accentuating the constantly widening disparity between their actual values under the existing ratio. It thus resulted that the treasury notes issued in payment of silver purchases under the law of 1890 were necessarily treated as gold obligations, at the option of the holder. These notes on the 1st day of November, 1893, when the law compelling the monthly purchase of silver was repealed, amounted to more than $355,000,000. The notes of this description now outstanding added to the United States still undiminished by redemption or cancellation constitute a volume of gold obligations amounting to nearly $500,000,000. These obligations are instruments which, ever since we have had a gold reserve, have been used to deplete it.

The reserve, as has been stated, had fallen in April, 1893, to $97,011,330. It has from that time to the present, with very few and unimportant upward movements, steadily decreased, except as it has been temporarily replenished by the sale of bonds.

WHAT CAUSED THE SHRINKAGE.

Several Reasons Given That Brought the Reserve Down to $65,438,376.

Among the causes for this constant and uniform shrinkage in this fund may be mentioned the great falling off of exports under the operation of the tariff law until recently in force, which crippled our exchange of commodities with foreign nations, and necessitated to some extent the payment of our balances in gold; the unnatural infusion of silver into our currency and the increasing agitation for its free and unlimited coinage, which have created apprehension as to our disposition or ability to continue gold payment; the consequent hoarding of gold at home and the stoppage of investments of foreign capital, as well as the return of our securities already sold abroad; and the high rate of foreign exchange, which induced the shipment of our gold to be drawn against, as a matter of speculation.

In consequence of these conditions the gold reserve on the 1st day of February, 1894, was reduced to $65,438,377, having lost more than $31,000,000 during the preceding nine months, or since April, 1893.

[The president then gives the history of the two first bond sales, but says that in both cases disappointment was the result, the reserve after both sales becoming depleted in the same old way until in February, 1895, the reserve had fallen in $41,340,181. He also tells of his application to congress for authority to issue a low-interest bond, which met with refusal.]

End of Gold Payments Imminent.

In February 1895, therefore, the situation was exceedingly critical. With a reserve perilously low and a refusal of congressional aid everything indicated that the end of gold payment was imminent. The results of prior bond issues had been exceedingly unsatisfactory and the large withdrawal of gold immediately succeeded their public sale in open market gave rise to a reasonable suspicion that a large part of the gold paid into the treasury upon such sales was promptly drawn out again by the presentation of United States notes or treasury notes and found its way to the hands of those who had only temporarily parted with it in the purchase of bonds. In this emergency, and in view of its surrounding perplexities, it became entirely apparent to those upon whom the struggle for safety was devolved not only that our gold reserve must, for the third time in less than thirteen month, be restored by another issue and sale of bonds bearing a high rate of interest and badly suited to the purpose, but that a plan must be adopted for their disposition promising better results than those realized on previous sales.

The Celebrated Bond Syndicate.

An agreement was therefore made with a number of financiers and bankers whereby it was stipulated that bonds described in the resumption act of 1875, payable in coin thirty years after their date, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, and amounting to about $62,000,000, should be exchanged for gold, receivable by weight, amounting to a little more than $65,000,000.

This gold was to be delivered in such installments as would complete its delivery within about six month from the date of the contract, and at least one half of the amount was to be furnished from abroad. It was also agreed by those supplying this gold that during the continuance of the contract they would by every means in their power protect the government against gold withdrawals. The contract also provided that if congress would authorize their issue, bonds payable by their terms in gold and bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum might within ten days be substituted at par for the 4 per cent. bonds described in the agreement.

On the day this contract was made its terms were communicated to congress by a special executive message in which it was stated that more than $16,000,000 would be saved to the government if gold bonds bearing 3 per cent. interest were authorized to be substituted for those mentioned in the contract. The congress having declined to grant the necessary authority to secure this saving, the contract, unmodified, was carried out, resulting in a gold reserve amounting to $107,871,320 on the 8th day of July, 1895. The performance of this contract not only restored the reserve, but checked for a time the withdrawals of gold and brought on a period of restored confidence and such peace and quiet in business circles as were of the greatest possible value to every interest that affects our people. I have never had the slightest misgiving concerning the wisdom or propriety of this arrangement and am quite willing to answer for my full share of responsibility for its promotion.

Withdrawals of Gold Begin Again.

Though the contract mentioned stayed for a time the tide of gold withdrawal its good results could not be permanent. Recent withdrawals have reduced the reserve from $107,357,320 on the 8th day of July, 1895, to $79,383,906. How long will it remain large enough to render its increase unnecessary is only a matter of conjecture, though quite large withdrawals for shipment in the immediate future are predicted in well-informed quarters. About $16,000,000 was withdrawn during the month of November.

The foregoing statement of events and conditions develops the fact that after increasing our interest bearing bonded indebtedness more than $162,000,000 to save our gold reserve we are nearly where we started, having now in such reserve $79,383,906, as against $65,438,377 in February, 1894, when the first bonds were issued.

Though the amount of gold drawn from the treasury appears to be very large, as gathered from the facts and figures herein presented it actually was much larger, coin durable gains having been acquired by the treasury within the several periods stated without the issue of bonds. The president here gives figures showing that since Jan. 1, 1879, $460,000,000 in gold has been withdrawn, and of this $346,000,000 went to redeem greenbacks all of which are still in circulation.

PAID THEM BUT STILL OWE THEM.

Retirement of the Greenbacks the Only Remedy For This Situation.

In other words, the government has paid in gold more than nine-tenths of its United States notes and still owes them all. It has paid in gold about one half of its notes given for silver purchases without extinguishing by such payments one dollar of these notes. When added to all this we are results to carry on this astounding financial scheme the government has incurred a bonded indebtedness of $95,000,000 in establishing a gold reserve, and of $1,315,400 in efforts to maintain it; that the annual interest charge on such bonded indebtedness is more than $911,000.00 that continuance of our present course may result in further bond issues, and that we have suffered one threat now with all this for the sake of supplying gold for foreign shipment or facilitating its hoarding at home, a situation is exhibited which certainly ought to arrest attention and provoke immediate legislative relief.

The Only Practical Remedy.

I am convinced the only thorough and practicable remedy for our troubles is found in the retirement and cancellation of our United States notes, commonly called greenbacks, and the outstanding treasury notes issued by the government in payment of silver purchases under the act of 1890. I believe this could be quite readily accomplished by the exchange of these notes for United States bonds of small as well as large denominations, bearing a low rate of interest. They should be long-term bonds, thus increasing their desirability as investments, and because their payment could be well postponed to a period far removed from present financial burdens and perplexities, when, with increased prosperity and resources, they would be more easily met.

One Feature of the Plan.

To further insure the cancellation of these notes and also provide a way by which gold may be added to our currency in lieu of them, a feature in the plan should be an authority given to the secretary of the treasury to dispose of the bonds abroad for gold if necessary to complete the contemplated redemption and cancellation, permitting him to use the proceeds of such bonds to take up and cancel any of the notes that may be in the treasury or that may be received by the government on any account. The increase of our bonded debt involves in this plan would be amply compensated by renewed activity and enterprise in all business circles, the restored confidence at home, the reinstated faith in our monetary strength abroad and the stimulation of every interest and industry that would follow the cancellation of the gold-demand obligations now afflicting us. In any event the bonds proposed would stand for the extinguishment of a troublesome indebtedness, while in the path we now follow there lurks the menace of unending bonds, with our indebtedness still undischarged and aggravated in every feature. The obligations necessary to fund this indebtedness would not equal in amount those from which we have been relieved since 1864 by anticipation and payment, beyond the requirements of the sinking fund, out of our surplus revenues.

What Would Supply the Currency.

The currency withdrawn by the retirement of the United States notes and treasury notes, amounting to probably less than $346,000,000, might be supplied by such gold as would be used on their retirement or by an increase in the circulation of our national banks. Though the aggregate capital of those now in existence amounts to more than $664,000,000, their outstanding circulation based on bond security amounts to only about $180,000,00. They are authorized to issue notes amounting to 90 per cent. of the bonds deposited to secure their circulation, but in no event beyond the amount of their capital stock, and they are obliged to pay 1 per cent. tax on the circulation they issue.

I think they should be allowed to issue circulation equal to the par value of the bonds they deposite to secure it, and that the tax on their circulation should be reduced to one fourth of one per cent, which would undoubtedly meet all the expense the government incurs on their account. In addition they should be allowed to substitute, or deposit, in lieu of the bonds now required as security for their circulation those which would be issued for the purpose of retiring the United States notes and treasury notes.

The banks already existing, if they desire to avail themselves of the provisions of law thus modified, could issue circulation in addition to that already outstanding, amounting to $187,000,000, which would nearly or quite equal the currency proposed to be cancelled. At any rate, I should confidently expect to see the existing national banks or others to be organized avail themselves of the proposed encouragements to issue circulation and promptly fill any vacuum and supply every currency need.

It has always seemed to me that the provisions of law regarding the capital of national banks which operate as a limitation to their location fails to make proper compensation for the suppression of state banks, which come near to the people in all sections of the country and readily furnished them with banking accommodations and facilities. Any inconvenience or embarrassment arising from these restrictions on the location of national banks might well be remedied by better adapting the present system to the creation of banks in smaller communities or by permitting banks of large capital to establish branches in such localities as would serve the people—so regulated and restrained as to secure their safe and conservative control and management.

Would Expect Gold to Circulate.

But there might not be the necessity for such an addition to the currency by new issues of bank circulation as at first glance is indicated. If we should be relieved from maintaining a gold reserve under conditions that constitute it, the barometer of our solvency, and if our treasury should no longer be the foolish purveyor of gold for nations abroad or for speculation and hoarding by our citizens at home, I should expect to see gold resume its natural and normal functions in the business affairs of the country and cease to be an object attracting the timid watch of our people and exciting their sensitive imaginations. I do not overlook the fact the cancellation of the treasury notes issued under the silver purchasing act of 1890 would leave the treasury in the actual ownership of sufficient silver, including seigniorage, to coin nearly $178,000,000 in standard dollars. It is worthy of consideration whether this might not, from time to time, be converted into dollars or fractional coin and slowly put into circulation, as in the judgment of the secretary of the treasury the necessities of the country should require.

Whatever is attempted should be entered upon fully appreciating the fact that by careless, easy descent we have reached a dangerous depth, and that our ascent will not be accomplished without laborious toil and struggle. We shall be wise if we realize that we are financially ill and that our restoration to health may require heroic treatment and unpleasant remedies.

EFFECT OF THE REVENUE RECEIPTS.

No Gold Now Being Received in Payment of Duties on Imports.

In the present state of our difficulty it is not easy to understand how the amount of our revenue receipts directly affects it. The important question is not the quantity of money received in revenue payments, but the kind of money we maintain and our ability to continue in sound financial conditions. We are considering the government holdings of gold as related to the soundness of our money and as affecting our national credit and monetary strength. If our gold reserve had never been impaired or if no bonds had ever been issued to replenish it; if there had been no fear and timidity concerning our ability to continue gold payments; if any part of our revenues were now paid in gold, and if we could look to our gold receipts as a means of maintaining a safe reserve, the amount of our revenues would be an influential factor in the problem. But unfortunately all the circumstances that might lend weight to this consideration are entirely to the contrary. In our present predicament no gold is received by the government in payment of revenue charges, nor would there be if the revenues were increased. The receipts of the treasury, when not in silver certificates, consist of United States notes and treasury notes issued for silver purchases. These forms of money are only useful to the government in paying its current ordinary expenses, and its quantity in government possession does not in the least contribute toward giving us that kind of safe financial standing or condition which is built on gold alone.

Easy Proposition to Answer.

If it is said that these notes if held by the government can be used to obtain gold for our reserve the answer is easy. The people draw gold from the treasury on demand upon United States notes and treasury notes, but the proposition that the treasury can on demand

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draw gold from the people upon them would be regarded in the same light with wonder and amazement. And even if it should be done, there is nothing to prevent those thus parting with their gold from repeating it the next day or the next hour for the presentation of the notes they received in exchange for it. The secretary of the treasury might use such notes taken from a surplus revenue to buy gold in the market. Of course he could not do this without paying a premium. Private holders of gold, unlike the government, having no party to maintain, would not be restrained from making the best bargain possible when they furnished gold to the treasury; but the moment the secretary of the treasury bought gold on any terms above par he would establish a general and universal premium upon it, thus breaking down the parity between gold and silver which the government is pledged to maintain and opening the way to new and serious complications.

Would Be a Pretty State of Things.

In the meantime the premium would not remain stationary, and the absurd spectacle might be presented of a dealer selling gold to the government and with United States notes or treasury notes in his hand immediately clamoring for its return and a resale at a higher premium.

It may be claimed that a large revenue and redundant receipts might favorably affect the situation under discussion by affording an opportunity of retaining these notes in the treasury when received and thus preventing their presentation for gold. Such retention to be useful ought to be at least measurably permanent, and this is precisely what is prohibited so far as United States notes are concerned by the law of 1878 forbidding their further retirement. That statute in so many words provides that these notes when received into the treasury and belonging to the United States shall be "paid out again and kept in circulation."

I will moreover be readily seen that the government could just refuse to pay out United States notes and treasury notes in current transactions when demanded and insist on paying out silver alone and still maintain the parity between that metal and the currency representing gold. Besides the accumulation in the treasury of currency of any kind exacted from the people through taxation is justly regarded as an evil and cannot proceed far without vigorous protest against an unjustifiable retention of money from the business of the country and a denunciation of a scheme of taxation which proves itself to be unjust when it takes from the earnings and income of the citizen money so much in excess of the needs of government support that large sums can be gathered and kept in the treasury. Such a condition has heretofore in times of surplus revenue led the government to restore currency to the people by the purchase of its unmatured bonds at a large premium, and by a large increase of its deposits in national banks, and we easily remember that the abuse of treasury accumulation has furnished a most persuasive argument in favor of legislation radically reducing our tariff taxation.

LARGER REVENUE NOT A REMEDY.

The President Thinks It Would Not Settle the Difficulty.

Perhaps it is supposed that sufficient revenue receipts would in a sentimental way improve the situation by inspiring confidence in our solvency and allaying the fear of pecuniary exhaustion. And yet, through all our struggle to maintain our gold reserve, there never has been any apprehension as to our ready ability to pay our way with such money as we had; and the question whether or not our current receipts met our current expenses has not entered into the estimate of our solvency. Of course the general state of our funds, exclusive of gold, was entirely immaterial to the foreign creditor and investor. His debt could only be paid in gold, and his only concern was our ability to keep on hand that kind of money.

On July 1, 1893, more than a year and a half before the first bonds were issued to replenish the gold reserve, there was a net balance in the treasury, exclusive of such reserve, of less than $13,000,000; but the gold reserve amounted to more than $114,000,000, which was the quieting feature of the situation. It was when the stock of gold began rapidly to fall that fright supervened, and our securities held abroad were returned for sale and debts owed abroad were pressed for payment. In the meantime extensive shipments of gold and other unfavorable indications caused restlessness and fright among our people at home. Thereupon the general state of our funds, exclusive of gold, became also immaterial to them, and they, too, drew gold from the treasury for hoarding against all contingencies. This is plainly shown by the large increase in the proportion of gold withdrawn which was retained by our own people as time and threatening incidents progressed. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, nearly $85,000,000 in gold was withdrawn from the treasury and about $77,000,000 was sent abroad, while during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, over $177,000,000 was drawn out, of which only about $66,000,000 was shipped, leaving a balance of such withdrawals to be accounted for by domestic hoarding.

Change in Our Finances Needed.

Inasmuch as the withdrawal of our gold has resulted largely from fright, there is nothing apparent that will prevent its continuance or recurrence with its natural consequences, except such a change in our financial methods as will reassure the frightened and make the desire for gold less intense. It is not clear how an increase in revenue, unless it be in gold, can satisfy those whose only anxiety is to gain gold from the government's store. It cannot, therefore, be safe to rely upon increased revenues as a cure for our present troubles. It is possible that the suggestion of increased revenue as a remedy for the difficulties we are considering may have originated in an intimation or distinct allegation that the bonds which have been issued ostensibly to replenish our gold reserve were really issued to supply insufficient revenue. Nothing can be further from the truth. Bonds were issued to obtain gold for the maintenance of our national credit. As has been shown, the gold thus obtained has been drawn again from the treasury upon United States notes and treasury notes. This operation would have been promptly prevented, if possible; but those notes having thus been passed to the treasury, they became the money of the government, like any other ordinary funds, and there was nothing to do but to use them in paying government expenses when needed.

Government Not in Need of Money.

At no time when bonds have been issued has there been any consideration of the question of paying the expenses of government with their proceeds. There was no necessity to consider that question. At the time of each bond issue we had a safe surplus in the treasury for ordinary operations, exclusive of the gold in our reserve. In February, 1894, when the first issue of bonds was made, such surplus amounted to over $18,000,000; in November, when the second issue was made, it amounted to more than $42,000,000, and in February, 1895, when bonds for the third time were issued, such surplus amounted to more than $100,000,000. It now amounts to $98,672,830.80. Besides all this, the secretary of the treasury has no authority whatever to issue bonds to increase the ordinary revenues or pay current expenses. I cannot but think there has been some confusion of ideas regarding the effects of the issue of bonds and the results of the withdrawal of gold. It was the latter process—and not the former—that by substituting in the treasury United States notes and treasury notes for gold increased by their amount the money which was in the first instance subject to ordinary government expenditure.

Although the law compelling an increased purchase of silver by the government was passed on the 24th day of July, 1890, with rewards of gold from the treasury upon the notes given in payment of such purchases did not begin until October, 1891. Immediately following that date the withdrawals upon both these notes and United States notes increased very largely and have continued to such an extent that since the passage of that law there has been more than thirteen times as much gold taken out of the treasury upon United States notes and treasury notes issued for silver purchases as was thus withdrawn during the eleven and a half years immediately prior thereto and after the first day of January, 1879, when specie payments were resumed.

SILVER LAWS PARTLY RESPONSIBLE.

Provided a New Treasury Obligation to Redeem in Gold.

It is neither unfair or unjust to charge a large share of our present financial perplexities and dangers to the operation of the laws of 1878 and 1890, compelling the purchase of silver by the government, which not only furnished a new treasury obligation upon which its gold could be withdrawn, but so increased the fear of an overwhelming flood of silver and a forced descent to silver payments that even the repeal of these laws did not entirely cure the evils of their existence.

Free Coinage of Silver Discussed.

While I have endeavored to make a plain statement of the disordered condition of our currency and the present dangers menacing our prosperity and to suggest a way which leads to a safer financial system, I have constantly had in mind the fact that many of our countrymen, whose sincerity I do not doubt, insist that the cure for the ills now threatening us may be found in the single and simple remedy of the free coinage of silver. They contend that our mints shall at once be thrown open to the free, unlimited and independent coinage of both gold and silver dollars of full legal-tender quality, regardless of the action of any other government, and in full view of the fact that the ratio between the metals which they suggest calls for 103 cents worth of gold in the gold dollar at the present standard, and only 50 cents in intrinsic worth of silver in the silver dollar. Were there infinitely stronger reasons than can be adduced for hoping that such action would secure for us an honest bimetallic currency moving on lines of parity, an experiment so novel and hazardous as that proposed might well stagger those who believe that stability is a supreme condition of a sound money and no government on human contrivance of legislation has ever been able to hold the two metals together in free coinage at a ratio appreciably different from that which is established in the markets of the world. Those who believe that our independent action, at an artificial ratio with gold of 16 to 1, would restore the parity between the metals, and consequently between the coins, oppose an unsupported and improbable theory to the general belief and practice of other nations, and to the hitherto unbroken current of the ages and economists of the world, both in the past and present, and what is far more conclusive, to our own actual experience.

Twice Tried in Our History.

Twice in our earlier history our lawmakers in attempting to establish a bimetallic currency undertook free coinage upon a ratio which accidentally varied from the actual relative values of the two metals not more than three per cent. In both cases, notwithstanding greater difficulties and cost of transportation than now exist, the coins whose intrinsic worth was undervalued in the ratio gradually and surely disappeared from our circulation and went to other countries where their real value was better recognized. Acts of congress were impotent to create equality where natural causes decreed even a slight inequality. Twice in our recent history we have signally failed to raise by legislation the value of silver. Under an act of congress passed in 1878 the government was required for more than twelve years to expend annually at least $2,000,000 in the purchase of silver bullion for coinage. The act of July 14, 1890, in a still bolder effort increased the amount of silver the government was compelled to purchase, and forced it to become the buyer annually of 54,000,000 ounces, or practically the entire product of our mines. Under both laws silver rapidly and steadily declined in value. The prophecy and the expressed hope and expectation of those in the congress who led in the passage of the last mentioned act, that it would re-establish and maintain the former parity between the two metals are still fresh in our memory.

United States Could Not Do It Alone.

In the light of these experiences, which accord with the experience of other nations, there is certainly no secure ground for the belief that a act of congress could now bridge an inequality of 50 per cent. between gold and silver at our present ratio, nor is there the least possibility that our country—which has less than one-seventh of the silver money in the world—could by its action alone raise not only our own, but all silver, to its lost ratio with gold. Our attempt to accomplish this by the free coinage of silver at a ratio differing widely from actual relative values would be the signal for the complete departure of gold from our circulation, the immediate and large contraction of our circulating medium, and a shrinkage in the real value and monetary efficiency of all other forms of currency as they settled to the level of silver moneom tallism. Every one who receives a fixed salary and every worker for wages would find the dollar in his hand ruthlessly scaled down to the point of bitter disappointment if not pinching privation.

A change in our standard to silver monometallism would also bring on a collapse of the entire system of credit which, when based on a standard which is recognized and adopted by the world of business is many times more potent and useful than the entire volume of currency and is safely capable of almost indefinite expansion to meet the growth of trade and enterprise.

In a self invited struggle through darkness and once haunty our humiliation would be increased by the consciousness that we had parted company with all the enlightened and progressive nations of the world and were desperately and hopelessly striving to meet the stress of modern commerce and competition with debased and unsuitable currency and in association with the few weak and laggard nations which have silver alone as their standard of value.

Warned by All History.

All history warns us against rash experiments which threaten violent changes in our monetary standard and the degradation of our currency in the past is full of lessons teaching not only the economic dangers, but the national immorality that follows in the train of such experiments. I will not believe that the American people can be persuaded after sober deliberation to jeopardize their nation's prestige and proud standing by encouraging financial nostrums, nor that they will yield to the false allurements of cheap money, when they realize that it must result in the weakening of that financial integrity and rectitude, which thus far in our history has been so devotedly cherished as one of the traits of true Americanism. Our country's indebtedness, whether owing by the government or existing between individuals, has been contracted with reference to our present standard. To decree by act of congress that these debts shall be payable in less value dollars than those within the contemplation and intention of the parties when contracted would operate to transfer by the fiat of law and without compensation in amount of property and a volume of rights and interests almost incalculable. Those who advocate a blind and headlong plunge to free coinage in the name of bimetallism and professing the belief, contrary to all experience, that we should thus establish a double standard and a concurrent circulation of both metals in our coinage are certainly reckoning from a cloudy standpoint. Our present standard of value is the standard of the civilized world and permits the only bimetallism now possible—or at least that is within the independent reach of any single nation, however powerful that nation may be.

While the value of gold as a standard is steadied by almost universal, commercial and business use, it does not despise silver or seeks its banishment. Wherever this standard is maintained there is at its side in free and unquestioned circulation a volume of silver currency sometimes equaling and sometimes even exceeding it in amount, both maintained at a parity notwithstanding a depreciation or fluctuation in the intrinsic value of silver.

STANDARD OF VALUE AND CURRENCY

Two Things the President Holds to Be Vastly Different.

There is a vast difference between a standard of value and a currency for monetary use. The standard must necessarily be fixed and certain. The currency may be in divers forms and of various kinds. No silver-standard country has a gold currency in circulation; but an enlightened and wise system of finance secures the benefits of both gold and silver as currency and circulating medium by keeping the standard stable and all other currency at par with it. Such a system and such a standard also give free scope for the use and expansion of safe and conservative credit, so indispensable to broad and growing commercial transactions and so well substituted for the actual use of money. If a fixed and stable standard is maintained such as the magnitude and safety of our commercial transactions and business require the use of money itself is conveniently minimized.

Every dollar of fixed and stable value has through the agency of confident credit an astonishing capacity of multiplying itself in financial work. Every unstable and fluctuating dollar fails as a basis of credit, and in its use begets gambling speculation and undermines the foundation of honest enterprise.

Free Coinage a Serious Menace.

I have ventured to express myself on this subject with earnestness and plainness of speech because I cannot rid myself of the belief that there lurks in the proposition for the free coinage of silver, so strongly approved and so enthusiastically advocated by a multitude of my countrymen, a serious menace to our prosperity and an insidious temptation of our people to wander from the allegiance they owe to public and private integrity. It is because I do not distrust the good faith and sincerity of those who press this scheme that I have imperfectly but with zeal submitted my thoughts upon this momentous subject. I cannot refrain from begging them to re-examine their views and beliefs in the light of patriotic reason and familiar experience, and to weigh again and again the consequences of such legislation as their efforts have invited. Even the continued agitation of the subject adds greatly to the difficulties of a dangerous financial situation already forced upon us.

In conclusion I especially entreat the people's representatives in the congress, who are charged with the responsibility of inaugurating measures for the safety and prosperity of our common country, to promptly and effectively consider the ills of our critical financial plight. I have suggested a remedy which my judgment approves. I desire, however, to assure the congress that I am prepared to co-operate with them in perfecting any other measure promising thorough and practical relief, and that I will gladly labor with them in every patriotic endeavor to further the interests and guard the welfare of our countrymen whom in our respective places of duty we have undertaken to serve.

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J. L. KISHPAUGH, Clinton Mich.

TAX NOTICE—I will be at the following places to receive taxes during the month of December, 1895: John White's Sen. Wednesday, Dec. 11; P. Smith's store, Ridgeway Thursday, Dec. 12, 19 and 26; Curtis & Linn's store, Clinton, Fridays, Dec 13, 20 and 27; H. H. Atkins, Tuesday Dec 31. D. W SMITH,
Township Treasurer of Ridgeway.

TAXES—I will receive taxes during December; Thursdays, at Lilley's Bank, Tecumseh; Fridays, at F. Florence's store Holloway; Saturdays, at Walby & Clay's Bank, Britain. BENT R SIMONDS,
Township Treasurer.

LOST—Last Saturday morning, on the way to the Presbyterian church, a pair of steel rimmed spectacles. Finder please leave at Anderson & Co's store.

TAXES—I will be at my office at W. R. Dartt's store, to receive the taxes for 1895, on Friday, Dec 6, and every Friday during the month of December, 1895, from 9 a. m. till 4 p. m.
G. W. MARSDEN,
Township Treasurer.

STRAYED—Came into my enclosure, three or four weeks ago, one black and white cow. Owner please call, pay charges and take away.
E. T. WHITE.

FOR SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting of 106 acres good buildings. Very desirable location just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Enquire of C. C. Tefft. Terms reasonable.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 6, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

It never rains but it pours.

Cantata next week, on the 13th.

Leland T. Powers next Tuesday.

Everybody should go to the Cantata?

It will cost you 10 or 15cts. if you go to the Cantata.

All Millinery at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's reduced prices.

Fred Rector entertained a company of friends at his home last evening.

The weather clerk is doing very well, thank you, for December weather.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman requests all who are indebted to her to please call and settle at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blake, of Ogden Center, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanley.

Miss Maggie O'Reily, of Macon, is spending a few days with her cousins Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanley.

C. W. Bainbridge fell on the sidewalk in front of his store at Clinton yesterday, and sustained a very serious sprained ankle.

The old saying is 'that chickens come home to roost,' and we believe it true, Ed. Smallidge has come home for the winter.

L. Teeple and wife returned from Kingston county, Tuesday. They had a very enjoyable ride of 53 miles through the snow on wheels.

Homer Wilson left Wednesday for New York, where he will have charge of packing celery shipped by the Smeltzer commission house of St. Louis.

Cantata! A Cantata. when! Next Friday the 13th. Where! At Sutton's Opera house. Who! The Epworth League. How much! Children 10c; adults 15c.

Rev. B. S. Hudson will preach a sermon to the members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union on Sunday evening Dec. 15th, in the Baptist church. All members of the Union are requested to meet in the chapel fifteen minutes before service begins.

The W. H. M. society will meet at the home of Mrs. Lanning on Wednesday, 11th, at 2:30 p. m. This meeting called in place of the regular one on the last Wednesday of the month which occurs on Christmas day. Let all members note the change and try to be present.

Mrs. J. Hayward died at her home in Hot Springs, Ark., Nov. 20, 1895. She was born in Franklin, Mich., March 2nd, 1853, a daughter of Wm. J. and Mary A. Boyd of this place, was married to J. G. Hayward, of Raisin, Nov. 25, 1875. She leaves many relatives and friends.

The lodge of Knights of Pythias will be instituted in Tecumseh next Wednesday evening; of between 30 and 40 members. The lodge will be instituted by grand lodge officers. A large number of Pythians from Adrian, Hudson, Manchester and other surrounding towns will be in attendance.

Mr. Lewis, who lately moved his factory here from Dundee, is operating it on full time, giving employment to twenty-five men, several teams and will add more to his force. This is a help to merchants of this place, as most of his employees are men of families. Six families have moved to Tecumseh to work in the timber business here.

The Baptist Sunday School have elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Supt.—Dr. L. G. North.
Asst. Supt.—O. B. Finch.
Sec.—Carrie Osborne.
Treas.—Ora McBride.
Librarian—J. K. Waldron.
1st Asst. Lib.—F. B. Bauer.
2nd " " —E. B. Pattison.
Organist—B. F. Steinhoff.
Pianist—Ella Chilson.

Do not forget the Cantata.

Mr. Stimpson, of Milan, was in town Thursday.

Henry C. Hall, of Hudson, was in town yesterday.

B. L. Baxter went to Petersburg on business last Wednesday.

Wm. R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., was a Tecumseh visitor Wednesday.

Wood wanted in exchange for Photos and frames at B. L. Teeple's studio.

B. L. Baxter will go to Battle Creek next Monday to be gone two or three weeks.

Oscar Horton spent Saturday and Sunday with his relatives Mr. and Mrs. Cotts, of Clinton.

Book this item in your memorandum book at once: Leland T. Powers in the Star Course on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10.

Mrs. M. E. Bice left home Tuesday on a two week's trip to visit friends in Jackson, Lansing, Grand Ledge and Portland.

The Rev. J. H. Eichbaum, of Brooklyn, will preach in St. Peter's church next Sunday morning. Mr. Blachford goes to Brooklyn in exchange.

Harry Tansley has fitted up new undertaking rooms in the rear of his new store and is better prepared than ever to do that class of work.

Mrs. C. A. Stacy and Loana Stacy left home Wednesday morning for Elgin, Ill., where they expect to remain a few weeks with the family of Geo. N. Stacy.

Mr. Leland T. Powers will give the next entertainment in the Star Course, on Tuesday evening Dec. 10th. He will present Sheridan's comedy, The Rivals.

J. S. Starling, the tailor, has gone into Fred Guy's barber shop, where he has a commodious room for his business and would be pleased to see his customers there.

Leland T. Powers will give the next entertainment in the Star Course on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10th. Reserved seat sale will open tomorrow at 8 a. m. Single admission, fifty cents.

Mr. Powers changed from character to character with such complete transformation that it was difficult not to believe that there were ten people upon the stage.—Auburn (N. Y.) Advertiser.

Burt Rogers, who has represented the well known firm of J. E. Ilgenfritz & Sons, of Monroe, here for several seasons, is again selling nursery stock about Tecumseh. You can not do better than to reserve your orders for him.

Scove Stacy is keeping bachelor's hall and Scove Walker is boarding with him. Scove Stacy seems to be getting along well enough but it's mighty tough on Scove Walker, and there is great danger that the experience may drive him into matrimony.

Subjects, Sunday Dec. 8, in the Universalist church. A. M., Let the floods clap their hands: let the hills be joyful together, Ps. 98-8. Evening—The Religion of Courtesy. Y. P. C. U. topic for devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m., True Happiness, Prov. 16:20.

Gilbert Horton recently died at his home in North Dakota. He was a son of Richard Horton who was a resident of Raisin township for many years before the war. Many of the older settlers of Raisin will remember him well as a man of excellent habits and sterling integrity.

The G. A. R. entertainment will be given at the opera house on Friday evening, Dec. 20th. The program will consist of The Bugle Call by Clare Pennington, patriotic songs by a chorus of school children and a lecture by Judge S. B. Daball entitled, 'The Capture of Fort Fisher.' General admission only 15 cents.

At the annual meeting. Dec. 4, of the Union Telegraph Co., the following officers were elected;

Pres.—John T. Boyce.
Vice Pres.—J. F. Gilmore.
Sec.—Mark B. Mills.
Treas.—Granville Mills.
Manager—L. H. Gregory.
Board of Directors—D. T. Hall, J. F. Gillmore, A. Easlick, Granville Mills, O. E. Fulkerson, W. R. Osgood, M. B. Mills, Chas Barrett, J. T. Boyce.

B. A. Garlinghouse left last Saturday night for an extended trip through the Pacific states in the interest of Garlinghouse Bros., western sales agents for the Stimpson Computing Scale Co. Burt will visit Denver, Salt Lake City, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, etc. This don't look much as if the Stimpson scale was forever crushed by that so called injunction of which so much has been said.

Johnny—Say pa, I want 10c.

His pa—What for?

Johnny—I want to go to the Cantata next Friday evening, at the opera house.

His pa—What do you want to go for?

Johnny—Cause everybody else is. There will be seventy in it; anything with so many in it, ought to be good. Can't I go, pa?

His pa—Well, let's see. I guess we will all go. How does that suit you?

Johnny—Whoopee! Won't that be great! Whoopee!

At the annual election of officers of the Royal Arcanum, held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Regent, Jas. Mitchell; vice regent, Robt Quackenbush; orator, Daniel T. Hall; past regent, Geo. H. Tansley; Secretary, Wm. Chiverall; collector, B. J. Slater; Treasurer, Jas Lowry; Chaplain, Chas. A. Mc. Neil; guide, Jas. T. McKinney; warden, Geo. Zimmerman; sentry, Fred Hall.

Are you going to the Cantata?

A. J. Whiting is home from Toledo.

Mrs. Geo. Tiffany is visiting relatives in Canada.

Alva Spayde has a new two story card this week.

The skating is very good on a portion of the Globe pond.

Mrs. Chas. Green, of Clinton, was a Tecumseh caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob't Orr became the parents of a son last Monday.

The President's message will be found in full on the supplement pages.

The tax gatherer is here and announces his program in another column.

Henry Lovejoy, of Adrian, was calling on Tecumseh friends last Tuesday.

Miss Ella Primrose will commence teaching in the Hurry district next week.

The subject next Sabbath evening at the Presbyterian church will be 'Husbands.'

We are having a fair run of sleighing this week, but a little more snow would do no harm.

We have been unable to complete our club list for this issue, but it will appear next week.

Last night was the coldest of the season, the thermometer registering 3 degrees at the lowest.

Miss Alice Hunter, of Adrian, who attended school here last year visited here over Sunday.

James Hall, of Milford, is assisting in the care of his brother, A. D. Hall, who is somewhat better.

Miss Minnie Corey left Wednesday for Toledo. She will make an extended trip in the east before her return.

Read all the advertising in our supplement sheet. You will find it not only interesting but useful as well.

Messrs. Roy and Harry Langton and Misses Ora Gillespie and Bessie Spayde attended a Thanksgiving party at Tipton.

Mrs. Elsworth E. Russell, who has been visiting her parents here, returned to Jackson Wednesday, with her two sons.

J. B. Collier will give his celebrated graphophone concert at Clinton next Tuesday evening for the benefit of the K. O. T. M.

The Junior Auxilliary, that stirring young Episcopal organization, was entertained at the home of Miss Alice Rice last evening.

A change of time will go into effect on the Mackinaw road Sunday, Dec. 8. No. 21, now going east at 10:55 a. m., will be 30 minutes later; the afternoon mail west, two minutes, and the night train 26 minutes later.

The Globe mill seems to be on the list. Last Friday night it was again entered through a window. Every drawer in the counting room was rifled but only a few dollars were obtained. An old overcoat was taken but a good Mackintosh left, showing that the thief was a good weather prophet at least.

The cantata, to be given by the Epworth League next week, promises to be a superior entertainment. It will take place at the opera house on Friday evening, Dec. 13. Admission, 10 and 15 cents. There will be 70 characters in all, and the fact that they have been trained by Miss Dora Grayson is a guarantee that the concert will be well worth the price of admission.

At the annual meeting of Tecumseh Lodge No. 69, F. & A. M., last Friday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

W. M.—F. J. Temple.
S. W.—J. A. Boyd.
J. W.—G. B. Garlinghouse.
Treas.—T. D. Mark.
Sec.—J. D. Shull.
S. D.—S. S. Walker.
J. D.—J. H. Aten.
Stewards—B. C. Ellis, W. W. Whiting.
Tyler—W. C. Jordan.

The annual election of officers of Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R., took place at the post rooms Monday evening, resulting as follows:

Commander—H. W. Stevens.
Sr. Vice Com.—J. Davidson.
Jr. Vice Com.—Geo. Swartz.
Post Surgeon—Miles Baldwin.
Chaplain—Dr. L. Barnes.
Quartermaster—Geo. S. VanTyne.
Officer of the Day—Levi B. Thompson
Officer of the Guard.—Wm. P. Smallege.
Sentinel—Chas. E. Harry.
Delegates to State Encampment—Geo. Swartz and Wm. DeMott.
Alternates—Chas. McNeil and Wm. Smith.

The local chapter of the Eastern Star was born again last Tuesday night. Anyway it was a birthday party of that popular organization and probably the largest party of the kind ever held in Tecumseh. A very large percentage of the membership was there to offer congratulations and a goodly number of their friends joined in wishing them many recurrences of the day. In addition to the festivities usually incident to the celebrations of the natal day, a very entertaining though informal program was carried out. The Eastern Star is a comparatively young organization here, but the collective ages of its members amount to many centuries of existence and experience. Each invitation contained a bag with directions to bring it filled with as many pennies as the donor had passed years upon this earth. As the attendance was large and the company by no means composed of infants, the receipts amounted to nearly $100. There must have been a good many old men there as it would take 625 ladies at 10 cents each to make that amount.

At the Methodist church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Profit and Loss."

The suit of Philip Kehoe vs Whiting Cleveland for the recovery of disputed claims for threshing, ditch digging, etc. is being tried before Justice Fraser to-day.

Mrs. Wm. E. Caligan, of Jackson, writes us a postal which says: "Please state in your paper to the citizens not to put salt on their cement walk, as it cuts the top finish, thus injuring the looks of it."

Hon. Henry Hayden, of Jackson, died very suddenly Wednesday, of heart disease. He came to Jackson in 1838 and has always been a very prominent citizen, having held the office of Mayor of the city. He was an elder brother of Wm. Hayden of this village.

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—Come into the Novelty Store and see what we are giving away with holiday purchases. tf

—Elegant presents given away with holiday purchases at Montague's Novelty store. tf

—The STANDARD DICTIONARY is admired here as everywhere. Among others who have the work are Drs. North and Woodward, the High School, W. J. Ingersoll, A. L. Brewer, Lillian Waring, etc. Any who wish it at present paices must buy soon, as they advance nearly one third Jan. 1st., 1896. The HERALD testifies to its extraordinary merits. V. K. VANDEVENTER,
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—See those fancy granite Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—TAFFY TAFFY TAFFY—
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—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

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—Sleds, skates and boy's wagons at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
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—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Have you called to see Harris & Hiteshu's cloak room?

—Buckwheat grinding at Steam Mills every Friday. Cash paid for buckwheat.

—Fur and plush robes, blankets, whips and sleigh bells at Satterthwaite Bros.'

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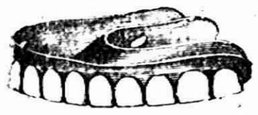

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MICHIGAN ESTIMATES.

Appropriations Asked for Rivers, Harbors and Buildings.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—In the estimates presented for cost of construction of public buildings, improvements on rivers, harbors, etc., the following are for Michigan. For continuing improvements on rivers and canals the sums asked are as follows:

Black river, $8,000; Clinton river, $2,500; Detroit river, $30,000; Saginaw river, $40,000; Rouge river, $5,000; St. Joseph river, $500; waterway from Keweenaw bay to Lake Superior, $75,000.

The appropriations asked for continuing the improvement of the mouth of harbors were as follows:

Alpena, $2,500; Charlevoix, $25,000; Cheboygan, $13,000; Frankfort, $10,000; Grand Haven, $10,000; Grand Marais, $30,000; Holland, $10,000; Ludington, $6,000; Manistee, $15,000; Marquette, $30,000; Monroe, $5,000; Muskegon, $30,000; Ontonagon, $7,000; Pentwater, $2,500; Petoskey, $10,000; Portage Lake, $15,000; St. Joseph, $30,000; Sand Beach, $20,000; Saugatuck, $10,000; South Haven, $10,000; White Lake, $2,500, and Menominee, $7,150.

Other appropriations asked are: For a public building at Detroit, $125,364; for Manistique light, $32,000; for Poe Reef light ship, Straits of Mackinaw, $25,000.

MAJ. POST TO TAKE CHARGE.

Directed by Secretary Lamont to Oversee Public Works at Detroit.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—On the recommendation of Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers, the secretary of war has directed Maj. J. C. Post, corps of engineers, to take charge of all the public works in the vicinity of Detroit, formerly in charge of Col. O. E. Poe, deceased. These works include the improvements in progress on the St. Mary's river and canal, the St. Clair flats ship canal, the Detroit river, the ship canal connecting the waters of the great lakes between Chicago, Duluth and Buffalo, the dry dock at St. Mary's Falls and the dredging of Crosse Point channel, St. Clair flats ship canal and St. Mary's Falls canal.

MRS. HOLLAN SENTENCED.

Convicted Ex-Postmistress Fined and Given a Two-Years' Sentence.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 30.—In the United States circuit court Judge Severens sentenced Mrs. Addie B. Hollan, ex-postmistress of North Grand Rapids, convicted of embezzling money order funds, to serve two years in the Detroit house of correction, and to pay a fine of $260. Fred M. Hollan, her son, who confessed to having presented fraudulent money orders issued by his mother, for payment at various offices, was next arraigned for sentence. After giving the young man some good advice the judge deferred passing sentence for a few days.

Sued for $50,000 Damages.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—B. B. and A. J. Blake, of Racine, Wis., have been made defendants in a $50,000 damage suit, to be commenced in the United States court at Milwaukee by the North-Molitor Manufacturing company of Lansing. The latter asserts that the Racine firm has caused many of its customers to cancel orders by wiring letters reflecting on the business and goods of the plaintiff.

Game Law Saves the Deer.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—State Game Warden Osborn reports that the application of the new law requiring deer hunters to be licensed has resulted in a great saving of game during the open season this year. He has been informed by the Wisconsin warden that the effect of the license law was to flood that state with hunters from Ohio and Indiana, who heretofore camped in Michigan.

Packers Back a Big Tannery.

Alpena, Nov. 30.—The Alpena Hide and Leather company has started to work its new plant here, one of the largest hemlock tanning concerns in existence. The plant is tanning 1,000 hides a day to start with. It is understood Kansas City and other western packers are backing this concern to get rid of their hides without selling them to the trust.

Will Raise Mint.

Hoppertown, Dec. 2.—A Chicago syndicate which owns nearly 600 acres of marsh land near here, Allegan county, last year cleared nearly 250 acres, after raising an immense amount of garden truck during the summer. The concern has now decided to put its entire thract to mint and will put a large force of men at work in the spring.

Albert Waters Murdered.

Detroit, Dec. 1.—Lemuel Armstrong and Albert Waters, colored men, quarreled in a house at 192 Willis avenue, east, at 11 o'clock Saturday night. During the melee Armstrong drew a knife and began cutting his opponent. He finally plunged the knife into Waters' heart. Waters dropped dead. Armstron ran away.

Earnings of Michigan Railways.

Lansing, Nov. 30.—The earnings in Michigan of railroad companies in September were $2,798,807.88, as against $2,602,000.65 in September, 1894. Up to October 1, this year, the aggregate earnings were $22,447,779.04, an increase of $1,553,916.41, or 7.44 per cent. over the same period of last year.

State Federation of Labor.

Saginaw, Dec. 4.—The eighth annual convention of the Michigan Federation of Labor began Tuesday. President Flanigan's address took up the entire session. He condemned the last legislature as hostile to labor and advocated more stringent laws relative to child labor.

Diphtheria Raging.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 30.—Diphtheria is raging in this vicinity to an alarming extent. Several country schools near town are closed. Forty cases have been reported within two weeks, with six deaths. Hydrogen peroxide spray is used successfully in treatment.

Hold on to the Fees.

Cheboygan, Nov. 30. — The county clerks of northern Michigan will not pay over to the auditor general of the state the fees received for hunting licenses. They claim the fees as their own perquisites.

BLIND VETERAN REWARDED.

Rev. Couden's Election as House Chaplain Pleases Michigan People.

Port Huron, Dec. 3.—The election of Rev. Henry N. Couden, the blind expastor of the Universalist church in this city, as chaplain of the national house of representatives is a fitting reward for a brave man. Port Huron people of all denominations have worked hard for his appointment. Mr. Couden lost his sight in the service of the union. He enlisted at the age of 18, when the first call for volunteers was made, serving in the Sixth Ohio infantry, and reenlisted for three years when his term was out. He was with McClellan in the West Virginia campaign, and took part in the battle of Shiloh. In February, 1863, he was transferred to the First Mississippi marine brigade. Near Austin, Miss., he received a charge of small shot in his eyes, causing total blindness. After an honorable discharge Mr. Couden found there was no hope of recovering his eyesight. He entered the blind school at Columbus, O., taking a course of seven years. Afterward he entered the theological seminary at Canton, N. Y. His first pastorate was at Madrid, N. Y.; later he preached at Willoughby, O., Chatham, Mass., and four years ago came to Port Huron. Mr. Couden's pastorate here was highly successful. He increased the membership of the Universalist church and brought about the erection of a fine new edifice several months ago. He is a man of scholarly tastes, lovable character and great spirituality.

BLOW TO LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Michigan Societies Seriously Affected by a Court Decision.

Houghton, Dec. 4.—In the suit of the Northern Michigan Building and Loan association against Mary H. Gottstein, brought to secure a deficiency judgment, the mortgaged property having been previously foreclosed, Judge Hubbell directed the jury to find for the defendant. The case is one of far-reaching importance, it being held by the court that Mrs. Gottstein, as a married woman, could not legally bind herself to pay more than simple interest on a loan, and hence she could not legally hold borrowed stock in a building and loan association. If Judge Hubbell's ruling is upheld by the supreme bench every building and loan association in Michigan will be seriously affected.

TRAGEDY AT CHURCH.

Colored Men at Detroit Killed by Members of Their Own Race.

Detroit, Dec. 1.—William Glover, a prominent negro, was shot and killed Saturday afternoon by Isom Hess, also colored. The difficulty occurred at a church meeting and was witnessed by the pastor and congregation. Glover had been expelled from membership some time ago and called upon the church officials to explain why he was dismissed. A difficulty arose between him and Hess, who is one of the church officials, which resulted in the shooting of Glover. Hess was conveyed to Monticello for safe keeping.

Fire Near Morley.

Morley, Nov. 29.—Fire Thursday morning destroyed Nicholas Higbee's farm home, five miles northwest of this place. The residence, which was completely destroyed with all its contents, was one of the finest in this part of the state. A large, two-story hall, one boarding house and two storehouses were also destroyed. Loss on buildings and contents will reach $20,000; insured for $6,000. The fire caught from a furnace in the residence.

A Cowardly Murder.

Bessemer, Nov. 29.—Matt Pelander, a leading and influential Finlander, was stabbed to death by an unknown man, who jumped on him from behind and stabbed him in the abdomen. He reeled backward and fell in the snow, where he was found dead when the officers arrived. A posse was immediately organized and the guilty parties tracked to an Italian house, at the Anvile mine, and arrested.

Pardoned on Thanksgiving Day.

Lansing, Nov. 30.—Gov. Rich pardoned Ollie J. Watkins, sent from Detroit June 12, 1894, to Jackson, for three years for forgery; also pardoned John M. Dewitt, sent from Iosco county December 3, 1892, to Ionia for four years for larceny of a boat. The sentence of Stephen Kosmitzki, sent from Detroit January 31, 1894, to Ionia for four years for larceny, was commuted so as to expire Thanksgiving day.

Free Home for War Veterans.

Niles, Dec. 3.—C. Wire, living near Berrien Springs, has erected a building on his farm in which he has established a retreat for old soldiers. The home has been furnished with everything necessary for the welfare of the veterans. Already several homeless soldiers are enjoying the hospitality of the retreat and others are invited.

Holds Grain for Seventeen Years.

Decatur, Nov. 30.—Seventeen years ago Curry brothers became dissatisfied with the ruling prices for wheat and decided not to thrash their grain until its value increased. Year after year the stacks increased until this season, when they were all thrashed out, the older stacks yielded considerable marketable grain.

Was Postmaster for Twelve Years.

Battle Creek, Dec. 4.—William Wallace, a resident of this city since 1842, is dead, aged 88 years. He was a prominent figure in Michigan republicanism many years, and postmaster here under Grant, Hays, Garfield, Arthur and for 18 months under Cleveland.

Buried With High Honors.

Saginaw, Dec. 4.—Judge R. B. McKnight, who died at sea, was buried with masonic honors here. The entire grand commandery of the state was present.

Straw Kills Horses.

Wakalee, Dec. 3.—About a dozen horses have died here this winter and many more are sick from the effects of eating straw.

STATE NEWS.

Paragraphs Full of Interest for the Residents of Michigan.

At her recent election Coldwater rejected the blanket charter.

In Bay City the compulsory education law has been enforced in over 150 cases.

Near Honor Edwin Bates, aged 24 years, was recently killed by a falling tree.

The Michigan State Grange will meet in representative hall, Lansing, December 10.

Hay buyers at Carsonville are unable to secure cars enough to ship their purchases.

The table factory at Saginaw, which has been idle for months, has resumed operations.

Seymour Lape, a farmer near Ovid, was instantly killed while operating a stump pulling machine.

This year's ore shipment from the Menominee range amounts to 2,000,000 tons, double that of last year.

Branch county farmers have started a novel scheme—that of placing their names in large letters on their barns.

Judge George H. Durand, of Flint, is spoken of as candidate for delegate-at-large to the next democratic national convention.

A bald eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip of wings, was shot in Gilead. The bird is a rare specimen in Michigan.

Although the apple crop has been reported very large in the state, it is difficult to secure any of that fruit in Sanilac county.

In the vicinity of Houghton black and gray squirrels are very numerous this season, although remarkably scarce for a number of years.

A new system of waterworks will be erected at Wayne, an issue of $25,000 in bonds having been voted for that purpose at a recent election.

The grading of the new Manistee & Luther railroad is nearly completed to Copemish. The road will be extended to within two miles of Tustin.

Hon. Orman Clark, who recently died at his home in Lyndon township, Jackson county, had lived on the same farm continuously since the year 1835.

The sum of $1,000 to purchase clothing and shoes for needy persons has been appropriated from Bay City's liquor fund by the common council.

It is estimated that the loss in the death of hogs from hog cholera in the vicinity of Blissfield is over $200,000, and there appears to be no abatement of the plague.

Potatoes have actually become a drug upon the Edmore market, and they are hardly worth hauling in town. Prices now range from nine to fourteen cents and buyers find a slow market even at these figures.

First Rally for Foreign Missions.

Lansing, Dec. 3. — The American board of foreign missions of the Congregational church has arranged for a series of foreign missionary rallies to be held throughout the state for the purpose of awakening interest in the cause of foreign missions. The first rally was held here Monday night and was largely attended, delegates being present from all the churches of central Michigan. President Sperry, of Olivet college, presided, and addresses were made by President Angell, of the University of Michigan, Gen. Byron M. Cutcheon, of Grand Rapids; Dr. W. H. Davis, of Detroit; Rev. W. E. Strong, of Jackson, and Dr. J. W. Bradshaw, of Ann Arbor.

To Meet at Detroit.

Detroit, Dec. 3.—A national conference of colored leaders will be held in this city on the 12th inst. The conference will be a gathering of representative colored men from all sections of the country to discuss the industrial, social and political interests of the race. A permanent organization will probably be completed.

A Lumberman Killed.

Saginaw, Nov. 30.—Isaac Bearinger, the millionaire lumberman of this city, received word Friday that his brother, Henry Bearinger, who represents him in his lumber operations at Pantha, W. Va., had been killed by a pile of lumber falling on him. Deceased was well known in Michigan lumber circles.

George W. Smith for Judge.

Lansing, Nov. 29.—Gov. Rich has announced his intention to appoint George W. Smith, of Pontiac, judge of the Sixth judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Lapeer and Oakland, to succeed Joseph B. Moore, who will become justice of the supreme court January 1.

Horticulturists Meet.

Adrian, Dec. 4.—The 25th annual meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural society was inaugurated here Tuesday under the auspices of the Lenawee county auxiliary. A large number of distinguished pomologists, many of them from abroad, were present.

Diver Breaks All Records.

Detroit, Dec. 2. — Prof. Enoth, an aquatic performer at Wonderland theater, Saturday evening accomplished the feat of staying under water four minutes and eight seconds, which he claims breaks all previous records in that line.

Census of Traverse City.

Traverse City, Dec. 1.—A special census just completed gives the population of this city as 8,633, including 1,167 inmates of the Northern Michigan asylum. The census taken last year showed a population of 7,500.

Linton Wins Distinction.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Representative Linton, of Michigan, has the distinction of having introduced the first bill in the house of the 54th congress. It is in the interest of the railway postal clerks.

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Maspeth, L. I., Dec. 3.—Kid Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., lasted 15 rounds before Joe Walcott, the Boston colored boy, Monday night and was awarded the decision.

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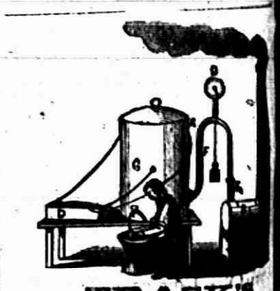

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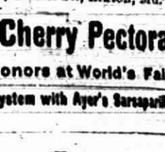

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Dec. 8. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Paul's Second Missionary Journey.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts xv. 36, to xviii. 11.

Paul in Antioch feels a desire to visit the churches established on his first preaching tour, and proposes it to Barnabas. The latter is determined to take his young relative, John Mark, who, on the former occasion, deserted them in a critical part of the journey. Paul objects. Barnabas and Mark go to Cyprus. Paul and Silas go to Asia Minor. Here they visit all the churches, and give them the decrees of the apostles and elders at Jerusalem as to the freedom of the gentile converts from obligation to keep the Jewish ceremonial laws.

Timothy, a devout young man, becomes Paul's helper and companion.

After traveling all the region previously visited and circumstances preventing further preaching in Asia, they pass over into Europe and begin the evangelization of a region hitherto unvisited by Christians. Beginning at Philippi, they follow the Roman road toward the southwest, preaching in each of the cities along the way till they reach Berea. The usual events occur in each place. At first they are listened to gladly. Some Jews accept Christianity. Gentiles being also received on equal terms of faith and not obligated to observe the burdensome ritual of Judaism, enmity is aroused. The popularity of the apostle and his companions awakens the jealousy of the Jews. Persecution is raised. The synagogue is closed against them. The civil power is appealed to, and mob violence is the usual outcome. Here occurs the notable beating and imprisonment which is followed by the conversion of the Philippian jailer and family.

Driven from Macedonia, Paul goes to Athens. Waiting for his companions to come, he speaks to those willing to listen to his message, but does not succeed in establishing a church. No speech ever uttered by a native Athenian has become so widely known and done so much to preserve the name and knowledge of that city as his speech on Mars hill.

Thence Paul goes to Corinth. Here he finds congenial soil for the gospel. He labors for many months, working at his trade and teaching the way of Christ. A large church is gathered.

He determines to visit Jerusalem again at the season of one of the great feasts. He sails from Cenchrea, the port of Corinth, touches at Ephesus, lands at Cæsarea, and going up to Jerusalem salutes the church. No incidents of this visit are recorded. After a brief stop he goes to Antioch, which had become the center of active propagandism for the enlarging church. How wonderfully have the boundaries enlarged since he first set out from this place to preach Christ!

Timely Activity.

Revival services should not be postponed until January if it is possible to arrange for them before the holidays. Active operations should be instituted in all departments. The plans of the literary and social departments should have been matured long since and now be in process of execution. All members should be at work. Push the reading course. Let the lecture course have proper attention. Music must not be neglected. Welcome strangers at all the church services. Let the handshaking committee be on the alert. Above all, see that the prayer and class meetings are well sustained and are made interesting. Seek the unconverted and cultivate their acquaintance and secure their attendance at the church services. If we are as diligent in this as the members of the various fraternities and clubs we shall succeed in our work as well as they succeed in theirs.

Stars In the Darkness.

Chicago is undoubtedly a wicked city, but the power of Christ and his church is also present there. The Methodist Episcopal church has in the city 188 church buildings and 17 missions. Services are conducted in seven different languages. Some people think only of the vice in these great centers. It is well occasionally to become acquainted with the reform agencies and religious institutions and recognize the work they are doing.

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used of God to make the Salvation Army under General Booth's management a power for good around the globe, second only in influence to Methodism. His work is practical Christianity in earnest. Bodies and minds of men are ministered to in order to reach their souls. Unlike Wesley, Mr. Booth had in his wife a helper worthy of him and one who will ever share with her husband the credit for the wonderful work done in organizing and directing the Salvation Army.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

The 54th congress convened its first session on the 3d. The senate was called to order by Vice President Stevenson and the new senators and those who had been re-elected were sworn in. A committee was appointed to notify the president....In the house Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, was chosen as speaker. A committee was named to join a like committee on the part of the senate to wait upon the president. Several bills were introduced in the interest of railway postal clerks and letter carriers.

DOMESTIC.

The motocycle contest in Chicago over a 54-mile course for purses amounting to $5,000 was won by the Charles L. Duryea gasoline motocycle of Springfield, Mass., which made the distance in ten hours.

The Cherokee Indian legislature passed a bill making it impossible hereafter for any white man to obtain property rights by marrying Indian women.

Eight Perry detectives, implicated in the shooting of innocent Frank White, while seeking his criminal brother, were indicted in Chicago by the grand jury on counts charging murder.

The report that Harry Hayward had confessed in Minneapolis to the murder of Catherine Ging was said to be untrue.

Peter McGeoch, the millionaire speculator, whose deals and attempt to corner the provision markets at various times startled the world, committed suicide in Milwaukee because of family troubles. He was 61 years old.

Gen. Flagler, chief of ordnance, in his annual report calls attention to the insufficiency of the appropriations and suggests that congress should permit the ordnance bureau to replace old arms now in use with weapons of serviceable type and uniform character.

Secretary Hoke Smith of the interior department in his annual report calls attention to the strict enforcement which has been given to civil-service reform; estimates the amount of public lands undisposed of to be 600,000,000 acres and says the total receipts during the year for public lands amounted to over $2,000,000; says an intelligent treatment of the Indians will make them self-supporting; and upon the subject of forests says that 17,000,000 acres are now included within forest reserves, the object being to preserve them for future use.

Dispatches from all over the United States note a general observance of Thanksgiving day in the usual manner.

Roman Bohrer and Sadie Henschen, who were soon to be married, were both killed by the cars at Arcola, Ind., while going to a dance.

S. C. Martin, the ossified man, who has lain on his back for seven years unable to move a joint, died near Bryan, Tex.

At noon on Thanksgiving day in Cleveland over 3,000 members of Christian Endeavor societies prayed for the salvation of the soul of Col. Ingersoll.

Later advices say that the loss to the oil interests in Ohio and Indiana by the recent blizzard would amount to over $1,000,000.

Three men were fatally hurt and several seriously injured in a wreck on the Norfolk & Western railroad at Canterberg, W. Va.

Football games in Chicago resulted as follows: University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0; Boston and Chicago Athletic associations, a tie, 4 to 4. At Kansas City—University of Missouri, 10; University of Kansas, 6.

The Chattahoochie national bank at Columbus, Ga., closed its doors.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 29th aggregated $870,484,182, against $1,126,226,638 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 8.0.

There were 288 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 29th, against 320 the week previous and 323 in the corresponding time of 1894.

At Nashville, Tenn., John S. Johnson lowered the one-mile flying start bicycle record from 2:16 to 2:10 4-5. The two-mile flying start record was lowered by A. E. Senn, of Hion, Ky., from 4:49 2-5 to 4:48 3-5.

Joseph Robinson and Ozias Metiahey, both negroes, were taken from the jail at Fayetteville, Tenn., and hanged by a mob. The colored men were charged with an attempted assault upon a white girl.

Secretary of War Lamont in his annual report gives the expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30 last as $52,287,780,44. The appropriations for the same period were $43,466,571.75. He says the year has been undisturbed by Indian outbreaks, domestic violence or troubles on the border, and that the army is better fed, housed and clothed than ever before. The total force of the army is 25,706. The total expenditures for the improvement of rivers and harbors was $18,812,517. He says that the condition of our seacoast and lake frontier should be strengthened.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Ingerson, at Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken above a whisper for months, and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers. Org & Temple. Dec.

Rev. A. Henrich and wife were asphyxiated by gas from their coal stove at Platte City, Neb.

A fall of earth and rock at a mine near Carmel, N. Y., killed 14 men.

Harry Poorman and Florence Slayman and Philip Slayman and Sadie Poorman were married at Canton, O. The brides and grooms of both weddings were brothers and sisters, and twins at that.

Charles N. Smith, widely known in the baseball world as "Pacer" Smith, was hanged at Decatur, Ill., for the murder of his daughter, Louise, aged 6 years, and Miss Edna Bichert, aged 18, his sister-in-law, on September 28 last.

The first case on record of a perfect cure of a broken neck was perfected in Cleveland, O., by Dr. C. B. Humiston and Dr. S. E. Kaestlin. Erwin Keidel, aged 14, was the patient.

A. H. Schuter & Co., doing a grocery business in Jefferson and Greenville, Tex., failed for $125,000.

It was discovered that Garland Stemler and Louis Mureno, who were lynched by a mob at Yreka, Cal., for murder, were innocent.

Tony Sutton, a negro, was shot to death by a mob at Montezuma, Ga., for killing W. T. Sangster.

Discoveries of vast gold fields were made at Mercur, about 65 miles south of Salt Lake City.

Prof. Enoth, an aquatic performer at Detroit, accomplished the feat of staying under water four minutes and eight seconds, breaking all previous records in that line.

Senator David B. Hill's lecture tour in the northwest proved a failure, and the senator while in Minneapolis canceled all future engagements and returned to New York.

A passenger train ran into an open switch at Preble, N. Y., killing the engineer and fatally injuring the fireman.

In round figures the government deficit for November was $1,000,000 and the expenditures $27,000,000. The deficit for the five months of the current fiscal year stands at $17,500,000.

H. H. Holmes, who was convicted in Philadelphia of the murder of B. F. Pitzel, was refused a new trial and sentenced to death. Gov. Hastings would fix the day of execution.

Joseph Reimean and his daughter and Ernst Neiver were killed by the cars at Air Line Junction, O.

The annual report of Comptroller Eckels states that a month ago there were in operation 3,715 national banks, with an aggregate capitalization of $664,136,915, divided among 285,195 shareholders. Their circulation then outstanding was $213,887,630, of which $190,180,961 was secured by United States bonds. During the year ended with October 43 banks were organized and 36 were put in the hands of receivers.

By the upsetting of a skiff in the Monongahela river between Brownsville and California, Pa., Joseph McIntosh and Mrs. James Stevens were drowned.

On the steam railroads in Pennsylvania 1,538 persons were killed and 10,605 injured during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1895.

Margaret Mather Pabst consented to a divorce from her husband, Gustav Pabst, of Milwaukee, and she will return to the stage. For her consent she received $100,000.

During a dance at Shelby, Ind., John and Frank Lattey were both shot and fatally wounded by Frank Fuller.

In his annual report Secretary of the Navy Herbert recommends the construction of two battle ships and at least 12 torpedo boats and the enlistment of 1,000 more men. His estimates for the expenses of the naval establishment for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, aggregate $29,311,166.

Orville Eals killed his wife and her paramour, John Fields, at Brownings-ville, Ky., and was himself killed by a posse who attempted to arrest him.

Since the recent earthquake it has been found that cisterns in different parts of the Ohio valley no longer hold water.

It was announced that the territory of Oklahoma at the session of the 54th congress would knock for admission into the sisterhood of states.

The public debt statement issued on the 2d showed that the debt increased $2,046,303 during the month of November. The cash balance in the treasury was $177,406,386. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $948,477,611.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 2d was: Wheat, 63,903,000 bushels; corn, 5,517,000 bushels; oats, 6,397,000 bushels; rye, 1,423,000 bushels; barley, 5,310,000 bushels.

The secretary of the treasury transmitted to congress the estimates of appropriations required for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, as furnished by the several executive departments, which aggregate $418,091,073.

After 18 months of labor the commission named by the last general assembly to revise the code of laws of Iowa has completed its work.

Three children named Gangel were burned to death at Gladstone, Man., during their mother's absence.

The monthly treasury statement of receipts and expenditures shows receipts for November to have been $25,986,508, disbursements, $27,199,283, leaving a deficit for November of $1,212,780, and for the five months of this fiscal year, $15,869,327.

A schooner plying between Rockport, Tex., and Mexico in the fruit trade was lost with her crew of four.

The Empire State express train on the New York Central road made the trip from New York to Buffalo, a distance of 440 miles, in 494 minutes, breaking all previous records.

The schooner Shamrock capsized at St. Martin's reef, Florida, and six negroes who were below the hatches were drowned.

A new counterfeit two dollar silver certificate was discovered. It is of the series of 1891, check letter C, plate number 41, D. N. Morgan, treasurer, portrait of William Windom. The note is much smaller in every way than the genuine.

A conference of senators favorable to the free coinage of silver was held in Washington and it was decided to keep up agitation for free coinage.

President Collier announced that the Atlanta exposition would close finally and forever on December 31.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Mrs. David Lamb, the largest woman in Indiana, was buried at her home in New Middleton. She weighed 503 pounds.

The official returns of the election of 1895 in Iowa show 401,292 votes to have been cast, of which Drake, republican nominee for governor, received 208,689; Babb (dem.), 149,433; Crane (pop.), 32,118, and Bacon (pro.), 11,052.

A. W. Wayman, senior bishop of the African Methodist church in the United States dropped dead from paralysis at his home in Baltimore.

Thomas Brackett Reed was nominated for the speakership of the 54th congress by the republican caucus in Washington and the democratic caucus renominated Speaker Crisp.

Col. Smith A. Whitfield, first assistant postmaster general during the latter part of President Harrison's term, died in Chicago, aged 49 years.

William Cobb, a centenarian, died at King's Mountain, N. C. A peculiarity of his was to devour a chicken every day for the past 50 years.

William Bennett, a hero of the Crimean war and of the Sepoy mutiny in India, died at his home in Chicago, aged 76 years.

FOREIGN.

It was said that the Hawaiian government would make a strong effort to bring the annexation question before the next United States congress.

The Northern Pacific steamship Strathnevis, en route from Victoria, B. C., to Yokohama with about 125 Chinese passengers, a crew of 50 and 3,000 tons of general cargo, was given up as lost.

Cuban insurgents wrecked a train carrying Spanish soldiers near Cien Rojah, and the engineer, fireman and 31 soldiers were killed and 50 others were injured, some fatally.

Count Eduard von Taffe, ex-premier of Austria, died at Ellishau, aged 62 years.

The pope presided at the secret consistory in Rome and created nine cardinals, among them being Mgr. Satolli, the papal delegate to the Roman Catholic church in the United States.

Knights of Labor in Montreal, Ontario and Quebec decided to secede from the general assembly and form a purely Canadian order.

During severe storms in the vicinity of Odessa, Russia, 500 persons were either drowned or frozen to death.

Maximo Gomez and his army of insurgents utterly failed in their attempt to reach Villas, Cuba. His forces sustained great loss, his ranks were broken and his men were dispersed.

President Pierola convoked the Peruvian congress in extra session on account of the crisis caused by the resignation of the cabinet.

In the state of Oajaca, Mexico, earthquakes had occurred daily for some time. The mountains rocked and the whole region was a mass of seismic activity.

The German government was taking steps to prevent the growing emigration of the younger generation to America.

Gen. Julio Sanguilly, an American citizen, was sentenced at Havana to imprisonment for life for having committed illegal acts against the Spanish government.

LATER.

The president's message, made public on the 3d, is devoted to two subjects and about equally divided between the two, foreign affairs and financial affairs. In regard to other matters he is content to refer congress to the departmental reports with a general concurrence in their statements of facts and their recommendations.

Stevenson, Alexander & Co., boot and shoe jobbers at Baltimore, made an assignment with liabilities of $130,000.

At a negro cake walk in Roseborough, Ark., the negroes ate at their supper a portion of a hog that had been fed by its owner on strychnine and 12 died and a half dozen others were dangerously ill.

The Pennsylvania investment company at Kansas City, Mo., failed for $365,000.

The president nominated Rufus W. Peckham, of Albany, N. Y., to be associate justice of the United States supreme court to succeed the late Howell E. Jackson, of Tennessee.

Seven of the largest wholesale establishments in Indianapolis were destroyed by fire, the total loss being $500,000.

Advices from Turkey say that the sultan had resolved to break all diplomatic relations if the powers force the Dardanelles.

Washington, Dec. 4.—In the United States senate yesterday the president's message was read. There were 272 bills and 16 resolutions introduced, but a majority were reprints of measures which failed to pass last session. Among the bills were the following: To establish a uniform system of bankruptcy; for the compulsory education of Indian children; for the exclusion of alien anarchists; for the amendment of the tariff laws, so as to admit free of duty all material used in the construction or equipment of vessels built in the United States; to limit the president's term to six years without reelection, and repealing all laws permitting the issuance of bonds. In the house the president's message was read, after which bills were introduced to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy; to amend the immigration laws; to equalize pensions on account of service in the Mexican war; to provide that no alien shall be admitted to citizenship who has not for the continued term of five years preceding his admission resided within the United States, and who cannot speak, read and write the English language.

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8 21	3 51	9 31	Hanover	10 46	5 23
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11 13	5 23	10 28	Onsted	9 40	4 28
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11 45	5 37	10 42	Tipton	9 25	4 15
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Haws are black above the rills,
Kind are sleek upon the hills,
And along the orchard wall
Pipes the quail his cheerful call.

Fast beside the glowing grate
(Locks as white as ocean foam)
Now the aged couple wait
For "the children's" coming home—
Children who from far and near
At Thanksgiving gather here;
Children bowed with toil and care,
Girls with silver in their hair,
Boys with beards like harvest grain,
All "the children" come again,
Mingling golden locks with gray
On this peaceful, prayerful day.

Here the oaken table waits,
Set with two long rows of plates
That no Curlyhead may pout
Lest the grown folks crowd him out.
Even roving, wayward Tim
Finds a place reserved for him,
And ere grandpa's prayer is done
Resolves a better course to run.
Banished every doubt and fear
From this hopeful atmosphere.

Blest the visions that arise!
Grandpa looks in grandma's eyes.
Griefs that furrowed cheek and brow,
Tears and sighs—forgotten now.
Only sunshine floods the way
Looking backward from to-day.

"Thou who rulest everywhere,
Be our children still Thy care,
On the sea or on the land
Keep them ever in Thy hand,
Guiding still in rain or sun,
May Thy love still make us one
And its sweetness ne'er depart
From the homestead of the heart."

This is father's earnest prayer.
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Feel renewed the hopes of youth
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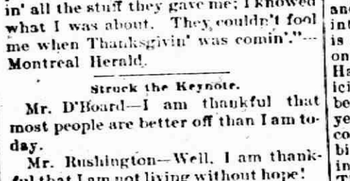
Poor Bird!

The turkey is not a brilliant bird,
When all is done and said,
For on all great occasions
He's sure to lose his head.
—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Kismet.

The turkey looks around and sighs:
"What is the use of living,
When Christmas makes a grab for what
Is not devoured Thanksgiving?"
—Detroit Free Press.

A CONUNDRUM.



The Goose—What's the difference between the Easter girl and the Thanksgiving turkey?

The Turkey—I dunno.

The Goose—Why, one is dressed to kill and the other is killed to dress.—Truth.

The Borrowing Habit.

Pater (at Thanksgiving dinner)—What? No turkey?

Mater—No, my dear. We had one, but our neighbor sent over this morning and borrowed it.—Harper's Bazar.

As the Day Approaches.

He is filled with dark forebodings,
The turkey, old enough;
He presently'll be filled with sage,
And giblet sauce and stuff.
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First ward—Geo. Osler.
Second ward—Theodore Price.
Third ward—J. K. Wolverton.
Fourth ward—Geo. B. Griswold.
Adrian tp—W. H. Wiggins.
Blissfield—J. D. Templeton.
Cambridge—Geo. R. Kilbury.
Clinton—Alonzo S. Marshal.
Deerfield—John Freese.
Dover—J. C. Talford.
Fairfield—George Service.
Franklin—John Osborne.
Hudson—John Welch.
Hudson city—A. O. Abbott.
Macon—Silas Underwood.
Madison—Wm. L. Briggs.
Medina—Nelson Baldwin.
Ogden—Geo. W. Scott.
Palmyra—Wm. Bowerman.
Raisin—B. Vanness.
Ridgeway—Thos. H. Temple.
Riga—James D. Ward.
Rollin—Wm. P. Hathaway.
Rome—Chas. Marshal, Chas. Barrager.
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Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
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Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 15 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb	5½ 6	
Turkeys	7	8
Hides, green		25 to 35
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From the Grand Rapids, Mich., Evening Press.

CHAS. H. HACKLEY.

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It is no wonder then that the name of Chas. H. Hackley is known at home and abroad. His munificence to Muskegon alone represents an outlay of nearly half a million. For the past twenty years he has been a constant sufferer from neuralgia and rheumatism, also numbness of the lower limbs, so much so that it has seriously interfered with his pleasure in life. For some time past his friends have noticed that he has seemed to grow young again, and to have recovered the health which he had in youth.

To a correspondent of the *Press*, Mr. Hackley explained the secret of his transformation, and to his friends who have known how he suffered, it is indeed a transformation. "I have suffered for over twenty years," he said, seated in his private office, "with pains in my lower limbs so severely that the only relief I could get at night was by putting cold water compresses on my limbs. I was bothered more at night than in the day time. The neuralgic and rheumatic pains in my limbs, which had been growing in intensity for years, finally became chronic. I made three trips to the Hot Springs with only partial relief, and then fell back to my original state. I couldn't sit still, and my sufferings began to make life very blue. Two years ago last [illegible] noticed an account of Dr. William[illegible] for Pale People, and what they had [illegible] others, and some cases so nearly [illegible] mine that I was interested. [illegible] know whether the testimonials were [illegible] or not, and I did not wish to be humbugged, so I wrote to one who had given a testimonial, an eminent professor of music in Canada. The reply I received was even stronger than the printed testimonial, and it gave me faith in the medicine.

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CONFORMITY PART OF NATURE.

Sermon Delivered in the Universalist Church, Nov. 24th, by Elmer C. Andrus, Pastor.

With great pleasure I invite you this evening to consider with me the whole chapter, which was our lesson. (Romans xii)

This subject has given rise, in former times, to a vast deal of theological thinking and preaching, some good, some bad. The consideration which has usually been given to it turns upon one point, and that forms the basis of our theme tonight. Conformity or non-conformity, which?

The old theologians have almost always used this theme to extol the change of heart and renunciation of the world necessary in their estimation, before one may become a Christian.

Before we can understand this fully we must know just what they meant by "conformity" and "transformtion." By conformity to this world was meant the seeking of pleasures and the usual debasing influences which accompany such pleasures. By "transformation" was meant the creating in one of a new heart and the desire to follow Jesus of Nazereth as their life ex-ample, the which to imitate and to copy.

"Conformity to this world" means something more than this to me, as does also "transformation." This world is made up not alone of the debasing pleasures which the old religious thinkers very justly reviled, but it contains much that is high and excellent as well. This world is the home of man and always has been. It is his mother, his nurse, his companion, his teacher. It fills him with wonder as he contemplates its complexity, and it fills him with reverence as he realizes how from out it comes his daily life, his very substance. He learns, if his soul is not benumbed by the clamour of his selfishness, that he is but a very small part of the life which fills the space about him. If he sees this as he should, he learns a true reverence which can never allow him to think ill of his neighbor without a certain knowledge of his fellow's wrong. He comes to know that, as a part of the world, he, as a single man, is very small indeed. If he goes to the stagnent pool by the wayside and there, by his microscope, discovers the little animal he has called a monad, he learns that he is not alone in this world, the flower of all the life in it, for there he meets a brother as wonderful as himself, though the span between them is almost infinite, but they are brothers still, being children of the one Father.

While, if we contemplate the social side of our world, to which some would lead us to believe that all who do not call it base and carnal are conformed to their everlasting hurt, we find oftentimes among the very ones who, by their words, dispise it most, those who would be its worst disgrace, could we see them as they are. It is better, a thousand times better, to be poor and homeless, and friendless, a deciple of the carnal old world and honest, than to be petted of men and be a religious hypocrite. We may decieve our fellow men, but the great All Seing One we cannot. He knows us as we are, and to him the Indian savage, who, beneath his plantin shade, repeats his mummeries to an image of clay or stone, is as dear as the robed priest at the altar of no matter what sect or creed, though the latter be the decipie of a civilized race and its great high priest, and the former but an untutored savage.

Men are oftentimes blind to the great world of which they are a part, and consider themselves a special and a marveloss creation instead of but one link in the great ascending scale from the unthinking, mindless, monad to the consumation of life which may result in a being beside of which, man is but a simple monad. He is but a single link in the great chain of evolution, the end of which is the end of eternity.

Conformation to this world means, if it means anything, the abiding by the laws which make up the basis of its very existence. That by law, we become inheritors of life; that by law, and not by chance, we are heirs to a nature like to God's; that by law, and not by chance, we give to our posterity an inheritance which is better than that which we received, or is worse; that by law, not by chance, we grow to nobler and better manhood. Who can say that the profession of a creed makes one good, or true, or holy, if this daily life be vile? Then it is the daily life which makes a man or woman a true christian.

A man grows into a better spiritual state, not all at once as too many in the churches evidence by their lives that they believe, but by a constant and continued growth. As the flower is changed from a wild and uncivilized state to the perfection which some have been made to attain, by constant cultivation and selection of the best, so has man through ages of cultivation grown into the civilization which he has today. Not because of a creed or doctrine he has done this, but because of the native sagacity with which he is endowed, and which is as general in humankind as the five senses through which we know this world of ours; nor is it limited by a form of belief. Following the gross pleasures of life for the sake of those pleasures alone, then, becomes a terrible sin, not because it debars us from heaven, but it kills the higher aims of the man and deadens his sense of decency and right, and so becomes a degeneration, a going back to the life of the monad without a mind and without a thought save his own existence. It gives to his children the inheritance of a weakness, and he binds them in a slavery worse than that which ever shackled a black man in the days of old.

It is not the simple dance, nor the evening of amusement, not even though a minister of the gospel were one of the company; neither is it a simple game at cards which lessens man, but it is the occupying of the whole mind by sensations of mere gross pleasure, and this would turn a saint to destruction. But the game, or dance, or party, if the simple amusement of a life given to good, honest, sober thinking and upright action, is as innocent as the gambols of of the lambs in the meadows.

Transformation in the spirit to the performance of God's will, means to me, the earnest devotion to a deep and noble sense of what is highest in life. It means that we strive to do what is right because it is right, and not because of the fear of being punished if we do wrong. It means the growth upward and onward in the course of evolution, the fulfillment of the promise which is in us, not of a single member of the race, but of the whole family of humankind. If we are possessed of these qualities, "Let love be without dissimunation. Abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good. Be kindly affectioned one to another, with brotherly love; in honor prefering one another; not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; continuing instant in prayer; distributing to the necessities of the saints, given to hospitality. Bless them which persecute you; bless and curse not."—(St. Paul's Epistles to Romans xii:9-14.) If we are possessed of these qualities, we transform our daily life into active prayer, which is the only kind of prayer that works a good in us. More than that, If we have these, there is no salvation for one of the race, which does not include all.

Tranformation of spiritual growth and its principles, stated so well by James Martineau, are these: "Every action is wrong, which, in presence of a higher principle follows a lower, and every action is right, which, in presence of a lower principle, follows a higher." Looking then into nature we find that conformity is everywhere, that law is the commandment of God, whether written in the book we call the Bible or whether engraved by his mighty hand on the stones beneath our feet or evidenced by the monad of the stagnant pool. We learn that we are but one small part of the great all of creation, and what we call the great being, a single man, is but a microscopic speck in the universe which God beholds, its dimensions being endless. We see, too, that we are creatures of law, that we grow spiritually, as well as physically in accordance with the uniformity of nature, that mankind is one of the myriad of units, which go to form the life scale in the world, and that our growth upward into a better moral state, into a more loving brotherhood, and most of all, into the realization of the fact of religion as being our daily life and not our creeds, is the best preparation of which we know, for the world to come.

For this are churches erected, for this are men banded together and for this do we set apart one time during the week to contemplate the holy side of existence, that we may grow better, day by day, and more worthy to be called the children of an infinite love, Knowing that:

"He who from zone to zone,
Guides through the boundless sky,
Thy certain flight
In the longway that I must tread alone,
Will lead my steps aright."

Florida and Southeast.

If you have any intention of going to the Southeast this fall or winter, you should advise yourself of the best route from the North and West. This is the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, which is running double daily trains from Cincinnati through to Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Atlanta, Montgomery, Thomasville, Pensacola, Mobile, Jacksonville and Florida points. Pullman Sleeping Car Service through. Specially low rates made to Atlanta during the continuance of the Cotton States Exposition and tourist rates to all points in Florida and Gulf Coast resorts during the season. For particulars as to rates and through car service, write.

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BEAUTIFUL CLEVELAND.

A Few Words of Interest from Our Friend and Former Townsman, W. H. Babbitt.

The HERALD has been well supplied of late with correspondence from various sources; it has presented its readers with racy letters from the young bicycle tourist abroad, and tales of early Michigan history have been told by one who could say, "A part of which I was." Is there room left in one of your issues for a letter from this thriving Buckeye city? Cleveland has recently been pressing her claim to the metropolis of Ohio, Cincinnati having been outstripped by her in population. Bigness seems to be the great thing with the American people. "Greater New York," Chicago, Cleveland, etc., has been the cry, and city limits have been extended with a view of getting more inhabitants. But some are lifting up the better cry. "Better New York" and "Better Cleveland," which is a cry we are glad to hear. Tecumseh, as its absent friends are pleased to learn, is keeping up its reputation for business enterprise. It gives them greater pleasure, however, to know that it is not overlooking interests higher than business. Your course of winter evening entertainments is equal to the very best of those enjoyed in large cities. Your library and reading room and circles for mutual improvement and well sustained schools and high school give evidence of sound public sentiments in favor of morality and intelligence, while your prosperous churches give equal evidence in favor of religion. Inhabitants of our eastern sea-board states, who may have been to Europe but who have never explored their native land, have some of them very defective ideas in regard to the development in our western towns in the direction of true refinement. They think it simply impossible that the culture and intelligence of Boston or New York or Philadelphia has been duplicated anywhere west of the Alleghanies. Not many years ago some eastern people, after listening to an Ohio preacher, expressed surprise at the good grammatical English that he used. Settlers in this goodly city hailing from the "Hub," or "from New York, you know," have brought with them airs of superiority that were ludicrous. But they have soon found themselves in the condition that the old Scotch divine prayed his airy young brother might be: "Prick him, Lord, and let the wind out of him." The truth is that learning and refinement are no longer confined to a few favored localities. They are everywhere in our land. They have crossed the Mississippi and reached the Pacific coast. A cultivated person can find as congenial society in Michigan or Oregon, or far off Washington, as he can in Massachusets or Pennsylvania.

The recent earthquake gave the people east and west a mild shaking up. The sensation it caused was not to be compared, however, to the political land-slide of the first Tuesday of November, which extended as far south as Maryland and Kentucky. Three years ago there was one of another sort. We are coming to look for these revolutions and to see a meaning in them. That meaning is, the determination of the people to have, if possible, better times. If these times come now the HERALD will doubtless say they are the result of good, wise Democratic management of our affairs. But if that Republican paper is started in Tecumseh the editor will say that they are due to the return of his party into power. The people may not believe either, and if the good times do not come pretty soon, they will be likely to try the effect of another revolution, different from either of the two we have had.

Prosperity seems to reign already in Cleveland. Business is good and few men willing to work are idle. The present congress is asked to grant $2,500,000 for a new postoffice and U. S. building. The growth of the city has rendered this call for a new building imperative. This is getting to be a great centre for the iron industry. In the oil trade it is well known we are Standard. We have some high buildings, the highest so far being fifteen stories. Lawyers' offices are well up in these high buildings, contradicting, thus, the toast given at a dinner in honor of one of our Chief Justices—"However high the legal profession may seek to rise, it can never get above one story." Next year this city celebrates the centennial of its founding. Extensive preparations are in progress for a great exhibition of its growth in commerce and manufactures. Scarce three weeks have gone since the city held its breath at hearing that a car full of people, unconscious to the last moment of their coming down, had dropped 100 feet through an open draw into the dark, chill waters of the Cuyahoga river. It was a dread calamity and brought sore suffering to hearts and households from which they will not soon escape. After a brief spasm of of insistance that something be done to prevent the recurrence of such a horror in the future, we are living on as if this one had not taken place. The world's progress is made at the cost of terrible sacrifices—holocausts of human life. Ought we not to seek a progress in which human life and human character will both of them have a higher estimate?

W. H. BABBITT.

Lenawee Teachers' Meeting.

The Lenawee County Teachers' association held a meeting at the Whitney opera house in Adrian, Saturday last, beginning at 9:30 o'clock, at which time J. B. TenBrook, of Fairfield, called the meeting to order.

The first paper was presented by F. E. Wilcox, of Clinton, who offered some timely suggestions as to the "Benefits of Teachers' Associations."

Prof. V. K. VanDeVenter, of Dundee, followed with a presentation of "The scientific alphabet—what is it and what are its advantages?" The subject was well presented and furnished some interesting thoughts.

Both papers were open for general discussion and the teachers availed themselves of the opportunity to present numerous useful and helpful thoughts.

A business session was next and an adjournment until 1:15 in the afternoon followed. D. M. Halsey, of Woodstock, who was on the program for a paper on "The teacher's influence in the neighborhood," failed to respond, and the next topic "Current events—their importance and how to teach them," was presented by B. L. Hart, of Jasper. An interesting discussion followed, and, interspersed with music, the day was spent in an agreeable and profitable manner to the teachers present, as well as the spectators.

The election of officers for the ensuing term resulted as follows:

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 13, 1895.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle made a business trip to Detroit Wednesday.

B. G. Woodward has been quite indisposed the past week, caused by la grip.

Horatio Keyser, of Tecumseh, was calling on old Clinton friends Tuesday.

John and Fred Kenaler, of Manchester and Brooklyn, were in town Monday.

Miss Nina Hanford, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Mame Bradner over Sunday.

Will P. McAdam, of Tecumseh, came up Saturday and spent Sunday with his father.

J. S. Kishpaugh made an overland trip to Deerfield and Dundee the first of the week.

The members of the M. E. Sunday school are preparing for a cantata to be given Xmas.

Rev. J. H. Eichbaum was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith during his stay in Clinton.

Barney McAdam is recovering nicely from his protracted illness, in spite of his extreme age.

Miss Carrie Alvord, of Church street, entertained a gentleman friend from Hillsdale over Sunday.

Miss Olaf Ostman, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Schnerla, and other friends in this vicinity.

F. R. Greenleaf has so far recovered from his late illness as to be able to be out when the weather is favorable.

Marcus Woodcock, one of the woolen mill force, left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit at his old home in Flint.

Miss Lizzie Shurtz, after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends, returned to her home in Toledo yesterday.

Bert Cutting, accompanied by one gentleman and two lady friends, of Tecumseh, attended union services Sunday evening.

Dr. J. E. White and Fred C. Sherwood were in Hudson Friday and Saturday on business pertaining to the order of Maccabees.

Vern Heesen, Cleo Hall, C. D. Keyes and Nina Hanford, of Tecumseh, attended St. John's Episcopal church Sunday evening.

Joe Crosby and wife, Mrs. C. F. Field, John J. Orr and C. D. Keyes, of Tecumseh, attended the Episcopal supper and entertainment.

Will H. Katner and bride have returned from their wedding trip and will soon be ready to receive their friends in their pleasant home.

James Hogan, who was drawn as juror in the Washtenaw circuit, got excused long enough to go east with a car of stock. He went Saturday.

Garland R. Gillispie, our attorney-at-law, is kept very busy these days. He was in Tecumseh Saturday and Ann Arbor Monday on legal business.

From present indications, H. O. Wiltse & Son will very soon be settled in their own cozy building which Fred Sherwood is erecting for them on Jackson street.

Geo. A. Rowland and wife, of Albion, arrived Tuesday afternoon for a visit with relatives and friends, also to attend the Episcopal Fair and entertainment.

There seems to be little hope that C. S. Baker will ever be any better, as his mental condition remains the same while his physical condition is growing more feeble.

Word has been received from C. S. Burroughs, who left for the west the first of last week, that he reached Pawnee Friday last and found the weather mild and delightful.

Darwin M. Bainbridge is confined to the house with a badly sprained ankle, which is very painful and, as is often the case, may prove more serious than though a bone had been broken.

Rev. J. H. Eichbaum, of Brooklyn, who exchanged with Rev. W. R. Blachford, gave a strong address on the subject of "Missions," at St. John's Episcopal church Sunday evening, to a very large congregation.

Orville Barnes and wife are very busy preparing for their removal to Chicago where he will enter a theological seminary, he having decided to prepare himself for the ministry. The best wishes of their many friends accompany them.

Notwithstanding the numerous weddings which have occurred here within the past few weeks, the air is still heavily laden with the aroma of orange blossoms, which is conclusive evidence that the end is not yet, but more to follow.

They do say that even Geo. VanGieson, who has so long withstood Cupid's darts, is visibly affected by Hymen's wave, which has so stirred this community, and many anticipate that he may soon join the ranks of the benidicts.

This entire community feel deeply the great loss which Lenawee county has sustained by the death of S. C. Stacy, its veteran editor. He was nearly as well known by our citizens as in his own town, and his many virtues recognized and appreciated.

Mr. C. C. Rowland met with quite a serious accident at the woolen mill last Wednesday, which will confine him to the house for some time. We were unable to get full particulars, but know he has a badly bruised leg and the only wonder is that it was not broken.

The funeral of John Wood, a brother of Selden Wood and Mrs. Demuth, who lived in the township of Saline and was well known to most of our residents, was held at his late residence, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Owing to feeble health, neither Mrs. Demuth or Selden Wood were able to attend, but the following relatives were present: Will Wood and wife, W. S. Kimball and wife, J. O. Fitzgerald and wife, S. W. Demuth.

When considering the inclemency of the weather Wednesday, the Episcopal ladies should feel highly flattered at the success of their fair, supper and entertainment. While the attendance was small, compared with what it would have been had the weather been favorable, yet those who braved the wintry blasts and blinding snow felt amply repaid. The articles for sale were not only useful, but beautiful and varied, and found ready sale. The supper was the par excellence of culinary skill, for which these ladies are celebrated, and the entertainment, furnished by some forty children ranging from 3 to 15 years of age, under the direction of Miss Laura Clark, was a marvel to all and ought to be repeated. It consisted of two parts. Part first opened with "America," by the whole company, which was charmingly rendered and the harmony of the young voices was perfect. Old King Cole, by ten boys, called forth a grand encore, to which they responded, as did the twelve young girls in their medley. The character song by that charming little artist, Mamie Keyser, delighted every one and she, of course, was called back. Part second consisted of a fairy operetta, which was rendered in a faultless manner, and it is doubtful if the grown people could have excelled them. The young daughter of Lewis Gray, as the Fairy of the Waters, was charming and her reading and singing effective. Ralph Kishpaugh made a handsome Prince Clever. He has a fine voice and his solos were all very finely rendered. Willie Hard, as Boy Blue, was perfect; Millie Whittlesey was an admirable Dame Bustle; Sybella Lancaster as Lilla, and Eva Smith as Flirta, sustained their characters with great credit, and little Flora Seamark made a great hit as Bo Peep, she read her lines beautifully and her duet with Boy Blue received a hearty encore. The Hunters and Fairies acquitted themselves with great credit, and the tableau and song Queen of Hearts, closed this delightful entertainment. It is wonderful the voices that were developed on this occasion among the little folks. Where each and every one did themselves proud it is impossible to mention each one individually. The little tots, Katherine Clark, Ruth Kimball and Willie Smith were irresistable. Miss Laura Clark must have felt repaid for her arduous labors by the manner in which the operetta was rendered.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Miss Vinora Beal spent Sunday at home.

Miss Ruth Smith has been absent from school for some time on account of sickness.

The Seminary boys are rejoicing over their new skating pond which has just been constructed.

Messrs W. F. Hill and V. H. Slee returned last week from Canada where they have been for some time on business.

The Juniors seem to be quite busy preparing for their Public which will be Friday evening, Dec. 20. We understand they are preparing a fine program.

Mr. Graves, after a long absence is again in his place as third teacher. Mr. Youngglove, who filled Mr. Grave's place during his absence, is now teaching four miles west of Adrian.

The contest at the church Friday evening last was a thing of interest, Miss Jennie Wolverton being the successful contestant. Miss Bertha Shoemaker and Mr Edwin Morden, of Adrian, furnished music for the evening which was splendid.

GORMAN GOSSIP.

Elmer Lee and brother, George, of Toledo, are visiting with their uncle, T. E. Bentley, this week.

Mary Bentley left Tuesday morning for Chelsea, where she will visit her mother and sisters, who reside at that place.

Our little town is at present without any M. D. If some good doctor will locate here we will give him a liberal patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sebram returned to their home at Toledo on Thursday last, after spending a few days visiting with friends here.

J. R. McElhaney, of Adrian, called on your correspondent this week. He is making a house-to-house canvass for his county directory and is meeting with excellent success.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mrs. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

16,000 Miles.

Always a leader, the Ohio Central Lines mileage ticket, with latest additions is the Best. Covering the Big Four, B. & O., C. H. & D., Ohio Central and innumerable other systems, it is the favorite Travelers' Companion. 4w

The Mount Lebanon Skakers have recently perfected an ingenious cure for dyspepsia. Their Digestive Cordial consists of a food already digested and a digester of foods happily combined.

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What is Laxol? Nothing but Castor Oil made as palatable as honey. Children like it.

The church-going woman has her monogram in raised silver on her prayer book and hymnal.

Weakness is the symptom, impoverished blood the cause. Hood's Sarsaparilla the cure. It makes the weak strong. 1w

Carnations are cheap, and mingled with maiden-hair fern make lovely table decorations.

Does your head feel as though someone was hammering it; as though a million sparks were flying out of the eyes? Have you horrible sickness of the stomach? Burdock Blood Bitters will cure you. 1w

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Can be grown on the same land in eastern Mississippi and southern Alabama along the line of the Mobile & Ohio railroad. The summers are cooler, the winters are milder, the death rate is lower than in the north. Improved farms $10 to $15 per acre; unimproved land $3 to $5 per acre near railway stations. It is the best portion for raising fruits and early vegetables, stock raising and general farm crops. Lands are advancing; now is the time to buy. Very low rate excursions monthly. The Mobile & Ohio has put on two through fast trains each way daily between St. Louis and Mobile. It is the shortest and quickest route to the South. An illustrated pamphlet telling all about our country will be sent free to all who wish it. Apply to P. W. Greene, general agent, No. 198 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., or to E. E. Posey, general passenger agent Mobile & Ohio R'y, Mobile, Ala.

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Why Your Back is Lame—Why it Aches and Pains, and How to Cure it.

Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe bilious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

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Berlin is preparing to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the house number.

To make the hair grow a natural color, prevent baldness, and keep the scalp healthy, Hall's Hair Renewer was invented, and has proved itself successful. 1w

The Ohio Central Mileage Ticket.

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Look up the Nose and you can see the Catarrh Irritation.

The part of the nasal passages affected by Catarrh is always the membrane of the nose, and in a common cold this can be seen to be reddened and frequently covered with mucous. This diseased surface can be so readily seen, that any inexperienced observer, in a good light, can see the diseased membrane in the nose. Later on the disease can be seen in the throat, after it has passed through the nasal passages and back and down the throat to the tonsils, which are enlarged, and the surrounding membrane is reddened and filled with little pale white elevations. This is yet uncomplicated, simple catarrh, which can be readily and surely relieved by the application of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm. If this Balm be applied to the membrane of the nose in such a quantity that it can be drawn back into the head, the whole of the diseased surface above described will be bathed with this healing ointment, and such an application repeated twice a day will speedily effect a cure, even of chronic catarrh as above described. The length of time required for the treatment of simple, uncomplicated catarrh, will vary with the stage at which the treatment is begun. A simple cold in the head, where the disease is confined to the nasal passages, will yield to treatment over night, but after the disease has extended beyond the nasal passages and into the throat, it may require from ten days to two weeks of treatment to thoroughly relieve the condition. This Balm costs but fifty cents, and can be had at any drug store, or Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio, who manufacture this remedy, will send same on receipt of price, or a small sample for a 2c. stamp. 1w

A German scientist computes that the force of a stroke of lightning represents 50,000 horse-power.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c) which always gives relief. Dec.

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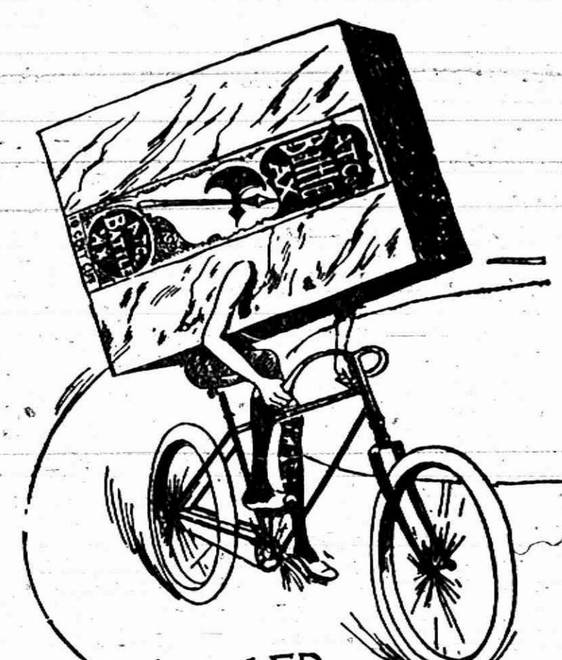

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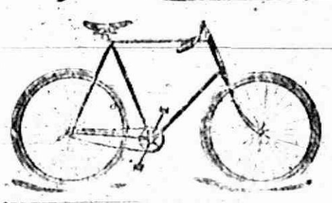

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MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed on the first day of September, A. D. 1892, by James Boyd, mortgagor, to Mary Ann Boyd, mortgagee, all those certain tracts or parcels of land situated and being in the township of Franklin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section number seven (7) of town five (5) south of range number two east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten annual instalments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, and said mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register's office in Lenawee for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 9 of Mortgages, on page 78; and whereas said mortgage contains a power of sale that in case any default be made in the payment of any of said instalments of interest or any part thereof, or in any of the covenants or agreements whereon the same is made, prior to the maturity of the whole sum thereof, as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid for the space of sixty days, then the whole sum of principal and interest shall become due and payable forthwith, and from thenceforth, that is to say, from the expiration of said sixty days, interest shall be computed upon said sum of one thousand dollars at the rate of seven per cent per annum, which said sum of one thousand dollars and interest thereon shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, be one and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage and the interest thereon, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 11-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of the same or any part thereof, notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the amount above mentioned and interest thereon, and all costs of this foreclosure and said sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, to be paid on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, Michigan, (that being the place at which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises described

Dated November 5th, 1895.

JOSEPH [illegible], Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Mortgagee.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

J. Helm's children have nearly ered from the whooping cough.

k Underwood who has been sick st two weeks is now convalescent.

Planter's Wife will be assisted e best of home talent—see cast racters.

n Hillock, of Tecumseh, was mak- d the hearts of Britton friends day last.

k Zeluff has been wrestling with ckea por. Where did you pick Frank?

y Welling is on the sick list and n at the home of his parents in sea for some days.

fail to call on the Planter's morrow evening. She holds a on at Exelby's Hall.

Andrews, the wife of our shoe- who has been quite seriously ill, on the way of recovery.

re creditably informed that Ly- ause is rather sensitive on the of baby cabs just at present.

s Hillock, who has been to Ann since spring, is with us once nd will remain through the win-

doesn't Charles Sutton pay s Smith that $4.00 seems to agi- e peace of many at the present

. Charles Germunder will furnish usical progam for the Planter's entertainment. Be sure you are t to enjoy it.

regular meeting of Hendershot K. O. T. M. will be held Tuesday g the 17th, at which time will the election of officers for the g year.

Exchange Bank is now doing bus- in its new quarters, Curtiss & store, but several marked im- ents are contemplated, which eatly enhance its appearance.

an Hause drove to Clinton and Sunday with his children there. turned Monday accompanied by wife and baby, who have been welcome guests of the Hause house- d this week.

Our entire community was shocked n the sudden and almost tragic of S. C. Stacy became known. He sts of friends in this region, and rviving members of the family he deepest sympathy of all.

J. Clark, we are pleased to an- , has recon-sidered, and will re- the custodian of the interests of abash Railway at this point. He ithful, trusty and popular agent uards carefully the interests com- d to his care.

e ladies' aid society, in connection the Christian union church, will their next meeting at the church rs, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30

Mrs. Henry Bachman's commit- ill serve tea from 5 to 6 o'clock. mber the date, Dec. 18th.

W. Lenardson returned home last morning from South Bend, Ind., ing with him the world famous ernard dog, Sir Eldred, No. 20024, only successful son of the $5,000 St. ard dog, Sir Bedivere, at one time ed by the South Bend Kennels and by them for $3,500.

donation at the Christian Union h, Wednesday evening, for the of Rev. E. Mudge, the retiring was well attended in spite of the nt weather, and a season of rare ntercourse enjoyed by all pres- last, but by no means least, the ook of the esteemed minister ed to its utmost capacity and as- aldermanic proportions.

y evening a load of Tecumseh ople enroute for the hospitable Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, were the carelessness of the driver, d to an unpleasant experience ight have proven serious, but ly did not. When in front of Lewis' store the conveyance s and the occupants landed in Miss Ida Alexander and Miss g were the only ones injured but slightly.

s a very fair prospect of Brit- felt want being supplied in future, viz. a steam flour and It will be a go if proper in- s by our citizens and the farm- unity generally are offered, will commence at once. This den opportunity and should be at once. The Marsh Bros., e erecting the mill are thor- ess men of sterling integrity. material aid.

Mudge, who has so long and y ministered to the spiritual the congregation comprising an Union Society, will preach l sermon next Sunday, and, timable wife, will leave Mon- new field of labor, which e whole state of Illinois. licit aid for a theological in- ocated at Lewistown, Ill., has received a conditional be- He will, we are sure, prove just for that work, and the best of the entire community go with ev. and Mrs. E. Mudge have themselves not only to the of the church organization m they have been connected, with whom they have come in

THE PLANTER'S WIFE.

ore our people have an oppor- witness a charming play put boards in an artistic manner ream of our local dramatic der the direction of a profes- ist, and assisted by some of ay, at Exelby Hall, to-night rrow evening, the comedy, A Wife, will be presented by wing strong cast. Frank J. rector.

CAST.

ham—A Southern planter—Con- e Captain.....Herbert Cranshaw ngston—A forger and gentleman .....Edward S. Lewis e, a Union soldier and prisoner, mb, Albert's friend in disguise, ...Arthur J. Lee ncoe—An author always on hand wanted—with songs.....Harry Jenkins otored servant .....Harvey Welling ders—Confederate soldier, W. J. Heim don—Full of mischief and in love rneon—with songs...Miss May Russell on—Genial Southern matron with to matrimony.....Miss Bertha Britton e—Edith's friend, and always in t place.....Miss Maud Lee y—The planter's wife, known as oe Merrick, the convict.....Miss Ella Exelby .....

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

T. H. Temple is in Adrian this week as juror.

The Bragg auction called out a big crowd Tuesday.

Lelia Sutton has been on the sick list during the past week.

Mrs. Mary Jackson, of Wilmington, Ill., is visiting relatives and friends here at present.

Several from here attended the Leland T. Powers lecture at Tecumseh, Tuesday evening.

J. D. Arner, who has been visiting friends in the central part of the state, arrived home Wednesday.

Mrs. Theodore Mead and son Joe, of Thare, Kansas, visited LaFayette Rappeleye and family last week.

The friends and neighbors of C. C. Smith and family gave them a surprise Tuesday night. About 60 were present.

The typo made it appear last week that John VanVleet was very sick, but such is not the case. It was Mrs. John VanVleet, who is on the gain at present.

Last Wednesday evening, at the M. E. parsonage occured the marriage of Elmer Linn and Miss Edna Swick, Rev. Cansfield officiating. All join in congratulations.

The many friends of Editor S. C. Stacy of the HERALD, feel very sad to learn of his death and extend their sympathy to the bereaved family in their sad hour.

The annual meeting of the Hall Memorial Library was held Monday afternoon. The following officers and directors were elected: Pres., T. H. Temple; Vice-pres., D. W. Loree; Sec'y, Emma Miller; Treas., W. L. Jones; Directors, J. W. Osborn, Miss Ella Hall, Mrs. W. L. Jones, R. W. Wildon, Chas. Gove, Mrs. L. Osgood, B. F. DePuy.

The ladies of the L. C. S. will give a Roast Turkey Banquet in the lecture room of the M. E. Church next week Wednesday evening, December 18, 1895. The ladies are putting forth every effort to make it a very enjoyable occasion. It is hoped that each will assist in making it a pleasant and profitable time for the society. Supper 25 cents.

Monday night, as Horace Dibble was coming to singing school just south of Charles Lowe's, he was surprised by some one trying to stop his horse, but reining the horse quickly to one side, the man failed to catch the horse. The man made an effort to grab him, just catching the sleeve of his overcoat. By this time the horse was on the run, when the assailant opened fire with a revolver firing three shots, one of which struck the back of the cutter. No clew as yet.

The following is the bill of fare that will be presented at the Roast Turkey Dinner to be given under the management of the L. C. S., at the parlors of the church at Ridgeway, Dec. 18th, from 6 to 9 p. m. The object aside from the social feature, is to furnish means to recarpet the church. The cause is a worthy one. All are cordially invited to attend:

MENU.

Roast Turkey
Brown Gravy Currant Jelly
Mashed Potatoes
Biscuit and Butter
Plum Sauce
Roast Chicken
Saratoga Chips Cucumber Pickles
Tecumseh Celery
Mince Pie Pumpkin Pie
Cakes
Green Tea Mocha Coffee

Mrs. Barlow, is under the doctor's care.

MACON MUSIC.

A very pleasant and altogether happy company of near relatives assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gilmore, in Macon, on the evening of Nov. 27, 1895, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alta Gilmore and Mr. Samuel Boyce, son of Thos. Boyce of Macon. The contracting parties are among the most highly esteemed and useful young people of our community. The presents which they received were valuable, useful and numerous. After the marriage was solemnized by Rev. J. I. Gulick, their pastor, and the congratulations of the many friends, the company sat down to partake of a feast of well prepared food, consisting of the delicacies of the season, and with good cheer, music and song, the entire evening was spent in the most enjoyable manner. Well near the midnight hour the company dispersed, with the most hearty good will to the newly married couple, and best wishes for their future prosperity and happiness.

A true Thanksgiving party assembled by invitation, on Thanksgiving day, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyce. Their youngest son Samuel Boyce, brought his young wife, and friends were there towelcome them to his father's house. The occasion was one long to be remembered by us all. The party assembled were the parents of the bridal party, brothers and sisters of the same, together with a few cousins near enough to reach the place, composing a large party for Thanksgiving day. Mrs. Boyce is noted for her hospitality, and this dinner was no exception to her former preparations. Some friends who could not attend the wedding on the evening previous, brought with them also wedding presents for the young people, who had so recently started out on life's journey together, with congratulations and best wishes. The day was all that could be desired for beauty, and all unite in wishing for the young couple that all their married life may be as the day, clear and bright to its close.

OBITUARY.

Harriott Hendershot was born in Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich., in 1837. Was married to C. E. Morgan Aug. 29, 1861. Moved with her husband to Ingham Co., Mich., in 1869, where she resided until the time of her decease, Nov. 29, 1895. She united with the Close Communion Baptist Church about 17 years since and has always been a consistent member of said church and adoring the doctrine of Christ, her Saviour. She had been a great sufferer for over a year previous to her death. She died in faith, as she had lived a life of faith in Christ. She leaves a husband and a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn her departure. Her body was brought from her home in Ingham county to the home of Mr. Crittenden, of Macon, on Saturday, Nov. 30. The funeral services were held in the Baptist church of Macon on Sunday morning, Dec 1, Rev. J. I. Gulick officiating, and the remains followed by a large number of friends to the cemetery of Macon, to be laid away in the hope of a glorious resurrection. "Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was, and the spirit to the God who gave it."

A NEW BOOK.

Sent Free to Catarrh Patients for a Short Time—A Holiday Gift.

Everybody interested in the subject of catarrh and other winter diseases will be glad to learn that The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, O., is sending, free of charge, an illustrated book of sixty-four pages on the subject of catarrh. This book contains illustrations showing the brain, the nasal passages, throat, lungs, trachea, bronchial tubes, stomach, liver, middle ear, etc. There are four full-page illustrations, showing the circulation, nervous system, glandular system and the vital organs. The book is a complete guide to the prevention and cure of chronic catarrh and all diseases of winter. Colds, coughs, consumption, dyspepsia, la grippe, bronchitis, and pneumonia are described and treated. Diseases of the kidneys, liver, lungs, ear, eyes and pelvic organs are illustrated, explained, and the treatment given. Every family ought to have a copy of this book at once. Thousands of dollars and thousands of lives can be saved by studying it and practicing what it teaches. It will teach mothers how to take care of themselves and shield their families from disease. Write name and address plainly. Be sure to have a bottle of Pe-ru-na in the house, as the cold weather is already upon us. This remedy, wisely used, will prevent colds, coughs, and other ills of cold weather, and is the greatest catarrh remedy of the age. 1w

There is said to be a fortune in store for the lucky inventor of a bottle that cannot be refilled.

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Old People.

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SCOVEL CONSIDER STACY.

Scovel Consider Stacy first saw the light of day in the house now occupied by Lucius Lilley, at the corner of Union and Pottawatamie streets, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Mich., on the 2nd day of August, 1841, and has been a resident of this village for the entire fifty-four years since that time.

His childhood was spent here attending the public schools and finally, after finishing at the old University, he entered the State University at Ann Arbor, from which he graduated in the Literary class of '64 and Law class of '66 with the highest honors. After several more years of law study and practice in Tecumseh, he formed a partnership with his father under the firm name of C. A. & S. C. Stacy, in the city of Adrian. This was continued until Nov. 1874, when, on account of the infirmity of partial deafness, he was forced to give up the practice of law, and purchased THE TECUMSEH HERALD, and for the past 21 years has conducted this establishment which gives him the distinction of being the oldest newspaper editor, in continuous service, in Lenawee county.

Last Sunday morning he was stricken with apoplexy. Medical aid and tender nursing were of no avail, and on Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock his breathing simply stopped, leaving another place vacant in an already death-stricken family.

Scovel Stacy lived much of his life for the good of the State. He was three terms Justice of the Peace; served one term of 3, and another of 12 years a member of and director of the school board, and was twice sent to the county seat to represent his town in the capacity of supervisor. In religious belief he was a Universalist, serving on the board of trustees that conducted the affairs of the Tecumseh church for many terms, and as superintendent of the Sunday school for 20 consecutive years.

It is probably safe to say, that there was not a man in Lenawee county who was personally known to so many people as the subject of this sketch, and he merited and received a kindly greeting from them all. In his private life, Mr. Stacy was a man of faultless habits and most indefatigable industry. In business he must be given the credit of the most indomitable energy and presistent endeavor, though these exertions, without fault of his, may have been sometimes misdirected. The persistence with which he pursued his plans was carried even to a degree which was often costly to success. His attainments were varied and scholarly and all contributed to a laudable professional pride which, it is within the bounds of modesty to say) always maintained his paper to the highest standard of local journalism.

Since the death of his father, the care of mother and sister devolved largely upon him and their wish was performed to the utmost of his ability. Though the pleasures of the world, as ordinarily considered, were denied him to an extent which would have embittered the whole life of more fortunate men, his disposition was cheerful to a remarkable degree, and his very misfortunes seemed to be taken direct from the hand of unwilling fate and transformed into pleasantries and smiles for those he met.

Outside the public and professional career which this sketch recites, Scovel Stacy's was an unique character inseperably identified with the history and individual life of this community, and in this respect has spoken most eloquently for itself. His faults were always forgiven by his associates and are now forgotten. Only his genial nature, bright intellect and manly virtues remain a happy and lasting remembrance.

As it is peculiarly difficult for the writer to do justice to this task, under the circumstances, we feel justified in appending the following just and beautiful tribute from the Adrian Times of Wednesday:

The death of our friend and co-worker, Scovel C. Stacy, will leave a gap that cannot readily be filled in the active business life of the thriving community [illegible] the leading scene of his life's efforts, as boy and man, for so many well spent years. And the sad tidings that the active, genial, cheery spirit that bravely assaulted and overcame obstacles which would have daunted many more favored men, has at last succumbed to the inevitable and laid aside its earthly armor, will be received with sadness by scores of sympathizing friends, not only within the limits of Lenawee county, but throughout the whole wide expanse within the boundaries of his native commonwealth.

His death makes, if we mistake not, the fourth break in a family chain that possessed many remarkable characteristics. His father, the late Judge Consider A. Stacy, was one of the most remarkable men in the annals of our local bar, and his genius and marked professional merits, gave him a reputation that placed him in the van of the many illustrious exponents of the law that lived to see their adopted scene of action burst from its territorial limitations into the power and regency of a sovereign state.

The son just taken, student, orator, jurist, journalist, was the worthy descendant of so eminent a sire. The two younger brothers, who have preceded him—both cut short, it may be said, in the early promise of a useful manhood—possessed in notable degree the mental acumen and versatility that mark almost indelibly the whole Stacy lineage—but more than all others, the senior brother seemed to have inherited the tireless activity, the intellectual tenacity and grasp, that so eminently distinguished their gifted progenitor.

Could he have continued in the profession of law, he would undoubtedly today have ranked among the ablest of our local advocates; but compelled to abandon the chosen profession of his early life, by infirmity of hearing, and leave the forum for the tripod, he followed his accepted line of duty with a conscientious appreciation of its important responsibilities.

While his unexpected taking must necessarily be a cause of regret, it brings with it the consolation that he met the unavoidable, it might be said, in the zenith of his achievement, and leaves behind a record of industry and unassuming usefulness and influence that must come as a grateful mitigation to the grief of the sorrowing mother, sister and brother.

A Captalist Preaches.

The famous S. V. White, who has for so many years been such a power in Wall Street, and has meanwhile represented his District in Congress, appears in a new role in the columns of EVERY WHERE. He delivers a lay sermon to young men and women, on the text "Keep that which is committed to thy trust;" and it is the general verdict of business men, that his remarks ought to be framed in gold, and hung in every counting room. If heeded, they would save much of the financial dishonesty which is ruining so many young men.

The other departments of the paper are up to their usual standard, which is saying a great deal. The name of the editor Will Carleton is in itself worth a whole corbs of ordinary contributors, and the three poems entitled "Bird Rhymes" in this paper are worth the whole price of subscription for one year, which is only fifty cents. Address EVERY WHERE, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A Delightful Christmas Magazine.

The Christmas Ladies' Home Journal by far surpasses, both in literary and artistic excellence, any previous issue of that popular magazine. Conspicuous among the contributors are ex-President Harrison, who gives the introductory paper of the series he is preparing upon 'This country of Ours;' Mrs. Mary Anderson de Navarro, who most interestingly tells of 'My First Appearance on the Stage;' and Mary E. Wilkins, who gives the first of 'Neighborhoods Types' papers. Rudyard Kipling's latest and best romance, 'William the Conqueror' (richly illustrated by W. L. Taylor,) is begun in the Christmas Journal, as is Julia Magruder's new novelette, 'The Violet,' which Charles Dana Gibson has illustrated, while Mrs. Burton Harrison's fascinating story, 'The Holiday Dance at Worrosquoyacke,' pictures by W. T. Smedley's delightfully conceived. James Whitcomb Riley's tenderly reminiscent poem, 'At the Gate' (superbly illustrated A. B. Frost,) and Kate Greenway's winsome dainty little people, are two page features of the December Journal. Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney in a 'Friendly Letter to Girl Friends" sharply criticises society for what it is, and shows its true mission or purpose, and a fitting page-mate to it is Lilian Bell's caustic analysis of 'The Man Under Thirty-five,' a brilliantly-witty paper. By the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar per year; ten cents per copy.

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The Barber's Question.

Old Mack is a messenger in one of the departments, has a good record as a soldier and for several years has been a [illegible] of the government. Like many of the war veterans, he can draw the long bow when occasion requires. He was cut in a terrible North Dakota blizzard once on a time, and when he recovered from the effects of the severe freeze, he was minus a small portion of each ear, and sometimes he gets very tired of the question his "ear marks" bring out. Not long ago he was in a barber shop down town having his hair cut, and the tonsorial artist had his curiosity aroused. "How did you lose part of your ear?" questioned the barber, as he was working the shears along carefully on the starboard side of Mack's head.

"Lost that under Grant in the Wilderness," Mack said, with a sober face.

Pretty soon the shears were snipping on the other side, and another section of ear was disclosed missing.

"Hello! How did you lose this one!" the hairdresser asked, standing off and viewing his workmanship.

"Lost that one under Napoleon at Marengo," was the imperturbable response.

The barber was silenced for awhile, but when he had received his fee, and was shaking out his cloth, he startled the old gentleman, who had put on his hat and had his hand on the doorknob, with:

"Did you lose anything when you were under Noah in the ark?"—Washington Star.

When Birds Are Frightened.

As the balloon neared Petersfield we entered a dense bank of clouds and ran in them for some three miles, emerging over the chalk downs and skimming about 150 feet over a windmill. Passing over a large rabbit warren, it was amusing to witness the alarm of the bunnies as they dived into their burrows, which from above presented the appearance of hundreds of circular black spots.

Balloons have a terrifying effect on all birds. As one passes over a farmyard there is always a regular stampede of the fowls under cover, while ducks dash into the ponds and dive frantically to avoid the supposed danger. The effect of the diving is most absurd, as seen from above, for often, owing to the transparency of the water, the violent efforts of the ducks to hide themselves are plainly visible. Wild birds, especially game, are also much perturbed at the sight of the balloon, pheasants crowing loudly and running off, while partridges which have been flushed drop like stones into a neighboring hedgerow. Sheep also seem much alarmed, but cattle and horses appear to take no interest in the matter.—Macmillan's Magazine.

Drydocked on an Iceberg.

The strange experience of being drydocked on an iceberg is told of by Captain Chester of a Pacific coast fishing schooner. He says that he made fast to a big berg which was stranded off the coast of Alaska for the purpose of replenishing his stock of ice, and after getting some 30 tons of it on board, the berg suddenly careened over to the side opposite that on which the schooner was made fast, and lifted her high and dry out of water, held fast in a groove. The men took the boats and went to a safe distance to watch the proceedings. The berg gradually settled more and more, lifting the schooner higher and higher, until her anchor cable caught the strain. Then, as the end of the berg went up, the anchor held and pulled the schooner off, bows first and unharmed. The rest of the ice was loaded by boats, and the schooner kept clear of the berg.

Intelligent Children.

A boy was told to construe "orationem fecit," or some such phrase, by "made a harangue." He did as he was told, but stared so that his teacher said: "Why, you know what a harangue is, don't you?" The boy said he thought it was a kind of monkey; on which the teacher stared, too, till "orang outang" came into his head.

I once asked a class why Adam and Eve were not ashamed when they were naked in paradise. I wanted, of course, some form of the theological answer that shame comes from sin, but all I got was: "Please, sir, there wasn't nobody to look at 'em!" in a tone as if the child who answered was thinking, "How can you ask such a silly question?"—Notes and Queries.

A Privilege of the Sex.

This story, told by a minister whose chapel is in the lower part of the city, gives a keen insight into one form of human nature.

"I once officiated at a funeral," he said, "of a comparatively young man, whose widow seemed utterly inconsolable. I tried to comfort her, but she sobbed out that she had got to be a poor lone widow all her life.

"After the burial the widow called me aside. 'Parson,' she said hesitatingly, 'I hope you won't say anything about my telling you that I should live a poor lone widow all my life, for I may change my mind.' "—Philadelphia Call.

A Superior Woman.

"She really is a very superior woman."

"Indeed! Is she a good speaker?"

"Oh, no. I don't believe she ever made a public speech."

"Writes, possibly?"

"I never heard of it if she does."

"What makes her superior to other women, then?"

"She can cook."—Washington Post.

Hare Superstitions.

In most parts of Europe it is considered unlucky for a hare to cross the road in front of a traveler. Among the Romans this omen was so unfortunate that if a man starting upon a journey espied a hare on the road before him he would return and wait until the following day to begin his journey.

FORGETMENOT.

There she sat, the poor, demented girl, on one of the stone benches that adorned the [illegible] of the great asylum for the insane.

Young she was and beautiful—beautiful in spite of the pallor of her cheek and brow. Her hair was golden and hung in tangled masses about her shoulders. Her eyes, blue as the sky above her, were bedimmed with tears that dropped one by one on a bunch of forgetmenots which she was holding in her hands and on which her gaze was fastened.

A mingled feeling of pity and curiosity took possession of me. "Who is she!" "Why does she grieve?" "Why is she here!"

"Ask her yourself," said the keeper who had thus far accompanied me, and I approached her.

At the sound of my footsteps she started and shrunk to one side, as one who expects punishment, but when she ventured to look at me all fear and grief seemed to pass from her face, and with a look of hope and happiness she said, with a smile:

"I know. You have come for me. You have come to rescue me from a pain that is slowly, slowly killing me. Oh, you are so good, so kind! And, you see, I must leave here today—now, for I must be there tonight."

"Where?" I asked in a voice trembling with compassion.

"Where!" she repeated, with a wondering look from those heavenly blue eyes. "Where but with him?"

"With him?"

"Daniel—Robert Daniel. Oh, but you know."

"Nay, but I do not know. Tell me who is Daniel. Your husband, your lover perhaps?"

"Oh, no." There was a look of sweet innocence on her face. "Not my lover, surely, for he belongs to Joanna."

"Joanna?" I repeated, astonished.

"Yes," she gently replied, "not mine."

"And he expects you to come to him?"

"Yes, for six long months has he been waiting for me day by day."

"And where does he wait for you?"

"At the Pere La Chaise, that's where he is. And do you not know that he is dead? And his grave; have you not seen it? Oh, it is so white and beautiful, and so restful. His name on the marble shaft, and on it stands the marble urn from which the little birds drink when the water has gathered in it after a rain. They flutter round and round it and sing and sing, and that is beautiful—oh, so beautiful! Ah, but you have not been there and you cannot understand. I see you, too, believe that all is over when one dies. But it is not so. After death you live and think and hear and feel. You smile and shake your head. You do not know. You have never put your ear close to a grave and listened. I did not know until that night came—that night! They had put flowers on his grave, so many, so many, and they were white as snow and shining, shining. They drew me nearer and nearer, and I put my hands into them, and my head rested for a moment against the cool marble shaft, when—do not laugh at me—I heard a murmur, a soft singing, a voice that reached me at last and softly spoke to me. 'Joanna, is it you?' All fear passed from me. I read his name on the stone shaft: 'Daniel Robert, aged 20,' and understood at once. He who spoke then was calling for her he loved, and is there not a saying that love's fire burns fiercest at the age of 20? She whom he called Joanna had sworn to visit him after death, and she had broken her promise. But he waited and waited and whenever he heard steps above him he longingly called, 'Joanna, is it you?' Oh, the pity of it. No one ever heard; no one ever answered. But I, I could not leave him there alone. I answered him, and I lied to him, for I said, 'It is I, Joanna.' Was I wrong in doing that? Yet he did not know, he believed it to be his Joanna, who had come to him at last. And he spoke to me in a language I had never heard before. He told me of the happiness of love; of those bygone moments of bliss, of the cup of delight that only lovers are allowed to taste of, and I answered him as Joanna would have answered, for how could I tell him the truth and break his heart, when he was so alone down, down in the cold earth.

"And so I came again, day by day, and sat above him and listened to his words of love and happiness. But one day we were parted. The stillness around me was broken by the footsteps of many people, and I felt that they had come to take me away. I put my arms about the pillar with his name and cried aloud in the anguish of my heart, but they were stronger than I, and they tore me away from his grave and brought me here. And they are so cruel, for they will not let me go to him, and I know that he is waiting for me and counting the hours, the days, until I return."

With a lowery of despair she had flung herself at my feet, pleading, "Oh, take me to him, take me to him, or he will have to die out there alone without me!"

"My child," I said as gently as I could, "I cannot take you with me. I cannot help you."

The terrible helplessness and misery expressed in her face actually startled me. Still I felt forced to repeat, "My poor child, I cannot help you."

"Then all is over, and I shall see him nevermore." And in a paroxysm of grief she fell sobbing on the stone bench, still tightly holding the little bunch of forgetmenots in her right hand. Suddenly her sobbing ceased, and rising she addressed me, speaking hurriedly:

"Ah, very well. I cannot go, but you will go in my place. Take these forgetmenots and go to the Pere La Chaise. You will soon find his grave with his name engraved on the marble pillar, and the urn above it. And when you have found it you will place these flowers on it and say to him, 'Joanna sends these forgetmenots.' You will do this for me?"

"I will."

"I thank you, oh, I thank you!" And after tenderly kissing the little bunch of flowers she handed them to me.

I left her and went—at the risk of being laughed at, I will tell the truth—I went to Pere La Chaise and walked among the graves until I had found it, her grave with the marble shaft, and "Daniel Robert" engraved on it, and the urn above, around which the little birds fly and sing.

And I reverently laid the forgetmenots on his grave, and bowing low my head I whispered, "Joanna sends these forgetmenots."

A long, deep drawn sigh answered me. Had he heard my message, or had I sighed myself? I know not.—From the French For Washington Post.

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TAX NOTICE—I will be at the following places to receive taxes during the month of December, 1895: John Wills Sun Wednesday, Dec. 11; P. Smith's store, Ridgeway Thursdays, Dec. 12 19 and 26; Curtis & Lloyd's store, Britton, Fridays, Dec 13, 20 and 27; H. H. Atwell's, Tuesday Dec 24.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 12, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Guy Bros. at Sutton's opera house, Thursday, Dec. 19.

W. P. McAdam spent Sunday with his father at Clinton.

Coming, Thursday, Dec. 19, Guy Bros. minstrels. The finest that travel.

Mrs. Will P. McAdam and child are visiting her parents at Manchester.

The Armory skating rink will be opened Saturday night. Good music in attendance.

Ice houses around town are being filled this week with a very superior quality of fine clear ice.

The Armory skating rink will be in full blast every Wednesday and Saturday nights till further notice.

Special meeting No. 42, R. A. M., for work, Wednesday evening, Dec. 18. All companions are requested to be present.

The funeral of S. C. Stacy was conducted from the house this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. C. Andrus, officiating.

Miss Ida M. Jones leaves tomorrow for her home at St. Clair, Mich. Miss Jones will be missed by a large circle of friends.

Mr. Milo A. Stocking, of Illinois, and Miss Lillian G. Beebe, of Tipton, were married in Tecumseh by Rev. E. C. Andrus last week Tuesday.

Mrs. Williamson and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors, Wednesday, Dec. 18 from 5 to 6:30 o'clock, to which all are invited.

Early this morning occured the death of Miss Flory A. Chase, after a lingering illness of many months. The funeral will be held at the house Sunday at 2:30.

H. W. McClure has sold out his grocery to Mobs & Co., who have taken possession and are open for business. Look out for their announcement next week.

Subjects for Sunday, Dec. 15th, at the Universalist church: Morning—"The Lord is my Shepard;" Ps. 23: 1. Evening—The Religion of Conversation. Y. P. C. U. Devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Last Sunday morning as Mrs. Horace Weller started for church, she had the misfortune to slip on the icy steps at her residence, falling in such a manner as to fracture her left arm just above the wrist.

The Guy Brothers' minstrels are one of the best on the road to-day. No slang, no vulgarity, the latest jokes, the newest songs, fine scenery. Don't fail to see them at Sutton's opera house, Thursday evening, Dec. 19.

Albert Aylsworth, licensed auctioneer, of Clinton, has a new card in our business column. Mr. Aylsworth is a very successful salesman and the farmers of Franklin, Cambridge, etc. will do well to secure him for auction sales. Dates made at this office.

The reports from the cantata, given by the Episcopal ladies of Clinton last Wednesday night, are very flattering [illegible] The work done by the young ladies was excellent. As the attendence was small on account of the terrible weather the cantata will be be repeated at the request of many on next Wednesday, Dec. 18.

The Clinton Independent, of St. Johns, Mich., gives a full account of the 50th annual reunion of the Martha Osgood family, held at the home of Lester Osgood, near Ridgeway, last Thanksgiving. Martha Osgood, now 88 years old, came to Ridgeway with six children 50 years ago last fall and made a home for her family in the wilderness. Every year since that time the annual reunion has been faithfully observed by the family.

Wednesday the new Knights of Pythias Lodge, which was organized last week, was instituted and the new officers were duly installed as follows:
Past Chancellors—Jas. T. McKinney, Robt. Quackenbush, J. P. Keyser, Thos. Adamson.
Chancellor Commander—B. P. Anderson.
Vice Chancelor—Jas. Elliott.
Prelate—Jehiel Davidson.
Master of Work—M. L. Root.
Keeper of Records and Seal—W. J. Ingersoll.
Master of Finance—W. H. Hayden.
Treasurer—N. Sisson.
Master at Arms—J. C. Haslett.
Inner Guard—J. C. Mahaney.
Outer Guard—Wm. Orr.
Trustees, 1 yr.—T. R. Kyle.
" 2 " —R. A. Heesen.
" 3 " —Elsworth Cairns.

Remember the cantata to-night.

Seventy young people in the cantata.

Cantata at the opera house to-night, 10 and 15 cents.

The Junior League entertainment last Monday evening cleared about $15.

We are in receipt of the beautiful '96 calendar sent out by the Youth's Companion.

Only 15cts admission to hear Dept. Comd. Daball lecture upon the capture of Fort Fisher.

The Blue Lodge F. & A. M. hold a special meeting to-night for work in the first degree.

Geo. Williamson, of Brooklyn, N. Y. is spending a few days with his brother, Ed. Williamson.

Miss Edna Warren returned to Blissfield Wednesday after a three days' visit with her uncle here.

Fred Burrell, who has been visiting in Detroit, has accepted a position in a dry goods store in that city.

If you have not already secured your Christmas gifts, wait for the ladies sale on Thursday afternoon, 19th, at Mr. Geo. Heesen's vacant store. Open at two o'clock.

Drs. Jenkins and North attended the meeting of the Tri-State Medical Association held at Toledo Tuesday of this week. Dr. Jenkins read a paper before that body.

The G. A. R. boys expect to see the opera house crowded to hear their Commander in Chief of Michigan lecture upon the Capture of Fort Fisher, at the Opera House, Dec, 20, 1895.

Burt Rogers, agent for the celebrated Monroe nursery stock of I. E. Ilgenfritz & Sons, is again canvassing about here. Orders placed with this house are sure to be satisfactory.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in Dundee Tp., Dec. 4, 1895, by Rev. J. N. Boyer, Mr. Charles Jeramay, of Deerfield, and Miss Albertine Holmes, of Petersburg.

B. F. Baxter went to Toledo Wednesday and from there to Battle Creek. Mrs. L. F. Selfridge leaves to-morrow for Chicago and Mrs. M. J. Kellogg for Jackson, where they spend the Christmas season.

Albert Comfort and Miss Metta McBride attended the funeral of little Roy Wilson, at Detroit, Tuesday afternoon. The sufferer, whose continued sickness has been watched by sympathizing friends of the family here, passed away last Saturday.

The 'Order of Lincoln,' an organization for fraternal purposes and having for its prime object the propagation of the memory and history of the great patriot, has been organized at Indianapolis. Witter F. Baxter is Supreme Secretary of State and was one of the organizers of the society.

A. H. Cross, of Lyons, Mich., editor of the Sunday School Advocate and Lyons Herald was a caller on the HERALD Tuesday. Mr. Cross is the youngest editor in the state and manages his two papers with success besides doing much outside work among our Sunday schools and Christian societies.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will hold their annual entertainment at the vacant store of Mr. Geo. Heesen, on the afternoon and evening of Thursday, Dec. 19th. They will have fancy articles for sale, home-made candy, bread, cake, etc., and a nice supper will be served from half past five to seven p. m.

About 80 young people of Tecumseh consisting of members of the Christian Endeavor society and their friends were entertained at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Smith, at Britton, last Monday evening, at the invitation of Miss Lulu Jones. To say that the sleigh ride and party were enjoyable is stating it mildly. 45

Early Wednesday morning Ernest Rowaldt, who lives on the corner beyond the race track, discovered that his house was on fire. The fire originated in the upper story and when first noticed had gained sufficient headway to be beyond control. Part of the household goods were saved, the house being entirely consumed. The origin of the fire is unknown. Insurance $650 in the Phoenix of Hartford.

The Lake View Herald, says: The audience that listened to Judge Daball was very enthusiastic over the rich treat, giving the speaker the closest attention through his discription in the stormy scenes in which he took part. All the audience declared it to have been the most graphic and interesting lecture ever given in the city. The story of the battle of Fort Fisher was eloquently told so that any one could understand and appreciate it as well as the old veterans. Very many have expressed a desire to have the lecture repeated.

Lieut. A. W. Slayton, the retiring adjutant of Beers Post, had a birth-day last Monday, and he was thinking all day that the family had forgotten it as no mention was made of it, but such was not a fact. In the evening, on answering the door bell he found the Commander, Sir Vice and four ex-commanders, chaplin, post surgeon and a lot of other G. A. R's at the door invited to spend the evening by Mrs. Slayton. To say that Gus was surprised would be putting it mild, he says he was never more so. At the supper table he was presented by the boys with a beautiful ink fountain which will always be cherished by the owner. The party was lacking in the gentler sex but not in fun and a merry time.

Do not fail to hear the lecture of Judge Daball, Dec. 20. Admission 15c. Ten cents extra for reserved seats.

The HERALD acknowledges the receipt of 'The President's Report to the Board of Regents' from President Angell, of the University.

Mr. and Mrs. James Potter had a very pleasant surprise sprung upon them last Monday evening, about fifty were present. It was their 20th anniversary.

Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Tecumseh State Savings Bank was held on Tuesday, Dec. 10, at which time the following officers and directors were elected.

Pres.—C. A. Slayton.
Vice Pres.—B. C. Knapp.
Cashier—J. H. Smith.
Asst. Cashier—Geo. W. Knapp.

DIRECTORS.

J. D. Shull, C. A. Slayton, Joseph Russell, D. C. Larned, H. W. Conkling, Geo. W. Knapp, A. D. Gilmore, C. R. Miller, B. C. Knapp.

The bank has made a very favorable showing the past year, declaring a dividend to stockholders of 7 per cent and placing $500 to surplus fund. It is certainly a good showing. It is a good investment for the stockholders and must be appreciated by the people. The business has increased steadily since its organization. The savings department is a great advantage and with the careful management which is given it by its directors it is sure of success. It is a matter of compliment to the management and satisfaction to our business men to note that this showing has been made in the face of very hard times and a well founded lack of confidence which previous failures had produced.

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—Come into the Novelty Store and see what we are giving away with holiday purchases. t f

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—A second hand piano in good repair, for sale at Jas. Montague's.

—See our new lines and specialties in fancy china ware at Montague's Novelty store.

—Shingles are going up to the roofs and prices are going down at A. W Slayton's.

—See those fancy granite Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—TAFFY TAFFY TAFFY—

—The City Bakery is the place to get your taffy, fresh every day. We make it ourselves, and warrant it to be as good as made and sell it at wholesale and retail prices.

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—One of the largest assortments of holiday novelties ever brought to Tecumseh, just received at Montague's Novelty Store.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Nickel plated copper Tea Kettles, Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—To save money on dress goods, coats, capes, jackets, underwear, hosiery, gloves, mittens, boots, shoes, rubbers, felts, etc., come and see us.
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—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Of course you know Harris & Hiteshu are agents for the E. Stout snag-proof rubbers, the best rubber on earth.

—Sleds, skates and boy's wagons at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—For the finest laundry work in Tecumseh call at the Globe Laundry.
HARRING & BENNETT.

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Have you called to see Harris & Hiteshu's cloak room?

—Fur and plush robes, blankets, whips and sleigh bells at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work.
JOHN BARKWELL

Cab Fares In Europe.

I found cab hire cheapest, by municipal regulation, in Naples, where 70 centimes, or 14 cents, transports you between two city points. Fourteen cents acquits, but 14 cents does not satisfy. It is not easy in Italy to give pecuniary satisfaction to both parties to a bargain. The Neapolitan cab, like the Parisian, like others that I remember on the continent, is four wheeled, and in the case of Naples high and uncomfortable. In Rome the tariff for a single run is 60 centimes, or 16 cents, none too high, it seems to me. Berlin differentiates its cabs, assorting them in classes, first and second, and distinguishing them by the color of their drivers' coats and collars and also in the cabs' outfits. So the minimum charge in Berlin for a first class cab is 1 mark, or 24 cents, and for a second class 60 pfennigs, or about 15 cents.

In Germany only did I find a perambulating court of appeals as an organic part of the public cab service. To step into some of the German cabs and behold a cyclometrical register ready to record your distance as unerringly and conclusively as the flight of time by a $200 watch is to know a sweet content that the avaricious native rarely lets the American tourist in the old world long enjoy. What the register says goes. No hold ups, no disputation, no incomprehensible jargon, no American eagle, no black eyes. Great civilizer that.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Has Blacklisted Insanity.

The following story is told of John Brennan of Stevens Point as a criminal lawyer. The story goes that a farmer who had killed his wife in the northern part of the state sent for Mr. Brennan to defend him, offering to deed him his farm if he would take the case. Brennan wanted his pay in advance, and so the farmer made over the property to him. The murder was a most brutal and cold blooded one, and Brennan knew that there was but one plea that might save his client from a life sentence, and that was insanity. The trial was one of the fiercest ever fought in a Wisconsin court. The attorney for the defense occupied a whole day in his closing address to the jury, and the effort was a masterly one. The jury found the man insane, and he was sent to Oshkosh. Once there he improved rapidly and in a few weeks was discharged. His first act was to sue Brennan for the recovery of his proprety, on the ground that he was insane at the time he deeded it. In the fact of his own argument that the man was insane Brennan could do nothing, and the farmer won his case. Brennan has blacklisted 'insanity as a defense for murderers. — Milwaukee Journal.

One Way of Arousing Lodgers.

Umpire Bill Hays of the Windsor has invented a new system of calling sleepy guests. Its very simplicity is its supreme attraction.

The other night a newspaper man went to the Windsor, and being desirous of being called at an early hour left instructions with Umpire Hays to do the work. Satisfied that everything would be lovely, the scribe retired and slept. Early the next morning the newspaper man was disturbed by a lively tattoo upon the door.

"Well?" he demanded sharply.

"I've got an important message for you," said the bellboy outside.

Yawning until he sprained his face, the scribe jumped out of bed, toddled across the floor and opened the door. The bellboy handed him an envelope and then went away. The newspaper man opened the envelope and found therein a slip of paper bearing the following:

"Why don't you get up?"—St. Paul Dispatch.

A Remedy For a Cold.

At the beginning of a cold it is very good to put the feet in a capsicum footbath, wetting the head and face well with cold water. At the end of ten minutes rub the knees down with cold water and dry thoroughly. A housekeeper can easily prepare this tincture of capsicum herself. To one quart of vinegar add one quarter of a pound of red pepper, boil slowly for 15 minutes and bottle for use. Add two teaspoonfuls to one bath.

When there is danger of a cold settling on the lungs, make a lotion of one part peppermint oil and two parts of kerosene oil. Paint the parts where the pain is located with this lotion. Lay a fold of flannel over and apply a hot water bag for 10 or 15 minutes. This remedy is especially good for pain in the back of the head and neck, soreness, tightness of the chest between the shoulders.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Funereal Heart.

I attended a funeral in a Danish village recently. The sexton of the village church, who, as is customary in those parts, was also the village schoolmaster, and whose wardrobe was limited, presented himself in black frock coat and trousers and a vest of homespun material, red of color and with big silver buttons, such as one could see the peasants wear 30 years ago.

The minister reproved him for not wearing a more somber colored vest. "Dominie," said the good old schoolmaster, "what difference does it make that my vest is red? I assure you my heart is black."—New York Herald.

How to Address the Prince.

The Prince of Wales likes to be addressed as "sir," and not "your royal highness." To a journalist who had occasion recently to see the prince on a matter pertaining to yachting he promptly remarked: "Please address me as 'sir.' It saves time, and I prefer it."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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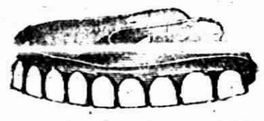

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FEATHERED THEIR NESTS.

Ex-Officials of a Michigan County Accused of Crooked Work.

Roscommon, Mich., Dec. 11.—The people of the township and county were amazed Monday night when it was learned that ex-Treasurer R. C. Huntley, ex-Highway Commissioner N. T. McDonald and Alexander Robinson, ex-clerk, were under arrest on charges which allege the defrauding of the county of large sums of money and that ex-Supervisor William Finney was supposed to be a fugitive from justice. The men, while in office, it is charged, issued bogus township orders on the highway commissioner and made them payable to themselves, scattering the orders all over the country. The amount of the alleged fraudulent transactions will reach $50,000. The fraud was made possible, as alleged by the accusers, by burning the schoolhouse in which the original orders and stub-books were kept.

INSANE TERROR CAPTURED

Charles Turnblade, of Carney, Will Go to the Asylum.

Menominee, Dec. 10.—Charles Turnblade, a bachelor homesteader living near Carney, on the line of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, and who has been a terror to the inhabitants there for some time past by reason of his ugly disposition, backed by a musket and a scythe blade sharpened to a point and fitted to the hand like a sword, was captured Sunday by Sheriff Antrup and a number of deputies after a fierce battle, in which the sheriff narrowly escaped being shot and one of the deputies was badly slashed by the mad man about the body, head and face. He was finally overpowered and brought to this city, where an examination as to his sanity was made. He will be sent to the asylum at Newberry.

MICHIGAN DAY.

Residents of the Wolverine State Visit the Show at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 10.—Monday was Michigan day at the exposition and about 300 members of the Detroit chamber of commerce and Detroit Manufacturers' club came to represent the state. They left Friday afternoon and stopped at Cincinnati and Chattanooga on the way. At Cincinnati they were tendered a reception. They arrived at Atlanta Monday morning and assembled in the auditorium at the exposition at noon. President Collier presided and delivered an address of welcome. President J. H. Howarth, president of the Detroit chamber of commerce, responded in behalf of Michigan.

SILVER NEAR SAGINAW.

Valuable Vein Reported to Have Been Discovered in Michigan.

Saginaw, Dec. 11.—A valuable vein of silver is said to have been discovered in Thomastown, eight miles from Saginaw. Capitalists began operations last fall, and although cold weather has prevented anything further being done till spring, they claim to have struck it rich. They are obtaining options on land in the vicinity. The shaft where work was begun is covered by a huge tent, so that the exact discoveries may be kept secret.

Died in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 11. Ezra Bostwick, of Union City, Mich., a millionaire and philanthropist, died Tuesday afternoon in the Presbyterian hospital in this city, where he was undergoing treatment. He was 69 years old and had lived in Michigan since 1846. He was president of the Union City national bank, and was a member of the Michigan legislature in 1869 and 1870. Eight years ago he donated $100,000 to Albion college and five years ago he gave $50,000 to Olivet college. He also donated largely to religious societies.

To Vote on Local Option.

Niles, Dec. 9.—Van Buren county will soon hold an election upon the local-option question. This law has been in operation in that county for the last three years, and during that time nearly 50 liquor dealers have been arrested and heavily fined or sent to prison. It is the only county in Michigan that has been able to successfully prohibit the sale of liquor within its borders by means of the local-option law, and the people are so well satisfied there is small chance of the law being repealed at the coming election.

Bad Fire at Allegan.

Allegan, Dec. 6.—The Chaffee block, the largest business structure in the town, burned Monday morning. The loss is estimated at $120,000; partially insured. The first floors were occupied by stores and the second and third by a number of families. Two firemen were badly burned about the head, and one woman was rescued in a critical condition.

Wants Their Property.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—When the state fair located here Lansing people donated $20,000 for grounds, etc., on condition that the property revert to the donors if the fair was not held in Lansing. The donors now want the property back again and will sue the society.

Given a Verdict for $10,000.

Hillsdale, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Kate Fowler, of Reading, was given a verdict of $10,000 against her father-in-law, Col. Frederick Fowler, for defamation of character. Col. Fowler is an ex-state senator and one of the wealthiest men in Hillsdale county.

Sued for Libel.

Detroit, Dec. 7.—Police Commissioner Harry Chipman has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Rev. R. J. Service, pastor of the Trumbull avenue Presbyterian church, on a charge of criminal libel. The case is based upon his utterances in a recent sermon.

Burned to a Crisp

Bay City, Dec. 9.—At 7:30 Friday evening Al Sisho's hotel barn in West Bay City was destroyed by fire. Samuel Sponseller, aged 50 years, an old soldier, and a member of an Ohio odd fellow lodge, employed as hostler, was burned to a crisp.

FULL OF INTEREST.

Much Information to Be Found in the Paragraphs Below.

The new directory of Manistee shows a population of 15,759.

A new post office has been established at Rawsonville, Wayne county.

Martin Byers, aged 94, long a resident of Berrien county, is dead at Benton Harbor.

Sanford S. Perkins, aged 65, a former member of the Michigan legislature, died at Saginaw.

W. M. Bennett, the pioneer dry-goods dealer of central Michigan, died at his home in Jackson, aged 73.

The Southern Michigan hotel at Coldwater has been sold to A. D. Millham, of Union City, for $32,500.

In many parts of the state rabbits are reported as being very scarce as compared with previous years.

Jacob Vanry, of Holland, who shot his wife and himself, has died of his wounds. His wife will recover.

Dr. A. J. Hobart, who was surgeon during the war for the First Michigan infantry, died at Clinton, Ia., aged 67 years.

Edwin R. Powell, one of the oldest publishers in the state and owner of the Herald in Stanton, died recently aged 74.

Frank Stevenson, a suspected horse thief, was arrested at Concord in possession of a span of mules stolen at Charlotte.

Berrien county's new court house at St. Joseph will be ready for occupancy on the first day of the new year. It is a magnificent structure.

Mrs. Maria S. Conant, mother of ex-Secretary of State Harry A. Conant, and one of the oldest residents of Monroe, is dead, aged 91 years.

Suits which will aggregate $500,000 will be begun in concert immediately by relations of the 30 men who perished in the Osceola mine fire September 7.

Mike Savant, alias Mike Sullivan, an Italian, who murdered Matti Boulander at Bessemer, and escaped from jail at the latter place, was captured at Dexter.

At Gaylord William Abernathy, aged 27 years, general assistant at the Michigan Central railroad depot, fell from the top of a moving freight car and was instantly killed.

Allen M. Thompson, a farmer of Mottville, has been held to the circuit court in bonds of $1,000 on a charge of attempting to destroy Dr. Sweetland's office with dynamite.

Jacob Flack, a mining man, has discovered a rich deposit of hematite ore near the Salisbury mine. He has had a very flattering offer for his option. He refused to sell, however.

The directors of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad have decided to join the new traffic association and named D. S. Gray as its representative on the board of managers. The new association will date from January 1.

WOULDN'T PAY HER FINE.

Mrs. Root, of St. Joseph, Prefers to Spend Two Months in Jail.

St. Joseph, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Mary E. Root, who is worth $20,000, recently had some trouble with one of her woman tenants and struck her. She was arrested and found guilty of assault and battery, but she appealed the case to the circuit court, where the justice court verdict was sustained. A day was set for sentence, but she failed to appear, and a bench warrant was issued. She was fined $15 and costs, amounting to $65, or two months in jail. To the surprise of her friends she took the jail sentence. Mrs. Root has considerable property, but she could not be persuaded to pay the fine.

Ex-Mayor of Jackson Dead.

Jackson, Dec. 5.—Hon. H. A. Hayden died suddenly Wednesday afternoon of apoplexy. Mr. Hayden was born in Otsego county, N. Y., March 28, 1817. He came to Jackson in 1838, in connection with the Michigan Central railroad, which was being constructed through this section at that time, and was the first station agent of that railroad in Jackson. At the time of his death he was a member of the board of directors of the People's national bank. In 1874 and 1876 Mr. Hayden was mayor of this city.

A Skater Drowned.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 10.—Three boys broke through the ice in the river while skating, and one of them, Elmer Thoril, aged 14, was drowned. A second was rescued by his companions with much difficulty, and the third boy, [illegible] years of age, was rescued by a Dr. Edger, who dove to the bottom of the river and brought up the lad after he had gone down for the last time.

Cheap Telephones at Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 6.—The Michigan Telephone company has announced a rate of $30 a year for offices and $20 for residences. One year ago the rate was $48 and $36 for the same service. Local capitalists established a company and secured 300 subscribers at $36 and $24 for offices and residences and recently began operations, having nearly all their lines up. The new company will probably meet the cut.

Ionia Township Must Settle.

Ionia, Dec. 7.—The Fredonia Ross damage suit against Ionia township resulted in a verdict of $900 for the plaintiff in the circuit court. A horse driven by Mrs. Ross became frightened and backed off Prairie creek bridge, and the suit followed. It was decided in favor of the township, went to the supreme court and was sent back for a new trial.

Peculiar Cause of Death.

Niles, Mich., Dec. 11.—John Vorgan, of Lawton, was leading a cow to pasture when he stumbled and fell upon the stumps of some blackberry bushes. One of the canes penetrated his brain, causing instant death.

State Judges to Meet.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 11.—The annual meeting of the state judges' association will be held in this city December 26, and quite elaborate preparations are being made for the magistrates.

MISLED AS TO EMPLOYMENT.

Workingmen Are Sent to Marquette, Where They Become Public Charges.

Marquette, Dec. 9.—Men are flocking here from Minneapolis, Duluth and other large cities to work on the new railroad, and as the contractors are not yet prepared to put on full forces many of them are unable to get work. Very few of the men who are coming in have money and as a consequence they are suffering no little hardships. This city, as well as Ishpeming and Negaunee, is full of men who came on expecting to get work on the road at once, and are now waiting till it can be given them, without money to pay their way. The city jails are filled with them every night, as they are unable to procure shelter elsewhere, and they have to beg what they eat. Employment agencies are evidently at work sending men here. It is folly for men to come here unless they have absolute assurance of work, as they will have little chance of getting work until the contractors are prepared to put on full forces.

LABOR MEN MEET.

Michigan Federation Adopts a Number of Resolutions.

Saginaw, Dec. 6.—At the session of the Michigan Federation of Labor Thursday it was decided to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor; to indorse the submission of municipal franchises to the people; an eight-hour day; government ownership of telegraph lines and the bakers' and united garment workers' labels. Resolutions for a universal label and a closer alliance with the Liquor Dealers' association were passed. The following officers were elected.

President, L. E. Tassey, Detroit; first vice president, W. J. Hardy, Saginaw; second vice president, John Doane, Muskegon; third vice president, Jesse Radford, Bay City; secretary and treasurer, William Crewe, Grand Rapids; legislative committee, Charles O. Brice, Detroit; A. H. Mix, Saginaw; A. Behrendt, Lansing; Charles Carpenter, Grand Rapids; William E. Gardiner, Saginaw.

COLONY A FAILURE.

Community on the Bellamy Plan in This State Will Disband.

Manistique, Dec. 7.—The Hiawatha cooperative colony, organized by Walter Thomas Mills, on the Bellamy plan, a year ago, has proved a failure and will soon disband. Directors will soon meet to divide the property. The colony started out with glowing prospects. A village was started, fertile farms were tilled, little factories operated, public libraries and literary societies were organized, and peace and plenty seemed to prevail. Gradually, however, members began to feel dissatisfied. They did not like the idea of ten per cent. of the stock they subscribed and ten per cent. of the products going to the Mills Industrial Christian union. It is reported that Mills will organize another colony.

Will Dig a Big Ditch.

Lansing, Dec. 10. — Arrangements have been completed for the construction of the largest drain in central Michigan by the county drain commissioners of Ingham and Shiawassee. It is to be nine miles in length and will be located in Locke, Perry and Woodhull townships. The drain is to be dug for the purpose of straightening the channel of the south arm of the Lookingglass river and to accommodate the diminished flow of water which now constitutes that stream. It will take $10,000 to complete the drain.

Forger Given Six Years.

Hastings, Dec. 9.—William O. Lowden, tried and found guilty at the last term of the circuit court of forging a $350 note, was sentenced to six years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary. Lowden was formerly prosecuting attorney of this county and last May was ordained minister of the Gospel. He received the sentence coolly, while his wife and father were overcome with emotion.

Result of a Family Row.

Linnet, Dec. 11.—Henry Pettis, a farmer living with his wife and a stepson four miles west of this place, Monday night fired two shots at his wife, neither taking effect. His son Alexander Stinson, who came to his mother's assistance, was fired at, the bullet striking him in the breast near the heart. He is in a critical condition. The cause of the shooting was a family row. Pettis gave himself up.

Railway Files a Mortgage.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 11.—The Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw railroad has filed a mortgage for $225,000 to the Union Trust company, of Detroit. It covers 44 and a fraction miles of road bed and all rolling stock and appurtenances. It is said there is a probability of the road being extended from its present northern terminus at Woodbury to Saginaw.

Married on Sight.

St. Louis, Dec. 7. — Levi Fishbeck, aged 67, of this city, and Mrs. Kate Wood, aged 33, were married Thursday. Quite a romance is connected with this marriage, as the old gentleman has had four wives before. The couple had never met until their wedding day and both seem to be happy.

College Lands Sold.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—At a sale of agricultural college land located in Benzie and Wexford counties, conducted by the land commissioner, there were 16 purchasers, and $6,500 worth of land was disposed of at prices ranging from eight to eleven dollars per acre.

Desire More Money.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 11.—At a meeting of citizens it was decided to send a committee to Washington to urge an appropriation of $300,000 for the improvement of this harbor. The government's recent appropriation of $110,000 is not deemed sufficient.

Seeking a Pardon.

Niles, Dec. 7.—Friends are making preparations to secure pardon for George Taylor, alias Hultz, serving a life sentence in Jackson prison for the murder of Mary Comley in this city December 7, 1892.

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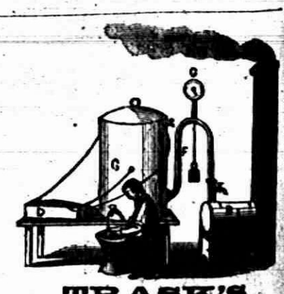

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Dec. 15. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Third Missionary Journey.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts xviii. 22; xxi, 17.

Resting in Antioch a short time after his second missionary tour, Paul again sets out to visit the churches he has planted. Passing through Phrygia and Galatia, he finally comes to Ephesus. This becomes his home for almost three years. First in the synagogue and afterward in the schoolroom of a noted teacher, Tyrannus, he preaches salvation through faith in Christ. The success is great. Many who had dealt in magic publicly burn their books. At length one of the silversmiths, who found his business of making silver images of the goddess Diana affected by the great reformation of the people, raised an uproar, and serious consequences were threatened. After this had been quieted Paul passed into Macedonia, visiting the churches, and went down to Corinth. When the Jews here sought to assassinate him, he returned by way of Macedonia to Asia, taking affectionate leave of the churches, as he left them for the last time. He purposed to go to Jerusalem and then to Rome. A collection for the benefit of the poor Christians at Jerusalem had been gathered in all the churches of Greece and Macedonia. Brethren from each of the large churches had been appointed to carry this contribution to the elders at the Holy City. Touching at various points on the coast, the company finally come to Cæsarea. Here Paul receives a clear warning of danger if he goes up to Jerusalem. He is ready to even die there for the sake of Jesus and so will not be prevented going.

His third and last tour ends here. The collection is given to the church, and a full recital of God's marvelous work among the gentiles is given to James and the assembled elders, who praise God for his merciful kindness. Well might they exclaim, "What hath God wrought!" The number of the gentile Christians soon was greater than that of the Jewish followers of Jesus. The work among them had been largely accomplished through the untiring zeal of this man Paul, abundant in labors, gifted with prophetic insight beyond that of any other one in the church, enduring perils and persecutions greater than even Peter, and rewarded by seeing results greater than all the other apostles combined had achieved.

Some Points of Difference.

Much has been said about organic union of the Methodist Episcopal church and the Church South. Usually much sentiment, if not sentimentality, is aroused, and the real difficulties are lost to sight. There are several points of difference between the two branches of the church which would need grave consideration to adjust. The separation was on the slavery question. That issue is dead. If only that was all, there would be little trouble in reuniting the church. But since 1844 each branch has gone on developing in its own territory its own peculiarities and adapting its methods to the requirements of its own circumstances till now we find "differences of administration" which become difficulties to union. The terms of admission to membership are now unlike. The term of probation is different. The nature of the episcopal order and office is differently viewed. The powers of the bishops and general conference are widely different in the two Methodisms. Lay delegation is only partial in one, while complete in the other. One has a church conference. The other has none. One allows preachers and churches much latitude in making arrangements for appointments. The other knows nothing of such bargaining. Evidently there are some knots to untie yet before organic union can become an accomplished fact.

The Important Thing.

Not the preservation of the League or any of its departments. The important thing is the preservation of the church and the successful carrying forward of its work. The League and all other young people's societies are organized for this special purpose. They aim to accomplish it by developing vital and intelligent piety among the membership. Whatever does not contribute to this end is worse than valueless, it is positively injurious. Sustain the regular services of the church. Make them more inspiring and helpful. Throw more enthusiasm into song and testimony. Welcome strangers. Invite nonattendants. Pray and speak and aid in every possible way to get some saved. The League lives to aid the church.

The Blind Rat.

A Scotchman had a dream in which he saw four rats in single file. The first was fat and sleek. The second and third were thin and half starved. The fourth was blind. He puzzled much as to the meaning of the dream. Both himself and wife felt sure it meant some calamity. Finally the boy of the family, with keen wit and practical wisdom, ventured an interpretation. "The fat rat," said he, "is the saloon keeper. The lean rats are mother and myself. The blind rat is yourself, father." It is time these rats were all taken care of and things righted.

The Divine Command.

The great convention at Chattanooga in June last did much to bring about broader views and practical fraternity among the young Methodists of the continent. The more we know of each other the more we shall respect and love each other. If God sees it wise to have us all live under one roof as one family, he will bring it about in his own good time. No use to try to steady this ark while we carry it contrary to the divine command.

Dr. Parkhurst calls a Christian "a divine incarnation brought down to date."

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

Bills were introduced in the senate on the 9th to grant a pension of $200 a month to the widow of the late secretary of state, Gen. W. Q. Gresham; to form the Indian territory into the territory of Indianola; to disfranchise citizens of the United States who solicit or accept titles, patents of nobility or degrees of honor from foreign nations; to establish postal savings banks. Senator Morgan spoke on the subject of the Behring sea indemnity claims. The nomination of Rufus H. Peckham, of New York, to be associate justice of the United States supreme court was confirmed....In the house resolutions were presented calling for the correspondence in the Waller case, and for lists of pensioners who have been stricken from the rolls since March 4, 1893, or reduced.

Petitions for the recognition of Cuban insurgents were offered in the senate on the 4th. Bills were introduced to amend the immigration laws, excluding all immigrants between 14 and 60 years of age who cannot both read and write the English language; to remove the bar of limitations in suits brought by laborers or mechanics against the United States for work done; to increase all pensions granted under the act of 1890 to $12; to provide for a general system of fortifications for sea-coast defenses. A resolution was introduced for vigorous action for the protection and security of American citizens in Turkey.... The house was not in session.

Bills were introduced in the senate on the 5th for the unlimited coinage of gold and silver in connection with other nations; to prevent the carrying of obscene literature on railroads; to have all the silver in the treasury coined into subsidiary coin, and providing for the repeal of all laws authorizing the issuance of interest-bearing bonds. A resolution was introduced for the recognition of the belligerency of Cuban insurgents and another declaring it to be the sense of the senate that it was unwise and inexpedient to retire the greenbacks. Adjourned to the 9th. The house was not in session.

The senate was not in session on the 6th....In the house bills were introduced to levy a duty on wool; to amend the act incorporating the Maritime Canal company of Nicaragua; to repeal the interstate commerce law; to prohibit the appointment of aliens to office under the government. Petitions were presented for the admission of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico to statehood and for the recognition of the Cubans as belligerents. Adjourned until the 9th.

DOMESTIC.

The South Carolina constitutional convention adjourned after signing the revised constitution. The negro delegates refused to sign on account of the provision depriving them of suffrage.

Luis Felipe Carbo, minister of the new government of Ecuador, is studying American institutions and will endeavor to get teachers to inaugurate the public school system in Ecuador.

It was reported that the reply of the marquis of Salisbury to the note of Secretary Olney on the Venezuelan question was a refusal on the part of Great Britain to arbitrate.

At a convention in Guthrie a memorial was adopted asking congress to admit Oklahoma as a state at once, as she has a greater taxable valuation and population than any other state in the union at the time of admission.

The Chaffee block at Allegan, Mich., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

The Empire State express on the New York Central road now makes daily trips from New York to Buffalo, 440 miles, in 495 minutes, making it the fastest passenger train in the world.

There was but little over a foot of water in the Mississippi river at St. Louis, the lowest record in nearly 20 years.

J. W. Forlines, engineer; A. W. Straley, conductor, and Brakeman G. H. Heilgi were killed in a railway wreck at Lick Branch, W. Va.

A. H. Andrews & Co., manufacturers in Chicago of fine furniture and office fixtures, failed for $400,000; assets, $600,000.

William J. Murray, a prominent resident of Toledo, O., died after a continuous self-imposed fast of 47 days.

A negro named Isom Kearse, and his aged mother, charged with stealing a Bible from a church near Broxton Ford, S. C., were whipped to death with a strap by a mob.

Peter Maher and Robert Fitzsimmons were matched to fight to a finish for the world's championship near El Paso, Tex., between February 11 and February 15.

A trust, comprising almost every carpet tack factory in the country, was formed in New York, and the price of tacks was advanced to almost double the former rates.

The movement to bring about the taxation of church property in Missouri was assuming commanding proportions.

Melancholia, brought on by trouble in love affairs, caused Miss May Wills, a young society woman of Akron, O., to hang herself.

John and Margaret Cowling, aged 73 and 70 years, respectively, after having been separated by divorce 24 years, were reunited in marriage at Jeffersonville, Ind.

In tearing out the wall of an abandoned cellar near Larned, Kan., the skeletons of five men were found, and they were thought to be the remains of a party of land-buyers who went to western Kansas in 1880 from Pennsylvania, and who mysteriously disappeared. They were probably murdered for their money.

T. M. C. King, a justice of the peace, and his wife, who had been ill, died suddenly in Claybourn county, Tenn., from the effects of a dose of medicine given them by an Indian doctor.

At its quarterly meeting the W. C. T. U. of Richmond, Va., adopted resolutions denouncing the "new woman's Bible."

The First national bank of Pratt, Kan., went into voluntary liquidation. All depositors were paid in full.

Heinrich Hostman, of Dortmund, Prussia, arrived at Cincinnati on his trip around the world on a bicycle He is to make the trip in two years.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Ingerson, at Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken above a whisper for months, and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers. Orr & Temple. Dec.

Frank O. Elliott, state organizer for the populist organization in Missouri, was attacked by a robber in Kansas City and fatally wounded.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 9th aggregated $1,247,194,999, against $870,484,182 the previous week. The increase; compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 7.0.

The bonded warehouse of Elliot F. Driggs was burned in New York, the loss being $250,000.

Fire destroyed the stove works of J. Woodruff & Sons at Salem, O., and many valuable patterns were burned.

Mike Ford and William Senter were arrested at Atlanta, Ga., with a large quantity of counterfeit ten dollar silver certificates on their persons.

The National Civil Service Reform league will hold their annual meeting in Washington December 13 and 13.

Mrs. Joseph Reimein died in Toledo, O., from the shock received by the death of her husband and daughter in a railway accident.

The hay crop of this year in the middle states is reported to be 41 per cent. less than last year.

Prince Graham, Jason Blake and William Fraser (all colored) were hanged at Hampton, S. C., for the murder of E. R Mears; Jesse Jones was hanged at Ozark, Ark., for murdering Charles and Jesse Hibdon in February, 1894, and a negro named Elliott was hanged at Chester, S. C., for the murder of a white man named Welch.

The annual report of Attorney General Harmon shows that there has been an increase in the number of criminal cases pending in the federal courts as well as an increase in the expenses of the courts from $3,864,898 in 1888 to $5,528,223 in 1895. He says too much of the time of the supreme court is occupied by criminal appeals, and suggests that such appeals be disallowed save in capital cases. He also calls attention to what he regards as the growing abuse of the writ of habeas corpus, and suggests that the allowance of a stay by the supreme court or one of its judges be required at least on all appeals after the first.

The bank of Oronogo, Mo., was robbed by safe blowers of $1,300.

The close of the first century of commercial liberty in America will be celebrated in New York on the 19th inst.

In San Francisco Judge Murphy denied Theodore Durrant's motion for a new trial and sentenced him to be hanged for the murder of Blanche Lamont, but fixed no date for the execution.

Washington dispatches announce that this government will protest vigorously against England prohibiting the importation of American sheep after January.

Rev. Hiram Hillard, a Baptist preacher 82 years of age, committed suicide at his home near Golden, Mo., while temporarily insane.

Navigation on the lakes for the season of 1895 has closed.

Mrs. Bliss, of Memphis, Tenn., now a missionary in Armenia, writes that over 100,000 Armenians have been butchered, mostly men, leaving the women and children in awful poverty, and says there is no doubt that all these outrages were committed with the sanction of the sultan.

Three men were killed and two more were injured in a railroad wreck on the New York & New Haven railway in Harlem, N. Y.

Hofman & Alexander, wholesale dealers in men's furnishing goods in San Francisco, were burned out, the loss being $200,000.

The building in Chicago occupied by H. Wolf & Co., dealers in general merchandise, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $300,000.

Postmaster General Wilson issued an order prohibiting postal employes from working for legislation in their interest, the penalty being dismissal from service.

A building in Chicago occupied by piano, fur and shoe firms was burned, the loss being $100,000.

The secret service bureau in Washington discovered a new counterfeit five-dollar bank note on the Fort Dearborn national bank of Chicago, series of 1882, portrait of Garfield The colors are poorer than the genuine.

News from the scene of the murders in Arizona committed by renegade Apache Indians says that nine persons were killed.

Near Dexter, Ia., Grant Hibbs, aged 32, shot his wife, probably fatally, and then killed himself. He was insane.

A new rule was put into effect at the East Liberty (Pa.) stockyards prohibiting dealing in cattle on Sundays.

The gold product of Colorado the past year was $16,000,000 and the silver product $30,000,000.

During a gale off Huron isle, about 40 miles from Marquette, Mich., the tug Pearl B. Campbell was lost and her entire crew, consisting of seven men, went down with her.

The business portion of Chilton, the county seat of Calumet county, Wis., was partially destroyed by fire.

William Ray shot and killed his wife at Coal Creek, Ky., and then killed himself. They were very young and quarrels caused the deed.

Over 1,000 hogs have died of cholera during the last three weeks in Harper, Barber and Sumner counties, Kansas.

By the explosion of a can of gunpowder at Charleroi, Pa., the three young children of Mike Andrejas, a coal miner, were killed.

The E. P. Cowen wholesale lumber company at Kansas City failed for $100,000.

The Moss Engraving company in New York assigned with liabilities of $100,000.

The A. E. Burkhardt company, dealers in furs in Cincinnati, failed for $250,000.

A fire in Rutherford, N. J., destroyed half a dozen buildings, including the post office, and four persons perished in the flames.

John Peagans and his wife, an aged couple, were robbed and murdered in their home at Bear Willow, Va.

The 15th annual convention of the American Federation of Labor began in New York with delegates present from all over the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

Daniel F. Miller, Sr., of Keokuk, Ia., died at Omaha, aged 80 years. He served in congress from the first Iowa district when it included the entire southern half of the state.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 9th was: Wheat, 63,786,000 bushels; corn, 5,027,000 bushels; oats, 8,001,000 bushels; rye, 1,451,000 bushels; barley, 5,754,000 bushels.

The business portion of Ridgefield, Conn., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

Because she refused to marry him August Nibleen fatally shot Annie Bundy, aged 16, at Peshtigo, Wis., and then killed himself.

Whitten, Burdette & Co., the largest wholesale clothing house in Boston, assigned with liabilities of $500,000.

The commissioners of Delaware county, Ind., decided that workhouse convicts must wear penitentiary stripes in the future.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Gen. Edward Wright, who 20 years ago represented Iowa in the United States senate, died at his home in Des Moines.

Polly Brannum celebrated her 105th birthday at Knoxville, Tenn Her eyesight and hearing were both good, and she had never used spectacles or taken a dose of medicine.

At an election in Louisville A. J. Carroll (dem.) defeated C. A. Blatz (rep.) for the legislature. This ties the general assembly.

FOREIGN.

Advices from Constantinople say that Said Pasha, the president of the Turkish council of state and formerly grand vizier, had taken refuge in the British embassy at Constantinople, believing his life was in danger.

It was announced that the embassies had informed the sultan of Turkey that if the firmans for the extra guardships were refused the Dardenelles would be forced by the powers.

It was rumored that the sultan of Turkey had decided to consent to each of the powers having a second guardship at Constantinople.

It was announced that British ships had landed soldiers at Pera, a suburb of Constantinople, to protect the British embassy.

A fire at Mariestad, Sweden, did damage to the extent of $270,000 and left 600 persons homeless.

Furious gales prevailed on the English coast, causing the loss of much property and many lives.

A recent census places the population of Berlin, Germany, at 1,674,112.

The situation at Constantinople on the question of the extra guardships of the powers remained unchanged and opinion was divided as to whether the delay was due to a fear of causing a fanatical outbreak against the Christians by the Mussulman subjects of the sultan or to a dread of a clash ensuing between the powers themselves.

The cabinets of Russia and Germany would not consent to any aggressive policy with regard to the crisis in Turkey.

George Augustus Sala, the well-known journalist and author, died at Brighton, England, aged 67 years.

The British steamer Principia, Capt. Stannard, took fire in the forehold 40 miles north of Cape Wrath, on the northwestern extremity of Scotland, and was destroyed, and 27 of her crew perished.

LATER.

The republican national committee in session in Washington unanimously adopted June 16 as the date of meeting of the convention and named St. Louis as the place, the fifth and final ballot standing: St. Louis, 29; San Francisco, 16; Chicago, 6.

Dr. Levi Keehn was killed and his wife was fatally injured by the cars near Milford, Ind.

One of the largest crowds ever seen in Frankfort assembled to attend the inauguration of Kentucky's first republican governor, William O. Bradley.

Harry Hayward was hanged at Minneapolis for the murder of Miss Catherine Ging on December 3, 1894.

In the San Simeon valley in Arizona a renegade band of Indians from the San Carlos reservation murdered a family of five persons.

The Armenian patriarch at Constantinople says that the number of homeless Armenians in the six northeastern vilayets of Asia Minor is nearly a half million.

Ex-officials of Roscommon county, Mich., were accused of defrauding the county to the extent of $50,000.

The long-drawn-out controversy between the ambassadors of the powers and the sultan of Turkey over the question of admission of additional guard ships for the protection of the embassies was settled by the issuance of an irade granting the necessary firmans to permit the guard ships to pass the Dardanelles.

The fishing schooner Ethel Maud, of Boston, reported losing four of the crew on the homeward trip.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Senator Cullom (Ill.) addressed the senate yesterday in support of the Monroe doctrine. A memorial was introduced for the recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents, and one from the National Wool Growers' association asking for higher duties on their product. A bill was introduced providing for long term three per cent bonds for the retirement of all demand notes of the United States. The time in the house was occupied in discussing a resolution by Mr. Barrett (Mass.) for the impeachment of Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard, who is charged with having expressed reflections upon this government's policy and the people of the United States in a speech delivered in Edinburgh, Scotland, recently. "An amendment to change the word "impeachment" to "censure" was adopted. Adjourned to the 12th.

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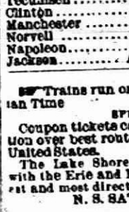
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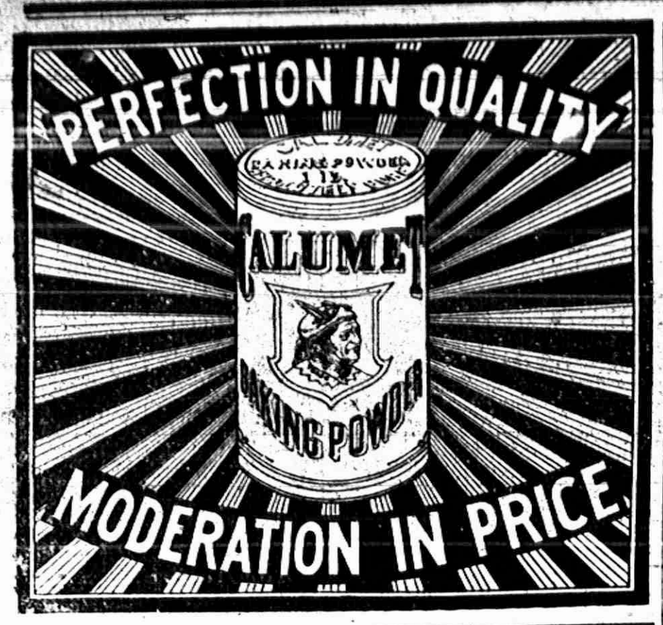

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YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK.

An Interesting Trip by Carriage Though This Wounderful National Reserve.

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ED. HERALD:—Having just returned from a tour of the Yellowstone National Park, the thought has occurred to me that a partial description of it might be of interest to the few of your readers who never have, as yet, and probably never will, make the trip.

We left our home at Washington Bar, Montana, on Monday, the 19th of Aug., with our own conveyances and camping outfit, going via. Bozeman. The road to Bozeman is almost devoid of interest; we were continually crossing treeless hills, valleys, and mountain ranges. Passing through Red Bluff, down the Madison Canyon, we crossed the Madison and Gallatin rivers. After leaving Bozeman the road led through Rocky Canyon, where we saw many beautiful views. The wagon road was built away up the mountain side, the railroad many feet below us. We left that canyon only to enter another. Again the road was high up the mountain, and here were trees, grass and rocks in picturesque confusion. Away below us, and along the creek, were many pretty homes. We passed the town of Friddly and camped in view of the famous Emigrant Gulch. The next day we traveled along the Yellowstone river, which is remarkable for being the straightest and swiftest navigable river in the world. We camped at noon a short distance from the river and spent the afternoon in fishing, with good success. Friday we traveled through what is called Yankee Jim Canyon. Several years before the building of the railroad, an individual named Yankee Jim constructed a wagon road through the canyon at quite an expense. He enjoyed a lucrative business collecting toll from each visitor to the Park, the rate of toll being fifty cents for each horse. We passed through Horr, a small collection of houses, among them one hotel and saloon. A few miles farther we entered Cinnabar, the terminus of the Park Branch railroad. It derives its name from Cinnabar mountain, a conspicuous landmark on the Upper Yellowstone. As we passed along the base of this mountain we could plainly see the Devil's Slide, two walls of trap work 150 feet apart, embracing a reddish-colored mineral resembling cinnabar. Tourists are carried from the station to the Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel, seven miles distant, in six-horse tallyho coaches. At 3:30 p. m. we crossed the northern boundary and entered the town of Gardiner, in Wyoming, traveling through Gardiner Canyon, along the banks of the Gardiner river, a beautiful stream, clear and rapid. Within two miles of Mammoth Hot Springs we left the river and began climbing the mountain. At this place Boiling river empties into the Gardiner. It is a meeting of all the waters from the Mammoth Hot Springs, and is remarkable for the fact that fish may be caught in the cold stream and cooked in the hot, without change of position. At Mammoth Hot Springs is stationed a company of United States cavalry. There are many fine, large buildings, this being Fort Yellowstone. Mammoth Hot Springs cover over 170 acres with 13 distinct terraces and 50 active springs. The water is so clear and transparent one can look into the clear depths and see distinctly the smallest ornament on the inner sides of the basins. Around the borders and on the sides and bottoms of the many channels that flow into these springs there is a great variety of most beautiful colors. There are shades of red from vivid scarlet to a bright pink tint; also yellow, from bright sulphur to light cream color. There are also different shades of green from the peculiar vegetation. The Altitude of the hotel is 6,387 feet. Liberty Cap is an extinct hot spring cone, standing at the foot of Terrace Mountains it is 52 feet high and 20 feet in diameter at its base. We passed this, also the Devil's Thumb, a cone similar to Liberty Cap, to ascend to the formation. Minerva Terrace is a mass of deposit 40 feet in height covering about three fourths of an acre, with a hot spring at the top 20 feet in diameter, the temperature of which at the edge is 154 degrees Fahrenheit. The overflow is constantly changing. The amount of deposit from the water under favorable circumstances, being about one sixteenth of an inch in every four days. Articles of any hard substance, placed where this water can flow over them, take on a beautiful white coating in three days. This spring is 78 feet above Liberty Cap, while the main part of the hot springs are on a mound 90 feet still higher. The spring overflowing Jupiter Terrace is the largest on the formation, 100 feet in diameter, while the terrace covers an area of five acres. East of the spring on the slopes of the terrace are some of the most beautiful basins to be found in this vicinity. From the peculiar shape it has been named Pulpit Terrace. Under a prominence west of Jupiter Terrace is Cupid's Cave, which we penetrated for some distance. The climate inside was much too warm to be comfortable. Going west from Cupid's Cave we passed along the summit of Narrow Guage Terrace, which is a fissure ridge 300 feet long, filled with little geysers and springs which deposit brilliant coloring and emits a sulphurous odor. Orange Geyser, The Devil's Kitchen, and Bath Lake are still higher, on a terrace above Narrow Guage. One can visit the "Devil" in his kitchen by going through an opening in the formation and descending 30 feet by means of a ladder, where is found a passage way extending far enough to satisfy the most venturesome. His Satanic Majesty must be often from home, when people call, judging from the cards that adorn the walls of his underground dwelling. Where the water has ceased to flow over the formation, it is of a dazzling whiteness. In many places are small groves of large trees, affording an agreeable shade while resting from a too hasty climb over the different terraces. We left Mammoth Hot Springs, and for four miles farther south the road continued to climb the mountain, when we reached the Golden Gate, which is a remarkable piece of roadway, scarcely a mile in length, which was built at an expense of $14,000. It is built with one side fastened to the rocky wall, the other extending over Gardiner River. At the entrance to the gate stands a rocky pillar, which was originally a part of the canyon wall. The sides of these rocky walls rising 200 feet above the roadway are covered with a yellow moss, which suggested the name. Altitude 7,300 feet. Rustic Falls, occupying a conspicuous position at the west end of Golden Gate, add a charm to the beautiful place. The fall is 60 feet, over a dark moss-covered ledge. Just beyond the Golden Gate we entered Swan Lake Basin, which is a mountain prairie hemmed in by snow clad peaks, among which are Bells Peak, Quadrant Mountains and Mt. Holmes; the last named having an elevation of 10,578 feet. Large fields of snow are in sight here throughout the summer A few miles to the north is Electric Peak, the highest mountain in the northern part of the Park, whose summit is 11,125 feet above sea level. It derives its name from the fact that a great deposit of mineral renders the working of the surveyor's transit impossible when on the mountain. We witnessed a peculiar electrical display from its rugged peaks during a thunder storm. The drive from here to Norris Basin was nearly upon the same level, crossing Indian and Obsidian creeks, these two forming the Middle Gardiner River. Obsidian Cliff is a steep mountain 250 feet above the road, composed of volcanic glass and other matter, which glistens in the sun. The drive from this Cliff to Norris is over one of the natural "passes" between the head waters of the branches of the Yellowstone and Missouri rivers. We passed Beaver, Mineral and Twin Lakes, and Roaring Mountain, which is a high elevation with several smoking, steaming holes at the top, which make such a roaring noise it is distinctly heard from the road in passing. The Frying Pan covers about an acre of ground with little dirty looking pools and springs of different colors which are continually bubbling and frying and emitting a sulphurous and sickening odor. The geysers in Norris Basin do not compare in point of eruptive violence with those of the Upper Basin, still they are very interesting. The Monarch, the largest geyser in Norris Basin, did not play for us, although the indications were good. Every large geyser has an indicator quite near, and people acquainted with the workings can tell when the geyser is due, but many of them are very irregular. This was quite different from other geysers. At its first eruption it had blown out rocks, trees and earth, leaving a vast hole. The crater proper was at the bottom surrounded by huge red boulders around and between which the water continues to boil fiercely for a period of four days, when an eruption is expected to take place. This consists of a dozen explosions in which columns of water are thrown 100 feet high, flooding the level country surrounding. The Congress is a very interesting spring located a few steps from the drive-way, 30 feet in diameter. The water is of a milky color and in a state of violent agitation, boiling in the center and frequently reaching a height of 25 feet, falling again into the spring, with a slight overflow. Distance from the edge of crater to the water about 3 feet.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.

Wabash Holiday Rates 1895-1896.

For this occasion the Wabash railroad will sell tickets from all stations at greatly reduced rates on December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good to return up to and including January 2, 1896. For particulars call on or address any Wabash ticket agent.

State Tax Budget.

Much has been said of late about the high rate of taxation which the property holders of our state will have to pay this year. Thinking that the statement of the Auditor General concerning the items in the budget of state taxes might be of interest in this connection, we append the same. The items for state institutions etc. are about the same as usual but the last for general expenses seems enormous for these times.

University of Michigan ½ mill tax	$ 188,333 33
University of Michigan' construction of buildings for Homeopathic colleges	25,000 00
Soldiers' Home and Dormitory, current expenses, etc	88,000 00
State Normal School, current expenses, etc	88,450 00
State Public School, current expense, etc	43,024 90
Agricultural College, repairs, improvements; etc	13,000 00
Michigan Asylum, repairs, improvements; etc	19,250 00
Northern Michigan Asylum, repairs, improvements; etc	12,500 00
U. P. Hospital for the Insane, current expenses, building, etc	100,000 00
Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, repairs, improvements, etc.	85,000 00
Home for the Feeble Minded and Epileptic, current expenses, etc	22,800 00
Michigan School for the Deaf, current expenses, etc	71,021 00
Michigan School for the Blind, current expenses, etc	25,000 00
Industrial Home for Girls, current expenses, etc	61,547 60
Michigan Mining School, current expenses, etc	40,600 00
Michigan State Prison, repairs	10,000 00
State House of Correction and Branch Prison, U. P., repairs, improvements, etc	18,000 00
State House of Correction and Branch Prison, U. P., repairs, improvements, etc	5,675 00
Board of Fish Commissioners, current expenses, etc	32,500 00
State Board of Health	2,000 00
State Weather Service	1,000 00
Michigan National Guards	59,065 64
Michigan Naval Militia	2,892 05
Copying records in Adjutant General's office	4,000 00
State Library, purchase of books, etc.	5,000 00
Dairy and Food inspection	9,400 00
Michigan Dairymen's Association	1,000 00
State Horticultural Society	1,500 00
Agricultural Institutes	5,000 00
City of Kalamazoo, sewer for Michigan Asylum	1,000 00
Monuments for National Military Park at Chickamauga and Chattanooga	20,000 00
General Expenses State Government,	1,997,009 00
Total tax apportioned	$3 013,919 52

The following shows the rate of taxes on every hundred dollars of valuation for four years, as assessed in the town:

	STATE TAX.	TOWNSHIP TAX.
1891	.13⅝	.03
1893	.14⅝	.04¼
1894	.20	.08⅛
1895	.31	.14⅜

The valuation has been somewhat lessened, but, nevertheless, the amount of taxes is increasing much more rapidly than the worth of property.

An Interesting Announcement.

We have secured for the exclusive use of the HERALD a series of articles on the Sandwich Islands by the distinguished historian and novelist, John R. Musick. These articles are being prepared by the author on on the spot. He is now at Honolula, and will visit each of the islands of the Hawaiian group. They will have the peculiar freshness that can only be given to such when written at the place on the very days the writer beholds them. They will be a series of descriptive and historical articles, or letters about that country. Mr. Musick will furnish us, therefore, articles rich in descriptive scenery, filled with authentic history and facts, and lightened by incidents of travel and adventure, making them more fascinating than a novel.

No portion of the world is to-day attracting more attention than the Sandwich Islands; and yet, much as they are talked about and as much as they have been mixed in American politics for the last forty years, the masses of readers know but little of the social life and customs of the Islanders, and could not tell off-hand whether they lived in modern houses, in huts, wigwams, or caves.

It will be the object of these letters not only to briefly sketch the past and present of the Hawaiian Islands, but to carry the reader directly into the private life of the people who inhabit them; their past and present government, the overthrow of monarchy, and the setting up of a Republic will be narrated from a non-political standpoint. In this respect they will have a peculiar interest because in the coming Presidential contest the question of annexation will be agitated. These letters will contain hundreds of items of great interest, all told in a highly entertaining, instructive and unbiased manner. In short, we have a rich treat for our readers for the entire winter.

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The Staff of The Times-Herald.

The Times-Herald, as conducted by Mr. Kohlsaat, is in many respects the greatest newspaper in the United States. Its new owner and publisher is expending money with a liberal hand, and it is probably true that the pay roll of The Times-Herald is today considerably larger than that of any other American newspaper. Mr. Kohlsatt has, in fact, secured the services of nearly all the great newspaper writers of the day. Cornelius McAuliff, the managing editor, is a man of pronounced ability. Moses P. Handy, who is in charge of the editorial page, and who contributes, twice a week, some entertaining matter over his own signature, is known from one end of the country to the other as a ready writer and brilliant journalist. Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, who is regarded as one of the best writers of this conntry, retains her position on the editorial staff. E. V. Smalley, who has recently returned to America from a lengthy sojourn in London, has been added to the corps of writers on Chicago's great newspaper. Frank L. Stanton, whose poems appeal so strongly to the human heart, has a column of verses twice a week on the editorial page, and they are being widely copied. Hamlin Garland has recently become a contributer to this paper. Lyman B. Glover, so long the accomplished dramatic editor of the Herald, now contributes well written articles on various topics over his own signature. Walter Wellman, the well known Washington correspondent, is retained in the same capacity. Elwyn A. Barron, who was for so many years the dramatic critic of the Inter Ocean, is now attached to the Times Herald, with a residence in London, and is writing some very scholarly and delightful letters from the metropolis of Great Britain. Charles Lederer, who as a cartoonist has no superior, has recently been sent to Europe by Mr. Kohlsaat, and illustrated articles from his pen are now appearing. Joseph Howard, Jr. a brilliant and caustic writer, long connected with the New York press, is now a regular contributor to the Times-Herald. George Alfred Townsend, the talented "Gath" of the Cincinnati Enquirer and other papers, is writing for Mr. Kohlsatt, and has recently sent some very delightful letters from eastern summer resorts. Mary Abbott literary critic, and also contributes entertainingly to the editorial page. Kate Field, the brilliant journalist and lecturer, has been engaged, and will shortly visit Hawaii under commission from the enterprising proprietor of this great Chicago newspaper. Other men and women of almost equal renown in the newspaper world have been secured by Mr. Kohlsaat, and it is undoubtedly true that no other journal in this country has upon its staff so many brilliant, able and high-priced writers.

Valuable Maps.

Messrs. Rand, McNally & Co., of Chicago, the famous map firm, have issued a wall map of this great state, which should be in every home, office and school-room.

This map illustrates the complete system of United States Land Survey, and by a special process of relief line engraving presents all the details without confusion.

Each county is clearly shown by different colors and the name printed in large, clear type.

Each county seat is distinctly shown by a special character and the name printed in conspicuous type.

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The same firm issues another map which is worth mentioning. It is 66 inches long and 46 inches from top to bottom. One side shows the largest United States map ever printed on one sheet. The other side shows a similar map of the world. Each of these maps is sold for $5 when put up on cloth back, but this one map will be supplied for $2.50 postpaid.

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Anyone who wants profitable work should write to this firm for agents' terms. Good canvassers earn from $15 to $35 per week.

Ambassador Eustis is one of the latest men in in Paris to learn bicycling.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 29, 1895.

Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh has been quite indisposed this week.

Miss Laura Clark was calling on Tecumseh friends Monday.

Miss Bertha Gibson is visiting her father and other friends.

Miss Lina Jones visited her parents at Manchester over Sunday.

W. D. VanTuyle made a business trip to the county seat Tuesday.

John Kensler, of Manchester, was transacting business here Monday.

J. E. White and F. T. VanDeMark took a run over to Tecumseh Monday.

Eugene Smalley, who has been quite ill the past two weeks, is recovering.

L. J. Leek has added to his list of musical instruments a fine symphonium.

Lyle Gibson having completed his term at Adrian returned home Tuesday night.

S. W. Demuth, J. E. White and G. R. Gillispie were Manchester visitors Tuesday.

Robert Codling and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wallinger Sunday.

H. G. Chamberlain, of the firm of Bean & Chamberlain, Hudson, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Cummins, of Detroit, was called here Saturday last by the illness of Mrs. Geo. A. Kies.

The Congregational Social was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Barnsdale, Wednesday.

The Baptist social was held at the spacious residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calhoun Tuesday evening.

We are creditably informed that the editor of the Clinton Local found Will C. Clack wide awake Monday last.

There will be a Christmas Tree at the Episcopal church, and the M. E. society have one at the town hall.

Mrs. Daniel Wade is very critically ill at her home north of town and there is very little hope of her recovery.

The lecture on "The Mission of Mirth" by Thos. McLary, was well attended and was generally satisfactory.

Misses Inez Thorp and Ida Jones, of Tecumseh, attended service at St. John's Episcopal church Sunday evening.

Buell Johnson, Allan Bartlett, Allan Dillingham and wife and J. V. Amspoker and wife visited Tecumseh Tuesday.

Geo. A. Rowland returned to his home in Albion Friday last, and Mrs. Rowland remained until yesterday among old friends.

E. T. VanDeMark, after spending several weeks in in this vicinity calling on the trade for his line, has returned to his home in Chicago.

Hank Lancaster's dog, Jumbo, after a week's absence, put in an appearance Tuesday morning. The query is, where was he during that week?

Eusebius W. Dodge, of Hudson, spent several days in Clinton last week. While here he tuned the town hall piano. He went to Adrian Monday.

Orville Barnes and wife left Wednesday for Chicago where he will enter the Moody Institute for the purpose of preparing himself for work in missionary field.

The Farmer's Club were entertained at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Gillespie Tuesday evening. To say that all had a delightful time seems superfluous.

Mrs. Ella Niblack, the efficient and popular secretary of the L. O. T. M.'s, was given a complete surprise by her sister Bees last Friday evening. All enjoyed themselves.

Miss Sadie Huntington is now enrolled among the students of Adrian College and her many friends are confident she will not only win honors for herself, but credit to Clinton.

Several families from the Saginaws, enroute for Georgia, overland, passed through here the first of the week. Their outfits were unique and complete and were by many closely examined.

The Ladies of St. John's Episcopal society cleared $73 from their fair, supper and entertainment last week Wednesday. Had the weather been pleasant they would have nearly doubled it.

The pleasant home of A. C. Huntington on Church street was the scene of great social enjoyment Wednesday evening. The members of what is termed the Hanover Colony, comprising the employees of the Woolen Mill company who formerly were connected with the mill at Hanover, Ill., were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Huntington, who are artists in that role. They numbered about forty, and all feel that any subsequent meeting can not excel in any respect this, the first session of the colony.

The sudden death of Mrs. Stark at the Sheldon homestead in Newburgh Monday seems doubly sad from the fact that Mrs. Sheldon, her daugdter, was in a hospital in Detroit where she had gone for an operation. It seems that Mrs. Stark though aged was in usual health and about the house. She was engaged in some work when Fred handed her a letter from Mrs. Sheldon and then went out to the barn, returning soon after he was horrified to find her dead. The funeral was held at the home yesterday afternoon and the remains, accompanied by Fred Sheldon, taken to Warsaw, New York, for interment.

The Baptist society was not only surprised but deeply grieved last Sunday morning when their esteemed pastor, Rev C. C. Marshall tendered his unconditional resignation to take immediate effect. Owing to poor health he was satisfied it was necessary that he change climate and that at once, this alone was the reason for severing the ties which bound them. The members of this society and our citizens generally feel that a great calamity has thus come upon them, for the reverend gentleman was not only doing a grand work for the society but had endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact. He leaves in a few days with his family for Franklin Indiana.

Dr. Carsten, one of Detroit's celebrated surgeons, came Saturday to consult with Dr. J. L. Tuttle in the case of Mrs. George A. Kies, which was critical. It was decided that the only hope, and that very encouraging, was an operation. It was thought advisable that she be taken to Detroit where every convenience was at hand, and preparations for her removal were accordingly made. A special car was secured, which was supplied with everything necessary to her comfort, and Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by her husband, Dr. J. L. Tuttle, A. B. VanDeMark and Mrs. Chas. Cummins, she was removed to Harper Hospital for the operation, the result of which is anxiously awaited by the entire community, among whom she is highly esteemed and very popular. Later—Mrs. Kies stood the journey to Detroit well. The operation was performed Wednesday at 11 a. m. She rallied nicely and there is every reason to believe her recovery will be speedy and complete.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

There was a large crowd at the lyceum at E. J. Whelan's Saturday night.

Miss Grace Spalding entertained her friend, Miss Laura Tare, of Ridgeway, last week.

Cecil Billington expects to attend Cleary's business college the first of next year.

Mr. Townsend, agent for Cleary's business college of Ypsilanti, was stopping at G. W. Allen's last week.

Milton Burns is recovering; he is reduced, however, literally to a skeleton, weighing only a trifle above 80 pounds.

Geo. Hill has a force of 25 men and several teams working in Ancil Witherell's woods and another force of 18 men working elsewhere.

The next lyceum will occur at Lorenzo Billington's Dec. 28th. A good program will be presented, and the question, "Resolved, That the country is in a worse condition today than it has been in the last 100 years," will be discussed. Affirmative, H. P. Taylor; negative, C. V. Wisner.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

The Celery Farm people are filling their new ice house with a fine lot of ice.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Daniels will spend Christmas with their daughter in Chicago.

Harrison Daniels, sr., left Chicago for Jackson county, Miss., recently, where he will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Glen.

Mr Drake, the purchaser of the Elliott stock of goods, is now doing business at Mr. Elliott's old stand in the R. L. Glen building. It is rumored, however, that the store is about to change hands.

Miss Susie Vanderpool deserted the ranks of "bachelor girls" last week Wednesday to hie away to the land of "double blessedness" with Mr. Burt Gould, a very worthy and estimable young man. Miss Susie, or rather Mrs. Gould will be greatly missed in this community, where she has lived all her life, and where she has been organist many years. He host of friends will wish her joy. The new made husband and wife took the afternoon train east and, after their bridal trip, will settle down to housekeeping on Mr. Gould's father's farm.

All hearts were saddened by the startling news of the sudden illness and death of Editor Stacy. It was the absorbing theme wherever friends met, and the strongest sympathy is felt for the aged mother and devoted sister, who were so rudely summoned from their pleasant visit to return to the death-bed of a loved son and brother, and all hearts go out to them in their deep affliction.

Now out upon Death's solemn sea,
Towards a vast eternity,
Shall his barge in silence float,
No earthly eye its path to note.
Swift, swift recede time's barren strand.
He walks today that better land,
Where never sail is outward set,
Nor sigh, nor grieving, nor regret.
All longings met.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for waht seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail." —Signed F. W. Stephens, State Com.— Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed aud trial bottles are free at Orr & Temple's drug store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00. 6

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Gen. Lord Wolseley is an amateur artist of great ability.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c) which always gives relief. Dec.

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AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the othef things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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What use is there in eating when food does you no good—in fact, when it does you more harm than good, for such is the case if it is not digested. If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested when an appetite will come, and with it a relish for food. The tired, languid feeling will give place to vigor and energy, then you will put flesh on your bones and become strong. The Shaker Digestive Cordial as made by the Mount Lebanon Shakers contains food already digested and is a digester of food as well. Its action is prompt and its effects permanent.

Doctors prescribe Laxol because it has all the virtues of castor oil and is palatable. 1w

As a boy the present Emperor of Russia was a daring and expert tree climber.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, itching piles, and say nothing about it through a sense of delicacy. All such will find an instant relief in the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails. 1w

A new statue of Gen. Grant is to be erected in front of the Union League Club, of Brooklyn, and will be unveiled April 27, 1896.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he was really made up of two men. One of them ambitious, brainy and energetic; the other sick, listless, peevish, and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day, because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and billious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

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Lord Rosebery is following Disraeli's example in putting his political experiences in the form of a novel, which he is now writing.

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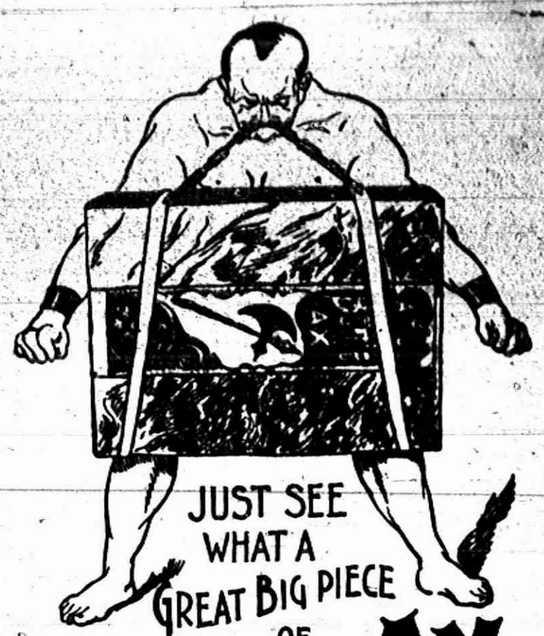

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Richard [illegible] deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ida M. Lewis, administratrix with the will annexed upon the estate of said deceased, praying that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration may be allowed, and all special legacies may be paid, and that she is now ready to render her estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed among the persons entitled to the same according to the terms of the will of said deceased, and that she may be discharged and his bond cancelled, or such other order and decree as to this court may seem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Richard C. [illegible] deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ida M. Lewis and L. Loana Stacy and George R. Stacy praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the administration of said estate may be granted to the petitioners, the executors in said will named.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. [illegible] James Boyd mortgaged to Angie [illegible] all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal instalments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in liber 91 of Mortgages, on page 73, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that in case any default be made in the payment of any of the interest or any part thereof, or any instalment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as aforesaid, and the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the principal said sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the time specified for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due, both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 93-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the sum above mentioned and interest thereon, and the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at [illegible] the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in said county, Michigan, (that being the place at which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH [illegible]

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MR. MORTON A HUMORIST.

The Once Great Greenbacker Says Some Amusing Things.

J. Sterling Morton has become exceedingly "funny" over the recent elections. He finds in the result proof positive that the people of the United States are in favor of "honest money" and that the Democratic party was defeated because it was not in favor of "honest money." If that statement were true, it would certainly be a pretty strong arraignment of several millions of American people. But "funny" men are always allowed some latitude, and what they say is generally taken in a "Pickwickian sense." His idea of "honest money" is a currency redeemable in gold. As the United States treasury has about $92,000,000 in that metal with which to redeem something like ten times the amount in paper, the honesty of our present system, according to Mr. Morton, is not quite apparent.

But even with all this great mass of paper in existence; the "dollar" has a purchasing power of nearly 200 cents, compared with what a dollar would buy a few years ago.

Mr. Morton is not content with this. Our country is rich in resources, he says, and therefore its money must be of the "greatest attainable unfluctuating purchasing power."

Why the fact of our country having great resources should make it necessary for us to have money of great purchasing power—what connection there is between the two things—Mr. Morton neglects to explain. He seems to imagine that it is all right to increase the purchasing power of money, thus making property of all kinds cheap, and compel a debtor to pay $2, or $3, or $5 for one that he owes, because the country has great resources. That is excruciatingly "funny" for the debtor.

How he is going to get money of the greatest "attainable purchasing power," and still have it "unfluctuating"—that is, unchanging—is another point upon which he throws no light. His language, as given by William E. Curtis, in the Chicago Record of November 8, is a literary curiosity.

Of course, what he means is a gold standard in its most complete sense. This everybody knows can only be maintained by greatly contracting the currency. This must inevitably be followed by a rise in the purchasing power of each dollar that is retained. Things will get cheaper and cheaper until one branch of his ideal is attined, namely, money of the highest purchasing power, but it will not be "unfluctuating," by any manner of means.—H. F. Bartine, in the National Bimetallist.

HIS NAME IS FLAHERTY.

And He Is Probably a Loyal Subject of "Her Majesty."

Mr. R. Flaherty, of New York, of course, proposes for 1900 a "Silver Palace and Musical Exhibition and Festival for Opening the 20th Century." He wants a palace of solid silver, to be constructed from the silver in the vaults of the United States treasury. He says it would be a suitable method of honoring the beginning of the twentieth century. This palace, costing some $400,000,000, would form the nucleus of a big world's fair that would knock the memory of the Chicago exposition higher than a kite, he argues, and in writing to the banks about it, he says: "The government of the United States has in the vaults of the treasury over 16,000 tons of silver in coin and bullion. It is possible to get authority from congress to use this metal and cast it into plates and other desirable shapes and build of it the most magnificent hall or palace this world has ever seen, the design to be open for competition to all the architects of the world."

He thinks it would cause $100,000,000 spent in New York. Of course, he wants to avoid any chance of this, a base stuff, ever circulating as money; and he would beguile the people, as the Romans were in their degeneracy, by shows. A difference is that the Romans, had they been able to get the silver, would have used it as money, but the Spanish mines failed. The proposal may be an improvement on that of a "Sound Money" sheet from New York that the silver be dumped into the sea. The coinage of any part of it to float through the arteries of American commerce, raising prices and ruining lagging business, would, of course, be fought bitterly by Mr. Flaherty.—Ex.

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A Delightful Christmas Magazine.

The Christmas Ladies' Home Journal by far surpasses, both in literary and artistic excellence, any previous issue of that popular magazine. Conspicuous among the contributors are ex-President Harrison, who gives the introductory paper of the series he is preparing upon 'This country of Ours;' Mrs. Mary Anderson de Navarro, who most interestingly tells of 'My First Appearance on the Stage;' and Mary E. Wilkins, who gives the first of 'Neighborhoods Types' papers. Rudyard Kipling's latest and best romance, 'William the Conqueror' (richly illustrated by W. L. Taylor,) is begun in the Christmas Journal, as is Julia Magruder's new novelette, 'The Violet,' which Charles Dana Gibson has illustrated, while Mrs. Burton Harrison's fascinating story, 'The Holiday Dance at Worrosquoyacke,' pictures by W. T. Smedley's delightfully concluded. James Whitcomb Riley's tenderly reminiscent poem, 'At the Gate' (superbly illustrated A. B. Frost,) and Kate Greenway's winsome dainty little people, are two page features of the December Journal. Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney in a 'Friendly Letter to Girl Friends' sharply criticises society for what it is, and shows its true mission or purpose, and a fitting page-mate to it is Lilian Bell's caustic analysis of 'The Man Under Thirty-five,' a brilliantly-witty paper. By the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar per year; ten cents per copy.

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The famous S. V. White, who has for so many years been such a power in Wall Street, and has meanwhile represented his District in Congress, appears in a new role in the columns of EVERY WHERE. He delivers a lay sermon to young men and women, on the text "Keep that which is committed to thy trust;" and it is the general verdict of business men, that his remarks ought to be framed in gold, and hung in every counting-room. If heeded, they would save much of the financial dishonesty which is ruining so many young men.

The other departments of the paper are up to their usual standard, which is saying a great deal. The name of the editor Will Carleton is in itself worth a whole corps of ordinary contributors, and the three poems entitled "Bird Rhymes" in this paper are worth the whole price of subscription for one year, which is only fifty cents. Address EVERY WHERE, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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SILVER AND COTTON.

NOT ALWAYS ON PARALLEL LINES WITH PRICES.

They Are Very Intimate, However—How England Uses India at the Expense of the American Producers—We Must Recoin Silver.

There has recently been a very pronounced rise in the price of cotton, while silver has not made a corresponding advance. Taking this fact as a text, the gold press (of the south particularly) is now literally tearing the vitals out of those "crazy free silver liars" who have been claiming that there is a close connection between the prices of silver and cotton. The rise in cotton while silver has remained nearly stationary, is declared to be conclusive evidence that the rise or fall of silver has nothing to do with the price of cotton.

Of course a man may be sincere who uses such an argument, but he certainly is not justified in assuming the position of a public educator. Anyone who has followed the course of this discussion ought to know that the "silver men," as they are called, have never claimed that silver and cotton or silver and wheat moved on exactly parallel lines always rising and falling together in perfect harmony. Such a contention would be absurd.

What they say is this: Cotton is sold in competition with India, which produces that staple on a silver basis. Therefore the rise or fall of silver must be an element affecting the price of cotton. If silver goes up the tendency is to carry cotton up with it; if silver goes down the tendency is the other way. With other conditions normal, they will rise and fall very closely together. If, however, something of an extraordinary nature occurs, peculiarly affecting the one and not touching the other at all, it will, of course, break the uniformity of their movement.

Suppose, for example, that the entire cotton crop of the United States should be destroyed, while nothing unusual occurs with respect to silver. The price of cotton would rise enormously. Incidentally silver would rise too because of the demand for that metal with which to purchase cotton in India. But with the aggregate supply of silver remaining the same, while cotton becomes exceedingly scarce, it is clear that the value of the cotton must be affected in a greater degree than the value of the silver. So if our cotton crop should fall off one-half or one-third, the same thing would occur, only not to so great an extent. This is about the present situation. The cotton crop has dropped from more than 9,000,000 bales to some 6,500,000 or 7,000,000, while nothing in particular has happened to silver. The result is that cotton has a veritable boom, while silver is scarcely affected at all.

But it must be remembered that at present the advanced price of cotton is a speculative one. The bulls of the market are gambling on a short crop. If the reports of disaster are fully confirmed, and a demand arises for East India cotton to supply an actual deficiency, there will come a sharp rise in silver. The same considerations apply to wheat.

The demonetization of silver lowered the prices of all products, except where something else may have supervened to prevent it. But cotton and wheat were affected in two ways: First, generally, the same as other things, by the diminished supply of money, and second, specially, by the competition of silver-using countries, which was rendered much keener by the appreciation of gold. Hence we find that these two great export staples have been more seriously affected than almost any others. This is a matter of especial concern of the United States because so large a proportion of them must be sold in the European market, which has adjusted itself to the silver basis.

There is not a trade journal in Europe or America which does not recognize the fact that under average conditions the general course of silver, cotton and wheat are very nearly the same. To arrive at average conditions we must take a series of years. When we do this the manner in which the gold prices of silver, cotton and wheat have descended the incline together, is so remarkable as to leave no room for doubt that there is some general cause at work, which applies to them all.

Even in the face of the recent extraordinary rise of cotton an ounce of silver will buy very nearly the same quantity that it would in 1873.

A short crop of cotton has been a perfect God-send to the gold champions of the South. For twenty years the advocacy of the gold standard has persistently claimed that the great fall of prices is owing to over-production. Absolutely the only remedy he has offered has been to advise the people to produce less. The advantages of a monetary system which can only be defended upon the basis of crop failures; idle factories and unemployed men, are precisely the advantages that have been showered upon the people by the gold standard.—National Bimetallist.

The Mississippi Victory.

As an example of the stuff sent the press associations is a telegram from Alabama gravely reciting that democratic leaders were seriously thinking now of abandoning free silver. This is a likely (?) story when in an adjoining state, Mississippi, with free silver democracy won by an overwhelming vote, very few voting the populist ticket, showing that dissent from democracy was only given the populist party as the only way of expressing itself. In states where the administration forced goldbug championship, the democracy was ingloriously whipped.—American Bimetallist.

The Judge's Bath.

Ex-Judge William Riley of Virginia tells a funny story on himself concerning an experience he had in the senate at Washington. As everybody who has anything to do with the senate knows, the marble baths there are very fine. They are for the use of the members of the senate and their friends. A card from a senator will admit any one. When Mr. Riley was in Washington, he used frequently to make use of these baths, going to a friend of his in the senate for a card. He would then go down in the baths, where a Georgia darky attended to the rooms. He used to berate the colored attendant in pure southern style. The senator heard one of these tirades and he put up a joke on the ex-judge. The next time he came for a card he got it as usual. Then he went down stairs and disrobed. When he had finished undressing, the colored attendant came up and said, "Boss, you kyant hab no bath heah."

"What's that, you black rascal?"

"I dun said, boss, dat you kyant hab no bath heah."

"Why?" said the startled bather.

"Read dis yeah kyard, boss," said the darky, as he handed it out. The card read:

"Keeper Potomac River—Please give bearer one bath. ——"

Rock Drilling.

The cost of hand and machine drilling is made the subject of some instructive comparisons in The Wormlandska Annaler. It appears that at Danemora, Sweden, mechanical rock drilling costs 50 cents per yard, while hand drilling is only half that amount, so that the single advantage possessed by the former would seem to consist in the greater depth to which the holes may be drilled. At the place named the mean depth of holes with hand drilling is 2 feet 4 inches in stopes and 2 feet in conversed steps or overhand stopes, while with machine drilling the depths are 5 feet and 3 feet 8 inches, respectively. In the year 1890, with hand drilling, a meter shothole brought down 2.17 tons of rock; in 1892, with machine drilling, four tons, or 8.82 tons if the subdivision of the rock masses by hand drilling be taken into consideration. Doubling the depth of the hole, therefore, loosened nearly double the quantity of rock or increased by more than some 50 per cent the mass of subdivided rock. The price paid for hand drilling in Danemora is at the rate of 25 cents per meter.

Bennett and Stanley.

It is a treat to hear Henry M. Stanley tell of the way in which he was started in his work of exploring Africa. He was then writing for James Gordon Bennett on the New York Herald. One day Mr. Bennett sent for him. He went to his rooms and found the proprietor of The Herald in bed. Mr. Stanley made himself known, and a conversation like this ensued:

"Stanley, I want you to go to Africa and find Livingstone." With that Mr. Bennett rolled over in bed and thought that the matter was settled.

"But, Mr. Bennett," said Stanley, who was struck dumb by the gigantic task outlined, "that will take time, money, preparation, and, in fact, many things must be settled."

"Draw on the office for £1,000 and go and find Livingstone. Keep drawing until you find him. That is all."

Stanley left the room in a whirl, but he followed orders.

An Indian Trick.

A good story is told by Jim Quinlan of Isaac D. Smith, who was post trader of Casa Blanca, on the Gila river, 25 years ago. It was after harvest, and as the Indians had been blessed with a large crop of grain the post trader was kept busy taking in wheat and dealing out such merchandise as poor Lo fancied. At a short distance from the store was a large adobe building, in which the purchased grain had been dumped loose from the sacks, and it was almost full to the ceiling. One day Smith was unusually busy, the Indians standing in a row waiting to dispose of their wheat, and it was not till later that he learned he had bought 16,000 pounds of his own grain. The Indians had tapped his storehouse in the rear, and as the grain rushed out it was caught in sacks and again marketed.—Arizona Citizen.

Tricks of Mexican Pickpockets.

Two German gentlemen were talking at the corner of First Plateros street, just off the entrance of the Portal, when suddenly one of them was roughly pushed by a pelado. The German tried to remonstrate and even made motions with his cane to punish the offender. At this moment his companion felt a stinging pain at the back of his neck. Another pelado had thrown a burning match inside of his collar and naturally made him throw up his hand, and while so doing the pickpocket grabbed the man's watch and chain and ran away, followed by a policeman. The ratero was not caught. The German's timepiece was a silver one, of little value, and what the Teuton felt most keenly was the burning of his neck.—Mexican Herald.

Must Have Fine Legs.

One of the greatest essentials with regard to the recommendation of a London footman is not only his height, but the size and form of his legs. To suit the needs of those who have not been gifted with a well formed leg livery makers now supply artificial calves, which pad out the leg to a respectable size. A pair of these pads costs about 5 shillings.

Keeping His Oath.

A man in Bourges is still wearing the blouse he had on when the Prussians entered France. He swore that he would never wear another and by means of patches has kept his oath. The town council has offered him 100 francs for it for the town museum.

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Faithfulness of a Dog.

Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont, in her story of "The Guard," a body of young men who followed "The Pathfinder" into the civil war and made a brilliant record for their courage and gallantry, tells a pathetic little story of a dumb beast who also was loyal and courageous.

While the guard—a body of cavalry—was drilling one day near St. Louis, a little fox terrier followed one of the men, Herr Wisa, a Hungarian officer, going with him to camp. He could not be driven away.

The men all made a pet of him and named him the "Corporal;" but, though he was affable to them all, he made the Hungarian soldier his companion and friend, sleeping at his feet at night and following him by day.

When the guard made their memorable charge at Springfield, Mo., the "Corporal" charged with them, keeping beside his master's horse throughout the battle. Herr Wisa was wounded and fell apparently dead in a thicket. The corps swept past, his horse fled, wild with terror, but the little "Corporal" nestled close beside him, licking his face and trying to rouse him.

There the dog remained through the bitter cold night. When morning came, he ran to the distant road, and by his frantic barks and cries induced a passer-by to enter the thicket.

The man, seeing only a cold, stiff body, supposed the soldier to be dead and would have hurried on, but the "Corporal" furiously drove him back and would not be silenced until he saw his master move and speak, when he crouched, dumb and contented, at his feet.

Drake's Drink.

The Chicago Post tells a number of characteristic stories about the late John B. Drake, for so many years proprietor of the Grand Pacific hotel, Chicago. On one occasion a traveling man saw him go into the little room behind the key box frame and drink some water, as was his habit, and he accosted the little man: "Say, John, why don't you patronize the bar—drink mineral water, cider or some such thing, instead of that plain water? If I owned this place, I'd have the best, you can bet."

"I had to break the ice out of the water bucket winter mornings and melt it to get a drink," replied Mr. Drake, "when I was a boy, and somehow just plain, clear water out of a white pitcher does me quite well."

"How long have you been with John B. Drake, Henry?" asked a big politician of the parlor floor colored man.

"Thirty years," said Henry Bradley, "and I hope I'll be with him 30 years longer. He always keeps his old hands." Henry was in the employ of Mr. Drake to the time of the hotel man's death.

A Memory of St. Helena.

When Napoleon Bonaparte arrived at St. Helena, he was in a pretty bad humor. His valet had forgotten to put any cigarettes in his grip, there was no beer on the ship, and one of the midshipmen had put a lot of red pepper into his snuff. He hadn't slept well either, as the captain's pet rooster woke him up by crowing punctually at 3:30 o'clock every morning. As he stepped ashore he fell into the usual pose, one hand on the pit of his stomach and the other just below his kidneys.

Seeing his abstraction, the faithful Dr. O'Meara approached and said:

"Well, sire, what do you think of the prospect?"

"From the looks of things," replied the great emperor, gazing thoughtfully at the huge masses of stone and the frowning cliffs, "from the looks of things, I imagine that we are going to have a pretty rocky time of it."—Florida Times-Union.

Had the Last Word.

A group of children were going home from school. They were little girls between the ages of 7 and 10 years, and, following the example of their older sisters, were discussing their clothes.

"I have a lovely new dress that I am going to wear to church next Sunday," said one of them.

"Pooh!" said a little one with brown eyes. "I have got a new hat, and I'm going to wear it every day."

This was too much for the little girl who was clothed the most shabbily in the party, and she said:

"I don't care. I have got heart disease, anyway."

And the others looked enviously at her.—Chicago Chronicle.

The Way to Make a Lawn.

"I should like to have such turf as this," once said an American millionaire to an Oxford gardener. "Tell me, my man, how you manage it." And he fumbled significantly in his pocket as though to indicate a willingness to pay for the required information.

"Well, sir," was the reply, delivered with the quaint humor of an old college retainer, "it's werry simple. You cuts it as close as ever you can cut, an you rolls it an cuts it for 600 years."—Good Words.

The Declaration of War.

Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden was, it is said, the first to dispense with the regular declaration of war. Frederick the Great made no declaration of war before his invasion of Silesia, the act of aggression which brought on the seven years' war.

Is This True or Not?

When an experienced mother picks up a strange baby, the first thing she always does is to say, "Oh, you little darling, you!" and the next thing is to take out her handkerchief and wipe the infant's nose.—Louisville Journal.

Duty stands for the most part close at hand, unobscured, simple, immediate. If any man has the will to hear her voice, to him is she willing to enter and to be his ready guest.—Francis Peabody.

Exchange of prisoners was practiced in very early times by both the Greeks and the Romans.

"I FORGIVE YOU."

They sat in a pew quite near the door, Mr. and Mrs. Grey and their daughter, a delicate looking girl of about 20. Sometimes there used to sit with them a young fellow, who found the girl's place and shared his hymnbook with her. Once, during a lengthy sermon, I saw him holding her hand.

Unfortunately, Mrs. Grey saw him, too, and frowned her disapproval. I noticed he didn't sit there again. Instead, an elderly gentleman occupied his seat and endeavored to find her place, when she would let him, but she rarely did.

One Sunday she wasn't there, nor he either, and for the first time the banns were read out between Olive Grey and Christopher Thornton.

One morning, after the third time of asking, I, as sexton, had orders to open and prepare the church for their marriage. I couldn't help being sorry for the bride, the church looked so dreary and depressing. If the banns had not been published I should have thought it looked suspiciously like a runaway, but that couldn't be.

I had hardly sat a moment when the door was flung open, and the young fellow burst in. I jumped up, saying:

"There is no hurry, sir, plenty of time, they haven't come yet."

"Thank heaven!" he ejaculated, when he could speak. "My man, will you help me and earn $100 at the same time?"

Then he told me what it was, his face white and anxious, his hands trembling, and I agreed. Perhaps I shouldn't have done so, but I was young myself then, and—I could begin furnishing on my own account.

I proceeded to put everything in its place again. Then I went out into the church, locking the vestry door after me.

In the chancel I hurriedly put the hassocks into a neighboring pew, the books with them and extinguished the lights.

Half an hour—three quarters went by, before a boy came to tell me I was wanted at the church.

But I didn't hurry, having my promise to that young man in view. The vicar was waiting outside the vestry surrounded by the shivering bridal party. Mrs. Grey was in a towering passion when I arrived.

"How is this, Swift!" asked the vicar. "A marriage for 11:30 o'clock, and the church not ready? Now it is after 12," he went on, pulling out his watch.

Unlocking the door, I stood back to let the party enter.

"I'm very sorry, sir," I said to the vicar as he passed. "I will explain afterward if I may."

He said no more, and I proceeded to get everything slowly ready again, keeping my eye on the clock.

It was nearly 12:30 o'clock when, unable to detain them any longer, we walked up the misty aisle into the dimly lighted chancel.

We drew up in order before the altar rails, and the vicar said to me:

"What is the matter with you. Are you ill? Where are the books?"

I got them, and the service began.

The bottom end of the church could not be seen for the fog yet. I kept my eyes fixed on where I knew the door to be and listened with all my ears.

Presently I heard it open; so did she, and she looked over her shoulder, fear, hope, doubt, then hope again mingled with a blessed relief being written all over her pale face as the footsteps she knew so well came quietly but swiftly up the aisle.

We had just reached that part where the bridegroom says "I will," when the old man said, "I will," almost before the words were well out of the vicar's mouth.

Then he turned to the bride with the same question, and she said:

"I won't!"

There was a dreadful pause, during which the vicar shut his book, and Mrs. Grey sank down in weeping hysterics. The bridegroom put up his eyeglass and stared aghast at the girl's white face.

"Mother, father, dear, you have brought me here, knowing my repugnance for the—for the man you would have me marry, knowing that I loved Jack," she said, her voice softening. "You worried me into this on the plea that this marriage would be of great assistance to you, and sent Jack away with some story about my falseness. Thank heaven, he has found out the great wrong about to be perpetrated in time."

Then out of the fog came Mr. Jack, who took his stand beside her. They hadn't seen him until then.

"You are a wicked, ungrateful girl," sobbed a voice from the floor.

"You—you published the banns without my consent or knowledge, mother. But I'm sorry for your humiliation, Mr. Thornton," she added, turning to him. "It was unavoidable. I—I can't marry you."

"You don't intend to be married, Olive?" gasped her mother, who had sat up to listen.

"Oh, yes, I do—to Jack," she answered, looking up into his face, her own alight with love.

"Mother, dear," said Miss Olive, turning her bright, tearful face to that irate lady, "no one can forbid me. I am my own mistress. I came of age yesterday. I waited for that. Dad, you will give me away!" she asked.

So he gave her away, and Mrs. Grey, who had realized the truth, had to stand and see her married to the man she loved, for the vicar did marry them, after seeing the special license was all correct, which Mr. Jack had been to procure and for which I had delayed the marriage.

I confessed everything to my vicar afterward, and he said:

"Well, Swift, I forgive you. I should have done the same myself at your age, but—don't you do it again."—London News.

Going For the Playwrights.

Carrington—Sometimes the critics rouse a playwright up and say to him: "Look here, old man! Wake up! Be a little more up to date! Don't give us conventional types that vanished from the earth more than 40 years ago!" Then he wakes up for a bit, and goes to—nature? No! To the comic papers.

Esdale—Of course, there is still too much truth in what you say.

Carrington—Take me to any play you may like to select, and I will show you in the course of it gross violations of probability that, if they were committed by a novelist, would make one throw his book aside and never read a line of him again. Do you doubt it?

Esdale—It is probable enough, alas!

Carrington—Then, since we have men who can write, why the mischief don't we get them to write our plays for us?—Nineteenth Century.

Lowell's Motto.

In a eulogy which appeared in The Century Magazine just after the poet's death are these words: "This is Lowell's legacy as a patriot, not the sentiment, 'My country, right or wrong,' but 'My country—it shall never be wrong if I can help it.'"

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A new champion of currency has entered the lists, and a strong one. It is known as The National Bimetallist, published weekly by the National Bimetallic union, at its headquarters in this city and edited by ex-Congressman H. F. Bartine. Mr. Bartine's name will be guarantee enough of the worth of the paper to all who have heard him or have read his clear and scholarly speeches on bimetallism. With rare irony Mr. Bartine heads his paper with two startling and unequivocal arguments for the double standard. It is not the subject matter of these that are startling but the authors who are none other than those two high priests of the golden calf, John G. Carlisle and John Sherman, who in the days of their purity and innocence spoke many truths that now they are ashamed of. Among the crisp and interesting articles in the last number of the new paper is one of particular value on silver and cotton, which shows that the rise in cotton due to the ravages of the boll-worm does not in any sense disprove the validity of the argument of falling prices due to silver. In the course of the article a quotation is made from the Manufacturer of Philadelphia, which is so apropos that we cannot refrain from quoting it.

"'The wildest enthusiasm' was evoked from the German American Bankers' association, in session at Atlanta, by a speech against bimetallism made by a gentleman who is pleasantly described as 'the humorist-financier of the Lone Star State.' One of the theories advanced by the humorist-financier of the Lone Star State was that the chinch-bug, the boll-worm, and the caterpillar, destroyers of wheat and cotton, are public benefactors, the worms 'this summer having moved the price of cotton up 60 per cent.' An argument intended to prove that the destruction of property increases wealth is, we should say, altogether worthy of a champion of the gold standard. If it be sound, then all the entomological influences which tend to rob the farmer of his grains should be encouraged, rather than restrained. Then, also, the money expended in the far west upon irrigation is more than wasted, for permanent drouth is the short road to riches and to bliss. This is perfectly consistent, it will be observed, with the familiar contention of the gold people that the poverty of farmers is due solely to overproduction, which means, simply, that the more wealth we create the poorer we become."

Is not this touch of sarcasm exquisite? Enthusiastic bimetallists will find the new paper filled with just this sort of up-to-date items.—Field, Farm and Fireside.

NOT A NOVELTY.

The Cause of Bimetallism Is the Cause of the Constitution.

From the Manufacturer, Philadelphia: Bimetallism is no novelty. It is 4,000 years old. Gold monometallism is not yet 90 years old; in this country not 25 years old. Bimetallism for centuries was a triumphant success. If we may judge by the conditions prevailing in the treasury at Washington, gold monometallism is a failure. The director of the mint has shown that the world now produces as much gold as its total product of gold and silver in 1865. This means that the world's business is 30 years ahead of its supply of standard money. It is beyond dispute that, if gold should be generally demonetized, as silver was, it would lose value as silver did. Why should men deny, with respect to silver, that which they must admit with respect to gold? The stock of wheat is not enlarged by issue of elevator certificates. The stock of sound money can not be increased by the emission of paper notes and other bank credits. A vegetarian who would starve to death when beef was available, because he could not get vegetables, would be prounounced a fool. A nation is not less foolish if it permit scarcity of gold violently to disorder its business when it may have security and peace by using silver with gold. The period of greatest rosperity the world ever saw followed immediately upon discovery of gold and silver deposits in the west. No nation ever had, or can have, too much metal money. We have deliberately discarded half of that which the Creator gave to us.

Expecting Too Much.

Wm. E. Curtis, in one of his letters to the Chicago Record, says that Carlisle "made the best speaker the house of representatives ever had. But no man ever made a greater failure trying to manage the financial affairs of the government."

It is to be feared that the people who so unsparingly condemn Mr. Carlisle as a financier do not fully appreciate the situation. The Savior of man is said to have fed a great multitude with a few loaves and fishes, many baskets of fragments being left over. But of course no such display of miraculous power is to be expected of Carlisle. He is only mortal, and the little dab of gold at his disposal is not enough to go around. To make $92,000,000 of gold in the treasury do the work of sustaining the entire currency system of the United States, and at the same time supply the foreign demand, would require the application of a supernatural power little short of that displayed in the distribution of the loaves and fishes.

It ought to dawn on people after awhile that the main trouble is with the system by which it is sought to adjust the enormous business of this great nation to a mere handful of gold.

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Gladstone and Disraeli.

A singular story was once related by Mr. Gladstone with reference to the late Hon. Mrs. Francis Stonor. Mr. Gladstone was asked during the seventies how he was able to bear without irritation the fierce political attacks of Lord Beaconsfield, then Mr. Disraeli. He replied that Mr. Disraeli's onslaughts had but little effect upon him, for he remembered the following incident: When Disraeli was assailing Sir Robert Peel, he was invited to a dinner party, at which Mrs. Stonor, then Miss Eliza Peel, was also a guest. Mr. Disraeli happened to sit near her at dinner and endeavored to enter into conversation with her. She met him with marked coldness and replied to his observations in monosyllables and with averted face. Mr. Disraeli persisted in his attentions, whereupon Mrs. Stonor turned angrily upon him and asked him what he meant by persecuting her with his distasteful society, having regard to his conduct to her father. Mr. Disraeli replied with the greatest nonchalance: "Really, Miss Peel, I am surprised that you misunderstand me. I am a man of the world. I mean no unkindness to Sir Robert. I am only thinking of myself." "Yes," said Mr. Gladstone, "I bear in mind that Mr. Disraeli is only thinking of himself; the knowledge is an antidote to irritation."—Westminster Gazette.

Lonsdale Has Outdone Scott.

Sir Walter Scott rendered himself ridiculous by once seizing on a glass out of which that respected monarch, George IV, had drunk, and retaining it as an inestimable relic. Lord Lonsdale has outdone him. The German emperor was good enough to pay him a visit, and subsequently to invite him to return the visit. Says Lord Lonsdale of his imperial friend: "He is doubtless one of the greatest men that ever lived! I cannot imagine that Bismarck is a greater man; but, if I must make a comparison, I would place your monarch at the side of Moltke." His imperial majesty is, I gather, the equal of Moltke because he defeated one of his own generals (clever general!) at a sham fight, and he is the greatest man that ever lived because he was able to tell Lord Lonsdale the names of all the sculptors whose works were in the imperial palace and the pedigree of all the horses in the imperial stables. "It is incomprehensible," observes his lordship, when dwelling on these evidences of genius. Simple youth! —London Truth.

Huxley's Courtship.

Sir W. Fowler tells the story of Huxley's courtship. When the Rattlesnake was in Sydney harbor, the officers were invited to a ball, and young Huxley among the number. There for the first time he met his future wife, whose parents resided at Sydney. A few days after they were engaged, and the ship sailed for the Torres straits to complete the survey of the north coast of Australia, all communication being cut off for months at a time, and then she returned direct to England. After that brief acquaintance (not longer than a fortnight) it was seven years before the lovers saw one another. At the end of this time, on Huxley's appointment to the School of Mines, he was in a position to claim his bride and welcome her to their first home in St. John's Wood. Huxley's love at first sight and constancy during those seven long years of separation were richly rewarded, for it is impossible to imagine a pair more thoroughly suited.

A Fresh Start.

Of Mr. Arthur Coventry, the English race track official, this story is told. On his way to the milepost one day the official was accosted by a broken down but gentlemanly looking man.

"You don't know me, Mr. C.," said the man, "and I don't wonder at it. I've come down in the world. But I was at Oxford with you. My name's Tomlinson."

"No, I don't know you," said Mr. C., "but what do you want?"

"Well, things have gone all wrong. I'm broke, and I want you to give me a fresh start."

"Certainly. Come along here a bit." They went on down the course, and presently at the end of the "straight" Mr. C. stopped short, raised his flag for a moment, let it fall and cried "Go!"

Wasted Figures.

He—Then everything is fixed, and we can be married in May, can't we?

She—There is only one thing I have not spoken of, and mamma insisted that I must.

He—Certainly, my angel. What is it? Bid me go through any trial for your dear sake, and I'll do it. Ask for the golden fleece, and if such a thing is in existence I'll get it. Aye, even though I must swim the seas, climb the loftiest peaks, or search in the fuming craters of mighty volcanoes, I'll do it.

She—It isn't much, my dear. Mamma said I must ask you how much you intended to allow me a week for pin money.

He—Um—er—how much are pins a paper now?—New York Weekly.

Good Listeners.

In conversing with one's friends nothing is so chilling as an apparent lack of attention and sympathy. It might be added that nothing is more vulgar, were not the listener's indifference common to the majority of our most cultured people. If, when one is addressed, she will remember to incline the body slightly forward, an attitude of rapt attention will soon be unconsciously assumed, and, whether really worthy of it or not, new recruits gained for the always popular, as rare, class known as "good listeners."—New York Times.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 20, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

It has been raining.

G. A. R. entertainment to-night.

Gen. Daboll at the Opera House to-night.

Al Hand is reported sick with pneumonia.

Roscoe Hall visited in Toledo the first of the week.

Come to the New Year's supper at the M. E. church parlors.

B. L. Baxter goes to Toledo tomorrow to spend the holidays.

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Mrs. M. E. Bice returned from her visit to Portland and vicinity Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church. Morning Service at 10:30. Topic for evening service "Gossip."

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning, Dec. 22.: "The Enduement of the Spirit."

E. W. Temple and wife left Tuesday for a 10 days' visit with their sons, Burt and Claude, at St. Paul.

In another column will be found the list of the new books purchased a few weeks ago for the library.

C. E. Williamson accompanied by his daughter, Anna, and son, Floyd, left yesterday morning for New York city for a ten days visit.

T. D. Strong, of Pemberville, Ohio, has been visiting his uncle J. S. Strong and shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends here this week.

George Williamson, who has been spending some time among old Tecumseh friends, left yesterday morning for his home in New York.

The sleighing has certainly gone, but two inches of rain has fallen since the beginning of the storm, most of which has soaked into the ground and we should still be thankful.

Monday next at 9:30 the semi-monthly meeting of the ministers will be held in the parlor of the M. E. Church. Topic for discussion will be "How does a man become a Christian."

The newly orgaized K. of P. lodge have secured the old Masonic hall in the Bidwell block for their headquarters. This will make them a most commodious and convenient home.

Christmas exercises at the Baptist church Christmas Eve. Instead of a tree or boat or ladder, a windmill has been arranged. Exercises by the children also. Come and see for yourself.

Alfred James leaves to-morrow morning for Winona, Minn., to spend the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Gamble. He will doubtless also spend some of his time while there with Alf, Little.

The Baptist church, last Sunday, voted to make the pews free next year and support the church by voluntary contribution. If all will heartily co-op-erate in this system, it can not fail to be more successful than the former plan.

The Cantata entertainment given last Friday evening by the Epworth League was a grand success. From the first note to the last hour it was interesting. The League wishes to extend a vote of thanks to Miss Grayson, also to our sister societies who kindly assisted us. Gross receipts, $65.00. Net $13.00.

The following officers of the W. R. C. were elected for the ensuing year:
Pres.—Janette Welling.
Sr. Vice—Mary C. A. Shull.
Junior Vice—Elizabeth Jordan.
Sec.—Anna B. Smith.
Treasurer—Mandana Vantine.
Chaplain—Anna S. Hanley.
Conductor—Emma Spalding.
Guard—Minnie Aldrich.
Assistant Conductor—Sarah Sweet.
Assistant Guard—Francis Haire.

Miss Flora Chase whose death was noted in last weeks HERALD, was born in Tecumseh, on the 9th day of June, 1875. Her school days were passed here where she grew to womanhood and a life of usefulness and bright prospects. Her chosen profession of teaching was commenced at the age of 17 and following ill failing health called for a rest about one year ago. The rest was taken from every care of family and friends beloved, but earthly rest and care could not avail. The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the home by Rev. B. S. Hudson and were attended by a large number of friends.

How about that wood?

We have to have wood just the same.

R. S. Moore has a change of card this week.

Chas. Bidwell was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Laura Clark, of Clinton, was in town Monday.

Harris & Hiteshu will help you to get a Xmas present. See their ad.

Alva Spayde has a very neat and dressy show window in his store.

The Herald and Rand, McNally & Co.'s $2.00 wall map of Michigan for $1.40.

W. H. Arnold, of New York City, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. James Heck.

Dr. J. E. White and E. T. VanDeMark, of Chicago, came down from Clinton Monday.

Cantata and Christmas tree at the Presbyterian church Christmas Eve at 6:30 o'clock.

Now is the accepted time to subscribe. From now till Jan. 1, '97 for $1.00. Don't put it off for a day.

Next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist church, will have for his subject "How shall we escape."

There is much written about good roads. If we only had a good highway commission to put snow in the roads just now.

Have you noticed the beautiful winter scene in the show window of our enterprising furniture men, Wheeler & Sisson?

Miss Mary Bates, of Mason, and Miss Carrie Lundy, of Lansing, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCann this week.

Our clubbing rates for 1896 are the lowest offered. We will give our subscribers the full benefit of the lowest rates obtainable on all periodicals.

The following from Clinton were seen on our streets Tuesday: Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Amspoker, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dillingham, Buell Johnson and Allan Bartlett.

The Redpath Grand Concert company, which so satisfactorily opened our star course here this winter, gave a very successful entertainment at Adrian Monday night.

Mobbs & Co., who purchased the grocery stock of H. W. McClure last week, now have everything in running order. They also have a message to the public in this week's issue.

The Britton correspondent in last week's HERALD noted that a sleigh load of Tecumseh young people was overturned there through the carelessness of the driver. Later information goes to show that the appearance and noise made by certain young residents of that village was the real cause of the little mishap.

The stand of the president taken in the premises of the Venezuelan question in regard to the Monroe doctrine seems to be received with hearty approval throughout the land. Co. C is rapidly recruiting and making active preparations for war. What could be more assuring to the administration.

A peculiar suit for breach of promise was tried in the circuit court at Adrian Tuesday, in which Mrs. Della White sued her husband, Alva White, for damages resulting from his lack of faith in carrying out his second proposal of marriage. In default of the appearance of the defendent the plaintiff was awarded judgement of $500.

McClures Magazine for January will contain a selection of Eugene Field's best-known child poems, illustrated with portraits, from Mr. Field's own collection, of the real children to whom the poems relate. There will also be an article on Field's friendships among children, illustrated with portraits of Field, including the last taken before his death.

The anniversary edition of the Evening Telegram, of Adrian, is on our table. It is a beautiful 16 page edition put up in book form with colored covers which contain a concise history of the growth of the Telegram from its first appearance in December, 1892, to its present well recognized position among the journals of the state, besides an interesting description of our county seat and its business interests. The motto of the Telegram is—"Push Adrian." The city will certainly feel the vigorous shove of the anniversary edition.

The wiring of the poles of the telephone line which has been rebuilt through here during the past few weeks has been completed this week by a very competent gang of 19 linemen under the supervision of Edward Haydon as foreman. The iron ground wires have been put on the new poles similar to the old ones except that a copper return circuit wire will be used between here and Adrian for local work. Tecumseh is strictly in it now on the long distance phone, it being the only station between Detroit and Adrian, which is regularly cut in on that line. The long distance connections are of two metallic return circuits of No. 10 copper wire running from Adrian to Chicago where connection is made with New York. A fine new booth has also been put in the local office here which closes so tightly as to be almost sound proof. When the connections are perfected, the transmission is so perfect that a watch ticking in Gotham can be distinctly heard here. The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. are preparing for the expiration of patents by improving their service to a point which will practically shut off competition.

In another column we make a small bow to our patrons.

Miss Douglas will spend the vacation with her parents at Church, Mich.

Mrs. E. R. Crossman has returned from Dundee much improved in health.

The skating rink will be open Tuesday, Christmas eve instead of Wednesday.

We are pleased to say that Wm. Hayden, who was taken quite ill last week is improving.

Miss Widney goes to Adrian and Miss Harding to Hillsdale today for the holiday vacation.

You are looking for bargains this year. You will find them in our Holiday Supplement.

The postoffice will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock a. m. and from 11 a. m., to 1 p. m., on Christmas day.

Burt Gray, who has been employed at the Michigan Buggy Co's works in Adrian, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann gave a very pleasant party Wednesday in honor of their guests Misses Bates and Lundy.

D. T. Hall and wife were surprised by an addition to the family last Monday morning. Eight pounds of masculine humanity.

Mrs. E. B. Hause arrived here from St. Paul yesterday for a short visit at Dr. Hause's. She will visit her mother in Detroit before her return.

Calvin Bovee and wife are visiting friends and relatives here this week. Miss Metta Owens will accompany them to their home in Clayton.

Mr. Mitchell Wichert, now a patent attorney of Washington, D. C., who lived here years ago, is shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends. Mr. W. has not been here before for 18 years.

The young men of Tecumseh are convinced of the fact that if they do not do something pretty suddenly the fair sex will be under no very weighty obligations for the coming leap year. A party will be given by our young scions at the armory Christmas night. Are you going?

Lucius Lilley succeeds himself as the president of the Lilley state savings bank at Tecumseh. Behold the Lilley of Tecumseh. He scolds not, neither hoes he sin, yet Solomon or Isaac in their greatest glory never did a more successful banking business than he. —Adrian Press.

Ira Ladd, a well known and much respected pioneer, of Adrian township, was buried Tuesday last from his home between here and Adrian. The interment was at Wolf Creek. The day was not fine, but in spite of this the attendance was large. Rev. C. E. Andrus, of this place preached the sermon.

The funeral of S. C. Stacy was held at the family residence Friday afternoon, Rev. C. E. Andrus officiating. A large concourse of friends and a delegation from the Lenawee County Bar assembled to pay their last token of respect. The business houses in town were closed during the services.

The first number of volume one of the Epworth Banner is at hand. It is a bright little sheet published in the interests of the enterprising Epworth Leaguers of the M. E. church, of Tecumseh. It contains a complete directory of the of the officers church and league, much good reading and four columns of attractive advertising.

Mrs. W. A. Satterlee, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hause since last June expected to start for her home in Kansas City to-day. This morning a telegram was received announcing a heavy snow storm there in consequence of which, Mrs. S. will not start till Monday. We see in this storm hopes of sleighing for Christmas.

Mrs. Sheldon, of Newburgh, was very abruptly summoned home last Monday from Detroit by a telegram announcing the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Louis L. Starks. The deceased had lived with her daughter's family since they moved from New York about 12 years ago. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hudson at the house yesterday. The body was taken to Warsaw N. Y., the old home of the deceased, accompanied by Fred Sheldon.

The Ladies of the Episcopal church gave their annual fair and supper last evening in the Geo. Heesen block. When the Episcopal parishioners advertise their annual fair the public know what to expect and a liberal patronage is assured. Though the preparations were perhaps less elaborate this year than usual, the excellence of the articles for sale as well as the viands were fully up to the standard. The treasury of the society gains about $70 from the proceeds.

Mrs. Laura Treat, who lived several years at Jehiel Davidson's in town and who moved this fall to the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Margeson died at her home east of town last Monday morning, Dec. 16. Had Mrs. Treat lived until yesterday she would only have lacked 6 years of being a centenarian. The deceased migrated from New York in 36 and settled at Adrian. She early joined the Baptist Church at that place and upon moving to Tecumseh identified her life with the same denomination here. Mrs. Treat has always been known among her friends and co-workers in the church as a patient, industrious and devoted woman. The services were held at the house and Baptist church Wednesday, conducted by her pastor, Rev. B. S. Hudson.

Ladies social of the Universalist church will be held in the church next Friday afternoon from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Subjects for next Sunday in the Universalist church: morning, "As a man thinketh so is he." Evening, "The Star of Bethlehem." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m.

Tecumseh Chapter, No. 42, R. A. M., will hold its annual election Christmas night. Chapter will open at half past six o'clock and the regular business will be transacted. Commencing at 7:30, the Royal Arch degree will be conferred. Following this will be the election of officers for the ensuing year, closing with a Christmas banquet.

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—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

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—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

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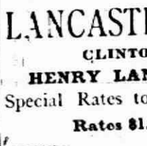

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FOR A BIG BRIDGE.

Bill for a Structure to Span the Detroit River—Will Cost $4,000,000.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Senator McMillan has introduced a bill authorizing the Michigan Central Bridge company to construct a railroad bridge across the Detroit river at Detroit. The bill provides that the bridge shall be made with three unbroken spans between the bulkhead lines on the two sides of the river. The length of the main channel span is to be not less than 1,100 feet in the clear. Only two piers are allowed inside the bulkheads, and they are placed by the secretary of war. It is specifically provided that the bridge shall not materially obstruct navigation.

President Ledyard, of the Michigan Central admitted his company was back of the movement for a bridge. It had long been desirous of doing away with its slow and expensive car ferries, and now only awaited the consent of congress to go ahead with the work. The cost of the bridge will aggregate $4,000,000 with approaches, and the building will be engineered by Gen. Field, of cantalever bridge fame. Lake marine interests are opposed to the construction of the proposed bridge, but according to plans there will be practically no interference with navigation. The bridge company has also taken steps to secure permission for the construction of the bridge from the dominion parliament.

ILLITERACY IN MICHIGAN.

Statistics of Persons Who Can Neither Read Nor Write.

Lansing, Dec. 16.—The state census bulletin, covering the subject of illiteracy in the state, has been issued. In view of the opportunities for acquiring an education which the state affords its citizens the showing made by the bulletin is in many respects startling. The total number of illiterate persons 10 years old and over in the state is returned at 95,037, of whom 70,772 can neither read nor write, and 24,265 can read but cannot write. The number of illiterate persons aged ten and over returned at the United States census of 1890 is 95,914, at the state census of 1884, 111,213, and at the United States census of 1880 there were 47,112 persons returned as unable to read, and 63,723 as unable to write.

The number of illiterate persons in the state, as shown by the present census, is 887 less than returned in 1890, and 16,176 less than returned in 1884. The number returned in 1884 was 47,490 more than returned in 1880.

Of the total number aged ten and over returned in the present census as unable to read or write 24,660 are native and 46,112 foreign born. Of the native 13,280 had native parents, 5,983 foreign born parents, and 2,508 one parent native and the other foreign born. The parent nativity of 1,889 is not returned.

PREACHER AS BARBER.

Rev. Mr. Ford, of St. Louis, Appeals to the Tonsorial Craft.

St. Louis, Dec. 16.—Rev. M. H. Ford, pastor of the Methodist church, who during the past year has preached to firemen, veterans of the war, and blacksmiths, and had his church decorated with the utensils of their various employments Sunday night varied his novelty by preaching to barbers. The church walls were hung with towels, razors, scissors, brushes, combs, strops, bottles and washes, while a barber's chair and a large mirror adorned the pulpit. The sermon was directed especially to barbers, and lessons on various views of life were illustrated with the tonsoral implements. A crowded audience was present.

PUT OUT THE FIRE.

Conductor Stops His Train and Saves a Family.

Detroit, Dec. 17.—Conductor Pierce, of train No. 349 on the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway, telegraphed Superintendent Atwater that while his train was running near Marcellus the crew discovered a farmer's house on fire. The train was stopped immediately and several members of the crew ran to the house, kicked in the doors and rescued the suffocating family and helped them to extinguish the fire.

Holds the Law Constitutional.

Lansing, Dec. 14.—In the case of Eaton vs. German, of Freeport, the supreme court held for the constitutionality of the law which provides that in an action where the county is a party residents are competent jurors. The fact that gasoline was temporarily stored in the building by workmen and used by them for burning off paint was held to be no violation of the provisions of the policy.

Not Guilty of Wife Murder.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 14. — Charles Olmstead, of Stevensville, who has been confined in jail three weeks for alleged wife murder, has been set at liberty, the doctors of Rush medical college finding no poison in the stomach sent them for examination. Olmstead now threatens to prosecute several people of his neighborhood, including his father-in-law, for alleged spite work.

Independent Line Is Successful.

Lansing, Dec. 13.—Lansing is one of the Michigan cities in which an independent telephone company has been successful. The company, formed by local business men, commenced business October 1, and now has 370 subscribers. At a meeting the capital stock was increased and arrangements made to push for a state line service.

Will Lay a Double Track.

Lansing, Dec. 14.—It is evident that the Chicago & Grand Trunk Railroad company intends to lay a double track through Michigan next summer. Five hundred car loads of steel rails have been shipped to this place. Similar shipments are being made to other cities along the line.

State Poultry Show.

Concord, Dec. 13.—The premium list of the fourth annual meeting of the Michigan State Poultry association at Jackson, January 7 to 11, is being mailed to chicken fanciers.

BRUTAL ATTACK.

Servant Girl at St. Joseph Fatally Injured.

St. Joseph, Dec. 16.—Sunday Minnie Spanks, a German domestic in the employ of J. H. Hanley, was found near the house in an almost lifeless condition. The girl had been gagged with a large handkerchief and was then struck a heavy blow on the head with a blunt instrument, supposed to be a club. A rope was then twisted about her neck. The case is a mysterious one, as no one saw the assault. Last Tuesday Miss Spanks claimed that a strange man chased her through the house during the absence of the family and fired two shots from a revolver at her. She escaped by running upstairs and leaping from a window to the ground. When the neighbors came they saw no sign of the strange man. Mr. Grice, a man employed on the Hanley farm, stated that he did not hear the shots fired, and that he and others believed the girl's fears to be unfounded. The girl has stated on several occasions that she saw a strange man around the house peeking in the windows, but he was never seen by any other persons, although an officer sat up all one night and watched the place. The girl will probably die from the assault.

PRIEST LOCKED OUT.

Father Slattery Ousted from His Parsonage at Lansing.

Lansing, Dec. 18.—The trouble between Father Slattery, of St. Mary's church, and his parishioners who are dissatisfied with his administration of affairs culminated Tuesday afternoon when a committee representing the dissatisfied element took forcible possession of the parsonage, locking out Father Slattery and several visiting priests who had been assisting in the services incident to the 40 hours' devotion which concluded Tuesday. Father Slattery made complaint in forcible entry and detainer and the intruders willingly surrendered possession to a deputy sheriff. The intruders gave bail for their appearance and the matter will be aired in the courts. This was the object of Tuesday's proceedings, the dissatisfied element claiming that, as they failed to have the matter investigated by the ecclesiastical authorities, they resorted to this means of securing a hearing in the civil courts.

NEW CAR FERRY.

Railways Contemplate the Erection of Another.

Menominee, Dec. 18.—It is understood that a contract for the building of an immense steel car ferry by a Saginaw firm is about to be closed, the new boat to be run between Manistee and Menominee in connection with the Wisconsin and Michigan and Soo lines and the Flint and Pere Marquette. The dimensions of the boat will be 375 feet long by 53 feet wide, and calculated to carry 28 cars. She will be provided with two 2,000 horse-power engines, and also fitted with a passenger cabin to contain 30 staterooms. In order to secure the lumber trade of Menominee and Marinette the projectors, it is said, have guaranteed to run on schedule time winter and summer. The boat will be so constructed as to successfully overcome any ice that may form in Green bay.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Michigan Would Be Ready in Case of War.

Detroit, Dec. 18.—The sentiment of the leading men of this city, as gathered in interviews, is unanimous in support of the president's position on Venezuela. The feeling is general that while the prospects of a war are remote, owing to the immense financial interests that would be sacrificed, the attitude of the president is none too firm. The war sentiment is strong, and the prospective trouble is the sole topic of conversation. The proximity of the Canadian line has been the foundation of all sorts of schemes for the subjection and annexation of Canada. Figures gathered from the colonels of all Michigan national guard regiments show that over 3,000 infantry could be put in the field in 24 hours. The naval reserve in the state comprises three divisions, numbering about 250 men.

SILVERITES WIN A VICTORY.

Michigan Grange Votes in Favor of Free Coinage.

Lansing, Dec. 14.—The state grange prospered to an unusual degree last year. Reports submitted Friday show that the membership was increased nearly 2,000, and that there are 13,625 members in good standing in the state. Free silverites won a decisive victory, the report favoring the free coinage of American silver and gold being adopted by a vote of over six to one.

Resolutions were adopted demanding that the local option liquor law be extended to cities and villages; more stringent pure food laws; that reduction of the salaries of justices of the supreme court to $5,000; a general revision of the state constitution, and the adoption of hte free text-book system in all sections of the state.

Upholds Insurance Law.

Lansing, Dec. 18.—The constitutionality of the statute prohibiting persons from soliciting insurance for the Lloyd's or insurance companies not authorized by the commissioner of insurance to do business in Michigan was upheld by the supreme court Tuesday, the court ordering the Kalamazoo circuit court to sentence Edmund C. Gay, a Chicago man, who was last summer convicted of soliciting insurance for an unauthorized company.

Compromised.

Muskegon, Dec. 18.—George W. King, who was recently discharged on the charge of murdering Nathan Douglas, assigned his insurance policies on his burned store to Attorneys F. W. Coot and James O'Hara. They amounted to $3,700. The insurance companies announced that they were going to contest on the grounds that the store was set on fire. They have settled, however, at 50 cents on the dollar.

FULL OF NEWS.

Paragraphs Containing Much of Interest from Many Localities.

Farmers at Rives are buying sheep to feed this winter.

In some parts of the state the bean crops are threatened with weevil.

D. D. Flanigan, a veteran of the 12th Michigan infantry, died at Benton Harbor, aged 78 years.

Lansing is said to have an unusually large number of destitute persons in its borders this winter.

The log jam in the Manistee river extends several miles, and includes 18,000,000 feet of timber.

A few days ago farmers hauled in enough wheat to Alma roller mills to make 5,000 barrels of flour.

Northern Michigan fur buyers report that trappers are meeting with great success thus far this season.

There is at present in the United States fish hatchery at Northville a nest of 13,000,000 eggs in the course of incubation.

Forty-five bushels of sunflower seed were harvested by a Reading farmer, and he is now feeding it to his poultry and stock.

Dick Nelleen, of Menominee, shot his sweetheart, Anna Bumbee, killing her instantly and then put a bullet through his own heart.

Scovel C. Stacey, of Tecumseh, editor of the Herald and a prominent state campaign speaker, died at his home recently of apoplexy.

Gov. Rich has accepted the application of the new Jackson company to fill the vacancy caused by the mustering out of the Emmet Rifles, company H.

At Coldwater Edwin H. Cozier was sentenced to five years for assault to commit murder; Earl Broughton, eight years for burglary, and Alfred Bedford, six years for burglary.

Although thousands of dollars have been paid in bounties in an attempt to exterminate English sparrows in Berrien county the birds are said to be more numerous than ever and taxpayers have given up in disgust.

Several fishermen residing in the villages along the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad in Clare county were caught spearing fish in Houghton lake, Roscommon county, by one of the game wardens, and fined three dollars each and costs.

Menominee and Marinette are champion sawmill towns in this part of the country. Twenty mills have this season cut 418,707,987 feet of logs, valued at $5,000,000. There are 42 concerns in the two cities engaged in buying, selling and manufacturing lumber.

BIG BLAZE AT OWOSSO.

Ann Arbor Railway Car Shops Destroyed —One Life Lost.

Owosso, Dec. 17.—The car shops of the Ann Arbor railway burned at six o'clock Monday evening. Eighty-five men had just quit work for the day and closed the doors when the night watchman discovered a small blaze in the end of the building. Before the fire department could get to work a mass of flame broke out, and it became impossible to get near the building on account of the heat and smoke. Fifteen men opened the doors and went to get their tools and save the records but were overcome by smoke. All were rescued but J. S. Pease, who tried to get out of one door, and, falling, tried another, but fell over and was suffocated and burned beyond recognition. S. B. Kinney was also burned. The records of the company in the car department are all lost, covering a period of 12 years. The loss is figured by the officials at $12,000.

FOR CHEAPER FARES.

Mayor Pingree to Invoke the Law in His War on Street Railways.

Detroit, Dec. 17.—Mayor Pingree has had a petition prepared which will be presented to the Wayne circuit court asking that a writ of mandamus be issued compelling the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company to have for sale upon all its cars six tickets for 25 cents and required to receive and carry passengers at that rate, and also to determine what shall constitute a reasonable rate of fare, the petitioner being advised that it is the duty of the company to fix a reasonable rate of fare. The petition charges that licenses and grants have been given and accepted on the express promise and assurance of said company that no raise would be made in its rates of fare; and that it is illegal and extortionate to charge five cents for each passenger.

Great Slate for Salt.

Saginaw, Dec. 15.—The annual report of G. W. Hill, state salt inspector for the fiscal year ending November 30, was issued Saturday. There are 110 firms, operating 113 salt plants, having an estimated capacity of 5,420,000 barrels. The actual production for the year was 3,675,751 barrels, 190,323 barrels more than in 1894.

Gen. Shakespeare a Candidate.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 14.—Gen. William Shakespeare, whose plucky fight against a reduction in his pension has attracted wide attention, is announced by his friends as a candidate for the office of the department commander of the Michigan G. A. R. There are several other candidates in the field.

Water Is Scarce.

Lansing, Dec. 15.—On account of the dry weather of the past season water is very scarce in many sections. One farmer near Sunfield has dug three wells without getting a drop, and many people are melting snow to secure water for their stock.

Cause Must Be Shown.

Lansing, Dec. 14. —. The supreme court has granted an injunction compelling the counties of Muskegon and Iron to show cause why they should not pay the state certain back taxes aggregating about $30,000.

Stump Penetrates His Brain.

Decatur, Dec. 13.—John Vogan, of Lawton, fell into a blackberry bush and one of the stumps penetrated his brain, causing instant death.

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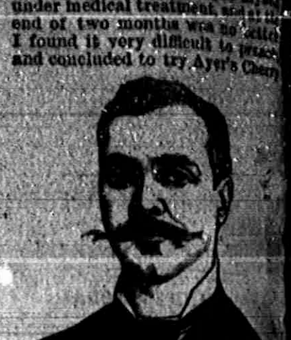

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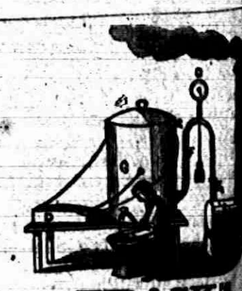

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Dec. 29. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Work of the Women.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts ix. 36-39; xvi. 14-15, 40; xviii. 2, 26; xvii. 12.

Women acted an important part in the apostolic church. Women of Galilee had accompanied Jesus in his journeys, ministering to him. They were present in the meetings of the disciples in Jerusalem after the ascension and seem to have enjoyed greater liberty of action even than in the Jewish church.

Dorcas, a widow of Joppa, was noted for her activity in care of the poor and works of charity and relief, and after her death was restored to life by a miracle performed by Peter.

Lydia was a resident of Philippi and received Paul and his companions in travel and labor into her house. She seems to have been the first convert to the gospel in Europe.

Priscilla, with her husband Aquila, was banished from Rome by the Emperor Claudius. They came to Corinth, met Paul and were converted. Settled afterward in Ephesus, they instructed Apollos in the way of Christ and were of great assistance in the church wherever they went. They are several times mentioned in the Acts and epistles.

Honorable women are also referred to in these books and seem to have been the wives and daughters of Greek and Roman officials. Many of them, being piously inclined, early became converts to Christianity. They greatly assisted the struggling church by their influence and wealth.

Forefathers' Day.

Dec. 21 is observed in Plymouth, Mass., and in many places where the memory of the pilgrim fathers is revered as the anniversary of the landing on Plymouth or Forefathers' Rock. The descendants of the sturdy stock are scattered in every state of the Union and in every land on the globe. The principles for which the pilgrims suffered became the bedrock on which our republic is builded. The people have done well to erect a monument to their memory on the highest hill overlooking the town they settled. Facing the east, the figure of Faith looks far out over the Atlantic, catching the first gleam of day as it comes over the horizon line. It is a noble memorial to noble souls.

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I know of a land where the streets are paved
With the things which we meant to achieve.
It is walled with the money we meant to have saved.
And the pleasures for which we grieve.
The kind words unspoken, the promises broken
And many a coveted boon
Are hid away there in that land somewhere—
The land of "Pretty Soon."

There are uncut jewels of possible fame
Lying about in the dust
And many a noble and lofty aim
Covered with mold and rust.
And, oh, this place, while it seems so near,
Is farther away than the moon,
Though our purpose is fair yet we never get there—
To the land of "Pretty Soon."

The road that leads to that mystic land
Is strewn with pitiful wrecks,
And the ships that have sailed for its shining strand
Bear skeletons on their decks.
It is farther at noon than it was at dawn
And farther at night than at noon.
Oh, let us beware of that land down there—
The land of "Pretty Soon."

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Forty Years.

What changes in Japan in that time! Forty years ago Commodore Perry entered the bay of Yokohama one Sunday morning with capstan draped with the stars and stripes and the Bible lying on the top. Not a newspaper was then published in the country. Now there are more than in all the rest of Asia—more than in Spain and Russia combined. She has in a quarter of a century emerged from semibarbarism and taken rank with the foremost nations of the world.

Missionary Zeal.

One of the most fascinating stories of real life ever written is that which Bishop William Taylor has put into the volume he calls "The Story of My Life." It reads like romance. It is more than romantic; it is marvelous. Our Leagues ought to buy the book, divide up its chapters among the members, and then let the story be told at some meeting of the League. It is stimulating to faith and an awakener of zeal.

Signs of Civilization.

Among the Zulus, when one is converted, he at once shows a desire for clothes. He will at first buy a calico shirt, then a pair of duck pants. After that he wants a three legged stool. He cannot sit on the ground with clothes on. So clothed and seated he is lifted a thousand miles in civilization above the heathen around him.

In Mexico.

There is a chapter of the Epworth League in the City of Mexico which holds a devotional service every Sunday afternoon. The embassador from Japan is a Methodist, having been converted in his native land in one of the missions.

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Mr. Starkweather secured over ten per cent of Original Pensions allowed in Michigan for the month of August, 1890, 608 allowed.—Detroit Free Press.

DECEMBER—1895.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the senate on the 11th Senator Cockrell presented the memorial of the Kansas City board of trade asking congress to grant belligerent rights to Cuba. Senator Hill offered his resolution of last session for the amendment of the rules, by providing for cloture and the counting of quorums....The house was not in session.

Bills were introduced in the senate on the 12th to increase all pensions 25 per cent., and to establish a school of forestry in connection with the department of agriculture. A resolution was passed calling upon the secretary of agriculture for information as to whether he had expended all or any part of the last appropriation for the purchase and distribution of seeds. Adjourned to the 16th....In the house ex-Speaker Grow (rep., Pa.) spoke on the portion of the president's message referring to the tariff and said that the new law up to December 1 had produced a deficiency of $131,000,000, while, under protective measures, from 1880 to 1893, the revenues had exceeded the expenditures by $1,310,000,000. Bills were introduced to restore the duty on salt and increase the duty on willow, and to restore the McKinley rates on importations and manufactures of wool. Adjourned to the 16th.

In the senate on the 16th petitions were presented for a restoration of the wool schedule of the McKinley tariff act, and for one cent letter postage. Bills were introduced to exclude aliens from public employment; to protect public forest reservations, and for a railroad bridge across the Detroit river at Detroit....In the house Mr. Flynn (O. T.) severely arraigned Secretary Smith for the delay in the appointment of the alotting agents to allot lands to the Wichita Indians. A bill was introduced to repeat the provisions of the McKinley tariff law that cover agricultural products and provisions, wool and manufactures of wool, and silk and silk goods.

DOMESTIC.

Fire destroyed the building in Chicago occupied by D. H. Fritts & Co., picture-frame manufacturers, and caused a damage of $100,000.

J. P. Riply, a distiller at Lawrenceburg, Ky., failed for $300,000.

St. Æmelianus' orphan asylum at St. Francis, Wis., was burned, the loss being over $100,000. There were 200 children in the building, but all were safely removed.

Mrs. Nancy J. Thompson, aged 78 years, was found starved and frozen to death near Maple City, Kan.

At the meeting in New York of the American Federation of Labor resolutions were adopted protesting against the passage in congress of the compulsory arbitration bill and against capital punishment.

Representative E. M. Woomer, of Pennsylvania, representing the Fourth district, fell on a slippery sidewalk in Washington and broke his left leg.

The bark Theobald arrived at San Francisco from Coal bay with the first cargo of coal ever shipped from Alaska.

The character of the information received at the war department in Washington concerning the reported Apache outbreak in Arizona shows it to be trifling, and not likely to lead to any general uprising.

The discovery in the dissecting room of a medical college at Topeka, Kan., of the bodies of three women stolen from cemeteries caused a riot that required the calling out of troops.

The schooner Elwood of San Francisco is missing, and was supposed to have gone down off the Alaskan coast between Cook's inlet and Glazier bay, with all on board.

Fire destroyed the business portion of Carlock, Ill.

A gang of clever counterfeiters were arrested at Pittsburgh by United States authorities.

Miss Pearl Barton, a young girl who had been asleep at Wilkesbarre, Pa., since November 28, died without awakening. The doctors were unable to say what the cause of death was.

Aaron Harper (colored) was hanged at Coffeyville, Miss., for the murder of his wife last April.

The Weir plow shops at Monmouth, Ill., were almost totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $150,000.

E. C. Taylor, city editor of the Alton (Ill.) Sentinel-Democrat, fell dead of apoplexy.

At the annual convention in Baltimore of the National Reform association a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States was approved that acknowledges Almighty God as the source of all authority in civil government, the Lord Jesus Christ as the ruler of nations, and the revealed will of God as the supreme authority in civil affairs.

The most famous blockade runner during the rebellion, Alexander Collie, died in poverty in New York.

A statement made by the bureau of statistics shows that breadstuffs valued at $107,349,274 were exported during the 11 months ended November 30, against $111,820,345 during the same time in 1894. Provision exports were $138,682,375, against $151,898,259 in 1894.

William Campbell & Co., manufacturers of woolens in New York, failed for $100,000.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 13th aggregated $1,129,766,288, against $1,247,194,999 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 10.6.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Ingerson, at Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken above a whisper for months, and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers. Orr & Temple. Dec.

The supreme court of Minnesota decided that state legislators could not hold any other office. This decision throws out of office a large number of men.

George Rubright, a weak-minded young man, while in church at Evansville, Ind., suddenly attacked Miss Carrie Daum and stabbed her fatally.

There were 388 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 13th, against 324 the week previous and 349 in the corresponding time of 1894.

Max Goodrich, aged 35, in a fit of jealous rage fatally shot his young wife, Bertha, at their home in Philadelphia and then sent a bullet through his own brain.

The secret service officials in Washington discovered a new counterfeit $20 United States note of the series of 1880, with the portrait of Hamilton poorly engraved.

By a premature explosion of powder and dynamite four men were killed at La Folette, Tenn., and four other men were missing.

The American Red Cross society has decided to accept the duty of distributing relief funds for the Armenian sufferers.

Steamers arriving in New York reported terrible weather at sea.

Jim Nichols, (colored) was hanged at Fayette, W. Va., for the murder of Henry Carr during a game of craps at Eagle, W. Va., August 31.

Oliver Hammond, his wife and three children were instantly killed at a crossing on the Dayton & Union railroad seven miles from Greenville, O.

Almost the entire wholesale district of Council Bluffs, Ia., was destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at $500,000.

Abe Taylor was hanged at Carson City, Col., for the murder of City Marshal Emerson, of Alamosa, about two years ago, while the latter was trying to arrest him for theft.

Thirty-one buildings at Titusville, Fla., were destroyed by fire, the total loss being $100,000.

The National Civil Service Reform league in session in Washington re-elected Carl Schurz, of New York, as president.

A National Federation of Colored Men was organized at Detroit, Mich., the object being to assert opposition to every species of injustice perpetrated upon the race.

James B. Pace, president of the Planters' national bank at Richmond, Va., failed for $1,000,000.

A boulder fell upon five workmen at Big Stone Gap, Va., killing them all.

Miss Helen Culver, of Chicago, gave $1,000,000 to the University of Chicago for the advancement of the science of biology.

The state salt inspector of Michigan reports that 3,675,751 barrels were produced during the year, a gain of 190,323 barrels over 1894.

The American Federation of Labor in session in New York elected Samuel Gompers, of New York, as president.

Secretary Carlisle estimates that it will cost $418,091,073.17 to run this government during the next fiscal year. The appropriations for the present year made by the last congress amount to $412,753,264.81.

While playing on the ice at Indianapolis John Horhamer, aged ten, and Otto Greenwaldt, aged seven, cousins, were drowned.

Al Stinson and William Davis, white cap leaders at Anderson, Ind., were sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

At Syracuse, N. Y., Clearwater won the pool championship of the world, defeating Keogh, of Binghamton.

The principal business portion of Bethel, N. C., was destroyed by fire.

Figures on the racing season of 1895 in the United States show that $2,826,749 was earned by horses placed in the 7,362 events decided during the year.

Secretary Carlisle's annual report shows that the revenues of the government from all sources during the last fiscal year amounted to $390,373,203. The expenditures during the same period aggregated $433,178,426; leaving a deficit for the year of $42,805,223. The revenues for the current fiscal year are estimated upon the basis of existing laws at $431,907,407, and the expenditures at $448,907,407, which will leave a deficit of $17,000,000. The burden of the report is a plea for the retirement of the greenbacks.

A fast express train on the Erie railroad went down an embankment near Coshocton, N. Y., and five persons were seriously injured.

An express train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road was wrecked at Milton, O., and 37 persons were injured.

Fitzsimmons signed articles of agreement to fight Peter Maher for the world's championship on February 14 near El Paso, Tex.

Over 15,000 tailors in New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City were locked out by their employers.

The marriage of Miss Clara Hazel Busch, daughter of Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer, and Herr Paul Von Gontard, a prominent citizen of Germany, took place in St. Louis.

The German national bank at Lincoln, Neb., closed its doors with liabilities of $150,000.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 16th was: Wheat, 66,835,000 bushels; corn, 5,227,000 bushels; oats, 6,134,000 bushels; rye, 1,555,000 bushels; barley, 4,475 bushels.

All the street car lines in Philadelphia were tied up by a strike of the employes for shorter hours and the privilege of belonging to a union.

John Robinson, aged 25 years, fatally shot at Philadelphia May Eckert, aged 24 years, his alleged wife, and then committed suicide.

Two infernal machines were intercepted in the mails in Chicago. One was addressed to Philip D. Armour, the millionaire packer, and the other was for George M. Pullman, president of the Pullman Palace Car company.

"Tea party day," in celebration of the Boston tea party 122 years ago, was observed in Boston by the Daughters of the Revolution.

The police at Buffalo, N. Y., arrested a gang of six of the most notorious professional car burglars in the country.

The body of Alexander Krell, whose piano factory was burned in Cincinnati with a loss of over $100,000, was found in the cellar of the ruins.

James Thompson, of Ceylon, India, lost his life in a fire at the exposition grounds at Atlanta, Ga.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Edward McPherson died at Gettysburg, Pa., from an overdose of nux vomica, taken by mistake. He was an ex-member of congress and clerk of the house of representatives during seven congresses, besides holding other important positions at Washington.

"Father" Leak, who had been a Methodist minister 70 years, died at Atchison, Kan., aged 92 years.

The democratic national committee will meet in Washington on January 16 to select the time and place for holding the next democratic national convention.

Miss Phoebe Lincoln, the favorite cousin of the martyred president of the United States, died at her home in La Harpe, Ill., at the age of 67.

Judge Thomas L. Nugent, the populist leader in Texas, died at his home in Fort Worth.

The national committee of the people's party will meet in St. Louis January 17 to fix the time and place for holding a national convention.

The funeral of Allen G. Thurman took place at Columbus, O. The services were simple, according to the wishes of the dead statesman, and the remains were placed by the side of his wife in Greenlawn cemetery.

W. A. McKeighan, member of the 52d and 53d congresses from the Fifth Nebraska district, died at his home in Hastings, aged 53 years.

The official call for the national republican convention to meet in St. Louis on June 16, 1896, was issued by the national committee.

President Cleveland returned to Washington from his duck hunting trip in the vicinity of Cape Hatteras.

Eskiminzin, one of the most noted chiefs of the Apaches, died at the San Carlos reservation in Arizona.

B. M. Kitchen, aged 83, ex-member of congress from the Second West Virginia district, died at Martinsburg.

FOREIGN.

The British gunboat Dryad and the Italian gunboat Archimede passed the straits of the Dardanelles, owing to a brawl at Stamboul.

Advices from Constantinople say that all the embassies were practically preparing for a state of siege.

The coasting steamer Harrington ran down the fishing smack Ugan off Whitby, England, and ten of the Ugan's crew were drowned.

A dispatch from Madrid says that Gen. Martinez Campos had resigned his command of the Spanish army in Cuba and would be succeeded by Gen. Weyler.

Five San Francisco seafaring men and ten other Americans were sentenced to life imprisonment in the Saghalin prison by the Russian authorities for prohibitory fishing in Siberian waters.

Severe storms in Germany did damage in the city of Hamburg and vicinity estimated at over 6,000,000 marks.

A caravan was attacked by Chief Massais' followers near Eldora, Africa, and over 1,000 of the men with the caravan were killed.

It was estimated that 40,000 Armenians had been killed by the Turks in the past two months and that property valued at $50,000,000 had been either stolen or destroyed.

LATER.

The message of President Cleveland to congress transmitting the correspondence between Secretary Olney and Lord Salisbury relative to the Venezuela boundary dispute insists upon the validity of the Monroe doctrine, and upon its application to present conditions, and clearly indicates a determination for its enforcement, as the English government has refused to arbitrate the question in dispute.

The German ship Athena, from New York for Bremen, was wrecked at sea by an explosion and the captain and 13 men were drowned.

Riot and destruction marked the opening day of the great strike of the street car employes in Philadelphia. Over 300 cars were wrecked and other damage was done.

Gen. Moses B. Walker, the hero of Chickamauga, died at Kenton, O., aged 76 years. He was the last man that left the field of Chickamauga.

The special election in the Sixth supreme court district of Illinois to choose a successor to Justice Bailey resulted in a large majority for James H. Cartwright (rep.).

One-half the business portion of Vienna, Ill., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

Delegates from national, state and territorial societies, leagues and alliances of temperance reform workers met in convention in Washington.

The Federation of Labor in session in New York adopted a resolution that party politics should not have any place in the organization, selected Cincinnati as the next place of meeting and adjourned sine die.

Nelson Driggs, the most famous counterfeiter of his time, died at his home in Dayton, O., aged 86 years.

The business portion of Richmond, Mo., was burned, the loss being over $100,000.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The president's message on the Venezuelan question occupied the main attention of the senate yesterday and after it was read it was referred to the committee on foreign relations. In the house the time was mainly absorbed in a debate on the plan to create three committees of nine members each to deal with the election contests. Mr. Crisp introduced a bill that the sum of $100,000 be appropriated to pay the expenses of a commission to be appointed by the president to investigate and report what is the true divisional line between the republic of Venezuela and British Guiana.

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Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
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Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 00 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
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Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 00 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 30 "
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11 50	7 10		L....Allegan....A	2 35	6 45
12 2	7 23		Monteith	2 23	6 33
1 14	8 05		Yorkville	2 00	5 50
1 55	8 31		Battle Creek	1 35	5 25
2 35	9 05		Marshall	1 00	4 50
3 10	9 33		Homer	12 28	4 20
3 51	10 01		Hanover	11 39	3 35
4 05	10 30		Addison	10 50	
5 11	10 43		Devils Lake	10 17	
5 25	10 57		Onsted	10 03	
5 30	11 08		Sand Lake	9 53	
5 37	11 10		Tipton	9 47	
5 51	11 25		Tecumseh	9 31	
6 00	11 33		Ridgeway	9 22	
6 04	11 38		Britton	9 18	
6 16	11 50		Rea	9 10	
6 25	11 59		Dundee	9 01	
7 30	12 45		A....Toledo....L	8 05	
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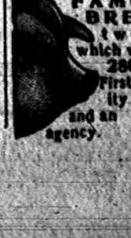

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THE PLAGIARIST.

This is a tale of love, pure and simple, which shows how my brother Herbert nearly won the privilege of providing for the keep of Miss Mary Ashton, our cousin, for the term of her unnatural life. She, however, now ornaments another's home, and Herbert's heart is dead. My brother had a heart in those days, though he was old enough to know better. It was a kind of hobby with him.

Herbert had long loved Miss Ashton, literally from afar, she being sublimely long and he more than common squat. However, this defect he shared with Cupid himself, who is always represented as diminutive and podgy, and Mary, I really think, was not averse to my brother's suit, for she frequently dropped smiles on the top of his tall hat, much to its wearer's content. She also said she would not hear a word against him. This was generally when there was nothing more to say. Even a bishop could find something funny to say of a short man. Nevertheless, Herbert was happy under the smiles of his beloved.

But, alas, there came a day when the smiles were directed elsewhere and Herbert found that Mary could never be more than a sister to him. It was astonishing to hear him recite this declaration of hers as a choice specimen of feminine feeling and originality. Young as I was I knew that remark, having taken to myself several such voluntary relations, whose existence I had immediately forgotten. But Herbert derived a goomy consolation from this promise of sisterly affection, and even quoted the length of his nether garments as ample justification for Mary's decision. He was certainly petite and magnanimity was strong within him.

The wrecker of my brother's hopes was none other than Eric Frodsham, whom you may recognize as the author of certain chaotic pieces of literary composition. We had known Frodsham as a distant acquaintance for a long time and had watched the tortuous trouble of his literary career. In the beginning when the world was young Frodsham wrote plain, clear novels, which were a lasting joy to his stationer, to whom the selling of papers was a high mission in life. These works for the most part blushed unseen on Frodsham's table till their author succeeded them with a weary work, the title of which, "A Secret Vow," was the only intelligible part of the volume. Probably for this reason the book was an instantaneous success, and Frodsham was a celebrity. He was interviewed, and we all recognized in his conversation the good things we had said to him in times past. Mary then fell in love with him and joined our family as a sister to Herbert. We appreciated her kindness.

My brother at this time was eminently depressing as a companion, and gloom was imprisoned in the corrugations of his brow.

One day he came to me in a state of virtuous wrath, waving a daily paper round his head. He was speechless with indignation, so I relieved him of the journal and discovered the cause of his excitement. Some clever person had read "A Secret Vow," and in a letter to The Herald had pointed out that that work was an unblushing plagiarism of an unknown novel, published anonymously some years previously under the title of "On His Oath." Frodsham had evidently been guilty of literary theft.

"The scoundrel," said my brother at length. "He's stolen somebody else's brains and my love. He's nothing more than a thief. I'll expose him to Mary."

"Where is Frodsham?" I asked.

"On his way to New York. But I can't let that high minded girl remain fettered to such a villain, can I? I'll tell her at once, in case she hasn't heard the news."

"Better not," I remarked. "If she loves Frodsham she won't thank you. Let things take their course."

But Herbert didn't. He told Miss Ashton there and then, and that young lady listened to the tale. She expressed herself as being greatly shaken and unable to decide what to do. She also wondered about the deceit of man, which impressed Herbert. Finally she told my brother he might call and see her, and he returned to me beaming. Incidentally he referred to Fordsham as a "poor devil." Herbert was magnanimity itself.

Mary smiled sweetly, but sadly, as an angel whose wing had been broken by a brick. Her grief was picturesque, and people pitied her, Herbert especially, who lured her to take an interest in the world by going to theaters with him. I had forgotten to mention that my brother was well to do, though short.

For a broken hearted girl Mary was fairly jolly, and I commented upon the fact. Herbert explained that he was taking her out of herself. This meant taking her into places of amusement.

One fatal day (fatal to my brother's love story in its second and enlarged edition) I bought The Herald to read the daily installment of indignant correspondence on the subject of the now famous plagiarism. And this is what I read:

SIR—I have on my return to New York just received various copies of your widely read journal, which have been awaiting me. I am much astonished to become acquainted for the first time with the storm which has blown up in my absence apropos of my work, "A Secret Vow." Permit me to make a tardy apology to the public through the medium of your extensively circulated columns by stating that in elaborating the story "On His Oath," which appeared some years ago, into my success-ful book I should have acknowledged my indebtedness to the former novel and have avowed myself, as I do now, your obedient servant, its author, ERIC FRODSHAM.

Poor Herbert! He is still single.—Boston Post.

Chance In Matching.

Two men matched coins for the fare on a Broadway car yesterday, and the man who won said:

"I have paid very few car fares this year, because I have solved the system of matching. I can't explain why my system is correct, but many experiments have satisfied me that it is. I always ask the other man to match me, and 65 times out of 100 I win. Apparently the odds are even. In reality they are against the man who matches and in favor of the man who is matched. This doesn't hold when the coins are spun on a table. It is good only in cases where each man holds his coin in his hand. Calling coins is also an easy game to win. Three men out of five will call heads. I always hold the coin tail up and in the long run I am a winner."—New York Sun.

A Turban of High Degree.

A green turban throughout all Islam is a sign that the wearer is a descendant of the prophet. Many persons who have the right to this mark of honor are now in low life, and a traveler in Constantinople or Cairo may have his baggage carried to his hotel by a genuine descendant of the founder of Mohammedanism.—Atlanta Constitution.

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The Publishers of The Youth's Companion are sending free to the subscribers to the paper, a handsome four-page calendar, 7x10 in., lithographed in nine colors. It is made up of four charming pictures, each pleasing in design, under each of which are the monthly calendars for the year 1896. The retail price of this Calendar is 50 cents.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	16	18
Eggs, per doz	18	20
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		16
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 15 to	5 40
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	6½	7
Veal, dressed, per lb	6 to 15	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5½ 6	10
Chickens, per lb	7	
Turkeys		6
Hides, green		25 to 35
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		60
Corn, shelled		30 to 40
Corn in ear	15 to 25	
Oats	18 to 25	
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00 to 12 00	
Hay, clover, per ton	9 00	
Bran, per 100 lbs	75	
Middlings, per 100 lbs	90	
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 00	

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

The Lilley State Bank

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, Dec 13 1895.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 34,183 20
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	26 850 46
Overdrafts	77 48
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	67 912 13
Due from other banks and bankers	193 33
Checks and cash items	1,253 21
Nickles and pennies	101 71
Gold coin	17,839 00
Silver coin	102 15
U. S. and National Bank Notes	3,601 00
Total	$ 173,719 79

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses interest and taxes paid	2,813 12
Commercial deposits subject to check	95,017 05
Commercial certificates of deposit	32 359 29
Total	$ 173 719 79

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU Cashier.

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The newspapers have printed a great many statements lately regarding wonderful cures, great so-called miracles, etc., claimed to be the result of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Some of these stories seemed almost incredible as many of them happened at some distance, but now we have a case in our own midst, right here in Orleans County. Hearing such reports and desiring to verify the remarkable statements, a representative of the *Weekly News* drove to Kendall last Wednesday and called upon Mr. Absalam Haradine, who is a well-to-do farmer residing about a mile north of West Kendall in this county.

Your reporter found Mr. Haradine sitting in an easy chair looking first-rate and ready to give the public his remarkable experience. He said:

"I have always been a hard working man and when I bought this farm about ten years ago I could do as big a day's work as the next man. In 1883 I was first taken sick, I felt tired but kept at work more or less for two or three years but gradually grew worse till I was confined to my house.

"I called in Dr. O'Brien, who treated me for dyspepsia. Getting no relief I called Dr. Douglass who said I had tape worm and treated me for that. After consulting several physicians it was finally decided that I had none other than the dreaded disease known as locomotor ataxia. Growing worse continually I in turn engaged the services of Drs. Bamber, Little, Gillett, Gleason, Holeman, Carpenter, Lewis and Cook. I paid out over $500 to these doctors who all finally agreed there was no hope for me. Medicine seemed to have no effect on me whatever. My blood seemed to all turn to water and I suffered great pain continually. I was unable to leave the house for three years, and for over a year I was almost helpless, could not sleep, night or day, and required help to turn over in bed or make the slightest movement, until I was afflicted with great bed sores and life seemed unbearable.

"The doctors at one time said I had better send for my friends as I could live but a day or two at most. They told me to take morphine to ease the pain and make the best of it for the remaining few days.

"I lingered along till March 11, 1892, when my wife saw an article in the Albion *Weekly News* describing the wonderful cures of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and a case very much like mine, and on April 11, 1892, I began taking the pills. I at once began to improve and in four weeks I was out doors.

"My appetite returned and I soon enjoyed sleep at night and I continually grew better. In December, 1892, I suffered an operation for gravel which again reduced my strength, but I continued the Pink Pills until June 5, 1893 I took a trip to Parma, about twenty miles from here, visited all my old friends, traveling about every day for two or three weeks.

"I am getting better right along, my appetite is good, I sleep well, and although I am yet unable to go about much, yet if I am finally fully restored to health it will be scarcely more of a miracle than it is in bringing me to where I am now.

"I at first received the pills direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., later at Albion, N. Y., but now they are on sale here at West Kendall, by D. J. Root."

The *News* representative, in talking with several neighbors, referred to the case, and they confirmed all Mr. Haradine had said and expressed themselves enthusiastically regarding the wonderful results in this case.

A HAPPY VETERAN.

From the Ithaca, N. Y., Democrat.

The *Democrat* reporter took an early opportunity to hunt up Mr. H. T. Freese, who lives on a small farm about one mile from Varna, of whom much had been said. When found he told the following story:

"Before the war I was a well man. I was at the battle of Gettysburg that I received an injury to my back. I was a member of the 76th Regiment, N. Y. S. V. I never recovered from the injury, and, in fact, continued to grow worse. I became affected with numbness which began in one of my toes and slowly extended above my hips. I had a dull pain at the base of my neck, my eyes were considerably affected and I had double vision. I also had a severe pain in my side that made it difficult to draw a long breath. About twelve years ago my condition became such that I was unable to work. I tried the best physicians. They gave up my case. One said: 'There is no hope for you,' and still another said: 'There is no use to take medicine.' Getting no help from physicians, I began taking various medicines recommended for such ills as mine. I expended a great deal of money but received little or no benefit. Then, for a long time, I used an electric battery and also an electric belt, paying, I think, for the latter, $50, and yet there was no improvement. At last I could not walk except by holding on to a fence or some support, and hardly being able to lift my feet. About this time I heard of a friend who had been greatly benefited by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I sent to him for six boxes, and much to my surprise and joy I began to grow better. I sent for more and I noticed that I gradually grew stronger both in mind and body. Before that my mind was often in a confused state, but it now became clearer; my eyesight grew better, the pain at the base of my neck returned less frequently and was less severe; the neuralgia that had made life a burden began to disappear, and the attacks which used to last six weeks were soon of short duration; the numbness in my back decreased gradually, and to-day I can walk a number of miles with no support but my cane and I get up and down stairs with ease."

The reporter, although impressed with the truthfulness of Mr. Freese's statements, asked him if he was willing to make oath to their correctness, and he most emphatically said "Yes," and subsequently did so before Mr. Samuel S. Gress, a Notary Public.

The foregoing are but two of many wonderful cures that have been credited to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Diseases which heretofore have been supposed to be incurable, such as locomotor ataxia and paralysis succumb to this wonderful medicine as readily as the most trifling ailments. In many cases the reported cures have been investigated by the leading newspapers and verified in every possible manner and in no case has the least semblance of fraud been discovered. The fame has spread to the far ends of civilization and there is hardly a drug store in this country or abroad where they cannot be found.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, after effect of la grippé, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, all forms of weakness either in male or female. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, (50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50—they are never sold by the dozen or six boxes for $2.50—they are never sold by the 100) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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Undressed or Glace.
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1 Prize of $5.00 in Gold.
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And to all other girls getting 20 or more votes, 25c in silver.

Any Girl under 15 years of age Nov. 8th, can compete for the prize.

Any person purchasing one-half pound of our

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is entitled to one vote, a vote for each and every one-half pound purchased. All purchases must be CASH.

THE BEST 50C. TEA IN TECUMSEH.

You can vote for your own girl If none yourself vote for someone else. The voting will end Dec. 23, 1895. The girl getting the most votes gets the $5, the 2nd $3, etc. The prizes will be given on the afternoon of December 24th.

Yours for trade,

KENNEDY & ROGERS

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Elite Oil is the best. James has it.

Taylor and family moved to yesterday.

rew Gogoline made a business Detroit Wednesday.

Elite Oil excels all others or Haight would not keep it.

some of the Elite Oil at James t's and you will use no other.

ent C. Hoagland took a run into unty seat on the flyer Wednesday.

accounts of the White Pharmacy t is the hands of Lavern Gripton lection.

Lupton, of Addison, arrived day for a short visit with his Bes Pulver.

and Will Britton attended a of the Knight Templar's at Wednesday evening.

and Mrs. E. Mudge bade adieu to Britton friends and left for their ome on the midnight train Sun-

removal of the White Pharmacy a good opening for a drug store nd no doubt advantage will soon ken of it.

y longer use inferior oil when you et of James Haight Elite Oil, does not char the wick or smoke himney.

l Babcock is now pleasantly situ- in a drug store at 835 Gratiot Ave. lt where he will be pleased to see ritton friends.

mer Brothers, of Adrian, are pre- g to open a cigar and tobacco store e room formerly occupied by Mrs. in the Dakin block.

understand that on Xmas day one r most popular young men will unto himself a wife from among Adams fair daughters.

ntemplating a change in my busi- relations about Jan. 1, I desire to my accounts all settled up by that therefore take due notice and rern yourselves accordingly.

JAS. HAIGHT.

The donation for Rev. E. Mudge last week Wednesday amounted to over $91. The weather was so stormy that many were kept away so another one was held the same place last evening and a ly sum realized.

nt Ousterhout and wife being set- their new home in the country, ven 30 and 40 of their married ds took them completely by sur- Monday night and a regular house ing was the result.

me thirty young friends of Miss e Kniffin walked in upon her un- moned last Friday evening. She ever soon rallied from her surprise welcomed him in a graceful manner all enjoyed themselves to the fullest nt.

e Beal stock of drugs was removed pallanti yesterday and the White rmacy is a thing of the past in ton. It is a source of great regret this community and all will miss Pulver, the genial manager, who in short stay had drawn around him a rge number of warm friends.

As Ben Pulver was finishing packing he goods belonging to the White Pharm- y, Monday evening, about forty young dies and gentlemen walked in upon m and after he had, in a measure, re- ered from his surprise they all re- d to the pleasant home of Miss Exelby where the hours were spent cial enjoyment.

turday afternoon as Vern Ouster- was driving through the streets load of wood, Will Spoor passed with a horse and carriage. As they ached the railroad track Spoor's became frightened at the train mped in front of Vern's team. ing down grade Vern could not his horses and the result was that hind wheels of Spoor's carriage crushed.

In recognition of the faithful atten- ce of the scholars comprising the day school of the Reform church in place an entertainment appropri- to Christmas is being prepared to be at the church Xmas eve, Tuesday, ich time a tree will be filled with for the members of the school. At e a free will offering will be nd placed in the hands of those ing the aid society that they ntinue the good work already

n Vealey is not olny a good me- but possessed of an inventive hich he has demonstrated in ways. His latest creation is uriosity as well as novelty. It n ordinary wheel-barrow with erence, instead of a wheel it has like unto that of a bob sleigh plays upon an axle and runs arm on snow. He is now look- suitable name for the vehicle suggestions from others will be considered.

meeting Tuesday evening, of ot Tent K. O. T. M. the follow- s were elected:

Commander—W. J. Clark.
Lieut. " —Chas. DuBois.
Finance Keeper—Francis Yates.
Record " —Will Britton.
Phys.—P. R. Hardy, M. D.
Sate—Ezra Sink.
Sergeant—Fred Rupp.
Master at Arms—A. J. Loe.
Sards—Elias Oliver, Wesley Exelby.
Sentinel—W. J. Helm.

last, but by no means least, Sam- niffin, Picket.

re are no flies on Wash. Under- as the following incident will fully nstrate. On his farm he had a oak which he desired cut and had d a man two dollars to cut it was not accepted. He recently in the woods discovered a bee tree e was not long in felling the tree, g the bees and securing the honey. e thus engaged an idea struck him, roceeded to execute it; gathering quantity of dead bees he carefully red them under the aforesaid nd after carefully covering up his waited developements, some per- persons soon discovered the bees hinking a rich prize awaited them ded their opportunity and then be- chopping, after working all day gave it up either becoming weary covering it to be a fraud. When again visited the scene it re- d but little labor to lay low this of the forest. The top alone mak- en cords of good wood. Wash. has chuckling ever since.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

R. S. Housman was in Adrian on business Tuesday.

W. R. Wilson was at Adrian on business Wednesday.

See Smith & Schmidt's ad. in another column of this paper.

Henry and Irving Barnes went to Adrian on business Wednesday.

Mrs. W. D. Stearns, of Toledo, called on Mrs. A. J. Sutton, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Allen, and children, of Toledo, visited their parents Saturday.

The pastor will give a discourse on Sunday morning, appropriate for Christmas.

There will be no Christmas festival for the Sabbath school here this Christmas.

A. E. Palmer, of Adrian, was in the village Saturday chatting with old friends.

Elmer Linn, and wife, who have been spending several days at Azalia, with relatives, returned Monday to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Linn, attended church at Macon village Sunday, and called on friends.

Oral Freer, who has been spending several weeks with his sister, Mrs. Leon McRoberts, near Lansing, returned to his home Saturday.

Quite a number of the friends of David Coryell made him a surprise at his home at Newburgh, Tuesday and spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Jackson, who has been spending several days with relatives and friends left for her home in Wilmington, Ill., Monday morning.

The singing class under Miss Grayson's instructions closed its first term of lessons Tuesday evening. They are thinking of having another term after the holidays.

A large number of the young folks attended the cantata, Father Time, given by the Epworth League, under the management of Miss Dora Grayson, at Sutton's Opera House, Friday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Putnam and sons Harold and Clyde, of Milan, and their niece, Mina Allison, of North Farmington, called on their aunt Mrs. John Arner, Sunday afternoon, while out for a drive.

Several from here attended the funeral of Miss Flora Chase, at Tecumseh, Sunday afternoon. Miss Chase taught school here soon after the building of the new school building, and was very highly respected by all who knew her.

The township treasurer D. W. Smith was in the village Thursday collecting rent for another year, which is quite high and it is amusing to observe the countenance of some as they drop their wad in the slot and wonder what it might have been.

Ed Gould had a very narrow escape from being seriously hurt, if not killed, Sunday morning. While passing behind his horse with another one the horse in the stall began kicking, hitting him on the back and shoulders. Only his being so close saved serious results. He is now able to be up and around again.

Mrs. E. Law, of Detroit, the W. C. T. U. lecturer, who addressed a small audience at the M. E church, on Friday evening of last week, is a fine speaker and has her heart and soul in the grand work. She has a way of expressing herself that is very pleasing to an audience. The Ladies of the Union have the promise of having her with them for another address in the near future when circumstances are more favorable.

Friday night a little after eight o'clock W. R. Wilson's hog house and hennery were discovered to be on fire, and were completely destroyed including corn and some fowls. The neighbors turned out and held the flames under control so that the adjoining buildings were saved. If the wind had been in most any other direction, the house or lower barns would have been easy pray to the flames. Circumstances point strongly to the fact that the fire was caused by some being in the hennery as that was on fire first. Mr. Wilson was reading, and hearing the dog bark, stepped to the door just as a cutter with two in it was driving out of the yard, from the direction of the hennery, and as there were over forty choice hens kept there and only a few bones were found in the ruins, no stench during the time of the fire, it is generally beleived that the parties in the cutter were in the hennery after fowls and in using sulphur to do their work set fire to the building, as it was discovered to be in flames soon after the cutter was seen in the yard. It may not prove as funny when the Devil holds a match under their nose and they tumble off their perch to meet their reward.

CARD OF THANKS.

We sincerely thank all the neighbors and friends who so nobly assisted us in saving the remainder of our buildings last Friday evening. Without their prompt and united efforts more would have been destroyed.

W. R. WILSON, Ridgeway, Mich.

MACON MUSIC.

At the Epworth League business meeting last week Roy Chambers was chosen President.

Are not two or three of our boys getting quite interested in Education as presented in the Tecumseh schools?

Christmas exercises will be given by the Sunday School of the Reformed Church on Christmas Eve and on Christmas night at the M. E. Church.

Martin Sickly and Joseph Dorrell visited Adrian Wednesday, Dec. 4, and withdrew from the circuit court their case against Edward Miller, the Macon school teacher, for whipping Harry Dorrell.

The W. C. T. U. will give a social at the home of Mrs. Clara Gooding on Friday evening, Dec. 27. An interesting program has been prepared, one feature of which will be a paper by Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Tecumseh; also, some two-minute speeches by some of the home boys. Supper, 10 cents. All come and help along a good work.

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Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C., J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines.

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It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill. writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Eletric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statemnt. Price only 50c. for large bottle. At Orr & Temple's drug store. 6

Mr. Frederic Harrison, who is writing a life of William the Silent, has gone to The Hague to gather further materials for his work on the spot.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

Low Rates for the Holidays.

December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and Jan. 1st, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern R'y will sell reduced rate tickets between all points on its line. Tickets will be good to return until January 2d, inclusive, 1896.

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Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes *"I was troubled with heart disease* for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. *They said there was no help for me,* that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of *Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,* which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and *It completely cured me. I sleep* well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

As all readers of the HERALD know, it becomes the duty of the paper to this week make an announcement of a change, which is a matter of necessity rather than of choice or busines policy. To make the matter short, the HERALD will be conducted in the entire interest of Miss Loana Stacy, one of the executors of the will of our deceased proprietor, by S. S. Walker as manager. It will be our honest endeavor to keep the paper up to the standard which it has for so many years maintained, and in this we respectfully ask the support of its many patrons and friends. It is safe to say that in the past the HERALD has ever sought to do its best for this locality. Now it asks forbearance and confidence, for a time at least.

THE HERALD FOR 1896.

As is customary at this season the HERALD this week publishes a brief prospectus for the coming year which for the most part was written by our late proprietor during the last week of his work upon the paper.

Again the "Old Reliable" greets its patrons. The hard times of the past two years are slowly but surely improving, and we have reason to expect a fair business year during 1896. It behoves us all, therefore, to set our house in order and be prepared to take advantage of the revival when it comes.

The HERALD will enter the coming year prepared to meet all requirements upon it—to tide over the close times, if such shall be its destiny, or to make hay while the sun shines, if the opportunity shall be offered. In any event, therefore, its weekly visits will be continued during 1896, as they have been for over forty-five years. The character of the paper will be substantially the same as heretofore. First and foremost, it will fill the bill as a first-class local newspaper, giving such additional matter as seems to be most satisfactory to a majority of its patrons. It will not be the organ of any party, sect or clique, but will be independent in all things, and it will never shrink from expressing its honest convictions on all subjects, whenever occasion seems to demand it. Our rates have been placed upon a hard pan basis for '96, and we offer a very few extra combinations for those who regard them with favor; and we take pride in the fact that though they are few in number they are greater bargains than ever before offered in this paper. By special arrangements and liberal advertising we have procured two articles we will give our subscribers the full benefit of. They are articles which should be in every home. The latest and best map of Michigan ever printed, and the latest and most complete History of our own country ever written in one volume and by the greatest living historian, of America.

We print in part the most favorable club list ever presented in these columns and any periodicals not mentioned here will be procured at the lowest price. Here are the two combination offers in detail.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $3.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

The People's History of the United States has just been issued by the noted author and historian, John Clark Ridpath, L. L. D. It is the very best history of the United States now extant, comprised within the limits of a single volume. The cloth bound edition is sold only by subscription at $3.75 per copy. We can furnish this great work at only $2.10 per copy, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included. This is an unprecedented offer.

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We append a partial list of most favorable clubbing rates to advance paying subscribers:

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Detroit Tribune,	1 50
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Toledo Blade,	1 80
Toledo Bee,	1 50
N. Y. World (twice a week)	1 70
Cincinnati Enquirer,	1 30
Harper's Weekly,	4 25
Harper's Bazaar,	4 25
Courier-Journal,	1 55
N. Y. Voice,	1 85
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
American Agriculturist,	1 85
Harper's Magazine,	4 05
The Century,	4 55
St. Nicholas,	3 55
Scribner's Magazine,	2 55
North American Review,	5 05
Cosmopolitan,	1 90

Four Score.

Gen. D. D. Sinclair heads the list of pioneers still living in old Lenawee. The following list of those who have passed the four score mark and are now working on the other ten is taken from the Michigan Messenger:

Gen. D. D. Sinclair, 90.
W. M. Sheldon, sr., 89.
Bronson Hopkins, 88.
Geo. W. Merrick, 87.
James S. Alvord, 85.
A. L. Millard, 81.
F. R. Stebbins, 83; died Feb. 1, '95.
Abel Whitney, 82.
Burton Kent, 81.
Kelley Beals, 83.
Phillip Tolford, 83.
Wm. Hoxter, 87.
C. H. Bradish, 87.
C. C. Spooner, 88,
Stephen Aldrich, 85; died July 25, '95.
Col. T. P. Merriam, 86.
Wm. L. James, 85.
Silas Holloway, 83.
J. E. Ameigh, 82.
Hart C. Russell, 82.
Samuel Sudborough, 80.
Chas. G. Crego, 83; died Nov. 25, '95.

This list is one of considerable interest, but the compiler or the Messenger must be in error about its completeness for Lenawee county. We have several in Tecumseh who are not in the list. For one, Morris Hyde passed his 87th birthday, Monday. Mrs. Hyde is 86, and the pair can look back on 62 years of happy, busy married life.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

On the evening of Dec. 17 the club assembled at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gillespie. A fair number of members were present and a well prepared literary program composed of the usual music, recitations, etc. made up a very entertaining evening. As this evening [illegible] was the annual election of officers the discussion was omitted. The election resulted as follows:

President—J. F. N. Bowen.
Vice President—Fred Rector.
Sec. and Treasurer—Lena Gillespie.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schreder, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31. The following is the program:

Singing by the club.
President's Address.
Recitation—Ora Gillespie.
Select Reading—J. H. Schreder.
Declamation—Erle Rector.
Essay—Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.
Dialogue—School children.
Question—Is the Supervisor justifiable in assessing land for more than its cash value? Opened by R. B. Gillespie.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The next meeting of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Geo. Swarts, Friday evening, Dec. 27.

PROGRAM.

Music—Lena VanValkenburg.
Dec.—Dean VanValkenburg.
Reading—Harry Langton.
Recitation—Mrs. Haire.
Song—Chas. and Hattie Hurrey.
Locals and Personals—Mrs. H. A. Hoag.
Dec.—Halleck Wilson.
Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
Scraps—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Song—Ernest, Bertha and Willie Lamkin.

In place of question let each one bring a conundrum.

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To all who have assisted us by sympathy and otherwise in our recent bereavement we wish to express our heartfelt thanks. LESTER VANDOREN.
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New Library Books.

Following is the list of 52 new books which were purchased by the ladies of the old library association with funds which remained in their treasury at the time the library was turned over to the school board. The books are now on the library shelves:

1394 Old Masters and Their Pictures—Tytler.
1395 Renaissance and Modern Art—W. H. Goodyear.
1396 Walks in Florence—Hare.
1397 Walks in Venice " "
1398 Amiel's Journal—Mrs. H. Ward.
1399 Pacific Coast Scenic Tour—H. C. Finck.
1400 Mexico—Susan Hale.
1401 Through the Arctics to the Tropics—H. W. French.
1402 Log School House—Butterworth.
1403 The Young Colonist—Henty.
1404 In Freedom's Cause—Henty.
1405 With Clive in India—Henty.
1406 With Lee in Virginia—Henty.
1407 The Young Carthaginian—Henty.
1408 Two Little Pilgrims' Progress—Burnett.
1409 Miss Grey's Girls—J. A. Grant.
1410 Five Little Peppers Midway—Sidney.
1411 Five Little Peppers Grown Up—Sidney.
1412 Jan's Daughters—Burnett.
1413 Marrion's Faith—King.
1414 Under Fire—King.
1415 Story of Fort Frayne—King.
1416 Brave Little Holland—King
1417 Jupiter Lights—C. F. Woolson.
1418 Horace Chase—C. F. Woolson.
1419 Window and Thrums—Barrie.
1420 Sweet Clover—Burnham.
1421 Beyond the Dreams of Avarice—Besant.
1422 To Right the Wrong—Lyall.
1423 The Stickit Minister—Crockett.
1424 Micah Clarke—Doyle.
1425 Shadow of a Crime—Caine.
1426 For Honor's Sake—Lucy Lillie.
1427 Vernon's Aunt—Mrs. Everard Coates.
1428 Dr. Izard—A. K. Green.
1429 Three Graces—Duchess.
1430 Seven Little Sisters—Andrews.
1431 Mr. Bopaparte of Corsica—J. K. Bangs.
1432 The Sherburne Cousins—Douglas.
1433 In wild Rose Time—Douglas.
1434 Family Secrets.
1435 Family Pride.
1436 Change of Air—Hope.
1437 Beulah—Evans.
1438 Cudjo's Cave.
1439 The Man in Black—Weyman.
1440 Kit and Kitty—Blackmore.
1441 First Violin—Fothergill.
1442 Deemster—Caine.
1443 Bondsman—Caine.
1444 Barabbas—Marie Correlli.
1445 Diary of A. G. Winslow—A. M. Earle.
1446 Lady Rosamond's Book—Guernsey.
1447 Lady Betty's Governess—Guernsey.

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High School Happenings.

Miss Julia Hicks is absent this week.

Miss Mabel Crittenden has left school.

Wallace Bryan has entered the ninth grade.

Ralph Bidwell's seat is vacant this week.

Philosophy class are engaged in electricity.

Mrs. Garlinghouse called on the A room Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lovina Schreder and Mr. Chas. McIntyre visited the A room last Thursday.

The girls have decided to monopolize the musical program Thursday with the Cadet Two Step.

The rhatorical work for this term has been completed and a notice of a new oratorical campaign has been posted.

Charles Hurry and some others of the Geometry class favored Miss Hartbeck with an extra session Wednesday evening.

Guy Brothers' Minstrels.

The first appearance of this meritorious company was greeted with a fair audience at the Opera House last evening considering the weather. A more chaste or finer entertainment of this character has never been presented here. They are a company of artists in their respective roles and richly deserved the hearty encores which each and every one received. Should they again visit us the, Opera House will be packed to its utmost capacity. Part first was fully up to the standard of the best Minstrel troupes, the work of the end men refined and pleasing, the singing good, especially of the quartette. The dancing of Kane was fine, the baton and three stick exercise of Fred Smith and the cane twirling of Hugh McVey marvels of execution, the concluding song and tableau of part first entitled the old flag very effective; the descriptive overtures by the orchestra, "A Day with the Circus," unique and catchy. Kane though handicapped by the absence of his partner Conly, who is sick, was great in his contortion acts. Keating proved himself master of the banjo and mandolin. The statuary of Charles, Albert and Edwin Guy was artistic and very effective. In the burlesque specialty Herbert was a charming female impersonator and Lyons an expert imitator and dancer. Hugh McVey's manipulation of clubs was bewildering and marvelous. The finale was a fitting close to this interesting program. It is earnestly hoped they will visit us often.

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An Interesting Trip by Carriage Through This Wonderful National Reserve.

(Continued from this week.)

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ED. HERALD:—

Three years ago this spring measured a foot in diameter. The Constant, or Minute Man, has an eruption every sixty seconds, with but little variation. There is not much formation, some of the jets of water are thrown 40 feet in the air, returning again to the crater. The Black Growler is also situated near the road, having a chimney-shaped opening. There is very little water thrown out, while a great quantity of steam is constantly escaping, making a very loud and peculiar sound. The formation being of inky blackness is, doubtless, the origin of its name. The escaping steam and water smell strongly of sulphur. Another of the same character is called Hurricane, the eruptions of which are very irregular and destructive to the surrounding vegetation and foliage. Mud Geyser is situated on the highest point in the basin; crater 12 feet in diameter, with an eruption every twenty minutes, lasting five. Somewhat concealed in the timber is a beautiful emerald-tinted spring, 40x50 feet in size, called Emerald Pool. The coral walls of the sulphur-lined basin can be seen to an appalling depth. It does not erupt, simply overflowing; temperature 186 degrees Fahrenheit at its edge. There were a great many other geysers and boiling spring, among which were Coral spring, Fearless, Vixen, and Steamboat geysers. There were many new ones breaking out every day. Many places were marked "dangerous," but with "Corporal" Lawson acting as body-guard we were enabled to see everything of interest. Three miles from Norris Basin we entered Elk Park, a pretty valley surrounded by heavy timber with the Gibbon river winding through it. About a half mile from the river and up the hillside are the Gibbon Paint Pots. They consist of many openings in the brightly colored clay. They are of less interest than a few years ago, as many of them have ceased to boil. The most beautiful one is 50 feet up the hillside and has a funnel-shaped crater with walls of clay extending about six feet high. The steam puffing through the milky colored, pasty material in the bottom of the crater molds a rose in full bloom, to soon be replaced by another equally as handsome. To leave the regular paths in this vicinity is dangerous, as the character of the formation is so treacherous one is liable to break through without warning. Entering the Gibbon Canyon we followed the Gibbon river, crossing and recrossing the rapid but shallow stream, until we reached the valley of the Firehole. We passed Mt. Shurz, upon which is Monument Geyser Basin, at an altitude of 1,000 feet above Gibbon river. All through this canyon were many little puffs of steam arising from each bank of the river, near the water's edge. One in particular, being the largest boiling spring in the canyon, was called Beryl Spring; 15 feet in diameter, situated close by the roadside. The violent boiling of its surface was accompanied by a loud hiss of escaping steam, a stream of scalding water was constantly flowing across the road. Gibbon Falls, whose waters tumble in a foamy torrent down several deep cascades on one side of the rocky ledge, and on the other streams in a thin shining ribbon of spray from a height of 80 feet, furnishes the attractions of Gibbon Canyon. After leaving the falls we saw the three snow capped "sentinels" of Teton Mountains, at a distance of 75 miles, their height being 14,000 feet. Lower Geyser Basin has an area of from 30 to 40 square miles, over which are scattered hot springs in groups, one of the principal objects of interest being the Fountain Geyser, which is 20 feet above the roadway. The formation or deposit from the water of this geyser covers several acres, resembling the formation at Mammoth Hot Springs. The crater is thirty feet in diameter, which has a rim-like edge, except at the south side, where there is a mound of geyserite, which has been built to a height of 8 feet. At the north side is a much larger pool, which receives the over-flow from the crater. The water is blue and very transparent. Eruptions occur at intervals of from two to four hours, and continue with great force for ten minutes. Another, called Great Fountain, is much larger, and seldom plays. Here were the Mammoth Paint Pots, much larger but similar to the Gibbon Paint Pots. A fine large hotel was built here for the accommodation of tourists, and another squad of soldiers stationed. Leaving this place we traveled westward, and crossing Fountain Creek and passing many hot springs, we reached Midway Geyser Basin, or Hells Half Acre. The principal attractions were Excelsior Geyser, Turquoise Spring, and Prismatic Lake. Excelsior Geyser is an immense pit, 400 feet long by 250 feet wide; the water is deep blue and in a violent state of agitation, the surface of which is 15 feet below the surrounding level. I believe this geyser has not erupted since the year 1888. Turquoise Spring is 150 feet north of Excelsior and is a silent pool, remarkable for its beautifully blue, transparent water; diameter, 100 feet. West of Turquoise Spring, and in itself a marvel, is a small spring of cold water which, though rather "brackish" to be palatable, is attractive as being the only cold spring in this region of thermal waters. Prismatic Lake is no doubt the largest and one of the most beautiful springs in the whole Park region, its dimensions being 250x350 feet. In the center of the pit, or bowl, the water is of a deep blue color; in the more shallow portion it has a yellow tint, gradually shading into orange; outside the rim there is a bright red deposit, which shades into purple, brown, and gray, which seem to be painted upon a grayish-white ground, and forms the mound upon which the spring is situated. Leaving Hell's Half Acre, or Midway Basin, we passed many springs and pools, the entire drive to Upper Basin being among these natural wonders. This basin is in the form of a triangle, containing 26 geysers and nearly 400 hot springs. It is drained by the main Firehole river whose banks are thickly pitted with steaming hot springs. In plain sight from the hotel is located the reliable friend of the tourist, Old Faithful. Every sixty-five minutes, day and night, summer and winter, this faithful geyser gives its exhibition, free of charge. It throws a volume of water two feet in diameter to the height of 150 feet. Its crater is an oblong opening 2x6 feet on the inside, situated on a mound of geyserite measuring 145x215 feet at the base and 20x54 feet at the top. The mound is the very prettiest of all in the basin. It is formed of layers of deposit in a succession of plainly marked terraces, which are full of shallow, basin-like pools, the edges of which are finely beaded, the bottoms showing tints of rose, saffron, white brown and gray. Crossing the foot-bridge leading to the east side of the Firehole river, we came to the Bee Hive, the cone looking from the distance, not unlike a barrel standing on end. There is no terrace-shaped deposit surrounding this geyser, and it is the only one close up to which people can approach while in action, as there are no rocks thrown out and the water ejected is so hot that it nearly all evaporates in the air. It is said to play three times a day, when water is thrown 170 feet in the air. The Giant has a cone 10 feet high, which is broken on the west side and affords a good view of the inside of the crater; the waters are constantly in a state of boiling and splashing. It usually plays every six days, lasting from one and a half to two hours, throwing an immense column of water 250 feet in the air, which gradually decreases until the close of the display, which is preceded by a rumbling sound. The Giantess is upon the highest point of elevation in this part of the Upper Basin. Its eruptions occur at intervals of fourteen days. It has no cone or highly colored formation like many other geysers; its crater is bowl-shaped and 60 feet deep, which rapidly fills with water after an eruption. To most people it resembles a sapphire-tinted pool slightly agitated. During an eruption the water is thrown 60 to 100 feet, the display continueing at short intervals throughout a period of 12 hours, when an interesting "steam period" takes place, making a roaring sound which can be heard from all parts of the basin. The Lion, Lioness and Cubs, was the next group visited. Eruptions of the Lion occur once a day. those of the Lioness are irregular as to time. The Cubs play frequently, and it often happens that the Lioness and Cubs play together. The Lion and Lioness hardly ever play together. The Lion is the largest of the group, throwing a column of water 60 feet high. The Sponge was a curious little geyser. with a circular cone slightly raised, looking exactly like a huge sponge in character and color of its formation. There also was the Saw Mill, so-called from the peculiar sound, together with its spiteful vigor and activity. There were two very nice ones named, the Grand and Turban, another was called the Economic, from the fact that there was no overflow or waste, as its waters fell again into the crater. The Oblong was a pretty sight during a display. Its crater was 30x50 feet in size, eruptions occuring every six hours, but lasting only a few minutes. The Grotto possessed the most curious cone of all. It had several cave-like openings through which the water kept spouting and splashing during an eruption, which takes place four times a day, each display lasting one-half hour. We camped for the night by the Riverside geyser. The cone is quite near the edge of the water and has two chimney-like craters, but plays from only one of them, throwing an arching column 80 feet high, which falls into the river. The Fan and Mortar were just below the Riverside, the Fan emptying every eight hours, generally following the Riverside. Its waters spreading out in fan-shaped jets from the fact of its having two crater openings which shoot different ways. The pink geyserite forming the crater, is quite unlike any other. The Mortar is near by and very uncertain as to its periods of activity. When both play together the sight is most beautiful and something to be remembered for all time. Castle Geyser occupies a prominent place near a point of timber and can be seen from all points in the basin. This has an enormous cone 20 feet high, which is easy to ascend. Eruptions occur at intervals of thirty hours, throwing water 75 feet, continuing for half an hour, which is followed by a steam period. We climbed to the top of the cone during the latter part of the eruption to see the rainbow. The Chinaman was a small geyser with a rim-like cone. It resembled a boiling spring, was impulsive, and erupted without warning. In an early day (it had never been known to erupt), a Chinaman thought it an economical scheme to erect a "washee house" over this boiling spring, when, one day it took a sudden notion to erupt and did so, blowing the Chinaman's "little all" heavenward. Since then it has been called The Chinaman. The Punch Bowl is a beautiful boiling spring situated on a mound of siliceous deposit, five feet in diameter, having a rim of bright colored formation 18 inches high. Crossing Iron Spring creek we came to Sun Light Basin, composed of several large, silent pools, whose coloring was more beautiful than anything else seen in the park. Among them were Emerald Pool and Sunset Lake, the last named being the prettiest work of nature I ever saw. In Biscuit Basin the principal attraction was Sapphire Pool. Hundreds of small knobs of olive green formation, looking just like biscuit and small loaves of bread, surround this spring. Leading up the Madison river (which is the same stream known as the Firehole river during its meandering of the geyser basins), the road crossed the river and climbed a hill to Kepler Cascades. Following a trail for a half mile we arrived at the Lone Star Geyser and camped for the night, so as to see all we could of this beautiful wonder. The cone is 10 feet high, 12 feet in diameter at its base and tapering slightly towards its summit, which is six feet across. The crater is one large opening surrounded by many small holes, from all of which water is thrown during an eruption. It plays every two hours, and again in 30 minutes after the two hours; then in two hours again, and so on. The beauty of this geyser lies in its cone, which is striped vertically with bands of white, lavender and brown, mixed different shades of yellow, and completely covered with an endless variety of beautiful pearl-like beads. We left the Madison and climbed the continental divide. From Shoshone Point on the top, we had a fine view of Shoshone Lake and the Teton Mountains. Then on to the West Bay or Thumb of Yellowstone Lake, driving 18 miles on the lake shore to the outlet, passing many hot springs on the way. At the outlet is another fine hotel, also a steamer, should one wish to ride on the lake. The lake is fifteen by twenty miles in size, shaped something like the human hand. There are several islands dotting its surface, also a geyser, which is called Fishing Cone. One can sit on this cone, fish from the lake, whirl the line around and cook the fish in the hot spring without removing it from the hook. To the uninitiated this may sound rather fishy, but "pity 'tis, 'tis true." Going from the Lake to the Falls we passed the Mud Geysers and Mud Volcano, also named the Gate of Hell, which used to be called the Devil's Gullet; either name being very appropriate. It is situated at the base of a cliff, with a funnel-shaped crater, 30 feet deep, formed by mud ejected from a cave-like opening below. Out of this opening a mass of lead-colored mud as thick as soft mortar is constantly belched, accompanied by dull, thumping sounds, in a manner at once repulsive and fascinating. The surrounding foliage is covered with a coating of mud. The next attraction was Sulphur Mountain or Crater Hills, a group of isolated buttes, each about 150 feet high. Large blocks of detached rock, all containing a large amount of pure sulphur, are lying about. The fumes from the various openings are exceedingly disagreeable. At the base of the highest hill is a large boiling spring which measures 15x20 feet on the inside, its waters constantly boiling from 3 to 7 feet high. The rim of the basin is of pure crystalized sulphur, four feet wide all around. On the other side of the road are many mud springs, some being of thick mud, others of leaden colored water, all continually throwing out a muddy deposit. From Sulphur Mountain to Canyon Hotel the road follows the banks of Yellowstone river nearly to the Upper Falls. About a quarter of a mile above the falls the river becomes very rapid, tumbling over several cascades and swirling around masses of rock left in the middle of the stream. Just before reaching the falls the river turns eastward to the east. A point of rocks extending over the river affords a fine view of the rapids and falls. The Upper Falls have a perpendicular drop of 109 ft. A quarter of a mile below, the river takes another leap of 360 feet, called the Lower or Great Falls. Halfway between the two falls, where Cascade Creek enters the river, can be seen Cascade Falls. After passing Cascade Creek we obtained our first glimpse of the Grand Canyon. A trail leads to a natural platform of rock upon the very edge of the canyon overlooking the brink of the falls. From there may be seen Point Lookout, rising 1200 to 1500 feet above the river. Nearly opposite is Artist's Point, while two miles below may be seen Inspiration Point. Point Lookout commands the best view of the Giant Falls and Canyon combined, while the best view of the falls alone is to be had from Red Rock just below. From Point Lookout to Inspiration Point a vast stretch of ragged canyon wall may be seen on either side. The dark green of the water, the brilliant coloring of the canyon walls, the various points and projections, the endless variety of light and shade, all help to make the scene one to delight the eye and inspire the soul of an artist. A short distance from this locality and beside the trail is a large boulder of granite, said by geologists to have been stranded here during the "ice period." The length of the canyon is 10 miles, and the banks of the river the entire distance are lined with hot springs. From the Grand Canyon we traveled back to the Norris Basin, and from there to the Fountain again, visited the place where several years ago a band of Indians surprised a party of thirty or forty campers, killing them all except two girls and a boy of nineteen years. The girls were given their liberty, also the boy to take care of them. The Indians giving them an old white horse for the girls to ride and matches to light their fires. Our next stopping place was Henry's Lake, outside the Park boundary, where we camped for two days, hunting, fishing and exploring the surrounding country. Two days more of riding, after which we reached home, having been gone several weeks.

MRS. W. H. REMINGTON.

Capture of Fort Fisher.

The lecture delivered by Commander S. B. Daboll at the opera house Friday evening, Dec. 20, met with the greatest approval, both from the G. A. R. boys and the large audience which greeted the commander of the Department of Michigan. His vivid word-picture of the terrible bombardment, the description of the hissing shell, the zip, zip of the infantry firing, and awful explosion of torpedos, was so plainly voiced by the speaker that one could almost imagine the booming of cannon and the rattle of musketry as he recalled the many scenes the old soldiers passed through during those memorable days of '61 and '65. Fort Fisher not alone stands in the front rank of strongholds that were considered a sure defense, but the valor and fortitude of the citizen soldier could alone batter down what man and nature built and considered impregnable. With the views of Fort Fisher, as seen by the stereopticon, showing what nature had done in piling that high mountain of sand and man had completed into one of the strongest fortified forts of the Confederacy; the heights of stockades; the interior; magazines and the death-dealing men of war; the 400-pound shells, grape and canister, and the best blood of the South to man all,—yet all this availed nothing in saying that stronghold. For, with the combined effort of the U. S. Navy pouring shot and shell from that fleet into and upon Fort Fisher, showing what death and destruction could be done by their explosion, and when the combined attack from land and sea came, the hand-to-hand conflict and the final overthrow, and later the surrender, and explosion of the magazine by careless invaders, showed that his descriptive powers are many and excelled by none. The citizens of Tecumseh will long remember this occasion and await with increasing interest Judge Daboll's illustrated lecture upon the Battle of Gettysburg, with stereopticon views, which he says may be in store for us in 1896.

Wabash Holiday Rates 1895-1896.

For this occasion the Wabash railroad will sell tickets from all stations at greatly reduced rates on December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good to return up to and including January 2, 1896. For particulars call on or address any Wabash ticket agent.

A Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., DEC. 27, 1895.

John Tuttle is spending the vacation at home.

Levi Hunter, of Jackson, was in town Saturday.

Ray Wood, of Ypsilanti, is home for the vacation.

Sam Larzelere, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday at Chas. Corwin's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kennedy spent Christmas tide at Detroit.

Alice Halladay is home from Albion College for the holiday season.

Prof. Wilcox is enjoying the holiday season at his home in Addison.

The local tent K. O. T. M. will hold their annual election this evening.

We might write a few columns about the weather, but we won't say a word.

James Rogers and family went to Grass Lake Thursday for a few days' visit.

The pupils and teachers of the Clinton schools are enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Kate Murphy arrived home from Toledo Tuesday night to spend Christmas.

Frank Rogers and George Sandford went to Detroit Wednesday for a few days' sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack enjoyed the hospitality of Ypsilanti friends over Christmas.

Harvey Nase arrived from Palmyra the first of the week to celebrate the holiday in Clinton.

Mesdames Geo. Sandford and Geo. Semark went to Norvell Monday night to spend the holidays.

Fred Breese, of Lansing, came down Tuesday afternoon and spent Christmas with his Clinton friends.

Miss Stancliff, in company with her cousin, Crowell Eddy, is spending the festive season in Toledo.

Mr. Kleisler possesses versatility, talent, originality, and great dramatic power.—Toronto Empire.

Clinton Lodge No. 175, F. & A. M., will hold their regular communication Saturday (tomorrow) evening.

Miss Kate McDermott went to Polo, Ill., Monday, for the purpose of making her home with friends in that place.

Mr. Kleisler's selection covered the range of elocutionary effort, and in every one he was excellent.—Toronto Globe.

Mrs. W. W. Hess has returned to her home after spending some six weeks among friends and relatives at Hilton, Ont.

Edward Selby, of California, who is attending the Law department at the University, is spending the week with Garland Gillespie.

Geo. DePuy, master, and J. R. Blanchard, secretary of Clinton Lodge, F. & A. M., attended the Masonic school of instruction at Adrian last Friday.

Grenville P. Kleisler, the talented reader and impersonator, will give "Our American Cousin," at town hall, Saturday night in the Star Course.

Mrs. Josie St. John, of Port Huron, came here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs Geo. Kies. She is a teacher of music in the public schools of Port Huron.

Extremely funny, dramatic, pathetic, all these, combined with a fine voice, and imposing stage appearance, make Mr. Kleisler one of the leading elocutionists in Canada.—Brockville Daily Times.

This is also the season for Sunday school entertainments. The M. E. Sunday school gave one at the town hall Tuesday evening and the Congregational school held festivities of like character Wednesday evening.

Rev. C. C. Marshall intended to leave Clinton last week, but, as usual, the operation of packing, etc., consumed more time than calculated and they left Monday afternoon. The best wishes of their old parishoners and friends go with them.

W. W. Hess arrived home from a three months' business visit in Tennessee, Monday night. He is agent for the Page Wire Fence and has made some big sales during the trip. He expects to return to Tennessee about the tenth of January.

Mrs. Gen. Clinton B. Fisk, while visiting friends in Los Angeles, Cal., was thrown from a carriage by a runaway team, receiving injuries which may prove fatal, her skull being badly fractured and her right hand crushed. She was unconscious when picked up and remained so for some hours. At present her condition is serious and fears for her recovery are entertained.—Adrian Telegram.

A large number of relatives and friends of Mrs. George Kies were called here to attend her funeral, among whom were: Mr and Mrs. W. J. Kies, of Elkhart; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Field and family, of Tecumseh; Mrs. Alonzo Clark, of Chicago; Dr. Chandler and family, of Saline; Mrs. Oxen Kelley, of Bay City; George Chandler, of Owosso; Mrs. C. T. Cummins, S. O. VanDeMark, Jennie Hamilton, of Detroit; Eli Westfall and daughter, Mrs. Chapman, of Hillsdale, and a large number from Tecumseh.

At the annual election of the L. O. T. M., held Friday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Past Lady Com.—Mrs. Magdalene Kirk.
Lady Com.—Mrs. Minerva White.
Lieut. Com.—Mrs. Eva Greenleaf.
R. K.—Mrs. Ella Niblack.
F. K.—Mrs. Alice Mills.
Captain—Mrs. Addie Ward.
Physician—J. E. White.
Sergt.—Mrs. Lillie Carrey.
M. at A.—Mrs. Esther Larzelere.
Sentinel—Mrs. Luella Bowen.
Picket—Mrs. Eliza Lane.
Organist—Mrs. Nettie Fabrique.

Rheumatism Runs Riot

When there is lactic acid in the blood. Liniments and lotions will be of no permanent benefit. A cure can be accomplished only by neutralizing this acid and for this purpose Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine because Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye.

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ONSTED ODDS.

Plenty of rain now.

Roads getting rather muddy.

A cantata program at the church Dec. 24th.

John Onsted is on the sick list at present.

Al Mosbier still holds forth at the brick hotel.

The days are now lengthening, but not enough to notice very much.

Mrs. Bert Onsted is quite ill and is under the care of Dr. G. W. Ross.

Some of our merchants are displaying a nice assortment of holiday goods.

Chauncy Cooper has recently taken in the great mysteries of the fraternity.

Mrs. Joy is on the sick list and could not meet with her Sunday school class last Sunday.

The creeks of this vicinity that were so dry during the summer are full to overflowing now.

The workmen are kept busy at the wagon works and blacksmith parlors of Russell and Sage.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. comes on Jan. 3, and each member is requested to be present if possible.

After being confined to his bed for a number of weeks with sickness, Alfred Onsted is again able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. George Slee, of Cincinnati, are at present stopping at Mrs. Slee's parents, Mr and Mrs. Elias Ross.

A special meeting of the Masonic fraternity was held last week and the third degree was conferred on a candidate.

Steve Ford has built a comodious henhouse and intends to raise chickens for the trade, with the help of an incubator.

A silver club has been organized in district No 3, North Rome, where the silver question will be discussed in all its details by the most able debaters of that locality.

The people of this vicinity were greatly surprised when they heard the sad news of the death of Editor Stacy, and he will be missed nearly as much as at Tecumseh as he very frequently visited this place both on business and pleasure.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

The mud is no more beautiful than it ever was.

Milton Burns continues to improve as fast as could be expected.

Don't forget the Lyceum at Lorenzo Billington's Saturday night.

Misses Irene and Nina Allen entertained a number of their friends last Saturday night.

Misses Lavica Fisher and Ella Munger and Clarence Fisher are home from Ypsilanti for the Christmas holidays.

A letter from Mrs. John Stout, nee Eliza Whelan, states that she has been sick with pneumonia but is getting better rapidly.

Luman Deming is about the same. His mother is as well as could be expected, considering her age and enfeebled condition.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed. Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store.

The Ohio Central Mileage Ticket.

If you travel one thousand miles during the year you will save money by perchasing a thousand mile ticket. The best in the market are those issued by the agents of Ohio Central Lines. They are good over all important systems including the entire B. & O system west of Pittsburg, the Big 4, etc. See Agents of Ohio Central Lines before purchasing. Price $20.00; good one year. Jan 1

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Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin advertised for months, but have you ever tried it? If not, you do not know what an ideal stomach remedy it is. A 10c bottle (10 doses/10c) will show you its great merits as a cure for constipation, indigestion and sick headache. Regular size, 50c and 1, at Orr & Temple's. Dec

South Carolina liquor dispensary profits up to Oct. 31, aggregated $210,000.

When a person begins to grow thin there is something wrong. The waste is greater than the supply and it is only a question of time when the end must come. In nine cases out of ten the trouble is with the digestive organs. If you can restore them to a healthy condition you will stop the waste, put on new flesh and cause them to feel better in every way. The food they eat will be digested and appropriated to the needs of the system, and a normal appetite will appear. Consumption frequently follows a wasting of bodily tissue because nearly all consumptives have indigestion. The Shaker Digestive Cordial will restore the stomach to a healthy condition in a vast majority of cases. Get one of their books from your druggist and learn about this new and valuable remedy.

When the children need Castor Oil, give them Laxol.—it is palatable. 1w

Bondsmen surrendered Dr. J. C. Moore, President of the defunct Commonwealth National Bank, Manchester, N. H.

So thorough is the excellence of Ayer's Hair Vigor that it can be used with benefit by any person, no matter what may be the condition of the hair, and, in every case, it occasions satisfaction and pleasure, in addition to the benefit which invariably comes from its use. 1w

For $125,000 Benjamin H. Morgan, of London, England, has bought fifteen gold mines near Colorado Springs.

Three Crops a Year

Can be grown on the same land in eastern Mississippi and southern Alabama along the line of the Mobile & Ohio railroad. The summers are cooler, the winters are milder, the death rate is lower than in the north. Improved farms $10 to $15 per acre; unimproved land $3 to $5 per acre near railway stations. It is the best portion for raising fruits and early vegetables, stock raising and general farm crops. Lands are advancing; now is the time to buy. Very low rate excursions monthly. The Mobile & Ohio has put on two through fast trains each way daily between St. Louis and Mobile. It is the shortest and quickest route to the South. An illustrated pamphlet telling all about our country will be sent free to all who wish it. Apply to E. W. Greene, general agent, No. [illegible] St. Louis, Mo.; or E. E. P[illegible], passenger agent Mobile & O[illegible] Ry., Mobile, Ala.

A BACK BLOW.

The Weapon Small—but None More Certain or Effective.

In these times when backs are lame, when almost every other one we meet has now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains—"a weak back," "a bad back," a back that makes their life a misery to bear—and still they go on day by day in pain and suffering. Now 'tis the easiest thing in the world to give this played out back "a blow" that will settle it, and put in its place a new one equal to any. It's just like this: hit at the cause; most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up fibres in operation; when this is done you can say good-bye to backache.

Here is a case from Battle Creek: Mr. Josiah M. Shoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. "As a member of the force he served the city well, but the rough weather he was often subjected to laid the foundation of kidney disorder, which has troubled him very much. Here is what he says about it:

"About three years ago, while on the police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of [illegible]. The pain was right through [illegible] and across the small of my back, [illegible] down and I wanted [illegible] very slowly and gently to [illegible] the pain; I had such tired, [illegible] all the time, and I was steadily getting worse. About two months ago [illegible] hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got [illegible]. Their action and effect was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now get around as quickly as anybody. Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly as represented."

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Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

The noted political economist, David A. Wells, of Norwich, Conn., favors President Cleveland's renomination.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar (50c) which always gives relief. Dec.

On his own veranda, Deputy Sheriff Brookin, of Monticello, Fla., was shot dead by an unknown assassin.

Health and strength carry us through dangers and make us safe in the presence of peril. A perfectly strong man with rich, pure blood, has nothing to fear from germs. He may breathe in the bacilli of consumption with impunity. If there is a weak spot where the germs may find an entrance to the tissues, then the trouble begins. Disease germs propagate with lightning-like rapidity. Once in the blood, the only way to get rid of them is to kill them. This is what Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is for. It purifies the blood. That means that it kills the germs, but that is only part of what it does. It assists digestion by stimulating the secretion of digestive fluids, so promoting assimilation and nutrition; purifies and enriches the blood and so supplies the tissues with the food they need. It builds up strong, healthy flesh and puts the whole body into a disease-resisting state. Send 21 one cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and get his great book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, absolutely free. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y. 1w

Steamers northward from Tacoma and Victoria are making a close search for the missing steamer Strathnevis.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Christmas and New Year Holidays.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third first class fare for the round trip, account of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1895, and January 1, 1896, good going on date of sale and good returning up to and including Jan. 2, 1896. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations to points on the C. J. & M. R'y, and at principal station points on connecting lines. T. C. M. SCHINDLER, tjt Gen'l Pass. Ag't

A bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup in the house saves doctors' bills, saves trouble, and very often saves precious lives. Gives almost instant relief in cases of coughs, colds or lung troubles of any sort. 1w

A woman weighing 500 pounds died at New Middleton, Ind., recently. She was said to be the largest woman in the State.

To the aged, with their poor appetite, feeble circulation, and impoverished blood, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a boon beyond price. Its effect is to check the ravages of time, by invigorating every organ, nerve, and tissue of the body. See Ayer's Almanac for the new year. 1

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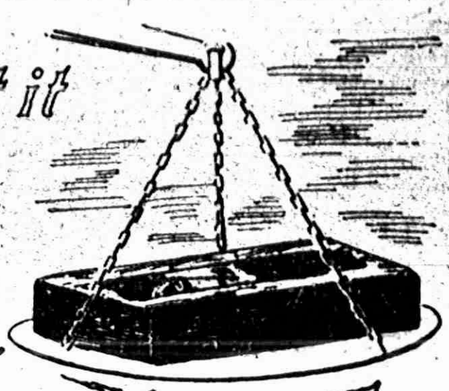

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rhoderick Lewis, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of L. Loana Stacy and George [illegible] praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioners, the executors in said instrument named.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 16th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Solomon [illegible], deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of L. Loana Stacy and George [illegible] praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioners, the executors in said instrument named.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1893, James Boyd mortgaged to Josiah [illegible] all those certain tracts or parcels of land [illegible] and being in the township of Franklin in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan described as follows, to-wit: The south quarter of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal installments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in liber 9 of Mortgages, on page [illegible], &c. And which said mortgage contains a provision that if any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof, or any installment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, or if and from thencefor th, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid said sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators, [illegible] become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 95-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been commenced for the recovery of said debt or any part thereof, notice, therefore is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the amount above mentioned and interest thereon and the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county, Michigan, (that being the place at which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 7th, 1895. JOSEPH [illegible], Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Mortgagee.

AHEAD OF ALL MAGAZINES this country has seen.—Albany [illegible]

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ghborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

dry and dusty!

Taylor has moved to Milan.

chools are enjoying a vacation.

en Christmas—wheat is growing

Underwood was in Detroit Mon-

Brown was a Detroit passenger day.

Lettie Gifford is home from Clin- the holidays.

e crowd of Britton people were meh Tuesday,

Hosgland and A. J. Lee were visitors Monday.

Hause, of Clinton, was a visi- ritton last week.

Pilbeam, of Harvey, Ill., is Britton friends.

Helm and Wash Underwood itors at Tecumseh Tuesday.

Slayton was down from Tecum- business last week Wednesday.

Helm and family spent Christ- h Mrs. Helm's parents in Frank-

Ezra Sink has some beautiful gifts for sale in Curtis & Linn's

ughes has withdrawn from the nbine and is now fighting the

scock, of Toledo, is visiting rela- d friends in Britton and Ridge- s week.

Helm is selling gum very rap- s week. He gives away a bar- h every stick.

Wynn, fire claim agent for the M., was in our village Wednes- Thursday of last week on busi-

Elizabeth Beevers entertained ildren and grand children at the mestead in the way of the annual istmas reunion

Silver left for his home in Ypsi- esday. He will return here for rs day and then take up his po- on in Lockner's drug store in Adrian.

pulpit of the Christian church be supplied Sunday by Rev. of Paw Paw, who preached one to the inmates of the Ionia house vention.

of base ball is contemplated ar future between the Giants Kildeers of Ogden. The local ve ordered web feet to cope with ing birds of the southern bog.

pleasant Christmas festival d at the parlors of the Christian last Monday night. It was attended and greatly enjoyed by ildren, for whom it was gotten up.

Sunday school scholars of the Re- church, were entertained at the Christmas evening by a regular honed Christmas tree. To say ildren and their elders enjoyed t would be putting it mildly.

unusual but happy surprise ung on Milo Osterhout Christmas Milo is a most deserving soldier ome reason has been unable to a pension. But the generosity people to the deserving is bound by pension laws or conven- ality, and Frank Brown circulated ition headed by a $5 pledge from W. R. C. $21 were raised and that e object of the surprise.

istmas weddings are becoming popular with our young people. day Web Underwood and Miss olcomb were united in the bonds rimony at the home of the bride's in North Adams. On the same Arthur Palmer and Miss Carrie were made one at the bride's Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sutton's. contracting parties in these nuptials are well known in vicinity and the well wishes of friends go with them.

other very serious railroad accident red here last Tuesday afternoon. time the unfortunate victim was a man named J. B. Gavinger who running on the Wabash local ht No. 71 west bound. He was a of experience, having just been moted to freight conductor, but was running as head brakeman to the run. He was passing forward stepping from the side ladder of box car to a flat gondola lost his bal- ce and fell beneath. His right leg as taken nearly off, just below the knee, only hanging by the cords and The unfortunate man was missed the train when it arrived here. They back and he was found about sixty yond the Macon bridge. He was to Adrian for care and bore his ring with great fortitude.

Friday evening occured the an- al election of officers in Ivy Leaf ve, L. O. T. M. For the most part ficient officers of last year were ted. The roster is now as follows: Mrs. Ida Babcock; Lieut. Com., ora Exolby; Sergeant, Mrs. Mary Finance Keeper, Mrs. Mary on; Record Keeper, Mrs. Emily Mis s-at-arms, Luella Haynes n, Eliza Zeluff; Organist, na Hardy; Picket, Mrs. Addie k. The Britton Hive is one of t enthusiastic and active organi- of the L. O. T. M. in the state speaks much for the enterprise ial spirit which animates the la- our village. We are pleased to the prospects are favorable for advancement of the work for ing year. On the night of the the commander, record keeper ance keeper were most happily d by being presented with a l solid gold pin or badge of the These officers have been in con- since the order was first ized.

Sufferers of Rheumatism.

using Groff's Rheumatic Cure e time in my practice I take leasure in saying that it is the onderful remedy for rheumatism; it is the only one I have found cure this disease in all its Dr. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

School closed Friday for the holiday vacation.

Eugene Pilbeam, of Harvey, Ill., is out on a visit.

Beginning with next Wednesday you will need to write it 1896.

Irving Barnes and Willie Fletcher went to Toledo Wednesday.

Mat Fox and Frank Drake, of Dundee, called on friends in the village Saturday evening.

The furnace at the church has been undergoing necessary repairs during the past week.

A. J. Sutton, who has been at work at Lansing for several weeks, was home for Christmas.

Mail Messenger Vote Miller, of Detroit, made his mother a flying visit the latter part of last week.

Mrs. John VanVleet, who has been under the doctor's care for several weeks, is slowly improving.

Bessie Barrett, after a few weeks' stay in Jackson with her sister, Mrs. Byron Begal, returned home Tuesday.

Chester Pilbeam, who has been spending several months at LaFyette, Ind., returned home Saturday night.

There were several young men down from Tecumseh at the Turkey Banquet last week Wednesday evening.

Miss Edith Collins will give a strictly one-fourth off sale on all millinery goods until January 11th, 1896.

The recent rains are the heaviest we have had in a year. Cisterns are full and wells and creeks are on the rise.

Mrs. J. F. Temple, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Will McCrimmon, at Luther, returned to her home Thursday of last week.

Limon Gould was called to Azalia Friday by the death of his brother, Charles Gould, who commited suicide by taking poison, the funeral services were held Sunday.

At the board meeting of the officials of the Johnathan Hall Memorial Library held at the library Monday afternoon Miss Lizzie Boyd was secured as librarian for the ensuing year, beginning January first, 1896.

Those who are spending Christmas with relatives out of the village are Lester Osgood and wife, at St. John; Miss Edyth Collins, at Blissfield; Miss Lillian Dersham, at Palmyra; Clarence Montgomery, at Allegan, Mr. and Mrs. Hale, at Toledo. Mrs. Sarah Rappleye and son Lawrence, at Ypsilanti; Grandma and C. L. Lowe, at Waseon, Ohio.

Just what the outcome of the war agitation will amount to is hard to tell at present, owing to the fact of next year being leap year, the ladies will claim a right in the field, and present arms in self defense, and every young man of manageable age will have to surrender or have inscribed on his monument, here lies the remains of a heartless old bachelor, when the conflict is over.

On account of the stormy night there was but a small attendance at the Roast Turkey Banquet given by the ladies of the L. C. S. at the church on Wednesday evening of last week. The society realized $15.00, after paying expenses. The ladies of the society wish to extend a vote of thanks to B. F. DePuy and Smith & Schmidt for their generous donation towards the supper, also to Mr. B. F. DePuy and Mr. Lafayette Rappleye for valuable assistance rendered, and to all who so willingly assisted in providing the necessary articles for the table act.

Those who are home and in the village with relatives and friends for Christmas and the holidays are, Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor; Prof. L. M. Palmer, wife and son, of Jackson; Kittie Clark, Guy Pocklington and Mrs. Frederick Gorton, of Ypsilanti; F. L. Cook, of Lansing; Eddie Williams and Florence House, of Clinton; G. C. Arner, of Addison; Lou Arner and Edith Chase, of Tecumseh; Lewis Holm and family, of Decatur, Ind.; W. T. Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Alfred Lucking and family, of Detroit; Ed. Allen, of Ithica; dispatcher Frank Allen and family, and Lavern Allen and wife, of Toledo.

There was a good attendance at the parlor meeting of the W. C. T. U. held at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Pocklington on Friday evening of last week. A short program was carried out, after which the hostess served refreshments in the dining room, consisting of cold meats, biscuits, pickles, celery, cake and fruits. Only those who have been fortunate enough to sit at Mrs. Pocklington's table can testify to the excellent cook she is. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable and social manner. The ladies of the union desire to extend to Mr. and Mrs. Pocklington their heartfelt appreciation for their generous hospitality.

Miss Hattie E. Coonley and Will S. Packard, both of Lansing, were joined in marriage at five o'clock Wednesday evening, December 18th at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. E. R. Allen, of Pilgrim Church, officiating. The rooms were tastefully decorated with holly and lycopodium, potted plants and flowers. Little four year old Mabel Hutchison preceeded the bridal pair as ring bearer, as the strains of the wedding march were played by Miss Steadman. In a white silken gown trimmed with smilax and roses a bride is always charming. The service was simple and impressive and was followed by hearty congratulations from relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Packard will be at home to their friends after January first at 510 Michigan Avenue East—Lansing Journal. [We join in with the many friends of Mrs. Packard in extending best wishes.

At the home of the bride's father, C. B. Sutton, Tuesday evening, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Carrie, to Mr. Arthur J. Palmer, Rev. J. P. Vincent, of Spring Arbor, administering the oath that united the contracting parties as man and wife, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives. After the usual congratulations a bountious wedding feast was spread, of which all were recipients. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner. The newly married couple went to Detroit for their bridal trip. The young people are among the first of our society people and have the best wishes of their many friends that life may be real and earnest and that prosperity and happiness may crown every noble effort of their life. The presents were numerous and useful, but space will not permit of our giving a list of them.

Mrs. Zacharias of Cincinnati says Pretzinger's is a God-send.

Last September Mrs. Zacharias, who resides at 911 Everett St., Cin. saw an advertisement in the morning paper, and being in despair over a Catarrh in the head that failed to get well, bought a jar of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm for 50 cents, and says she feels better than she has for many years. She uses it constantly in her family for curing colds in the head and her own chronic case of catarrh has been entirely cured. "Since using it I feel like a new woman; it is a God-send to all catarrh sufferers." On November 12 she writes again and says "My eldest boy was suffering very much with catarrh inflammation of the ears which were almost entirely closed by swelling. I tried your Balm and the inflammatory symptoms have entirely disappeared and he is entirely well. I find that Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm stops my children's earache almost immediately. Any reader of this paper who will purchase a jar will be convinced of the virtue it possesses." Light cases of catarrh and colds in the head and where the passages are choked with mucous yield instantaneously to this treatment. The delicate aroma of the camphors makes it a delightful remedy to use. A small sample will be sent by Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio, on receipt of a 2 cent stamp.

A pardon was granted by Gov. Brown of Kentucky to Hume Clay, the forger, who forged his grandfather's name for $50,000.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 20, '95.

For more than a century it has been the proud boast of Americans that in all questions affecting the foreign relations of the United States domestic partisanship was dropped and all men became simply Americans, ready to fight, if need be, for the maintenance of American principles. Several things have happened within the last three years to cause foreigners to believe that boast without actual foundation, but the foreigners were deceived. The administration went contrary to public sentiment in certain phases of its foreign policy, and public opinion condemned, instead of sustaining it. But today the boast holds good, and 10,000,000 fighting men, regardless of their domestic political opinions, stand ready to back up President Cleveland's notice to Great Britain and the world that the Monroe doctrine cannot be violated without first whipping the United States.

To judge by the talk of Congressmen, one week ago President Cleveland was about the most unpopular man in the country. Today, republicans, democrats and populists are trying to see who can utter the strongest endorsement of the stand taken by President Cleveland in his special message on the Monroe doctrine. For the time, Mr. Cleveland's mistakes are forgotten and he is regarded as merely the head of a nation determined to show to the world that it is prepared to force the acceptance of the Monroe doctrine by European nations, if force be necessary.

Congress is not, of course, unanimous—it never is—in support of the construction placed upon the Monroe doctrine by President Cleveland and Secretary Olney, but it is practically so, and promptly authorized President Cleveland to appoint a commission to investigate and determine upon the just boundary between Venezuela and British Guiana, in accordance with his special message, and there is no doubt that Congress will authorize the defence of the boundary so determined, unless Great Britain shall in the meantime agree to arbitration, or reach some permanent and satisfactory settlement with Venezuela.

Notwithstanding the warlike talk in Congress, European diplomates in Washington do not regard a war between Great Britain and the United States as a probable outcome of the present situation. Nor do they believe that Great Britain will either recognize or refuse to recognise the right of this country to maintain the Monroe doctrine as it is interpreted by America. They think that Lord Salisbury has a plan for evading either, and that it was indicated when he wrote in his communication to Secretary Olney: 'This controversy has undoubtedly been made more difficult by the inconsiderate action of the Venezuelan government in breaking off relations with her majesty's government, and its settlement has been correspondingly delayed; but her majesty's government has not surrendered the hope that it will be adjusted by a reasonable arrangement at an early date." How such an evasion would be taken by Congress is, of course, a matter of conjecture. Time will cool hot blood and modify opinions formed while enthusiastically patriotic, but if Congress does not change its present prevailing opinion it may put a very decisive veto upon any such settlements. There is no mistaking its sentiments now; it wants either a recognition of the right of the Monroe doctrine by England or war, and a majority would much prefer the latter.

A bill has been introduced in both House and Senate which should convince Lord Salisbury that this country means business. It provides for an appropriation of $100,000,000, which shall be immediately available, for strengthening the military armament on the Atlantic coast and along the Canadian border, the money to be raised by an issue of bonds payable in thirty years.

THE HERALD FOR 1896.

As is customary at this season the HERALD this week publishes a brief prospectus for the coming year which for the most part was written by our late proprietor during the last week of his work upon the paper.

Again the "Old Reliable" greets its patrons. The hard times of the past two years are slowly but surely improving, and we have reason to expect a fair business year during 1896. It behoves us all, therefore, to set our house in order and be prepared to take advantage of the revival when it comes.

The HERALD will enter the coming year prepared to meet all requirements upon it—to tide over the close times, if such shall be its destiny, or to make hay while the sun shines, if the opportunity shall be offered. In any event, therefore, its weekly visits will be continued during 1896, as they have been for over forty-five years. The character of the paper will be substantially the same as heretofore. First and foremost, it will fill the bill as a first-class local newspaper, giving such additional matter as seems to be most satisfactory to a majority of its patrons. It will not be the organ of any party, sect or clique, but will be independent in all things, and it will never shrink from expressing its honest convictions on all subjects, whenever occasion seems to demand it. Our rates have been placed upon a hard pan basis for '96, and we offer a very few extra combinations for those who regard them with favor; and we take pride in the fact that though they are few in number they are greater bargains than ever before offered in this paper. By special arrangements and liberal advertising we have procured two articles we will give our subscribers the full benefit of. They are articles which should be in every home. The latest and best map of Michigan ever printed, and the latest and most complete History of our own country ever written in one volume and by the greatest living historian, of America.

We print in part the most favorable club list ever presented in these columns and any periodicals not mentioned here will be procured at the lowest price. Here are the two combination offers in detail.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Hand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

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John Temple Graves Jan. 17.

It was a beautiful Christmas day.

A. W. Burnett is also at the old home this week.

Eugene VanDemark, of Chicago, is in town.

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Miss Clara Campau, of Reading, is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Odlon.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Taylor, of Leetonia, Ohio, are the guests of M. H. Taylor's family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hand and family, of Onsted, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Avery, Christmas.

Miss Carrie Millspaugh is entertaining her brother, W. H. Millspaugh, of New York state, this week.

T. C. Harris, wife and daughter enjoyed the festivities of the 25th with relatives in Fremont, Ohio.

Mrs. B. J. Slater returned Monday from a two week's visit with relatives in Bennington, Owosso and Forest Hill.

Mr. E. F. Daly, of Detroit, is sharing the pleasures of the season with his sister, Miss Lynne Daly, of this place.

Come in and examine our Rand, McNally & Co.'s map of Michigan, which we offer with the HERALD for $1.40.

Tecumseh Chapter, No. 42, R. A. M., held its annual election Christmas night. Beside exemplifying the royal arch degree and disposing of a genuine holiday banquet, the officers were elected as follows:

H. P.—P. S. McKinnon.
K.—J. A. Boyd.
S.—Horace Holdridge.
Sec.—F. J. Temple.
Treas.—T. Elliott.
C. H.—R. M. Boyd.
P. S.—J. F. Hicks.
R. A. C.—B. J. Garlinghouse.
G. M. 3rd V.—G. B. Garlinghouse.
G. M. 2nd V.—Wm. Britton.
G. M. 1st V.—T. R. Kyle.

Though in a somewhat more modest way than was the custom of our society gentry in recent years, the annual Christmas party was held at the armory Wednesday evening in a style and manner becoming a social function of that character. The armory was very tastily decorated, the music excellent and the supper all that those well sharpened and fastidious appetites could desire. About thirty couple participated in the event, among whom were the following from abroad: The Misses Emma and Dora Shultz and Miss Ellenore Lehn, of Manchester; Messrs. Chas. Bidwell, Raynor Anderson and Earle Slayton, of Detroit; Arthur Hall, of Toledo; Will Carlton, of Adrian, and Merton Burlingame, of Canal Dover, Ohio.

The many friends here who were awaiting news from the operation which Mrs. Geo. Kies, of Clinton, underwent at Detroit last week, were disappointed to learn the fatal outcome last Friday. The funeral was held in Clinton, Monday, Rev. Blachford officiating, and was attended by many from Tecumseh.

In his lecture before the class in international law, President Angell, of the U. of M., even goes beyond the stand taken by Cleveland and Olney on the Monroe doctrine. He advances the opinion that that this country should interfere in the acquisition of American territory by European powers, whenever it would be prejudicial to our interest, even though the country directly interested should acquiesce. This is a bold, aggressive stand and carries weight, coming as it does from one of the most conservative and able exponents of international law in this country.

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school prepared for their scholars a beautiful Christmas arch for their entertainment and to fittingly celebrate the most joyous anniversary in the christian calendar. The affair was gotten up especially for the children, of course, but where they are entertained and are the entertainers as well, there you will find their parents, brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts and grand-parents, all agog with interest and for a time young again themselves with the mirth and joy of the youngsters. Thus the Methodist church was crowded to the doors on Christmas eve and it was an evening well spent, to see the fine display and hear the excellent songs, recitations, etc., of the scholars. When Santa Claus appeared the climax was reached and the appreciation and joy of the small ones was manifest by a fine exhibition of lung power.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The Farmers' Union met at the home of Minor Davidson, Friday evening, Dec. 20th. After a short literary program the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Horace Holdridge.
Vice Pres.—B. F. DePuy.
Sec. and Treas.—Anna McIntyre.

The next meeting of the Union will be held at the home of Horace Eaton, Jan. 3rd, 1896. Program as follows:

Address by the President.
Inst. Music—Agnes Eaton.
Rec.—Mabel Wood.
Dec.—Seymour Boyd.
Reading—Mrs. Lowell Waring.
Rec.—Mary Eaton.
Vocal Music—Mary McIntyre.
Paper—Fern DePuy.
Question:—What is necessary to bring prosperity to the American people? Opened by John T. Boyce, W. F. Raymond, B. F. DePuy, and others.

Ocean King Oysters,
Direct from Baltimore.

Jaxon Crackers,
Direct from Jackson.

KENNEDY & ROGERS.

New Years is Coming!

And we all like to have our homes beautifully decorated and our tables loaded with

"Goodies."

You can get

Elegant Wax Leaf Holly,
New Nuts, Figs, Dates,
Choice Malaga and Catawba Grapes,
Apples, Etc., for the Holidays

AT

R. S. MOORE'S
Corner Grocery.

A Happy New Year!

For a Nice, Sensible Christmas Present,

A Nice Plush Cap
Handkechief or
Neck Mufflers,
Kid Gloves, Mittens
Ties, Suspenders

—and then one of—

Our Fine
OVERCOATS

—to keep you warm—

Just Take a Peep at Our Show Window.

The One Price Clothiers. McCANN BROS.

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A Handsome
X-Mas Present—

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way of a

Cape or Jacket

for a small amount of money
we are closing them out at
facturer's prices.

Curtains,
Carpets,
Rugs,
Oil Cloth
For Table or Floor,

The Latest Styles
and Best Makes in Shoes
in all ages and sizes,
Rubbers, Felts, Etc.

We Will Save You Money In Your Purch

and consider it no trouble to show goods.

WE WANT YOUR PATRONAG

We do our own hustling and are willing to hustle for it.

Respectfully,

Harris & Hites

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—A dark blue overcoat, containing a pair of black mittens and pair tan-colored gloves, in road between Dr. White's house, 1½ miles south of Tecumseh, on Christmas day. Finder please leave at Herald office.

FOR SALE—Having rented my farm, I have for sale the following property for sales: Two 2-year-old Suffolk Punch colts; one 2-year-old filly (Punch); one 4-year-old Banker Filly; two three-half bred Jersey Heifers; one Pedigreed Poland China Boar. Terms private.
ELLIOT GRAY.

WE MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men and women $10 to $18 per week for easy home work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERMANN & REYNOLDS, 218 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE—A good improved farm of 90 acres, three miles from Milan village; or will exchange for property in Tecumseh village. Address, J. L. MARBLE, Milan, Mich.

FOR SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting of 100 acres, good buildings. Very desirable location, just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Enquire of C. D. Tefft. Terms reasonable.

HOUSE TO RENT.—With cellar, wood house, well and cistern; all in good repair; $1.00 per week. Call at once.
A. W. SLAYTON.

WANTED.—Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Michigan for established, reliable house. Salary $780 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope. The Commission Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 27, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The crops are saved.

Is your rainwater barrel full?

Bert Tribou was with his parents here Christmas.

Miss Nellie McLachlane, of Adrian, is visiting friends here.

Prof. I. D. Loree and wife are stopping at Mrs. Fisher's over the holidays.

Miss Bertha Bryan accompanied Marvin Hayden to Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Bert Baker came up from Toledo to spend Christmas under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. W. Bowen and family spent Christmas with S. Milo Dole of Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ide spent Christmas with their sons, Edgar and LaVern, of Detroit.

Mrs. Susie Thompson, of Chicago, is spending the Holiday season with her mother here.

Miss Gertrude Sweet left Tuesday morning for an extended visit with relatives in Indiana.

Have you seen the new electric cigar lighter on exhibition in Dickinson's meat market. Try it.

Don Palmer and wife, of Norvell, partook of the hospitality of H. D. Cutting's family, Wednesday.

Adam Hardenburg has closed the season of navigation on the great lakes and returned home Saturday.

Miss Mae Temple, of Chicago, and Miss Allie, of Albion, are with their parents here during the vacation.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "The end of the year 1895."

Burton Burlingame, who is employed on the C. J. & M. Ry. at Canal Dover, Ohio, is spending the week in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Rude, of Brighton, Indiana, are visiting their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rude, in this place.

Miss Sena Hosmer left Tuesday night for her mother in Freeport, Ill., where they will make their home for the winter at least.

Mr. Hayden, of Grand Rapids, was home over Sunday. Marvin is hustling for the Globe box metal and gives us a very neat circular description of his goods.

Mr. Bidwell and Raynor Anderson divide their business cares at Detroit, spend most of the week in Tecumseh. For some reason best known himself, Raynor was in a hurry and rode most of the way home.

Service and Christmas tree will be given to the children of St. Peter's Sunday school on Saturday of this week, Holy Innocent's Day. Services will be held at the hour of 4:30 instead of 7 o'clock as announced on Sunday.

Tom and Miss Evlyn Sherard arrived Wednesday night from the east, guests of Miss Kate Anderson for the holiday season. Miss Sherard is in attendance in the famous Wellesly College, and Tom is in his junior year at Yale.

The Sunday school scholars and young people of the Friends church were treated to a very pretty Christmas tree last Tuesday evening. An entertaining program was carried out and altogether the occasion was a great treat to the young folks.

The January number of the Forum will contain an unusually interesting article entitled "Some Naval Aspects of the Japan-China War" by Vice-Admiral Edmund R. Fremantle, of the British Navy, who was commander on the China station during the war.

Hood's Calendar for 1896 is out and it is justly admired. Many pronounce it the handsomest yet." It consists of a head of a beautiful young woman in an oval panel with a stylish gold frame. The background and pad are printed in various delicious brown tints. The remarkable growth of the editions of Hood's Sarsaparilla, from one million copies a few years ago to over thirteen millions this year, is only paralelled by the wonderful advance in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is now the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye.

It has rained.

E. M. Lewis lost a fine horse yesterday.

Mrs. R. J. Garlinghouse was a Detroit passenger Monday.

Come and see the real, live fairies at the opera house Jan. 3d.

Have you examined our combination offers and club lists for 1896.

Earle Slayton is home this week from his college duties in Detroit.

Miss Emma Keeney, of Saginaw, is home for the Holiday season.

Miss Nannie Kyle spent Christmas as the guest of Coldwater friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Dickenson visited Matt Montgomery and family Wednesday.

The accumulated precipitation of the recent storm peroid amounts to 4 1-2 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Wightman spent Christmas with Mrs. Wightman's relatives in Palmyra.

Lenora Charles, who is attending school at Toledo, is spending her vacation here.

J. G. and A. E. Karner and sister Maggie were with parents at Blissfield Wednesday.

Prof. J. W. Cupples, of Lapeer, lays aside the rod and rule for Christmas toys at home.

Cheer up! Don't you care. What we loose in holiday trade will come back next summer.

Miss Jane McConnell visited Mrs. Augusta Waldron at her home in Jackson last Sunday.

Mr. John Baker spent Christmas this year at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Whiting.

Mrs. L. M. VanTyne and son Fred, of Ann Arbor are spending the holiday recess in Tecumseh.

Let all members attend the Farmer's Social Club at Israel Schreder's next Tuesday evening.

Miss Ellenore Lehn, of Manchester, was the guest of Miss Lena Arnold Wednesday of this week.

Do you want to see next year's Santa Claus? Come to the opera house Thursday evening, Jan. 2d.

Mrs. W. R. Blachford and children are spending the Christmas season with relatives at Hamilton, Ont.

A. W. Haight, whose headquarters are at Syracuse, N. Y., hung up his stocking on the Quaker hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raynor Lilley, of Indianapolis, as usual, were guests at the Lilley home this year.

Lester Dean, of Fremont, Ohio, was entertained here the fore part of the week by his uncle, Cal Hiteshu.

Cards announce the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen at their home tomorrow eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Carlton and son Will, of Adrian, enjoyed the hospitality of Tecumseh relatives over Christmas.

Miss Minnie Day, who has a position with Montgomery Ward & Co., in Chicago, is with the family here this week.

The Misses Emma and May Kingan are home from teaching to share the pleasures of the season with their parents.

Miss Bertha Meade and Mr. Wm. Sawitzky, of Detroit, are spending their holiday vacation with friends and relatives in Tecumseh.

Miss Kate Tallman and Mr. Sterling R. Mathers were married at the home of the bride's parents Tuesday evening. Their future home will be in Wilkes Barre, Pa.

Rev. B. S. Hudson was summoned to Oakland, Wis., Sunday by the serious illness of his mother. He drove from here to Adrian immediately, taking the first train there. Word from him there states that Mrs. Hudson died on Christmas day. Services will be held as usual at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Jackson has a new military organization which has been mustered into the state service in place of H, which was mustered out some few weeks since. It boasts of sixty enlisted men of the best blood of the city and are officered as follows: Chas. H. Russel, captian; B. O. Newell, 1st lieutenant; H. D. Nash, 2nd lieutenant.

Pursuant to an order from the Quartermaster General's office, Co. C has shipped their uniformed dress suits and helmets to Lansing. This is another step on the part of the State Military Board to simplify and render more serviceable, not only the tactics, but the equippage and accouterments of the state troops, and will render the service in camp much more pleasant.

An illustrated article setting forth the results of the latest studies and discoveries respecting The Sun's Light, by Sir Robert Ball, who rivals the late Professor Proctor in his gift for popular exposition of astronomical subjects, will appear in McClure's Magazine for January. The publishers promise a series of articles by Sir Robert on popular astronomical topics during the coming year.

A change of venue is all right sometimes and very necessary to the administration of justice. However, it is often a little hard on disinterested taxpayers. At least the Washtenaw county taxpayers think so, as they will have to put up over $1,000 for the trial of the case of Wm. Whalen vs. Michigan Central Ry. brought from Jackson county. Whalen was an engineer hurt in the well known World's Fair accident at Jackson.

The drouth is broken.

Roy DeWolf was home for Christmas.

Clarence Hurry is also home from Albion.

Walter Barnett is home from college at Albion for the vacation.

Mrs. Wood and daughter, Miss Julia, have returned from Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Flora Hartbeck left Saturday to spend the vacation in Indianapolis.

Miss Metta McBride was the guest of Toledo relatives over the recent holiday.

Sumner Collins joins his wife at St. Johns, Mich., for the celebration of the yuletide.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwella Hodges were at G. W. Jackson's for the recent holiday occasion.

Fred J. Hendershot takes respite from the labors of pedagogy with his parents near Tecumseh.

Atty. Arthur Hall, who is now practicing in Toledo, spent the Christmas tide in Tecumseh.

Capt. E. D. Chilson, who now has the Marquette snug in port at Detroit, was at home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Slayton and family ate Christmas dinner at the B. I. Laing home in Raisin.

Mrs. J. F. Jenkins left Tuesday to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Young, in Chicago.

Mrs. C. V. Hicks and daughters, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of W. Anderson's family this week.

Miss Jessamine Case, who is taking a course of kindergarten work at Toledo, is spending the week in Tecumseh.

W. B. Gibbs, of Chicago, and Miss Edyth Burns, of Tipton, were united in marriage at the latter's parents Christmas night.

Maynard Hatch, of Macon, is supply lineman at the C., J. & M. during the temporary absence of the regular lineman, Joe Marquis.

The many friends of Rice Hendershot will be glad to know that the crisis is past in his sickness and he is now on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Frank Bryan, as usual, received many useful presents this year. Among the rest were 23 potato mashers. If you don't beleive it, ask Frank.

The subject for the New Years sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening will be; "Treasures on earth or in heaven. Which?"

The meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society will be held at Mrs. Wm. Steinhoff's on Thursday Jan. 2nd, 1896. Meeting to begin promptly at 2:30 p. m.

The cantata given at the Presbyterian church Christmas eve was one of the most pleasing ever given here. At the request of a large number, it will be repeated, with additional features, at the opera house Thursday evening, Jan. 2d.

When the poles closed at the election held in Kennedy & Roger's grocery store, Christmas, the result was as follows; Maude Jorden, $5.00 gold piece; Daisy Baldwin, $3.00 in silver; Bessie Bates, $1.00 in silver. The tickets were procured with purchases of tea at their store.

Mary Anderson will tell in her autobiographical paper in the January Ladies' Home Journal how, and where she made her first success on the stage, and of Gen'ls Sherman's and Grant's, Edwin Booth's and Dom Pedro's encouraging commendation of her early efforts as an actress.

The Christmas number of the Hudson Gazette has been received. It consists of twelve pages enclosed in a beautiful cover of white book paper printed in red and green. The paper is well filled with advertisements of Hudson business men. The entire paper is typographically a work of art.

Doctor Elmer E. Hendershot has rented his farm to Frank Day and will remove his family to Macon village the first of March, where he intends to settle down for permanent practice. Dr. Hendershot is a very successful physician and has many friends and patrons who are glad to learn that he is to remain here.

There will be no services at the Universalist church next Sabbath as the pastor, Rev. Andrus, is visiting his mother at Grand Rapids. Sunday school and Y. P. C. U. as usual. The subjects for Sunday, Jan. 5th, will be: "Lift up your heads, oh ye gates; and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors." "Evening: "Are we religious."

The Ann Arbor jury in the case of Knapp vs. George Hemindinger, after a five weeks' trial, brought in a verdict of $500 for the plaintiff. The parties were from Manchester and Knapp presented a bill of over $1,500 for attending smallpox cases in Hemindinger's family a year ago last fall. Cheap enough for having the fun of scaring everybody in that part of the county out of a year's growth over a harmless case of smallpox.

Following is a list of patents granted to Michigan inventors last week: H. J. Breese, Port Huron, non-refillable bottle; E. H. Crane, Niles, fishhook; F. A. Curtis, Muskegon, railway-crossing gate; J. Donavan, Three Rivers, railway velocipede; H. A. King, Quincy, wire-stretcher. F. J. Korff, St. John's ice-velocipede; G. H. Newell, Grand Rapids, fishing-reel; B. Reiu, Detroit, vapor dental furnace; J. W. Snell, Jr. Bay Port, carpet-stretcher; J. Sweet, Detroit, farm-gate; E. O. Wood, Flint, detonator.

All kinds of blank order and receipt books for sale at this office.

R. A. Heeson and wife went to South Bend, Ind., Tuesday for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Belding, of Clinton, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Furgeson, of Cambridge, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Belding.

Will Wade who has been working with the long distance telephone people was called to Bridgewater yesterday by the sudden death of his mother.

The cantata given at the Presbyterian church in connection with the Christmas tree on Wednesday evening was one of the most successful entertainments ever given by young people in Tecumseh. The success of the affair was even a surprise to the promoters of the little operetta and was a great credit to both them and the children. By request of many the performance will be repeated with many additions at the Opera House, Thursday evening, Jan. 2nd.

A Handsome Holiday Present.

A handsome holiday present can be had at Harris & Hiteshu's in shape of a cape or jacket for a small amount of money, as they are closing them out at manufacturer's prices.

—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

—A dozen Moss Jelly Bar Cakes for 10c. AVERY & Co.

—Come at once and get your Christmas presents at our store.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—Lumber cheap. Dressed pine lumber $9 per M and up, at Slayton's. See him.

—THE CITY BAKERY—
Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery makes. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Come into the Novelty Store and see what we are giving away with holiday purchases. tf

—Elegant presents given away with holiday purchases at Montague's Novelty store.

—Buy a sample dozen of Marshmallow Cream Cakes, 15c, the finest cake you ever bought. AVERY & Co.

—Northfield Knife Co.'s fine pen and pocket cutlery at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—A second hand piano in good repair, for sale at Jas. Montague's.

—See our new lines and specialties in fancy china ware at Montague's Novelty store.

—See those fancy granite Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—TAFFY TAFFY TAFFY—
—The City Bakery is the place to get your taffy, fresh every day. We make it ourselves, and warrant it to be as good as made and sell it at wholesale and retail prices.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—The Bissell, Superior and "Child's" Carpet Sweepers at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—One of the largest assortments of holiday novelties ever brought to Tecumseh, just received at Montague's Novelty Store.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Nickel plated copper Tea Kettles, Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Sleds, skates and boy's wagons at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Fur and plush robes, blankets, whips and sleigh bells at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

—BOOK BINDING—
We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

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In selecting your Holiday Gifts utility and not ornament should be your motto. Call at the corner store in Masonic Temple block and let me show you my assortment of

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Ulsters and Overcoats,
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Men's Holiday Slippers,

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Come in and See These Bargains.

4 cans Riverside Tomatoes,	25c
5 cans Corn,	25c
2 cans Apricots,	25c
2 cans Peaches,	25c
2 cans Pears,	25c
12 Pounds Rolled Oats,	25c
5 Pounds Raisins,	25c
5 Pounds Cleaned Currants,	25c
4 Pounds No. 1 Prunes,	25c
6 Pounds Crackers,	25c
Large Size Bottle of Olives	25c
4 Pound Package Buffalo Soap Powder	20c
4 Pound Pkg Kirkoline Washing Powder	20c
1 Pound Our Crown Baking Powder	25c
Tea Dust 15c. lb., 8 Pounds for	$1.00

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JOHN E. BIRD, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over post office, Adrian, Mich.

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This house has been enlarged and refurnished and now affords first-class accommodations for transient guests. Rates $1.00 per day.

HOTEL TEACHOUT, ONSTED, MICH. W. A. TEACHOUT, Prop.

This house is new and complete. Fine livery attached. Same side of Railroad as depot. On Main Street. Rates, ONE Dollar per day.

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PIONEER DEAD.

Close of the Busy Career of Sanford A. Yeomans.

Ionia, Dec. 20.—Sanford A. Yeomans, who served in the state legislature for two terms, died Thursday at the advanced age of 79 years. He was probably the wealthiest man in Ionia county and one of the founders of the First national bank here, having resigned its presidency on account of ill health. He had a severe stroke of paralysis seven years ago and failed steadily ever since. He came to Ionia in 1833, settling on his 40-acre farm, which he increased to 150. He was one of the commissioners appointed by the state to lay the Ionia, Houghton and Mackinaw state road. In 1867 he was a member of the state constitutional convention. In 1876 he was elected to the state legislature and served two terms. In politics he was a republican, an original whig, and in religion orthodox.

CONTEST FOR A SITE.

Attempt to Set Aside a Deed to the Late Senator Stockbridge.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 24.—A short time before the late Senator Francis B. Stockbridge died he deeded to the Y. M. C. A. for a building site a valuable lot in what is known as Church square. The site is now occupied by a $65,000 building. Monday five of the heirs of Johnson Patrick, the original owner of the land, filed suit against the association for $20,000, claiming they never signed the deed to Senator Stockbridge. The square on which the building is has always been used by religious societies, that being one of the conditions of the deed. Four large churches also occupy the square.

NEW WOMAN AT MARCELLUS.

Affairs of All Kinds Managed by Her in the Cass County Village.

Niles, Dec. 20.—The "new woman" and the "business woman" have appropriated to themselves the little town of Marcellus, in Cass county. They are first in everything, and the vocations they follow range from shaving the living to burying the dead. The village undertaker is a woman, and the only barber in the town is a woman. Besides running various kinds of businesses, the municipal affairs of the village are conducted by women. They are at the head of a dozen local societies, and generally bring success to the undertakings they engage in.

Races at Detroit.

Detroit, Dec. 21.—Detroit will have three big horse-racing meets next season, one running and two trotting. The running meeting will come first and will be held at Grosse Point track under the auspices of the Detroit Jockey club. It will run from June 20 to July 4. The event of the meeting will be the Derby stakes on the opening day. The blue ribbon meeting of the Detroit Driving club will be held the week of July 20-25, the purses for which will aggregate more than $40,000. The driving club will also have a fall meeting the week of September 14-19.

Asylum Soon Filled.

Ishpeming, Dec. 24.—Director Bill, of the upper peninsula asylum at Newberry, has formally notified county authorities of the upper peninsula that the asylum is filled to its limit. The asylum was opened but a few weeks ago and there are still many insane in the county jails waiting for proper accommodations.

Died Craving for Cigarettes.

Niles, Dec. 20.—Willard Green, a 16-year-old Buchanan boy, who has been at the point of death some weeks from cigarette smoking, died Thursday. The boy has smoked as high as 165 boxes in a month, always inhaling the deadly nicotine. On his deathbed he raged and cried piteously for cigarettes.

Killed His Companion.

Saginaw, Dec. 24.—Charles Northrup shot and killed Fred Tredwell at Merrill Bridge Sunday morning. The men were employed chopping cordwood and became engaged in an altercation over a horse which had been placed at their disposal. The sheriff arrested Northrup Monday morning.

Weather Is Balmy.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 24.—C. C. Spaulding, a fruit grower of this locality, picked a number of buds and blossoms from his plants Saturday morning. He also picked a nearly full-grow strawberry. Pansies are blooming in the garden of William Robinson.

Bought the Whole Mine.

Negaunee, Dec. 24.—The Kaufman brothers, of Marquette, who recently purchased a half interest in the Star of the West mine in Cascade range, have now bought the remaining half from Samuel Hoar, who has operated the mine for the last 18 months.

A Coaster Killed.

Rockford, Dec. 19.—Dick White, a 15-year-old lad residing west of Rockford, while coasting was struck by a single sled descending the hill. He was thrown ten feet into the air, falling upon his head and crushing his skull. He died 12 hours afterward.

Will Require Forty Thousand Dollars.

Lansing, Dec. 19.—Receiver Stone has begun paying depositors of the defunct Michigan savings bank a five per cent. dividend. Nearly $40,000 will be required to pay this dividend.

Mining Store Burned.

Houghton, Dec. 24.—The Calumet company's store burned Monday, causing a loss of $25,000; insurance, $21,000. The stock was owned by J. H. Trealease, of Chicago.

State Banks Must Report.

Lansing, Dec. 20. — Commissioner Sherwood has called on the state banks for a report of their condition at the close of business Friday, December 13.

A More Direct Route.

Lansing, Dec. 24.—The state railway crossing board has approved the map of the new and more direct route of the Ann Arbor road into Alma.

REUNITED AFTER YEARS.

Long Search of Michigan Brothers for Each Other Happily Ended.

Morley, Dec. 24.—B. D. Williamson, a hardware merchant of this village, has been in search of two sisters and a brother for many years. His father having died before he was born, and his mother dying when he was only six years old, he went to live with his uncle in Flowerfield township, St. Joseph county, and the members of the family gradually drifted apart. It was recently published that Hiram Williamson, of Pierson, had been granted an increase of pension. B. D. Williamson at once wrote him to learn the name of his father and mother, and received an invitation to visit him. It developed that they were brothers, and last Thursday they held a reunion, it having been 45 years since their last meeting. The sisters are living in the southern part of the state, and Hiram Williamson has lived 17 years on a farm near Pierson, only 13 miles from his brother, and each was in search of the other all this time.

A LAKE NAVY.

Its Effectiveness in Case of War with Great Britain.

Detroit, Dec. 20.—Alex McVittie, vice president and manager of the Detroit Dry Dock company, believes that in case of immediate war England would be at a vast disadvantage with respect to a lake navy. He says his company could turn out two ships of 4,000 tons each, fit for fighting, in six months, and the other shipyards along the lakes could turn out eight more. A great many of the larger boats now in service on the great lakes could quickly and easily be transformed into fighting machines, especially the big car ferries in the straits of Mackinaw. These vessels, in Mr. McVittie's opinion, would be able to cope with anything Great Britain could bring here in several years.

ANN ARBOR DEBATERS.

To Meet Chicago University Men in Oratorical Combat in February.

Ann Arbor, Dec. 21.—Charles G. Vert, '96 law, of New York; Edmund Block, '96 law, of Tennessee, and Paul Y. Albright, '98 law, of Pennsylvania, have been selected by an intersociety contest to represent the University of Michigan in a debate with the Chicago university to be held here next February. The question to be discussed is: "Is the principle of a graduated property tax one that should be adopted by the states?" Chicago has chosen the negative.

DROWNS SELF AND CHILD.

Ann Arbor Woman Jumps Into a Cistern with Her Daughter in Her Arms.

Ann Arbor, Dec. 20. — Mrs. Mary Grossman, wife of a prominent business man in this city, committed suicide by drowning herself in a cistern. When she sprang into the water she carried in her arms her only child, a three-year-old daughter. No reason can be assigned for the rash act, as her life is known to have been a happy and contented one. Her husband on returning from business found a note written by her directing him to search for her in the cistern.

Vindicated His Right to Yell.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 23.—A large delegation has been here from Galesburg attending the trial of a suit of damages against ex-Marshal Hill, of that village, brought by Clifton Carson. The plaintiff, a 15-year-old boy, was arrested and dragged to lock-up by Hill and two others because he gave the high school football yell. He fought like a tiger and broke one officer's nose. He was clubbed over the head with a cane. He secured a verdict for $150 damages.

Guilty of Wife Murder.

Charlotte, Dec. 24.—In the Eaton county circuit court Frank Forbes, charged with murder, changed his plea to guilty, and was sentenced to 25 years at hard labor at Jackson. When Judge Smith pronounced the sentence Forbes asked him if he would make it 25 more. Forbes and his wife were members of a dramatic company. While in a drunken frenzy at Grand Ledge September 12 he shot and killed her.

The New Supreme Bench.

Lansing, Dec. 21.—The new state supreme bench is solidly republican for the first time since 1883. Chief Justice McGrath, democrat, retires; Judge J. B. Moore takes a seat, and Judge Charles D. Long, the senior judge, becomes chief justice. Three of the judges, Long, Moore and Montgomery, were born in Michigan; Hooker in Connecticut, and Grant in Maine. The latter two are graduates of the university. Long and Grant are old soldiers.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

Niles, Dec. 21.—An attempt was made to wreck a Michigan Central passenger train Friday morning a few miles west of Niles by placing obstructions on the track. The engineer saw the obstruction in time, and prevented a wreck. A man named Hayes, whose home is in Buchanan, has been arrested for the crime. He maintains innocence.

Fruit Growers to Meet.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 20.—The West Michigan Fruit Growers' society will hold its annual meeting as a joint convention at the courthouse in this city on Friday and Saturday, December 27 and 28. Important papers will be read by leading pomologists of the state and the election of officers will be one of the features.

Inter-State Bridge Unsafe.

Menominee, Dec. 18.—The city council has condemned the second bridge, which has caused much trouble between Marinette and Menominee councils. Both wish to build a new bridge, but disagree as to the share of cost, owing to ignorance of the location of the state boundary line.

Prison for a Deadly Assault.

Bellevue, Dec. 24.—Hiram Wheeler, convicted of making a deadly assault upon his brother, was sentenced to Jackson prison for three and a half years.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Michigan Localities.

A new $10,000 church will be erected by the Methodists in Bad Axe in the spring.

The Saginaw river is frozen over at Standish and boats are tied up for the winter.

Traverse City is to have a new free mail delivery system in operation in a very short time.

Senator E. M. Barnard, of Grand Rapids, denies that he is a candidate for lieutenant governor.

The Osceola Mining company at Calumet has declared a dividend of $1.50 per share, payable January 15.

Ypsilanti has lots of mineral water, and a scheme is now on foot to erect a $50,000 bathhouse in that place in the spring.

Francis Barbier, for a third of a century a resident of Saginaw, and one time prominent in lumber circles, is dead, aged 67.

The steamboat mail service between Charlevoix and St. James, on Big Beaver island, has been extended so as to close on the last day of the year.

It is estimated that the timber cut on the Menominee river and its branches this season will be about 350,000,000 feet, close to the figure of last year.

It is reported in Detroit that the Lake Shore railroad contemplates building a line from Saline to Ypsilanti, affording the shortest route from Detroit to Chicago.

The grading of the Detroit & Mackinac railroad from Emery Junction to Omer is nearly completed, rails are laid most of the way and trains will be running in ten days.

A Holstein cow belonging to W. G. Smith, of Osceola township, Livingston county, gave 2,411 pounds of milk during November—an average of over 80 pounds a day.

Mr. Assadoorian, an Armenian merchant at Petosky, believes that his mother was killed in the recent massacre. He dare not return to his native land, fearing a like fate.

J. D. Tuckey and John Wooley, two Cass City farmers, shot two wildcats south of that city last week. Five black bears have also been killed by farmers in that vicinity this fall.

George Proper, of Port Huron, has begun suit against Charles Hewitt for $10,000 damages. While scuffling Proper was thrown heavily to the ground, sustaining serious injuries.

There is a project on foot at St. Joseph to build a combined G. A. R. memorial building and city hall costing from $15,000 to $20,000. A considerable amount has already been subscribed.

A number of Sturgis residents bought from 60 to 80 bushels of potatoes from the farmers at eight cents per bushel, and will feed their horses all that they do not use for their tables.

Glen Harbor people are jubilant over the report that the D. L. & N. will be extended to that point on Lake Michigan. Glen Harbor is said to have a harbor deep enough for the largest boats.

Berrien county farmers are considering the advisabilty of raising more sugar cane next year. Near Pipestone there is a sorghum mill which this year put out over 600 gallons of pure sirup.

Wasn't Drowned.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 24.—James Ogden has returned from Eagle, Wis., where he met his brother, Wyman P. Ogden, who was reported drowned in the Manistee river at Henrietta last August. He had $2,000 insurance in the K. O. T. M. James Ogden has notified Maccabee headquarters at Port Huron that Wyman is not dead. Mrs. Wyman P. Ogden and children are here. She declines to be interviewed.

Damage by a Flood.

Saginaw, Dec. 24.—The heavy rains of the last few days, although raising the water in the river four feet, caused no serious loss until a boom in the Flint river broke, letting a great quantity of logs into the Saginaw and threatening the various city bridges. Large crews at work have warded off the danger to a great extent. Laborers commanded five dollars a day catching runaway logs.

Cranberry Industry in Michigan.

Lansing, Dec. 20.—Michigan has become a vigorous rival of Massachusetts in the cranberry field, and is now supplying most of the territory that the Bay state used to work in the far west, while the freight rates are another advantage for Michigan as regards the far western trade.

Big Difference in Age.

Niles, Dec. 21.—Thomas F. Bradbrook, aged 75, and Miss Chloe Arnold, a 16-year-old girl, were married at Bangor. They are on their wedding tour, and upon their return will engage in cultivating a large farm owned by the groom.

Kalamazoo's Bonds Sold.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 19. — The $40,000 electric light bonds payable in four, six, eight and ten years, bearing four per cent. interest, have been sold to Rudolph, Kleybolte & Co., of Cincinnati, at a premium of $61.25.

Shot a Big Bird.

Galien, Dec. 19.—Orin Keefer, a 13-year-old boy, living near town, shot and killed a Washington eagle. The bird weighed eight pounds, and the wings measured seven feet from tip to tip.

Effect of the Education Laws.

Bay City, Dec. 18.—As a result of the strict enforcement of the compulsory education law here 600 pupils have been added to the enrollment. Most of them were formerly employed in factories.

Death of a Banker.

Battle Creek, Dec. 19.—Rodman P. Kingman, for many years president of the City bank and the leading financial man of the city, died Wednesday, aged 65.

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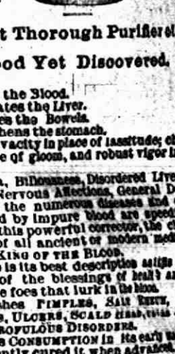

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Dec. 29. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Children Included.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Acts x, 2; xi, 14; xvi, 15, 31, 33.

That children before they have committed willful sin are in God's favor and saved is clear from the Saviour's own words and deeds. If the kingdom of heaven is composed of such, which is the language of Christ, then they must have some rightful place in the earthly church. They have the right to nurture, watch, care, protection and true affection.

As in the Jewish church the rite of circumcision was the covenant sign between Jehovah and his chosen people, and this was bestowed upon the male child at 8 days of age, so in the early days of the Christian church baptism seems to have been administered to the whole household when they turned from heathenism to Christianity. No special mention of children is made, but the plain implication is certainly given. In the case of the household of Cornelius, Lydia and the jailer at Philippi, no other adults are mentioned as professing faith in Christ, and as the households were baptized, the only reasonable inference is that children must be intended.

This Grace Also.

There are many members of the League who are faithful in attendance upon the services of the church and often sing and pray and speak in the meetings and pass for first rate Christians, who never gave any serious thought to the matter of the expenditure of their money and of the ability of using it in the Master's service. What proportion of our members fixed proportion of their income keep any fair account of the amounts spent for personal gratification and those given to the cause of God? If one will for a little while keep strict account he will be surprised to see how much he spends on his own pleasures, how little he gives to help others, and perhaps may get his eyes open to the fact that he knows little of self denial, much of self indulgence, and that in spite of all his self complacency he is really a very selfish specimen of humanity. A little vigorous self denial would prove beneficial to the one exercising it and would bless many others beside. Paul exhorted one of his churches that as they abounded in other gifts they should abound in this grace also. The exhortation is timely now. Let us deny ourselves, take up our cross daily and follow Christ.

The Junior League.

What opportunities lie undeveloped in this organization! Every exertion should be used to start the boys and girls on the right track in social, devotional and literary lines. If wisdom is exercised in these regards we shall have small cause for complaint as they grow older that they are drawn away by the allurements of the world. Get habits of reading good and helpful books formed in early childhood, and the bad book will never give any trouble, because there will be no taste for it, but rather disgust. Supply innocent, healthful and helpful recreation, and the dance and card table will never attract in later years. Give attractive society, and there will be no seeking evil companions. Purity, sweetness, beauty are attractive to childhood. Use them in all wise ways to form habits, and as these crystallize into character the young people will be safe.

Childhood Under Christianity.

In nothing is the contrast of the heathen systems of religion and that of Christianity more forcibly shown than in their respective estimates of childhood. Nowhere outside of the religion of Jesus Christ is there any true appreciation of the worth, the rights and the nature of children. Here alone are they shown as objects of God's special care and regard. Only slowly has the church been awakening to a full appreciation of her duty and privilege in training her young for the service of God. This has been well called the age of childhood. And true it is that, as never before, the child nature and wants are being studied and supplied and a purer and higher manhood and womanhood are surely arising from this better culture of the childhood of the times.

Good Resolutions.

Many sneer at the custom of making good resolutions at the beginning of the year. Nevertheless it is a good thing to do. Here is a turning point. It is a good time to begin a better course of living. Has the reading of the Bible been neglected in the pressure of home cares and business life? This is a good time to begin to read it regularly. So of private prayer and family devotions. So also of attendance upon the services of the church. Make your vows to God and then fulfill them faithfully. Make the next year a better one than any of its predecessors.

Worth of Missions.

General Samuel Merrill, late American consul general at Calcutta, on the eve of his departure for home, said in an address to a Sunday school: "My friends, that which made the deepest impression during my three years' sojourn in India has been the sight of those who have left their homes on the other side of the world, to enter the hovels of the outcast, to point to the heavenly friend and the celestial mansions. When all other pictures of the orient have vanished, this, upon which a radiance from heaven falls, will eternally abide."

Doing Good.

Alone amid life's griefs and perils
The stoutest soul may quail;
Left to its own unaided efforts,
The strongest arm may fail.

Then let us learn to help each other,
Hoping unto the end.
Who sees in every man a brother
Shall find in each a friend. —Anon.

Faith rests on reason, so do all lofty religious energy and joy upon high strong thought.—Dwight.

The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

Bills were introduced in the senate on the 18th providing an appropriation of $100,000,000 for a heavy increase in the national armament, and making ex-confederates eligible to service in the army and navy. A resolution was passed for an inquiry into alleged corporate influences operating in the election of United States senators and representatives....In the house a bill was passed appropriating $100,000 for the expenses of the commission suggested by Mr. Cleveland in his special Venezuela message. Adjourned to the 20th.

The house bill appropriating $100,000 for the expenses of the proposed commission to Venezuela was laid before the senate yesterday and many speeches were delivered, but no decisive action was taken. A bill was introduced by Senator Hale (Me.) for the construction of six seagoing coast line steel battle ships. A message from the president on the subject of the outrages on Armenians in the Turkish empire was referred to the committee on foreign relations....The house was not in session.

The senate on the 20th, by unanimous vote, passed the bill adopted by the house empowering the president to appoint a commission to determine the Venezuelan-British Guiana boundary. A message was received from the president saying the nation's credit was in peril, and that he desired congress to remain in session and do whatever it could to reassure the country that the government of the United States will continue to meet its obligations, financial as well as otherwise. No action was taken....In the house the only business transacted was the passage of a bill for the changing of the terms of United States court in Iowa and the presentation of a notice of contest against Representative Jones, of Virginia, on the ground of fraud.

In the senate on Saturday the president's message on the financial situation was discussed, but no action was taken. Adjourned to the 30th....In the house Speaker Reed announced the standing committees. The president's financial message was read and referred to the committee on ways and means.

DOMESTIC.

Nine of the crew of the new American line steamship St. Paul were killed by the bursting of a steampipe in the starboard engine-room in New York.

President Mayer, of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company, tendered his resignation and it was accepted.

All the 7,000 coal miners in the Indian territory went on a strike.

In the United States circuit court at New Orleans Judge Pardee declared that the sugar bounty law was constitutional.

John Hunter made 90 balls in continuous pool at the Plaza club in Chicago. This beats the world's record by eight points.

John E. Kitzmiller, one of the best known horsemen in eastern Ohio, failed at Canton for $100,000.

A bicycle that goes a mile a minute is the invention of J. A. Ferguson, a Cincinnati machinist.

Experiments at Duluth, Minn., demonstrated that potatoes could be treated and preserved in much the same manner as apples.

The legislature of Virginia refused to give the governor enlarged powers to order out troops to prevent lynching.

Rensselaer Tripp, aged 73, a farmer living near Cortland, N. Y., shot and killed his neighbor, George Calpin, aged 45, and then shot himself.

High water did great damage in Fort Scott and other portions of Kansas, where rain had been falling for 40 hours.

Fire in New York caused a loss of $250,000 to clothing, art and plate glass manufacturers.

A cyclone swept over the country four miles north of Sherman, Tex., doing immense damage.

The National Editorial association is to meet in St. Augustine, Fla., January 14.

A locomotive with a train attached ran away near Mount Carmel, Pa., and four men were fatally injured and nine others were badly hurt.

A family named Bergman, residing in Dubuque, Ia., were notified that they were heirs to an estate in Australia worth $1,000,000.

The ante-mortem statement of Harry T. Hayward, hanged recently in Minneapolis for the murder of Catherine Ging, says that he took the lives of four other persons before that of Miss Ging, and that he never got into trouble until he began to gamble.

Mrs. Gen. Grant celebrated the opening of her new home recently purchased in Washington.

The heaviest rainstorm in the history of Chicago flooded streets in the city, electric car tracks were under water, people in the suburbs were driven to the upper floors of their dwellings, and the furnace fires of hotels, residences and big manufactories were extinguished by the waters.

Theodore Lambert (colored) was hanged in the jail at Camden, Pa., for the murder of William G. Kaiver on December 4, 1893.

Erastus Wiman, of New York, serving a term of five years in prison on the charge made by R. G. Dun & Co. of forgery, was liberated by the court of appeals.

Arrests made by secret service officers in Kansas City, St. Louis and Paola, Kan., resulted in the seizure of $91,000 in counterfeit $10 silver certificates and the breaking up of a gang of counterfeiters.

In Washington Mgr. Satolli, apostolic delegate to the United States, became Cardinal Satolli; a member of the sacred college of cardinals and a prince of the Roman Catholic church.

William P. Harrison, of Chicago, arrived in San Francisco from an extended trip of the antipodes. During his stay on the Samoan islands he states that 25 individuals were devoured by the cannibals and that he narrowly escaped a like fate.

While playing on the ice at Indianapolis John Horhamer, aged ten, and Otto Greenwaldt, aged seven, cousins, were drowned.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Jingerson, at Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken above a whisper for months, and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers. Orr & Temple. Dec.

A fire-damp explosion in a coal mine near Raleigh, N. C., killed 43 men.

Secretary Carlisle estimates that it will cost $418,091,073.17 to run this government during the next fiscal year. The appropriations for the present year made by the last congress amount to $412,753,264.81.

James B. Pace, president of the Planters' national bank at Richmond, Va., failed for $1,000,000.

The police at Buffalo, N. Y., arrested a gang of six of the most notorious professional car burglers in the country.

Al Stinson and William Davis, white cap leaders at Anderson, Ind., were sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

At Syracuse, N. Y., Clearwater won the pool championship of the world, defeating Keogh, of Binghamton.

The principal business portion of Bethel, N. C., was destroyed by fire.

Figures on the racing season of 1895 in the United States show that $2,826,749 was earned by horses placed in the 1,362 events decided during the year.

A heavy rainfall was reported throughout Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri and Kansas.

William Supleben, 29 years old, a blind soap peddler in New York, in a jealous rage killed his only child, a girl four years old, and then shot himself dead.

The Bennett national bank at New Whatcom, Wash., forced to close by a run November 5, has reopened for business.

The probated will of the late Senator Thurman, of Columbus, O., shows he was worth $170,000, all of which was left to his heirs.

Mrs. Mary Grossman, wife of a prominent business man at Ann Arbor, Mich., drowned herself and three-year-old child in a cistern. No cause was known for the act.

The manufacturers of plumbers' brass goods of the country formed a national organization at Pittsburgh, Pa.

As a result of the decline in stocks the failure of the following firms was announced on the New York stock exchange: Nichols, Frothingham & Co., Samuel S. Sands & Co., De Neufville & Co., L. A. Feldman and B. Fenton.

During a freshet near Old Monroe, Mo., John Heitman, August Longnecker, Henry Longnecker, W. Meadows and wife, and a stepson of James Blankinship, named Martin, were drowned.

Two youths, aged respectively 15 and 20 years, the youngest named Blount and the older Fourche, engaged in a duel with pistols near Pontotoc, Miss., and both were killed.

A. B. Payne, postmaster at Longview, Ala., was murdered by Jasper Nabors, his nephew.

The Union Traction company, owner of the street car lines involved in the great strike in Philadelphia, consented to arbitrate the differences with its employes, and the strike was declared off.

Albert Neeland, a photographer of St. Louis, who already has three wives, was arrested in St. Joseph, Mo., when about to marry the fourth.

Twenty-nine miners lost their lives in the Nelson mine near Dayton, Tenn., by an explosion of fire-damp.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 20th aggregated $1,185,267,639, against $1,129,766,288 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 15.9.

Fire in the Riche block at Denver caused a loss of $125,000.

The third floor of the Palace clothing house in Minneapolis collapsed under a heavy load of wall paper, killing Gale Walters, a clerk, and doing damage to the extent of $10,000.

There were 377 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 20th, against 388 the week previous and 349 in the corresponding time of 1894.

M. M. Packard & Co., dealers in spices and teas in New York, made an assignment with liabilities of $100,000.

Friends of Henry Ward Beecher are perfecting plans to erect a memorial building to him in Brooklyn.

George Wolfe shot and killed Mrs. William Rattledge, with whom his divorced wife was staying, shot and fatally wounded his wife, and then committed suicide near Castana, Ia.

The Illinois Live Stock Insurance company, organized in Chicago with a capital of $100,000, made an assignment.

The American national and Union national banks at Omaha were consolidated, the business of the formed being merged into the latter.

Willie and Eddie, sons of Mrs. P. Lauerman, and Jimmie, son of Lawrence Kinney, aged 13, 10 and 12, were drowned at Morris, Ill., while skating.

Charley Jones, aged eight, his brother Robert and sister Maggie, aged 21 and 20 respectively, and Ida Ball, aged 16, were drowned while skating near Denver, Col.

William Helm, alleged to have been the leader of a gang of cattle thieves, was assassinated by vigilantes at Chappelle, Neb.

Mrs. Tennie Whitard, of Bismarck, Mo., her infant, and her sister, Ada Hardage, while attempting to ford Forchee creek were drowned.

Joel Davis and his wife, of Coggon, Ia., died of poison due to canned tomatoes and other members of the family were very ill.

The president will issue a proclamation January 4 next, declaring Utah a state of the union.

Seven brick buildings, with stocks of 17 firms, were burned at Kossea, Tex., the loss being $100,000.

The president signed the Venezuelan commission resolution and it is now a law.

Andrew Johnson and his three children were burned to death in their home in Philadelphia.

At a cabinet meeting in Washington it was decided to make arrangements for another sale of bonds for gold at the earliest practicable moment.

Barney Brown (colored) was lynched by a crowd of negroes at Wrightsville, Ark., for assaulting a negro woman.

One of the three buildings of Spaulding, Jennings & Co.'s steel works at West Bergen, N. J., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

State Mine Inspector Sampson in his annual report to the governor places the output of gold for South Dakota at $3,500,000 for 1894; $5,000,000 for 1895, and gives an estimate of $7,000,000 for 1896.

The agreement by which the trolley strike was declared off in Philadelphia fell through and the strike was resumed.

Dispatches from St. Louis say that the Mississippi river rose 22 feet in two days, and the flood in consequence covered the Mississippi valley from the Iowa line to Cairo, Ill.

The troops in New Mexico were ordered by Gen. Miles to pursue the Indians off their reservations, and if they would not return to kill them.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

After a separation of 40 years Christian Shultz, aged 82, and Miss Martha Cowan, aged 80, were married at McGuffy, O.

Capt. Isaac Bassett, the venerable assistant doorkeeper of the senate, died in Washington, aged 76 years. He had been in the service of the government 61 years.

Martha Smith (colored) died at the Brooks county poor farm near Wellsburg, W. Va., aged 106.

In state convention at Shreveport the democrats of Louisiana renominated M. T. Foster for governor.

Charles B. Atwood, one of America's foremost architects and designers, died at his home in Chicago, aged 46 years.

Steven Ross (colored), the greatest possum hunter in Ohio, was buried at Massillon, O., after having lived to the age of 108 years.

Capt. J. W. Luke, state railroad commissioner of Iowa, died at Hampton.

FOREIGN.

The mail steamer from the northern coast arrived in St. Johns, N. F., and reported frightful ravages by recent gales. The schooner Victory and crew of 22 were lost and four other vessels were missing.

A portion of the barracks at Buenos Ayres collapsed, and 12 soldiers were killed and 60 were injured.

Miss Margaret Young, queen of the Manua group of islands, died at the age of 23 years.

A dispatch from Constantinople says that the porte had ordered Mustapha Remzi Pasha to attack, with 10,000 troops and two batteries, the city of Zeitoun, to bombard and destroy it, and to massacre the 12,000 Armenians in the city because they had killed 400 Turkish soldiers.

Advices from Havanna stated that Gen. Campos would make desperate efforts immediately to break the power of the insurgents. He had determined to force the fighting because of urgent orders from Madrid.

Several sacks containing $80,000 in gold and silver stolen from a wagon train 40 years ago were found in a cave ten miles south of Rincon, Mex.

Richard F. Sickerton, associate justice of the supreme court of Hawaii, is dead. William R. Castle, late minister to Washington, will succeed him.

Advices from Panama say that the city of Santa Marta was nearly destroyed by a tidal wave and that many lives were lost.

Mustafa Pasha, commanding a Turkish force, captured the town of Zeitoun and murdered the 12,000 Armenian residents.

A hurricane sank a large number of boats at Hankow, China, and over 200 persons were drowned.

LATER.

The Bank of Farmington, located at Farmington, Ill., failed for $20,000.

A break in the La Marsh dike near Pekin, Ill., flooded thousands of acres and thousands of dollars' worth of damage was done.

In a railway collision at Cardiff Tenn., J. S. Brewer, a brakeman, and three unknown tramps were killed.

Perley Ellison and his family were murdered by Apaches in lower Pleasant Valley in the mountains near Payson, A. T.

The Indianapolis directory for 1896 places the population of the city at 154,000, a gain of 49,000 since 1890.

John McKnight and Daniel McAllister were killed and seven other men were severely injured by a dynamite explosion on the drainage canal near Romeoville, Ill.

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' national bank of Columbus, O., was authorized to begin business with a capital of $350,000.

Whittle, Hanrahan & Co., dyers and bleachers at Providence, R. I., failed for $315,000.

Mrs. Mary Murch dropped dead in the Presbyterian church at Findlay, O., while addressing a missionary meeting.

Peter Gerlo at New Orleans took 12-5th seconds from the world's bicycle record for a mile, placing the record at 1:40 3-5, instead of 1:42 2-5.

The street railway strike in Philadelphia was finally ended through the efforts of John Wanamaker, who was aided by members of the Christian league.

The supreme court of the United States adjourned until January 6.

The steamship Nansemond collided with the Spanish steamship Mexico near the island of Aruba. The Nansemond sunk and Capt. Lasky and seven persons were drowned.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The senate was not in session yesterday. In the house Mr. Dingley, chairman of the ways and means committee, stated that he hoped to be able on Thursday next to present to the house some measure looking to the relief of the treasury as suggested by the president. Bills were introduced to levy and collect duties on wool and cotton; for the protection of agricultural staples and American ships in the foreign trade, and to relieve the United States treasury and to familiarize the people of this country with the advantage of a silver coinage.

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Toledo.....	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

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Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	8 00 A.M.
Tecumseh.....	12 29 "	9 23 "	8 50 "
Clinton.....	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester.....	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
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.....	12 2	7 25		Monteith.....	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 45		Yorkville.....	2 36	7 04
.....	1 35	8 31		Battle Creek.....	1 55	6 38
7 00	2 35	9 05		Marshall.....	1 10	6 10
7 51	3 10	9 32		Homer.....	12 18	5 01
8 55	3 51	10 01		Hanover.....	11 38	5 21
11 00	5 05	10 38		Addison.....	10 53	5 10
11 18	5 11	10 45		Devils Lake.....	10 14	4 48
..	5 23	10 57		Onsted.....	10 03	4 16
11 38	5 30	11 03		Sand Lake.....	9 56	4 48
12 04	5 37	11 10		Tipton.....	9 49	4 21
12 30	5 51	11 25		Tecumseh.....	9 18	4 06
12 47	6 09	11 33		Ridgeway.....	9 17	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 35		Britton.....	9 52	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50		Rea.....	9 10	3 39
2 09	6 25	11 59		Dundee.....	9 01	3 09
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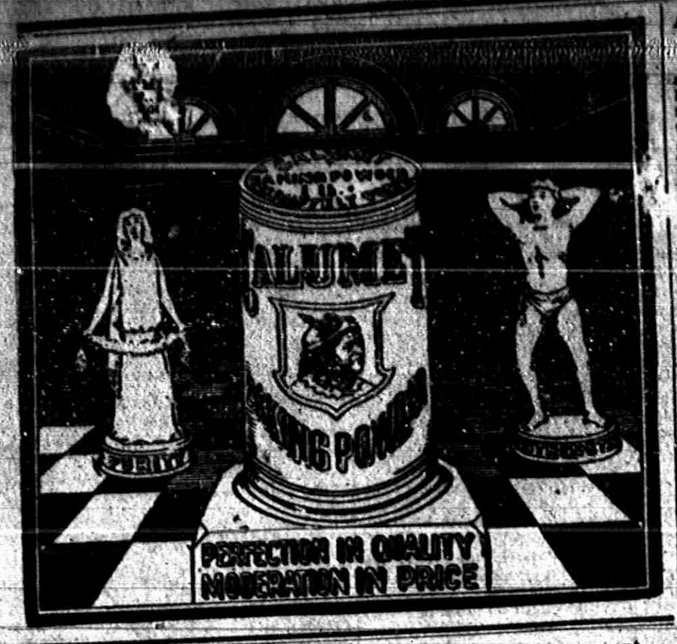

SCOVEL C. STACY.

Memorial Resolutions by the County Bar Association.

The following resolutions have been adopted by the Lenawee county bar and ordered spread upon the journal, as a manifestation of respect to the memory of the late Scovel C. Stacy, of Tecumseh:

Resolved, That it is with great sorrow that the bar of Lenawee county are called upon to announce to this court that its roll of membership no longer contains the honorable name of "Stacy."

Scovel C. Stacy was admitted to the bar on the 29th day of May, 1868, and at once began the active practice of law with his learned father, C. A. Stacy, at Tecumseh, in this county. He died Dec. 7, 1895. For several years he gave great promise of equaling, if not excelling, the remarkable ability and skill of his partner and parent.

Unfortunately, however, as the mind of young Stacy grew clear and brilliant, his physical strength gave way, until finally his hearing became so deficient that he was compelled to give up further practice in the proffession for which he had so well prepared himself, and which he graced, honored and loved so much. The members of this bar who knew him personally, and practiced with him, respected and loved him. Those of the younger members, who only knew him as a lawyer by reputation, cherish his good name.

R. A. WATTS,
V. H. LANE,
A. L. MILLARD,
Committee.

The Great Tobacco War.

Many of our readers know of the war existing between the manufactures of plug chewing tobacco and few, perhaps, are familiar with the cause.

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No portion of the world is to-day attracting more attention than the Sandwich Islands; and yet, much as they are talked about and as much as they have been mixed in American politics for the last forty years, the masses of readers know but little of the social life and customs of the Islanders, and could not tell off-hand whether they lived in modern houses, in huts, wigwams, or caves.

It will be the object of these letters not only to briefly sketch the past and present of the Hawaiian Islands, but to carry the reader directly into the private life of the people who inhabit them; their past and present government, the overthrow of monarchy, and the setting up of a Republic will be narrated from a non-political standpoint. In this respect they will have a peculiar interest because in the coming Presidential contest the question of annexation will be agitated. These letters will contain hundreds of items of great interest, all told in a highly entertaining, instructive and unbiased manner. In short, we have a rich treat for our readers for the entire winter.

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In the box were fruits and cake that any king might envy. The napkin was of damask linen, and the chicken tender and delicious.

No one knew him as other than one of their own kind—a laborer, strangely sad and morbidly retiring.

After examining his companions as far as possible the authorities at last decided to investigate his dinner. Every crumb was tested with an expert's care, and the presence of poison proved beyond all question.

Then they took the body to the morgue and began a right search for the evildoer.

At last a boy was found who said that for several weeks he had been employed each noon to carry a tempting lunch to the murdered man and gave the name of the lady living in the magnificent house across the way as the one who had thus employed him.

At first it seemed incredible, for the lady's husband was a worthy millionaire and she of excellent reputation. But there was no other solution forthcoming, and at last the lady admitted her guilt in open court with her still adoring husband by her side, and insisted upon giving the following explanation:

"When I was but a girl, I loved this man, the one whom I have killed," she began unsteadily, "and, oh, how dearly was I beloved by him who is now my victim! Happy as the birds, we strolled about our native heath and swore eternal faith to one another. He was a noble lad, handsome and strong, and our souls were knit together until it seemed that death alone could part us. And then the war broke out and my lover left my side. I bore the parting bravely, but wept and pined when he was gone, certain that nothing could console me.

"The days went by and finally they told me he was dead, and after two long years of grief I married him you see beside me. He was poor then, but gentle and attentive, and his affection soothed me for a time until one glorious morning when, returning from early prayer, I met my former lover.

"Oh, how I wept upon his breast, for now I realized that love had never died, and from that day we lived for one another as wholly as we ever had before my wretched marriage. I was his wife and his alone. I lived for him and every passion of my heart seemed satisfied by his affection.

"It was then that the ambition to be rich first entered my lawful husband's mind. Knowing nothing of my secret love, he pictured to me visions of a wealthy home, position, luxury and joys that women dearly prize and gradually as these visions were realized I found myself turning slowly from my first love to bask in pleasures that he could not give.

"At first I tried to wake in him this same ambition to be rich, but Roland, poor, dear Roland, only laughed at my desires and twitted me of growing worldly like all the others of my sex.

"The change was gradual, but no less sure because months passed before it grew apparent. I loved him still, in a strange, remorseful way, but the thought that he could not give me gold at last resulted in a bitter malice. His happy nature chilled me when I remembered how little satisfied his soul while my husband's all absorbing greed for what would give us comfort and position inspired me with a keen regard and made my lover small in consequence.

"Then there were years of silence after we had fiercely disagreed, and when I looked upon his face again it was to see him clad in homely laborer's garb and struggling day by day to earn his meager living. From the windows of my lovely home I looked upon his haggard face and felt down deep within my heart the twinges of remorse and sorrow.

"I loved him while I wronged him so. I loved him still, even when his low position should awaken my disgust, and as the days passed slowly by I heard his hammer ring upon the stones until the echo tortured me with thousandfold regrets.

"At last I ventured upon a plan to be of some substantial aid, and thus, without making myself known in any way, I daily sent a dainty lunch and watched his pleasure from my curtained window. And day on day as I stood and watched the same old hungering pain of love crept back, and I would willingly have given the half I owned to rest upon his bosom as in the days of old, before ambition came between us.

"Then frenzy took possession of my soul, and more than once I raised my window wide and would have called his name with eager voice, but something, some small remnant of my pride, restrained me, and I closed the sash unheard.

"O God! the horror of those days! To know that he was near, to even see his careworn face and know that he was still alone, was almost more than I could bear.

"Each day with my own hands I packed his dainty lunch and each day grew more eager to rush forth and clasp him in my arms, but always pride and caution held me back, and in the struggle that grew daily intense my very reason tottered on its throne. Then to my brain there came a sudden thought. I must be free of either love or pride, and after groveling in the very dregs of woe, I placed the poison in his food and sent him to his death."

The sins which pride commit the gilt of gold will cover, oftentimes, for though they judged her guilty of an awful crime her husband's wealth secured the wretched life, but never since the day they found him dead has wealth, position, love or ease brought happiness or comfort to her soul. —Exchange.

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Butter	14	16
Eggs, per doz	20	22
Lard, per lb	30	28
Potatoes, per bushel	1 10	1 20
Beans, per bushel		1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		1 6
Cheese, per lb		
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	$ 15 to	8 10
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½	6 to 15
Veal, dressed, per lb		
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5½ 6	10
Chickens, per lb		
Turkeys		6
Hides, green	85 to 85	
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		60
Corn, shelled		30 to 35
Corn in ear	16 to	25
Oats	18 to	25
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00 to	12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 40 @	4 30
Sheep	2 00 @	3 00
Hogs	4 75 @	5 00
FLOUR—City Mill Patents	4 00 @	4 25
Winter Straights	3 80 @	3 45
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	66¾ @	66¾
May	64½ @	65⅜
CORN—No. 2	33½ @	33⅞
May	34½ @	34¾
OATS—Western	23 @	23
PORK—Mess	8 75 @	9 25
LARD—Western Steam	5 80 @	5 85
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	19 @	27½
Western Dairy	11 @	19
EGGS	20 @	22
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40 @	4 75
Stockers and Feeders	2 40 @	3 60
Cows	1 75 @	3 60
Texas Steers	2 70 @	3 50
HOGS—Light	3 25 @	3 45
Rough Packing	3 00 @	3 30
SHEEP	2 30 @	3 75
BUTTER—Creamery	19 @	24
Dairy	12 @	22
Packing Stock	6 @	12
EGGS—Fresh	20 @	21
BROOM CORN (per ton)	20 00 @	45 00
POTATOES (per bu.)	15 @	23
PORK—Mess	7 75 @	8 00
LARD—Steam	5 22½ @	5 25
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 15 @	3 50
Spring Straights	2 85 @	2 90
Winter Patents	3 00 @	3 50
Winter Straights	3 00 @	3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, December	51 @	55¼
Corn, No. 2	25¾ @	25¾
Oats, No. 2	17 @	17½
Rye, No. 2	33½ @	33¾
Barley, Good to Choice	28 @	37
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spr'g	54½ @	54⅝
Corn, No. 3	25 @	25½
Oats, No. 2 White	18¼ @	18½
Rye, No. 1	35 @	35¼
Barley, No. 2	32 @	32¼
PORK—Mess	7 50 @	7 55
LARD	5 10 @	5 15
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 25 @	5 00
Texas	2 60 @	3 75
HOGS	2 90 @	3 40
SHEEP	2 25 @	4 00
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 00 @	3 75
Feeders	2 50 @	3 45
Cows	1 25 @	3 00
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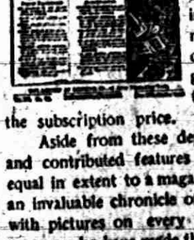

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Morals of Anecdote.

Journal of Prison of Imperial Diet [illegible] Last Week, and the Same Night.

It is appropriate, at this time, to consider a subject which has been written about and talked about a great deal during the past year, and which will be written about and talked about a great deal during the year which is now upon us. We refer to the subject of anecdotes. Many of the anecdotes which have been used during the past year are now entirely obsolete and abandoned. Their use, however, was better than their action, and few have observed and noticed the [illegible] which [illegible] the anecdote [illegible] universal practice and consent a distinction has been preserved between the worker and his work. Each has been judged separately, and thus some of the priceless intellectual and artistic treasures of past times have come down to us, whereas otherwise they would have been lost. It was chiefly reserved for this century, and notably since the days of Wesley and Lord Byron, to attempt to measure a man's work by the standard of his moral character. This spirit, however, has never been so remarkably exhibited as during the last few weeks. And as it appears to be supposed to extend away and to the public welfare, we desire to question its utility and therefore its morality.

Lately an author and playwright has been convicted by a jury of infamous criminality. Before his conviction—indeed, as soon as he was charged—his works were in some places withheld from the public. Even a member of the Westminster Vestry gave notice to move "that they be withdrawn from the two public libraries in Westminster, and that the other local Authorities in London be requested to take the same course in regard to the libraries under their control." Several libraries had already done this, perhaps without sufficient consideration. We have never had any acquaintance whatever, beyond common repute, with the author in question or his literary works. But these, we presume, were good to have because so popular, and if they were good then they must be the same now. Here we regard only the principle involved. This resolves itself into the query—Should we prohibit or refuse good work because of the immorality of the author or doer?

The absurdity of an affirmative to this question should be self-evident, and if carried out, would land us into endless difficulties. If our baker bakes good bread, or our bootmaker makes good boots, we do not ask what are the morals of these tradesmen before eating the bread and wearing the boots. It would be agreeable to know that they are worthy people, and sad to think them the reverse, but the usefulness of their handiwork would not be affected by either sentiment. Indeed one ought to be thankful to be able to get a good thing at all without troubling about the moral deliciousness of the makers.

We do not inquire before buying a picture whether the artist is moral or otherwise. The quality of the work is all we regard. If literature is to be an exception to this custom, there would be little left but that of inferior value, for, unfortunately, as we have said, the men of highest genius have been too frequently of extremely shaky morals. The virtuous yeoman of Westminister no doubt goes to church regularly and enjoys the Psalms of David and the Song of his son Solomon. But the worst of modern authors are the pinks of propriety compared to those old Poetic Jews who perpetrated every villiany under the sun. Therefore we do not on that account move that those immoral and religious effusions be withdrawn from Westminister Abbey, and our other churches. On the contrary if their perusal will do any one good, by all means let people read more. And let us thank God that it is possible to obtain good from the evil, and to paint the beauty of the rose and the fairness of the lily from the depths of the cesspool.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 3, 1896.

Geo, A. Kies left Menday for a business trip.

Joseph Rockwood, of Cone, was in town Tuesday.

Charles Davis made a business trip to Adrian Tuesday.

L. W. Kimball made a visit to Detroit the first of the week.

Richard Steffens made a business trip to Tecumseh Monday.

J. E. White and Garland Gillespie visited Manchester Friday.

Postmaster Kishpaugh was on the sick list the first of the week.

Will Clack and family visited Ridgeway friends over New Years.

W. B. Keyser, who has been ill for some time, is reported on the gain.

Floyd Rogers and Harry Kies expect to return to Orchard Lake next Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Wellwood has been quite seriously ill, but at present is doing nicely.

Miss Louie Miller, of Blissfield, is the guest of Mrs. E. VanDeMark this week.

Miss Jennie Hause is entertaining her friend, Miss Saidi Zelma, of Cadillac, this week.

Mrs. James W. Bradner returned Monday night from a visit with a cousin at Eckford.

James B. Hause and wife spent the first day of 1896 with his aged mother at Jackson.

Ed Clark has closed his livery barn, for the present at least, much to the regret of all.

Mr. Carr, the vocal instructor, late of Rochester, N. Y., has formed another singing class here.

Mrs. Wm. Mather, of Mason, visited her nieces, Mesdames Brooks and Corwin, over Sunday.

H. O. Wiltse & Son now occupy their new harness shop on Jackson street. They are very cosy.

Philip Keusch, after spending Christmas tide at home, returned to Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Henry Smith and C. A. Slayton, two of Tecumseh's active business men, were on our streets Friday.

The sudden death of George Camburn, at Tipton, Tuesday, was a shock to his acquaintances and friends here.

Edward M. Selby, who visited his friend, G. R. Gillespie, last week, returned to Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Emma Cotton, of Macon, was calling on Clinton friends Tuesday. She is always a welcome visitor.

Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, is with her grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies, while her mother is away from home.

Edward Stansfield, of South Bend, Ind., has been spending the holiday season with his many Clinton friends.

W. H. and N. Niblack with their families spent New Years with their sister, Mrs. Will Rhodes, at Saline.

Leon Clark, Fred Chandler, Floyd Rogers and three young ladies were the guests of Harry Kies, New Year's day.

Miss Abbie Chandler, after a pleasant visit among her Clinton friends, returned to her home in Saline yesterday.

Miss Lynne Daly, the popular artist of Tecumseh, and her brother, were the guests of C. R. Barnesdale's family Sunday.

Clinton Lodge No. 175 F. and A. M. held a special meeting Wednesday evening and the second degree was conferred.

Owing to the illness of W. B. Keyser, the commissioners on the estate of David Haggert did not meet Dec. 26, as advertised.

Fred S. Clark, who has been in McConnell's dry goods store at Adrian, during the holiday season, returned home Saturday night.

G. R. Gillespie witnessed the conferring of the 1st degree on three candidates in Masonic hall, Tecumseh, Wednesday evening.

The Congregational and M. E. societies have succeeded in securing the noted temperance lecturer, John G. Wooley, for Jan. 14th.

Saturday as George Allen's son drove into town his horse suddenly reeled and fell and before he was freed from the harness life was extinct.

Miss Jennie Beckwith, who is teaching at Springport, accompanied by a cousin, Miss Almeda Price, were the guests of Mrs. Florence Bigham this week.

Mrs. Fannie Wilder of Adrian, and Miss Kate Murphy, of Kalamazoo, after a pleasant visit beneath the parental roof, returned to their respective homes Tuesday.

Mrs. Adam Lehn, who lived east of town, died Tuesday morning. The funeral was held at the Lancaster school house Thursday, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell conducting the services.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark, who came home to attend the funeral of Mrs. Geo. Kies, has been quite ill at her son Ed's since that time, consequently her return to Chicago is indefinite.

Lele Gibson is busily engaged in renovating the old bakery building on Chicago street and will soon have a tasty store filled with a choice stock of fruits, vegetables, confectionary, etc.

Glenville P. Kleiser the impersonator, delighted a large audience at the Town Hall Saturday evening in, "Our American Cousin." Many think he excels even Leland T. Powers as an impersonator.

Saturday evening the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen was filled to overflowing with relatives and friends who assisted in celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary. It was a joyous occasion.

The advent of 1896, with its additional privileges to the fair sex of being Leap Year, was observed in an appropriate manner by our young ladies, a large company of whom, accompanied by their gentlemen friends, perpetrated a surprise on Floyd Rogers, at the home of his parents on Jackson street. It was a success and enjoyed by all present.

Justice E. R. Smith held court Monday. The suit of Biggins & Moulton vs. Henry Lancaster, for an account, was tried. G. R. Gillespie was attorney for plaintiffs and A. J. Waters for defendant. Verdict rendered in favor of plaintiffs.

The home of R. B. Gillespie contained a very happy company of young people Friday night. With the exception of Clyde and Jean Marsteller, they were all from Tecumseh. Garland and his sisters are charming entertainers, as all present can testify.

James Hogan, who is serving as juror in the Washtenaw county circuit court, came home Saturday for a few days. He was one of the jurors on the case against the Michigan Central railway for damages, which resulted in the plaintiffs securing a large judgement.

Among the callers received by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell at the parsonage Monday forenoon were Arthur Keeney and Bertha Pykett. They did not remain long, but long enough to be pronounced man and wife by the reverend gentleman. They have the best wishes of their friends.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks and Mrs. Carrie Corwin entertained the following relatives at their home Monday: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen, Newburg; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wright, Coldwater; Mrs. Youngs, North Adams; Mrs. Zellars and daughter, of Jackson, and their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Mather, of Mason.

Owing to the death of Mrs. Geo. Kies the Xmas exercises for St. Johns episcopal Sunday School were postponed to New Years eve, when they were held in the old Maccabee Hall. The trees, 3 in number, presented a beautiful sight the exercises entertaining, the children's happy faces a charming picture making glad and youthful the hearts of parents, teachers and friends.

The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Sutfin east of town was filled New Year's day by a large company of relatives and friends, who witnessed the marriage of their daughter, Bertha, to Mr. Harvey Sones, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell officiating. It was a very pretty home wedding and the young couple start out in their new life under the most favorable circumstances.

The funeral of Mrs. Daniel Wade was held at St. Dominic's Catholic church Friday morning which was filled with sorrowing friends whose presence testified in strongest terms the esteem in which the deceased was held. She had but few relatives in this country. Her aged companion and adopted son, Will, have the sympathy of all in this great affliction which has come upon them.

The rooms over the postoffice have been papered and painted, supplied with furniture, etc., and the indications all point to their being speedily occupied. Just who will occupy them none seem to say, but no doubt our genial postmaster can give the desired information to those desirous to know. Later—Married, by the Rev. W. R. Blackford, at St. John's Episcopal church, Jan. 1, 1896, at 6 p. m., Albert F. Kishpaugh and Adah D. Case, in the presence of relatives and friends. This determines who will occupy the rooms.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove by death our beloved sister, Cordelia Kies, a charter member of Golden Rod Chapter, No. 85, O. E. S., be it

Resolved, That in the death of our sister our chapter has lost a faithful member; one who, by her sunny and affectionate disposition, constant attendance and lively interest in all that pertained to the good of our chapter, had endeared herself to every member; and while we bow in submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, we deeply mourn her loss and deplore the sad ending of a life so bright and full of usefulness.

Resolved, That we, as members of Golden Rod Chapter, do extend to the grief-stricken husband and relatives our heartfelt sorrow and deep sympathy. And be it further

Resolved, That as a token of love and respect our charter be draped in mourning for the period of sixty days and that these resolutions be extended upon the records of our chapter and that a copy of the same be presented to the bereaved husband and also published in our local papers.

ELEANORE MARSTELLER,
GRACE F. SMITH,
Committee.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Richard Jones, who has been sick for a year past, is failing rapidly and has become absolutely helpless.

George Cure, of Wolf Creek, now lies dangerously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Vanderpool.

G. W. Fuller has bought the R. L. Glen store and will move his stock of goods into it as soon as the present occupant gets out.

A portable sawmill has been set up on the Wm. Card estate, and will furnish business for a number of persons during the winter. A good thing these times.

Mr. Drake is finishing off a store across the street from the Glen building and will remove his stock to it in a few days. Sidewalks and an electric light plant, will be the next in order.

John Thielan will rent his house and lot this year and remove to the town of Adrian and go to farming for a while. We wish him success, but John and Nell are good neighbors and we hate to lose them.

Harrison Daniels, Sr., who is over 80 years old, recently made a journey to Jackson Co., Mississippi, to visit his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Glen. A letter from him announces his safe arrival there, and that he is much pleased with the climate etc.

Dr. Shields, an eminent physician of Tennessee, says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood medicine on earth, and I know of many wonderful cures effected by its use." Physicians all over the land have made similar statements. ix

The dynamite gun tests at the Golden Gate, Cal., were very satisfactory, one shot scattering the side of a mountain.

Never Out of Season

There is no time in the year when Dean's Wildwood Syrup Pepsin is not a benefit to mankind. It cures constipation and indigestion, and cures diarrhoea caused by bad condition of the digestive organs. Trial size bottles 10c, also in 50c and $1 size. 2 Jan

FRANKLIN FACTS.

George Camburn is very sick.

Luman Deming is about the same.

Howard Whelan, of Detroit, was shaking hands with old friends at the Lyceum last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ara VanTuyle received the very nicest Christmas present, a sweet baby daughter. Mother and child doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Simmons, Miss Ruth and Mr. George Taylor ate Christmas dinner with their aunt, Mrs. Mary Woods, in Hillsdale.

Mrs. Fred Davenport has received the sad news that her father, Mr. Joshua Robertson, lies at the point of death, at Reading, having suffered a stroke of paralysis. Most of his children are with him.

The next lecture will occur at Clark Payne's, Jan. 11, 1896. There will be a good program called, much music and man songs. The question for debate is: Resolved, That foreign emmigration should be prohibited. Leaders, Wm. Spalding and George Taylor.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

For sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents per box. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

By the death of his uncle, John Michaels, at New Orleans, Henry Ramp, a Waterbury (Conn.) butcher, inherits $100,000.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Cailloouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Orr & Temple's drug store. 2

Rev. Dr. Samuel J. Nichols, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, St. Louis has declined the Presidency of Lane Seminary, Cincinnati, O.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

To cultivate American woman in liberal arts at Paris and New York the American National Institute has just been chartered at Albany, N. Y.

"I burned my fingers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it." Amelia Swords, Saundersville, O. 1w

A lightning match ignited natural gas and blew to atoms John Kirkhoff's cold storage Beer house at Anderson, Ind., and almost killed Henry Gichler.

Tainted Blood.

Scrofula is in the blood of almost every one, and it is the cause of many of our ills before. If it attacks the breathing organs, the tissue is consumption; if the digestive apparatus, the issue is dyspepsia and debility; if the muscles, the issue is rheumatism; if the nerves, the issue is paralysis; if the glandular system, the issue is in boils and other superficial exhibitions of corruption. It is a mistake to characterize it as unseen. What festers your skin on every little abrasion? Scrofula. What gives the hack to your cough on exposure to the slightest impaired soul? Scrofula. What makes your food an oppression? Scrofula. What racks and twists the leaves and sinews as you grow old? Scrofula. It operates by withholding nutrition and defeating all efforts toward nourishment; life becomes a burden, and the victim knows not the blessing and happiness of health. It is your duty to yourself, your family, and your race, to manfully oppose and dislodge this demon. How? We can only say, that others, who were afflicted as you are, have found relief and a cure in a moderate use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that compound in which the skill of modern pharmacist and the science of the most advanced medical knowledge unite for the benefit of suffering humanity.

Home-seekers' Excursions via Ohio Central Lines.

To Virginia and North Carolina, January 14 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip. Limit, 30 days, for return.

To the south and south-west, January 13, 14, 27 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip, plus $4.00. Limit, 20 days for return. j30

Medical Writers.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will, by its own action, reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past few years proves that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Century Catarrh Cure. This safe and pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and surgeons concede this fact. The most distressing symptoms yield to it. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co. Jan

Because he owned the house in which his father kept a saloon, George Champion, aged ten, of Gas City, Ind., locked the door and stopped the business.

"I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, and have found it the very best blood purifier." Rosa Bush, Adrian, Mich. 1w

A rich old silver mine, abandoned by Spaniards a century ago, near Zacatecas, Mexico, has just been rediscovered by Marcinis Solis, of Madrid.

A January thaw is always more productive of colds and coughs than a January freeze. Then is the time Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is needed and proves so extremely efficacious. Ask your druggist for it, and also for Ayer's Almanac which is free to all. 1w

TOUR OF MEXICO.

Third Annual Tour of Mexico, "The Egypt of the New World."

A special train consisting of Vestibuled Pullman Sleeping Cars, a Library and Observation Car, and a Palace Dining Car, will leave Toledo via Wabash R. R., Tuesday, January 14th, 1896. Hot Springs, Ark., Austin and San Antonia, Texas, and New Orleans, La., will be visited en route. The Tour through Mexico embraces all places of interest. A visit to the ruins of Tlaxcala and the Aztec Pyramid of Cholula. One week will be devoted to the historic City of Mexico. A side trip will be made to the Tropics. The round trip rate includes railroad fare, meals, sleeping car accomodations, hotels, carriages, and every expense for the entire trip of 30 days. Programs giving full particulars will be mailed to any address on application to P. E. Dombaugh, Pass. Agt. Wabash R. R., Toledo, O., or Chas. H. Gates, Boody House Block.

John Kiefel, a Carbon (Ind.) jeweler, who knew Schlatter, the "healer" in Switzerland, says that he went crazy in trying to discover perpetual motion.

Itching Piles, nights horrid plague, is instantly cured by Doan's Ointment. Your dealer ought to keep it. 1w

Members of the Woman's Board of the Columbian Exposition visited Atlanta and were royally entertained by the Woman's Board of the Southern fair.

Whiskers that are prematurely gray or faded should be colored to prevent the look of age, and Buchingham's Dye excels all others in coloring brown or black. 1w

Scott's Emulsion

is Cod-liver Oil without the fishy fat taste. You get all the virtue of the oil. You skip nothing but the taste.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ebenezer Harmon, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alvah Lewis, administrator with the will annexed upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and all special legacies have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of the will of said deceased, and that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and such other order and decree as to this court may seem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 9th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Scovel C. Rose, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of L. Loana Stacy and George N. Stacy praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to the petitioners, the executors in said instrument named.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to Joseph Russell all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three (3) east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in four equal annual installments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 90 of Mortgages, on page 731, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof or any installment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of one thousand dollars shall be paid, with all arrearages of interest thereon shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, be come and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 90-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the sum above mentioned and interest thereon to the date of costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 5th, 1895.

JOSEPH RUSSELL,
Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Mortgagee.

THE KING CURE OVER ALL FOR RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA IS

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Scribner's for Christmas

Frank R. Stockton has a Christmas love story, which bears a characteristic title,—"The Staying Power of Sir Rohan." Its illustrations are quaint and exactly suitable.

A thrilling Detective story by C. E. Carryll, entitled "The River Syndicate," perhaps equalling Sherlock Holmes' best work. Illustrated.

Joel Chandler Harris' characteristic tale of a faithful slave—"The Colonel's Nigger-Dog."

Other Christmas stories are "A White Blot," by Henry Van-Dyke, a poetic and imaginative tale of a picture (illustrated); "Heroism of Landers," by A. S. Pier (illustrated,) and "Hopper's Old Man," by R. C. V. Meyers.

Sentimental Tommy
By J. M. Barrie.

Those who have read (and who has not?) "The Little Minister" and "A Window in Thrums" can anticipate what Mr. Barrie's "Sentimental Tommy" will be.

It is to be the chief serial in Scribner's for 1896, beginning in the January number.

Two Years for $4.50

Scribner's Magazine costs $3.00 a year, but new subscribers can have all the numbers for 1895 and a year's subscription for 1896 for $4.50;

Scribner's Magazine is going to be better next year than ever. It is going to have new features. Its publishers are not satisfied with past successes. It proposes to more thoroughly deserve the confidence of the reading public.

The History Serial—Last Quarter Century in the United States—will be continued. Just now it is approaching a period of absorbing interest to the present generation—the first administration of President Cleveland.

Scribner's Magazine ought to get careful consideration as a Christmas gift. The $4.50 offer ought to get double consideration.

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CHATTERBOX

THE KING OF JUVENILES.

been made for young people which compares in value, or has had one-tenth the sale of this annual. Millions of copies have been already sold. The new volume for 1895-6 is just ready, and has over 500 large and entirely new pictures, several new stories, (each a book in itself) and hundreds of short stories, anecdotes, etc. The best Xmas present possible for boys and girls of all ages. Order from your bookseller or of us.

ESTES & LAURIAT, Publishers, Boston.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Now is the time to subscribe.

The HERALD clubing rates are the cheapest ever published.

Richard Wiggin, of Dundee, is visiting friends here this week.

W. R. Osgood and family were with friends in Morenci, Jan. 1st.

Lee Bros. inaugerated the New Year by commencing an invoice.

Have you noticed our map and history offers to subscribers in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen entertained a friend, Miss Vinnie Green, of Albion, recently.

C. O. Hiscock, of Chicago, was the guest of W. E. Allen and wife the last of the week.

Miss Mary Doty, of Maybee, was the guest of Miss Bell Rupe several days the past week.

Rev. Mr. Holly, of Brooklyn, will occupy the pulpit at the Christian Union church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curtiss have been entertaining Frank Mains and wife the past week.

Geo. Smith and Will Underwood went to Buffalo Tuesday with two decks of cubs and one of hogs.

Fred Easterly and Fred Sleidle, of Milan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lenardson, Jan. 1st.

Ed Allen, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity, returned to his home in Ithaca yesterday.

Lewis Helm, of Decatur, N. Y. has been visiting his brother Will here and his father at Ridgeway the past week.

Edgar Wells condition is very critical. Tuesday, Dr. Stephenson, of Adrian, was called in consultation with Dr. Hardy.

Ben Pulver either has gone or will go Monday to Adrian, where he has taken position in the drug store of C. T. Lochner.

Dick Easlick, having decided to learn the cigarmaker's trade, left for Milan where he will enter the employ of Ed Hinkley.

Wash Underwood is now ready for bee hunters to fell some more of his trees he having that mammoth oak out of the way.

John Stone and family, of Hillsdale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles DuBois during the Holidays. They returned home Wednesday.

Lee Bros., the other day, required the services of an expert fireman, and knowing the capabilities of Clarence Dibble, he secured the job.

James DuBois received the sad intelligence Wednesday of the death of his only sister's husband, David Wood, who lived at Merricksville, Ontario.

Rev. James Wright left Wednesday for Union Springs, N. Y., for medical treatment. His many friends, and they are legion, trust his highest hopes may be more than realized.

George Sanerant's hound dog, Sport, has been missing for some time. He is spotted yellow and white, and information regarding him or his return will be rewarded by George.

The ladies' aid society of the Christian Union church will hold its monthly meeting at the church parlors at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday next. Mrs. R. Millson's committee provides the supper.

Some of the Britton Canucks recently sent to some friends in Canada a snake skin filled with arrows, which will no doubt be considered a challenge, therefore a war with Canada is imminent.

While it was neither a Xmas nor New Year's present that Mr. and Mrs. Will Beasley received it was just as acceptable. A fine son was born to them Sunday night of which they are very proud.

Earl Lenardson and wife were called to Sylvania, Ohio, last week by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Acers. They returned home Friday night. Mrs. Electa Lenardson will remain until spring.

It is said that Sam Underwood and Mrs. Will Britton both lost their voice in a peculiar manner Tuesday evening so that they were not able to sing a duett, thus disappointing the entire company.

Among those present at the Underwood-Holcomb wedding at North Adams Christmas eve. were Samuel Underwood, wife and son, parents and brother, of the groom; Miss Bertha Britton and A. J. Lee from here, they report a very pleasant wedding.

George Smith and wife entertained a large number of relatives and friends at their pleasant home Christmas, both young and old. David Jones, who has passed three score and ten, demonstrated that he enjoyed a kiss from the girls as well as any of the boys.

The young ladies of Britton did themselves proud at their Leap Year party at Maccabee Hall Wednesday evening and gave the young gentlemen many pertinent object lessons. The supper at the Exelby house was a credit to Mr. and Mrs. Bannister.

Charles DuBois is not usually inclined to be incredulous, but the other day when David Boyd informed him that with one horse and one bob he drew recently from his house to town, 30 people, Charles was staggered; he thought 29 might hang on, but had his doubts about 30.

It was a joyous family reunion that was held at Mrs. Beevers, Christmas day. All the children were present save one son who lives in Kansas. The table fairly groaned under its load of choicest eatables and it is reported that Tom Kyle and Charles DuBois each strove to make up for the absent one, but Charlie was not in it as Tom distanced him easily. Oh, no, Tom is no eater. He no donbt fortified himself with some famous appetizer.

The commodious home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Underwood, Tuesday evening, contained over 90 invited guests both married and single, to welcome their oldest son Webb's charming bride who has come among us to reside. It is doubtful if ever a more congenial company assembled here. The host and hostess were unremitting in their attentions which added largely to the pleasures of the evening, and the merging of the old year into the new was enjoyed by all present. The bridal couple may well fell flattered by the hearty welcome they received.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

A. J. Sutton returned to Lansing Tuesday.

Smith & Schmidt are building a new barn at their place of business.

The young folks enjoyed a surprise on Chester Pilbeam Tuesday night.

Helen Foster, of Toledo, is the guest of Leila Sutton at present writing.

The new year came in like a lamb with mercury at 8 degrees above zero.

J. W. Sherman and Mont Florance are under the doctor's care at present.

Ralph Suthard, of Ypsilanti, visited his sister, Mrs. Theodore Allison, Friday.

It is an eight pound girl that makes T. H. Temple greet you with such a bright smile since Sunday evening.

F. J. Temple and family, of Tecumseh, visited relatives in the village Saturday.

Charles Richards, of Dundee, visited his cousin, Fred Clark, a part of last week.

Henry Pocklington and wife visited relatives at Quincy during the past week.

W. F. Clack and wife, of Clinton, were in attendance at the class reunion Tuesday night.

Chas. and Hattie Montgomery, of Tecumseh, visited their uncle, T. H. Montgomery, Tuesday.

Prof. I. D. Loree and wife, of Lawrence, spent Sunday with his father, Dr. D. W. Loree, and family.

Richard Housman, of Essex, Clinton Co., arrived Monday and will attend school the remainder of the term.

Frederick Gorton, of Ypsilanti, is spending the week with his wife at the home of her father, Lester Osgood.

Rand, McNally & Co's sectional map of Michigan, the best map published and the HERALD one year for $1.40.

Mrs. Hastings Boyd, of Albion, arrived Monday night for a few day's visit with her mother, Mrs. David Boyd.

One fourth off sale in millinery goods till Jan. 11, when Miss Callens will leave Ridgeway till the spring opening.

The new show cases put in the drug store by Orr & Temple, improves the appearance as well as the convenience of their store.

Beginning with next Sunday evening the week of prayer will be observed with service at the church each evening during the week.

Mrs. W. L. Jones, accompanied her nephew, W. T. Bush, to his home at Brooklyn, N. Y., leaving Thursday evening for a few week's visit with her sisters.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents near Holloway, Mich., Dec. 24, 1895, by Rev. J. N. Boyer, Mr. Lavern J. Linn and Miss Adella P. Fritts, both of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, Mich.

For various reasons there was not as large attendance as usual at the reunion of class number 10, of the Sunday school held at the church New Years eve. Refreshments were served, as has been the custom, and a very pleasant evening spent by those present.

The following named scholars were present every day during the fifteen weeks of the fall term: Ella Boyd, Laura Palmer, Mary Culbertson, Carroll Culbertson and Fred Temple. The percentage of attendance was 94 for the term, which is very good considering the distance some of the scholars have to come. Special mention should be made of James and Lizzie Murphy, who drive six miles, and were present 74 days of the 75 in the term.

In noticing the Palmer-Sutton wedding last week from lack of space we were forced to omit the list of presents which were as follows: $100 in cash, Chas. Sutton, wife and Lottie; 1 dozen silver knives and forks and 3 tablespoons, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Palmer; one half dozen silver tea-spoons, Cyrus A. Palmer; silver butter dish and knife, Mrs. Joseph Exelby and family; silver tea set, E. W. Palmer and Addie Sherman; goldlined berry spoon, B. E. VanDeventer and wife, G. I. Chalker and wife and E. J. and C. A. VanDeventer, Ithaca, Mich.; silver sugar shell, John J. Allison; butter knife, Cora B. Allison; pair silver napkin rings, Ella Exelby; glass water set, Fred Wichwire and wife and James Linn, wife and Burton; set dishes, 101 pieces and chamber set, A. E. Palmer and wife and Albert Sutton and wife; eight day clock, Enos Palmer and wife and E. L. Palmer and wife; decorated tea set and 2 cake dishes, Rhoda and Phena Palmer; cut glass water set, E. M. Palmer and wife; silver pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Exelby; glass water set, Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Linn; stand lamp, John L. Linn, wife and daughter; set knives and forks, Lottie Sutton; paper holder, Belle Sutton; linen table cloth, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Exelby; chenille table spread, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Exelby; glass water set, Clarence Exelby and Fannie Wiggins; glass berry set, Grandma Linn; china berry set, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Exelby; linen towel, Ruby Taylor; bed spread and towels, Cornelius Wilson and Flora LaBounty; fancy rug, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson; rolling pin and masher, Ada Sutton; stand lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Exelby; pair shoes, Unknown.

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up, to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness that can come to a woman. She allows a slight disorder to become worse, to slowly sap her vitality. The little pain and the other slight indications of trouble seem to her unimportant. She goes on with increasing suffering, until life itself becomes a drag. Nervousness, sinking spells, digestive disturbances, and fifty other complications may arise from the derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Over thirty years ago the need for a reliable remedy for so-called female complaints was recognized by Dr. R. V. Pierce, then, as now, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary and Invalid's Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y. He prepared Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the most wonderfully effective remedy that has ever been used for such maladies. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated. 1w

Ghoulish students of the Kansas Medical College, at Topeka, stole the body of Mrs. J. O. Van Fleet from the coffin, and S. A. Johnson is under arrest for the crime.

MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Henry Parish is entertaining a brother from Marion, Ohio.

Mont Hendershot bought the Ockrow house and lot, recently.

H. G. Conklin went to Toledo, Tuesday, to engage in business.

A. F. Kishpaugh, of Clinton, was a Manchester visitor, on Sunday.

Patrick Scully, of Bad Axe, is visiting his sister, Mr. Michael Egan.

Clarence W. Taylor, a student at the U. of M., spent the holidays in town.

Miss Grace Smith, of Saline, spent a few days in town the first of the week.

William Four was called to Ohio, last week, to attend the funeral of his father.

Rev. C. H. Myers, of Hillsdale, is conducting revival services in the Baptist church.

The ladies of the M. E. church give a social on Friday evening in the church parlors.

Ida Silkworth entertains the class of 1893, M. H. S., at her home on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burtless attended the funeral of William Jones, of Norvell, on Saturday.

Jacob Horning, of Paw Paw is spending the holiday season with his brother, John Horning, of Norvell.

Mrs. E. E. Root spent several days the past week in Jackson, visiting her brothers, Ben and Bert Chase.

Mrs. Thomas Holmes returned from Palmyra on Wednesday, where she has been caring for her sister, Mrs. Henry.

Mrs. L. D. Watkins returned with Mrs. S. W. Clarkson to Ann Arbor, Friday, for a few week's visit with her daughters.

Rev. Ira Buffman, wife and child, of Hillsdale, are visiting among his parishioners at Iron Creek, during vacation.

The young ladies of the Epworth League gave a reception in the parlors of the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, Jan. 1st.

Charles and Helen Leeson visited in Saline, on New Year's day, and Miss Helen went from there to Milan for a few day's visit.

The funeral of August Myers, son of Herman Myers, was held at Emanuel's church, on Friday afternoon. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

MACON MUSIC.

Sumner Collins spent New Years with relatives.

Cora and Grace Austin spent their vacation in Macon.

Pay your taxes next week or submit to the additional percentage.

Mr. A. C. Cavanaugh, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Frank Day attended the Leap Year party in Britton New Years eve.

The W. C. T. U. social at M. Gooding's was well attended in spite of the roads and was enjoyed by all.

Rev. Mr. Gulick has received a call from Constantine; it is not known positively whether he will accept it or not.

The work upon the new church is practically completed and the dedication will take place in the near future.

Some of our young men view the approach of Leap Year with a bashful hopefulness which is touching in the extreme.

The vacation draws to a close and the population of our town noticably decreases. Rolf Mills and Harold Hatch return to Ann Arbor; Wm. Hatch to Detroit; Lewis Skinner and Gabe Mills to Ypsilanti; Chas. Skinner, Bessie Camburn, Laura and Nellie Gooding, Frank Morgan and Leigh Pennington to Tecumseh, and others too numerous to mention.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers recently performed a great deed of charity, although it was not designed as a charity, being nothing more nor less than an advertising scheme. It however resulted in great good just the same. They gave away 1,000 bottles of their Digestive Cordial to those suffering from stomach derangements. It was so effective in curing those who used the remedy that they were loud in their praises of it and in consequence a large demand for the cordial was at once created. The druggists of this town have little books that tell all about it. Their Digestive Cordial creates an appetite, aids digestion and brings about a rapid increase in flesh and strength.

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George Moore, a working miner of Grand Ronde, Wash., celebrated his 102d birthday on Dec. 20. He is in perfect health and does as good a day's work at his placer as many of the younger miners.

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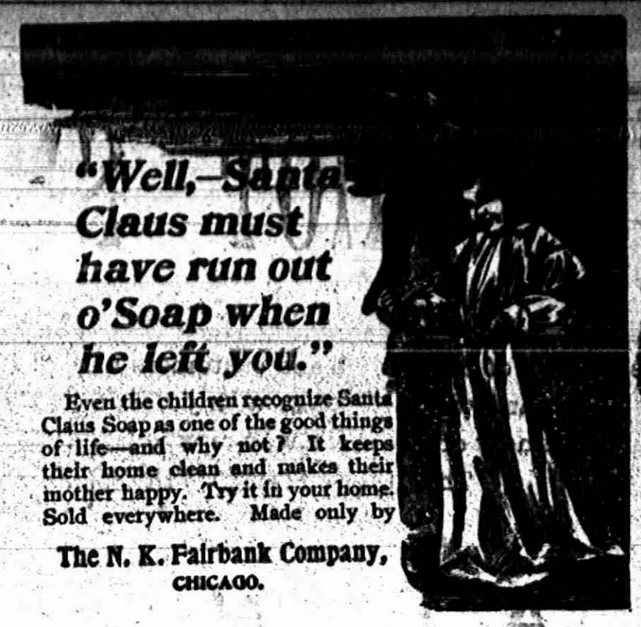

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27, '95.

Whether President Cleveland and Speaker Reed are playing politics, or both are acting upon an understanding arrived at when they had an extended conference several days ago, is a question upon which the opinions of prominent members of Congress do not agree. Some think that the President promised to allow the bill which has just been passed by the House, making the tariff upon wool, woolens and lumber 60 per cent of what it was under the McKinley law, and making a general increase of 15 per cent in everything, except sugar, in the present tariff, to go into effect upon the passage of the act and to remain in effect until August 1, 1896, to become a law without his signature (provided it gets through the Senate) in return for the authority to issue 3 per cent bonds and 3 per cent Treasury certificates which is contained in another bill, also just passed by the House; others contend that Mr. Cleveland has been very much surprised at the alacrity of the House in adopting his eleventh hour suggestion of working through Christmas week, and still more so at its promptness in passing these bills. The latter think that the President was only trying to place the responsibility for the bonds he intends issuing upon Congress, and that he expected no legislation. No matter which is right, the bills have now gone to the Senate. But they will not be acted upon so hastily there. The tariff bill may get through the Senate, but the bond bill is going to have a rough road to travel and the chances are it will be smashed before it reaches the end of the route. At least that is what the present talk of Senators indicates.

The announcement that Russia had offered this country $400,000,000 in gold to make it independent of the European money ring created a sensation in Congress. Although it has not been officially confirmed it is generally believed that the offer was made. Should the offer be accepted it would create a worse panic in the Rothschilds crowd than did that Monroe doctrine message.

The Indians are very much interested in the several bills proposing legislation affecting Indian Territory. Each of the five civilized tribes is represented in Washington, the latest arrivals being Chief Mays, ex-Chief Harris, George Benge, and Joseph Smallwood all Cherokees. They say they expect to remain during the entire session of Congress, and that they will endeavor to persuade Congressman that no change in the relations of the Indians to the government is needed. They and other Indians have a hard task ahead of them, owing to the demands for legislation from the representatives of the white residents of the Territory and the unfavorable nature of the report of the Dawes commission.

As was predicted when the extension of the civil service rules to the Government Printing Office was made those rules have come into collision with the typographical union and with few exceptions the Public Printers have aided the printers in enforcing this rule. But the civil service rules contain no recognition of the Union. They merely say that when a man or woman has answered a certain percentage of the questions asked at the periodical examinations he or she shall be placed upon the eligible list from which all appointments are to be made. The other day a batch of appointments were made by the Public Printer, and among them were four non-union printers. This has upset the union printers. It may be that they can in some way influence the four non-union printers to come into the union and thus save for a time the prestige of the G. O. P. as a union establishment; but whatever the result in these cases it is only a matter of time when the civil service appointments will make the largest printing office in the world a non-union office. And the union printers clamored for the extension of the civil service rules.

Representative Beach, of Ohio, has introduced a bill in the House authorizing the President to invite the governments of the other American republics to appoint plenipotentiaries with full powers, to meet in conference at the city of Washington within one year from the approval of the act, for the formal acceptance and declaration of the Monroe doctrine as a principle of international law, the Secretary of State to be the plenipotentiary for the United States. A similar bill has been introduced by Senator Allen.

Representative Johnson, of Cal., introduced a bill in the House for the protection of American staples and American ships, which provides for the payment of a bounty on all agricultural products exported. The idea was indorsed at a conferance of the representatives of a number of agricultural organizations recently held here.

The man who kicks about accepting worn silver coins will do well to familiarize himself with a decision of the U. S. Supreme Court rendered this week, declaring that silver coins are legal tender as long as they bear the semblance of the coin. Of course this decision referred only to coins worn by circulation. Mutilated and defaced coins are not legal tender, even if they are new.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The next meeting of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Mr. VanValkenburg on the evening of Jan. 10, 1896. Program:

Music—Lena VanValkenburg.
Dec.—Willie Lamkin.
Dec.—Robbie Wilson.
Reading—Mrs. Geo. Melody.
Music—Lamkin Family.
Dec.—Herbert Munger.
Chip basket—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
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One of the best meetings the club has held for some time was held at the commodious farm residence of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Schreder on the last evening of the old year. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and a profitable as well as social time was the result. The program for the evening had been well prepared and the discussion was of interest to the many tax payers present. The argument did not wholly pertain to the right of the Supervisor to tax land for more than its cash value, although nearly all believed he would not be justifiable in doing so. But how shall assessments be made more equal? All believed that land should be assessed for just what it would bring if sold. Another argument was that the land owners should strive to elect a Supervisor who would work for their interest more than many officers do. It was a discussion that brought out many views on the tax question, but however argued would not diminish the burden of taxes of the past year one cent.

The club will hold the next meeting at Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowens, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, Program:

Essay—Mrs. O. P. Remington.
Dec.—Delmar Finch.
Select Reading—Mrs. Bowen.
Music—Ora Gillespie.
Dec.—Clare Gillespie.
Music—Bowen brothers.
—Question—What financial question would be the most beneficial to the farmer? Opened by Philip Kehoe.

Selections for the program to be taken from Eugene Field's works.

Silver Mile Post.

In spite of roads and weather, about 85 relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome F. N. Bowen last Saturday evening, Dec. 28, for the purpose of helping them celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage, and they succeeded right royally, showering favors and congratulations in profusion upon the bride and groom of a quarter century ago. Light refreshments were served and a general good, social evening spent. Among the many beautiful and useful presents was one which attracted attention. It was a solid silver table spoon which belonged to Mrs. Bowen's grandparents and upon it were graven the figures "1830." Present from abroad were Mrs. C. F. Mather, Mason; C. E. Lovett and daughter, Adah, Owosso; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Greenamyer, Mrs. R. S. Brewster and children, Mrs. Will Armstrong and children, Coldwater; Mrs. H. E. Young, North Adams; Mrs. F. P. Zellers and daughter, Myrtelle, Jackson; Prof. Elbert Bradner, Hudson, Ind.

An Interesting Announcement.

We have secured for the exclusive use of the HERALD a series of articles on the Sandwich Islands by the distinguished historian and novelist, John R. Musick. These articles are being prepared by the author on on the spot. He is now at Honolulu, and will visit each of the islands of the Hawaiian group. They will have the peculiar freshness that can only be given to such when written at the place on the very days the writer beholds them. They will be a series of descriptive and historical articles, or letters about that country. Mr. Musick will furnish us, therefore, articles rich in descriptive scenery, filled with authentic history and facts, and lightened by incidents of travel and adventure, making them more fascinating than a novel.

No portion of the world is to-day attracting more attention than the Sandwich Islands; and yet, much as they are talked about and as much as they have been mixed in American politics for the last forty years, the masses of readers know but little of the social life and customs of the Islanders, and could not tell off-hand whether they lived in modern houses, in huts, wigwams, or caves.

It will be the object of these letters not only to briefly sketch the past and present of the Hawaiian Islands, but to carry the reader directly into the private life of the people who inhabit them; their past and present government, the overthrow of monarchy, and the setting up of a Republic will be narrated from a non-political standpoint. In this respect they will have a peculiar interest because in the coming Presidential contest the question of annexation will be agitated. These letters will contain hundreds of items of great interest, all told in a highly entertaining, instructive and unbiased manner. In short, we have a rich treat for our readers for the entire winter.

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This little book is one of the most extensive treatises on the money question that has ever been written. It shows up the evil effects of our present monetary system in a most emphatic manner. Every voter in Lenawee county, regardless of party affiliations, should read it. The Chicago Times says: "A book that will create a profound impression throughout the United States." The New York Recorder says: "It mercilessly scourges the money changers in the Temple of the Republic." The Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "This book tells its readers more about gold, silver and currency, generally, than any other publication we know of, and in a way that every man can fully comprehend." A supply is kept on hand at the HERALD office. Single copies 25 cents. Every new advance paying subscriber to the HERALD will receive a copy free. Now is your time to get good reading cheap. Pass in your orders.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

...LE—A new patch cow pea, large ... kind and greatest with half blood ... four weeks old past. Will sell ... separate. ED. PRICHARD

...SALE—Overstocked; must sell 18 ... grade Jersey heifers, from 2 weeks to ... old; part due to calf in February and ... C. F. CLARK,
Ten rods from depot, Clinton, Mich.

...R SALE—Having rented my farm, I have ... the following property for sale: Two 2-... old Suffolk Punch Colts; one 2-year-old ... (Punch); one 4-year-old Banker Filly; two ... half bred Jersey Heifers; one Pedigreed ... and Calne Boar. Terms private.
ELLIOT GRAY.

...E MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men ... and women $16 to $18 per week for easy ... work. No books or peddling. Steady em... ment guaranteed. Send stamp for work ... particulars at once. HERMANN & SHY... R, 918 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

...R SALE—A good improved farm of 80 ... acres, three miles from Milan village; or ... exchange for property in Tecumseh village. ...rms, J. L. MARBLE, Milan, Mich.

...R SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting ... of 106 acres good buildings. Very desirable ...tion, just outside the corporation of Tecum... Require of C. C. Teft. Terms reasonable.

...OUSE TO RENT.—With cellar, wood ... house, well and cistern; all in good repair; ...$1.00 per week. Call at once.
A. W. SLAYTON.

...ANTED.—Several trustworthy gentle... men or ladies to travel in Michigan for ...blished, reliable house. Salary $780 and ex... Steady position. Enclose reference ...self addressed stamped envelope. The ...nion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., ...go, Ill.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 3, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...to B. C. Knapp for hay and straw.

...pes, Coats and Jackets 1-3 off at ...store. Harris & Hiteshu.

...r. R. V. Wilson came up from Toledo ...pend New Years with his relatives ...

...r. John Mills, of Toledo, spent Wed... ...day and Thursday at the home of P. ...Snell.

...Mrs. Nancy Gamble returned to Te... ...mseh in time to spend the holiday ...season here.

...F. Clark, of Clinton, offers some ... fine jersey heifers for sale in an... ...r column.

...Remember the Y. P. C. U. entertain... ...t at the Universalist church, Friday ...ening, Jan. 10.

...Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Temple arrived ...e last Friday from a very pleasant ...t with their sons at St. Paul.

...Mrs. N. H. Kimball, who has been the ...est of Mrs. C. A. Stacy for the past ...week, returned to Adrian today.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. James Heck during the month of Janu... ary. Meetings will begin promptly at 2:30 p. m.

...Mr. Fred Clark and sister, Miss Addie ..., from Chelsea, have been spend... ...the holidays with their cousin, Mrs. ...t. Hastings.

...Rev. Chas. M. Brown, of the Presby... ...an church, has been called away for ...w days, taking the train for Chicago ...t Wednesday afternoon.

...Tom Owen who has been employed at ...W. Slayton's lumber office here, left ...ednesday to take a position in Mr. ...ayton's office in Detroit.

...Messrs. Roy Hughes, Roy Burlingame, ...rle Updyke, Edgar Coddington and ...os. Owen attended a dancing party ...en at Blissfield Tuesday night.

...Mr. Lavern Comfort and family, of ...kson, and Mr. Lorenzo Brown, and ...ily, of Toledo, have been home for ...eek's visit with their wife's parents, ... and Mrs. Frank Fox.

...arried at the home of the bride near ...way, Jan 1st, 1896, by Rev. J. N. ..., Mr. Chester J. Mapes, of Macon, ...and Miss Mary A. Miller, of Holloway.

Next Sunday night Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist church, will have for his subject "Gideon's Three Hundred, or the Value of Quality and not Quantity."

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church will occur next Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at which time the pews will be rented and the annual report given. The ladies will serve a special 10 cent supper, all are invited.

Charles Marr, an old Springville boy who is in Pound's Law Office at Detroit ...ting himself for the bar, spent the ...olidays at his old home. On his return ...o Detroit Wednesday, he paid the HERALD office a pleasant call.

Miss Anna Gaston entertained nearly 40 of her young friends at a very pretty progressive anagram party New Year's evening. Among those present were Mr. Harry Chapman and Misses Edna Stofferd and Edna Warren, of Blissfield, and Miss Mamie Staniger, of Morenci.

Rev. A. G. Taylor, a classmate of Rev. C. M. Brown and brother-in-law of Mrs. Brown, will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. Taylor will deliver an illustrated address on Japan. This promises to be very interesting as he was a missionary there many years.

A letter from Frank P. Seiler, Ashley Ind. reads as follows: Editor Tecumseh Herald: Rev. David Lewis, the Quaker Evangelist, of your town, has just closed a very successful series of meetings at the M. E. church, of this place. He is a power in his choice life work; very logical in his arguments against wrong, he held his large audience spell bound all the while he was talking. We consider him second to none as an evangelist in revival work.

Everything in our store sold at a discount. Harris & Hiteshu.

Have you seen that new china closet at Wheeler & Sisson's? It is a beauty.

Miss Ida Rector was the guest of Adrian friends Friday and Saturday last.

Lizzie Field is spending the week with her Grandmother, Mrs. Kies, in Clinton.

Mrs. C. F. Field and son Willis left Monday for a weeks visit with friends at Elkhart, Ind.

John Stone and family, of Hillsdale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kyle last Monday.

Anna and Jennie Service are spending a week with their mother, Mrs. Robert Service, here.

Last Friday evening a party of about 90 juveniles gave their friend Bessie Bates a genuine surprise in memory of her 12th birthday.

J. R. Hosmer came from Chicago Saturday night to spend Sunday with his folks here. But his folks have gone. He came anyway.

Editor Field is thrown upon his own resources as it were this week. The lady of the house being away, he is chief cook, chamber maid, etc.

Will F. Sisson, of Wheeler & Sisson's furniture store, was very unexpectedly called to Chicago by the serious illness of his brother there on Tuesday last.

Harry Martin arrived from Chicago Saturday night to spend New Years with his parents in Macon. He was shaking hands with Tecumseh people the first of the week.

Jas. Cheney, of Wheatland, captured a cash prize with five ears of Yellow Dent corn which weighed 3 pounds and 13 ounces. This is pretty heavy corn to grow on Wheat-land.

The Tecumseh township taxes have increased from .30 in 1891 to 1.35 in 1895. At this rate of increase, it will be quite an honor to own property by the year 1900. Death or taxes, which will you have?

W. B. Hoag would like to show you how to stretch carpets without danger of stretching your conscience or marring your temper. He has just perfected a machine which does the work easily and perfectly. Have you seen it?

Dr. Woodward removed 37 feet of tape-worm last Friday within two hours after administering medicine. Every little while we hear of some one going away on the quiet for such an operation at large expense, when it could be done at home just as well.

Beers Post and Relief Corps will hold a joint installation at the Beers Post rooms Monday eve. January 6th. All members of both organizations are expected to be present. H. W. Stevens Comd. Mrs. Wm. Spaulding President. There will be a muster of a comrade after the installation.

We are in receipt of a very cordial invitation to visit LaPearl's show at Danville, Ind., where it is quartered for the winter. Though we won't likely get down that way this winter, the kindness of the courteous proprietor, Mr. J. H. LaPearl, will not be forgotten and we will take the whole family, on his invitation, when he comes here next season.

The marriage of Miss Katie E. Tallman to Mr. Sterling B. Mathers, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., occurred at the residence of the bride's parents, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, instead of Dec. 24, as stated in our last week's issue. The newly married couple will make their future home in Wilkes Barre, Pa., and have the best wishes and congratulations of the many friends of the bride here.

At the annual election of officers of Tecumseh L. O. L. No. 60, the following were elected:

W. M.—James Elliott.
D. M.—John C. Hazlett.
Sec.—John Murphy.
Chap.—Rodger Dunseath.
Trea.—James Lengthorn.
D. of C.—John Linton.
Tiler—Wilson McClure.
Com.—Cunningham Patterson, John O'Hara, Sam Baird, Thomas Kerr.

At its meeting Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, Court Pottawatamie, No. 1681, Independent Order of Foresters, elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

C. R.—James Lowry.
V. C. R.—J. C. Hazlett.
R. S.—E. L. Teeple.
F. S.—J. C. Mahaney.
Treas.—James Elliott.
Chap.—Geo. B. Gilbert.
S. W.—R. S. Russell.
J. W.—Chas. Moyer.
S. B.—Thos. R. Kyle.
J. B.—Thos. Russell.
Trustees—C. A. Slayton and W. R. Blachford.
Rep. to High Court—W. R. Blachford.
C. D. H. C. R.—C. A. Slayton.

No one ever thought of introducing so expensive a feature as lithographic color work in the days when the leading magazines sold for $4.00 a year and 35 cents a copy. But times change, and the magazines change with them. It has remained for The Cosmopolitan, sold at one dollar a year, to put in an expensive lithographic plant capable of printing 320,000 pages per day (one color). The January issue presents as a frontispiece a water-color drawing by E. Io Pape, illustrating the last story by Robert Louis Stevenson, which has probably never been excelled even in the pages of the finest dollar French periodicals. The cover of The Cosmopolitan is also changed, a drawing of page length by the famous Paris artist Rossi, in lithographic colors on white paper takes the place of the manilla back with its red stripe. Hereafter the cover is to be a fresh surprise each month.

Bring along that wood.

Have you seen our map of Michigan?

Alva Spayde made a business trip to Homer Monday.

This is a good time for winter weather. Subscribe now.

Perry Hosmer was home from Chicago the first of the week.

Twenty per-cent off on all leather goods at Harris & Hiteshu's.

A little more snow would make good sleighing. Subscribe now.

Mid-winter sale opens at Harris & Hiteshu's tomorrow, Jan. 4th.

Miss Hattie Montgomery is home from Ypsilanti for the holiday season.

Unless you bring that wood, the HERALD will have to move to a warmer clime.

Prof. Jennings, of Adrian college, delivered a very fine sermon at the Baptist church last Sunday.

This is the cheapest place to get the Detroit Tribune in Lenawee Co. The HERALD and Tribune one year for $1.80.

W. C. Hopkins, of Jackson, who runs on the Jackson and Adrian R. P. O. was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Monday.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll will lecture at Croswell opera house, Adrian, on the evening of January 11. His subject will probably be "Lincoln."

Mrs. Will Sisson came home from Blissfield yesterday accompanied by her brother, Ed Bliven, and wife who will remain here a few days.

J. W. Wightman and wife and Will J. and Miss Edith Ingersoll attended the banquet of the Lenawee bar association at Adrian Tuesday evening.

Prof. G. W. Walker, of the Adrian public schools, has been elected chairman of the executive committee of the State Teachers' Association.

The Detroit Tribune is the best republican newspaper published in the west, and is a first class general home paper—with the HERALD only $1.80.

Chauncey Vedder met with an accident last Saturday while handling a stove, by which his left collar bone was broken. Clarence Avery is driving his dray.

E. C. Rogers, on account of poor health has sold out his interest in the grocery of Kennedy & Rogers. The store will be conducted by A. E. Kennedy as before.

Last Saturday the Episcopal Sunday school scholars and young people were treated to a Christmas tree at the Armory. Services were first held at the church.

The regular yearly meeting of the Baptist church was held yesterday. The pews will be free for the coming year, the funds of the church being raised by pledges. A chicken pie supper followed, the proceeds of which amounted to about $30.

The marriage of Miss Sarah Elizabeth Harkness and Claude W. Temple was solemnized Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Temple, 759 Holly ave., St. Paul, by Rev. Ernest Dray, of St. Clement's church. Mr. and Mrs. Temple will reside at 393 Eichenwald st., St. Paul, Min. Claude W. Temple is a brother of export H. M. Temple, and Miss Harkness is a sister of Mrs. H. M. Temple, both of whom are well known in Eau Claire.—Eau Claire Daily Leader, Dec. 21.

The We Nine girls constitute an organization chiefly known through its brilliant social functions which are carried on in a manner to give them considerable distinction in our midst. However, the youthful members seem to be ever mindful of the serious obligations which an association of this character should sustain in reference to those in our community who have been perhaps less fortunate than themselves. On several occasions have they fulfilled the letter and spirit of their motto. "Do those little kindnesses which are nearest at hand." This year they gave a very pretty Christmas tree laden with a goodly supply of useful presents to a number of needy hopefuls of our town at the home of Winnie DeWolf New Year's eve.

The pleasant home of Mathew Boyd, who has been living for the past few years on the Bidwell farm, was last Monday visited by death under circumstances which seem extremely sad. Mrs. Boyd had been ill for about three weeks though at no time considered dangerous. On Saturday last Mr. Boyd received a telegram announcing that his father, who lives at Genesee, N. Y., had sustained very serious injuries from a maddened steer having one eye almost completely gouged out. Mr. Boyd left at once and was with his father at Rochester when another message from Tecumseh announced the sudden death of his wife here. Leaving his father at the hospital he returned to Tecumseh, to bury the companion of his home, whom he had left with every assurance that his return would find her well. Mrs. Lottie Barber Boyd was 30 years old last October. She was born in Dansville, New York, where her parents now reside. At the time of her death she had been suffering about three weeks, but on Sunday seemed better and Monday morning made the assertion that the night's rest was the best she had had during her sickness. In less than an hour, however, she was seized with heart failure and expired almost immediately. The funeral was held this afternoon at the house Rev. Varner officiating.

The first annual banquet of the Lenawee county bar association took place at the Lawrence House in Adrian, Tuesday evening, Dec. 31. Seth Bean as toast master directed the flow of legal reason and judicial soul. Hon. A. L. Millard, the senior member of the association gave a very complete and valuable history of the county bar. The following toasts were responded to: Science of the law, Judge V. H. Lane. The Bench, J. L. O'Mealy. The Advocate, J. C. Winnie. Ethics of the bar, Grant Fellows. Jury trials, H. C. Smith. Our safest counsellors, our wives, Harry Larwill. Remarks were also made by ex-Judge Pratt, of Hillsdale, and Howell, of Detroit. About 75 participated.

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout. England and the United States! No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh. This is for January only.

A Handsome Holiday Present.

A handsome holiday present can be had at Harris & Hiteshu's in shape of a cape or jacket for a small amount of money, as they are closing them out at manufacturer's prices.

—Having opened my dressmaking and ladies' tailoring rooms over Adamson Bro.'s jewelry store, I desire to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that I will make a reduction of 25 per cent from my regular prices until further notice; will carry the same line of fashions, and guarantee my work the best. Customers can have their choice of lady or gentleman fitter.
Very respectfully,
MRS. F. A. DEUEL.

—Come at once and get a New Years present at our store.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—BALED HAY AND STRAW—
By the ton or bale. Prices as low as the lowest. Enquire of
B. C. KNAPP,
Pottawatomie St., Tecumseh, Mich.

—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

—Lumber cheap. Dressed pine lumber $9 per M and up, at Slayton's. See him.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—
Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Come into the Novelty Store and see what we are giving away with holiday purchases. tf

—Elegant presents given away with holiday purchases at Montague's Novelty store.

—A second hand piano in good repair, for sale at Jas. Montague's.

—See our new lines and specialties in fancy china ware at Montague's Novelty store.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

—See those fancy granite Tea and Coffee Pots at Satterthwaite Bros.'

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Special Cash Sale!

Owing to the warm weather before Christmas we are overloaded on

Overcoats and Heavy Clothing.

In order to move these goods we offer them at

Special Discount Sale

——which will continue——

Until Saturday Night, January 18, 1895.

Now is Your Golden Opportunity.

Don't Neglect It.

Also in Our Shoe Department

——we will make a——

Big Reduction.

Cowles Bro.'s Misses Shoes, without Tips, regular price $2, reduced to $1.25.
On our Bargain Table we will place a lot of $3 and $3.50 Shoes for $2. Other lines of shoes at greatly reduced prices.

Remember this sale is—

Strictly For Cash.

And closes Saturday night, Jan. 19.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

Hello! neighbor. Where do you buy your Oysters?

AT AVERY & CO.'S.

Why do you do that?

Because I get More Oysters and less water to the qt.

Are their oysters good?

Yes. The best in the market.

What makes you think so?

Because they buy them direct from the best house in Baltimore and get them by fast express. They also buy in small quantities and get them often.
In fact, neighbor, you will find the most complete line of Groceries in the county at

AVERY & CO.

Best Goods. Lowest Prices.
Special Sale every Saturday.

The Genuine Round Oak!

(SEE THE NAME ON THE LEGS.)

FOR——

COMFORT,

ECONOMY,

AND MOST

SATISFACTORY

RESULTS,

buy no other for Wood or Coal.

Satterthwaite Bros.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package. also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

MICHIGAN JUDGES.

Annual Gathering of Jurists of the Circuit Bench.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 27.—The state association of circuit judges opened its annual session Thursday afternoon with a large attendance. Judge William E. Groze, president of the association, in his annual address suggested that judges and not the sheriff should appoint the court crier; that better laws are needed for the protection of minor children in ex-parte divorce cases, and that the distinction between law and equity cases in court practice should be abolished on grounds of greater simplicity and economy. The afternoon and night were devoted to reading papers and discussions on judicial work, court practice and legal methods. Judge Donovan, of Detroit, suggested as a remedy for inordinate cross-examination that the court compel the lawyer to stand during its progress.

Judge Corbett, of Traverse City, admitted that the present jury system is far behind the times and that the day is past when knowledge or impressions of a criminal case gained from the newspapers should disqualify a juror. Judge McMahon, of Ludington, showed that the personality, character and bearing of the judge influenced the members of the bar, the juries and the communities in which they lived. Papers were read by Judge Ted B. Aldrich, Cadillac; Judge A. C. Maxwell, Bay City; Judge S. A. Daboll, St. Johns, and ex-Justice of the Supreme Court Benjamin F. Graves.

Grand Rapids, Dec 28.—The Association of Judges of Michigan Friday morning heard papers by Judge R. H. Person, of Lansing, and Dean H. B. Hutchins, of the state university, decided to meet next year at Detroit and elected as officers: President, S. B. Daboll, St. Johns; vice president, J. H. Palmer, Big Rapids; secretary and treasurer, Ted B. Aldrich, Cadillac. At night a banquet was served, with Judge John W. Champlin acting as toastmaster.

TEACHERS MEET.

Forty-Fifth Session of the State Association at Lansing.

Lansing, Dec. 27.—The 45th annual meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' association began Thursday afternoon at Representative hall. There were several hundred educators present from all over the state. In his annual address President E. C. Thompson, of Saginaw, said that revolutions are about to take place in matters and methods, and these will involve many minor details of school-room equipment and life. The world will learn, he said, that costly palaces in which thousands of children are gathered in closely-crowded, ill-ventilated school-rooms are not the most desirable for character building, but that numerous, cheap, but well-ventilated buildings, with large rooms and pure air, will serve the purpose better. The time is not far distant when the masterpieces of art will adorn the walls of our school-rooms. At night an address on "Some New Results of Child Study" was delivered by G. Stanley Hall, of Worcester, Mass., president of Clark university.

SEVEN FOR A QUARTER.

Detroit Council Accepts the Street Car Company's Offer.

Detroit, Dec. 31.—Tom L. Johnson Monday night offered through the common council to accept an ordinance giving seven tickets for 25 cents, good day and night, with transfers as on a straight five-cent fare. The ordinance was adopted by a vote of 20 to 9, there being only three absentees, two of whom favor the proposition, and one oppose it. One of the 20 so voted that he could move a reconsideration. Although this is the most generous offer ever made by the Citizens' Street Car company, and two years ago would have been quickly taken by the city, Mayor Pingree demands eight tickets for a quarter with transfers. It is believed that he will veto the ordinance, and that the friends of the measure cannot muster votes enough to pass it over his veto.

FULL OF NEWS.

Information of Much Interest to Be Found Below.

W. H. Allen, a farmer, was fatally hurt in a runaway accident at Petoskey.

Jesse Ludwig, of Chicago, who was visiting friends at Fife Lake, was drowned while skating.

Charles Fuller was fatally stabbed during a quarrel at Breedsville by William Gardner and Norman Herold.

Marquette capitalists have purchased the Davis mine at Negaunee, which has been idle since the strike of July 15.

Charles H. Parris, in jail at Monroe, has been identified as Charles Kline, a notorious Ohio life convict, pardoned last October.

The Charlevoix city council has granted a franchise for an electric railway from the depot to the Chicago resort on Round lake.

Joseph Hayes, the alleged train wrecker from Buchanan, who placed an obstruction in front of a Michigan Central passenger train a few days ago near Niles, had an examination and was bound over in bonds of $5,000 for trial.

James Rood and his sister-in-law, Miss Martha Thomas, of Owosso, have been arrested, charged with leaving a child on a neighbor's doorstep during a cold night, crippling it for life.

ELECT OFFICERS.

Fruit Growers of Michigan Decide to Hold Another Convention.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 30.—At the session of the joint convention of the fruit growers and horticultural societies of western Michigan Saturday, after several papers had been read and discussed, a resolution was adopted calling for a delegate convention to be held in this city before February 1, to discuss uniform fruit packages, better transportation facilities, better rates and other topics upon which united action is desirable. All horticultural societies in the state will be invited to send delegates, and representatives of the shipping lines and the basket manufacturers will also be invited to participate in the discussion. The West Michigan society Saturday afternoon elected as officers: President, Judge F. J. Russell, Hart; secretary, R. M. Kellogg, Ionia; vice presidents, E. H. Hunt, Saranac; D. W. Wiley, Douglass; R. D. Graham, Grand Rapids; Judson Harris, Agnew; J. N. Stearns, Kalamazoo, and Smith Hawley, Ludington. It was decided to hold another joint convention of the western Michigan societies for discussion of fruit topics in this city in 1896.

KNIGHTS OF THE GRIP MEET.

Michigan Branch of the Order in a Healthy and Flourishing Condition.

Lansing, Dec. 31.—The seventh annual convention of the Michigan Knights of the Grip is attended by about 500 members. In his annual address the president, R. W. Jucklin, of Detroit, reported the affairs of the order to be in a flourishing condition. During the year there has been a net increase of 269 members, the total membership now being 1,818. Posts have been organized at Kalamazoo and Battle Creek during the past month. There were 18 deaths during the year and 12 death benefits, aggregating $6,000, have been paid. The general fund balance is $766.30 and that of the death fund $358.58. But two assessments have been levied this year, although the death loss was greater than any previous year. Monday night's banquet was a brilliant affair.

TREES LIKENED TO ANIMALS.

Fruit Grower Says They Have a High Degree of Intelligence.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 31.—R. M. Kellogg, of Ionia county, one of the most successful fruit growers in western Michigan, and secretary of the West Michigan Horticultural society, believes that a tree has its likes and dislikes; that it knows its friends and its enemies when they approach, and has a high degree of intelligence generally. He believes that trees are as alive to their surroundings as animals, and that their sensibilities must be touched to gain the best results. He has made a lifelong study of fruit trees and fruit growing. He exploited his theory at the joint convention of western Michigan horticultural societies in this city last week. His position was not controverted by any in attendance and many agreed with him.

SPLINTER CAUSES DEATH.

Young Lady in Detroit Dies from an Attack of Lockjaw.

Detroit, Dec. 27.—Florence Mack, daughter of V. N. Mack, of No. 393 Trumbull avenue, aged 17 years, died Wednesday morning. The wound of a tiny splinter was the cause of her death, it having produced lockjaw. Last Saturday morning Miss Mack ran a small splinter under her thumb nail. It broke off, leaving but a quarter of an inch imbedded in the flesh. She was unable to remove it and was sent to the family physician, who removed the bit of wood and told her to poultice the thumb on returning home. She, however, disregarded the instruction. She was taken ill Sunday, and Monday became unconscious and remained so until her death occurred.

Would Like to Be Governor.

Lansing, Dec. 27.—David D. Aitken, the free silver republican congressman from the Sixth district, in letters to Lansing politicians announces himself as a candidate for governor before the republican state convention next summer. Mayor Pingree, of Detroit; James O'Donnell, of Jackson, and Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, are other prominent republican candidates.

Well-Known Barrister Dead.

Saginaw, Dec. 28.—James L. T. Fox, oldest member of the Saginaw County Bar association, a resident of this city since 1850, died Thursday night of a complication of diseases, aged 66. He was a frequent contributor to newspapers and magazines.

A SERIOUS CRIME.

It Is Charged Against Man and Wife by a Coroner's Jury.

Flint, Dec. 28.—The coroner's jury which has been investigating the death of Mrs. Hiram Latimer brought in a verdict Friday afternoon charging Mr and Mrs. John Latimer with having caused her death by administering some kind of poison. No warrant was sworn out for the arrest of the couple, however, and they are still at liberty.

Mrs. Latimer died at her residence in Thetford township December 13 under circumstances pointing to poisoning by arsenic. John Latimer and his wife testified that the old lady was naturally sickly and that they had only given her medicine left by a physician. They did not know until after her death, however, that she had deeded all her property to Edward Latimer, another son.

Edward testified that his mother had never been ill until John and his wife came to live at the house. After that time both his mother and himself were taken ill at times after eating food. He also had seen Mrs. John Latimer giving his mother some green powders, although the doctor swore he left only white powders to be given to the sick woman. His mother had expressed the belief to him that she was being poisoned.

A deputy sheriff was sent out to the Latimer home Friday to bring in the couple to testify again at the inquest. He found the house barricaded, but managed to break through a window. John Latimer was found under a bed rolled up in a blanket, while his wife was in another bed feigning sleep. They gave no explanation of their strange actions.

CENSUS OF VETERANS.

Only 42,544 from All States Now Residing in This State.

Lansing, Dec. 28.—Secretary of State Gardner has issued a census bulletin showing by age, civil condition, and as native and foreign born, the number of United States, confederate and Mexican soldiers, and by civil condition and as native and foreign born the number of United States sailors and marines in the state at the close of the last fiscal year. The bulletin states:

"Although the state of Michigan sent 97,000 soldiers to the civil war, there are 42,544 soldiers from all states now residing in the state. Of this number 34,946 are of native birth and 7,598 foreign born. The ages range from 40 to 95 years. Only 33 are of the lowest named age and only five are over 95 years of age. The largest number reported at any one age is 3,187, at 50 years. The average age is 57.07 years. Of the natives 1,762 are single men, 26,078 married, 2,772 widowed, 296 divorced, and for nine the civil condition is not reported. Of the foreign-born 155 are single, 6,057 married, 567 widowed, 89 divorced and for four the civil condition is not reported.

"The total number returned as sick or disabled is 6,165, which is 14.23 per cent., or about one in seven of the whole number.

"The number of confederate soldiers in the state is 148, and their average age is 57.41 years. The number of United States soldiers and marines is 350. Although no report of the soldiers of the Mexican war was required, yet the census enumerators report 41 on the date of the census. The average age is 72.34 years.

MUST GIVE UP EXCESS PAY.

Michigan State Officials Must Refund Those Illegal Salaries.

Lansing, Dec. 27.—By virtue of an opinion filed by the supreme court, the ex-state officials who drew increased salaries under the fraudulent constitutional amendments of 1891 and 1893 will have to pay back the excess. Ex-Attorney General Ellis drew an excess of $5,200 and ex-Commissioner of the Land Office Berry and ex-Lieut. Gov. Giddings $800 each. The court says the board of state auditors has no authority to settle or compromise the claim and denies the order asked for by Ellis to compel them to do so. Ex-Attorney General Ellis has concluded after reading the opinion to give up the fight to retain the money paid him by the state under the fraudulent salaries amendment, and has deposited with the auditor general a certificate for the amount, $5,218.

KILLS HIMSELF.

John Sullivan Finds Clothing Four Children a Heavy Burden.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 30.—John Sullivan, a farmer living a mile south of Grandville, committed suicide by taking aconite. He was about 50 years of age, and until six months ago was a bachelor and very saving of his money. He married a widow with four children, and to buy shoes and clothing for the children broke his heart. He had many quarrels with his wife, and Saturday she declared she would commit suicide. He said if anybody died he would be the one. Sunday morning he took enough aconite to kill a horse and lay down to die. The drug did not work as rapidly as he expected, and getting up he went to the barn and did his chores, and then returning again lay down, and two hours later was dead.

Decides Morgan vs. Eames Case.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 28.—Judge Buck, of the Kalamazoo circuit court, decided in favor of the defendants in the ejectment case of the executors of the estate of Lucy W. S. Morgan vs. Wilfred Eames. This case is one of several pending in Detroit and in Watertown (N. Y.) courts and involving an estate of $2,000,000. Frauds are alleged in the settlement of the estate.

Failure of a Bank.

Ewen, Dec. 27. The Exchange bank has failed. Its liabilities are estimated at $10,000, with about $5,000 assets. Cashier Gardner says the failure was due to hard times. Village funds are involved in the failure.

Will Try for Gold.

Ishpeming, Dec. 28.—Peter Gingrass, owner of the land on which the once noted Michigan gold mine was located, has set up a small mill on the property and will reopen the mine.

Pennock Discharged.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 25.—Chauncey B. Pennock, charged with causing the death of Thomas Walker, a Galesburg saloon keeper, in a fight, was discharged.

MONUMENT TO GOV. BLAIR.

Contract Let for a Memorial Stone to Michigan's War Executive.

Jackson, Dec. 26.—Gen. R. A. Alger, of Detroit, and Dwight S. Smith and Gen. W. H. Withington, of this city, comprising the Blair memorial commission, appointed by Gov. Rich last spring to contract for a memorial statue to Austin Blair, Michigan's war governor, closed the contract Saturday with sculptor Potter, of Enfield, Mass., for the work. Sig. Goetano Trentanove, of Milwaukee, was the other competitor. The statue is to be placed in the capitol grounds at Lansing within a year, and $10,000 is the amount of the appropriation made.

Killed by a Brass Doorkey.

Niles, Dec. 28.—Daniel Haggart, a resident of Pawpaw, died recently from causes which the doctors were unable to explain. Before his death in a delirium Haggart said he had swallowed a large brass door key. The doctors held a post mortem examination, and sure enough a brass key was found in his stomach. The poison produced by corrosion of the key caused death.

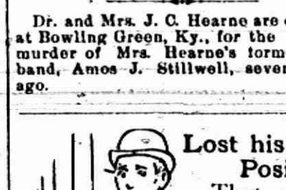
Post Office Robbed.

Adrian, Dec. 26.—The post office at Jasper, a village eight miles south on the Fuyette branch of the Lake Shore road, was robbed of all mail, registered matter, stamps and supplies. The office was in a small store and contained no safe. Postmaster Goodsell cannot tell the amount of the loss.

Committed Suicide.

Menominee, Dec. 30.—Martin Haines, one of the oldest stationary engineers of Menominee, committed suicide early Saturday morning by hanging himself in an outhouse. An approaching surgical operation for a cancer is supposed to have induced the act.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hearne are on trial at Bowling Green, Ky., for the alleged murder of Mrs. Hearne's former husband, Amos J. Stillwell, seven years ago.



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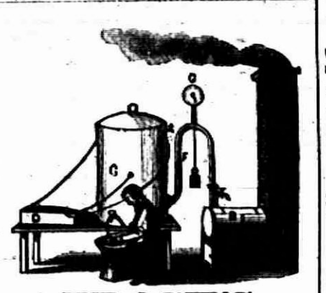

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Remember our goal: "Till we attain unto the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a full grown man, unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ."

The Pattern.

In all making of things an ideal must first be had, a vision of the thing to be. This must then be given a material existence, embodied. Then copies can be multiplied indefinitely. So with men. The Divine ideal, the vision of the Man, was not adequately set forth in the first person of the human race who appeared in time, but only in Him who is the first man in eminence and worthiness. The anointed one of God, the Divine Man, Jesus of Nazareth, alone of all the race adequately displays the eternal thought of humanity, God's purpose in the creation of man. He is the type, the model, the "full grown" specimen Man. The New Testament standard of experience and life is not found in Peter, Paul or John, but in Jesus. Entire sanctification is not to be after the Pauline, or Johannean style, but after the manner of Jesus Christ. "Unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ"—that is the goal of all striving. Fix your eyes upon Jesus.

Vanity is the talent of failures. The great step is out of self. He who can be little will be great. He who can bear to be nobody will be somebody.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

The senate on the 24th repealed the proscriptive disabilities bill passed at the close of the war against the services of ex-confederates in the United States army and navy. A resolution was introduced to coin the silver in the treasury and another urging the Latin-American union, in which all the republics of the western hemisphere would make common cause against European encroachments.... In the house a bill was introduced providing for a duty on certain grades of sugar.

There was no session of the senate on the 26th.... In the house a revenue bill was passed, the operation of which is limited to 2½ years, and which is designed to raise $40,000,000 for the relief of the treasury. The vote was yeas, 205; nays, 81, and was on strictly party lines, the populists voting with the democrats against the bill.

The tariff bill was received in the senate on the 27th and referred to the finance committee after a long debate. Mr. Quay (Pa.) introduced a bill to increase the duty on leaf tobacco. Mr. Hill (N. Y.) introduced a resolution providing that any bonds hereafter issued may, in the discretion of the secretary of the treasury, be made payable in United States gold coin or in standard silver dollars, at the option of the holders. Without action the senate adjourned to the 30th.... In the house Mr. Barrett (Mass.) introduced a joint resolution authorizing the president to arrange a conference between the United States and nations possessing territory on the American continent for the settlement of boundary disputes. The bond bill was discussed, but no action was taken.

The senate was not in session on the 28th.... In the house the bond bill was passed by a vote of 170 to 136. The measure permits the issue of three per cent. coin bonds redeemable after five years at the pleasure of the government and payable in 15 years, with the specific proviso that nothing in the bill shall be construed to repeal the act of 1878, for the reissue of the greenbacks, and that the bonds shall first be offered for subscription at the subtreasuries and depositories of the United States. Adjourned to the 31st.

DOMESTIC.

Strickland's livery barn with 40 head of horses and 200 vehicles was burned at Burlington, Ia., the loss being $50,000.

Dalt and Henry Arnold, sons of a preacher at Frankfort, Ky., who were reported drowned, were said to be with the Cuban army.

The Lawrence reduction works at Victor, Col., were burned; loss, $125,000.

John H. Baulsbaugh and his wife, who reside near Swatara, Pa., were found dead in their room from the effects of coal gas.

The president tendered places on the Venezuela high commission to Edward J. Phelps, of Vermont, and Robert T. Lincoln, of Illinois, both ex-ministers to England.

At Greenville, N. H., Mrs. Joseph Fagnant presented her husband with a pair of daughters, and with this Christmas present Fagnant is the father of 27 children.

Incendiaries burned the covered bridge over the Scioto river at Chillicothe, O., entailing a loss of $100,000.

Ella Scott and Lena Thomas fought at Puerta Gorda, Fla., with a pistol and a dagger over Henry Cassidy, whom both loved, and both were fatally wounded.

The Exchange bank at Ewen, Mich., closed its doors.

At Nashua, N. H., Mrs. Sarah Lovett died, aged 106 years. A brother died a few years ago, aged 105, and of 11 brothers and sisters all but one lived to be over 90.

The Lewis Investment company made an assignment at Des Moines, Ia., with liabilities of $420,000.

At Eldorado Springs, Mo., the home of William Jones was washed away by high water and he and his wife and three children were drowned.

A rise of 35 feet in the Osage river in Missouri made the entire Osage valley for 400 miles a scene of desolation and ruin, hundreds of families losing everything.

Albert Walker, 25 years old, shot his wife in New York and then killed himself. No cause was known.

The 90th anniversary of the birthday of the Mormon prophet, Joseph Smith, was celebrated in many cities, towns and hamlets in Utah.

Seven thousand people were given a Christmas dinner by the Salvation Army in Chicago.

John Wunninger, a laborer, shot his wife probably fatally at Ottumwa, Ia., and then blew out his own brains. Jealousy was the cause.

Lord Dunraven, who came across the ocean to make good his allegations of fraud in the Valkyrie-Defender races of last September, arrived in New York.

In the 12 Adirondack counties of New York the number of deer slain during the open season this year was 5,085.

The entire Ohio valley for 24 hours was swept by storms of rain and sleet and the telegraphic service to the east, south and southeast was badly crippled. The downfall extended from Vicksburg, Miss., to Montreal, Can., and as far east as Washington and New York.

Warden George, of the state penitentiary at Frankfort, Ky., discovered a nest of counterfeiters in the prison.

The Salt Lake City mining and stock exchange was formally opened.

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Charles Dunn, at Youngstown, O., confessed to robbing and burning four schoolhouses.

The Porter Bros. company, the largest dealers in dried fruits on the Pacific coast, failed at San Francisco for over $1,000,000.

A. B. Payne, postmaster at Longview, Ala., was murdered by Jasper Nabors, his nephew.

The Union Traction company, owner of the street car lines involved in the great strike in Philadelphia, consented to arbitrate the differences with its employes, and the strike was declared off.

John and William Noonan and Edward Lukehy lost their lives in a planing-mill fire at Ashland, Wis.

The body of Harry T. Hayward, who was executed December 11 at Minneapolis for the murder of Catherine Ging, was shipped to Chicago for cremation.

Most of the business portion and many residences at Ryan, I. T., were destroyed by fire.

Mabel Harris and Lillie Baptiste were drowned at Sturgeon Bay, Wis., while skating.

Twenty-three federal prisoners made their escape from the United States jail at South McAlester, I. T.

John H. Husted, worth $500,000, committed suicide at Denver through an insane fear that he was about to lose his fortune.

Indians, driven to desperation by hunger, ambushed and killed three Americans who were working in the gold fields in the state of Sonora, N. M., and cooked and ate their bodies.

The building in Baltimore occupied by the firm of Oehm & Co. as a clothing store was burned, the loss being $300,000.

Seven persons were drowned in a freshet near Sterling City, Tex.

Prof. Charles H. Thompson, principal of the colored schools at East St. Louis, Ill., shot his wife because she would not live with him and then killed himself.

Leslie Combs, the largest tobacco grower in the world, and his father-in-law, Daniel Swigert, the most successful retired breeder of thoroughbreds in America, failed in Lexington, Ky., for $300,000.

Samuel Friedman, of Dayton, O., a wholesale fruit dealer, was robbed by highwaymen of $700.

The twin sister of the new battleship Kearsarge has been named by Secretary Herbert the Kentucky.

Railway building reached in the United States this year a lower point than in any of the last 20 years, the record showing only 1,782 miles of track laid.

The schooner Edna M. Champion, which sailed from Philadelphia on October 12 for Port Tampa, Fla., with a crew of nine men, was given up as lost.

Bart Tormey, Andrew Lawrence and William Girard were instantly killed by an explosion of dynamite at the Milnesville (Pa.) colliery.

The fourth earthquake shock since October 31 last was felt at Charleston, Mo., and vicinity.

H. B. Nims & Co., one of the oldest book concerns in Troy, N. Y., made an assignment.

As the result of a meeting in Chicago every window glass manufactory in the United States will close down January 11 for four weeks.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 27th aggregated $1,141,928,202, against $1,185,267,639 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 36.6.

Efforts to enforce the Sunday-closing laws at Niagara Falls, N. Y., failed, the juries releasing all prisoners.

Twenty-four persons were smothered and trampled to death in a panic caused by a false alarm of fire in the Front Street theater in Baltimore. Two others were fatally hurt and ten more were seriously injured.

Judge Jackson, of the United States court at Parkersburg, W. Va., held that pension money could not be attached or levied on for debt.

The total number of failures in the United States in 1895, as reported by Bradstreet's, is 13,013, contrasted with 12,721 in 1894. The total amount of liabilities amounted to $158,842,445, more than $9,000,000 in excess of the total in 1894.

The last saloon in St. Joe, Ind., was wrecked by unknown persons.

The Osage valley in Missouri was a scene of desolation from end to end and thousands of people were in distress. Many were homeless, without food and but scantily clad, all their earthly possessions having been swept away by the most disastrous flood ever known in Central and southwest Missouri.

At a meeting in Chicago the three great silver organizations of the United States—the American Bimetallic league, National Bimetallic union and National Silver committee—were consolidated as the American Bimetallic union and Gen. A. J. Warner, of Ohio, was elected president.

A gang of counterfeiters was found in Hood county, north of Carlyle, Ill. They were making good imitations of the five dollar gold piece dated 1880.

At Cochransville, W. Va., Frank Rogers, while drunk, fatally shot Alice McClelland because she refused to marry him and then killed himself.

Charles Vanbuskirk, aged 25, and Minnie Bond, aged 16, were instantly killed by the cars near Benkelman, Neb., while returning home in a carriage from a party.

It was said that the United States had demanded from the porte the payment of a large indemnity for the losses sustained by American missionaries in Asia Minor.

The street railway strike in Philadelphia was finally ended through the efforts of John Wanamaker, who was aided by members of the Christian league.

The Indianapolis directory for 1896 places the population of the city at 154,000, a gain of 49,000 since 1890.

Whittle, Hanrahan & Co., dyers and bleachers at Providence, R. I., failed for $115,000.

The plant of the Chicago Mill & Lumber company at Cairo, Ill., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

Eight persons were injured in a railroad crossing wreck near Des Moines, Ia.

A mob burned Mrs. T. J. West alive and killed W. A. Dever, her paramour, at Mrs. West's house near Lexington, Ky. The killing of Mr. West recently by Dever was the cause.

Dr. W. H. Taylor, a member of the Illinois legislature, was shot and killed at Weldon, Ill., by John A. Pace, the postmaster. The tragedy was the outgrowth of a domestic scandal. Pace was acquitted by a coroner's jury.

The large feed stores and grain warehouses of R. D. Eaton were burned at Norwich, N. Y., the loss being $100,000.

A trust was formed in St. Louis that will unite all the zinc smelters of the country except four under one management.

The Sweet Manufacturing company, the leading steel industry in Syracuse, N. Y., went into a receivership with liabilities of $400,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Frank Mitchell (colored) celebrated his 102d birthday at Akron, O.

Mrs. Margaret King celebrated her 100th birthday anniversary Christmas day by giving a dinner to 100 of her descendants at Greensburg, Ind.

FOREIGN.

The Cuban insurgents were rapidly advancing on Havana and great excitement prevailed in that city.

The coasting schooner Victory foundered off Cabot island, N. F., and 27 persons perished.

The British ship Moresby was stranded near Dungarven, Ireland, and Capt. Coomber and his wife and son and 35 sailors were drowned.

The government of Venezuela ordered that the national militia be recruited from all classes of citizens.

The cruiser Kwan-Ping, one of the warships captured from China by the Japanese during the recent war, was wrecked on the Pescadore islands and nearly all her deck officers and 60 men were missing.

Advices from San Salvador say that soldiers, who were dissatisfied with their treatment, shot and killed 24 officers.

The British steamer Bellerophon collided with and sunk the French steamer Emile Selsise at the entrance of the harbor at Algiers and 30 passengers of the Emile Selsise were drowned.

The Manitoba government positively refused the proposal of the Canadian government to establish a system of separate schools in any form.

The total number of business failures reported from Canada and Newfoundland for the calendar year just closed, is 1,923, or 50 more than in 1894, while the aggregate liabilities are $15,795,559, as compared with $23,985,283.

The British steamer Norse King, en route from Baltimore to Antwerp, lost 350 sheep and six horses during a gale.

Mr. Gladstone celebrated his 86th birthday at his home in London.

Hepworth's clothing factory at Leeds, England, was burned, entailing a loss of $400,000.

Advices say that the bayonet and scimiter were still wielded mercilessly by the Turk and Kurd in Armenia, and the powers were again in a fever over the situation.

The Japanese parliament was opened at Yokohama and in his speech the emperor said that order had been restored in Formosa and that the relations of Japan with foreign countries had become more intimate.

LATER.

In speaking of the burning to death of Mrs. T. J. West and the shooting of W. A. Devers by a mob near Lexington, Ky., Gov. Bradley said that he would spare neither labor nor money in running down the perpetrators of the crime.

Willie Black, aged 14; Sam Toole, 16, and Addie Clayborn, 14, were drowned while skating at Creston, O.

Express trains on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern collided near Sekitan, O., and two men were killed and nine injured, five of them fatally.

James A. Boyd, whose name is known wherever pressed brick are made, died at his home in Chicago, aged 56 years.

It was announced that Russia and France had promised diplomatic support to the United States in the Venezuelan trouble.

Heavy frosts prevailed throughout California, seriously damaging the orange crop.

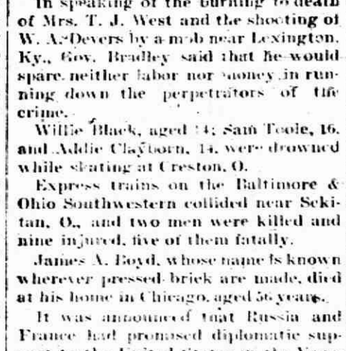
It was learned that a syndicate was being formed in Berlin and London to take up the proposed new issue of United States bonds.

In a despatch at Huitzi, Mexico, over a boundary line four persons were killed and 80 injured, some fatally.

During the year 455,302 immigrants to the number of 229,299 arrived at New York, an increase of 67,941 over the year 1894.

The national Armenian relief committee of New York appeals to the people of the United States for immediate and generous contributions to relieve the needs of 300,000 Armenians who are destitute.

The Parson & Libbey company, dealer in lumber and manufacturer of sash doors and blinds, failed in Chicago for $100,000.



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†No. 53—Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:30 p m
*No. 59—St. Louis Express	8:50 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	12:11 a m
‡No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:31 p m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:21 a m
†No. 70—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	1:24 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:36 p m

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STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 333. Express.	No. 349. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 20 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 35 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	3 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 16 "
Manchester	12 53 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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EAST.			Central time.	WEST	
No. 25 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	STATIONS.	No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 2	7 15	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 28	7 24
.....	1 55	8 31	Battle Creek	1 55	6 58
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 20
7 51	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	5 47
8 35	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 01
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 59	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 26
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 48
12 01	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	4 21
12 20	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
12 47	6 09	11 43	Ridgeway	9 17	3 37
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 32
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	3 20
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	8 61	3 00
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 00
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Traveling In Kashmir.

Our conveyances were brought around, and we looked at them with some astonishment. There were two horses for my husband, and for myself and my little daughter were two of the state jampans, such as the court ladies would travel in. They were about the size and shape of a small boat, but most dreadfully heavy and cumbrous. They were ornamented with a great deal of wood carving gilding and vermillion. A canopy covered the top, supported on poles, and between these were curtains of crimson gauze embroidered with gold stars. The inside was lined with white velvet stamped with colored flowers, and there were more cushions than I knew what to do with. Four men carried each, and four more ran beside to relieve them. It was none too many. The weight was enormous, and all the comfort might have been secured with one-third of the material used. It seemed a shame to grumble, as everything was provided at the expense of the state, but I did pity those unfortunate bearers toward the end of our 18 mile march. Eighteen miles seemed nothing after the 60 miles we had accomplished the day before. But such an 18 miles!—Cornhill Magazine

A True Ghost Story.

Here is a true story: The wife of a gentleman living in New Mexico lay dying in Philadelphia, but the fact was not known by the family at home. During the night a ghost—that is as good a name for it as any other—appeared at the bedside of the favorite servant and nurse, woke her and whispered, "Teresa, be good to my children!" The nurse was frightened and woke the household. She told her story, but the husband laughed at her, declaring that his wife was well and that Teresa had had a nightmare. Then, in the morning, at about 8 o'clock, a telegram came, announcing the fact that the wife had unexpectedly died the night before. Queer world we are living in, isn't it? Now, if you deny the statement and a million or two other statements of the same kind, why that is one thing, and you wouldn't be complimented by my opinion of your judgment. And if you don't deny the statement how do you account for the occurrence? What really happened, and why did it happen in just that way? Think about it for a few months.—New York Herald.

Two of Lincoln's Kind Acts.

Among the wounded Bull Run prisoners returning from Richmond after many weary months in Libby was a lad named Will Upham of the Second Wisconsin infantry. This boy found his way into the presence of Lincoln, who sympathetically drew from him the story of his adventures in battle and in prison and sent him away with an appointment to West Point, from which academy Upham was subsequently graduated with honors. Recently this protege of Lincoln was chosen governor of Wisconsin. One day Lincoln was found counting over and dividing into parcels a small sum in greenbacks for a negro messenger in the treasury department who was in the hospital with the smallpox, unable to sign the roll and draw his pay. The president of the United States cheerfully undertook to cut the gordian knot of red tape, procure the poor man's wages and make the desired disposition thereof.—Leslie J. Perry in Century.

Cromwell's Head.

A correspondent writes: "It may come as a surprise to many to learn that Cromwell's head, in, under the circumstances, a fine state of preservation, is at the present time in the possession of a gentleman who resides in Kent. The head was lately shown to Mr. Hamo Thornycroft, who is executing the bust of the Protector, which has been subscribed for by the ex-premier and others, and the sculptor, it is said, entertains no doubt whatever as to its genuineness. A study of the head has afforded Mr. Thornycroft material assistance, though one of the casts—of which there are several in existence—taken almost immediately after death, has probably been a safer basis in the execution of the work. The hair on the head, which is of a red, or rather auburn, color, is in perfect preservation, and so is the short beard."—St. James Gazette.

Waited For "Amen."

The dog of a clergyman in Yorkshire had certain religious instincts, and when he saw the books brought out for evening prayer retired to his corner. One evening they were brought out while he was gnawing a bone. Instinctively he dropped it and withdrew. The cat, being a pagan and carnivorous, took possession of the bone. The dog glowered at her, but budged not an inch. Scarcely had the last "amen" sounded when he made one spring. The fate of that cat I have not words to describe.—London Spectator.

A Spider Goes A-fishing.

Professor Berg, at Buenos Ayres, has made the discovery of a spider that catches fish at certain seasons of the year. In a shallow part of the stream it weaves between the stones a double sided or funnel shaped net, into which, running upon the water, it drives little tadpoles, those well known fishlike larvæ of the frog. The shriveled husks or skins of these creatures, which lie strewn in great numbers about the spider's snare, show plainly that it thoroughly understands its business.—Buntes Allerlei.

Kindness.

Kindness are the common shelter of the hard hearted, the false, and the impotent when called upon to assist; the real great alone give instantaneous help, even when their looks presage difficulties.—Lavater.

A Welsh Name.

A shepherd at Chambery, Savoy, employs a horse instead of a dog to keep the herd together. The horse understands the orders given him, and executes them just as intelligently as the best trained dog.

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Butter	14	18
Eggs, per doz	09	12
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	30
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		14
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½	5 to 5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb		6 to 10
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5½ 6	10
Chickens, per lb	7½	
Turkeys		6
Hides, green		20 to 25
Sheep Pelts		60
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		80 to 85
Corn, shelled		15 to 25
Corn in ear		15 to 25
Oats		11 00 to 12 00
Hay, timothy, per ton		9 00
Hay, clover, per ton		70
Bran, per 100 lbs		75
Middlings, per 100 lbs		1 00
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 00	@	4 10
Sheep	3 00	@	4 25
Hogs	3 15	@	3 75
FLOUR—Minnesota Pat'ts	2 70	@	3 00
Minnesota Bakers'			
WHEAT—No. 2	65½	@	65¾
May	69½	@	69¾
CORN—No 2	34½	@	34¾
May	38½	@	38¾
OATS—Western	13½	@	18
PORK—Mess	8 75	@	9 25
LARD—Western Steam	5 10	@	5 15
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	13	@	22
Western Dairy	11	@	12
EGGS	21	@	22
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 75
Stockers and Feeders	2 20	@	3 65
Cows	1 65	@	3 75
Texas Steers	2 70	@	3 75
HOGS—Light	3 45	@	3 65
Rough Packing	3 40	@	3 55
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 50
BUTTER—Creamery	19	@	24
Dairy	12	@	20
Packing Stock	8	@	11
EGGS—Fresh	18½	@	22
BROOM CORN (per ton)	30 00	@	65 00
POTATOES (per bu.)	35	@	45
PORK—Mess	7 85	@	8 25
LARD—Steam	5 25	@	5 30
FLOUR—Spring Patents	3 25	@	3 60
Spring Straights	2 65	@	3 20
Winter Patents	3 10	@	3 30
Winter Straights	2 90	@	3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, December	56	@	56¼
Corn, No. 2	25	@	25¾
Oats, No. 2	17	@	17¾
Rye, No. 2	33	@	33¾
Barley, Good to Choice	28	@	35
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Sp'g	56	@	56¼
Corn, No. 3	26	@	26¼
Oats, No. 2 White	18¼	@	18¾
Rye, No. 1	33½	@	33¾
Barley, No. 2	32	@	33¼
PORK—Mess	7 05	@	7 60
LARD	5 15	@	5 20
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 50	@	4 75
Texas	2 60	@	3 75
HOGS	3 50	@	3 65
SHEEP	2 25	@	4 40
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 10	@	4 00
Feeders	2 50	@	3 50
Cows	1 40	@	3 00
HOGS—Light and Mixed	3 40	@	3 45
SHEEP	2 65	@	3 25

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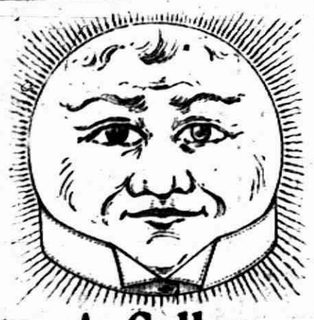

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Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

The Lenawee county teachers' institute held at Adrian was rather poorly attended on account of the weather, but much interest was manifested.

The Ann Arbor Argus indulged in the following inexcusable style of paragraphing: "A young son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, of Chelsea."

Adrian papers are congratulating themselves on having discovered signs which point unmistakably to a consolidation of the Lake Shore shops in that city. Hope it may be so.

Prerident Walter H. Mumby of the state base ball league, in an interview at Lansing, recently, expressed the opinion that a first class league would soon be organized for the coming season.

Peter Dusbiber, of Ypsilanti, fed the ends of a couple of fingers to a sausage machine the other day, and there be those in the city who insensibly may commit the crime of cannibalism.—Monroe Democrat.

The Lake Shore will put on a special theater train to be run between Adrian and Toledo, the first trip taking place tomorrow night on account of the presentation of "Palmer Cox's Brownies" at the new theater there.

A mathematician has made a computation by which he shows that the item of chewing gum costs this country $20,000,000 a year. The poor statistican was consigned to an asylum when only fairly started on an estimate for tobacco

They were so old fashioned at Dexter that they hung up stockings Christmas. At Ypsi. they hung up bloomers at the normal, and at Chelsea they hung up their suspendors. The editors, as usual, had so much "hung up" that they didn't have a pair of socks left.—Ann Arbor Argus.

A local bank today, acting on the suggestion of the Detroit clearing house, refused to cash express orders at par, recognizing them as personal checks, and demanding the customary fee of exchange. Other banks will probably follow the example. The express order business has assumed enormous proportions, and the banks are now going to demand what they consider a just portion of the revenue.—Adrian Times.

That Brice intends to make the C. J. & M. his strongest line is evident by another deal which Receiver and General Manager Drake closed Thursday, by which the C. J. & M. will have the use of the Cincinnati, Lebanon and Northern terminals. This is in addition to the use of the B. & O. Southwestern terminals, which were secured some time ago, and gives the C. J. & M. better facilities for handling busines out of Cincinnati than any other northern line. The B. & O. Southwestern and C. L. & N. lets the C. J. & M. into lumber districts, while the B. & O. Southwestern puts it in touch with every important industry in the Mill Creek Valley.—Telegram.

A frame residence erected by M. E. Lamkin, in Raisin, last fall, burned to the ground early last evening. The family was sitting around the fire popping corn about 7:30, when smoke was seen issuing from the dining room. Going outside, Mr. Lamkin saw flames breaking through the roof near the chimney. Neighbors came to his assistance, and after active operations apparently succeeded in putting out the fire. It broke out again, however, this time with a fury that could not be checked. Part of the contents were saved. The house was insured for $1,000, and valued at $1,400. The insurance on the contents was $500. Mr. Lamkin lost a house last May. He exhibits phonographs at fairs and other gatherings. It is understood his instrument was destroyed.—Adrian Times.

A concert company giving themselves out as representing the aesthetic taste of the Normal Conservatory of Music gave a concert at Saline recently. The basso profundo did not know a key from a Yale lock, the tener couldn't sing "Oft in the stilly Night" and make it sound different from "My Lover's a Soldier Bold" and the "I Dreamed I Dwelt in Marble Halls" of the soprano, threw even a Saline audience into the throes of distractions. The Observer "roasted" the company and the "roast" came to the eye of Prof. Pease. He became a pea green color from wrath at once, wrote the Observer that nobody had been authorized to appear at Saline or anywhere else as the original, all wool and a yard wide, name blown in bottle Conservatory of music quartette, and immediately set to work to bring things to a more harmonious finale at Saline. He found that the quartette were all ex-students but one and that one sung the Doxology and was at once dismissed from school.—Ann Arbor Argus.

A parasite has been discovered in Washtenaw county which feeds on potatoes, eating the whole inside of the tuber, leaving only the shell. If we had a government railroad to haul the potatoes which are freezing and rotting in many states—a complete waste—we could find poor human parasites in our great cities who would eat them, skins and all.

Circuit court opened this morning and the case of George C. Stearns vs. the L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co., came up for trial. Mr. Stearns lives at Jackson, and was a baggage man on the Lake Shore railroad, having the run between Adrian and Jackson. He was discharged some time ago, and brings suit for $10,000 damages, alleging that because of injuries received in the line of duty, the railroad company agreed to give him employment as baggageman on the Jackson branch, but failed to do so. The plaintiff is represented by Watts, Bean and Smith, and the interests of the railroad are looked after by Hon. C. E. Weaver, attorney for the company, which defends on the ground that no such agreement as claimed by Stearns was ever made.—Adrian Telegram.

Mr. Stearns ran on this branch for many years and is well known to many Tecumseh people.

Here is a bit of advice to people outside of Michigan, taken from the Monroe Democrat, which may be of use to some living within the state under some circumstances:

The removal of President Gorton of the Agricultural College has started up a lot of old fellows who sat dozing by their backwoods and sagebrush firesides, put oil in their joints and elasticity in their muscles and set them on a full run from the frontiers toward Lansing. The number of reminiscences that have been jarred out of the crypts of antiquity by Gorton's summary dismissal is astonishing. They come forth like Lazarus, in their burial clothes, bearing a graveyard smell which they hope will pass in the nostrils of the agricultural board, for the aroma of stable manure or, "Homestead phosphate;" and on this "letter of credit" they hope to lay truth in the lie; for truth points to them as moss grown mummies of the "bull plow" period. Kansas, Nebraska and even New Mexico has each a candidate. They come from their wintering quarters with the ground owl and the coyote and think they know how to run the Michigan Agricultural College. Out with the herd. Can such cattle come to this state and receive honor and preference over our native university breed? Out on them! Let them be started southwest in charge of a cow-boy or railroaded back by a stock train! Avaunt, brindles!

Cheap Metropolitan Papers.

There is no excuse nowadays for a citizen failing to subscribe for a great metropolitan newspaper in addition to taking his own county paper. The "Twice-a-Week" Republic of St. Louis, which is credited with the largest circulation of any weekly paper, is only $1 a year, and for this sum it sends two papers a week, or 104 papers a year—less than one cent each. The weekly contains the best and brightest news condensed from the daily paper, together with a well assorted collection of reading matter and useful information. A popular feature of its columns next year will be the speeches of prominent men in the presidential campaign. These will be given almost in full. A reader of the Twice-a-Week Republic will always be abreast of the times, for no paper has greater news gathering facilities. The Daily and Sunday Republic can now be had by mail for a little more than one cent and a half a day, or $6 a year, when paid in advance. Though this paper has greatly reduced its price, it has increased its value twofold by adding many valuable features.

Table Talk.

Kate Douglas Wiggin has written an excellent article for the January issue of Table Talk, on Shall our Daughters Study Kindergarten, and it is followed by the usual departments so helpful to housekeepers and home-makers alike. Besides the many good recipes to be found in its pages, an article on Market News will be most useful to all who are not sure of the best piece of meat to buy for certain dishes, and menus are also given for every day in the month. Twelfth Day and its entertainments; Nursery Hygiene, Wedding Fads and Fancies, Lace and Its History, Father Time's Reception,—one suitable to New Year's Day, the latest fashions of the day, etc., are dealt with. If you do not know this little magazine, avail yourselves of the liberal offer made to our readers, which is that a sample copy will be sent free to anyone addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 3, '96.

Has John Sherman enlisted under President Cleveland's greenback retirement banner? That question has been asked a great many times since Senator Sherman introduced a resolution which, after denouncing the democratic congress for reducing the receipts of the government below the amount needed for its expenses, says that greenbacks presented for redemption in gold shall not be reissued except for gold. Senator Sherman made a speech in favor of that resolution today. He, of course, denies that the intention is to provide for the retirement of the greenbacks, which he says he is opposed to, and claims that it would not result in their retirement, because the knowledge that they would be retired if presented for redemption will prevent their being presented. That argument is by no means convincing to those who refuse to accept Mr. Sherman as a financial Solomon. The prediction is made that if Mr. Sherman's resolution is ever reported back to the Senate from the Finance committee, to which it will be sent, it will be so amended as to provide for the issue of silver certificates to the value of the greenbacks redeemed. In that shape it might be adopted by the Senate; as it is now it could not be.

There is much feeling in Congress concerning the manner in which President Cleveland, while supposed to be awaiting relief from Congress in answer to his special message which kept Congress in session during the holidays, has gone right ahead and made a deal with a syndicate of bankers for an issue of bonds. Many Congressmen—some of them men who have heretofore stuck to Mr. Cleveland through thick and thin—think the President has shown unjustifiable disrespect for the legislative branch of the government, in assuming that it would not do as much to protect the credit of the government as he would, and some have not hesitated to express the opinion that he did not want Congress to act, because he preferred to sell more bonds, and that his special message was sent in so he could put the blame for the bond issue on Congress. One result of this feeling is a resolution offered by Senator Elkins, of W. Va., declaring it to be the sense of the Senate that no U. S. bonds should be sold at private sale or by private contract but that they should be advertised and sold to the highest bidder. There are men in Congress who would defend Mr. Cleveland and the administration, if they were sufficiently in the President's confidence to know how to do it, but it is a notorious fact that leading democrats in both House and Senate often get their first intimation of the administration's intentions from republicans. The result is that Senator Hill, who is virtually a free lance in the Senate, although a democrat at home, has said more in his defense of the administration at the present session of Congress than any other man in either House or Senate, and it is well known that he isn't even an official visitor to the White House.

The House took a holiday this week although it held nominal sessions Tuesday and Friday. The Senate has been in session every day except Wednesday and Thursday, but with the exception the transfer of the control of its committees from the democrats to the republicans it has accomplished little although steps have been taken in several directions that may lead to important things.

The Senate Finance committee which took up the tariff bill, passed the House, as soon as its reorganization was completed, is expected to report that measure back to the Senate immediately. Then a fight will begin which may be long or short according to circumstances. The general belief is that the tariff bill will pass in some shape. Then the bond bill, also in the hands of the Financial committee, will have a turn.

Senator Lodge, of Mass., is not usually classed as a conservative upon any question, but by general consent the closing words of his speech on the Monroe doctrine have been accepted as a conservative statement of the position which the United States now occupies and which it will continue to occupy. He said: "I believe that this question will be peaceably settled by the good sense of the representatives of England and U. S., but I am very clear that such a settlement can only be reached by action on the part of Congress and of the President, which shall be as firm as it is temperate, and which shall maintain the Monroe doctrine absolutely and at all hazards wherever it justly applies. That doctrine is as important to us as the balance of power is to Europe, and those who maintain the latter must not attempt to break down the principle which guards the integrity of the Americans and protects them from the interference and control of foreign powers." There is very little talk of war in Congress this week; everybody is now talking peace.

THE HERALD FOR 1896.

The HERALD will enter the coming year prepared to meet all requirements upon it—to tide over the close times, if such shall be its destiny, or to make hay while the sun shines, if the opportunity shall be offered. In any event, therefore, its weekly visits will be continued during 1896, as they have been for over forty-five years. The character of the paper will be substantially the same as heretofore. First and foremost, it will fill the bill as a first-class local newspaper, giving such additional matter as seems to be most satisfactory to a majority of its patrons. It will not be the organ of any party, sect or clique, but will be independent in all things, and it will never shrink from expressing its honest convictions on all subjects, whenever occasion seems to demand it. Our rates have been placed upon a hard pan basis for '96, and we offer a very few extra combinations for those who regard them with favor; and we take pride in the fact that though they are few in number they are greater bargains than ever before offered in this paper. By special arrangements and liberal advertising we have procured two articles we will give our subscribers the full benefit of. They are articles which should be in every home. The latest and best map of Michigan ever printed, and the latest and most complete History of our own country ever written in one volume and by the greatest living historian, of America.

We print in part the most favorable club list ever presented in these columns and any periodicals not mentioned here will be procured at the lowest price. Here are the two combination offers in detail.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

The People's History of the United States has just been issued by the noted author and historian, John Clark Ridpath, L.L.D. It is the very best history of the United States now extant, comprised within the limits of a single volume. The cloth bound edition is sold only by subscription at $3.75 per copy. We can furnish this great work at only $2.10 per copy, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included. This is an unprecedented offer.

Samples of these premiums can be seen at the HERALD office. Pass in your subscriptions without delay.

We append a partial list of most favorable clubbing rates to advance paying subscribers:

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The Detroit Tribune has long been recognized as one of the greatest newspapers of the Republican party, not only in this state but throughout the west. Although the Tribune has long enjoyed this distinction, it is safe to say that within the last two years its management has greatly raised the standard of the publication as a political, literary, and general newspaper. The Tribune should be read in every household of Michigan. We have made a special arrangement with the management whereby we can furnish the weekly Tribune and HERALD one year for the normal figure of $1.80.

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Cincinnati Enquirer,	1 30
Harper's Weekly,	4 25
Harper's Bazaar,	4 25
Courier-Journal,	1 55
N. Y. Voice,	1 85
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
Philadelphia Times,	1 45
Information,	1 85
Public Opinion,	3 05
American Gardening,	1 80
American Agriculturist,	1 85
Harper's Magazine,	4 05
The Century,	4 55
St. Nicholas,	3 55
Scribner's Magazine,	2 55
North American Review,	5 05
Cosmopolitan,	1 90
Lippincott's,	3 05
Gody's,	1 85
Frank Leslie's Monthly,	3 45
" " Pleasant Hours,	1 85
Table Talk,	1 75
Demorests,	2 55
Electric Power,	2 55
Everywhere,	1 35
The Arena, with premium,	5 00
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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 10, 1896.

R. R. Mills was in Saline Saturday.

Frank McClure has filled his ice house with choice ice.

Mrs. E. J. Semark has been on the sick list this week.

Lizzie Field returned to her home in Tecumseh, Sunday.

Mrs. Aleck Kennedy has been quite indisposed this week.

Miss Eva Shimmen was calling on Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

Mrs. J. L. Tuttle is entertaining a cousin from New Jersey.

John Tuttle seturned to his college work at Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

Sel Demuth and George Sherwood made a trip to Ann Arbor, Monday.

Miss Bertha Taylor is at present making her Adrian friends a visit.

VanTuyle Bros. shipped two decks of hogs and sheep the last of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Wellwood, who has been so seriously ill, is rapidly convalescing.

Otis Gillen and Fred Chandler were calling on Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

J. O. Fitzgerald and S. W. Demuth were calling on Saline friends Friday.

While at home this time Floyd Rogers visited Compay C, M. N. G., at Tecumseh.

E. R. Smith and D. E. Haggert made a business trip to the county seat Monday.

Fred Chandler will remain with his grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies, for a time.

Frank Parker returned to Albion Saturday to resume his studies in the college.

Miss Lina Jones has been confined to the house this week on account of sickness.

Floyd Rogers and Harry Kies returned to their duties at Orchard Lake Tuesday morning.

Gus VanDeMark was at Sand Lake Tuesday with a gang of men filling his ice house at his cottage.

Miss Addie Chandler bade adieu to her Clinton friends and returned to her home in Saline, Saturday.

Miss Florence House has been entertaining her friend, Miss Mamie Fletcher, of Ridgeway, the past week.

Eugene VanDeMark left here Monday on route to his home in Chicago. He will stop at Angola, Ind.

Rev. J. Heritage, who is holding revival meetings at Mason, will be here and fill the Baptist pulpit Sunday.

David Woodward was away last week on Masonic business. He visited several councils of Royal and Select Masters.

James Rogers and family returned from Grass Lake, Monday, where they had been making their friends a visit.

Chas. Keyser has so far recovered from his long and serious illness as to be able to be out with the aid of crutches.

Miss Grace Wilcox, who has been the guest of C. R. Darnesdale's family, returned to her home in Blissfield, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heying have another daughter, making three. Henry can now say "tit, tat, toe, three in a row."

George DePuy, Frank Dorr and James Woodward witnessed the 3rd degree work in Tecumseh Lodge last Friday night.

Roy Codling held his bicycle drawing Monday evening and W. S. Whittlesey was the lucky person and secured the prize.

Miss Sadie Huntington left Tuesday morning for Adrian, where she will pursue her studies in music and the languages.

Mrs. S. F. Marsteller entertained a company of lady friends at her lovely home on Church street, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Carrie McCollum, of Chicago, is spending the week among her old Clinton friends. She is always a welcome visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Schreder entertained a small company of friends at their pleasant home south east of town last Friday evening in a delightful manner.

A very pleasant surprise was given Mrs. C. Schnerla at her elegant farm residence east of town, last Thursday evening, by her neighbors. They had a jolly time.

Postmaster Kishpaugh and wife are very nicely situated in the rooms over the postoffice, which are very pleasant and attractive. They are now ready to receive their friends.

Mrs. Serville E. Hendershot is visiting Clinton friends this week. She will spend some time with relatives and friends in this vicinity before returning to her home in Norwalk, Ohio.

Miss Sada Zelma who has been the guest of Miss Jean Hause for the past three weeks, left Tuesday morning for Air Line Junction, Ohio, to visit her sister, Mrs. Calkins. Sada retains all her old friends and has made many new ones here.

Next Tuesday evening at the Congregational church, John G. Wooley, the great orator, will speak on Temperance. Admission, 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents. Tickets for sale at F. D. Lancaster's, and at Anderson & Co.'s, Tecumseh.

John and Joe Alexander, after a pleasant visit of two weeks at home, left Friday for St. Thomas, Ontario, where they will continue their labors with Rev. Smith the evangelist. They are becoming very popular as singers of gospel songs.

It was a happy little company that assembled at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. E S. Clark on Jackson street last Friday eve. The party was given in honor of their nephew, Leon Clark, it being his birthday, and was in the nature of a surprise. It was most successfully carried out.

Tuesday night be called Tecumseh day, judging from the number of her citizens seen on our streets. Among them were Captain E. D. Chilson, Henry Keyser, James Aten, B. F. Reynolds, E. G. Cook, Alex. Orr, Horatio Keyser, C. F. Field, Robert Moir, J. C. Haslett, T. R. Kyle and James Elliott.

ONSTED ODDS.

Cold, colder, coldest, is the way the new year started in.

J. F. Brooks and wife moved, last Saturday, out of the old home into the new.

Mrs. Moses Long has been visiting her daughter and son at Standish recently.

Frank Skinner and wife went to Battle Creek last week to visit Mrs. Skinner's brother.

Rev. Hawley, of Brooklyn, preached another one of his interesting sermons last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Shugers, of Clinton, ate her Christmas dinner with her parents at their home north of town.

The year 1896 has put in an appearance and 1895 has passed away forever. Thus does mankind come and go and only his memory remains in the minds of those that knew him.

The six months' old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Church, of North Rome, died on Tuesday of last week of spinal difficulties. Thus a young blossom has been plucked from earth and transplanted in that heavenly home where sorrow and afflictions are unknown.

The following are the L. O. T. M. officers:

Lady Com.—Mrs. F. Skinner.
Lieut. Com.—Mrs. S. Fisk.
R. K.—Mrs. Jennie Newton.
F. K.—Mrs. Cora Kane.
Chap.—Mrs. P. Boughton.
Serg.—Mrs. Mary McIntyre.
M. at A.—Mrs. Fred Smith.
Sentinel—Mrs. George Schuyler.
Picket—Mrs. Chas. Smith.

The K. O. T. M. officers are as follows:

Com.—Wm. Clayson.
Lieut. Com.—Bert Case.
R. K.—W. P. Wemple.
F. K.—J. E. Gibbs.
Chap.—Martin Lee.
Physician—G. W. Ross.
Serg.—Lewis Church
M. at A.—Fred Wooden.
1st M. of G.—Augustus Schreider.
2nd M. of G.—John Stevens.
Sentinel—F. W. Darling.
Picket—Geo. Hines.

The Masonic Lodge of this place elected the following offiers for 1896:

W. M.—J. Mersh.
S. W.—J. F. Brooks.
J. W.—G. W. Ross.
Sec.—G. R. Kilbery.
Treas.—J. O. Maxwell.
S. D.—F. W. Darling.
J. D.—C. A. Desermie.
Stewards—E. H. Kerr and F. A. Desermie.
Tyler—C. W. Greenleaf.
Finance com.—C. A. Taylor, M. O. Aldrich and J. S. Kane.

The following are the officers of the Onsted Grange:

Master—N. J. Morey.
Overseer—C. W. Greenleaf.
Lecturer—F. W. Darling.
Steward—C. A. Richards.
Assistant Steward—Clarence Waite.
Lady Assistant Steward—Miss Fannie Darling.
Chaplain—Mrs. W. R. Wimple.
Gate Keeper—Bert Marlette.
Treasurer—J. O Maxwell.
Secretary—Mrs. Julia Reed.
Ceres—Mrs. Walter Lapham.
Flora—Myrtle Maxwell.
Pomona—Miss Rena Maxwell.
Organist—Mrs. Kate Maxwell.

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Sleighing or slaying, which?

G. W. Fuller has removed his goods and the postoffice to the Glen building.

E. L. German was a welcome guest at his old home in Pentecost on New Year's day.

George Fisk, of Adrian, put in part of his holiday vacation visiting friends in Pentecost.

Mr. Bert Gould and wife, nee Susie Vanderpool, have returned from their wedding trip and will reside for the present with Mr. Gould's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Page, of Rollin, visited Mr. and Mrs. German, New Year's eve, on their way to Tecumseh. They will spend a week calling on their hosts of friends in Franklin and Tecumseh.

Mr. George Cure is still very ill at the home of his daughter here, where he has the kindest care from his children and grandson, Harry. His daughters, Mrs. Asa Ferguson, of Coldwater, and Mrs. D. Stockwell, of Adrian, are assisting to care for him.

Our new merchant, Mr. Drake, has evidently come to the conclusion that "it is not good for man to be alone," so has brought a newly-wedded bride to share his fortuues. We sincerely wish them joy and success and welcome them to our midst.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follows its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Orr & Temple's Drug store. Regular size 50c., and $1.00. 3

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ebenezer Harmon, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alfred Lewis, administrator with the will annexed upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, and all special legacies have been fully paid, and that he is now ready to close said estate and to render his final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the terms of the will of said deceased, that he may be discharged and his bond canceled, and such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 13th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held on at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 2nd day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Scovel C. Stacy, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of L. Loana Stacy and George N. Stacy, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to petitioners, the executors in said instrument named.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd morigaged to Joseph Russell all those certain tracts or parcels of land situated and being in the township of Franklin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The south half of the quarter of the southeast quarter and the north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal annual installments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in liber 93 of Mortgages, on page 731, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof, or any installment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due, both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 99-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof; notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and interest thereon as well as costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, I shall, on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH RUSSELL, Mortg.

CHARLES BURSIDON, Att'y for Mortgagee.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

The roads are a little hubby. Subscribe now.

W. S. Allen is again playing with the rubble fluid.

Get your Carter's and Pink Pills of Lenardson Bros.

Edgar Wells is reported better at the present writing.

School commenced Monday with a good attendance.

If you owe the Herald any wood bring it along at once.

Several of our business men were Adrian visitors Monday.

Chas. Avery made a business trip to Fremont, Ohio, Tuesday.

Get your Hood's Sarsaparilla and Celery Compound at Lenardson Bros.

The last sad relics of the White Pharmacy were removed this week.

E. F. Sink has been on the road collecting and taking orders for 1896.

Lenardson Bros. are selling 5 A horse blankets at cost. Come and get one.

Lenardson Bros. have put in a full line of Patent Medicines. Call on them.

Mr. H. J. Williams, a former resident of Ridgeway, was in our village Saturday.

The heavy aroma of orange blossoms is burdening the gentle zephyrs of this locality.

Miss Ada Hillock, of Tecumseh, has been visiting her brother James here this week.

Regular meeting of Hendershot Tent No. 467 K. O. T. M. on Tuesday evening, Jan. 21.

John Waldner went to Ypsilanti Tuesday to make his home there for the present at least.

The Britton Amateur Dramatic club will soon put on another play. Look out for the date.

Miss Helen Hardy was recently given a surprise party at which her friends passed a very pleasant evening.

The merchants have been busy invoicing for the past week and news in commercial circles is rather scarce.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown have the sympathy of the community on account of the untimely end of their little Fritz.

Geo. Saucrant's hound was located near Tecumseh by Sheriff Wilson, who read the notice of his loss in the Herald.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, and daughter, Mrs. Dwella Hodges, of Jackson, were the guests of Mrs. W. J. Clark Wednesday.

The Wabash water tank has been repaired this week. It will now hold water and is in nearly as good condition as when new.

Frank Taylor recently bought forty acres of Mrs. Mary Jackson. The forty was a part of the Wm. Andrew's property and brought $3,500.

The L. O. T. M. will meet Saturday for the purpose of practicing the ritual of installation. All members interested are expected to be present.

The conduct of the ladies of this burg has materially changed since Jan. 1, and glimpses of the independent new woman of 1900 can be readily seen.

Harvey Welling, last Wednesday, leased his photograph business to E. L. Teeple, of Tecumseh, who will be in Britton twice a week to take pictures, etc. Harvey will stoke on the iron horse.

There was a good attendance at the regular review of Hendershot Tent No. 467, Tuesday night. Look out for the date of the installation of officers of K. O. T. M. and L. O. T. M. in the near future.

Chester Caswell will sell at action 1 1-2 miles north and 1-2 mile east of Britton on the Bill Swick farm, next Tuesday Jan. 14th at 1 o'clock a lot of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, farm implements etc.

About twenty friends of Luella Haynes gave her a genuine surprise last Saturday night, it being the occasion of her 28th birthday. Had it not been Leap Year, we should have said it, but the boys must be well informed this year.

Jas. Haight & Co. is the new hardware firm. With the first of the year Mr. Haight made a change in his business whereby Lavern Gripton was taken into partnership. Lavern is one of our best known young business men and has a host of friends in Britton, and we predict renewed prosperity for the new firm.

Ezra Sink is reported seriously ill and several others are just recovering from the effects of too violent laughing over the peculiar antics of Jack Brady and the steer. In fact Jack was the only man who did his full duty and escaped uninjured. His path of duty was rough and rugged, with only the misguided steer to mark the way, but Jack hung on like a true hero of the plains and was rewarded with the venison. Talk about the lives of a cat, but that bovine had five and some to spare.

The Thanksgiving party given by the young men of Britton was indeed a very pleasant affair, but since that time Leap Year has made it possible for the young ladies to try their hand and it is no discredit to their sterner companions to say that the fair ones rather outdid them. The occasion was a return New Year's party given by our young ladies to their attentive admirers of the last three years. The party was given in the K. O. T. M. hall where the guests were beguiled with games and other social features of which it may be said the fair entertainers, with their pretty toilets and charming gallantry, formed the most attractive part. But fair gallantry was fully equalled by fair policy when the ladies gave the boys a pointer on getting upsuppers for the next four years. The banquet was held in the dining dall of the Exelby House which was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the menu, served in several courses, was an acknowledged compliment not only to the good taste of the ladies but also to the caterers, Mr. and Mrs. Bannister. Perhaps the prettiest feature of the occasion consisted of the favors which were artistic, tasty and beautiful and will long be cherished by the fortunate participants in Britton's most successful and swell party. Miss Chris Shaler, of Detroit, Miss Jennie Underwood, of Adrian and Miss Hardy, of Ypsilanti, were guests from abroad.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

T. H. Temple is in Adrian attending court, as juror.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe is at the county seat this week on business.

School began Monday morning with an increase in attendance.

Estella Barnes visited relatives in Dundee a portion of the week.

Jesse Exelby, of Deerfield, was in the village last week Thursday.

A. J. Terwilliger, of Detroit, spent Friday with his best girl, Emma Miller.

John Wagner, with his household effects and family, moved to Ypsilanti Tuesday.

The new librarian, Miss Lizzie Boyd fills the position with much credit to the association.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, visited her brother Ed. Palmer and wife, Thursday.

Mrs. Estella James, of Detroit, is visiting her sister Mrs. Lafayette Pocklington, at present.

Mr. and Mrs Frederick Gorton, Kittie Clark and Guy Pocklington returned to Ypsilanti Saturday.

The date for the annual donation, for the M. E. Church, has been fixed for the 24th of this month.

Frank Henry, having purchased the old feed mill, will repair it and use it for a general repair shop.

John Hoyt and wife, of Detroit, have been spending several weeks with her brother James Curry and family.

Mrs. Samuel Barlow, left for Broonlyn N. Y., Monday, for an indefinite stay with her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Bush.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Sampson and Deputy Sheriff Furgeson, of Adrian, were in the village on legal business Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Foster, of Toledo, made Mrs. A. J. Sutton a short call Thursday, returning accompanied by Lelia Sutton, who spent Friday and Saturday with her.

John Wilson and wife, of Adrian, and their daughter, Mrs. Amos Sheriff and husband from near Buffalo, N. Y. visited Mrs. Wilson's mother, Grandmother Harrison, Tuesday.

In the Lansing Daily Journal of the the fourth inst. will be found seven pointers which the persons of leisure, the dry goods artist and the non-public spirited individual would do well to read and profit thereby.

To verify his silver principles and that a silver dollar was good enough for him, B. F. DePuy payed his taxes in silver dollars and said he could better realize the heft of the burden when he carried 100 of them to the township treasurer this week.

The singing school class will meet on Saturday night of this week with the choir at the church. Miss Grayson would like all members to be present also as many as wish to join the class. As business of importance will be brought before the class, it is hoped there will be a full attendance.

It would be well for persons, wishing to take the train going west in the afternoon, to secure tickets of the agent before the arrival of the train it only stops on signal by the agent, which he can't do unless a person wishing to take said train, either purchase a ticket or produce a return coupon as evidence that they wish the train stopped.

A Demorest silver medal contest will be held in the Auditorium of the church on Friday evening of next week, Jan. 17th. Contestants from Raisin Valley and Ridgeway will compete for the Medal. It is expected that this entertainment will close the Medal contest work in this section for the present. Master Clair Camburn, of Macon, the five-year-old Cornetist will assist the local talent in the musical part of the entertainment. It is hoped that the citizens of the village and vicinity will turn out and assist the enterprise as it is a worthy educational means of interesting and instructing the young as well as entertaining the older. The admission has been placed at the nominal price of 5 cents, merely enough to cover expenses.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Mrs. Frank Marshall visited her mother Sunday and found her pretty well.

Charles Avery's saw mill is located near Sand Lake crossing for a few weeks.

The holiday vacations are passed and the students have returned to their various schools.

Mr. Townsend and Cecil Billington drove to Ypsilanti last Saturday, where Cecil will attend Cleary's Business College.

About eighty of our young people enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Simmons' pleasant home Friday night.

Joshua Griffin writes, under date of Dec. 26, from Seward Co., Nebraska: "We have had six years of drought and it is still dry.

The funeral of George Camburn occurred last Friday at the home. He was attacked with pneumonia, and for the first time in his life a doctor had to be called. He died after a short illness.

The remains of Joshua Robinson, father of Mrs. Fred Davenport, were brought to Tipton for interment last Wednesday. As there had been funeral services at Reading, the ceremony here on Thursday was very simple, when the beloved father and old neighbor was laid to rest.

A letter from Milford states that Miss Gertrude Davis was united in marriage to Mr. Ed. Hagadone, Dec. 24, 1895, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of near Milford. This day was also the anniversary of her parents' wedding and both events were celebrated. The groom has a home in Big Rapids where they will reside in the future.

Innoculation with gradually increased doses of venom to induce immunity from snake bites has proved very successful in late experiments in India.

A long series of experiments, in which dogs were fed alternately with each substance during four consecutive periods, has shown, it is stated, that natural butter and manufactured oleomargerine are practically equal in digestibility and nutritive value.

MACON MUSIC.

Ralph Mills went back to the U. of M. this week.

The new church was cleaned and carpeted this week.

Misses Cora and Grace Austin finished a two weeks' visit in this place last Sunday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will give a Leap Year social at the home of Calvin Davenport.

Mrs. John Jackson, who has been under treatment of the family physician, is on the gain.

Dr. E. E. Hendershot has commenced moving his goods and chattels to his new quarters in Macon.

Lewis Skinner and Gable Mills have returned to their work at Cleary's business college, Ypsilanti.

Posters are up announcing a temperance lecture by John G. Wooley at Clinton on the night of January 14.

A number of people in this vicinity have secured seats for Robt. G. Ingersol's lecture on "Lincoln," at Adrian on the 11th.

Rice Hendershot has passed the critical condition allotted by the council of physicians and is slowly on the road to health again.

Frank Day says he is not eligible to join the old maids' club at Britton and is going to locate permanently on the farm of Dr. Hendershot.

A Leap Year social will be given at the residence of Milton Davenport on the evening of the 15th, the proceeds to be given to the Reformed church.

Ed McKinney, formerly of Tecumseh, and Miss Nettie Bard were married on New Year. The happy couple have decided to make Macon their home.

The opening of the Tecumseh schools again calls away from home Nellie and Laura Gooding, Bessie Camburn, Frank Morgan, Leigh Pennington and Charley Skinner.

J. B. Coller is arrainging dates for graphophone concerts and will soon be on the road with his talking machine. He has made a decided improvement on his 'phone and is confident of satisfying the most fastidious.

The dedication of the New Reformed Church will take place Jan. 15 at 10:30 a. m. The dedication sermon is to be preached by Mr. Mordyke, and addresses by the Rev. David Howell, of Lansing, and Rev. Mr. Brown, of Tecumseh.

Always "On Top."

Readers of newspapers during the past year or more could hardly fail to notice the published statements of leading druggists in various parts of the country concerning their sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It was a matter of general comment among the dealers when Hood's Sarsaparilla was first placed upon the market and rapidly pushed itself to the front among medicines. It is even more noteworthy that it has steadily maintained its position "on top," and that its sales continue to be the largest in the world.

But the same mails that bring in the statements of druggists that Hood's Sarsaparilla is outselling all other blood medicines, are also laden with testimonials from people who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and have found in it a cure for their diseases and permanent relief from suffering. The great sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla are due to its great cures.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures disease by making pure, rich, healthy blood. It cures a great variety of diseases because a great variety of diseases are caused by impure and impoverished blood. It cures completely and permanently because it removes the cause of the trouble so that there no longer remains any reason for the suffering. It cures scrofula, rheumatism, catarrh, dyspepsia, biliousness, kidney complaint, and other ailments because these diseases have their origin in the blood.

It is a beneficient work that Hood's Sarsaparilla is doing. It helps poor tired mothers by purifying and enriching their blood and giving them appetite and strength. It builds up broken down constitutions, relelves the pangs of rheumatism and neuralgia, dispels the horrors of dyspepsia and nervous prostration, overcomes the symptoms of catarrh, eradicates scrofula, salt rheum and all blood diseases, and makes the weak and debilitated feel strong and vigorous. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier. It is the friend of the sufferer and the foe of disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because Hood's Sarsaparilla cures. 1w

Malay Camphor.

(Dryobalanops Camphora.)

This species of camphor is produced from a tree growing in Sumatra, Borneo, and the Malay Peninsula, and is known as Malay Camphor. It is secreted naturally in crystalline masses and lodged in cavities in the wood. It is whitish, translucent, somewhat unctuous to the touch, very volatile, and its odor strong and fragrant. One of the strongest properties of the Malay Camphor, as well as that of all other camphors, is their strong sedative power, and they are all of great power in allaying irritation and relieving pain. The ordinary liquid camphor purchased at the drug store, if applied to a tender surface, will cause a smart, but this is due, not to the camphor, but to the alcohol in which it is held in solution. The wonderful success that has followed the introduction of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm has been due to the fact that in it are carried not only the well-known camphor of commerce, but this Malay Camphor and the camphor obtained from the Australian Blue Gum Tree, as well as the Japanese Camphor, better known as Menthol, obtained from Japan, and other camphors, and all these in combination have a wonderful healing effect, and their power to subdue the irritated membranes of the air passages of the nose and throat is akin to the marvelous. Any reader of this article who has any difficulty whatever with the air passages of the head, should obtain Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm and see if the statements in this article are not facts. The many thousands who have used this invaluable remedy will give it their unqualified endorsement.

Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio, will send a sample on receipt of a two-cent stamp.

Experiments in electric tanning are reported to have resulted successfully.

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla neutralizes this acid and cures rheumatism. 1w

Home-seekers' Excursions via Ohio Central Lines.

To Virginia and North Carolina, January 14 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip. Limit, 20 days, for return.

To the south and south-west, January 13, 14, 27 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip, plus $4.00. Limit, 20 days for return. j30

A Good Investment.

The Interchangeable Mileage Ticket issued by the Ohio Central Lines covers all important Railway Systems in the territory of Central Traffic Association and is now the leader. Every traveler should have one. It is an ever ready ticket for Columbus, Toledo, Cincinnati, Charleston, W. Va., Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville, etc. It costs but $20 and can be used any time within one year. It reduces your traveling expenses just 33 1-3 per cent. and is a money saver. There are very few persons, especially business men, who do not travel in a year's time, at least 1000 miles. Get one without delay. There are others in the market but the Ohio Central Line's Ticket is the favorite. See Agents of Ohio Central Lines, or address Moulton Houk, G. P. A., Toledo, O. j30

Editor of the Graphic,

of Campbellsburg, Ind., writes: "I will carry your ad at price named. Our druggists don't handle Syrup Pepsin, and I want some of it myself. I have taken two bottles and it did my stomach more good than any medicine I ever took, and I want more of it. I had a bad case of dyspepsia." jan

The smallest clock in the world, with a dial less than a third of an inch in diameter and a driving weight suspended from a single human hair, has been exhibited by a jeweller in Gottingen.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. jan

The importance of angle worms in agriculture has been demonstrated in Germany. Vegetables were grown in wooden boxes with and without the worms. In every case the presence of the worms increased the crop from 25 to 94 per cent.

Do You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strenght are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Orr & Temple's drug store. 3

One of the professors of the Michigan Agricultural College is about to experiment with the storage battery mounted on a wheelbarrow for the purpose of destroying weeds. Wires will extend from the battery and trail upon the ground, thus bringing the current in contact with the weeds.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

From LaGrippe.

How Dr. Miles' Nervine Restored One of Kentucky's Business Men to Health.

NO DISEASE has ever presented so many peculiarities as LaGrippe. No disease leaves its victims so debilitated, useless, sleepless, nerveless, as LaGrippe.

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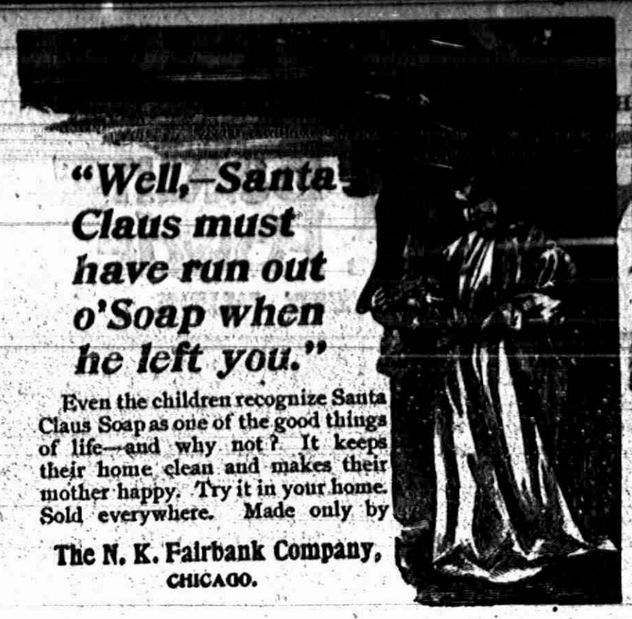

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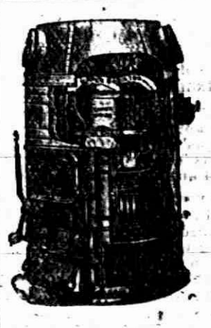

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 10, 1896.

SAMUEL FRANCIS SMITH.

The Author of Our National Hymn, "America," Honored by Beers Post.

It is said that for ages children in Greece were reqnired each day to recite from memory the names of the three hundred heroes who fell in defending the Pass of Thermopylae. In like manner the names of our countrymen who were conspicuous in the conflicts waged for national independence and human liberty have been immortalized. Yet, as the cedars of Lebanon are higher than the grass of the valley, even so are the virtues and victories of peace higher than the virtues and victories of war.

In the moulding and strengthening of American patriotism our national hymn has exercised a surpassing influence. Its author, Rev. Samuel Francis Smith, died recently in Boston, Mass., but his name will live and long be treasured in the hearts of all liberty-loving people.

In commemoration of his noble life and great public service, Beers Post, 140 Dept. of Michigan, G. A. R., unanimously voted that its charter be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days.

J. D. SHULL,
H. J. SWEET,
A. W. SLAYTON,
Committee on Resolutions.

Another Tecumseh Invention.

As the law stands now, the entrances to elevator shafts must be protected by automatic gates. As the table factory uses an elevator it became necessary to supply it with such a contrivance. This was necessary, not only to comply with the letter of the law, but danger of stepping down the shaft occasionally can be avoided in no other way. As the occasion required, H. W. Conkling, of the Table Co., set to work to provide a gate which would open automatically when the elevator is on the level with the floor and close in the same way and remain closed at all other times. As a result he has perfected a gate which is light, cheap, simple and practicable, and which meets every requirement of the law and the use for which it is intended. It consists of two parts, or small gates, running latrerally on rollers, closed and held together by pulleys, and opened by the approach of the elevator car from above or below.

Mr. Conkling is justly proud of his invention and will probably investigate the feasibility of patenting the same. It would seem as if the device would make a paying investment for manufacturing.

Precipitation in Tecumseh.

Below is the report of precipitation for 1895, in Tecumseh:

Month.	Rain and Melted Snow.	Snow.
January	1.49	18.00
February	.14	.50
March	.51	4.50
April	1.88	...
May	2.55	...
June	1.10	...
July	1.77	...
August	1.45	...
September	.91	...
October	.88	...
November	5.96	5.00
December	5.96	22.50
Total inches	24.19	51.50

The warmest day of the past year was July 19, when the mercury registered 94. The lowest point registered by the mercury was on the nights of Feb. 4th and 5th, at 15 below zero. The rainfall and melted snow for 1894 was 29.64; the snowfall, 28.50.

"Old, yet ever new, and simple and beautiful ever," sings the poet in words which might well apply to Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the most efficient and scientific blood-purifier ever offered to suffering humanity. Nothing but superior merit keeps it so long at the front. 1w

Experiments in electric tanning are reported to have resulted successfully.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds, coughs, and all throat, lung and bronchial troubles, is undoubtedly Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the only specific for colds and coughs admitted on exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair. 1w

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich., Council Chamber, January 6th, 1896.

Regular session. Entire council present but Trustees Heeren and Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Chairman of committee on electric lighting reported that they had engaged an electric engineer and tested the arc lamps of the village, on the evening of Dec. 9th, 1895, that the report of the engineer was, in substance, as follows:

TO THE HONORABLE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, MICH:

The standard arc lamps are made in three sizes: 800 candle power, taking 6 amperes at 45 volts, 1200 candle power, taking 8 amperes at 45 volts, and 2000 candle power, taking 10 amperes at 45 volts.

The lamps should show 8 amperes at 45 volts to give proper light. It is just as bad for voltage to go to seventy as to drop to thirty, because when it reaches that point carbon flames, giving a poor light, and when carbon feeds, drops away down and gives little or no light.

A very liberal limit for variation in lamp is 5 volts, many lamps not more than 2.

Result of test:

Current at beginning of test 6.2 to 6.5 amperes, at end of test, 7 amperes.

Pressure of lamps at Green House 47 to 51 volts, Bresie's 30 to 35 volts, John Temple's 48 to 52 volts, Geo. Church's 45 to 52 volts, Wyrill's 35 to 52 volts, Bramble's 30 to 70, J. H. Smith's 35 to 50 volts, table factory 40 to 60 volts, Globe mill 30 to 60 volts.

Conclusion: It is evident that you are not receiving 1200 candle power per lamp. The current is below standard value, but this is of little importance being only slightly short and I doubt not that it varies from 6 to 8 amperes. The great trouble is with the lamps, pressure being from 30 to 70 volts. The fact that the voltage can mount to 70 shows that generator is not overloaded. The whole trouble lies in the condition of the lamps. They are very dirty and out of adjustment.

The result is this: Lamps start and burn fairly well, carbon burns away, arc lengthens and at last lamps feed, carbon drops away down and then there is very little light until carbon burns away, only to go over same ground again. Effect is that you get nominal candle power about one-fifth the time the lamps burn.

To remove trouble every lamp should be taken in, cleaned and readjusted to take normal voltage. I would then guarantee that you get good results from lamps as dynamo is large enough for load.

Yours truly,
CARROL D. JONES.

Committee also reported that they had informed manager of company of result of test; that he had promised to have lamps cleaned and readjusted; that all lamps had been taken and cleaned in two days and that committee could see no improvement in lights; that their opinion was that lamps were not yet properly cleaned and adjusted.

Moved that report of engineer and committee be accepted and filed and that the recommendations be carried out. Supported. Carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for December presented, showing two interments, one lot sold, and $20.00 collected. Ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for December, $216.67; C. F. Field, printing proceedings three months, $29.95; Wm. Hayden, feed, $11.60; Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $57.39; Jas. A. Boyd, freight paid, $.76; Gleason & Bailey Mfg. Co., collars for harness, $24.00; W. J. Ingersoll, telegrams and postage, $.78; Thos. Elliott, blacksmithing, $44.75; E. Park, labor, $2.50; Carroll D. Jones, testing electric lamps, $19.85; Jas. Elliott, blacksmithing, $26.65. Water Works:—Ohio Central Fuel Co., coal, $19.52; C. J. & M. R. R., freight, $33.08; Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $7.07. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, moved that clerk draw his orders for said several amounts. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

No need to fear the approach of croup if you have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never was a case that it would not cure if used at the outset. w

The smallest clock in the world, with a dial less than a third of an inch in diameter and a driving weight suspended from a single human hair, has been exhibited by a jeweller in Gottingen.

Physicians recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup because of its prompt, positive action in all cases of lung trouble. It is a positive reliable cure for coughs and colds. 1w

Innoculation with gradually increased doses of venom to induce immunity from snake bites has proved very successful in late experiments in India.

To restore gray hair to its natural color as in youth, cause it to grow abundant and strong, there is no better preparation than Hall's Hair Renewer. 1w

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Wm. Arnold is on the sick list.

See Harris & Hiteshu's ad about capes and jackets.

R. S. Moore has a message for farmers an another page.

Jas. Lowry quotes prices on groceries in this week's issue which it will pay you to read.

The board of supervisors have decided that prisoners must all wear the ball and chain at the county stone yard.

Ex-Baggageman Stearns, whose suit against the Lake Shore road is noticed in another column, has received a verdict of $3,780 damages.

Harris & Hiteshu have determined not to carry over their large stock of capes and jackets and will sell any garment in their large assortment at the price of the cloth alone.

Union revival services will begin in Clinton Sunday morning next, conducted by Rev. C. W. Stevenson, of Chicago, assisted by J. R. Bell, singer. Services Sunday morning at M. E. church.

It is said that Dan Hall, of Tecumseh, desires to occupy the seat held by W. J. Parker in the county official roster, and sign it, "Recorded this 1st day of Jan. 1897, in liber 195 of deeds page 1, Dan T. Hall, register."—Adrian Press.

Dan's Tecumseh friends would be pleased to see him do that very thing.

Rev. J. L. Gulick, of Macon, who has been a most faithful and beloved worker in the vineyard there for years, and to whose exertions the patrons of the New Reformed church are largely indebted for their new edifice, has received a call from Constantine. We sincerely hope his parishioners may persuade him to remain.

The announcement that Robert G. Ingersoll is to deliver his lecture on "Lincoln," at the Croswell Opera House, Adrian, Saturday evening, Jan. 11th, recalls to mind that he is today the best representative in America of the many-sided genius. Lawyer, savant, statesman, controversialist, lecturer, man of affairs—all are combined in a charming personality as vigorous as it is tender and sympathetic. Although he is known to more people by his independant theological views—views which, it must be admitted, he supports with able arguments—than through any other direction of his talents, Col. Ingersoll has won renown wholly independent of his position on religious topics. Prices, 50, 75, and $1.00. Seats can be reserved by addressing H. E. Cook, Adrian.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig was the scene of gladness and good cheer on the evening of Jan. 9th. The occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Ellen, and Frank V. Hoagland. The ceremony of solemnizing the marriage contract was performed by J. I. Gulick. After the words were spoken which unites the interest and the worldly prospects of these two, now to become one, many were the congratulations and kind words to these highly esteemed and truly worthy young people of east Macon. A bounteous supper was served and a pleasant evening was spent. Valuable and numerous gifts were bestowed by the friends assembled, and the young couple start forth anew in life's journey. May happiness and peace and prosperity attend them through a long life, is the sincere wish of their many friends.

High School Happenings.

Willard McIntyre has left school.

The chemistry class are reviewing.

Floyd Warring entered School Monday.

The class in physiology dissected an eye Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Day called on the school room Monday.

Allen Montgomery entered school Monday morning.

Clarence Hurry visited the high school Monday forenoon.

United States history class are studying the records of the civil war.

The philosophy class are combining pleasure this week by way of experiments in electricity.

Janitor Robinson has hard work to keep us warm some of these cold days, especially in the morning.

Dr. Lombard visited the high school on Monday, and Tuesday gave the pupils of the seventh grade an interesting account of his visit to Palestine.

A hundred dollars worth of books are soon to be added to the public school library, among which are a set of Johnson's latest Cyclopedia in eight volumns.

Sam McClure reached school on time Wednesday morning. We have no doubt but that this will go down in the records of the Tecumseh high school as one of the most extraordinary events of the year.

A Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

The French Government has granted $4,000 for the erection of a building for the treatment of mental and nervous diseases by electricity.

CUT IN PRICES!

For a Short Time and for Cash Only I will sell

FLOUR

Lowry's Pat. Flour, per bbl.	$3 50	25lb. Sack Heck's Buckwheat Flour	$ .47
Heck's " " "	3.75	25lb. Sack Flat Rock Buckwheat Flour	.50
Hayden's " " "	3.75		
Boyd's " " "	3.75	14lbs. Best Oat Flake	.25
Jackson " " Eldred Mill	3.75		

7lbs. No. 1 Raisins	25c	Battle Axe Plug Tobacco, lb.	20c
7lbs. Crackers	25c	Fine Cut Tobacco. good as Cuba, lb.	20c
5lbs. Ginger Snaps	25c		

Empress Tea, Pound Package, - - 12c.
Can Salmon No. 1 Red, can - - 10c.

Canned Goods all at Cut Prices but too many to quote.

SOAP.

7 Bars Queen Ann Soap	25c	7 Bars Lenox Soap	25c
" Jaxon Soap	25c	5 lb. Bar Soap	20c
" Bell's Buffalo Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Gold Dust	20c
8 Bars Geyser Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Soap Powder	20c
7 Bars Hoe Cake Soap	25c		

Lowry's Pure Baking Powder, Good as Royal, per lb.	25c	Sauer Kraut per qt.	5c
		Potatoes per bushel	25c
7 Packages Corn Starch	25c	Ear Corn 22c., 5 bushels	$1.00

A great many more goods marked down which I have not room to quote. Call and see me.

Respectfully,

James Lowry.

Lilley House Block.

Great Reduction Sale.

As we have too many goods to invoice, from now until Jan. 20th, 1896, we will give

. . . A Cut Price . . .

—on all—

Overcoats, Ulsters, and Heavy Weight Suits.

These Goods are all new and this season's styles. Our sales have been appreciated by our customers, as is evident from the crowds of buyers they have drawn, as

We always do just as we advertise.

Get in quick and get first choice.

The One Price Clothiers. **McCANN BROS.**

. . Bargains.

Our Mid-Winter Sale.

Opened Saturday, Jan. 4 and continues Through the month.

We quote yon a Few of the Many Bargains:

Best Amoskeg Ginghams	5c yd.
Best Shirting Print	4c yd.
Best Dark Print	5c yd.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests	20c each.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Pants	20c each.

An elegant line of Dress Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Uuderwear, Gloves and Mittens at a discount equal to above prices.

Our large and elegant line of Footwear, **Boots, Shoes, Slippers,** in fact, **All Leather Goods** go at **20 per cent off.**

We have a full line of

Ladies' Capes and Jackets,

we are selling at **33 1-3 per cent Off**

It will pay you to come miles to attend this sale.

Respectfully,

Harris & Hiteshu.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LUMBER SAWED—Wanted logs to saw. We come to your place and saw your timber if you want us to. Complete outfit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address in person or by letter. JOHN GORDON, Saline, Mich.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike, known as Sam Holden place. Good buildings, water, etc. G. W. ELY.

FOR SALE—Overstocked; must sell 18 high grade Jersey heifers, from 2 weeks to 2 years old; part due to calf in February and March. C. P. CLARK,
Ten rods from depot, Clinton, Mich.

WE MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men and women $10 to $18 per week for easy home work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERMANN & SEYOUR, 214 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting of 105 acres good buildings. Very desirable location just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Enquire of C. C. Tefft. Terms reasonable.

WANTED.—Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Michigan for established, reliable house. Salary $780 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 10, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Irish are ahead.

Go to B. C. Knapp for hay and straw.

Phonograph concert at the Armory tonight.

Go to the Arcanum benefit next Tuesday evening.

Fred Burrel has returned home for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Frank Kennedy is visiting her mother in Monroe.

C. E. Williamson returned from New York City Saturday.

Views of the World at Arcanum Hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, '96.

Remember the Y. P. C. U. entertainment at the Universalist church tonight.

Views of everything, under the glare of the search light at Arcanum hall, Jan. 14.

Miss Kate Anderson left yesterday morning for a few week's visit with Detroit friends.

Miss Mabel Barnsdale, of Clinton, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Lynne Kelly, this week.

Geo. DePuy, Frank Dorr and James Howard, of Clinton, were in Tecumseh last Friday night.

Robert A. Boyd returned yesterday from a three week's visit with friends and relatives in Detroit.

The Detroit Tribune, the greatest republican paper of the west, and the Herald one year for $1.60.

Chas. H. Williamson is now employed by L. W. Slayton's lumber office as stenographer and typewriter.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Joshua's army and the overthrow of Jericho."

Supervisor Elliot has been in attendance upon the session of the county legislative assembly at Adrian this week.

Mrs. Andy Ross and daughter, returned to their home in Toledo Tuesday after a week's visit with friends and relatives here.

John A. Heck has accepted the agency for the Deering harvesting machinery and will soon be ready for the coming campaign.

The Juniors of the Baptist church announce an entertainment for Friday evening Jan. 24, to which the public are invited.

Wade Warring has now secured a position with the wholesale house of Davis Bros., of Toledo, and is holding down the job with credit.

Miss Austin and her committee will serve supper at the M. E. church parlors, Wednesday, Jan. 15, from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The Lake Shore night train will be held at Adrian for Ingersoll's lecture on "Lincoln." Our citizens should appreciate this favor by going over to hear the great orator.

The famous tour of all Mexico of the American Tourist Association will leave Chicago, Tuesday, Jan. 21. For full particulars address Mr. Reau Campbell, 925 Old Colony Building, Chicago.

The subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning, Jan. 12: "The Communion of the Spirit." Evening, "The Poor Man's Friend." The Baptist church, under the free pew system, has a place for all and will make you welcome.

The Ministers meeting will take place next Monday morning at 10 a. m. in the parlors of the M. E. church. Subject for discussion; "The Process of Conversion." It is hoped that pastors outside of town especially, may be present.

Two placards in the postoffice announce the melancholy fact that a $5 and a $10 bill were lost the first of the week, but the exact number of large, Mrs. Williams that were hopelessly mislaid forever between two days of the past week will probably never be known to the world.

The Royal Arcanum have secured a magnificent entertainment for next Wednesday evening and will display 150 beautiful views of great interest. Soul uplifting, comic situations, views of art and architecture, historic places Niagara Falls and Scottish scenes. As the seating capacity of the hall is limited secure your seats early.

The days begin to lengthen, subscribe now.

Wm. Hayden has something to say about grain bags on this page.

Chas. Whittier, of Grand Rapids, was home for a short visit last week.

Mrs. Stephen Whittier, who has been seriously ill for some time is improving.

Roscoe Hall is now located at Canton, Ill., in the employ of the Pacific Express Co.

John Hazlett is in line this week with an ad offering reduced prices in gents tailoring.

Ingersoll's greatest effort, Lincoln, at Croswell's Opera House, Adrian, tomorrow night.

Chas. Burridge returned Wednesday morning from a business trip to Belding, Mich.

George V. Schreder is at the present writing staring is as leading man in the melo-drama The Master and Man.

School opened Monday and of course the vacating pedagogues have returned from their various outings, and pupils likewise.

Misses Edna Stafford and Edna Warren, who were the guests of Will Sisson and family last week, returned to Blissfield Monday.

An adjourned meeting of the Farmer's Union will be held at the home of H. B. Eaton, Friday evening, Jan. 17, with the same program.

Ed Stebbins and party, who had been rusticating at the Stebbins cottage over New Years, passed through here, on their return home, Saturday.

John Temple Graves, the next entertainer on the Star Course, was announced for Jan. 17. This was the first engagement, but has since been changed. His date is Monday, Jan. 27.

Mrs. Johnstone-Bisbop has been excused from her position as first soprano in the second Presbyterian church of Chicago. The great soprano has many admirers in Tecumseh and she could secure a position here any time.

A very quiet wedding occurred in Macon, Jan. 1, by which Edward McKinney and Miss Nettie M. Bard were united in marriage by Rev. J. P. Varner. The couple will reside in Macon and the many friends of the groom here wish them every success.

The subject at the Universalist church next Sunday will be: Morning—"Blessed be the Lord God, who turneth not our prayers away nor his mercy from us." Evening—"The religion of charity." Y. P. C. U. at 6 o'clock. Topic—"Look up and not down."

Notice—All persons having saving deposits with the Tecumseh State Savings Bank that have not had their books credited with interest due Dec. 1, 1895, are requested to bring in their books and interest will be credited. Interest at 3 per cent is credited to savings deposits on June 1st and Dec. 1st, interest being compounded every six months.

Miss Emma Brazee, of Adrian, and A. C. Miller, formerly of Raisin, but now of Washington, D. C., were married December 18th, at Washington, D. C., by Rev. Ditzer. The groom, Lon C. Miller, who is well known in Tecumseh and vicinity has completed his course in medicine in Washington and now is working up a good practice in that city. Professional and domestic felicity is extended to him by his old time friends.

The Reformed church of Macon will be dedicated Jan. 15, at 10:30 a. m. The sermon will be preached by Rev. P. Moerdyke D. D., of Chicago, Ill.; Also an address by Rev. David Howell, Lansing, Mich., also an address by Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh. All are invited to attend these services and participate in the exercises. Later—Rev. Gulick has decided to accept his invitation to Constantine and has resigned his pastorate at Macon.

Talk about astronomical phenomenon. The most absorbing total eclipse we ever witnessed occurred Tuesday evening about supper time, when the fuse wire at the power house burned out. The Devil was just washing his inky face and in the confusion wiped that interesting member on a burlap oil rag of about the consistency of the office towel. More serious, however, was the loss of an inimitable clipping from the Adrian Press, which we had just stolen and which will now be lost to our readers forever.

Arrangements are being made by the rector of St. Peter's church, to have a series of services, called a mission, held from Jan. 22nd to Jan. 29th. The Rev. R. T. W. Webb, of Mt. Clemens, will be the missioner, and Bishop Davies gives his hearty approval and blessing upon the work. Notice will be given later of the list of subjects and hours of services. The general public is cordially invited to attend, especially in the evenings. Mr. Blachford asks the members of the congregation to give their hearty support and assistance in this extra effort to increase religious interest and to awaken a sense of duty in the unconverted.

The new hanging harness which was to be procured for the village team has just been completed by J. S. Gillman and is a dandy. It hangs above the pole of the hose wagon. At the tap of the bell Frank and Charley rush to the pole, the driver falls on his seat, jerks the lines and hollers "go lang" and away they go. The collars are entirely of steel, fastening with a spring below the neck which is the only place the harness is fastened about the horse. It is a fine rig of good workmanship and is a credit to our fire department.

Have you seen the map and history?

Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Arthur Hall, of Toledo, and Miss Nellie Heesen, of Tecumseh.

George Hollister and family went to Chicago Monday for a few weeks visit with friends and relatives there.

Wm. Gordon was recently adjudged insane by the probate court and has been taken to Kalamazoo by Deputy Stevens.

Rev. Fr. Heidenreich, of Manchester, and sister, Miss Julia, of Detroit, called upon E. F. Kirchgessner and sisters Tuesday.

The C. E. cantata given at the opera house last week was a grand success and several youngsters made a decided hit as brownies.

P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and E. N. Satterthwaite took the Lake Shore Wednesday afternoon to attend the Chicago bicycle exhibit.

Dr. Lairds, of Adrian, was summoned here Wednesday in consultation with Dr. Frost on the case of Wm. Hayden who is considerably worse.

Fred Rosacrans, and C. V. Hicks, of Oscoda, who has been his guest for the past week, are attending the great bicycle show at Detroit this week.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman wishes to remind those who are indebted to her that she is much in need of money and would be glad if they would call and settle at once.

A representative of the Granite State Loan and Building association of New Hampshire was in town yesterday. He will soon return to organize a local board here.

The Union Telegraph line, which has been organized for some time but only as an association, has decided to change its legal status and Attorney Sumner Collins is drawing up articles of incorporation for that purpose.

J. H. Smith is representing the Tecumseh Table Co. this week with 13 samples of tables at the annual furniture exhibition which is being held at Grand Rapids, the great furniture mart of this country.

E. F. Kirchgessner acted as usher and Miss Lena Arnold as Maid of Honor at the Arnold-Nopper wedding held in St. Joseph's church at Adrian, last Wednesday morning. Miss Anna Arnold, the bride, is a sister of W. J. Arnold, of this place.

A beautifully illustrated holiday edition of the Denver Republican is at hand describing the mining and other industries of Colorado. That state exceeds California this year by two million dollars in the output of gold. She no longer depends on free silver.

Yesterday was "Jackson Day", the 81st anniversary of New Orleans, when Gen. Jackson with a few squirrel hunters humbled the British flag. Of course we have hardly time to take the trouble, but as some seem to be forgetting the anniversary it may be necessary to repeat it.

Congressman Spaulding appointed his son to the cadetship at West Point with A. J. Weatherwax, jr., of Jackson, as alternate. Recently the young man was injured in a way which unfitted him for his physical examination, and in a letter to his alternate gave up his appointment to him.

Jackson Patriot: A report of a small riot at the prison has leaked out. The affair occured Saturday afternoon in the laundry at the shirt factory, that new industry in which the convicts seem to find no profit or satisfaction. During the scrap, flatirons were used as weapons, the air being full of them, though so far as can be learned no one was badly hurt.

Tecumseh has a court of Independent Order of Foresters, called Pottawatamie court. The notable feature of the order consists in the fact, that not one in five of the members can spell the name correctly without referring to a vest pocket printed memorandum, and even then several members have been seen walking backwards to reach the lodge room. At the last election, James Lowry was chosen chief ranger and first scalp lifter, with J. C. Hazlett, second in command. If any one is interested in knowing who the other officers are, let them roam around among the wigwams of the Tecumseh woods, and keep his eye peeled for tomahawks, etc.—Adrian Press.

Dr. George W. VanVleck, who has been best known among the people of Tecumseh for the past thirty years on account of his peculiar skill in the treatment of disease with herbs and natures remedies, also sustains, among those most intimately acquainted with him, a well earned reputation as a literary scholar. The gentleman has recently completed an epic of rare merit entitled, "A Visit to an old Burial Ground." The incidents and scenes which furnish the theme are ruggedly bold and heroic but are so deftly softened by deep pathos and touching incident that one is first stirred to action and again completely soothed at the humor of the poet as it were. Particularly is this true when hearing the recital of the epic by the author himself, who has been prevailed upon to give private readings to the delight and edification of some of our more fortunate local literateurs. We predict for the doctor a speedy recognition among the high critics of poetic literature.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

The heirs of the late George Camburn will sell at public auction at Tipton next Thursday, Jan. 16, all of the personal property of the estate, consisting of one 5-year-old horse; 4 very fine jersey cows, new milch; 3 shoats, wagons, buggies, farm implements, corn, oats, hay, etc. A. C. Aylsworth, auctioneer.

Hank Lancaster has just completed the muster of his Clinton company for service in Venesuela by enlisting Capt. Chilson, Henry Stevens, Jim Aten, T. R. Kyle and others. Alf James was just too late. Tecumseh, where is your patriotism, when you allow the flower of your chivalry to be drafted by a rival town?

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout, England and the United States? No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh. This is for January only.

—A "HARD TIMES" DICTIONARY.—

A Book's value depends upon its contents. Judged by this and compared with Webster's the Standard should sell for $40. For what the Century Co. receives $91, the Standard furnishes for $18. If the various dictionaries, (41) in the Standard were sold seperately, they would cost from $40 to $200. The Standard sells as low as $15. For particulars address. A. K. VanDeVenter, Dundee, Mich.

—Having opened my dressmaking and ladies' tailoring rooms over Adamson Bro.'s jewelry store, I desire to inform the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity that I will make a reduction of 25 per cent from my regular prices until further notice; will carry the same line of fashions, and guarantee my work the best. Customers can have their choice of lady or gentleman fitter.
Very respectfully,
MR. F. A. DEUEL.

—BALED HAY AND STRAW—
By the ton or bale. Prices as low as the lowest. Enquire of
B. C. KNAPP,
Pottawatomie St., Tecumseh, Mich.

—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

—Lumber cheap. Dressed pine lumber $9 per M and up, at Slayton's. See him.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—
Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Come into the Novelty Store and see what we are giving away with holiday purchases. tf

—Elegant presents given away with holiday purchases at Montague's Novelty store.

—A second hand piano in good repair, for sale at Jas. Montague's.

—See our new lines and specialties in fancy china ware at Montague's Novelty store.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—We are making more picture frames than ever this fall. See our assortment at Montague's Novelty Store.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Have you seen the lovely new styles in fall shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done, and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL

—BOOK BINDING—
We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

Special Cash Sale!

Owing to the warm weather before Christmas we are overloaded on

Overcoats and Heavy Clothing.

In order to move these goods we offer them at

Special Discount Sale

——which will continue——

Until Saturday Night, January 18, 1895.

Now is Your Golden Opportunity.

Don't Neglect It. : : : :

Also in Our Shoe Department

——we will make a——

Big Reduction.

Cowles Bro.'s Misses Shoes, without Tips, regular price $2, reduced to $1.25.
On our Bargain Table we will place a lot of $3 and $3.50 Shoes for $2. Other lines of shoes at greatly reduced prices.

Remember this sale is—

Strictly For Cash

And closes Saturday night, Jan. 19.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

A WORD TO MY PATRONS

Friends, I have through courtesy loaned out 400 Grain Bags. I am now in need of them, and would esteem it a great favor if you will kindly see if any are in your possession, and return them to the Globe Flouring Mills at once.

Respectfully,

WM. HAYDEN.

The Genuine Round Oak!

(SEE THE NAME ON THE LEGS.)

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COMFORT,

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AND MOST

SATISFACTORY

RESULTS,

buy no other for Wood or Coal.

Satterthwaite Bros.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

FURNITURE SEASON OPENED.

Trade Prospects Are Considered Excellent at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 7.—The spring furniture season opened Monday, but comparatively few of the sample lines of new goods were ready for inspection, and will not be before the middle of the week. About 20 buyers, mostly from eastern cities, are already here, and every train is bringing more of them. The trade prospects are considered excellent, as retail stocks are low, but it is probable that buyers will be conservative in placing their orders until the season develops.

Priest's Fortune Disposed Of.

Niles, Jan. 5.—Three years ago Rev. John Catton, priest in St. Mary's church in this city, died. He left a fortune, consisting of real estate in this city and Belgium, his native country. His will was admitted to probate and, according to his last testament, all of his property in Belgium, valued at 25,000 francs, was left to relatives. His property in America was left to the Catholic church. Friday the estate was settled and the property transferred to Bishop Foley, of Detroit. It is valued at about $25,000.

Death of Simeon Babcock.

Manistee, Jan. 4.—Simeon Babcock, a prominent lumber dealer and highly respected citizen of this city, died Friday morning. Since 1877 he has resided here, coming from Chicago, where he was engaged in the lumber business. He was born in New York in 1832. During the civil war the deceased was first lieutenant in the First Wisconsin infantry. He was prominent in Loyal Legion and masonic circles.

Fined for Coming Late to Church.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 6.—Rev. H. H. Johnston, of Trinity church, is a member and chaplain of Daisy lodge of elks. The lodge attended church in a body Sunday morning, and at the conclusion of the service the rector solemnly announced that each of the brethren was fined one dollar for coming late to divine service. They paid the fine, and the church treasury was enriched about $70.

Broke His Parole.

Monroe, Jan. 8.—Charles Kline, a paroled life prisoner of the Ohio penitentiary, in jail for firing at Officer Deutscher, attempted to break out by cutting the bars with a case knife, but was discovered when the first bar was nearly cut through. Kline will be returned to the Ohio prison. He will be taken off parole and confined for life.

Ascends the Supreme Bench.

Lansing, Jan. 8.—The elevation of Circuit Judge Joseph B. Moore, of Jasper, to a position on the supreme bench of this state, which took place at the opening of court Tuesday morning, was unaccompanied by any ceremony. At the same time Justice C. D. Long assumed the position of chief justice in place of Justice McGrath.

Gets a New Lease of Life.

Hancock, Mich., Jan. 6.—The Franklin Mining company has struck the Pewabic copper lode in the Franklin Junior property at a depth of 300 feet. As the old Franklin was nearly on its last legs, this discovery means a renewed lease of its life and the continued employment of 450 men.

Too Much Snow.

Hancock, Jan. 7.—Owing to the heavy snowfall accompanying the recent blizzard, railroad traffic in the western half of the peninsula is much impeded. Lumbermen who were complaining ten days ago of no snow now have too much.

Health Report.

Lansing, Jan. 5.—Reports to the state board of health for the month of December show the diseases which caused the most sickness in the month were rheumatism, neuralgia, influenza, tonsilitis, bronchitis and consumption.

Son Takes His Father's Place.

Saginaw, Jan. 8.—Rev. Conrad Volz, who founded St. John's Lutheran church in 1848, and who has been pastor ever since, has resigned on account of advanced years. His son, Rev. Fred Volz, will succeed him.

FULL OF NEWS.

Paragraphs of Interest to Residents of Various Localities.

Traverse City is to have free postal delivery in the spring.

A state farmers' institute is to be held in Fennville January 15 and 16.

At Petoskey William Blumrosen, a prominent Hebrew citizen and merchant, dropped dead from paralysis.

During the past three years Mrs. Jane M. Kinney, of Port Huron, has secured homes for 50 children in this state.

Earnest Young, the Chicago man who has already received $40,000 on his patent bicycle tire, is a native of Bangor, this state.

Ex-Consul General Warnert Sutton, of South Havana is being mentioned as the probable secretary of the Venezuelan boundary commission.

The survivors of the first Michigan infantry will hold a reunion at Coldwater on June 26, the anniversary of the battle of Gaines' Mill.

One of the largest eagles ever seen in this state was shot near Sutton's Bay by Fred Smedley, aged 17. The bird measured seven feet from tip to tip.

A new 50-room hotel to cost $25,000 is to be erected in Cassopolis in the spring. Wilson & Son, lumbermen of Harrison, are in financial trouble, with liabilities of about $40,000.

Within 90 days the extension of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railroad into Jackson will be completed, giving that city the use of 1,700 miles of new road.

Adjt. Gen. Green has issued commissions to the officers of company H, First infantry, which will take the place of the Emmet Rifles, recently mustered out at Jackson.

MICHIGAN'S TREASURY.

State Treasurer Wilkinson Presents His Report for 1895.

Lansing, Jan. 3.—A settlement has been made with State Treasurer Wilkinson for the year ending December 31. The statement shows that the balance on hand December 31, 1894, was $66,894.24. There was received from all sources during the year 1894, $4,075,575.39, making a total of $4,142,496.63. There was disbursed on warrants of the auditor general during the year $1,079,890.76, leaving a balance December 31, 1895, of $62,578.87. Of this balance $51,733.15 is in state depositories and $10,845.72 in the treasury vaults. The above figures correspond with the amount charged to the treasurer on the books of the auditor general.

ALL THE LAWS ARE VALID.

Though Signed After the Legislature Adjourned They Still Hold.

Lansing, Jan. 4.—The supreme court has filed an opinion in which the validity of acts passed previous to the last five days of the legislature, and not signed by the governor until after the legislature had adjourned, is fully sustained. It has for years been the custom of Michigan executives to sign acts in this manner, and the constitutionality of many acts of the last legislature, as well as many others that have for years been accepted as law, was involved in the ruling made in the case decided.

Two Bad Fires.

Manistee, Jan. 5.—Fire Friday night destroyed the feed warehouse of John McAnley, grocer. In a terrific wind and snowstorm, with zero weather, firemen worked bravely to protect surrounding property. The warehouse and contents are a total loss of about $5,000, and are insured for $3,500. Fire visited the village of Copemish early Saturday morning, destroying the bowl and tray factory partially. The loss is $3,500, partially insured. The plant is owned by Chapman & Sargeant, of Perrysburg, O.

Pest Destroys Potatoes.

Decatur, Jan. 6.—A new parasite has made its appearance in southern Michigan, which it is feared may create havoc with the immense potato crop of last season, most of which was buried in the fall on account of low prices. The pest girdles the potatoes under the skin until only the shell of the tuber is left, thousands of the insects being visible under the microscope in each groove. Specimens of the parasite will be sent to the agricultural bureau at Washington for admission.

Will Begin Proceedings.

Lansing, Jan. 8.—Attorney-General Maloney, of Illinois, has telegraphed the Michigan board of health that he had commenced legal proceedings against the Illinois health university of Chicago, which has been flooding this state with graduated physicians who are alleged to be grossly incompetent to practice medicine, but who find the Michigan law too flimsy to operate against them.

Incompetency Charged.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 8.—Charges of incompetency were made before the board of supervisors Tuesday against Superintendent of Poor Bush by Rev. Caroline J. Bartlett, of the People's church. She charged him with insulting the worthy poor and extravagantly supplying the professional beggar and pauper with supplies. The board appointed a committee to investigate.

Marries His Fourth Wife.

Niles, Jan. 8.—William Hallen, a resident of Vicksburg, has broken the record in the matrimonial line. He has been married three times and divorced three times. His last separation occurred Saturday, and in less than 12 hours afterward he had taken another wife, Mrs. Julian A. Hunt.

To Elect a President February 10.

Lansing, Jan. 4.—The state board of agriculture set February 10 as the time for the selection of a president of the state agricultural college to succeed Lewis G. Gorton, resigned.

Gen. Alger to Preside.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 8.—Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Detroit, has consented to preside at the coming intercollegiate debate between the University of Michigan and University of Chicago.

THOMPSON'S DEFENSE.

He Alleges Dr. Sweetland Caused an Explosion to Secure Insurance Money.

Niles, Jan. 8. — The trial of Allen Thompson, charged with throwing a bomb into the office of Dr Sweetland at Mottville on the night of November 13, 1895, begins in the circuit court at Centerville Thursday. At the time of the outrage Dr. Sweetland and a patient, Andrew Gray, were in the office, and the latter was permanently injured by the explosion. Notwithstanding these charges Thompson claims to have proof that Sweetland caused the explosion of the dynamite bomb himself in order to kill Gray, that money might be secured on an insurance policy. The coming trial will be a sensational affair, and both sides have engaged the best legal talent. Thompson's defense will be an alibi, and it is the prevailing opinion that he will be acquitted.

RELICS OF A BATTLE.

Bullets of Fifty Years Ago Found in the Heart of an Elm Tree.

Niles, Jan. 7.—A large elm tree, that for years has stood right in the center of the city, was felled Monday, and upon cutting it up several old-fashioned rifle balls were found imbedded in its center. The rings in the tree outside the ball numbered over 50, showing that the bullets were fired into the tree over half a century ago. Near the spot where the tree stood a terrible battle occurred years ago between the French and the Indians, and it is thought these may be relics of the event. The bullets are old-time rifle balls, hand made and used in muzzle-loading guns.

DIE WITHOUT RELIEF.

Members of "The Children of God" Refuse the Aid of Physicians.

Niles, Jan. 3. — Near Decatur a peculiar religious sect flourishes, which is known as "The Children of God." The sect is founded on the faith-cure idea, and whenever any members are ill no physicians are allowed to administer to them. As a result, in the family of James Harris, who belongs to the sect, three members have died. Their deaths have been caused by not having the proper medical attendance. The last one to die was Mrs. Harris, who, on her death-bed, joined with her husband in refusing the services of a physician.

BULLET COUGHED UP.

Was Lodged in William Wickwire's Throat Over a Year.

Scotts, Jan. 4.—When William Wickwire was shot by Michael Gallihan a year ago one bullet lodged in his throat. His physicians could never exactly locate it and it remained a constant source of trouble. Mr. Wickwire frequently choked while eating. Recently he coughed the bullet up and is glad to be rid of the irritant he had carried for 13 months.

FOR GOOD ROADS.

Gov. Rich Calls a Convention to Meet in Lansing March 3.

Lansing, Jan. 7.—In a proclamation issued Monday night Gov. Rich states that the improvement of the highways has not kept pace with the general advancement of the state, and he calls a mass convention to be held in the capitol building Tuesday, March 3, for the purpose of discussing the subject of good roads.

Congregation Left in the Dark.

Niles, Jan. 4.—While services were in progress at the Methodist Episcopal church the lights suddenly went out, leaving the congregation in total darkness. Fortunately the worshipers did not become frightened, or a panic might have been the result. As it was they groped their way to the doors. Numerous stores and offices were also deprived of light. The trouble was caused by the gas works suddenly giving out.

Doctors Demand Their Price.

Benton Harbor, Jan 7.—Postmaster Rowe stated before the city council Tuesday that the physicians of this city refuse to attend diphtheria cases or other infectious diseases among the poor for the regular fee of 75 cents a call. He said he did not want to see anyone die for want of medical attendance. The physicians state they must have one dollar or more a call or they will not respond.

Against the Telephone Company.

Detroit, Jan. 4.—The Wayne circuit court rendered unanimously an important decision in a suit against the Bell Telephone company. The court held the company had no right to compel subscribers to sign its contract; also that the courts may upon application of subscribers determine as to what reasonable rates for telephones are. The case will be appealed.

Lays Aside the Ermine.

Lansing, Jan. 2.—Chief Justice McGrath, of the supreme court, laid aside the ermine of his office Wednesday and left for Detroit, where he will reengage in the practice of law. His departure from the bench leaves the court in the hands of republican judges for the first time in many years.

May Lose Both Feet.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 8.—Willie Konils, aged nine years, had both feet frozen Monday night by sleeping under the porch, his stepmother, he declares, declining to let him in because he arrived home late. He may lose both feet. The parents may be prosecuted by the humane society.

Mining Suspended.

Ishpeming, Jan. 4.—Owing to a notice of an increase of 15 cents a ton royalty demand by the Arctic and Pioneer Iron companies, the owners of the ground in which the Buffalo mines are located, mining has been suspended and 250 men are thrown out of work.

Female Sexton Does Good Work.

Marcellus, Jan. 3.—The United Brethren church at Marcellus has a young woman, Miss Ella Wilcox, for sexton. She keeps the church in order, rings the bell and is said to fill the position better than any man ever has.

VICTORY FOR PINGREE.

His Vetoes of Recent Franchises Sustained by Detroit Aldermen.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 8.—Mayor Pingree Tuesday night sent to the council his vetoes of the ordinances passed a week ago granting new franchises, running 30 years, to the Detroit Citizens Street Railway company and to the Fort Wayne & Belle Isle street railway. Instead of barely enough aldermen voting for the veto to sustain it, as was expected, the mayor was overwhelmingly supported, the vote being 25 to six in favor of sustaining both vetoes. The talk of boodle in connection with the granting of the franchise to the Citizens' company undoubtedly caused the unexpected flop to the mayor on the part of many of the aldermen. The settlement of the street railway question will now go over to the new council, which is absolutely controlled by Mayor Pingree. It is expected he will offer the companies new franchises on the basis of eight tickets for 25 cents with universal transfers.

WANT TO BE REGENT.

Several Candidates for Vacancy on the University Board.

Lansing, Jan. 6.—The persons mentioned in connection with the vacancy in the office of regent of the university, caused by the resignation of Charles W. Hackley, of Muskegon, the day his term of office commenced, are E. O. Grosvenor, of Jonesville; W. H. Withington, of Jackson; Thomas J. Ramsdell and Judge Aaron V. McAlvay, of Manistee, and George A. Farr, of Grand Haven. It is expected other candidates will be announced during the week. Inasmuch as the term to be served by the appointee will be eight years, it is believed a comparatively young man will be selected. Gov. Rich intimates that the appointment will not be made for a fortnight.

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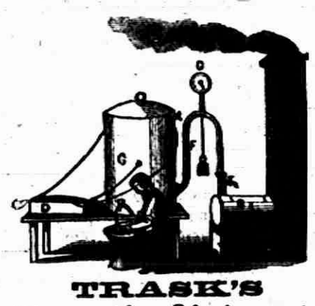

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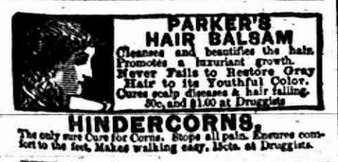

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 12.
Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.
Topic, The Alphabet of Prayer.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Math. vi, 5-13; Luke xi, 1-4.

Sincerity is the first requisite in all our relations with God. Imitation virtue is valueless. Vice and sin are real; so all virtue must be genuine. Simulated piety is hypocrisy. A make believe religion will land one in a make believe heaven which will prove a veritable hell. Posing as a Christian never brings the favor and presence of God to a soul any more than masquerading as a prince will make one heir to an earthly crown. Upright intention, downright, wholesouled earnestness secure the inheritance.

The quantity of a person's devotions do not determine alone his religious value. Quality must also be taken into account. Repetitions of prayer are not displeasing to men or God if they be the outpouring of a burdened heart deeply in earnest, absorbed with a single desire and importunate till the petition be granted. Then the language becomes eloquent by reason of its sameness. But when the repetition is without depth of desire, it is worse than wearisome; it may become abhorrent. Gazing rarely finds treasure of any kind. Looking may pick up some accidentally. Searching finds treasure, even when hidden. "Seek and ye shall find." "Ask and ye shall receive." Put the soul into it and the great "Over Soul" will hear the cry and find you.

True Politeness.

This crowning grace of character cannot be learned or acquired by the study of books on etiquette. They are useful as manuals of social intercourse and may help one in the observance of rules of society, but they cannot make the true lady or true gentleman. Genuine politeness strikes its roots far below the surface, deep in the heart, and blossoms out in all the little acts of life. He whose pulse beats in time with the great pulse of humanity, who feels that every human heart is human, bears within him the very elemental soil from which true courtesy spontaneously springs. This large affinity characterizes all truly great souls and constitutes an essential part for their greatness. Some of the manifestations of its presence are perfect simplicity of manner, entire absence of all acting for effect and total unconsciousness of self.

Welcome.

Every stranger has a right to expect cordial greeting from Christians whenever he enters the church of God. A cordial handshake and kind word are the surest means of attaching strangers to the church. Let the League have a committee to welcome strangers and introduce to them such members as they can conveniently. Let this committee be at work before and after preaching services in the vestibule at the prayer and class meetings and Sunday school. Better still, let every member be on the alert to show courtesy to all strangers and let them not be unmindful to greet the brethren and sisters also. Practice the forms of Christian courtesy and cultivate the spirit which gives all value to the forms.

The Lord's Prayer.

Many volumes have been written in exposition of this passage of Scripture. Many more will probably be written. Yet it is so simple that the little child can understand its meaning. But it is so comprehensive that all wisdom and philosophy and experience cannot transcend its teaching or exhaust its truth. In every exigency of life it reveals some new phase of comfort or assistance. It is adapted to all men everywhere, in all their needs. But it is of value only as it is used and becomes of greatest value after longest use and to those who use it most.

Our Inalienable Right.

Out of the writings and sayings and deeds of those who loudly proclaim the "rights of liberty" and "rights of man" match me, if you can, one sentence so noble, so sublime, one that will so stand at the bar of God hereafter, as this simple, glorious sentence of Paul, in which he asserts the rights of Christian conscience above the rights of Christian liberty: "Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend."—Robertson.

Wheat and Tares.

Good wheat undoubtedly grows in the world field of God's kingdom among men. Tares are also abundant. Some have no eye except for the tares. Earnest servants are never lacking who, with zealous spirit of devotion, come and ask leave to root them out. How few Christians have acquired the spirit of the Master shown in the beautiful parable where He mercifully forbids the workers to pluck up the tares lest the wheat be also uprooted!

Truth needs no guarding. It is always consistent and needs no assistance or apology. It is always handy and ready on the instant. It needs no adjustment for the occasion or special robing. A lie is troublesome and continually racks one's invention to properly clothe and guard it, and at the most inopportune time drops its mask and betrays us.

There is a pleasure in contemplating good. There is greater pleasure in receiving good. The highest pleasure is in doing good. That comprehends all the rest.

It is one of the beautiful compensations of this life that no one can sincerely try to help another without thereby helping himself.

Rowland Hill, seeing a boy on a rocking horse, said, "Like some Christians, motion enough, but no progress."

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A Few Financial Facts

Great Britain having built a dam across our Silver Stream, Gold alone is powerless to turn the wheels of Commerce. Result: Stagnation and Commercial Death, to which John Bull points with pride, rejoicing in his wonderful successes.

Two streams, Gold and Silver flowed from our mountains. Uniting, they furnished power to turn the wheels of Commerce. Result: Prosperity and Commercial Life, to which Uncle Sam points with pride.

PRICES OF EXPORT.

How the English Conspiracy Works in Actual Transactions.

Secretary of Agriculture Morton, in a recent statement, showed that the value of our exports in the last fiscal year was 85 million dollars less than in the preceding year, and 40 millions less than in the year 1892-93. This falling off was not in quantity. We really sent abroad more of our labor product, but we got less for it. As the secretary himself explained, we exported 834 million more pounds of cotton, but obtained for it six million less dollars.

If the average export price of cotton for the fiscal year 1894-5 had been the same as for the preceding year, the value of United States cotton exported would have reached $277,000,000 instead of $205,000,000. During the same period, had the price remained standard, our bacon would have brought $42,000,000 instead of $38,000,000, and our lard $43,000,000 instead of $37,000,000.

That is to say, on three articles of American export we lost 82 million dollars because the price had fallen. The harder the farmers work the less money they earn. The more American wealth the nation sends to other lands, the smaller the amount of debt it pays. Mr. Morton's remedy for this evil, growing more destructive year after year, is to apply "American inventive genius to farm management." But the sole explanation of the fall of prices offered by the secretary and his friends is that inventive genius has already made farms more productive. How much farther is it to go? Is a machine to be invented that will surpass the self-binding reaper as that surpassed the sickle? Is the fertility of the soil to be made two-fold greater? If so, how? It is easy to propose remedies; but no man who is capable of forming an opinion upon the subject can seriously believe that a remedy lies in that direction. There is but one remedy within reach; it is to stop the upward movement of gold by remonetizing silver.

What a lesson the foregoing contains! The goldites persistently claim that the free silver movement is altogether in the interest of a few silver miners. At the same time they argue strenuously that under free coinage silver would fall, lower even than it is now.

How the silver miner is to make anything by a still further decline in the value of his product is a point upon which they preserve a discreet silence.

But let that go. Here we have a report by Secretary Morton, in which he shows a clear loss of $82,000,000 on three staple products of American agriculture. This is more than the entire output of our silver mines would be worth if silver were at par.

Secretary Morton recognizes this shrinkage in values as an evil, because he suggests a remedy, as given above. Is not the secretary a little inconsistent? He says that the American republic should have money of the "greatest attainable unfluctuating purchasing power."

He is a goldite in the most extreme sense. There is not a shadow of doubt that he is in perfect accord with Cleveland's idea of retiring a large portion of our paper currency, which contraction necessarily means a still greater shrinkage in prices.

It does dawn upon him, though, in a hazy sort of a way, that when 834,000,000 pounds more of American cotton brings 6,000,000 fewer dollars, there is something not exactly right about it. Therefore he proposes a remedy. He wants to improve farm management. But how? Would he increase the crop, and thus increase the "overproduction" that the gold people say is the cause of all the trouble? Or would he have the farmers diversify their crops, and spread out the loss over a greater number of products? Or would he have them reduce their crops, thus throwing large numbers of farm hands out of employment? Or would he carry the improvement of farm machinery to a still higher point, and displace manual labor in that way?

But if falling prices are a good thing, and it has been the burden of the gold champions' song, that low prices are a blessing, why should the secretary concern himself about a trifling loss of $82,000,000 in a whole year on three staples?

That is all there is in this entire matter of falling prices. It means a smaller amount of money for the same quantity of products. When the tremendous fall in prices is urged as an argument in favor of restoring silver, the whole gold standard army shouts that low prices are a good thing because the "poor man can buy so much with a dollar." But whenever the matter comes under consideration in any other way, they recognize it as an evil, and begin to cast about for a remedy. There is not a grain of common honesty in their position.

The moment silver was demonetized and the business of Europe and America began to adjust itself to the gold basis, a decline of prices set in, followed by a general depression of industry in gold standard countries, that is recognized by every respectable authority in the world.

The gold advocate, incased in the armor of prejudice, or standing behind a barricade of selfish interest, shuts his eyes blindly to the simplest economic truths, insists that the gold standard is a perfect system, that it must necessarily be both wise and honest, because—well, because it is gold.

And so they look on with smiling countenance while the country struggles in the slough of industrial despond, telling the discouraged producer that there is no trouble with gold—that is unchangeable; the trouble is with him. That he is not intelligent enough. That he must improve his methods—he must produce more, or he must produce less—he must do something, but he must not touch their idol of gold.

LIES NEVER WIN,

The Stock in Trade of the Benedict Arnolds Never Gives Out.

The esteemed Memphis Commercial Appeal says that Judge Aldredge, in his address before the national bankers, admitted that silver had stood the test, as a money metal, for hundreds of years. Oh, yes; and mere barter also stood the test for a thousand generations, as the one means of exchange. Copper and tin served for a thousand years the money purposes of the more advanced nations. So the world got on without railroads, telegraphs, telephones, ocean liners, and the rest of the nineteenth century improvements. —Chattanooga Times.

The trouble with this sort of talk is that it has no meaning, no relevancy, no applicability to the fact. As Judge Aldredge confessed, silver had stood the test for hundreds of years up to 1873. Those were not years of primitive barter, and there were railroads and telegraphs and steamboats and nearly all the great "nineteenth century improvements" before 1873. There has been no advance in improved processes of production and distribution since 1873 at all comparable to those that preceded that year. In what respect had silver failed to stand the test when it was demonetized? Had it affected injuriously the prosperity of the people? Had it delayed the progress of improvement and civilization? Have we had greater and more general prosperity since 1873 than we had before? If silver had not interfered with the world's progress and prosperity at the time it was demonetized, it had been vindicated by the test of centuries. If the gold standard has not made the people more prosperous, then it has not stood the test. Here is the truth of it in a nutshell: The condition that prevailed up to the very year of silver demonetization was a condition of great prosperity; the condition that has since prevailed has been one of almost universal depression. How does the test of centuries compare with the test of twenty-two years?—Memphis Appeal.

A Patriotic Banker.

A business college principal asked J. F. Draughton, president of the Lafayette County bank, Lexington, Mo., if he could use one of his students. Mr. Draughton replied:

"The tory policy of bankers of New York in demonetizing constitutional money and running the finances of the country to suit the English has struck the business of this part of the country such a blow that we do not need any help of the kind you speak of, as per your card of this date. We hope, however, that the patriotism of Americans will soon cure the main evil and that the new life thereby given to business will make it profitable to employ such person as you mention."

The Goldbug.

A Cornell professor says newspapers as well as colleges should be endowed. The goldbugs have already "endowed" a good many that would teach their kind of political economy.

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One of the ablest and most brilliant lawyers at the York county (Me.) bar was John Holmes of Alfred, who was widely known for his wit and sarcasm. An opportunity was seldom lost by him of exhibiting his opponent in a ridiculous position. An instance of this kind occurred while a member of the senate of the United States, in the discussion on nullification, Mr. Tyler of Virginia, afterward president, alluded to a satirical remark of John Randolph, in which that gentleman had some time before designated certain active politicians as partners under the firm name of "James Madison, Felix Grundy, John Holmes and the devil," and asked Mr. Holmes, with the view of making a severe cut, what had become of that celebrated firm. Mr. Holmes immediately sprang to his feet and said, "Mr. President, I will tell the gentleman what has become of that firm; the first member is dead, and the second has gone into retirement, and the last has gone to the nullifiers and is now electioneering among the gentleman's constituents, and thus the partnership is legally dissolved."—Green Bag.

Rule Regarding Restaurant Checks.

Said a man at Hashton's restaurant the other day to the ladylike, benignant and greatly aproned young woman who had waited on him efficiently, though somewhat tempestuously: "I see you have laid down my check on the table with the figures up. Generally you favor me by putting it face down, so that the great public is not admitted to the secret of my expenditure for my luncheon. Do you mind telling me why you vary your usual practice today?" "Oh, not at all," said the waitress. "It's this way; when the checks are under 50 cents, I turn 'em face down, but when they're over 50 cents I turn the figures up." "Oh, ho!" said the man. "You assume that when a man has spent half a dollar or more for his luncheon he likes to have as many people know it as possible?" The young lady smiled blandly and went off with some dishes. She unfolded no more of her philosophy, but no doubt she thinks she has "sized up" the weaknesses of the average patron of the great average restaurant with some tact, and very likely she has.—Boston Transcript.

How Schweninger Trained Bismarck.

The third volume of Von Paschinger's work on Prince Bismarck contains several hitherto unpublished anecdotes. One of these relates how Dr. Schweninger became the chancellor's private physician and subjugated the great man to his will. Dr. Schweninger, who was indebted to Herr Doetze, a deputy, for his introduction to Bismarck's household, recognized the strong temperament with which he had to deal and resolved to assume the whiphand at the very outset. Three days after his advent the chancellor fell ill. The doctor forbade him to partake of a certain dish of which he was particularly foud. Bismarck rebelled and had it placed before him notwithstanding. Hearing of what had been done, Dr. Schweninger entered the room, took the dish forcibly from the patient's hands and flung it out of the open window. The man of iron perceived that he had met his match and was ever afterward the most docile of patients under Dr. Schweninger's hands.—Westminster Gazette.

A Holiday In Bed.

Two hospital nurses adopted a novel method of spending a fortnight's holiday. They hired a cottage in the country and an old woman to attend on them. From the moment they entered the door until the time for departure came they were never seen, and the villagers naturally concluded that there was some mystery connected with them. Some even thought of consulting the police on the subject. On their way back to the railway station they called on the vicar to give him a trifle for his charities and explained the secret. They were nurses and had spent their whole time in bed. Accustomed to sleep in such snatches as they could get, their notion of a holiday was a period of long and undisturbed repose.—London Standard.

Agony Easy to Bear.

Husband—Now, my darling, be sure to write to me the moment you arrive at your sister's, telling me all about your journey and exactly how you felt after the wearying ride. I shall be in an agony of suspense until I hear that you have arrived safely and in good health.

Wife—Oh, I won't wait to write. I'll send you a nice, long telegram.

Husband—Um! That is very thoughtful, my angel, but—er—these telegraph companies are very unreliable. Put your telegram in an envelope and mail it to me, and then I'll be sure to get it. Here's a 2 cent stamp.—New York Weekly.

Snobbishness In Dogs.

A dog fancier once took exception to Professor Huxley's assertion that "one of the most curious peculiarities of the dog mind was its inherent snobbishness, shown by the regard paid to external respectability. The dog who barks furiously at a beggar will let a well dressed man pass him without opposition." He said that, in fact, only dogs of well dressed persons act so. Dogs accustomed to men in rags bark, not at beggars, but at persons clothed in sleek broadcloth.

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A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 40	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 02	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 04
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 58
7 50	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 10	6 20
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 35	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 13	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 28
12 M	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	4 21
12 30	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50	Red	9 10	3 39
00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 40
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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The governor of Virginia has become a convert to "sound money." He is reported as saying:

"I am for a sound dollar, and what I mean by a sound dollar is one that will pass for 100 cents and be as good as any other dollar, anywhere within the limits of the civilized world. Gold is that dollar now. Silver may also be if kept on a parity with gold. But this can only be done by international agreement. What I mean by a sound dollar is one that the farmer, the mechanic and the laboring man can use with a purchasing power of 100 cents and buy as much with it as any other dollar. What I mean by a sound dollar is one that its holder may lay away to buy a home, save for a rainy day or provide for himself in old age with absolute certainty that it will be as good as any other dollar when he wants to use it. Gold is that dollar. Silver cannot be unless by international agreement it is made equivalent to a gold dollar.

"I am for a sound dollar for the poor man as well as for the rich man. I shall never consent to a monetary system which will place it in the power of the rich man to hoard his gold and pay his poor creditor in a depreciated dollar."

So the governor really wants a "sound dollar"—one that is worth 100 cents anywhere in the civilized world. Well, that is good enough as far as it goes. It is eminently proper that a dollar should be worth 100 cents. That is "a dollar" should be worth a "dollar." We are quite agreed with the governor on that point. But it scarcely reaches the essence of the question. The chief use of a dollar is not to exchange it for "100 cents," or some other kind of a dollar—it is to purchase commodities and pay debts.

How much purchasing power does the governor think a "sound dollar" should have? How much wheat or cotton or corn or tobacco should it buy in order to make it "sound"? He says it should buy as much as "any other dollar." Well, suppose a particular kind of dollars became so scarce that one of them will buy say, five bushels of wheat—does the governor think that a dollar which will buy less than five bushels is an "unsound" dollar? Does he think that if one dollar, call it the gold dollar if you please, doubles in purchasing power, while another dollar continues to purchase the same quantity as before, the one which doubles is "sound," while the one which remains the same, is "unsound"?

He wants one that a man can lay away for the future, and be as "good as any other dollar" when he wants to use it. But why as good as any other dollar? If it be as good as it was when laid away is not that enough? If not, pray tell us why not. If there is any reason why a dollar laid idly away for future use should double in purchasing power in the course of a few years, we would really like to know what the reason is. The governor would probably answer: If some other dollar has doubled in purchasing power, the one laid away should do the same because one dollar should be as good as any other dollar. This, however, is not only reasoning in a circle, but it involves the moral obliquity of assuming that "two wrongs make a right."

The germ of this whole question lies in the fact that within the last twenty-two years, "dollars" have nearly doubled in purchasing power, thus enriching the ones who own or control the dollars, and injuring those who produce the commodities, and those who are in debt.

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True, some of them seemed to have no qualms of conscience when they pocketed their $10,000,000 profit on the bond deal, but that was different. They were plucking the treasury goose at that time, and of course it didn't hurt the people any.

But when it comes to the "poor creditor" that is another thing. The banker wouldn't hurt him for the world.

We are afraid that the governor of the old dominion has been sitting at the feet of Cleveland. It has been said that the "gold cure" has a tendency to weaken the intellects of those who take it, and the recent course of this discussion seems to confirm the statement.

Should Do Something.

Senator Vest wants the republicans to control the senate. "The republicans must do something or stop their howling about democratic incompetency," he says.—Ex.

Americans Must Blush.

Secretary Carlisle, Saturday, issued a circular appealing to the banks and private individuals to furnish gold to replenish the gold reserve fund. The government will pay the express charges both ways and return government notes. The subtreasury will immediately weigh such coin and deduct 4 cents for each troy grain of shortage. This is only the second time in American history that any such appeal had to be made and such measures taken.—American Bimetallist, Huntington, Ind.

Every Man Must Think.

For thirty years the average voter has taken no thought of government principles. Party spirit has engaged all his attention, while principles have been ignored. What are you doing now to make sure you are able to vote for liberty, home and your family's prosperity? The people must do their own thinking and voting, or good-bye to liberty in America.—Shoals (Ind.) Referendum.

A Story In a Few Words.

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Tom—Barely made enough to pay the rent.

John—What rent did you pay?

Tom—I was paying $5 per acre.

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Tom—No, I am going to buy a farm for the price that I have paid yearly for rent.

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In 1896 like attention will be given to every notable happening. The chief events in art, literature, and music and the drama will be artistically presented. W. D. Howells, in the new department, Life and Letters, will discuss in his interesting way books and the social questions of the time. E. S. Martin's sprightly gossip of the Busy World will be continued. The progress of the Transportation Commission around the World will be followed and Caspar W. Whitney will conduct the department of Amateur Sport.

In 1896 will occur a Presidential election. In its editorials and through its political cartoons the WEEKLY will continue to be an independent advocate of good government and sound money.

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Prof. Woodrow Wilson will contribute six papers on George Washington and his times, with illustrations by Howard Pyle. Poultney Bigelow's history of The German Struggle for Liberty, illustrated by H. Caton Woodville, will be continued through the winter. Two papers on St. Clair's defeat and Mad Anthony Wayne's victory, by Theodore Roosevelt, with graphic illustrations will be printed during the year.

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From the Lakeside Monitor, Au Sable, Mich.

The publisher of this paper having some business to transact at Prescott, Ogemaw Co., Michigan, Monday last, repaired to that hamlet. While there he chanced to learn of a remarkable recovery from an illness of thirty-four years standing, the fortunate person being Thomas F. Galvin. The writer hunted that gentleman up, introduced himself, and requested Mr. Galvin to give a brief history of his terrible disease and some history of himself. Mr. Galvin's trouble culminated three or four years since in three diseases—Rheumatism, affecting the general system; locomotor ataxia, affecting the legs, rendering him unable to direct his course in walking, and paralysis, rendering him unable to use lips, throat or palate.

In giving a history of his trouble, Mr. Galvin said:

"In 1861 I enlisted in the army and was made captain of Co. H., 40th Illinois Infantry. I was stationed at Paducah, Ky.; in September of that year and while there caught cold and contracted rheumatism. I was in the hospital there three months; when I recovered sufficiently to report for duty although far from well. Previous to this time I had never been sick a day in my life and weighed 195 pounds. I continued in the service during the war, although suffering all the time from rheumatism. At the close of the war, I was discharged and a few months afterwards granted a pension of $9 per month for my disabilities. I was never free from pain for thirty-three long years until late last fall or early in the winter. I continued to grow worse all the time during the entire period until last November. I was then in a pitiable condition. I had been stricken with paralysis and locomotor ataxia in addition to my rheumatism. For three years I was helpless. I could not talk because of paralysis, I could not walk because of the locomotor ataxia, and my hands, arms and legs were all out of shape, withered and drawn, from rheumatism. You see my knees now. Just as limber as yours. Last summer I could not move my knees, nor could I get them together within six inches. You see my fingers, straight and nearly recovered from their stiffness. At that time, if I attempted to walk I was liable to go backwards or sideways or fall down as I was to go forwards, because of the lack of power of locomotion. I prayed for years to die and be relieved of my sufferings.

"Had it not been that our Government saw fit to increase my pension from $9 to $17 per month and pay me $3,140 back pension, I should have suffered for the necessities of life.

"Before this time I had treated with the best medical men of Detroit, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Chicago and several other northern cities, but as I said, grew gradually worse until I would not have given $1 for my chances of life last November, and, in fact, would rather have been dead than alive. I only weighed 132 pounds. You see me to-day. I weigh 175 and am free from pain entirely, am slowly but surely gaining strength. You see I get up stairs all right, and I come up these stairs a dozen times a day now. You would not discover that I was ever unable to speak. I shall go to work with my tools as a carpenter soon, so as to help me increase in strength. I was so long unable to take a step that I do not feel hardly safe on 'my pins' yet, although I have not fallen down in several months. I am learning the use of my legs, hands, arms and tongue again. I guess you will think I have recovered the use of the latter if I keep on, but I want to practice up again and make up for lost time and tell every one of my now happy lot.

"I want to say now that for ten years previous to last November, I had been able to perform but little labor, and was totally disabled for nearly three years. I was in an awful shape. Mr. Anthony Stone's family here, with whom I boarded, will tell you they did not expect to find me alive in the morning when they came to wake me, for over two years. But here I am yet, and can walk six or seven miles any pleasant day without discomfort. My appetite is good and I enjoy sleep. If I was taken as bad as ever again to-morrow, I have enjoyed life so well for seven months, that it has a thousand times paid me for the trouble and expense I have been to get relief.

"You ask me how I got relief? Well I had not forgotten that part of it by a good deal. But I am so happy when thinking or talking about my recovery, that I can not go in everything at once. No one but myself can appreciate my condition before last November, and now I want to say to any one who may be affected with either rheumatism, locomotor ataxia or paralysis, that if they will write me, I will make affidavit as to the facts that I have stated and to what I owe my recovery.

"As I stated, last November I was at my worst, could neither eat, sleep, walk, talk, or use my hands or feet in any way. I read in some newspaper of some one who had been similarly affected as I was. This person had sought cure everywhere for years and given up to die, when he commenced taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and was cured. I did not have any faith in them, but was prevailed upon to buy a half dozen boxes for $2.50. I commenced taking them the first of November, and in thirty days by following directions closely, I could see a marked improvement in my condition.

"Well, I kept right on following instructions to the letter. I bought another half dozen boxes and then a third, of which I have left nearly two boxes. It has cost me $7.50 and I am going to make it an even $10 before I stop. Not that I fear that I am not cured for I never felt better every way in my life. But I don't propose to take any chances of quitting too soon.

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ANDERSONVILLE PRISON.

Written by an Old Tecumseh Boy on the Cite of the Famous Pen.

Circumstances being such, Nov. 7, 1895, that I was in Americus, 12 miles south of Andersonville, Georgia, where the famous federal stockade was located, and as to resist a visit there was impossible I decided to visit the place where there was so much suffering by prisoners taken by the confederate army during the war. I had my choice how to go there: drive there, or take the train and get off at 2 p. m. and next morning retake the train at 5:30. I took the former though wished I had taken the latter, as it would have given me more time, but the former gave me a better view of the country which the men ran over in there efforts to escape the living hell. I first drove up to the now main gate of the National Cemetery and after registering my name on the visitor's book, started out with an old darkey, who was born within six miles of Andersonville, and was about the stockade while a prison. We went down the old road to the stockade coming first to the northwest corner, then going down the west line till we arrived at the first old well that the men dug, first, with the idea of getting water, then to protect them from the weather. Farther down we came to Providence Spring, which still sends out beautiful sweet water, and over it stands the old stump, from whose roots the water came, the top of which is still as smooth as glass, worn so by the men as they used to sit on it, waiting for their chance to get water, or perhaps too weak to dip it themselves, and waiting to be helped. I took some gravel stones from the spring. The history of the spring is: that the confederate camp was up the creek from the stockade, and all the filth from their camp ran into the creek, and the prisoners had to use the most filthy water and am told they took extra pains to throw stuff into the creek. It is further told that a few soldiers were down to the creek for water, pure water they craved for, and as usual not being able to get it from the creek or from their wells, knelt down by this stump and prayed God to send them water like he did the children of Isreal, and to their surprise and that of the stockade, a spring broke out suddenly, sufficiently large to supply the prison and her thousands of victims just outside the famous dead line. After taking another drink and a last look, we pass on a few feet further and cross the creek and on up to the cite of the main gate, where poor fellows gathered day after day, praying that the news bad come for an exchange and releasing them from this hell.

Passing on we soon came to the southwest corner and after looking at the old fortifications, we went on to the southeast corner, near which is the cite of the old gate to what was called the hospital, and where the dead were brought up. We pass along on the east side, following the line of stockade, coming back to the creek, and from a still standing stockade stick out a piece off. This is where, during the flood, some got away while others stole the timbers for firewood all of which you have read or heard of. Crossing the creek again, I went inside and near the old dead line I cut a cane. Along the creek it has grown up to underbrush, but further up they are raising cotton. Still further on, we came to the northeast corner, near which is the famous well and where the famous tunnel was started, and came so near being successful. I could hardly imagine how these men could have the courage to have driven in this tunnel, and I could imagine how desperate they must have been, to have taken such chances. I did not measure the distance, but it must have been at least 300 feet to the outside. As you remember, they were not successful, yet they came near being so. Some one probably gave the attempt away to gain a personal favor for themselves.

Along the north end I cut some more original stockade sticks. Then coming to the cite of the cemetery road gate, I passed along to the southwest corner, the place of starting and walking upon the old breastworks, I looked down and viewed the field and saw how nicely it was selected for the purpose. It was about one-half mile long and one-fourth mile wide. Each end was elevated so standing on either corner or on any sentry box, any part of the field could be in perfect view. At each corner were works thrown up in case of attack from the outside; at the same time the cannon could be trained across the ground. I should mention that the center of the ground which the creek runs through and by drawing enclosed, you will know the situation fully; and if you don't understand fully, Al Lawrence will soon get his bearing, and will readily understand my drawings, and explain to you and your friends.

I now pass back up the old road some half mile to the place where they buried them, and as I walked up the slight elevation, I imagined I was following an old cannon truck with a couple dozen men piled on it like cordwood, being taken to their last resting place, and it was with a feeling of sadness I did so. And I could imagine that I could hear the yelps of the blood hounds as they were in pursuit of some poor fellows trying to make their escape, and in the distance I heard the report of a gun fired by some darkey, at a squirrel, but I could feel it was a shot that put an end to a federal prisoner unfortunate enough to have fallen into demon's hands. After reaching the brick wall surrounding the National Cemetery we climbed over and came to the graves, now having nice little white headstones of marble, which are numbered commencing with No. 1, giving the name, regiment and company. The graves run north and south, commencing south and going north. Al will explain, if you do not understand my explanations. I looked at graves until I came to the graves of the six buried apart from the rest, who were hung by the prisoners themselves for looting fellow prisoners.

After looking around a while, I got into our carriage and drove back to the town that only a few people now live in and the old buildings look dilapitated, I tell you. I walked down the old trail leading to the stockade and after going into a couple of old buildings, for want of further time I started back to Americus. As I looked at the country, which is now much worn, with only a few negroes making a poor living, it does seem as if God sent his curse on this country about the stockade, for it is a desolate looking country as to prosperity, but to look upon is as delightful a country as one could imagine, and as prisoners were going on the train they must have laughed and cracked jokes, little thinking of the fate that awaited them. 13,352 now lay buried there, beside hundreds who died on the way home or soon after arriving home. As an old confederate officer at Savannah said to me once, "The curse of God rested on the south for the treatment of fellow beings at Andersonville prison stockade."

The south talk of the war freely, say they were whipped and love the stars and stripes, and are willing to meet old G. A. R. men and talk over the different battles. But I have found by experience that to mention the name of Andersonville prison stockade will bring a scowl, then hot words. They will say the first thing, that men were not treated any worse in Andersonville than the federals treated the southern men in northern prisons. I offer $5.00 for an official report. Then when they ask for mine I point to the cemetery and say, "There it is—13,352 starved to death." Then they say, "The men had the same as the south had who were guards there," and I show them that less than 300 confederate soldiers died there, and point to the burial of them in Americus for official facts. The fact is, they have no argument. Then they get mad. The fact is, the south is very much ashamed of this part of the war, and would wipe it out of existence if it were possible for them to do so but as it is, it is a living monument of their heartlessness as men.

A few days after my visit to the stockade I was talking to a G. A. R. man opposite me at the table, at Fort Valley 40 miles north of Andersonville, and I said it was an awful thing etc., when a man said that I had no business to talk of such things. But I informed him that I thought I was in a free country and could talk of what I liked, especially, when I was not addressing my remarks to him; he said, he spent 2 years in a northern prison on Lake Erie. That he would have starved if he had not worked and earned money to buy food with. I told him the fact that he was still alive spoke well as to his treatment, and that if the men at Andersonville had had the same opportunity the death roll would have been some 13,000 less, and probably, 3,000 less, had even axes been given them and an opportunity to have cut trees and build them a little shelter, at least. He went into an awful rage. I mention this as only a sample of several similar cases, but when they tell me the North were just as bad to prisoners as at this stockade, I offer to pay for an official report, as everything now is a matter of record, I point them to official reports and ask them to do the same, that makes a hard argument to buck against. However, I have met plenty of men, who were well posted on Andersonville matters, and talk sensibly about it. That while the south were hard up, yet there was no excuse for the treatment shey gave human beings at this place. I want to visit this place again at some time if possible, till then say farewell to Andersonville prison stockade and the memories of miseries there enacted between 1863 to 1865 by the confederate army officers and government. J. M. H.

The recently forfeited land of the Sioux City & St. Paul railroad in northwest Iowa will be thrown open to settlers.

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

The wild Boer is hunting Englishmen in South Africa, and that is what John Bull does not like.—Jackson Patriot.

Miss Etta Augustus, aged 34, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Augustus, of Macon, was last week adjudged insane by Judge Robbins and ordered committed to the Kalamazoo asylum.

The U. S. fish hatchery at Northville is forwarding a consignment of fish eggs to Japan. If our farmers could only get the receipt of their egg food so this country could export hen's eggs at this season, the question of the treasury deficit would soon be solved.

The committee on clerk's accounts of the board of supervisors reported last week that it had carefully examined the books and vouchers in the clerk's office and found them correct and kept in a creditable manner. The committee on sheriff's accounts found that officer entitled to $1,051.03.

The burgular proof steel chest in the Bank of Fayette (O.) was a very nice air tight chest, but it wasn't burgular proof. It easily succumbed to dynamite and about $9,000 worth of plunder was secured, covered by $4,000 insurance. It was evidently the work of experts, who have thus far eluded capture.

The amusement goers at Manchester all got out in the cold the other night to see and hear the Boston Concert company. The management of the hall wanted his pay in advance, the bean eater wouldn't agree to that, and the Manchestervillians had to return home without hearing an agreppio agreppioed.

Toledo Blade, 10: Work on the C., J. & M. Jackson extension has been delayed some by the cold weather; still the line will be open by the 1st of March. Two miles of track have been laid out of Addison. The road is being graded all the way from Addison to Jackson, and when the track laying machines start again they will make short work of it.

The army of Weary Willies will find a soft snap if they can only travel as far as the benevolent municipality of Ypsilanti. A poor fund is to be raised and left with the Michigan Central's policeman at the depot and anybody who is really trying to find a long lost brother or a cast off father will be furnished with sufficient cash to help him on his way rejoicing.

It is understood a station will be established on the Cincinnati & Jackson railroad four miles from the depot in Jackson, about half a mile east of the John R. Moffet schoolhouse and on or near the northwest corner of Allen D. Lyon's farm, in the town of Summit. Alonzo Bennett's farm is half a mile east of the proposed station and Mr. Bennett will donate $200 towards building a station house.

Under the caption "Good Lord, Bad Devil," the Ann Arbor Argus very nicely comes back at the Evening News as follows:

It seems that the University, like the Lord, loveth a cheerful giver, and that its only thought in losing Regent Hackley is in this connection.—Detroit Evening News.

And the Detroit Evening News, like the devil, appears to love an infernal liar, at least it always seems to hire one to write on university matters.

List of patents granted Michigan inventors: E. Austin, Detroit, oil separator; C. Baar, Grand Rapids, grooving saw; J. H. Bacon, Detroit, sectional boiler; W. L. Bedford, Humbolt, wrench; C. F. Crippen, Ypsilanti, bean picker and cleaner; S. A. Griggs, Detroit, movable support for expansion flues; C. H. Leonard, Grand Rapids, portable house; F. A. Ouvrard, Detroit, school-slate; F. J. Roberts, Detroit, journal box guard.

Manchester is somewhat disappointed over the decision of the Lake Shore officials not to favor that town with a new depot. The town needs a new depot bad enough. The trouble is, however, that the corporation is situated so near the bottomless pit that the workmen have been dumping 100 car loads of good dirt per day into a sink hole on the Lake Shore near the town for the last four weeks with no result. No money left for depots in that locality.

The Northern Pacific Railroad land departme t's World's Fair product car will be at Hudson on Friday, Jan. 17. The display in this car is highly interesting and instructive and is open to the public for inspection free of charge. It contains a comprehensive collection of the fauna and flora, cereal, fruit, mineral and vegetable products of the states traversed by the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad, comprising Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon. There are also samples of wood, wool, building stone, coal, and in fact specimens of all industrial products to be obtained along our line. Admission free.

Armour & Co. have commenced operations for the erection of the largest icing plant in the country at Air Line Junction. It will have a capacity of 16,000 tons; is 470 feet long by 75 feet wide. It will have a loading platform 3,600 feet long and the latest machinery for handling and crushing ice. A train of Armour cars can be iced while engines are being changed and cars inspected.

Gen. Fred B. Wood, of Richmond, Va., sah, is wearing out his right arm shaking hands with his hundreds of friends here. The general is brought back to the cold, but fondly-remembered north by business in Toledo, from which city he arrived last night to become the guest of Major Howell. Fred is still raising corn, celery and other products which are good for the nerves, and the only effect earning an honest living seems to have on him is a slight falling off in flesh and a feeling of pity for his former unregenerate associates of the bar. Mrs. Wood's health has been completely restored under the salubrious influences of the south, and Fred says he may never come back to this part of the country—but he says it as though he didn't just believe himself. Gen. Wood will go to Tecumseh tomorrow, and leave for home on Monday.—Adrian Times.

Manchester comes to the front, Mary Ann, with the best story of the year, says the Ann Arbor Argus. The lady maccabees were organized into a hive of busy bees one night recently. The side saddle goat was brought from its stamping ground in the village hall loft, and some twenty ladies tried to stick on during its amusing gyrations. It is said they were dressed on the plan of the new woman, and that the initiation was a great success—not a success necessarily as a consequence, for it would have been a success anyway. Soon after the night of the initiation, Mrs. X's hired girl told Mrs. Z's hired girl all about the wohderful things that occurred a few nights previous, when the "Mackerbees had their nishiashun." A few days and the whole village was posted in the secrets of the order, and the dry goods clerks were giving trade the grip of the lodge and the small boys were standing on their heads with their fingers in their vest pockets to show passers-by that they were posted in the secret signs of the order. The investigation that followed disclosed the fact that one of the newly made members of the hive thought the initiation was such a novel performance that she had gone through the whole show for her hired girl. The hired girl hadn't been backward in disseminating the good news, and before nightfall the whole ceremony was known the length and breadth of the village. "Dede" Aitken and "Your Uncle Samuel" Boynton are said to be busily engaged in perfecting a new initiatory program for the hives of the future.

The following is taken from the crop report issued by the Secretary of State Jan. 10: "December was a cold, wet month. The mean temperature for the state was 1.1 degrees below, in the southern counties 1.0 degree below, and in the central counties, 1.9 degrees below the normal. In the northern counties it was 1.0, and in the upper peninsula 0.1 degrees above the normal. The average precipitation for the month in the state was 4.89 inches, an excess of 2.68 inches compared with the normal. The precipitation in the southern counties was 5.76 inches, an excess of 3.60, and in the central counties it was 4:38 inches, an excess of 2:16. There was a slight deficiency in the northern counties and an excess of 0.81 inches in the upper peninsula. Milch cows were worth $36.45 per head. Cattle other than milch cows, under one year old were worth, per head, $7.03; between one and two years old, $12.44; between two and three years, $19.16, and three years old and over, $35.70. The average price of sheep under one year old was $1.52, and one year old and over $1.91; and hogs under one year old were worth $3.92, and one year old and over, $7.48. The prices here given are for the state. For each class of horses, sheep and hogs they are higher, and for milch cows and each class of cattle other than milch cows, lower, than the prices ruling in the southern four tiers of counties. Compared with January 1, 1895, there has been a decline in the prices of all farm products named in this report excepting wheat, hay, sheep and cattle. Wheat averages 9 cents a bushel, and hay $5.17 a ton more now than one year ago. Sheep under one year old have advanced 20 cents, and those one year old and over, 27 cents per head, and the several classes of cattle have advanced from 9 to 26 cents per head. The loss on corn is 14 cents, and on oats 11 cents per bushel. The decline in fat cattle is 11 cents, fat hogs, 77 cents, and dressed pork, 72 cents per cwt."

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 17, 1896.

Have you been to the revival meetings?

R. R. Mills visited the county seat Monday.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle was in Manchester Monday.

Geo. A. Kies left Monday for another business trip.

Will P. Hamilton was over from Detroit Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. White visited Tecumseh Monday.

Mrs. Irve Hause has again taken a loom in the mill.

Lawyer J. C. Winnie, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife called on Manchester friends Tuesday.

Monroe Perrin, of Jackson, was calling on Clinton friends Monday.

F. D. Lancaster took an inventory of his stock the first of the week.

John Rice, a stone cutter, of Adrian, is now working for S. F. Marsteller.

Supervisor Lindsley returned home from the meeting of the board Saturday.

Sara Huntington came over from Adrian and spent Sunday with her people.

Mrs. Alma Tate was the guest of Tecumseh friends from Friday until Monday.

It is expected that they will soon begin on heavy weights at the woolen mill.

Miss Mabel Barnsdale visited Miss Lynne Daly at Tecumseh the last of the week.

George Van Geison visited friends at Albion and Jackson the first of the week.

A large number from Tecumseh attended the J. G. Woolley lecture Tuesday night.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark returned to Chicago Saturday, having recovered from her illness.

Mr. Foster, of Sherwood & Foster, made a business trip to the city the first of the week.

Gene Smalley is able to be around again and expects to resume his place in the mill Monday.

Sol Tate left Monday for Buffalo with four decks of hogs and sheep. They were fine ones.

Mrs. Friend McNeil, of Tecumseh, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Silvers, over Sunday.

A pleasant pedro party was given at the cosy home of S. Tate, northeast from town, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Carrie Woodward, of Hudson, is expected today, as she is to install the officers in the hive this evening.

Miss Taylor, who is visiting Mrs. J. L. Tuttle, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Bray, at Adrian, over Sunday.

Mrs. John Sullivan and Mrs. James Kehoe left for Toledo Monday to see a sister who had the misfortune to break a limb.

Orrin Austin and wife, of Azalia, have become residents of Clinton and occupy rooms in the Sturm block on Jackson street.

D. R. Bainbridge ran over to Adrian, Tuesday, on business. He did not go on foot, but on the train, as he is still quite lame.

Serville Hendershot, of Norwalk, O., joined his wife and daughter a few days since and with them is visiting relatives around here.

Miss Louise Kirchgessner and Miss Frances Heidenreich, of Manchester, came down to sing at the funeral of Mrs. Brodwick, Monday.

Arthur Keeny and bride are making their farewell visits with friends before leaving for Norvell, where they expect to make their home.

Dr. Geo. Blatchford and family are once more residents here. They live in one of Fuller's houses and the Dr. has his office over the printing office.

The ladies of the Episcopal society held a meeting Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers to consider church work for the coming year.

Clarence Mills returned from the west, Monday night. He came direct from Mt. Summit, Ind., where he visited his Grandmother Brooks and Aunt Lizzie Ice.

Mr. Bell, who is singing at the special meetings, has sung the gospel both in the old world and the new. He has a magnificent voice, under perfect control.

Ned Newcomb and wife, who has been spending several days among their Clinton friends, returned to their home in Brooklyn Tuesday night after the lecture.

The scholars in Miss Stancliff's room gathered together at the home of Mrs. Ella Rose, Monday evening, and passed the hours very pleasantly. They were a jolly company.

Mrs. E. D. Fenn returned to Seneca Falls, N. Y., Wednesday to assist in caring for her sister, Mrs. James Sherman, who is almost helpless from a paralytic stroke.

Mr. Stevenson, the evangelist, is an Irishman, and, like all his countrymen, is eloquent and witty. He has preached the gospel with much success, both in Europe and America.

Father Heidenreich was called Tuesday morning to administer religious rites in the case of old Mrs. Kehoe, who is very low. Being aged, little hopes for her recovery are entertained.

A few of our citizens attended the Ingersol lecture at Adrian, Saturday last, and are free to acknowledge that they were greatly disappointed, it being far below their expectations every way.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, in honor of Mrs. J.'s brother, C. A. Grinnell, and wife, of Detroit, who were visiting them, entertained a company of friends in a delightful manner.

The village council, at their session Monday night, passed ordinances prohibiting snowballing on the streets and riding bicycles on the sidewalks. This meets the approval of our citizens generally.

Rev. J. Heritage filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and assisted in the union services at the Congregational church in the evening. It seemed good to have him among us once more.

Elmer Carney was called to Dundee Friday by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Fred Mills. He returned home Saturday night, a change for the better having occurred. It is now thought she will recover.

About Feb. 1st it is expected they will have a boy choir at St. John's Episcopal church, preparations for which have been and are being made. They have frequent drills and are making fine progress, the voices developing rapidly.

The funeral of Mrs. Brodwick, of Macon, mother of Mrs. Oscar Palmer, of Tecumseh, was held at St. Dominic's Catholic church, Monday morning, Rev. Fr. Heidenreich celebrating mass for the dead. She was well known to the older members of the congregation.

The ladies' reading circle, which is composed almost exclusively of married ladies, met at Mrs. Gordon R. Wolfe's Monday evening. The husbands of these ladies have formed a duplicate whist club, which hold their meetings at the club rooms the same evenings the reading circle meets.

This evening occurs the installation of the officers in both the tent and hive of the Maccabees at their spacious hall to which the members have invited their friends outside the order. Some of the high state officials are expected to be present and the preparations made are complete. No doubt the occasion will be a memorable one in the history of these flourishing orders.

S. W. Demuth and Fred Clark were busy Monday making a lot of bobbers, and Tuesday they caught a lot of minnows, preparatory to a grand fish through the ice. We have not learned what success they had but feel sure they made a fine haul as Sol and Fred are both artists in that line, and the fish just can't help taking the hook for them, they are so fascinating.

The case of T. R. Kyle vs. H. W. Stevens, over some butcher's tools, which was tried Nov. 25 before Justice E. R. Smith and resulted in favor of the defendant, was taken to the circuit court and came off Friday and Saturday last and resulted in the plaintiff's recovering judgment. W. C. Burridge and G. R. Gillespie appeared for plaintiff and J. W. Wightman for defendant.

The following services will be held in Clinton next Sunday, conducted by the evangelists: 9.45, prayer meeting; 10:30, preaching; 12:00, union Sunday school; 5:45, union young people's meeting; 7:00, preaching. Meetings will be held each day during the week, at 2:30 and 7:30. A hearty invitation is extended to all to be present, especially to those who are not regular attendants at the house of God.

At Lancasaer's clothing store there recently was a transformation scene enacted that was marvelous, a regular "presto change and begone." Saturday night, at the close of business, the beautiful holiday trim, which was so much admired by all, still adorned the windows. Monday morning the windows were stripped of their beauty, not a vestige remaining. When and how this was done is a mystery, as all know Charlie's scruples regarding the Sabbath.

The Congregational church was completely filled with a cultured audience to hear the popular orator, J. G. Woolley, on Christian Citizenship. To say they were delighted is speaking within bounds. In addition to his eloquence, his lecture was replete with choice thoughts vividly expressed; his arguments clear, logical and unanswerable, and he won the hearts of all. It was one of the finest entertainments ever given here. Evangelist Stevenson and assistant, Bell, rendered a duett and solo in an artistic manner.

Gat. D. Ellis had rather an exciting experience Monday morning. He was driving his fine span of twin Aragon colts. He drove in front of Sturm's shop on Jackson street, and as he got out of the carriage to tie them, they started. He caught the off one by the bit, but soon saw he could not control them and was liable to be seriously hurt, so let them go, and they did so at a furious gait. In front of D. Woodward's residence is a large stone hitching post, which they endeavored to upset, but it stood firm, and the carriage, which struck it squarely, was a complete wreck. The colts ran into the Blakeman yard and were secured without any damage to either one.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 18th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard R. Robbins Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Pilsbeam, deceased

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Simon Gould and Daniel T. Hall, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein stated

It is Ordered, That Monday the 10th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate

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A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 13th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William D Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Clemens executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to said last will and testament and that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday the 10th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to Joseph Russell all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin, in the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five ( ) south of range three (3) east, containing of both parcels eighty (80) acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal annual instalments next ensuing the first day of September, 893 with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the County of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 9 of Mortgages, on page 781, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof or any instalment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thence for h, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 9-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon to accrue, costs of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described

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In 1896 like attention will be given to every notable happening. The chief events in art, literature, and music and the drama will be artistically presented. W. D. Howells, in the new department, Life and Letters, will discuss in his interesting way books and the social questions of the time. E. S. Martin's sprightly Essays of the Busy World will be continued. The progress of the Transportation Companies around the World will be followed and Caspar W. Whitney will consider the department of Amateur Sport.

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Prof. Woodrow Wilson will contribute six papers on George Washington and his times, with illustrations by Howard Pyle. Poultney Bigelow's history of The German Struggle for Liberty, illustrated by H. Caton Woodville, will be continued through the winter. Two papers on St. Clair's defeat and Mad Anthony Wayne's victory, by Theodore Roosevelt, with graphic illustrations will be printed during the year.

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SCRIPTURE READING.—Luke xi, 5-13; xviii, 1-17.

"Whatever is worth having is worth making for" is an old adage possessing considerable truth. There are many ways of asking. Behind all true petitioning lies a spirit of earnest desire and expectation, a true hope of acquiring. There must also be an appreciation of value of the thing sought. One must have the spirit of insistence. Realizing his need, he must be determined to succeed. "I will not let thee go until thou bless me" usually brings the blessing. Time is also an element of importance in all prayer. It takes time for preparation of heart in asking; it takes more time for preparation of life to receive. Time is needed for adjustments in the world around us in order to the answering of prayer. So we must persist as well as insist. He who knocks at the door and runs away may bring the housemaster to the door, but gets neither goods from his hand nor invitation to enter nor acquaintance. He loses his toll because of his inconstancy.

Throughout the year many children suggest to parents and friends gifts which they would like to receive at Christmas. If any one thing is particularly longed for, it is likely to be often in mind and frequently mentioned. In making presents most people try to find out what will most please the one to whom the gift is to be made. So it naturally happens that we often get what we most desire. How true this is in regard to God and his gifts to us! If any one wonders why he has never received any deep spiritual gift from God, it would be well for such a one to search his own heart and discover how much he has ever really desired heart purity or pardon or any like experience. Modern Pharisees are not much different from the ancient variety. A touch of the Pharisee spirit may often be detected in almost every heart and life if the owner will but search the underdepths of his nature by the light of the word and explore his own nature with the candle of the Lord.

Our Schools.

Much of temptation comes to our young men and young women when away from home and at school. College life may greatly aid or seriously hinder one in the development of right character. Nearly every chapter has some of its members in college or at one of our fitting schools. Let this week be specially devoted to prayer for them. They are to have higher intellectual advantages than can be given to the majority. They ought to make such use of these superior opportunities as to be fitted for grander service in the church of God and in the state. The most important thing is for them to become good men and women. Superior mental education, unless accompanied by corresponding spiritual culture, may prove a curse to themselves and society. They need to feel that the League and the church look to see them climb upward in soul life and come from their college course wiser and better and purer and more godly. Pray for the young people at school.

The Old Foundry.

A rude picture, a name and a memory; that is all! Yet so long as earnest piety endures among men the influence of that name and the associations it recalls shall be precious. The first preaching place opened by the Methodists, it was situated in Moorfields, near London. It had been used as a place for casting cannon and had long been in a dilapidated condition. John Wesley leased it from the government and preached his first sermon in it Nov. 11, 1739. It was repaired and formally opened the following year. Here the first Methodist society was organized, with 70 members. When fitted up, the building contained a dwelling house, bookroom, school, dispensary, chapel for morning worship at 5 o'clock and main chapel furnished with movable benches. Here Wesley lived for 40 years when in London and until he removed in 1779 to City Road chapel.

Anthem of Coming Day.

Above the dissonance of time
And discord of its angry words
I hear the everlasting chime,
The music of unjarring chords.
I bid it welcome, and my haste
To join it cannot brook delay.
O song of morning, come at last!
And ye who sing it, come away!

O song of light and dawn and bliss,
Sound over earth and fill the skies,
Nor ever, ever, ever cease
Thy soul entrancing melodies,
Glad song of this disburdened earth
Which holy voices then shall sing,
Praise for creation's second birth
And glory to creation's King!

—Bonar.

Self Government.

It is of great importance that our young people learn to govern themselves. To do this it is not enough to be outwardly correct in behavior in company, not enough to observe the conventional rules of society. One must know thoroughly what is true and right. This comes only from careful study of God's word. Then one must persistently bring thought and action and feeling into conformity with that standard of excellence. It is not enough to correct a wayward passion after mischief has been wrought. The undisciplined forces of mind and spirit and body must be trained into right ways, and the highest and most worthy aims must be followed till the crude and unformed powers take on strength and form and harden into permanence. Then rightdoing becomes easy because it is natural and the free expression of inner life.

Truth Needs No Crutches.

Truth is strong and sure footed. It needs no crutches. A lie is ever weak and needs another on either side to stay it up. But every added one is only added weakness and a burden for others to sustain till all fall into the pit together.

THE BIG CONSPIRACY.

BANKERS WANT TO CONTROL THE NATIONAL CURRENCY.

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Day by day the fact becomes clearer that in their pretended warfare upon silver and in favor of what they are pleased to call "sound money," the real purpose of the great banking interests of the country is to obtain complete control of the national currency. Not only do they wish to destroy silver, thus making gold scarce and dear, but they would go farther and issue all the paper currency of the country. That is, they want to do away with all government issues of paper, and substitute national bank notes.

The argument used is that as long as we have United States paper money in circulation, it is subject to redemption, and hence a large gold reserve is necessary. But if government paper is all withdrawn, then a gold reserve will no longer be needed.

Let us look at this matter for a moment. It is well known that in general there is very little United States currency presented for redemption except when gold is needed for export. The bimetallists say that the Government should not surrender gold for this purpose, but should redeem with silver, whenever necessary to protect the gold reserve.

That if Larzard Freres or the Ichelheimers or anyone else desires gold for export, they should get it from the banks, which have large sums in their vaults.

Instantly comes the answer that this would never do, because the banks would charge a commission, gold would go to a premium at once; and then comes a vague intimation of all sorts of dreadful things to befall our unhappy country the moment gold reaches a premium.

There are several things which carry our gold abroad. The principal factor is the annual interest charge on our foreign debt, amounting, it is estimated, to $200,000,000. Then there are the adverse trade balances, the expenditures of American tourists, and the dowries of American heiresses married to titled foreigners. All of these must continue to operate, whether our currency consists of one kind of paper or another.

Now suppose the greenbacks and all other forms of United States currency are retired; and the gold reserve is permitted to melt away. It becomes necessary to send $5,000,000 to Europe Where will it be obtained? From the banks, of course. If the banks would charge a commission now, they would do the same after the United States notes are withdrawn. The retirement of government paper would not make them any more liberal. So the only argument ever made in favor of substituting bank notes for government paper utterly fails.

There is, however, nothing in the point made to frequently about gold going to a premium, and the arguments of the gold men themselves prove it. They persistently claim that true bimetallism never existed in France, and in support of the claim it is alleged that from 1805 to 1850 gold was nearly always at a premium in that country. That is the banks charged a commission for making the exchange of gold for silver. For the sake of the discussion, concede this to be true.

Who ever heard of France being ruined by that premium? No one. So far from it she was the most prosperous country in all Europe. The commission was a matter which never affected the coins in circulation at all. It was merely a transaction between the banks and those who wanted gold for export. If the banks sought to charge more than the exporter could afford to pay, he simply did not pay it. Instead of gold, he sent something else—exchange, silver or commodities. And so it would be here.

The cry of a premium on gold is merely a "scare crow." The gold advocates would make people who never see a gold piece from one year's end to another, believe that the moment gold rises a cent or two above some other kind of money, the whole country will go to the dogs. Gold is already at a premium of 100 per cent measured in the products of the farm. The gold champion can see nothing wrong about that; but he is horrified at the thought of a gold dollar being worth a cent or two cents more than some other kind of a dollar. But the point to which the reader's mind is here sought to be especially directed is that the substitution of bank notes for United States notes would do no good. It would certainly add nothing to the output of our gold mines. It would not stop gold from going abroad when needed there; it would bring no gold into the country, it would add nothing to the aggregate supply anywhere, and the scarcity of gold would threaten our finances just as it does today.

The truth is, gold is scarce everywhere, except in a few great banks. Silver has been demonetized, the demand for gold greatly increased, and the whole of the world that has adopted the gold standard is struggling madly for the limited supply. Prices have fallen about one-half and the end is not yet.

This is the real trouble, but the goldite would make people believe that an evil of this kind can be overcome by the simple expedient of changing one kind of paper for another, and giving the banks complete control of our finances.—National Bimetallist.

COMING GOLD GLUT.

The Real Reason Why Bankers Oppose American Bimetallism.

National Bimetallist: Last week we called attention to the increased production of the yellow metal, and pointed out the inconsistencies of those gold champions with whom an increased production of gold and an increased production of silver both prove the same thing, namely; the supreme excellence of the gold standard.

The suggestion was also casually thrown out that ere long the demonetization of gold might be proposed.

An intimation of that kind comes even sooner than we dreamed of.

Mr. W. R. Lawson, in the London Bankers' Magazine speaks of the matter in this way:

"Inflation of paper money and an over-abundance of silver money are matters of common knowledge, but a possible plethora of gold, presents itself as a novel idea. It is, however, an idea which may have to be reckoned with shortly. • • • The right of free coinage of gold may have to be suspended in England as the free coinage of silver was suspended in India and under the Latin Union. Behind that, again, would stand the last resort of all, limitation of its legal tender power. If the gold shut out from the mint lost value in consequence, that would be a matter for the producers to adjust, as other producers have to do. For the evil of excessive currency there is but one remedy, whatever the currency may be; it is restriction; and for metallic money the only known methods of restriction are, first, limited coinage; second, limited legal tender."

The American goldite draws all of his inspiration, primarily, from London, and he ought to study with care the language quoted above. It completely exposes the unsoundness of the fundamental arguments in favor of the gold standard. What becomes of the "intrinsic value" theory, if Mr. Lawson knows what he is talking about? Where is Mr. Atkinson's "fixed and invariable standard?" What of the "hammer" and "fire" tests of which we hear so much?

Mr. Lawson says that the coinage may have to be suspended and its legal tender limited. If the value is "fixed" and "unchanging" how can such an act possibly do any good? It seems, too, that he appreciates the fact (which ought to be self evident) that the gold bullion excluded from the mint would shrink in value; but says that concerns the producer only. What a joke it would be if in a few short years we should have a "gold question" to haunt the souls, and harrow the consciences of the champions of "honest money!" But don't get alarmed, brothers! We won't let London and New York demoralize gold in this country if we can help it. Although you call us "fakirs" and "silver monometallists" we assure you that we want both metals, and Providence permitting, we are going to have them one of these days, not merely in concurrent circulation, one as "token" and the other as "standard," but both as standard.

FREE SILVER OR DEFEAT.

Senator Harris Says Unlimited Coinage Will Alone Save His Party.

Press Dispatch—Senator Harris, the chairman of the Executive Committee of Six, appointed at the Washington conference of last August to organize the free silver Democrats of the country for the campaign of 1896, has sent a letter to his colleagues, the chief feature of which is:

"In the light of recent election results there is, in my opinion, no hope of Democratic success in 1896 unless we can succeed in so organizing the bimetallic Democrats as to secure in the National Convention a plain, distinct and unmistakeable declaration in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold, without regard to the financial policies of any country, and, therefore, it appears to me that we should redouble our efforts to secure such organizations."

Organize.

All men seem to realize that they are called upon to carry unnecessary financial burdens, which in many cases are becoming greater than they can endure, and are seeking relief. They also realize that by acting separately nothing can be accomplished to ameliorate their condition. But in "Union there is Strength."

The National Bimetallic Union, which was formed to conduct a campaign of education and organization in the interest of bimetallism on strictly non-partisan lines, has now reached the point where it can take up the work of organization as was originally planned. It calls upon the friends of bimetallism everywhere to co-operate in the organizations of local unions, with the largest possible membership in every voting precinct in the United States. The head office is at 134 Monroe street, Chicago.

John G. Carlisle in '95.

Carlisle has repeated the somewhat stale assertion that the government should not be engaged in the banking business. Nor is it so engaged. Banking business, in its simplicity, is a money-lending business. The issue of money and its representatives is the business of the sovereign—of the government, and when a government surrenders that particular function to private individuals not only does it place in jeopardy the interests of the people, but it betrays a sacred trust.—The Manufacturer, Rep).

Same Old Trick.

Carlisle—the hand is his, the voice Cleveland's—says destruction of greenbacks is the only thing needed to prosperity. Same thing said two years ago as to repeal of silver act.—Ex.

THE 200-CENT DOLLAR.

The Gold Dollar Is Dishonest and Beyond Hope of Giving Satisfaction.

It is not a cheap dollar in the offensive sense in which it is used by plutocracy, but a cheaper dollar as compared with all honorable ideas of fairness and right. Which is nearer the line of justice, a cheap dollar worth 54 cents or a dear dollar worth 200 cents, and which carries with it the greater power to oppress? Money is bought with the products of labor, consequently the dearer this money is, the more labor is required to purchase it. It is the few who own the money, and the many who must work to earn it; therefore cheaper money benefits the majority, and is in strict accord with the teachings of the constitution. What the people need is a dollar that carries with it a just proportion of labor and no more.—Watchman.

As between a 54 cent dollar and a 200 cent dollar (which the gold dollar practically is) the people should not hesitate in choosing. A 200 cent dollar means lower prices, hard times and suffering. A 54 cent dollar means higher prices, good times and comfort.

But in reality there is no 54 cent dollar, except when measured in gold. What is so termed is a 100 cent dollar in the broadest and most equitable terms. The Mexican dollar, of which we read volumes of contemptuous chaff, will buy as much of the products of labor as the vaunted gold dollar would in 1873.

Not only this, but the Mexican dollar is maintaining that purchasing power, which is simply value in exchange, while the gold dollar is mounting higher and higher all the time.

A dollar to be honest should buy the same this year, next year and every year, just as a yardstick should measure the same today, tomorrow and always. We use the dollar for exactly the same purpose that we do the yardstick, namely, to measure a given "quantity" of the article to be sold. The advocate of the gold standard either knows nothing or cares nothing for equities. If he only has a dollar that is equal to a gold dollar, his ideal is attained, no matter what effect it has upon the fortunes of surging and struggling humanity.

If the people are willing to let it go that way, they must abide the results, and can only blame themselves.

LINCOLN AND CLEVELAND.

Purchasing Power of Their Respective Salaries as Presidents.

Upon the whole we are inclined to agree with Mr. Carlisle that prices are inflated—that is, some prices. For example, Abraham Lincoln received a salary of $25,000 a year, in greenbacks—"inferior," "depreciated," "unsound," "dishonest" money, worth upon an average 50 cents on a dollar in gold or silver.

Mr. Cleveland is paid at the rate of $50,000 a year, in "sound" money, "honest" money, the "best money in the world," "every dollar as good as any other dollar," and each one worth 100 cents in gold, or 200 cents in silver at the bullion price.

Measured in silver bullion, or the necessities of life, Mr. Cleveland's salary is nearly four times that of the immortal Lincoln. Perhaps, though, Mr. Cleveland is nearly four times as good a man as Lincoln, and possibly his services are worth nearly four times as much.

These, however, are only possibilities, and therefore we are prepared to accept the statement that some prices are inflated.—National Bimetallist.

Ridicule No Argument.

No political party ever existed that in its beginnings was more unmercifully ridiculed than the republican party; and perhaps no party was ever more wickedly misrepresented by its opponents. But ridicule did not affect it. It went steadily forward to marvellous victory. And one would suppose that, remembering its own experience, its press would know better than to think that it can crush any political movement by ridicule. Yet that is the chief weapon which is wielded against the advocates of free coinage and the populists. It is both futile and foolish. Both the silver sentiment and the populist movement have grown and are growing. They are elements in our politics that no sensible politician will ignore, for one of the plainest principles of generalship is to recognize the strength of the opposing army. We are constantly told that the "silver craze" is dead. It is not a craze and it is not dead. We are repeatedly informed that the "populist folly" is over. The populist creed is no more a folly than any other political creed and not nearly so much as some; and it is not over. No movement that is backed by men of conviction, as the populist movement is backed, is ever over until it achieves a victory. The Farmer's Voice is not a partisan paper. It discusses political matters from an independent standpoint and it simply gives expression to political facts. It is not responsible for the facts.—The Farmer's Voice.

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.....	11 50	7 10	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 2	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 42
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 55
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 20
7 50	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 21
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 18	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 18
12 01	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	*4 21
12 30	5 51	11 15	Tecumseh	9 26	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 17	*3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	*3 39
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An elegant line of Dress Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Uuderwear, Gloves and Mittens at a discount equal to above prices.

Our large and elegant line of **Footwear, Boots, Shoes, Slippers,** in fact, **All Leather Goods** go at **20 per cent off.**

We have a full line of

Ladies' Capes and Jackets,

we are selling at **33 1-3 per cent Off**

It will pay you to come miles to attend this sale.

Respectfully,

Harris & Hiteshu.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Will Osgood was in Morenci Wednesday.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla at Lenardson Bros.'

T. V. Hoagland was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Geo. Smith went to Toledo on business last Thursday.

Herbert Craushaw called on friends in Adrian Tuesday.

A. W. Curtiss and L. Babcock were Adrian visitors Tuesday.

The sleighing is gone, but the wheeling is very good. Subscribe now.

Art Gould, of Milan, was a guest at the hotel Exelby over Sunday.

Miss Lulu Wicks visited Miss Nettie Bannister the fore part of the week.

A full line of grocer's drugs and patent medicines at Lenardson Bros.'

Mrs. Lyman Hause is visiting relatives and friends at Clinton this week.

Rev. Deyoe, of Ionia, will occupy the pulpit of the Ceristian church next Sunday.

Derby's Croup Mixture is good for the whooping cough. Lenardson Bros. keep it.

It has been reported on good authority that W. B. Linn has moved in over the store.

Tomorrow the Wabash pay car will again appear. Don't forget it. Be on hand promptly.

Rev. C. W. Reynolds filled the pulpit of the Christian church last Sunday and returned Monday.

Art Lee and other intellectual lights of *Britton* attended the Ingersoll lecture at Adrian Saturday night.

We are now selling 6 lbs. of 2 Crown Raisins for 25c, also 4 lbs. English Currants for 25c. Lenardson Bros.

Rev. Jas. Wright, who has been undergoing treatment for tumor, near Cayuga Lake, N. Y., is reported as doing nicely.

Jas. Harrison and wife who live in Raisin, south of Ridgeway, were presented with a nine pound boy, Sunday.

Miss Martha Clarkson, of Macon, who is now at Wm. Osgood's under the treatment of Dr. Hardy, is steadily improving.

The Spiritual lecture given Tuesday night for the edification of our citizens in the new philosophy was rather slimly attended.

The joint installation of the K. O. T. M. and L. O. T. M. will occur on Friday Jan. 31. Full program and particulars will appear later.

The phonograph concert, of J. B. Coller, which was given in Exelby hall last Saturday night was very good, but rather poorly attended.

O. B. Lenardson drove to Tecumseh, Wednesday and took the Lake Shore to Sylvania, Ohio, to attend the funeral of his uncle, Lewis Potter.

In winter prepare for summer. Several of our prudent and far seeing citizens are getting ready for next July by filling their ice house with nice cool ice.

The drawing of W. J. Helm's harness came off last week Thursday and it was secured by Horatio Underwood, who held the lucky number, 26. It cost him 9 cents.

O. B. Lenardson has no less than three of those comforters on the back of his neck, and is very choice of them. But of the two he is more choice of his new merschaum pipe which he pets with great care.

Will Stuart, while skinning a sheep which had died, accidentally pricked his leg with the knife which he was using. After some days, swelling set in and Dr. Hardy was called. The case is now quite serious and he may loose his leg.

Last week Thursday Frank Hoagland and Miss Helen Craig were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craig, in Milan. The groom is well and favorably known in Britton and the couple have the best wishes of our citizens from now on.

Britton is again in the lead, and *when other* places are raising the calamity howl, she is engaged in new enterprises. Andrew Gogoline this week erected the frame work of a new building to be used as a restaurant. It is situated just south of the Wabash track beyond the depot.

It is rumored that one of our business men milked the cow of the Sunday school superintendent recently in the still watches of the night. Others said he milked her in a pail, but investigation proved that however it was done, it was not the business man at all but some bad boys, who did it.

We wish to acknowledge an error in last week's issue and make apology for same by a correction. It was stated that Miss Luella Haynes was given a surprise party in honor of her 28th birthday. This was giving Miss Haynes more credit than is her due, for the records show her age to be only twenty. Right on us.

The surprise parties are not coming quite so thick and fast lately, but still we are called upon to record a very pleasant one which occurred last Thursday night as a farewell to Harvey Weller. He has since moved his household goods to Tecumseh, and the smoke of his wigwam no longer mingles with that from the chimneys of the Midway.

Frank Gavigan, the Wabash brakeman, who had his leg crushed by a freight train, near Britton, December 5, was today removed from St. Joseph's hospital in this city, to the railroad hospital at Peru, Indiana. Dr. Parish, the company's physician of the hospital, came on for the purpose of attending his removal. The young man has borne his severe injuries remarkably well, having suffered no fever since the third day after the operation.—Adrian Times.

Troubled with Rheumatism.

Addison, Mich. Dec. 29, 1895. My mother has been troubled with rheumatism for years. She was so last winter she could not dress or undress herself. We purchased for her a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it did her so much good, that she can now do her housework, knit and sew. Mrs. R. E. Bridge.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 1w

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

The creamery ice house is being filled with a fine quality of ice.

For genuine old fashioned buckwheat flour go to Smith & Schmidt.

Emery Stowel and Mr. Paxon, of Dundee, called on L. Rappleye, Friday.

Miss Effie Wade, of Brushy Prairie, Ind., is visiting her uncle, G. F. Smith.

John Temple Graves, will be at Sutton's Opera House, in Tecumseh, [illegible]

Mrs. Wm. Riggs went to Saline Thursday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Miss Callens has closed her millinery business here until the opening of the spring trade.

Buy your coal of Smith & Schmidt. They have a full line of both hard and soft at bottom prices.

Oral Freer, who has been under the doctor's care with bronchial pneumonia for the past week, is on the gain.

Mrs. Wilson, with her husband, of Saline, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Riggs, and family over Sunday.

The members of the singing class decided, Saturday night, to have another term, beginning Saturday night.

A party of young folks spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Geo. Dibble, near Adrian, Friday night.

Quite a number of the youngsters took in the box social held at Thomas Murphey's, on the Ridge, Friday night.

Smith & Schmidt have the exclusive agency for the celebrated Jewett stoves. Have you noticed their ad. in another column?

George Austin, of Azalia, and his daughter, Mrs. Wilson Allison, and two children, of Lapeer, visited Daniel Linn last week.

A number of the young friends of Miss May Fletcher, from Tecumseh, made her a surprise Monday night and spent a jolly evening.

Ed Palmer and wife were made the victims of a surprise by a number of their young friends, Wednesday, who spent a very enjoyable evening.

Remember the annual donation for the M. E. church will be held at the church on Friday evening of next week. As everybody knows what is expected at such a time let everybody respond heartily.

The following were elected officers for the Sabbath school for the ensuing year, last Friday night: Supt., C. M. Gove; 1st ass't, T. M. Temple, 2nd ass't, H. Cansfield; Sec'y, Miss Ella Boyd; ass't, Ray Gould; Treas., Miss Liela Sutton, ass't, Miss Emma Miller; Chorister, J. D. Arner, ass't, H. Cansfield, Organist, Liela Sutton, 1st ass't, Emma Miller, 2nd ass't, Estella Barnes, 3rd ass't, Daisy Riggs; Blackboard Artist; Elmer Rocklington; Librarian, Horace Dibble, ass't, Bertie Smith; Missionery Supt., H. H. Atwell; Sec'y and Treas., Mrs. C. C. Smith.

A Demorest silver medal contest will be held at the church on Friday evening of the present week. Contestants from Raisin Valley and Ridgeway will compete for the medal. Music will be furnished by local talent, assisted by Master Clare Camburn, of Macon, the five-year-old cornet soloist, and Prof. DeMuth and Miss Helen Foster, violinists, of the DeMuth orchestra of Toledo. The entertainment will begin at eight o'clock, local time. No pains are being spared to make this one of the finest entertainments of the season. Admission, 5 cents.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Miss Aggie Still, of Palmyra, has been visiting friends here.

Communion was observed at the church Sunday with a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winship, of Adrian, spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. N. Graham and sister called on Miss C. E. Winship one evening last week.

Holloway needs a milliner, as the one residing here now is going to leave soon.

F. G. Florance has a new ice house of his own and expects to keep cool next summer.

Postmaster Florence attended the Rob't. G. Ingersoll lecture Saturday evening.

The New Year party at the Holloway hall was largely attended by people from absoad.

The Maccabees will give an entertainment at Holloway hall tomorrow night. All are invited.

The week of prayer was observed last week at the church with a large attendance and was very successful.

Mrs. J. L. Richards and Mrs. C. Anthony and Stella visited Mrs. J. W. Nixon on Wednesday of last week.

Several are harvesting their ice crops. Hartman has a large ice house full and will serve ice cream the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. North, of New York, who made a prolonged visit with Mrs. North's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowis, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McClenathen were called to Temperance to attend the funeral of Mr. M.'s mother, which occurred at that place Jan. 7.

Miss Jennie Begel, of Jackson, visited her friends here for a week. She reports that her father, the doctor, is having a large practice in that city.

The new Rothfuss store is nearly completed and the painter's brush is adding the finishing touches. It is an ornament to Holloway, and we wold like to see more such enterprising men come and help boom the town.

The sugar-coating, which makes Ayer's Pills so easy to take, dissolves immediately on reaching the stomach, and so permits the full strength and benefit of the medicine to be promptly communicated. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Almanac, just out. 1w

Blood and nerves are closely related. Keep the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and you will not be nervous.

Thousands of the victims of consumption owe their death to the simple neglect of a cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. 1w

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 25 Hanley Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

HEADACHE cured in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. "One cent a dose." At druggists.

George W. Smith has been inaugurated President of Colgate University.

Medical Writers.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will, by its own action, reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past few years proves that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Century Catarrh Cure. This safe and pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and surgeons concede this fact. The most distressing symptoms yield to it. For sale by C. A. Wright & Co. jan

Headcheese caused an epidemic of poisoning in Gloversville, N. Y., and three people will die.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box os Dr. King's New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weoken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold at Orr & Temple's drug store. 4

The Penny Magazine, at 2 cents a copy, made its debut in Philadelphia Jan. 1.

Never Out of Season.

There is no time in the year when Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is not a benefit to mankind It cures constipation and indigestion, and cures diarrhoea caused by bad condition of the digestive organs. Trial size bottles 10c, also in 50c and $1 size. jan

Jumping into a cistern at Clinton, N. Y., ex-Surrogate Joseph S. Avery drowned himself.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Orr & Temple druggists.

Half a hundred warrants were served at once on Whiting, Ind., saloonkeepers for violation of the liquor law.

Have you earache, toothache, sore throat, pains or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will bring relief almost instantly. 1w

Trial was begun at Carson, Nev., of James Heney, accused of stealing $23,000 from the United States Mint.

If the hair has been made to grow a natural color on bald heads in thousands of cases, by using Hall's Hair Renewer, why will it not in your case? 1w

It is thought the Colorado Springs express robbers are A. J. Gray and J. E. Stewart, notorious crooks and jail breakers.

If you suffer from sleeplessness why not try Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, the great new discovery for Nervous diseases and Sleeplessness? Warranted. Sold by Orr & Temple. 1w.

On the ground that he could not dress well enough on $800 a year, Rev. Joseph Speers, of Brentwood, L. I., resigned his pastorate.

I was troubled with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a most wonderful medicine.—Joseph Herick, Linwood, Ont. 1w

Refusal of his hand by a girl in the German village, at the Atlanta Fair, led Joseph Aubrecht, a musician, to kill himself.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. jan

Home-seekers' Excursions via Ohio Central Lines.

To Virginia and North Carolina, January 14 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip. Limit, 30 days, for return.

To the south and south-west, January 13, 14, 27 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip, plus $4.00. Limit, 20 days for return. j30

The full intensity of living is reached only by the perfectly healthy. Sickness discounts the capacity for enjoyment. If his body is all out of order and run-down, he will not be able to enjoy anything, no matter how full of enjoyment it may be for other people. If he is just a little bit out of order, if he "is not sick, but doesn't feel just right" he will only be able to enjoy things in a half-hearted sort of way. The nearer he is to being perfectly well, the nearer will his capacity for enjoyment be perfect. If this condition doesn't exist, something ought to be done. That means nine cases in ten the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It works directly on the digestive organs, and on the blood and through these on every tissue of the body. It makes the appetite good, digestion and nutrition perfect and supplies rich, red blood to all the tissues, building up solid, healthful flesh.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated. 1w

A deluge of rain broke the long drought in New Mexico.

"Going into a decline." How often do we hear this expression. What does it mean? It means that people are losing flesh, growing thin, wasting. The way to correct this condition is to improve the digestion. The condition arises from an inability to eat and digest food. In fact food does more harm than good because it ferments and putrifies in the stomach, developing poisonous substances which when absorbed cause various disorders. What is required is that the stomach be made to perform its duties The Shaker Digestive Cordial is a food already digested and a digester of foods as well. It will make the stomach healthy. Get a book from the druggist and read about it.

A California chemist has robbed Castor Oil of its bad taste. Laxol is its name. 1w

Pumpkins are just now worth $3 a ton to the Pennsylvania farmers, who raise them in large quantities for the canning factories.

Editor of the Graphic,

of Campbellsburg, Ind., writes: "I will carry your ad at price named. Our druggists don't handle Syrup Pepsin, and I want some of it myself. I have taken two bottles and it did my stomach more good than any medicine I ever took, and I want more of it. I had a bad case of dyspepsia." jan

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. Dr. E. E. Tull, Chicago.

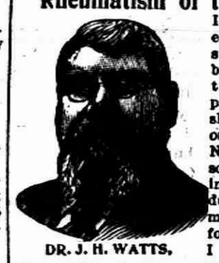
The recently forfeited land of the Sioux City & St. Paul railroad in northwest Iowa will be thrown open to settlers.

YEARS OF INTENSE PAIN.

Dr. J. H. Watts, druggist and physician, Humboldt, Neb., who suffered with heart disease for four years, trying every remedy and all treatments known to himself and fellow-practitioners; believes that heart disease is curable. He writes:

"I wish to tell what your valuable medicine has done for me. For four years I had heart disease of the very worst kind. Several physicians I consulted, said it was

Rheumatism of the Heart.



DR. J. H. WATTS.

It was almost unendurable; with shortness of breath, palpitations, severe pains, unable to sleep, especially on the left side. No pen can describe my sufferings, particularly during the last months of those four weary years. I finally tried

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and was surprised at the result. It put new life into and made a new man of me. I have not had a symptom of trouble since and I am satisfied your medicine has cured me for I have now enjoyed, since taking it

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Humboldt, Neb., May 9, '94.

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and we still have a few more of those Ladies' Fine Dongola Button Shoes that are slightly out of style. They must all go at One-Half their regular price.

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" Fine Calf Lace $4 00 Shoes, " " " " " "	3 25	" Beaver, Dongola Foxed, Congress Gaiters	85
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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10, '96.

There is no exaltation among the silver men in Congress over the reporting of a bill for the free coinage of silver to the Senate as a substitute for the House bond bill. This may be because it was well known from the first that such action would be taken, or it may be because of the general knowledge that the substitute cannot possibly become a law; at any rate it is true. It will pass the Senate by a decisive majority, notwithstanding the shrewd move of Senator Chandler, who has posed as a special friend of silver, in introducing a bill providing for a popular loan by the sale of interest bearing postal notes at all money order postoffices, which he has given notice of his intention to offer as a substitute for the free coinage bill. But there are silver men who regard it as a mere waste of time to put the bill through the Senate. They say that Speaker Reed would not give the bill a chance to fes through the House, even if two-thirds of that body wanted to vote for it, and, of course, all the world knows that President Cleveland would take especial pleasure in vetoing a free coinage bill, should it by any possibility ever succeed in reaching him.

The members of the Venezuelan Boundary Commission are engaged in the preliminary work of their investigation. The head-quarters of the commission will be in Washington, and it may be that its work can all be done without leaving the city, but circumstances will decide that. Regardless of the personal convenience of its members the Commission will endeavor to render a decision which will forever settle what has been a troublesome question for more than half a century. So far the attitude of everydody concerned seems to be to aid the commission in its search after the correct boundary line between British Guiana and Venezuela.

The sessions of the house this week have been very short, most of the work done being in committee rooms.

A member of the House committee on Territories said this week: "No one can tell what will be done by Congress, but it is my opinion that enabling acts will be passed at this session authorizing Statehood for New Mexico, Arizona, and Oklahoma, and that Indian Territory will be placed under a regular Territorial form of government. My opinion is based upon those expressed by other members of the House."

In a speech strongly attacking the Supreme Court decision against the income tax, which he declared was a "matter of surprise to every intelligent lawyer in the country, and especially to those of us in Congress, who were engaged in formulating the legislation," Senator Vest used some strong language against the domination of the gold kings, and in favor of the free coinage of silver. He ridiculed the idea that there is enough gold outside of what is held by the banks to take up the $100,000,000 bond issue which has been advertised by Secretary Carlisle, and concluded by saying: "The conflict is irrepressible. If we are to have the gold standard and the domination of the national banks, go to the people and have them rivet the chains. But I believe the people will respond against wiping out one-half the money of the world, and in striking down the financial despotism that is upon us."

According to Senator Mills, of Texas, the republicans adopted the democratic idea of a tariff for revenue only, when they put the tariff bill through the House that is now in the Senate, but neither Mr. Mills, nor any other democratic Senator, has announced his intention to vote for the bill. If it represents democratic ideas, the democrats are not supporting those ideas with any degree of unanimity, although it is expected that several democratic Senators will vote for the bill, now that the republicans have decided not to amend it, but Mr. Mills isn't one of them.

Several representatives of free Cuba are here trying to get the belligerency of the revolutionists recognized by this government. They have documentary evidence in plenty showing the strength of the Cubans, and the little news that has come from Cuba this week has been greatly in their favor, but they are not making the progress they expected. They get all the individual assurances of sympathy they want, but officially the administration and Congress are dumb on the subject. It is now certain that unless the Cubans force things sooner by driving the Spaniards out of Havana, the administration isn't going to recognize them, unless directed by a joint Congressional resolution to do so. There is no doubt that such a resolution would be adopted with a whirl if a chance was given, but Speaker Reed has positively declined to recognize anybody to offer any such resolution, unless it comes as a report from the committee on Foreign Affairs. There are some very ugly rumors floating around Washington, to the effect that a powerful lobby well supplied with Spanish gold is working on members of the administration and of Congress to prevent recognition of the Cubans as long as possible, in order to give the Spaniards more time in which to try to put down the revolt. It wouldn't be the first time Spanish money had been spent in Washington to influence official opinions.

Another Deer Killed.

Train No. 6, of the Mobile and Ohio road, which left Mobile Monday evening at 4:45, December 9, killed a fine large doe at Three-mile creek, just north of Mobile. This is the third incident of the kind that has happened on railroads running out of Mobile, and this section of the country must certainly be a paradise for hunters.—Mobile Register, Dec. 11th, 1895.

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy. The millions who have no such notions' take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense. 1w

Last Week's Circuit Court.

John A. Heck vs. Herbert Stout. Motion by plaintiff to strike from the files a demurrer; denied, with rule fee of five dollars against plaintiff.

John Rixom vs. Andrew Gogoline, defendant, and Bordine and Zimmerman, garnishees. Order that plaintiff file a bond on appeal within 24 hours or the case be dismissed. Case subsequently dismissed.

Schoolhouse & Son vs. Festus Metcalf and Michigan Fire Insurance Co., garnishee. Judgment against plaintiff for $10 attorney fee, in favor of garnishee, defendant. A similar order was entered in favor of two other insurance companies.

The People vs. F. S. Johnson. Continued over the term.

Spencer Foster vs. John S. Avis. Continued by consent.

Conrad Bluntschley vs. Homer Blyins. Continued.

Otto M. Farrand & Co. vs. Christian Fluegel. Continued.

The People vs. Melvin Bemis. Sentenced to be confined in jail 15 days and to pay a fine of $50 within 15 days or be confined in jail 50 days longer.

Garland R. Gillespie, having applied to the bar, was ordered enrolled, he having been heretofore regularly admitted to the Washtenaw county bar.

Geo. Stearns vs. The Lake Shore Railway Co. Suit for damages for breach of contract. The trial lasted three days and the jury gave plaintiff $3,780.

John Williams vs. Fleming McMath. Continued.

Charles A. Crane vs. Edith L. Crane. Divorce granted for desertion.

Ida Whipple-Millard vs. Jennie Hayes. Assumpsit. The suit grew out of the sale of millinery stock. The sale was for $1,000; half was paid, and a note was to be given for the balance. Defendant claims that she went back to Chicago immediately after the sale, leaving plaintiff in charge, and that when she returned there was a misunderstanding about what goods were in the stock, and she refused to pay or give a note for the other $500. A suit resulted. The verdict awarded the plaintiff judgment for damages.

The suit of T. R. Kyle vs. H. W. Stevens, began at Clinton in November to determine the ownership of property belonging to the late Wm. Anderson, was decided Saturday. The plaintiff got judgment for $61.80, with costs.

The circuit court is in session at Hillsdale this week.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowen entertained the club Tuesday evening. As usual a good time was the result. The literary program was greatly enjoyed, several who were not on the program kindly contributed some selections and with the work that had been prepared, interspersed with music, a program of unusual merit was given. The discussion was very animated, the lateness of the hour, only, bringing it to a close. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schreder.

The program is as follows:

Singing—Mary Murphy.
Rec.—Ethel Schreder.
Reading—Mrs. John Schreder.
Paper—Mr. John Boyce.
Dec.—Fred Rector.
Dialogue—Andrew Kehoe and others.
Quotations from different presidents of the United States, by members of the club.
Question—What products of the farm—with the present outlook—should be given first place?—Opened by Israel Schreder.

A Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

THE STEBBINS

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT SALE, which opened Saturday, January 11, offers bargains unprecedented in the history of the Furniture trade in Adrian. All departments are included: Furniture, Dishes, Lamps, Pictures, Oilcloths, and everything in our Immense New Stock. Sale Closes Feb. 1st.

The Stebbins, Adrian.

Farmers Are Interested. Why?

Because There Is Money in It.

Buy your CLOVER, TIMOTHY, ALSYKE,

and in fact all kinds of seeds now, while they are cheap.

R. S. MOORE,
The Hustling Young Grocer,
Keeps all kinds and will sell at lowest prices—see him.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

SPECIAL NOTICES.

MBER SAWED—Wanted logs to saw. Will come to your place and saw your timber. Complete outfit, satisfaction guaranteed. Address in person or by letter. JOHN GORDON, Saline, Mich.

SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres just outside of corporation on turnpike, known as Sam Holden place. Good build, water, etc. O. W ELY.

H MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men and women $18 to $36 per week for easy work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERMANN & SEYMOUR, 1011 and 1013 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

R SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting of 108 acres, good buildings. Very desirable location, just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Enquire of C. O. Tefft. Terms reasonable.

ANTED.—Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Michigan for old, reliable house. Salary $780 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 17, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...bs & Co. have a new sign.

...moon last night. Subscribe now.

...me in and see our map of the world.

...derson Bros. are out with a new ...of prices on this page.

...ery & Co. also have some bargains ...your attention this week.

...e. Lowry has extended his space ...week with more cuts in groceries.

...rs. Lombard, of Springfield, Mass., ...alling with her son, Dr. C. M. Lombard.

...eo. A. Chochrane, of Adrian, secretary of the Farmer's Mutual, called on ...n Hall yesterday.

...rs. E. C. Coryell left for Covington, ...this week to spend the winter with ...daughter, Mrs. Will Hall.

...sses Mamie Winn and Kittie Dillon of Adrian, were the guests of Will ...son's family over Sunday.

...C. Burridge made a very creditable ...ea in the case of Kyle vs. Stevens ...circuit court last Saturday.

...Mebbs, of Tecumseh, and Webb ...wood, of Britton, were initiated ...council degree at Clinton last ...

...D. Hall has so far improved in ...as to be able to be out doors yes..., for the first time for over eight ...

...union service at the Presbyterian ...hurch next Sunday morning at ... At night the subject will be ...Lost Christ."

...C. T. Griffey, wife of editor Griffey of the Negaunee Iron Herald, is visiting Dr. Lombard's and Rev. C. M. ...'s. Mr. Griffey will join his wife ...Saturday.

...ried, at Saline, Mich., on Wednesday, Jan. 15, Roy J. Whiting and ...Luella Phillips, both of Macon. ...oom is a brother of W. W. Whiting of this village.

...ry interesting and successful leap ...eigh ride party to Ridgeway was ...ed in by a number of our young ...ls Monday night. The girls did ...ve to use a wagon either.

...ried, at the parsonage of Macon ...ed church, by Rev. J. I. Gulick, ...16th, 1896, Mr. Thomas R. Mc... and Miss Bertha East, all of Ma... The young couple start on the ...y of life together with the best ...of a large circle of friends.

...E. Sisson made a visit to his ...a Riga yesterday and found that ...suffered the loss of 51 head of ...rom hog cholera. The disease is ...ing the pens of that locality with ...loss to the farmers, who were feeding large numbers of swine this winter. ...mon thinks furniture better stock ...gs this winter.

...y quiet wedding occurred at the ...es of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Slayton ...ening. Rev. Brown tied the ...knot and the contracting parties Alfred James and Miss Metta ...a. A very few friends were in... a tea and witnessed the ceremony. Sam and Alf W. James were ...from Detroit. The principals ...well known in our village to receive special mention and The Herald ...their many friends in congratula...

...y pretty society event took place ...ome of Mr. and Mrs. Hendrick ...at the hour of eleven, Thurs... afternoon. The feature of the occasion was the marriage of their daughter Ida to Mr. Arthur A. Hall, of Toledo. The contract was solemnized by Rev. M. Brown, the impressive and beautiful ring ceremony of the Presbyterian church being used as ritual. The parlors were tastily trimmed and the ...darkened and lighted with lamps ...occasion, making a very pleasant ...et. After the tie was tied for... and the congratulations given, a ...was served to the guests, numbering over fifty. The bridal pair had ...very effort to conceal their destination, but it was discovered by some ...friends that they will go to Ne... to visit Miss Grace, sister of ... The guests from abroad ...were R. F. Burdick, of Detroit; ...Fred, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, of To...; Mr. Bell, of Jackson; and Mrs. ...Chicago. Congratulations ...order and the contracting parties ...will receive a bounteous share ...wishes as they start on life's ...together.

Go to B. C. Knapp for hay and straw.

Wm. Hayden is reported some better.

W. E. Young of Chicago, was the guest of Dr. Jenkins' family over Sunday.

W. C. Haydenbeck has been granted an increase and Wm. DeMott an original pension.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKinney will make their future home in Chelsea where Ed. will roll cigars.

C. B. Mize and wife, of Marshall, were the guests of Geo. Mize and family part of the week.

Bert Cook left for Auburn, Ind., last Monday, to take a position in a large buggy manufactory there.

Mr. Seymour Barkwell returned to his home in Ionia last Saturday, after visiting his brother John here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bates, of Mason, have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jas. McCann, the past week.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, The World's Final Census.

Company B. of the 1st, known as the Adrian Light Guard, will give an athletic entertainment at Croswell's opera house tonight.

A state farmers' institute will be held at Petersburgh, Jan. 23-4. Prominent speakers will be there and a profitable time is expected.

The snow is being scraped off the Globe pond and a band stand will be erected today to prepare for the grand free skating carnival to be held there tomorrow afternoon.

Tecumseh boys can ride the trummel rods as well as the deck or break beams. Toledo is their favorite destination. "Weary Willie" likes the deck while "Elite Eddy" sits on the Small-edge of a beam.

J. H. Smith is again at Grand Rapids this week in the interest of the Tecumseh Table company. His visit there last week was very satisfactory and the prospects for a good furniture trade the coming season are very flattering.

The annual parish meeting of the Universalist church, will be held next Sunday morning, Jan. 19, immediately after morning service. All members of both church and parish are earnestly desired to be present. By order Trustees.

Frank Lens, who is employed at E. W. Lowis' saw mill northeast of town, was severely injured, last Monday, by a bursting saw. A section of the saw struck him near the right elbow breaking the bone and injuring the joint. The arm will probably be saved though a stiffened joint will likely result.

The following officers were elected by the Presbyterian Sabbath school Wednesday night: Supt., Dr. W. A. Frost; Vice-Supt., P. S. McKinnon; Ass't Supts. W. R. Caldwell, Miss Alice Cutting; Treas., J. L. Anderson; Sec'y, Fay Anderson; Librarian, H. S. Warring; Ass'ts Frank Nyland, Lavern Smith; Chorister, H. C. Conkling.

Fred B. Wood was home from Grantland, Va., over Sunday. He left Monday for Adrian and Toledo and thence to his home in Old Virginia some time this week. The climate of their new home has proven a great improvement to Mrs. Wood's health and Fred makes a pretty good farmer, but still he expressed an intention to some day return to old Lenawee.

Inspector General Walsh, of the Michigan National Guard, has issued a circular in which he says companies should always be ready for inspection, and shortness of notice will not be considered an excuse for poor showing when an inspection is held. He further states that companies must hereafter be ready for inspection at one day's notice, but longer notice will be given when possible.

Subjects for next Sabbath at the Universalist church: Morning, "And thou shalt call his name Jesus; for he shall save his people from their sins." Matt. 1: 21. Evening, "Theology and religion." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. We wish you to come and help us, that we may do you good. Topic: "He died for us all." "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me." John, 12: 32.

About forty people from Tecumseh and surrounding towns went to Adrian last Saturday evening to hear Robert G. Ingersoll in his lecture on Lincoln. Though the famous lecturer has lost some of the fire of oratory, which has characterized him in the past, he is still able to hold an audience at pleasure, and his analysis of the qualities which make a great character like Lincoln's, was truly masterful. It was not a religious topic, and those who expected to hear that subject attacked, we are glad to say, were disappointed.

We clip the following from a half column article in the Danville, (N. Y.) Express of Dec. 26, 1895, headed "Society in Mt. Morris:" "The event of the season in Mt. Morris was the reception given Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Tallman last Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Tallman, on the River road. Mr. Tallman and Miss Belle Johnson, of Castile, were married about four weeks ago and after a brief sojourn in the South, visiting among other places of note the great exposition at Atlanta, Ga., on their return they were received by about seventy-five of their friends." Mrs. Jacob Tallman, the entertainer and mother of the groom, was formerly well known in Tecumseh as Miss Mary Blood, and her many friends here will be interested in the above.

Mrs. Geo. Tiffany returned Wednesday from an extended visit in Canada.

Just ask Earl if he caught the horse. It wasn't as bad as if the horse didn't know enough to come home any way.

T. M. Joslin, one of the popular and successful young attorneys, of Adrian, was a caller at the Herald office Tuesday.

Mesdames Selfridge and Kellogg have returned to make their home for the rest of the winter with their brother, H. L. Baxter.

The frame is up for the first house on the I. C. Wolcott addition. It will soon be finished and occupied by M. L. Gillen and family.

The next entertainer on the Star Course will be John Temple Graves, the great southern orator on Jan. 27, one week from Monday.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Albertine Brewer and Percival W. A. Fitzsimmons, to occur on January 20.

Geo. W. Bain, the great temperance lecturer says: "I consider 'The reign of the demagogue,' by John Temple Graves, the finest oration in the language."

Geo. R. Wendling, who appeared on our course last year, says of John Temple Graves: "Here is a voice from the new south, which I hope this whole nation will hear."

A minister from Tecumseh and one from Tipton were noticed among the audience at Col. Ingersoll's lecture. Many church members were also present.—Adrian Times.

The drawing at Montague's has come off with the result that Mrs. Anna Cook got the first prize of a musical album, and Mrs. W. W. Whiting the second—a collar and cuff box.

The farmers clubs of this vicinity have decided to hold an institute here in February. The committee will meet again next Saturday, Jan. 18, at the Herald office to complete arrangements.

A jury has at last been secured for the trial of the convicts, Huntley, Curley and Boot for their assault on the Deputy Warden at the state prison some time ago. The trial is being conducted this week at Jackson.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Harriett Webster remembered the occasion of her 60th anniversary by greeting her with a surprise party at her home with her daughter, Mrs. Myron Conklin, yesterday evening.

Judge Lane, Saturday afternoon, granted Francis Rundell a divorce from Alden Rundell, of Adrian, and gave her the custody of their two children, Nina and Ray. The general charge was extreme cruelty. A divorce was also granted Cora F. Wetter from Morris M. Wetter, of Hudson, on the grounds of cruelty and failure to support.

Those who favor better laws for the protection of game, and the more rigid enforcement of the same, will gather in Lansing Jan. 22. The annual meeting of the Michigan state game and fish protective association is called for that day, and a good attendance is expected. The objects of the association are well known, and the good work done is increasing each year.

The public is very cordially invited to an entertainment to be given by the Juniors, aided by the Seniors, at the Baptist church Friday evening, Jan. 24. A very pleasing program has been arranged and a pleasant time is anticipated. The entertainment will begin at 7:30. Five cents will be charged for admission. Light refreshments will be served in the parlors for five cents to those who desire to remain for a social time.

What is a "Mission?" No better definition can be given than that found in the International Dictionary,—"A course of extraordinary sermons and services at a particular place and time, for the special purpose of enriching the faith and zeal of the participants, and of converting unbelievers." The public will be welcome in their attendance upon the Mission to be held in St. Peter's church, beginning next Wednesday the 22d, and continuing for a week.

A party of enterprising young gentlemen and their ladies started for Adrian last Monday evening in a sleigh. They got there, too, but not on runners. When they arrived at Dove's celery farm they made a negotiation by which wagon wheels were substituted for the sleigh and then rolled on their way rejoicing. Though the boys ware a little lame on their judgment of good roads, they made good their lack by walking a good share of the way home, and the party wandered into Tecumseh by daylight Tuesday morning, sadder but wiser mortals. The way of the transgressor is hard.

We have received from C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of United States and Foreign patents, of Washington, D. C., a pamphlet recently published and copyrighted by them, entitled: "A summary of foreign patent laws with information and advice about foreign patents, giving the cost of same in various countries." The pamphlet is concise, well written, and contains, in plain statement, much that will be of interest to inventors patentees and manufacturers. A copy will be sent free to anyone addressing C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Lawyers, Washington, D. C.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold their social and donation for the pastor, Rev. E. C. Andrus, Friday, Jan. 24. Supper will be served from 5 till 7, regular price for supper, 10 cents. Any one wishing to give over that sum it will be gladly accepted. All are cordially invited.

High School Happenings.

Algebra II are reviewing.

Miss Idesie Bussel called on the A room Monday.

Miss Harriet Osborn visited the A room Wednesday.

There are several absent this week on account of sickness.

Miss Allie Cutting was a visitor in the A room Tuesday.

Mr. Henry Conkling visited the high school last Thursday.

Philosophy class have begun the study of current electricity.

The Virgil class will complete the fourth book this week.

The students in the high school seem to be making good use of the public library.

Lavern Smith interested the A room with a description of the process of making the much talked about and much coveted silver dollar.

English IV have completed Whitney's essentials of English and will now read Longfellow's Evangaline together with the Courtship of Miles Standish.

English literature class are studying the life of Johnson, the lexicographer. Had he lived in Uncle Sam's domain, he might have done our high school a service by simplifying spelling.

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout. England and the United States! No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh. This is for January only.

—Do you know you can buy 100 pounds prime, pure buckwheat flour for $1.85 or 25 pounds for 47 cents of C. A. Slayton.

—Dressmaking at 1-4 regular prices for January and February at F. A. Deuel's, over Adamson Bros.' jewelry store.

—A "HARD TIMES" DICTIONARY.—

A Book's value depends upon its contents. Judged by this and compared with Webster's the Standard should sell for $60. For what the Century Co. receives $91, the Standard furnishes for $18. If the various dictionaries, (41) in the Standard were sold seperately, they would cost from $40 to $200. The Standard sells as low as $15. For particulars address V. K. VanDeVenter, Dundee, Mich.

—I have some very nice baled hay and straw for sale. Barn oat straw for feeding. Prices right. See it. C. A. SLAYTON.

—BALED HAY AND STRAW—By the ton or bale. Prices as low as the lowest. Enquire of B. C. KNAPP, Pottawatomie St., Tecumseh, Mich.

—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

—Lumber cheap. Dressed pine lumber $9 per M and up, at Slayton's. See him.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

Do you cough? Cure it with Brant's Balsam, the sure cure. 25c, of Orr & Temple. 1w

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Hard Soap Facts!

For the next 38 days, or until present stock is exhausted, the following well-known

Brands of Soap at Prices Never before Made in Tecumseh.

Jaxon	8	Bars for	25c
Queen Ann	8	"	25c
Plymouth Rock	8	"	25c
Geyser	8	"	25c
Bell of Buffalo	9	"	25c
Big Brown	7	"	25c
Copco	7	"	25c
Hoe Cake	7	"	25c
Happy Family	6	"	25c
Old Country	6	"	25c
White Chief (a floating soap equal to Ivory.)	4	"	35c
Fairbank's Gold Dust Washing Powder 4 pkgs for			19c

Reduced Prices on all Washing Powders.

Sugar Cured Hams 11c. lb. Shoulders 7½c. lb.
Sugar Cured Bacon 9c. lb. Frankfurt Sausage 10c lb.

We carry the largest stock of—

COFFEE

in Tecumseh and can sell you Fresh Roasted stock that will please you in price and quality.

We can sell you the—

Best 50c Tea on Earth.

Strictly uncolored and unadulterated.

Everything Reliable and Warranted.
GIVE US A CALL.
ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

Here's Genuine Bargains!

Heinz Ketchup, 25c bottles for 15c.
" " 15c " " 11c.
" " 10c " " 8c.

This is now cheap stuff, but the genuine,

High Grade Goods.

Also Heinz Sweet Mixed Pickles, Only 10c. per quart.

An Elegant 50 cent Tea for 40 cents per ponnd

Bargains in Soap, Canned Goods, Etc.

Special Sale Saturday on one article.

AVERY & COMPANY.

CLEARING SALE!

OF

BLANKETS and ROBES,

COAL and WOOD HEATING STOVES.

Satterthwaite Bros.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

PRICES CHEAPER.

Michigan Farm Product Quotations Compared with Those a Year Ago.

Lansing, Jan. 11.—Interesting statistical information relative to the value on January 1 of farm products in this state is given in the Michigan crop report for January, just issued. The average proce of wheat was 59 cents, corn, 32 cents; oats, 21 cents; hay, $13.13 per ton; fat cattle, $2.83 per hundred; hogs, $3.18; dressed pork, $4.25; horses, $32.25; milch cows, $26.45; sheep, $1.72. Compared with prices one year ago there has been a decline in the price of all farm products except wheat, hay, sheep and cattle. Wheat averages 9 cents a bushel and hay $5.17 a ton more now than one year ago. The loss on corn is 14 cents and oats 11 cents. The decline reported in fat cattle is 11 cents, fat hogs 77 cents and dressed pork 72 cents. The decline in the prices of horses has been about $5 per head.

SUIT FOR VALUABLE LAND.

Harrison-Smith Litigation Reopened at Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 15. The second chapter in the Harrison-Smith land case was opened here Tuesday by the filing of a bill in behalf of William Harrison, of Grand Rapids, against Maria M. Smith, Frank B. Smith, Henry B. Smith, of Three Rivers, Dallas Boudeman and John W. Adams, of this city. The bill sets up the former suit, which resulted in a judgment of $74,000 in Harrison's favor, and it is then alleged that Frank B. Smith used $28,000 of the Harrison notes, fraudulently procured, in repurchasing from a mortgagee, after foreclosure, a farm to which Harrison lays claim. The bill prays for an injunction, and also for a receiver to take rents and incomes from the land pending the litigation.

CHARGES AGAINST A BISHOP.

Head of the New Episcopal Diocese of Marquette Under Fire.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 15.—The standing committee before which the charges against Bishop-Elect Williams, of the new Marquette diocese, will come will meet here on Thursday. The charges are in possession of Rev. Dr. Fair. They include the charge that Williams made large contributions to the diocese fund, conditioned on his own election, and that many delegates voted for him, fearing that otherwise the fund of $25,000 would fail, and the plan for a new diocese collapse. It is not denied that Dr. Williams was a large contributor. He is very wealthy.

A Strange Story.

St Joseph, Jan. 14.—While playing with some beans last summer Willie Kroening got one in his ear and efforts to release it were without avail. Recently it began to swell and sprout until a sprout over a quarter of an inch long had grown. The bean has just been removed and the boy can hear again as well as ever.

Reason Dethroned by Fear.

St. Joseph, Jan. 14.—Since the recent attempt by an unknown man to assassinate Minnie Spanke she has gradually lost her mind from fear that he would again attempt to kill her until she is now crazy. Officers are working on a clew which they think will result in the capture of the man.

Of Interest to Bankers.

Saginaw, Jan. 10.—Judge Wilbur has denied the application for a mandamus to compel the county treasurer to deposit the county funds in the bank paying the highest rate of intereat. He declares the act of the last legislature unconstitutional on the grounds that the title is not broad enough.

New Summer Resort.

Benton Harbor, Jan. 10.—Clarence T. Warner has purchased 27 acres of land near this city, and will fit it up for a summer resort. A stock company with a capitalization of $50,000 will be organized to develop the resort.

Paid It Back.

Lansing, Jan. 10.—Ex-Lieut. Gov. J. Wight Giddings has sent a draft to the board of state auditors for $892.32, the amount of his overdrawn salary under the fraudulent salaries increase amendment of 1893.

JOKE ENDS IN DEATH.

Motorman Johnson's Cold Hands Result in His Getting Shot.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 13.—Albert Johnson's practical joke on G. S. H. Holmes, a fellow boarder, Sunday morning, brought on a fight and ended in a tragedy. Johnson was a motorman on the street railway, and when he returned to his boarding house after a morning trip he thrust his cold hands down Holmes' back. Holmes remonstrated angrily, and soon the two were fighting. Holmes finally broke away, ran to his room, secured a revolver and returned, fired five shots at Johnson. Three of the shots took effect and Johnson fell dead. Without putting on his coat, shoes or hat, Holmes ran to the police station, two blocks away, and gave himself up, arriving before the police had heard of the tragedy.

Holmes graduated from the state university two years ago, and is also a graduate of the agricultural college. He is a civil engineer by profession, and came here a short time ago to accept a position in a large machine shop. He is very much distressed by the tragedy, but has already retained a lawyer and had his picture taken to show the bruises he received in the fight with the apparent purpose of setting up a claim of self defense.

FAVOR RECIPROCITY.

Michigan Millers Want the Doctrine Restored to Federal Statutes.

Lansing, Jan. 15.—The Michigan Millers' association, in session here Tuesday, adopted resolutions strongly indorsing the principle of reciprocity as enacted in the McKinley bill. The executive committee was instructed to cooperate with the national association in urging congress to restore the doctrine to the federal statute books. Figures obtained by the secretary indicate that 25 per cent. of the wheat crop of 1895 is in the hands of the farmers. The amount of wheat sown is estimated at 108 per cent. of the average year, and the present condition is estimated at 96 per cent. compared with average years. The following officers were elected:

President, W. A. Coombs, Coldwater; vice president, C. B. Chatfield, Bay City; secretary and treasurer, J. J. Hausline, Lansing; executive committee, H. F. Colby Dowagiac; J. S. Titus, Battle Creek, and G. M. Almendinger, Ann Arbor.

MICHIGAN WATERS.

State Board of Health Is Considering Their Examination.

Lansing, Jan. 13.—The state board of health is formally considering the proposition of Prof. Frank Kedzie, of the agricultural college, to have examined and analyzed the waters of the rivers of the state, taking them from source to mouth, with a view to ascertaining the effect of the sewage from cities and other conditions, and also the safety of using the streams as a water supply. Prof. Kedzie's idea is to have the analytical work divided up among the various colleges of the state. He desires especially to determine the amount of chlorine and organic matter in the streams above and below cities and the pathogenic bacteria in the waters.

DEATH OF JOHN EVANS.

Prominent Citizen of Bellevue Passes Away.

Bellevue, Jan. 12.—John Evans died at his home here Saturday night. He has been actively identified with Bellevue's business interests since 1885, and had held prominent offices more than half a century. He was grand secretary of the Independent Order of Good Templars for 38 years, and chairman of the committee on organization and grand secretary of the Good Templars of the World. He was a prominent prohibitionist and at one time candidate for secretary of state on the prohibition ticket. He has built over 100 residences and business houses in Bellevue, owning at one time 14 business blocks on the main street.

Was Born in Michigan.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 15.—Arthur Brown, the nominee of the republican members of the legislature for the short term in the United States senate, is a lawyer of high ability located in this city. He is about 50 years old. He is a native of Michigan and a product of Ann Arbor. Always a republican, he aided in organizing the party in Utah, and his influence has been largely felt. His most ardent followers are citizens of Salt Lake City, where he has lived since 1879. His fortune is estimated at $100,000.

Paying Her Debt.

Lansing, Jan. 14.—Bay county now owes the state less than $16,000 on account of the judgment for $115,000 recovered last October for delinquent taxes, some of which had been due for nearly a score of years. The judgment, with interest to date, amounts to approximately $119,000, and Auditor General Turner received from County Treasurer Riegel a payment of $102,931, of which $75,000 was in cash, which this county treasurer brought with him from Bay City in a huge satchel.

Appointments by Gov. Rich.

Lansing, Jan. 13.—Gov. Rich has appointed George A. Farr, of Grand Haven, regent of the university, to fill the term of eight years made vacant by the resignation of Charles H. Hackley, of Muskegon. Dr. F. O. Gilbert, of Bay City, has been appointed a member of the state board of dental examiners for three years, to succeed Dr. A. T. Metcalf, of Battle Creek, whose term has expired.

A Sawmill Burned.

Port Huron, Jan. 12.—Nelson Mills' large sawmill at Marysville, five miles south of this city, burned Saturday night. Loss estimated at $75,000 to $100,000, including a large quantity of lumber. It was one of the best equipped mills in Michigan.

Killed by a Locomotive.

Flint, Jan. 12.—Homer Pratt, an employe in a sawmill here, was struck by a Grand Trunk yard engine and instantly killed.

STATE NEWS.

Items Full of Interest from Many Localities.

Oscoda county will vote on local option, February 24.

Bay City has shipped ten cars of celery to Baltimore this year.

Two Galesburg widows are drawing pensions for the war of 1812.

Miss Eleanor Gard was burned to death in her father's home near Coldwater.

John Main, an old soldier of Fennville, fell from a load of straw and broke his neck.

Frank Wizard, aged 35 years, a well-known fruit grower and pioneer of Montague, is dead.

In the state fish hatchery in Charlevoix there are now 33,000,000 eggs in course of incubation.

After being idle for some time the Fuller furniture factory in Hastings is to resume operations soon.

Albion's Woman's Christian Temperance union is making efforts to erect a woman's building in that city.

For a fall on a defective sidewalk Jennie Rogers has been awarded a verdict for $850 against the village of Orion.

The annual meeting of the Michigan State Game and Fish Protective league will be held in Lansing January 22.

Robert Jenkins, an aged colored man, died recently in the Flint poorhouse. He always insisted that he was 120 years old.

John Clark, of Whitefish point, in the upper peninsula, sold 2,200 bushels of cranberries at Sault Ste Marie at three dollars per bushel.

Mrs Harriet Allis, of Detroit, claims to be one of the five heirs to a fortune of $25,000,000 left by her great-grandmother in England.

While sawing wood near Coloma two workmen found a good-sized stone imbedded in teh heart of a tree some 40 feet above the stump.

Last fall Phineas A. Wilson, of Saline, fell into an open coal hole in Ann Arbor and he has now brought suit against the city for $1,000 damages.

Miss Nora Olds, aged 17, has commenced a breach of promise suit at St. Joseph, against Darwin Southerland, a wealthy resident, for $20,000 damages.

The great May musical festival at Ann Arbor will be held May 21, 22 and 23. There will be five concerts, in all of which the Boston Festival orchestra will take part.

John Steve, of Saginaw, has begun suit for $10,000 damages against the Union Street Railway company for injuries alleged to have been received October 17, last, by being struck by a car.

Dennis J. Casey, assistant engineer of the Michigan Central railroad, with headquarters in Bay City, has been appointed chief engineer of the Detroit & Mackinaw railroad, to take effect January 15.

Frank Chapman, a former Morenci boy, now of Toledo, who invented an interlocking switch, has been offered $750,000 for his patent, but he declined the offer, holding his invention at a higher figure.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

It Affects Life Insurance Companies of All Classes.

Lansing, Jan. 11.—Attorney General Maynard has given Commissioner of Insurance Giddings an opinion that is of great importance to life insurance companies both in and out of the state. The attorney general holds that under act 187 of the laws of 1887 as amended last session cooperative or assessment life insurance companies organized in another state who contract in their policies to pay insured, an endowment or dividend during lifetime, cannot legally do business in this state, or can they be authorized to issue in Michigan limited payment life policies or agree to give cash surrenders, paid up insurances or accident policies. He also holds that associations cannot be legally organized to do an accident business in which they agreed to pay to insure beneficiary, in case of death, by accident, less than $1,000.

His Faith Fails to Save Him.

Grand Ledge, Jan. 14.—Rev. A. L. Bixter, of Grand Junction, who came here a few months ago as a missionary for the Saints of God, died Sunday of diphtheria and too much faith cure. When he and his wife and children were taken sick he refused to allow medical attendance in the house and resorted to prayer. After his death the neighbors insisted on his wife and children receiving man-made medicine, and they consented.

Allen Will Be Paroled.

Lansing, Jan. 12.—As convicts are not eligible to parole until they have served one-half of the term for which they were sentenced, Gov. Rich has commuted to 18 years the 23-year sentence of Charles W. Allen, who was sent to state prison from Berrien Springs for murder in the second degree. Allen will have served nine years on the 28th inst., when he will be paroled.

Debs Speaks in Detroit.

Detroit, Jan. 14.—Eugene V. Debs addressed a large audience of workingmen in the Auditorium Monday evening under the auspices of the Trades council. He was escorted into the city by a committee of labor leaders, and was greeted with considerable enthusiasm. After the meeting President Debs was tendered a reception at the Fellowcraft club.

Excelsior Furnace Goes Into Blast.

Ishpeming, Jan. 11.—The Excelsior furnace has gone into blast after several weeks' idleness and will run on contract for the Cleveland Cliff company until the mammoth new furnace of that company at Gladstone is blown in, which will be in about six weeks.

Death of Ex-Warden Bingham.

Jackson, Jan. 11.—Henry H. Bingham died Friday afternoon of inflammation of the lungs. Mr. Bingham had lived here 50 years. He was warden of the state prison under Gov. Baldwin, and held the place four years. Mr. Bingham was 82 years old.

A PROUD RECORD.

Not a Passenger Killed on Michigan Railroads Last Year.

Lansing, Jan. 13.—The annual report of Simeon R. Billings, commissioner of railroads, says that during the year 1895 there were constructed in Michigan 97 miles of new road and that there were approved 15 maps of new lines, representing a total of 207 miles. During the year two roads were taken from the hands of the receivers, after being sold on mortgages, and the companies reorganized. A receiver was appointed for but one road. There are 7,585 miles of track operated in Michigan. Eighty companies, an increase of two, filed reports for the year. Of this number, 69 do a general railroad business, seven are used for the transportation of forest and mining products exclusively, while two provide transfer and two terminal facilities. Commissioner Billings says that the private mining and logging roads invariably escape railway taxation, owing to the fact that they are subject to taxation the same as other property, and the recommendation is made that all private roads be placed under the general railroad law, and be required to pay a specific tax and be amenable to the police regulations enacted for the protection of railroad employes. The reports filed with the commissioner show that not a single passenger was killed during the year by a railroad accident, but two met death through their own negligence. The report condemns the law requiring companies to sell 1,000-mile tickets for two-thirds the fare ordinarily charged, denouncing this provision as one which requires discrimination instead of forbidding it. The recommendation is made that the laws be amended so as to require each road or class of roads to charge but one price for the same service, and make such price as low as its earning capacity will allow.

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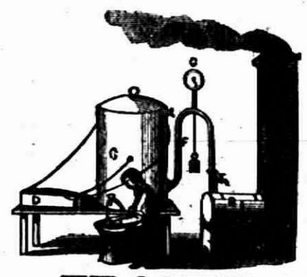

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Everybody on board the Australia was awake early, eager to catch the first glimpse of land. Our voyage, though a short one, owing to unfavorable weather, seemed long. We were assured it was the worst voyage the Australia has made for years.

Day dawned slowly, and the dark outline of the silent priest became more and more distinct. A murmur of voices arose from the passengers below, who were tumbling out of their berths, and hurriedly dressing. I had been sitting watching Father Pamphile but a short time when two bells struck. Just then Mr. Waterhouse, who had long been authority on matters concerning the islands, came up and said we were approaching and would soon be in sight of Oahu. He said Molokai was off on our larboard. During the night we had been within three miles of it, but owing to the darkness the captain had put about and stood out to sea, instead of going in at once.

In a little while it was light enough for us to see Molokai lying like a cloud mist on our left. It was difficult at first to distinguish between the dimly outlined mountain ranges and the clouds. In a few moments Oahu could be seen ahead of us. First we discerned the long needle-like point of land called Kualoa Point, and then Mukapu Point, between which and Koko Head lies a valley in which is the Waimanola Plantation. An approaching steamer is first seen from this plantation, and its arrival telephoned to Honolulu.

So we glided on over the summer sea, a hundred pairs of anxious eyes drinking in the beautiful scene. Some one softly hummed:

"Land ahead, its fruits are waving
O'er the hills of fadeless green....."

When we came nearer still, we could see the green fields of a sugar plantation in the valley. This valley from our distance did not seem over a hundred square rods in area, tho' it really covers several thousand acres. Like specks of snow the houses could be seen nestling in orange groves or among waving palms and other trees of the tropics, the tall cocoanuts fairly towering into the sky.

A school of dolphins soon attracted our attention. They were shooting all about the ship, and could be seen skimming through the clear water, occasionally leaping entirely out of it, and then plunging head first back again. A cloud of small flying fish next appeared trying to escape from the vessel, or perhaps from the sharks, which abound in these waters.

Rabbit Island next came into view near the shore, looking from the ship like a long barren rock. This island is historically interesting as being the place where the arms were landed in January, 1895, when the rebels attempted to overthrow the young republic. Koko Head, an extinct volcano, was passed and, beyond, Diamond Head lay in plain view. We were told that when we had passed that we would be able to see the Bay of Honolulu.

Diamond Head is also an extinct volcano. It has a crater or hollow basin, and projects out to sea in a way that makes it a valuable point to fortify. Properly entrenched, Diamond Head would be impregnable. This mountain also has historic interest. In January, 1895, the rebels, having been driven from the valley below, took a position in this stronghold, which they held until forced out by the soldiers of the republic. From there they fled to the mountains.

The long, low shore, extending from Diamond Head to the city, lay on our right. Tall cocoanuts and waving palms, date trees and banana plantations, with the far receding hills of fadeless green, formed an enchanting scene. The pilot boat, a mere speck at first, was coming toward us, and growing larger each moment. In addition to the pilot, it brought Dr. Wood, of the Board of Health. Since the cholera in September last, the Board of Health, has been more than usually careful about incoming ships. Great caution is taken with vessels from China and Japan especially. One ship from Japan was detained forty-eight hours in quarentine before she was permitted to land a single passenger or any part of her cargo.

With the pilot boat came several gentlemen to meet their wives and children on the Australia, and there were numerous happy greetings.

"Ah, papa! There is my papa!" cried the voice of a happy child on the right.

"How are you, Charlie?"

"Have you all been well?"

"What sort of a voyage have you had?"

"Choppy and rough!"

A hundred like greetings rang out over the ship's side, while those who had friends and relatives in the pilot boat were dancing with joy. There were others who were disappointed. All the husbands and fathers could not meet wives and children, and I heard one little curly-headed boy of six who had strained his eyes to make out a well-beloved form remark with a sigh:

"Everybody's papa come but mine. He don't love me."

The Australia is an old acquaintance in Honolulu, and her advent was greeted with glad cheers and shouts of joy. Some of the little boats of the Kanaka boys ran along side of us, their owners giving cheer after cheer. The simple fellows often leaped from their canoes to the ladder suspended over the vessel's side, and came on board.

At last we came alongside the dock, and it seemed as if the whole town had turned out to meet us; the dock was literally lined with people; a sea of faces, most of them of the dark-skinned Kanaka, were upturned toward us. Continuous shouts and yells came from below, and when the gang plank was thrown out, the people came rushing on board to greet relatives and friends.

Those who expected to go ashore at once, were doomed to disappointment. The tide of humanity rushed on board, and we were driven back to our staterooms. Then came a long worry over baggage. Three or four expressmen were on board, taking up checks and the numbers of berths, and instructing everybody to wait patiently until the uproar had subsided, and then make our way to the dock where the custom house officials would go through our luggage.

I sank into a steamer chair with as much resignation as a man can have, to wait until everybody got done shaking hands and saying:

"How are you?"

"Well, how have you been?"

"First rate, have you got over your cholera scare?"

"Yes, how did you leave 'Erisco? and how did the elections go?"

When the excitement which followed our arrival had somewhat subsided, I determined to try to make my way on shore. With an arctic overcoat on my arm I descended from the gang plank, wiping the perspiration from my face, and approached the overworked custom-house officials. There were a hundred or more people present, each anxious to have his or her trunk, handbag, or valise inspected first. The officers were busy opening every sort of satchel and traveling convenience, and plunging their hands into soiled linen, and superannuated neck-ties, and other sacred articles of apparel. In one valise were found some pistol cartridges which were seized by the customhouse officer, who made their owner dive into his hip-pocket and pull out the revolver, which with the cartridges was held until he could prove he was not a filibuster, but a man of good character. Another gentleman had a Winchester rifle in his trunk, which was taken charge of in the same manner. The arms were receipted for, and upon proof that the person having them was a peaceful citizen, a permit was given to carry them.

After a long, wearisome wait, the inspection of my own baggage came. This trying ordeal over, I passed through the street, where I met a Kanake coachman who asked:

"Wantee la carriage?"

"Yes, take me to the Arlington," I answered, and jumping into his one-horse surrey, I was driven to the hotel, through an avenue of palm, date and fig trees. I seemed to have suddenly entered an immense flower garden. Alighting I asked the driver his fare. He answered:

"Two bits."

Shillings, quarters, and cents are never used in Hawaii. Twenty-five cents is two bits, fifty cents four bits, and seventy-five cents, six bits.

No one had yet appeared to welcome me. I saw some people on the lanna, or porch, and some monkeys in a cage, but none seemed to have any special interest in my arrival. I stepped upon the lanna and then a lady appeared and called a Chinaman, telling him to take me to No. 16. The almond-eyed Celestial picked up my valise and gave my overcoat a stare. That overcoat was as much a curiosity in the city as a native Samoan in full dress would be in New York or Chicago.

We had only gone as far as the passageway between the two houses when a Japanese girl, with hair puffed and feet bare, came running toward us chattering like a monkey. She took my valise, and John Chinaman disappeared. The lady Jap then went out into a vast court laid out in regular walks bordered by tall palms, cocoanut trees, banana plants, and every variety of bright foliage and flowering shrub of the tropics. The air was burdened with the sweetest of perfumes, and the gentle cooing of ring doves floated about me. It seemed more of a park than a hotel. On either side were rows of neat little cottages, all belonging to the hotel, and all embowered in the verdure of the tropics.

My female escort, carrying my valise, walked down the lawn path, I following. We soon passed through a gate into the street. Turning abruptly to the left, she entered another building and ascended a flight of stairs, with me, carrying my overcoat and perspiring at every pore, bringing up the rear. In a wide corridor above, we were met by another Japanese called Ito, who took my valise to room No. 16.

My apartment was large and sunny. A great window opened on the porch on the west, and I sank into a seat, for a few moments gazing out upon a rear court. The scene was bathed in the sunlight of June, although I was told that this was as cold weather as one might ever expect in Honolulu. The houses in Honolulu, by the way, are constructed without furnaces or other heating apparatus. There is but one fire-place for heating on the island, which is at the volcano-house on Hawaii.

Though Honolulu is a tropical town in every respect, it is impossible for one to be ashore five minutes without realizing that, after all, the energy and propelling power in this wonderful land are not tropical, but Anglo-Saxon. Wherever there is directing energy or organizing power, or enterprise, or action, there one will find the American. Americanism predominates in the intelligent and ruling spirits of the Islands. This is shown in a hundred ways. The very republic was declared on the fourth of July in order that the day might be doubly endeared to the hearts of the people. Almost as much interest is manifested here in the affairs of the United States as in the States themselves. The results of the elections and the policy of the administration are watched with the keenest interest.

The American is chief in business and politics. He is in the church, the school, the counting-room, on the railroad, and steamer; at the dry-dock and the foundry; at the lumber yard, at the mill, and the tow-boat. He is on the wharf when you land, on the street as you pass, at the hotel when you register. Nothing goes on successfully without him. He fills teeth, cuts hair, mends shoes, builds houses, shoes horses, mends coffee-pots, sells furniture, medicines and hardwares, and fits clothes. In fact, you rub up against him everywhere, at least where there is evidence of combined intelligence and progress.

In hospitality the people of Honolulu have no superiors. The traveler is received with the warmth of the South, and no pains are spared to make him comfortable.

Leap Year.

The present year of grace, 1896, enjoys the distinction of being the last leap year of the 19th century. The year 1900, which ends the century, is not a leap year, and consequently February will not have the 29th day until 1904.

Many people are mystified by the fact that 1900 is not a leap year. This is because the rule for leap year is not fully understood. Most people assume that it happened every fourth year—reasoning that the revolution of the earth around the sun is accomplished in 365 1-4 days, and that the fraction makes just a day every fourth year.

But the time of the earth's yearly revolution is not exactly 365 days, 6 hours. It is 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 49.62 seconds. The Gregorian rule is, that every common year which can be exactly divided by four, and every centurial year which can be exactly divided by 400, are to be leap years. In 400 years there is a difference of only 23.38 seconds, which only amounts to a day in 3,866 years.

Hence, 1900 is not a leap year, because it is not divisible exactly by 400, while 2000 will be the next centurial leap year.

General Harrison on the Presidency.

Ex-President Benjamin Harrison will discuss "The Presidential Office" very comprehensively in his "This Country of Ours" series in the forthcoming February Ladies' Home Journal. He will detail the provisions and methods of electing a Chief Magistrate, and will have much to say bearing upon the eligibility of a president for re-election; will give his views as to the length of the Presidential term, and express rather decided opinions relative to the annoyance to which Presidents are subjected from office-seekers. The article is practical, based upon experience and observation, and is very timely. Gen. Harrison believes that the fears (expressed by the framers of our Constitution) that the power of the office is such as to enable an ambitious incumbent to secure an indefinite succession of terms have never been realized.

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

C. J. Brunskill, the young "phenom," has signed with the Toledo's and will twirl the sphere for the coming season.

Adrian Times: David M. Aldrich, the Cambridge man charged by his wife for assault and battery, was acquitted by a jury in Justice Humphrey's court, at 8 o'clock Monday evening.

Adrian Press. The Clinton Plow Co. has secured the services of Peter Van-Huffel, of South Bend, for Superintendent of the works up there. In less than three weeks, Ed. Smith, Will. Kimball and By. Randall will yell "Hello Pete"—just the same as though he had lived there a whole year.

What is known as the Perrin comet is now visible to the unassisted eye. It is located in the eastern constellation Libra and is heading toward the sun at a rattling pace. If you want to gaze upon this fast visitor, rise early, and about 5.15 a. m., look at the horizon a little south of east, and you'll see it, if you have luck.

Monroe Democrat: An Adrian milk dealer sold his business and agreed not to re-engage in it for three years; but he started a new route and solicited his old customers. The other dealer enjoined him and his milk business is re-strained. If a re-strainer were served on other dealers there would be fewer hairs in the coffee.

Grant Fellows, of Hudson, will address the Lincoln club at Grand Rapids Feb. 12, and the Alger club, Detroit, on the 23d of that month. Grant is a favorite orator, successful lawyer and very popular in this country. He is also one of the rising factors of the G. O. P. in this district and political honors can be predicted for him.

Mercury is an evening star throughout the month, and toward its close is in good position for observation. It comes to greatest eastern elongation on Jan. 23d, and sets about an hour after sunset. Venus is a morning star, but it is beginning to approach the sun, and does not rise as early as in December. It is seldom we are offered as good an opportunity to see the planet Mercury, which has its home so near the sun. The mercury must stand pretty high there, too.

Adrian Times: John Wildley, aged 66, an inmate of the county house, committed from Clinton, died early Saturday morning, from an abscess. The fact that Sunday followed the day of death, was the only thing that saved the remains from being sent so Ann Arbor, railroad connections making their transportation impossible on that day. The law requires that a body shall not be shipped until twenty-four hours, after death, and not after the expiration of twenty-six hours. Wildley had relatives in Macon, but they refused to bury the remains.

Adrian Press: Alf James, of Tecumseh, and Miss Metta McBride, of the same place, were married last evening. Our old friend has the warmest congratulations of the Press upon the step taken by him, and upon his choice of a life partner. Tecumseh ladies are advised that there are several available candidates for the degree of husbandry over there, and that this, the last leap year of the century, is a splendid opportunity for the ladies to cure them of their bashfulness. Go profit by the example, in this case, young ladies of Tecumseh.

List of patents granted Michigan inventors: M. Berdan, Plymouth, fence wire tightener; G. W. Bond, Adrian, achorage for fence posts; T. Craney, Bay City, process of and apparatus for making carbonate of soda; L. B. Dent, Grand Rapids, caster; H. Eckert, Marine City, device for lowering or raising carriage tops; J. H. Gailey, Detroit, inhaler; W. G. Latimer, Detroit, speed indicating alarm; W. A. Pendry, Detroit, inhaler; C. J. Schwarze, Adrian, telephonic apparatus; J. F. Shepard, Jackson, wagon brake; A. Smith, Traverse City, oar lock; L. Warfield, Detroit, motor truck.

An exchange says: A story is told to the effect that a married lady of a certain city had a birthday anniversary a few days since, when her husband presented her with a handsome banquet lamp. He was very much flattered when she told him she intended to give it his name, until he asked her the reason for such a peculiar proceeding. "Well," said she, "you know, dear, it has a good deal of brass about it, is handsome to look at, requires a good deal of attention, it is not remarkably brilliant, it is sometimes unsteady on its legs, liable to explode when half full, flares occasionally, always out at bedtime and is bound to smoke."

Baldness is often preceded or accompanied by grayness of the hair. To prevent both baldness and grayness, use Hall's Hair Renewer, an honest remedy. 1w

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 24, 1896.

Charles Ellis was in Adrian Saturday.

Hiram Saxton was calling on Tecumseh friends Monday.

G. R. Gillespie made a business trip to Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Subscriptions for the Herald taken at the postoffice. Only $1.00.

G. R. Wolfe and wife entertained friends the first of the week.

They are to have a boy choir at the Episcopal church next month.

George Story visited his son Al at Newburg the first of the week.

Horace Tuthill of Dakota, is visiting friends in this vicinity this week.

VanTuyle Bros. shipped two cars of cattle last Saturday from Tecumseh.

All business places close this week at 7:30 p. m., on account of revival meetings.

Mrs. J. S. Kies visited Editor Field and family Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The regular meeting of the blue lodge F. and A. M. will be held tomorrow evening.

Spencer Case, of Manchester, visited his daughter, Mrs. A. F. Kispaugh Wednesday.

Miss Belle Gordanier, of Manchester, was the guest of Mrs. Albert Kishpaugh last Friday.

I. S. Osborne, of Eldy, New Mexico, was the guest of W. S. Whittlesey on Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Keyser, of Tecumseh, was the guest of her son Charles and family over Sunday.

Lester Coller and wife and Lavern Sage, of Macon, were calling on Clinton friends Sunday.

Bainbridge & Hause attended the funeral of Richard Jones at the M. E. church, Tipton, Tuesday.

A. H. St. John and H. W. Saxton were in Tecumseh Tuesday. The latter had business with Treasurer Gen. Marsden.

A public dancing party is to be given at the town hall this evening, with Bert Jones as floor manager.

Will R. Muir was quite sick the last of the week, but was able to take his place at the block Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan returned from Toledo Monday noon. She left her sister, Mrs. Soules, very comfortable and on the gain.

Miss Adah Cullen, of Tecumseh, who has been the guest of Mrs. Chris Wallinger, several days this week, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Woodward, who came to install the tent officers last Friday night, returned to her home in Hudson Saturday afternoon.

The men of this community are exceedingly polite to the ladies just at present. All are anxious for an invitation to the leap year party.

They say that George VanGieson has commenced crimping his hair for the party, the 29th and Darr Bainbridge is practicing the highland fling.

Rev. J. Heritage again filled the Baptist pulpit Sunday. It has seemed good to have him among us as of yore. He left Monday morning for Chicago.

The Episcopal social will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. VanDeMark's next Thursday afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Garland Gillespie rather enjoys playing the good samaritan, providing he is not disturbed of his sleep until after 2 a. m. He draws the line at that hour.

Will D. St. John arrived from Chicago Wednesday morning, for a visit with friends in the place of his nativity, his son, who is traveling on the road, was here yesterday.

The Baptist society have not as yet extended a call to any minister but the committee are in correspondence with several and it is expected that ere long one will be secured.

On account of the mission in St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, the services at St. John's Episcopal church will be at the hour of 2:30 p. m. instead of 10:30 a. m. Sunday week at the usual hour.

The Pardee vs. Groomes law suit which was to come before Squire Smith last Monday was adjourned one week. It will be tried at the town hall next Monday at 10 a. m. It ought to be very fine sport.

Many invitations are out for a leap year party to be given at the town hall Wednesday evening Jan. 29th. Supper will be served at the Elrose. Anyone acquainted with the Clinton ladies know it will be a grand success.

John T. Clark last week shipped seven fine Jersey heifers to Oskosh and one to Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, and yesterday he shipped two to Grand Rapids, Michigan. They were all of the celebrated St. Lambert strain. People know where to find choice Jerseys.

The Elrose is now very nice and cosy and the traveling public will find good accommodations. The house, all through, is well heated, and lighted with electricity, the dining room attractive and well served. No doubt Mrs. Rose will have her share of patronage.

The many friends of Miss Emma Saxton will be pained to learn that she is very ill in Chicago. Although the latest advises are more encouraging, she is still not out of danger. She is having every attention from skilled attendants and a renowned lady physician.

W. Hubbel Smith, who suffered another shock of paralysis recently, is very low, and but slight hopes are entertained for his recovery as he is way up in the seventies and this stroke affects one entire side. He cannot help himself and is unable to speak, although he seems to understand what is said to him.

Friday last was a great day for the Maccabee orders here. Their installation services were very interesting and nicely rendered, and were witnessed by not only a large number of fraters from here and abroad, but many who are not members of the orders. As heretofore, the ladies carried off the honors. Their movements were both graceful and perfect, and their march was the delight of all. There were over twenty-five knights from Manchester, beside some from Tipton, Macon and Tecumseh. The banquet was fine and enjoyed by the entire company.

The meeting of the council last Thursday evening was very pleasant. The grand lecturer, Mr. Bisbee, of Benton Harbor, was present, the work exemplified on three candidates and followed by a banquet. A number from Britton and Tecumseh were present.

The editor of the Clinton paper recently had a personal notice presented for publication. It was quite funny but he had not forgotton a late experience he had, so thought he would consult one of the parties before publishing it, he did so and the information he received was of so positive a character the notice did not appear in the columns of the Local.

The special services conducted by Evangelists Stevenson and Bell have continued during the week with increasing interest. Sunday was a great day. The audience in the evening was the largest for such an occasion, that has been seen in Clinton for a long time. The union Sunday school was a marvel, both to the eyes and ears, while the union Young People's meeting was an especially impressive session. All the services, including the morning and afternoon prayer meetings, have been well attended and helpful. A goodly number have already decided and taken a stand for Christ. Mr. Stevenson preaches the gospel; Mr Bell sings it. Both have won their way into multitudes of hearts and will go away with scores of friends in Clinton. Next Sunday will be a great day, and perhaps the closing of the series of meetings. There will be a prayer meeting at 9:45 preaching at 10:30, Sabbath school at 12:00 young peoples meeting at 5:45, and preaching at 7:00. Each Sunday school will meet in its own church. All the rest of the services will be held in the Congregational church, excepting the young people's meeting, which will be held in the Methodist church. At this meeting Mr. Stevenson will talk on the subject of "Popular Amusements"—dancing card playing, and theatre going. Some are honestly perplexed on this subject; others are willingly victimized and led captive at Satan's will. All come and hear this address.

ONSTED ODDS.

Byron Sheeler visited at Dundee recently.

Regular review of tent and hive Tuesday evening.

J. F. Brooks is entertaining a sister from Wisconsin.

Revival meetings commenced in the church Sunday evening.

E. Gallop and wife, of Napoleon, visited at S. G. Aten's recently.

A teachers' meeting was held last Saturday, with a fair attendance.

Mrs. Susan Sheeler, of Jefferson, is calling on old friends and neighbors.

Geo. Onsted is able to be around, after being confined to the house with rheumatism.

Mr. Conkling, of Adrian, was in town last Friday taking an invoice of stock in his branch store here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Halsted, of East Rome, called on friends in this vicinity on Thursday of last week.

Remember that the regular meeting of the F. & A. M. will be held Jan. 29 and that a good attendance is expected.

There is a big call for straw in this locality, and if any one has an old straw stack he can get a good price for it this spring.

The ice houses of this vicinity have been filled with good, nice ice, and the outlook for lots of ice cream next summer is very favorable.

The Rollin Maccabees initiated their officers at their hall on Monday afternoon of last week. Some of the Sir Knights of this vicinity were present.

Call at A. J. Vansalldale and get your groceries, as he keeps a nice assortment; then subscribe for The Tecumseh Herald, and you and your wife will be happy.

The friends of Rev. Hawley gave him a pound social one evening last week, and the result was that he received nearly a wagon load of supplies, and he stood the pounding real well.

The K. O. T. M. and L. O. T. M. installed their officers on Tuesday evening of last week and ended up with an oyster banquet. Everyone enjoyed themselves to their heart's content.

Our noted lawyer, Frank Kinney, was in Adrian Monday of last week on a defense case, but as the jury did not agree, he had to go again Monday to mingle his voice along with other noted lawyers of the metropolis.

S. J. Fish and M. Long have exchanged places of business. Mr. Fish now occupies the building as a barber shop where Mr. Long's harness shop was, and Mr. Long "vice versa" the same as Aunt Temantha Allen said at Saratoga.

It looks as though Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, was sitting astride of the fence these days, as he is publishing a good old democratic paper and preaching Populist "doctoring." Now why don't he get down off the fence, on one side or the other, so as to save the wear and tear of that part of his pants which comes in contact with the top rail?

FRANKLIN FACTS.

Luman Dening was not so well last week.

G. W. Allen and Irene are sick with colds, also Mr. Abe Hunt.

Watson Hunt lost a horse last Wednesday. Watson is still in Iowa.

Mrs. Rance Mills fell last Sunday, breaking her leg and putting her ankle out of joint.

L. E. Taylor has been hauling some fine logs to the logway at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's where Charley Avery's portable saw mill is expected soon.

Remember the lyceum at J. C. VanDoren's Saturday night. There was no debate at Clark Payne's, as a number of the speakers had gone to hear Ingersoll. The same question will be discussed at VanDoren's.

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If You Have, Here's the Way to Rid Yourself of the Weariness and Pain Attending It.

Some people suffer with headaches, many people are worn out and weary all the time, many more people have lame back and backache. Few people understand the real cause of their aches, and fewer yet know how easily they can find a cure. Just a word of explanation before we prove that what we say is true. The back is the key-note of the kidneys. It aches; that's a sign that the kidneys are not working properly; it is lame; another sign, the kidneys are out of order. The kidneys, you know, are the filters of the blood, but filters sometimes get clogged up. This means in their case that the blood courses through the entire system impregnated with poisonous uric acid, bringing on many a disorder which, if neglected, means disease perhaps incurable. And now about the cure:—Don't take our word for it, read what others say:

Mr. David C. Oaks is proprietor of the well known hardware and paint shop at 220 East Main Street, Kalamazoo. Mr. Oaks has suffered a great deal from kidney ailments; he described his condition and cure as follows: "I had a bad, lame back, which I suppose was caused by my kidneys; was confined to my bed during bad attacks. I might say, from time to time, I have been in that condition for years. The urinary organism was affected, urine being scanty, highly colored, and difficult in passage. I was in a bad shape when I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, about which I had heard. I have used now two boxes of them, and the pills have removed all the pain and trouble. There was a marked improvement right from the first, and it has continued right along. Doan's Kidney Pills are the right thing in the right place."

For sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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The peacock throne of the Persian Gulf is famous for supplies to vessels.

It will [illegible] wearing. It is not claimed that it will [illegible] complaint. But we cannot say that it will cure every case of dyspepsia, but we do say the majority of those who use it are advanced to its use will derive immediate benefit. One [illegible] trial sent to test.

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Hood's pills [illegible] operate. [illegible]

Experiments [illegible] of helium as 4

I am an old soldier of the rebellion. A year ago I was in bed all winter with chronic [illegible]. Three doctors failed to give [illegible]. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters put me on my feet. It is worth its weight in gold.—W. B. Knapp, Lieutenant, Hillsdale Co., Mich. 2w

The latest device [illegible] is attached to the outer end of [illegible] of the handles, and is operated by the thumb of one hand.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Byron A. Reed, administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of February next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A true Copy).
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 13th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Clemens executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to said last will and testament and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday the 10th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register

MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to Joseph Russell all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range three (3) east, containing of both parcels eighty acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal annual installments next ensuing the first day of September, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in Liber 9 of Mortgages, on page 781, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof or any instalment of principal or any part thereof, on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 9-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon to accrue, costs of this foreclosure and sale, including the attorney fee provided by law, I shall, on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee County, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises above described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH RUSSELL,
Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Att'y for Mortgagee.

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Harper's Magazine

IN 1896.

Briseis, a new novel by William Black, written with all the author's well known charm of manner, will begin in the December number, 1895, and continue until May. A new novel by George du Maurier, entitled The Martian, will also begin during the year. It is not too much to say that no novel has ever been awaited with such great expectation as the one by the author of Trilby. The Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc will continue and will relate the story of the failure and martyrdom of the Maid of Orleans. Other important fiction of the year will be a novelette by Mark Twain, under the title of Tom Sawyer, Detective; a humorous farce-novel by Owen Wister, called Two Gentlemen from Philadelphia; stories from Rudyard Kipling, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Thomas Nelson Page, Richard Harding Davis, Mary E. Wilkins, Julian Ralph, Brander Matthews, Owen Wister, and other well known writers.

Prof. Woodrow Wilson will continue his papers on George Washington and his times, with illustrations by Howard Pyle. Poultney Bigelow's history of the German struggle for Liberty, illustrated by R. Caton Woodville, will be continued through the winter. Two popular articles—Clair's defeat and Mad Anthony Wayne's victory—by Theodore Roosevelt, with great illustrations will be printed during the year.

A noteworthy feature of the MAGAZINE during 1896 will be a series of articles by Mr. Whitney, describing his trip of 1,000 miles on snow-shoes and with dog sleds, across the unexplored Barren Grounds of British North America in pursuit of wood-bison and musk-ox. Mr. Whitney's series will have the added interest of being illustrated from photographs taken by himself.

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IN 1896.

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In carrying out this policy, in 1896, Julian Ralph visited China and Japan, and journeyed through the West; Richard Harding Davis took a trip through the Caribbean Sea; the evolutions of the new navy were described and illustrated by Rufus F. Zogbaum; Frederic Remington presented studies of Army and Frontier life; Poultney Bigelow attended the opening of the Kiel Canal.

In 1896 like attention will be given to every notable happening. The chief events in art, literature, and music and the drama will be artistically presented. W. D. Howells, in the new department "Life and Letters" will discuss in his interesting way books and the social questions of the time. E. S. Martin's sprightly gossip of the Busy World will be continued. The progress of the Transportation Commission around the World will be followed and Caspar W. Whitney will conduct the department of Amateur Sport.

In 1896 will occur a Presidential election. In its editorials and through its political cartoons the WEEKLY will continue to be an independent advocate of good government and sound money.

In fiction the WEEKLY will be especially strong. It will publish the only novel of the year by W. D. Howells, and a stirring serial of Scotch feud, by S. R. Crockett. The short stories selected are of unusual excellence and interest. In every respect HARPER'S WEEKLY will maintain its leading place in the illustrated journalism of the world.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Orange.

Blossoms.

Presently.

Cold, wet, and icy

Art Lee was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

Lots of cloudy, rainy weather. Subscribe now.

A number of our citizens were in Adrian Wednesday.

You can buy your Hood's Sarsaparilla of Lenardson Bros.

Lenardson Bros. are filling their ice house with congealed ice.

Milo Osterhout and wife are visiting friends in Hillsdale this week.

Ben Pulver was over from Adrian Sunday calling on his old time friends.

Quite a number of the friends of Miss Bertha Britton gave her a surprise last evening.

Rev. Deyo will preach at the Sweet school house east of Britton next Sunday at 2 p. m.

The Odd Fellows, of Milan, will give a ball tonight. Several couples will attend from here.

Two members were initiated at the regular meeting of the Maccabees last Tuesday night.

It is rumored that Chas. DuBois was recently injured by catching onto a one horse sleigh.

Eight decks of live stock and several car loads of hay were shipped over the Wabash last week.

You can now buy a perfection washer of Jas. Haight & Co. for $4.00. They are a bargain at that price.

Mike Conway, the well known road master of the C. J. & M., took dinner at the Bannister last Tuesday.

I. S. Osborn shook hands with Britton friends last Tuesday on his way from Eddy, N. M., to Tecumseh.

The Lake Ridge mail carrier came very nearly loosing a fine rooster in Britton. Bad place to bring a rooster.

This town has the best location for a hay store in southern Michigan. We invite any good business man to look up the prospects.

Sam Underwood and wife and James Haight and wife were entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Eb. Price Wednesday evening.

Ed. Bachman has completed a fine cabinet and desk for Dr. Hardy which is a beautiful piece of work and would be a credit to any cabinet maker.

The new building just by the Wabash is now enclosed and also has a roof. It is still a topic of conversation in Britton as to what use the new edifice will be put when completed.

Favorite Prescription, Golden Medical Discovery, Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, Ransom's Cough Syrup, Paine's Celery Compound and pills till you can't rest at Lenardson Bros,

A certain young man of Ridgeway made quite a mistake in the identity of a lady at the church recently. However, as the gentleman claims that one lady is the same to him as all others, it makes little difference.

George Exelby and Fred Morrell were appointed arbitrators in the Allen case and arranged to have the principals divide the goods and seperate. Good idea too. Better tender your services to the Venezuelan commission.

The Maccabee Dramatic club, of Holloway, are on the boards to give a presentation of the striking drama, "At Bay with the enemy," in Exelby hall tomorrow evening. The admission is 10 and 15c. Turn out and hear them.

Rev. Deyo, who has filled the pulpit of the Christian church several times of late with much satisfaction, has been chosen pastor for the coming year. This action was taken at a meeting of the church held last Monday.

E. L. Teeple, who has rented Harvey Gelling's studio, will be at Britton every Tuesday for the purpose of taking pictures and doing all kinds of photography. Mr. Teeple is not excelled as an artist in this county, and our people will do well to patronize him.

The K. O. T. M. and L. O. T. M's. will hold a joint installation of their officers in the opera house at Britton on the evening of the 31st. inst., the Past Commanders of their respective organizations officiating. The exercises in the opera house will be open to the public. Immediately after these exercises a banquet will be spread in the K. O. T. M. hall to which members of the two orders and their families are invited. By order of executive committee.

It's a little early in the season to open up show buisness but it is understood that some of our enterprising sports are getting ready and already have a fine fighting tiger in close confinement near the railroad. The animal is very tame to those who have once seen it, but very wary of strangers, and the way it is confined to get your money is a caution. The proprietors gave a sort of preliminary side show or curtain raiser last Sunday on the Wabash track, which is reported to be a first class fistic bout, but rather fizzled out into a family row. The Palmer aggregation had better improve the character of their bout or it will mean failure for them either remain in town or go on the road.

People who have family rows, generally set aside Sunday for that purpose. Britton was unfortunate enough to be treated to a couple of these felicitous demonstrations last Sabbath. Frank Allen, who lived with his wife on Norm Pixley's farm, indulged in a set too with his beloved spouse, in which he used a hammer as his chief argument in maintaining his rights as lord and master. The good housewife replied with a warrant, which summoned him before Justice Oliver Tuesday. He gallantly plead guilty to the charge of assault and battery and sold his fatted calf and chickens to pay the fine of $5.00 and costs. The fine was paid but not to Mrs. Allen, as she was counting on. The question arose in her, and the case was a mere misunderstanding compared with the mandamus she delivered in court. It was mostly a man-us and we doubt if the court will ever venture to assume jurisdiction in such a case again.

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Chicken Pox has broken out in the school.

Buy buggy and harness oil of Smith & Schmidt.

Jessie Frost, of Macon, called on relatives Friday.

Mrs. Ed. Palmer is under the doctor's care at present writing.

J. D. Arner was confined to the house a couple of days, with a cold.

Lawrence Rappleye visited friends at Dundee Sunday afternoon.

Remember the Annual Donation will be held at the church Friday night of this week.

Mrs. Frank Montgomery, of Tecumseh, called on friends in the village Saturday.

Rev. Edward Palmer and family, of Covert, Mich., are visiting his parents at present.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and daughter Lelia, went to Toledo Tuesday evening for a weeks visit with friends.

There were quite a number from Macon, Tecumseh and Britton in attendance at the Silver Medal contest given Friday night.

N. Everet Dictmus, of Farmers Village N. Y., was in the village renewing old acquaintance and visiting friends during the past week.

The attendance at the W. C. T. U. parlor meeting, held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sutton, was unusually large and a marked interest manifested by all present.

Smith & Schmidt break the record in Lenawee county on rolled oats, by giving 16lbs. of the best for 25c. See their reduced price list on the first page.

Palmer A. Hamilton and wife, and DeWitt Hamilton and wife, of Elkhart, Ind., were called here Saturday to attend the funeral services of their mother Mrs. Archless Hamilton.

John Temple Graves, the fourth number of the Tecumseh Star course, will be at Sutton's Opera House in Tecumseh, next Monday night, January 27th. Subject: "The reign of the demagogue." Leland T. Powers and George W. Bain, whom many of us have listened to, speak of Mr. Graves in the highest terms.

The funeral services of Mrs. Archless Hamilton, were held at the church Saturday afternoon, Rev. Cansfield officiating. Mrs. Hamilton was among the first settlers here, fully realizing pioneer life. Her last days were spent at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stewart, of Dundee. She leaves an aged companion and several children and a large circle of friends, who will miss her motherly council.

The following clipping from the Fessenden (N. D.) Advertiser may prove of interest to the many friends of M. D. Snedicor, to learn of his success in the business pursuit of the world among strangers; "M. D. Snedicor, arrived last night from Michigan, and will hereafter have charge of the Smith & Rogers Lumber Co. yards at this place, succeeding Joe Buch. Mr. Snedicor formerly had charge of the company's yards at Cathay and comes here highly reccommended as an efficient, straightforward and trustworthy business man."

The Demorest Silver Medal contest given at the church on Friday evening last week was one of the finest entertainments given here in a long time, and the attendance was large. The contestants were four young ladies from near the Raisin Valley Seminary and two gentlemen from our school, and each one is deserving of the highest praise for the manner in which they presented their selection. The medal was awarded to Miss Eliza Powel, of Raisin. The judges were Rev. J. P. Varner and Dr. Geo. Howell, of Tecumseh, and Prof. Callens, of Britton. Rev. Varner, chairman of the committee, in his usual pleasing manner, presented the successful candidate with the prize. The vocal selections were received with enthusiasm and responded to after a hearty enchore. Master Clare Camburn, of Macon, the 5-year-old cornet soloist, captivated the audience with his selections, receiving a rousing enchore. Prof. DeMuth and Miss Helen Foster, of DeMuth's Orchestra, Toledo, in their selections won new laurels in their art. The net receipts, after paying expenses, were $2.50, which, according to agreement, will be turned over to the treasury of the L. C. S.

Corn poppers all sizes at Smith & Schmidt's.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

The Farmer's Institute occurs at Adrian this week.

Mr. Nathaniel Graham, of West Raisin, was in town Monday.

The Maccabees intend to repeat their play here in the near future.

Rev. C. M. Brown speaks at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday eve.

Mrs. Thompson, of Blissfield, is stopping with her daughter, Mrs. Rothfuss.

Mr. L. C. Winship attended the banquet Friday evening given by Adrian Commandry.

The new Literary Society meets once in two weeks at the church. Everyone cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kishpaugh and Miss Florence visited L. C. Winship and family Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Britton and Carrie E. Winship and Mr. Will Rainie were entertained at the home of Miss Eva Doty, Sunday.

Mrs. Lavern Kelley and Miss Jennie Gordon, of Adrian, attended the installation of L. O. T. M. held at Mr. J. McIntyre's.

The Maccabee's entertainment given Saturday evening at Holloway Hall was very fine and well rendered by the actors, and a fair sized audience was in attendance despite the rainy weather, the play introduced "Odds of the Enemy" was highly appreciated by the audience. Holloway Ochestra furnished the music. Net proceeds $13.00

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After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

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Editor of the Graphic,

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17, '96.

Congressional affairs have not been exciting this week. In the Senate the free coinage substitute for the House bond bill has the right of way as the 'unfinished business," and is daily debated for something like two hours. This program will be continued until the bill is voted upon. Just when that will be has not been decided, but it is believed that the silver Senators, who are doing the most of the talking, will continue the debate until the Utah Senators, both of whom are counted upon to vote for the bill, take their seats. It isn't really necessary to get those two votes to pass the bill; it is merely making assurance doubly sure to wait for them. The silver question is in one respect like the tariff. It is difficult to say anything new about it. The speech that attracted the most attention in the Senate was that of Senator Mills, of Texas, which although upon finance was not either for or against the free coinage bill. Mr. Mills arraigned the administration for its entire financial policy and was especially severe upon national banks; and at its close was complimented by Senator Peffer, who said he regarded it as a justification of the principles of the populist party. How Senator Mills will vote on the free coinage bill seems to be a matter of doubt. It will be remembered that he made a long statement last year over his own signature against the free coinage of silver.

The house has devoted the greater part of the week to the regular Pension and appropriation bill, which carries several important amendments. As usual when this bill is up there has been much oratory in which members, regardless of party, who have a large "old soldier" constituency expressed their undying love, etc., for the brave voters who fought thirty-odd years ago and who also voted to send the orators to Congress, and who will have a chance to do some more voting next November. All of which, men and brethern, is human nature.

If the applause which greeted a reference made by Representative Cummings, of N. Y., to the government making the Pacific railroads disgorge, indicates the sentiment of the House, some positive legislation on that subject may be looked for at this session. Mr. Cummings was making a speech in favor of better treatment for applicants for pensions when he said that if the government needed money it had better make the Pacific railroads disgorge than cut off deserving pensionsrs.

Secretary Hoke Smith has notified the members of the Dawes Indian commission to come to Washington and defend their report on the condition of Indian Territory which is being vigorously attacked by the representatives of the Indians, who are strongly opposed to the bill for establishment of a Territorial government. The fight both for and against that bill is getting decidedly warm.

Chairman Hepburn, of the House committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, has appointed a sub-committee of seven to look after Nicaragua canal legislation. It is expected that President Cleveland will shortly send to Congress a report made by the commission that investigated the route of the canal and the work done thereon, and that the report will be accompanied by a special message defining the President's attitude towards the project.

It is nothing new to say that public opinion is fickle. But a very striking example of its fickleness in Washington is shown by some of the men who were only a short time ago cocksure that nothing could avert war between United States and England. Now these same men are commending England for extending the same protection to Americans residing in the Transvaal republic, where the U. S. has no diplomatic representatives, as to British citizens, and talking about England and the U. S. being natural allies.

The most important political event of the week was the meeting of the National Democratic Committee to select the time and place for the democratic National convention. There was quite a rivalry between the cities which wanted to entertain the convention and its visitors, but today the defeated delegations are fraternizing with the winners and they are all happy—at least, they say they are.

The House tariff bill is still deadlocked in the Senate Finance committee. When it will be reported to the Senate no one seems to know. Those who said it would be reported this week are now saying that it will be reported next week.

The House committee on Territories is now considering the Arizona statehood bill. It is generally predicted that this bill and similar bills for New Mexico and Oklahoma will be favorably reported, but nobody seems to have been able to ascertain Speaker Reed's attitude toward either or all of them. Upon his attitude will depend their fate. The House will most certainly pass them if given opportunity.

OBITUARY.

Catherine Linn Hamilton was born at Lodi, N. Y., May 18, 1818, and died at the residence of her son-in-law, Henry A. Stewart, in Dundee, Monroe Co., Michigan, Jan. 16, 1896, being at the time of her death 77 years and eight months old. She was married to Levi Haynes, in Ridgeway, June 18, 1837, being one of the early settlers of this township and lived to see it cleared up from a wilderness to a now beautiful farming country. Her first husband will be well remembered by the older members of his church, he having died in triumph of living faith Dec. 27, 1860. To this union were born eight children, four daughters and four sons; two of the children dying in their infancy, Hannah L. and Fredrick W. There are fourteen grand children and eight great-grand children. She leaves four brothers and one sister, George Linn, of Wexford county; Chester, John, Simon H., and Polly, her only sister, all of Ridgeway. Her children that are left are Mrs. Annette Crossman and Mrs. Matilda Ide, of Tecumseh; Mrs. Mary A. Stewart, of Dundee; Rev. C. W. Haynes, of Ypsilanti; Dr. John B. Haynes, of Dundee, and Chaster A. Haynes, of Adrian. She was married to Archless Hamilton, of Raisin, July 5th, 1862, and they lived together 33 years an six months. Her step-children were all present at her funeral, Palmer Hamilton and Dewitte Hamilton, of Elkhart, Ind.; William Hamilton, of N. Y., and Joseph Hamilton, of Britton. She was truly a mother to us all. The reunions, which have been so pleasant for us in the past, are no more. A short time before she passed away she said to her son, Charles, "The sky is clear!" and afterward, "I am ready to go." Her wish was that all of her children might be present when she died, and her last desire was granted, as all were at her bedside when she left this world of sin and trials for a robe and a mansion above. Farewell, mother, farewell; we will meet you on that beautiful shore, where we will meet to part no more. Farwell.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Ridgeway, of which she was a member, conducted by the pastor, to whom we extend our thanks, also to the choir who assisted in the service. HER CHILDREN.

Mrs. Michael Brodrick, mother of Mrs. P. H. Manning, of Detroit, Mrs. J. M. Burleson, of Macon, and Mrs. O. M. Palmer, of Tecumseh, who had suffered long and patiently since the first of last September, died Saturday Jan. 11th 1896, at 9 o'clock, with her three daughters by her side to care for her in her last moments and they wish to thank kind friends and neighbors who assisted in caring for her at the time of her death.

Table Talk.

Kate Douglas Wiggin has written an excellent article for the January issue of Table Talk, on Shall our Daughters Study Kindergarten, and it is followed by the usual departments so helpful to housekeepers and home-makers alike.

Besides the many good recipes to be found in its pages, an article on Market News will be most useful to all who are not sure of the best piece of meat to buy for certain dishes, and menus are also given for every day in the month. Twelfth Day and its entertainments; Nursery Hygiene, Wedding Fads and Fancies, Lace and its History, Father Time's Reception,—one suitable to New Year's Day, the latest fashions of the day, etc., are dealt with. If you do not know this little magazine, avail yourselves of the liberal offer made to our readers, which is that a sample copy will be sent free to anyone addressing Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

High School Happenings.

Miss Ora Bowen visited the A room last Friday.

Miss Edna Potter called on the A room Tuesday.

Miss Florence Kispaugh visited the A. room last Thursday.

Mr. Roberts, of Chicago, visited the high school last Friday.

Mr. Howard Mortimer favored the A room with a call Wednesday p. m.

The first half of the year has been an uneventful one except for hard study.

Sam McClure while out on a furlough, made the A room a short call Friday.

Mr. J. R. TenBrook, who teaches the Newberg school, was a visitor in the high school Wednesday p. m.

The Geometry class will soon complete Plane Geometry and then comes that much dreaded examination.

Miss Wimple has been absent two days on account of sickness, and Miss Anna Gamble has been filling the vacancy.

The first part of the year closes with the following examinations: Physiology, Algebra II, U. S. History, Physical Geography, Grammar, General History, English I, and Chemistry.

Quite a startling catastrophe took place in the A room Monday. Will Hicks who is noted as one of the most wide-awake boys of the room, was found unconscious. It is generally thought that it was caused by sleep.

Rev. J. P. Varner, in response to an invitation from Mr. Kellogg, favored the students of the high school, Wednesday with a half hour address on the subject of good habits and character as relates to one's business success. He handled the subject well and we earnestly hope he has impressed it upon the minds of some who will soon "paddle their own canoe."

Church Dedication at Macon.

The new Reformed Church of Macon was dedicated to God on Wednesday, Jan. 15. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. M. Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Tecumseh, from text of scripture in the Gospel according to St. John, 12th chapter and 32d verse. "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men with me." It was admired by all who heard it, and was a beautiful exposition of that text of scripture, and forcibly illustrated and delivered. The order of exercises consisted of reading scripture and prayer by Rev. H. Ramsdell, of Clinton, who also has charge of the M. E. church of Macon; dedicational prayer by the pastor of the church, Rev. J. I. Gulick; sermon by Rev. C. M. Brown, followed by a stirring address by Rev. David Howell, of Lansing, whose boyhood and early years were spent at Macon and who attended the Reformed church all those years, interspersed by anthems and hymns. An offering was made, amounting to about $300, and the new house of worship has now become the "House of God," and our prayer is that it may be the "Gate of Heaven" to many souls. The building itself is a beautiful structure, well equipped, and almost paid for, and speaks well for the liberality and good will of the people of Macon and surrounding country. All who have in any way contributed to the building do receive the thanks of God's people there and will receive the blessing of heaven. The church was completely filled, and an evening service was held and was again largely attended, the main auditorium being comfortably filled, and was addressed by Rev. John A. Despelder, a former pastor, and by Rev. David Howell, of Lansing. The services concluded with the doxology of praise. G.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

The Farmers' Union will meet at the home of Horace Holdridge, Jan. 31.

Following is the program:

Music by the Raisin choir.
Rec.—Leora Boyd.
Essay—Caroline Colvin.
Autobiography of Macon—B. F. DePuy.
Music—John Boyce.
Reading—B. I. Laing.
Dec.—Robert Stead.
Selections to be taken from Carleton.
Question—Resolved that it would be to the interest of the farmers of Lenawee Co. to organize a new Mutual fire insurance company. To be discussed by the members.

Ohio Central's New Service.

The Ohio Central will change time Sunday next, placing in effect a time table which will greatly improve the service. There has long been wanted an evening train out of Columbus for Toledo. For years past the latest train out has been about 3 p. m. Under the new schedule a train will be put on leaving Columbus at 7:30 p. m., and arriving in Toledo at 11:30 p. m. An additional train will also be put on for Columbus southbound, leaving Toledo about midnight, arriving in Columbus early next morning. This will afford to the people of Findlay, Bowling Green, etc., an opportunity of attending the theater in Toledo and getting back the same evening. The Ohio Central will have by far the best train service of any between Toledo, Columbus and Charleston, W. Va.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Mission Services.

Subjects for instructions at the evening mission service in St. Peter's church:

Wednesday—Bible as used in the system of the Episcopal church.
Thursday—Conviction of sin and contrition.
Friday—Confession.
Sunday—Forms of prayer.
Monday—Salvation: When? How?
Tuesday—Holy confirmation.
Wednesday—Summing up, and renewal of baptismal vows.

AFTERNOON SERVICES.

Saturday—For women only, especially mothers.
Sunday—For men only.
Monday—For young women and girls.
Other days of week for Sunday school.

Auction Sale.

We the undersigned, will sell at public auction, by virtue of a bill of sale recorded with the Clerk at Ridgeway Township, on the premises of Henry F. Barnes 1 mile east and 2 miles south of Ridgeway, on Thursday, Jan. 30, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property: An undivided two-thirds interest in 1 bay colt two years old, this spring; 3 Poland China brood sows, black and white; McCormick binder; 1 champion mower; 1 farm truck; 1 hay tedder; 1 wheel rake; 2 1-horse cultivators, Planet Jr.; 1 land roller; 1 Burch Plow; 1 spring tooth harrow; 1 scotch harrow; 1 fanning mill, 1 hay elevator rope and fork; 1 hay rack; 1 road wagon, 1 set patent runners; 100 bushels ear corn. Also first parties interest, subject to mortgage to John F. Temple, 1 horse about 15 years old; bay mare 17 years old; 3 red cows 5, 6 and 7 years old respectively; belonging to said first party and now in his possession at the farm recently occupied by said first party on east half of northeast quarter of section 20, town 6 range 5 east.

Terms of Sale—All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. All sums over $5.00, eight month's credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

GEORGE SMITH.
GEORGE EXELBY.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Three Hundred Thousand.

It is hard to realize the meaning of these figures, which represent the present circulation of McClure's Magazine. Three years ago five magazines—The Century, Harper's, Scribner's, The Cosmopolitan, and Munsey's—apparently occupied the whole magazine field. But their total circulation was not over five hundred thousand copies.

Harper's Magazine and The Century for many years supplied the need of the American people for great illustrated monthlies. One imagines that every intelligent family in the United States takes one or the other, or both of these magazines. Harper's is over half a century old, and the Century has just completed twenty-five years of splendid life.

McClure's has a circulation equal to both these giants of the magazine world.

We mention these facts, not for the mere sake of comparison, but simply to enable our friends to understand what a circulation of three hundred thousand means.

And while we are speaking about ourselves we might mention that for three months—October, November, and December—we had, month by month, more paid advertising than any other magazine, while our December number had more pages of paid advertising than any other magazine at any time in the history of the world.

Nervous women will find relief in Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it enriches the blood and thus strengthens the nerves. 1w

The latest bicycle bell is attached to the outer end of one of the handles, and is operated by the thumb of one hand.

Everybody speaks highly of Brant's Balsam; can't do otherwise after trying it. Don't fail to ask for it at Orr & Temple's. 1w

THE STEBBINS

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT SALE, which opened Saturday, January 11, offers bargains unprecedented in the history of the Furniture trade in Adrian. All departments are included: Furniture, Dishes, Lamps, Pictures, Oilcloths, and everything in our Immense New Stock. Sale Closes Feb. 1st.

The Stebbins, Adrian.

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For a Short Time and for Cash Only I will sell

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Lowry's Pat. Flour, per bbl.	$3.50		25lb. Sack Heck's Buckwheat Flour	.47
Heck's " " "	3.75			
Hayden's " " "	3.75		25lb. Sack Flat Rock Buckwheat Flour	.50
Boyd's " " "	3.75			
Jackson " " Eldred Mill	3.75		14lbs. Best Oat Flake	.25

7lbs. No. 1 Raisins	25c	Battle Axe Plug Tobacco, lb.	20c
7lbs. Crackers	25c	Fine Cut Tobacco, good as Cuba, lb.	20c
5lbs. Ginger Snaps	25c		

Empress Tea, Pound Package, - - - 12c.
Can Salmon, No. 1 Red, can - - - 10c.

Canned Goods all at Cut Prices but too many to quote.

SOAP.

7 Bars Queen Ann Soap	25c	8 Bars Lenox Soap	25c
8 " Jaxon Soap	25c	5 lb. Bar Soap	20c
8 " Bell's Buffalo Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Gold Dust	19c
8 Bars Geyser Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Soap Powder	18c
7 Bars Hoe Cake Soap	25c		

Lowry's Pure Baking Powder, Good as Royal, per lb.	25c	Sauer Kraut per qt.	5c
		Potatoes per bushel	25c
7 Packages Corn Starch	25c	Ear Corn 22c., 5 bushels	$1.00

MEATS.

Hams, Sugar Cured	11c lb.	Bacon	9c lb
Shoulders	7½c	Lard	8c lb.

OYSTERS—Selects, 25c Quart.

A great many more goods marked down which I have not room to quote. Call and see me.

Highest Price paid for Butter, Eggs, and other Farm Produce.

Respectfully,

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WANTED—Second-hand collar and hame harness, suitable for one-horse wagon. Must be cheap for cash. Enquire at this office.

FOR SALE—A 6 foot nickel show case at half price. O. A. WRIGHT.

PLANTS—Order your strawberry and raspberry plants early. I have a fine stock of the following varieties: Strawberries—Bidewood, Bubach, Crescent, Muck's Early, Enhance, Gracesville, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early Princess, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—Gregg, Older, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, Hansell, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars inquire or write. C. W. DeBIT, Newburgh, Mich.

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LUMBER SAWED—Wanted logs to saw. I will come to your place and saw your timber to suit you. Complete outfit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address in person or by letter. JOHN GORDON, Saline, Mich.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike, known as Sam Holden place. Good buildings, water, etc. G. W. ELY.

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FOR SALE. The C. D. Bills farm consisting of 106 acres, good buildings. Very desirable location, just outside the corporation of Tecumseh. Inquire of C. C. Tefft. Terms reasonable.

WANTED.—Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Michigan for established, reliable house. Salary $780 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 24, 1896

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Beautiful snow! And we want wood, you know.

A mild form of the grip is quite prevalent in town.

Some very beautiful snow flakes have fallen here today.

Remember the Junior entertainment in the Baptist church tonight.

A program of the mission services held in St. Peter's church will be found on the opposite page.

W. H. Marvin, President of the Western Newspaper Union, of Detroit, also of the Buckeye State Press Association, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office Wednesday.

A feeder on the incandescent circuit became too incandescent Wednesday evening and burned out. The wire was quickly spliced and the reign of darkness was very brief.

Mrs. Wm. H. Osborn has been quite ill for some time and now seems to be afflicted with paralysis of the left side. Her condition is serious though slightly improved of late.

Thos. F. Wasson, city editor of the Jackson Patroit, spent Sunday with his cousin Geo. W. Knapp and wife. The HERALD acknowledges a pleasant call from Mr. Wasson, Monday.

Mrs. H. G. Kedzie, of Grand Haven, Mich., was the guest of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson yesterday. Mrs. Kedzie was on her way to visit her mother, Mrs. Hixon, at Clinton.

Nothing decisive was accomplished at the meeting of the directors of the Michigan base ball league at Detroit Wednesday. Another meeting will be held in February to endeavor to establish a circuit.

Burt Mize, of Marshall, has taken an interest with A. E. Kennedy in the grocery business. Burt is well known here and has many friends to start in with. The firm are taking an invoice of stock this week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Hinton during the month of Feb. Let members also bear in mind that the last Friday in Jan. is suffrage meeting at the home of Mrs. James Heck, meeting will begin promptly at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan turned back about a century in the book of time and invited a number of their friends to a spinning bee last evening. About thirty guests ate supper and spun flax and yarns, much to their satisfaction.

The February number of The Forum will contain a rejoinder to Mr. Hill's article in the January Forum from the Rev. Wm. Croswell Doane, the first Protestant-Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of Albany, entitled "German-Americans and the Lord's Day."

At the February term of the circuit court the following jurors will answer to call from this part of the county:

Tecumseh—S. W. Bordine.
Clinton—H. H. Halladay.
Franklin—Fred Davenport.
Raisin—M. L. Wood.
Macon—L. H. Gregory.
Ridgeway—Geo. L. Oliver.

Sir Edwin Arnold has contributed to the February Forum a delightfully interesting study of the Queen, entitled "Victoria, Queen and Empress." This paper is the first of a series of studies concerning European sovereigns, which will appear in future numbers of The Forum.

Subject for next Sunday in the Universalist church: Morning, "Profitable Religion:" Jas. 3:13-17. Evening, "The Spirit of Freedom." Sunday school at noon. A little special work on the early history of Jesus. All welcome. Y. P. S. C. E. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Onward;" Phil. 3:13-14. Come and bring your friends.

Rather nasty weather.

We are ready for some more wood.

Mrs. Jas. McCann visited Clinton friends Monday.

Have you secured a seat for John Temple Graves.

Miss Mabel Hayden is home from Austin, Texas, for a brief visit.

G. W. Stacy, of East Buffalo, visited his son Al at Newburg this week.

Eminent Commander W. H. Barrett, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Revival meetings will begin in the Methodist church next Sunday morning.

P. S. McKinnon and Jas. Boyd attended the Grand Chapter at Detroit Tuesday.

Frank B. Bauer went to Marshall Wednesday on business for the Phoenix Fire Ins. Co.

Mrs. Webb, of Indiana, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Myron Conklin, for the past week.

Rev. L. C. Graves, of Wellsville, will occupy the pulpit in the Reformed church at Britton next Sunday.

Miss Lena Hardenburg, who has been visiting her aunt in Muskegon the past month, arrived home yesterday.

Notice our legal notices in other columns. They are sometimes profitable to read, though not very interesting.

If you will examine Harris & Hiteshu's ad. you will see that they are still offering the biggest kind of inducements.

Subject at Baptist church, Sunday morning, Jan. 26: "The Modern Church Pentecost" Evening: "The Glory of Young Men."

E. L. Teeple has a branch studio in Britton where he goes every Tuesday to obtain living pictures of the denizens of the fairie.

A number of Sir Knights from here attended the Adrian Commandery at Adrian last evening. W. H. Hayden was taught how/so wear the sword, and incidentally how to ride.

The regular meeting of the ministers' conference will be held next Monday morning at 10 o'clock, in the parlors of the M. E. church. Subject for discussion, "The Ministry of the Holy Spirit."

Sinbad, or the Maid of Balsora, was presented in Adrian last evening by the American Extravaganza Co. The troupe went through from Jackson in a special car yesterday. Several attended from here.

A copy of the Battle Creek Daily Moon gives an extended account of a surprise which the uniformed K. O. T. M.'s of that place sprung on John Tansley last week on the occasion of his 85th birthday.

Jas. E. Lowry is usually pretty jovial, but was especially so last Sunday from the fact that another daughter arrived at his home early that morning. It was nine pounds. Pretty good for a girl of such tender age.

The adjourned annual parish meeting of the Universalist church, will be held next Sunday morning, Jan. 26 immediately after morning service. All members of both church and parish are earnestly desired to be present. By order Trustees.

Fred Chase recently scratched his hand, as he thought, with impunity. But it wasn't that, for it swelled up gaining about five pounds at the expense of the rest of his body and greatly to the damage of his peace of mind It is better now, however.

The Mackinaw road has made arrangements and put on new service which enables them to enter Cincinnati over their own lines and without change. Direct connections are made at Addison and this is now a very direct line to all points south.

Wm. H. Osborn, Jr. of Milwaukee, who has been spending the winter at Hot Springs, Ark., came from the latter city last Friday to see his mother, Mrs. Wm. H. Osborn. He returned to Milwaukee Saturday and from thence to the great health resort.

I. S. Osborne arrived via Britton from Eddy, N. M., Tuesday. Strange to say, Irve is enjoying good health. He says that the Pecos valley trust will soon settle the sugar trust business, as they are about to erect a half-million dollar beet sugar mill there.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold their social and donation for the pastor, Rev. E. C. Andrus, this afternoon. Supper will be served from 5 till 7, regular price for supper, 10 cents. Any one wishing to give over that sum it will be gladly accepted. All are cordially invited.

We note the following in regard to John Temple Graves: He is the most eloquent Southerner of today.—Henry Watterson. He has the most phenomenal eloquence I ever heard.—Henry W. Grady. He is a born orator if ever one came into the world.—Boston Globe. He surpasses Ingersoll in rhetoric and delivery.—Robert Irving Fulton.

We begin this week, under a few glaring headlines, a series of original articles on the famous Hawaiian Islands. These articles are written by the capable and well known author and traveller, John R. Musick, on the spot, or more properly, on the Islands. No part of the world is of more interest to American readers at the present time than these rich and beautiful islands. A bill has recently been introduced in the house by our own congressman, Mr. Spaulding, providing for their annexation. We are confident our readers will find these articles very timely and interesting.

John Temple Graves Monday night.

Mrs. Joseph Rockwood, of Conn., is very low.

Miss Anna Reynolds, of LaSalle, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. J. Temple.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh lodge No. 69 F. and A. M. tonight. Work in the second.

Hon. Benj. Hill, says of John Temple Graves: "He has the finest gift of oratory I ever heard."

Mrs. Fred Teachout and children, of Brooklyn, visited relatives in Tecumseh the first of the week.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton is spending a few days this week at Jackson as the guest of Mrs. Judge Powell.

Will exchange a promising young pacing horse, speedy and perfectly reliable, for a good bicycle. Inquire at this office.

The skating carnival was postponed last Saturday on account of rain. Yesterday the small boys were skating all around town on the same account.

Remember the Junior entertainment at the Baptist church, Friday evening, Jan. 24 at 7:30. A pleasing program has been prepared. Admission only 5 cents.

According to the testimonials of the most able critics in this country, you will not have to go out of Tecumseh to hear the greatest orator in the United States.

W. J. Ayers, a well known farmer, of Cambridge, has rented the farm of Elliott Gray for the coming season. Mr. Ayers has a good farm up west, but evidently wishes to reside nearer Tecumseh.

H. W. Stevens went to Jackson, Mich., Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Sheriff and Police Union of Mich., or as may be termed, the sin chaser and thief catcher association. The sessions were held in the central city Tuesday and Wednesday.

The preliminary meeting of representatives from the clubs thereabouts that were interested in holding a farmers institute was held last Saturday. Alex. Richards was chosen president with Miss Leva Gillespie as secretary and the presidents of the various clubs as vice presidents. A meeting will be held tomorrow at Mr. Richards' office. The institute will be held at the armory Feb. 26.

The series of mission services are being held at St. Peter's Episcopal church by Rev. Mr. Webb are very instructive and entertaining not only to the communicants of the church but to the public generally. The rector and congregation will be glad to welcome any and all who may come. Mr. Webb is an eloquent and earnest speaker, and all will be pleased to hear him. Services every evening at 7:15 till the 30th.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 20th 1893.—"We have had Ingersoll, Ingalls and a host of illustrious orators in our course but never in the history of the Students' Lecture Association has an orator so captivated his audience as did John Temple Graves in 'The Reign of the Demagogue.' Much was expected of this eloquent Southerner, but he surpassed every expectation."—John W. Powers, President of Students Lecture Association.

An Almanac ought naturally to be "up to date," and The Tribune Almanac for 1896 is just that. It has certainly not reprinted any of the pages of the Almanac of a year ago to get out "on time." Furthermore, the publication is as fresh in tone, youthful in spirit and frankly suited to the time in which we live as any number ever issued. Of course, the Tribune Almanac is mainly for the use of people who take some interest in public affairs and need to have exact information.

The old Jos. W. Gray house, owned by Mrs. Gray and occupied by herself and John Gray and family, was burned about 3:30 last Sunday morning. The house was an old land mark in this vicinity, situated on the Adrian road about one and one-half miles southwest of town. It was built in 1844 by Jos. W. Gray and was one of the oldest brick houses in this section. The fire probably caught from a defective chimney. The house was insured for a small sum, but there was no insurance on the goods, most of which were fortunately saved. The family wish to thank their neighbors and friends for their prompt and effective assistance, and especially engineer Joe Nopper, of the Lake Shore for so effectively giving the alarm.

Mrs. Harriet M. Webster's eightieth birthday, which was celebrated Thursday, Jan. 16, and very briefly mentioned in our last week's issue, seems to demand a more extended notice. About forty of her friends knowing of the time, decided to show their kindly remembrance by meeting at the home, bringing abundant refreshments, and substantial gifts, among which was quite a well filled purse of money. Mrs. Webster was taken completely by surprise. Her first surprise was in the morning, when she met her daughter, Mrs. Webb, from Indiana, at the breakfast table, she having arrived on the late train Wednesday evening. Among those present were six ladies whose combined ages numbered 485 years. After the presentation of gifts, Mrs. Webster made a few well chosen remarks, thanking all for the kindness shown, and fervently wishing all might meet her in the heavenly home, she also said it had been the happiest birthday in all her life. The guests took their leave feeling that for them it had also been a most enjoyable occasion.

Mr. J. G. Osborne arrived from Milwaukee this morning, called by the illness of his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. H. Osborn.

As a little side issue, incident to leap year, the rustics of Adrian and vicinity enlivened their institute by a double wedding held in the court room there Wednesday afternoon. An affair of this kind is a most wholesome object lesson to the young sons of the soil in any locality.

Last Sunday morning Richard Jones, an Englishman aged 84, died in Franklin. An autopsy was held Monday, establishing the diagnosis of Dr. North, the attending physician, that the man was afflicted with caries of the cervical vertebrae. The history of the case is rather sad. Jones was a very hard working man and invested his savings in Dakota land. In December, 1894, he injured his neck and shoulder by a fall, and has suffered more or less since. During his last sickness, he was supported by the town of Franklin as his property in Dakota could not be sold.

A Farmer's institute is slated for Tecumseh some time during February. Leading farmers and stockmen take part. Frank Davidson will discuss the use of the Masonic goat for butter purposes, and butter milk. John H. Osborne will talk on "Short horns" as best for farmers. Geo. Merritt will read a paper on "best methods of breaking saw horses," and Alf. James will give an illustrated lecture on "How bees make a honeymoon." All sessions are free, but it being leap year, grass widows will not be allowed to take part in the proceedings.—Adrian Press.

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—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or R. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Dressmaking at 1-4 regular prices for January and February at F. A. Deuel's, over Adamson Bros.' jewelry store.

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—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

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—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

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—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

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—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

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—BOOK BINDING—We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

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SILVER MEN MEET.

Convention of Advocates of Free Coinage in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 18.—A convention of the advocates of free coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one, made up of delegates of both democrat and republican parties was held here Thursday, and the field canvassed for the formation of a party and the polling of a gubernatorial ticket in the field.

Resolutions were adopted providing that in case neither the republican nor democratic party adopt a platform and nominate candidates positively pledged to the treatment of gold and silver on absolute equality as to coinage at the ratio now provided by law, then it is to be recommended that all friends of free silver in all parties join in the organization of an independent party to secure the full restoration of silver to its former place in the standard money of the United States. The resolutions also provide for the appointment of a committee of one from each congressional district to call a convention for the organization of such party as soon as possible after the old parties have held their conventions, if they fail to meet the full expectations of the free-silver men. This committee will be or-

Lansing, Jan. 18.—The sequel of the conference of the free silver men here Thursday came Friday in the selection of a committee to create a new state committee of three members from each congressional district to undertake the work of forming the new party in case the old party platforms and candidates are disappointing. The committee is composed of such prominent republicans as James M. Turner, of Lansing; Sybrant Wessellius, of Grand Rapids; Judge J. G. Ramsdell, of Traverse City, and J. N. McBride, of Owosso; such democrats as ex-Congressman Justin R. Whiting, of St. Clair; Spencer O. Fisher, of Bay City, and Williard Stearns, of Adrian; J. H. Hatman, an independent war horse of Rochester, and A. M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, the big man of the prohibition party. In case of the failure of the old parties to declare for free silver they are pledged to form a new independent American party.

WON'T GIVE HIM UP.

Gov. Rich Convinced of the Innocence of a Man Wanted in Oklahoma.

Lansing, Jan. 21. — Officer John A. Henson, who came all the way from Perry, O. T., for John V. N. Gregory, a banker of Dexter, Mich., and a former member of the legislature of this state, left for home empty-handed Monday night. Gregory was indicted for receiving money for deposit in the First State bank of Perry, of which he was advertised president, although knowing the institution to be insolvent. He proved to the satis action of Gov. Rich that he was first apprised of the fact that he was an officer of the bank when notified that indictments had been returned against him, and that, so far as having any knowledge of the offense charged to have been committed last September, he had not been in Oklahoma since the spring of 1894. On this showing extradition papers were refused.

Two Boys Burned to Death.

Midland, Jan. 20.—About two o'clock Wednesday afternoon two little sons, aged two and four years, of Lewis Sanger, of Hubbard, were burned to death together with the house and contents. The father was away from home and the mother locked the children in while she went to call on a neighbor. A few moments later the house was discovered to be on fire, but the fire had gained such headway that all efforts to rescue the boys were useless.

Wants Holland Harbor Dredged.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 16.—Congressman Smith, of Michigan, has offered a joint resolution in the house directing the secretary of war to spend $50,000 in dredging the harbor of Holland, Mich., and in rebuilding the piers protecting the harbor. The resolution recites the fact that the piers protecting this important harbor are being undermined and washed away, involving a large loss to the government and danger to property and life.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Localities.

[illegible] sold as low as seven cents a bushel in Shelby last week.

A new post office has been established at Granite Bluff, Dickinson county.

A tree 120 feet high, which made 10,000 feet of logs, was cut in Baraga county last week.

The Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers' association will hold its seventh annual meeting in Detroit on February 4 and 5.

Senator Charles E. Sheldon, of Houghton, authorizes the statement that he will be a candidate for congress to succeed Samuel M. Stephenson.

Marl sufficient to supply a cement factory has been discovered near Union City, and a cement factory is to be erected in that place in the spring.

John J. Main, an old soldier and farmer living eight miles north of the village of Lee, slipped off a load of hay Tuesday night and broke his neck.

In some parts of southwestern Michigan dressed pork is selling at $3.25 to $3.75 per 100 pounds, the lowest prices which have prevailed in that region for over 30 years.

DIED WORTH MILLIONS.

Mrs. Clara McAdow, Who Made a Fortune in Western Mines, Passes Away.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Clara A. McAdow, aged 58 years, died at her residence here Sunday morning from a complication of diseases after an illness which lasted nearly six months. She was the wife of Hoyt A. McAdow and was a Michigan woman. She and her husband went to Montana many years ago and invested in mines, one of which, "Spotted Horse," proved a bonanza. She returned to Michigan some years ago and settled in this city. She represented Montana on the board of woman managers of the world's fair in 1893. The gold for the base of the famous $80,000 silver statue at the fair was taken from one of Mrs McAdow's mines and was contributed by her. Mrs. McAdow leaves a fortune estimated at $2,000,000.

Detroit, Jan. 22.—The body of Mrs. Clara L. McAdow, who died Sunday, was incinerated Tuesday at the Michigan crematory. This was done in accordance with an agreement of long standing between Mrs. McAdow and her husband, Rev. Reed Stuart, of the Unitarian church, made an eloquent address, not, he stated, as a clergyman, but as a long-time friend of the dead.

A PRELATE VINDICATED.

Protest Against Bishop Williams Ignored at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 17.—The standing committee of the West Michigan Episcopal diocese met here Thursday to pass upon the elections of bishops. Those in attendance were: Rev. Drs. Campbell Fair, of this city; Bancroft, of Hastings; Brown, of Battle Creek, and Claiborne, of Kalamazoo, and Laymen J. D. Burns, of Kalamazoo; C. R. Wilkes, of Allegan, and F. A. Gorham, of Grand Rapids. The election of Bishops Satterlee, of New York; Johnson, of Detroit; Burton, of Louisville, and Garrett, of Northern Texas, were confirmed without question. Then the case of Bishop G. Mott Williams, of Marquette, was taken under consideration. The diocesan report and the certified report from the Marquette diocese of the election was first read, and then the protest against Dr. Williams and the report of the Marquette diocesan standing committee were opened after a brief discussion. A ballot was taken, and Dr. Williams was confirmed, so far as this diocese is concerned, by a unanimous vote.

Convention of Photographers.

Detroit, Jan. 18.—The Michigan Photographers' association completed its business Friday afternoon, and the members left the city. The convention was successful. Officers were elected as follows: President, Clarence M. Hayes, of Detroit; first vice president, C. E. Heath, of Grand Rapids; second vice president, E. Stewart Tray, of Jackson; secretary, J. E. Watson, of Detroit; treasurer, A. G. McMichael, of Detroit. The officers constitute the executive committee.

Charles McCabe Dead.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 20.—Charles McCabe died at St. Mary's hospital Saturday morning of heart failure. Mr. McCabe came to Detroit in 1862 to act as Great Western passenger agent on the boats in the Detroit river. Later he became district passenger agent for the same road, and then he went west and became traveling passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific. In later years he became a newspaper man being identified with local papers.

Mutinous Convicts Found Guilty.

Jackson, Jan. 18.—Convicts Curley, Boot and Huntley, who assaulted and nearly killed Deputy Warden Northrup and badly injured two other officers November 26, were found guilty under the new law of assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than murder. Whatever sentence may be imposed will be added to their present sentences.

A Hunter Shoots Himself.

Allegan, Jan. 21.—William Bowser, aged 18, of this city, while hunting rabbits, slipped from a log and fell, causing the discharge of his gun. The contents entered his head, causing instant death.

Well-Known Druggist Dead.

Manistee, Jan. 17.—A. H. Lyman, president of A. H. Lyman company, wholesale and retail druggists, died Thursday evening. He was prominent in masonic and society circles.

Sent to Prison.

Owosso, Jan. 17.—Reynolds Rhodes, convicted of abandoning his illegitimate infant child, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the state house of correction.

Killed by the Cars.

Pittsford, Jan. 19.—William Bailey, of this place, 15 years of age, was killed by a fast mail train.

GOOD SHOWING BY BANKS.

No Failures of State or National and But Three of Private Institutions.

Lansing, Jan. 20.—In his report for the last calendar year Theodore C. Sherwood, commissioner of banking, says there was not a failure of a state or national bank in Michigan during the year. There were three failures of private banks, and the commissioner urges that the law be amended so as to compel the private institutions to use their individual or firm name, and no longer be allowed to use such names as "City bank," etc., which serve only to deceive the public.

In spite of the business depression the deposits in state banks increased $7,214,148.47 in 1895, aggregating $66,253,139.02 at the close of the year. This total is $1,662,239.73 greater than in December previous to the panic, and $725,569.37 greater than in May, 1893, when they were at the highest point previous to the panic. The national bank deposits in the state at the close of 1895 were $35,981,634.14, an increase of $871,108.33 for the year, but a decrease of $6,776,221.38 from the total on December 9, 1892. There were ten less national banks to report in 1895, however.

As the total deposits of state and national banks December 13, 1895, less amount due to banks and bankers, were $102,244,773.16, the gain over 1893 was $16,514,621.33, while they were but $5,113,981.65 below the figures for December, 1892, when they reached the highest point in the history of banking in Michigan. The commissioner points to this fact as an evidence of the rapidity with which this state is recovering from the effects of the panic of 1893.

At the close of the year there were 171 state banks and three trust companies in Michigan. The total expenses of the banking department were $9,076.82, and the total receipts $8,332.81.

END OF A LEGAL BATTLE.

Michigan Man Defeated by a Railway Company After Twenty Years.

Decatur, Jan. 20.—Twenty years ago Norman Secord, then a resident of this county, was injured on the Chicago & West Michigan railway. He instituted suit against the railway company for $20,000 damages and was awarded a judgment for $7,000 in the circuit court. The company carried the case to the supreme court, which tribunal has just handed down a decision reversing the verdict and denying a new trial. During the time the personnel of the court has changed three times, and only one of the original judges, Judge Thomas M. Cooley, is living. The plaintiff removed to Texas years ago.

Back Taxes Paid.

Lansing, Jan. 20. Auditor General Turner has received from county Treasurer Reigel, of Bay county, $75,000 in currency. Bay county was found to owe the state something like $115,000 in back taxes. The board of supervisors at the October session ordered the amount spread upon the tax rolls, and Treasurer Reigel brought the first installment of the amount to town.

Swallowed a Screw.

Muskegon, Jan. 18. The two-year-old daughter of Charles Peterson went into convulsions and the frightened mother summoned a physician. The doctor ran his finger in the little one's mouth and discovered that a screw had lodged in her throat. He made an incision in her throat and removed the screw, but the child died in ten minutes.

Walked In on the Ice.

Bay City, Jan. 19.—Arthur Clarkson, the ball player, reached this city safe and sound Saturday night. He and two friends went out ice boating Thursday morning, and were not heard from till Saturday. They were wind-bound on Saginaw bay two nights, and finally had to leave their boat and walk about 20 miles to shore. They suffered from cold and hunger.

Grand Rapids Poultry Show.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 21.—The first annual exhibit of the Michigan Poultry association opened Monday. About 100 exhibitors have made entries, and the number of birds shown exceeds 1,000, including nearly every known variety. The show will last all the week.

Urges Reed to Act.

Detroit, Jan. 21.—Mayor Pingree has wired Speaker Reed asking him to call a vote on the question of the United States recognizing the Cubans as belligerents. The mayor and Reed are both from Maine and old friends.

Assessed Property Too Low.

Bay City, Jan. 19.—Birdseye Knight one of the 23 supervisors indicted by the grand jury for assessing property below its true cash value, was found guilty Saturday evening. An appeal to the supreme court will be taken.

Caught in Colorado.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 18.—Fred Keys, the missing treasurer of Burr Oak lodge, 70, I. O. O. F., of this city, is under arrest at Colorado Springs, Col., and will be brought back. His alleged shortage is $600.

Hanged Himself.

Niles, Jan. 21.—A. J. Davis committed suicide by hanging himself with a clothesline to a transom in his bedroom. He was 53 years of age, and at one time he was wealthy.

Death of a Pioneer.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 21.—Benjamin M. Austin, aged 77 years, who had lived in this city since 1833, and who formerly owned much valuable property in Chicago, is dead.

Fell Into a Well.

Stephenson, Jan. 20.—Willie Veau, 11 years of age, while attempting to draw a bucket of water here fell into the well and was drowned.

Wife Beater Punished.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 16.—George Garside, a wife beater, was sentenced by Judge Buck to ten years in Jackson prison, the limit of law.

Will Meet at Bangor.

Bangor, Jan. 20.—Michigan spiritualists will hold their annual midwinter meeting here January 25 and 26.

Fire in Michigan Car Works.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 18.—The car department of the Michigan-Peninsular car works, at the corner of Ferry and Russell streets, a building 240 by 400 feet, together with 1,500 car wheels, was destroyed by fire Friday morning, causing a loss of $35,000, which is fully covered by insurance. The foundry and [illegible] departments were saved with difficulty. Two hundred men are thrown out of work temporarily.

Detroit Crook Arrested.

Montreal, Ont., Jan. 16.—George Harris, alias George Lyle, a Detroit crook, and a man named Roach, a horse thief, have been arrested here for robbing Boudreau's furniture store of $100 worth of goods. Lyle served five years in the Michigan state prison, and with a man named Howard robbed Dr. Elliott in Indianapolis two years ago. On that occasion Howard was shot dead.

Claims a Miraculous Cure.

Saginaw, Jan. 18.—H. H. Haller, an invalid, for three years so helpless that he could scarcely move a limb, has recently had four visions of miraculous cure, and in the last one he was informed that he would walk Thursday. This he did with the aid of his wife. He considers it a faith cure, but his physicians ridicule the idea.

Will Leave Detroit.

Detroit, Jan. 20.—Rev. W. H. Davis, for the past 12 years pastor of the First Congregational church, has accepted a call from the Elliot church, of Newton, Mass., and will leave Detroit, February 10. The Newton church is said to have one of the wealthiest congregations in the country.

Free Delivery for Benton Harbor.

Benton Harbor, Jan. 18.—This city is to have free mail delivery after April 1. The business done amounts to $15,000 a year. Four carriers will be employed.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 26, Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.

Topic, The Intercessory Prayer.

SCRIPTURE READING.—John xvii.

Christian unity! How much has been written and spoken and sung and dreamed upon this subject! How diligently men have sought a basis of union, and after all seeking and resolving and debating have separated more hopelessly than before! Will mankind never be united? In some things they always have been one. In other matters they never will be and never ought to be. Unity and uniformity are entirely different matters, yet are often confounded. An old motto is a good one to remember in this connection, "In essentials, unity; in nonessentials, liberty; in all things, charity."

The difficulty is men see things through different eyes and represent in themselves all stages of mental and spiritual progress and development. Yet each wants all others to do as he does. Modes of worship must conform to the taste and prejudices of the one or the few. Belief must be such as the one or the few have discovered of the great realm of truth. Conduct must conform to the ideas and conveniences of the few who set the styles. All this is a uniformity of death and not a unity of life. So long as men live all hope of such conformity to type must be abandoned. No compact, however solemnly made, can keep men together in these things. No laws, however stringent, can repress and hold in check the ruling forces of nature in the development of diversity in the individual life. Each must unfold his own life somewhat differently from any and all others in the universe. Unity, if it ever come, must be a unity of spirit in a diversity of manifestations. Let each one study anew and with deep thoughtfulness this prayer of Jesus the Christ. "That they may be one, even as we are one," contains the essential principle of it all. Compare with this Paul's teaching regarding the unity of the spirit in the different members and offices of the church, and we see the utterly unwarrantable nature of much of the striving after union of the present time.

The Young Men For Christ.

It is unquestionably a fact that the majority of the young men of the land are not at the present time in the church and active in her work. Figures are often cited to show the proportion of those who are not Christians as compared with those who are professed followers of Christ. Whoever is intimately acquainted with the young men of any locality knows enough of their practices to make his heart sick with sorrow and to arouse him to warn them of their danger.

But there is encouragement to be had from a comparison of matters as they now are with the condition of things at the opening of the century. At that time infidelity was open, bold and predominant among the young men of this country. In the colleges the Christians were very few, being the rare exceptions to the general rule. Those studying for the ministry were conspicuous by their rarity. Open vice abounded. Now there are multitudes of the most talented young men active in church work. The Young Men's Christian association has become one of the powerful agencies everywhere recognized in the country as making for righteousness. Our colleges have changed in moral tone, so that the Christian men among the students form a large and influential company, who deeply affect the life and tone of the whole body. The young people's societies in the churches are surely changing the type of young life, making it purer, more refined, happier, more helpful and Christlike. Visions of a better day rise before the eyes of our young men. Christ is their worthy leader.

Keep Step.

"How can two walk together unless they be agreed?" If you will have fellowship with men, and above all companionship, you must find some way to keep step with them. This is neither going far ahead nor following far behind them. It is being among them and in many things like them. Each one must do his own walking, use his own feet, exercise his own muscles, but keep time with the movements of others. Independence lies not so much in a different time to the step or a different direction to the walk or anything which can mark the individual as peculiar, as in the power of self direction, the perfect willingness to go, the ease of movement, the freeness and grace with which one acts. Contrariness is not proof, not even a sign of liberty. Rather it is an indication of bondage of mind, of narrow and cramped feeling. The spirit of isolation and separation does not so much show the possession of superior ability and merit, does not display freedom so much as it exhibits the fetters of pride and inability to gauge one's true worth and the claims of others. We are much like other folks. Better keep close together and in touch with your fellows.

The Time For Revival.

It is now. Some special time should be given each year in every church to the work of deepening the spirituality of the membership, widening the scope of their usefulness and awakening the religious sensibilities of the unsaved people in the community. The autumn is largely pre-empted for conventions, conferences and the like. The summer is much broken in church activity by vacations. This is the time for work. Evenings are long. People can be gathered. Plan and carry out some extra work for awakening the unconverted.

Is it not sinful to ask in prayer for God to give that which we slothfully neglect or willfully refuse to obtain by His appointed means?

Do we not dishonor God by waiting for a special impulse to do what His word plainly commands?

a dark lantern, and have the old gentleman blindfolded? I told the senate that the consideration of the bill would "not probably consume any more time than the time consumed in reading it." I also told the senators that the same bill passed the senate two years before after full debate. The senate knows nothing about it; the president knows nothing about it; the country knows nothing about it;—nobody knows anything about it but me and two or three others. . . For the love of heaven keep still. If the people once understand this, you will lose all the advantage you speak of.—and what will become of me?—National Bimetallist.

JOHN BULL—That his right Uncle Sam. Hi like han honest man, Hi do, hand the man wot is willing to pay two dollars for one, his just the kind hof a man for me. Hi ham very glad to see that you ave demonetized Silver. Hit will double your debt to me hand keep London hin the proud position she now hoccupies has the world's great commercial center. But hi ham a little surprised that you should do hit, has your debt is so big. Ow did hit appen?

SHERMAN—Hush! For God's sake, hush! Uncle Sam don't know anything about this. He thinks there is nothing in the bill but some mint regulations. Don't you see that I am using

PRESTON CALLED DOWN.

Director of the Mint Given a Few Points About Gold and Silver.

Some of the arguments used in favor of the gold standard are of such a character that it is actually impossible to notice them without, in a measure, at least, over-stepping what is usually considered to be dignity in discussion. For example, the director of the mint, Mr. Preston, is reported as having recently said:

"When you have an increase in the production of gold you will surely have an increase in the money of the world. Gold is the same as money the world over, for you may take a gold dollar and put it into the furnace and melt it down and still it will retain its value, unaided by any other security. The more gold produced the more money we will have in circulation. Gold is the only money in the world that can stand the fire test, and because of its stability, it is the only recognized standard money the world over."

Of course, no student of the money question will ever recognize Mr. Preston as an authority. Regarded simply as an individual, his opinions are scarcely worth noticing. But he is director of the mint, and therefore his utterances carry with them the weight that pertains to the office. Indeed, his position is such that he ought to know something about the subject of metallic money. If he does, aside from mere clerical details of production and coinage, he succeeds in keeping it to himself with rare skill.

It really seems that a man who will invoke the "fire test" as proof of the superiority of gold, knows about as little of the question as it is possible for one to know and know anything at all.

There is one answer that completely explodes it: The silver dollar met that test perfectly up to the very day of its demonetization. With the American mint open it would in all human probability do so again.

The fact that silver is so treated that it will not stand the "fire test" is the very essence of the silver men's complaint.

Let us re-open the mint to silver and see if an ounce of bullion will not then be equal to an ounce of coin. We will also see whether the law of supply and demand will be completely reversed in the case of silver, and an increased demand make it cheaper, as the goldite persistently claims.—H. F. Bartine.

Hardin Led His Ticket.

The goldbug papers are constantly declaring that Hardin defeated the democratic ticket in Kentucky by making silver speeches. The World-Herald has called attention to the fact that all the state ticket went down with him, although there were some gold standard men on the ticket. The figures show that Hardin led his ticket in every county but one and only lacked five vots of leading it there. He was nearly 15,000 votes ahead of his colleagues. If figures can can prove anything they prove that free silver was stronger than the democratic party. But the publication of these figures will not silence the goldbugs. They will still point to the Kentucky election as a vindication of Cleveland. The gold standard crusade can only be supported by gross deception.—World-Herald.

A New Voice for Silver.

We welcome the advent of a new advocate of the cause of bimetallism. It is called the National Bimetallist. Those of our readers who are dissatisfied with us because we do not give space enough to the silver movement will be pleased with this new publication, which is devoted to currency reform and nothing else. Its sixteen pages are filled with first-class arguments, and it starts out well in its fight in the cause of "the people against plutocracy."—Ex.

Carlisle's Slot.

Proper placard for the honorable secretary of treasury: "To get him to say what you want to, feed him—wine him and dine him. Pour a keg of champagne in the slot and the machine will work well."—Ex.

CAUSE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Organization of the Free Silver Forces Sweeping Everything.

Hon. Jerry South is one of the coming men of the South. He is young, able and ambitious. He graduated at the University of Virginia a few years ago and went to Arkansas to grow up with the country. He stopped at Mountain Home and invested in a vast area of farming lands. He has been at the place less than ten months—not long enough to vote—when he beat three of the oldest inhabitants for the legislature. He has been in the house ever since that time and is one of the political leaders of the state. He served in the legislature with Governor Clarke and that gentleman has the very highest confidence in him.

"My state is overwhelmingly for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1," said Mr. South yesterday. "There are practically no gold men in Arkansas. The only gold men are those who are enjoying federal patronage. Even the bankers are silver men in our state.

"What do I think of the prospects for silver legislation in this country? The situation is just this: I hardly think silver will receive the recognition it should receive at the national convention. My little state, with its 40,000 Democratic majority, will cast its sixteen electoral votes for silver and Democracy. Texas, with her 140,000 Democratic majorty, will cast her twenty-two votes in the same way. Indiana, which is never Democratic or Republican above 2,000 majority either way, will follow right beaind us and cast forty-eight votes for gold. Pennsylvania, with her sixty-four electoral votes, and none for Democracy when the final count for president comes, will vote for gold. New York, with her seventy-four votes, and, if I am a prophet, none for the Democratic candidate for president, will be for gold. The solid Republican states will vote against us, and what chance will the states of the South and West, that must be relied upon to furnish the big Democratic majority, stand of outvoting these thickly populated states which always make our platforms, but never give us majorities.

"If silver cannot get recognition, I am in favor of bolting. We can at least follow our principles. We can get solid backing in the West.

"I believe we should nominate Stevenson. He is right on the silver question. He is one of the most popular men in the country and he is so popular in his own state that there is no doubt but that he would carry his own state for us."—Atlanta Constitution.

Let those who are hugging the delusion that the silver issue is dead, continue to hug it while they can. Their pleasure will be of short duration. There never was a time in the history of our country when any idea crystallized as rapidly as the silver sentiment is now.

The National Bimetallist is more than pleased with the outlook. From all over the West and the South the most cheering words reach this office. Everywhere the friends of bimetallism are girding on their armor for such a struggle on behalf of really "sound" and "honest" money as the world has never yet seen. The final result of such a struggle cannot be for a moment in doubt. Bimetallism is the cause of the people and it must win.—Ex.

Florida Democrats.

The convention of Florida democrats at Jacksonville was addressed by Senator Call and others. Following was passed: "Resolved, That it is the sense of this conference that it is absolutely essential to the welfare of the people of the United States that silver and gold be placed on an exact equality in the coinage laws of the United States. It was decided that the delegates to the conference organize democratic free silver leagues in their respective counties, with a view of sending only free silver delegates to the state democratic convention, and that every member of these leagues be pledged to support only free silver men for any office within the gift of the people."

POINTER FOR JOHN G.

MEXICAN EDITOR RIDICULES OUR SECRETARY.

A Schoolboy Can See that Silver Money of Redemption Would Settle the Reserve Difficulty—In This Land of Plenty.

The people of the United States are on a gold basis; in other words they are holding up something like $1,000,000,000 of currency on $92,000,000 of Treasury gold reserve, a magnificent accomplishment which reminds one of a Japanese juggler sustaining a series of ladders by his teeth while lying flat on the ground. It is magnificent but it is not finance. Mr. Carlisle, who knows so little of finance as to imagine, because the Treasury issues notes, that it is in the banking business, is filled with awe as he contemplates the currency system of his country. We do not wonder, for it inspires the same sentiment in the minds of ordinary men. And, being on a gold basis, the United States must have a prosperous government? That does not apparently follow. The Government, in point of fact, is in straits, for the revenue does not keep pace with the outgo. Not since last January have the Treasury receipts reached the average monthly requisite of thirty million dollars, the amount which must come in, if all the bills of the nation are to be met. In August the receipts ran up to $29,286,000, but the average has been below $27,000,000 for other months. It looks like another bond issue, and, if that is made, the Treasury will be easier. A loan is only a palliative, however; what is needed is permanently to increase the revenue. The throwing off of the sugar duties was the beginning of the foolishness; those duties were not felt by anyone and they kept the Treasury in easy circumstances. It is beginning to be noted by the American people that their finances are in the control of charlatans who know no more of the fundamental principles of financial administration than so many school boys. Any European finance minister, who should make such blunders as have been committed in Washington, would be retired to private life for "keeps." Fancy an English Chancellor of the Exceequer in such a mess as is Carlisle! A Commission in Lunacy would be summoned to sit on his case. And no European finance minister has such a rich country abounding in potential sources of revenue to operate in. An ordinary financial duffer ought to shine as finance minister in the great Republic which is rich beyond compute.—The Mexican Herald.

How proud we should be of a financial policy thus subjected to ridicule and scathing criticism in a country that the average American is in the habit of looking upon as only "half civilized."

When will the people open their eyes to the fact that there must be something radically wrong in a monetary system, which makes such criticism justifiable? What are they thinking about? It ought to be most painfully apparent to anyone of ordinary intelligence that under the specious pretense of upholding the cause of "honest money," and "sound money," the great bankers and money lenders are simply preying upon the Treasury and upon the people of the United States.

A syndicate of bankers maintains the gold reserve at $100,000,000 for a few months, at a profit of about $10,000,000. Gold is again going out and more bonds! is the cry. Retire the greenbacks; make money scarcer even than it is now. Depress prices still more, make times still harder, and increase the interest bearing debt. These are the remedies proposed. While this is going on, the great bankers are getting richer and richer. American heiresses are taking untold millions to Europe to exchange for impoverished titles, while millions of American people clothed in rags and destitute of the plainest necessities of life, are looking fearfully forward into the long hard winter now just breaking upon them.

All of this time we have the greatest and grandest country on the surface of the globe—one abounding in everything necessary for the comfort of mankind. Not only this, but we have "sound money," "honest money," "one dollar as good as every other dollar," and have had for 22 years.

And yet the fact remains that while our people are dreading the approach of winter, and shivering with fear every time an ocean liner takes out a million of gold, half civilized (?) Mexico, doing business with a "50 cent silver dollar" is rejoicing in the era of unexampled prosperity that has opened upon her.—National Bimetallist.

Free Silver the Cure.

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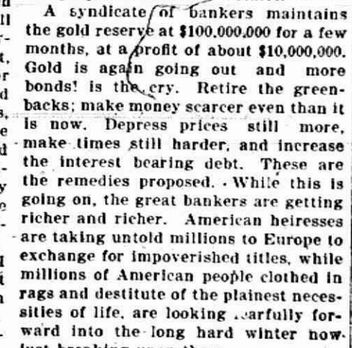

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

WEST BOUND.

†No. 51 -Local Mail and Express	10:23 a m
*No. 53 -Chicago & St. Louis Limited Ex.	3:43 p m
‡No 59—St. Louis Express	5:30 p m
*No. 55 -Pacific Express	12:31 a m
‡ No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:31 p m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56 -Atlantic Express	5:21 a m
†No. 0—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:24 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:38 p m

‡Daily except Monday. †Daily except Sunday.

For rates, tickets, time tables and all desired information, apply to WM. F. BRADLEY, J. RAMSEY, JR., Agent, Adrian.
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Jackson Branch. In Effect May 19, 1895.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 325. Express	No. 349. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	10 30 A.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 37 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 45 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 15 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 45 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 53 "	9 50 "	8 30 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 17 "	9 32 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 25 "	9 45 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 55 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION

Passenger Time Table.

In Effect Dec. 8, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Loc.	No. 93 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 40	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 42	7 23	Monteith	3 35	8 52
.....	1 14	8 06	Yorkville	3 56	9 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	4 55	6 56
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	5 10	6 40
7 55	3 10	9 37	Homer	5 18	6 31
8 35	3 51	10 01	Hanover	5 38	5 21
11 00	5 05	10 58	Addison	5 50	5 08
11 18	5 11	10 43	Devils Lake	5 54	4 48
.....	5 25	10 57	Onsted	6 03	4 34
11 35	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	6 08	4 28
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	6 13	4 21
12 09	5 51	11 15	Tecumseh	6 18	4 06
12 47	6 09	11 33	Ridgeway	6 17	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	6 22	3 52
1 44	6 16	11 50	Rea	6 10	3 39
2 09	6 25	11 59	Dundee	6 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	5 05	2 40
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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THE HERALD FOR 1896.

Read This Column and Become a Subscriber at Once.

The Herald for 1896 will endeavor to give its readers as complete a summary of local news, both for Tecumseh and surrounding towns, as it has done in the past. It must be remembered that the Herald has always been willing and anxious to give its space for the publication of every kind of local country news, and we believe our rural subscribers, who form a large portion of our readers, appreciate this fact.

In addition to this, it will be the aim of the paper this year to publish a more comprehensive column of county news than ever before, which will be of especial interest to our patrons. We think that no paper in Lenawee county takes more time and pains in maintaining an efficient corps of correspondents from neighboring towns than the Herald. We do not wish to boast of the amount of matter published in this paper for $1 a year, but would simply invite those who are not now taking the Herald to compare the size and character of the paper with other weekly local publications, not only in Lenawee county but in the state of Michigan, which sell for the same price, or even more.

We do not pretend to give away premiums for nothing at this price, but we do claim to offer some of the cheapest and most valuable combinations ever before given. By special arrangements and liberal advertising we have procured two articles we will give our subscribers the full benefit of. They are articles which should be in every home. The latest and best map of Michigan ever printed, and the latest and most complete History of our own country ever written in one volume and by the greatest living historian of America.

We print in part the most favorable club list ever presented in these columns and any periodicals not mentioned here will be procured at the lowest price. Here are combination offers in detail.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 48 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

Have you seen Rand McNally & Co.'s large reversible map, with the world on one side and the United States on the reverse? This is the largest map of the United States ever printed on one piece of paper. The map of the world is on Mercator's projection and gives a brief history of every country with population of chief cities, areas, voyages of discoveries etc. This map is especially suited for school use and is just the thing for ready reference in these times of international disputes. This $3.00 map and the Herald for $2.00.

NUMBER THREE.

The People's History of the United States has just been issued by the noted author and historian, John Clark Ridpath, L.L.D. It is the very best history of the United States now extant, compassed within the limits of a single volume. The cloth bound edition is sold only by subscription at $3.75 per copy. We can furnish this great work at only $2.10 per copy, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included. This is an unprecedented offer.

Samples of these premiums can be seen at the HERALD office. Pass in your subscriptions without delay.

We append a partial list of most favorable clubbing rates to advance paying subscribers:

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

The Detroit Tribune has long been recognized as one of the greatest newspapers of the Republican party, not only in this state but throughout the west. Although the Tribune has long enjoyed this distinction, it is safe to say that within the last two years its management has greatly raised the standard of the publication as a political, literary, and general newspaper. The Tribune should be read in every household of Michigan. We have made a special arrangement with the management whereby we can furnish the weekly Tribune and HERALD one year for the normal figure of $1.30.

THE COSMOPOLITAN.

The Cosmopolitan is almost too well known to need particular mention. It is simply a marvel that a magazine of such merit can be furnished for the money. A new lithographing press has recently been added to their machinery which will make the paper more attractive than ever. For 1896, 1344 pages and 1000 illustrations for 85 cents if taken with the Herald.

ONE YEAR WITH THE HERALD.

Detroit Twice-a-week Free Press,	$1 75
Detroit Tribune,	1 30
Detroit Journal,	1 65
Michigan Farmer,	1 65
Ohio Farmer,	1 75
Toledo Blade,	1 80
Toledo Bee,	1 45
N. Y. World (thrice a week)	1 70
Cincinnati Enquirer,	1 30
Harper's Weekly,	4 25
Harper's Bazaar,	4 25
Courier-Journal,	1 35
N. Y. Voice,	1 85
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
Philadelphia Times,	1 45
Information,	1 85
Public Opinion,	3 05
American Gardening,	1 80
American Agriculturist,	1 85
Harper's Magazine,	4 05
The Century,	4 55
St. Nicholas,	3 55
Scribner's Magazine,	2 55
North American Review,	5 00
Cosmopolitan,	1 85
Lippincott's,	3 05
Gody's,	1 85
Frank Leslie's Monthly,	3 45
" Pleasant Hours,	1 85
Table Talk,	1 75
Demorests,	2 55
Electric Power,	2 55
Everywhere,	1 35
The Arena, with premium,	5 00
Scientific American,	3 55

Cheap Metropolitan Papers.

There is no excuse nowadays for a citizen failing to subscribe for a great metropolitan newspaper in addition to taking his own county paper. The "Twice-a-Week" Republic of St. Louis, which is credited with the largest circulation of any weekly paper, is only $1 a year, and for this sum it sends two papers a week, or 104 papers a year—less than one cent each. The weekly contains the best and brightest news condensed from the daily paper, together with a well assorted collection of reading matter and useful information. A popular feature of its columns next year will be the speeches of prominent men in the presidential campaign. These will be given almost in full. A reader of the Twice-a-Week Republic will always be abreast of the times, for no paper has greater news gathering facilities. The Daily and Sunday Republic can now be had by mail for a little more than one cent and a half a day, or $6 a year, when paid in advance. Though this paper has greatly reduced its price, it has increased its value twofold by adding many valuable features.

Obtained Expert Advice.

Talk about nerve! A Caribou dentist tells The Republican that a woman came to his rooms one day lately, and, showing him an aching tooth, asked if it would come out hard. The dentist, after an inspection, replied that it would be an easy tooth to pull; whereupon the sufferer remarked: "Wall, I'm glad. A blacksmith promised to pull the tooth with a pair of pinchers, and I guess I'll let him do the job, if the tooth is comin easy." And away she went, leaving an astonished and bewildered dentist to gaze at her in wonder as she started for the blacksmith's shop.—Lewiston Journal.

A New Application of Scripture.

There was rejoicing in the village at the killing of a pig. Being dead, it was cut up. A neighbor's cat stole secretly into the larder, and annexed a piece of pork, which she brought in triumph to her mistress. Next day the clergyman of the parish visited the old woman, who recounted to him the remarkable sagacity of the beast. "It was quite beautiful, sir," she said piously, "to see the way the sweet creature brought me the piece of pork; it brought to my mind what we read in the Bible about Elijah and the ravens."—Realm

The Knight's Surcoat.

The knight's surcoat, a long, flowing gown, worn outside the armor, was an impediment in action, but valuable otherwise, for it often saved his life by indicating his rank, position, wealth and the amount of ransom he was able to pay. The gold inlaid and jeweled armor of the knights served the same purpose by advertising the rank and wealth of the warrior.

Through Passenger Trains to and from Cincinnati.

Commencing Monday, January 27th, 1896, the Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinaw Railway will inaugurate a through Passenger train to and from Cincinnati, via Franklin, Middletown, Hageman and East Norwood, avoiding the delays and inconvenience of transfer. Trains will arrive and depart from the Cincinnati, Lebanon and Northern Railway depot, Court St., East of Broadway, Cincinnati. Depot is centrally located, being but 8 blocks from Fountain Square, with street car connections. Michigan Division trains will continue to make direct connections at Addison with through trains to and from Cincinnati, as at present.

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In France bicyclists use a whistle instead of a bell.

Home-seekers' Excursions via Ohio Central Lines.

To Virginia and North Carolina, January 14 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip. Limit, 30 days, for return.

To the south and south-west, January 13, 14, 27 and 28. Rate, one fare for the round trip, plus $4.00. Limit, 30 days for return. j30

A Good Investment.

The Interchangeable Mileage Ticket issued by the Ohio Central Lines covers all important Railway Systems in the territory of Central Traffic Association and is now the leader. Every traveler should have one. It is an ever ready ticket for Columbus, Toledo, Cincinnati, Charleston, W. Va., Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville, etc. It costs but $20 and can be used any time within one year. It reduces your traveling expenses just 33 1-3 per cent. and is a money saver. There are very few persons, especially business men, who do not travel in a year's time, at least 1000 miles. Get one without delay. There are others in the market but the Ohio Central Line's Ticket is the favorite. See Agents of Ohio Central Lines, or address Moulton Houk, G. P. A., Toledo, O. j30

Distemper.

Pink eye, epizootic, and catarrhal fever, among horses, are contagious germ diseases of the blood, and the only sure way to cure them is to use a germicide blood purifier. Distemper in sheep is the same thing. These diseases need not "run the full course" as many say, where they break out in a stable. But there is only one remedy that was ever guaranteed to cure them at once and prevent others in the same stable from getting them. Spohn's Distemper and Cough cure. It is not a condition powder. It will also cure garget in cows. Sold only by C. A. Wright, popular druggist. 1w

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Scovel C. Stacy, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Sumner Collins, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 24th day of February, 1896, and on the 27th day of July, 1896, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 2d day of January, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 23, 1896.

JOSEPH D. ROBBINS,
ALFRED JAMES,
Commissioners.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	14	15
Eggs, per doz	16	18
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	30	35
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		16
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		10
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5 to 6	
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	5	5 10
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	7	8 to 15
Veal dressed, per lb		
Mutton, dressed, per lb		10
Chickens, per lb	5 6	
Turkeys	7	8
Hides, green	25 to 35	
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		81
Corn, shelled	80 to 85	
Corn in ear	14 to 25	
Oats	18 to 25	
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00 to 13 00	
Hay, clover, per ton	9 00	
Bran, per 100 lbs	70	
Middlings, per 100 lbs	75	
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	1 00	

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Jan. 22.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 00	@	4 65
Sheep	2 75	@	3 75
Hogs	4 00	@	4 50
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 60	@	3 75
Fancy	2 70	@	2 85
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	72	@	72¼
May	68	@	68
CORN—No. 2	35¾	@	36
May	35¼	@	35¾
OATS—Western	24¼	@	28
PORK—Mess	10 75	@	11 00
LARD—Western Steam	6 00	@	6 05
BUTTER—Western	11	@	21
EGGS	17	@	18
	CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	3 40	@	4 60
Stockers and Feeders	2 60	@	3 85
Cows	1 40	@	3 60
Texas Steers	2 80	@	4 00
HOGS—Light	3 95	@	4 20
Rough Packing	3 90	@	3 95
SHEEP	2 00	@	3 75
BUTTER—Creamery	15	@	19
Dairy	10	@	17
EGGS—Fresh	15½	@	16
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@	23
PORK—Mess	10 52½	@	10 67½
LARD—Steam	5 75	@	5 85
FLOUR—Spring	2 65	@	3 50
Winter	3 00	@	3 50
GRAIN—Wheat, May	60¼	@	61¼
Corn, No. 2	26¾	@	27¼
Oats, No. 2	18	@	19¼
Rye, No. 2	38	@	38¾
Barley, Good to Choice	30	@	37
	MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 May	59½	@	59¾
Corn, No. 3	25¾	@	26
Oats, No. 2 White	19	@	19¼
Rye, No. 1	39	@	39¼
Barley, No. 2	34	@	34¼
PORK—Mess	10 50	@	10 55
LARD	5 65	@	5 70
	DETROIT.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	68¾	@	69
Corn, No. 2 White	27¾	@	28
Oats, No. 2 White	21¾	@	22
Rye, No. 2	38½	@	38¾
	ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50	@	4 50
Texas	2 60	@	3 70
HOGS	3 80	@	4 20
SHEEP	3 50	@	3 55
	OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 25	@	4 00
Feeders	2 75	@	3 55
Cows	1 50	@	3 20
HOGS	3 80	@	4 05
SHEEP	2 65	@	3 20

$50 reward is offered for an incurable case of nervousness, fits, sleeplessness, St. Vitus dance, Hysteria, etc., by makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, because they believe it a sure cure for all diseases of the nervous system. Large $1 bottles at Orr & Temple's. 1w

Bargains.

Our Mid-Winter Sale

Opened Saturday, Jan. 4 and continues Through the month.

We quote you a Few of the Many Bargains:

Best Amoskeg Ginghams . . . . . 5c yd.
Best Shirting Print . . . . . 4c yd.
Best Dark Print . . . . . 5c yd.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests . . . . . 20c each.
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Pants . . . . . 20c each.

An elegant line of Dress Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Underwear, Gloves and Mittens at a discount equal to above prices.

Our large and elegant line of Footwear, **Boots, Shoes, Slippers,** in fact, **All Leather Goods** go at **20 per cent off.**

We have a full line of

Ladies' Capes and Jackets,

we are selling at **33 1-3 per cent Off**

It will pay you to come miles to attend this sale.

Respectfully,

Harris & Hiteshu.

TERRIBLE ORDEAL OF A MOTHER

She Saw Her Little Girl Fading Away—A Story That Will Touch the Heart of Every Mother.

Some Instances, too, of the Modern Treatment for Neuralgia—It is a Woman's Disease.

From the Journal, Detroit, Mich.

A very grateful mother is Mrs. A. L. Hartness, of 676 Grandy Avenue, Detroit, for the wonderful cure which her daughter has received by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Said Mrs. Hartness: "Yes, my daughter's life has been saved by using Pink Pills, thanks to a kind friend who recommended them to me.

"Blanche was sick for over three years. She had the care of the best physicians procurable, and no expense or trouble was spared to give her relief. She was so thin that she was fairly skin and bones, her digestion was out of order and she had the most awful headaches. We gave up all hope of her recovery. Her long, thin, listless face made me nearly crazy, and we did everything in our power to give her strength and induce her to take an interest in anything.

"One day a friend told me about Pink Pills, and Mr. Hartness went down town and got three boxes. She had taken about one box, when to my amazement, one morning I heard her playing on the piano. I could hardly believe it, for it had been over a year since the piano had been opened.

"Soon she began to take short rides on her bicycle, and soon she went singing around the house, our own happy, hearty, little daughter once more.

"She thinks nothing of a spin on her wheel over to Mt. Clemens or Pontiac, and is as well as she ever was.

"I had a girl living at our house who was a great sufferer from impoverished blood, and who received instant and permanent relief from the use of one box of the pills.

"If this information can be of any use to help some poor, sick one, it is given with the greatest of pleasure."

NEURALGIA NO LONGER TERRORIZES WOMEN.

A Story of Two Women.

From the Evening Times, Buffalo, N. Y.

Women have no longer need to fear that dread enemy—Neuralgia. Science has conquered, and woman is relieved of a great burden of pain. Prominent among the many who stand as living testimonials to the new remedy and its efficacy in curing neuralgia is Mrs. Polinski, a widow lady who lives with her father, Christ Sieltzer, in a pleasant home just beyond Gowanda.

Believing her experience would prove of wide interest among women, a reporter called at her house.

Seated in the cosy little parlor, furnished in true country style, Mrs. Polinski told the reporter her story.

"I am not a sick woman as you can readily see," she said, and I never have been. I do not like newspaper notoriety and have never had my name in the papers before. I would certainly not say a word this time, but I think it is my duty to tell women what I have found.

"I used to be troubled with frequent headaches. They were not serious—I think they must have been neuralgia—but they were just bad enough to make it decidedly unpleasant for me. I was able to work, but in a sort of a listless fashion.

"I heard of Pink Pills made by the Dr. Williams' Company and was persuaded to try them. I did so and now all is changed. I have not had a headache in many months and have such faith in the pills that I do not think I ever will again. They did me a world of good and I know they will do as much for other women."

Charles S. Phelps, the well-known Gowanda druggist whose place of business is on Main Street, said to the reporter that he had a large sale for the Pink Pills. "They are a popular medicine," he added, "and do much good."

D. G. Freeman, of No. 97 Main Street, Springville, N. Y., the well-known and popular photographer, was called upon by another *Times* reporter who learned that he had likewise heard something about Pink Pills and their efficacy in curing neuralgia.

"Yes, he said, in answer to questions, my wife was greatly benefited by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. She does not like newspaper notoriety, and so do not like to say much on the subject."

"What was her ailment, Mr. Freeman?"

"Well, partly neuralgia, but that will do. I will not enter into details, and what I have said must suffice. Just put in your paper for me that she was greatly benefited; cured by the pills when doctors failed—and let it go at that. The remedy was recommended to her by Mrs. Dean Jones, of this place, who, I understand, was also greatly benefited. I will be pleased to tell anybody who calls all about the pills."

At Prior's drug store, Springville, it was said that they sell more of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills than any other patent medicine.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are not a patent medicine, but are a thoroughly scientific preparation, the result of years of careful study on the part of an eminent graduate of McGill Medical College, Montreal, and of Edinburg University, Scotland, and they were successfully used by him in his everyday practice for years before being offered for general sale. The merit of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is attested by the hundreds of marvelous cures they have wrought in all parts of the country, and now their sale far exceeds that of any other proprietary medicine. This is the best test of the fact that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills perform all their makers claim for them, and in seeking an effective nerve food which would nourish without over-stimulating, and would build up naturally the wasted, flabby and diseased nerves, and which would at the same time give a supply of blood at once purer, richer and redder, and more capable of carrying nutriment and oxygen to every nerve and muscular fibre of the body, Dr. Williams struck at the root of all disease, and it is eminently proper, therefore, to give a list of the diseases for which this preparation is intended, which we do herewith:

All diseases arising from a poor and watery condition of the blood, such as pale and sallow complexion, general muscular weakness, loss of appetite, depression of spirits, lack of ambition, anæmia, chlorosis or green sickness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath on slight exertion, coldness of hands or feet, swelling of the feet or limbs, pain in the back, nervous headache, dizziness, loss of memory, feebleness of will, ringing in the ears, early decay, all forms of female weakness, leucorrhœa, tardy or irregular periods, suppression of menses, hysteria, paralysis, locomotor ataxia, rheumatism, sciatica, all diseases depending on vitiated humors in the blood, causing scrofula, swelled glands, fever sores, rickets, hip-joint diseases, hunchback, acquired deformities, decayed bones, chronic erysipelas, catarrh, consumption of the bowels and lungs, and also for invigorating the blood and system when broken down by overwork, worry, disease, excesses and indiscretions of living, recovery from acute diseases such as fevers, etc., loss of vital powers, gonorrhœa, early decay, premature old age. They act directly on the blood, supplying to the blood its life-giving qualities by assisting it to absorb oxygen, that great supporter of all organic life.

Pink Pills are sold by all dealers or will be sent post paid on receipt of price (50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50—they are never sold in bulk or by the 1000) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

The Second of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

Scenes on Entering Honolulu--A Bit of Its History, and a Climb up to the "Punch Bowl."

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Honolulu dates its existence as a town from 1816. Before this date it was a mere fishing village. At the time mentioned there were several white men on the islands, among them one John Young, whose romantic career almost rivals that of Captain John Smith. Young had been a mate on the American vessel Eleanor, and had been captured by King Kamehameha, together with a sailor named Davis from a little schooner The Fair American. The commander and all his crew, save Davis, were killed by the savages, Kamehameha sparing Young and Davis only because they were expert in the use of fire-arms. When all of the islands had been brought under the control of Kamehameha, John Young was made governor of Hawaii, the largest of the group.

Young was a man of more than ordinary ability. He became a true subject of Kamehameha, and his successor on the throne. In 1815 he advised the erection of a fort at Honolulu, to command the harbor. He was given full power to direct its construction, and, early in January, 1816, the fort was begun and completed the same year. This fort was nearly square, measuring between three and four hundred feet on a side, with walls about twelve feet high and twenty feet thick. It was built of hard rock and had embrasures for cannon. It stood on the seaward side of what is now Queen street. About forty guns--six, eight and twelve pounders—were afterward mounted, and the fort placed under command of Captain Beckley.

In November, 1820, the king moved his court to Honolulu, Mr. Thurston and his wife, two pioneer missionaries, accompanying him. Ever since, Honolulu has been the seat of government for the islands.

In the afternoon of the day of my arrival I decided to take a stroll about this beautiful little city of the tropics and "see the sights."

These "sights" are well worth crossing a continent and an ocean to see. They are such as no pen can describe, no camera depict, no painter place on canvass. The beauties and blessings which nature has so abundantly bestowed on these islands must be seen to be appreciated.

Perhaps the most beautiful tree in the world is the Royal Palm which grows on the Sandwich Islands. In her forthcoming book, entitled "Around the World with the White Ribbon," Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt says:

"The Royal Palm, introduced here from the West Indies, combining the beauty of architecture in its perfectly symmetrical, highly polished and beautifully colored columnar trunk, with the swaying grace of its long plume-like leaves, easily takes a place second to none in the world."

Her description is neither overdrawn nor incorrect. So smooth and symmetrical are these "columnar trunks" that a gentleman who was with me asked a citizen if they did not scrape the bodies of the trees, or sand-paper them.

There are few residences in the city which are not surrounded with palms. The city is rich in vegetation. The houses are not usually grand or imposing, but very picturesque, and the grounds are ample. The Honoluluan thinks more of his lawns thon of his house. The approach to the house is generally through a veritable flower garden. Usually there is an avenue of palms, between which are numerous plants, or shrubs, crimson, vermillion, and gold. A tall cactus often reaches the height of twenty feet, with flowers of every hue, and the banana spreads its broad leaves before you. Oranges, dates and figs grow in the yards and gardens. Almost everything is tropical. A few plants, trees and flowers may be seen which grow also in a colder clime, but they reach such gigantic proportions, and are of such gorgeous colors as to be hardly recognizable. Great trees that look as though they might have had fifty years of growth, were planted by people who are still in middle age. Walk into one of the numerous yards where plants, and trees, and vines are growing as though on their native soil, and you will find that every one of them have been imported within a comparatively recent period. Almost every quarter of the subtropical world has been laid under tribute. Here is the rubber tree, the banyan, the baobab, the litchee, the avocado, the mango, and palms innumerable. Here also are the brilliant and gaudy banyain villsea, the prolific plumeria, the night-blooming cereus, and the bright and attractive crotons. We have in this an illustration of the beneficent transformations effected by the enterprise of the foreigners in Hawaii. From the days of Vancouver, the foreign residents have been tireless in introducing ornamental and useful plants.

A smooth path of crushed and cinder-like lava usually leads from the front gate to the residence, which is almost hidden in its gorgeous surroundings of rich tropical verdure. There are a thousand shady nooks and cool retreats inviting one to come in and rest from the dust and heat.

The houses of the Americans are the most imposing and beautiful, excepting only the public buildings. They are most beautifully decorated with the greatest variety of trees, flowers, plants and shrubs, tastefully painted and ornamented. The native Hawaiian also paints his house, and gives much care to the ornamentation of his grounds, while the Chinaman's house is unpainted, but picturesque in its Oriental style of architecture. Chinese houses in Honolulu are built just as they are in Hong Kong. They are usually two stories in height, small and quaint, with the balcony fronting on the street.

At almost every hour you can see the almond-eyed Celestial with his Oriental dress, even to the sauce-pan shaped bamboo hat, a long pole on his shoulder with a weight on each end that would stagger a common man, jogging along at a dog trot, a pace at which he never seems to weary. Long experience has made him skillful in carrying large burdens.

While passing a Chinese restaurant, in company with several of my acquaintances, we were startled by a crash, and immediately there was such a commotion among the Japs and Chinamen that one might have supposed the China-Japanese War had broken out afresh. Suddenly a sailor from the U. S. man-of-war Bennington came bouncing through the crowd with a native policeman holding to each arm.

Nearly all the police of Honolulu are natives or Kanakas, and fine, lusty-looking fellows. When they get hold of one it requires strength and dexterity to get away. The young blue-jacket tried to get in a "right-hander" on them, but his right hand was caught. He then tried to get in a "left-hander," but again failed and was forced out into the street and started off to the station-house.

"I won't walk," he roared. "I belong to the American Navy, and it won't be said I was ever led by any black son-of-a-gun of a Kanaka."

"Won't you walk" asked one of his captors.

"No!"

"Then you shall ride," and he called a carriage, bounced the tipsy sailor into it, and away he went merrily singing "A life on the ocean wave." He had imbibed freely and his offense consisted in amusing himself by throwing beer bottles at the head of the proprietor.

The native police of Honolulu are said to make fairly good officers. I was surprised to find so many Kanakas holding office. In nearly every department of the government were native clerks and officers.

In the evening we wandered to a beautiful park named Emma Square, in honor of Queen Emma, who is known as the "good and just queen." Here the Hawaiian band was assembled and discoursed some of the sweetest music I ever listened to. The Hawaiians are excellent musicians, and there are many Hawaiian airs composed by the natives, seme of which are really beautiful. When first discovered, they had several musical instruments, one of which was a nose pipe, played by blowing through it with the nose.

Fort Street is the Broadway of Honolulu. From it branch off numerous streets leading to the right and left. One thing is peculiar in Honolulu. No regard is paid to the points of the compass. The terms milkai, toward the sea, or manka, toward the mountains, are used. Ewa means on the right and maikiki for the left. Thus the Hawaiian Hotel is on the manka side of Hotel Street ewa of Richard Street. I am told that these terms are even used in surveying lands. There is not a street laid out or house built with any regard to the cardinal points of the compass.

While wandering in the suburbs of the city I came in sight of a field of what at first seemed corn. "Green corn in November," I thought. "It is not possible." Determined to investigate, I entered the field and came upon tall, broad-leaved vegetation which was a puzzle to me. I hailed an intelligent-looking Hawaiian and asked:

"Will you tell me what kind of vegetation this is?"

He looked sad, shook his head, and, with a noise like a squirrel eating hickory nuts, passed on. The next specimen of the genus homo was an honest-looking Chinaman.

"My celestial friend, can you pronounce the name of this vegetation?"

"No savvy!" John sighed and passed on. I was growing almost desperate in my bewilderment, when a dark-visaged son of Italy appeared.

"I beg your pardon, stranger, but can you inform me if that rank vegetation is a field of exaggerated horseradish, or some species of tropical melon?"

With a look of contempt he answered: "Sat no banan!"

The mystery was solved at last. I remembered then having seen large banana trees in some of the yards, but without knowing what they were.

The next morning I awoke to find it raining, but in the afternoon the skies became clear. The streets of Honolulu are not as well paved and drained as they might be. After a rain they present fully as bad an appearance as do the thoroughfares of New York, Chicago, or St. Louis. Some streets are paved with a sort of cement resembling asphalt, but many are not paved at all. After a rain the heat seems doubly intense for a disagreeable steam arises which makes one sigh for the good old days in Hawaii when people did not wear clothes. This discomfort lasts only a short time, however. The streets dry quickly, and a gentle breeze fans the heated face.

Just back of the city of Honolulu a mountain rears its head several hundred feet in the air. From some supposed resemblance to that article the mountain is called the Punch Bowl. Tourists invariably scale its lofty heights, from which a grand bird's-eye view may be obtained of the city, bay, shipping, and whole surrounding country.

Like all other tourists I determined to pay the Punch Bowl a visit, and as I learned that many tourists had walked to its height I set out one morning on foot. As I left the city and entered upon the long winding road which leads up to the dizzy height, many of the busy little Japs and Chinese cast curious glances at me, and from vine-clad cottages along the way I caught occasional glimpses of dark-eyed maidens peeping shyly forth from trellised vines.

At last, wearied with traveling over a road which seemed to have no end, I began to cast glances up the steep sides of the Punch Bowl and debate in my own mind the possibility of scaling it. Determined to make the trial, I left the road and started up the mountain. A few shrubs and little coarse grass, with loose crumbling stones were all I first encountered, but soon a new obstacle presented itself in the form of a thorny shrub called lantana. It is a species of mesquite, and is ruinous to the clothes, and uncomfortable to the skin. It is a hardy plant,—triumphs over drouth and flourishes in a flood. It thrives alike in rich soil, poor soil, stony ground, and where there is little or no soil at all. The most skilled botanist has never been able to find a single use for lantana. No animal will eat it. The islanders have more fear from lantana than filibusters or the restoration of monarchy. It spreads like contagion, and defies plow and hoe. It is nearly indestructible. I have been told that if you cut it down, each joint will start a separate new plant; if you grub it out, it will come again, and if you burn it, it will rise like a phenix, triumphant from its ashes. If I had an enemy whom I wished to do a mortal injury, I would sow lantana in his fields.

Sometimes half buried in this noxious plant I struggled blindly up the mountain side. At last making my way across a sort of ravine to some rocks blackened by time, I sat down almost out of breath to rest. My hold on the rocks was slight. I had scarcely six inches of space to cling to, and below me yawned a chasm fifty feet deep. There was no breeze on this side of the mountain, and the rays of the sun were exceedingly warm. So, as soon as I had partially recovered my breath, I resumed my toilsome journey to the top. I afterward learned that there was a path on the west side of the mountain which, though steep, is accessible to foot travellers.

As seen from the top of the Punch Bowl Honolulu presents a charming picture. The little city, half hidden in the dense foliage of the tropics, has a shy coquetish appearance.

I was willing to return by a beaten path and less precipitous route. On the way I paused to gaze upon a squad of convicts at work on the road. The uniform of the Hawaiian convict varies according to the offense with which he is charged. If it is only a misdemeanor, he wears a suit one-half of which is blue, the other brown. If he is convicted of felony, his garb is black and white striped, the stripes being perpendicular, instead of horizontal, as is the form of most of the prisoners in the United States. But one of this squad wore striped clothes.

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THE HERALD FOR 1896

Special Offers and Clubbing List.

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NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

Have you seen Rand McNally & Co.'s large reverarible map, with the world on one side and the United States on the reverse? This is the largest map of the United States ever printed on one piece of paper. The map of the world is on Mercator's projection and gives a brief history of every country with population of chief cities, areas, voyages of discoveries etc. This map is especially suited for school use and is just the thing for ready reference in these times of international disputes. This $5.00 map and the Herald for $3.00.

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

The Detroit Tribune has long been recognized as one of the greatest newspapers of the Republican party, not only in this state but throughout the west. Although the Tribune has long enjoyed this distinction, it is safe to say that within the last two years its management has greatly raised the standard of the publication as a political, literary, and general newspaper. The Tribune should be read in every household of Michigan. We have made a special arrangement with the management whereby we can furnish the weekly Tribune and HERALD one year for the normal figure of $1.30.

THE COSMOPOLITAN.

The Cosmopolitan is almost too well known to need particular mention. It is simply a marvel that a magazine of such merit can be furnished for the money. A new lithographing press has recently been added to their machinery which will make the paper more attractive than ever. For 1896, 1344 pages and 1000 illustrations for 85 cents if taken with the Herald.

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Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., JAN. 31, 1896.

Clinton, also, has a touch of la grippe.

Leon Clark was on the sick list the first of the week.

Fred Koering went to Toledo Saturday, returning Tuesday.

Spencer Case, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday morning.

Geo. Kies was home from the road over Saturday and Sunday.

Geo. DePuy attended the Grand Lodge at Saginaw the first of the week.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh made a short call in Manchester, on Monday.

Miss Mame Bradner returned Friday fram a two weeks' visit at Jackson.

Miss Emma Saxton, who is very ill in Chicago, was no better at last report.

Evangelists Stevenson and Bell, left for Danielson, Conn., Monday morning.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife went to Detroit Thursday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Clark visited friends in Adrian, from Thursday until Monday.

Miss Mabel, daughter of Dr. Blatchford, arrived from Mason last Thursday.

George Corwin, of Detroit, was the guest of his brother, Charles, last Friday.

Mrs. H. G. Kedzie, of Grand Haven, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hixon, of this place.

News is rather scarce this week. Everybody was primping for the leap year party.

Fred Codling and Will Silvers visited the Manchester F. & A. M. lodge Monday evening.

Mrs. Martha Camburn, of Macon, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Niblack, this week.

Last Sunday Miss Clyde Marsteller began her duties, as organist at St. Dominic's church.

George Van Gieson returned last Thursday from a two weeks' visit in Jackson and Albion.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Alexander, of Tipton, visited their daughter, Mrs. S. W. Demuth, Tuesday.

Misses Hattie Bates and Etta Coddington, of Tecumseh, were guests at Scott Remington's last week.

Herbert E. Lindsley, of Lindsley & Kishpaugh, is all smiles at present. Cause—New son Tuesday night.

Mr. Webb, who assisted Rev. Blachford in holding a mission at St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, was in Clinton Tuesday.

James Ferrick is the proud father of a pair of twin girls, born Tuesday. Mr. Ferrick is boss finisher at the woolen mill.

The members of the Junior Class are to give a mask social, at the home of Guy Katner, next Tuesday evening, Feb. 4th.

Prof. Carr is training his singing class for a concert to be given in the near future. His wife is to assist the sopranos.

Mrs. Clarissa Mather, who has been visiting at Chas. Corwin's for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Macon, last Friday.

W. D. VanTuyle and wife, Will and Winnie Waterhouse, and Fred Koernig drove to Adrian last Thursday to see "Sinbad the Sailor."

The Baptist pulpit was supplied last Sunday morning by Mr. Hutchins a student of Kalamazoo College, who is said to have delivered a very eloquent sermon.

Chicken-pox has made its appearance in the family of Nathan Austin, who lives in the Bruce house. A chicken means a small fowl, but don't think this means small-pox.

A number from Clinton went down to Tecumseh Monday night to hear Jonn Temple Graves in The Reign of the Demagogue and were well pleased with his masterly effort.

Jas. Priest met with an accident last Friday that came near being very serious. While working in the woods a stick flew up striking him over the eye and bruising it quite severely.

Eggs and umbrellas make a dangerous combination upon the ice. A pair of this kind fell, together with a young man, last week Thursday. The young man and umbrella are all right but the eggs can't be fixed.

The law suit was on trial last Monday and Tuesday. The proceedings were so interesting that our stenographer forgot his business, and hence we are compelled to refer our readers to the docket for particulars of the trial.

Golden Rod Chapter, No. 85, O. E. S., respectfully invites the citizens of Clinton, their wives, sons and daughters to a social to be held in the Masonic parlor at Town Hall, Feb. 8th. A good program will be one feature of the evening's entertainment, and supper from six to eight o'clock will be provided for 15c. Every one invited.

The case of David Partlow vs. Wm. Grotenhuis, which was tried before Justice Smith on Monday and Tuesday, resulted in a verdict in favor of the defendant. The jury was out about twenty-five minutes and returned a verdict of "no cause for action." This case grew out of a slander suit begun last June, in which Mrs. Barbara Jenkins sued Dayid Partlow for slander, Grotenhuis being the principle witness. The first suit was dropped, on Partlow signing a statement to the effect that the statements made by him at the time were untrue.

OCTOGENARIAN ANNIVERSARY.

Last Sunday, Jan. 26, was the 80th anniversary of the birth of one of our pioneers, Darius St. John. As Will St. John was home from Chicago his father thought it proper to celebrate Monday in honor of the event, but the family anticipated his intentions by arranging the occasion for Saturday, as a surprise for the principal actor. Accordingly, about 85 of the older citizens of Clinton were invited to the St. John residence at 11 o'clock to partake of a bounteous repast and to pass congratulations to their host upon his joining the ranks of the octogenarians of Clinton. Among the participants were twelve whose average age is only a few months under 80 years each, as follows:

Mrs. Hixon, 90.
R. Randall, 92.
Mrs. E. P. Felton, 88.
Mrs. Jane VanDeMark, 81.
Mrs. Sara Wastell, 81.
C. H. Randall, 80.
Mrs. E. Y. Powell, 76.
Mrs. Haynes, 75.
E. W. Freese, 73.
Mrs. Watson, 73.
D. Woodward, 71.
S. B. St. John, 73.

Each guest registered their name and age and this record will long be cherished by the family, for a few years will number this notable gathering of our venerable citizens with the great majority. Age, however, had little to do with the enjoyment of the occasion, unless, perhaps, to add a little for every year represented, and the spirit of youth and happy bygone memories was paramount. The jokes and pranks as played upon each other in pioneer days were told by different ones, as were also more serious and interesting stories. Uncle Roswell Randall remembered the feast at which one wild turkey was sufficient for all the adult inhabitants of Clinton, and they had good appetites, too.

The true version of how this place derived the name of Clinton was also given. A dozen or so of the early settlers got together and each one wrote his choice of names. Capt Kies wrote the name of his personal friend, (De Witt) Clinton, the famous governor of New York. Upon reading the names this one was unanimously adopted.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. St. John, of Henrietta, and Mrs. Henrietta Kedzie, of Grand Haven, the first white girl born in Clinton, were present from abroad.

ONSTED ODDS.

Miss Myrtle Maxwell visited in Ohio last week.

Bert Onsted has been on the sick list for a day or two.

Mrs. Clara Onsted has nearly recovered from her late illness.

Regular meeting of the order of the Eastern Star takes place Friday evening next.

D. A. Aldrich was acquitted at Adrian last week of the charge of assault upon his wife.

Some from here attended the mask ball at Rome Center on Friday evening af last week.

The administrator's sale of the N. Kinney personal property east of town came off last Friday. All articles brought a fair price.

Geo. Hines has bought the interest of his partner in the grocery and meat business and will continue to do business at the old stand.

A theatrical troupe will hold forth in town four nights this week. This will give our citizens an opportunity to dispose of their loose change, if they want to.

S. P. Onsted lost a large, fat steer which he had been feeding for the spring market. Others of the lot were sick, but were saved. Too much crowding with grain seemed to be the cause.

Alfred Onsted and Frank Skinner have been trading in real estate, and now Mr. Onsted owns the Skinner farm west of town, besides some village property, and Mr. Skinner owns the Onsted farm northwest of town. They are both satisfied with the deal, or at least we hope so.

FRANKLIN FACTS.

L. E. Taylor will build a barn this spring.

John Burtless drew some fine saw logs this week.

Hudson Davenport is home from Hudson this week.

Oliver Mull drew saw logs for Sam Tripp this week.

Floyd Updyke is attending Cleary's business college.

Robert Cairns visited his farm in Franklin Tuesday.

The Franklin Lyceum will give an exhibition at Hampton Hall Feb. 15.

George Taylor went to Ypsilanti Monday to attend Cleary's business college.

Elmer Wilson was in the vicinity Monday in the interest of life insurance.

There has been a regular epidemic of colds in the Paragon school; the pupils are now recovering.

Mrs. Lorenzo Billington and Miss Nina Allen drove to Ypsilanti last Friday, returning Monday.

The French say "it is the impossible that happens." This has proved to be the case with the Mount Lebanon Shakers. The whole scientific world has been laboring to cure dyspepsia, but every effort seemed to meet with defeat. The suffering from stomach troubles has become almost universal. Multitudes have no desire for food and that which they do eat causes them pain and distress. Sleepless nights are the rule and not the exception, and thousands of sufferers have become discouraged.

The Shakers of Mount Lebanon recently came to the front with their new Digestive Cordial, which contains not only a food already digested, but a digester of food. It promptly relieves nearly all forms of indigestion. Ask your druggist for one of their books.

Laxol, the new Castor Oil, is being used in hospitals. It is sweet as honey. 1w

Gov. Bushiel, of New Hampshire, is a candidate for United States Senator.

I am an old soldier of the rebellion. A year ago I was in bed all winter with chronic rheumatism. Three doctors failed to give me relief. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters put me on my feet. It is worth its weight in gold.—W. B. Knapp, Litchfield, Hillsdale Co., Mich. 2w

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New York's Legislature is considering a bill to effect tenement reform by requred open-air breathing places in all tenements.

ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

The Trials and Tribulations of a Battle Creek Citizen—How He Comes to Tell This Story.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says; "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

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Lord Bennet, of the English peerage, is now an evangelist conducting revivals at Tacoma.

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Sphon's Distemper Cure.

Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure in a week cured for us the worst cases of distemper we ever saw, and kept our other horses in the same stable from getting it. Too much cannot be said in praise of it. POWERS & WALFORD, Buyers and Shippers. Homer Mich.

This remedy will cure distemper in sheep, and is the best worm cure ever known. Sold only by C. A. Wright. 1w

Losses to shipping on the great lakes by disaster for the past season amounted to $2,096,697.

A card on the outside of office door says, "Gone to lunch. Be back in ten minutes." And the man will be there on time. That is, for some days, weeks or even months, he will. Then he will be at home occasionally for a day. He'll tell you he had a headache—a turn of cholera morbus, or maybe he'll say he had a lump in his stomach and felt so miserable to move. The lump was probably two or three ten minute lunches condensed.

The man who "bolts" his lunches will find Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets the best friend he ever met.

There is no case of billousness, constipation, indigestion, "heart burn," or any of the rest of the night-mare breeding brood, that these little "Pellets" will not cure. They cure permanently. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated. 1w

The Swiss government made a profit of about $1,000,000 last year on its monopoly of spirits.

Don't worry. Don't run in dept. Don't trifle with your health. Don't try experiments with medicines. Don't waste time and money on worthless compounds Don't be persuaded to take a substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best of blood-purifiers.

Arizona was first in the market with this season's oranges, beating California by a week or so.

To cure all Nervous troubles and diseases, "Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer is pronounced the greatest medical discovery of the age. Free trial bottles at Orr & Temple's. 1w

The only Republian newspaper in Georgia run by a white man is the Piedmont Republican.

"Five years ago," says Agna A. Lewis Ricard, N. Y., "I had a constant cough, night sweats, was greatly reduced in flesh, and had been given up by my physicians. I began to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after using two bottles was completely cured. 1w

Immorality of the officials of a deaf dumb and blind asylum at Staunton, Va., will be investigated.

"I am cured since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla," is what many thousands are saying. It gives renewed vitality and vigor. 1w

The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad dusts its cars with a blast of compressed air from hose nozzle.

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If you don't want to break a 50, buy a 25 cent bottle of Brant's Balsam of us and stop that cough. Sure cure. For sale by Orr & Temple. 1w

Several sleepers in rooms over an Indianapolis tobacco factory were bravely rescued by Monk Wilson, from death in flames.

How a Tree Grows.

If you wish to become thoroughly acquainted with the tree's mode of growth the first thing of importance is to keep in view the function of the "cambian layer"—the soft, spongy substance lying between the wood proper and the bark. The pulpy, porous substance is really a tissue of minute cells, visible only under the microscope, and apparently all of the same size and shape in any given variety of tree. The cells lying nearest the bark contribute a permanent accretion to the tree's covering, while those which lie nearest the wood slowly change from "cambian layer" to real tree fiber. In this way the bark becomes thicker each year, and at the same time the tree itself is permanently enlarged.

In the spring and early summer the bark on all trees is to a certain extent loosened to permit of the cambian layer exercising its functions, and when this wholly ceases the result is manifest in the "ring" of new wood and the thin layer of newly formed inner bark. The ends of each limb have also grown perceptibly—from two inches to two feet, according to the species—but knots, marks, forks, etc., on tree trunks are no higher from the ground than they were the year before. If some one tells you that a limb which is now but three or four feet from the ground "will be high enough to walk under when the tree gets its growth," put him or her down as a person knowing but little about the natural history of trees.—St. Louis Republic.

Bridge Paints.

A careful investigation of the reliability of different paints used on bridges has been made by E. Gerber of the American Society of Civil Engineers, with some important practical results. It appears that in all cases rust was found to a greater or less extent, occurring always in spots in the center of clean metal, most of this, however, being thin and as bad in new structures as in old. It was, nevertheless, found that the iron oxide paints adhered more firmly to the metal than the lead paints, only one case being found in which the latter adhered well and was tough, though much of this brittleness, it is suggested, may be due to adulteration of the oil by turpentine, benzine or other petroleum products, there being more likelihood of such adulteration with lead paints than with iron, as they are more difficult to spread, and consequently dilution of the oil is resorted to. In some cases bridges coated with iron oxide 11 or 12 years ago were found to be still in good condition without having to be repainted. Only two of the bridges examined had been painted with carbon or asphaltum paints, but the condition of things in these two cases was found to be not altogether satisfactory, as the coating was not tough or adherent. Too little attention, Gerber remarks, has been paid to thoroughly cleaning the metal before the first coat of paint is applied.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Scovel C. Stacy, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Sumner Collins, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 24th day of February, 1896, and on the 27th day of July, 1896, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days

And that six months from the 24th day of January, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 23, 1896.

JOSEPH D. ROBBINS,
ALFRED JAMES,
Commissioners.

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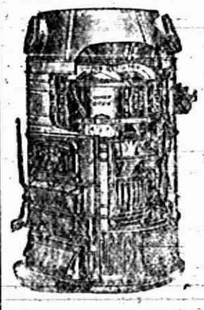

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Le

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the [illegible] day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William P. [illegible] deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Byron A. Beal, administrator with the will annexed of said estate, praying that he may be [illegible] licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased as in said petition described, for reasons therein set forth.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of February next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the hearing of said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted:

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Le

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 6th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Clemens, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Elizabeth Pilbeam, widow of said deceased, praying that her dower in the real estate of said deceased may be assigned to her and that commissioners be appointed for that purpose according to the statute in such case made and provided.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted;

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On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Simon Gould and Daniel T. Hall, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be examined and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for the purposes therein stated

It is Ordered, That Monday, the [illegible] day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

ON the first day of September, A. D. 1892, James Boyd mortgaged to Joseph [illegible] all those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Franklin in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan described as follows, to wit: The [illegible] quarter of the southeast quarter and the east quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven (7) of town five (5) south of range [illegible] east, containing of both parcels eighty acres of land more or less, to secure the payment of one thousand dollars, in ten equal annual instalments next ensuing the first day of December, 1893, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1892, recorded in the Register of Deeds for the county of Lenawee, Michigan, in liber 91 of Mortgages, on page 731, &c. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that in case any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof, or any installment of principal or any part thereof, on the days whereon the same is made payable as aforesaid, and the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the principal said sum of one thousand dollars as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon, shall, at the option of said party of the second part, his executors, administrators or assigns, become and be due and payable immediately thereafter, although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of the principal of said mortgage, the undersigned hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount due, both principal and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of nine hundred, nine and 90-100 dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity have been commenced for the recovery of said sum or any part thereof, notice, therefore, is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the sum due on the above mentioned and interest thereon, with the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including an attorney fee provided by law, I shall on the third day of February, A. D. 1896 at [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, in the county of Lenawee, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder the lands and premises described.

Dated November 7th, 1895.

JOSEPH R[illegible]
Mo[illegible]

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Atty for Mortg

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. M[illegible] PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all

ghborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Priddle is out again.

Hoagland was an Adrian visitor

Ward visited his parents at ver Sunday.

es pounds rolled oats for 25c at Schmidt's, Ridgeway.

DeSpelder will preach in the Re- church here next Sabbath.

s A Hess and wife, of Dundee, at Geo. Suydam's Tuesday.

Lee attended drill at Tecumseh night, in spite of the grip.

Allen was in town Tuesday. He of starting a bakery here soon.

condition of Edgar Wells, who n sick for a long time, does not

Lena Wyrill, of Tecumseh, was at Jas. McCarbery's the first of

your coal of Smith & Schmidt, ay. They sell the best at bot- ces.

elevating machinery broke in ator last Monday. Repairs were sent for.

Smith and Chas Gove and fami- re callers at George Suydam's day evening.

E. G. Palmer has accepted a call chester, Mich., and will soon be ag in that village.

Avery's new portable saw mill menced work on some timber ng to Neil Exelby.

y and Ed. Bachman were called lay, O, Monday on account of ere illness of a sister.

Teeple took nineteen sittings in Britton last Tuesday. This volumes for his artistic ability.

entertainment given last Satur- ening by the Maccabee Dramatic Holloway was well attended and od satisfaction.

Martha Clarkson, who is living Osgood's and is taking a course ment, has gained one-half pound y for sixteen days.

Deyo went to Lawton Monday. expects to move his family to as soon as the repairs on the e are completed.

grocery will soon locate in We understand that John has rented his store for that and also a tenant house for the rs.

Hoagland has sold out to Dave who will conduct the carriage se here. Daye is a hustler, has ends and will make the wheels ggy business turn round.

Miller met with a painful ac- e first of last week while load- . A stick of four foot wood s foot, probably fracturing the r. Miller is now out on crutches.

ine came to town Monday night, up and got full. Like men in ition it wanted every one te and indulged in a prolonged sting from about 2 to 4 o'clock

p has many of our citizens in gers. Its effects are very pe- different people. One of our erchants was so hallucinated ould hardly tell green wood

Oliver will sell some desira- nal property at auction next Feb. 6. The sale will be held rm, at 1 o'clock sharp. Frank , auctioneer. See full notice e.

ext entertainment on our boards a presentation of the popular he District Schule," by about ters represented by our older It will be put on for the benefit blic school. Particulars later.

w eating house by the Wabash ing more definite proportions ing on the ornaments of metro- architecture. The fixtures for de have arrived. They are suit- erving either solid or liquid re- nts.

enjoyable social gathering was the home of Horatio Underwood sday evening. It was a sur- gotten up by about thirty of the family, and an excellent chosen for their operations. ed it.

stallation will occur this even- e male portion of our commun- have been making beds and for the family for the past few ill welcome their wives and the household again with an ss born of hunger, and we will appreciate them in the

oyce, of Dundee, has been giv- adies of the Maccabees setting- ses and military drill during week. It is said the ladies red a full equipment of extra peating broom sticks and will ely volunteer their services n event that the islanders are d as belligerants.

COME CATCHINGS.

Reeves is quite sick this

as. Kent is quite sick with

meetings are being continued l success.

nd G. W. Auten were in Toledo ss this week.

iley and Martin Dennison were or visitors Monday.

eo. Packard, of Dundee, visited , Mrs. Chas. Kent, Sunday.

ckwood visited his father at y Hospital, Detroit, Wednes-

well and wife returned home m a two weeks' visit in

Auten and little son, Wil- d over Sunday with her Mrs. Mabel Laskey, near

usie Reeves, who has been the past two months with a ear Toledo, returned home

RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Orange blossoms are reported in the near future.

16 lbs. best rolled oats for 25c at Smith & Schmidt's.

... Coe, of Holloway, was in the village Tuesday.

Heck's buckwheat flour 2c a lb. at Smith & Schmidt's.

Lawrence Rappleye is quite sick with neuralgia of the lungs.

Mintie Jackson, of Macon, visited relatives here Saturday.

Hudson Milling Co.'s pure buckwheat flour at Smith & Schmidt's.

There are a number in the village under the doctor's care with heavy colds.

Manager Walker, of the Herald, was a guest at the Miller house Wednesday.

John Jackson, of Macon, called on friends in the village Saturday morning.

Mrs. W. L. Jones returned Tuesday from her visit with her sister in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Whooping cough and chicken-pox are keeping some of the school children home from school at present.

Mrs. Catherine Cox went to Holloway Tuesday for a visit with her son Will Cox, of an indefinate period.

On account of so many having severe colds, the singing school class will not meet again until Friday evening, Feb. 14th.

There was not a very large attendance at the donation given at the church Friday night and the receipts only footed up $53.

Mrs. David Allison, who has been spending a few days with relatives, returned to her home at Stoney Creek Wednesday.

Mrs. Foote and daughter Minnie, of Farmer's village, N. Y., are visiting her son, Charles Foote, and family at present.

Frank Angelmyre, of Clinton, is seen quite regularly in our village, the center of attraction being at the seven gables on Willow ave.

Beginning with Sunday, a nine days' gospel meeting will be held by the chalk-talk evangelist, Rev. D. C. Riehl, of Marion, Ohio. Children's meeting each afternoon at close of school. Services at the church each evening Saturday evening the pastor desires any and all interested in the work to meet with the choir at the church and make Rev. Riehl's acquaintance and assist in the singing for the coming week. Pentecostal hymns used.

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Mont Florance was down from Adrian Sunday.

Mrs. Burdock, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. James Lane.

Miss Amy Sleeper, of Union City, is here for a short visit.

F. G. Florance was a passenger for the Maple City Tuesday.

Mr. A. D. Macham and Dr. Nixon visited Tecumseh Thursday.

Mrs. Bert Carpenter and Mrs. Florance went to Adrian Friday.

Andrew Harrison, of Palmyra, was in town. He is agent for Page fence.

A series of dances will be held at Holloway Hall commencing tonight.

Mrs. L. B. Spencer and Mrs. A. D. Macham visited Mrs. B. Lewis Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Mitchel, of Raisin Valley, is visiting the Misses Brown for a few days.

Free Methodists are holding revival meetings on the prairie with good attendance.

Mr. Will Rothfuss, of Blissfield, was in town Tuesday looking after his new store here.

The dramatic club played "At Odds with the Enemy," at Britton Saturday evening, January 25.

The new shelving and counters are being placed in the new store. It is nearly ready for occupancy.

One of our young men, with his best girl, tipped over Tuesday evening. Better keep in the middle of the road.

Mr. Chas. Anthony is home visiting his family for a few days. He is traveling, in Virginia, for the Page Wire Fence Co., of Adrian.

Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, spoke to a fair sized audience and all present appreciated his eloquent sermon as he has many friends in this community, who love to listen to him.

Mrs. John Welch passed to her eternal reward Saturday morning after a short illness. Cause of her death paralysis. The funeral occured at Saline, where she was buried, Monday.

MACON MUSIC.

Roy Chambers spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Remember the donation at Mr. Coller's to-night.

Rev. J. D. DeSpelder will act as supply in the new church.

Miss Anna Pennington was the guest of Mrs. Robbins last week.

Mr. Wm. Osborne, of Tecumseh, formerly a residence of South Macon is quite sick.

We are glad to hear that the two invalids, Darius Hendershot, and Mrs. Harmon, are improving.

On Friday evening, Feb. 7, an entertainment will be given by the Y. P. S. C. E. at the Reformed church. Admission, 10c.

All Macon teachers were on duty at the Teacher's Association at Tecumseh Saturday. A good record, for which Mr. Keeler ought to give some long credit marks.

The lecture by John Temple Graves this week, and the Remenyi Concert next week help our citizens to give an added test as to the condition of the Tecumseh road.

The Rev. J. I. Gulick preached his farewell sermon at the Reformed church last Sunday. Mr. Gulick has accepted a call to Constantine, and the church here loses an earnest and devoted pastor.

Writers Who Are Seldom Seen.

Of some celebrities we hear a great deal, because they deem it advisable to keep themselves well before the public; of others we hear nothing at all, but of their work a great deal. Of literary men Bret Harte, George Meredith, George Gissing, W. Clark Russell and "Q." keep, as the expression is, themselves to themselves and shun publicity as they would the cholera. Bret Harte—white haired now and not so slim as when he "put Sandy Bar together"—clings to the shady retirement of St. John's Wood and neither lectures, preaches, edits nor endeavors to get into parliament. But ever and anon we have a new collection of his delightful stories of "Woolly West" life, and so are made aware that he is still working away as hard as ever.

The fact that Mr. George Meredith recently spoke in public for the first time qualifies him for the title of "retiring celebrity;" Mr. Gissing avoids London's roar and dirt with a steady persistence, and Mr. Clark Russell prefers his house at Deal to the most sumptuously furnished west end mansion. "Q." seldom leaves Fowey, a solitary little township in Cornwall, whither Messrs. Cassell & Co.—for whom he acts as literary adviser—dispatch great parcels of MSS. at regular intervals, to be passed judgment upon.—London Sun.

Mortality of Physicians.

Dr. Cortright, in the Brooklyn Medical Journal has written a paper on the "Mortality and Causes of Death In Medical Men." This paper is based on the records of 450 physicians who died in New York and Brooklyn during the past eight years. The average age of death was 54.6 years, and the mortality was about 25.23 as compared with a mortality of 15.93 in clergymen and 20.23 in lawyers. There is a considerable mortality from the self administration of drugs; that from consumption is about half the general rate, while that from typhoid fever is very high. There is a high death rate due to arterial sclerosis and other degenerative changes.

The practical conclusion deducted from Dr. Cortright's statistics, says The Medical Journal, is that doctors should take at least three weeks' complete rest and change yearly; should be extremely moderate in the use of stimulants; should be regular in their meals, never worry and never hurry. This is the kind of advice that doctors give, but do not take. The further suggestion, however, that they all join some medical sickness and life assurance society is a wise one.—Medical Record.

He Must Have Been There.

An anecdote—a perfectly true one—told me the other day of the late Duke of Clarence, reminded me of another about the Duke of Wellington, who, when a party of friends were busily poring over a map of Waterloo, remarked in an unconcerned way, as if they were unaware of the fact, "I was there, you know."

But about the Duke of Clarence. He was visiting his friend and tutor, Mr. Oscar Browning, at his rooms in Cambridge. There hung upon the walls an engraving of Windsor castle, taken from a point of view unfamiliar, perhaps, to the young prince. "What a beautiful place!" he exclaimed as he looked at the picture. "Somehow I seem to know it. I think I must have been there!" "Windsor, sir, Windsor," said Mr. Browning. Of course the duke laughed heartily with every one present.—London Gentlewoman.

A Judge's Reply.

At one time a delicate question as to the construction of a statute was discussed before the venerable chief justice of the New York court of common pleas, the Hon. Charles P. Daly, and after elaborate arguments on each side, the chief justice decided the question in open court, giving his reasons in a few well timed remarks which caused a lull in the courtroom. The silence was speedily broken by the successful attorney, who stood and said, with an air of patronizing approval, "May it please your honor, I, for one, agree with you entirely." The chief justice, with a twinkle in his eye which betokened his enjoyment of the joke, but a perfectly grave face, quietly removed his glasses, and, amid a breathless stillness, said, "I have, counselor, generally found in my experience that the successful party agrees with the court."

Du Maurier, by Himself.

They are telling a good story on the other side of Mr. Du Maurier in connection with a collector of Trilbyana, who wrote to him for an autograph contribution to a volume which he is making up. The book was sent back to him with a pleasant letter from the artist and a sketch representing the creator of Trilby with angel's wings, a forked tail, his left hand in his pocket and his right holding a cigarette, in the curling smoke of which might be read the following modest legend: "Some seem to think he's got wings like an angel, some that he's got a cloven foot and a forked tail. He is quite an ordinary little man. I assure you—un vieux petit bourgeois—ni bon ni mauvais et tres malheureux qu'on s'occupe tant de lui."

Stage.

Pliny says that among the Romans of his time there was a belief that stags could, by their breath, draw serpents from their holes in the ground, and after getting them out would then trample them to death. The early hunters of this country relate many incidents concerning the enmity between deer and serpents of all kinds. It was well known that stags would often without hesitation attack rattlesnakes, and by jumping high in the air and descending upon the serpent with the fore hoofs drawn closely together would cut the snake to pieces.

How Pepper Grows.

The common black pepper berry grows on a climbing vine, which attains a length of from 12 to 20 feet.

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Editor of the Graphic,

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24, '96.

Nothing of a startling nature accompanied the holding of the national silver conference in Washington this week. Nearly one hundred ardent and enthusiastic friends of silver held secret sessions and ratified the determination reached at the last conference to hold a national convention and put a national silver ticket in the field. The silver men in Congress were conspicuous by their absence, and it was probably their absence which caused Senator Stewart, who took part in the conference, to say that there were men in Congress talking silver who were traitors to the cause. The delegates to the silver conference, expressed confidence that the silver men in the republican and democratic parties would nearly all go to the new party after their national convention, unless one or the other of them should put a silver plank in their platform, which is not regarded as probable. The populists are not willing to be swallowed by the silver party, because they think they are in a better condition to do the swallowing, having shown a strength of 1,250,000 votes, while the strength of the new party is yet to be shown.

The Monroe doctrine is still capable of furnishing sensations to order. The reporting of the resolution affirming that doctrine, by the Senate committee on Foreign Relations, had nothing sensational about it, although many who believe in the doctrine, thought its wording somewhat unfortunate, and unnecessarily explicit. But it has been followed by several sensational features. There is apparently, consorted effort on the part of a coterie of big newspapers to stir up opposition to the resolution, and the administration, which started the whole Monroe doctrine discussion is using its influence to prevent the resolution being pushed to a vote, on the ground that its adoption would endanger the peaceful settlement of the Venezuela squabble. But the greatest sensation was the speech of Senator Wolcott, Colorado, attacking not only the resolution reported to the Senate, but the Monroe doctrine itself. The stock of sensations in this question is not yet exhausted, either.

While the urgency deficiency bill, which carries $3,242,582 to meet deficencies in the regular appropriations for U. S. Courts, and nearly a million and a half more to meet other deficencies, and which was this week passed by the House, was under discussion, there was some very plain talk by members about the manner in which these courts are run, and especially about the abuses of the fee system. To show that cases are "made" for the fees Representative Swanson, of Va., called attention to the fact that more than 45 per cent of the suits brought in the U. S. Courts are dismissed. Representative Lacey, of Iowa, declared the whole system to be honeycombed with fraud, and said judges appointed for life did not always feel a keen desire to reduce expenditures, because they sometimes helped to fatten on the spoils. He said there was a man in Ark., who held the office of clerk of U. S. Commissioner, and drew over $12,000 a year in fees.

The action of Comptroller, Bowler, in holding up the sugar bounty appropriation, is going to be investigated by the House Judiciary committee, as soon as the House adopts a resolution reported from that committee, authorizing the investigation.

The Senate passed 65 bills in less than two hours one day this week, but they were all bills which had no opposition and, while important to those directly interested, were not of general importance.

Members of the house are beginning to speculate on the probability of an unusually early adjournment for a long session. If the Senate was as thoroughly controlled as the House is, an early adjournment would be easily arrived at, but as it is, the 4th of July is likely to find Congress in session.

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

B. F. Graves, of Adrian, declares that he is not a candidate for reelection as commandant of the soldiers home at Grand Rapids.

Hon. John Strong, of South Rockwood, Monroe county, has purchased the grain elevators of D. D. VanNocker situated at Dundee and Rea.

Master Maloney tried to touch bottom in the pond at Manchester, last Monday and was rescued in the nick of time to prevent his drowning.

Dundee ladies used to be hauled to social gatherings by a team of oxen belonging to Emery Stowell. Stowell has sold the oxen and society functions at Dundee will languish.

Mr. Daniel B. Brown, of Ann Arbor, is said to be the oldest resident of Washtenaw county. He is 91 years of age.—Ypsilantian.

This will do for Washtenaw county but just over in Clinton two of the most active citizens are 95 and 92 respectively.

Adrian Press: Editor Grandon slipped while on his way to the court house yesterday and strained the knee section of his right leg. He found it difficult to walk on the way back to dinner, and utterly impossible to kneel for the usual devotional exercises at the Messenger office.

How envious must Pingree be of the street car situation in Adrian: We imagine the great reformer lying awake nights devising means to reduce the street car companies of Detroit to a condition where he will be compelled to give popular entertainments for their benefit.

Monroe Democrat: A resident of Hudson has just had a singular horny growth removed from his cheek by a surgeon. It has been proven over and over again that dehorning should take place when the animal is a calf, otherwise it is a painful operation and the critter is also liable to be dangerous.

All of the C. J. & M. locomotives both in freight and passenger service, are to be renumbered, the numbers being raised about one hundred. Freight cars have been billed into Cincinnati since the first inst. and passenger cars will begin continuous trips from Addison to that city on the 28th, says the Addison Courier.

North Adams Advocate: At Hillsdale Tuesday Judge Lane sentenced Andy Bennett, of Jonesville, who was tried 18 months ago for violation of the local option law, to pay $50 fine and $100 costs, with the alternative of sixty days in jail. Henry Caldwell, of Litchfield, got $125 and 60 days in jail or 90 days without the fine, for a like offense. Caldwell was convicted a year ago.

It was our good fortune today to set teeth into a home grown and well developed orange. The fruit was grown at our home where Mrs. Warren has several more of the same variety that will be ripe in a short time.—Saline Observer. And they raise Figgs down in Wayne, so what's the matter with this climate, any way?—Ann Arbor Courier. And they have Plumbs the year round, in Adrian, but they are "wormy" and no good.—Monroe Democrat.

Jackson Patriot: Mrs. Enos Larkins, who, with her husband, murdered Mrs. Jane Merrill in Monroe county, arrived at the prison Friday afternoon on her life sentence. She was given the room in the hospital formerly occupied by Mrs. Pope and it is expected Gov. Rich will commute her sentence to the Detroit house of correction. Mrs. Larkins made no demonstration on her arrival but submitted to the inevitable with all the calmness of a third termer.

Adrian Times: Adrian Commandery Knights Templar held another interesting conclave last evening, the order of the temple being conferred upon Capt. Will H. Hayden, of Tecumseh. Supper was served in the dining room of the asylum at 5:30 o'clock, work commenced at 6, and the commandery closed at 8 o'clock. There was a very large attendance, twelve sir knights coming from Tecumseh alone. Eminent Commander Barrett announced that Rev. Chas. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, would read the next paper in the series on Friday evening, Jan. 31, this subject being, "Christianity and Templarism."

The musical cult of Toledo is finely developed and seems to flourish in the rythmic ozone of the Maumee marshes. The Toledo Bee thus satarizes the appreciation with which an audience there received the great Remenyi. "Up on the stage a Mr. Remenyi, and some other people played and sang. Mr. Remenyi played the violin, but he didn't often make enough noise to disturb the conversation and nobody seemed to be annoyed. There were a few people who imagined they had paid their money to hear Mr. Remenyi play, but they were mostly old fogies and are not recognized by the swagger set. Mr. Remenyi seemed to share this minority opinion, for once he stopped playing and waited for several minutes for the conversation to subside. But it didn't. During the wait it grew louder and louder, and those bits of paper, on which was printed something that was labeled 'program,' rustled as cheerfully and swished as loudly as a bran new eighteen yard skirt lined with fibre chamois. During the occasional lulls in conversation it was possible to hear some good music from the stage. Remenyi gave a series of magnificent selections, played as only Remenyi can play them."

Ann Arbor Argus: Ypsilanti is becoming noted for its poets. The distance between "Grace with snow in her face" of the Willis bard, to a four line classic upon the horrors of war by one Wm. Lambie is one that could only be accomplished in a county of letters. Now listen to this from the Ypsilantian, worthy of the new English poet laureate:

WAR.

Save us from murder, battle and war,
The cruelest curse of earth by far,
Pray everyone of honor and worth
To save us from a hell upon earth.

Ypsilanti, Jan. 16, 1896. Wm. Lambie.

Of course this poem needs analyzing. The average mind would not grasp it in all its beauty. "Save us from murder." That's easy, "murder" meaning here the sacrifice of soldiers on the altar of liberty, legal "murder" since it has the sanction of the government, but "murder" nevertheless from a poetical point of view. "Battle" and "war" mean much the same, although of course the terms are not exactly synonymous with "murder" because often a war is of words and a battle may be one of ballots, in either of which cases no murder is contemplated, although one may occur. Note the cadence in "The cruelest curse of earth by far." This line needs no interpretation. It was evidently written for its cadence and is a success in the cadence business. "Pray every one of honor and worth to save us from a hell upon earth." Now that's where the poet gets in his work. He forgets the rhymic swing of the former lines to thunder forth in no unmistaking language his panacea for saving the nation from the dire disaster of war. His last line may be halting, but it contains such an heroic measure that he will be pardoned if it is an old soldier in one or two feet. It is right, too, that it should be an old soldier and limp in one foot, for is he not talking of war? We have met people who would have used "hades" instead of "hell" in the last line but when the line is read with "hades" instead of the other word equally as hot, it will be noticed that the metre when the sun goes down is badly bobbed. From the points narrated, gleaned after several minutes study of the roundelay, it will be readily seen that the Willis bard's laurels must be grasped from his brow and surrendered unto this new poetic light in the world of letters, Mr. Wm. Lambie, of Ypsilanti.

FARMERS' SOCIAL CLUB.

It was a large company that responded to Mr. and Mrs. Will Schreder's invitation for the regular meeting of the club on the evening of the 28th. The fine condition of the roads and the superb moonlight made the evening all that could be desired, and it was not strange that Mr. and Mrs. Schreder had a well filled house.

We listened to vocal music by Miss Murphy at the opening of the literary program, and a nicely rendered recitation by Ethel Schreder followed. J. T. Boyce read an entertaining reminiscence of the school district in which he lives. Fred Rector gave a declamation with his usual readiness, and Andrew Kehoe, assisted by a friend, presented a very comical dialogue. The selections by different members proved interesting, and many wise sayings of our President were recalled. Some little children volunteered to assist with the program and their efforts were appreciated by all. It would be difficult to state the result of the discussion, as the speakers were inclined to deviate from the topic chosen. This much may be said, however, that mixed husbandry had the preferance, many thinking that the fertility of the soil would be enhanced to a greater degree in that manner than by any special crop.

The club adjourned to meet at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Will Rector, Tuesday evening, Feb. 11. Following is the program:

Song—School children.
Piano Solo—Ora Gillespie.
Quartet—Members of the club.
Piano Solo—Mrs. Geo. J. Benedict.
Song—Hazel Roberts.
Duet—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Song—Mary Murphy.
Piano Solo—Bertha Roberts.
Duet—Mrs. G. J. Benedict and John Boyce.
Duet—Mrs. Jerome Bowen and daughter.
Solo—Mrs. Geo. J. Benedict.
Question—Would we injure our district schools by adopting the unit system?—Opened by J. F. N. Bowen.

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High School Happenings.

Harold Hoag has deserted us.

Mr. Baxter visited the high school Friday.

Bertha VanValkenburg has left school.

The Vergil class are pushing through the fifth book.

Two young ladies graced the floor of the A room Monday.

Mrs. Gilmore, of Macon, was a visitor in the A room Wednesday.

The English Literature class are studying the works of Walter Scott.

Misses Harriet Osborne and Jessie Millis called on the A room Monday.

We are grieved to hear that Sam McClure is seriously ill with pneumonia.

The Botany class numbers over forty and thirty-six are studying rhetoric in two divisions.

The new program was subjected to criticisms of the students Monday, and as usual the ones with irregular courses came to grief.

What is the cause of the vacant seats, rough voices, and unharmonious sounds which lead one to believe that he is in a den of barking dogs? Can it be due to the ice on the Globe pond.

Mr. Van Slyke, a representative of the Western Seaman's Friend Society, favored the high school Monday with a description of his work among the seamen and other classes more destitute than we, and Tuesday morning a collection was taken to aid the society.

John Temple Graves.

An unusually large audience assembled to hear John Temple Graves in "The Reign of the Demagogue," last Monday evening.

Mr. Graves is a man rather under the medium size, with a striking face displaying strong convictions and intellectuality. Although the subject of demagogy is somewhat worn, it is by no means threadbare, and perhaps no theme is more timely than this, especially when presented with the force and vividness which is characteristic of this orator. Certainly no speaker has ever appeared in Tecumseh who could surpass Mr. Graves in word painting or histronic ability.

His diction, rhetoric and dramatic powers are almost beyond comparison. And yet it was the experience of many listeners, that the orator was hard to follow; presumably on account of his rapid speech. The flights of eloquence were so continuous and rapid that they seemed to strain the soaring capacity of the audience who, from their appearance, wished to light occasionally on some convenient perch of pathos or story. However, this was only granted occasionally and they were taken thro' the starry vaults of real oratory to heights never before reached by a Tecumseh audience. That John Temple Graves is a born orator there can be no doubt.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 31, 1896

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Have you seen our maps?

Remenyi next Wednesday night.

It is raining. Subscribe now.

Miss Alice Cutting is reported ill.

Have you secured a seat for Remenyi?

Miss Mabel Hayden returned to Austin, Texas, Tuesday.

A number of Clinton people attended the lecture Monday night.

Fred Hermann, of Manchester, is working in Anderson & Co's.

Mrs. Zalinda DeMott is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Hayden this week.

H. R. Lamb, of Jonesville, will open a photograph rooms over R. S. Moore's store.

The sale of reserved seats for the Remenyi concert will begin Monday morning.

Fred B. Wood was here again over Sunday. He left for Virginia the first of the week.

Mrs. Truman McKinney, of Detroit, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Freeman, this week.

Clarence Conklin, who is running for the Pacific Express Co. on the Wabash, is at home sick at present.

Ambitious thespians of local fame will soon put on the Deacon. The deacon has many friends here.

Miss Francis Heidenreich, of Manchester, was the guest of E. F. Kirchgessner and sisters Wednesday.

It is reported that a new grocery will soon make its appearance in town. Suppose there is always room for one more.

Several Tecumseh Knights Templar will attend the regular conclave of the Adrian commandery tonight. Rev. C. M. Brown will read a paper on "Christianity and Templarism."

The enterprising ladies, of Clinton, did themselves proud Wednesday night, on the occasion of their leap year party. The ladies were gallant, the music excellent and the supper a feast.

Rev. J. E. Williams went to Fountain City, Ind., the first of the week. When he returns he will be accompanied by the bride of his choice. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will commence housekeeping in Tecumseh.

The members of Tecumseh Eastern Star Chapter are cordially invited to attend a social and supper to be given by the ladies of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., Clinton, at Masonic Hall, Saturday evening, Feb. 8.

E. F. and Miss Anna Kirchgessner, Geo. Tiffany, C. D. Keyes, Fred Rector, Roy Langton, Frank Harris and Earl Upjohn attended the leap year party at Clinton Wednesday night. Its a pity Tecumseh people have to go out of town to attend leap year parties.

Wade Jones dedicated the end of one finger to a fodder cutter a few days since. This is the altar on which so many of our country cousins sacrifice their best fingers, so Wade has the satisfaction of knowing that he was following the example of many noble precedents.

Next week Wednesday will occur the usual monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church of Britton. There will be a bounteous supper prepared for all, and as Mrs. L. Hoagland is chairman, that is sufficient. Remember the date, Feb. 5. Let all come.

Toledo parties, says the Adrian Press, are buying several farms between this city and Tecumseh, and are also operating to some extent in the vicinity of Blissfield. In several instances Toledo property has been traded for land, showing that the dealers must have considerable faith in the value of Lenawee county farms.

Remenyi next Wednesday night.

F. J. Temple attended the Grand Lodge at Saginaw last Tuesday.

E. L. Teeple will continue his reduced sale on photographs until further notice.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday evening Feb 2: "The Home of the Demagogue."

The scald arm fake was systematically working the business portion of town last Tuesday.

D. Hamilton and wife, of Elkhart, were visiting friends and relatives here the first of the week.

Miss Mary Hills, of Battle Creek, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ayers the first of the week.

Mrs. C. A. Gilmore, of Macon, is spending a part of the week with her mother, Mrs. Gilmore.

Chas. Anthony, who is handling the Page wire fence in Virginia, is at his home in Raisin this week.

Sammie McClure, who is suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, is reported as somewhat better.

There will be a special meeting of the Blue Lodge, F. & A. M., for work in the 3d degree, tomorrow night.

Roy B. Hughes left for Ypsilanti the first of the week where he will take a course in Cleary's business college.

W. T. Eccles, of Newburg, recently entertained a number of his Tecumseh gentlemen friends at a peacock dinner.

Fred Kennedy and wife, of Lansing, are spending a few days with his mother while on their way to Kalamazoo.

The entertainment given by the Junior Union of the Baptist church last Friday night was a very enjoyable occasion and brought to them about $10.

The Christian Culture class of the B. Y. P. U. will meet next Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Libbie Chase. Every member is expected.

Mrs. Dave Watson and little son, Clarence, and Miss Carrie Hooton, of Hillsdale, have been visiting at their cousin's Mr. C. A. Hooton's during the past week.

Theodore Thomas says "Remeny plays for both critics and people. He is master of his instrument; it sings, sighs and weeps; it all but talks under his master hand."

Rev. E. M. Stephenson, of Grand Rapids, recently appointed state missionary of the American Baptist Publication Society, spent Wednesday evening with the Baptist church.

It is reported, on good authority that a well known society man of Tecumseh ate four large dinners last Sabbath. He was forgiven, however, by his associates as it was his last Sunday.

Miss Pauline Stein, the soprano with the Remenyi Concert Company, is receiving the highest praise for her singing. In addition to her fine voice she has a very attractive way with her which is always a great help to a singer.

Our midwinter sale will continue to the 15th of February. As we have too many goods we must make room for spring stock now coming in. What is our loss is your gain. Come and make money while you have the opportunity.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

B. L. Baxter and Irve Osborne drove down to the old prairie last Monday. These gentlemen were the prime movers in developing and opening the prairie to settlement. The lands which they ditched and redeemed from the frogs and malaria now constitute some of the best farm lands in Michigan.

Rev. Wm. Van Slyke, of Kalamazoo, missionery agent of the Western Seamen's Friend Society, was at our various churches last Sabbath soliciting aid for extending the bethel service of the society. Rev. Van Slyke is a very gentlemanly and earnest advocate of a most worthy cause and met with very good success.

Subjects for next Sunday in the Universalist church: Morning, "Ye are the salt of the earth;" St. Matt. 5:13. Evening, "The history of Satan." Sunday school at 12 m., "The Power of Jesus." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Praise service, Ps. 145, 147, 148. Everyone is welcome to all services. "Come with us and we will do thee good."

An anonymous communication without postmark or date line arrived at our sanctum Wednesday, announcing the birth, on Tuesday, of a pair of twin girls and a single boy. There was no data to determine to what town this honor belonged, but we gave it to Clinton without hesitation or fear. Of course it may belong to Britton though not likely.

Enthusiasm over the approaching entertainment of Edouard Remenyi and his company is not confined to the musically educated public, but is shared by many who are seldom in musical affairs, yet know that for, all—musicians and "unmusical"—a delicious treat is forthcoming. Only deaf men can sit in front of Remenyi and not be moved by his marvelous talent.

Mrs. Mary C. Spencer, state librarian at Lansing, is desirous of receiving from all the study clubs of the state, those in the townships as well as in the cities and villages, a program of their work, and in all cases, as far as possible, an outline of the plan of organization, history and aims of the clubs. It is Mrs. Spencer's purpose to issue an official bulletin on the subject. Tecumseh could furnish the librarian with enough data on this subject to make quite a compilation by itself.

This must be a January thaw.

Miss Franc Saul was an Evan's Lake visitor Monday.

The February term of the circuit court opens at Adrian on Feb. 10.

Major Howell inspected Co. A of Ann Arbor, Wednesday and found the boys in excellent shape.

Capt. Chilson is in Detroit arranging to repair the Marquette and make her ship-shape for another year.

The Lilley State Bank stands ready to take its share of the popular loan and has sent in a bid for $30,000 worth of bonds.

Mrs. Elizabeth Beamish started Wednesday for Morilla, N. Y. Mrs. Beamish will make a considerable visit in the empire state before her return.

The quarterly tea meeting of the W. F. M. S., which was to have been held at Mrs. Coller's next Wednesday, has been postponed one week, or until Feb. 12th.

Capt. Chilson has received word from the Canadian government to remove his boats from their waters. If this doesn't amount to a casus belli, we must be off on diplomacy.

W. R. Buddington, reporter for the Jackson Morning Patriot and Evening Press, was stricken with apoplexy about 7:30 Wednesday evening, and the attending physicians have little hope for his recovery.

Eugene Service was brought before Justice Wightman Wednesday, charged with keeping his saloon open 25 minutes after ten o'clock on the night of the 25th. He waived examination and entered into recognizance with one surety to appear before the circuit court Feb. 10.

In order to avoid possible legal contingences in the future, the Lake Shore will change its local ticket rates to exactly 3 cents per mile. This will make little difference on the average, as the fare between some points will be less and between others greater than before.

Clinton ladies give their 4th annual leap year ball at town hall Wednesday evening, and the ladies have been sent invitations to participate and bring along a leap year partner of the male persuasion. The county clerk will establish a branch office in Clinton in a short time.—Adrian Press.

Edouard Remenyi, the great Hungarian violinist, has recently added another gem to his collection of fine and noted violins, having recently bought the celebrated "Duke" Guanarius, owned by Hall, of London, Eng., paying for it the sum of $6,500. The "Titan," which Mr. Remenyi uses in his concert, is valued at $8,000.

The mission, which has been conducted at St. Peter's church for the past week, under the direction of Mr. Webb, of Mt. Clemens, closed Wednesday. Mr. Webb has left the impression among our citizens of being a most earnest christian worker, who is straightforward, practical and dignified in his methods. Mr. and Mrs. Webb left yesterday for their home in Mt. Clemens.

Adrian Times: Henry F. Barnes, former county drain commissioner and present postmaster of Ridgeway, was arrested by Sheriff Wilson this morning on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Geo. Houseman, of that village. It appears the young people of the place have been in the habit of congregating in the postoffice, causing the postmaster such annoyance that he became exasperated the other day and ejected young Mr. Houseman. Mr. Barnes says he was simply carrying out the rules and regulations of the department in performing this act. He plead not guilty before Justice Westerman and gave $200 bonds for his appearance on Monday.

Hudson Gazette: Geo. Cleveland, of Addison, who is serving a sentence of eight years in the state prison, at Jackson, for assault upon Postmaster Weatherwax, at Somerset, was the means of saving the keeper's life in prison the other day. Cleveland has charge of the shirt making department, and several vicious convicts who work under him rose up in arms and started after the overseer, and were about to strike him on the head with flat-irons, when Cleveland stepped up from behind and overpowered the assailants. George is a convict, but his manly deed in saving the overseer's life has placed him high in the estimation of the prison officials.

The following is taken from a Des Moines, Iowa, paper of recent date: "Mr. Lloyd Barney, who is gaining a reputation as 'The Western Sandow,' gave an exhibition of muscle-posing, which incited great enthusiasm. He is now under a $10,000 challenge to be placed by the Des Moines Athletic club, against any one of his age, 21. Mr. Barney weighs 201 pounds. For some time he has been connected with Schram Bros.' butcher shop, but will soon go to Chicago and farther east, where alluring offers have been made him. His first engagement will be at the Hopkins' theater. E. G. Beeson is to accompany him." Mr. Barney was born in Hudson, Mich. His parents, who resided here some years ago, will be remembered by many of our citizens. Mr. Barney, sr. worked for J. R. Hialey. Mrs. Barney is a sister of M. E. Conklin, Mrs. Frank Wallinger and Mrs. Sam Shutt.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

A very brilliant social event occurred last evening at the residence of Albert Brewer. The occasion was the marriage of his daughter Albertine to Percival W. A. Fitzsimmons. Rev. C. M. Brown officiated, pronouncing the impressive ring ceremony before a large assemblage. The ceremony, toilets, wedding lunch and every appointment of the affair were, in form and taste, in keeping with the high social standing of the contracting parties. The guests from abroad were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cummins, Miss Jane Corlette and J. B. Draper, of Toledo; the Misses Dodds, C. A. Bidwell, Raynor Anderson and Roy DeWolf of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Waldron, of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bittman, of Saginaw. The bridal party took the Wabash train at Britton, but the scribe was unable to ascertain their destination.

An Artless Sponse.

In the south of Ireland a short time ago a prominent gentleman was elected to the coronership, and very naturally was proud of the honor which had been conferred upon him. When he carried the news of his election to his home, he appeared before his wife in a very dignified manner and said:

"My dear, I was elected coroner today, and there is something I wish to say to you. In the future I wish you to cease talking so much with the servants and assume the dignity becoming the wife of a high public official. Do you understand?"

"Yes, Tom. Oh, I'm so glad that you have been made a coroner! Just think! Mrs. Brown and all the Smiths will be calling to see me!" And her eyes fairly blazed with delight.

After revolving the matter in her mind and cackling with pride as only a woman can she suddenly exclaimed:

"Oh, Tom, if you are a coroner, I suppose I shall be a coroneress, won't I?"—Liverpool Mercury.

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout. England and the United States? No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh.

—PURE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—
You can buy an 1-8 bbl. flour sack of the best buckwheat flour for 40c. at C. A. Slayton's.

—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or R. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Dressmaking at 1-4 regular prices for January and February at F. A. Dexel's, over Adamson Bros.' jewelry store.

—I have some very nice baled hay and straw for sale. Barn oat straw for feeding. Prices right. See it.
C. A. SLAYTON.

—You can buy shingles of Slayton for one dollar per thousand and up.

—Lumber cheap. Dressed pine lumber $9 per M and up, at Slayton's. See him.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—
Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hitesha's.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

Do you cough? Cure it with Brant's Balsam, the sure cure. 25c, of Orr & Temple. 1w

—BOOK BINDING—
We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

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THE CELLULOID COMPANY, New York.

SAPOLIO is the best cleanser for these goods.

A RESIDENCE WRECKED.

Blown to Pieces by Dynamite by Enemies of the Owner.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 28.—William E. Boyd and wife visited their recently purchased house in the eastern suburbs Sunday afternoon, and when they left everything was safe and in order. Early Monday morning the house was shattered by an explosion that aroused the people for a mile around, and the ruins were soon consumed by the fire which immediately started. It is believed the explosion was maliciously placed in the cellar and touched off. Boyd until recently was engaged in the chattel mortgage business. The house was valued at $2,500 and the furniture at $3,000, and the insurance is $3,000.

KIND TO A MURDERER.

Women Rave Over the Slayer of a Grand Rapids Man.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 29.—J. H. Hert Holmes, who killed Albert Johnson in a quarrel because Johnson shoved his cold hands down Holmes' back, was bound over for trial Tuesday for murder in the first degree. Forty prominent society women were in court and their influence was toward having it pronounce murder in the second degree, that the young man might be released on bail. Holmes is being lionized. His cell is constantly banked with flowers and his table is supplied with the choicest fruits and delicacies.

FOUND IN AN OLD BIBLE.

Michigan Aneke-Jans Heirs Make a Valuable Discovery.

Decatur, Jan. 27. — The Michigan heirs to the semi-fabulous Anneke-Jans estate in New York city are just now in great glee over the discovery by F. E. Shoudy, one of the heirs living in this county, of a Holland Bible 10 years old which contains, it is said, the lacking data necessary to substantiate their claims. The 50 Michigan heirs are instructed by their eastern attorneys to immediately file their claims, as the present holders of the property are making advances toward a compromise and express a willingness to settle upon liberal terms.

SUICIDE OF A BRIDE.

For an Unknown Cause She Sends a Bullet Into Her Heart.

Owosso, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Philo Hughes, only 22 years old, who a month ago became the bride of a prosperous farmer in Hazelton township in this county, committed suicide while preparing for bed by shooting herself through the heart, using a revolver her husband kept in a bureau drawer. She had attended a party with her husband the evening before, and seemed to be in the best of health and spirits. There is no cause so far as known, as her married relations have been happy, and everything about her life seemed pleasant.

Police Chiefs Choose Officers.

Jackson, Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of the Michigan Chiefs of Police and Sheriffs' association Wednesday officers were chosen as follows: President, C. P. Collins, Detroit; vice president, H. O. Carr, Grand Rapids; secretary-treasurer, J. P. Sanford; directors, A. J. Peek, Jackson; F. C. McEuen, Mason; George Mallory, Port Huron; B. D. Keppel, Grand Haven. The next annual meeting will be held at Saginaw, the date being changed from the third Tuesday in January to a similar date in July.

Warfare Ends for the Present.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 29.—The nine big literary fraternities will accede to the demands of the regents and admit the four outside literary fraternities and all professional fraternities and independents to the annual ball February 14, without discriminating regarding the decorations of booths or display of fraternity emblems. But next year they say they will leave the fraternities outside of the combination in the cold by holding this greatest social event of the university year in Detroit.

Aged Convict Pardoned.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 28.—Bartholomew Sands, one of the oldest convicts in the state prison, was pardoned by Gov. Rich Monday on the unanimous recommendation of the pardon board. Sands was committed in September, 1869, to life imprisonment from Oakland county. He is now past 72 years of age, and has long been an inmate of the prison hospital. He has but a short time to live, and his daughter has executed a bond to the state guaranteeing to care for him.

STRANGE PHENOMENON.

A Fireball Strikes the Earth at Nirvana.

Nirvana, Jan. 29.—A remarkable phenomenon occurred Monday night. A large fireball, apparently about the size of a bushel basket, fell to the earth at an angle of about 20 degrees. When it struck the snow it rebounded and floated off at nearly the same angle as it fell, and finally disappeared behind the hills. It is thought to have been one of those meteoric bubbles sometimes seen in this latitude, which vary in size from a hat to that seen Monday night. They are supposed to consist of phosphorescent gas, inclosed by a thin film. A number of these bubbles fell in this country in 1832, causing many people to predict the end of the world. This is the first known since that time.

TO PROTECT GAME AND FISH.

The State League Holds Its Annual Meeting at Lansing.

Lansing, Jan. 24. — Officers of the State Game and Fish Protective league were elected at the annual meeting held here as follows: President, Samuel W. Vance, Port Huron; vice president, S. B. Daboll, St. Johns; secretary, A. L. Lakey, Kalamazoo; treasurer, E. Crofton Fox, Grand Rapids. The club will advocate at the next session of the legislature amendments to the laws so as to provide a closed season for black bass, and to prohibit fishing with nets in any of the natural runways for fish on their journeys between the great lakes. These runways include the Sault Ste. Marie, St. Clair and Detroit rivers, the Cheneaux channels and Lake St. Clair.

THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Costs But $22.02 Per Capita to Maintain Inmates.

Lansing, Jan. 25.—Gov. Rich has received from Commandant Graves, of the Michigan soldiers' home, his statement of expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1895. The total amount was $85,396.04. The total net expenditure for the maintenance of inmates was but $65,404.44. The average number of inmates present during the year was 536, and their cost per capita for maintenance was $122.02. As the general government pays $100 per year toward the maintenance of each inmate the total net cost per capita to the state of Michigan was but $22.02.

To Promote the Bridge Project.

Detroit, Jan. 29.—Several prominent Detroiters have arranged to appear before congressional committees in Washington shortly in behalf of the Michigan Central's project for bridging the Detroit river. Among those who will strongly favor the bridge enterprise are Gen. R. A. Alger, Don M. Dickinson, R. W. Gillette, ex-president chamber of commerce, George H. Barbour, president Manufacturers' club, and others, some of whom are interested in navigation and vessel property.

Earnings of Michigan Roads.

Lansing, Jan. 29.—An earnings statement issued from the office of the railroad commissioner gives the total earnings of Michigan railroads for the month of November, 1895, at $2,668,308.41, a gain of $216,260.69 over the corresponding month of 1894. The total earnings of Michigan roads for the 11 months ending December 31 last were $28,180,816.49, an increase of $2,118,816.49 over the corresponding period of the previous year.

Fire at Manistee.

Manistee, Jan. 28.—A part of the Engelmann block, the finest in the city, was ruined by fire Monday night. It was occupied by J. A. Crawford & Co., stationery store; K. B. Pierce, pianos and organs; Comfort Brothers, cigar factory; Christ Peterson's saloon; Charles Curtiss, job office. The loss on the various departments is estimated at $11,000, with $7,000 insurance. The loss on the building is estimated at $6,000, fully covered by insurance.

Poultry Raisers Meet.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 24.—The Michigan Poultry association held its annual meeting here, and the report received showed the society to be prosperous and the first exhibition held this week a great success. Oscar Allyn, of Grand Rapids, was elected president; Mrs. Alice Mason, of Grant, secretary, and F. E. Blakelee, of Grand Rapids, treasurer. It was decided to hold the next exhibition in this city the third week in January, 1897.

Court Asked to Evict a Wife.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 29.—William G. Layle wants the court to evict his wife from the family residence. He said he recently discovered a flaw in the proceedings by which Mrs. Layle obtained a divorce from her first husband, and Layle immediately left her. Mrs. Layle declares that the house belongs to the couple jointly. As neither has a deed, the court has a puzzle to solve.

Death of a Pioneer.

Houghton, Jan. 26.—Ludger Croze, a pioneer resident of this city and prominent among the French-Canadian residents and in business circles, died Saturday morning after only 24 hours' illness of a complication of diseases of the internal organs. Mr. Croze was 55 years of age.

Free Masons Meet.

Saginaw, Jan. 29.—About 500 delegates are in attendance at the convention of the grand lodge of Michigan Free and Accepted Masons. The reports showed a state membership of 37,000, an increase of 1,000 over last year; also an increase of $500 in the receipts.

Chicago-Michigan Debate.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29.—After many delays and postponements the date for the intercollegiate debate between the Michigan and Chicago universities has been set for March 27. Correspondence is now going on to secure judges.

Broke His Neck.

Yale, Jan. 25.—John Lennon, a farmer living with his brother near Yale, fell from a load of straw, breaking his neck. He was an old man and unmarried.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Paragraphs from Many Points in Michigan.

At Newaygo Etta Husted, an 18-year-old girl, cut her throat while despondent.

Chicken cholera is playing havoc with farm poultry in Berrien and Cass counties.

Kalamazoo doctors report about one-sixth of the population suffering from influenza.

George Faust, an Ann Arbor railroad employe, was killed while making a coupling at Durand.

A post office has been established at Noko, Sanilac county, with Clinter J. Leers as postmaster.

Men are at work grading for the new railway now building between Marquette and Ishpeming.

At Jackson a Young Men's Christian association has been formed with a membership of over 250.

While operating a buzz saw at Three Oaks the balance wheel broke, a piece of it killing Arthur Davis.

A new telephone line has been completed between South Haven and Saugatuck, a distance of 20 miles.

William Bowser, of Allegan, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting near Lacota.

German residents of Jackson celebrated the 25th anniversary of the re-establishment of the German empire.

During a scuffle with another boy Steve Clinton, of Detroit, received injuries from which he died in a few days.

Congressman Avery has offered in the house a bill providing for the erection of a life saving station at Charlevoix.

Citizens of Bangor have formed an improvement association to secure the location of manufacturing establishments.

Fruit growers of Monterey township, Allegan county, have taken steps toward the organization of a protective association.

Mayor Turner, of Lansing, was the only representative from Michigan at the recent free silver conference in Washington.

Emil D. Greiner, of Lawton, a popular business man and prominent in secret society circles, committed suicide by taking poison.

The charter elections in most of the villages of the state are only a few weeks away, and the selection of candidates is now being discussed.

Despondency over financial troubles and illness were the causes which induced Ortus C. Eaton, a farmer living near Albion, to hang himself recently.

The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of five per cent. in favor of creditors of the insolvent Northern national bank of Big Rapids.

At the annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Prisoners of the War, held recently in Grand Rapids, Col. Zach Aldrich, of that city, was elected president.

Feed for stock is so scarce in the northern part of Berrien county that a few of the more fortunate farmers are selling straw to their neighbors at $6 to $8 per ton.

Congressman Atkins has introduced a bill in the house which practically provides that Uncle Sam shall maintain a militia organization distinct from that maintained by the several states.

William W. Upton, who was appointed justice of the supreme court of Oregon in 1857, died in the city of Washington Thursday, aged 78 years. He was a member of the Michigan legislature once.

An extensive deposit of fine quality grindstone has been found in Austin township, Sanilac county, and in the spring operations will be started toward getting it out and placing it in the market.

A number of Grand Rapids citizens, including several business men, are making preparations for an exploration of the Alaska gold fields next spring. It is their intention to prospect for the yellow metal until fall.

A big dam has been constructed on the Menominee river, which will hold back the water for seven miles and force it into several lakes. The dam is 325 feet long and ten feet high, and the material and work cost only something like $700.

A Houghton dispatch says that Judge Jay A. Hubbell announces that he is not a candidate for delegate at large to the republican national convention. This leaves but one candidate in the field in the upper peninsula, Capt. John Duncan, of Calumet.

The hundreds of thousands of bushels of potatoes which northern Michigan farmers had on hand when winter set in, and which are being fed to stock or held for better prices, or rather, a price of any kind, in the spring, will doubtless be left on the hands of their owners, as there is absolutely no market or prospect of one.

Miners' Wages Advance.

Ishpeming, Jan. 25.—It is announced here that in case the mines at the Winthrop get out 18,000 tons of ore this month they will be paid three dollars per day, and other labor accordingly. This will be a return to the high wages of four years ago. The miners' wages at the Ishpeming mines are steadily being raised. The best miners at the Lake Angeline property are earning $75 per month and even higher.

Michigan Men at a Banquet.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 25.—The Michigan State association, of Washington, celebrated the 79th anniversary of the admission of Michigan to the union with a banquet at the Hotel Page Monday night. Nearly all the members of the Michigan delegation in congress and many of the citizens in Michigan living in this city were present.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Coleman, Jan. 24.—The entire plant of the Michigan Heading & Hoop company, excepting the boiler house, was destroyed. The dry kilns, sheds and a large amount of manufactured stock burned at a loss of fully $25,000, with only $10,000 insurance.

Physicians Elect Officers.

Kalamazoo, Jan. 29.—The Southwestern Michigan Academy of Medicine in annual meeting Tuesday elected officers: President, Dr. S. Belknap, Niles; first vice president, Dr. Elliot, Hickory Corners; second vice president, Dr. Schaberg, Kalamazoo; secretary, Dr. Rockwell, Kalamazoo; treasurer, Dr. Ranney; librarian, Dr. Van Deusen, Kalamazoo; censors, Dr. Della Pierce, Coller, Ames. The annual banquet took place the same evening.

Appointed by the Governor.

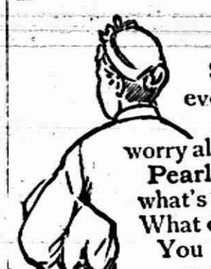
Lansing, Jan. 25.—Gov. Rich has appointed George Gundrum, of Ionia, a member of the state board of pharmacy for five years, to succeed himself, and William Stevens, of Ann Arbor, a member of the board of trustees for the eastern asylum for the insane for five years to succeed J. S. Goodyear, of Ann Arbor, resigned.

Trial Postponed.

Niles, Jan. 29.—The trial of Allen Thompson, charged with attempting to kill Dr. John Sweetland, at Mottville, by throwing a dynamite bomb into his office two months ago, has been postponed until February 10. Detectives claim to have unearthed some startling evidence exonerating Thompson.

Spiritualists Adjourn.

Decatur, Jan. 27.—Michigan Spiritualists closed their annual midwinter meeting Sunday night at Bangor with an address by Mrs. Jennie Hagan Jackson, of Grand Rapids.



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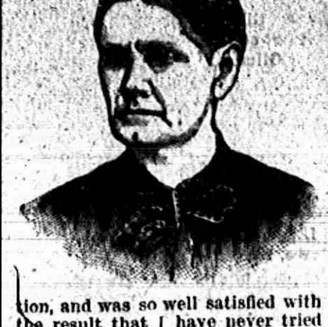

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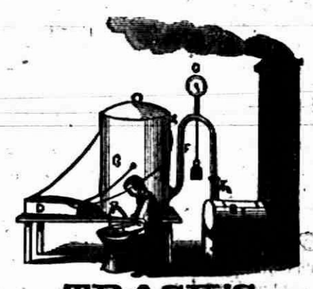

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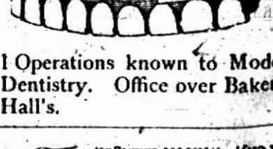

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Prof. Woodrow Wilson will contribute six papers on George Washington and his times, with illustrations by Howard Pyle. Poultney Bigelow's history of The German Struggle for Liberty, illustrated by R. Caton Woodville, will be continued through the winter. Two papers on St. Clair's defeat and Mad Anthony Wayne's victory, by Theodore Roosevelt, with graphic illustrations will be printed during the year.

A noteworthy feature of the MAGAZINE during 1896 will be a series of articles by Casper W. Whitney, describing his trip of 1600 miles on snow-shoes and with dog-sledge trains into the unexplored Barren Grounds of British North America in pursuit of wood-bison and musk-oxen. Mr. Whitney's series will have the added interest of being illustrated from photographs taken by himself.

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In 1896 like attention will be given to every notable happening. The chief events in art, literature, and music and the drama will be artistically presented. W. D. Howells, in the new department, Life and Letters, will discuss in his interesting way books and the social questions of the time. R. H. Martin's sprightly gossip of the Busy World will be continued. The progress of the Transportation Commission around the World will be followed and Caspar W. Whitney will conduct the department of Amateur Sport.

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SCRIPTURE READING.—John iii. 1-3; Matth. xix. 16; Luke xix. 5; John iv. 1-10.

Christ's ways of winning souls is the general topic for study during February. Our work is to win men to Him. In no other way can we so well learn how to do this work as by studying His own method. He declared, "And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto Me." We are to rely not upon our own eloquence or persuasiveness, not upon peculiar methods and artistic attractions, but upon the substantial truth which can become sure foundations for a soul's salvation. In all this work recognition must be had of the powerlessness of all human effort in itself. The divine Spirit must take the things of God and impress them as a seal upon the heart of the sinner, or there will be no change of life from evil to good.

This abiding power and presence of the Holy Spirit is promised every true and devoted worker for Christ. Skill in the use of the appointed means of salvation can be acquired by the workers. This is a legitimate subject of study. How did Christ do? What would He do in a case like the present one? Earnest desire to know His mind and persistent seeking to acquire His methods will not fail to make one more efficient in reaching and influencing men.

This work cannot be delegated to others. Angels could not do the work of God in saving men. The mere proclamation of God's will and law never moves any one to do it. By the law is the knowledge of sin, and as men realize their contrariness to God's nature they naturally hate His rule. Angels might bring the law, but could never give grace to the human heart. Jesus when He comes brings life and immortality to light, less by what He said than by what He was and what He did. He not only told men of the love of God, but He loved men as God, and love awakened answering love. Law never can have such response. Angels never knew the depths of love divine, and so could never reveal it. Only souls that know the divine compassion and sympathy are fitted to save men to God. This is the reason that those gifted with little of earthly learning or culture, but possessed of souls aflame with earnest love of men and God, have often been the most successful evangelists. They touch men and awaken them to a better life.

So Christ sought out men. He became like them that He might make them like Himself.

Boyhood Home of Wesley.

Deeply interesting to all who admire the good and love the true must ever be the home where Susannah Wesley gave such careful training in early years to the "little Jackey" who in after time was destined to be so influential in the advancement of true piety. The view given above shows the window, just above the right hand gatepost and almost hidden by ivy, from which the boy is said to have been rescued when the old rectory was burned. It probably corresponds to the window in the former house. That one, which was built "all of timber and plaister and covered all with straw thatche," was destroyed by fire Feb 9, 1709. The present edifice was erected in 1710 by Rev. Samuel Wesley, the father of John. None of the children was born in the present rectory. Charles was the last one born in the old one. Kezia, the nineteenth child, was born in the house of a neighbor a month after the fire. Probably some of the old oak beams not consumed in the fire were used in building some part of the new rectory, as some scorched by fire have been found during recent alterations. Many additions and changes have been made to the house since the time of the Wesleys. It is still the home of the rector of the parish church of Epworth.

EPWORTH RECTORY.

Wesley's Loan Fund.

Many of the methods most employed by the workers among the poor at the present time were used if not originated by John Wesley in his work. At the old foundry in Moorfields, London, he established a loan fund from which the poor could be assisted and so saved from pawning their goods and paying exorbitant rates of interest. Such funds are among the most recent means used by the reform workers in our great cities. If this work had been kept up among Methodists and enlarged to meet the needs of the times, it would have prevented the rise of a host of so called benevolent insurance organizations which have proved so detrimental to the interests of the people, consuming time for unnecessary meetings and squandering large sums of money on visionary schemes.

He Needeth Thee.

Jesus, Thou needest me,
Even me, Thou Light Divine!
O Son of God, Thou needest me,
Thou needest sins like mine!

Thy fullness needs my want,
Thy wealth my poverty.
Thy healing skill my sickness needs,
Thy joy my misery.

Thy strength my weakness needs,
Thy grace my worthlessness.
Thy greatness needs a worm like me
To cherish and to bless.

It was Thy need of me
That brought Thee from above.
It is my need of Thee, O Lord,
That draws me to Thy love! —Bonar.

A GREAT REPUBLICAN

SENATOR HANSBOROUGH FOR AMERICAN POLICY.

A Gentle Hint to the National Convention Next Year—Why Protect Industries and Leave Financial System Exposed to Foreign Invaders.

Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, is not only a statesman of discernment and ability, but he is an experienced journalist and knows how to put his views into concise English for publication. In compliance with a request, he sends the editor of the World the following interesting summary of the political outlook in North Dakota:

"The political situation in this state amounts to this: The people are looking forward anxiously to the time when they can assist in bringing about a change of administration. The money question and the tariff will be the two national issues here. The two old parties are about equally divided with respect to silver. There is talk about organizing a silver party, and I should not be surprised to see a third party upon an exclusively silver platform, place a ticket in the field next year. There is a very strong and growing disposition on the part of the people, regardless of party, in favor of independent action on the part of the United States on the financial question. Our people are getting tired of dictation from abroad. A great many republicans do not understand why it is that our party, which goes for the protection of American industry, should not also go for an American financial system. I am one of the republicans who cannot understand why we should favor a foreign financial system. Perhaps I do not fully grasp the American idea." —Cleveland World.

In the forgoing, Senator Hansbrough voices the sentiments of vast numbers of republicans in all parts of the United States. They are at a loss to know why the average republican leader should swell with indignation, look big and talk big whenever it is suggested that we should follow England's revenue policy, and at the same time enter a tremulous protest against an independent financial policy.

They appear to think that our very salvation depends upon being in accord with England's monetary system. Just why, they never explain.

The talk in a grandiloquent way about the "best money in the world," but they never clearly and intelligibly state how gold meets that definition. They start out with the broad assumption that gold is the best money in the world, and if we only preserve the gold standard, our monetary system will necessarily be "sound," even though the business of the country be paralyzed. They never stop to consider that we have had the gold standard for 22 years—that since 1878 every dollar in use has been upon a par with every other dollar, and still there has been endless complaint.

We have had high protection all these years. Some classes and some favored localities have prospered, but at the same time general conditions have not been healthy. There has been a constant melting away of property and commodity values, altogether to the disadvantage of those engaged in productive industry, and utterly destructive of genuine prosperity.

While millions of producers have been literally ruined by the ever-increasing burden of debt, consequent upon the fall of prices, in the money centers, millionaires and multi-millionairs have been created with startling rapidity. If there is a party leader in the country who can not see so palpable a fact, he ought to descend from his pedestal at once.

Republicans ought to know that there is less reason why we should adopt England's monetary standard, than there is for us to oppose her free-trade policy. In the latter, there is simply a legitimate rivalry. But upon the question of adopting a monetary standard the interests of the two countries are completely reversed. England is a creditor nation; the United States is a debtor. A creditor is benefited by a rise in the value of money; a debtor is injured by such rise. As gold goes up the English creditor is enriched, while the American debtor is impoverished. Instead of making ourselves a potential factor in maintaining and enhancing England's gold standard, the principle of self-preservation should prompt us to use our strength in breaking it down.

If we should demonetize gold entirely, it would considerably lower the value of that metal, and relieve us of a portion of our debt to England. On the other hand, the more nations England can induce to demonetize silver, the greater becomes the demand for gold and the more it rises in value.

What America wants is not "England's monetary system," not especially the money standard of any nation, but an honest standard, which will measure the same to-day, to-morrow and for all time.

Of course this would be an "ideal" standard which it would be difficult, perhaps impossible, to reach; but there can be no question that the restoration of true bimetallism by the full and free use of both gold and silver, will be a vast improvement upon existing conditions. But to return to Senator Hansbrough. The significant part of his utterance is that relating to the formation of a silver party. It is very closely in line with the language of Senator Pettigrew a short time since, and it indicates a strong silver sentiment in the ranks of the republican party. Republican leaders will do well not to be over-confident because of the recent elections. Hundreds of thousands of silver men voted the republican ticket because at the time there was nothing else for them to do. They were thoroughly disgusted with Clevelandism in finance, but no man should make the mistake of assuming that they will be satisfied with Shermanism as a substitute.—Republican.

GOD OR MAMMON.

The Lines Are Rapidly Forming for the Great Battle.

Birmingham, Ala. (Special Telegram)—Captain Joseph F. Johnston, a prominent banker of this city, and leader of the free silver forces of the Democratic party in Alabama, to-day announces himself a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. This announcement, coupled with the canvass just begun by Senators Pugh and Morgan for free silver, formally inaugurates the campaign in Alabama. Captain Johnston has been a candidate for Governor twice before; in 1890, and last year. Each time he was the second strongest man before the convention. Morgan and Pugh and other silver leaders will canvass every county in the State for Johnston. The friends of Gov. Oates have practically forced the latter to make the race for Governor again, although he is a candidate for Senator to succeed Pugh and says he does not desire to stand for re-election for Governor. He says, however, that he will not decline the gubernatorial nomination, which his friends regard as assurance that he will run. This brings on a fight to the finish between Democrats with the money question as the issue, Oates being a sound money man, and promises to split the party to pieces and make Republican chances for success easy.—Press Dispatch.

The foregoing is highly suggestive, and encouraging to the friends of silver. Alabama, like all of the other Southern States, is strongly in favor of bimetallism—the gold and silver money of the constitution. Nothing has caused the slightest appearance of weakening but the baleful influence of Clevelandism, which poisons everything it touches.

There is not the slightest danger of the Republicans carrying Alabama on an anti-silver platform. The only way they can possibly carry the State at all is by a combination with the Populists, who are solid for silver. It would not be surprising to see all the free silver forces in Alabama united at an early day, and Morgan, Pugh, Johnston and Kolb standing shoulder to shoulder in the struggle of the people against plutocracy.

The first and most important step in that struggle, is to restore silver to the position it formerly occupied as one of the standard money metals of the country and of the world.

No Decline of Wheat in Silver Countries.

Mr. Harvey: A farmer in India or Mexico takes his wheat to the world's market at London, and sells it today for about $1.25 a bushel in silver, or for half that amount in gold, and with it buys the silver and takes the silver home with him—$1.25 per bushel—and pays with it $1.25 worth of debt. Now, before this change in our monetary system began, that $1.25 was about what the price of our wheat was. Hence the farmer in India and Mexico is still getting the price we once got in the honest currency of the country—silver. There is a stable currency for you. A debt contracted in 1872 could be paid now in those countries with the same number of bushels of wheat that it could then. We take our wheat to London and sell it for sixty-five cents, say, and bring it back here, and we can't, by any exchange of silver or otherwise, pay more than sixty-five cents of debt with it. (Applause.) I am going to settle this whole price question directly so that you can decide it right in your rooms at home. It has been so arranged by one of the greatest societies to promote civilization in the world, and I am going to place it directly in your hands. They have figured out what we are trying to do here and what Mr. Horr is making fruitless efforts to try to do. —From the Great Debate.

How to Detect a Criminal.

Mr. Harvey: Mr. Horr says that I have no proof that the scheme was concocted in London to demonetize silver in the United States. When I was a boy I went into a courthouse one day to hear a criminal trial, and I hear a lawyer say, "When a crime is committed and you want to detect the criminal, look for the man that is benefited by the crime." (Applause.) Reasoning by induction will more invariably locate the criminal than any uncertain human testimony. Silver was demonetized in England, and in England only, prior to the day it was demonetized in this country. That was where the movement started,—that is another evidence. London bankers initiated the Paris conference of 1867, at which Mr. John Sherman was present, therefore, I have the right to say the conspiracy originated in London.—The Great Debate.

A man who covers himself with costly apparel and neglects his mind is like one who illuminates the outside of his house and sits within in the dark.

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 45 "

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 33 "	8 10 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
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No 25 Pass	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass			No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.			P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 10	L	Allegan	A 3 10	8 03
.....	12 2	7 25		Monteith	3 35	8 30
.....	1 14	8 05		Yorkville	2 36	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33		Battle Creek	1 55	6 39
7 00	2 35	9 05		Marshall	1 10	6 10
7 51	3 10	9 32		Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01		Hanover	11 38	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38		Addison	10 50	5 10
11 18	5 11	10 45		Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57		Okisco	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 30	11 08		Sand Lake	9 56	4 28
12 04	5 37	11 10		Tipton	9 49	4 21
12 30	5 51	11 25		Tecumseh	9 26	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33		Ridgeway	9 17	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38		Britton	9 12	3 52
1 44	6 16	11 50		Rea	9 10	3 30
2 09	6 25	11 58		Dundee	9 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45		A.....Toledo.....L	6 05	2 40
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.			A. M.	P. M.

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LITERARY NOTES.

Scribner's for February might be called a mid-winter out door number, as it contains an unusual number of articles of life and adventure in the open air. First among these is the leading article of the number on the Colorado Health Plateau, by Lewis Morris Iddings, which is a delightful social study by a man who has travelled in many regions of the world, and who knows the region around Colorado Springs thoroughly, having spent a number of winters there. He describes picturesquely and with a great deal of invaluable information the life that is led there by those whose health makes it necessary for them to reside in that climate. Of a very different description is the brief account of Hunting the Musk-Ox with the Dog Ribs, by Frank Russell, a skillful naturalist, who made a remarkable journey with only Indian companions into the barren lands of Northwest Canada. This is one of the most modest and yet exciting narratives of hunting adventure that has appeared for a long time. The illustrations are exact representations of the scenery and the expedition made from photographs. Still another article of adventure of a unique kind is the graphic account of the Ascent of Mt. Ararat, in Armenia, by H. F. B. Lynch.

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The second magazine number of The Outlook surpasses the first in pictorial qualities and timely interest. Clara Barton and the Red Cross has a direct bearing upon the relief of the sufferers in Armenia. It gives a charming view of Miss Barton's personality, and of the way in which she took up and carried on the great Red Cross work. The article is written by Miss Myrtis Willmont Barton, (a niece of Miss Clara Barton) and is fully illustrated. The Higher Life of New York City: Dr. Albert Shaw of the Review of Reviews gives a comprehensive view of the elements which are tending to make New York a better and more attractive city. Thirty-five illustrations help to bring out the salient points of the subject. Mr. Hamilton W. Mabie presents a fair estimate of the literary standing of Alfred Austin, England's new Poet Laureate, together with a readable account of his life and work. A recent portrait, and pictures of beautiful scenes in and about Mr. Austin's fine home in Kent, accompany the article. Ian Maclaren's serial novel, "Kate Carnegie," is continued. These are only a few of the many literary and illustrated features that make up a number nearly double the size of the regular weekly issue.

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THE ARENA FOR FEBRUARY.

The February Arena is probably the most attractive issue of this great reformative and progressive review that has yet appeared. In its 176 pages are found notable papers by Forbes Winslow, D. C. L., of the Royal College of Physicians of London, on Madness as Portrayed by Shakespeare. The Land of the Noonday Sun, by Justice Walter Clark, LL. D., of the Supreme Bench of North Carolina (profusely illustrated). Justice Clark has visited Mexico under the auspices of The Arena to study our sister republic, this issue contains the opening paper of a series which will be magnificently illustrated, and which we predict will prove exceedingly interesting to all persons interested in travels and history, as well as social and economic problems. The Bond and the Dollar, by John Clark Ridpath, LL. D.; the second paper of a most notable series by America's most popular living historian. Bryant the Poet and Politician, by Frank B. Sanborn. Personal Reminiscences of Whittier, by his friend, the Rev. Christopher Coffin Hussey (with full-page half-tone illustration of the old Whittier homestead and portrait of Mr. Hussey).

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THE CURATIVE VALUE OF SLEEP.

Every sleeping apartment should be so arranged that a current of fresh air will enter and keep the air in motion and pure all night; without this precaution the carbonic acid gas exhaled from the lungs will, in the stagnant air, hug the bed from its own weight, and spread over the sleeper a blanket of impurity, and the rebreathed air will, before morning, be foul beyond belief. The requisites for that beauty of tint and complexion which health gives are not many, and are in the reach of all who care to take a little pains. Give yourself plenty of sound, restful sleep, from seven to nine hours, according to your avocations and the tax upon your body and brain. If sleep, on a good bed in a well-ventilated room, does not come readily, try a cup of hot milk or hot water, the last thing before getting into bed, and acquire a habit of relaxing all the muscles when you lie down, and banish thought. Don't take sedatives and narcotics to banish worry, but have sufficient faith in the temporariness of all worries to realise that dwelling upon them does much harm and no good.—From Daily Hygiene in Demorest's Magazine for February.

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McClure's Magazine for February will contain eight important portraits of Lincoln, and will present material never before published. During this period Lincoln suffered financial wreck as a country merchant; made his first acquaintance, in a very romantic way, with Shakespeare and Blackstone; mastered surveying in six weeks, and became deputy county surveyor; was elected to the General Assembly, and began his acquaintance with Douglas; and fell in love with a sweet and beautiful young girl, Ann Rutledge, and suffered the half-crazing affliction of her death on the eve of their marriage. In illustration of the paper there will be, including the eight portraits of Lincoln, twenty-eight pictures—many of them, also, never before published.

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Ex-President Benjamin Harrison will discuss "The Presidential Office" very comprehensively in his "This Country of Ours" series in the forthcoming February Ladies' Home Journal. He will detail the provisions and methods of electing a Chief Magistrate, and will have much to say bearing upon the eligibility of a president for re-election; will give his views as to the length of the Presidential term, and express rather decided opinions relative to the annoyance to which Presidents are subjected from office-seekers. The article is practical, based upon experience and observation, and is very timely. Gen. Harrison believes that the fears (expressed by the framers of our Constitution) that the power of the office is such as to enable an ambitious incumbent to secure an indefinite succession of terms have never been realized.

A Communication.

On the 22d inst., Willis G. Smith, of Lawton, was fined $14 for selling lottery tickets. He put up a cow and sold chances on her. The judge remarked that his case could not be considered as a precedent as the law in such cases was punishable with a $200 fine or a year's imprisonment in the county jail. The Detroit Journal in commenting upon the case said that the same thing occurred in every church fair. This is not true. Of late, such things as raffles in church fairs seldom happen. Even church fairs have been arrested for violating the laws in such cases. Now for Tecumseh, you seem to have a more liberal minded class of people, for only a few days since, one man sold chances and raffled off three guns in less than a week's time, realizing nearly $25 on one old fusee hardly worth carrying home. Just why he escaped arrest is not known unless it was because he bought three beers for every ticket sold; i. e. one for himself, one for his pal, and one for the purchaser of a ticket and three beers seventy times would be about $10.50. Had this man at Lawton given or bought a glass of milk for every purchaser of a ticket on his cow he might have escaped on account of his liberality as well as extreme poverty. "One thing is certain," said one of our citizens, that man cannot plead poverty when he can afford to spend so much money for beer and whiskey." VERITAS.

THE T. & F. FARMERS' CLUB.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Matthews on the evening of Feb. 7, 1896.

The following is the program.

Dec.—Howard Matthews.
Rec.—Pearl VanValkenburg.
Reading—George Swarts.
Chips—Harold Hoag.
Rec.—Rose Slater.
Charade—Mrs. William Osborn.
Reading—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Edward Hoag.
Reading—Mrs. William Waldron.
Charade.

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A Solemn Warning.

What is the man doing?

He is climbing to the electric lamp to light his pipe.

Will he light it?

No, but we will go to his funeral tomorrow.

Is he a poor man?

No, but he never subscribed to a newspaper and does not know that the war is over.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Wise Book Lender.

It is a wise lender of books who writes her name on the inner margin of the forty-seventh page as well as on the fly leaf. She has in this way been enabled to identify her own books in friends' houses when the fly leaves have mysteriously disappeared.

Pitt at Play.

Mr. Pitt liked practical fun and used to riot in it with Lady Hester, Charles and James Stanhope and myself. Once we were resolved to blacken his face with burned cork, which he most strenuously resisted. At the beginning of the fray a servant announced that Lords Castlereagh and Liverpool desired to see him on business. "Let them wait in the other room," was the answer, and the great minister instantly turned to the battle, catching up a cushion and belaboring us with it in glorious fun. We were, however, too many and strong for him, and after ten minutes' fight got him down and were daubing his face when he said: "Stop! This will do. I could easily beat you all, but we must not keep those grandees waiting any longer."

His defeat was, however, palpable, and we were obliged to get a towel and basin of water and wash him clean before he could receive the grandees.

Being thus put in order, the basin was hidden, and the two lords were ushered in. Then a new phase of Mr. Pitt's manner appeared. Lord Liverpool's aspect is well known—melancholy, bending, nervous. Lord Castlereagh was a model of quiet grace and strength. What was my surprise to see them both bending like spaniels on approaching the man we had just been maltreating with such successful insolence of fun! But Mr. Pitt's instant change of manner and look entirely fixed my attention. His tall, ungainly, bony figure seemed to grow to the ceiling; his head was thrown back, his eyes as if reading the heavens and totally regardless of the bending figures near him.—"Memoirs of Lady Hester Stanhope."

Ore Deposits.

Ingenious theories have from time to time been advanced by scientists relating to ore deposits—the cause, time, manner, etc.—and among the most recent and able of these Professor Le Conte may well be ranked. His conclusion is that such deposits, using the term in its widest sense, may take place from many kinds of waters, but especially from alkaline solutions, these being the natural solvents of metallic sulphides, and the latter are usually the original form of such deposits. They may take place from waters at any temperature and pressure, but mainly from those at high temperature and under heavy pressure, because, on account of their great solvent power, such waters are heavily freighted with metals, and the depositing waters may be moving in any direction—that is, may be up coming, horizontally moving, or even sometimes down going, but mainly up coming, because, by losing heat and pressure at every step, such waters are sure to deposit abundantly. Furthermore, Professor Le Conte says that deposits may take place in any kind of waterways, such as open fissures, incipient fissures, joints, cracks and even in porous sandstone, but especially in large open fissures, the latter being the main highways of ascending waters from the greatest depths. Deposits may also be found in many regions and in many kinds of rocks, but mainly in mountain regions and igneous rocks.

Took the Wrong Antidote.

A man was arraigned before Justice Richardson on a charge of disorderly conduct. He was found intoxicated on Clark street.

The prisoner told the court he was not in the habit of getting drunk and declared on this occasion he was excusable.

"Your honor," said the prisoner, "I got home late last night, and before starting to bed I went to my medicine cabinet to get a dose of cough sirup. I thought I knew just where the bottle stood, and that I could get it in the dark. I made a mistake and drank a big swig of some strange mixture. I thought I was poisoned, and rushing down to the drug store with the bottle still in my hand I asked the clerk for an antidote. He smelled what was left in the bottle, and then says he: 'My friend, all the antidote you need is to swallow a comb and brush. That stuff is hair vigor.'

"Judge, I just felt so ashamed of myself that I started drinking."

He was discharged.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Lincoln Letter.

George Kluetsch, editor of the Lincoln (Neb.) Freie Presse, has in his possession in the handwriting of Abraham Lincoln, written in 1859, an interesting letter. It was written to T. J. Pickett, at one time editor of the Republican paper in Rock Island, Ills., who has given it to Mr. Kluetsch. It reads as follows:

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 16, 1859.

T. J. Pickett, Esq.:

MY DEAR SIR—Yours of the 13th is just received. My engagements are such that I cannot, at any very early day, visit Rock Island to deliver a lecture or for any other object. As to the other matter you kindly mention, I must, in candor, say I do not consider myself fit for the presidency. I certainly am flattered and gratified that some partial friends think of me in that connection, but I really think it best for our cause that no concerted effort such as you suggest should be made. Let this be considered confidential. Yours very truly,

A. LINCOLN.

Old English Journalism.

The interesting reminiscences of G. J. Holyoke, recently issued, give some facts showing that English journals were not always as free from scurrility as they are now. The London Times, for instance, which then had not adopted the rule of excluding "poetry," once published some verses on O'Connell beginning—"Slime condensed of Irish bog, liar, traitor, demagogue." The same journal also spoke of its neighbor, The Morning Chronicle, as "that squirt of filthy water," and The Morning Chronicle referred to The Morning Post as that "slop pail of corruption."

A Sincere Wish.

She—I have an instinctive feeling that I can trust you.

He (passionately)—Ah, my darling, would that some others felt that way!—London Tit-Bits.

First Morals, Then Literature.

Moral teaching was Miss Edgeworth's first object; literature or the interest of her tale came only second. To this cardinal defect she is indebted for most of her faults as a novelist. Her plots are improbable, and her characters become dummies. If she does not avow her didactic purpose so clearly as Hannah More or Mrs. Sherwood, she is not satisfied, like Miss Austen, to leave her characters convey their own lesson. She seems more intent upon erecting moral sign posts for the convenience of future travelers than of accomplishing her own journey with rapidity and success. Nor is her teaching of an elevated kind. Its pole star is enlightened selfishness.

As her pattern children are always rewarded, so her heroes and heroines are sure to prosper, to discover themselves the inheritors of great fortunes and to marry into the peerage. Small space is allowed in her system for imagination, passion or religious enthusiasm. The internal struggle which their strength creates would only have disturbed her simple balance between right and wrong. Previous novelists had based morality on feeling. She ascribes it to the understanding. She allows no amiable weaknesses, no sudden impulses, no uncontrolable emotions. Even Cupid, king of men, is elbowed from his throne and in exchange for his kingdom is offered a sinecure as the keeper of nonconformist consciences. A large tract of life is, in fact, to Miss Edgeworth a terra incognita of which she knows nothing because she feels nothing.—Quarterly Review.

Pictorial Fiction of Chinamen.

Under the heading, "Pictorial Lies," the Shangtung correspondent of the North China Daily News says: "Not long since I found in a Chinese inn a set of highly colored pictures, such as the natives are wont to use as wall decorations, setting forth the events of the late war with Japan. The superscriptions narrated in very bad Chinese how that the petty king of Japan had rebelled against the constituted authority of the Dragon throne, and in the pride of his heart had constructed a navy and troops to harass his imperial majesty withal. But at Ping Yang the rebellious king, even after hiring the Koreans to fight for him, was completely routed without the loss of a single Chinese banner. The terrible havoc at Ping Yang is depicted with much display of gore among the Japanese ranks. Next scene, great victory of the Chinese troops in Manchuria. General Sung is represented as issuing forth from a city gate and chasing the panic stricken enemy pell mell over a stone bridge. Then comes the storming of a fortress on the sea coast. A dozen impossible warships are belching forth fire and shell. The flags at the mastheads are inscribed with the common Chinese names of Japan, England, France, Germany and the United States. Notwithstanding this unequal contest of all the world against China, the soldiery of the fortress are watching the onset with the utmost complacency, not even deigning to return the fire."—London News.

The Light of the Diamond.

An expert in gems has lately called attention to a property in the diamond which has not hitherto been fully appreciated. In a paper by Robert Boyle, published in the transactions of the Royal society, mention is made of a diamond that became phosphorescent simply by the heat of the hand, absorbed light by being held near a candle and emitted light on being briskly rubbed.

The observations by Mr. Kunz, the gem expert referred to, confirm Boyle's statement that diamonds become phosphorescent in the dark after exposure to the sunlight or electric light, but they also show that all diamonds emit light by being rubbed on wood, cloth or metal.

This property is an important one, as it will enable the nonexpert to distinguish between the true diamond and other hard stones as well as paste, none of which exhibits this phenomenon. This property is evidently not electric, as is clearly shown by its being visible when the gem is rubbed on metal.

Blackie's Ways.

It is said that the late Professor Blackie had a quaint, ceremonious little way of expressing his reverence for the Wizard of the North. Whenever, through his long life, he passed Walter Scott's house in Edinburgh, he would stand still, and, leaning on his stick, remain for a moment in silent meditation. Strangers were often puzzled when they saw the venerable figure of Professor Blackie, standing motionless in Castle street, his plaid blown by the wind, and his face wearing a look of dreamy abstraction. Another out of door note on Blackie is this amusing one: Calling on a lady, he said abruptly: "When I walk along Princes' street, I go with a kingly air, my head erect, my chest expanded, my hair flowing, my plaid flying, my stick swinging. Do you know what makes me do that? Well, I'll tell you—just conceit!"

Past, Present and Future.

The same object seen from three different points of view—the past, the present and the future—often exhibits three different faces to us, like those signboards over shop doors which represent the face of a lion as we approach, of a man when we are in front and of an ass when we have passed.—Longfellow.

Much attention is being paid at present to the long neglected letter "u" of our alphabet. Teachers in vocal culture give their pupils the sentence, "Did you get your Century I sent you?" to enunciate with an entire elimination of "j" and "ch" sounds.

Brave conquerors! for so you are, that war against your own affections and the huge army of the world's desires.—Shakespeare.

Jady originally signified any rude person, without regard to sex.

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CRUSHING THE TRUTH.

Or Trying to Do So, Is the Game of the Goldbugs Now.

Among the many other absurdities now being put forward by the gold people is the utterly preposterous one that Colorado has weakened on the silver issue. It is more than absurd, it is false. It is within the limits of extreme moderation to say that of the voters of that State, 24 out of every 25 are unreservedly in favor of restoring silver to the right of coinage and full legal tender which it enjoyed up to the year 1873.

The people of that State, however, do not intend to spend their whole lives in weeping and wailing over the wrongs they have suffered in the crippling of their silver mining industry. They are a bold, energetic people, and while relaxing not a whit of their just demands, they are bringing their very best intelligence to bear for the development of that splendid state on every possible line. The people of Colorado are not, and never have been, unduly selfish in dealing with this question. They began the agitation mainly as silver producers, but as they proceeded with their studies, they soon discovered that the great agricultural States of the Mississippi Valley were being injured vastly more than the silver mining States. The blow that struck down silver as money, lowered the value of every product of the American farm, and generally of the factory also.

In the last issue of this paper it was shown by a report of Secretary Morton, that upon the export of three agricultural products, cotton, bacon and lard, for the year 1894-5, the fall in prices from those of the previous year alone, entailed a loss of $82,000,000.

Even this enormous sum is no more than a drop in the bucket compared with the vast aggregate of loss sustained by American agriculture since silver was demonetized and prices began to adjust themselves to the gold standard.

Let the goldites borrow no trouble about Colorado. She, as well as the other silver mining States and territories, is infinitely better off than the best agricultural States in the Union at the present time. Yes, better even, all things considered, than the manufacturing States of the East. There are ten times as many beggars on the streets of Chicago as there are in all the silver mining States and territories put together.

If the people of the great East would arouse from their lethargy and study this question of money, just a little, they would know what is the matter, and the problem would be speedily solved.—H. F. Bartine.

AT HIGH WATER MARK.

The Great Silver Movement at the Height of Its Activity.

The silver stream is at high water mark still in Louisiana as elsewhere. The New Orleans Times-Democrat says:

"That the farmers of Louisiana have not changed their views because worms and bad weather have cut down the crop, and consequently advanced prices, the recent Democratic primary in Madison parish, the first in the State, proves. The primary was for the purpose of nominating candidates for local offices, but at the same time a vote was taken on the question of instructing our Senators and representatives in Congress to vote in favor of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. This stood more than 4 to 1—exactly 4 1-3 to 1—in favor of free silver. It leaves no doubt how Madison stands on the silver question, and Madison is a fair test. It is not as strongly silver as the hill parishes of North Louisiana. Moreover, it is to be remembered that this was a Democratic primary and the Populists were left out; they are animously for free coinage. It would indicate that the white voters of Madison stand 8 or 10 to 1 in favor of free ever, with the interior parishes more enthusiastically for the metal.

"Madison is distinctively a parish, and deeply interested in price. If the recent advance had effect anywhere of weakening the ver cause, and persuading the that the demonetization of silver not responsible for the low prices farm products, we might expect operate in Madison; and the retu the Democratic primary show has not had the slightest infl there. In spite of 8½ cent cotto Democratic voters of Madison a satisfied as ever that the perma prosperity of the country demands free coinage of silver at 16 to 1."—mingham Herald.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. derman, of Diamondale, Mich., permitted to make this extract have no hesitation in recommendi King's New Discovery, as the were almost marvelous in the case wife. While I was pastor of the Church at Rives Junction, she brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms coughing would last for hours with tle interruption and it seemed as if could not survive them. A friend mended Dr. King's New Didcovery was quick in its work and highly factory in results." Trial bottles at Baker & Hall's drug store. Reg size 50c. and $1.00.

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Salt, common, per bbl		
Cheese, per lb		

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Bacon	
Smoked Ham	
Smoked Shoulders	5
Beef, by the side	3 15 to
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	
Veal, dressed, per lb	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5½ 6
Chickens, per lb	
Turkeys, per lb	
Hides, green	25
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Sans Souci and the Government Buildings.

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The most celebrated hotel and bathing place in the islands is Sans Souci, which is near the famous Diamond Head. Sans Souci has had for its guests some of the most famous literary men of the age. Mark Twain spent a good deal of his time while on the islands at this place. Jules Verne and Robert Louis Stevenson made it their home. The latter, in writing of this cool retreat, said:

"If any one desires such old-fashioned things as lovely scenery, quiet, pure air, clear sea water, good food, and heavenly sunsets hung out before his eyes every evening over the Pacific and the distant hills of Waianae, I recommend him cordially to the Sans Souci."

I found several gentlemen at Sans Souci who had very vivid recollections of Stevenson. He is described by all as a small man weighing, perhaps, less than one hundred pounds, and an inveterate cigarette smoker. It is barely possible that nicotine poison hastened the end of this strange, mysterious, gifted man.

"He smoked from morning until night," said the manager of the hotel. "I am certain he would consume sixty cigarettes a day. He was very pleasant, unless irritated, and then he was like a madman. Those who disturbed him while writing or meditating were sure to hear from him."

Mr. Timmons, city editor of The Hawaiian Star, said:

"I met Mr. Stevenson while he was here, and was very strangely impressed by him from the first. I learned that he was at Sans Souci, and went to call upon him. Reaching the quiet place, I crossed the lanna and entered the house proper. No one was in sight but a small, ordinary-looking man, who sat at a table writing.

"'Where is the landlord?' I asked.

"'He is out,' answered the small man, and he went on with his writing.

"'Well, perhaps you can answer my question; I came to see Mr. Stevenson.'

"The small man dropped his pen, arose, and, extending his hand, said:

"'I am Mr. Stevenson.'

"This was my introduction to this remarkable man."

Then Mr. Timmons told me how Mr. Stevenson came to write his famous novel, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

"The novel was written on this island and in this town. The Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde live in Honolulu, and you will perhaps meet him before you go. That novel was the off-spring of a bitter religious war between Reverend Father Dannion and Rev. Dr. Hyde, D.D., who has charge of the mission school in this city for the training of preachers. The controversy between the priest and Dr. Hyde waxed warm, and Mr. Stevenson espoused the cause of the Catholic priest. He threw his whole soul into the conflict, and for a while it seemed as if we were likely to have a religious war. Dr. Hyde, able, sharp, and cutting, answered him from the pulpit and through the press until the contest became personally bitter.

"Mr. Stevenson had up to the time of this controversy, it seems, entertained a high regard for Dr. Hyde, but as the wordy war grew bitter, he fancied he discovered in him a dual nature. At times he thought the doctor the very perfection of a gentleman, a scholar, and a Christian; at others he seemed a very demon. This idea seemed to grow with his morbid fancy, and he conceived from it his wonderful novel."

I was anxious to meet Dr. Hyde, the man who so strangely inspired the wonderful novel, and when I did meet him was impressed that he was more Jekyll than Hyde. He is a tall, finely-formed, highly cultured gentleman, with a fine scholarly appearance. He is secretary of the Social Science Club, a meeting of which I had the pleasure of attending, and at which place I met him.

This club, by the way, is composed of the most scholarly men on the Islands President Dole is a member, and attends the meetings regularly. In addition to myself there were other American guests present, the most prominent of whom were United States Minister Willis, and the captain of the warship Bennington. At this meeting Dr. Rodgers, Secretary of the Labor Bureau, read an able paper on the labor problem, which was thoroughly discussed and commented upon. One cannot but realize the force of Americanism in the club. Chief Justice Judd, of the Supreme Court, and Professor Alexander, the historian, are members of the club and were born on the Islands, yet they with the others, argued the question from an American standpoint.

The meeting was at the residence of Dr. Hyde, and, although I studied him closely all the evening, I discovered none of the "incarnate fiend," which Stevenson represents Mr. Hyde to be in his novel.

It was while living at Sans Souci that Robert Louis Stevenson conceived and wrought out his wonderful book, and I decided to visit the famous resort. To reach Sans Souci I had only to take the Waikiki street car, go to the end of the line, and walk the rest of the way. The ride is a pleasant one, and well worth the time and ten cents it costs to make it. It was about 2 o'clock in the afternoon when I boarded the car driven by a native and went rolling along the street past the government grounds and buildings, past pretty houses half hidden by graceful swaying palms, ferns, and the rich tropical foliage, past banana plantations and groves of tall cocoanuts, for long stretches with the sea beach on one side and a delightful grove on the other.

The manager of the famous resort showed me the room which had been occupied by Jules Verne and Robert Louis Stevenson, also the tables at which they wrote, and narrated some anecdotes about them. Their rooms fronted on the beach. After a sea-bath I returned to the cool lanna, and was joined by Mr. Thomas E. Evans, a gentleman who is stopping at the Sans Souci. Mr. Evans, who is a Royalist of the most pronounced type, is a Canadian by birth. He was prominent in pushing the lottery scheme to which the missionaries objected so strongly.

The Royalists are still very bitter against the Republic. They always refer to it contemptuously as the Provisional Government, and the adherents of it are styled P. G.'s. But they all have great respect for President Dole. I have met more than one who says the country is safe in his hands. The natives all respect him, but they want him to be declared King. It is not the man they object to, so much as the Republican form of government.

All of the more intelligent Royalists, however, admit that the Republic has come to stay, and even the Queen has lost all hope of being restored to the throne, unless Great Brittain or some European power espouses her cause; which even she admits is not probable.

I have been informed that Mr. Chas. Wilson, the agent and trusted friend of the ex-Queen, has declared that he is willing to shoulder his musket to support the Republic. He was the ex-Queen's bravest friend in her hour of trouble. He advised her against the promulgation of the constitution which brought about her overthrow, but when he found she was determined, he declared he would stand or fall with her. When the uprising came, he was the only one of her followers willing to fight the revolutionists. The average Kanaka doesn't care a fig about any sort of government. His mind is taken up with luaus, hulas, and fishing. To him life presents no serious problems. He devotes more energy to a fishing party than to political matters.

The sun was setting when I left Sans Souci, and it was nearly dark by the time I reached the street car line. No car was in sight, and I was told that it would be fifteen minutes before another would come along. I walked about two hundred paces further down the track to where a Chinaman has erected and fitted up a small shop and restaurant, and took a seat on the bench under his awning. The shop-keeper, a man well long in years, whose queue is turning grey, came out to keeep me company. On learning I was from New York, he tried to scrape up an acquaintance. He once conducted a laundry in that city, and thought the Brooklyn bridge the most magnificent structure in the world. He was more sociable than most Chinamen, and talked very freely of the customs and habits of his countrymen. He said that they had only worn queues for the last three hundred years. The queue was not a religious badge, but a fad of their Emperor. He had been to China nine times since his first arrival. Like most Chinamen, he had a wife and children in China and one in this country, this, he explained, as a matter of economy. It was much easier to support a family in each country than to be constantly transporting a family from one land to the other. The average Chinaman remains in this country from three to seven years and then goes back to China, to spend an equal length of time there, and again return.

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The Stimpson Computing Scales.

The Stimpson Computing Scale Company have recently perfected a butchers' or meat scale which is pronounced by retailers and mechanical experts the most perfect scale ever put on the market. This scale combines the computing features with a perfection of mechanical construction which is entirely a new departure in the building of scales to be used in the grocery and meat business.

This is also true of the grocers' computing scale which the company is now putting on the market. In the first place, their scales have the simplest and most accurate computing attachment in the world; in the second place they certainly have no superiors in the mechanism and workmanship of the scale itself.

The following description of the two scales is taken from the columns of The Iron Age of Jan. 30. The Iron Age is the authority of this country on subjects of this kind, and this extended notice, coming as it does unsolicited from this source, is a most flattering recognition of the real merits of the Stimpson scales and speaks volumes for the success of this industry:

"Stimpson Computing Scale Company, Tecumseh, Mich., for whom W. H. Jacobus, 90 Chambers street, New York, is agent, are offering computing scales, as herewith illustrated. The scales are finished in wine color baked enamel, with all bearings of tool steel, pivoted, and with a leverage of 20 to 1. The grocers' scale, Fig. 1, has a brass scoop and is furnished with either marble or iron top, as desired. The tare beam and frame of the upper beam are nickel plated. The poise and computing table of the upper beam are of aluminum. A weight is provided which exactly balances the scoop when using it. The lower beam is for tare, while the weighing is done with the poise on the wide beam above. This beam is pivoted at the ends so as to turn over and show the other side. The price per pound is given in the first column to the left on the poise, the prices on the side shown being from 3 to 17 cents and on the other side from 18 to 40 cents. Anything up to 10 pounds can be weighed on the upper beam, while weights are provided for weighing larger quantities. The value of any quantity up to ten pounds at any price ranging from 3 to 40 cents per pound is instantly shown on the computing table. Thus in the illustration the poise is set at 5 pounds, the value of which at 10 cents per pound is shown on the table to be 50 cents. The value is always shown on the table between the pointers nearest the price per pound. Four weights—10, 20, 30 and 40 pounds—are provided. Though not shown in the illustration, over the second column of figures on the poise is the number 10, over the third column is the number 20, over the fourth column the number 30 and over the fifth column the number 40, these numbers corresponding to the weights. If the article weighed 15 pounds—5 pounds being shown on the beam and 10 pounds by the weight—the weight value at 10 cents per pound would be shown in the second column of figures, opposite the price per pound, which would be $1. This added to the value of the 5 pounds shown on the beam, 50 cents, instantly gives the value of the 15 pounds at 10 cents per pound, or $1.50. By the use of the tare beam 180 pounds can be weighed on the scale. The points of excellence claimed by the makers for the scale are as follows: That both weight and value are given by the movement of one poise; that the correct weight is shown to both the buyer and seller; that in selling all articles such as butter, cheese, &c., which cannot be cut to exact weight asked for by the customer, the correct weight and value of the article is given, and that the poise can be set at a given weight and will at once indicate the correct value, as both weight and value are given by the movement of one poise. The butchers' scale, Fig. 2, embraces all the valuable features of the grocers' scale described."

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SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

The mayor of Jackson will endeavor to stop Sunday theater parties in that city.

Adrian citizens are considering the matter of taking steps to bring Brice's new road, The Lima Northern, to that city.

Adrian base ball enthusiasts are trying to work up enough enthusiasm in that city to guarantee the feasibility of joining the league this year. Jackson will not be in it.

Adrian Times: Bruin, the star attraction at the Page fence company's zoo, crawled out of his coop yesterday, after hibernating for nine weeks, and then loped back again, as he saw his shadow in a chance gleam of sunshine.

The Blissfield Advance came to us last week enlarged to a six column quarto. Other improvements in the make-up and contents of the paper are noticable and its 23d year seems prosperous and propitious.

Adrian Times: Ernest Chase, of Raisin, aged 21, whose illness has before been mentioned, died at 5 o'clock Sunday morning of pneumonia, after being sick for a week. Deceased was a son of Levi W. Chase, and for the last two months has been employed at Pennock's store. The funeral will be held from the house at 10:30 tomorrow.

The Ann Arbor Courier presents the tale of a fish to its readers, and would have them believe an 18-pound pickerel recently caught through the ice contained the gold watch lost long before by the party who caught the fish. The watch, it says, was running, and supposes that, being a stem winder, the fish kept it wound up in the process of masticating its food, the watch being in its throat. With due respect for the Courier, we cannot but regard this statement as a deviation from truth. In short we look upon the story of the watch in this "case" as a lie on its "face."—Monroe Democrat.

The following appears in the Morenci items of the Adrian Times: "A tidal wave of religion is just now sweeping over the town. Every afternoon at 1 o'clock, the 'Angelus bell' is rung from the Methodist church, and every Christian is expected to cease his labors and offer up a silent prayer. Last night all business houses closed at 7:30. Even the saloon-keepers locked their doors, blew out their lights, and with their bartenders attended church." People in this part of the county have long looked for this terrible upheaval from the depths of Morenci's wickedness. From one extreme to the other; but it is sincerely hoped that some lasting good will result in this case.

The editor of the Addison Courier manages a Sunday school, does job printing, writes for his newspaper, is a member of the council, sells watches and clocks to remind subscribers of the value of time, preaches Sundays to admonish them of eternity, and has a little space left between eternity and time to drop into poetry, which he does in a news item as follows:

"John Harrison, of Waldron, wanted fun so stole a gun and away he run. In jail he lays for ninety days to mend his ways."

If there be those who would quarrel with the grammar of this poem, let them remember that while it is well to be right it is not well to be excessively right, when to be so would knock a rhyme's brains out. 'Taint every one can be a poet, no more'n a sheep can be a goat.—Monroe Democrat.

Young ladies of the Church of the Sacred Heart, says the Adrian Times, gave a black face minstrel show at the Hudson opera house, Tuesday night. The place was packed and the play decidedly clever. Fictitious names appeared on the programme, making it next to impossible to identify the performers. There were six end women, wearing collar, shirt front, necktie and red swallowtail coats with black shirts. Sixteen others were similar costumes except that the shirts were white and the coats black. The interlocutor, or "middle woman," was dressed in the semi-military costume of "Trilby," and was addressed by that name. The jokes were largely of a local nature, and were very good. Here is a sample: "Why is Mr. So-and-So like an oyster? Because he's in Bryan most of the time."

THE FARMERS' UNION.

Mr. and Mrs. McConnell will entertain the Farmers' Union Tuesday evening, Feb. 18.

Program.

Music—Mary McIntyre.
Rec.—Florence Kennedy.
Paper—Chas. Waldron.
Rec.—Edward McConnell.
Song—Macham and Brown sisters.
Rec.—Bertha Smeltzer.
Reading—Margaret Welliver.
Rec.—Mary Linton.

All members are requested to bring a question for the question box.

Clinton Column.

CLINTON, MICH., FEB. 7, 1896.

B. O. Randall & Co. are invoicing.

Frank Brown was at home over Sunday.

Ara VanTuyle spent Sunday in Hudson.

Jessie Davis has been on the sick list this week.

B. G. Woodward was an Adrian visitor last Saturday.

Miss Minnie Jacobs returned from Jackson Saturday.

Fred VanDeMark was on the sick list the first of the week.

Mrs. Kermann is making a two weeks' visit at Mrs. Felton's.

Have you seen Clinton's new stand pipe at S. W. Demuth's?

Mrs. James Kehoe was the guest of Toledo friends over Sunday.

Fred Clark has been assisting in taking the invoice at S. W. Demuth's.

Miss Minnie Jacobs, who is working in Jackson came home to spend Sunday.

C. S. Stoner shipped three decks of live stock to Buffalo last week Thursday.

Rev. R. J. Lobb, of Highland Mich., occupied the Baptist pulpit last Sunday.

Miss Nellie Monroe returned Monday morning from a two weeks visit in Napoleon.

A. J. Kishpaugh and wife, visited friends in Addison, from Thursday until Saturday.

Miss Lura Clark gave a very pleasant party to a number of friends Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Heath, from Columbus, Ohio, are visiting at Mr. J. Amspoker's.

Richmond, Gadd, and Hogan shipped a car of cattle, sheep, and hogs to Buffalo last Saturday.

Who owns the boose, Stiffenooskie or Prentice? The last we heard from it Stiffenooskie had it.

Mrs. David Woodward entertained a large number of friends at a tea party given last Wednesday.

Mr. Hubbel Smith, who has been considered very low, was considerable better the first of the week.

E. C. Breese was obliged to return home from Detroit last week, because of his health failing again.

Stephen Corwin, wife and child, of Dakota, visited his Uncle, Chas Corwin the latter part of last week.

Miss Jessis Henderson, of Racine, Wis., arrived Friday morning, to visit her sister, Mrs. L. A. Sutfin.

H. R. Kemp and wife of Tipton, have been visiting friends in Clinton and vicinity for the past few days.

Miss Susie Moore, of Palmyra, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willowby Nase, for the past week.

Miss May Morey, a former Clinton girl, now a teacher in the Brooklyn school, visited Dr. J. L. Tuttle's family from Friday until Monday.

Geo. Smith and wife, of Bridgewater, were presented with a fine girl baby last Friday night. It was the first occasion of the kind in their family.

Miss Sadie Huntington was home from Adrian College over Sunday accompanied by her roommate, Miss Edna Knox, whose home is at Three Rivers.

Mrs. W. R. Blachford and children came up from Tecumseh last Thursday to attend the social at Mrs. E. VanDeMark's and remained until Saturday afternoon.

D. Woodward returned Friday night from a few days visit in Hudson. While away he attended a Farmer's Institute at Jonesville, and a Horticultural meeting at Adrian.

The supper to be given by the Golden Rod chapter, O. E. S., and which was announced in last week's paper, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the woolen mill supper.

Wall's Opera Co. is billed to put on a three-nights' engagement in the town hall on Feb. 11, 12 and 13. The company comes well recommended. The first night they will play the Streets of New York.

H. H. Emmett, the popular Indian orator, speaks tonight on the lecture course. Mr. Emmett comes highly recommended and is particularly effective in his subject, "The Indian Question."

The death of Miss Emma Saxton occurred at Chicago last Saturday. She leaves an aged father, a brother and sister to mourn her loss. They have the sincere sympathy of a host of friends. The funeral was held Tuesday at her old home south of town.

Those attending the Leap Year party last week from abroad were the Misses Grace and Ora Gillespie, Fred. Rector, E. F. Kirchgessner, C. D. Keyes, Earl Updyke and Harry Langton, of Tecumseh; Fred Blosser, of Manchester, and Will Brighton, of Springville.

The Clinton Woolen Mill Co. will give their annual supper to their employes tomorrow night at the town hall. This affair has become a regular party occurance with the institution and is a testimony of the liberality and good will which the corporation entertains toward those in its employ.

The gentlemen of Clinton realize the fact that they are under an obligation, and will make a most worthy endeavor to discharge it one week from tonight Feb. 14. St. Valentine's day is a most auspicious occasion for an undertaking of this kind, and we predict great success for the gallant gents. The following invitation will more fully explain the affair:

You are invited to come to Clinton Hall
To renew the pleasures of the Leap Year ball.
So come with your girl and come with your wife.
And we'll have a good time this once in our life.
At 8 p. m., on the 14th day
Of the present month, we'll all feel gay

Mothers

Will please observe that children may use Century Catarrh Cure with perfect safety, as in no case does it produce the slightest ill effect. For all stoppages and colds in the head which often trouble the little ones it will be found the pleasantest and surest of prescriptions and infinitely the easiest to administer. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. feb

PENTECOST POINTERS.

Judging from the amount of ice being taken from Sand Lake, it looks as if the farmers about here meant to keep cool next summer, in spite of war rumors, etc.

"If Candlemas be bright and clear, there'll be two winters in that year." So we may as well brace up our courage for another cold spell, if we have faith in the old "saw."

Every member of the families of S. and W. B. German are now suffering from the grip; not the jolly masonic kind either, but the genuine sneezing, coughing, shivering Russian sort.

With the unselfishness of a John Alden, the Adrian Press reminds Tecumseh ladies that "there are several available candidates for the degree of husbandry in that village." It would now be in order (being leap year) for some modern Priscilla to ask, "why don't you speak for yourself, John?"

The Herald's Pentecost correspondent while visiting friends in Jackson Co. recently, received an invitation to inspect the Richard's Collection of Curiosities, a collection well worthy a long journey to see. The gentleman who founded this museum of curios died last August, but a sister, Mrs. McDonald, an accomplished and entertaining lady, is in charge of this priceless collection and is herself an enthusiastic seeker for things rare, beautiful and curious. The walls were adorned with many trophies, among them the skin of a gigantic Florida rattlesake and a small sized alligator. There were portions of a mastodon, sword fish, saw fish, shark, etc. A rarely beautiful collection of specimens in conchology also, many of them with their lovely tints and delicate markings might have served for the palace of some fairy of the ocean depths. Here a cabinet held sea urchins, star fish, sea fans, wonderful forms of coral, many and strange varieties of sponges, sea weeds, etc. There one held rare old books in many tongues and strange and most bewildering of all that seemed almost to link one with the days of Christ were the trays of ancient coins, from the tiny "mite" made famous by the widow of the scriptures, to some almost as large as tea saucers. One rare old coin bearing date some three hundred years before Christ, was of gold and copper, weighed eleven ounces and was about nine inches in circumference. Think of a shopping excursion with a pocket full of such "rocks." Four sisters were met together in the fine old family mansion, and the hours of our visit there flew by with surprising quickness while listening to their sprightly and entertaining conversation and in viewing the wonders of art and nature gathered from both hemispheres and of which this article can give but an imperfect description. One must see in order to appreciate them.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

Miss Vinora Beal spent Sunday at home.

The Astronomy class organized Wednesday.

Literary is on the boom again. Come and join us.

The class in Chemistry took examinations Wednesday morning.

Miss Ella Pentecost is again out of school on account of sickness.

Several scholars have been absent the past two weeks on account of sickness.

School adjourned on Friday of last week, it being quarterly meeting at Raisin Center.

Mr. Coller, of Macon, entertained the students with his graphophone, Wednesday evening of last week.

There was no school Tuesday on account of the funeral of Ernest Chase, a member of the class of '94. The school mourns the loss of a member of its alumni.

Seems as if consumption always picks out the brightest and best. Fully one-sixth of all the deaths that occur in the world are caused by consumption. Many things were once considered impossible. It would be strange if medical science did not make some progress. The telegraph and telephone, the phonograph, the electric light—all were once impossible, and once it was impossible to cure consumption. That was before the time of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Taken according to directions, this standard remedy will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. Consumption is caused and fostered by impurity in the blood. It is cured by purity and richness in the blood—surely, certainly cured by the Medical Discovery. It builds up solid healthy flesh and vigorous strength.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a 1008 page medical work, profusely illustrated, will be sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover postage only. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. 1w

Nevada's outnut of precious metals for the year 1895 was nearly $4,000,000 which is half a million larger than the output for 1894.

Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of Itching Piles there ever was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering relieved in a single night. Get Doan's Ointment from your dealer. 1w

Wealthy Brickmaker R. W. Steinecker, of Evansville, Ind., blew up his residence and committed suicide by shooting himself.

Intelligent People

And people of good taste are earnestly recommended to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for disorders of the stomach. Constination and indigestion cured. A trial of this great remedy can be had for 10c (10 doses 10c), also in 50c and $1 sizes. feb

Nat Goodwin, the actor, has sued the Chicago Tribune for $50,000 damages for saying he played faro last Saturday night and won $2,500.

With but little care and no trouble, the beard and mustache can be kept a uniform brown or black color by using Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers. 1w

The railroads in Massachusetts receive about half their revenue from freight and half from passengers. In 1895 passenger traffic was less than in 1894, while freight traffic was more.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. jan

STOP IT NOW!

Stop It Quickly, Just the Same as Did Mr. Charles H. Hoffman, of 132 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson.

If you have a pain in your back, stop it! A lame back, stop it! An aching back, stop it! Do you want to know how? Let us tell you! In the first place, never try to rid yourself of pain without knowing the cause. If pain or ache exist there is reason for it. Find out this reason and get after it. Strike cause a stiff blow with the right weapon, and its allies, pain and ache, will flee like chaff before the wind. To get right down to it, backache is indicative of kidney disorders, a spy placed there by nature; listen to his warnings and take up the weapon, strike before disease is reinforced with allies that can not be routed by hand of man, such as Bright's disease. Let us introduce to you this weapon! Let us prove its superiority to all others! Here is a blow it struck:

Mr. Charles H. Hoffman is a fireman on the M. C. R. R., and resides at 132 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: "I have suffered for a long time from a kidney and bladder disorder which has at times rendered me incapable of work. have been at the hospital for my complaint and discharged from there as cured, but the old complaint has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I began taking them, with most gratifying results. Urinary complaints which bothered me greatly are very much improved, and the pain I suffered in my back has entirely left me, my general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without Doan's Kidney Pills, I think others should know what a valuable remedy it is."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

South Carolina's House of Representatives has passed a bill assessing damages in $2,000 against each county in which a lynching takes place.

A drowning man would have little use for a method of rescue which would require days. A dy-peptic doesn' want to bother with a remedy that is going to take weeks to show its beneficial effects.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers are offering a product under the name of Shaker Digestive Cordial which yields immediate relief. The very first dose proves beneficial in most cases: and it is owing to their unbounded confidence in it, that they have put 10 cent sample bottles on the market. These can be had through any druggist: and it will repay the afflicted to invest the trifling sum necessary to make a trial.

The Shaker Digestive Cordial releives by resting the stomach and aiding the digestion of food.

Laxol is the best medicine for Children, Doctors recommend it in the place of Castor Oil. 1w

Two special train loads of 1,040 white people have gone from Wayne, Dublin, and Pender counties, N. C. to work in the cotton mills in Pelzer, S. C.

An Honest Man's Story.

Greenvillage, Pa., Jan. 23, '96.

Dear Sir:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. "Mr. Pretzinger, I used your sample box of catarrh medicine which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50 cent jar. They keep it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine. Hon. 'Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it: he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. G. D. Ludwig, daughter of me, is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the last five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and business. Before I used your medicine I felt many a time that I did not care whether I was living or dead: I had no energy; I did not care for anything. I had catarrh over sixty-seven years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her 64th year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenvillage. On nice days I drive up to the farm and work. Mr. Pretzinger I think it would pay you to have it put in all the Franklin county papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the county.

Yours truly,
GEO. K. ZOLLINGER.

A small sample can be obtained by sending a 2c stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, O. 1w

President Cleveland has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Princeton College.

Verily, Verily, Sayeth the Preacher.

"A merciful man is merciful to his beasts." Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure is certainly a merciful, marvelous remedy, for it cured my horse; that I thought must die of it, in a week, and kept my colts in same stable from getting the lothsome disease even so much as to cough. It seems to me every one owning horses would keep a bottle on hand. With its use I have no fear to expose my horses to all kinds of distempers. ISAAC L. BERKEY.

Pastor German Baptist Church, Goshen, Ind. Sold only by C. A. Wright, druggist. 1w

Among the odd features of the Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition to be held at Nashville, will be a tower of 268 cotton bales, 100 feet high.

Do not take any substitute when you ask for the one true blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. 1w

A parishioner named Dixon didn't like Pastor Warren Power's sermon against marital infidelity at Halls Station, Ga., and Powers was called out and shot.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is known by its works. The experience of half a century proves that no other preparation of the kind stops coughing and allays irritation of the throat and bronchial tubes so promptly and effectually as this. 1w

Absentminded.

The story is told of a famous mathematician that he was frequently guilty during his courtship of walking the greater part of a mile with the young lady of his choice without speaking.

One evening she took advantage of his absentmindedness to play him a trick. She slipped her hand from his arm and hurried home a nearer way. He continued to hold his arm in the same position, walked up the steps of her father's house, and rang the bell, when, to his astonishment, she herself opened the door. He stared in an incredulous manner and exclaimed, "Why, S——, how in the world did you get on that side of the door?"

Dancing Mice.

There have been found in Japan some mice that have been the subject of a good deal of zoological discussion. These creatures are white and black as a rule, but some have shadings of brown and pale yellow. When the baby mouse first begins to walk, it exhibits the tendency that characterizes this peculiar breed. After moving a short distance it begins to turn round and round, increasing in rapidity until it spins almost like a top. This waltzing, for it is nothing else, amounts to a mad dissipation, being kept up for some minutes without stopping. There will then be a pause of a few seconds, when the dance begins again. These creatures waltz almost all night, sleeping in the daytime. Sometimes they dance in couples, whirling around and keeping the most perfect time. Three or four have been known to dance together, two forming an inner circle and the others dancing around the outside. The smallness of the circle they take may be imagined from the fact that they will spin for hours under an ordinary tumbler with but brief intervals of rest.—New York Ledger.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 31st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emmons, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Byron A. Beal, administrator [illegible] praying that he may be empowered [illegible] licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased [illegible] said petition described, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of February next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy).
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 20th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Elizabeth Pilbeam, widow of said deceased, praying that her dower in the real estate of said deceased may be assigned to her and that commissioners be appointed for that purpose according to the statute in such case made and provided,

It is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 13th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Simon Gould and Daniel T. Hall, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, praying that they may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein stated.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 10th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioners give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 13th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Gallup, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Clemens executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to said last will and testament and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 10th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS; Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Scovel C. Sumner, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Sumner Collins, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 21th day of February, 1896, and on the 27th day of July, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 22d day of January, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 23, 1896.

JOSEPH D. ROBBINS,
ALFRED JAMES,
Commissioners.

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If you want a pension or re-rating, or question answered in Pension or Patent cases Write J. L. STARKWEATHER, Attorney, Romeo, Mich.

Mr. Starkweather secured over ten per cent of all original Pensions allowed in Michigan for the month of August, 1890, 703 allowed.—Detroit Free Press.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...own From the Prairie City—Amateur Theatricals—The Blind Tiger Breaks Stone.

Deestrict Skule.

Wind storms and snow storms.

John Chcever is no better at present writing.

Edgar Wells is reported about the same at present.

L. C. Hoagland made a business trip to Detroit Monday.

It is reported that Walter Exolby is going to California.

Miss Lulu Wicks, of Macon, is visiting at Sam Kniffin's.

James Millspaugh, of Belville, was in Britton last Saturday.

Get your old books and slate ready to attend the deestrict skule.

The new restaurant was opened up for business last Saturday.

Lon Collins, of Maybee, visited at John Taylor's over Sunday.

A church fair is one of the possibilities of the future in Britton.

Don't forget that Lenardson Bros. carry a full line of patent medicines.

Largest stock of wall paper ever carried, now to be found at Lenardson Bros.

Miss Martha Clarkson is improving rapidly, and was able to ride out recently.

Howard Andrews, of Lyons, is visiting his father, Chauncey Andrews, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hause, of Clinton, were the guests of their parents over Sunday.

Mr. Blanchard, of Chicago, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Maynard Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pennington were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen Tuesday.

James Haight and G. L. Gripton were in Toledo Friday and Saturday of last week on business.

Are you reading our interesting letters on the Sandwich Islands published on the first page?

Eddie and Horace Lamkin, of Frankfort, were the guests of W. J. Helme and family over Sunday.

Wm. Osgood has built a new sidewalk. This is a good thing. Push it along, there is lots of room.

The wild and interesting tribe of Kickapoo Indians may shout their war whoop on the Midway ere many moons have passed.

It is noticed that one of our young men and his lady have been conspicuous by their absence from church on Sunday evenings.

Lenardson Bros. and DuBois will take your order for binder twine. Prices guaranteed. Four qualities. Call and get our samples.

Rev. Scipco Rederus, who has been in town of late, will again occupy the pulpit of the Reformed church one week from Sunday, Feb. 23d.

A valentine social will be held at St's church tonight. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of painting the parsonage.

The regular review of Hendershot Tent No. 467 K. O. T. M., will be held Thursday night Feb. 18. All members are requested to be present.

The trial of the Palmer boys came off before Justice Oliver. The pair plead guilty and Bert received 30 and William 15 days in the county stone yard.

Quite a number of our citizens were Adrian visitors the first of the week. The Ridgeway suit of Houseman vs. Barnes proved quite an attraction.

Two of our young men rode the bumpers to Toledo last week. It is supposed that everybody knows what a bumper is. If you don't ask the young men.

Married, at the Exchange Hotel in Britton, Wednesday, Feb. 12, by Justice George L. Oliver, Vincent Benaway and Miss Alice Sisson, both of Tecumseh, Mich.

We failed to mention the shaking up which Johnny got at Tecumseh last week. Keep out of the mud, Johnny, when you go there, for Tecumseh ladies are very strict with their children.

Rev. Deyo has gone to Lawton this week for the purpose of moving his family from there to Britton. The parsonage has been completely refitted and our people are ready to welcome his family in our midst.

A drain has been opened up from the road north to Pamelltown. The drain is laid with 5 inch tile and will be a great benefit to the locality through which it passes. The work was done by George Gifford.

We have the most generous landlord in the state. He always gives a bed to the penniless unfortunates. However the last time his kindness was a little abused, although what was left in was by the grateful recipient did'nt have to be.

Perry Lee and James Boyd, of Tecumseh, were in Britton Saturday looking up a site on which to erect a flouring mill. With the adjacent wheat producing country and the railroad facilities, there is not a finer location for an enterprise of this kind in the state.

The C. J. & M. has contracted to haul a large amount of coal and the extra work compells them to run one or two extra trains each day in order to keep the Toledo yards clear. The road is hauling a lage quantity of ice to Toledo destined for points on the W. & O. and Pennsylvania Co.'s lines beyond Toledo.

Fred Ward, who has been in the employ of James Haight for some time, has severed his connection with the firm. We advise the new firm has been successful. He has made many friends during his stay in Britton and about a score of them assembled at the home of their late employer on the eve of his departure and gave him a surprise as a farewell. Mr. Ward left for his home in Allan Wednesday.

The census of Britton was increased this week by two new arrivals not voters, but "new women." The first arrived at the home of Wm. Kniffin, Monday and weighed 7¼ pounds. She was closely followed by a second stranger the following day at Jas. Hillock's with 7 pounds. Two happy families are the result. This just evens up that pair of twin girls at Clinton.

HOLLOWAY.

News of Valentine Week—Death of an Old Resident.

'Squire Chatfield is laid up with la grippe.

Mrs. A. D. Macham is entertaining the grip.

Several from abroad attended Mrs. Hall's funeral.

Mr. Hause, of Clinton, officiated at the Hall funeral.

Mrs. L. C. Winship visited her son at Adrian Thursday.

February comes in like a lamb. Very fine weather so far.

Jim Armstrong had the misfortune to lose a young horse.

D. P. Anthony, of Chicago, is home visiting his family.

Mrs. Charles Fowler is entertaining company from abroad.

Garrison Moore and wife attended the Kelley-Dibble wedding.

Chas. Chase, of Little Hope, was a caller in town Saturday.

Miss Jennie Gerdon is home from Adrian, sick with la grippe.

Cassie Florance, who has had an attack of la grippe, is out again.

John Lurbett, of Palmyra, is painting and varnishing the new store.

Weddings are very fashionable in town. The third one is announced.

Mrs. Edgar Rogers and babies visited Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and family.

Mrs. L. Pardee, from the prairie, visited her mother, Mrs. John Lewis, Wednesday.

A new feed mill is the latest improvement to the town. Mr. Waal is the manager.

Jim Armstrong is going to have his hand amputated. Dr. Nixon does the surgical work.

The free Methodist revivals commence Sunday evening, with Rev. Boyer, of Ridgeway, as leader.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Jim Cox and Miss Philla Wright, on Thursday Feb. 13. Congratulations.

The Junior Endeavor gives a valentine social, at the home of Conrad Atwell, tonight. Supper 10 cents. All are invited.

Aunt Lucretia Hall, who has been suffering with la grippe, died Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock. She was an old pioneer of Raisin, coming to this settlement when everything was a wilderness. One by one the old pioneers are crossing the river. Mrs. James Lane is the only surviving heir, as her son, Austin Hall, died about two years ago. The funeral, Friday at 1 p. m., was largely attended.

"Dearest mother, thou hast left us;
Here thy loss we deeply feel.
But 'tis God, who has bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal."

RIDGEWAY.

Doings in the Library Village—Review of the Revival Meetings.

Ollie Hunt, of Adrian, was in the village Friday.

Elder Yager, of Saline, called on friends Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Barrett went to Jackson, Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Byron Beagle.

There were quite a number went over to Adrian Tuesday, to attend the suit between Houseman and Barnes.

Mrs. Rhodes, of Toledo, Ohio, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Hale, for several days, left for her home the first of the week.

Milburn Hatch, of Macon, did the station work during the absence of Agent Beedle in Adrian as a witness in the suit of the people vs. Henry Barnes.

Rev. James Wright, who went to Union Springs, N. Y., the first of January and had a 9-pound tumor removed, returned last week Friday and is able to be about his usual family cares.

Mrs. W. L. Jones received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death of her aunt, Miss Hannah Raymond, of Dixon, Ill. The remains will arrive Friday morning for burial in the family lot in Raisin.

Rev. D. C. Reihl, of Marion, Ohio, the chalk talk evangelist, who has been holding a nine days' gospel meeting, closed his work here Sunday night, taking for his subject "The Devil's Black Hand," with an illustration. The meetings have been well attended and good interest manifested.

The trial of Postmaster Henry Barnes, of Ridgeway, charged with assault and battery by George H. Houseman, whom he ejected from the postoffice, ended this afternoon by the jury returning a verdict of guilty. Justice Westerman imposed a $1 fine and $52 costs, which the postmaster will pay.—Adrian Times.

Money and Trouble.

F. W. Dickey, the good horseman, of Marshall, says: "In every case where I use Sphon's Distemper and Cough Cure my horses recovered at once. It is the only preparation I know to cure contagious diseases and prevent others in the same stable from getting them. Would not be without at any cost, and every owner and handler will find it money and trouble saved to keep it on hand all the time." Sold only by C. A. Wright & Co., Druggists.

Pruning when the plant is dormant tends to impart vigor, but if done when the plant is growing or in leaf it checks growth. For this reason a feeble tree should always be pruned in winter.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

MACON.

Some Items of General Interest From the Corners.

Mrs. Ann Haring is on the sick list.

Fred Camburn is recovering from a severe illness.

Lewis Camburn and wife are visiting at his old home.

Miss Addie Crittenden is home for a month's vacation.

A good attendance is reported at the entertainment last week.

Mrs. Benjamin is to be secured for a lecture as soon as possible.

Mrs. Eunice Jackson has been quite sick, but is somewhat better.

Some Macon couples attended church in Tecumseh last Sunday.

At the W. C. T. U. meeting, $5 was voted toward the debt on Willard Hall.

The ladies wish to return the Maccabees a vote of thanks for the use of their hall last week.

The Epworth League will hold a "crazy social" at the home of Elwin Camburn Friday evening, Feb. 21. Supper 10c.

Rev. Gulick left last week for his new home and duties in Constantine. Our pastor leaves with the hearty good wishes and prayers of all for his success.

The next temperance meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Isaac Mills, Feb. 29. The ladies are requested to bring carpet rags to sew and donate for charitable work. A mid-day meal will be served.

CONE.

Forty-Seven Converts—Bad Accident—Comings and Goings.

Roy Austin is slowly recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

J. M. Auten was in Ashley several days this week on business.

Mrs. Thomas Caswell is visiting friends in Gratiot county this week.

Miss Edith Gray, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Bert Gould Saturday and Sunday.

George Dibble and Charlie Rendel have gone to Illinois, where they expect to remain some time.

A number of young people attended the dedication services at the South Raisin church Saturday and Sunday.

During the recent revival services here, forty-seven persons were converted, twenty-eight were baptized and twenty-one united with the church.

Martin Dennison, who has had a swelling on his leg for some time, fell last Sunday and broke the large bone. He went to Detroit Monday morning for treatment, accompanied by John Dennison and J. D. Riley.

The young people organized a Christian Endeavor society last Wednesday evening with twenty-three members. The following officers were elected.
President—Miss Jessie Auten.
Vice President—Charlie VanDuser.
Corresponding Sec.—Bertha Jourden.
Recording Sec.—Mertie Auten.
Treasurer—Archie Allhouse.
Organist—Bertha Jourden.

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Gooseberries and currents are easily grown and there is rarely an oversupply of them.

Although a very busy man, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has found time in which to write a great book of over a thousand pages entitled, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in plain English, or Medicine Simplified. Few books printed in the English language have reached so great a sale as has this popular work, over 680,000 copies having been sold at $1.50 each. The profits on this enormous sale having repaid its author for the great amount of labor and money expended on its production he has now decided to give away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this valuable book, the recipients only being required to mail to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., of which he is president, twenty-one (21) one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent postpaid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. It contains 1008 large pages, and over 300 illustrations, some of them in colors. The Free Edition is precisely the same as that sold at $1.50 except only that the books are bound in strong manilla paper covers, instead of cloth. It is not often that our readers have an opportunity to obtain a valuable book on such generous terms, and we predict that few will miss availing themselves of this unusual and liberal offer to which we have called their attention. 1w

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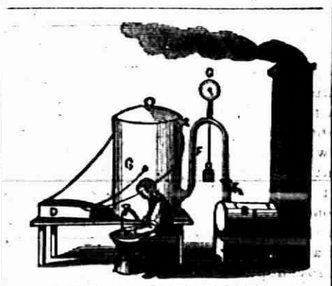

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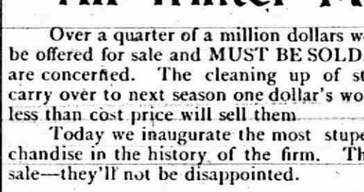

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The large numbers of maps which are being taken by our subscribers prove that they are all right and are a bargain for the price. We still continue these offers, and append our club list for reference. If you have not yet made out your list of papers for 1896, consult this list.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $3.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

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THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

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THE COSMOPOLITAN.

The Cosmopolitan is almost too well known to need particular mention. It is simply a marvel that a magazine of such merit can be furnished for the money. A new lithographing press has recently been added to their machinery which will make the paper more attractive than ever. For 1896, 1344 pages and 1000 illustrations for 85 cents if taken with the Herald.

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Courier-Journal,	1 55
N. Y. Voice,	2 00
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
Philadelphia Times,	1 45
Information,	1 85
Public Opinion,	3 05
American Gardening,	1 80
American Agriculturist,	1 85
Harper's Magazine,	4 05
The Century,	4 55
St. Nicholas,	3 55
Scribner's Magazine,	2 55
North American Review,	5 05
Cosmopolitan,	1 85
Lippincott's,	3 05
Godey's,	1 85
Frank Leslie's Monthly,	3 45
" " Pleasant Hours,	1 65
Table Talk,	1 75
Demorests,	2 55
Electric Power,	2 55
Everywhere,	1 85
The Arena, with premium,	5 00
Scientific American,	3 55
McClure's,	1 85

Farmers' Social Club.

As we may chronicle a delightful evening spent within the circle of the F. S. C., this time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Well Rector. The committee on program departed from the usual routine of entertainment and arranged for our benefit a musical program. The diversion was a complete success and the efforts of our musical friends gave us irrefutable proof that we are not without talent in our club. To say that all did well would be but feeble praise, and to discriminate would be unfair; but to say that thanks are due to all is just, and it is hoped we may enjoy a similar treat again some time in the future.

The discussion was opened by Mr. J. F. N. Bowen, who favored a change in our district school system. He did not believe the unit system was generally understood, but thought if adopted it would prove beneficial.

Mr. Tenbrook, of Fairfield, was present and gave timely remarks. He believed the unit system would be the means of securing better teachers for the small scholars; believed it would be a decided improvement in many respects.

D. H. C. Bowen did not think the Michigan system a perfect one, and agreed with Mr. Tenbrook in regard to supplying the small pupils with the best instructors.

Others expressed views for and against the system and it will perhaps be the means of inducing many to investigate the unit method.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Philip Kehoe, Tuesday evening, February 25th.

PROGRAM.

Music—Agnes Kehoe.
Recitation—Mabel Ager.
Music—School children.
Paper—Needs and Requirements of District Schools—Mr. Tenbrook.
Music—Quartette.
Reading—Mrs. F. R. Rector.
Declamation—Earl Rector.
Song—Mary Murphy.
Reading—Mrs. J. T. Boyce.
Question—How can we build and maintain the public highways the best and most economically. Led by Israel Schreder.

The T. & F. Farmers' Club.

The next meeting of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will be held at the home of A. VanValkenburg on Thursday evening, Feb. 20. The date was changed on account of a social in that vicinity on Friday evening. The following is the program:

Music—Mrs. W. J. Waldron.
Rec.—Julia Haire.
Dec.—Ashbel Osborn.
Reading—Mrs. B. Hurry.
Locals and personals—Mrs. H. Hoag.
Rec.—Mrs. Slater.
Song.
Reading—Hettie Waldron.
Rec.—Julia Tilden.
Chip-basket—William Waldron.
Song—Hurry Family.
Reading—Miss Grace Gillespie.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned having sold his farm will sell at public auction at the farm 3 1-2 miles southeast of Tecumseh, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 1 p. m. sharp the following property: Three horses, One 4 yr. old Gelding; One Family Driving Horse; 1 work horse, double buggy; corn sheller: 1 2-horse wagon, narrow tire: 1 wagon, wide tire; harvester and binder; Walter A. Wood Mower; hay tedder. sulky plow; 3 good grade cows; 1 Jersey cow; quantity of hay; 150 bushels of corn; walking plow, Scotch harrow; 3 one-horse cultivators; Fanning mill; set of Fairbank's scales; top buggy; road wagon; set of heavy harness; light double harness, single harness, pair bob-sleighs, double cutter, about 40 chickens, about 300 ft. oak lumber 1 and 2-in. thick, one Little Giant horse fork, one double Harpoon horse fork, and other things too numerous to mention. Terms—All sums of $5 or under, cash; over $5, twelve months' credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Passed by the Vestry of St. Peter's Church on the Death of Wm. Hayden.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. Peter's church Wednesday J. F. Hicks was appointed senior warden in place of William Hayden and C. F. Field junior warden in place of J. F. Hicks. The following resolution was also passed unanimously:

Inasmuch as it hath pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our esteemed senior warden, William Hayden it is eminently fitting that this vestry should take some action expressive of its feeling. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, as a vestry, representing the sentiments of this whole church and congregation, most sincerely mourn the death of our beloved senior warden. We shall deeply miss his wise counsel, his hearty cheerfulness in the midst of discouragements, his generous support and his unfailing devotion to the interests of the parish. For thirty-six years William Hayden has served continuously on the vestry of St. Peter's church, much of the time as one of the wardens. Knowing as we do the faithful services of our brother, and that, but for his noble devotion, the blessed influences of the church must at times have ceased in our midst we feel that we as a church owe to his memory a debt of gratitude which we can never repay.

Resolved, That we tender to his family our heartfelt condolence, and invoke the blessing of Heaven upon them in their bereavement.

Resolved, further, That a copy of these resolutions be given to the family and spread upon the records of the church.

$200 IN GOLD GIVEN.

Of Special Interest to Students and Teachers.

R. H. Woodward Company, of Baltimore, Md., are making a most liberal offer of $200 to anyone who will sell 200 copies of "Gems of Religious Thought," a new book by Talmage. This is one of the most popular books ever published. Three editions sold in 60 days. Agents sell 10 to 15 copies a day. An Estey organ, retail price $270, given for selling 110 copies in three months. A $100 bicycle given for selling 80 copies in two months. A gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium in addition to commission. Complete outfit 35 cents. Freight paid. Credit given. Agents wanted also for "Talks to Children about Jesus." 150,000 copies sold, and it is now selling faster than ever. Same terms and conditions as on "Gems of Religious Thought." Other popular books and Bibles also. They offer special and most liberal rates to students and teachers for summer vacation. During last summer a large number of students and teachers canvassed for their books. Among the list there were 23 who made over $200, 57 who won the $200 premium, and 76 made over $150 for their summer work. Write them immediately.

A New Life of Grant.

For upwards of two years the publishers of McClure's Magazine have been quietly gathering material and pictures for a new life of General Grant. They believe that they have made a larger collection of portraits of Grant (many of them rare) and other pictures relating to his life, than has ever been before. This biography will bring out the real Grant in the same vivid, thorough, and interesting manner as Lincoln is presented in the "Life" now running in McClure's. They have been fortunate in securing the cooperation of Col. F. D. Grant, who has most of his father's papers.

The Stepmother Question.

This has been discussed during years and centuries, for aught we know, and no doubt will be to the end of all time. Need hard feeling and discord be inevitable, when, for practical or sentimental reasons, a new mother is given to a family of children? We have no doubt that careful investigation will show that in many cases the arrangement has been a complete success, and that the new-comer was loved only second to the loved one gone. If all families were as loving and harmonious and all stepmothers as brave and gentle as those depicted in the last number of Will Carleton's Magazine, Every Where, the question would be settled at once.

Send Me Your Old Stamps.

Almost every family have packages of old letters, deeds, notes, leases, wills, mortgages and other papers laid away, on which are U. S. and Revenue stamps. I want them. For the right kinds, lightly cancelled, unfaded and untorn, I will pay from 10 cents to $1.00 each. Also want the old medicine, perfumery, match, playing card and canned goods stamps. Mail them to—

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Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

A SCHOLARSHIP.

Offered by the Women's League of The University of Michigan.

The Women's League of the University of Michigan offers a one-year scholarship (matriculation and tuition fees) in the University of Michigan to any graduate of an approved High School, who will raise and send them, before October 1, 1896, the sum of $500 for the Women's Building Fund.

For twenty-five years women have enjoyed the privileges of this institution. Nearly seven hundred are now in attendance. Until the present year no especial arrangements have been made for them. The coming spring, however, a wing, to be known as the "Women's Building," is to be added to the Waterman Gymnasium for their use. This building will be under the care of the newly elected Dean, Dr. Elvia S. Mosher, the first woman professor in the history of the University.

The Women's Building will contain a well-equipped gymnasium with bathrooms and swimming-tank; also a suite of parlors, reading-room, committee-room, kitchen, assembly-hall, etc., for social purposes—forming a central home for the women of all the classes in the various departments of the University. The plans are already completed and bids are being received for the contracts. Of the $50,000 needed $35,000 have been given by our Regents on condition that $15,000 be raised by the Women's League to complete the necessary fund. Of this amount $11,000 are yet to be secured to insure the realisation of our hopes with the opening of the College year.

For further information address, Miss A. M. Soule, No. 4 University Ave., Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Events of the Coming Year.

The coming year will be a period memorable in the history of the world, if but a part of the plans of the United States Government and European nations is carried out. In the United States there will be the liveliest presidential campaign ever held, and the Fifty-fourth Congress, now in session, will furnish exceedingly interesting debates on the tariff and financial questions until June. There will be several exciting state elections and many great political speeches. Everyone will watch with interest the progress of the Venezuelan Commission's inquiry, the results of the wars in Cuba, in South Africa, in Turkey, and the outcome of other complications now arising in the Old World.

It is a remarkable coincidence that at the beginning of a year of such rich promise of stirring news the greatest metropolitan newspaper in the United States—The St. Louis Republic—should reduce its price to $6 a year, or to less than two cents a day. This low price now places The Republic within the reach of everyone. Those who wish to keep posted on politics, trade, national and international affairs during 1896 should at once subscribe for it on these easy terms, in addition to taking their own local paper.

Newspaper readers who may think they cannot afford to take a metropolitan daily paper should at least subscribe for the "Twice-a-Week" Republic—104 papers a year—for only $1 a year. It contains the best of everything that appears in the daily.

Reduced Rates to Hot Springs, Ark.

The Wabash Line has on sale round trip excursion tickets, good ninety days, to the Famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, at very low rates. Through sleeping car service from principal stations on the Wabash Line, and but one change of cars (in St. Louis Union Station) to Hot Springs. Hot Springs is the only health resort owned, indorsed and conducted by the United States Government. Climate like that of Italy. This is the best season to go. Over 300 hotels and boarding houses at rates to suit all visitors. The hot waters have for fifty years been found unexcelled for the cure of rheumatism, blood and skin diseases, female complaints, troubles of the stomach, liver and kidneys, insomnia, nervous prostration, etc. Illustrated pamphlets and full information furnished by any ticket agent of the Wabash railroad, or C. S. Crane, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis, Mo. feb

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Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strenght are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Baker & Hall's drug store. 3

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Saturday, February 15.

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There's a Cyclone in

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The best in Southern Michigan, which I will sell at price which you can't get at any other store in the state. When you are looking for anything in this line give me a call and be convinced.

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J. M. INGERSOLL

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—Being about to leave the place I now occupy I offer for sale my household goods, which can be seen at any time after Monday Feb. 17, at my residence on west Chicago St.
MRS. SARAH GRIFFITH.

FOR SALE—Shropshire ewes for sale. Bred from imported stock. Also ewe lambs cheap.
JOS E. GRAY.

SITUATIONS GUARANTEED—To all graduates of Dodges Institute of Telegraphy, Valparaiso, Indiana. Tuition Full course $30. Per Month $5. Good board $1.50; furnished room 50 cents per week. Write for catalogue. GEO. M DODGE, Manager.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Desirable rooms to rent, with or without board. Also cook stove for sale. MRS. JEHIEL DAVIDSON.

PLANTS—Order your strawberry and raspberry plants early. I have a fine stock of the following varieties: Strawberries—Bederwood, Hudson, Crescent, Greenville, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, Princess, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—Palmer, Older, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, Hansell, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars inquire or write. C. W. MONELL,
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FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike, known as Sam Holden place. Good buildings, water, etc. G. W ELY.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB 14, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

J. H. M. Campbell went to Auburndale, O., Tuesday.

New England supper at the Universalist church tonight.

'Tis St. Valentine's day and the postoffice people are busy.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons returned from New York City, last night.

A. W. Slayton is looking after his Detroit and Royal Oak lumber yards this week.

John Hyndman and wife, of Brooklyn, visited W. B. Hoag and family the first of the week.

Mr. Chas. Kells and daughter Hattie, of Adrian, spent Sunday as guests of Will E. Sisson's family.

Wellington DePuy, of Grand Ledge, Mich., returned home last week after a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

S. P. Hosmer has been appointed special administrator of the Hayden estate to act until the regular administrator is appointed.

When Edison applies the principle of the cathode rays to eyeglasses clothing will only be worn as a protection against the weather.

Globe mills are still running and are ready to do all kinds of feed grinding or exchanging. They expect to soon be in the market for wheat.

The case of "The Turks in Armenia" is stated in an interesting paper by Francis DePressense in the February number of The Chautauquan.

Mrs. James McCann left last Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her parents near Mason. Jim joins his wife today for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Wyrill and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. Church parlors, Wednesday, Feb. 19, from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

In "The Greatest Man in the Country," which appears in the February Chautauquan, Herbert D. Ward reaches the high-water mark of the American short story.

F. M. Link, formerly of Britton, who has been in Tecumseh for some time past, was taken to the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids by Deputy Stevens, the first of the week.

Subject for next Sunday morning at the Universalist church; "From that time Jesus began to preach and to say, Repent ye for the kingdom of heaven is at hand," St. Matt. 4:17.

Phillip Kehoe attended the sessions of the annual meeting of the Michigan State Association of Farmers' Clubs, held at Lansing, Feb. 4th and 5th. Mr. Kehoe went as delegates from the Farmers' Social Club.

The ladies of the Relief Corps will serve a ten cent chicken pie supper on the evening of Feb. 22d, from five to seven p. m. Do not forget the date and place. In the W. R. C. rooms Feb. 22d. Chicken pie supper for only ten cents.

Married, at St. Peter's rectory on Wednesday evening, by the Rev. W. R. Ashford, Mr. Charles E. Judge and Miss Florence E. Gray, both of Clinton. The witnesses were Mr. Floyd Williams and Miss Minnie Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Judge take no wedding trip at present, intending to make a visit in Utica and Owosso, N. Y., sometime during the summer.

S. Starling, our popular young barber, has removed his family and tailoring business to Niles, Mich, where he has made arrangements to open a merchant tailoring shop. During Mr. Starling's stay here, both he and his family have made many friends. He believes in advertising, and his work done for the readers of our office force has been very satisfactory in every particular. Mr. and Mrs. Starling have the best wishes of many friends for success and happiness in their new home.

Miss Mabel Hayden returned to Austin, Texas, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall are visiting in Tecumseh at present.

Only ten cents for chicken pie supper at W. R. C. rooms, Feb. 22.

A number of our young people attend the return party at Clinton tonight.

Miss Mary Eichbaum, of Brooklyn, is a guest at the Episcopal rectory.

Remember a guaranteed attraction at the Opera House next week. Wall & Bigelow hold the board.

Don't forget the Wall & Bigelow show at the Opera House next Monday night. Prices are low, 15, 25, 35.

Invitations are out for the annual military ball to be given by Co. B, of Adrian, next Friday night.

Sergt. Mulderry, Corp. Burger and Andrew Kane, of Adrian, called on Tecumseh friends last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Orr are the proud parents of another boy. The event occurred last Sunday evening.

If you like to see a bicycle that is correct in every way call at C. A. Slayton's office and see the "Outing." Its a dandy.

Everyone celebrate Washington's birthday by attending the chicken pie supper at W. R. C. rooms, Feb. 22, from five to seven p. m.

Sydney A. Dunham, M. D., contributes to the February number of The Chautauquan the second of a most valuable series of scientific articles on "The Air We Breathe."

The boys of Co. C, last Tuesday night, presented Capt. W. H. Hayden with a Knight Templar charm as a token of the esteem with which they still hold him and the work which he did for the organization while at its head.

There are no anarchists in Tecumseh, and as a general thing they are a law-abiding people, but the rivalry in the grocery business has become so sharp, that Mobbs seems to be running the principal grocery of the place.—Adrian Press.

It is reported on good authority that a well known society man of Tecumseh ate four large dinners last Sabbath. He was forgiven, however, by his associates, as it was his last Sunday.—Tecumseh Herald.

Where did he die?—Adrian Press.

He was sacrificed on the hymenial altar.

Vincent Benaway and Miss Alice Sisson were married at Britton last Wednesday. The bride, who was living in Detroit, is a daughter of Geo. Sisson, who lives in Brownville, and met the groom half way. The ceremony was performed by Justice Oliver in the Exchange Hotel and was witnessed by a number of friends.

Wall & Bigelow's big Dramatic Co. will give four performances at Sutton's Opera House commencing Monday Feb. 17. Opening with the great New York success, "Streets of New York," changing the bill each night, Matinee Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. for the benefit of the ladies and children. Admission to matinee, children 10 cents, adults 20 cents, to any part of the house.

"American Interests in Germany" will be the subject of a paper by Poultney Bigelow in Harper's Weekly for February 15. The same number will contain reproductions of Elihu Vedder's decorative panels for the new Congressional Library at Washington. Another valuable article will be devoted to "The Genealogy of Abraham Lincoln," and Julian Ralph will describe "Club Life in the West."

A series of Lenten lectures will be delivered in the Universalist church, on Sunday evenings during the coming season, by Rev. E. C. Andrus, as follows: Feb. 16, The Lenten Season; Feb. 23, The Church and Home; Mar. 1, Healthy Popularity; Mar. 8, What has the Church for Young People? Mar. 15, What has the Liberal Church for Humanity? Mar. 22, To What do I Pledge Myself When I Join the Liberal Church? Mar. 29, The Rejoicings of Life.

Richard Harding Davis's papers on travel in Central and South America, published in Harper's Weekly and Harper's Magazine, will appear in book form February 14, under the general title "Three Gringos in Venezuela and Central America." Mr. Davis has the peculiar gift of telling just what we want to know, and it is pleasant as well as profitable to use his eyes. The brilliant description of Caracas, the "Paris of South America," the capital of Venezuela, will perhaps attract more attention than any other single feature of the book.

An article of rare interest is that on "The Bar as a Profession," which Lord Russell of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, contributes to the February 18th issue of The Youth's Companion. It is easy to see the personality of a distinguished jurist and great man in each statement. This paper is unusually readable and is evidently a retrospective view of his own experience. "The bar does not, indeed, hold out promise of great wealth," he says, "but has distinctions and adequate means in store for those who bring to its pursuit necessary qualities of mind and character." The grievious mistake is often made, he continues of thinking that a smart and facile speaker must make a success at the bar, whereas, "after all, the desirable thing is to have something to say; and as to the manner of saying it, Daniel Webster spoke truly in his celebrated oration in honor of John Adams when he said, 'Clearness, force and earnestness are the qualities which produce conviction.'"

E. F. Kirchgessner was in Detroit the first of the week.

Are you reading the Talmage sermons now running in the Herald?

Are you ready for the Lenten season which begins next Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Kalfin, of Britton, visited at H. L. Waring's this week.

Mrs. Fred Shepherd is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. S. Wilson, at Schoolcraft, this week.

The Christian Culture Class, of the Baptist Union will meet with Miss Wiley Saturday evening at 7:30.

Rev. J. Edgar Williams and wife returned to Tecumseh Wednesday, and will commence house keeping here.

The pupils of Miss Jennie Root will give a musicale at the home of Mrs. A. W. Slayton next Tuesday evening.

Henry Dwight, of Toledo, was in Tecumseh the first of the week, called here by the last illness of his uncle, Solomon Dwight.

The Young People's Union will observe Young People's Day at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. A special program has been prepared.

Mr. S. L. Plant, who is working for J. C. Hazlett, has rented the house of Bert Lawrence on Democratic street. Mrs. Plant arrived from Detroit this week.

D. P. Anthony has disposed of his farm in Raisin. He will sell the personal property at auction sale next Wednesday. The family will move into the Hyde place on Chicago street in the near future.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden and son, Will H., will leave the first of next week for Austin, Texas, to spend the winter with Miss Mabel there. They will go by way of Topeka, Kan., first visiting a sister and brother of Mrs. Hayden, who reside there.

Mrs. David Youngs, a sister of James Lowry, died at her home in York township last Sunday morning. Mrs. Youngs was a member of the Presbyterian church of this place and was well known as a most estimable christian lady. The funeral was held at her recent home, Tuesday, and the remains interred at Tecumseh.

"The Anglo-American Imbroglio" serves as a caption under which two most important articles open the February number of the North American Review. The first is entitled "The Venezuelan Difficulty," by Andrew Carnegie, and the second "The British Feeling," by the Right Hon. James Brice, the distinguished author of "The American Commonwealth."

The great drill by the 30 little Tecumseh girls at the Opera House, Monday night with the Wall & Bigelow show, will be worth the price of admission. The drill is taken from the Pirates of Penzance. The management guarantee their show and any one that is not satisfied with their performance can get their money back by going to box office.

Solomon H. Dwight died at his home on Union street last Sunday evening at the advanced age of 87 years. Mr. Dwight was born in Cortland county, N. Y. July 22, and had made his home with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Adelaide Dwight in Tecumseh for the past 30 years. The deceased had been an invalid more or less for the past sixteen years, part of which time he had been an intense sufferer, though always bearing his misfortunes with patience and fortitude. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. Rev. E. C. Andrus officiating.

We exceedingly regret to note the failure this week of the grocery firm of Kennedy & Mize. On taking their recent invoice, their business was found to be in rather a precarious position and, to satisfy the demands of home creditors, two chattel mortgages were made, one to The Tecumseh State Savings Bank and one to Deloss Whitenack; each one, however, protecting the interests of several other creditors. On Monday morning the stock was sold to J. H. Smith, as trustee. The stock will be sold by wholesale to dealers, if possible, at an early date.

Elijah King died at his home on north Maumee street at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mr. King had been in usual health up to Tuesday, when, experiencing an unusually severe cold, medical aid was summoned. The case developed into bronchial pneumonia and death resulted very suddenly. The deceased was 77 years of age, having come to Tecumseh, from Fairfield township, some years ago, where he still owned a farm and where he was known as a pioneer of that section. He leaves a widow here and three sons and one daughter, who reside in southern Lenawee. The funeral was held at the house at nine o'clock this morning. Rev. J. P. Varner officiating, and the remains were taken to Fairfield for interment.

Considerable excitement has occured in Adrian over the probability that the Lima Nothern railroad could be induced to come to that city in its route from Wauseon, Ohio, to Detroit. A large and enthusiastic meeting was held Wednesday night to meet the officials of the road who had promised to talk business. About all the talk they did was to say that, if Adrian wanted the road, they would have to put up a handsome bonus. A committee of 100 has been appointed to canvass for funds. It is the same old story; being worked for a bonus. If the road comes to Adrian, it will certainly have to go through Tecumseh to get to Detroit, and the old Saline grade has been considered.

High School Happenings.

Miss Grace Hillman has left school.

Miss Edith Ingersoll called on the A room Friday.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh visited the high school Monday.

Rev. E. C. Andrus was a visitor in the high school Tuesday.

Coughs and colds are thinning the ranks in the primary grades.

The philosophy class will soon have completed the work in electricity.

Miss Lena Arnold favored the B room with a unique recitation Wednesday.

German II have completed Wilhelm Tell and will now read Minna von Barhelm.

English IV took their final examination Tuesday, in Whitney's Essentials of English.

Will Hicks is not regarded as a champion of women's rights, by the girls in civil government class.

The English History class have been much interested in high life in Britian. They are now straightening out the Norman line of kings.

Latin IV are interestrd in Virgil's description of a pugilistic contest. Many and varied are the discussions of the regulations of the ring.

The advisability of having a valentine box in the A room was discussed by one of our enterprising young men, but for some unaccountable reason the girls refused to act.

Charles Hurry, in his usual pleasing manner entertained the A room last Thursday with an oration on John B. Gough. We hope that Mr. Hurry, mindful of his caprice for capacity will follow his footsteps.

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—Its a good time to buy your Grass Seed now and you can find the best assortment and bottom prices at
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—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—
Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

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—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work.
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If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

THE LABOR LAW.

Commissioner Morse Reports Upon Its Working.

Lansing, Feb. 10.—Factory inspection was inaugurated in Michigan three years ago. The wisdom of its establishment has been frequently justified, and the forthcoming report of Labor Commissioner Morse will treat the subject at considerable length. A synopsis of the report follows:

During the year 1895 the factory inspectors visited 3,137 factories on their tours of inspection and obtained reliable and valuable information regarding the manner in which they are conducted. Of the number of factories visited 2,561 were running full time, leaving 576 idle or running short time. The number of employes at work when the factories were running to their full capacity was 157,995, but at the time of inspection the number of employes was 112,048. The daily loss by reason of the factories being closed or running short hours, computed upon the basis of $1.37 a day, the average daily wage, is $54,758; $127,230 weekly, and in the course of a year $17,015,993.

The number of male employes in the factories inspected is 95,881 and the number of females 15,164, the number of males constituting 86 per cent. of the whole number. Only 30 per cent. of the factories employ female labor.

There were found by the inspectors 146 children under the age of 14 years at work. They were employed in 64 different factories and were all discharged, the law expressly prohibiting their employment. In 481 factories were found 1,989 children over 14 and under 16 years of age.

The aggregate of the monthly pay rolls of the factories running and inspected was $4,822,815, an average to each factory of $1,379.34 per month, and an average daily wage of $1.32. The reports show that there has been on the whole no perceptible change in the average daily wages from those paid in 1894.

The inspectors failed to find a single instance where the law prohibiting females under 21 years of age working more than 60 hours a week was being violated. Only two factories were found where employes were permitted to clean machinery while in motion, contrary to the law. Forty-five places were visited where orders had to be made requiring all doors to be swung outward or mounted on rollers or slides, and 15 places were inspected where the practice of locking doors during working hours was ordered discontinued. Fire escapes were ordered constructed on 84 different buildings during the year, but as a rule the former orders of the inspectors had been complied with, and over 90 per cent. of the factories where fire escapes were necessary were fully equipped.

The inspection laws in Michigan are considered very strict, it being provided that all machinery, belting, gears, pans, saws, logs, set screws and gearing of every description shall be properly guarded. In the factories inspected 380 orders were made regarding these requirements, but as manufacturers realize that the protection of their employes is the protection of themselves, in nearly all cases a cheerful compliance with the statute was promised.

A recapitulation shows that changes of some kind were ordered in about 30 per cent. of the factories inspected, the number of factories being 827 and the number of changes 1,614. A large per cent. of the changes were immediately made in the presence of the inspectors.

An interesting chapter in the factory inspection report will relate to the subject of accidents. Nearly 40 per cent. of the accidents were due to causes beyond the reach of any factory inspection, such as boiler explosions, bursting of emery wheels, etc., there being no provision in the present law for boiler inspection. The whole number of accidents reported was 253, of which 43 resulted fatally, 106 are classified as serious, 70 as severe and 34 as slight. The number of fatal accidents was greatly augmented by the boiler explosion in the Detroit Journal office, in which 20 persons lost their lives. The number of accidents caused by improperly guarded machinery has gradually diminished since the inspection laws went into effect.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Houghton Restaurant Keeper Suspected of Causing His Child's Death.

Houghton, Feb. 12.—At ten o'clock Tuesday morning Dr. A. L. Wheeler was summoned to attend the eight-year-old daughter of J. N. Clayton, proprietor of a restaurant of Franklin. The child died an hour later and on Dr. Wheeler's representations to the authorities Clayton was arrested and placed in the county jail. A coroner's jury was impanelled and adjourned till Wednesday afternoon. The child's body was covered with terrible bruises indicating horrible beatings from her unnatural father. Clayton came here with his wife and child from Milwaukee last summer.

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MICHIGAN FARMERS.

Resolutions Adopted at the Club Convention.

Lansing, Feb. 6.—General resolutions adopted at the concluding session of the State Association of Farmers Clubs favor equal suffrage; decreasing the appropriation for the fish commission, and increasing that for the traveling library system; the abolition of legislative junketing trips; a general reduction in official fees and salaries; the printing of school text-books by the state and furnishing them to school districts at cost; and a law preventing appeals from justice courts in cases involving less than $50.

Special resolutions were adopted commending the last legislature for ordering a recompilation of the general laws and the publication of such compilation by the state instead of by private parties, and asking the next legislature to add its enactments thereto; calling for a reduction in the number of employes of state departments and in the salaries paid these clerks; and asking all clubs to exact from all candidates, especially those for legislative offices, a pledge to carry out this reform and give state institutions only such appropriations as are needed for practical and absolute necessities; as well as bring about a more economical administration of public affairs.

Officers were chosen as follows: President, A. M. Kimmis, Jr., Wixom; vice president, J. T. Daniells, Union Home; secretary, B. F. Peckham, Parma.

MR. UHL BECOMES AMBASSADOR

Appointment Sent to the Senate and Promptly Confirmed.

Washington, D. C. Feb. 11. — The president sent to the senate Tuesday the nomination of Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, now assistant secretary of state, to be ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Germany. The senate in executive session confirmed the nomination. Mr. Uhl was appointed assistant secretary of state November 1, 1893. He is best known as the author of the dispatch to Spain calling upon that country in a peremptory manner to account for the firing on the Alliance by the gunboat Conde de Venadito off Cape Mayst, on the coast of Cuba.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 11.—The common council Monday night adopted a resolution congratulating Edwin F. Uhl upon his appointment and prompt confirmation as ambassador to Germany. Mr. Uhl will return home before going abroad, and numerous banquets and receptions are already being planned for him.

ACETYLENE GAS.

Chicago Capitalists Will Manufacture It at Sault Ste. Marie.

Lansing Feb. 11.—Chicago capitalists have organized the Michigan Liquefying company and the Michigan Carbine company, each capitalized at $1,000,000, for the purpose of manufacturing acetylene gas in this state. A plant will be established at Sault Ste. Marie, so as to take advantage of the magnificent water power at that place. The parent company will also establish a plant at Niagara. Lime, coke and electricity are used to produce a portable substance which gives off the gas under certain conditions, readily produced, and which can be shipped directly to the consumer.

Want Lower Rates.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 11.—At a recent convention of fruit-growers associations in this city a committee was appointed to compile statistics of the fruit shipments last season. The committee will report that the shipments aggregated 4,575 cars of 400 bushels each, and will recommend that a committee be sent to New York personally to present arguments for more favorable freight rates to points beyond Buffalo and Pittsburgh. Letters to the traffic managers setting forth the facts and claims seem to receive little or no attention.

Money for the Pottawatomies.

Decatur, Mich., Feb. 10.—Chief Pokagon, of the Pottawatomie Indians, who are domiciled in southwestern Michigan, has received notice from Washington that the claim of the Port Huron Indians to a share in the $104,000 recently awarded the tribe has been disallowed and that the sum will soon be ready for distribution among the 240 survivors. This band refused to remove beyond the Mississippi in 1833, and the present claim has been pending in Washington since 1866.

To Bore for Oil.

Niles, Feb. 8.—A stock company has been formed in Van Buren county which will lease tracts of land in that region and sink a number of wells, with the hope of finding either oil, coal or natural gas. Since the earthquake of last October the presence of petroleum has been noticed in a number of streams and springs, and the amount of oil seems to be increasing. Some large oil wells are expected to be discovered.

Found Hanging to a Tree.

Battle Creek, Feb. 12.—Benjamin Kilgore, who mysteriously disappeared from his home in this city January 31, was found hanging to a tree in a swamp two miles north of this city by a hunter Tuesday. He had apparently climbed the tree, tied a rope around a branch, then fastened it to his neck, and jumped a distance of 20 feet. He was 59 years old, and leaves a wife and one son.

Farmer Hires the New Woman.

Decatur, Feb. 10.—A new woman's society in Colona was so successful in devising means to raise money for charitable purposes that the 20 members offered to work an entire afternoon for 50 cents. A thrifty farmer saw profit in the scheme, and when night came his last year's bean crop had been nicely hand-picked.

His Third Trial.

Detroit, Feb. 8.—The third trial of Dr. D. J. Seaman, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Emily J. Hall, the English girl, through an abortion operation, was begun Friday.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Clinton county has defeated local option.

Gov. Rich will attend the Michigan editorial excursion to Mexico.

The farmers in the vicinity of Wayland will set out over 40,000 fruit trees in the spring.

Willie Van Sickle, of Owosso, wandered onto thin ice near the river dam and was drowned.

Mrs. Eliza F. Soper, aged 94, widow of a veteran of the war of 1812 and a pensioner, is dead at Galesburg.

Escanaba has decided to issue bonds to the amount of $50,000 for the construction of city waterworks.

The name of the post office at Simmons' Landing, Oceana county, has been changed to Peach Ridge.

The condensed milk factory at Howell spent nearly $20,000 to farmers during the month of December for milk.

The Michigan Veterinary Surgeons' association elected W. W. Thorburn, of Lansing, president, and William Jopling, of Owosso, secretary and treasurer.

One of the heaviest hogs ever marketed in Michigan was raised near Ironton by T. C. Bird. It was of the Chester white breed and weighed 900 pounds live-weight.

Philip T. Colgrove, of Hastings, has announced his candidacy for the republican congressional nomination in the Fourth district, so long represented by Senator Burrows.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Every Lodge in the State Represented at the Biennial Convention.

Lansing, Feb. 12.—Every subordinate lodge in the state is represented at the sixth biennial session of the Michigan grand lodge of Knights of Honor in session here. The reports submitted show that the order has scarcely held its own in the state during the last two years, the losses being trifling, however. Sixty-four death benefits, aggregating $100,000, have been paid in Michigan during the last two years.

In his annual address the grand dictator, E. A. Fletcher, of Grand Rapids, recommended that the supreme lodge be asked to make important changes in the constitution. One of these was the admission of women to membership, another dividing the country into districts of three or four states each, each district to take care of its own death losses, thus equalizing the expense. The holding of biennial instead of annual sessions by the supreme lodge was also advocated, both as a measure of economy and as a means of lessening the amount of legislation enacted. The recommendation relative to the admission of women was indorsed unanimously, the balance being in the hands of a committee.

PROF. SNYDER IS CHOSEN.

Elected President of the Michigan Agricultural College.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 12.—The agricultural college board Tuesday afternoon elected Prof. J. L. Snyder, of Allegheny, Pa., to be president of the college, to succeed President Gorton. The election was made on the first formal ballot by a vote of six to one, after two or three informal ballots had been taken. The board decided to place on the market, beginning February 28, the Agricultural college lands in Cheboygan, Antrim, Missaukee, Otsego, Charlevoix and Kalkaska counties. A larger cash payment will be required, to stop the practice of stripping the land after a small payment down and then abandoning it.

[Prof. Snyder was born 35 years ago in Butler county, Pa., and has always lived there. He worked his way through Westminster college. He has been eight years principal of the Allegheny schools. He organized a manual training school, founded the state normal school, and has the highest recommendations. He will enter upon his duties at the beginning of the new school year.]

THE NEW BONDS.

List of Successful Bidders In This State.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Among the successful bidders for the new bond issue were the following from Michigan:

	Award.	Price.
First national bank, Battle Creek	$10,000	111
First Exchange bank, Port Huron	100,000	111.625
Lizzie Englehart, Lansing	10	111.521
L. F. Welty, Alma	100	119.32
Otto A. Stoll	50	120
Kalamazoo County bank, Schoolcraft	1,500	112
Ralph Wise, Otsego	75	115 67

Restored to Sight.

Niles, Feb. 12.—At a revival meeting recently held at Watervliet, L. Vernand, a blind man, who has been converted, arose and made the announcement that sight had been restored to him by the Lord. He had been blind for years. He rejoiced over his sudden recovery of eyesight and declared that his conversion to religion was the cause of it. The miracle has amazed Vernand's neighbors, but they are all certain that it was the work of Providence.

The Dairymen.

Lansing, Feb. 7.—At the concluding session of the Michigan Dairymen's association here it was decided to concentrate all efforts of the association before the legislature next winter for the passage of a law prohibiting the coloring of oleomargarine in imitation of butter. A similar bill was defeated by the legislature last winter. The next meeting will be held at Charlotte. J. N. McBride, of Owosso, was chosen president.

Ten-Cent Fine for a Bad Boy.

Evart, Feb. 10.—John King, an 18-year-old lad, has been convicted of disturbing a religious meeting by throwing cayanne pepper on a stove in the hall. He was fined ten cents and costs. The costs amounted to $13.40.

Death of Capt. Chynoweth.

Houghton, Feb. 10.—Capt. John Chynoweth died suddenly of heart failure at his residence in West Houghton on Friday afternoon.

Wheat in Good Shape.

Lansing, Feb. 10.—The Michigan crop report for February, issued from the secretary of state's office, says [illegible] favorable to wheat. Over four-fifths of the crop correspondents report that the crop has not suffered injury from any cause. While the ground was not covered with snow all the time, the temperature ranged high when it was bare and no material damage was done. The condition of live stock ranged from 92 to 97 per cent., comparison being with stock in good, healthy and thrifty condition.

Charged with Murder.

Niles, Feb. 11.—The trial of Allan Thompson, who, it is alleged, tried to murder Dr. John Sweetland at Mottville, last October by throwing a dynamite bomb into his office, commenced at Centerville Monday. The case has attracted wide attention and the trial will probably be the most sensational in criminal annals that has yet been held in the state.

Republicans to Meet.

Detroit, Feb. 10.—Senator McMillan, chairman of the republican state central committee, has issued a call for a meeting of the committee to be held at his office at one p. m. on Friday, February 21. The dates of the various state conventions and considerable other business pertaining to the conventions, will be disposed of at that time.

Pleads Guilty.

Jackson, Feb. 11.—Jerry Scott (colored) who killed his seven-year-old daughter by fiendish whipping last Wednesday, escaped a probable lynching by pleading guilty to murder in the second degree, and was immediately hustled to prison in this city.

Will Race at Niles.

Niles, Feb. 8.—A running meeting, to last six days, will be given at Gephart's Driving park next June under the auspices of the Indiana, Ohio and Michigan running circuit recently organized.

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(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

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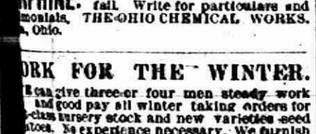

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 9.

Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.

Topic, Works of Mercy and Help.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Mark iii, 1-5; Luke xvii, 1-19; John v, 1-8; xiii, 2-9.

"My Father worketh hitherto, and I work," said Jesus. God is the great worker, ceaselessly active and sustaining that which He has made. Christ as the revealer of the Father God is the ever active One in mercy and helpfulness of men. "He went about doing good." If we would be His followers, we need to study His ways of winning souls. His work was personal and not delegated to others. He came himself to seek and to save that which was lost. He does with His own hands the acts of kindness. His own fingers touch blind eyes, deaf ears and leprous bodies. His own hand clasps the hand of the dead and raises Jairus' daughter to life or stops the bier at the gate of Nain and restores the widow's son. His voice and presence at Lazarus' tomb recall the soul into the lifeless clay. He teaches less by word than by example. Withered hands are healed and impotent ones at Bethesda pool are cured. He does the work and then teaches the principles on which all human helpfulness rests. If one sins against you and returns in sorrow for the wrong done, forgive him. Love is at the bottom of all. So love your brother that you can do the simplest and most menial service for him. "Do ye know what I have done?" He asks when, after His last suppper with His apostles, He has washed their feet. How little they comprehended the full significance of that act. The church up to the present time has not fully learned the lesson. She can bow at the feet of the wealthy, the eloquent, the learned, the talented; she can kiss the feet of benefactors and even worship relics of her saints, but too often she has oppressed her needy ones and scourged her halt and maimed and blind instead of ministering to their needs and healing their infirmities. It is a long lesson to learn, yet on every hand are cases ever ready at hand to remind us of the Master's healing touch, to quicken into life our faith and spur to activity our zeal and appeal to our love. Study the methods of Christ, the great Physician. Open your eyes to the sin sick and suffering on every side. "Study to show thyself approved unto God."

Irresistible Logic.

Men can turn a deaf ear to our entreaties for them to seek Christ. They can refuse to yield conviction to our arguments. They can harden themselves against all denunciations of judgment. The one thing they cannot resist is the influence of a true and consistent Christian life. This is the most invincible logic, this the most persuasive eloquence, this the severest denunciation of sin. Live like God, and the world will come to know Him and love Him, and you shall know the fellowship of the sufferings of Christ, as through the crucifixion of the earthly God raises you into the Divine communion and glorifies you with His own glory of transcendent love.

Religious Fervor.

Living valiantly and obediently on earth is more important than getting comfortably to heaven. The love of God in the heart sets a man on fire. We believe glorious and awe inspiring things, truths so high and holy and glorious that the life which faithfully reproduces them is irresistible in this world. It glows and flashes and melts opposition. It is unquenchable. Let us hide God's word in our hearts till it fuses into our inner experience, reappears in our prayers and actions; till it transfigures our lives and transforms us into the image of Christ, changing us from one glory into another, till we are like Him in all His heavenly beauty.

What Shall We Read?

Some people who are extremely particular what they wear and eat are very careless of what they read. Yet the soul life affected by the latter is much more important than the body affected by the former. An infidel poem committed to memory when a boy polluted the fountains of life, degraded the mental powers and made Voltaire an inveterate enemy of Christianity. A debate in favor of infidelity entered upon in boyhood by David Hume gave a turn to his mind from whose illogical principles he never afterward escaped. Take heed what you read!

Jesus All.

Jesus, sun and shield art Thou,
Sun and shield forever!
Never canst Thou cease to shine,
Cease to guard us never.
Cheer our steps as on we go,
Come between us and the foe,
Jesus, love and life art Thou,
Life and love forever!
Ne'er to quicken shalt Thou cease
Or to love us never.
All of life and love we need
Is in Thee, in Thee indeed.

Jesus, song and strength art Thou,
Strength and song forever:
Strength that never can decay,
Song that ceaseth never!
Still to us this strength and song
Through eternal days prolong. —Bonar.

Sweetness of Sacrifice.

The more we suffer for a person, the more we give for a cause, the deeper interest and stronger love we acquire. So with our love to God. It is not the number of benefits we have received which gauges our gratitude. It is not the depth of His affection which can measure our love or insure even our interest. When we begin to suffer and sacrifice for God, then we truly begin to love Him. Never till we completely abandon self and entirely surrender ourselves to His will do we learn the blessedness of the Divine filling. He that gives all receives all.

The education which teaches self control is the best, wherever acquired. That which neglects to teach this is a failure, wherever it may have been obtained or however much it may have cost. Whatever else one may possess, failure to get this is fatal to human character. Without it one becomes a slave to passion or prejudice and a prey of every evil which assails.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

The Glories of the Kings Highway to Heaven.

Humanity Should Make Sure that It is on the Right Road—The Highway Can Not Well be Mistaken.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage delivered the following sermon on "The King's Highway" before his Washington congregation, taking for his text:

And an highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called the way of holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it; but it shall be for those: the wayfaring man, though fools, shall not err therein. No lion shall be there, nor any ravenous beast shall go up thereon, it shall not be found there; but the redeemed shall walk there; and the ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads; they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—Isaiah xxxv., 8, 9, 10.

There are hundreds of people in this house who want to find the right road. You sometimes see a person halting at cross roads, and you can tell by his looks that he wishes to ask a question as to what direction he had better take. And I stand in your presence conscious of the fact that there are many of you here who realize that there are a thousand wrong roads, but only one right one; and I take it for granted that you have come in to ask which one it is. Here is one road that opens widely, but I have not much faith in it. There are a great many expensive toll-gates scattered all along the way. Indeed, at every rod you must pay in tears, or pay in genuflections, or pay in flagellations. On that road, if you get through it at all, you have to pay your own way; and since this differs so much from what I have heard in regard to the right way, I believe it is the wrong way. Here is another road. On either side of it are houses of sinful entertainment, and invitations to come in and dine and rest; but from the looks of the people who stand on the piazza, I am certain it is the wrong house and the wrong way.

Here is another road. It is very beautiful and macadamized. The horses' hoofs clatter and ring, and they who ride over it spin along the highway, until suddenly they find that the road breaks over an embankment, and they try to halt, and they saw the bit in the mouth of the fiery steed, and cry: "Ho! ho!" But it is too late, and—crash!—they go over the embankment. We shall turn and see if we can not find a different kind of road. You have heard of the Appian Way. It was 350 miles long. It was 24 feet wide, and on either side of the road was a path for four passengers. It was made out of rocks cut in hexagonal shape and fitted together. What a road it must have been! Made of smooth, hard rock, 350 miles long. No wonder that in the construction of it the treasures of a whole empire were exhausted. Because of invadera, and the elements, and Time—the old conqueror who tears up a road as he goes over it—there is nothing left of that structure but a ruin. But I have to tell you of a road built before the Appian Way, and yet it is as good as when first constructed. Millions of souls have gone over it. Millions more will come.

The prophets and apostles, too,
Pursued this road while here below
We therefore will, without dismay,
Still walk in Christ, the good old way.

First, this road of the text is the King's highway. In the diligence you dash on over the Bernard pass of the Alps, mile after mile, and there is not so much as a pebble to jar the wheels. You go over bridges which cross chasms that make you hold your breath; under projecting rock; along by dangerous precipice; through tunnels adrip with the meltings of the glaciers, and, perhaps, for the first time learn the majesty of a road built and supported by governmental authority. Well, my Lord the King decided to build a highway from earth to Heaven. It should span all the chasms of human wretchedness; it should tunnel all the mountains of earthly difficulty; it should be wide enough and strong enough to hold 50,000,000,000 of the human race, if so many of them should ever be born. It should be blasted out of the "Rock of Ages," and cemented with the blood of the cross, and be lifted amid the shouting of angels and the execration of devils. The King sent his son to build that road. He put head, and hand, and heart to it, and after the road was completed waved his blistered hand over the way, crying: "It is finished!" Napoleon paid 15,000,000 francs for the building of the Simplon road, that his cannon might go over for the devastation of Italy; but our King, at a greater expense, has built a road for a different purpose, that the banners of heavenly dominion might come down over it. Being a king's highway, of course it is well built. Bridges splendidly arched and buttressed have given way and crushed the passengers who attempted to cross them. But Christ, the King, would build no such thing as that. The work done, He mounts the chariot of his love, and multitudes mount with Him, and he drives on and up the steep of Heaven amid the plaudits of gazing worlds! The work is done—well done—gloriously done—magnificently done.

Still further, this road spoken of is a clean road. Many a fine road has become miry and foul because it has not been properly cared for; but my text says the unclean shall not walk on this one. Room on either side to throw away your sins. Indeed, if you want to carry them along you are not on the right road. That bridge will break, those overhanging rocks will fall, the night will come down, leaving you at the mercy of the mountain bandits, and at the very next turn of the road you will perish. But if you are really on this clean road of which I have been speaking, then you will stop ever and anon to wash in the water that stands in the basin of the eternal rock.

Aye, at almost every step of the journey you will be crying out: "Create within me a clean heart." If you have no such aspirations as that, it proves that you have mistaken your way; and if you only look up and see the finger board above your head, you may read upon it the words: "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof is death." Without holiness no man shall see the Lord; and if you have any idea that you can carry along your sins, your worldliness, and yet at the end of the Christian race, you are so awfully mistaken, that, in the name of God, I shatter the delusion.

Still further, the road spoken of is a plain road. "The wayfaring men, though fools, shall not err therein." That is, if a man is three-fourths an idiot, he can find this road just as well as if he were a philosopher. The imbecile boy, the laughing stock of the street, and followed by a mob hooting at him, has only just to knock once at the gate of Heaven, and it swings open; while there has been many a man who can lecture about pneumatics, and chemistry, and tell the story of Faraday's theory of electrical polarization, and yet has been shut out of Heaven. There has been many a man who stood in an observatory and swept the heavens with his telescope, and yet has not been able to see the morning star. Many a man has been familiar with all the higher branches of mathematics, and yet could not do the simple sum, "What shall it profit a man, if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" Many a man has been a fine reader of tragedies and poems, and yet could not "read his title clear to mansions in the skies." Many a man has botanized across the continent, and yet not known the "Rose of Sharon and the lily of the valley." But if one shall come in the right spirit, asking the way to Heaven, he will find it a plain way. The pardon is plain. The peace is plain. Everything is plain. He who tries to get on the road to Heaven through the New Testament teaching will get on beautifully. He who goes through philosophical discussion will not get on at all. Christ says: "Come to Me, and I will take your sins away, and I will take all your troubles away." Now what is the use of my discussing it any more? Is not that plain? If you wanted to go to some city, and I pointed you out a highway thoroughly laid out, would I be wise in detaining you by a geological discussion about the gravel you will pass over, or a physiological discussion about the muscles you will have to bring into play? No. After this Bible has pointed you the way to Heaven, is it wise for me to detain you with any discussion about the nature of the human will, or whether the atonement is limited or unlimited? There is the road—go on it. It is a plain way. "This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. And that is you and that is me. Any little child here can understand this as well as I can. "Unless you become as a little child you can not see the kingdom of God." If you are saved, it will not be as philosopher; it will be as a little child. "Of such is the kingdom of Heaven." Unless you get the spirit of little children, you will never come out at their glorious destiny.

Still further: This road to Heaven is a safe road. Sometimes the traveler in those ancient highways would think himself perfectly secure, not knowing there was a lion by the way, burying his head deep between his paws, and then, when the right moment came, under the fearful spring the man's life was gone, and there was a mauled carcass by the roadside. But, says my text: "No lion shall be there." I wish I could make you feel your entire security. I tell you plainly that one minute after a man has become a child of God, he is as safe as though he had been 10,000 years in Heaven. He may slip, he may slide, he may tumble; but he can not be destroyed. Kept by the power of God, through faith, unto complete salvation. Everlastingly safe. The severest trial to which you can subject a Christian man is to kill him, and that is glory. In other words, the worst thing that can happen a child of God is Heaven. The body is only the old slippers that he throws aside just after putting on the sandals of light. His soul you can not hurt it. No fires can consume it. No floods can drown it. No devils can capture it.

Firm and unmoved are they
Who rest their souls on God;
Fixed as the ground where David stood,
Or where the ark abode.

His soul is safe. His reputation is safe. Everything is safe. "But," you say, "suppose his store burns up?" Why, then it will be only a change of investments from earthly to heavenly securities. "But," you say, "suppose his name goes down under the hoof of scorn and contempt?" The name will be so much brighter in glory. "Suppose his physical health fails?" God will pour into him the elixir of everlasting health, and it will not make any difference. Earthly subtraction is heavenly addition. The tears of earth are the crystals of Heaven. As they take rags and tatters and put them through the paper mill, and they come out beautiful white sheets of paper, so often through cylinders of death come out a white scroll upon which shall be written eternal emancipation. There was one passage of Scripture, the force of which I never understood until one day at Chamounix, with Mount Blanc on one side, and Montanvert on the other, I opened my Bible and read: "As the mountains are around about Jerusalem, so the Lord is around about them that fear Him." The surroundings were an omnipotent commentary.

Though troubles assail, and dangers affright;
Though friends should all fail, and foes all unite
Yet one thing secures us, whatever betide,
The Scripture assures us the Lord will provide.

Still further: The road spoken of is a pleasant road. God gives a bond of indemnity against all evil to every man that treads it. "All things work together for good to those who love God." No weapon formed against them can prosper. That is the bond, signed, sealed and delivered by the president of the whole universe. What is the use of your fretting, oh, child of God, about food? "Behold the fowls of the air; for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet our Heavenly Father feedeth them." And will He take care of the sparrow, will He take care of the raven, will He take care of the hawk, and let you die? What is the use of your fretting about clothes? "Consider the lilies of the field. Shall He not much more clothe you, oh, ye of little faith?" What is the use of worrying for fear something will happen to your home? "He blesseth the habitation of the just." What is the use of your fretting lest you will be overcome by temptations? "God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it." Oh, this King's highway! Trees of life on either side, bending over until their branches interlock and drop midway their fruit and shade. Houses of entertainment on either side the road for poor pilgrims. Tables spread with a feast of good things, and walls adorned with apples of gold in pictures of silver. I start out on this King's highway, and I find a harper, and I say: "What is your name?" The harper makes no response, but leaves me to guess, as, with his eyes toward Heaven and his hand upon the trembling strings, this tune comes rippling on the air: "The Lord is my light and my salvation. Who shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life. Of whom shall I be afraid?" I go a little farther on the same road and meet a trumpeter of Heaven, and I say: "Haven't you got some music for a tired pilgrim?" And, wiping his lip and taking a long breath, he puts his mouth to the trumpet and pours forth this strain: "They shall hunger no more; neither shall they thirst any more, neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes." I go a little distance farther on the same road, and I meet a maiden of Israel. She has no harp, but she has cymbals. They look as if they had rusted from sea spray; and I say to the maiden of Israel. "Have you no song for a tired pilgrim?" And like the clang of victors' shields the cymbals clap as Miriam begins to discourse. "Sing ye to the Lord, for He hath triumphed gloriously; the horse and the rider hath He thrown into the sea." And then I see a white-robed group. They came bounding toward me, and I say: "Who are they? The happiest, and the brightest, and the fairest in all Heaven—who are they?" And the answer comes: "These are they who came out of great tribulations, and had their robes washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb."

I pursue this subject only one step further. What is the terminus? I do not care how fine a road you put me on, I want to know where it comes out. My text declares it: "The redeemed of the Lord come to Zion." You know what Zion was. That was the king's palace. It was a mountain fastness. It was impregnable. And so Heaven is the fastness of the universe. No howitzer has long enough range to shell these towers. Let all the batteries of earth and hell blaze away, they can not break in those gates. Gibraltar was taken, Sebastopol was taken, Babylon fell; but these walls of Heaven shall never surrender either to human or Satanic besiegement. The Lord God Almighty is the defense of it. Great capital of the universe! Terminus of all the King's highway!

Dr. Dick said that, among other things, he thought in Heaven he would study chemistry, and geometry, and conic sections. Southey thought that in Heaven he would have the pleasure of seeing Chaucer and Shakespeare. Now, Dr. Dick, have his mathematics for all eternity, and Southey his Shakespeare. Give me Christ and my old friends—that is all the Heaven I want. Christ and His people that I knew on earth—that is Heaven enough for me. O, garden of light, whose leaves never wither, and whose fruits never fail! O, banquet of God, whose sweetness never palls the taste and whose guests are kings forever! O, city of light, whose walls are salvation, and whose gates are praise! O, palace of rest, where God is the Monarch and everlasting ages the length of His reign! O, song louder than the surf-beat of many waters, yet soft as the whisper of cherubim!

O, glorious Heaven! When the last wound is healed, when the last heart-break is ended, when the last tear of earthly sorrow is wiped away, and when the redeemed of the Lord shall come to Zion, then let all the harpers take down their harps, and all the trumpeters take down their trumpets, and all across Heaven let there be chorus of morning stars, chorus of white-robed victors, chorus of martyrs from under the throne, chorus of ages, chorus of worlds, and there is but one song sung, and but one name spoken, and but one throne honored, that of Jesus only.

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A Logical Indian.

Bishop Whipple of Minnesota says that the Dakota Indians once held a war dance near a mission house. He went to Wabasha, the chief, and said: "Wabasha, you asked me for a missionary and a teacher. I gave them to you. I visit you, and the first sight is this brutal scalp dance. I knew the Chippewa whom your young men have murdered. His wife is crying for her husband; his children are asking for their father. Wabasha, the Great Spirit hears his children cry. He is angry. Some day he will ask Wabasha, 'Where is your red brother?' "

The old chief smiled, drew his pipe from his mouth and said: "White man go to war with his own brother in the same country; kill more men than Wabasha can count in all his life. Great Spirit smiles; says 'Good white man! He has my book. I love him very much. I have a good place for him by and by.' The Indian is a wild man. He has no Great Spirit book. He kills one man, has a scalp dance. Great Spirit is mad and says: 'Bad Indian! I put him in a bad place by and by.' Wabasha don't believe it."

A Smoker's Stratagem.

The editor of the Melbourne Spectator, the Rev. Lorimer Fison, is a Wesleyan with a backbone and a considerable amount of humor. He edits the paper with his coat and boots off and a great pipe in his mouth. He relates that just before his ordination he was sent for by the board of examiners.

"Mr. Fison," said one of the board, "your papers are excellent, but there is one thing we object to."

Fison asked what it was.

"You are addicted to the evil habit of smoking."

Fison explained that he saw no evil in it; but, taking a large plug from his pocket, said, "In deference to your opinion, gentlemen, I promise you this—as soon as I have smoked the plug I hold in my hand I will cease smoking forever."

They were satisfied, and he was ordained the next day.

But as he refills the big pipe he chuckles and tells you: "I've kept my word. I've got that very plug yet."

Congress and Parliament.

The working out of the contrast afforded by congress and parliament is [illegible]. While congress cannot touch an outwork of the constitution on which the national government is founded, in Westminster three unanimous members of parliament might, in the space of five or ten minutes, pass a bill for the abolition of the monarchy through all its stages, the speaker sitting powerless in his chair. On the other hand, congress can scatter the dollars of the nation broadcast over land and sea, though all the whole 670 of the house of commons in parliament assembled could not vote away a single shilling of the public money unless they were assured that the queen sanctioned the outlay, and if, that assurance having been vouchsafed to them, they sought to pass the 1 shilling appropriation bill through more than a single stage per sitting, the speaker would promptly interpose his veto.—North American Review.

Palsy.

People afflicted with shaking palsy are greatly relieved by traveling long journeys in fast trains. The greater the oscillation the better they are. Dr. Charcot, noticing this, has had a chair made to which a rapid side to side movement is given by electricity. The effect is to give a healthy man nausea, but a palsied patient enjoys it, and after a quarter of an hour in it is a different man. He stretches his limbs, loses fatigue and enjoys a good night's rest afterward.

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A SATISFACTORY FOG.

BY W. L. ALDEN.

"I have always wanted to see a London fog," remarked the colonel, "and at last I've seen one. I saw all the fog I ever want to see last night."

"It was thick," I observed, "and it seems to have left you feeling rather tired."

"I am tired," said the colonel. "It wasn't the fog that tired me so much as the after effects. Do you know that I spent this morning at the police station. And paid a fine, all on account of that beastly fog? I'll tell you about it if you've nothing better to do than to listen.

"Last night I went to the Lyceum theater, and when I came out I found that the fog was so thick that I couldn't even see a lamp post until I had walked into it. I enjoyed it at first, for it was a new experience, and I started to walk home, thinking that I could find my way without difficulty. A man who has found his way down from the tenth story of a Chicago hotel, when the building was burning, and the corridors were black with smoke, ought, I thought, to be able to get the better of any British monarchical fog that was ever yet made. But I found before long that I had made a mistake. I lost my way, and, after wandering for an hour or so, I was mighty glad to walk into a cabman, who was leading his horse, and, as I supposed, knew the London streets as well in a fog as in clear weather. So I just climbed into the cab and told the man where to take me; and then I pulled up the windows to keep the choke-damp out, and started a cigar, and felt pretty comfortable. The cabman didn't dare to get on the box and drive, though there didn't seem to be any traffic in the street. However, I didn't concern myself with the cabman, for there is no use of hiring a cab and then doing your own driving.

"We had been slowly cruising around London—occasionally running into an ash box or wandering on to the sidewalk—for about an hour (as I should judge) when the cab stopped and the cabman opened the door. I was going to get out, thinking that we had reached my hotel, but the man stopped me and said: 'Better stop where you are, sir!'

"'And where's that?' said I.

"'Blest if I know,' said the cabman. 'To tell the bloomin' truth, sir, I don't know where we are any more than the dead. It may be Whitechapel (though it don't smell like it) and it may be Camden Town (though the road is a little too rough for that). Anyway we're nowhere's near Piccadilly way, which is where you want to go, and that's the only thing I'm sure about.'

"'I don't see,' said I, 'that this concerns me. I hired you to take me to my hotel. I'm in no sort of a hurry; but all the same if I were you I'd earn that fare instead of remarking on the geography of London.'

"'There ain't no sort of use in wandering round in this way,' said the man. 'You must see that yourself, sir! We'll never get nowhere — unless perhaps we walks into the river or some bloomin' canal. I put it to you, sir! if that's the sort of thing you'd like.'

"I began to see that there was more or less force in what the cabman said, so I asked him what he proposed to do about it.

"'I think, sir,' he said, 'that I'd better leave you and the cab here for a bit and try and find a public house—if there is one open—or a police station, so as we can know in a general way where we are. You can sit quite comfortable in the cab till I come back.'

"'All right,' says I. 'Only you'd better find a lamp post and make the horse fast to it, or else anchor him with a weight or something of that sort. I don't want him to start for Piccadilly on his own responsibility.'

"Well, the cabman led the horse along a little further till he came to a lamp post, which he hit middling fair with his nose or his forehead (judging from the remarks he made), and then he tied the horse and went off, saying that he wouldn't be gone very long.

"I don't know whether he found a public house open and got drunk, or whether he found a police station and got locked up, or whether he was run over and killed, or just suffocated by the air. All I do know is that I have never laid eyes on that cabman since he left me.

"Well, I sat in that cab until morning. There was no kind of use in deserting it and trying to find my way on foot—I had had quite enough of that.

"It was just beginning to get a little light, when a man lurched up against the door, and after a little general swearing got it open and climbed in. He told me to drive to somewhere that sounded like Victoria street, but might have been almost anything else, and immediately fell fast asleep on the seat beside me. I struck a match and managed to make out that he wore a good hat, from which it was clear that he wasn't a vagabond, and so I decided to let him have his nap out. He leaned up in the corner and snored like a high-pressure steamboat.

"About eight o'clock the fog thinned so much that I decided to make a start for Piccadilly. My intoxicated friend was still fast asleep, and now that I could see him I saw that he was a middle-aged old party who looked as if he might be a bank president or something of that kind, with too much fondness for port wine. I did not think it worth while to turn him out, so I just cast the horse loose, climbed the box and drove off at a slow walk, keeping close to the curbstone. I had my slouched hat on, and when I had pulled the cabby's blankets well up to my neck I didn't look at all out of place on the box. So I proceeded cautiously, and met with no accident worth mentioning. All of a sudden my passenger wakes up, and leaning out of the window begins to abuse me for being so slow on the road. 'Begging your pardon, sir, but this here blooming fog is so thick that I daren't drive faster than a walk.' At that he got very angry and said that he'd get out and take my number, and wouldn't pay me a farthing. I was glad enough to get rid of him, but when he bolted round the corner I began to see that a cabman may have things to trouble him which we folks don't often think about.

"Pretty soon a woman hailed me, and as the cab was moving very slowly she managed to get the door open and to climb inside, in spite of my telling her that I was engaged. 'A very likely story,' said she, settling herself in the cab as if she meant to stay there. 'You can't refuse to take a passenger when you've got nobody,' she said, making as if she was going to stir me up with her umbrella; 'and you know it. You drive me to Bloomsbury square, or I'll make it 'ot for you!'

"Now I knew too much to get into an argument with a woman, and so I drove to Bloomsbury square. But when I had stopped at the number that she had given me she did not attempt to get out. She was perfectly sober, but, in my opinion, she was stark crazy, for she insisted that I had lost my way and that we were not in Bloomsbury square. I got down from my seat and tried to argue the matter with her. I asked her to look at the corner of the street, where she could see 'Bloomsbury Square, North,' in large letters, but she told me not to be impertinent or she would summons me, and refused to look at the corner of the street or anything else. I rang the door-bell of the house, but when the servant had answered it, and looked at my fare, she said that she didn't know her, and went back into the house, calling out to me from the doorstep that I ought to be ashamed of myself for being in such a state so early in the morning. I got back on the box, and wondered if everybody in London was made either drunk or crazy by an extra thick fog.

"There was very little fog by this time, and I made up my mind to drive back to the place where I had taken the woman up, leave her on some quiet doorstep and drive off before anyone could stop me. It wasn't very long before I was back again in the Finsbury quarter, but it wasn't a very pleasant drive, for the woman kept yelling to me out of the window. When I got to Finsbury I selected a good, quiet street, and then got down and told my passenger that she must get out. Of course, she said she wouldn't do anything of the kind, and when she saw that I meant business she set up a yell that promised to wake the whole street. About 50 windows went up, and more than 50 men and women put their heads out and remarked: 'Fire!' and 'Murder!' at the top of their lungs. It was clear that this sort of thing would never do; so I jumped upon my perch again and drove away, feeling more sympathy for cabmen than I had ever felt before.

"Having started to scream the woman kept it up. Moreover, she managed to pull the front window open and set to work to jab me in the ribs with her umbrella. The street filled up with people, though where they came from I couldn't imagine, and some of them cried 'Shame!' and 'Stop him!' Boys seemed to spring up out of the ground and followed me, running alongside the cab, and all the time that dreadful woman kept screaming 'murder' and 'thieves,' and making other unpleasant personal remarks of the same general character.

"It would have been useless for me to abandon the cab and run away, for I would have been caught before I could have fairly got off my box. I knew that a policeman would turn up presently, and for the first time that morning I was anxious to see one. Anything would be better than driving that yelling demon of a woman and having a mob gather round me. The thing went on for perhaps ten minutes longer, when a policeman arrived, and the woman gave me in charge for attempted murder and a general assortment of miscellaneous offenses.

"That policeman was an intelligent man. He saw at once that the woman was crazy, and he was evidently ready to accept my version of the affair; but when he asked me for my number and saw that I hadn't any he changed his mind. It certainly was a suspicious circumstance from his point of view that I didn't have any number; and after he had asked me a few questions, which I answered in a way not to give him much information, for I didn't want to explain things before the crowd, he got into the cab, so as to keep the woman quiet, and told me to drive to the station house.

"Of course, when I saw the officer in charge I told him the whole story. It did sound rather improbable as I couldn't help feeling while I told it; and I could see that he didn't believe a word I said, but was of the opinion that I was some desperate sort of villain who had been caught in the act of trying to kidnap an inoffensive woman. So they locked me up. What they did with the woman I don't know.

"I sent off messengers for my landlord and my banker and half a dozen other people, and the upshot of it all was that the next morning I was taken before a magistrate, who, after examining into my case, gave me to understand that I wasn't guilty of the great majority of the crimes that had been charged against me, but that as a sort of warning to me never to commit any of them he should fine me. I paid the fine—I needn't mention just how much it was—and went home in a cab that had a real cabman on the box.

"I've considerable more sympathy for cabmen than I used to have, and if as a class they are men who look on the rest of mankind as their natural enemies, whom they have a perfect right to impose upon, I don't much wonder at it, now that I've been a cabman myself and know a little of the troubles that an honest cabman may have to endure."—Cincinnati Gazette.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Baker & Hall's drug store.

South Carolina's House of Representatives has passed a bill assessing damages in $2·000 against each county in which a lynching takes place.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	14	15
Eggs, per doz	14	16
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 15 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4½	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	5	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5½ 6	10
Chickens, per lb		
Turkeys		6
Hides, green		25 to 35
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		68
Corn, shelled		30 to 35
Corn in ear	16	to 22
Oats	18	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00 to	12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 90	@	4 55
Sheep	2 15	@	3 50
Hogs	4 25	@	4 75
FLOUR—City Mill Pat'ts	4 25	@	4 45
Fancy	2 70	@	2 90
WHEAT—No. 2. Red	82¾	@	82½
May	73	@	74⅝
CORN—No. 2	37	@	37¾
May	36⅝	@	37
OATS — Western	25	@	28
PORK — Mess	11 00	@	11 25
LARD — Rendered	5 95	@	6 00
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	13	@	18
EGGS	14½	@	15
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE — Beeves	$3 40	@	4 70
Stockers and Feeders	2 60	@	3 80
Cows and Bulls	1	@	3 70
Texas Steers	2 80	@	3 70
HOGS — Light	4 00	@	4 30
Rough Packing	4 00	@	4 05
SHEEP	2 25	@	2 90
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	19
Dairy	5	@	17
EGGS — Fresh	13	@	13½
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@	22
PORK — Mess	10 30	@	10 40
LARD — Steam	5 82½	@	5 87½
FLOUR — Spring	2 40	@	3 25
Winter	3 10	@	3 80
GRAIN—Wheat, May	66⅞	@	67⅜
Corn, No. 2	28½	@	28½
Oats, No. 2	20	@	20⅛
Rye, No. 2	40¾	@	41
Barley, Good to Choice	30	@	37
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 May	68	@	68⅛
Corn, No. 2	27¼	@	27½
Oats, No. 2 White	20¼	@	20⅝
Rye, No. 1	41¼	@	41⅛
Barley, No. 2	32⅜	@	33
PORK — Mess	10 50	@	10 55
LARD	5 70	@	5 75
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	74½	@	74⅝
Corn, No. 2 White	28¼	@	28⅞
Oats, No. 2 White	22½	@	22¾
Rye, No. 2	41¼	@	41⅜
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 30	@	4 40
Texas	2 25	@	3 60
HOGS	3 70	@	4 25
SHEEP	3 50	@	3 55
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 25	@	3 95
Cows	1 50	@	3 30
Feeders	2 75	@	3 60
HOGS	3 90	@	4 10
SHEEP	2 50	@	3 45

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The Experience of Two Women who had Led an Indoor Life and the Outcome.

From the Standard-Union, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Few women have had a more miserable existence and lived to tell the tale than Mrs. Anna L. Smith, of 311 Pulaski Avenue, Brooklyn. With all the comforts that money affords, with all the happiness that many loving friends can give, the joy of Mrs. Smith's life was blasted for years by the terrible ravages of sickness. Mrs. Smith's experience is unique because her suffering was not caused by one disease only but by many; until it seemed as though she was a living sacrifice. Doctors were employed, money was spent—the wide world was searched for remedies that would give her the joy of good health. Despite all efforts the clouds of life grew darker until it looked indeed as if death was hovering near. It was in this hour of distress that she heard of the now famous remedy—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and by their virtues was restored to good health and happiness. The story is most interesting as told to a reporter:

"I was an invalid for years, suffering first with one complaint and then with another. My case was truly that of a complication of diseases, due to an accident which I received some years ago. The thing which caused me the most discomfort and made me offensive to my family was the worse case of indigestion imaginable. I made all around me miserable by my sufferings, and was most miserable myself. I had the best physician we could find, and occasionally his prescriptions relieved me temporarily. But the pains and misery would all soon return again. I became desperate, and started in to try remedies of which I read. Among them were the Pink Pills. Their appearance captivated me instantly, for I am a great believer in the beautiful. I took the pills and followed out the directions to the letter, and before many days I began to feel like a different woman. For six weeks I took the pills regularly, and I can truthfully add after that I was as well as any one in the family. The change for the better in my condition has caused my relatives and friends to take the pills. We buy them all from the drug store of John Duryea, at the corner of DeKalb and Sumner Avenue.

"I assure you it was impossible for me to oversee my household for three years. Now I visit my kitchen every day, do my own marketing and shopping; in a word, look after everything connected with my home and family.

"Oh, yes, I still keep taking the pills. I take one daily after dinner. Prevention you know, is better and cheaper than cure. I verily believe one half of the women who are suffering from the ills which our sex are heir to would be up and well if they could be induced to give the Pink Pills a fair trial. I certainly recommend them heartily and feel grateful to the physician who put them on the market."

Mrs. Smith is a woman of some means and standing in the community and, therefore, her testimony will be accepted without question by all thoughtful people.

A DOUBLE RESCUE.
Two People Saved from a Life of Misery.
From the Journal, Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Charles Newman, of Twelfth Street, is very enthusiastic over Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and she has every reason to be grateful for the wonderful cure she has received from the remedy. Mrs. Newman was a sufferer with muscular rheumatism. Her right arm seemed to be affected the most, and she was miserable for more than a year—unable to use her arm at all and suffering the most excruciating tortures.

She used many remedies but nothing seemed to help her at all. One day she noticed a testimonial in a newspaper of a gentleman in Canada who was cured of the same trouble by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and determined to try a box. She took, in all, nine boxes, and is entirely cured. She felt the effects of the first box and began to improve immediately. She has never had any sign of the trouble since. She had become very nervous and weak, but the pills strengthened her in every way. She heartily recommends them to any one who is troubled with rheumatism, and is very glad to add her testimonial to the wonderful virtue of the medicine.

Mr. Marvin, of No. 625 Fifteenth Street, an old soldier and a retired Baptist minister. At present he is employed in the U. S. Pension Agency, of Detroit. For many years Mr. Marvin was troubled with stomach difficulties—dyspepsia and all the attendant symptoms. He doctored with many physicians, but with no benefit. His trouble seemed to be chronic. Some one recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to him one day, and he got two boxes; by the time he had finished the second box he was so much better that he left off taking them.

About this time he went to Ludington on a business trip, and while there was taken sick; symptoms of his old trouble appeared and he employed a physician. For six weeks he suffered, until one day he remembered the Pink Pills and sent for them. It had the same immediate effect and he completely recovered. He is very glad to recommend them to anyone, and will never be without them in the future. His son is also using them for general debility and is receiving beneficial results, although he has not taken them very long.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are prepared by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Schenectady, N. Y., a firm whose ability and reliability are unquestioned. The Pink Pills are not looked upon as a patent medicine, but as a prescription, having been used as such for years in general practice, and their successful results in curing various conditions made it imperative that they be prepared in quantities to meet the demand of the people and place them in reach of all. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, and the tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration, all diseases resulting from vitiated humors in the blood such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities, and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature.

Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company.

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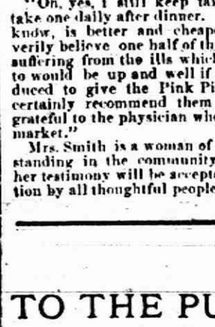

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON BUDGET.

Warm.

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Elder Deyo was in Detroit Tuesday.

All Britton needs is a few good lawyers.

This summer weather makes good mud.

Elijah Brown visited at Geo. Exelby's Monday.

I. S. Osborne was down from Tecumseh Monday.

Geo. Schreder, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Many of our citizens were in Adrian the first of the week.

A. W. Curtiss and Art Lee were Adrian visitors Wednesday.

Geo. Smith made a business trip to Toledo last Saturday.

Albert Eaton is sick with malarial fever and is quite bad off.

Larger stock of wall paper than ever before at Lenardson Bros.

Our treasurer says that about $1000 of taxes are still standing out.

Dr. Hendershot and wife, of Macon, visited friends here Tuesday.

Don't forget Lenardson Bros. carry a full line of patent medicines.

Al Lee has been having a very serious trouble with his friend, the grip.

Lewis Miller has come down off his crutches, his foot has so far improved.

James Hillock is now occupying the house in which Wm. Swick recently lived.

John Cheever, who has been seriously ill for some time, has been worse this week.

Lloyd Ward has severed his connection with Haight & Co. and will return to Milan.

Mrs. G. W. Smith, of Blissfield is visiting E. W. Lenardson and family this week.

Postmaster Babcock was unable to be in the office Wednesday on account of a severe cold.

Miss Lena Wyrill has returned to Tecumseh after a week's visit with Britton friends.

Lenardson Bros. will have a full assortment of embossed and comic valentines the 14th.

Lavern Smith has a new pair of horse blankets. He purchased them at cost of Lenardson Bros.

T. V. Hoagland experienced a rather bad turn in the store a few nights since, but is much better now.

Rev. L. W. Graves, of Wellsville, will occupy the pulpit of the new Reformed church next Sunday.

A very pleasant party was held at the hospitable home of J. C. Mills, in Macon. Three couples attended from here.

Lenardson Bros. and DuBois will take your order for binder twine. Prices guaranteed. Four qualities. Call and see samples.

Mike Dorsman is the proud father of a bran[illegible] boy of 83-4 pounds. His parents dates from Sunday night. The household is all doing well.

A suit case was broken in Britton Monday. The case wasn't given a fair show in this case. Some bad cases were showing off which shows how serious the case really was.

Notice—The party who borrowed a horse collar from the hotel barn sometime last fall is respectfully requested to return same at once and oblige.

L. BANNISTER.

Frank Coon, fireman on No. 25, C., J. & M., met with a painful accident Tuesday. He was assisting in making a coupling when his hand was caught and the ends of two fingers were badly smashed.

Wm. Exelby will hold an auction sale at his farm, two miles east and one and one half miles south of Britton, next week Thuursday, Feb. 13, at one o'clock sharp. A quantity of livestock, farming tools, and fodder will be sold. See notice elsewhere.

You have all attended district school sometime in your life and probably the most interesting moments of your life were spent there. However that may be, the "Deestrict Skule," which will be held in Britton for the enlightenment and education of our citizens, will surpass anything in the educational line that has been instituted since log cabin days.

The tiger of uncertain eyesight has left his den. He waited a little too long, however, and got himself into a trap. The Palmers left for Adrian, but were apprehended by Will Britton and were brought before Justice Oliver, Tuesday, charged with stealing lap robes, etc. They were bound over to the circuit court, and, in default of bail, were furnished a new abode in the county jail.

The joint installation came off Friday night according to expectations, only the joint was broken. The Knights didn't join, that is, the ceremony of installation, but they were there for every other purpose and enjoyed it, too. The ceremony was exceedingly well executed, and the impressiveness of the occasion was greatly augmented by military and fancy drills. Altogether the affair passed off very pleasantly and satisfactorily, and speaks much for the enterprise of the ladies of the hive.

Hendershot Tent, K. O. T. M. held their installation last Tuesday night. On account of the unavoidable absence of Past Master Hendershot the ceremony was omitted last Friday night when the ladies performed theirs. The knights thought they were already rid of spectators, but just as they were about to begin operations, in swarmed the hive of L. O. T. M. to witness the performance. The ladies were very highly entertained especially by the precise and well executed march and military maneuvers of the knights.

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RIDGEWAY RAMBLES.

Valentine's day next week Friday.

Miss Ella and wife returned home Friday from a two weeks' visit at Azalia.

The many friends here regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Wm. H. Osborn, of Tecumseh.

Israel Schreder and wife, of Clinton, spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Crysolida Arner.

Fred L. Cook, of Lansing, spent the fore part of the week as the guest of Miss Lelia Sutton.

Myrtle Soule, of Britton, spent Sunday and Monday with her aunt, Mrs. S. P. Smith, and family.

The citizens of our village and vicinity regret to learn of the death of Wm. Hayden, of Tecumseh.

Mr. Grant Schreder and family, from near Clinton, visited his aunt, Mrs. Crysolida Arner, Tuesday.

Chas. Foote and wife were called to Tecumseh, Wednesday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Osborn.

Mrs. Frank Allen and son Harry, of Toledo, spent a few hours, Saturday, with her brother, George Ransom, who is sick.

Guy Pocklington, who is attending Cleary's Business College at Ypsilanti, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Geo. Ransome, who has been under the doctor's care for the past week with an attack of pneumonia, is a little better at present.

Rev. D. G. Riehl, the chalk talk evangelist, of Marion, Ohio, who is holding a nine days' gospel meeting here is presenting truths in a convincing and convicting manner.

T. H. Temple returned Friday from Wamplers Lake, where he had been spending a few days fishing. He brought one four and one ten and one-half pound pickerel, beside perch and bass home with him.

One fourth off for the next 20 days on dry goods; felt boots and underwear. In the grocery line I am offering the following bargains: 4 lb taploca for 25c 7 bars Lenox soap for 25c; 31 lbs A coffee sugar for $1.00; 4 lbs of prunes for 25c; 15 lbs of rolled oats for 25c.

E. J. GOULD.

For the benefit of the public, we make the following statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Silver Medal contest held on the 17th of last month:

RECEIPTS.

Door receipts	$18 65

EXPENDITURES.

Printing posters	8 00
Paid toward Medal	1 00
Paid janitor work at church	60
Reserved for singing books for day school	5 65
Paid treasurer of ladies' church social	3 50
	$18 65

HOLLOWAY HASH.

Several are having the grip, and also bad colds.

Sheriff Wilson, of Adrian, was in town Thursday.

Mr. George Holloway visited Toledo, Tuesday, on business.

Tax Collector B. Symonds has nearly all the taxes collected.

The Farmers' Club met at Hon. Horace Holdridge's Friday evening.

Mrs. Anthony and daughter visited Mrs. Nina Nixon, Wednesday.

Aunt Lucretia Hall, who has been sick with a cold, is convalescent.

Mrs. Bert Carpenter is on the sick list but is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, of Temperance, are visiting Geo. McClenathen and family.

Mrs. James Boyd and Miss Winifred Richards, of Tecumseh, attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. James McIntyre will entertain the Ladies Social, Thursday, at dinner. All are welcome.

The Eastern Star of this place furnished supper for the Star of Tecumseh, Thursday evening.

The marriage of Miss Allie Dibble, of Ridgeway, and Mr. Guern Kelley occurred February fifth.

Mr. D. Brown was in Toledo for a few days. He is desirous of locating there in the near future.

Christian Endeavor day was observed Sunday evening. The services were led by President A. D. Macham.

Miss Florence Thompson and Miss Rose Palmer, of Manchester, visited Mrs. C. Rothfuss for a few days.

The Holloway troupe met with a slim house at Deerfield, Saturday evening, and did not put their play on the stage.

W. H. Barrett, Eminent Commander of Adrian Commandery, and W. F. King, of Adrian, were callers on L. C. Winship Wednesday afternoon.

Ernest Chase, son of Levi and Minnie Chase, died Sunday, Feb. 5, of pneumonia of the lungs, having been sick only a few days. The parents have the sympathy of the entire community, as he was their only child, a bright, promising young man cut down ere the noontide of life was reached. Notice of funeral later.

MACON MUSIC.

Remember the entertainment tonight.

The C. E. Society observed Anniversity Day last Sunday eve.

Miss Carrie Camburn has been visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

The Rev. J. D. DeSpelder began his work as pastor at Macon last Sunday.

The W. C. T. U's. meet with Mrs. Martha Belzer, Saturday, at Maccabee Hall.

Mrs. Sarah Morgan suffered from a shock of paralysis last week and is reported no better.

Macon had more representatives at the Remenyi concert than at any previous entertainment this year.

The Donation at Mr. Collers, drew out a good house for such a bad night, and with the exception of the darkness of the early evening, every one seemed to throughly enjoy himself. The amount received was about $35.00

CONE CATCHINGS.

George Rendel lost a horse, Saturday night, with the colic.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Caswell and little son, Guy, are spending the week with friends in Toledo.

Ray Gould and Lester Sherman, of Ridgeway, visited at Simon Gould's Friday and Saturday.

The receipts of the Ladies Aid Society, held at Mrs. John Dennison's last Wednesday, were $4.80.

Mrs. Ben Caswell returned home from Flint Monday, where she has been caring for a sick daughter.

Mrs. Maria Bissel, of London, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Charles Caswell, several days last week.

Ben Auten visited a brother and sister in Gratiot Co. last week. He was accompanied home by his niece Miss Nellie Howard.

John Dennison returned home from Emergency Hospital, Detroit, last Thursday, where he has been for the past three weeks.

Died, Tuesday, Feb. 4, of erysipelas, Harold Lamont, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auten, aged six weeks. The young parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

God took our rosebud to his home,
To bloom in beauty bright;
In paradise it never will fade
Or shadows come to blight.
Although our home is dark and drear
Bereft of all its light,
We bow submissive to Thy will,
Thou knowest what is right.

Program of the Temperance lecture given at the church Saturday evening, Feb. 1: Song—Prohibition Rally, by the choir; Scripture reading and prayer, by Rev. Ross; Song—Temperance Rally, by the choir; Recitation, by Bertha Jourden; Song—The Temperance Dodger by Rev. J. Potterfield; Select Reading, by Jessie Auten; Solo, by Mrs. Nellie Caswell; Duet, by Elva and Almeda Auten; Temperance lecture, by Rev. Porterfield; Duet—No drunkards are there, by Bertha Jourden and Jessie Auten; Rec., by Ray Gould, of Ridgeway; Solo, by Mrs. Clara Libstaff; A scotch hymn, by Miss Jessie Baxter, of Azalia; Indian song, by Rev. Mr. Porterfield; Solo—What I have seen, by Miss Jessie Auten; Duet—Song of the fountain, by Bertha Jourden and Mertie Auten.

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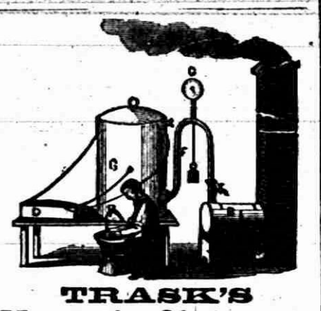

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31, '96.

This has been a lively, at times actually exciting, week in Congress. The House started the ball in the short discussion which preceded the adoption of the Senate concurrent resolution, expressing the sympathy of Congress for the poor Armenians and requesting the European powers which are parties to to the Berlin treaty to compel the Sultan of Turkey to live up to that treaty by giving the Armenians the protection thereby guaranteed them. Several members of the House spoke in favor of taking the more radical step of sending the Turkish minister his passports. For a few minutes there was great excitement, but the cooler heads prevailed, and the Senate resolution adopted. It is now reported that President Cleveland will refuse to send that resolution to the Europeau powers, as requested and will send a special message to Congress giving his reasons therefor. Whew! If he should—just watch for a sure enough rumpus.

The excitement began in the Senate when Senator Tillman, of S. C., during a speech in favor of the free coinage substitute for the House bond bill, villified President Cleveland to an extent never before heard on the floor of either branch of Congress from a man claiming membership in the President's own party. He called Mr. Cleveland bull-headed, self-idolatrous, besotted tyrant, traitor to his own party and lots of other uncomplimentary things. He abused both the old parties to such an extent that the speech is regarded as a notice that he had read himself out of the democratic and into the people's party. He also jumped on the Supreme court for its income tax decision, and predicted that if the people did not get relief from corporation and ring rule by the ballot they would get it by bullets. Things continued lively in the Senate all during the closing debate on the coinage substitute, which at times was very bitter on both sides. The result, of course, was a foregone conclusion when the substitute was reported from the Finance committee. Therefore nobody was surprised.

The Carnegie firms, which own the only two plants in the U. S. for making heavy armor plate for vessels, may discover in the not distant future that it doesn't pay to be too greedy. That they have been greatly overcharging the government for armor plate has been made plain by the investigation of the Senate committee on Naval Affairs. The Navy Department will soon open bids for making something like $5,000,000 worth of armor plate, and if the prices submitted by the only two establishments which can bid are not much nearer prices paid for the same thing by European governments than they have heretofore been, the bids will be rejected and Congress will be asked to pass the bill introduced by Senator Smith, of N. J., appropiating the money to establish a government plant to make armor plate for our vessels. In fact, that bill may be put through anyway, as it has many advocates.

In a speech this week in favor of the Monroe doctrine resolution, now before the Senate, which was attacked last week by Senator Wolcott, of Colo., Senator Thurston, of Nebraska, said: "I do not believe that the views of the Senator from Colorado (Wolcott) commend themselves to the deliberate judgment of the American people. They may be satisfactory to the money changers. England can crack a whip to them; but, thank God, the money changers are not the custodians of the national conscience. They may be approved by Wall street, for Wall street represents that powerful syndicate which seeks to dominate the financial and industrial policy of this country; but Wall street cannot dictate to the Senate of the United States. If our people ever become so senile and degraded as to be willing to list the honor of the nation on the stock exchange, to go up or down with the market, it will be time to turn the pictured face of Washington to the wall and cast the sword of Grant into the sea." If that sort of talk indicates jingoism, nine-tenths of both branches of Congress are jingoists.

Ex-Congressman Hatch, of Mo., is still hoping that his anti-option bill, which came near enough to passing the last Congress to give the gamblers in agricultural products a bad scare, will become a law. He was this week given a hearing on the subject by the House committee on agriculture.

The Senate committee on Foreign relations reported a resolution requesting the President to use his good offices with Spain to secure a recognition of the belligerency of the Cubans, and Senator Cameron reported a minority resolution requesting the President to ask Spain to recognize the independence of Cuba. The first will probably be adopted by both Senate and House, not with the expectation that Spain will recognize the Cubans, but as the first step towards this country recognizing them as such, which is believed will immediately follow Spain's refusal, unless there shall in the meantime be a change in the condition of affairs in Cuba.

The Remenyi Concert.

A crowded house greeted the great violinist Wednesday evening. The patrons of the Star Course expected much, and they were rewarded beyond their most ardent anticipations. It isn't necessary to say very much about Remenyi. Were you there? If not, you ought to have been, and you would have seen the difference. Remenyi demonstrated the fact that a truly masterful musician can play for the people as well as the critics. A short sketch of his life will be of interest at this time.

Edouard Remenyi was born at Moskoli in Hungary. From earliest infancy he showed signs of a great musical genius. At the age of ten years he was placed under the charge of the celebrated violin instructor, Joseph Bohm, who also taught the noted Joseph Joachim. During the Hungarian uprising, Remenyi, at the age of sixteen, enlisted as a soldier. His bravery was rewarded with the position of Aid-de-camp on the staff of the Commander in Chief of the hero army, Gyorgey, with the title of Lieutenant. After the defeat of the insurgents he went to England. En route he became acquainted with the Grand Music Master of the age, his countryman, Franz Liszt, who recognized his great genius and became his fast friend and adviser. Soon after the young artist's arrival in London he was appointed solo violinist to the Queen. Having made himself famous he was called to the Court of the Emperor of Austria, as Chief Musician. He has made a tour of the entire globe and played for the potentates of all nations. His first tour in America was made in 1878-9. Since then he has made another tour, and for a time was supposed to be drowned, and has the pleasure of reading his own obituary in various languages, for he is not only a great musician but he is a great scholar also, and converses fluently in very many languages. He is also the author of a very valuable work on Japanese art. He possesses the oldest violins in the world, and the amount estimated on their value—for which he pays insurance—is ninety thousand dollars. He also has a viola for which he has been offered $7,500. His especial favorite violin is a Lupot, which rejoices in the name of "Her Ladyship." It was made by Nicholas Lupot in Paris in 1818. His viola is no doubt the finest in the world. It is known as "The Cathedral" and was made by Paola Magini in Breschia in 1617.

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It is estimated that fifty carloads of California oranges are being shipped East daily. Consevative orange handlers claim that the crop in Southern California will amount to about 10,000 carloads.

Wealthy Brickmaker R. W. Steinecker, of Evansville, Ind., blew up his residence and committed suicide by shooting himself.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM HAYDEN.

William Hayden was born in Otsego county, N. Y., March 25th, 1819. His father, Hezekiah Haydeu, was born in Connecticut and belonged to the Connecticut line of Haydens, whose first representative, Wm. Hayden, appeared in America in 1630. The subject of this sketch was left an orphan when four years old and was reared in the family of an uncle, with whom he obtained his first business experiences. He was engaged in various business enterprises in the east until 1849 when, in company with a small party from Buffalo, including his brother Levi, he took the romantic and perilous overland route to the gold fields of California. One hundred days were taken to make the journey. During this time the brother, Levi died. At one time William and another of the party were stricken with fever, and provisions being short, were left to perish. They recovered, however, and reached Sacramento with the others.

After two years in the gold state Mr. Hayden returned to New York by way of the isthmus, again meeting with accidents and shipwreck, whereby his earnings in the gold fields were entirely lost. From New York he came to Jackson in the fall of 1851, where he purchased the Vandercook mills, three miles south of that city. He afterward entered into the partnership of Hayden, Reynolds & Hayden, which bought and operated the "Kennedy Mills" with great success. On August 16, 1858 he purchased the Globe Mill, of Tecumseh, from New York parties, which has been operated by him since that time. The Globe Mill has for many years sustained a state reputation for capacity and equipment and has constituted one of the principal industries of Tecumseh.

William Hayden married Miss Sara M. Hosmer in 1856. Eight children were born to them, six of whom survive their father. Mr. Hayden's domestic life was nearly all passed in Tecumseh, and was one of contentment and happiness.

For almost 40 years Wm. Hayden has been identified with the business, social and religious life of Tecumseh. In business his name was a synonym for integrity, honor and perseverance. In public affairs he was generous, liberal and progressive; in private dealings scrupulously honest. In religion he was a devoted Episcopalian, having been senior warden of St. Peter's church for many years. His belief was in deeds and actions, rather than words. It began at home and his daily life demonstrated the fact that he believed in example rather than precept.

Personally he practiced the rigid economy, which is the first principle of business. In his family, in the church, and for the public, he was lavish without ostentation. He often did good stealthily as some men do evil. But Wm. Hayden was known to the people of Tecumseh and the readers of this paper. The virtue of his character is indelibly impressed on their memory. His actions have spoken most eloquently for themselves. A higher eulogy than words can portray has been written by the deeds of half a century of well spent life in this comunity. His life is in evidence, and it is safe to say that no man of affairs ever rested from his labors with a more nearly unimpeachable record than Wm. Hayden.

The last illness of the deceased seemed to be a gradual giving way of the physical forces which had borne so many heavy and constant burdens. It was indeed a fitting end to a noble life.

ESTHER MURRAY.

Mrs. Esther Murray is among the number of our aged residents who have been called from our midst during the past week. Since the death of her husband, nine years ago, Mrs. Murray has made her home with her niece Mrs. Abbie Fisher where she has received all the care and kindness which could have been bestowed by her own children had they been living. The deceased was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1817, lacking only one month of being eighty years old at the time of death. Loosing her parents at an early age, she was cared for by friends in Vermont, in which state she was married. Two grand children survive the deceased, but none of her five childen remain. Mrs. Murray had for many years been a faithful attendant of the Baptist church though her early affiliation was with the Methodist denomination. The funeral is held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fisher, Rev. Hudson officiating.

CYNTHIA COWLEY.

Mrs. Cynthia Cowley, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Brown, Saturday evening, Feb. 1, at 9:30 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cowley came to Tecumseh from Seneca Falls, N. Y., in October, 1855. Mr. Cowley died in March, 1869, after which time Mrs. Cowley lived with her daughter, Mrs. Brown.

She was born Aug. 23, 1810, at Seneca Falls, N. Y., being nearly 86 years of age. She leaves three sons and two danghters as follows: Thomas, of Plymouth Rock, Mass.; William, of Canton, O.; Augustus, of Hudson; Mrs. Agnes Brown, of Tecumseh, and Mrs DeForest, of Lansing.

All her children except Thomas were here to attend her funeral, which was held last Tuesday, Rev. B. S. Hudson officiating. Gus and Tom Cowley are well known in Tecumseh, both having lived here some years ago.

Excellent Family Medicine.

Ludington, Mich., Jan. 25, 1896. We are much pleased with the [illegible] was sent for three trade-marks from Hood's Sarsaparilla and four cents in stamps. We have used Hood's Sarsaparilla for the last four years, and find it an excellent family medicine. We have not had much sickness since we keep Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house.—FRAN'S BENTZ.

Hood's Pills cure indigestion, biliousness.

Among the odd features of the Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition to be held at Nashville, will be a tower of 268 cotton bales, 100 feet high.

We like to sell an article which can be sure will give satisfaction to our customers; that is reason we recommend Brant's Balsam. Can always find it at our store. 25c bottles. Orr & Temple. w

President Cleveland has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Princeton College.

Unlike most proprietary medicines, the formulae of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla and other preparations are cheerfully sent to any physician who applies for them. Hence the special favor accorded these well-known standard remedies by the World's Fair commissioners. 1w

Nevada's output of precious metals for the year 1895 was nearly $4,000,000 which is half a million larger than the output for 1894.

When children are nervous, irritable or restless at night, give Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer to ward off convulsions or other serious nerve disease. Free samples, $1 bottles of Orr & Temple. w

Nat Goodwin, the actor, has sued the Chicago Tribune for $50,000 damages for saying he played faro last Saturday night and won $2,500.

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Baker & Hall's drug store. 2

A parishioner named Dixon didn't like Pastor Warren Power's sermon against marital infidelity at Halls Station, Ga., and Powers was called out and shot.

Why suffer from indigestion? Burdock Blood Bitters cures Dyspepsia and all diseases of the stomach, liver, and bowels. 1w

Two special train loads of 1,040 white people have gone from Wayne, Dublin, and Pender counties, N. C. to work in the cotton mills in Pelzer, S. C.

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HAVE A

FINE LINE OF

ORANGES

which we are selling at

moderate prices.

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APPLES,

New York Baldwins,

Canada Greenings and

Sweet Apples.

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LINE OF

FANCY AND

STAPLE

GROCERIES

and correct prices.

Special Price on

potatoes Saturday.

AVERY & COMPANY.

JUST RECEIVED

—A large consignment of—

Royal Garden
Extra Fancy
May Pickings

JAPAN TEA.

THE BEST 50C. T IN THE TOWN.

Call and get a sample.

Yours for trade,

MOBBS & CO.

CUT IN PRICES!

For a Short Time and for Cash Only I will sell

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Lowry's Pat. Flour, per bbl.	$3.75	25lb. Sack Heck's Buckwheat Flour	$ .45
Heck's " " "	4.00		
Hayden's " " "	4.00	25lb. Sack Flat Rock Buckwheat Flour	.45
Boyd's " " "	4.00		
Jackson " " Eldred Mill	4.00	15lbs. Best Oat Flake	.25
7lbs. No. 1 Raisins	25c	Battle Axe Plug Tobacco, lb.	20c
7lbs. Crackers	25c	Fine Cut Tobacco, good as Cuba, lb.	20c
5lbs. Ginger Snaps	25c		

Empress Tea, Pound Package, - - 12c
Can Salmon, No. 1 Red, can - - 10c

Canned Goods all at Cut Prices but too many to quote.

SOAP.

8 Bars Queen Ann Soap	25c	8 Bars Lenox Soap	25c
8 " Jaxon Soap	25c	5 lb. Bar Soap	20c
8 " Bell's Buffalo Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Gold Dust	18c
8 Bars Geyser Soap	25c	4 lb. Package Soap Powder	15c
8 Bars Hoe Cake Soap	25c		

Lowry's Pure Baking Powder, Good as Royal, per lb.	25c	Sauer Kraut per qt.	5c
		Potatoes per bushel	25c
7 Packages Corn Starch	25c	Ear Corn 22c., 5 bushels	$1.00

MEATS.

Hams, Sugar Cured	11c lb.	Bacon	9c lb.
Shoulders	7½c	Lard	8c lb.

OYSTERS—Selects, 25c Quart.

A great many more goods marked down which I have not room to quote. Call and see me.

Highest Price paid for Butter, Eggs, and other Farm Produce.

Respectfully,

James Lowry

Lilley House Block.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

...t BA... ...rom imported stock, Also ewe lambs JOE R. GRAY.

...ATIONS GUARANTEED—To all ...duates of Dodge's Institute of Tele... Valparaiso, Indiana. Tuition—Full ...ies. Per Month $3. Good board $1.40; ...ad room 30 cents per week. Write for ...gue. GEO. M DODGE, Manager.

...OMS FOR RENT—Desirable rooms to ...rent, with or without board. Also cook ...for sale. MRS. JEHIEL DAVIDSON.

...ANTS—Order your strawberry and rasp... berry plants early. I have a fine stock of ...following varieties: Strawberries—Bed... ...Buhach, Crescent, Meek's Early, Enhance, ...ville, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, ...ess, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—...er, Older, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal ...ell, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars ...re or write. C. W. MONELL, Newburgh, Mich.

...ANTED—Second-hand collar and harne... harness, suitable for one-horse wagon, ...be cheap for cash. Enquire at this office.

...LE-AGENTS WANTED—For made to ...measure and ready made clothing by sam... Very lowest prices for best clothing. Liber... ...missions are paid. Energetic soliciting ...te can make from one to three thousand ...rs yearly. Storekeepers can supply them... ...s without carrying stock. Send three refer... WANAMAKER & BROWN, Philadelphia.

...MBER SAWED—Wanted logs to saw. ...Will come to your place and saw your fin... ...to suit you. Complete outfit. Satisfaction ...anteed. Address in person or by letter. JOHN GORDON, Saline, Mich.

...R SALE—Or exchange, my place of six ...acres, just outside of corporation on turn... ...known as Sam Holden place. Good build... ...water, etc. O. W BLY.

...E MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men ...and women $10 to $18 per week for easy ...work. No books or peddling. Steady em... ...ment guaranteed. Send stamp for work ...particulars at once. HERMANN & SEY... ...R, 813 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

...ANTED.—Several trustworthy gentle... men or ladies to travel in Michigan for ...lished, reliable house. Salary $780 and ex... ...Steady position. Enclose reference ...self addressed stamped envelope. The ...ion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., ...go, Ill.

...e Tecumseh Herald.

...CUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 7, 1896

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...n W. Cook is reported seriously ill.

...y Belding and wife are visiting at ...on.

...rence Conklin returns to his duties ...e Wabash today.

...y. Sumner Collins made a business ...o Ann Arbor yesterday.

...e per cent discount on all cash sales ...le at Comfort's yard for 30 days.

...cial meeting of F. & A. M., No. 69, ...d for tonight. Work in the third ...ee.

...s. Rev. Lyons, of Cleveland, visit... ...P. Coddington's family Monday ...Tuesday.

...W. R. Blachford was called to ...lton, Ont., last Monday to attend ...neral of a sister.

...es Dunseath left yesterday morn... ...ronto, Ont., to take a position in ...ting office there.

...VanTyne has returned from Del... ...io, and is again at his old place in ...'s clothing store.

...Mr. Dwight, who lives on Union ..., and who has been an invalid for ...is quite low at present.

...Fannie Rundell, of Manchester, ...he guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. ...man, the first of the week.

...mer Shull, of Los Vegas, N. M., ...een visiting his uncle, J. D. Shull, ...family for the past few days.

...e Remenyi troupe came Wednesday ...ing from Ann Arbor via the C. J. ...and left yesterday noon for Jack...

...J. S. Gilman, who has been re... ...d to be so very ill, is improving ...day and will soon be able to be ...rain.

...out a dozen linemen of the tele... ...e force have been here this week ...g down the old wires between here ...drian.

...t. Hanford, who has been employ... several years in the Kalamazoo ...m, is visiting his mother, Mrs. E. ...anford.

...Guernsey Kelley, son of Al Kel... ...f Raisin, and Miss Allie Dibble, of ...way, were united in marriage ...esday evening.

...ther in the series of illustrated ...es on the life of Christ will be ...at the Presbyterian church, Sun... ...ening. Subject, The Crucifixion.

...business houses were closed from ... three o'clock this afternoon, in ... to the memory of Wm. Hayden, ...obsequies were held at that hour.

...'s Dramatic Company have made ...ments for a three nights' engage... ...Feb. 17, 18 and 19. They ap... ...first night in, "The Streets of ...rk.

...Patterson, foreman of our com... ...room, has a pretty good make-up ...eek. His disposition has been ...ned by the arrival of a little ...his home.

...Garlinghouse went to Denver, ...uesday to attend the funeral of ...le, Isaac L. Benedict. The de... ...was a brother of J. W. Benedict ...s. J. B. Garlinghouse.

...owley, of Hudson, and brothers ... of Canton, Ohio, and DeForest, ...ing, Mich., were called here ... to attend the funeral of their ...Mrs. Cynthia Cowley.

...Lucretia Hall, widow of Edmund ...d mother of the late Austin ...ied Tuesday at the home of her ...r, Mrs. Jas. Lane, in Raisin at ...anced age of 85. The funeral is ...s afternoon.

Subscribe for the Herald.

St. Valentine's day next week Friday.

...put the ground hog see his shadow?

Look out for the New England supper.

Alva Spayde was in Lima, Ohio the first of the week.

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church give a New England supper next Friday, beginning at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. H. Hayden, Mrs. A. B. Robinson, Mrs. Ames and W. A. Hayden came from Jackson this morning to attend the funeral of their relative.

The regular ministers' meeting will be held next Monday morning at the parlors of the M. E. church. Subject for discussion, "Inspiration."

Mrs. Fannie Rundell has purchased the millinery stock and business of Miss Hough which the latter has conducted for several years in Manchester.

The woodchuck saw his shadow sure enough and winter has settled down to business again in earnest.—Telegram of Monday. It don't look now as if he did see it.

Capt. J. C. Buck, of Co. B. has sent in his resignation to Gov. Rich. Captain Buck has proved a most efficient officer for years, and will be missed in the State service.

Perry Hosmer arrived here from Chicago Saturday. Mrs Hosmer, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Waire, Albert and Marvin Hayden are also at the Hayden home. Mabel is on her way from Texas.

For clover or timothy seed and field peas it will pay you to see L. D. Dewey. Also wood of all kinds from $1 up to $2 a cord delivered at your door. I buy cheap and can sell cheap.

Subjects in the Universalist church next Sunday morning. Whosoever will save his life shall loose it; and whosoever will loose his life for my sake, shall find it. Evening, The eve of lent.

J. H. Baker, of Detroit, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Whiting, the first of the week. Mr. Baker left Wednesday and will go to Alaska, via San Francisco, in search of the yellow metal.

Prof. H. Veysey will give a lecture for men at the Friend's meeting house next Sunday at 3 p. m. Subject, "How to save our neighbors from ruin, our daughters from shame and our families from sickness.

Horsemen are anxious to know that the Spohn Medical Co. of Goshen, have put a reliable preparation on the market for the treatment of distemper etc., in horses. This remedy comes highly recommended. See Ad. elsewhere.

Dr. Todd, of the board of pension examiners, was especially detailed to examine P. J. Welling and came over from Adrian Tuesday for that purpose. The friends of Mr. Welling are confident that he will soon receive an increase.

The Michigan editors leave Fbruary 15, for a trip to the city of Mexico, a trip of 6,000 miles through summer climes and beautiful scenery. The trip will cost $79, and last a month.—Telegram. Sorry, but we can't spend the time, brother.

At the meeting of those interested in the Farmer's Institute held in Mr. Richard's office last Saturday, it was decided to hold the institute on Friday, Feb. 28th, at the Armory. The program is now being arranged and will soon be published.

The quarterly tea meeting of the W. F. M. S., of the M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. Coller, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 12. Meeting to be called promptly at three. Tea will be served from 5:30 to 6:30 by Mrs. Coller's committee.

Sheriff Judson, of Ann Arbor, telephoned over from that place yesterday, warning the officers to keep a lookout for a colored man named Ora Wright who was wanted there on a charge of larceny. Turnkey Haviland found him a short time afterwards at the four corners and arrested him. He was taken to Ann Arbor this morning by the deputy sheriff of that place who came after him.—Telegram.

The Masons and their families are invited to attend a St. Valentine party at Masonic parlors, Friday evening, Feb. 14. Each lady is requested to bring a box of refreshments for two with her name placed within. The gentlemen buy these boxes for ten cents each (which will be the only charges made) the contents of which he shares with some fair lady. The refreshments will be served from six to eight with hot coffee. Among the attractions of the evening will be, Trilby fishing for Cupid, and the goat will be placed on exhibition for the first time. Each member of the order has the privilege of inviting their friends. The gentlemen are requested to bring valentines.

Rev. Charles M. Brown, of Tecumseh, gave an address last evening to the members of Adrian commandery at their asylum in Masonic temple on the subject "Christianity and Templarism." Sir Knight Brown very eloquently compared the ancient Templar who was bound by vows to defend the christian religion and the holy sepulchre, with the modern knight and modern templarism, and showed that the true Knight Templar of to-day could not be other than a true man and a better christian, and that true templarism is not only like christianity, but that it is christianity. There was a large attendance of the Sir Knights, who were enthusiastic in their praise of the address and gave the speaker a vote of thanks—Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Graves and son, Paul, of Milwaukee, Harry Lowe, of Colorado Springs, Mrs. William... of Ypsilanti, and Mrs. Joseph Foote and daughter, Minnie, of Farmer, N. Y., were in Tecumseh this week, called here by the death of Mrs. Wm. H. Osborne.

"Married, at New Orleans, La., Jan. 29, 1896, by Rev. Beverly Warren, Lieut. Frank I. Morrow, Fifth U. S. Inf., son of Col. Henry A. Morrow, late of 21st U. S. Inf., and Miss C. A. Merritt, granddaughter of the late T. T. Romeyn, of this place." The above is taken from a communication from Henry Romeyn, Captain in the 5th U. S. Inf., who has many friends and acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. O. G. Coleman, as representative of the Grand Council Royal Arcanum made Tecumseh Council No. 634 a visit Tuesday night and witnessed the work of initiating a candidate in the mysteries of the order. Jay B. St. Johns was candidate and made the active membership fifty. Mr. Coleman expressed himself as very much pleased with the work of this council and with the attendance. The order is increasing very rapidly having a membership of 185,000 at present, an increase of 15,000 the past year. The Royal Arcanum is one of the best of the fraternal insurance companies.

Mrs. Wm. H. Osborne was stricken with paralysis several weeks ago and though enjoying consciousness since, her recovery has not been looked for. Nearly all her family have been able to come here during this time to bid farewell to their mother and to receive her last blessing. Last Saturday night she passed away in her 76th year. Mrs. Osborne was a lady of most estimable christian and domestic characteristics, and held a high rank among those noble pioneer mothers in whose unassuming but heroic lives are wrought the foundations and prosperity of every community. The funeral was conducted from the house on Union street Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. P. Varner and Rev. Cansfield, of Ridgeway, officiating.

There will be meetings for the teachers and all interested in school affairs in Lenawee County, as follows: Feb. 1, at Blissfield, west side; Feb. 8, at Morenci; Feb. 15, at Rollin Village; Feb. 21, teacher's examination—special (3d grade only) at Adrian; Feb. 22, at Adrian; Feb. 29, at Tecumseh; Feb. 29, eighth grade examinations in various parts of the county; particulars to be announced later. The Adrian meeting Feb. 22 is designed to be a rouser—a birthday celebration—for every teacher in the county. An especially strong and interesting program will be provided, one feature being a spelling contest, with White's School Management the prize to the winner. The examination of this month is an unusually good time to get your license ready for signing an early contract for the spring term. The special certificate is in great disfavor with the people and commissioner, and as you can have but one, better put that one off as long as possible—fore warned is forearmed.

EDWARD KEELER.

A Brilliant Marriage.

The following, taken from an extended account of the marriage of Miss Nellie Dewey, daughter of Dr. D. J. Dewey, formerly of Tecumseh, will be read with interest by the doctor's many friends and relatives here. The article referred to appeared in the Evening Journal, Washington, Iowa, Jan. 29:

"For several weeks past, society circles have been astir over the approaching marriage of one of our most charming young ladies, Miss Nellie Dewey, to Fred Howard Gaston. The happy event took place at the home of Mrs. J. G. Hise, an aunt of the bride, who did everything possible a fond and loving aunt could do to make the event a pleasant one. About 70 guests were present at the wedding ceremony, they being relatives and intimate friends of the two families. The bride, the beautiful and accomplished young daughter of Dr. Dewey, was born and raised in this city and, by her many good qualities and winning ways, has surrounded herself with a host of friends here and elsewhere, who gathered last night to witness the crowning event of her life. The groom, Fred Howard Gaston, came to Washington about a year ago, to take charge of his father's interests of the firm of Shanafelt & Gaston. He is a law student at Ann Arbor, and will graduate this coming June. He is a brainy young man and has a brilliant future before him."

Auction Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his residence 2 miles east and 1 and 1-2 miles south of Britton on Thursday, Feb. 13, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following property: 1 span work horses, 1 yearling colt; 4 cows coming in in the spring; 5 yearling calves; 28 sheep; 2 brood sows with pigs; Champion binder and Champion mower, both nearly new; Daisy hay rake; Burch plow; spring tooth harrow; 2-horse cultivator; quantity of corn stalks and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale—All sums of $5.00 or under cash; all sums over $5.00, twelve months' credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

WALTER EXELBY.
FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

—I have eight grades of shingles and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

High School Happenings.

...ing Tatos called on the C room Wednesday.

Mrs. Garlinghouse visited the A room last Friday.

Philosophy class are studying the subject of magnetism.

Miss Nina Allen, of Franklin, visited the C room Wednesday.

Mrs. Berf Anderson was a visitor in the high school last Friday.

Miss Carrie Camburn, of Macon, was a visitor in the A room Monday.

The regular afternoon session has again been put into use, much to the satisfaction of the pupils.

Miss Ada Erskine interested the A room Monday, with a narration of a leap year experience of an enterprising old maid. We are eagerly awaiting results.

The Arithmetic classes are so full this year that Miss Hartbeck is at a loss to know what to do with them, so she entertained them with a game of "buzz," last Monday.

From the theory that a person can more easily concentrate his thoughts while standing than while sitting, a new fad has arisen in the A room. We have no doubt that seats will soon be out of date.

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout. England and the United States? No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and, I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh.

—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—The Standard Dictionary was prepared by specialists from 100 of the world's leading universities, colleges and learned societies. Eight weeks after its completion it was used in all departments of the U. S. government and Canada, in the schools of New York, Brooklyn, etc., and in leading univerities and colleges of America.

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—PURE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—You can buy an 1-8 bbl. flour sack of the best buckwheat flour for 40c. at C. A. Slayton's.

—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or H. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Dressmaking at 1-4 regular prices for January and February at F. A. Deuel's, over Adamson Bros.' jewelry store.

—I have some very nice baled hay and straw for sale. Barn oat straw for feeding. Prices right. See it.

C. A. SLAYTON.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Feed grinding every day at Steam Mills, 7 cents a bag.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Farmers, remember we grind feed at Steam Mills every day.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

Do you cough? Cure it with Brant's Balsam, the sure cure. 25c, of Orr & Temple. 1w

—BOOK BINDING—We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Bargains!

We offer in Canned Corn:
Star Brand, (10 cent goods) at 6 Cents a Can,
Little Chief, 9 cents a can or 3 Cans for 25 Cents.

Canned, Genuine Fresh Mackerel, 2 Cans 25c.

Salt Mackerel, 6 For 5 Cents.

This is your opportunity to indulge in Mackerel at a low price.

Hams	– –	11c lb.
Shoulders	– –	7½c.
Bacon	– –	9c.

SOAPS.

We sell 12 leading brands of Soap at prices lower than you ever bought before. Our Special Soap Sale closes Feb. 14. Don't fail to lay in a supply at our low prices.

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Something New To Drink!

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A toothsome and healthful beverage for (Coffee-Sick People).

15 and 25d. per package.

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Welcome News Received by Michigan Men.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 5.—Jea. D. Veech, the man to whom a letter addressed at the Kalamazoo postoffice was addressed at the Kalamazoo postoffice from the Netherlands, informing him that he had fallen heir to a large fortune, was found in Lansing yesterday. He was found on board a vessel, about to sail for Europe, and when he read the notice in an Amsterdam paper last Saturday he came to this country on the next daylight train. Upon arriving in this city he left for Lansing. Another heir to share the estate with Mr. Veech and Judge Reed is Mrs. Nancy Ward.

Mrs. Fannie E. Ackley and Lucy B. Pegg, living at Corona, are relatives in a golden realm where fortunes are awaiting them. The information came to Lansing upon the expiration of a 99 year lease, they expect to come into possession of a large portion of $600,000 worth of property located in the heart of the city of Philadelphia. The tenants have advertised for the heirs, now scattered all over the United States, with a view to bringing about a renewal of the lease or purchase of the valuable property. The Pegg families are on the verge of poverty, but have steadfastly refused many tempting offers of cash for the right to part with their claims.

STATE FAIR FOR GRAND RAPIDS.

Grounds at Lansing May Be Transferred to the City.

Lansing, Feb. 5.—There is little doubt that the state fair will be held in Grand Rapids, on the grounds of the West Michigan society, again this year, the Grand Rapids board of trade having visited the executive committee of the State Agricultural society to do this and these invitations having been received. The State and Central Michigan Agricultural societies, as well as the city of Lansing, have a large sum invested in the fair grounds located here, and the former society offers to join the latter in transferring the grounds to the city on condition that the city settle with the state society's Lansing creditors, who hold claims aggregating $14,000, but which can be settled for 50 cents on the dollar. It is also conditioned that, in the event of transfer, the grounds be held for fair purposes for a period of ten years, after which they are to become the property of the city, to be disposed of as it desires.

Deepest Shaft in the World.

Calumet, Jan. 31.—The vertical shaft at the Calumet & Hecla copper mine is now 4,430 feet deep. At 20 feet deeper work will be stopped and cross cutting and drifting will begin to develop the mine for production. The shaft is a quarter of a mile deeper than any outside of Calumet and far the deepest in the world. The miners working in it command extra wages because of the intense heat and the acid waters, which cause ulcers.

A Boom in Wood.

Elk Rapids, Feb. 1.—Business in this section is receiving a little boom from the fact that the furniture company is buying large quantities of furnace wood. They have already purchased 10,000 cords. Much of it is shipped in by rail and cars are in great demand, both for logs and wood. One agent said he had written the railroad company for 45 cars, but would probably get three.

Western Baseball League.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—An informal conference of members of the Western Baseball league was held at the Great Northern hotel Monday afternoon to arrange for the formal transfer of the players of the Toledo club to the Grand Rapids club. The transfer was made, and all of the old Toledo players go to Grand Rapids.

Suit Dismissed.

Houghton, Feb. 3.—Judge Hubbell took the case of August A. Schoepper vs. the Hancock Chemical company from the jury and dismissed the suit. Mrs. Schoepper sued for $30,000 damages for the death of her husband, Fred L. Schoepper, who was killed by an explosion at the works on May 15 last.

UHL SELECTED.

Post of Ambassador to Germany Tendered Him by the President.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The president has tendered the post of ambassador to Germany, to succeed the late Theodore F. Runyon, to Hon. Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, now assistant secretary of state. Mr. Uhl has signified his willingness to accept, and the nomination will be sent to the senate to-day or Thursday.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—News comes from Washington that the president has made his choice for a successor to the late Mr. Runyon as ambassador to Germany and that Assistant Secretary Uhl, of the state department, will be named for the post this week. A more popular appointment than that of Edwin F. Uhl to be ambassador to Berlin or one that would give more general satisfaction in this city could not be made by President Cleveland. The news that Mr. Uhl would be appointed did not reach here until late Tuesday afternoon, and it then came in the form of private dispatches. The news quickly spread, however, and it was everywhere received with satisfaction,

HON. EDWIN F. UHL.

regardless of politics, and the wires were kept hot until midnight conveying the congratulations of friends. A number of prominent democrats met at once and adopted resolutions and telegraphed them to Washington. Mr. Uhl will come home before going abroad, and the Jefferson club will give him a banquet.

The audience that attended "Rob Roy" cheered to the echo when the announcement was made of Mr. Uhl's appointment as the curtain dropped on the last act Tuesday night. Thomas J. O'Brien made a speech of felicitation and, acting as chairman, called on others to speak, and then resolutions were adopted and ordered sent to Mr. Uhl.

[Mr. Uhl first came into national prominence with the incoming of the present administration. Previous to that he had achieved a fine reputation as a lawyer in Michigan, where he had practiced ever since his graduation from the state university at Ann Arbor, and he was well known in financial circles, being connected with two national banks. In politics he had always been a democrat and was at one time mayor of the thriving city of Grand Rapids. Mr. Uhl has been closely attached to Don M. Dickinson, and it is generally understood that his appointment to his place as first assistant secretary of state was owing to the influential recommendation of Mr. Dickinson. As first assistant secretary of state Mr. Uhl has frequently been called upon to assume the entire burden of the administration of foreign affairs during the absence or disability of the secretary, and his name often appears signed to many important state papers. After the death of Secretary Gresham he was acting secretary of state for some weeks and was brought forward for appointment to fill the vacancy. Since Secretary Olney's entry into the state department Mr. Uhl's functions have been generally confined to the administration of the affairs of the consular service. Last fall he made a tour of Europe, including the cities in Germany where United States consulates are established, and it is assumed that he was so attracted by the kindly reception accorded him there that he desired to round out his term of service under the state department as ambassador to Germany, a place which he can readily assume, owing to his large private means and experience of the diplomatic policy of the present administration.]

WINS HER FIGHT.

Rev. Caroline J. Bartlett Has an Incompetent Official Discharged.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 5. — Postmaster Henry Bush has been dismissed from office by the board of supervisors on charges of incompetency, harsh and inhuman treatment of applicants for aid and malfeasance of office. This action is the outcome of a long and bitter fight that has been waged against Bush by Rev. Caroline J. Bartlett, of the People's church, in behalf of the poor people of this city and county. Mr. Bush has held the office since 1879. His record for the last six years was shown to be anything but enviable by the testimony of witnesses for the prosecution. The case has attracted a great deal of interest all over the state.

To Build a Magdalen's Home.

Niles, Feb. 3. The Children of God, or Saints of the Evening Light, the peculiar religious sect that flourishes in southwestern Michigan, are making preparations to erect a home for fallen women at South Haven. A site has already been purchased.

Two Pioneers Dead.

Coldwater, Feb. 5. William Perch, a pioneer farmer of Branch county, died at his home near this city Tuesday morning, aged 66 years. L. B. Johnson, ex-sheriff of Branch county, died Tuesday evening at seven o'clock, aged 70 years.

Was an Original Abolitionist.

Bruce, Feb. 4.—R. McKay, aged 83, died suddenly here Monday. He was one of the original abolitionists, casting his vote for that party in 1842, when it had hardly two antislavery votes in the town.

Death of Dr. J. M. Waldron.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 3.—Dr. J. M. Waldron, one of the most popular physicians in southern Michigan and noted for his charity work, died Saturday night in Porter, aged 36.

Given a Year for Forgery.

Menominee, Feb. 5.—Ernest A. Eves, brought from Chicago to this city, pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was given a year in prison.

WANT LOWER TAXES.

Subject Agitated by Michigan Association of Farmers' Clubs.

Lansing, Feb. 5.—Over 100 representative farmers from various sections of the lower peninsula are in attendance upon the annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Farmers' Clubs. The number of local clubs in the state has increased over 300 per cent. in the past two years, and more are being organized now than at any previous time. The principal matter to be discussed is that of taxation, the members generally believing that the time has arrived when self-preservation demands that some change looking to greater economy in the matter of state, county and township expenditures must be adopted. They demand that only absolutely necessary expenditures be made.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—The series of farmers' institutes which have been held in several counties of the state during the winter will close with a "round-up" institute to be held in this city next week. About 80 county institutes have been held in the state, conducted by members of the faculty of the agricultural college, assisted by practical farmers and horticulturists, and much has been done toward disseminating information in regard to correct and modern methods, not only for the farm and orchard, but for the dairy and apiary as well. The "round-up" institute will bring all the institute workers together, and they will have an opportunity to discuss what has been accomplished during the winter.

The institute proper will be opened with an address by Gov. Rich. One day will be given to horticulture, one to sheep and dairy interests, and the third to general agriculture, with special programmes of speeches and addresses for each evening. As a side attraction a section will be conducted by the women, with instructions in cooking and household economies, and another for boys in mechanics.

The state board of agriculture will attend the institute and on Monday, before the sessions open, will elect a president of the state agricultural college. During the institute the committee recently appointed to collect fruit-growing statistics, with the view of asking the eastern freight associations for more favorable rates on basket fruit, will meet, formulate their report and lay plans for their campaign.

PERISHED BY FIRE.

Farmer Page, His Wife and Two Children Burned to Death.

Harrisville, Alcona, Mich., Feb. 3.—Harvey Page and his wife and two children, one a boy of about five years old, and the other a girl of about three, were burned to death Thursday evening in their farmhouse about two miles from Marengo, situated on the line in Lee township. They lived upstairs and the lower part of the house was occupied by his brother and wife.

Sometime in the night the brother was awakened by the cracking of flames over them, and found that the entire upper part of the house was burned and the roof fallen in. He and his wife had barely time to escape with their lives and did not save any of their clothes or furniture. When the flames were discovered Harvey Page and his wife and two children were all dead, and their bodies were soon reduced to ashes. The neighbors who assembled could do nothing to save the bodies and the house burned with all of its contents.

It is not known how the fire caught, but from the appearance it is thought to have started in the upper part of the house from the stovepipe from a chimney, and that the occupants were all asphyxiated in their sleep. The house was a large frame building, and the flames spread rapidly, as there was no means of checking or extinguishing the fire.

Will Meet March 27.

Ann Arbor, Feb. 1.—After much correspondence between the committees representing the two colleges the date for the intercollegiate debate between the universities of Chicago and Michigan has been set, March 27. As has already been announced, Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Detroit, has consented to preside. The securing of judges for the contest has been delayed by the doubt as to the date, but will now be pushed to a decision as soon as possible.

Will Address the Students.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 4. President Charles K. Adams, of the University of Wisconsin, has been invited to deliver the address to the students at the commencement exercises of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. This will be made an occasion of more than usual importance by reason of its being the 50th anniversary of the appointment of Dr. Angell as the president of that institution.

Car Fares Reduced.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—The Consolidated Street Railroad company will try six tickets for a quarter instead of five cents straight to see what difference it will make in the receipts. The experiment will begin March 1, and if it works satisfactorily it will become permanent. The move is entirely voluntary on the part of the company.

Probably the Oldest Inhabitant.

Decatur, Feb. 3. — Mills Haithcock, who died recently in Calvin, is believed to have been the oldest person in southern Michigan. Documents have been found since his death which show that he was born in 1792 in Fairfax county, Virginia. He left 75 great-grandchildren.

Insanity Plea Saved Him.

Decatur, Jan. 31.—Laban Tyler, of Mattawan, who tried to wreck a passenger train on the Michigan Central in July last, was acquitted in the circuit court on the grounds of insanity.

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Oscoda's bicycle factory is now running to its full capacity, giving employment to 20 men.

The trial of Farmer Thompson, the alleged Mottville bomb-thrower, has been set for February 10.

A pine tree that scaled 8,500 feet was recently cut by the Pine Lumber company near Muskallonge.

Canon Smith, a pioneer of Michigan, was killed at Edwardsburg by a kick from an unruly horse.

Rev. Milton Bradley, aged 88, for over 40 years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Richland, is dead.

Miss Rose Marie Brown, of Saginaw, died at Marietta, Ga., where she was visiting relatives during the winter.

Citizens of Hartford have formed an improvement association to secure the location of manufacturing industries.

Breeders of Michigan are shipping horses to Atlanta and other southern cities where there is a good demand.

Over 30,000,000 feet of lumber was shipped by the Michelson & Hansen Lumber company of Lewiston during 1895.

The Grand Rapids city council has voted to issue $150,000 in bonds for the erection of a municipal electric light plant.

Solomon O. Hunt, a veteran of the civil war, sought lodging in the jail at Petoskey and committed suicide during the night.

Addison Reid, aged 49 years, employed in a table factory at St. Johns, became violently insane and was removed to Kalamazoo.

Edward Douglas, of New Carlisle, Ind., was killed by a Michigan Central passenger train two miles west of Niles while walking on the track.

Clara Van Cleve, wife of John Van Cleve, of Ypsilanti, has died from the effects of a runaway accident which happened three or four years ago, when she was hurt internally.

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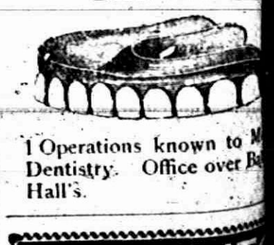

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The next day, in company with Mr. Timmons, I visited the government building proper. It is a large building, two stories in height, with lofty ceilings, and a broad stairway. There is a large hall below, ornamented with handsome life-size portraits of Kamehameha I. and his wife, Kamehameha II., III., and IV., and their wives, and Kamehameha V. These comprise all the Kamehameha dynasty, the first great rulers of the nation. The upper hall is decorated with fine portraits in oil, most of them life-size. There is a fine portrait of Queen Emma, the grand-daughter of John Young, the mate of an American ship, who was the trusted adviser and general of Kamehameha I. There is a full life-size portrait of King David Kalakaua, one of ex-Queen Liliuokalani, or Mrs. Dominus, as she is now called, and her deceased husband, John O. Dominus. There is also a fine life-size portrait in oil of Admiral Farragut, who was very much admired by King Kalakaua. Legislative halls, committee rooms, and council chambers, with the various rooms of the cabinets, are in this building. The building, before the revolution which overthrew monarchy, was known as the Palace, and is even yet so called by some, though monarchy is rapidly passing away, and the spunky little republic is every day becoming more firmly seated in the saddle.

The government buildings and all the departments are guarded by soldiers. The standing army, composed exclusively of white men, numbers about two hundred regular soldiers. The National Guard and the Citizens' Guard swell this number to about two thousand fighting men. They have two Gatling guns, two Hotchkiss rapid firing guns, two brass six pounders, and some iron field pieces. Their force is sufficient to protect the island from internal troubles and from filibusters.

Their greatest dread is of Japan. The Japanese, flushed with their late victory over China, have given utterance to some portentous threats against the Hawaiian Islands for discriminating against them. With a fleet of gunboats, a few heavy guns, and two or three war ships the Hawaiians could easily defend themselves against the Japanese. Their harbors are in excellent condition for fortification. Pearl Harbor and the harbor of Honolulu have promontories, such as Koko Head and Diamond Head, which, if fortified, would be impregnable barriers against warships.

One of the noted spots on the island of Oahu is the Pali. Every tourist to the island visits this historic and picturesque place. The Pali, or pass, which is the only road by which travelers can cross the island, passes over the brink of a precipice one thousand feet above the level of the sea. From this narrow Pali, not wide enough for two wagons to pass, one can see the ocean on both sides of the island. The view is perhaps unexcelled from any other point in the world. From Honolulu there is a broad well-beaten road leading up to the Pali. Tourists go up in carriages or on horseback. I decided to make the journey on horseback, and so, mounted on a tough little mountain pony and accompanied by a young school-teacher as guide, on November 25, 1895, I left Queen Street, and cantered through the town, Monako, on toward the mountains.

It was a delightful morning. A gentle breeze was blowing, tho' my guide assured me it would be hot enough before we returned.

"Leave your vest at home," he advised. "A coat and trousers will be all you will want."

"Is it so hot on the mountains?" I asked.

"No, but we will get it coming down. The wind in the pass, however, sometimes blows so hard that you can hardly keep your hat on your head, or hair either, for that matter."

Our coats were light summer ulsters such as are worn in July and August. While cantering down the street we sometimes glanced into the open doors. The houses usually have a deserted appearance as the inmates prefer the cool lanai to the parlor. But as we passed one house, we saw a lady at a telephone gossiping with some lady friend in a distant part of the island.

"She has gone visiting," my guide explained. "Perhaps there is no place in the world where the telephone is used so much as it is here. Why the women will ask 'Central' the time of day rather than go in the next room and look at the clock. They often ask 'Central' if it is raining instead of looking out to see. 'Central' is the most overworked person on the island."

The telephone system on Oahu is perhaps the most complete in the world. Every part of the island is reached by telephone, and up every rugged mountain path the wires are stretched.

It is a long ride through the suburbs of the city, dotted with pretty little homes, adorned as only tropical homes are. Bright eyes and cheery faces met us on every side. Some people were busy in their gardens or lawns, but most of the places seemed to have been temporarily deserted. Honolulu, like all cities of the tropics has a general air of listless repose. The most industrious people seem to be the Chinese. At all hours of the day and even late into night these little people may be seen carrying loads large enough to make a mule stagger. Really, the Chinaman is the most cosmopolitan person one meets with except the American. He wears all sorts of costumes from his native Oriental garb to the white ducking of a tropical dude. He sells shoes, makes shoes and clothes, works in every sort of factory, stands in every sort of store, is on every plantation, is every kind of servant, rows boats, rides in carriages, carts, on mules, and bicycles, in fact he is met everywhere, and under all conditions and circumstances.

Passing fine apple ranches, tara patches and banana fields, we at last struck the main road. "From here we go up hill every foot," my guide explained, as he drew in his horse, panting from the recent gallop.

On our right just on a rising elevation was a veritable palace. An avenue of palms led from the main road back up to one of the neat little cottages some distance in the background, then winding and turning until it is lost to view in the dense tropical foliage. After extending a long distance mountainward, it again came into view and extended down to the main road. This avenue of palms was wide enough for a broad carriage drive.

The houses soon became fewer and of a meaner sort.

"These are mostly inhabited by Kanakas," said my guide. "Over on our right, if it were not for that grove of algerobas, you could see the grass houses of the natives."

"Do many of them still live in grass houses?"

"Not many. Some, however, prefer grass houses yet to houses of wood."

"Why?"

"Because they say the mosquitoes won't bother one in a grass house."

"I would be willing to live in any sort of a house to be free of the Hawaiian mosquitoes," I answered. "Of all the pests I ever met with they are the worst."

"There are no native Hawaiian mosquitoes," he answered.

"Do you mean to say that the mosquito is not indigenous to the soil?"

"They are not."

"Then how did they get here?"

"They were imported."

"Imported? Why the government ought to have had a protective tariff as high as the skies against such importations."

"Well, you may think this a fish story, but it's true. Mosquitoes were imported. Whaling vessels in coming to the islands brought water from mosquito countries for drinking purposes, and a family of the most active mosquitoes made their escape to the islands."

This story of the importation of mosquitoes I subsequently had verified. There have been many obnoxious insects and animals imported to these islands, among them the mongoose, imported to catch the rats, which not only attacked the rats, but has made a war of extermination on the chickens, ducks, and all fowls. Toads are being imported to destroy obnoxious bugs, the national entomologist is studying all injurious insects and the methods by which they may be destroyed.

When we had ascended the road about two miles we drew rein on a level spot, and looked back to catch a view of the city and bay. Honolulu lay among the trees like a pearl in an oyster shell, and the streets seemed mere threads in the distance, while the bay looked like a crystal mirror with the ships lying quietly at anchor. The beauty of the situation from this elevation is worth going twice the distance to see.

We were now on a higher plain covered with grass save where there were clusters of algerobas or small fields. Growing along the fence I recognized some old enemies that I used to encounter on the farm when a boy, the cuckle burrs. Notwithstanding the Americanism of the Hawaiians, the cuckle burr and taking up a collection in church were the only really familiar features in the country.

Intelligent People

And people of good taste are earnestly recommended to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for disorders of the stomach. Constipation and indigestion cured. A trial of this great remedy can be made for 10c (10 doses 10c), also in 50c and $1 sizes. feb

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7, '96.

The half billion dollars which investors offered to put into U. S. coin bonds, this week, when the bids for that $100,000,000 issue of bonds were opened, spoke in thunder tones, which were heard around the world, of the soundness of the credit of the United States. And that wasn't all that this enormous amount of money said, and when money talks it is usually listened to. It gave the lie direct, backed by the indisputable evidence of hard cash, to the statements made in and out of Congress, by men in authority, that it would be impossible for this government to float a large issue of bonds without erasing "coin" and substituting "gold" on the face of them. It is worthy of note, too, that the very money kings who started the "gold" bond idea, and whose "advice" was responsible for all the statements made against coin bonds, in Congress, and elsewhere, were bidders for these same coin bonds. Unfortunate as it is that this enormous issue of bonds should have to be made in time of proposed peace, many people think the object lesson thereby taught is worth the price.

The Senate has entered into a game of politics, pure and simple, and the populists hold the winning trumps. The republicans are being given a lesson against biting off more than they could chew, when they reorganized the committees and became responsible for legislation. The first trick in the game was taken when Senator Jones, of Nevada, voted with the democrats of the Finance committee, and had a substitute providing for the free coinage of silver, reported for the House tariff bill. No sooner was this done than the policy of the democrats became plain. They propose to use the free silver substitute to try to kill the tariff bill, and to do so they have all become for the time silver men. This resulted in uniting the republicans, the silver republicans being more anxious to pass the tariff bill, which may possibly become a law, than to pass the free coinage substitute, which cannot possibly become a law. The populist Senators by voting as a unit can decide this game either way. If they divide, the tariff bill will win and pass.

The friends of Senator Allison are making the loudest claims of being benefited by ex-President Harrison's announcement that he would not be a candidate for the Presidential nomination of his party, but the friends of Speaker Reed, Gov. Morton, ex-Gov. McKinley and the others who are open or implied candidates seem to think that they also have been benefited. There is little doubt that Mr. Harrison would prefer Senator Allison to any other of the candidates, but there are several weighty reasons why he is not likely to make that preference known. While not a candidate, Mr. Harrison must recognize, in common with others, that a contingency may arise in the convention which might result in his being nominated. For that reason, and others, he is not likely to express a preferance among the candidates; he wants the friendship of them all.

The annual meeting of the Supreme Council of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union met in Washington this week. As usual the business was transacted behind closed doors, only a part of what was done being given out by the press committee. The organization is reported to be in a much more prosperous condition than it was at its last meeting. The council, while disclaiming the intention to drag the organization into party politics, declared in favor of the free coinage of silver. Among the well known people who delivered addresses at the several open meetings was ex-Congressman Jerry Simpson, of Kansas. Maj. Mann Page, of Virginia, was elected president.

The A. P. A. has been trying its power in both branches of Congress. It made a hard fight in the Senate on the nomination of Gen. Coppinger, but when the vote was taken there were less than twenty against the confirmation of Gen. Coppinger's nomination. Nothing dismayed, it began a fight, under the leadership of Representative Hainer, of Nebraska, in the House, on the appropriations in the District of Columbia bill for Secretarian charities in Washington, and won a victory; but whether it is only temporary remains to be seen when the bill comes back from the committee, to which it was committed by vote of the House.

The October term of the United State Supreme Court was concluded this week, and an adjournment taken to March 2d. 217 cases disposed of during the term against 165 at last year's term. Before adjourning the court set the third Monday in March for the Arguments in the sugar bounty cases, appealed from the Louisiana courts.

A person is prematurely old when baldness occurs before the forty-fifth year. Use Hall's Hair Renewer to keep the scalp healthy and prevent baldness. 1w

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

The Michigan Central has also adopted the exact 2 cent a mile fare.

The Ann Arbor Argus corrects its contemporaries as follows; "The name of the new dean in the women's department of the univerity has been erroneously stated in all the papers. The correct name is Eliza M. Mosher, M. D."

It has been rumored that Prof. Sill is about to resign his post in Korea, on account of poor health. We have good authority for the statement that Prof. Sill is enjoying excellent health, but regret to say that Mrs. Sill is not so fortunate in this respect.—Ypsilantian.

The Ann Arbor Argus puts it about right, thus; "The quarrel which has been going on between the two contending fraternity factions over the Annual Ball has done more to hold the university to ridicule in the minds of the people throughout the state than any one thing that has occurred in years."

A meeting of base ball enthusiasts was recently held at Adrian and it was decided that a good team could be maintained there with some assistance. Accordingly, a canvass of the city has been made and sufficient pledges procured to insure success and Adrian will be on the diamond this season.

The state agricultural board at a recent meeting in Grand Rapids, chose Prof. J. L. Snyder, of Alleghany, Pa., as president of the agricultural college to succeed President Gorton. The election was made on the first formal ballot by a vote of 6 to 1, after two or three informal ballots had been taken. Dr. Snyder was principal of the schools at that place. He has accepted the position and will take up his new duties soon. He was raised on a farm, has devoted his earnings to farming, a graduate of Westminister college, and is an educator of ability, 37 years of age.

The February term of the circuit court opened this morning. The following cases were brought up: Potter Metcalf was arranged on the charge of grand larceny. T. J. Hiller was arranged on the charge of embezzlement. The statue forbids Prosecuting Attorney Bird from procecuting that case as he had been engaged in a civil suit involving the same facts. O. B. Morgan was appointed in his stead as prosecutor. Frank Miller was also before the court on a charge of larceny. Fred Walker was arranged on a charge of bastardy. All plead not guilty and were remanded for trial.—Telegram of Wednesday.

The following, taken from the Telegram, gives some idea of the route and scope of the Lima Northern road, which may come to Tecumseh: "Judge Dennelley stated that Detroit was the objective point at present, with the ultimate object of reaching out into the northern part of the state and the northwest. The Ohio Southern, of which the Lima Northern will be an extension, has access to the celebrated Jackson coal fields, and only needs a few miles to connect with the inexhaustible coal fields of West Virginia. They want to reach the north and the northwest. Detroit is the terminal point, where the company hopes to get the advantage of dockage and lake shipments of coal. By having a direct and much shorter route from the coal fields it is figured coal can be laid down in Michigan for about a dollar a ton less than by any other road. The road, then, is to be primarily a coal road north, and a carrier for lumber from the north to the south. The passenger service will also be first-class in every respect."

Eugene Field's Last Sotry.

In 1884 Eugene Field wrote a story, which he called "The Werewolf." When it was finished he laid it aside and a year afterward entirely rewrote it. In 1886 he again took it up and revised it, and during the nine years between that time and his death in November last, he rewrote it eight times. His last revision pleased him and he decided to print it. But death came too suddenly, and the story was found, unpublished, among his effects. Mrs. Field, concluding to have the story appear, gave it to the editor of The Ladies' Home Journal, in which magazine all of Mr. Field's work, outside of his newspaper articles, was presented to the public. The story will be presented in the next issue of the Journal, strikingly illustrated by Mr. Howard Pyle.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Clinton Column.

The Woolen Mill Banquet—Social Events—Personal Pointers, etc.

Rev. Blachford was in town Tuesday.

Jas. Riley was a Tecumseh passenger Tuesday afternoon.

The postponed O. E. S. supper will be held tomorrow evening.

Lyman Thomas, of Grand Rapids, visited in town Monday.

Leon Clark, who has been seriously ill, is able to be out again.

In the horse suit Monday it looked like a horse on the plaintiffs.

Miss Laura Tuttle has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Wall & Bigelow's Dramatic Co. opened at the town hall Tuesday evening.

Miss Bertha Griffin, of Britton, is visiting at her cousin's, Irve Hause.

Eddie St.John will superintend the supper for the return party tonight.

John Colton, of Macon, has been visiting friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. Peter Morden, who has been suffering with a broken hip is able to sit up.

Geo. A. Kies started on the road again Monday, after a few days sojourn at home.

G. R. Gillespie was in Adrian Monday attending the opening session of the court.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin attended the 5 o'clock tea at Mrs. Woodward's Wednesday.

C. D. Keyes, of Tecumseh, attended the party at Laura Clark's Thursday evening.

Weaving is a little slack at the Mills on account of changing from light to heavy goods.

Tom Adamson, of Tecumseh, doctored the big regulator in W. D. VanTuyle's bank Tuesday.

Mrs. Ansel Kishpaugh and Miss Nellie gave a pedro party to their friends Wednesday evening.

Rev. S. Batchelor, of Chesaning, Saginaw Co., preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. L. Tuttle gave an extremely pleasant 5 o'clock tea at her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Amspoker gave a dinner party Saturday in honor of her guest, Mrs. M. W. Heath.

Will Hause and wife drove to Britton last Saturday and visited at their old home over Sunday.

Bert Tate arrived home last Friday from Chicago, where he has been making an extended visit.

J. B. Kishpaugh, of Hanover, has been visiting friends in and about the village for the past few days.

Mrs. D. S. Goodrich, who has been visiting in the village for a couple of weeks, left Monday for Corrunna.

Mrs. Paul Snaubla, of Ann Arbor, came last Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. A. Bush, who is quite ill.

Prof. Carr's music class completed their novitiate with a concert at the Baptist church Monday evening.

Mrs. B. P. Anderson, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. E. R. Smith from Thursday to Saturday of last week.

Fred Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday morning looking after the Prentiss end of the horse scrap.

Mrs. F. D. Lancaster and Mrs. Porter Smith returned last Saturday from a three days' visit with friends in Albion.

Tom Mulderry, Chas. Burger and Andy Kane, of Adrian, were guests of Wm. Wallace the latter part of last week.

Jas. Honley, who has been in the employ of S. W. DeMuth for the past year, severed his connection with that firm Saturday night.

Herman H. Haliday will take a respite from local labor having been drawn juror, for the present term of court, from this place.

Frank Bice moved his household goods to Portland, Mich., Monday, where himself and brother, Bert, will engage in business.

Mrs. J. A. VanTuyle and daughter, Kittie, went to Hudson Saturday, having received word that Mrs. Frank Woodward was very ill.

F. B. Greenleaf having secured a position with the Flint Carriage and Wagon Co. gave up his place with the Clinton Plow Co. Saturday.

Guy Belding and wife, of Tecumseh, were the guests of his parents from Friday to Sunday, being on hand to participate in the Woolen Mill supper.

Ray Ellis, of Macon, who has just finished his course at Cleary's business college, started Monday for Chicago, where he has been fortunate enough to secure a good position.

Mrs. Harmon Clark and daughter, Nellie, and the Misses Helen Leeson and Zada Dickorson came from Manchester, Monday, to attend the concert at the Baptist church.

The third lecture on the course was given by. H. H. Emmet last Friday evening. Mr. Emmet handled "The Indian Question" in a comprehensive and entertaining manner.

Miss Laura Clark gave a progressive pedro party Monday evening, to ladies only. Whether this was a forward movement in favor of the new woman in our town we were unable to ascertain.

Andrew Murdock, banker of Logansport, Ind., made his Clinton friends a visit last week. Mr. Murdock was in the employ of Ed Smith a half century ago and this is his first visit to his old home in over 30 years.

Will Richmond, of the firm of Gadd, Hogan & Richmond, and Sol Tate, of Tate & Stoner, went to Buffalo Saturday, returning Tuesday. Their combined shipment was five carload of sheep and hogs.

Last Sunday the members of the Baptist church decided to extend a call to Mr. Hutchins, the Kalamazoo College student who preached for them a few weeks ago and gave such excellent satisfaction. Mr. Hutchins does not graduate until June, but will make arrandements to come Saturday, returning to school the first of each week. He hopes to begin about the first of March.

Mr. Chas. Judd and Miss Stella Gray were united in marriage Wednesday morning, in Tecumseh, Rev. Blachford officiating. Congratulations follow the happy couple on their newly revised journey through life.

Married, at St. Peter's rectory on Wednesday evening, by the Rev. W. R. Blachford, Mr. Charles E. Judge and Miss Florence E. Gray, both of Clinton. The witnesses were Mr. Floyd Williams and Miss Minnie Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Judge take no wedding trip at present, intending to make a visit in Utica and Clayville, N. Y., sometime during the summer.

Two smooth lads lately canvassed the town selling catalogues for a general supply house at which goods could be purchased very cheap. The catalogue was sold for $3, but the goods advertised could be purchased at such a discount that the price of the book would be saved on the first order. The day after the lists were delivered the firm went down with a'd. s. l. and now its patrons have a $3 cat logue, at least $10 worth of experience, and a savage look.

The annual supper given by the Woolen Mills to the employees, Saturday evening, was a grand success and will prove a great factor in keeping good will and harmony supreme, between labor and capital in our village for the coming year. After a bounteous supper the following program was enjoyed:

Song—America
Recitation—Jennie McNeal's Ride ..... Miss Mabel Redick.
Piano Solo ..... Miss Lillie Gragg
Recitation—Kate Shelley ..... Miss Maude Batchelor.
Piano Duet ..... Misses Collins and Carroll.
Duet—Banjo and Harmonica ..... Vest and Sanford.
Whistling Duet ..... Misses Sullivan.
Violin Solo ..... Miss Kittie Noone.
Morning Quartette.

PENTECOST.

Pertinent Quotations An Old Pioneer at Death's Door.

The windmill that has been waiting for a breeze got it, with a vengeance, Monday night.

Mrs. Eugene Smith, who was just recovering from an attack of la grippe, has had a relapse and is under the doctor's care again.

H. B. Tripp is entertaining a little stranger who may live to become President of the United States if the woman's rights doctrine should ever prevail in this country.

Mr. and Mrs. Connor, formerly of Oakland, California, are soon to become residents of Tipton, and we hope they will conclude to remain residents of Franklin township for some time to come.

Mrs. Emmeline Smith, who lies ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. W. Love, is in a very precarious condition. She has taken almost no food for 18 days and her death is hourly expected. She is 94 years of age.

Speaking of the lack of news from this point in the county papers we are told a person said, "All the Pentecost reporters are dead, and no loss to the community, either." Now, as Samantha Allen would say, "that's downright ongrateful, an' me burnin' the midnight 'ile—good karsene, too, at ten cents a gallon—a tryin' to say sunthin' for their benefit. Wal, as Josiar ses, this is a ongrateful an' a dreadfully mixed up world, anyhow."

Mothers

Will please observe that children may use Century Catarrh Cure with perfect safety, as in no case does it produce the slightest ill effect. For all stoppages and colds in the head which often trouble the little ones it will be found the pleasantest and surest of prescriptions and infinitely the easiest to administer. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. feb

Young strawberry plants are often killed by the application of strong fertilizers.

The Time for Building

Up the system is at this season. The cold weather has made unusual drains upon the vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and all the functions of the body suffer in consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great builder, because it is the one true blood purifier and nerve tonic.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with all who use them. All druggists. 25c. 1w

No other fruit requires so much manure or such thorough cultivation as the quince.

A tired stomach is very much like a sprained ankle. If you suffer from any of the symptoms of dyspepsia, your stomach is tired. It needs a crutch. We must relieve it of all work for a time, or until it is restored to its natural strength. To do this successfully, we must use a food which is already digested outside of the body, and which will aid the digestion of other foods that may be taken with it. Such a product is the Shaker Digestive Cordial.

The Shakers have utilized the digestive principles present in plants for the manufacture of this article, and its success has been truly phenomenal. You can try it for the nominal sum of 10c, as sample bottles are sold by all druggists at this price.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of castor oil. 1w

During the early winter is a good time to haul out and spread manure in the orchard.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil; the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases. 1w

Sugar maple is good either as a forest or an ornamental tree. It will do well on a rocky hillside.

Any tendency to premature baldness may be promptly checked by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. Don't delay until the scalp is bare and the hair roots destroyed. If you would realize the best results, begin at once with this invaluable preparation. 1w

Fruit trees, grape vines and bushes have no place in the garden, as they draw nourishment from the soil.

Pure blood and a good digestion are an insurance against disease and suffering. Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digestion perfect. 1w

THE LAST OF THE TEN.

BY BOHEMIAN.

The old granny sat on the door step spinning; the mother and daughter were down at the river washing; little Paola was in the field watching the single peacock, all that remained of the gallant and strutting ten that had once been his especial charge. The grandma's heart was sad, for it was eight years since her son had been outlawed and had gone to hide in the mountains that overlooked the blue Mediterranean. The mother was pensive because she knew not when she would hear the cry: "He is taken! he is taken." The little daughter was sorrowful because she had to kneel there by the river on Christmas, for they were too poor to remain idle even on a holiday. Paola was discontented; his beautiful flock of proud peacocks had been stolen; only one had been left by the brigands when they made their last descent from the mountains. Their goat, too, had disappeared. In the solitude of the mountain side near the shores of the lovely sea the lad reclined in the sunshine with his one peacock ambling haughtily around him like some princely dame with a profound disbelief in the saying about fine feathers. How grand she was, this splendid creature, with her feathers like rainbows in color and her tread that of an overconscious queen! The boy bent in adoration before her. "How splendid you are!" he said.

Yes; it was true. Little Paola adored this, the last of his pets. The loss of the others had made it more dear to him. They had once had two or three goats and he had a little hut all to himself overlooking the sea. Here he slept in storm and sunshine. A peacock may seem an odd sort of pet, but it is none the less true that a species of devotion existed between the disdainful bird and the peasant lad. The latter was the admirer; the former looked upon him with superior condescension. When it rained the boy took the last of the flock to his hut, where there was barely room for both of them within. The lad, it should be said, had once been devoted to a little, lazy, unfortunate donkey, but it was nothing compared to this affection. A donkey, he told himself, was well enough in its way, with its red tassels and bright harness, but it was not to be mentioned in the same category with this gorgeous and overwhelming creature whose attire was so bright and glowing that no princess in the world would compare with it. He guarded it as the apple of his eye, and granny said he had rather live with his gay and disdainful friend than with them, which probably was true. Granny was a very discerning old lady, but she was a mournful companion, for she often rocked to and fro and lamented their hard lot. Such bewailings were not cheering, and Paola preferred the mountain side, the shade of the olive trees, the beach running down to the caressing sea, the blue sky that changed at sunset and—above all—the last of the ten.

But on that day when granny sat spinning and the mother and daughter were washing, a misfortune befell Paola. A priest who passed him called out:

"Paola, are you not coming to church?"

"I cannot," was the reply. "It would run away." "It" was the last of the flock.

"I wonder why peacocks don't go to church?" thought the lad. "Such magnificent beings must have a soul, if I have, who am ugly, ragged, dirty and—and—hungry."

This problem occupied his attention for some time and he glanced with commiseration at his gorgeous companion whose feathers just then had assumed their most imposing appearance. It was a new aspect of their relationship. Heretofore he had been the humble one absolutely adoring; now a sense of superiority swept over him and he pityingly surveyed his feathered friend. But the latter was as disdainful as ever. It seemed a hardened sinner who cared not whether or no it flaunted its gaudy feathers through the golden gates. "Don't pity me; I'll have a good time while I'm here," it seemed to say. "Just watch me strut around and admire myself." And the boy grieved greatly. But its exultation was of brief endurance. A shadow fell upon them and a harsh voice was heard:

"Hello, boy!"

The lad looked up and saw a fierce bewhiskered man whose aspect would have terrified almost anyone.

"How do you do, sir," said Paola, politely. "You're a brigand, aren't you?"

"You've guessed it. Now don't cry out, youngster. If you do, I'll wring your neck. Besides, it would do you no good for this is a lonesome spot."

"What do you want?"

For answer the man seized the peacock, killed it and strode off with it, leaving the lad weeping as if his heart would break. He was alone in the world, for after all his home was no home, and he preferred his hut of rushes to the tiny, stuffy house of stone, where grandam was always grumbling. Sadly the sea moaned at his feet. It seemed to say: "You have lost your last friend, little boy; first they took your donkey, then your goat and now the last of your beautiful pets." The world little knows how the heart of a lad may be bound up in a pet. When he grows up a stronger passion may consume him, but not truer or sweeter than this devotion for a dumb creature. It is, often, the ideal Platonic devotion. He shields and protects; he is a father before he is a man; a grand protector. His heart is unselfish; the wants of the other are sometimes more than his wants. He is a veritable Hindoo in his regard for some animal and, like the Brahmin, he is kind, gentle and lovable.

When he had wept until he could weep no more Paola arose sorrowfully and because his hut was now distasteful to him made his way toward their home. The sun was sinking; the sky had taken a pensive dove color. Afar was a distant sail or two and Paola wished he were aboard one of those boats so distant. The rested motionless on the bosom of the sea. The boy's heart arose in rebellion. "I would like to be a Corsair; to rob and steal; others rob me; they take all I have; I will be a Corsair when I grow up. No; not a brigand, for I hate brigands; they but rob children. I would take great vessels and be a grand corsair and I would never steal from women and children." When he reached the house he heard a sound of merriment within and he hesitated to enter. Finally he summoned up courage and passed though the door. Then he stood still in surprise.

Around the table was a gay party. Grandam had donned her finest gilded bonnet which she had worn in her girlhood; the mother was dressed in her best and his little sister was seated in a high chair with her hair all braided. The table was set and there was a stranger at the board. Paola gave a great cry when he recognized in him the brigand who had robbed him and would have fled through the door. But granddam seized him by the arm, holding him.

"Where are you going, little fool?" she asked. "Are you afraid of your father?"

"My father; he's a brigand! He robbed me! He stole from me! He is a thief."

"Hush!" said grandam, sternly, shaking his arm; "it is your father."

The man at the table turned boisterously to the boy:

"So it's you, my lad. I did not know you. Curse the laws of a land that separate a father from his son! He meets him and does not recognize his own offspring. So that was your bird I took. Well, well; I but robbed my own, after all, then. Behold it, all stuffed and roasted. I had determined to take dinner this day with my family. In spite of the hounds that are after me. It's six years now since I've seen you all; eh, grandam?"

"Six yers," croaked the old lady, "six long years since you were an honest man."

"Yes, six years that I've lived in a hole like a fox. But they haven't taken me yet. At any rate, we have a royal feast now. Peacocks were only for kings and barons in the old days. It is cheering to be seated at my own board once more. Come and embrace me, my Paola."

The boy looked at the table. The sight there caused his heart to harden and his mind became filled with bitterness. His grief was greater than that of the Italian noble who sacrificed his splendid falcon when he asked his lady to dine with him.

"I won't come near you," said the boy, sturdily.

"Eh? Why not?" asked the other in surprise.

"You are a thief; you are not my father," he replied, clenching his hands.

"This is a nice welcome, grandam," roared the brigand, laughing heartily.

"I had no father. I loved but one thing; you stole that; you killed it; you are a wicked man. I tell you so and you can kill me, if you like."

"The boy speaks truly," said a calm voice. The brigand sprang up in alarm and was confronted by the priest who had spoken to the boy earlier in the day. A stately, majestic man, beloved, venerated, almost feared because of those glittering eyes that seemed to pierce the soul!

"Who are you?" cried the brigand, confronting the intruder fiercely.

"You know me—a priest," was the cold response in a voice that showed no fear, only tranquil authority. "It was I who married you; I who christened your children. And now I say your child has spoken well. Words of wisdom often fall from the lips of children. For years you have lived like a beast, an animal. You have now even robbed your own. For shame! Coward!"

"I did not know it, you meddlesome fellow!" retorted the brigand, almost mad with rage.

"The crime was none the less. I could give you up and your life would answer for your misgivings. Perhaps I should do so."

"You will not do that! I—" threateningly.

"I give you your choice," was the stern interruption; to meet your deserts now or to live a new life. Listen: in the harbor is a large sailing boat; it goes to Spain to-night; from Spain you can sail to America. I will give you the funds. Once in that land, redeem the past and when you have done so send for your family. I will recommend you to the captain of the sailing vessel. Will you do this, miserable fellow, or do you prefer living in the mountains?"

The man fell on his knees; he could not resist the glittering eyes; such merciful words he had never heard before. He put his hands over his eyes.

"Absolve me, father," he almost sobbed.

The priest lifted his ivory crucifix impressively. "Your sins are many. Not I, but Christ can forgive them. Go!"

The brigand turned to obey.

"Father," cried Paola, springing forward.

The embrace once withheld was given and the father disappeared. In his joy Paola forgot the sacrifice of his pet.

It is many years since these events transpired and it only remains to be told what the priest said to me not long ago: "I do not regret having given the man a chance. He has become an honest citizen. He has a farm in one of the western states in America and his family are with him. I think I performed a greater service for society than if I had turned him over to the authorities." Whether the end justified this conclusion is a matter upon which people may differ.—Detroit Free Press.

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At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 21st day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emens, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Byron A. Best, Administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of February next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 20th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Elizabeth Pilbeam, widow of said deceased, praying that her dower in the real estate of said deceased may be assigned to her and that commissioners be appointed for that purpose according to the statute in such case made and provided.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of February next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Scovel C. Stacy, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Sumner Collins, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 24th day of February, and on the 27th day of July, 1896, at two o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days and that six months from the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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Beginning at Jerusalem.—Luke xxiv., 47.

"There it is," said the driver, and we all instantly and excitedly rose in the carriage to catch the first glimpse of Jerusalem, so long the joy of the whole earth. That city, coronetted with temple and palace, and radiant, whether looked up at from the valley of Jehoshaphat or gazed at from adjoining hills, was the capital of a great nation. Clouds of incense had hovered over it. Chariot of kings had rolled through it. Battering rams of enemies had thundered against it. There Isaiah prophesied, and Jeremiah lamented, and David reigned, and Paul preached, and Christ was martyred. Most interesting city ever built since masonry rung its first trowel, or plum line measured its first wall or royalty swung its first scepter. What Jerusalem was to the Jewish kingdom, Washington is to our own country—the capital, the place to which all the tribes come up, the great national heart whose throb sends life or death through the body politic, clear out to the geographical extremities.

What the resurrected Christ said in my text to His disciples, when He ordered them to start on the work of gospelization, "beginning at Jerusalem," it seems to me God says now, in His providence, to tens of thousands of Christians in this city. Start for the evangelization of America, "beginning at Washington." America is going to be taken for God. If you do not believe it, take your hat now and leave, and give room to some man or woman who does believe it. As surely as God lives, and He is able to do as He says He will, this country will be evangelized from the mouth of the Potomac to the mouth of the Oregon, from the highlands of the Neversink to the Golden Horn, from Baffin's bay to the gulf of Mexico, and Christ will walk every lake, whether bestormed or placid, and be transfigured on every mountain, and the night skies, whether they hover over groves of magnolia or over Alaskan glacier, shall be filled with angelic overture of "Glory to God and good will to men."

Again and again does the Old Book announce that all the earth shall see the salvation of God, and as the greater includes the lesser, that takes America gloriously in. Can you not see that if America is not taken for God by His consecrated people, it will be taken for Apollyon! The forces engaged on both sides are so tremendous that it can not be a drawn battle. It is coming, the Armageddon! Either the American Sabbath will perish and this nation be handed over to Herods, and Hildebrands, and Diocletians, and Neros of baleful power, and alcoholism will reign, seated upon piled-up throne of beer barrels, his mouth foaming with domestic and national curse, and crime will lift its unhindered knife of assassination, and rattle keys of worst burglary, and wave forth the widest conflagration, and our cities be turned into Sodoms, waiting for Almighty tempests of fire and brimstone, and one tidal wave of abomination will surge across the continent, or our Sabbaths will take on more sanctity, and the newspapers will become apocalyptic wings of benediction, and penitentiaries will be abandoned for lack of occupants, and holiness and happiness, twin son and daughter of Heaven, shall walk through the land, and Christ reign over this nation, either in person or by agency so glorious that the whole country will be one clear, resounding echo of Heaven. It will be one or the other. By the throne of Him who liveth forever and ever, I declare it will be the latter. If the Lord will help me, as He always does—blessed be His glorious name!—I will show you how a mighty work of grace begun at Washington would have a tendency to bring the whole continent to God, and before this century closes.

William the Conquerer ordered the curfew, the custom of ringing the bell at midnight, at which all the fires on the hearths were to be banked, and all the lights extinguished, and all the people retire to their pillows. I pray God that the curfew of this century may no be sounded, and the fires be banked, and the lights extinguished, as the clock strikes the midnight hour that divides the nineteenth century from the twentieth century, until this beloved land, which was to most of us a cradle, and which will be to most of us a grave, shall come into the full possession of Him who is so glorious that William the Conqueror could not be compared to Him, even the one who rideth forth "conquering and to conquer."

Why would it be especially advantageous if a mighty work of grace started here, "beginning at Washington?" First, because this city is on the border between the north and the south. It is neither northern nor southern. It commingles the two climates. It brings together the two styles of population. It is not only right, but beautiful, that people should have especial love for the latitude where they were born and brought up. With what loving accentuation the Alabamian speaks of his orange groves! 'And the man from Massachusetts is sure to let you know that he comes from the land of the Adamses—Samuel, and John, and John Quincy. Did you ever know a Virginian or Ohioan whose face did not brighten when he announced himself from the southern or northern state of presidents? If a man does not like his native clime, it is because, while he lived there, he did not behave well. This capital stands where, by its locality and its political influence, it stretches forth one hand toward the north and the other toward the south, and a mighty work of grace starting here would probably be a national awakening. Georgia would clasp the hand of New Hampshire, and Maine the hand of Louisiana, and California the hand of New York, and say: "Come, let us go up and worship the God of Nations, the Christ of Golgotha, the Holy Ghost of the pentecostal three thousands."

It has often been said that the only way the north and the south will be brought into complete accord is to have a war with some foreign nation, in which both sections, marching side by side, would forget everything but the foe to be overcome. Well, if you wait for such a foreign conflict, you will wait until all this generation is dead, and perhaps wait forever. The war that will make the sections forget past controversies is a war against unrighteousness, such as a universal religious awakening would declare. What we want is a battle for souls, in which about forty million northerners and southerners shall be on the same side, and shoulder to shoulder. In no other city on the continent can such a war be declared so appropriately, for all the other great cities are either northern or southern. This is neither, or, rather, it is both.

Again, it would be especially advantageous if a mighty work of grace started here, because more representative men are in Washington than in any other city between the oceans. Of course there are accidents in politics, and occasionally there are men who get into the senate and house of representatives and other important places who are fitted for the positions in neither head nor heart; but this is exceptional and more exceptional now than in other days. There is not a drunkard in the national legislature, although there were times when Kentucky, Virginia, Delaware, Illinois, New York and Massachusetts had men in senate or house of representatives who went maudlin and staggering drunk across those high places. Never nobler group of men sat in senate or house of representatives than sat there yesterday and will sit there to-morrow, while the highest judiciary, without exception, has now upon its bench men beyond criticism for good morals and mental endowment. So in all departments of official position, with here and there an exception, are to-day the brainiest men and most honorable men of America.

Now, suppose the Holy Ghost power should fall upon this city, and these men from all parts of America should suddenly become pronounced for Christ! Do you say the effect would be electrical? More than that; it would be omnipotent! Do you say that such learned and potent men are not wrought upon by religious influence? That shows that you have not observed what has been going on. Commodore Foote, representing the navy; Gen. Grant and Robert E. Lee, representing the northern and southern armies; Chief Justice Chase, representing the supreme court; the Frelinghuysens, Theodore and Frederick, representing the United States senate. William Pennington and scores of others representing the house of representatives, have surrendered to that Gospel which, before this winter is out, will, in this capital of the American nation, if we are faithful in our prayers and exertions, turn into the kingdom of God men of national and international power, their tongues of eloquence becoming the tongues of fire in another Pentecost. There are on yonder hill those who by the grace of God will become John Knoxes, and Chrysostoms, and Fenelons, and Bourdeleaus, when once regenerated. There is an illusion I have heard in prayer meetings and in pulpits, that a soul is a soul—one soul worth as much as another. I deny it. The soul of a man who can bring 1,000 or 10,000 other souls into the kingdom of God is worth 1,000 times or 10,000 times more than the soul of a man who can bring no one into the kingdom. A great outpouring of the Holy Spirit in this capital, reaching the chief men of America, would be of more value to earth and Heaven than in any other part of the nation, because it would reach all the states, cities, towns and neighborhoods of the continent. Oh, for the outstretched right arm of God Almighty in the salvation of the capital.

Some of us remember 1857, when at the close of our worst monetary distress this country has ever felt, compared with which the hard times of the last three years were a boom of prosperity, right on the heels of that complete prostration came an awakening in which 500,000 people were converted in different states of the union. Do you know where one of its chief powers was demonstrated? In Washington. Do you know on what street? This street. Do you know in what church? This church. I picked up an old book a few days ago, and was startled, and thrilled, and enchanted to read these words, written at that time by the Washington correspondent of a New York paper. He wrote: "The First Presbyterian church can scarce contain the people. Requests are daily preferred for an interest in the prayers offered, and the reading of these forms one of the tenderest and most effective features of the meetings. Particular pains are taken to disclaim and exclude everything like sectarian feeling. General astonishment is felt at the unexpected rapidity with which the work has thus far proceeded, and we are beginning to anticipate the necessity of opening another church." Why, my hearers, not I have that again, and more than that? There are many thousands more of inhabitants now than then. Besides that, since then the telephone, with its semi-presence, and the swift cable car, for assembling the people, I believe that the mightiest revival of religion that this city has ever seen is yet to come, and the earth will tremble from Capitoline hill to the boundaries on all sides with the footsteps of God as He comes to awaken and pardon and save these great populations. People of Washington, meet us next Thursday night, at 7:30 o'clock, to pray for this coming of the Holy Ghost—not for a pentecostal 3,000 that I have referred to, but 30,000. Such a fire as that would kindle a light that would be seen from the sledges crunching through the snows of Labrador to the Caribbean sea, where the whirlwinds are born. Let our cry be that of Habakkuk, the blank verse poet of the Bible: "Oh, Lord, revive Thy work in the midst of the years; in the midst of the years make known; in wrath remember mercy." Let the battle-cry be: Washington for God! the United States for God! America for God! the world for God! We are all tired of skirmishing. Let us bring on a general engagement. We are tired of fishing with hook and line. With one sweep of the Gospel net let us take in many thousands. This vast work must begin somewhere. Why not here? Some one must give the rallying cry. Why not I, one of the Lord's servants? By providential arrangement, I am every week in sermonic communication with every city, town and neighborhood of this country, and I now give the watchword to north and south, and east and west. Hear and see it, all people—this call to a forward movement, this call to repentance and faith, this call to a continental awakening.

This generation will soon be out of sight. Where are the mighty men that the past who trod your Pennsylvania avenue and spake in your national legislature, and decided the stupendous questions of the supreme judiciary? Ask the sleepers in the congressional cemetery. Ask the mausoleums all over the land. Their tongues are speechless, their eyes closed, their arms folded, their opportunities gone, their destiny fixed. How soon Time prorogues parliaments, and adjourns senates, and disbands cabinets, and empties pulpits, and dismisses generations! What we would do we must do quickly or not do at all. I call upon people who can not come forth from their sick-beds to implore the heavens in our behalf from their midnight pillows, and I call upon the aged who can not, even by the help of their staff, enter the churches, to spend their last days on earth in supplicating the salvation of this nation, and I call upon all men and women who have been in furnaces of trouble, as was Shadrach, and among lions, as was Daniel, and in dungeons of trouble, as was Jeremiah, to join in the prayer, and let the church of God everywhere lay hold of the Almighty arm that moves nations. Then senators of the United States will announce to the state legislatures that sent them here, and members of the house of representatives will report to the congressional districts that elected them, and the many thousands of men and women now and here engaged in many departments of the national service will write home, telling all sections of the country that the Lord is here, and that He is on the march for the redemption of America. Hallelujah! the Lord is coming! I hear the rumbling of His chariot wheels. I feel on my cheeks the breath of the white horses that draw the victor! I see the flash of His lanterns through the whole night of the world's sin and sorrow!

And now I would like to see this hour, that which I have never seen, but hope to see—a whole audience saved under one flash of the Eternal Spirit. Before you go out of any of these doors, enter the door of mercy. Father and mother, come in and bring your children with you. Newly-married folks, consecrate your lifetime to God, and be married for eternity as well as time. Young man, you will want God before you get through this world, and you want Him now. Young woman, without God, this is a hard world for women. One and all, wherever you sit or stand, I lift my voice so that you can hear it, out in the corridors and on the street, and say, in the words of the Mediterranean ship captain: "Call upon thy God, if so be that God will think upon us, that we perish not." Oh, what news to relate to your old father and mother; what news to telegraph your friends on the other side of the moutains; what news with which to thrill your loved ones in Heaven! It was such news that a man read in a noonday meeting in Philadelphia. He arose and unfolding a manuscript, read:

Where'er we meet, you always say
What's the news? what's the news?
Pray, what's the order of the day?
What's the news! what's the news!
Oh! I have got good news to tell,
My Saviour hath done all things well,
And triumphed over death and hell,
That's the news! that's the news!

The Lamb was slain on Calvary,
That's the news! that's the news!
To set a world of sinners free,
That's the news! that's the news!

The Lord has pardoned all my sin—
That's the news! that's the news!
I feel the witness now within—
That's the news! that's the news!
And since He took my sins away,
And taught me how to watch and pray,
I'm happy now from day to day—
That's the news! that's the news!

And Christ the Lord can save you, too—
That's the news! that's the news!
Your sinful heart He can renew—
That's the news! that's the news!
This moment, if for sins you grieve,
This moment, if you do believe,
A full acquittal will receive—
That's the news! that's the news!

And now, if any one should say,
What's the news, what's the news?
Oh, tell him you've began to pray—
That's the news! that's the news!
That you have joined the conquering band,
And now with joy at God's command,
You're marching to the better land,
That's the news! that's the news!

We cannot too often think there is a never-sleeping eye, which reads the heart, and registers our thoughts.—Bacon.

THEOLOGIES are well in their place, but repentance and love must come before all other experiences.—Beecher.

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A. M.	A. M	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 26
.....	12 2	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 04
.....	1 35	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 36
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	5 30
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 15	5 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 36	3 51
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 56	3 10
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 28
11 56	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 08
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	4 21
12 30	5 51	11 15	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 36	Britton	9 22	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	3 39
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Self Acting Weapons.

A common story was to the effect that a Muramasa sword was once on a time pledged to a pawnbroker. The fellow thought this a fine opportunity to parade himself as a gentleman, and, accordingly, on a festival day he wore the sword. Quarreling with some idle fellows, he essayed to use the weapon, but his unfamiliarity with it excited the derision of the bystanders, who unmercifully ridiculed his bungling manner. But the merriment of these individuals was short lived. The sword itself took the matter in hand, as though the taunts impugned its own skill, and soon laid low all its traducers. Then it turned against the unfortunate pawnbroker and killed him.

Another story is the basis of a popular Japanese drama, and tells of the adventures of a samurai with a strange sword which he had borrowed from a pawnbroker. He lightly hit a man with the blade without apparently wounding him in the least. Some time after the man suddenly dropped dead, and it was found that the sword had inflicted a mortal wound even when it had scarcely drawn blood. Upon examination this was found to be a Muramasa, which, though coming from the dishonor of a pawnshop and carried in the hands of an incompetent, had thus made manifest its power.—Lyman Hoface Weeks in Lippincott's.

Preparing For the Storm.

A correspondent in the north of Ireland sends the following account of an interesting incident that came under his observation:

Being on a walking tour through Inishowen, and passing along the edge of Lough Swilly, the romantic "Lake of Shadows," he noticed an immense gathering of rooks on the sandy shore.

In company with several others, the tourist was attracted by this novel spectacle, and began to wonder at the cause of it. An old man, who was working in a field near the place, offered an explanation. He said that the birds were picking up sand to ballast themselves in a storm, and that when they did so it was a sure sign of approaching bad weather. He added that on shooting rooks after a gathering of the sort he had found that they were loaded with sand.

As a matter of fact, the gentleman concludes, a violent gale set in early next morning.—Pearson's Weekly.

Boston's "Uncle Noah."

There is a well meaning old gentleman in Boston who goes about in fair weather or foul with an open umbrella over his head. He is one of the notable characters of the town, highly respected as far as that goes, but pitied as the victim of the delusion that a downpour is always impending. The story is abroad in Boston that he once got a terrible drenching and contracted therefrom a cold that threw him into a fever, out of which he issued with his life, but an unbalanced mind. All he could remember of his experience was that he was caught out without an umbrella, and though capable of doing business and comprehending every other subject, he still lives in dread of a second deluge. He is known as "Uncle Noah."—Boston Herald.

Consider the Lilies.

In Louisiana the beautiful lilies of the bayous are gathered by the thousand and fed to swine. The lily is said to be as great a favorite with the hog as with the poet.—Memphis Commercial

He Wanted the Watch.

A young English barrister in Africa was once retained to defend a Zulu charged with stealing a gold watch. The evidence was entirely circumstantial, and the lawyer made such a good defense that his client was discharged. The same evening he was sitting with the magistrate on the porch of the hotel when the Zulu came up and said in English:

"Master, can I wear the watch now?" pulling out the stolen article at the same time.

The magistrate roared with laughter, and the young advocate was somewhat confused.—New York Mail and Express.

Prevarication.

Mother—You've been into that jam again?

Truthful Son—No'm, I haven't. I'll declare I haven't!

And he chuckled at the thought that his mother had not accused him of putting the jam into him.—New York Herald.

A man who gets mad at what the newspapers say of him should return thanks three times daily for what they know about him, but don't say.—Carter County Bugle.

Sensibility would be a good fortress if she had but one hand; as it is her right she opens the door to pleasure, but with her left to pain.—Collins.

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How Sympathy Is Marred.

Sympathy, beautiful and pure, is apt to be marred by its being prompted merely by a sense of duty, and thus its true and natural spontaneity is veiled. It is true that the habit becomes second nature to us, and by habit we may and do develop honorable and charitable sympathy with all suffering, but the truly sympathetic are so born, and it is as impossible for them to enshroud their true desires and actions as it is "to roll a sunbeam by a touch." It is in the late youth and mature years that, as a rule, we see its most splendid achievements. In childhood it is apt to be in abeyance.

In the old age of good people its beauty is enhanced, and yet in many instances, in the sear and yellow leaf, all that was of sympathy, what little there might have been, becomes bitterness, and the selfish man clings to what he has gained, covering what he has not, with a tenacity which baffles description. All his treasures are on earth, and as he knows he must and shall leave them, there can be no eternal hope in him, and his mind becomes centered on that which is of but short duration. He becomes "earthen," and the rest of his days are spent in sordid contemplation of what at best is but an idle dread.—Exchange.

An Egg With a Golden Yolk.

A characteristic story is being told of a well known Parisian actor who recently found himself in a small town in the south of France where an entertainment was about to be given for the benefit of the poor. One of the promoters begged him to take part in it, a proposition to which he readily assented, and no sooner did his name appear on the bills than tickets went like wildfire, and the success of the entertainment was something unprecedented.

The mayor naturally felt grateful, and turned over in his prosy and pompous mind what could be done by way of acknowledgment. He asked the actor to breakfast with him and a few friends, and placed before him an egg in which 10 golden louis had been concealed.

The actor took a spoonful, and, discovering the contents, ceased eating. The other guests, who were in the secret, watched him attentively, and the hostess inquired why he did not finish the egg.

"Madam," he replied, "I never touch the yolk."

"Do you throw it away?" she asked in astonishment.

"No; I always leave it for the poor."—Tableau!—Paris Journal.

The Modern Store.

Obliging Clerk—Ten yards of brocaded satin—there you are, ma'am! Eng else—

Customer—Er—yes, a kit of mackerel—

"Yes'm. Send 'em home?"

"I see you have some very fine laces, I see"—

"The rarest, ma'am. A few yards off this piece?"

"Well, yes. Send eight yards and a load of coal"—

"Exactly. And the ribbons?"

"Send 20 yards of the pink and a bale of hay"—

"Um-huh! Now, as to the wrap. Here's a beauty for"—

"That will do. Send it with a bushel of turnips and a barrel of lime"—

"So! And the silk muffler—want it, think?"

"Oh—I—yes; you might send it with a thousand lap shingles, a peck of onions, a pair of tongs, a bolt of tidy cotton and a load of tanbark!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Short Editorials In England.

Yes, there is undoubtedly a strong taste just now for books of fiction made up of short stories—sketches, they might even be called. It is part of the spirit of the time, which is fond of brevity in every form. Just see how the newspapers have been affected by this mode. In my early days the London Times used to thunder in leaders a column and a half long; now half a column often suffices. I think I may claim to be the pioneer in cutting down the length of editorials in England. But in the matter of fiction it seems evident to me that the mental processes which produce a sustained, complete and logically elaborate novel are very different from those employed in the writing of a collection of episodes, even though they be of a common type as regards scene and characters. Some of your American writers do this sort of work admirably.—Hall Caine.

A Golden Floor.

King George II was once invited out to dine with a wealthy and eccentric old duke, who possessed more money than he very well knew what to do with. Upon this occasion, wishing to impress his majesty with the immensity of his riches, he had the floor of the dining hall paved from end to end with sovereigns, the head being up. Each coin was stuck in a mixture of lime, which soon dried, leaving the precious "tile" securely fastened. When the king arrived, and was shown what had been done in his honor, his amazement knew no bounds, and it was with difficulty he could be persuaded to set foot upon the golden floor.

Had to Stay Home.

Husband—I thought you were going to the meeting of the Society to Rescue Chinese Women From the Cruelty of Foot Bandaging.

Wife—I couldn't get my dress on.

"Why not?"

"The cook was out, and there was no one in the house strong enough to lace my corsets."—New York Weekly.

Loveliness.

What is lovely never dies, but passes into other loveliness—star dust or sea foam, flower or winged air. If this befalls our poor, unworthy flesh, think thee what destiny awaits the soul, what glorious vesture it shall wear at last.—Aldrich.

PREBLE'S FAKE BEAR HUNT.

Got Up as a Joke on Greenhorn Hunter Gillson.

It Yielded Unexpected Fun to Such an Extent That Dave Ramsay Had to Go Out Into the Open Country to Laugh.

For more than five years not a bear nor a sign of a bear had been seen in the vicinity of Rose Lake, Pa., and consequently the killing of a big one near there one day made a great surprise in that corner of the hemlock belt. There were also circumstances connected with the killing of the bear that made it still more notable.

Doc Preble lives at Rose Lake. He is a 206-pounder, good-natured, and especially fond of a practical joke. Some weeks ago a party of sportsmen came to Rose Lake to spend a few days after partridge and other small game, which is abundant thereabouts. Among them was a slim young man from Pittsburgh, named Gillson. Young Gillson was entirely unsophisticated as a hunter, and was probably the greenest individual about backwoods things ever seen in that locality. He soon became game for mischievous natives who filled him full of hair-raising bear and wildcat stories and other tales of life in the woods thereabouts. Gillson accepted everything he heard in good faith, and became fired with a desire to kill a bear. Having been told that he was liable at any moment to come face to face with a bear or a catamount, Gillson followed the advice of Doc Preble, and every time he went into the woods he strapped a hunting ax at his side, carried a big knife, and kept one barrel of his gun heavily charged with buckshot. The rest of the hunting party themselves enjoyed the fun the natives were having with Gillson, and did not interfere.

Soon after there was a fall of snow in that locality, and Doc Preble conceived the idea of getting up a bear hunt for young Gillson's benefit. Putting on his rubber boots he made tracks in the new snow from one big laurel patch to another one a mile up the mountain and from that one to a third one nearly two miles away, on the edge of Billet's hollow. There he struck the old bark road and returned home by it. Toward evening he went to Barnes' boarding house, where the hunters were stopping, and remarked in a nonchalant way that from the tracks he had seen in the snow up along Lye's mountain that afternoon the biggest bear that ever had wintered in that district had come in and coiled himself up in some laurel patch over that way.

"It wouldn't be much trouble to rout him out, I guess," said Doc, "if anyone cared to go out and risk it."

Gillson was all excitement at once, and declared that he would go, for one. The rest of the party, suspecting there was a joke in it, said he might go if he wanted to, but that they hadn't come out there to be clawed and chawed and mussed up by bears, and would stay at home. So Doc Preble told Gillson that he would go with him, and Dave Ramsey, Barnes' boss chopper, and an old bear hunter, said he would go, too, Doc having confided the secret of the bear tracks to him.

The three started out early the next morning. Gillson with both barrels of his gun loaded with buckshot, and his ax and big knife ready at his hand. Preble and Ramsy each carried double-bitted chopping axes and a rifle, and revolvers in their belts.

"We'll find him a tough customer," said Doc Preble to Gillson. "His footprint measures nearly 14 inches, and the biggest bear I ever heard of around here before made a track only eight inches long. There's liable to be some blood spilt before night, and it won't all be bear's blood, either."

Gillson was inclined to weaken when he saw the tracks in the snow, and asked Preble why they couldn't trap the bear first and then kill him, but Preble and Ramsy laughed at him, and told him they didn't bag their bears in that way. So the unsophisticated hunter braced up and went on.

"I had laid out to have a heap of fun that day," said Doc Preble, telling about it afterward, "according to the programme I had made. This was to tramp Gillson up and down those hills and among the laurels for four or five miles, trailing the alleged bear, and all the time leading him with the danger there was in the rush of a ferocious bear from a laurel patch to anyone who might stand in his way; then for Ramsy, when we came to the laurel patch where we had agreed that the bear had stopped, to go into the swamp and rout him up making a tremendous hubbub, and howling and snorting and yelling, as if the bear was worked up to the wildest pitch of fury over being disturbed, and was going out of that swamp with a rush to carry trouble to the first one he came to. Gillson having just been posted at a point on the edge of the patch and assured that the bear would certainly come out there, so he could shoot it; and then to see Gillson break for the nearest tree and get into it at the first sound of the disturbance in the laurels.

"Everything worked first-rate. When we got to the last laurel patch I was puffing and blowing like a tired horse, and was about as near bushed as anyone could be, but I thought of the fun I was having, and the more I was going to have, and said nothing, but just went off to one side and shook my sides.

"'He's in here sure, and if there ain't breakers ahead, I can't read bear signs,' said Dave Ramsy.

"I unbuckled my revolvers and laid 'em on the snow, dropped my ax and stood my gun against a tree. I took Gillson over to one end of the patch and stood him there.

"'When the bear comes pitching out,' I said, as if it was a foregone conclusion that the bear was coming out right there and nowhere else, 'don't fire until you see the whites of his eyes. He'll come like a steam engine, and very likely run you down and trample all over you and claw you some the first time, but that's part of the hunt. I've known some folks to make a break for the nearest tree and shin up it when they saw the bear making his rush, but that spoils a man for being a bear hunter. Remember,' I says, 'and don't shoot until you can see the whites of his eyes, and when he's trampling and clawing and chewing you, then get in your little work with your ax and your knife. Understand?'

"Gillson kind o' stuttered out that he understood, and the sweat poured out of him so, and he looked so much as if he wished he was home, that I felt sorry for him, but I went off into a thicket and rolled in the snow for five minutes, and stuffed my hat in my mouth to keep from hollering right out, and then went back to wait for Dave to go in and stir up the bear. I stood right where I could see Gillson and a maple tree that stood not more than 20 feet to one side of him.

"'I'll have to burst when he throws his gun and goes fer that tree!' I says. 'And if he is too scared to climb it, I know I shall die!'

"Dave went into the patch to rout up the bear.

"'Shake the laurels up lively,' I says to him, 'and holler and howl like thunder!'

"I guess Dave had been in the swamp three minutes or more before the disturbance began. When the laurels began to snap and crack and shake, I looked up at Gillson. He stood with his feet braced and his teeth clinched, and his gun ready. I hadn't any idea that Dave could make such a commotion among such a stubborn growth as laurels, and when the growling and snarling tuned up I just laid back and wondered. Gillson stood to his post like a soldier.

"'Ain't that darn fool going to cut and run after all?' says I.

"Just then the laurels shook and snapped as if a cyclone was working among them. There came from the midst of the disturbance such a combination of yells and howls and snorts and growls that I'd taken fright myself and run if I hadn't known that is was only Dave. And Gillson stood still and waited. Then I heard a shot in the swamp, and another yell, followed by a startling creaking and swaying of the laurels, the line of that commotion leading straight toward me.

"'Gillson,' I hollered, 'he's a terror!'

"I don't know what Gillson replied, for the next second out of that laurel patch, not 20 feet from me, crashed a bear so big, and with such fury in his eyes, that it's a wonder I didn't drop in my tracks. I didn't have time to think. The bear was coming head-on for me, with his jaws snapping like a thrashing machine. I turned and I saw the maple tree that I had in my mind reserved for Gillson and my fun. I flew for it. I don't know how many feet I covered at a jump, but, although I knew the bear wasn't many jumps behind me, I had time to think:

"'Lord! If Gillson goes for that tree now he'll lead me off, and I'm a goner!'

"For fear he would, I hollered to him in my desperation:

"'There's a tree just below you, yonder! Cut for that one!'

"But he didn't. He started for the maple. I put on more steam and got there first. I grabbed the tree. I remember bearing two shots. The next I remember was that I was sitting in the snow, with my arms and legs clasping the trunk of the maple tree. That was as far as I had climbed. I looked around. There stood Gillson, a little pale, but with a grin on his face that made me feel sheepish. Near by lay the bear with the top of his head half blown off. Gillson had put both of his buckshot charges into it, with the gun almost against it. Sitting on a log, a few feet to the right, was Dave. What clothes he had on him were hanging from him in tatters, and his face and hands were streaked with blood.

"'Funny, ain't it, Doc?' says he. 'It's so funny that I've got to git in the open country where I can find room to laugh!'

"With that Dave got up and limped away home, and he hasn't spoken to me since.

"'The bear broke out in the wrong place, didn't he, Doc?' says Gillson. 'But it was deuced clever in you to run him over here so I could get a shot at him.'

"I didn't say a word, but got up and helped Gillson drag the dear bear home, only a matter of five miles, and a prouder man never walked than was that little greenhorn hunter."

It is supposed the bear was one that had been driven by hunters from the Sinnemahoning country, the chase being so long that they had given it up, and that it had come into the laurel patch before the snow, unknown to anybody, and settled there for the winter. When Dave Ramsy went into the laurels to make the mock disturbance with a bear to carry out Doc Preble's joke, he stumbled unexpectedly upon this ugly customer, and found himself in a rough-and-tumble wrestle with him before he knew it. The bear weighed 375 pounds.—N. Y. Sun.

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Butter	13	15
Eggs, per doz	12	14
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to	
Dressed Hogs per 0 lbs	4¾	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	8 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	5 to 6	10
Turkeys	7	
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—		70
Corn, shelled		30 to 35
Corn in ear	18	to 12
Oats,	20	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	11 00	to 12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		90

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 10	@ 4 70
Sheep	3 00	@ 4 50
Hogs	4 50	@ 4 90
FLOUR—City Patents	4 25	@ 4 55
Fancy	2 70	@ 2 90
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	80¾	@ 80¾
May	72	@ 72¾
CORN—No. 2	36½	@ 36¾
May	38½	@ 38¾
OATS—Western	25½	@ 28
PORK—Mess	10 75	@11 00
LARD—Rendered	5 80	@ 5 85
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	12	@ 19
EGGS	15	@ 15½
CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 30	@ 4 60
Stockers and Feeders	2 60	@ 3 80
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@ 3 80
Texas Steers	2 50	@ 3 90
HOGS—Light	4 00	@ 4 72½
Rough Packing	3 90	@ 4 00
SHEEP	2 50	@ 3 85
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@ 18½
Dairy	8	@ 15
EGGS—Fresh	12½	@ 13
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@ 21
PORK—Mess	9 90	@10 00
LARD—Steam	5 40	@ 5 45
FLOUR—Spring	2 40	@ 3 25
Winter	3 10	@ 3 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May	65¾	@ 66¾
Corn, No. 2	27¾	@ 28
Oats, No. 2	20	@ 25¼
Rye, No. 2	38¼	@ 38¾
Barley, Good to Choice	30	@ 33
MILWAUKEE.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2, May	65¾	@ 66
Corn, No. 3	28	@ 28¼
Oats, No. 2 White	20¾	@ 21
Rye, No. 1	40½	@ 40¾
Barley, No. 2	33¾	@ 34
PORK—Mess	10 60	@10 65
LARD	5 45	@ 5 50
DETROIT.		
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	73¾	@ 74
Corn, No. 2 White	28¼	@ 28½
Oats, No. 2 White	22½	@ 22¾
Rye, No. 2	42	@ 42¼
ST. LOUIS.		
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 40	@ 4 25
Texas	2 40	@ 3 75
HOGS	3 80	@ 4 15
SHEEP	3 50	@ 3 55
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers	$3 00	@ 3 85
Cows	1 90	@ 3 20
Feeders	2 75	@ 3 50
HOGS	3 80	@ 3 92½
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A Visit to Molokai, the Home of the Lepers—How they Live.

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As we walked our horses up a steep incline, or galloped over a level plain, we met some odd and interesting people. A long caravan of pack-mules was seen coming down the road from the mountain. They were loaded with bags of rice. It is astonishing, the amount of rice these hardy little creatures will carry up steep mountain-sides, or along shelving rocks, where a single false step would precipitate them to the sharp rocks hundreds of feet below. These caravans of pack-mules were under the control of two Chinamen, one before and one behind. The caravans usually contained eight or twelve pack-mules, all tied together; the Chinaman in front leading the first mule, and a Chinaman in the rear lashing the laggards.

Flowers in wild profusion bloomed along the way; nature has done for this mountain road what the most skilful gardener might envy. Just below the reservoir we came upon some native women washing. Their method was peculiar; the water was in a sort of stone basin, and they were kneeling with their bare knees on the stony earth, dipping the clothing into the water and rubbing it on a stone.

The reservoir which supplies Honolulu with water is fed from the mountain streams, of which there are many. A large board is placed up near the reservoir, on which is the order of the Minister of the Interior, in both English and Hawaiian, warning the people to neither fish, wash nor bathe in the water above that point.

Crossing the bridge over the reservoir from a short distance, we found the ascent less steep. Wild guava trees grew in abundance along the road, some having ripe fruit on them which we ate and found delicious. The famous guava jellies are made of this fruit.

One of the most picturesque and novel sights on the road was a Chinaman moving. He had his shoulder pole on his shoulder, on one end of which was his valise, together with his household and kitchen furniture. On the other end was his live-stock, consisting of chickens in a large gunny-sack, holes being cut in the bag for the chickens to put their heads through. This little fellow had come over the Pali and was going to Honolulu, carrying all his earthly possessions on that pole.

"It is nothing for them to carry two hundred pounds twelve or fifteen miles," said my guide. "They are tougher than mules."

We crossed some of the plains made famous by the great battles fought by Kamehameha the Great, and, reaching a plateau, halted at the half-way house to get a drink of water and allow our horses drink and rest.

Half a mile or more beyond we met a Japanese family of wanderers. The father of the family was carrying a pole on his shoulder with the household goods on each end, and the mother, who had taken off those silly, short wooden sandals and was going barefoot, had a baby lashed to her back, and two or three were walking. At the sight of us the mother's womanly pride asserted itself and she stopped and put on her ridiculously small sandals, and came on limping like a cripple.

During the entire journey we did not meet a single white person. Wandering Chinese and Japanese without any home or going to the markets were the only persons, save the native, living along the road side.

At last the Pali was reached. The path winds along the pass between two mountains through which the wind sweeps down with such terrific force as to sometimes almost take one from his feet. The view from the Pali is sublime. On one side may be seen the sea, with Honolulu looking like a speck in the distance; on the other are the plantations and houses looking like mere specks in the dim distance, with the dark blue sea for a background. Gigantic, grim, and silent as a sphinx, stands the frowning cliffs on the right, and on the left a sharp cone-like ridge extends so far away that it is lost in the distance, while the only possible place of crossing the islands is at the Pali.

One cannot but admire the military genius of Kamehameha in securing this pass. It was the Thermopylæ of Kalanikupule, the last Oahuan chief. Here was fought the great battle which made Kamehameha, the Hawaiian Napoleon, master of all the islands.

Before the battle, Kamehameha, with a fleet of war canoes and one schooner and some artillery, appeared off Oahu and landed at Waialae Bay, and, after a few days spent in arranging his men, he marched at Nuana Valley, where Kalanikupule had posted his forces.

Kamehameha had a good general in an American named John Young, whose descendants may still be found on the islands. There were several Americans in his army, and their skill with artillery gained Kamehameha his victories. He encountered the enemy at Laimi and Puiwa, where the Oahu troops made a brave resistance until Kaiana, their leader, was killed by a cannon ball, when they gave way. They were closely pursued up the valley some escaping up the ridges on either side, while others were hemmed in and driven over the Nuuanu Pali, or precipice north of the road, and dashed to death on the rocks. Their bones may still be found among the bare jungles or algeroba forests one thousand feet below. Kalanikupule wandered for several months in the Koolau Mountains until he was finally captured in a cave above Waipio, brought down and offered in sacrifice to the conqueror's war god at Moanahua.

The Pali looks like the gate between two fairy lands. It is a pass that could be made impregnable. A few hundred men could hold an army of thousands at bay. On the east side opposite Honolulu the descent is very steep and rocky. Two or three hundred feet below the top a spring gushes out from the rocks, falls into a pocket very inviting to the thirsty traveler. The road is traversed almost continually by the energetic Chinaman, the wandering Japs, and the tourists who are loud in their praise of its beauty and grandeur.

Molokai is the curse of the Hawaiian islands. It is their skeleton in the closet. There dwells the dread disease of leprosy the oldest known and perhaps the most fatal of maladies. There is no well authenticated cure for it. For some reason Hawaii has become known as the land of lepers, yet one might live in the islands a lifetime and never see a leper or even hear of one.

On the north side of Molokai there is a strip of land which forms a sort of a tongue, projecting out into the sea some ten miles. This tongue of land is about two miles wide at the south side, where there is a precipice of over two thousand feet extending across the island, and cutting off all communication with the main island. There is but one place at which it is possible for a human being to scale this cliff, and that is a narrow winding path known as the "Pali."

This portion of the island, naturally isolated from the rest of the world, was wisely selected by the Hawaiian government as a proper place for segregating those unfortunate people, the lepers. Here they live, some to a good old age. They have houses, small fields, gardens, horses, cattle, poultry, and pigs. Some marry and children are born to them. If the child born of leper parents shows no signs of the disease at a certain age it is taken from the island and kept in confinement for a certain number of years. Then, if found "clean," is so declared by the "board of health," and permitted to go about freely everywhere. It is educated at the expense of the government, and may never be afflicted by the disease. Leprosy, moreover, is not very contagious. One of the best authorities on the subject declares that the leprosy can be contracted only by innoculation and that it is not more contagious than consumption.

It is not an easy matter to visit the leper settlement. One can only go as a guest of the board of health, and these officials make but two trips a year. I was very fortunate in being in Honolulu when the board made one of its semi-annual visits. On the afternoon of November 29, Mr. J. T. Waterhouse, the president of the board of health, told me over the wires of the telephone to be at the dock of the Inter-Island Steamship Company at 8:30 sharp. I reported on time, and found the steamer, Ke-an-hou, lying at the dock with steam up and hissing from every valve.

Going on board the little craft we found Bishop Ropert and Father Pamphile and the young priests who were going to work as missionaries among the lepers. There were many prominent visitors in our party, among them Mrs. H. Lewellyn Jenkins, deaconess of the Methodist Church, and a member of the Washington Square M. E. Church, of New York, Miss Kate Field, Senator Waterhouse, Judge Wilcox, Dr. Day, and others.

Shortly after nine o'clock the whistle sounded, and our craft pushed out from the dock and steamed down the bay. It was too dark for us to note the tropical beauties along the shore. Night in the tropics comes quickly. There is no afterglow, no twilight. The sun sets and it is dark. If the sky is clear, the stars shine wondrously bright, and if there happens to be a moon it is almost as light as day. No poet ought to sing of moonlight beauties until he has seen the moonlight of the tropics.

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The Two Great Balls, and Other Interesting Items.

EDITOR HERALD:—We are very much ashamed. It is all over now, and everybody had their own way. There were two parties and two separate lots of headaches on the following morning. I am talking about the quarrel between the Greek letters here at the University. Greek letters aren't any more pugnacious than English letters, until they begin association with fraternities. That demoralizes them. But, as I said before, meek-eyed Peace is with us again and her turtle wing is fanning the heated brows of the late contestants. I hope you don't think that we have no more brains than radiates. There is really a little intellectuality concealed in safe corners of the Campus.

We have professors who can give magnificent theories as to the origin of the Runic Futhark. We have a tradition that one of our learned scientists has proven to the satisfaction of all the world that the Goths pronounced the letter w as a bilabial spirant. He spent several years colligating the proofs but today it stands an assured fact to comfort mankind in his ignorance. It is a great consolation in the troublesome affairs of life to know that the Sanskrit gutteral spirant became palatilized about 3000 years ago. This fact is another of the noblest triumphs of linguistic science.

Please view these results spiritually, don't let any bread and butter considerations bias your opinion. Seriously, however, there is much work done there which should command the administration of all thinking people. There is an effort being made to convert the University into an academy of scientific men. That need not detract from the great work of educating the youth, but will rather enhance it. Such a change means merely the substitution of scientific men in place of pedants and mere teachers. It requires that the members of the academy have more time to themselves for individual research and better opportunities for comparing their results with those of their colleagues.

We had the genial Max O'Reil with us lately, also the acrobatic Talmage. The latter entertained us for two hours with the most astounding contortions ever witnessed here. I haven't got my eyes untwisted yet, after following his gesticulations. It was a rare treat you had, when you heard John Temple Graves. We heard him two years ago, and the students remember him kindly.

Our head professor in German was explaining the peculiar nature of German compounds and alighted on the word "leichdorn" as a sample. "This," he said, learnedly, "is a very strange collocation. The word means a very beautiful little flower. I forget the name in English, but I have gathered them plentifully in Germany. Why, Miss Zwolk, you surely have seen them." The young lady addressed is a native German. She blushed and said uncomfortably, "Now really, Professor, I thought it was a corn on the foot." The learned professor stammered something about it having been so long since he was in Germany, and subsided, while the class woke all the hallowed echoes of the main building with peals of laughter.

Please take this concoction with a good shaking, and when we have some more excitement I will inflict you again. C. H.

Crop Report For January.

The weather during January was favorable for wheat. The ground was not at all times entirely covered with snow, but when it was not covered the temperature ranged high and no material damage was done. In reply to the question "Has wheat during January suffered injury from any cause?" 71 correspondents in the southern counties answer "Yes" and 440 "No;" in the central counties 23 correspondents answer "Yes" and 150 "No," and in the northern counties 2 answer "Yes" and 91 "No."

In answer to the question "Has the ground been well covered with snow during the month?" about one-half of the correspondents in the southern counties, two-thirds in the central, and nearly all in the northern answer "Yes."

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14, '96.

Persons unacquainted with the undercurrents of things Congressional could see no signs of the fierce fight for and against silver in the quiet ending of the debate on the free coinage substitute for the House bond bill, nor in the taking of the vote by which the House refused by a heavy majority to accept that substitute. That is because the contest was too one-sided to justify any fighting outside of the Congressional Record and that which took place in the pages of that publication was for the edification of expectant constituencies. But all the same that fight has been going on from the day Congress assembled, everywhere that either side has had a fighting chance to gain a point. One of the most important of those fights, involving six silver Senators, was this week determined when the House committee on Territories by the slender majority of one vote decided not to report a bill admitting Arizona to Statehood. The committee did not divide on party lines, but on silver, and this vote means that bills for the admission of New Mexico and Oklahoma will meet the same fate, and that the six recruits which the silver Senators expected from the three new states will not materialize during the life of this Congress.

Senator Quay is the latest acquisition to the number of "favorite sons" whose names will be presented to the St. Louis convention for Presidential honors. Senator Quay says he has no desire to be President and adds with remarkable candor, for a politician, that by supporting him to the extent of a complimentary vote his Pennsylvania friends will avoid the embarassment which which might follow their supporting some other candidate. It is noticeable that the "favorite son" idea is being encouraged by the leading practical politicians, and the reason is not far to seek. It gives them opportunity to combine on the winner which they would not have if a nomination was made on the first ballot.

The Dawes Indian Commission, the members of which have had what the street gamins call a "good thing" for nearly two years, is going to be wiped out by Secretary Hoke Smith, because of its failure to do anything to warrant its continued existence. The commission spent the greater part of the summer of '94 and '95 in Indian Territory, but accomplished nothing. Secretary Smith has officially notified the Indian committees of the House and Senate that the Dawes Commission, the members of which are now in Washington, will remain in existence another month, in order that the committees may have an opportunity of obtaining any information the commission may have acquired during its negotiations with the Indians. Then several gentlemen will cease to draw Uncle Sam's money.

Senator Wolcott, of Col., made a few remarks, based upon a clause in the urgency deficiency bill, allowing the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint 25 expert money counters without requiring them to pass a civil service examination, which were quite as sensational as his recent anti-Monroe doctrine speech. He said that the real menace to the country was not the Civil Service Commission, but the power of patronage lodged with the Executive, and which had never before been abused to such an extent as under the present administration: that a free coinage bill would have been passed by the House of the last Congress had not the power of patronage been brought to bear by the administration; that Colorado is today flooded with appointments, many of them unfit ones, made by the Secretary of the Treasury for Congressmen who "ratted" on the silver bill, thus debauching constituencies; that the best service that could be performed would be to derive the President and his Cabinet officers of all patronage, so that Senators and Representatives would no longer hang around the White House and the executive departments, begging for crumbs of patronage.

Considerable amusement has been afforded by a letter received from Waltham, Mass., in which the writer advocates the bill prepared by the Massachusetts Immigration League, providing an educational test for immigrants. The following is a fair specimen of this letter, and is given just as written: "It is outragus the ignerent furiners what is overrunin this country. I wux lost in Boston all wun night by ignerent policemen not nowin directions w'ere me married neece live."

The Senate without a division adopted the resolution offered by Senator Hansbrough, of N. Dak., directing the Secretary of Agriculture to execute the law by purchasing and distributing seeds etc., and in order that there may be no delay in beginning the distribution the Secretary is authorized to buy in the open market. There is little doubt that the House will also adopt it. Then what will Secretary Morton do?

Clinton Column.

Return Party—A Week of Entertainment and Social Events—Macon Citizen Dead.

Frank Brown spent last Sunday in Saginaw.

George A Kies left Monday night for Elkhart, Ind.

Frank Palmer has disposed of his oil wagon and business.

We are glad to say that Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark is improving.

F. B. Greenlief went to Jackson last Friday night, on business.

Mrs. Amspoker entertained a few friends at euchre Monday night.

Rev. J. Heritage will preach again at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Eva VanTuyle attended the leap year party at Manchester, Monday night.

Mrs. J. A. Van Tuyle returned, last Thursday, from a visit in Hudson.

Mrs. Frank Crossman, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Davis.

Last Saturday a little daughter came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kimball.

Ira VanGieson was home from Detroit from Tuesday until Saturday of last week.

John L. Tuttle, Jr. was home from Ann Arbor for the party last Friday night.

Rev. Heritage has been holding revival meetings at the Baptist church this week.

Mrs. Geo. Jacob, of Plymouth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward.

Next regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., No. 85, Wednesday night, Feb. 26.

During the season of Lent there will be service at St. John's church every Wednesday evening.

Rev. E. M. Stevenson, of Jackson, occupied the Baptist pulpit last Sunday, both morning and evening.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox was called to his home in Addison last week Friday, by the death of his grandfather.

Claude, Dwight and Jennie Hause went to Jackson, last Saturday, for a few days visit with relatives.

A number of young people from here attended a party at the home of M. L. Gillen, in Tecumseh last Monday night.

Slade Lazelle, of Care, arrived last Friday from Palmyra, where he had been to visit a sister, who is seriously ill.

Elmer Halladay reached here last Saturday afternoon from Palmyra, N. Y. He expects to make his home near Clinton.

C. F. Clark and wife entertained a few friends very pleasantly last Monday evening. Dancing and cards were indulged in.

The Wall Dramatic Co. played four nights in Clinton last week with fair success. They were on the boards in Tecumseh the first three nights of this week.

Mrs. Wm. Dewey, the Misses Belle and Kathleen Hogan gave a very enjoyable party last Saturday evening, at the home of Mrs. Dewey, three miles north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Heath, of Columbus, Ohio, who have been visiting at John Amspoker's for the past two weeks, started for home Wednesday morning.

The Unity Company appeared last Tuesday night on the Star Course. The entertainment given by them was unique and artistic, and gave the highest satisfaction to all.

Last Friday afternoon as Henry Ellis was loading straw, out on the Cook farm, the stack fell over with him, breaking his collar-bone and bruising him severely about the head.

Miss Lottie Taylor, who has been visiting in Clinton for several weeks, left yesterday for Flint, Mich., where she will make a short sojourn before returning to her home in New Jersey.

Richmond, Hogan & Godd shipped 7 car loads of live stock last Saturday. Clinton is doing a large business in the livestock trade this winter, and it is no small item in the receipts of the town.

On Monday last the people of Macon were shocked by the sudden and unexpected death of Baron Humbolt Pennington. Mr. Pennington fell dead on the porch of A. B. Cotton's store. The probable cause of this sudden death was heart failure. Mr. Pennington was one of the best known and highly respected citizens of Macon and, it seems, was stricken down when little past the prime of life. The funeral was held at Macon yesterday forenoon conducted by Rev. DeSpelder.

Last week, as is often the case just prior to the lenten season, was a week of dances, entertainments and social events. Friday night was chosen as the date for the return party, and our society people had barely time to spare a night from the demands of a more private social nature to indulge in a good old hearty dance. The young men having the party in charge had spared no pains in decorating the hall or in preparing a bounteous supper and other accomodations for the entertainment of their guests. The music was furnished by Gray's orchestra, with Maj. Drumm, of Jackson, as caller, and both performed their parts with highest satisfaction. Sixty-three couples took part in the dance and enjoyed its pleasures till early breakfast time. Among these were several fro Tecumseh and Manchester. The return party was a success and did credit to the social enterprise of our sterner sex.

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PENTECOST.

Ice Trains on C. J. & M.—Amateur Theatricals in the Near Future.

Did you get a valentine?

J. S. Pentecost is able to ride out again, after quite a tussle with la grippe.

The ice trains going east and the coal trains speeding west keep the rails warm on the C. J. & M. railroad night and day nearly.

"As the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen." So rings an old proverb, which accounts for the recent "cold snap" perhaps.

Have you read Talmage's sermon on Isaiah, 35th ch., verses 8-9-10, in the Herald of Feb. 7? That sermon alone is worth a year's subscription to the paper.

Seward Mapes and Will Graham are not looking for a drouth next summer, evidently, as they are busy drawing home six-inch tile to put in drains next spring.

Amateur talent will give an entertainment at Fuller's Hall, next Tuesday night, Feb. 25. It will consist of a five act drama, entitled "Broken Fetters." Good music furnished by the band. Admission 15 cents. Children 10 cents.

To turn from the perusal of John R. Musik's enchanting letter from Hawaii and look out upon the snowy, wind-blown picture of the last few days, is to wish for Aladdin's wonderful genii or some other means of rapid transit, to enable one to enjoy the delightful climate and lovely scenery so pleasingly portrayed by the renowned author and traveler.

Samuel Reed, who lives about three miles south-west of this place, went to the train to meet his wife on Saturday; as she was to return home from Addison on that day; but instead of meeting her he received a telegram announcing her death from heart disease, just as she was about to take the train on her return. It was a sad home coming to the desolate husband, who has the sympathy of all in his bereavement.

An Honest Man's Story.

Greenvillage, Pa., Jan. 23, '96.

Dear Sir:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. Mr. Pretzinger, I used your sample box of catarrh which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50c jar. They keep it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine. Hon. Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it; he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. G. D. Ludwig, daughter of me, is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the last five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and business. Before I used your medicine I felt many a time that I did not care whether I was living or dead; I had no energy; I did not care for anything. I had catarrh over sixty-seven years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her sixty-fourth year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenvillage. On nice days I drive up to the farm and work. Mr. Pretzinger, I think it would pay you have it put in all the Franklin county papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the county. Yours truly,

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William S. Brewer was fatally shot at Lexington, Ky., by the jealous husband of an unknown woman he was visiting.

Consumption in its advanced stages is beyond the power of man to cure. It can be prevented, though, by the timely use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds. 1w

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TO THE PRODUCERS.

AN ARTICLE INTENDED FOR THE FARMERS.

How They Are Forced to Sell Their Crops for Half Prices by the Money Combine—Free Silver Would Break It Back.

"Willett & Grey's statistical review places the consumption of sugar in the United States at 1,945,406 tons during the year 1895, against 2,012,729 tons in 1894. This means that the people bought less sugar by 67,323 tons in 1895 than in 1894. Yet the price of raw sugar averaged lower during 1895 than throughout any other year of which commercial history takes notice."

The above is from the Inter Ocean, and is made the basis of an argument in favor of protection, the idea being that the cheapness coming from free trade will not bring prosperity.

Whether the Inter Ocean is right or wrong upon that point, we shall not consider. The statement is reproduced for another purpose. In some cases cheapness may be a good thing, but when the cheapness is caused, not by superabundance of the commodity, but by a scarcity of money, it is an unmitigated evil so far as the masses of the people are concerned. Under such circumstances, to talk about the "consumer's" benefit is the very refinement of cruelty. The source of all human prosperity is industry, and the very basis is that particular industry which is applied to production. Without "production" no other business could live, and man himself would disappear from the face of the earth.

Production is the primary work of man, while everything else is secondary and subordinate.

The producer is also a consumer, but if he make anything more than a bare living he must sell more than he buys.

Take the case of a farmer. Suppose that of his crop he can sell $1,000 worth each year, while his expenses, including grocery bills, help on farm, doctor bills, taxes, etc., amount to $800. He saves $200. Now suppose that prices fall one-half all along the line. His crop for sale sinks to $500, his expenses to $400, and instead of being $200 ahead, he only has a balance of $100.

This, though, is upon the supposition that all things have fallen in the same ratio. But we know that all things do not cheapen uniformly. Taxes, for example, have not been reduced at all. On the contrary, in many cases, they have actually increased. Presidents, governors, congressmen, judges and local officers continue to draw their salaries as of yore, while those who pay the salaries sell the products of their labor for half price. Doctor's bills, lawyer's fees, traveling expenses and other things remain substantially the same.

The hired man stoutly resists (and properly) a cut in his wages, while the manufacturers, the middlemen, and the merchants by combinations do everything in their power to keep up retail rates. The great farm staples are usually sold at wholesale prices.

Bearing these facts in mind let us now make another calculation. Suppose his taxes, doctor bills, etc., amount to $100 of his total expense. These stand as before. Upon the remaining $700, which includes the hired man's pay, groceries, drugs, etc., we will suppose that there is a reduction of say 30 per cent. This represents a saving to him of $210, leaving his expenses on those lines $490. In the meantime his $1,000 has fallen to $500. The account now stands as follows:

Income.—(Crop for sale ..		$500.00
Expenses.—(Taxes, doctor's bills, etc.)	$100.00	
Other expenses	490.00	
Total expenses		590.00
Deficiency		$ 90.00

Instead of having a profit of $200, we find that he has suffered a loss of $90 on his year's work.

Now, suppose further, what is true in multitudes of cases, that the farmer is $1,000 in debt on his farm. Falling behind at the rate of $90 a year, how long will it take him to pay the debt?

The above figures are given not as representing strictly the exact ratio at which different prices have fallen, but for the purpose of emphasizing the fact that should be obvious to producers generally, that when the prices of their products fall, they do not realize a full compensation in the decline of other things.

Hence the conclusion, that a general fall in prices injures the producers more than it injures any other class. The very men who should be injured least are injured most. When a policy is pursued the tendency of which is to harm the producer, it strikes at the very foundations of national prosperity.

This was the inevitable effect of demonetizing silver, and the bulk of the complaints to which we have listened during the last twenty-two years has come from that class.

In the case given as an illustration, it stands to reason that if the farmer cannot reduce expenses in any other way, he will economize in consumption. He will use less of sugar and any other things that are not absolutely indispensable. If he cannot induce the hired man to accept a pro rata reduction of wages, he will either discharge him entirely, or lay him off part of the time. Thus the wage worker comes in for his share of the injury.

While the farmer will reduce his consumption of sugar, spices and the like, poor people dependent upon their daily toil must reduce on all lines. They will consume less bread.

Accordingly we find that in seasons of great business depression there is usually a reduced consumption of almost everything that contributes to the sustenance of man.

For example, in 1893, a very disastrous year in business, we consumed 62,000,000 bushels less wheat than in 1892. In 1894, which, as a whole, was even worse than in 1893, the consumption was nearly 102,000,000 bushels less than in the latter year.

Thus we see that the alleged overproduction so persistently brought forward by the gold people as an explanation of the falling prices is in fact under-consumption. With prices lower than ever before, the people have bought less, and consumed less. It has been simply because they have not had the money to buy with.

The idea that people can be made prosperous by making money scarce is preposterous, and the belief that silver can be displaced without making a scarcity of money, is equally so.

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Thundering along!
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Twinklin' into song!

Don't care where my life is led—
Still it's honey sweet,
Blue sky smilin' overhead—
Green earth at my feet!

—Atlanta Constitution

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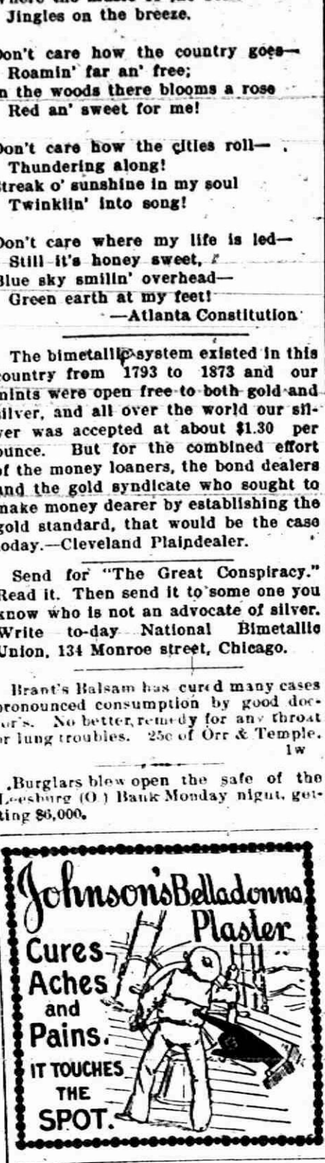

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

District Skule Soon to Be in Session—Some Weather—New and Extensive Enterprise.

Ranch No. 10 is frequented by some.

How are you behaving? This is lent.

W. E. Niveson is able to be on our streets again.

Webb Underwood has been reported on the sick list.

Miss Libbie Wallup visited friends in Milan over Sunday.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly visit Wednesday.

Bandee Tent No. 483, K. O. T. M. gives a ball tonight.

Good sauerkraut at Lenardson Bros'. I tell you, it is fine."

L. A. Brown made a business trip to Tomer last Tuesday.

New whips, all styles, all prices from 50 to $3, at Lenardson Bros'.

Rev. Rederus will fill the pulpit of the Reformed church next Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Wood and mother-in-law went to Blakesley, Ohio, Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Britton has been confined to her bed this week on account of illness.

John Bachman, of Toledo, who was visiting friends in Britton, returned home last Tuesday.

Walter Exelby left Tuesday for San Francisco, Cal. He will go via Kansas City over the Wabash.

A grist mill is one of the probabilities for Britton in the near future. Good thing. Let it grind.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lamkin of Franklin, called on their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Holm, last week.

There has been much weather in Britton this week, although it has been neither hot, dry nor dusty.

A sheriff's sale of certain property belonging to Andrew Gogoline will be held next Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Haight & Co. have a brand new Champion binder already set up for business. They also handle Champion mowers.

Albert Eaton, who has been confined to the house for some time with malarial fever was out for the first time Tuesday.

Milo Osterhout and wife drove home from Hillsdale Tuesday, after a four weeks' visit with relatives and friends here.

The Misses Susie and Louise Meffert, of Hillsdale, were the guests of Samuel Underwood's family from Saturday till Tuesday.

The Britton Dramatic Club is gradually appearing on the horizon of the bill boards again. By next month it will be evening star.

Wm. Britton sold ten head of cattle last Saturday whose aggregated weight amounted to 12000 pounds. Pretty good for these times.

Hostetter's Bitters, Swamp Root, Ayer's and Hood's Sarsaparilla, and all standard proprietory medicines at Lenardson Bros'.

If the beet sugar people make haste to consumate their plans, the Lima Northern railway can undoubtedly be secured for Britton.

Who stole Eb. Price's molasses and corn? Eb. would like to know, and so would other generous citizens, that they might provide for their wants.

Drifted snow was from 4 to 6 feet deep in the cuts all the way from Doster to Richland on the C. J. & M. track Wednesday. The noon train was 2 1-2 hours late.

The next regular review of Hendershot tent will occur on Tuesday evening, March 3d. The new ritual will be used and all members are requested to be present.

Rev. E. I. Deyo will preach in the Christian church next Sunday on the following topics: Morning, "The Power of Touch;" evening, "The Keys of the Kingdom of Heaven."

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church gave a social in the church parlors last Friday, which was very much enjoyed and well patronized. The proceeds amounted to $8.75.

Mrs. W. J. Clark went to Ligoneer, Ind., last Saturday, for a week's visit with the family of Chas. Clark of that place. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. S. Houseman, of Ridgeway.

Mrs. Adeline Hoagland, of Cone, died at her home last Sunday. The deceased was the widow of Edwin C. Hoagland who died in 1882. She leaves four children. The funeral was held Wednesday.

Mrs. C. I. Deyo and son joined her husband here last Tuesday. The family will commence housekeeping in the parsonage and we are glad to welcome the new comers as residents of our village.

The lease of Alexander Peters on the Beal farm northeast of Ridgeway having expired, he will hold an auction sale next Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 1 o'clock sharp. The sale will include a span of horses, two cows, sheep, hogs, quantity of corn and corn stalks, farming tools, etc. See full notice in another column.

Did you really ever attend an old fashioned deestrict skule or have you just heard the old folks tell about it? We presume the latter. Now don't miss the coming opportunities for acquiring a good common school education in one night The skule will be open to all both young and old, and everyone will be taught in the same class. That will be the fun of it.

Capital is always on the alert to find new and profitable fields for investment, neither are its owners slow to recognize the natural advantages of a locality. Hence it is not a matter of especial surprise that men of means have cast upon this village as a place for the safe investment of money and for the establishment of an industry which will likely prove to be of greater proportions than anything yet undertaken in this county. The scheme in question is nothing less than the building of large beet sugar mills and the founding of the extensive industry, not only for the village but for the country, which such an industry involves. Preliminary arrangements have already been perfected and a board of local directors established with Philip Strong at its head. Further particulars later.

HOLLOWAY.

The Grip Still Has Hold—A New Citizen—Personal Mention.

"Spot" is no more.

Agnes Still was over from Palmyra Tuesday evening.

Sam McClure, of Adrian, was in town Saturday evening.

Mont Florance came down to spend Sunday with his people.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntyre visited Saline Saturday and Sunday.

Ollie Wildie and Mabel Pardee spent Saturday with Mrs. J. Lewis.

Johnnie Moore lefts for Illinois Tuesday evening to run a creamery.

Wm. Cox attended the Cox-Wright wedding Feb. 16 at Raisin Center.

L. McConnel and wife entertained the Farmers' Club Tuesday evening.

John Kishpaugh, of Hanover, was calling on friends here last week.

Chas. Rothfuss and wife are the proud parents of a little girl born Feb. 12.

Miss Jennie Gordon has returned to Adrian after an illness of la grippe.

Howard B. Hinckly, of Austin, Minn., is the guest of his uncle, L. C. Winship.

Dan Anthony had a sale on the 19th. He will reside in Tecumseh in the future.

The new store is all finished inside and will soon be ready for the new goods.

Otis Hoadley, wife and little daughter visited Sunday with Geo. McClenathen and wife.

Mr. Rector and sister and Miss Gallatin attended divine services here Sunday morning.

The ladies' socialis entertained by Mrs. Chas. Benedict Thursday for dinner. All invited.

Mr. Thompson, of Blissfield is visiting Holloway. He also called at Manchester Monday.

James Cox and bride are visiting his people at Hillsdale this week while on their bridal tour.

Aunt Ann Holloway, mother of Geo. Holloway, was injured recently while alighting from a buggy.

David Reed and family have shipped their household goods to Missouri where they will make their future residence.

Mr. Raymond and wife are visiting Mrs. Wm. Doty for a few days before returning to their home at Rockford, Ill.

The remains of Miss Raymond arrived from the west Friday morning last and were laid to rest in the North Raisin cemetery.

MACON.

Sudden Death of a Prominent Citizen. Epworth League and Aid Society.

Don't forget the E. L. entertainment Friday night at Elwin Camburn's.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Isaac Mills, Feb. 29th.

Miss Carrie Camburn and Guy Collins went to Ypsilanti Saturday for a several days' visit.

Miss Nellie Gooding, who has been quite sick, came home from Tecumseh this week.

J. C. Howell read a paper at the meeting of the Adrian Teachers' Association this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Edwin Howell, March 4th.

Mrs. Cora Higdon, who is in very poor health, came home from Leslie last Saturday with her sister, Miss Sadie Jackson.

The saddest news that has had to be told in our place for many a day is that of the death of Mr. Humbolt Pennington who died on Monday, Feb. 17. Mr. Pennington dropped dead just as he was entering Mr. Cotton's store. Everyone would extend to the bereaved family the sincerest sympathy, for perhaps no other one of our citizens could be said to be more respected and beloved and to have fewer endmies than Mr. Pennington.

CONE.

Death of a Well-known Lady—Social Events.

Rev. Crump, of Adrian, preached at the church last Sabbath morning.

The receipts of the social at John Libstaff's Tuesday evening were $3.70.

Mrs. Amy Cassidy, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vandeventer, this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Henry Smith, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 26. All are invited.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Libstaff gave them a pleasant surprise Thursday evening of last week and presented them with a nice rocking chair.

Mrs. Adaline Hoagland died at her home, two miles west of Cone, Monday morning, of pneumonia. She leaves a family of four children to mourn her loss. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

OBITUARY.

Adaline Hoagland was born at Bath, Steuben Co., N. Y., May 9, 1854, and died Feb. 17, 1896, aged 42 years, 9 months and 8 days. She was married at Tecumseh by Rev. M. E Haynes Apr. 14, 1875, to Edwin C. Hoagland, who died March 21, 1882. To them were born four children, who are left, with her father, six sisters, one brother, and other relatives and friends, to mourn her death.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late Mrs. Hoagland desire to hereby extend their sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted during their recent bereavement, and especially to the choir for their kind services.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely," Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, New York. 1w

RIDGEWAY.

A Lecture on the Tapis—Latest News about the Lima Northern.

Lovina Wiggins is on the sick list.

Lou Arner, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her mother.

The thermometer recorded 8 degrees below zero Monday morning.

Mrs. T. H. Montgomery and and Mrs. Harry Smith are under the doctor's care.

A. C. Arner spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, returning to Jonesville Tuesday.

Bert Raymond and wife, of Dixon, Ill., are visiting their niece, Mrs. W. L. Jones, and family.

Rev. H. Cansfield and wife were in Detroit and Wyandott Thursday and Friday of last week.

J. L. Boyd and his friend, Robert Patton, of Albion, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. David Boyd.

Misses Lovisa and Lovina Schreder, of Tecumseh, visited relatives in the village Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Snedicor, of Ithica, Mich., arrived Monday for a several weeks' visit with old friends and relatives.

Mrs. N. E. Law, of Detroit, the W. C. T. U. state lecturer, will deliver a lecture here about the middle of next month.

Daniel Lowe, a former resident of this vicinity, died at the home of his son, Jesse Lowe, near Bannister, on Thursday of last week.

When you are in the drug store examine the map of Michigan, which is given to each subscriber for the Herald, who pays $1.40 in advance.

The school mates of Miss Laura Palmer spent a very pleasant evening at her home Friday night It proved to be a surprise on Laura's part.

The citizens of Macon had better locate a suitable place for a depot for the Lima and Northern railroad, which is attracting considerable notice at present

Mrs. R. S. Houseman in company with Mrs. W. J. Clark, of Britton, left Saturday for a two week's visit with her brothers, Chas. Clark, of Ligoneer, and A. B. Clark, of Elkhart, Ind.

LA GRIPPE REMAINS.

For Years in the System if Not Cured.

This country contains a large multitude of men and women who are debilitated and weak as the effect of la grippe. If every one would do as the Rev. Petty, of Virginia, did, this vast multitude of sufferers would son be well and strong again. He writes:

Last winter I had a very bad case of la grippe which left me enfeebled and liable to cold at the slightest exposure. I tried a number of remedies, but they afforded only temporary relief. I saw an advertisement of Pe-ru-na and concluded to try it. I have been using it for two months, and it has afforded me much relief. It is indeed a panacea to me. It has invigorated me more than anything I ever tried. I have recommended it to others and advised them to send for your pamphlets. I have written of it to distant friends. You can use this statement in any way you choose. REV. H. PETTY,

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Cassius R. Carter, a retired trumpeter, U. S. A., was asphyxiated by gas in a Chicago hotel.

Mothers

Will please observe that children may use Century Catarrh Cure with perfect safety, as in no case does it produce the slightest ill effect. For all stoppages and colds in the head which often trouble the little ones it will be found the pleasantest and surest of prescriptions and infinitely the easiest to administer. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. feb

Judge McMann, of New York, granted the motion to dismiss the indictment against Erastus Wiman for forgery. The decision of the Court of Appeals on law points made a second conviction impossible.

Centuries ago, people used to fear what they called the pestilence. "Black Death" was the most terrible thing in the world to them. They feared it as people now fear the cholera and yellow fever. And yet there is a thing that causes more misery and more deaths than any of these. It is so common that nine-tenths of all the sickness in the world is traceable to it It is merely that simple, common thing constipation. It makes people listless, causes dizziness, headaches, loss of appetite, loss of sleep, foul breath and distress after eating. The little help needed is furnished by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. One pill is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. Once used, always in favor. If you are careless enough to let an unscruptitious druggist sell you something on which he makes more money, it is your own fault if you do not get well. Be sure and get Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

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Henry Austin, a Belgian post-office clerk, is in jail in New York awaiting requisition papers on charges of forgeries and embezzlement.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Dr. T's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

James W. Davidson, of Wichita, Kan., has been decorated by the Japanese Emperor, with the Order of the Rising Sun

We all know that any tired muscle can be restored by rest. Your stomach is a muscle Dyspepsia is its manner of saying "I am tired. Give me a rest." To rest the stomach you must do its work outside of the body. This is the Shaker's method of curing indigestion, and its success is best attested by the fact that those people are practically free from what is without doubt the most prevalent of all diseases. The Shaker Digestive Cordial not only contains digested food which is promptly absorbed without taxing the tired digestive organs, but it is likewise an aid to the digestion of other foods in the stomach A ten cent trial bottle will convince you of its merit, and these you can obtain through all druggists.

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A monument to the memory of Dr. George F. Root, the composer of national war songs, is to be erected in Chicago, Ill.

"Bacteria do not occur in the blood or in the tissues of a healthy living body, either of man or the lower animals." So says the celebrated Dr. Koch. Other doctors say that the best medicine to render the blood perfectly pure and healthy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. 1w

John P. Messerve, a sanitarian superintendent at Bridgeport, Conn., ended his life with a dose of wintergreen oil and alcohol.

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SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

Articles of association have been filed for a new State Savings Bank at Jackson with a capital of $100,000.

About forty operatives are required for the steam shovel now operating on the south end of the Jackson extension of the C. J. & M.

Last Saturday, Mrs. Rhoda Reed when returning to her home in Onsted from Addison, jumped from the train and was killed. It is supposed that she boarded the wrong train and attempted to get off.

Base ball subscriptions to support a league team in Adrian amount to over $800 and Adrian will be in it. Manager Todd, of Jackson, also claims that the central city will also be in the organization. Kalamazoo will stay out.

Fifty (50) lawyers attended the recent Washtenaw bar banquet at Ann Arbor. It seems that the tramp nuisance is yet in full flower at Ann Arbor. Let the marshal make a "brief" "record" of it. Some of the gang are said to be like necessity—they knew no law.—Monroe Democrat.

Arrangements for the Michigan club banquet Friday night at Detroit Auditorium are well advanced, and the demand for tickets throughout the state has been so large there is no question as to a successful outcome of the feast. The list of speakers is one of the best in the history of the club. Senator Burrows is to act as toast master. Gov. Rich will deliver the address of welcome.

Lamb & Bales, of Clayton, have perfected a machine which makes tooth picks. It commences on a log, cuts out the picks, planes, rounds, sharpens both ends, counts and packs them in boxes. Now if this automaton would only pick your teeth from the inside, while your mouth was closed, so as not to interfere with the digestion of the others at the table, the inventors could say "eureka."

The Adrian Times tells how people near Hudson took advantage of a sick woman as follows: "Asaph Pierce, a wealthy farmer, died near Hudson last week. His neighbors, knowing he had money and valuables, concealed around the farm, persuaded his wife, who is very sick, to reveal the hiding place. Following her directions they found over $1,000 in gold and securities stored away in chests, trunks and bureaus and in out-of-the-way places around the farm."

The old players whom the new Adrian ball team will include will probably be Elmer Smith and Lentz. Long, Owosso's former pitcher, and White, who twirled for Kalamazoo the latter part of last season, may be secured, but no player will be signed until a manager is appointed. This manager must also be a good ball player. John Wagner, the crack second baseman, has signed with Wheeling, W. Va., Justice goes with the Patterson, N. J., team, while Billy Smith and Ireland will go west and join the Tacoma team.—Adrian Times.

The Monroe Democrat thus describes the rise of the devil: "Nearly seven years ago, a diminutive-sized 'kid' who had been selling newspapers about the city, but had an ambition to become a printer, was afforded an opportunity in the Democrat office. He soon mastered the art of sweeping out the office, graduated in lye mixing and form washing, became an expert in the detection of 'type-lice' and tackled the metallic alphabet, with such success that in the rapid course of progress he became a job printer and all-round mechanical functionary. Though not yet twenty-one years of age, Charles Harmann is one of the most capable men of his calling, and on Tuesday he went out from us to accept a tempting offer from Ibey & Co., an extensive job printing firm in Detroit. The benediction of the Democrat and the good will of its garrison go with 'Charlie' to his new field. His employers will find him both 'a gentleman and a scholar.'"

The Recital.

The annual recitals given by our young musical aspirants have become a regular feature in the musical events of our village and are looked forward to with expectation and pleasure. The performance given Tuesday evening by the pupils of Miss Jennie Root, assisted by Mrs. L. M. Kellogg and Miss Dora Grayson, fulfilled, if not surpassed, the high expectations of the friends of her class. The affair was conducted at the residence of A. W. Slayton and the spacious house was filled with invited guests.

The whole performance was planned with care and executed with an exactness and ease which speaks in the highest praise, both for the zeal and talent of the pupils and for the practical results of their instructor's efforts.

The program of the recital is given below, every number of which was executed in a most credible manner:

PART I.

Polka Brilliant, (2 pianos 8 hands)..... Holst
Mrs. Barkwell Miss Root, Mattie McClure, Florence Marsh.

Waltz ..... Bohn
Floyd Vedder.

7th Nocturne ..... Leybach
Grace Norris

Mazurka ..... Scott
Fred Frost.

Long ..... DeKoven
Mrs. L. M. Kellogg.

Menuetto ..... Grieg
Florence Eccles.

Rosita ..... Streabbog
Stella Zimmerman.

Lohengrin, (2 pianos, 8 hands, ... Wagner
Elenor Chilson, Gertrude Howell, Mary Mills, Miss Root.

The Return ..... Fisher
Ethel Hampton

Waltz in E Flat ..... Rubenstein
Mary Mills

PART II.

Galop Brilliante, (2 pianos, 2 hands)... Streabbog
Lalla Knapp, Floyd Freeman, Ethe Slayton, Erma Kyle, Julia Lowry, Luella Williamson.

Valse Capice ..... Paul Dripps
Harriet Hurry.

Abschied Von Der Alm ..... Lange
Ethel Slayton

Song .....
Miss Dora Grayson.

Waltz in E ..... Moskowski
Gertrude Howell.

Chime of Bells ..... Spindler
Julia A. Lowry.

2d Mazurka ..... Godard
Raynor Heaussler.

Morceau de Salon ..... Bohn
Floy Freeman.

Duet, (2 pianos 4 hands,) .....
Fred Frost, Cuyler North.

Caprice ..... Newland
Naomi North

Waltz, (2 pianos 8 hands,) ..... Julia Rive King
Ella Paxon, Naomi North, Mary Mills, Miss Root.

Auction Sales.

My lease having expired, I will sell at public auction on the Beal farm in Macon, 1 mile north and 1 1-2 miles east of Ridgeway on Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 1 p. m. sharp, the following property: One span of work or driving horses, 5 and 6 years old; one 2-year-old colt; 2 cows, one new milch; 2 yearling heifer calves; yearling steer; 1 calf; 23 fine breeding ewes; 11 ewe lambs; Shropshire buck; 15 breeding shoats; breeding sow, to pig in April; double harness; wheel cultivator; 2 hand cultivators; spring-tooth harrow; horse corn cutter; log boat; double buggy; buggy pole; 500 bundles of corn stalks; 1-2 of a straw stack; nearly 200 bushels of corn; a lot of fine seed corn; quantity of potatoes; set of 3-horse whiffletrees; 1-3 share of 19 acres of wheat and rye on ground; hay rack, and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale—All sums of $5 or under cash; all sums over $5 twelve month's credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

ALEXANDER PETERS.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Having leased my farm, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, one-half mile north of Grange Hall in Macon, on Thursday, Feb. 27, at 1 p. m., sharp, the following property: One pair work horses, 5 and 7 years old; one gelding, 2 years old, sired by Corolloid, Jr., dam by Banker Rothschild, granddam by Cassius M. Clay, great granddam by Glenco; one filly, sired as above; one filly, sired by Nutpatch, dam by Banker Rothschild, great grand-dam by Blackhawk; 2 cows, high grade, coming in in April; yearling heifer, 3-4 Jersey; brood sow, to pig last of March; also 2 wagons, hay and stock rack, top buggy, road wagon, speed cart, sleighs, cutter, drill, Deering binder, Wood mower, hay rake, land roller, floating harrow, Scotch harrow, cultivators, fanning mill, plow, platform scales, 2 set heavy double harness, light double harness, single harness, horse forks, Timothy hay, corn stalks, 100 bushels corn, stoves, extension table, set dining room chairs, ladders, 40 sap pails and spiles, evaporating pan, and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms as above, with 18 months' credit at 6 per cent.

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BEN. F. REYNOLDS, Auctioneer.

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OBITUARY.

Elijah King was born in England, January 3, 1819, and died in Tecumseh, Michigan, February 12, 1896. He was married to Miss Harriet Burtenshaw, May 15, 1843. He came to this country in 1849 and settled in Ohio. One year later he removed to Adrian, Mich., where he remained two years. He then purchased a tract of unimproved land in Palmyra and settled on it and, by earnest industry, made of it a valuable farm. His first wife died March 27, 1863, leaving him with six small children, all of whom are still living—Samuel E., of Canandaigua; David, of Palmyra; Eli J., of Fairfield; Mrs. Sarah A. Drake, of Ogden; Mrs. Emily Mack, of New York, and Mrs. Rose Purcell, of Newaygo. August 9, 1868, he married Miss Henrietta Dodd. He was to her a kind and devoted husband until his death. In 1879 he left his farm and settled in Tecumseh, where he has left a very comfortable home for his widow who lives to mourn his loss. At the early age of seventeen years he became a christian and a member of the Methodist church. All who knew him respected him for the consistent christian life which he lived. He will be missed in the church of his choice.

$200 IN GOLD GIVEN.

Of Special Interest to Students and Teachers.

R. H. Woodward Company, of Baltimore, Md., are making a most liberal offer of $200 to anyone who will sell 200 copies of "Gems of Religious Thought," a new book by Talmage. This is one of the most popular books ever published. Three editions sold in 60 days. Agents sell 10 to 15 copies a day. An Estey organ, retail price $270, given for selling 110 copies in three months. A $100 bicycle given for selling 80 copies in two months. A gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium in addition to commission. Complete outfit 35 cents. Freight paid. Credit given. Agents wanted also for "Talks to Children about Jesus." 150,000 copies sold, and it is now selling faster than ever. Same terms and conditions as on "Gems of Religious Thought." Other popular books and Bibles also. They offer special and most liberal rates to students and teachers for summer vacation. During last summer a large number of students and teachers canvassed for their books. Among the list there were 24 who made over $200, 57 who won the $200 premium, and 76 made over $150 for their summer work. Write them immediately.

Sweet Violets.

Violets have returned to favor earlier than ever this year, and promises to be a furor. Entire bonnets are seen of them with just a tiny border of fur; and large velvet hats have the brims entirely covered with these dainty blossoms. A purple velvet toque of unusual size, being really a sort of softly folded turban, has a wreath of violets, closely set, which encircles the hair, and above the right face is vastly becoming. Every shade of violet is much worn in accessories, and divides favor with turquois blue and geranium pink.—From Review of Fashions, in Demorest's Magazine for January.

Send Me Your Old Stamps.

Almost every family have packages of old letters, deeds, notes, leases, wills, mortgages and other papers laid away, on which are U. S. and Revenue stamps. I want them. For the right kinds, lightly cancelled, unfaded and untorn, I will pay from 10 cents to $1.00 each. Also want the old medicine, perfumery, match, playing card and canned goods stamps. Mail them to—

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The Wabash Line has on sale round trip excursion tickets, good ninety days, to the Famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, at very low rates. Through sleeping car service from principal stations on the Wabash Line, and but one change of cars (in St. Louis Union Station) to Hot Springs. Hot Springs is the only health resort owned, indorsed and conducted by the United States Government. Climate like that of Italy. This is the best season to go. Over 300 hotels and boarding houses at rates to suit all visitors. The hot waters have for fifty years been found unexcelled for the cure of rheumatism, blood and skin diseases, female complaints, troubles of the stomach, liver and kidneys, insomnia, nervous prostration, etc. Illustrated pamphlets and full information furnished by any ticket agent of the Wabash railroad, or C. S. Crane, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis, Mo. feb

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold at Baker & Hall's drug store. 4

The cherry is about the only fruit tree adapted to roadside planting. The tramping of stock and the passage of vehicles will kill almost any other kind.

THE HERALD FOR 1896.

Special Offers and Clubbing List.

The large numbers of maps which are being taken by our subscribers prove that they are all right and are a bargain for the price. We still continue these offers, and append our club list for reference. If you have not yet made out your list of papers for 1896, consult this list.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

Have you seen Rand McNally & Co.'s large reversible map, with the world on one side and the United States on the reverse? This is the largest map of the United States ever printed on one piece of paper. The map of the world is on Mercator's projection and gives a brief history of every country with population of chief cities, areas, voyages of discoveries etc. This map is especially suited for school use and is just the thing for ready reference in these times of international disputes. This $5.00 map and the Herald for $2.00.

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

The Detroit Tribune has long been recognized as one of the greatest newspapers of the Republican party, not only in this state but throughout the west. Although the Tribune has long enjoyed this distinction, it is safe to say that within the last two years its management has greatly raised the standard of the publication as a political, literary, and general newspaper. The Tribune should be read in every household of Michigan. We have made a special arrangement with the management whereby we can furnish the weekly Tribune and HERALD one year for the normal figure of $1.30.

THE COSMOPOLITAN.

The Cosmopolitan is almost too well known to need particular mention. It is simply a marvel that a magazine of such merit can be furnished for the money. A new lithographing press has recently been added to their machinery which will make the paper more attractive than ever. For 1896, 1344 pages and 1000 illustrations for 85 cents if taken with the Herald.

M'CLURE'S MAGAZINE.

McClure's is now one of the most popular magazines in the world. Its circulation and advertising patronage are a guarantee of its worth. Its famous articles on Lincoln is the chief feature for 1896. McClure's and the Herald for $1.85.

ONE YEAR WITH THE HERALD.

Detroit Twice-a-week Free Press,	$1 75
Detroit Tribune,	1 30
Detroit Journal,	1 65
Michigan Farmer,	1 65
Ohio Farmer,	1 75
Toledo Blade,	1 80
Toledo Bee,	1 45
N. Y. World (thrice a week)	1 70
Cincinnati Enquirer,	1 30
Harper's Weekly,	4 25
Harper's Bazaar,	4 25
Courier-Journal,	1 55
N. Y. Voice,	2 00
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
Philadelphia Times,	1 45
Information,	1 85
Public Opinion,	3 05
American Gardening,	1 80
American Agriculturist,	1 85
Harper's Magazine,	4 05
The Century,	4 55
St. Nicholas,	3 55
Scribner's Magazine,	2 55
North American Review,	5 05
Cosmopolitan,	1 85
Lippincott's,	3 05
Gody's,	1 85
Frank Leslie's Monthly,	3 45
" " Pleasant Hours,	1 85
Table Talk,	1 75
Demorests,	2 55
Electric Power,	2 55
Everywhere,	1 35
The Arena, with premium,	5 00
Scientific American,	3 55
McClure's,	1 85

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St., South Gardener, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial Bottles Free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store. 4

You Can Get a Genuine Meerschaum Pipe for 50 Cents.

I will positively send a genuine meerschaum pipe with amber mouthpiece, which will color beautifully for 50 cents, to introduce into every town my line of meerschaum pipes. They are the finest goods made and have never been sold before for less than $1 to $1.50 each. I believe it is to my interest to make such liberal inducements that every smoker may give my pipe a trial. Every trial pipe is sure to sell 50 others. This is a full size pipe, 6 1-2 inches long, with good size bowl, and is warranted to be just as represented. No time to waste on useless inquiries, but I do guarantee satisfaction. Pipe sent postpaid upon receipt of 50 cents.

B. F. KIRTLAND,
45, 47, 49, Randolph St., Chicago, Ill.

Hanging having failed, Howard M. Cummings, a noted gambler committed suicide at Fort Scott, Kan., by morphine.

Special Sale!

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Canned Goods,

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Saturday, February 15.

MOBBS & CO

There's a Cyclone in

town and the combination is broken. I will sell

Groceries

regardless of cost. I have not time to quote prices this week, but ask you to come in and get prices before you buy.

I Will Save You Money.

Times are hard now and you should buy where you can get Bottom Prices and First-Class Goods. My stock is the Largest and Best in town.

I also call your attention to my fine stock of

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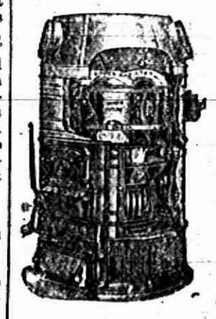
The best in Southern Michigan, which I will sell at price which you can't get at any other store in the state. When you are looking for anything in this line give me a call and be convinced.

JAS. LOWRY.

Lilley House Block, Tecumseh.



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REPAIRS FURNISHED FOR ANY STOVE.

All Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Work and Plumbing done in workmanlike manner.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

RENT—Desirable rooms to rent. Enire of MRS. W. V. WIMPLE.

UATIONS GUARANTEED—To all raduates of Dodge's Institute of Tele y, Valparaiso, Indiana. Tuition—Full ss, Per Month $1. Good board $1.50; hed room 30 cents per week. Write for ogue. GEO. M DODGE, Manager.

OMS FOR RENT—Desirable rooms to reat, with or without board. MRS. JEHIEL DAVIDSON.

ANTS—Order your strawberry and rasp-berry plants early. I have a fine stock of o lowing varieties: Strawberries—Bed-Bubach, Crescent, Meeck's Early, Enhance, rville, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, ees, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—er, Older, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, ell, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars ire or write. C. W. NESBIT, Newburgh, Mich.

R SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turn-known as Sam Holden place. Good build-water, etc. G. W. ELY.

E MUST HAVE HELP. We pay men and women $10 to $18 per week for easy work. No books or peddling. Steady em-ment guaranteed. Send stamp for work particulars at once. HERMANN & SKY-ff, 313 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

ANTED.—Several trustworthy gentle-men or ladies to travel in Michigan for blished, reliable house. Salary $780 and ex-es. Steady position. Enclose reference self addressed stamped envelope. The inion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., ago, Ill.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 21, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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ead your ways.

was really quite a blizzard.

ice Hendershot is able to be about house.

Mrs. C. A. Hoag was an Adrian visitor first of the week.

The Universalist social next week ll be a benefit for their pastor, Rev. C. Andrus. All are invited.

That chicken pie supper for 10 cents, y don't forget the time and place; b. 23—5 to 7 p. m.—W. R. C. rooms.

The members of the Royal Arcanum l have a box social at their hall on b. 25. A good attendance is desired.

The social of the ladies of the Uni-salist church will be held next rsday, Feb. 27. Supper from 5 to 7 ock.

Walter L. Fink and Miss Hattie L. g were married at the Methodist onage, Wednesday evening, by J. P. Varner.

here will be accommodations for ting coffee, at the armory for any bringing lunch on the day of the mers' Institute, Feb. 28.

rs. A. James and Miss Hallie Wyd-attended the funeral of their uncle ce Comstock, which was held in an yesterday afternoon.

tch these columns for the announce-t of J. M. Jones, the Merchant Tai-who is in Chicago this week making spring purchases of all the latest les in suitings, pantings and trim-gs.

Have you seen that original and istic advertisement of the W. R. C. kenapie supper in the Lilley House? and eat all you want, for if they are ally Shull's nice, plump hens they ll lay well on your stomach.

The next regular convocation of Te-mseh Chapter No. 42 will be held ext Wednesday, February 26. There ill be work in the Mark degree, after hich refreshments will be served. All embers are requested to be present.

Eighth grade examinations will occur Saturday, Feb. 29, at the school houses n the following places: Britton, Riga, Deerfield, Ogden Center, Palmyra, Te-cumseh, Weston, Morenci, Clayton, Hudson, Rome Center, Addison and Onsted. EDWARD KEELER.

The Springfield Music Co., Spring-field, Mass., have just published a very leasing song entitled, "Sleep Little Darling." The music is a charming elody and the words will please the ousehold. Introductory copies mailed or 15c each, the regular price being 40c.

At its session in Lansing on Saturday he state military board recommended o the commander in chief that the ext encampment of the M. N. G. be eld at Island Lake, beginning August 0. No man will be eligible to go to mp who does not enlist prior to May 5.

C. A. Slayton is in the market for heat. We are glad to state to the far-ers of this section that the highest arket price for wheat can be procured Tecumseh and that by a reliable aler. As yet Mr. Slayton has no con-nience for cleaning and wheat bought him must be cleaned for market.

At a special election held by Co. B. of drian, Tuesday evening to fill the va-ancy caused by the resignation of Capt. Buck, James M. Holloway was chosen Captain, Ed. A. Wells, first lieuten-ant and Mina C. Bond second lieutenant All the vacancies were filled in the re-gular line of promotion and every man n the first regiment can testify to he qualifications of the officers elect.

Baron Humbolt Pennington, super-isor of Macon, died very suddenly oday afternoon, about 3 o'clock. He ell on the steps in front of W. P. Cot-on's store at the Corners and expired lmost immediately, probably from eart disease. Mr. Pennington was one f the best known and most highly re-pected citizens of that section. The uneral was conducted yesterday morn-ng at Macon by Rev. Deispelder. Leigh Pennington, who attends school here, s a son of the deceased.

Will Barnes was a Chicago visitor the first of the week.

The Lake Shore noon train was over two hours late yesterday.

We publish the program of the Farmers' institue on the last page.

Miss Hopkins, of Blissfield, was the guest of Miss Wydney over Sunday.

The friends of Rev. C. M. Brown presented him with a new Waverly bicycle last Tuesday.

Harry G. Selfridge, of Marshall Field & Co. Chicago, was in town yesterday called here by the death of his aunt, Mrs. Kellogg.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend services at Friends church next Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Mrs. Lovicia Redding, of Quincy, is visiting her nieces, Mrs. W. A. Burlingame and Mrs. J. R. Hisley, this week.

Chronological Events. — Tomorrow, Feb. 22, G. Washington born, years ago. Chicken pie supper, this year. Massacre of Shull's hens some time tonight.

The Lenten services in St. Peter's church will be: Evening Prayer on Tuesday and Friday evenings and Holy Communion at 9 o'clock on Saints' days.

The snow was banked in the cuts for several miles near Richland on the C., J. & M., from four to six feet, and the trains were all late on that road Wednesday.

Harris & Hiteshu are still continuing their reduced sale on capes, cloaks and jackets, on which they are offering great bargains. Just read their ad in another column.

Farmers who are contemplating buying grain drills this season will remember that W. H. Spalding handles the celebrated Superior Drills. Call on him before buying.

A number of Tecumseh young people attended the return party at Clinton last week Friday night, and were most royally entertained. The ball was a success in every particular.

At an adjourned meeting of the Commercial Telegraph Co., held last Monday afternoon, much interest was displayed and the following officers chosen:

Pres. and Treas.—D. T. Hall.
Vice Pres.—E. C. Cook.
Sec.—L. G. North.
Manager—G. B. Garlinghouse.
Asst. Man.—W. J. Hampton.

Senator Allen, of Neb., declared in a speech this week that two of the most gigantically useless institutions in the country were the Civil Service Commission and Inter-State Commerce Commission; that the latter was as powerful as an infant to carry out its judgements and findings, and that whenever a member of the former developed the slightest amount of backbone or independence he heard a voice from the White House announcing a vacancy in the Civil Service Commission.

List of patents granted to Michigan inventors: A. O. Barnes, Moore Park, antifriction bearing; C. N. Choate, Greenville, seed bag; J. Desmond, Detroit, injector; A. Dodds, Grand Rapids, bicycle saddle; L. A. Henze, Detroit, malt drier; H. H. Norrington, West Bay City, apparatus for lighting buildings; A. O. Sjoholm, Negaunee, combined miner's tool and candlestick; T. J. Sweeney, Detroit, injector; C. M. Walker, Adrian, pencil sharpener; A. R. Welch, Chelsea, wick raising or lowering device.

Harper's Weekly for February 8 will contain a strong paper on an important subject by Julian Ralph. The title is suggestive: "Poison in the Civil Service." The same number will contain an interesting letter from Walter Besant on the subject of encouraging the friendly relations between English people and American visitors in England; a timely article on a "Winter Campaign in the Russian Army," fully illustrated; a spirited marine double-page illustration by R. F. Zogbaum, entitled "Fire Quarters in Action;" a striking front-page drawing, by T. de Thurlstrup, of a Cuban cavalry charge, etc., etc.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kellogg expired at the home of B. L. Baxter Wednesday morning about half past five o'clock. Mrs. Kellogg was only confined to her bed one day from the effects of a cold and her demise seemed rather to be a gradual and natural giving out of life than from effects of any particular disease. The deceased was 78 years of age. She was a sister of B. L. Baxter and Mrs. Selfridge and had made her home with them at the former's residence for the past two winters. A short service was held at the house here by Rev. C. M. Brown yesterday forenoon and the remains taken to Jackson on the noon train where the funeral will be held Saturday morning.

The Outlook "Magazine Numbers" continue to improve in quality. The February issue is strong in illustration, and has variety and timeliness in its articles. Among the features are "The Higher Life of Chicago," by Melville E. Stone (twenty-five illustrations); "The Salvation Army"—made timely by the recent removal of Mr. and Mrs. Ballington Booth from the American leadership (seven illustrations); "Recollections of My Boyhood," by John Burroughs (with seven charming pictures in half-tone); "Kate Carnegie" (Ian Maclaren's new novel, third installment); "From Atlanta to the Sea" (with seven illustrations); and "How Christ Would Deal with the Labor War," by Lyman Abbott. There are sixty-eight pages and nearly fifty illustrations. ($3 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.)

Rev. R. S. Hudson and father spent Monday in Detroit.

Miss Nellie Conklin has been visiting in Adrian this week.

A special meeting of the common council is called for Monday night.

Don't forget what a nice supper you can get at the W. R. C. rooms, Saturday, Feb. 22, from 5 to 7. Chicken pie, and only 10 cents.

The banks will be closed tomorrow on account of its being a legal holiday. The postoffice will be open from 7 to 9 a. m., from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m., and from 6 to 8 p. m.

Evangelistic services will begin at the Baptist church next Monday evening, Feb. 24. Rev. F. E. Arnold, a former pastor, has been secured to assist the pastor in the services.

The ministers' meeting will be held at the parlors of the M. E church next Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Subject for discussion, "The relation of the young people's movement to the church."

Louie Jones, E. B. Anderson and Lynn Hardenburg are competing with the farmers about Wampler's lake this week. The great industry up there is fishing through the ice. We are looking for some good stories for next week.

Miss Dr. Daniels, a returned missionary from China, will address a women's meeting at the chapel of the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. She will also lecture in the Baptist church Sunday evening at the usual time of service.

We are expecting George and Martha, also the original hatchet, and many copies of the same hatchet will be given away as souvenirs at the chicken pie supper at the W. R. C. rooms, Feb 22. Come and rejoice with us and eat chicken pie. Only ten cents.

Kennedy & Mize have been able to purchase the stock, which they formerly handled, and are making it complete with new invoices. We are glad to state that they will conduct the business at the old stand and bespeak for them a continuance of their old patronage.

Bert Garlinghouse, who has been on the Pacific coast for the past few months in the interest of the Stimpson Computing Scale, returned Wednesday. He reports many great and wonderful things, but the greatest is the favor with which the Stimpson Scale is meeting in the west.

Satterthwaite Bros. have just received a sample "Lu-mi-num" wheel. The frame is cast in one piece of the celebrated Aluminum, making the strongest frame possible to produce. They report themselves as being in the best possible position for supplying wheels for the coming season.

The ladies of the Eastern Star held a very enjoyable and successful Valentine and box social in the Masonic temple last Friday evening. The boxes were well filled and every man seemed to be hungry. A prominent milk man ate three boxes, and he wasn't the only one, either, for the man who shoes his horses was even, if not ahead, at the finish. The exhibition of Trilby feet and the music, both instrumental, and vocal were features of the occasion.

Several young gentlemen from Tecumseh were fortunate enough to attend the leap year party given at Manchester last Monday. The party was a very enjoyable affair and the boys are loud in their praise of the gallantry of the Manchester ladies. However the new manager of the hotel there seems to have it in for visitors. He probably goes on the plan that a sensible person wouldn't stop at his place but once any way; and so fleeces them the first time.

The following is taken from the Pantagraph, published at Bloomington Ill. The deceased will be remembered by old residents of Tecumseh. "Ralph T. Stocking died at his rooms, 409 East Front street, at 1 a. m. Saturday. He was 67 years old, and had no relatives in this section. Death resulted from asthma, with which he had been afflicted for many years. He served through the war of the rebellion in a light artillery battery from Michigan. The members of the local Grand Army post had cared for him and some time ago secured his admission to the Soldier's Home at Quincy. He desired to return here to die, and came back several weeks ago. The funeral services were held from the rooms of Carlton & Beck at 2 p. m. yesterday, Rev. H. O. Hoffman officiating, and many old soldiers being in attendance."

Wall & Bigelow's Dramatic Co. played a three nights' engagement here the first of the week. The people have learned not to expect much of the troups which are ordinarily secured to play here, but they must have something for their ten cents. Perhaps it was part of the play, "In the Streets of New York," that the audience room was about the same temperature as the streets outside. This would doubtless have been appreciated had the play been intensely interesting. But critics would say it was a little heavy for the company. Now it isn't so bad, when a troup has a heavier play than they can handle. If the house is dimly lighted and warm so the weary audience can take a comfortable snooze. A good nap is worth 10c. The company did very well the next two nights but they weren't appreciated. They play in Hudson the rest of the week, and we sincerely wish them all they deserve, for they are sadly in need of it, and, beside, we are slightly interested.

Joseph Wooden, who has lived at Battle Creek for the past several years, and whose ill health for the past year has been a cause of concern among his many Tecumseh friends, died the first of the week. The remains were brought here on the C., J. & M. today and the funeral was held at noon at the Universalist church, Rev. E. C. Andrus officiating. The deceased was a resident and active business man of Tecumseh for many years and is remembered with much kindness and respect by our citizens. He was a member of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., and the members attended the obseques in a body and officiated at the grave.

High School Hpsepenings.

Mr. McKinnon visited the high school Tuesday.

Miss Inez Thorpe visited the A room Thursday.

Miss Bertha Kniffen was a visitor in the A room Thursday.

Misses Cora and Lulu Day have left school, intending again to try farm life in Macon.

Sam McClure, who has been absent four weeks on account of illness, called on us Monday.

Miss Hattie Hurry, Tuesday, firmly impressed upon the minds of her city cousins the innumerable pleasures of rural life.

Leigh Pennington was called home Monday by a telegram announcing the sudden death of his father, Mr. Humbolt Pennington.

The fifth grade of the east and west branches will celebrate the birthday of the "Father of Our Country" with appropriate exercises Friday.

Mr Willis Hartoo, a member of the class of '92, who is now a mail clerk on a railroad running out of Chicago, visited the high school Tuesday.

Two young ladies of the B room, realizing how essential it is to fix the fundamental laws of mathematics firmly in their minds, are taking private lessons of Miss Harding after school, nights.

WAR DECLARED!

Great Excitement. Don't Shout. England and the United States! No! No!

A photographic war at Teeple's Studio. Think of it, 1 dozen full length cabinet, enameled Photos only $1.50. Never before so cheap, and I guarantee perfection. All other sizes and styles way down in price; and, still more, I wish to pack all of my negetives away, and will duplicate until February at reduced rates. If you have ever had any pictures at Teeple's that suited you, now is the time to get more, as you may never get a chance again. 10,000 feet of picture and room moulding, which must go regardless of price. Bring your pictures at once if you want to get them framed cheap. My mouldings are all new and of the latest pattern. Come to Teeple's Studio, Tecumseh.

—Its a good time to buy your Grass Seed now and you can find the best assortment and bottom prices at C. A. SLAYTON'S

—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—I have eight grades of shingles and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or B. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Dressmaking at 1-4 regular prices for January and February at F. A. Deuel's, over Adamson Bros.' jewelry store.

—I have some very nice baled hay and straw for sale. Barn oat straw for feeding. Prices right. See it. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Our capes and Jackets are going at manufacturers cost price. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—THE CITY BAKERY—

Furnishes the most delicious confections. Nothing like the City Bakery taffies. Call and try them; all up to date. Ice cream furnished on short notice. Oysters, the best in town. New nuts of all kinds. Peanuts, fresh roasted, 10c per pound.

—Come before it is too late. We have all sizes in capes and jackets and will give you manufacturer's cost price on all garments until all are closed out. HARRIS & HITESHU.

—You can get an elegant cape or jacket at manufacturer's prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Ask your grocer for Heck's buckwheat. It is fine.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

—BOOK BINDING—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

Fancy Pomana Navel Oranges.

Seedless, Juicy and Sweet.

We are headquarters for everything choice in the line of

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Now is Your Time!

—We are Going Out of the—

Grocery and Crockery Business.

Commencing at once we will give

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All Crockery 1-4 off.

Haviland China 1-3 to 1-2 off.

Glassware 1-4 off.

Good Potatoes, per bushel	20c
Best Sugar Cured Hams, per pound	10c
Finest Sugar Cured Bacon, "	10c
Good " " " "	8c
Best " " Shoulders "	7c
Best " " Picnics "	7c
Wichart's Sweet Pickles, per dozen	3c
Heinz's Sweet Mixed Pickles per qt.	10c
Sour Pickles per doz.	4c
Gallon Cans Apples, Each	22c
3 lb. Cans Apples, Each	9c
3 lb. Cans Pine Apples, Each	10c
Matchless Tomatoes, per can	7c
Mount Olive Corn, per can	5c
Our Own Baking Powder, per can	20c
Our Own Baking Powder, 6 ozs	8c
Pay Car Tobacco, per pound	20c
All 10c Plugs 7c each, 3 for	20c
Indian Queen Smoking, 1 lb package with Cob Pipe	16c
Capitol Smoking, per pound	18c

Also many other bargains that we have not room to name.

We want to close the stock out quick.

Our loss is Your Gain; get the Bargains while they are going.

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we carry a complete stock of

Sap Pans, Pails, spouts,

ARCH DOORS, GRATES,

and everything pertaining to a complete sugar making outfit.

Headquarters for Bicycles.

Satterthwaite Bros.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

LUCK OF A MICHIGAN BOY.

Hector Holburt Seeks and Finds His Fortune in the West.

Battle Creek, Feb. 19.—Seventeen years ago a poor farmer boy, Hector Holbert, left the township of Bedford, north of this city, to seek his fortune in the far west. He started in as a prospector for gold, and had ever since kept up the search, with the usual changes of fortune incident to the life of a gold hunter. He had his ups and downs. But last year his lucky day came. He discovered a big paying mine in Arizona. Last week he sold his interest for $200,000. Tuesday he sent his mother, Mrs. A. E. Pulling, of Bedford village, several thousand dollars. He also remembered his uncle, Irving Armstrong, and several other relatives and old-time friends. The usual quietude of country life has been greatly changed to one of excitement in that township, and the whole country is now talking about Hector Holbert and his good luck.

Y. M. C. A.

Features of the Coming State Convention at Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 17.—The 24th annual state convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held here on February 27 to March 1. Of the 36 associations of the state about 300 delegates will represent 8,200 members. One of the special features of the convention will be a phonographic address by Hon. John Wanamaker, entitled "A Greeting to Young Men." Mr. Wanamaker delivered the address into a cylinder several weeks ago, and at the time it is given here Mr. Wanamaker will be in Jerusalem. Rev. P. S. Henson, of Chicago, the pastor of the First Baptist church, will speak on "The Way to Win." Addresses on various topics will also be delivered by Prof. Graham Taylor, D. D., of the Chicago Theological society; Gilbert A. Beaver, of Pennsylvania; General Secretary L. E. Wilbur Messer, and Fred S. Goodman, secretary of the New York state association.

PAY FOR TIMBER FIRST.

New Terms Made on Michigan Agricultural College Lands.

Lansing, Feb. 17.—The Agricultural college lands in Antrim, Missaukee, Otsego, Charlevoix, Kalkaska and Cheboygan counties, which will be restored to market February 28, will be offered on different terms than heretofore. The small cash payment required in previous years was an inducement for purchasers to strip the lands of their valuable timber and let them revert to the state. To obviate this the payment of one-fourth of the purchase price will be required at the time of sale on lands not especially valuable for timber, while all timber lands must wholly be paid for before any timber is cut from them.

NOTED POLITICIAN DEAD.

Hon. Fred S. Clark Passes Away at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 17.—Fred S. Clark, for six years clerk of Kent county and a long-recognized factor in district and county republican politics, died Saturday of Bright's disease, aged 48 years. He was chairman of the congressional committee in 1887, and it was acknowledged that more than to any other it was due to his exertions that the republicans won. Before he died Clark named six of his old political associates to be his pall-bearers, and arranged the details for his funeral. His widow and one child survive him.

Benton Harbor Firemen Quit.

Benton Harbor, Feb. 19.—The firemen and the city are at outs, and the members of two of the companies have withdrawn and will not return unless their demands are conceded by the council. The firemen recently asked the city to purchase an expensive hook and ladder truck and the city refused to do it on account of lack of funds. The city is now almost without fire protection. The firemen also demand higher wages.

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DEATH IN A MINE.

Four Are Killed and Four Others Are Injured at Republic.

Republic, Mich., Feb. 17.—The most distressing accident that has ever occurred here took place Saturday morning at No. 1 pit, Republic mine. After finishing their night's work 11 miners got into the skip to ride to the surface. The skip jumped the track on an incline less than 60 feet from the bottom, and as the occupants had no means of signaling the engineer to stop hoisting the skip it was pulled along until it was caught and overturned. The men were caught between the heavy iron skip and the rough sides of the shaft and were terribly crushed.

Four of them were instantly killed, one was fatally injured, three were less seriously hurt and the remaining three escaped with slight bruises.

The dead are: Adolph Bartel, married; James Dodge, married; William McGrath, single; Matthias Tegelberg married. The most seriously injured are: Charles Anderson, three ribs broken; Eric Marti, leg broken; James McGrath, back hurt; Andrew Petersor, hurt internally, recovery doubtful. All of the victims were old residents of Republic.

NARROW ESCAPES.

Several Persons Injured in a Fire at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 18.—The old Houseman block at the corner of Pearl and Ottawa streets, was gutted by fire, and many persons living on the upper floors had narrow escapes several of them being seriously injured. In the block was the office of the Grand Rapids Democrat, and the United States Express company and National express company had offices in the block. The fire started from an exploding lamp in a room on the third floor. Mr. E. L. Wedgewood and his wife were seriously burned and cut, and Mrs. Wedgewood is in a critical condition. Mrs Raymond and her son, aged 15 years, were also badly burned. Fireman Ed Galloway, of engine company No. 4, was overcome by cold and is in a serious condition. The damage to the block will reach $30,000, which is covered by insurance. The loss to tenants will foot up $20,000, which is also covered by insurance.

PROPOSED PINE POOL FAILS.

Leading Michigan Manufacturers See No Advantage in the Plan.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 15.—The proposed pool of white pine men, by which it was hoped to bring about a curtailment of the cut, is now said to be impossible owing to the refusal of the Menominee manufacturers to cooperate. The latter felt that they were sure of a market for their entire cut anyway, and saw no advantage in curtailment. The Saginaw and Bay City mills felt the same way, and accordingly Duluth and Ashland have refused to come in. Thus the whole plan is impracticable.

A BAD FIRE.

Property Worth $100,000 Destroyed at Sunfield, Mich.

Sunfield, Mich., Feb. 17.—Fire started in the store occupied by C. G. Loaz at 10:45 Friday night and the hotel, printing office of the Sunfield Sun, Lennan & Peck's meat market and grocery, several dwellings and J. H. Bera's furniture store were burned. The fire was gotten under control after midnight. Little or nothing was saved from the burned buildings. The loss is estimated at $100,000, with little or no insurance. Several families are left destitute. There were no fatalities.

Fortune Given Away.

Detroit, Feb. 18.—The will of Eleanor J. Swain, widow of Isaac N. Swain, who accumulated a large fortune in this state, was filed for probate here Monday. Local charities and her immediate family are remembered. Following are some of the bequests: To Eleanor Drake, of Portland, Ore., $20,000; to Frances McArthur, of Chicago, a sister, $10,000; Clara Chadegne, of Buffalo, a niece, $5,000; James H. Covert, of East Pemuroke, N. Y., a brother, $5,000, Grace Covert, a niece, $5,000. The remainder of the estate is given to the Fisk university, Nashville, Tenn. It is estimated the university bequest may reach $50,000.

Editors on a Tour.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Members of the Michigan Press association arrived Friday at the Palmer house, their rendezvous preparatory to starting on their 29th annual excursion, which will be made this year to the City of Mexico. Chase S. Osborne, of Sault Ste. Marie, president of the association, has charge of the party, which left to-day over the Illinois Central at 3:10 p. m. Among those who arrived were Gov. and Mrs. John T. Rich, Attorney General Fred A. Maynard, Cadillac; C. H. Pettingill, state superintendent of schools, Lansing; Mrs. Martin, Michigan school moderator, Lansing; and E. B. Lapham, of Belding.

Boathouse Burned.

Charlevoix, Feb. 17.—The Beluvais Boat and Canoe company lost a paint shop and warehouse by fire early Sunday morning, and over $2,000 worth of boats were burned. There was no insurance. The steam yacht Lady Jane, owned by S. M. Moore, of Chicago, was on the ways adjoining and was badly scorched. There had been no fire in the building and the cause was either incendiarism or spontaneous combustion.

Mayor Whiting Goes to College.

Somerville Springs, St. Clair, Feb. 15.—Mayor John F. Whiting, aged 23, the youngest mayor of Michigan, and possibly the youngest mayor in the United States, has gone to Ann Arbor, where he will take the law course of the Michigan university.

To Camp at Island Lake.

Lansing, Feb. 17.—At a meeting of the state military board it was decided that the Michigan national guard shall hold its annual encampment at Island lake for the five days beginning August 19 next.

FULL OF INTEREST.

Bits of Information from Many Localities in the State.

St. Joseph is to have six mail carriers and there are 75 applicants for the positions.

Two expert prospectors claim to have discovered "signs of oil" in the southern part of Cheboygan county.

The spring meeting of the Northern Michigan Schoolmasters' club will be held in Petoskey April 2, 3 and 4.

John Stimpson, with hook and line, caught 207 pounds of lake trout through the ice at Mackinaw City on Monday.

Mrs. P. P. Soper, a pensioner of the war of 1812, and a pioneer of Galesburg, Kalamazoo county, was buried Sunday, aged 94.

Detroit police and fire commissioners have decided that after March 1 the bell in the city hall shall not ring for fire alarms.

George Neils, aged 19 years, living near Buchanan, was fatally injured by a tree falling upon his head and crushing his skull.

The Holland carriage and building works have resumed business with orders enough booked to insure work for several months.

Towns on the Chicago & West Michigan railway north of Traverse City complain bitterly of the lack of winter train and postal service.

The supreme court has decided that Michigan courts have jurisdiction in divorce cases where the defendant is a non-resident of the state.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. Tine, of Fairplains township, Montcalm county, was fatally scalded by falling into a dish pan filled with boiling water.

The Michigan Hardware association closed its meeting at Saginaw with a banquet. Officers are to be elected at the July meeting in Detroit.

Victor M. Gore, of Benton Harbor, has announced himself as a candidate for the republican congressional nomination in the Fourth Michigan district.

There is a row among the liquor dealers in Detroit, where over 300 of them have withdrawn from the local council of the Liquor Dealers' Protective association.

The Washington authorities have scaled down the estimate of necessary improvements on the harbor at St. Joseph to $25,000 and for South Haven and Saugatuck to $10,000 each.

The Cheboygan Street Railway company proposes to build an electric line from the city to Mullet lake and have it finished in time for the Canoe club meet to be held there next summer.

Lansing Germans have begun preparations to entertain the biennial Michigan sangerfest, to be held in that city in August. Several Canadian societies are expected to be represented.

The Muskegon board of education has selected the plans of Pattan & Fisher, of Chicago, for the Hackley manual training school. The building will be of pressed brick with stone trimmings and will cost about $25,000.

CHARGED WITH CRIME.

Farmers Arrested for Robbing and Then Burning a Michigan Post Office.

Niles, Feb. 19.—Early last December the general store and post office of Edward Walters, of Summerville, was robbed of merchandise and a quantity of stamps and the building then burned to hide the traces of the crime. Tuesday the sheriff of Cass county arrested Albert Black, Henry Sterling and Henry Mitchell, farmers residing near Summerville, on the charge of committing the crime. The information which led to the arrest of the men was furnished by a 13-year-old boy, who claims that he overheard the three men planning the robbing expedition. One of the men confessed the crime and conducted the officers to a place where a portion of the stolen goods was secreted.

New Banks Authorized.

Lansing, Feb. 15.—A certificate of authority to commence business has been issued by Banking Commissioner Sherwood to the Lexington State bank of Lexington, of which B. R. Noble is president and, which has a capital of $20,000. Similar authority has been issued to the City savings bank of Owosso, which is capitalized at $50,000. I. H. Keeler is president.

Ambassador Uhl Takes the Oath.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—Edwin F. Uhl is now ambassador to Germany, having taken the oath of office at the department of state. He will go to his home at Grand Rapids before starting for his post at Berlin in order to close up some private business, so that it may be about 30 days before he reaches Berlin.

Ypsilanti Wins at Whist.

Toledo, O., Feb. 15.—Ypsilanti won the match in Friday night's playing for the interstate whist championship by half a point. The teams were the Wayne, of Detroit; the Golden Rod, of Bucyrus; Ypsilanti, Hillsdale, three teams from the Toledo Whist club and two from the Ohio Yacht club.

Fruit Shipments of a Year.

Grand Rapids, Feb 14.—At the farmers' round-up institute C. N. Rapp reported the total fruit shipments from western Michigan last season to have been 2,440,000 bushels, or 6,100 car loads, Allegan county leading with 1,250,000 bushels and Kent coming next with 695,000 bushels.

G. A. R. Headquarters.

Lansing, Feb. 15.—Judge Sherman L. Daboll, commander of the Michigan department, G. A. R., has announced officially that department headquarters will be permanently located in this city after March 10, the state having set apart a room in the capitol for this purpose.

Allan Thompson Acquitted.

Centerville, Feb. 15.—Allan Thompson, the man charged with throwing dynamite into the office of Dr. Sweetland, wrecking the building and seriously injuring John Franks, a patient from Goshen, Ind., has been acquitted. Thompson is a rich farmer.

Found Hidden Money.

Hudson, Feb. 19.—Asaph Pierce, a wealthy farmer, died here last week. His neighbors, knowing he had money and valuables concealed around the farm, persuaded his wife, who is very ill, to reveal the hiding place. Following her directions they found over $1,000 in gold and securities stored [illegible] and out of the way places around the farm.

Broke His Parole.

Jackson, Feb. 19.—One of the convicts first paroled last November under Michigan's new parole law, Henry Helliger, broke parole at Detroit three weeks ago and was on Tuesday turned over by Chicago officers to Deputy Warden Northrup, who brought him to Jackson prison. It is the first attempt at escape of paroled convicts.

A Cold Wave.

Detroit, Feb. 18.—Sunday night was the coldest of the season here and throughout Michigan. In this city the mercury dropped to three degrees below zero. Throughout the state the mercury fell from eight to 36 degrees below zero.

Conviction Affirmed.

Lansing, Feb. 19.—Nellie W. Pope, the Detroit murderess, who induced William Brusseau to hack her husband's head to pieces with an ax, will spend her life in prison, the supreme court having affirmed her conviction.

Will Build a Seminary.

Niles, Feb. 18. — Negotiations are pending for the purchase of the farm belonging to the Colby estate, near this city, upon which will be erected a female seminary. Chicago parties are said to be behind the scheme.

Furniture Factory Burned.

Plainwell, Feb. 18.—The factory of the Plainwell Church Furniture company burned to the ground at seven o'clock Monday morning. Loss, $10,000; insurance, $7,000.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected?

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Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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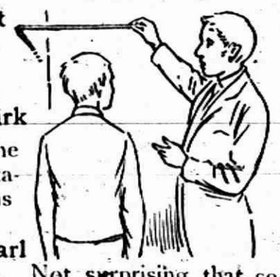
Georgia farmers are afraid of the peach crop. The recent warm weather swelled the buds on the trees and some are almost about to bloom. A frost would destroy the buds and ruin the prospects of a good crop.



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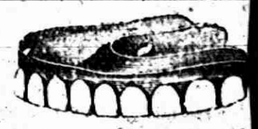

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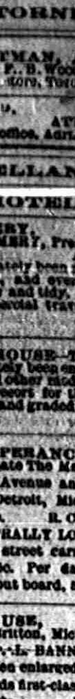

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INISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

TE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

matter of the estate of William P. Emons,

hereby given, that in pursuance and of an order granted to the undersigned, nistrator of the estate of said deceased, Hon. Richard B. Robbins Judge of Pro- and for said county, on the 7th day of , to the highest bidder, at the dwelling on the hereinafter described land in the ship of Macon, in said county, on Thursday, day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in ternoon of said day, (subject to all en- ances by mortgage or otherwise existing time of the death of said deceased or at me of this sale) all the right, title, and in- of said William P. Emons, deceased, in the following described lands and prem- all that certain piece or parcel of land ia and being in the township of Macon, ve county, Michigan, described as follows: on the east half of the northwest quarter tion number thirty-four (34), town five (5) of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: ncing at the quarter section line, the ice ng west along the section line thirty six 36) links, thence south along land owned by m B. Swick eighty-eight and 88-100 rods, e east along William B. Swick's land y-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter n line eighty-eight and 8 -100 rods to place inning; containing twenty acres of land, or less.

ted February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BEAL, ministrator of the Estate of William P. n, deceased.

TE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

a session of the Probate Court for the ty of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, e City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 18th of February, in the year one thousand eight dred and ninety-six.

sent, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. the matter of the estate of George W. Smith, ased.

n reading and filing the petition duly veri- of Margaretta M. Smith widow of said de- ed, praying that administration of said te may be granted to Cynthia A Hoag or other suitable person.

It Ordered, That Monday the 16th day arch next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, signed for the hearing of said petition and the heirs at law of said deceased and other persons interested in said estate, required to appear at a session of said rt, then to be holden at the Probate Office e City of Adrian, and show cause, if any e be, why the prayer of said petitioner said not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner e notice to the persons interested in said ate, of the pendency of said petition and the ring thereof, by causing a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a wspaper printed and circulating in said nty of Lenawee; for three successive weeks vious to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate (A True Copy.)
E. Baragar, Probate Register.

TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

a session of the Probate Court for the county nawee holden at the Probate office, in th of Adrian, on Tuesday, the 21st day of ary, in the year one thousand eight hundred ninety-six

sent, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate, the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, ased.

reading and filing the petition duly veri- of Byron A. Beal, administrator upon said e, praying that he may be empowered and ised to sell the real estate of said deceased in petition described, for reasons therein stated

ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of Febru- next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned he hearing of said petition, and that the heirs of said deceased, and all other persons in- ted in said estate, are required to appear at a on of said Court then to be holden at the Pro- Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, y there be, why the prayer of said petitioner ld not be granted.

d it is further ordered, That said petitioner notice to the persons interested in said estate. e pendency of said petition and the hearing of, by causing a copy of this order to be pub- d in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper ed and circulated in said county of Lenawee, ree successive weeks previous to said day of ng.

ICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate. A True Copy.)
BARAGAR, Probate Register.

TE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

a session of the Probate Court for the County nawee, holden at the Probate office, in the of Adrian, on Monday, the 20th day of Janu- in the year one thousand eight hundred ninety-six.

esent, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, ased.

n reading and filing the petition, duly verified, Elizabeth Pilbeam, widow of said deceased, ing that her dower in the real estate of said ased may be assigned to her and that commis- ers be appointed for that purpose according to statute in such case made and provided.

is ordered, That Monday, the 17th day of ruary next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be igned for the hearing of said petition and the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all er persons interested in said estate, are required appear at a session of said Court, then to be hold- at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and ause, if any there be, why the prayer of said tioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner notice to the persons interested in said estate thependency of said petition, and the hearing reof, by causing a copy of this order to be pub- hed in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper inted and circulating in said County of Lenawee three successive weeks, previous to said day of aring.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate. True Copy.)
A.E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

n the matter of the estate of Scovel C. Stacy deased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the robate Court of said County, Commissioners to ceive, examine and adjust all claims and de- nds of all persons against the estate of said ceased, do hereby give notice that we will et for that purpose at the office of Sumner llins, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee nty, Michigan, on the 21th day of February, 96, and on the 27th day of July, 1896, at two clock in the afternoon of each of said days And that six months from the 27th day of Janu- A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court the creditors of said estate to present their ims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 23, 1896.

JOSEPH D. ROBBINS,
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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Put Ye in the Sickle, for the Harvest is Ripe.

The Kind of Sickles to be Used in Reaping the Spiritual Harvest—The Gospel the Most Po-

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage delivered the following discourse on "Bringing in the Sheaves" before his Washington congregation, taking for his text:

Put ye in the sickle, for the harvest is ripe.—Joel iii., 13.

The sword has been poetized and the world has celebrated the sword of Bolivar, the sword of Cortez, and the sword of Lafayette. The pen has been properly eulogized, and the world has celebrated the pen of Addison, the pen of Southey, and the pen of Irving. The painters' pencil has been honored, and the world has celebrated the pencil of Murillo, the pencil of Rubens, and the pencil of Bierstadt. The sculptor's chisel has come in for high encomium, and the world has celebrated Chantrey's chisel, and Crawford's chisel, and Greenough's chisel. But there is one instrument about which I sing the first canto that was ever sung—the sickle, the sickle of the Bible, the sickle that has reaped the harvest of many centuries. Sharp, and bent into a semi-circle, and glittering, this reaping-hook, no longer than your arm, has furnished the bread for thousands of years. Its success has produced the wealth of nations. It has had more to do with the world's progress than sword, and pen, and pencil, and chisel, all put together. Christ puts the sickle into the exquisite sermonic simile, and you see that instrument flash up and down the Apocalypse as St. John swings it, while through Joel in my text God commands the people, as through His servants now He commands them—"Put ye in the sickle, for the harvest is ripe."

Last November there was great rejoicing all over the land. With trumpet and cornet and organ and thousand-voiced psalm we praised the Lord for the temporal harvest. We praised God for the wheat, the rye, the oats, the cotton, the rice, all the fruits of the orchard and all the grains of the field; and the nation never does a better thing than when in the autumn it gathers to festivity and thanks God for the greatness of the harvest. But I come to-day to speak to you of richer harvests, even the spiritual. How shall we estimate the value of a man? We say he is worth so many dollars, or he has achieved such and such a position; but we know very well there are some men at the top of the ladder who ought to be at the bottom, and some at the bottom who ought to be at the top, and the only way to estimate a man is by his soul. We all know that we shall live forever. Death can not kill us. Other crafts may be drawn into the whirlpool or shivered on the rocks, but this life within us will weather all storms and drop no anchor, and 10,000,000 years after death will shake out signals on the high seas of eternity. You put the mendicant off your doorstep and say he is only a beggar; but he is worth all the gold of the mountains; worth all the pearls of the sea, worth the solid earth, worth sun and moon and stars, worth the entire material universe. Take all the paper that ever came from the paper mills, and put it side by side and sheet by sheet, and let men with fleetest pens make figures on that paper for 10,000 years, and they will only have begun to express the value of the soul. Suppose I owned Colorado and Nevada and Australia, of how much value would they be to me one moment after I departed this life? How much of Philadelphia does Stephen Girard own to-day? How much of Boston property does Abbott Lawrence own to-day? The man who to-day hath a dollar in his pocket hath more worldly estate than the millionaire who died last year. How do you suppose I feel, standing here surrounded by a multitude of souls each one worth more than the material universe? Oh, was I not right in saying, this spiritual harvest is richer than the temporal harvest? I must tighten the girdle, I must sharpen the sickle. I must be careful how I swing the instrument for gathering the grain, lest one stalk be lost.

One of the most powerful sickles for reaping this spiritual harvest is the preaching of the Gospel. If the sickle have a rosewood handle, and it be adorned with precious stones, and yet it can not bring down the grain, it is not much of a sickle, and the preaching amounts to nothing unless it harvests souls for God. Shall we preach philosophy? The Ralph Waldo Emersons could beat us at that. Shall we preach science? The Agassizes could beat us at that. The minister of Jesus Christ with weakest arm going forth in earnest prayer, and wielding this sickle of the Gospel, shall find the harvest all around him waiting for the angel sheaf binders. Oh, this harvest of souls! I notice in the fields that the farmer did not stand upright when he gathered the grain. I noticed he had to stoop to his work, and I noticed in order to bind the sheaves the better he had to put his knee upon them. And as we go forth in this work for God we can not stand upright in our rhetoric, and our metaphysics, and our erudition. We have to stoop to our work. Ay, we have to put our knee on it or we will never gather sheaves for the Lord's garner. Peter swung that sickle on the day of Pentecost, and 3,000 sheaves came in. Richard Baxter swung that sickle at Kidderminster, and McCheyne at Dundee, and vast multitudes came into the kingdom of God.

Oh, this is a mighty Gospel! It captured not only John the lamb, but Paul the lion. Men may gnash their teeth at it, and clinch their fists, but it is the power of God and the wisdom of God unto salvation. But, alas, if it is only preached in pulpits and on Sabbath days! We must go forth into our stores, our shops, our banking houses, our factories, and the streets, and everywhere preach Christ. We stand in our pulpits for two hours on the Sabbath and commend Christ to the people; but there are 168 hours in the week, and what are the two hours on the Sabbath against the 166? Oh, there comes down the ordination of God this day upon all the people, men who toil with head and hand and foot—the ordination comes upon all merchants, upon all mechanics, upon all toilers, and God says to you as He says to me: "Go, teach all nations. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved, and he that believeth not shall be damned." Mighty Gospel, let the whole earth hear it! The story of Christ is to regenerate the nations, it is to eradicate all wrong, it is to turn the earth into a paradise. An old artist painted the Lord's Supper, and he wanted the chief attention directed to the face of Christ. When he invited his friends in to criticise the picture, they admired the chalices more than they did the face, and the old artist said: "This picture is a failure," and he dashed out the picture of the cups and said: "I shall have nothing to detract from the face of the Lord; Christ is the all of this picture."

Another powerful sickle for the reaping of this harvest is Christian song. I know in many churches the whole work is delegated to a few people standing in the organ loft. But, my friends, as others can not repent for us and others can not die for us, we can not delegate to others the work of singing for us. While a few drilled artists shall take the chants and execute the more skillful music, when the hymn is given out let there be hundreds and thousands of voices uniting in the acclamatia. On the way to grandeurs that never cease and glories that neve die, let us sing. At the battle of Lutzen, a general came to the king and said: "Those soldiers are singing as they are going into battle. Shall I stop them?" "No," said the king, men that can sing light that can fight." Oh, the power of Christian song! When I argue here you may argue back. The argument you make against religion may be more skillful than the argument I make in behalf of religion. But who can stand before pathos of some uplifted song like that which we sometimes sing:

Show pity, Lord, O Lord, forgive!
Let a repenting rebel live!
Are not Thy mercies large and free?
May not a sinner trust in Thee?

Another mighty sickle for the reaping of the Gospel harvest is prayer. What does God do with our prayers? Does He go on the battlements of Heaven and throw them off? No. What do you do with gifts given you by those who love you very much? You keep them with great sacredness. And do you suppose God will take our prayers, offered in the sincerity and love of our hearts, and scatter them to the winds? Oh, no! He will answer them all in some way. Oh, what a mighty thing prayer is! It is not a long rigmarole of "ohs," and "ahs," and "for ever and ever, Amens." It is a breathing of the heart into the heart of God. Oh, what a mighty thing prayer is! Elijah with it reached up to the clouds and shook down the showers. With it John Knox shook Scotland. With it Martin Luther shook the earth. And when Philip Melanchton lay sick unto death, as many supposed, Martin Luther came in and said: "Philip, we can't spare you!" "Oh," said he, "Martin, you must let me go; I am tired of persecution and tired of life. I want to go to be with my God." "No," said Martin Luther, "you shall not go, you must take this food and then I will pray for you." "No, Martin," said Melanchthon, "you must let me go." Martin Luther said: "You take this food, or I will excommunicate you." He took the food and Martin Luther knelt down and prayed as only he could pray, and convalescence came and Martin Luther went back and said to his friends: "God has saved the life of Philip Melanchthon in direct answer to my prayer." Oh, the power of prayer. Have you tested it?

Dr. Prime, of New York, in his beautiful book, entitled "Around the World," described a mausoleum in India which it took 20,000 men 22 years to build—that and the buildings surrounding—and he says: "Standing in that mausoleum and uttering a word, it is echoed back from a height of 150 feet, not an ordinary echo, but a prolonged music, as though there were angels hovering in the air." And every word of earnest prayer we utter has an echo, not from the marble cupola of an earthly mausoleum, but from the heart of God and from the wings of angels as they hover, crying: "Behold, he prays!" Oh, test it! Mighty sickle for reaping this Gospel harvest, the sickle of prayer!

"Oh," says some man, "I have been going on the wrong road for 30, 40 or 50 years. I have gone through the whole catalogue of crime, and must first get myself fixed up." Ah, you will never get yourself fixed up until Christ takes you in charge. You get worse and worse until He comes to the rescue. "Not the righteous; sinners, Jesus came to all." So, you see, I take the very worst case there is. If there is a man here who feels he is all right in heart and life, I am not talking to him, for he is probably a hypocrite. I will talk to him some other time. But if there is a man who feels himself all wrong, to him I address myself. Though you be wounded in the hands and wounded in the feet and wounded in the head and wounded in the heart, and though the gangrene of eternal death be upon you, one drop of the elixir of divine life will cure your soul. Though you be soaked in evil indulgences, though your feet have gone in unclean places, though you have companioned with the abandoned and the lost, one touch of Divine grace will save your soul.

I do not say that you will not have struggles after that. Oh, no! But they will be a different kind of struggle. You go into that battle and all hell is against you and you are alone, and you fight and you fight, weaker and weaker and weaker, until at last you fall and the powers of darkness trample on your soul. But in the other case you go into the battle and you fight stronger and stronger and stronger, until the evil propensity goes down and you get the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Oh, come out of your sins? Have you not been bruised with sin long enough? Have you not carried that load long enough? Have you not fought that battle long enough?

I rattle the gates of your sepulchre to-day. I take the trumpet of the Gospel and blow the long, loud blast. Roland went into battle. Charlemagne's army had been driven back by the three armies of the Saracens, and Roland, in almost despair, took up the trumpet and blew three blasts in one of the mountain passes, and under the power of those three blasts the Saracens recoiled and fled in terror. But history says that when he had blown the third blast Roland's trumpet broke.

I take this trumpet of the Gospel and blow the first blast, "Whosoever will." I blow the second blast, "Seek ye the Lord while He may be found." I blow the third blast. "Now is the accepted time." But the trumpet does not break. It was handed down by our forefathers to us, and we will hand it down to our children, that after we are dead they may blow the trumpet, telling the world that we have a pardoning God, a loving God, a sympathetic God, and more to Him than the throne on which He sits is the joy of seeing a prodigal put his finger on the latch of his Father's house.

I invite any one the most infidel, any one the most atheistic. I invite him into the kingdom of God with just as much heartiness as those who have for 50 years been under the teaching of the Gospel and believed it all. When I was living in Philadelphia a gentleman told me of a scene in which he was a participant. In Callowhill street, in Philadelphia, there had been a powerful meeting going on for some time, and many were converted, and among others one of the prominent members of the worst clubhouse in that city. The next night the leader of that club-house, the president of it, resolved that he would endeavor to get his comrade away. He came to the door, and before he entered he heard a Christian song, and under its power his soul was agitated. He went in and asked for prayer. Before he came out he was a subject of conquering mercy. The next night another comrade went to reclaim the two who had been lost to their sinful circle. He went, and under the power of the Holy Ghost became a changed man, and the work went on until they were all saved and the infamous club-house disbanded. Oh, it is a mighty Gospel! Though you came here a child of sin you can go away a child of grace, you can go away singing:

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound

Oh, give up your sins! Most of your life is already gone. Your children are going on the same wrong road. Why do you not stop? "This day is salvation come to thy house." Why not this moment look up into the face of Christ and say:

Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy Blood was shed for me:
And that Thou bid'st me come to Thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come

God is going to save you. You are going to be among the shining ones. After the toils of life are over, you are going up to the everlasting rest, you are going up to join your loved ones, departed parents and departed children. "O, my God," says some man, "how can I come to Thee? I am so far off. Who will help me, I am so weak? It seems such a great undertaking." Oh, my brother, it is a great undertaking! It is so great you can not accomplish it, but Christ can do the work. He will correct your heart, and He will correct your life. "Oh," you say, "I will stop profanity. That will not save you. "Oh," you say, "I will stop Sabbath-breaking." That will not save you. There is only one door into the Kingdom of God, and that is faith; only one ship that sails for Heaven, and that is faith. Faith the first step, the second step, the hundredth step, the thousandth step, the last step. By faith we enter the Kingdom. By faith we keep it. In faith we die. Heaven a reward of faith. The earthquake shook down the Philippian dungeon. The jailor said: "What shall I do?" Some of you would say: "Better get out of the place before the walls crush you." What did the apostle say? "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." "Ah," you say, "there's the rub." What is faith? Suppose you were thirsty and I offered you this glass of water, and you believed I meant to give it to you, and you came up and took it. You exercise faith. You believe I mean to keep my promise. Christ offers you the water of everlasting life. You take it. That is faith.

Enter into the kingdom of God. Enter now. The door of life is set wide open. I plead with you by the bloody sweat of Gethsemane and the death-groan of Golgatha, by cross and crown, by Pilate's court room and Joseph's sepulcher, by harps and chains, by kingdoms of light and realms of darkness, by the trumpet of the archangel that shall wake the dead, and by the throne of the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb, that you attend now to the things of eternity. Oh, what a sad thing it will be if, having come so near Heaven, we miss it! Oh, to have come within sight of the shining pinnacles of the city and not have entered. Oh, to have been so near we have seen the mighty throng enter and we not joining them! Angels of God, fly this way! Good news for you, tell the story among the redeemed on high! If there be one there especially longing for your salvation, let that one know it now. We put down our sorrows. Glory be to God for such a hope, for such a pardon, for such a joy, for such a Heaven, for such a Christ!

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7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 10
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 31
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It would be hard to enumerate all the services rendered Durrieux by his friend Levignard. It may be that Durrieux realized them, but Levignard never once suspected, for the reason that when Durrieux used his friend, he neglected to tell him of it.

Durrieux lived at Robigny with his wife and her niece. When he went to Paris he stoutly declared his intention to return home the same evening, but oftener it was the next day. He insisted that Levignard had made him lose the last train; he did not hesitate to add that his companion did it out of malice. If Mme. Durrieux was unable to find the 200 francs which she knew she had placed in the drawer, her husband had loaned them to Levignard to relieve him of a temporary embarrassment. Durrieux even whispered to her that it was some scandal.

Mme. Durrieux stopped him by exclaiming: "That's enough. I forbid you to associate with that fellow."

"You do not know him," answered Durrieux. "No doubt he is a bit dissipated, but he has a heart of gold. He is sowing his wild oats, and I cannot abandon him. His father intrusted him to my care; if I do not counsel him, he will become intemperate in his habits. Fortunately, he is a little afraid of me."

To tell the truth, Durrieux, who had suddenly become rich in the unbleached cotton business, had but one desire in life, and that was to go to Paris without his wife as often as possible and squander his money. He found it convenient to cast upon the shoulders of a third person the burden of his own prodigacy. Mme. Durrieux swallowed these tales without suspicion, and the sly fellow spent the day after his revel in perfect peace, nursed by his wife, who was a most estimable creature, and by her niece, a bright young girl whom one could always interest by telling her that she would be married some day.

For two or three years Durrieux made use of his friend Levignard in this manner, when the startling news was received that Levignard was in Robigny; that he was going to settle there and take up the practice of notary.

This announcement did not please Durrieux, for he would have to furnish other excuses in the future to account for missing the last train from Paris.

"Now, then," exclaimed Mme. Durrieux, "we shall see great doings; our young ladies will have to look out for themselves. Point this rascal out to me; I am anxious to see him."

Her husband was alarmed, but casually observed: "It is not necessary to speak to him of the past. It would annoy him, and, besides, it might injure him in the community."

But Mme. Durrieux had had plenty of time to relate the stories confidentially to the pharmacist's wife, to the collector, and to the grocer, who in their turn had spread them in the neighborhood, so that the new notary came to Robigny preceded by the most questionable reputation.

Mme. Durrieux had pictured to herself a Levignard with waxed mustache and blond hair falling upon his shoulders; such a fop as would wear a long coat and sigh for a becoming uniform. Now Levignard appeared with a long beard, short black hair, dressed in a severe frock coat and wearing eyeglasses. It was a great surprise to Mme. Durrieux; nevertheless, she scanned him cautiously, for one never knows—"still water runs deep." She had opportunity to observe him closely, but she saw nothing to confirm the evil reports. In thinking it over, she concluded that he must be very clever and was concealing his game.

Everybody knows how good women are, how anxious they are to save a soul. It is a temptation they cannot resist, even if it has its perils, and they enter into it with their whole hearts. Sometimes they neglect their husbands. We do not accuse Mme. Durrieux of this. To be sure, she nourished more and more a secret resentment against her husband because he had not resisted the evil advice of his dissolute friend. On the other hand, she regarded the new notary with an indulgence more and more marked, and she bravely undertook the task of pointing out to him the path of a sedate life; but she never went beyond the limits of a conventional sermon.

She lectured Levignard without showing her usual sympathetic tenderness, and yet he was so far encouraged by her gentleness that he resolved to put an end to the lectures by asking for the hand of her niece. He had seen her about, and besides had heard that she would have a dowry, and that would be quite useful to a notary.

"Never!" said Mme. Durrieux. "Never, so long as I live! No, indeed!" And the good woman dismissed him with so much energy that a casual observer might have thought there was some spite about it.

Born of French parents, a bachelor, honorably discharged from his regiment, a graduate of law, at last a notary, Levignard was astonished at this check, and confided in her husband.

"Indeed! my wife dismissed you?"

"Yes; can you tell me why?"

"Well, you have such a deuced reputation—"

These words had no sooner escaped Durrieux's lips than he would have given the world to recall them.

"I a deuced reputation!" exclaimed Levignard. "How the devil could I get it? My habits are regular, I work 12 hours a day, I am not intemperate, I eat little, and am not conscious that I have a single vice. A deuced reputation!—then that is the reason your wife has been moralizing all this time. I insist upon seeing her and explaining—"

"Don't!" cried Durrieux; "heavens, don't do that."

"What harm would it do?"

"I don't know just what," he answered, frightened at the abyss opening before him; "but there is certainly something. Besides—besides, you cannot decently present yourself at the house after your dismissal. But trust yourself to your old friend; I will arrange the matter."

"Truly?"

"I tell you I will see to it. I see a way out, surely; but on condition that you will not step inside my house until I tell you. Do you promise me?"

"Oh, well, if that will help it along—"

"It is absolutely necessary. You promise me that you will not show your face?"

"I swear it."

They parted mutually satisfied. Levignard was comforted by Durrieux's promise; the latter was reassured, for he knew he could postpone, at least for awhile, the dangerous explanation to his wife and Levignard. He must still find the solution which he had promised, and, to tell the truth, he could think of nothing that would prove satisfactory. But he was too kind-hearted not to feel remorse with respect to his comrade, and to appease it he felt that he must fulfill his promise.

When Mme. Durrieux returned a little late from a walk, there seemed to be something unusual in the home atmosphere; her husband, with his cheeks swelled out by something that seemed to be suffocating him, turned and twisted through the salon with a disconsolate look; as for her niece she was assiduously playing the piano, making discords, which showed that this occupation was only a pretense.

"Well—what's the matter?" said Mme. Durrieux.

Her husband raised his hands to heaven, loosened his cravat as though he could scarcely breathe, and, gasping, said: "Ask your niece."

Her niece, with her hands on her head, leaned her elbows on the piano, producing about as much harmony as a moment before, her plump and graceful shoulders shaking—perhaps with sobs, perhaps with suppressed laughter; it was hard to tell.

"Well," said Durrieux, who had, at last succeeded in controlling himself, "your niece went out during your absence, and where do you think I found her?"

"How should I know? You make me uneasy; has anything happened to her?"

"I found her at her lover's office."

Mme. Durrieux rushed to her niece, seized her by the arms, and turned her about, exposing a roguish face, young and lovely, but enigmatical. For a quarter of an hour it was impossible to tell just what this pretty face expressed — confusion, remorse, or the torment a smothered laugh inflicts upon one who tries to control it.

"Do you mean to tell me you have a lover?" said Mme. Durrieux.

"She went to his office," interrupted her uncle.

"You went to his office!"

"She even resorted to his house," again answered her uncle.

"You will be good enough to—"

But the child had had time to catch up her handkerchief with a deft hand and cover her face under pretext of weeping; thenceforth it was vain to try to question her.

"You little rascal!" Durrieux took advantage of this to exclaim. "She does not wish to answer, because she has nothing to say; she does not wish to tell the name of her lover, because we do not approve of him. Yes, her lover is the very one I have forbidden her. It is a lover whom I decline to sanction, and they are both aware of it. It is a lover to whom both you and I have closed our doors, and with good reason; it is the notary."

He might just as well have called him executioner; he could not have alluded to the suitor's profession in a more disparaging manner.

"A child I looked upon as my own daughter," he began again in a mild tone, "I discover at the notary's inclined to revolt against her aunt's authority as well as my own. What will become of us? She cannot stay with us after such an insult. It will be necessary for her to leave the country. But the scandal of her misconduct will reflect upon us."

"Did anyone see her?" said Mme. Derrieux, frightened at the gossip that might ensue.

"She may have been seen, or she may not; but, my dear, in our little community, everybody knows such things as that. How unfortunate that this scoundrel, Levignard, should have such a cursed reputation. I should say that they ought to marry at once, without delay. He is of a good family, and later will inherit some property; besides, he already has an established position which may become brilliant. But to give him our niece would reflect upon us, and surely I do not wish that—no, it would be better to exile the unfortunate young girl."

"What are you dreaming of? Are you crazy? A marriage would be preferable to all this scandal. Go and bring that scoundrel of a notary and let's make an end of all this."

"I will not."

"I insist."

"I repeat what I said, my dear; I—will—not. That ends it."

"You—will—not! I shall send the maid for him," and the imperious woman ran to give orders about the message.

After she had gone, both uncle and niece sank into their chairs, exhausted from their efforts to control their laughter.

"But, uncle," said the notary's future intended, "when poor Levignard finds out that he has compromised me, he will protest his innocence and my aunt will accuse us of deceiving her."

"Don't distress yourself about Levignard," returned Durrieux, "I have warned him."—From the French of Jean Destrem, in San Francisco Argonaut.

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Address of Welcome.....Village President, J. H. Smith.
Response.....A. Richard.
Music.
Declamation.....Herbert Munger.
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Questions.....
Music—Franklin Orchestra.
Paper.....Miss Bertha Taylor.
"Fruit Culture".....B. I. Laing.
Discussion.....
Music—Franklin Orchestra.

Program, P. M.

1:30 Music—Franklin Orchestra.
Reminiscences of Farm Life.....Hon. B. L. Baxter.
"Looking Forward".....Rev. L. C. Chase.
Discussion.....
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Will Waldron.
The Present System of Finance.....Geo. S. Rawson.
Discussion.....
Music—Franklin Orchestra.
Trials and Tribulations of Farm Life.....O. B. Finch.
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Music—Miss Ruth Taylor
Recitation.....Miss Bertha VanValkenburg.
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A Visit to Molokai, the Home of the Lepers—How they Live.

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Shortly after passing Diamond Head the ship began to roll, and some members of our party complained of headache and began to "turn in" as rapidly as they could.

"We are crowded for room," the president of the board of health said. "You will have to sleep on the deck."

There were less than a dozen cabins on the little vessel, and these were given to the ladies and "elderly gentlemen," while the remainder of us cheerfully consented to sleep on the deck, with nothing but the starry heavens and some of the ship's rigging above us. Though it was in the last part of November, the night was quite warm.

Not feeling a desire to turn in at once, I went forward of the captain's cabin and, taking a seat on the deck, gazed on the brilliantly lighted heavens, while my thoughts wandered to home and the loved ones far away. Wearied of sitting, gazing, and thinking, I at last went aft, whore the deck was covered with cots, and men lay snoring everywhere.

"Are all the beds taken?" I asked the steward, a citizen of the Orient.

"Me gettee bed and blanket," he answered.

He darted below and in a few moments returned with a mattress, a blanket, and a pillow. There was a spare place aft the mainmast and just forward of the hatchway. It was very spare, for while my head was jammed up against the mast my feet extended over the hatchway.. Notwithstanding my cramped position, however, I fell asleep, and, had all gone well, would have slept until dawn of day. But about half-past three in the morning I became conscious of water falling on my face, and, while half sleeping and half waking, I was trying to determine what it was, the officer of the watch cried out:

"You'd better go below out of the rain."

I sprang to my feet and found the rain pouring down upon the deck almost in torrents. To snatch my collar, necktie, and cuffs, which lay on the deck at my side, and rush down the companionway in almost total darkness, was but the work of a moment. In the general hurry and confusion I could not find my hat. A sailor brought it to me, half an hour later, thoroughly soaked.

All sleep for the remainder of the night was at an end.

"Come here and sit down," said Senator Waterhouse, who had also been driven below by the rain. "Don't rub your eyes until they are red. You will have to get used to this."

I found myself in a company of jolly fellows who had already abandoned all thought of sleep.

"I have been fishing many times," said Judge Wilcox, "when we had to sit up all night in the rain."

The very mention of a fishing expedition will rouse the Hawaiian, native or naturalized. Senator Waterhouse, who knows something about big fish, at once started out with a story.

"Speaking of natives and fishing, I will tell you what I witnessed with my own eyes."

"Go on, senator," was the general demand, for when the senator gets started the boys know they can expect something good.

"While going along the coast of Oahu one day, I saw some natives on the rocks and some in the water. I asked what they were doing and was told they were going to lasso a shark, and that if I wished I might help pull it out of the water. I climbed down the precipitous cliff a short distance and discovered there was a hole in the rock in which the shark had gone and was asleep. One of the natives plunged into the water and tied a rope around the shark's tail without waking him, and we pulled him out. I tell you he was a monster."

There were some incredulous remarks at this story, which caused the senator to declare:

"If any man doubts this story let him pay the expense of the trip and I will take the whole party to the cliff and show them the hole from which the shark was pulled. If I don't I will bear all expenses."

Judge Wilcox smiled, and stroking his mustache with a "that's nothing" expression, answered:

"I don't deny the truth of that story. There is a fish pond down the coast where the sharks come in at high tide. When the tide goes out it leaves the water so shallow that Mr. Shark can't turn over. The native boys used to go to this pond, plunge in, mount the sharks, and ride them all around. The shark is not dangerous unless he can get on his back, and the water is too shallow for that, so the boys can ride them in safety. Now, if any one doubts that story, just charter the ship and I will take him to the fish pond. If I don't, I'll pay all expenses."

Shark stories were in order until the steward announced that coffee was ready for the party, this to keep them awake until breakfast. When invited to have a cup of coffee I announced that I did not drink coffee.

"Maybe you prefer beer," said one of the newspaper men.

"I never drank a glass of beer in my life," I answered.

"That is more incredible than any shark story told this morning," the senator declared. Then I offered, if he would pay the expenses of the party to the United States, to show them the country in which I had lived without drinking coffee or beer, and if I did not, I would pay the expenses of the voyage myself.

When day dawned we were at anchor off Kalanpapa. The lepers were aware of our intended visit and, soon after daylight, the shore was lined with these unfortunate people, straining their eyes to catch the first glimpse of their visitors. The band, composed of leper boys, played several airs of welcome. Bishop Ropert, Father Pamphile, and the other missionaries went ashore in the first boat, and were greeted with cheers. To get ashore we had to climb down a swinging ladder over the ship's side into a boat, both bobbing about and in opposite directions, which added the spice of danger to the expedition.

On landing we found on the shore two or three hundred lepers. Some of them were but slightly affected by the disease, and some so disfigured as to hardly resemble human beings. The disease seems to attack the extremities first. Usually it first appears in the lobes of the ears, and they begin to hang as if there was a heavy weight in each. Then it appears in the face in great lumps, and the cheeks swell. The fingers lose all feeling and wither away or drop off, until the hand is fingerless and the foot toeless. Often the head is earless and noseless. The unfortunate often loses his eyesight, the balls entirely disappearing. It may take years for the disease to accomplish its deadly work, but there is no hope for the victim when once it seizes him.

And yet it is not uncommon to see a leper on horseback galloping over the settlement, so maimed that one cannot understand how he holds the reins. Their ears often become so elongated that they interfere with their riding. A doctor, who was for three years in the settlement, said:

"I have often had them come to me and say: 'Doctor won't you cut my ears off; they are getting in my way.' "

There is a house set apart for visitors which no leper is permitted to enter. We went to this house to wait for the horses which were to convey us across the island to the Boy's Home. The lepers, to the number of several hundred, came to the fence and gazed at us so longingly, so fondly, as to almost melt one to tears. To them we were superior beings, loved friends, from whom they were forever separated.

Senator Waterhouse, who possesses a world of moral courage and a heart as tender as a woman's, was everywhere among them, not hesitating to grasp the fingerless hand, and speak words of encouragement.

"How are you, old boy? How are you today, my friend? Come, cheer up and be happy. You are happier here than you could be anywhere else," he said a hundred times that day.

To which the natives (for most of the lepers are natives) usually answered: "Pilaki, Pilaki," with a sad shake of the head.

"Pilaki" means grief, sorrow, and all that goes to weigh down the heart. I heard the awful word a thousand times that day, heard it so much that it still rings in my ears, while the sadly disfigured faces I met will, I fear, never fade from my memory. They have haunted me in my dreams ever since I left Molokai. Some of their faces were so horribly disfigured as to have no resemblance to humanity. No hideous mask has ever been made to equal what leprosy has done for the human face. I observed a boy about ten years of age whose eyelashes and eyebrows had quite fallen out. His eyelids were so paralyzed that he could raise them only the fractional part of an inch, and he had to hold his head back in order to see. Mr. Hutchings, the assistant and sheriff of the settlement, is one on whom the disease seems to have exhausted itself by the destruction of his fingers. These are gone and his hands healed, but his under lip is paralyzed so that, when he speaks, it falls down, and when he has finished a sentence he pushes it back with his fingerless hand, and holds it in place with his upper lip.

Motormen on the electric street cars in Danbury, Conn., have been supplied with veils to protect their faces from cold and driving snow.

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

The Y. M. C. A. of Adrian, have been agitating the feasibility of securing a new home of their own.

John H. Allen, of Geneva, died Saturday, Feb. 15, of pneumonia at the age of 65. Mr. Allen's name has been associated with the development of Devil's lake as a summer resort, and he was well known throughout the county.

Two freight trains collided Monday on the air line between Melbourn and Edgerton. A heavy wreckage was the result, in which about 60 cars were destroyed, of which eight were oil tank cars. A brilliant conflagration ensued.

Morenci Observer:— Lawyer Jake Winnie, of Adrian, who was defeated for prosecuting attorney in the campaign of '92, now announces that he is a candidate for probate judge. Jake is a great chap to "bob up serenely" when other men would be completely cast down.

The law firm of Joslin & Ashdown has been dissolved by mutual consent. T. M. Joslin will continue the practice alone at the present location in the Leader block, and after making some contemplated improvements, will have one of the most complete and convenient offices in the city.—Telegram.

The Monroe Democrat congratulates itself on the occasion of its seventeenth birthday—pleased to find itself in the vigor and good spirits becoming to that age. We would beg leave to join, brother, and say that you are one of the most robust and valued of our exchanges. Long may you survive "the stricture of financial ducts."

The Adrian Press sums up the bonus business in Adrian as follows:

"We cannot say that the outlook for a bonus, of sufficient magnitude, to induce the Lima Northern to enter the city is at all encouraging. The owners of the Washington mill, Churchill & Co., of Toledo, are not willing to do anything, and of course this tends to discourage others. We doubt if $10,000 can be pledged."

Adrian Press.—Court Manchester of the Independent order of Foresters, at Manchester has lately elected officers, and Mat D. Blosser of the Enterprise is the chief ruler of the tribe, entitled to carry the battle axe of the order. He is also the Representative chosen to the High Court. In selecting him they know that they had made choice of a man of Enterprise.

The Monroe Democrat thus describes the circus recently conducted by Co. A of the first:

"Ann Arbor has had a mid-winter circus. Just what Ann Arbor wanted of it, is hard to tell. The fratricidal frats have been furnishing a circus for some weeks as mounted 'ball' jugglers and feeling for each other's jugulars at the same time, while the faculty have furnished the clowns. The show was enough to make the monkey slide down the pole, the elephant pack his trunk and the camel 'hump' himself to the desert."

A society journal prints the following list of wedding anniversaries, concerning which those interested are at times apt to experience a little uncertainty: First, cotton; second, paper; third, leather; fourth, book; fifth, wooden; sixth, garnet; seventh, woolen; eighth, bric-a-brac; ninth, topaz; tenth, tin; twelfth, silk and fine linen; fifteenth, crystal; twentieth, china; twenty-fifth, silver; thirty-fifth, sapphire; fortieth, ruby; fiftieth, golden; seventy-fifth, diamond.

The Adrian Times says that some people, who have been studying the situation, think it is the idea of the Lima Northern to construct its line to that city, then to the nearest point where it would connect with the C. J. & M., and go to Jackson, and finally proceed to the lake front over the Port Huron division of the Grand Trunk to Port Huron. A traveling man of the city states a rumor is current in Jackson that Brice has secured an option on the Port Huron division.

Ann Arbor Argus.—Editor A. B. Smith has just finished his 15th year as editor and proprietor of the Milan Leader. He was there at the bornin', and says he has seen changes of proprietors in all the papers and seen many others surrender their paste pots to Adversity and their shears to Inefficient Support. Editor Smith has also seen the Milan firms in business when he began quit the fleeting stage of life with the exception of four, has witnessed the incoming of electricity, welcomed the arrival of telephone connections, helped purchase the local fire engine and seen the village incorporated. He has also probably seen every circus for nothing that has come to town in that time, has shown his editor's card to the church contribution collector every Sunday, told the subscribers that hay was not taken for subscriptions since the old gray was sold and that the back yard was so full of wood now that the neighbors were having a hard time to burn it all.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21, '96.

All the elements of a national scandal, in connection with the proposed legislation concerning the indebtedness of the Pacific Railroads to the government, are now floating around Washington; and, while all patriotic citizens hope it will be avoided, no clear-headed observer will be surprised if it isn't. There has never been a stronger lobby in Washington than that which is representing what are known as the Huntington interests. It is the richest plum the lobbyists have had for a number of years and they are disposed to make the most of it. The object of the Huntington lobby is to get a bill extending the indebtedness of these roads—nearly $100,000,000—for one hundred years at 2 per cent interest, through Congress, and failing to do that to prevent the passage of any bill that will result in ousting the Huntington crowd from the control of the roads. It is well supplied with money, which it is prepared to spend directly for Congressmen's votes or for any sort of influence that can be made to control other votes, or the promise of opportune absence of voters in either House or Senate when the time comes to vote. These things are very well known to those who are trying to bring these roads to book, through legislation, and the Congressman who accepts a bribe will be in danger of exposure and the disgrace that must necessarily follow.

Secretary Carlisle is being criticized very harshly by many for having allotted the bonds upon which bidders failed to make the first payment at the proper time—about $5,000,000—to J. Piermont Morgan, at his bid of less than 1.11 when he could have sold them in the open market for 1.17, thus giving Mr. Morgan a profit of $300,000 which Mr. Carlisle's critics figure should have been made by the government. Senator Hill has up to this time prevented the adoption of a resolution offered by Senator Allen, providing for an investigation of this whole bond business.

The republican members of Congress from New York gave a dinner this week to formally introduce the Morton boom in Congressional circles. The dinner was a good one and the speeches up to the average, but it will take more than one dinner to make the Morton boom appear to the politicians of Congress as anything more than a shadow, notwithstanding the popularity of Gov. Morton.

That Secretary Morton is the most unpopular member of the cabinet, so far as Congress is concerned, was made certain by the harsh criticisms passed upon him in both branches of Congress, and the absence of even a single defender of him or his acts. The immediate cause of these criticisms was the action of Secretary Morton in refusing to spend the money Congress appropriated for the purchase and free distribution of seeds, but much of the enmity towards him in Congress has been caused by his constantly going out of his way to whack the silver men over the head and to exploit his single standard gold hobby, which is probably not endorsed by half a dozen men in Congress. Congress is going to have those seeds bought and distributed, or know the reason why. It is all very well to laugh, as the members of the House did when Representative Cousins, of Iowa, said this was no longer a government of the people, but a government by J. Piermont Morgan and J. Sterling Morton, but it will soon be no laughing matter, if Congress cannot assert its authority.

Some people have more than once accused Senators of being out for all the patronage they can possibly reach, and it is only just to say that the 27 Senators who voted for the amendment offered by Senator Vilas, of Wis., providing for an addition of two appointments to the West Point Military Academy from each state, and defeated it, deprived themselves of a nice plum, as it is altogether probable had the amendment become a law that each Senator would have named one of these additional cadets. Even the devil isn't as black as he is sometimes painted.

In view of the disposition of Senators to become Presidential candidates, notwithstanding the historical hoodoo which has up to now prevented any man who has served in the Senate becoming President, it may be well to call attention to the fact that there are six Senators who are constitutionally barred out of the White House. They are Gallinger, of N. H., and McMillan, of Mich., who were born in Canada; Sewel, of New Jersey, born in Ireland; Jones, of Nevada, and Mantle, of Montana, born in England, and Nelson, of Minnesota, born in Norway.

Intelligent People

And people of good taste are earnestly recommended to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for disorders of the stomach. Constipation and indigestion cured. A trial of this great remedy can be made for 10c (10 doses 10c), also in 50c and $1 sizes of Orr & Temple. feb

Clinton Column.

Caucuses in Order—Two Law Suits—Sunday Visitors.

Mrs. C. F. Field was in town Tuesday.

Little Paul Ramsdell is reported quite sick.

Mrs. Johnnie Smith, of Tipton, was in town Monday.

G. R. Gillespie took a business trip to Norvell Tuesday.

Jno. Spafford, of Manchester, was on our streets Saturday.

Frank Crossman and wife are the guests of F. W. Davis.

Ed. Martin and family moved into the Hulett house Monday.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ellis, on Saturday evening, a daughter.

Miss Mamie Bradner drove to Tecumseh Wednesday afternoon.

Chas. Bostedor visited over Sunday at Napoleon and Grass Lake.

The boy choir at the Episcopal church are taking a month's respite.

Mrs. Jas. McDermott, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in the village.

Phillip Keusch, of Grand Rapids, is spending a few days at home.

Frank Brown, who is traveling on the road, was at home over Sunday.

Hogan & Co. made a shipment of sheep from this station Monday.

Mrs. George Jacobs, of Plymouth, visited her parents over Sunday.

Mrs. James Walker, of Lansing, is visiting friends in and about Clinton.

Claude and Jennie Hause returned from their Jackson visit last Saturday.

The Social Club are indulging in a billiard tournament at their club rooms.

Mrs. Louise Heidenrich, of Manchester, attended services here Sunday.

Mrs. Lyman Ames, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Niblack.

Ed. Clark is refitting his livery office and will resume business at the old stand.

Mrs. Frank Brown, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is improving.

Clarence Mills is working for the Clinton Plow Co. in the capacity of shipping clerk.

Mrs. S. Parker returned last Friday night from a visit with her son Charles in Hillsdale.

Frank Dorr returned Friday from a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Fisk, in Detroit.

Peter Van Huffel, superintendent of the plow company, spent Sunday in South Bend, Ind.

Mrs. R. B. Gillespie entertained a number of friends with a pleasant dinner party last Saturday.

Ed Schumaker and the Misses Josephine and Tilla Dettling, of Freedom, were Sunday guests here.

Dr. C. H. Daniels, the returned missionary, gave a talk at the Baptist church Monday afternoon.

David A. Hammond, of the Ann Arbor Argus, made the schools a pleasant visit the first of the week.

Geo. Freese, Dr. White and Charles Barnsdale attended the Freese-Turner law [illegible]sfield Monday.

[illegible] family gave a thoroughly well enjoyed concert at the Congregational church Tuesday evening.

Fred Chandler, of Saline, who has been making his grandmother an extended visit, has returned home.

In the suit of Biggins vs Lancaster in the circuit court Monday a verdict of $100 and costs was awarded the plaintiff.

Notices are posted for a meeting of the Law and Order caucus, Monday; also for the Corporation caucus, on same date.

A few days ago Mrs. E. L. Broadbent had the misfortune to fall, hurting her quite severely, but is better at this writing.

Miss Clyde Marsteller is enjoying a visit from a college friend, Miss Ida Williams, of Toronto, who came last Saturday night.

The friends of Mrs. J. A. Bush, who has been sick for several weeks, will be glad to learn that she is gaining and will soon be able to be out.

Misses Linda Nase and Mabel Barnsdale went to Adrian last Friday to attend the teachers' institute and remained over until Monday.

Arthur Galloway, of Eaton Rapids, was in town Monday looking over the Plow Co.'s plant and getting pointers on building an addition to his factory there.

Miss Eva Shimman and Mrs. E. A. Clark go to Detroit Thursday to attend the spring millinery opening. Mrs. Clark will return Saturday but Miss Shimman will remain longer.

Last Saturday was Ray Bradner's birthday, so twenty-four of his little friends were invited to celebrate with him in the afternoon. It is unnecessary to state that they had a glorious time.

Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell was called to Mason last Saturday by the serious illness of her brother. A message Sunday from her brought the news of his death. The funeral was held Tuesday.

Dr. Cameron.

The skillful veterinarian and inventor, of Albion, writes: "The greatest veterinary preparation before the American people today is Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure. Every owner, farmer, breeder, and handler should keep and use it."

Wm. Hill, P. M. of Dallas, Texas, and owner of Hill Stock Farm, writes: "Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure is the best remedy for distemper, coughs, pink eye, epizootic, and worms I ever saw or used." Sold only by C. A. Wright, druggist.

A back support for bicycle seats is among the most recent inventions.

That the blood should perform its vital functions, it is absolutely necessary it should not only be pure but rich in life-giving elements. These results are best affected by the well-known standard blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla. 1w

PENTECOST.

Large Surprise Parties—Chalk Talk Evangelist Doing Good Work.

Willard Merril, of Adrian, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

A crowded house greeted the entertainment at the hall Tuesday night. The play was a success.

E. L. German and wife came over to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Emeline Smith, and made a short visit at Pentecost on the way home.

Mr. Riehl, the evangelist, who has been giving a series of very interesting chalk talks at Springville, has gone to Napoleon to continue his work on the same lines.

A goodly crowd of friends and relatives gave John Thielan and wife a surprise visit Saturday night, as John is about to move on a farm near Adrian. A very pleasant time was enjoyed and Mr. and Mrs. Thielan will be followed by the good wishes of all.

John W. Bixby, a well known and highly respected citizen of this place, died Tuesday morning. His wife lies at the point of death. Mr. Bixby was an earnest worker in the church, and enjoyed the esteem and confidence of all who knew him. He was about eighty years old.

Mrs. Emeline Langdon Smith, whose death, at the age of 94, took place last week, was a woman of rare and excellent character. Always a consistant, earnest christian, her cheerful faith and kindly disposition made her a pleasant companion for young or old. She was a constant reader, keeping well posted on all the leading questions of the day, whether social, moral, or political, and her wide knowledge of books and wonderful memory made her apt quotations and witty rejoinders in an argument a continual surprise to those who made her acquaintance. Since the death of her husband, Robert Smith, about five years ago, she has not lived on their farm in Franklin but has resided with her daughters.

FRANKLIN.

The Young Ladies Take Advantage of Leap Year—Franklin Lyceum.

Luman Deming has been worse of late.

Mrs. S. N. Munger drove to Ypsilanti last week.

Watson Hunt and family are at home again from Iowa.

E. J. Whelan has been quite indisposed for several days.

Arthur Bradley has just closed a successful term of school in the Nichols district.

Hudson Davenport left for Marshall last Friday, where he has secured a position.

The Carl Roberts farm was sold last Monday. We understand Charles Evans was the purchaser.

Cecil Billington came home from Ypsilanti last Friday. He has a mild attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher were called to Ypsilanti to care for their daughter, Lovicia. Mr. Fisher has returned.

The funeral of Mrs. Emeline Smith occurred at the Congregational church Tipton, last Saturday, Rev. Williams officiating.

At last accounts Miss Lovicia Fisher was recovering from her attack of scarlet fever and hoped soon to be able to return home.

The young ladies of Franklin indulged in a leap year party at Hampton hall, the 21st. About twenty numbers were sold.

The Franklin Lyceum will meet at Wm. Witherell's, Feb. 29. A good program will be presented. The question for debate is, "Resolved, That capitalists are a benefit to the country." Led by J. C. VanDoren, affirmative; Hollis Taylor, negative.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

News From the Quaker School—A Duel.

(Delayed Letter)

Miss Ethel Pentecost is again in school, after a long absence.

Miss Vinora Beal was a recent Sunday visitor of Miss Louise Bailey.

Henry Ostrander, of Willis, Mich., visited Sem. friends Tuesday of last week.

Miss Edwards spent the Sabbath, recently, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Comfort.

The '95's had a reunion supper at the home of Miss Mabel Graves, Friday evening of last week.

Dueling with ink bottles is not allowable. However, two of our members tried the experiment, recently, with serious results of hair not only standing but changing color, and one member is afterward seen with his head bandaged. Be careful next time, Thomas.

Well Spoken Of.

Midland, Mich., Feb. 7, 1896. I have used several bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and can recommend it for female difficulties and nervousness. I was troubled with weakness, but after taking one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla I found that my nerves were quiet. I always hear Hood's Sarsaparilla well spoken of. Mrs. Rockwell.

Hood's pills cure biliousness, indigestion. 1w

A medicine bottle with a spoon attachment, is a unique sick-room utensil.

Mothers

Will please observe that children may use Century Catarrh Cure with perfect safety, as in no case does it produce the slightest ill effect. For all stoppages and colds in the head which often trouble the little ones it will be found the pleasantest and surest of prescriptions and infinitely the easiest to administer. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. feb

Brick and sandstone can be rendered waterproof by treating them with linseed oil.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. jan

Needed Reform of the Rural School.

The census bulletin on illiteracy recently published by Hon. Washington Gardner, Secretary of State, is an educational document of very unusual interest. Some of the facts that appear in the bulletin are the following:

(1.) Of the total population of the State of Michigan in 1894 ten years old [illegible] 1-10 per cent were unable to read or write; of the native born the percent was 2 9-100, and of the foreign born 8 43-100. Expressed in another form, the three ratios are 88, 91, and 84 in 1000. The foreign born illiterates, it will be seen, were four times as numerous, relatively, as the native born.

(2.) The ratio of the foreign born persons ten years old and over in the State at large, and in the cities, unable to read or write were practically the same, viz: 8 43-100 and 8 47-100.

(3.) The per cent of native-born illiterates in the State as a whole was 2 9-10, but in the cities it was only 1 39-100. In other words, in the State there were 21 illiterates to the 1000, and in the cities 14 to the 1000. On this basis the showing against the State as compared with the cities is just 50 per cent. But we may also set the cities against the remainder of the State, or the rural districts. Now the ratios are 14 and 24 to 1000, or more than 70 per cent against the country. If, therefore, the country rate of illiteracy could be reduced to the city rate, or, what is the same thing, if the country level of intelligence, as measured by the reading and writing test, could be brought up to the city level, the number of native born citizens ten years old or more, unable to read or write, would be reduced about 8000 in number.

The last comparison is certainly not in accordance with prevailing opinion. How far it is supported by the statistics of other States, if at all, I am unable to say; but there can be no doubt that the rural districts of Michigan in respect to common school education, compare unfavorably with the cities.

There now lies before me a letter of late date, written by Hon. E. J. Clapp, of Geauga county, Ohio, a practical business man, who has represented his county in the State legislature, and who, in the latter capacity as well as at home, interests himself in the country school problem. I shall draw from this letter several interesting facts.

Mr. Clapp writes that in his part of the State there is a general feeling that "the country district school does not measure up to the educational demands of the day." Some people are opposed to the new movement, "people are always opposed to new methods to meet the changed conditions." Many towns are conveying the children to a school for instruction. Madison, Lake Co., began this movement in a small way, first conveying the children from three districts to the fourth, with results so satisfactory that the people are preparing to take in four more schools. Kingsville, Ashtabula Co., entered on the policy of consolidation three years ago, and has finally brought all the pupils in the township together in one central graded school. Huntsburg, Geauga Co., is now building a $6,000 brick schoolhouse for a central school.

B. A. HINSDALE, Ann Arbor.

A New Book.

S. S. Scranton & Co., publishers, Hartford, Conn., want 1000 agents to canvass for a bran new book that will be especially popular during this Presidential year and will certainly sell in every community. It is a handsome volume finely illustrated and moderate in price. No experience needed to sell it. A grand chance for men and women to earn money easily right at home. Write to them at once for particulars.

A GREAT EXPENSE

To Carry on an Almost Helpless Fight.—At Last the Fight is Over.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Our representative called at 26 Battle Creek Avenue, the residence of S. I. Robbins, and in an interview with him brought out the following facts: Mr. Robbins tells of his wife's experience in a manner that carries conviction with his words. He says: "I am sorry my wife is not at home this P. M., but no one knows better than I how she has suffered during past years. For twenty years she has been afflicted with the various forms of kidney complaint and an enlargement of the liver. She was often confined to her bed for more than two weeks at a time suffering untold agony. She has doctored constantly, and I have paid out in doctors' bills for her alone as much as $900.00, and then her relief was only such that she would be able to be around for a spell. Some time ago she felt the symptoms of another attack coming on, such as a pain in through the kidneys and back. I hardly know what induced me to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, instead of sending for the family physician; however, I got some and she commenced their use. It was a surprise to us both to see their action; the attack was warded off, and she continued taking them with marked improvement each day of their use. She is better now than she has been in years, the pain in the back and others in the kidneys have entirely gone. Hardly a day goes by that we do not mention the great good Doan's Kidney Pills have done her. I was always opposed to patent medicines, but confess that my wife's experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has done much to change my opinions. If it were not for those pills she would not have been able to be out this afternoon.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Stop suffering! Try Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

THE HERALD FOR 1896.

Special Offers and Clubbing List.

The large numbers of maps which are being taken by our subscribers prove that they are all right and are a bargain for the price. We still continue these offers, and append our club list for reference. If you have not yet made out your list of papers for 1896, consult this list.

NUMBER ONE.

Everyone knows something about the great map publishing firm of Rand, McNally & Co. Their atlases and wall maps have gained a world-wide reputation. Their new state map of Michigan is the best one ever issued. It is 41 by 58 inches in size, full mounted with rollers, showing all organized townships, beautifully colored, and sells for $2.00. The former price was $3.00. This map can be furnished at the remarkably low price of $1.40, with a year's subscription to the HERALD included.

NUMBER TWO.

Have you seen Rand McNally & Co.'s large reversible map, with the world on one side and the United States on the reverse? This is the largest map of the United States ever printed on one piece of paper. The map of the world is on Mercator's projection and gives a brief history of every country with population of chief cities, areas, voyages of discoveries etc. This map is especially suited for school use and is just the thing for ready reference in these times of international disputes. This $5.00 map and the Herald for $2.00.

THE DETROIT TRIBUNE.

The Detroit Tribune has long been recognized as one of the greatest newspapers of the Republican party, not only in this state but throughout the west. Although the Tribune has long enjoyed this distinction, it is safe to say that within the last two years its management has greatly raised the standard of the publication as a political, literary, and general newspaper. The Tribune should be read in every household of Michigan. We have made a special arrangement with the management whereby we can furnish the weekly Tribune and HERALD one year for the normal figure of $1.30.

THE COSMOPOLITAN.

The Cosmopolitan is almost too well known to need particular mention. It is simply a marvel that a magazine of such merit can be furnished for the money. A new lithographing press has recently been added to their machinery which will make the paper more attractive than ever. For 1896, 1344 pages and 1000 illustrations for 85 cents if taken with the Herald.

M'CLURE'S MAGAZINE.

McClure's is now one of the most popular magazines in the world. Its circulation and advertising patronage are a guarantee of its worth. Its famous articles on Lincoln is the chief feature for 1896. McClure's and the Herald for $1.85.

ONE YEAR WITH THE HERALD.

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Detroit Journal,	1 65
Michigan Farmer,	1 65
Ohio Farmer,	1 75
Toledo Blade,	1 80
Toledo Bee,	1 45
N. Y. World (thrice a week)	1 70
Cincinnati Enquirer,	1 30
Harper's Weekly,	4 25
Harper's Bazaar,	4 25
Courier-Journal,	1 55
N. Y. Voice,	2 00
Youths Companion (new subs.),	2 30
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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Deestrict Skule on the Boards—Lumber Yard in the Future—Flour Mill Almost a Sure Thing.

...anch 10 is on the sick list.

...Will Osgood is sporting a boil on his ...e.

...Mrs. A. O. Maynard is on the sick ...

...The Meffert girls return to Hillsdale ... week.

...Lloyd Ward visited friends in the ...age Sunday.

...on't fail to see the "Deestrick Skule" ...morrow night.

...r. Hendershot drove over from the ...ners Tuesday.

...Herbert Cranshaw spent Sunday with ...nds in Adrian.

...Have you heard the wonderful harp ...Lenardson Bros'.

...Charles Avery,s mill finished the Ex... contract Tuesday.

...ames and Will Boyd, of Albion, are ...sts of Dave Linton.

...rs. W. J. Clark returned from her ...iana visit last Friday.

...ve Hause and wife, of Clinton, were ...ting in town Tuesday.

...B. Lenardson was an Ohio visitor ...Saturday till Tuesday.

...harles R. DuBois, is on the sick list, ...grippe has got Charley.

...os. 9 and 10 Boston Rubber Boots at ...rdson Bros'. only $2.50.

...Several of our citizens were Adrian ...ors the first of the week.

...rs. John Zeluff has been quite sick ... week, but is reported better.

...Blanche Dunn, of Franklin, is the ...st of Mrs. J. Lowe and family.

...The Chippawa Indians will be with us ...t week, look out for your scalp.

...egular review of Hendershot Tent ...O. T. M. Tuesday evening, March 3.

...rs. Webb Underwood is visiting ...ds and relatives in North Adams.

...indelville is a thing of the past, ...olidation having been effected with ...on.

...s. Geo. Cox, of Ridgeway, was the ... of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Allen, ...ay.

... funeral of David Gregory, took ... from his late residence in Macon ...esday, 25th.

...'t fail to hear "Ezekiel Jedadiah ...uckle," the four-year-old, in the ...trick Skule."

...rles Hiscock arrived from Chicago ...riday and is now the guest of his ...er-in-law, W. E. Allen.

...ht operator Geo. Clark has been ...ing from an attack of la grippe, it ...oming quite fashionable.

... chicken pie supper served by the ...C. ladies was well patronized and ... the ladies some money.

... exponents of the manly art had ...y set-to in our village one day ...ek, for a purse of one case.

..."k" Smith has been working in ...chman's shop for a few days, lin... lot of refrigerators. Why, into ...or good, "Tink?"

...nard Hatch, Charles Gorham and ... Clark visited the City of the ... Wednesday, and spent a very ...nt day sight seeing.

... types last week made us say that ...Britton had sold his cattle, the ...should have read, weighed his ... he has not sold them yet.

...e Hause's team ran away Saturday, ...g away from Lime at the barn and ...ng up Lee street, where they were ...ed before doing much damage.

... understand that a silo for that ...mill can now be had, and it is the ...est that could be found; conven... to both railroads and side tracks ...ly built.

...ould seem to show a laxity of re... attention on the part of one of ...rocery men when he fell into the ...of mistaking the parish minister ...wholesale egg buyer, the other ... How is it, A. W.?

...ob Overly, inspector of buildings ...ridges for the Wabash, was look... over the company's property here ...ek. He says the depot and other ...gs will be overhauled and re... early in the spring.

...Bachman went to Toledo Wednes... where he will work at his trade, ...y become a permanent resident ... city. Ed. is probably the best ... his line to be found in this sec... and we are sorry to lose him.

... week Wednesday, at the church ... will occur the regular monthly ...g of the Ladies' Aid Society. ...mes Wright and her committee ...ve supper at the usual hour and ...e pleased to see you all there.

...e Washington Smith arrived in ... Sunday, right from Louisiana. ...orts everything lovely in the ...south: not much ice being cut ...his winter, but he did not let ...any with him, we should'ent be ...d if George hailed from the ...le next.

...rumored that we shall soon ...mber dealer located here, who ...ry a stock of all kinds of that ...lity, and it is something that ... No better location for busi... that kind can be found in south... In close proximity to the ...rd of Kniffen & Hendershot, who ... a quality of that line of goods ...led, a first class lumber yard ...lp prospering.

..."Deestrick Skule" will be put on ...w, Saturday, night. This enter... it is intended to illustrate an ...e country school, and is given in ...: the first is the children going ...; the second, the morning ses...; third, the afternoon session; ...the afternoon of "speakin' day." ...eels of the entertainment will ... for the benefit of our village ...Admission 15 cents, children 10 ...bout thirty people take part. ...ct is a worty one; give them a ...e. Doors open at 7, school be...

The month of February came in like a lamb, but soon began to put on the airs of a lion and for a week has been tearing around with its tail over its back, but since returning from the Maher-Fitzsimmons mill, the weather has taken a reef in its caudle appendage, and once more assumes the disposition of a young mutton.

Talk about the pushing citizens of Britton. Two of our young men took the railroad speeder Sunday evening and went to Tecumseh to call upon certain young ladies there. When they started home Jack Frost had taken a hand and the T rails were so slippery that the speeder refused to speed, and so our Romeos walked in and trundled their obstenate steed. One of them has not been able to walk much since, but he has the satisfaction of knowing that he has the proper "push."

RIDGEWAY.

The Creamery Doing Business—Saw Mill Started—Personal Mention.

Go to the corner drug store for choice cigars.

Ray Gould is the latest victim of Chickenpox.

Blanch Wiggins is on the sick list with tonsilitis.

Those having sugar bushes have begun operations.

1-4 off on all gloves and mittens at Smith & Schmidt's.

The best stock of cigars always kept at Orr & Temple's drug store.

D. W. Smith spent Sunday and Monday in Ypsilanti with friends.

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F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was in the village Wednesday on business.

For pure buckwheat flour, syrup, and pancake griddles go to Smith & Schmidt.

Subject for the Epworth League for next Sunday evening, "Temptation of Christ."

Wm. Gifford, having rented Grandma Harrison's farm, is moving to his new residence.

Postmaster Barnes has bought the house and lot of the estate of Aunt Laura Cheever.

George Dibble, wife and daughter, of north Adrian, spent Sunday with C. M. Gove and family.

Second quarterly meeting service for the present conferance year will be held next Sunday.

The dates fixed for Mrs. N. E. Law, of Detroit, the W. C. T. U. Lecturer, are March 15 and 16.

Jennie Allen, who has been under the doctors care for the past two weeks is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barret of Allegan visited Mr. Barrett's mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowe, Monday and Tuesday.

A. C. Arner having severed his connections with the Moshier House at Jonesville returned home last Thursday.

3,500 lbs. of milk is received at the Creamery at a delivery at present, double what it was last year at this time of the month.

Miss Addie Dibble, of Adrian, attended the reunion of S. S. Class No. 3 held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Smith on Saturday night.

Prof. John Howell, and Miss Marvin the teachers of the schools here, attended the Teacher's Association held at Adrian Saturday.

The person who left some Guinea fowls at Wm. Ransoms, a few days ago will confer a great favor by calling and taking them away.

Smith & Schmidt have just received a car load of nails direct from the factory. You will do well to get their prices before going elsewhere.

The Commissioners in the estate of Jay A. Santus, met at the store of S. P. Smith, last week Thursday, to receive claims against said estate.

Chas. Avery, of Saline, has his portable saw mill set in the timber lot of Henry Coats, near the village, and is cutting out a bill of lumber for Mr. Coats.

A full attendance of all the members of the singing class is desired on Friday night as arrangements for the concert to be given the last of March will come before the class.

Guy Pocklington, of Cleary's Business College, of Ypsilanti, came home Friday night to be present at the reunion of Class No. 3 held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Smith, on Saturday night.

C. O. Hiscock, who has been at Chicago in the employ of Power Bros. for several months past, visited his mother, also called on friends, several days, leaving for Columbus, Ohio, Tuesday evening, where he has charge of a branch office for Power Bros.

The Sabbath school class of young ladies of Class No. 3 held their first reunion at the home of their teacher, Mrs. C. C. Smith, on Saturday night. The young ladies, believing that it is not intended for them to be alone, improved the opportunity the present year affords them and each selected a gentleman friend for the occasion. A short program was furnished by the members of the class, after which the president, Miss Vina Pilbeam, in behalf of the class, presented their teacher with a teacher's Oxford Bible. Refreshments were furnished by the hostess, and a very pleasant evening was spent by all present.

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MACON.

Social Events—Doings of Various Local Societies.

Clare Brazee spent Sunday in Macon.

Leigh Pennington returned to Tecumseh Saturday.

Misses Cora and Grace Austin visited Macon friends last week.

Nellie Gooding returned to her school work in Tecumseh Monday.

Mrs. Morgan was very low and still failing when last heard from.

The M. E. Aid Society will meet March 4 at the home of Mrs. E. Howell.

Don't forget the Saturday W. C. T. U. meeting at the home of Mrs. Kate Mills.

About thirty-five young people attended the party given for Carl Chambers Friday night and report a splendid time.

Mrs. Day and her daughters moved back to Macon this week to make a home for her son, Frank, on Dr. Hendershot's farm. Tecumseh's loss is Macon's gain.

OBITUARY.

B. Humboldt Pennington died suddenly in Macon, Mich., on the 17th day of February. He had reached the 49th milestone on life's way, Jan. 23, 1896. A useful life has come to an end on earth. His natural gifts, developed by an excellent education in the common schools, the Raisin Valley Seminary and the University of Michigan, fitted him to serve the community in various important ways. This service was highly appreciated, and the sense of loss is general. A devoted wife and five sons mourn his unexpected decease, and together with a host of friends revere his memory.

The funeral services were held on Thursday, Feb. 20, [illegible] Reformed church, at Penning[illegible]rs, Rev. J. A. DeSpelder offici[illegible] spite of the intense cold, a [illegible]ncourse of friends assembled to participate in the last sad rites in honor of the departed.

"Green be the turf above thee,
Friend of my better days;
None knew thee, but to love thee,
None named the but to praise."

CONE.

In Memoriam — Death of an Old Resident.

Archie Allshouse is recovering from an attack of malarial fever.

J. M. Auten has several teams employed in drawing wood to his coal kilns.

Mrs. Martin Dennison visited her husband at Emergency hospital in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Jane Pierson and son of Detroit spent several days of last week with Mrs. Thomas Munson.

Mrs. J. C. Cone has a quilt with 4,440 pieces in, and Mrs. Emily Dennison has just finished one containing 5,000 pieces.

David Gregory died at his home, two miles west of here, Saturday morning, Feb. 22, at the age of 78 years. He leaves six daughters and one son; one daughter, Mrs. Addie Hoagland, was buried on Wednesday, Feb. 19. The funeral was held at the house Tuesday at 1 p. m., Rev. Wright, of Rigdeway, officiating.

IN MEMORY OF ADDIE HOAGLAND.
Died February 17, 1846.

Cease your weeping, for your loved one,
Waiting on the other shore.
Though she's missed from old time places,
She's not lost, but gone before.

In this life she'd many trials
Of mortal birth, knew grief and pain.
All her sorrows now are ended;
Would you wish her back again?

O, be ready, friends, to meet her
In that world of love and height;
For within its sacred portals,
Hearts know no change, no stinging blight.

Let not your heart be troubled;
Christ has risen! Our dead shall rise
To dwell with him in heavenly mansions;
Redeemed by his own sacrifice.

L. M. R.

David H. Gregory was born at Bath, Steuben Co., N. Y., Feb. 9, 1818, and died at his home in Macon, Feb. 22, 1896, being 78 years and 13 days old. He was married to Julia Ann Miller, June 7, 1857. He moved to Michigan March 5, 1867, and settled in Macon where he died. His wife died March 17, 1878. To them were born ten children, seven daughters and three sons. Two sons died in infancy and one daughter preceeded the father but only five days. Of the six daughters and one son left, two daughters are living in Antrim Co., Mich., and one in Wells Co., N. Dak.; the remainder are living in Lenawee Co., Mich. There were also thirty-two grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of deceased on Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 1 o'clock p. m., by Rev. James Wright, the interment being at the cemetery on Ridge Road, in family plat. So once more there is laid to rest a peaceable citizen and good neighbor.

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Right down zero weather last week.

We are to have a new millinery store.

Minnie Kerr was in town Saturday afternoon.

Miss Abbie Ray was an Adrian visitor Saturday.

L. C. Winship got quite a lot of logs on this snow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Doty visited Adrian friends Friday of last week.

Mrs. Al. Macham is quite poorly, Blanche is also on the sick list.

Mrs. Janie Wildie and Miss Ola were calling in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Rothfuss, of Blissfield, was in town Thursday of last week on business.

The Literary Society still flourishes and some of the leading arguments of the day are discussed.

L. Brown and family move to Homer, Mich., to live. Mrs. Brown will start a millinery store there.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB 28, 1896.

NOTICE OF VILLAGE ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual Village Election of the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, will be held at the Council Building in said village, on Monday, March 9th, A. D. 1896, at which time the following officers are to be elected, viz:—one President, one Clerk, one Treasurer, three Trustees, 2 years, one Assessor.

The Polls of said Election will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m., and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of Election.

By order of the Village Board of Election Inspectors. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk of said Village.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1896.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the electors of the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village above named, will be held at the Council Building, in said village, on Saturday March 7th, A. D. 1896, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1896.

By order of the Village Board of Registration. W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk of said Village.

CORPORATION CAUCUS.

A caucus for placing in nomination candidates for Village Officers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the council building, in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, on Monday, March 2nd, 1896, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

By order of Committee.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

PEOPLE'S CAUCUS.

Notice is hereby given that a caucus will be held at the council rooms in the village of Tecumseh on the 2d day of March, 1896, at 7 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of putting in nomination a ticket to be known as the People's Ticket, to be supported at the village election, to be held in the village of Tecumseh, on Monday, March 9, 1896.

BY ORDER OF COM.

$200 IN GOLD GIVEN.

Of Special Interest to Students and Teachers.

R. H. Woodward Company, of Baltimore, Md., are making a most liberal offer of $200 to anyone who will sell 200 copies of "Gems of Religious Thought," a new book by Talmage. This is one of the most popular books ever published. Three editions sold in 60 days. Agents sell 10 to 15 copies a day. An Estey organ, retail price $170, given for selling 110 copies in three months. A $100 bicycle given for selling 80 copies in two months. A gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium in addition to commission. Complete outfit 35 cents. Freight paid. Credit given. Agents wanted also for "Talks to Children about Jesus." 150,000 copies sold, and it is now selling faster than ever. Same terms and conditions as on "Gems of Religious Thought." Other popular books and Bibles also. They offer special and most liberal rates to students and teachers for summer vacation. During last summer a large number of students and teachers canvassed for their books. Among the list there were 23 who made over $200, 57 who won the $200 premium, and 76 made over $150 for their summer work. Write them immediately.

Cripple Creek, Colo.

Is the greatest gold-mining camp in the world and is now on the boom. The Wabash Railroad is the best line to Cripple Creek either via Kansas City or St. Louis. Call on or write to the nearest Wabash Ticket Agent for particulars.

The T. & F. Farmers' Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will hold their next meeting at the home of G. H. Melody, Friday evening, March 6. Following is the program:

Dec.—Charles Hurry.
Reading—C. A. Mathews.
Rec.—Lila VanValkenburg.
Dec.—Harry Langton.
Scraps—Mrs. Munger.
Dec.—Perry VanValkenburg.
Reading—Mrs. Swarts.
Rec.—Hattie Hurry.
Question for discussion: Is the Girl's Industrial Home beneficial to the state in proportion to the expense?

Farmers' Social Club.

The semi-monthly meeting of the club was held at the home of Mr. P. Kehoe, Tuesday evening. This association though known as a farmers club does not devote the entire time to the discussion of agricultural topics but discusses with equal interest any subject that pertains to the advancement of the community. The meeting on Tuesday evening was especially instructive. A paper entitled "The Needs and Requirements of District Schools," was one of the features of the evening. It contained many strong points and brought forth much discussion. Among many other thoughts the writer strongly favored the adoption of uniform text books. The road question received its share of attention. It was decided that work of the right kind was the most essential means in acquiring good highways. The literary part was well prepared, and the assistance given by the friends, who are not members of the club, was appreciated. The next meeting of the club will take place on Tuesday evening, March 10, at J. W. Gillespie's.

Program.

Singing—School children.
Dec.—Earl Rector.
Prophecy—Mrs. Keusch.
Dec.—Charlie Schreder.
Paper—What have I learned from the Institute?—Mrs. F. D. Rector.
Charade—Mrs. R. B. Gillespie.
Dialogue—Frank Gillespie.
Song—Mrs. Geo Benedict.
Paper—Lova Gillespie.
Question box. Every one bring a question.

OBITUARY.

KELLOGG.

Died, at the residence of her brother, the Hon. B. L. Baxter, in Tecumseh, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1896, in the 78th year of her age, Mary Jane, widow of the late George Kellogg, of Jackson, Mich.

The following tribute to her memory, taken from the Jackson Daily Citizen of Feb. 22, graphically, yet most tenderly, expresses the appreciation of her worth and the high estimation in which she was held in the city of her long continued residence:

Few of the many friends of Mrs. Mary Kellogg have realized that her life was nearing its end, so that when last Wednesday morning, just at break of day, she quietly sank to rest, the news came with a shock even to her own loved ones. Ever cheerful and ready to find the bright side of even the darkest days, she so often smiled in her illness that the approach of death was not discerned until "God touched her with His finger and she slept."

Seldom is it given to man to embody so beautiful a characteristic as was ever pre-eminent in the life of Mrs. Mary Kellogg. The spirit of cheerfulness seemed to have endowed her at birth with its own special gift. Perpetual sunshine radiated from her life, and only those who knew her best realized how never failing was this constant giving out of her bright spirit. Surely, if success in life can be measured by the amount of happiness we dispense, her life has been crowned with the greatest success.

"Not what we give but what we share,
For the gift without the giver is bare."

And she shared royally this one bright gift of her birth—a sunshiny heart.

The loving, gentle life is ended, but the inspiration of her beautiful living will never end. It will grow and blossom with new life as the years go on. Peace be unto thee, gentle friend. As thou has given freely in the past, so a loving God will give again to thee. Death to thee is life, the gateway to eternal joy.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. King and family and Mrs. Little desire to return sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors, who so kindly assited them in their late bereavement.

A Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Oil barges are now being fitted with electric lights that are vapor proof, so that even when naptha is carried there is no danger of fire or explosion.

PLANTS AND A MEAT DIET.

Darwin Makes a Daring Statement and Supports It by Experiment.

It has been proven time and again that the so-called "cannibal plants," of which the Venus fly trap is the type, are much more healthy when allowed their insect food than they are when reared under netting or in any other manner which excludes them from their regular meat diet. The above is an oddity of itself, says the St. Louis Republic, especially when we consider the fact that there is a certain school of botanists which teaches that cannibal plants make no use whatever of the insect prey captured by them, but it is nothing compared with the bold assertion made by Francis Darwin. That noted scientific gentleman bravely meets the "vegetarian botanists" with the assertion that all kinds and classes of plants, whether known as "meat-eaters" or not, bear more of the heavier fruits and seeds when fed on meat than those that are not allowed a flesh diet. He grew two lots, comprising various varieties of the different common plants. One lot was regularly fed (through their roots, of course) with pure juices compressed from meat, the other with water and the various fertilizers. The final figures on this odd experiment proved that the plants which were fed pure meat juice bore 168 fruits of the different kinds, while the unfed plants of the same number and original condition bore but 74. Also that the pampered plants bore 240 seeds to every 100 borne by the plants that were not given a chance to gratify cannibalistic tastes. This is certainly a discovery worthy of much careful study and extensive experiment.

THE DEVIL'S PUMP.

Odd Combinations of Natural and Artificial Curiosities.

One of the greatest combinations of natural and artificial curiosities on the coast of California is called the Devil's Pump. The pholas, or shell miners, a species of mollusk which excavates immense caverns in the very hardest stone, have tunneled the entire coast in the vicinity of the pump. Water rushes into these caverns with each succeeding tide flow and, in this particular case, finds vent through a cylindrical opening some distance from the water's edge. It is estimated that this hole, which connects with the sea cavern, is 75 to 100 feet in depth. Every time the tide rushes into the cavern beneath the "pump" throws water to the height of a full 100 feet above the mouth of the opening. The Indians formerly called it by a name which signified "fairy water gun," but the irreverent white men have given it the title of the "Devil's Pump," and by that name it will probably be known by future generations.

There is a similar curiosity near Horn Head, County Donegal, Ireland, where a hole in the rocks is called "McSwiney's Gun," says the St. Louis Republic. Like the California oddity, it is on the seacoast and has connection with a submarine cavern. When the north wind blows and the sea is at "half flood" the wind and waves enter the cavern and send up immense columns of water through the "gun." Travelers say that each charge of water sent from the "gun" is accompanied by an explosion that can be heard for miles.

WATCH THE THUMBS.

They Are Telltale Signs of Healthy or Sick Nerves.

"When I went to a nerve specialist first," said a man who was once an invalid to a Boston Gazette reporter, "he told me that one way to judge of the condition of a person's nerves was to watch his thumbs. Ever since that time I have found the greatest fascination in looking at people's thumbs. The doctor said that if they moved involuntarily outward it was a sign that the nerves of that man or woman were not in the best condition. I find myself now line sweeping the line opposite me in the car, and if the doctor's test is a good one, there is a surprising number of people in this town whose nerves need looking after. There are few people among the women who do not involuntarily move the thumbs outward at intervals of every few minutes, and when your attention have been once attracted to it, the process of watching their gloved hands grows very interesting. I have found the habit much less frequent among men, but take the average number of women in a street car, and it will be a surprise to you to see how many of them indulge unconsciously in this little habit. I only hope it does not mean anything as serious as it might indicate if that nerve specialist's diagnosis was a good one.

The Judge's Musical Instrument.

A new typewriter story comes from India. It appears that one of the English judges in India was an expert on the machine, and it occurred to him to use it for the making of judicial notes. The machine was conveyed into court, when a certain novelty was imparted to the proceedings by the click of the keys and the tinkle of the bell which indicated that a line had been completed. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced. Promptly he appealed, on the ground that, instead of listening to the evidence, the judge had whiled away his time by playing on a musical instrument. This was a technicality as well as a typewriter, and quite good enough reason for a bad man to get a new trial.

The Great Lawyer Coke.

Coke, who is frequently quoted as a high legal authority, was a lawyer born in the year 1550, and in 1592 was made attorney general, when his prosecution of Raleigh and Essex, and his forensic power afterward, on the occasion of the gunpowder plot, raised him into favor. He was elevated to the bench, and then sent to the Tower, but afterward framed the petition of rights.

DID NOT HOLD HIS PEACE.

As a Result the Wedding Proceeded with Another Groom.

"I attended a mountain wedding in McDowell county, W. Va.," said a writer in the Washington Star. "Everything went along smoothly at first. The cabin was brilliantly lighted with candles and one of the best fiddlers in the country was present to furnish music for the dance to follow the wedding ceremony. Nothing occurred to mar the proceedings until the minister came to the point where he invited anyone who had anything to say why the couple should not enter the bonds of matrimony to speak or thereafter hold his peace, when a rough-looking mountaineer arose and said:

"'Anything ter say, parson? Wall, I reckon I hev. I hev allus intended ter marry that gal myself, an' thet feller knowed it, so he jess kep' outen my way. I sent 'im word to prepare for a lickin', an' he lef' the country, but kep' a-writin ter the gal. Now, I'm here ter make my word good, an' 'fore this hyar event goes any farder, the taller-faced coward has me ter fight.'

"In vain the preacher tried to restore order. A ring was soon squared in the center of the room and the men went at it. In about ten minutes the groom announced that he had enough, and the victor, taking the arm of the blushing bride, deliberately changed the groom's name in the marriage license to his own, while the vanquished lover made his escape. Everybody appeared to be satisfied, and the marriage took place as though nothing had occurred to mar the solemnity of the occasion."

SAVED HER WHEN A BABY.

And Thirty Years After He Met and Married Her.

A romantic marriage occurred at Atlanta a few days ago, the parties to it being Mr. H. F. Bailey, of Jackson, Miss., and Miss Hodges, of Virginia. Mr. Bailey is somewhat past 50 years of age and the bride is about 30, says an exchange.

The couple first met during the war when Miss Hodges was a baby. It happened when the northern soldiers approached Jackson, Miss. The parents of Miss Hodges resided there at the time, and when the grand rush to avoid the Yankees was made Mr. Bailey, then a confederate soldier, secured a wagon and moved the Hodges family. In the hurry and excitement the little girl was forgotten, and she was not missed until the family had gone several miles.

Mr. Bailey volunteered to go back and find her, which he did. The child was found in the road near her home crying. Mr. Bailey carried her to her parents.

Soon after that Mr Hodges moved with his family to Virginia, and Mr. Bailey saw them no more for 30 years.

Last year, says the Chicago News, his wife died, and it occurred to him to look up his old friends and see what had become of the little girl whom he had saved from the invaders in the long ago. He went to Virginia and found her teaching school. They corresponded and agreed to meet at Atta during the fair and be married.

Homeseekers' Excursion via Ohio Central Lines.

To Virginia and the South. March 10. One fare for round trip. See agents Ohio Central Lines or address W. A. Peters, M. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

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UMSEH, MICH., FEB. 28, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

ng is come again.

cuses are in order.

W. Benedict is improving.

W. Anderson, of Devil's lake, is
wn.

y of our citizens are still in the
of the grip.

N. Stacy, of Elgin, Ill., spent
y in Tecumseh.

notices of village election and
s on the opposite page.

s Henderson, of Spayde's store
n quite sick this week.

s Colvin, who has been quite
h pneumonia, is improving.

young men of Tecumseh will
social hop at the Armory next
riday.

Marie Paisley arrived in Tecum-
terday after an extended visit
latives in Canada.

e will probably be two tickets in
d this spring—the regular cor-
n ticket and a peoples ticket.

Christian Culture Class meets
y evening at Mr. Finch's. They
et at the parsonage at 7:15.
nces will be ready.

Aldrich, of the Central Hotel
d to Brooklyn Wednesday by
us illness of his mother Mrs.
ldrich of that place.

any C has responded to an in-
from Rev. C. M. Brown, and
nd divine service at the Pres-
n church Sunday evening.

her railroad meeting was held
ian last evening, at which defi-
ion was expected to be taken-
re unable to get the result for
issue.

ings at the Baptist church in-
in interest. Mr. Arnold, who is
g the pastor, will return for an-
week. Evangelistic services Sun-
ening led by the pastor.

Warring and wife and son Fred
panied by their daughter and her
sband, Mr. and Mrs. Manse, arrived
om Winfield, Kan., last night.
nd Mrs. Warring brought their
hold goods and will move into B.
tter's house for the present. Mr.
rs. Manse expect to go to Grand
soon.

remains of Mrs. John Johnson
ought here Tuesday, for inter-
rom Detroit where the funeral
d Monday. The deceased died
advanced age of 85 years. Her for-
me was near Toronto Canada but
the death of her husband, Mrs.
n has made her home with her
ers in Detroit, who are Mrs. Geo.
, Mrs. John Deering and Mrs.
. Clark who all survive her.
. Clark will be remembered as
Tecumseh boy whose brothers
her reside here. The children
deceased together with her
ughter, Mrs. Corey De Rosier
nied the remains here.

tions were sent last week to the
and friends of the pupils of
Monigan and Douglas to be
at the East Branch shool house
ck Friday afternoon. The oc-
as the holding of exercises by
h grade pupils in comemoration
hington's birthday. The pro-
18 numbers consisted of recita-
ongs, duets, etc., well chosen
view of illustrating some special
eristic as displayed in the life
ountry's father. The exercises
tened to by about 75 patrons of
ools, including the school board,
ved most interesting through-
e preparation and execution of
gram, containing many novel
illustrations, was most com-
e of the pains taken by both
and scholars. Surely, no more
ing or forcible lesson in patriot-
d be taught than is brought out
observance of this nature.

Today the farmers garrison the armory.

J. R. Hialey was a Toledo visitor Wednesday.

Social events are almost at a stand still during Lent.

Dr. Tefft was obliged to take his own medicine the first of the week. Tonsilitis.

If you wish to see some beautiful living pictures look in Teeple's show windows.

Mrs. J. B. Warring and Mrs. C. F. Morley visited friends in Toledo Wednesday.

The ladies of the Eastern Star gave a supper at their regular meeting last evening.

Yesterday was gentle, breesy, balmy. But some one says such days are breeders of bad weather.

H. H. Chapin writes that his directory, which has been delayed on account of his sickness, will soon be out.

Tecumseh lodge, No. 69 F. & A. M., holds its regular meeting tonight. There will be work in the second degree.

A keystone watch charm was lost on the streets Wednesday. Finder will please leave at Mobbs & Co.'s grocery.

Prof. D. A. Hammond, of the Ann Arbor Argus, who is now interested in a Chicago school book house, was in Tecumseh the first of the week.

The prospect for either tariff or financial legislation at this session of Congress is anything but good at this time, and few people expect it to grow better.

Next week I will be prepared to show you the finest line of nobby spring and summer suitings ever seen in Tecumseh. Call and look them over. J. M. JONES.

Miss Camilla Meade left Tecumseh last Tuesday for a few months' sojourn in a warmer clime. She will visit H. L. Stewart's family at Ocean Springs, Miss.

Milan Wheeler and wife, of Coldwater, who have been visiting in these parts for some time, returned this week. Mr. Wheeler is now head gardner at the state school there.

Rev. Frank E. Arnold, who formerly filled the Baptist pulpit here, has been assisting at the special meetings held there this week. Rev. Arnold now lives at Ypsilanti and preaches at Northville, Mich.

H. E. Fink is contemplating the cogitation of an economic dissertation to be promulgated on the ides of March. His subject will probably be "The Foibles of Fashion in their Destructive Extremities."

Today the associated farmers' clubs of this vicinity hold an institute at the Armory. The program prepared is one of much interest, the weather is fine, the admission free, and a large crowd can safely be predicted.

Alex. Easlick, who has been considered dangerously ill for the past six months, is rapidly improving. He comes to the front again this week with an interesting letter to the Adrian Messenger, and his many friends rejoice.

The Ohio Central lines have just fully completed their sleeping and dining room car service between Toledo and Columbus, Ohio, and Charleston, W. Va. They are now running the only complete service of this kind between those points.

Recent advices from Will Hayden state that he is located three miles from Austin, Texas. The gentle exercise of walking to town and back four times a day through Texas mud proves a most effective health restorer, and hence Capt. is happy.

Robt. Moir has decided to abandon his restaurant trade in connection with his business and in future will cater only to the trade in cigars, confections, ice cream, etc. Mrs. Vedder expects to soon furnish meals and lunches to the hungry public at the Geo. Heesen store.

The table factory is hustled with work just at present. The company is working nights on a large special order. Last week they shipped two large furniture cars of tables, one to Chicago and one to Boston, beside filling numerous other orders. This augurs well for good times.

The twenty-fifth annual ball and inspection of Co. B occurred last Friday evening. The company was most thoroughly inspected by Major Howell, who complimented them highly on their efficiency. The ball was a repetition of their successful parties of former years, about 150 couple indulging in the dance.

After long consideration of the numerous bills proposing amendments to the immigration laws the Senate committee decided that all persons over 14 years of age who cannot read and write the language of their native country, excepting aged parents or grandparents of admissable immigrants, and a bill providing therefor was favorably reported to the Senate.

When it comes to blow, Ypsilanti is not in it with Ann Arbor, as the following from the Ypsilantian will testify: A few days ago our enterprising grocery man, M. J. Lewis, went to Ann Arbor to collect payment of a bill from Henry Robbins, a colored barber. In the conversation between the two, Mr. Lewis used some language which was not agreeable to the barber's sense of propriety, and he responded by giving Mr. Lewis a sound blowing up,—part of the blow striking him in the face. Robbins was arrested and brought before Justice Childs for a hearing, and Tuesday the case was adjourned till Feb. 19.

The ladies of the Universalist society gave a social last evening at the church.

Our Hawaiian letter this week contains a very interesting and valuable description of the unfortunate lepers and their terrible disease.

Miss Franc Baker, Confere ce Secretary of the W. F. M. S., will speak at the M. E. church, Sunday evening, March 8, in the interest of the society.

"The Manitoba Schools Question," which is gradually bringing about a crisis in the affairs of the Dominion, is discussed in the March Forum by Dr. Goldwin Smith.

The monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church, will be held in the church parlors, Wednesday, Mar. 8. Meeting called promptly at 2:30. A full attendance is desired in order to make arrangements for the coming thank-offering service.

We print on another page some school statistics, and suggestions in regard to the unit system, from the pen of Prof. Hinsdale, of the University. This is becoming an absorbing topic in educational discussions, and we should be pleased to hear both sides.

Apropos of Dr. Jameson's raid, the newspapers lately have been filled with dispatches from the Transvaal, but it is safe to say that few people know anything about its inhabitants. An article in the March Forum, by Captian T. Loraine White, a fourteen year resident of South Africa, throws a flood of light on the "Manners and Customs of the Boers"—an extremely interesting and entertaining paper.

R. H. Woodward Company, Baltimore, Md., announce a new book, "Story of Turkey and Armenia." This book will contain a full and graphic account of the recent Armenian massacres, which have aroused the civilized world. A number of articles have been written by men of international reputation for this book, and it will be beautifully illustrated with nearly one hundred engravings, and will be sold by subscription.

Did you eat chicken pie with the W. R. C. or didn't you? Some did and some didn't. George and Martha were there. It was a regular George Washington supper and reminded one of Valley Forge. Provisions were a little low at the last end. The ladies of the W. R. C. have too famous a reputation as architects of chicken pie. Their friends were simply too many for them. However, they are willing to try again and will come prepared to make up for what they lost before.

A well known and wealthy farmer of Cambridge has been accused of allowing his stock to suffer and die this winter, from lack of proper food and care. The case is being investigated and it is to be hoped that, if the report be true, the miserable farmer will get what he deserves. Hundreds of farmers are poor and short of feed but with good care and economical feeding they are bringing their stock through the winter in good shape. When a man of means lets his stock starve, nothing is bad enough for him.

Most people are interested in the mysteries of stage scenery, of which a descriptive account by W. J. Henderson, fully illustrated, can be found in Harper's Round Table for February, 18th. In the same number an article by J. Parmly Paret gives a satisfactory idea of the restoration of the once famous elephant, Tip. A series of pictures accompanying the article shows how the frame was built up on which Tip's skin was finally placed. "The Little Corporal," by Juliana Conover, and "The Skating Brigade," by Elizabeth S. Hickok, are two stories that lend interest to this excellent number.

The sensational rural comedy drama, "Joshua Simpkins," will be produced at Sutton's Opera House, March 4. The play contains an interesting and intelligible plot, but it is not allowed to interfere with the fun, which is said to be in abundance. During the run of the play some startling scenes and situations are seen, principal of which may be said to be the country saw mill, in the third act, shown in complete operation cutting up real timber. The saw used is the genuine article, same as used in large country saw mills. An excellent band and orchestra accompany this attraction. The band will parade at noon, when some good music may be looked for.

Mr. Kirk Monroe, who is so well known as the author of tales of adventure for boys, will begin the publication of another of his Western stories, entitled "Rick Dale," in the number of Harper's Round Table to be issued next week. The story follows the adventures of a young Californian, the son of a millionaire, who, until his fourteenth or fifteenth year, has had no experience among boys of his own age, and knows nothing of the value of money or of the practical life of the average American boy. At the opening of the story he is seized with a longing to see something of life on his own account, and instead of going to Japan with a tutor, allows the steamer to sail without him; and then begins a series of adventures with smugglers on Puget Sound, in log camps in Washington, and with mountain-climbing expeditions which, before the end of the book is reached, give him more practical information than most boys of his age ever acquire, and develop a character within him that surprises his father more than anyone else. The story will run through the spring in Harper's Round Table, and is one of the best that Mr. Monroe has yet written.

Florence, youngest daughter of H. E. Fink, is ill with lung fever, and several of the other children are sick with la grippe.

The Fencing Master will be presented by the Whitney Opera Co., at Croswell's opera house, Adrian, Thursday night, March 5. The Lake Shore train will be held to give the people on the branch an opportunity to see the play.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Tilton during the month of March. Let the members bear in mind that on the second Friday in March occurs the election of officers for the ensuing year. It is earnestly desired that every member be present.

We publish this week a large batch of council proceedings which include reports and the financial statement. This is of unusual interest to taxpayers. It shows that the Brownville bridge cost $3,247.20 of which $800 was paid by the township. It also gives facts and figures in regard to the water bonds.

News was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Mary W. Osborn, which occurred early on the morning of that day. The deceased was the widow of John W. Osborn and mother of J. H. Osborn, of this place, and was formerly well known, together with her husband, as among the pioneer residents of Tecumseh. Death occurred at Elkhart, where she had made her home for several years with her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Hart. Mrs. Osborn was in her 87th year. The remains will be brought here tomorrow, and the funeral held at the home of J. H. Osborn Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

High School Happenings.

Latin IV have begun the sixth book of Virgil.

The class in Philosophy are studying the subject of sound.

Miss Mary Mills is absent this week on account of illness.

Miss Galloway called on the C room Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lena Hardenburg visited the B room Tuesday afternoon,

Miss Rogers, of Raisin Center visited the C room Wednesday.

Mrs. Garlinghouse was a visitor in the high school Wednesday.

The English Literature class are reading Dicken's Christmas Carols.

The committee appointed by the school board are making their official visits.

The exercises at the East and West branch schools were well attended last Friday and the visitors were as well pleased.

The class in Civil Government are encouraged in the matter of penmanship. They had the opportunity to look at the autographs of a large number of Congressmen last Wednesday, the majority of which were perfectly illegible.

The Joshua Simpkins Street Parade.

The Joshua Simpkins Co., which appears at Sutton's Opera House, Wednesday, March 4, will make their famous street parade about noon of the day of the performance. This company carry two elegant bands, military and country bands, both of which will appear in the parade. After parading the different prominent streets both bands will assemble in front of the Lilley House about 1 o'clock, where the country band assisted by the military band will render the latest descriptive musical number entitled "Fourth of July on the Farm," in which many clever imitations are introduced. Among which are the singing of birds, horses trotting, the arrival of the express train, blowing of the whistle, applying of the air brakes, etc. The whole affair winding up with a jolly country dance by Joshua and the boys. Don't miss it for it is as funny as a circus.

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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

"Unto Him Shall the Gathering of the People Be."

The Blessings of Christ's Love—A Plea for a General Awakening in Religion—Striking Similies and Metaphors.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage delivered the following sermon before his Washington congregation, taking for his text:

Unto him shall the gathering of the people be.—Genesis xlix. 10.

Through a supernatural lens, or what I might call a prophescope, dying Jacob looks down through the corridors of the centuries until he sees Christ the center of all popular attraction and the greatest being in all the world, so everywhere acknowledged. It was not alway so. The world tried hard to put Him down and to put Him out. In the year 1200, while excavating for antiquities 33 miles northeast of Rome, a copper-plate tablet was found containing the death warrant of the Lord Jesus Christ, reading in this wise:

"In the year 17 of the empire of Tiberius Cæsar, and on the 25th of March, I, Pontius Pilate, governor of the Practore, condemn Jesus of Nazareth to die between two thieves, Quintus Cornelius to lead him forth to the place of execution."

The death warrant was signed by several names. First, by Daniel, rabbi Pharisee; secondly, by Johannes, rabbi; thirdly, by Raphael; fourthly, by Capet, a private citizen. The capital punishment was executed according to law. The name of the thief crucified on the right hand side of Christ was Dismas; the name of the thief crucified on the left-hand side of Christ was Gestus. Pontius Pilate, describing the tragedy, says the whole world lighted candles from noon until night. Thirty-three years of maltreatment. They ascribe His birth to bastardy and His death to execuciation. A wall of the city, built about those times and recently exposed by archaeologists, shows a caricature of Jesus Christ, evidencing the contempt in which He was held by many in His day—that caricature on the wall representing a cross and a donkey nailed to it, and under it the inscription: "This is the Christ whom the people worship."

But I rejoice that that day is gone by. Our Christ is coming out from under the world's abuse. The most popular name on earth to-day is the name of Christ. Where He had one friend, Christ has a thousand friends. The scoffers have become the worshipers. Of the 20 most celebrated infidels in Great Britain in our day, 16 have come back to Christ, trying to undo the blatant mischief of their lives—16 out of the 20. Every man who writes a letter or signs a document, wittingly or unwittingly, honors Jesus Christ. We date everything as B. C. or A. D.—B. C., before Christ; A. D., Anno Domini, in the year of our Lord. All the ages of history on the pivot of the upright beam of the cross of the Son of God. B. C., A. D. I do not care what you call Him—whether commeror, of king, or morning star, or sun of righteousness, or balm of Gilead, or Lebanon cedar, or brother, or friend, or take the name used in the verse from which I take my text, and call him Shiloh, which means his son, or the tranquilator, or the peacemaker. Shiloh. I only want to tell you that "unto Him shall the gathering of the people be."

In the first place, the people are gathered around Christ for pardon. No sensible man or healthfully ambitious man is satisfied with his past life. A fool may think he is all right. A sensible man knows he is not. I do not care who the thoughtful man is, the review of his lifetime behavior before God and man gives to him no especial satisfaction. "Oh," he says, "there have been so many things I have done I ought not to have done, there have been so many things I have said I ought never to have said, there have been so many things I have written I ought never to have written, there have been so many things I have thought I never ought to have thought, I must somehow get things readjusted. I must somehow have the past reconstructed; there are days and months and years which cry out against me in horrible vociferation." Ah! my brother, Christ adjusts the past by obliterating it. He does not erase the record of our misdoing with a dash of ink from a register's pen, but lifting His right hand, crushed, red at the palm, He puts it against His bleeding brow, and then against His pierced side, and with the crimson accumulation of all those wounds He rubs out the accusatory chapter. He blots out our iniquities. Oh! never be anxious about the future; better be anxious about the past. I put it not at the end of my sermon, I put it at the front; Mercy and pardon through Shiloh, the sin-pardoning Christ. "Unto Him shall the gathering of the people be." "Oh!" says some man, "I have for 40 years been as bad as I could be, and is there any mercy for me?" Mercy for you. "Oh!" say's someone here, "I had a grand ancestry, the holiest of fathers, and the tenderest of mothers, and for my pertidy there is no excuse. Do you think there is any mercy for me?" Mercy for you. "But," says another man, "I fear I have committed what they call the unpardonable sin, and the Bible says if a man commit that sin, he is neither to be forgiven in this world nor the world to come. Do you think there is any mercy for me?" The fact that you have any solicitude about the matter at all proves positively that you have not committed the unpardonable sin. Mercy for you? O! the grace of God which bringeth salvation!

But, I remark again, the people will gather around Christ as a sympathizer. Oh! we all want sympathy. I hear people talk as though they were independent of it. None of us could live without sympathy. When parts of our family are away, how lonely the house seems until they all get home! But, alas! for those who never come home. Sometimes it seems as if it must be impossible. What, will their feet never again come over the threshold? Will they never again sit with us at the table? Will they never again kneel with us at the family prayer? Shall we never again look into their sunny faces? Shall we never again on earth take counsel with them for our work? Alas! me, who can stand under these griefs? Oh! Christ, Thou canst do more for a bereft soul than any else. It is He who stands beside us to tell of the resurrection. It is He that came to bid peace. It is He that comes to us and breathes into us the spirit of submission until we can look up from the wreck and ruin of our brightest expectations and say: "Father, not my will, but Thine be done." Oh, ye who are bereft, ye anguish-bitten, come into this refuge. The call of those who came for relief to Christ is larger and larger. Unto this Shiloh of omnipotent sympathy the gathering of the people shall be. Oh, that Christ would stand by all these empty cradles, and all these desolated homesteads, and all these broken hearts, and persuade us it is well.

The world can not offer you any help at such a time. Suppose the world comes and offers you money. You would rather live on a crust in a cellar and have your departed loved ones with you than live in palatial surroundings and they away. Suppose the world offers you its honors to console you. What is the presidency to Abraham Lincoln when little Willie lies dead in the White House? Perhaps the world comes and says: "Time will cure it all." Ah, there are griefs that have raged on for 30 years and are raging yet. And yet hundreds have been comforted, thousands have been comforted, millions have been comforted, and Christ had done the work. Oh, what you want is sympathy. The world's heart of sympathy beats very irregularly. Plenty of sympathy when we do not want it, and often when we are in appalling need of it, no sympathy. There are multitudes of people dying for sympathy—sympathy in their work, sympathy in their fatigues, sympathy in their bereavements, sympathy in their financial losses, sympathy in their physical ailments, sympathy in their spiritual anxieties, sympathy in the time of declining years—wide, deep, high, everlasting, almighty sympathy. We must have it, and Christ gives it. This is the cord with which He is going to draw all nations to Him.

At the story of punishment a man's eye flashes and his teeth set and his fist clinches, and he prepares to do battle, even though it be against the heavens; yet what heart so hard but will succumb to the story of compassion! Even a man's sympathy is pleasant and helpful. When we have been in some hour of weakness, to have a brawny man stand beside us and promise to see us through, what courage it gives to our heart and what strength it gives to our arm. Still mightier is a woman's sympathy. Let him tell the story who, when all his fortunes were gone and all the world was against him, came home and found in that home a wife who could write on the top of the empty flour barrel: "The Lord will provide;" or write on the empty wardrobe: "Consider the lilies of the field; if God so clothed the grass of the field, will He not clothe us and ours?" Or let that young man tell the story who has gone the whole round of dissipation. The shadow of the penitentiary is upon him, and even his father says: "Be off! Never come home again!" The young man finds still his mother's arm outstretched for him, and how she will stand at the wicket of the prison to whisper consolation, or get down on her knees before the governor, begging for pardon, hoping on for her wayward boy after all others are hopeless. Or let her tell the story who, under villainous allurement and impatient of parental restraint has wandered off from a home of which she was the idol into the murky and thunderous midnight of abandonment, away from God, and further away, until some time she is tossed on the beach of that early home a mere splinter of a wreck. Who will pity her now? Who will gather these dishonored locks into her lap? Who will wash off the blood from the gashed forehead? Who will tell her of that Christ who came to save the lost? Who will put that weary head upon the clean white pillow and watch by night until the hoarse voice of the sufferer becomes the whisper, and the whisper becomes only a faint motion of the lips, and the faint motion of the lips is exchanged for a silent look, and the cut feet are still, and the weary eyes are still, and the frenzied heart is still, and all is still? Who will have compassion on her when no others have compassion? Mother! Mother!

Oh! there is something beautiful in sympathy—in manly sympathy, wifely sympathy, motherly sympathy; yea, and neighborly sympathy. Why was it that a city was aroused with excitement when a little child was kidnapped from one of the streets? Why were whole columns of the newspapers filled with the story of a litle child? Because we are all one in sympathy, and every parent said: "How if it had been my Lizzie? How if it had been my Mary? How if it had been my Maud? How if it had been my child? How if there had been one unoccupied pillow in our trundle bed tonight? How if my little one—bone of my bone and flesh of my flesh—were to-night carried captive into some den of vagabonds, never to come back to me? How if it had been my sorrow looking out of the window, watching and waiting—that sorrow worse than death?" Then when they found her why did we declare the news all through the households, and everybody that knew how to pray said: "Thank God?" Because we are all one, bound by one great golden chain of sympathy. Oh! yes, but I have to tell you that if you will aggregate all neighborly, manly, wifely, motherly sympathy, it will be found only a poor starving thing compared to the sympathy of our great Shiloh, who has held in His lap the sorrows of the ages, and who is ready to lay on His holy heart the woes of all who will come to Him. Oh! what a God, what a Saviour we have!

But in larger vision see the nations in some kind of trouble ever since the world was derailed and hurled down the embankments. The demon of sin came to this world, but other demons have gone through other worlds. The demon of conflagrat on, the demon of volcanic disturbance, the demon of destruction.

I have thought that this particular age in which we live may be given up to discoveries and inventions by which through quick and instantaneous communication all cities and all countries and all lands will be brought together, and then in another period, perhaps, these inventions which have been used for worldly purposes will be brought out for Gospel invitation, and some great prophet of the Lord will come and snatch the mysterious, sublime and miraculous telephone from the hand of commerce, and all hands and kingdoms connected by a wondrous wire, this prophet of the Lord may, through telephone communication, in an instant announce to all nations pardon and sympathy and life through Jesus Christ, and then, putting the wondrous tube to the ear of the Lord's prophet, the response shall come back: "I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only, begotten Son." You and I may not live to see the day; I think those of us who are over forty years of age can scarcely expect to see the day. I expect before that time our bodies will be sound asleep in the hammocks of the old Gospel ship as it goes sailing on. But Christ will wake us up in time to see the achievement. We who have sweated in the hot harvest-fields will be at the door of the garner when the sheaves come in. The work for which in this world we toiled and wept, and struggled and wore ourselves out shall not come to consummation and we be oblivious of the achievement. We will be allowed to come out and shake hands with the visitors. We who fought in the earlier battles will have just as much right to rejoice as those who reddened their feet in the last Armageddon. Ah! yea, those who could only give a cupful of cold water in the name of a disciple, those who could only scrape a handful of lint for a wounded soldier, those who could only administer to old age in its decrepitude, those who could only coax a poor waif of the street to go back home to her God, those who could only lift a little child in the arms of Christ, will have as much right to take part in the ovation to the Lord Jesus Christ as a Chrysostom. It will be your victory and mine, as well as Christ's. He the conqueror, we shouting in His train, Christ the victor will pick out the humblest of His disciples in the crowd, and, turning half around on the white horse of victory, He shall point her out for approval by the multitude as He says: "She did what she could." Then, putting His hand on the head of some man who, by his industry, made one talent do the work of ten, He will say: "Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over ten cities." Two different theories about the fulfillment of this promise.

There are people who think Christ will come in person and sit on a throne. Perhaps He may. I should like to see the scarred feet going up the stairs of a palace in which all glories of the Alhambra, and the Taj Mahal, and the St. Mark's, and the winter palace are gathered. I should like to see the world pay Christ in love for what it did to Him in maltreatment. I would like to be one of the grooms of the chargers, holding the stirrup as the King mounts. O! what a glorious time it would be on earth if Christ would break through the heavens, and right here where He has suffered and died have this prophecy fulfilled: "Unto Him shall the gathering of the people be." But failing in that, I bargain to meet you at the ponderous gate of Heaven on the day when our Lord shall come back. Garlands of all nations on His brow—of the bronzed nations of the south and the palid nations of the north—Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, and the other continents that may arise meantime from the sea, to take the places of their sunken predecessors; Arch of Trajan, Arch of Titus, Arch of Triumph in the Champs Elysees, all too poor to welcome the King of Kings, and Lord of Lords, and Conqueror of conquerors in His august arrival. Turn out all Heaven to meet Him. Hang all along the route the flags of earthly dominion, whether decorated with crescent, or star, or eagle, or lion, or coronet. Hang out Heaven's brightest banner, with its one star of Bethlehem and blood-striped of the cross. I hear the procession now. Hark! the tramp of the feet, the rumbling of the wheels, the clattering of the hoofs, and the shouts of the riders. Ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands. Put up in Heaven's library, right beside the completed volume of the world's ruin, the completed volume of Shiloh's triumph. The old promise struggling through the ages fulfilled at last: "Unto Him shall the gathering of the people be."

While everlasting ages roll,
Eternal love shall feast their soul,
And scenes of bliss forever new,
Rise in succession to their view.

HAD HIM FAST.

A Yankee's Remark at the Tomb of Lord Nelson.

The English people will never understand the humorous temper of the American, which makes him ask such questions as that recorded by Mark Twain as having been asked by a friend of his in the British museum. A guide had exhibited an Egyptian mummy, and discoursed long upon the antiquity of it, and the Egyptian process of embalming, and so forth; and at last the American asked: "Is he dead?"

It was only recently, according to a letter in an exchange, that in St. Paul's cathedral a London guide held forth thus to an American gentleman:

"That, sir, is the tomb of the greatest naval 'ero Europe or the whole world ever knew!"

"Yes?"

"It is, sir, the tomb of Lord Nelson. This marble sarcophiggus weighs 42 tons. Hinside that is a steel receptacle weighing 12 tons, and hinside that is a leaden casket, 'ermetically sealed, weighing two tons. Hinside that is a ma'ogany coffin 'olding the ashes of the great 'ero."

"Well," said the Yankee, after reflecting a moment, "I guess you've got him. If he ever gets out of that, telegraph me at my expense."

Generalization.

The grandest generalization that the human mind has reached is God. Evolution is only a part. We are going on and on until the will of God is reached. —Rev. Samuel R. Calthrop, Syracuse, N. Y.

Saloons.

I believe that every right-minded man and woman will say that the saloon is a curse, and that the American people will not rest until the great evil is eradicated.—Rev. Dr. Dalton, Congregationalist, Portland, Me.

Sympa—Bah! A woman doesn't deserve any sympathy, when the knowing better is so easy and the doing better is so cheap. Think of inhaling the steam and odors from a tub of dirty clothing, perhaps from the sick room, perhaps much soiled from honest labor. Think of the weak lungs, and throat, the germs of disease, etc., etc. It's all so unnecessary and so ineffective. The clothes are not as clean (surely not as pure) as they ought to be, when the work is done. Boil your clothes in Pearline and water—directions on each package—every grocer has it

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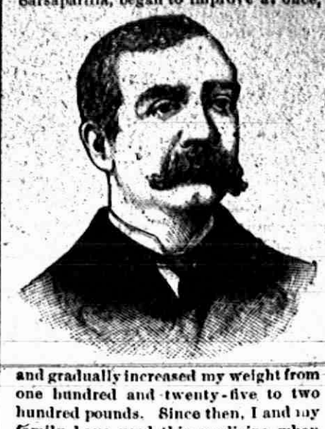

and gradually increased my weight from one hundred and twenty-five to two hundred pounds. Since then, I and my family have used this medicine when needed, and we are all in the best of health, a fact which we attribute to Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I believe my children would have been fatherless to-day had it not been for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, of which preparation I cannot say too much."—H. O. Hyssox, Postmaster and Planter, Kinard's, S. C.

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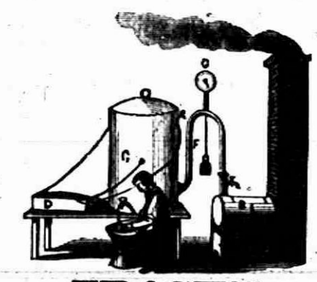

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the senate on the 19th Senator Carter (Mont.) offered a resolution to recommit the tariff bill to the finance committee for further consideration. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill and about 60 private pension bills were passed. ....In the house the army appropriation bill, carrying $23,775,902, was passed; the conference report to the urgent deficiency bill was adopted; and the bill to extend for five years the time in which the government can bring suits to annul patents to public lands under railroad and wagon road grants was passed.

The resolution for the recognition of the belligerent rights of the Cuban insurgents and the alternative resolution for the recognition of Cuban independence were discussed in the senate on the 20th, Senators Cameron, Call, Lodge and Morgan speaking in favor of the resolutions....In the house the conference report on the diplomatic and consular bill was agreed to, the senate amendments to the pension bill were sent to conference and the Indian appropriation bill was taken up. The latter carries $5,630,805, or $132,732 less than the law for the current year.

The senate was not in session on the 21st ....In the house the senate amendments to the military academy appropriation bill were concurred in. The senate bill to amend section 5,294 of the revised statutes, relative to the power of the secretary of the treasury to remit or mitigate fines, penalties and forfeitures, was passed; also the senate bill relating to final proof in timber culture entries. Mr. Colson (Ky.) introduced a resolution to investigate Secretary Carlisle's action in declining to accept a certain bid for bonds. Adjourned to the 24th.

A bill granting a pension of $100 a month to the widow of the late Walter Q. Gresham was passed in the senate on the 24th. Senator Morgan spoke in favor of recognizing Cuban belligerency....In the house it was decided by a vote of 93 to 64 that none of the appropriations on the Indian appropriation bill for Indian schools should go to sectarian schools. A bill was introduced to take from the free list of the tariff bill silver bullion, silver coins and silver ores, and making them dutiable at 50 per cent. ad valorem.

DOMESTIC.

Four men were killed and seven others seriously injured at McKay's lumber camp near Seney, Mich., by the running away of a steam log machine.

Three employes of the Consumers' Gas company at Wilkesbarre, Pa., George Maxwell, the foreman, and Samuel Maxwell and George Zerbee, were suffocated by gas.

The convention of delegates to arrange for a Chicago-Southern States exposition in Chicago next fall began in that city.

While temporarily insane Mrs. Ethel Kelso, wife of George Radford Kelso, business manager of a printing establishment in New York, killed her two children—Ethel, aged four, and George, aged two—and then attempted suicide.

It was reported that 13 fishermen lost their lives while out in the lake at Buffalo, N. Y., during a storm.

John Thompson, aged 87 years, for over 50 years publisher of various weekly papers in different parts of Indiana, committed suicide by hanging himself at Fowler.

Mrs. Letitia Green Stevenson, wife of the vice president, was chosen president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the annual meeting in Washington.

A fire in the Leader newspaper building at Cleveland, O., threatened the entire plant, but was finally extinguished, with a loss of $10,000.

The holding of the southern states exposition in Chicago next fall was practically assured.

The monitor Monadnock was formally placed in commission at Mare Island navy yard in San Francisco. The construction of the Monadnock commenced 21 years ago.

The Maryland house of representatives passed a bill referring the whole matter of civil service reform to a vote of the people at the election in November.

James Fitzgerald was hanged at St. Louis for the murder of his sweetheart, Annie Naessens, on the night of November 24, 1893. When the trap sprung the rope broke, and a new rope had to be procured. Fitzgerald's father, mother and sister died of grief as the result of his conviction.

The 23d annual meeting of the American Paper Manufacturers' association was held in New York, reports showing trade to be in good condition.

Richard and John Steele, brothers and farmers, were killed at a crossing near Winchester, Ky., by a passenger train.

The bank at McLouth, Kan., was robbed by burglars of $3,500 in cash.

There were 280 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 21st, against 381 the week previous and 302 in the corresponding period of 1895.

The Delaware county children's home was burned at Delaware, O. No one was injured.

John Oliver and Andy Williams engaged in a quarrel at Ashburn, Mo., which resulted in each man being shot fatally.

Ducat & Grantham's livery barn at St. Joseph, Mo., was burned, and 60 horses, many of them valuable blooded animals, were cremated.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 21st aggregated $1,092,244,548, against $905,345,253 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 31.0.

The Correy-Waller and Depriz furniture manufactory at Shelbyville, Ind., failed for $100,000.

Robert Fitzsimmons won the heavyweight championship of the world from Peter Maher in one minute and 43 seconds in the state of Coahuilay Mexico, opposite the town of Langtry, Tex.

Daniel Ressler, prompted by jealousy, murdered his cousin, Ella Ressler, aged 18, at Cramer, Pa., and then committed suicide.

The entering wedge of a fatal complaint is often a slight cold, which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement. Therefore, it is advisable to have this prompt and sure remedy always at hand to meet an emergency. 1w

Ivan Kovalev was hanged at San Francisco for the murder of F. H. L. Webber and wife, an aged couple of Sacramento, December 30, 1894. Kovalev was a Russian exile.

Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth were forced to relinquish their command of the Salvation Army in America, and it was thought that this action would result in an organization exclusively for the United States. Mr. Booth and his wife had disappeared from their home in New York, and their whereabouts were unknown.

For the first time since September 7, 1895, the gold reserve passed the $100,000,000 point, the exact figures being $105,092,843.

Augus D. Gilbert was hanged in Boston for outraging and murdering Alice Sterling, a girl aged eight years, on April 10, 1895.

Christopher C. Waite, aged 53, president of the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railway, died in Columbus, O., of pneumonia, and a few hours later his mother, the widow of the late Chief-Justice Waite, died in Washington, aged 76 years.

Commander Ballington Booth, of the Salvation Army, announced to the members of his staff in New York that he had decided not to relinquish command of the army in the United States and that under no circumstances would he take orders from England. It was announced from London that Commissioner and Mrs. Booth-Tucker had been appointed successors to Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth.

Seven persons were asphyxiated, one was fatally hurt by jumping from a window and five others were more or less injured during a fire in the dwelling of James R. Armiger, a jeweler, at Baltimore.

Washington's birthday was very generally celebrated throughout the country.

Ex-Congressman M. D. Harter, of Philadelphia, shot and killed himself at Fostoria, O. Insomnia was said to have been the cause. He was a member of the Fifty-second and Fifty-third congresses from the Fourteenth Ohio district.

The skeletons of four human beings were discovered in an abandoned coal mine a mile east of Colliers, W. Va.

The oldest Baptist preacher in Kentucky, Rev. Henry Maher, of Powell's Valley, committed suicide. He would have been 100 years old in June.

Rev. William Bailey, a self-styled preacher, was tarred and feathered and driven from North Platte, Neb., by a vigilance committee on the charge of immoral conduct.

Peter Angle and wife, an aged couple living near Beverly, O., were burned to death by a fire that destroyed their home.

Henry Maul, a farmer residing near Millstadt, Ill., who had acquired an unenviable reputation as a wife beater, was terribly whipped by white caps.

The board of education of East Liverpool, O., was petitioned to restore the Bible reading in the schools, and two teachers declared they would read it anyhow.

James Sarrnn and Pearl Kimms were found dead near Keystone, W. Va., where a general fight occurred among 200 colored miners.

Judge Badger decided at Cleveland that receiving money in Ohio to be sent to a poolroom in Kentucky to pay racing bets was in violation of the laws of Ohio.

Rev. F. C. Eggleston, a colored minister, was elected a member of the board of school commissioners of Baltimore, being the first colored man to hold such a position in that city.

The funeral services of Theodore Runyon, late ambassador to Germany, were held in Newark, N. J.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 24th was: Wheat, 65,010,000 bushels; corn, 11,576,000 bushels; oats, 6,918,900 bushels; rye, 1,541,000 bushels; barley, 2,130,000 bushels.

An ordinance prohibiting the use of cigarettes, cigars or tobacco by persons under 18 years within the city limits of Lincoln, Neb., was passed by the council.

Ballington Booth was offered the leadership of an independent American Salvation Army by the brigadiers, adjutants and majors whom he had created in all parts of the country, but he declined, and he and his wife left the headquarters in New York for good.

Prominent citizens of Mitchell, S. D., purchased the office of the Mail, and then dumped the contents into the street and burned them. The paper had become obnoxious.

A lamp exploded in the house of Mrs. Frederick Rose at Canton, Md., and three of her children were fatally burned.

John Millen, a 16-year-old boy of Edinburg, Ind., shot and killed himself because of parental interference in a love affair.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

William Scott, of Delphos, O., celebrated his 100th birthday. He claims to be the only original Jackson democrat living.

Republicans of Indian territory will hold their convention to select delegates to St. Louis at Muskogee April 25. The democrats will select their national delegates at Vinita June 9.

Leander J. Critchfield, an attorney, 69 years of age, for 15 years reporter of the Ohio supreme court, died at Columbus.

The National Republican league will hold its annual convention at Milwaukee August 25 to 27, at which time the presidential campaign for the ticket will be officially opened.

Indiana democrats will meet at Indianapolis June 24 to select delegates to the national convention.

Judge John R. Grace, of the court of appeals, died of heart failure while sitting alone in his room at a hotel in Frankfort, Ky. He was 63 years old.

Detroit has been selected as the place and May 14 as the date for holding the Michigan state convention to choose delegates to the national convention at St. Louis.

Iowa democrats will meet at Dubuque May 20 to select delegates to the national convention, and at Ottumwa August 14 to nominate state officers.

George D. Robinson died at his home in Chicopee, Mass., aged 62 years. He was four times elected to congress and three times governor of Massachusetts.

Edgar W. (Bill) Nye, the noted humorist, died at his home 12 miles east of Asheville, N. C., of paralysis, aged 46 years.

The Union Republican club of Washington held a public meeting in Central Market hall in celebration of the 40th anniversary of the birth of the republican party.

George Davis, who was attorney-general for the confederate states during the war, died at Wilmington, N. C., aged 76 years.

It was announced that ex-President Harrison and Mrs. Mary Scott Lord Dimmick would be married in New York on Monday, April 6, by Rev. Dr. John Wesley Brown, of St. Thomas' Protestant Episcopal church.

Ex-States Senator Nichols, the author of the famous Nichols law, died at his home at St. Clairsville, O., of pneumonia.

Henry C. Bowen, editor and proprietor of the New York Independent, died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 82 years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, aged 100 years, died at her home in Galesville, Wis.

Jere S. Allen, one of the oldest newspaper men in New England, died at Newburyport, Mass., aged 88 years.

FOREIGN.

An explosion of dynamite at Vien dendorp, Transvaal, wrecked hundreds of houses, killed over 50 persons and injured 200, some fatally.

Papers in London were urging Lord Salisbury not to further delay the reply of Great Britain to the proposal to appoint a joint British and American Venezuelan commission.

A widow named Farnham, who lived at Wimblington, England, murdered her four children by cutting their throats, and then cut her own throat.

One hundred persons were killed, possibly 300 severely injured, many others more or less hurt, and thousands were rendered homeless by the dynamite explosion in Viedendrop, in the Transvaal.

John L. Waller, ex-counsul to Madagascar, was released from prison at Nimes, France.

A dispatch from Odessa says that during recent storms on the Black sea seven steamers and 18 sailing vessels foundered and 100 lives were lost.

The latest estimates place the number of deaths from the explosion of 20 tons of dynamite at Viedendorp, in the Transvaal, at 120, with about 400 persons more or less seriously injured.

Mrs. Nannie Field, wife of Marshall Field, the Chicago merchant, died at her villa in Nice, France, of peritonitis.

It was stated that Russia did not intend to annex Corea, but considered it a duty to guarantee its independence.

It was announced that Mrs. Florence Maybrick, of New York, who is in prison in England, serving a life sentence for poisoning her husband, was about to be liberated.

Advices from Constantinople say that rapine, outrage and murder continue to be the atrocious policy pursued by the sublime porte in Armenia.

It was reported that Great Britain had begun negotiations with France for the evacuation of Egypt.

Fifty deaths from yellow fever occurred on board the Italian cruiser Lombardia, in the harbor at Rio Janeiro.

LATER.

The total fire losses in the United States for the seven days ended on the 25th amounted to $2,615,000. Since January 1 the fire loss has reached $16,210,500, an average of $311,740 a day.

By the explosion of the main powder magazine at Kiangyin, China, 200 persons were killed and many wounded.

A. W. Patterson, a retired business man, shot his wife in the brain at Madison, Wis., and then lodged a bullet in his own skull. The cause of the deed was a mystery.

Reports from Constantinople say that fresh massacres had occurred at Malatia and seven other points of Armenia.

The Grace Street Baptist church at Richmond, Va., valued at $75,000, and the female seminary building, worth $50,000, were burned.

Fire destroyed the main building of the Kurtz & Buhrer Foundry company's plant in Chicago, the loss being $100,000.

James Reed shot himself and his wife at their home in Sheffield, Ill. Reed was dead and his wife could not recover. Family trouble was the cause.

The New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio railway was sold at Akron, O., to the Erie railway for $10,000,000.

The Michigan democratic state convention to select delegates to the national convention at Chicago will be held in Detroit on April 29.

Fire that broke out in the block occupied by the Binghamton Furnishing company at Binghamton, N. Y., caused a loss of $250,000.

M. F. Grisette, a desperado at Bristol, Fla., was killed, after shooting three men.

The north half of the draw span of the government bridge across the Mississippi at Davenport, Ia., collapsed, and all traffic between Rock Island and Davenport by rail or wagon was entirely suspended.

The Virginia Iron and Railway company at Lexington, Va., went into a receiver's hands with liabilities of $350,000.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Senator Morrill offered a resolution in the senate yesterday to take up the tariff bill, but it was defeated by a vote of 33 to 22. The Cuban question was taken up, and Senators Morgan, Lodge, Stewart and Call spoke in favor of recognizing Cuban belligerency. In the house the Indian appropriation bill was passed and resolutions were reported from the foreign affairs committee censuring Ambassador Bayard for portions of speeches he delivered in England.

SOUND OF THE SUNBEAM.

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One of the most wonderful discoveries in science that have been made within the last year or two is the fact that a beam of light produces sound. A beam of sunlight is thrown through a lens on a glass vessel that contains lampblack, colored silk or worsted or other substances, says a writer in Pearson's Weekly. A disk having slits or openings cut in it is made to revolve swiftly in this beam of light so as to cut it up, thus making alternate flashes of light and shadow.

On putting the ear to the glass vessel strange sounds are heard so long as the flashing beam is falling on the vessel. Recently a more wonderful discovery has been made. A beam of sunlight is caused to pass through a prism so as to produce what is called the solar spectrum, or rainbow. The disk is turned and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it.

Now place the ear to the vessel containing the silk, wool or other material. As the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it sounds will be given by different parts of the spectrum and there will be silence in other parts.

For instance, if the vessel contains red worsted and the green light flashes upon it loud sounds will be given. Only feeble sounds will be heard if the red and blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel and other colors make no sound at all. Green silk gives sounds best in red light.

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Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

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Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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EAST. No 25 Loc.	EAST. No. 23 Pass	EAST. No. 21 Pass	Central time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 8 Pass	WEST. No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan.....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 02	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 56
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 30
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 10
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 16	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 68
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	*4 21
12 5..	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	*3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 50
1 44	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	*3 30
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 20
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 40
P.M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, February 3rd, 1896.

Present, the entire council. Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Report of sexton for month of January presented, showing two adult interments and $10.00 interment fee collected. Ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: H. W. Stevens, feeding tramps, $.65; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for January, $217.02; J. A. Boyd, supplies and freight paid, $3.75; J. W. Wightman, justice fees, $3.00; C. A. Wright, supplies purchased, $66.06; A. James, insurance, $37.50. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Council then adjourned until Monday, Feb. 24th, 1896, at usual hour.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.,
Council Chamber, February 24th, 1896.

Adjourned session. Present, entire council excepting Trustee Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Finance committee reported that they had examined the annual report of the village treasurer and that they found same correct with balance in the treasury as follows: General fund, $2,009.55; cemetery fund, $259.06; water fund, overdrawn, $5.78. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Report of the clerk of the water board presented, showing

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	$895.69
Water rates collected during year,	919.41
Tap Fees collected,	186.00
Fines,	6.00
	$2,007.10

DISBURSEMENTS.

Coal, $128.91; freight, $275.56; engineer, $435.00; supplies, $492.24; new wells, $254.39; telephone rental, $30.00; expenses, $9.21; rental water works site, $5.00; Ross Valve Co., unpaid on contract, $77.50; lumber, $12.67; total disbursements, $2,066.41.

Whole number of taps 167, water takers 171. Amount of rates remaining unpaid: C. J. & M. Ry., $19.71; others, $14.25; total, $33.96.

Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Sexton's yearly report presented, showing 15 lots sold at $408.00; 59 adult interments, $232.00; 9 infant, $18.00; vault rent, $24.00; one lot sold and note taken, $40.00; paid on lots sold in previous year, $27.00; total $749.00. Whole number of residents of village buried 46, non-residents 21. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Yearly report of street commissioner presented, showing village team labor, 89 days 7½ hours; hired team labor, 70 days 3 hours, $175.75; hand labor, 263 days 6 hours, $433.66; total, $611.41. Poll tax collected, $85.88. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: C. J. & M. Ry., Co., freight on coal, $46.56; M. Gillan, painting, $1.00; H. W. Stevens, marshal, balance of salary, $125.00, feeding tramps, $.75; J. H. Shultz, supplies, $4.35; W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, salary, $125.00. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Moved that president and clerk prepare and publish annual financial statement of village. Supported. Carried.

Moved that board of election commissioners for annual village election be composed of the president, clerk and Trustee Wright. Supported. Carried.

Moved that board of registration consist of clerk, Trustees Heesen and Hall. Supported. Carried.

Moved that a certain piece of land, two by three rods in size, situate on block 8, lot 12, of Hoeg's addition to the village of Tecumseh, now owned by the said village and formerly used as a water tank lot, be sold to E. M. Lewis for the sum of $37.50 in cash, and that president and clerk be hereby instructed to execute proper conveyances therefor. Supported. Yeas:—Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Hall and Wright—4. Nays:—Trustee Satterthwaite—1. Declared passed.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Annual Statement of Finances of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich., for the year ending March 24th, 1896.

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand beginning of year,	$2,097.60
Village tax for 1895,	9,368.15
Poll tax,	102.88
License fees,	29.50
Liquor licenses,	1,237.50
Fines,	2.00
Miscellaneous sums,	20.08
A. W. Mills, contribution toward paving gutter on Chicago street,	41.88
Township of Tecumseh toward 1 bridge,	800.00
Total,	$13,699.59

DISBURSEMENTS.

ORDERS

2	Chase Nat. Bank, water bond $1,000.00, interest $1,750.00, commission, $8.80,	$2,758.80
12	Tecumseh Electric Co., electric lights,	2,091.62
1	New Columbus Bridge Co., steel bridge over Raisin River,	1,360.00
7	Lowry & Mitchell, building abutments for bridge,	1,887.20
1	D. L. Whitenack & Co., oil,	35.06
1	Gleason & Bailey Mfg. Co., collars for swinging harness,	24.00
1	Baker & Hall, paint,	2.80
1	Satterthwaite Bros., supplies,	30.84
1	H. Brewer & Co, supplies,	43.83
1	C. J. & M. Ry., freight,	42.99
1	Electric engineer, advertisement,	3.00
1	Telephone Co., rental,	7.50
1	I. B. Richart, repairs,	2.00
1	Thomas Elliott, blacksmithing,	44.75
1	James Elliott, "	26.65
1	Jas. Ingersoll, repairs,	.25
5	S. C. Stacy, printing,	34.46
8	C. F. Field, "	83.88
5	W. J. Ingersoll, clerk,	140.00
6	W. J. Ingersoll, supplies purchased,	23.43
2	H. W. Stevens, marshal,	150.00
3	H. W. Stevens,	7.65
5	S. W. Bordine, chief fire dep't,	75.00
18	A. Hyde, street commissioner,	454.00
13	L. L. Bates, nightwatch,	201.99
17	L. B. Thompson, teamster,	337.50
7	C. Patterson, lamp lighter,	102.06
2	Temple, McClure & Co., lumber,	62.39
2	Alfred James, insurance,	77.50
1	C. A. Slayton, cement,	20.90
1	Chas. Wilcox, special police,	2.00
1	Chas. Heck, "	2.00
1	Wm. Hayden, feed,	11.60
1	J. H. Shults, supplies,	15.95
2	J. A. Boyd, supplies,	4.51
1	E. N. Satterthwaite, expenses paid,	10.25
1	A. Richards, surveying,	6.00
1	C. D. Jones, testing electric lamps,	19.85
1	Dr. F. O. Tefft, health phys.,	16.00
1	J. H. Smith, expenses paid,	12.55
1	F. B. Rae, estimate for electric lighting plant,	79.30
1	Geo. W. Knapp, treasurer,	50.00
1	Henry Smith, election board,	2.00
1	D. T. Hall, " "	2.00
1	H. B. Root, " "	2.00
1	G. W. Frazer, " "	2.00
1	W. S. Morse, " "	2.00
1	J. D. Shull, board review,	6.00
1	J. A. Boyd, "	6.00
2	S. P. Hosmer, " and assessor,	49.30
1	J. W. Wightman, justice fees,	3.00

LABOR.

5	Wm. Mellon,	120.75
7	Chas. Dixon,	53.62
1	A. Harding,	2.00
2	E. Vandergrif,	3.13
2	Casper Hartman,	13.75
2	Wm. Fielder,	38.25
12	E. S. Langridge,	23.00
2	E. Park,	6.25
2	John McWilliam,	9.00
1	Robt. Owen,	3.25
5	E. Ames,	13.50
1	C. Avery,	1.63
1	Barkwell & Stickle,	1.75
1	Ed. Haines,	2.00
3	Wm. Doke,	1.88
1	John McCaughin,	5.00
1	Geo Mead, poll tax,	1.00
9	J. Linton, 5.00; Chas. Kemp, 1.00; J. Alexander, 1.00; R. Orr, 1.00; J. Schurtz, 1.05; W. Brown, 1.00; Brant Bangs, 1.00; Chas. Spicer, et al, 7.15; A. Brooks, 1.00,	19.13

CEMENT SIDEWALKS.

1	Thos. Mark,	12.35
1	H. S. Lee,	14.00
1	Mrs. A. M. Youngs,	30.59
1	H. W. Stevens,	19.42
1	J. Cheever,	29.89
2	A. W. Mills,	68.50
1	Miss J. A. Hough,	9.80
1	L. L. Bidwell,	40.65
1	C. E. Williamson,	13.21
1	Baptist church,	17.50
3	W. E. Calligan,	78.73

C. A. WRIGHT, PURCHASING AGENT.

1	Salary and services elect. bd.	27.00
1	May 8, supplies: 15,163 ft. oak lumber @ 20.00, 2,866 ft. " @ 17.00: load hay, 21.50; C. A. Waldron, V. S. 3.00; load straw, 3.00; scraper knives, 8.50; miscellaneous, 5.02,	393.51
1	June 17, load oats, 32.00; tile, 1.20; lumber, 30.74, painting, 27.00; paint etc, 22.32; sundries, 1.44,	114.76
1	Nov. 4, W. A. Bennett, 3.00; hay, 26.08; load oats, 25.25; load corn, 8.82; sundries, 6.10,	81.10
1	Feb. 3, hay, 9.60; straw, 10.50; C. A. Waldron, V. S., 2.00; J. S. Gilman, harness, 34.00; straw, 4.75; sundries, 5.21,	66.06
	Total,	$11,772.34
	Balance on hand,	$1,827.25

WATERWORKS FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	$895.69
Water rates collected during year,	919.41
Tap fees,	186.00
Fines,	6.00
	$2,007.10

DISBURSEMENTS.

ORDERS

2	Ohio Central Fuel Co., coal,	$44.20
3	H. W. Finch & Co., "	63.03
1	Columbus & Hocking Fuel Co., coal,	21.68
7	C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight,	222.30
1	C. J. & M. Ry. Co., rental,	5.00
4	L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co., freight,	10.27
1	Illinois Malleable Iron Co., supplies,	14.95
2	Sales Bros., supplies,	43.04
2	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., "	88.61
1	H. D. Edwards & Co., "	5.50
2	Crane Co., "	238.23
1	Satterthwaite Bros., hardware supplies,	41.64
1	Detroit Lead Pipe Co., supplies	37.22
1	L. S. Foundry Co., pipe,	71.35
1	R. D. Wood & Co., valves,	6.60
1	Shaw, Kendall & Co., well supplies,	33.04
1	Ross Valve Co., due on water works contract,	77.20
1	Thompson Meter Co., water meter,	16.60
1	Cook Well Co., supplies for w. w. well,	149.25
1	Temple, McClure & Co., lumber,	7.07
1	M. A. Zimmerman & Co.,	5.60
3	Mich. Telephone Co., rental,	22.50
2	E. N. Satterthwaite, expenses paid,	5.21
2	S. P. Hosmer, labor,	17.30
1	L. A. Brown "	12.50
1	W. Cassell, "	3.00
10	C. A. Hooten, engineer,	435.00
3	H. W. Conkling, labor,	107.66
14	A. Park, "	115.82
1	J. J. Manley, "	3.75
1	J. Hastings, "	8.00
1	Garlinghouse Bros,	4.00
1	T. Maynard, "	13.00
1	J. E. Lowry, "	1.20
1	E. F. Kirchgessner, "	1.00
	Total,	$1,952.92
	Balance on hand,	$54.18

CEMETERY FUND.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	$160.40
Lots sold,	398.50
Interment Fees,	210.00
Total,	$768.90

DISBURSEMENTS.

ORDERS

11	W. C. Jordan, sexton,	$158.52
1	Satterthwaite Bros., supplies,	34.57
1	C. A. Wright, paints,	16.95
	Total,	$209.84
	Balance,	$259.06

We, the undersigned, president and clerk respectively of the village of Tecumseh, Mich., do hereby certify that the above report is correct.

Dated Feb. 25th, 1896.

J. H. SMITH, President.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

PRODIGAL WITH HIS WEALTH.

Russian Spendthrift Who Squanders Millions Every Year.

Le Petit Sucrier has found a successor in St. Petersburg. He is Max II., his age is 22, his pocket money 2,000,000 rubles, and the source of his revenue is ancestral trade. The special form of extravagance which he has made popular among the golden youth who so speedily molt their golden plumage is the beggars' supper. It is a banquet of extremes, says the Pall Mall Gazette, a gathering of the fine flower of the demi-monde and the most ragged and ravenous beggars who can be picked up in the streets of St. Petersburg. He lately paid 1,000 rubles to a well-known gambling establishment for the exclusive use of their salons on one particular night. He then sallied out into the streets and returned with his beggars' opera. Then came tradesmen, bringing the richest dishes; musicians, waiters, singers, the bands of Comus and a jury of 12 fair frailties, who were to decide what reveler had been the wildest and wittiest in the evening's revel. The mendicants received gold and the ladies diamonds, and the Christmas tree was plundered of its pearl and ruby blossoms. The beggars and nymphs hailed Max II. as one of the wonders of the world, applauded with both hands and strewed palms on his returning path. Meanwhile, the family of this notable boyar are taking alarm and casting about vainly for a remedy. A gold cure has been found for the disease of drink, but who will give a cure for the disease of gold?

ABOUT SPONGES.

Facts Relating to Color, Size and Shape and How They Grow.

The color, size and shape of the sponges are as varied as their distribution; violets, reds, greens are frequent colors, due, perhaps, in some cases to mimicry, or protective resemblance. In shape and size, says Good Words, some are flattened, globular masses of small size, others are great tree-like growths, several feet round; others wide, deep cups, and others little lacework tubes of the finest spun glass. Some are tough and horny, and live in shallow, and, therefore, rough water, and need a strong skeletal framework; others are delicate and brittle, and only flourish in the quiet depths of the sea. The horny sponge, as the sponges of commerce are called, from their tough, horny skeleton, which we know so well flourish in the greatest abundance in water from 30 to 40 fathoms in depth.

The delicate silicious sponges, however, which would be utterly smashed to pieces in this rough water, are only found far below this. Along the coasts of Portugal and Brazil beautiful specimens were found by the Challenger, flourishing in great abundance at the depth of 1,00 fathoms, and from that down to 2,000 fathoms, or between two and three miles beneath the sea level, they were found lying upon or embedded in the soft mud which covers the bottom of the sea. The greatest number of sponges, however, grow in water from 500 to 1,000 fathoms in depth.

MODERN NAVAL GUNS.

Their Power Well Illustrated the Reaction of One of Them.

Some time ago the English government experimented with a 13-inch gun on a ship of the Royal Sovereign class. At the first firing of the gun the entire upper deck was lifted from its position and sprung along its entire center, so great was the shock. The United States battleship Indiana has been specially equipped to provide against any such disaster and her decks have been constructed in such a manner that naval experts agree that no such damage can befall her when the 13-inch guns send out their flaming message.

Naval experts are agreed, however, says the Philadelphia Times, that when she is in action and the four 13-inch guns are performing their deadly work the explosions will shatter every piece of woodwork and glass in every portion of the vessel. That is expected and prepared for, and for that reason the battleship Indiana is composed almost entirely of iron and steel. She has been aptly described as an enormous floating steel fort with a ship built around it for purposes of navigation. Fully one-half of her could be shot away and she would still float and retain her unequaled fighting power.

These facts and figures should bring us to a realization of what a serious thing war is in these modern times.

Slight But National Change.

A hotel in Switzerland bore on one of its walls the time-honored inscription: "Hospes, salve!" (Welcome, stranger!) After rebuilding, the above legend had to be restored, but the painter, who must have had some experience as a traveler, made a very slight alteration in one of the words, and the inscription now reads: "Hospes, solve!" (Pay, stranger!)

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt, 10c. jan

A SOCIETY ITEM.

An Object Lesson in the Ethics of Nomenclature.

It was at the Emerald ball, and the young society reporter sharpened her wits and her pencils, that full and satisfactory description of each costume might be presented. Surrounding her were those most desirous of seeing their names and gowns in print, and in the crowd stood a shop girl, gowned in flimsy pink cheesecloth of indescribable cut.

When her turn came for inspection, says the New York Times, it was with a hopeless eye that the reporter surveyed the toilet. The artful question, however, was asked as usual:

"And your name and gown?"

"Miss Matilda Jenkins, attired in pink crepon and diamonds," was the studied and prompt reply.

"Pink crepon," wrote the newspaper woman, delighted with the new and elegant name for cheesecloth, but her pencil refused to add "and diamonds" until her quick eyes had discovered on the girl's collar a tiny rhinestone as big as a pinhead. Then "and diamonds" went down in the notebook as proudly as if announcing tiaras and stomachers of purest luster.

The next day all the girls behind a notion counter exclaimed enviously over a well-worn newspaper clipping, which read: "Miss Matilda Jenkins, attired in pink crepon and diamonds," and when the society reporter glanced over the printed words she felt never a pang as to the accuracy of the information she had given to the public.

THEIR TURN TO RUN.

The Experience of Two Bear Hunters in the Mountains of Oregon.

A bear hunt which terminated in a manner at once disappointing and surprising, is described by the Portland Oregonian. It occurred in the mountains of Oregon, whither two gentlemen had betaken themselves for a vacation trip.

Several days were spent in trout fishing. Then one of the men expressed a strong desire for a day's shooting for larger game. They set out the next morning bright and early, and after hours of fruitless tramping were about returning to camp, when suddenly they saw straight before them a brown bear sitting on his haunches, under a blueberry bush, and gorging himself with the berries.

Both hunters fired, and the bear, with an ugly growl, disappeared. The men hastened after him, but were unable to overtake him. For half an hour or more they followed the trail. Then all at once they came to a clearing. In the clearing was a cabin, and on the porch of the cabin sat the brown bear with one of his forelegs in a sling!

The hunters were greatly taken aback, as may well be supposed, but were still more surprised when they saw a man hastening toward them with a gun. They turned and ran, the man after them. They got away in safety, and learned afterward that the bear was a family pet, the owner of which was naturally angry at finding it ill-treated."

A LAND WITHOUT ANIMALS.

Strangers in Japan Are Forcibly Struck with This Lack.

Japan is a land without the domestic animals. It is this lack which strikes the stranger so forcibly in looking upon Japanese landscapes. There are no cows—the Japanese neither drink milk nor eat meat. There are but few horses, and these are imported mainly for the use of the foreigners. The fruit cars in the city streets are pulled and pushed by coolies, and the pleasure carriages are drawn by men. There are but few dogs, and these are neither used for watch dogs, beasts of burden nor in hunting, except by foreigners.

There are no sheep in Japan, and wool is not used in clothing, silk and cotton being the staples. There are no pigs—pork is an unknown article of diet, and lard is not used in cooking. There are no goats or mules or donkeys. Wild animals there are, however, and, in particular, bears of enormous size. One of these, seen stuffed in a museum, is described as "big as an ox." Beside another stuffed museum bear is preserved in alcohol the mangled body of a child the bear had eaten just before being killed.

War, of course, is acquainting the Japanese with the use of animals. The army has cavalry horses and others to drag the field guns. The empress, also, in obvious imitation of European royalties, is an expert horsewoman, and saddle horses are kept for her use.

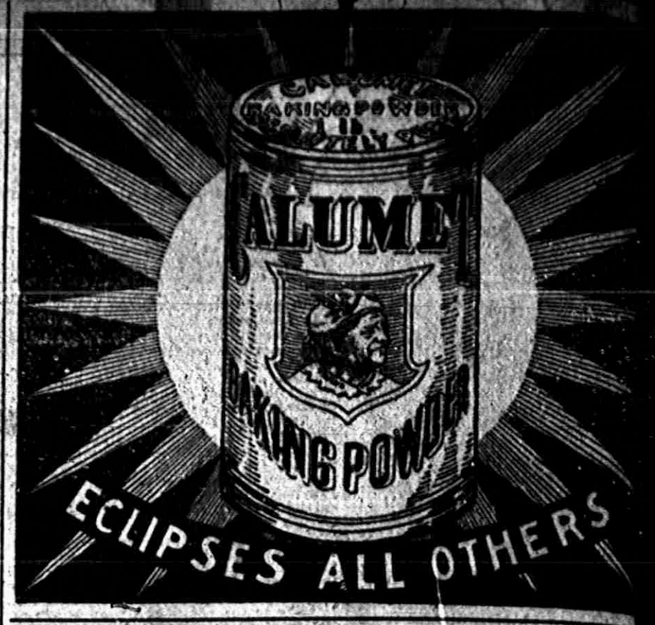
IN THE FAR WEST.

How Freighters Kept the Whisky's Weight and Quality Unimpaired.

A man at one of the hotels the other night told an interesting story of how the freighters of the far west used to supply themselves with whisky, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. He said that some years ago when all freight was hauled in wagons, he happened to make a trip of several hundred miles with a train of wagons carrying merchandise to remote stations. Nearly every wagon contained one or more barrels of whisky.

"The first night out I noticed," said he, "great activity around the whisky barrels. The wagons each had a hatchet and a gimlet. They would knock up a hoop, bore a hole, draw all the whisky they wanted, then put about as much fine gravel in the barrel as they had drawn out whisky, drive a plug in the hole and put the hoop back in place.

"I learned afterward that the barrels were weighed and the whisky tested before it was turned over to the freighters, and that when it arrived at its destination it was again weighed and tested. The gravel supplied the weight and bulk and the quantity remained the same, and this is why it was used instead of water to supply the place of what had been taken out."



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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	12	14
Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 75	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	9 to 9	10
Turkeys	10 12	
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat—		70
Corn, shelled		30 to 33
Corn in ear	17 to	2
Oats	20	to 23
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		10 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		85
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		90

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Feb. 24.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 25	@	4 70
Sheep	3 00	@	4 25
Hogs	4 50	@	4 90
FLOUR—City Patents	4 35	@	4 55
Fancy	2 70	@	2 90
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	72⅝	@	72⅝
May	71½	@	72¼
CORN—No. 2	37½	@	37⅝
May	36⅝	@	36⅝
OATS—Western	24½	@	29
PORK—Mess	10 25	@	10 75
LARD—Renered	5 70	@	5 75
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	22
EGGS	12	@	12⅛
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 40
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	3 85
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 65
Texas Steers	3 00	@	3 85
HOGS—Light	3 80	@	4 15
Rough Packing	3 70	@	3 90
SHEEP	2 50	@	3 75
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	21
Dairy	8	@	17
EGGS—Fresh	11	@	11⅛
POTATOES (per bu)	15	@	22
PORK—Mess	9 75	@	9 80
LARD—Steam	5 87½	@	5 90
FLOUR—Spring	2 60	@	3 25
Winter	3 10	@	3 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May	65¾	@	66⅛
Corn, No. 2	28¾	@	29
Oats, No. 2	20	@	20¼
Rye, No. 2	38½	@	38¾
Barley, Good to Fancy	31	@	38
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Sp'g	63½	@	63⅝
Corn, No. 3	27	@	27½
Oats, No. 2 White	21	@	21⅝
Rye, No. 1	39½	@	39½
Barley, No. 2	32¾	@	32¾
PORK—Mess	9 80	@	9 85
LARD	5 40	@	5 45
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	74½	@	74⅝
Corn, No. 2 White	29	@	29½
Oats, No. 2 White	23	@	23½
Rye, No. 2	41	@	41⅝
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 70	@	4 10
Texas	2 60	@	2 70
HOGS	3 50	@	4 10
SHEEP	2 75	@	3 40
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 20	@	4 00
Cows	1 50	@	3 25
Feeders	2 75	@	3 70
HOGS	3 70	@	3 85
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 35

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF R[EAL] ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lena[wee,] ss.

In the matter of the estate of William P. [Em]mons deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance [and] by virtue of an order granted to the undersi[gned] as administrator of the estate of said deceas[ed] by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of P[robate] in and for said county, on the 17th [day] of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at p[ublic] vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwe[lling] house on the hereinafter described land in [the] township of Macon, in said county, on Thur[sday] the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'cl[ock] the afternoon of said day, (subject to all [en]cumbrances by mortgage or otherwise exi[sting] at the time of the death of said deceased [or] at the time of this sale) all the right, title, a[nd] terest of said William P. Emons, deceas[ed] and to the following described lands and [pre]ises: All that certain piece or parcel of [land] situate and being in the township of M[acon] Lenawee county, Michigan, described as fo[llows] Being on the east half of the northwest qu[arter] of section number thirty-four (34), town [five] south of range five (5) east, bounded as fo[llows] Commencing at the quarter section line, [and] running west along said section line [one] (86) rods, thence south along land own[ed by] William B. Swick eighty-eight and 88-100 [rods] thence east along William B. Swick's [line] thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the qu[arter] section line eighty-eight and 88-100 rods to [the] of beginning; containing twenty acres of [land] more or less.

Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BE[MIS]
Administrator of the Estate of Wil[liam P.] Emons, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lena[wee,] ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for [the] County of Lenawee, holden at the probate [office] in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the [24th] day of February, in the year one thousand [eight] hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Pro[bate.]

In the matter of the Estate of George W. [Kin]deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly [veri]fied of Margaretta M. Smith, widow of said [de]ceased, praying that administration of [said] estate may be granted to Cynthia A. Hou[ghton] some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 16th [day] of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoo[n] be assigned for the hearing of said petition [and] that the heirs at law of said deceased [and] all other persons interested in said estate [are] are required to appear at a session of said [Court] court, then to be holden at the Probate Office [in] in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if [any] there be, why the prayer of said petitioner [should] should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner [give] give notice to the persons interested in said [estate] estate, of the pendency of said petition and [the] hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order [to] to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a [newspaper] newspaper printed and circulating in said [County] County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks [previous] previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

The Seventh of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

A Visit to Baldwin Home—A Midnight Visit to Haleakala, the "House of the Sun."

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At last horses were brought for our party to cross over to the Baldwin Home. Then came a momentary hitch in the arrangement caused by Miss Kate Field, who was unaccustomed to the Hawaiian style of riding. But she had to yield to the inevitable. She was determined to see the Baldwin Home; it was too far to walk, and there was not a side-saddle on the entire island; so, by the kindness of Miss Reynolds, she was soon attired in divided skirts, and by the combined efforts of Senator Waterhouse and myself safely mounted on a sad-eyed, dapple gray horse, into whose good graces she soon began to ingratiate herself by patting his neck and appealing to his honor not to go faster than a walk.

The Baldwin Home for boys, which is under Catholic management, contains a score of houses, play room, school rooms, hospitals, and living houses, all neatly and cleanly furnished. Here we met Brother Joseph Dutton, as he is known, a man who for fifteen years has devoted his life to the care of the lepers. He is a plain, unassuming Christian man, who, in his brave, humble way, is more nearly following in the footsteps of his Master than any other person it has been my lot to meet. To one visiting his plain little room, devoid of even the smallest luxury, uncarpeted and unpainted, and realizing that he is constantly in greater danger than if facing cannon, it seems as tho' he were in the presence of a superior being.

He took us to the different apartments of the lepers, all clean, neat, whitewashed, plain and comfortable. All the while he was explaining to us that such a ward was where the cases were not so bad, the next was where they were lower and weaker, here the unfortunate beings were able to crawl out on the porch, and sit and gaze on the sea, sky, and earth once more.

"Here is where they are brought when in the last stages," he explained, as we entered a house which, despite its cleanliness and bare whitewashed walls, gave forth a sickening odor. "These poor people won't last long."

Four or five fingerless and toeless wretches whose horribly disfigured features made them frightful to behold, were on the front porch.

"These," said Brother Joseph, "are still able to come out." Then as we entered the hospital he added: "These can not live long. Those three are dying, this one is almost gone." Pointing to a vacant cot he added: "One died last night; we just took him out and will bury him tomorrow. That poor fellow is nearly dead."

I went over to the dying leper. He still breathed, tho' unconscious. He lay on his side with his head over the side of his cot. His hand and feet were gone, his eyes were out, his ears and nose gone, and in fact he was only a horribly mutilated trunk with little resemblance to a human being. Sickened at the sight and deathly odor of leprosy, I staggered to the door and was soon again in fresh air.

We called at the house where Sisters Cassentia and Vinsentia lived, those holy, angelic women who are devoting their lives to caring for the lepers. They wash and dress their sores, make their beds, wash their clothing, and keep them neat and clean. Tho' they have lived among them for years, they have been wonderfully preserved.

Too much praise cannot be given the Hawaiian government for its care of these unfortunate people. The eleven hundred twenty lepers on Molokai cost the government nearly ten thousand dollars per month. By this lavish expenditure of money and with the aid of the Catholic missionaries, the lives of these poor people are as pleasant and easy as it is possible to make them.

From Honolulu to Maui is but a short voyage. The little inter-island steamship, Claudine, belonging to the Wilder Steamship Company, left Honolulu on Tuesday, December 3, 1895, carrying myself among other passengers, and at six o'clock the next day dropped anchor in the harbor of Kakului.

The first glance of Kakului is by no means inspiring. A collection of low houses along a beach washed by the surf, a railway train, consisting of one passenger and one flat car, in waiting, and a dozen or more Chinese huts were all that was visible. There was not a sign of a hotel or place where a weary traveler might rest. A French lady, Madam Waldfogel, who lived in Pala, her husband, a Swiss, being a merchant there, went ashore in the same boat with me.

"You are a stranger here?" she asked.

"Yes, madam. Can you tell me if I can find a hotel in Kakului?"

"No. There is none."

"No restaurant?"

A Chinaman keeps a miserable restaurant there, but don't go to his place. I live in Pala. You had better come with me."

I thanked her very kindly, and at once accepted her very welcome invitation. Our boat load consisted of this lady, myself, one native woman and child, two white men from Honolulu, and a dozen or more Kanakas.

"Are you going up to Haleakala?" asked one of the young gentlemen from Honolulu.

I answered that I was.

"We are going up today and would be glad to have your company."

As it made but little difference to me when I went up to the great extinct volcano, I consented to make the trip at once. My friend, Mr. J. S. Colville, at Pala, would send for me, and provide me with a guide and horses for the ascent.

We landed, and while I was placing my valise and umbrella on the flat car Madam Waldfogel went into the station and telephoned to her husband that she was coming home with a stranger to breakfast.

After a ride of six or seven miles, passing through Spreckiesville, we reached Pala. The kind and hospitable Swiss gentleman, Waldfogel, met us at the depot in Pala, and seemed as pleased to meet me as if I had been on old acquaintance. He insisted on carrying my baggage to his store, telephoned my arrival to Mr. Colville, the manager of the Pala plantation, and urged me to go to the house and have breakfast with himself and wife.

The Chinese servants had prepared an excellent breakfast, which we had nearly finished when I was told that my friend Mr. Colville had arrived and waited at the gate. He had come over from the plantation on horseback, with a Japanese boy and a horse and brake to convey me and my luggage to his house. He asked if I wanted to make the ascent that day, and being informed I did, said I had better stop at the office and arrange an hour for starting with the young men from Honolulu, whose names were Harry and Ed. Benner.

We met at the planter's office and arranged to start as soon after twelve as possible. The Honolulu gentlemen were to procure horses at the home of Mr. Baldwin and meet us at a place about five miles along the road.

Before starting Mr. Colville showed me about the plantation, and explained the system of irrigation. I saw hundreds of busy Japs and Chinamen at work in his fields. The system by which the water is taken up and down hill and every stalk of cane supplied, requires very skillful engineering. Mr. Colville was for three years manager of both the Pala and Haiku plantations. Under his skillful supervision the Pala plantation has been made the second best paying plantation on the islands.

As we were to start at twelve sharp, a lunch was made ready at half past eleven, and Mrs. Colville prepared some sandwiches and cakes for myself and guide while on the mountain. This guide was a young Portugese named Manuel Davera, a faithful and capable fellow.

We mounted our steeds and galloped down a long, broad road, as smooth and hard as a turnpike. On either side were vast cane fields with men, women, and children at work in them.

The place at which we were to meet the Benners from Honolulu was a cross roads store kept by a Chinaman. Here we tied our horses and went to the porch where I perched myself, to wait, on a dry goods box, meanwhile watching a Chinaman tailor manipulate a sewing machine.

Presently a white man came to the store from the telephone and said that the Benners were detained, and for us to wait for them. I sat on my goods box, kicked my heels against it, the Chinese tailor made his machine hum, and Manuel, who sat on the step with an anxious, despairing look, rolled a cigaret and smoked in silence. A herd of horses were driven along the dusty thoroughfare, which was followed a few moments later by a herd of cattle. A horseman was discovered galloping around a bend in the road. I started up hoping it was one of the Benners, and expected the other to come out of the lane in a moment, but the rider proved to be a school miss riding a la Hawaiian in divided skirts. Manuel sighed, said we would be late, rolled another cigaret, and watched the road impatiently.

At the elevation we now were the wind was blowing an autumn gale, and the leaves rustled somewhat as they do in New England in September.

Time passed. School was out and the children had gone home, when a carriage, drawn by a span of black horses, came from the lane and drove up to the store. My Honolulu friends were in the rear seat, and I hastened to greet them. They apologized for the delay they had occasioned, and as soon as possible we were on our way galloping along a road which grew steeper at every step.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Farmers and Townsmen Garrison the Armory in Force.

Husbandry, Political Economy and Sociology Reviewed.

The farmer is the salt of the earth, and especially of that part known in the geography as the United States, and if this country, as seems to be the case, is loosing a few grains of its salt, the place to look for the leak is in the condition of our agricultural class. The farmers themselves realize this, which fact was evidenced by the character of the proceedings of the institute held here last Friday. There was a time when the topics and discussions of a gathering of this kind would have been confined to the consideration of purely agricultural questions. The nucleus of thought would have been that famous and symbolic vegetable, the pumpkin, and the dissertations would have been bounded on one side by cut worms and on the other by the worm of a rail fence. But things have changed and the worm has turned. Our farmers have come to a realization of the fact that they are the only ones to look after their own interests, and as a class are taking a much more lively interest in public and political affairs than was true of them in former times. Every tiller of the soil has well grounded opinions of his own in regard to finance, taxation, and matters of public policy. Hence the meeting of last Friday was given up largely to papers which treated of the various subjects of public policy and their relation to the farmer, and resembled as much the doings of a club organized for the purpose of discussing the phases of political economy as one for the propogation of modern theories of agriculture. In fact, it might be said that the various clubs of this vicinity which united for this institute are well organized societies whose meetings furnish a practical school for the study of every subject in which their members are interested. They are becoming the primaries of political thought and discussion among the agricultural population. They are to the rural districts what the reform clubs and independent political organizations are to our great cities, and their promoters and members are to be congratulated on the opportunities which they offer in this direction.

The program was carried out as announced in last week's Herald. The discussions which followed the papers on finance brought out considerable interesting debate on this absorbing topic, in which Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, and L. D. Watkins, of Manchester, participated. We print below a brief synopsis of the proceedings, furnished by Misses Leva Gillespie and Winnie Richard:

MORNING SESSION.

The Northern Lenawee Farmers' Institute met at the Armory in accordance with previous notice. The meeting was called to order by the president, A. Richard, and opened with prayer by Rev. C. M. Brown. A quartette of young girls favored the audience with some excellent music, after which a cordial welcome was extended to the Institute by the village president, J. H. Smith. He spoke of the various organizations of the farmers throughout the country, and said that he was glad that Tecumseh was favored by an Institute composed of the various clubs of this vicinity. He thought the farmers and their families fully competent to conduct a gathering of this kind, and that the discussion of the prevailing topics of the day must result in a great amount of good. He spoke of the intimate relation between the farmer and the merchant, and thought that the taxpayers should discuss questions relating to political economy, and the general weal of the Republic.

In the happy response given by President Richard, he spoke of the great benefits derived from such organizations. The farmers meet to discuss the great questions of interest to our country at large. He spoke of the institute as a gathering of friends and acquaintances, and said that the interests of the country and the village could not be separated—they had grown up together. The farmers recognized the village as the center of the farming interests and each felt an interest in the welfare of the other.

Dr. Waldron read an instructive paper on the topic "Tuberculosis." He explained the various stages of the disease as well as the many means by which it is transmitted and increased. The fact that the stock-raiser and the consumer are both interested in the prevention of the spread of this scourge made the paper very interesting and practical. He recommended the test by inoculation with the Koch Lymph rather than the physical test. He spoke of the present state law in regard to the prevention of the disease as being unwieldy and expensive. Many questions were asked, which were promptly and satisfactorily answered.

Next followed a declamation by Herbert Munger, entitled "The Sermon and the Sawmen."

The paper read by Miss Bertha Taylor, entitled "Whittier," was a very fine production. Her ideas of Whittier were well expressed and in a very interesting and impressive manner.

Mr. Laing's paper on "Fruit Culture" showed study and investigation of the methods of raising both large and small fruits, also a thorough knowledge of fruits to be raised.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

When the time arrived for the opening of the afternoon session the hall was filled to overflowing.

Mr. Baxter, in his "Reminiscences of Farm Life," combined wit and wisdom in a manner highly pleasing to the audience.

The paper, "Looking Forward," by L. C. Chase, of Raisin, and "The Present System of Finance" by Geo. S. Rawson, of Clinton, presented both sides of the finance question, in which people at the present time are so much interested. The former advocated Bimetalism and Free Coinage of silver, and the latter the Gold Standard. A spirited discussion followed. Between the reading of these papers Mrs. Will Waldron sang a pleasing solo. Following the discussion a song by Charles B. Hurry, entitled "Hayseeds in His Hair," seemed to serve as an intimation that some day the "hayseeds" will be heard on the finance question.

O. B. Finch portrayed in vivid colors "The Trials and Tribulations of Farm Life." He enumerated the many things with which the farmer has to contend.

Mrs. A. VanValkenburg presented the "Bright Side of Farm Life." Her paper cleared away many of the dark clouds, and gave a more cheerful view of farm life, by enumerating the good and noble things connected with it.

A very fine recitation by Bertha Van Valkenburg closed the exercises for the afternoon.

EVENING SESSION.

Carl Wisner's oration contained many things worthy of notice, especially his showing in regard to that august body called the U. S. Senate.

Hon. J. D. Shull held the audience spell bound with his paper. He treated the great financial question of the day in an able manner. He dealt in facts rather than theories and drew conclusions that can not be questioned.

The paper read by Miss Fern DePuy, entitled "Present Day Tendencies," was excellent and ought to be published in full. Justice can not be done to it in a few brief notes.

Miss Lovina Schreder's recitation, "Pat's Lone Letter," was genuine fun, and sandwiched in well with the more solid productions before and after.

Miss Clara Waldron in her paper advocated a reform in literature, and especially urged upon patents and teachers the importance of providing good books and papers for the children.

The single tax idea found an earnest advocate in Don Bowen. He claimed that the adoption of that system would do away with all the wrongs that existed in any community and make everybody in this broad land of ours prosperous and happy.

The singing and acting of the Unique Quartet made lots of fun.

The Franklin Orchestra, Rev. Andrus, Sam McClure and others added much to the enjoyment of the day by fine selections of instrumental music.

The institute was a success and everyone went away satisfied with the day off in Tecumseh.

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A Modern Mother

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Theodore Durrant, the San Francisco (Cal.) murderer, has been granted a respite of twenty days to prepare a bill of exceptions.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal. Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2635 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

Clinton Column.

Two Good Tickets Nominated—Wet or Dry?—A Large Grist of Personal Mention.

George DePuy visited Tecumseh Monday.

Fred B. Greenleaf was in town over Sunday.

Wm. Gray, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Frank Bice left for Portland last Friday morning.

Lloyd Conklyn has moved back on his farm west of town.

Miss Fern DePuy is visiting, a few days this week, at Joe Spaulding's.

Miss Lydia Eckardt, of Nashville, Mich., is visiting at John Martiny's

Mrs. Andrew Wood, who has been on the sick list for a few days, is better.

Burt Garlinghouse and B. C. Ellis, of Tecumseh, were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. H. R. Hause returned Monday from a week's visit with her parents in Britton.

A very pleasant pedro party was held at the home of Frank Johnson Wednesday night.

The Platte sisters went to Detroit Tuesday to get the new styles in spring millinery.

Miss Josephene Rogers, of Monroeville, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leman Bailey

Mrs. Frank Purdy, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Chas Lewis the latter part of last week.

Rev. P. J. Ternis, of Marine City, called on some of his old parishioners here the first of the week.

Ed. Larzelere, of Leoni, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Corwin, the greater part of last week.

Mrs. Josie Cook entertained a small company of young ladies quite delightfully last Monday evening.

B. H. Carter, of the dry-goods firm of Carter & Co., of Cheboygan, was in town Wednesday, prospecting.

Miss Cora Witheral returned last Friday from Grass Lake, where she has been visiting for the past six weeks.

Will Sutfin, Ot Gillen and Otis Kishpaugh severed their connection with the Clinton plow works last Monday.

Mrs. Jas Halladay went to Albion last Friday for a few days' visit with her daughter, who is attending college.

H. D. Niblack and wife returned last Friday from a two days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, in Brooklyn.

Ben Way moved his family and household goods, the first of the week, to Ellington, Tuscola Co., where he has purchased a farm.

Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Fowler, of Ann Arbor, made a short call in Clinton last Saturday, while on their way to Tecumseh to visit his parents.

Last Sunday Rev. L. H. Warner, pastor of the Congregational church, tendered his resignation, which is to take effect about the middle of May.

Miss Franc Baker, who has had so much experience as a foreign missionary, will speak at the Methodist church next Sunday on the missionary question.

A special meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., No. 85, has been called for Tuesday evening, March 10. A good attendance is desired as there is to be work.

Ernest Rhodes, of Saline, visited his uncle, H. D. Niblack, the first of the week. Mr. Rhodes is a railway postal clerk, running on the Lake Shore between Cleveland and Chicago.

J. L. Kishpaugh went to Britton the first of the week where, we understand, he has bought out the buggy and implement business of L. C. Hoagland. He will engage in a general business of handling implements, seeds, grain, etc.

Mr. Hutchins, who has preached here several times and who has been engaged by the Baptist society to fill their pastorate after completing his course at Kalamazoo College next June, will occupy their pulpit next Sabbath.

Mrs. Sara A. Morgan, widow of John Morgan, of Macon, died last week Tuesday, February 25, at the advanced age of 83 years. The funeral was held last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Crittenden, with whom the deceased had lived for many years.

Last Monday two caucuses were held for the purpose of putting in the field two tickets for the consideration of our municipal voters at the village election next Monday. The first was held at 2 p. m., and put in nomination the following, known as the Corporation ticket:

President—W. C. Rogers.
Trustees—Bert Tate, D. Woodward and C. F. Clark.
Clerk—G. R. Gillespie.
Treasurer—Chas. W. Nase.
Assessor—Addie St. John.

The second was held in the evening and resulted in the Law and Order ticket as follows:

President—W. S. Kimball.
Trustees—J. O. Fitzgerald, H. D. Niblack and Wm. Waterhouse.
Clerk—C. D. Cutting.
Treasurer—John Machen.
Assessor—John Hause.

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ONSTED.

Candidates for Village Election Ripening—New Church Talked Of.

Regular O. E. S. meeting tonight.

La grippe is quite prevalent just now.

Rev. Robert Wooden's health is quite poor at present.

Covenant services were held last Saturday at the F. W. church.

'Tis about caucus time and a goodly crop of spring candidates are now ripening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Randelph, of Addison, were Onsted visitors a few days ago

The members of the O. E. S. sprung a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Marsh the other evening.

Arthur Barrows and wife, of Hillsdale Co., were callers among relatives in this vicinity recently.

An increase of trade has caused Chas. Jessup to rent larger rooms in the Freer block for his harness business.

'Tis rumored that the Lima Northern Railroad is pointed this way, and of course Onsted is its objective point.

Geo. Shuler has sold his store building, now occupied by W. E. Muck, to that gentleman and C. E. Desermie.

An eighth grade examination took place here last Saturday, and ten pupils were present from this and neighboring schools.

The news of the sudden death of Joseph Wooden was received with sorrow here, as he spent his boyhood days in this vicinity.

F. Lewis disposed of his personal effects by auction last Friday afternoon and, as soon as he rents his farm, will move into town where he will work for the Page fence company.

The readers of the Adrian Press are getting that tired feeling by reading that silly stuff that appears quite often in that paper, headed "Victorsville," etc. Better put in some spring poetry or leave that space blank.

The no-creed believers are trying to raise money for the purpose of erecting here in the spring a People's or Unity church building and sheds, where people of all denominations can attend church, the building to be free to all. A worthy project, help it along.

PENTECOST.

Amateur Theatricals—Maple Syrup Weather—Various Doings.

March has certainly come in like a lion. We only hope it will carry out the program and go out as the Frenchman said, "like von leetle sheep."

The Pentecost Dramatic Club gave their drama, "Broken Fetters," at Springville last Saturday night to a good house, in spite of the bad roads.

Hon. G. B. Horton, who was to lecture at the hall last Friday night on subjects pertaining to the Grange, was unable to be here, owing to sickness in his family.

These frosty nights and sunny days are good maple sugar weather, but the farmer ruefully remarks that "its heaving out wheat and clover like the very d—ickens."

Arthur Daniels has closed his winter term of the "deestrict skule" and is at home for awhile. He has taught for a year in the same district and is very well liked, indeed.

Mrs. Harrison Warner, of Rome township, who has been in attendance upon her parents for the last few weeks, was attacked with pneumonia about a week ago and now lies dangerously sick at the home of her father, the late John M. Bixby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooley and Will Warner came up from Toledo to attend the funeral of their grandfather, John M. Bixby. Mrs. Cooley will remain to assist in caring for her grandmother, who still lives, although no hopes are entertained of her recovery.

FRANKLIN.

A Family Reunion by Way of Surprise—Real Estate Transfer.

The lyceum will meet at Seth Simmons', Saturday, March 14.

George Taylor came home from Ypsilanti Friday for a brief stay

Miss Fern DePuy attended the lyceum at Wm. Witherell's Saturday night.

Mrs. Mary Woods, of Hillsdale, is visiting her father, Mr. Rodman Taylor, and other relatives.

We hear that Messrs. Charles Evans and Lewis have bought the Carl Roberts' farm, Mr. Evans taking the half on which the buildings are situated and Mr. Lewis the remainder.

There was a family reunion at Mr. L. E. Taylor's Saturday, the event being also to celebrate Mr. Taylor's birthday; this part of the program being carefully concealed from Mr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Coldwater, and Mrs. Larzelere, of Clinton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Marshall last week Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler started home Friday, having driven out.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

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WON BY WHISTLING.

Hartley, or rather his wife, had been giving a musical "At Home," and a performance of sifflеurs had proved the hit of the evening's entertainment.

An hour or so later, the "crowd" having dispersed, Birdy Jackson, Hartley and I were idly discussing the events of the affair in the smoking-room. Jackson and I were stopping over night with our host, being old chums of his, and living some distance out of town.

"No idea you could give us such a ripping performance, Birdy," remarked Hartley; "and when your wife joined in I was perfectly astounded."

Jackson laughed softly.

"No, she doesn't do it at all badly," he admitted. "You know, Dick, there's a bit of romance attached to that whistle of hers; in fact, it was the means of bringing our matrimonial desires to an abrupt point at an extremely critical period in our courtship."

Hartley gave me a gentle kick.

"Then your union had a spice of romance about it?" he said.

"Rather! Unique in the annals of love-making, I should say. But folks are so confounded incredulous nowadays, I've never attempted to tell the yarn but once, and then I swore I'd never do it again."

But he had to on this occasion, and soon began to interest us as follows:

"First of all, you must know, Mr. King"—addressing me—"I'm called Birdy on account of having practiced from earliest infancy a cheap form of musical recreation. Though cuffed as a boy, severely reprimanded for warbling in slack business hours and soundly execrated by the neighbors, I nevertheless persevered.

"A year this last summer I came in for a sum of money, which rendered me a practically wealthy and independent man, and to celebrate my good fortune I threw up my business berth and went into Yorkshire to spend a few weeks with a professional bachelor friend and to idle generally.

"While there I was introduced to a Col. Alton and his daughter Evelyn, aged 22, who lived at the Chase, and were intimate friends of my chum. Nice girl she was; plenty of 'go' without being the least 'fast.' In less than a fortnight I was over head and ears in love with her. The subsequent afternoons at the Chase were too hot for tennis." Col. Alton spent them snoozing in his study. Evelyn's elderly companion and her father's housekeeper—for Mrs. Alton had been dead some years—nodded in the shade of her favorite elm, and my friend had invariably to leave for an important case before the tea came out. Very nice of him, I thought.

"Thus thrown together Evelyn and I monopolized the arbor, and I used to amuse her by trilling selections from the operas, (comic and serious), and she would occasionally join in as a kind of fillip to my performances. Though a woman in every respect, she could whistle. In most of the well-known tunes up to date or pathetically aged, she excelled, owing to the fact that during the winter months for some years past she had always officiated at the piano for the village popular concerts, when the vocal and instrumental items were naturally of an amusing and light order—at times scarcely high-class, perhaps.

"Then came the time when the colonel had to be approached. The old man gave me a prompt and curt refusal. He had other views for his child. I tried remonstrance, then dogged persistency, but with no avail. Evelyn stood out like a brick. This burst of independence resulted in her immediate banishment to regions unknown to me, under the surveillance of a relative of mature age and experience, and all communication between us strenuously denied and forestalled. All chances of elopement, even, were reduced to nil.

"A few days later I left my friend's for Bournemouth, there to recruit my shattered health and think things over quietly. I was crushed for the time being. As I alighted from my cab at the entrance to the North Cliff, where I had taken rooms, an elderly lady came down the steps. Her face seemed somewhat familiar to me, though I could not at the time recall to mind when and where I had seen it before. When she started as she saw me, and somewhat hurriedly reentered the hotel, I was further mystified. A thought struck me as I was signing my name in the hotel register of visitors some time later. Two pages back I found an entry: 'Miss Alton and Miss E. Alton.' I tumbled to it in a second, then. The elderly lady I had encountered was, undoubtedly, Col. Alton's sister, who had been staying at the Chase and left two days after my arrival in the village, and before I knew anything of Evelyn I had once passed her walking with the colonel, and she must have recognized me again.

"I remarked on the entry to the clerk in a casual way, and he volunteered the information that Miss Alton had, but a few moments previously, given notice of her intention to vacate their apartments the next morning. This staggered me. Then Miss Alton certainly did not know all, and decided on flight as the only safe remedy under the circumstances.

"Not a glimpse could I catch of Evelyn. After dinner, from a search on the pier I returned to the North Cliff, and sat disconsolately smoking out on the balcony of my room in the growing dusk. Almost unconsciously I lapsed into melody, and appropriately commenced to warble softly: 'Alice, Where Art Thou?' A slight movement on the balcony above mine, and one window to the left, caused me to glance up. A figure in white met my gaze, with one of its hands, as if demanding silence, pointing warningly to the window behind her. Yes, it was Evelyn, but her attendant dragon of an aunt was evidently close at hand. Verbal communication, as well as writing, was out of the question. It was already too dark for the deaf and dumb manipulation, even provided [illegible] knew its working

An idea suddenly flashed upon me. Why not try? No sooner thought of than done. Softly I whispered the last lines of 'Whisper and I Shall Hear' refrain. A slight shake of the head, and then a rendering of 'Good-by, Sweetheart, 'Good-by,' floated down. Then they were really going away.

"'Evelyn, I don't think it's quite proper for you to be standing there,' came a voice from within, and which, by straining my ears, I could just overhear. My heart beat wildly, and the girl turned to address her aunt without leaving the balcony.

"'It's almost dark now, and I can't stay cooped up all the evening—our last one, too. What does papa want us back in such a hurry for?'

"'Because he wishes it, my dear; that's all the reason I can give you. You really must help me to finish the packing in a few minutes.'

Then her aunt had revealed nothing, and believed her yet to be in ignorance of my presence at the hotel. Lucky, but the case was a desperate one. Evelyn returned to her former position and leaned over again.

"'Where Are You Going To, My Pretty Maid?' I began. There was a momentary pause, and then the answer came in a line of 'Home, Sweet Home.'

"'I do wish you would drop that vulgar habit of whistling,' again came the voice inside the window.

"'But, auntie, there's no piano to ring to,' was the somewhat lame excuse. 'I must do something, and I can't possibly shock anyone up here.'

Then there was silence once more.

'Back to Yorkshire again—No chance there. Anyway, she still cared for me, and I must put her affections to a severe test. It was our only chance of securing happiness.

"'Oh, Naunie, Wilt Thou Gang Wi' Me?' I piped.

"'Where Are You Going To?' was again utilized in reply.

"I was stumped for the minute, but a bar or two of 'Big Ben,' a favorite song of mine, came as a hazardous rescue. She understood, bless her! but a lengthy pause intervened before her answer. Love and duty had a hard struggle. Then: 'No, Sir; No, Sir; No, Sir; No!' was repeated four times in succession. She refused, then! But why so emphatically? What a silly idiot I was! The fourth time the girl in the song said 'No' she meant 'Yes.' I breathed again.

'But about our departure. The morning York train via Bath left at 9:45. The earliest Waterloo was 7.45, and we should be easily tracked and our intentions frustrated in consequence, if we left at such a time. I consulted my watch. It was 9:15. The night train up left at 10:20. Oh, Why Should We Wait Till To-morrow?' went up without delay. 'All's Well' from above soon settled that question satisfactorily, but was followed immediately by a few bars of 'Bradshaw's Guide' ditty. I knew what she wanted, so, after a slight hesitation, I warbled: 'Come Into the Garden, Maud,' and chirped ten times. 'Hope on, dear loved one, we shall meet again, from 'Dream Faces,' proved that I was clearly understood, and then she turned to address Miss Alton in louder tones than before.

"I declare you're nearly asleep, auntie. I'm tired, and have a headache, too. We've a long journey before us, so I think I'll go to my room now. Don't disturb, there's a dear; the packing won't take long in the morning. You'd better do the same.'

"'A good idea, Evy; so we will,' she answered.

"I crept back, and a minute or two later 'Good nights' were exchanged; and the subsequent slam of a door notified that Evelyn had left for her apartments.

"By 9:45 I had settled up and left instructions that my heavy baggage, fortunately not unpacked, would be called or sent for in the course of a week or less, dangling an old telegram form in my hand as I did so, to give color to my hasty departure. At ten prompt I picked up Evelyn under the pines in the hotel gardens, and, with a dressing bag and a small Gladstone between us, walked it to the station and eventually reached London safely, early in the morning. I put her in one hotel, where I knew she would be safe, with strict injunctions not to venture out till I had fixed everything up for the ceremony, and went myself to another. The long and short of it was that before we were anything like tracked the deed had been done by special license and the colonel defeated for once in his life.

"Come round, did he? Yes, when he afterward discovered that the man intended for his daughter had already been engaged for two years, and got married shortly after we did! Even I could have told the old fellow that, had he been more communicative and explicit in the first instance, for my rival turned out to be none other than the friend I was visiting. He actually admits now he couldn't have wished her a better match, but, anyhow, he—"

And Birdy broke off into "Can't Change It."

He rose quietly from his seat and gently opened the smoking-room door.

"Listen," he said; "if you can't quite swallow the yarn, you will not fail to take this in."

Then he went through "Oh, Come, My Lady Fair," from the "Gaiety Girl" song. Scarcely had he concluded than away from another quarter of the house came the answering chorus of "I'm coming," from the negro melody, "Poor Old Joe." Half a minute later in strolled Mrs. Jackson and Hartley's wife.

Birdy winked knowingly at us.

"I've just been telling them how you were practically wooed, and won by whistling, my dear," he remarked to his wife, "and they want another tune before we turn in."

Evelyn blushed. "No, sir," etc., she warbled three times.

Then Jackson took up his candle and marched upstairs with the strains of the national anthem on his lips.—Tit-Bits.

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A Preacher.

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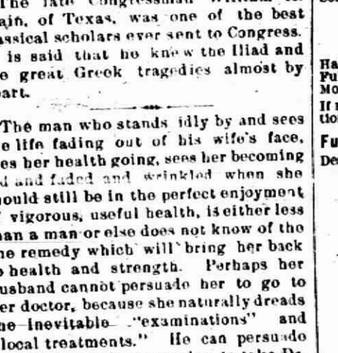

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...r Printing Office — "Deestrick ...ule" a Success, $40 Realized.

...r roads are rough, hubby and rutty.

...e Indian medicine men will be here ...e week.

...S. Westerman, of Adrian, was in ... Thursday.

...B. Lunardson and Will Osgood ... in Detroit Wednesday.

...s Ida Pilbeam is the guest of Mrs. ...W. Smith for a few weeks.

...s. Collins, of Blissfield, is visiting ...on, M. B. Collins, this week.

...s. Howard Hause, of Clinton, is ...ing her parents in the village.

...es Anna Hogan, of Adrian, visited ...ds in town during the past week.

...arch came in like a lion and we shall ...ery glad to see it go out like Mary's ...

...ss Lou Jolly, of Tecumseh, is ...ding a few days with Mrs. Frank ...n.

...O. Maynard, the Wabash car in...ctor, is suffering from an attack of ...ippe.

...r. Fred Morrell's team ran away ...nesday morning. No serious dam... done.

...iss Bessie Barrett, of Ridgeway, ...t last Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. ...DuBois.

...iss Maude Lee, who has been visit...friends at Clinton for a few days, ...rned home Saturday.

...Mrs. H. Allen and daughter, Jennie, ...Ridgeway, were guests of W. E. Al...and family Saturday.

...iss Hattie Ball, of Dundee, was the ...st of Miss Bertha Britton, Friday ...Saturday of last week.

...iss Florence Beasley, of Tecumseh, ...e home to spend last Sunday with ...parents in the village.

...r. and Mrs. Chester Linn, Mr. and ... Andruss and Miss Plues visited at ...dee last week Thursday.

...orge Devore, who has been work...for Peter June, returned to his ...in Elmira, N. Y., Tuesday.

...s. M. Hiscock, of Ridgeway, was ...uest of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. ..., from Saturday until Monday.

...are informed that Joe Hunter's ... room in the Dakin block has been ...ed to a Mr. Bragg for a butcher ...

..."The Midnight Charge," a military ...a, will be presented by home talent ...t two weeks after the medicine men ...

...ree more old pioneers have gone ...e majority this week, John Chee..., Mrs. Thomas Lupton and Mrs. ...olds.

...number of mustaches that were ...ced in order to make forty-year-...tle boys for the "Deestrick Skule" ...ething marvelous.

...Marvin and sons, mother and ...rs of Mrs. Collins, came over ...Azalia to take in the entertain... Saturday evening.

...C. Kishpaugh, of Clinton, who has ...ased the buggy stock of L. C. ...land, will resume the business at ...d stand. We wish him success.

...new grain buying firm is now on ... carpet—Lowe & Brown. These ...omen will be glad to see all who ...grain to dispose of.

...Lewis was in town Saturday and ...ts the lumber business moving ...g nicely. His mill is now working ...piece of timber near Tecumseh.

...epper and McMillan made their ...weekly shipment of live stock ... Thursday. Nearly four hundred ... of cattle, sheep and hogs com...d the shipment.

...r village was shocked on Tuesday ...ning by the sudden death of Mrs. ...olds, wife of Uncle Henry, as he is ...iliarly known. He has the sympa... of the whole village.

...m Stewart died at his residence in ... township, Washtenaw Co., Sun...evening, March 1. Tom was born ...ntrim Co., Ireland, and was 75 ... old, having lived in America 40 ...

...rry Steele and May Divins started ...e day last week to get married. ...ing at the depot too late for the ... and not having the price of a ...rig, they were compelled to post...the happy event until a more flush ...ion.

...crowd that greeted the "Dees...Skule" was a surprise to every... The Opera House was literally ..., and at the very low price of ad...n, there was $40 in the till at the ...of the ticket sales. A repetition ...future is among the possibilities.

...wspaper and job printing office ...ot the latest acquisitions of our ...ising village. Chas. Goodrich, ...dee, was in town yesterday com...his arrangements and will be... resident of Britton within a ...w days, and we bespeak for him ...ty welcome.

...ay that the two hours' entertain... given under the name of the ...trick Skule" was a very enjoyable ... putting it very mild indeed. ...body was pleased, and the con... applause, as one incident after ...r brought up old memories of ...days, was an evidence of enjoy... of the large audience. The truant, ...irley, the dunce, the stutterer, ...d that cries, as well as the one ...laughs, were all in attendance. ...chool songs were sung and ...st day" exercises indulged in. ...use was full and, had the roads ...ook it would have been impossi... to accommodate all. There were so ...who were prevented from attend... the condition of the roads, that ...kule" may hold another session.

Mrs. Will Clark and Miss Ella Exelby have both lost the power of speech, as a result of the prevailing epidemic

All persons having books belonging to the library are requested to return the same to the library on or before the 18th prox., as it is desired to re-catalogue and make suitable arrangements for the proper handling of them in the future. Persons living out of town and having books in their possession, please leave them at the postoffice or with W. J. Clark, librarian.

Its a cruel advantage for an older brother to take of a younger, just because he bears a strong family resemblance, to go home with a younger brother's girl and absorb all the sweet little confidences. Girls who are availing themselves of the benefits of leap year should select their escorts, where it is light enough to avoid mistakes. We can't afford to take such chances.

We believe that our village is on the eve of a boom. Straws indicate the direction of the wind. The hard times have been felt here, but indications are that the worst is over and that we are entering upon an era of prosperity. Within a few days the rooms on the east side of the railroad will all be occupied. The site for a drug store is still open, and a good drug store is one of our needs.

OBITUARY.

The deceased, Thomas Stewart, was born in Antrim Co., Ireland, and emigrated to this country in 1852. In early youth he united with the Presbyterian church, and died at his home in York, Mich., March 2, 1896, aged 75 years. He was an early pioneer of the wilds of Michigan, in which state he has resided most of his life. He leaves one sister and a brother to mourn his departure with other relatives and friends. The funeral was properly conducted from DeSpelder Macon church, March 3, by Rev. Jas. Wright.

John Cheever was born in Champion township, Jefferson Co., N. Y., Jan. 9, 1826. His death occurred at his late home in Britton, Mich., Feb. 29, 1896, after more than three years of a gradual wasting away of the system from that dreadful disease, consumption, aged 70 years, one month and 20 days. He came with his parents to Ridgeway in the fall of 1837 and has resided in the town ever since, excepting one year in Macon township. Only two brothers survive of that family. In 1850 he made a public profession of his faith in Christ and united with the First Christian church of Ridgeway (now Britton), retaining his faith until death. March 8, 1851, he married Catherine Coryell, and to them were born twelve children, eight sons and four daughters. The mother and three sons and three daughters are left to mourn a companion and father. For many years John Cheever held the office of trustee in the church of his membership, and was one of the building committee when the new church was erected one-half mile east of Britton and which was removed later to Britton. By his own arrangement, his funeral was conducted at his late home in Britton, by an ex-pastor, Rev. Jas. Wright, assisted by Rev. C. I. Deyo, present pastor. Peace be to his resting dust.

MACON.

Isaac Hendershot Sustains Severe Injuries — Marriage of Society People—Death of an Aged Citizen.

Mrs. Lewis Camburn went north last Wednesday to visit her sister.

Mrs. Remington and Miss Loraine Remington have moved back to Tecumseh.

Is it not to be hoped that cornstalks have reached the high water mark at 6c a bundle?

Ransom Remington has sold his goods and stock and rented his farm, preparatory to leaving for the west.

The Epworth League will hold an "eye" social at the home of Mrs. J. B. Coller, Friday evening, Mar. 13. Supper 10c.

Died, Wednesday, Feb. 26, Mrs. Sara Morgan, one of the oldest residents of our place. For years Mrs. Morgan has been a great sufferer, and now it can be truly said that the sufferer is at rest.

In spite of terrible roads there was a good attendance at the W. C. T. U. meeting at the home of Mrs. Kate Mills. Over thirty pounds of carpet rags were contributed and sewed, and it was decided to hire the carpet woven.

Isaac Hendershot was severely if not fatally injured last Tuesday morning. Mr. Hendershot was drawing a load of wood and the team ran away, throwing him under the wheels. When found he was unconscious, and both head and body were badly injured.

Married, February 26, Mr. Wm. Richmond, of Clinton, and Miss Anna Pennington, of Macon. A wedding and a surprise party combined are a rarity, but this was one of such instances. A number of the bride's relatives decided that they would enjoy the good time and accordingly got up a surprise party to attend the wedding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. T. Allen, of Detroit.

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The Editor.

M. L. Knowles, editor Mich. Horse News, writes: "My colt had catarrhal fever worse than distemper, a bad cough, lame, and we could not show him at Grand Rapids State Fair, and had treated him by veterinarians for weeks. In one week after I began to use Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure for him he was permanently cured and could show a 2:20 gait with ease. I regard it as a wonderful remedy, and hear more horsemen speak in praise of it than any preparation I have ever heard of." Sold only by C. A. Wright, druggist. w

RIDGEWAY.

Mrs. Law, State Lecturer W. C. T. U., Coming—Quarterly Meeting.

The roads are becoming more passable.

The raw north winds are hard on wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs went to Saline Wednesday to visit relatives.

Hon. B. L. Baxter, of Tecumseh, was in the village Saturday afternoon.

We regret to learn of the severe sickness of Alexander Wilson, in Ralsin.

R. S. Housman and W. R. Wilson were at Adrian Saturday on business.

G. C. Arner and James Wright, of Addison, were down for a call Tuesday.

Rev. J. A. DeSpelder, of Macon, visited at the home of Chas. Foote last Friday.

Miss Carrie Holden, of Osseo, visited relatives in this village the first of the week.

Chas. Swick, of Milan, called on his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Linn, Tuesday.

Quite a number from here attended the "Deestrict Skule" at Britton Saturday night.

Remember the concert to be given by the singing class will be given the last of the month.

Mrs. Fred Chase, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Pocklington.

Miss Jennie Allen went to Toledo Wednesday for a few days' visit with her brother and his family.

R. S. Houseman, agent for the Page Wire Fence Co., of Adrian, left for Clinton county, in the interest of that company, on Tuesday.

Ernie Cheever, who has been spending some time in Detroit with her mother, Mrs. Lewis Preast, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Fenner Palmer.

W. L. Jones, who has been under the doctor's care for the past week from the effects of being hit in the small of the back with a snowball, is able to be out again.

Second quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held Sunday morning. Love feast at 9:30; preaching at 10:30, followed by communion service. Presiding Elder Davice will have charge of the service.

The funeral services of Mrs. Thomas Lupton, widow of the late Rev. Thomas Lupton, who died at her daughter's, Mrs. Henry Coats', near Britton, Saturday morning, were held at the church here Monday afternoon, Rev. Cansfield officiating.

Bear in mind the dates for the lectures to be given by Mrs. N. E. Law, of Detroit, state lecturer for the W. C. T. U., are Sunday evening, the 15th inst., and Monday evening, the 16th. Those who have listened to Mrs. Law in her grand work of temperance reform speak of her in the highest terms.

HOLLOWAY.

Choctaw Indians—A New Millinery Store.

The mud has frozen up once more.

Ed Sisson was in town Wednesday.

Ed Dawson is shipping wheat from our depot.

Mr. A. Richard, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Ida Spencer was calling on friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Brown went to the Maple City Tuesday.

Manson Osgood, of Tecumseh, is calling on friends here.

Miss Nettie Simmons, of Saline, is here visiting the Wests and Coffins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brown and master Seymour were in town Wednesday.

The Misses Brown were surprised Thursday night by a party of young friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Service, of Sand Creek, visited Mr. L. C. Winship and family Saturday.

Rothfuss & Co. are moving into their new store, and will soon be ready to receive the public. They have a first class general store.

The Misses Palmer and Thompson, formerly of Manchester, are settled here and will do first class dress making and millinery work.

The Choctaw Indian Medicine Co., with headquarters at Fort Wayne, Ind., will be at Holloway Hall till March 14. Free entertainments nightly.

We know of but one community in the world where dyspepsia is practically unknown, and that is the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, N. Y. These good people have been studying the subject of digestion for more than a hundred years, and that they understand it pretty thoroughly, is evidenced in the foregoing fact. Their Digestive Cordial is the safest and best remedy in cases of indigestion that we know of. A trial bottle can be had through your druggist for the trifling sum of 10 cents.

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Heisner & Co., shirt manufacturers, of New York, have been robbed of $2,000 worth of goods by burglars, two of whom now under arrest proved to be boys.

When the scalp is atrophied, or shinybald, no preparation will restore the hair; in all other cases, Hall's Hair Renewer will start a growth. 1w

CONE.

Election of Officers in Aid Society—Farms Rented.

Mrs. Jacob Dennison is visiting friends in Brittow this week.

Norman Lashey, of Toledo, was in town Friday and Saturday.

Job Rendel returned home from the insane asylum at Pontiac last Thursday.

Bliss Hand, of Onsted, spent several days last week with his cousin, Fred Ellis.

Mrs. George Birge, of Britton, visited her sister, Mrs. Jacob Dennison, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Grace Barr, of Dundee, closed a successful term of school in the Caswell district last Friday.

Mr. Page, of Tecumseh, has rented John Libstaff's farm and moved his family there last week.

Master Clare Camburn, of Macon, played some very fine selections on his cornet at the Aid Society last Wednesday.

Edward Doucher and daughter Mabel, of Sarnia, Canada, spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Michael St. George, whom he had not seen in seventeen years.

The following officers were elected at the Aid Society last Wednesday.
Pres.—Margaret Caswell.
Vice Pres.—Almeda Buck.
Sec.—Bertha Jourden.
Asst. Sec.—Tina Ellis.
Treas.—Loraine Vandeventer.

G. W. Auten and son-in-law, John Libstaff, have rented a dairy farm near Toledo and moved their families to their new home last week. Mr. Auten has been a resident here for nearly twenty-five years and will be greatly missed by his neighbors.

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Angus D. Gilbert, convicted of the murder of Alice Sterling, at Boston, Mass., has been adjudged sane by official experts, and will probably be hanged.

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An Indian doctor at Hoonah, Alaska, was killed by one of his tribe whom he had accused of witchcraft, and the doctor's friends have retaliated by killing the murderer.

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It is announced that the Key Monument Association, of Baltimore, has now enough money to lay the foundation and the corner-stone of the monument to the author of the "Star Spangled Banner."

Effie Baker, a sixteen-year-old school girl, of Chicago, Ill., eloped with a youth of nineteen, but repented in an hour and sued for divorce.

"For Charity Suffereth Long."

Mrs. Laura C. Phoenix, Milwaukee, Wis.

"Matron of a Benevolent Home and knowing the good Dr. Miles' Nervine has done me, my wish to help others, overcomes my dislike for the publicity, this letter may give me. In Nov. and Dec., 1893, ***The inmates had the "LaGrippe,"*** and I was one of the first. Resuming duty too soon, with the care of so many sick, I did not regain my health, and in a month ***I became so debilitated and nervous*** from sleeplessness and the drafts made on my vitality, that it was a question if I could go on. A dear friend advised me to try ***Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.*** I took 2 bottles and am happy to say, I am in better health than ever. I still continue ***its occasional use, as a nerve food,*** as my work is very trying. A letter addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., will reach me." June 6, 1894. MRS. LAURA C. PHOENIX.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28, '96.

Senator Allen, of Neb., did a very unusual thing when he presented the ultimatum of the populist Senators to the republicans on the tariff bill. He said that if the republicans would agree to vote for an amendment to the bill providing for the free coinage of silver the populist Senators would furnish the votes needed to put the amended bill through the Senate. Of course Senator Allen knew that his proposal would not be accepted, and he probably made it only for the purpose of taunting the republicans who were already in a bad humor because of the refusal of free silver republicans to support the tariff bill.

Senator Carter's explanation of why he and four other silver republicans refused to vote for the House tariff bill was far more satisfactory to the populist and silver Senators on both sides of the chamber than it was to the other Senators. He was especially bitter in what he said of President Cleveland and what he called his republican supporters in the Senate.

The talk on Cuban affairs in Congress has brought a powerful Spanish lobby to Washington, for the purpose of trying either to head off any action or to make the action taken meaningless so far as it will commit this government in favor of the Cubans. Spain is said to be hard up, but it seems to have money enough to hire an army of spies scattered throughout the United States to watch everybody suspected of strongly sympathizing with the Cubans, and to maintain a lobby in Washington which is spending money freely to influence the opinion of Congressmen. The friends of Cuba, in Congress, are expressing the opinion that members of the administration are much more zealous in placing U. S. officials under the orders of the Spanish minister, to capture alleged filibustering parties bound for Cuba, than is actually necessary to strictly maintain the neutrality laws.

"He laughs best who laughs last," is ancient, but it is none the less applicable to the present situation in the Senate. The republicans have been doing considerable laughing at the democrats because of the financial differences between the Cleveland wing and the silver wing of the party, but the democrats had their laugh when the open split between the gold republicans and the silver republicans took place on the floor of the Senate this week, showing that it was but another instance of "the pot calling the kettle black" for either of the old parties to laugh at the other on account of financial differences. However, it was nuts for some of the democrats to hear Senator Morrill, apparently following the advice lately given by Secretary Carlisle, by trying to read the silver men out of the republican party, and Senator Teller replying, that although the silver men could get along without the party better than the party could get along without them, they did not intend to allow themselves to be read out because they declined to change their financial views to accord with those held by the Cleveland democracy and the Morrill republicanism of the country. He said the silver men would stay in the republican party until they got ready to get out.

The A. P. A. won a decided victory this week when the House amended the Indian appropriation bill by providing that none of the money therein appropriated should go to Catholic Indian schools. It is a question whether the Senate will strike out that amendment.

The Senate has already shown, by confirming the nomination of Gen. Coppinger, that a large majority of its members are opposed to the A. P. A., but sudden changes are not unknown in that body.

The limited chances that a bill favorable to the building of the Nicaragua canal with government assistance, either direct or by guarantee of the canal company's bonds, had to get through Congress at this session have been materially lessened by a determined crusade against the canal under any conditions, on the ground that it would, if constructed, be more of a menance to the peace of the United States than a benefit commercially. The friends of the canal still express confidence that a favorable bill will pass the House and the Senate, but that is just what they are here to say. This new crusade may or may not have any more substantial backing than the desire of the owner of the New York Herald to get notoriety for his paper, but it will all the same influence nine men out of every ten who were in doubt to declare against the canal. To that extent the crusade will be a factor in the situation.

Ambassador Bayard may as well brace himself to receive that House resolution of censure, for having spoken slightingly of Americans and American affairs, as he will get it very soon. The resolution has been reported to the House, and it is going to be adopted, sure pop.

SERIOUS AND SIMPLE SUBJECTS.

Snap Shots of the Shrievalty Secured With the Scissors.

There are very favorable prospects for an electric car line between Ann Arbor and Detroit. This will be a great advantage to the University city in giving them a competitor of the Michigan Central.

The Hon. Ben Butterworth was secured by the Laws of the University to give their annual oration on Washington's birthday. Mr. Butterworth gave excellent satisfaction and the boys were well pleased.

Rev. E. W. White, chaplain of the First Inf., M. N. G., has accepted an invitation to deliver the memorial day address at Adrian. Chaplain White lives in Milwaukee at present, but attends most punctually to his duties to the First, and is known and beloved by nearly every man in the regiment.

Monroe Democrat: The new Ypsilanti postmaster will renovate the postoffice from end to end. The endorsements of republican flies will be removed, the walls painted and decorated, Harrison's picture removed, together with the "snipes" and "old soldiers" of the last presidential campaign, and the Bogardus kicker sprung on the defiler who dares to plug the goddess of liberty in the eye with a tobacco quid.

Adrian Press: The editor of the Addison Courier, who is a jeweler also, has a blacksmith's anvil, vise and outfit, also rims for a wood turning lathe, and since he has purchased new tools for repairing watches, he will sell the whole outfit. Might get something for 'em at the Telegram or Times office. Considerable blacksmithing done on those papers. They have vices enough however, without purchasing any from brother Kempton.

A new telephone company has been organized in Ann Arbor with some of our prominent business men as promoters. It is proposed to put in telephones at less than half the price now being paid the Bell Company, or $24 for business phones and $15 for residences. The scheme is certainly a good one as far as our citizens are concerned. There are hundreds of people who would put in telephones and have the convenient luxury in their own homes, if they could do it at a rate within their means.—Ann Arbor Courier.

The Press comments as follows on municipal proceedings in the junction village: "Addison's charter election is called for March 9 in Smith's Swarehouse, which is the councilroom designated for that date. The city dads take the councilroom with them, wherever they meet, sometimes using a harness shop, then a printing office, then the skating rink, and judging from the clerk's records, they occasionally use the back end of the grocery, and President Bowen declared a motion carried. Yea, High, Low, Pedro, 7. Nay, Jack, Game, 2.

Adrian Times: The Indianapolis Journal says: Ohio papers have much to say about what an effective competitor of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton the Brice lines will be with the completion of the Lima Northern. The amusing feature of this is that the Lima Northern was offered to the Woodford syndicate, owning the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, on the most reasonable terms, but the syndicate showed no disposition to purchase. If it was likely to be such a formidable competitor the C., H. & D. people would doubtless have secured it.

Monroe Democrat: Uncle Joe Bennett, of Adrian, whose days "Are from everlasting unto everlasting," whirled a short corner the other day, struck a stone and was pitched against the curbing. No damage to the curbing, but Uncle Joe's forehead looks as though he had just returned from Langtry, Mexico. Uncle Joe never lost his balance but once before. That was when he was U. S. marshal. The time, years ago; scene, several rods along the Monroe & Adrian branch where the official plowed up the earth and landed in a frog pond. He had leaned too far out from the platform and lost his hold. The hand car came along as Uncle Joe crawled to the surface and spluttered to the foreman to throw him a life preserver. "O look at 'im! look at 'im!" exclaimed that worthy, "Howly Moses but it's the divil!" "No," said Uncle Joe, "it's a revenue officer in distress."

"Well, it's all the same thing; stick the crow-bars in 'im men." But the oroide silver plated voice of the officer prevailed, and Uncle Joe lived to become president of the Adrian Benevolent Association and also of the Lenawee County Savings Bank.

Another application for the pardon of John Y. McKane, the Gravesend, N. Y., ex-boss, has been filed with Gov. Morton.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, March 2nd, 1896.

Regular session. Present, entire council except Trustee Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of sexton for month of February presented, showing nine adult interments and $36.00 interment fees collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported and referred to the finance committee: C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, supplies, 12,000 feet oak lumber, at $16.00 per M., $180.00; manure and street lamp sold, $8.40; sundries, 3.70; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for month of February, $216.67; F. O. Tefft, health officer, $16.20; John Hastings, labor, $1.00; Satterthwaite Bros., water works supplies, $24.21; village, $21.96; Thacker Coal Co., coal, $19.60; H. Brewer & Co., supplies, $18.10. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the same.

Council then adjourned until March 12th, at 7 o'clock p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Registration Notice.

To the electors of the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village above named, will be held at the Council Building, in said village, on Saturday March 7th, A. D. 1896, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated, this 27th day of February, A. D 1896.

By order of the Village Board of Registration.
W. J. INGERSOLL,
Clerk of said Village.

Notice of Village Election.

Notice is hereby given that the annual Village Election of the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, State of Michigan, will be held at the Council Building in said village, on Monday, March 9th, A. D 1896, at which time the following officers are to be elected, viz:—one President, one Clerk, one Treasurer, three Trustees, 2 years, one Assessor.

The Polls of said Election will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m., and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

By order of the Village Board of Election Inspectors.
W. J. INGERSOLL.
Clerk of said Village.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D 1896

$200.00 IN GOLD GIVEN.

For Selling a Book of Great Interest and Popularity. "Story of Turkey and Armenia" with a Full and Graphic Account of the Massacres.

R. H. Woodward Company, Baltimore, Md., are offering $200 to anyone selling 200 copies of their new book, "Story of Turkey and Armenia." This is a book of great interest and popularity. Many agents sell 15 copies a day. A graphic and thrilling account is given of the massacres of the Armenians which have aroused the civilized world. Agents are offered the most liberal terms and premiums. Freight paid and credit given. Write them immediately.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal panacea for coughs, colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations.

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery. Try this ideal cough remedy now. Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

Taught by the Same Master.

A professor was waiting for a train at a railway station, and, having nothing better to take up his mind, began chaffing a half-witted fellow who did odd jobs about the place. "I say, Jamy," said the professor, in a tone intended to reach the ears of the bystanders, "were you ever at college?" "No, sir," answered Jamy, "but I've been at school." "Indeed," said the witty professor. "And who had the honor to be your schoolmaster?" "Maister Black." "Why," said the wit, "he was my schoolmaster, too!" "Do tell me!" exclaimed Jamy. "Man, who'd 'a' thought old Black could have turned out two like us?"

Pingree on Trusts.

Petoskey, Feb. 29.—Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, spoke at the Petoskey Normal academy Friday evening on the subject of direct and indirect taxation. As an example of indirect taxation stress was laid principally on excessive charges by railroads. Mayor Pingree prefaced his address on taxation with some remarks on education, in which he gave some novel suggestions for the training of teachers.

Samuel Edison's Funeral.

Port Huron, March 1.—The remains of Samuel Edison, father of Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, reached here Saturday, accompanied by the deceased's son and other relatives. The church in which the funeral services were held was crowded with friends of Mr. Edison, who had resided here for many years.

Favors Detroit Bridge Bill.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 29.—The senate committee on commerce has authorized a favorable report on the Detroit bridge bill.

KEPT AHEAD OF THE BULLETS.

Astounding Swiftness of Foot Shown by a Georgia Razor-Back.

Col. Taylor Jenkins, who lives a few miles north of Blakely, is known throughout that section as one of the most truthful men in it. At least, so says the Early County Times. Recently, while Mr. Jenkins was out hunting, his dogs began barking at something in a large hollow log. It was a wild hog. He took the hog home and dropped it in his cornfield. It is there now. A few weeks ago Mr. Jenkins went out to kill it, thinking he could easily do to with his unerring rifle. He searched about till he "jumped" it. Down a corn row it went like lightning. He leveled his rifle and "cut down" on it, but never touched a hair. He "jumped" it again and shot again, but no hog. Again and again he "jumped" it and shot at it, with the same result. He began to wonder what could be the matter. The corn rows were as straight as moonshine whisky and his gun true as the third party to Tom Watson, yet hit it he couldn't. To shoot at the hog as it ran off down the corn rows was just like shooting at it standing, so far as getting a "bead on it" was concerned. To make sure that he didn't "wobble" off the hog he put up a small target and "cracked down" at it five times, then took his ax and chopped in and found five balls all in one hole in the middle of the spot. That settled it—that the fault was not in him or the gun, but the hog had outrun the bullets.

LONDON DOGS OUT CALLING.

Their Cards Go Up with Those of Their Mistresses.

It appears, from an article in the Figaro by M. Paul Megnin, that in London at the present time it is not only the fashion for a lady to provide her lapdog with a little wardrobe and even a handkerchief, but to have visiting cards made for it, too. When a fashionable lady pays a visit, taking her lapdog with her, she sends up the dog's card along with her own.

M. Megnin says he was visiting the editor of one of the leading sporting papers in London, when the servant brought in two cards, one that of a lady and the other as follows:

MRS. FRIVOLITY.
Collie.

Asked if he knew the name on the card, M. Megnin said he presumed it was some dog fancier. He was greatly surprised to see a lady come in, accompanied by a handsome collie.

M. Megnin went to a stationer's shop and ordered 100 cards for his little dog. He was again surprised to find that the stationer had some ready printed, neatly packed in pretty little card cases.

BEN FRANKLIN'S BIG HEAD.

How He Wore His Wig in His Pocket at the French Court.

The difficulties encountered recently by the lineal descendants of that great man, statesman, patriot and everything else that men properly hold in estimation — Benjamin Franklin — in having themselves enrolled among the Colonial Dames, recall an anecdote of him, says the Washington Post, embalmed in the family records of the sage of Monticello, but which, so far as the writer knows, has never been published. When about to present himself for the first time at the court of Versailles he was informed by the master of ceremonies that a wig was a sine qua non. Now, his head was so large that no ordinary wig would begin to fit it, and the situation was embarrassing in the extreme. However, one was found sufficiently large to pass him through the antechambers, after which he was permitted to remove the ridiculous conventional appendage and place it in his ample pocket, whence it never again emerged to public gaze.

Cox and His Brownies.

Palmer Cox says the idea of writing about the brownies came to him from reading Scotch traditions concerning these amusing little elves. They were, he says, almost unknown in America until he began writing about them, but in Scotland they had existed in the folk lore for 500 years. The Scotch brownie, according to Mr. Cox, was a beneficient sort of sprite, whose only three emotions were joy, wonder and terror. It was supposed they were never seen by human beings, but went about at night performing helpful deeds for the country folk, at the same time getting a deal of fun themselves out of kindly pranks.

Trained Goats.

In Switzerland and other mountainous countries the goat leads long strings of animals daily to and from the mountains, but it is in South Africa that it is particularly kept and employed as a leader of flocks of sheep. Should a blinding storm of rain or hail drive the silly sheep before it, or cause them to huddle together in a corner, so as to suffocate each other, the trained goat will wake them up, and by a method best known to himself will induce them to follow him to a place of safety.

Not Scientific.

A song with the title: "There's a Sigh in the Heart," was sent by a young man to his sweetheart; but the paper fell into the hands of the girl's father, a very unsentimental physician, who exclaimed:

"What wretched, unscientific rubbish is this? Who ever heard of such a case?"

He wrote on the outside:

"Mistaken diagnosis: no sigh in the heart possible. Sighs relate almost entirely to the lungs and diaphragm!"

Titled Thieves.

A princess, a countess, a duchess and the daughter of a reigning prince were among the 4,000 thieves, professional and unprofessional, arrested in Paris during the first six months of last year.

Bread & Pastry baked with CALUMET BAKING POWDER

Do not contain Rochelle Salts, Alum, Ammonia, Lime or any injurious substance

Special Sale!

. . . ON ALL . . .

Canned Goods,

. . . COMMENCING . . .

Saturday, February 15.

MOBBS & CO

There's a Cyclone in

town and the combination is broken. I will sell

Groceries

regardless of cost. I have not time to quote prices this week, but ask you to come in and get prices before you buy.

I Will Save You Money.

Times are hard now and you should buy where you can get Bottom Prices and First-Class Goods. My stock is the Largest and Best in town.

I also call your attention to my fine stock of

China, Crockery, Lamps and Glassware.

The best in Southern Michigan, which I will sell at price which you can't get at any other store in the state. When you are looking for anything in this line give me a call and be convinced.

JAS. LOWRY.

Lilley House Block, Tecumseh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—I have acclimated Strawberry plants for sale, of the following varieties: Crescent, Glandy Warfield, Parker Earl, Early Beauty, Haverland, Crescent and Early Canada. Per hundred, 40 cts per 100, 40 cts per hundred per thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the Cuthbert and Gregg. C. F. MORLEY, Willow Brook Farm, P. O. Tecumseh, Macon, Mich.

PLANTS—Order your strawberry and raspberry plants early. I have a fine stock of the following varieties. Strawberries—Beder Wood, Enhance, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, Parker Earle, Warfield, Rasporri extra, Older, Gregg, Nemahs, Shaffer's Colossal, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars call or write. C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike known as Sam Hodge place. Good buildings, water, etc. G. W. RILY.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 6, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Be sure and register tomorrow.

Hugh Chambers, of Cleveland, is in town.

Don't forget to give Miss Baker a full house.

Tom Elliot, Jr., was in Morenci, Wednesday.

All kinds of grass seeds at R. S. Moore's.

Bring along that wood. Spring is not here by any means.

Henry Smith made a business trip to Petoskey, C., Thursday.

Uncle Charlie Spafford, of Devil's Lake, made The Herald a call on Wednesday.

The C. C will attend service at the Universalist church on the Sunday before Decoration Day.

Prof. Fink announces his willingness to become a candidate to Supervisor at the spring election.

W. S. Gillman, who has been ill for the past seven weeks, will soon be at his place of business again.

Mrs. James Winans and daughter, of Toledo, visited at B. L. Baxter's this week. They return tomorrow.

Now is the time to buy a cloak or shoe at our sacrifice sale.

ANDERSON & Co.

J. M. Jones, the tailor, comes out this week with a new card, and also has something to say about new spring goods.

Farmers, don't forget. Clover, Mammoth, Medium, Alsyke, Alfalfa, Timothy, Millet and Hungarian at R. S. Moore's.

The finest line of spring and summer goods ever opened in Tecumseh are now awaiting your inspection at Harris & Hiteshu's.

A history of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, of the M. E. church by Franc Baker.

The rector of St. Peter's church wishes to announce to the subscribers for Dioceasian missions that the third quarterly payment is due the 1st of March.

Prof. H. E. Fink will deliver one of his popular lectures at Grange Hall, Macon, on Thursday evening, March 19. Admission, 10 cents. Turn out and fill the house.

Franc Baker will speak at the Baptist Church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the interest of the W. F. M. S. A special invitation is extended to the ladies of other churches.

Mrs. H. Bangs, one of Tecumseh's girls who has been in the City Editor's department of the New York Herald, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. John Watkins, and cousin, Miss Bertha Smeltzer.

The store occupied by J. M. Jones and Collins has been recently overhauled, repapered, etc. This will much improve its appearance and put it in shape for the new goods which the occupants are now putting in.

Prof. Maus and wife who arrived last week from Winfield Kan., are the guests of J. A. Boyd this week. Mr. Maus, who is a very proficient musician and instructor is organizing classes on the guitar, mandolin and banjo.

Prof. Hall is spending a portion of his time at present looking after delinquent members of the Farmer's Mutual. He is also looking after the fences which he is surely laying around the position for Register of Deeds.

An attempt is being made by the people of the line to persuade the state fair board to change the state encampment to some other place than Detroit. A change would doubtless greatly increase the enlistment of the state.

Some of the youthful participants in an enjoyable surprise as follows, Saturday night there was a surprise party on Miss Fern Stringham. She was very much surprised when about fifty boys and girls entered at 8 o'clock. They all had a nice time and returned home at 8 o'clock.

The school commissioner desires to visit every school officer of Lenawee county the next few weeks, and to that end has arranged the following dates of officers meetings: Saturday, March 7, at Court House, Adrian; Saturday, March 14, at High School building, Hudson; Saturday, March 21, at High School, Addison; Saturday, March 28, at Tecumseh; Saturday, April 4, at High School, (east side) Blissfield. Meetings are planned for an interchange of ideas, and a free discussion of matters of paramount importance to the schools, and for the further improvement and increasing their efficiency. It is extremely desirable that every officer in the county be present at one or more of these meetings and make them as successful as the importance of the cause demands. Meetings to be called at 1:30 p. m.

Bring on that wood.

J. R. Hosmer, of Chicago, is in town this week.

Anderson & Co. are doing business at the old stand.

Miss Emma Shultz, of Manchester, is visiting in town.

J. G. Haslett made a business trip to Chicago last Saturday.

Speciality this month—Seeds—Popular prices, at R. S. Moore's.

Miss Bertha Smeltzer entertained a party of friends last evening.

The Globe mill is running on a large order for flour. Let the rollers roll.

James Clark and wife, of Grass Lake, called on Wm. Gray's family last Friday.

Ab Wilson is home from New York and reports a very large trade in celery there.

Rev. J. C. Hagerman, of Dundee, called on old parishioners and friends here Monday.

D. P. Anthony is moving into the Hyde place on West Chicago street this week.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Steeple, of Detroit, visited at the Sutton home the first of the week.

Harvey Welling left yesterday for Hudson, where he has secured a position in the new bicycle works.

E. L. Teeple goes to Britton every Tuesday, where he has a branch studio. He has a large patronage there.

Ladies call at once and see the new house wrappers for spring and summer, just received at Harris & Hiteshu.

Two freight trains collided near Jerome this forenoon and the C., J. & M. going east was 45 minutes late in consequence.

Dressmaking after the latest ideas from New York, London, Paris and Berlin, at Deuel's, of course. Over Adamson Bros' store.

Editor Stearns took part in the Farmers' Institute last Friday and made the Herald a flying call before the afternoon train.

Our spring capes and jackets just received are beautiful and stylish and the prices are low. Call and see them at Harris & Hiteshu's.

The next in the series of illustrated lectures on the life of Christ, at the Presbyterian church, will be given next Sunday evening.

Have you seen those beautiful Dress Goods, Silks, Laces, etc., etc., for spring and summer now open for inspection at Harris & Hiteshu's?

Our stock must go to satisfy claims. Consequently you can buy dry goods and carpets at unheard of prices.

ANDERSON & Co.

Joshua Simpkins was presented here Wednesday night by the Reno Ford Co., in a very creditable manner. The band and orchestra were especially good.

Mrs. Geo. Stanley is doubly happy and Ben Reynolds was twice a grandfather in one day. It was last Saturday, and a pair of twin boys was the cause.

Wm. J. Osborn has sold his farm in Franklin to Albert Aylesworth, of Manchester, to give possession on April 1st. Will will move his family to Norvell township, where he has purchased a farm.

Subjects for Sunday, March 8, in the Universalist church: Morning, "Is Jesus God?" Evening, "What has this Church for Young People?" Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m., topic, "Pure Religion," James, 1; Micah, 6:8; Matt., 18:20.

If you wish to see a large and fine assortment of new spring goods, comprising all the latest styles both in staples and novelties, in dry goods, boots, shoes, etc., go in and examine Harris & Hiteshu's new stock.

A successful and interesting teacher's meeting was held in the high school building Saturday. About 40 pedagogues of this section were present. Dr. North took part in the discussion. Eighth grade examinations were also held.

Thos. Wilson's house, just west of Abner Wilson's, caught fire Wednesday afternoon, probably from a defective chimney. The alarm was turned in and the department got out and squelched the flames. The house was severely damaged. Insurance $500.

On Wednesday night occurred the death of Mrs. Hulda Howe, of pneumonia. Mrs. Howe had been sick only eight days. The funeral was conducted from the home in Brownville this forenoon at 9 o'clock and at the Methodist church at 10. The body was taken to Dundee for interment, that place being the former residence of the deceased.

Mrs. Julia Ann Wilson, widow of Andrew Wilson, died at the home of her son, Mike Wilson, in Franklin, Sunday, March 1, at the age of 96. The funeral was held at the house Monday, Rev. Varner officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Tecumseh cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson were among the pioneer residents of Franklin township.

There were present at the funeral of Mrs. Mary W. Osborn, the following children and grand-children: S. W. Hart and daughter, Elkhart, Ind.; Mrs. A. M. Sherwood and daughter, Chicago; B. A. Osborn and wife, Saginaw, E. S.; Geo. F. Osborn, Detroit; Lewis A. Osborn and wife, Elkhart, Ind.; E. E. Osborn and wife, Saginaw, E. S.; Chas. Bemis and wife, Sylvania, Ohio; O. R. Lampman and wife, Chicago; F. A. Osborn, Ann Arbor. Also Mrs. Lizzie Warden and mother, Mrs. Calvert, Saginaw, E. S.

The peoples ticket was put in nomination Monday evening by a caucus held in Justice Burridge's office with the following names:

President.—Alfred James.
Recorder.—J. Sumner Collins.
Treasurer.—Frank Avery.
Trustees.—C. E. Williamson, James Lowry, H. S. Stout.
Assessor.—Jehiel Davidson.

A little zest is promised for the coming village election to be held next Monday. Two good tickets are in the field. Let every voter turn out and vote. The regular corporation caucus was held at the Council room Monday and resulted as follows:

President.—J. H. Smith.
Recorder.—W. J. Ingersoll.
Treasurer.—James Elliott, Sr.
Trustees.—E. N. Satterthwaite, C. A. Wright, Henry Smith
Assessor.—Horace Weller.

It was with a general and personal feeling of regret that our citizens heard the news on Monday last that Anderson & Co. had so far succumbed to the financial exingencies as to file several chattel mortgages on their large stock for the security of creditors. Security of this nature has been given to the extent of about $33,000. The book accounts of the firm aggregate $18,000 and their stock invoiced more than $35,000. The chief factor which has worked the distress of a house doing the amount of business which has been done here even up to this week, has been the condition of collections during the past few years. Their large amount of assets which appear under this head, and which are nearly all collectable, clearly bear out this statement. All creditors are satisfied of the solvency of the firm and will give them ample opportunity to realize on their present stock and accounts. This they are pushing every effort to accomplish, and they will certainly succeed.

To be kept thoroughly well posted on the news of such an eventful year as 1896 promises to be, a person should read the columns of a live, wide-awake metropolitan paper beside the county or local newspaper. Now is the proper time to begin a subscription, which will cover the Presidential campaign, the great speeches, the November election and the outcome of all the wars and troubles abroad. If intending subscribers will heed a word of advice they will send $1 to The Twice-a-Week Republic. They will receive in return twice every week for a year a copy of the spiciest, newsiest and most entertaining newspaper in the country. The Twice-a-week Republic will make a specialty of giving the political news and speeches on both sides and at the same time keep up the very entertaining departments it has always contained. A big inducement is offered to those who become so interested that only a daily metropolitan paper will meet their wants. The Daily and Sunday Republic has been reduced to only $6 a year or $3 for six months.

No firm ever did more for a town, either as a business corporation or as individual citizens, than Anderson & Co. have done for Tecumseh. The people of the surrounding country, as well as residents of Tecumseh realize this, and their sympathy for the company in their present trouble is plenteous and sincere. Now, fellow citizens, is the time to substantiate your feelings of sympathy and pay up. They have accommodated you. It fact it is the very cause of their present trouble. They have carried and accommodated you and your neighbors for small amounts until the totals amounted to a burden which they could carry no longer. The stores have been closed for the purpose of marking down the immense stock to figures at which a ready cash value will be realized. Every creditor has the utmost confidence that every thing has been and will be done to protect their interest. With this assurance and with the customery energy of the firm the concern will continue to do business at the old stand. If you are a friend to Anderson & Co., and to Tecumseh, go down in your stocking and pay up. If you have not the money, borrow it, and do your duty.

OBITUARY.

MARY W. OSBORN.

Died, in Elkhart, Ind., Feb. 27, 1896, Mary W. Osborn in the 67th year of her age.

Mary W. Osborn (nee Mary Wheeler) was born in Abington, Mass., Nov. 26, 1809. She was married to John W. Osborn Nov. 6, 1827. With her husband and family she removed to Tecumseh, Mich. in the fall of 1840, where they resided for many years. There were born to this union eleven sons and daughters, nine of whom survive the mother. Two have gone to the other side, James W. Osborn, a citizen of Tecumseh for many years, who died in 1874; and Edward W. Osborn, who died in infancy. The remains were brought to Tecumseh for burial, and on Sunday, March 1, were followed to their resting place by eight of the surviving children and seven grandchildren. She, together with her husband, united with the M. E. church in their early life, and both remained consistent members of that church to the end. To say that she was a devoted wife and mother, is but a mild expression of her virtues; no trial or hardship was *too* much for her to undertake when the comfort of her family was involved. As we who are left can fully attest, we mourn her loss. No, not the loss of a dear mother but the absence, for she is not dead, but bore into a higher life. The finger of God touched her and she slept, but only soon to awake to a brigther and more joyous forever.

CARD OF THANKS.

The children of Mrs. Mary W. Osborn desire to express their sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends, for their kind sympathy and help on the occasion of the burial of their mother.

New Features This Season.

Coats—Square shoulders, shorter full length, plain finish, and a fly front for business cutaways or for four-button sacks.

Vests—A fly for single-breasted fronts and a wider opening for evening dress.

Trousers—Narrower legs and less spring.

J. M. JONES,
Leading Merchant Tailor.

High School Happenings.

Rev. Andrus visited the A room Monday.

The Rhetoric classes are studying figures.

The visiting committee are making frequent calls this week.

Roy Langton and Fred Rector visited the high school last week Thursday.

Misses Edith Ingersoll and Lona Butrick were visitors in the B room Tuesday.

Anna Gamble interested the A room Monday with an essay on American writers.

The Philosophy class determined the laws of sound by experiments last Thursday.

The examination in Plane Geometry took place Tuesday. For further particulars we refer you to Miss Hartbeck.

Sam McClure regards circumstantial evidence in minor offenses, such as the unlawful distribution of peanut shucks among his seat mates, sufficient for conviction.

Clarence Jackson, while experimenting with a pendulum Monday, demonstrated to his own satisfaction the course the weight took when seperated from the string.

Raisin Valley Seminary.

Base ball is started again.

The boys are practicing for "field day."

Ethel Penticost is again unable to be in school.

Walter Hill is out of school on account of sickness.

Miss Vinora Beal spent Sunday with Miss Emma Hascock.

Lillian Jones is again in school after a two week's absence.

Classes in Botany and Civil Government were organized this week.

The C. E. society gave a box social at the Seminary, Friday evening of last week.

Mr. Will Mitchell has been out of school the past two weeks on account of sickness.

W. Frank Hill, class '95, started Wednesday for Marion, Ind., to take a position as assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of that place.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E church the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, In view of the loss we, as a society, have sustained by the death of our sister, Mrs. William H. Osborne, and the greater affliction felt by those of her near and dear friends, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the loved ones of our departed sister, and, as a society, we shall greatly miss her gentle, loving presence and generous giving hand of a dearly loved friend, but in our loss we know she has gained a rich reward in the mansions of bliss.

Resolved, That this heartfelt testimony of sympathy be forwarded to the husband and friends of our departed sister and that the secretary be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the village papers for publication.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

The Farmers' Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Smeltzer will entertain the Farmers' Union, Tuesday evening, March 17.

PROGRAM.

Music—Mr. and Mrs. Poucher.
Song—Florance Bros.
Rec.—Mary Linton.
Music—Bertha Smeltzer.
Music—John Cadmus.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Music—Misses Macham.
Song—Mary McIntyre.

—MUSIC—

Mr. J. A. Maus, Jr., Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo instructor is in the city for a short time and those desiring instructions on these instruments will do well to see him at once. He is composer of some of the most popular music published and represents J. W. Jenkin's Sons, of Kansas City, Mo., manufacturers of the famous Harwood & Wesley instruments of which he has the finest line ever in the city.

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If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Another Vigorous Ring at the Old Gospel Bell.

Calling Anew the Sheep Who Have Gone Astray—The Lord Hath Laid Upon One the Iniquity of Us All.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage delivered the following sermon to his Washington congregation, taking for his text:

All we, like sheep, have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way, and the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

Once more I ring the old Gospel bell. The first half of my next text is an indictment: All we, like sheep, have gone astray. Some one says: "Can't you drop that first word? That is too general; that sweeps too great a circle." Some man rises in the audience and he looks over on the opposite side of the house, and says: "There is a blasphemer; and I understand how he has gone astray. And there in another part of the house is a defaulter, and he has gone astray. And there is an impure person, and he has gone astray." Sit down, my brother, and look at home. My text takes us all in. It starts behind the pulpit, sweeps the circuit of the room, and comes back to the point where it started, when it says: "All we, like sheep, have gone astray." I can very easily understand why Martin Luther threw up his hands after he had found the Bible and cried out: "Oh! my sins, my sins!" and why the publican, according to the custom to this day in the east, when they have any great grief, began to beat himself and cry, as he smote upon his breast: "God be merciful to me, a sinner." I was, like many of you, brought up in the country, and I know some of the habits of sheep, and how they get astray, and what my text means when it says: "All we, like sheep, have gone astray."

Sheep get astray in two ways; either by trying to get into other pasture, or from being scared by the dogs. In the former way some of us got astray. We thought there was better pasturage somewhere else. We thought if we could only lie down on the banks of a distant stream, or under great oaks on the other side of some hill, we might be better fed. We wanted other pasturage than that which God, through Jesus Christ, gave our soul, and we wandered on, and we were lost. We wanted bread, and we found garbage. The farther we wandered, instead of finding rich pasturage, we found blasted health and sharper rocks and more stinging nettles. No pasture. How was it in the club house when you lost your child? Did they come around and help you very much? Did your worldly associates console you very much? Did not the plain Christian man who came into your house and sat up with your darling child give you more comfort than all worldly associates? Did all the convivial songs you ever heard comfort you in that day of bereavement so much as the song they sang to you—perhaps the very song that was sung by your little child the last Sabbath afternoon of her life.

There is a happy land
Far, far away,
Where saints immortal reign,
Bright, bright as day.

Did your business associates in that day of darkness and trouble give you any especial condolence? Business exasperated you, business wore you out, business left you limp as a fag, business made you mad. You got dollars, but you got no peace. God have mercy on the man who has nothing but business to comfort him! The world afforded you no luxuriant pasturage. A famous English actor stood on the stage impersonating, and thunders of applause came down from the galleries, and many thought it was the proudest moment of his life; but there was a man asleep just in front of him, and the fact that that man was indifferent and somnolent spoiled the occasion for him, and he cried: "Wake up, wake up!" So one little annoyance in life has been more pervading to your mind than all the brilliant congratulations and success. Poor pasturage for your soul you find in this world. The world has cheated you, the world has belied you, the world has misinterpreted you, the world has persecuted you. It never comforted you. Oh! this world is a good rack from which a horse may pick his food; it is a good trough from which the swine may crunch their mess; but it gives but little food to a soul blood-bought and immortal. What is a soul? It is a hope high as the throne of God. What is a man? You say, "It is only a man." It is only a mane gone overboard in sin. It is only a man gone overboard in business life. What is a man? The battle ground of three worlds, with his hands taking hold of destinies of light or darkness. A man! No line can measure him. No limit can bound him. The archangel before the throne can not outlive him. The stars shall die, but he will watch their extinguishment. The world will burn, but he will gaze at the conflagration. Endless ages will march on; he will watch the procession. A man! The master piece of God Almighty. Yet you say: "It is only a man." Can a nature like that be fed on husks of the wilderness?

Substantial comforts will not grow
On Nature's barren soil;
All we can boast till Christ we know
Is sorrow, sin and toil.

Sinai's terrible batteries have been unlimbered above your soul, and at times you have heard it thunder: "The wages of sin is death." "All have sinned and come short of the glory of God." "By one man sin entered the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned." "The soul that sinneth, it shall die." When Sebastopol was being bombarded two Russian frigates burned all night in the harbor, throwing a glare upon the trembling fortress; and some of you, from what you have told me yourselves, some of you are standing in the night of your soul's trouble, the cannonade, and the conflagration, and the multiplication, and the multitude of your sorrows and troubles, I think, must make the wings of God's hovering angels shiver to the tip.

But the last part of my text opens a door wide enough to let us all out and to let all Heaven in. Sound it on the organ with all the stops out. Turn it on the harps with all the strings atune. With all the melody possible let the heavens sound it to the earth and let the earth tell it to the heavens. "The Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all." I am glad that the prophet did not stop to explain whom he meant by "him." Him of the manger. Him of the bloody sweat. Him of the resurrection throne. Him of the crucifixion agony. "On him the Lord hath laid the iniquity of us all." "Oh!" says some man, "that isn't generous, that isn't fair; let every man carry his own burden and pay his own debts." That sounds reasonable. If I have an obligation and I have the means to meet it, and I come to you and ask you to settle that obligation, you rightly say: "Pay your own debts." If you and I, walking down the street—both hale, hearty and well—I ask you to carry me, you say, rightly: "Walk on your own feet! But suppose you and I were in a regiment and I was wounded in the battle and I fell unconscious at your feet with gunshot fractures and dislocations, what would you do? You would call to your comrades, saying, "Come and help; this man is helpless; bring the ambulance; let us take him to the hospital!" and I would be a dead lift in your arms, and you lift me from the ground where I had fallen, and put me in the ambulance and take me to the hospital and have all kindness shown me. Would there be anything bemeaning in my accepting that kindness? Oh, no! You would be mean not to do it. That is what Christ does. If we could pay our debts then it would be better to go up and pay them, saying, "Here, Lord, here is my obligation; here are the means with which I mean to settle that obligation; now give me a receipt; cross it all out." The debt is paid.

But the fact is we have fallen in the battle; we have gone down under the hot fire of our transgressions; we have been wounded by the sabers of sin; we have been wounded by the sabers of sin; we are helpless; we are undone. Christ comes. The loud cloud heard in the sky on that Christmas night was only the bell, the resounding bell of the ambulance. Clear the way for the Son of God. He comes down to bind up the wounds, and to scatter the darkness and to save the lost. Clear the way for the Son of God. Christ comes down to us, and we are a dead lift. He does not lift us with the tips of His fingers. He does not lift us with one arm. He comes down upon His knee, and then, with a dead lift, He raises us to honor and glory and immortality. "The Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all." Why, then, will a man carry his sins? You can not carry successfully the smallest sin you ever committed. You might as well put the Apennines on one shoulder and the Alps on the other. How much less can you carry all the sins of your lifetime? Christ comes and looks down in your face and says: "I have come through all the lacerations of these days, and through all the tempests of these nights; I have come to bear your burdens, and to pardon your sins, and to pay your debts; put them on my shoulder; put them on my heart." "On him the Lord hath laid the iniquity of us all." Sin has almost pestered the life out of some of you. At times it has made you cross and unreasonable, and it has spoiled the brightness of your days and the peace of your rights. There are men who have been riddled of sin. The world gives them no solace. Gossamery and volatile the world, while eternity, as they look forward to it, is black as midnight. They writhe under the stings of a conscience which proposes to give no rest here and no rest hereafter, and yet they do not repent, they do not pray, they do not weep. They do not realize that just the position they occupy is the position occupied by scores, hundreds and thousands of men who never found any hope.

If this meeting should be thrown open and the people who are here could give their testimony, what thrilling experiences we should hear on all sides! There is a man who would say: "I had a brilliant surroundings; I had the best education that one of the best collegiate institutions of this country could give, and I observed all the moralties of life, and I was self-righteous, and I thought I was all right before God as I am all right before man, but the Holy Spirit came to me one day and said: 'You are a sinner,' the Holy Spirit persuaded me of the fact. While I had escaped the sins against the law of the land, I had really committed the worst sin a man ever commits, the driving back of the Son of God from my heart's affections, and I saw that my hands were red with the blood of the Son of God, and I began to pray, and peace came to my heart, and I know by experience that what you say is true." "On Him the Lord hath laid the iniquity of us all." Yonder is a man who would say: "I was the worst drunkard in the city; I went from bad to worse; I destroyed myself; I destroyed my home; my children cowered when I entered the house; when they put up their lips to be kissed I [illegible] when my wife protested against the maltreatment I meted her into the street. I know all the bruises and all the terrors of a drunkard's woe. I went further and further from God until one day I got a letter, saying:

"'MY DEAR HUSBAND: I have tried every way, done everything and prayed earnestly and fervently for your reformation, but it seems of no avail. Since our little Henry died, with the exception of those few happy weeks when you remained sober, my life had been one of sorrow. Many of the nights I have sat by the window, with my face bathed in tears, watching for your coming. I am broken-hearted. I am sick. Mother and father have been here frequently and begged me to come home; but my love for you and my hope for brighter days have always made me refuse them. That hope seems now beyond realization, and I have returned to them. It is hard, and I battled long before doing it. May God bless and preserve you, and take from that accursed appetite, and hasten the day when we shall be again living happily together. This will be my daily prayer, knowing that He has said, 'Come unto me all ye that and are heavy laden, and I will gives you rest.' From your loving wife,

"'MARY.'

"And so I wandered on and wandered on," says that man, "until one night I passed a Methodist meeting house, and I said to myself, "I'll go in and see what they are doing;' and I got to the door, and they were singing.

All may come whoever will—
This man receives poor sinners still.

And I dropped right there where I was, and I said: 'God have mercy!' and He had mercy on me. My home is restored, my wife sings all day long during work, my children come out a long way to greet me home, and my household is a little heaven. I will tell you what did all this for me. It was the truth that this day you proclaim: 'On him the Lord hath laid the iniquity of us all.' Yonder is a woman who would say: 'I wandered off from my father's house. I heard the storm that pelts on a lost soul; my feet were blistered on the hot rocks. I went on and on, thinking that no one cared for my soul, when one night Jesus met me, and He said: 'Poor thing, go home; your father is waiting for you, your mother is waiting for you. Go home, poor thing!' And, sir, I was too weak to pray, and I was too weak to repent, but I just cried out I sobbed out my sins and my sorrows on the shoulders of Him of whom it is said 'the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all.'"

Someone comes here to-day and I stand aside. He comes up three steps. He comes to this place. I must stand aside. Taking that place He spreads abroad his hands, and they were hailed. You see His feet; they were bruised. He pulls aside the robe and shows you his wounded heart. I say: "Art thou weary?" "Yes," He says. "Weary with the world's woe." I say: "Whence comest Thou?" He says: "I came from Calvary." I say: "Who comes with Thee?" He says: "No one; I have trodden the wine-press alone." I say: "Why comest thou here?" "Oh!" He says, "I came here to carry all the sins and sorrows of the people." And He kneels. He says: "Put on my shoulders all the sorrows and all the sins." And, conscious of my own sins first, I take them and put them on the shoulders of the Son of God. I say: "Canst Thou bear any more, oh Christ?" He says: "Yes, more." And I gather up the sins of all those who serve at these altars, the officers of the Church of Jesus Christ—I gather up their sins and I put them on Christ's shoulders, and I say: "Canst Thou bear any more?" He says: "Yes, more." Then I gather up all the sins of a hundred people in this house, and I put them on the shoulders of Christ, and I say: "Canst Thou bear more?" He says: "Yes, more." And I gather up all the sins of the assembly, and put them on the shoulders of the Son of God, and I say: "Canst Thou bear them?" "Yes," He says, "more." But He is departing. Clear the way for Him, the Son of God. Open the door and let Him pass out. He is carrying our sins and bearing them away. We shall never see them again. He throws them down into the abyss, and you hear the long reverberating echo of their fall. "On him the Lord hath laid the iniquity of us all." Will you let Him take your sins to-day? Or, did you say: "I will take charge of them myself, I will risk eternity on my own account?" I know not how near some of you have come to crossing the line.

A clergyman said in his pulpit one Sabbath: "Before next Saturday night one of this audience will have passed out of life." A gentleman said to another seated next to him: "I don't believe it; I mean to watch, and if it doesn't come true by next Saturday night, I shall tell that clergyman his falsehood." The man seated next to him said: "Perhaps it will be yourself." "Oh! no," the other replied, "I shall live to be an old man." That night he breathed his last. To-day the Saviour calls. All may come. God never pushes a man off. God never destroys anybody. The man jumps off, he jumps off. It is suicide—soul suicide—if the man perishes, for the invitation is, "whosoever will, let him come;" whosoever, whosoever, whosoever!

While God invites, how blest the day,
How sweet the Gospel's charming sound!
Come, sinner, haste, O! haste away,
While yet a pardoning God is found.

In this day of merciful visitation, while many are coming into the kingdom of God, join the procession Heavenward.

Seated in my church was a man who came in who said: "I don't know that there is any God." That was on Friday night. I said: "We will kneel down and find out whether there is any God." And in the second seat from the pulpit we knelt. He said: "I have found Him. There is a God, a pardoning God. I feel Him here." He knelt in the darkness of sin. He arose two minutes afterward in the liberty of the Gospel; while another sitting under the gallery on Friday night, said: "I gone; last week I might have been saved; not now—the door is shut." "Behold the Lamb of God who taketh away the sin of the world." "Now is the accepted time. Now is the day of salvation." "It is appointed unto all men once to die, and after that the judgment!"

Religious Duty.

The three greatest things on earth to do are to save a man, or save a woman, or save a child.—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, Presbyterian, Washington, D. C.

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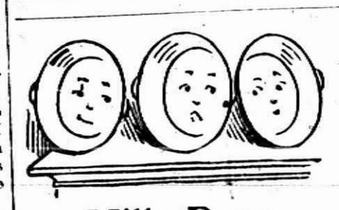

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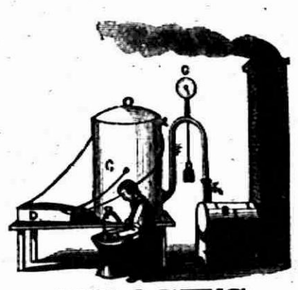

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the senate on the 20th Senator Allen (Neb.) offered a substitute for the pending Cuban resolution. It authorizes and requests the president to issue a proclamation recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba. Senator Carter (Mont.) in speaking on the tariff bill charged the republicans in the senate and house with deserting the republican national platform on both the tariff and money questions, and with taking their orders from the white house, where a democratic president is in command. He said he believed that the protection of American industries was necessary to American prosperity, but the bill and adjourned sine die. The governor signed the measure.

and the two would hereafter go hand in hand. In the house a bill was introduced for the erection of a national mint at Chicago. The Van Horn-Tarsney contested election case from the Kansas City (Mo.) district occupied most of the session.

Senator Vest spoke in the senate on the 27th in favor of recognizing Cuban independence. The army appropriation bill, carrying $23,279,000, was passed....In the house resolutions were presented declaring it to be the sense of congress that a state of war exists in Cuba; that the insurgents be given the right of belligerents, and that it is the sense of congress that the government of the United States use its influence to stop the war, if necessary, by intervention, and pledging the support of congress. After debate the vote on the resolutions was postponed one day. John C. Tarsney (dem.), from the Fifth Missouri district was unseated, and his opponent, Robert T. Van Horn (rep.), was seated.

By a vote of 41 to 6 the senate on the 28th ult. adopted a concurrent resolution favorable to Cuban belligerency and independence. The main feature of the debate was the speech of Senator Sherman, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, who arraigned Spain and her government in the most scathing language. ....The entire day in the house was spent in the consideration of the legislative appropriation bill, and considerable progress was made. The speaker presented the president's veto of the bill to lease certain lands in Arizona for educational purposes.

The senate was not in session on the 29th ult....In the house the bill authorizing the governor and local officers of Arizona to lease the educational lands of the territory for school purposes, which was vetoed by the president, was passed over the veto by a vote of 198 to 88. Most of the day was consumed in the consideration of the legislative appropriation bill.

Bills were passed in the senate on the 2d authorizing the addition of 1,000 enlisted men to the navy; to prevent the carrying of obscene literature and articles designed for indecent and immoral use from one state or territory to another, and to establish a retired list for the revenue marine service. Senator Allison's (Ia.) credentials for the term beginning March 4, 1897, were presented....In the house the struggling patriots in Cuba were eulogized and sympathized with in a two-hours' debate and the resolutions by the house foreign affairs committee favoring the insurgents were adopted as a substitute for those of the senate by a vote of 263 to 17. The senate joint resolution directing the secretary of agriculture to purchase and distribute the seeds authorized by the current law was adopted.

DOMESTIC.

The loss of the large three-masted schooner Josie R. Bent, Capt. A. F. Bent, with a crew of eight men and a cargo of 1,150 tons of coal, was feared at Philadelphia.

The bank examiner of South Dakota announced that the First national bank of Mitchell was solvent and would reopen March 1.

Attorney-General Harmon submitted to Postmaster-General Wilson a decision to the effect that the numerous bond and investment schemes conducted throughout the country are lotteries and not entitled to the privileges of the mails.

During a street fight in Rome, Ga., Policeman Mulkey was killed and ex-Sheriff Matthews fatally wounded.

There will be no more days of grace in Ohio, the governor having signed the law.

At a meeting of the New York Yacht club Lord Dunraven was expelled from membership in the club by a vote of 39 to 1.

Judge Grosscup refused to modify the sentence in the case of Joseph Dunlop, of Chicago, convicted of sending improper matter through the mails, and the two years' imprisonment in a penitentiary and the fine of $2,000 will stand.

The entire business portion of the town of Florence, S. C., was wiped out by fire.

At Jersey City, N. J., John Mackin shot and killed his wife and his mother-in-law, Bridget Connors, and fatally wounded his father-in-law, Morris Connors.

Moritz Firky, a wealthy farmer residing near Blue Earth City, Minn., murdered his wife and committed suicide. No cause was known.

A gasoline stove explosion at Eureka, S. D., caused the destruction of Frank B. Puckett's house and killed Mrs. Puckett and two children.

Twenty-one thousand acres of land in O'Brien county, Ia., recovered from a railway, were thrown open to settlement.

Charles L. Colby, of New York, aged 50, and formerly president of the Wisconsin Central Railroad company, dropped dead at Newton, Mass.

A gallery in the casino at Fall River, Mass., collapsed during a polo game and 30 persons were injured. Narcissus Maynard, an old man, died soon after, and seven others were thought to be fatally hurt.

The blue-bird is hailed as a harbinger of spring. It is also a reminder that a blood-purifier is needed to prepare the system for the debilitating weather to come. Listen and you will hear the birds singing: "Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla March, April, and May." 1w

A boiler in the establishment of W. H. Overholt at Frankfort, W. Va., exploded, instantly killing Samuel Livesay, Kell Livesay, Woodson Ransberger, Clowney Fersmner and Mr. Dunbar and injuring six others.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 28th aggregated $913,622,465, against $1,092,244,548 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 18.5.

Pruitt Turner (colored) was hanged at Van Buren, Ark., for the murder of Robert Hawkins February 17, 1895.

Advices from Washington say that horseless mail wagons will soon be used in all the large cities of the United States.

At China Springs, Tex., Julen Evans and Henry Wilson, farmers, who had long nursed a feud, fought with rifles and both were killed.

Two children of Howard Allen, near Shanghai, Ind., were roasted to death in their home where they had been left alone.

In the Iowa legislature the house defeated the woman suffrage bill.

Jealousy, prompted by his imagination that his fiance was untrue to him, led Edward Peters, a Chicago printer 19 years old, to shoot and kill Flora Larbig, aged 17, and then to end his own life by sending a bullet into his brain.

The Wisconsin legislature in extra

William H. Smith, who was elected to congress from Alabama in 1851 and served three terms, died in Washington, aged 81 years.

Brig. Gen. George W. Gile, a distinguished officer of the civil war, died in Philadelphia, aged 66 years. He was general officer of the day at the final review of the army at the close of the war.

E. C. Tabell, aged 80 years, died at the home of his son in St. Louis. He had served two terms in congress from Florida and was a general in the confederate army.

Kansas democrats will hold their state convention at Topeka on June 3 to elect delegates to the national convention.

William M. Rice died suddenly at his home in Worcester, Mass., of heart failure, aged 70 years. He was a member of congress from 1876 to 1884.

Rev. Allen Thompson died at Bordentown, N. J. He was born in New Jersey on May 21, 1796.

Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter (rep.) withdrew from the senatorial contest in Kentucky.

Charles Carleton Coffin died suddenly at his home at Brookline, Mass., of apoplexy, aged 73 years. He was famous as a war correspondent, author and statesman.

Municipal elections were held throughout Iowa, except in a few of the larger cities, and the result was general.

FOREIGN.

It was announced that Spanish soldiers massacred 22 peaceable citizens at Guatao, Cuba.

Capt. Gen. Weyler reported to the Spanish government that it would take at least two years to crush out the Cuban rebellion.

The British warship Penguin, while engaged in making deep-sea soundings between Tonga and New Zealand, got bottom at 5,155 fathoms, the deepest sounding ever made.

A tornado passed through the towns of Rodas and Los Abreus in Cuba, doing an immense amount of damage and causing the loss of several lives.

An entire business block at Halifax, N. S., was burned, the loss being $300,000.

A deficit of over 250,000 marks was discovered in the Savings bank of Herr Lysabbel at Berlin.

The passage of resolutions in the senate favorable to Cuban belligerents was said to have aroused intense hatred of the United States in Spain, and at Barcelona the office of the American consul was stoned. At Madrid the American legation was strongly guarded.

Gales and flood caused great damage in and about the seaport of Townsville, in the northern part of Queensland. Four steamers valued at $2,500,000 were wrecked.

An uprising of Moplan fanatics in India had assumed serious proportions. The British attacked a large party of them and killed 100.

The massacre of 13 Armenian families was reported from the district of Moosh.

Spain made an humble apology for the outrage committed upon the American consulate at Barcelona and offered to make complete reparation.

It was announced that at Russia's request the porte intended to expel from Asia Minor all English and American missionaries.

Floods occurred in Mesopotamia, and the river Tigris overflowed, vast tracts of land being flooded. In the Arlun district a tribe of 600 Arabs were drowned and over 30,000 cattle perished.

LATER.

Washington advices say that the president and his cabinet undoubtedly are strongly opposed to the present recognition of belligerency of the Cuban insurgents and to any declaration concerning their independence as embodied in recent congressional resolutions.

The Providence hosiery mill was destroyed by fire at Bristol, Pa., the loss being $125,000.

The national bank circulation outstanding March 1 was $217,093,465, an increase during the month of February of $3,685,880.

Advices from Madrid say that all Spaniards who had been acting as consuls of the United States had resigned.

The Genesee flats, the largest apartment building in Utica, N. Y., was burned, the loss being $200,000. Several lives were lost.

William Tucker died at Jefferson, Ia., aged 96 years. He was a drummer boy in the war of 1812.

The disappearance of John Cowan, of the lumber firm of W. G. Cowan & Sons of Pittsburgh, Pa., was said to have disclosed the fact that he was a defaulter to the extent of $100,000.

The Central trust and savings bank of Chicago closed its doors with liabilities of $124,000.

Business property valued at $150,000 was destroyed by fire at Danbury, Conn.

Comment of English and French papers on the Cuban situation was generally unfavorable to the United States.

Prairie fires did great damage in Oklahoma. Many houses were burned and several persons lost their lives.

Arkansas republicans met at Little Rock and selected delegates to the national convention favorable to McKinley for president.

Great Britain expects to spend $110,000,000 this year in increasing its navy.

Washington, March 4.—The senate gave most of the time yesterday to the agricultural appropriation bill and passed that measure, carrying $3,262,000, without material amendment. Another bill passed changes the limitations of fourt-class mail matter so as to free the postal service from bulky articles heretofore sent free by the government departments. The house spent the entire session in debating the amendment to the legislative appropriation bill to abolish the fee system in the cases of United States district attorneys and marshals. The salaries fixed by the amendment, which was adopted, range from $2,000 to $5,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Joseph Fyffe, rear admiral of the United States navy, retired, died at his home at Pierce, Neb., aged 64 years.

Republicans of the Seventh district of Missouri renominated J. P. Tracy, of Springfield, for congress.

The Massachusetts republican state convention has been called to meet in Boston March 27.

Nelson Locke (colored), aged 108 years, died at Paris, Ky.

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A Hostess' Mistake and the Guest's Good Nature.

A young lady sends to the Chicago Tribune a little anecdote of Abraham Lincoln. She says that a good many years ago, when her father was a small boy, her grandfather brought Abraham Lincoln home one night to supper. He was then a poor young man practicing law in Woodford county, Ill.

It was a cold, stormy night, and grandma hurried around getting supper. To have something nice, she opened a jar of preserved peaches. Lincoln spent a long time over his peach, and finally left it on the plate.

Grandma noticed this, and as soon as he and grandpa had gone into another room she went to look at the dish. Then she saw that instead of a peach she had given the visitor the little muslin sack which contained the peach kernels and the spice. She hastened into the other room and began an apology, but Mr. Lincoln said:

"That was all right, Mrs. Perry. My mother used the same thing, and it was so good that I wanted to get all the juice out of it."

To Encourage Matrimony.

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Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 00 "	6 00 A.M.
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Clinton	12 28 "	8 35 "	6 36 "
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8 55	3 51	10 01 Hanover	11 38	5 31
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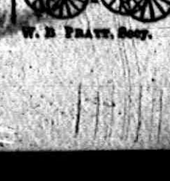

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FOR GOOD ROADS IN MICHIGAN.

Association Formed at the Lansing Convention to Agitate the Subject.

Lansing, March 4.—The good roads convention was called to order by Gov. Pich Tuesday. The attendance was large, representing most of the counties of the lower peninsula. The largest delegation was from Saginaw, and was headed by William Webber, who was one of Michigan's representatives at the national good roads convention held at Atlanta last fall. Mr. Webber presided over Tuesday's session, and E. M. Hopkins, of Saginaw, was secretary. It was decided to form a permanent organization to be known as the Michigan League for Good Roads, and a constitution submitted by the national league was adopted. The plan includes a state league, with county and township branches, which will agitate the subject of good roads and pave the way for needed legislation next winter. Officers were elected as follows:

President—William L. Webber, Saginaw.
Vice President—William Appleton, Lansing.
Secretary and treasurer—E. M. Hopkins Saginaw.
Executive Committee—John McVicar, Detroit; Charles V. Deland, Jackson; Silas E. Woodworth, Pennville; H. G. Weeks, Allegan; S. S. Bailey, Grand Rapids; Dallas J. Dort, Flint; G. W. Howe, Port Huron; C. H. Peters, Saginaw; William Carpenter, Muskegon; William Crosby, Harbor Springs; Reuben Goodrich, Traverse City; William Chandler, Sault Ste. Marie.

President Webber will appoint a committee of five to draft amendments to the general highway laws and report at a meeting to be called by the executive committee.

CAUCUS LAW IS DEFECTIVE.

Attorney General Maynard Presents an Opinion.

Grand Rapids, March 2.—In an opinion interpreting the new caucus law, Attorney General Maynard declares that the law is so defective that it will not go far toward correcting the evils that exist. He holds that blank ballots of uniform size and color must be provided by the city committee and that none others may be used, the blanks to be handed to the electors and they to fill in the names when they enter the booth. It is unlawful for inspectors or committees to attempt to influence electors upon the choice of delegates or candidates for ward offices. Representative Kelley, who fathered the law in the legislature, says that, while the law is a blow at slates, there is nothing to prevent interested parties from having pasters printed for distribution among electors to be attached to the official ballots.

ATTACKED BY HIS HORSE.

Farmer Simmonds Minus His Upper Lip, Which Was Bitten Off by the Beast.

Onondaga, March 4.—Thomas Simmonds, a farmer living near here, went to his barn to attend to his horses. His favorite steed, called Charlie, proved refractory, and he seized the beast by the ears, determined to subdue him. A fearful battle between the horse and man followed, and before Simmonds could break away the horse had seized his upper lip in his teeth and bit away lip, mustache and all. Doctors say that Simmonds will probably live, but will be disfigured for life. The horse was a pet of the family, and his viciousness was so unlooked for that Simmonds had no time to protect himself.

ARM TORN FROM HIS BODY.

Frightful Accident Befalls a Detroit Car-Shop Workman.

Detroit, March 4.—A swiftly moving belt in the Michigan car works Tuesday afternoon caught Joseph Fleischmann's hand while he was at work and drew him toward the pulleys. He wound one foot and his other arm around a brace and held on while he shrieked for help. Before assistance could reach him his arm had been torn from the socket at the shoulder. He was taken to Grace hospital, and the doctors say that, notwithstanding the shock and loss of blood, he will probably recover.

Embezzlement Charged.

Bay City, Mich., March 3.—Alfred Mosher, Jr., of the failed lumber firm of Mosher & Son, was arrested Monday afternoon upon his return to the city on a warrant for embezzlement. Bert P. Wheelon, who was associated with Mosher & Son in a saw log deal, accuses him of using $33,614 for his own benefit, and asserts the agreement was that it should have been used in paying an indebtedness to the State savings bank of Detroit. Mosher will have a hearing Saturday.

Applies for His Ninth Divorce.

Niles, Feb. 29.—Alexander Rhimes has just made application in an Indiana court for his ninth divorce. Not many months ago he got his eighth divorce in the Berrien county court, and was soon afterward married to Miss Stella Bloomhagden, a pretty Michigan girl. Rhimes, who is now 75 years old, began his matrimonial career March 24, 1870, when he was married to a Detroit woman after a week's courtship.

FOUR MEN CLAIM REWARD.

Courts Asked to Determine Whose Title Is Best.

Grand Rapids, March 4.—Sheriff Stratton, of Allegan, Sheriff Gray, of Mount Pleasant, Engineer Zibbill, of this city, and George W. Crane, of Mount Pleasant, each claim the reward for the arrest of Jim Brown for the Kendallville train robbery in 1893. Brown was captured at Melbain last summer on suspicion of having helped to hold up the Chicago & West Michigan train near Pennville. He easily proved his innocence of that crime, but when in custody made a full confession of his participation in the Kendallville affair two years before, and further told where what was left of his share of the plunder was concealed, and about $3,500 was recovered. The Lake Shore railroad's reward of $1,000 for the arrest of any of the robbers was still standing, also that of the United States Express company of ten per cent. of all the plunder recovered. The four claimants each demand all the reward and the railroad and express companies have filed a bill of interpleader, asking that the four claimants be summoned into court and the rights of each be determined by a judicial decree.

MUST PAY HIS FINE.

Priest to Be Punished for Violating Marriage-License Law.

Lansing, March 4.—The supreme court has passed upon the Michigan marriage license law, declaring it constitutional. It was attacked by Rev. Father McGlaughlin, of Benton Harbor, who, in February, 1895, married a couple upon the representation of the groom that a license had been granted, but had not arrived by mail as expected. Subsequently it became known that the groom had a legal wife, and on a conviction of bigamy was later sent to state prison. The priest was then arrested for violating the marriage license law, convicted, and fined $100, and appealed to the supreme court upon the ground of unconstitutionality, but the court affirms the verdict in the court below and the law stands.

NO BIDDERS FOR LANDS.

Not an Offer for the 20,000 Acres Put Up for Sale in Michigan.

Lansing, Feb. 29.—At the state land office Friday 40 Agricultural college lands, recently restored to market, were offered at public sale. The offer included about 20,000 acres located in Antrim, Charlevoix, Kalkaska, Cheboygan Missaukee and Otsego counties. There were no bidders and not an acre was sold. The land will now be subject to private entry at prices appraised by the state board of agriculture. These prices range from $2.50 to $15 per acre. Much of the land is covered with hardwood timber. The failure to receive bids is believed to be due to the fact that the board appraised the land at too high a figure.

THE OTHER MAN WON.

Returned Convict Draws Straws for His Wife and Loses.

White Pigeon, March 2.—Edward Jordan, of Mottsville, has just completed a term of four years in the Jackson penitentiary. Jordan on his release returned to his home, where he expected to be affectionately greeted by his wife, from whom he had parted with vows of fidelity, but instead found her pledged to another. The sequel of the meeting was a proposition by Jordan to draw lots as to which one should claim his wife. This was done. Jordan lost and faithfully kept the unique compact. He parted with his lawful wife, while the divorce court and a second marriage will legalize the vows.

KILLS THE HORSES.

Fatal Effect of Eating Hay Supposed to Have Been Poisoned.

Niles, March 4.—All but two of the fifteen horses in Hudson & Johnson's livery stable at Stevensville have died, with symptoms of poisoning. Four weeks ago hay was bought from a farmer named Feathers. One by one the horses became sick, the doctors at first diagnosing the disease as lung fever. The first symptom was paralysis of the tongue, which extended to the stomach and lungs, while the blood became black as ink. It is said the hay was cut in an orchard where the trees had been sprayed. Feathers himself lost four horses.

Detroit Coroner Under a Cloud.

Detroit, March 1.—Prosecuting Attorney Frazer Saturday afternoon ordered a warrant issued for the arrest of Coroner Joseph Bettinger and his clerk, Harry Benzing, charging them with false pretenses in collecting money from the county for inquests that were never held. Officers soon found Benzing, and he was locked up. It is thought the coroner received warning, as he had not been apprehended.

Will Meet in Detroit.

Detroit, Feb. 28.—The democratic state central committee met here and selected Detroit as the place for holding the state convention to elect delegates at large to the national convention at Chicago. The date of the convention will be April 29. On the evening preceding the convention there will be a monster mass meeting to commemorate the birthday of President Monroe.

Shot by His Wife.

Houghton, March 4.—Frank Hahn met his wife in a saloon at Laurium Sunday night after several weeks' separation. He exhibited a revolver and she taunted him by saying if she had it she would shoot some one. He handed the weapon to her, and she fired five shots at him, inflicting serious wounds. Hahn may die. He has forgiven the woman.

Wants a Fog Signal.

Washington, Feb. 29.—Congressman Thomas, of Michigan, has offered a bill authorizing the lighthouse board to provide a steam fog signal for St. Joseph harbor. No appropriation is mentioned, and the cost of the whistle is left to be provided by the board.

STATE NEWS.

Items of General Interest to Residents of Michigan.

The United States fish hatchery at Northfield recently made a large shipment to Japan.

The striking cigarmakers at Detroit are trying to establish a cooperative factory.

Isaac Bonine, of Vandalia, raises elk for the market. He recently shipped five head to the east.

A. G. Randall, of Tekonsha, is talked of as state superintendent of schools to succeed H. R. Pattengill.

Charles Pix, of Bay City, was found frozen to death in his home. Exhaustion and hunger was the cause of his sad ending.

The man who was arrested and fined for throwing snowballs at the marshal at Charlevoix has been nominated for mayor.

Arthur Berry, an old negro of Greenville, lost $400 in the Moore bank failure, had $300 stolen from his pockets and then a false friend cheated him out of his home. He has been sent to the poor house.

Since the state school at Coldwater was organized 3,912 children have been received, 1,338 of whom are still wards of the state; 1,172 are in homes subject to inspection; 165 are in the institution. Of the number received [illegible] and 109 girls have married during minority.

$10,000 FOR A CARNATION.

New York Florist Buys the Exclusive Right to a Michigan Plant.

Grand Rapids, March 3.—A New York florist, for the sole right to the famous double carnation known as the "Murella," has paid its discoverer $10,000. The flower has been raised and owned entirely by a firm owning a large greenhouse near Reed's lake. The senior member of the firm has been engaged in the cultivation of flowers, and has bred many peculiar species. The "Murella" is one of the most beautiful carnations ever seen, being very large and of a deep red color. He has been working upon it for many years and brought it out only last year. After taking several prizes at floral shows he began to receive offers from prominent florists about the country.

KILLED HIMSELF.

Sensational Suicide of an Insane Man When Pursued.

Flint, March 2.—The city is excited over the sensational suicide of Walter K. Hough, of Lapeer, who was on Saturday placed in the Oak Grove asylum for treatment for insanity. Sunday Hough was permitted to walk out with Frank Klunn, an attendant. Outside of the city limits Hough attacked his attendant, declaring they must die together. After a hard scuffle Hough broke away and ran over a mile, pursued by several men. Suddenly he stopped, produced an ink eraser, plunged it into his neck several times, and expired within a few minutes.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Three Children Cremated in Their Home Near Monroe, Mich.

Monroe, March 3.—News was received Monday of the cremation of a boy, aged four, and two girls, aged two years and ten months, respectively, in Bedford township last Saturday. They were children of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rose, whose home, containing the little ones, was burned while the parents had gone away, leaving the doors locked.

Bench Show at Detroit.

Detroit, March 4.—The fourth annual bench show of the City of the Straits kennel club commenced Tuesday at the Auditorium, and will continue until Friday night. The entries number 462, and include the cream of the prize winners at the recent New York bench show. George J. Gould's pointers and J. Pierpont Morgan's collies are the center of attraction. The display of English setters is the best ever seen in Detroit. The show is the biggest ever given by the City of the Straits kennel club.

Pythians Begin Suit.

Detroit, March 4.—A case of great importance to the Knights of Pythias was begun here Tuesday. It is the suit in which the supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias seeks to permanently enjoin the Improved Order Knights of Pythias from using the former's name, ritual and paraphernalia. The improved order is composed largely of Germans, who bolted the order because of its action when a revised ritual was adopted and confirmed forbidding the printing of the ritual in the German language.

Is Now a Centenarian.

Coopersville, March 2.—This village has within its borders the oldest inhabitant in western Michigan, who has just celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth. His name is Walter McEwing, and he makes his home with the family of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Treat. He was born near Paisley, Scotland. When he was 13 he went to sea on a merchant vessel as an apprentice. For more than 50 years he sailed on the Atlantic and between Scotland and the West Indies, and also on the great lakes of America.

Heart Disease Claims Two Victims.

Grand Rapids, March 3.—Edwin F. Gidley, formerly a well-known attorney of Washtenaw county and once chief of police of Ann Arbor, died Sunday night of heart disease. His sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Smith, of Brighton, was summoned by telegraph Monday morning and died of heart disease in the depot while waiting for the train.

Kalamazoo Cycle Club.

Kalamazoo, March 3.—Kalamazoo launched the Michigan Cycle club Monday to secure the Michigan state meet next summer. A fine new and fast track is built, and the buildings will cost nearly $5,000.

Simon Hartman Killed.

Saginaw, March 2.—Simon Hartman, tramping to this city, was run down and instantly killed by a Michigan Central passenger train at midnight Saturday.

Cripple Creek, Colo.

Is the greatest gold mining camp in the world and is now on the Boom. The Wabash Railroad is the best line to Cripple Creek either via Kansas City or St. Louis. Call on or write to the nearest Wabash Ticket Agent for particulars.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	12	14
Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 75 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 75	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	8 to 10
Mutton, dressed, per lb		
Chickens, per lb	8 to 9	10
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		70
Corn, shelled		30 to 35
Corn in ear	17	to 18
Oats	20	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		10 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		90

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, March 4.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 10	@	4 50
Sheep	3 00	@	4 00
Hogs	4 20	@	4 75
FLOUR—Minnesota Pat'ts	3 60	@	3 75
City Mills Patents	4 20	@	4 55
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	78	@	78½
May	73	@	74½
CORN—No. 2	37	@	37½
May	36¾	@	37
OATS—Western	28½	@	29½
PORK—Mess	10 00	@	10 50
LARD—Rendered	5 65	@	5 70
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	21½
EGGS	11	@	11½
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 30
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	3 75
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 60
Texas Steers	3 00	@	4 10
HOGS—Light	3 85	@	4 10
Rough Packing	3 75	@	3 80
SHEEP	2 50	@	3 70
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	21½
Dairy	9	@	18
EGGS—Fresh	12	@	10
POTATOES (per bu.)	17	@	20
PORK—Mess	9 70	@	9 75
LARD—Steam	5 35	@	5 37½
FLOUR—Spring	3 40	@	3 55
Winter	3 10	@	3 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May	66¾	@	67½
Corn, No. 2	28¾	@	29
Oats, No. 2	20¾	@	21
Rye, No. 2	31	@	32
Barley, Good to Fancy	31	@	38
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spr'g	66	@	66½
Corn, No. 2	27½	@	27¾
Oats, No. 2 White	21	@	21½
Rye, No. 1	41	@	41½
Barley, No. 2	32	@	32½
PORK—Mess	9 75	@	9 90
LARD	5 70	@	5 75
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	73½	@	74
Corn, No. 2 White	29½	@	30
Oats, No. 2 White	23½	@	23¾
Rye, No. 2	40½	@	40¾
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 70	@	4 20
Texans	2 50	@	3 50
HOGS	3 75	@	4 10
SHEEP	2 75	@	4 20
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 50	@	4 05
Cows	1 75	@	3 20
Stockers	2 75	@	3 75
HOGS	3 75	@	3 85
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 25

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
Probate Court for said county.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

To Elizabeth Pilbeam, being interested in said estate as widow; Thomas J. Pilbeam, James Pilbeam, Edgar Pilbeam, Edward Pilbeam, Atmore Pilbeam, Franklin Pilbeam, George Pilbeam, Lyman Pilbeam, Eugene Pilbeam, Amanda Pilbeam, Elizabeth Wiggins, Minnie Smith, being interested in said estate as legatees and heirs at law, and Francis Yates, being interested in said estate as the guardian of Lavern Yates, Earl Yates, Grovener Yates, Elma Yates and Guy Yates, minors:

You will take notice that the undersigned have been duly appointed by said court as commissioners to admeasure and set off the dower of the widow of said deceased in all the lands of which the said deceased died seized, and that we will meet at office of Charles Burridge in village of Tecumseh, in said county, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for that purpose, as required by law.

Dated March 6, 1896.

GEORGE B. GRAY,
ALFRED LEWIS,
LESTER OSGOOD
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the hereinafter described land in the township of Macon, in said county, on Thursday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of this sale,) all the right, title, and interest of said William P. Emons, deceased, in and to the following described lands and premises: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Being on the east half of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-four (34), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Commencing at the quarter section line, thence running west along the section line thirty six (36) rods, thence south along land owned by William B. Swick eighty-eight and 89-100 rods, thence east along William B. Swick's land thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter section line eighty-eight and 89-100 rods to place of beginning; containing twenty acres of land, more or less.

Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BEAL,
Administrator of the Estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 18th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of George W. Smith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Margaretta M. Smith widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cynthia A. Hoag or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 16th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

HAD TO BE FED LIKE A BABY

A FEARFULLY AFFLICTED MAN

Suffering, Grief and Worry Fill His Cup to Overflowing.

From the Industrial News, Jackson, Mich.

Myron L. Root, a worthy workman, has lived for nearly twenty-five years in the city of Jackson, Mich., at 234 Adrian Ave., where he owns a happy home. His health had failed him for some years back, and the loss of his wife, two years ago, filled his cup of misery to overflowing. Grief and worry soon brought on a stroke of paralysis. A few weeks later he had a second stroke, which totally disabled him. He could not [illegible] head and had to be fed like a baby. The best medical aid was furnished him, and his friends did all they could for him, but human hands seemed powerless to give him relief.

Both physicians who were treating him told him, after a consultation, that there were no means of helping him. He was then but a mere skeleton, without power to move and scarcely strength enough to express his wishes. Death was truly much preferable to a lingering life of such misery and helplessness.

The marvelous cure, by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, of a woman afflicted similar to himself, which appeared in the *Industrial News*, was read to him, and although only a lingering spark of hope existed, he consented to give the medicine a trial, but insisted that another physician be called, in order to lay the matter before him. The physician was summoned and after a thorough examination of the patient and learning the history of the case, said that he could promise no relief and advised him to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which he had often known to succeed when everything else had failed. The pills were procured, and he took them according to directions, with the most wonderful result. At the end of two weeks he could walk, and at the end of four weeks, although weak, he was perfectly cured and is now able to do all kinds of light work.

A TERRIBLE RIDE.

From the Evening Times, Buffalo, N. Y.

Along one of the dismal roads in Western New York, a man and wife were driving as rapidly as the darkness and inclement weather would permit.

The rain beat down upon the rubber covering and found its way into every crack and opening.

The occupants of the buggy were Dean Jones and his wife, of Springville, N. Y. Everybody is familiar with the name. He is the well-known starting judge, who has become famous for his impartial and fair treatment of jockeys at the post.

It was about ten years ago that Mr. and Mrs. Jones took that fateful ride that came near costing her her life.

They were going from their home in Springville to Concadia, a ride of about seventy miles. Starting early in the morning, they rode to Scio, a distance of fifty-five miles, and from there started to Concadia. When about ten miles from their destination the storm overtook them.

Mrs. Jones' clothes were thoroughly soaked before town was reached. There was no fire in their hotel room and she became chilled to the bone before the little blaze, the attendant started, warmed the atmosphere.

From that time on Mrs. Jones was an ill woman.

Her trouble—well it was about everything with which human flesh can be afflicted. She had a strange, queer feeling in her head, that felt as if several shot were rolling around loose on her brain. Pen cannot describe the torture she suffered. Local doctors told her she had water on the brain.

A *Times* reporter called upon Mrs. Jones at her home, East Hill, Main Street, Springville, N. Y. She was looking the perfect picture of health and cheerfully told the reporter the story:

"Ever since that terrible wetting I received," said Mrs. Jones, "up to a year ago, I was an invalid. I had terrible neuralgia pains in the head which often went to my feet and [illegible] I was often in such a terrible state that I [illegible] chair before me to move about the house. I was very ill for five years, in spells, and never expected to get well. It was a blood disease, I guess. One of the doctors I consulted said I had clotted blood in my head, and perhaps I did. He could not cure me, neither could several other doctors I tried. I also used many patent medicines, but they did me no good.

"My complexion was a perfect [illegible] my ears were so transparent you could see through them. My blood was turning to water.

"Look at me now, do I look sick?"

The reporter was forced to admit that he had seldom seen a more perfect embodiment of health.

With pardonable pride, Mrs. Jones said: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People did it.

"I can go anywhere now, while before I commenced using Dr. Williams' remedy I could not move out of the house.

"For three years, would you believe it, I did not even go to church. I was not able, confined to my bed, but could not leave the house.

"I heard of the pills quite a while ago, and decided to try them. I believe we were the first people to try them in the town, and now I know a dozen people that are using them. I recommend them to everybody and they always do good. The druggist, Mr. Prior, on Main St., had to send away and get a half dozen boxes for me. He did not keep them but now I believe he sells more than any other medicine.

It may be said right here that Mr. Prior was seen by a *Times* reporter and corroborated Mrs. Jones' statement.

"Wherever I go people say, 'Why, Mrs. Jones, how well you are looking. How did it happen?' and I always tell them 'Pink Pills did it.'

"I can't really tell you how many boxes the pills I have taken, but I am never without them in the house. I have not had the least touch of my old [illegible] months and feel as if I never had been in my life."

Mr. Jones came in while the reporter was present and strongly endorsed his wife's testimonial.

"You can readily imagine, he said, of my neighbors regard the remedy in this locality where we have had a wife and mother restored to perfect health."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not to be had upon as a patent medicine, but rather as a prescription. An analysis of their properties show that they contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, and the tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration, all diseases resulting from vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. They are for sale by all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., for 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50.

TO THE PUBLIC.

OUR NEW PLANING MILL is now fully equipped with the Latest Styles of machinery, and our facilities are unsurpassed for doing all kinds of finished work for building purposes, such as Sash, Doors, Blinds and mouldings. We keep a mammoth assortment of Seasoned Lumber on hand. Special terms on car load lots, and Contractors and Builders will find it to their advantage to deal with us.

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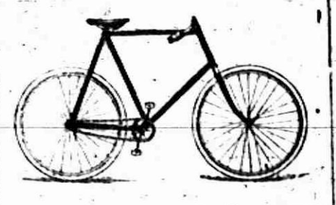

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A Midnight Visit to Haleakala, the "House of the Sun."

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Haleakala seemed only a stone's throw away, tho' it was really twelve miles to the peak. A cloud rested on the side as if it loved the mountain and would not [illegible] away to a mountain path, sometimes leading up a steep steady plain, then across a prairie, out up with deep gorges, or through a clump of trees. We crossed a ravine nearly one hundred feet deep, and scared up a flock of wild turkeys.

The ascent grew steeper and the air colder. At last, at about half past four, Olinda was reached. Olinda is the summer residence of Mr. H. P. Baldwin, the wealthy sugar planter. It is a large delightful house in a temperate region, surrounded by temperate flowers, and the grounds beautifully adorned. It is well furnished and left in charge of a Japanese, who, however, could not be found anywhere. We climbed in a window, made a fire in the range and prepared our suppers, while the guide took care of the horses. The house had a deserted appearance. Evidences of child occupancy could be seen in the dolls and toys and children's books of little tots, but this was winter, and the little ones were no doubt in their home down by the ever restless sea.

After supper we went to bed and slept until midnight, when we awoke, and, after lunch, saddled our horses and proceeded on our midnight journey to the House of the Sun.

Onward, and upward, step by step, and foot by foot, our sleepy horses stumbled through the darkness. From Olinda to the top of the mountain I was told that the rise was one foot to every six, and I believe that the statement is correct. But few words were spoken. If we were inclined to yawn or doze in our saddles, our horses stumbling on some round stone awoke us. Hour after hour we pressed on; sometimes over a bleak mountain wild, sometimes through a forest of dead trees blasted by the cold mountain winds.

Before starting, Mr. Colville had furnished me with an overcoat and gloves, assuring me that I would need them. I donned them on leaving Olinda, and now found my teeth chattering with the cold. I thought I would dismount and walk up the steep, but found after taking a dozen steps that I could hardly breathe. The atmosphere was so light that altho' our horses went on a walk they panted as if they had been running, and often we were compelled to halt and let them rest. My hat blew off once and I dismounted to get it. The exertion almost exhausted me.

Our guide showed evidences of bewilderment, and though he uttered not a word we knew he was lost. Mountain gorge after mountain gorge was crossed. Sometimes we threaded our way along a narrow shelf of rock on the mountain side, with a chasm five hundred feet deep on one side and a cliff fully as high on the other. My horse's foot struck a loose stone and set it rolling to the awful depths below.

At last the morning star arose. It looked double the size of a star. The purity of the atmosphere in this region would certainly make it a desirable place for astronomical observations. We halted to allow our horses to rest, and talked almost in whispers. A white object appeared among the rocks and coarse shrubbery. It was a wild bull. Wild cattle, wild deer and wild goats are common in the mountains of the Hawaiian Islands. At sight of us this one gave a snort and fled.

We pressed on and soon reached the summit, tired, chilled and benumbed, before the first tints of rosy morn began to appear. Our horses were turned over to our guide and I went into the stone house to build a fire, when one of my companions cried:

"It's coming. Let the fire go and hurry up."

Day had begun to dawn, and we ran, panting and stumbling, to the highest point of the peak which overlooks the vast crater, five miles in diameter. Right on the verge of that awful abyss we paused. I seized a stone weighing perhaps twenty pounds and threw it over into the dark crater. We wanted to hear it strike the rocky bottom. No sound ever came back. It was lost in the fall of thousands of feet.

The eastern horizon all spread out at our feet, was now a wonder of beauty. No pen can describe it, and no painter's brush do it justice. All the prismatic hues of the rainbow in an everchanging panorama were spread for thousands of miles below us. The orange glow here, the apple green there, the yellow gold and vermillion borders, while thousands of feet below were what seemed blue billows. These were clouds. As the day dawned they were ever changing, kaleidoscopic, and chameleon in beauty. One moment the clouds beneath were like blue billows, the next cold snow-banks with ships sailing in them; next they had taken an orange tint with flying angels among them, then animals, until the sun arose, and behold they were clouds.

As the sun mounted up into the heavens the clouds vanished, and the ideal beauty gave way to the real. Such a gorgeous scene was worth the night ride. It was worth more—it was worth crossing the ocean to behold. Five islands were in sight, and all the great island of Maui could be seen. The ships in the harbors looked like specks, the villages mere dots, the railroads mere threads, and those vast cane fields were only green spots the size of one's hand.

Haleakala is properly named the "House of the Sun." Space, however, will not permit a description of that wonderful crater in which the fires died perhaps a thousand years ago.

The Corporation Election.

Two tickets were again in the field this year, and as a consequence considerable interest in the election last Monday was manifested. This, however, was manifested more by the electors than by candidates who, with one or two exceptions, let the people work their own sweet will without let or hinderance. The people's ticket was elected with two exceptions, these two candidates on the corporation ticket getting in by 3 and 1 majority respectively. The officers chosen are certainly good ones and the affairs of the municipality will be in careful hands for the coming year. But the people will have to pay a good tax, just the same, and the users of city water will probably have the same shut off when they violate the rules, or at least it is to be hoped so.

The total number of votes cast was 395, with 4 thrown out on account of not being properly marked. The number cast last year was 344, with 18 counted out from informality. Our citizens are gradually being educated in the mysteries of the Australian ballot. The corporation ticket received 56 straight votes and the people's 93. We give below a table of the result. The first name given under each office was the candidate on the corporation ticket:

PRESIDENT.	
J. H. Smith	157
Alfred James	227—70
CLERK.	
Will J. Ingersoll	194— 3
Sumner Collins	191
TREASURER.	
James Elliott	143
Frank D. Avery	241—98
TRUSTEES (2 years).	
Chas. A Wright	183— 1
Chas. E. Williamson	182
E. N. Satterthwaite	148
James Lowry	231—83
Henry Smith	146
Herbert E. Stout	239—93
ASSESSOR.	
Horace Weller	136
Jehiel Davidson	245—109

To Teachers and School Officers.

In order to awaken an interest in the beautifying of rural school grounds, the State Agricultural College offers to the first ten school districts in each county that make application, a collection of flower seeds, to be planted upon the school grounds and to be cared for by the children.

They will be selected with reference to their adaptability for the purpose and will be accompanied by directions for their planting and care.

We urge all persons interested in the schools, or in the welfare of the children to aid in instilling in the pupils a love of flowers and regard for the appearance of the grounds about the schoolhouses, as we believe that it will not only aid in cultivating in them a love of the beautiful, but it will be a means of interesting them in the work of the school room.

Applications should be made as promptly as possible, as we cannot promise to honor any received after the first of April. The seeds, with full directions, will be sent about April 15.

L. R. TAFT,
Agricultural College, Mich.

Crop Report for February.

The weather during February was favorable for wheat. The snow was in sufficient quantity throughout the month to afford the plant fair protection. In answer to the question, "Has wheat during February suffered injury from any cause?" 131 correspondents in the southern counties answer "yes," and 368 "no;" 64 in the central counties answer "yes," and 116 "no," and 9 in the northern counties answer "yes," and 89 "no." The averege depth of snow on the 15th of the month was more than four inches in the southern and central counties, and more than 10 inches in the northern counties. Near the close of the month a thaw occurred that reduced the snow to little more than a trace in the former two sections, and from that date to March 1st the ground has been bare. In the northern counties the average depth at the end of the month was nearly 5 inches.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers in February is 718,283. Of this amount 234,193 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 134,617 bushels in the second tier; 107,011 bushels in the third tier; 129,795 bushels in the fourth tier; 100,911 bushels in the fifth and sixth tiers, and 6,636 bushels in the northern counties. At twenty-four elevators and mills from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in the seven months, August—February, is 6,707,118, which is 1,299,500 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year.

Live stock is in good condition. Considering the short hay crop stock is wintering remarkably well.

A GREAT BLUFF.

The Game was Backed by Boodle, But it Didn't Work.

When the Stimpson Computing Scale was first perfected the Computing Scale Company at Dayton, Ohio, recognized the fact that they would soon have in the market a competitor which, in a trial on merit, would soon outclass their scale and practically destroy their large business in that line, if left to establish its own reputation in the open market. With this in mind, the Dayton people have put forth every effort and used every means which money and the avenues of a well established trade put at their disposal, to crush the Stimpson scale before it could be generally put worth in the mercantile world be established. Almost every means, except the legitimate measures of fair competition, have been used to accomplish this end.

A suit for infringement was commenced. Circulars of different kinds were systematically sent, not only to the trade, but to the agents of the Stimpson Company, warning them against infringement and threatening prosecution. In fact, this was carried to the extent of making many warm friends for the Stimpson people among those who had the courage to try the scale and see its superiority and the utter absurdity of the infringement proceedings. By a liberal use of money a temporary injunction was obtained in California, enjoining the Stimpson Company from doing business there for the time. However, upon the arrival of the latter's representative in that territory the business was revived and their trade is rapidly increasing on the coast.

The manufacturers here, as well as every one who has looked into the matter knew that the Stimpson patent did not infringe and that the suit and entire attack of their competitors was a desperate game of bluff, which savored more of an attempt at blackmail than a legitimate means of asserting vested rights. That the Dayton Company knew this, is evidenced by the fact that they dare not follow up their suit in California and were very glad to make as graceful a back down as possible at Detroit, and pay up the costs before allowing the suit to come to an issue.

However questionable and unscrupulous were the tactics employed by the Dayton concern to crush their rival, they are the same methods which have been successfully used many times to rob inventors, manufacturers and people of most useful patents. But to the credit of the Stimpson Computing Scale Company and to the best interests of Tecumseh it did not work in this case. The company had carefully examined the value as well as the validity of the Stimpson patents before engaging in the manufacture of the scale and when satisfied of its worth were unmoved by either bluffs, threats or law suits.

The question of infringement was forever settled in the U. S. District court for the eastern district of Michigan last Monday by Judge H. Swan.

A decree was issued upon consent of the parties in the suit of the Computing Scale Co., of Dayton, O., vs. the Stimpson Computing Scale Co., of Tecumseh, Mich., from which we quote as follows:

That the Stimpson Computing Scale having two sets of computations, one on the computation plate and one on the poise as manufactured and sold by the defendant, is not an infringement of said patent."

"That the complainants bill be dismissed with costs."

Our Gentleman Dressmaker.

Having heard considerable comment on Tecumseh's gentleman dressmaker, we made him a call and were shown the finest and most elaborate hand-painted designs we ever had the pleasure of seeing. Mr. Deuel says those three plates cost more than any other plates published. They are from Paris and Berlin styles. Of course the Paris ones are far ahead of all others for fineness and display of material. "Yes, we often make up a garment just like the ideas given in the plates, but never make two alike." He showed one of a combination of a tannish brown combined with a very mild and pleasant shade of blue, which, he says is to be an Easter gown for one of Tecumseh's best. He had a very handsome waist of black crepon, made in a very stylish combination of satin and chiffon, which was especially handsome. Mr. Deuel says, "three things we pride ourselves on. First, our ideas are always original. Second, our fit and finish are the very best; and third, we never make a customer feel afraid of having some one else's gown made like her's, as we never duplicate any piece of work."

"What system do I use? Well, I use something no one else uses—one of my own. I draft every skirt on the goods, every one to fit the customer, and every piece of each garment is made to fit the customer; never had a pattern in my place of business. If you will come in some day I will show you how I draft and give you all the information you want. Prices? Well, prices are all right; not too high for anyone, but hardly high enough for me. Yes, I will stay here for some time; any way this spring."

Reduced rate will be made for those attending the Detroit Wheelmen's cycle show, March 11 to 14, and the Grand Council Royal Arcanum annual meeting at Jackson, April 14 and 15.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(Private and Regular Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., March 6, '96.

If Congress is in earnest about wishing the belligerency of the Cubans recognized and steps taken towards the ultimate independence of Cuba it must take another tack, as President Cleveland served notice upon them in advance of the agreement between the House and Senate upon the exact form of the concurrent resolution, that he will pay no attention to that document, because it is not in accordance with his views as to the proper position this government shall occupy towards the Cubans. This notice which is in the form of a statement prepared and given out [illegible] is regarded as extraordinary in more ways than one. It would have been extraordinary had it been given out after Congress had finally acted upon the Cuban resolution. It is a new thing for the President to say to Congress in advance of its action that he will not be governed by it. The members of the Spanish lobby in Washington are much pleased at President Cleveland's attitude; they say it will deprive the Cubans of any benefit they might have received from the adoption of the resolution by Congress.

Congress has a weapon with which it can compel Mr. Cleveland to carry out its wishes in this matter. The vote upon the Cuban resolution showed only six Senators and Seventeen Representatives opposed to it. It will therefore be an easy matter, should Mr. Cleveland persist in refusing to act upon the concurrent resolution, to adopt the same in the form of a joint resolution. Should he veto it, Congress can easily pass it over his veto, provided, of course, that two-thirds of both House and Senate have the nerve to do so. The more conservative element in Congress favor waiting a reasonable time, to see if the President will act upon the concurrent resolution, before taking further steps, and that will probably be done, unless something new occurs to arouse the fighting blood of Congress.

Hon. Joseph Manley, of Maine, who is in charge of the Reed campaign for the republican Presidential nomination, has established his headquarters in Washington. He says of recent reports about New England opposition to Reed: "There is not the slightest doubt that Speaker Reed will secure the solid vote of New England. It is folly to talk of anything else. It is very easy to say that a man is not solidly supported in his own section. Everybody knows that there are warring factions among republicans in Ohio, and that if it were to come to a show down between Foraker and McKinley, the former would undoubtedly win. Nevertheless no one doubts that the Ohio delegation will be solid for its favorite son, and properly so. He is entitled to the vote of that state just the same as Gov. Morton is to that of New York, and Senator Cullom to that of Illinois. Mr. Reed will be quite as solid in New England as any other candidate will be in his own state."

The House Judiciary committee this week reported a bill that is in line with common, everyday business sense and ought to speedily become a law. It makes it unlawful for U. S. officials to purchase, directly or indirectly vouchers for witness fees in U. S. courts or any other claims against the government, and makes the penalty for violation removal from office and a fine of from $50 to $5,000.

The Senate committee on Privileges and elections has reported in favor of the Allen resolutions providing for an investigation by a select committee of the Senate of the last Alabama Senatorial election. The minority of the committee made a report against the resolution. As the resolution will be voted for by all the populists and all, or nearly all, the republicans its adoption is regarded as almost a certainty, unless the democrats resort to filibustering to prevent a vote.

It is expected, from the opinions expressed by members, that the House Ways and Means committee will look into the talk about this country being flooded with cheap manufactured articles, for the purpose of deciding whether any special legislation is necessary.

The action of Senator Gorman, in moving to reconsider the bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to charter vessels for naval purposes and to enlist 1000 additional men for the navy whenever in his judgement there is an emergency requiring such action, which was this week passed by the Senate, is making talk. Mr. Gorman says his object is to have the bill more carefully considered and to limit the time within which the Secretary of Navy may exercise the power given. It is thought the motion to consider will be defeated.

There is food for thought in the following apt and timely words spoken by Senator Palmer, of Ill.: "The Congress of the U. S. finds it an easy matter to attend to the affairs of other nations, but has shown itself utterly incompetent to deal with our domestic affairs. The grave questions of a deficiency in the public revenue and a crippled currency are pressing upon us for solution, and we acknowledge our inability to master them. But we can reach out and settle the affairs of other governments with ease and dispatch." Mr. Palmer isn't the only person who has noted the tendency of Congress to take a more decided stand upon the affairs of other nations than upon those of our own. But then it must be remembered that the citizens of other nations have no votes in the coming Presidential election.

Clinton Column.

Two Deaths—Village Election—Probably Two Contested Offices.

Mrs. Frank Brown is very ill.

Bertha Semark is seriously ill.

Will Gadd took a trip to Detroit Tuesday.

Frank Brown was at home over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Semark is very seriously ill.

Bert Moulton moved to Norvell last week.

Mr. and Mrs Wm. Gadd are visiting at Orion.

Mrs. W. H. Katner is in Toledo on business.

M. Alexander, of Tipton, was in town Friday last.

Frank Wallinger was up from Tecumseh Monday.

Frank Schmidt, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Will P. Hamilton, of Detroit, was in town Monday.

Frank Smith, of Adrian, was in the village Monday.

Miss Frances Middlebrook went to Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Belle Hogan was visiting in Jackson last week.

Miss Eva Shimman returned from Detroit Friday night.

J. G. Winnie, of Adrian, was in town on business Tuesday.

Miss Libbie Hunt visited Tecumseh last Friday afternoon.

Frank L. Parker was home from Albion Monday afternoon.

G R Wolfe was a Tecumseh visitor between trains Tuesday.

Ralph Kishpaugh drove to Britton Friday, returning Saturday.

Mrs Bert Tate is the guest of Mrs. Abbie Fisher at Tecumseh.

Mrs. Will Hause visited her parents in Britton from Friday until Sunday.

Jas. Wadsworth and Rob. Bauer came home from Hudson to spend Sunday.

Miss Nellie Grey, of Manchester, visited at Truman Gee's over Sunday.

W. H. Smith died Sunday at about midnight. Funeral Wednesday at 4 o'clock.

Miss Florence Poucher, of Brooklyn, visited at Wm. Gadd's the latter part of last week.

There was a donation for Rev. D. H. Ramsdell at the M. E. church Wendesday night.

Ed Halladay and wife, of Napoleon, were visiting friends in Clinton the last of last week.

W. S. Whittelsey and wife returned last Friday from a three days' visit with Toledo friends.

Barny McAdam was seen on our streets Monday, for the first time in several months.

Mrs. A. C. Huntington and Mrs. E. L. Parker took the train for Adrian Monday afternoon.

Ralph Piper, of Deerfield, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. R. Wolfe, for the past week.

Miss Emma Shiem went to Manchester last Saturday to assist in taking care of a cousin who is very ill.

It is reported that Mrs. Mae Baker was married in Adrian last Friday to Frank Boodry, of Chicago.

Fred Bradner, of Chicago, came here Saturday for a few days' visit with his grandfather, J. W. Bradner.

Mrs. R Allie Moore, of Hillsdale, after a stay of several days in Clinton, left for Saline last Saturday.

Otis Kingsworth, who has been working in the plow factory here, left last week Thursday for Sonoma, Mich.

Mrs. Frank Crossman, of Jackson, closed her visit with Clinton friends last Thursday and went to Tecumseh for a few days.

P. E Blackman died Sunday night. The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. Ward Stone, of Milan, conducting the services.

Miss Anna Geiger, on her return from Colorado last week, was taken quite seriously ill at Deerfield. Her mother went there to care for her.

Cadet Floyd Rogers, of the Orchard Lake military academy, has been promoted from the ranks to corporal. He stood third in the appointment of ten candidates.

Miss Carrie Alvord closed her winter term of school last Friday in the Dillingham district. She will teach the same school in the spring after a vacation of two weeks.

The item last week in regard to Otis Kishpaugh leaving the plow company would have been more comprehensive had the type been truthful and said Kingsworth instead of Kishpaugh.

Wednesday afternoon as Jas. Hogan was untying his horse it broke away, ran east on Chicago street, turned north on Jackson street, ran against a wagon near the livery barn, left the buggy and went home.

The village election Monday was somewhat exciting, there being two contesting tickets in the field, the regular or Corporation and the Law and Order. The outcome was somewhat mixed and, although a majority of the old ticket was elected, there is every indication that, through a claim of irregularity in the counting, at least two of the Law and Order elects will be contested. Those declared elected, with ticket and majorities, are as follows: President, Wm. C. Rogers, c, 6; clerk, C. D. Cutting, l and o, 7; treasurer, John Mosher, l and o, 8; trustees, J. O. Fitzgerald, l and o, 1; Albert Tate, c, 3; Chas. F. Clark, c, 12; assessor, Addie St. John, c, 8.

PENTECOST.

A Good Field for Missionaries Here at Home—Star Gazing.

The aurora, Wednesday night, kept many observers up till a late hour.

The Herald's new departure—cut and gummed at the back—is appreciated by its many friends.

The Pentecost blacksmith shop has a new occupant, Mr. John Marshall. So, farmers, bring along your equines now, and your farming implements, etc., and get them ready for the spring campaign at hand.

Mr. Cafer, the new tenant on the Harrison Daniels farm, has just moved in. We understand he works the place for J. J Putnam, who holds the lease and will make it a sort of "base of supplies" in the way of fresh fruits, vegetables, milk, butter, etc., for his guests at his lovely place at Sand Lake.

A lady, shopping in a neighboring village Tuesday, saw three brothers, reeling drunk, on the street. And their mother is a widow, too. Talk about sending missionaries to the heathens! A little money expended in sending a missionary among our law-makers at [illegible] of many [illegible] be a good investment if it resulted in better laws regulating the drink traffic.

Mrs. J. M. Bixby passed away Monday, Feb. 9, having survived her husband just two weeks and one day. This is a sorely afflicted household. One daughter, Mrs. H Warner, lies very ill in the house of mourning, and Lawson L. Warner, the husband of another daughter, is quite sick in his own house a few rods from the Bixby home. Much sympathy is felt for them by the whole community.

SHOW YOUR COLORS.

That's what you want to say, voters, to every candidate who asks you to help elect him to an office. Do not be deceived by specious promises that mean nothing. If he comes to you and says you are too heavily taxed but that when he gets to be supervisor you will see easier times just ask how he proposes to set about it. Is he going to make easy sailing for the man who wants a license to run a saloon in your town? If so, oust him, "neck and crop," from your list of candidates. The heaviest tax we pay today is that laid upon us by the saloon, in the never-failing harvest of disease, poverty degredation and vice that always accompany that open door to perdition. Don't be in too great haste to vote for a new man, in the hope that you will be the gainer somehow. Remember the Frog of Aesop, who tired of useless King Log, begged for a new ruler. And when the new king, Stork, sailed down majestically in their midst they were filled with delight at sight of his gleaming eye, his proud bearing, etc., but when he "waded in" to the pool and began gobbling up the silly frogs their shrieks and groans of terror were useless, for they had all voted for "a change." So make your candidate "show his colors," and if piratical, sink him.

LINGUA.

AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents, by mail, from Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

A Preacher.

Of Waterloo, Ind., Rev. S. P. Klotz, writes: "I have been afflicted over 20 years with dyspepsia or sour stomach. Have tried different remedies without much benefit. A 10c bottle of Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gave me great benefit. Have taken nearly one large bottle, and feel like a different person." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar

Cripple Creek, Colo.

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Pure, rich blood is the true cure for nervousness, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve tonic. 1w

A BIT OF HISTORY.

BY ALBERT CLAYPOOL WHITE.

[It is the belief of many people that when Dr. Jameson crossed the Transvaal frontier at the head of a band of 800 freebooters, it was with the tacit approval of the British South African company; that if the British South African company found that Jameson and his expedition were successful, they would back him up with their wealth and their machine guns; that if the British government found the South African company was successful, they would back up the company with the forces of the British empire, and that another country would be gobbled up by Great Britain. All of these hopes have been baffled by the defeat of the Jameson expedition by the Boers. This recalls another expedition projected on similar lines in our own country about 100 years ago, when Aaron Burr went into the west, and, making Harman Blennerhassett's beautiful home his headquarters, began enlisting men for an expedition against the Spanish possessions on the Gulf of Mexico. He, too, led his men to believe that it was with the tacit approval of the United States government, and, if their expedition succeeded, the United States would back them up and make it a part of its territory. As a matter of fact, Burr designed to make himself dictator of the conquered territory. But there, too, events militated against the adventurer, and the Burr-Blennerhassett expedition failed. But it was a picturesque and most changeful time in American history, and it will not be uninteresting to recall it now.]

In the Ohio river, near the mouth of the Little Kanawha and about 14 miles below the old town of Marietta, lies Blennerhassett island. Perhaps no other spot along "La Belle Riviere" has such an interesting history.

It is almost 100 years since Harman Blennerhassett and his bride went to live in the great wilderness of the west. Blennerhassett was the son of an Irish gentleman, though his birthplace was at Hampshire, England. He was born in 1767, when his parents were on a visit to Hampshire. His family was among the most distinguished of the Irish gentry, and Harman enjoyed excellent educational advantages. After a preliminary schooling in England, he entered Trinity college, Dublin, where he graduated in due time with high honors. He then read law in the Inns of Court, and was admitted to the bar in 1790. At the death of his father, soon after, Blennerhassett received a large accession to his fortune.

With wealth, rank and intellectual powers of a high order, richly cultivated, he seemed to be on the threshold of a brilliant career. His friends desired him to enter politics, but that was not to his taste. His inclinations were for the quieter paths of literature. The excitement aroused by the oppression of royalty was in the very air in Ireland, and he turned to the United States as a haven of refuge. He sold all of his landed estates and went to England, where he married Miss Agnew, a daughter of the governor of the Isle of Man. Before leaving London he purchased a large and valuable library and an extensive chemical and philosophical apparatus. Through letters which he brought he and his wife became acquainted with many of the leading families in New York, and they were the recipients of flattering attention.

Hearing of the Eden-like islands in the Ohio river, he determined to visit that part of the country. Mr. and Mrs. Blennerhassett arrived in Pittsburgh in the autumn of 1797 and floated down the river as far as Marietta in one of the flat-bottomed boats then in use. He spent all of the next winter in studying the topography of the country and the habits of the people. The following spring he bought what was then called Backus island, and ever since it has borne his name. This island contained about 300 acres, and at the upper end a few acres were free from trees, presenting a natural lawn.

The new owner of this enchanting spot began energetically to erect a home. Slaves were bought and the upper part of the island was laid out and ornamented with exquisite taste. There were graveled walks and carriage ways, and a beautiful view of the river through an opening among the trees, and a flower garden of about two acres filled with flowering shrubs, both exotic and native. Arbors and grottos covered with vines were scattered here and there, and on the south side of the island was a kitchen garden, stocked with choicest fruits. Spacious outbuildings were erected and boat landings constructed for communication with the Ohio and Virginia shores. The house was like a palace, with two wings stretching out in either direction, and its inside finish was luxurious. When the house was completed, together with the adornment of the grounds, the sum of $60,000 in gold had been expended.

The mistress of this romantic home was a very beautiful woman. Her figure, tall and commanding, was molded in perfect proportions. Her manners were captivating, and at the same time full of dignity. She wrote and spoke French and Italian fluently, while her familiarity with English literature at once stamped her as a woman of culture and refined education. She was an accomplished horsewoman and she was also an accomplished housewife. She was very ambitious, and it was a great trial to her to have her husband waste his brilliant powers in obscurity. Vainly she urged him to enter as an advocate the higher courts of Virginia, but he preferred his books and music and the peaceful pursuit of scientific studies. Blennerhassett was a versatile genius, a man of great benevolence and intense sympathies, and in manners very courteous, mild and yielding. His virtues were of the amiable character, and he was easily duped by the designing. That he lacked ambition and loved ease was evident.

When the Blennerhassetts had finished their home and begun to live in earnest, if the lives of two idlers may be called living in earnest, their island became the center of the fashionable set of the community. The leading people of Marietta, Belpre, near by on the Ohio shore, and all of Wood county, in Virginia, made the Blennerhassett mansion the center about which all things in the fashionable world revolved. For eight years they dwelt there, entertaining all comers with open-handed hospitality, making frequent trips to the east to visit friends, as well as to make purchases. They entertained lavishly for the times and for the surroundings, and the fame of their hospitality reached far and wide.

Such was the island home, and such were its inhabitants, when the serpent entered this Eden and wrought its ruin. Aaron Burr was one of the most fascinating of men. A graceful man, of handsome aquiline features, with high mental endowments and in possession of rare conversational powers, he had the instincts of a vulture and was eternally scheming for his own personal gratification and aggrandizement, reckless of the ruin and misery his selfishness wrought. His career had been brilliant until when, as vice president of the United States during President Jefferson's first term, he imbrued his hands in the blood of Alexander Hamilton and brought upon himself the execration of his countrymen. It was then he formed the Napoleonic conception, and apparently feasible one, of wresting from Spain the empire of Mexico, and from the United States the vast and almost unsettled solitudes of the Mississippi valley, there to organize a magnificent empire, of which he was to be imperator.

Burr had heard of Blennerhassett, of his wealth, and of his influence over the rapidly-increasing population of the Ohio valley, and he resolved to enlist him in the enterprise. In the spring of the year 1805 Burr appeared upon Blennerhassett island and was the recipient of distinguished attentions at the hands of its hospitable owners. It is not my purpose to follow in detail the intrigues and intricacies of the dealings between Burr and Blennerhassett. Suffice it to say that both host and hostess were charmed. He was as artless as a child. Familiar with the secrets of state, he spoke of the prospect of war with Spain and of the ease with which the Mexicans with a little help might throw off the Spanish yoke and establish an independent government.

Having taken the first step, he went on his way. The next autumn, however, Burr and his beautiful daughter, Theodosia, made a short visit to the island, and in the following winter, Mr. and Mrs. Blennerhassett were lured east for the purpose of further interviews, and it is presumed that they entered into a sort of partnership for land speculation. Blennerhassett was incapable of treason, and it cannot be doubted, as it appeared afterward at the trial, that Burr adroitly veiled his real purpose from him by the projected land speculation.

In the summer of 1806, Burr came west, and active measures were taken to organize an expedition. The intriguer had such influence with Blennerhassett's wife that she readily persuaded her husband to pledge himself for the payment of expenses. Bateaux sufficient to carry 500 men were built and provisioned at Marietta, and Col. Burr visited many settlements in Ohio and Virginia to engage enterprising and hardy young men as recruits, and he speedily secured the required number. Each emigrant was required to bring a rifle and a blanket. The little colony was organized with military precision, for its leader was an accomplished soldier. Every one was to receive the gift of 100 acres of land. Burr told them that President Jefferson, who was very popular in the west, approved of the expedition. Confidently he assured them that, while their expedition was a peaceful one and its object the settlement of a vast tract of land purchased of Baron Bastrop, still there was the certainty of war between the United States and Spain, in which event Mexico would free herself, and his colony would have the molding of a grand empire on the foundations of democratic equality, and they might enrich themselves beyond the dreams of romance.

Meanwhile news of Burr's doings had reached the east, and President Jefferson became alarmed. He knew Aaron Burr thoroughly, and was well aware of his ambition and his powers of intrigue. The governors of Ohio and Virginia were called upon to suppress the expedition. The militia was called out, and the boats and stores were seized. A detachment of militia from Wood county, Va., landed upon the island, became drunk from the liquors in the cellar, and pillaged and burned the house and out-buildings. Burr and Blennerhassett were both arrested for treason, and were tried and acquitted.

In the next two years Blennerhassett lost his island home, and he found himself with a family upon his hands, but with his riches all gone, and in their place a mountain of debts. However, he learned enough to write a book, in which he involved not only Burr in treasonable acts, but also Gov. Alston, of South Carolina, Burr's son-in-law. Alston paid $10,000 rather than have the book published. Blennerhassett then undertook a cotton plantation near Natchez, but the war of 1812 ruined commerce, and he removed to Canada. Here he became bankrupt and was forced to subsist until his death upon the bounty of a sister. Mrs. Blennerhassett, thrown upon her own resources, returned to America to prosecute her claim for the destruction of her home on the Ohio island by the militia, subsisting meanwhile upon the income of a few shares of bank stock and the charity of her friends. She died, however, in 1842, just as she had her petition properly before congress.

Blennerhassett is now used as a picnic ground in the summer time, and is kept planted in the ordinary crops. There is little left to mark the site of the old mansion. The well, which is about six feet in diameter, was so well stoned up when first built that it is as good as new to-day, and the water is sweet and cool. As a last touch of iconoclasm, where the rounded lawn once lay is now a baseball diamond.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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A DETECTIVE'S STORY.

The Sweetheart Robbed to Pay a Man's Courting Expenses.

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Raffle for a Preacher.

A Georgia paper tells of a raffle for a minister that was recently held in Parrott, Ga., the loser being compelled to take him. The Methodist congregation was having a revival which had dragged its length along until the congregation had become worn out with church-going and providing for the preachers, who came from all around to assist in the cause. The last preacher that came was the straw that broke the back of the dromedary. No one wanted him, and a meeting of the stewards was held to consider how he was to be provided for. One of them proposed to draw straws for him, which was not agreed to, but finally the question was settled by a proposition to raffle the minister off, and this actually happened, the steward who made the lowest throw taking the unwelcome preacher and providing for his physical wants during the closing hours of the long religious services.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...rous Fire—New Mill Project —Call to Local Wheelmen.

...Bragg, of Ridgeway, has opened ...w meat market.

...member Teeple will be in Britton ...day. Don't forget.

...s. G. W. Sancrant went to Flat ... Tuesday for a visit.

... Hiscock, of Toledo, is the guest ...s son-in-law, Will Allen.

...e winter term of school closed yes... for a two weeks' vacation.

...orge Exelby shipped a deck of ... Thursday, they were sold in De...

...ss Edith Collins, of Blissfield ... Sunday with her brother, M. B. ...ns.

...I. Kishpaugh and wife, of Clinton, ... guests of Mrs. Jas. DuBois over ...ay.

...propriate Easter services will be ...in the Christian Union church on ...er Sunday.

...mes Kinch, who has been staying ...one for a few weeks, returned to ...on yesterday.

...a. Will Hause, of Clinton, was in ...illage the latter part of last week ...ng parents and friends.

...expect Walter Exelby home from ...rnia tomorrow, where he has been ...g relatives for a few weeks.

...an Babcock and James Haight ...over to Detroit last Thursday, on ...sure and business trip combined.

... Bachman, who has been working ...edo for a few weeks, came home ...day, returning to work again Mon...

... rumor that Rev. S. Rederus, of ...n Reform church, has secured an... field of labor is not true. His ...s yet Britton.

...l Larribee has been acting as re...perator for the Mackinaw for a ...days, relieving Will Osterhout ...erating a shovel.

...E. E. Hendershot, of Macon, was ...g professional calls in this com... Thursday, and took occasion to ... few social calls as well.

...s.—All persons indebted to me ...ease call and settle, as it would ...y acceptable just at this time.

WM. R. OSGOOD.

...r and Elmer Osgood, of Morenci, ...n the village Sunday. They are ...rs of Will, and came up to look ...e ruins of the mill which burned ...ay.

...pecial features under the rule ...of the order at last meeting of ...af Hive were very much enjoyed. ...re worthy of a much better at...co.

...Rose and wife, of Jerome, called ...ld acquaintances in the village ... Mr. and Mrs. Rose were visit... ... Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. ...iver.

... Pipes arrived from Muskegon ...ght. He has a new artificial ...h which he is very much pleased. ...oks healthy and expects to get ... a farm.

... Gibson has secured a position ...e Page Wire Fence Co. of Adrian, ...ing the state of Ohio. May suc... with you as you go to new fields ... new victories.

...ph Hunter's familiar countenance ...een seen around the village for ...l days, Joe has been engaged in ...g repairs on his building getting ...y for occupancy.

...e is still a scarcity of dwellings ...illage. Two or three families ...w without permanent homes. ...on't some of our moneyed citizens ... a few good cottages to rent?

...first job turned out at the new ...g office was a bill announcing ...tertainment of the Yucca Medi... to be given for the benefit of ...good. It was a very tasty and ...iece of work.

...master Babcock is in receipt of a ... from the assistant postmaster ..., to the effect that the Britton ...as one of four in the state that ...t had an error in their quarterly ... for the last two years.

... Lee made the nearest guess at ...mber of teeth on the Yucca Doc... necklace, winning the prize, a ...knife, fork and spoon. The num...essed was 117 and the actual ... on the string was 119.

...e Christian church next Sunday, ...5, the pastor, Rev. C. I. Deyo, ...ach on the following subjects: ..., "Is Prayer Consistent with ... Wisdom and Power?" Even... ...e Important Uses of Discon...."

...raphers of the Wabash, and ...engaged in handling trains, ... to pass a satisfactory examin... to their sense of hearing and ...s to their general health. ...s at this point have been or... Ashley for the purpose.

...ontative citizens were in To... Wednesday offering induce... parties to come here and start ... mill in company with W. Os...od things will be offered to ... man, and we hope a deal will ...mmated in the next few days.

...d and older mill of W. R. Os... discovered to be on fire at 9 ...turday morning, and before a ...ater could be got onto it it was ...ontrol, and in less than 30 ...as entirely wiped out. With ...ion of the boiler and a dam...e, the plant was a total loss. ...ance. The community are ...p strong to the assistance of ...d, and he has already taken ...ards rebuilding.

We are now in the midst of the maple sugar season, but unfortunately for Britton, the only sugar tree in the village is the one standing by the school building, and there are good reasons to believe that even that old monarch would produce a doubtful quality of sugar.

The regular monthly meeting of the ladies' aid society was held in the parlors of the church on Wednesday afternoon last and enjoyed a very pleasant time. Our villagers should not forget the fact that this society serve a supper at each of their regular meetings, at which time, for the small sum of ten cents, you have the privilege of buttoning your vest over a good square meal.

Every wheelman in the township should take an interest in appointing pathmasters on the day of election. You can do much towards bettering the condition of the roads by so doing. Arrange some definite plan of action and carry it out. Don't allow one of the old school pathmasters, who scrape the bottoms of the ditches up into the road, to be appointed. There are oceans of good gravel to be had, almost for the hauling. Lets have some of it.

Charlie DuBois, Will Underwood, Geo. Exelby, Will Britton, Geo. Smith and Geo. Britton went to Tecumseh on business, and as a side line, purchased so many raisins that it was train time before they could get them to the depot. However they made a sprint for it which broke all records; Smith and DuBois finishing tie, with Underwood five seconds behind. Charlie felt so good about it that he treated everybody out of Smith's raisins by mistake(?) and a kodak man secured the horrified expression on George's face after he had helped himself to a double handful of his own fruit.

By the destruction of Ogood's feed and cider mills by fire Saturday morning our village suffered the loss of an industry that it can ill afford to do without, and the farmers of the surrounding territory will feel its loss directly much more than the villagers. The mill has always done a good business, and was more than usually busy this season, the exceeding low prices for grain allowing the farmers to feed very freely. Of course our merchants all benefited more or less by the business. Mr. Osgood had no insurance on the property and the loss comes very heavy on him. That he has the substantial sympathy of all, is evidenced by the fast growing subscription bonus, which in the first hour or two went up toward the $200 mark.

Dearest father, thou hast left us—
Left us for the other shore;
But we soon will follow after,
For thou hast only gone before.

Gone before just o'er the river
Whence no traveler e'er returns,
And we hope e'er there to meet thee
On the resurrection morn.

How we watched around thy bedside,
Faithful watchers through the night;
Lest, while in the hour of absence,
Thy soul from hence would take its flight.

But there came the hour of parting,
When our hearts were wrung with grief;
And we saw thy life departing,
As we beheld thy fleeting breath.

Now thy room looks bare and vacant,
Father's chair is empty now,
Mother now is sad and lonely,
Sadness wreathes her furrowed brow.

But we, too, must hear the summons,
And how soon no one can tell.
So we bid thee, dear father,
Just a little while farewell.

—GEORGIANA.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. John Cheever and family wish to hereby sincerely thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them at the death and burial of their dear husband and father. Also to the W. C. T. U. for their beautiful flowers, and the choir for their choice selections.

MACON.

Wood Cutting Bee—Another Citizen Suddenly Summoned.

Isaac Hondershot is improving.

Eye social at J. B. Coller's tonight.

Miss Grace Collins is having a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. Wetzel and son have rented a part of Dr. Geo. Howell's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heesen and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brazee spent Sunday with S. Chambers.

There will be a wood bee in Mark Pennington's woods on Wednesday, the 18th, to cut wood for the church. The ladies will hold a social and furnish dinner to all who come.

Died, March 11, 1896, Thomas Liddle. Although Mr. Liddle had not been well for several days, still his death was a shock and a loss to the community where he has been for years a loved and respected citizen. A wife and three daughters mourn his loss.

A POLE AND FLAG RAISING.

An event happened in school district No. 7, township of Macon, Saturday, March 29, which we are always proud to mention. It was the closing day of a very successful term of school taught by Edward Miller. After a very interesting and appropriate program given by the scholars who did themselves and the teacher great credit; an address was given by J. D. Shull, of Tecumseh, followed by remarks by H. W. Stevens, both being very interesting and instructive. After this "America" was sung by all, followed by the raising of the Star Spangled banner by J. D. Shull. The music was furnished by the Macon Male Quartette. And when we pause and consider the history of our glorious old flag, through what clouds of dust and smoke it has passed, what storms of shot and shell, what scenes of fire and blood! How many heroes its folds have covered in death, how many have lived for it and how many have died for it, we can truly say that we hope these flag raisings will continue until every school in our land will float the stars and stripes and every boy and girl taught to love and honor the flag of our country.

RIDGEWAY.

Nuptial Festivities—Sugar Festival—State Lecturer W. C. T. U.

T. H. Temple was in Adrian Monday on business.

Grandma Lowe has been ill for the past few days.

H. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Wright visited friends in the village last week.

Daniel Linn was under the doctor's care a part of last week.

Wm. McNeil, of Dundee, called on relatives Thursday of last week.

Addie Sherman closed her winter term of school in Dutchtown Friday.

Prosecuting Attorney Bird, of Adrian, was in the village Friday on business.

W. L. Jones has had a relapse since last week's report, but is now improving.

Claude Knifin, of Britton, spent Monday evening with his cousin, Glen Smith.

Anderson & Co.'s cut sale on carpets has brought several new carpets to our village.

Any person wishing to purchase a fine heifer will do well to call at A. J. Sutton's at once.

Miss Edith Callens, who has been in Detroit for the past two month, called on friends Sunday.

Did you get a postal with a short message written on it? If so keep your eye on it as more may follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waldron and daughter, Margaret, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday afternoon in the village.

Mrs. S. Barlow returned Tuesday from a two month's stay with her daughter, Mrs. I. T. Bush, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The members of the L. C. S. will give a maple sugar festival in the church on Friday evening, March 20. Proceeds for the carpet fund.

Presiding Elder Davis occupied the pulpit Sunday morning, giving a very interesting and appropriate discourse for the quarterly meeting service.

Why is Floyd Smith wearing such a smiling countenance since his visit at the county seat Friday? It being leap year Floyd wasn't on to all the schemes of the fair sex and didn't know when to say, No.

Mrs. E Norine Law, of Detroit, state lecturer for the W. C. T. U., will give a gospel temperance address in the auditorium of the church on Sunday evening, and on Monday evening a temperance lecture. A free will offering will be taken to defray expenses.

On Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowe; Mrs. Edith Montgomery and Eldridge Lowe were united in marriage, Rev. J. N. Boyer performing the service. Only the near relatives of the contracting parties were present. The newly married couple will begin house keeping at the old homestead.

CONE.

Meeting of Ladies' Aid Society—School Exhibition—Personals.

Mrs. H. B. Vandeventer is quite sick this week.

Mrs. Geo. Gray and son, Jesse, visited friends in Detroit several days last week.

Mrs. J. C. Cone attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Milan Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Flo S. Bentelbury, of Dundee, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Kent.

The ladies aid society will meet with Mrs. Amasa Vandeventer, Wednesday afternoon, March 25. All are invited.

Fred Rapp and Misses Jessie and Mertie Auten visited friends in Toledo and Raisinville the first of the week.

A school exhibition was given by the scholars of the Caswell school, Saturday evening of last week. Notwithstanding the bad roads, the house was full, and the exercises were listened to with great interest.

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The railways of Illinois last year carried 63,485,413 passengers, and out of that number 13 lost their lives by accident.

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After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

W. F. Snyder, general western passenger agent of the Big Four, with headquarters at St. Louis, has resigned in order to engage in other business.

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World's 4-year-old champion pacer, owned at Lesh Farm, Goshen, Ind., where Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure is manufactured. Joe H. Lesh, Prop'r., says: "When I know an article possesses great merit I am very free in endorsing it, especially when it may be of great benefit to stock owners, farmers and others of this country. Such is Spohn's Distemper and Cough Cure as a remedy for distemper, pink eye, epizootic, catarrhal fever, chronic coughs and the like; and as a conditioner I consider it invaluable, as we use it with pronounced success." Sold only by C. A. Wright, druggist

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Directors of the Wabash railroad have been telling New Yorkers that the affairs of the company are very satisfactory. A year ago the management was borrowing $700,000, while at the present time it is borrowing only about $100,000.

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Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes ***"I was troubled with heart disease*** for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. ***They said there was no help for me,*** that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisements in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,*** which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and ***It completely cured me. I sleep*** well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial." Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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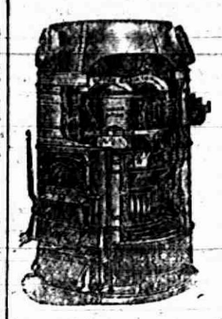

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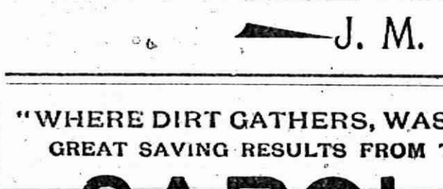

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AROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Jesse Thayer, one of the oldest residents of the county, died at Clayton Sunday morning, and the funeral was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock. He was 90 years old in January, and at one time was a prosperous merchant in Medina.

The Telegram gets back at its esteemed contemporary in this manner: "The Telegram may need a wheelbarrow to help push Adrian. But people don't have to climb on a freight car to know what is going on, as is reported they do when the head push for some of its chief critics does his pushing."

The Hudson Post is guilty of the following: "A man who formerly resided in Adrian has composed a piece of music entitled 'The Arrival of the Hottentots.' He got the idea from attending an Adrian swell ball where the abbreviated costumes of the ladies reminded him of the full dress of an aristocratic Hottentot."

A large prairie schooner, says an exchange, passed through Osborn, Kan., bound west from Oklahoma last week bearing the inscription: "Oklahoma for starvation, Kansas for desolation, Texas for devastation, Nebraska for damnation. Going to Ohio to sponge on wife's relation. To H——l with democratic administration."

Monroe Democrat: Rev. J. P. Hutchinson, of Milan, in a recent sermon said: "To believe in a future state is not only reasonable, but is natural. The Yarubas, after losing their first born, would say on the birth of a second child, 'thou art come again.'" But suppose the lost first born was a boy and newcomer a girl, Elder?

James Schermerhorn, formerly of the Hudson Gazette, who has been serving on the editorial staff of the Detroit Evening News for several months past, has been appointed Washington correspondent of that paper, and has left to enter upon his new duties at the capitol. We congratulate brother Schermerhorn on his advancement.

Monroe Democrat: Royal Longley, of Raisinville, aimed a blow with an axe, with the intention of making the chips fly. There's many a slip betwixt the axe and the chip. Longley's foot took the clip, the axe going to the bone in its course, severing several arteries and veins. Dr. Knapp was the beneficiary of the painful accident.

Dundee Reporter: Some wicked galoot, who should now be keeping company with J. Wilkes Booth, attempted to wreck the Ann Arbor theatre train near Azalia, when returning from Toledo last Friday night by placing ties upon the track. The obstructions were discovered by the engineer in time to slacken his train and prevent a wreck, the ties being pushed off the track and upon the pilot, but no damage was done. Stones were also thrown at the train when passing the Azalia charcoal kilns. The dastardly work is charged to a gang of tramps that were in that vicinity that night.

Monroe Democrat: We understand that a new paper has been started in Monroe, "The C. E. Informer." Mrs. L. B. Bissell is the chief editor, and Alex. Grant is the printing firm. It is to be issued monthly, if possible; if not, then bi-monthly, or whenever sufficient material can be gathered for an issue. The first number was issued last week and was read last Sunday at the C. E. meeting, and contained editorials, pastoral letters, C. E. Dart's missionary notes, a column of "wants," letters from absent members, and reports of committees. It was an excellent piece of amateur work.

We have heard of all kinds of mean men, but it seems Holly has one that can go them all one better. The Fenton Independent says: "The meanest man yet hails from Holly. He had a well that needed cleaning, but fearing the treacherous quicksands at the bottom, he was afraid to undertake it. He hung his coat on a post near the well and went into hiding for a few days. His neighbors missing him, and finding his coat on a post near the well, surmised that he had sunk beneath the quick sands and they worked with a will to find his body. After the well had been thoroughly cleaned out in their efforts to find the body, the wretch showed up."

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—House and 2½ acres of land in Brownville. Inquire of D. L. Rodgers.

FOR SALE. I have acclimated Strawberry Plants for sale, of the following varieties: Mt. Vernon Gandy Warfield, Parker Earl Early Michel Haveriand, (resembles Early Ozarkdas very early—$1 per 100, 50 cts per hundred 75 cts per thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the Gregg and Gregy.

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PLANTS—Order your strawberry and raspberry plants early. I have a fine stock of the following varieties: Strawberries—Bed Wood, Rubach (2 recent, Meech's Early, Enhance, Bubach, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, Princess, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—Cuthbert, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, Hansell, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars inquire or write.

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FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike, known as Sam Holden place. Good buildings water etc.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 12, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

John Brunn spent Sunday in Manchester.

Grand Hibernica at the Opera House March 16.

Henry Wilson returned from New York city Monday.

R. E. Farley visited his parents in Jackson last Monday.

Miss Nettie Southworth is moving into the McCowan house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crossman have been visiting in Tecumseh this week.

Best specialty comedy company on the road at the Opera House Monday night.

Will Osborn began work in the table factory in the finishing room the first of the week.

Miss Nellie Landgraff, of Toledo, is spending the week with Miss Bertha Smeltzer.

Mrs. James E. Newburn, of Cleveland, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robbins.

Ray Brazee has been nursing a sore foot the past week having cut it badly with an axe.

The Table factory is again putting in extra time this week on a large order from Boston.

Misses Helen Dixon, of Jackson, and Emma Clark, of Manchester, are visiting at P. J. Welling's.

Frank Davidson is knocking down stuff to beat all this spring. He has four auction sales this week.

Chas. McCarbery, of Monroe, was visiting friends and relatives here and in Macon the first of the week.

A. M. and A. F. Henry, of Toledo, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Henry, west of town over Sunday.

H. Brewer & Co's foundry was closed Monday to repair the boiler. They began operations again Tuesday morning.

Ladies call at once and see the new case wrappers for spring and summer, just received at Harris & Hiteshu.

The Christian Culture Class will meet at Frank Bryan's next Saturday evening. Conveyance will be at the parsonage at 7:15.

W. Anderson left for New York last Friday afternoon on business. He will visit his daughter Helen at Vassar College before his return home.

Mrs. Bice and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, March 18, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

The ministers' meeting last Monday morning was postponed till next Monday at 10 a. m. at the M. E. church. A full attendance is especially desired.

The ladies of the the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church wish to thank all those who so kindly contributed toward their thank-offering last Sunday evening, which amounted to $25.

Harry Bailey, of Macon, has received a probatory appointment to the railway mail service and has been assigned to the New York & Chicago R. P. O., between Cleveland and Syracuse.

In noting the death of Mrs. Julia Ann Wilson, of Franklin, last week, an error was made in stating that the deceased was the widow of Andrew Wilson. It should have read, Richard Wilson.

Frank Chilson returned home Wednesday night from Detroit where he has been the past week overseeing the unloading oftheir yessel there. They were obliged to unload their cargo of corn, as it had begun to heat.

Burt Pritchard had the misfortue to crush his thumb, while cutting wood last Saturday. The injured member was amputated at the first joint by Dr. Smith. The end of that thumb will never get in the way again.

If you wish to see a large and fine assortment of new spring goods, comprising all the latest styles both in dress goods and novelties, in dry goods, carpets, shoes, etc., go in and examine Harris & Hiteshu's new stock.

"Cow Boy" Smith, of Denver, Col., will run a ten mile race at the Armory in this city Wednesday night against ten men from this locality. Pedestrianism is an exciting, and at the same time, perfectly harmless form of sport; and as the contestants will be evenly matched it promises to be a very interesting contest.

Hibernica occupied the boards at Smith's opera house Tuesday evening and played to a large and well pleased audience. The panoramic views of Ireland were complete and well worth the price of admission to those who delight on the beauties of the Emerald Isle. The "Two Dans" as twin actors were inimitable and mirth provoking to a degree. The Blodgett & Hyde comedy co. are good fun-makers, and on the whole the show was O. K.—New Lexington, Ohio, Herald, Jan. 28. 1896.

Our merchant tailors are hustlers. Watch their ads.

Miss Nettie Fowler was a Clinton visitor Wednesday.

Anderson & Co. report a very heavy trade at their cut rate sale.

Winter still lingers in the lap of spring. Bring along some wood.

Mrs. H. B. Reed, of Brooklyn, Mich., is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Kittie Dillon was the guest of Will E. Sisson's family over Sunday.

F. A. Deuel is finishing some very stylish Easter gowns. Watch for them.

Notice our column of auction sales. It contains a sale of real estate in Tecumseh.

Next Monday at the Opera House, Howorth's Grand Hibernica and Specialty Co.

Miss Lucy Bliven, of Hillsdale, is visiting her sister Mrs. Will E. Sisson this week.

Mrs. Floyd Bostwick, of Jackson, was the guest of Tecumseh friends the first of the week.

Look out for the Baptist Young People's annual eggtaiare the last week in March. Further particulars later.

The boys are in training at the Armory this week. Some very good miles have been made and a good race is expected.

The finest line of spring and summer shoes ever opened in Tecumseh are now waiting your inspection at Harris & Hiteshu's.

A special meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., is called for tonight for work in the 3d degree. A banquet will be served.

Our spring capes and jackets just received are beautiful and stylish and the prices are low. Call and see them at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Don't forget the best part of old Ireland will be with the Hibernica Co., at the Opera House Monday evening, March 16. Prices 25, 35 and 50.

A special meeting of the Tecumseh Chapter No. 42, R. A. M. will be held Wednesday evening, March 18. Work in the 5th and 6th degrees.

Frank Miller and Frank Wolff, Lenawee county horse thieves, at Adrian, last week, were each provided with a home at Ionia for the next three years.

A very pleasant dancing party was held at the Armory last Friday. The second will be given tonight. Sammie McClure presided at the piano with much satisfaction to all.

The President of the W. R. C. desires a full attendance at the meeting next Monday evening to perfect the arrangements for the Department Convention and other important business.

H. W. Stevens has just been commissioned as Aide-De-Camp on the staff of Commander in Chief, I. N. Walker, of The Grand Army of The Republic. His commission is dated at Indianapolis Feb 28.

An exchange says that a certain man who has managed to read his local paper without paying a cent for it is at work on a scheme to cross the milkweed with the strawberry for the purpose of raising strawberries and cream.

Will A. Smith, "Cow Boy" Smith, who will race here next Wednesday, seems to be a very gentlemanly fellow. He enjoys an excellent constitution for having followed the track more or less for twenty years. Unlike the great majority of so-called "Sports," he is strictly temperate in his habits.

"Cow Boy" Smith has some very good records as a long distance runner. Among some of his best are the following: 547 miles, made in Madison Square Garden, in 142 hours, 6 days; 376 miles in 6 days—12 hours a day; 206 miles in 30 hours, world's record; 190 miles in 24 hours, world's record; 73 1-2 miles in 12 hours, longest run made without a stop.

The Grand Haven Evening Tribune, of March 7, gives a very flattering announcment of Howorth's Hibernica as played in that city last week. The account speaks very highly of the play, the singing, scenic effects, etc. The music was especially complimented. Governor Rich witnessed the performance there and was much pleased with the company.

Mrs. E. N. Law has been engaged by the W. C. T. U. to deliver a couple of lectures in Tecumseh. The first will be held in the Baptist church on Tuesday evening, March 17, the second in the M. E. church Wednesday evening, March 18. A parliamentary drill will be given Tuesday evening. The public are invited. Lectures free, with a collection at the close of each.

The state librarian requests that all study clubs, working in the state of Michigan, send to the state library written or printed programs of their work and, if possible, a short history of their origin, object and condition. This request applies to all associations in the cities and small towns, farmers' clubs, grange reading circles and independent organizations. The object is to gather statistics of clubs organized for systematic study. The information which, it is hoped, will be sent in will be arranged and issued as a bulletin from the state library and all clubs complying with this request shall be registered in this department.

A new variety of hard times croakers have sprung up in town. They make haste to repeat some groundless rumor, or even joke, to the effect that this or that business man is about to fail, etc. This is often done thoughtlessly, but it nevertheless has its evil effects, and does not tend to help the business or credit of any one. As a matter of fact the business men of Tecumseh have weathered the hard times of the last few years most successfully. Their stock in trade has been kept up to every requirement and, by square dealing and low prices, they have brought trade and business to our town. Be careful, neighbor, to assist rather than to harm a friend's business, especially in these times.

Jud DePuy, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Geo. R. Helding, of Clinton, was in town Thursday.

Tom McCann is making a visit to his old home near Hunker Hill.

Meetings every evening at the Universalist church this week.

Mrs. Bert Tate, of Clinton, was a Tecumseh visitor this week.

J. B. Stevenson, of Onsted, was in town for a day's visit this week.

Mrs. C. F. Patterson returned Monday from a two week's visit at Detroit.

Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, of Clinton, called on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Dr. Reed went to Manchester Saturday for a few day's visit, returning yesterday.

Miss Nellie Conklin spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dwells Hodges at Jackson.

The rites of baptism were administered to four candidates at the Baptist church last week.

Fred Rector entertained a large company of young people at his home north of town last evening.

John R. Clark arrivdd on the noon train Wednesday for a few day's visit with Tecumseh friends.

Look for our bulletins and come to our meetings at the Universalist church beginning next Monday.

Mrs. G. S. Ross and little daughter, of Adrian, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Dickinson the first of the week.

Miss Hattie Montgomery has completed her business course at Cleary's college and arrived home last Tuesday.

Have you seen those beautiful Dress Goods, Silks, Laces, etc., etc., for spring and summer now open for inspection at Harris & Hiteshu's?

At the home of Mr. A. VanValkenburg in Franklin yesterday at high noon occured the marriage of his eldest daughter Ada to Mr. Will Swartz. The newly wedded couple will begin life anew on a farm in Adrian township.

Mrs. L. F. Selfridge, who has made her home with her brother B. L. Baxter for the past two years left last night for Jackson where she will make a short visit on her way to her home in Chicago. Alva Warring has moved into the Baxter house.

The quarters of the public library have been enlarged. The books will be kept in the room directly back of the reading room. The reading room has also been rearranged and furnished with new tables from the Tecumseh Table Co.

H. W. McClure has bought an interest in the restaurant business of Robert Moir. The new firm will make a departure in the business by starting a cigar manufactory. Instead of retailing cigars, Ed McKinney will return from Chelsea and enable them to make new ones.

Cleo Hall has started to ride horseback, whether for health or not we are unable to say. He, however, took an allopathic dose of it Tuesday when he started a la John Gilpin for the low lands to scale lumber. He thinks of applying to the Armory people for some of their solution for the relief of sore muscles.

The "new girl" can find a little food for reflection in the following anonymous jingle: "Maud Muller on a summer night went out on her bike in the bright moonlight. She peddled around from six to ten on a trip that would fag the strongest men; but her heart was light and her spirit gay, for it wasn't work, 'twas not but play. Next morning, however, she'd a pain in her head; she was all played out and stayed in bed, while her mother hustled in the kitchen below—not to ride a wheel but make things go. Though the morning is hot and she worked by the fire, she didn't collapse with a punctured tire. Alas for the girl and the woman, see. Things are not as they used to be.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gillespie, as a notice in a recent issue announced.

The gathering was large, even if the weather was somewhat unfavorable, showing conclusively that the interest taken in the Club is sufficient to keep it in splendid condition.

The literary program was not performed exactly as had been arranged but enough work was carried out to make the time pass pleasantly. A question box took the place of the customary discussion, bringing a variety of questions before the club, some of which received more than ordinary attention.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Schreder, on Tuesday evening, March 24th.

PROGRAM.

Music—D. H. C. Bowen.
Dec.—Ralph Gillespie.
Essay—Ellen Fisher.
Music—Geo. Reattnoire.
Rec.—Maggie Schreder.
Select Reading—Mrs. Grant Schreder.
Rec.—Ethel Hendershot.
Music—Mr. Bowen and Don.
Charade—Lovina Schreder
Dialogue—Fred Rector and others.

The T. & F. Farmers' Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will hold their next meeting at the thome of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haire, Friday evening, March 20.

PROGRAM.

Rec.—Gertrude Tallman.
Dec.—Herbert Munger.
Reading—Mate Matthews.
Song—Glenne Shurtz.
Dec.—Robbie Haire.
Parody—Elva Tallman.
Conundrums—Mrs. Swarts.
Rec.—Lora Cairnes.
Reading—Mrs. Munger.
Rec.—Lila VanValkenburg.
Chips—Mrs. Will Waldron.
Lecture—Edward Hoag.

On account of the small attendance at Mr. Melody's, the same question will be discussed: "Is the Girl's Industrial Home beneficial to the state in proportion to the expense?"

High School Happenings.

Cleo Hall called on the A room Friday.

Levi Owens visited the C room Wednesday.

The philosophy class have begun the study of heat.

The Senior class expect to organize in the near future.

The class in Medieval History have begun reviewing.

Miss Nettie Allison, of Adrian, called on the high school Monday.

Latin IV. are interested in Virgil's description of a trip to Hades.

Miss Lottie Aten was a visitor in the C room last Wednesday morning.

The literature class are engaged with English novelists and historians this week.

Prof. Kellogg favored the philosophy class with a few selections on the flute last Monday

The geometry class, as a whole, did some creditable work on the examinations last Friday

Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Coddington visited the grammar grades at the central building last Monday.

One of the boys of the A room, who is undoubtedly a student in that great "school of experience," recently wrote an essay on the subject of corns. However we are pained to hear that the paper was rejected by the committee on program.

OBITUARY.

HULDA HOWE

Mrs. Hulda Howe was born in New York in 1831, and died in Tecumseh, Mich., March 5, 1896. Her husband, Harley D. Howe, died twenty years ago. Eight children were born to them, four of whom still live. Three sons, Asa, Joseph and Charles, of Tecumseh, and one daughter, Mrs. Lois Carney, of Wabash, Ind. Georgia Howe, her granddaughter, will greatly miss her, as she knows no other mother, having lost her own in infancy. Twenty years ago Mrs. Howe became a christian, and at the time of her death was a member of the Methodist church. She was remarkably consistent and happy in her christian life and work. Only those who knew her as a christian, knew her real worth. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner at the Methodist church and the remains buried in the cemetery at Dundee.

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Is America mentioned in the Bible? Learned and unlearned men who have studied the inspired books of Daniel and Revelation more than I have and who related them better agree in saying that the leopard mentioned in the Bible meant Greece, and the bear meant Medo-Persia, and the fourth meant Babylon, and the beast of the text coming up out of earth with two horns like a lamb, and the voice of a dragon means our country, because among other reasons it seemed to come up out of the earth when Columbus discovered it, and it has been for the most part at peace like a lamb, unless assailed by foreign foe, in which case it has two horns of strength enough, and the voice of a dragon loud enough to make all nations hear the roar of its indignation. Is it reasonable to suppose that God would leave out from the prophecies of His book this whole western hemisphere? No, no. "I beheld another beast coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb, and he spake as a dragon."

Germany for scholarship. England for manufactories. France for manners. Egypt for antiques. Italy for pictures. But America for God!

I start with the cheering thought that the most popular book on earth to-day is the Bible, the most popular institution on earth to-day is the church, and the most popular name on earth to-day is Jesus. Right from this audience hundreds of men and women would, if need be, march out and die for Him.

Am I too confident in saying "America for God?" If the Lord will help me, I will show the strength and extent of the long line of fortresses to be taken, and give you my reasons for saying it can be done and will be done. Let us decide, in this battle for God, whether we are at Bull Run or at Gettysburg. There is a Fourth of July-ism way of bragging about this country, and the most tired and plucked bird that ever flew through the heavens is the American eagle, so much so that Mr. Gladstone said to me facetiously, at Hawarden: "I hear that the fish in your American lakes are so large that when one of them is taken out the entire lake is perceptibly lowered," and at a dinner given in Paris an American offered for a sentiment: "Here is to the United States—bounded on the north by the aurora borealis, on the south by the procession of the equinoxes, on the east by primeval chaos, and on the west by the day of judgement." The effect of such grandiloquence is to discredit the real facts which are so tremendous they need no garnishing. The worst thing to do in any campaign, military or religious, is to underestimate an enemy, and I will have no part in such attempt at belittlement.

This land to be taken for God, according to Hassel, the statistician, has 14,219,967 square miles, a width and a length that none but the omniscient can appreciate. Four Europes put together, and capable of holding and feeding, as it will hold and feed, according to Atkinson, the statistician, if the world continues in existence and does not run afoul of some other world or get consumed by the fires already burning in the cellars of the planet—capable, I say, of holding and feeding more than one billion of inhabitants. For you must remember it must be held for God as well as taken for God, and the last 500,000,000 inhabitants must not be allowed to swamp the religion of the first 500,000,000. Not much use in taking the fortress if we can not hold it. It must be held until the archangel's trumpet bids living and dead arise from this foundering planet.

You must remember that it is only about seven o'clock in the morning of our nation's life. Great cities are to flash and roar among what are called the "Bad Lands" of the Dakotas and the great "Columbia plains" of Washington state, and that on which we put our schoolboy fingers on the map and spelled out as the "Great American desert" is, through systematic and consummating irrigation, to bloom like Chatsworth park, and be made more productive than those regions dependent upon uncertain and spasmodic rainfall. All these regions, as those regions already cultivated, to be inhabited! That was a sublime thing said by Henry Clay while crossing the Allegheny mountains, and he was waiting for the stage horses to be rested, as he stood on a rock, arms folded, looking off into the valley, and some one said to him: "Mr. Clay what are you thinking about?" He replied: "I am listening to the oncoming tramp of the future generation of America." Have you laid our home missionary scheme on such an infinitude of scale? If the work of bringing one soul to God is so great, can 1,000,000,000 be captured? In this country, already planted and to be overcome, paganism has built its altar to Brahma, and the Chinese are already burning incense in their temples, and Mohammedanism, drunk in other days with the red wine of human blood at Lucknow and Cawnpore, and now fresh from the diabolism in Armenia, is trying to get a foothold here, and from the minarets of her mosques will yet mumble her blasphemies, saying: "God is great, and Mohammed is His prophet." Then there are the vaster multitudes with no religion at all. They worship no God, they live with no consolation, and they die with no hope. No star of peace points down to the manger in which they are born, and no prayer is uttered over the grave into which they sink.

Then there is is alcoholism, its piled up demijohns and beer barrels, and hogsheads of fiery death, a barricade high and long as the Alleghenies and Rockies and Sierra Nevadas, pouring forth day and night their ammunition of wretchedness and woe. When a German wants to take a drink he takes beer. When an Englishman wants to take a drink he takes ale. When a Scotchman wants to take a drink he takes whisky. But when an American wants to take a drink he takes anything he can get. [illegible] the statistics of how many [illegible] under the heel of this most [illegible] of the stories? How many [illegible] Holy may curse it [illegible] and the smoke of the [illegible] of the torment that ascendeth [illegible] forever and ever! Alcoholism, [illegible] not with hand unpitied to [illegible] even, for from that direction [illegible] get no help, but with right hand stretched down toward the perdition from which it came up—swearing that it will not cease as long as there are any homesteads to despoil, any magnificent men and women to destroy, any immortal souls to damn, any more nations to balk, any more civilizations to extinguish.

Then there is what in America we call socialism, in France communism, and in Russia nihilism—the three names for the same thing—and having but two doctrines in its creed: (1) There is no God; (2) there shall be no rights of property. One of their chief journals printed the sentiment: "Dynamite can be made out of the dead bodies of capitalists as well as out of hogs." One of the leaders of communism left inscribed on his prison where he had been justly incarcerated, these words: "When once you are dead, there is an end of everything; therefore, ye scoundrels, grab whatever you can—only don't let yourselves be grabbed. Amen!" There are in this country hundreds of thousands of the lazy scoundrels. Honest men deplore it when they can not get work, but those of whom I speak will not do work when they can get it. I tried to employ one who asked me for money. I said: "Down in my cellar I have some wood to saw, and I will pay you for it." For a little while I heard the saw going, and then I heard it no more. I went downstairs, and found the wood, but the workmen had disappeared, taking for company both buck and saw.

Socialism, communism and nihilism mean, "Too wicked to acknowledge God, and too lazy to earn a living," and among the mightiest obstacles to be overcome are those organized elements of domestic, social and political ruin.

There are also the fastnesses of infidelity, and atheism, and fraud, and political corruption, and multiform, hydra-headed, million-armed abominations all over the land. While the mightiest agencies for righteousness on earth are good and healthful newspapers and good and healthful books, and our chief dependence for intelligence and Christian achievement is among them, what word among the more than one hundred thousands words in our vocabulary can describe the work of that archangel of mischief, a corrupt literature? What man, attempting anything for God and humanity, has escaped a stroke of filthy wing? What good cause has escaped its hinderment? What other obstacle in all the land so appalling?

Our leader, like most great leaders, was born in an obscure place, and it was an humble home, about five miles from Jerusalem. Those who were out doors that night said that there was stellar commotion, and music that came out of the clouds, as though the front door of Heaven had been set open, and that the camels heard His first infantile cry.

Then He came to the fairest boyhood that mother was ever proud of, and from 12 to 30 years of age was off in India, if traditions there are accurate, and then returned to His native land, and for three years had His pathway surrounded by blind eyes that He illumined, and epileptic patients to whom He gave rubicund health, and tongues that He loosed from silence into song, and those whose funerals He stopped that He might give back to bereaved mothers their only boys, and those whose fevered pulses He had restored into rhythmic throb, and whose paralytic limbs He had warmed into healthful circulation, pastor at Capernaum, but flaming evangelist everywhere, hushing crying tempests and turning rolling seas into solid sapphire, and for the rescue of a race submitted to courtroom filled with howling miscreants, and to a martyrdom at the sight of which the sun fainted and fell back in the heavens, and then treading the clouds homeward, like snowy mountain peaks, till Heaven took Him back again, more a favorite than He had ever been, but, coming again, He is on earth now, and the nations are gathering to His standard. Following Him were the Scotch Covenanters, the Theban legion, the victims of the London Haymarket, the Piedmontese sufferers, the Pilgrim Fathers, the Huguenots and uncounted multitudes of the past, joined by about four hundred million of the present, and with the certainty that all nations shall huzzah at His chariot wheel. He goes forth, the moon under His feet and the stars of Heaven for His tiara—the mighty leader, He of Drumclog, and Bothwell bridge, and Bannockburn, and the one who whelmed Spanish Armada, "Coming up from Edom, with dyed garments from Bozrah, traveling in the greatness of His strength, mighty to save," and behind whom we fall into line to-day and march in the campaign that is to take America for God. Hosanna! Hosanna! Wave all the palm branches! At His feet put down your silver and your gold, as in Heaven you will cast before Him your coronets.

The very things that have been quoted as perils to this nation are going to help its salvation. Great cities, so often mentioned as great obstacles—the center of crime and the receptacle of all infamities—are to lead in the work of evangelization. Who give [illegible] to home missions, to asylums, to [illegible] to all styles of hu- [illegible] What place will do more than any other place, by reason of the Christian men and women and means, in the work of taking America for God? New York city. The way Paris goes, goes France. The way Edinburgh goes, goes Scotland. The way London goes, goes England. The way New York and a couple other cities go, goes America. May the eternal God wake us up to the stupendous issue!

Another thing quoted pessimistically is the vast and overtopping fortunes in this country, and they say it means concentrated wealth, and luxuriousness, and display, and moral ruin. It is my observation that it is the people who have but limited resources who make the most splurge, and I ask you, Who are endowing colleges and theological seminaries? Did you ever hear of Peter Cooper, and James Lenox, and sainted William E. Dodge, and the Lawrences, Amos and Abbott, while I refrain from mentioning living benefactors who, quite as generous and Christian, are in this assembly, at this moment planning what they can do in these days, and in their last will and testament in this campaign that proposes taking America for God? The widow's mite, honored of the Lord, is to have its part in this continental capture; but we must have more than that, and more right away. Many of the men that expect to get the blessing for bestowing the widow's mite will not get the blessing. In the first place, they are not widows, and in the next place, they have no "might."

The time is coming—hasten it, Lord—and I think you add I will see it, when, as Joseph, the wealthy Arimathean, gave for the dead Christ a costly mausoleum, the affluent men and women of this country will rise in their strength and build for our King, our Jesus, the throne of this American continent.

But now what are the weapons by which, under our omnipotent leader, the real obstacles in the way of our country's evangelization, the 10,000 mile Sebastopols, are to be leveled? The first columbiad, with range enough to sweep from eternity to eternity, is the Bible, millions of its copies going out, millions on millions—this, the monarch of books, that has made all the difference between China and the United States, between Africa and America; a book declaring in every style of phraseology that all nations are to be converted, and does not that include our nation? If the Apocalyptic angel is to fly across the continents, will he not fly across this continent? The worst insult I could offer you would be to doubt your veracity, and shall we doubt God's promise? Then there are all the Gospel batteries, manned by 70,000 pastors and home missionaries, over the head of each one of whom is the shield of Divine protection, and in the right hand of each one the gleaming, two-edged sword of the Infininite Spirit! Hundreds of thousands of private soldiers for Christ, marching under the one-starred, blood-striped flag of Immanuel!

They are marching on! Episcopacy, with the sublime roll of its liturgies; Methodism, with its battle cry of "The sword of the Lord and John Wesley;" the Baptist church, with its glorious navy sailing up our Oregons and Sacramentos and Mississippis; and Presbyterianism, moving on with the battle cry of "The sword of the Lord and John Knox."

And then, after awhile, will come the great tides of revival, sweeping over the land, the 500,000 conversions in 1857 eclipsed by the salvation of millions in a day, and the four American armies of the Lord's host marching toward each other, the eastern army marching west, the western army marching east, the northern army marching south, the southern army marching north; shoulder to shoulder! Tramp! Tramp! Tramp! Until they meet midcontinent, having taken America for God!

The thunder of the bombardment is already in the air, and when the last bridge of opposition is taken, and the last portcullis of Satan is lifted, and the last gun spiked, and the last tower dismantled, and the last charger of iniquity shall have been hurled back upon its haunches, what a time of rejoicing! We will see it, not with these eyes, which before that will be closed in blessed sleep, but with strong and better vision, when the Lord once in awhile gives us a vacation among the doxologies to come down and see the dear old land which I pray may always be the land of the text, mild and peaceful, inoffensive, but in case foreign nations assail it, having two horns of army and navy strong enough to hook them back and hook them down, and a voice louder than a dragon, yea, louder than 10,000 thunders, saying to the billows of Asiatic superstition and European arrogance: "Thus far shalt thou go, and no farther, and here shall thy proud waves be stayed!"

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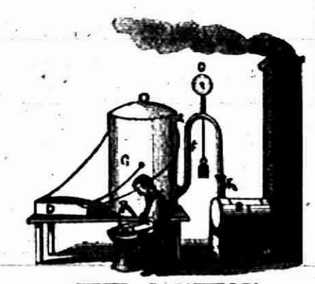

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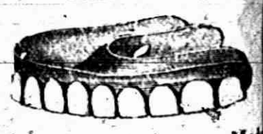

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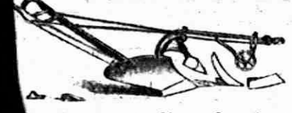
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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the senate on the 4th Senator Sherman reported back the Cuban resolutions and moved that the house amendment to the senate resolutions be nonconcurred in and that a conference committee be appointed. The motion was adopted. A bill was passed pensioning the widow of the late United States Senator Spencer as brigadier general at $75 per month....The house spent nearly the entire day in fixing the salaries of United States district attorneys. The request of the senate for a conference on the Cuban resolutions was received but not acted upon. The conference report on the army appropriation bill was adopted.

In the United States senate on the 5th the conference report on the Cuban resolutions was presented and was made a special order for Monday next. A bill was introduced for a discriminating tariff of ten per cent. ad valorem, in addition to other duties, on all merchandise imported in vessels not belonging to citizens of the United States....In the house the legislative appropriation bill was further considered and during the debate Mr. Hartman (Mont.) attacked President Cleveland's utterances in the Carnegie music hall missionary meeting in New York, in which he spoke of "corrupt and unsafe states and undesirable territories," and denied the right of the president to thus insult the citizens of any part of the country, and said that the greatest need of the schoolmaster and missionary was to be found in the white house.

The United States senate was not in session on the 6th....In the house the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed, as was also a bill making seven years' continued and unexplained absence sufficient proof of a soldier's death in cases of application for pensions. The post office appropriation bill was discussed.

There was no session of the senate on the 7th....In the house the joint resolution authorizing the secretary of the treasury to distribute the world's fair medals and diplomas was passed. The post office appropriation bill ($91,000,000) was discussed, and a series of attempts were made to increase the compensation of fourth-class postmasters, but they went before points of order.

In the United States senate on the 8th Senator Frye introduced a bill for the establishment of a department of government to be known as the department of commerce and manufactures, the head of which is to be a member of the president's cabinet. Senator Hale (Me.) spoke against the conference report on the Cuban concurrent resolutions....In the house District of Columbia business consumed the major portion of the day. The consideration of the post office appropriation bill was continued but no important amendments were adopted.

DOMESTIC.

A fire among business buildings at Johnstown, Pa., caused a loss of $150,000.

At Fort Smith, Ark., sentence of death for murder was passed upon George Pearce, Webster Isaacs, John Pearce, Berry Foreman and Mollie King, and their execution set for April 25.

With the subsidence of the waters which overwhelmed the greater part of New England figures of losses show total damages of over $2,000,000. Six lives were lost.

The 103d anniversary of Washington's second inauguration as president of the United States was observed in Philadelphia by the Pennsylvania Society of Colonial Dames of America.

Throughout eastern Berks county, Pa., for a distance of ten miles, a distinct shock of earthquake was felt and houses were shaken, windows rattled and glass broken.

The Ohio legislature has passed a bill making Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday.

Capt. Simon Baker, Larry Seaman William Anderson and M. Moguat were drowned by the wrecking of the schooner Willie Ann off the Florida coast.

The National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association in session at Saginaw, Mich., elected Charles M. Betts, of Philadelphia, as president.

The Northwestern Normal school, with an enrollment of 400 students from almost every state in the union, was burned at Stanberry, Mo.

It was rumored that President Cleveland would send a military commission to Cuba to report on the condition of affairs there.

McDonald & Watt, wholesale grocers at Fort Wayne, Ind., made an assignment with liabilities of $100,000.

H. C. Wilmouth pleaded guilty to bigamy at Kansas City, Kan., and said that in the last nine years he had married nine different women, all of whom are living.

Students at Princeton (N. J.) college burned in effigy the king of Spain and destroyed a Spanish flag.

The date for the execution of H. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer of Benjamin F. Pietzel and alleged murderer of 21 others, was fixed by Gov. Hastings, of Pennsylvania, who named May 7.

Gov. Bushnell, of Ohio, pardoned Jefferson Moorehend, who was convicted 27 years ago of murder and sent to state prison for life. It is now thought that he is innocent of the crime.

Daniel Talmage's Sons, rice merchants in New York, with branches at Charleston and New Orleans, assigned with liabilities of $200,000.

In a fit of absent-mindedness Mrs. Bert McConnell, of Seville, O., thrust $3,300 in money, notes and securities into the fire.

O. B. MacKnight, a private banker at Wilkesbarre, Pa., failed with liabilities of $100,000; assets, $40,000.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 6th aggregated $1,061,546,907, against $913,622,465 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 6.0.

There were 285 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 6th, against 278 the week previous and 234 in the corresponding period of 1895.

The Bank of Frankfort, Mich., closed its doors with liabilities of $32,000 and assets of $60,000.

The official figures of Superintendent of Motive Power Buchanan, of the New York Central, show that engine No. 870, one of those which haul the Empire State express, ran 167,176 miles before being sent to the shops.

The house of U. F. Oldhouse at Herold, Wis., was burned by a lamp explosion, and he and his wife and five children perished in the flames.

Attacked by a mob of white caps in Peru, Fla., Bowen Sykes shot four men fatally and six others were dangerously wounded.

The Brockway counterfeiting gang was sentenced by Judge Green at Trenton, N. J. Brockway, the aged leader, was given ten years in the state penitentiary.

William J. Dix, member of the Berry private detective agency, was convicted in Chicago of the murder of Frank White and given a life sentence in the penitentiary. Five other members of the same agency were convicted of manslaughter, but the sentences were not fixed.

In the ladies' bicycle race in Chicago Tillie Anderson was the winner, going 359 miles and 6 laps in 18 hours. Helen Baldwin and Lizzie Glaw tied for second place, the score being 353 miles and 8 laps.

The will of E. W. Nye (Bill Nye) leaves an estate valued at $75,000 to his wife.

Three children of John Hahn, a prosperous farmer of the Choctaw-Hatchee valley, Geneva county, Ala., were burned to death.

A fire in warehouse No. 3 of the Union Warehouse company at Louisville, Ky., caused a loss of $200,000.

The inaugural step made by Ballington Booth the deposed commander of the Salvation Army in America, in a rival organization on lines similar to the one from whose command he has been relieved, met with success in New York city.

After a session lasting 54 days the South Carolina legislature adjourned sine die.

Edward Hack, a young barber at Oakland, Cal., shot and killed Diana Pacheco and then killed himself. Objections to their getting married was the cause.

The shovel factory of Hubbard & Co. at Pittsburgh, Pa., was damaged by fire to the extent of $100,000.

Two cars of the Kirkwood electric railroad collided near St. Louis, and 50 persons were injured, four fatally.

John R. Pierce, cashier of Sol Sharp & Co.'s poolrooms in Covington, Ky., was said to be missing with $11,000 belonging to the firm.

The Glen knitting mills at Cohoes, N. Y., were burned, the loss being $100,000.

Margaret Henry was sent to jail at Camden, N. J., for three months, having been convicted of the charge of being a common scold.

The Albion Paper company at Holyoke, Mass., made an assignment with liabilities of $500,000.

Ground was broken for the first building of the American university in Washington.

The Sherman county bank at Goodland, Kan., closed its doors. Assets were placed at $60,000; liabilities, $30,000.

Henry Irvin, collector at Presque Isle, Me., was reported missing, and his accounts were said to be short several thousand dollars.

By a powder explosion in the convict coal mines at Durham Junction, Ga., Warren Crawford, Frank Eckles and John Morris, all convicts, lost their lives.

The Bloomfield (Neb.) State bank was closed and the bank examiner was in charge.

United States officers arrested Elwood Anderson at Wheeling, W. Va., on a charge of raising old three-cent pieces to dimes.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 9th was: Wheat, 62,536,000 bushels; corn, 14,050,000 bushels; oats, 7,227,000 bushels; rye, 1,487,000 bushels; barley, 1,697,000 bushels.

The Commercial and savings bank at San Jose, Cal., closed its doors with liabilities of $700,000 and assets of $1,100,000.

"Owney," the world renowned post office dog, landed in Albany, N. Y., his native city, after a tour of the world.

Ballington Booth opened headquarters in New York for his new religious movement on similar lines to the Salvation Army.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Peter Richard Kenrick, who for 55 years was the Roman Catholic bishop of the St. Louis diocese, died in that city in the 90th year of his age.

Kentucky republicans will meet in Lexington on April 15 to select delegates to the national convention.

The republicans in the Kentucky legislature nominated St. John Boyle, of Louisville, for United States senator.

Minnesota's democratic convention to select national delegates will be held June 11 in St. Paul.

The republicans of the Twenty-first Ohio district renominated Theodore F. Burton for congress.

William J. Campbell, national republican committeeman from Illinois and chairman of the national executive committee in 1892, died at his home in Chicago, aged 46 years.

The members of the republican congressional campaign committee met in Washington and reelected J. W. Babcock, of Wisconsin, as chairman

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Louis Darwin died at his home, near Black River Falls, Wis., aged 107 years. His wife, to whom he had been married for 80 years, died on November 17 last, aged 101.

Rear Admiral Henry Walke died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 88 years.

W. A. Burleigh, who served two years in congress 30 years ago, died at his home in Yankton, S. D., aged 76 years.

Chief Justice Charles Doe, aged 66, of the supreme court of New Hampshire, was stricken with paralysis in the depot at Rollinsford and died.

Congressional nominations were made as follows: Ohio, Ninth district, James H. Southard (rep.) renominated; Eleventh, Charles Grosvenor (rep.) renominated; Twelfth, David K. Watson (rep.) renominated. Kansas, First district, Case Broderick (rep.) renominated; Fourth, Charles Curtis (rep.) renominated; Seventh, Chester I. Long (rep.) renominated.

FOREIGN

The reopening of telegraphic communication with the region of Pinar del Rio shows that the Cuban insurgents had reduced 13 towns in that province to ashes, and their inhabitants were wandering helpless over the country, many of them starving.

The ministry of Italy announced its resignation and Premier Crispi added that it had been accepted by the king.

The Corean king went into the Russian legation at Seoul and formed a new government, dismissing all former cabinet officers, and had eight of the old ministers beheaded.

Advices from Rome say that King Humbert had declared that he would rather abdicate the throne of Italy than to abandon the Italian province of Erythrea, in Africa.

Col. Vozhak, Russian military agent to China, confirmed the report that the queen of Corea is alive.

There were renewed demonstrations of hostility to the United States at Valencia, Dolores and Alicante, in Spain. The prime minister announced that all hostile demonstrations against America would be suppressed, and he hoped means would be found to avoid alienating the friendly relations with the United States, while at the same time he could not admit that the slightest ground existed for the recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents.

Dispatches from Havana say that a majority of Cuban merchants have agreed to boycott the products of the United States.

The actions of the mob element in Valencia, Spain, became so threatening that martial law was proclaimed. The mob marched through the streets shouting "Long live Spain!" "Death to the Yankees!" At Bilboa and Barcelona attempts to mob the American consulates were prevented by the police.

A new ministry for Italy was formed, with Marquis di Rudini as premier and Gen. Ricotti as minister of war.

Advices from Cuba say that Gen. Maceo with 3,000 insurgents was within five miles of Havana, and was waiting for Gen. Weyler to attack.

At Brockville, Ont., a maniac named Lapointe shot nine men. One man, Peter Moore, was dead, and Chief of Police Rose was fatally wounded.

Another expedition was safely landed in Cuba, evading the Spanish troops and joining the insurgents.

Floods were reported in the Rhine, Saar and Neckar rivers in Germany, and several persons were drowned and much property destroyed.

Another anti-American riot took place at Bilboa, Spain, but the American consulate was protected.

LATER.

The Rhode Island republicans in convention at Providence renominated Gov. Charles W. Lippett and the other state officers. The platform declares for protection and for "a financial policy which recognizes every dollar to be of equal value."

Eighteen thousand dollars in gold and silver were found in an old jar by a farmer in his field near Fort Valley, Ga.

Fidel Tritschler, aged 34 years, a prominent baker and a member of the select council of Allentown, Pa., murdered his wife and then killed himself while temporarily insane.

At Etna Green, Ind., Frank Watson shot his young wife and then killed himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

The republican congressional convention of the Eleventh Indiana district renominated George W. Steele, who is now serving his fifth term in congress.

"Grandmother" Watson died at Kirkwood, Ill., at the age of 101 years. Gen. Washington was a frequent visitor at her father's house when she was a child.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada during February shows a total of $9,730,100, against $12,360,200 in February, 1895.

The republicans of Kansas in state convention at Wichita were a unit in their indorsement of McKinley for president and elected delegates to the national convention favorable to him.

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She prepared grains of corn by tying to them, with strong carpet thread, small cards bearing the words: "Please keep your chickens at home!" and distributed the grains about her flower beds.

The chickens came to feast as usual, and greedily swallowed the corn, not perceiving the thread until the card was against their jaws. Then they could neither swallow the card nor rid themselves of the swallowed corn.

Twenty or thirty of the marauders ran home, bearing the polite request to their culpable owner, who, struck with the method of the hint, promptly cut the threads and cooped up the birds.

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Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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A. M.	A. M	A. M.		P. M	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 2	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 26	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 55
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 10
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	5 31
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 36	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 30	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 14	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 26
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 09
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	3 51
12 20	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 34	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 17	2 47
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 13	2 09
1 44	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	1 39
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	1 30
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Death of a Miser Whose Fortune Cannot Be Found.

Homer, March 10.—Harry Laker, an odd character who has resided here for more than 20 years, died of apoplexy Monday morning, aged 70 years. He came from England. Nearly all the time he has lived in barns. He was a hard and remarkably fast workman, and always had work, which kept him busy from daylight to darkness. Miserly in his habits, Laker laid up thousands of dollars in gold. His money is secreted somewhere, but the secret dies with him. Good clothes were often given him, but he refused to wear them, and he was always in rags. New garments were found in his haunt in an old barn here.

WOMEN MAKE TROUBLE.

Marriage of Michigan Notaries Public Complicates Matters.

Lansing, March 11.—County Clerk Forbes, of Kalamazoo, has notified Attorney General Maynard that several women notaries public of that county have married since receiving their commissions. Mr. Forbes desires to know what name they are to sign. He has advised them to sign "Mrs. John Jones, formerly Susan Smith," or whatever their present and former names happen to be, and wants to know if this will meet the requirements of the law. The attorney general will look into the matter before advising Mr. Forbes.

Free Silver Conference Called.

Lansing, March 7.—A free-silver conference will be held here March 21. It will be participated in by as many of the free silver democrats of the state as respond to the invitations which have been sent out by George P. Hummer, of Holland. It is understood that about 100 persons have been invited to the conference, the object of which, from Mr. Hummer's statement, is to pave the way for sending a free silver delegation to the democratic national convention.

Requisition Issued.

Lansing, March 7.—Gov. Rich has issued a requisition on the governor of Indiana for J. David Seibert, a young dentist who practiced here for several years. Detectives, who located Seibert in Indianapolis, say they have evidence that he knows something about the disappearance of $1,000 worth of opals and diamonds from the jewelry store of Wells & Morgan in January. He left Lansing, it is said, when the story of the robbery was published.

Regulators Stabbed.

Brown City, March 9.—A dozen men made a night raid on the residence of Chris Zeignhardt, five miles north of here, for the purpose of punishing Jo Shultz, who, they claim, had made serious threats against their children. The crowd broke down the doors, but were confronted by Zeignhardt, who stabbed John Foster in the arm and John Bowers in the chest. Shultz made his escape by the back door. Warrants are out on both sides.

Contest Over a Depot Site.

Lansing, March 10.—The Chicago & Grand Trunk Railway company is defending in the circuit court its title to its extensive depot grounds here. The title is attacked by James M. Turner, mayor of Lansing, his claim being that the buildings are on ground owned by him adjacent to those named in the company's deed. The company has been in possession for nearly 30 years, and claims it cannot now be disturbed.

Fine Steamer Launched.

Bay City, March 8.—The L. C. Waldo, a magnificent steel steamship built for the Roby Transportation company of Detroit, was launched from the Wheeler company's yards Saturday. The Waldo is one of the 400-footers which Wheeler & Co. will launch this year. Her dimensions are: Length over all, 400 feet; keel, 380 feet; beam, 48 feet; depth of hold, 28 feet.

Heroine Saves a Child's Life.

Dexter, March 11.—While skating on the mill pond, Pearl Walker, 12 years old, broke through the ice and would have drowned but for the heroic efforts of Miss Myrtle Bostwick, a teacher in the high school. She flung her cloak to the girl and stood part of the time in a foot of water, the ice sinking with her, until, with help, the drowning girl was rescued.

Cheap Telephones for Detroit.

Detroit, March 11. — The common council has passed an ordinance granting the Detroit Telephone company, which operates under the Harrison patents, a franchise for putting in a telephone system in this city. The object is cheaper rates, viz.: $35 to $50 per year, as against $50 to $72 charged by the Bell company.

Detroit's Coroner Captured.

Toledo, O., March 8. — Joseph Bettinger, Detroit's coroner, who was found short in his accounts and fled from the city, was arrested here by detectives, after a desperate fight. He jumped through a window in his endeavor to escape.

INTERESTING FACTS.

Bits of News from Many Points in Michigan.

The city of Grand Haven will be 32 years old March 20.

Three brothers are in jail at Saginaw for whipping a horse to death.

Dickinson county has voted bonds to build a new courthouse and jail—$1,000.

The board of education of Traverse City has forbidden its schoolma'ams to dance.

A general revival of business in the Houghton copper mines is expected this spring.

The Michigan Maccabees will hold their state encampment in Saginaw this year, in June.

Richard Little, who was injured in the mines at Houghton, Mich., last week, has died at a hospital.

The semiannual meeting of the Dental Society of Southwestern Michigan will occur the second Tuesday in April.

The next meeting of the Political Science association of Michigan will be held in Grand Rapids Saturday, April 4.

Rev. Dr. Eastman, an old resident of Benton Harbor, and who was first rector of the Holy Trinity church there, died, aged 89.

The 13th annual encampment of the Michigan division, Sons of Veterans, will be held at Holland during the last week in June.

The lumbermen in northern Michigan woods have been compelled to stop their operations on account of the mildness of the winter.

There is talk of contesting the local-option election in Osceola county, because in several townships registration took place on February 22, a legal holiday.

Prof. F. R. Woodworth, of the Agricultural college, suggests the use of the top wire of fences for use in telephoning, and says it is entirely practicable.

The Michigan Wood Pulp company, of Niles, have commenced the erection of a new factory building of large proportions for the manufacture of a fine grade of paper.

Mrs. Anna Radeke, wife of Foreman Julius J. Radeke, of the Bissell Carpet Sweeper company, Grand Rapids, residing at No. 62 Gold street, received burns while lighting the kitchen fire that resulted in her death.

LED TO DEATH BY A TAUNT.

Jacob Shelineis Falls to the Floor After Showing His Capacity for Drink.

Manistee, March 10.—Jacob Shelineis is dead as the result of not being able to withstand a taunt as to his drinking powers. Shelineis was a good workman and four months ago stopped drinking at the solicitation of his employer. He kept his oath until some of his old companions scoffed at him for not being able to take a drink, and he started on a spree, which ended Saturday night in a river resort. A lot of his boon companions dared him to drink a beer glass of whisky, and he offered a wager that he could drink three. The bet was made, and he drank a beer glass three times full of whisky. He fell to the floor and died in two hours. The authorities are considering the bringing of serious charges against the saloonkeeper and the men who induced Shelineis to drink.

CROP CONDITIONS.

Wheat Has Suffered No Injury and Live Stock Is in Good Shape.

Lansing, March 10.—The March crop report says the weather last month was favorable for wheat, there being sufficient snow throughout the month to afford the plant fair protection. Two-thirds of the 600 correspondents report that wheat suffered no injury from any cause. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in the seven months, August to February, is 6,707,118, which is 1,299,500 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year. Live stock is in good condition. Considering the short hay crop stock is wintering remarkably well.

Bank at Frankfort Suspends.

Frankfort, March 7.—The Bank of Frankfort, owned by Chandler Brothers, closed its doors Friday morning. William Chambers was made assignee. Much excitement was caused by the failure, though it was not an unlooked for event. For three months citizens had been losing confidence in the bank and many had withdrawn their deposits. R. Z. Chandler gives the following statement: Liabilities, $32,000; assets, $60,000; deposits, $19,000. With refernce to the cause of the failure he says he will make a statement later.

Change of Venue for Wendel.

Ishpeming, March 7.—During the absence of Prosecuting Attorney Young the attorneys for Carl Wendell, the 16-year-old lad under arrest charged with murdering 6-year-old Eva Lafrenier under peculiarly atrocious circumstances, secured a change of venue to Menominee county. Indignation is felt here in consequence and a popular subscription will be made to secure the best lawyers obtainable to assist in the prosecution. The 3,000 miners in the city are to give one dollar each to this fund.

Village Elections.

Detroit, March 10.—Village elections were held throughout Michigan Monday. The issues were solely of a local character in nearly every town, and general politics cut scarcely any figure. "Citizens'" and "independent" tickets were numerous. Where party lines were drawn republicans were, for the most part, the winners so far as reported, but the democrats furnished a few surprises.

Taken Back to Kalamazoo.

Sedalia, Mo., March 8.—Sheriff W. V. Vosburg, of Kalamazoo, Mich., departed Saturday afternoon for home with Fred Keyes, who was arrested here Tuesday, charged with having decamped with $500 belonging to the odd fellows lodge, of which he was treasurer.

JUDGE KENDRICK HOLDS ON.

No General Election Occurs This Spring in Michigan.

Lansing, March 9. — The supreme court has filed an opinion of great importance to the electors of Michigan, in a case where the county clerk of Saginaw county sought to mandamus the secretary of state to compel him to order the election of a circuit judge in the Saginaw circuit to fill a vacancy. This is a year in which there are no state officers elected in the spring election, and some of the cities hold their charter elections at different dates. The court holds that this cannot be considered a general election, at which time only such vacancies can be filled, as all the people of the state do not participate. Judge Kendrick, the appointee of Gov. Rich, will, therefore, serve in the Saginaw circuit until his successor is elected at the full election.

MUSTERED OUT.

Soldiers at Marquette Pay the Penalty of Poor Discipline.

Lansing, March 7. — Company G, Fifth infantry, located at Marquette, has been mustered out of the military service of the state, and Capt. J. F. Ball has been directed to ship all stores in his possession to Quartermaster General Kidd at once. The muster-out order is the result of an inspection made February 19 by Inspector General Walsh, who recommended the disbandment of the company because of a "want of care of state property, total disregard for orders governing the drills and meetings of the company, internal dissensions, lack of all discipline, and a total ignoring of the recommendations and orders of the inspector genral made at a former inspection."

TO BE SOLD IN APRIL.

Second Mortgage Holders of the G. R. & I. Win a Victory.

Grand Rapids, March 9.—An order for foreclosure sale of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railway was granted Saturday in the United States court by Judge Severns. This is a victory for the second mortgage bondholders who began the suit, and cuts off third mortgage holders entirely. The date of sale is fixed for April 27. The amount of the second mortgage bonds, the basis of the suit, is $3,734,765. The sale ordered is subject to the first mortgage bonds, amounting to $6,157,645, and liens on the company's equipment, aggregating $356,554 more. The third mortgage bonds, on which little or nothing will now be realized, amount to $3,996,000.

CUT HER HUSBAND'S THROAT.

Bloody Deed of Mrs. John Keifer at Decatur.

Decatur, March 11.—Some time ago the wife of John Keifer, living a few miles south of here, left home for some unexplained cause. Monday night she returned home, and, after affectionately greeting her husband, the couple retired. During the night Mrs. Keifer arose, and, procuring a large butcher knife, returned to the side of the bed, where she commenced caressing her husband. Suddenly seizing him by the whiskers the woman drew the knife across his throat, inflicting injuries which are expected to prove fatal.

BURIED BY A GROUND SLIDE.

Fatal Accident While Men Are Working in an Excavation.

Marquette, March 11.—Thirteen men were engaged on an excavation contract on the line of the Ishpeming & Lake Superior railway Tuesday. One of the members jokingly alluded to the fact and the superstitious significance of the number 13. Less than an hour later the embankment caved in and a laborer named Olof Olson was buried beneath the ground slide. Before he could be reached life was extinct. Olson was unmarried and hailed from Depere, Wis.

Kills Himself in Prison.

Ionia, March 9.—Thomas Weaver, an inmate of the state house of correction, killed himself late Sunday afternoon in his cell by cutting his throat. Weaver was serving a third term at Ionia. He was also known as Thomas Hayes and Thomas Truesdale. Weaver had been showing signs of insanity for the past three months. In some manner he managed to get hold of a piece of a table knife, which had been ground to a point, and killed himself.

Rich Stake for Pacers.

Detroit, March 11.—The Detroit Driving club has announced the fixtures for the blue ribbon meeting of 1896 and one that may prove sensational has been added. It is a $5,000 event for 2:24 pacers and will be known as the chamber of commerce stake. It is thought it will bring many a pacer down to the 2:10 mark.

Dropped Dead.

Muskegon, March 10.—Frank E. Dowler, aged 40 years, was preparing supper for his four young children at his home, 365 Clay avenue, when he fell over dead. Coroner Van Derlinde decided that death was the result of heart trouble. Mrs. Dowler was visiting in another part of the city at the time.

Unions Oppose Militia.

Iron Mountain, March 9.—The attention of Gov. Rich has been called to a boycott against members of the local National Guard company. Merchants are threatened with a boycott by labor unions unless national guard employes are discharged. The boycott includes every labor organization here.

To Be Judge of Oratory.

Ann Arbor, March 6.—Senator Palmer, of Detroit; Ferris S. Fitch, of Pontiac, and Prof. Robert Fulton, of the Ohio Wesleyan university, will be the judges in the final university oratorical contest March 20 for the choice of Michigan's representative in the Northern Oratorical league contest at Chicago.

Ionia Fair.

Ionia, March 9.—September 15, 16, 17 and 18 are the dates set by the officers of the Ionia District Fair association for holding their fair of 1896.

Tecumseh Price Current.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PRODUCE MARKET.		
Butter	10	11
Eggs, per doz	11	12
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
PORK MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to	
Dressed hogs 200 lbs	4 75	5 10
Veal dressed, per lb	7	8 to 10
Mutton, dressed, per lb	8 to 9	10
Chickens per lb	10	12 6
Turkeys		6
Hides, green		6
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		70
Oats, shelled	30 to 33	
Corn in ear	17 to 18	
Oats	30 to 35	
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to 14 00	
Hay, clover, per ton	10 00	
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		99
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 11.			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 00	@	4 60
Sheep	4 00	@	4 25
Hogs	4 40	@	4 80
FLOUR—Minnesota Pat'ts	3 80	@	4 15
City Mill Patents	4 20	@	4 45
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	77½	@	77½
May	71½	@	71½
CORN—No. 2	42	@	42½
May	42	@	42½
OATS—Western	26	@	30
PORK—Mess	10 00	@	10 50
LARD—Rendered	5 70	@	5 75
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	22
EGGS	11½	@	11½
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	4 50
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	3 85
Cows and Bulls	1 35	@	3 70
Texas Steers	2 90	@	3 85
HOGS—Light	3 85	@	3 95
Rough Packing	3 85	@	3 95
SHEEP	3 50	@	4 65
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	14	@	21½
Dairy	9	@	18
EGGS—Fresh	10	@	10½
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@	19
PORK—Mess	9 80	@	9 85
LARD—Steam	5 30	@	5 37½
FLOUR—Spring	3 10	@	3 25
Winter	3 10	@	3 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May	64½	@	65
Corn, No. 2	28½	@	29
Oats, No. 2	20¾	@	21
Rye, No. 2	39	@	39½
Barley, Good to Fancy	30	@	35
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Sp'g	63¾	@	63½
Corn, No. 3	27½	@	27¾
Oats, No. 2 White	29½	@	30¾
Rye, No. 1	39½	@	40
Barley, No. 2	32	@	32½
PORK—Mess	9 65	@	9 70
LARD	5 25	@	5 30
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	71¾	@	71¾
Corn, No. 2 White	29¾	@	30
Oats, No. 2 White	23½	@	23¾
Rye, No. 2	39¾	@	40
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 30	@	4 75
Texas	2 50	@	3 65
HOGS	3 40	@	4 05
SHEEP	2 75	@	4 30
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 20	@	4 00
Cows	1 50	@	1 30
Feeders	2 75	@	3 85
HOGS	3 75	@	3 80
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 25

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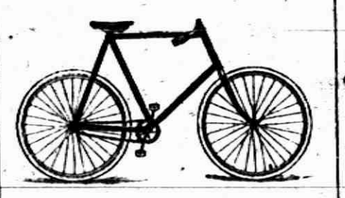

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for said county.
In the matter of the estate of William P. [illegible] deceased.
To Elizabeth Pilbeam, being interested in said estate as widow; Thomas J. Pilbeam, James Pilbeam, Edgar Pilbeam, Edward Pilbeam, Frankiin Pilbeam, George Pilbeam, Lyman Pilbeam, Eugene Pilbeam, Amanda Pilbeam, Elizabeth Wiggins, and Smith, being interested in said estate as heirs at law, and Francis Yates, being interested in said estate as the guardian of Lavera Yates, Earl Yates, Grover [illegible] Elma Yates and Guy Yates, minors:
You will take notice that the undersigned have been duly appointed by said court as commissioners to admeasure and set off the dower of the widow of said deceased in the [illegible] which the said deceased died seized, and that we will meet at office of Charles Burrell in village of Tecumseh, in said county, on the 7th day of March A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for that purpose, as required by law.
Dated March 6, 1896.
GEORGE B. GRIS[illegible]
ALFRED D. LE [illegible]
LESTER OSGOOD
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
In the matter of the estate of William P. [illegible] deceased.
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned as administrator of the estate of said deceased by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate in and for said county on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the hereinafter described land in the township of Macon, in said county on [illegible] the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of this sale) all the right title, interest of said William P. Emmons deceased and to the following described lands and premises: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of [illegible] Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Being on the east half of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-four (34), town [illegible] south of range five ( ) east, bounded as follows: Commencing at the quarter section line, and running west along the section line thirty-six (36) rods, thence south along land owned by William B. Swick eighty-eight and 88-100 rods, thence east along William B. Swick's land thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter section line eighty-eight and 88-100 rods to the place of beginning; containing twenty acres of land more or less.
Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.
BYRON A. BEAL,
Administrator of the Estate of William P. Emmons, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Tuesday the 18th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of George W. [illegible] deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Margaretta M. Smith widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Cynthia A. [illegible] or some other suitable person.
It is Ordered, That Monday, the 16th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

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The Two Great Coffee Growing Districts—How Coffee is Grown.

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Coffee is said to be the hope of the Hawaiian Islands, as it will bring emigrants of a class greatly desired. Many of the sugar plantations are of no advantage to the country save for the taxes they pay. One of the largest sugar plantations in Hawaii is owned by non-residents. The manager and every white man on this plantation are citizens of California, and every laborer is a Chinese or Japanese. The plantation has its own store which all the employees patronize, so that, year by year, every dollar of the products of this plantation of twenty thousand acres is sent out of the country to the United States, to China, to Japan.

Sugar plantations, it is claimed, must be conducted by large corporations; no small cane grower has ever been found who could successfully conduct the business. But with coffee it is different. Coffee is the "poor man's crop". From five to ten acres may be cultivated by one person, and a single crop has been known to yield five hundred dollars per acre.

Coffee lands would disgust even Connecticut farmers. How it would be possible to produce anything at all from the stone and lava would puzzle any one fully conversant with the stony lands of New England, and yet the best coffee trees are found growing out of this same rock and lava. A gentleman who has been making some scientific investigation into coffee-growing, says that lava-covered soil is the very best in which to plant coffee. This gentleman has a coffee plantation of forty acres, with over one thousand trees to the acre, and his trees yield two pounds to the tree. The blight, and the fungus which is the result of the blight, has injured the trees to a considerable extent, and at one time threatened the destruction of the industry, but it was discovered that by spraying young trees with resin water and potash, the blight could be destroyed. Then the ladybird was introduced, and has proven a destructive enemy to the blight.

There is great rivalry between the Puna and Kana districts in coffee-growing. The latter is the older district, and claims to produce a superior article and more to the acre. On the other hand Puna coffee-growers claim a better soil than Kana, and the work, so far as they have gone, is certainly promising. Puna district is, to a great extent, a wild unexplored region on the great island of Hawaii, and has but two thousand inhabitants, most of whom are natives living in their aboriginal style in grass huts. The district is capable of supporting in comfort and prosperity one hundred thousand people, as it has been discovered that in these Islands one acre of good land will support eight people.

The Puna district is about ten miles wide and fifty long, so one can understand what an enormous population it is capable of sustaining. Puna, like most of Hawaii, is a very rocky and sterile. The northern part is covered with a dense lauhala forest, and is very thinly inhabited.

This district is covered with ancient lava flows. The only flow of recent date is that of 1840, which flowed under ground for many miles, and then burst forth in the woods and went down to the sea, overwhelming a small village in its course. In the course of this flow may be found lava vases and trees made by the hot tide rushing like an avalanche down the mountain side, and striking a tree with such force as to splash the molten lava up one side, sometimes to the height of a hundred feet, where it cooled and hardened, and, after the wood burned out in the center, it left a lava tree.

There is something remarkable about the fertility of Hawaiian soil. Lava flows are soon covered with ferns, which are great fertilizers. Then follows a dense growth of forest vines and thickets forming an impenetrable jungle so that one is compelled to cut his way through.

Deep unfathomable chasms and caverns are quite abundant in Puna. Some of these caverns extend miles underground with many branches leading off from the main entrance. It is not safe to venture into a cave without a competent guide.

Mr. Wright, of the Wilder Steamship Company, has incorporated a coffee association with a paid up capital of $6,000 for the purpose of opening up the coffee country in Puna. The company has purchased three hundred acres of the best coffee lands in Puna, to be divided into ten acre lots, and it is intended to induce industrious Americans of small means to emigrate to the islands and engage in coffee-growing. It is proposed to give them one plantation in return for improving one for the company. The company itself will have one hundred acres in coffee, fifty in cocoa, ten to twenty in citron roots, and will utilize the balance of its three hundred in fine apples and guava for jelly.

Kana, the rival of Puna, is about as barren and sterile a country as it has ever been my lot to see. One travels over miles and miles of blackened rocks and lava flow, most of it in this portion of the Island being the rugged flow called by the natives 'aa." On the first day we crossed the flow of 1887. This is black, but after a travel of ten hours, the color changes. The flow is older, and trees are found growing on it. Occasionally the dead branches of monster ohia trees could be seen sticking up from the lava which overwhelmed it in past years, the top branches white and glistening like the bones of a skeleton.

After we had passed the black lava flow of 1887, which extends about ten miles beyond the Kahuka Ranch, the trees became more abundant, and soon we were in forests of ferns and ohia trees. The road here is through the lava, and straight as an air line railroad. Where there are trees the road is cut directly through them, and if there are no trees the road is equally as discernable by the leveling down of the lava, which is piled in a wall on either side.

For hours at a time we wended our way up hill and down, the roadbed often choked with great stones over which the tired horses could hardly step. Whenever there was a smooth bit of road, the guide uttered a shout: "Wic-ke, wic-ke!" and put the horses at a gallop. This was only for a short time, however, for there is not a strip of good road fifty yards in length in all Kana, after you have left the sugar plantations.

People in Hawaii seem to have no more idea of miles than they have of the cardinal points of the compass, and that is nil. When we were half a day's journey from a village or plantation and I asked the distance, the answer would be: "Oh, it is too far!" If the place was only two or three miles away, the answer would be: "Oh, it's not too far." White men seem to have succumbed to this custom of the natives. I asked a Norwegian the distance to Hookenia, and he answered:

"Four hours."

"But how many miles?" I asked.

"I don't know," he answered. "We never reckon distance by miles but by the hours it takes to reach a place. It may be eight, may be twelve miles, may be six, but all the same it will take you four hours to make it."

At Hookenia I met several coffee-growers.

"You want to know somethin' about coffee, do you?" said a man in linen ulster and broad brimmed Panama hat.

"Yes, I have come all the way to Kana to see the celebrated Kana coffee, which is said to be the best in the world."

"Let me tell you somethin', young man," the gentleman said, advancing to me and laying his hand on my shoulder. "I have the only coffee plantation on the island." He had the air of a millionaire of vast importance, as he stood with his hands in his pockets and a look of superiority on his face.

"How large a plantation have you?" I asked.

"Well, I have four acres of bearing trees," he answered, but I am going to plant forty more."

Hookenia is on the coast, and back of it is a great forest in which wild coffee trees are growing. These wild coffee trees are valuable, as they have been known to yield three pounds of coffee to the tree. Two miles and a half from Hookenia by the Mauka road one comes upon the Morgan & McStocher plantation, which, tho' it has only forty acres in coffee, yields twenty thousand dollars worth per annum.

Tho' it was late December when I rode up to the manager's house and dismounted, the day was as hot as one in August in the temperate zone. Mr. J. M. Davis, the owner of the plantation, was reclining on the plazza in his shirt sleeves, in a steamer chair.

"So you have come to look at my coffee, have you?" he said, starting to his feet on my approach. "Well, come in and have a cool drink. This delightful weather must be a little hard on you northerners until you get used to it. I am a New Yorker myself, but I think this the healthiest country in the world."

After a few moments rest we took a stroll through the coffee trees, and then went to the mill and looked into a great box in which several thousand pounds of coffee had been put. "By the next steamer we ship one hundred and fifty bags," said Mr. Davis.

After leaving this plantation the road for miles led through a forest of wild coffee, ferns, and ohia trees. Thousands of Japanese were busy gathering coffee, and piles of bags of freshly picked coffee were lying at every mile. There was coffee everywhere, until it seemed as if there was enough to supply the world. The bushes grew so dense on each side of the road that we could not see ten paces in to them, but the chattering of Japanese as they picked the berries could be distinctly heard.

We passed the Claighall plantation, owned by a Scotchman, father of the crown princess who, since the revolution that overthrew monarchy, has lived in Scotland. This plantation contains seventy acres, and produces some of the finest coffee berries I have ever seen.

Passing through the famous orange orchard of Mrs. Greenwell, at Kalu Kalu, where grow the finest oranges in the world, we arrived at sunset at Kailua. This town is in the heart of the coffee country, and is the shipping point for the Hawaiian Tea and Coffee Company, the McDougal, Moller, Judge Clarke, Dr. Capron, and Bartlett plantations. Many of these plantations are well established and yield thousands of pounds annually, while others are just beginnig to bear. In five or six years tons will be shipped to the pounds now taken from Kailua.

It is said that an Englishman has succeeded in photographing at one end of a wire objects exposed between two vacuum tubes at the other end of the wire.

The Ten Mile Race.

Last Wednesday night the 10 mile foot race came off at Armory hall according to advertisement. Much interest had been manifested in the event as the boys had been training quite thoroughly and had made some very enviable records previous to the race. About 300 spectators witnessed the match among whom were a number of ladies. The performance was conducted in a refined and gentlemanly manner throughout. The audience watched the running with close attention and even the small boy was content to look on and keep quiet. In fact not only the character of the performance but the order preserved among the audience was much more refined and decorous than that of the average show. It is a source of satisfaction that an evening of interesting and legitimate sport can be witnessed, even by ladies, in a becoming and respectable manner. Compared to a ball game, horse race, or the majority of theatre shows, the foot race was like a drawing room recital.

Mr. Smith was evidently very much surprised before the first mile was finished by Westcott in 4:57, and when his followers averaged better than 5:20 the winner of above 80 similar races thought he had struck a gang of professionals. However, he kept his pace and finished in excellent form in 59:40. "Cow Boy" Smith is certainly a famous runner and as a long distance pedestrian has few equals in the world. He could probably have made better time Wednesday night had he been pushed but to have beaten the 10 would have been out of the question, for money or glory.

Capt. Kyle offered $1.00 each to the boys making better than 5:20 and considerable credit is due him and the company for the pains taken to put on so good and well conducted a race. The records of the members of the home team are as follows:

Westcott	4:57
Pritchard	5:04
Bowen	5:20
Gillen	5: 6
Anderson	5:16
Hoag	5:23
Coddington	5:13
Pattison	5:17
Meade	5:23
Smith	4:55
	52:24

Smith finished without apparent fatigue and made a few remarks in praise of the spirit and excellent running of our boys, saying that, in nearly 90 races of like character run by him, he had never met so fast a team. He made a proposition to run the winners a five mile race under similar conditions for 40 and 60 per cent. He is to run the five miles without intermission and they to run one half each. The challenge was accepted and the date fixed for next Monday evening. This bids to be a much more exciting race than the former as Smith can spurt in a five mile heat, so can the boys, as they run one half mile each.

Old Comrades Meet.

Last week a pleasant and unexpected reunion occurred at the residence of Mr. Thomas Hanly. Word was received that on Wednesday, March 11, comrade C. C. Stowell, Sheridan's bugler, who resides at Cygnet, Ohio and who visited here four years ago with his old friend and comrade, Corporal Francis M. Cole, of Crawford Co., Pa., would reach Tecumseh at noon. These comrades were lads 12 and 14 years old when they went to the army, comrade Hanley being wagon master of the 18th N. Y., Cornings light Cav., he was known by all the boys and his army life was rehearsed to the utmost by the comrades, who well remembered his dreadful exposure in fording rivers, sleeping in the rain and caring for the sick. It occurred at one time in the hospital at Thibodanville, Louisiana, that comrade Cole was sick unto death for the want of food: in the evening after all was quiet, he motioned to comrade Hanley to give him something to eat. Soon a cup of bread and milk was brought to Cole, who ate and revived. The same program was carried out next day and comrade Cole survived and lived to come home. Twenty-five years rolled by when, by chance comrade Hanly read: "Wanted—the address of some of the 18th N. Y. boys, by Francis M. Cole." An answer was sent signed Thomas Hanly, Tecumseh, Mich. A letter soon came saying, "Tom, are you alive? It seems like hearing from the dead. Do you remember of giving a boy some bread and milk?" From that time the comrades have kept up correspondence, and long have they desired to look once more in to each others faces. At last it was their privilege to meet in the days of peace in the land over which the flag they fought to save proudly floats. These comrades were surprised by meeting another comrade, Sargeant Charles Blake, of Ogden Center, Mich., who was notified to come over and join with them. It was the first time so many of the 18th N. Y. had met comrade Hanley, who feels so thankful for the privilege especially since his sight has become so dim. None can tell the feelings of comrades as they meet and part except the Great Commander of them all, although it is to hoped there may be many more before the shadows of life shall pass away. The surprise occurred Thursday evening when a large detachment of the [illegible] Post and Corps marched in and [illegible] Thomas and his three visiting comrades prisoners. The evening was indeed an enjoyable one and the whole war was fought over again.

Ball bearings on bicycles are likely to be followed by ball tires.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., March 13, '96.

The Senate has this week, in the language of the showmen, been playing to standing room only. The play might have been called "The Cuban bluff; or, explaining after the act." It is rather difficult to say which of the Senators took the star part, or whether the play was tragedy, comedy or farce, but inasmuch as it at times had traces of all three it should probably be classed as melodrama. The plot of the play runs something like this: The legislative branch of Uncle Sam's household being of the opinion that old lady Spain is cruelly mistreating Cuba, her orphan protege, declares that Miss Cuba is old enough to fight back and that her right to do so should be recognized by Uncle Sam, and moreover that he should ask old lady Spain to grant the orphan her freedom. While the coordinate branches of the legislative branch are determining just how this declaration is to be worded, the Spanish minister, who plays the heavy villian, rushes to the middle of the stage and charges three Senators with having made mistatements, and Senator Hale comes forward as his leading support. The play should have called for the heavy villian to get the g. b. in this act, from the Executive, but he didn't get it, the Executive having concluded to make his a thinking part only. Then Senator Hoar got the cue and jumped all over the Foreign Relations committee, the Cubans, and things generally, until Senator Morgan rattled his sword and gave him a turn or two and Senator Chandler gave him a little comedy business about making flesh of the Armenians and fish of the Cubans. Other Senators said their say between times, all of which was a great free show for the galleries, even if there was no logical ending to it. But why it took place is more than anybody can say. The time for debate on these resolutions was before they were adopted by the Senate. It was an absolute waste of time to defer action on the report of the Foreign Relations committee when it was well known that its report had been practically agreed to when the Senate adopted the resolutions.

Senator Teller is entitled to the credit of having made the most common sense summing up of the diplomatic "break" made by the Spanish minister, in publishing a criticism of statements made by Senators during the debate on the Cuban resolutions, and it adds to his credit that the words were spoken during a time of unusual extitement on the floor of the Senate, caused by Senator Hale having had the Spanish minister's criticism read by the clerk of the Senate, as a part of his remarks against the Cuban resolutions. Mr. Teller said: "Twice in the history of this country have we sent home the ministers of a great country, one of France and one of Great Britain, for a very much less offense than the one the Spanish minister has been guilty of. For fear that some one will say that I am criticizing the administration for not sending him home, I want to say that under the circumstances, considering the friction that has arisen in Spain, if I had been the President of the United States, I should not have sent him home, but I should have suggested very kindly to him, through the Secretary of State, that a repetition of that conduct would necessitate his leaving the country."

The subsidy which has been provided for special mail facilities between Boston and New Orleans, via New York, Washington and Atlanta, in every post-office appropriation bill since 1873, was kept in the present bill by the House by a vote of 116 to 93. This appropriation is this year $196,000. It has more than once been asserted in Congress that this subsidy was given to the railroads without getting anything in the way of mail facilities that would not be had without it, and three Postmaster Generals have condemned it; but Congress has believed it to be right and proper, and has stood by it all these years.

A sub-committee of the Senate committee on Territories has unanimously reported to the full committee in favor of the Catron bill for the admission of New Mexico to Statehood, and its friends think a majority of the committee will agree to its being favorably reported to the Senate. But even if reported and passed President Cleveland's recent remarks about the territories and new states indicate that it would be vetoed.

Senator Kyle, chairman of the committee to establish the University of the United States, has favorably reported the bill providing for the establishment of a National University at Washington, to be non-sectarian and non-partisan, and to be open to all competent to take its instruction. The bill carries a preliminary appropriation of $15,000. The idea of a National University was first advanced by George Washington, and it has been more or less talked about ever since, and bills for the purpose have been before many Congresses.

A Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Clinton Column.

Chances for a New Dry Goods Store—A Bad Fall People and Doings.

Bertha Semark remains very ill.

Ed. Clark was in Chicago over Sunday.

G. C. Lindsley came home from Adrian Saturday.

Dr. White was a Blissfield visitor Saturday.

Frank Brown came home Friday, for a few days.

Fred Greenleaf was at home the first of the week.

Miss Julia Scully went to Manchester Wednesday.

Ira VanGieson was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Bert Martin, of Manchester, was in town Saturday.

Miss Grace Martin visited Tecumseh last Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Katner returned Friday night from Toledo.

Mrs. M. E. Carr returned from Charlotte last Thursday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies visited Tecumseh Monday and Tuesday.

Oscar Palmer and wife, of Tecumseh, were in town Monday.

W. C. Rogers was in Napoleon the first of the week on business.

Geo. Sanford and wife visited at Grass Lake over Sunday.

Herbert Lindsley attended the Cycle show at Detroit last week.

Mrs. E. S. Tate returned from her Tecumseh visit last Friday.

C. M. Fellows and wife, of Saline, were in town last Saturday.

Olive Wells went to Ann Arbor Wednesday to visit the remainder of the week.

Miss Kathleen Hogan is learning the Milliner's trade at the store of Clark & Shimman.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox made a short visit at his home in Addison the latter part of last week.

Rev. Hutchins, of Kalamazoo, preached his first regular sermon at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hofnagle, of Detroit, were guests of Jas. Rogers from Thursday to Monday.

McClure's new baker has moved his family into the west half of the Johnston house on Church St.

L. J. Leek returned Saturday from Lansing, where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Rha Conklin.

Sam Larzellere, of Grass Lake, has come back to Clinton and expects to take up his abode here again.

Monday afternoon Mr. E. N. Broadbent slipped and fell on the railroad track, dislocating his shoulder.

George Chandler has been visiting, for the past few days, at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

P. V. Eipper, collector for P. F. Collier & Co., of Detroit, made his monthly visit in Clinton the first of the week.

Mell Sherwood and Geo. Lockwood drove to Ypsilanti Sunday, the latter remaining to take a position in a meat market there.

Mrs. Jas. Main, living west of the village, died last week Wednesday of pneumonia. The funeral was held at the house Saturday.

Notices are posted for a democratic caucus for the voters of the township of Clinton, to be held in the town hall, Saturday, March 28, at 2 p. m.

John Wilson, superintendent of the the woolen mills at Warsaw, Ill., left Tuesday morning, after a visit of several days with A. C. Hunting on.

Parties have been in town lately looking over the prospects for a new dry goods store. They report very favorably on the project and we may safely predict an early opening of the new firm.

Clark & Shimman's annual spring opening will occur Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28. The latest novelties in millinery and a fine line of pattern hats and bonnets, will be in stock, all of which they will be pleased to show you.

A meeting of the election board was called Wednesday last at 1:30 p. m. to recount the ballots of the village election. John Bird, attorney, of Adrian, was here to look after the law and order ticket, and J. L. O'Mealy, of Adrian, was to look after the corporation ticket's side. But as Mr. O'Mealy got left on the train the meeting was adjourned until next Tuesday, at 1:30, at the town hall.

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Experiments have shown the practicability of keeping molten metal in casting condition by means of electricity.

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Charged with passing forged and altered silver certificates, Mrs. Belle Freeland, of Terra Alta, W. Va., was placed under bail.

The sooner you begin to fight the fire, the more easily it may be extinguished. The sooner you begin taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for your blood-disease, the easier will be the cure. In both cases, delay is dangerous, if not fatal. Before you get Ayer's and no other. 1w

ONSTED.

An Old Settler Laid to Rest—Stock Shipments—Personal News.

The grip still holds forth in this section.

Frank Sage has got settled in the village.

Maple sugar parties are the proper thing just now.

School resumed Monday after one week's vacation.

A quantity of stock was taken in here Saturday for shipment.

Little Maude Aldrich has been quite sick with lung difficulties.

A unity cap social at Mr. Teachout's Saturday evening of this week.

Mrs. Nellie Belcher, of Geneva, called on friends in this vicinity last Sunday.

L. P. Onsted and wife called on Mr. Ayres and family near Tecumseh recently.

Mrs Sarah Aldrich entertained Mrs. Dora Erskins, of Detroit, a few days ago.

Regular communication of Finch Lodge, No. 407, F. & A. M., on March 25th.

John Sickels has moved into a part of his father-in-law's house, G. W. Teachout's.

The cold wave which came along recently stopped the run of sap for a while.

It is expected that considerable building will be done in town the coming season.

A considerable amount of bigory timber is being shipped from here at present.

The missionary social was held with Mrs. J. R. Stephenson on Thursday of last week.

Nearer comes the township election and warmer is the grasp of the candidate's hand.

The Maccabees have got their new rituals, so look out for a change in the antics of the goat.

Business is very lively at the flouring mill these days as the farmers are getting lots of feed ground for their stock.

The Unity church is an established fact, as enough money has been raised, and the building will be built this spring.

John Darling and brother have moved from the Butterfield farm onto Mrs. Potter's farm and will work the same this year.

Floyd and Bessie Skinner had a surprise sprung on them the other evening by some of their young friends, and a good time was had all around.

John Waters is canvassing this vicinity in the interest of the Perfection Lock Wire Fence Co. of Adrian and is meeting with fairly good success.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hallett occupy the rooms over Hines' store. They have rented their farm in North Rome and Mr. H. will work at the carpenter trade this season and his wife will do dressmaking in and around the village.

The remains of George B. Daniels, an old settler of this vicinity, were brought here from Kalamazoo for interment a few days ago. Severe sickness last fall unbalanced his mind and he was taken to the asylum for treatment, but death came at last and relieved him from all suffering.

PENTECOST.

Farmers' Club Organized—A Pointer for Farmers—Stray Dog.

Mrs. Merrill, of Norvell, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Pentecost.

Mrs. W. N. Perkins, of Chicago, paid her mother and other relatives a short visit last week. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins expect to remain in Chicago.

Here is a pointer for farmers: A butcher of known experience declares that the very best beef in the market now is that which was fed on ensilage and corn meal, as the meat is more tender and juicy and every way superior to that produced in any other way.

Already the tramp nuisance is beginning to spread itself over the country. The man who is willing to work for what he receives should obtain help, but the filthy hobo, who hates work and soap about equally, ought to get the cold shoulder oftener than he does among the farmers.

The farmers of East Cambridge and West Franklin have organized a Farmers' Club. Their next meeting will be held at the residence of Jesse Pentecost, April 11, at 10 a. m. A picnic dinner will be served by the ladies and a fine program, business, etc., will fill up the time. All are cordially invited to bring their dinner and have a good time.

On returning from Tecumseh after attending a meeting of the G. A. R. last Monday night, L. Daniels was followed home by a large handsome hound of a dark brown color. The owner will find him at Mr. Daniel's near Sand Lake Crossing, Pentecost, post-office. The dog was lying in the carriage, when found, and would not be driven away.

Cripple Creek, Colo.

Is the greatest gold mining camp in the world and is now on the boom. The Wabash Railroad is the best line to Cripple Creek either via Kansas City or St. Louis. Call on or write to the nearest Wabash Ticket Agent for particulars.

Truly astonishing. Miss Annette N. Moen, Fountain, Minn., says: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has had a wonderful effect in curing my brother's children of a severe and dangerous cold. It was truly astonishing how speedily they found relief after taking this preparation." 1w

FRANKLIN.

Grange Organized—Maccabee Social—Schools Close.

Luman Deming is no better.

Charles Avery's saw mill is located at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's.

Last week Thursday night a Grange was organized at Tipton.

The Maccabees gave a maple sugar social Tuesday night at Tipton.

Ruth Taylor entertained a number of her musical friends Monday evening.

Cecil Billington has recovered from scarlet fever and talks of returning to Cleary's college.

Mr. R. Mills will soon take up his residence in Tipton, having bought Wib Demings place.

Wilford Allen took the train at Tipton last Monday for Litchfield, where he will visit his grandmother.

Last Friday school closed in the following places: Brick, Andrew Taylor, teacher; Pentecost, Hollis Taylor, teacher; Paragon, Carl Wisner, teacher.

Jehiel Wisner is the guest of his brother Edward. He left Louisiana where things were green and sunny, peach trees were in bloom etc., and he did not expect to find an unbroken winter here.

The next Lyceum will be held at A. D. Hunt's April 4th. A good literary program will be presented th question for debate is: Resolved that the U. S mint should be thrown open to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Affi Hollis Taylor, Neg. Carl Wisner, other speakers will follow.

LAKE RIDGE.

Social and Church News—Farm Changes.

Cinda Lowry, who has been quite ill, is now able to be about.

The familiar face of Thomas Maynard is seen among us once more.

Miss Mattie Lichard has closed her school in the Wright district.

Anna Murphy, after spending some time in Tecumseh, has returned home.

Wm. Martin has returned from Wheatland, where he went to look after his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whiting spent Sunday in Tecumseh with their brother, W. W. Whiting.

The smiling faces of some of the South Macon boys are seen in our Sunday-school quite often of late.

Mrs. Henry has rented her farm to Chas. Creedy, of Adrian township, and will move here in the near future.

Mrs. Gertie Sisson, who has been having a severe time with quinzy, is again able to attend to her household duties.

Mrs. Hand, in spite of the zero weather and her advanced age, spent a part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Hendershot.

Chas. Hendershot has had a very sick horse, but by Dr. Slaight's skillful handling it is now able to stand on the sunny side of the barn.

Wm. Martin has rented the Darius Hendershot farm and will move his family in the near future. We are sorry to lose them from our neighborhood.

The Lake Ridge Sunday school has purchased an organ. Under the very faithful services of the superintendent, Robt. Reed, the school is progressing finely with increasing interest each Sabbath. They will hold a social in the near future, the proceeds to be used in paying for the organ. Let the good work go on.

An Honest Man's Story.

Greenvillage, Pa., Jan. 23, '96.

Dear Sir:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. Mr. Pretzinger, I used your sample box of catarrh cure which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50 cent jar. They keep it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine. Hon. 'Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it; he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. G. D. Ludwig, daughter of me, is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the past five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and business. Before I used your medicine I felt many a time that I did not care whether I was living or dead; I had no energy; I did not care for anything. I had catarrh over sixty-seven years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her sixty-fourth year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenvillage. On nice days I drive up to the farm and work. Mr. Pretzinger, I think it would pay you to have it put in all the Franklin county papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the county.

Yours truly,
GEO. K. ZOLLINGER.

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Why continue to pass your nights in scratching and your days in misery? Doan's Ointment brings instant relief, and permanently cures even the worst cases of itching Piles. It never fails. w

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Here is a case from Battle Creek: Mr. Josiah M. Shoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. As a member of the force he served the city well, but the rough weather he was often subjected to laid the foundation of kidney disorder, which has troubled him very much. Here is what he says about it:

"About three years ago, while on the police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of trouble. The pain was right through my kidneys and across the small of my back; if sitting down and I wanted to stand up, I had to arise very slowly and gently to avoid increasing the pain; I had such tired-out feelings all the time, and I was steadily getting worse. About two months ago, hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box. Their action and effect was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now get around as quickly as a [illegible] Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly [illegible]ted."

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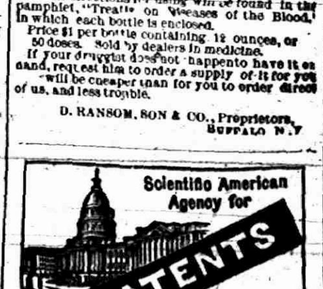

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Indians Have Gone—"Deestrict Stale" Repeated—New Feed Mill—Two Marriages.

O. Hoagland went to Detroit]Monon business.

L. Kishpaugh spent Sunday with mily at Clinton.

ce inspection, our worthy Wabash keeps an O. R. J. W. W.

rge Exelby has bought the A. l house and lot on east Main St.

A. Brown was called to Adrian ay afternoon. Business affairs.

l Allen will occupy the house of W. Lenardson in the near future.

J. Niblack, of Addison, was shakands with his old Britton friends sy.

ights of the Maccabees meet in hall next Tuesday evening for intion.

rvey Welling was in town Wednesshaking hands with his old actances.

J. Wood will build an addition to sidence as soon as the weather permit.

l Perry, of Clio, spent last Sunday his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Exelby.

C. Hoagland, Art Curtiss and Chas. ey took in the sights of Dundee turday last.

rge Graves went to Clio Monday he has a prospect of becoming a ositive fireman.

Florence Lowe and son, Clarence, to Toledo Saturday for a short with relatives.

itations are out announcing the age of Miss Ida Pilbeam and La Smith on Wednesday next.

first robin of the season put in ppearance here on Tuesday morninging an ode to St. Patrick.

arlie Rupert passed through the e Wednesday, en route to South a, having enlisted in the regulars.

L. Wood bought the house on Main St. owned by Joseph Thackt present occupied by W. E. Allen.

n Underwood and Annie Hoagere married on Thursday at the nce of the bride's mother in

e & Brown will soon be on the t with a stock of imported hay ome consumption. Something r this territory.

first number of The Britton Citipeared last Friday. It is a very and newsy sheet worthy of the rt of all Brittonites.

uel Markon and wife, of Morenci, visiting Wm. R. Osgood and wife st half of this week. Mrs. Mara neice of Mr. Osgood.

ne hour and forty minutes after a tone was placed Saturday afterhe stone were unloaded and on und at the site of Osgood's new

ard Hatch held down the C. J. hair in the Wabash office Tueshile the agent was attending the of his grandfather, Joseph Pen-

red headed tramp who was so ous around town on Sunday d the rather suggestive name of sh Bill, but that don't make him ive of Moses.

e of our base ball cranks begin to e fever, and the air is full of balls time the sun shines. Whats the r of having a good team in the gain this year.

Tuesday evening many of the ers and friends of the Christian gave Rev. Doyo and family a ete surprise. It was a pleasant ng both for pastor and people.

d Morely and family, of Lafayette, ot off a Wabash train here on May, going up to his father's in n for a brief visit, and continuing journey home on Saturday.

man Ackley has been sporting a ful pair of ebony optics as the re- catching a brick on the bridge of se while loading brick at Kniffen dershot's kilns one day last week.

teen of the ladies of Ivy Leaf isited Hollister Hive of Dundee iday evening and were royally ined by the Dundee ladies. The was conferred upon four candi-

C. I. Doyo, of the Christian will address his congregation unday on the following topics: g, "Gain and Loss; or, The Use se of the Faculties of Man." g, "The New Woman."

Stewart and Ellen Oosterhout arried on Tuesday evening, at y, by the Rev. H. Cansfield. ppy couple left Wednesday for Wyandotte, where Mr. will work in the ship yards.

Courtland Snedicor, of Ithica, visiting friends in the com- Mr. Snedicor, now deceased, resident of Ridgeway village k in the 60's and worked at lthing with James Peck, at the he hill.

Yucca Medicine Co.'s have come e, and the effect of their decoc- worn off, a few of our citizens still wear a wan look on their mething like a boy just after smoke. These are they who liquid Yucca.

g to the urgent request of a mber, the management have d to reproduce the "deestrict ight and tomorrow night at house, placing the price of on at the extreme low price of The program will be changed evening.

George Clark and Ernest DuBoise, both having been troubled about hearing the dinner bell, thought it advisable to consult a specialist relative to the matter, and repaired to the county seat for that purpose last Friday. After removing a bicycle crank from the ear of one and part of a first base from the ear of the other the boys were able to hear all right.

The work on the new feed mill is progressing finely. Nearly all the material is on the ground and a force of men are at work. The building will be of a more substantial character than the old one and will have a brick engine room practically fire-proof. Repairs on the saw mill of Gogolin & Co necessitated some delay in getting out the sill, but only temporarily, and the work is now moving along nicely.

RIDGEWAY.

Creamery Association Holds a Meeting—Sugar Festival—If the Coat Fits, Put It On.

Easter two weeks from Sunday.

Grass seeds at Smith & Schmidt's.

Mrs. Maurice Kelley is on the sick list.

School closes Friday for a week's vacation.

T. H. Montgomery is under the doctor's care.

Township election two weeks from Monday.

Flower and garden seeds at Smith & Schmidt's.

March is still holding its own with the weather clerk.

The date set for the singing school concert is April 10.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was in the village Tuesday.

Remember the maple sugar festival to be given at the church tonight, by the L. C. S.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton went to Lansing Friday for a few days stay with her husband.

Another lot of that good Hudson buckwheat flour just received by Smith & Schmidt.

Charles Bennet, of Plymouth, visited with Mrs. John Arner and family the first of the week.

Mary Osgood, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gorton, at Ypsilanti, returned to her home Thursday of last week.

Dame rumor says we are soon to inhale the sweet fragrance of orange blossoms from several groves in the village.

Smith & Schmidt have just received a car load of fence wire direct from the factory. You will do well to figure with them before buying elsewhere.

Frank Allen and wife and Lavern Allen and wife, of Toledo, were called here Tuesday by the death of their grandfather, Joseph Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Allen and daughter, Jennie, were called to Macon Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Allen's father, Joseph Pennington.

Any person wishing to purchase a piano will do well to consult Emma Miller, as she wishes to dispose of the one she has, and if taken before April 1 can be had at a bargain.

At the board meeting of the creamery association held Tuesday morning, Anton Christanen was hired to make butter for another year. The outlook for success is better than ever before.

Prof. J. B. DeMotte, the last number on the Tecumseh Star Course, will appear at Sutton's Opera House, Tecumseh, Saturday evening, March 28. Single admission, 50c. Reserved seats 10c.

Miss Lillian Dersham, who has been visiting her parents near Palmyra, returned Saturday and will be found at her former rooms with Mrs. W. H. Arner, prepared to make the latest style dresses for the Spring season.

Those boys or men who spit tobacco juice on the floor, base boards and walls of the church are fit subjects for a house of correction, where they would have the pleasure of cleaning up their own filth; and they may have that pleasure unless less of it is left in the church hereafter.

Mrs. E. N. Law, of Detroit, state lecturer of the W. C. T. U., who spoke at the church on Sunday and Monday evenings, put forth many convincing proofs that reform was needed among the servants sent to the seat of this great nation, for the health and prosperity of our government. There was a good attendance, but not what there should have been, for every loyal citizen of this nation is more or less interested in the temperance question.

Do Not Do This.

Do not be induced to buy any other if you have made up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Remember that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail. Do not give up in despair because other medicines have failed to help you. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully and you may reasonably expect to be cured.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, carefully prepared from the best ingredients. 25c. 1w

In France hospitals for infectious diseases are furnished with telephones, so that the sick may converse with their friends without danger of communicating disease.

A Preacher.

Of Waterloo, Ind., Rev. S. P. Klotz, writes: "I have been afflicted over 20 years with dyspepsia or sour stomach. Have tried different remedies without much benefit. A 10c bottle of Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gave me great benefit. Have taken nearly one large bottle, and feel like a different person." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar

HOLLOWAY.

A Maccabee Benefit—Personal Mention.

Nathaniel Graham was calling in town Sunday.

Aggie Still, of Palmyra, is in town visiting friends.

The ladies' social at Mrs. McIntyre's was well attended.

Vern Sharpstein joined the Indians when they left here

Miss Jennie Calhoun was a caller in town one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holloway were visitors in the Maple City Friday.

Mrs. Nettie Fretzer visited Miss C. E. Winship Saturday afternoon last.

Prof. Gordon, of Michigan Center, is here visiting his people. Georgie came also.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Lola left Monday for Homer, their future residence.

Mr. Weel and wife are residents of Holloway. They occupy the Kelly house.

Mrs. Levi Coffin and Nett Simmons visited Mrs. Floyd Florance Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, of Wellsville, attended the Maccabee benefit here last week.

The Indian medicine company left Tuesday for Tipton where they will stay two weeks.

John Moore, who went to Illinois a short time ago to work in a creamery, returned home this week.

The Maccabees had a big boom at their benefit Thursday evening, given by the Indian Medicine Co.

Misses Palmer & Thompson have ordered their new millinery goods and will have their stock ready soon.

MACON.

Death of Another Pioneer—Family Reunion.

Several Tecumseh young people attended the E. L. Social last Friday.

Allie Carnaham was the guest of Bessie Camburn in Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Addie Ball and Mrs. Libbie Wooster, of Raisin, were among the guests of the Saturday night party.

The social at J. B. Coller's was well attended and a good time reported. Proceeds over $9. Lewis Coller was elected President of the League.

On Saturday night there was a Collins party at the old Collin's home which served a double purpose of being a surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. Seneca Chambers, and of being a sort of a reunion at the ancestral home. The grandchildren and great grandchildren of James Collins were invited. Although all were not able to be present, there were about 35 in attendance.

Died, Sunday, March 15, Mr. Joseph Pennington, one of our pioneers. He had been in poor health for some time, but last Friday night, as he started to come down stairs, he fell, causing injuries so severe that they terminated in his death. In his active years Mr. Pennington was engaged in the nursery and farming business, and for years he was a prominent and influential member of the Baptist church.

NOTICE.

The Republicans of Macon will meet in caucus at township hall, Macon, on Thursday, March 26, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a township ticket and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

Dated March 17, 1896.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

OBITUARY.

Sarah A. Morgan, wife of the late John N. Morgan, was born Feb. 11, 1813, on the banks of the Susquehanna river in Columbia Co., Penn., and died Tuesday night, Feb. 25, 1896, aged 83 years and 13 days. She came to Michigan with her parents in 1832, this making her one of the pioneers of this place. She was united in marriage to John N. Morgan Oct. 26, 1837. They began life's work on the farm in Saline township adjoining the one on which she died. To this union three children were born, two of whom survive her. She was the only daughter and surviver of a family of ten children. She united with the Free Will Baptist Church of Macon in 1845, of which she has since been a faithful member, although poor health has kept her at home for some years past. In her early pioneer days, when the country was new and not supplied with a physician, it is remembered that she acted as nurse and ever helped with a willing hand, going miles through the woods to take care of the sick. Her end was peace. Her mind was calm reposing upon the Saviour's breast. Although she is missed and in that home there is a vacant chair, we only have to think she has passed on before. Her funeral services were held at her home Friday, Feb. 28, conducted by Rev. D. H. Ramsdel. Her remains were laid by the side of her loved companion in the Macon cemetery, in sure and certain hope of a resurrection to eternal life.

Try It and See for Yourself.

"I have been troubled with Chronic Catarrhal Deafness for a long time and have tried many remedies without relief, but after using a part of a bottle of the Century Catarrh Cure I am getting well and feel better than I have for years." Mrs. J. R. High, Nellys Mills, Pa. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. mar

Electric turrets have been introduced into the Danish navy.

For earache put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough, isn't it? 1w

CONE.

Pleasant Surprise—Married.

Jerome Hall moved to Milan this week.

Born, Wednesday, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olds, a son.

Will Thompson moved into the house lately vacated by Bert Caswell.

Ferman Lewis, of Toledo, spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Daisy Caswell.

Orrie Dennison returned home from Dundee Saturday, where he has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auten and Orrie Dennison visited the former's parents at Auburndale the first of the week.

Charles Kent and family moved to West Toledo Tuesday. They will work on a dairy farm for Eaton Laskey.

Miss Nellie Dodge, of Toledo, returned home Tuesday, after a week's visit with her friend, Miss Jessie Auten.

Misses Clara and Bird Stanchfield, of Creston, Iowa, were the guests of their cousins, Walter Cone and Mrs. Frank Gray, last week.

Glenn Underwood, of Britton, and Anna Hoagland, of Cone, were married at Ridgeway Thursday evening, March 12, by Rev. James Wright.

Remain Hendershot, of Tecumseh, and Miss Anna Craig were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craig, last Thursday evening, March 12. A large number of relatives were present to witness the ceremony, and left many useful presents as tokens of friendship.

A number of people attended the birthday surprise party for Mrs. Ross, wife of our minister at Rea, last Saturday afternoon and evening. From the Cone class she received a nice rocking chair and lace curtains; Rea class, a set of dining chairs; West Dundee, $10 in cash; and Bragg class, a linen table cloth and towels. A good time was reported by all.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

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The ball-bearing now so essential to the easy running of a bicycle was patented in 1791.

Nearly all women have good hair, though many are gray, and few are bald. Hall's Hair Renewer restores the natural color, and thickens the growth of the hair. 1w

A bill has been introduced into Congress for the construction of cruisers in which electricity will be used as a power.

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"I Was No Good on Earth."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 20, 1896.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, March 12th, 1896.

Adjourned session. Present, the entire council excepting Trustee Smith.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, salary, $25 00; C. F. Field, printing election ballots, $6 00. For services on board of registration, D. T. Hall, $2.00; Henry Heesen, $2 00; W. J. Ingersoll $2.00; services on board of election inspectors, D. T. Hall, $3.00; J. A. Boyd, $3.00; Henry Heesen, $3.00; J. H. Aten, $3 00; Geo S. Field, $3 00; gatekeepers, W. C. Smith, $3.00; John Werner, $3 00; Henry Bice, meals for election board, $3.50. Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, moved that clerk be and hereby is instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the several amounts thereof. Supported. Carried.

The council then proceeded to canvas and determine the result of the votes cast at the annual village election, held in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on Monday, March 9th, 1896.

The certificate and report of the inspectors of said election, duly verified, was received; which certificate showed that the whole number of votes cast for the office of village president was three hundred and eighty-four (384) of which

Alfred James received	227
Joseph H. Smith,	157
Alfred James' majority,	70

The whole number of votes cast for the office of clerk was three hundred and eighty five (385) of which

Will J. Ingersoll received	194
Sumner Collins,	191
Will J. Ingersoll's majority	3

The whole number of votes cast for the office of treasurer was three hundred and eight-four (384) of which

Frank D. Avery received	241
James Elliott,	143
Frank D. Avery's majority	98

The whole number of votes cast for the office of trustees was one thousand one hundred and twenty-nine (1,129) of which

James Lowry received	231
Herbert E. Stout,	239
Charles A. Wright,	183
Charles E. Williamson,	182
E. N. Satterthwaite,	148
Henry Smith,	146

The whole number of votes cast for the office of assessor was three hundred eighty-one (381) of which

Jehiel Davidson received	245
Horace Weller,	136
Jehiel Davidson's majority,	109

Therefor, be it resolved: That the following named persons be and hereby are declared duly elected, at said election, to said several offices of said village, for the several terms as prescribed by law, as indicated below, to-wit:

President—Alfred James.
Clerk—Will J. Ingersoll.
Treasurer—Frank D. Avery.
Trustees, two years,—Charles A. Wright, James Lowry, Herbert E. Stout.
Assessor—Jehiel Davidson.

Moved that above resolution be adopted and that report and certificate of inspectors of election be placed on file in the office of the village clerk. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

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High School Happenings.

Mr. Pearl Skinner visited the B room Monday.

St. Patrick's day was properly observed Tuesday.

Mr. Ralph Bowen was a high school visitor Wednesday.

The senior class completed their organization Monday.

Miss Lovina Schreder was a visitor in the A room Wednesday.

Messrs. McKinnon and Smith visited the high school Wednesday.

Miss Gallatin is absent this week and Mrs. Garlinghouse fills her place.

Miss Jennie Campbell, of Manchester, visited the high school last Friday.

Miss Winnie Wilson interested the A room with an essay on violins Wednesday.

Misses Mattie Caldwell and Ora Gillispie visited the A room last Thursday.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons and Miss Kate Anderson called on the A room last Friday.

Five of the senior class will attempt the examination for a teacher's certificate at the March examination.

The Geometry class are at work on the solid part with sledges and picks; some of them threaten dynamite.

The botany class are more than interested in their work; some of them so much that they are holding after school sessions.

The junior class organized Wednesday with the following officers:

Pres.—Leigh Pennington.
Vice Pres.—Naomi North.
Sec.—Hattie Hurcy.
Treas.—Will Hicks.

The Celery Industry.

Comparisons are odious, especially invidious comparisons, and who among our celery growers has not heard the remark, in a surprised tone of voice: "Why, do you grow celery about Tecumseh?" I supposed Michigan celery was grown only at Kalamazoo."

In order to relieve the festive foreigner of any excuse for his ignorance, and incidentally to assist the readers of the Herald who are celery culturists, we wish to gather material for a comprehensive article on the business. We therefore ask our readers to reply to the following interrogations, and as soon as the necessary information is gleaned, a directory of growers and a compendium of the industry will be forthcoming.

1. How many acres do you annually plant? (Average)
2. How many will you plant in 1896?
3. What varieties do you culture?
4. What variety is your main crop?
5. What proportion of your entire crop is this variety?
6. Is your business chiefly by express or frieght?
7. What proportion is done by each method?
8. How many bunches did you ship in 1895?
9. How many will you ship in 1896? (Estimate.)
10. What are your principal shipping points?
11. What per cent of your sales are made on commission?
12. What per cent on bona fide basis?
13. Please append names of other growers in your vicinity.

Prompt replies to these queries will be greatly appreciated and in return for the anticipated kindness we will endeavor to give the celery industry of our community the attention it deserves.

OBITUARY.

GARLINGHOUSE.

Died, at her home near Napoleon, Mich., on Wednesday, March 11, 1896, Mary Jane, wife of David Garlinghouse. Mary Jane Crego was born April 22, 1819. In early life she became a christian and united with the Methodist church, and has always remained steadfast in her faith in Christ and in her allegance to the church of her choice. In October, 1839, she was married to Rev. Levi Warriner, who died April 13, 1858. To them were born four children, but one of whom is now living, Mrs. Emma French, of White Rock, Oklahoma. In October, 1867, she was united in marriage with David Garlinghouse, then a resident of Macon, Lenawee Co., Mich. In this home she has always had from husband and grown up children the full measure of love and respect due a true wife and mother. In the spring of 1871 they removed to a farm west of Napoleon, Jackson Co., which has since been their home. In the autumn of 1894 she suffered a stroke of paralysis, from the effects of which she never fully recovered. On Monday, March 9, a similar attack rendered her entirely helpless, and, after two days without regaining consciousness, the time came when loving hearts and willing hands could do no more. The bereaved husband, bending under the weight of more than four score and ten years, has the sympathy of all who know him, in his sorrow.

After making a complete circuit of the globe, Owney, the world-renowned post-office dog, has returned to Albany, his native city.

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Auction Sales.

Having decided to lease my farm, and give my time to my celery interests, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at my residence in Franklin, 4 miles west and 1 mile south of Tecumseh, on Thursday, Mar. 26 at 1 o'clock sharp the following property: Four good horses, 1 gray mare, 8-yrs old, by Banker Rothschild, dam Consternation, a first-class driver, 1 bay mare, 6-yrs old, by Marshall Star, dam by Peninsular Chief, granddam by thoroughbred, 1 Roan gelding, 5 yrs old, by Banker Rothschild, dam by Lothair Chief. These horses are of good size style, action and color, are sound, in fine condition and are first-class market horses. Three good cows, 1 cow giving milk; 2 cows coming in in April, 2 2-yr old steers, Walter, A. Wood Binder, Walter A. Wood Mower, Walter A. Wood self-dump hay rake, hay tedder, grain drill, wheel cultivator, fanning mill, corn sheller, double harness, and other things too numerous to mention. Terms of sale: All sums of $5.00 or under cash. All sums over $5.00 twelve month's credit on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises. LEVI L. BOWEN.

Ben Reynolds, auctioneer.

My time having expired on the farm of Mrs. Samuel Satterthwaite, I will sell at public auction on premises three miles south of Tecumseh, on the Adrian road, on Tuesday, Mar. 24, at 1 o'clock sharp, all of my personal effects, viz: 4 head of horses, 2 mares, 12 and 14 years old respectively; 2 colts, 2 and 3 years old respectively; 3 fine Jersey cows coming in soon, 8, 3 and 2 years old; 13 shoats, 1 sow, 1 sow with three pigs, 135 chickens, 28 grain bags, nearly new Milwaukee binder, Walter A. Wood mower, self-dump hay rake, lumber wagon, bob sleighs, single top buggy, single harness, double harness, one-half interest in 26 acres of growing wheat, 28 acres growing rye on said farm, 3 Planet cultivators, 1 shovel cultivator, 1 14 tooth cultivator, 1 hay rake, 80 tooth drag 3-section, land roller, Gale plow, Burch plow, horse hay fork double harpoon with 120 feet of rope and pulleys, hay forks, 4-tined forks, hoes, shovels, garden rake, Champion crosscut saw, grindstone, fanning mill, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale as above.

SAMUEL STEWART.

H. W. STEVENS, Auctioneer.

AMBULANCE ON WATER.

Steam Launch Added to the London Hospital Service.

The managers of the Metropolitan asylums board, London, have just passed upon plans for an ambulance launch for river service. Her dimensions, says the Philadelphia Record, are as follows: Length between perpendiculars, 60 feet; breadth, 12 feet 6 inches; depth, four feet; draught of water when fully equipped, two feet eight inches. The hull is built of Siemens-Martin mild steel throughout to board of trade requirements for passenger certificate. She is built in five compartments. In the fore part of the vessel is a cabin for the accommodation of the staff and for visitors proceeding to visit patients in the hospital ships in Long Reach, Dartford, and is capable of accommodating about 20 persons. In the after part there is a cabin fitted up as a hospital, with four berths—two being fixed and two portable—and with all the necessary requirements for carrying four recumbent patients. Both of these cabins are heated with steam and are provided with suitable skylights and all the necessary fittings for a boat of its class.

The machinery is fixed amidships and is of the triple-expansion type, with surface condenser, and capable of driving the vessel at a speed of ten knots. A water-tight trimming tank is built at the fore end of the vessel of sufficient capacity that when filled with water it will bring the vessel to an even keel of two feet eight inches.

A HOLY TERROR.

But the Little Battenburgs Love Her All the Same.

The ruler of Balmoral castle, according to the Strand Magazine, is not the queen, but the housekeeper, a Mrs. Mussens, a typical personage of her class, gowned always in rustling black silk, lace-trimmed apron and white cap. She and the queen are said to be excellent friends, and many a gossip have they had together when affairs of state have been laid aside.

Mrs. Mussens also stands high in the favor of the little Battenbergs, who are sure to seek her out as soon as they have landed at the castle, for she fairly idolizes the little ones and keeps many a treasure in her apartments with which to regale them.

To the world at large Mrs. Mussens is a holy terror. Her word is law, and she enforces it at the point of the bayonet or the broomstick. It is said that once the queen wanted a certain maid to whom she had taken a fancy detailed to the care of her own room, but the housekeeper remonstrated, telling her majesty that it was quite out of order and she really must not spoil the servants by undue notice. The queen was wise enough not to insist, and "dear Mrs. Mussens" won the day.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Various Points in Michigan.

Jackson has organized a humane society.

There are now 100 men in the Jackson prison under sentence for life.

The name of the post office at Alberta, Chippewa county, has been changed to Fiber.

The Fourth congressional district republican convention will be held at Niles April 29.

The Jackson Corset company has purchased a site and will build a factory at a cost of about $100,000.

Joseph H. S. Holmes, the murderer of Motorman Albert Johnson, of Grand Rapids, will be tried March 30.

Through jealousy, Frank Young, of North Branch, was fatally shot by Joe Grant, the affair occurring at a dance.

Portland has voted to bond itself for $15,000 to build a dam across Grand river and erect an electric light plant.

One hundred families at St. Joseph have agreed to establish and support a cooperative store on the grange plan.

The third annual meeting of the Northwestern Soldiers' Home association will be held in Grand Rapids June 4, 5 and 6 next.

Frank M. Clark, of Kalamazoo, has donated a lot worth $2,500 as a site for the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union building.

Prof. Jasper N. [illegible], of Lansing, aged 70, who claims to have been Ingersoll's early teacher, was married Tuesday to Mrs. Mary Bates, aged 68.

Will H. Parmenter, of Niles, has been presented with a valuable bronze medal in recognition of his brave services in the fearful riot at Hammond, Ind. during the Debs strike.

Railroad Outwits the Farmer.

Hamburg, March 18.—The excitement over the right of way of the Toledo & Ann Arbor through the Beach farm shows no abatement. The railroad people have added more men and the steam shovel to their force. Beach swore that he would not allow them to remove a cottage he placed upon the right of way, but the men moved it Tuesday afternoon, and there was no blood shed. Beach and his wife were before the justice at the time charged with assault. Both pleaded guilty and paid fines.

Menominee River Log Cut.

Menominee, March 18.—A careful estimate of the amount of logs cut on the Menominee river and tributaries during the winter places the same at upward of 400,000,000 feet against 374,000,000 for last season. All but about 75,000,000 feet of this amount will be manufactured in the Menominee and Marinette mills. The weather has been favorable for logging and jobbers will get in full quotas.

Benton Harbor Cuts Salaries.

Benton Harbor, March 18.—The salaries of all city officials from mayor down to street sweepers have been cut about 30 per cent. The city clerk and city collector's salaries were cut $420 and $500 respectively.

Prize Fight Law to Be Tested.

Lansing, March 16.—William Craw and Frank Kelley have been held to the circuit court for trial on a charge of prize fighting, Craw having disposed of Kelley in a finish fight last week. The Michigan law on this subject has never been tested.

Celebrate Their Golden Wedding.

Niles, March 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Joel Camp, pioneers of southwestern Michigan, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at their home in Bangor. Relatives from many states were present. The groom is the oldest practicing physician in the state.

Highest Taxed Country.

Roumania is the highest taxed country in the world. Every bottle of foreign wine has to pay a shilling duty. A case of whisky went from the army and navy stores the other day. The transport tax stamps and other duties amounted to more than the price of the whisky. There is a tax even on female servants.

Ancient English Bridge.

The triangular bridge at Crowland, in Lincolnshire, which was probably intended as an emblem of the Trinity, is the most ancient Gothic structure remaining entire in the kingdom. It was erected in the year of our Lord 860.

South Africa's Joan of Arc.

Cecil Armitage, a young Englishman in Ashantee, tells of a strange West African "Joan of Arc," who is equipping an army for King Prempeh. Her appearance is more impressive than beautiful, and, unlike the famous French Joan, whose features we know, this dusky amazon is said to have only one eye, one ear and one arm and to wear her hair hanging long. With one touch of her magic wand she can bring armies together, and in an engagement a brass pan is placed before her, into which all the bullets of the enemy can conveniently fall without hurting her brave soldiers.

Cleanly Japanese Tramps.

A traveler in Japan says that the Japanese tramp takes his hot bath daily if he has a fraction of a cent to pay for it, or his cold bath if he hasn't a cent. He carries a comb, toothpicks, a razor and a toothbrush in a little bundle. A few Japanese tramps might well be introduced as missionaries in the American brotherhood, whose members do not seem to appreciate what cleanliness is "next to."

A Preacher.

Of Waterloo, Ind., Rev. S. P. Klotz, writes: "I have been afflicted over 20 years with dyspepsia or sour stomach. Have tried different remedies without much benefit. A 10c bottle of Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gave me great benefit. Have taken nearly one large bottle, and feel like a different person." Sold by Orr & Temple. mar

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The best in Southern Michigan, which I will sell at price which you can't get at any other store in the state. When you are looking for anything in this line give me a call and be convinced.

JAS. LOWRY.

Lilley House Block, Tecumseh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE. Russian Oats for sale, Averaged [illegible] per acre, from a sowing of 1½ [illegible] per acre. Oats on sale at O. A. Slayton's
E. V. CORYELL.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—House and 2½ acres of land in Browsville. Inquire of D. Rogers.

FOR SALE. I have acclimated Strawberry plants for sale, of the following varieties: Vernon, Gandy Warfield, Parker Earl, Early Haverland, Crescent and Early Ozark. Gandas 75 early—50 cts per 100. 40 cts per hundred per thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the Cuthbert and Gregg.
O. F. MORLEY,
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P. O. Tecumseh, Macon, Mich.

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C. W. McNEIL,
Newburgh, Mich.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike known as Sam Holden place. Good building, water etc.
G. W. FLY.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS. Notice is hereby given to the voters of Tecumseh township that a democratic caucus will be held at the town hall at 2 p. m. Friday, March 27, for the purpose of nominating a ticket to be supported as the coming township election, electing delegates to the county convention and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.
By Order of Committee.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 20, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Oh, haste to the Eggletaire!
The elite of the town will be there
A supper thats prime,
And a royal good time
Are said to be waiting you there.
Pray, what is this Eggletaire?
My word, tis not a church fair.
But a supper of eggs,
And the writer begs
The privilege of greeting yot there.

Spring has come again.

There was an equinoxical storm.

Five mile race Monday night.

Mrs. Elliott Jr. went to Morenci Tuesday on a collecting tour.

Rain will soon be there. Better wait. Mills will be at the Mills Block.

Epworth League Group meeting will be held at the M. E. church, April first.

John R. Nyland went to Kalamazoo today, where he has secured a position.

Mrs. Ford and wife, of Bay City, who have been visiting here returned home today.

Mrs. Montgomery went to Detroit today to prepare for the coming season's lake service.

The W. H. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. F. J. Temple Wednesday, March 25, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chilson and sons, Frank and Harry, have gone to Detroit to look after their vessel interests.

Get out the big wagon and get the family ready. You will hear from us next week from Mills Block.

Bring your pocketbooks to the Eggletaire and purchase some Easter novelties which will be for sale at that time.

Mrs. E. L. Hubbard, of Brownville, died Saturday morning of pneumonia. The funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock p. m.

Miss J. Hough and Miss Marie Paisley made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday in order to post themselves on the late millinery novelties.

Tom McCann returned from his visit to Bunker Hill and Lansing Monday. He drove through with a new horse, which is pronounced a hummer.

Don't forget the date, March 26, for the Eggletaire at the Baptist church. Supper served from 5 to 8, for 10 cents. Hand painted souvenirs given to each one.

"The History of the Toilet," by Louis Bardeau, in the March Chatauquan, is an entertaining sketch of the vanities which mankind has at various times indulged.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Moore spent Sunday in Dundee with their brother, Harry Moore, who has been dangerously ill with pleurisy. He is somewhat improved now.

The pulpit at the Friends' church will be occupied next Sunday morning by Rev. Eduard Mott. The pastor will preach in the evening. Everybody cordially invited.

A big improvement is being made in the M. E. Lecture room. Incandescent lights, new paper and fresh paint have already made their appearance and a new carpet is to come.

The Orangemen, of Tecumseh, moved their lodge quarters from the Arcanum block to the K. P. rooms in the Bidwell block this week. This change will be highly appreciated by the members.

General A. W. Greeley, in considering "The Personal Side of Washington" in Ladies Home Journal, will bring to the interesting light as a son, husband, neighbor, business man, slave owner (there were nearly all Virginia land-owners in his day), and Christian, with reference to the charges that Washington was neither a dutiful nor loving son.

Last Saturday Zach Snell's boy and Frank Slater's boy were walking across the dam which spans the tail race at the Mills Mills, when the Snell lad lost his balance and fell into the water. The water is quite swift and he went down stream rapidly. The other boy ran to a house near by for his mother, and Frank Slater succeeded in pulling the drowning little chap out. Dr. Howell was called and after a time consciousness was restored. 'Twas a rather frigid bath from which there is probably no desire to repeat.

Five mile race Monday night.

Don't miss the five mile race Monday night.

Geo. Chandler, of Owosso, is spending the week at O. F. Fields.

Save up your quarters, they'll buy dollars at the Mills Block.

It looks now as if we could use a few more loads of wood this spring.

Miss Ann Hewitt returned from an extended visit in Buffalo yesterday.

St. Patrick's day was a typical March day, but it did not compare with yesterday.

Editor Field, who was confined to his home last week is again officiating at the sanctum.

Mrs. Bice and her committee served supper to 258 persons at the M. E. church Wednesday night.

Sheriff Wilson and several other people from Adrian made a business trip to Tecumseh Wednesday.

W. J. Osborn has adjourned his auction sale, which was advertised for yesterday, to Monday, March 23, at 1 p. m.

Next Sunday night Rev. J. P. Varner, of the Methodist church, will have for his subject, "The Blossoms of this Life Prophetic of a Life to Come."

M. L. Root was called to Painesville, Ohio, on Wednesday, by the death of his cousin, Fred Baker, who died Tuesday, very suddenly, of heart disease

States" is an interesting subject very ably handled by Prof. Bernard Moses, Ph. D., in the March number of The Chatauquan.

G. B. Garlinghouse and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Garlinghouse attended the funeral of Mrs David Garlinghouse at Napoleon last Friday. Mrs. Garlinghouse was formerly a resident of Macon. An obituary is published in another column.

Kenyon Cox's decorations for the Congressional Library will be shown, in process reproductions, in Harper's Weekly for March 21. The same number of the Weekly will contain an illustrated article on Winter Campaigns in the Russian Army.

The lecturer, with the aid of an able assistant, made use of many wonderful and brilliant experiments; and though the lecture lasted over two hours, the attention paid was intense. All present were more than pleased. It was a most pleasant entertainment, and we trust the professor will come again to our city.—Republican Gazette, Lima, Ohio.

The March Arena contains a magnificently illustrated paper written by Justice Walter Clark, LL. D., of the Supreme Bench of North Carolina on "Mexico in Mid-Winter." Incidentally the able jury discusses the silver question as it was brought to his attention during his recently extensive trip throughout our Sister Republic under the auspices of The Arena.

As an addition to previous announcements it may be noted that Harper & Brothers will publish on the 13th inst.: The Danvers Jewels, and Sir Charles Danvers—a new edition of the two stories, in an ornamental cloth binding. A Souvenir of Trilby, being seven photogravure portraits of the leading characters in Herbert Beerbhom Tree's English representation of Paul M. Potter's play, "Trilby." (In portfolio.)

From our exchanges we learn that F. A. Kotts, Manchester's popular dentist, is soon to move to Toledo. The genial doctor is well known here, having done work for many of our citizens who know him to be a skilled workman. He is an up-to-date dentist, thoroughly equipped for the most difficult operations, and not only uses the most improved methods but has invented and manufactures several instruments which are appreciated by the profession. Toledo is to be congratulated in securing his services, and his friends in this region predict for him a lucrative practice.

The April McClure's will contain what is about the first really authoritative and direct account yet given of Professor Rontgen and his discovery of the cathode rays. Immediately on the announcement of the discovery, the editors of the magazine cabled Mr. H. J. W. Dam, of London, to hasten to Wurzburg, and talk with Professor Rontgen in his laboratory, and learn all there was to learned of the new marvel in photography. The paper will be illustrated with a portrait of Professor Rontgen and numerous photographes by the new process. A supplementary article by Cleveland Moffett will tell what has been done in America with the cathode rays.

Samuel Stewart, a Raisin farmer whose mind is beleived to be unbalanced, was taken in to custody by Turnkey Haviland and deputy Sheriff Lards Tuesday afternoon, at the request of Stephen Bowerman, who desired the man placed under bonds to keep the peace, Stewart having threatened to to kill Mr. Bowerman and son Hiram. Stewart's lease of Samuel Satterthwaite's farm expired on the 15th, and he became enraged when Mr. Bowerman, the prospective tenant, proceeded to fill the ice house Tuesday morning. Stewart would have burned the ice house had not his wife prevented. He is confined in the county jail awaiting a further investigation of the case.—Adrian Times

Mr. A. W. Slayton, of Tecumseh, Mich., a large wholesale lumber merchant, arrived in our city last evening accompanied by his son. He said that he told his manager before he left home that he would look around a few days and see whether it would be advisable to open up a large lumber yard. After having been here a few hours he wrote back to his manager to come at once, for Fitzgerald was all right and just the place for them. He will open up a large lumber yard in a short time and do an extensive business. His son will also engage in business. Mr. Slayton was more than pleased with the prospects for Fitzgerald and expects great things from the colony.—Fitzgerald, (Georgia,) Enterprise.

Five mile race Monday night.

Watch for particulars from Mills Block.

Reserved seats for DeMotte's lecture on sale March 26.

Wait for us. We are on the way. We shall stop at the Mills Block.

Special meeting of the Blue Lodge to-night. First degree work.

Subject for Sunday at the Baptist church: "Gnats vs. Camels."

John Kane and Granville Lyman, of Onsted, were in town Thursday.

Reserved seats for the five mile race on sale at Kirchgessner's Monday.

Attorney Sumner Collins is spending the latter part of the week in Montpelier, Ind.

Tonight, at 7:30, Rev. W. L. Gibbs will preach in the Universalist church. All are earnestly invited.

Have you secured a ticket to the five mile race Monday evening? Price 15c. Reserved seats 10c extra

B. F. Kirchgessner this week tells of the Columbia and New Hartford wheels, in his ad on another page.

The admission to the five mile race at the Armory next Monday has been placed at 15c. Don't miss it.

Charlie Bennett, of Plymouth, was the guest of Theo. Harris last week. He spent Sunday in Ridgeway.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh lodge

nesday night. Work in the first degree.

The regular social and supper will be held at the Universalist church next week Friday. Supper served from 5 to 7.

F. R. Dickinson this week received a New Home sewing machine from the Herald, which is a beauty and does first class work.

E. W. Brown, of Waterloo, Ind., car reporter for the Lake Shore, made his old schoolmate, F. R. Dickinson, a visit this morning.

For the next week, commencing Mar. 21, we will sell 200 of the best 50 cent Summer Corsets ever shown in Tecumseh for 39c. HARRIS & HITESHU.

The Diversity Club, which wields the club of scientific research on a diversity of subjects, will be diverted at the home of Miss Lulu Jones this evening.

Subjects for Sunday, March 22, at the Baptist church: Morning, "The Gospel Simplicity." Evening, "Cuban Perseverance, or Does the Struggle for Principal Pay."

Jones and Coller have had a patent oil preparation put on their store floor, which they think is a great thing to prevent dust from rising and getting in its fine work on their stock.

F. R. Dickinson, who has been in the employ of Avery & Co. for the past five years, severs his connection with that firm tomorrow. Mr. Dickinson, however, intends to remain a citizen of our town.

Wheel season is coming. Dr. Frost will now attend the sick on a Clipper, bought of L. C. Hayden, while Robert Stead, of Raisin, will pursue education on an American King of Scorchers, purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

We are indebted to Arthur R. Pardington for the 8th annual report of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital of Brooklyn, N. Y. It shows a very creditable record for the institution and that our old Tecumseh boy is clerk of the hospital.

Will A. Smith will run a five mile race at the Armory Monday night, against 10 picked men, running one half mile each. This will be a much more exciting contest than that of Wednesday, as it promises to be much closer. Admission only 15c. Reserved seats 10c extra.

Next Sunday in the Universalist church the subjects will be: Morning, "He that is not against us, is for us." Evening, "To What do I Pledge Myself When I Join the Liberal Church?" All who desire to know the basis of membership in this church should avail themselves of this opportunity.

The lecture of John B. DeMotte was one that drew forth the warmest applause from Joseph Cook, who heard the same. "It was the grandest talk on electricity that I ever heard," said he. "I would rather lose five hundred dollars than to have missed it."—Island Park in Fort Wayne (Ind.) Gazette.

Last Friday was issued No. 1, Vol. 1, of the Britton Citizen, by Chas. H. Goodrich, editor and proprietor. This is the first paper ever printed in Britton, and comes to hand with a fresh, newsy appearance. Mr. Goodrich recently published a paper in Dundee. He is an old Tecumseh boy and formerly worked on the Herald.

The five mile contest at the Armory next Monday promises to be even more exciting and interesting than the ten mile race. Smith knows what he has to meet. He will run for 60 per cent, and he will run to win. In a five mile race he can do some spurting without loosing wind. The boys are satisfied they can do some sprinting too in half mile heats, and they say Smith will have to lower the records if he wins.

The March number of Electric Power is filled with interesting reading matter. Mr. A. J. Wurts, who has been working with lightening arresters, gives the results of his experiments made during the summer of 1895. The lay reader will also enjoy reading Mr. Reginald Gordon's paper on Electric Static Induction, in which he explains the use of certain instruments, all of which can be made for a small outlay. Engineers and station men find food for thought in various papers by Prof. F. B. Crocker, Mr. Geo. F. Sever, Mr. F. M. Pederson, who write on practical subjects, such as Mechanical Connections between Dynamos and Motors, Dynamo Design and Construction of Dynamo Fields. The scientific reader will find Dr. Fred Bedell's paper on Magnetic Circuit of considerable interest. The editorials deal with the Rontgen rays, with storage battery application, etc.

Mesdames Lowe and Hagerman, of Colorado Springs, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hicks.

B. G. Ellis has given up his position with Anderson & Co. to take a place with the dry goods firm of Neuhausel Bros., in Toledo.

The March number of the North American Review opens with an important paper on "America's Interest in Eastern Asia," by Hon. John Barrett, United States Minister to Spain. The conditions which have served to retard the development of American-Asiatic trade in the past, are ably set forth by Mr Barrett, together with some timely and valuable suggestions as to how American interests may best avail themselves of the "Asiatic Opportunity."

The friends of P. J. Keeling are rejoiced to learn that our benevolent though sometimes tardy Uncle Sam has at last seen fit to increase the pension of one who so fully deserved it. An especial effort has lately been made to bring this about with the result of back pay to the amount of $2,500 and a regular increase of from $12 to $72 per month. This is certainly an instance where the application of a liberal pension law was well deserved.

The number of Harper's Bazar to appear on March 21, will contain a variety of fashions for the spring wardrobes of ladies and children. Several elegant theater and reception toilettes from Paris will be given. A new feature in the Bazar, and one which promises to be popular, is a regular weekly article devoted to the doings of young people in society, especially reporting clubs, entertainments, and societies formed by girls, either for amusement or for charitable endeavor.

Adjournment of Auction Sale.

On account of the weather, I have adjourned my auction sale which was advertised for yesterday, the 19th, to Monday, March 23, at 10 o'clock sharp, at which time I will sell all the stock, tools, etc., which were advertised for that date. WILL J. OSBORN.

New Features This Season.

Coats—Square shoulders, shorter full length, plain finish, and a fly front for business cutaways or for four-button sacks.

Vests—A fly for single-breasted fronts and a wider opening for evening dress.

Trousers—Narrower legs and less spring.
J. M. JONES,
Leading Merchant Tailor.

—VERY CHEAP FEED.—

For the next 10 days I will make the following special offers on mill feed. Farmers, now is the time to buy:

Middlings, per ton,	$13 00
Corn and oats, ground, per ton	14 00
Bran, per ton,	13 00
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Tecumseh Steam Mill.

—Why do I lead in merchant tailoring? Because my goods are bought from the best house in Chicago and my workmanship is unequaled by my competitors.
J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—Anyone desiring a spring Overcoat will find it at J. M. Jones'.

—Fine assortment of harness, single and double, at bottom prices. Call and see. C. A. SLAYTON.

—The new Spring styles will meet the wants of all customers and classes. Call and post yourself on the fashions for the Spring season of '96.
J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Feed grinding done every day at the Steam Mill.

—Come and sit for your photos at Teeple's. He is getting caught up with his work and you won't have to wait long.

—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—If you want a nobby pair of pants go to J. M. Jones.

—Get ready for spring work by ordering your harness now, and get the best dressing of C. A. Slayton.

—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or B. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Please call and get my extremely low prices on new spring garments of all kinds and qualities. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Are you thinking of buying a bicycle? Remember I can save you money, if you will let me. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—For Corduroy and other fancy vestings call on J. M. Jones.

—I have eight grades of shingles and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—The best selected line of Spring and Summer woolens ever offered for sale in Tecumseh is now ready for your inspection. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

In France hospitals for infectious diseases are furnished with telephones, so that the sick may converse with their friends without danger of communicating disease.

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RADISHES,
LETTUCE,
BERMUDA ONIONS,
HOLLAND CABBAGE.

Spiced Beets are something New, Cheap and Elegant.

Call and Try Them.

ANDERSON BROS.
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Good Goods,
Nobby Styles
Great Variety,
And Low Prices,

are bringing me the largest trade I ever had, yet remember there is always room for one more, so

GIVE ME A CALL.

J. M. JONES,
LEADING MERCHANT TAILOR.

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Cash Sale Continues.

Get some of the Bargains before it is too late.

If we have trusted you now is the time to return the accommodation and show your friendship by paying us the cash at once.

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OVER 700 KINDS AND SIZES FROM $10.00 TO 75.00

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The World's Best

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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

A Discussion Apropos of the Parting Blizzard of Winter.

The Warmth of Christ's Righteousness and Love—How the World Shall be Heated—The Benign Power of Saving Grace.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage took a timely topic during the recent freezing storms that swept the country, apparently as the parting blizzard of winter. He took for his text:

Who can stand before His cold?—Psalm cxlvii. 17.

The almanac says that winter is ended and spring has come, but the winds, and the frosts, and the thermometer, in some places down to zero, deny it. The Psalmist lived in a more genial climate than this, and yet he must sometimes have been cut by the sharp weather. In this chapter he speaks of the snow like wool, the frost like ashes, the hailstones like marbles, and describes the congealment of lowest temperature. We have all studied the heat. How few of us have studied the power of the frost! "Who can stand before his cold?" This challenge of the text has many times been accepted. October 10, 1812, Napoleon's great army began its retreat from Moscow. One hundred and fifty thousand men, 50,000 horses, 600 pieces of cannon, 40,000 stragglers. It was bright weather when they started from Moscow, but soon something wrathier than the Cossacks swooped upon their flanks. An army of arctic blasts, with icicles for bayonets and hailstones for shot, and commanded by voice of tempest, marched after them. The flying artillery of the heavens in pursuit. The troops at nightfall would gather into circles and huddle themselves together, for warmth; but when the day broke, they rose not, for they were dead, and the ravens came for their morning meal of corpses. The way was strewn with the rich stuffs of the east, brought as booty from the Russian capital. An invisible power seized 100,000 men and hurled them dead into the snow drifts, and on the hard surfaces of the chill rivers, and into the maws of the dogs that had followed them from Moscow. The freezing horror which has appalled history was proof to all ages that it is a vain thing for any earthly power to accept the challenge of my text: "Who could stand before His cold?"

In the middle of December, 1777, at Valley Forge, 11,000 troops were, with frosted ears and frosted hands and frosted feet, without shoes, without blankets, lying on the white pillow of the snow bank. As during our civil war the cry was: "On to Richmond!" when the troops were not ready to march, so in the revolutionary war there was a demand for a wintry campaign until Washington lost his equilibrium and wrote emphatically: "I assure those gentlemen it is easy enough seated by a good fireside and in comfortable homes to draw out campaigns for the American army; but I tell them it is not so easy to lie on a bleak hillside, without blankets and without shoes." Oh, the frigid horrors that gathered around the American army in the winter of 1777! Valley Forge was one of the tragedies of the century. Benumbed, senseless, dead! "Who can stand before His cold?" "Not we," say the frozen lips of Sir John Franklin and his men, dying in Arctic exploration. "Not we," answer Schwatka and his crew, falling back from the fortress of ice which they had tried in vain to capture. "Not we," say the abandoned and crushed decks of the Intrepid, the Resistance and the Jeannette. "Not we," say the procession of American martyrs returned home for American sepulture, De Long and his men. The highest pillars of the earth are pillars of ice—Mont Blanc, Jungfrau, the Matterhorn. The largest galleries of the world are galleries of ice. Some of the mighty rivers much of the year are in captivity of ice. The greatest sculptors of the ages are the glaciers, with arm and hand and chisel and hammer of ice. The cold is imperial and has a crown of glittering crystal, and is seated on a throne of ice, with footstool of ice and scepter of ice. Who can tell the sufferings of the winter of 1433, when all the birds of Germany perished? Or the winter of 1658 in England, when the stages rolled on the Thames, and temporary houses of merchandise were built on the ice? Or the winter of 1821 in America, when New York harbor was frozen over and the heaviest teams crossed on the ice to Staten Island? Then come down to our own winters, when there have been so many wrapping themselves in furs, or gathering themselves around fires, or threshing their arms about them to revive circulation—the millions of the temperate and the arctic zones who are compelled to confess: "None of us can stand before His cold."

One-half of the industries of our day are employed in battling inclemency of the weather. The furs of the north, the cotton of the south, the flax of our own fields, the wool of our own flocks, the coal from our own mines, the wood from our own forests, all employed in battling these inclemencies, and still every winter, with blue lips and chattering teeth, answers: "None of us can stand before His cold." Now, this being such a cold world, I am glad that the God of the frost is the God of the heat; that the God of the snow is the God of the white blossoms; that the God of January is the God of June. The question as to how shall we warm this world up is a question of immediate and all-encompassing practicality. In this zone and weather there are so many fireless hearths, so many broken window panes, so many defective roofs that sift the snow. Coal and wood and flannels and thick coats are better for warming up such a place than tracts and Bibles and creeds. Kindle that fire where it has gone out. Wrap something around those shivering limbs. Shoe those bare feet. Hat that bare head. Coat that bare back. Sleeve that bare arm. Nearly all the pictures of Martha Washington represent her in courtly dress as bowed to by foreign embassadors; but Mrs. Kirkland, in her interesting book, gives a more inspiring portrait of Martha Washington. She comes forth from her husband's hut in the encampment, the hut 16 feet long by 14 feet wide—she comes forth from that hut to nurse the sick, to sew the patched garments, to console the soldiers dying of the cold. That is a better picture of Martha Washington. Hundreds of garments, hundreds of tons of coal, hundreds of glaziers at broken window-sashes, hundreds of whole-souled men and women, are necessary to warm the wintry weather.

What are we doing to alleviate the condition of those not so fortunate as we? Know ye not, my friends, there are hundreds of thousands of people who can not stand before His cold? It is useless to preach to bare feet, and to empty stomachs, and to gaunt visages. Christ gave the world a lesson in common sense when, before preaching the Gospel to the multitude in the wilderness, He gave them a good dinner. When I was a lad I remember seeing two rough woodcuts, but they made more impression upon me than any pictures I have ever seen. They were on opposite pages. The one woodcut represented the coming of the snow in winter, and a lad looking out at the door of a great mansion; and he was all wrapped in furs, and his cheeks were ruddy, and with glowing countenance he shouted: "It snows! it snows!" On the next page there was a miserable tenement, and the door was open, and a child, wan and sick and ragged and wretched, was looking out, and he said: "Oh! my God, it snows." The winter of gladness or of grief, according to our circumstances. But, my friends, there is more than one way of warming up this cold world, for it is a cold world in more respects than one, and I am here to consult with you as to the best way of warming up the world. I want to have a great heater introduced into all your churches and all your homes throughout the world. It is a heater of divine patent. It has many pipes with which to conduct heat; and it has a door in which to throw the fuel. Once get this heater introduced, and it will turn the arctic zone into the temperate, and the temperate into the tropics. It is the powerful heater, it is the glorious furnace of Christian sympathy. The question ought to be, instead of how much heat can we absorb? how much heat can we throw out? There are men who go through the world floating icebergs. They freeze everything with their forbidding look. The hand with which they shake yours is as cold as the paw of a polar bear. If they float into a religious meeting, the temperature drops from 80 above to 10 degrees below zero. There are icicles hanging from their eyebrows. They float into a religious meeting, and they chill everything with their jerimiads. Cold prayers, cold songs, cold greetings, cold sermons. Christianity on ice! The church a great refrigerator. Christians gone into winter quarters. Hibernation! On the other hand, there are people who go through the world like the breath of a spring morning. Warm greetings, warm prayers, warm smiles, warm Christian influence. There are such persons. We bless God for them. We rejoice in their companionship.

A general in the English army, the army having halted for the night, having lost his baggage, lay down tired and sick without any blanket. An officer came up and said: "Why, you have no blanket. I'll go and get you a blanket." He departed for a few moments and then came back and covered the general up with a very warm blanket. The general said: "Whose blanket is this?" The officer replied: "I got that from a private soldier in the Scotch regiment, Ralph McDonald." "Now," said the general, "you take this blanket right back to that soldier. He can no more do without it than I can do without it. Never bring to me the blanket of a private soldier." How many men like that general would it take to warm the world up? The vast majority of us are anxious to get more blankets, whether anybody else is blanketed or not. Look at the fellow-feeling displayed in the rocky defile between Jerusalem and Jericho in Scripture times. Here is a man who has been set upon by the bandits, and in the struggle to keep his property, he has got wounded, and mauled, and stabbed, and he lies there half dead. A priest rides along. He sees him and says: "Why, what's the matter with that man? Why, he must be hurt, lying on the flat of his back. Isn't it strange that he should lie there? But I can't stop. I am on my way to temple services. Go along, you beast. Carry me up to my temple duties." After awhile a Levite comes up. He looks over and says: "Why that man must be very much hurt. Gashed on the forehead. What a pity. Stabbed under his arm. What a pity. Tut, tut! What a pity! Why, they have taken his clothes nearly all away from him. But I haven't time to stop; I lead the choir up in the temple service. Go along, you beast. Carry me up to my temple duties."

After awhile a Samaritan comes along, one who you might suppose through a national grudge might have rejected this poor wounded Israelite. Coming along he sees this man and says: "Why, that man must be terribly hurt. I see by his features he is an Israelite, but he is a man and he is a brother." "Whoa!" says the Samaritan, and he gets down off the beast and comes up to this wounded man, gets down on one knee, listens to see whether the heart of the unfortunate man is still beating, makes up his mind there is a chance for resuscitation, goes to work at him, takes out of his sack a bottle of oil and a bottle of wine, cleanses the wound with some wine, then pours some of the restorative into the wounded man's lips, then takes some oil and with it soothes the wound. After awhile he takes off a part of his garments for a bandage. Now the sick and wounded man sits up, pale and exhausted, but very thankful. Now the good Samaritan says: "You must get on my saddle, and I will walk." The Samaritan helps and tenderly steadies this wounded man until he gets him on toward the tavern, the wounded man holding on with the little strength he has left, ever and anon looking down at the good Samaritan and saying: "You are very kind; I had no right to expect this thing of a Samaritan when I am an Israelite; you are very kind to walk and let me ride."

Now they have come up to the tavern. The Samaritan, with the help of the landlord, assists the sick and wounded man to dismount and puts him to bed. The Bible says the Samaritan stayed all night. In the morning, I suppose, the Samaritan went in to look how his patient was and ask him how he passed the night. Then he comes out—the Samaritan comes out and he says to the landlord: "Here is money to pay that man's board, and if his convalescence is not as rapid as I hope for, charge the whole thing to me. Good morning, all." He gets on the beast and says: "Go along, you beast, but, go slowly, for these bandits sweeping through the land may have left somebody else wounded and half dead." Sympathy! Christian sympathy! How many such men as that would it take to warm the cold world up? Famine in Zarepthath. Everything dried up. There is a widow with a son and no food except a handful of meal. She is gathering sticks to kindle a fire to cook the handful of meal. Then she is going to wrap her arms around her boy and die. Here comes Elijah. His two black servants, thes raven, have got tired waiting on him. He asks that woman for food. Now, that handful of meal is to be divided into three parts. Before it was to be divided into two parts. Now, she says to Elijah: "Come in and sit down at this solemn table and take a third of the last morsel." How many women like that would it take to warm the cold world up?

Count that day lost whose low descending sun
Views from the hand no generous action done.

It was His strong sympathy that brought Christ from a warm Heaven to a cold world. The land where He dwelt had a serene sky, balsamic atmosphere, tropical luxuriance. No storm blasts in Heaven. No chill fountains. On a cold December night Christ stepped out of a warm Heaven into the world's frigidity. The thermometer in Palestine never drops below zero, but December is a cheerless month, and the pasturage is very poor on the hilltops. Christ stepped out of a warm Heaven into the cold world that cold December night. The world's reception was cold. The surf of bestormed Galilee was cold. Joseph's sepulcher was cold. Christ came, the great warmer, to warm the earth, and all Christendom to-day feels the glow. He will keep on warming the earth until the tropic will drive away the arctic, and the antarctic. He gave an imitation of what He was going to do when He broke up the funeral at the gate of Nain and turned it into a reunion festival, and when with His warm lips He melted the Galilean hurricane and stood on the deck and stamped His foot, crying, "Silence!" and the waves crouched and the tempests folded their wings.

Come in by the great Gospel fireplace. Notwithstanding all the modern inventions for heating, I tell you there is nothing so full of geniality and sociality as the old-fashioned country fireplace. The neighbors were to come in for a winter evening of sociality. In the middle of the afternoon, in the best room in the house, some one brought in a great back log with great strain and put it down on the back of the hearth. Then the lighter wood was put on, armful after armful. Then a shovel of coals was taken from another room and put under the dry pile, and the kindling began, and the crackling, and it rose until it became a roaring flame, which filled all the room with geniality and was reflected from the family pictures on the wall. Then the neighbors came in two by two. They sat down, their faces to the fire, which ever and anon was stirred with tongs and readjusted on the andirons and there were such times of rustic repartee, and story-telling, and mirth as the black stove and the blind register never dreamed of. Meanwhile the table was being spread, and so fair was the cloth and so clean was the cutlery they glisten and glisten in our mind to-day. And then the luxury of orchard and farm yard was roasted and prepared for the table, to meet the appetites sharpened by the cold ride. Oh! my friends, the Church of Jesus Christ is the world's fireplace, and the woods are from the cedars of Lebanon, and the fires are fires of love, and with the silver tongs of the altar we stir the flame and the light is reflected from all the pictures on the wall—pictures of those who were here and are gone now. Oh! come up close to the fireplace. Have your worn faces transfigured in the light. Put your cold feet, weary of the journey, close up to the blessed conflagration. Chilled through with trouble and disappointment, come close up until you can get warm clear through. Exchange experience, talk over the harvests gathered, talk all the Gospel news. Meanwhile the table is being spread. On it, bread of life. On it, grapes of Eshcol. On it, new wine from the kingdom. On it, a thousand luxuries celestial. Hark! as a wounded hand raps on the table, and a tender voice comes through, saying: "Come, for all things are now ready. Eat, oh, friends! drink, yea, drink abundantly, oh, beloved!"

My friends, that is the way the cold world is going to be warmed up by the great Gospel fireplace. All nations will come in and sit down at the banquet. While [illegible] the fire burned. "[illegible] the cold, come in out of [illegible]

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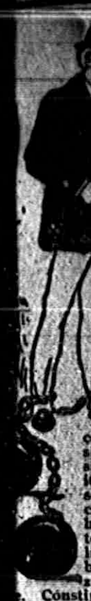

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

In the United States senate on the 11th the time was occupied in discussing the Cuban belligerency resolutions. Senator Hoar spoke at length against their adoption, and Senator Allen (Neb.) offered a joint resolution authorizing and requesting the president to make a thorough and rigid investigation into the present state of war in Cuba. In the house the post office appropriation bill was passed.

In the United States senate on the 12th Senators Sherman and Hill were the conspicuous figures in the Cuban debate, the New York senator forcibly urging the mercenary character of the pending resolutions, while Senator Sherman upheld them with another graphic arraignment of Spain and Gen. Weyler....In the house the committee on territories reported favorably the bill for a delegate from Alaska. The contested election case of Aldrich vs. Robbins, from the Fourth Alabama district, in which the republicans recommended the seating of Aldrich, occupied the greater part of the session, but no action was taken.

The excitement of the Cuban debate gave way in the senate on the 13th to Mr. Cockrell's elaborate speech favoring the free coinage of silver. A bill was introduced appropriating $50,000 for the erection of a statue of Abraham Lincoln at Gettysburg, and favorable reports were made upon the bill for the admission of New Mexico as a state and upon the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States providing for the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people. Senator Peffer presented a petition asking congress to make the 5th day of April (Resurrection day) a national holiday....After two days' debate the house by a vote of 172 to 59 unseated Gaston A. Robbins from the Fourth Alabama district, and decided that his republican opponent, W. F. Aldrich, was elected and entitled to the seat. Bills were introduced requiring the officers of American steamers to be citizens of the United States and repealing the laws exempting from tonnage duties vessels from countries which extend similar exemptions to our vessels.

In the senate on the 16th Senator Lodge spoke at length in favor of his bill to restrict immigration, Senator Pugh talked in support of the silver amendment to the tariff bill and Senator Morgan made an appeal for the Cuban insurgents....In the house a bill was passed prescribing punishment for mutilating coins and for altering or passing mutilated or lightened coins. Bills were introduced for the deepening of the channel of the Fox river from Green Bay to Depere, Wis., and for the establishment of a life-saving station at Port Huron, Mich.

DOMESTIC.

While Dr. Henry B. Berghill was experimenting with some chemicals in Chicago an explosion occurred, blowing off both the doctors hands and destroying the sight of his eyes.

The New York legislature passed the Raines excise bill. It is a measure to put the entire liquor traffic and interests under state control. It abolishes all local excise boards and creates a state commissioner. All night licenses and the sale of liquor on Sundays are prohibited except in hotels with meals and no saloon can do business within 200 feet of a church or school.

The big wholesale boot and shoe house of Childs, Groff & Co., in Cincinnati, was forced to the wall by the embezzlement of a large sum of money by William H. Huntington, the junior member.

The Washington bureau of statistics says that for the eight months ended February 29 the exports of breadstuffs amounted to $92,58,912, as compared with $71,279,283 for the same period last year.

All the union tailors employed in Chicago went on a strike to assist the clothing cutters who went on a strike several weeks ago.

Edward Guy Ward, an employe of the Santa Fe railroad at Denver, shot and killed his wife, aged 25, and then killed himself. A quarrel was the cause.

Misses Honora and Annie Cavanagh, who lived with and for each other during the past 73 years, died within a few hours of each other at Alton, Ind.

There were 300 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 13th, against 285 the week previous and 266 in the corresponding period of 1895.

Miss Gertrude A. Bailey was shot and instantly killed at her home near Benton Harbor, Mich., by A. E. Belangea because she would not accept his love, and Belangea then killed himself.

The governor of Ohio signed a bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, cigars and tobacco to minors under 16 years of age.

According to a report on the organized militia of the United States, which has just been prepared by the war department, the United States, in case of need, can put 9,467,694 men in the field.

The Pope Bicycle Manufacturing company's building in Boston was burned, the loss being $350,000.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 13th aggregated $943,098,024, against $1,061,846,907 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 5.0.

Near Greenville, Tex., a train was boarded by a masked and armed man who entered the sleeper and went through the passengers. The amount secured was small.

Every day symptoms of digestive disorders—acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling—Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct any troubles of this sort. 1w

Eleven persons were hurt by an explosion of natural gas at the distillery of Rheinstrom Bros. in Cincinnati.

Fire at Louisville, Ky., destroyed the retail dry goods store of E. B. Nugent, the loss being $150,000.

J. M. Hall was seriously burned and his mother, aged 80, was cremated in a fire which destroyed his residence at Harrisville, W. Va.

At Bantam, O., the residence of Valentine Mushbacker was burned and his daughter, aged 15, and a veteran soldier named Isler, who lived with the family, were burned to death.

Miss Katie Winkle, a prominent young lady of Peck, Kan., and Mrs. Meyers, a lady who tried to save her, were burned to death by the explosion of an oil can.

To escape arrest for embezzlement of $9,500 government funds Frank Mapes, postmaster at Kansas City, Kan., committed suicide.

Patrick H. Kelly, one of the foremost men of Minnesota and for a quarter of a century a leading wholesale merchant in St. Paul, made an assignment, with liabilities of $1,000,000; assets, $1,200,000.

Four men were killed and two fatally injured by an explosion of giant powder in the Center Star mine at Rossland, B. C.

"God's American Volunteers" is the title by which Ballington Booth's new Salvation Army will be known.

Gov. Bradley, of Kentucky, fearing bloodshed in the legislature, placed troops in the statehouse and declared the city of Frankfort under martial law.

South Chicago's post office was burned and the mails ready for delivery, together with all the office fixtures and stamps, were destroyed.

Albert Wallace, who murdered his sister, Mrs. Belle Bowlby, on February 19, 1895, was hanged at Pekin, Ill.

Poolroom keepers all over the United States were swindled to the extent of $400,000 by false reports sent out of the result of a horse race at New Orleans.

Alexander Nemettly, a butcher at Yonkers, N. Y., murdered his stepdaughter, aged 15 years, with whom he was in love, and then killed himself.

Father Dominick O'Grady, the Roman Catholic priest who pursued Mary Gilmartin from Ireland and murdered her in Cincinnati, has been adjudged insane, and will not be tried for his crime.

Thomas Pelkilton, a coachman, shot Miss Minnie Mansell, a domestic, at the residence of Edward Mynderz in Seneca Falls, N. Y., because she refused to marry him, and then killed himself.

Two Italians named Taddeo, father and son, section hands on the Lake Shore railroad, were burned to death in their home at Geneva, O.

The international chess match in New York between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland against an American team was won by the Americans.

Peck Bros. & Co., manufacturers of plumbers' and steamfitters' materials at New Haven, Conn., failed for $650,000.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 16th was: Wheat, 62,123,000 bushels; corn, 14,886,000 bushels; oats, 7,410,000 bushels; rye, 1,467,000 bushels; barley, 1,353,000 bushels.

A fire at Aetna Mills, Cal., burned the larger portion of the town.

Crawford & Crawford, bankers at Cameron, Tex., filed a deed of assignment with assets of about $230,000 and liabilities of $150,000.

War which seemed so imminent in the capitol of Kentucky has been avoided so far. Threats of violence proved mere threats, the occupation of the state house by the militia having met with no resistance.

After 15 years' absence, during which time he had become wealthy, George H. Hatfield returned to Sedalia, Mo., to find his wife married to another man. He quietly went his way without making his presence known to her.

The firm of George Jardine & Son, organ builders in New York, was wiped out by death in three days.

The senate joint resolution directing the secretary of agriculture to purchase and distribute seeds, bulbs, etc., as has been done in preceding years, has become a law without the president's signature.

Flames among business houses at Clinton, Wis., caused a loss of $100,000.

The Ohio and Pennsylvania branches of the new Nypano Railway company were consolidated into one company with a capital stock of $20,000,000.

In a heated discussion in Washington over the president Senator Pugh and Don M. Dickinson came to blows.

Robert Conover and James Reef, of Pasadena, were killed by a man named Nicholson in a fight over mining property at Banning, Cal.

Twenty-five thousand persons were idle in Chicago because of the clothing cutters' and trimmers' strike.

It was announced that Secretary Carlisle would seek the democratic nomination for president.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

In state convention at Des Moines the Iowa republicans heartily indorsed the candidacy of William B. Allison for president and elected as delegates at large to the national convention D. B. Henderson, John H. Gear, J. S. Clarkson and W. P. Hepburn. The report of the committee on resolutions was devoted entirely to Senator Allison.

The Ohio republicans in state convention at Columbus indorsed ex-Gov. McKinley as a candidate for president, adopted resolutions declaring for a protective tariff and bimetallism, and elected the following delegates at large to the national convention: Gov. Asa Bushnell, Senator-elect J. B. Foraker, Congressman Charles H. Grosvenor and Hon. Marcus A. Hanna.

Ex-Lieut. Gov. Melville J. Salter died at his home near Fort Scott, Kan.

The unseating of one democrat and two republicans in the Kentucky legislature nearly caused a riot.

The democratic free-silver conference at Lansing, Mich., resulted in the perfecting of a state central committee.

Rev. E. G. Shouse, of Terre Haute, Ind., nominee for governor on the prohibition ticket, has declined to run, and S. M. Saylar, of Huntington, the candidate for attorney general, has also withdrawn.

Joseph Manley, of Maine, secretary of the republican national committee, figures that the delegates already elected to the St. Louis convention were instructed as follows: McKinley, 57; Reed, 36; Allison, 32; Quay, 26; Cullom, 10; Morton, 5.

John Ireland, ex-governor of Texas and one of the most prominent members of the southern bar, died at San Antonio, aged 69 years.

Daniel L. Bowersmith, formerly manager of the Ohio State Journal, and for 15 years agent of the Associated press, died at Columbus, aged 45 years.

L. J. Fenton was renominated for congress by the republican convention at Portsmouth, O.

The Connecticut democrats will hold their state convention at New Haven on June 10.

Ex-Gov. B. Flanders, of Louisiana, died near New Orleans, aged 80. He was assistant United States treasurer under President Grant in 1873.

Thomas H. Nelson died at his home in Terre Haute, Ind., aged 76 years. From 1861 to 1866 he was minister from this country to Chili, and from 1869 to 1873 was envoy to Mexico.

The New York World says that it has made a poll of nearly every state in the union, and as a result predicts the nomination of William McKinley by the St. Louis convention.

John Lane celebrated his 100th birthday in Chicago.

Michael J. Madden, the once famous league baseball pitcher, died at his home in Portland, Me., aged 30 years.

Dr. Elnathan Gavitt, a pioneer in Ohio Methodism, died at Toledo, aged 88 years. He preached the first sermon ever heard in Toledo, in 1832.

FOREIGN.

Two hundred fishermen belonging to Reval, on the Gulf of Finland, with their horses and carts, were blown out to sea on a piece of floating ice and lost.

The total number of deaths on board the Italian cruiser Lombardia from yellow fever was 104. Seventy-six of the crew were still ill.

The railroad trains crossing the frontier from Italy were crowded with Italians who were leaving that country to escape military service in Africa.

The insurgents were again in the central portion of Havana province in force and were marching westward to the neighborhood of the city of Havana.

President Caro, of Colombia, has resigned his office, leaving Vice President Quintero Calderon the acting chief magistrate of the republic.

Knights of Labor in session at Ottawa, Ont., decided to form a Canadian federation, having no connection with the United States labor organizations.

The parliament of Norway adopted a bill providing for the recognition of a separate Norwegian flag.

Advices received at Havana from the province of Santa Clara say that the insurgents forbid the country families from going into the towns in accordance with the orders of Gen. Weyler.

Herbert Booth, the head of the Salvation Army in Canada, will give up his command and leave the country June 1.

The British steamer Matadi was totally destroyed at Boma on the Congo river by an explosion of gunpowder and 40 persons were killed.

Japan has determined to establish commercial steamship lines connecting the United States with that country.

LATER.

Indiana prohibitionists filled vacancies on their state ticket by nominating J. C. Kingsbury, of Indianapolis, for governor, J. S. North, of Milford, for lieutenant governor and C. S. Dobbins, of Shoals, for attorney general.

The Idaho republican state convention will be held in Pocatello May 20.

Crawford Goldsby, alias "Cherokee Bill," was hanged at Fort Smith, Ark., for the murder of Ernst Melton on November 9, 1895.

The Kentucky legislature adjourned sine die without electing a successor to Senator Blackburn.

James Long, Bros. & Co., makers of dress goods in Philadelphia, made an assignment with liabilities of $200,000, and Frank and William Rhodes, building manufacturers, and William Henry & Co., umbrella makers, of the same city, failed, the former for $400,000 and the latter for $150,000.

During a recent snowstorm in the province of Orel, Russia, 130 persons were frozen to death in one night.

Robert E. Herman, 32 years old, a bartender, killed Lizzie Grater, 20 years old, a domestic, in New York, and then took his own life.

Curfew ordinances requiring children to be in doors by nine o'clock in the evening were passed in Omaha and Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Sophia Klamfoht, the oldest resident of Cook county, Ill., celebrated her 102d birthday at Evanston.

Edmund Alling, aged 89, and his wife, Charlotte, aged 85, died at Warren, O., within a few hours of each other. They had been married 63 years.

Mrs. Appalonia Pecher, of Mishawaka, Ind., celebrated her 101st birthday.

Washington, March 18.—In the senate yesterday Senator Morgan (Ala.) occupied almost the entire session, speaking in support of the Cuban resolutions. Senator Pugh (Ala.) spoke in favor of the free coinage of silver. In the house the bill to amend the administrative tariff act of 1890 was passed. A bill was favorably reported authorizing the transmission in the mails, with one-cent stamps, of written messages on private mailing cards, such cards to be sent openly in the mails, of no larger size than the ordinary postal card. An adverse report was made on the bill to change to the 4th of March the time for the convening of congress. A favorable report was made on the bill providing an educational test for the admission of immigrants.

WHEN REPTILES RULED.

There Was a Time When the Globe Was in Their Possession.

There was a time "in the wide revolving shades of centuries past" when the globe was wholly in the possession of walking, swimming and flying reptiles," says an exchange. Being the dominant type, they divided naturally into three great classes.

In the oceans they became gigantic, paddling enaliosaurians; on dry land—or, rather, wet land, for the whole surface of the globe was doubtless a quagmire at that time—they became monstrous, erect dinosaurians, some of which had legs 15 feet or more in length.

Those which inhabited the regions of the air were the terrible flying pterodactyls. For a vast but unknown length of time these awful creatures literally ruled the earth. Then one by one they died out in the face of the younger and more vigorous fauna until at the present time only a few miniature alligators and crocodiles, a few toy snakes and skulking lizards and geckos remain as reminders of the enormous reptilian types that once crowded land and sea.

The Modern Flat Building.

"You know, it's old enough and familiar enough," said a flat dweller, "but it's striking all the same, to hear the whistle blow in the kitchen, from somebody in the cellar at the elevator, and may be at the same time to hear the bell ring from somebody at the front door. The servant throws up the door to the elevator shaft, to be ready to receive the things that the man is sending up from below, and she swings around and presses the button and opens a door far away and in still another part of the house. All simple enough, but it interests me all the same. It seems sort of like running the steamer from the bridge; or like throwing the levers in the switch house and controlling sw es far away; it seems like business; it's modern and up to date."

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*No. 59—St. Louis Express	5:30 p m
*No. 55—Pacific Express	12:11 a m
‡ No. 57 Chicago Limited	4:31 p m

EAST BOUND.

*No. 56—Atlantic Express	5:26 a m
†No. 50—N. Y. Limited	4:10 p m
*No. 52 New York and Boston Express	7:24 a m
*No. 54 New York Express	9:38 p m

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STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 845. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 50 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 35 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 848. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	6 35 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	6 44 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	6 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	7 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	7 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

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IN EFFECT Dec. 8, 1895.

EAST. No 85 Loc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 8 Pass	No 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	2 10	1 25
.....	12 12	7 25	Monterey	2 35	1 50
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 56	2 40
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	3 35	6 55
7 00	2 25	9 05	Marshall	4 00	6 20
7 54	3 10	9 52	Homer	4 48	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	5 33	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	6 50	5 10
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 45
.....	5 22	10 57	Onsted	10 05	4 30
11 36	5 36	11 08	Sand Lake	9 50	4 00
11 44	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	3 51
11 50	5 51	11 15	Tecumseh	9 36	4 05
12 47	6 00	11 55	Ridgeway	8 27	3 37
1 20	6 04	11 58	Britton	8 23	3 33
1 41	6 16	12 50	Bee	8 10	3 20
2 00	6 25	1 10	Dundee	7 51	3 00
4 55	7 20	12 05	A.....Toledo.....L	6 05	1 00
P.M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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SHOT THEIR FATHER.

Bay City Man Wounded by His Sons in Defense of Their Mother.

Bay City, March 16.—Richard Monks was shot by his two sons, Willie, aged 15, and Grant, aged 19, Sunday, one 38-caliber bullet, struck Monks in the right arm pit. The other shot, a 32-caliber bullet, struck Monks in the right forearm, and broke the bone. Both boys are in jail. Richard Monks, the victim, said his boys and wife have been arrayed against him for a long time, and that when he entered the kitchen his wife began screaming. This brought the boys into the kitchen and they shot. The doctors say that the wounded man has a bare chance for recovery. Grant Monks has this to say of the shooting:

"My father has been disgracing us by keeping company with another woman. He has threatened to kill us all. Sunday morning when I got up to make a fire I saw a large-bladed knife lying on the reservoir. I went back to bed and presently I heard mother scream for help. We both jumped up with our revolvers and saw father carrying mother toward the bed in the back room. I thought he had the knife in her breast and we both shot. I thought he was killing mother and did not propose to let him. I did not shoot to kill him, but to disable him."

RATES FOR FRUIT MEN.

Western Michigan Dealers Secure a Reduction.

Grand Rapids, March 16.—C. N. Rapp has returned from New York, where he went representing the fruit growers of western Michigan to procure more favorable rates for peaches in baskets east of Buffalo and Pittsburgh. The present rate to Buffalo is second class, and beyond it is double first. The traffic managers agreed to make a reduction, but the extent of the cut was not announced, although it was intimated that it would be down to second class. This would admit Michigan peaches to the eastern markets at a substantial profit.

Promising Oil Fields.

Newport, March 16.—Since the farmers commenced leasing land to the oil companies through Berlin township the interest has been great, but when the special train bearing experts stopped at Strong's section and decided to sink a well immediately near the sawmill, excitement reached a white heat. Thus far about 15,000 acres of land have been leased near Newport, and all the indications are that in the near future Berlin township will become one of the best oil fields in Michigan.

Frozen to Death.

Kalamazoo, March 13. — The dead body of Perry Grigsby was found in the barnyard at James Day's farm, near Trowbridge. He was frozen to death. He had been drawing wood during the day and fell or was thrown from the wagon and wandered to the place where he was found. The team went home. He was about 38 years old, and left a wife and four children.

Assumes His Duties.

Marquette, March 17.—Elmer E. Halsey, recently appointed receiver of the United States land office here, has assumed his position in place of Rush Culver, who resigned a year ago because of dissatisfaction with the ruling of Secretary Hoke Smith in a case involving one of the upper peninsula land grants.

Mine Finally Shows a Profit.

Ishpeming, March 16.—At the annual meeting of the Ropes Gold Mining company it was shown that the mine was operated for the past year at a profit of about two cents per ton. The profit is very small, but as it was the first year in 15 that the mine has not run behind the stockholders are encouraged.

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LOVER'S DEADLY WORK.

Murders His Sweetheart, Shoots Her Mother and Sister, Kills Himself.

Benton Harbor, March 14.—Miss Gertrude Bailey, residing with her parents near this city, was murdered at her home Friday by her jilted lover, Archie Belanger, who had been formerly employed on the Bailey farm. He left there several weeks ago to return to his home in Illinois. Friday morning he arrived in Benton Harbor from Chicago to visit the girl. On arriving at the home of Miss Bailey he was refused admission, when he became enraged, and, forcing his way into the house, he immediately drew his revolver and shot Miss Gertrude through the heart, killing her instantly. Not satisfied with this deed he turned the weapon upon the dying girl's sister and shot her through the neck, inflicting a serious wound. At this juncture the mother of the two girls entered the room, only to be shot at by the lover. The ball passed through the mother's hand. Young Belanger then went a short distance from the house, where he again employed the weapon in taking his own life, and he was later found dead with a bullet in his brain. A note requesting that he be buried by the side of Miss Gertrude was also found near the body.

MINISTERS KILLED BY GAS.

Michigan Divines Suffocated in a Room in a Boston Hotel.

Calumet, March 13.—John J. Ruoppa, a missionary, and Abram Heitmen, pastor of the Finnish Lutheran church, both residents of Calumet, left last week for Boston to attend a religious convention. Telegrams from the Boston city hospital gave information of the death of both from gas poisoning. They occupied the same room and left the gas turned on after the light was extinguished.

Boston, Mass., March 17.—Lawyer Oscar J. Larson, of Calumet, Mich., arrived in Boston, to investigate the death of the two Finnish preachers who were overcome by gas at a hotel last Sunday and later died at the city hospital. When the news of their death was telegraphed to Calumet, coupled with the inquiry in regard to the amount of money they had with them, their friends suspected foul play, and Mr. Larson was sent here to investigate the matter. The lawyer is satisfied that there was no foul play. All the money they had with them has been accounted for, Mr. Larson will return home and the two bodies will be taken to Calumet for burial.

INSURANCE FIGURES.

Business of 1895 on Human Life Reported by the State Commissioner.

Lansing, March 14.—Insurance Commissioner Giddings has issued advance sheets of his report covering the Michigan business of life, casualty assessment and fraternal insurance companies for 1895. It shows that in 1895 the old-line companies issued a total of 55,165 policies, representing $24,592,818 of the insurance. At the close of the year they had in force in Michigan 124,090 policies, representing $127,850,365 of insurance. Cooperative, life and accident associations wrote 9,482 policies, aggregating $19,509,980. The Michigan business of fraternal beneficiary associations for 1895 was 39,225 certificates, aggregating $38,230,185. The casualty, fidelity and miscellaneous companies wrote $57,347,777.75 of insurance, receiving $300,509.98 in premiums and incurred losses aggregating $98,980.87.

BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT.

Harrison T. Ledyard, of Grand Rapids, Sued for $20,000 Damages.

Grand Rapids, March 18. Margaret J. Tate began suit in the circuit court by capias Tuesday against Harrison T. Ledyard for a $20,000 solace to her damaged affections. She is the pretty daughter of the janitor of a business block owned by Ledyard, and in which he had his office. He paid her, as alleged, ardent attentions, gave her many gifts, and finally won her affections. It is asserted that he promised to marry her after the death of his wife, ill with an incurable disease, but he has been a widower a year and has steadily refused to keep his promise. Ledyard is well known as a capitalist, property owner and a club member, and belongs to one of the oldest families in the city.

Dean Williams Will Accept.

Marquette, March 16.—Dean G. Mott Williams on Sunday announced in St. Paul's Episcopal church that he had accepted the bishopric of Marquette Episcopal diocese, and that he Saturday sent a letter to Bishop Williams, of Connecticut, containing his formal acceptance. He will be consecrated three weeks hence.

SILVER DEMOCRATS.

They Perfect a State Organization at Lansing.

Lansing, March 13.—The conference of free silver democrats which was held here Thursday in response to a call issued by George P. Hummer, of Holland, was attended by 25 persons all told, including the representation from this city, which constituted one-fifth of the entire number. The greater portion of the conference was conducted in secret, and the result was the formation of a permanent state organization, with Charles S. Hampton, of Muskegon, as chairman, and George P. Hummer secretary. There was also appointed an executive committee, consisting of

S. P. Hummer, C. P. Black, Lansing; Spencer J. Fisher, Bay City; Charles S. Hampton, and George N. Davis, Grand Rapids.

The following state central committee was appointed:

John W. McGrath, Detroit; Thomas E. Barkworth, Jackson; John B. Shipman, Coldwater; Charles H. Kimmerle, Bailey; W. F. McKnight, Grand Rapids; C. P. Black, Lansing; Justin R. Whiting, St. Clair; Wellington R. Burt, Saginaw; D. W. Goodnow, Ludington; Charles S. Hampton, Petoskey; Hiram B. Hudson, Mancelona; Rush Culver, Marquette.

The members of the conference issued an address to the democrats of the state charging that at a recent secret meeting steps were taken to capture the state so as to send an anti-free silver delegation to the national convention and urging all democrats to attend the primaries, to the end that this alleged conspiracy may be thwarted.

IN HIS WIFE'S ARMS.

A Sufferer from Grip Suicides at Port Huron, Mich.

Port Huron, Mich., March 18.—Special Customs Officer John Denneny committed suicide Tuesday noon by shooting himself in the forehead with a revolver. He had been suffering with the grip and had threatened to shoot himself. His wife hid his revolver, but he found it and went into the sitting-room where his wife was sitting. She begged him to give her the weapon. He refused, but told her he would not hurt her. While her arms were around his neck and she was still pleading with him Denneny put the revolver to his forehead and fired, dying instantly. His wife fainted as the shot was fired, and the couple were found lying together by neighbors who had heard the shooting and rushed into the house. Denneny had been identified in many important captures of smugglers.

WESTERN CHORAL UNION.

Organization of a Great Musical Society Perfected.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 18. — The University of Michigan Choral union has, through Prof. Stanley, organized the Western Choral union, which is comprised of the great choral societies of St. Louis, Cleveland, Louisville, Oberlin, University of Michigan and the Apollo club, of Chicago. These unions will work harmoniously as to dates for holding concerts, in engaging soloists and in concertedly obtaining from all parts of the world the latest productions of composers. Eleven clubs are expected to join the association at its permanent organization in May. After the association is organized its members will probably unite in giving the greatest musical festival the west has ever enjoyed.

HUSBAND AND WIFE SHOT.

Wounded by a Man Guarding Goods They Had Mortgaged.

Detroit, Mich., March 18.—Fred Seifferlein and his wife were shot by Emil Defaw at Leesville, a suburb of this city. Seifferlein will probably recover. His wife's wounds are thought to be fatal. Both are in the hospital and Defaw is in jail. Defaw was on guard at the Seifferlein residence all night to prevent the removal of some mortgaged goods, but the exact cause of the shooting is not yet known.

Molders Fight.

Kalamazoo, March 17. — Saturday night a nonunion molder, who works for Clarage & Son, was attacked by half a dozen drunken men, among whom was one union molder. This led to a pitched battle Monday between union men employed by the Kalamazoo Foundry and Machine company and those at Clarage & Son's. Three men had their heads cut open. No arrests were made.

Resignation Accepted.

Bay City, March 16.—The majority of members of the First Presbyterian church voted Sunday to accept the resignation of Rev. W. H. Clark, D. D., as pastor. Dr. Clark came here from Philadelphia five years ago. The First Presbyterian church is one of the largest and wealthiest in Michigan.

Rewarded for Saving a Life.

Dexter, March 15.—Miss Myrta Bostwick and Master J. Page, who on Monday last bravely saved Pearl Walker from drowning, were presented with handsomely engrossed resolutions. To Miss Bostwick was given a purse of $20 and to young Page a handsome chain and charm.

Gone to His Post.

New York, March 18.—Hon. Edward F. Uhl, recently appointed to take the place of the late Theodore Runyon as United States ambassador to Germany, sailed on the North German Lloyd steamer Saale. The new ambassador was accompanied by Mrs. Uhl, their two daughters and young son.

Opens Navigation.

Manistee, Mich., March 18.—The steambarge Mertie M. Ross has the honor of opening the navigation season of 1896. She loaded lumber Tuesday and cleared for across the lake. An open way is reported from here to Manitowoc and Kewaunee.

Favor the Bridge.

Ottawa, Ont., March 18.—The senate has adopted a bill incorporating the Canada and Michigan Bridge and Tunnel company, which desires to erect a bridge across the Detroit river between Windsor, Ont., and Detroit, Mich.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Cailloutte, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Baker & Hall's drug store. 2

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	15	15
Eggs per doz	10	12
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to	
Dressed Hogs per 0 lbs	4 75	5 10
Veal dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 9	10
Turkeys	10 12	
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		65
Corn, shelled	30 to 35	
Corn in ear	18 to 2	
Oats	20 to 25	
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to 14 00	
Hay, clover, per ton	12 00	
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		70
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 18.			
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 10	@	4 70
Sheep	3 00	@	4 75
Hogs	4 30	@	4 75
FLOUR—Winter Straights	3 60	@	3 75
Winter Patents	3 85	@	4 05
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	74¾	@	74¾
May	69	@	69¾
CORN—No. 2	38	@	38¾
May	38	@	38¾
OATS—Western	25	@	29
PORK—Mess	10 00	@	10 50
LARD—Rendered	5 55	@	5 60
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	11	@	22
EGGS	10¾	@	11
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	4 60
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	3 75
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 80
Texas Steers	3 00	@	4 00
HOGS—Light	3 85	@	4 15
Rough Packing	3 80	@	3 90
SHEEP	2 75	@	3 75
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	13	@	21
Dairy	9	@	18
EGGS—Fresh	9	@	9½
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@	21
PORK—Mess	9 55	@	9 60
LARD—Steam	5 27	@	5 27½
FLOUR—Spring	3 40	@	3 75
Winter	3 10	@	3 60
GRAIN—Wheat, May	62	@	62¾
Corn, May	29¾	@	29¾
Oats, No. 2	20¾	@	21
Rye, No. 2	35¾	@	36
Barley, Good to Fancy	30	@	35
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	$ 61¼	@	61¼
Corn, No. 3	27½	@	27½
Oats, No. 2 White	20¼	@	20¼
Rye, No. 1	38	@	38¼
Barley, No. 2	31¾	@	31¾
PORK—Mess	9 00	@	9 65
LARD	5 30	@	5 35
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	$ 68¼	@	68¾
Corn, No. 2 White	28¾	@	29
Oats, No. 2 White	23	@	23½
Rye, No. 2	37½	@	37½
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 40	@	4 40
Texas	2 60	@	4 00
HOGS	3 60	@	4 00
SHEEP	2 75	@	4 30
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 40	@	4 60
Cows	1 75	@	3 35
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SHEEP	3 00	@	3 25

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Elijah King, deceased

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said Elijah King, on east side of Maumee street, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of April, 1896, and on the 16th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 16th day of March A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance

Dated, March 20, 1896.

JOHN S. KINNEY,
FREDERICK GAMBLE
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
Probate Court for said county.

In the matter of the estate of William Pilbeam, deceased.

To Elizabeth Pilbeam, being interested in said estate as widow; Thomas J. Pilbeam, James Pilbeam, Edgar Pilbeam, Edward Pilbeam, Altmore Pilbeam, Franklin Pilbeam, George Pilbeam, Lyman Pilbeam, Eugene Pilbeam, Amanda Pilbeam, Elizabeth Wiggins, Minnie Smith, being interested in said estate as legatees and heirs at law, and Francis Yates, being interested in said estate as the guardian of Lavern Yates, Earl Yates, Grover Yates, Elma Yates and Guy Yates, minors:

You will take notice that the undersigned have been duly appointed by said court as commissioners to admeasure and set off the dower of the widow of said deceased in all the lands of which the said deceased died seized, and that we will meet at office of Charles Bufridge in village of Tecumseh, in said county, on the 27th day of March A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for that purpose, as required by law.

Dated March 6, 1896.

GEORGE B GRAY,
ALFRED LEWIS,
LESTER GOODD
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate in and for said county on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the hereinafter described land in the township of Macon, in said county, on Thursday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of this sale) all the right, title, and interest of said William P. Emons, deceased, in and to the following described lands and premises: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Being on the east half of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-four (34), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Commencing at the quarter section line, the same running west along the section line thirty-six (36) rods, thence south along land owned by William B. Swick eighty-eight and 80-100 rods, thence east along William B. Swick's land thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter section line eighty-eight and 80-100 rods to place of beginning, containing twenty acres of land, more or less.

Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BEAL,
Administrator of the Estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

THE DEADLY CIGARETTE

A BUFFALO VICTIM'S TERRIBLE CONDITION

Health Destroyed. Chas. Roderick Feared Death. How the Habit was Overcome and His Life Saved.

From the Evening Times, Buffalo, N. Y.

Charles Roderick, of No. 137 East Genesee St., Buffalo, N. Y., a hale and hearty lad, stood leaning carelessly against the banister at the head of the stair.

He was dressed in his working clothes. His trousers, shirt and hands were covered with paste, for they were papering at his home. He looked the perfect picture of robust, manly health.

"Yes," he said to the *Times* reporter, stretching his arms and expanding his chest, "I'm as strong as an ox now, but you ought to have seen me a year ago. Why you really wouldn't have known me.

"I am almost ashamed to say it, but I was addicted to the cigarette habit. The smoking of these little things and tobacco chewing bore me right down.

"I grew worse and worse. Each day, each week saw my step more feeble, my form more emaciated, until friends predicted an early grave.

"I was unable to continue my work as a steam fitter.

"I tried everything. No man ever had better medical treatment than I did, but 'twas no use.

"Just imagine a young boy like me (he is about twenty years of age) afflicted with almost all the illness known. My heart was bad, very weak and given to palpitating. I was always costive, and, oh my, so weak. I was continually spitting blood and gasping for breath. So bad did this become that I was afraid to go to sleep for fear I would choke to death.

"I believe I told you I had the best of medical treatment. Six doctors—I don't care to put their names in print—all treated me without success, and I became about discouraged."

Mr. Roderick mentioned the doctors by name to the reporter and all were among the most prominent in the city, living on Main, Delaware, Franklin, Genesee and other fashionable thoroughfares.

"About a year ago I took my first box of the medicine that has saved my life.

"I tell you frankly that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the best medicine I have ever taken.

"I took five boxes of Pink Pills, just one less box than I had had doctors, and was a well man. And the pills only cost me 50 cents a box at that.

"I don't like newspaper notoriety," said Mr. Roderick, as the reporter turned to go, "and wouldn't let you use my name if it wasn't because I want others to be benefited by my discovery."

COVERED WITH STRANGE SPOTS.

From the Times, Owego, N. Y.

Having been informed that Mr. Harlin Scott, of the town of Candor, Tioga Co., N. Y., had received great benefit from the use of Pink Pills, a reporter of the *Owego Times* drove out to Mr. Scott's farm and found that gentleman hard at work and apparently in the best of health. On making inquiry as to the truth of the report, Mr. Scott was very enthusiastic and cheerfully furnished the following affidavit:

"Harlin J. Scott, being duly sworn, says that he is a farmer living in the town of Candor, Tioga Co., State of New York. Had formerly lived in Caroline, Tompkins County, N. Y. For several years was afflicted with a disease of the skin, in which brown spots and sores appeared upon his face, neck and body. At times suffered a burning, prickling or itching sensation that was terribly annoying and disagreeable, especially so when perspiring, and was unable to work. Consulted the local physicians, who said my liver and blood was diseased. His prescriptions did not [illegible] me. I took blood remedies recommended by druggists, with no help. A friend called my attention to Pink Pills for Pale People. I purchased a box of a druggist in [illegible] February, 1894. The first box had a beneficial effect. Have continued to take them and there is scarcely any spots or pimples on my body. I can now work hard—my action causes no annoyance. I sleep well and am confident that my recovery is due to Pink Pills. HARLIN J. SCOTT.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of May, 1895.

CLARENCE T. NIXON, Notary Public,
Tioga County, N. Y.

MR. COULTER'S COURAGE.

DOVER, CLARE CO., MICH., June [illegible]
To the DR. WILLIAMS' MEDICINE Co.

This is to certify that I have been a sufferer from that dreaded disease rheumatism for many years. In the fall of '95, on the day of November, I was taken down with the rheumatism and was not out of the house again until the 28th of March, '96, from that time on I have suffered beyond description with that dreaded disease. In the winter I could look for from three to six weeks that I could not get out of the house and two different times since I was first taken with it I have been perfectly helpless for weeks at a time, so I had to be handled like a blanket. I tried almost everything I could hear of but they did me no good. The doctors could not reach my case, and after I saw what wonderful things Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for my wife in a case of paralysis, I made up my mind to try them for my rheumatism; and I must say to the credit of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that they have done for me what the doctors and all the medicines have failed to do. In the spring of '94 I took three boxes of these pills and was in the best summer that I have for years. But during the winter I caught cold and my rheumatism returned, and this winter I commenced on a half a dozen boxes and have taken them, and must say that I have had more rheumatic pain this spring than I have had before, since I was first taken down in the fall of '68.

I do not claim that I am entirely cured, but I do believe that they will drive it entirely out of the system, and I hope that Dr. Williams' Pills will find their way into all homes and do for others what they have done for us. Respectfully yours, JAS. W. COULTER.

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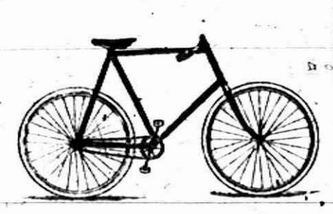

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

The Tenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

Hawaiian Holidays and How They are Observed.

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The Hawaiian holidays are twelve in number, and are a strange mingling of American, European, and Asiatic civil and religious observances. January 1st is a holiday, being New Years day; January 17th is a holiday in celebration of the downfall of monarchy; February 12 is Chinese New Years; March 17, Kamehameha III's birthday; Good Friday; May 24, birthday of Queen Victoria; May 30, Decoration Day; June 11, Kamehamaha Day; July 4, Birthday of the Republic and American Independence; November 28, Recognition of Hawaiian Independence; Thanksgiving Day and Christmas. If all she holidays are kept as Christmas, the Hawaiians will not soon forget the several events they celebrate.

I left Kailaua on December 23, 1895, on the Inter-Island Steamer W. G. Hall, for Honolulu, and was surprised to find the steamer crowded with people of all possible shades of complexion and stations in life, all bound to Honolulu to spend the holidays. The school teacher from Hawaii, the clerk and plantation manager from Maui, all bo rded the Hall for the capital city. Quite a gay party of fair and dark ladies and gentlemen were assembled on the deck of the steamer as she plied the waters, and guitars and banjos were brought out, singing and instrumental music being the order until a late hour.

By daylight on the 24th we were at the dock in Honolulu. The day was as worm as one in July. Men went about in white duck suits and straw hats, many of the natives were bare-footed, and, so far as the weather was concerned, there was no indication whatever of Christmas. But the shops displayed the usual amount of Christmas toys, the churches were decorated with Christmas trees, and it only lacked cold weather and winter garb to make one sure it was Christmas indeed.

When evening came on I walked out on the streets and found them all brilliantly lighted up, and the shop men doing a thriving business. Fort street and hotel street, and other principal streets, were thronged with men, women and children so that one could scarcely squeeze his way through. It almost reminded one of Fourteenth and Twenty-third streets, New York, during the holiday trade.

Shop windows were filled with toys, trinkets, and holiday presents, some displayed with the most excellent taste.

Articles of bright colors seemed to attract the natives most. The Hawaiian loves the beautiful, the gaudy, the brilliant. He does not always display the most approved of tastes in the selection of colors, for blue and pink, red and yellow are liable to be mingled promiscuously in the makeup of his or her dress.

An incident attracted my attention which will illustrate what it is to be in a tropical country during the Christmas holidays. I saw a great throng of natives gathered in front of a confectionery shop on Fort street, who seemed to be greatly excited and talking rapidly in their native language, the object which was attracting their attention being evidently on the sidewalk. One put his finger forward as if to touch some object and suddenly jerked it away again as if the creature was alive and had bitten him. I pressed forward to get a glimpse of the wonder and it proved to be--a large square cake of ice. That ice attracted more attention than anything on exhibition that evening. In the center of it was frozen some California fruit, and the natives stood around it, occasionally touching it with their fingers, until it melted entirely away, which was late in the night.

Christmas was celebrated here more as Fourth of July than Christmas. The Kanaka boy does not know how to celebrate if he cannot make a noise, and firecrackers are his heart's delight. He discharges them by the bunch in imitation of the Chinese, and not singly as the American boy does. All night long on Christmas Eve the firecrackers were popping, and they continued during all the next day. There were services in all the churches and Sunday schools similar to such services in the United States on Coristmas Day. The native churches had their Christmas trees, the different American and the European churches their trees and appropriate ceremonies. The Chinese and Japanese Christian churches, in imitation of their white brothers, also had Christmas trees and devotional services.

I attended the Japanese M. E Church Christmas tree. The hall in which the services were conducted was beautifully decorated with a large fern tree in one corner, orhamented with candles and tinsel paper, and loaded with pretty presents. The entertainment began by singing by the Japanese. The music was familiar but the words were not. Then K. Kahasaki, one of the Japanese workers, read a chapter from the Bible in his own language. This was followed by prayer from S. Nishi, an opening address by A. Iwamoto, a hymn, "Yes, Jesus Loves Me," by seven Japanese boys; this followed by recitations in Japanese and English by several little boys. H. Nakano, a boy not over twelve or fourteen years of age, delivered an address in English to the Americans present, which might have done credit to one much more advanced in years.

After the benediction came the presentation of gifts. This was novel, amusing, and expensive to a congregation as small and poor as the Japanese, as in addition to the special gifts on the Christmas tree for individual friends, they provided gifts for visitors and all, and the house was well crowded with visitors. The pastor of the church, Rev. H. Kihara, delivered an address to his people in Japanese, and he was followed by Rev. H. W. Peck, of the Methodist church. Then four young Japanese went through the audience and distributed little rolls of paper about the size of a pipe-stem. When unrolled each paper was found to have a number on it, there being a corresponding number on each package brought for distribution. Some of the presents were quite costly and others cheap. The calling off of numbers of packages and distribution of presents caused quite a little flutter of excitement, as there was considerable incongruity in the directions they went, many grown men drawing tin horns or sewing baskets, while some ladies received cavalry spurs. My prize was a set of doll dishes, while Mrs. Jenkins, from New York, who was on her way on a missionary tour to Japan, drew a boy's sword. I asked her if she proposed to take Japan with the sword in the way Mahomet established his faith.

Hawaii is truly a missionary country. The influence of the missionary is felt on the streets, in the stores, shops and offices. Honolulu has saloons, but there is little visible drunkenness. I don't remember having seen any man under the influence of liquor, except a few sailors. The enemies of the present government contemptuously call it the "missionary government," because most of the officials and heads of departments are the sons of missionaries.

During the latter part of Christmas week the rumor got abroad that President Dole was going to begin the new year by granting a free and full pardon to all the remaining political prisoners. The rumor proved to be well founded. President Dole, who is one of the kindest men I ever met, had determined to set free the remaining prisoners. At 9:30 on New Year's Day, the eight prisoners were called from their cells into the prison yard, and there heard their pardons read with great interest.

"The Republic is stronger today than ever, was the universal opinion. That act of clemency on the part of Dole will heal over the old sores, and we will soon be a united people," said one of the spectators.

President Dole's New Year reception was held in the Council Chamber of the Executive building, and was one of the most important and magnificent events in Honolulu society the writer has had the pleasure of witnessing. President and Mrs. Dole showed that courtesy, dignity, and at the same time democracy due from the heads of a republic and leaders in society. Mr. and Mrs. Dole are in the prime of life, gifted with strong common sense, and what he possesses in executive ability she has as a leader of society. Mrs. Dole is a graceful and beautiful lady, noted for kindness of heart, and is as much admired as her excellent husband. Like him, she is one of the few people in this world whose head cannot be turned by high political or social positions and honors. Among the distinguished visitors were the foreign ministers and consuls in the city. During the afternoon Mrs. Dole, Mrs. Paul Newman, Mrs. Lawrey, and several other ladies received the young men of Honolulu in Y. M. C. A. hall. Refreshments were served from twelve to two, and from three to five hundred persons were present, including the principal business men of the city.

In the evening a concert was given in the same building, which was attended by a large and appreciative audience, and was in every way a success. The Y. M. C. A. orchestra of twenty members, rendered some excellent music.

On the whole, holidays in Honolulu, after all, do not so materially differ from holidays in the United States. In intelligence, morality, and sobriety Honolulu will favorably compare with any city of its size in America.

Death of Mrs. Geo. Shuart.

The Jackson Morning Patriot of Mar. 14, contains a notice of the death of Mrs. Geo. Shuart, of that city, from which we take the following extract. The deceased was a daughter of Elery Sisson, lived many years in this vicinity, and will be remembered by many friends here.

"Mrs. Susan Shuart, wife of George Shuart, died at the residence, 332 East Main street, at 7:15 Friday morning of inflammation of the bowels, aged 52 years. Mrs. Shuart was a member of Central City Hive No. 92, L. O. T. M., and leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was of an energetic, ambitious disposition, a tireless worker and a faithful friend to all who were fortunate enough to know her. In addition to the large circle of friends she leaves to mourn her loss, a husband and two daughters, Mrs. B. Bradley and Mrs. Dan Rice, a son Homer, and three grandchildren left to her care by the death of her eldest daughter. The funeral will occur Sunday, at 2 p. m. at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Bradley, 614 South Blackstone street. The Lady Maccabees will attend in a body."

Great Five Mile Race.

About 300 people were gathered at the Armory Monday night to see the second foot race between Will A. Smith, the great long distance runner, and ten of our own boys, and no one went away disappointed either with the race or the manner in which it was conducted. The agreement for this second event was that Mr. Smith should run 5 miles without a stop and that the ten men who defeated him in the ten mile race last week should each run one half mile. The opinion of the people seemed to be that the cowboy would be too much for the local sprints in five miles, but it proved quite the contrary as our boys finished over three fourths of a mile in the lead.

By request Mr. Smith gave an exhibition one mile heel and toe walk, finishing in 7 minutes, 15 4-5 seconds.

After a few minutes rest the race proper was called and the men took their positions. Pritchard was the first local representative, and he set a pace which the cowboy found a little too hot and he dropped back half a lap. Every man had his speed with him and made a good gain. Several lively brushes took place on the long stretches which added interest to the race, and at the finish the two Smiths came over the line together after a hot struggle for first place, although Will A. had 19 laps yet to go to finish his five miles.

At the close of the race Mr. Smith made a neat little speech, in which he complimented the boys on their running and Capt. Kyle on his management. He said in substance that although defeated he was better pleased with his treatment here than in any other sporting event in which he ever figured. It is safe to say that he has left many friends here who appreciate his good qualities.

Time of running was as follows:

Pritchard	2:20
Pattison	2:22 2-5
Bowen	2:12 3-5
Anderson	2:12
Gillen	2:26 4-5
Hoag	2:18 4-5
Coddington	2:23 2-5
Meade	2:25 1-5
Westcott	2:19
Smith	2:10 4-5
	23:10 3-5
Smith	28:46 2-5

To complete the evenings sport Mr. Smith gave an imitation of the gait of ten of the champion runners and walkers of the world.

Both races have been well conducted, well patronized, gave good satisfaction to all, developed some excellent racing qualities among our local talent, gave Co. C a small lift and furnished an agreeable diversion at small expense, and best of all, it has been shown that a good race can be given without gambling, put up jobs, or a disorderly, rowdyish house.

What Are We Doing?

The members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union have often to reply to the following remark: "I would join your Union if I could see any results of your work." All who attended Mrs. Law's lecture on Tuesday evening in the Baptist church, learned many things which were the direct work of the W. C. T. U. Among them these, the founding of the State Industrial School for Girls, at Adrian, was the work of the white ribboners of Michigan, championed by Mary T. Lathrop and Aunt Laura Haviland and worked for by every local union in the state. The bills passed by almost every state in the union making Scientific Temperance Instruction in the schools a law, was the result of hard work by the W. C. T. U. led by Mrs. Mary H. Hunt. White ribboners throughout this nation have, by their unwearied efforts, caused those monstrous and scandalous Age of Consent statutes to be so raised and amended in nearly every state that our boys and girls are better protected from fiends in human shape. Matrons have been appointed to care for female prisoners in many of our penitentiaries and reformatories. Missionaries provided to look after and help emigrant women and girls when they land on our shores, and save them from the pitfalls our nation licenses to destroy them. And who has not read of our heroic round the world missionaries? These are only a very few of the forty departments of work engaged in by the Organized Motherhood of the World, whose motto is, "For God and Home and Native Land."

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One of the novelties exhibited at the recent London cycle show was a covering which protected the rider from sun or rain. The cover is like the ordinary buggy top. It is steadied by means of a small wheel at the back, which runs on the ground.

The latest application of electric heat in dental practice is the electric oven for fusing porcelain.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., March 20, '96.

The Senate, in delaying final action upon the Cuban resolutions is, of course, not doing so to please the Spanish lobbyists, but their Spanish employers think they are earning their money. The Senate committee on foreign relations sat down hard upon the proposition to send the Cuban resolutions back to conference by directing Senator Sherman to get a vote upon them as soon as possible. How soon that will be depends upon how many more Senators want to make speeches on the subject.

Senator Vest made the hit of the week in a semi-humorous speech in favor of Senator Cannon's resolution directing Secretary Smith to carry out the law by opening the 2,000,000 acres in the Uncompahgre Indian reservation, in Utah, to the public. He started out by calling attention to the administration's disposition to misunderstand the western people and threw the entire Senate into laughter by the following reference to President Cleveland's speech at the New York Home Missionary meeting: "Our President stood with Dr. Talmage on one side and the Rev. Sheldon Jackson on the other, and gave us a new version of that blessed old missionary hymn which we have heard so often in our childhood.

From Montana's sinful mountain;
From Utah's wicked plains;
They call us to deliver
Our land from Error's chains.

As was expected the House made the resolution censuring Ambassador Bayard the basis for a partisan discussion.

According to the present programme, President Cleveland will shortly extend the civil service rules so as to cover about every employe of the Federal government outside of members of the Cabinet and Judiciary. If done, the administration which will come into power next March would have practically no patronage to distribute. This does'nt strike the politicians favorably. In fact it does'nt strike anybody except the present office-holders and those who are dependent upon them, very favorably. While there never was any sense in a wholesale change in the small-fry officials of the government everytime there was a change of administration, it squares with both common sense and good business ideas to have those filling executive positions in political sympathy with the administration. If President Cleveland makes the proposed blanket extension of the civil service rules it will be the first step towards the total abolition of those rules by his successor.

The fact is not likely to be overlooked by foreign nations that the Naval appropriation bill for the fiscal year beginning July 1, next, which was this week agreed upon by the House committee on Naval Affairs, carries more money for the increase of our navy than has been carried in a single bill since the war. The building of four battleships and fifteen torpedo boats are provided for in the bill. The new boats are all to be built by contract, and to meet any emergency that may arise for hurrying them the Secretary of the Navy is authorized to spend as much of the total appropriation as in his judgement may be necessary during the coming fiscal year.

Representatives of nearly all the railway labor organizations were given hearings by the House labor committee this week. They all spoke in favor of the bill of Senator Voorhees, giving any railway employ who is arrested for contempt of court the right to appeal to any other court and to a trial by jury; also the bill introduced by Representative Erdman, of Pa., providing for a national board of arbitration to settle disputes between railways and their employes, and Representative Phillips' bill to create a national non-partisan board to look after the interests of employers and employes and make recommendations for their mutual benefit.

The giving of a dinner and reception in honor of Secretary and Mrs. Olney, by the British Ambassador, this week, was something very unusual for Lent, and the presence as guests of the Venezuelan minister and Sir Stafford Northcote, M. P., who was formerly Lord Salisbury's private secretary, naturally resulted in originating lots of gossip connecting the affair with the Venezuelan question. In order to quiet the gossip it was given out that the entertainment was the regular annual dinner and reception always given by the Ambassador in honor of the Secretary of State and his wife, and which was not given this year at the usual time because the Embassy was then in mourning on account of the death of Prince Battenburg.

The report that Senator Pugh and Hon. Don M. Dickinson, ex-Postmaster General, had a row because the former spoke slightingly of the President was not true. The men did exchange hard words, but the only cause was that the latter was under the influence of something which made him forget the proper manners of a gentleman. The incident occurred in the dining room of a well known restaurant and was all over in two minutes. It began through Representative McWilliam, of Tenn., offering to introduce the two men who, strange to say, didn't know each other.

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Clinton Column.

Contested Election Case to be Decided in Circuit Court—Episcopal Ladies —Millinery Openings.

S. W. Demuth and wife were in Jackson Monday.

A. C. Huntington returned from Chicago Tuesday.

Will Noon was a Toledo passenger Monday morning.

John Burtless, of Tipton, was on our streets last Saturday.

Miss Eva Shimman was a Tecumseh visitor last Saturday.

The regular meeting of the Masonic bodies occurred this week.

Philip Keusch was at home from Grand Rapids over Sunday.

High School entertainment Easter Monday evening at town hall.

Miss Ella Smith wept to Manchester Monday to resume her music lessons.

Clark & Shimman's annual spring opening occurs today and tomorrow.

Rev. Channer, of Adrian, held services at the Episcopal church last evening.

Clarence Hause, of Britton, has been visiting friends in town during the past week.

Miss May and Miss Kress spent Sunday with Mr. F. Kirchgessner and family.

Mrs. Eva Cooley returned Saturday night from Detroit where she had been to buy goods.

Henry Calhoun came home from Kalamazoo College last Saturday for a few days' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gadd returned Thursday night from their trip to Orion, Cairo and Detroit.

Frank Morey and wife, of Detroit, were guests at D. Woodward's a couple of days last week.

Stephen Lewis and wife, of Woodstock, visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Clark, over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. D Niblack, over Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Bush, Mrs. E. K. Smith and her friend, Mrs. Clark, visited Tecumseh Saturday afternoon.

The republican, democratic, and free silver tickets will all be represented in the Clinton township election.

Mr. Walter Raymond arrived in Clinton from Mason Monday afternoon. He is the guest of Dr. Blatchford.

Cecilia Egan goes Tuesday to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti for a two weeks' visit with friends in those cities.

Miss Tracy Ternes, of Marine City, went to Adrian Monday, after visiting Miss Alice McAdam over Sunday.

Miss Florence Cambürn, of Macon, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Niblack, for the past few days.

Mrs. Orr Kemp, of Tecumseh, returned home Monday after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Cooley.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, visited friends in town from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

E. C. Smith, Dr. Tuttle and G. R. Gillespie attended the sale of the Geo. W. Allen farm at the county seat last Monday.

Mrs. Frank Clark, who has been a guest at E. R. Smith's for the past few days, returned to her home at Charlotte Monday.

Edwin Stansfield, of South Bend, Ind., has been visiting his daughters, Mrs. A. W. Mole and Mrs. E. R. Vest, for the past few days.

Mrs. S. E. Hendershot returned to Norwalk, Ohio, last Saturday, after quite an extended visit with friends in Clinton and Macon.

Miss Josephine Van Huffel, of South Bend, Ind., visited her father here over Sunday. Mr. Van Huffel is foreman at the Clinton plow works.

Cards have been received here from Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Silvers announcing the marriage of their daughter, Addie, to Emil C. Kischell, Wednesday evening, April 8, 1896.

The ladies of St. John's church will serve a hot dinner from 11:30 a. m. till 1:30 p. m., on Wednesday, April 8, at the home of E. R. Smith. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The Platt sisters will open the spring season of millinery tomorrow, Saturday, and continue their opening for one week. They have a fine line of pattern hats and bonnets from Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit.

Services in St. John's church in Holy Week will be: Evening prayer on Wednesday, Morning prayer, with sermon at 10:30, on Good Friday. On Easter day there will be Holy Communion at 10:30, and children's service with baptisms at 12 m.

Jahue DeWitt Miller gave the fifth and last entertainment on the Clinton lecture course last Tuesday night. This finished the season's entertainments which have constituted a most enjoyable and instructive series of lectures and musical events.

Bainbridge & VanTuyle are contemplating the erection of an office building on the small strip of lot between their store occupied by Sherwood & Foster and the barber shop. This is a most excellent place for the purpose and it is hoped that the firm can see their way clear to erect a suitable brick structure.

Upon a careful perusal of the authorities it has been found that the election contest case must be brought before the circuit court for adjudication. Therefore, the officers which have been declared elected by the canvassing board on the original count will qualify, and without a doubt at least one of the offices will be contested before the circuit court.

ONSTED.

Harbingers of Spring—Real Estate Transfers—Decoration Day.

'Tis vain o'er next year's drought to pine—
The wise will never borrow
The gold now hidden in the mine
May be a crown tomorrow.

Grip victims are improving.

Unity social at Lem Sheeler's last Saturday.

John Kane and wife visited in Jackson last week.

Henry Weatherwax is moving out south of town.

Francis Lewis will soon move from his farm into the village.

R. N. Brown, of Geneva, called on F. L. Aldrich last Sunday.

A. P. Onsted and wife visited friends in Rome township Sunday.

Moses Long is moving into C. Cooper's stone house northeast of the village.

A temperance lecture will be given by Rev. Baldwin, of Addison, this evening.

Fred Desermie has been entertaining a brother from Colorado for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Church, of Rome, called on friends in this vicinity last Sunday.

Alfred Onsted has purchased a village lot adjoining his property of Mrs. Emma Walker.

The east and west roads in this vicinity were well filled up with snow during the late blizzard.

If anyone can read the local part of the Onsted News for the past two weeks they are dandies.

J. C. Winnie, of Adrian, has been engaged to deliver a decoration speech here Decoration Day.

Wilbur Brooks got his thumb too near a buzz saw the other day and that member was quite badly lacerated.

S. H. Baker has sold his village property adjoining the brick store to Miss Maxwell, editor of the News.

Fodder in this locality is very scarce this spring, but by close feeding the farmers will get through the winter.

Alfred Mapes and Miss Carrie Taylor, both of Rome, were married a few days ago at the parsonage in North Rome.

Mr. Downing will work for John Onsted this season and has moved into Mr. Onsted's house one-half mile north of town.

Mrs. Perkins, our wide-awake millinery merchant, attended a grand millinery opening at Detroit the first of last week.

Not very much maple sugar business going on during the last few days on account of the Arctic weather we have been having.

The republicans will hold their township caucus on Friday afternoon of this week at Onsted and the democrats on Saturday at Springville.

Twelve years ago last Saturday the first mail pouch was dropped from the train for the new postoffice which had recently been located here.

Robins and Phœbe birds have made their appearance, which denotes that the season of spring is here, but warm spring weather is still absent.

The ladies of the Baptist church held a maple sugar social on Friday evening of last week; also disposed of the bed spread which contained upon its upper side the names of 650 people. All who attanded enjoyed themselves very much.

FRANKLIN.

Indian Medicine Co. at Tipton—Saw Mill News—Personals.

Luman Deming is no better.

Don't forget the Lyceum at A. D. Hunt's April 4th.

Charles Avery moved his saw mill to Oscar Halliday's last Saturday.

Cecil Billington returned to his duties at Cleary's Business College last week Tuesday.

School opened in the Stone school house Monday with Miss Kate Ellis as teacher.

Ye patent medicine man has taken possession of Tipton and giveth entertainments nightly at Hampton Hall.

We hear that Miss Irene Allen will teach the spring term at the Brick school and Arthur Bradley in the Bradley district.

PENTECOST.

Great Boom In Sheep Industry—Accident—Farmers Change.

Miss Bessie Preston will teach the school in the German district this summer.

Z. Stout is moving on the farm of Frank Kinney in Cambridge, and Hosia Barrager will move on the W. N. Perkins farm vacated by Mr. Stout.

John Turner, living two miles southwest of here, fell while doing chores a few days ago and is now in a very precarious condition.

George E. Fisk is a believer in the "third term" doctrine, at least he will begin on his third season's work with the same man next week.

There is a Pentecost farmer, whose flock of sheep seem determined to boom the wool business. About one-third of them have twins and one has triplets. All three of the triplets are lively as crickets.

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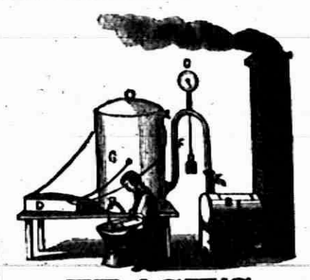

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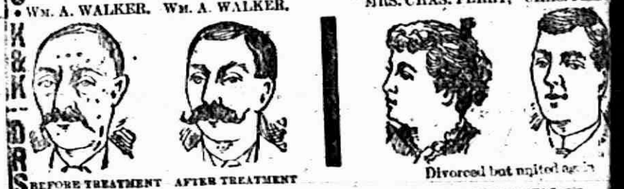

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Marriage—Feed Mill—Poor Mail Service—Caucuses.

W. J. Helm made a business trip to Toledo Saturday.

W. J. Helm was in Toledo last Saturday, buying stock.

Joe. Wiggins was with friends at Jand, Mich., over Sunday.

James Haight took the initiatory degree in the Adrian Commandery Friday night.

Clarence Hause visited relatives and friends at Clinton from Friday until Saturday.

Mrs. Lafayette Rappleye, of Ridgeway was visiting friends in the village Tuesday.

Mrs. John Ereiby went to Detroit Saturday, for a visit to her daughter, Annie May.

Millie, the Quadroon is advertised for the 4th and 5th of April, don't forget the date.

Miss Katie Hughes, of Tecumseh, was visiting her brother Art and family in the village last Saturday.

Ed. Grans has removed to Gladwin his state, our climate being a little too warm to suit his disposition.

D. B. Howard, master mechanic on the Wabash railroad, of Toledo, was in the village last Wednesday.

Ab. Palmer, the well known mail clerk, was in the village on Saturday, running to Adrian on Sunday.

Joe. Dayken made some high kicks in the post office the other day, and we will back him against any man of his size.

A large house greeted the "Skule" on Friday and Saturday nights, but there were not many people in it either night.

Will Winsley who was on the shelf last week from the kick of a horse, is able to attend to his duties at the meat market.

Two car loads of lumber arrived Saturday night and one Monday on the C. & M. for H. H. Temple our new lumber dealer.

There is considerable interest being taken in the matter of organizing a band in this village. This is a good thing, push it along.

The report that George Exelby was a candidate for the office of manager of the Britton Base Ball team this year lacks confirmation.

Tendershot Tent, K. O. T. M. will meet for the purpose of instruction and drill on Tuesday evening, 31st. All interested take notice.

At the Christian church next Sunday, Rev. Doyo will preach in the morning on "The Gethsemanes of Life," in the evening on the "Calvaries of Life".

Frank Underwood and Frank Zeluff left in Toledo last Saturday. They expect soon to go to the Ohio oil fields, where they will work the coming season.

J. Bachman has returned from Toledo the promising outlook for work in his line, in Britton and vicinity, was so encouraging that he concluded to stay here.

Rev. C. I. Doyo has been chosen delegate from the Y. P. S. C. E to the tenth annual convention of the Mich. C. E. U. to be held in Ionia April 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

The maple sugar supper served by the W. R. C. in the room formerly occupied by the Exchange Bank, on Tuesday evening proved to be quite a sweet occasion.

Mrs. W. Lenardson came home from Pennsylvania last week to pack up her household goods preparatory to renting the house. She expects to return to Pennsylvania soon.

The Exelby house will be throughly renovated in the near future. This is a much needed improvement. A neat, clean and well kept hotel is one of the best advertisements a town can have.

The entertainment given dy the Loyal Legion at the Christian church on Tuesday evening was fairly well attended and was much enjoyed, as an entertainment by the little folks always is.

Please remember that next Wednesday afternoon is the Ladie's Aid at the Christian Union church. Mrs. George Smith's committee will serve supper from 5 until 6 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

The Bros. have sold their stock of goods to Geo. W. Smith, who will close out the entire stock at the old stand. He has a large force of clerks at work and the goods are going off like hot cakes.

The lumber yard is now a settled fact, and will occupy grounds just west of the large warehouse of John Gibson, with an office on north main street. Several cars loads of stock have already arrived and are waiting to be unloaded.

A bake sale and maple sugar social at the Reformed church Friday, April 3rd. There will be a chance to get those Easter souvenirs for your friends. Come early so as to secure first choice. Warm meals will be served from 5 to 8, 5 and 10 cents dishes.

A large force of workmen were on the road job Tuesday, and things moved along finely under the direction of Geo. Graff. Mr. Osgood's machinery is running daily and we hope soon to see the mill running in due form. Frank and James Pocklington are at work on the engine house which is being built at the rock.

The new time card on the Wabash, so far as passenger traffic is concerned, is a daisy, and as soon as people get accustomed to the change, they will like it much better than the old one. But when it comes to the mail service we had better not pretend to have any. The card took effect Sunday and up to Tuesday noon but one mail had reached the postoffice over the Wabash. How long for an efficient mail service.

About seventy five friends and relatives assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith Wednesday at the hour of 1 p. m. to witness the marriage of their son Lavern, and Miss Ida L. Pilbeam. Many of the guests were from Tecumseh, where the bride formerly resided. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. C. M. Brown, of the Tecumseh Presbyterian church, the party sat down to a bounteous dinner. The bridal couple will reside for the present with the parents of the groom. A wide circle of acquaintances join in congratulations.

RIDGEWAY.

Caucuses—Maple Sugar Festival—Singing School.

Date fixed for the singing school concert is April 10th.

Thursday of last week was a record breaker for a March day.

School closed Friday for the spring vacation of two weeks instead of one.

Nettie Bannister, of Britton, visited Martha Sherman, the first of the week.

The democratic and republican caucuses will be held Saturday at Britton.

Fred McQuary has become a citizen of the village by renting the Reed property.

Mrs. Peter Welling, of Tecumseh, called on friends in the village Wednesday.

Bear in mind that Prof. De Motte will be at Sutton's opera house, Saturday night.

Mrs. E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, made a flying call on relatives here Saturday.

The latest pass word among the boys is, "have you had your picture taken with sister."

Miss Grace Spalding, of Clinton, spent a portion of last week with her sister Mrs. B. F. De Puy.

George Hill and wife, of Raisin Valley, visited Mrs. Hill's uncle, Lester Osgood, and family over Sunday.

Charles Pocklington, of Perrysburgh, Ohio, visited his sons F. E. and James Pocklington, and their families last week.

George Bond entertained his Sabbath school class of boys at his home on Wednesday evening of last week, in a right royal way.

There was not a very large attendance at the maple sugar festival given by the L. C. S. at the church Friday night, but the carpet fund was increased $5.00.

Mrs. Courtland Snedicor, who has been spending several weeks here with relatives and old neighbors left for her homeward trip Monday, she will visit relatives at Dundee, Scofield, Milan and Howell, and will reach her home at Ithaca, April 3rd.

HOLLOWAY.

Millinery Opening—Maple Sugar and Mud.

The roads are very muddy.

Mr. F. G. Florence visited Detroit Tuesay, and Geo. Holloway also.

The Wabash railroad have issued a new Time Card, taking effect Sunday.

Mrs. Allen Kelly entertains the Ladie's Social at her home April 2nd. to dinner. All are cordially invited.

The Free Methodists hold their quarterly meetings Sat. and Sun. March 28 and 29 at this place. Elder Bradfield presiding.

Hon. Geo. Horton, of Fruit Ridge, will lecture at Holloway Hall Tuesday night and will endeavor to organize a Grange at this place.

Misses Palmer and Thompson wish to announce through these columns that their openings fos spring millinery goods will occur April 2, 3, and 4. and wish to have the ladies come and see for themselves. They will be made welcome. Don't forget the date.

The L. O. T. M. will give a maple sugar social at Holloway Hall Saturday evening March 28. They will dispose of a handsome silk quilt they have made, the proceeds to go towards furnishing the new Maccabee Hall. Every one will be made welcome and courteously treated as the lady Maccabees know how to entertain. So consider yourself cordially invited and help them to rally once more.

LAKE RIDGE.

Easter Concert Given By The Sunday School—Personal Mention.

Chas. Hendorshot has been indisposed the past week with Neuralgia.

Lewis Martin has been to Leslie the past week on a business trip.

David Boyd who had his foot crushed by a wagon wheel is reported better.

Mrs. George Bryan, who has been in poor health all winter is on the gain.

James Miller, of Grand Rapids, was visiting friends on the Ridge Sunday.

Mary Murphy, of east Tecumseh, is visiting friends and relatives on the Ridge.

School in the Darling district will commence Monday with Maggie Morse as teacher.

Miss Amelia Harrington, who has been to Kalamazoo for treatment is home on a visit.

James and Lizzie Murphy, who have attended school at Ridgeway the past winter will now enjoy a two week's vacation.

The Lake Ridge Sunday school will have an Easter concert on the eve. of April 5th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. John Henry, who has been spending a few weeks in Hudson caring for her mother, has returned leaving Mrs. Palmer in poor health.

MACON.

A Week of Caucuses—Another Death—Peronal Mention.

The way of the transgressor is hard boys.

Mrs. Clara Pennington was an Adrian visitor last Monday.

Good sheep are being bought in this section at 3c per pound.

The W. C. T. T. met at the home of Mrs. Maria Sickley on Friday afternoon.

Darius Hennershot having rented his farm will return to the old homestead for the present, at least.

We are very thankful that the head lines "Macon Music" etc, have disappeared from the Herald columns.

The L. O. T. U. and K. O. T. M. of Macon will give a maple sugar social at the old Reformed Church on Tuesday eve March 31.

This is Caucus week and some of the prospective candidates are already becoming genial and more than usually ready to shake hands.

The Exhibition at the Baptist church comes to late for this week's report, but Prof. Randell is an expert in this line and we have no doubt of its success.

We omitted last week to mention the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon to Bedford, Mich. They are old residents of Macon and will long be remembered among us.

Public spirited citizens are collecting money for the construction of a portable platform to be used at socials, political meetings etc. It is a worthy project and should be heartily supported.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in Milan township, on Wednesday, March 11, 1896, by Rev. J. A. DeSpelder, Mr. Ralph Hendershot, of Macon, and Miss M. Anna Craig, of Milan.

The prohibition caucus was held at the town hall Wednesday, the republican Thursday, and the democratic Friday. It is odd that we still continue to select candidates for town offices because of their opinions upon tariff and finance when the important question would seem to be whether they are properly qualified or not.

On Friday last occured the death of Miss Lavina Laugau. The funeral was held at the house on Sunday morning, the sermon being preached by Rev. J. DeSpelder. The deceased had been an invalid for many years, but by their generous and cheerful devotion, her brother and sisters did all that was possible to make life pleasant for her.

OBITUARY.

On the 8th of March, 1896, at his home in Macon, Mich., Mr. Thomas A. Liddel departed this life, aged 63 years, 7 months and 10 days. Deceased was born July 28, 1832, in Florida, Montgomery Co., N. Y. In 1835 he came to Michigan with his parents, who settled in Macon, in which vicinity his after life was spent. It was always a matter of interest to hear him speak of his boyhood experiences and especially of his school days, for the time of his childhood was also the time of the childhood of the settlement. On March 5, 1856, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Ann Richart, of Macon, who with three daughters, survives him. Mr. Liddel's sterling character was recognized and honored by his neighbors. His kindness and generous dealings have often gladdened the hearts of those who needed help. He was a consistent member of the Reformed church of Macon. In the new edifice of said church the funeral services were held on Tuesday, March 10, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, the Rev. J. A. DeSpelder preaching the sermon from the text, 2nd Tim., 2:11. Thus, one by one, the early settlers and their children are departing. May their helpfulness and devotion be held in lasting remembrance, and their good example be emulated by their successors on life's stage of action.

SOUTH MACON.

A Good Grist of Newsy Notes—Many Personals.

Mrs. Wesley Pennington is quite sick at present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Hunter visited friends in Dundee the past week.

Mrs. McDaniel, of Tecumseh, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Al. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Royce spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Holloway.

Mart Bailey, who has been having a severe attack of la grippe, is able to be out again.

Mrs. George Bryan, who has been very sick for the past two months, is recovering.

Drs. Ed. Miller and daughter, Vera, who have been spending the winter with friends here, will soon return to their home in Clair.

Mrs. Hattie Sage and son have been spending a week at her father's, Wm. Osgood's. They expect to move onto Ed. Osgood's farm the first of April.

James Miller is once more shaking hands with Macon friends. He has been spending the past three months at the Soldiers' Home in Grand Rapids and has returned for the summer.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Dr. Ambrose, of Homer, has returned to Cleveland to undergo another surgical operation. Grace was well known in this vicinity and has many warm friends. Mrs. Ambrose, the doctor's mother, has gone to take charge of their little daughter and household affairs.

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AROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The Advance says Blissfield will soon loose its opera house and laments the lack of public spirit which will allow this calamity to happen.

A republican club has been organized at Blissfield with A D Gilmore as president. We have not as yet learned their choice for president or their position on the Pingree question.

J. T. Everett, of the Ypsilanti schools, has been chosen principal of the Grass Lake schools. Prof. Everett may fill a long felt want there as he is the fourth to try it this year; and then again he may not fill it.

Press: Between the disclosures of Brailey by the Times and Pollasky by the Telegram our new railroad enterprises promise to be mere conjectures. Each project seems to be hit by a Trail. The two T's are pushing things.

The deputy game warden who has jurisdiction in the vicinity of Wampler's lake declars that he will arrest all violators of the law should any festive sports attempt to use the unlawful spear and jack on that or adjacent lakes.

A prominent young newspaper man of Ann Arbor was recently mistaken for the Baptist clergyman of that city. The extreme piety and simple but deep seated religion exemplified in the lives of the University city has its effect on even the most abandoned citizens.

The Monroe Democrat tells how an old Tecumseh boy got there in this wise: "Dr. Hayne was re-elected a member of the Dundee village council, without trying. It turns out that a few persons worked very hard to "lick" him, but the doctor did't know it. Wait till she can get at them with his pill case!"

Jackson Patriot: Judge of Probate Hammond Tuesday appointed C. C. Pond, J. R. Moffett and Jno. O. Gunnison a committee to condemn lands for the use of the C. J. & M. railroad, the lands being a part of the Ann Filley estate. The committee is to meet next Monday at 10 o'clock.

Telegram: A prominent Adrianite was at Weston yesterday and met J. S. Bralley, of Wauseon, who is at work securing right of way options on the proposed Lima Northern railroad. He stated that he would try and be in Adrian this week. The options are being secured over the line recently surveyed striking the Wabash this side of Seneca.

The Addison Courier thus speaks of Rev. Hageman's call to that town: Rev. J. C. Hageman, of Dundee, has declined the call to the pastorate of the Congregational church here. It is a disappointment to the society since an amount sufficient to pay the salary had been pledged and other steps taken to re-establish the regular work of the church.

Judge Robbins has appointed the following county soldiers' commission, whose duty it is to furnish relief to needy veterans: Wm. C. Street, Adrian, term of 3 years; Albert H. Boies, Hudson 2 years; H. W. Stevens, Tecumseh, 1 year. The entire relief fund is in charge of the county treasurer, and cases must be reported to the nearest member of the commission. This is under the new law.

Ypsilantian: The Light Guards are considering the project of constructing a $5,000 armory, the hall of which will supply the long felt need of an opera house. The proceeds of the play, "The Volunteer," which will be given by the Light Guards in Cleary Hall next week Thursday and Friday nights, will form the beginning of this fund. Everybody should attend the performance and help the good cause along, and at the same time get his full money's worth in enjoyment.

The following record as given in the Monroe Democrat rather beats Clinton and Britton both: "Mr. and Mrs. Lamkin Wickenheiser of Maybee, have scored a remarkable record in this, that twice within fourteen months and eight days, they have become the parents of twins, a boy and a girl in each case. The last set was born March 9th. All the youngsters are 'as smart as June grasshoppers,' the mother is doing well and the father better than could naturally be expected under the circumstances."

The Liberty farmer's club of Jackson county in force assembled has unanimously declared, resolved and decided against the practice of the board of supervisors of that county of allowing too large salary and fees to certain officials. They will support no candidate unless he declares flat footed for cheaper county administration. It will be well when close times compel the tax payers of every county to scrutinize more closely the cost of running the affairs of the shrievalty.

Exchange: Every column in a newspaper contains from ten to twenty five thousand distinct pieces of metal; the displacement of one of which would cause a blunder or typographical error. And yet some people think it strange when they can find an error in a newspaper. When they see a word with a wrong letter in it, or a misplaced letter, they are sure they could have spelled the word right and are happy for a whole day and go around telling how the editor made a mistake.

"The Stimpson Computing Scale Company of Milan, has beaten the Dayton, O., Computing Scale Company in the United States court at Detroit. The Dayton Company brought suit for infringement of patent. Judge Swan 'weighed' the evidence and 'computed' that justice belonged in the 'scale' of the Stimpson Company." Thus saith the Democrat of Monroe concerning the the victory of the Stimpson Computing Scale Company. But say, brother, we think the Stimpson Company is located at Tecumseh at present.

Chas. Goodrich, of Dundee, has acquired and removed the corpse of the Dundee Ledger to Britton, where he will attach a galvanic battery to the remains and set them kicking, under the name of the Britton Gazette. Once there was a Britton Eagle and when it finally fell off its perch, from starvation, it was so poor that it lodged in the air and had to be knocked down with a pole. Then there was a Britton Journal, but it passed into the stomach of the Deerfield Times, where it is now in process of deglutition. Now follows the Gazette. Better success to it.—Monroe Democrat.

Adrian Press: The U. S. court at Detroit, Judge Swan presiding, has dismissed the bill filed against the Stimpson Scale Co. of Tecumseh, for infringement of patent, and the Evening News says there can be no appeal. We are glad to learn that this important industry is not to be in any way harmed by a question upon the validity of its patents. It is a most remarkable piece of mechanism, and now that any doubt about its being an infringement has been swept away, we predict increased orders for it. We believe only one is in use here, which is at the store of A. C. Clark, and a brief glance will convince any one of its excellence and worth. Good for the Stimpson Company. Since writing the foregoing, we learn that scales are in use here at Bowerfind's bakery and Betz's grocery.

OBITUARY.

HARDING.

Anna May Harding, daughter of the late Rev. A. W. and Julia J. Harding, was born at Sharon, Mich., July 5, 1874, and died in Tecumseh, Mich., March 24, 1896. When she was two years old her parents came to Tecumseh and settled on a farm north of the village. She took a course in the schools here, graduating in the high school Class of '91, at the age of seventeen. For some time she was employed as cashier and bookkeeper by the Avery grocery firm, after which she took a course in the business college at Ypsilanti, fitting herself for office work as a stenographer and typewriter. In the fall of '93 she accepted a position with the Jackson Grocery Co., of Jackson, Mich., which position she filled until about one year ago, when her health failed and she returned to the home of her brother, Arthur. Early in life she became a christian and a member of the Methodist church. At the time of her death she was a member of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church of Jackson. She was a person of great force of character, and had a great many friends among those who knew her. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner, assisted by Rev. Howard Field, of Weston, at the home of A. B. Harding.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call to her reward Miss Anna Harding, an active member of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of this city, and who, by her every day life, proved her loyalty to the cause of our Saviour, therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend to the members of the bereaved family our sympathy and consolation in this, their hour of sorrow and affliction, knowing that they already have the higher comfort that comes from Christ Jesus. And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the sorrowing family of Miss Harding and that the same be duly entered upon the records of the league.

Dated Jackson, Mich., March 23, 1896.

LEWIS S. WINANS, Pres't.
MARY M. ALCOTT, Sec'y.

A Japanese physician is reported to have discovered a remedy for leprosy by inoculation.

High School Happenings.

Mrs. A. W. Mills visited the high school Wednesday.

Miss Harriet Osborn was a visitor in the A room last Friday morning.

The Arithmetic classes are trying to straighten out Longitude and Time.

Henry Calhoun and Miss Jessie Millis paid the high school a visit Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Pentecost, of Franklin, was a high school visitor last Friday.

Misses Florence Keder and Fossia Lewis visited the high school Monday.

Misses Ora Bowen and Alice Cutting were A room visitors last week Thursday.

Leigh Pennington favored the A room with an oration on the Cuban revolution Wednesday morning.

Sam McClure is seeking an opportunity give the lovers of the light fantastic in the A room a few words of encouragement along the line of physical development.

Last Wednesday, as Willie Field was trying to interest himself in the monotonous broils of English History, he took a short sojourn to dreamland.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish hereby to extend to our many friends our heartfelt thanks for the varied and extended kindnesses received during the prolonged sickness of our sister.

ARTHUR B. HARDING.
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Referring to the consolidation of the American Bimetallic League, the National Bimetallic Union and the National Silver Committee, the Weekly Tribune of Callaway, Neb., says:

"The new organization resolved to support the party declaring in its favor; but declares that in the event of nonsupport by either of the great parties, the Union will put its own ticket in the next campaign."

Then that paper waxes indignant over the supposed fact that the American Bimetallic Union has turned the cold shoulder on the Populist party.

The National Bimetallist is anxious that no misapprehensions may arise with reference to the attitude of the consolidated organization, and it will therefore say to one and all of its readers, that it has taken no such action as that mentioned above. It has adopted no such resolutions, made no such declaration and in fact has thus far proposed nothing in the world but a campaign of education. It has no disposition to ignore the Populist party, or any other. There are populists, republicans and democrats connected with it and they are all working together in perfect harmony for the common cause, namely, the complete restoration of bimetallism in the United States.

AN ADDRESS.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 2, 1896.

To the Bimetallists of Nebraska:

We, the undersigned members of the executive committee of the Nebraska Silver League, have been directed to enroll in one organization, so far as possible, all of the believers in bimetallism at 16 to 1. This is not a new party, but an association of the friends of free silver, regardless of party affiliation, for the purpose of bringing the money question clearly before the voters of the state. Gold standard advocates are already organized for the purpose of propagating the gold standard idea. We cannot hope to make a successful resistance to them unless there is some channel through which literature upon the subject may be conveyed directly to the voters, and there is no reason why differences of opinion upon other political issues should prevent co-operation in educational work among those who believe in the restoration of the gold and silver coinage of the constitution.

The unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, the veto of the seignorage bill, the refusal of the treasury department to coin the silver bullion now on hand, the repeated attempts to retire the greenbacks and treasury notes in the interest of a national bank currency, the issue of interest bearing bonds in general and the execution of the Rothschild's contract in particular—all parts of a comprehensive scheme to fasten the monometallic system upon the people of the United States and make gold the only legal tender money—have made it certain that the money question will, for the time being, at least, be one of the most prominent issues before the people. The election of 1896 may determine whether this nation will return to the bimetallic principle or place itself in the absolute control of the money changers.

Bimetallism means a return of prosperity to the producers of wealth—a prosperity which will reach and benefit all classes of society; the gold standard means an indefinite extension of the present financial depression, with enforced idleness among the laboring classes and gross injustice to all debtors. We have no fund with which to employ organizers and must appeal to the common people to make of the silver cause the only contribution within their power, namely, friendly interest and a helping hand.

This is not a secret organization, but an open warfare in opposition to the financial policy which Mr. Carlisle once called an international conspiracy against the welfare of mankind, and which Mr. Blaine once declared would prove "distressing to millions and utterly disastrous to tens of thousands."

We shall as rapidly as possible appoint county committees, and these county committees will in turn organize precinct clubs. We are very much gratified at the hearty support already given to this league, and we confidently rely upon the masses of the people of Nebraska, republicans, populists, democrats and prohibitionists alike to aid this movement, which has for its purpose the defense of their rights and interests.

County papers will please copy.

GILBERT L. LAWS,
SILAS A. HOLCOMB,
W. J. BRYAN,
H. W. HARDY.

The completed mortgage statistics of the country have been published by the census bureau, and the total amount of mortgage debt shown to have been in existence on January 1, 1890, was $2,209,148,431 on acres, and $3,810,531,554 on lots. In other words, the total private debt of the United States secured by real estate mortgage is over $6,000,000,000, or an average of about $100 per capita for each person in the country.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

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with Trimmings to Match.

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LADIES' FINE FOOTWEAR

is the largest shown in the county, with all the new styles and sizes.

Carpets of the Best Patterns and Quality,

at 55c. per yd. This means Lowell Extra Supers. Other All Wool Carpets at 50c per yd. We would be pleased to have you call and see us before making your spring purchases, as we can save you money.

THE FREESE--WHITTELSEY CO.

PECIAL NOTICES.

TED—Wanted man of good business ..., capable of man aging the business ... manufacturing plant. Must have $ 5.. ...o to invest. Can secure permanent ... with liberal salary and business will ... dividends. Address F. Edwards, 67 ...ing., Detroit.

...T—House with garden, well, cistern, ...r and wood house, cellar, $9 per week. A. W. SLAYTON.

...SALE—A fine bay driving mare, ...ht about 1250 pounds. GEO. L. OLIVER, Tecumseh.

...ALE—A pleasant home in the village ...consists, consisting of nearly 4 acres on ...rest the late residence of Judge ... ...od location; an unfailing well of wa... ...cistern, fine vineyard well stocked ...t. Also fine, well-rooted raspberry, ...and currant plants for sale. For par... ...address box 678 or on the premises.

...ALE—Farm of 120 acres within four ...s of Tecumseh, Mich. Inquire of E. M. ...ompson, Mich.

...ALE, Russian Oats for sale. Average ...ld 80 bu per acre, from a sowing of 1½ ...per acre. Call on or address O. A. SLAYTON'S R. C. CORYELL.

...ALE. I have acclimated Strawberry ...s for sale, of the following varieties ...on, Gandy Warfield, Parker Earl, Early ...averland, Crescent and Early Canadas ...ty—30 cts per doz, 60 cts per hundred; ...thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the ...d Gregg. C. F. MORLEY, Willow Brook Farm, ...cumseh, Macon, Mich.

...TE—Order your strawberry and rasp... ...y plants early I have a fine stock of ...wing varieties: Strawberries—Bed-R... ...Beach, Crescent, Meech's Early, Enhance, ...e, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, ...Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—... ...Miller, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, ...Cuthbert. For prices and particulars ...e write. C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

...ALE—Or exchange, my place of six ..., just outside of corporation on turn... ...on Seam Holden place. Good build... ...etc. G. W. BLY.

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...SEH, MICH., MARCH 27, 1896.

OCAL AND PERSONAL.

...an Bros. for Easter ties.

...Davidson went to Detroit Tues...

...legant line of Easter ties at ... Bros.

...le—A first class Steinway piano ... Frasier's.

...ird of a series of social hops ...eld at the Armory to-night.

...want to know what is going on ...Mills block, look on the last

...Bruan went to Jackson Wed... He will clerk in the Ruht

...rom Will Hayden states that ...ting along finely in the Lone ...e.

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... and gents, call at Harris & ... and get a pair of those lovely ... Easter.

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...st line of spring shoes we ever ...leasure of looking at are on ...rris & Hiteshu's.

...mallidge left for Port Huron ...esday morning, where he has ... in a cigar store.

... young ladies will give a leap ...y to their friends, at the home ...ary Mills, on March 31.

... Dickinson will take an inter... ...his brother, C. M. Dickinson, ...eat market on Railroad street.

... beautiful spring capes at Harris ...hu's are going very fast, call ...your size before it is too late.

...olly Ten, of that jolly town of ..., will give a leap year party ...fortunates, some of whom are ...sh.

... Case left Wednesday morn... ...Hart, where he will make ... with Will Dickinson, for a ...son.

...Lee has disposed of his farm in ...rg and has entered into part... ...with Albert Clark in the west ...t market.

... latest styles and best makes ...jest received from the manu... Every pair warranted at ... Hiteshu's.

...Haight was home over Sunday. ...headquarters are in Syracuse, ...resent, and his territory covers ... of New York and Pennsylva...

... meeting of Tecumseh lodge ...& A. M. tonight at 7:30. The ...will be called at this hour in ... instead of at 7 o'clock, as ...e winter months.

...vin Case, of Chicago, called ...ther B. L. Baxter last Friday. ...ay Mrs. James Winans came ...oledo to see how her father ...ing with the grip.

...ad to state that Hon. B. L. ...e has been confined to his ...e past two weeks with a ... of the grip, is now on the ...ill soon be out again. Mrs. ... turned from Jackson to care ...her during his illness.

...ockton's new story, "Mrs. ...ht," which begins in the ...opolitan, promises to be one ... interesting ever written by ...ating story-teller. Readers ...ventures of Captain Horn" ..."Mrs. Cliff's Yacht" some... ...hey have been waiting for.

... T. U., of Tecumseh, dupli... ... the forty departments of ...lished by the World's and ...ion viz: Evangelistic, supt., ...ewis; franchise, supt., Mrs. ...ist; railroad, supt. Mrs. Mary ...dower mission, lumberman ..., supt. Mary E. Sutton; press ...reen, Iss, supt., Mrs. Annie ...th; W. T. P. A., supt., Mrs. ...tgomery; social purity and ...eeting, supt., Mrs. Julia Lin...

Nobby Easter ties at McCann Bros.

How much longer can you stand this weather?

Rev. Howard Field, of Weston, was in town Tuesday.

D. L. Whitnack & Co. talk of hardware this week.

We publish a change of time for the Wabash this week.

Walter Fergason, of Cambridge, visited in town Tuesday.

C. A. Wright calls attention to new wall paper this week.

Miss Mori Munn and Master Glenn, of Toledo, are visiting at R. S. Moore's.

Holidays in the Sandwich islands is the subject of our Hawaiian letter this week.

Miss Edna Bailey and mother, of Jackson, were visitors here the fore part of the week.

W. P. Harding, of Terra Haute, Ind. came here to attend the funeral of his sister Anna, Tuesday.

Minister's meeting at thd M. E church next Monday at 10 a. m. Pastors outside of town especially invited.

Mrs. Lottie Arburn and Miss Dicey Schlemmer are visiting at the home of Mrs. Asa Howe, a sister of the former.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sizer, Mrs. C. M. Conklin and Mrs. J. W. Page, of Adrian, attended Miss Harding's funeral Tuesday.

Hay is so scarce here that C. A. Slayton has a car on the way from Dakota which he will sell at $12 from the car. Look out for it.

Committee No. 8 of the ladies' social of the Baptist church, will serve supper next week Thursday, April 2, from 5 to 7 p. m. for 10 cents.

Misses Harriet Bates and Metta Owen and Harry Pattison will assist as clerks for the Bankrupt Purchasing association in the Mills Block.

Sunday school as usual at the Baptist church next Sunday at 12 o'clock in the chapel and parlor; no preaching service because of the repairs in progress.

Farmers—We are still in the market with a full line of grass seeds. Also all kinds of garden seeds in bulk.
R. S. MOORE.

If you are looking for a good baby carriage we have a large assortment. A splendid bargain at $7.50 and $10.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Quite a number of young people from here went out to John Schreder's Tuesday evening to attend the Leap Year box social given by the Farmer's Social club.

Miss Allen, formerly of Chicago, will be prepared to show the ladies a fine line of elegant novelties, and trimmed hats, on and after April 1st. Next door to Fisher's book store, Adrian.

George Tiffany is doing typewriting and office work for A. W. Mills. While some people are erecting rickety political fences Mr. Mills is sawing wood and putting up miles of Page wire fence in Ohio.

One of Tecumseh's sons, Rev. C. A. Fulton, of Detroit, will give one of his popular lectures in the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, April 14. Subject: "What Will He Do?" A feast of oratory and sense.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. J R. Fowler during the month of April. Mothers' meeting first Friday of the month, conducted by the new superintendent. All young mothers especially invited.

The robin redbreast sings on the tree and every township committee and millinery shop in this part of the county has a free notice of caucuses and spring openings in this issue of the Herald, and get spring lingers and lingers. Bring along some wood.

The Junior Auxiliary to Missions in St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, and St. John's church, Clinton, have given twenty dolls dressed in all styles, for work in Japanese missions. They have also provided two comforts and over twenty garments for American missions.

The prohibitionists of the township of Tecumseh will meet at the council building on Monday evening, March 30, at 7:30, for the purpose of nominating a ticket to be voted for at the township election, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of committee.

Clerk Moore has caused registration notices to be posted, appointing Saturday April 4th, as the day to see that your name appears on the rolls as a voter at the coming township election. If you are not positive in regard to your registration or have moved from one precinct to the other be sure and attend to the matter on that day.

At the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. the following officers were elected:
Pres.—Mrs. Delia Jones.
Rec. Sec.—Mrs. Deborah Jackson.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Agnes Montgomery.
Treas.—Mrs. Jennie Heck.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Mary Robbins.
2d " " —Mrs. F. Coddington.
3d " " —Mrs. Mary C. Wood.
4th " " —Mrs. Marietta Wyrill.

Services in St. Peter's church in Holy Week will be: Evening prayer on Tuesday, Holy Communion Thursday morning at 9 o'clock and evening prayer on Good Friday. On Easter day there will be Matins at 6 p. m., and Holy Communion immediately after children's service at 4 o'clock, and Evensong at 7. Cut flowers and plants for Easter decorations may be sent to the church Saturday afternoon.

Ray Bronson, newsboy for the Toledo News, met with a serious accident Monday afternoon while on his way to the four o'clock C. J. & M. train for his papers. He was crossing the Lake Shore track on Potawatamie street when he fell striking his left leg on the rail cutting a gash about 10 inches long between the ankle and knee. He managed to get to Dr. Woodward's office where it was found necessary to take 13 stitches in the gash, which had laid bare the bone.

Prof. DeMotte tomorrow night.

Alva Spayde speaks of spring suits.

Miss Alice Temple is home from Albion.

Supper at the Universalist church tonight.

A. W. Slayton has returned from his southern trip.

Mrs. Ed. Taylor, of Onsted, was in the city Tuesday.

Clarence Harry is home from Albion for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Guy Belding is visiting her parents in Cambridge this week.

Mrs. W. C. Hopkins, of Jackson, is visiting her father, R. W. Cole.

Mrs. Louis Smith and son Clarence, of Howell, are guests of L. Younge.

Fred Ellis, of Cone, was shaking hands with friends here Tuesday.

The Freese, Whittlesey Co., of Clinton have a few words to say in this week's issue.

Mrs. Will Dewey and Miss Belle Hogan, of Bridgewater, were in town Wednesday.

Miss Ada Cullen has been in Toledo this week looking up spring styles in millinery.

Henry Calhoun, who is attending college at Kalamazoo was in Tecumseh the first of the week.

Abner Wilson will soon have plants for the millions. His seeds are sprouting under the glass.

A number of Tecumseh people attended the Smith-Pilbeam wedding at Britton Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyrus Probert, of Portland, Mich., is visiting at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Jones'.

Mrs. W. B. Odlon and children went to Reading last night, where Mrs. O. was called by telegram.

Mr. Fall, son of Prof. Fall of Albion College, is spending the vacation as the guest of Clarence Hurry.

Fred Chase moved on the Ben Reynolds farm in Tipton, last Tuesday, where he will live this season.

Jacob Brown, formerly with Kensler Bros. in Manchester, will have charge of the shoe department in the new store in the Mills block.

The young ladies of Tecumseh, at last realizing the fact that this is the last leap year in this century, are making arrangements for a grand leap year party to be given soon after Lent at the Opera House.

The schools close today for the Easter vacation of one week. Miss Harding vacates at Hillsdale, Miss Widney at Adrian, Miss Wiley at Howell, Miss Douglas at Church, and Miss Hartbeck at Jackson and Detroit.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman is now ready to to show the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity the latest styles in Easter millinery. She hopes to be favored by your presence and inspection.

Spring house cleaning time has come and you are going to need some new furniture. We have the largest and most complete stock in southern Michigan, and our prices are the lowest.
WHEELER & SISSON.

The Democrats have an excellent ticket in the field for the coming township election. The Republicans and Prohibitionists have plenty of good timber and know how to choose. Let everybody turn out and have a rousing old fashioned town meeting.

Last Sunday occurred the death of Miss Anna Harding, after more than a year of patient suffering. The funeral was conducted from the home of her brother, Arthur, at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Rev. Varner officiating. An obituary notice appears in another column.

The Epworth League "group" meeting to be held at the Methodist church next Wednesday, April 1, promises to be a very profitable and interesting session of that society. A full program is arranged for morning session at 9:30, afternoon at 2:30, and evening at 6:45. Nearly all the leagues in the county will be represented. The public are invited.

In noticing the ten mile race run here last week, the Press concludes as follows: "It was a very exciting and enjoyable affair, but if they had put our friend Henry Stevens on the track, and got his eye fastened on a motto labeled 'sheriff,' just ten miles ahead, he would have made that cowboy have blisters on his heels, and beat him out by sixty-five and a half laps. He would run almost as fast as Will Sisson would for a 'biled dinner.'"

Mrs. Charity Gallatin died at her home northeast of the village, last week Friday, March 20, at the age of 61 years. Mrs. Gallatin, who has been in feeble health for some time, was stricken with pneumonia about ten days before her death. Her daughter, Ada, attended her during her last sickness. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. Hudson conducting the service. The deceased leaves three daughters, Mrs. Johnson, of Massillon Ohio, Miss Jennie, of Chicago, and Miss Ada, who teaches in our public schools.

The school commissioner desires to meet every school officer of Lenawee County during the next few weeks, and to that end has arranged the following spring series of officers meetings: Saturday March 7th, at Court House, Adrian. Saturday March 14th, at high school (west side) Hudson. Saturday March 21st, at high school, Addison. Saturday March 28th, at high school, Tecumseh. Saturday April 4th, at high school (east side) Blissfield. These meetings are planned for an interchange of ideas, and a free discussion on questions of paramount importance to the rural schools, and for the further improving and increasing their efficiency, and it is extremely desirable that every school officer in the county be present at one or more of these meetings and help make them as successful as the importance of the cause demands. Meetings will be called at 1:30 p. m., sun time. Yours truly, Edward Keeler.

Prof DeMotte tomorrow night.

Have you seen McCann Bros. Easter ties?

We are prepared to print township election tickets on short notice.

Prof. DeMotte will have for his subject tomorrow night, Electricity. The Roentgen ray will have careful attention at his hands.

David VanTyne met with the misfortune to slip down and break his hip, last Monday. Owing to Mr. VanTyne's advanced age this is a serious accident.

At the democratic caucus held in the council room last Saturday, the following officers were placed in nomination: Supervisor, Alfred James; clerk, C. F. Field; treasurer, Frank Bryan; justice of the peace(full term), Chas Burridge; highway commissioner, Horatio Keyser; drain commissioner, Frank Davidson; member board of review, A. Richard; constables, Mike Gillen, J. H. Aten, H. H. Keyser, Albert Hyde, Jr.; township school inspector, E. C. Andrus.

New Features This Season.

Coats—Square shoulders, shorter full length, plain finish, and a fly front for business cutaways or for four-button sacks.

Vests—A fly for single-breasted fronts and a wider opening for evening dress.

Trousers—Narrower legs and less spring.
J. M. JONES,
Leading Merchant Tailor.

—Harris & Hiteshu are showing a beautiful line of dress goods this spring.

—It will save your dollars to see my stock of crockery, lamps, etc., and get prices. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—STANDARD DICTIONARY.—

Comparative treatment of words by the Standard and International dictionaries. The figures are the square inches occupied by a word in the above order: Craniometry, 75, 9-32; steamship, 78, 38; coin, 300, 3; American, 69, 1; spectrum, 223, 9; measure, 317, 14; weight, 186, 9; oil, 188, 14; man, 154, 16; apple, 84, 12. Or, the Standard is from 7 to 266 times greater. V. K. VanDeVenter, Agent, Dundee, Mich.

—Finest quality, choicest assortment, and lowest prices, is my motto.
GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—VERY CHEAP FEED.—

For this week only I will make the following special offers on mill feed. Farmers, now is the time to buy:

Middlings, per ton,	$13 00
Corn and oats, ground, per ton	14 00
Bran, per ton,	13 00
Corn meal, per ton,	14 00

CHAS. H. HECK,
Tecumseh Steam Mill.

—Harris & Hiteshu will save you money on your curtains carpets and rugs.

—Why do I lead in merchant tailoring? Because my goods are bought from the best house in Chicago and my workmanship is unequaled by my competitors.
J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—My china is of the finest selected brands, fully guaranteed, and prices to suit the times. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—Anyone desiring a spring Overcoat will find it at J. M. Jones'.

—The new Spring styles will meet the wants of all customers and classes. Call and post yourself on the fashions for the Spring season of '96.
J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—See my fine selected stock of crockery, glassware, lamps, etc.
GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—Feed grinding done every day at the Steam Mill.

—Come and sit for your photos at Teeple's. He is getting caught up with his work and you won't have to wait long.

—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—If you want a nobby pair of pants go to J. M. Jones.

—Get ready for spring work by ordering your harness now, and get the best dressing of C. A. Slayton.

—First class wheat and oat straw, No. 1 timothy hay, also dry wood; all at bottom prices, delivered anywhere in the corporation. Leave your orders with Art Gove, Art Harding or R. C. Knapp, proprietor.

—Please call and get my extremely low prices on new spring garments of all kinds and qualities. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Are you thinking of buying a bicycle? Remember I can save you money, if you will let me. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—For Corduroy and other fancy vestings call on J. M. Jones.

—I have eight grades of shingles and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—The best selected line of Spring and Summer woolens ever offered for sale in Tecumseh is now ready for your inspection. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

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Armour's Star Dried Beef.

The Perfection of Beef

Delicately Flavored, Mild Cure and costs you no more than the dry and salty article usually sold.

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Good Goods,
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Great Variety,
And Low Prices,

are bringing me the largest trade I ever had, yet remember there is always room for one more, so

GIVE ME A CALL.

J. M. JONES,
LEADING MERCHANT TAILOR.

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Cash Sale Continues.

Get some of the Bargains before it is too late.

If we have trusted you now is the time to return the accommodation and show your friendship by paying us the cash at once.

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Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

BLEW OUT THE GAS.

David McKelver and William Hunt Asphyxiated in a Michigan Hotel.

Marquette, March 23.—David McKelver and William Hunt were asphyxiated by gas at the Bay View hotel Saturday night. It is believed that they blew out the gas. Both men were laborers of middle age and unmarried. Hunt at one time is said to have admitted that his name was assumed and that his real name was Hargraves. His motive in concealing his identity lay in the alleged fact of his flight from his home in Adlington, Lancashire, England, to avert threatened unpleasant consequences of a liaison with a young woman. His family connections there are said to be highly respectable, and he is said to have been the owner of an estate worth $50,000.

A POET GONE.

Death in Cass County of Benjamin Hathaway.

Kalamazoo, March 22. — Benjamin Hathaway, the aged Cass county poet, died Saturday at his home near Marcellus. Besides the local reputation of his poetry, he had obtained considerable fame as a horticulturist, and stood godfather for a number of new varieties of apples. When he was a little boy he planted a chestnut on the old homestead, where he had lived all his life. About two weeks ago he had the tree cut down, and a portion of it made into a handsome casket. In this he was buried.

FARMER M'MAHON'S LUCK.

His Brother Dies in Australia, Leaving an Estate of $50,000,000.

Moshervine, March 24.—John McMahon, farmer living near this place, has received a letter from his brother Timothy, recently died in Australia, leaving $50,000,000 to his brothers, John and Michael, and to his sister, who resides near Hanover. The McMahons are now in straited circumstances. John left Ireland 60 years ago, and nothing was heard from him till news of his death came.

Coming Events.

The state G. A. R. encampment will be held in Saginaw March 31, April 1 and April 2.

At Ionia, April 1, 2 and 3, will be held the state convention of the Y. P. S. C. E.

The prohibition state convention will be held at Lansing April 15 and 16.

The democratic state convention will be held at Detroit April 29.

At Detroit, May 7, will be held the republican state convention.

Aged Couple on a Honeymoon.

Lansing, March 21.—Among the guests at a hotel here are E. W. Dodge and wife, of San Francisco. They are on their honeymoon. The groom is about 70 years old and the bride about 50, and colored. He is very proud of his dusky wife, whom he introduces to every one he meets. Dodge says he has been married seven times, and thinks he has found at last a wife who can outlive him.

Rev. Colton Dead.

Hudson, Mich., March 23.—Rev. T. G. Colton died Saturday morning from the effects of a paralytic stroke. He had been ill three months. He was 75 years old and a distinguished Congregational divine. He graduated from Yale in 1844 with high honors. He had occupied important pulpits in the New England states, Wisconsin and Michigan. He was a fine classical scholar.

Rival Seating Company.

Grand Rapids, March 19.—The Union Seating company has been organized as a rival of the United States Seating company and will have offices in Chicago. Those in the combination are the Grand Rapids, the Globe of Northville and the School Seating company at Cleveland, Piqua, O., and Manitowoc, Wis. The capital is $100,000.

Wealthy Widow Weds.

Saginaw, March 19. — Mrs. Martha Hay, widow of James Hay, the millionaire lumberman, and herself the wealthiest woman in northern Michigan, was married Wednesday evening to Eben R. Ayers, late of Saginaw, but now of New York.

RIOT IN HOLLAND.

Mob of Angry Men Turns Loose and Rescues a Prisoner.

Holland, March 23.—About midnight Saturday night a crowd of over 100 men, composed of some of the best citizens of this city, caught Frank Sloter, a young man about 20 years of age, tied him securely to an electric light pole on Main street, directly opposite the City hotel, and gave him a sound horsewhipping. Sloter was charged with being the correspondent of a sensational paper that had printed scurrilous items from this city.

Holland, March 24.—A riotous mob of men tried Monday night to rent the opera house for the purpose of holding an indignation meeting over the public horsewhipping of Frank Sloter Saturday night. As the hall was in use, the mob turned loose in Main street. Guns were fired and threats and wild speeches were made against the city officers. When things were getting hot Marshal Vaury attempted to arrest a man, and the crowd rallied to support the fellow. The marshal called on Alderman Lokker for help, and with Deputy Sheriff Keppel they succeeded in jailing the man after being struck several times with clubs, stones and fists.

The mob went to the jail and threatened to burn it or break it open unless the man was released. To save bloodshed City Treasurer Brusse made a speech to the members of the mob, promising to release the man if they would disperse. The mob would accept no promises, and the officers were finally compelled to release the prisoner. The man was hoisted on the shoulders of his friends and carried back uptown, where the mob still made night hideous. Excitement is at white heat and a lynching is threatened.

BUILDING BLOWN T S.

Terrific Explosion of Powder. Much Damage at Dowagiac.

Dowagiac, March 23.—The frame building containing the grocery store of Gates & Ritter was blown to atoms Sunday afternoon. The roof was thrown high in the air. Beshore's Floral Emporium, on one side, and Fangs' saloon, on the other, were slightly damaged. The plate glass in the building was hurled across the street. Many windows opposite were broken. The cause was the ignition in some unknown way of some powder on the ground floor. No one was injured. Damage not yet estimated.

Niles, March 24.—The explosion in the grocery store of Baits & Ritter at Dowagiac Sunday, which caused a loss of $5,000, is believed to have been the work of malicious persons, who used explosives. The firm had no knowledge of powder being stored in the building.

GRANTED A PARDON.

Gov. Rich Thinks John McDonald, a Life Prisoner, Is Innocent.

Lansing, March 24.—Gov. Rich has granted an unconditional pardon to John McDonald, who has served six years in the Marquette prison on a life sentence for murder. The governor's action is based on the unanimous recommendation of the pardon board and his own firm conviction that McDonald is innocent. McDonald was convicted at Marquette in 1890 of killing Mollie Beveridge in a shanty near Matchwood. Maggie Redpath, who was shot at the same time the Beveridge woman was killed, was not produced as a witness. She now makes affidavit that Duncan Beveridge did the killing after a quarrel with his wife, and that she received the second bullet intended for the murdered woman. Her story is believed.

Made an Assignment.

Grand Rapids, March 19.—Martin L. Sweet, one of the oldest business men of this city, has made a deed of assignment for the benefit of all his creditors. His liabilities are about $175,000 and the assets are largely in excess of that amount, but consist to a large extent of real estate not quickly converted into cash. His business comprised banking, lumber and grain dealing, manufacturing and farming. He is the owner of Sable's hotel.

A Youthful Composer.

Detroit, March 21.—Mabel Lemkie, the five-year-old daughter of Deputy County Clerk Felix A. Lemkie, has kept the family awake for some time by working out a musical idea on her elder sister's piano before breakfast. Several months ago her sister's music teacher heard the little girl playing over her composition and at once wrote the melody and declared it a charming and original two-step. The piece has been published.

Will Start a Big Nursery.

Benton Harbor, March 20.—A meeting of the leading fruit growers of this section was held at the city hall here at which a stock company was formed for the growing and selling of nursery stock on a large scale. It will have a capitalization of $50,000, and has already secured an option on 500 acres of land near the city, which it will convert into a mammoth nursery.

Blooded Horses Burned.

Saginaw, March 21.—A large barn in which E. E. Tallmadge had 18 valuables horses stabled was destroyed by fire Friday night, and all of the horses suffocated; also a high-priced Jersey cow. Among the horses burned were Pontoon (2:15), a half brother to Alix; June Monk (2:24), and several other good ones. Tallmadge's loss is $7,000, with $2,000 insurance.

Desecration of a Church.

Depere, March 24.—Unknown parties entered the M. E. church Sunday night and tore great rents in the carpet, damaged one of the upholstered pulpit chairs, tore bunches of leaves from the Bible, and soaked a lot of hymn books with kerosene. There is no clew to the perpetrators and no motive can be ascribed for the outrage.

Farmer Robbed of $150.

Holland, March 21.—An old farmer named Isaac Meeker, from New Richmond, five miles south of here, was assaulted and robbed Thursday night of $150. His face was badly bruised.

PEACHES WILL BE PLENTIFUL.

Michigan Growers Say Their Crop Will Break the Record.

Benton Harbor, March 23.—Investigation shows that the prospects for a large crop of peaches and small fruit trees throughout the Michigan fruit belt this season were never better. The trees have passed through the winter in perfect condition, the temperature at no time during the winter dropping lower than 10 degrees below zero. There have been no warm spells to start the buds, and a cold snap now would do no harm. Growers say that if peaches get through the month of April safely the crop will be the largest on record. Many new orchards will come into bearing this season and the peach acreage will probably be larger than ever before. The success of the fruit growers in securing more favorable freight rates to points east of Buffalo and Pittsburgh will make a material difference in their profits, as the eastern market will be the outlet for the surplus crop.

Grand Rapids, March 21.—The prospects for a heavy peach crop in western Michigan were never more favorable than this year. The trees have come through the winter in perfect condition, the weather having been steady and cold throughout and at no time severe. Unless late frosts injure the buds, the crop will be a record breaker.

STATE LEADS IN DIVORCES.

Wayne County Alone Averages One to Every Six Marriages.

Detroit, March 24.—Rev. J. M. Patterson preached in the Westminster Presbyterian church Sunday night on "Divorces." From 1867 to 1888, he said, Michigan had granted one divorce to every 12 marriages, but Wayne county had made a much more remarkable record. Chicago and San Francisco weren't in it with Detroit. From January 1 to March 18, the Wayne circuit court has granted 67 divorces, and the county clerk had issued 422 marriage licenses. This was an average of one divorce to six marriages. In San Francisco the average was one to seven, and in Cook county, one to 13, one to 1,428 in Norway, and one to 9,932 in Ireland. Mr. Patterson found that some of the reasons were prevalence of "free love" ideas, deception before marriage, hasty and clandestine marriages and the growing independence of women; but the supreme reasons, in his estimation, were the ease with which divorces could be secured, and the permission to marry after being divorced.

May Go to Grand Rapids.

Grand Ledge, March 25.—The executive committee of the State Fair association met the directors of the West Michigan association in this city to discuss the holding of the next state fair here. The state committee, in view of the success of the fair of last year, is anxious to return, the West Michigan society is willing, and the basis for the division of the profits was agreed upon. No conclusion was reached, however, as the state committee must submit to the general committee for ratification. It is believed to be certain that the state fair will move here.

Excellent Prospects for Fruit.

Grand Rapids, March 25.—The West Michigan Fruit Growers' association, made up of practical fruit growers in this part of the state, met Tuesday, and after comparing notes came to the conclusion that fruit prospects were never so bright as this year. In some localities peaches were damaged by frost, but these were exceptional and the damage was thought not sufficient to make much difference. Apples, cherries and plums were reported in perfect condition and the small fruits were protected by the heavy snow fall.

Boy Kills His Brother.

Niles, Mich., March 25.—Frank Gough, aged 15, son of John Gough, of Watervleit, was shot and instantly killed by a younger brother—Albert, who is 13 years of age. The parents were away at the time of the shooting, and it is supposed that the boys quarreled, when Albert shot his brother. Neighbors found the younger brother sweeping up the victims brains. Albert claims the shooting was an accident.

Perry Not Guilty of Fraud.

Detroit, March 24.—George W. Perry, of North Branch, has been on trial in the United States district court here the last four days, charged with using the mails to defraud a number of bicycle concerns in Chicago, New York, Boston, Buffalo and other cities. The jury was out only three-quarters of an hour, when it brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Judge Long's Pension Case.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—Chief Justice Fuller announced Monday that the pension case of Judge Long, which has once been argued, had been restored to the docket for argument before the full bench of the supreme court, and that it would be heard on the second Monday of the next term.

Joins Her Husband in Death.

Wixom, March 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Sibley were taken ill a few days ago. They believed they would die about the same time and be buried in the same grave. Shortly after the husband's demise the widow said she would join him soon. She died while the funeral services were going on.

Made a New Confession.

Lansing, March 25.—Errors on the part of the judge who presided at the trial which resulted in the conviction of William H. Thacher of poisoning his wife at Bensonia several years ago forced the supreme court Tuesday evening to grant him a new trial. He was given a life sentence.

Seven of a Family Die of Phthisis.

Niles, March 25.—Joshua L. Flynn died Tuesday of consumption. His death is the seventh of a family of nine, father, mother, three brothers and a sister having fallen victims of the terrible disease. Only two daughters are left.

FULL OF INTEREST.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

The Michigan product of lumber last year was 2,731,029,535 feet.

Charles Gilmore, aged 82, and Julia Zerland, 57, were married at Adrian.

Zedekiah Sager, of Bronson, worried by a lawsuit, committed suicide by shooting.

Manistee has a non-sectarian benevolent organization that is doing noble work among the poor.

The Ludington Basket company is to erect a new building 40x60 feet, two stories, sheathed with iron.

P. J. Devanny, a switchman in the St. Paul yards at Iron Mountain, fell from a box car and was fatally hurt.

Andrew Rigstad, aged 48, salesman for an installment company, hanged himself with a lace curtain in a shed at Houghton.

Prof. Calvin Thomas, of Michigan university, has accepted the position of professor of Germanic languages in Columbia college, New York.

The gross receipts of the post office at Detroit for the month of February were $51,988.96 against $44,975.60, an increase of $7,013.36 over the same period of last year.

Maj. E. F. Woodcock, of Niles, cashier of the Citizens' National bank, has announced his candidacy for the nomination of state treasurer on the republican ticket.

Among the pensioners who draw their money from the Detroit office is Daniel Smith, of Bridgeport, Saginaw county, who is 104 years old. He fought in the Mexican war.

New Health Resort.

Traverse City, March 20.—A syndicate of wealthy Indianapolis physicians has purchased 50 acres of resort property here, and will build a sanitarium and health resort. It is their plan to have it completed for use this summer.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

During the consideration in the senate on the 15th of a resolution to open the Uncompahgre reservation in Utah Secretary Hoke Smith was severely criticised, and Senator Vest said there was a disposition on the part of the administration not to treat the people of the west fairly, and if the president would hunt fewer ducks in North Carolina and silver democrats in Kentucky it would be better for the country....In the house the consideration of the resolutions censuring Mr Bayard for speeches delivered by him in England occupied the time, and several speeches were made for and against the resolutions.

The senate on the 18th passed the house bill for the construction of a breakwater at the entrance to Marquette (Mich.) harbor. Bills were favorably reported to admit New Mexico to statehood, and for a preliminary survey and estimate of cost for a ship canal from lower Lake Michigan to the Wabash river. A bill was introduced providing for a head tax of $10 on each immigrant coming to the United States in vessels not belonging to the United States. The Cuban question was discussed....In the house the resolutions to censure Ambassador Bayard were further discussed.

Senator Morgan presented a new phase of the Cuban question to the senate on the 20th by offering a resolution declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba and recognizing the insurgents as belligerents. The bill for the admission of Arizona as a state of the union was reported favorably, as was also a bill providing for the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people. The Cuban resolutions were further discussed....In the house a resolution was adopted by a vote of 180 to 71 censuring Thomas F. Bayard, ambassador to the court of St. James, for utterances delivered in an address to the Boston (England) grammar school and in an address before the Edinburgh (Scotland) Philosophical institution last fall. A bill was introduced to prevent the carrying of obscene literature and articles for indecent and immoral use from one state or territory to another. A resolution was adopted unseating Mr. Boatner, representative from the Fifth district of Louisiana, and declaring the seat vacant.

In the senate on the 23d, on motion of Mr. Sherman, the Cuban resolutions were recommitted to the conference committee. Mr. Mills (Tex.) offered a resolution directing the president to request Spain to allow Cuba to establish a local government, and in case of refusal that the United States take possession of and hold the same till the people of Cuba can organize a government....In the house a bill to modify the existing law regarding the punishment of crimes committed under federal jurisdiction was discussed, and an amendment, making treason punishable by death, was adopted.

DOMESTIC.

At Belleville, Tex., Clem Stawthon and Buck Chappelle (negroes) were hanged for murder.

Martin L. Sweet, a capitalist at Grand Rapids, Mich., failed for $2,000,000.

A fire destroyed the masonic temple and considerable other property at Providence, R. I., entailing a loss of $325,000.

Orders were sent out from Washington to seize all filibustering expeditions leaving the United States to aid the Cuban insurgents.

Sheriff Doggett and Constable Reed were shot and a train robber named Daniel McCole was killed in an attempt to hold up an express train near Tulare, Cal.

John Moes, a manufacturer at New Riegel, O., shot and fatally injured his divorced wife and her sister, Miss Katie Smith, and made his escape.

While insane from sickness Albert Kinchlow shot and fatally wounded his mother at Indianapolis and then killed himself.

As a result of a conference of the leading Cuban sympathizers in New York three steamers will be fitted out for Cuban shores laden with arms and ammunition for the insurgents.

The State bank at Bloomfield, Neb., went into the hands of a receiver.

The scheme of adding the latest weather forecasts to the regular postmarks on letters will be commenced by the post office department July 1.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 20th aggregated $975,883,801, against $943,098,042 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 2.4.

Mrs. Abigail Knapp Holman, the wife of ex-Representative William S. Holman, of Indiana, died suddenly in Washington.

One of the worst snowstorms of the season prevailed in western New York, the snow in many places being two feet deep on the level and drifts were enormous.

North Port, a small mining town in Washington, near the Canadian boundary, was wiped out by fire.

Gus Elzy (colored) shot and probably fatally wounded his wife at Peoria, Ill., and then shot and killed himself. Domestic trouble was the cause.

Reports to New York commercial agencies show that the business outlook throughout the country was not encouraging.

At Forest City, Pa., Frank Creagle fatally shot his wife, from whom he was separated, and then killed himself.

John Holzinger shot and killed his aged mother-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Miller, and fatally wounded his young wife in Milwaukee. Family trouble was the cause. The murderer was arrested.

Ballington Booth has changed the name of his new salvation army to "The Volunteers."

There were 261 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 20th, against 300 the week previous and 278 in the corresponding period of 1895.

Fire in the Atlantic oil refinery at Pittsburgh, Pa., caused a loss of over $100,000.

Elijah Rutter and John White, of Brice, O., quarreled over the former's wife and both were fatally injured.

Julia Bird, an aged squaw, her daughter, Charlotte Bird, an infant daughter of Charlotte Bird and O. Biquette, an Indian, were burned to death near Bayfield, Wis., during a drunken carousal

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John Hartman killed his wife and committed suicide at Omaha, Neb. No cause was known.

James Ford and Harry Somers were painting a church steeple at Grand, O. T., when a thunderstorm came up and they were killed by lightning.

There were ten cases of suicide in Chicago during the week ended on the 21st.

It was said that 50,000 persons were suffering in Chicago because of the strike in the clothing manufacturing trade.

The First national bank at Mitchell, S. D., which closed its doors about a month ago, has resumed business.

Alexander McDonald, a fire boss, and Willie Davis, a trapper, aged 16, were killed by a fire damp explosion in the mines near West Newton, Pa.

A fire nearly wiped out the business portion of Berrien Springs, Mich.

Bertha McConnell, aged 20, fatally shot Harry Thompson at a hotel in Lancaster, Pa., because he had deceived her, and then shot herself fatally.

The president issued an order extending the civil service to practically the entire Indian service.

The Central Vermont railroad was put into the hands of receivers.

The barks Havana and Robert S. Patterson, of Philadelphia, were lost with their crews, numbering 30 men.

At Nashville, Tenn., Al Ewing and Archie Clark broke all tandem bicycle records, goin a half-mile in 1:03½.

A fire in the smelting department of the copper works of the Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing company at Natrona, Pa., caused a loss of $200,000.

By the explosion of gas at the Berwind-White shaft in the eastern limits of Dubois, Pa., 13 miners were killed.

By the burning of their home near Charleston, W. Va., William Coxey, wife and child lost their lives.

Isaac Pizer (colored) was captured and lynched by a mob near Shreveport, La., for offering violence to two white girls.

Fire in the Thackera Manufacturing company building in Philadelphia caused a loss of $400,000.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 23d was: Wheat, 61,348,000 bushels; corn, 15,852,000 bushels; oats, 8,164,000 bushels; rye, 1,578,000 bushels; barley, 1,236,000 bushels.

A violent earthquake shock was felt at Machias, Me. Houses trembled, dishes and windows rattled and clocks were stopped.

The supreme court of the United States decided that witnesses must testify in interstate commerce cases, or go to jail for contempt of court.

Kingsland & Douglas, manufacturers of agricultural implements in St. Louis, failed for $100,000.

James McCoy shot and killed his brother Henry at their home near Noblesville, Ind., and then killed himself. No cause was known for the deed.

W. S. Ide, a capitalist at Columbus, O., failed for $170,000.

At Martin's Ferry, O., Henry Floto, bakery; William Mann, foundry, and Thomas Mears, box and barrel factory, assigned with liabilities aggregating $500,000.

The Joliet (Ill.) branch of the Consolidated Steel and Wire company suffered a loss of $150,000 by fire, throwing 500 men out of work.

Patrick W. Snowhook, a well-known attorney and supposed millionaire, made an assignment in Chicago with liabilities of $350,000.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The Kansas populists met at Hutchinson and elected as delegates-at-large to the national convention ex-Gov. Lewelling, John W. Breidenthal, W. A. Harris and Frank Doster. The platform denounces trusts, demands that power be taken from the president and secretary of the treasury to issue bonds, maintains that all money should be issued by the government, and favors free-coinage of silver at sixteen to one.

Maryland republicans will meet in Baltimore April 22 for the selection of two presidential electors and four delegates-at-large to the St. Louis convention.

The Eleventh congressional district republicans of Texas nominated C. G. Brewster, of Laredo, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Congressman Crain.

In the Fifteenth Missouri district the republicans renominated Charles G. Burton for congress.

Silver republicans held a conference in Washington to discuss plans for a campaign. They favor Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, for president.

Republican congressional nominations were made in the following Indiana districts: First, J. A. Hemenway, renominated; Second, A. W. Hardy, renominated; Fourth, M. R. Suizer, and Twelfth, J. D. Leighty, renominated.

Joseph Young, a colored man known to be upward of 100 years old, died at Belleville, Ill.

The Fifth annual convention of the American Republican College league will be held in Chicago on April 3.

Rhode Island republicans will select national delegates April 10 at Providence.

Rev. Dr. Montgomery Schuyler, dean of Christ church cathedral in St. Louis for 42 years, died in the 83d year of his age.

Gen. Neal Dow, the father of prohibition, celebrated his 92d birthday at his home in Portland, Me.

Thus far 294 of the delegates to the national republican convention have been elected and the preferences show the following result: McKinley, 161; Allison, 32; Morton, 28; Reed, 28; Quay, 14; unknown, 31.

Twenty-two out of the 26 republican national delegates selected in Indiana favor McKinley for president.

Mrs. Elizabeth Paulson, of Center township, Ia., died at the age of 104 years.

Mrs. Mary Ann Mosely died in Columbia, Mo., at the age of 111 years.

Mrs. Mary Harlan, mother of ex-Senator James Harlan, of Iowa, celebrated her 100th birthday at her home near Rockville, Ind.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Blackburn died at her home in Fond du Lac, Wis., at the age of 100 years and 6 months.

Tilton E. Doolittle, for 20 years Connecticut's state's attorney, died suddenly of apoplexy at his home in New Haven.

Hugh McGovern, aged 100 years and 9 months, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa. He is survived by his third wife, aged 86.

William Q. Judge, president of the Theosophical society in America, died in New York.

Colorado republicans will hold their state convention in Pueblo on May 14 to select delegates at large to the national convention.

James Leach died at the home of his son in Chicago, aged 100 years.

Mrs. Jennie R. Kimball, of Philadelphia, the comic opera manager, died in a private car at the union depot in St. Paul of pneumonia, aged 45 years.

William H. Webster, chief civil service examiner, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Washington, aged 55 years.

Dr. Moses M. Royer, a retired physician in Chicago, made arrangements for his own funeral, and soon afterward died suddenly.

Edward Hopkins (colored), aged 103 years, died at Rome, N. Y.

FOREIGN.

Three great fires occurred at Lutzk, Russia, causing a loss of over $1,000,000.

General amnesty for the insurgents of the island of Crete, including common law offenders, was proclaimed by order of the sultan.

Cuban advices say that the insurgents had burned the villages of Cabanas, Nombre de Dios, Baja and San Cayetano.

A dispatch from Cairo says that the Khalifa has proclaimed holy war against Egypt, and has called all the dervishes capable of bearing arms to enroll under his banners.

Alexander McLachlan, the well-known Canadian poet, died at his home in Orangeville, aged 78 years.

It was announced that the battle fought a few days ago in Pinar del Rio, Cuba, which the dispatches described as a Spanish victory, was in reality a lamentable defeat for the forces of Gen. Weyler.

The British schooners Forest Bell and Zenith collided in the English channel and the Zenith was sunk and five of her crew were drowned.

Mr. Fitzmaurice, the British vice counsel, returned to Coustantinople from Urfa and reported that 8,000 people were massacred during the recent disturbances there.

Lord Salisbury in a reply to the memorial of the Peace society in favor of Anglo-American arbitration of the Venezuelan question said that negotiations for arbitration of the dispute had been opened with the United States.

Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown's School Days," "Tom Brown at Oxford," etc., and founder of the British settlement of Rugby, Tenn., died in London at the age of 73 years.

One-half of the business portion of Colon, Panama, was destroyed by fire, the loss being over $600,000.

The ferry steamer Pearl was wrecked in the Brisbane river in British Columbia and 37 persons lost their lives.

The steamship Warrimo, which arrived at Victoria, B. C., brought news of the destruction of Suva, the capital of Fiji, by a hurricane.

LATER.

The republicans of New York in state convention in New York city nominated Levi P. Morton as their candidate for the presidency on a platform indorsing the gold standard and a protective tariff with reciprocity. The delegates at large are Thomas C. Platt, Warner Miller, Chauncey M. Depew and Edward Lauterback.

Spanish troops fired upon each other by mistake near Esperanza, Cuba, and many lives were lost.

In portions of central New York the thermometer marked ten degrees below zero and the Hudson river for miles was again frozen over.

Fire that started in the wholesale coffee house of the Washburn-Halligan company in Davenport, Ia., caused a loss of $100,000.

Fire in the lumber yard of N. B. Holway in North La Crosse Wis., and the plant of the La Crosse Lumber company, caused a loss of $175,000.

Mrs. Charlotte Wille died at her home in Manitowoc, Wis., aged 105 years.

Leon & Le Blum, wholesale dry goods merchants at Galveston, Tex., made a general assignment with liabilities of $2,000,000.

In Missouri the republicans nominated R. E. Low's for congress in the Sixth district and renominated W. M. Treloar in the Ninth district.

J. F. Seiberling & Co., proprietors of the Empire mower and reaper works at Akron, O., failed for $250,000.

The republicans of Minnesota in convention at Minneapolis selected delegates to the national convention who favor McKinley for president. The platform renews pledges of devotion to protection and reciprocity and opposes the free coinage of silver under existing conditions.

Three robbers took $50,000 in bonds and money from Christopher Schrage, 79 years old, who lives alone in Chicago.

Washington, March 23.—In the senate yesterday a resolution was adopted requesting the president to transmit to the senate all dispatches, correspondence, etc., from November 5, 1875, to 1878, concerning the pacification of the then pending conflict in Cuba. Mr. Mills spoke in support of the Cuban resolutions. In the house bills were passed to rehabilitate ex-confederate army officers; to abolish the death penalty in certain military cases, and to make the sale of spirituous liquors under a false brand punishable by fine and imprisonment. The naval appropriation bill ($31,611,034) was reported.

Chicago Tribune, Traitor!

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Of all the newspapers published in this broad land the Chicago Tribune has distinguished itself, in holding to the utterly false idea that "gold has a fixed, unchangeable value." Without argument, but by abuse and mere assumption, it has reiterated this idea in a thousand different ways. According to its own definition of a monomaniac, it fits that paper to a nicety. What bimetallists demand is not silver monometallism or gold monometallism, but bimetallism. We demand the fair use of each metal as full legal tender money. There is nothing like this fair use of silver to destroy the abnormal fall in the value of silver, as now measured by gold.—National Bimetallist.

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Tired

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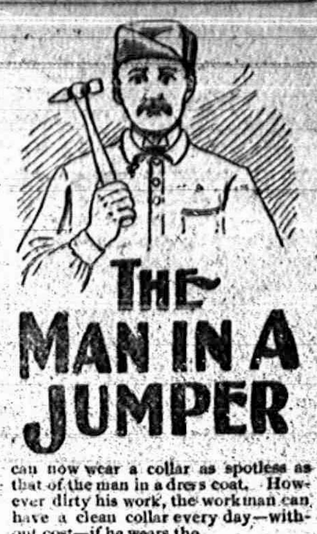

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

EAST BOUND.

*18	Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
*42	New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
*46	Detroit Express	3: 7 p. m.
*44	New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

*47	Pacific Express	12:11 a. m.
†49	Chicago Limited	4:31 a. m.
*41	Kansas City Express	8:46 a. m.
†1	Chicago Limited	3:45 p. m.
*43	St. Louis Express	5:30 p. m.

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Jackson Branch. In Effect May 19, 1895.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 349. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 28 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo.	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 336. Express.	No. 348. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 20 "

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In Effect Dec. 8, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Mixed.	No. 93 Pass	No. 91 Pass	Central time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 94 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	8 25
.....	12 12	7 25	Monteith	3 35	8 02
.....	1 14	8 08	Yorkville	2 56	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 58	6 58
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 10
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 31
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 30	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 28
12 01	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	*4 21
12 20	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 35	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	*3 57
1 00	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 52
1 11	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	*3 39
1 30	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 40
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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A. C. Fisk's New Book.

We have just received a copy of a unique volume, on the silver side of the money question, by Col. A. C. Fisk. Time has only permitted a hasty glance at it, but it appears to merit a careful reading. Colonel Fisk is an original thinker, a man of force, a clean and pungent writer. Anything which comes from his pen is almost certain to be good reading, both entertaining and instructive. We shall make it a point to examine it more carefully, and give it a more extended notice a week or two later.—National Bimetallist.

Send for "The Great Conspiracy." Read it. Then send it to some one you know who is not an advocate of silver. Write to-day National Bimetallic Union, 134 Monroe street, Chicago.

READY FOR ACTION.

Silver Party Will Now Absorb the Best Elements of Two Old Parties

A meeting of the executive committee of the American Bimetallic League was held at the rooms of the league, Sun building, Washington, D. C., January 21, 1896, at which, after some discussion pertaining to the union of the various silver organizations of the country under one head, and some further discussion as to recommendations to be made to the conference to be held on the 22d instant, it was resolved that the arrangements between the presidents of this league, the National Bimetallic Union and the National Executive Silver Committee, to unite these and other organizations under one head for more efficient work in the silver cause under the name of the "American Bimetallic Union," be and the same is hereby ratified and approved.

The officers of the united organizations are: Gen. A. J. Warner, president; Hon. R. C. Chambers, first vice-president; Hon. H. G. Miller, second vice-president; E. B. Light, general secretary; Elmer C. Warner, secretary for Washington, D. C.; Geo. P. Keeney, secretary for the Pacific coast; Thos. G. Merrill, general treasurer; Eugene Davis, treasurer for Washington, D. C.; Hon. Thos. J. Clunie, treasurer for the Pacific coast. Executive committee: A. J. Warner, Ohio; R. C. Chambers, Utah; Henry G. Miller, Illinois; J. B. Grant, Colorado; Joseph Battell, Vermont; Wm. M. Stewart, Nevada; Marion Butler, North Carolina; Thos. G. Merrill, Montana; Jas. M. Turner, Michigan.

Thus the "more perfect union," of the three principal bimetallic organizations of the country is consummated. That the "American Bimetallic Union" will be a potential factor in the great struggle for silver restoration goes without saying.

The organization as above set forth could scarcely be improved upon. Not only is the personel of its officers unexceptionable, but geographically and politically they are about as evenly divided as practicable.

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Will Soon Be on the Run.

The bold efforts of the gold press to belittle the Washington convention are highly indicative of the uneasiness in the money centers at the rapid growth of the American bimetallic sentiment that thrives on business failures and bond issues.

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Chas. B. Hood, broker and manufacturer's agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, proprietor St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. R. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 223 E. 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of croup, because it instantly relieves. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Elijah King, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said Elijah King, on east side of Manmee street, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 16th day of April, 1896, and on the 16th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 16th day of March A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, March 20, 1896.

JOHN S. KINNEY,
FREDERICK GAMBLE,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased by the Hon. Richard S. Robbins Judge of Probate in and for said county on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold a public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the hereinafter described land in the township of Macon, in said county on Thursday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of this sale,) all the right, title, and interest of said William P Emons deceased, in and to the following described lands and premises: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Being on the east half of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-four (34), town five (5) south of range five ( ) east, bounded as follows: Commencing at the quarter section line, the ice running west along the section line thirty six (36) rods, thence south along land owned by William B. Swick eighty-eight and 88-100 rods, thence east along William B. Swick's land thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter section line eighty-eight and 8+-100 rods to place of beginning; containing twenty acres of land, more or less.

Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BEAL,
Administrator of the Estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	13	15
Eggs per doz	9	10
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	30	35
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 40
Salt common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		13
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 85 to	
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs	5 00	6 10
Veal dressed, per lb	7	8 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	10 to 12½	12
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		63
Corn, shelled		30 to 33
Corn in ear		18 to 2
Oats		29 to 33
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00	to 14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		12 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw		$3 00

THE MARKETS.

	New York, March 25.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 00	@	4 50
Sheep	3 50	@	4 25
Hogs	4 40	@	4 65
FLOUR—Minnesota Pat'ts	3 00	@	3 60
Fancy	2 70	@	2 90
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	74¼	@	74½
May	69	@	70½
CORN—No. 2	37	@	37½
May	36¾	@	37
OATS—Western	25	@	26½
PORK—Mess	9 75	@	10 25
LARD—Rendered	5 40	@	5 45
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	12	@	22
EGGS	11¼	@	11½
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	4 65
Stockers and Feeders	2 75	@	3 80
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	3 85
Texas Steers	3 25	@	4 00
HOGS—Light	3 85	@	4 15
Rough Packing	3 75	@	3 80
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 85
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	13	@	21
Dairy	9	@	18
EGGS—Fresh	9½	@	10
POTATOES (per bu.)	15	@	20
PORK—Mess	8 87½	@	9 00
LARD—Steam	5 07½	@	5 10
FLOUR—Winter	3 10	@	3 60
Spring	2 40	@	3 75
GRAIN—Wheat, May	60½	@	63¾
Corn, No. 2	28½	@	28¾
Oats, No. 2	19	@	19½
Rye, No. 2	25½	@	25¾
Barley, Good to Fancy	29	@	35
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	$ 61	@	61¾
Corn, No. 3	27½	@	27¾
Oats, No. 2 White	19½	@	19¾
Rye, No. 1	34½	@	35
Barley, No. 2	32	@	32½
PORK—Mess	8 85	@	8 90
LARD	5 05	@	5 10
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	$ 68½	@	68¾
Corn, No. 2	29½	@	29¾
Oats, No. 2 White	22½	@	22¾
Rye, No. 2	37¾	@	38
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 90	@	4 40
Texas	2 75	@	4 00
HOGS	3 60	@	4 10
SHEEP	2 75	@	4 30
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 25	@	4 00
Cows	1 50	@	3 50
Feeders	2 75	@	3 05
HOGS	3 60	@	3 70
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 40

A telephone line is being laid in Iceland and it is proposed to connect the island with the Shetland Islands by means of a cable.

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Fancy Cheviot Suitings.
Plain Stripes and Plaids
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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

The Eleventh of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

A Journey to the Great Volcano.

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Of course, no visitor to the Hawaiian Islands fails to see the great volcano Kilauea. The journey to this volcano can now be made very comfortably. The Wilder Steamship Company runs a line of steamers from Honolulu to Hilo which there connect with a stage. This stage takes one to the Volcano House, about three miles from the crater.

On Dec. 10, I boarded the Kinua, a steamer of the Wilder line, for Hilo. The next morning we were at one of the ports on the northern part of the island called Wahumacoua, where there was a large sugar plantation for which our ship was bringing some heavy machinery As the vessel was anchored half a mile from shore, the transportation of that ponderous machinery to land was an interesting sight. Two of the boats were lowered and lashed together with ropes and heavy beams of timber. Then the great iron rollers and cylinders were let down by means of a steam derrick and placed on the two boats, which were then rowed ashore by the native sailors.

The water in this bay is so clear that we could see pebbles on the bottom at the depth of forty or fifty feet. Schools of fish, some weighing twenty to thirty pounds, could be seen swimming about the ship. The natives on board cast over hooks and caught one fine large fellow.

When the cargo for this port had been all taken ashore, we continued our voyage down the coast of the great island which, with its miles of stone fences and brown earth, seemed a barren waste. But as we proceeded the scene changed. Huts and mills in abundance, with green pastures, cane fields, and forests succeeded barren wastes. Then soon, as we steamed along the shore, the snow-capped peak of Mauna Kea arose before our vision, in strong contrast with the tropical sun and summer breeze that fanned our cheeks.

During the afternoon we passed the landing called Panilo, where Minister Stevens's daughter, an estimable young lady, was drowned. Miss Stevens had been visiting some friends at this place, and was taking the vessel for Honolulu when the boat which was conveying her to the ship was overturned by the surf and she was drowned in fifty feet of water. A native sailor afterward dived to the bottom and recovered her body.

We arrived at Hilo at about eight in the evening, and going ashore I was taken in a hack to the Hilo Hotel, kept by a Portugese named Joseph Vierra. From here to the Volcano House one goes over a fairly good road through the Puna district in a stage, which makes the trip every other day.

On the morning of December 14th we boarded the stage and left Hilo. In the suburbs we halted to pick up a Japanese woman who was going up the road, and at the bridge beyond Hilo we took a native man and an empty goods box on board Then the four horses on the stage swept down the road, through a lane with rich cane fields on either side.

After a few miles the cane fields disappeared, and we plunged into vast forests of ahia wood mingled with which wild coffee was growing. Occasionally we passed a narrow path leading into the dense jungle, and whenever one glanced down it, the shanty of a Japanese might have been seen snugly hidden away like a ground-bird's nest.

The stage carried the mail, and I was surprised at the manner in which this was distributed by the driver. At every path along the way he gave a blast on his stage horn, and threw off a letter or paper. Sometimes there was a post-box at the roadside, and as he whirled by, the stage driver deftly dropped into it the mail for the owner of the plantation.

One practise in Hawaii might teach a valuable lesson to the United States, and that is the employment of convict labor on public roads. Hawaii has some of the best and some of the worst roads in the world. Some of her broad turnpikes over the mountains are due to convicts working out their fines or years of penal servitude, which is certainly more profitable than hiring them out to a corporation. If a man violates the laws, it makes no difference whether he commits a misdemeanor or felony he must serve the spunky little republic by digging on the road.

At four o'clock the Volcano House, Mr. Peter Lee, proprietor was reached. One has all the evidences of the near proximity of a volcano on approaching the house. Steam was issuing from the seams in the lava-crusted earth along the roadside, and when we gained the higher ground we could see for miles about us. There were a thousand fissures in the earth from which hot steam and smoke were issuing, while far off to the west the smoke from the eternal fires of Kilauea gave it the appearance of Dore's paintings of Dante's Inferno. Below the Volcano House, not three hundred paces away, are vast sulphur banks from which issues vapor in continuous streams Mr. Lee, the proprietor has built a bath house, and conveys the sulphur vapor to it, the healing properties of which he declares are unequaled.

The Volcano House is a large, commodious country inn, with accomodations equal to such places in the United States. It is a great pleasure resort, and patronized extensively by invalids. Although it could seem that one could almost stand on its porch and throw a stone into the crater, it is three miles away.

My guide whose name was Albert, was a strange mixture of nationalities. He was born in Japan, his mother was a native of the Gilbert Islands, and his father a Frenchman. He had been reared in California and was only temporarily in Hawaii. Tho' a very intelligent fellow, he was unable to solve the problem of his nationality. I tried to, but soon gave it up.

Mounting my horse in the court in front of the house we began the descent. By a zigzag course we wound our way down the cliff into the first crater, which is over three miles across, our path sometimes leading along the side of the cliff, and the projecting rocks almost grazing our knees as we passed. We gained the second plain or great crater at last. This plain is covered with dark lava plains which in the distance looks like a congealed quagmire.

Once upon this plain we entered a path made across the lava. In places ferns were growing out from the seams in the crust. As we pressed on over the chasm-riven surface we came upon a wider, deeper crack spanned by a bridge. There is a story connected with this chasm, the guide said. One day a party of tourists left the Volcano House and went to see the crater, which was then active. While they were there the island was convulsed with an earthquake. Mr. Lee, fearing some harm had befallen his guests, ran to the lava flow to find this awful chasm from thirty to fifty feet deep. He was very much alarmed for his guests until he saw them coming across the lava flow. They had scarcely felt the earthquake at all, but they had to go about a mile above to cross the chasm.

Half a mile from the Lake of Fire, as the second crater is called, we came upon a small corral made of lava, in which we left the horses, and, armed, with stout sticks, proceeded over the plain of hard, glaring lava, through the seams of which sulphurous steam constantly hissed.

At last we gained the side of the lake. The crater was inactive, and had been so for a year [since Mr. Musick's visit, this volcano has been in eruption. According to the newspaper reports, the flow of lava began on January 5], but far down into its hollow depths the faint glow of fires or heated stones could be seen while the rumbling of subterranean thunders reached our ears. The fires were a thousand feet below us and almost hidden by dense clouds of sulphurous smoke. From the fissures of stone on the side, the quivering air bore evidences of heat. There the guide lighted his pipe by the fire of the volcano, and I thrust my walking staff a few inches into the apperture. Tho' the stick was green wood, in a few moments it was ablaze; the heat was so intense that one could not remain long at this place.

Going around to the north side we found great flow holes, where the lava was piled up in a thousand fantastical shapes. One of these cones looked like an elephant reared on its hind legs, the trunk and head being quite well formed.

When active, the volcano of Kilauea is one of the earth's greatest natural wonders. In the lake or second crater the lava is continually boiling in a furious manner, throwing up jets and fountains, sometimes to the height of seventy-five feet, dashing against the banks in fiery waves and throwing up clouds of molten spray, making one of the grandest, most awe-inspiring sights imaginable.

From the lake we went to the great sulphur cave. Tho' the thermometer stands at over one hundred in this cave we entered it, penetrating our way through the boiling, hissing steam. Stalactites of sulphur and alum hang like golden and silver icicles from the dome of the cavern. It was too hot to remain long, so we hastened out, mounted our horses, and returned to the Volcano House.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club held the closing meeting for the winter season a few evenings ago at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schreder. Attendance good. The literary program was nicely carried out in a gratifying way. The essay by Miss Ellen Fisher was particularly good, the title of which was "Shadows." The recitations by Ralph Gillespie and Margaret Schreder and the humorous article read by Mrs. G. R. Schreder each came in well in their turn. Messrs. Bowen furnished excellent music and the recital of "Mr. Pickwick's Dilemma," by the young people was equal to the rest of the program.

As this was to be a social evening in every particular, the usual discussion gave place to a box supper, carried out on the leap year plan. As soon as the program was over the ladies were anxious to purchase the boxes, supposed to have been prepared by the gentlemen, and feast on the contents. It is hardly necessary to say that the boxes were filled to the covers with the dainties of the season, or that the ladies enjoyed the privilege of sampling some one else's cooking, but we can not help sympathizing with the owners of the boxes that failed to find purchasers, owing to the scarcity of ladies.

The club will not assemble for a regular meeting again until May. The place of meeting to be at Mr. John Fisher's residence. Date of meeting and program given later.

E. L. GROUP MEETING.

Held at the M. E. Church Wednesday, April 1.

The members of the Epworth League have every reason to be satisfied with their meeting here Wednesday. About 200 visiting delegates were entertained from Adrian, Albion, Clinton, Manchester, Weston, Blissfield, Deerfield, Ridgeway, Clayton, Macon and Tipton.

The Auditorium of the church was neatly decorated with the league colors, red and white. Each delegate wore a white badge with the letters E. L. printed thereon in red. Dinner and supper were served in the church parlors, and taken as a whole the group meeting may be justly called a success.

The morning session was opened by music followed by prayer by Rev. C. M. Brown. B. C. Day welcomed the delegates and was responded to by Rev. H Cansfield, of Ridgeway. Next came greetings from the other young peoples' societies of the city and the song "Throw Out the Life Line," preceded the first paper entitled, "Devotional Work," by Ella Norris, which was taken up in a strong and progressive manner.

Miss Bertha Taylor's paper "Importance of Literary Work" found ready support.

Miss Mary Eaton, president of the home league read a "History of the League," telling of its growth and making some very pertinent suggestions as to how its influence may be more effectually felt. This paper completed the forenoon meeting.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

After a song service, Rev. B. S. Hudson conducted devotional exercises. Carl Varner rendered the "Burial of Moses" in a pleasing manner. A chorus of 45 members of the Junior League sang "When Jesus Came to Bethlehem."

Miss Edna McClue, superintendent of the Junior League, read an excellent paper entitled "The Little Wheel."

Miss Grace Simmons gave a recitation, following which Raymond Gould read a paper on "Sin: Its Results and Remedy."

Rev. E. B. Bancroft, of Adrian, next addressed the meeting on "The Value of the Bible." It was an able literary and historical effort which could have interested its auditors for double the time taken.

Miss Emily Stephens, of the Deerfield League, then read a paper, "Spiritual Department," which was justly appreciated by all, showing careful, earnest thought and painstaking preparation. Do all the good you can, in all the ways you can, and to all the people you can. Give your hearts to your work. Make our church a power in the land, but love every church that has the salvation of the soul as its purpose.

After music by C. W. Back, daughter and son, of Blissfield, Presiding Elder Davis of Detroit, made a few well chosen remarks, encouraging the work already done and the meeting adjourned with a song.

EVENING SESSION.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. G. E. Williams, of the Friend's church, after which the M. E. quartette rendered a song in a fine manner. Ex-president B. C. Day repeated his paper by request. The Epworth League Has Its Origin in Divine Power. The world is a unit, we stand or fall together.

Miss Grace Parmenter, of Blissfield, gave a fine recitation, "Over the Line."

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, of Clinton, addressed the meeting on the "Elements of Character, Faith, Hope and Charity." Have faith in yourself, in men, in truth, in God, but have an honest, sensible faith. Hope is akin to faith, but greatness is in Charity.

Consecration service was conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner. Elder Davis and B. L. Baxter made brief addresses to the league, and after the song, "When the Roll is Called up Yonder I'll be There," Rev. C. M. Brown pronounced the benediction.

Announcement.

At the request of several of my old clients and friends, I have concluded, while my health is what it now is and has been for some years past, except a brief illness in March last, to offer my services to the public as counselor at law and solicitor in chancery. Criminal and commercial law I will not practice, nor any other branch of law where I cannot fix and control my own time; but if any of my friends should desire my counsel in these matters in connection with W. J. Ingersoll, attorney, who will attend to the detail of the business, it will be at their service.

Tecumseh, April 2, 1896.

B. L. BAXTER.

Our Forests.

Labor Commissioner Morse will this year make an investigation of the amount of forest remaining in Michigan. Supervisors will be asked to inquire into the amount, in acres, of timber in their townships at the time of taking the assessment. Michigan was formerly famous for its timber—both in quantity and quality. Now our pine is nearly all gone and enormous inroads have been made on our hardwood forests. Many people ascribe the climatic changes in our seasons to the removal of the forests. The investigation is most important, and every person should be interested in assisting to make it accurate.

River men at Pittsburgh fear a flood as a result of heavy snows in Western Pennsylvania.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C. March 27, '96.

Silver men in Congress express themselves as being delighted with the latest financial phase of the campaign for the republican Presidential nomination. When the Ohio platform was put out they were alarmed over the prospect of another straddle by the national convention, but the declaration of the New York convention for gold, which it is understood is to be followed by all the eastern states, has caused them to believe that the St. Louis convention will take a decided stand one way or the other, and that is what they say they want to see. As the St. Louis convention will be the first one held its financial plank will be very important to the other conventions, if it isn't a straddle.

There are tricks in parliamentary tactics as well as in other trades, and the Senators who have been filibustering to prevent a vote on the Cuban resolutions fell into one when they allowed the resolutions to be sent back to conference. They might, if so disposed, have staved off a vote for the rest of the session by tiring the Senate out with talk every time an attempt was made to get a vote. But when the resolutions were sent back to conference their power was gone. The conference had only to agree to the original Senate resolutions and to get that agreement ratified by the House to end the matter so far as Congress is concerned.

Senator Platt was doubtless engaging in a little bluff when he offered that resolution providing for the adjournment of Congress on May 2, but it has been clear for some time that the leaders on both the republican and democratic sides had made up their minds that the appropriation bills would be about all the legislation accomplished at this session and were working to bring about adjournment as early as possible. The administration is also anxious for an early adjournment. That the people want legislation doesn't count with any of them, it seems.

Senator Davis, of Minn., has had to stand considerable joking from his colleagues this week, because of the sudden ending of his Presidential boom. He has taken it good naturedly. His personal friends knew of his intention to withdraw several weeks ago.

Things in school appear uproarously funny which would not raise even a smile from the scholars elsewhere. Congress is in that respect a school, the only difference being that the scholars are all grown-up and the teacher has no power to punish those who are refractory. Senators Peffer and Chandler had a little controversy over the item in an appropriation bill which provides for barbers for the Senators, which excited shouts of laughter. Senator Chandler said Senator Peffer was independent of barbers, but that most of his colleagues were not. The barbers were not stricken out. The boys in the House end also had their fun, Amos Cummings playing the role of fun-maker-in-chief. Mr. Cummings took the bill providing a penalty for selling liquor under a false brand as a text. He said he favored the bill not as a protection to the government revenue, but because of his experience in buying "for a sick friend" a bottle of a well known brand of brandy. Instead of being what he had bought it for the compound in the bottle turned out to be a mixture of wood alcohol, whisky and strychnine, which his sick friend's doctor said would kill at forty rods. He was opposed to selling such stuff, and the House agreed with him and passed the bill.

"Much ado about nothing" just fits the debate in the House which preceded the passage of the bill, already passed by the Senate, repealing the law which forbids ex-Confederates holding commissions in the U. S. army. There was only one opponent of the bill—Representative Boutelle, of Maine,—but he can talk a lot when he gets started, and it takes very little to start him.

The total amount carried by the Naval Appropriation bill, which was this week reported to the House, reaches the goodly sum of $31,611,034. Still there are people who believe that this country will never engage in another war.

Sub-committees have been appointed by the House and Senate Pacific Railroads committees, for the purpose of trying to agree upon one bill to be reported to both House and Senate for the settlement of the debts due the government from those roads.

Gen. Thomas Lincoln Casey, U. S. A., retired, who died suddenly Wednesday afternoon, left a reputation such as few engineers, especially those in the public service, have attained. Among the notable public works of which he had charge were the Washington monument, the State, War, and Navy Department building, and the new National Library building, now almost completed. It is said of him that he never in any work done under his supervision exceeded his advance estimates of the cost. Although on the retired list, Gen. Casey was by special act of Congress drawing the full pay and allowances of a brigadier general in active service, in return for his services as superintendent of the Library building.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

Clinton Column.

Easter Dinner—Silver Ticket—Democrats Not in It—Vacation Items.

Dr. J. E. White went to Blissfield Thursday.

Mrs. Howard Hause was a Britton visitor Monday.

Miss Alice McAdam visited in Adrian over Sunday.

Capt. C. R. Miller, of Adrian, was in town Friday.

Wm. Waterhouse, jr., runs a new Stearns wheel.

Jno. Butterfield has returned home to Whitmore Lake.

Henry Fox, of Dowagiac, is visiting relatives in town.

Jas. Rogers and family moved to Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Woodward, of Hudson, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. George Miller, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

Miss Sadie Taylor returned from Adrian last Saturday.

Miss Maggie Ebbitt visited Saline friends, Wednesday.

Miss Alice Halladay came home from Albion last Saturday.

Master Willie De Muth is enjoying a new Hartford bicycle.

L. W. Kimball and Geo. Freese were Detroit visitors Monday.

Chas. Parker, of Hillsdale, was in town the first of the week.

Do you like meat pie? Come and get a piece Wednesday, April 8.

Claude Lane and Miss Stella Lems were married last Thursday.

Miss Harriet Hunter, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. L. W. Kimball.

Tate & Stoner shipped a car load of hogs to Buffalo last Saturday.

J. L. Kishpaugh moved his household goods to Britton last Tuesday.

A. J. Kishpaugh and wife returned Saturday from their Dundee visit.

Cadets Kies and Rogers have returned from Orchard Lake for the vacation.

A good, warm dinner, and plenty of it, for only 15c, Wednesday, April 8.

Mrs. S. W. Dimuth visited friends in Tipton the latter part of last week.

Frank Parker has been home from Albion college during the past week.

O. E. Wadsworth and family will occupy the rooms vacated by Jas. Rogers.

Miss Lulu Wiltse has been visiting friends in Ann Arbor for the past week.

Clarence Lankton is moving into J. L. Kishpaugh's house on Locust street.

Foreman Van Huffel, of the Clinton Plow Works, has returned to South Bend.

Mrs. J. D. Shull, of Tecumseh, spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. E. Tate.

Miss Ada Stanclift is spending her vacation with her mother and sisters in Toledo.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, has been spending a few days with Mrs. J. S. Kies.

O. P. Safford, of Flint, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. J. L. Tuttle, the first of the week.

Misses Nellie and Grace Whittlesey went to Ypsilanti Tuesday for a few day's visit.

Frank Anglemeyer and bride have moved into his house, recently vacated by Chas. Gray.

Don't forget the Easter dinner, April 8, at Mrs. E. R. Smith's. A good dinner for 15c.

Mrs. Charlotte Silvers, who has been quite seriously ill for the past few days, is gaining slowly.

Miss Minnie McAdam, a teacher in the Manchester schools, is spending her vacation at home.

The ladies of the Baptist church hold an Easter social Saturday evening, April 4, at the church.

Miss Jennie Goodrich, of Deerfield, is visiting her cousins, Mrs. W. H. Katner and Mrs. E. C. Breese.

Miss Edith Amspoker, of Manchester, has been the guest of Mrs. John Amspoker since Tuesday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox went to Adrian last Monday. He expects to visit Ann Arbor during his vacation.

Miss Myrta Gallup, of Jackson, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Rentschler, the first of the week.

Elmer Halladay and family arrived Saturday from Palmyra, N. Y. They expect to locate in Tecumseh.

Miss Ella Smith and Mrs. E. S. Tate attended Prof. DeMotte's lecture last Saturday night at Tecumseh.

Master Wallace Case, of Manchester, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh, a couple of days this week.

Sam Larzelere, who recently commenced house keeping in Clinton, commences work for S. F. Marsteller Monday.

The operatives of the woolen mill enjoyed a holiday last Monday while the company was making their spring invoice.

Miss Laura Haggart, who is a teacher in the Buchanan schools, came Saturday to spend her vacation with her brother, Dave.

Services in St. John's church for Easter will be holy communion at 10:30 a. m. and children's service, with baptisms, at 12 o'clock.

Walter Almond, who has been the guest of Miss Mabel Blatchford for the past week, returned to his home in Mason last Monday.

We can suit you in furniture, any style at prices to suit the times.

WHEELER & SISSON,
Tecumseh.

From the amount of furniture brought here from Wheeler & Sisson's in Tecumseh we judge the firm must handle a very complete stock.

Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell, Mrs. Wm. Wood, the Misses Nellie Martin, Edith VanGieson, Gertrude Hogan, and Maud Taylor attended the "group" meeting at Tecumseh, Wednesday.

The lecture to have been delivered by J. DeWitt Miller last Tuesday evening was postponed on account of the orator's sickness. He will probably be secured to fulfil his engagement later.

Chas. Embler, last Monday, moved from the rooms over Smith, Richardson & Co.'s bank into his father's house. Chas. Fabrique moved into his own residence.

Only two tickets will be presented to the voters of Clinton township next Monday, a free silver ticket and a republican ticket. The democratic caucus was held Saturday and elected delegates to the county convention but decided to place no ticket in the field.

The republican caucus was held Monday evening and placed the following ticket in nomination:

Supervisor—George Lindsley.
Clerk—H. [illegible] Codling
Treas.—Hiram Saxon.
J. P. (full term)—H. B. Roberts.
J. P. (vacancy)—E. C. Smith.
R. of R. (2 years)—S. F. Marsteller.
R. of R. (1 year)—E. W. Freese.
Highway Com.—Andrew Murphy.
Drain Com.—Fred Allen.
School Inspector—H. H. Halladay.
Constable—Chas. Barnsdale, Fred Sheldon, Will Sherwood.

The advocates of the white metal met in caucus Monday afternoon, elected delegates and placed a free silver ticket in the field, as follows:

Sup.—W. B. Keyser.
Clerk—Addison St. John.
Treas.—S. K. Davis.
J. P. (full term)—John Fisher.
J. P. (vacancy)—W. C. Rogers.
R. of R. (2 years)—R. B. Gillespie.
R. of R. (1 year)—Ben Woodward.
Highway Com.—R. B. Mills.
Drain Com.—P. B. Suffin.
School Inspector—Carrie A. Alvard.
Constables—Martin Lancaster, Geo. Goodrich, Hugh McElroy, Clarence Mills.

An Honest Man's Story.

Greenvillage, Pa., Jan. 23, '96.

Dear Sir:—Thank God there is a medicine that will cure catarrh. Mr. Pretzinger, I used your sample box of catarrh cure which you sent me. The first night I used it it helped me. May God bless you for your kindness. I used the little box you sent me and about half of a 50 cent jar. They keep it in Chambersburg. I have told a great many people about your medicine. Hon. Squire Britton, brother-in-law to me, is using it; he says it is helping him very much; he has catarrh very bad. Mrs. G. D. Ludwig, daughter of me, is using your medicine. I use it in the evening before retiring to bed and am feeling better now than I have for the past five years. My head is clear and I have more energy for work and business. Before I used your medicine I felt many a time that I did not care whether I was living or dead; I had no energy; I did not care for anything. I had catarrh over sixty-seven years; mother had catarrh and it turned into consumption; she died in her sixty-fourth year. I have a farm up at Strasburg, seven miles from Greenvillage. On nice days I drive up to the farm and work. Mr. Pretzinger, I think it would pay you to have it put in all the Franklin county papers as I am a reliable, honest man, so the people say, middling well acquainted over the county.

Yours truly,
GEO. K. ZOLLINGER.

A small sample can be obtained by sending a 2c. stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio.

The Italian Government has refused an offer of a loan by London and Berlin bankers, the Italian bankers having offered to supply a loan at a day's notice.

An Editor,

Of Clarence, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, writes: "Since the agency of your Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin was established here I have been a user of what I can call 'that excellent medicine.' For a year or more I have been troubled with constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., and I find that this remedy is just what I have needed." Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

The "greater New York" bill passed the Senate at Albany Wednesday by a vote of 38 to 8.

A Great Opportunity.

We give away, absolutely free of cost, for a limited time only, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Chief Consulting Physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, a book of 1008 large pages, profusely illustrated, bound in strong paper covers, to any one sending 21 cents in one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only. Over 680,000 copies of this complete family Doctor Book already sold in cloth binding at regular price of $1.50. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. 1w

Four men were killed and one injured by the explosion of a locomotive on the Delaware, Susquehanna and Schuylkill railroad at Gum Run, Pa., Wednesday.

The beneficent influences of the newly out pine are condensed and refined in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds. 1w

J. Q. Abbott has been convicted at Columbus, O., of having accepted a bribe while a member of the State Senate.

It may save you time and money to be informed that, when you need a blood-purifier, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the kind most in favor with the medical profession. It is the standard and, as such, the only blood purifier admitted at the Chicago World's Fair. 1w

TOO MUCH WORK

For a Healthy Existence.—That's Why the Kidneys so often Fail

Nature has provided a certain amount of work for every organ of the human body; overtax them and disease eventually follows. There is not one portion of our organism that is so overworked as the kidneys; on them is placed the important function of filtering the blood of the impurities which naturally form in the regular action of life and digestion. The kidneys are consequently termed the sewerage of the system; clog up this sewer, and the blood becomes tainted with poisonous uric acid, which brings on disease in many forms. The back is the first to show this stoppage. From there comes the warning note; it should be heeded, and the kidneys receive prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills will right the action of the kidneys quickly, relieve the back of pains and aches, and cure all troubles of kidneys and bladder. Read the following:

Mr. Wm. Nelson is a well-known business man of Kalamazoo, he resides at 822 Portage Street, and his business is that of a grain buyer. He says:

"For five years I have suffered from an inability to urinate, which resulted from what was said to be a stoppage of the bladder. During these years I have taken mineral and electric baths and used other means in expectancy of getting better, but they all proved unavailing. Some months ago I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, which I had heard highly recommended, and I can now say that the flattering reports were not greater than they deserved. I got better right along, and I am free from any trouble now. I feel better than I have done for three years past. If Doan's Kidney Pills were well known all over they would do an immense amount of good."

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Stop suffering! Try Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

For A Complete Base Ball Schedule

Of all the games to be played by the National Base Ball League for season of 1896, apply to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. R'y, Cleveland, Ohio, enclosing two-cent postage stamp. This schedule contains the dates, names of contesting clubs, places for scoring total runs, hits, errors and pitchers names, together with tables of standing of clubs and averages for last season.

The rapidity with which croup develops calls for instant treatment; and yet few households are prepared for its visits. An admirable remedy for this disease is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It has saved hundreds of lives and should be in every home where there are young children. 1w

The amount of breadstuffs exported during last February was $13,017,409, an increase over February, 1895, of nearly 100 per cent.

People with hair that is continually falling out, or those that are bald, can stop the falling, and get a good growth of hair by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

Business failures in the United States during the last week were 300, against 266 for the corresponding week last year.

Pure blood is the safeguard of health. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla if you would always be well.

A runaway car on a steep grade caused a collision near Brazil, Ind., and several men were seriously and many painfully hurt.

The misery of years has been cured in a single night by the use of Doan's Ointment, a positive, never-failing remedy for itching piles and all similar diseases. Your dealer keeps it, or can get it for you. 1w

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The Astronomical Department of the Princeton University conveys the pleasing intelligence that Perrin's comet has slipped by and will not strike the earth this trip.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

After using Groff's Rheumatic Cure for some time in my practice I take great pleasure in saying that it is the most wonderful remedy for rheumatism; in fact, it is the only one I have found for the cure of this disease in all its various forms. DR. E. E. TULL, Chicago.

Two convicts were killed and another fatally hurt by a giant powder explosion in a mine in Walker county, Ga.

The Time For Building

Up the system is at this season. The cold weather has made unusual drains upon the vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and all the functions of the body suffer in consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve tonic.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with all who use them. All druggists. 25c. 1w

A Havana dispatch says the insurgents are again destroying plantations by the wholesale.

Symptoms of Catarrh.

Pain in the head, obstruction of the nose, frequent discharge of mucus from the nose, mucus often falling into the throat, nausea and vomiting on rising in the morning, raising particles of offensive matter from the throat, deafness, ringing in the ears, offensive breath the sense of smell impaired, and a wretched feeling generally about the head and throat, sometimes only one or two of these symptoms will be present, but their presence indicates Catarrh. By a timely use of Century Catarrh Cure you can be permanently cured. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. apr

RUINED BY A CONTRACT.

An Iron Founder Undertakes Something Outside of His Line.

The founder of the Vendome column in Paris met with financial ruin in his contract. The French government, when it decided to erect the notable column, entered into a contract with an iron founder, says the Philadelphia Record. He knew nothing whatever of modeling or casting in bronze. The government agreed to supply him with cannon captured from the Russians and Austrians during the campaign of 1805, in quantities sufficient to found the monument. The contractor, knowing nothing of the phenomena which the fusion of bronze offers, found when two-thirds of the column was completed that he had used up all his metal. Sufficient bronze had been given him to complete the monument, and he was responsible for the entire amount. Finding himself face to face with bankruptcy he melted up his scoriae and mixed the metal with cheap refuse which he purchased, and so completed the founding. The castings, however, were found to be so full of flaws that the work was stopped, and the founder ruined. The moldings of the different parts of the bas-relief were so badly executed that the chiselers who repaired the defects removed no less than 70 tons of bronze. They received for their labor £12,000, to which was added the 70 tons of bronze, which became their perquisites. The whole transaction was very, very French.

BROKEN WIRE.

How the Telegraph Operator Tells Where the Break Is Located.

Perhaps the greatest of all mysteries, to the uninitiated, about telegraphy is the fact that when a wire is broken or damaged the operator, sitting in his office, can tell exactly where the accident has occurred.

The explanation, however, is very simple. It requires force to send electricity through a wire, just as it does to pump water through a hose. The longer the wire is the greater is the force required. This force is measured; but, instead of calling it pounds, as in the measuring the pressure in a boiler, electricians call the units of electrical force "ohms."

Suppose a wire between two offices is 150 miles long, and that, on a stormy night, it gets broken somewhere. The telegraphist knows that when the wire was sound it takes just 2,000 ohms to send a current through, or 14 ohms per mile. He now finds that he can send a current with only 700 ohms. He divides 700 by 14, and finds that the break in the wire is 50 miles from his end.

When the wire is under the sea a curious thing happens. The electricity decomposes the sea salt, and a new salt is formed on the broken ends of the wire; and until that is cleared away by what is called a zinc current, acting for ten or twelve hours, no measurement can be made.

Nature Plaints of Negroes.

A writer in Progress Artistique, in discussing the music of south Africa, says the races living there possess to an astonishing degree the faculty of assimilation and imitation. They reproduce with surprising fidelity the songs of birds, cries of animals and the various sounds of nature. Child-people, they receive in their otherwise obtuse brains impressions of freshness and vivid intensity. Their long solitary wandering upon hills and prairies, united with fleeting association with foreigners, results in a species of melodic nature plaints, as one might imagine, a developed monkey music.

Pointed and Witty.

A lawyer residing in the north of England and noted for his laconic style of expression sent the following terse and witty note to a refractory client who would not succumb to his reiterated demands for the payment of his bill: "Sir, if you pay the inclosed you will oblige me. If you do not I shall oblige you."

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"I wish to tell of a wonderful cure effected by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Five years ago my little boy was suddenly seized with a severe lameness, apparently in his right knee, which some physicians said was rheumatism, while others said it was hip disease and that it was

Incurable

During the next winter and spring he became rapidly worse. We took Jimmie to a specialist, who said it was hip disease. At this time the affliction became so severe that we could not move him without causing screams of agony. He became reduced in weight to 30 pounds, and was but a shadow of his former self. We had about given up hope when we read of a cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla of a similar case. We resolved to try this medicine. Jimmie was decidedly improved after taking the first bottle. He was even

Better

after the second. We have since used over a dozen bottles of the medicine, and the change has exceeded our expectations. James is now able to walk without the aid of crutches and goes to school every day. He has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. O. RUNDELL, Oakley, Michigan.

Druggist C. C. Tubbs says he knows the Rundell boy has been wonderfully

Cured

by Hood's Sarsaparilla and that Mr. Rundell is thoroughly reliable. He has a good sale of Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, both of which are giving perfect satisfaction. He says Hood's Pills seem to be the coming family cathartic.

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GUIDE

Rochester, N. Y.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Results of the Caucuses—Peculiar Mail Service—Wheels Reappearing.

Libbie Walp spent Sunday in Macon.

All prints, 5 cents per yard at Lenardson Bros.

Mrs. Emma Hause is a guest of her parents this week.

Lowe & Brown have shipped several cars of hay this week.

All wool blankets and underwear at cost prices at Lenardson Bros.

Buy a pair of Lenardson Bros. $2.50 rubber boots. The are whales.

Mrs. Irve Hause, of Clinton, is spending a few days with Irv's parents.

Mrs. Rhinebone, of Addison, is the guest of Mr. Bannister this week.

Outing flannels and dress ginghams at 5 cents at Lenardson Bros.

Patent Medicines in profusion and of all descriptions at Lenardson Bros.

Rev. Deyo left for Ionia Monday to attend the Y. P. S. C. E convention.

Miss Lillie Hughes, of Tecumseh, assisted Mrs. Bannister Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Gertrude and Bertha Kniffen went last Wednesday and Thursday in Adrian.

Nettie and Blanche Bannister have been spending part of their vacation in Ridgeway.

Spring term of school opened last Monday with an increased attendance over last term.

Grandma Kniffen, who has been quite sick, has so far improved as to be able to be out again.

J. L. Kishpaugh spent Sunday in Clinton. He expects to return this week with his household effects.

Rev. Chas. Haynes, of Dundee, has been spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Curtis.

Everything must go regardless of cost. The Lee Bros. stock must be sold at once and at any sacrifice.

Mathew Yates is improving his premises on Main street by the addition of a substantial walk in front thereof.

John June, who has been nearly helpless from an attack of rheumatism, is improving, but is badly foundered.

We understand that Burt Nichols contemplates moving to Clinton in the near future. Sorry to lose you, Burt.

Mr. Blakeley, the groceryman, who will occupy the old bank building in the near future, was in town Saturday.

Such prices never before heard of as will be made to close out the Lee Bros. stock. Everything goes at your own figure.

Regular review of Hendershot Tent, No. O. T. M., next Tuesday evening, as the very important business to be considered.

Have you heard Ben Beasley's song of Grit yet? If not just "cut him in" for a few minutes and hear what he knows about it.

Lyman A. Curtis was unfortunate enough to lose ten dollars in gold Wednesday morning while on his way to the wash depot.

The Misses Orpha and Jennie Wilbraham, of Marshall, visited their Uncle W. Clark's family Thursday and Friday of last week.

Ben Beasley says every one who buys a Grit week's Grit will get a handsome poster card, Ben says its "O-K-J-W-W" right out of sight.

Robert Houseman, the hustling Page fence man, can be seen around town most any of these fine days. He reports business booming.

Fred Rupp went to Ann Arbor Friday and stayed over Sunday with his mother, who has been very sick but is slightly improved at present.

Wm. Connell is in receipt of a telegram from his son, Manuel, announcing the death of Glen, one of his twin boys. Manuel is living in Kensington, Ill.

Bedroom suits from $12.50 up. Dining chairs, center and extension tables to suit all. WHEELER & SISSON,
Tecumseh, Mich.

The new feed mill is nearing completion, the smoke stack was raised yesterday, and Mr. Osgood will be doing business at the old stand in a very few days.

John Britton and daughter, Mrs. Edgehman, are visiting M. D. Britton at St. Louis, Mich., this week. They expect to call on friends in St. Johns on their return.

Some very fine Grass Pike are being caught in the ditches on the prairie now and, a ten or fifteen pounder is no uncommon thing, while some larger ones have been taken.

John Van Valkenburg arrived in town Tuesday morning direct from Florida where he has been living for a number of years, John was surprised to find Mr. Britton had attained its present proportions.

Fred Taylor laid a double course of bagles across Sankran's ice house in two hours and forty minutes by the watch. He says he could have done it in a few minutes quicker but had to stop every little while and wait for the hammer to cool, as the heat from it was melting the ice badly. The length of the course was fully six feet.

Thursday of last week was a red letter day in our mail service. No mail reached the office until three twenty in the afternoon, at which time the Wabash mail was received. Our east bound mail on the Mackinaw was put off at Ridgeway, an attempt was made to forward it to us on an extra freight train, which only got as far as the west end of the G. R. yard and was then carried to Ridgeway, finally showing up about five p. m. on a hand car.

Some one administered a dose of poison to a very valuable dog belonging to Henry Taylor, and he died, the dog did. He was a good dog before this occurrence and a much better one since. Some dogs are improved by a trip over Jordon and he was one of them.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson, on Sunday morning, a son. All doing well. The many friends of the happy couple join in congratulations and if you want to see a wholesale smile, just get a square look at Grandpa Zeluff when the matter is mentioned in his presence.

The fine weather of the past few days has revived an interest in the wheel, and the boys may be seen overhauling their machines preparatory to a season's enjoyment. Some are placing orders with our home dealers, Haight & Co., for new bikes, and will come out on the latest improved, but the Herald correspondent will ride a machine similar to the one he rode last year, and year before.

Three strong tikets have been placed in the field here and much interest is manifested in the coming election:

REPUBLICAN.

Sup.—Samuel Kniffin.
Clerk—Willis Helm.
Treas.—Norman H. Ackley.
J. of P. (vacancy)—Robt. Houseman.
J. of P. (full term)—James Lane.
Highway Com.—Chas. Gove.
Drain Com.—Alonzo Palmer.
B. of R.—Chas. C. Smith.
School Inspector—Edward Palmer.
Constables—Ellis McIntyre, Harry Smith, Henry Clark, James Winsley.

DEMOCRATIC.

Sup.—Coonrad Lowe.
Clerk—Geo. L. Oliver.
Treas.—Darius Smith.
J. of P. (vacancy)—Ed. Smith.
J. of P. (full term)—John Schwab.
Highway Com.—Lewis Swick.
Drain Com.—Walter Exelby.
B. of R.—Geo. W. Smith.
School Inspector—Fred Wickwire.
Constables—Charles Cole, Wesley Exelby, Clarence Lowe, Frank Zeluff.

PROHIBITION.

Sup.—James Wright.
Clerk—Nellie Pocklington.
Treas.—Henry Curtiss.
J. of P. (vacancy)—Albert Kniffin.
J. of P. (full term)—Chas. Dibble.
Highway Com.—Darius Curtiss.
Drain Com.—Harry B. Wood.
B. of R.—John Pattison.
School Inspector—Lavern Lynn.
Constables—Richard Bragg, Eldridge Lowe, Frank Pocklington, Henry Pocklington.

HOLLOWAY.

A Grange Likely to be Established—Personal Notes.

Sam McClure, of Adrian, was in town Friday.

Jack Schuat shipped hogs from here Monday.

Miss Bertha Britton visited Miss C. E. Winship over Sunday.

The L. O. T. M. sugar social did not occur Saturday evening.

Frank Pattison, of Tecumseh, is here clipping horses. They look fine.

Several from this place attended the lecture at Tecumseh Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Comfort attended the wedding of Aaron Taylor at Detroit Friday.

Presiding Elder Bradfield is in town attending the Free Methodist quarterly meeting.

Holloway is going to be a Granger town. Twenty-one names were put down Tuesday evening.

You will have to have some new furniture this spring. We carry the largest stock in the country.

WHEELER & SISSON.
Tecumseh.

LAKE RIDGE.

Farmers at Work—School Social—Easter Concert.

Ed. Eastlick has gone to Toledo to look for a situation.

Master Earl Murphy is attending school in the Darling district.

Whooping cough is reported in the home of John Mooney, east of the Ridge.

Miss Minta Jackson, of Macon, visited Vina Montoyne last week and took in the social.

Fine weather, good roads, and the farmers are getting ready to put in spring crops.

Chas. Chester, who has been working for Thos. Murphy, has returned to his home in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Boyd, of Tecumseh, visited Thursday of last week at Thos. Murphy's.

The Sunday school will hold an Easter concert at the school house on the eve of April 5. Let there be a good attendance.

A good many of the young people on the Ridge attended the exhibition at Macon last week and report a good time.

Mrs. Lucy Lowry will move her family this week into the house of Prof. W. Phillips, Mr. Creedy having moved onto the Henry farm. We welcome them among us.

The social held last week was in every way a success, the program being well carried out. Receipts amounted to $9.50. We, in behalf of the school, return thanks to Mr. Eastlick for his assistance in acting as auctioneer.

Christian Science,

Coupled with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, to relieve the stomach and bowels, and aid digestion, will almost work miracles. Be sure you get Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin first, and then your faith in Christian science may be unlimited. Sold in 10c, 50c and $1 bottles, at Orr & Temple's. apr

RIDGEWAY.

Singing Class Concert—Delegates to County Convention.

March took a peaceful departure.

Township election next Monday.

Mrs. Theadore Allison is on the sick list.

Ada Dibble visited relatives here over Sunday.

D. W. Smith and Lawrence Rappleye were in Adrian Saturday.

T. H. Temple has been under the doctor's care since Saturday.

Emma Miller left for Detroit Tuesday which is to be her future home.

Mrs. Foster, of Toledo, spent Tuesday as the guest of Mrs. A. J. Sutton.

The book form of the Herald meets the hearty approval of all its readers here.

Mamie Fletcher spent Sunday in Tecumseh with her cousin, Miss Gertie Ford.

Agent H. J. Beedle moved Monday into the house vacated by Postmaster Barnes.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, is enjoying a part of his vacation with his parents.

Bertha Pilbeam, of Milan, visited her cousins, Loina and Blanche Wiggins, Friday and Saturday.

Glen Smith spent a part of last week at the home of his aunt, Mrs. David Coryell, at Newburgh.

Frank Davidson and wife celebrated their 34th marriage anniversary on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Jacob Arner is packing her household effects and will move to Detroit to make her home.

Mrs. L. V. Miller shipped her household goods to Detroit Monday, where she will make her future home.

School begins Monday for the spring term under the management of Prof. John Howell and Miss Gertie Marvin.

Floyd Smith and Marvin Pattison attended the leap year party at the home of Miss Mary Mills on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Arner visited with her nieces, Mrs. A. B. Smith and Mrs. A. E. Putnum, of Milan, from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Galaway, of North Adrian, were the guests of Mrs. C. M. Gove and family last week Thursday and Friday.

Miss Anna Osborn left for Chicago Monday to take a course of instructions at the Chicago Conservatory of Music under Prof. Sherwood.

When in Tecumseh call and see Wheeler & Sisson's new line of furniture. They will be glad to show you, whether you buy or not.

Elith Chase, of Tecumseh, will attend school here during the spring term and will make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Pocklington.

Quite a number of the mempers of the Epworth League attended the Epworth League Group meeting held in Tecumseh on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Allegan, came down with her mother, Mrs. Jacob Arner, to help her get her household effects reads for shipping.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell, of Owosso, arrived Saturday for an indefinate stay with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sisson.

It was through the kindness of a lady friend we were informed of the latest firm that had gone to the wall in Tecumseh—the paper hangers.

C. M. and Mrs. Gove attended the wedding of Mrs. Gove's sister, Mrs. Eliza Jay, to David Galaway, at North Adrian last week Wednesday.

Easter service next Sunday. The pastor will give an appropriate discourse in the morning and the Sabbath school have charge of the evening service.

The delegates selected by the two following parties to attend the county convention at Adrian are as follows: Democrat—Conrad L. Lowe, Darius Smith, Geo. L. Oliver, John P. Schwab, Chas. DuBois. Republican—Will Britton, Samuel Kniffin, I. N. Pilbeam, L. C. Hoagland, John Gibson, C. M. Gove.

The members of the singing class will give a concert in the auditorium of the church on Friday evening of next week, under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh. The proceeds will be applied on the expense of the last term and in getting up the concert, and, as this is a worthy cause, it is hoped there will be a large attendance. An admission of 10c will be charged to meet the necessary amount.

Those who failed to hear Prof. J. B. DeMott, the last number of the Tecumseh Star Course, in his lecture on "Electricity: Its Nature and Possibilities," at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, Saturday night, last week, missed a grand treat. Also his two addresses given at the Presbyterian church Sunday on "Social Purity" and "Character Building" were two superior addresses in which a deep impression was left upon each that must tell for good.

Did you ever stop to think what indigestion really means? It means simply that your stomach is tired. If our legs are tired, we ride. The horse and the steam engine do the work. Why not give your stomach a ride; that is, let something else do its work? Foods can be digested outside of the body. All plants contain digestive principles which will do this. The Shaker Digestive Cordial containes digestive principles and is a preparation designed to rest the stomach. The Shakers themselves have such unbounded confidence in it that they have placed 10 cent sample bottles on the market, and it is said that even so small a quantity proves beneficial in a vast majority of cases. All druggists keep it.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil. 1w

MACON.

Series of Meetings at the M. E. Church—Death of an Aged Resident.

Election next Monday a lively time is expected.

Sumner Collins was in town on legal business Monday.

Chester Gooding spent several days in Tecumseh last week with his sister.

The Maccabees held a maple sugar social at the old church Tuesday night.

Lester Sherman and George Houseman were in town this week in the interest of the Page Wire Fence Co.

Rev. David Lewis, of Tecumseh, will begin a series of meetings at the M. E. church Sunday evening April 5th.

A large number from here attended the "group" meeting of the Epworth League at Tecumseh last Wednesday.

Some of our teachers, who attended the recent examination in Adrian, report an unusually tough set of questions.

See our window shades with spring rollers. Complete for 25 cents.

WHEELER & SISSON,
Tecumseh.

Maurice Howell is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. He has been studying medicine in Detroit for some time past and will locate at Cone for the present.

On Monday night occurred the death of John Frost, an aged resident of Macon. He has long been a familiar figure on our streets, and though his three score years and ten have long since been numbered, his death comes with the shock which death always brings.

$1,000 in Prizes to be Distributed Absolutely Free.

Use the letters contained in the text: "Monon Seeds Grow," and form as many words as you can, using letters either backward or forward, but don't use any letter in same word more times than it appears in "Monon Seeds Grow." For example the words: see, on, none, weeds, etc. The person forming the greatest number of words, using the letters in the text, will receive one hundred dollars in cash. For the next largest list we will give $75 in cash, for next $25 cash, and for each of the next ten largest lists we will give $10 in gold. If you are good at word making you can secure a valuable prize, as The Monon Seed Co. intend giving many hundred special prizes to persons sending them lists containing over twenty-five words. Write your name on list of words (numbered) and enclose the same postpaid with 12 two-cent stamps for a combination package of Monon Seeds That grow, which includes 12 packets of the latest and most popular flowers of different varieties, also particulars and rules of distribution of prizes. This word contest will be carefully and conscientiously conducted, and is solely for the purpose of further introducing our seeds in new localities. You will receive the biggest value in flower seeds ever offered, and besides if you are able to make a good list of words and answer promptly you will stand an equal opportunity to secure a valuable prize. We intend spending a large amount of money in the distribution of prizes in this contest. We assure you that your trial order with us will be most gratifying. Write your name plainly and send list as early as possible.

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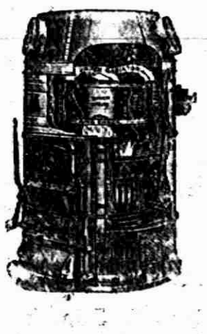

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 3, 1896.

AROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

A marriage license was granted Aaron G. Taylor of Tecumseh, over in Ann Arbor this week, the party of the other part being Abbie A. Wright of Ypsilanti. That's right.—Adrian Press. It was, but it isn't now.

They propose to raise the minister's salary at Hamburg tomorrow evening, by giving a concert. In other words they will sing for his salary.—Ann Arbor Courier. Well that's better than letting the minister whistle for it.

The people of Petersburg are rejoicing over the prospects of oil and a new electric road. The road between there and Toledo has been surveyed. Active operations have been commenced in drilling for oil near the town and considerable capital interested.

Ten Tecumseh soldier boys ran ten miles in 52:24, beating Comboy Smith, who ran the distance in 59:40. If they only could fight as well as they can run, we wouldn't be afraid to send them against Johnny Bull or the Spaniards. —Exchange. Running is part of it, friend. Don't you know we've got to catch 'em?

The Page Fence Giants' car which has been refitted during the winter, started for Chicago last Tuesday morning. The team is under the management of A. S. Parsons with Wilson, Miller and Holland as pitchers. Gradam is behind the plate. The team will play in various cities and return to Adrian on Decoration day to engage with a team from South Bend on May 30 and 31.

Blissfield must be on the pig according to the Advance: "The Sun editor is becoming reckless and is willing to bet a stick of gum, that no town twice the size of Petersburg, can produce their equal. It says 20 men in one block there weigh 4,391 pounds. We have boasted considerably about Blissfield being a great hog market, but this would look as though our record was in danger."

Prof. F. E. Wilcox was very much surprised Monday evening when a number of his friends dropped in on him. It was on account of his twenty-fourth birthday. He was the recipient of a number of presents among which was a picture of Clare Kimball's parrot. Those present report a pleasant evening.—Clinton Local. Was the professor an apt pupil or doesn't the parrot swear?

The Evening Telegram pertinently remarks: "An oft told story comes from the vicinity of Hudson: An advance agent of a lightning rod concern got Mr. Bushman to sign, as he supposed, a $15 agreement. When the lightning rod men came on, they brought enough stuff to protect everything, down to the pig pen. The agreement proved to be for $300. The deluded man settled for $40, after considerable bantering and warmer temperature about the collar.

The Kamera Club, consisting of twenty members, spent Tuesday evening very pleasantly at the home of Miss Alice Barnes. During the evening a picture of the club was taken by flashlight, and judging from the varied expressions of face there revealed, one might infer that a prayer meeting, a Pingree Banquet and a Fourth of July celebration were in progress at the same time.—Ypsilantian. Look pleasant. How do you like it yourselves?

"The stately, dignified movements of the drill were enhanced by the Grecian robes in which the girls were dressed."—Adrian Telegram. The above refers to the exhibition given by the Women's Physiculture Club, of Adrian college. The "Grecian robes" handed down to us in chisled marble, were such as to discourage the use of the cathode ray.—Monroe Democrat. That's a rather bare assertion.—Ann Arbor Courier. It is, however, the next thing to naked truth.

Get your drug store and presence of mind together for banana season is coming and the cat is as festive as ever. Chloroform and ammonia killed a centipede and saved a cat at Springfied the other day. The centipede dropped from a bunch of bananas upon the cat, and at once buried its poisonous fangs in the animal's legs. Its mistress, with rare presence of mind, dropped chloroform on the insect, which succumbed, and then she applied ammonia to the cat's leg.

Last week the People's church celebrated its third anniversary. This organization is without creed and each member has the right to his own opinions. It grew out of the unity movement some years ago, when its pastor, F. V. Hawley left the Baptist faith and has since built up this church.

We looked long and earnestly at the following from the Adrian Press before we concluded that the first gentleman's last name was spelled right, and then only because it would be pretty rough to call one fellow such names and let the other fellow go free: "Adam Pool of this city, and Ed. Agan of Wampler's Lake, last Monday walked from the lake to the city, a distance of 18 miles, in 3 hours and 55 minutes. For the very bad condition of the roads, on that day, this must be considered a most remarkable achievement, especially since neither had made any preparations, or been in practice for pedestrian feats, and on this occasion a bicycle would not have been "in it." If any one thinks he could discount the boys in this walk, they would like to hear from him."

The Manchester Enterprise tells this one: "Ham Kingsley had for a visitor at the electric light station last Sunday evening a large cat that belongs to Shultz the miller. Tommy had been alone all day and was glad to see some one around, so he followed Ham, about, purring and rubbing against him to show his pleasure. When the waterwheel was started in motion and the big dynamo belt began runing around the six-foot pulley on the horizontal shaft, it made a noise unfamiliar to Ham 's ear and he stooped over to make an examination; just then Tommy ran in front of him and the tip of his tail was caught in the big belt and with a whiz and a whir-r the cat made the circumferance of the pulley before he realized what had happened. There was a lot of cat music there for a while and Tommy's tail was the most prominent part of the cat. Ham, was convulsed with laughter as the cat scampered about more excited than hurt and he sa s he would have given a dollar to have someone there to help him laugh." We have known from childhood that Thomas cats were full of electricity and serenades but we never before heard of one trying to create his own moonlight or electrify a village with his "tale."

THE LAST.

And Perhaps Most Popular.

Despite the threatening weather last Saturday night, an unusually large audience gathered at the opera house to hear Prof. J. B. DeMotte in his great scientific lecture on electricity. This was the last entertainment on the Star Course, all of which have given the most complete and universal satisfaction, but, despite the interest and charm possessed by the entertainers of former nights the patrons of the course were waiting with eager interest the coming of the favorite of last year. Much was expected of Prof. DeMott and every anticipation was realized. Electricity, though possessing great fascination as an experimental study, is rather of an abstruse and unattractive topic for popular discussion. Yet in the hands of the lecturer assisted by his beautiful and original illustrations, the subtle fluid gave up its most hidden secrets in a manner at once patent and interesting to the most casual listener.

The mile stones of civilization were illustrated and marked as the improvements in methods of locomotion were made. The discourse was prospective as well as retrospective, and as this is the age of steam, so would the next century be the age of electricity. Of special and pertinent interest was the practical explanation of the Reontgen ray.

Prof. DeMotte is an earnest, christian gentleman interested in the uplifting of humanity. He is one of the foremost students of science in the world. In his public work he most happily brings the results of laborious research to the people in such a manner that they not only are valuable to them as so much scientific knowledge acquired, but that they may be used as a means of enlivening and bettering their character and condition. Prof. DeMotte has been with us a second time to meet with augmented favor and appreciation from the patrons of our course. Should he be secured for future engagements here, a most hearty welcome is assured.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 84 Mill St., South Gardener, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial Bottles Free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store. 4

A Havana dispatch says the insurgents are again destroying plantations by the wholesale.

A runaway car on a steep grade caused a collision near Brazil, Ind., and several men were seriously and many painfully hurt.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Misses Florence Winans, of Toledo, and Lottie Lane, of Adrian, visited B. L. Baxter Tuesday.

Miss Phoebe Wagner leaves Saturday for Napoleon, Ohio, for an extended visit with relatives.

You have no idea what you can buy in 5 and 10c goods at Montague's novelty store. Come and see.

Mrs. Lillie Bentley, of Eaton Rapids, has been visiting her brother Sam Helm and other friends here this week.

Invitations announce the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Updyke, on Monday evening next.

I have a very choice assortment of roses, lillies, and cut flowers for Easter. Call and examine. C. A. ROWLAND.

Mr. Elmer Halladay and family, of Palmyra, N. Y., have moved into the Whitenack house in the west end of town.

Mrs. L. F. Selfridge, who has been with her brother, B. L. Baxter, for the past few weeks, left for Jackson and Chicago last Monday.

Prof. J. B. DeMotte occupied the Presbyterian pulpit last Sunday, both morning and evening. He addressed a large audience at both services.

The Albuquerque (N. M.) Daily Citizen, of March 21st contains the following notice in which the name of a former Tecumseh boy plays a prominent part: "Tomorrow morning, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 418 south Arno street, on the Highlands, George C. Gainsley and Miss Lyda Wright will be joined in the bonds of happy wedlock, Rev. Foulks, of Highland Methodist church, officiating. Only the intimate friends of the contracting couple will witness the ceremony that binds these two young people together and starts them out on life's journey side by side."

The Presidential campaign upon which the country has already entered presents the most complex political situation which has been witnessed in the United States since the Civil War. The republican and democratic parties are shaken to their centers by clashing opinions upon the silver question. The populist party, and the possibility if not probability of a distinct free coinage party with a presidential ticket of its own, serve to increase the confusion and perplexity in which even intelligent and candid observers find themselves. It is at such a time that the reader of Public Opinion appreciates the value of a paper that gives him a fair, unbiased, well proportioned statement from week to week of the facts and of the drift of discussion. Public Opinion gives its readers a great deal more than this, but this is the thing for which it will be especially sought during the next eight months. Send a postal card to the Public Opinion Co., New York City, for sample copy and premium offers, or call at this office for information.

McClure's Magazine for November and December, 1895, and January and February, 1896, is out of print. Subscriptions can commence with March or subsequent numbers only. New subscribers who desire to have the Life of Lincoln complete, should begin their subscriptions with the March number and purchase the McClure's Early Life of Lincoln, which contains the first four Lincoln articles (Nov. to Feb.), with 50 per cent more pictures and a great deal of new matter.

At the Republican caucus held last Friday night the following ticket was put in nomination:

Supervisor—Thos. Elliott.
Clerk—R. S. Moore.
Treas.—G. W. Marsden.
J. P.—Chas. Bidwell.
Highway Com.—Chas. A. Matthews.
Drain Com.—Wm. Waldron.
B. of R.—H. C. Conkling.
School Inspector—F. J. Temple.
Constables—Levi Thompson, W. J. C. Hastings, John Thurlby, Lavern Heesen.

Last Monday night the prohibitionists held their caucus and nominated the following township ticket:

Supervisor—A. W. Slayton.
Clerk—J. G. Hanford.
Treas.—E. C. Williamson.
J. P.—G. W. Jackson.
Highway Com.—A. P. Coddington.
Drain Com.—Minor Davidson.
B. of R.—H. B. Eaton.
Constables—J. T. McKinney, John Linton, James Mark, Wm. Smith.

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Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold at Baker & Hall's drug store. 4

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Of all the games to be played by the National Base Ball League for season of 1896, apply to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. R'y, Cleveland, Ohio, enclosing two-cent postage stamp. This schedule contains the dates, names of contesting clubs, places for scoring total runs, hits, errors and pitchers names, together with tables of standing of clubs and averages for last season.

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THE FREEZE--WHITTELSEY CO.

There's a Cyclone in

town and the combination is broken. I will sell

Groceries

regardless of cost. I have not time to quote prices this week, but ask you to come in and get prices before you buy.

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SALE. A span of mares in good con- ion, suitable for light farming or to drive road. Mrs. V. A. Liddle, Macon, Mich.

SALE. One set 4-ton scales as good new. Also a quantity of gas pipe. For ies enquire at Globe Mills.

SALE. Three good milch cows all com- in this month. Can be seen at my farm on. Henry Nyland.

SALE—A fine bay driving mare, eight about 1200 pounds. GEO. L. OLIVER, Britton.

SALE—A pleasant home in the village Tecumseh, consisting of nearly 4 acres on ee Street, the late residence of Elijah Good buildings, an unfailing well of wa- good cistern, fine vineyard well stocked fruit. Also fine, well-rooted raspberry, erry and currant plants for sale. For par- rs address Box 68 or on the premises.

SALE—Farm of 139 acres within four iles of Tecumseh, Mich. Inquire of E. M. Tecumseh, Mich., or B. E. Bullock, Toledo,

SALE. Russian Oats for sale. Averaged year 80 bu per acre, from a sowing of 1½ s per acre. Oats on sale at C. A. Slayton's E. C. CORYELL.

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SALE—Or exchange, my place of six res, just outside of corporation on turn- town as Sam Holden place. Good build- water, etc. G. W. ELY.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 3, 1896.

AN EASTER POEM.

the balmy spring approaches,
its bullfrogs and cockroaches,
the festive P. H. man
is work in, if he can.
(Generally can.)

s awake each night and thinks,
his hair is curled in kinks.
ers how in thunder he
rii first can foxy be.
(A la J. J. F.)

eals some blanks—envelopes, too,
stern Union bilious hue,
grages Coxey in the scheme
Seddy takes his noonday dream.
(12:30 to 2:30.)

message carefully correct,
wer corner reads, "Collect."
armed the messenger departs
the victims of his arts.
(Black Art.)

nsect gets a pithy thing,
se vote for me.' 'Tis signed by Ping.
rse me not," the dom'nie cries.
on your life!" our Tim replies.
(In accents wild.)

se send a lock of whiskers red,"
the jolly "Doc" is said.
Susan B., of suffrage fame,
sts Old Hutch to change his name.
(To hers.)

Webster unto A. L. B.,
go's on you. Don't you see?"
dies twaingive one wild shriek,
chalky white and fall to speak;
(For 5 Minutes Only.)

d Pat's the only one that's keen,
on," says he, "dod blast your scheme."
twins are told "Freeze not the pipes,"
end a scalé to Grover's swipes;
(Olney & Carlisle.)

William Wallace, that "vile man,"
s out his stuff, most mild and bland.
le the Irish Giant wildly glares,
rom his native bog he hears.
(County Cork.)

good things can not always last,
thus did Coxey end his task;
le sundry citizens did swear,
gnash their teeth and tear their hair.
(Back hair.)

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

sit for Fulton.

Clarence Holdridge is moving into

Don't forget to register your name morrow.

Ben Ellis came up from Toledo to end Sunday.

C. F. Kirchgessner was in Detroit the t of the week.

For Sale—A first class Steinway piano . W. Frasier's.

Bicycle for sale cheap. See Mike ert, Tecumseh.

nother cut on prices at Anderson & closing out sale.

Henry Fox, of Dowagiac, was in town first of the week.

et prices at Montague's novelty e before you buy.

Trunks and valises with broken s at Anderson & Co.

Miss Minnie Corey is visiting Miss s Woodward at Chillicothe, O.

and Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse have d into the Dr. Stewart house.

Mrs. F. C. Avery, of Washington, D. the guest of her son, F. D. Avery.

A. Zimmerman has purchased S. he's interest in the handle factory.

your carpets and curtains before ock is closed out at Anderson &

Mr. E. C. Andrus was called to Con- yesterday morning but will return rrow.

Miss Grace Bryant will open a kin- rton Monday, April 6, at the Tin- house.

Miss Ella May Hathaway, of Ridge- isited her aunt, Mrs. Nelson Pal- last week.

Ladies and gents, call at Harris & shu's and get a pair of those lovely for Easter.

Samuel Stewart, of Raisin, was taken he Kilamazoo asylum last Monday Sheriff Wilson.

A very interesting program will be ried out on next Monday evening be- en the G. A. R. and W. R. C. at a social. All are cordially invited he G. A. R. hall that evening.

Editor Goodrich, of the Britton Citi- zen, was in town Wednesday.

Call at Jas. Montague's tomorrow and look at his bargain counter.

Miss Bessie Spayde will intertain a company of friends next Tuesday.

New spring dress goods, black and colored, all go at closing out prices at Anderson & Co.

The finest line of spring shoes we ever had the pleasure of looking at are on sale at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. Bettie Moody is now recovering from a serious illness and is able to per- form her accustomed duties.

Miss Abi Scott, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marquis, re- turned to Marshall this week.

Charles Rude, who has been spending the winter in Florida, is visiting his brother, Frank, here this week.

Those beautiful spring capes at Harris & Hiteshu's are going very fast, call and get your size before it is too late.

Dr. Jacklin, of Detroit, editor of the Michigan Christian Advocate will fill the M. E. pulpit morning and evening next Sunday.

Subjects at the Universalist church Easter Sunday, Apr. 5: Morning, "Our Resurrected Life." Evening, 7:30, "The Summum Bonum."

At one table at the M. E. church Wednesday evening were fourteen Albion college students. Quite a repre- sentation for this section.

Born, to Prof. and Mrs. H. E. Fink, on Wednesday, April 1st, an 8 pound girl. Very good for these times. Con- gratulations are in order.

Prof. H. E. Fink will deliver his lec- ture, which was postponed on account of bad weather, on Thursday evening, April 9, at Grange Hall, Macon.

Geo. Deke, son of Emory Deke, of Porter, Ind., who holds the position of yard master on the Lake Shore at that place, visited in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arsh, of Lambert- ville, are visiting Eugene Pattison on their wedding trip, having joined the ranks of matrimony last Tuesday.

Ministers meeting next Monday at 10 a. m. at the M. E. church. Rev. Williams, of Tipton, will read a paper. Subject, "What shall we preach?"

We have an overplus of No. 9 xx full gov. white envelopes, which we will print in lots of 250 for $1.00. This is a bargain for users of large envelopes.

Miss Mary Blessing is moving her dressmaking rooms from over Miss Hough's millinery store into the west side of the LeBaron residence on Chi- cago street.

Rev. C. A. Fulton, an old Tecumseh boy, now pastor of the First Baptist Church of Detroit will be glad to see his friends at the Baptist church Tues- day evening, April 14.

The Baptist church will be in read- iness for services next Sunday. Fine Easter music has been prepared. An Easter sermon will be given by the pas- tor. Free seats. Everyone will be made welcome.

Old chief Tecumseh's ghost was thought to be in the Mills' Block, Te- cumseh, the other day, buying a pair of tan shoes, thinking they were golden slippers. It was the price that brought him. "See?"

Bert Day, who has been with Ander- son & Co. for a number of years, started for Chicago yesterday morning, where he has secured a position. Bert has many friends here who wish him the best of success in his new home.

Tuesday evening, March 31, at the home of her father, A. D. Hall, occurred the marriage of Miss May to Reuben Warner, of Trenton, Rev. B. S. Hudson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Warner left Wednesday for their future home in Trenton.

Prof. Arthur W. Wright, of Yale University, who has lately conducted some remarkably successful experi- ments with the X rays, has written a paper for the April Forum entitled "The Cathode Ray.—Its Character and Effects."

Beers Post has made an arrangement to secure the popular entertainment consisting of an exhibition of oil paint- ings illustrating the famous Andrews raid of 62. The exhibition explained by W. J. Knight, engineer of the ex- pedition.

Mrs. Emma Vedder is now prepared to furnish home made bread and fried cakes delivered to her patrons on short notice. Orders may be left at Mrs. Freeman's millinery store or at her re- sidence, cor. of Kilbuck and Van Buren streets.

Easter services in St. Peter's church will be morning prayer at 6 a. m. Holy Communion at 7:00, children's service with Baptisms at 4 p. m., and evening prayer at 7:00. Flowers and plants for decorations may be sent to the church Saturday afternoon.

The Jackson Chapter O. E. S. will visit Tecumseh Chapter Wednesday evening April 8th, arriving here at 7 p. on special train. The worthy matron wishes a full attendance of members as the Worthy Grand Matron will also be here. Banquet served after work in- stead of before as announced.

The Rt. Hon. James Brice, M. P., author of that most popular and success- ful work, "The American Common- wealth," has written an article for the April Forum entitled "Two South Afri- can Constitutions"—an elaborate an- alysis of the system of government in the two South African Republics—the Transvaal and the Orange free State.

The readers of The Youth's Compan- ion have a liberal allowance of good things appropriate to the season, in the Easter number just received. Each week's issue has of late made a sur- prising display of excellence, and the Easter number is good enough to satisfy the paper's readers for a whole month. The calendar promises, however, that there will be four other issues during April.

Dr. Reed now drills teeth with a new Waverly.

Communion at the Universalist church next Sunday.

Dr. Gibson, of Adrian, was on our streets Wednesday.

Ina Waterman, of Adrian, is visiting at Arthur Harding's.

Our Cone correspondence arrived too late for publication.

Dell Finch is riding a new Cleveland purchased of Will Caldwell.

Mrs. L. W. Smith and son returned to their home, at Howell, Monday.

Ed. Bliven, of Blissfield, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Will. E. Sisson.

Mrs D. S. LeBaron, of Toledo, is the guest of Mrs. M. E. Corey this week.

Miss Anna and Charlie Williamson give a party this evening at their home.

Mrs. J. D. Shull and Miss Viola were the guests of Manchester friends yes- terday.

Rev. Blachford performed service at Christ's church in Adrian last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, Mich., are spending the Easter vaca- tion here.

E. E. Shoebottom, V. S., of New Balti- more, O., was shaking hands with Te- cumseh friends last Wednesday.

Miss Fronia M. Whitehead, of Benton Harbor, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown the fore part of the week.

Mrs. W. R. Wooden and daughter, Miss Dot, arrived from Battle Creek to- day to spend Easter Sunday at H. E. Stout's.

Miss Anna Cutting is attending State Christian Endeavor Association meet- ings at Ionia this week as a delegate from the society here.

Miss Anna Osborne left for Chicago Monday to take a course of instructions at the Chicago Conservatory of Music under Prof. Sherwood.

The Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association closed their doors last even- ing to give the entire force the oppor- tunity to attend the Baptist supper.

Tecumseh lodge No. 69, F. & A. M. holds a special meeting tonight for work in the third degree and next Tuesday night for work in the first.

J. F. Karner and sister Maggie went to Blissfield yesterday to visit their parents. John will return Saturday, Miss Karner remaining to spend Eas- ter.

Harry Moore, of Dundee, is the guest of his brother, R. S. Moore. Harry says it is good to be out even in this weather after being confined to the house for six weeks.

Mrs. H. Hanford is displaying a fine line of millinery novelties today and tomorrow. The weather is not very favorable to spring apparel but then it is bound to come.

The twentieth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, second district of Michigan, will be held at the Baptist church, Huron street, Ann Arbor, April 14-16, 1896.

About fifteen members of the K. P. lodge here joined as many brothers from Adrian last Monday night at Tip- ton and performed third degree work in that lodge. A fine banquet followed.

Garlinghouse Bros. have this week purchased a power clipping machine for clipping horses, which does the work quickly and more evenly than the old style clipper. They are prepared to clip horses on short notice and at moderate prices.

The fire bell rang with such vim this morning that the hammer flew out of it, but not until it had summoned the de- partment to Charlie Saul's house on Bid- well street. Fire caught from the kitchen chimney, but was controlled by neighbors. The wind was favorable to a big blaze had the fire got any head- way, as it could easily have communi- cated with the lumber yards adjoining.

At the executor's sale of the real estate of Wm. Pilbeam, the sale of the house and ten acres in this village, was ad- journed until Saturday, April 4, at 1 o'clock, at the office of Chas. Burridge. This property cost $2,300 four years ago, is well fenced, and will need no outlay for repairs in many years. It will be sold to the highest bidder. Someone will secure a bargain, for it is bound to go far below its real value.

Of all the accessories which were ever called into service as a means of fooling people on the first of April, the monopo- ly of the Western Union telegraph sys- tem was perhaps the most daring and effective. This was done here last Wed- nesday, and several recipients of tele- grams and even cable dispatches eagerly planked down a quarter and tore open the envelope to read some sweet message from the king of Ireland, Pingree, or Susan B. Anthony. But the dispatches were so intensely original as to give away the jolly joker, and revenge was swift even before fools day had slipped away. The alphabetical trickster was peacefully dreaming of telegraph sys- tems and the startled and easy marks of his cunning, when he was called from his downy couch to investigate an alarm of burglary turned in from his office. Now his wits were gone. The astute and gigantic intellect that had conceived and dared to execute a scheme so brilliant, forgot everything. For- got the time of night, the time of year, his poor victims, and barely dressing but heavily armed, rushed down street to see what villianous burglar could be striking matches in his office at eleven o'clock. It was an awful thing for any- body to do—to strike matches in one's office on April fool's day. It wasn't right, and the friends of the telegraph magnate thought so too. They had all been apprised of the burglary by tele- gram and were all there to assist their unfortunate brother. So he just left it in their hands. He had perfect confi- dence in their valor to defend his property. Didn't even stop to give them instructions or explain matters, but flew home and looked at the clock to see that April first had not yet ex- pired.

A card from Director A. A. Stanley states that the grand Thomas concert to be given in the University city has been postponed from Monday, April 6, to Tuesday, April 7.

Mrs. Anna Hicks and two children who have been visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. Horatio Keyser, on W. Chicago St., the past two days, returned to their home near Eaton Rapids today.

Rudy Meade seems to be preparing for the circus season. He turned his first combination cart wheel and somersault this morning, when he slipped off the hose wagon going around Shull's corner, eventually landing in the ditch.

In the April Magazine Number of The Outlook there will appear an article on William H. Prescott, by Kenyon West. It will be in commemoration of the cen- tenary of the great American historian, who was born May 4, 1796. The article will be enriched by numerous portraits and other illustrations contributed from the private collections of members of the Prescott family, who have been in- terested in Kenyon West's tribute to Prescott. Among these are Mr. Arthur Dexter, of Boston, the nephew of the historian; Mrs. Roger Wolcott's grand- daughter, who lives also in Boston; and Mr. Linzee Prescott, of Greenwich, Conn., who is the son of Prescott's eldest son.

—EASTER OPENING—

To the Ladies of Tecumseh and Vicinity: I cordially invite you to at- tend my Easter Opening on April 3 and 4. I have a splendid assortment of the latest designs and novelties in millinery goods, also fine pattern hats, at reason- able prices. MRS H. HANFORD.

—Harris & Hiteshu are showing a beautiful line of dress goods this spring.

—Never before in the history of Te- cumseh were such fine goods slaughtered as they are now doing at Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—It will save your dollars to see my stock of crockery, lamps, etc., and get prices. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—Finest quality, choicest assortment, and lowest prices, is my motto. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—STANDARD DICTIONARY—

Comparative treatment of words by the Standard and International diction- aries. The figures are the square inches occupied by a word in the above order: Craniometry, 75, 9-32; steamship, 78, 3 8; coin, 300, 3; American, 69, 1; spectrum, 223, 9; measure, 317, 14; weight, 186, 9; oil, 138 14; man, 154, 16; apple, 84, 12. Or, the Standard is from 7 to 266 times greater. V. K. VanDeVenter, Agent, Dundee, Mich.

—It seems too bad to see fine goods slaughtered as they are doing at the Mill's Block, Tecumseh. But failures will occur and the goods must go. Then the Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing As- sociation buys, see?

—Harris & Hiteshu will save you money on your curtains carpets and rugs.

—Why do I lead in merchant tailoring? Because my goods are bought from the best house in Chicago and my workman- ship is unequaled by my competitors. J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—Why, it will pay us to go to Tecum- seh, if we have to walk. Just see how they are selling goods at Mill's Block.

—My china is of the finest selected brands, fully guaranteed, and prices to suit the times. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—The new Spring styles will meet the wants of all customers and classes. Call and post yourself on the fashions for the Spring season of '96. J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—Where on earth do they get those goods to sell like they do at Mill's Block, Tecumseh, and all fine goods, too?

—See my fine selected stock of crock- ery, glassware, lamps, etc. GEORGE H. TANSLEY.

—Feed grinding done every day at the Steam Mill.

—Come and sit for your photos at Teeple's. He is getting caught up with his work and you won't have to wait long.

—Today make for Mill's Block, Te- cumseh.

—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Please call and get my extremely low prices on new spring garments of all kinds and qualities. J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—Hitch your horses and get for the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—I have eight grades of shingles and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—The great slaughter sale is in full blast. Never before were such prices known in Tecumseh. Eastern Bank- rupt Purchasing Association, Mills' Block, Tecumseh.

—The best selected line of Spring and Summer woolens ever offered for sale in Tecumseh is now ready for your in- spection. J. C. HAZLETT, Merchant Tailor.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in ma- chinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

Seed Time is Here.

And it is important that you should have Fresh and Reliable Seeds. Our supply of Garden Seeds is com- plete. We also keep Flower Seeds in Bulk. Call and get one of our Almanac and Seed Catalogues for 1896.

ANDERSON BROS. GROCERS.

Spring Suits.

Suits That Suit.

Our Suits Fit.
Our Suits Are Stylish.
Our Prices Are the Lowest.

Nobby Suits for Men.
Nobby Suits for Boys.
Nobby Suits for Children.

See Our Easter Ties.

ALVA SPAYDE.

WILL ALL OF OUR FRIENDS

who have not paid their bills please do so at once and help us to close our partnership.

We still have lots of

Crockery to Sell at Cut Prices.

And will sell you the Best Groceries at Right Prices.

Special Cut Prices on many lines of Goods.

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Bicycle Emporium

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Shove Tecumseh.

We have the Lu-mi-num, the bicy- cle with the largest frame known; also the "Envoy" and "Fleetwing," "Eagle" with Aluminum Rims, American King and Queen of Scorchers, "Westminester" and "Lakeside." We carry a complete line of Bicycle Sundries, including all the latest novelties. If you contemplate purchasing a Bicycle consult us and also consult your own interest for we are here today and in case of fire you can put your hand upon us tomorrow also. We can subserve your best interests in everything pertaining to the Sport- ing Goods Line including Shoot- ing, Fishing, Base Ball, Turf Goods and all Athletic and Gymnasium Goods. In addition to the above lines we carry a full stock of Hard- ware, Furnaces, Woodenware and solicit inquiries pertaining to house heating, plumbing, roofing, eave- troughing, steel siding and ceiling, or anything made to order from Tin, Copper or Sheet Iron.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

ENDS HIS LIFE.

Cleveland Commission Merchant Kills Himself in Detroit.

Detroit, March 30. — William E. Striebinger, a commission merchant, whose place of business is at No. 29 Euclid avenue, Cleveland, committed suicide Saturday night. He was found dead in a room in the Randolph hotel Sunday afternoon. He left a note addressed to his wife, in which he bade his family good-by, after stating that he had spent all his money in speculation. He poisoned himself by swallowing some powders, the remains of which were found by his bedside. Three pawn tickets and 75 cents were all of value that were found in his pockets.

Suits Against Michigan Roads.

Grand Rapids, March 27.—Foreclosure suits were begun in the United States court against the Detroit, Lansing & Northern, Lansing & Grand Rapids and Saginaw & Western railroads. The suit is begun by George W. Weld, et al., all Boston holders of the trust mortgages, and it is the first step in the radical reorganization of the Detroit, Lansing & Northern system, which has been contemplated for the last three years. The mortgage bonds against the Detroit, Lansing & Northern, on which the suits are based, aggregate $1,150,000, and those on branch roads bring the total up to about $2,225,000. The bill asks for the appointment of a receiver.

Arrays Wife Against Husband.

Kalamazoo, April 1.—Marcellus, the little village in Cass county which is run almost entirely by women, is greatly excited over the action of the school board, which is also composed of women, in removing Principal Schoelzam, of the Union school. The male portion of the population held an indignation meeting, at which the husbands of the offending trustees were present and took active part.

Will Accept Payment in Checks.

Bay City, Mich., April 1. — The strike at Wheeler & Co.'s big shipyard, in which 1,500 men were involved, is practically ended. Enough of the men returned to work Tuesday morning to start the works running, and the big institution is working about as usual. The men will accept checks instead of cash for wages and the company gains its point.

A Double Funeral.

Niles, March 27.—The funerals of "Aunt Betsy" Flynn and her nephew, J. L. Flynn, who died the same day, were held in St. Mary's Roman Catholic church Thursday. The priest's sermon was preached over the remains of both, and at Notre Dame cemetery the bodies were consigned side by side to their last resting place.

Ferries Will Run Again.

Menominee, March 24.—Official notification has been received at the Ann Arbor railroad office in this city that the Frankfort, Menominee & Gladstone car ferry route will be opened in a few days. The ice in the bay is getting rotten and there will be little or no trouble for boats to reach this port.

New Baseball League.

Jackson, March 28.—A new baseball league was organized here Friday evening, to be known as the interstate league, comprising Jackson, Saginaw and Port Huron, Mich., and Toledo, O., and Fort Wayne and Terre Haute, Ind. Leigh Lynch was elected president and the salary limit fixed at $800.

Live Stock Cremated.

Battle Creek, March 27.—The house and barn, together with nine head of horses, cows, sheep and hogs, owned by William Gorsline, of Pennfield, were burned Thursday morning. Loss, $3,000; small insurance.

Will Resume Work.

Negaunee, March 28.—The Buffalo mines, four in number, will resume work with partial forces April 1 and will begin working full forces May 1. The Barassa mine will resume April 1.

Arbor Day in Michigan.

Lansing, March 27.—Gov. Rich has designated Friday, May 1, as Arbor day, and has recommended that schools observe the day with special exercises.

VETERANS MEET.

State Encampment of the G. A. R. in Session at Saginaw.

Saginaw, April 1.—The grand army encampment department of Michigan convened here Tuesday morning. Department Commander Daboll's report showed that on January 1, 1896, the number of members in good standing was 16,766. Death removed 342 members from the rolls during the year 1895, and 4,253 were suspended for non-payment of dues. Six new posts were mustered in. Gen. Daboll recommended that the Sons of Veterans be admitted to membership in the posts as a means of perpetuating the order of the G. A. R. now obviously diminishing in number, owing to the inroads of old age.

The department is in good financial condition, having $1,800 in the treasury.

The Michigan department of the Woman's Relief corps met Tuesday afternoon. Department President Mrs. Emma E. Knapp's report showed that the membership of the department is 7,523, divided among 240 corps, 12 of which were admitted last year. The department is in good financial condition.

MICHIGAN PEDAGOGUES.

Topics Discussed at Session of the Schoolmasters' Club.

Ann Arbor, March 30.—The meeting of the Michigan Schoolmasters' club closed here Saturday. In the morning "History" was the topic of discussion, and it was decided that American history ought to be a required part of every high school course. A committee was appointed to consult teachers of history all over the state and make up a list of books to constitute a uniform library of history for the schools of the state. The afternoon session of the club was devoted to "The Teaching of English Grammar and Its Place in the Curriculum." All existing text-books in grammar were warmly condemned by Prof. Hinsdale, of the University of Michigan, and others. The club voted to recommend to the state association of school superintendents that a uniform time for the spring vacation be adopted. Over 200 educators have been present at this semiannual meeting of the club.

A JURIST GONE.

Death at Chicago of T. R. Sherwood, Ex-Chief Justice.

Kalamazoo, March 25. Lyman M. Gates, guardian for Judge T. R. Sherwood, received a telegram from Chicago Saturday evening announcing Judge Sherwood's death, which took place in the afternoon. About four years ago Judge Sherwood met with his daughters to Chicago to reside. About five years ago the judge was stricken with apoplexy, which was the beginning of the illness which terminated as stated above. The stroke was immediately followed by paralysis of the brain. Judge Sherwood went with his daughters to Chicago to reside. He had been a resident of Kalamazoo since 1852, with the exception of the last four years of his life. He was always prominent in political and judicial circles, and in 1883 upon a union ticket (democratic and national) was elected justice of the supreme court of the state. In 1888 and 1889 he served as chief justice, his term expiring December 31, 1889.

Want Plowman to Remain.

White Pigeon, March 31.—The feminine portion of this village is in a state of mutiny over the removal of J. G. Plowman, who has been at the head of the Union school for 23 years. The matter has been carried into the churches and has reached a point where one-half the population of the village almost refuses to speak to the other half. The male portion of the citizens are almost unanimous for his removal, believing that a younger man should fill the place.

Dr. North Found Guilty.

Jackson, Mich., April 1.—Dr. North, one of the most prominent physicians if this city, who has been on trial for the past week on the charge of having caused the death of Fannie Fox by performing an abortion, was Tuesday morning found guilty on the third count in the indictment, which charged him with having performed an abortion on the girl. The jury was out 15 hours. The case will be appealed.

Has No Officers.

Niles, March 28.—The village of New Buffalo is without any town officers. When the elections were held two weeks ago the citizens of the village were unaware of the new election law recently passed by the Michigan legislature and forgot to nominate officers and hold an election. The citizens are in a dilemma, having no president, no justices; in fact, no rulers whatever.

Fire at Coldwater.

Coldwater, March 31.—Pratt & Co.'s cutter factory caught fire from some unknown cause at 7:30 Monday evening. The building containing the offices, printing department, finishing and ware rooms was almost entirely destroyed. The total loss is estimated at $25,000, with $10,000 insurance. The company is an extensive manufacturer of bicycle rims.

Children Will Get the Estate.

Lansing, April 1.—The supreme court has, in a unanimous opinion, sustained the judgment of the Wayne circuit court, declaring invalid the will of Ferdinand C. H. Rivard, of Grosse Pointe, who died in 1892, leaving an estate valued at nearly $50,000. He practically disinherited five of his children.

Forestry Statistics.

Lansing, April 1. — Labor Commissioner Morse will this year make an investigation of the amount of forest remaining in Michigan. Supervisors will be asked to inquire into the amount, in acres, of timber in their township at the time of taking the assessment.

Prominent Michigan Lumberman Dead.

Montague, Mich., March 31.—George E. Dowling, aged 56 years, a wealthy banker, and one of the most prominent lumber kings, died here Monday morning of heart failure. Mr. Dowling was past grand master of Michigan masons.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Niles will have a running race meet this summer.

Daniel Smith, of Bridgeport, Saginaw county, is 104 years old.

Coldwater's public library has 30,000 volumes, a magnificent showing for a town of 3,000 or 4,000.

The school board of Menominee has adopted a rule prohibiting pupils from playing marbles on the streets.

The tug Miller, fishing off Grand Haven, is said to be making hauls of 1,500 to 1,800 pounds quite regularly.

A six-year-old girl named Bessie Sinfuk was struck and instantly killed by a Coopersville railroad yard switch engine.

Kalamazoo people are negotiating to have the route of the proposed Central Michigan railroad changed to touch that city.

Jackson has a General Welfare association which suggests that all citizens grade the strips of land between their walks and the streets and set out shade trees.

The military company recently mustered into the state service as Company F, Fifth regiment, at Iron Mountain, has been named the Truesdell Rifles in honor of the mayor of the town.

On complaint of Deputy Game Warden Brewster three Howard City men were tried for killing fish with dynamite. They were caught picking up the dead fish, but the deputy could not prove that they killed them and they were acquitted.

FIGHT OVER THE SPARROW CASE.

Michigan Insanity Commission Statute to Be Tested Thoroughly.

Lansing, March 28.—Miss Henrietta Sparrow, sister of E. W. Sparrow, the capitalist, was ordered removed to the Michigan asylum at Kalamazoo by Judge Cowles. A medical commission reported that she was suffering from paranoia and that the charges of cruelty made by the unfortunate woman against her brother and sisters were delusions. The case was appealed.

Lansing, March 30.—The sensational Sparrow insanity case has led to the raising of a question of the utmost importance and the supreme court will be asked for a decision in the matter. Miss Sparrow's attorneys claim the right to appeal to the circuit court and to a trial by jury, notwithstanding the fact that the medical commission provided by law has declared her insane. For this reason the probate judge has refused a demand for a commitment to an asylum and the supreme court will be petitioned for a mandamus to compel him to issue it. The claim is that these proceedings are held under a special act which provides for no appeal and that the general law providing that all decisions of the probate court may be appealed from is abrogated thereby.

STAND BY THE REGULARS.

Homeopathists Join the Boycott Against the Kalamazoo Hospital.

Kalamazoo, March 30. — The homeopathic physicians of this city have decided to stand by the staff of Borgess hospital, who resigned several days ago in a body. Saturday Dr. A. B. Cornell, homeopathist, was induced to take charge of a critical case for a day or two. After this, unless physicians can be imported, the institution will be boycotted completely. The doctors say they will either break the hospital or compel the removal of Rev. Frank O'Brien, of St. Augustine's Catholic church, who is blamed for the trouble. Bishop Foley is expected to reach the city in a few days to investigate the trouble.

FATE OF A HERO.

Young Man Saves a Lady's Life, But Is Himself Drowned.

Olivet, Mich., March 30.—A party of students were skating on Pine lake when the ice broke through. A. M. Finney, of Chicago, was drowned. Miss Alberta Chapman, of Port Huron, was taken from the water after floating nearly an hour fastened to a rail. A board was secured and pushed through the ice, but not before Finney went under in a heroic attempt to save Miss Chapman. Finney's body was soon after recovered.

Has Reached His Post.

Berlin, Germany, March 30. — Hon. Edwin F. Uhl, United States ambassador to Germany, with his family, arrived in Berlin Saturday afternoon, and was met at the Lehrte railway station by the entire staff of the embassy. The ambassador and his family were at once driven to the Hotel Kaiserhof. Mr. Uhl told a reporter that he and his wife had a splendid ocean passage, and that he was looking forward with keen interest to his sojourn in Berlin.

Robbed of $2,400.

Niles, March 28.—Masked thieves Thursday night entered the home of N. L. Sardam, aged 90 years, who lives near Paw Paw, and, after binding and gagging him and his son, ransacked the house, securing $2,400. The thieves left their victims helpless, in which condition they were found Friday morning by neighbors. Sardam was robbed several years ago in a similar manner.

Were Lovers Years Ago.

New Buffalo, March 26. — John L. Jones and Mrs. Melissa Brown were married near here. The groom is 90 and the bride 82. They were lovers 60 years ago, but circumstances intervened to prevent their marriage and they parted with vows to meet again in their old age. Both married, but death removed all barriers, and time at last brought them together in wedlock.

Masonic Home Will Close.

Grand Rapids, April 1.—The Masonic home will close April 15 from lack of funds for its maintenance. The inmates now number 40, and their friends have been requested to make other provisions for them.

TO LINK THREE TOWNS.

Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and Lansing to Be United by an Electric Road.

Chicago, Ill., March 28.—By a sale closed by Chicago officers of the General Electric company Thursday the longest electric railway in the world is assured. The sale was to a syndicate of capitalists in Battle Creek and Kalamazoo, Mich., and consisted of the electric street car line of Kalamazoo. The buyers already own the plants at Battle Creek and Lansing, Mich., and will connect the three towns. This will make a straightaway line of 75 miles. An additional spur three miles long will be built to Gull lake, the largest inland lake in Michigan and a popular summer resort. The company will equip the line in the most modern style known to the electric world and the General Electric company is already figuring on some of the appliances. The main points sought are to have it a high speed road and to this end a 65-pound "T" rail will be used. The line will be a strong competitor of the Michigan Central in the carrying of passengers, mails and light express.

The leading spirits in the enterprise are Maj. L. M. Downs, a capitalist of Battle Creek, and F. N. Rowley, cashier of the First national bank of Kalamazoo. Their associates are J. B. Wyckoff, L. M. Gates, J. W. Osborn, D. B. Merrill and E. E. Downs. Several of them are practical railroad men.

It is understood that all of the contracts for construction are to be placed in Chicago. The rails are to be furnished by the Illinois Steel company, the cars will probably be built by the Pullman or Wells-French company, and the General Electric company will submit figures on electrical supplies.

An electric line 20 miles long, running from Saginaw, Mich., to a suburb, has just been equipped by the General Electric company. A speed of 40 miles per hour is guaranteed.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

A resolution was introduced in the senate on the 25th for final adjournment May 2, and another prohibiting the United States or any state from giving any recognition or financial aid to any church or religious institution. Most of the day was spent on the legislative appropriation bill. ....The house took up the naval appropriation bill and when the adjournment was reached all the paragraphs had been passed save those relating to the increase of the navy.

A joint resolution was passed in the senate on the 26th for a commission to make a priliminary survey and estimate the cost of a ship canal from the lower shore of Lake Michigan to the Wabash river. A favorable report was made on the bill for the admission of Arizona as a state. The legislative appropriation bill was further considered....In the house the conferees on the Cuban resolution agreed to accept the senate resolution. The naval appropriation bill was passed and the sundry civil bill ($29,408,874) was reported.

The senate on the 27th passed the legislative appropriation bill. Aside from providing the usual appropriations the bill effects a reform of the system of compensation for United States district attorneys and marshals, salaries being substituted for fees. Adjourned to the 30th....In the house a bill was favorably reported extending the benefits of the pension laws to all the militia engaged in the civil war who served 90 days under the direct authority of the war department of the United States officers. Adjourned to the 30th.

In the United States senate on the 30th a bill was passed for the payment of $15,845 to the sufferers from the caisson explosion during the railway strike in Chicago and another appropriating $2,000,000 for a public building at Indianapolis, Ind. The nomination of Benjamin J. Franklin, of Arizona, to be governor of Arizona, was received from the president....The house took up the consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill and disposed of 15 of the 100 pages before adjournment.

DOMESTIC.

Reports from central and western Kansas, the wheat belt of the state, say the plant is in fine condition.

The curfew ordinance adopted by the Omaha (Neb.) city council was vetoed by the mayor.

Ahrens & Ott, extensive iron and brass manufacturers at Louisville, shut down for an indefinite period because of dull trade, throwing 600 men out of work.

Nikola Tesla, of New York, has added another to his wonderful discoveries in the possibilities of the electric current. He expects to be able to transmit news by electrical waves, and thinks by this means the inhabitants of this earth may ultimately communicate with those on Mars or any other planet.

At the opening of the new free bridge spanning the Monongahela river at Pittsburgh a young business man and the daughter of a local minister were married in the center of the new structure.

The Champaign county (Ill.) grand jury found an indictment against Gov. Altgeld and others comprising the board of trustees of the University of Illinois for neglecting to raise the American flag over the university buildings in accordance with the law.

At the Southwestern Kansas Methodist Episcopal conference in Wichita Bishop Andrews created a sensation by declaring that a minister should not meddle with the temperance question.

In a wreck on the Indiana, Illinois & Iowa railroad near Knox, Ind., four men were smothered by the overturning of a car of grain in which they were riding.

The will of Benjamin Franklin, which was probated 108 years ago in Philadelphia, was allowed in the probate court of Suffolk county at Boston in order to legalize the disposition of over $111,000, the accumulations of the sum of $5,000 which Franklin bequeathed to officials of Boston in trust for the use of young mechanics.

Forest fires burned over a large territory to the east of Black River Falls, Wis., destroying the prospects of the blueberry crop in that territory.

The Smith, Wilson & Sears Paper company at Holyoke, Mass., failed for $200,000.

C. D. Vaughn, Western Union telegraph manager in New York, says he has about completed an invention by the use of which it will be possible to telephone across the ocean.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 27th aggregated $896,859,158, against $975,883,801 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 0.9.

The town of Benton, Ark., was nearly wiped out by fire.

The Midway deposit bank at Midway, Ky., closed its doors with liabilities of $40,000.

Newell Dutche and Frank Moore were drowned by the capsizing of an oyster boat at Bridgeton, N. J.

Litral Bacon, a prominent man, brooding over having been arrested at Knoxville, Tenn., for perjury, blew himself to fragments with dynamite.

Matt Mootry, a negro, was hanged at Georgetown, Tex., in the presence of 4,000 people for the murder of Andrew Pickrell, a farmer, last May.

Mrs. John Fülsiegel, wife of a prominent business man at Bogart, O., and her son, aged 19, were killed by the cars while out driving.

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A religious organization to be known as the Legion of the Grand Army of the Cross, similar to the Salvation Army, was launched in New York by William Phillips Hall.

The secretary of the treasury sent to congress estimates of the general deficiency in departmental appropriations for the year ending June 30, 1896, amounting to $4,326,672.

Hiram H. Ely, a boy of 15, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Jane D. Ely, a widow 40 years old and the mother of four children, were married at Richmond, Ky.

A progressive euchre party for the cause of Cuban freedom at Philadelphia realized $1,000.

The date of opening the Red Lake Indian reservation in Minnesota has been changed from May 1 to May 15 next.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purkinson, Windsor, Wis., were asphyxiated by gas from a coal stove.

Fire destroyed the Sunday Leader office at Springfield, O.

Fred Gorrell, a molder at West Columbus, O., aged 21, shot his wife, aged 17, and then cut his throat with a razor. Jealousy was the cause.

Melvin O. Dennis, of Denver, Col., rode a mile unpaced on the Montclair straightway course in 1:11 3-5. It was the fastest time ever made on a wheel.

Jim and Frank Tilman and Lucy Law were instantly killed by a rock falling from a ledge and crushing through the house where they were sleeping at Echo, W. Va.

Conrad Becker, aged 71, was murdered by his stepson, William Becker, aged 47, near Arenzville, Ill., in a quarrel over a farm.

A coal breaker at Priceburg, Pa., owned by O. S. Johnson and others, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $100,000.

Fire destroyed the yards of the City Lumber & Coal company at Waterbury, Conn., and all the lumber and 17 horses were burned. Loss, $200,000.

Fourteen hundred men employed in the ship-yard of Wheeler & Co. at Bay City, Mich., went on strike against the check system of payment.

Two of the leading banks in St. Louis, the Commercial and the St. Louis national, consolidated.

In the presence of 20,000 people the largest vessel of the United States navy was launched at the Cramp shipyards in Philadelphia and named Iowa. Miss Mary Lord Drake, daughter of the governor of Iowa, christened the vessel.

A windstorm did great damage in a dozen towns in Kansas.

Lightning destroyed the house of Jacob Reihl, a farmer at Spring Valley, Minn., killing his wife and two sons and the hired man.

The Glenmore worsted mills in Philadelphia were burned, the loss being $130,000.

A windstorm blew down the house of H. A. Vaughn in Cleveland and Mrs. Sarah Bradford and Miss Emma Deitrich, who were in bed asleep, were crushed to death.

Pulaski Duckworth, a prominent farmer near Bentonville, Ark., while insane killed his wife and child with an ax and then cut his own throat.

The entire business portion of Weston, W. Va., was burned, the loss being over $150,000.

Alvin N. Stone, a wealthy farmer, aged 68; his wife, Serena, aged 63, were murdered by some one unknown at their home near Tallmadge, O., and Ira Stillson, the hired man, was fatally and two daughters, Emma, aged 23, and Hattie, aged 23, seriously injured.

Two warehouses of the Pleasure Ridge Park Distillery company at Louisville were destroyed with all their contents, including over 30,000 barrels of whisky, the loss being $425,000.

A sharp earthquake shock was felt at Rawlins, Wyo., houses being swayed, but no serious damage was done.

Rogge & Koch, toy importers at Baltimore, Md., failed for $150,000.

Levinew, Berger & Co., wholesale clothiers in Louisville, Ky., failed for $100,000.

Ice gorges in Tonawanda, N. Y., and vicinity did damage estimated at $500,000.

Newberger, Frankel & Co., wholesale furnishings and notion dealers in Louisville, Ky., failed for $100,000.

The First national bank of Morris, Minn., closed its doors with liabilities of $100,000.

Bills raised from two dollars to ten dollars by altering the figures and the last two letters of the "two" were in circulation in Muncie, Ind.

The North Indiana Methodist conference in session at Richmond cast a unanimous vote in favor of the admission of women as delegates to the general conference.

John Maguire, of Butte, Mont., has discovered records that lead him to believe that the Chinese knew how to use cathode rays centuries ago.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 30th ult. was: Wheat, 61,028,000 bushels; corn, 16,171,000 bushels; oats, 8,631,000 bushels; rye, 1,488,000 bushels; barley, 1,195,000 bushels.

Many Assyrians at Quincy, Ill., were becoming citizens of the United States in order to escape military duty in Turkey.

At Kansas City, Mo., Harry Hill aged 28, shot and killed his wife, aged 21, in a jealous rage, and then killed himself.

Mme. Duret Berthel, the leading contralto of Louisville and one of the best-known vocalists in the south, was stricken blind.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The republicans in state convention at Huron, S. D., declared against free silver, favored a protective tariff, and instructed the delegates to work for the nomination of McKinley at St. Louis.

Willoughby J. Edbrook, who was supervising architect of the treasury during the administration of President Harrison, died at his home in Chicago, aged 53 years.

A state convention of "the reformers of New York, irrespective of party affiliations," has been called for Syracuse April 21, to elect delegates to the national reform party convention at Pittsburgh, Pa., May 25.

In the republican state convention at Austin, Tex., a split occurred and two sets of delegates were chosen to attend the national convention.

Dennis F. Murphy, one of the reporters of the United States senate since 1848, and the chief reporter since 1873, died in Washington, aged 62 years.

The republicans of Massachusetts in state convention at Boston indorsed Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, for the presidential nomination. The platform declares for protection, opposes the free and unlimited coinage of silver, favors civil service laws and the restriction of immigration.

Jeremiah Lyons, aged 106 years, died at Phalanx station, near Warren, O.

The republican territorial convention at Oklahoma elected delegates to the St. Louis convention favorable to Reed as the presidential candidate.

Democratic conventions were held in Bollinger, Osage, Madison, Ray and Marion counties in Missouri and each of them passed free silver resolutions.

Abraham Willey, a celebrated abolitionist, died at Northfield, Minn., aged 90 years. For 20 years he was editor of the Advocate of Freedom and the friend and adviser of Charles Sumner.

Ex-Gov. Seay died at his home at Greensboro, Ala., aged 60 years.

The republican territorial convention at Kingfisher, O. T., renominated Dennis T. Flynn for congress.

Twin sisters and twin brothers were married at Burbank, O. Rev. Nathaniel Lewis performed the ceremony that made Irena V. Repp wife of Vernon R. Stair, and Idena V. Repp wife of Vertal R. Stair.

FOREIGN.

A tremendous fire occurred in the native quarter of Calcutta and many persons were killed.

President Hippolyte, of Hayti, died at Port Au Prince, aged 69 years.

By an explosion of fire damp in a mine at Brunnerton, New Zealand, five persons were killed outright and 6 more were entombed with no hope of being rescued.

The Matabeles of the Inzza and Filabusi districts in South Africa revolted and massacred the white settlers.

Capt. Gen. Weyler of Cuba issued a proclamation saying that in view of the fact that the insurgents avoid engagements with the troops and devote themselves entirely to acts of incendiarism, he has resolved to deal with them as incendiaries and bandits.

Public feeling was said to be running so high in Spain against American interference in Cuba that the government would have trouble to control the national anger.

Edwin F. Uhl, the newly appointed ambassador of the United States, arrived at Berlin.

The American schooner William Todd, from Mobile, Ala., was fired upon by two Spanish gunboats six miles off the Isle of Pines.

Pinar del Rio, the stronghold of the Spanish army in the western part of Cuba, was taken by the insurgents and destroyed.

Three hundred Chinese were blown to atoms by the explosion of a magazine attached to the fort at Kiang, in China.

Twenty-five thousand insurgents under Gen. Maceo were swarming over the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio destroying property, 45,000 Spanish soldiers were in the same territory, and it was thought a decisive battle was near at hand.

Advices from Hermosillo, Mexico, report a battle between the troops and Yaqui Indians in the mountains in which the Indians were defeated and a large number killed.

LATER.

The New Hampshire republican convention at Concord selected delegates to the national convention and adopted resolutions favorable to either Reed or McKinley for president. The platform declares for protection, a foreign policy characterized by sturdy Americanism and the moral and material support of the Cuban patriots, and the enactment of currency laws that will provide a circulating medium in gold, silver and paper, which will always be interchangeable at its face value.

The Cutter Silk Manufacturing company of West Bethlehem, Pa., made an assignment with liabilities of $300,000.

Mrs. Olga Deuss killed herself and three children in San Francisco, the eldest being eight years old, by gas asphyxiation. She was jealous of her husband.

H. C. Van Voorhis was renominated for congress by the Republicans of the Fifteenth Ohio district.

A cloudburst laid waste a strip of country about five miles wide along Little Sexton creek in Clay county, Ky., and the wife and child of Wade Marders were drowned.

Floods in the streams of central and western New York did immense damage.

Five Cuban prisoners charged with being rebels were garroted at Havana. The work was done in a bungling manner and the scene was a terrible one.

Dayton, O., celebrated the 100th anniversary of the foundation of the city.

Manuel Mendoza, a Spaniard, swindled the Belmont bank in New York out of $24,000 by means of a forged check.

The Omaha city council passed the curfew ordinance over the mayor's veto and the law went into effect.

A treasury statement shows that the government receipts for the nine months of the fiscal year were $250,609,840, the deficit for the nine months being $18,819,708.

Over eight inches of snow fell throughout the greater part of Colorado.

Washington, April 1.—The expected debate on the resolution for inquiry into recent bond issues did not take place yesterday. The post office appropriation bill, carrying $93,000,000, was considered in part. In the house a bill was introduced requiring railroads running night service to accommodate the poor class of passengers with sleeping berths at very cheap rates. The sundry civil bill was further discussed.

EARTHLY PARADISES.

Portions of the Earth That Approach Climatic Perfection.

For an inhabitant of the north temperate zone the most nearly correct climate would probably be the island of Tasmania, which enjoys warmth without heat and freshness without cold, and moreover possesses a climate so equable that the average temperature ranges from 44 to 63 degrees, giving a mean of about 52. In addition to this, or possibly in consequence of it, and the purifying effect of the sea breezes, there is practically no disease save what the inhabitants are responsible for. There are many groups of islands in the South Pacific which fully deserve the name of earthly paradise, but they have the fault of being too much like paradise. The valley of Cashmere in northern India and of Quito in Ecquador possess climates which are almost perfect, but they suffer the disadvantage of a great distance from the sea. Australia is too dry and New Zealand too damp to approach perfection; but Tasmania possesses the happy mean which affords health and comfort without the danger of degeneration which is the penalty of more luxurious climes. Of places near home, the Isle of Man probably most nearly fulfills the conditions of the question. Although so much farther north, its average temperature is almost as high and quite as equable as that of the Isle of Wight, but it possesses the additional advantage of freedom from the fogs, which are the greatest disadvantage of the shores of the English channel.

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EAST BOUND.

*48 Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
*42 New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
*46 Detroit Express	3: 7 p. m.
*44 New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

*45 Pacific Express	12:11 a. m.
†49 Chicago Limited	4:31 a. m.
*41 Kansas City Express	8:46 a. m.
†43 Chicago Limited	3:43 p. m.
*43 St. Louis Express	6:20 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 849. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 836. Express.	No. 848. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	12 30 "

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IN EFFECT Dec. 8, 1895.

EAST. No 25 Exc.	No. 23 Pass	No. 21 Pass	Central time. STATIONS.	WEST No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L.....Allegan.....A	3 10	6 25
.....	12 22	7 35	Monteith	3 35	6 02
.....	1 14	8 08	Yorkville	2 36	7 24
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 58
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 30
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 21
11 09	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 10
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 26
11 36	5 30	11 08	Sand Lake	9 56	4 08
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	*4 21
12 30	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	*3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	*3 39
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 40
P.M.	P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

The Divine Mission of the American Newspaper Press.

It Is the Greatest Agent of Civilization—The Wise and Successful Editor a Mighty Power Throughout the Land.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage took "The American Newspaper Press" as the subject of a recent sermon in Washington, basing his remarks on the texts:

"And the wheels were full of eyes."—Ezekiel, i., 18. "For all the Athenians and strangers which were there spent their time in nothing else but either to tell or to hear some new thing."—Acts, xvii., 21.

What is a preacher to do when he finds two texts equally good and suggestive? In that perplexity I take both. Wheels full of eyes? What but the wheels of a newspaper printing press? Other wheels are blind. They roll on, pulling or crushing. The manufacturer's wheel, how it grinds the operator with fatigues, and rolls over nerve and muscle and bone and heart, not knowing what it does. The sewing-machine wheel sees not the aches and pains fastened to it—tighter than the band that moves it, sharper than the needle which it plies. Every moment of every hour of every day of every month of every year there are hundreds of thousands of wheels of mechanism, wheels of enterprise, wheels of hard work in motion, but they are eyeless. Not so the wheels of the printing press. Their entire business is to look and report. They are full of optic nerves, from axle to periphery. They are like those spoken of by Ezekiel as full of eyes. Sharp eyes, near-sighted, far-sighted. They look up. They look down. They look far away. They take in the next street and the next hemisphere. Eyes of criticism, eyes of investigation; eyes that twinkle with mirth, eyes glowering with indignation, eyes tender with love; eyes of suspicion, eyes of hope; blue eyes, black eyes, green eyes; holy eyes, evil eyes, sore eyes, political eyes, literary eyes, historical eyes, religious eyes; eyes that see everything. "And the wheels were full of eyes."

But in my second text is the world's cry for the newspaper. Paul describes a class of people in Athens who spent their time either in gathering the news or telling it. Why especially in Athens? Because the more intelligent people become, the more inquisitive they are—not about small things, but great things.

The question then most frequently is the question now most frequently asked—What is the news? To answer that cry in the text for the newspaper the centuries have put their wits to work. China first succeeded, and has at Pekin a newspaper that has been printed every week for 1,000 years—printed on silk. Rome succeeded by publishing the "Acta Diurna," in the same column putting fires, murders, marriages and tempests. France succeeded by a physician writing out the news of the day for his patients. England succeeded under Queen Elizabeth in first publishing the news of the Spanish Armada, and going on until she had enough enterprise, when the battle of Waterloo was fought, deciding the destiny of Europe, to give it one-third of a column in the London "Morning Chronicle," about as much as the newspaper of our day gives of a small fire. America succeeded by Benjamin Harris' first weekly paper called "Public Occurrences," published in Boston in 1690, and by the first daily, the "American Advertiser," published in Philadelphia in 1784.

The newspaper did not suddenly spring upon the world, but came gradually. The geneaological line of the newspaper is this: The Adam of the race was a circular or news-letter, created by Divine impulse in human nature; and the circular begat the pamphlet, and the pamphlet begat the quarterly, and the quarterly begat the weekly, and the weekly begat the semi-weekly, and the semi-weekly begat the daily. But alas! by what a struggle it came to its present development! No sooner had its power been demonstrated than tyranny and superstition shackled it. There is nothing that despotism so fears and hates as a printing press. It has too many eyes in its wheel. A great writer declared that the king of Naples made it unsafe for him to write anything but natural history. Austria could not endure Kossuth's journalistic pen, pleading for the redemption of Hungary. Napoleon I., trying to keep his iron heel on the neck of nations, said: "Editors are the regents of sovereigns and the tutors of nations, and are only fit for prison." But the battle for the freedom of the press was fought out in the court rooms of England and America, and decided before this century began by Hamilton's eloquent plea for J. Peter Zenger's "Gazette" in America, and Erskine's advocacy of the freedom of publication in England. These were the Marathon and Thermopylæ in which the freedom of the press was established in the United States and Great Britain, and all the powers of earth and hell will never again be able to put on the handcuffs and hopples of literary and political despotism. It is notable that Thomas Jefferson, who wrote the Declaration of American Independence, wrote also: "If I had to choose between a government without newspapers or newspapers without a government, I should prefer the latter." Stung by some base fabrication coming to us in print, we come to write or speak of the unbridled printing press; or, our new book ground up by an unjust critic, we come to write or speak of the unfairness of the printing press; or, perhaps, through our own indistinctness of utterance, we are reported as saying just the opposite of what we did say, and there is a small riot of semicolons, hyphens and commas, and we came to speak or write of the blundering printing press; or, seeing a paper filled with divorce cases or social scandal, we speak and write of the filthy printing press; or, seeing a journal, through bribery, wheel round from one political side to the other in one night, we speak of the corrupt printing press, and many talk about the lampoonery, and the empiricism, and the sans-culotteism of the printing press.

But I discourse now on a subject you have never heard—the immeasurable and everlasting blessing of a good newspaper. Thank God for the wheel full of eyes. Thank God that we do not have—like the Athenians to go about to gather up and relate the tidings of the day, since the omnivorous newspaper does both for us. The grandest temporal blessing that God has given to the nineteenth century is the newspaper. We would have better appreciation of this blessing if we knew the money, the brain, the losses, the exasperations, the anxieties, the wear and tear of heartstrings involved in the production of a good newspaper. Under the impression that almost anybody can make a newspaper, scores of inexperienced capitalists every year enter the lists, and consequently during the last few years a newspaper has died almost every day. The disease is epidemic. The large papers swallow the smaller ones, the whale taking down 50 minnows at one swallow. With more than 7,000 dailies and weeklies in the United States and Canadas, they are but thirty-six half a century old. Newspapers do not average more than five years' existence. The most of them die of cholera infantum. It is high time that the people found out that the most successful way to sink money and keep it sunk is to start a newspaper. There comes a time when almost every one is smitten with the newspaper mania, and starts one, or have stock in one he must or die.

The course of precedure is about this: A literary man has an agricultural or scientific or political or religious idea which he wants to ventilate. He has no money of his own—literary men seldom have. But he talks of his ideas among confidential friends until they become inflamed with the idea, and forthwith they buy type and press, and rent composing room, and gather a corps of editors, and with a prospectus that proposes to cure everything, the first copy is flung on the attention of an admiring world. After awhile one of the plain stockholders finds out that no great revolution has been effected by this daily or weekly publication; that neither sun nor moon stands still; that the world goes on lying and cheating and stealing just as it did before the first issue. The aforesaid matter-of-fact stockholder wants to sell his stock, but nobody wants to buy, and other stockholders get infected and sick of newspaperdom, and an enormous bill at the paper factory rolls into an avalanche, and the printers refuse to work until back wages are paid up, and the compositor bows to the managing editor and the managing editor bows to the editor-in-chief, and the editor-in-chief bows to the directors, and the directors bow to the world at large, and all the subscribers wonder why their paper dosen't come. The world will have to learn that a newspaper is as much an institution as the bank of England or Yale college, and is not an enterprise. If you have the aforesaid agricultural, or scientific, or religious, or political idea to ventilate, you had better charge upon the world through the columns already established. It is folly for anyone who can not succeed at anything else to try newspaperdom. If you can not climb the hill back of your house it is folly to try the sides of the Matterhorn.

To publish a newspaper requires the skill, the precision, the boldness, the vigilance, the strategy of a commander-in-chief. To edit a newspaper requires that one be a statesman, an essayist, a geographer, a statistician, and, in acquisition, encyclopediac. To man, to govern, to propel a newspaper until it shall be a fixed institution, a national fact, demand more qualities than any business on earth. If you feel like starting any newspaper, secular or religious, understand that you are being threatened with softening of the brain or lunacy, and throwing your pocketbook into your wife's lap, start for some insane asylum before you do something desperate. Meanwhile, as the dead newspapers, week by week, are carried out to the burial, all the living newspapers give respectful obituary, telling when they were born and when they died. The best printer's ink should give at least one stickful of epitaph. If it was a good paper, say, "Peace to its ashes." If it was a bad paper, I suggest the epitaph written for Francis Chartreuse: "Here continueth to rot the body of Francis Chartreuse, who, with an inflexible constancy and uniformity of life, persisted in the practice of every human vice, except prodigality and hypocrisy; his insatiable avarice exempted him from the first, his matchless impudence from the second." I say this because I want you to know that a good, healthy, long-lived, entertaining newspaper is not an easy blessing, but one that comes to us through the fire.

Again, a good newspaper is a useful mirror of life as it is. It is sometimes complained that newspapers report the evil when they ought only to report the good. They must report the evil as well as the good, or how shall we know what is to be reformed, what guarded against, what fought down? A newspaper that pictures only the honesty and virtue of society is a misrepresentation. That family is best prepared for the duties of life which, knowing the evil, is taught to select the good. Keep children under the impression that all is fair and right in the world, and when they go out into it they will be as poorly prepared to struggle with it as a child who is thrown into the middle of the Atlantic and told to learn how to swim. Our only complaint is when sin is made attractive and morality dull; when vice is painted with great headings and good deeds are put in obscure corners; iniquity set up in great primer and righteousness in nonpareil. Sin is loathsome; make it loathsome. Virtue is beautiful; make it beautiful.

Another step forward for newspaperdom will be when in our colleges and universities we open opportunities for preparing candidates for the editorial chair. We have in such institutions, medical departments, law departments, why not editorial departments? Do the legal and healing professions demand more culture and careful training than the editorial or reportorial professions. I know men may tumble by what seems accident into a newspaper office as they may tumble into other occupations, but it would be an incalculable advantage if those proposing a newspaper life had an institution to which they might go to learn the qualifications, the responsibilities, the trials, the temptations, the dangers, the magnificent opportunities of newspaper life. Let there be a lectureship in which there shall appear the leading editors of the United States, telling the story of their struggles, their victories, their mistakes, how they worked and what they found out to be the best way of working. There will be strong men who will climb up without such aid into editorial power and efficiency. So do men climb up to success in other branches by sheer grit. But if we want learned institutions to make lawyers and artists and doctors and ministers, we much more need learned institutions to make editors, who occupy a position of influence a hundredfold greater. I do not put the truth too strongly when I say the most potent influence for good on earth is a good editor, and the most potent influence for bad is a bad one. The best way to reinforce and improve the newspaper is to endow editorial professorships. When will Princeton, or Harvard, or Yale, or Rochester lead the way?

Another blessing of the newspaper is the foundation it lays for accurate history of the time in which we live. We for the most part blindly guess about the ages that ante-date the newspaper, and are dependent upon the prejudices of this or that historian. But after 100 or 200 years what a splendid opportunity the historian will have to teach the people the lesson of this day. Our Bancrofts got from the early newspapers of this country, from the Boston News-Letter, the New York Gazette and the American Rag Bag and Royal Gazetter and Independent Chronicle, and Massachusetts Spy" and the Philadelphia Aurora, accounts of Perry's Victory, and Hamilton's duel, and Washington's death, and Boston massacre, and the oppressive foreign tax on luxuries which turned Boston harbor into a teapot, and Paul Revere's midnight ride, and Rhode Island rebellion, and South Carolina nullification. But what a field for the chronicler of the great future when he opens the files of a hundred standard American newspapers, giving the minutiæ of all things occurring under the social, political, ecclesiastical, international headings! Five hundred years from now, if the world lasts so long, the student looking for stirring, decisive history will pass by the misty corridors of other centuries and say to the libraries: "Find me the volume that give the century in which the American presidents were assassinated, the civil war enacted, and the cotton gin, the steam locomotive, and telegraph, and electric pen, and telephone, and cylinder presses were invented."

Once more I remark, that a good newspaper is a blessing as an evangelistic influence. You know there is a great change in our day taking place. All the secular newspapers of the day—for I am not speaking now of the religious newspapers—all the secular newspapers of the day discuss all the questions of God, eternity, and the dead, and all the questions of the past, present and future. There is not a single doctrine of theology but has been discussed in the last ten years by the secular newspapers of the country! They gather up all the news of the earth bearing on religious subjects, and then they scatter the news abroad again. The Christian newspaper will be the right wing of the apocalyptic angel. The cylinder of the Christianized printing press will be the front wheel of the Lord's chariot. I take the music of this day, and I do not mark it diminuendo—I mark it crescendo. A pastor on a Sabbath preaches to a few hundred, or a few thousand people, and on Monday, or during the week, the printing press will take the same sermon and preach it to millions of people. God speed the printing press! God save the printing press! God Christianize the printing press!

When I see the printing press standing with the electric telegraph on the one side gathering up material, and the lightning express train on the other side waiting for the tons of folded sheets of newspapers, I pronounce it the mightiest force in our civilization. So I commend you to pray for all those who manage the newspapers of the land, for all typesetters, for all reporters, for all editors, for all publishers, that, sitting or standing in positions of such great influence, they may give all that influence for God and the betterment of the human race. An aged woman making her living by knitting, unwound the yarn from the ball until she found in the center of the ball there was an old piece of newspaper. She opened it and read an advertisement which announced that she had become heiress to a large property, and that fragment of a newspaper lifted her from pauperism to affluence. And I do not know but as the thread of time unrolls the unwinds a little further, through the silent yet speaking newspaper may be found the vast inheritance of the world's redemption.

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does his successive journeys run;
His Kingdom stretch from shore to shore,
Till suns shall rise and set no more.

WHISKERS FROM THE SEA.

Something Concerning the Formation of a Curious Marine Growth.

There is a marvelous marine growth called sertularia which has the appearance of a delicate bush, although its slender stalks or fibers are built up by thousands of minute animals, something as the coral polyp builds up the coral. It is found, says the New York Sun, in clumps and bunches on wreckage and stones and elsewhere, and sometimes it is torn loose in storms and driven ashore. The many thousands of tiny creatures which have built it up and inhabit it die, and the dead bush is called a skeleton. Its fibers shrink some now and they are even finer than they were. They may be a foot in length; sometimes nearly two feet. They are brown, some bunches being dark and some of a lighter shade.

As the children of the carpenter adorn themselves with shavings from their father's workbench, so do the children of the fishermen with the sertularia cast up from the sea. Its fibers are pretty nearly straight, so they cannot be made to serve as ringlets, as curly shavings do, but the girls take the longer, finer bunches, which are usually the lighter in shade, and make of them long brown tresses. The boys make great mustaches of the sertularia, and flowing Dundreary whiskers and sober beards. In wandering along the shore one might come upon a stranded boat hauled high above the tide with her side stove in, perhaps, so that she would not float, but occupied by a dreaming youth in sertularia beard and mustache, who imagined her a gallant ship and himself her bearded commander.

A Walking Encyclopedia.

Lord Bacon was a walking encyclopedia. He was a master of all the knowledge of his time and remembered it to the minutest detail. He rarely made a note of anything, trusting to his memory all the particulars of the complicated legal cases brought before him, and seldom was it found at fault.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee. ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 30th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Joseph W. Osborne, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to William H. Osborne, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barnger, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Elijah King, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said Elijah King, on east side of Maumee street, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of April, 1896, and on the 16th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 16th day of March A. D 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, March 20, 1896.

JOHN S. KINNEY,
FREDERICK GAMBLE,
Commissioners.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the 17th day of February, A. D 1896, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the hereinafter described land in the township of Macon, in said county on Thursday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of this sale) all the right, title, and interest of said William P. Emons, deceased, in and to the following described lands and premises: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, described as follows: Being on the east half of the northwest quarter of section number thirty-four (34), town five (5) south of range five (5) east, bounded as follows: Commencing at the quarter section line, thence running west along the section line thirty-six (36) rods, thence south along land owned by William B. Swick eighty-eight and 89-100 rods, thence east along William B. Swick's land thirty-six (36) rods, thence north on the quarter section line eighty-eight and 89-100 rods to place of beginning; containing twenty acres of land, more or less.

Dated February 17, A. D. 1896.

BYRON A. BEAL,
Administrator of the Estate of William P. Emons, deceased.

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

The Twelfth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

A Mysterious Plantation Owner.

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Next day, with a guide and horses, I set out from the Volcano for the great Kona district, the land of stone and coffee. Hour after hour we trudged on over the stony earth, relieved occasionally by groves of trees, and now and then evidences of civilization and former occupancy in the form of an empty beer bottle at the roadside.

That night we reached Pahala, which is a village plantation of between eight hundred and a thousand inhabitants. Of these, two at least are white, the others being Japanese, Chinese, and natives; I say but one white man and one white boy. The great whistle at the plantation mill blew shortly after our arrival, and an army of Japanese, men and women, came in from the fields with hoes on their shoulders, and went to their miserable little huts.

These Japs are all brought to the islands on the contract labor system. They are called coolies and are but little better than slaves. Their importation is beneficial only to the large plantations, but an injury to the islands, as they labor for twelve dollars a month and board themselves. It is said that a Japanese can live on one dollar per month, sending the remainder to Japan.

I was informed that I must lodge with a Chinaman. The thought was unpleasant, but it was either with the Chinaman or out on the street. A Chinese cook prepared my supper, and I was then shown to my room which was situated in a cow lot in close proximity to a pig sty. It was a small house with two rooms, and the one on the "monka side" I was to occupy. My room was eight by ten feet, had a square table, a wash basin, towel, pitcher, saucer with soap in it, a mirror which by actual measurement was four by six inches, a hard-bottom chair, a steamer chair with sailor's mattress on the floor and a mosquito netting over it. I was informed that this gorgeous apartment had been rented to another party who had kindly consented to occupy less commodious quarters for my accommodation.

The apartment was supplied with fresh reading matter in the form of a copy of the Hawaiian Gazette one month and two days old. Dingy, dark, musty with opium fumes, the place seemed a fit abode for robbers and cutthroats. The darkness and dinginess of the apartment were strongly suggestive of pitfalls and assassination, while, as if in mockery of the surroundings, some one had pinned on the wall the motto: "Nearer, my God, to Thee." The aroma of the pig sty was highly flavored with the oder of saddles, freshly oiled harness and a smoky kerosene lamp, which had not been cleaned and trimmed more than once in its lifetime.

At last I ventured to lie down on the bed. The apartment next to mine was occupied by Celestials, but for what purpose I never knew, the sounds issuing from it being sometimes suggestive of a sausage factory, sometimes of a laundry, dyeing works, or planing mill. This adjoining apartment was certainly no larger than my own, but, after nineteen Chinamen of all ages had entered it, I became tired of counting, and sought peace in sleep.

At last the sausage-mill ceased, the laundry grew quiet, the wheels of the planing-mill ran more smooth, and the mosquitoes, having satisfied their wants at my expense, I slept until rosy morn; I might have slept longer had not a cow poked her head in at my only window and awakened me by an unearthly bawl. My landlord provided me a breakfast from which a Washington Square tramp would turn with contempt, and then charged me Delmonico prices for his "accommodations."

To saddle up and leave Pahala was a luxury. I changed guides here. Taking a native boy named Harry with me, I started on a three days' journey through Kona to a place called Kailua.

At noon we reached the village of Waiohinu (sparkling water), where we met Mr. Meinecke, a German gentleman, who has a store and a coffee plantation. On learning it was our intention to stop at the Kuhuku ranch, the home of Colonel Norris, he assured us that it was very doubtful if that individual would entertain me, as he was bitterly opposed to white men. Ten miles beyond his ranch, however, was a deserted house in which we had better stay, if Colonel Norris refused to accomodate us.

We set out for Kuhuku and reached it at 4 p. m. By this time dark clouds obscured the skies and chilling winds, sweeping down from snow-capped Mauna Loa, portended a coming storm. The ranch is a small village of houses and barns enclosed in walls of stone. We soon came upon a Chinaman and Kanaka skinning a bullock that had just been slain, while standing near them with a long stick in his hand was an old man whose tall form was slightly bent, and his hair and beard a yellowish white. His eyes were sunken and sinister, and there was a "never-smiled-again" expression on his face.

"Is this Colonel Norris?" I asked, approaching him and extending my hand. He made no answer and only looked at me. I then remembered the colonel sometimes feigned deafness, so I wrote on a card, asking:

"Can myself and guide stay at your ranch?"

"No," he answered, while his eyes flashed with fire. "You are a missionary, a white man, an annexationist."

"I am neither; I am an author," I answered.

"You can't deceive me," he cried, striking his stick on the ground. "You are a preacher and a missionary, a white man opposed to royalty and in favor of annexation. You stole all the land of the natives."

I tried to assure him that I had never stolen an inch of Hawaiian soil save what clung to my boots, that I was not a missionary, and being an American citizen, had no interest in their political wrangle over annexation, or the queen. But he was obdurate. In vain I appealed to his humanity, to the fact that he was a white man himself, that he had 186,000 acres of the natives' land, more than all the missionaries combined, yet it was no use. I had to go.

For ten miles our course lay across the black lava flow of 1887. This flow is black as charcoal and hard as flint, with sharp bristling points on every square foot, on which not a vestige of vegetation can be found. The blackness is relieved only by the white bleaching bones of animals which have perished in crossing it. On, on, and on, through the gathering gloom of night and a threatening storm, we pressed for ten miles. Then we entered a forest where the trees grew far apart, and the ground was covered with bunch grass and ferns. At last when our tired horses were almost ready to sink from exhaustion, we came upon the deserted house, and, overcome with our exertion, threw ourselves on the floor and slept, regardless of the howls of wild dogs on the mountains.

Colonel Norris is a mysterious man. Some say he is from Virginia, and was a colonel in the Confederate army; others that he is an Englishman. He has no relatives, is immensely rich, has a large account in the Bank of England, and will allow no woman, or child, or white man on his premises, unless assured of his immoral character, opposition to the missionaries, and loyalty to ex-Queen Lilioukalana.

Township Election.

The township election Monday was very warm, both parties working hard to win. Although the republicans carried everything, it was a hard fight, the majorities being cut down considerably from last year. The whole number of votes cast was 622. The 1st precinct inspectors were H. W. Stevens, G. W. Frazier and Jehiel Davidson; clerks, D. T. Hall and Geo. S. Field. 2d precinct inspectors, J. W. Wightman, M. L. Root, Jas. Heck; clerks, A. O. Howard and B. F. Steinhoff.

The number succeeding each name shows the plurality; when there are two numbers, the second shows the plurality for same office last year:

Supervisor—Thos. Elliott, 29—234.
Clerk—Robt. S. Moore, 44—199.
Treasurer—Geo. W. Marsden, 62—40.
Justice—Chas. Bidwell, 31—97.
School Ins.—Frank J. Temple, 96—73.
Highway Com.—Chas. A. Mathews, 58—95.
Drain Com.—Wm. Waldron, 65.
Board of Review—Henry C. Conkling, 64—101.
Constable—Levi Thompson, 32; W. J. C. Hastings, 43; John Thurlby, 63; Lavern Heesen, 55.
Average for constables in 1895 was 75.

Overseers of Highways.

Following is a list of overseers of highways elected Monday, April 6:

DIST.
1st—Jas. B. Hendershot.
2d—Wm. J. Murphy.
3d—B. J. Rector.
4th—John Hendershot.
5th—John Schreder.
6th—J. F. N. Bowen.
8th—M. G. Updyke.
9th—Ambrose Welsh.
10th—Wallace Tilden.
11th—Wm. Waldron.
12th—H. Blinn Tallman.
13th—A. K. Waldron.
14th—Frank M. Bryan.
15th—Jacob G. Roberts.
16th—Chas. Sutton.
17th—Wesley Scutt.
18th—J. L. VanDoren.
19th—Minor Davidson.
20th—Hugh Hanna.
21st—Thos. Russell.
22d—Jos. Russell.
23d—John Smith.

If each overseer will file their acceptance with Clerk R. S. Moore within ten days it will be of great assistance to the highway commissioner.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

For A Complete Base Ball Schedule

Of all the games to be played by the National Base Ball League for season of 1896, apply to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. R'y, Cleveland, Ohio, enclosing two-cent postage stamp. This schedule contains the dates, names of contesting clubs, places for scoring total runs, hits, errors and pitchers names, together with tables of standing of clubs and averages for last season.

AROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

They are after the deas in Ann Arbor, the marshall pulling a couple a week ago Sunday night. Five culprits were corraled and fined $50 by Justice Gibson.

Elmer Hatt and Walter Gilbert got in some fine work on Summit citizens' chicken coops and then got in jail for 40 days, to settle for the use in poultry.

The Page Fence Co. have added five young buffalo to their already large and interesting zoological collection. They expect them to arrive from Chicago about the 15th.

Michigan Messenger: The little 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Reynold, of Medina, was found dead in bed Friday morning. She weighed only nine pounds, and grew just three inches since birth.

The physiology class in Hudson killed a cat the other day in the interest of science. Keep that class away from Tecumseh. Don't you know, there are nineteen old maids living inside of two blocks in this town.

A piece of horseradish root put into a jar of pickles will keep the vinegar from losing its strength, and the pickles will not be as liable to become soft or moldy. This is especially good for tomato pickles.—Jackson Patriot. Yes, and a healthy onion in the ice box will strengthen a jar of butter immensely; while, if properly handled, it will induce strength enough to clear out a whole church full of people.

A new paper is being issed by the pupils of the west side high school in Hudson. "The Tattler," a large eight-page periodical, was read last Friday afternoon by Lulu White and Ralph Lickley, who were managing editors last month. This wonderful paper can be obtained for the very reasonable price of 35 a year, or 4½c for a single copy, or by your presence once a month you may hear it read, and thus get the contents free.

Democrat: The "blanket charter" under which Monroe is now doing business, knocks all the existing justices of the peace down stairs on the 4th of July and provides for the election of but two justices to fill the place of the usual four. One of the new justices will hold his office for the term of two years, and the other for four years and a justice of the peace will therefore be elected every two years, to hold the office four years.

The Times reports a scheme which might be used to advantage on many safes at present: This announcement is pasted on the safe at the Wabash frieght house: "This safe used for books and papers only. If you find it locked, turn three times to the right, stop at 20, turn twice to left and stop at 30, turn twice to right and stop at five." The safe was blown twelve years ago, when $23 was secured, and again two years later, when $18 was taken.

Monroe Democrat: A Chelsea girl quotes Tennyson these days, "Awake and call me early, call me early, mother dear, tomorrow is to be the gladest, merriest day in all the glad New Year, for I'm to be Queen Esther in the opera house, my dear, and I'm really feeling nervous and my feet won't track I fear."—Ann Arbor Argus. Beautiful lines—those of Tennyson! But perhaps the most touching he ever wrote were those beginning: "In the spring a deeper crimson comes upon the robin's breast. In the spring the gentle bed-bug seeks the leg that tastes the best."

It will be of interest to local knights to know that their commandery is in such a flourishing condition. The Messenger states that the Adrian Commandery Knights Templar has now the largest membership in its history. This was the report made at the annual meeting last evening by Eminent Commander W. H. Barrett, whose term of office has just expired. Fifteen were knighted during the year. This is said to be the most work done by any commandery in the state with the exception of Detroit and Damascus, of Detroit.

Hudson Gazette: The construction gangs of the contractors on the C., J. & M. extension have been making hay at a rapid rate while the sun shone during the past week. Track layers are at work, and the present indications are that the line will be opened for freight traffic within three weeks. Superintendent Flanders, of Toledo, has moved his headquarters temporarily to Addison, where he is able to personally superintend the work. This extension will open a valuable new territory to the C., J. & M. railway, and give it several more important connections.

Morenci Observer: The "brother-in law social" at the M. E. church Wednesday night was mastodonic, humoristic and in fact the cake capturer of the season in the social line. The "brothers-in-law" displayed an adaptability to the requirements of the occasion which affords encouragement to the idea that man in general will be equal to the emergency if, as is prophesied, the existing condition of the sexes shall be reversed and the male shall become a strictly domestic animal. The "brothers-in-law" rattled the dishes in lively fashion, but did not themselves get "rattled," supplying the wants of several hundred fifteen-cent chicken-pie eaters with a grace (not grease) and an expedition fully up to the "quee's taste" standard.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., March 27, '96.

The Senate seems bound to have its weekly excitement, in connection with Cuban affairs, even if the Cuban resolutions are not still before it. Senator Call this week introduced a resolution which would mean, if it were adopted, nothing more nor less than a declaration of war against Spain. It provided for the sending of a big naval force to Cuba at once to protect citizens of the U. S. and prevent the violation of treaty obligations, and directs the President to inform Spain that the U. S. will by force intervene if there be further occurrence of murder and outrage or the putting to death of prisioners of war. Of course the adoption of such a resolution was simply out of the question, but it served to keep the subject uppermost.

Senator Butler, of N. C., thinks the making of mortgage and other notes payable in gold is an entirely unnecessary hardship forced upon borrowers by capitalists who loan money, and in order to put a stop to it he introduced a bill requiring the acceptance of current legal tender funds in payment of notes, bonds or other private obligations. He said this idea had been favored in both republican and democratic platforms, and that this was a good time to make party promises into a law. In answer to Senator Hill's question, Senator Butler said that his bill did not propose to interfere with existing contracts, and added emphatically: "I do not believe in breaking contracts." The bill was sent to the Finance committee.

The McKinleyites had their innings this week, and if the republicans in Congress had represented the nominating convention it would have been a comparitively easy matter to have stampeded it in McKinley's favor. But the panic was soon over, although the scare remains. It is said that from this time on Speaker Reed's candidacy is to antagonize McKinley.

Mr. C. P. Huntington returned to Washington this week, and it is reported that he has paid off and dismissed the most of his lobbying force, because he has become satisfied that no Pacific Railroad legislation will go through Congress at the present session. This seems a little strange, perhaps, in view of the statement that the subcommittee of the House and Senate Pacific Railroad committees which has been discussing the matter, has practically agreed upon the main points of a bill to be favorably reported to the Senate. But nobody knows any better than Mr Huntington, with his long experience with legislative bodies, state and national, the difference between getting a bill through and having it reported from a committee. It is just possible, too that he may have been given a tip from some of his friends among the Congressional leaders. At any rate this report chimes in with the views of veteran observers who have nothing to do with Huntington, but who base their belief that there will be no Pacific Railroad legislation at this session upon the well know anxiety of the controlling men in Congress to secure an early adjournment, and their knowledge that the railroad bill would be debated for weeks if it was once taken up, especially in the Senate. A bill may be reported and placed on the calendar of both House and Senate before adjournment but even that is not certain.

Some day or other (it may be hastened by a terrible accident at the present building) Congress will probably decide upon a site for a new Government Printing office. It was announced the other day that the House committee on Public Buildings and Grounds had agreed upon a site, but before anybody had an opportunity to congratulate anybody else the inevitable squabble made its appearance in that committee. It might not be a bad idea for Congress to provide for the building and leave the selection of a site to some outside man, who is beyond the reach and influence of real estate sharpers.

A delegation of sugar growers were in Washington this week to ask Congress for legislation that will prevent the German Sugar growers driving them out of business, owing to the export bounty paid by Germany on sugar. They did not ask for much, only that a duty equal in amount to the export bounty be put upon German sugar, but that is more than they are likely to get from this Congress. According to this delegation the German sugar growers are taking advantage of the war in Cuba, which has cut off our supply of Cuban sugar, to attempt to drive all the sugar growers in the United States into bankruptcy, and in order to help them the German government is contemplating an increase of the export bounty on sugar.

The patronage of the U. S. Senate is to be hereafter equally divided among the individual Senators, no matter which party has a majority in that body. This agreement was reached this week between the republican and democratic Senators, and as soon as the arrangement can be put into operation the patronage will be divided in the following ratio, republicans 44-89's, democrats 39-89's, and populists 6-89's. Under this agreement the Secretary and Sergeant-at-Arms nominated by the republican caucus get left, as the present occupants of those positions will keep them.

Pleasant to take, positive and instant in its results, in fact, the best cough medicine in the world, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. 1w

Clinton Column.

Republicans Victorious—St. John's Parish Meeting and Election of Officers—Personals.

Mrs. J. S. Kies is on the sick list.

Prof. Wilcox returned from Addison, Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Chandler left for Ann Arbor Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. McCullen died suddenly Monday eve.

Miss Eva Shimman was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Miss Clara Welch visited Franklin friends Sunday.

O. D. Keyes, of Tecumseh, was in town last Sunday.

E. F. Kirchgessner, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Eva Davis went to Detroit Tuesday to visit friends.

Miss Ada Stancliff returned from Toledo last Saturday.

Albert Aylesworth, of Tecumseh, was in town Saturday.

Minnie Humphrey was home from Toledo to spend Easter.

Mr. Floyd Rogers returned to Orchard Lake Wednesday morning.

Mr. J. Hamilton, of Detroit, drove over from Britton Monday.

Miss Jennie Van Tuyle was home from Ypsilanti to spend Easter.

Frank Woodward and wife returned to their home in Hudson Tuesday.

N. H. Mills, of Manchester, was calling on friends in town last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lane moved into the rooms over Hostedor market.

Emma and Julia Sturm visited at Bridgewater the latter part of last week.

Miss Ida Hunt, of Tecumseh, attended service at St. John's church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Amspoker, of Manchester, were guests at Jas. Hogan's Sunday.

Miss Sadie Huntington and her friend Miss Kate Hodman returned to Adrian Tuesday.

Miss Florence Camburn, of Macon, was the guest of her sister the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodward, of Hudson, visited friends here the first of the week.

Miss Alberta Johnston returned Saturday from a short visit with Manchester friends.

Jay Grinnell, of Vermontville, has come to spend the summer at Frank Johnson's.

Dr. F. J. Knight, of Charlotte, was visiting friends near Clinton the latter part of last week.

Misses Ada Cullen and Lillian Welliver, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with Mrs. C. Wallinger.

Chas. H. Wilsey and wife, of Denver, Col., have been guests at John T. Clark's for the past week.

Ned Newcomb and wife, of Brooklyn, visited at John T. Clark's from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Maud Olinger, of Manchester, was the guest of Leora Dodd from Saturday until Wednesday.

The employees of the woolen mill were given a holiday last Monday, as the mill was shut down for that day.

Miss Nellie Martin has purchased Mrs. Wolf's bicycle and will soon be able to ride to school from her home.

Miss Hattie Hunter, who has been visiting Mrs. L. W. Kimball for the past week, returned to her home in Detroit last Tuesday.

Fred Greenleaf has given up his position as salesman for E. T. Hilton & Co., of Jackson, and will go on the road for the Bean, Chamberlain Co., of Hudson.

Frank L. Woodward came over from Hudson last Saturday and has shipped all the plows in course of construction, old iron, etc., to Hudson from the old foundry.

At the annual parish meeting of St. John's church, held at the church Monday evening, the following vestrymen were elected for the ensuing year: F. D. Lancaster, A. B. VanDeMark, Dr. J. E. White, B. F. Thompson, A. F. Kishpaugh, C. F. Clark and J. E. Anthony, after which the vestry organized, as follows: J. E. White, senior warden; B. F. Thompson, junior warden; A. F. Kishpaugh, parish clerk; F. D. Lancaster, treasurer. A. F. Kishpaugh and F. D. Lancaster were elected delegates to attend the annual diocesan convention, with Dr. J. E. White and B. F. Thompson as alternates.

There were 398 votes cast at Clinton, of this number 156 straight republican and 80 straight free silver ballots were cast. The balance were split. The free silver people made a pretty stiff showing ranging from 125 to 168.

Supervisor—George C. Lindsley, 93.
Clerk—Edward C. Codling, 109.
Treasurer—Hiram W. Saxton, 86.
Justice (full term)—John Fisher, 80.
Justice (vacancy)—Edwin R. Smith, 127.
Board of Review (full term)—Straud M. Marsteller, 91.
Board of Review (1 year)—Edwin W. Freese, 94.
School Inspector—Charles E. Foster, 78.
Highway Commissioner—Alfred J. Allen, 93.
Constable—Charles R. Barnsdale, 62; William E. Sherwood, 66; Fred S. Sheldon, 90; Christian Schneirla, 90.

At the earnest solicitations of the republicans, Edwin R. Smith allowed his name to run on their ticket as justice of the peace. Although an ardent member of the democratic party, he received 127 majority, the highest of any on the ticket.

MANCHESTER.

Oldest Resident Dead—Democratic Ticket Elected—Personal Mention.

Mrs. John Rushton is seriously ill.

Mrs. L. M. Baldwin visited Litchfield relatives last week.

Mrs. Wm. Johnson is quite sick with catarrhal pneumonia.

Miss May Henion returned to school duties in Toledo, on Monday.

John Schaible started on Monday, on the long journey to Germany.

Miss Ora Case, of Jackson, is visiting her sister Mrs. F. D. Merithew.

Miss Florence Poucher, of Brooklyn, entered school here on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Kotts left for their new home in Toledo, on Tuesday.

Albert Spencer is building an addition to his residence, on Jackson street.

Miss Helen M. Carpenter, of Horton, was a recent guest of Manchester friends.

Samuel H. McCord died at his home on Jefferson street, last Monday evening.

Messrs. Schaible and Trey moved to the Allen farm, near Cambridge, on Monday.

Miss Elora Berger attended the E. L. "group" meeting at Tecumseh, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Virginia Butler, from Indiana, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams.

H. Addis Leeson and August Oberschmidt, students of Albion College, spent Easter in town.

The entire democratic ticket was elected by varying majorities. W. L. Watkins is supervisor by a majority of 38.

Albert English is a delegate to the Hillsdale Q. M., to be held with the Rome church on Saturday and Sunday next.

Cren Baldwin, of Riverside, California, arrived here Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Baldwin.

Mrs. Deborah W. Morgan, the oldest resident of the village, died at her home in South Manchester at midnight Monday. She has long been identified with the interests of the village and society, especially the Universalist church will miss her kindly and genial presence.

FRANKLIN.

Cheese Factory Resumes Operations—Pleasant Surprise.

Mrs. Clarke Payne is very ill.

Jehiel Wisner has returned to his farm near Athens.

The cheese factory at Tipton has resumed operations.

Harry Marshall is working in the Clinton woolen mill.

John Temple, of Tecumseh was in this vicinity Tuesday.

Geo. Hill, a lumberman, of Adrian, was in this vicinity Monday.

Mr. Thomas' sawmill is at present located in Otis Whelan's logway.

Arthur Bradley has a position on the mail service between Chicago and Buffalo.

Edward Wisner was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner one day last week.

Rance Mills has moved into his new home in Tipton which he purchased recently of W. Deming.

Mr. Frank Marshall moved his family into his brother-in-law's house, southeast of Clinton, last week.

A number of Mrs. Wm. Witherell's friends dropped in upon her quite unexpectedly Wednesday night. It was her birthday.

Misses Nina Allen, Ruth Taylor, Bertha Butrick and Messrs. Hoyt Whelan and Clyde Smith drove to Ypsilanti last Saturday.

The Center school opened Monday with Miss Sadie Taylor as teacher. Irene Allen opened school in the Brick district the same day.

The meeting of the lyceum at A. D. Hunt's resulted, after a successful and pleasantly spent evening, in an adjournment until next September, at the residence of G. W. Allen.

Read Edward Wisner's book, "Cash vs. Coin," an answer to "Coin's Financial School." It is a scholarly reflection of Coin's false conclusions, exagerated statements, false logic, false premises. We should like to see the book in the hands of every thoughtful man and woman. Chas. H. Kerr & Co., 175 Monroe, Chicago, publishers; Edward Wisner, Monroe, La., author.

Symptoms of Catarrh.

Pain in the head, obstruction of the nose, frequent discharge of mucus from the nose, mucus often falling into the throat, nausea and vomiting on rising in the morning, raising particles of offensive matter from the throat, deafness, ringing in the ears, offensive breath the sense of smell impaired, and a wretched feeling generally about the head and throat, sometimes only one or two of these symptoms will be present, but their presence indicates Catarrh. By a timely use of Century Catarrh Cure you can be permanently cured. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. apr

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CONE.

Married—Spring Plowing—Delayed Letter.

(Delayed Letter). April 1.

Mrs. Jane Osborn is very sick at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Mudge.

Ray Hurlbert, of West Toledo, called on friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Fred and Bertha Cone, of Milan, visited friends here the first of the week.

Miss Zada Hicks visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Keller, near Ridgeway last week.

J. P. Peterson and son, Chester, of Raisin, visited old friends here last Friday.

George Caswell of Wellsville moved his family on the J. F. Temple farm last week.

The recent Aid society held at E. A. VanDeventer's, March 25, was $8.75.

George Reed has closed his school at South Macon Wednesday with an exhibition.

Miss Lena Hixon was the guest of her sister, Miss Nellie Caswell, last Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Austin visited her father at Emergency hospital, at Detroit, Thursday of last week.

Miss Kelsey returned to Britton last Saturday after two weeks' stay with her sister and Mrs. Wm. Curry.

D. M. Hixson, graduate of the Detroit college, has located, for the present, at the residence of Fred Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennison, Jr., have moved to Port Huron, St. Clair, who has been their home for a long time, to Detroit West Side.

Mrs. Susan Pierson is quite sick this week.

A number of farmers in this vicinity are plowing for oats.

Mrs. Vina Corbett is spending this week with her sister in Dundee.

Ralph Mosher moved his family to Toledo Monday, where he expects to work for Norma Lackey.

Owen Curry, wife and little son Lamont visited friends in Tecumseh Saturday and Sunday.

James Craig and Miss Minnie Gray were married at Adrian Wednesday, April 1. They will reside in Toledo.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 25 Hadley Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

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Sores

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Cured

I was able to rest at night. Gradually the sores on his head and arms healed, the burning and itching ceased, and he slept better. In 2 months he looked like another child, gained strength, was cured. I recommend all persons afflicted with eczema or any skin disease to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I feel assured that it will do wonders for others. I cannot praise it too highly for what it has done for my

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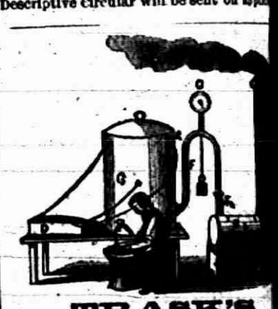

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...ion Returns—Osgood's Mill Started—Trilby Social.

...L. Wood has moved into his house ...orth street.

...n Beasley went to Toledo last ...day on business.

...have a good opening for a dentist, ...yer and a drug store.

...t Caswell is putting a stone foundunder his residence.

...Chesterhout is having a new walk in front of her lot, on North street.

...l Hause and wife, of Clinton, Easter with friends in the village.

...s Mary Exelby, of Deerfield, was ...est of her Uncle George's family Sunday.

...yd Ward, of Milan, ate his Easter ...our village. Wonder what he is anyway?

...C. I. Deyo will preach in the school house next Sunday at 2:30.

...l Raney, of Holloway, was a visi... the village last Sunday. Wonder ...ne is after.

...s Colter and family, of Macon, in town Monday. Jess had his ...g machine with him.

...Ed. Bachman returned Monday ...her visit to St. Louis, Mich., and ...ts Morris to be prospering finely.

...Pulver came over from Adrian ...day and gave his old friends the ...t of his smiling countenance over ...y.

...J. Clark held the lucky number, ...al drew the silk quilt sold by the ...way L. O. T. M., on Saturday ...ng.

...Arthur Curtis, with her two ...en, arrived Tuesday from Ypsi... where she has been making a ... visit.

...wheelmen heeded our warning ...terested themselves in electing ...sters Monday. They hope for ...sults.

...Wabash put a new card in effect ...nday. No. 49, which went west ...lock in the morning, has been ...inued.

...Osgood is grinding feed again ...s all who have feed to grind to ...see him. The mill will run ...r this month.

...r Trilby social will be held ...ian church parlors on Wed... ...ning, April 15, under the ... of the Aid society.

...s of Britton and vicinity having ...king they wish done, will do ... call on Mrs. Chas. Gorman or ...ll Allen and get particulars.

...Ladies' Aid society have decided ...a church fair later in the season. ...be on a larger scale than the one ...ssfully held a few years ago.

...Web Underwood furnished the ...sic for the theatricals Friday ...rday evenings, and the music ...hall part of the entertainment.

...Christian church next Sunday ...o will preach in the morning ...Christ idea of the Sabbath," ...he evening on "Echos from ...

...gular review of Ivy Leaf Hive, ...will be held Friday evening. ... Let every member be present ...is important business to come ...e hive.

...Taylor was called to Detroit ...k by the illness of his son, ...urning Saturday. Will was a ...ter when he left him, with a ...ty of recovery.

..., the Quadroon" was presented ...y credible manner on Friday ...day evenings. But was not a ...uccess financially, the receipts ...ying expenses.

...Maynard gave us an equestrian ...on, on the streets Tuesday, ad... free to all. A. O. has not for...is horseback ride from Adrian ...rnia, away back in the fifties.

...Kishpaugh had a lively ex... with a runaway horse on Mon...ot "jerked ragged," but fortun...aped without personal injury. ...n was considerably damaged.

...mocrats held their election in ... township last Monday. The ...a republican election has not ...ecided upon, but will proba...e place until all danger of ... is over.

...t of dwelling houses in town ... been relieved. It is a sim...act that if we don't do what ... provide what is needed to ...illage grow and prosper we ...ably expect very great re...

...considerable talk around the ...orporating the village, and ...meet general approval. Lets ...tter well looked into. We ...t the best interests of Brit...re this matter discussed, as ... come up soon. Get posted.

...d started his mill on Satur...eks from the time the old ... Will Swick brought the ...d had to wait for the last ...djusted before getting his ...The mill runs like a top, ...is like a boy with a new ...

...ian church observed Easter ... very appropriate manner. ...ecorations were profuse. In ... Rev. Deyo preached on the ...Joy of Easter" followed by ... Rev. James Wright as... service. In the evening ...School conducted the exer... their efficient superinten... Osgood, consisting of songs, ...stations, solos, etc. The ...crowded both morning and ...

Just as one of our leading merchants was starting for home on his bike last Saturday, his better half 'phoned him to bring home some sugar. The l. m. being quite an expert wheelman, thought he could do it "just as easy," so with a dollars worth of granulated he started out, but had not proceeded far before he came to grief. The heap was a sweet mixture of l. m., bike, and sugar. People passing the spot shortly after wondered what made the air smell so like burned matches.

The election in Ridgeway township was overwhelmingly democratic, every man on that ticket being elected. The whole number of votes cast was 345, of which the democrats polled 151, republicans 139, prohibitionists 42, and 13 tickets were voted without the party designated. Following are the officers for the following year with their majorities:

Supervisor—Conrad Lowe, 37.
Clerk—Geo. L. Oliver, 46.
Treasurer—Darius Smith, 116.
Justice (vacancy)—E. T. Smith, 16.
Justice (full term)—John P. Schwab, 22.
Highway Com.—Louis B. Swick, 6.
Drain com.—Walter Exelby, 23.
School Inspector—F. E. Wickwire, 14.
Board of Review—Geo. W. Smith, 56.
Constable—Chas. Corell, 16; Wesley Exelby, 16; Frank Zeluff, 16; Clarence Lowe, 21.

CARD OF THANKS.

To all those who have helped us by contributions of various kinds to again get a start in business, we hereby return our hearty thanks and hope to some day be able to repay you in a measure for the kindness you have extended to us in our loss by fire.

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HOLLOWAY.

Maccabee Quilt Drawing—Old Mail Service Resumed.

Communion was observed Easter at the church.

The Grange organized Tuesday evening at the hall.

The mail is put back on the old time, to the delight of all.

Minnie Kerr and Edith Schwab were Adrian visitors recently.

Cass Miller occupies the Allen house in the west part of town.

S. C. Fairbanks, of Victorsville, called on his aunt, Mrs. L. C. Winship, Tuesday.

The silk quilt made by the Maccabees was drawn by Operator George Clark, of Britton.

Mr. R. M. Boyd and family and Miss Anthony, of Tecumseh, visited Dr. and Mrs. Nixon Sunday.

Nathaniel Graham, of West Raisin, is building a new house on his prairie farm recently bought.

Ed. Dawson is the popular clerk at the new White Front, and the girls in town are attracted that way.

Misses Palmer and Thompson entertained two young ladies from Manchester the fore part of the week.

The C. E society will give a maple sugar social at Mrs. L. B. Spencer's Tuesday evening. All are invited.

The next meeting of the Ladies Aid social will be at Mrs. Jennie Fowler's. The receipts of the last social were $4.40.

MACON.

Death Takes Another Pioneer—Sick List—Born.

Ray Brazee and Lavern Heesen were in town Sunday.

Revilo Sage is moving down on the farm belonging to E. Osgood.

Both superintendents were re-elected last week in the two Sunday schools.

Edward Miller has purchased a fine Kroeger piano of E. M. Coller, Tecumseh.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lilburn Hatch, March 31st, a son. Congratulations are in order.

Mrs. Elwin Camburn went to Saginaw last week as delegate to the W. R. C. convention.

The ladies' aid society of the Reformed church will meet with Mrs. Gamble Kuder on Wednesday, April 15. A cordial invitation to all.

The sick list is long this week and in it may be included Mrs. Minnie Scudder, Mrs. Robert Mills, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Nancy Osborn, Mark Pennington and Miss Sarah Marshall.

The infant Sunday school class of Miss Mary Richart deserve special mention for their enterprise in collecting Easter missionary money, their collection amounting to nearly $5.

Died, March 30, Mr. John Frost, another of our aged citizens. For a long time Mr. Frost's health has been in so critical a condition that death may be said to be truly a release from pain.

Ninety Per Cent.

Of all the people need to take a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla at this season to prevent that rundown and debilitated condition which invites disease. The money invested in half dozen bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla will come back with large returns of health and vigor of body and strength of nerves.

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RIDGEWAY.

Singing School Concert—New Millinery Stores—Conundrum Social.

Some farmers are plowing for oats.

School opened Monday for the spring term.

Heavy white frosts nearly every morning.

R. S. Housman was in Adrian Saturday on business.

Frank Henry moved into Mrs. Jacob Arner's house Monday.

John Bauchman, of Toledo, called on friends Friday evening.

Mrs. L. Rappleye has 50 lbs. choice lard for sale at her home.

Mrs. Kellogg, of Tecumseh, was in the village Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Campbell will open millinery rooms in Britton soon.

George Palmer, of Wasepi, visited his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Arner, Friday.

Mrs. E. Smith, of Newburgh, is visiting her son, S. P. Smith, this week.

Lotta Wiggins will attend school in Tecumseh during the spring term.

Velta Waldner, of Ypsilanti, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Palmer.

Evening services at the church will begin at 7:30 until further notice.

Don't forget the concert to be given at the church tonight. Admission 10.

Mrs. Jacob Arner left for Detroit Friday, where she will make her home.

Mrs. Harriet Wheeler, of Petersburg, visited her nephew, W. L. Jones, Sunday.

Addie Sherman opened the spring term of school in the Witt district Monday.

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree, of Lawrence, visited at Dr. D. W. Loree's Saturday.

Samuel McClure and daughter, Anna, and niece, Mattie, called on friends in the village Sunday.

Rhoba Arner went to Hudson Wednesday for a few day's visit with Dr. R. H. Nelson and family.

Helen Foster with her friend Grace Birchall, of Toledo, were the guests of Leila Sutton Friday.

The collection taken for the missionary cause at the Easter service Sunday evening amounted to $28.69.

The roads are getting in good condition for the wheel, and those having them are improving the time.

Miss Edith Collins, of Blissfield, will be at her millinery rooms at Mrs. W. H. Arner's this week with the spring styles in millinery.

The ladies of the church social will give a peanut conundrum social at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wilson, on Friday evening, April 17.

Horace Dibble, while clipping a colt Monday, was kicked in the face, receiving a gash on the chin, which required three stiches to close.

All districts that have road machines should have them out and put the roads in good shape before the spring rains begin, and the districts that have none should get one.

It is through a letter received by Jacob Barrett from a nurse in the Christian Endeavor Hospital, at Sacramento, Cal., that we learn of Ralph Barrett's severe illness with consumption, with no hopes of recovery.

There was a large attendance at the W. C. T. U. meeting held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. E. Pocklington, last Friday evening. A short program was carried out, after which the president served refreshments.

A. J. Sutton, who has been at Lansing during the winter, returned home Saturday, spent Sunday with his family, and started for Moscow Monday, where he has accepted a position as agent for the C., J. & M. rail road company.

Mrs. Cansfield, wife of Rev. H. Cansfield, left with her two children, Monday morning for Port Huron, where she will join Mrs. Stansfield and daughter, when they will go to New York city and set sail Wednesday for England for a three month's visit at her old home in Bedford.

The Ridgeway Singing class will give a concert at the church Friday evening, under the supervision of Miss Dora Grayson assisted by Mrs. L. M. Kellogg, of Tecumseh. Following is the program:

Chorus by school.
Solo—Lena Stewart.
Duet—Mrs. Estella Palmer and Vina Pilbeam.
Solo—Mary McIntyre.
Chorus by school.
Solo—Blanche Wiggins.
Ladies' Chorus.
Solo—Mrs. Kellogg.
Duet—Dora Grayson and Lena Smith.
Solo—Floyd Smith.
Quartette—Mrs. Ernest Palmer, Mrs. R. S. Housman, Ernest Palmer and Floyd Smith.
Solo—Dora Grayson.
Duet—Ernest Palmer and Lawrence Rappleye.
Solo—Gertie Pilbeam.
Male Chorus.
Solo—Mrs. Kellogg.
Chorus by school.
Male Quartette.
Duet—Mrs. Kellogg and Miss Grayson.
Solo—J. D. Arner.
Solo—Mrs. Kellogg.
Chorus by school.

OBSERVATION.

We frequently hear it said that we try to maintain too many societies, that all look to our church for support. The one of least importance and at the same time occupying considerable valuable standing room, is known as the Admiration Society. They meet once a week, on Sunday, at the foot of the stairs in the vestibule of the church, immediately after the morning service. Their chief aim seems to be to admire one another and at the same time obstruct the passage to the Lecture room, used for the Sunday school, and the different class rooms located on that floor. If the "parasite" can not be got rid of, let there be a room fitted up for their especial use and the janitor see that they occupy it, thereby conferring a great favor to a worshipful congregation.

OBSERVER.

An Editor,

Of Clarence, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, writes: "Since the agency of your Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin was established here I have been a user of what I can call 'that excellent medicine.' For a year or more I have been troubled with constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., and I find that this remedy is just what I have needed." Sold by Orr & Temple. apr.

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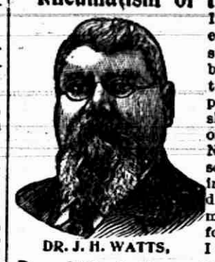

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 10, 1896.

High School Happenings.

Miss Elouise Waring is absent this week.

Latin IV. will complete Virgil this week.

Miss Allie Temple visited the A room Tuesday.

Hoyt Whelan and Allen Montgomery have left school.

The philosophy class has completed the subject of heat.

Miss Dot Wooden was a visitor in the high school Wednesday.

Miss Alta Bradley, of Franklin, was a high school visitor Wednesday.

The Seniors have been granted their afternoons for the remainder of the term.

Nate Bailey and Linford Slater, of Franklin, have entered the eighth grade.

Clarence Hurrey and Mr. Martin, also an Albion student, called on the A room Monday.

Vern Smith and Fay Anderson were absent Tuesday afternoon to attend the Thomas' Orchestra concert at Ann Arbor.

Miss Hartbeck is showing her appreciation of good company by keeping four of the boys of the A room after school noons and nights for the rest of the year(?).

A meeting was held in the office Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a base ball association, which resulted in the election of the following officers: Ralph Bidwell, manager; Will Hicks, captain; Fay Anderson, treasurer.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

We have an overplus of No. 9 XX full gov. white envelopes, which we will print in lots of 200 for $1.00. This is a bargain for users of large envelopes.

John McIntee, enroute from Rochester, N. Y., to his home in Bunker Hill, this state, made his cousins, James and Tom McCann, a visit Thursday and Friday.

Jno. Karner rode down to Blissfield on his wheel Wednesday, but the rain of yesterday unsettled the road so that he was obliged to return by train last night.

Have you seen those lovely shoes, walking shoes and slippers direct from manufacturers. All the new styles new toes at bottom prices at Harris & Hitchu's.

E. L. Teeple, while fishing last night, captured a fine specimen of the Great Northern Diver or Loon, which he will send to the taxidermist and have mounted for window exhibition.

J. S. Gillman has moved his harness shop into his residence on Evans street first door north of Spaulding's tin shop. This place is convenient not only for Mr. Gillman but also for the public.

Don't fail to call at Harris & Hitchu's and look at the beautiful line of spring capes, dress goods, fancy trimmings, silks, velvets, ribbons, spangles and jets. All the new things for spring of 1896.

The following delegates were elected to represent the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at the district convention, to be held in Ann Arbor, April 14, 15 and 16: Mrs. Dr. Hamilton Mrs. Jno. Linton, Mrs. Dr. North and Mrs. B. Hurry.

Last Wednesday evening the local chapter of the Eastern Star entertained the Jackson chapter of that order. About sixty members from the Central City came down on a special train to enjoy the hospitality of and witness the work as exemplified by their sisters and brothers of Tecumseh. The Grand Worthy Matron as well as members of the order from Manchester, Clinton, Adrian and Dundee also participated in the meeting which was much enjoyed by all.

An exchange says "e" is the most unfortunate letter in the English alphabet, because it is never in cash, and never out of debt and never out of danger. The aforesaid exchange forgets that the letter "e" is never in war, but always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no bread, no meal, no water, no gospel, no hades, no heaven, no newspapers and no advertising. It is always in marriage, and yet remains in single blessedness.—Telegram. And without it editors would be shorter than ever, news no good, the case deficient, and the shears and paste pot handicapped.

The following is an item that is hustling around the circuit of newspaper exchanges: "A Monroe blacksmith sighted a gun over his shoulder. It struck the trigger of a gun thirty feet behind him; the shot from that struck the trigger of a gun thirty feet in front of him: the shot from that struck the trigger of another gun thirty feet behind him; and the shot from that went through an apple on the top of his own head. It is thought to be the greatest shooting feat on record." "Who's the blacksmith?" did you ask? Well, now, the Democrat is under bonds to always conceal and never reveal his name. There is nothing he so much fears as that he may at any time be snatched from the bosom of his family and exhibited in a dime museum. As to its being "the greatest shooting feet on record," it is not so, as the shooting was nearer the head.

As the outcome of careful and intimate observation on the part of a trained student of political institutions, the little book entitled, Constitutional Government in Spain, J. L. M. Curry, late minister of the United States at Madrid, should have a careful reading (or re-reading) at the present time. The complex nature of the problems that at home confront the Spanish government, and therefore must be taken into account in any fair criticism of Spain's colonial and foreign relations, has not elsewhere, we think, been more compactly and intelligently stated. In regard to tendencies of life and thought in the peninsula, Mr. Curry is authority for a number of statements that contravene the popular impression, or the impression that the insurgent press and partisans have sought to create. We note specially on page 132 the following: "With all the undoubted drawbacks the drift in Spain is . . . hopefully towards constitutional principles, promoting the general good while conserving individual rights. Under the tuition and guidance of Liberals and Republicans the advance must be towards democratic government, towards the recognition of that "perfect liberty which is bound only by the equal liberty of every other."

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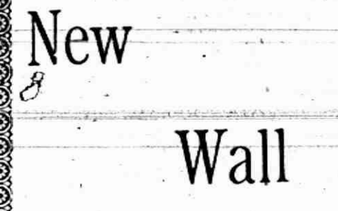

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GEAR—59½, 63, 68 or 72 inches.

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25c	" Pickles	19c	25c	can Roast Beef	19c
25c	" Midget Pickles	21c	35c	can Roast Chicken	22c
25c	" Pearl Onions	19c	10c	can Vineland Corn	7c
25c	" Catsup	20c	8c	can Green Corn	5c
15c	"	11c	20c	can Egg Plums	12c
25c	" Queen Olives	20c	10c	pkg Pretzelettes	8c
25c	bx Stallwark's Heart Cocoa	18c	15c	pkg Cheese Wafers	12c
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FOR SALE. One set 4-ton scales as good as new. Also a quantity of gas pipe. For bargains enquire at Globe Mills.

FOR SALE. Three good milch cows all coming in this month. Can be seen at my farm on Raisin. Henry Nyland.

FOR SALE—A fine bay driving mare. Weight about 1200 pounds.
GEO. L. OLIVER, Britton.

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C. W. McNEIL,
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FOR SALE—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike known as Sam Holden place. Good building, water, etc.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 10, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

J. E. White was down from Clinton Tuesday.

Miss LeBaron spent the Easter tide in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Emma Hoag moved to Toledo last Tuesday.

Mr. Hosmay has gone to Detroit to work for Paderewski.

Mrs. R. C. VanAntwerp, of Chicago, is the guest of her son Will.

Miss Grace James and two children are visiting at Mrs. DeWolf's.

Mrs. J. D. Shull and daughter, Viola, of Toledo visitors Saturday.

Mrs. N. B. Bacon, of Toledo, visited at Mr. Welling's family Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Sisson and little daughters are spending the week in Blissfield.

Mr. Pocklington is now traveling for one of the McCormick Harvester Co.

Miss Viola Wildie, of Holloway, spent Easter Sunday with Miss Carrie Smallman.

C. C. Hayden speaks of the National Bicycle Clipper wheels on the opposite page.

The finest music on sweetest instruments at Opera House next Wednesday night.

Mrs. S. Milo Dole, of Adrian, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. P. Anthony, this week.

A pleasant, profitable and seasonable gift. Forty-six hundredths of an inch in limitation.

The Maus concert next Wednesday at the Opera House, you cannot afford to miss.

Misses Anderson and Vern Smith attended the Thomas Concert at Ann Arbor last Wednesday.

Tickets are on sale for the Andrews Concert at Kirchgessner's and Spayde's. Price 10 and 20c.

Mr. Smith Mitchell and daughter, Miss, started for Waterloo, Ind., yesterday for a visit.

Mrs. Johnson, of Logansport, Ind., and Mrs. R. Breesie, of Decatur, Ill., were guests yesterday.

Mr. R. L. Baxter is spending the week with his daughter, Mrs. James Hall of Toledo.

Miss Bourne, of Milan, was the guest of Miss Florence Primrose the first of the Easter vacation.

Mr. Hardenburg went to Detroit last night. He will sail on the lakes this season on the Marquette.

Messrs P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and Hayden left for Detroit this morning to hear Paderewski there tonight.

Fine beautiful spring capes at Harris Mau's are going very fast, call and get your size before it is too late.

The high school boys have organized a ball nine. What is the matter with getting up a team to challenge them?

Miss Anna M. Lyon will give a free public health talk to mothers and others at the M. E. church parlors Saturday at 3:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall will commence housekeeping in Toledo next week. Mr. Hall has been there several weeks. Mrs. Hall goes tomorrow.

Pure early seed potatoes for sale at R. S. Moore's.

Mrs. Hattie Hanford gave a dinner party Wednesday.

Mell Barnes has moved into Dr. C. M. Woodward's house.

Lucas Bennett, of Springville, was in town Wednesday.

Charles Bell was with the Jackson O. E. S. Wednesday evening.

Rev. E. C. Andrus returns tomorrow from a visit at Grand Rapids.

Harry Moore went home to Dundee Monday to cast his maiden vote.

Don't forget the opening at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's. April 16, 17, and 18.

Maus Grand Concert Wednesday evening, April 15. Prices, 10, 15 and 20 cts.

E. J. Hollister, of Norwalk, Ohio, was in town a couple of days this week.

W. P. Gale and family, of Thornton, Wash., are guests of H. H. Keyser this week.

The Christian Culture Class, Saturday evening at the chapel of the Baptist church.

Sanford Cutting has severed his connection with the Bankrupt Purchasing Association.

The democrats and prohibitions took what the republicans left after Monday's election.

Mrs. T. C. Avery, of Washington, D. C., terminated her visit here Tuesday, going to Ypsilanti.

Rev. Stewart Noble, will preach at the Friends' church next Sunday, both morning and evening.

C. E. Williamson now has a matched team, having purchased a mate to his sorrel horse, of Jas. Aten.

Mrs. Sam Shutt has been seriously ill for several days this week with pneumonia, but is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Russel came down from Jackson with the O. E. S. Wednesday night. Mrs. Russel will visit here for a time.

Forrie Dickinson will now be found at the Dickenson Bros. meat maket, where he will be pleased to have his old friends call on him.

Mrs. Ide and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, April 15, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are welcome.

J. F. Slayton, of Dundee, bought of Elmer Ellis 175 lambs, which weighed 20,500 pounds, being an average of 175 pounds. Who can beat this?

The infant child of August Filter, of Holloway, died yesterday morning. The funeral will be conducted Sunday, from the church, directly after the morning service.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh Lodge, No. 190, Knights of Pythias will be held Wednesday evening, April 15. First and third rank work. A full attendance is desired.

Capt. T. R. Kyle drove over to Ann Arbor Wednesday to take in the first annual presentation of medals, and military reception tendered by Co. A, 1st M. N. G., of that city.

Special meetings of the Blue Lodge have been called for tomorrow and next week Wednesday nights. Work in the second degree will come before the lodge at these meetings.

Township Clerk Moore requsts that all Overseers of Highways elected last Monday file their acceptance with him within the required ten days in order to facilitate the commissioner's report.

S. Erwin Conklin, who is located with the Pacific Express Co., at Streator, Ill, has been spending the past week with his parents here. Western air seems to agree with Sam as he supports a flowing beard now.

The Monday club is requested to meet at the library at 2 p. m. on Monday, April 13, to make arrangements for the stereoptican lecture on the Passion Play of Oberammergau, to be given some time this month.

Summer Opening.—If you want to see as fine a display of pattern hats and bonnets as ever was shown in Tecumseh, go to Mrs. M. A. Freeman's Millinery parlors, April 16, 17, and 18. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There was a series of scraps in town last Saturday night with nobody fatally hurt. Some of our officers seem to be especially diligent at just the wrong time. For goodness sake, when the drunks get ready to go home let 'em go.

A new partnership was formed in the meat business Tuesday morning between C. M. and F. R. Dickinson. They will be located in the Dickinson block on Evans street, and intend to conduct a first class market. The firm will be known as Dickinson Bros.

The local court of the Independent Order of Foresters is glad to learn that one fourth of the surplus fund of the order, which amounts to over one and one half millions, will be transferred from Canada to the states. About $50,000 will be placed in Michigan.

At the business meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. last Wednesday evening the following officers were elected:

Pres.—F. A. Shepard.
Vice Pres.—H. S. Waring.
Sec—Miss Lillian Waring.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. F. A. Shepard.
Miss'y. Treas.—Miss Edith Ingersoll.

Subject in the Universalist church next Sunday morning: "Living Christianity." Evening, "And thinkest thou, O man, that thou shalt escape the judgement of God?" Romans 2:3. Meeting of trustees will be called after service in the morning. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Clyde Heck, Epgar Coddington, Earl Updyke, Roy Hughes and Roy Burlingame made a hack load who took in the leap year party at Blissfield Wednesday. They report a fine time. There was a difference in the morning however, coming home in the rain, with part of the load left behind them. It was, perhaps, hard work for "Scove" and "Coddy" to say "good morning," as up to date, they are among the missing.

The Leap Year party is an assured thing.

W. B. Odlon spent Sunday with friends in Reading.

Hudson Larzelere was a caller at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. L. M. Kellogg was a Toledo visitor Wednesday.

Remember the summer Opening at Mrs. Freeman's

Roy Hughes is home from Cleary's College for a few days.

Look your prettiest now, boys. That leap year party is coming and you all dance.

Don't fail to hear the Maus concert next Whdnesday evening at the opera house.

E. L. Ide and family and L. M. Ide and family were guests of Wm. Ide Easter.

Mr. S. G. Bush, of Ann Arbor, spent Easter with friends in the village and vicinity.

Miss Marie Paisley went to Toledo Wednesday to secure new millinery patterns.

Great exhibition of oil paintings in the "Andrew's Raid" Monday night, 10 and 20 cents.

Karner Bros. ad. this week is second to nothing except the line of fine shoes they have just got in.

Remember the concert before the dance next Friday evening. 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents.

John Curry entertained his brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Curry and son, of Cone, Saturday and Sunday.

The Andrews Raid, by W. J. Knight at the opera house next Monday evening April 13, for the benefit of the G. A. R. 10 and 20 cents.

Subject at the Baptist church next Sunday morning. "Appreciation of opportunities and submission to circumstances." Luke 2:49-51.

All members are requested to be present at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. N. Fowler, on Friday afternoon, April 10th. at 3 o'clock.

A special meeting of Tecumseh Chapter R. A. M., for work in the Royal Arch degree, will be held on Thursday evening, April 16. A banquet will follow.

W. J. Knight has been engaged for the second time to give his illustrated lecture "The Andrew's Raid," at Clinton in the near future, showing that he pleases the people.

Edward Prichard went to Ludington last week to attend the funeral of his mother, having been just four years the same month that he attended his father's funeral at the same place.

The patrons for the leap year party next Friday evening are Messrs. J. F. Hicks, Geo. Tiffany, sr., A. L. Brewer, Webster Anderson, E. N. Satterthwaite, Chas. Bidwell, sr., O. P. Bills, Lucius Lilley, J. A. Boyd and N. S. Satterthwaite.

Fulton will be here next Tuesday evening. Subject: "What will he do?" He discusses with mingled wit and wisdom, men that do nothing; the demands of the time; how to succeed; and the influence of motive. At the Baptist church, admission only 15 cents, reserved seats 5 cents extra at Kirchgessner's, Saturday April 11th at 8 a. m.

The ladies of this place will give a leap year party at the opera house Tuesday evening, April 17. They have secured music from abroad and intend giving a grand concert before the dance. Admission to the gallery has been placed at 15 cents. Reserved seats at Kirchgessner's, 25 cents. Also dance tickets for those who desire to buy before the evening of the party, at the same place. The concert will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Harper's Magazine for April contains the concluding chapters of the story of "Joan of Arc," showing the maid and conqueror as at last the martyr. The frontispiece is an engraving, by Florian, of the mural painting by Lenepveu in the Pantheon of Paris—a striking representation of the execution of Joan. An engraving is given of Fremiet's statue, and other illustrations of the closing scences of the imprisonment and martyrdom from drawings by Du Mond. A poem by Katrina Trask (author of "Under King Constantine"), entitled "A Night and Morning in Jerusalem," beautifully illustrated by Mowbray, is a special feature. "Mad Anthony Wayne's Victory," by the Hon. Theo. Roosevelt, a bright contrast to the disastrous defeat of St. Clair, already described by the same writer in the February Harper's, is a clearer revelation than has yet been made public of the relation of British commanders in the Northwest to the Indian wars of that period.

The fullest and most reliable account of the Cuban insurrection that has yet found its way into periodical literature appears in the April Review of Reviews from the pen of that veteran journalist and war correspondent, Murat Halstead, who has only recently returned from an extended sojourn in Cuba. Mr. Halstead's article embodies much fresh and important material of the greatest interest—for example, the proclamation made by General Gomez in December last, Gen. Weyler's statement in reply to questions of Mr. Halstead concerning Spanish policy in Cuba, and specimens of the work of the press censor, besides a vast amount of statistical data impossible to obtain except by personal visitation and inquiry. Mr. Halstead has had access to all sources of trustworthy information on both sides of the present contest, and has utilized the knowledge thus gained with the skill of the practised writer of current history. His whole aim has been to get at the truth and present it impartially. The portraits of Cuban leaders which accompany Mr. Halstead's article are all reproductions of photographs or of drawings made in the field from life. The portrait of General Gomez, which serves as the frontispiece of the magazine, is considered the best ever published.

Maus Grand Concert.

J. A. Maus will give an entertainment at Sutton's Opera House next Wednesday evening, consisting of mandolin, guitar, banjo and piano selections also readings by Adah W. Maus, elocutionist. It will be a strictly refined and high grade concert worthy of your patronage, and within the reach of all, the prices being 10, 15 and 20c. Following are the artists and program:

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Mandolinist, Guitarist, Banjoist.
ADAH WARING MAUS,
Reader, Mandolinist, Banjoist.
M. LINA BOYD.
Accompanist and Harmonica Artist.

PROGRAM.

March—King Cotton ..... Sousa
Two Mandolins and Piano.
Reading—Whistling Regiment ..... Harvey
Adah W. Maus.
March—Kansas City ..... Guckert
Two Banjos and Piano.
Waltz Serenade—Twilight Ripples Along the Rhine ..... Maus
Mandolin Solo, J. A. Maus.
Reading—Jack Hall's Boat Race ..... Grant
Adah W. Maus.
Harmonica Solo .....
M. Lina Boyd.
March, Waltzes { Honeymoon ..... Posey / Colonial Dames ..... Sousa
Two Mandolins and Piano.
Waltz—Trocadero ..... Maus
Two Banjos and Piano.
March—Patrol of the Brownies ..... Maus
Mandolin and Guitar, Adah W. and J. A. Maus
Waltz—Menzonita ..... Maus
Two Mandolins and Autoharp.
Reading—Story of Some Bells ..... Place
(With piano accompaniment)
Adah W. Maus.
March—Flip Flop ..... Maus
Two Banjos and Piano.

—Harris & Hiteshu are showing a beautiful line of dress goods this spring.

—Never before in the history of Tecumseh were such fine goods slaughtered as they are now doing at Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

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—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

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—My lumber trade is very large and my prices very low. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Please call and get my extremely low prices on new spring garments of all kinds and qualities. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Hitch your horses and get for the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

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—The best selected line of Spring and Summer woolens ever offered for sale in Tecumseh is now ready for your inspection. J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

—Call at the Tecumseh Steam Laundry and see the new improvements in machinery, and notice the elegance of the work done and you will leave your work. JOHN BARKWELL

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

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VOTERS TURN OUT.

Michigan Cities and Towns Choose Their Officers.

Democrats Show Surprising Gains in Some Sections, Which Are Offset by Republican Victories at Unexpected Points.

Detroit, April 7.—Substantial democratic gains were made in many of the townships, city and village elections which were held throughout the state Monday. Many cities boast democratic mayors, a luxury they did not njoy before. The republicans, on the other hand, wrested several towns from the democrats. The trend of the election favors the republicans. For an off year the vote is considered unusually large. The Free Press (democratic) claims that towns in many sections that never returned a democratic candidate switched Monday and elected in some instances, complete democratic tickets. The free silver folks did not meet with much encouragement. In one instance the silverites elected their mayor, the rest of the ticket chosen being democratic. In certain districts where the populists formed a fusion with the democrats their tickets went through. A synopsis of the results follows:

In Grand Rapids the entire republican ticket was elected by majorities of from 200 to 1,200, excepting Stow (rep.), for mayor, who is believed elected over Stebbins (dem.) by less than 100 majority. Samuel Dickie, chairman of the prohibition national committee, was elected mayor of Albion by 13 plurality over McCutcheon (dem.), the issue being between the prohibition and liquor elements. In Bay City the democrats elected the recorder. The council will be a tie. Kalamazoo, Owosso, Benton Harbor and Muskegon went republican by decisive majorities.

Sault Ste. Marie elected all republicans a reversal of the result of a year ago. Manistee, Flint, Grand Haven, Stanton, St. Ignace, Marshall, Traverse City and Coldwater elected democratic mayors in some cases reversing last year's majorities. There was but one ticket at Marquette. Escanaba elected Gallup (rep.) by 800 majority. In Battle Creek the democratic candidate for mayor, Frank Turner, a free-silver Independent, defeated Fred H. Webb, the republican candidate, by 76 majority. The remainder of the republican ticket was elected by majorities ranging from 641 to 882.

In Negaunee and Ishpeming complete victories for the labor ticket are reported. Republicans elected their entire city ticket at Lansing, but by greatly decreased pluralities as compared with last year. Jackson republicans were also successful. The democrats made a sweeping victory at Saginaw, electing William B. Baum mayor by 1,900 majority and carrying the entire city ticket and 11 out of 17 aldermen. The A. P. A.'s captured the republican convention and put an A. P. A. ticket in the field, so that the issue was fairly drawn in this, the home of Congressman Linton, the leading A. P. A. in the country. The result is very disastrous to the order, as it has hitherto been a power here, and the democrats have not carried the city since the order was established. In Wayne county, of which Detroit is the county seat, the democrats are jubilant over the fact that the returns show that several additional democratic supervisors were chosen by handsome majorities.

At Petoskey the democrats overcame an adverse majority of 250 and elected E. L. Kose mayor by 12 majority. The entire republican ticket, except justice, was elected at Allegan and Alpena. Ann Arbor went republican by about 500 majority. With three tickets in the field at Big Rapids James Shields, people's candidate for mayor, was elected. In Cadillac the contest was marked by a struggle between sound money and free silver people. A remarkably large vote was polled—965, against 609 last year. The republican ticket was elected throughout, though the free silver people elected two aldermen. Republican majorities were reduced materially. Democrats made a clean sweep at Cheboygan and Decatur. At Dowagiac the democratic candidate for mayor was successful. Eaton Rapids went republican by an unprecedented majority, against democrat and local option tickets. Greenville republicans elected all of their candidates except city clerk. The offices were pretty evenly divided at Hastings. Hillsdale reports a republican victory, and Holland democrats were successful. Democratic candidate for mayor was elected at Ionia. At Iron Mountain the entire citizens' ticket won. Menominee republicans elected mayor and treasurer. At Monroe all of the city officers except mayor were elected by the democrats; a proposition to bond the city for $25,000 for a municipal water plant was defeated. The democrats elected their ticket in Mount Clemens and Mount Pleasant, while the republicans were victorious in Tenitwater, St. Joseph, West Bay City and Ypsilanti.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Much Information from Various Points to Be Found Below.

The Masonic home, Grand Rapids, will be closed April 15.

Pontiac people want the payment of taxes made semi-annually.

Saginaw has discharged the last smallpox patient and burned the pest house.

The bursting of a grindstone in Stuart's foundry at Allegan fatally injured Carroll Gay.

Lyman Phillips, of Ackerson's Lake, and 56 years of age, dropped dead from over-exertion recently.

The Platt mine, south of Negaunee, has been closed down and will be abandoned, the ore deposits having been mined out.

A syndicate of Indiana capitalists is negotiating for water power with a view of establishing a new paper mill at Buchanan.

William P. Powell, of Chicago, has organized the Peninsular Box & Lumber company of Menominee, with $25,000 capital stock.

Michael Rodenick, aged 80 years, of White Pigeon, went into the stable to harness a horse. The animal was skittish, knocked him down and inflicted fatal injuries by trampling on him.

The Grand Rapids, Spring Lake & Grand Haven Rapid Transit company has filed 28 quit-claim deeds with the register of Ottawa county. The deeds cover concessions for the right of way between Grand Rapids and Grand Haven.

MICHIGAN Y. P. S. C. E.

Proceedings of the Annual Convention at Ionia.

Ionia, April 4.—The annual convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor union was held here. The report of the secretary showed a gain since last year of 335 societies and more than 16,000 members, the society now having 66,000 members in the state. Among those who addressed the convention was Dr. Clark, the world's president. The missionary spirit is dominant here, and 20 have signified their willingness to go to foreign lands as missionaries. Much rivalry was manifested between representatives from Port Huron and Jackson for the next annual convention. Jackson finally won. Officers elected are:

President—William H. Strong, of Detroit.
Vice President—Prof. G. P. Cider, of Ann Arbor.
Secretary—Flora B. Roberts, of Lancre.
Treasurer—H. O. Fanning, of Grand Rapids.
Junior Superintendent—Mabel Bates, of Traverse City.
Missionary Superintendent—H. R. Hoobler, of Bay City.

Divide the Business.

Grand Rapids, April 5.—An important traffic deal has been completed by the Grand Rapids & Indiana road on the one side and the Chicago & West Michigan and Detroit, Lansing & Northern on the other, by which the roads cease to be competitors on through business. The Grand Rapids & Indiana abandons its connection with the Michigan Central and turns all its Detroit & Chicago through business over to the West Michigan. The Chicago & West Michigan abandons all through passenger business to the north and the Grand Rapids & Indiana will have its old monopoly on the resort business to Petoskey and Mackinaw this summer.

Convict Confesses His Crime.

Marquette, April 7.—Frank Lieski, a convict doing a 15 years' sentence in the Marquette branch state prison for highway robbery at Detroit, confessed that he had a hand in the mysterious murder of Frederick Chauvin at Detroit six years ago. Chauvin was an aged miser who had accumulated a large hoard, which was generally believed to be concealed about his house. One morning he was found dead, his body mutilated, and no money could be found on the premises.

Death of a Michigan Pastor.

Detroit, Mich., April 8.—Rev. W. Wellington Carson, D. D., pastor of the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian church and a well-known Presbyterian divine, died at his residence here Tuesday morning of peritonitis. Dr. Carson was born near Ottawa, Canada, in 1845, and he was ordained to the ministry in 1871. He filled pulpits in all of the prominent cities of Canada, coming to this city from Kingston in 1891.

Eight Die of Tuberculosis.

Lansing, Mich., April 4.—A remarkable story comes from Montcalm county to the effect that a family of six members and two persons who attended them in their illness have, inside a few years, died from tuberculosis. It is alleged the first member of the family to die contracted the disease from his cows, which also died of the malady. The state board of health will make an investigation.

Tuberculosis in Michigan.

Lansing, April 6.—Dr. E. A. Grange, of the Michigan Agricultural college, who has investigated tuberculosis in almost every part of the state, has discovered that the disease also exists in the fine herd of thoroughbreds at the college farm, notwithstanding the especial care and exercise given these cattle. Experiments will be made upon the infected animals.

Kalamazoo Corporations.

Kalamazoo, April 6.—Kalamazoo has 37 corporations capitalized at a sum aggregating $4,859,450 of which $1,741,184.71 is paid in, leaving only $118,265.29 of the total capital stock yet to be subscribed. This is compiled from the annual reports of Kalamazoo corporations, which have been forwarded to Lansing and returned to County Clerk Forbes.

Manufacturing Firm Fails.

Muskegon, April 4.—The Kelly Brothers Manufacturing company, of this city, has filed trust mortgages to the amount of $21,000. The firm is engaged in manufacturing fine interior finish and cabinet work, and employs 250 men at its factory.

MICHIGAN G. A. R.

State Encampment Meets at Saginaw—Gen. Shakespeare Honored.

Saginaw, April 3.—Gen. William Shakespeare, of Kalamazoo, was elected department commander of the Michigan Grand Army of the Republic. The other officers chosen are: Senior vice commander, L. W. Lyon, Saginaw; junior vice commander, J. O. Bellaire, Grand Rapids. Greenville was chosen as the place for the next encampment. The Woman's Relief corps chose Mrs. Manda J. Halsted, of Concord, president; Mrs. Nellie Prince Quimby, of Saginaw, senior vice president, and Mrs. Minnie Lewis, of Muskegon, junior vice president.

Gen. Shakespeare, who was elected department commander, is 52 years old. He was the first person in Kalamazoo county to enlist in the war. He was then only 17 years of age, but had his name enrolled before President Lincoln made his call for 75,000 troops. The company was not mustered, but three days later Charles S. May received authority to raise a company, and he was again the first to enlist. Young Shakespeare was wounded three times in the service. At Jacksonville, Miss., July 1, 1863, he had both his legs broken by bullets, one in two places. He draws a total disability pension—$72 per month.

WANT LINTON TO RUN.

American Protective Association Favors Him for the Presidency.

St. Louis, April 8.—The American Protective association has sprung a decided surprise in political circles by taking up William S. Linton, of Michigan, as its choice for president and arranging for a vigorous campaign. This is all the more surprising because it was understood that the order would have no particular choice for president and that its votes would be divided between McKinley, Reed, Allison, Morton and Harrison. The launching of Linton's boom was determined upon at a recent meeting of the national advisory board of the American Protective association. The association has established headquarters in St. Louis at 613 Pine street, from whence Linton literature will be sent broadcast throughout the country.

WILL BE HELD AT DETROIT.

Consecration of Bishop Williams to Take Place May 1.

Marquette, April 6.—The consecration of Bishop G. Mott Williams, of the diocese of Marquette, will take place in Grace church, Detroit, May 1, and will be presided over by Bishop Davies. The bishop of Chicago will preach the sermon. The bishops of Fon du Lac and Tennessee will be presenters. The object of holding the ceremony in Detroit is threefold. First, to avoid the greater expense of getting the necessary prelates to Marquette; second, to assure sufficient accommodation for all who come; and third, to avoid ostentatious display here, in view of the trouble which was created by Bishop Williams' election.

Vote on the Eight-Hour Day.

Iron Mountain, April 7.—The several branches of the Northern Mineral Workers' Progressive Union in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota voted Sunday on the proposition to demand an eight-hour workday, but the result of the balloting will not be known until the general convention is held in Ishpeming, on April 14. The vote of the union here is believed to have been favorable to the movement. The movement at this time is extremely vigorous, and should a strike follow the demand every mine in the Bessemer pool, recently organized, will shut down indefinitely.

Tilden Mine Closes a Shaft.

Ishpeming, April 6.—The Tilden mine at Bessemer closed down one shaft Saturday night and let out 200 men. The real reason for the suspension is difficult to learn, but there are good grounds for the belief that a resumption of work at the Tilden with a full force of men will take place in a short time.

Receiver for a Michigan Road.

Grand Rapids, April 4.—In the United States court an order was made appointing Charles M. Heald receiver of the Detroit, Lansing & Northern railway. Suit was recently begun against the road to foreclose a mortgage. Mr. Heald is general manager of the system, which includes the Chicago & West Michigan.

Announces His Candidacy.

Iron Mountain, April 4.—At a mass meeting of 1,200 miners and others Friday night Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, formally announced himself as a candidate for governor. He declared himself a republican and protectionist. The meeting was principally attended by miners, a dozen surrounding cities being represented.

Burglars in a Jewelry Store.

Menominee, April 8. — Burglars entered the jewelry and second-hand store of Smith & Peterson at an early hour Tuesday morning, cracked a large safe, and got away with $200 in cash and $1,000 worth of watches and jewelry. This is the second safe robbery within a week.

Babe Smothered.

Sanilac Center, April 3.—Thursday night Fred Warner, farmer, and wife took their baby to church. Mrs. Warner handed the baby to another lady, who on taking off its wraps discovered it was dead. It is thought the baby died from suffocation.

The Tariff League.

Detroit, Mich., April 8. — According to Secretary Archer the national convention of the Tariff Commission league will be held in Detroit. The meeting will begin the last week in May and will probably last ten days.

Death of F. A. Blackmer.

Benton Harbor, April 7.—F. A. Blackmer, well known for several years as a civil engineer of unusual ability, aged 48 years, died at his home here Monday. He was very wealthy, and leaves a large number of relatives.

For Michigan Rivers and Harbors.

Washington, D. C., April 4.—The river and harbor appropriation bill for the current fiscal year provides the following amounts for harbors in Michigan:

Charlevoix, $30,000; Frankfort, $15,000; Grand Haven, $20,000; Grand Marais, $24,000; Manistee, $12,000; Muskegon, $50,000; Ontonagon, $10,000; Sand Beach, $16,000; Portage lake, $25,000; Benton Harbor canal (St. Joseph), $30,000; South Haven, $15,000; Marquette, $24,000; Ludington, $30,000; Saugatuck, $20,000; Cheboygan, $17,000; Point Marquette bay, $50,000.

River improvements in Michigan are provided for as follows:

Saginaw, $50,000; Grand, $50,000; Clinton, $10,000; Detroit, $20,000; waterway across Keweenaw point, $50,000; contracts authorized for $1,000,000.

Broke His Back.

Ludington, April 2.—Eugene Marconot, a car inspector for the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad was seriously, if not fatally injured Wednesday evening. He was under a car making repairs when the yard engine "kicked" some cars down the track. Marconot was caught between the brake bar and the axle. His body was bent double and his spine broken.

To Prison for Stealing a Purse.

Saginaw, April 4.—Thomas Hoyt, a colored waiter at the Bancroft house, stole a purse containing $32 from Mrs. Emma E. Knapp, of Howell, past department president of the W. R. C., during the G. A. R. encampment here on Thursday. He has been sentenced to Jackson at hard labor for one year.

Paralysis Stops Her Speech.

Lansing, April 2.—Mrs. W. D. Sabin, of this city, a leading exponent of the doctrine of Christian science, was stricken down with paralysis while addressing a company of ladies at her home upon the subject of the cure of ills by faith.

To the Sufferers of Rheumatism.

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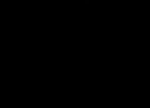

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A Visit to Kauai, the "Garden Island."

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The Island of Kauai is sometimes called the Garden Island of the group. It is one vast flower garden between ninety and one hundred miles in circumference. Vegetables, however, are not grown very successfully there. The island is said, by geologist, to be the oldest of the group. One thing is certain, Kauai has better roads than any of the other islands, and after wandering through the stony, pathless forests of Hawaii, one finds the roads of Kauai delightful garden paths.

On January 6, 1896, the little steamer Mikahola lay at her dock in Honolulu Harbor. At 1 p. m. I alighted from the carriage, walked up the gragway, and took my position on the Captain's bridge to watch the process of loading mules.

This is an interesting sight. The vessel has a derick rigged on the deck, and a broad belt is passed under the mule to which a hook is attached above his back. As the engine starts, the mule is lifted from his feet and landed on deck, much to his disgust. One of the most amusing incidents I have ever witnessed was getting a vicious mule on board this vessel.

This mule was brim full of his Satanic majesty, and flashed more brimstone from his eyes than the great volcano is doing today. His heels were light and played with the rapidity of lightning about among the natives, and when they began to put the belt under his body, he smiled in his sardonic way, and seemed to be saying: "Just see me buck when they tighten that cinch." He seemed to be laboring under the delusion that a saddle was being placed on him. At last the belt was fixed, the hook inserted in the ring, and the mate blew his whistle to start the engine.

"Puff, puff—rattle, rattle," the belt began to tighten and the mule thought it time to "buck." He elevated his back until it grew round, and all four of his feet left the ground at the same moment. Now came the surprise. He expected to land flat-footed in such a way as to completely paralize everything, but the cinch tightened, and his muleship swung high in the air, until such a look of disgust and amazement came over his countenance as would make a fortune for a farce comedian. His gyrations, kicks and struggles in mid-air soon ceased, and he was gently lowered to the deck. He seemed to "have it in for" the mate, for every time that personage came in sight the mule's heels flew out like springs towards him.

Before we reached Diamond Head the supper gong sounded, and the passengers hurried down to finish the meal before we entered the channel, as the chances were we would not enjoy it an hour later. The channels between the islands are never smooth, and seem to be more dreaded by the inhabitants of the islands than a voyage to Japan or San Francisco. The vessels which ply between the islands are small, the sea "choppy," and if one can make the tour of the islands in them without getting seasick, he is proof against that malady. I had made seven ocean voyages without feeling any of the disagreeable effects of seasickness, and had begun to boast myself a born sailor, but, alas, the channel between Kauai and Oahu took the conceit out of me.

At three o'clock in the morning the steward rapped on the door of my stateroom and said we were entering the port of Nawiliwili. I had not the slightest idea where I was to land, but somehow instinctively felt that this must be my destination. I awoke sleepy and cross, dressed hurriedly, seized my traveling-bag and artist's portfolio, and left the stateroom just as the anchor was dropped.

Three ladies, myself, seven Japanese and fourteen Chinamen were the passengers to disembark. The harbor was not very rough though the water was slightly undulating. We were compelled to climb down a rope-ladder and enter a boat manned by a crew of dusky Hawaiians. This feat, in the night, is not pleasant, especially when boat and ship are bobbing in different directions.

As soon as the mail was brought off the omnibus took us to the hotel at Likue, about one and a half miles from the landing. I was shown to my room and informed that Dr. E. C. Goodhue, the government physician at Koloa, would call for me during the forenoon. Shortly after breakfast he came to take me to Koloa as his guest.

The ride from Likue to Koloa was delightful. The day was fair, the roads, but for the red soil, might remind one of New England. The kukua trees, or screw pines, and wild breadfruit grew on every side. On the way we paused at the Kauai Industrial School which was established by Dr. J. S. Smith and his sister. There are sixty boys in attendance at this school, where they are not only given a good English education, but are taught useful trades, such as carpentering, blacksmithing and farming.

As we reached the beautiful village of Koloa with its great old sugar mill, I noticed in front of one of the larger and better houses the glorious "Stars and Stripes" flying. Supposing it to be the office of an American consul, I asked the doctor and he replied that it was his own flag which he raised every time an American landed on the island. One will never know how to appreciate America and our glorious flag until he sojourns in a foreign land.

"Come to my house and stay as long as you like," said the United States consul at Hilo. "We will feast your eyes on the flag and the American coat of arms, and talk of America. I am never so happy as when I find myself in the presence of an American citizen."

On the afternoon of my arrival the doctor, his wife, Dr. Crane, and myself went to the Spouting Horn, which is not more than a mile and a half from Koloa. This is one of the wonders of Kauai. The ledge of lava-like rock which extends over acres along the seashore is penetrated by many caverns into which the waves of the sea rush with wonderful force. There is an orifice in the rock large enough for an ordinary man to crawl through, and the water, driven in by the surf, is forced through this hole, sometimes to the height of sixty feet. The expulsion of the water is accompanied by a hollow roar as the air is forced through an apperture near the horn. Near the horn is a large rock known as The Pulpit, and about one hundred paces in the opposite direction is the Boiling Kettle, which is simply a large hole into which the water is continually rushing in and out, just like boiling water.

The Oberammergau Passion Play.

The little village of Oberammergau was first brought to the notice of the outside world forty years ago, when it was discovered that away up in the Tyrolese Alps, a little band of peasants were playing, with little dramatic art, the "The Passion of our Lord." This little village, as its name indicates, is over, or above, the river Ammer and about fifty miles from Munich.

This play is given every tenth year during the Sundays of summer and on Wednesdays and Fridays beside. From five to seven hundred of the villagers are needed to take the parts and choruses and for this they receive no remuneration whatever, except for the week day performance, where those who are wage earners, being too poor to afford to lose the time, are allowed from the proceeds an amount equivalent to the sum they would have earned at their respective trades. All receipts of the play are religiously devoted to the improvement of the church and village. No person is allowed a part whose life is not morally pure, and to be chosen for the leading roles is considered above all earthly honor; while to be refused any part is deemed such a disgrace as to drive some of the simple folk to dementia.

It is no uncommon thing for the peasants of Tyrol to make pilgrimages on foot, for fifty miles, sleeping en route in the open air, with a piece of black bread for sustenance, to see this play, and consider themselves happy in being allowed the privilege. From eight in the morning until six in the evening, six thousand people sit without fatigue and "shudder and weep together over the tragedy of the atonement" as given by these humble people. The play is a great incentive during the intervening years, to the villagers, to live in such a way that they may be thought worthy to bear a part in this great event. It is said, that from habitual meditation on the characters they are to take, they come to resemble in feature and expression those whom they imitate. The play begins with Adam and Eve in the garden and ends with the Ascension and each scene is preceeded by tableaux from the prophecies. Two hundred years of studying and meditating on the scenes of the Bible has wrought a refining transformation on these rude peasants, and raised them above their neighbors spiritually.

When some years ago, for pure motives of gain, it was intended to produce this play upon a New York stage, by actors whose living is made behind the footlights, public opinion justly regarded it as sacrilege, and it was prohibited. But to these Bavarian peasants it is the faithful discharge of a sacred covenant made with God for His protection, and is done reverently and solemnly, and can in no way offend the most devoted follower of the humble Nazarene, whose life they strive to imitate. It is only from the recent rush of American and European visitors to Oberammergau with their open purses and their bidding for seats, that anything sacrilegious or iconoclastic is to be feared.

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Attention Teachers!

The Summer Normal School of Review begins at Adrian College, July 6. Conducted by Prof. O. L. Palmer, Adrian; Prof. M. W. Hensel, Blissfield; and Mrs. Edward Keeler, Adrian, to whom all letters of inquiry should be addressed.

AROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The new board of supervisors of Washtenaw county will be democratic by one majority.

The intelligent voters in the second ward of Hudson used the Abbott voting machine with good success.

The Rogers Corbett Oil Co. is organized at Riga, and will issue shares of stock to put down test wells for oil. We hope they will get so much of it that it will fill the Burton & White drain, and run it over, until the Press gets its pay for advertising on the big ditch.—Adrian Press.

A mature lady out in Iowa has written City Attorney F. E. Priddy in regard to acting as her agent for a $4-a-month house, asking him to send a cabinet photograph of himself in order that she may satisfy herself he is to be trusted with the collection of this affluent rental. Frank is hustling around trying to borrow a picture of some honest looking friend.—Adrian Times.

The program of the May Festival will be Thursday evening, May 21, a Wagner concert, part 1 being a miscellaneous program, and part 2 the entire first act of "Lohengrin;" Friday afternoon comes a symphony concert; Friday evening, miscellaneous program; Saturday afternoon, orchestral concert; Saturday night, grand choral and orchestral rendering of Saint Saens' "Samson and Delilah."—Ann Arbor Democrat.

Here is the opinion of the Monroe Democrat on the Pingree club question: "Dundee is menaced with the formation of a Pingree club. The great potato-bug of Detroit, is bound to control the republican party of Michigan, this year, or the g. o. p. will have 'small potatoes and few in a hill' at diggin' time this fall. Democrats who paid high taxes last fall and who may be disposed to worship Pingree will please remember that Detroit's debt has increased about five millions under the potato mayorality. A nice governor he'd make!"

Monroe Democrat: A lady of Dundee had a wart on her nose and all effort to induce the wart to occupy a modest place in society failed. Try as she might, it was always ahead of her to greet a friend. Was she to be presented to a stranger, the wart insisted on being first introduced. Moreover, the owner of the wart was unable to convince herself that it was in the least degree ornamental, and this, together with its brazen obtrusiveness into society, at last aroused her to such a pitch that she seized a pair of shears and snipped it off—an act of shear desparation. Then followed erysipelas of the nose and a serious experience from the effects of which the lady is just recovering. The wart, however, is no more.

A bewildered correspondent of the Washtenaw Times, who between standard and local time seems to be lost "between the barren peaks of two eternities," berates the hoary sages of the University for clinging to local time and undertakes to show that for all they know about sun time they might as well eat hay. He says they think sun time corresponds to that of the sun dial, whereas the "sun time," is only an average of a variation of 32 minutes which he hopes the University authorities will have the faculty to understand. They may feel toward their critic as did a minister who, in the midst of a lurid sermon on future punishment when a dude pulled out his chronometer, yelled, "Put up that watch, young man—we are speaking of eternity not of time."—Ann Arbor Argus.

The following is the board of supervisors, which has a good republican majority:

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., April, 10 '96.

President Cleveland has not had a happy week of it. First came the long delayed Cuban concurrent Congressional resolutions, which call for some action on his part, whether they get it or not; then one of his children was taken down with measles, and last, and probably most worrying of all, he hears that the probabilities of the silver democrats controlling the Chicago Convention are increasing every day. It is not believed that the virtual repudiation of the Carlisle boom by the silver democrats worried him any.

Senator Tillman, of S. C., left Washington yesterday to fill engagements to speak in Louisville, St. Louis and Denver, and, according to congressional talk, to launch his boom as a Presidential candidate on a silver platform. Mr. Tillman has already stated, and will probably reiterate it on his trip, that he intended to bolt the Chicago convention if it failed to adopt a platform satisfactory to the silver men.

Senator Teller, of Colorado, has introduced a bill to compel all national banks to keep up their reserves in their own vaults instead of loaning it out at interest to the banks in the great money centers. He said that last September no less than $200,000,000 which should have been in circulation, through the small banks, was thus tied up in New York city. Senator Hoar, of Mass., said the reform sought by Senator Teller was badly needed and that he hoped the bill would pass.

The Indians are making a sturdy fight to prevent congressional action upon the bill recommended by the Dawes commission, providing for allotment in severalty of the lands in Indian Territory etc. and it looks like they might succeed. What the Indians think of this bill was voiced by Mr. S. Miller, an educated Creek, who is now in Washington, when he said: "It is in violation of the most sacred treaties on the part of the government and tribes. It can have no other effect than the pauperization of our people and their extinction will soon follow. The allotment of lands in severalty, especially, will prove a curse instead of a benefit, for whatever conditions may be imposed, at the end of a few years a small number of people will own all the land and the masses will be beggars."

Notwithstanding the open opposition of the administration, the House Military committee has favorably reported the joint resolution providing for the promotion of Gen. Miles to be Lieut. General. It is believed that slurs thrown at Gen. Miles by certain persons because he made his start in the army as a volunteer, instead of with a West Point diploma, have largely increased the chances the joint resolution has for being adopted. Plain everyday men have never conceded the superiority claimed by those officers who have been educated at the expense of the government over all others who served in the army. If a man has natural ability and talent in that line there can be no doubt that the system of education at West Point tends to make a better soldier of him; but he is a careless reader of recent history who asserts that he is necessarily the superior of the volunteer officer. Hundreds of cases could be cited to prove the contrary.

The question of whether the government should adopt the metric system of weights and measures does not seem to contain anything humorous, but when the bill providing for the adoption of that system on July 1, 1898, was before the House Representative Otey, of Va., kept the House in a roar of laughter, during his short speech against the bill. He started out by saying that it would be as easy for him to learn German or Sanskrit as the metric system. He then fired a few humorous squibs at the table of the metric system, ridiculing the linear and cubic measurements, their derivatives and nomenclature, and said he had not found the wet measure. Then assuming a judicial pose he continued: "Where's your measure of whisky? How many listers are there in a drink? I venture to say Kentucky will have something to say about the adoption of this new fangled system. Her delegation will be solidly opposed to it. I am not surprised that we are referred to Africa as one of the progressive countries which has adopted this system." The bill was recommitted.

Not a little amusement followed the expressions of two democratic Senators, who are both known as administration men, on the President's probable action on the Cuban resolutions. It was in the Senate lobby. A group of Senators were discussing probabilities when Senator Gray, of Del., said: "Mr. Cleveland may be relied upon to do what he thinks right." Senator Lindsay, of Ky., retorted with more or less vehemence: "He may be relied upon to do what he d—— pleases."

Senator Butler, of N. C., has introduced a joint resolution in the Senate which many think ought to be put through. It provides for a constitutional amendment to limit the vote power of the President by giving Congress the right to pass measures over a veto by a majority vote, instead of the two-thirds vote now required.

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Clinton Column.

First Council Meeting—New Doctor—Moving—Many Personals.

Chris Schneiria rides a Hudson.

Mrs. Augusta Sulfin is on the sick list.

Rob Crosby will ride a Stearc's special this year.

S. W. DeNuts was an Adrian visitor Monday.

Roy Wood was home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

W. S. Whittlesey is building a brand new kitchen.

Ira VanGieson returned from Detroit last Saturday.

Miss Isabel Davis was a Tecumseh visitor last week.

A. M. Kennedy has moved into the Geo. Kies residence.

Miss Sarah Wallace returned from Adrian last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Pawson, of Tipton, was a Clinton caller Tuesday.

Burt Cutting, of Tecumseh, was in town the first of the week.

M. V. Cooley, of Muskegon, visited his son Charles here this week.

Ed. Clark is putting in a fine line of buggies and carriages for sale.

Fred Bradner arrived from Chicago last Friday a full fledged dentist.

Miss Ella Cheetham left Friday for a visit with her parents in Lacon, Ill.

F. D. Lancaster made his grandson a birthday present of a Hudson wheel.

Miss Jennie VanTuyle and Floyd Updyke returned from Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Miss Lee Anna Morgan, of Macon, was visiting friends in town over Sunday.

Hollis Taylor is home from Albion. He will raise celery in Franklin this year.

Miss Lulu Wiltse returned Monday from quite an extended visit in Ann Arbor.

Jno. L. Tuttle, Jr., came home from Ann Arbor last Friday for a few day's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Boomer and Miss Bliss, of Adrian called on Clinton friends Sunday.

Miss Stella Norton has been visiting at Walter Dillingham's for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Chas. Becker, of Ypsilanti, and son, George, have been visiting here this week.

J. W. Bradner, jr., of Angola, Ind., came to Clinton last Saturday for a short visit.

Some people in Clinton think the ice cream season has opened. We have our doubts about it.

Marcellus VanGiesen and wife drove from Jackson last Sunday to call on his brother, Thomas.

E. S. Tate goes this week to Ypsilanti where he has accepted a position in the store of John Miller.

Hugh McElroy sold a large bill of hardwood lumber last week to C. K. Perrine, of Jackson.

Sheldon Sanford has given up his work in the woolen mill, sold his place, and will move north.

Have you seen the novel way of advertising plow shoes adopted by the Freese-Whittlesey Co.?

Rev. T. H. Warner will exchange pulpits with Rev. J. C. Hageman, of Dundee, next Sabbath.

Miss Lynne Daly, Tecumseh's lady photographer, was the guest of Mabel Barnesdale over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dubois, of Britton, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Will Hause, over Sunday.

Miss Louise VanDeMark returned Tuesday morning from Chicago, where she has spent the winter.

Chas. H. Wilsey and wife, after a visit of two weeks at Jno. T. Clark's, left for Adrian last Saturday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith and friend, Mrs. Bush, and little Ruth Kimball went to Detroit Monday for a week's visit.

The Clinton woolen mill is running on short time at present. They only operate the first three days of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in Clinton the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Niblack.

The date of the John DeWitt Miller lecture which was postponed some weeks ago has been fixed for April, 24.

The school exhibition which was held last week Friday night was a success in every way. The net receipts amounted to over $30.00.

The council met Monday night and the newly elected officers were installed. The office of President of the village will probably be contested.

John Noon and wife are the proud parents of a little girl which weighed 8 1-2 pounds to start with. It happened last Saturday, a little after noon.

Miss Jessie Henderson, of Racine, Wis., who has been visiting here for the past few months, left last Saturday for Peru, Ind., to visit her brother, John.

The woolen mill has secured the contract of furnishing the cloth for the Jackson state prison for the coming year. The terms call for 4000 yards at 67 1-2 cents per yard.

J. D. Comstock, of Elkhart, Ind., last week bought a carload of Jerseys from the herd of Chas. F. Clark, to be used for dairy purposes. The Jerseys of Clinton are gaining a wide reputation.

Tuesday afternoon John Gray's dwelling house east of town caught fire from the chimney and burned to the ground. Nearly all the household goods were saved. The house was insured in the Farmer's Mutual.

The firm of Bainbridge & Hause was dissolved by mutual consent the first of the week. Mr. Bainbridge retiring from the partnership. Mr. Hause will take his son into the business and the firm will be known as J. R. Hause & Son.

Clinton will soon have an addition to the ranks of the medical profession. Dr. Young, of Morenci, who has recently graduated at the Detroit school of medicine, has rented an office over Sherwood & Foster's store and will soon be healing the lame and the blind in our midst.

On Thursday next, April 23, there will be a Missionary Field Day, at the Congregational church, Clinton. In the afternoon at 2:30, addresses will be given by Rev. W. E. Warren, Lansing, Mrs. H. S. Caswell, New York, Rev. W. G. Puddefoot, Mrs. H. D. Ward, Chicago. In the evening at 7:30, addresses will be given by Secretaries Ward and Puddefoot, and Mrs. Caswell, with stereopticon illustrations. In connection with the evening addresses, 150 views will be used, illustrating the life and home of the emigrant in his native land, life in our city slums, among the poor whites in the South, in the lumber and mining camps and prairie towns of the West. Everybody is cordially invited.

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Next Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Wellwood, of Canada, will preach at the Congregational church. It is especially desired that all members will be present.

At the home of Hon. T. M. Camburn on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Mr. James Cottrell, of Jackson, and Miss Emma Mills were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Williams.

Mrs. Williams went to Chicago Tuesday morning, where she will visit her home and be rejoined by Mr. Williams in about two weeks when they will start for their home in Kansas together.

Charles Myers, who has been well and favorably known here for the past nine months as the efficient assistant of James Bouck has gone into partnership with our veteran blacksmith. Mr. Myers has spent many years at the forge with some of the best smiths of this state and the Pacific slope. He is master of the trade and has had particular success as a shoer of road and work horses and the owners of horse flesh in this vicinity are to be congratulated that Mr. Myres is to be permanently located at Tipton.

CONE.

Ladie's Aid Society—A Large Grist of Personals.

J. M. Auten was in Ashley on business this week.

Miss Ada Dennison is home from Ann Arbor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Allshouse are visiting friends in Pentecost.

Mrs. Ben Caswell and little Mary Early are on the sick list this week.

Jehiel Auten has moved from west Dundee into Emery Auten's tenant house.

The Ladie's Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Will Ellis Wednesday afternoon, April, 22.

Ray Gould and Lester Sherman, of Ridgeway, attended church here last Sunday morning.

Miss Bertha Jourden went to Detroit last week to hear Paderewski and appreciated the music very much.

Mrs. Amy Cassidy, of Detroit, spent several days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vandeventer.

Miss Rose Vandeventer gave a party last Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. A pleasant time is reported.

Miss Eva VanVleet captured a large owl one night last week, that measured four and one-half feet from tip to tip of its wings.

Martin Dennison returned home from Emergency hospital, Detroit, last Tuesday where he has been for the past nine weeks.

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Sore

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Eyes

became worse. Then I took her to a specialist in Indianapolis, who said he could do nothing. I came away with a heavy heart. I met my father's physician, Dr. Berryman, who examined Zola's eyes, and told me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to give it as directed and wash her eyes with warm water. Soon I began to notice improvement, and now, having given the child over a half dozen bottles, her eyes are greatly improved and she can see as well as any one. She is five years of age, and goes to school. When she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, she had to eat her meals in a darkened room, but now

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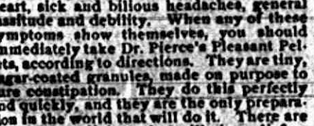

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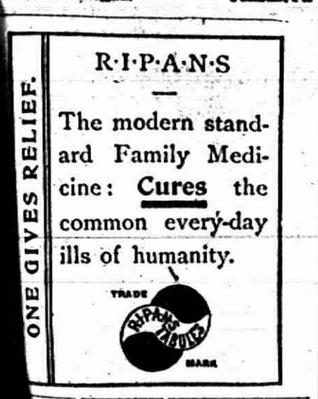

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New York, April 7.—The long-talked-of marriage of ex-President Benjamin Harrison and Mrs. Mary Scott Lord Dimmick took place at five o'clock p. m. on Monday at St. Thomas' church, the rector of which, Rev. J. Wesley Thomas, performed the ceremony, which was most simple in character.

Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, formerly secretary of the navy, was Gen. Harrison's best man. Mrs. Dimmick had no bridesmaids, but was escorted up

THE BRIDE—MRS. HARRISON.

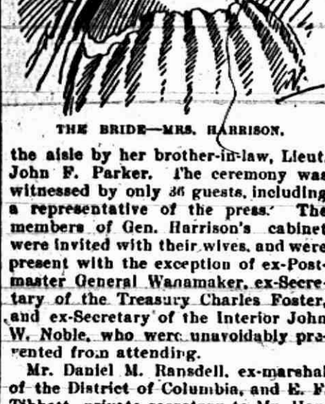
the aisle by her brother-in-law, Lieut. John F. Parker. The ceremony was witnessed by only 36 guests, including a representative of the press. The members of Gen. Harrison's cabinet were invited with their wives, and were present with the exception of ex-Postmaster General Wanamaker, ex-Secretary of the Treasury Charles Foster, and ex-Secretary of the Interior John W. Noble, who were unavoidably prevented from attending.

Mr. Daniel M. Ransdell, ex-marshal of the District of Columbia, and E. F. Tibbott, private secretary to Mr. Harrison, acted as ushers.

The sanctuary and chancellery of St. Thomas was beautifully decorated with Easter lilies and lilacs.

The Ceremony.

As the bridal party approached the chancel Gen. Harrison came down the steps to the floor to receive his bride. With a frank movement she extended her right hand, which the groom clasped in his left. Then the couple marched up the step to the center of the altar, where they knelt a moment in prayer. Gen. Tracy and Lieut. Parker followed, the former standing to the right of the groom and the lieutenant to the left of the bride. It was a pretty picture, beautiful in its simplicity. The reading of the Protestant Episcopal ceremony was at once begun. Both



EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON.

faced the minister and listened intently to his words. When the usual question was propounded to the groom: "Wilt thou have this woman to be thy wedded wife," etc., the general responded in subdued, almost inaudible tones. When the same question was put to the bride she answered in a clear, musical voice. Lieut. Parker gave the bride away.

Bridal Party Departs.

After the ceremony the bridal party was driven to the house of a friend of Mrs. Dimmick below Fourteenth street, where refreshments were served. Traveling gowns were donned there, and the party went direct to the Pennsylvania railroad station in Jersey City, where the private car of Vice President Frank Thompson, attached to the 7:50 p. m. train, west, was waiting. A wedding supper was served aboard the car.

The groom's gift to his best man was a walking stick, which Gen. Harrison had prized for years, owing to associations connected with it. Its history dates back to the civil war, and Gen. Tracy is said to have long desired to possess it.

The Honeymoon.

Gen. Harrison's honeymoon will be spent at his home in Indianapolis, where his old residence has been renovated and refitted for the occasion.

Later the couple will go to the Adirondack mountains, where a cottage has been secured for the summer season.

Mrs. Dimmick is a decided brunette, and 37 years old, just 25 years the junior of the ex-president. She has a charming personality, and is gifted in many arts. She was born in Pennsylvania and was married in 1881 to Walter E. Dimmick, a young lawyer, who died of typhoid fever three months after the wedding ceremony. Mrs. Dimmick is a niece of Mrs. Harrison, the ex-president's late wife, and figured prominently in white house affairs during the last year of Mr. Harrison's administration.

Are at Home.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 8.—Gen. Benjamin Harrison and his bride arrived at their home in this city last night.

Fourteen buildings in the business section of Yonkers, N. Y., were burned, the total loss being $100,000.

OUR LAWMAKERS.

What They Are Doing at the National Capital.

Important Measures Under Consideration in the Senate and House —Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, April 2.—Senator Call (Fla.) offered a joint resolution in the senate yesterday directing the sending of an adequate naval force to Cuba to put an end to barbarities and instructing the president to notify Spain that the United States will forcibly intervene unless murder and outrage cease. The post office appropriation bill was further considered.

Washington, April 3.—The post office appropriation bill served to bring out some sharp discussion in the senate yesterday on the propriety of abolishing country post offices and absorbing them as branches of city offices. After a speech by Senator Elkins advocating subsidies and other means of extending American commerce on the seas the bill went over. The Indian appropriation bill was reported.

Washington, April 7.—The senate spent the entire time yesterday on the post office appropriation bill, but did not complete it. A message announcing the action of the house on the Cuban resolutions was received. A favorable report was made on the bill to create an additional judge for the Sixth judicial circuit, composed of the states of Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee.

Washington, April 8.—In the senate yesterday the post office appropriation bill was passed. A joint resolution was introduced providing for an amendment to the constitution to limit the veto power of the president so as to make it competent for the two houses to pass bills over a veto by a majority vote.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, April 2.—An amendment to the sundry civil bill providing for the purchase and repair of the house in which Abraham Lincoln died was adopted in the house yesterday.

Washington, April 3.—In the house yesterday the sundry civil bill was passed, as was also a bill to reimburse A. P. Brown, late postmaster of Lemars, Ia., for losses sustained by robbery.

Washington, April 4.—The house yesterday revived the agitation of the question of Cuban belligerency in connection with the conference report of the Cuban resolutions. Mr. Hitt (Ill.) spoke at length in favor of the insurgents, and Mr. Bouteile (Me.) argued against the resolutions. Speaker Reed made a ruling that a majority of the members of the house who are living at the time any question of a quorum comes up shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. At the evening session private pension bills were considered, and 38 were passed.

Washington, April 6.—With the exception of an hour given over to miscellaneous business at the beginning of the session, the entire day and night sessions in the house on Saturday were devoted to a discussion of the wisdom, expediency and justice of adopting the resolutions recognizing Cuban belligerency and tendering the friendly offices of the United States for the settlement of the trouble.

Washington, April 7.—The house yesterday adopted the report of the house conferrees on the Cuban resolutions. The resolutions thus adopted recognize Cuban belligerency and recommend the friendly intervention of President Cleveland looking toward Cuban autonomy. The vote stood 213 to 27. It was received with tumultuous cheers. The river and harbor bill ($10,330,560) was passed and a bill was favorably reported to tax and brand filled cheese.

Washington, April 8.—In the house yesterday the time was passed in discussing a bill to fix the standard of weights and measures by the adoption of a metric system on and after July 1, 1898.

Fatal Prize Fight.

Haverhill, Mass., April 6.—During a prize fight Saturday night between Arthur Bradley and Richard Ingram, the latter received a chance blow on the vein under the right jaw which rendered him unconscious, and from the effect of which he died two hours later. All of the spectators and participants are under arrest.

Famous Race Track Closed.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—Charter Oak Park, the scene of many of the most important trotting races in the country during the past 25 years, was sold at auction to Henry Kennedy for $19,000, the stockholders having voted to close up the affairs of the association. The original cost was $150,000.

Will Become a Citizen.

New York, April 8.—Frederick Booth-Tucker, the new commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, declared his intention yesterday of becoming a citizen of the United States and took out his first naturalization papers in New York.

Strange Death of a Child.

Creston, Ia., April 8.—Hilda, the five-year-old daughter of Charles Johnson, tried to climb into a large box. She had her head over the edge of the box when the lid came down, catching her head and slowly strangling her to death.

La Grippe in St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 8.—An epidemic of la grippe prevails in this city, and scores of persons are prostrated by the disease. Ex-Gov. Francis is confined to his residence with a severe attack of pneumonia.

Exports of Specie.

New York, April 8.—The exports, exclusive of specie, from New York for the week were $6,721,132, against $7,333,345 for the same week of 1895.

SPRING ELECTIONS.

They Are Held in Several of the Western States.

Party Lines Drawn in Some Places and in Others Local Issues Prevail—The Results as Told by the Telegraph.

Cincinnati, April 7.—Township and municipal elections were held throughout Ohio Monday in nearly all the cities and townships of the state. The elections seem to have been generally quiet with a light vote except in many of the smaller municipalities where local issues made the contests close and hard fought. Only a portion of the returns have been received up to this hour (midnight), but enough is known to indicate a general republican victory. Of course there were a number of places where partisan considerations did not enter into the canvass. All municipal officers including school trustees and town councilmen were voted for.

At East Liverpool woman suffrage won. Recently the school board discharged teachers for reading the Bible on opening school. The women employed carriages Monday and 2,400 votes were cast by women in the town, defeating all members of the school board who voted for the discharge of teachers who read the Bible.

In Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., April 7.—City and township elections were held throughout Michigan Monday outside of Detroit. Universal interest was manifested in the elections in a general way and a very large vote was polled in most places. While the issues, as a rule, were purely local ones, the democrats generally developed unlooked-for strength, and in many cities which for years have returned republican officials their ticket has been elected in whole or in part.

In Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., April 7.—The city election in Des Moines resulted in a republican victory for the entire ticket, except two aldermen out of nine. The majority for the ticket ranged from 1,000 to 2,500. The ordinary majority for the republican party is 200. In Keokuk the republicans elected four out of six aldermen, a gain of one.

In Illinois.

Chicago, April 8.—In the election here Tuesday for town officers and aldermen the republicans carried all of the seven towns by majorities ranging from 1,000 to 4,000. The campaign for aldermen was not strictly on party lines, being more of an effort on the part of reputable citizens to oust the old gang which has controlled the council, regardless of politics. Of the 34 aldermen elected, only eight are men who were opposed by the municipal voters' league. The remaining 26 may be said to fairly represent the respectable element.

In Illinois Towns.

John C. Garver, of Rockford, republican nominee for circuit judge of the Thirteenth judicial district to succeed Judge Cartwright, was elected Tuesday by a large majority over James W. Allaben, of Polo, democratic nominee.

Town elections were held throughout Illinois Tuesday. As a general thing republican victories are reported. At Monmouth a surprise was caused by the election of William Ellenburger, a college student, over his republican opponent. Republican gains are reported in Danville, Charleston, Sigel, Mattoon, Champaign, Urbana, Lacon, Vandalia and Princeton. In Salem the entire democratic ticket was elected, where the republicans were successful a year ago. At Mount Sterling a free-silver ticket was in the field. No license carried at Yates City. A municipal election was held in Quincy. The democrats elected five aldermen and the republicans three.

In Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, April 8.—A heavy vote was cast at the municipal election Tuesday. The republican city ticket, William G. Rauschenberger for mayor, Charles W. Milbrath for treasurer, and William J. Freibrantz for comptroller, were elected by pluralities ranging from 1,500 to 2,500. The labor vote was very large. The balance of power in the common council and board of supervisors will be in the hands of the republicans by a small plurality. Large democratic gains are recorded in all wards of the city.

In the state at large R. D. Marshal is reelected associate justice of the supreme court. In the Eighth judicial circuit E. W. Helms (rep.) is probably elected judge, and in the Thirteenth Warham Parks (rep.) probably defeats J. J. Dick (dem.). In the four other districts the incumbents are reelected without opposition. The following cities and towns were carried by republicans:

Delavan, Peshtigo, Platteville, Elkhorn, Mauston, Ripon, Monroe, Plymouth, Edgerton, Brandon, Sparta, Washburn, Shell Lake, Tomah, Black River, Blue River Falls, Waukesha, River Falls, Baraboo, Whitewater, Fountain City, Neillsville, Manitowoc, Chippewa Falls.

The following went democratic: Kewaunee, Mineral Point, Mayville, Durand, Chilton, Fort Atkinson, Fox Lake, Oconto, Jefferson, Antigo, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Prairie du Chien, Hurley, Boscobel, Cedarburg, Ahnapee, Horicon, Columbus, Sturgeon Bay, Depere.

Results Elsewhere.

Omaha, Neb., April 8.—Town elections were held throughout the state Tuesday, the voting in most places being for or against liquor license. The election resulted generally in favor of license.

Topeka, Kan., April 8.—Returns from cities of the second class, where there was any opposition to the republican ticket, show republican victories in some places over fusion tickets. In many places the issue was the "joint" question, and so far the temperance sentiment is victorious irrespective of party.

To Be Expelled.

London, April 7.—A Daily News special states that the sultan of Turkey has issued an order to expel all Christian missionaries from Armenia.

GUNS THAT WERE GOOD.

Interesting Experience of a Prominent Michigan Man in Tropic Lands.

The following letter from Dean C. Worcester, A. B., the well-known Assistant Professor of Zoology and Curator of the Zoological Museum at the Michigan University, Ann Arbor, will be read with a great deal of interest by every sportsman:

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 8, 1896.
Parker Bros., Meriden, Conn.:

Gentlemen—I have long intended to write you my experience with your shotguns, thinking it might be of some interest to you.

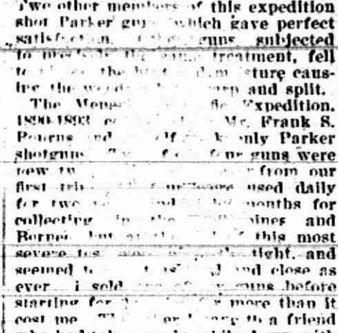
I was a member of the Steere Scientific Expedition to the Philippine Islands, in 1887-1888, and used one of your $65 guns for collecting. The Philippines, as you are doubtless aware, lie wholly within the tropics, reaching to within five degrees of the equator. By using different loads I killed everything from sun-birds (the size of our humming-birds) to monkeys, deer and wild hogs. Much of my shooting was done with extremely heavy charges; the climate was such that in spite of every precaution gun would turn red with rust over night; my gun was in daily use in the rainy season it was alternately soaked and roasted, and I had numerous nasty falls, giving the gun some severe knocks, but at the end of a year the gun was as good, if not as handsome as when I bought it. Two other members of this expedition shot Parker guns, which gave perfect satisfaction. [illegible] guns subjected to [illegible] treatment, fell to [illegible] ture caused the wood to warp and split.

The Mo[illegible] Expedition, 1890-1893 [illegible] Mr. Frank S. Per[illegible] and [illegible] Parker shotguns [illegible] guns were now in [illegible] from our first trip [illegible] used daily for two [illegible] months for collecting [illegible] mines and Borneo. [illegible] this most severe [illegible] tight, and seemed to [illegible] and close as ever. I sold [illegible] guns before starting for [illegible] more than it cost me [illegible] to a friend who had [illegible] down with typhoid [illegible] not that both are [illegible] yet.

The shooting [illegible] of your guns need no endorsement from anyone. I fail to see how their wearing qualities could possibly be put to a severer test. No one who has not collected in tropical jungles can understand how severe the test was.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) DEAN C. WORCESTER.

This is certainly very strong testimony, and coming from a man of the experience and judgment of Prof. Worcester, its value is placed beyond cavil. No more severe test has ever been given than that described above. While other guns fell to pieces, the Parker guns stood the test without a break. Further comment on the superior excellence of Parker guns would seem to be superfluous.



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†42 New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
*46 Detroit Express	4: 0 p. m.
*44 New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

*47 Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
†41 Kansas City Express	6:07 a. m.
*4 Chicago Limited	3:44 p. m.
*43 St. Louis Express	9:15 p. m.

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 52 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 22 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 45 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 20 "	9 25 "	7 30 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
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A. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	6 25
.....	12 22	7 25	Monteith	3 35	6 02
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 24
.....	1 55	8 53	Battle Creek	1 55	6 56
7 50	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 09	6 20
8 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	6 01
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 11
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 00
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
11 36	5 39	11 08	Sand Lake	9 48	4 08
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	4 21
12 20	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 28	4 06
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 17	3 57
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 12	3 52
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	3 30
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 30
4 55	7 20	12 45	A.....Toledo.....L	8 05	2 40
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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PARIS DRESSMAKERS.

There Are Enough of Them to Form a Good Sized Town.

Paris is the city where the dressmaking trade flourishes as it does in no other spot in the world. In 1830 the number of couturieres, as given in the Annuaire du Commerce, the commercial directory of those days, was only 158. There were besides 67 shops for the sale of ready-made feminine apparel, but there were none, as there are to-day, which sold lingerie or certain articles exclusively.

In the Bottin (as the Paris directory is familiarly known) of 1895 there are 1,636 couturieres and 296 commercial houses for the sale of ready-made garments, besides many establishments which manufacture and sell jupons de desous or under-petticoats alone. The number of working dressmakers in Paris is estimated at 65,000.

In all France, according to M. Georges Michel, the industry of manufacturing the various articles of woman's dress is in the hands of 81,400 male and 143,648 female owners of shops or factories. These furnish employment to 700,801 persons, of whom over 500,000 are women.

In addition to these there are 925,855 persons who make their living from industries which are tributary to that of the manufacture of feminine apparel. The total value of the product of this labor from so many hands is estimated at £50,000,000.

A GREAT SNAKE COLONY.

An Australian Enthusiast Has a Fine Collection of Venomous Reptiles.

Mr. J. McCrackie Smith, an eminent bacteriologist of Sydney, Australia, is the proprietor of probably the greatest collection of snakes in the world, says the New York World. He is in the business partly for scientific purposes and partly for business. He advertised some time ago for 500 venomous reptiles, but one publisher refused to permit the advertisement until he had satisfied himself of the sanity of the scientist.

The different species of venomous snakes in Australia, so far as known, number 42, and Mr. Smith has specimens of all of them. The poison extracted from the reptiles is largely used in the Pasteur institute in Paris.

Mr. Smith is an enthusiast on the subject of snakes, and regards them as the most wonderful of living creatures. He has in his collection serpents that have gone nearly a year without food and are still fat. He has injected some of their own poison into them without the slightest ill-effects to them. As a result of his investigations he has established the fact that a non-poisonous snake is not affected in any way by the poison of the venomous species.

"Why," said Smith, "it does not kill one of its own species while it is so fatal to other creatures is one of the mysteries of the Almighty which we cannot unravel."

MADE FROM NIGHTMARES.

Methods Used by Artists Who Design Popular Grotesque Posters.

People who dine late at night in a certain uptown restaurant may have noticed a well-dressed, wild-eyed, haggard-faced, dyspeptic man devouring night after night with apparent relish dishes which only the ultra brave have courage to eat more than once a month. That man is an artist, says the New York World, and eating indigestible food is a part of his business, for he is a maker of posters. Since the use of grotesque posters, built on the lines of Aubrey Beardsley's phantom fancies and on the principle of Chimpanzee Johanna's savage sketches, has become general as a means of advertising newspapers it is no more than right that the world should know how the designs are conceived.

The case of this wild-eyed, haggard-faced, dyspeptic artist alone will be cited. His may or may not be the method used by all the better poster makers. Every night he goes to this uptown restaurant, eats a welsh rabbit, a cold broiled lobster, two cream rolls and a dish of ice cream and drinks a quart of cheap claret. Then he goes home, drinks two glasses of ice water, retires and the nightmare does the rest. In the morning he sketches the horrors he saw in his dreams and finishes them as the orders for posters pour in. He is making a fortune in the business.

A Tottering Spire.

It is reported that the spire of Salisbury cathedral, in the south of England, is tottering. When the cathedral was begun, in 1220, there was no thought of erecting a spire on the central tower. That was an afterthought, and the architect who designed the tower strained the strength of the original substructure to the utmost. It has always had to be carefully watched, and the means taken to strengthen it by iron bands and ties have only added to the weight. Of late the stonework has been decaying rapidly, so that the spire is in great danger of collapsing.

GENESIS OF A "CRANK."

The Effect of Large Ideas Upon Small Minds.

One of the most interesting of psychological studies, says the Century, is the effect of a large idea upon a small mind. A large idea entering a large mind balances and dignifies it; its effect upon a small mind is often completely upsetting. The man becomes intellectually top-heavy and unsteady.

When one becomes observant of this phenomenon he finds much to amuse and again much to deplore. He is amused, for instance, to notice the result of this overloading throughout a long career. Where a subject is thus acted upon by a succession of ideas, each embodying an important truth which the man is incapable of carrying, his receptivity to impression proves to be his bane. The sudden realization for the first time of a fundamental principle makes a monomaniac of him. Another sudden realization of still another fundamental principle and he is spinning off at a new tangent.

But there are times when this effect of large ideas upon little minds is most mischievous and deplorable. Thus is bred the race of incurable cranks in philosophy, theology, art and politics. The word "crank" has been maliciously misused for purposes of cynical ridicule, but it is too descriptive a name to be set aside. The congenial crank is always started on his career of inutility by this application of a big idea to a small brain. The most tiring thing about him is his self-complacency, owing to his knowledge of the fact that better men have been miscalled by his own accurately descriptive cognomen.

APPLICATION OF A FABLE.

A Sheep's Skin Hides the Form of a Human Wolf.

The story of the ass who clothed himself in a lion's skin in order to pass himself off as the king of beasts is well known, but the tale of the thief who got inside a sheep's skin to be better able to carry on his nefarious trade has yet to be told, says the London Telegraph. Early one morning two policemen, who were on duty at the slaughter houses of Paris, were astonished to see a sheep endeavoring to effect an entrance into the inclosure where creatures of its kind were doubled when a man's hand protruded from beneath the stolen fleece. Their curiosity became intensified and they carefully followed the sham animal, who stopped at the pen which inclosed the real article, and with great coolness chose the two largest and fattest of the flock.

Still observed by the watchful guardians of the law, this plagiarist of an ancient fable proceeded to kill and cut up his capture, and was on the point of making off with his booty when he found himself in turn the spoil of the law and was quickly marched off to the police station, where he gave his name as Eugene Lassots. From his account he made a good living out of his occupation by selling the meat to various butchers. For some time, at least, it is to be hoped, that the animals at the abattoirs will cease to be sent to an earlier death by the depredations of this latest wolf in sheep's clothing.

THE LETTER "T."

A French Graphologist Says That It Indicates the Writer's Character.

A French graphologist has discovered that character can be read from the letter "t" alone. He claims that the vertical line represents the fatality of life, and the horizontal bar the influence human will exercises upon this fatality.

In addition, he claims that the higher part of the vertical line—that projecting above the horizontal bar—has indications of the amount of ideality contained in the make-up of the writer, and that the inferior part of this line corresponds to the practical and material part of the man's character.

For instance, the optimist crosses his t's with a line that slopes upward from the earth to the sky, as it were. The poet often crosses his t's quite above the vertical line; in other words, in the sky.

The pessimist crosses his t's with a downward sloping stroke. The line, which commences at the ideal portion of the letter, descends little by little until it is lost among the sad realities of earthly existence.

The practical man, it appears, always steers a middle course, and crosses his t's neither in the ideal nor in the material, but exactly midway between the two.

Snowballs Rolled by the Wind.

Passengers on the Flint River division of the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad who came to Flint, Mich., recently reported observing a strange phenomenon in large, level fields not far from the city, says the Chicago Tribune. Hundreds of snowballs, some of them of colossal size, have been rolled together, it is thought, by the action of the wind. The fields were covered with them, and nature accomplished in one night what it would take a large force of boys several days to do.

He Never Drank.

Old Mr. B——, who lived in Bangor several years ago, was called "very close," but grasping as he was he never would accept intoxicating liquor of any kind. One day he was asked to drink by several of the neighbors at the village store, where drinks were sold at ten cents each. "No, I thank ye," he replied; "I never drink, gentlemen. But if it's all the same to you I'll take a gimlet instead."

A Dog with Artificial Teeth.

It is said that a dog in Mulliken, Mich., possesses and uses daily a full set of artificial teeth. The dog is very old, and is a family pet. When it lost its teeth recently its owner, according to the story, had the local dentist make the animal a full set of teeth, and they are said to be a perfect working success.

HIS LEG IS PULLED.

That Is How a Southern Congressman Regards His Lot.

"Some people may think that a congressman saves a pile of money out of his salary," said a well-known southern congressman, who was talking to a Washington Star reporter on the vicissitudes of running for office, and especially for congress, "but a man has to be a small walking bank to accommodate the large number of his 'friends' and supporters who need a little money for some urgent matter. In my state we have to make campaigns and appear before the people at meetings. Well, I have never attended a meeting but that I did not have some kind of a subscription poked into my face. Somebody wants something for a church and for missionary purposes or for helping some fellow who has been burned out.

"You can't avoid subscribing, and have to head the list with the largest sum. Then about the time you think you are through with having your leg pulled some lazy fellow will walk up and say: 'How do, gineral? I had ter quit my work ter come out and hear you terday, and I thunk yer mout giv' me a dollar.' While you have the greatest contempt for the man, you give him the dollar.

"When you leave the meeting you are out anywhere from $25 to $50. These are just a few instances of what a candidate has to spend money for. After he gets through the campaign and is elected he has to furnish every dead beat from his district who should happen to come to Washington with money. I've actually given them money and railroad tickets to get home and have them go back and work against me."

IRONY OF FATE.

It Pursues Two Eminently Respectable Ladies Who Could Not Agree.

Not long ago there were two ladies stopping at the same boarding house. They were single ladies, be it said, and both highly respectable. But for some reason, says the Minneapolis Times, known only to themselves, they "couldn't get along," and matters went between them from bad to worse till they "quit speaking."

They both got tired, of course, living in the same house with a mortal enemy, and finally both determined to move. Arrangements were made, and, as luck would have it, both moved the same day. Lady No. 1 loaded up her household goods in the morning, and in the afternoon a dray pulled up and carried away the trunk, shawlstraps, and other effects of lady No. 2.

Lady No. 1 was just composing herself to view the surroundings of her new lodging place, when a wagon stopped at the front door and began to unload a collection of articles unmistakably feminine. She sized up the trunk and went downstairs, filled with a horrible suspicion, to interview the landlady.

Her suspicions were true. They had moved into the same house.

There is no more to the story. Of course, they should have made up their differences and lived in peace and charity ever after. But they did not. Lady No. 2 never got her trunk inside of the house.

DEAF MUTES DANCE.

A Jumping Mummy on the Piano Keeps the Step for Them.

A social club of deaf mutes exists in Warsaw since 1885, and as there are a large number of persons thus afflicted in the capital of Russian Poland, the club is doing very well. During the last week of carnival the club arranged a ball, and in order to enable the member to dance to the music in time, a very curious plan was adopted, which proved quite efficient. A large paper doll was rigged up on the piano, and the player, also a deaf mute, who furnished the music, which, of course, could not be heard by the members of the club, used a pedal to make the paper figure move up and down in time with the piece played. A large sign alongside announced the character of the dance, and thus it became possible for the deaf mutes to enjoy the dances as if they were not afflicted with their organic shortcomings. Besides that, they were spared the agony of those who could hear, for some wag had tampered with the piano, which was frightfully out of tune, even the player never noticing that fact. The deaf mutes danced into the early morning hours and unanimously voted the entertainment a magnificent success.

DEAD, YET ALIVE.

An Interesting Enoch Arden Case in an English Court.

A curious Enoch Arden case, in which the lord justice of appeal had to intervene in order to bring a man to life again legally, has just been decided in England. Forty-two years ago a woman married a sailor in the British navy, who deserted, went to the United States and was not heard of again for 26 years. Six years after his disappearance she married another man, with whom she lived for 18 years, but from whom she at last obtained a judicial separation and alimony in 1892. The second husband pleaded that his marriage was null, as her first husband was alive at the time, but the jury in the divorce court found that the man was dead. Last year husband No. 2 discovered husband No. 1, brought suit again and produced him in court, where he was fully identified, but the judge held that as a jury had declared he was dead, he could not admit that he was alive and dismissed the suit. The appellate judges seem to be of his opinion, for they refused to allow the appeal and annul the marriage on the ground of the man's being alive till the second husband had given security that he would pay the woman an allowance.

Tilting Up a Whole Continent.

The west coast of South America for about 100,000 square miles was raised in some places three feet and in other places six feet in the short space of a few hours

GUMBO'S GRAB BAG.

CAMBRIDGE CHATTER.
Resolutions of Respect.
RAISIN RACKET.
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GORMAN GOSSIP.
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CARD OF THANKS.
NEWS NOTES.
(Continued from last week.)
OBITUARY.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no wiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters and aids digestion. Old People find it is an excellent appetixer just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. 3

The old theory that we owe our digestion chiefly to the stomach is being discarded, experiment having shown that this organ may be completely removed from the living animal. It is now believed that the real function of the stomach is to render harmless all substances injurious to the bowels, the real digestive organs.

A stimulant is often needed to nourish and strengthen the roots and to keep the hair a natural color. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best tonic for the hair. 1w

A physician reports as the result of experiments that cottonseed meal may form a satisfactory article of human food if mixed with two-thirds white corn meal and then baked or fried, either as batter or dough. It is asserted that this mixture gives a combination almost identical in composition and nutritive ratio to wheat.

Constipation is the cause of all sorts of serious disorders of the blood. Strong cathartics are worse than useless. Burdock Blood Bitters is Nature's own remedy for troubles of this sort. 1w

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Ida, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 134, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co, thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging

Dated Tecumseh Michigan, 6th April, A D 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 30th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Joseph W. Osborne, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to William H. Osborne, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Elijah King, deceased.

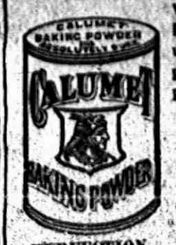
The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said Elijah King, on east side of Maumee street, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of April, 1896, and on the 16th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 16th day of March A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, March 20, 1896.

JOHN S. KINNEY,
FREDERICK GAMBLE,
Commissioners.

Echo Answers "Why?"



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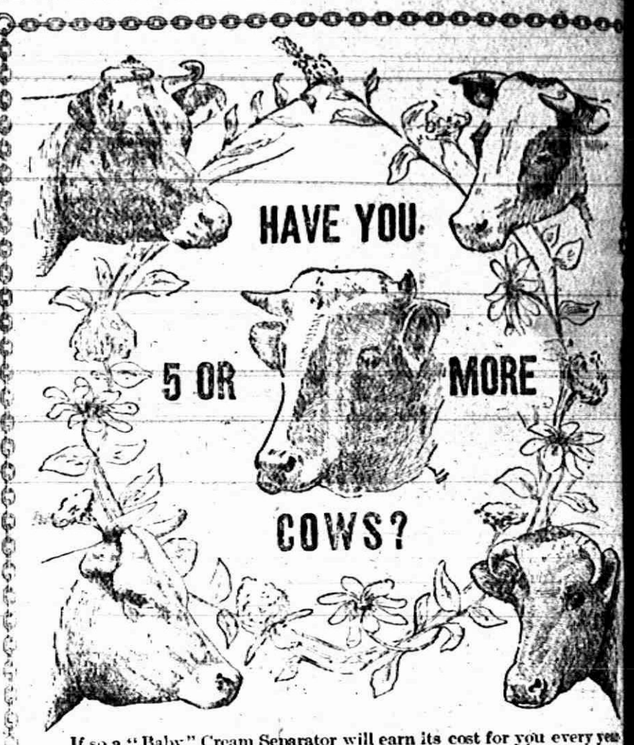

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...ie Runaway—Excellent Roads —Spring Work Commencing —Prospects of a Drug Store.

...ll paper. Lenardson Bros.

...s Libbie Walp has a new wheel.

...s. Cornelius Hoagland is very sick.

...nardson Bros. sell wall paper cheap.

...y fence tools of Jas. Haight & Co.

...o sells wall paper? Lenardson

...y your garden seeds of Jas. Haight

...you see the wall paper at Len...n Bros.?

Hardy has been renovating his this week.

...y paints, oils and paint brushes of Haight & Co.

...tch for the ladies' quartette. It ...ng rapid progress.

...A. Brown is suffering from a severe ...k of rheumatism.

...s. Borden returned Friday from ...isit to Clio, Mich.

...nardson Bros. Wall paper.

...ew millinery store now occupies ...Dayken block corner.

...ss Nettie Bannister visited Ridge... friends over Sunday.

...Henderson, of Macon, was seen ...he village streets Tuesday.

...gular review of Hendershot Tent, ...67, next Tuesday evening.

...e local editress of the Times-...al spent Sunday in Dundee.

...ss Ella Exelby spent the first part ...e week with friends in Adrian.

...ort has gone into active training ...is summer's work on the diamond.

...W. Cook, general freight agent of Mackinaw, was in town Wednesday.

...ll paper at Lenardson Bros'.

...is is the time to rake up, clean up, ...up and burn up, but watch your

... James DuBois spent Sunday ...her daughter, Mrs. Will Hause, of ...on.

...Pingree club was organized here ...esday night with upwards of 100 ...mbers.

...y hay market is again active sev...ar loads moved from this point ...week.

...e & Brown have a carload of fine ...rn hay which they offer very ...nable.

...nardson Bros. sell wall paper.

...t try to go bare footed too early.

...eaper to buy plow shoes at Len...n Bros'.

...Vern Gripton is doing a good busi...tting wheels this spring. His ...lys sell.

...l Prest started for the state of ...ington, Tuesday, Seattle being his ...ve point.

...e is now some prospect of having ...g store. Two parties have the ...n in view.

...ardson Bros. have been making ...changes in the interior arrange... of their store.

...Haight & Co. handle the genuine ...o Burch Plows.

Blakeley's goods are arriving and we hope to announce the ...ng of the east side store next

...ry Eaton, of Bryan, Ohio, who ...een spending a few days at his old ...near Britton, returned to Bryan ...day.

...people residing on the Wabash ...oiced to know that local mail ...e has been again established on ...line.

...Sink has moved her millinery ...lishment down town. Her friends find her occupying the front rooms ...eeple's gallery.

...nardson Bros. handle wall paper.

...H. Temple has found temporary ...ers for his family in one of John ...ey's houses, pending the building ...ouse of his own.

...Hardy is in attendance at the ...of the Reform church being held ...th Bend, Ind. Mrs. Hardy is ...g relatives at Kalamazoo.

...rolls wall paper at Lendardson

...nclair, foreman carpenter for the ...M., and a gang of 20 men have ...stopping at the Bannister this ...while putting in a new turn table ...geway.

...Osgood's father and mother, of ...l, are visiting Will this week. ...rn from them that Elmer Osgood ...he employment of the Milburn ...Co.

...dson has what? Wall paper.

...I. Doyo will speak on the fol...opics next Sunday at the Chris... ...rch. Morning, "The borrowed ...vening, "Restoration to con...ss."

...Calhoun, D. D. S., of Milan, ...lready well known as a dentist ...on, will operate a chair in Dr. ...office every Wednesday, com...next week.

...fence wire at Jas. Haight & Co.'s.

...lmen are already enjoying the ...of their labor on election day. ...hmasters elected are doing their ...nd this part of the old turnpike ...dy in good condition.

...Barry had an attack of heart ...while transacting some business ...of our stores, Wednesday. Dr. ...was called and Mr. Barry was ...ble to go to his home south of

Our ball boys have had a challenge from nine descendants of Ham, in Chicago and if the match is arranged for further particulars will appear in these columns. It is to be hoped the affair will come off before hot weather.

The report that Burt Nichols was going to move to Clinton, which appeared in this column one or two issues back, needs correcting. Burt says he has changed his mind and will remain a Brittonite until further notice, and is ready to respond to all calls in the painting and paper hanging line.

See the new process vapor stoves at Jas. Haight & Co.'s

Lenardson Bros. have been making some substantial and convenient improvements in their hardware store. The east store has been thoroughly cleaned, painted, etc. In addition to this the store has been fitted up with new and commodious dry goods shelving, which increases the capacity of that side four-fold. It might also be added that the shelves are full of new, well assorted dry goods.

One of the most exciting, two-ringed, double-header bicycle races ever occurred in this village was given last Wednesday afternoon. Just as the local freight train was pulling out of the switch and puffing and blowing off, on account of the extreme heat of the day, Wesley Avery and O. L. Cole crossed the track in a light democrat wagon. Directly behind came Clarence Gilmore in a heavy farm wagon driving a spirited team, one of which was a colt. The latter team became frightened, wheeled directly to the right, ran the wagon against a building, soon freeing themselves and dashed down the alley. Mr. Avery seeing the team behind was about to run, had turned into the alley and was running his team to get out of the way. He was not soon enough, for the team behind was driven by fear. They jumped onto his wagon, broke off a wheel, threw the occupants out and then his team started. They went through several fences of different makes and stopped in a field where it was too soft for good running purposes. Mr. Gilmore's team also tested a few fences, using the last wire fence as a spring board to do their final great double somersault act, both striking on their backs at the same time. Mr. Avery's wagon lost two wheels and one ho... was severely lamed. Mr. Cole was also slightly injured.

The best blue flame oil stoves on the market at Haight & Co.'s.

LAKE RIDGE.

The Sunday School will Give a Box Social—Various Doings.

(Delayed Letter)

Frank Lowry has hired out and commenced work for George Smith, of Britton.

Three new scholars were added last Sabbath to the Sunday school. We welcome all.

James Elliott, of Tecumseh, visited Thos. Murphy's family last week Wednesday and Thursday.

Lewis Martin and Tom Maynard are keeping bachelor's hall. Some marriageable lady might do well to apply.

George Lichard, who has been living on the old homestead the past year, has moved his family on the farm of A. McKinney near Moreville. Success go with them.

The Lake Ridge base ball team will give a party in the near future at the Lake Ridge Hotel for the benefit of the team. An orchestra from Ypsilanti will furnish music.

The Easter concert passed off very successfully, the scholars performing the part with credit. Especial mention is made of Fernice Boyd, only six years of age, who recited a piece of eight verses without a mistake.

Miss Vena Montonye has returned from Ypsilanti.

Robt. Reed visited Holloway Sunday, in company with his best girl.

Ernest Elliott and Rob Boyd visited Mr. Murphy's family over Sunday.

Miss Cinda Lowry has gone to Franklin to live in the family of Mr. Russell.

Miss Anna Murphy visited Ridgeway friends over Sunday and took in the concert.

Lizzie and James Murphy attended the Grayson concert at Ridgeway Friday evening.

Ed Easlick, who went to Toledo in search of work, has secured a situation under his old boss.

Chas. and Miss Lena Swick, of Milan, spent Tuesday of last week as the guests of Mrs. C. Hendershot.

In the absence of Robt. Reed, Miss Vena Montonye acted as superintendent of the Sabbath school last Sunday, much to her credit.

The Sunday school will hold a box social on the evening of April 25, at the home of Robt. Reed. A good attendance is desired.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have invented a great many valuable things. They were the first to make brooms by machinery; the first to put up seeds in little packages; the first to manufacture cut nails. Now they are out with a method of curing dyspepsia by resting the stomach. Their remedy is known as the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It supplies food in an artificially digested form and at the same time aids the digestion of other foods in the stomach. In other words, by the use of the Shaker Digestive Cordial, a dyspeptic virtually gets along without the use of his stomach until it is restored to its natural strength and vigor. A single 10c bottle will oft-times give marked relief. Get a bottle from your druggist and try it.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

W. C. T. U. Elect Officers—Concert —New Turntable.

Lenardson Bros. have wall paper.

Buy poultry netting at Smith & Schmidt's.

Kittie Clark, of the Normal, is spending vacation with her mother.

Friday night of last week we had the first thunder shower of the season.

Will Smith and bride, of Milan, called on his father, Henry Smith, Sunday.

Guy Pocklington was at home with his parents from Friday until Tuesday.

Miss Lelia Sutton went to Lansing Saturday for a week's stay with friends.

Miss Nettie Milton, of Ypsilanti, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Lenardson Bros. sell house paint cheap.

Mrs. Schmidt, of Toledo, was called here Saturday by the illness of her husband.

Call on Smith & Schmidt and get prices on binder and wool twine for the coming season.

Don't forget the peanut conundrum social to be held at Mrs. W. R. Wilson's Friday evening.

Lenardson Bros.' for wall paper.

If you want a real cash bargain in groceries look at Smith & Schmidt's ad. on the first page.

The singing class meets for a lesson next week Friday evening. A full attendance is desired.

Go to Lenardson Bros.' for wall paper.

Mr. Schmidt, of the firm of Smith & Schmidt, was under the doctor's care Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Horton, of Ypsilanti, is visiting at the home of her father, Lester Osgood, this week.

Lenardson Bros.' for paints, oils, etc.

Topic for the Epworth League next Sunday evening: "The Scriptures as a Source of Inspiration."

Carpet and building paper at Smith & Schmidt's.

Mrs. D. W. Loree was called to Essex, Clinton Co., Monday by the death of her niece, Maggie Cambell.

Go to Lenardson Bros.' for plow shoes.

The Ridgeway millinery rooms is the place to have your hats reshaped and returned and made as good as new.

Mrs. Earnest Palmer went to Ypsilanti Monday for a week's stay with her mother, Mrs. John Waidner, and family.

For garden tools and seeds go to Smith & Schmidt's.

Go to Lenardson Bros.' for plow shoes.

The C. J. & M. company are putting in a steel turntable here in place of the wooden one. A much needed improvement.

Mrs. Sarah Pocklington and Mrs. Nellie Pocklington went to Ann Arbor Tuesday as delegates to the W. C. T. U. district convention held there this week.

At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. held at Mrs. C. L. Lowe's Friday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. F. E. Pocklington; 1st vice, Mrs. Mary Foote; 2d vice, Mrs. Kate Larkin; 3d vice, Mrs. Elizobeth Arney; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Sarah Pocklington; chaplain, Mrs. Joe Dibble; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Elizebeth Linn; superintendent mother's meeting, Mrs. C. C. Smith; superintendent narcotics, Mrs. James Pocklington.

Lenardson Bros.' for lowest prices.

The concert given Friday evening by the singing class was a success. There was a good attendance, and all appeared well pleased as was manifested by the round of applause at the end of nearly every number. The members of the class wish to extend a vote of thanks to Mrs. Kellogg for her assistance, to Miss Grayson for her extra work in the preparation for the concert and to Miss Leila Sutton for her careful drill in preparing those having single parts, and for her faithful performance at the organ during the concert.

MACON.

Another Death—Woman's Christian Temperance Union Meeting.

John Austin, of Tecumseh, was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Conklin will occupy the Dr. Howell farm this year.

Mrs. Libbie Hendershot was elected president of the M. E. Aid society.

Mr. Seneca Chambers and family left for their new home at Sewell this week.

Miss Grace Austin returned to Tecumseh Monday, after a week's visit with Macon friends.

The next W. C. T. U. tea meeting and election of officers will be held in the old Reformed church, April 25.

The death of Mrs. Holmes, who has been very ill for a long time, adds one more to the long sad list of this year.

A good work was done in the M. E. church yard last Sunday, when the men put up two long rows of hitching posts.

Death having entered the home of David Lewis, there will be no meetings this week, but they will begin again Sunday evening and continue through the week.

One to five applications of Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of itching piles there ever was. Can you afford to suffer tortures when a simple, never-failing remedy is at hand? Doan's Ointment never fails. 1w

There is a 250-ton coal dock at Detroit where the coal is handled entirely by machinery.

Blood purified, disease cured, sickness and suffering prevented—this is the record make each year by Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

Of Clarence, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, writes: "Since the agency of your Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin was established here I have been a user of what I can call 'that excellent medicine.' For a year or more I have been troupled with constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., and I find that this remedy is just what I have needed." Sold by Orr & Temple. Apr

A trial trip of the Government's ram, Katahdin, proved satisfactory at New London, Con.

No small objection which young folks had to the old-time spring medicines was their nauseousness. In our day this objection is removed and Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the most powerful and popular of blood-purifiers, is as pleasant to the palate as a cordial. 1w

Mayor Probert, of Washburne, Wis., a banker, has been arrested on a charge of embezzlement.

Consumption is a deadly enemy to health; Burdock Blood Bitters is a deadly enemy to consumption. 1w

The coal consumed at the Kimberley diamond mines, in South Africa, costs nearly $100 per ton.

"For Charity Suffereth Long."

Mrs. Laura C. Phoenix, Milwaukee, Wis.

"Martyrs of a Benevolent Home and knowing the good Dr. Miles' Nervine has done me, my wish to help others, overcomes my dislike for the publicity, this letter may give me. In Nov. and Dec., 1893, *The inmates had the "La Grippe,"* and I was one of the first. Resuming duty too soon, with the care of so many sick, I did not regain my health, and in a month *I became so debilitated and nervous* from sleeplessness and the drain made on my vitality, that it was a question if I could go on. A dear friend advised me to try *Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.* I took 3 bottles and am happy to say, I am in better health than ever. I still continue *its occasional use, as a nerve food,* as my work is very trying. A letter addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., will reach me."

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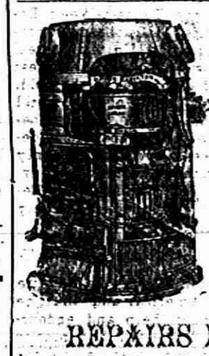

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Although the community was aware that A. K. Waldron was very sick with bronchial pneumonia, the people were shocked to hear of his demise, which occurred at 8 o'clock Monday forenoon. Mr. Waldron was 73 years old and was a very robust man for that age. The deceased had long been identified with the history of this place, having come here from New York in 1835. He purchased the farm, which has ever since been his home, in the following year. In the fall of the same year he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Gunderman, of his native state. To this union were born six children, all of whom, together with the mother, survive. The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 o'clock, Rev. Varner, of the M. E. church, of which the deceased was a member, officiating. The funeral services were largely attended.

There is a sin prevalent in our households of which we take little note, which, in fact, we encourage either by an indifference to it, or by an active participation in its folly and wickedness: the use of the Word of God for the purpose of making riddles, conundrums, puzzling questions, anagrams, etc., etc., out of it. If we really believe in the Divine origin of the Bible can it be right to give it to children that they may construe its words into odd connections, and make sport and laughter and mental legerdemain from its pages? Is it likely they will reverence on other occasions what has previously been food for their amusement? It is not, and we need not be astonished if the boys and girls who have been permitted to turn the leaves of their Bibles for pastime and entertainment, turn them in after years to find pretext for their infidelity.—Amelia E. Barr in April Ladies' Home Journal.

A series of five public illustrated lectures on Practical Physiology and Hygiene will be given at Sutton's Opera House, beginning next Tuesday evening, April 21, by Dr. B. F. Beardsley, of Hartford, Con. The doctor is giving a series of lectures the present week at Croswell Opera House, Adrian. The lectures and lecturer are highly spoken of by the press and prominent men. The Adrian Times says of the lecture given there last Monday evening: "One of the most instructive lectures of the series was that delivered Monday night by Dr. B. F. Beardsley, at the opera house. There was a large attendance, the audience being chiefly composed of the more prominent people of the city. The lecture, while scientific, was so nicely explained by means of the anatomical museum and charts that it was made simple and easy to be understood by all. The wonderful structure of the eye was shown, hints given as to its care, and warnings as to its abuse."

Reform.

The Adrian Times of Saturday calls attention to the fact that the administration of Prosecuting Attorney Bird has already saved several thousand dollars to the tax payers of this county. The figures of the county treasurer show that the claims for justice's sheriff's deputy sheriff's and constable's fees allowed by the January and March sessions of the board of supervisors in 1895 exceed those of the same sessions this year by $3,000.

This saving has resulted simply by a much needed and straightforward reform in the matter of signing vagrant complaints brought by all sorts of executive officers against professional tramps. Few tax payers, unacquainted with the inside workings of the tramp business, appreciate to what extent the system of arresting, trying, sentencing and boarding professional dead beats has been carried on in this and other counties of the state. Lenawee, at least was formerly a mark for knights of the road, an asylum for vagabonds and a peaceful haven and winter resort for lake men, who sail in the summer, drink up their wages, and then seek the peaceful and well stocked county boarding house. In addition to the saving in money this shrievalty has been relieved during the past winter of a large per cent of its accustomed army of hobos, as many a housewife can thankfully testify.

Of course this plan is a little hard on the constabulary and some of the justices and particularly tough on the hobos but as the tax payers and house holders somewhat outnumber the former, the reform of Prosecutor Bird will meet with the most hearty sanction of the people.

LITERARY NOTES.

Is the expansion of the British Empire fraught with danger to the United States, and hostile to the interests of civilization at large? Is the policy of Great Britain, as "a land-grabber," and as a ruler of alien peoples in all parts of the world, one which must be execrated and opposed by Americans? These questions are considered by Mr. David A. Wells in the North American Review for April, in an article entitled, "Great Britain and the United States: Their True Relations."

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The complete novel in the April issue of Lippincott's is "Flotsam," by Owen Hall. The scene shifts from England to India and Australia, following the fortunes of a heroine who through a severe experience at sea loses track of her past life, so that her identity is established only after many months and much difficulty.

"The Vivisectionist," by Carolyn Wells, describes the conduct of a novelist whom no scruples deter in the search for literary material. Lieutenant Thos. H. Wilson, in "Between Reliefs," tells of a not wholly unrighteous revenge.

"On the War-Path with Kit Carson," by William Thomson, is a true story, and so probably is "Dreaming Bob," by Dr. Charles C. Abbott. The incidents of the first occurred on the California trail in 1850, those of the other more recently in New Jersey.

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It behooves every citizen in city, town and country to keep posted on the stirring events that will occur in this country and in the Old World within the next nine months. The results will affect all, personally, directly or indirectly. This nation is on the eve of the most exciting presidential campaign in its history, European politics are in a very complicated state, and scientists are applying their discoveries to many lines that will produce startling new things.

To keep abreast with the world one should read, in addition to the local or county paper, a live metropolitan newspaper, such as the Twice-a-Week Republic of St. Louis. It is the most progressive journal in the United States, and in each issue it gives the latest political news of all parties in the field, the latest general news of the world and many valuable special features besides. This model newspaper is delivered twice-a-week by mail for only $1 a year, or less than one cent a copy. The price of the Daily and Sunday Republic has recently been reduced to only $6 a year by mail.

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Many people think Cuba's La Fayette will come out of America; and that he will render as much help and encouragement to the distressed but plucky islanders so near our coasts, as did the gallant French Marquis to our forefathers. If you read the impassioned cry of "Cuba to Columbia," in the April number of Every Where, Will Carleton's Newspaper-magazine, you will wonder that some one has not already rushed to the front to fill that honorable place.

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The first photograph by cathode rays made in the United States was produced by Prof. John Trowbridge, of Harvard, at the Jefferson Physical Laboratory. His authority in all questions of this kind is pre-eminent, and his exposition of "The New Photography" in this number of Scribner's will be found to be the clearest for the popular mind that has yet found its way into print. His article also contains the first announcement of a very original application of the new photography to surgery—that is, a method of locating the exact position and depth of a bullet by triangulation. The illustrations that accompany the article are startling.

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Rontgen rays, as one of the topics of the day, is treated in the April issue of Electric Power by Mr. Max Osterberg. It is a resume of the whole work up to the present time by Rontgen himself, his predecessors and followers. Being intended for the lay reader, all technicalities are avoided. Several other articles of general interest, such as the simple description of batteries, some hints on the management of boilers, etc., are of general interest, while the scholarly articles of Dr. Bedell, Mr. Parker and others are continued.

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The April number of The Forum contains eleven timely and noteworthy articles—the results of original research and investigation in different fields of human activity,—by as many distinguished writers. The leading article is a noteworthy paper by Senator Sherman entitled, "Deficiency of Revenue the Cause of our Financial Ills." The Senator contends that the President and Secretary Carlisle mistake the cause of our present financial condition in attributing it to the demand for gold for United States Notes, and he thinks the facts which he submits in his paper will convince every one that the true financial policy is to supply the government with ample means to meet its current expenditures and to pay off each year a portion of the public debt. He criticises the Wilson bill very severely, declares that it has produced a deficiency every hour since its enactment, and attributes our financial ills—especially the continued exports of gold—largely to its workings. He says that he prefers a law that will impartially protect and encourage all home industries, and he considers the McKinley law infinitely better than the Wilson law.

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In the April number of The Chautauquan begins "A Loyal Lover," by John Edgeworth, a story of unusual power and fascination. It also contains the fourth paper of Dr. Sydney A. Dunham's practical scientific discussion of "The Air We Breathe." "The Tariff in Legislation" is also treated in a concise yet masterly manner by Prof. F. A. Woodburn, Ph. D.

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The March Arena introduced its readers to Prof. J. Heber Smith, M. D., who for many years has held an important chair in the Boston University School of Medicine, the leading Homœopathic Medical College in the United States. In his first paper Dr. Smith discussed the desirability of disposing of infected bodies by Cremation. In the April Arena, this eminent educator and scholarly physician of the Back Bay district of Boston, opens a series of papers on "Man in His Relation to the Solar System," as a proper subject for scientific re-examination. It is needless to say that these papers, coming from the very citadels of two of the most conservative professions is bound to create a sensation. The temperate scientific and scholarly methods employed, greatly add to the interest, while giving peculiar weight to the discussion, which indicates how deeply occultism is taking root in the most cultured minds of our time. Dr. Smith's second paper will appear in the May Arena.

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For dressy afternoon functions, gay little coats of china velvet or silk are worn with skirts of black atin, brocade crepon, or other soft wools of contrasting color; and so strong is the favor which these charming coats have won that already they are being copied in batiste, lined of course, with bright taffeta. A coat of lace striped batiste over apple-green taffeta has a full blouse front of embroidered batiste, and a Louis Seize jabot of wide Lierre lace. Waistcoats or blouse-fronts of white satin complete many of the silk and velvet coats, the former being embroidered with spangles or metal braids, or finished on the edges with appliques of guipure or the Honiton lace braids, while the latter are trimmed either with insertions of the rich yellow guipure or veiled with black chiffon. Much of the chiffon used for this purpose is covered with arabesque wrought most effectively with the Honiton lace braids.—From "Review of Fashions," in Demorest's Magazine for April.

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Every person who is interested in the finest footwear and Lowest Living Prices is invited to call and examine our Spring and Summer Stock of the Latest and Best Novelties in our line.

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Men's Shoes.

Men's good bluff Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, our price.....$1.00
Men's Plow Shoes in lace, congress or buckle..... 1.00
Men's Oil Grain Work Shoe, worth $1.50, our price..... 1.20
Men's good Satin Calf, lace or congress worth $1.70, our price..... 1.35
Men's Calf Shoes, all styles, worth $2.50 to $3.00 for..... 1.95
Men's Calf, latest style, Pointed Toe, worth $3.50 for..... 2.45
Men's Fine Tan, in lace, Razor Toe, worth $4.00 for.....2.65

Ladies' Shoes.

Ladies' good Dongola button, worth $1.50, our price.....$1.00
Ladies' Oxfords, in tan and black, all toes, all styles, worth 1.25 to 1.50.. 1.00
Ladies' Dongola Shoes in pointed, square or round toes, worth 1.75.....1.35
Ladies' fine Vici Kid in all styles, worth 2.50 to 2.75 for.....1.95
Ladies' fine hand-turned shoes, lace or button, worth 3.50 for.....2.65
Ladies' Tan shoes, latest styles 1.45, 1.65, 2.65, 2.85, worth more money.

In Boy's, Girl's and Infant's Shoes we promise you better value for your money than you often see, and we have a fine line of Children's Tans.

SPECIAL: With every pair of Children's Shoes we sell for 75c. or over, we present a fine 25c. polished cedar pencil box.

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A Large Doll,
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1 Scrub Brush,
1 Full Pack Envelopes, any size,
1 Fine Ink Tablet,
1 Large Pencil Tablet,
1 Album,
1 Good Whisk Broom,
1 Hair Curler,
1 Pair Side Combs,
1 200 yd. Spool Linen Thread
3 Large Spools Basting Thread,
2 Spools Silk Thread,
1 Cake Fine Toilet Soap,
1 Large Sized Slate,
5 Papers Tacks,
1 Good Chopping Knife,
1 2-qt. Cup,
1 4-qt. Tin Pan,
1 Box Axle Greese,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Only 10 Cents For

1 10-qt. Pail,
1 10-qt. Dish Pan,
1 Extra Good Scrub Brush,
1 Horse Brush,
1 Steel Back Curry Comb,
1 Wood Handle Fire Shovel,
1 Large Stew Pan or Kettle,
1 Fine Cuspadore,
1 Hand Saw,
1 No. 2 Lamp Burner,
1 Milk Strainer,
1 Medium Sized Skillet,
1 8-hole Gem Pan,
1 4-qt. Covered Pail,
1 2-qt. Tea or Coffee Pot.
1 4-qt. Pressed Dipper,
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1 Good Broom,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

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Respectfully,

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I am Making Low Prices On Groceries.

It will pay you to trade with me. I have the Best Goods and largest stock. I buy for cash, thereby getting bottom prices and all the available discounts, which enables me to

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Give me a trial and see what I can save you.

JAS. LOWRY.

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SALE.—At Richart's wagon shop a new ...ire wagon and bay and stock rack for ...ney than ever sold for before.

SALE.—Cheap seed potatoes. Vicks ...more, Rural New Yorkers, Maggie ...ton, Early Puritans, State of Maine, Mon...dings, and Beauty of Hebron. A. W. ...

...ICE SEED POTATOES.—Early Ohio, ...rly Northern, and ten other choice varie... grown expressly for seed, kept free from ..., no scab. This is the year to feed out ...ixed and worn out stuff and plant pure ...at will yield double. Prices very reason... Call and see me, Abner Wilson.

...YCLE STANDS.—For 25c each. Made ...ard wood, finely finished, and handsome... ...ed in pretty colors. You should have a ...our hall at home, one out doors and one ... place of business. See them at Karcher's ...ore, L. C. Hayden.

SALE. A span of mares in good con... ...on, suitable for light farming or to drive ...road. Mrs. P. A. Liddle, Macon, Mich.

SALE.—A fine bay driving mare, ...eight about 1200 pounds. GEO. L. OLIVER, Britton.

SALE—Farm of 120 acres within four ...les of Tecumseh; Mich. Inquire of E. M. ...Tecumseh, Mich, or B. E. Bullock, Toledo.

SALE. Russian Oats for sale. Averaged ...year 80 bu per acre, from a sowing of 1½ ... per acre. Oats on sale at C. A. Slayton's E. C. CORYELL.

SALE. I have acclimated Strawberry ...ts for sale, of the following varieties: ...on, Gaudy Warfield, Parker Earl, Early ...Haverland, Crescent and Early Canadas ...arly—40 cts per Doz. 40 cts per hundred ...r thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the ...d Gregg. O. F. MOSLEY, Willow Brook Farm, Tecumseh, Macon, Mich.

...TS—Order your strawberry and rasp... ...rry plants early. I have a fine stock of ...lowing varieties: Strawberries—Beder... ...nach, Crescent, Meeck's Early, Enhance, ...ne, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, ..., Parker Earle, Warfield, Ramberries—... Older, Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, ... Cuthbert. For prices and particulars ...or write. C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

SALE—Or exchange, my place of six ...es, just outside of corporation on turn... ...own as Sam Holden place. Good build... ...ster, etc. G. W. ELY.

...e Tecumseh Herald.

...MSEH, MICH., APRIL 17, 1896.

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...ale a first class Steinway piano ... Frazier's. tf

...er and garden seeds, two papers ... cents at Jas. Montague's novel...

... Raynor Lilley, of Indianapolis, ...n a guest at the Lilley house ...ek.

...ee what you can purchase at ...ue's novelty store tomorrow. ...10c.

...gree organizer, who canvassed ...eh the first of the week, met ...tle success.

... Elliott arrived from Detroit ...day to assist Mrs. Mosher in ...ng this season.

... Blanche Bigelow is the guest of ...er, Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, having ...anted her from Elgin.

...cts at the Universalist church ...bath: Morning, "I am," even... ...railroad station in hell."

...uy, who has been running a ...hop on east Main street, has ...ls accoutrements to Milan.

...ce Holdridge has quit farming, ...to Mrs. Hall's house and taken ...n in the U. S. express office.

...orthy Matron wishes to see all ...rs of the Eastern Star at the ...oms next Wednesday at 3 p. m.

... Winship, of Adrian, is repair... ...late work on the Presbyterian ...oday. Mr. Winship is an ex... the business.

...ve experienced some very in... ...g temperatures this week. Sun... Monday, 75, Tuesday 75, Wed... 7, Thursday 84.

... Wheeler, of the furniture store, ...ed into the Conklin house on ...mle street recently occupied ...rs Mortimer, who has moved to

... you seen those lovely shoes, ... shoes and slippers, direct from ...turers? All the new styles, ..., at bottom prices, at Harris & ...'s.

...ail to call at Harris & Hiteshu's ...at the beautiful line of spring ...ress goods, fancy trimmings, ...lvets, ribbons, spangles and ... the new things for spring of

... Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy arrived ... from Elgin, Ill. Mr. Stacy ...d his residence in that city ...ght a part of his household ...e. They will spend the sum... ...e Stacy residence.

... M. Gray passed away last ... the advanced age of 86. The ...rvices were held at the home ..., Wm. Gray, where the de... ...d made his home for several ...day afternoon, Rev. Blatch... ...ting.

...oline Jones, who was a resi... ...umseh years ago, and who ...embered as a hair dresser in ...led at Albion last Friday. ...s were brought here Wed... ...ompanied by several of her ...ren, for interment.

...binson, the efficient janitor ...ools, has fixed up rooms in ... Harding's house, in which ... do the janitor work. She ... Miss Mary Miller will dis... ...t important function. The ...as made Saturday and was ...ted by Rev. C. M. Brown.

...es of the Monday club have ...siderable on their hands in en... ...presentation of The Passion ...next Friday night. Their ...in bringing so high class an ...ent and one offering such ...tional opportunities, is most ...able and should receive most ...pport.

Leap year party tonight.

Meil Barnes was in Ann Arbor the first of the week.

J. M. Hayden, of Grand Rapids, spent a few days in Tecumseh this week.

Miss Gussie Burlingame, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Tecumseh relatives this week.

Dr. Gibson and Miss Katherine Dillon of Adrian called on Tecumseh friends Sunday.

Clarence Conklin is home for a short vacation from his duties as express messenger.

Mrs. R. S. Moreland and Mrs. W. M. Sheldon, of Adrian, were Tecumseh callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis had the misfortune to lose their infant child last Monday night.

Prices count now-a-days. The Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association quote prices in their ad. this week.

T. R. Kyle is fixing up the Ellis driving park in prospect of ball games and other festivities the coming season.

How cool and airy it seems to see our ladies wearing their pretty new waists. They were purchased at Harris & Hiteshu's.

A number of the Presbyterians of Tecumseh attended Wednesday's session of the Monroe Presbytery held at Holloway this week.

Street Commissioner Hyde has been cleaning and scraping our streets this week, which gives them a most creditable appearance.

Miss Anna B. Keeler, dressmaker, No. 9, west Killbuck street. A share of the public patronage is earnestly solicited. Work at home or out by the day.

Teller Woodward was in town this week and sold his residence formerly occupied by his sister, Miss Hattie Woodward, deceased, to Mrs. Robert Stretch.

Wm. McDowell and Ed. Shepherd, of Adrian, were Tecumseh callers Wednesday. McDowell seems to stand pretty near the head of the long list of candidates for sheriff.

J. R. McEldowney is canvassing this vicinity for information to be used in compiling his Lenawee county and Adrian City directory, which will be ready for delivery in August.

Willie Smith, of Franklin, who was a graduate of the Tecumseh high school in '94, is very low with typhoid fever in Detroit. His parents are both in attendance at his bedside.

Horsemen will take notice that S. I. Repperd, of Fremont, Ind., will be in Tecumseh next Wednesday, April 22, and at Britton Apr. 23, to purchase a car load of driving and work horses.

Mr. W. J. Knight, the engineer of the Andrews raid, gave a very interesting description of that memorable undertaking, at the opera house Monday night, which was worthy of a larger audience.

We wish to say that Dr. C. M. Woodward still occupies his own house and office for the practice of his profession, where he can be found at all times when not out visiting patients. Office hours, 8 to 9 a. m., 1 to 3:30 p. m. and 7 to 8:30 p. m.

The pastor of the Universalist church over at the village of Tecumseh last Sunday evening chose his topic from Caesar's epistle to the Sophomores, "Summum Bonum." It was an Easter service, and the needs of liberal contributions compelled him before he closed to bonum all, some.—Adrian Press.

Major Seymour Howell, of the 1st batallion, made a rather unexpected call on Company C at their drill last Tuesday night. The major took command for a time, and afterward complimented the boys on their attention and proficiency, at the same time giving them some timely pointers and advice.

How about an 1896 bicycle meet? The one of last year was a pronounced success, and reflected credit on our town and our wheelmen as well. This year the interest in cycling matters has much increased as well as the number who use the wheel. This year we have the experience of last to aid us. This year we have plenty of time before us. This year let the wheelmen organize early, in fact, right away, and make arrangements, at least, for a transcendent celebration.

The blaze, which seemed to be only on the outskirts of the corporation last Monday night, was caused by the burning of the old store building in Holloway, together with the barns and sheds on the property. The structure was occupied by Rothfus Bros., whose loss is about $1000, and by Mrs. Rose Palmer and Miss Florence Thompson, milliners, loss about $500. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin. Dr. Nixon also had an office in the building and sustained considerable loss. No insurance.

It is doubtless due to carelessness rather than to a spirit of recklessly interfering with the rights of others, that allows some of our wheelmen to monopolize the sidewalks to a considerable extent for coasting and general purposes. Our officials and citizens are very considerate to occasionally step off the sidewalk in deference to some zealous wheelman in very muddy weather. However, this courtesy can hardly be extended when the highway offers an almost perfect track, just to please the fancy of riders. It is hoped our cyclers will all take the road before some one is hurt or the law enforced.

The suit of Chas. Collins vs. John Wiggins was tried before Justice Burridge yesterday. The case was brought to recover drain taxes of Mr. Wiggins, ex-treasurer of Macon, paid on account of the Patterson drain, under protest. There has been much difference of opinion and some trouble over this drain and this is to be a test case to settle the whole matter. A verdict of no cause for action was rendered. The case will be carried to the circuit court. Sumner Collins and W. C. Burridge appeared for the plaintiff and Jno. Bird for the defense.

Hot, hotter, hottest.

Leap year party tonight.

Don't fail to examine Montague's bargain counter tomorrow.

Attorney Fred Freeman, of Manchester, was in town yesterday.

Miss Kate Anderson left yesterday for a few weeks' visit with friends in Detroit.

Rev. J. J. Lewis, of Boston, has presented his version of The Passion Play over 1100 times.

R. A. Heesen has been confined to the house this week with a severe attack of quinzy.

Cyrus Meade, of Ypsilanti, was calling on old friends in Tecumseh, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. B. Odion and children, who have been visiting in Reading for the past three weeks, have returned.

Frank Greenfield was called to Hastings, Barry County, last week to attend the funeral of his brother, George.

H. H. Temple moved his family to Britton Monday. Herb has gone into the retail lumber business at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ham, of Jackson, are the guests of Tecumseh friends this week. They attend the leap year party this evening.

The presentation of The Passion Play to be given here next Friday night by Rev. J. J. Lewis will undoubtedly be one of the finest attractions ever witnessed here.

Excursions to Cleveland, Ohio, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y on April 29, 30 and May 1 and 12, at one fare for the round trip. Consult ticket agent. m1

"The Monday Club" will be very much pleased if the ladies who attend the illustrated lecture of The Passion Play of Oberammergau will come prepared to remove their hats and bonnets.

Tickets for the lecture on The Passion Play of Oberammergau will be for sale at S. W. Anderson & Co.'s and at Harris & Hiteshu's. Admission, adults 25c; children under 15 years of age 15c.

These who would like information about The Passion Play of Oberammergau will find many very fine articles in the Cosmopolitan of Dec., 1890; Chatauquan of Sept., 1890; Century of April, 1883; Century of March, 1883; Harpers, volumes 50 and 52.

General Conference M. E. church in Cleveland, Ohio, May 1 to 30. Excursion tickets over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y April 29 and 30 and May 1 and 12. Enquire of ticket agents. A folder of information, containing program of conference, sent by applying to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio. m1

We dropped into Mrs. M. A. Freeman's this morning to see what a millinery opening was like, and found there a beautiful and tastily arranged variety of everything to make a woman's heart glad this time of year. Its worth going to see anyway, even if you wear last year's hat this season. The opening continues tomorrow.

The San Jose (Cal.) Daily Mercury, of April 4, gives an extended account of the organization in that city of the Society of Wolverines, which is to be composed of Michigan people exclusively. The meeting was held at the parlors of Mr. W. H. Hunt, who is a brother of J. S. Hunt, of this village, and who attended school here some 40 years ago. Michigan people love the memories and associations of their old state, and well they should.

The following notice appears in the Gratiot County Herald of April 15, published at Ithica, Mich.: "A quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. J. E. Long before a few invited guests, April 7. The contracting parties were Mr. A. T. Dibble, of North Star, and Miss Minnie Coon, of Washington. The groom came from Lenawee about four years ago and is a descendant of one of the pioneers of that county. Miss Coon is the daughter of M. W. Coon, of Washington, and is a graduate of our high school, and has the respect of a large circle of friends. Both are teachers and are well known throughout the county. They will be at home to receive their friends at their farm in North Star after April 20. The Herald extends congratulations."

Robert Aicken, who was a resident of Tecumseh for a number of years, and went to California sixteen years ago, and located at Walnut Creek, was kicked by a horse in such a manner as to cause his death, Friday, March 13, last. The animal was being led by a halter, when he jerked loose and planted both feet with terrific force in Mr. Aicken's abdomen, inflicting injuries that baffled medical skill. He was a man highly respected in the community where he lived. He leaves a wife, but no children to mourn his untimely taking off. Mr. Aicken was a brother of Mrs. John McKirdy and Mr. John Aicken, of Macon. Mr. Aicken had a large acquaintance among our people during his residence in Tecumseh, and all tender the bereaved wife their heartfelt sympathies.

The Maus Entertainers appeared before a Tecumseh audience Wednesday night in a popular concert of music and elocution. The program was carried out as announced in last week's issue. As a player of stringed instruments Mr. Maus has seldom been equalled by any artist appearing in our opera house and his selections were heartily appreciated and encored by the listeners. Ada Waring Maus has peculiar and well trained powers as an elocutionist, her rendition of the "Whistling Regiment" being particularly effective. Although, on account of the many attractions this week, a rather light audience greeted the entertainers, they were highly complimented by those who witnessed the entertainment and have made a favorable impression in Tecumseh. Mr. Maus contemplates giving a number of engagements in this vicinity. The merit of their concerts should certainly assure them most abundant success.

Friday, May 1, has been designated as Arbor Day by Gov. Rich.

S. W. Anderson and John Anderson have been missed from the store this week, on account of sickness.

Miss Youngs, of Marquette, who attends the University, spent the vacation this week as the guest of Miss Mary Haight.

Dickinson Bros. are now well established in their commodious shop on Evans street, and would be pleased to see their friends.

We publish this week a large batch of council proceedings which includes the committees and officers appointed by the new administration.

Nearly the whole fair population of Tecumseh has been astir for the past two days arranging the opera house for the ball tonight. Not a vile man has done a tap, and the hall resembles a fairy bower. Don't miss the concert if you don't dance

The Herald acknowledges the receipt of a beautiful pamphlet, entitled, "Her Aunt's Bequest," descriptive of the summer resorts to be reached by the C. J. & M. Ry. The copy came from the office of T. C. M. Schindler, G. P. A., Toledo, and was executed by the Blade Co., of that city.

Rev. C. A. Fulton surprised his old friends and made many new ones at the Baptist church Tuesday evening. "What will he do" was told in several ways so that a young man could take his choice. Rev. Fulton is an orator of no ordinary ability, being very original in his allusions and illustrations. Should he appear here again he would receive a larger patronage. A reception was given in his honor after the lecture.

—LAUNDRY.—

—The undersigned now has the agency for the Troy Steam Laundry, of Adrian. Laundry called for and delivered free of charge. Leave order or laundry at J. C. Eckle's Tailor Shop, not later than Wednesday night. J. H. M. CAMPBELL

—A CHANCE FOR AN INVESTMENT.—

A small amount of money invested at Harris & Hiteshu's will take home a nice spring cape, a lovely shirt waist, a beautiful dress, the handsomest and latest styles in spring and summer shoes.

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TWELVE FIREMEN ARE HURT.

Members of the Detroit Department Overcome by Smoke.

Detroit, April 12.—Fire Saturday night damaged the five-story storage warehouse owned by the Riverside Storage Warehouse company to the extent of $10,000 and destroyed and damaged the contents upward of $50,000. Twelve firemen who had entered from the front were taken out, overcome by smoke. Eight of these are in the hospitals, and the condition of one, Charles Driscoll, a pipeman, is considered critical. Nearly all the contents were household goods, some of them very valuable. It is believed that the owners in most cases carry individual insurance thereon, but the storage company is not liable for damage to these goods by fire. An extension of the burned building next adjoining escaped injury. The building is well insured. The origin of the fire is not known.

DETROIT MANUFACTURERS.

Their Club Holds Its First Annual Banquet.

Detroit, April 15.—The local manufacturers' club met in first annual banquet in the Russell house Tuesday night. The occasion marks the inauguration of a vigorous forward movement on the part of the manufacturers. Gov. John T. Rich was present and spoke on the subject: "Contract Versus State Account Labor in Our Prisons and Its Relations to Manufacturers Who Employ Free Labor." The banquet was attended by all local foreign consuls, as well as representative citizens of every class and profession. Two hundred manufacturers surrounded the heavily-spread tables. The manufacturers argued for reduced taxation on manufacturing machinery and on goods in process of manufacture.

Young Michigan Woman in Jail.

Clinton, Ia., April 13.—An accomplished young woman was arrested here late Saturday for forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses. She had been going about the city soliciting money on a paper she claimed for a society of Kings' Daughters, and is said to have forged the name of several merchants to give it influence. She secured about $20. She gave the name of Miss Wilson, and said she was trying to get money enough to go to her home in Michigan.

Will Soon Be Completed.

Detroit, April 14.—General Manager Crapo, of the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad, says that the new line of that company between Monroe and Toledo will be completed and in operation by next September, when the Flint & Pere Marquette will resume its through traffic with Ohio and eastern points. An arrangement has been consummated whereby the Wabash and Flint & Pere Marquette railroads will make a short Toledo-Detroit route

Michigan Woman Comes to Grief.

Duluth, Minn., April 11.—Mrs. Samuel D. Smith, of Detroit, Mich., was sentenced to 13 months' hard labor in the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn., for uttering a forged instrument. Mrs. Smith and her husband succeeded in swindling Mrs. Mae Cameron, also of Detroit, out of $2,500 about a year ago. Mrs. Smith confessed to having collected the money on a certificate of deposit to which her husband forged Mrs. Cameron's name. Smith is still at large.

Girl Badly Burned.

Kalamazoo, April 14.—At St. Augustine's Catholic church, Sunday morning, a large class was receiving the first communion when the veil worn by Miss Eliza McCrory caught fire from a taper. A panic started among the congregation of 2,000 people. A man threw his coat over the girl's head and extinguished the blaze. The girl is dangerously burned.

Stabbed His Sister-in-Law.

Kalamazoo, April 13.—Mrs. Cornelius Linehan received four probably fatal stabs in the back from a knife in the hands of her brother-in-law, Dan Linehan. Her husband is also badly injured. Linehan nearly pounded his mother to death several months ago. He is at large.

AN AWFUL DEED.

S. B. Minshall, of Pentwater, Kills Five and Himself.

His Wife and Three Children and a Neighbor Are the Victims of His Rash and Insane Act.

Pentwater, April 13.—S. B. Minshall, an attorney of this town, made a successful attempt on Thursday night to assassinate William B. O. Sands, president of the Sands & Maxwell Lumber company. After leaving Sands for dead, Minshall went to his home and shot his wife and three children dead and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

Sands had been working in the office of the company and had started home about 9:30 o'clock. When within a few rods of his home a man jumped out from behind a tree and fired at him. Sands broke into a run, the would-be assassin following him closely and firing at his victim every few seconds. Five shots in all were fired, two striking Sands in the arm and one in the leg. As Sands reached his door he fell, and his assailant, probably thinking he had killed him, turned and fled.

Sands Dies of His Wounds.

Sands' cries for help aroused members of his household and a physician was summoned and the police notified. Sands' right arm was so badly shattered it was found necessary to amputate it, and at seven o'clock p. m. Friday he died from the effect of his wounds.

There was no known motive for the attempt on Mr. Sands' life, as he was not known to have an enemy.

The police were unable to unearth a clew to enlist the services of S. B. Minshall, Mr. Sands' attorney. A messenger was sent to his house. Failing to arouse any of the family, he became suspicious that something was wrong and forced an entrance.

An Awful Sight.

In the main room were found the bodies of Mrs. Minshall, Ruby, a 16-year-old daughter and a promising musician, and that of Minshall himself. The murderer had evidently shot his wife first and Ruby, who had been awakened by the report, had come downstairs to investigate. The revolver which her father had turned on her after she entered the room had been held so close to her body that her night dress had caught fire. Her life blood had quenched the flames, however, when she fell to the floor. Minshall then went upstairs and shot his two young boys, George, aged four, and Frank, aged two years. Returning to the lower floor he had placed the revolver to his own head and fired the fifth fatal shot. Minshall had always been considered inoffensive.

Motives of the Crime.

Minshall's pockets were full of cartridges and a letter was found addressed to "A. Williams, Rookery building, Chicago." In it Minshall declares his purpose to kill himself because of his pressing financial difficulties, and hints at his intention to kill Mr. Sands, who, he declares, had taken advantage of him. He asks that his family be provided for if they survive him, although he says it may be better for them if they all die before being reduced to beggary.

He has felt, he says, that the resolution which led pauper fathers to kill their pauper children was Spartanlike, and that no one not so situated could understand the impulse.

In another letter he says that Sands had promised him all the business of the lumber firm, but had lately demanded a third of it as commission and had taken away a half of the insurance policies from which Minshall derived his living.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict to the effect that Mrs. Minshall, and three children were shot and killed by the father, who afterwards killed himself, and that Minshall also inflicted fatal wounds upon Sands.

Pentwater, April 13.—The funeral of the Minshall family took place Sunday and was attended by thousands. People came to the village by train and other conveyances, anxious to view the remains. Morbid curiosity was not gratified, for the coffins were not opened. According to the laws of the Episcopal church, the regular funeral services cannot be held over a criminal or suicide, but, at the earnest request of relatives, Rev. Mr. Laws, of Grand Rapids, repeated a special combined service for adults and children. At the grave the full Episcopal service was read over the graves of Mrs. Minshall and the three children. Over the grave of Minshall the minister offered a short prayer, commending the soul of the murderer to his Maker for mercy.

Sands' funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 9. A son will arrive at that time from Salt Lake City. Sands leaves a widow and three sons and a fortune of nearly $1,000,000.

Old Fort Wilkins to Be Sold.

Marquette, April 15. — Orders have been received at the federal land office to effect a sale of the old Fort Wilkins reservation on the extreme northern end of Keweenaw point. The old fortifications are still there in an excellent state of preservation, but the place has been abandoned as a military post for many years, and latterly has been used as a summer resort.

Sunday Church Dinners.

Kalamazoo, April 15. — The Bethel Baptist church, a prosperous organization of this city, will next Sunday try the novel plan of serving free Sunday dinners in order to induce its morning congregation to remain for Sunday school. The membership of the church is almost entirely among the working people, and it has been found, especially during warm weather, that the attendance fell off.

An Old Resident Dies.

Coldwater, April 15.—[illegible] died here Tuesday morning, aged 72 years. He was an old resident and had held prominent city offices at various times.

BRIEFLY STATED.

A Budget of Interesting Facts from Many Localities.

The iron output of Michigan is 9,000,000 tons a year.

The eighth Michigan cavalry will hold its next reunion in Holly in September.

The Tilden mine at Bessemer has shut down and 200 miners are out of employment.

Hillsdale county supervisors refuse to call a special election to vote on the local option question.

Eight hours on street work is demanded of the city of Lansing, by the Federal labor union.

Charles Noble is under arrest at Kalamazoo, charged with robbing J. Sedan & Son, of Paw Paw, his former employers, of $400.

Gov. Rich has appointed Walter H. Churchill, of Shelby, agent of the state board of correction and charities for Oceana county.

EDITORS MEET.

Convention of State Republican Editorial Association.

Grand Rapids, April 15.—The annual meeting of the Michigan Republican Editorial association was held Tuesday, and about 30 attended. Officers were elected as follows: President, F. R. Gibson, of the Benton Harbor Palladium; vice president, A. S. Conant, of the Mount Pleasant Enterprise; secretary, W. R. Cook, of the Hastings Banner; treasurer, Mrs. T. S. Applegate, of the Adrian Times. Resolutions were adopted urging independence on the part of the republican press, a closer relationship between editors and party managers, indorsing party organizations in the form of clubs, urging party committees to seek to encourage the circulation of republican papers and insisting that the caucus laws shall be enforced to prevent populists, democrats and others participating. The association will will meet again in Detroit on May 6, and will meet at intervals during the summer.

DETROIT RACES.

Many Entries and Valuable Prizes for the July Meeting.

Detroit, April 13.—The entries for the special events of the Blue Ribbon meeting of the Detroit Driving club, which will be held on the Grosse Pointe track in July, have just closed, and the number of entries received insures the success of these events and of the meeting. The great Merchants' and Manufacturers' stake, which is guaranteed for its face value of $10,000, has 29 entries, and will be worth from $13,500 to $15,000. The list of entries covers the choicest selections in the 2:24 class trotting in 13 states and the province of Ontario. The new chamber of commerce stake of $5,000 for 2:24 pacers has 21 entries. Of the other special events the 2:25 class trotting has 27, the 2:25 pacing 24 and the 2:20 pacing 13 entries.

Kalamazoo Democrats.

Kalamazoo, April 13.—The democratic county convention elected P. H. Gilkey as delegate at large to the state convention Saturday. Judge I. N. Buck was chosen chairman of the county committee. William G. Knight was chairman of the convention. Resolutions were adopted favoring the immediate restoration of silver to the place it occupied in the currency system prior to its demonetization in 1873. To this end the convention insisted on the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold on equal terms and in ratio of sixteen to one.

Died of Grief.

St. Clair, April 15.—Last fall, while en route from St. Clair to Chicago, Miss Olive Carlton mysteriously disappeared in Detroit. Her body was recovered, but whether she was murdered or committed suicide never has been ascertained. Because of this mysterious death an aged sister, Miss Helen Carlton, of Chicago, lost her mind. She was taken to a retreat, where she died Sunday. Her remains were brought to St. Clair for burial.

Masonic Home in New Hands.

Grand Rapids, April 15.—The board of managers of the Michigan Masonic Home association has reorganized by electing as directors John W. McGrath, Detroit; William Webber, Saginaw; E. L. Bowring, Grand Rapids; G. W. Catton, Flint, and Gen. O. L. Spalding, St. John's. This gave the state a larger representation on the board, instead of confining it to this city. The board is confident that means will be provided for keeping the home open.

Reorganization Necessary.

Detroit, April 13.—C. Perry, secretary and treasurer of the consolidated Grand Trunk system, who was reelected secretary of the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway, says that the high rate of running expenses during an unprofitable year is what made a reorganization of the Grand Trunk necessary. The business last year was disappointing, being a net revenue deficiency of $324,640 or $111,800 more than the deficiency carried forward for 1894.

New Lake and Rail Line.

Muskegon, April 15.—The Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad company has completed arrangements for a boat line of its own between here and Milwaukee, and will put on the steamer Lawrence of Chicago. This supersedes the traffic arrangement with the Crosby Transportation company, which has branched out to also cover the Grand Haven route. The new service commences April 20.

Mlle. Rhea Talks to Children.

Menominee, April 15. — Mlle. Rhea, who appeared here Tuesday night in "Nell Gwyne," addressed 500 high school pupils in the afternoon on the life of Napoleon. A reception followed at which the actress was highly honored.

Orangemen Meet.

Jackson, April 15. — The Loyal Orangemen, of Michigan, are holding the annual meeting of the grand lodge here, with delegates present from nearly all of the 200 lodges in the state.

WHEAT BADLY DAMAGED.

Cold March Winds Also Dry Weather Blighted the Plant.

Lansing, April 12.—The state monthly crop report for April shows that wheat has been injured during March, and without rain and warm weather the further damage will be serious. It says wheat made small growth in the fall, but it had a favorable winter and suffered no injury before March 20. From that date to the end of the month the ground was bare of snow and the usual March freezing and thawing caused the fields to look brown and considerably damaged. Correspondents on April 4, the date of their reports, were not without hope that warm rains would restore the plant to its normal condition, and that it was not permanently injured. Since that date, however, there has been a continuous drought, with cold north and northwest winds. This cannot continue, the report says, much longer without serious damage.

The condition of wheat now is more critical than at any previous time since sowing. The averages of crop correspondents' estimates are as follows, the comparisons being with average years: Southern counties, 84 per cent.; central, 86 per cent.; northern, 92 per cent., and for the state, 86 per cent. In 1895 it was 85 in the state, and in 1894 99 per cent. In March, 1894, the weather was cold and dry, while in 1895 it was unusually warm and moderately wet. The amount of wheat reported marketed in March was 606,118 bushels, and in eight months from August to March 7,313,236 bushels, or 1,347,079 less than in the same months last year.

The average condition of clover meadows and pastures is 68, 73, 88 and 89 in the southern, central and northern counties, and state, respectively. Live stock is in good condition and averages from 90 to 96 per cent. The outlook for fruit is good.

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Important Measures Under Consideration in the Senate and House—Bills and Resolutions Now Pending.

Washington, April 9.—Senator Turpie spoke in the senate yesterday in favor of radical action on Cuba, even to the extent of sending a fleet to Cuban waters. Most of the day was given to the Indian appropriation bill, which was not completed. Unanimous consent was secured for taking up next Thursday, the resolution for a senate inquiry into recent bond issues. A bill was passed granting a pension of $50 monthly to the widow of Maj. Gen. Charles S. Hamilton.

Washington, April 10.—After being in retirement for some weeks the tariff-silver bill was brought forward in the senate yesterday as a text for a speech by Mr. Mantle (Mont.), who urged that unsectional protection should be linked with bimetallism. The naval appropriation bill ($31,279,482) was reported and every pension bill on the calendar (75 in number) was passed.

Washington, April 11.—The main portion of the session of the senate yesterday was taken up by the Indian appropriation bill, the house proposition abolishing the system of contract schools for Indian children giving rise to a long debate. A favorable report was made on the bill providing for a delegate in congress from Alaska. Adjourned to the 13th.

Washington, April 14.—In the senate yesterday a resolution to open the publication of the Patent Office Gazette to general competition was adopted and the bill to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy was reported. The appointment of Gen. Fitz-Hugh Lee as consul general to Havana was received from the president.

Washington, April 15.—A bill was introduced in the senate yesterday to prohibit the transmission of the reports of results on bets or prize fights or races from one state to another, and making such transmission a misdemeanor. Senator Squire spoke on the needs of coast defenses and Senator Chandler spoke in favor of the claim of Dupont, of Delaware, to a seat in the senate.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, April 9.—The bill in the house to adopt the metric system of weights and measures was sent to the committee on coinage, weights and measures yesterday for further consideration. The conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill was adopted.

Washington, April 10.—In the house yesterday the District of Columbia appropriation bill was passed and a favorable report was made on the bill for the admission of New Mexico as a state. Mr. Hopkins (Ill.) introduced a reciprocity bill and a resolution was adopted calling on the state department for information regarding Mrs. Maybrick, imprisoned in England.

Washington, April 11. — The house spent nearly the entire time yesterday in general debate on the "filled cheese" bill. The fortifications bill ($11,384,000) was reported, as was also the bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors to Indians holding lands by allotments.

Washington, April 13.—After two days' debate the house Saturday, by a vote of 160 to 58, passed the Grosvenor "filled cheese" bill. The democrats voted solidly against the measure, together with 11 republicans. Practically the only amendment adopted was the one reducing the tax on retail dealers from $40, to $12.

[The bill requires the manufacturers of filled cheese to pay a tax of $400 annually, the wholesale dealers $250 and the retail dealers $12 and for failure to pay such tax imposes upon the manufacturers a fine of from $400 to $3,000, upon wholesale dealers from $250 to $1,000, and upon retail dealers from $40 to $200. It also requires the branding of "filled cheese" and its sale only from original packages. The penalty for false branding is a fine of from $50 to $500. The bill requires all retail dealers to post conspicuously a sign "Filled Cheese Sold Here." In addition it imposes a tax of one cent per pound on filled cheese, the tax to be paid by the manufacturer. Imported "filled cheese" is subjected to a duty of eight cents per pound. The act is to go into effect on the 19th day after its passage.]

Washington, April 14. — The house spent the time yesterday transacting business relating to the District of Columbia and several local bills were passed.

Washington, April 15. — Without a dissenting vote the house passed the fortification bill yesterday, making an appropriation of $11,384,000. The Arizona statehood bill was reported favorably.

Jefferson's Birthday.

Charlottesville, Va., April 14.—Under the auspices of the National Association of Democratic Clubs the 153d anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, the founder of the democratic party, was celebrated Monday at Monticello, where the author of the Declaration of Independence lived and died.

Three Children Cremated.

Huntington, W. Va., April 15.—Two miles south of Dunlow on the Norfolk & Western railroad, three children of Sheridan Moore, a well-to-do farmer, Financial trouble was the cause. The was a boy, aged eight, and the other two were girls, aged six and ten.

Made an Assignment.

Boston, April 15.—Spaulding & Tewksbury, wholesale dealers in straw and leather board, with branches in many of the principal cities of the union, have assigned. The liabilities are stated to be $150,000 and the nominal assets $200,000.

Result of a Quarrel.

Schuyler, Neb., April 15.—Patrick Finnigan, living northeast of this city, yesterday morning murdered his wife and then committed suicide. Refusal of Mrs. Finnigan to sign deeds to property was the cause.

SALVATION ARMY SPLIT.

[illegible] and Mrs. Booth Tell More of Its Troubles.

New York, April 12.—Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth gave out a five-column statement Sunday night giving officially some of the reasons for having foresworn allegiance to foreign headquarters. The vital points in the statement are that at international headquarters there had come to be a positive hatred of everything American. Objections were urged by Gen. Booth against the display of the national flag upon badges and in halls and homes. He said the idea had arisen to have carrying the stars and stripes at the head of parades. He objected to the use of the flag upon certain days, and constantly spoke deprecatingly of the country and of its people and its institutions.

The statement says that the attempt was made to annex the army in the United States to that of [illegible] and that, in spite of the protestations of the writers, they were forced to make a partial annexation, and at the present time the army work in Dakota, North Montana and North Washington is governed from Toronto, and it is said that the officers hardly dare to let the citizens of these states know that their money goes to Canadian headquarters.

WET GROUNDS.

Rain Prevents the Harry Wright Memorial Ball Game at Rockford.

Rockford, Ill., April 14.—The rain stopped the most unique game in the history of baseball Monday. Veterans of the sixties, whose names were once household words, met in a contest according to the old rules that gave the pitcher nine balls, made a foul on a bound out, and caused the runner to be called out if he overrun first base. The umpire of the game was H. H. Waldo, 76 years of age, known as the "father of the Forest Citys," which team was organized here in 1865 and played until 1875, being one of the most famous clubs in the country. The game was in honor of Harry Wright, the proceeds going to the erection of a monument to him in Philadelphia. It was made a reunion of the players of the old Forest City team, and a number of players who had been prominent on other teams volunteered their services.

DISEASE GERMS KILLED.

Discovery That the X Ray Is a Deadly Foe of Diphtheria and Cholera.

Chicago, April 14.—Prof. W. P. Pratt and Prof. Hugh Wightman, the electrotherapeutist and the bacteriologist of Bennett Medical college, have practically proved that the Roentgen ray is a deadly foe to diphtheria and cholera. They have put the germs of the most deadly diseases through the test. A week has elapsed. They have been fed and nurtured with the greatest care. They have failed to propagate or spread, proving they are dead or have been stunned. Cholera was the easiest, and appears to have wiped out entirely. Diphtheria has been treated very tenderly and favorably, but after eight days has failed to show the slightest signs of life.

Forty-One Years in Congress.

Washington, April 15.—Senator Morrill, of Vermont, reached the age of 86 years yesterday, and he was in his seat in the senate chamber as active and alert as at any time within the last 25 years. When the session was opened with prayer, the chaplain, Rev. Mr. Milburn, in his invocation, made appropriate allusion to the occasion, and the prayer was ordered to be printed in the record. Twelve years as a representative in congress and 29 years as a senator, Mr. Morrill has served his state in the national legislature 41 years.

Mayor Strong's Veto.

Albany, N. Y., April 14.—The reasons given by Mayor Strong for vetoing the Greater New York bill were read in the senate Monday night. In the course of his statement the mayor says he is in favor of consolidation, and that he believes a majority of the citizens of the proposed Greater New York agree with him in that respect, but that the provisions of the bill are not satisfactory to all concerned.

Found Hanging to a Tree.

Nashville, Tenn., April 15.—The body of York Douglass was found hanging to a tree on Long mountain, one of the Cumberland range, on the border between Warren and Van Buren counties, Tuesday morning. Douglass was accused of burning barns and poisoning cattle, and he undoubtedly died at the hands of a mob.

Victim of a Live Wire.

Toledo, O., April 14.—Harry Stoddard, while working on a telephone connection, struck a live wire and fell to the ground, dying in a few minutes. His clothes were nearly burned from his body.

Was One of Dickens' Characters.

Newport, R. I., April 13.—Oliver Caswell, probably the most widely known blind deaf mute in the country, died in this city. Dickens, in his "American Notes," devoted several pages to him.

Merchandise Burned.

Fairbury, Neb., April 15.—A building owned and occupied by Walton Brothers with a stock of general merchandise was burned here, the loss being $250,000.

Has No Defects.

Washington, April 15.—The report on the trial trip of the Indiana shows the warship to have no defects. Average speed with poor coal was 18.6 knots.

Bank Safe Robbed of $4,000.

Wichita, Kan., April 14.—The Bank of Sunnydale, this county, was broken open by burglars Sunday night, the safe blown, and $4,000 in money stolen.

Passengers Injured.

Vossburg, Miss., April 15. — Eleven passengers were more or less injured [illegible] Queen & Crescent train plunging through a creek bridge.

A Costly Fire.

New York, April 15.—The silk house of Auffmordt & Company was burned yesterday, the loss being $1,000,000.

APRIL BLIZZARDS.

Furious Blasts Cause Great Damage in Western States.

In Colorado Buildings Were Wrecked and Some Lives Probably Lost—Texas and Nebraska Also Swept by the Wind.

Cripple Creek, Col., April 13.—The Cripple Creek district was visited by the severest and most destructive blizzard ever known Sunday. An immense amount of damage has been done, and in all probability some lives have been lost in the hills, rumors to that effect being in circulation, and general fear is entertained for the prospectors. A light snow started at 11 o'clock Saturday night and about three in the morning the storm was renewed and the velocity of the wind, which was from the north east, increased and continued to blow at the rate of 60 miles an hour all day. A score or more of buildings in this city were blown down and tents, signs and loose lumber were scattered over town. All the telephone wires out of the camp are down, and no trains arrived or departed Sunday afternoon.

Denver, Col., April 13.—The 1:30 p. m. train over the Florence & Cripple Creek road was stalled between here and Anaconda. One of the suburban trains from Victor is stuck in the snow at Elkton. On the Midland Terminal two passenger trains are blockaded at Gillett.

In Texas.

Colorado City, Tex., April 13.—A cyclone struck this town Saturday night, doing considerable damage to property and resulting in the death of James Solomon, a 12-year-old boy. The Solomon house was scattered all over the block. Mr. Solomon, wife and five children had retired, and it is remarkable that any of them escaped alive.

Dallas, Tex., April 13.—All that part of the state west, southwest and northwest was visited by a severe windstorm Saturday night. The wind came from the west, and in many localities was almost a tornado. At Fort Worth a sash, door and blind factory and the grand stand at the baseball park were wrecked. At Cresson, a small town below Fort Worth, the Fort Worth & Rio Grande railway depot, the Methodist church and nine business houses and residences were demolished.

At Bates, Denton county, the Methodist church was destroyed and other buildings moved from their foundations. Along the line of the Texas Central, from Cisco to Dublin, damage to farmhouses and crops is reported. The wind was followed by a driving rain, which added to the damage.

In Nebraska.

Omaha, Neb., April 13.—The heaviest rainfall in Nebraska the last five years prevailed Saturday and Sunday. In the southern counties a violent windstorm preceded the rain, and considerable damage is reported, but no lives were lost as far as can be ascertained. A dispatch from Red Cloud says a violent gale prevailed and the sky assumed an inky darkness. Many persons rushed to their storm cellars.

DEATH FOR SIX.

Explosion in a Montana Mine Results Disastrously.

Butte, Mont., April 15.—By an explosion in or near the magazine on the east 1,100-foot level of the St. Lawrence mine about 4:20 Saturday morning six men lost their lives. They are: Con. G. Lowney, John Quinlan, Ed Shields, James Dwyer, John McVeigh, Patrick O'Rourke. None of the men, as stated at the mines, were married.

Still Talk of Harrison.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 15.—The republican state committee, the executive committee and the advisory committee—36 representatives of the party—met here Tuesday to consider informally some of the more important questions that will come before the state convention May 7. The position the convention shall take with reference to the presidential nomination was the most important subject discussed. There was a prevailing sentiment among the representatives of the party here that if McKinley fails of nomination on the first or second ballot, Gen. Harrison will be called for.

Administration Indorsed.

Tacoma, Wash., April 15.—The state democratic convention adopted a platform indorsing the present administration of President Cleveland, but differing from it upon the finacial question. The Monroe doctrine was also unqualifiedly indorsed. The free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one was demanded, without waiting for the action of any other nation.

Bankers Will Meet in St. Louis.

Springfield, Ill., April 13.—The American Bankers' association will hold its annual meeting this year in St. Louis on September 22, 23 and 24. Arrangements have been made to close the annual session with an excursion to Lincoln's tomb at Springfield, Ill., on September 25. The bankers will devote one day to patriotism and honoring the memory of the great martyr.

Girls Talked for a Prize.

Lexington, Ky., April 13.—At Cynthiana seven young ladies took part in the first declamation contest for women ever held in Kentucky. Miss Nellie Henren, of Nicholasville was declared the winner of the contest, her subject being "The Legend of Bregenz." The prize was a diamond ring.

Two Brothers Drowned.

Sun Cook, N. H., April 15.—James, five years old, and John, three, sons of Daniel Lynch, were drowned in the Sun Cook river Tuesday afternoon. James was trying to save his brother who had fallen in. The body of James was recovered.

Double Children.

Lorain, O., April 14.—The wife of B. McPherson, a railway conductor here, gave birth to double children, having two heads, four arms, four legs and two complete organizations. The faces are in opposite directions.

Democratic County Convention.

The democratic county convention to elect delegates to the state convention at Detroit April 28, will be held at the court house in the city of Adrian, Friday, April 24, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Each town and ward is entitled to six delegates, except Hudson city, which is entitled to nine.

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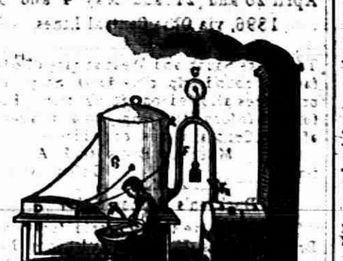

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*46 Detroit Express	4:07 p. m.
*44 New York Express	9:38 p. m.

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Moscow	6 37 "	2 39 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 36 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	1 55 "
Tecumseh	7 06 "	3 11 "	2 10 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	2 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 55 "

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Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	5 00 P.M.
Tecumseh	12 09 P.M.	9 05 "	7 00 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	7 34 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	7 50 "
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.....	11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	3 10	6 [illegible]
.....	12 22	7 25	Monteith	3 35	6 [illegible]
.....	1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 56	5 [illegible]
.....	1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	5 [illegible]
7 00	2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	4 [illegible]
7 54	3 10	9 32	Homer	12 18	3 [illegible]
8 55	3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 30	2 [illegible]
11 00	5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	1 [illegible]
11 13	5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 18	1 [illegible]
.....	5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	12 [illegible]
11 36	5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	12 [illegible]
12 04	5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 49	12 [illegible]
12 30	5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 35	11 [illegible]
12 47	6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	11 [illegible]
1 20	6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	11 [illegible]
1 41	6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	10 [illegible]
2 00	6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	10 [illegible]
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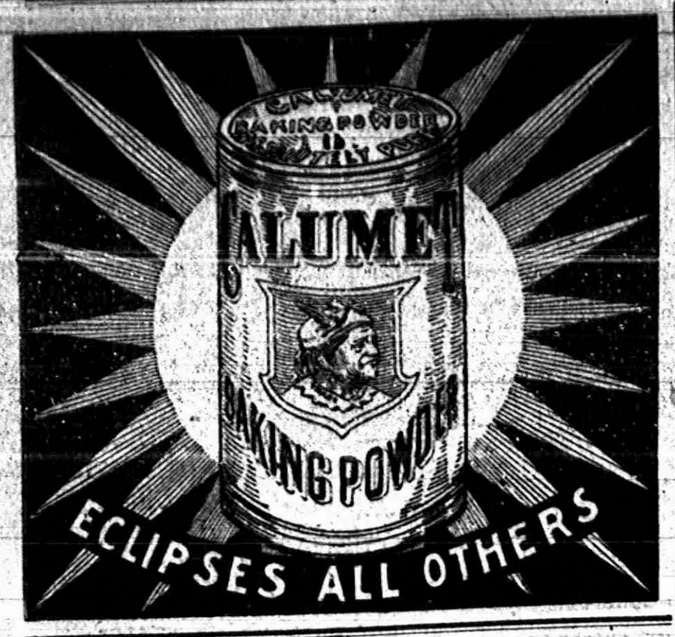

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, April 6th, 1896.

Present, the clerk and Trustees Boyd and Heesen. No quorum being present, council adjourned until Monday evening, April 13th, 1896, at 7:30 p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, April 13th, 1896.

Present, the president, clerk, Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Hall, Wright, Lowry.

Minutes of last regular meeting and special meeting of March 12th, 1896, read and approved.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Purchasing agent reported that he had sold one old street lamp and quantity of manure and produced treasurer's receipt for $2.75 for same. Report accepted.

Sexton's report for March presented, showing four adult interments, fifteen dollars fees collected and one lot sold for $25.00 and produced receipts of the treasurer for the same. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for period from Feb. 24th, to April 6th, 1896, presented, showing village team labor seven days, hired team labor 2 days and 7 hours, costing $6.75. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Moved that Trustee Hall be elected president of the council, pro tem, for the ensuing year. Supported. Carried.

The bond of Frank D. Avery, as village treasurer, for the ensuing year, in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars, with Lucius Litley, J. S. Strong, A. L. Brewer and L. I. Bidwell as sureties, presented for approval.

Moved that bond be accepted, that same be filed and sureties approved. Supported. Carried.

Bond of Will J. Ingersoll, as clerk, for ensuing year, in the penal sum of one othousand dollars, with C. A. Slayton and Alva Spayde as sureties, presented. Moved that bond be accepted, sureties approved and same be placed on file. Supported. Carried.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, supplies purchased, $16.44; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for March, $216.67, incandescent lamp, $.50; D. L. Whitenack & Co, oil, $4.50; W. J. Ingersoll, express and postage paid, $.55; C. F. Field, printing council proceedings, $18.75; Wm. Payne, assessment rolls, $6.00; Jehiel Davidson, assessor, $15.00; Wm. Fielder, labor, $6.75; Water works, Sales Bros., supplies, $18.71.

Finance committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the said several amounts.

Moved that the penalty of bonds of saloonists, for the ensuing year, be placed at the sum of $3,500.00. Supported. Carried.

Thereupon the council appointed James A. Boyd and Alexander Richard as members of the board of review for the year 1896.

The president then named the following committees for the ensuing year:

Finance—Wright, Lowry, Heesen.

Streets—Hall, Boyd, Heesen.

Public buildings and grounds—Lowry, Boyd, Heesen.

Fire and fire limits—Boyd, Lowry, Wright.

Public health—Heesen, Wright, Hall.

Ordinance—Ingersoll, Heesen, Hall.

Moved that Charles A. Wright be elected a member of the board of cemetery trustees for the term of three years. Supported. Carried.

Moved that Hendrick Heesen be elected a member of the board of water commissioners for the term of three years. Supported. Carried.

The president thereupon made the following nominations for village officers for the ensuing year:

Marshal—Charles Bidwell.
Street commissioner—Albert Hyde.
Sexton—W. C. Jordan.
Teamster—Levi B. Thompson.

Moved that the appointment of Charles Bidwell as marshal be confirmed. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the appointment of Albert Hyde as street commissioner be confirmed. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the appointment of W. C. Jordan as sexton be confirmed. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the appointment of Levi B. Thompson as teamster be confirmed. Supported. Carried.

Moved that a committee be appointed, of which the president shall be chairman, to be known as "Committee of Electric Lighting." Supported. Carried.

Thereupon the president named as the other members of said committee Trustees Boyd and Lowry.

Moved that as it will be necessary to build a new bridge on Union street during the coming season, that a committee be appointed to ascertain who is liable for the cost thereof, the village or the township of Tecumseh. Supported. Carried. The president thereupon appointed as such committee: Trustees Wright, Heesen and the clerk.

A committee of ladies from the W. C. T. U. came before the council and presented a petition, signed by seventy-seven male and female citizens, asking that council do not accept as bondmen on bonds of saloonists any person who is not responsible for the full penalty of the bond. Petition accepted and ordered placed on file.

Dr. F. O. Tefft was appointed health physician for the ensuing year.

Moved that the salary of the village marshal for the ensuing year be placed at the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, which shall be in full payment for all services performed by him, that he also be upon the streets every Saturday night and on all days when there is an unusually large crowd of people in town, until twelve o'clock p. m. Supported. Carried.

Moved that teamster's salary for ensuing year be $30.00 per month. Supported. Carried.

Moved that street commissioner's salary for ensuing year be $500.00 per year.

Moved that the sum of $200.00 be appropriated to pay the village's portion of nightwatch's salary. Supported. Carried.

The ordinance committee was instructed to prepare and present at next meeting an ordinance regulating the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks of the village.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal. Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. G

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	13	15
Eggs, per doz	9	10
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 30
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 63 to	3 90
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00	
Veal dressed, per lb	7	8 to 10
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	7
Chickens per lb	10	12
Turkeys		12½
Hides, green		25 to 35
Sheep Pelts		
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		80 to 85
Corn, shelled		18 to 20
Corn in ear	20	10 to 25
Oats	12 00	10 to 11 00
Hay, timothy, per ton		12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		65
Bran, per 100 lbs		85
Middlings, per 100 lbs		85
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		1 00
Straw	3	

THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, April 15.		
LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 90	@	4 50
Sheep	3 00	@	4 50
Hogs	4 20	@	4 60
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 75	@	4 05
Fancy	2 75	@	3 25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	77¾	@	77¾
May	71¼	@	73
CORN—No. 2	40	@	40½
May	35½	@	36¼
OATS—Western	27	@	29
PORK—Mess, New	10 00	@	10 50
LARD—Rendered	5 25	@	5 30
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	12	@	17
EGGS	11½	@	11¾
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Reeves	$3 40	@	4 35
Stockers and Feeders	2 90	@	3 85
Cows and Bulls	2 90	@	3 80
Texas Steers	3 65	@	4 05
HOGS—Light	3 35	@	3 50
Rough Packing	2 60	@	3 75
SHEEP	14	@	17
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	16	@	16
Dairy	9½	@	10¾
EGGS—Fresh	14	@	22
POTATOES—(per bu.)	5 50	@	8 55
PORK—Mess	5 00	@	5 02½
LARD—Steam	3 10	@	3 00
FLOUR—Winter	2 40	@	3 25
Spring	65¼	@	66
GRAIN—Wheat, May	29¼	@	29¾
Corn, No. 2	20¾	@	21
Oats, No. 2	27	@	27¼
Rye, No. 2	31	@	38
Barley, Good to Fancy			
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	$ 61¼	@	64¼
Corn, No. 3	29	@	30
Oats, No. 2 White	20¾	@	21
Rye, No. 1	39	@	39¼
Barley, No. 2	32	@	32¼
PORK—Mess	8 55	@	8 60
LARD	5 05	@	5 10
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	$ 72½	@	72¾
Corn, No. 2	30	@	30½
Oats, No 2 White	23	@	23½
Rye, No. 2	38	@	38¼
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	3 50	@	4 30
Texas	2 10	@	3 75
HOGS	3 35	@	3 75
SHEEP	2 25	@	3 90
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 25	@	3 90
Cows	1 50	@	3 60
Feeders	2 75	@	3 80
HOGS	3 40	@	3 55
SHEEP	3 00	@	3 40

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 131, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co, thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh Michigan, 6th April, A.D. 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 30th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Joseph W. Osborne, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to William H. Osborne, the executor in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 27th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Elijah King, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said Elijah King, on east side of Maumee street, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of April, 1896, and on the 16th day of September, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 16th day of March A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, March 20, 1896.

JOHN S. KINNEY,
FREDERICK GAMBLE,
Commissioners.

HUSBAND AND WIFE

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cline's Experience and Marvelous Escape.

Life had Become a Burden and She Thought She was Going to Die.

From the Industrial News, Jackson, Mich.

Mrs. C. H. Cline, who lives on the corner of Perrine and Pearl Streets, Jackson, Mich., has for two years been troubled with indigestion and nervous prostration, her heart would apparently stop beating. She would suffer great pain, in fact, she honestly thought she was going to die. Her troubles were brought on by a severe attack of la grippe. Sleep was nearly a stranger to her for all this time, and life had become a burden to her until she was advised by friendly neighbors who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to give them a trial, which she did, and it would be hard to find a more grateful woman in Michigan than Mrs. C. H. Cline, as prominent physicians had given her up, while to-day she is able to do her own work and is as pleasant a little body as one would like to visit. She used three Pink Pills a day only, the last one just before retiring, which always insured her a good night's rest.

Mrs. Cline is only thirty years old and could ill afford to let her life slowly ebb away. It is difficult for one to describe her ailments but we can say to all afflicted that if they will call or write to Mrs. Cline they will not only be thoroughly convinced of the merits of these little friends, for she persists in calling them such, but she will also tell you of her marvelous cure, and we can guarantee that she will convince you that she owes her life today to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which she would not be without for its weight in gold.

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The Mishap Which Befel a Fireman on the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R.

From the Press, New York City.

Richard Lambert is one of the most capable firemen on the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad. Though only twenty-one years old, he has earned the confidence of the men over him, and especially of the engineer for whom he fires. This engineer, John Lynch, has had a wide experience on the rail, and his head never fails him in an emergency.

One day last winter Mr. Lambert caught cold after an unusually hard run through the keen, biter cold air, and the next day, when stooping to shovel coal into the furnace, was suddenly taken with severe pains in his back. These pains increased so that work was impossible, and the young fireman had to leave his locomotive and go home. Engineer Lynch had advised his comrade to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, saying he had been entirely cured of a severe illness by them.

At last, when Mr. Lambert was so crippled with pain in his back and sides that he could scarcely drag himself about the house, he asked his mother to buy him some of the pills. This she did. Before the sufferer had taken one box he began to experience relief, and four boxes made him so well that he has worked on his locomotive every day since without once having a return of the pain which made him so great a sufferer.

Mr. Lambert told the story of his cure to a reporter who called at his home No. 555 West Forty-eighth Street, New York, saying he hoped other people would be benefited as he had been by taking Dr. Williams' wonderful medicine. He said he would never lose an opportunity to recommend these pills to his friends.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Summary of the Daily Proceedings in Congress.

Important Measures Under Consideration in the Senate and House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, April 16.—The time in the senate yesterday was occupied in discussing the claim of Mr. Dupont to the vacant seat from the state of Delaware. In executive session the treaty with Great Britain providing for the appointment of a commission for the assessment of the damages growing out of the seizure of vessels engaged in sealing in the Behring sea was ratified.

Washington, April 17.—The resolution for an investigation of recent bond issues was taken up in the senate yesterday and Senator Hill defended Secretary Carlisle and his administration of the treasury against insinuations of irregularity. A favorable report was made on the bill for the reorganization of the army, increasing the force to 30,000 enlisted men.

Washington, April 18.—In the senate yesterday Senator Hill resumed his speech in opposition to the bond resolution and yielded for the introduction of a bill on Pacific railroads which caused a lively debate, during which Senator Allen (Neb.) charged Senator Gear (Ia.) with lying. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, April 21.—The senate spent most of the time yesterday talking about claims for $250,000 made by agents and attorneys of the Cherokee Indians, of the Indian territory. The joint resolution for the appointment of Gen. Franklin, Representative Steele, Gen. Beale and Gen. Henderson as members of the board of managers of the National Soldiers' home was adopted.

Washington, April 22.—The Indian appropriation bill occupied the attention of the senate during the greater part of the session yesterday and the Indian school question caused a lively debate.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, April 16.—In the house yesterday a joint resolution providing for the election of Gen. Franklin as a member of the board of managers of the National soldiers' home was discussed, but no action was taken.

Washington, April 17.—In the house yesterday the fight against the reelection of Gen. W. B. Franklin as a member of the board of managers of the national soldiers' home resulted in the defeat of those who opposed him.

Washington, April 18.—The contested election case in the house from the Sixteenth congressional district of Illinois resulted yesterday in favor of Mr. Rinaker, the republican. A bill was introduced to increase the internal revenue tax on cigarettes from 50 cents per 1,000 under the present law to $50 per 1,000. A bill to pay war claims caused much discussion but no results.

Washington, April 20.—The general deficiency bill ($4,791,340), the last of the regular appropriation bills for this session, was reported to the house on Saturday. Several bills to donate condemned cannon to G. A. R. posts were passed and tributes were paid to the memory of the late Representative Cogswell, of Massachusetts.

Washington, April 21.—After passing a few private bills the house spent the remainder of the session yesterday in the consideration of the general deficiency bill—the last of the general appropriation bills. A bill was introduced to restrict the sale of drugged beer.

Washington, April 22.—In the house yesterday Mr. Skinner (N. C.) introduced a bill which provides for the submitting to a vote of the people of the question whether congress shall pass a free coinage bill, and submit a constitutional amendment providing for the election of president and vice president by direct vote of the people.

Killed by Falling Rock.

Scranton, Pa., April 20.—Falling rock in the Eddy creek shaft at Olymphant about 11:30 o'clock Saturday killed four men. The victims are Ralph and James Abbott, brothers, who lived at Throop; John McHale, of Olymphant, and William Harvey, of Priceburg. The men were known as rock miners, and were driving a tunnel from one part of the mine when a rock fell and killed them.

Slain by Thieves.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 20. — Leo Hirth, a well-known and wealthy German citizen, living at 1020 West Washington street, where he conducted a large grocery business, was instantly killed at two o'clock Sunday morning by two masked men who were discovered in his bedroom, and whom he pursued into the rear of the house.

For National Arbitration.

Washington, April 22.—Members of the New York Bar association yesterday presented to President Cleveland a memorial adopted by that body recommending the creation of a national court of arbitration.

On the Brink of Revolution.

London, April 20.—It is said that Spain is on the brink of a revolution, the recent election fraud inaugurated in the government's favor having increased the number of malcontents immensely.

GROWING WEATHER.

Warmth and Abundant Moisture Pushing Crops Forward.

Chicago, April 22.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Excessively warm sunshiny windy and dry week, except in northern portion where rainfall was about normal. Conditions were very favorable for plowing and planting. All vegetation is improved. Apples, apricots, cherries, pears, peaches and plums are blooming.

Michigan — Abnormally high temperatures and plentiful showers have rapidly advanced all vegetation and farm work. Winter wheat, rye and grass are doing finely; plowing and oat and grass seeding in progress. Early potato planting has just begun.

Indiana—Warm weather has rapidly improved all growing crops; but few showers fell and rain is much needed. Wheat, barley, rye, clover and grass have advanced rapidly; oats nearly all sown; tobacco plants coming on well in Switzerland county. Fruit is in bloom. Plowing for corn continues.

Illinois—A hot week with showers at the beginning and ending has caused remarkable advance in all vegetation. Winter wheat, rye and grasses are greatly improved and are doing finely; grasses afford pasturage. Oats are coming up, gardens and potatoes are planted, also some corn, but preparation of corn land is general. Fruits are laden with blossoms.

Wisconsin—Warm weather and abundant rainfall has been very favorable for the rapid advancement of all crops. Wheat is greatly improved, especially in localities where it was thought to have been entirely winter killed. Oats are all sown, and work well advanced in southern section. Little plowing has been done in the central and northern sections.

Iowa—High temperature and abundant moisture have pushed vegetation rapidly and the season is now as early as usual. Grass and small grains are making a fine stand; winter wheat generally promising. Plowing for corn well advanced and planting will begin soon.

Minnesota—Warmer than usual in south portion and cooler in north portion, with excessive rainfall; seeding well advanced in south portion, but not begun in extreme north. The soil is very wet and drying weather is needed. Grass, winter and early sown grains are started nicely; fruit trees wintered well.

FLOODS IN QUEBEC.

They Cause Loss of Life, Ruin to Property and Great Distress.

Quebec, Can., April 22.—News from Beauce county brings a pitiful story of fearful damage done there by floods At St. Marie farmers are removing their belongings to the hills. At St. George five men were drowned, and there has been heavy loss of property and live stock. The loss of property in the counties of Beauce, Megantic, Compton and Dorchester will reach a million dollars. Maple sugar crops which yield $400,000 yearly, are ruined. The ice bridge over the St. Lawrence at Quebec remains solid, the only change being that vehicles now cross on wheels instead of runners.

KILLED HIS SISTER.

After Committing an Awful Murder an Iowan Attempts Suicide.

Shenandoah, Ia., April 22.—E. A. Jaggers, manager of the M. C. Johnson furniture and undertaking establishment, shot and instantly killed his sister, Mrs. M. C. Johnson, Monday night, and then turned the weapon upon his own head and sent a bullet crashing through his brain. Jaggers and his sister lived alone, and there was no one about the house to interfere to prevent the tragedy. Jaggers is still living, but cannot survive.

No motive for the deed is known, and it is supposed that Jaggers was insane.

Fell Seven Stories.

Chicago, April 20.—The first death from the skyscraper Great Northern theater and hotel addition now being built, occurred Saturday, when Fred Smith, an expert structural iron worker, lost his balance while on a narrow scaffolding and fell from the seventh floor to instant death. His fellow-workmen saw him with outstretched arms strike girder after girder, after crying once for help, but were powerless to lend a hand.

Cuban Prisoners to Be Shot.

Havana, April 21.—Prisoners of war are condemned to death as incendiaries without proof of actual guilt. Evidence that a rebel soldier belonged to a column of the enemy which burned property is sufficient to insure his death. A prisoner's conviction depends on whether he joined the offending band before or after the incendiarism occurred. It is said that nearly 100 prisoners will be shot as incendiaries within a few days.

Nine Fishermen Drowned.

New Bedford, Mass., April 20.—The fishing schooner J. W. Campbell, of Gloucester, went down in a squall back of Long Island, and nine of the ablest seamen from that port lost their lives. The vessel was bound to the Capes of Delaware for mackerel.

Sudden Death of a Banker.

Bloomington, Ill., April 20.—J. Thornton Snell died very suddenly at his home in this city Saturday from heart disease. He was aged 55 years and leaves a widow and one son and one daughter. He was engaged in banking at Clinton, Ill., and was worth a quarter of a million or more.

A Fatal Explosion.

Niehart, Mont., April 20.—An explosion occurred in the Broadwater mine by which seven men lost their lives and six others were seriously hurt. The accident took place in the magazine used for thawing powder.

TORNADO IN OHIO.

Several Lives Lost and Great Damage Done to Property.

Houses and Barns Demolished and Live Stock Killed—Wonderful Experience of a Baby—Many Persons Badly Injured.

Fremont, O., April 21.—About three o'clock Monday afternoon a terrific windstorm accompanied by a heavy downpouring of rain was seen approaching this city from a southwesterly direction. Just as it appeared to be ready to strike this city the cyclone swerved around to the west, then north in a semi-circular direction, carrying all before it. The path traversed was about one-half mile wide and about three miles northwest of this city. The tail end struck here but did no particular damage. But in the main path of the storm disaster resulted.

Two Killed.

Shortly after the passage of the storm news was brought to town of a terrible calamity by those who had been sent to gain aid and succor. When the party of physicians, reporters and others reached the scene a horrible view of ruin and injury was presented. Valuable timber lands were laid low, here and there a solitary tree remaining standing as a mute witness of the catastrophe. Farm residences, buildings, etc., were demolished; fences scattered, live stock killed, and worst of all, dead and injured people were scattered about the strip of wasted land, giving to the whole a resemblance to a battlefield. The home of W. L. Greene, a well-to-do farmer, was crushed like an eggshell. Greene was found lying mangled and dead some distance from the house. His son James, residence near by, met a like fate

Mrs. James Greene was badly injured and will probably not recover. Her infant child was peacefully sleeping in a cradle when the house was struck. The cradle and its occupant were picked up like a feather and carried quite a distance in an adjoining field. When discovered the cradle was smashed, but the babe was unharmed.

Another Fatality.

At the farm of Amos Hetrick, John Low and Hetrick were shearing sheep in a barn. The barn was leveled to the ground. Low was blown out of the barn across a 40-acre field against a tree and was instantly killed. Hetrick escaped with light injuries. A young child of Charles Tucker was badly injured by flying pieces of timber. Abraham Fought, a farmer, was struck and an arm and leg were broken. Ruins, scattered far and wide, are all that are now left of what were a few hours ago many ideal country houses and farms.

Schoolhouses Unroofed.

Fostoria, O., April 21.—A cyclone passed over the country northwest of this city Monday afternoon, destroying hundreds of gas and oil derricks and a large amount of other property. The roof of the Hatfield brick schoolhouse, three miles northwest of the city, was blown off and the gable ends fell in, while school was in session, breaking the arm of the teacher, Miss Belle Norris, a daughter of Representative Norris. She was quite badly hurt by being struck by a rafter. Several children were injured.

Later Reports.

Alliance, O., April 22.—Mrs. Edward Miller, wife of a farmer, went to the pasture after the cows before Monday's storm and did not return. Her dead body was found after the storm. It was supposed she died from fright affecting her heart.

Toledo, O., April 22.—Reports from the Sandusky county cyclone show that it was more disastrous than it was first said to be. At least five more persons are fatally injured. A Mrs. Schorf and her child was found Tuesday morning after having laid out all night wet to the skin. They were blown out of a buggy and will die. Wilson Brand, of Booktown, and Hiram Hendricks of Muscalonge, are two others fatally hurt. Hendricks had both arms and legs broken. Edward Logue, of Booktown, was crushed under a falling barn. The loss to property is estimated at $200,000.

Will Continue the Struggle.

New York, April 23.—Senor Palma, delegate of the republic of Cuba to the United States, has issued a lengthy manifesto regarding the supposed administrative reforms to be introduced in Cuba by Spain. The "reforms" he declares do not concern those who have already established an independent government in Cuba and have resolved to shrink from no sacrifice of property or life in order to emancipate the whole island from the Spanish yoke.

Murderers Given a Respite.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 21.—Frank Harris and Foster Pollard, the Kansas City murderers, were granted a further stay of execution by the governor on Monday morning, until Friday, May 15, 1896. The time is extended in order to give the governor time to examine the application for commutation.

The "Lily Whites."

Houston, Tex. April 21.—The reform republicans (lily-white) held their state convention in this city and elected unpledged delegates to the national convention. The platform favors bimetallism and the immediate calling of an international monetary and reciprocity conference.

MORE ELECTIONS.

Illinois Cities and Towns Vote on the License Question.

Chicago, April 22.—Municipal elections were held in many Illinois cities yesterday. Party lines were in many instances ignored and the fight made solely on the question of license or no license. The results on the liquor question are as follows:

For license—Assumption, Athens, Apple River, Ashland, Arcola, Aurora, Bement, Barry, Crystal Lake, Canton, Champaign, Chandlersville, Cary, DeKalb, DeWitt, Elizabeth, El Paso, Exeter, Farmer City, Fairbury, Flora, Fremont, Greenview, Hillsboro, Harvard, Jewett, Jonesboro, Keithsburg, Kenney, Keyesport, Lexington, Livingston, Marcia, McLeansboro, Marshall, Mason City, Montrose, Monmouth, Mount Carroll, Monticello, Marseilles, Naples, Nunda, North Chicago, Oregon, Piano, Pontiac, Princeton Rochelle, Rock Falls, Robinson, St. Marie, Shawneetown, Scales Mound, Saylor Springs, Stockton, Shelbyville, Tallula Tiskilwa, Tolono, Vandalia, Virginia, Warren, Weldon, Wenona, Woodstock, Wyanet.

Anti-license—Anna, Batavia, Benton, Bluffs, Buda, Clay City, Carrollton, Cerro Gordo, Dwight, Elkhart, Eureka, Galva, Gibson City, Glasgow, Greenville, Greenup, Kirkwood, Louisville, Marengo, Mansfield, Milford, Moweaqua, Newton, Paw Paw, Pittsfield, Roseville, Salem, Saybrooke, Sibley, Stanford, Tuscola, Toledo, Wapello, Washburn, Wheeler, Winchester.

LETTERS MADE PUBLIC.

Correspondence on the Salvation Army Split Given Out.

New York, April 21.—Commissioner Booth-Tucker, of the Salvation Army, and his wife made public Mr. and Mrs. Ballington Booth's letter of resignation, bearing date of January 31, Bramwell Booth's reply as chief of staff, dated February 15, and Gen. William Booth's letter to Ballington Booth, written in London March 13. The correspondence is very voluminous and would fill many newspaper columns. The letter of the Ballington Booths declares that they have lost confidence in Gen. Booth, and there are other reasons why it is impossible for them to take another command without violating their convictions. The correspondence sheds little new light on the subject. Gen. Booth's letter is full of expressions of affection and entreaties for further negotiations.

CUBANS MASSACRED.

Spaniards Shoot Them Down While Unarmed—Twelve Killed.

Key West, Fla., April 20.—In the suburbs of Havana on Thursday night one of the most cruel massacres of the war was perpetrated by the Spaniards. According to advices received here 12 unarmed Cubans were shot and 11 were wounded. The massacre occurred on Los Pinos farm on the outskirts of Havana. About 60 Cubans were holding a secret meeting on Thursday night in the farmhouse. A Spanish woman informed the authorities, who sent a detachment of troops to raid the place. The troops surrounded the house and ordered the Cubans to come out. As the unarmed men appeared the Spaniards fired, killing 12 outright and wounding 11. Fifteen were captured and the others escaped.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Standing of Clubs in the National League for the Week Ending April 19.

The standing of the clubs of the National league is as follows:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Washington	2	1	.666
Pittsburgh	2	1	.666
Brooklyn	2	1	.666
Cleveland	2	1	.666
Philadelphia	2	1	.666
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	1	2	.500
Boston	1	2	.333
New York	1	2	.333
Baltimore	1	2	.333
Louisville	1	3	.250

Death Penalty for a Murderer.

Chicago, April 21.—Joseph Windrath was found guilty Monday night by a jury of the murder of Carey B. Birch, the street railway cashier, and his punishment fixed at death. The jury was unanimous for the death penalty. Mannow, the self-confessed accomplice of Windrath, is expected to receive the same sentence from Judge Horton, although he pleaded guilty during the progress of the trial. Birch was shot down at night while counting the company's cash in the car barns and robbed of $380.

Paderewski's Gift.

New York, April 22.—Before sailing for Europe Tuesday Ignace Paderewski, the famous pianist, made William Steinway custodian of the sum of $10,000 which he has offered as prizes to American composers.

Firemen Killed.

Philadelphia, April 20.—Two firemen were crushed to death and several others seriously injured as the result of a fire which destroyed the old depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad company and entailing a loss of about $200,000.

Thinks Silver Is in the Lead.

Omaha, Neb., April 20.—The World-Herald prints a table, compiled by Hon. W. J. Bryan, showing the probable result of the contest for the Chicago convention. It claims for silver 516 delegates; for gold, 310; doubtful, 68.

Aged 103 Years.

Anoka, Minn., April 21.—Michael Gilligan, probably the oldest man in Anoka county, died Sunday, aged 103 years. He was born in Ireland and married here in 1818. His wife survives him, her age being 101.

First to Reach Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 20.—The steamer Thomas Davidson, grain laden from Chicago, reached this place at eight o'clock last night, being the first vessel to arrive this season.

Clinton Column.

Funeral of an Old Resident—Much Miscellaneous Mention.

Miss Rose Lane is reported quite ill.

Philip Keusch was at home over Sunday.

Jas. Hamilton was in town last Saturday.

Sol Tate was a Jackson visitor Monday.

W. F. Clack has recently purchased a house and lot.

Jno. L. Tuttle Jr. returned to Ann Arbor Tuesday.

George Jacob, of Plymouth, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Shugar left Friday for her home at Onsted.

Miss Mame Bradner was a Detroit visitor last Saturday.

Miss Alice Blakeman was in Detroit the last of last week.

Mrs. E. S. Tate spent a few days of this week in Tecumseh.

Rev. J. Ward Stone, of Milan, was in town Thursday of last week.

Miss Mae Aylesworth was calling on friends in town last Saturday.

Ed. Clark is putting in a complete stock of buggies for the market.

Miss Dora Shultz, of Manchester, was visiting friends in town Sunday.

Chas Bostedor Sr. drove to Grass Lake Sunday returning Monday.

Rumor hasits that Clinton will soon be blessed with another bakery.

Frank Palmer has secured a position in Mr. Miller's store in Ypsilanti.

Ernest Rhodes, of Mooreville, was visiting here the first of the week.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, of Britton, were visiting friends here last Sunday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox visited his home in Addison the latter part of last week.

Mrs. E. A Clark and Miss Eva Shimman visited Detroit last week Thursday.

Jas. Wadsworth and Robert Bauer moved their families to Hudson Monday.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. J. S. Kies over Sunday.

Miss Mamie Wilson taught for Miss Brewster, Wednesday, in the grammar room.

G. R. Wolf has been improving his residence by building a larger porch on the front.

Mrs. Frank Schmitt, of Adrian, was visiting at Chris Schmitts the first of the week.

Miss Julia Kensler, of Manchester, was the guest of Mamie Mingus last Saturday.

Miss Kittie VanTuyle went to Hudson Saturday to visit her sister for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sisson, of Tecumseh, attended service at St. John's church here last Sabbath.

Sidney Case and Raynor Haeussler, of Manchester, came down on their wheels Saturday morning.

Mrs. F. C. Bush, Mrs. E. R. Smith and little Ruth Kimball, returned Friday night, from their Detroit visit.

Miss Celia Brewster attended the wedding of Thos. Conlin and Miss Nettie Camburn, at Tipton, Tuesday.

John U. Heimerdinger, who resided with his son-in-law, Bernhard Teepe, in Saline township, died last Sunday at the age of 74. The remains were sent to Lansing, Tuesday, for interment.

There will be a meeting of the Southern Convocation of the Diocese of Michigan, in St. John's church on Thursday, April 30. The Rev. Dean Tatlock, of Ann Arbor, will preside. In the afternoon Rev., Dr. Stonex, of Brighton, will read a paper, and at the evening service addresses will be given by Rev. Gardam, of Ypsilanti, and Rev. A. Weatherbee, of Hudson.

The remains of P. J. Farley were brought here Tuesday from Jackson. The funeral was conducted from the residence of R. B. Gillespie. Rev. Blachford performing the service. The funeral was very largely attended. The deceased had been a well known and respected resident of this section for many years previous to his moving to Jackson about three years ago.

The workman often eats his lunch on the same bench where he does his work. The office man turns his desk into a dining table. Neither gets the out of door exercise he needs, neither takes the proper time for eating. It is small wonder that the digestion of both gets out of order. In such cases Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets come to their assistance by aiding nature in taking care of the food. The cause of nine-tenths of the sickness of the world is constipation. From this one cause come indigestion, disorders of the stomach, liver and kidneys; biliousness, headaches, flatulence, heartburn, impurity of the blood and the serious complications which follow. To begin with, constipation is a little thing, and a little thing will cure it. The Pleasant Pellets are tiny, sugar-coated granules. They will perfectly cure the worst cases of constipation and indigestion. If the druggist tries to sell you some other pill that pays him greater profit, just think of what will best pay you. 1w

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An apparatus for expediously removing manure, &c., from stables has just been patented.

In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. 1w

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Some recent experiments as to human endurance of high-air pressures show that, if proper precautions are taken, men in good health can sustain a pressure of 76. 8 pounds per square inch.

FRANKLIN.

Birthday Surprise Party—Married—Personal Mention.

Luman Deming is about the same.

Mrs. Clark Payne is able to ride out.

Aunt Emily Whelan is in quite poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Deming have moved to Adrian.

Miss Chastina Allen is sick with bronchial trouble.

Lorenzo Billington drove to Ypsilanti and back last Friday.

Surprise party on Uzell Whelan last Friday night, his birthday.

Frank Bradley has bought of Robert Cairns the old Marshall farm.

Wilber Deming and Mrs. Chase were married last Saturday evening.

Miss Celia Brewster, of Clinton, attended the Conlin—Camburn wedding.

Mrs. Orson Knight and son, George, of Adrian, attended the Conlin-Camburn wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conlin will soon be at home on his farm, where they will reside.

Cecil Billington came home from Cleary's business college to attend the party Friday night.

It has a good old fashioned look to see a Stacy once more walking the streets of Tecumseh.

A handsome quilt, the gift of his young lady cousins and friends, was presented to Uzell Whelan as a part of the surprise Friday night.

Wedding bells have been ringing loud and merrily the past week; and the old batchelor, where is he? He is liable to become an "extinct species" in this locality at this rate.

Last Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Miss Nettie Camburn was married to Thomas Conlin, Rev. Williams officiating. The wedding presents were numerous.

The remains of Wm. Smith, son of John Smith of Tipton were brought home for burial last Tuesday. The deceased graduated at Cleary's business college about a year ago and held a good position in Detroit. He was a young man of exceptional ability and promise, and his bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

Symptoms of Catarrh.

Pain in the head, obstruction of the nose, frequent discharge of mucus from the nose, mucus often falling into the throat, nausea and vomiting on rising in the morning, raising particles of offensive matter from the throat, deafness, ringing in the ears, offensive breath the sense of smell impaired, and a wretched feeling generally about the head and throat, sometimes only one or two of these symptoms will be present, but their presence indicates Catarrh. By a timely use of Century Catarrh Cure you can be permanently cured. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. apr

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The extreme range of temperature in the ocean, according to scientists, never exceeds fifty-two degrees Fahr.

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Experiments show that the combustion of acetylene is improved by being mixed with an equal volume of carbon dioxide.

An Editor,

Of Clarence, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, writes: "Since the agency of your Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin was established here I have been a user of what I can call 'that excellent medicine.' For a year or more I have been troubled with constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., and I find that this remedy is just what I have needed." Sold by Orr & Temple. apr

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A French physician has discovered an anti-typhoid serum which he has used succesfully on several patients. It is given by means of hypodermic injection.

Low Rates to Cleveland, Ohio.

On April 29 and 30 and May 1 and 12 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y will sell tickets to Cleveland and return at one fare for the round trip, account General Conference M. E. church. Tickets will be good 5 days for return, with privilege of extension to June 2 by depositing them with the Joint Ticket Agent, Cleveland. m1

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. apr

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A gasoline motor bicycle is the latest idea.

"Half a span of angry steel" will produce no more fatal results than a neglected cold or cough. For all throat and lung diseases, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best remedy. It is invaluable in cases of croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and la grippe. 1w

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All those creeping, crawling, stinging sensations that combine to make up the tortures of any itching disease of the skin are instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment. Take no substitute. Doan's never fails. 1w

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

Fourteenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

Some Natural Curiosities and an Ostrich Farm.

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Next day we visited the Golgotha, or "Place of Skulls," about two miles from Koloa and almost north of the village. This is a great sandy beach on which, according to Professor Alexander, the acknowledged authority on Hawaiian history, a severe battle was fought in the fourteenth century. The beach is strewn with human bones, and many perfect skeletons have been taken from the sands. With the aid of Dr. Goodhue, I was enabled to discover one of the skeletons, and dug out a skull with all the parts perfect. The remainder of the skeleton I turned over to Dr. Crane. Though this skull has lain in the sands five hundred years it was perfect, except that the teeth were gone. It was the cranium of a large man, and in places quite thin. He had had a blow on the top of his head during his life, for there was an indentation in the skull which was strongly suggestive of trepanning. Two skeletons were exhumed by our party that day. The next day we were to start for the Hanapepe Falls.

Our road led over a beautiful country. We crossed the Lawai and Kalahao valleys, and at about eleven o'clock reached the Hanapepe valley, following it for five or six miles, when we came to the end of the carriage road. Our party, consisting of Dr. Goodhue and wife, Dr. Crane, Mr. J. K. Farley, myself, and two servants, then mounted horses and started up one of the most picturesque valleys it has ever been my pleasure to see. The path wound along the bottom of the valley, crossing the stream a number of times. The water, in places, came quite to the saddle girths, the bottom covered with stones slippery and dangerous to all horses not very sure-footed. On either side rose perpendicular bluffs to the height of several hundred feet.

The scenery along the valley, like all scenery in Hawaii, is picturesque and varied, constantly changing like the views of a kaleidoscope. The rugged hills and cliffs are ever changing in form, and adding new beauty to the scene. Mr. Farley, who was posted in the traditions of the country, pointed out the Devil's Slide on Koalalanui to us. According to tradition here lived one of the great gods or devils of the ancient Hawaiians. He had a sled on which he used to coast down the steep mountain side, at the only place possible for such a feat. Though the natives never knew what snow was, coasting was a popular sport. A place was prepared for the chiefs to coast down, and a short, slippery grass allowed to grow over it. This demon or god, for he is called both, used to glide down at night, commit depredations, and then return to his stronghold.

We reached the Henapene Falls at noon. The water rushes over a precipice about three hundred feet high, and falls into a great basin worn in the rocks below. The scene is sublime and inspiring. Miniature rainbows may be seen on the fine spray cast off from the dashing waters. The whole is enclosed by precipitous cliffs clothed with dark green moss. The shadows of the rock overhang the clear, cold pool of water which lies beneath. From this pool the plantation flume starts, carrying the water at a fall of only one foot to the thousand, to irrigate the valley below.

Among the most beautiful scenery in Kauai is the valley of Houalei, which we visited two days later. The journey was one continuous picnic. It was made by the same party in carriage and on horseback. The crossing of the ferry at Houalei was made all the more romantic by the tradition that our ferryman had been a Chinese pirate; he certainly looked enough like one.

One of the wonders of Kauai is the mirage. This wonderful optical delusion will occasionally greet the traveler three miles beyond Waiwea. The sandy tract that stretches along the road seems transformed into a lake of water, where the images of cattle are reflected as they appear to feed upon submerged vegetation, while the trunks of trees seem to rise out of the water. The natives have a tradition that at certain seasons, just before dawn, the old giant, Kamalimaloa, once a powerful chief of Maua, is seen rising from the ground, armed with his spear, and with his helmet on his head.

Another natural curiosity is the Barking Sands of Maua. A long line of low sand hills is thrown up along the beach, and as the traveler walks over these mounds, or strikes the sand, a growling, barking sound is produced. This sound seems to be a property peculiar to these sands. They only bark when dry, and if a large quantity is removed and put in a bag, the same barking will be produced by letting the sand suddenly fall from one end of the bag to the other. I witnessed an exhibition of this at the home of Mr. Turner, the manager of the ostrich farm.

The ostrich farm is situated on a sandy beach about three miles from Koloa, shut in on all sides, save one, by mountain ranges. On that side is the ocean. Accompanied by Dr. Crane, mounted on spirited horses and attended by a Portuguese guide, I set out, January 17, for the farm. We reached it in time for lunch. Mr. Turner, the manager, showed us about the place and told us of the habits of the ostrich. According to Mr. Turner this giant bird has very little sense. He never looks to step over or crawl under a fence, but will fall over it. "He is such a fool," said the manager, "that if the fence around his paddock was removed, he would be three days in making the discovery, and then he would fall over the path."

Mr. Turner says the old theory that the sun hatches the eggs of an ostrich is absurd. The ostrich is a faithful setter. The females sit by day and the males by night. They lay three times during the year, fifteen or sixteen eggs at a time. A bird has been known to yield two hundred dollars' worth of feathers at a single plucking, and they are plucked every seven months.

Ostriches may not be one of the wonders of Kauai, but they bid fair to become one of the industries of the Hawaiian Islands.

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ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

The Trials and Tribulations of a Battle Creek Citizen—How He Comes to Tell This Story.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bullet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

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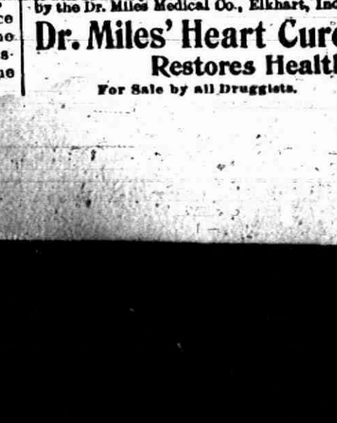

Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes ***"I was troubled with heart disease*** for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. ***They said there was no help for me,*** that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,*** which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and ***It completely cured me. I sleep*** well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

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Nervous

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Tired

languid, all-gone feeling and suffered awful distress in my stomach. I had given up all hopes of ever being well, when my mother wished me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I consented, to please her, and before I had taken the whole of one bottle I could see I was improving, and soon was indeed very much better. Its effects have been truly wonderful and I hope this letter may be the means of helping other suffering men and

Women

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y your wall paper at Lenardson's.

t Lee was in Adrian on business day.

be Babcock is putting a new foun- n under his house.

rence Hause and Vern Yates are Waverly wheels.

O. Maynard spent Sunday in To- with his son, Ernest.

eph Thackery, made a business o Toledo last Wednesday.

now have a fine opening for a young lawyer. Stick a pin there.

H. Temple has his lumber office on street nearly ready for occupancy.

pton Bros. have free sorghum seed nd for their patrons at Jas. Haight 's

't forget that Lendardson Bros. 250 styles of wall paper to select

F. Russell, of Solon, Ohio, shipped load of stock over the C., J. & M. day.

e new meat market was of short tion. It wouldn't keep in warm her.

ght frost on Tuesday night, but it ought that no damage was done to ruit.

y don't you get a bolt of that y of Lenardson Bros. 5, 6 or 7c ard.

member that Wheeler & Sisson, msch, sell everything in the line rniture.

s. Borden and daughter, Mrs. C. B. by, returned to Ann Arbor Wed- y evening.

P. B. Hardy and wife returned ay from their visit at Kalamazoo outh Bend.

t quality oil grain plow shoes, ed) lace or congress for $1.35, at rdson Bros.

funeral of Mrs. Cornelius Hoag- ook place at her late residence y afternoon.

uel Sample and wife have gone visit to New York, Avon being objective point.

Hiscock, who has been at his ter's sick, for some time, return- Toledo Tuesday.

bulk garden seeds at Lenardson

Haight & Co. are still doing busi- with the Waverly wheel. They wo more this week.

ter May 1 my feed mill will be run uesday, Thursday and Saturday of eek only. W. R. Osgood.

ey has rented his building for a ore, and we will soon have that eeded institution in full blast.

Eliza Zoluff was elected Com- of Ivy Leaf Hive at their last Lady Babcock having resigned.

genial phyz of our old friend, anNocker, of Petersburg, was a uous figure on our streets last

summer dress goods at Lenard- os.

eler & Sisson, Tecumseh, the re men, have four floors filled all kinds of furniture. Their are the lowest.

next review of Hendershot Tent e held Tuesday evening, May 5, ich time the delegates to the amp will be elected.

H. Blakely, the new grocer, has one of the freshest, cleanest and ssorted stocks ever in Britton. s very cheap for cash.

Rinn left Tuesday via. the Wa- or his old home, Hornings Mills, having been summoned to the de of his mother, who is very ill.

a whip at your own price at Len- on Bros.

eems that the incorporation proj- ects with considerable favor as tter is discussed. Keep the sub- rm, a live village like this should o date in everything.

Ladies Aid will hold its monthly g in the basement of the church ednesday afternoon. Mrs. Jno. s' committee will serve supper sual time. All are invited.

B. Hardy has been appointed lasses of Michigan as a delegate d the General Synod of the d church in America. The ill be held at Katskill, N. Y.,

get one of those nobby ties dson's.

number who signed the W. R. enefit subscription have not probably because they do not whom to pay the money. For nation of such we are request- that the papers are at the store Haight & Co., who are author- ceive the money.

wfib string telephone wires llroad tracks, should remember e certain laws to be complied Wednesday a. m. a wire just main street caught a brake- a Wabash train and had the t broken, the man would un- ly have been badly hurt.

rdson Bros. have a full line of ts.

eport that a Pingree club had anized with 100 members seems been premature. The facts are man has been found who is will- represent the figure 1 and as soon an get two more for the ciphers, ll have the 100, however, the cts are not flattering under the nt management here.

An unknown young man, while trying to catch on a freight train on the Wabash, Wednesday morning, was thrown and dragged by the train for some distance, but fortunately did not get under the wheels. His head was quite severely cut and bruised. Dr. Hardy sewed him up, and he went his way, not so nice looking but wiser for his experience.

Farmers, remember that Lendardson Bros. & DuBois handle four grades of binder twine. They meet any price.

OBITUARY.

Charlotte Ball was born March 9, 1818, in the state of New York, county of Seneca, town of Romulus. She was married to Cornelius Hoagland at Cayuga, N. Y., August 1, 1841, and with him came to Michigan in 1845 and located in a log house that stood on the turnpike about where Will Britton's house now stands. After living there a couple of years they moved onto the farm where she died, which was an entire wilderness at that time, and resided there until her death. The deceased buried her husband three years ago last November, and later one daughter, Julia Ann Patterson. She was always a devoted mother and a true neighbor, and her example is worthy of imitation by all. She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, W. H. and Ernest C. Hoagland, and two daughters, Mrs. Charles Beals, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Warren Craft, of Manton, Mich., who were all present at the time of her death, April 17, 1896.

RIDGEWAY.

Wedding Announcement—W. C. T. U. Elect Officers.

Carpet warps cheap at Lenardson's.

Some farmers have sheared their sheep.

Eddie Williams, of Clinton, was in the village Saturday.

The heaviest rain for several months came Monday afternoon.

Boys, girls, ladies and gents, get a straw hat at Lenardson's.

Wheat and grass are coming to the front since the recent rains.

House cleaning is the present occupation of the average household.

Mrs. Fred Gorton and Kittie Clark, returned to Ypsilanti, Tuesday.

Horace Dibble, Ella and Gertie Boyd attended church at Saline Sunday.

Mrs. Leon McRoberts and son from near Lansing are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. S. V. Miller left for Detroit, Friday, where she will make it her home.

Lelia Sutton returned from her visit with friends at Lansing, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Countryman, of Plainwell, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Beedle, at present.

Miss C. Wooster, of Lenawee Junction, was the guest of Miss Lillian Dersham over Sunday.

Ed. Gould, the west side grocer has put a wagon on the road, selling groceries and buying eggs.

Dining room chairs, extension tables, sideboards, any kind and price, Wheeler & Sisson, Tecumseh.

Miss Lillian Dersham, who has been spending a few days with her parents at Palmyra, returned Friday.

There was a very good attendance at the social held at Mrs. W. R. Wilson's on Friday evening, and pleasant time spent by all.

Arthur Palmer and his friend, Dudley Crane, of Adrian, came out on their wheels Saturday and called on his uncles, Henry and Ed. Palmer.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Emma Miller to Mr. A. J. Terwilliger, at their home, 773 Porter street, Detroit, for Wednesday evening of this week.

Wheeler & Sisson, Tecumseh, have the largest furniture emporium in Lenawee county. Their expenses are the smallest. Their prices are the cheapest.

R. S. Houseman, who had a narrow escape from a serious accident, if not being killed Saturday afternoon by falling off his wagon, is able to be out with the use of crutches.

Mrs. W. H. Arner and Catherine Cox, left for Pittsford Saturday to visit their niece, Mrs. Alonzo Webster. Mrs. Arner will visit her sister, Mrs. Charlie Palmer, at Wasepi, before her return.

The W. C. T. U. elected the following officers, on the 10th inst., for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. F. E. Pocklington; 1st vice, Mrs. Mary Foote; 2d vice, Mrs. Kate Larkin; 3d vice, Mrs. Elizabeth Arner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Linn; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Sarah T. Pocklington; chaplain, Mrs. Josie Dibble; superintendent mothers' meeting; Mrs. Alice Smith; superintendent narcotics, Mrs. Ida Pocklington; superintendent flower mission, Mrs. C. L. Lowe; assistants flower mission, Mrs. Alice Squires, Mrs. Edith Lowe. Mrs. Mary Sutton; superintendent social purity, Mrs. Ellen Curtis; assistant, Mrs. Alzina Gove; juvenile work, Mrs. Mary Gould.

If asked the question "Have you got a stomach?" it would be safe on general principles to answer "Yes." But, if you are sure of it; that is, if you ever feel any distress after eating or any pains of whateyer description in the region of the stomach, you have got something more than an ordinary stomach; in other words, you have got a diseased stomach. The stomach is a powerful muscle, and the proper remedy for a tired muscle is rest. Try the Shaker Digestive Cordial, for this product not only contains digested food, which will nourish the system without any work on the part of the diseased organs, but it aids the digestion of other foods as well. You can test its value in your case for the trifling sum of 10 cents. Sample bottles at this price are carried by all druggists.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of castor oil. 1w

GONE.

Leap Year Social—Meeting of the Bible Class.

G. W. Auten was up from Toledo this week.

Charlie Craig came home from Toledo on his wheel last Sunday.

Born, Sunday, April 19, to Mr. and Mrs. James Zeluff, a daughter.

Mrs. Margaret Caswell visited friends at Britton several days last week.

Prof. A. E. Ames, of Monroe, passed through our streets one day last week.

Misses Bertha Jourden and Nellie Dennison were Dundee visitors last Tuesday.

B. W. Ellis is improving the looks of his yard by setting out shade trees and shrubs.

Lavern Biggs, of Britton, visited his cousins, Walter and Bertan Caswell last Tuesday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meets every Wednesday evening. All are invited to attend these meetings.

Rev. A. Ross will speak on the following topic next Sunday morning at 10:30, "The silent father and the anxious son."

There will be a leap year social at the residence of J. M. Auten on Friday evening May 1. The proceeds will go towards repairing the church. A fine program is being prepared by the young people. Supper 20 cents.

Members of the second Bible class of the M. P. Sabbath school met, together with their teacher, Simon Gould, at the home of Miss Tina Ellis last Friday evening. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening reported by all. The class prophecy written by Miss Bertha Jourden and the class history by Miss Tina Ellis were very interesting.

LAKE RIDGE.

Oats Coming Up—Sunday School to be Organized.

Arthur Miller has gone to Toledo to work this summer.

Ralph Southard, of Ypsilanti, visited his parents Sunday.

A Sunday school is to be organized in the Free Methodist church.

Three of the Britton wheelmen were enjoying our smooth roads Sunday.

Frank Whiting is the first to have a piece of oats up in this locality.

There was no preaching Sunday afternoon in the South Macon church.

The South Macon young ladies visited the Lake Ridge Sunday school last Sabbath.

Misses Gerty and Ella Boyd, of Ridgeway, visited their brother, Tom, over Sunday.

Miss Anna Murphy has gone to Clinton to learn dressmaking. We regret to lose her from our midst.

Darius Hendershot, who has been seriously ill for the past six months has so far recovered as to ride out each day.

The monthly tea meeting of the W. C. T. U. of Macon will meet in the old Reformed church, Saturday afternoon, April 25. A full attendance is desired as election of officers will take place.

MACON.

A Young Voter—Auction Sale.

S. Collins was in town Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Baron Pennington, a son, April 16.

A number of new wheels have been ordered for different parties in the place.

Miss Libbie Walp tested her new wheel by a trip from Britton to Macon last Sunday.

Rev. J. A. DeSpelder will preach in the Reformed church, of Macon, next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Hilda Oven, who has been spending some months here, left this week for her home in Petoskey.

You must have some new furniture. Wheeler & Sisson, Tecumseh, have everything you want, at low prices.

Dr. Oven, who has been carrying on his medical studies in Germany, will return to Michigan in a few weeks.

Misses Leanne Morgan and Mary Richart were in Ann Arbor several days last week as delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention.

Wheeler & Sisson, Tecumseh, are showing the largest line of baby carriages and selling them cheaper than any place in Michigan.

Albert Holmes will hold an auction sale of stock, farming utensils and general household goods at the Oven farm, next Wednesday afternoon, April 29. See full notice in another column.

Debility and Blood Disorders.

Lulu, Mich., April 6, 1896. Two members of our family have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for general debility and blood disorders, which cause eruptions and boils. They have not been afflicted with any of these troubles since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. F. Bransgrove.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. 1w

Acetylene is valuable for bicycles, the gas being stored in the handle bars or tubular frames.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems sent as a special providence to the little folks. Pleasant to take, perfectly harmless, and absolutely sure to give instant relief in all cases of cold or lung trouble. 1w

Experiments show that incandescent lamps increase in effectiveness during the first 80 or 100 hours of use, after which the light slowly fails.

Doctors Disagree as to the Cause and Treatment of Catarrh.

Nearly everyone has their head choked up, more or less, with catarrh in some form. Every physician has his own method of treating this disease. Dr. Strathmore says that the profession is singularly unsuccessful in the treatment of catarrh. He claims camphor is one of the best remedies for inflamation, such as catarrh, cold in the head, etc., and says that he prescribes Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm as it is the only preparation that contains camphor in large quantities and he has found it singularly successful in the treatment of the disease. He long ago consigned his douches and other instruments to the attic as he considers their use injurious. Mrs. Alfred Arnold, of Startle, Jefferson Co., Ohio, writes that she had catarrh for eighteen years and tried many remedies but nothing ever helped me like Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm. My head is clear and my catarrh is gone." A small sample may be obtained by sending 2 ct. stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio. 1w

By the use of the electric furnace crystals of copper and silver silicides have been obtained.

Spring is full of terrors to all whose constitution is not able to resist the sudden changes of temperature and other insalubrities of the season. To put the system in condition to overcome these evils, nothing is so effective as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Take it now. 1w

An oil dye for coloring tan shoes black has been invented. It is claimed that it does no injure the leather.

"My husband had two cancers taken from his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and it disappeared. He is completely well." Mrs. Wm. Kirby, Akron, Erie Co., N. Y. 1w

A step ladder especially constructed for use in stores where it is necessary to turn a corner is on the market.

Neglect of the hair often destroys its vitality and natural hue, and causes it to fall out. Before it is too late, apply Hall's Hair Renewer, a sure remedy. 1w

Flax straw is used as fuel in the electric light plant at Watertown, S. Dak. It is said not to burn out so rapidly as might be supposed, while the fibre in the straw makes an intense heat.

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Mrs. DIANA RIGGS, Hillsdale, Mich.
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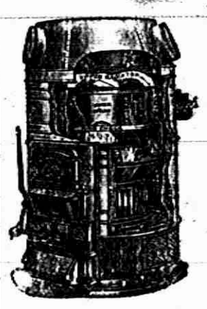

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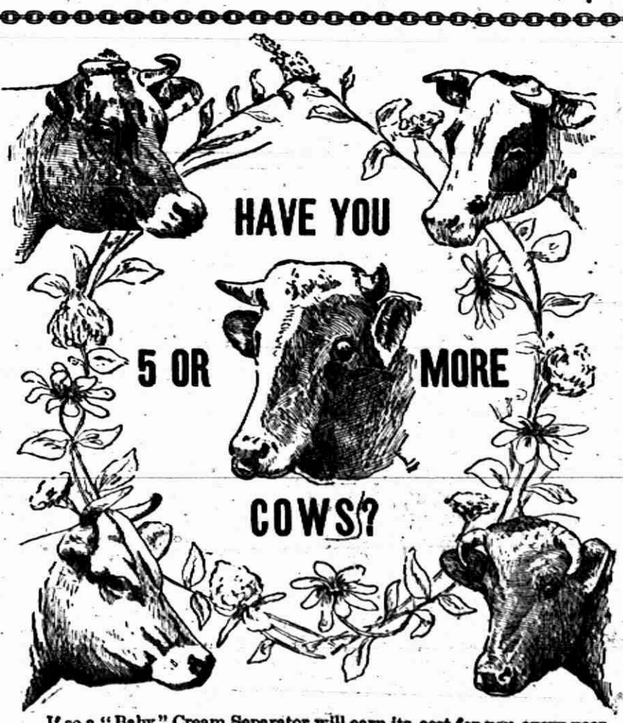

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(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., April, 17 '96.

President Cleveland and every member of his administration are quite as anxious that Congress should hurry up with the appropriation bills and then adjourn as are the friends of Speaker Reed and Senator Allison. Yet many have doubts about adjournment being as early as now predicted. There is no trouble about the House. It is thoroughly under Speaker Reed's control and will adjourn whenever he says the word. But the Senate is under control of neither man nor party, and if half a dozen Senators should take a notion to delay adjournment they can very easily do so for an indefinite period. That is why the Reed and Allison people were so badly frightened by a rumor that a combine of Senators had been formed to prevent adjournment until after all the national conventions had been held. No such combine has yet been formed, but there is nothing to prevent it, if Senators are so disposed. That is why the date of adjournment will not be certain until the joint resolution setting a date shall have been adopted by both House and Senate.

The Republican Presidential situation is unchanged. The McKinley men are making the most noise, but they are not so confident as they appear to be, or else they would not be constantly trying to stampede the opposition by starting stories about having received prominent recruits from his opponents. The opinion of the inexperienced is about unanimous that McKinley will get the nomination, but the old politicians, whether for or against him, doubt it very much. Those opposed to him cite long lists of precedents showing that the man who leads but does not have enough votes to win on the first ballot rarely wins. But the McKinley men insist that he will have enough to win on the first ballot. There is no question about most of the democrats wanting McKinley to win; they regard him as a weak candidate, and for that reason they are helping his boom all they can.

Although the House committee on Territories has followed the example of the Senate committee and ordered that the bills for the admission of New Mexico and Arizona as States be reported, one doesn't have to be the seventh son of a seventh son to predict that neither bill will become a law at this session of Congress. Whether it is right or wrong to keep these territories out of Statehood cuts no figure in the matter at all. The anti-silver people have made up their minds that no more silver Senators shall be provided for, and while the Senate, which is dominated by silver men, may pass both bills, neither can get through the House, which is dominated by anti-silver men. But even if the bills could get through both branches of Congress they would be promptly vetoed by President Cleveland, the bitterest anti-silver man of them all.

Notwithstanding the statement of Representative Bingham, in presenting a conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, crediting the Senate amendments which the House conferees had declined to agree to, that the average cost of employes of the House for each member was $939 a year, against an average cost of Senate employes for each Senator $4,483, the House agreed to amendments providing for an addition of thirty-eight clerks, to Senators and chairmen of committees, and to an increase in the pay of all Senator's clerks from $1,200 to $1,500 a year. And now, the clerks to members of the House are only paid $100 a month while Congress is actually in session. This illustrates the truth of the adage:—"Demand deferance and you'll get it." Certainly the Senate invariably gets what it demands from the House.

Other democrats are charging that the National Association of democratic Clubs, which a Virginia man calls "an association of a few democratic clubs," is merely the tail to the Cleveland single standard gold kite. The executive committee of this association held a meeting in Washington this week and named St. Louis as the place, and September 30th, next, as the time for holding the national convention of the association.

The long string of World's Fair queries was recalled by a petition this week sent to the Senate by ex-Senator Palmer who was president of the exposition, asking the passage of a resolution to compel Mrs. Potter Palmer, president of the Board of Lady Managers; Mrs. Virginia C. Meredith, another member of that board; Pres. Higginbotham, of the Chicago board of managers; George R. Davis, Director General, and other officials of the exposition, to make their reports to him, as he claims the law directs. He says Davis made his report to Congress, Mrs. Palmer to the President, and that the others have made no reports. It is fortunate that President Palmer is an ex-Senator; otherwise his tempest in a teapot would receive little attention from Congress. It is not certain that it will get much, anyway.

The Leap Year Party.

It has been the general opinion of society people in Tecumseh for some time that the only possible way that the old time success and prestage which signalized our former Christmas and May parties could be restored to our festivities of this nature was for the ladies of our town to take hold of the matter and run it themselves. In fact, the gentry had been sure of this and had tacitly consented to calmly wait for leap year to bring about a legitimate opportunity for the fair ones to act.

The time came and they acted—acted as the ladies of Tecumseh always do under such circumstances, and their success was assured from the start. Though the decorations of the opera house was not as extensive as on some former occasions of similar character, they were arranged with fair hands and artistic skill in effect most pleasing. The entire affair was conceived by the ladies, managed by the ladies, and the work was done by the ladies.

The music for the occasion was furnished by Jackson's orchestra, of Adrian. Their concert numbers were well received by the audience in the gallery, while their dance music was voted as most excellent by those who participated in the giddy mazes.

A well appointed banquet served as a most satisfactory adjunct to the entertainment of the evening. But perhaps the most pleasing instance of the whole ball, and the one most gratifying to the fortunate gentlemen in attendance, was the impartial gallantry and courteous condescension of the lady escorts. The various offices of entertainers were performed by them with such affability, ease and grace as to set a shining example to the objects of their attention.

As to the toilets, we will only say that they were never excelled, and leave the details to those who were or should have been spectators of this brilliant event. The affair was a success financially as well as socially. 55 couples participating, with a fair gallery of spectators. The guests from abroad were as follows: The Misses Ellenore and Bertha Lehn and Mamie and Lizzie Farrel, Fred Burtless, Fred Freeman and August Nisle, of Manchester; Misses Edna Warren and Lucy Bliven and Harry Capman, of Blissfield; Miss Katherine Dillon, Messrs. Dr. Gibson, Harry Cook and W. C. Burridge, of Adrian; Miss Younge, of Ann Arbor; Miss Branch and Messrs. Wells and Soule, of Hillsdale.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call to his reward Mr. A. K. Waldron, an active and devoted member of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club, and while we recognize His right and that He doeth all things well, still we desire to express our sense of loss in his death; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we extend to the members of the bereaved family our sympathy and consolation in this, their hour of sorrow and affliction, knowing that they already have the higher comfort that comes from Christ Jesus. And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be entered upon the books of our society and also published in the Tecumseh Herald.

Dated Franklin, April 21, 1896.

MR. & MRS. GEO. SWARTZ,
MR. & MRS. B. HURRY,
Committee.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

Teachers Wanted.

Make no mistake in selecting your summer school of review, but write immediately for full particulars concerning board, rooms, advantages offered, etc., to Prof. O. L. Palmer, of Adrian; Prof. W. W. Hensel, Blissfield, or Mrs. Edward Keeler, who will conduct the normal at Adrian College.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but, perhaps more generally needed, when the languid exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c and $1 per bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. 1

OBITUARY.

FARLEY.

Phineas J. Farley was born at Edinburgh, Saratoga county, N. Y., Jan. 6, 1822, and died at his residence in Jackson, Mich., April 16, 1896. His early years were spent near the scene of his birth and at the age of 16 he went to Troy, N. Y., where he served four years at the carpenter's trade. From there he immigrated to Jefferson, Ohio, making his home with his brother there for several years. Stirred by the gold fever, he spent six years in California during the pioneer life of that state. After returning to Ohio he responded to his country's call, enlisting in Co. F, 2d Ohio Cavalry. After serving actively 18 months he was disabled and retired from the service. He had one brother, Philip Farley, and a sister, Mrs. John Wishart, then living in Tecumseh, and here he was married to Anna R. Gillespie in 1864. Here they resided untill two years ago, when they removed to Jackson. The deceased was stricken with paralysis three years ago and had been an invalid since, and for many months almost helpless. Surviving him are a widow and three children, Richard E., of Tecumseh; May J., of Jackson, and Mrs. G. W. Stacy, of Buffalo, N. Y. Of his father's family only one remains, Mrs. Wishart, of New York City. The deceased was a very energetic, active man in this locality during his residence here. He was a man of strict integrity and uprightness of character, public spirited and honorable. He united with the Episcopal church when a young man and was also closely identified with the Masonic and other secret organizations of this locality and an active member of Beers Post.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public auction, on the Oven farm, one mile south and one-half mile east of Pennington's Corners, Macon, on Wednesday, April 29, at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property: One 5-year-old mare, good cow, 4 Fine Wool ewes, single covered buggy, single harness, fanning mill, corn sheller, grind stone, cutting box, double cultivator, single cultivator, horse fork and rope, 18 pure bred Light Brahma hens and one rooster, bee hives, cook stove, heating stove, extension table, 3 feather beds, quantity salt pork, dishes, and household furniture too numerous to mention.

Terms—Sums of $5 or under, cash; over $5, a credit of 12 months will be given on approved notes at 6 per cent interest. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

ALBERT HOLMES.

FRANK DAVIDSON, Auctioneer.

Attention Teachers!

The Summer Normal School of Review begins at Adrian College, July 6, Conducted by Prof. O. L. Palmer, Adrian; Prof. M. W. Hensel, Blissfield; and Mrs. Edward Keeler, Adrian, to whom all letters of inquiry should be addressed.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mrs. Ezra Day, living north of Brownville, drove in town Tuesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lowry. At the corner of Railroad and Cummings streets her horse became frightened at a C., J. & M. train, ran away and overturned the buggy. Mrs. Day was thrown in such a manner as to strike on her head, cutting a big gash in her forehead. A physician was at once summoned and dressed the wound, taking eight stitches to close up the cut. Aside from a slight shock, no other injuries resulted from the accident.

With some beautiful reproductions of paintings by Jean Francois Millet, in McClure's Magazine for May, Mr. Will H. Low provides an excellent study of that painter, whom he visited several times in his own studio at Barbizon, and of whose manner of life and conversation he gives some very pleasant personal recollections. In the same number Dr. W. W. Keen considers the Rontgen discovery in photography with reference to its use in medicine and surgery. Dr. Keen is one of our highest authorities in surgery; he has himself been experimenting diligently with the Rontgen X rays, and his paper is of especial value. It is illustrated from photographs taken by the new process.

Card of Thanks.

The children of E. M. Gray wish to express their heartfelt thanks to their neighbors and friends, and also the singers, who so kindly assisted them at the death and burial of their father.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Didcovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in resnlts." Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

For A Complete Base Ball Schedule

Of all the games to be played by the National Base Ball League for season of 1896, apply to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. R'y, Cleveland, Ohio, enclosing two-cent postage stamp. This schedule contains the dates, names of contesting clubs, places for scoring total runs, hits, errors and pitchers names, together with tables of standing of clubs and averages for last season.

The extreme range of temperature in the ocean, according to scientists, never exceeds fifty-two degrees Fahr.

The Great Slaughter Sale

AT THE

Mills Block, Tecumseh,

Is now in full blast. Come and look over our immense stock. It will pay you. Below we quote a few of our Special Prices. Others too numerous to mention.

Shoe Department.

Men's Shoes.

Men's good bluff Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, our price.....$1.00
Men's Plow Shoes in lace, congress or buckle.....1.00
Men's Oil Grain Work Shoe, worth $1.50, our price.....1.20
Men's good Satin Calf, lace or congress worth $1.70, our price.....1.35
Men's Calf Shoes, all styles, worth $2.50 to $3.00 for.....1.95
Men's Calf, latest style, Pointed Toe, worth $3.50 for.....2.45
Men's Fine Tan, in lace, Razor Toe, worth $4.00 for.....2.65

Ladies' Shoes.

Ladies' good Dongola button, worth $1.50, our price.....$1.00
Ladies' Oxfords, in tan and black, all toes, all styles, worth 1.25 to 1.50.. 1.00
Ladies' Dongola Shoes in pointed, square or round toes, worth 1.75.....1.35
Ladies' fine Vici Kid in all styles, worth 2.50 to 2.75 for.....1.95
Ladies' fine hand-turned shoes, lace or button, worth 3.50 for.....2.65
Ladies' Tan shoes, latest styles 1.45, 1.65, 2.65, 2.85, worth more money.

In Boy's, Girl's and Infant's Shoes we promise you better value for your money than you often see, and we have a fine line of Children's Tans.

SPECIAL: With every pair of Children's Shoes we sell for 75c. or over, we present a fine 25c. polished cedar pencil box.

Notion Department.

We can only enumerate a few of our leaders.

Only 5 Cents For

A Large Doll,
1 Long handled patent dust pans,
1 Scrub Brush,
1 Full Pack Envelopes, any size,
1 Fine Ink Tablet,
1 Large Pencil Tablet,
1 Album,
1 Good Whisk Broom,
1 Hair Curler,
1 Pair Side Combs,
1 200 yd. Spool Linen Thread
3 Large Spools Basting Thread,
2 Spools Silk Thread,
1 Cake Fine Toilet Soap,
1 Large Sized Slate,
5 Papers Tacks,
1 Good Chopping Knife,
1 2-qt. Cup,
1 4-qt. Tin Pan,
1 Box Axle Greese,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Only 10 Cents For

1 10-qt. Pail,
1 10-qt. Dish Pan,
1 Extra Good Scrub Brush,
1 Horse Brush,
1 Steel Back Curry Comb,
1 Wood Handle Fire Shovel,
1 Large Stew Pan or Kettle,
1 Fine Cuspadore,
1 Hand Saw,
1 No. 2 Lamp Burner,
1 Milk Strainer,
1 Medium Sized Skillet,
1 8-hole Gem Pan,
1 4-qt. Covered Pail,
1 2-qt. Tea or Coffee Pot.
1 4-qt. Pressed Dipper,
1 50 Foot Cotton Clothes Line.
1 Full Sized Hammer,
1 Good Shawl Strap,
1 2-hoop Wood Pail,
1 Good Broom,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

We have everything in Tinware, Glassware, Queensware, Steel Enamelware, Mirrors, Baskets, Etc. Also a fine line of Corsets, Men's Pants and Shirts, Boy's Suits, Etc. Other goods too numerous to mention.

We cordially invite you to call and see us.

Yours for Bargains,

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Everybody Admires Our Spring And Summer Suits

Because we have selected the

Choicest Patterns and Most Unique Styles,

Being equal to fine tailor-made coats and pants in fit and styles.

Please remember we buy for Spot Cash and saving large discounts, and running our business with a very small expense, enables us to

Sell Goods Cheaper

Than many of our competitors.

Our One Price System, where one man's money is as good as anothers is gaining a reputation for us as being the Leading Clothiers of Tecumseh.

Our Dunlap Style Hats are Now In.

Also New Line of Straw Hats.

They will surprise you as to Style and Prices.

Call and see them.

The One Price Clothiers. **McCANN BROS.**

Garden Seeds!

It will soon be time to make garden and you will want to know where to get the best seeds. I have exclusive sale of David Landreth's, of Philadelphia, which are the best in this country. They are always true to name and most reliable.

I am Making Low Prices On Groceries.

It will pay you to trade with me. I have the Best Goods and largest stock, I buy for cash thereby getting bottom prices and all the available discounts, which enables me to

Give You Better Prices

than those who buy goods on time and get no discounts.

Give me a trial and see what I can save you.

JAS. LOWRY.

Lilley House Block, Tecumseh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SALE.—L. D. Dewey has a fine lot of Swedish and Millet seed, for sale cheap. See him before buying. It will pay you for trouble.

SALE.—You can buy a good house and lot in Tecumseh and only pay $2. 50 a week. Inquire once, lock box 15.

SALE.—Clear Timothy hay, also Timothy and Alsac mixed. Either kind—first bales and quantity to suit. Best hay ever found in Tecumseh. Prices right. B. C.

SALE.—Cheap seed potatoes. Vicks Prospect, Rural New Yorkers, Maggie Murphy, Early Puritans, State of Maine, Monitor, Burbanks, and Beauty of Hebron. A. W. Slayton.

SEED POTATOES.—Early Ohio, Rose, Northern, and ten other choice varieties. Have an extremely low seed, kept free from the dreaded potato scab. This is the year to feed your land and then on our seed and plant pure seed and you will yield double. Prices very reasonable. Call and see me, Abner Wilson.

SALE. A span of mares in good condition, suitable for light farming or to drive on road. Mrs. F. A. Iddins, Macon, Mich.

SALE.—Farm of 129 acres within four miles of Tecumseh, Mich. Inquire of E. M. Lockwood, Tecumseh, Mich, or B. E. Bullock, Toledo, Ohio.

SALE. I have acclimated Strawberry plants for sale, of the following varieties: Bederwood, Gandy Warfield, Parker Earl, Early Haverland, Crescent and Early Canadas at $1 per thousand—20 cts per Doz. 40 cts per hundred or $1 per thousand. Also Raspberry plants, the Early Gregg. C. F. MORLEY, Willow Brook Farm, Tecumseh, Macon, Mich.

NOTICE.—Order your strawberry and raspberry plants early. I have a fine stock of the following varieties: Strawberries—Bederwood, Crescent, Meeck's Early, Enhance, Gandy, Haverland, Lovett, Michel's Early, Warfield, Parker Earle, Warfield. Raspberries—Gregg, Nemaha, Shaffer's Colossal, Cuthbert. For prices and particulars write. O. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

SALE.—Or exchange, my place of six acres, just outside of corporation on turnpike known as Sam Holden place. Good building, etc. G. W. BLY.

Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 24, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Burn party?

—Fine weather.

—Passion play tonight.

—Another hosiery from 5c up at Montague's.

—Tinware is the best for the money at Montague's.

—Dr. Hall made a business trip to Saline yesterday.

—Mrs. Smith, of Jackson, is calling on Tecumseh friends this week.

—Chas. Karner made a trip to Toledo on his wheel remaining over Sunday.

—W. F. Dickey, of Marshall, has purchased a number of good horses here lately.

—Mrs. Baxter returned Monday from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Winans, of Toledo.

—Those pretty and seasonable waist belt buckles and belt pins at Montague's.

—Ann Arbor have had a street car strike in progress. So far the state troops have not been called out.

—Some of the council proceedings in another column. These reports should be read by every citizen.

—Mrs. Peter Phelps and Miss Louise Whiting at Marquette, on their way home from Tacoma, Wash.

—Mr. Walter Fowler and wife, of Ann Arbor, drove over to Tecumseh Friday and spent Sunday with relatives here.

—The opera house has a new main aisle which its patrons will appreciate. It is in front of the door as you go up the steps.

—Mr. Eidridge is making extensive improvements on his house, recently purchased of Mrs. Whittier, and expects to occupy it next week.

—Mr. Lord Patterson has treated his sitting room to a thorough renovating and decorated the same with new wall paper which is very becoming to the room.

—Have you seen those lovely shoes, Oxford shoes and slippers, direct from the manufacturers? All the new styles, lasts and toes, at bottom prices, at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Only a frost for two nights, which killed nothing. How lovely! Perfect weather for two weeks. Not even the chronic dyspeptic pessimist can kick. Good times.

—The subject of temperance from a Christian standpoint was well and forcibly treated by Dr. Beardsley, at the meeting in Sutton's opera house Sunday night.

—A Hawaiian article will be found on the 2nd page this week. By cutting out the Herald, and with interesting matter, we hope to make the correspondence pages as attractive as the rest of the paper.

—Mrs. Thos. Perry, of Chicago, Mrs. F. W. Dickey, son and daughter, of Marshall, Noyes Avery and Mrs. Barber, of Grand Rapids, and Mary Walline, of Ypsilanti, were here this week by the funeral of Mrs. D. Perry.

—The funeral of P. J. Farley was conducted from the home of R. B. Gillespie Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. R. Reid officiating. The services were largely attended, many of his masonic brethren being present. Mr. Farley was at one time master of the Tecumseh lodge. An obituary appears in another column.

—The parish meeting of St. Peter's church was held last Monday night. The following officers were chosen: Wardens, J. F. Hicks, C. M. Woodward, W. H. Hayden, C. F. Field, Sumner Collins and Joseph Crosby. The delegates to the diocesan convention are C. F. Field and C. M. Woodward. Levi Hayden and Joseph Crosby are substitutes. The vestry appointed J. F. Hicks senior warden and C. F. Field junior warden.

—The passion play tonight.

—Alva Spayde speaks of shoes this week.

—Base balls and bats very cheap at Montague's.

—Geo. Burroughs has been restored to the pension roll.

—For sale a first class Steinway piano at G. W. Frazier's. tf

—High grade second hand bicycle for sale cheap. F. ROSACHANS.

—Archie McVicker, of Galva, Ill., called upon Tecumseh friends over Sunday.

—No one should fail to witness the grand illustrated lecture on the Passion Play.

—F. W. Samsen, former proprietor of the Blissfield Advance, was in town Wednesday.

—Rice Hendershot, who has been severely ill for the past six months, is able to be out.

—Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning: "Prophecy." Evening: "The Value of a Soul."

—Take your children to see and hear this most beautifully illustrated lecture on the Passion Play.

—S. I. Repperd, of Fremont, Ind., gathered in a number of fine horses here and at Britton this week.

—Teachers should notice the announcement of the summer school to be held at Adrian, which appears elsewhere.

—When the critical and learned people of Boston attend a lecture over 100 times, there is merit in that lecture.

—Where the Rev. Lewis has been known for over 20 years as a pastor, in Boston, this lecture always fills the house.

—The Passion Play of Oberammergau was received with much enthusiasm before the Y. M. C. A. last evening at Adrian.

—Children will ever treasure in memory Rev. Lewis' illustrated lecture, and the impression left will be good and lasting.

—The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. will be held at the home of Mrs. F. J. Temple Wednesday, April 29, at 3 p. m.

—Mrs. Hattie Fox and her little granddaughter, Mabel, has gone to Toledo for a week's visit with her daughter, Lulu Brown.

—E. C. Rogers sold nine Stimpson computing scales in two Ohio towns in two days last week. Six in one town and three in another.

—All christian people should show their appreciation of the grand sacred lecture, on the Passion Play, by attending this evening.

—Regular meetings of masonic bodies occur this week. Special meetings of the Blue Lodge are called for Tuesday and Friday nights of next week.

—Mrs. Fred Gates and son, Allen, from Grass Lake, spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson and during the week are visiting other friends in town.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Annie Bryant Smith during the month of May. Let all mothers come the first Friday, as it is mothers meeting.

—The Passion Play of Oberammergau has been presented by Rev. Lewis at Battle Creek three times within a month and each time with increased interest and success.

—The Stimpson Computing Scale Co. shipped twelve scales to as many different firms Tuesday. The largest shipment of any one day since they began business, except to jobbers.

—Don't fail to call at Harris & Hiteshu's and look at the beautiful line of spring capes, dress goods, fancy trimmings, silks, velvets, ribbons, spangles and jets. All the new things for spring of '96.

—Geo. H. Stacy and wife, of Buffalo, and Mrs. Howard Perrine, of Jackson, were here to attend the funeral of P. J. Farley Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy will visit friends here before their return.

—Tecumseh township has 23 overseers of highways, or path masters. They will probably have an annual reunion or an association, or club, and discuss methods of fooling away time in the ordinary method of working out a road tax.—Adrian Press.

—The programme committee of the Lenawee Baptist association, which is to convene at Tecumseh, June 2 and 3, met here to-day and arranged the order of exercises, as did also a committee from the young people's union, which meets on the evening of the last day.—Adrian Times.

—The suit of E. G. Cook vs. Andrew Whaley for trespass was tried before Justice Burridge Wednesday. A verdict of guilty, with nominal damages was rendered against defendant. The attorneys were J. W. Wightman for plaintiff and Fred Freeman, of Manchester, for defendant.

—Dr. Sidney A. Baldwin died at his home in Grand Rapids, Mich., April 18, aged 64. His remains were brought here Monday afternoon and placed in the family lot. The deceased was a son of Dr. Wm. Baldwin, who was a practitioner of Tecumseh in the early days, and a brother of Mrs. J. S. Strong of our town.

—General Conference M. E. church in Cleveland, Ohio, May 1 to 30. Excursion tickets over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y April 29 and 30 and May 1 and 12. Enquire of ticket agents. A folder of information, containing program of conference, sent by applying to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio. m1

—On Wednesday of this week L. I. Bidwell sold his trotting mare, "Coral Queen," to Jas. N. Wilson, of New York City, for a good round sum of dollars. "Coral Queen" had a record of 2.20.3-4, and is probably the fastest mare ever born in this section. Mr. Bidwell has a number of young horses which will show speed this summer.

—J. C. Hazlett was out of town a couple of days this week on business.

—Miss Gussie Burlingame returned to the Normal school at Ypsilanti last Saturday.

—Fred Wood spent the first of the week in Tecumseh. Mrs. Wood and children are stopping for the present at her father's, Mr. J. R. Hisley's.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler, Mrs. Wm. VanCamp and Fred VanCamp and wife, of Detroit attended the funeral of Wm. VanCamp held here yesterday.

—The Maue Entertainers will give one of their popular musical and elocutionary recitals at Clinton under the auspices of the Eastern Star next week Saturday night, May 2nd.

—Vet Erskine recently presented Beers Post with a gavel made from wood taken from the stockade of Andersonville prison sent him by his brother. A vote of thanks was extended to the comrade by the post at its last meeting.

—Wm. Gray has put his turning lathe and tools into Chas. Bartholomew's shop and will assist at general repair work. Mr. Gray is one of the best machinists in town and will be patronized by our bicyclists and others needing repairing done.

—Last Monday Marshall Bidwell took a colored tramp to Adrian. He met with a serious accident in Brownville and was really in a pitable condition. He was first sent to Manchester, from there to Jackson where he was returned to Tecumseh. He was refused admittance to the county poor house, but furnished a ticket to London, Canada.

—The Companion for April 30th will contain an article on Arbor Day by Hon. J. Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture, who first conceived the idea of setting apart one day in the spring as a time of general tree-planting. Each issue of The Companion contains one or more articles of exceptional value written by the ablest and best known men and women of the age.

—Telegram: The leap year party given by the leading ladies of Tecumseh, at Sutton's opera house last evening, was a decided success. The decorations were handsome and artistic, the music inspiring, and the refreshments dainty. Some sixty couple were present. A concert was given at the opening by Jackson's orchestra, which furnished the music for the evening.

—Willis Smith, who will be remembered as one of the brightest scholars in the class of '94, died at Detroit last Sunday. The funeral was held at the home of his parents, in Franklin. After completing his course here, he had finished at Cleary's business college in Ypsilanti, and secured a position in Detroit. He was a young man of most exemplary habits, great industry and excellent disposition. His untimely death is deeply mourned by many friends.

—The opening lecture of the course by Dr. B. F. Beardsley on Physiology, took place at Sutton's opera house on Tuesday night. The lecturer was greeted with a full house and the audience was an appreciative one. The lectures are not only exceedingly interesting, but highly instructive, and invaluable aids in right living. The money saved by not attending these lectures will be spent for something of less importance, while the good received by attending will be lasting. The subject for Saturday night will be, "The Human Ear and Hearing," also "Nasal Catarrh."

—Wm. VanCamp died at Lansing last Wednesday, of pneumonia, at the age of 65. The remains were brought here by his son, Fred, yesterday and were placed in the cemetery vault. William VanCamp was born in Groveland, N. Y., March 22, 1831, and accompanied his parents to Michigan in infancy. His father, Benjamin, was among the first settlers in these parts and now resides in Somerset. The deceased was one of the active business men of Tecumseh for many years. He was a prominent member of the Universalist church being chorister of that society for nearly 20 years. The surviving members of the family are, the widow and three children, Fred, Mrs. Gertrude Stephenson and Mrs. Dr. Owen, all of Detroit. The deceased was a member of Tecumseh lodge No. 870, Royal Arcanum and carried a $2,000 policy in that organization.

—Mrs. Margaret Perry departed this life at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Dickey, at Marshall, last Sunday morning being at the time in the 80th year of her age. Mrs. Perry was preceded to the better land by her husband Gideon D. Perry, one year ago last month. Last August she went to Chicago to visit her son, T. O. Perry, and while there sustained an accident from which she never fully recovered. About six weeks ago she returned as far as Marshall, stopped at her daughter's, and there peacefully breathed her last. Margaret Osborne was born in New York state in 1816, and was married to G. D. Perry in 1843, when they came to Michigan and settled in Franklin township where they resided until 1880 when they came to Tecumseh to spend their declining years. The life of Mrs. Perry as a pioneer, neighbor and christian mother is known to every one in this community and has made a record on their memories to which words written now cannot add. Services were held at Marshall and also here last Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Satterthwaite, Rev. Varner officiating, assisted by Rev. Williams, of the Friend's church. The venerable Wm. H. Osborne, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Matilda Darling, of Syracuse, N. Y., are the only surviving members of her father's family.

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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For the Week Ending April 22.

Mrs. Charlotte Taylor died in Green Bay, Wis., at the age of 101 years.

The river front at Evansville, Ind., was swept by fire, the loss being $100,000.

The greater part of the business portion of Woodruff, S. C., was destroyed by fire.

Troops were sent to St. John, Kan., to quell a riot provoked by followers of a circus.

Powell & Hollingsworth's tobacco factory and 12 residences were burned at Princeton, Ky.

The republicans of the Sixth district of Tennessee nominated G. Q. Boyd (colored) for congress.

J. D. Hubbard was renominated for congress by the republicans of the Eighth Missouri district.

Colored people in Missouri will hold a state convention in Sedalia on May 7 to consider their interests.

The long-expected distribution of Columbian world's fair diplomas and medals began in Washington.

Mrs. Bell, for cruelty to her two grandchildren, was sentenced in Ottawa, Ont., to life imprisonment.

Jeff Gardner, a negro about 21 years old, was lynched by a mob near Warren, Ark., for assaulting a little white girl.

Mrs. Emily Robbins Talcott, the oldest woman in Connecticut, died at her home in West Hartford, aged 106 years.

At the republican convention in Benton Harbor, Mich., C. L. Hamilton, of Niles, was nominated for congress on the 52d ballot.

The trial of Scott Jackson, the Greencastle (Ind.) dental student, charged with Pearl Bryan's murder, began at Newport, Ky.

Patriots' day, commemorating the battle of Lexington, was appropriately observed as a general holiday throughout Massachusetts.

The works of the Dauntless Bicycle company and Baker Brothers' machine factory were burned at Toledo, O., the total loss being $200,000.

Surrounded by five generations "Aunt" Hanna Chard celebrated her 107th birthday at the home of her 70-year-old son, Joel, in Fellel, N. J.

Miss Frances E. Willard sailed from New York for Southampton. She goes abroad to attend the annual convention of the World's Women's Christian Temperance union, of which she is president.

LOUISIANA ELECTION.

Citizens Elect the Mayor in New Orleans —Result in the State.

New Orleans, April 22.—The Citizens' league elected their candidate for mayor yesterday by upward of 10,000 majority over Congressman Charles F. Buck. They also elected their entire city and councilmanic ticket. The vote in the state for Gov. Foster (dem.) and Pharr, republican candidate for governor, is close, but Foster will probably have 1,000 majority.

Dr. A. H. Goss, populist-republican candidate for coroner for Tangipahoa parish was shot and instantly killed, and S. C. Hyde, democrat, was mortally wounded here Tuesday evening in election difficulties. One negro is reported killed in St. Landry.

The Situation in Armenia.

London, April 22.—The Daily News publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that news from all parts of Armenia continues to be terrible. The people everywhere hardly dare resume work and the farmers are wholly without seed. Unless the government extends help to them speedily there will be no sowing. Even the local officials have applied to the government for assistance, with a view to averting a famine next winter. The relief disbursers at Gurun have been arrested and nobody else dares to act. In the meantime many persons are dying of hunger.

A Destructive Landslide.

Tonawanda, N. Y., April 21.—A landslide in the outskirts of this place swept farm buildings from their foundations and caused a loss of $100,000.

PASSED AWAY.

Death in Hungary of Baron De Hirsch, the Philanthropist.

At Paris M. Leon Say Breathes His Last —Brief Biographical Sketches of the Careers and Services of Both Men.

Vienna, April 22.—Baron Maurice De Hirsch, the great financier and philanthropist, died Monday night on his estate at Presburg, Hungary, from a stroke of apoplexy.

[Baron Maurice De Hirsch, whose full name was Maurice De Hirsch de Gereuth, was born here in Munich 63 years ago. His father was a merchant in Barvis, who for services rendered to the state was ennobled in 1869. He was the first to plan the system of railways leading from Buda-Pest to Hungary to Varna, on the Black sea, and through his strong will and financial capabilities of the highest order his plans were carried out. In 1866 the commercial collapse of M. LaGrand Dumonceau, which shook the money world of Belgium to its foundations, gave him his opportunity. He secured the most valuable of the assets, including the Turkish railways, and

BARON DE HIRSCH.

by his skillful manipulation of them built up in a quarter of a century a fortune which equals that of the Rothschilds. His charities in Austria and Germany are innumerable and his scheme for transplanting his unfortunate Russian co-religionists to South America cost what an ordinary person would consider a colossal fortune. The baron was particularly fond of the sports of the turf, and he maintained large racing stables. His principal residence of late years was in Paris, but a great part of his time was spent in England.]

CELEBRATED FRENCHMAN DEAD.

M. Dean Baptiste Leon Say Passes Away at Paris.

Paris, April 22.—M. Dean Baptiste Leon Say, the celebrated French statesman, died Tuesday morning aged 70 years.

[Jean Baptiste Leon Say was born in Paris, June 6, 1826. Following the traditions of his family, he devoted himself to the study of political economy. On December 7, 1872, he was made minister of finance by M. Thiers, on whose downfall he naturally left office (May 24, 1873). He again accepted the portfolio of finance in M. Buffet's administration in March, 1875, and also served in that capacity in the cabinets of Presidents Grevy and De Freycinet. He was one of the founders of the Liberal Republican union and in 1889 was an active opponent of Boulangism. In December, 1874, the French Academy of Moral and Political Sciences elected M. Leon Say to the seat left vacant by the death of M. Dubois as "Membre Libre," and in 1880 as "Membre Titulaire," as successor to M. Michael Chevalier. He was elected a member of the French academy in 1886, as successor to M. Efmond About.]

THEY WANT RUSSELL.

Massachusetts and Rhode Island Democrats Favor Him for President.

Boston, April 22.—The democrats in convention yesterday elected national delegates in favor of W. E. Russell for president and the platform denounces free coinage and the further purchase of silver.

Providence, R. I., April 22.—The democratic convention yesterday chose eight delegates to the national convention who favor W. E. Russell, of Massachusetts, for president. The platform indorses the administration of President Cleveland; declares for the gold standard and indorses the Wilson tariff.

Trying to Save Holmes' Neck.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 22.—Coroner Casler received a telegram Tuesday afternoon to come to Philadelphia, bringing with him the record in the Howard Pitzel case, and Henry W. Bullock, who is looking after Holmes' interests here, reports that there is a movement on foot to have Holmes' punishment commuted to imprisonment for life.

Death of a Veteran.

Wilmington, Del., April 20.—Gen. Levi Clark Booles, of the regular army, retired, died in this city Saturday, aged 87 years. He served under Gens. Taylor and Scott in the Mexican war, and also with distinction through the civil war. He was wounded at Antietam and Gettysburg.

Ten Years for a Train Robber.

Kingfisher, O. T., April 20.—Bill Raidler, convicted of attempting to rob a Rock Island mail train on April 3, 1895, has been sentenced in the United States court to ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Columbus, O. A stay of 60 days was granted to permit of an appeal.

Their Error Proved Fatal.

Charleston, W. Va., April 22.—W. F. Workman and Layman Williams, prominent citizens of Raleigh county, returning from court here Tuesday, drank a quart of carbolic acid, mistaking it for whisky, and died from the effects. Both were union veterans and leave families.

Death of Ex-Gov. Boreman.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 20.—Arthur I. Boreman, first governor of West Virginia, afterwards United States senator and for eight years judge of the Fourth judicial circuit court, died yesterday morning, aged 73 years.

Moline's Population 17,000.

Moline, Ill., April 21.—Moline now has an actual population of 17,000, making it the largest city in northwestern Illinois. The suburb of Stewartville has been admitted by unanimous vote of the city council.

A. P. A. Leaders Meet.

Cincinnati, April 21.—The national board of the A. P. A. is holding a secret meeting here. The purpose is confessedly political and hostile to McKinley. Chairman Stevens, desiring to correct some of the statements of the press, issued a circular in which it is disclosed that the order is against McKinley because of his appointments, that it is not in the interest of any other candidate and that Congressman Grosvenor's denial is untrue. It is stated that statements about Congressman Linton's withdrawal are unauthorized and were sent out by the enemies of the A. P. A.

Disaster at Sea

London, April 21.—The British bark Firth of Solway, for Dunedin, was sunk Sunday morning by collision with the British steamer Marsden, of Greenock near Kirsh lightship, on the coast of Ireland. The bark went down almost immediately and the captain's wife and child and 13 of the crew were drowned. The captain and eight sailors were saved. The Marsden's bows were badly stove.

Illinois Democrats.

Chicago, April 21.—The democratic state central committee Monday selected Peoria as the place and June 23 as the date for holding the democratic state convention. The call was issued on the basis of the vote cast in the presidential election of 1892, which is a victory for the gold element, as it gives Cook county a larger representation than under the vote of 1894.

Prominent St. Louis Man Drowned.

St. Louis, April 21.—Capt. Dennis P. Slattery, one of the wealthiest and best known citizens of this city, was drowned in King's lake, 15 miles north of here, Monday morning. He was drowned while fishing in a small row boat.

Hanged by Moonshiners.

Irving College, Tenn., April 20.—Starling Savage was taken from his bed here by a mob of "moonshiners" and hanged. He was suspected of being a "spotter" for the United States revenue officers.

Important Decision.

Denver, Col., April 20.—The supreme tribunal of the Knights of Pythias has decided that the law excluding gamblers and drunkards from the order did not affect those who were members of the order before the law was passed.

Officials Executed.

London, April 21.—Advices say that the minister of war, Gen. Ramon Castillo, and Jose Estay, governor of the province of Macoris, were executed at Macoris by order of Ulysses Heureaux, president of San Domingo.

CARVED HIS OWN COFFIN.

An English Craftsman Puts His Art to a Strange Use.

A coffin yarn from England is this, from a Nottingham paper: "The hobby of an old gentleman, who has just departed this life in Duddlestone, was wood carving. Being of independent means he was able to devote his time to the craft and become a very artistic craftsman. After filling his house with hand-carved furniture he turned his attention to the carving of an oaken coffin, to contain his remains. Over the richly-carved panels he spent much loving care. In this coffin de luxe he was buried recently, and in accordance with minute instructions in his last will and testament, was followed to the grave by one mourner only—a young man to whom he had left the bulk of his property, ignoring all of his relatives. The coffin was conveyed to the churchyard in the old gentleman's private vehicle, drawn by his favorite pony."

Mrs. Howe's Husband.

Apropos of the "new woman," somebody resurrected an old story the other day about Mrs. Juliet Ward Howe that may or may not be true. At all events, it was worth resurrecting. The story goes that Mrs. Howe was one fine morning walking down Beacon street, Boston, when she met a friend who asked her how Dr. Howe was. "Dr. Howe?" repeated Mrs. Howe, vaguely. Then, as if suddenly recollecting herself, "Oh, he's quite well, I'm sure. I remember seeing in the morning paper that he presided at some meeting or other last evening."

Extravagant Relic Worship.

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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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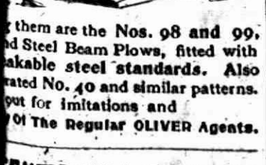

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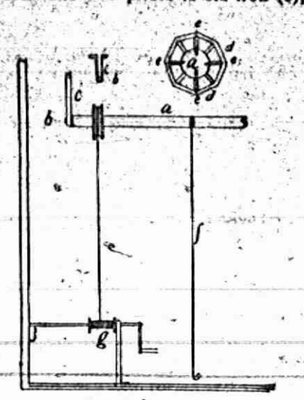

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(I use a wagon tire) and bend in form of V, fastening each end to the beam above. The iron or roll (b) will fit in the point of the bent iron (c). With a two-inch augur bore two holes at right angles, through the roll about a foot from the end; then take eight pieces of two-by-four material, four of them made to fit the augur holes. The other four should be three or four inches shorter and nailed in between. Then take some strips of half-inch stuff four inches wide (d d) and nail to the ends of the eight pieces of two by four. Nail strips on the edge of the two by four to keep a rope in place. If a large wheel can be secured and attached to beam (a) it will be unnecessary to make one. A half-inch rope will hang any beef. Wind it several times around the wheel. Fasten two ropes (one is shown at f) to the roll about six feet apart, long enough to reach the floor. Construct a three-inch roll 15 inches long (g) about three feet from the floor, with crank attached to wind the small rope on. Attach the rope taut and the windlass is complete. I can dress and hang a 1,000-pound beef alone and can take down a quarter or side and leave the rest hanging. It is a simple, strong and cheap windlass.—E. N. Fisher, in Farm and Home.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

Do not plant corn too deep.

Most farmers ought to be fruit eaters.

Secure seed north rather than south of you.

Be careful not to overwork the young colts.

It is a good plan to mulch newly set trees.

To profit by mistakes is the beginning of systematic effort.

Time spent in looking after the comfort of the work teams is time well spent.

When the teams are allowed to rest in the fields pull the collars away from the shoulders.

A young animal should never be allowed to fall off in condition sufficient to retard its growth.

Preserve the health, vitality and usefulness of your cows by giving them a change of food occasionally.

Never make the selection of the brood sows until a reasonable age has developed the good and bad qualities.

Teach your horses to act promptly when you speak to them, by doing so you may save yourself much annoyance.

To do the best work in keeping down the weeds the cultivation should be commenced before the weeds get well started.

When a horse has frequent fits of colic it indicates chronic indigestion, and care should be taken in feeding and watering.—Farmers' Union.

What Makes a Fertile Soil?

Soils are either fertile or barren (infertile). The fertile soil may be best described by negative properties, or the absence of any of those elements which go to make a barren soil. The more closely a soil approaches a happy mixture of the four elements, sand, clay, lime and vegetable matter, the more nearly will it approach a perfect soil, both physically and chemically. The nearer it approaches to the composition of one single element to the exclusion of others, the nearer will it approach to barrenness, or infertility. It would be useless to describe the thousand and one grades of composition which lie between these extremes, and equally useless to try to classify them.—Farmers' Voice.

Ashes Are Good for Orchards.

The man who has even a small plot of ground to tend, and throws his ashes out into the street or highway, or any where else to get wasted, has surely a "crack in his hog-trough," and in his head, too. Ashes contain potash and phosphoric acid, two valuable plant foods. They also have excellent mechanical effect, making clammy ground friable when mixed therewith, and soil naturally too loose is made more compact by their application. Apply them liberally to fruit trees and plants, garden vegetables, and, in fact, anywhere a crop of any kind is to be raised, thoroughly mixing with the soil, and grand success will result.—Jefferson D. Cheely, in Farm and Fireside.

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To make the most of a small farm it must be made to yield its fruits at such times as they are the most valuable, which means to prolong the season to the greatest possible extent consistent with economy. There is great pleasure and profit in having vegetables both early and late. There is a decided relish in very early vegetables, if of our own production, and providing they can be produced at a reasonable price. The hotbed meets all these conditions; when properly managed it will furnish many vegetables nearly two months in advance of the garden, and of much better quality, because they are grown more quickly and at a moderate cost.

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If cucumbers are not desired, sow a few seeds of tomatoes about the 1st of June, not later than the 10th; these will ripen their first fruits upon the approach of frost, when the sash should be put on, and the season of tomatoes can be prolonged for at least a month. After these are gone the frame can be filled with lettuce plants, which should be in readiness, and, with little protection, the hotbed will furnish a supply during December.

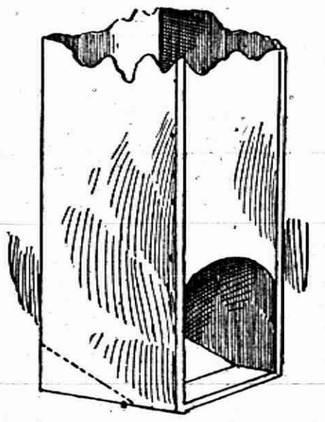
A goodly number of cold frames should be in readiness in spring to receive the young plants of tomatoes, cabbage and cauliflower, in order to harden them off before transferring them to the garden; this will afford the lettuce all the room it will require for heading, as the other plants should be sown in alternate rows in order to make all the space useful.

The importance of this kind of farming is but little understood or appreciated. It is carried on extensively near all large cities, and is made profitable by those who understand it. But it is doubly valuable to the small farmer who grows not so much for profit as for pleasure, for those who are willing to pay to their gardeners what their vegetables and small fruits would cost them in the market, and the rental of the farm besides, for the satisfaction there is in having everything fresh and strictly first-class in every respect.—Rural Farmer.

TIGHT HAY CHUTE.

How to Prevent the Escape of Fine Dust and Chaff.

Where the hay is stored in the second story hay chutes must be provided for each stall. There is a right and a wrong way to build these. The cut shows the right way. Let them grow larger as they descend, and then the hay will not catch or clog in them. At the bottom have an incline to throw the hay toward the opening, as shown. Have a guard over the top of chutes to keep



people from walking into them when moving about on the floor overhead. One sometimes sees stables where the hay is thrown down an opening over the horse's head, without the use of a chute at all. As a result the mane, foretop and hair of the horse's head is filled with dust, chaff and spears of hay—a slovenly method. Sometimes, also, one sees a chute made of slats. This is much better than a simple opening. But dust and chaff will escape through the slats and get on to the horse. Better do the work thoroughly and make a tight chute.—N. Y. Tribune.

Make Every Acre Pay.

Profit from farming is best secured by making every acre pay. It is not necessary to have large farms to make good profits, but to concentrate the labor and manure over an area that can be worked to the best advantage. If the farm is too large sell or rent a portion. The larger the field that is cultivated the less manure can be used proportionately, while more labor is required. The crops that pay are those which give the largest yields per acre and which are secured by good cultivation and liberal application of plant food.

Farming Requires Skill.

Skill is required on the farm as well as in the factory. The frequent advice that young men should go on the farms and now come into the cities is not always advisable. The man who has spent his life in the city is not competent to work on a farm and earn the wages that are paid experienced farm hands. That wages are higher on the farm than in the cities implies that the wages are only paid to those who are competent to perform any service that may be required.

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'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

A Pingree club has been started in Adrian with 350 charter members.

The thunderstorm of Friday night did a great deal of damage to buildings in Jackson and Lenawee counties.

Ann Arbor Courier: The champion pitcher of the U. of M. team last season, Sexton, will be with the Seattle, Wash., team this year.

Mr. Louis J. Liesemer, of the Hausfreund, has purchased an interest in the Washtenaw Daily Times and will take active charge of the paper.

Isaac A. Hathaway, of Rollin, was buried Tuesday under masonic auspices. Mr. Hathaway was for many years a prominent man in county and local affairs. He was the father of Prof. S. R. Hathaway, of the Flint schools, and late principal of the Raisin Valley Seminary.

According to reports from Lansing, the Michigan base ball league has been born again for another year. Lansing, Adrian, Owosso, Manistee, Muskegon and Bay City are in it for sure. The case of Jackson and Saginaw, who wish to withdraw and organize a tri-state league, will be decided by the national board of arbitration.

A Tecumseh merchant tailor is authority for the statement gthat the style for trousers this season is to be "narrower legs and less spring." One can't tell. Because winter has held over a month or so, it does not follow there will be less spring.—Adrian Press. The Adrian Press will always "spring" a thing like that, or summer near it, whenever there's a chance. For some such joke Stearns may meet with an "early fall."—Monroe Democrat.

Adrian Press: Laban B. Wood, a well known farmer living near Lenawee Junction, was instantly killed by lightning about noon Monday. He was setting out shrubbery in his yard when struck on the head, the current burning his straw hat to ashes, singing his hair and whiskers, passing down his right side and blackening the flesh. A siver watch in his pocket was reduced to a molten mass. His 14 years-old son, who was only about two rods distant, received no shock whatever.

Monroe Democrat: Prominent in a Hillsdale lawsuit the other day were Hon. T. E. Barkworth, of Jackson, and ex-Mayor Bean, of Adrian. Col. March was also in the case and they fired their tragic oratory into the jury till one of the panel keeled out of his chair, apparently stone dead. He rallied a little but his physician expresses doubt about about his recovery. "One sinner doeth much harm" saith the scripture but when a trinity like Bean, Barkworth and March get at it, only an arm from heaven can pluck the victim from the jaws of disaster, and perhaps an agonizing death.

The Blissfield Advance thus speaks of Editor Faling's libel suit and strikes it just right: "About a year ago, Editor Faling, of the Petersburg Sun, printed an article stating that Dr. McDonald, of that village, had secured $100 of a woman of Ida by misrepresentation and fraud. McDonald demanded an apology and not getting it promptly started a libel suit for $10,000 damages, and last week the trial came off and he secured a verdict for 6c. We congratulate Bro. Faling on his firm stand for the principle of truth and justice, and are glad to see that he has been sustained in it by the court."

The good people of Saline have all due respect for those of their number who have gone before, probably from the fact that they will all soon follow after. The Observer says it is "bad taste" to have the lots in the cemetery so graded that some are three feet higher than others while the others are that much lower. However, it probably all arises from a desire of the local undertaker to keep the burying business at home. Anyway, the cemetery board over there has reorganized and will leave no stone in the graveyard unturned till it offers unsurpassed advantages to prospective corpses.

The Monroe Observer speaks this of the work on the Lima Northern: Many have been the rumors and much has been the speculating anent the Lima Northern, but one thing is certain—work of grading is now in actual progress in Chesterfield on the surveyed line which strikes the "territorial road" on Fred Denson's farm three miles east of Morenci. This work, extending over a stretch of four miles, is under the direction of Wm. Martell and J. D. Sullivan, the contractors whose arrival here was noted in last week's paper. They are men of large experience in railroad jobs of this kind, and will as rapidly as possible push their present contract to completion. Everything on the Lima Northern certainly looks like business.

The Monroe Democrat loves justice and is not slow to recognize its impartial administration, even when it is administered to a newspaper, as the following clipping will show: "Although the United States is the freest country in the world, in regard to the liberty of the press, it is gratifying to know that this liberty, if abused can be punished as it deserves and to the full measure of the damage. The venal Petersburg Sun lifted its hooded head and fastened the fangs of its malice in the shank of a Petersburg doctor; and at once the M. D. sought the doctors of the law and brought into the circuit court the reprobate boy-constructor which had circulated the calomel about him, and a candid, impartial jury solemnly awarded him that balm for the bite which alone could cure, and he went forth from the fane of justice with the proud consciousness of having secured a judgment of six cents.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, April 20th, 1896.

Regular session. Present, the president, clerk, Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lowry, Wright.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITEES.

Committee appointed at last meeting to investigate question of liability for cost of Union street bridge given until next meeting to report.

Report of ordinance committee on use of bicycles on sidewalks, laid over until next meeting.

Street commissioner's report for period from April 6th, to April 20th, 1896, presented, showing village team labor 9 days, 2 hours; hired team labor, 9 days, 2 hours, cost $23 00; poll tax worked 5 days; Chas. Dixon, poll tax worked, 3 days, cash due, 75 cts.; Dell Packard, 1½ day poll tax worked, cash due 88 cts.; John Bennett, poll tax worked 1½ day, cash due 88 cts. Report accepted and ordered placed on file and order directed drawn for amounts therein named.

NEW BUSINESS.

Chairman of committee on fire and fire limits reported that complaint had been made as to the dangerous condition of smoke stack on the planing mill of Temple, McClure & Co., as to emitting sparks. Moved that the marshal investigate complaint and if as represented to enforce ordinance relating to such cases. Supported. Carried.

Moved that one delegate from the fire department be sent to meeting of State Fireman's Association, to be held at Ithaca, Mich., and that $18.50 be appropriated for payment of expenses and annual dues to association. Supported. Carried.

The druggist's bond of Orr & Temple, duly executed, in the penal sum of $2,000.00, with George W. Knapp and James A. Boyd as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with sureties named, be approved. Supported. Carried.

The druggist's bond of Charles A. Wright, duly executed, in the penal sum of $2,000.00, with Lucius Lilley and Francisco Davidson as sureties, presented for approval. Supported. Carried.

The liquor dealer's bond of Frank Wallinger, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500.00, with Isaac P. Keyser and Jacob Cheever as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with the sureties named, be approved Supported. Carried.

The liquor dealer's bond of Jacob Cheever, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500.00 with Isaac P. Keyser and Eugene Service as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with sureties named, be approved. Supported. Carried.

The liquor dealer's bond of Kennedy & Kolkloesch, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500.00, with George Teachout and Benjamin F. Reynolds as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with the sureties named, be approved. Supported. Yeas 2, nays 2. Thereupon bond was not approved and same was laid on the table for purpose of allowing principals therein to make showing as to sufficency of said sureties.

The liquor dealer's bond of Eugene Service, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500.00, with Jacob Cheever and Albert J. Usborne as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with sureties named, be approved. Supported. Carried.

Moved that Trustee Wright act as purchasing agent for the ensuing year. Supported. Carried.

The marshal was instructed to inspect all sidewalks in the village and to notify owners or occupants of property where abutting sidewalks need repairing or rebuilding, to repair or rebuild same within 10 days from date of service of notice.

Council then adjourned until April 27th, 1896, at 7:30 p. m.

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MICROBES ON STAMPS.

The Philatelist's Collection as a Source of Danger.

Having successfully disclosed the hygienic dangers adherent to the kiss, the telephone receiver and the towel, medical science has now turned its attention to the perils that beset the philatelist's art. According to Dr. Unna, says the Science News, a patient was recently attacked by a peculiar parasitic growth in the beard. On making a minute examination of some of the hairs, the doctor recognized the disease as "piedra," which is chiefly met with in British Columbia. The doctor's friend had never been in Columbia, but he frequently received letters from correspondents there, and, being a collector of postage stamps, he was in the habit of removing them from the letters. In Dr. Unna's opinion the gum on the postage stamp is an excellent material for retaining any disease germs that it may receive from the application of the tongue, and in removing stamps—even when moistening is done with the sponge—there is always a danger that the collector's fingers may receive and communicate the contamination.

CURIOUS CHINESE CUSTOM.

Calling to Mind the Blessing of Having Written Characters.

In a work entitled "An Australian in China" occurs a description of the queer practice in China of honoring waste paper by committing it to the flames. In the center of the green stands the hollow pillar, in which Chinese waste paper is reverently burnt. "When letters were invented," the Chinese say, "Heaven rejoiced and hell trembled." "Reverence the characters," is an injunction of Confucius which no Chinaman neglects to follow. He remembers that "he who uses lettered paper to kindle the fire has ten demerits, and will have itchy sores;" he remembers that "he who tosses lettered paper into dirty water, or burns it in a filthy place has 20 demerits, and will frequently have sore eyes or become blind;" whereas, "he who gets about and collects, washes and burns lettered paper has 5,000 merits, adds 12 years to his life, and will become honored and healthy, and his children and grandchildren will be virtuous and filial." But his reverence has strict limits, and while he reverences a piece of paper upon which a moral precept is written, he often thinks himself absolved from reverencing the moral precept itself.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	18	15
Eggs, per doz	9	10
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 7½	12
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		63
Corn, shelled		30 to 35
Corn in ear	18	to 22
Oats	20	to 25
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		12 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw		$3.00

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 22.

LIVE STOCK—Steers	$3 30	@	4 55
Sheep	2 62½	@	4 35
Hogs	4 00	@	4 35
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 75	@	4 05
Fancy	2 75	@	2 95
WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	75⅝	@	75⅝
May	72	@	72
CORN—No. 2	39	@	39¼
May	36⅛	@	37⅛
OATS—Western	25¼	@	26
PORK—Mess, New	10 00	@	10 50
LARD—Rendered	5 20	@	5 25
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	11	@	14½
EGGS	10¼	@	10½
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 25
Stockers and Feeders	2 90	@	3 55
Cows and Bulls	1 50	@	2 55
Texas Steers	2 00	@	3 75
HOGS—Light	3 50	@	3 85
Rough Packing	3 25	@	3 35
SHEEP	2 50	@	3 50
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	10	@	14
Dairy	9	@	13
EGGS—Fresh	9½	@	10
POTATOES—(per bu.)	14	@	21
PORK—Mess	8 50	@	8 55
LARD—Steam	4 85	@	4 87½
FLOUR—Winter	3 10	@	3 60
Spring	2 40	@	3 25
GRAIN—Wheat, May	64⅛	@	64⅝
Corn, No. 2	29⅝	@	29⅝
Oats, No. 2	19½	@	20½
Rye, No. 2	37	@	37½
Barley, Good to Fancy	31	@	33
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	$ 62⅝	@	62⅝
Corn, No. 3	29½	@	30
Oats, No. 2 White	20⅝	@	21
Rye, No. 1	38¼	@	38⅝
Barley, No. 2	31½	@	32⅝
PORK—Mess	8 50	@	8 55
LARD	4 85	@	4 90
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	$ 70¼	@	70½
Corn, No. 2	32	@	32¼
Oats, No. 3 White	23½	@	23⅝
Rye, No. 2	38	@	38¾
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 75	@	4 40
Texas	2 80	@	3 70
HOGS	3 20	@	3 60
SHEEP	2 25	@	3 90
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 00	@	3 80
Cows	1 60	@	2 60
Feeders	2 75	@	3 75
HOGS	3 20	@	3 50
SHEEP	3 15	@	3 40

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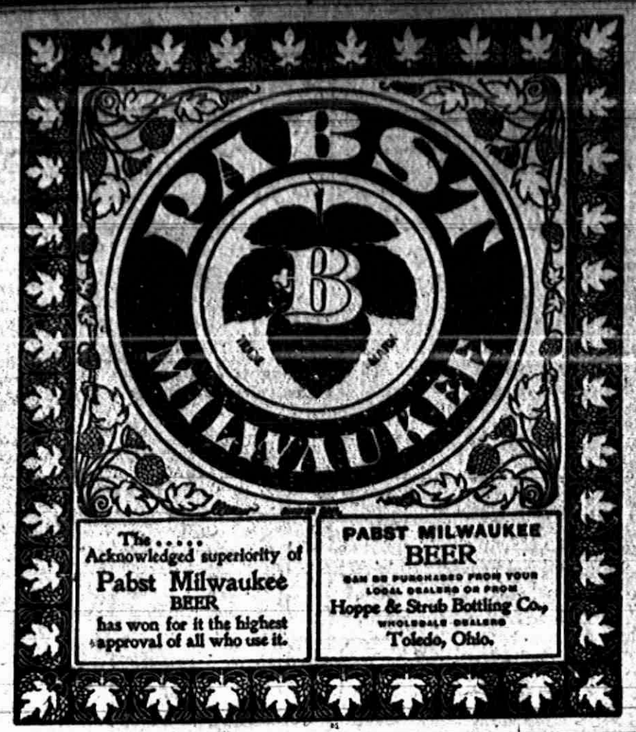

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 191, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co, thence north three chains, thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land, together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

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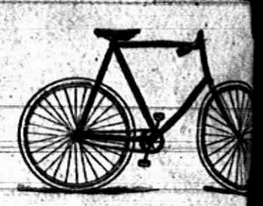
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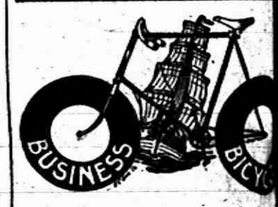

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AT GRANT'S SHRINE.

The Birthday of the War Hero Is Appropriately Observed.

Synopsis of the Eloquent Address Delivered by Gen. John C. Black—Notable Observances in Several Other Cities.

Galena, Ill., April 28.—Business was generally suspended here Monday and the city was in holiday garb, the occasion being the observance of the anniversary of the birth of Gen. Grant. Hundreds of visitors were present from Illinois and many from Iowa. There was a civic parade, after which a reunion of the survivors of Grant's old regiment, the Twelfth Illinois volunteers. The chief feature of the programme was the mass meeting in the afternoon in Turner hall, at which, after patriotic selections by the orchestra and audience, ex-Congressman John

GEN. ULYSSES S. GRANT.

C. Black, now United States attorney for the Northern district of Illinois, delivered an oration.

Gen. John C. Black spoke in part as follows:

Gen. Black's Oration.

"He who stands at Yorktown sees, not the lowlands and tumbling sea, but there arise before him Washington and Lafayette and the United Armies of France and America; at Bunker Hill stands Warren's slender form; at Valley Forge the worn and starving continentals; at Vicksburg, Grant and Logan, McPherson and Sheridan, McClellan and Blair, and the invincible besiegers; at Gettysburg, Hancock and Meade and Doubleday and Sickels; over against them Lee and Longstreet and Pickett and 150,000 struggling men; at Appomattox, Grant and a vast host and a gallant quarry!

Such Men Never Die.

"They will not die from among us; they throng our exalted stations; they point to glorified battle plains and to high scaffolds, where they paid the last obligations to right; they sentinel the long and growing highways of fame; they cluster around heroic epochs, made noble by their speech or written words of unselfish deed: they are the better angels of our national life, and prompt to highest purpose and noblest devotion, to love the country and her cause.

"Grant could not have conquered, nor any that I have named of any of our heroic dead have risen to glory, had our armies been of different material; but now, officer and man, they are blended one and imperishable.

Ascent to Success.

"Beginning with Donelson, to the closing campaign in Virginia, Grant trod the ascending round of success and glory, until at last he stood the embodiment of the purpose of the people in the camp, as Lincoln was in the cabinet, holding the sword of the whole union power, lifting it above the prostrate purposes and broken fortunes of a defeated people, whose every hope was gone, and forever! Ruin in their fields; ashes on their hearthstones; their social systems uprooted; their warriors dead; their sons reduced to daily toil.

"They drank the bitter cup they had brewed, and the world wondered what would be the fate of the fallen. All history contains no nobler answer than fell from the lips of the victorious general: 'Go in peace—keep your honor, observe the laws of the land, till the soil, build up anew your broken fortunes and be dutiful American citizens.'

"The surrender at Appomattox was made to an eagle—not to a vulture; to a lion, not to a prowling beast of carnage; to an American citizen, and not to a vulgar conqueror. Valor and devotion gave up the contest to sublime purpose and inflexible will; the lost cause surrendered to destiny and the manifest purposes of Almighty God. Lee, the incarnation of the highest purposes of his people, yielded to Grant, the silent, inflexible, unalterable will of the American republic.

Honors Fall Upon Him.

"A grateful country, loving comrades, admiring citizens, twice elevated him to the chief magistracy. With the traditions and forces of a great war, from which his fame had sprung all around him, what was to be the influence he should exert upon his fellow citizens and the institutions of the land? What would this soldier, bursting from camps upon the attention of the world, do with the enormous power intrusted to his hands? What he did do furnishes the best answer to the question.

"Character such as that of Grant was slow in growth; not attracting public attention, known only to the most intimate of his companions, and not fully comprehended by them; it was accretion to a rock; when the hour came for its display it was found ringed and banded by all the surroundings of his life.

Grant the Grand.

"How true he was to friends all know. His word was pledged at Appomattox to the southern soldiery, and at a later day, when it was proposed to ignore the terms he had made, he stood like a lion for those who had trusted his word—and saved them. When he discovered that his purposes were opposed by constitutional authority he bowed his crested head and let the Island of San Domingo go. He upheld the traditions of his country and announced, as the illustrious before and since him have done, that on American soil there was room only for American institutions.

"And now we have assembled about his statue three-quarters of a century after his birth, and while the recollections of him still abide with many living witnesses, to renew our regard and tell our affection for him whose ashes are treasured by our distant countrymen in historic urn at the gateway from the sea to the land he helped to keep—let them guard his ashes! Here is the threshold over which he stepped to fame! This the town that was his home, and this the state that upheld him throughout every moment of his prosperity and greatness! The thronging thousands who shall lift careful eyes to the monument at Riverside shall see beside it a figure pointing over mountain and plain and saying: 'He who sleeps here was a son of Illinois, and from her mighty nurturing arms rose to continental stature and boundless fame.'"

Tribute from a Former Foe.

Boston, April 28.—Gen. Longstreet, of Georgia, Grant's great antagonist, is the guest of the Middlesex club and on Monday night was the principal speaker at its annual Grant banquet.

Gen. Longstreet, upon rising to respond to the toast, was received with long-continued cheers, the audience standing and rapturously greeting him, and even during the first few sentences it was impossible for the general to be heard consecutively, owing to the interruption of applause. He said, among other things:

"Of all of the union commanders he was the great leader who accurately surveyed the great field of war, the elements of strength, and points of error, and considered the vast means so necessary to solve the problem.

"He stood alone as the man for the time. When it was ended the war with him was over. His heavy blows were changed to pleasant salutations. Incapable of malice, his generous heart offered all that his enemy could ask as terms for surrender, with abundance of provisions for the hungry soldiers and transportation to their distant homes.

"If he could have been in Chicago in May of last year and witnessed the unveiling of a monument over the dead confederate prisoners of war and could have been with us at the dedication of the national park at Chickamauga in September last, to witness the assembling of Gov. Morton, Gov. McKinley, Gen. Alger, Gen. Grosvenor, Gen. Bates, Gen. Gordon, and multitudes of those of the blue and the gray in cordial, fraternal greetings, he could have known that his prophecy of peace was not a delusive hope, but a happy fruition, mirrored in the expressions of all his countrymen."

Observance Elsewhere.

New York, April 28. — Under the auspices of the Grant monument commission appropriate exercises were held Monday at the great mausoleum in Riverside park. It had been hoped that the tomb would be in readiness for its final dedication, but this has been found impossible, and the event will not take place until late in the year.

Providence, R. I., April 28.—Appropriate exercises in celebration of Grant's birthday were held Monday under the auspices of the Union League club. At an expenditure of nearly $28,000 this organization has provided a heroic-sized bronze statue of the ex-president, which is to occupy the center of the plateau in front of the clubhouse.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Gen Grant's memory was honored with speech, story and good fellowship at the Union League Monday night. Many prominent men in military, naval, official and civil life were present. Col. Fred Grant was the guest of honor. Those responding to tonsts were Gen. Bragg, Mayor Warwick, Hon. Robert S Cousins, of Iowa; Hon. J. L. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania; Hon. Andrew D. White, of New York; Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, of Princeton; Gen. C. H. Grosvenor, of Ohio; Hon. Charles A. Boutelle, of Maine, and Senator M. C. Butler, of South Carolina.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 28.—The tenth annual dinner of the Americus club in honor of the birthday of Gen. U. S. Grant was given Monday evening. The feasting and brilliant oratory drew a representative assemblage of republicans to the Monongahela house, where the festivities were held. The guests of honor included members of congress state officials, judges of the courts and local political lights. The principal speakers of the evening were: Congressman J. P. Dolliver, of Iowa, who talked of "Grant;" Senator C. K. Davis, of Minnesota, spoke of "Progressive Republicanism," his address arousing much enthusiasm. Congressman L. E. Quigg, of New York, talked of "The Party of Grant."

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

Seasonable Weather Throughout the Country Improves Trade.

New York, April 25.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"Business has been favored by seasonable weather and the distribution of products has made fair progress, not yet reducing retail or wholesale stocks far enough, however, to materially improve the position of industries. Money markets have grown more favorable, as well as the state of foreign commerce, and until an apparently groundless revival of discussion about the Venezuela difficulty there was a brighter prospect of European investments here. The belief that agitation for cheap money will be permanently laid at rest this year is gaining ground, and in financial quarters causes more confidence for the future. Prices of commodities are on the whole lower than ever before, having declined about two per cent. since April 1 and 17 per cent. since July, 1890, or October, 1892. The fall in manufactured products is a little less than it was April 1, but in farm products greater.

"Failures for the week have been 238 in the United States, against 230 last year, and 44 in Canada, against 37 last year."

Bradstreet's says:

"The feeling is more hopeful at many trade centers, owing to continued improvement of demand in retail lines, better weather, generally favorable crop prospects and the activity which naturally follows renewed building operations, distribution of implements and farm supplies and attendant activity. More favorable reports from commercial travelers are from those representing Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Milwaukee houses. Moderate improvement is shown at a few other western centers, but at most of the larger distributing points throughout the country the movement of merchandise, on the whole, shows no material change."

New Commander-in-Chief.

Havana, April 27.—Calixto Garcia has been appointed commander-in-chief of the insurgents by Maximo Gomez, who in future will promote the rebel cause in another capacity.

Death from Alkali Water.

Topeka, Kan., April 27.—Ex-Congressman Lamison, of Ohio, died in this city, from using alkali water.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Awful Work of a Lunatic in the City of Rockville, Ind.

He Kills a Mother and Her Two Children, the Sheriff of Parke County and a Constable—He Then Takes His Own Life.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 27.—Dispatches from Rockville, county seat of Parke county, give fuller details of Saturday's tragedy, in which Peter Egbert, a youth of 23 years, apparently insane, killed five persons and then committed suicide. His victims were Mrs. Herman Haschke and her two children, Aggie and Herman, aged ten and eight years respectively, Sheriff W. D. Mull and Constable William Sween. The Rockville dispatch says:

Shoots Mother and Two Children.

About seven o'clock young Egbert was sent into the back yard to saw some wood for family use. Shortly afterwards, while Mrs. Haschke was out milking her cow, Egbert, secured a double-barreled breech-loading shot-gun, went into the Haschke house, as next door to his home, shot daughter, a child of ten years, and wounded the boy, two years younger, who ran out on the porch, where Egbert shot him again, killing him instantly. The murderer then went out into the alley and leveled his gun at Mrs. Haschke, who, seeing his intention, attempted to escape. He shot her, however, the charge taking effect in the top of her head, removing part of her skull. Mrs. Haschke lingered in an unconscious state for about two hours, when death ended her sufferings.

Looks for More Victims.

Having completed this work of butchery, Egbert shouldered his gun and deliberately walked up into the business part of the town. Sheriff Mull and Constable Sweem were planning a means of capturing the murderer. Egbert was walking across the north side of the square, holding his gun in position, with both barrels cocked, when he saw Mull and Sweem crossing the street towards him. He called out to them that they had better not come any nearer. The two officers retired into a stairway in the national bank building for a moment's consultation, when Egbert turned and, coming upon them suddenly, shot and instantly killed both men.

Murderer Kills Himself.

The murderer then started to run, taking a westward course towards the fair grounds, a number of citizens in close pursuit. He ran like a deer until, while crossing an open field just west of town, a shot from his pursuers took effect in his heel. This crippled him, and though he managed to scale the inclosure of the fair grounds he was unable to run further, and crawling into a stall in the fair grounds, he shot himself in the right breast. The fire from his gun ignited his clothing which was partially burned when he was found.

A FATAL GALE.

Nine Persons Killed and Many Injured in a Cyclone in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., April 27.—A cyclone passed over Clay county Saturday at midnight. Nine persons were killed and 50 injured. The cyclone wrought great destruction of property and a great deal of live stock was killed. The dead are Frank Peterson, wife and child, Eli Balthazar and wife Julius Trembly, Jesse Hazen, Mrs. Halverson, and a grandchild of Peter Anderson.

The cyclone started about six miles south of Clifton and went in a northeasterly direction for 12 or 15 miles, and then lost its force by spreading. It passed about half way between Clifton and Morganville. Its track varied from 150 yards to a quarter of a mile in width. It tore through a farming community and left nothing standing. Houses and barns were wrecked, trees torn up or broken, fences leveled and haystacks blown in every direction. The cyclone was followed by a terrific rainstorm, which lasted several hours, flooding the devastated district. The cyclone took the people unawares.

Father and Son Kill Each Other.

Cincinnati, April 28.—A special to the Post from Gate City, Va., says: At Rosedale, Russell county, Mr. Dutter and his son quarreled over a money transaction. The father fired several shots at his son, his wife knocking down the pistol. Finally a ball took effect in the son's breast. As he fell he shot his father through the heart, killing him instantly. The son lived half an hour.

Was "Jack the Ripper."

Sing Sing, N. Y., April 28. — Karl Feigenbaum, alias Anton Lahn, who murdered Mrs. Johanna Hoffmann in New York September 1, 1894, was executed by electricity in the penitentiary yesterday. He was said by his lawyer to have been the London "Jack the Ripper."

Women in Politics.

Springfield, Ill., April 29.—The first state convention in Illinois of the Republican Women's league was held in this city yesterday and nominated Mrs. Mary Turner Carriel, of Jacksonville, for trustee of the state university.

Alabama Populists.

Montgomery, Ala., April 29. — The populist convention yesterday nominated Albert G. Goodwin for governor and divided the rest of the state ticket with the anti-McKinley republicans.

CATCHING UP.

Favorable Weather Advances Crops and Makes Up for Late Season.

Chicago, April 29.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the cultivation, growth and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Illinois—Excellent week in north and west-central counties, elsewhere growing dryness has caused slow growth, hard plowing, and has retarded farm work. Wheat, rye, oats and grasses are doing well within the rain areas, elsewhere growing slowly. Corn planting continues in the southern section, and is well begun in central. Fruit is setting heavily; chinch bugs are hatching in large numbers in central and southern counties.

Wisconsin—Copious rains in all sections of the state have materially retarded farm work. The weather has been cooler, but favorable to growing crops. Winter wheat is improving, but much is winter killed and will be plowed up. Oats are up in southern section and are growing nicely. The frosts of the 21st and 22d did no damage. Sunshine is needed.

Iowa—The temperature has been above the normal and rainfall excessive, except in southern districts. The growth of plants and foliage is in advance of average season. Wheat and other small grains are doing well. Corn planting will be general the coming week. Pastures afford full feed.

Minnesota—The week has been showery and warm. Wheat and oats seeding has just begun in north; well advanced in central, and about completed in south section. Plowing for corn, flax and early gardening begun. The condition of winter wheat has improved. Rye, early sown spring wheat and grass growing nicely.

Indiana—Good rains in many localities and warm weather have advanced all vegetation most rapidly. The light frost of the 22d did no injury. Wheat and grasses are in fine condition; oats are nearly all sown, and plowing for corn in progress, with some planted.

Ohio—The weather during the week has been favorable. Wheat prospects are improved, but considerable will be plowed up for other crops. Grass is better, some oats are up, gardens are doing well, potatoes about planted, and fruit prospects are fair. Insects are numerous. Some light frosts are reported with no damage. Stock is on pasture.

Michigan—The rains have been ample, and the frosts of Wednesdy morning did no damage. Wheat, rye and grass are looking fine and are growing rapidly. Fruit buds are in good shape, and early sown oats are coming up nicely. Plowing for corn has begun.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of Leading Clubs for the Week Ended April 26.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Philadelphia	6	1	.857
Pittsburgh	5	2	.714
Washington	4	3	.571
Cleveland	4	3	.571
Chicago	4	3	.552
Cincinnati	5	4	.555
St. Louis	5	4	.555
Baltimore	4	4	.500
Boston	4	4	.500
Brooklyn	3	4	.429
New York	1	6	.143
Louisville	1	8	.111

Western association:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Dubuque	3	0	1.000
Peoria	3	0	1.000
Des Moines	2	1	.666
St. Joseph	2	1	.666
Cedar Rapids	1	2	.333
Rockford	1	2	.333
Burlington	0	2	....
Quincy	0	3	....

Western league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Kansas City	4	1	.800
Columbus	3	1	.750
Detroit	3	2	.600
Milwaukee	3	2	.600
Minneapolis	2	3	.400
Indianapolis	1	3	.333
Grand Rapids	1	3	.333
St. Paul	1	3	.250

SWEPT BY FIRE.

Cripple Creek, Colorado's Famous Mining Town, Suffers Heavily.

Cripple Creek, Col., April 27.—With the aid of dynamite and giant powder a fire which started at one o'clock p. m. Saturday, and which threatened to wipe out of existence the town of Cripple Creek, was overcome, but not before at least a million dollars' damage had been sustained by the town. The insurance will reach $250,000. The buildings occupying eight blocks of street, together with their contents, were utterly destroyed. One hundred and fifty business houses, the post office and a bank are in ashes. Five or six hundred persons will have to find new homes.

Positive evidence has been secured to prove that the fire was the work of an incendiary for the purpose of making a raid on the First national bank, which now appears to have had on deposit something over $100,000 on account of the near approach of pay day at the leading mines.

A Town Destroyed.

Mitchell, S. D., April 29.—A severe cyclone struck near Spencer Monday evening. It took a northerly course, destroying farm property and doing immense damage to crops. The little town of Epiphany lay directly in its path and was completely wiped off the earth, not a building being left standing. Three persons were fatally and 15 or more seriously injured in that immediate vicinity.

Six to Hang.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 29.—Lucky Davis, Louis Davis, Rufus Buck, Manuel July, Sam Sampson and Ed Wilkey were sentenced to be hanged here on July 1 for crimes against women committed in the Indian territory.

One Life Lost.

Moline, Ill., April 27.—A two-story frame building at 1520 Second avenue, occupied by Steve Walters as a boarding house, was destroyed by fire at two a. m. Sunday. William Sage, a lodger, was suffocated.

Clinton Column.

Prospects of a Dry Town—Several Marriages—Entertainments Soon.

Rev. Thos. H. Warner spent Sunday in Toledo.

R. J. Bond, of Lake Ridge, was in town Monday.

Rha Conklin, of Lansing, came here last Friday on business.

Jno. Staiger was home from South Bend the last of the week.

Mrs. Al. Morseman and daughter, of Tipton, were in town last Saturday.

Frank Fitzgerald and wife returned to their home in Brooklyn, Monday.

Mrs. Cosetta Halladay returned from her Ohio visit, Wednesday of last week.

Ed. Clark made a trip to Grass Lake and Jackson Saturday, returning Monday.

The families of A. C. Huntington and Ed. Parker drove to Adrian last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Purdie, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Lewis, last Friday.

D. S. Alvord and family moved into their home on Clark street, the latter part of last week.

Miss Florence Green attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Blissfield last Tuesday.

Married, in St. Dominic's church, Thursday morning, Mr. John Staib and Miss Dora Wallace.

Mrs. Mary Lewis, after several months visit in Des Moines, Ia., returned to Clinton last Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Fisk, of Detroit, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nase, for the past week.

Mrs. Henry Heying has been entertaining her mother and sister from Stockbridge during the past week.

Mrs. M. D. Alexander, of Tipton, visited her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Dewmuth, on Thursday of last week.

The Misses Kittie Hogan and Teresa Carroll attended the wedding of Miss Frances Heidenreich, at Manchester last Tuesday.

Miss Kate McCollum, who was called here by the death of her mother, three weeks ago, returned to South Bend, Ind. last Saturday.

Chas. Lewis and Frank Purdy will soon establish a bakery in Brooklyn. Mr. Purdy, who is from Tecumseh, will mix the dough.

Andrew Taylor made a trip to Ypsilanti on his bicycle last Saturday to visit his brother George, who is attending the Normal.

Miss Floy Avery, who teaches in the primary department had the misfortune to fall from her wheel Tuesday and sprain her ankle.

Mrs. Lenn Kimball gave a tea last Wednesday in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Bush, who will return to Detroit the first of next week.

Mrs. J. Watson and Miss Terresa Rantal leave Wednesday for Denver, Colo., to spend the summer with Geo. P. Wright and family.

A few who have rushed the back alley will probably have no further use for that "convenient avenue should the bonds not be forthcoming.

Mrs. Sarah Fries, of Clifton Springs, N. Y., and Mrs. A. A. Fries, of Alliance, Neb., wife of a former pastor of the Baptist church, are visiting friends in town.

Geo. Jacob's building is about completed and he will shortly come here from Plymouth to engage in the bakery business. He will sell his goods from a wagon.

A. F. Kishpaugh, last Tuesday, erected a windmill on the celery farm of Thos. VanGiesen north of town. The mill will be used for irrigating purposes.

Hon. E. P. Allen will deliver a lecture at the town hall tomorrow night. The lecture will be given under the auspices and for the benefit of the Junior class of the high school. Mr. Allen is a very forcible and logical speaker and will probably fill the hall.

The Maus entertainers will present their musical and elocutionary recital here, one week from Saturday night, under the auspices of the local chapter of the Eastern Star. This entertainment was recently given in Tecumseh with the most pronounced success. Mr. J. C. Maus, as a performer on stringed instruments, is an artist of rare attainments, while Mrs. Ada Waring Maus is an elocutionist of pronounced merit.

At the council meeting last Monday night the liquor bonds were raised to $5,000 and a requirement made that the surety live within the corporation. Yesterday the old bond expired and we have not learned whether a new license has been taken out. Another measure of reform was an ordinance requiring a license of $10 for the priviledge of running public pool or billiard tables, also requiring that boys under 18 be excluded.

Last Wednesday moring at 7 o'clock James Riley and Miss Hannah Murphy were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed in St. Dominic's church by Rev. Fr. Heidenreich, and was witnessed by a large circle of friends and members of the church, of which the contracting parties were members. The couple left for Kalamazoo on the noon train, where they will make a short visit among relatives before returning to Clinton for the active duties of housekeeping.

Mrs. M. P. O'Brien,

Ivesdale Ill., writes: I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a family medicine with the best of results. For derangements of the stomach and a general laxative I like it better than anything I have used. It is so pleasant to taste my children are always anxious to take it. Sold by Orr & Temple. may

FRANKLIN.

Aunt Emily Whelan is not much better.

Henry Allen lost a valuable cow last Saturday.

The funeral of Henry Luce was held at his father's house Tuesday.

Mr. Rogers, of the Monroe Nursery, was delivering stock here last week.

Jean Camburn was better at last accounts. The doctors had hopes of his recovery.

Dr. Jenkins, of Tecumseh, was called in consultation with Dr. Rice over Jean Camburn.

Sunday night, as Dr. Jenkins, of Tecumseh, was driving over the bridge just beyond Wm. Fisher's, his horse became frightened at a blinding flash of lightning and dashed into the water below, overturning the buggy, which became a total wreck, and seriously injuring himself. The doctor lost some surgical instruments and got a good ducking, but escaped without serious injury.

RAISIN VALLEY SEMINARY.

School Closes—New Back Stop.

Miss Vinora Beal spent Sunday with Miss Elizibeth Sutton.

G. L. Case attended the funeral of Mr. Luce at Tipton, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bailey and Master Walter Ostrander went to Willis Wednesday eve.

School closes this week on Friday on account of Quartarly Meeting at Ypsilanti.

The boys have their new back stop up and have procured a sign painter who will finish the job soon.

Mrs. Geo. Hill starts for Whittier, California, where Mr. Hill is in business and where they intend staying for some time.

Miss Adah Dibble is again in school after a weeks absence, caused by too close contact with "five leaf ivy" while "star gazing."

LAKE RIDGE.

Plenty of Rain—Runaway—Successful Ball.

Uncle Horace Grey is in poor health.

Farmers are complaining of too much rain.

Ernest Baker, as usual, attended the Lake Ridge dance.

Mrs. Roy Whiting will instruct about 20 scholars in music this summer.

Frank Davidson and wife were calling on friends on the Ridge Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoagland, of Britton, spent Sunday with Joseph Harrington and wife.

The ball given by the boys Friday night was well attended. The proceeds amounted to $10.

Miss Carrie Camburn, of Macon, has an invitation to teach the infant class in our Sunday School.

John Aicken has a fine flowing well on his farm, or what will be better known as the Scudder place.

The social for the Sunday school was quite well attended, considering the busy time. The amount raised was $3.50.

Darius Hendershot and wife and daughter, of Macon, spent Saturday and Sunday with their brother, Chas. Hendershot.

Isaiah Carter, while driving a spirited colt, was introduced to the board fence in front of Mr. Murphy's house one day last week. He was not pleased with making the acquaintance.

MACON.

W. C. T. U. Elect Officers—Marriage—Cruelty to Animals.

A surprise party was given Alice Mitchell last Saturday night.

Mrs. Oven deferred her journey to Petoskey because of the illness of her aunt, Mrs Hendershot.

Misses Grace Sage, Mary Richart, Cottons, and Delia Mills attended the C. E. convention at Blissfield Tuesday.

It might be an act of kindness to animals to inquire into the cause of such a noise at the slaughter housue all day Sunday.

Mr. Huntington and wife, Mrs. Kimball, Prof. Wilcox and Mr. Kimball, all from Clinton attended certain of the Sunday services.

George Harriott has concluded that this life is too lonesome a journey to travel alone and has persuaded Mrs. Lyman Davenport to become Mrs. Harriott.

At the W. C. T. U. election of officers Mrs. Myra Camburn was made president; vice-presidents, Mrs. Wm. Osgood, Mrs. Libbie Hendershot, Mrs. R. Howell and Mrs. Ellen Richart; secretaries, Miss Charlotte Oven and Miss Mary Richart; treasurer, Mrs. Clara Gooding.

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Mr. Charles H. Hoffman is a fireman on the M. C. R. R. and resides at 182 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: "I have suffered for a long time from a kidney and bladder disorder which has at times rendered me incapable of work, have been at the hospital for my complaint and discharged from there as cured, but the old complaint has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I began taking them, with most gratifying results. Urinary complaints which bothered me greatly are very much improved; and the pain I suffered in my back has entirely left me, my general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without Doan's Kidney Pills, I think others should know what a valuable remedy it is."

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The man who eats because he is hungry is, thus far, on a level with the brutes. The man who stops eating the moment his hunger is appeased is the wise man. Nature needs no more food than she calls for. Continued excess brings about indigestion or dyspepsia, with loss of flesh, strength, sleep, ambition and mental power; and an accumulation of aches, pains and many dangerous local maladies. The stomach now can do nothing alone. We must appeal to some artificially digested food which can also digest other foods. That is to say, we must use the Shaker Digestive Cordial. The effect is prompt and cheering. The chronic pain and distress ceases. Appetite presently revives. Flesh and vigor gradually come back, and the sufferer recovers. But he must be careful in future. A trial bottle for 10 cents.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of castor oil. 1w

German Baptist Meeting, Ottawa, Kan., May 26-29, 1896.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets May 18, 22, 23 and 25, 1896, from all points to Ottawa, Kan., at one fare for the round trip, plus $2, good to return thirty days from date of sale. For time tables and other information call on or write to any ticket agent of the Wabash, R'y, or connecting lines, or C. S. CRANE,

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Excursions to Cleveland, Ohio, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y on April 29, 30 and May 1 and 12, at one fare for the round trip. Consult ticket agent. m1

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Would give us perfect health. Because men and women are not perfectly wise, they must take medicines to keep themselves perfectly healthy. Pure, rich blood is the basis of good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier. It gives good health because it builds upon the true foundation—pure blood.

Hood's pills are purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, always reliable and beneficial. 1w

Low Rates to Cleveland, Ohio.

On April 29 and 30 and May 1 and 12 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y will sell tickets to Cleveland and return at one fare for the round trip, account General Conference M. E. church. Tickets will be good 5 days for return, with privilege of extension to June 2 by depositing them with the Joint Ticket Agent, Cleveland. m1

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Boils and pimples are due to impure blood. Remove them by making the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

John Hunter shot and killed Angelo Aborn, his brother-in-law, during a quarrel at Crystal Lake, Conn.

If the care of the hair were made a part of a lady's education, we should not see so many gray heads, and the use of Hall's Hair Renewer would be unnecessary. 1w

Ohio has just enacted an anti-lynch law, which makes the county liable to the victim's family for damages.

For itching piles, irritation of the genitals, or itching in any part of the body, Doan's Ointment is worth its weight in gold. No matter how long standing the trouble, Doan's Ointment will not fail to give instant relief. 1w

Mrs. Lydia Price Peyton, of Orange, Va., celebrated her hundredth birthday on March 13 and died last week.

A child was cured of croup by a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. A neighbor's child died of the same dread disease, while the father was getting ready to call the doctor. This shows the necessity of having Ayer's Cherry Pectoral always at hand. 1w

The wife of William M. McGan, known as the "Boy Evangelist," of Lowell, Mass., has obtained a divorce.

One application of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil takes away the pain of the most severe burn. It is an ideal family liniment. 1w

Field Marshal Yamagata, of Japan, accompanied by his staff, has arrived at Omaha, Neb., on his eastward tour.

Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's true remedy for constipation and kindred ills. It acts directly on the bowels, the liver, the skin, and while cleansing the blood imparts strength to the digestive organs. 1w

The time of the reunion of the Society of the Army of the Potomac has been changed to Sept. 16 and 17, at Burlington, Vt.

Weak, Irritable, Tired

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Dr. Miles' Nervine strengthens the weak, builds up the broken down constitution, and permanently cures every kind of nervous disease.

"About one year ago I was afflicted with nervousness, sleeplessness, Creeping sensation in my legs, Slight palpitation of my heart, Distracting confusion of the mind, Serious loss or lapse of memory. Weighted down with care and worry. I completely lost appetite And felt my vitality wearing out, I was weak, irritable and tired, My weight was reduced to 160 lbs., In fact I was no good, on earth.

A friend brought me Dr. Miles' book, "New and Startling Facts," and I finally decided to try a bottle of DR. MILES' Restorative Nervine. Before I had taken one bottle I could sleep as well as a 10-yr.-old boy. My appetite returned greatly increased.

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CARPETS WERE UNKNOWN.

How the Fourteenth Century Mansions Were Furnished.

Carpets in the fourteenth century were unknown luxuries, says Good Words, but the fashion of strewing the apartments with rushes was being gradually abandoned. Rushes were still used in the retainers' hall, but for the better rooms sweet-scented herbs and fragrant twigs were usually employed.

In the fourteenth century windows were apertures filled with glass so as to admit light, but to exclude wind. The walls also were frequently hung with cloth or tapestry to protect the inmates of the room from the many currents of air that penetrated the strong but badly built walls. We learn from various ancient documents that it was the duty of the serving men and pages to sweep out the principal apartments, but as the use of water is rarely mentioned, damp and fragrant leaves and twigs must have aided not only in collecting the dust, but also toward refreshing the atmosphere in such costantly closed rooms, fresh air being only admitted through the doors opening on to the battlements or balconies.

From old inventories at Thurleigh and elsewhere we ascertain how scantily furnished were these ancient mansions, although they seem to have been abundantly supplied with flagons and drinking cups in gold, silver and finely engraved pewter, besides an infinite number of black jacks or cups made of leather.

THE FORMIDABLE UMBRELLA.

A French Tragedian Finds It Mightier Than the Sword.

The affection of the collector for the objects of his zeal has been amusingly illustrated by a story told of Melingue, a French tragedian who had a mania for gathering together great quantities of old vestments, arms and similar antique apparatus. Among his treasures was a beautiful and keen-edged sword which had belonged to Philip II., son of Emperor Charles V.

Having worn this sword in a piece in which he was performing, Melingue was making his way homeward in Paris one night. The weather was rainy, and he carried an umbrella. Under his cloak he bore the precious sword of Philip II.

Coming around a corner, Melingue was suddenly menaced by two sneak thieves. He was an expert fencer, and knew that with the sword he could quickly beat the rascals off. But he said to himself:

"What! Betray to these rascals that I have such a precious possession? No! They might be too much for me, after all, and then they would get it. I will keep it out of sight."

So saying, he placed his left hand on the hilt of the sword inside his cloak, and with the other hand let down his umbrella. With this as a weapon, he assaulted the footpads with such force and spirit that he put them to flight.

In this case the umbrella turned out to be mightier than the sword.

Something of a Change.

A French paper vouches for this dialogue, which took place in a French assize court, as being literally true:

"Why," asked the judge of a man who had been caught stealing provisions, "did you attempt to rob this poor baker?"

"It was hunger that forced me to it," answered the man. "When the forest wolf is hunted from the woods by starvation, he takes his prey where he can seize it—"

"Hush!" thundered the court, rapping on the desk. "He does nothing of the sort. He endures his ills, repents, and becomes an honest man!"

Ideas of Savages and Children.

The Cheyennes and other Indians of the plains believe that thunder is caused by the flapping of the wings of an immense bird which flies across the sky, bringing the storm. All the ideas of savage tribes are based on such simple conceptions of nature. The ideas of young children are often identical with savage myths, as a result of minds on the same plane of development attempting to explain the same thing.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 96 of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of the interest due thereon, and of insurance upon the buildings situate on the premises covered by, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and [illegible] hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00), provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at one o'clock in the forenoon of said day (central time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township forty chains and seventy-five links west of the south east corner of said section, which point is the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three degrees west one chain, thence south eighty chains, thence east along the south line of said section one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land, more or less, together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, this 8th April, A. D. 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

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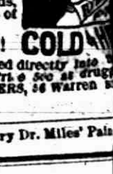

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Osgood has the foundation laid
mmer kitchen.

Pulver, of Adrian, was a pleasant
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n of wall paper.

Smith, of Wayne, visited at W.
ely's over Sunday.

heeler is moving his household
Toledo this week.

Ella Exelby returned Saturday
week's visit in Adrian.

Avery and A. Gogolin made a
trip to Toledo Monday.

Lenardson made a business trip
land the first of the week.

Rev. Sipko Rederus is spending a
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lar meeting of Hendershot Tent,
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d Mrs. Dwella Hodges, of Jack-
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nderwood is receiving the con-
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land's addition seems to be on
again. We have information
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e Pharmacy. Shipments of
already arriving.

of our property owners re-
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All persons whose accounts
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several new young St. Ber-
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the same blood as the fine
of that noble breed which
dy possess.

"Nick" Willis, one of the best known and most respected pioneer residents of this section, died at his home near the county line last Friday. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church, Rev. Wright officiating, and was largely attended.

The C. E. social at Chrles Kniffen's last week was quite an event. The house was well filled and everybody had a good time. The music rendered by the Misses Delia and Jennie Mills was very fine and enjoyed by all, as also was the recitations by Miss Hattie Vreeland.

One of our citizens of the absent minded order, while wheeling a push cart loaded with potatoes the other day, forgot how many he had and at once dumped the load out in the road and proceeded to count them in to the cart again, in order to gain the required information.

The Citizen office has rented more commodious quarters in the Daykin block. The office and press room will be located on the first floor. Charlie is fixing himself to stay and everybody who feels an interest in the institutions of the village should do all they can to make a success of so prominent a feature.

Joseph Daykin met with a peculiar and painful accident the other day, while hunting rats, assisted by his son, Pearly, who made a thrust at a fat one with a pitch fork, catching his father squarely between the eyes with a fork tine, which penetrated to the bone. Had it gone into the eye it would have undoubtedly been a fatal stab.

People were struck with amazement Monday, when Burt Allen's shop was found to be closed, and this legend conspicuously pasted on the large window in ominous black letters, "Not dead but sleeping. None had heard of Burt's sickness. Great relief was felt when it was learned that he had gone fishing, and the lettering was the work of some practical joker.

RIDGEWAY.

Cutting lawns has begun.

Ray Henry now rides a wheel.

All kinds of garden seeds at Smith & Schmidt's.

All kinds of fruit trees are coming out in full bloom.

The heavy rains have brought oat seeding to a hault.

Wheelbarrows and garden tools at Smith & Schmidt's.

Arthur Mapes, of North Adrian, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Mrs. W. D. Stearns, of Toledo, made Mrs. A. J. Sutton a flying call Saturday.

Planet, Jr. cultivators, spring tooth and peg tooth harrows at Smith & Schmidt's.

Beginning with Monday, May 3, the library will only be open evenings, from 6:30 to 9, until Oct. 1.

During the thunder storms last week lightning struck one of C. M. Gove's barns; also one for Ed. Baker, doing slight damage.

Jennie Allen, who has been spending several weeks in Toledo with her brothers, Frank and Lavern, returned home last week.

Prof. L. M. Palmer, wife and son, of Jackson, were the guests of Mrs. Palmer's father, Dr. D. W. Loree, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Hill and daughter, Mildred, of Raisin, and her sister, Phoebe Osgood, of St. John, visited their uncle, Lester Osgood, last week. Mrs. Hill expects to leave this week for California, where her husband is located.

Our base ball team opened up the season Saturday with flying colors, with the Raisin team, who crossed bats on the home diamond. The game was an easy walkaway for our boys, the score stood 5 to 28 in favor of the home team.

A. J. Sutton, who was stationed at Moscow as agent by the C., J. & M. company a few days ago, was sent here and Agent Beedle takes the agency at Moscow. The change took place Monday. Agent Beedle and family leave a large circle of friends here who wish them success in their new home.

Little L. Margretta McClellen, the 6 year old daughter of John McClellen while on her way to school Tuesday morning overtook Mr. Lester Osgood at Mrs. Clarks and while he was after their milk to take to the creamery the little girl climbed upon the wheel to get in the wagon, when the horse started, she was caught in the wheel in such a manner as to be carried around with the wheel two or three times before she fell off. The left leg was broken between the hip and knee, and her legs as well as her back were badly bruised. Dr. Hardy was called and set the fractured limb, and she is doing very nicely at present writing.

For the genuine Birch plow and extras go to Smith & Schmidt.

Monday afternoon, the 17th inst., the relatives and friends of Mrs. Lovenia Jackson, from Tecumseh, Leslie and Ridgeway, met at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Frost, of Macon, to celebrate her 80th birthday. Although it was a surprise to her, she was equal to the occasion and helped make the afternoon a time never to be forgotten. She is one of Lenawee's charter pioneers and knows full well the hardships of pioneer life. She is a native of Pennsylvania, and has raised a large family of children—Mathias, who lives at Owosso; George Washington, of Tecumseh; William, of Arkansas; John, of Macon (with whom she has made her home since the death of her husband); Mrs. George Frost, of Macon, and Mrs. John Winchel, of Leslie. Two children, Mary and an infant daughter, have gone to meet their Saviour and to welcome mother when her work here has been finished. After refreshments were served an hour was spent very pleasantly, when all left for their homes, trusting all may be spared to meet next year to celebrate one more birthday with mother.

HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

Fifteenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

The Overthrow of Monarchy—The Provisional Government.

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The feeling is still too bitter between the Republicans or P. G.'s, as they are contemptuously called by their enemies, and the Royalists for the exact truth as to the overthrow of the monarchy to be obtained. The political feeling here is at about the same heat it was in the United States in 1866. The Royalists still call the government "Provisional," and refuse to recognize it.

To understand the cause of the overthrow of monarchy one must have some knowledge of the history of Hawaii. In the latter part of the 18th century a powerful chief of Hawaii, known as Kamehameha, captured two American sailors named Davis and Young. The latter was a boatswain on the Boston frigate Elenor, the former on a little sloop the Fair American. The latter vessel was seized, its captain and crew, with the exception of Davis, killed, and its cannon taken on shore. Young and Davis, being expert gunners, were spared to manage the artillery for Kamehameha, who at once began the conquest of the whole group of islands. The two Americans were his generals, they married the daughters of chiefs or princes, and were given high offices.

After several years of war all the Sandwich Islands were conquered, and Kamehameha declared king over all. He was succeeded by four direct descendants known as Kamehameha II., III., IV., V. The natives having abolished idolatry, in the year 1820 the missionaries sent by the American Board of Missions came to convert them. They were kindly received by the natives but by this time the islands had become a rendezvous for whaling vessels, whose officers and crews were lewd, lawless men, and they objected to the restraints of religion and decency.

The missionaries, however, had come to stay, and, in an earnest manner began the conversion of the heathen. They were often threatened by the lawless sailors, who regarded their upright lives as a standing rebuke to their own immorality. But, in spite of all threats and danger, the missionaries held their ground. They had the respect and confidence of the kings, who remained their friends, and the cause of Christianity advanced until all of the islands were brought under its sway. Missionaries who came to the islands young men, raised families of children, grew old, and died. Children born on the islands grew up, died, and left children, natural born Hawaiians, the same as any American citizen to-day is an American.

The business interests of the islands soon began to attract the attention of the world. Americans came to engage in agriculture or mercantile pursuits. These dots on the face of the globe assumed great importance, and the English, always jealous of any advance of Americans in the acquisition of territory, began to turn their attention toward the islands.

As the American Congregationalists and Presbyterians had succeeded so well, the Church of England, from purely political motives it is claimed, began a religious conquest of the islands. From this time on there was a struggle between Americans and English to control the ruling monarchs.

Kamehameha III gave the people the first liberal constitution. All the Kamehamehas seem to have been friendly to the Americans, as they were probably under the influence of Young and Davis and their descendants.

The anti-missionary party in time became the anti-American party. History shows how England has sought in the past to get control of the islands, and how she objected to the annexation of them to the United States during the Forties as the trade at that time with the United States was increasing in proportions that alarmed her.

The direct line of Kamehamehas ended with Kamehameha V. After a few short reigns, David Kalakaua was elected king. Tho a dissolute man, with many weaknesses, he seems to have an idea of justice and right. But he tried to please all parties, and, of course, failed.

By this time sugar and rice plantations had become a source of great wealth in the islands, and Americans with pluck and energy were peopling the country and getting the cream of its industries.

The lands had previously been divided among the common people in a way that was equitable to all, the assertions made on the floors of the American Congress to the contrary notwithstanding. Under the old kings all land was invested in their name, as lands were originally in Great Britain. These kings distributed them somewhat according to the feudal system, to chiefs, reserving great tracts of what are still called crown lands. At the suggestion of the missionaries large quantities of lands were set apart for the common people and these lands, tho small in acreage, composed nearly all the best soil on the islands. They were the taro patches and rice fields, some of which are to-day worth five hundred dollars per acre, while there are vast tracts of lava-strewn mountain land not worth one dollar for five hundred acres.

Among the many American emigrants to the islands were shrewd business men, who procured long leases on sugar lands and bought large tracts from the king. British influence was brought to bear on king Kalakaua. He was told to be "a real king and have an army and navy." Public improvements were neglected, roads became almost impassable, while the king secured a large loan from England, and squandered vast sums of the revenue in loans and on Hula dancing girls.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1896.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Not a Frivolous Holiday but a Time for Sacred Remembrance.

WHAT IS NOW BEING DONE.

Preparations for Its Proper Observance, Resolutions, Etc.

Memorial Day, not only "the choicest in the calendar of the Grand Army," but perhaps the dearest to a whole people, whose first instinct is patriotism and whose deepest reverance is for those who have died for them and for their country, is about to take its place again in the galaxy and the forward season reminds us of its near approach.

It would seem to be the desire of some, who live for self alone, to spread the idea that the observance of Memorial Day was simply a function of the G. A. R. and that its hold upon the popular mind was gradually waning, as the ranks of that organization, which no generation can recruit, were one by one mustered out from active duty in this life. But this should not be, and is not so. As those whose deeds have given cause for a patriotic pride and a gratitude which can never end, drop from the ranks and no longer sound the call for Memorial day, so should their benefactors continue with renewed zeal the observance of the customs which perpetuate the remembrance and foster the cultivation of the highest virtues of manhood and citizenship.

Tecumseh has never been behind in the observance of this day and already the call is sounded by the G. A. R., and our citizens have expressed a desire to make the occasion this year one of general observance by our people. The following will show what has been done, and it is hoped every one will make early preparations to keep the day in its proper spirit.

Tecumseh, Mich., April 20, '96.

To the Grand Army Post of Tecumseh:

We, the undersigned citizens of Tecumseh, desire to co-operate with your honorable organization in making preparations for and properly observing the coming Decoration Day, and will endeavor to meet any committee you may appoint for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements.

L. M. Kellogg, Geo. S. Field, S. S. Walker, Thos. Elliott, Orr & Temple, F. Rosacrans, F. D. Avery, Charles M. Brown, Aug. Karner, McCann Bros., R. Caldwell, E. B. Anderson, E. N. Satterthwaite, C. F. Patterson, James Lowry, W. A. Frost, D. T. Hall, T. C. Harris, S. Mobbs.

Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R.,
April 20, 1896.

A communication from the citizens of Tecumseh in regard to Memorial Day was received, read and approved. Motion made and carried that the officers of the post act with the citizen's committee on Memorial Day and at a special call at the council building at a future date, the citizens and soldiers will meet to make the necessary arrangements for Memorial Day.

H. W. STEVENS, Commander.
A. W. SLAYTON, Adjutant.

Headquarters G. A. R.,
Tecumseh, Mich., May 1, 1896.

The time is again at hand when inclination and duty call the Grand Army of the Republic to prepare for the solemn services of Memorial Day. In accordance with our rules and regulations, the thirtieth day of May is set apart for its reverent observance. This day is consecrated to the memory of our dead. It is the nation's festival of remembrance, when a liberty-loving and happy people, enjoying the blessings of prosperity, cease from their labors and with greateful hearts pay loving tribute to the memory of brave men who, having finished their course with honor and crossed the star-lit line, now rest peacefully under the shade of the trees on eternal camping grounds. Sweet be their sleep, unfading their glory, imperishable their fame. Cover the mounds above them with spring-time's richest offerings. Raise above them the flag they loved. Let silvered age standing by their tombs feel that with the dust of such men sleeping in our soil the Republic will stand with its glory undimmed and its power unbroken. Let trusting childhood weave garlands for them and at their graves receive inspiration that will keep them earnest in loyalty, pure in citizenship, and faithful to duty.

Special attention is called to the action of the Nineteenth National Encampment in regard to the desecration of Memorial Day by making it an occasion of amusement by games, base ball, races, etc. "Memorial Day is the choicest in the calendar of the Grand Army—a day of sweet remembrances, dear to any loyal heart, and any violation of its sacredness, by making it an occasion of frivolity and amusement, such as characterize the Fourth of July, should be treated as an indignity to the comrades who died that this country might live."

H. W. STEVENS, Com'dr.
A. W. SLAYTON, Adj't.

TIPTON'S TRAGEDY!

A Disconsolate Lover Shoots the Girl's Father and then Kills Himself.

INSANE LOVE THE CAUSE.

Henry Luce, the Hallucinated Perpetrator. Eugene Camburn the Victim.

Last Sunday evening at about 7:30 young Henry Luce, of Franklin, shot Eugene Camburn, perhaps fatally, and immediately sent another ball through his own brain. The tragedy occurred at the home of Mr. Camburn just east of Tipton or Franklin Center.

It appears that young Luce, who is about 19 years of age, has for some time cherished an almost insane affection for Camburn's adopted daughter, Miss Eva. This was for a time somewhat reciprocated until the suitor's attentions, despite the objections of the parents, and the better sense of the young lady, were pressed beyond the dictates of good judgment. As to the objections of Mr. Camburn, which seem to have exasperated and at times greatly depressed the misguided youth, they seem to have been made on the very reasonable opinion of the gentleman that his daughter, who has been attending school in Tecumseh, was, in view of her age and school duties not yet ready to receive the pressing attentions and offers of marriage, which were pressed upon her by the ardent Luce.

Luce, however, pressed his attentions and his jealousy only increased when the young lady tried to persuade him to break the engagement, and annoyed by his increasing attentions, tried to avoid him. Some time ago he procured a 32-calibre revolver and threatened to shoot himself should his solicitations of marriage be further rejected.

Sunday evening Mrs. Camburn attended services in Tecumseh, and Mr. Camburn went to the Congregational church at Tipton, of which he is sexton. Miss Camburn went to the adjoining house of W. J. Hampton, to get his daughter, Miss Ethel, to remain the evening with her. On the way she met Luce. He supposed she was going to church and said he would wait outside for her. Miss Camburn having of late come to fear the young man, went out by a rear door and left the store in company with Miss Hampton, and keeping it between them and Luce reached their home unobserved. Luce was appraised of this and returned to the Camburn residence. The girl, fearing him, had locked the doors and remained quiet inside, hoping he would leave on not being admitted. However, he attempted to force an entrance at the front and then at the rear door.

Meanwhile Mrs. Geo. Camburn, who lives opposite, had warned Mr. Camburn at the church, who hurried to the scene. Going round to the east side of the house he met the crazed youth just as he was descending the steps about 20 feet away. Mr. Camburn had barely time to say "Young man," when Luce fired, the ball entering Mr. Camburn's right breast, about one inch to the left of the nipple. Two shots followed, the first probably intended for Mr. Camburn and the last killing the suicide. The ball entered the right temple, the pistol being fired by the right hand, while the muzzle was held close to the head by the left, which was burned and bleeding.

Dr. O. N. Rice was immediately called and attended the wound of Mr. Camburn. Luce was found almost where he fired the shot. He remained unconscious and expired about 9 o'clock.

It has been deemed unadvisable to probe for the ball. Mr. Camburn is resting comfortably, but the outcome of his unfortunate experience cannot be foretold.

Mr. Camburn made an ante-mortem statement in which he exonerates the girl from all blame, and states that he had nothing against the marriage but the youth of the two.

Both the Camburn and Luce families, which were represented in this most unfortunate affair, are largely represented and well known in this locality. They are both well connected and hold a high reputation among their acquaintances. The young man was quiet, industrious and of excellent habits.

This sad tragedy furnishes another instance for contemplation on the unaccountable possibilities of human thought and its exact cause will probably never be fathomed in this world.

Hymenial.

About fifty of the relatives of the contracting parties gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orison West, on Locust street, Thursday evening, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Lora, to Tead Sission. At 7:30 the bride and groom-elect, preceded by Rev. L. C. Chase, Miss Imo Sisson, Mr. Lee Snedecor, Miss Lizzie Kratzer and Mr. Geo. Stover, entered the parlor and took their places beneath a beautiful floral arch which filled one corner of the room. The reverend gentleman then pronounced the words which made them man and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Sisson will make their future home in this city.—Adrian Times.

John Hunter shot and killed Angelo Aborn his brother-in-law, during a quarrel at Crystal Lake, Conn.

High School Happenings.

The Geometry class is studying cones and pyramids.

Miss Harriet Osborn called on the A room Tuesday.

Light and its laws delight (?) the Philosophy class.

The Literature class have Longfellow as a study this week.

The seniors have completed their work in Latin and English IV.

The commencement exercises this year will be held on the 11th of June.

Miss Hartbeck entertained a number of her Algebra class Monday after four.

The Juniors will hold their reception this evening at the home of Miss Mary Mills.

The eighth grade are marching through the fundamentals of Algebra at a great rate.

If this gushing spring weather continues, we fear some of the dignified Hits will have to be looked up by the truant officer.

The class in civics is studying the constitution of Michigan. They had their examination on the United States constitution last Monday.

The Cæsar class is studying his famous bridge. They have become so intensely interested in the subject that a bridge corps has been organized to be prepared for an emergency should these April showers continue.

Announcement.

At the request of several of my old clients and friends, I have concluded, while my health is what it now is and has been for some years past, except a brief illness in March last, to offer my services to the public as counselor at law and solicitor in chancery. Criminal and commercial law I will not practice, nor any other branch of the law where I cannot fix and control my own time; but if any of my friends should desire my counsel in these matters in connection with W. J. Ingersoll, attorney, who will attend to the detail of the business, it will be at their service.

Tecumseh, April 9, 1896.

B. L. BAXTER.

Teachers Wanted.

Make no mistake in selecting your summer school of review, but write immediately for full particulars concerning board, rooms, advantages offered, etc., to Prof. O. L. Palmer, of Adrian; Prof. W. W. Hensel, Blissfield, or Mrs. Edward Keeler, who will conduct the normal at Adrian College.

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Give me a trial and see what I can save you.

JAS. LOWRY.

Lilley House Block, Tecumseh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

HAVE STRAYED.—Iron GRAY mare 4 yr old, weight, about 900. Brooks loose and ed from my barn last Friday. Anyone giv- formation will be rewarded. R. F. Bragg, , Mich.

RENT.—The Spalding Green House r rent cheap. Enquire of W. H. Spald-

R SALE.—Raspberry plants at half Price. will sell plants for next ten days at the ing prices per thousand: Shaffer's Colos- Cuthbert $5, Gregg $4.50, Souhegan $1. est strawberry plants at reduced rates. arroughs, Newburg, Mich.

SALE.—You can buy a good house and in Tecumseh and only pay $3.50 a week. at once, lock box 15.

SALE.—Clear Timothy hay, also Timo- y and Alsac mixed. Either kind first bales and quantity to suit. Best hay found in Tecumseh. Prices right. B. C.

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CE SEED POTATOES.—Early Ohio, y Northern, and ten other choice varie- wn expressly for seed, kept free from o scab. This is the year to feed out ixed and worn out stuff and plant pure t will yield double. Prices very reason- all and see me, Abner Wilson.

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SALE—Or exchange, my place of six res, just outside of corporation on turn- nown as Sam Holden place. Good build- ater, etc. G. W. ELY.

e Tecumseh Herald.

CUMSEH, MICH., MAY 1, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

ry Root has returned to Tecum-

l Mobbs rides a new Cleveland e.

sale a first class Steinway piano W. Frazier's. tf

rthwaite Bros. have the Arnold tic cookers and coffee pots.

Cummins, of Detroit, was shak- nds with Tecumseh friends two his week.

Katherine Braun, of Manches- ited her brother, Jacob, here the last week.

E. C. Andrus delivered a series ee lectures at Manchester, the the week.

. M. Jones, of Brooklyn, was the f his son, Dr. O. Q. Jones and last Saturday.

s an awful catastophe would oc- he opera house should burn dur- free entertainment!

Sumner Collins has rented rooms James house and will soon com- housekeeping there.

st Ladies' Aid Society will hold gular social on Thursday, May church. Supper from 5:30.

sell best raspberry plants at e. JOHN BURROUGHS, Newburg, Mich.

Heck, proprietor of the Steam putting up some very catchy gns. T. P. Wood did the work.

e will be no services at the ' church next Sabbath on ac- f quarterly meeting at Ypsilanti.

ects at the Baptist church, Sun- May 3: Morning, "Victorious Temptations"; evening, "Reach- e Good."

ndering band of Italians was dis- sweet, wierd music on our streets y. In the evening they played ry merry dancing party at the .

Worthy Matron wishes to meet officers of the O. E. S. and all of the order that feel interested , next Saturday, May 2, at 3 t the lodge room.

C. M. Woodward left Tuesday for uis, Mo., where he will attend National Association of Railway ons of which he is a member. The returns tomorrow.

sters' meeting at M. E. church y at 10 a. m. Rev. J. P. Varner resent his views upon "The ent." Other pastors are request- ring their own ideas written.

fail to call at Harris & Hiteshu's k at the beautiful line of spring dress goods, fancy trimmings, elvets, ribbons, spangles and ll the new things for spring of

many friends of Mrs. Helen he that was, will be inter- n the marriage notice which elsewhere. Mrs. Hazzard will cumseh sometime during the

w vestrymen of the Episcopal ave further perfected their or- n this week by trimming up reens in the church yard. The iron is one of the prettiest own.

in Alma, Kansas, Wednes- ng April 22, at 8 o'clock, Dr. zard, of Alma, to Mrs. Helen of Tecumseh, Mich., Rev. Mr. , pastor of the Congregational fficiating.

n No. 7 of the State Dairy and mission for March is at hand s that 38 samples of dairy and ducts have been examined dur- month. The work of the com- is receiving hearty approval reputable dealers.

Monon Seed Co., whose adver- t has appeared in this paper, within the effect of a lottery d order issued by the Postmas- eral. All registered mail and t of money orders will be with- til they show themselves to be .

J. L. O'Meally, of Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

H. V. C. Hart rode over from Adrian on his wheel Sunday.

Have you planted a tree today? If not, tomorrow wont be too late.

Special meeting of the Blue lodge for work in the third degree tonight.

Sumner Collins made a business trip to Washtenaw's county seat the first of the week.

Dr. Gibson, Earle Allen and Misses Smith and Dillon called on Tecumseh friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gove became the parents of a good sized boy between Monday and Tuesd

Gabe Mills and Mills Hatch, of Macon, are mounted on Clipper bicycles purchased of L. C. Hayden.

C. A. Bidwell is renewing his youth with a copious application of that infantile malady, the measels.

Clement Bramble returned Tuesday from Arkansas, where he has been successfully selling the Paige wire fence the past winter.

The April term of the circuit court opened last Monday morning. Several prisoners were arraigned all of whom plead not guilty.

Mrs. John S. Wells, of Ridgeway, has on exhibition in Anderson Bro.'s window, a Margurette daisy, which holds 117 perfect blossoms. It is a beauty.

Perhaps the most elegant furniture ever shown in Tecumseh is a bedroom suit of bird's eye maple now on exhibition in Wheeler & Sisson's show window.

Subjects for Sunday, May 3, in the Universalist pulpit: Morning, "The decipie is not above his master, nor the servant above his lord;" evening, "Life in Letters."

Horace Holdridge, Darius Smith, B. F. DePuy, R. B. Gillespie and T. R. Kyle were delegates from their respective towns to the state democratic convention at Detroit Wednesday.

In the replevin case of T. R. Kyle, administrator of Wm. Anderson, deceased, vs. Wm. A. Bennett, tried at Adrian last Tuesday, judgement was rendered in favor of the plaintiff.

Married, at Toledo, Ohio, April 26, 1896, by the Rev. William Sheridan, pastor of the Oliver Place Baptist church, Mr. E. L. Winans, of Toledo, to Mrs. Bessie F. Hand, of Tecumseh.

This evening the local K. P. lodge will entertain delegations of the order from Adrian and Tipton. A banquet will be served and Sir Knight Sisson will see that no chevalier goes home hungry.

Dr. Beardsley leaves for Hillsdale tomorrow where he will give his course of lectures. The lectures and health talks given here have been most satisfactory, beneficial and interesting and the doctor leaves many friends in Tecumseh.

It is to be hoped that the council will take a decisive action in regard to the practice of riding bicycles on our sidewalks. The majority of our most enthusiastic wheelmen are opposed to the practice and certainly our older citizens are.

Last Saturday the Lenawee republicans met in convention and declared for McKinley. The following will represent their respective town hereabouts at the state convention: Chas. Davis, Spencer Morgan, L. B. Winship, Jno. Gibson.

John Baker died suddenly of heart disease at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. J. Strubler, Wednesday morning. During the past year Mr. Baker has suffered several shocks, and one sustained Tuesday night culminated in death. Mr. Baker was 65 years of age. The body was taken to Naperville, Ill., for burial.

Mr. Albert Weatherhead, of Onsted, has been here the past week fitting up the creamery in the east part of town for a cheese factory. Lenawee county is the banner cheese county of Michigan and still Tecumseh has not had a factory. The farmers of this section will be greatly benefited by an industry of this kind.

Toledo Blade, 29: The C., J. & M. Jackson extension will be open for passenger traffic May 10. The time table has not been arranged, but it is thought the Mackinac in connection with the Grand Trunk or Michigan Central, will give Toledo another line with Chicago. It will not be as good as the Lake Shore, but it will, with a differential, be able to catch considerable business. At any rate, the extension will complete an excellent route to Mackinaw, Lansing, Bay City and Saginaw.

Were it not for the fact that clouds were gathering on the political horizon, the kicker would be out of a job. It's a great pity too, for otherwise we might be able to bury a few. The weather for one month has been simply perfect. Soft showers, sweet sunshine and salubrious atmosphere. Every time it rains the kicker has said, "We'll get drowned out." "It will come off cold," "We will have a snow storm and frosts." But we didn't, and the month of April has been unprecedented for perfection. "Sic semper gloria kicker."

A large and appreciative gathering assembled to hear and witness the illustrated lecture on "The Passion Play," given last Friday night at the opera house by Rev. J. J. Lewis, of Boston. The ladies of the art club never do things by halves and their friends had confidence that this presentation would be truly meritorious and in this they were not disappointed. The theme was of the greatest scope, and the views depicted the vivid scenes of the greatest religious drama enacted since the time of Christ. The scene and characters of this wonderful play were depicted and explained in most graphic style, and the customs, devotion and genius of those humble peasants, which have turned the attention and admiration of a wondering world, were shown almost as a reality.

Mrs. L. P. Tribou visited Toledo friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwella Hodges have been visiting in Tecumseh this week.

Joe Bennett, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh Tuesday on business for the state.

A number of Tecumseh endeavorers attended the C. E. convention at Blissfield last Tuesday.

The young men of Blissfield are making arrangements for a swell May party to be given on May 8.

T. C. Harris and daughter Jennie were at Freemont, O., Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Harris' aunt.

Jackson parties are building a new cement walk in front of Geo. Knapp's new residence on Pottawatamie street.

Frank Block, 19 years of age, was caught in the shafting at the box factory at Ypsilanti last week, and died from the injuries received.

Lynde Sonder, living near Blissfield, was instantly killed while pulling stumps with a horse and windlass, one week ago last Saturday.

Ellsworth Cairns was called to Charlotte last Saturday by the severe illness of his sister, Sadie. Word from him later reports her better.

Have you seen those lovely shoes, walking shoes and slippers, direct from manufacturers? All the new styles, new toes, at bottom prices, at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Those interested in having a bicycle meet in Tecumseh this year are requested to meet at the office of the Prairie Side Celery Co. at 8 o'clock this (Friday) evening.

The quarterly tea meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Dr. Barnes, Wednesday afternoon, May 6. Meeting to be called promptly at 3 oclock. Tea will be served at 6. A full attendance is desired.

Did you guess on the number of cakes in the suspension bridge exhibited in the show window of the Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association? Seventeen hundred and twenty-three cakes of soap composed that structure. What a suds it would make if it should fall in the river.

Among the subjects treated in the April Magazine Number of The Outlook we note as of special timeliness the centenary of the birth of W. H. Prescott, the American historian (May 4), the Cincinnati Musical Festival, and the hygienic aspects of bicycle dress for women.

The democratic state convention held at Detroit Wednesday declared in favor of the gold standard. The gold bugs seemed to have it all their own way, in spite of the fact that nearly all the county conventions declared in favor of free silver. The Wayne delegation handled the convention.

Next Sunday night, at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will begin a series of four sermons on the following topics: "Man and His Masters," "Sold Out for Eternity," "The Spoils and How Obtained," "Christian Citizenship." These sermons will be preached on successive Sunday evenings.

We are in receipt of a neat program of the seventh annual meeting of the Detroit Conference Association, of the Missionary society of the M. E. church, to be held at Flint, Mich., May 26-28. Mrs. A. J. Bigelow, of Flint, who will be well remembered by many Tecumseh people is president of the association.

James Montague last Saturday made an assignment, for the benefit of creditors, to Alva Spayde. Mr. Collins, attorney for assignee, informs us that this action was taken by Mr. Montague more as a means of voluntary liquidation than on account of any action on the part of his creditors to press their claims.

In the matter of the petition of Collins, as trustee for certain creditors of W. J. Arnold, against the estate of Conrad Lehn, deceased, in the probate court of Washtenaw Co., on Tuesday last, an arrangement was made between Attorney Collins and the attorneys of the executor, by which the claims will be adjusted and paid within 30 days.

E. C. Coryell, of Tecumseh, has purchased the Wood property on Bridge street, just north of Benj. Cannon's residence, and will remove his family here as soon as the necessary repairs can be made to the house. We welcome Mr. Coryell to our village and hope he will appreciate our town as much as we do his coming.—The Deerfield Times-Journal.

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Everyone in Tecumseh and vicinity to take a look at our spring and summer goods. Complete in every particular. The latest styles in dress groods, ladies' and gents' furnishings. An elegant line of spring capes, spring and summer underwear, shoes, walking shoes, slippers, etc., etc. Respectfully, HARRIS & HITESHU.

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Don't lose your clover this year when you can save it by sowing plaster. I have the plaster. C. A. SLAYTON.

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Ladies' shirt waists, muslin underwear, men's shirts and overalls, just received at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—I wish to announce to the bicycle riders that I have opened my repair shop on Evans street and in connection have fitted a room for storing and checking wheels at 5 cents each. All work well and cheaply done. Open day and evening. J. H. CLARK.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

—Hosiery, hosiery, call at the Mills Block and get a bargain.

—See those lawn mowers at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Right in Tecumseh we have the best line of furniture in Lenawee county, at Wheeler & Sisson's.

—I can furnish you an excellent lawn mower at a low price. See them. C. A. SLAYTON.

—Try that Snow Flake bread made at the Star Bakery and you will use no other.

—For sale—for lack of time to attend to a retail lumber yard, I will sell my stock of shingles on time. There is now a splendid chance to start a yard on Main street, only one yard in the town, but little capital required. See me at once. Truly yours, A. W. SLAYTON.

—To appreciate it you should get a pair of those 10c suspenders at the Mills Block.

—Envoy and Fleetwing bicycles strictly high grade, price $75, at Satterthwaite Bros.

—NOTICE.—

—The undersigned wishes to announce to his customers and friends that he has disposed of his laundry agency to Mr. Ernest Montgomery, who would be pleased to see all of my old customers and as many new ones as may see fit to patronize. Yours truly, J. H. M. CAMPBELL.

—Wheeler & Sisson have the cheapest and most economical furniture, as well as the most elegant, at moderate prices.

—At the Globe Mill you can buy fine middlings at $12 per ton in ton lots.

—Have you tried the new process Snow Flake bread, made of Heck's flour, at the Star Bakery?

—A fine assortment of steel enameled ware at a bargain at the Mills Block.

—Gasoline and oil cook stoves at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Window shades, complete, from 25c to 50c, at Wheeler & Sisson's.

—A CHANCE FOR AN INVESTMENT.—

A small amount of money invested at Harris & Hiteshu's will take home a nice spring cape, a lovely shirt waist, a beautiful dress, the handsomest and latest styles in spring and summer shoes.

—Call and see the neat stylish all wool pants you can get for $3.89 at J. M. Jones.

—Garden and field seeds in great variety. C. A. SLAYTON.

—It will pay you and don't you forget it, to go and see what you can get for a little money, at the Mills Block.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—Extension and center tables at small per cent above manufacturer's cost price at Wheeler & Sisson's.

—Lap Dusters and whips at Satterthwaite Bros.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

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—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

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—Hammocks and fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Where shall I go for an ice cream freezer? To the Mills Block.

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—A big line of tan shoes for men, women, girls or boys, cheap at Mills Block.

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15c " "	10c
10c Can Lima Beans	05c
2-5c Cans Mother's Baked Beans	05c
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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For the Week Ending April 29.

Navigation on the St. Lawrence river was resumed.

The 72d general assembly of Ohio adjourned sine die.

Mrs. Clerihan, aged 101, died at her home in Jacksonville, Ill.

Pemberton Bros., dealers in sheep skins in Boston, failed for $300.000.

Forest fires were doing immense damage in Crawford and Clark counties in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Cullen were burned to death in their home near Chester, N. Y.

The residence of A. S. Marehand was burned at Delta, O., and his two sons perished in the flames.

James Bivard and Frank Dailey, two young farmers, were drowned near Fort Wayne, Ind., while fishing.

Daisy Davis, the largest woman in Missouri, died at Columbia. She was 20 years old and weighed 533 pounds.

Yellow fever is raging in Cuba and the ranks of the Spanish army were being thinned out by the scourge.

The large warehouse of the Atlantic Refining company in Pittsburgh, Pa., was burned, the loss being $100,000.

A cyclone near Sanborn, N. D., wrecked houses and barns and did other damage, but no lives were lost.

Several warehouses and a hotel were destroyed by fire at Paris, Tex., causing a loss of $250,000 and the death of two men.

The result of the German census shows that the empire has a population of 52,244,503, an increase of 2,816,027 in a year.

The 22d annual encampment of the Iowa department, G. A. R., met in Cedar Rapids with 10,000 old soldiers in attendance.

Great damage was done to streets and bridges in Dubuque, Ia., by a rainstorm and many residences were struck by lightning.

The Valley state bank, which failed at Hutchinson, Kan., in February, has reopened under the name of the Bank of Hutchinson.

John W. Houston, who was elected by the whigs to congress in 1844 and served three terms, died in Georgetown, Del., aged 82 years.

Near Meadville, Pa., Edward Karleskind shot his wife and then cut his own throat. Both are dead. Domestic trouble was the cause.

Marshall Anderson (colored) was hanged at Malvern, Ark. He killed Tom Hanson, his wife's brother, near Malvern last September.

At Union City, Pa., Simon Hasselbach, aged nearly 70, fatally shot his son William, aged 35, in a quarrel, and then shot himself fatally.

A split occurred in the republican convention at Montgomery, Ala., and delegates for and against McKinley were chosen to go to St. Louis.

Charles Kuhn, a real estate dealer in St. Louis who was missing, was said to be short $100,000, which is due persons with whom he had real estate dealings.

It was said that on the occasion of the coronation of the czar a proclamation would be issued granting liberty of conscience throughout the dominions of Russia.

At the third biennial council in Washington of the National Society of Colonial Dames of America Mrs. Howard Townsend, of New York, was elected president.

DISASTER IN A MINE.

Sixty-Seven Men Buried Alive and Nearly All Are Probably Dead.

El Paso, Tex., April 27.—News has reached here of a horrible catastrophe at the Santa Eulalia mines, near Chihuahua, Mexico, Thursday night when it caved in, burying alive 67 of the men, all of whom were Mexicans. Gov. Ahumada is on the ground with a large force of men working to recover the buried. Thirty-seven men have been recovered, ten dead, seven dying and 20 fatally hurt. There are 30 men still in the ruins and no hope is entertained of recovering them alive.

IN CONGRESS.

Summary of the Daily Proceedings at Washington.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, April 23.—The time was occupied in the senate yesterday in further discussion of the Indian appropriation bill, and an amendment was adopted to drop sectarian schools for Indian children after July 1, 1898.

Washington, April 24. — The Indian appropriation bill carrying, with amendments, about $9,100,000, was passed by the senate yesterday and the sundry civil appropriation bill was discussed. At a caucus of republican senators it was the unanimous opinion that final adjournment ought to be possible by May 18.

Washington, April 25.—The senate gave the time yesterday to the sundry civil appropriation bill without completing it. A bill was introduced establishing new regulations for forest reservations.

Washington, April 27.—The sundry civil appropriation bill was completed and passed in the senate on Saturday. It carries $37,000,000.

Washington, April 28.—The naval appropriation bill was before the senate throughout the entire session yesterday.

Washington, April 29.—The whole of yesterday's session in the senate was occupied in the consideration of the naval appropriation bill.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, April 23.—Mr. Goodwin (pop.) was seated in the house yesterday in place of Mr. Cobb (dem.) from the Fifth Alabama district. The general pension bill was considered. It amends the existing pension laws so as to prevent secreta of the interior and pension commissioners from undoing the work and reversing the rulings of their predecessors and also provides that pensions allowed shall date from their first application; fixes the maximum income of a widow entitled to a pension under the act of 1890 at $300 per annum; provides that no pension shall be reduced or discontinued except for fraud or recovery from disability, and that discontinued pensions, when reconsidered and reallowed, shall date from their discontinuance.

Washington, April 24.—In the house yesterday the entire time was spent on the general pension bill. A bill to admit Oklahoma to statehood was favorably reported.

Washington, April 25. — The entire session of the house yesterday was consumed in discussing the pension bill. A bill was passed authorizing the free entry into the United States of articles or animals exported for exhibition in other countries.

Washington, April 27.—Most of the time in the house on Saturday was occupied with the general pension bill. Eulogies were delivered on the late Representative William H. Crain, of Texas.

Washington, April 28. — The house completed the pension bill and passed it to a third reading and engrossment. The only amendment adopted was one providing that the pension office should construe the pension laws liberally in the interest of the claimant.

Washington, April 29.—The house yesterday passed the general pension bill by a vote of 187 to 54 and the bankruptcy bill was discussed.

Death of George Munro.

New York, April 25.—George Munro, aged 71, originator of the problem of cheap and good literature, died suddenly of heart failure at Pine Hill, in the Catskills, whither he had gone to superintend repairs on his country home. Mr. Munro was an ardent, thoughtful-minded Presbyterian, and his donations to church objects were large and continuous. Mr. Munro leaves a widow and four children, two sons and two daughters.

Nine Sailors Drowned.

Charleston, S. C., April 28.—The schooner Norman, Capt. Gray, from Providence, R. I., which arrived here, reports having picked up at sea April 15 seven men in a dory belonging to the fishing schooner J. W. Campbell, of Gloucester, Mass., which went down in a squall on Friday, April 7, at sea, 60 miles south-southwest of Montauk. The Campbell carried a crew of 16 men, of which nine are reported lost.

Killed His Stepsister.

Louisville, Ky., April 28. — Sam Brumley, aged 19, of 2811 Montgomery street, shot and fatally wounded his half-sister, Iva Clark, aged 15, at ten o'clock Monday morning, because he was jealous of favoritism shown her. He then shot himself in the head, but only inflicted a scalp wound.

Many Horses Burned.

Columbus, O., April 27.—A Press special from Galloway, O., says that a shipping stable belonging to Ed Courtwright at that place burned, and 42 horses, some of them quite valuable were burned to death. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Paid the Penalty.

Columbus, O., April 29. — William Paul was hanged in the state prison yesterday for the murder of his father-in-law, Jacob Yockey, in September, 1894. He protested to the last he was innocent.

Was Prof. Morse's Assistant.

Rochester, N. Y., April 27.—Samuel D. Backus, a civil engineer, who was associated with Morse in developing the telegraph, died in Canandaigua Saturday, aged 70 years.

Population of Paris.

Paris, April 28.—The census of Paris up to March 30 shows the French capital to have a population of 2,511,455, an increase of 87,250, chiefly outside of the fortifications.

Three Victims of an Explosion.

Altoona, Pa., April 27.—Shortly after noon Saturday the boiler in the portable saw mill operated by J. R. Burgoon, at Flinton, Gambria county, exploded. Three men, including the proprietor, were killed almost instantly. They were Matthew McGough, a sawyer; S. S. Gates, a helper; J. B. Burgoon, proprietor of the mill. Several employes were badly injured. The mill was completely destroyed by the explosion.

Gen. Weyler in Danger.

Madrid, April 29.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Havana says that a serious explosion occurred in the vicinity of the palace of the captain general. Hundreds of windows were broken and other damage done. No explanation of the explosion has as yet been given, but it is attributed to malice.

Fortune in a Trunk.

Youngstown, O., April 29. — Frederick Hennings, an aged German who buried his wife last week, in searching through her effects found in the bottom of an old trunk $10,000 in bank bills and gold, which she had hoarded away to keep herself and husband in their declining years.

Rich Bequests.

Cleveland, O., April 29.—The will of the late H. A. Massey, manufacturer of agricultural implements at Toronto, Ont., was probated Tuesday in this city, where he lived a few years ago. Among the bequests are gifts to various churches and schools aggregating $100,000.

Brothers Lynched.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 27.—Victor and William M. Hillis, brothers, awaiting trial for the murder of Carroll Martin nearly two years ago, were taken from jail at McMinville, Warren county, at midnight Saturday and hanged to a tree five miles from town.

A Hero Honored.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27.—A bronze equestrian statue of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, presented by the Union League club of Brooklyn to that city, was unveiled in the presence of 30,000 people by Master Ulysses S. Grant, a grandson of the general.

Passengers Injured.

Raymond, Ia., April 29.—A passenger train on the Illinois Central was ditched by a washout a half mile east of here and 14 persons were injured, some seriously.

Declared Constitutional.

New York, April 27.—The appellate branch of the supreme court handed down a decision declaring the Raines liquor law constitutional.

Bonus for the Massachusetts.

Boston, April 27.—The battle ship Massachusetts averaged 16.15 knots on her trial Saturday and her builders won a bonus of $100,000.

HARD TUSSLE WITH BRUIN.

Oregon Hunter Attacks a Bear with an Ordinary Jackknife.

J. C. Hearing, who was hunting and trapping in the Blue mountains, a few miles west of Elgin, met with a little adventure with a bear recently that might have proved rather serious to him had it not been for the intervention of one of his dogs, says the Portland Oregonian. He was engaged in setting traps, and as he had considerable weight to carry he had no weapon with him except a jackknife, and on his rounds his dogs discovered the winter quarters of a bear in a big hollow tree. The bear was at home, and was pretty much alive, as subsequent events proved. As bear pelts are quite valuable, Jake was quite anxious to secure this one, but was afraid that if he went to camp, a mile and a half distant, bruin would escape, so he lashed his pocketknife to the end of a stick and attempted to cut the animal's throat. He only succeeded in inflicting some painful flesh wounds, which so enraged the brute that it suddenly came out of its hole, and was almost on him when one of his dogs made a sudden onslaught on the animal's rear, which diverted his attention long enough to enable Jake to dodge behind a tree, and the dogs soon made it so tropical for the bear that it was glad to take refuge in a tree, where they kept it until a gun was procured from camp, when the animal was quickly dispatched.

"FORM" IN BICYCLING.

How Society People Go a Wheeling—Attending Grooms and Maids.

The "form" of bicycling is beginning to be studied. Grooms on wheels must follow their mistresses as they did on horseback; it is probably only a question of a short time when the lady's maid will have to include wheeling with her other accomplishments to secure a situation. On the road the woman who wishes to ride a la mode has to know a number of little things that are overlooked by another woman, just as the smart set have a code for riding and driving that is as inexorable as that they should not eat with their knives or put sugar on oysters. Society insists on an upright position, with, of course, no attempt at racing pace. It also frowns upon constant ringing of the bell—that will do for the vulgar herd who delight in noise; the well-informed wheelwoman keeps eyes and ears alert and touches her bell rarely.

The White Feather.

The story runs that, during a war between the backwoods settlers of North America and the natives, a Quaker feasted the enemy and placed a white feather over the door of his house as a sign of amity. The token was respected. Hence the phrase: "Showing the white feather," which has come to mean cowardice.

A Tool for Thieves.

Thieves are using a contrivance looking like an ordinary walking stick, but which is so arranged that by pressing a spring at the handle the ferrule will spread apart and form a sort of spring clip that will take hold of anything that is within reach. The thing is called "the continental lifting stick."

BIG JOHN MORIARTY.

Said to Be the Tallest and Strongest Man in Eastern Maine.

John Moriarty, known all over eastern Maine as "Barney Kelley's Giant," died in Oldtown hospital recently of typhoid fever, says the Lewiston Evening Journal. He has been for nearly two years employed as construction hand on the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, and later on the new Ashland branch, where he became sick.

Moriarty stood 8 feet 9¾ inches in his stocking feet, and generally weighed 240 pounds. Had he been fat his weight would have been enormous. But he was very lean. "Why," said Barney Kelley, "you could feed the giant on porterhouse steak and eggs and he wouldn't gain a pound; but he was an awful tough man!"

His arms were very long and he had hands as powerful as the paws of a gorilla. All over his body the muscles stood out in lumps and cords, and his strength was immense. He could do as much work as two ordinary men, and on that account his services were always in demand at more than common wages. He was especially serviceable as a derrick man—he could turn the heavy crank all day without tiring. An ax was like a toy in his hands, a cant-dog like a walking-stick. He could up end and shoulder a small log or piece of timber that two ordinary men could barely lift, and in every department of hearty manual labor he was a very Hercules.

Many stories are told of the giant's mighty strength. Once, when two saucy woodsmen "guyed" him about his towering height, he seized them by the shoulders, one in each hand, and knocked their heads together till their teeth rattled—and they were two good-sized men.

At another time some toughs came into a barroom where he was and proceeded to "clear the place out." Moriarty took them, two at a time, and pitched them half way across the street as though they were so many ninepins.

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Better

after the second. We have since used over a dozen bottles of the medicine, and the change has exceeded our expectations. James is now able to walk without the aid of crutches and goes to school every day. He has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. O. RUNDELL, Oakley, Michigan.

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Cured

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Jackson Junction	6 20 "	2 20 "	11 15 "
Grass Lake	6 37 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 45 "	2 45 "	1 58 "
Clinton	6 56 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 11 "	3 15 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Petersburg	10 45 "	6 40 "	[illegible]
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

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STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 848. Accom.
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Petersburg	11 05 "	7 50 "	[illegible]
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
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A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
11 50	7 00	L....Allegan....A	8 10	6 23
12 12	7 25	Monteith	8 35	6 02
1 14	8 05	Yorkville	9 36	7 04
1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 55
2 25	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 30
3 10	9 33	Homer	10 18	6 01
3 51	10 01	Hanover	11 38	5 31
5 05	10 38	Addison	10 50	5 00
5 11	10 43	Devils Lake	10 15	4 48
5 23	10 57	Onsted	10 03	4 36
5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 56	4 06
5 32	11 10	Tipton	9 49	*4 21
5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 36	4 06
6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 27	*3 57
6 04	11 38	Britton	9 22	3 52
6 16	11 50	Rea	9 10	*3 39
6 25	11 59	Dundee	9 01	3 30
7 30	12 45	A.....Toledo....L	8 05	2 40
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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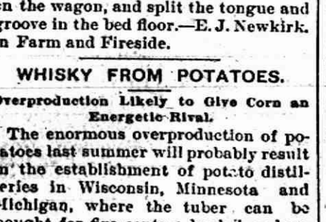


A CONVENIENT HAY-RACK.

20 inches from lower end (Fig. 1). Fig. 2 shows the frame in position on the end of the bed; raised marks show ends of parallel strips 1x4 or 1x6 inches. Fig. 3 shows one side of the frame when taken apart. For the ends I use a strip of plank or stud 5 feet long, laid on end-gate and floor of bed, projecting in rear and front end of wagon. Place each end back and in front of inside cleats on the bed before putting the long parallel strips on, and keep end-gate rods tight. On the center cross I put a 1-foot cleat tight against the outside of bed and on the under side of cross. This keeps the center of the bed from spreading; but all good wagon-beds have two outside braces, and ought not to spread, anyhow. However, this simple preventive makes it doubly secure.

Last, but not least, by any means, this frame folds up just like a pair of scissors, and can be hung up in a shed or against a building, and takes no space to house it. If farmers would only learn to take care of their utensils, there would be less mortgaging done than there is at present.

I never lift my wagon-bed off and throw it on the ground to lay for weeks in the rain and snow, and I never saw men work harder than I have seen them do while lifting the bed off and on the wagon, and split the tongue and groove in the bed floor.—E. J. Newkirk, in Farm and Fireside.

WHISKY FROM POTATOES.

Overproduction Likely to Give Corn an Energetic Rival.

The enormous overproduction of potatoes last summer will probably result in the establishment of potato distilleries in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, where the tuber can be bought for five cents a bushel or less. Potato whisky is made and consumed on a large scale in Germany and Austria, and every traveler in Ireland is offered a sample of "poteen." Few, except the natives, ever have the courage to do more than look at it. However, small quantities of "poteen" are imported into the United States, and stuff bearing that name, and probably equally as effective as the genuine, can be had in every city.

The American distillers have not experimented much with potatoes. They say the potato flavor is not relished by men used to the Kentucky, Maryland, Pennsylvania or Tennessee article. A $50,000 plant is being erected at Manawa, Wis., according to press dispatches, to use up part of the surplus crop of 1895. The venture is being watched by other distillers, and if it proves successful corn will have a formidable rival. It is estimated 297,000,000 bushels of potatoes were sold or housed last year, compared with 170,000,000 bushels in 1894. Many states not specially adapted to potato raising went into the market, and as a result potatoes are now selling here to peddlers at 12 or 14 cents a bushel, and choice stock is going in small lots at 25 cents. It is believed the planting in 1896 will be less than in 1895, but not in the great potato states—New York, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, Illinois and Colorado. If distillers can use potatoes they can always find refuse stock at low prices as the starch manufacturers do.

Preserving a Corn Crop.

The Vermont station tested four ways of preserving a corn crop for dairy feed; namely, 1, putting in silo, ears and all; 2, cribbing the ears and putting fodder in silo, feeding the two together after grinding the ears; 3, curing in shocks, then running through cutter, ears and all, at time of feeding; 4, curing in field, and husking and grinding ears, and running fodder through cutter at time of feeding. Of the four methods, putting into the silo, ears and all, cut in quarter inch lengths, gave the best results. This silage cost much less, handled much better, went farther and produced more milk than either of the other three feeds.

Cost of Harvesting Sugar Beets.

A record of all labor put on digging the beets was kept with the following result: Five and one-half days' team work, at 75 cents per day, $4.12; 22 days' man labor, at $1.50 per day, $33, making a total cost of $37.12 for digging 22.44 tons of beets, or $1.65 per ton. The beets were taken from the ground by plowing a deep furrow with the landslide as near as possible without cutting them, and they were then easily thrown in piles.—Colorado Experiment Station.

It is not a good plan to plow up more land than can be sufficiently fertilized and tilled to grow good crops.

GREEN FORAGE CROPS.

Planting Them Is a Good Way of Clearing Land of Weeds.

There are crops that can be grown to take the place of pasture grass and at the same time serve to clear the ground of weeds. It is not to be expected, however, where the land is compelled to produce two or more crops, that it can do so unaided, for that would be impossible, unless the soil was very rich; yet there is a way of growing a large amount of green food and feeding it at the barn while the pasture is being renewed. It is important to keep stock off the pasture land when the grass begins to fail; yet the cows must be provided for, and with green food, as they will not thrive during the summer if compelled to subsist on hay, fodder and grain entirely. Green and succulent foods are essential to the thrift of the animals, promoting digestion, preventing bowel diseases and increasing the flow of milk as well as protecting against the heat of summer.

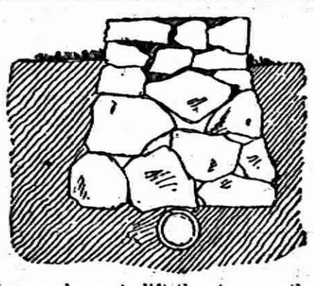
For cows the broadcasting of oats and peas, to be moved as wanted, and fed to the cows in the barnyard, will provide an excellent substitute for pasture grass, such food being assisted by hay and grain. It will permit of resting the pasture land. Later in the season Hungarian grass may be sown on the same land. As it is a quick-growing crop, providing a cutting every four or five weeks and of a sufficient growth for hay, it will more readily provide green food that is wanted daily, and it will continue to produce green food until it goes to seed or is overtaken by frost. This mode of feeding is styled "soiling" and applies to the practice of growing green food and carrying it to the stock instead of turning the stock on the green food. It also gives a larger amount of food, as a new crop comes up on the space just cut, thus keeping up a continued supply, while the manure saved in the barnyard is an additional item. Labor, however, must not be overlooked, as more attention to stock will be necessary, but the land will provide for twice as many cattle as the same area in pasture.

Where crops are cut frequently the weeds are also mowed down at the same time, being thus destroyed, and, aside from this, any thickly sown crop that makes rapid growth crowds the weeds out. If a piece of land can be cleared of weeds in this manner it will pay for the labor of soiling the stock.—Philadelphia Record.

TIGHT FOUNDATIONS.

A Point Often Overlooked in the Construction of Farm Buildings.

Too often farm buildings are set either on cedar posts or on posts of flat stones, the rest of the "foundation" being left open for winds to blow under the buildings, keeping the stock exceedingly cold in winter and affording a place for the harboring of rats, weasles and other pests. This plan is altogether wrong. Farm buildings should always have a tight foundation. If it is desired to ventilate beneath the buildings in summer, put in a window, covered on the inside with fine wire netting. It is not at all an expensive matter to make a stone foundation. One can do the work himself with rough rocks. Dig a trench, and if possible put in a line of tile around the bottom if an outlet can be had at one side. On dry, gravelly soil this would not be necessary. Dig the trench wider at the bottom and fill nearly to the top with loose stones, well packed. This wall should grow narrower as it rises, so the frost will not



have a chance to lift the stones on the sides. From just below the surface of the ground lay the rough rocks in cement mixed with coarse, sharp sand. A foot or less is enough of height above the ground for most foundations. A loose stone foundation like this must not have water standing at the bottom among the stones or the frost will make bad work. An outlet should be found to turn the water away. If a short piece of drain can tap the foundation of loose stones at the lowest point the tile beneath the stones may not be needed, the open passage among the rocks allowing the draining away of the water to the outlet of the drain. With such foundations buildings will always stay firmly in place without sagging in any part, and will keep all stock within them much warmer than would otherwise be the case.—N. Y. Tribune.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

One source of increased cost is in wasteful feeding.

Feeding sheep will not fatten on rough feed alone.

Before spring work opens go over the fences and see that they are in good repair.

Two essential points in securing a good oat crop are early seeding and a fine seed bed.

Now is a good time to renovate the orchard and fill the vacant places with good varieties of trees.

Too much care cannot be exercised in selecting thoroughly healthy and vigorous animals for breeding purposes.

It is a principle well settled in the practice of breeding that high bred animals cost but little more to the producers than low fed stock.

Unless warm, dry quarters can be provided for the brood sows and their young pigs there is no possible advantage in having them farrow early.—Farmers' Review.

DOG OF THE IRON MASK.

Although Only an Aristocratic Statue It Deceived the Street Mongrel.

A relative who lives in one of the one-time fashionable mansions now become students' boarding houses, in the south end, tells me a pretty good story of a dog, says a reporter for the Boston Post. In the yard, where a fountain was once known to play, but where now dust gathers, is an iron statue of a dog. The iron dog watches and guards the old fountain, but he in his turn has an admirer and adorer. The other day, hunting for another dog to go out and play tag with him, came a young street mongrel. He was unaccustomed to the ways of aristocracy, and in his simple ignorance supposed that anything that looked like a dog was a dog.

Up to the statue he bounded barking and wagging his tail. In stately immobility the iron dog gazed on out into vacancy. This did not deceive the other. He had seen plenty of dogs assume just that haughty and abstracted manner when they did not care to fight. Wishing to show his iron friend that he appreciated his attitude, but assuring him of no evil intention, the dog from the street kept on barking and wagging his tail. He even ran around his friend a number of times to show that there was no ill-will—as is the manner of dogs. But the dog of the iron mask did not budge. My relative says that he is sure that even if the street dog had brought around a cat to chase the iron dog would have remained unmoved. A red Irish setter came out finally and called the street dog away. The latter went with distinct traces of reluctance in his manner. He liked the style of that iron dog and had rather play in his yard with him.

ARRIVING AT CONCLUSIONS.

Unique Methods of Reasoning Which Some People Adopt.

Charles Daniels, a member of congress from Buffalo, served 28 years on the New York supreme court bench before he was elected to congress. Recently, in talking over old law cases with a number of lawyers, says the Troy Times, he told a story which was a dazzling illustration of the unique methods pursued by some people to arrive at conclusions. The case in question was that of a man named Greenfield, living in Oswego county, who had been convicted in the lower court of the murder of his wife. The case was carried to the court of appeals, which reversed the finding of the lower court. A special hearing was ordered by the governor. This was held at Syracuse, and Judge Daniels was called upon to preside. In examining the jurors, one man said that he was prejudiced in the matter. When asked if he had gleaned his prejudice from the papers or by talking with interested parties or by hearsay, he replied to every question that he didn't know a thing about the case, but that he was nevertheless prejudiced. He was excused, but Judge Daniels was not satisfied, and he sent the sheriff and had the juror brought to him. He asked him where he had gained his prejudice. The fellow replied: "I don't know anything about the case, but the lawyers made such idiots of themselves in examining the jurors that I knew the man must be guilty."

The Water Lily.

Several specimens of water lilies have the very curious peculiarity of blooming all day and at evening closing their blossoms, and, by retracting the stem, drawing the flour entirely under water. There is no more singular fact in the history of flowers than this oddity of the water lily.

Long Wagon Bridge in Texas.

The longest wagon bridge in the world is situated at Galveston, Tex. It is more than three miles long, and spans the Galveston bay from north to south.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., April, 23 '96.

No intelligent man could have been in Washington this week without being convinced of the truth of the adage, "Extremes meet." The delegates to the National Arbitration Conference, composed of more than 300 prominent citizens representing 38 states, who came to Washington to push along the idea of compulsory arbitration of international disputes, were met by the Venezuelan question, which has again assumed threatening proportions, by reason of Lord Salisbury's latest communication refusing the proposals of this government and the consequent renewal of war talk among belligerent Congressmen. And they also found Congressmen talking of declaring war against Spain, because of the reported secret execution of Walter Dygert, a young American who has been in a Cuban prison and whose release had been positively promised the State Department. Notwithstanding these drawbacks, the Arbitration Conference was a success, and was a long step towards the adoption of a policy of arbitration by this government wherever possible.

The A. P. A. fight in the House may be renewed when the Senate amendment allowing two years to change the Indian sectarian schools into Government schools comes up. The A. P. A. men in the House succeeded in putting in a proviso in this bill forbidding the payment of a dollar by the government to Indians which are under sectarian management, and it is said they will refuse to accept the Senate amendment as the compromise it was intended to be.

One of the most unique propositions ever submitted to Congress is contained in the resolution offered by Senator Cannon, of Utah, providing for an inquiry into the feasibility of the construction, near Washington, of a topographical map of the United States on a scale of one inch to the mile. It did not need the speech of Senator Cannon in favor of his resolution to convince anybody that such a map would give such an object lesson of the appearance of our country as could not be obtained by years of studying printed maps, but whether it is feasible to make and maintain such a map is the first thing to be considered. According to Mr. Cannon's own figures the map would cover 625 acres. As it would not be covered it would be necessary to construct the map out of some sort of weather resisting material, and as all the rivers and lakes are to be shown by real water it would have to be made of something that would not wash away. That it would be a good thing to have there is no doubt, but like some other good things, it may be too costly for every day use.

The average politician is a gullible individual, and the more prominent he is the more gullible he appears to be. This statement may appear somewhat strong, but it is fully proven by the ease with which two slick-tongued colored individuals, claiming a pull with the voters of "the race," "touched" Senators Hill and Allison, and representative Grosvenor, of Ohio, who is the custodian of the Washington end of the McKinley boom; and the queerest part of the transaction was that when the frauds were exposed and confronted by the three gentlemen they had "worked" neither of them would agree to prosecute the rascals, but all agreed in advising the chief of the Capitol police to let them go with a warning to keep away from the Capitol building. Such advice was in the nature of an order and was, of course, followed. Certainly the bare fact that two unknown colored men, with no better credentials than their own claims to control votes, could get money from these men is proof enough of the the gullibility of politicians. They called themselves democrats when they went to see Senator Hill, and claimed residence in New York. They were republicans when they saw the other gentlemen.

The most startling bit of Presidential news of the week is a story that if the democratic silver men control the Chicago convention they may nominate Senator Cameron, of Pa., for President. According to the story, Mr. Cameron has been sounded in a diplomatic way by democratic silver Senators as to whether he would accept the nomination, and the belief is that he would. Those who regard the story as probable point to Senator Cameron's recent statement to his Pennsylvania friends that he did not wish to be sent to the republican national convention as a delegate. They think this indicates a desire on his part to be left free to act as he pleases in the Presidential campaign.

When Nature

Needs assistance it may be the best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Dr. W. J. Hardman and Prof. Carhart successfully located a bullet lodged in the foot of a painter at the University last week, by the use of the X ray.

The Adrian doctors are at their wits end to account for a recent death in that city, which was apparently due to an overdose of whiskey. Strange case. Must be some fraud somewhere.

The Blissfield band will give outdoor concerts the coming summer. They will play high class music. This is simply given as a warning to people who may have business at that burg.

E. P. Allen who was Monday at the republican county convention selected as a delegate to attend the national convention at St. Louis will voice the county for Wm. McKinley.—Saline Observer.

Parties from Tecumseh were in town, last week, looking up a location for a new bakery. They compared the business of the two towns, and it was not at all favorable for our sister village.—Blissfield Advance. It would be a sad blow, indeed, for Tecumseh to loose such astute business material as this.

If Willard Stearns has any respect for his past, present or future standing in this community he will need to sue the Evening News for libel on account of the picture appearing in that paper over his name last night. Willard is pugnacious as well as tenacious, but he doesn't look like a Russian Nihilist, as the picture would indicate.—Telegram.

A business man in Monroe looked up the railway time table printed in the Democrat in 1883. He got left, being 13 years behind hand. It cannot be that Philander was on the Democrat at that time, for with his wonderful foresight he sometimes looks into the future 13 times 13 years, and could easily write up copy for a perpetual time table.

The Monroe Democrat, thus lightly speaks of the duties performed by the overburdened and self sacrificing path master: Pathmasters may allow 25 per cent of the road work in setting out trees at 25 cents per tree. This is an easy and useful way of working out the tax and will spare the damage usually inflicted on the road by the "wayback method" of working it.

Marshal Jerry was telephoned Tuesday morning to arrest a young colored fellow named Stone. He did so and in the afternoon the sheriff from Adrian came over and took him in possession. Stone and his said to be wife had been spending the winter here with Stanley Murray, but at this juncture another lady in Lenawee finding that he was here decided she wanted him too.—Saline Observer.

What, if anything, is to be done this year about the city building site? The money is lying idle.—Ann Arbor Courier. Yes, the money and the lawyers and the railway track and newspaper men are all lying and there seems to be more lying to the square rod in Ann Arbor than in any place in America outside of Lansing. It is said figures won't lie, but several have been seen lying around in the parks summer evenings. Even the sheep have been lying down there, about the wool clip.—Adrian Press. The Press was lying more snugly to the truth than usual in the above.

From my ignorance of municipal affairs and particularly on account of my lack of experience in presiding over deliberative bodies, I realize that at times it must nave been a severe tax upon your forbearance. — Outgoing Mayor Kirkpatrick, of Adrian. I deeply regret that I am not possessed of the superior knowledge with which my predecessor is endowed that I might perform the functions of my office with that high degfee of skill and marked ability that has characterized his term.—Incoming Mayor Hunt, of Adrian. Which of these men is the liar?—Monroe Democrat. No liar in the house. Probably each man was telling the exact truth.

Following is a list of patents granted to Michigan inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and Foreign patents, opp. U. S. patent office, Washington, D. C. B. J. Aurand, Jackson, carriage-curtain fastener. J. Berkey, Grand Rapids, wooden rim for wheels. G. L. Burroughs Saginaw, gate lock. D. W. Fratcher, Detroit, information-cabinet. L. J. Genett, Marquette, car seal. E. H. Middaugh, Grand Rapids, mail pouch or bag. A. Mulder, Muskegon, washing machine. T. Neal, Detroit, paint-agitator. W. H. Neeb, Detroit, stove truck. J. A. Park, Lansing, fence machine. H. B. Robischung, Kalamazoo, Fulcrum post for brake beams. H. A. Seymour, Detroit, rail joint and chair. O. Smith, Detroit, apparatus for detaching electric bulbs. J. W. Twyman, Detroit, copying book attachment.

The state league is dead. The State Republican thus speaks most feelingly of its demise. The demise occurred last evening, a few of the sorrowing relatives and friends being present. The Michigan state base ball league was born one year ago and developed into a very healthy infant, strong of its age. It remained out late one night last fall, however, and was severely chilled by the frost. Consumption followed and the hand of death has threatened to smite the child several times. The balmy spring air seemed to put new life into the once strong constitution and a complete recovery was hoped for. About three weeks ago while playing in the back yard with visitors from Muskegon, Toledo, Saginaw, Jackson and other cities a jealous rival gave the Lansing kid a vicious stab under the fifth rib and it never recovered from the shock. The tender plant did not receive the nursing it should have received from Lansing people and a broken heart was one of the causes of death. Dr. Mumby was summoned from Owosso yesterday and a consultation was held, but it was too late and the Michigan state league was laid to rest.

A STRICT SABBATARIAN.

The Sunday Question as Solved by a Maine Farmer.

A case of unusual strictness in Sabbath observance is reported from West Auburn, Me. A farmer was waited on by one of his neighbors who asked for the loan of his team the following Sunday to take his wife and children to the cemetery. At first he flatly refused to let the team, arguing that it would be a sin to receive money for such a thing on the Sabbath day, but he finally said to the neighbor that he would think it over and let him know Saturday, remarking that he would pray over it in the meantime. Saturday the neighbor called and the farmer said that he pondered and prayed over the matter and come to the conclusion that it would be no harm to let the team, but that the neighbor must not pay for it until some week day following. So the neighbor hired the team to go to the cemetery on Sunday, paying for it on Monday, and everything was satisfactory.

HORSELESS SLEIGH INVENTED.

Will Run on Snow and Ice and Even in the Water.

Motors for horseless sleighs are among the latest novelties at the patent office. They are light, powerful affairs, and can be run by an amateur as easily as those attached to horseless carriages. The sleighs are designed, says the New York World, to run either on the snow or ice. A pair of spurred wheels is arranged between the runners, and with a little lever the driver can adjust them so that they will work on the soft snow just as smoothly as upon ice. One inventor has also provided against the danger of breaking through the ice. His sleigh is formed something like a boat, and is perfectly water tight. If the ice should break the sleigh would float, and the ice spurs would act as paddle wheels in bringing you to shore again.

One patent is for a sleigh that may be rowed across the ice. On the end of each oar is a heavy weight with a sharp steel point to cut into the ice. Another rowboat for the ice is rigged with sliding seat and legs with sharp spurs, which catch into the ice and shove the boat forward each time the rower pulls. Considerable speed is obtained by this arrangement, although the rowing is not as easy as upon the water.

SPOILED THE PERFORMANCE.

Misadventure That Befell an Actor in a Realistic Play.

Last winter a number of literary people indulged from time to time in amateur theatricals. During February they produced a comedy. One of the actors, says London Tid-Bits, played the part of a burglar and had to climb up the outside of the house in which the entertainment was given and enter through the window, which was at the rear of the improvised stage. He hurried around from the dressing-rooms and valiantly commenced to struggle up the wall, when a policeman grasped him by the neck, thinking him a veritable burglar. He started to explain, but the minion of the law would have none of it. The audience was wondering in the meantime why the play did not proceed, and the young actors and actresses on the stage were eagerly waiting for the burglar to enter and give them the cue, when they heard shrieks, yells, oaths and threats from the garden. Rushing out, they found the amateur burglar thrashing wildly about the grass, while a brawny policeman sat on his shoulders hammering his neck into the mud.

Summer School.

Algebra, arithmetic, civics, geography, grammar, physics, orthography, penmanship, physiology, reading, history, botany, pedagogics and school-law will be thoroughly reviewed. Better make arrangements early and not lose a single lesson. The work will be planned for 25 days. Address O. L. Palmer, M. W. Hersel, or Mrs. Edward Keller, Adrian, Mich.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Baker & Hall's drug store. 2

Nest of Clock Springs.

In the Museum of Natural History at Soleure, in Switzerland, there is a bird's nest made entirely of steel. There are a number of clock-making shops at Soleure, and in the yards of these there are often found lying disused or broken springs of clocks. One day a clockmaker noticed in a tree in his yard a bird's nest of peculiar appearance. Examining it, he found that a pair of wagtails had built a nest entirely of clock springs. It was more than four inches across, and perfectly comfortable for the birds. After the feathered architects had reared their brood, the nest was taken to the museum, where it is preserved as a striking illustration of the skill of birds in turning their surroundings to advantage in building their nests.

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A PARALYTIC STROKE.

Physicians at the Ann Arbor Hospital Said it was Due to a Blood Clot.

BUT THEY DID NOT RELIEVE HIM.

The Paralysis Probably due to Nervous Causes. Finally Cured by a Nerve Food.

From the Gazette, Hudson, Mich.

Last week a reporter of this paper was driving in the vicinity of Round Lake and he took in as passenger a farmer who was going to Geneva. Engaging in conversation, the farmer friend, who was somewhat of a garrulous old gentleman, asked the reporter who he was and where he lived. The reporter told him that he was a newspaper man and the old gentleman said, "Well you newspaper men are always up-to-date and eager for everything new, have you heard of the news in Geneva?" The reporter confessed that he had not, but asked the farmer to tell him anything of a novel and interesting nature which had transpired in that pretty little hamlet. "Well," said the old gentleman, "Geneva has to offer in the way of wonders something entirely different from anything ever heard of before. It is the case of a man cured of paralysis." The reporter took out his note book to get the facts of the story.

"Before I begin to tell you what I know about this, I want you to promise that you will go and see the subject of this interview, so that all may be made known in the report. I know he will be pleased to see you and will tell you all about the matter." The reporter promised him he would see the man if he didn't live at too great a distance, and the old farmer told his story.

"About ten months ago, Marion G. Sales, a stalwart blacksmith of 33 years, living in North Adams, Mich., was stricken with paralysis, his legs being affected. While he was working at his trade, lifting a large tire of a wagon to set it on the wheel, he fell to the ground, helpless, and the tire fell on him. He was removed to his home, his friends thinking he was hurt by some misstep. When the doctor came he found that Mr. Sales had been the victim, not of an accident, but of a paralytic stroke, and thought from appearances the case a serious one. You know, Mr. Reporter, that oftentimes blacksmiths are subject to such disease on account of the peculiar postures they are obliged to take. Mr. Sales was a perfectly healthy man; I have known him intimately from a boy, and know that to be true; it is all the more wonderful, therefore, that he should have this visitation. Soon after this, perhaps six weeks, he came to his father's home here. He had been to Ann Arbor to seek help and the doctors there gave him no encouragement. His father, who has lived here for years, thought better care could be taken of him here than any other place. He was confined to his bed or chair for months, unable to take a step and no prospect of ever doing so again, depending upon his wife or parents to draw him in a chair from place to place. One of his friends induced him to try a remedy known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and you would be astonished to note the progress the man has made since taking them. I have given you a rather disconnected account of this case, but every word of it is true and you will find it worth your time to see Mr. Sales and hear from his own lips the story of his recovery. It is the wonder of the town."

The reporter, making good his promise and being somewhat curious, proceeded to Mr. Sales' residence to hear more of this wonderful case. After making himself known the reporter was welcomed by Mr Sales. "I hear that your recovery from a serious paralytic stroke is due to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People?"

"Yes, I am sure that is the remedy that I am indebted to for my fast returning health," he said, "It seems odd, don't it, that after all the medical advice I have received, in the Ann Arbor Hospital, the consultations on my case and all the skilled help I could call, that I should be cured of paralysis by a little pill?"

"When were you stricken with this disease, Mr. Sales?" inquired the reporter.

"The ninth day of last October I was at work at my trade and the stroke came upon me like lightning."

"Did the doctors at any time give you encouragement that you would recover from your attack?"

"None at all on account, as they said, that it was the result of blood clot."

"To what specialists did you go?"

"Well, after all the physicians at North Adams had given me up, I went to the hospital at Ann Arbor a month after I was hurt and received the comforting news that I would never have the use of my limbs again. I went to my home with feelings that can be better imagined than described. I came to father's house helpless and remained in that condition for seven months. A friend induced me to try these pills and I began to take them May 20. I had taken three boxes before noting any improvement. On the eighth day of July I walked with the aid of crutches, the first time I had touched my legs to the floor in all that time, and within a few weeks I have been able to walk without the aid of crutches in the house and am recovering from the attack in splendid shape. I cannot speak too highly of Pink Pills for Pale People. To that simple remedy I owe my present condition, and I look for the not very future day when I shall be able to walk without the aid of crutches or cane. To those that know me and know about my case, my recovery is regarded as very wonderful I think that Pink Pills are destined to save many from suffering and pain, and I hope that those who suffer will profit by this interview."

GENEVA, MICH., Aug. 31, 1895.

I hereby certify that the foregoing interview is true in every respect, and that the reporter of the Hudson *Gazette* did visit me Saturday, the 31st day of August, and recorded these facts.

Signed, MARION J. SALES.

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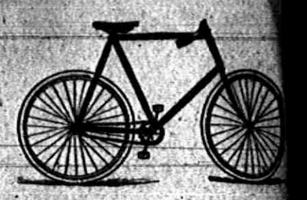

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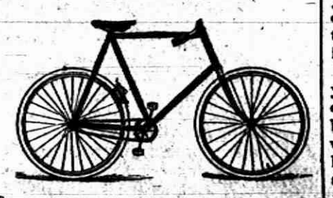

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Summary of the Daily Proceedings in Congress.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, April 30.—In the senate yesterday resolutions were adopted accepting from the state of Wisconsin the statue of James Marquette. The naval appropriation bill was then taken up and the remainder of the session was given up to political speeches.

Washington, May 1.—The naval appropriation bill was further discussed in the senate yesterday. A bill was favorably reported to protect free labor from convict competition by confining the scale of goods manufactured by convict labor to the state where produced. Senator Hill introduced a bill in relation to contempts of United States courts, the bill defining direct contempts to be those committed during the sitting of a court or a judge in chambers in its or his presence; all other contempts are indirect.

Washington, May 2.—During the discussion of the naval appropriation bill in the senate yesterday Senator Tillman (S. C.) made a bitter attack on the president and secretary of thetreasury and was replied to by Senator Hill (N. Y.). Senator Butler (N. C.) introduced a bill to make the Mexican silver dollar, the Japanese yen and the trade dollar equal in value to the standard dollar of the United States.

Washington, May 4.—After a week's debate, which has taken a wide range, the senate on Saturday passed the naval appropriation bill. It provides, among other things, for two battle ships and 13 torpedo boats.

Washington, May 5.—In the senate yesterday the time was occupied in discussing the resolution to investigate the issue of bonds, Senator Hill speaking against it.

Washington, May 6.—In the senate yesterday an hour was devoted to the consideration of the river and harbor bill, and then the Peffer bond resolution was taken up and Senator Hill finished his speech in opposition to the measure and Senator Pettigrew spoke in its favor. A resolution was introduced requesting the president to protest against the execution of American citizens taken on board the schooner Competitor by a Spanish gunboat. Twenty-seven pension bills were passed.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, April 30.—The house spent the time yesterday in further discussion of the bankruptcy bill.

Washington, May 1.—In the house yesterday the general debate on the bankruptcy bill was concluded. A bill was introduced to provide for the purchase of the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln in Kentucky and to erect on the site a national soldiers' home, to be known as the "Lincoln Soldiers' Home."

Washington, May 2.—The house devoted the major portion of the time yesterday to debate on the bankruptcy bill. A bill to provide for a delegate in congress from the territory of Alaska was defeated, 44 to 60.

Washington, May 4.—In the house on Saturday, after five days of debate, the Henderson bill to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy was passed by a vote of 157 to 81. Under its terms there are eight acts for which a debtor can be forced into involuntary bankruptcy, as follows:

1. If a person has concealed himself with intent to defraud his creditors for 48 hours.
2. Failed for 30 days while insolvent to secure the release of any property levied upon for $500 or over.
3. Made a transfer of any of his property with intent to defraud his creditors.
4. Made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors.
5. Made, while insolvent, a transfer of any of his property for the purpose of giving a preference.
6. Procured or suffered a judgment to be entered against him with intent to defeat his creditors and suffered same to remain unpaid ten days.
7. Secreted any of his property to avoid its being levied upon under legal proceedings against himself.
8. Suffered, while insolvent, an execution for $500 or over to be returned no property found.

Washington, May 5. — In the house yesterday Mr. Woodman (Ill.) introduced a resolution requesting the president to immediately issue a proclamation recognizing the Cuban revolutionists as belligerents. The naval appropriation bill was considered and a bill was passed for the protection of American yacht owners and ship-builders.

Washington, May 6. — The naval bill was further discussed in the house yesterday and the measure was finally sent to conference.

Cut His Throat.

Rockford, Ill., May 6.—Oliver Olney, a wealthy farmer of Ogle county, committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear. He had a monument erected for himself some months ago and all preparations made for his death.

Heavily Mortgaged.

Detroit, May 5.—The Ideal Manufacturing company, manufacturers of plumbers' supplies, etc., has filed a mortgage covering the real estate and personal property of the company, situated at Nos. 546 to 568 Franklin street, for $37,500 to secure a note for that amount now overdue and running to James C. Smith, Jr.

INSTALLED.

Bishop Williams, of Marquette, Assumes His Duties.

Detroit, Mich., May 2.—Rev. G. Mott Williams was consecrated bishop of the new diocese of Marquette at Grace church in this city Friday. The preacher of the day was Rt. Rev. William E. McLaren, of Chicago. The consecrator was Rt. Rev. Daniel Tuttle, of Indiana, assisted by Rt. Rev. C. T. Quintard, of Tennessee, and Rt. Rev. Francis K. Brooke, of Oklahoma, and the bishop of Michigan.

[Bishop Williams was born at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., in the quarters of his grandfather, Assistant Surgeon Joseph H. Bailey, U. S. A., February 17, 1837. He was the second child of Maj. Thomas Williams, U. S. A., afterward general, who was killed at the battle of Baton Rouge. His father's father was the first mayor of Detroit, and the family has been in Detroit since 1710.

Mr. Williams grew up after his father's death in Newburg, N. Y., where he attended the old free academy, and afterward went to Cornell university at Ithaca, N. Y. He was obliged to leave midway in his course to assume business cares in Detroit, and after studying law with Robert P. Toms was admitted to the bar in 1859. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Harris in 1880 and priest in 1882. He spent a ministry of nine years in Detroit, more than half of which was as rector of St. George's church. After a brief experience in church journalism, partly in Detroit and partly in Buffalo, where he had charge of the cathedral, he became dean of Milwaukee, and in 1891 archdeacon of the northern peninsula of Michigan.

He has traveled extensively, and is quite familiar with modern languages. He is a member of several patriotic societies, such as the Loyal Legion and Sons of the American Revolution. He is an honorary M. A. of Hobart college. He has been twice a member of the general convention and was twice within one year mentioned for the episcopacy, Indiana having nearly chosen him in February, 1894. He has served several years in the state troops. He married Miss Lillie B. Biddle, of Detroit, in 1879, and has six children.]

WOMAN CRUELLY WHIPPED.

Two "Sanctified Saints" Say They Punish by Order of God.

Allegan, May 6.—Officer Bensley, who went to the camping grounds of the "sanctified saints" near Grand Junction, for the purpose of arresting Charles Orr and Jeremiah Cole on the charge of starving and maltreating children, returned Monday night. He reported that Cole had disappeared and that Orr was in Indiana. From Clifford Lundey and Ora Strong, aged 15 and 17, he learned what he considers conclusive evidence of cruelty. They say:

"We saw the whipping of Eva Acres for denying a misdeed of which she was accused. Two women stripped her to her underwear. Cole took a whip in both hands and applied it with great force. We thought she would drop. Her 17-year-old sister pleaded in vain for mercy. Cruelty failing to bring the confession, she was made to kneel upon the altar and thank them for the whipping. In this she did not suit them and was whipped again. Pike said it was ordered by God, but Cole confessed that the whipping was harder than ordered."

Mr. Bensley thinks arrests will be made soon. The "sanctified saints" are a peculiar sect, with some strength in the southwestern portion of the state. They claim to arrive at a more than human state of holiness and to be under the direct guidance of God. At their annual world's meeting men salute each other with kisses. They are very fervent in prayer, claim to cast out evil spirits and to perform miracles by prayer.

JUMPED THE TRACK.

Accident to a Detroit Street Car—Several Hurt.

Detroit, May 4.—Motor car No. 75 of the Detroit railway, jumped the track in rounding the curve at the corner of Parquette avenue and Hastings street at an early hour Sunday morning, injuring the motorman and conductor and three passengers more or less seriously. The motorman was unfamiliar with the route and the car was running at a rapid rate of speed when it struck the curve. It jumped free of the tracks, ran 40 feet over the pavement, jumped the curbstone and crashed into an iron trolley pole, badly wrecking the body of the car. Motorman John Hart and Miss Martha Winkler, a passenger, were the most seriously hurt. They were removed to Harper hospital, and both will recover. James Miller and Samuel Sanderson received severe bruises, and Conductor Brown had one of his hands badly cut. The other occupants of the car escaped with a severe shaking up.

A Long Nap.

Saginaw, May 5.—Little Helen Breiter, the four-year-old daughter of John Breiter, has been apparently asleep since Thursday night last. She has not opened her eyes, but has answered "yes" and "no" to questions regarding her nourishment. She has been ill for five weeks from some brain affection. She shows no signs of emaciation.

Reduced the Police Force.

Saginaw, May 2.—The common council at this place is determined to reduce the expense of maintaining the police department. Thursday it convened in secret session and effected a cut of $5,000 by reducing the force by six patrolmen, and cutting the salaries of the chief, captains and sergeants.

Charged with Arson.

Saginaw, May 2.—The arrest of Mrs. William Hagen, wife of Patrolman William Hagen, and two girls, Emily Kress and Bertha Yarmouth, at this place on a charge of arson has created considerable excitement. The offense for which the women are held was an alleged attempt to set fire to the Eleventh Street Baptist mission about ten o'clock Wednesday night.

DEATH TO MANY.

This Was the Result of an Explosion in Cincinnati.

A Six Building Completely Wrecked—Six Persons Known to Be Dead, and a Number Are Missing—Many Are Wounded.

Cincinnati, May 5.—What may prove to be the most disastrous calamity of the year occurred in this city Monday night, when a five-story brick structure, filled with people, completely collapsed and fell, a conglomerate mass of brick and shattered timbers, burying the unfortunate inmates beneath its ruins. It is impossible to say how many persons have been killed, some placing the number as high as 40, other as low as 15. Up to midnight six persons were known to be dead, and eleven injured. Following is a list of the unfortunates:

The Victims.

DEAD—Rollin A. Davis, of the Columbia Carriage company, Hamilton, O.; Adolph Drach, proprietor of the saloon; Felicia Drach, his five-year-old daughter; C. B. Wells, 46 Harrison street; Ella Singleton, of Zanesville, domestic in Drach family; Mamie Kennedy, domestic in Foys family.

INJURED—Willard E. Cook, contusion of elbow and lacerated brow; Emil Drach, compound fracture of right arm and lacerated scalp; Olga Drach, contusion of head and limbs; H. E. Hunwick, right shoulder dislocated; Peter Burns, severe contusions of body; Charles Spilley, contusion of head and arm; Sidney W. Johnson, scalp lacerated; John McCarthy, contusions of head, legs and abdomen; Barbara Huddselmann, eyes injured; Joseph Spriggs, face and arms burned; J. B. Ward, of Toledo, left knee lacerated.

It is thought several of the injured will die. It is known that more victims are in the ruins. No accurate statement can be given on this point until the debris shall have been cleared away. The building was situated on the east side of Walnut street just south of Fifth street. The lower floor was occupied by Drach's saloon. The upper apartments were rented out to lodgers.

Cause of the Disaster.

The explosion was caused by the ignition of a gasoline tank. Adolph Drach, proprietor of the saloon on the lower floor had recently placed a gasoline engine in his cellar for the purpose of generating his own gasoline fuel. Best authorities agree that the commutator of the engine had burned out, setting fire to the tank of gasoline.

The explosion came like a thunderclap from a clear sky. Eyewitnesses say that the building was seen to shake for an instant and then to slump in, and almost a second later only an indiscriminate mass of ruins remained. The walls of the two adjoining buildings on either side stood up stark and naked. Upon one of these, about the third story from the ground, was left a fragment of plastering, upon which three pictures remained hanging unharmed. The streets all around the block are literally covered with pieces of glass and the shock was felt for almost a mile around.

Many Hurt on the Street.

In addition to the victims who are buried beneath the building it is estimated that fully 100 people have been more or less injured by the concussion, falling electric wires and fragments of the shattered glass, stone and timbers.

Some twenty odd of those injured on the streets were taken into the Gibson house, just across the way, and their wounds dressed. Among these was Chief of Police Joseph Pugh, of Covington, Ky., who reports the most miraculous escape of the tragedy. He states that he was just in the act of entering the saloon—in fact, one foot was upon the door sill when he was startled by the flash from a burning electric wire overhead. He sprang backward, when almost simultaneously the explosion occurred and he felt the ground leave his feet. He was blown almost into the middle of the street, and this alone saved his life.

Heavy Shortage.

Washington, May 6.—It is reported upon what is believed to be good authority that the expert accountant employed by the secretary of state has found a shortage of $127,000 in the trust-funds account of F. J. Keickhofer, until recently the disbursing officer of the state department. This amount, together with the $12,000 shortage said to be found by the auditing officers of the treasury in Mr. Keickhofer's general account, brings the total up to $139,000. What action the government will take in the matter has not been made known.

Gets a Twelve-Year Term.

Montezuma, Ia., May 5.—C. W. Rowe, who while county treasurer of Poweshiek county, Ia., left for Mexico with $40,000 of the county funds and took out naturalization papers in that country, has just been sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment by the Mexican courts for taking stolen funds into that republic.

Walking to New York.

Spokane, Wash., May 6.—Mrs. H. Easterby and her daughter Clara started from here Tuesday to walk to New York. They live on a farm near here and hope to make enough money in the venture to lift a mortgage. They are under contract to a manufacturer of a health costume.

Losses by Fire in April.

New York, May 5.—The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin says that the fire loss of the United States and Canada during the month of April amounts to $12,010,000, or about $1,000,000 more than the total for the month in 1895.

Clinton Column.

Dry! Yes, Dry—Large Class Confirmed at Manchester.

Frank Brown was at home over Sunday.

Dr. J. E. White has a new Cleveland wheel.

Roy Marshall returned to Dundee last Friday.

J. R. Blanchard was a Detroit visitor Monday.

D. R. Gibson is on the jury at Adrian this week.

Jas. Hamilton was in town the first of the week.

Don't forget to go to the concert Saturday night.

George Taylor was home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

W. J. Arnold, of Tecumseh, was on our streets Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Gale, of Chicago, is visiting at Joe Jackson's.

Miss E. Cora Depuy, of Ann Arbor, was in town last Friday.

Miss Sadie Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Miss Eva VanTuyle went to Hudson Saturday for a week's visit.

Several attended the confirmation exercises at Manchester Tuesday.

Miss Eva Shimman visited her mother at Petersburg one day this week.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday in Clinton.

The assistant postmaster distributes mail on a brand new Pattee wheel.

C. C. Fisk, of Detroit, visited friends in town from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Geo. A. Parks, of Hudson, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Ed. Shumaker.

Miss Mamie Fletcher, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Florence House over Sunday.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, of Britton, were calling on friends in town Wednesday.

Will and H. D. Niblack were called to Saline last Friday by the serious illness of a sister.

Isaac Corwin returned to Grass Lake Saturday, after a visit of two weeks with his son Charles.

Mrs. J. E. Palmington, of Sandusky, Ohio., is the guest of the Misses Julia and Charlotte Halladay.

Mrs. S. M. King went to Muskegon Thursday, where she expects to spend the summer with her son.

Chas. Davis went to Detroit Wednesday as delegate to the Republican convention, and to visit friends.

The Misses Lizzie and Minnie Carl, Kate Noone and Julia Scully were Manchester visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. Susie Moore, of Palmyra, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Nase, the last of last week.

Mrs. Kate Strait, of Hammond, Ind., came last Saturday for quite an extended visit at the home of E. VanDeMark.

The Misses Marion and Lizzie Farrell and Grace Burns, of Manchester, were calling on friends in town last Saturday.

The ladies of St. John's church hold a social at Mrs. Ella Clark's next Thursday, May 14. Supper from 5 to 7. All are invited.

Mrs. C. S. Baker and daughter, Florence, of Chicago, came last Friday for a visit with friends. Mrs. Baker is a daughter of Alonzo Clark.

The lecture last Saturday evening by E. P. Allen was considered very good, but was not well enough supported to yield the juniors any considerable returns.

An unusually large class was confirmed by Bishop Folley at Manchester last Tuesday. Sixty-eight received the rites of confirmation among whom were nearly twenty from Clinton.

Clinton is dry for sure. However, the crescent of Pabst malt extract displayed in Randall's drug store is what an old settler would call a wet moon, especially if he were a little dry.

Clinton is becoming noted for her fruit farms and for the quantity and quality of this product which she sends to the market each fall. But the fruit farms are an important feature of this section in spring as well as autumn, and form one of the most attractive sights which go to make up the environments of one of the prettiest and most attractive villages in the state.

With the return of the spring time and the lilac, the delicious fragrance of that favorite flower leaves only one wish—that it could be prolonged throughout the season. This reminds one of the old legend concerning the lilac. In ancient times it was supposed that, if the leaves of this shrub were cut off about the second day of August, the whole plant would begin anew as in the spring time. New leaves will be put forth, new buds will form and new flowers and blossoms, with all the fragrance and delightful freshness of May, will adorn the modest bush. Although this theory of the rejuvinating qualities of the lilac has been considered as merely a pretty fable by most people, the process seems to be founded on well recognized laws of vegetable growth and developement. One of the best known flora culturists of Clinton, who is especially fond of this flower, assures us that she has tried this plan with complete success.

For pin worms, eczema, hives, in fact any of the various torturing, itchy diseases of the skin, Doan's Ointment is an instant and positive remedy. Get it from your dealer. 1w

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HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

Sixteenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

The Overthrow of Monarchy—The Provisional Government.

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Kalakaua was not a bad man. He was a weak, vain man, and easily influenced by bad surroundings. He was constantly in need of money, though his annuity was greater than the salary of the President of the United States. He found himself hampered by the constitution which limited his power, and declared his intention of giving the people another constitution which was in reality a return to absolute monarchy.

Great excitement prevailed, and a revolution was threatened by the people whose liberties were endangered, until, bowing to the popular will, Kalakaua permitted the constitution to stand.

It is said that at this time the king's sister, Princess Liliuokalani, was in England, a guest of Queen Victoria, studying royal life. She was very indignant at her brother yielding to the wishes of the American Hawaiians, and on her return to Honolulu a revolution was precipitated by some of her friends to depose the king and place her on the throne. The American settlers on the islands went to the rescue of the king, and the rebellion was put down.

King Kalakaua died January 20, 1891, and was succeeded by his sister, Liliuokalani, as queen. The queen was thoroughly English in education and sympathy. From the first she displayed intense hatred for the American missionaries. Left alone she might have made an excellent monarch, for those who know her say she possesses many good qualities; even her political enemies deny the slanders against her personal character. But the queen was ill-advised. Her race prejudices were roused by interested persons. The American missionary was held up in the light of a moral pirate, who had left his conscience at Cape Horn, and come to rob and plunder the natives as the Spaniards had done in America, and all under the guise of religion.

In various ways she kept her subjects alarmed by threats to deprive them of their constitutional liberties. Though her salary and income from crown lands exceeded the salary of the president of the United States by nearly $20,000, she was not satisfied. She was advised to be a queen in splendor as well as name. A crowd of evil designing friends were constantly about her advising her to do what they should have known would be her ruin. There were nearly two thousand Americans and over one thousand Germans, as well as many English, at this time living on the islands, who did not believe in the divine rights of kings. Many of these had, by thrift and honest toil, accumulated property amounting to millions. With them it was a business proposition. Should they, in order to maintain a tradition born in the dark days of barbarism, and cradled in ignorance and superstition, yield up the hard earnings of their lifetimes?

Among the other schemes to replenish the depleted treasury of the queen was what is known as the lottery. The originator of this was Mr. Thomas E. Evans, whose wife was a maid of honor to the queen, and who had held some offices under the kings.

After the Louisiana Lottery had been driven out of the United States, its backers and supporters began to look about for some place convenient to America where the gigantic swindle might be resuscitated. The Hawaiian Islands were regarded as the most convenient place. Mr. Evans went to Chicago, where he met the capitalists willing to engage in the enterprise. An arrangement was made whereby the Chicago capitalists, providing the franchise was granted, were to pay the Hawaiian government the sum of five hundred thousand dollars per annum for the term of twenty-five years. At the time the lottery bill was being agitated in the legislature, another bill, fully as odious to all decency and morals, known as the "Opium Bill," was brought up.

The queen's cabinet was composed of men who inspired confidence in the minds of the people, but they did not prove sufficient to check their headstrong ruler. The legislature, like the Long Parliament in Cromwell's time, was in session until the more respectable members were compelled to leave for their homes to attend to their business. They had scarcely left before the opium and lottery men, taking advantage of their absence, hurriedly passed the bills known as the "Opium" and "Lottery" bills.

The decent and respectable people of Hawaii saw the danger that menaced them. The missionaries realized that the race just rescued from heathendom was about to be exposed to all the vices of civilization, and a land today filled with churches and school houses, about to become the Monte Carlo of the Western Hemisphere. Another class of Americans looked on with alarm at the condition of affairs—those who had business interests at stake which were in jeopardy. A party of Christian ladies waited on the queen and petitioned her not to sign the odious bills. It is said she wept with them; they prayed with her and left, assured she would veto the bills, but she signed them almost as soon as they were gone.

Mrs. M. P. O'Brien,

Ivesdale Ill., writes: I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a family medicine with the best of results. For derangements of the stomach and a general laxative I like it better than anything I have used. It is so pleasant to taste my children are always anxious to take it. Sold by Orr & Temple. may

FOR JOSEPH CANNON.

BIMETALLIST DEFINES "CHEAP" MONEY FOR HIM.

Seems That He Never Could See That "Cheap" Money Means "Dear" Prices for the Products of the Farmer and the Mechanic.

Hon. H. F. Bartine in National Bimetallist: The above named gentleman is a good fellow personally but he is a republican politician at all times and above all things. If the idea that the republican party can do any wrong or make any mistakes ever found its way into his head, it became a fast prisoner upon reaching there. Mr. Cannon has just been interviewed by an Inter-Ocean reporter, and takes occasion to sneer at "cheap money" men of all parties. This is to be regretted because Mr. Cannon has bestowed some thought upon the money question, and has certainly many times expressed a desire to have silver restored. True, he opposes every measure looking to that end, but still he claims that he wants it done. Why? How will the restoration of silver have any effect upon business? In just one way. By lessening the demand for gold. If that will not make gold "cheaper," then there is nothing in the law of supply and demand. But Mr. Cannon does not like "cheap" money. He despises it. Then we ask again why does he want silver restored?

Whether silver be restored by international agreement or by the action of the United States alone, the effect must be to make gold cheaper. That means a rise of prices. We are scarcely prepared to believe Mr. Cannon is ignorant enough to think that prices can be raised without making money cheaper, although there are people who assert that claim. Mr. Cannon is strongly opposed to the retirement of the greenbacks. But why? What harm will it do? Certainly the presence of all this mass of paper in our currency tends to make money "cheap," that is, cheaper than it would be without it. He seems to be afraid that if the greenbacks be retired, it may make money just a little too "dear" to be good. Then the questions arise what in his judgment is "cheap" money, what is "dear" money, and what is money that is neither "cheap" nor "dear," but just "sound?" He surely must know that the true test of either "cheapness" or "dearness" in money is its purchasing power. If so, perhaps he will kindly vouchsafe to inform us what quantity of products of any kind he chooses to name, it will take to buy a "cheap" dollar, what quantity a "dear dollar" and what quantity a "sound" dollar.

People who have so much to say about "cheap" money ought certainly to be able to give some definite idea of what they mean by the term "cheap" as applied to money. If by "sound" money Mr. Cannon means gold, he ought in all consistency to favor the retirement of the greenbacks, because that would bring us just so much nearer to the true value of gold. If it was a good thing to destroy silver as standard money and make things cheaper, why will it not be a good thing to destroy the greenbacks and cheapen things still more? "Ah, Joseph, Joseph! Have a care or you will never be a bishop."

WILL VETO IT.

Cleveland Against All Measures in Favor of the People.

The president appeals to congress for help in sustaining the finances of the country on a "sound basis." It is next to certain that congress will not respond in accordance with his desires. In the first place Mr. Cleveland takes it upon himself to determine what is a "sound basis," and in the second place he assumes to dictate the legislation necessary to preserve it. Such being the case, the question naturally arises. What has congress to do with the legislation of the country anyway. Mr. Cleveland seems to be under the impression that he is the government, and that the only function of congress is to come together and register his decrees. A mere matter of form, of course. His second election, coupled with his success in forcing the repeal of the "Sherman law," appears to have completely turned his head. It is more than likely that he will veto any measure that is sent to him. So far as the merits of the tariff bill are concerned it is a matter of indifference to us what he does with it. As a party measure it is neither fish nor flesh, and its merits are doubtless fairly open to dispute. But in our judgment any president makes a mistake who vetoes a bill merely because he does not approve of its details. The veto power is an extraordinary one and should only be exercised on extraordinary occasions. Unless a measure contravenes public policy, or violates the constitution, the president should not set up his judgment against the combined wisdom of both houses of congress. In the present juncture nothing will satisfy Mr. Cleveland but legislation that will fasten the golden shackles upon the limbs of his countrymen for all time. Candor forces us to admit, though, that there are large numbers of republicans in congress who would be very glad to help him. Some of them may actually do so. But some will not. Others dare not. We do not believe that there will be any legislation that will tend to sustain the gold standard. Without such legislation that standard cannot be maintained for any considerable length of time. With a war, under existing conditions, that premium is bound to come a little later, and then good bye to the gold standard with all of its oppression, extortion and wrong.

ALL ARE ONE.

Amalgamated Silver Forces Pushing on to Victory in November.

The friends of silver restoration will be pleased to learn that the three principal silver organizations of the United States have been practically consolidated for work. The details have been substantially agreed upon by representatives of The American Bimetallic League, The National Bimetallic Union, and The National Silver Committee. Nothing remains but for the different organizations to ratify, and this will no doubt be done with promptness. By the terms of the consolidation General A. J. Warner, of Ohio, will be president, Hon. R. C. Chambers, of Utah, first vice-president, and Judge Henry G. Miller, of Illinois, second vice-president. The work will go on as heretofore, except that it will be more vigorously pressed. The principal office and general headquarters will be at 134 Monroe Street (Rooms 509-510-511, Fort Dearborn Building) Chicago, Ill., with Mr. E. B. Light as general business manager.

The skies are brightening, the silver sentiment is rapidly crystalizing, and Wall street is losing its grip.

Let the bimetallists press the campaign all along the line, working in the ranks of all parties, and building up a sentiment in favor of a true American financial policy everywhere.

The overshadowing importance of the money question is daily becoming clearer. Even the manufacturers are beginning to see that they cannot prosper on the gold basis, with the competition of silver using nations destroying the American farmer, and with oriental competition now directly threatening to sap the foundations of the entire manufacturing system of the United States.

Courage and determination, coupled with intelligent and harmonious action will win the battle for silver restoration in 1896. Are you an American?

"I Am an American."

Some men boastingly proclaim: "I am a Democrat,' and others, "I am a Republican." When President Cleveland talks Americanism our hearts joyfully respond and we feel proud to say, "I am an American."

It must be exceedingly gratifying to every true American to find that our president proposes to stand up and if necessary fight for an American policy—the Monroe doctrine. It is hardly a part of the law of nations, but it is a good, sound American policy and we can enforce it without going to war.

Now that the ice is broken (so to speak) and the president finds that we can declare war "without international conference" and "without England's consent," perhaps he will progress in Americanism until it is stalwart enough to hold and maintain that we can coin an American silver dollar without "a conference" and without anybody's "consent."

As long as England can control our monetary policy (as she does now) she has no need to go to war with us to keep us down and our producers in distress. Over $3,000,000 in gold went to England to-day from our treasury by Schleheimer et al. on paper, that calls for "coin," not gold remember, but simply "coin."

The president orders all these to be paid in gold coin and so the silver is left idle in the treasury and another bond issue is imminent to replace gold in the treasury and another ten-million steal into the private contract bond syndicate composed of Englishmen, English-Americans and the president's late partner Stetson.

More than 100 years ago we declared our political independence and by a seven years' war established it. Time and again we have declared our commercial independence by tariff, almost prohibitory, without even a suggestion of "conference." And now we have proclaimed distinctly to the world the Monroe doctrine. But can we maintain the Monroe doctrine if we allow England to dictate our monetary policy, do you think? No, we can have no real independence in any respect unless we have and control our own monetary system and money supply. Independence in that respect is the one thing we need and must have or all else comes to naught. PERRY PRENTISS.

Colorado and Bimetallism.

The time has passed when Colorado as a state can have any selfish motive for urging the free coinage of silver. Her production of the precious metals for the year of 1895 will buy one-third more of the world's goods under the present single standard system than it would be able to do under honest bimetallism. And yet it will be found that her people will be just as loyal as ever to the cause of bimetallism. This fact, for fact it is, and a stubborn fact at that, will give complete answer to the gold standard, last ditch argument, that Colorado's reason for asking for free coinage is to make a market for the product of her silver mines.—Industrial Reporter, Denver.

The Reporter knows whereof it speaks.

The people of Colorado have studied the silver problem as a question of money. Although they now produce more gold than silver, they know that the destruction of silver as money means low prices, business stagnation and hard times in every gold standard country. They understand that the prosperity of Colorado is inseparably connected with that of her sister states, and even though she may enjoy exceptional advantages from her increased output of gold, they know that what deal will necessarily injure Colorado some. It is not within the range of honest figuring to show how the demonetization of silver has done the United States any good, But it can be easily shown, and has been a thousand times, that it has done the country infinite harm.

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PICTURING A SEA FIGHT.

How Instantaneous Photography Figures in the Modern Painter's Art.

Instantaneous photography has made it easy to-day for men with little knowledge of seamanship to place ships and boats under sail in a picture, but in early days, says Temple Bar, the power of doing so correctly was limited to a few men like Stanfield and Capt. Beechy, R. N.

The difficulty of obtaining anything like a reliable description of a sea fight, even from those who had taken part in it, was, according to Stanfield, very great, and he told us how, when planning his picture of "The Battle of Trafalgar," he applied to Capt. Hardy for advice as to the position of the Victory, Hardy's answer being that, owing to the smoke, it was impossible during the height of the action to see beyond the ships alongside, adding: "I am about the worst man you could come to, for some time before that which your picture represents the Victory's tiller ropes had been shot away, and I was below in the steerage attending to them and the helm, and down there we knew so little of what was going on that we continued to load and fire one of her stern guns until ordered from the deck to stop because we were firing into one of our own ships."

Like Loutherbourg, Stanfield had been at sea as a young man, while both owed much of their facility and power of composing a subject to their early training in the scene loft. But I think Loutherbourg greatly surpassed Stanfield as a draughtsman and in knowledge of naval architecture.

A woman never really knows the meaning of happiness and content until she is the mother of a healthy, happy child. The health of the child depends on the health of the mother, both before and after birth. Most all of woman's weakness and particularly the weakness that most strongly influences the health of children, comes from some derangement or disease of the distinctly feminine organs. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure trouble of this nature. It should be taken regularly by every woman during the entire period of gestation. It gives strength to all the organs involved, lessens the pains of childbirth and insures the health of both mother and child.

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Eugene V. Debs has accepted an invitation to lecture before the students of the Chicago University.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c, (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's. May

Sir Charles Tupper has been agreed upon as the next Canadian Premier.

As the strength of a building depends upon the solidity of its foundation, so health depends upon the condition of the blood. To expel impurities and cause the vital fluid to become vigorous and life-giving, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the most powerful and effective medicine in use. 1w

President Kruger of the Transvaal is working off his superfluous fat by riding a bicycle.

I burned my finger very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it. Amelia Swords, Saundersville, O. 1w

Frosts during the last ten days are said to have partially ruined the California fruit crop.

The best way to avoid scalp diseases, hair falling out, and premature baldness, is to use the best preventive known for that purpose—Hall's Hair Renewer. 1w

Burglars blew open the safe of the Madison (O.) Bank with dynamite, but obtained only a small sum.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is pleasant to take, positively harmless to the most delicate constitution, and absolutely sure to cure the most obstinate cough or cold. A household boon. 1w

Charges of corruption are made in reference to the purchase by Argentina of several Italian war ships and transports.

Ayer's Pills are reccommended by leading physicians and druggists, as the most prompt and efficient remedy for billiousness, nausea, costiveness, indigestion, sluggishness of the liver, jaundice, and sick headache; also, to relieve colds, fevers, neuralgia, and rheumatism. 1w

Ridiculous.

The directions on the high price cans are the same as on Calumet cans, viz: "Two teaspoonfuls to a quart of flour," but they say, one can of high price will go three times as far as any other. Can any claim be more ridiculous? Another claim made in favor of high price baking powder is still more ridiculous, viz: that any baking powder sold at a less price than theirs must be dangerously adulterated. 1w

—Book Binding—

We have made arrangements whereby we can take orders at this office for all kinds of binding. The work will be done in first-class style at the University Book Bindery in Ann Arbor. Bring along your magazines and portfolios that you may want bound and get our prices. Now is the time to have your books bound.

$200.00 IN GOLD GIV...

Of Special Interest to ... Teachers.

R. H. Woodward Company, of ... more, Md., are making a most ... offer of $200 to anyone who will ... copies of Gems of Religious Th... new book by Talmage. This is ... the most popular books ever ... Three editions sold in 60 days. ... sell 10 to 15 copies a day. As ... organ, retail price $270, given for ... ing 110 copies in 3 months. A ... bicycle given for selling 80 cop... months. A gold ... copies in one month. This ... addition to commission. Comple... fit 35 cents. Freight paid. Credit ... Agents wanted also for Talks ... dren about Jesus. 150,000 copies ... and it is now selling faster than ... Same terms and conditions as ... of Religious Thought. Other ... books and Bibles also. They ... special and most liberal rates to ... and teachers for summer vacation ... ing last summer a large num... students and teachers canvass... their books. Among the list there ... 23 who made over $200, ... who ... $200 premium, and 76 made over ... for their summer work. Write ... immediately.

CROSS-EXAMINATIO...

Could Not Weaken Such Te... As This.

(From the Kalamazoo Telegram.)

The following statement is one of ... interest to many a citizen of Kala... and a man as well known as Mr. W... should carry more than ordinary ... with our readers. Here it is as ... down by our representative:

"My name is John A. Walker ... a member of the firm of J. A. Wal... Co., doing business as tinners, etc., ... Eleanor Street, Kalamazoo, in which ... also reside. For the past nine or ten ... I have been having attacks of kidney ... plaint, the pain in my back over my ... was very severe at times; my urinary ... tem was also in a bad state of de... ment, sometimes the urine was scant... then again the amount would be exce... and a difficulty of passage always ex... I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills at a ... when I felt that I was going to be ... but their use warded off an attack, ... am now feeling very much better, ... urinary organism has regained a ... condition, and the terrific pain in my ... is much reduced in severity, while it is ... fast going away altogether. I am ... tinuing the use of Doan's Kidney ... with positive feeling that they will ... on me a permanent and speedy cur... have unbounded confidence in D... Kidney Pills as a remedy for all kid... ailments; have good reason to be, as ... have done so much for me."

Can you ask any more than this? Doan's Kidney Pills are relieving more backs of the burdens they have been forced to ... through the kidneys than all other ... devised, and, better still, they are fo... this right here in Michigan. Ask any... who has ever taken them and see what ... will say.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by ... er's, price, 50 cents. Mailed by ... Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., ... for the U. S. Remember the name ... and take no other.

Stop suffering! Try Dr. Miles' Pa...

Ex-Consul John L. Waller ... released from prison in Fran... rived at New York.

HEART DISE...

many other ailments ... have taken hold ... never gets better of its own ... *Constantly grows worse.* ... thousands who know they have a ... heart, but will not admit the fact ... don't want their friends to worry. ... *Don't know what to take for it,* ... they have been told time and ... heart disease was incurable. ... case of Mr. Silas Farley of D... who writes June 18, 1894, as follows: ... *"I had heart disease for ...* my heart hurting me almost ... The first 15 years I doctored ... trying several physicians and ... until my last doctor told me ...

... gone. But on the first day of ... the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie ... of Anderson, Ind., I commenced ... *Dr. Miles' New Cure for the H...* and wonderful to tell, in ten days ... working at light work and on March ... menced framing a barn, which ... work, and I have not lost a day since. ... years old, 6 ft. 4½ inches and weigh ... *I believe I am fully cured.* ... I am now only anxious that everyone ... know of your wonderful remedies."

Dyesville, Ohio. SILAS FA...

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a ... guarantee that the first bottle will ... All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for ... it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of ... by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart

Dr. Miles' Heart Cu... Restores Hea...

For Sale by all Druggists

NASAL CATARRH is a LOCAL DISEASE and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes. It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly to the nostrils.

ELY'S CREAM BALM Opens and cleans the Nasal Passages. Allays Pain and Inflammation. Heals the Sores. Protects the Membrane from Colds. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. The Balm is quickly absorbed and gives relief at once. Price 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St. New York.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...ols Flourishing—Mabee, the Druggist, Here—Incorporation to be Investigated.

...eaning house is in order.

...hips at Jas. Haight and Co's.

...oyd Ward was in town Sunday.

... Lee is working with the bridge ... the Wabash.

...v. Bolpoo Roderus has returned ... his eastern trip.

... Hendershot and family, of Macon, ... Sunday in Britton.

...ardson Bros. have already sold ... of their new Bellis bicycles.

...rs. Wm. Underwood, who has been ... seriously ill is out of danger.

...rn Gripton and Geo. Clark took a ...l ride to Tecumseh and Milan last ...day.

...m. Britton attended the district ...blican convention at Ann Arbor ...week.

...L. Morgan, of Morenci, formerly ...ected with the meat market here, ...in town Wednesday.

... Hughes and Henry Taylor in... ...ed in a fishing excursion last week ...report excellent luck.

... W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, who ...been visiting at Ridgeway, stopped ...ritton on his way home Tuesday.

...he spring showers are probably over ... It is just the time to scrape the ...s and put them in condition to be ...ed all summer.

...m. Britton has been chosen dele... ... to the Great Camp of the Macca... ..., to be held at Saginaw in June. ...s. DuBois was elected alternate.

... W. Gardner, of Lawton, spent Sun... ... with Rev. Deyo's family. Mr. ...dner is a brother of Mrs. Deyo, and ...alesman for the Anderson Buggy Co.

...he ladies of Ivy Leaf hive, No. 506, ...l hold an ice cream social Saturday ...ning, May 9, at the K. O. T. M. A ...gram is being prepared. All are ...ited.

...Lenardson Bros. have been treating ... west side of their east store to a ...t of paint. The shelving on that ...e will soon hold a complete new line ...footwear.

...A. W. Curtiss and family left last ...ursday for a week's visit with his ...ents at Ionia. Art will enjoy the ...p as he has not visited the paternal ...of for 7 years.

... Rev. C. I. Deyo will preach on the ...llowing topics next Sunday. Morn... ..."Christ Feeding the Five Thousand ... the Desert." Evening, "The Uni...rsal Fatherhood of God."

...C. R. Mabee and mother, of Jasper, ... in the active duties of settling, ...h at their house in the Hoagland ad...on and in the old quarters of the ...ite Pharmacy, where Mr. Mabee will ...tly put in a complete line of drugs.

...st Britton boys are brave, but an ... father and a good sized horsewhip ...e a combination which will frighten ...stoutest heart. Hence the precipi... ...haste with which one of our young ...ended his call. He seemed in a ...t hurry to get home, too.

... Wabash bridge gang has been at ...k putting in a new platform and ...erwise fitting up and improving the ...ot. The painters are expected to ...ow ere long and the Wabash head... ...rters in Britton will present an at...tive appearance once more.

...uy any kind of a whip at James ...ght & Co.'s.

... citizens' meeting has been called ... Saturday evening of this week to be ...d in Exelby's hall. The purpose of ... gathering will be to canvass the ...eticability of incorporating the vil...e. The time has now come when this ...estion must be decided, for a time at ...t, and every citizen of this burg ...uld be present at the meeting. Don't ...y away and kick afterwards.

...Francis Yates, while returning home ...h his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hendershot, ... his three children, last Saturday ...t, experienced quite a peculiar run... ...y. One forward wheel of the wagon ... into a very deep hole in a rut, up... ...ing the equilibrium of the vehicle ...iciently to throw out Mr. Yates and ...Hendershot. The team then ran ... the three children were thrown out. ...Hendershot sustained severe in... ...es, but the others fortunately es... ...ed with a few slight bruises. Holes ...he road are just in the wrong place.

...im Lee, Lawrence Brown, Clarence ...e and John Zeluff fished at Mud ...e recently. That ends it. You can ...ss the rest. You have probably ...d of fish stories. You have heard ...dent legends of finny monsters, etc. ...tory relates how the ships of the ...at discoverer, Sebastian Cabot, were ...pped off the New England coast by ... dense schools of cod swimming ...et. All these beautiful yarns are ...d in the shade by the experiences of ... big four. It is out of respect for ...reverend writings and long cherished ...ths of heroes now dead that we re...n from publishing the reports of this ...ursion. They are certainly ingen...s and meritorious.

...as. Haight & Co. have a complete ...w line of whips.

...The condition and progress of our ...blic schools should be perhaps the ...erest to the heart of every tax payer, ...rent and child. However, we are ...ot to let this most important institu...on run along under the care of teachers ...thout giving it a thought. This is all ...ht as far as it goes, when the schools ...e under as proficient management as ...ition has secured. But it does not ...far enough. Every person in the ...mmunity should keep posted on the ...ndition of our schools that a well in...rmed public sentiment may anticipate and inaugurate improvements and changes when they are needed. A few inquiries reveals the fact that the attendance at the Britton schools was never so large, at least in a spring term, as at present. There are 88 pupils, 40 classes, 10 grades and two teachers. The school is in excellent shape, in regard to organization, grading and instruction. This condition of our schools is highly gratifying, and will soon demand another teacher to assist in the work of instructing this number of grades and pupils.

RIDGEWAY.

A Pingree Potato Patch—Fix Your Sidewalks—Children's Day to be Celebrated.

Buy whips of Jas. Haight & Co.

Look out for the ice cream social.

C. A. Pocklington drove to Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Lou Arner, of Tecumseh, was home over Sunday.

Edgar Wells and wife, of Britton, attended church here Sunday.

Ed. Harrison is at Adrian as juror during the present term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cone, of Cone, called on friends in the village Saturday.

Richard Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., is shaking hands with old friends once more.

Jas. Haight & Co. have just received a new line of buggy whips. Any kind, any price.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was shaking hands with old friends the first of the week.

The Sunday school will celebrate children's day the last Sunday in May instead of in June.

The Pingree potato patch scheme has struck town and the west park has been planted with potatoes.

Highway Commissioner Swick has served notices that all defective sidewalks must be repaired or torn up, and a section in the West street walk went up.

Those three horse whiffletrees of Will Riggs are the farmer's friend, call at his shop and see them. They are a new device in the way of a three horse rig.

Buy your whips from Jas. Haight & Co. New invoice.

Lafe Rappleye wishes us to say that if there are any more limbs cut from the trees by the local telegraph company, he will see who has the best right to private property.

CONE.

Leap Year Social a Success—Items of Personal Interest.

Thomas Caswell was a Monroe visitor last Thursday.

Dr. M. Howell was a Tecumseh visitor last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Michael Welch, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends here this week.

The receipts of the leap year social at J. M. Auten's last Friday were $7.60.

Mr. Orrin Dennison was the guest of his cousin, Lavern Biggs, at Britton Sunday.

Frank Packard and wife went to Detroit the first of the week to visit friends.

Mrs. Emily Dennison visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Underwood, who is very sick, at Britton last Sunday.

Dr. Richardson, of Dundee, was in town last Thursday leaving samples of his headache tablets and liver pills.

Mrs. Mabel Laskey and little sons, Grant and Lynne, of West Toledo, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Auten, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. DuBois, of Britton, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynn and daughter, Bertha, of Ridgeway, and Mrs. Martha VanDeVenter, of Ithica, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amasa VanDeVenter Sunday.

LAKE RIDGE.

Personal Mention From the Ridge.

Frank Lowry visited his mother Sunday.

Miss Josie Hand visited Hally Cole over Sunday.

Miss Lulu Westfall is the possessor of a new bicycle.

Will Smith is doing a job of tiling for Joe Harrington.

Sam Boyd has been having a carbuncle on his face.

James Murphy visited friends in Tecumseh over Sunday.

Elmer Camburn, of Macon, was a visitor at the Sabbath school Sunday.

Quite a number of the young people of Macon attended church at South Macon Sunday evening to hear the evangelist.

Addison Berdan, of Saline, was calling on friends on the Ridge last week, on his way to visit his sister, Mrs. J. C. Mills.

C. W. Stevenson, who has held meetings the past week at the South Macon church, has returned to his home in Chicago, with the good wishes of all.

Do Not Do This.

Do not be induced to buy any other if you have made up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Remember that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail. Do not give up in despair because other medicines have failed to help you. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully and you may reasonably expect to be cured.

Hood's pills are purely vegetable, carefully prepared from the best ingredients. 25c. 1w

MACON.

Ladies' Aid Society—Grant Fellows will Orate on Decoration Day.

Mrs. Hugh Hendershot will entertain the ladies' aid society on May 13th.

Mr. Grant Fellows, of Hudson, will deliver the address on decoration day.

Seventeen wheelmen from this vicinity took a trip to Manchester the first of the week.

Misses Grace and Cora Austin and May Lowry, of Tecumseh, attended service here Sunday.

Heborn Camburn is the possessor of a new surrey, which looks very inviting to anyone who enjoys riding.

Charlie Frost, who was severely injured by being trampled on by an unbroken colt about three weeks ago, is now on the gain.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best. May

Republican National Convention, St. Louis, Mo., June 16, 1896.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad has reduced the rate from all stations to St. Louis to one fare for the round trip. For particulars as to dates of sale, limits, etc., call on or address nearest Wabash ticket agent, or

C. S. CRANE,
Gen'l Pass & Tkt. Agt.,
m13 St. Louis, Mo.

Your Physical Condition

Needs attention at this time. If you are tired, weak and nervous, it is clear that your blood is impure, and without doubt there has been too much overwork or strain on brain or body. The course of treatment for such a condition is plain and simple. The blood must first be purified so that the nervous system, and in fact all the organs will be fed upon pure blood. Intelligent people without number have testified that the best blood purifier, nerve tonic and strength imparting medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Nervousness, loss of sleep and general debility; in a word, health and happiness follow after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

German Baptist Meeting, Ottawa, Kan., May 26-29, 1896.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets May 18, 22, 23 and 25, 1896, from all points to Ottawa, Kan., at one fare for the round trip, plus $2, good to return thirty days from date of sale. For time tables and other information call on or write to any ticket agent of the Wabash, R'y, or connecting lines, or C. S. CRANE,
Gen'l Pass. & Tkt. Agt.,
m13 St. Louis, Mo.

To Offer a Reward of $100

for a case of catarrh that cannot be cured, creates the suspicion that the article so advertised is a humbug. Do you know of any such reward being paid? Ely Bros. do not promise rewards in order to sell their well known "Cream Balm." They offer the most effective medicants, prepared in convenient form to use, and at the lowest possible price, 50 cents per bottle. An honest and effective remedy, which is absolutely free from mercurials or other harmful drugs. 1w

C., J. & M. Extension to Jackson, Mich.

The extension of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Railway from Addison to Jackson, Mich., having been completed, through passenger train service between Cincinnati and Jackson and between Toledo and Jackson and intermediate stations will be inaugurated on Monday, May 11. With the completion of this extension, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y becomes the shortest route and the only line having through passenger train service between Cincinnati and Jackson. And in connection with the Michigan Central and Grand Trunk railroads to and from Jackson it forms a direct line between Cincinnati and all southern and western Ohio points and Grand Rapids, Mackinaw City, Saginaw and all points in southern Michigan. For time of trains, rates, etc., please enquire of any C., J. & M. agent. 8t2

I have used Burdock Blood Bitters in my family for two years. It is the best medicine I ever used. It cured me of erysipelas in very short time; also cured my son of scrofula after the doctor had failed. Louie S. Woodward, Laurel Hill, Fayette county, Pa. 1w

William Kenny, a blind man, is on trial in New York City for the murder of Conrad Barber.

After the Grip, What?

Few diseases are marked by such tedious and unsatisfactory convalesence as is the one known as epidemic influenza, in spite of the ordinary modes of treatment. The patient is left in a condition of general debility. He is troubled with catarrh, headache, and with slight exposure he is subjected to a relapse. To prevent this and to cure the catarrh use Century Catarrh Cure. Instant relief. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. May

The annual pension of 25,000 francs granted by the French Government to Pasteur is to be continued to his widow.

Live at Formosa and you Wont Have Catarrh.

Among the few spots on the surface of the earth where catarrh is not, is the Island of Formosa. Here grow the camphor trees from which is obtained the camphor of commerce. The pungent odor which is exhaled from the leaves of these trees so impregnates the atmosphere that catarrh is unknown. The wonderful healing properties of camphor have been the cause of the great success of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm, which carries in the form of salve large quantities of not only the camphor that comes from the Island of Formosa but also the more rare and delicate camphors, among which is that obtained from the Australian Blue Gum Tree, and the Japanese Camphor known as Menthol. When this salve is applied to the inflamed and diseased membrane decay is arrested at once and healing commences. There is no case of catarrh or catarrhal deafness that Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm will not heal. A small sample may be obtained by sending a two cent stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, Ohio. Austin Gebhart, Whitefield, Ohio, says—"It gives me great pleasure to inform you that your Catarrh Balm has cured my catarrh and deafness."

Indigestion is often taken for consumption. The word consumption means wasting away, and dyspeptics often waste away as badly as consumptives. The reason people waste away is because either they don't get enough to eat, or they don't digest what they do eat. If the latter is your trouble, take Shaker Digestive Cordial. This will help you to digest your food and stop your loss of flesh. Shaker Digestive Cordial is made from herbs, barks and the juices of fruit, by the well known Shakers of Mount Lebanon. It possesses great tonic and digestive powers. Shaker has cured many supposed consumptives (who were really dyspeptics), by simply helping their stomach to digest their food, thus giving them nourishment and new strength. Sold by druggists. Trial bottles 10 cents. 1w

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. apr

At the Hercules mine, Boulder County Col., a six-inch pay streak has been struck, and development is being pushed.

A VISIT to the SICK ROOM

TOUCHING THE SPOT with Johnson's Belladonna Plaster

THE DOCTOR'S BILL

PARALYZING, but unnecessary. You don't have to run for a Doctor whenever you feel a little out of sorts. A few doses of Dr. F. FRENCH'S UNEQUALED BLOOD PURIFIER AND RHEUMATIC REMEDY, will make you feel all right and save you a lot of money. Some people have found this out, and this is what they say about it.

E. B. DOWNING, Grand Rapids, Mich.

"Was troubled with Rheumatism—tried several remedies with no effect. Had several doctors who did me no good—half a bottle of Dr. F. French's Unequalled Blood Purifier and Rheumatic Remedy cured me."

J. FREE SMITH, Lansing, Mich.

"Doctors called it Bright's Disease in its early stage. One bottle of Dr. F. French's Unequaled Blood Purifier and Rheumatic Remedy removed all symptoms of the disease—have felt nothing of it since."

Mrs. DIANA RIGGS, Hillsdale, Mich.

"Was sick for four years with enlargement of the Liver and Spleen, and General Prostration of the Nervous System; was attended by two of the best Doctors in the town and used no end of Patent Medicines, all who saw me thought there was no relief except by death, which seemed sure. A friend recommended Dr. F. French's Unequaled Blood Purifier and Rheumatic Remedy; in less than a week after I commenced taking it I was better. Six bottles cured me. You are welcome to use my name and this statement, and also refer anyone to me either personally or by mail, and I will tell them much more than I can write."

We have many more letters to the same effect.

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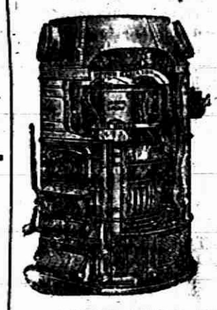

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 8, 1896.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 1 '96.

"The jig is up with silver," said a prominent silver man, so far as the republican notional convention is concerned. That has been apparent for some time, and the recent publication of Senator Wolcott's letter declaring his intention to stand by the republican party regardless of the financial platform adopted at St. Louis, and the declaration to the same effect made by Gov. McConnell, of Idaho, are additional proof that the silver republicans are fully aware of the situation. Senator Teller openly served notice upon the republicans that he would not support a gold ticket or platform. At this time it seems almost certain that the democratic national convention will have a majority of silver men, but many of the silver democrats admit that it is very doubtful whether a pronounced silver man will be nominated or a free silver platform adopted, owing to influences which are being exerted to prevent. The populists would prefer that neither of the old parties declare in favor of silver, as they think that would enable them to draw silver men from both.

Speaker Reed got a black eye when the Vermont republicans endorsed Gov. McKinley as their first choice for the Presidential nomination, and it was entirely unexpected, too. It has, of course, resulted in making the McKinley men more jubilent than ever.

The Senate this week listened to eulogies of Father Marquette from Senators Vilas and Mitchell, of Wis., and Kyle, of South Dakota, and adopted a resolution offered by Senator Palmer, of Ill, accepting the statute of Father Marquette and returning the thanks of Congress to the State of Wisconsin for the same. The A. P. A. will probably make a fight on this resolution when it gets in the House.

No speech made at this session of Congress has attracted more attention than that of Senator Gorman attacking the large naval appropriations, not because of his opposition to the navy, but because of the fact that more money by $151,000,000 is being appropriated than it is estimated that the government will receive from all sources during the fiscal year beginning July 1, next. He said that one of three things must be done, cut down appropriations, increase taxation or issue more bonds. He called the $162,000,000 received from the sale of bonds by the present administration "blood money," but gave notice that if the naval appropriation bill was not reduced he would offer to amend it by providing for an issue of $50,000,000 in short term, low interest certificates, because of his belief that it was better to issue that form of indebtedness than the long term high interest bonds which the Treasury will otherwise have to issue. Referring to the determined purpose to put this nation on a war footing and inaugurate on this continent the principle of military control upon which the European powers are based, Mr. Gorman said: "Ours is a stronger structure, built up by a people who have no arms in their hands and who need not standing armies to defend or protect them." He presented figures showing that from 1891 to 1895 the appropriations had exceeded the receipts to the anormous extent of $398,000,000.

This excess, he said, had been met in part by the money received from the sale of bonds, and the rest had been held back by the Secretary of the Treasury, who had been compelled to prevent improvements being made and to withhold money justly due to citizens.

There should not be the slightest doubt about the House agreeing to the Senate amendment to the Naval appropriation bill, prohibiting officers of the Navy entering the employ of private firms who have contracts with the government, as it has very clearly been shown that the practice has been abused almost to the extent of a scandal. The amendment will go into effect, if agreed to by the House, June 30, 1897.

The Nicaragua Canal scheme was given a further set back by the testimony of Col. Ludlow, who was chairman of the government commission which went over the route of the canal to investigate, before the House Commerce committee. Col. Ludlow says the construction of the canal is feasible, but not upon the present plans, which he thinks are based largely upon guesswork, instead of trustworthy data.

Frosts during the last ten days are said to have partially ruined the California fruit crop.

That Runaway.

The quiet peace, which usually shrouds this office and the adjacent street on a Sabbath evening just previous to the soft peal of our church bells calling the Herald force, together with other right minded citizens, to evening vespers, was rudely broken into at that time last Sunday by a short but determined and well directed runaway. The plate glass of the sanctum, aggregating about 30 yearly subscriptions, was also broken into—into a thousand pieces.

Del Cairns had driven to town with a somewhat spirited team, one of which was a colt. After driving about he had an errand to attend to and left the team in charge of a young man, supposing that he would drive them about until he returned in a few moments.

But the young man suddenly became otherwise engaged and instead of putting the team in the shed, which Mr. Cairns was wont to do, he carelessly hitched one of them with a line to the fence in Bennet's alley, about as a hired man would hitch an old plow team to go for a drink. The team was headed toward the road. The horse that was hitched soon slipped off the bridle, broke the line and dashed across the street just as Mrs. Bennett had called her husband to better secure the restless team. They made straight across Chicago street for the alley between the Herald office and the opera house, but evidently made a miscalculation and ran the buggy against the hydrant in front of the former place, which act freed them from the vehicle. It was now only the work of a moment, so to speak, for the frightened steeds to jump on the sidewalk and plunge their heads through the plate glass. In accomplishing this, the near horse struck the brick corner of the building, was knocked down and dragged the other to the sidewalk. By this time several men appeared on the scene and secured the horses, which were taken to Bennett's barn and cared for.

The team was badly cut up over the affair. Though one has been worked since, the outcome from their injuries cannot be told at present. Mr. Cairns had nearly closed a bargain for the sale of one of the team at a good price.

Just why the team struck the Herald office instead of going into the alley will probably never be known. One fellow said in a roguish way that they wanted to get into the paper. An experienced teamster, who has successfully passed through many runaways, said that the "ni' hoss" ran faster than the off, while a student of comparative insanity mentioned spasmodic paresis.

At any rate the affair is most unfortunate for Mr. Cairns, who is a very careful and competent horseman. The sash is now glazed with opaque pine flooring, through which the still undeveloped X ray of literary light percolates with difficulty.

Tecumseh Bicycle Club Reorganized.

A rich, rare and racy invoice of sanguinary fluid has been infused within the veins of The Tecumseh Bicycle Association; in fact it has been entirely reorganized, with twenty of our most energetic young men as charter members. "There are others" and whomsoever comes within the pale of the appended regulations regarding membership, and will rise in his might and hustle for the success of our coming race meeting, will be joyously welcomed at the cycling shrine. The regulations are not severe, and read as follows, viz.,

II.

"The objects of this association shall be the promotion of improvement in our highways, the building of cycle paths, and the holding and conducting of bicycle races, base ball and foot ball games, lawn tennis tournaments and such other sports and pastimes as a majority of the members shall deem advisable, and at such times and places as a majority thereof shall elect."

V.

"Any male person, eighteen years or more of age, interested in legitimate sport and in highway improvement, shall be eligible to membership in this association, but no person shall be admitted to membership without the consent of a two thirds vote of a quorum of said association."

VI.

"Each member, at the time of his admission to membership in this association, shall pay to the treasurer the sum of one dollar, and he shall also pay a like amount to said treasurer on the date of each annual meeting of the association so long as he remains a member."

After perusing the above drop a dollar in the slot and see how you enjoy the sensation of being an associate cyclist. As soon as the boys get in shape and secure a suitable head quarters it is proposed to establish a "Uniform Rank" and possibly a "Ladies Relief Corps."

When Nature

Needs assistance it may be the best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

The silver question is said to have been one of the causes of the enforced resignation of P. B. Lyles, who has been chief clerk of the Bureau of Animal Industry of the Agricultural Department for several years and who is now making silver speeches in Mo. He was appointed at the request of Senators Vest and Cockrell.

LITERARY NOTES.

Some of the features in Harper's Weekly for May 9th will be: "The Exposition at Buda Pesth," with a double-page illustration and an article by Robert Howard Russell; "The Tennessee Exposition, illustrated; "The Insurrection in Cuba," illustrated; and "Garden Trucking," by L. J. Vance, illustrated. The last mentioned article will treat of the increasing industry of raising vegetables and fruits in the south for sale in the northern and western markets during the winter season.

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Future numbers of The Forum will contain a number of noteworthy and helpful articles, contributed by leading members of the great political parties, bearing upon the Presidential campaign and the issues involved. The first of these papers appears in the May Forum, and is contributed by Mr. E. L. Godkin, editor of the New York Nation and Evening Post.

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A certain swindler, claiming to represent the Demorest Publishing Co., of New York, has been doing some of the western states. He cautiously uses a fictitious firm name and signs E. W. Stewart or G. W. Clay and claims to deal in the celebrated Demorest fashions and paterns. The Demorest company offer $50 reward for his arrest and conviction.

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Readers of The Chautauquan will be interested in the frontispiece of the May number, which is a life-like portrait of General Maximo Gomez, the Cuban revolutionary leader, who is also mentioned at some length in the peculiarly bright and apropos article on "Cuba, Our Neighbor in the Sea," contributed by Francis H. Osborne.

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Harper's Bazar to appear on May 2nd, will be brightened by a variety of very beautiful toilettes suitable to the spring. Fans, parasols, and other dainty accessories of the costume of a thoroughly well-dressed woman will be described among this season's novelties, and there will also be a look-at those indispensable requisites, gloves, shoes, and stockings.

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We are greatly pleased with the special edition of Electric Power for May, which the publishers have named a "Historical Number" It is certainly a fine magazine and contains an unusually excellent array of articles both of historic value and timely interest. The frontispiece, which is a beautiful figure of the nudé, is printed in a startling color, and together with the many other interesting illustrations forms an attractive feature of the number.

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Camille Flammarion, the celebrated French astronomer, contibutes to the May number of the North American Review an enterprising paper on "Mars and its Inhabitants." M. Flammarion regards our Martian neighbor as more advanced in planetary life, and inhabited by beings more intelligent than ourselves.

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In the May issue of Table Talk, that invaluable little magazine for housekeepers, one finds much of interest that is seasonable in the culinary line, as well as many hints through which the home maker wants to stick the proverbial pin. The Inquiry Department which is filled with questions direct from the housekeeper, contains many tested recipes in the replies, for plain, simple and choice dishes.

Charges of corruption are made in reference to the purchase by Argentina of several Italian war ships and transports.

OBITUARY.

WALDRON.

Aaron K. Waldron was born in New York state, October 23, 1823, and died at his home near Tecumseh, Michigan, April 13, 1896. He came to Michigan in the fall of 1845, and in the spring of 1846 bought the farm west of Tecumseh on which he has since lived. In 1846 he married Miss Sarah M. Gundersman, of New York. Six children were born into their home, all of whom still live, namely, Lewis M., William J., Chas. A., Clara and Sarah H., of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Adah Payne, of New York.

Mr. Waldron was widely known among the farmers, having been a farmer himself he was especially interested in that class of men. He was always ready to assist in anything that would advance their interests. At the early age of eighteen years he became a christian and a member of the Methodist church, where he remained until the time of his death. The funeral services were held at the home, by Rev. J. P. Varner, and a very large procession followed the remains to the cemetery.

G. A. R. Resolutions.

Respects to the memory of our deceased comrade, P. J. Farley, of Jackson, Mich., who was born in New York state in 1822, and enlisted at Ashtebula, Ohio, August 20, 1861, in Co. F, 2d Ohio Cavalry, and was discharged February 4, 1863, as Sargeant Co. F, 2d Ohio Cavalry, on account of disability. He died April 18, 1896, at Jackson, Mich., and until his death was a G. A. R. in good standing and a member of Beers Post.

Resolved, That we, as an organization, extend fraternal sympathy to the grief stricken members of his family, and as comrades we mourn with those who weep over the loss of our comrade, who has responded to the sounding of the bugle to that eternal camping ground.

J. DAVIDSON,
JAS. INGERSOLL,
A. W. SLAYTON,
Committee.

Call to Sunday School Workers.

The Lenawee County Sunday School Association hereby requests the Sunday school workers of Tecumseh and Clinton townships to meet in the village of Tecumseh for a Sunday school convention and for the purpose of effecting a township organization, auxiliary to the County Association. You are requested to come Friday, May 22, and attend three sessions that will be held as follows: A morning session at the Baptist church at 10 o'clock, an afternoon session at the Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock, and an evening session at the M. E. church at 7:30 o'clock.

A program is being prepared and arrangements made to have speakers and workers from abroad, who will help all who are engaged in this work. Let there be a full attendance.

Do You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strenght are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Baker & Hall's drug store. 3

Eugene V. Debs has accepted an invitation to lecture before the students of the Chicago Univerality.

Sir Charles Tupper has been agreed upon as the next Canadian Premier.

The National League of Musicians is in session at Washington, D. C.

Straw Hats. Straw Hats.

WARM WEATHER IS HERE.
STRAW HAT SEASON IS AT HAND.

We have received a very large stock of Straw Hats direct from Boston, and can show the nicest hats for the least money you have seen.

Have You Seen

our beautiful line of

Summer Suits and Pants?

They are in all styles and colors.

Suits from $5.00 up.

Nice All Wool Suits $7, $8 and $10.

We will sell you goods cheaper than any other store in Southern Michigan.

No trouble to show goods.

The One Price Clothiers. McCANN BROS.

Why Buy Soft, Oily Butter?

When you can get fresh, sweet, hard butter, right from our Large Refrigerator for less money.

Come and see how we keep our butter.

TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER COMPANY.

IF YOU

wish some plain facts in regard to Furniture, Crockery, Picture Frames and General House Furnishing Goods, visit our show rooms during our change of partnership sale.

Stock must be reduced within next sixty days. Price will do it.

We pay the freight on $10 worth.

F. R. Stebbins' Sons, Adrian.

"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

I have purchased

the Kennedy & Mize Grocery stock for about 50c. on the dollar. Watch for prices next week and come at once and take advantage of this money saving purchase. All who have been in the habit of using goods carried by this firm can now be accommodated at my store.

James Lowry.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS—For sale. Early cabbage and tomato plants now ady. A quantity of early celery plants for chase. Tomato plants by the hundred sp. Abner Wilson.

ANTS FOR SALE—I have for sale carefully grown plants of the following kinds: ato, Cabbage (early and late), Peppers and y. Wm. Smith, 2d house south of Williamse refrigerator.

R SALE—A $125 wheel for $25, on time. A. W. Slayton. tf

R SALE—Strictly pure blood Black Mecorica eggs; 91 cents setting, two for $1.65. A. T. Stewart, Holloway, Mich.

D FOR SALE—L. D. Dewey has the and cheapest Hungarian and Millet in and pays more for wool than any buyer e road. It will pay every farmer twice to bring his wool to Tecumseh to sell, gs at 9 cents per dozen, cash.

N RENT—The Spalding Green House for rent cheap. Enquire of W. H. Spald.

R SALE.—You can buy a good house and in Tecumseh and only pay $2.50 a week. at once, lock box 18.

R SALE—Cheap seed potatoes. Vicks ecessors, Rural New Yorkers, Maggie ples, Early Puritans, State of Maine, Moneedings, and Beauty of Hebron. A. W. n.

SALE—Or exchange, my place of six res, just outside of corporation on turnnown as Sam Holden place. Good buildater, etc. G. W. BUNT.

e Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., MAY 8, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

you look at the thermometer this

ice the new column of Ads. on the page.

yor Anderson was home from Dever Sunday.

sale a first class Steinway piano W. Frazier's. tf

W. Stevens attended the state con- on at Detroit Wednesday.

Lake Shore will take the suit of Smith to the court of last resort.

E. A. Hamilton returned Tuesom a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

pupils of the central building exercised in a fire drill last Tues-

Ella Walker, of Brooklyn, has visiting relatives and friends here eek.

Marcia Bennett went to Adrian y to remain a week with friends city.

r Matthews, who has a position he Big Four road at Grand Rapids aking hands with old Tecumseh ntances one day this week.

rs of the esculent bean will be ted to know that Mobbs & Co. ving a free lunch of a very r Boston baked article. Tomorthe last day.

load of the celebrated McCorders and mowers just received Slayton and a number of them to our farmers. Prospects are ctop this season.

Chas. Burridge is improving ence by adding a commodious on the east side. This will take the place of his Devils tage, when business compels e in town.

mith, of the Monroe Democrat, o write up eulogies of big eggs, gh less than a thousand pounds. tackle half a dozen four ounce wever, every meal at his boarde, and declare the "Yolk is ear."—Adrian Press.

er instance; taken from the Adss: Last Saturday afternoon e o'clock a bicycle rider struck an, on the sidewalk near the knocked him down, his dinner in one direction and his hat r. The wheelman hurried off ed, without waiting to help tleman to his feet.

ry was unanimously chosen the republican state con- Gen. Alger heads the delega- Louis, while James T. Hurst, lotte, and E. P. Allen, of Ypsi- represent the second district ingree seemed to get about show that free silver did in emocratic convention.

M. Woodward left Monday or Philadelphia, Pa., to attend nual meeting of the associa- litary Surgeons of the United which he is a member. The chairman of the first meetch the association was organwas 2d vice president during its second annual meeting, a member and chairman of mportant committees since and is still a member of the committee. The association d of the medical officers of States Army and Navy, and l officers of the National the various states, and has four hundred members. The ects to return home about

llister, who was formerly in Tecumseh, and who first wife here, seems to ack-sliding of late. Hollisht to have been out of his for some time by his friends. credited to a man of his and kind, frank disposition be accounted for in any It seems that Hollister has yed during the winter by monument firm and his llsies as a salesman brought returns. However, he was h the charms of Miss Estella hey were married at Goshen, arch 4th. Mrs. Hollister st wife having died) a most dy, lives in Holloway. It ry of whiskey. Mr. Holready is an exceptionally stic man and his unaccountis deeply regretted by the ds of the family.

D. T. Hall was an Adrian visitor yesterday.

Robt. Stretch, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday.

The condition of the cemetery bridge will be investigated.

A local wiseacre says the grass is taller than at any time last season.

Bert Gray, of Jackson, has been visiting his parents in Tecumseh this week.

Mrs. Fannie Rector will entertain the ladies of the Research Circle at her residence north of town tomorrow.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Sold out for Eternity."

M. A. Zimmerman made a business trip to Detroit last Saturday and incidentally went over to Birmingham to visit his brother.

Prof. L. M. Kellogg is attending the annual meeting of the state city superintendents' association, which is being held at Lansing this week.

Anderson Bros. have administered a new coat of paint to their delivery wagon. Their groceries remain the same unvarnished, reliable articles as formerly.

Adrian Times: Lovers of base ball will be interested to learn that the Giants play two games here on July 1 and 2, with the Grand Rapids Western league team.

It will be quite unsanitary for boys to bathe within the city limits in the daytime in the future. In fact the marshall may have to cool them off in the village sanitarium.

Union memorial services will be held at the Presbyterian church on the Sunday preceding Decoration day. Rev. R. S. Hudson, of the Baptist church will deliver the address.

A prominent young barrister of Tecumseh was given a very forcible lesson in soliciting recently. Had it not been for his unfinished work in the circuit court he would be a book agent today, despite his inclinations.

At the Baptist church Sunday, May 10th, morning—Preparation for the Lord's Supper, Luke 22:8 The right hand of fellowship will be extended after the service. Evening—Sermon to wheelmen, "The right kind of Exercise."

Our standpipe is also on the list for a little house cleaning. Mike Gillen is putting on a new coat of paint, both inside and outside. In the meanwhile the head in the water mains is preserved by direct pressure from the engine.

Magnate Vanderbilt went over the Jackson branch Tuesday in two cars. The special ran through Tecumseh and Clinton so fast as to almost smash their ordinances against fast driving. You bet he did'nt dare take water in either place.

A joint meeting of citizens and the members of Beer's Post has been called for this evening at the Council building to perfect arrangements for the proper observance of Decoration day. Everyone is requested to be present that a good beginning may be made in due season.

Subjects for next Sunday at the Universalist church: Morning, "If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar." I. John 4:20. Evening, "Ideals of Beauty." A special offering will be taken in the morning for the state convention. Evening service will be continued as usual.

L. I. Bidwell has had the misfortune to lose three of his fine jersey cows recently. The cows were pastured in Mr. Bidwell's lot east of the Lake Shore track. Dr. Waldron assisted in a post mortem examination and discovered pieces of lead paint which the cows had evidently got from old paint cans thrown into the pasture along the creek. Lead poisoning was probably the cause of death.

The ladies church social is invited to hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Jones, Friday evening, May 15. Mr. Jones has kindly donated ice cream to the society, to be sold for the benefit of the carpet fund, at ten cents a dish. Ladies are requested to show their appreciation by their presence, and to invite their gentleman friends to accompany them, this being leap year.

Monday morning a small sign, "closed for invoice" indicated why the grocery of Kennedy & Mize was closed. James Lowry has purchased the entire stock of this firm and it will be removed to his store on completion of the invoice. The many friends of the firm will seriously regret to see them leave the business of our street. Chuck has held forth in the vacated store for 15 years, and none of our business men have more friends than he.

A quiet but pleasant wedding ceremony occured at the home of Mrs. E. A. Remington, on Pearl street, last Wednesday at 12 o'clock noon, by which her daughter, Miss Loraine, was united to Abraham D. Hunt, of Franklin. Only the relatives and immediate friends of the interested parties were present. Rev. J. P. Varner tied the nuptial knot. The groom is a well known resident of Franklin and the bride has made many friends in Tecumseh since moving here from Macon.

A quiet, cosy bower is something to be sought after this time of year, but the silent city of the dead is too spookish a place to work a bauer successfully. The quiet spot and leafy solitude of the place is all that mortal man could devise for the bower business. But, oh! The spooks! The ghastly ghosts! A bower to be successful must have quiet. Some young men attempted to introduce one to the cemetery recently and all went well till the ghost appeared. Then chaos reigned, and flight ensued. It would have been all night if the bauer had only got used to it by degrees but the eager ghost appeared all at once instead of materializing by degrees, and before the immortal shade had seen its mistake the bower was established in the heart of the city.

And still the good weather continues.

A. Wheelan was a Detroit passenger yesterday.

A. M. Kennedy and Chas. Clark, of Clinton, were on our streets Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Cleveland, of Detroit, visited Tecumseh friends the last of last week.

There will be a called meeting of the Blue Lodge for work in the third degree tonight.

Mrs. Curtis, of Plymouth, Wayne Co., visited Boers Corps, Tecumseh, Monday evening.

Harris & Hiteshu show how easily their shoes climb the golden stair in their show window.

J. H. M. Campbell left Monday morning for New Haven, Macomb county, where he has a position.

Dr. Reed and Will Hicks took a spin to Brooklyn last Sunday and called on Herb Reed and other friends.

Now, at cleaning house time, is the time to have your windows fixed with Hause's patent window fastener.

Corps 177 voted $3 to be forwarded to headquarters for the purpose of decorating soldiers graves in the South.

We are offering a line of 75 cent and $1 fancy shirts at 50 cents.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

Mrs. Phelps and Miss Louise arrived in Tecumseh Wednesday. They will return to housekeeping in their home here.

Montague's novelty store is closed this week for the purpose of taking an invoice. Alva Spayde, as trustee, has charge of the effects.

Geo. Stanley came down from the Soo the last of last week and is making his ...y here a visit. Mr. Stanley expects to return to the north.

The meeting of the county teachers' association last Wednesday night didn't materialize to any great extent, doubtless due to a lack of advertising.

For $25, part time if desired, you can buy a $50 Eldridge sewing machine, bran new. Call at once, as only two remain.
HERALD OFFICE.

The fine instruments used at Lansing indicate that the noise made by growing crops in this commonwealth during the month was several thunder-meters louder than ever recorded before.

Geo. Hoag has become a knight of the road since he became possessor of a Clipper. His right of way was at one time disputed by a maple tree, but Geo. knew the right way to get out of it.

Call at the Herald office and see samples of copper plate engraved cards, wedding invitations and announcements. If you have copper plates bring them in. The low prices will surprise you.

F. A. Deuel, our gentleman dressmaker, is now making gowns for the society ladies of Omaha. Advices from Mr. Deuel say that he is much pleased with his new location. Mrs. Deuel will soon join her husband.

Telegram: About twenty of the Adrian Knights of Pythias went over to Tecumseh last evening to exemplify the work and assist the Knights at that place in conferring the first and third degrees on three candidates. A banquet followed.

Adrian people are feeling quite elated over the prospect of a grand gold medal contest soon to be held at that place. This is the first contest of the kind ever held in this part of the state, and will doubtless afford a rare treat to those who can attend.

Samuel Strong, of the firm of Strong Bros., Homer, was in town yesterday. Mr. Strong is the patentee of an improved apparatus for heating water tanks, and has been negotiating with Heesen Bros. & Co. for the manufacture of castings for his appliance.

From the first day of June until the 30th day of November inclusive, it will be unlawful to ride bicycles on the sidewalks of Tecumseh. The council has struck the matter about right and there is little likelihood that our wheelmen will make it necessary to enforce the ordinance. The full particulars of the ordinance will be found in another column.

F. J. Temple sometimes leaves the prescription case to practice the wiles of his profession on the finny tribe. Last week a very large pickerel succumbed to his tempting bait. But what kind of bait it was is what the boys are trying to find out. Some have suggested that since both parties have declared for gold, that the white metal is being used for fish hooks.

The clergy and lay delegates of the parishes forming the Southern Convocation of the Diocese of Michigan, held a meeting in St. John's church, Clinton, on Thursday last. A fair number of the clergy were present. The Rev. Dr. Stonex, of Brighton, prepared a paper to be read at the afternoon session. Subject, "Country Missions, their Difficulties and Needs." In the absence of the writer, the secretary of the convocation read it for him. At the evening service, the Rev. Wm. Gardam, of Ypsilanti, gave a very excellent address upon the religious education of children. As the Rev. A. Wetherbee was unavoidably absent, Mr. D. J. Brown, of Ann Arbor, gave an address upon missionary work.

Review! Review!! Review!!!

Attend the summer school at Adrian and get in readiness for the August examination. Nearly 97 per cent of those attending last summer received certificates. The new law will force many out of the profession unless they get second grade. Splendid opportunity for all ambitious teachers. Wite O. P. Palmer, M. W. Hensel, or Mrs. Edward Keeler.

—The great cut prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's draw large crowds.

—Tan shoes in endless variety. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery—
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—Come early and get first choice on rockers and tables.
WHEELER & SISSON.

—Plow shoes 89 cents. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—The place to get your work done is where it is done best, quickest and cheapest. I sharpen and clean lawn mowers for 35 cents, file buck and hand saws for 10 cents each, cross cut saws 25 cents, cross cut saws gummed 50c, sharpen shears for 5c, razors 25c and do everything in the line of umbrella, parasol and bicycle repairing at lowest rates.
JAMES CLARK.
Slayton block, Railroad street.

—Just in, a special new line of single pants patterns. It will pay you and please you to see them. J. M. JONES.

—Copper boiler $1.00, tin boiler 35 cents. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—See those lawn mowers at Satterthwaite Bros.

—I can furnish you an excellent lawn mower at a low price. See them.
C. A. SLAYTON.

The most complete line of spring and summer underwear ever shown in Tecumseh can be found at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Notice bargains in hosiery, handkerchiefs, soaps, tinware, etc. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—For sale—for lack of time to attend to a retail lumber yard, I will sell my stock of shingles on time. There is now a splendid chance to start a yard on Main street, only one yard in the town, but little capital required. See me at once. Truly yours, A. W. SLAYTON.

—Envoy and Fleetwing bicycles strictly high grade, price $75, at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Cutlery less than manufacturer's price. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—At the Globe Mill you can buy fine middlings at $12 per ton in ton lots.

—Gosoline and oil cook stoves at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Just because you see in my show window the nobbiest business suit for $20.00, don't think I cannot make suits that cost and are worth more money.
J. M. JONES.

—Harris & Hiteshu are showing a beautiful line of dress goods this spring.

—See those fine rugs at just manufacturer's price. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—Lap Dusters and whips at Satterthwaite Bros.

—2400 matches 10 cents. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

—14-qt. dish pans 10 cents; 100 clothes pins 10 cents. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—We have too many rockers and have decided to close them out at prices that will move them to make room for our new goods. This sale will last 10 days. Come early and get flirst choice. Goods all new and fresh.
WHEELER & SISSON.

—Hammocks and fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Where shall I go for an ice cream freezer? To the Mills Block.

—Full set dishes $5.00. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—I buy and sell all kinds of pine and hardwood lumber and I do a cash business. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Boots $1.87 per pair. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

—Price cuts no figure. This stock must be sold out. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—Fine line of refrigerators at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Bibles, books, etc. less than half price. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

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VOTES TO SPARE.

McKinley's Managers Say He Has More Than Is Needed.

Opposition Leaders Dispute Their Claims —Clarkson Says That the "Field" Candidates Are Not Disheartened, But Will Fight to the Last.

Cleveland, O., May 4.—At the McKinley headquarters in this city it is contended that the Ohioan now has 505 votes. If this prediction is verified McKinley has enough to nominate him on the first ballot, for it will require only 456 votes to nominate. The list as made up by the managers of the McKinley campaign is as follows:

Alabama	20	New York	4
Arkansas	16	Ohio	46
Arizona	6	Oklahoma	4
Florida	8	Oregon	8
Georgia	22	Pennsylvania	64
Illinois	48	North Carolina	11
Indiana	30	South Carolina	17
Kansas	20	South Dakota	8
Kentucky	11	Texas	12
Louisiana	8	Virginia	23
Maryland	9	West Virginia	4
Michigan	16	Vermont	4
Minnesota	18	Wisconsin	24
Mississippi	18	Utah	1
Missouri	36	Tennessee	24
Nebraska	16	North Dakota	8
New Jersey	16		
New Mexico	4	Total	556

Manley's Estimate.

Mr. Manley, of Maine, manager of Mr. Reed's campaign, gives out the following as his estimate of the situation: Delegates elected for Mr. Reed, 162; for Gov. McKinley, 275; for all other candidates, 217; contested and doubtful, 95; Vermont, 8. Mr. Manley refuses to put the Vermont delegation in the McKinley column. He says the convention in Vermont was a surprise to the friends of Mr. Reed. They had a right to expect that Vermont would join with the rest of New England and send a delegation pledged to the support of the New England candidate.

Clarkson's View of the Situation.

Washington, May 4.—Among republicans in Washington are Mr. Fessenden, member of the republican national committee for Connecticut, and Mr. Clarkson, for Iowa. The gentlemen had conferences with Senators Quay and Allison and other friends. Mr Clarkson was asked; "Has McKinley a majority of the delegates already, and what of the claim that he will be nominated by acclamation?" He replied:

"He has not nearly a majority yet, nor will he, in my judgment, enter the convention with a majority. Indeed, he will be shorter of a majority on the first ballot at St. Louis than Blaine was in the emotional year of 1876, Grant in 1880, or Sherman in 1888, when the latter in a field of 14 candidates voted for on the first ballot had 329 votes. He will not be nominated by acclamation, because I can say positively that Allison, Quay and Morton will remain in the contest, and so surely will Reed, and I judge so will Bradley and Cullom. Allison has not the least idea of withdrawing, nor Iowa any idea of giving up the fight. I believe this is true for the other candidates and their states. McKinley will fall from 80 to 100 votes short of enough to nominate at the start, and the field will represent from 525 to 560 votes. By the field I mean Allison, Reed, Quay, Bradley, Morton and Cullom, already suggested, and such other available men as Harrison, Lincoln, Foraker, Hobart, Davis and Gen. Tracy, of New York."

Mr. Clarkson further expressed the opinion that "the field" would hold firm. Referring to his allusion to Gen. Harrison being in the available field of candidates, Mr. Clarkson said: "In one respect Harrison would give the earliest certainty of anyone who could be nominated, for the day he should be nominated, the country would know exactly what his policy as president would be on the tariff, and exactly what it would be on finance, and this would quickly bring confidence and good times behind it."

Under the Wheels.

Beloit, Wis., May 4.—While attempting to get on a moving train at the village of Rockton, J. B. Taylor, a well-known clothing salesman, fell under the cars and had both legs cut off. He died Saturday evening. He was 30 years old, single and lived at Grand Blanc, Mich.

Will Preach in Chicago.

Bay City, May 2.—Rev. W. F. Irwin, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church in West Bay City, has decided to accept the call of the Fifth Presbyterian church of Chicago. His resignation was accepted at a session of Westminster church.

INTERESTING FACTS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

The Eighth Michigan infantry will have a reunion at Mason, June 16.

"Prince Mike," of Flying Roll fame, will be released from Jackson prison June 19.

William Hunter, a blind man, known as "Blind Bill," was killed by the cars at Morenci.

Vicksburg has voted to bond the village for $15,000 to put in electric lights and water works.

Silas Miller, an old pioneer of Grand Traverse county, committed suicide by hanging himself.

The temperance people of Negaunee are making active efforts to have the saloons at that place closed up.

Fred L. Ingraham, of Michigan university, won the first honors in the northern collegiate oratorical league contest.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gleason, of Harbor Springs, was drowned by falling head first into a rain barrel that had been sunk in the ground.

Norman Hoffman, a Homer boy, was killed by the accidental discharge of a Flobert rifle, that he was taking from a buggy.

The faculty of the dental department of the university at Ann Arbor has decided that the students must not play ball on the ground that it is liable to deform the fingers.

WAR ON SALOONS.

Residents of St. Joseph to Fight the Liquor Element.

St. Joseph, May 4.—If the efforts of some of the people of this city are successful this city will be a "dry" town. Recently they commenced agitating local option, and now the Law and Order league and Rev. Dr. Bready are pushing the matter. Sunday morning's service at the Methodist church was devoted entirely to criticising city officials and citizens. Rev. Mr. Bready said the city was rotten to the core, and the mayor, owing to his business, dared not enforce the law, and that the police were frequenters of the illegal places. The fight, he said, would be made against the officials, and that it had only been commenced, and if they did not enforce the laws there would be some startling exposures made.

St. Joseph, May 5.—Rev. R. H. Brady's sensational charges made against the city officials and citizens from the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday have created a sensation, and the business men have organized to resent the charges and fight the Law and Order league. Mayor Starr has rented a large hall and will answer his charges Sunday morning.

PARDONED.

William Stapleford Released After Serving Two Years for Murder.

Ionia, May 3.—William Stapleford, sentenced from Huron county in 1894 for three years for killing a man at a charivari, was pardoned Saturday from the state house of correction by Gov. Rich. Stapleford was known as "The Human Pincushion." Twenty years ago in Chicago he narrowly escaped death by poison, and is now strangely afflicted with paralysis of the nerves. He sticks needles and pins into any part of the body and cannot feel them. He burns his skin without pain, and is a puzzle to the doctors.

REASON RESTORED.

Remarkable Result of an Unusual Surgical Operation.

Detroit, May 3.—By removing a thick piece of bone which had grown into Benjamin Weatby's brain, as the result of an accident ten years ago, Dr. H. O. Walker has restored the man to reason after a decade of insanity, which was gradually transforming him into a raving maniac. In place of the bone removed a silver plate will be inserted, and the patient gives promise of quickly recovering. He says of the ten years during which he was without reason he recollected nothing.

Pays Big Taxes.

Lansing, May 6.—The Michigan Central Railway company Tuesday morning sent Auditor-General Turner a check for $228,000, the amount of its special tax for 1895, which the company was not required to pay until July 1. The money came just too late to be included in the apportionment of primary school interest money for May, but the districts will have just that much more coming next November.

Proposed New Road.

Niles, May 6.—An electric road will be built soon from South Bend to Benton Harbor, running through Niles, Buchanan and Berrien Springs. The power will be derived from three dams, one at Bertrand, one at Buchanan and the other at Berrien Springs. F. E. Lee, the Dowagis capitalist, is at the head of the movement.

Factory Burned.

Fife Lake, May 4.—Emmett Hagadorn's lumber and broom handle plant burned, entailing a loss of $10,000. Application for insurance had been made, but it is not known whether it was accepted. The mill had been running but a few weeeks.

Death of Capt. Ball.

Crystal Falls, May 1.—Capt. Thomas Ball, sheriff or Iron county, died in this city Thursday morning.

Firm But Peaceful.

Pretoria, May 6.—The Volksraad, the Transvaal parliament, was opened here with a speech by President Kruger, who declared for a firm but peaceful policy.

Trust Funds Missing.

Washington, May 5. — An investigation of the trust funds collected by the state department in Washington shows a shortage of $30,000.

Deficit for Ten Months.

Washington, May 2.—Official treasury figures make the government deficit for the ten months of the fiscal year $23,455,190.

THE DEMOCRATS.

Synopsis of the Proceedings of Their State Convention.

Detroit, April 30.—Sound money had won a complete victory when the Michigan democratic state convention adjourned shortly after eight o'clock Wednesday night. On the questions which were most closely contested this victory was accomplished by the narrow margin of 58 majority out of a total of some 500 votes. The administration men obtained the organization, adopted their resolutions entire and elected all their candidates at large and alternates.

After the opening prayer Alfred Murphy, of Detroit, temporary chairman, was conducted to the platform and received with applause. In his speech he reviewed the financial situation of the day, eulogized the patriotism of President Cleveland and predicted a victory for sound money in the presidential election.

The choice of the district caucuses for delegates to the national convention was confirmed, and the convention proceeded with nominations of delegates at large by roll call of the districts. Elliott G. Stevenson, sound money candidate for first delegate at large, was elected over John W. McGrath, silverite, ex-justice of the supreme court, by a vote of 473 to 310, the votes being taken by roll call of counties.

Thomas A. E. Weadock and Spencer O. Fisher, ex-congressman and silver man, both of Bay City, were the candidates for second delegates at large. Fisher was defeated by 58 votes.

Robert R. Blacker, of Manistee, war the gold men's candidate for third delegate at large, with William F. McKnight as his opponent. Before the roll call was complete Blacker was chosen by viva voce vote under suspension of the rules. Peter White, of Marquette the administration candidate, was chosen fourth delegate, no one else being nominated. Following are the alternates: W. E. Darragh, of Big Rapids; James O'Hara, of St. Joseph; C. R. Woodin, of Battle Creek, and Robert Lake, of Jackson.

Two reports were offered from the resolutions committee. The majority platform, which was adopted, commends President Cleveland's administration, especially as to its foreign policy, and urges aid to the Cuban patriots. The money plank is as follows:

"On the finance question we recognize that this administration stands upon and has consistently carried out the national democratic platform of 1892, on which it was elected by the people, and which decided that the parity of the metals in our currency shall be maintained.

"The platform of the national convention, which has carried the country overwhelmingly for our party, should be the doctrine of the democrats until a new platform is formed by another national convention. To the national convention to be held July 7 we remit this subject, with confidence in the wisdom and patriotism of that body."

An adverse resolution condemns the A. P. A. and similar societies. The minority report, which was tabled, presented a single resolution, which did not mention the administration, declared that business failures and distress were due to bad legislation and demanded remonetization and free coinage of silver at sixteen to one, without awaiting action by any other nation. At 8:17 p. m. the hungry delegates gladly adjourned sine die.

ASKS EXTENSION OF TIME.

J. L. Hudson Company, a Big Clothing Firm, Financially Embarrassed.

Detroit, Mich., May 2.—All the creditors of the J. L. Hudson company, the big clothing firm, received notice by mail Friday morning that the company is financially embarrassed and desires an extension of credits. The creditors also received a statement showing assets of $1,271,840.49 and liabilities of but $518,154.17. This leaves a surplus of $755,686.32, which Mr. Hudson says is impossible to realize on at present, necessitating an extension of credit.

The Hudson companies at Cleveland, Buffalo and St. Louis are in no way affected. Mr. Hudson says the immediate cause of the embarrassment is due to the failure of a large eastern house, which has always extended liberal credits, and the business will be carried on as usual until the 600 creditors are heard from. The Detroit company has branches at Sandusky, O.; St. Paul, Minn., and Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mine Opens Up.

Negaunee, May 2.—The Queen mine was opened Friday morning with 100 men employed, after idleness since last year. It is anticipated that other workings will start up this month, giving employment to several hundred men. The Tilden mine at Bessemer, Gogebic county, next to the Norrie, the richest and largest producer of the range, has been formally turned over to the Rockefeller syndicate by Receiver Morris, who has been in charge since the panic of 1893.

Horses Stolen for Their Hides.

St. Joseph, May 2. — Several horses have been stolen near here and no trace of the thieves could be obtained. Thursday the life-saving station patrolman found the carcasses of seven horses from which the hides had been removed very recently. They were in "Devil's Hole," just back of the lake shore, and in a desolate spot. It is thought a gang of thieves have been stealing horses and killing them for their hides.

Indians Take the Keeley Cure.

Perry, O. T., May 6.—Fifty Osage Indians, who have displayed an extraordinary fondness for whisky and its effects, are now taking the Keeley cure, and hope soon to become good Indians. Most of them are wealthy.

A Missing Will.

Boston, May 6.—The will of the late John Stetson, the theatrical manager, is missing, and there are rumors that only $500,000 of his supposed estate of $2,000,000 can be found.

A Broken Rail.

New Haven, O., May 6.—A broken rail on the Baltimore & Ohio road caused a freight wreck here, fatally injuring two persons and seriously injuring a number of others.

KISSING OF HANDS TABOOED.

Hygienic Reasons Lead to Abandonment of an Austrian Custom.

It has hitherto, says the New Orleans Picayune, been the custom of the children attending the public schools in Austria and Hungary to kiss the hands of the teacher on arrival and departure. This has now been forbidden by an order from the imperial board of education, which bases its action on the fact that sanitary investigation has shown that kissing is unhealthful and should not be practiced, except when absolutely necessary. This brings up a very nice point of law to establish when kissing is absolutely necessary. If the public school teachers of Austria and Hungary are old and ugly it is likely that the scholars will acquiesce in the new ruling without a murmur. If, on the other hand, the schoolmarms are pretty young women, like most of the New Orleans teachers, then the big boys in Austrian schools may keep up the good old custom of kissing the teacher, and plead that it was a case when kissing was absolutely necessary. Science is going too far, anyway, when it finds microbes in kisses and tries to establish a quarantine against them. Kissing goes by favor, and not by law. When the kisser is in love and the kissee is pretty, it is always a case of absolute necessity, not amenable to Austrian or any other kind of laws.

Failed for Millions.

Topeka, Kan., May 5.—The Investment Trust company of America, doing business in this city, went into the hands of receivers with liabilities of $2,800,000.

Suicide of a Newsboy.

Battle Creek, May 3.—Asa Crandall, a 14-year-old newsboy, died Saturday night from a dose of poison, taken with suicidal intention. He was backward in his studies on account of cigarette smoking and did not want to go to school any more.

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Sores

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Cured

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FARM AND GARDEN.

DRILLING DEEP WELLS.

How the Work Can Be Done Economically and Satisfactorily.

In reply to inquiry as to drilling deep wells at as little cost as possible I submit a diagram and a few figures as to what can be done. I have seen some very expensive machinery in use, also some that is very cheap.

He will want a derrick something like the accompanying diagram. The lumber should be four 2x6s, 24 feet long and a few boards to form the ladder and brace it. This will cost not over three dollars. The roller at the base should be ten inches in diameter. This can be made mostly of wood, or any old machine roller that is strong enough and fixed so as to couple the rod on from the horse power. The rope to be wrapped around this roller raises the drill, and then when you slack it the drill will fall. One man must stand and hold the rope to keep the drill going, and it will do the work

SIMPLE APPARATUS FOR DRILLING WELLS.

just as well as though it cost lots of money. You can raise the drill high or use short strokes as you like by letting loose sooner.

The horse power will be the hardest to get, but old ones are generally cheap. If you can fix it to run slow enough a master wheel and a pinion is all that is needed. Now as to drill rod and casing, most any hardware man can furnish them or you can get them in Chicago. Your one and one-quarter iron for drill rod will cost about seven cents per foot. Your casings will of course be two and one-half or three inches. If you want galvanized (which is best) it will cost 18 or 20 cents, according to size. You will want one large casing to start your well with—large enough so your casing for the well will slip inside of it. This you must start perfectly straight in order to have your well straight; then work inside of this until you are through. To drive this you will want a heavy block of wood with a rod four or five feet long stuck through it with a ring on the opposite side to tie your rope in. Then let the rod work inside of the casing and run this with your drill rope by raising and letting fall.

You can have your hardware man get drills. In clay you will want one expansion drill; for rock use a straight one. When drilling in clay you will need to use water from the top until you strike some water in the bottom. It will likely pay you to get some one that has had some experience to assist in starting the work, after which you will likely get along all right.—E. M. Robson, in Breeders' Gazette.

Cost of Handling Ear Corn.

A gentleman from the country says that the cost of carrying ear corn one year, or longer, is probably greater than many figure it, on account of the shrinkage. For instance, the cost of 1,000 bushels of corn at 21 cents is $210; interest at 7 per cent. for a year, $14.70; expense of crib, $20; cost of the corn at the end of one year, $244.70. But it is estimated that the shrinkage will amount to 20 per cent., or 200 bushels; therefore, there will remain but 800 bushels to sell. So $244.70 actually represents the cost of 800 bushels at the end of one year, or a fraction over 30 cents a bushel, without figuring anything for insurance or risk in holding—showing that 21 cents now is equal to about 30 cents a bushel one year from now.—Farmers' Review.

Selection of Seed Corn.

Farmers as a general rule are not careful enough in their selection and care of corn for seed. Many practice storing their seed corn in an open corn crib before it is thoroughly dry. The germ of corn being porous, absorbs moisture and being subject to hard freezing during the winter. As a result the germ is partially or wholly destroyed and the chances of its growing under the most favorable circumstances is very limited. An authority says while husking the best ears should be saved and placed in a dry room and cured by fire drying. Corn treated in this way is sure to grow and make a vigorous and healthy growth.—Drovers' Journal.

Interesting Facts About Corn.

Bulletin 33 of the Mississippi station gives details of experiments with corn, extending through six years at that station, and also summarizes results obtained at 13 other stations, north, south, east and west, covering 1,267 tests of 490 varieties. The results at the different stations are wonderfully alike, and they establish the following points beyond controversy: The most prolific white varieties out-yield the most prolific yellow varieties; white corn is slightly more nutritious than yellow; there is no appreciable difference in richness of flint and dent varieties.

BRAIN AND MUSCLE.

The Successful Farmer of To-Day Uses Both Hands and Head.

The man who uses both brains and muscle will far outstrip in the race of life the man who uses only his muscles. This is true in every calling in which men engage, but especially is it true in farming. The farmers who are getting along the easiest, other things equal, are those who mix brains with their work; who plan and systematize their work; do everything in its season, and in the most thorough manner possible. The farmer who, for instance, does not decide what crops he will plant till planting time comes; or the one who breaks his ground regardless of the condition of the soil, plants untested or doubtful seed in poorly prepared soil, cannot be said to have mixed enough brains with his work.

There is no doubt that many farmers would have better profits if they would rest, recreate and read more and work fewer hours. There is such a thing as doing too much manual labor. The farmers, as a class, certainly cannot be accused of being lazy. The majority of them work too hard, at least, during some seasons of the year. It is more than likely that many do not distribute their work well, and are, as a consequence, too busy at some seasons and have too much leisure at others. Here, again, is where the brains come in. The work should be planned with a view to doing it most economically. This can be done by a judicious distribution of work which will keep hands and teams reasonably busy during all seasons of the year, instead of hiring help and rushing at some seasons, and then taking it easy for a considerable spell.

There are times when even the most systematic farmer is thrown behind with his work as a result of long wet spells, or circumstances over which he has no control, and in order to do work in its season it becomes necessary to rush a little and work from sun to sun; but, as a rule, where sufficient thought is put into the work, eight or nine hours is enough for one day's work. Eight hours for work, eight hours for sleep and eight hours for rest, recreation, study and domestic pleasures would be a good division of the day. With this division there would be ample time for reading, thinking, planning and systematizing the work, and in addition to the increased pleasures of life on the farm, the profits would, if any difference, be increased.

The cooperation of brain and muscle on the farm, however, means more than merely to improve methods of farming; it means cooperation with brother farmers, and organization for marketing to the best advantage, and for purchasing in a way to be independent, to an extent, at least, of useless and extortionate middlemen and combines. "Improved methods" at the market end are as necessary as in the matter of production. There should be sufficient mixture of brain and muscle to drive the gamblers from the grain pits, and restore normal markets.—St. Louis Journal of Agriculture.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

After testing several varieties of flax the Mississippi station concludes that flax culture cannot be made profitable in that state.

The Swedish agricultural college finds the best time to apply nitrate of soda to spring wheat to be half at time it sprouts and half when it is heading.

Experiments with oats in Germany show that varieties most productive on one kind of soil are most productive on all kinds; but difference in food contents was found to be due to difference in soil and not to difference in variety.

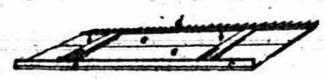
The Alabama station finds more than six times as much nitrogen in cowpea vines in the fall as in the same vines the next spring, after they had lain on the ground all winter. The clear inference is that the vines should be plowed under in the fall rather than let them lie on the surface till spring.

Examinations by experiment stations show that American clover seed is clearer than European, and has equal vitality. Some European seed was found to be mixed with finely crushed quartz, colored to resemble clover seed, and other samples proved to be old seed colored bright like the new.—Journal of Agriculture.

USEFUL IMPLEMENT.

Full Description of a Homemade Clod Crusher and Harrow.

A very convenient homemade implement is shown, bottom up, in the accompanying illustration. It is made as follows: Bolt two 2x12 oak boards (a a) 8 feet long to two 4x4 crosspieces (b). On the front edge bolt a 2x4 (c), placed edgewise. This will provide a 6-inch



surface, which will strike the clods and prevent them getting back on the crusher. To the back edge of the crusher bolt another 2x4 oak (d) flatwise, and bevel the upper edge. To the beveled surface bolt an old sickle bar. The guards will have slant enough to let trash escape, and yet will pulverize the ground almost as well as a disk harrow. The hooks for attaching the team can be made by a blacksmith. Use four horses and let the driver ride on the crusher.—W. B. Bolton, in Orange Judd Farmer.

When to Sow Clover Seed.

I should advise everybody to sow clover seed early as they could, even on the snow, but I would advise to put it more than half an inch deep. The best crop I ever had, the man sowed right on the furrow, as it was left by the plow, but I would advise a full inch, rather than half an inch, and if some of it is too deep, it will come up next year. One of the best farmers I know, who has raised 300 bushels a year, puts on the seed and harrows it in, just as he does his oats or his wheat.—B. S. Hoxie, in Farmers' Review.

A MOTHER'S CRIME.

She Drowns Her Two Children and Herself in Wisconsin.

Sturgeon Bay, Wis., May 5.—A sensation was created in this city yesterday by the announcement that Mrs. F. X. Sailer, the wife of a business man, had drowned her two children in the bay and then committed suicide by the same method. Mrs. Sailer was about 25 years of age and was the fourth wife of her husband, and from all reports the couple had not been living happily for a year or so past.

Republicans Elected.

St. Paul, Minn., May 6.—In a vote of 25,000 Tuesday Frank B. Doran, republican, was elected mayor by a majority of about 2,200. Joseph J. McCardy, republican, was chosen comptroller by 3,000, and Horst, republican, treasurer, by 1,500. The republicans elected nine assemblymen and ten of 11 aldermen.

Murder Follows a Family Feud.

Austin, Tex., May 4.—John Nixon and Dempsey Brown, brothers-in-law, met Sunday morning a few miles from the city and an old family feud led to a difficulty in which Brown was shot and killed and Nixon so badly wounded in the head with a charge of buckshot that he will die.

Will Be a Cinder Path.

Havana, May 6.—It is said here that even if Gen. Weyler succeeds in quelling the rebellion in the time he has set—two years—Cuba will be a mere cinder path between the Gulf of Mexico and the ocean. It will be laid waste as no country ever was before.

Killed by the Cars.

Burlington, Ia., May 4.—J. C. Somners, a banker of Keokuk, Ia., and said to be worth $1,000,000, was run down by the fast mail train, while crossing the tracks in Union depot. Both legs were cut off and he lived but a few hours.

Rebellion in Nicaragua Ended.

Washington, May 4.—A special cablegram received here Saturday from Managua announced that the rebel forces in Nicaragua have surrendered, and that the rebellion in that republic has ended.

Housemaids Combine.

New York, May 6.—A vast labor organization of housemaids was formed in this city yesterday, nearly every kitchen in the city being represented on the rolls of the union.

Work of the Mints.

Washington, May 2.—Coinage executed at United States mints during April aggregated $3,471,670, of which gold amounted to $1,500,000 and silver to $1,831,000.

Curfew Ordinance Passed.

Port Huron, May 5.—The city council has passed a curfew ordinance requiring every child under 15 to be off the streets after nine o'clock in summer and 7:30 in winter, unless accompanied by parents or guardians.

Renominated.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 2.—The Fifth district republican convention unanimously renominated William Alden Smith for congress. The delegates to St. Louis have ironclad resolutions for McKinley.

Fire at Bay City.

Bay City, May 4.—McEwan Brothers & Co. lost 1,200 cords of slabs by fire starting from a locomotive spark. No insurance.

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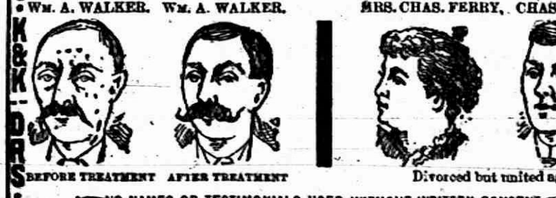
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, April 27th, 1896.

Special meeting. Present the entire council.

The saloonist's bond of Kennedy & Kolkloesch, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500.00 with George Teachout and Bronson C. Knapp as sureties, presented for approval.

Moved that above bond be accepted and approved. Supported. Carried.

Druggist's bond of Baker & Hall, duly executed, in the penal sum of $2,000.00, with James H. Heck and John Heesen as sureties, presented for approval.

Moved that bond be accepted and sureties approved. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Village of Tecumseh, Mich.
Council Chamber, May 4th, 1896.

Regular session. Present the entire council.

Minutes of last regular and of special meeting of April 27th, 1896, read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITEES.

Ordinance committee reported an ordinance regulating the use of bicycles, velocipedes and other vehicles propelled by pedals, on the sidewalks of the village. After discussing the same the following ordinance was presented:

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLES AND VELOCIPEDES ON SIDEWALKS.

SEC. 1. The common council of the village of Tecumseh ordains: That no person or persons shall, from the first day of April until the last day of November of each year, ride any bicycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by pedals, upon any sidewalk within the corporate limits of the village of Tecumseh.

SEC. 2. From the first day of December until the last day of March of each year, no person shall ride any of the vehicles mentioned in the preceding section on any of the sidewalks of said village, at a greater rate of speed than six miles per hour. Provided that pedestrians on sidewalks shall have the right of way over bicycles.

SEC 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than five or more than fifteen days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, together with costs of prosecution.

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall take effect June 1st, 1896.

ALFRED JAMES, President.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

Passed May 4, 1896.

Moved that above ordinance be adopted and passed. Supported. Trustee Boyd, yea, Heesen, yea, Hall, yea, Wright, yea. Yeas, 4, nays, none. Declared passed.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Street commissioner's report for April presented, showing village team labor 18 days, 4 hours; hired team labor 15 days, 4 hours, costing $38.00; hand labor 8 days, 2 hours, costing $10.25; five poll taxes worked. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Sexton's report for April, presented, showing nine adult and one infant interment during the month; $40.00 collected as interment fees and vault rent; four lots sold, cash $87.50, and note of L. M. Waldron, C. A. Waldron and Wm. Waldron, for $40.00 for six months presented. Report accepted and ordered placed on file. Note of L. M. Waldron, et al., accepted and approved.

Complaint of S. P. Hosmer, as to boys bathing in village during the day time, referred to marshal.

Moved that street committee examine bridge on Union street and report at next meeting what repairs are needed to place same in safe condition. Supported. Carried.

The following bills were reported and referred to finance committee: Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for April, $216.67; Wm. Fielder, labor, $15.50; C. Dixon, labor, $6.50; Dell Packard, labor, $1.25. Water works: A. Park, labor, $6.60; Thacker Coal Co., coal, $19.61; A. Y. McDonald Co., supplies, $11.50; Standard Oil Co., oil, $10.69. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the said several amounts.

Marshal reported that stone sidewalk on south side of Chicago street, adjoining Richard's property, were badly out of repair and needed immediate attention. Marshal instructed to give notice to repair same at once.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, broker and manufacturer's agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, proprietor St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 223 E. 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of croup, because it instantly relieves. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's. 3

'ROUND ABOUT US

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Ann Arbor has purchased a site for a new city building.

Saline citizens are thinking of celebrating the 4th at home.

Five of the liquor bonds presented to the Ann Arbor council were rejected.

The Page people have some real live buffalo, or great American bison, in their park.

The 17th anniversary of Odd Fellowship in America was celebrated at Ann Arbor.

The tailor's union, of Adrian, have demanded an increase on coats and pants. A strike may ensue.

The Cambridge Sunday School convention will be held at Prospect Hill M. E. church, Wednesday, May 13 beginning at 1 p. m.

The children of Mrs. Menthe, the Dover woman, whose reason was destroyed from excitement on religious subjects, have been taken to the county house.

O. D. Fairbanks, the well known photographer, of Adrian, and W. Wilber, of Toledo, left the former city yesterday for Alaska to spend a year or more in the gold fields of that territory.

G. Wilson, the insane man recently captured at Blissfield and who thought himself to be Gen. W. S. Hancock, has been taken by Sheriff Wilson to the asylum at Warren, Pa., from which he formerly escaped.

Col. B. F. Graves has returned from Grand Rapids to make his home in Adrian. The Col., who has been commander of the Grand Rapids Soldiers' Home for several years, is well known throughout the county.

Freight traffic has been successfully begun on the Jackson extension of the C., J. & M. A passenger coach was recently run over the road, but the rocks tore off the steps, and either the rocks or the steps will have to be removed. This can probably be accomplished in due season.

The Saline Observer is guilty of the following: This is without doubt the most advanced spring we have known in many years. Most of the fruit trees are in blossom. Foliage is well advanced. Gardens are planted and up. Flower beds are beautiful to look upon, and we are yet in the month of April.

Prof. A. E. Curtis, who has been for seventeen years the efficient principal of the Adrian high school, has been unanimously elected superintendent of the public schools of that city. Prof. Curtis has been one of the leading and most scholarly educators in Lenawee, and the schools of our county seat will flourish under his direction.

Reports to the state board of health show that rheumatism, bronchitis, neuralgia, tonsilitis and influenza, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Consumption was reported at 195 places; measles at 37; diphtheria at 20; whooping cough at 12; scarlet fever at 27; typhoid fever at 17; and smallpox at 2.

Press: During the thunder storm last Monday morning, lightning killed six head of young cattle owned by the estate of Jacob VanSickle, of Seneca. The animals were under a tree, and were not found till Tuesday. There were four fine yearling Holstein heifers, a 2-year-old bull, and a yearling bull of the Holstein breed, both very fine animals.

Adrian Times: Judge Lane this morning sentenced George Allabach, who sold liquor to minors, to pay $50 fine and $10 costs, or be imprisoned in the county jail for thirty days. Allabach settled. The fact that he has gone out of business no doubt saved him from a heavier sentence. This was the case in which President Thomas of the college made the complaint.

A well directed and well nigh successful attempt at a wholesale jail delivery was discovered at the Washtenaw county jail last week by the officers just in the nick of time. A man-hole had been cut entirely through the floor and wall, a stone being left in place until all were ready. The details were very cleverly managed by the prisoners and reminded one of similar operations at Andersonville.

Lansing Republican, 30th: Fifty years ago last Monday nine Cooks settled on a farm in Raisin township, Lenawee county, six miles from Adrian. Of that family there are now four survivors, Col. W. W. Cook, of this city, his brother Edward, and sister, Mrs. Katherine Lovett, of Chicago, and Zacharius Cook, an uncle, who still resides on the homestead, originally comprising 160 acres, now a well tilled farm of 300 acres. Last Monday the survivors held a reunion at the old home.

Jackson Patriot, 6: For the information of those desiring to know the distances on the new C., J. and M. railway from this city to important points on the line the following mileage is given: To Ackerson's lake, 5.3 miles; to Clark's lake, 9.5 miles; to Woodstock, 13 miles; to Addison, 18.7 miles; to Hudson, 30.7 miles; to Van Wert, O., 103.7 and to Cincinnati, 247.7 miles. The distance between Jackson and Cincinnati is in this way made about 35 miles shorter than by any other route. The road will be opened for passenger traffic Monday, May 11th. While the official time card has not yet been posted, it is understood that at least four trains will be run each day, two in the morning and two late in the afternoon.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

KEPT AHEAD OF THE BULLETS.

Astounding Swiftness of Foot Shown by a Georgia Razor-Back.

Col. Taylor Jenkins, who lives a few miles north of Blakely, is known throughout that section as one of the most truthful men in it. At least, so says the Early County Times. Recently, while Mr. Jenkins was out hunting, his dogs began barking at something in a large, hollow log. It was a wild hog. He took the hog home and dropped it in his cornfield. It is there now. A few weeks ago Mr. Jenkins went out to kill it, thinking he could easily do so with his unerring rifle. He searched about till he "jumped" it. Down a corn row it went like lightning. He leveled his rifle and "cut down" on it, but never touched a hair. He "jumped" it again and shot again, but no hog. Again and again he "jumped" it and shot at it, with the same result. He began to wonder what could be the matter. The corn rows were as straight as moonshine whisky and his gun true as the third party to Tom Watson, yet hit it he couldn't. To shoot at the hog as it ran off down the corn rows was just like shooting at it standing, so far as getting a "bead on it" was concerned. To make sure that he didn't "wobble" off the hog he put up a small target and "cracked down" at it five times, then took his ax and chopped in and found five balls all in one hole in the middle of the spot. That settled it—that the fault was not in him or the gun, but the hog had outrun the bullets.

LONDON DOGS OUT CALLING.

Their Cards Go Up with Those of Their Mistresses.

It appears, from an article in the Figaro by M. Paul Megnin, that in London at the present time it is not only the fashion for a lady to provide her lapdog with a little wardrobe and even a handkerchief, but to have visiting cards made for it, too. When a fashionable lady pays a visit, taking her lapdog with her, she sends up the dog's card along with her own.

M. Megnin says he was visiting the editor of one of the leading sporting papers in London, when the servant brought in two cards, one that of a lady and the other as follows:

MRS. FRIVOLITY.
Collie.

Asked if he knew the name on the card, M. Megnin said he presumed it was some dog fancier. He was greatly surprised to see a lady come in, accompanied by a handsome collie.

M. Megnin went to a stationer's shop and ordered 100 cards for his little dog. He was again surprised to find that the stationer had some ready printed, neatly packed in pretty little card cases.

BEN FRANKLIN'S BIG HEAD.

How He Wore His Wig in His Pocket at the French Court.

The difficulties encountered recently by the lineal descendants of that great man, statesman, patriot and everything else that men properly hold in estimation — Benjamin Franklin — in having themselves enrolled among the Colonial Dames, recall an anecdote of him, says the Washington Post, embalmed in the family records of the sage of Monticello, but which, so far as the writer knows, has never been published. When about to present himself for the first time at the court of Versailles he was informed by the master of ceremonies that a wig was a sine qua non. Now, his head was so large that no ordinary wig would begin to fit it, and the situation was embarrassing in the extreme. However, one was found sufficiently large to pass him through the antechambers, after which he was permitted to remove the ridiculous conventional appendage and place it in his ample pocket, whence it never again emerged to public gaze.

Cox and His Brownies.

Palmer Cox says the idea of writing about the brownies came to him from reading Scotch traditions concerning these amusing little elves. They were, he says, almost unknown in America until he began writing about them, but in Scotland they had existed in the folk lore for 500 years. The Scotch brownie, according to Mr. Cox, was a beneficient sort of sprite, whose only three emotions were joy, wonder and terror. It was supposed they were never seen by human beings, but went about at night performing helpful deeds for the country folk, at the same time getting a deal of fun themselves out of kindly pranks.

Trained Goats.

In Switzerland and other mountainous countries the goat leads long strings of animals daily to and from the mountains, but it is in South Africa that it is particularly kept and employed as a leader of flocks of sheep. Should a blinding storm of rain or hail drive the silly sheep before it, or cause them to huddle together in a corner, so as to suffocate each other, the trained goat will wake them up, and by a method best known to himself will induce them to follow him to a place of safety.

Not Scientific.

A song with the title: "There's a Sigh in the Heart," was sent by a young man to his sweetheart; but the paper fell into the hands of the girl's father, a very unsentimental physician, who exclaimed:

"What wretched, unscientific rubbish is this? Who ever heard of such a case?"

He wrote on the outside:

"Mistaken diagnosis; no sigh in the heart possible. Sighs relate almost entirely to the lungs and diaphragm!"

Titled Thieves.

A princess, a countess, a duchess and the daughter of a reigning prince were among the 4,000 thieves, professional and unprofessional, arrested in Paris during the first six months of last year.

AN OLD PLOT.

But in This Case a New Heroine Was Worked In.

Young story-writers are apt to begin a literary career by telling, in some form or other, the story which follows. But it must have taken a real genius to make a tow the heroine. This particular story is attributed by the Philadelphia Times, in which we find it, to a Texas locomotive engineer.

The engineer was running his train at full speed, when, he says, his attention was attracted by a cow which seemed to be coming straight down the track to meet the train. He put his hand on the valve and pulled out three sharp whistles.

Still the cow came on, bellowing at every step, and acting altogether in an unusual manner. As much from curiosity as anything else, the engineer slowed up and sent the fireman ahead to see what was the matter with the cow.

No sooner did the cow see that the speed of the train was slackening, and that the fireman was going to investigate, than she turned and ran straight back down the track, stopping now and then, looking over her shoulder and switching her tail as much as to say: "Come on!"

The man followed, and by and by saw the cow stop short at a high trestle. Going up, he discovered another cow which had got herself fastened in the trestlework squarely across the rail.

As soon as the animal was released, the two cows lost no time in scampering away.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	12	14
Eggs, per doz	7	9
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 70
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 7½	12
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts	85 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		65
Corn, shelled		30 to 32
Corn in ear	18	to 22
Oats	30	to 32
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		12 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		85
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		90
Straw		$2.00

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1 Bushel Potatoes or 1 lb. Lion or Arbuckle Coffee, 1c.,

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Three Into Two!

Rather a Difficult Problem,

BUT

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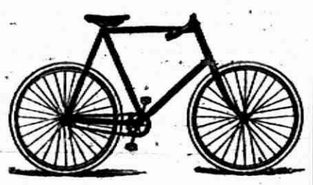

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WIND'S WILD WORK.

Nebraska Cities Suffer from a Furious Hurricane.

Two Distinct Cyclones Create Much Damage at Elkhorn—Buildings Wrecked at Omaha and Council Bluffs.

Lincoln, Neb., May 13.—With a wind attained a velocity of 80 miles an hour, continuing for fully five minutes, Lincoln was on Tuesday evening given the worst shaking up experienced for many years. The force of the gale was terrific, and all that was needed to make a genuine cyclone was the rotary motion. As it was the damage in the city was considerable and there were a number of casualties. Those most seriously injured are: Mrs. H. Moore, thrown against a fence, arm broken and head cut; J. Jacobson, hackman, blown from hack, had cut on arm, head bruised; A. L. Woodward, struck by detached roof, injured internally; Mrs. Harry Abbott, blown from buggy, badly bruised. There were a number of minor casualties.

Buildings Badly Damaged.

In the heart of the business district the Walton block was unroofed and part of one wall blown down. The force of the wind carried heavy pieces of timber across Ninth street, one crashing through the west window of the State Journal counting-room. The Merchants' hotel was unroofed, window lights blown in and the entire house flooded by the rain that followed. Roofs on private dwellings were torn off almost without number, trees uprooted or broken down and fences leveled. The electric light plant at the hospital for the insane was blown down and a Catholic mission church near the city limits totally demolished. Wires are down and reports from country districts are meager.

A Double-Header.

Omaha, Neb., May 13.—Two separate and distinct cyclones visited the towns of Elkhorn and Bennington, in this county, late Tuesday afternoon, and owing to the fact that communication is practically shut off it is impossible to determine to what extent damage was done, but no loss of life has so far been reported. The funnel-shaped clouds appeared before the hours of three and five o'clock, following each other with only a short interval. The path of the tornadoes was only about 600 feet in width, but were swept clean, the wind cutting through groves of large trees and tearing them up by the roots. Farm houses were demolished and loss of stock was heavy. E. A. Johnson, of Omaha, was driving a team and leading another team. The wind made kindling wood of his carriage and tore the harness off the horses and stripped him of most of his clothing. He escaped with severe bruises. Dispatches from Crete state that a small cyclone visited that section of the country and did great damage to buildings. In Omaha traffic was at a standstill for over two hours and the streets ran great rivers of water. Lightning struck Cudahy's packing-house at South Omaha.

Heavy Storm in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., May 13.—Heavy wind and rainstorms are reported from every section of the state. At Council Bluffs an electric light tower costing $1,000 and 150 feet high was blown down. It fell in the street, but injured no one. Several hundred electric, telephone and telegraph wires were carried down with it. In the northern part of the state the wind did considerable damage, especially at Sibley and near Churdan. In the south almost a cloud-burst deluged Pacific Junction. A large fall of rain is reported from Waterloo, Hampton, Humboldt, Cedar Rapids, Ogden and Marshalltown and intermediate points. The weather bureau reported the storm to have been general.

TRAGEDY IN CHICAGO.

A Brutal Bookbinder Shoots His Wife Dead.

Chicago, May 13.—Daniel McCarthy, a bookbinder who worked for Pool Brothers, fired two bullets into his wife's head and neck in the doorway of her mother's home, 243 Illinois street, Tuesday morning, killing her instantly. The murdered woman fell into the arms of her mother, Mrs. Grover, who tried to stop McCarthy. He threatened to kill her if he was stopped, and knocking her aside, made his escape. The police have been unable to find him yet. The murderer spent his money for drink and abused his wife, 12 years his junior, so that she was compelled to leave him.

Must Go to Prison.

Findlay, O., May 13.—The motion for a new trial in the case of Rev. Joseph Ebben Powell, convicted of fraudulent registration, was on Tuesday overruled and the preacher was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Sentence was suspended until June 26, to allow the attorneys for the defendant to take the case to the circuit court upon a petition in error. The prisoner gave bail in $750.

Pay All American Claims.

Tien Tsin, May 12. — Consul Read, the chairman of the Chengtu commission, has succeeded in securing payment in full of the Baptist Missionary union claims for property losses in the Sechuen riots. Thus all the American claims have been settled in a friendly manner, China paying the whole amount demanded.

GREATER NEW YORK ASSURED.

Bill to Effect Consolidation Is Signed by Gov. Morton.

Albany, N. Y., May 12.—Gov. Morton signed the Greater New York bill Monday.

Under the terms of the bill all the municipal corporations, and parts of municipal corporations other than county, within the county of Kings, the county of Richmond, the city of Long Island City, the towns of New Town, Flushing and Jamaica, and part of the town of Hempstead, Queen county, are consolidated with the municipal corporations known as mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York.

This consolidation, however, does not go into effect until January 1, 1898. In the meantime, however, the bill provides for a commission to frame suitable laws for the government of the municipal corporation, so that they may be submitted to the legislature by February 15, 1897.

Now that Greater New York is a reality, the city itself and the nation at large have something stupendous to contemplate. Here, in as few words as possible, is what it means:

Churches	1,100
Post offices	60
Debt	$ 170,000,000
Taxable property	2,563,324,125
Business houses	27,000
Dwellings	120,000
Parks, acres	8,000
Miles paved streets and sewers	900
Miles gas mains	1,800
Miles of street and elevated railways	1,100
Hotels	1,100
Public schools	350

Following are the area and population of the corporations to be comprised in Greater New York. The population figures are those of the census of 1892. The natural increase would make the total about 3,000,000.

	Area in sq. miles.	Population.
New York city	38.51	1,801,793
Brooklyn	77.51	995,276
Richmond county	57.19	53,542
Flushing	29 65	19,903
Port Hempstead	17.86	17,766
Jamaica	32.50	14,441
Long Island City	7.14	30,506
Newtown	21.32	17,549
Jamaica Bay	25.63	.....
East Chester, West Chester and Pelham	50.00	35,000
Total	359.75	2,985,422

BOILERS EXPLODE.

Eleven Persons Killed in a Disaster on the Mississippi River.

Vicksburg, Miss., May 12.—Eleven lives were lost and more than a dozen persons seriously injured by the explosion of the boilers of the steamer Harry Brown at a point about 25 miles south of here at midnight Sunday night. So terrific was the force of the explosion that the boat was torn asunder and in less than five minutes afterwards lay at the bottom of Mississippi river. It is known that the following were killed outright, or by drowning:

Pilot Norman; Driver George W. Bardsley; Steersman William Dougherty, and the chief engineer, name unknown; Miss Annie Herd, chambermaid; Tom Judge and William Watson, the fireman, and first and second mates, William Fitzsimmons and George Kiem, and William Kelley, lamp trimmer.

Following is a list of injured so far as it can be obtained at present:

Capt. John Kiem, hip seriously injured.

William Grimme, boat's carpenter, leg broken.

John Hardy, fireman, badly scalded and otherwise seriously injured.

William G. Slatemere, deck hand, burned and scalded, seriously.

Dan Delany, second engineer, badly scalded and injured internally; will probably die.

Capt. Keim is unable to account for the explosion. The steamer had a battery of seven boilers, which were under the care of competent and careful men.

AVENGED HIS SISTER.

Young Southerner Kills a Physician Who Had Insulted Her.

Columbus, Ga., May 13.—A terrible tragedy was enacted on the streets here Tuesday afternoon, in which Walter Wright, a young man 21 years old, avenged an insult offered his sister by Dr. J. T. Blackwell. Blackwell, it is said, made improper proposals to Miss Wright a few days ago, and Tuesday was the first time her brother had seen Blackwell since. Wright emptied the contents of a five-chamber 41-caliber Colt's revolver into Blackwell's body. The latter fell upon the sidewalk and died almost instantly.

MISSOURI REPUBLICANS.

Delegates Instructed for McKinley—Synopsis of the Platform.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 13.—The republican state convention convened here Tuesday. The platform adopted demands a return to the republican policy of protection and reciprocity; opposes the free coinage of silver, and favors the use of silver as currency to the extent only and under such regulations that its parity with the present gold standard can be maintained. It eulogizes McKinley and instructs the delegates from Missouri to the national convention to vote for his nomination for the office of president.

Boy's Leg Worth $35,000.

Boston, May 12.—In the Suffolk county superior court yesterday Francis A. Daly, of Lynn, aged 17, was awarded $35,000 by the jury for the loss of a leg. His suit was against the Lynn & Boston street railway.

Paid the Penalty.

Coalburgh, Ala., May 9.—John Waldrip, who four months ago while serving a term in penitentiary for larceny, brained a fellow-convict, Jasper Thornton, with a coal pick, was hanged in the jail yard.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Summary of the Daily Proceedings in Congress.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, May 7.—The bond resolution was further discussed in the senate yesterday.

Washington, May 8.—By a vote of 31 to 6 the senate yesterday inaugurated an investigation, to be conducted by the senate committee on finance, into the facts and circumstances connected with the sale of United States bonds by the secretary of the treasury during the last three years.

Washington, May 9.—In the senate yesterday a bill to prohibit the issue of United States bonds without authority of congress was introduced by Senator Bacon (Ga.). The river and harbor bill was completed with the exception of the item for a deep sea harbor on the Pacific coast.

Washington, May 11.—The last paragraph of the river and harbor bill for a deep river harbor at Santa Monica bay, California, was not completed by the senate on Saturday, the entire session being taken up in discussing the item.

Washington, May 12. — Further discussion of the river and harbor bill occupied the time of the senate yesterday. Senator Teller (rep., Col.) reported a substitute for the house bankruptcy bill, and Senator Mitchell (rep., Ore.) presented the views of the minority of the judicial committee favoring the house bill.

Washington, May 13. — The contest which has proceeded for the last four days in the senate over a deep water harbor on the southern coast of California was brought to a close yesterday by a compromise. Senator Sherman introduced a bill requiring all immigrants to the United States to exhibit upon landing in this country a certificate of health.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, May 7.—In the house yesterday a resolution was adopted for final adjournment on May 18. A favorable report was made on the bill to increase the pensions of veterans of the Mexican and Indian wars and their widows from eight to twelve dollars a month. Seventy-two private pension bills were passed.

Washington, May 8.—In the house yesterday no business of importance was transacted.

Washington, May 9. — A bill was passed in the house yesterday to appropriate $5,000 for the deportation of the Canadian refugee Cree Indians from the state of Montana, and another to provide clerks for the chairmen of regular committees the year round. At the evening session 28 pension bills were passed.

Washington, May 12. — The house passed several bills of minor importance yesterday. A preliminary conference report upon the Indian appropriation bill was agreed to, and another conference ordered on the same items still in dispute. The resolutions of election committee No. 1, declaring John W. Maddox (dem.) to be entitled to the seat occupied by him as representative from the Seventh district of Georgia, contested by W. H. Felton (fusion), were agreed to. The rest of the day was devoted to the consideration of District of Columbia business.

Washington, May 13.—In the house yesterday the Nicaragua canal bill was favorably reported. Most of the session was occupied by discussing the contested election case of Rinaker vs. Downing, from the Sixteenth district of Illinois, but no action was taken.

VICTIMS OF FIRE.

The Sawmill District of Ashland, Wis., Burned—Three Lives Lost.

Ashland, Wis., May 11.—Almost half a million dollars' worth of milling property and lumber went up in smoke in this city Saturday. The Shores Lumber company's mill, the largest on Chequamegon bay, is a mass of smoldering ruins, together with several thousand feet of lumber wharves, upon which was piled 19,000,000 feet of lumber. Peter Engeman, John Nolander and Ole Olson were burned to death.

Tennessee's Centennial.

Nashville, Tenn., May 11.—The Tennessee Centennial exposition, to celebrate the end of the first century of the state's history, will open in this city on June 1. On that day the centennial exercises will be held and the exposition will be formally inaugurated. The exposition will continue through six months to November 1.

Renominated for Congress for Sixth Time.

Aurora, Ill., May 12.—Hon. Albert J. Hopkins, of Aurora, was renominated for congress by the republicans of the Eighth Illinois district Monday for the sixth consecutive time. His nomination was by acclamation and was effected within 15 minutes after the convention had been called to order.

Must Lose It All.

Carlyle, Ill., May 12.—Judge Wall of the circuit court decided Monday that the ten Chicago bondsmen of the late State Treasurer Ramsay were not entitled to reimburse themselves out of his estate for $363,000 they paid into the state treasury to make good his deficit.

Clinton Column.

Junior Reception—Decoration Day—Rev. Warner Retires.

Ed. Clark was in Manchester Tuesday.

W. D. VanTuyle has a new Hudson wheel.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell went to Adrian Tuesday.

The Clinton Plow Co. are not working at present.

John Machen shipped another car of stock last Saturday.

Chas. Davis returned Friday noon from his Detroit visit.

Fishing at the lakes is the order of ceremonies at present.

A. F. Kishpaugh made Adrian a business visit last Saturday.

D. R. Gibson was home from Adrian from Friday until Monday.

Leon Green, of Brooklyn, was a guest at Chas. Green's over Sunday.

Ed. St. John, of Chicago, was calling on friends in Clinton last Sunday.

August J. Nisle rode down from Manchester on his wheel last Monday.

The junior class gave a reception to the seniors last Tuesday night.

S. O. Johnson and Chas. Johnson, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Clinton.

Dr. O. Q. Jones, of Tecumseh, made a professional call in Clinton Sunday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox entertained his mother, from Addison, over Sunday.

Mat D. Blosser and wife of Manchester, were in town Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sanford, of Manchester, were visiting here last Tuesday.

Miss Emma Sturm went to Hillsdale Wednesday for an extended visit with friends.

Mrs. H. R. Hause was visiting her parents in Britton the latter part of last week.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell exchanged pulpits with Rev. Varner, of Tecumseh, last Sunday.

S. O. VanDeMark, and Chas. Johnson, of Detroit came over on their bicycles last Sunday.

The teachers of our public schools have been invited to remain for the coming year.

H. D. Niblack and wife drove to Saline last Friday to visit his sister, who is very ill.

Chas. Gadd, sr., and wife returned Monday from a visit of several days with friends at Ionia.

Miss Ellen Whittelsey went to Toledo Wednesday for a visit of two or three weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Brooks, of Iowa, arrived here Friday night to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Mills.

A goodly number of Chapter Masons attended the masonic meeting at Manchester last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Clark arrived in Clinton Tuesday night. The couple drove through from Chicago.

Fred and Anna Braun and Minnie Schaffer, of Manchester, were guests at Chas. Sturm's last Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Haines and Mrs. James Hogan have been visiting friends in Hillsdale during the past week.

Robert Terryberry died last Friday of consumption. The funeral was held Sunday at 2 p. m., at the house.

Mrs. Belinda Hause returned to her home in Jackson last Saturday after a three weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. F. E. Sherwood returned last Friday from a three weeks visit with friends at Lansing and Fowlerville.

The Misses Lizzie Farrell, Ella Lehn Alma Schmid and Lizzie Nestell drove down from Manchester last Saturday.

Miss Ford, of Morenci, and C. W. Piper and sons, Alton and Ralph, of Deerfield, spent Sunday at Geo. Wolf's.

Miss Kit VanTuyle returned from Hudson last Saturday. Miss Eva stopped off at Adrian to visit friends until Monday.

Miss Bessie Gale, who has been visiting at Jos. Jackson's for the past two weeks, started Wednesday for her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Riley returned from their trip to Kalamazoo last Monday morning. Jim will resume his position in the woolen mill.

Lew Gray has moved his barber shop to the rear of Lancaster's store in the new block. He has also moved his family to another house.

The remains of Miss Anna Glassford, who died Tuesday at Ann Arbor, were brought here Wednesday for burial. Funeral Thursday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Eugene Palmer.

On Tuesday evening of last week the following committe was appointed for decoration day exercises: Music and speaking, D. M. Bainbridge and W. R. Muir; flag, Wm. Millspaugh; soliciting, M. F. McClure; flowers, D. S. Alvord.

Rev. Warner, of the Congregational church, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday. As a token of personal regard and as a mark of the respect in which he was held by his parishioners, the church and Sunday school presented their retiring pastor with a gold watch, chain and charm, and Mrs. Warner with a silver water set.

Nothing to Compare with Hood's.

Davis, Mich., April 3, 1896. "There is nothing that can be compared with Hood's Sarsaparilla as a spring medicine. I always take it in the spring and it does me more good than any doctor's medicine I have ever taken." Manson Rowley.

Hood's pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

ONSTED.

Corn Planting Done—Medicine Man no Good—Frame for New Hall up.

Grass growing finely.

Arrangements have been made for decoration day.

Ed Hoag, of Rome Center, was in town last Monday.

Mr. Laur visited his daughter at Rives Junction recently.

Corn all planted now, and farmers are shearing their sheep.

John Kane and wife have been entertaining friends from Jackson.

Fred Randolh, of Addison, a McCormick agent, was in town last week.

The W. C. T. U. held their last meeting with Mrs. Ayers, of Springville.

Brooks & Kimball have added a nice line of crockery and glassware to their stock.

Muck and Desermie are building a tenant house on the corner of Second and Railroad streets.

J. O. Maxwell has been altering the interior of his residence and papering and painting the same.

The editor of the Onsted News is a very graceful bicyclist as well as a hustler in the printing line.

Mike McCerian and Frank Kishpaugh the veteran sheep shearers, have taken up the shears again this spring.

Will Sheeler, of this place, and Lottie Drake, of Woodstock, were married recently. We extend best wishes.

Last Saturday M. Aldrich could show a piece of corn three inches high, and a patch of potatoes large enough to cultivate.

The medicine man has been here three weeks, but the people complain just the same. His cures seem to be a bum with a bug attached.

The frame for the new hall on Third street is up. It is 80x32 and will be the largest building in town. The upper floor is calculated for Masonic usages and the ground floor for public gatherings, etc.

Golden bugs took possession of Willard Stearns' democratic state convention at Detroit, so now what will Willard do. Better slide down on the populist side of the fence then he will get silver planks enough and not wear out his pants on the line fence of democracy and populism.

DEVILS LAKE.

Improvements on the Hotel—Newsy Notes from the Resort.

A fishing party from Toledo was at the hotel the 8th.

Miss Mollie Barker, of Addison, was at the lake Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Allen was at the hotel to spend Sunday at her old home.

Mr. Pratt, of Toledo, a friend of Dr. Walters, was at the hotel last Thursday.

Mr. Porter has improved his stock very much by a new supply of canned goods.

Mr. John Talmadge has his bicycle boat on the lake and in good running order. It is a little dandy. Come and take a ride on it.

Mrs. Bushrough and little son and daughter, of Britton, are spending a week at the hotel with her aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Walters.

Mr. Cutterback, of Toledo, was at the lake last week on business. He rented his elevator to Mr. Lewis, of Addison, who expects to buy grain here after harvest.

Dr. T. W. Walters, the new proprietor of the Devils Lake hotel, has greatly improved the place by new paint and paper. He will soon be in first class shape to entertain guests.

On May 4, when Mr. Clark Willits was coming from dinner to his blacksmith shop he got in some trouble with Dr. T. W. Walters little son of 9 years of age. Mr. Willits became angry at him and struck him with a piece of a board, hurting him quite badly. Mr. Walters had Willits arrested and he paid a fine of $15. He thinks it rather expensive to strike his neighbor's children, and says he will be careful next time and not get mad.

Mr. Marion Sales is at the Devils Lake hotel being treated by Dr. T. W. Walters, a magnetic specialist. Mr. Sales has been a great sufferer for nearly two years and his case has been considered hopeless by his friends. He has been there three weeks and is very much improved, gaining very fast. He thinks he will soon be able to walk without his cane, something he hasn't done for 20 months. He is highly esteemed by all who know him, and his friends hope to see him able to once more enjoy life.

The pain that sometimes strikes a man at the most inopportune moment is due to indigestion. It may come in the midst of a dinner and make the feast a mockery. It is a reminder that he may not eat what he chooses, nor when he chooses. He is a slave to the weakness of his stomach. A man's health and strength depend upon what he gets out of his food. This depends upon his digestion. Remove the obstruction by taking Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are a positive cure for constipation and its attendant ills—headaches, sour stomach, flatulence, dizziness, biliousness and heartburn. The Pellets are very gentle in their action. They simply assist nature. They give no violent wrench to the system. They cause no pain nor griping.

Send 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and receive a free copy of Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, Address World's Dispensary Medical Association Buffalo, N. Y. 1w

HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

Seventeenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

The Overthrow of Monarchy—The Provisional Government.

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The queen announced that she was going to give her people a new constitution. The new constitution was written and signed, but she failed to get the signatures of all her cabinet. The document never came to light, but it is known that it provided for the disfranchisement of all white men not married to native women, and that only the property of the whites should be liable to taxes.

The Committee of Safety organized and formed in companies. Arms were concealed in a hardware store, and, on the morning of Jan. 17, 1893, Mr. John Good, now Captain Good, Mr. Benner, and two others, started with them to the armory of the Committee of Safety. On Fort street they were attacked by the police. Captain Good fired and wounded one man, and Mr. Benner knocked another down with the butt of his whip, and thus they escaped.

In the meanwhile Mr. John L. Stevens, United States minister to Hawaii, who was away up to this time, returned to Honolulu after the Committee of Safety had been organized. He issued the following request to Captain G. C. Wiltse, of the United States Cruiser Boston:

"Sir:—In view of the existing critical circumstances in Honolulu, indicating an inadequate force, I request you to land marines and sailors from the ship under your command for the protection of the United States Legation and United States Consulate, and to secure American life and property.

"JOHN L. STEVENS,
"Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States."

Captain Wiltse had already anticipated the request of the minister, and issued the following order:

"Honolulu, Jan. 16, 1893.

"Lieutenant Commander W. T. Swinburne, United States Navy, Executive Officer of United States Cruiser Boston.

"Sir:—You will take command of the battalion and land in Honolulu for the purpose of protecting our legation, consulate, and the lives and property of American citizens, and to assist in preserving order.

"Great prudence must be exercised by both officers and men, and no action taken that is not fully warranted by the condition of affairs and by the conduct of those who may be inimical to the treaty rights of American citizens.

"You will inform me at the earliest possible moment of any change in the situation.

"Very respectfully,
"G. C. WILTSE,
"Captain, United States Navy, Commanding United States Cruiser Boston."

The troops were landed, and during the day divided into small squads. A part were placed to guard the United States Legation, a small squad sent to the Consulate, and eight to the home of an American resident named Hopper. As the troops had no tents the minister secured quarters for them from a royalist.

There has probably been more wholesale lying, in print and out of print, about the action of Minister Stevens and Captain Wiltse than about any other subject since the days of Ananias. The day after the landing of the troops, the queen's cabinet called on Minister Stevens to ask the aid of the United States marines in sustaining the queen against the Provisional Government then in course of formation. Minister Stevens answered:

"Gentlemen, the men were landed for one purpose only, a pacific purpose, and we cannot take part in any contest. I cannot use this force for sustaining the queen or anybody else."

This remark was made and this assurance given before the queen had been deposed, and her cabinet knew that the United States troops would not interfere in the affair in any way.

Thirty-two armed citizens of the Committee of Safety marched to the government building and took possession of it. The constitution had not been formerly promulgated and, it is said, was never signed by all the cabinet. The ministers fled, the guard went to the police quarters, and the unfortunate queen was deserted by everyone save her marshal, Mr. Wilson, who through all her adversities has remained her truest friend. It is said that Mr. Wilson warned her against an attempt to promulgate the new constitution. "If you do, it will be your ruin," he declared, "but I shall stand or fall with you." If Mr. Wilson made this assertion, he kept his word. To his credit be it said he was the only friend of the queen who, in the hour of trial, displayed any pluck. But he had not a soldier or policeman to aid him, and thirty-two men seized the government.

Hon. S. B. Dole, chief justice of the supreme court, resigned his position when the trouble began, and was made a member of the Committe of Safety, and later, on the organization of the Provisional Government, became its president.

After the failure of the effort to secure annexation of the Islands to the United States, and the defeat of the project to restore the queen, the Provisional Government became a permanent government. A constitution was framed and Hon. S. B. Dole selected as president for the term of six years. A wiser choice could not have been made. Mr. Dole is a brave, honorable, conservative gentleman. He is a statesman beyond corruption, and, while dignified, is utterly devoid of any of the silly pomposity which so often characterizes men who think themselves great. He is easily approached, open and honest, and capable of being at the head of a much larger country than Hawaii.

REGISTERS HIS BOY'S NAME.

Man Displays His Grief in a Queer Sort of Way.

"Did you notice that man register," asked the clerk of an uptown hotel of a Washington Times writer, as a sad-faced man turned away from the desk. He had written his own name and another on the record. "He has been coming here for four or five years that I remember," continued the clerk. "The name that follows his own is that of his son, though the latter has been dead for three years.

"It is a case full of sadness. That man makes regular trips to the city, and he used to always bring his boy, a bright-looking youth of about 16. The father was very devoted to him, and the boy did seem to be a rattling good fellow. They always shared the same room, always went out together, and seemed chums more than father and son. But the boy died. The next time the father came to the hotel there was a marked change in his appearance. He walked silently up to the desk and registered. After writing his own name, he placed that of his son beneath it, just as he formerly did. I called his attention to it, but a tear came to his eye, and he said nothing, so I immediately changed the subject. Ever since that day he has registered in that manner when he came to the city. Once in awhile he will order an extra dinner and have it set on the table beside him, just where his boy used to sit. He never speaks of the boy."

ARMY BULLETS FOR GAME.

Objected to on Account of Their Great Penetration.

Something for sportsmen to consider seriously, if they intend to get one of the new 30-caliber army rifles, is the great penetration of the bullets. One of the bullets would kill a man through a four-foot spruce tree, or a cow a mile and more away. No ordinary tree can be depended on to stop one of these bullets, and it might easily travel half a mile through dense woods and hit a man far out of sight with deadly effect.

Field and Stream says that the next legislatures of our great game states should pass a law prohibiting the use of a jacketed bullet, because of the danger to human beings. Another argument it offers in favor of such a law will have great influence on the men who do not wish to wound without killing the game. "This class of bullets is useless for large game unless soft pointed," it says, "as it rarely kills instantly, but allows the game to die from internal hemorrhage and in terrible agony out of reach."

When such a rifle is used for big game a bullet that mushrooms should be employed. The mushrooming bullet will kill anything, as it goes clear through an elk, moose, or deer, and the force of the impact would knock a running grizzly down.

TELLTALE FORCE OF HABIT.

This Bank Clerk Unconsciously Revealed His Occupation.

They were both students at the new school of psychology, physiognomy and metaphysics. They dropped into an all-night restaurant and were talking of hypnotism, says the New York Press.

"See that young man over there near the ice-box?" asked one.

"Yes, why?" answered the other.

"What business does he follow?" judging from scientific observation?"

"He is either a night operator or a gambler."

"By what reasoning?"

"Because he is pale and nervous. The sun never shines on him. He has a vocation that keeps his nerves at a high tension."

The students left the contemplation of scientific research to investigate the merits of two clam chowders.

"I'll tell you what line of business that man follows," said the second philosopher, after a long pause.

"Well, what does he do for a living?"

"Paying teller in a bank."

"How do you know?"

"I watched him when the waiter brought his pancakes a minute ago. He dampened his fingers and ran them over to see if the count was right."

Where Criticism Is Dangerous.

A Danzig upholsterer who was recently asked to appraise a plaster bust of the German empress, and said it was worth 25 cents, was arrested at once for lese majeste. As he was able to show that the bust had no artistic merit he was released.

Enduring Heat.

The human skin can endure heat of 212 degrees, the boiling point of water, because the skin is a bad conductor, and because the perspiration cools the body. Men have withstood without injury a heat of 300 degrees for several minutes.

Rev. James C. Caywood, who fancied that he would have to hang himself to save his soul, ended his life by hanging, at Mayville, Ky.

For bronchitis, asthma or kindred troubles of the throat or lungs, take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, a household specific for all these complaints. 1w

Live stock on the farm of George Clark, of Greenville, N. Y., was permitted to perish by starvation through neglect.

In cases where dandruff, scalp diseases, falling and grayness of the hair appear do not neglect them, but apply a proper remedy and tonic like Hall's Hair Renewer. 1w

Mrs. Mary J. Holmes, of New Haven, Conn., will sue Dr. A. G. Pulford for disclosing professional secrets reflecting upon her character.

Impoverished blood causes that tired feeling. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood and gives vigor and vitality. 1w

Republican National Convention, St. Louis, Mo., June 16, 1896.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad has reduced the rate from all stations to St. Louis to one fare for the round trip. For particulars as to dates of sale, limits, etc., call on or address nearest Wabash ticket agent, or

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One of the best evidences that Ayer's Hair Vigor is an article of exceptional merit is the fact that the demand for it is constantly increasing. No one who uses this incomparable dressing thinks of trying any other preparation for the hair. 1w

The once famous Guinopa group of mines, in Mexico, have been reopened and rich ore is said to have been found.

Ten people out of a dozen are invalids," says a recent medical authority. At least eight out of these ten it is safe to allow, are suffering from some form of blood-disease which a persistent use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla would be sure to cure. Then, don't be an invalid. 1w

Stockholders of the American National Bank, at Denver, Col., are arranging a plan for the bank's resumption.

Don't think because you are sick and nothing seems to give you relief that you can't be cured. There must be a cure for you somewhere. If your doctor can't cure you, perhaps he has mistaken the cause. Anybody is liable to make a mistake sometimes.

One in three of us suffer from indigestion, and one out of three dyspeptics doesn't know it. That is, he may know he is sick, but he blames it to something else. Indigestion is the cause of half of our dangerous diseases. Shaker Digestive Cordial, made from tonic medicinal roots and herbs, is the most natural cure for indigestion. It relieves the symptoms and cures the disease gently, naturally, efficiently, giving fresh life, strength and health to sick dyspeptics. At druggists. A trial bottle for 10c. 1w

The settlement of the glass workers' strikes at Hartford City, Ind., will prevent an immediate lockout of window glass factories throughout the country.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected?

How few people realize when their back begins to ache that it is a warning provided by nature to tell you that the kidneys are not working properly. You have a severe fall, you strain yourself lifting or perhaps you are compelled to maintain a sitting or stooping position for long intervals at a time, your back begins to ache, then your head, you become listless, tired and weary, but do you understand the real cause? We think not, else you would not use plasters and liniment on the back, which only relieve but do not reach the cause. If you would rid yourself of the pain and cure the root of the trouble, at the same time save many years of suffering and perhaps life itself, you will take a kidney remedy that has been tried and proven that it will cure.

Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Robsoin was a member of the Fifty-first Illinois Regiment, which served through the war with honor and distinction. Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

Rich and poor alike suffer agonies that come with that terrible plague, Itching Piles; rich and poor alike find instant relief and permanent cure in Doan's Ointment. Your druggist keeps it.

There is talk at Cleveland, O., of calling Rev. W. N. Cleveland, the president's brother, to the pastorate of Calvary Baptist Church.

Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., was completely cured of scrofula after seventeen physicians had failed to give him relief. Burdock Blood Bitters did it.

The body of millionaire Patrick O'Donnell, of Cleveland, O., who killed himself while temporarily insane, has been recovered.

The body of a well dressed young woman was found in a ditch in the city at Chicago, Ill., but her identity remains a mystery.

From LaGrippe

How Dr. Miles' Nervine Restored One of Kentucky's Prominent Men to Health.

NO DISEASE has ever presented such peculiarities as LaGrippe. No disease leaves its victims so debilitated, so sleepless, nerveless, as LaGrippe.

Mr. D. W. Hilton, state agent of the National Life Insurance Co., of Kentucky, says: "In 1889 and '90 I had two severe attacks of LaGrippe, the last one attacking the nervous system with such severity that I was despaired of. I had not slept more than two months except by the use of narcotics that stupefied me, but gave no rest. I was only conscious of intense nervous weakness, agonizing bodily pain and the fact that I was hourly growing weaker. When in this condition, I commenced using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. In a few days I began to improve and in one month from that time I was cured, much to the surprise of all who knew of my condition. I have been in excellent health since and have recommended your remedies to many of my friends."

Louisville, Jan. 22, 1895. D. W. HILTON.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Restores Health.

For Sale by all Druggists.

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Apply a particle of the Balm directly into the nostrils. After a moment draw strongly breath through the nose. Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring.

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BRITTON.

Favorable Consideration of Incorporation—New Time Tables Sunday—An Enraged Steer—All Kinds of News.

Mr. Maybee, our new druggist is doing business.

Get your binder twine of Lenardson Bros. & DuBois.

Mr. Sly, of Detroit, visited A. O. Maynard last Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Cox, of Ridgeway, called on Britton friends Tuesday.

Lenardson Bros. & DuBois have four kinds of binder twine. All prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods, of Lyons, Ohio, are visiting their sons here at present.

The ladies' quartette furnished some very fine music at L. O. T. M. social Saturday evening.

M. Hiscock, of Toledo, visited his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Allen from Saturday until Wednesday.

C. O. Hiscock, of Columbus, Ohio, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. E. Allen, Sunday and Monday.

Look out for a change of time on the Wabash next Sunday, as a new card will go into effect on that date.

D. D. VanNocker, of Petersburg, was in Britton Saturday looking over his business interests at this place.

Lenardson Bros. & DuBois offer 600-ft. manilla, pure manilla, sisal and standard binder twine. Lowest prices.

Mrs. Dr. Hendershot and two children left Wednesday for her old home in Ohio, for a two or three week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ward suddenly became the parents of an 8 pound boy last Saturday. They are consequently happy.

Harris & Hiteshu, of Tecumseh, are showing the finest line of spring dress goods, shoes and novelties ever brought to their store. Call and see them.

A new time card will go into effect over the Mackinaw next Sunday. It will be of especial interest as it will comprise the new Jackson extension.

Posters are out announcing an excursion to be run over the C., J. & M. to Toledo on Sunday, May 24, on account of the opening of Lake Erie Park and Casino.

The railroad carpenters finished their work here on Wednesday, and now after a visit from the painters, the Wabash property will present a very attractive appearance.

Lenardson Bros. & DuBois sell any kind of binder twine at any price.

Mrs. Ida Babcock left Wednesday morning for Detroit, where she will join her husband Will. Will now has a good position with a drug firm in the city. Their household goods go today.

The Jackson extension of the C. J. & M. is completed and train service has been established on that part of the line. Train No. 23 due at Britton at 8:41 runs to Jackson. No. 24 also connects with No. 2.

As we shall leave Britton for the west on June 1st, any finance considerations which our friends may remember will be duly appreciated. Don't forget the date.

P. B. HARDY, M. D.

Mr. Lamb, of the firm of Thompson Lamb & Co., of Saginaw, wholesale lumber dealers, was in our town last Friday on business. Mr. Lamb expresses the belief that considerable lumber will be sold in Britton this season.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson, of Centreville, South Dakota, will preach in the Reformed church next Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Nickerson is a very popular worker in the Reformed church and all who are interested in that denomination should hear him.

Mrs. Henry Kehoe died last Tuesday night at midnight at the home of her father, Wm. McCarbery. The death was quite unexpected and seems a blow to her relatives and friends. The ceremony was held under charge of Wm. Osgood, Rev. Rederus officiating at the service.

Some people are always afraid of those awful cows." But at the same time an enraged bovine is not a desirable companion to meet on the public streets. A few days ago an animal was brought here to be put in the stock yards. He became infuriated from hard usage and made a rush at his owner, who barely escaped. He next made a dash at a horse hitched to a post and it took the persuasive powers of several men to make him desist.

There was a very large attendance at the village incorporation meeting at the opera house on Saturday evening, but considerable interest was manifested. Rev. Rederus made a short address explaining the law governing such cases, a committee was appointed to prepare a petition after which an expression of the sense of the voters was taken, showing 20 for and 7 against incorporating. There seems to be a mistaken idea prevalent with a number of our citizens, who obtain their information on the subject from hearsay, or the nightmare, that in case the village should be incorporated their taxes would at once be overwhelmed with taxation. Get the law and read it from beginning to end, post yourselves, get it from that source, and don't swallow all the croaking of people who can see no benefit to be derived, paramount to one dollar and eighty dollar, and who are at once troubled with pocket book colic, at the mere mention of any public improvement. We have got one of the prettiest little villages in Southern Michigan, and it can be made more attractive, by unity and uniformity of action.

Don't need to fear the approach of croup if you have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never was a case it wouldn't relieve if used at the outset. 1w

RIDGEWAY.

Lightning Kills three Cows—Ice Cream May Festival—Memorial Services.

Corn planting has begun.

Spraying pumps and corn planters at Smith & Schmidt's.

Alexander Wilson, of Raisin, was in the village Saturday.

Mrs. Chancy Dibble fell one day last week, receiving quite severe bruises.

C. O. Hiscock of Cleveland, O., was home with his mother over Sunday.

Some of our young people attended church in Tecumseh Sunday evening.

Miss Stoltzer, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her sister, Lizzie, at Mrs. Jones'.

James Clarkson had three cows killed by lightning during the storm Monday afternoon.

Sunday morning Rev. H. Cansfield's subject is, "The Dark Days of America and the Way Out."

Fancy screen doors ready to hang, all complete for $1. Call and see them at Smith & Schmidt's.

Mrs. Frank Allen and children, of Toledo, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ransome.

Addie Sherman, who was obliged to give up her school last week on account of sickness, returned to her work Monday.

Go to Smith & Schmidt for sheep shears and wool twine.

Rev. H. Cansfield left for Cleveland Monday night to attend the Methodist general conference being held there this week.

Mrs. Ida Babcock and son, Ford, left for Detroit Wednesday with their household effects, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. W. H. Arner, after a visit of two weeks with relatives at Pitsford, Wasepi, Lansing and Jackson, arrived home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Montgomery, son Ernest and daughter Florence, of Tecumseh, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Montgomery, over Sunday.

Mrs. I. T. Bush and daughter, Marion, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived Tuesday for an indefinite stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barlow.

Window screens and screen doors cheap at Smith & Schmidt's.

Guy Pocklington, who has been attending Cleary's college at Ypsilanti during the past seven months, has returned home for the summer.

W. L. Jones and daughter, May, rode their wheels to Petersburg Saturday and took the train to Lenawee Junction and from there completing the trip on their wheels.

The place for the ice cream May festival is at Mrs. W. L. Jones'; time, Friday evening, May 15; to be given by the L. C. S.; price, 10c a dish; object, to add to the carpet fund and have an enjoyable time.

We regret to learn that Prof. John Howell, who has been with us for the past two years, will sever his connection with us at the close of the present school year, having engaged with the west side schools at Blissfield.

Birch plows, spring tooth harrows, and Planet, Jr. cultivators at bottom prices at Smith & Schmidt's.

Thursday of last week, Jacob Barrett received a telegram from San Francisco, Cal., announcing the death of his son, Ralph. Ralph, in company with Chester Pilbeam, left their homes a year ago the 14th of April to seek their fortunes and learn the ways of the world. Chester secured employment at La Fayette, Ind., remaining until fall when he returned. Ralph went to Grand Island, Neb., to see his sister. From there he continued his course toward the setting sun, finally landing at San Francisco where he was taken sick with consumption, presumably brought on by exposure. He was cared for by the City Hospital during his sickness and death. The remains were buried there. Ralph D., the second son of Jacob and Polly Barrett, was born March 27, 1876, being 20 years, 1 month and 10 days of age at time of his death. Memoral services will be conducted by Rev. Cansfield at the M. E. church Sunday evening next.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to express our many thanks to the neighbors and friends who so willingly assisted us and cared for my wife during her sickness and death. Also to the Ridgeway choir for their service at the funeral.

GEORGE ALLISON.

C., J. & M. Extension to Jackson, Mich.

The extension of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Railway from Addison to Jackson, Mich., having been completed, through passenger train service between Cincinnati and Jackson and between Toledo and Jackson and intermediate stations will be inaugurated on Monday, May 11. With the completion of this extension, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y becomes the shortest route and the only line having through passenger train service between Cincinnati and Jackson. And in connection with the Michigan Central and Grand Trunk railroads to and from Jackson it forms a direct line between Cincinnati and all southern and western Ohio points and Grand Rapids, Mackinaw City, Saginaw and all points in southern Michigan. For time of trains, rates, etc., please enquire of any C., J. & M. agent. 8tf

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Baking Powder sold under private brands. Such goods are not reliable. Manufacturers of these baking powders impose upon both the grocer and the consumer. Buy Calumet. It is reliable, sustains the reputation of the merchant, and is the fast friend of the housekeeper. 1w

LAKE RIDGE.

Flowing Wells—Orange Blossoms—Sad Death.

Will Whiting and wife spent Sunday at Frank Whiting's.

Cinda Lowry, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her mother.

Miss Alta Easlick was a visitor in the Sunday school last Sabbath.

Miss Jennie Harring has gone to Ann Arbor for medical treatment.

Clarence Harrington is helping his brother, Joe, with his spring work.

Mrs. Minnie Craig, who has been visiting at her father's, has returned to Toledo.

Mrs. J. C. Mills has been summoned to the sick bed of her brother, C. Berdan, of Detroit.

Warren Miller, who has been spending the winter with his son, Martin, has returned home.

Lew Miller and wife, of Ann Arbor, were called to the bedside of their sister, Aggie Kehoe.

Married, on Thursday of last week, Mr. Orril Harmon, of Lake Ridge, to Miss Nellie Reece, of York.

Mrs. W. W. Phillips and daughters have arrived to spend the summer with the former's mother, Mrs. Henry.

Miss Anna Osborne, who has been attending the Musical Conservatory in Chicago, will visit Colorado Springs this summer.

Sam Gibson, the famous well driver, has procured a fine flowing well for Tom Boyd, and on Mrs. Henry's farm Sam Boyd struck a fountain throwing an inch stream.

Mrs. Aggie Kehoe died last Tuesday night at the home of her father, Wm. McCarbery, in East Milan. The funeral was held Thursday. The family and friends have the sympathy of many friends in this sudden bereavement.

CONE.

Ladies Aid Society—Farm Changes—Personals.

Emery Auten lost a valuable horse last week.

Frank Raymond was a Detroit visitor last Monday.

Mrs. Martha Sherwood is on the sick list this week.

William Hendershot and family visited friends here last Sunday.

Homer Sherwood and John Miller were Adrian visitors Monday.

Mr. Logan has moved onto the Horen farm lately vacated by Rob Mott.

James Miller, of Macon, was the guest of Homer Sherwood last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Ross, of Rea, was the guest of Archie Allhouse and Fred Ellis Wednesday and Thursday.

Samuel Osborne and wife attended the funeral of their niece, Miss Etta Osborne, at Maybee Tuesday.

The Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. Jane Auten Wednesday, May 20. All are invited to attend. A nice program is being prepared.

How's This?

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For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets May 18, 22, 23 and 25, 1896, from all points to Ottawa, Kan., at one fare for the round trip, plus $2, good to return thirty days from date of sale. For time tables and other information call on or write to any ticket agent of the Wabash, R'y, or connecting lines, or C. S. CRANE,

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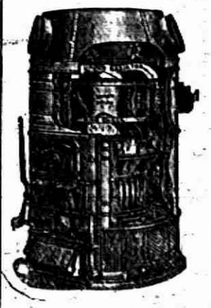

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 8 '96.

It takes two to make a bargain. In adopting a resolution providing for the adjournment of Congress on May 18th, the House has only taken the first step towards a bargain. The majority of the ways and means committee would much rather have had the first step taken by the Senate, but as that body gave no indication of doing so, the committee reported the resolution which was adopted by the House. That it will not be adopted by the Senate in that shape may be set down as certain as the Senate will not be ready to adjourn as early as that, and there are numerous things which may precipitate a discussion that will prevent an early adjournment, not the least of which is the indisposition of a number of Senators to adjourn until the President has recognized the belligerence of the Cubans. This was voiced by Senator Morgan this week when he moved that his joint resolution directing that resolution be referred to the committee on Foreign Relations, and said: "I hope firm, energetic and determined action will be taken before this Congress adjourns. I do not believe Congress can afford to adjourn leaving this question in its present state before the world."

The whole influence of the administration will be used to prevent any farther action by Congress on Cuban affairs. In fact, it is said that any further Congressional action will result in upsetting a very carefully planned scheme which President Cleveland hopes to carry through after Congress gets out of the way. Just what this scheme is has not been told by anyone who could speak by authority, but vague hints indicate that it may lead to war with Spain, and that the gathering of what is with one or two exceptions the most formidable fleet of fighting vessels afloat, by the administration in Hampton Roads, is connected with it.

Representative Amos Cummings, of N. Y. is liable to lose his well deserved reputation for level-headeness if he introduces a few more bills like the one he introduced this week, to prohibit the offering of gifts or prizes in connection with chewing or smoking tobacco or cigarettes. What right has Congress to intefere if the manufacturers of these or any other articles choose to encourage their consumption by giving away something? Now if there was any way by which Congress could absolutely stop the manufacture of the stinking paper cigarettes the average citizen would not be likely to question its Constitutionality, but the bill of Mr. Cummings is calculated to increase their manufacture by making it more profitable.

The old, old fight between the House and Senate is on again. The present point in dispute is the number of battle ships which shall be provided for by the Naval appropriation bill. The House originally said four, and the Senate by an amendment reduced the number to two. This aroused the ire of House and, after some very sarcastic references to the jingoism of the Senate a little earlier in the session, it refused by a decisive vote of 141 to 81 to accept the Senate amendment, and sent the bill to conference. The Senators are so accustomed to having their own way in these contests that they seldom take the opposition of the House seriously, but this may end differently, as there is a strong element in the Senate which sides with the House.

A bill intended to prevent Canadians coming into the United States to work during the summer months and returning to their homes in the winter has been favorably reported from the House committee on Labor. Its title is: "A bill for the protection of American labor and to establish additional regulations concerning immigration."

Ex-Senator Warner Miller is in Washington trying to stem the current of opposition which has set in against the Nicaragua Canal, or rather against any government aid for the present Nicaragua Canal company, but he doesn't seem to be making much headway. Whatever may be done after the Presidential election, it is practically certain that no Nicaragua Canal bill will be passed at this session of Congress.

Two populists Peffer and Butler, joined with 29 republican Senators in serving notice on the Finance committee that no tariff or internal revenue bill could be considered at this session that did not carry a clause providing for an adequate duty on wool.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

An Account from the Pen of a Former Townsman—Other Welcome Thoughts.

The Quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, of the U. S., met in Cleveland on the morning of May 1, 1896, and is to continue its session through the month. It adds to the dignity of a body to have it meet only once in four years. But the highest dignity of this body consists in the fact that it is composed of carefully chosen representatives of one of the largest and most influential religious denominations in Christendom. It is a little singular that so peaceably disposed an assembly should have for its place of meeting a building erected as a drilling place for soldiers and a storage place for arms and the accoutrements of war. But the conference wished to come to Cleveland and the large Central Armory building having only its walls and partitions finished, was selected as the most spacious and the best adapted in form and plan for the use of the coming assembly. At quite a heavy expense it was arranged for the ecclesiastical court that has now taken temporary possession, and is legislating in the interest of universal peace. The large hall with its arched roof is tastefully trimmed with bunting of various colors and with the flags of all the nations represented by delegates, and these come from many different parts of the globe.

Nearly a score of bishops are here and they are a body of men who for ability and learning and devotion can hardly be excelled. The delegates present number more than 500. At the pleasant reception Friday night the 2,000 or more chairs for visitors were all occupied. Mayor McKisson and others gave addresses of welcome, and in his reply to them, Bishop Fowler, after telling the people how thoroughly welcomed he felt, gave this neat and modest statement of what methodism stood for: "A profound conviction, a little heroism and some achievements." Notwithstanding this a peaceful assembly, studying the things that make for peace, Dr. Buckley, of the Christian Advocate, has put on his feathers and war paint, grasped his tomahawk and is in full pursuit of the women who have the audacity to assert their right to be delegates of the conference, as well as their lords and masters, the men. The four women, who are "holding the fort" for their disfranchised sisters, do not flinch, however, but sit and listen to the doctor's speeches as placidly as if they were in their own prayer meetings at home. They have expressed a willingness, it is reported, to give up their claims in the interests of peace. Yet, even if they do this, the controversy will go on, unless action so definite shall be taken by this conference as to close it. One German delegate was so ungracious as to say that no women wished to be delegates, except those who wished to shine or were old maids.

The month of May is the chosen one for all large religious assemblies. The Presbyterian clans will soon be gathering at Saratoga. The Baptists will hold their annual convention before the month is out. So with other denominations. It must be very discouraging to the prophets, who have been foretelling the speedy death of christianity, to find there is still so much activity and progress in christian circles, that so many new churches are constantly being formed and so many new and difficult enterprises inaugurated. But the facts in regard to the spread of the gospel throughout the world are very cheering to those who have embraced it. One of the most significant and hopeful signs of the times is the movement rapidly gathering strength in favor of the arbitration of national disputes instead of an attempt to settle them by an appeal to arms, which after all its costly sacrifices, only brings about a forced and artificial peace and gives rise to greater evils than it cures. There have been some righteous wars in the history of the world, but it is time a course should be adopted which would make righteous wars unnecessary. The gospel foretells a time when the nations will learn war no more, when the costly standing armies and navies of the civilized world shall be things of the past, and the friends of the gospel are working to hasten the arrival of that happy time.

Cleveland, except the crowded business portion of the city, is beautiful in its spring attire. But I can shut my eyes and think how beautiful fair Tecumseh is, with its shaded streets, its tasteful homes, and the apple orchards now in bloom and the fertile farms and groves surrounding it. The Herald has thanks for the weekly visit it makes us but some of its news, like that of the Tipton tragedy in a late issue, is very sad. There is a cause for the frequency of these tragedies. Would that it might be discovered and removed. —W. H. B.

Cheap Excursion—80 Cents for the Round Trip.

On Sunday, May 24, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo, account opening Lake Erie Park and Casino with its special attractions, and base ball game, Toledo vs. Saginaw. Train leaves Tecumseh at 9:51, a. m. Tickets good returning on special train Sunday, May 24, and on regular trains Monday, May 25. Don't miss it. See large hand bills.

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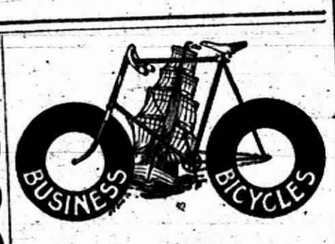

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Rev. Thos. F. Davies, bishop of ...oit diocese, visited St. Peter's ... Sunday. The bishop administhe rite of confirmation to two ates. In the evening the bishop d Clinton where a class of ten confirmed.

and Mrs. Frank Snedecor were ly made happy last Saturday. A prospective voter successfully d for naturalization in their famie will take the name of Snedecor ecome an active citizen in 21 years has good luck.

e unusual forwardness of the sea- calls to mind some previous her. One year ago yesterday, May slight snow storm was experienced with the mercury at 34. One year this morning the temperature ran to 30, when the severe frosts nipe fruit crop throughout the state. cause for thanksgiving.

de VanTyne, of Ann Arbor, was n Saturday returning Sunday . He completes his course in ...rary department at the Univer- year. The latter part of June ects to start on his second an trip. He will go to Germany, e Danube at the Black Forest, e a canoe trip down that historic o the Black sea. The particulars s interesting trip will appear in erald during the summer.

W. Samsen, for 22 years proprietor e Blissfield Advance, last week t the office, subscription list and will of the Tecumseh News. Mr. en takes possession to-day and rday's issue of the News was the hich Mr. C. F. Field will issue. ield has been editor and proprieof our contemporary for twelve During that time his relations the Herald have been of the most ing and satisfactory nature. The d, while it welcomes the new ietor, deeply regrets to lose a editor in whom years of association placed the utmost confidence and ct.

t Monday morning the remains of er C. Temple were brought to mseh from Chicago for interment. occured in that city Saturday, 9th, and was caused by heart e brought on by kidney and liver le. The funeral was held at the ence of S. W. Temple, at 5 o'clock day afternoon, Rev. B. S. Hudson, ose church the deceased was a ber, officiating. Mr. Temple was in Sunderland, Vt., Feb. 24, 1839, at the time of death in his 58th About 1855 he came to Tecumseh resided here till about 8 years ago, n he moved to Saginaw. From e he went to Harvey and lived till a short time ago, when he ed to Chicago, where his sons reside. deceased was well and favorably n in our village and the family the sympathy of many friends. sons, Arthur, Frank, Fred and ...ies and a widow survive. The two r and Mrs. Temple accompanied remains here.

First matinee June 6th.

Will Mebbe was in Toledo Wednesday.

Brussels carpets cheap, commencing Saturday. ANDERSON & Co.

Miss Minnie Corey rides a new Clipper purchased of Levi Hayden.

Tom McCann spent Sunday in Jackson, returning Monday afternoon.

W. J. Ingersoll is attending a meeting of the K. P. at Jackson this week.

Bert Mise has taken J. C. Marquis' place as lineman on the C., J. & M. Ry.

John Nyland is clerking in the Eastern Bankrupt store in the Mills Block.

Hugh Kerr took out full naturalisation papers before Judge Lane last Monday.

Mrs. A. C. McGrew and Miss Muir, of Detroit, are visiting Henry C. Conkling and family this week.

Senator Calvin Brice passed over the C. J. & M. Saturday. He was looking over his railroad fences.

Rugs and carpets go cheap at our sale commencing Saturday. ANDERSON & Co.

The topic for the sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening will be: "Efficacy of Death Bed Repentance."

Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman and her committee will serve supper in the M. E. church parlors, Wednesday, May 20. All are invited.

Next Sunday evening Rev. J. P. Varner will be in Adrian, and one of the Adrian ministers will preach in the M. E. church here.

The Salvation Army workers, of Adrian, will hold a meeting in the M. E. church in this place next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning the topic will be: "Where shall we take our Pleasure." Phil. 4:4. Evening, "The Christian Pugilist."

Ministers meeting at the M. E. church next Monday at 10 a. m. Rev. Stead, of Raisin, will read a paper on "Endless Punishment." All are invited.

There will be no preaching service in the Universalist church Sunday, May 17, the pastor being sick at the home of his mother in Grand Rapids. Sunday school and Y. P. C. U. meeting as usual.

The wheels sold the past week by Satterthwhite Bros. are: Westminster to Ernest VanWinkle; Envoy, Mrs. A. James; Lake Side, Harvey Welling; Am. Queen of Scorchers, Alfred Lewis. Quite a record for a week.

The first matinee will occur at the Bill's driving park, on Saturday, June, 6th. A good program will be given consisting of three blanket races and bicycle race. A special feature of the day will be a half mile dash in which the ten boys, who defeated Cowboy Smith here this spring will compete for prizes. Entries for horses should be sent in as soon as possible. No entrance fee charged.

J. W. Paine yesterday sold his art studio to McClure & Co., of Manchester, N. H. Mr. Paine has been in the business many years in this city and his retirement will be regretted by his many friends.—Evening Press, Jackson, May 6. The principal member of the above named firm is Robert McClure and the Co., consists of Geo. V. Schreder. The latter is now conducting the business at Jackson, and "Bob" will arrive from Vermont later on. Both members are old Tecumseh boys and their many friends wish them every success in their new enterprise.

The following concerning a well known Tecumseh boy is taken from the Adrian Times: Friends of Willis Hartson, a Lake Shore mail clerk, residing in this city, were considerably agitated by hearing of a report printed in an evening paper that he had been shot at South Bend. The item included another vague and confusing rumor that a mail agent had been killed and his body mangled beyond recognition in that place. Mr. Horton came in from his regular run on the west-bound fast mail last evening, and at once began to manifest unmistakable signs of being very much alive.

The following item taken from the Messenger shows something of what the postmasters and federal office holders did at the state convention: At the late democratic state convention when Hon. Spencer O. Fisher, of Bay City, was the candidate for delegate at large, representing the free silver wing of the party, Lenawee county cast 23 votes for him. While Mr. Fisher was denouncing the postmasters and federal office holders, he was interrupted by Postmaster L. W. Hoch, of Adrian, with the statement that his charges were unjust, that there were three postmasters in the Lenawee delegation that the chairman of the delegation was a postmaster, and yet Lenawee county had cast 23 votes for Fisher. It was a surprise to the gentleman from Bay City.

The casualties and mortalities from lightning in southern Michigan during the past two months have been unprecedented in recent years. Nearly every day destruction of live stock and property and even fatalities are reported in our own and adjoining counties. This calls to mind that we have in town one of the few successful lightning rod men in this state. Jno. F. Hicks not only sold a large quantity of this indispensable protection when it was first introduced, but he has continued and is now rodding hundreds of buildings every year. Moreover he always does work the second time for a man if he needs more rods. The secret of this success lies in the fact that Mr. Hicks deals in the best rods made, does the best work possible and warrants his jobs of rodding and the durability of the tips used. He is thoroughly responsible and can always be found at Tecumseh ready to make good his guarantees. The Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., of Lenawee Co., have not had a loss in 30 years where the building was protected by Mr. Hicks' rods.

C. F. Field was a Chicago visitor last Saturday.

Annual May festival occurs at Ann Arbor, May 21st.

Brussels carpets cheap, commencing Saturday. ANDERSON & Co.

Mrs. W. A Brown was called to Dexter last week to attend the funeral of her father.

The union memorial services will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, May 24.

Mrs. Irene Youngs and Miss Irene Calhoun, of Milan, were the guests of Tecumseh friends the first of the week.

The safe belonging to N. M. Sutton and formerly used by Kennedy & Mize was, Saturday, removed to W. J. Ingersoll's office by Wm. Kyle.

Rev. O. J. Perrin will deliver the address on Memorial day, May 30. He also will preach the memorial discourse on Sunday, May 24.—Dundee Reporter.

Miss May Garlinghouse celebrated her 15th birthday last Saturday by entertaining a number of her young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse, south of town.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton has put her Sand Lake cottage, "Idlewild," in order and will rent it by the week or month. Everything furnished except table and bed linen. The cottage will accomodate twelve.

The joint meeting called for last week Friday night to complete arrangements for decoration day was adjourned till this evening. Citizens are earnestly requested to be present at the council building tonight.

Certain young men drive good horses, which fact is indeed much to their credit. But when their zeal and strife impells them to indulge in tests of speed on our streets it is carrying the competition a little too far. A little indulgence of this kind Sunday evening nearly resulted in a runaway. In fact one buggy was quite badly wrecked as it was. Rent a track next time boys.

There are not yet many visitors at Sand lake on Sunday but the number is on the increase. The irrepressibles, Ed. Stebbins, Fred Bury, Frank Barnum and Harry Fee, were out last Sunday. Among other visitors was Walter C. Burridge and Newberry Satterthwaite, of Tecumseh, Mr. and Mrs. Irv Finch and Dr. Mina Logue, of this city. Charles H. Haight was also there and had his sail boat out, the first one to be launched this season.—Telegram.

We are to have a little recruiting in our midst done by the members of the Salvation Army. Lieutenant McGee was over from Adrian Saturday and made arrangements for a meeting to be held in the Methodist church here on Monday evening. Captain Bullock and the lieutenant with about 20 soldiers will drive over. An out door service will be held if possible. The Adrian papers always speak well of the branch of the army in that city and their work there receives recognition from a large class of good citizens.

Miss Kompton, an elocutionist of marked ability, a graduate from the Detroit school of expression and a teacher in Hillsdale college for four years will give an entertainment in the M. E. church, under the auspices of the Epworth League, on Friday evening, May 15, at 7:30 o'clock. Following is the program:

The Perfect Wife.
A Rainy Day.
Music.
Scene from "Ingomar."
Music.
Wood Notes from a Cage.
Away Down East.
Music.
We Two.
Tricksey's Ring.
Music.
Aunt Peggy on High Art.
Pantomime, "Nearer my God to Thee."

Tecumseh experienced a very good shower last Monday afternoon, but the precipitation of the storm area seemed to centre near Sutton's where a veritable cloud burst took place. Two dense black clouds, one coming from the west and one from the north, seemed to meet at that point and the down pour was terrific. No rain fell at Chase's crossing and very little at Holloway. Between here and Clinton it was only a very light shower, while at Clinton again the rain fall was considerable. The storm near Sutton was accompanied by hail stones of remarkable size and quantity doing much damage to growing crops and fruit. However, the fury of the storm was wreaked on the Lake Shore track in the rear of T. G. Mead's farm, where the road bed was badly damaged for nearly half a mile and for the space of about 20 rods the ballast and grading was washed out from under the ties from one to four feet deep. Section foreman Wm. Orr and assistants were in the vicinity at the time and sought shelter in an adjoining barn. Mr. Orr discovered the damage and the night passenger train was held at Lenawee Junction till nearly midnight. In the meanwhile three section gangs and a gravel train were engaged till about 10:30 in making temporary repairs by bolstering the track up with old ties. The track has since been put in its former condition. This was one of the most remarkable down pours ever known in this section. It was, however, fortunate that the damage to the Lake Shore track was discovered in time to prevent a serious accident.

New spring goods in the dry goods line are always interesting to the ladies, and especially so if styles are new, prices right and assortment complete. We are in front on all these counts. Harris & Hiteshu.

—Just because you see in my show window the nobbiest business suit for $30.00, don't think I cannot make suits that cost and are worth more money. J. M. JONES.

Nothing old. All new Dimities and Percales. Most beautiful paterns at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Fine line of tan shoes and oxfords cheap at Mills Block.

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery.
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—On Tuesday and Friday of each week I will have for sale, dressed and delivered, fresh fish of all kinds. Leave orders at Rob't. Moir's. H. E. FINK.

—The greatest bargains on earth at the Mills Block.

—Brussels carpets to be closed out cheap at our special sale in the east store. Commencing Saturday continuing one week. ANDERSON & Co.

—Reserved seats for ladies at Kirchgessner's auction sale.

—Come early and get first choice on rockers and tables. WHEELER & SISSON.

—The place to get your work done is where it is done best, quickest and cheapest. I sharpen and clean lawn mowers for 35 cents, file buck and hand saws for 10 cents each, cross cut saws 25 cents, cross cut saws gummed 50c, sharpen shears for 5c, razors 25c and do everything in the line of umbrella, parasol and bicycle repairing at lowest rates. JAMES CLARK.
Slayton block, Railroad street.

—L. D. Dewey has for sale the best and cheapest Hungarian and Millet seed in town, and pays more for wool than any buyer on the road. It will pay every farmer twice over to bring his wool to Tecumseh to sell, and eggs at 8 cents per dozen, cash.

—For a little money you can get a good ice cream freezer at the Mills Block.

—Just in, a special new line of single pants patterns. It will pay you and please you to see them. J. M. JONES.

—See those lawn mowers at Satterthwaite Bros.

—For sale—for lack of time to attend to a retail lumber yard, I will sell my stock of shingles on time. There is now a splendid chance to start a yard on Main street, only one yard in the town, but little capital required. See me at once. Truly yours, A. W. SLAYTON.

—Envoy and Fleetwing bicycles strictly high grade, price $15, at Satterthwaite Bros.

—The talk of the town is Kirchgessner's auction sale of jewelry, books, stationery and silverware.

—Go to the Mills Block and get a bargain.

—Gasoline and oil cook stoves at Satterthwaite Bros.

Those Shirt Waists and Made Garments at Harris & Hiteshu's are wonders, both in price, quality and style. See them.

—Before buying your hammock visit the Mills Block and get their prices.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—Lap Dusters and whips at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Attend the grand auction sale at Kirchgessner's, afternoons at 2 and evenings at 7:30.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—If you want a good whip for a little money, go to the Mills Block.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

—Get prices on books at Mills Block.

—Special prices on brussels carpets, commencing Saturday. ANDERSON & Co.

—We have too many rockers and have decided to close them out at prices that will move them to make room for our new goods. This sale will last 10 days. Come early and get first choice. Goods all new and fresh. WHEELER & SISSON.

—Summer corsets 39c at Mills Block.

—Hammocks and fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

—Gilt belts 10c and 25c at Mills Block.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—Fine line of refrigerators at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Muslin underwear cheap at Mills Block.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

—Our line of extension tables and center tables will be sold for the next 10 days at 10 per cent off. We have the best stock in Michigan to select from. WHEELER & SISSON.

—A nice 25c pencil box given with every pair of children's shoes at Mills Block.

—The great cut prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's draw large crowds.

—Good plow shoes 89c at Mills Block.

—Plow shoes 89 cents. Mills Block, Tecumseh.

MOLASSES

mixed with Glucose is akin to milk mixed with water. Bring that jug and we will fill it with

A PURE ARTICLE,

that will give satisfaction.

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

Fifty Cents or
One Dollar

May do you more good Right Now

Than twice this amount some other time. You need Shirts and we have struck a lead in this particular line

Right Now.

In Fancy Colors for Warm Weather.
In Fancy Negligee Styles.
In Sorts with detached Collars and Cuffs.
In Whatever Kind You Desire

from dress to working kind. We struck a bargain in buying and will a little more than divide the difference with you.

ALVA SPAYDE.

One More Chance

—TO BUY A—

Decorated Chamber Set CHEAP.

We offer the balance of our Decorated Chamber Sets at One Third the Regular Price.

The Best Grocery Stock in Town.

See our Bargain Counter
In Canned Goods, Etc.

AVERY & CO.

GARLAND STOVES & RANGES

Gasoline Stoves.

Poultry Netting.

Spraying Pumps.

Potato Planters.

Fish Poles and Tackle.

Bicycles and Sundries.

AT

Satterthwaite Bros.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

CAUGHT IN NEW YORK.

Woman Under Arrest for Abducting a Boy at Vassar.

New York, N. Y., May 9. — Fanny Lampman, who is said by the police to be known also by the names McGee, Haig and Goodall, was arrested Thursday at 446 West Twenty-sixth street on the charge of abducting the grandson of Mrs. Goodall, of Vassar, Mich. The arrest was made at the request of Marshal John Rough, of Negaunee, Mich. The abduction is said to have taken place two years ago. The boy is now eight years old, and is named Eddie. The woman says he is her son, but he declares that she stole him from his home. She traveled about this country with him, he said, and took him to Scotland, and then back to New York. The woman asserted vehemently that the boy is her son. She said she left the boy with her mother, Mrs. Goodall, but she took the child away from her two years ago.

REUNION OF TWO SISTERS.

After Eighteen Years of Separation They Are United for a Day.

Detroit, May 13.—After a separation of 18 years Harriet and Bertha Davis, sisters, have been reunited, only to be separated by the death of the former. Harriet was adopted out of an orphan home at Birmingham, England, by the Holman opera singers. They brought her to America, where she was educated, and eventually married Harry Hague. Bertha was adopted and brought to Canada, later finding a position in this city. Through church work she became acquainted with Mrs. Hague, who was already an invalid, and brought her flowers without knowing the relationship. The resemblance between the two women attracted the attention of friends, and a long inquiry was set on foot, which resulted in proof that the two are sisters, but the reunion was a short one, for 24 hours later Harriet passed into death.

SUIT OVER A MASTODON.

Prof. John Kost Wants $20,000 Damages from a Railway.

Lansing, May 11.—A suit was commenced in the Ingham circuit court Saturday which will determine the value of the skeleton of a mastodon. Prof. John Kost, of this city, is complainant against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad company in an action for $20,000 damages to valuable geological specimens which were shipped here from Tiffin, O., and which, it is claimed, were badly used in transit. He alleges that the skeleton of the mastodon was the most perfect in existence and that it was damaged to the extent of $10,000.

Students Plan a March.

Pontiac, May 9. — Capt. Frank Davidson, First Lieut. Ray and Second Lieut. Silverthorne, students at the Michigan Military academy at Orchard Lake, have in command a company of 40 cadets who are preparing for a trial for the marching record between the academy and Detroit. The distance is 30 miles, and the present record seven and a quarter hours. The company will try to cover the distance in six hours.

Strike for Eight Hours.

Detroit, Mich., May 12. Over 500 union carpenters assembled in Central Labor Union hall Monday morning instead of going to work. The strike follows the action of last Friday night, when it was unanimously determined to strike for eight hours a day at 25 cents per hour. The bosses are willing to make a minimum wage of 20 cents an hour, and promise to concede the eight-hour day January 1 next.

Barren Lake Lined with Dead Fishes.

Niles, May 12.—The shores of Barren lake, a resort four miles west of here, are lined with thousands of dead bass and blue gills. The cause is a mystery. For the past week they have been coming to the surface and are being carried away by the waves to land. Some think that dynamite was used in the lake.

L'ANSE DESTROYED.

Fire Makes a Clean Sweep and Wipes Out the Town.

L'Anse, May 11.—The fire which swept through this place Saturday afternoon and night and burned itself out at midnight. The entire town, except a few scattered houses, was destroyed. Fifty families, numbering about 300 persons, are homeless. The loss is roughly estimated at from $500,000 to $750,000. The homeless people are living in sheds hastily erected or have found refuge at Baraga, across the bay. Saloons are in operation in the open air, dry goods boxes being used as bars. The heaviest individual losses are those of the L'Anse Lumber company, about $50,000 on mill and 4,000,000 feet of lumber; South Shore & Atlantic Railway company, $43,000 on ore docks; Ruppee & Son, store and contents, $40,000; Lloyd hotel, $25,000.

The fire started in the lumber company's mill in an unaccountable manner. The mill had been idle for several days owing to a strike among employes. There are many who surmise that some hot-headed striker applied the torch. Baraga and Pequaming sent over all that could be spared from their fire department, but the flames were soon beyond control, and, fanned by a stiff southwest breeze, were driven across the old ore dock, through the lumber piles and into the business center.

Marquette, May 12.—No sooner was it known that outside aid was needed for the sufferers by the L'Anse fire than relief committees were made up in every town in the upper peninsula. Contributions of money, clothing, food and other necessaries were forwarded with dispatch in generous quantities. The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway has offered to carry all contributions free. One car of supplies was made up here Monday morning within one hour. Over $500 in cash has been subscribed in Marquette.

CONDITION OF CROPS.

Owing to Favorable Weather Everything Is Making Progress.

Lansing, May 9.—The May crop report issued by the secretary of state says that the weather in April was favorable and that crops of all kinds made good progress. Not more than two or three per cent. of the wheat sowed will be plowed up. With few exceptions the report shows no damage by insects. The average condition of wheat at this time of the year is better than for several seasons past. In the southern counties 30 per cent., and in the state an average of 26 per cent. of the meadows will be plowed up. Owing to the drought, the seeding of last year was generally lost, and there are few clover meadows in the state. Timothy meadows are making fine growth. The average condition of meadows is 81 in the southern counties, 91 in the central, 93 in the northern and 85 for the state.

OBEY CAPT. PECK'S REQUEST.

Body of Dead Ship Owner Carried to Places Dear to Him in Life.

Detroit, May 12.—Capt. E. M. Peck, the millionaire vessel owner, died last Friday. Monday night his remains were shipped on the steamer E. M. Peck to Cleveland, where the interment will take place. Before he died Capt. Peck asked that after his death his body be conveyed into his library, his business office and other places that he liked to frequent. Monday afternoon the coffin was carried into various rooms in the handsome house. In the evening the body was taken into his office in the Parker and Miller building. Then it was placed on a long and cool piazza overlooking the busy river front. There the body rested until the time came to remove it to the boat. The funeral party occupied cabins on the steamer, which was draped in mourning from bow to stern.

Rain Quenches Forest Fires.

Houghton, May 13.—Heavy rain fell for five hours Monday night, effectually quenching the forest fires which had been burning for the last week at a number of points and which have caused great destruction. The loss by fires of the past week on the southern shore of Lake Superior between Duluth and Sault Ste. Marie will reach fully $1,000,000.

Found in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., May 12.—After a search of nearly two months Detective Farnsworth Monday afternoon arrested Flora Lewis, at No. 1218 Wabash avenue, on a charge of being a fugitive from justice. She is wanted in Kalamazoo, Mich., on a charge of perjury. She was turned over to Deputy Sheriff Hall, of Kalamazoo.

Robbed and Burned.

Kalamazoo, May 10.—The clothing store of Jake Levy was plundered by thieves early Saturday morning and the store completely saturated with kerosene and fired. About $200 worth of goods stolen and $2,000 damage from fire. Insurance, $6,000. Burry Fry and wife, living over the store, had a narrow escape.

Asks for an Accounting.

Kalamazoo, May 10.—Lucy C. Eames, widow of Lovett Eames, who died September 6, has begun suit for an accounting. She has had Charles H. Manley et al. restrained from disposing of property valued at $100,000.

Bold Robbery in Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, May 13.—W. B. Wolcott's hardware store, two doors from police headquarters, was robbed of $500 worth of knives, razors, etc., Monday night. The thieves were locked in the cellar when the store closed.

Will Be Tried Again.

London, May 13.—The Standard publishes a dispatch from its Madrid correspondent saying that Spain and the United States have arrived at an amicable understanding regarding the men captured on the Competitor. The prisoners will be tried again, this time by a civil court under the provisions of the existing treaties between the two countries.

THE REPUBLICANS.

What Was Done at Their State Convention.

Detroit, May 8.—The Michigan republican state convention on Thursday elected four delegates at large and alternates to the republican national convention, two presidential electors at large, presidential electors representing the 12 congressional districts of the state and a new chairman of the state central committee, Hon. D. M. Ferry, of Detroit. Much enthusiasm was manifested for McKinley, and, as was expected, the convention instructed its delegates at large to vote for Ohio's favorite son so long as his name should remain before the St. Louis convention. Hon. O. A. James presided.

For delegates at large to the national convention Gen. R. A. Alger, of Detroit; Thomas J. O'Brien, of Grand Rapids, and John Duncan, of Calumet, were elected by acclamation, and Mark S. Brewer, of Pontiac, was elected as the fourth delegate after two ballots had been taken.

N. J. Kelsey, of Calhoun county; Henry A. Haigh, of Wayne; George H. Kemp, of Washtenaw, and I. C. Washington (colored), of St. Clair, were chosen alternate delegates at large by acclamation.

J. C. Gray, of Kalkaska, and F. W. Gilchrist, of Alpena, were elected as presidential electors at large without a contest.

The features of the convention were the address of Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, who dropped in on the delegates unexpectedly and made a ringing republican speech, and the victory of the silver men in forcing the adoption of the financial plank of the Minneapolis convention of 1892. The "hard money" men had control of the committee on resolutions, there being but two advocates of the white metal on it. The minority, however, brought the fight which they had been unable to settle in committee into the convention. They declared that the convention should at least reaffirm the plank of the last national republican convention, and on this basis they won their fight after battling for an hour. Aside from this episode and the contest over the election of the delegates at large the convention was entirely harmonious.

The platform as adopted instructs the delegates to the national convention to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Hon. William McKinley as the republican candidate for president; reaffirms the position taken on the financial question by the platform adopted at Minneapolis in 1892; favors a return to the policy of Washington and Hamilton, which, by discriminating duties in favor of American bottoms, secured 90 per cent. of our carrying trade to American ships, and which, if now restored, would again revive our shipping and cause American freights to be paid to America.

The resolutions also expressed sympathy with the people of Cuba in their struggle for liberty. An additional resolution was presented by the committee expressing regret at the retirement of Senator James McMillan from the chairmanship of the state central committee.

NEW TRANSIT COMPANY.

Chicago Men Will Build a Road Under Benton Harbor.

Benton Harbor, May 9.—The Benton Harbor & Eastern Transit Company has been organized here by Chicago men. The company will build a new railway, and will tunnel under the city a distance of one mile. One hundred miles of road will be built and will connect with all the main lines. The company will also run a line of steamers to Chicago and Milwaukee. The city council has granted a franchise for the tunnel under the city. The capital stock of the new company is $1,000,000. Work will begin at once.

Death of a Lake Captain.

St. Joseph, May 13.—Capt. Curtis Boughton, a veteran lake vesselman, died Tuesday, aged 82. He commenced sailing out of Cleveland when 13 years old. At one time he owned 12 boats, but disposed of them all and retired with considerable wealth. He owned a half interest in the steamer Hippacampos, which was lost between St. Joseph and Chicago. He shipped the first peaches across the lake to Chicago. During his experiences as a sailor he was shipwrecked four times, and saved eight lives from wrecked boats.

End of Sparrow Insane Case.

Lansing, May 13.—The case brought by Edward W. Sparrow, a millionaire mine-owner and lumberman of this city, to have his sister Henrietta confined in an asylum for the insane came to an end Tuesday, when the supreme court decided that the order of the probate court adjudging Miss Sparrow insane and committing her to the Michigan asylum at Kalamazoo was final and could not be appealed from.

Factory at Zeeland Burns.

Holland, May 11.—The three-story brick wagon manufactory of Depree & Ellenbaas at Zeeland was totally destroyed by fire at noon Sunday, with all its machinery and most of the stock. The loss is estimated at $25,000, with no insurance whatever.

Trial of William Reeves Begins.

Ionia, May 9.—The trial of William Reeves, for assault with intent to murder Charles Hagadorn, commenced Friday evening in the circuit court.

A Heavy Failure.

Akron, O., May 11.—Ferdinand Schumacher, president of the American Cereal company, and known as the "oatmeal king," turned over his property to his nephew, Hugo Schumacher, and Attorney J. A. Arbogast, of this city, for the benefit of creditors. The assets, which consist of $1,000,000 in American Cereal company stock, other similar securities and real estate, would reach $2,000,000 if there was a market for them. The liabilities will reach $1,500,000.

THE HUMAN EYE.

Like the Arm, the One That Is Most Used Is Strongest.

You are either left-eyed or right-eyed, unless you are the one person out of every 15 who has eyes of equal strength. You also belong to the small minority of one out of every ten persons if your left eye is stronger than your right. As a rule, just as people are right-handed, they are right-eyed.

This is probably due to the generally greater use of the organs of the right side of the body, as, for example, a sportsman, using his right arm and shoulder, uses his right eye to sight his gun, thereby strengthening it with exercise.

Old sea captains, after long use of the telescope, find their right eye much stronger than the left. The law is confirmed by the experience of aurists. If a person who has ears of equal hearing has cause to use one ear more than the other for a long period, the ear brought into requisition is found to be much strengthened, and the ear which is not used loses its hearing in a corresponding degree.

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Sometimes persons become blind from impure blood, which develops scrofulous ulcers on the eyeballs, iritis, granulated eyelids, etc. In such cases Hood's Sarsaparilla has been marvelously successful in restoring sight. It shows its powers as a blood purifier and radical cure for scrofula, by removing the cause, thus curing the

Sore

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"As an act of justice and for the benefit of other mothers who may have afflicted children, I write this. About the first of February, 1892, my daughter Zola, then three years old, contracted sore eyes of the worst form and in a few weeks was entirely blind, being unable to tolerate light of any kind. She suffered and cried until I was almost heartbroken. The best eye specialist in the county treated her for months, but the

Eyes

became worse. Then I took her to a specialist in Indianapolis, who said he could do nothing. I came away with a heavy heart. I met my father's physician, Dr. Berryman, who examined Zola's eyes, and told me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to give it as directed and wash her eyes with warm water. Soon I began to notice improvement, and now, having given the child over a half dozen bottles, her eyes are greatly improved and she can see as well as any one. She is five years of age, and goes to school. When she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, she had to eat her meals in a darkened room, but now

Cured

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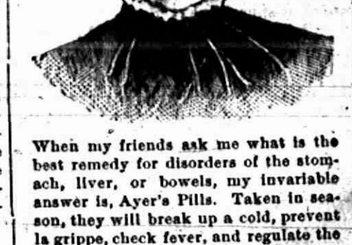

When my friends ask me what is the best remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, or bowels, my invariable answer is, Ayer's Pills. Taken in season, they will break up a cold, prevent la grippe, check fever, and regulate the digestive organs. They are easy to take, and are, indeed, the best all-round family medicine I have ever known."—Mrs. MAY JOHNSON, 368 Rider Avenue, New York City.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 6th day of June, 1896, and on the 3d day of November, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 2d day of May, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 15, 1896.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
B. A. GARLINGHOUSE,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 131, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($ 0.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day standard time, at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land, together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh Michigan, 6th April, A D 1896

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS Attorney for Mortgagee.

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New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Detroit Express	4: 0 p. m.
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STATIONS.	No. 315 Mail.	No. 335 Express.	No. 341 Accom
Lv	6 45 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
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A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
11 50	7 00	L....Allegan.....A	3 10	6 25
12 26	7-25	Monteith	3 35	6 02
1 14	8 05	Yorkville	2 36	7 24
1 55	8 33	Battle Creek	1 55	6 56
2 35	9 05	Marshall	1 00	6 00
3 10	9 32	Homer	11 38	5 31
3 51	10 01	Hanover	10 50	5 00
5 06	10 38	Addison	10 15	4 48
5 11	10 45	Devils Lake	10 03	4 26
5 23	10 57	Onsted	9 56	4 08
5 30	11 03	Sand Lake	9 49	4 01
5 37	11 10	Tipton	9 35	4 00
5 51	11 25	Tecumseh	9 27	3 37
6 00	11 33	Ridgeway	9 22	3 32
6 04	11 38	Britton	9 10	3 20
6 16	11 50	Rea	9 01	3 10
6 25	11 59	Dundee	8 05	2 40
P. M.	P. M.	A.....Toledo.....L	A. M.	P. M.

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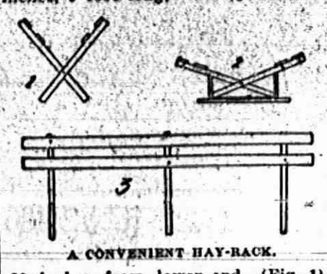
It is made by using 6 pieces, 2x4 inches, 5 feet long, with ½-inch bolt



A CONVENIENT HAY-RACK.

20 inches from lower end (Fig. 1). Fig. 2 shows the frame in position on the end of the bed; raised marks show ends of parallel strips 1x4 or 1x6 inches. Fig. 3 shows one side of the frame when taken apart. For the ends I use a strip of plank or stud 5 feet long, laid on end-gate and floor of bed, projecting in rear and front end of wagon. Place each end back and in front of inside cleats on the bed before putting the long parallel strips on, and keep end-gate rods tight. On the center cross I put a 1-foot cleat tight against the outside of bed and on the under side of cross. This keeps the center of the bed from spreading; but all good wagon-beds have two outside braces, and ought not to spread, anyhow. However, this simple preventive makes it doubly secure.

Last, but not least, by any means, this frame folds up just like a pair of scissors, and can be hung up in a shed or against a building, and takes no space to house it. If farmers would only learn to take care of their utensils, there would be less mortgaging done than there is at present.

I never lift my wagon-bed off and throw it on the ground to lay for weeks in the rain and snow, and I never saw men work harder than I have seen them do while lifting the bed off and on the wagon, and split the tongue and groove in the bed floor.—E. J. Newkirk, in Farm and Fireside.

WHISKY FROM POTATOES.

Overproduction Likely to Give Corn an Energetic Rival.

The enormous overproduction of potatoes last summer will probably result in the establishment of potato distilleries in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, where the tuber can be bought for five cents a bushel or less. Potato whisky is made and consumed on a large scale in Germany and Austria, and every traveler in Ireland is offered a sample of "poteen." Few, except the natives, ever have the courage to do more than look at it. However, small quantities of "poteen" are imported into the United States, and stuff bearing that name, and probably equally as effective as the genuine, can be had in every city.

The American distillers have not experimented much with potatoes. They say the potato flavor is not relished by men used to the Kentucky, Maryland, Pennsylvania or Tennessee article. A $50,000 plant is being erected at Manawa, Wis., according to press dispatches, to use up part of the surplus crop of 1895. The venture is being watched by other distillers, and if it proves successful corn will have a formidable rival. It is estimated 297,000,000 bushels of potatoes were sold or housed last year, compared with 170,000,000 bushels in 1894. Many states not specially adapted to potato raising went into the market, and as a result potatoes are now selling here to peddlers at 12 or 14 cents a bushel, and choice stock is going in small lots at 25 cents. It is believed the planting in 1896 will be less than in 1895, but not in the great potato states—New York, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, Illinois and Colorado. If distillers can use potatoes they can always find refuse stock at low prices as the starch manufacturers do.

Preserving a Corn Crop.

The Vermont station tested four ways of preserving a corn crop for dairy feed; namely, 1, putting in silo, ears and all; 2, cribbing the ears and putting fodder in silo, feeding the two together after grinding the ears; 3, curing in shocks, then running through cutter, ears and all, at time of feeding; 4, curing in field, and husking and grinding ears, and running fodder through cutter at time of feeding. Of the four methods, putting into the silo, ears and all, cut in quarter inch lengths, gave the best results. This silage cost much less, handled much better, went farther and produced more milk than either of the other three feeds.

Cost of Harvesting Sugar Beets.

A record of all labor put on digging the beets was kept with the following result: Five and one-half days' team work, at 75 cents per day, $4.12; 22 days' man labor, at $1.50 per day, $33, making a total cost of $37.12 for digging 22.44 tons of beets; or $1.65 per ton. The beets were taken from the ground by plowing a deep furrow with the landslide as near the beets as possible without cutting them. They were then easily thrown in piles.—Colorado Experiment Station.

It is not a good plan to plow up more land than can be sufficiently fertilized and tilled to grow good crops.

GREEN FORAGE CROPS.

Planting Them Is a Good Way of Clearing Land of Weeds.

There are crops that can be grown to take the place of pasture grass and at the same time serve to clear the ground of weeds. It is not to be expected, however, where the land is compelled to produce two or more crops, that it can do so unaided, for that would be impossible, unless the soil was very rich; yet there is a way of growing a large amount of green food and feeding it at the barn while the pasture is being renewed. It is important to keep stock off the pasture land when the grass begins to fail; yet the cows must be provided for, and with green food, as they will not thrive during the summer if compelled to subsist on hay, fodder and grain entirely. Green and succulent foods are essential to the thrift of the animals, promoting digestion, preventing bowel diseases and increasing the flow of milk as well as protecting against the heat of summer.

For cows the broadcasting of oats and peas, to be moved as wanted, and fed to the cows in the barnyard, will provide an excellent substitute for pasture grass, such food being assisted by hay and grain. It will permit of resting the pasture land. Later in the season Hungarian grass may be sown on the same land. As it is a quick-growing crop, providing a cutting every four or five weeks and of a sufficient growth for hay, it will more readily provide green food that is wanted daily, and it will continue to produce green food until it goes to seed or is overtaken by frost. This mode of feeding is styled "soiling" and applies to the practice of growing green food and carrying it to the stock instead of turning the stock on the green food. It also gives a larger amount of food, as a new crop comes up on the space just cut, thus keeping up a continued supply, while the manure saved in the barnyard is an additional item. Labor, however, must not be overlooked, as more attention to stock will be necessary, but the land will provide for twice as many cattle as the same area in pasture.

Where crops are cut frequently the weeds are also mowed down at the same time, being thus destroyed, and, aside from this, any thickly sown crop that makes rapid growth crowds the weeds out. If a piece of land can be cleared of weeds in this manner it will pay for the labor of soiling the stock.—Philadelphia Record.

TIGHT FOUNDATIONS.

A Point Often Overlooked in the Construction of Farm Buildings.

Too often farm buildings are set either on cedar posts or on posts of flat stones, the rest of the "foundation" being left open for winds to blow under the buildings, keeping the stock exceedingly cold in winter and affording a place for the harboring of rats, weasles and other pests. This plan is altogether wrong. Farm buildings should always have a tight foundation. If it is desired to ventilate beneath the buildings in summer, put in a window, covered on the inside with fine wire netting. It is not at all an expensive matter to make a stone foundation. One can do the work himself with rough rocks. Dig a trench, and if possible put in a line of tile around the bottom if an outlet can be had at one side. On dry, gravelly soil this would not be necessary. Dig the trench wider at the bottom and fill nearly to the top with loose stones, well packed. This wall should grow narrower as it rises, so the frost will not

have a chance to lift the stones on the sides. From just below the surface of the ground lay the rough rocks in cement mixed with coarse, sharp sand. A foot or less is enough of height above the ground for most foundations. A loose stone foundation like this must not have water standing at the bottom among the stones or the frost will make bad work. An outlet should be found to turn the water away. If a short bit of drain can tap the foundation of loose stones at the lowest point the tile beneath the stones may not be needed, the open passage among the rocks allowing the draining away of the water to the outlet of the drain. With such foundations buildings will always stay firmly in place without sagging in any part, and will keep all stock within them much warmer than would otherwise be the case.—N. Y. Tribune.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

One source of increased cost is in wasteful feeding.

Feeding sheep will not fatten on rough feed alone.

Before spring work opens go over the fences and see that they are in good repair.

Two essential points in securing a good oat crop are early seeding and a fine seed bed.

Now is a good time to renovate the orchard and fill the vacant places with good varieties of trees.

Too much care cannot be exercised in selecting thoroughly healthy and vigorous animals for breeding purposes.

It is a principle well settled in the practice of breeding that high fed animals cost but little more to the producers than low fed stock.

Unless warm, dry quarters can be provided for the brood sows and their young pigs there is no possible advantage in having them farrow early.—Farmers' Review.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Much of a Newsy Nature to Be Found Below.

Detroit will be the scene of a tariff convention June 2.

The Michigan funeral directors will meet in Kalamazoo July 8 and 9.

Portland will have an electric light plant, using water as the motive power.

Ara Arskey, a Lapeer barber, drank alcohol by mistake and died soon after.

Battle Creek people are well pleased with the effect of the curfew ordinance.

The Michigan Equal Suffrage association will meet at Pontiac May 20, 21 and 22.

Mrs. Marion Mathovey, of Detroit, fell from a four-foot fence and broke her neck.

The annual session of the national conference will be held in Grand Rapids June 4 to 150.

There will be a civil service examination for postal carriers at Kalamazoo June 16.

At Ithaca, May 20 and 21, will occur the annual meeting of the State Farmers' association.

Martin Kull, of Ludington, was burned to death before he could be rescued from a building.

Benton Harbor is to have free mail delivery with four carriers. There were 54 applicants for the positions.

The annual meeting of the survivors of the Seventh Michigan infantry and the Branch county Soldiers' and Sailors' association will be held at Bronson, June 16.

Congressman Henry F. Thomas has given notice that a competitive examination will be held at Hastings June 3, for the appointment of a cadet for the United States naval academy at Annapolis from the Fourth district.

Diamond Match Company Loses.

Ontonagon, May 10.—Fire destroyed the large three-story boarding-house belonging to the Diamond Match company, and all of the box lumber owned by that company. For awhile the destruction of the mills and 60,000,000 feet of lumber were threatened. Five hundred feet of hose and all the hose carts except one were burned. Four firemen were overcome by the heat. Loss, $27,000; insurance, $15,000.

Funeral of V. B. Cochrane.

Marquette, May 11.—The funeral of V. B. Cochrane Sunday afternoon was one of the most impressive ever held in the upper peninsula, Lake Superior commandery, Knights Templar, conducting it, and all masonic and pythian bodies being in line. He was ex-superintendent of public instruction in Michigan and former register of the United States land office here.

Fire at Alpena.

Alpena, May 11.—Luther & Folkerts' shingle and planing mill burned Sunday morning. Loss, $10,000; insurance, $1,000.

Needn't Sell to Negroes.

Springfield, Ill., May 13.—The supreme court has handed down a decision, sustaining the action of a Bloomington druggist, who refused to sell soda water to a negro, on account of his color. The court holds that the selling of soda water does not constitute the furnishing of lodging, amusement or meals as provided for in the act.

Four Killed by Lightning.

Cadiz, Ky., May 13.—John I. Wallace, a farmer of Trigg county, and his three sons, aged 20, 14 and 6, were killed by lightning 12 miles south of this place Monday afternoon. Their bodies were found under a tree by Mrs. Wallace, who went out to hunt for them.

The Spanish Cortes.

Madrid, May 12.—The cortes assembled yesterday. The speech from the throne declares that Spain had fulfilled beyond measure the promises she made to the Cubans after the first rebellion and that the relations with foreign powers are excellent.

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ARE YOU? NERVOUS and despondent; weak or debilitated; tired mornings; no ambition—lifeless; memory poor; easily fatigued; excitable and irritable; eyes sunken, red and blurred; pimples on face; dreams and night losses; restless; haggard looking; weak back, bone pains; hair loose; ulcers; sore throat; varicocele; deposit in urine and drains at stool; distrustful; want of confidence; lack of energy and strength—*WE CAN CURE YOU OR ASK NO PAY.*

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SNATCHED FROM THE GRAVE. A Warning from the Living. "At 15 I learned a bad habit. Tried four doctors and nerve tonics by the score without benefit; emissions and drains increased. I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."—C. W. LEWIS, Saginaw.

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'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The Norvell cornet band will give a concert May 23d.

Circuit court has adjourned till next Monday morning, when the jury will return.

The Hawkins House at Ypsilanti changes hands, Lepper & Wilcox, of Detroit, are the new proprietors.

Prof. W. W. Armstrong, of the Napoleon schools, will take the superintendency of the Deerfield school the coming year.

Prof. McGee, of Reading, will take charge of the west side Hudson schools, vice Prof. Hawkins resigned. The other teachers will be retained.

Sunday, May 17, will be observed by the Adrian Commandery as Ascension day. Rev. C. H. Channer will deliver the address at Christ Episcopal church.

Mrs. Abigal Sutton, of Medina, died last Friday, aged 79 years. Mrs. Sutton was a highly respected pioneer of that section, being the first bride of the village.

Base ball boys of Saline have put their ground in shape, have been practicing up, and are now ready to challenge the world. The town will sport three teams.

A certain well dressed and smooth talking Dr. Moore beguiled citizens of Blissfield for several days recently. He finally went away, leaving several friends to mourn his loss. They will see him no more.

Jarvis Eldred, the celebrated marshal of Monroe, has quit the business after nearly 50 years of continuous service. Eldred commenced when Monroe was pretty tough and overrun with outlaws, and was just the man for the place.

Ann Arbor Argus: A cigar store in Ypsilanti was scrubbed out one night last week and a large crowd gathered to see the operation. The Washtenaw Evening Times says it was the first bath it had had since Greeley ran for president.

Hail stones are one of the principal products at Fairfield this spring. Farmers in that section are thinking of going into the ice business. A severe storm of icy pellets visited that section Tuesday afternoon doing much damage to wheat, rye, cherry and plum trees.

The Abbott voting machine was shipped by express to Brooklyn, N. Y., Tuesday, to be exhibited before the republican and democratic clubs of that city.—Hudson Gazette. That ends it. If that Abbott machine is in any way disposed to give a fair count, it will never be heard of again.

Dallas Baker and Tom Ryan, two Adrian boys, were beset by hobos while traveling on a Grand Trunk freight to Chicago. After being held up Baker did up one of the ruffians and the other fled. The tramps are both in jail at South Bend and one will probably die from wounds received from Baker.

A western paper advertises for an editor who can read, write and argue politics, and at the same time be religious, funny and scientific at will, write to please everybody, know all that is going on without asking or being told, live on wind and make more money than enemies. As yet the new journalistic magician has not been found.

Addison Courier: A venerable mud turtle was captured on the farm of Geo. Bowen two miles north of town on the 8th inst. On his back appears the inscription: "J. B. 1860," followed by a well executed representation of the square and compass as combined in the regulation Masonic emblem. He is a back number, but gits there on the level notwithstanding.

Telegram: The Morenci Observer seems to have a spite at Adrian, judging by the following: As Seth Bean, of Adrian, took a look from Hotel Saulsbury at the large number of teams that crowded our streets, last Saturday, he said, "Well, now this looks like business; Morenci is no dead town. Really, I'm surprised." And then Seth got into a carriage and hied away to rest himself amid the quiet scenes of the county seat.

Adrian Times: Although every effort is being made to keep the fact a secret, it develops that William Vanderbilt and his party had a narrow escape from a bad wreck while traveling from Cleveland to Buffalo on their special train after the annual meeting of the Lake Shore Wednesday. While they were traveling at a high rate of speed the crank pin on one of the drive wheels of the locomotives broke, freeing one of the connecting rods. This accident is considered always a very dangerous one, usually demolishing one side of the locomotive and throwing it off the track. Fortunately this calamity was avoided in this instance, and no serious injury was done the train and its occupants.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mrs. Nettie Welling went to Toledo yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Russell spent Sunday in Albion.

Geo. Smith, of Toledo is visiting his brother, Henry, here.

Dr. F. O. Tefft accompanies Dr. Morden, of Macon, to Ann Arbor today.

Brussels carpets cheap, commencing Saturday. ANDERSON & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whiting spent Sunday with his parents at Lake Ridge.

Ladies lisle thread combination suits 50c and 75c at Anderson & Co.'s store.

Judge Andrew Howell, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here and at Macon.

Mell. Barnes, of the Stimpson Computing Scale Co., visited Ann Arbor this week.

The properties of Al. Lawrence Thos. Elliott and Mrs. Tilton on Chicago St. are being improved by new cement sidewalks.

Dr. H. Peters, of Blissfield, and daughter, Mrs. Ida Marks, of Cleveland, were calling on old Tecumseh friends this week.

Mrs. Sumner Collins arrived in Tecumseh Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Collins have moved into the James house on Evans street.

Mr. James H. Hunter, of Chicago, is visiting his nephew, H. E. Stout. Mr. Hunter will be remembered as an old Franklin resident.

At the Presbyterian parsonage in Raisin on Thursday evening May 14, Mr. William Cox and Miss Laura Braman were united, Rev. A. J. Stead officiating.

Mrs. Eliza Biddison, son, Mr. Z. M. Biddison, and daughter, Mattie, of Baltimore, Md., are spending a couple of weeks at B. J. Rector's, J. T. Boyce's and other relatives in this vicinty.

Call at the Herald office and see samples of copper plate engraved cards, wedding invitations and announcements. If you have copper plates bring them in. The low prices will surprise you.

The W. C. T. U. will have a 10c supper at the home of Mrs. Anna Bryant Smith on Friday afternoon, May 29. Members and all interested are invited to come at 2 p. m. to sew for the Rocky Beach Orphan Asylum. A short program will also be given in the interest of sufferage.

Messrs Culver and Metcalf, crack lawn tennis players, of Adrian College, enjoyed a few games of that excellent sport here Saturday with some of our local players. The gentlemen are extremely clever with the racket but left four of the six set played to the credit of our townsmen.

Mr. Albert Weatherhead expected to be ready to commence operations in his cheese factory at the old creamery last Monday morning. However, upon testing the boiler it was found to be unfit for use. This will delay Mr. Weatherhead one week. He will start next Monday. Several farmers will have cheese made here next week.

Mr. W. F. Samsen, the new proprietor of the News has rented the Richard's store recently occupied by Fred Guy. He is setting up a new Webster gasoline engine, and also a new New York Taylor power press beside putting in other new material. He expects to get off the next edition of the News at the new office.

The statement of the Lilley State Bank, printed in another column of the paper, shows conclusively two things. First, that Tecumseh has one of the strongest banking institution in the county, and second, that despite the hard times, the people in this community still have an abundance of money to place on deposit.

As Frank Erskine, of Franklin, was driving into town this forenoon, his horse became frightened in front of Mrs. Tilton's. When jerked up by the driver the horse commenced kicking and ran onto the sidewalk in front of the opera house. The thills were broken and one leg of the horse badly scratched. The equine was evidently headed for the Herald office window.

The auction sale of jewelry at Kirchgessner's has been a grand success. The goods are being sold to the highest bidder without reserve, and everyone is satisfied that he is getting goods much below cost. The sale will not stop until everything is sold, books, silverware, stationery, jewelry, watches and all. Of course all who come first will have the best opportunity to select.

A pleasant company assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Baldwin in Adrian last Wednesday evening to witness the marriage of Mrs. Baldwin's sister, Imo Snedicor, to Lee Snedicor. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 by Rev. Wilson Whitney, pastor of First Baptist church. Messrs Tead Sisson and Geo. Stover acted as best men and Mrs. Tead Sisson and Miss Lavie Snedicor as bridesmaids. Those present from Tecumseh were, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Snedicor, Leo Brazee and C. H. Snedicor and family.

The Tecumseh Star Course Committee have had in hand for some weeks the work of arranging the course for the ensuing season of 96-7. Last Wednesday they were met by a representative of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, of Chicago, and the following attractions and lecturers were secured to fill out the 6 dates, which will comprise the course for the coming season: Redpath Grand Concert Company, London Royal Hand Bell Ringers, Boston Ideal Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club, Rev. F. W. Gunsaulus, of Chicago, Robert J. Burdette and Rev. Robert McIntye, of Chicago and Denver. Considering the character and popularity of this list suffice it to say at present that it comprises the most expensive and, in the best judgement of those whose experience has best fitted them to know, the best and strongest concerts and lectures ever brought to Tecumseh. The particular features of the five numbers will be given in due season. It might be fitting to say in this connection that this committee has been so far successful in securing talent both in the musical and oratorical line, that Tecumseh has been favored by as good a course for the past few years as any city in Michigan, none excepted. The faithful and conscientious work done and the enterprise evinced in securing these results merit and have received the highest commendations and most loyal support from our citizens. This year they are in the field early and have taken large responsibilities to secure the very best. Our people should early appreciate this and make arrangements accordingly.

Organization for our Bicycle Meet.

At an enthusiastic and largely attended meeting of the Tecumseh Bicycle Association on Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. H. Smith; Vice President, B. J. Garlinghouse; Sec. and Treas., P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.

Members of Board of Management (in addition to foregoing officers), B. A. Garlinghouse, E. N. Satterthwaite and John Anderson. This places the meet in practically the same hands as that of last year and its consequent success is assured, especially as the Board of Management met on Tuesday evening and appointed the following excellent committees: Reception; Smith, Patterson, Reed and Odion. Road race; B. J. Garlinghouse, Whiting, Lawrence and Hicks. Advertising; Fitzsimmons, Anderson, Field and Stacy. Track and grounds; B. A. Garlinghouse, Richter, Kyle, Hayden and Kirchgessner. Premiums and events; Satterthwaite, B. J. Garlinghouse, Anderson and Fitzsimmons. Music and special events; Anderson, Satterthwaite, Rosacrans and Wright. The management have decided that the meet will be an amateur meet and that the date will be some day in the first week of August or last week of July depending upon meets in adjacent cities.

The road race will be even more exciting than that of last year and the special attrations will be novel and of even greater interest than those provided in 1895. An expensive Chicago aggregation, which exhibits only in large cities, has consented to appear. Details of the meet will appear as rapidly as they are perfected.

Moral—Don't miss it.

When Nature

Needs assistance it may be the best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

Farmers' Social Club.

The annual May meeting of the Farmer's Social Club will be held at the residence of Mrs. John Fisher, Tuesday afternoon, May 26.

PROGRAM.

Music—Ora Gillespie.
Essay—Mrs. Finch.
Rec.—Lovina Schréder.
Poem—Mrs. Remington.
Music, duet.
Rem. of the Rebellion—A. P. Coddington.
Rec.—Lova Gillespie.
Music—Mrs. Benedict.
Character Sketches—Ida Rector.
Song—Hazel Roberts.
Paper—Lessons of the Past Year in Farming—Jerome Bowen.
Discussion on Paper.

Let all who attend this meeting be prompt in assembling that time may be had for the discussion. At the close of the program a picnic supper will be served.

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Resolutions of Respect.

Again has the Woman's Foreign Missionary society been called upon to part with one of its members. Our beloved sister, Mrs. G. D. Perry, who for many years has been a highly respected member of our society, has been called "up higher." When health permitted she was always in attendance at our meetings and manifested much interest in the work. We have been encouraged by her kindly example and made better by her sweet christian influence. Little did we think when she left us to visit friends, she would return in the cold embrace of death; but so it was, yet we will not murmur, for we know our Heavenly Father doeth all things well. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That, so far as words can convey our sympathy, we as a society express to the family of the deceased our sorrow at their loss, and commend them to the Saviour she loved so well.

MRS. H. M. GRISWOLD,
MRS. H. M. FORESTALL,
MRS. L. BARNES.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St., South Gardener, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial Bottles Free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store.

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Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pill. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold at Baker & Hall's drug store.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF REVIEW.

TO ALL PERSONS LIABLE TO ASSESSMENT FOR TAXES IN THE VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, COUNTY OF LENAWEE, STATE OF MICHIGAN, FOR THE YEAR 1896:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said Village of Tecumseh, for the year 1896, has been completed, and that the Board of Review of said village will be in session at the council building in said village, on Tuesday, May 26, and Wednesday, May 27, 1896 from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 1 o'clock to 4 o'clock p. m., of each of the said days, at which time and place the aforesaid assessment roll will be subject to review and correction, and all persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by any valuation of property as now set forth in said assessment roll, or who may have knowledge of any errors contained in said roll or omissions from the same, or who may have reasons to suppose that such errors exist, will then and there be heard by said Board of Review and all errors found to exist in said assessment roll will be duly corrected, and all property subject to taxation within said village found to have been ommitted from said assessment roll will be placed thereon by the said Board of Review. And such assessment roll, as corrected and approved by said Board of Review and finally approved by the common council of said village, shall be the assessment roll of said village for the year 1896.

Given under my hand at the village of Tecumseh aforesaid, the 14th day of May, 1896.

JEHIEL DAVIDSON,
Assessor of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—

The Lilley State Bank

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, May 7, 1896.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 67,745 62
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc	31,094 71
Overdrafts	339 54
Furniture and fixtures	1,650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	78,624 84
Due from other banks and bankers	263 04
Checks and cash items	303 52
Nickles and pennies	140 00
Gold coin	11,549 00
Silver coin	1,661 10
U. S. and National Bank Notes	8,526 00
Total	$ 201,229 17

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 40,000 00
Surplus Fund	4,000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses interest and taxes paid	4,017 43
Commercial deposits subject to check	107,487 09
Commercial certificates of deposit	45,672 21
Due to banks and bankers	52 34
Total	$ 201,229 17

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee,—ss.

I, Lester P. Tribou, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESTER P. TRIBOU Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of May, 1896.

FRANK B. BAUER, Notary Public.

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	12	14
Eggs, per doz	7	9
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked Shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 80 to	
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs	5 00	8 10
Veal dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 7½	12
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat		65
Corn, shelled	80 to	82
Corn in ear	18 to	18
Oats	30 to	35
Hay, timothy, per ton	13 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton		12 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw		$3.00

Saturday, May 9,

Special 99 Cent Sale

CONTINUED.

1 Bushel Potatoes or 1 lb. Lion or Arbuckle Coffee, 1c.,

etc. 16 articles for 99 Cents in Cash.

Leave your order early

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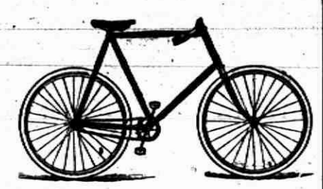

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OUR LAWMAKERS.

What They Are Doing at the National Capital.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, May 14.—The river and harbor bill ($75,000,000) was passed in the senate yesterday, leaving only three of the annual appropriatidion bills to be acted on. These are the District of Columbia bill, the fortification and the deficiency bill. Bills were also passed to authorize a life-saving station at Port Huron, Mich.; making one year's residence in a state requisite for a divorce, and to establish a railroad bridge across the Illinois river near Grafton, Ill.

Washington, May 15.—The Dupont case, involving the right of Henry A. Dupont to a seat in the senate from the state of Delaware, occupied the time in the senate yesterday.

Washington, May 16.—The senate yesterday rejected by a vote of 31 to 30 the claim of Henry A. Dupont (rep.) from Delaware to a seat in the senate. Senator Bacon (Ga.) spoke in favor of the bill to prohibit the issuance of government bonds without the authority of congress and Senator Gallinger (N. H.) offered a resolution declaring that a revision of the tariff laws is imperatively demanded.

Washington, May 18.—The Cuban question was revived in the senate Saturday when Senator Morgan, of Alabama, spoke in favor of further and more decisive action toward the recognition of the Cubans as belligerents. The senator declared it to be the duty of congress to adopt joint resolutions on belligerency, which, unlike the previous concurrent resolutions, would require the approval of the president, and thus fix the responsibility. At the close of the speech his resolution was agreed to instructing the committee on foreign relations to inquire into the recent arrest and condemnation of citizens of the United States captured on board the Competitor.

Washington, May 19.—The senate yesterday defeated a motion to investigate alleged election irregularities in Alabama. The fortifications bill ($10,763,888) was reported.

Washington, May 20.—The senate on Tuesday passed the District of Columbia appropriation bill, carrying approximately $7,300,000. A debate on the question of appropriations for sectarian purposes cropped out on the paragraph making appropriations for charities in the district. On a vote the senate sustained the committee in providing specific appropriations for numerous private charitable institutions, some of them of a sectarian character.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, May 14.—The house yesterday sent the Rinaker-Downing contested election case from Illinois to the committee on elections with instructions to recount such part of the vote as it deemed proper. A bill was reported favorably providing for the appointment by the president of a commission of five persons, whose duty is shall be to investigate the alcoholic liquor traffic.

Washington, May 15.—In the house yesterday the whole day was devoted to private pension bills and 58 in all were favorably acted upon. A favorable report was made on a resolution authorizing preliminary proceedings looking to the adoption of international coins.

Washington, May 16.—The house occupied itself yesterday in passing private pension bills which were favorably acted upon and 100 were passed, leaving about 60 yet undisposed of.

Washington, May 19.—In the house yesterday the greater part of the session was taken up in the passage of 35 pension bills. The committee on banking and currency reported that it had adjourned until December next.

Washington, May 20.—The house yesterday entered upon a two days' debate of the immigration bills, the feature of the debate during the day being the plea of Senator Buck (La.) against any sort of restrictive legislation beyond that now on the statute books, which excluded paupers and criminals. The title of W. C. Owens (dem.) to the seat he occupies as representative of the Seventh district of Kentucky, which had been contested by George Denney, Jr. (rep.), was confirmed.

Bishops Ordained.

Wilmington, N. C., May 20.—The general conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church ordained William D. Derrick, D. D., Josiah H. Armstrong and James C. Embry as bishops.

Six Reported Killed.

Effingham, Ill., May 20.—Lightning struck a schoolhouse near Shumway, eight miles north of Effingham, and six children were reported to have been killed and several severely stunned.

A Fatal Wreck.

Chapin, S. C., May 20. — Engineer Williford, of Carlton, Ga., and two negro train hands were killed and 14 cars burned in a freight wreck near here.

Historic House Burned.

Nahant, Mass., May 19.—The historic Longfellow house and four mansions were burned here yesterday, the loss being $100,000.

THE CROPS.

Varying Conditions Prevail in Different Sections of the Country.

Chicago, May 20.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather on the cultivation, growth and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Illinois—A warm, showery week, which was beneficial to crops. Rye, oats, potatoes, gardens, meadows and pastures are generally in good condition; meadows somewhat injured by army worms in southern half of state, wheat improved in north, central and southwest counties, and generally headed out; chinch bugs very numerous. Corn coming up with good stand, early being cultivated; fruits still dropping badly.

Wisconsin—Heavy rains have fallen in all parts of the state and farm work has been greatly retarded. Damaging hail storms occurred at a few points in southern counties. Corn nearly all planted in southern and middle sections. Season ten days in advance of average. All crops are making rapid progress, but sunshine is needed.

Iowa—Farm work retarded and some damage done by excessive rains. Corn planting not completed and early planted fields becoming weedy. Grass and small grains making phenomenal growth. Oats rank and liable to damage by lodging and rust.

Indiana—Warm, several local rains. Crops in southern portion still suffering; wheat is headed low and injured by fly and rust in many fields; corn coming up nicely; rye in good condition; oats short; cut worms still active.

Ohio—Rainfall local and insufficient. Wheat heading and has made but little improvement and is damaged by the fly. Oats, timothy, meadows and gardens have done well; corn is being cultivated; pastures are fair; potatoes budding; rye heading. Some fruit dropping. Berries are promising; insects are numerous.

Michigan—Rainfall rather unevenly distributed, but very beneficial. Wheat, rye, grass and oats are in good condition. Corn planting is general and well advanced. Early potatoes are nearly all in. High wind of Sunday has done some damage to fruit.

A LETTER FROM CARLISLE.

He Writes with Reference to His Speech in Congress in 1878.

Washington, May 18.—In a letter to a friend in regard to his speech in congress on February 21, 1878, on the money question Secretary Carlisle says that a fair interpretation of his remarks would prove that he was not in favor of free coinage of silver at that time. In concluding his letter the secretary says:

"My position upon this subject is briefly this: I am opposed to the free coinage of either gold or silver, but in favor of unlimited coinage of both metals upon terms of exact equality. No discrimination should be made in favor of one metal and against the other; nor should any discrimination be made in favor of the holders of either gold or silver bullion and against the great body of the people who own other kinds of property. A great government should treat all its citizens alike, and whenever it attempts to do otherwise it will engender a spirit of discontent which sooner or later must disturb the harmony if not the peace of society. It is scarcely necessary to say that a gross discrimination would be made between the two metals if the owners of silver bullion were permitted to have 51 or 52 cents' worth of silver coined and stamped as a dollar, when the owners of gold bullion were required to present 100 cents' worth of gold in order to have their metal coined and stamped as a dollar. The two metals are coined upon terms of exact equality only when a dollars' worth of silver is contained in the silver dollar and a dollars' worth of gold is contained in the gold dollar, and when no more is charged for the coinage of one than for the coinage of the other. In the speech referred to I showed that the ratio established by the coinage act of 1792 overvalued silver and drove gold out of circulation."

SAYS IT WILL BE REED.

Gen. Grosvenor Believes the Maine Man Will Get Second Place.

Washington, May 20.—"Unless Speaker Reed takes some decided step to forestall the movement," said Congressman Grosvenor, of Ohio, the recognized leader at Washington of Mr. McKinley's canvass, "he will be nominated for vice president at St. Louis by acclamation. This is my impression, derived from communications that have poured in from all parts of the country showing that the people want the man from Maine to be on the ticket with the champion of protection."

Victim of a Live Wire.

Chicago, May 18.—Fire Marshal Isadore P. Smith, chief of the Fourteenth battalion, lost his life by coming in contact with the deadly overhead electric wire Saturday night. He was in his buggy going in response to an alarm of fire and found his way blocked by a wire hanging from an electric light post. He jumped out of his buggy to remove it, and, disregarding the warning of his driver, Frank Dielenberg, took hold of the dangling death.

Cincinnati May Festival.

Cincinnati, May 20.—The 12th May festival of music was inaugurated Tuesday night at the new Springer hall and will continue through the week. When Theodore Thomas raised his baton at 7:30 oclock the spacious hall was comfortably filled with a brilliant assemblage of lovers of music. The soloists were Mme. Lillian Nordica, Miss Marie Brema, Ben Davis and Watkin Mills. The selections were from Mozart, Beethoven and Wagner.

Queer Cause for Suicide.

Ottumwa, Ia., May 18.—Because his old maid sister married his hired man W. H. Bradshaw, living near Blakesburg, this county, committed suicide, severing his jugular vein. He was a single man of 30 years.

Killed Himself.

Dubuque, Ia., May 20.—Frederick Weigel, an old and wealthy resident of this city, committed suicide Tuesday by shooting. He was despondent on account of sickness.

CYCLONE VICTIMS.

Lives Lost by the Storms in Kansas, Texas and Nebraska.

The List of Killed and Injured Is a Long One—Property Loss Is Also Heavy—Work of the Wind Elsewhere.

Kansas City, Mo., May 20.—Twenty-eight killed outright, 50 or more injured, some of them fatally, and a property loss aggregating about $1,000,000 is now given as the estimated damage done by Sunday's cyclone in Marshall, Nemaha and Brown counties, Kan. Further reports may increase these figures, as telegraph communication with the stricken points is still imperfect and consternation prevails. The deaths and property losses are distributed as follows:

	Deaths.	Loss.
Seneca	3	$250,000
Reserve	5	50,000
Sabetha	5	50,000
Morrill	4	20,000
Oneida	6	
Frankfort	—	30,000
Other points	—	500,000
	28	$1,000,000

More Deaths in Texas.

Sherman, Tex., May 20.—Additions to the long list of cyclone victims are being made hourly as news from remote districts arrive. At the point on Red river where the storm passed into the Indian territory two houses were carried from the Texas side and dropped on an island in midstream. The two families were in their cellars and were uninjured. Mrs. J. J. Johnson, wife of a farmer, and John Tilden, a farm hand, were killed at Nemo. At the same place a little girl named Davis was blown against a barbed wire fence and cut in two. Her mother and another child were killed in the wreck of their house. Although there are appalling evidences about Sherman of the storm's fury, something like order is being restored. There are 60 patients still in the hospitals, and as many more in private houses. Up to noon Tuesday 61 bodies had been buried here.

Driven from Their Homes.

Crookston, Minn., May 20.—The Red Lake river is still rising, and is now two feet higher than it was ever known to be. At least 200 families have been forced to leave their homes and are being cared for by their more fortunate neighbors. The bridges still hold, but it is feared that the wagon bridge will be carried away if the water rises two or three inches higher. A relief committee has been organized, which will care for the sufferers until the flood abates.

In Washington.

Washington, May 20.—A terrible storm of wind, rain and hail, which passed over Washington between twelve and one o'clock Tuesday broke up the cabinet meeting in progress at the white house. The president and his advisors went to the windows of the cabinet-room to witness the destruction. Several of the fine old trees, both in front and rear of the white house, were blown down, while wholesale destruction was worked among the growing palms. All over the city the record is one of similar disaster to arboriculture, the beautiful shade trees for which Washington is celebrated, suffering greatly, and many buildings unroofed.

In Nebraska.

Falls City, Neb., May 19. — Southeast Nebraska got the fag end of Sunday night's terrific storm, the wind sweeping up from Kansas with almost hurricane force. Many buildings in this city were demolished and the following persons injured: William Hinton, bad cut on head; Mrs. William Hinton, bruised. The house of the Hintons was torn to pieces. The Burlington depot was unroofed and the building damaged and box cars overturned all over the yards. Gedelmyer's brewery was blown down and is almost a complete wreck.

Omaha, Neb., May 19.—The dispatches from the scene of the cyclone in southwestern Nebraska indicate a heavy loss of life and property. A telegram from Humboldt says that trainmen on the Missouri Pacific report 40 persons killed by the cyclone on the Pawnee Indian reservation. Definite information cannot be secured, as wires were down at last accounts. The reservation, however, would be in the path of the cyclone, which swept Pawnee City from southwest to northeast.

Took a Vote for Senator.

New Orleans, La., May 20.—A special from Baton Rouge says: As required by law, the two houses of the legislature balloted separately for a United States senator to succeed Senator N. C. Blanchard. It resulted as follows: Blanchard, 48; Walter C. Donegree, 30; Capt. J. N. Pharr, 30; Congressman Andrew Price, 3; Judge Blackman, 3; Judge S. D. McEnery, 5; C. E. Fenner, 1. Necessary to a choice, 65. There are a total of 134 votes in the legislature, and of these 128 voted. The prospects are that there will be a long and bitter struggle.

Tobacco Barred.

Kansas City, Mo., May 19.—President Herring presided at the morning session of the Methodist Protestant conference in Kansas City, Kan., Monday. Resolutions "abhorring the use of tobacco" and forbidding members, either lay or otherwise, to use the weed or alcoholic liquors were unanimously adopted.

Five Persons Drowned.

Racine, Wis., May 18.—The schooner Mary D. Ayer collided in Lake Michigan with the steamer Onoko off Grosse Point and Capt. Williams and four of the crew of the schooner were drowned.

Clinton Column.

Reception to the Class of '97—Change in Business Firm—Maccabees.

C. D. Keyes was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. C. S. Baker went to Flint Tuesday.

Mrs. William Matthews has a Hudson wheel.

E. S. Tate was home from Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Geo. Kies went to Utica, N. Y., last Saturday.

Jas. Hamilton was in town the first of the week.

Chas. Parker, of Hillsdale, was in town Monday.

Ed Brighton, of Springville, was in town Saturday.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Claude Hubbard, of Tecumseh, was in town Wednesday.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell returned from Cleveland Wednesday.

Phil. Keusch came home last Saturday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Bert Moulton, of Howell, was in town the first of the week.

The choir of St. Dominic's church went to Cambridge Sunday.

Miss Eva Bell Smith has been on the sick list for the past few days.

The regular meeting of Masonic bodies occurs here this week.

David Woodward made a visit to his farm in Branch county last week.

Miss Katherine Nauman, of Manchester, rode down on her wheel Saturday.

Miss Dora Shultz, of Manchester, was the guest of Kittie Hogan over Sunday.

Mrs. James Hogan and Mrs. Haines returned Saturday from their Hillsdale visit.

Elmer Halladay, of Tecumseh, passed through town Saturday morning on his wheel.

Mrs. Chas. Baker went to Flint last Tuesday. Her daughter, Florence, remains here.

Prof. Hopkins, the medicine man, was here with his musician from Friday till Monday.

Timothy Halladay, of Norvell, was calling on friends in town the latter part of the week.

Miss Floy Avery had recovered from her fall sufficiently to resume her school work, last Monday.

Chas. Fabrique and Will Silvers drove up from Clinton last Sunday.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Miss Angie Dewey, of Orion, arrived here Wednesday and is visiting at the home of Wm. Gadd.

The L. O. T. M. gave an ice cream social last Saturday night. The weather was a little too cool.

Miss M. C. Blodgett, of Ypsilanti, who has been visiting at W. S. Whittelsey's, returned Tuesday.

Mrs. DuBois, of Britton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Hause, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh, of Britton, visited friends here from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Palmerton, who has been the guest of the Misses Halladay, returned to Sandusky, O., Wednesday.

The Misses Maud Ohlinger and Nina Russell, of Manchester, were the guests of Blanche Muir last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Lewis, who has been very seriously ill, at the home of Will Wood, for the past two weeks, is gaining.

Miss Kempton, the elocutionist, and Miss Nina Hanford, of Tecumseh, were calling on friends in town Monday.

The class of '96 give a reception in honor of the class of '97, at the home of Fred G. VanDeMark on the evening of May 22, '96.

L. A. Sutfin and wife left Thursday night of last week for Racine, Wis., where he has resumed work in the woolen mill.

Mrs. E. Wilmer Sheemaker, went to Adrian Saturday, to meet her husband, who came from Chicago to remain until Tuesday.

Mrs. Mat Lancaster and Mrs. Eva Cooley drove to Tecumseh last Friday night, to attend the entertainment at the M. E. church.

D. St. John returned from Ann Arbor Tuesday, and reports his wife as doing nicely, having safely passed through a surgical operation.

Hiram Welch, one of the oldest residents of Bridgewater township, died last Friday, at the age of ninety-four years. Funeral Sunday at two o'clock.

Rev. C. W. Stevenson, who made a very favorable impression on our people last winter, will supply the Congregational pulpit here during the summer.

Ted Codling has sold out his interest in the meat market to John McAdam. The firm will be known as McAdam & Machen and will do business at the old stand.

Mrs. Sara Jane Kelley, of Macon, died last Monday morning after an illness of only twelve days. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the home.

Mr. W. F. Samsen, the new proprietor of the Tecumseh News, was in town Tuesday with C. E. Field getting acquainted with his subscribers in this vicinity.

Mrs. E. C. Bush, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. R. Smith since last December, left last Friday for Wichita, Kansas. She has made a great many warm friends during her stay in Clinton.

A dozen Maccabees from Britton and about fifteen from Manchester visited the tent here last Friday night. The knights from Manchester exemplified the work according to the new ritual.

Miss Myra Turner, of Blissfield was visiting at Chas. Barnsdale's last week.

Fred Allen, who has now a large trade in the general creamery business, is establishing milk routes for the coming season and this week received a large invoice of cans for his trade.

Mrs. Mary Haywood and a number of her University boarders, consisting of 10 co-eds and 2 young men, drove over from Ann Arbor Saturday and spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. E. R. Smith. They evidently enjoyed themselves.

ONSTED.

Masonic Hall Progressing — School Closes this Week—First Matinee.

A new boy at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Muck's.

O. Baker, of Quaker, called in this vicinity Sunday.

Clarence Avery, of Tecumseh, was in town last Friday.

Sheep shearing is progressing finely among the farmers.

The school here will close on Friday of this week for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Walt Lapham has been entertaining friends from Lansing and other points.

The Masonic hall building is progressing finely in the hands of five or six workmen.

Some of the road districts are being worked, but whether they will be improved or not time will tell.

Farmers who have set out onion plants this spring complain of worms destroying them very badly.

The first matinee of the season to be held on the race track here will come off on the afternoon of June 6th. Mr. Billmeyer, our agricultural merchant, will have a general delivery of farm machinery on that day, and it will be a general "whoop 'er up" day all around.

The O. E. S. chapter have changed the time of their regular meetings from the first Friday evening of each month to Friday evenings on or before the full moon of each month. Neighboring members will take notice and remember when intending visiting this chapter.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best. May

The Premonteris mine, in Mexico, has been sold to an English syndicate for $2,500,000

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c, (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's. May

The Collegiate Church, next to Trinity the richest church in New York celebrated its 200th anniversary a few nights ago.

It is a fortunate day for a man when he first discovers the value of Ayer's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier. With this remedy he knows he has found a remedy upon which he may rely, and that his life-long malady is at last conquered. Has cured others, will cure you. 1w

Cattlemen of Lyon, Greenwood, Coffey, Woodson and Chase Counties, Kan., have organized to ship cattle direct to Liverpool.

A bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup in the house saves doctor's bills, saves trouble, and very often saves precious lives. Gives almost instant relief in cases of coughs, colds, or lung troubles of any sort. 2w

Forty thousand acres of forest land in Northern Idaho have been purchased by a syndicate.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers can be applied when at home, and is uniformly successful in coloring a brown or black. Hence its great popularity. 1w

Between 300 and 400 Boston painters went on strike for an increase of 10 cents a day.

Pulmonary consumption, in its early stages, may be checked by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It stops the distressing cough, soothes irritation of the throat and lungs, and induces much needed repose. Hundreds have testified to the remarkable virtues of this preparation. 1w

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing. 2w

Recent frosts have damaged California fruit more severely than has been the case for twenty years.

HAWAII, THE "PEARL OF THE PACIFIC."

Eighteenth of a Series of Letters by John R. Musick.

The Rebellion of 1895 and How it was Put Down.

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A feeling of uneasiness oppressed the people of Hawaii from the overthrow of Monarchy in 1893 to the attempt at its restoration in 1895. The ex-Queen fully expected that President Cleveland would restore her to power. She says the President even sent her assurances that he would do so. She represents that she was in secret communication with him, and her private diary, exhibited in court, stated she had received a present from her "great and good friend, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States."

On Dec. 19, 1893, Albert S. Willis called on President Dole, and, in the name of the United States, asked him to surrender the reins of government to the queen, who, he claimed, had been wrongfully deposed. Mr. Dole for various reasons refused, and then followed a series of movements on the part of the American minister and officers of the man-of-war Philadelphia, which were certainly mysterious. At present it looks as if they had attempted to bulldoze the Republic into abdicating in favor of the Monarchy; but, finding them men of pluck, were forced to back down.

The queen and her friends for a year past had lived in the hope that the United States would bring about their restoration to power, and finally, like the farmer in the story, resolved to cut their own barley. The police of the republic were on the alert, however, and a close watch kept on suspected parties.

In the fall of 1894 plans for the revolution were laid. The ex-Queen is supposed to have been behind it all, her agents being men who had figured in public life in the days of the Monarchy.

The revolt of 1895 was led by Sam Nowlein, a half-caste, aided by another half-caste, Robert Wilcox, who, having been educated in an Italian military school, was called the "Hawaiian Garibaldi." Among the most prominent supporters were Charles T. Gulic, a white man, and W. H. Richard, who, it is claimed, had assurances from Captain Rooké, of the British man-of-war Champion, of English aid. Other leading personages were Henry Bertelmann, Lot Lane, Carl Wideman, John Wise, all half-castes; Will Grieg, half Tahitian; Louis Marshall, and J. W. Bipihane, white men.

There is no question but there were prominent white men engaged in the scheme, and it is boldly asserted that English officials were among them. Just how the arms and ammunition were procured is not known. Some say that a wealthy sugar planter on the Islands furnished the outfit. They were evidently, however, procured on the Pacific coast and brought in a schooner to Rabbit Island off Kailaua, where they were transferred to the little island steamer Waimanalo. The arms were landed and buried in the sand a few miles from Honolulu. The number of recruits to the cause of restoration have been estimated at from four to six hundred.

Two o'clock on the morning of Jan. 7th was chosen as the time for the attack, and early on the afternoon of the 6th the leaders began to muster their clans. Bombs were made to be used at close quarters, and some of the hand-grenades were buried in the yard or parlor of the Queen's residence. The Winchester rifles and revolvers were taken up and cleaned and recruits hurried toward their headquarters. During Sunday, the 6th, a number of residents and tourists out walking were made prisoners. The rebels took possession of the signal station and destroyed the telephone, but, unfortunately for their plans, some of them secured whiskey, and the party became drunk, and began firing pistols in cowboy style.

News of the assembly of natives reached town and Deputy Marshal Brown, Captain Parker, and half a dozen native police were sent to search the house of Henry Bertelmann, where it was reported the rebels had secreted arms. A squad of the insurgents under Lot Lane were concealed at Bertelmann's house. Brown with his force reached the house, and the deputy was reading the warrant to Bertelmann, when he was interrupted by the sharp report of a pistol. It was followed by a dozen others in quick succession, mingled with the heavier detonations of Winchester rifles.

Brown ran to the yard where the battle was raging. From their concealment in the shed the insurgents were firing on the native police who were fighting nobly. J. B. Castle, Charles L. Carter and Alfred Carter, who followed the police, came up just as the fight commenced. Charles Carter soon fell pierced by two bullets from the insurgents, both wounds being mortal. Hali, a native police lieutenant, was shot in the body, and another native policeman had an arm broken. Carter was taken into the house but died two hours later. Alfred Carter started for a surgeon for the wounded men, and Brown and Parker left to call reinforcement, the latter taking with him two prisoners named Lane. They left the premises under fire. The native policemen and Mr. Castle remained in the house with the wounded, where Bertelmann was still kept as a prisoner, while a storm of bullets rained at them. At last one of the native police shouted in Hawaiian that unless the firing ceased they would kill Bertelmann. In less than an hour Alfred Carter returned with Dr. Walters, but they were fired on and driven back.

TRY NEW LURES.

All Fish Have to Feed, What Do They Eat?

If there is anything a fisherman likes to do it is to get a mess of fish where others have failed to get a bite, and no stories are more frequently told than those of big baskets filled at lakes or ponds known to be alive with fish, but in which the fish were never before known to bite. There are lots of ponds in which fish can be seen but not taken. In some lakes fish may be taken in the spring only, or in midsummer, giving rise to the belief that they do not feed at other times. In places where trolling spoons alone are used, very often big catches are made with flies of bass and pickerel, and in places where only natural baits—worms, frogs, minnows—are popular, artificial lures are often successful.

It is related of a Jefferson county village that no one ever used flies for bass fishing till a boy who knew about Adirondack trout fishing came along with a seven-ounce fly rod, with other tackle to match.

"That toothpick catch a fish?" said the native fishermen. "Why, a half-pound bass would smash it all to pieces."

A couple of them were curious to know how the thing worked, and volunteered to row the boat. They got to a big, dark pool under a cedar tree on a ledge of rocks, and a Grizzly King and Yellow Sallie dropped onto the water like natural flies. What followed was convincing to the natives. A black bass of over two pounds in weight grabbed the Grizzly King and was hooked. He put up a good fight, but at last rolled up on his side and was dipped up with the landing net. The natives didn't say very much, but they did a whole lot of thinking. Light wood rods soon became popular in that region, and bigger messes of fish were the rule.

BITS OF HISTORY.

Curious Facts About Swearing Vice Presidents Into Office.

More than once in our history the vice president has been sworn and inducted into office sooner than the president, says the St. Louis Globe Democrat. This was the case of John Adams, who took the oath and became president of the senate and vice president of the United States nearly a month before Washington's first inauguration; it was the case with Millard Fillmore, who, it is said, took the oath on Sunday, March 4, falling on that day of the week in 1849, while Taylor, the president-elect, being a rigid Sabbatarian, did not permit himself to be sworn until Monday.

It is said that in 1877, when March 4 again fell on Sunday, Wheeler, the vice president-elect, took the oath on that day, while Hayes, having religious scruples, put off the matter until Monday. Of these cases, however, the most peculiar was that of 1789, when, the government having just been put in operation, presented the curious spectacle of a vice president without a president. At the time, however, the matter seems to have attracted little attention or remark, and is now remembered only as a historical curio.

THEY HAD KNOWING HENS.

How a Proud and Sensitive Fowl Asserted Her Dignity.

He was being interviewed on the poultry business by a Wabash Times reporter when he said: "I don't want to boast, but I do think we have got the knowingest hens in the world in our end of town. I have a flock of 200, all black. It is a theory of mine that black hens lay better than those of any other color. One day I found a hen in my flock with a few white feathers in her tail. I called the hired man and told him to catch and kill her. 'You can't rely on the laying capabilities of a hen with white feathers,' I said. The hen gave me a sorrowful look, but did not say a word. Next morning the hired man told me that he could not find her. A month or two later I opened a pile of potatoes I had stored in the cellar and found a big, hollow space in the center of them. There was a bunch of black feathers in the place with three white ones standing up in a defiant sort of way. Behind the feathers were 66 eggs. I recognized at once that it was the work of the missing hen. The proud, sensitive creature had stowed herself away and worn herself out laying eggs to prove that the theory was a mistaken one."

SPORTSMEN ON BICYCLES.

Kirk Greenwood's Squirrel Hunting A-wheel—Guns for Wheelmen.

Kirk Greenwood tells in Gameland how he went squirrel hunting last fall on a bicycle, with a 22-calibre rifle. He carried the weapon on his wheel's upper bar, over the handle bars, or carbine fashion on his back. He got gray and black squirrels on Long island, Staten island, and over in New Jersey. He also killed a few rabbits and game birds. The rifle was a repeater, but some persons out for sport only would much rather have a target pistol with a barrel a foot long. Such a weapon is much easier to carry. It requires greater skill to use, however.

A Toledo wheel company has originated a device for carrying a shotgun or rifle on a wheel, which weighs a little over two pounds.

Guns for the especial use of wheelmen are being thought of—guns that shut up like jackknives. There are men getting ready, it is said, to give fancy exhibitions of shooting from bicycle saddles. One firm has a novel plate for its wheel that shows a hunter in full costume, with a dog alongside, on the way to the bird grounds on a bicycle.

An Old Loaf.

The Soar family, of Ambaston, Derbyshire, England, have a curious heirloom in the shape of a loaf of bread that is now over 600 years old. The founders of the family, it appears, were great friends of King John. When that monarch died he made several land grants to the Soars. One of these tracts, it appears, had always been conveyed with a loaf of bread along with the "writings," and the deed and the loaf are both kept to this day as sacred relics.

Bugs Injure Michigan Berries.

Benton Harbor, Mich., May 19.—Chinese bugs are doing sad work in many berry fields in this county. They attack the leaves and stems, killing the plant in a few hours. They appear in myriads in some localities. Blackberry vines are suffering from them somewhat less.

Tried to Drown Herself in Beer.

Houghton, May 20.—Anton Funk, a middle-aged German brewer, attempted suicide by throwing himself into a beer tank in Haas' brewery. He was rescued in time for resuscitation and probably will recover. The beer, 60 barrels, was withdrawn from the market.

Causes Alarm.

New York, May 19.—The decree of Gen. Weyler prohibiting the exportation of leaf tobacco from Cuba is causing considerable concern among New York dealers.

Rats as Cotton Gins.

Rats have been found very useful in cotton mills where the raw cotton has been imperfectly ginned. In a Spanish cotton mill the storeroom was invaded by swarms of rats, who pulled the bales to pieces to get at the seeds left in the cotton. They did the work thoroughly without injuring the fiber in any way.

A GREAT EXPENSE

To Carry on an Almost Helpless Fight, —At Last the Fight is Over.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Our representative called at 26 Battle Creek Avenue, the residence of S. L. Robbins, and in an interview with him brought out the following facts: Mr. Robbins tells of his wife's experience in a manner that carries conviction with his words. He says: "I am sorry my wife is not at home this P. M., but no one knows better than I how she has suffered during past years. For twenty years she has been afflicted with the various forms of kidney complaint and an enlargement of the liver. She was often confined to her bed for more than two weeks at a time suffering untold agony. She has doctored constantly, and I have paid out in doctors' bills for her alone as much as $900.00, and then her relief was only such that she would be able to be around for a spell. Some time ago she felt the symptoms of another attack coming on, such as a pain in through the kidneys and back. I hardly know what induced me to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, instead of sending for the family physician; however, I got some and she commenced their use. It was a surprise to us both to see their action; the attack was warded off, and she continued taking them with marked improvement each day of their use. She is better now than she has been in years, the pain in the back and others in the kidneys have entirely gone. Hardly a day goes by that we do not mention the great good Doan's Kidney Pills have done her. I was always opposed to patent medicines, but confess that my wife's experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has done much to change my opinions. If it were not for those pills she would not have been able to be out this afternoon.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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"I wish to tell what your valuable medicine has done for me. For four years heart disease of the very worst kind. Several physicians I consulted, said

Rheumatism of the He

DR. J. H. WATTS.

Dr. Miles' New Heart

and was surprised at the result. It gave life into and made a new man of me. I have not had a symptom of trouble, and I am satisfied your medicine saved me for I have now enjoyed, since

Three Years of Splendid H

I might add that I am a druggist and sold and recommended your Heart Cure. I know what it has done for me and wish I could state more clearly its merits. Your Nervine and other remedies give excellent satisfaction." J. H. Watts.

Humboldt, Neb., May 9, '94.

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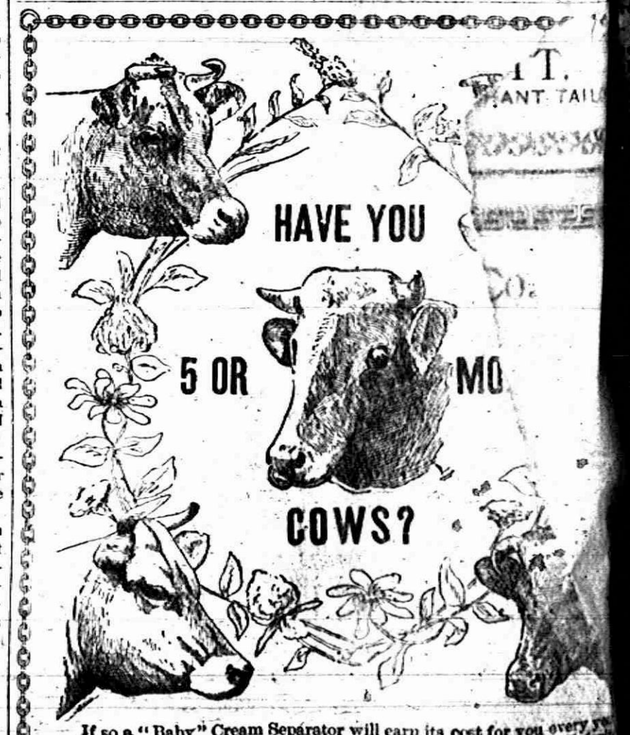

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BRITTON.

poration Still the Absorbing Topic—Canker Worm—A Petty Thief.

y binder twine of Jas. Haight & .

. C. I. Deyo is sojourning at Ox- this week.

e Wabash pay car made its angelic tion last Tuesday.

red Kraft, of Caledonia, Mich., is ing in the white pharmacy.

e Waverly still leads. Jas. Haight are selling them right along.

vices as usual in Reformed church ual hour. Rev. Nickerson officiat-

s. Lenardson and wife, of Bliss- pent Sunday with their relatives

. Nickerson, of South Dakota, will at the DeSpelder church next y at 2:30 p. m.

entire new line of drugs at the Pharmacy. Everything fresh ew.

reys, buggies and road wagons. quality, low prices at Kishpaugh's itton.

e ladies aid dispensed ice cream to y and hungry mortals last Satur- ight.

s. H. Allen, of Ridgeway, called on daughter, Mrs. W. E. Allen here esday.

and Mrs. Howard Hause came from Clinton to spend Sunday with parents here.

ltivators, spring tooth and disc ows. Prices way down at Kish- h's, at Britton.

n't forget the excursion to Toledo ay. The fare is very cheap over C., J. & M. Ry.

y wool twine of Jas. Haight & Co.

new band has been organized here Wm. Britton as chief organizer. ess to the scheme.

ecial attention given to liniments condition powders at the White rmacy, Britton, Mich.

number of Sir Knights and their s attended the Ascension day serv- at Adrian last Sunday.

ssrs. Lowe and Lee played with the an college team at Hillsdale Wed- y and at Albion Thursday.

y a pocket knife of or razor of Jas. ht & Co. and they will show you correct way to sharpen them.

hoe, the druggist, has a very neat show case of an entirely new pat- It also contains some very fine

Clark, the night operator, fell tly and severely bruised his knee. as not riding his wheel or he have been safe.

en in Britton call at the White sey. An entirely new line of toilet articles, candies, stationery, o and cigars, also a new line of groceries.

itizen's meeting is called for Sat- evening for the purpose of unit- ith the G. A. R. in observing the g decoration day. Let there be a turn out.

se Coller, of Macon, started out genuine showman this week, but getting as far away from home as , quit the aggregation and re- d to his native heath.

. Haight & Co. guarantee quality rice on binder twine.

we shall leave Britton for the East ne 1st, any financial consideration our friends may remember will y appreciated. Don't forget the P. B. HARDY, M. D.

members of the L. O. T. M. are g active preparations for putting play the night of Decoration day, 30. Something very artistic and y new is promised on this occa-

canker worm is getting on its y work near Britton. The fine orchard of Wm. Andrus is entire- nuded of leaves. It presents a ntrast to the beautiful vegetation nt.

old, weary darkey, who was sus- ed at the time of the shooting last fall, passed through here this again. He seems to be a very natured coon and got acquainted eo. Clark.

twine 5 cents per pound at Jas. & Co.'s.

ay night some petty thief the barn of Fred Morrell on the line and stole a plow belonging Peters. It might save the par- ch trouble if they would return perty promptly.

d contingent of Maccabees at- lodge at Clinton last Friday d report a royal welcome at the the fraters at that place. The ter knights exemplified the cording to the new ritual.

cle club will probably be or- here soon. The amount of good asure which can be realized out rganization of this kind is cer- great and Britton now has wheelmen to make a good club.

er twine at Jas. Haight & Co.'s.

lip Beckler died the first of the at his home in Englewood, Ill. funeral was held Thursday at sburg, his former home. Mr. Beck- s for many years one of the fore- business men of Britton. He built brick block now owned by John on and established the first hard- in this town. The family has the pathy of many friends in this ity.

. Haight & Co. are headquarters nder twine.

We wish to announce that on next Wednesday afternoon will occur the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Christian church. Mrs. Lavera Osterhout's committee will serve supper at the usual hour. A full attendance is desired.

Incorporation seems to be the important topic of discussion on our streets. As the citizens are becoming more and more acquainted with the law and workings of incorporation, they come around one by one on the side of improvement. The law requires a petition signed by only thirty voters to secure incorporation, but already over 70 names have been secured, and the projectors wish to have the majority of voters before proceeding farther. Investigate, investigate, that is all we ask.

RIDGEWAY.

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Mrs. Catherine Cox returned last week from her stay with friends at Pittsford.

Mrs. H. H. Atwell, of Palmyra, visited friends in the village Saturday and Sunday.

Best quality wool twine only 5c per pound at Smith & Schmidt's.

Third quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held Sunday, May 31.

Eugene Pilbeam, after a week's visit with relatives and friends returned to Harvey, Ill., Saturday.

Mrs. John Winchell and daughter Mamie, of Leslie, are visiting relatives in the village this week.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Cansfield will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon before the village high school.

Call and see our large stock of screen doors and window screens.

SMITH & SCHMIDT.

Morice Kelly desires the address of Jerry Simons, and any person giving such information will confer a much appreciated kindness.

There was a good attendance at the ice cream social held at Mrs. W. L. Jones, Friday, and a very pleasant time spent by all. The carpet fund was increased $12.50.

Misses Howell and Hendershot, of Macon, Eddie Williams and Florence House, of Clinton, and Gertrude Ford, of Tecumseh, attended the ice cream social held at Mrs. Jones' Friday night.

For all seasonable goods in the hardware line go to Smith & Schmidt's.

Sunday evening Rev. Cansfield conducted a memorial service in respect of the late Ralph Barrett, whose death occurred in San Francisco, Cal., presenting a very fitting tribute of respect for the sad occasion.

LAKE RIDGE.

Children's Day to be Observed.—Many Personal Items.

Buy binder twine of Jas. Haight & Co.

There were services in the German church Thursday.

Mr. Al Cavanaugh was a visitor in the Sunday school last Sunday.

Mrs. Hand spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Hendershot.

Jas. Haight & Co. guarantee quality and prices on binder twine.

Miss Josie Hand visited her aunt, Mrs. Osgood, several days last week.

The Sabbath school will observe children's day with appropriate exercises.

Mr. Frank Whiting has been engaged in erecting a monument on his family lot in the Moreville cemetery.

Mrs. Lewis Miller, of Ann Arbor attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. H. Kehoe, last week Thursday.

Mr. James Murphy will be an attractive feature in the graduating exercises of the Ridgeway High School.

Died, at the residence of Wm. McCarbery, on the eve of May 12, Mrs. Aggie Kehoe, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig, aged 20 years. The funeral was held at the home on Thursday afternoon and was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. Services were conducted by the Rev. Rederus, assisted by the choir. The deceased has had a congenial home in the family of Mr. McCarbery for the past fifteen years, and they, as well as the parents, have the sympathy of their many friends.

SOUTH MACON.

Rev. DeSpelder Ill—The Ladies' Aid Postponed.

The ladies aid society of the Reformed church has been postponed two weeks. Notice later.

Charlie Frost, who has been suffering with a broken limb, is gaining and we hope to soon see him among us again.

Some of our young people attended the memorial services of Ralph Barrett, at the M. E. church, Ridgeway, Sunday evening.

Messrs. George Bond and Robert Bailey left last week Thursday for Cleveland, Ohio, where they are engaged in working for the Royal Scroll Co.

Mr. and Miss Bidenson, of Baltimore, Md., were the guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Boyce, over Sunday and attended the Endeavor meeting. We are always glad to welcome stangers.

It is with regret we learn the Rev. Mr. DeSpelder is compelled, on account of ill health, to give up his pastorate in our midst. Through the grace of God, we hope he may soon regain his strength and be able to attend his ministerial duties.

MACON.

Decoration Day will be Celebrated Here—C. E. Social.

Bessie Camburn and Mary Morgan visited in Clinton over Sunday.

Al Cavanaugh tried the wheeling from Ypsilanti to Macon last Saturday.

Unfortunately the storm came just in time Saturday night to detain many from the entertainment.

The C. E.'s will give a social on Friday evening, May 29. A musical program will be given in the new Reformed church, after which an international tea will be served in the old church. Everybody come and "we'll all take tea."

Decoration Day will be observed here at 2 p. m., at the cemetery, with the following exercises:

Cornet Solo—Clare Camburn.
Prayer.
Song—Male Quartette.
Recitation—Miss Bessie Camburn.
Song—Quartette.
Address—Mr. Grant Fellows.
Recitation—Miss Lulu Weeks.
Song—Quartette.
Roll call of deceased soldiers.
Decoration of graves.
President of the Day, Dr. Morden.
Committee on wreaths and flowers:
Mrs. Myra, Minnie and Eva Camburn, Mrs. Matilda, Rachel and Mary Sage, Mrs. Anna and Rose Hatch, Mesdames Sickley, Wm. Morgan, Ada Smith, Allen Mary Hendershot, Sarvey, Crittenden, A. Carter, A. Harring, J. Jackson, E. Burdette, Richart, Burleson, Hanna Robinson, C. Pennington, Misses Eliza Hendershot and Daisy Burgess.

Cupid breaks his bow at the sight of a face full of pimples Hollow cheeks, sunken eyes, and a sallow complexion will defy his best intentions. Beauty is more than skin deep. The skin is merely the surface on which is written in plain characters the condition of the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is good for the complexion because it makes the whole body healthy because it clears and purifies the blood, makes the digestion strong and clears out impurities of all kinds. By increasing the ability to assimilate nutritious food, and by the infusion of its own ingredients it enriches the blood and so makes solid, healthy flesh. It cures diseases of the lungs, liver, stomach, bowels, skin and scalp, simply because all these diseases spring from the same cause, a disordered digestion and consequent impure blood. 1w

Divers will attempt to raise the copperladen steamer Pewabic, which was sunk thirty years ago in Thunder Bay, Lake Huron, in 180 feet of water.

Sick stomach means sick man (or woman). Why not be well? Sick stomach comes from poor food, poor nourishment; means poor health, poor comfort. Shaker Digestive Cordial means health and a well stomach. If we could examine our stomach, we would understand why it is that so little will put it out of order. But, unless we are doctors, we never see our stomach. We only feel it. We would feel it less if we took Shaker Digestive Cordial. Shaker Digestive Cordial makes your stomach digest all the nourishing food you eat, relieves all the symptoms of indigestion, acts as a tonic and soon makes you well and strong again. The more you take, the less you will feel of your stomach. At druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents. 1w

Suit to compel the United States to pay a royalty of $1 apiece on 35,000 letter boxes, first begun in 1894, was last week rejected by the Supreme Court.

After the Grip, What?

Few diseases are marked by such tedious and unsatisfactory convalescence as is the one known as epidemic influenza, in spite of the ordinary modes of treatment. The patient is left in a condition of general debility. He is troubled with catarrh, headache, and with slight exposure he is subjected to a relapse. To prevent this and to cure the catarrh use Century Catarrh Cure. Instant relief. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. May

A flying Chicago Trolley car jumped the track and injured Nicholas H. Meyer, Mrs. Bessie Boettiger, Benjamin Wegforth, and Emma Moses.

Hood's Braced Him Up.

Hunt Spur, Mich., April 23, 1896. For many years I have had a tired feeling and knew not what was wrong with me. I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla and am now a well man. I am sure that it was Hood's Sarsaparilla that braced me up. I have taken five bottles. Frank Vanatta.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. 1w

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Is the offer of a reward for "any case of catarrh not cured" by certain "cures" or "blood medicines." Nothing is said regarding the number of bottles required, and therein lies the deception. The makers of Ely's Cream Balm, have never resorted to such devices. Cream Balm is an elegant preparation, agreeable to use, and immediate in its beneficial results. It cures catarrh. You can rely upon the fact that it contains no mercury nor other injurious drugs. 50 cents. 4

Even catarrh, that dread breeder of consumption, succumbs to the healing influences of Thomas' Electric Oil. 2w

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Leprosy has broken out in the Russian Baltic provinces.

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Ivesdale Ill., writes: I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a family medicine with the best of results. For derangements of the stomach and a general laxative I like it better than anything I have used. It is so pleasant to taste my children are always anxious to take it. Sold by Orr & Temple. may

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Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt., 10c. apr

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"Was sick for four years with enlargement of the Liver and Spleen, and General Prostration of the Nervous System; was attended by two of the best Doctors in the town and used no end of Patent Medicines, all who saw me thought there was no relief except by death, which seemed sure. A friend recommended Dr. F. French's Unequaled Blood Purifier and Rheumatic Remedy; in less than a week after I commenced taking it I was better. Six bottles cured me. You are welcome to use my name and this statement, and also refer anyone to me either personally or by mail, and I will tell them much more than I can write."

We have many more letters to the same effect.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 15 '96.

The meeting of the Supreme Council of the A. P. A., in Washington this week, had many of the features of a political convention. Every State and territory was said to be represented. It was a fight from start to finish between the McKinley and anti-McKinley men, although most of it was secret, it is evident that the McKinley men came out on top. The organization willl not oppose him either as a candidate for the nomination or after he is nominated. Some scandalous stories are told about this wrangle, but as they have no responsible vouchers your correspondent declines to repeat them.

The administration is said to have fully determined that the Americans who were sentenced to death by a court martial, and whom the Spanish government have agreed to give another trail before a civil tribunal shall not be executed, and Spain has been so notified. Spain is not likely to do anything to offend the administration, as it knows that President Cleveland in delaying recognition of Cuban belligerence is acting directly contrary to the sentiment of the United States.

The adjournment of Congress is not in sight yet, and it may not be for several weeks. The River and Harbor bill which passed the Senate this week carries more "pork" than any similar measure ever did, and Congress is very anxious that it should become a law. President Cleveland has never signed a River and Harbor bill, although he has allowed a number of them to become laws without his signature. Congress will give him a chance to do as much for this one, by remaining in session the requisite ten days after it reaches him, which is not likely to be before the middle of next week on account of the amendments added to the bill by the Senate. It is generally expected that this bill will be vetoed and passed over the veto.

The Mahon Nicaragua Canal bill has been favorably acted upon by the House committe on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and will be reported to the House. It authorizes the guarantee of $100,000,000 in bonds and directs that the canal shall be built under the supervision of U. S. army engineers. At the committee meeting which directed the bill to be favorably reported there were only eleven of the seventeen members present and four of them voted against the bill. There has been some criticism of the action of the committee in disposing of such an important matter with more than one-third of its members absent, but it is answered by the assertion that the absent members knew the vote was to be taken and could have been present if they had wished to be.

A prominent railroad man now visiting Washington, says: "The St. Louis people are going to be very much disappointed in the Republican National Convention, and the railroads which have been at work preparing for a big business will also feel the effect of a premature settlement of the Presidential nomination. Since it has developed that McKinley has practically captured the nomination, the interest in the great convention has decreased wonderfully, and the railroad officials in all parts of the country are kept busy countermanding orders for special trains and special accomodations. Clubs in New York, Pennsylvania, New England and other sections which contemplated going have abandoned the idea, this will become quite common by the time the convention meets." This is a more valuable pointer than columns of talk from prejudiced politicians.

Senator Morgan, chairman of the senate finance committee, isn't as a rule a tricky man, but he probably could'nt resist the temptation when it came to naming the subcommittee to investigate those bond issues, under the Allen resolution. He made Senator Harris, of Tenn., and gave him two democratic colleagues, Vest, of Mo., and Walthall; of Miss; one republican, Platt, of Conn., and one populist, Jones, of Nevada. Four out of the five are silver men, and the one republican is probably the most friendly towards the administration. Mr. Morrill makes the subcommittee democratic in its majority so that its findings cannot be chargeble to partisan, but selected silver democrats because of his belief that their opposition to the financial policy would prevent whitewashing. This committee is qualified to get at the truth. Whether it does is yet to be seen.

LEARNED AND HISTORIC YALE.

Graphic Description of its Puritan Origin—Developements and Progress—A Tecumseh Student's Impressions.

ED. HERALD:—In accordance with a promise made so long ago that it might perhaps, be properly considered outlawed, I send you a few facts regarding this beautiful college town, containing one of the oldest and best known institutions of learning in this country.

There are many attractive features in and about this old city and peculiar advantages afforded by situation, which the Puritan fathers were not slow to recognize in their so called New Haven. They soon closed a bargain with the Quinnipiack Indians, from whom the settlement for three years, 1637-1640, retained their name, and for 12 coats of English cloth, 12 alchemy spoons, 12 hatchets, 12 hoes, 2 dozen knives, 12 porringers and 4 cases of French knives and scissors the land was purchased. On the Green, originally the old burying ground, stands Center church, the site of the first public worship, led by John Davenport in the open air, April 15, 1639. Here we find the appropriate inscription, "The wilderness and the solitary places shall be glad for them." In the crypt lie the remains of many historical personages and we find stones erected to the memory of three Regicides—Whalley, Goffe and Dixwell, who on the restoration of Charles II. were obliged to flee the kingdom. As a royalist historian remarks of Goffe, "In 1660 he betook himself to his heels to save his neck, wandered about fearing every one that he met would slay him." They came to New Haven and for many weeks were concealed in a cave on the top of West Rock, since known as Judges' Cave.

I made mention of the Green, but I wish I might give you some idea of its beauty. Occupying as it does the heart of the city, it is a haven of rest and peace to the weary and worn. The three churches, Trinity, Center and United, are situated here, in front of which passes Temple street, lined by broad, spreading elms, which form an almost perfect archway and around the outside they stand in rows, stately and majestic in their beauty and strength. The Franklin Elm at one corner is so called because set out the day Franklin died, April 17, 1790. The story is told of a man who in an early day pastured his horse on the Green at night time, without cost to the owner. Some students took occasion to impart a lesson, painted the horse green, and in some way got him up into the bell tower of the college chapel, where he was found the next morning.

Along one side of the Green the eye is attracted to a solid row of stone buildings, about the center of which stands the new six story Phelps Memorial Arch. There we have an introduction to Yale University. The campus cannot boast of green lawns or beautiful grounds, but the buildings are massive and imposing. The Old Brick Row held in veneration for the many noted persons domiciled under its roof, is gradually giving place to modern architecture. In Vanderbilt Hall and other dormitories very comfortable quarters can be had for prices ranging from seventy-five cents to ten dollars a week. The deep cushioned window seats, where students (?) are seen reclining, with book in hand, has led to the suggestion of the following topic for a thesis: "The Influence of Cushioned Window Seats on Higher Education." The Commons or Dining Hall, near by, seats 450 and generously administers to the wants of the inner man, at least, the immense cauldrons and great old fashioned brick ovens testify to the fact. Should one happen of a morning to be on the Campus at about eight o'clock he would see the students pouring out of the Commons and making way for chapel where attendance is compulsory, and not always do they seem to be in a most reverential spirit. The general hacking and coughing often entirely drown the words of President Dwight, now quite stooped and advanced in years. As he passes out the center aisle he is paid a very low obeisance, and then follows a rush and general scattering to classes.

The big Gymnasium, 188 feet front on Elm street stands a monument to the cause of athletics and physical culture. Passing within and up the broad marble flights, we find in the trophy room the prize cups and floating banners, which speak for the triumph of the Yale Blue in the collegiate contests. On the first floor there are two rowing tanks, large enough for eight oar crews and occasionally spectators are admitted to their practice. Every movement, of course, is like clock work, and they may well be proud of the display of muscle and manly vigor and strength. Those who represent Yale in the Henley regatta, which takes place in July on the Thames, England, must pass creditable examinations in all their studies.

Not until this year have women been admitted on the gymnasium floor. Their weak efforts show a sad need of just that exercise among the candidates for the higher degree. In the advanced or graduate study ye co-ed takes her place beside the Yalensian, and now and then courageously makes her way in the class room under graduate work. I believe as yet she has not been extended the privilege of spinning tops, a pastime exclusively that of the worthy senior. A lone maiden is frequently seen wending her way in and out thro' sacred precincts of conservative old Yale, where the professors show a kindly interest in her behalf.

I must not close without mention of East Rock Park, New Haven's picturesque resort laid out by Donald G. Mitchell, better known as Ik Marvel, whose home is at Edgewood, a few miles out. The grounds at the summit, 362 feet high, are reached by winding paths and a drive leading through the natural growth and flora. Here stands the Soldier's Monument, 110 ft. high, surmounted by a statue of the Angel of Peace. A beautiful view is afforded over the Salt meadows and Mill River near its base winding its way to the harbor where the ships lie at anchor or dot its peaceful waters. These cool shades and exhilarating sea breeze attract many people to East Rock and the shore during the heated season.

A. M. B.

High School Happenings.

Mr. Henry Conkling visited the high school Monday.

Mrs. Garlinghouse called on the A room last Friday.

The Geometry class are studying spherical triangles.

Miss Harriette Osborne was a high school visitor Wednesday.

Miss Harding was absent on account of illness Tuesday afternoon.

Philip Keusch, president of the class of '94, made the A room a brief call Tuesday.

The senior class will give their reception and banquet thi evening at the home of Miss Ada Erskine.

German II have completed Minna von Barnhelm and are now reading Gerstacker's Germelsbausen.

German I are reading Von Hillin's Hoeher als die Kirche. They will however variate their work twice a week with a lesson in grammar.

Will Hicks gave the final number on the rhetorical course in the A room today. It is an evident fact that Miss Hartbeck understands the order of Climax.

Tuesday p. m. in response to an invitation by Mr. Kellogg, 16 mothers of the sixth, seventh and eighth grade pupils gathered at the office to discuss with the teachers subjects relating to the co-operation of parents with teachers.

At 3:40 Tuesday p. m. the usually quiet and peaceful walls of the C room were suddenly startled by a loud report. Could it be an attack by anarchists or were juniors having a class meeting. No one knew. However the mystery was soon explained, when a dense cloud of smoke was seen rising from the dark cavities of Raynor Brewer's pocket scattering its suffocating fumes throughout the surrounding atmosphere. An examination was immediately made, which brought to light a revolver containing a discharged cartridge. Whether it was the result of spontaneous combustion or was it acted upon by some exterior force still remains to be solved.

Important Events for Teachers.

May 28, eighth grade examinations; June 18 and 19, teachers' examination; July 6, summer Normal School of Review begins at Adrian, conducted by Prof. M. W. Hensel, Prof. O. L. Palmer and Mrs. Keeler; July 7, 8, 9 and 10, N. E. A. at Buffalo; August 20 and 21, teachers' examination; August 24, regular county teachers' institute begins at Adrian. EDWARD KEELER, Com.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for their many kindnesses during the sickness and death of our sister.

MR. and MRS. W. C. JORDAN.

When Nature

Needs assistance it may be the best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

DECORATION DAY.

Committees Appointed—Particulars of the Exercises, etc.

The meeting held in the council building last Friday evening was the scene of a hearty co-operation of citizens and members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. in making arrangements for the proper celebration of Decoration day.

The meeting was called to order by Com. H. W. Stevens, who called L. M. Kellogg to the chair, when Wm. DeMott was elected secretary.

After remarks the following committees and officials were chosen for the day:

Pres. of the Day—Lester P. Tribou.

Vice President—L. M. Kellogg.

Marshall—B. J. Garlinghouse, with aides to be appointed by himself.

Arrangements—H. W. Stevens, Jehial Davidson, Alva Spayde, Frank Temple, Alfred James, L. P. Tribou, Mrs. P. J. Welling, Mrs. Wm. Smith.

Vocal Music—J. S. Strong, H. C. Conkling.

Instrumental Music—H. W. Stevens, Leman Barnes.

Floral Car—Geo. S. VanTyne, Mrs. Geo. VanTyne, Mrs. F. D. Avery, Jas. Ingersoll, L. B. Thompson, C. H. Williamson, Arthur E. Kennedy, Will Hicks, Mrs. Thos. Hanley, (to meet at council building May 30 at 8 o'clock a. m.)

Soldiers' Monument—Chas. E. Berry, A. W. Slayton, M. Baldwin, L. Hardenburg, H. Tansley, Mrs. Wm. Haire, Mrs. Wm. Jordan.

Grand Stand—L. B. Thompson, Albert Hyde.

Transportation—J. Davidson, M. VanValkenburg, Wm. Jay, B. A. Garlinghouse, W. W. Whiting, Art Harding.

Flowers—The entire Relief Corps and Beers Post, with a hearty invitation to every Loyal citizen to bring floral offerings for deceased members of Co. C and for those old soldiers who died that the nation might live. Arrangements have been made to prepare floral wreaths at the Armory at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring your offering early on May 30.

Rev. C. M. Brown has been asked to open the exercises with prayer, and Col. Milo Deyo will deliver the oration. The preliminary work has been done and it only remains with our citizens to make our coming decoration day one of proper devotion and remembrance.

PROGRAM OF THE DAY

The members of Beers Post, G. A. R. and W. R. C., will assemble at their rooms at 1:30 p. m. and proceed to military square, where they will be joined by Co. C, M. N. G. The exercises at Military square will consist of:

Music—Tipton Cornet Band.
Vocal Music.
Prayer—Rev. Chas. M. Brown.
Vocal Music.
Music—Tipton Cornet Band.
Oration—Col. Milo M. Deyo.
Vocal Music.
Benediction.

Procession will then form on Ottawa street as follows:

1st Div.—Marshal B. J. Garlinghouse and aides.
Tipton Cornet Band.
Co. C, M. N. G., Capt. T. R. Kyle, commanding.
Floral Car.

2d Div.—Veterans of the late war, and Beers Post, No. 140, G. A. R., H. W. Stevens, commanding.

3d Div.—Pres. and V. Pres. of the Day, Speaker, Clergy and Glee Club in carriages.

4th Div.—W. R. C. in carriages.

5th Div.—Citizens in carriages.

The line of march will be on Ottawa St., south to Chicago St., west on Chicago St., to Union St., and north on Union St. to the cemetery.

The graves of deceased soldiers will be decorated by detail.

The exercises at the cemetery will conclude with memorial services at Beers Post burial lot and the decoration of the mound for unknown dead.

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LILLEY HOUSE BLK. TECUMSEH, MICH.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OR SALE.—Good new milch cow. Can be seen at my farm in Franklin. Levi L. ewis.

OR SALE—Golden Dent Seed Corn. Inquire of Fred Sheldon, Newburgh, Mich.

OR SALE.—Two Golden butter bred. A. J. C. C. Jersey bull calves, one 11 months and 9 months old. Stoke Pogis and St. Lambert ood. At farmers prices. Bidwell Stock Farm. umseh, Mich.

LANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS—For sale Early cabbage and tomato plants now dy. A quantity of early celery plants for cheap. Tomato plants by the hundred ap. Abner Wilson.

OR SALE.—Cheap seed potatoes. Vicks Dennisons, Rural New Yorkers, Maggie ubles, Early Puritans, State of Maine, Monroe Seedlings, and Beauty of Hebron. A. W. ayton.

The Tecumseh Herald.

ECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 22, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

irst matinee June 6.

ugene Camburn, of Tipton, is gaining slowly.

A. Bidwell spent Sunday with his nts here.

cius Lilley was a Detroit passenger morning.

or sale a first class Steinway piano . W. Frazier's. tf

iss Edith Gordon, of Adrian, spent day with Jessie Bangs.

rt Cutting, who is working in the on bicycle factory, was home over day.

e small kid nine, of Tecumseh, t a like aggregation at Clinton last urday.

rs. G. C. Sisson returned from Detroit Monday, where she has been nding the past few weeks.

a notice in last week's issue the of Palmer C. Temple, deceased, was n as 58. It should have been 64.

iss Kate Anderson left yesterday ning for Winona, Minn., where she visit Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Gamble.

e are offering a line of 75 cent and ncy shirts at 50 cents.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

Pearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad w will exhibit at Bills' Driving , Tecumseh, on Wednesday, June

s. E. N. Sisson and little son, y, of Detroit, are visiting friends relatives here and at Clinton this

e regular eighth grade examinafor the district schools will be held e central school building tomorrow, rday, May 23.

Pearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad three times larger than before, mes better than ever, will exhibit ills' Driving Park, Tecumseh, on esday, June 3.

of the horses of Dell Cairns, were cut by plate glass here re- is improving slowly. It is t be still has a piece of the glass shoulder. The other is working.

Battle Creek Moon states that mous riders, Tom Cooper, Arthur ner, and Eddie Cannon Bald will art in the national circuit cycle ament to be held there July 13 and

M. Lewis has moved his saw mill the Hendershot place northeast of to the Chas. Ives timber, southof the village. He will also saw e bill of lumber for the Robinson while located there.

official apportionment of library and primary school interest fund cumseh township is $25.57 for rmer and $280.14 for the latter The number of school children d to this township is 609.

. Samsen, who lately sold the ld Advance, has purchased the seh News and will, it is said, a republican paper. Samsen's does not lay in his hair but ow it.—Monroe Democrat.

the children to LaPearl's Big 20 cent Railroad Show to see the little Shetland ponies, goats, nd monkeys ever brought to this . Will exhibit at Bills' Driving Tecumseh, on Wednesday, June

time cards are in effect on the and C., J. & M. You would do consult the tables printed in column before taking a train. ncipal changes on the Mackinaw tation are in No. 21 now going 12:01 instead of 11:25 and No. 22 est at 10:20 instead of 9:36 a. m

Sunday George Spafford celeis 65th birthday by entertainttwenty of his juvenile friends. edless to say that George was gest and most light-hearted in pany. His brother-in-law, Chas. fer, also visited him on that

e in receipt of fine reproduce the latest photograph of Hon. Walker, commander-in-chief of R. The pictures were sent Lord, G. P. A., of the Chicago estern Ry, of Chicago. Copies ent to any of the G. A. R. boys pt of their address. This is which has made a one cent fare National Encampment at St. xt September.

lyn Exponent: Whitney Watceived a bug through the mail r day from Anderson & Co., Te- for classification, the firm de- know what to use to exterm- as it is doing damage to the ds. Mr. Watkins found it to be borer, and concludes that there some locust wood used about e somewhere. The insect, he es not eat the silk because fond nt to free itself from confine-

Regular meeting of the Blue Lodge this evening.

Hon. B. L. Baxter returned from a few week's visit at Battle Creek yesterday.

Doc Smith, of Adrian, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

The small kid nine of Tecumseh fell victims to a high school team last Saturday at Clinton.

The Lenawee chapter O. E. S. has been formally instituted at Hudson by Worthy Grand Patron, Chas. H. Conover, of Coldwater.

The first matinee occurs on June 6. Don't forget the date or the fact that a lively program will be presented on that afternoon.

The regular meeting of the local chapter of the O. E. S. occurred last evening with a large attendance. A banquet was served.

For $25, part time if desired, you can buy a $50 Eldridge sewing machine, bran new. Call at once, as only two remain. HERALD OFFICE.

Forest Dickinson seems to be quite happy. He is is the proud young father of a proud young boy. It's most always a cause of rejoicing the first few times.

Mrs. M. J. Tremaine came Saturday from Chicago for a few weeks' visit with relatives here. Little Eugene Rosecrans accompanied his grandmother home.

Major Cole the Evangelist will speak in the Raisin Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and in the afternoon he will speak on C. E. subject "Christ's Widening Kingdom."

The Chicago expert, who was to have been here Monday to set up Mr. Samsen's new press was unavoidably delayed. Hence the News did not appear last evening but was issued today.

"Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together." Anyone, whether a church member or otherwise, will be gladly welcomed at the Friends church next Sabbath morning and evening.

Call at the Herald office and see samples of copper plate engraved cards, wedding invitations and announcements. If you have copper plates bring them in. The low prices will surprise you.

A large detail from the Salvation Army barracks at Adrian under command of Captain Bullock paraded our streets Monday evening and later held a meeting in the Methodist church which was largely attended.

Bert Rodgers, of Monroe, general agent for the Monroe Nurseries is in town taking orders for fall and spring delivery. He is the only authorized agent for Ilgenfritz Sons in this section and handles no jobber's goods.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Phoebe Miller on east Logan street during the month of June. A good program will be furnished for Mother's meeting which occurs the first Friday in the month. Exercises will begin at three o'clock sharp. All are invited.

A mass meeting, in the interest of the Armenians, to be addressed by the pastors and citizens of Tecumseh and M. E. Presiding Elder Davis, will be held in the Opera House Sunday, May 31, at 3 p. m. Everybody invited, particularly the societies and clubs of the town.

The W. H. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson on Wednesday, May 27, at 3 p. m. Let all members try and be present and hear the report of the convention. All who hold mite boxes are requested to bring them, as they are to be opened at this meeting.

The Globe mill was again broken into last night, an entrance being effected by pulling the staple on the north door. The office door was then forced, several drawers pried open and the safe rifled. The safe is left unlocked and contains only papers and books. Some change and postage stamps in the money drawer and the papers in the safe were left untouched by the thief. They were evidently looking for big plunder.

Mrs. Sara Jane Kelly died at her home in Macon Monday morning, at the age of 63 years. Mrs. Kelly had suffered from the grip during the winter but had nearly recovered. Twelve days previous to her death she was taken with neuralgia of the stomach and death resulted from hemorrhage. The deceased was the widow of Clinton Kelly, who died some years ago. She leaves three children all of whom have reached years of maturity. The Kelly family were old and respected residents of Macon township. The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the home, Rev. DeSpelder officiating.

We are glad to note the safe return of Dr. C. M. Woodward to his professional duties here. After a few week's vacation in St. Louis, Mo., Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia, in which latter city he attended the session of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States and during the same time improved the opportunity of visiting the various hospitals and witnessing many very important surgical operations, studying the technique and new methods of operating, etc. He was appointed a member of the Executive committee of the association of Military Surgeons, while in Philadelphia.

Last Friday, unfortunately after this paper had gone to press, Brant Bangs, while delivering coal, drove over the large cess pool in rear of the Lilley house. The covering of plank had become quite rotten and failed to sustain the weight of one horse. The horse fell through into about 6 feet of badly diluted water. It took a gang of willing workers over two hours to rescue the horse from his ill chosen bath and they did well to ever get him out alive. The symmetry and beauty of the cess pool was sadly marred. It is feared the horse may sustain a spavin from the fall. Unless well covered, cess pools will doubtless remain in bad odor among horsemen. Mr. Bangs wishes to thank his friends for their kind assistance in rescuing his horse.

J. W. Wightman was a Britton visitor yesterday.

Sumner Collins was at the county seat Wednesday.

James Lowry visited Toledo last Wednesday.

Geo. W. Fleming was over from Adrian yesterday.

Major Howell, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh Wednesday.

P. B. Sutfin has purchased the James Montague stock of novelties.

A new time table goes into effect on the Lake Shore next Sunday.

The Lenawee Baptist Association will meet here June 2 and 3. Program next week.

Miss Lucy Bliven, of Blissfield, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. N. Sisson, this week.

Mrs. L. I. Bidwell went into Detroit to hear Joe Jefferson in the "Rivals" last evening.

Several Sir Knights from Tecumseh attended the Ascension day exercises at Adrian last Sunday.

John and Robert Grim left last week for Toledo. Mrs. Grim will probably join them next month.

We publish this week a very interesting letter from Yale college written by a graduate of our high school.

Tecumseh Chapter, O. E. S., will visit Manchester Chapter next Wednesday evening and exemplify the work there.

Miss Blanche Bigelow leaves for her home in Flint today after remaining here for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. G. N. Stacy.

Rev. Blachford will have a celebration of the holy communion at St. John's church, at Clinton, at 8 o'clock next Sunday morning.

Don't forget the sewing bee and 10c supper given by the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Annie Bryant Smith, on Friday afternoon, May 29.

Last Saturday the first game of the season was played on the base ball grounds, between picked nines from Clinton and Tecumseh. The visitors were quite badly left, but were nicely limbered up for a starter.

The townships of Clinton and Tecumseh unite here today in a Sunday School convention. Sessions were held in the Baptist church this morning. In the Presbyterian this afternoon and will be continued in the Methodist this evening.

The Advertising car of the LaPearl circus was side tracked here this week and dispensed its literature in great profusion. LaPearl Bros. made an excellent impression here last year and regard Tecumseh as one of of their best towns.

Joe Jefferson and the Rivals passed through here over the Jackson branch early Thursday morning in one of the finest private trains ever gotten up. The party were enroute for Toledo, where they gave a matinee, and from thence to Detroit playing there last night.

A complete program of the exercises for decoration day appears in another column of our paper. There seems to be a tendency in later years to forget the true spirit of this day and give our attention to games and other amusements. Let everyone keep decoration day this year sacred to the memory of our departed heroes.

We are in receipt of a beautiful catalogue descriptive of the territory covered by the Northern Pacific Railway. The book is entitled "Wonderland," and is deserving the name. A copy may be had by sending 6 cents in stamps to Chas. S. Fee, G. P. & T. A., St. Paul. It is a treasury of description and historical information, pictures, maps, etc.

R. S. Moore has moved his grocery stock from the store in the Williamson building to the store lately occupied by Kennedy & Mize. Though Mr. Moore has been in the grocery business for himself but a short time, he has gained many friends among the business men of our street, and a large class of patrons, who appreciate his honorable and careful business methods.

Battle Creek Journal: Hon. B. L. Baxter returned from Kalamazoo yesterday and brings a very encouraging report with regard to the ultimate completion of the electric R. R. between Battle Creek and Kalamazoo. Leaving for his Tecumseh home he expects to return again in July or August to look after his business interests connected with the building of that Electric R'y and his other business interests in and about the city.

Mrs. Lydia Curtis died at her home on Potawatamie street la. Monday, at the age of 61 years. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, Varner officiating. Mrs. Curtis was born in New York state but has spent the most of her life in Michigan. She lived in Tecumseh until a few years ago, when she was some time with friends and relatives in the west. The deceased leaves a son in Kansas, who was unable to get here to the funeral. She was a sister of Mrs. W. C. Jordan and George Teachout, of Tecumseh, and Charles Teachout, of Brooklyn.

A Lake Shore work train from Detroit has been doing repair work on the track between here and Clinton this week. Yesterday, as the train was being side tracked for the night, a brakeman by the name of Wm. Rumsey, in attempting to catch on a dump car, missed his foothold. His left foot slipped and was caught and drawn between a wheel and a portion of the frame of the car. The foot was badly crushed, being almost split up the middle. The unfortunate man was quickly taken to Dr. North's office. It was found necessary to take off the end of the little toe. Several of the small tarsal bones were found broken and the parts very badly crushed. The patient was taken to Adrian and from there to Detroit. The accident was an unusual one for a brakeman and was due perhaps to the peculiar construction of the dump car.

Sheriff Wilson was in town this forenoon investigating the last night's burglaries. It seems to be the same old gang.

Claude Hubbard, of this place, and Miss Blanche Middlebrook were united in marriage at the home of the bride in Clinton Wednesday by Rev. B. S. Hudson.

Chas. Teachout and wife, of Brooklyn, G. W. Teachout, of Rome, Fred Desermie, of Onsted, and Mrs. Bramble, of Eaton Rapids, relatives of the deceased, attended the funeral of Mrs. Curtis here Wednesday.

The residence of O. P. Bills on Kilbuck street was also entered last night evidently by the same burglars, who touched the Globe mill. Entrance was gained by breaking a window lock and raising the sash. A candle was lighted and an oaken writing desk opened by using shears as a pry. The desk was considerably broken, the contents rifled and above $20 secured. Mrs. Bills did not retire till nearly 1 o'clock and heard no disturbance during the night.

—CLEARING SALE.—
Having purchased the Jas. Montague stock I now offer many of the lines at greatly reduced prices for a short time. If you desire to save money, now is the opportunity. Opening Saturday, May 23, at 1 p. m. P. B. SUTFIN.
P. S.—Special cut price on picture mouldings.

—Great days these at the auction. Everybody getting bargains.

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery—
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—I TRUST YOU—
will take advantage of the low prices at which I am selling buggies, wagons, plows, harrows, cultivators, and other implements, also twine, field seeds, etc. Agency Milwaukee binders and mowers.
JNO. L. KISHPAUGH,
Britton, Mich.

—Reserved seats for ladies at Kirchgessner's auction sale.

—The place to get your work done is where it is done best, quickest and cheapest. I sharpen and clean lawn mowers for 35 cents, file buck and hand saws for 10 cents each, cross cut saws 25 cents, cross cut saws gummed 50c, sharpen shears for 5c, razors 25c and do everything in the line of umbrella, parasol and bicycle repairing at lowest rates. JAMES CLARK.
Slayton block, Railroad street.

—The Kirchgessner jewelry auction ends this week. Now or never.

—See those lawn mowers at Satterthwaite Bros.

—For sale—for lack of time to attend to a retail lumber yard, I will sell my stock of shingles on time. There is now a splendid chance to start a yard on Main street, only one yard in the town, but little capital required. See me at once. Truly yours, A. W. SLAYTON.

—Envoy and Fleetwing bicycles strictly high grade, price $15, at Satterthwaite Bros.

—The talk of the town is Kirchgessner's auction sale of jewelry, books, stationery and silverware.

—Gasoline and oil cook stoves at Satterthwaite Bros.

Those Shirt Waists and Made Garments at Harris & Hiteshu's are wonders, both in price, quality and style. See them.

—Auction at Kirchgessner's is progressing finely this week and this week it will end. Come at once or you will have no opportunity to secure the bargains.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—Lap Dusters and whips at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Attend the grand auction sale at Kirchgessner's, afternoons at 2 and evenings at 7:30.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

—Hammocks and fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—Fine line of refrigerators at Satterthwaite Bros.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

—The great cut prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's draw large crowds.

New spring goods in the dry goods line are always interesting to the ladies, and especially so if styles are new, prices right and assortment complete. We are in front on all these counts. Harris & Hiteshu.

Nothing old. All new Dimities and Percales. Most beautiful paterns at Harris & Hiteshu's.

New Potatoes,
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In Fancy Colors for Warm Weather.
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In Sorts with detached Collars and Cuffs.
In Whatever Kind You Desire

from dress to working kind. We struck a bargain in buying and will a little more than divide the difference with you.

ALVA SPAYDE.

HOME GROWN STRAWBERRIES

will soon be here. We have again made arrangements to handle berries for

Charles W. McNeil,

which is a guarantee of the best stock and right prices. Special prices in large lots for canning. Leave your orders early and get the best.

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Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

THE TARIFF CAUSE.

Convention to Meet at Detroit to Discuss the Question.

Detroit, May 18.—It develops that the attendance at the national non-partisan commercial tariff convention, which meets in this city June 2, will be considerably larger than its projectors at first anticipated. Secretary S. B. Archer, of the Tariff Commission league, has received credentials already from commercial bodies who have chosen a total of over 1,000 delegates. There will also be some delegates from laboring and agricultural organizations. At least double the number of accredited delegates is expected, representing boards of trade and chambers of commerce and other bodies of like character. Other persons who attend will be entitled to vote on all questions excepting those concerning permanent organization. From letters received the sentiment favoring holding annual non-partisan tariff conventions is almost unanimous. The Santa Fe woman's board of trade, the only organization of its kind, will send four delegates.

The convention committee, consisting of presidents of boards of trade, commercial bodies, and labor and farming organizations representing various sections of the country, will meet June 1, and arrange the final details and choose temporary officers.

Auxiliary to the convention, and designed to facilitate discussion, there will be four large committees. Their provinces respectively will be: To recommend ways and means for taking the tariff question out of partisan politics and making it a business question; to suggest ways and means for improving the consular service in the way of increasing our foreign trade, especially with the Central and South American republics; to report upon the advisability of recommending to congress the creation of a department of commerce, manufactures and labor, the chief of such department to be a member of the president's cabinet; to make recommendations as to a permanent organization and the holding of annual conventions for considering the tariff and other national questions.

The convention is to be absolutely non-political and all questions must be discussed from a purely commercial standpoint. The convention will probably continue a week or more.

SHE TAKES FLIGHT.

Miss Sparrow Refuses to Go to the Insane Asylum.

Lansing, May 16. — Miss Henrietta Sparrow, sister of Millionaire Edward W. Sparrow, has gone into hiding. She was recently committed to an asylum for the insane by the probate court, from whose order the supreme court this week decided there was no appeal. The night this decision was made Miss Sparrow and her trunks were taken away from her brother's house. Mr. Sparrow is in California, where he went before the finding of the probate court was announced. It is said that the patient is about to be married.

Quick Time by Homing Pigeons.

Detroit, Mich., May 19.—A Detroit bird on Sunday broke the world's 300-mile homing-pigeon record. Seventy-five pigeons were liberated at Sidney, Ill., Sunday, and one of them, a three-year-old bird belonging to Fred Ruoff, made the distance, 300 miles, in four hours and fifty-four minutes, the average rate of speed being 1,852 yards per minute, beating the record by 146 yards per minute. Another of the birds, belonging to Bob Schemansky, of this city, also broke the record, arriving in 4 hours 54 minutes and 28 seconds.

Masonic Temple Dedicated.

Owosso, May 16.—The beautiful new Masonic temple, which occupies the entire two floors over the new Citizens' savings bank, and adjoining buildings, was dedicated Friday. The new temple was dedicated by Most Worshipful Grand Master John J. Carton and the grand officers in the afternoon. A reception was held in the afternoon, after which a ball and banquet were given at the armory, which was resplendent with decorations of bunting and electric displays.

PARDONED.

Woman Who Slew Her Children Set Free After Thirty Years.

Lansing, May 16.—The only woman in the state prison at Jackson, and the oldest prisoner in point of service save one, has been pardoned by Gov. Rich. Her name is Mrs. Sarah Haviland, and she has been in prison 30 years. She was the 20th prisoner sent to the institution. The crime for which the woman was sentenced to prison for life in 1866, when she was 38 years of age, was the murder of her own children, three in number. In urging the exercise of executive clemency the pardon board says:

"The crime was the most heinous, and we do not wish to condone it. And while there were some mitigating circumstances, we believe her sentence was just. The mitigating circumstances we believe to be that she was under the influence of a man who possessed a will much stronger than her own, and who agreed to marry her, but for the bar of so many children. The influence which the man possessed over her would now be called hypnotism, and it was while acting under it that the crime was committed."

FEARS SPLENIC FEVER.

Gov. Rich Prohibits the Importation of Texas Cattle.

Lansing, May 18.—At the suggestion of the state live stock sanitary commission, which aims to protect domestic cattle from contracting Texas or splenic fever, Gov. Rich has issued a proclamation prohibiting the importation until November 1 of Texas cattle, so-called, or cattle raised south of the 36th degree of north latitude, which have not been kept continuously at least one winter north of that latitude. The proclamation excepts such cattle as are in transit across the state, but provides that they shall be unloaded in Michigan only for the time necessary to feed and water them, and then only in Texas cattle division of the Michigan Central stock yards at Detroit. Such Texas cattle as are intended for immediate slaughter are also expected, but they are to be unloaded at the slaughterhouse or killing dock and held in strict quarantine until slaughtered.

FIRE AT SAGINAW.

High Wind Helps the Flames to Encompass Much Destruction.

Saginaw, May 18.—A terrific windstorm raged here all day, the severest ever known in this section, and when fire broke out in the rebuilt burned district created by the great fire of May 2, 1893, people were terrified. The wind was so severe that the water in the river at the intake was lowered and the water pressure was poor. But for the heavy rain of Saturday night, which soaked all the roofs, the fire would have been disastrous. Scores of families moved household possessions, but only five buildings were burned. These were the general store and residence and barn of John Guiger and the residence of W. H. Kerns, Clarence Tucker and Charles W. Bohnhoff. The loss will be $14,500, mostly covered by insurance.

SEARCH FOR A DEMENTED MAN.

People of Altona Fear Isaac Hornby Has Killed Himself.

Altona, May 20. — For several days scores have been searching the woods and Little Muskegon river day and night for the body of Isaac Hornby, a young man who disappeared on May 14. Several months ago, it is said, he had a falling out with his fiancee, who shortly afterward married another young man secretly. Hornby appeared deranged ever since, refusing food, stealing away at all times of the day and night and trying to borrow knives or pistols, so he could commit suicide.

Embarrassment Only Temporary.

Lansing, Mich., May 19.—E. Bement & Sons, who operate one of the largest implement and stove manufacturing concerns in the world, Monday afternoon filed two trust deeds to secure their creditors. The first is for $150,000 and runs to Judge Edward Cahill, to secure local banks and creditors. The second is for a similar amount, running to O. A. Bement to secure outside creditors. The deeds cover real estate, book accounts and property valued at $600,000. The concern employs 500 hands and will not suspend operations. President Bement says the embarrassment is of only a temporary nature.

To Go to Michigan University.

New York, May 18.—Dr. Eliza M. Mosher, of Brooklyn, a former Vassar professor, has accepted the position of associate dean of the arts and literature in the University of Michigan. Dr. Mosher will leave for her new field of labor at once. Besides her other duties she will teach physiology and have an oversight of the health of the girl students.

Thievery in Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, May 15. — Burglars cleaned out George W. Shellman's stock of optical goods, valued at $800, leaving but a field glass. Entrance was secured through the skylight, the roof being reached from an adjacent block. Clothing valued at $650, stolen from Jake Levy's store, was found in an old office.

Rolling Mills Resumed.

Houghton, May 16.—The wire and rolling mills of the Tamarack-Osceola Manufacturing company, at Dollar Bay, resumed work Friday with orders ahead for a month or more. The shipments of refined copper from local smelters continue heavy.

Delegates All Chosen.

St. Louis, May 18.—All the delegates to the republican national convention in this city have been chosen, and the result is said to be as follows: Instructed for McKinley, 564; for Reed, 96; for Morton, 62; for Quay, 36; for Allison, 41; for Bradley, 16; uncertain, 83. Total, 918; necessary to a choice, 460.

Strung Up by a Mob.

New Orleans, May 20.—Monday night James Dazzele (colored) was taken from the jail in St. Bernard parish and lynched. He was arrested yesterday for attempting to assault a white lady near the Poydras' plantation Sunday morning.

INTERESTING EVENTS.

Bits of Information from Various Localities in Michigan.

Cut worms are destroying whole fields of oats in Saginaw valley.

The electric rapid railway carries mail between Detroit and Mt. Clemens.

An epidemic of mumps lessens the attendance in the Hartford public schools.

Potatoes are free at Northport to those who will remove them from the cellars.

Thirty-eight new dwelling houses are being built in South Haven. There is not a vacant house in the town.

James T. Armstrong, of Jackson, died from lockjaw caused by stepping on a sharp stick that made a slight wound in his foot.

Albert Taylor, a prominent farmer of Leroy, near Battle Creek, aged 70 years, was killed by falling from a loft in his barn.

Muskegon schools will observe Hackley day—May 25—the anniversary of Hon. Charles Hackley's gift of the public library to the city.

Gov. Rich has pardoned Thomas Dougherty, who was sentenced from Detroit in 1893 for five years for burglary, and is in the last stages of consumption.

The sixty-fourth annual meeting of the St. Joseph River Baptist association, one of the oldest religious organizations in the state, will be held at Cassopolis May 26-28.

The supreme court has legalized the tax sales of Muskegon county for 1891, which were held to be void by the circuit court on account of irregularity in advertising.

Niles is to have a six-days' racing carnival, including running and trotting races, among which is to be a Derby, ball games and other sports. The fun will begin June 8.

Senator Burrows has secured the passage of a bill in the senate giving a pension of $30 a month to Mrs. Mary E. Ely, widow of Ralph Ely, of Alma, Mich. Mr. Ely was a lieutenant colonel of the Eighth Michigan infantry.

PRICES OF MEALS ADVANCE.

The Restaurant Keepers of Detroit Form a Trust.

Detroit, May 20.—A "grub" trust has been formed here by the hundred or more cheap restaurant-keepers, and the members of the trust, as their first act, agreed to raise the price of meals from 15 to 20 cents. The restaurant men claim that there is no money made feeding transient boarders at 15 cents a head, because their appetites are always enormous. The transients are especially numerous here in the summer in the shape of excursionists. It is claimed they have been eating up restaurant profits for several years. The regular boarders will be able to get their meals at the old rate. The trust also contemplates taking action in regard to bills of fare, help and other branches of the business.

Imprisoned Debtor Released.

Detroit, May 19.—Philip Curro, an Italian wholesale fruit dealer, who has been confined in the county jail since July last year as an alleged fraudulent debtor, was released Monday on order of a circuit court commissioner. Curro was arrested on complaint of New York firms, who claimed he had surreptitiously disposed of thousands of dollars' worth of goods to avoid payment of his debts. He has been in jail at the expense of these creditors. Curro was able to convince the commissioner that he has no money.

Railroad Taxes Due the State.

Lansing, May 18.—The law requires railroad companies operating in Michigan to pay taxes to the state treasurer in July, the computation of taxes being made May 15. The amount of taxes computed by Railroad Commissioner Billings on the earnings of 1895 is $660,097. The taxes of several companies which have not yet reported will increase this by about $50,000.

Ferry Accepts.

Detroit, May 19. — Hon. Dexter M. Ferry, of this city, who was elected chairman of the state central committee at the republican state convention held in this city recently, has announced his acceptance of the position. Mr. Ferry was out of the city when the convention was held, and there were doubts as to his acceptance of the honor.

Get Eighteen Months Each.

Detroit, Mich., May 18.—Ex-Coroners Daniel Butler and Joseph Bettinger and their clerks W. H. Bird and Henry Benzing, who were convicted of conspiracy to defraud Wayne county by holding false inquests, were Saturday morning sentenced to serve 18 months each in the Detroit house of correction.

First Michigan Berries.

Benton Harbor, May 14.—The first ripe strawberries in this vicinity were picked Wednesday in Michael Brund's patch on the lake shore. They were grown on a side hill and in sandy soil. This breaks all records for early strawberries here. Shipments from this patch will be made next week.

Held for Trial.

Houghton, May 16. — J. W. Clayton, accused of causing the death of his daughter Daisy by inhuman beatings, was held by Justice Brand, after a preliminary examination of two days, for trial at the next term of the circuit court. The evidence against Clayton is considered strong.

Bookbinders Quit Work.

Detroit, May 19.—The striking carpenters were joined Monday by the bookbinders, and the employes of the four largest concerns in the city went out on a demand for $12 instead of $9 and one apprentice for every five men. The employers have all refused a conference.

Opposed to Bond Issue.

Vicksburg, May 19. — An injunction has been issued restraining the village council from issuing $15,000 electric light and waterworks bonds recently voted.

Heavy Storm at Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, May 18.—A terrific windstorm here Saturday night and Sunday played havoc with the telephone, telegraph, fire alarm and electric car systems. Large forces of men were employed Sunday repairing the damage that has been done. Many large trees about the city have been blown down.

To Push Work on the Canal.

Washington, May 20.—In view of the necessity for the early completion of the big lock on the Sault Ste. Marie canal, the secretary of war has made a sub-contract for its construction with the contractor, Donnelly, on condition that the work be finished by July 11. The amount of the contract is $12,000.

Fear for the Peach Crop.

Grand Rapids, May 18.—A windstorm, with a velocity of 55 miles an hour, from the southwest, struck this section about four o'clock Sunday morning and continued until evening. Shade trees, skylights, windmills, etc., suffered severely, and it is feared that the peach crop has been damaged.

Easy Fishing.

Linwood, May 20. — By the recent heavy gale the water in Saginaw bay was driven out two or three miles from shore and thousands of fish were left high and dry on the bottom of the bay. Many tons were picked up by the settlers, some weighing all the way from one pound up to 30.

Sold Under a Mortgage.

Grand Rapids, May 15.—The assets of the Buss machine works in this city and Benton Harbor were sold Thursday under mortgage decrees to the amount of $48,000.

Hanged.

Murphysboro, Ill., May 20.—At 12:05 o'clock p. m. Tuesday John S. Jones was executed in this city for the murder of Sarah Mendenhall at Anna, in Union county, last August. He had a dispute with the woman over wages he owed her and he knocked her down and stamped her to death. He met death without a tremor.

Eight Hour Fight Begins.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 19.—The proposed strike of carpenters Monday for the eight-hour workday has been met by a lockout. The men were required to answer whether they were for eight hours. If they said yes, they were discharged on the spot. A hard fight is threatened.

Due to Unrequited Love.

Brewster, Mass., May 19.—Fred Alexander, aged 30, shot and killed Miss Sadie Hassard and afterward committed suicide. Unrequited love was the cause.

Saginaw's Oldest Resident Dead.

Saginaw, May 18.—Hiram L. Miller, Saginaw's oldest resident, died Saturday night, aged 93 years. He has lived here since 1835, and was the founder of the first church in this section, the First Presbyterian society. He has always been prominent in public affairs.

Weak

Worn out, nervous women, receive criticism where they should have sympathy. They cannot help being nervous, if their blood is impure.

When the blood fails to feed the nerves upon proper nourishment what can you expect but nervous prostration, debility and nervous headaches?

If the cause is found in impure blood, the cure must be in making the blood pure. This is just what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, and it has proved the true nerve tonic because it is the true blood purifier, and the solace, comfort and defender of thousands of housewives,

Nervous

teachers, clerks and other sufferers of of both sexes. Just read this letter:

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Tired

languid, all-gone feeling and suffered awful distress in my stomach. I had given up all hopes of ever being well, when my mother wished me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I consented, to please her, and before I had taken the whole of one bottle I could see I was improving, and soon was indeed very much better. Its effects have been truly wonderful and I hope this letter may be the means of helping other suffering men and

Women

to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and be benefited by it. We have used Hood's Pills in our family and find them very excellent, especially for constipation. We give Hood's medicines great praise, and if anyone complains of feeling badly, I say 'You should take Hood's and only Hood's.'" MRS. KITTIE SMITH, 326 Dane Street, Waterloo, Iowa. Remember that

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and gradually increased my weight from one hundred and twenty-five to two hundred pounds. Since then, I and my family have used this medicine when needed, and we are all in the best of health, a fact which we attribute to Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I believe my children would have been fatherless to-day had it not been for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, of which preparation I cannot say too much."—H. O. HINSON, Postmaster and Planter, Kinard's, S. C.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 6th day of June, 1896, and on the 2d day of November, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 2d day of May, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 15, 1896.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
B. A. GARLINGHOUSE,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 134, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, 6th April, A. D. 1896.

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SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Detroit Accommodation	4:00 p. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 135. Express.	No. 309. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	10 30 A.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 20 "	11 15 "
Clark's	6 37 "	2 39 "	11 30 "
Brooklyn	6 43 "	2 45 "	11 36 "
Cambridge	6 55 "	3 01 "	11 48 "
Tecumseh	7 05 "	3 11 "	11 58 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	12 30 P.M.
Adrian.....Lv	10 45 "	6 40 "	4 30 "
Ida	8 40 "	4 30 "	10 35 A.M.

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 316. Express.	No. 340 Accom
Detroit.....Lv	6 45 A.M.	8 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 00 "	.....
Milan	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Monroe Junction	12 39 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Dundee	12 53 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 00 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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EAST. No. 38 Pass	EAST. No. 91 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	WEST. No. 8 Pass	WEST. No. 94 Pass
A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
11 50	7 30	L....Allegan.....A	4 30	8 40
12 12	7 54	Monteith	3 56	8 15
1 14	8 34	Yorkville	2 59	7 35
1 50	9 02	Battle Creek	2 19	7 03
2 35	9 32	Marshall	1 37	6 35
3 10	9 58	Homer	12 58	6 10
3 31	10 25	Hanover	12 16	5 41
5 00	11 15	Addison Junc	11 15	5 00
4 12	10 25	Lv...Jackson...Ar	12 03	5 48
5 14	11 20	Devils Lake	11 00	4 55
5 25	11 32	Onsted	10 47	4 44
5 32	11 39	Sand Lake	10 40	4 37
5 39	11 46	Tipton	10 33	*4 31
5 52	12 01	Tecumseh	10 20	4 17
6 01	12 10	Ridgeway	10 11	*4 09
6 04	12 14	Britton	10 06	4 05
6 16	12 26	Rea	9 54	*3 54
6 25	12 35	Dundee	9 45	3 45
7 15	1 25	A.....Toledo....L	9 00	2 55
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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GRAPES IN SUMMER.

Hints for Those Who Have But a Few Vines to Care For.

Almost all the treatises on the practical cultivation of the grape are intended for large vineyards, where the grape is cultivated for market purposes alone. The amateur gardener who has but a few dozen grapevines to care for can get very little profit from these rules. For the benefit of the amateur we may say that the best time for pruning his grapes will be the spring and summer months. He should have a clear idea as to the number of branches, and which ones he needs to leave grow for fruiting the following season; and, soon after growth has commenced, the weaker shoots that he does not need for fruiting the following season should be taken out. All the vital power of the plants will then go into the branches that are left. They will be strong and healthy and bear fine grapes the following season. Another point to be attended to is that in the limited room of the amateur's garden it is desirable to keep the fruiting branches as low to the ground as possible, and every effort should be made to make them strong. In the summer pruning, or, rather, "pinching out," of these branches it will be found that the upper shoots are the strongest and the lower ones the weaker. If it is desirable to have the branches low toward the ground, the upper branches, although strong, should be pinched back. This will throw the strength of the plant into the weaker branches and make them as strong as if they pushed out from the upper portions of the plant. It is impossible to teach this in the few words of a paragraph. Much can be learned from actual trials, and if the amateur grower with little experience in grape-growing, and with this paragraph before him, will experiment with a single vine for one year, he will learn more from actual observation than he could by studying a whole book on grape culture for a week.—Meehan's Monthly.

GARDEN IMPLEMENT.

Scuffle Hoe That Will Destroy Hosts of Sprouting Weeds.

An improved scuffle hoe, like the one sketched, run between the garden rows, will destroy hosts of sprouting weeds, particularly if the sun is shining brightly at the time. It is easily made of a bit of old saw blade and two strips of half-round iron. Where the strips of iron curve under the frame to form the

"shoe," by which the blade may be raised or lowered, the iron should be made wider than elsewhere so that the shoes will not readily sink into the soil. Lowering or raising the handle will raise or lower the blade, which should have a sharp edge to slide easily under the surface of the ground. Many cultivators do not fully realize the immense advantage of keeping the ground in a loose condition. In this way numberless weeds are destroyed, and of more importance perhaps than all, the loose soil lets in the air and sunshine, which are of the highest importance in plant growth. In field crops recourse must be had to a horse cultivator, but in the case of a garden the scuffle hoe that is here figured will serve very effectively. —Orange Judd Farmer.

Yield of Cheese from Milk.

With ordinary milk the yield is about 2.5 pounds of cured cheese for each pound of butter fat in the milk. The per cent. of butter fat in different milks very nearly determines their relative values for cheese-making. Prof. Van Slyke, of New York, found by a series of careful experiments that with milk ranging from 3.4 per cent. to 4.4 per cent. the amount to each pound of butter fat was 2.72 pounds of green cheese or 2.5 pounds cured five weeks. It was found that 5 per cent. milk made but 2.4 pounds of cured cheese for each pound of butter fat, but the better quality of the cheese from the richer milk was thought to compensate for the slight difference in quality. It will be seen that 100 pounds of 4 per cent. milk made ten pounds of cheese and 100 pounds of 5 per cent. milk made 12 pounds of cheese.

To Prevent Potato Scab.

Take 2 ounces corrosive sublimate to each 15 gallons of water, using an earthen dish. Dissolve the poison in a small amount of water, using an earthenware dish. It will dissolve faster if powdered. Add this solution to the remainder of the water in a wooden cask or barrel. If only a few potatoes are treated, a glass or earthenwear vessel may be used, but a vessel of iron, tin or copper should never be taken. Let the potatoes remain in the solution 1½ hours. Take out the potatoes and put in another lot. The same solution may be used over and over. In replenishing use the original strength and do not pour in pure water. Cut the potatoes when convenient and plant as usual. Corrosive sublimate is a deadly poison and must be used with caution.—Farm and Home.

For Beans and Peas.

If the soil is rich in readily available nitrogen, the probability is that a crop of beans and peas would gather but little of that element from the air, but would use what was already at hand in the soil. If the soil is very poor in nitrogen it may be expected that these plants will gather their supply largely from other sources than the combined nitrogen of the soil. In general it would appear to be rational to apply no nitrogenous fertilizers to these crops, but to supply an abundance of both potash and phosphoric acid.—E. H. Jenkins, Connecticut Experiment Station.

THE TREES WE PLANT.

Grander Monuments Than Those Carved from Dead Granite.

If he be a "benefactor of his race who causes two blades of grass to grow where only one blade grew before," how much more must he benefit the world who plants that which shall continue to grow in beauty and in strength, and become of still greater benefit to the world as the years go on! There is something grand, and something sad, in the planting of a tree. It is grand because it is a benefit bestowed upon, and a labor performed for, those who shall come after us; it is sad because our own eyes shall not see the results of the work we do.

And who may know the unmeasured good the planting of a single tree may do? As time goes on, and the sun smiles upon it, and the clouds weep over it, and gentle winds caress it, it shall spread out its leafy hands toward heaven as in prayer, and be to every heart "a thing of beauty and a joy forever." The birds shall build their nests among its branches, and fill the palpitating air with melody; beneath its cooling shade, when summer suns shine warm, the laugh of children shall resound; the sturdy tread of manhood shall be heard and the tottering steps of the aged shall loiter there. Perhaps, upon the soft, green carpet beneath its shade fond lovers shall plight their troth; the happy birds shall laugh out beneath its trembling leaves, in very joy to be alive, and love. Perhaps, too, beneath its shade, grown wide and deep, there may be dug, some day, a grave, in which shall lie, in dreamless sleep, the beautiful and good. Then shall the tree ward winter's storms and summer's heat from off that grave, and bend as in "perpetual benediction, above the silent dead." And so, through the chills of many winters and the heats of many summers, the tree we plant to-day shall tremble in the wind and glisten in the sun; while generations come and pass on to return no more, it shall year by year renew its vigor, and live on.

Grander than any dead granite is the more lasting monument of a living tree: sweeter than any chiseled words is the rustling of its leaves; better than the lifeless formula: "Here lies the body" is the fact that somewhere there lives a tree that some hand, now perhaps, alas for it! only dust, planted long, long ago, that the living might rejoice in its beauty and worth.—Orange Judd Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Peach trees do better when well cultivated.

Generally there is no advantage in cultivating the orchard deep.

The gooseberry flourishes best in deep, moist, but not wet, soil.

When it can be avoided do not prune the grape vine after the sap starts.

Pears need a rich soil. Lack of fertility is often the principal cause of failure.

With care raspberries may be grown in the same soil for years and yet produce good crops.

On the production of an overcrop it costs the tree more to ripen seeds than to make the fruit.

By planting in long rows and cultivating with cultivator, strawberries can be grown as cheaply as potatoes.

Every time a tree is allowed to mature too much fruit it weakens its vitality so that it requires two or three years to recover.

Trimming makes the fruit of a much better quality, makes it keep longer and produces finer, more attractive and salable fruit.

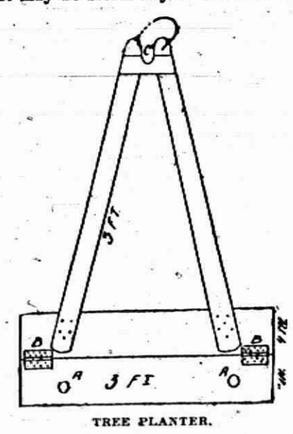
Grapes grown in a clayey soil are darker and more glossy than those grown on gravely land, but the sweetest grapes grow in a gravely soil.

Give trees plenty of room if you would have them thrifty and vigorous and bear large, well-matured fruit.—St. Louis Republic.

SIMPLE TREE PLANTER.

Used with Success in Setting Out Pear and Plum Trees.

I send a sketch of a device I use in planting trees on "North View farm." It may be useful to your readers. I invented it last fall and used it in setting out pear and plum trees:



TREE PLANTER.

A A are holes to stake planter down; B B, hinges; d, latch. Place C around stake and stake down at A A. Turn end (C) back over stakes (A A). Dig the hole, place the tree in hole, turn latch, as dotted line indicates; get tree straight and fill in dirt.—J. G. Congdon, in Ohio Farmer.

Trees for a Young Orchard.

The most important point to observe when setting out a young orchard is to secure strong and healthy trees. Many fruitgrowers import diseases on their farms at the time of purchasing their young fruit stock. Trees one year old will often thrive better than those that are older, and they are also more easily examined. Every tree should be carefully inspected from the tips to the roots and should be procured from nurserymen known to be reliable.

DANGEROUS BLUE HERON.

Hunters Have Been Hurt Trying to Capture a Wounded Bird.

"Some of these days," said the longshore hunter to a New York Sun man, "I expect to open my daily paper and see a headline something like this: 'Killed by a Blue Heron,' and I'll tell you why. The blue heron is a big, powerful bird, which has already disfigured the faces of several men. The men have wounded a bird, and then, thinking to capture it alive, they went up to it. Why, I'd as soon try to kiss a wounded grizzly. The birds grow as tall as six feet and have necks like a fish rod and just the kind of muscles to move it quickest with the most strength. They could drive their bill points through a quarter-inch panel.

"The hunter goes up to a bird and sees it lying there looking as innocent as a robin, with only a wing broken. 'What a fine pet it would make,' the fool hunter thinks. Then he picks the bird up and starts for home in a wagon or a boat, with the bird between his knees. The bird's neck is drawn back like a letter 'S.' All of a sudden the bill shoots up and gives the man a gash alongside the eye three inches long. That is what always has happened. The wounded bird has missed its aim, but some time, and you want to remember it, this feathered spearman will drive its bill into an enemy's eye, and, like a steel umbrella stick, the point of the bill will penetrate the man's brain. I guess the bird's aim has always been spoiled by the pain of its wounds, and so many a human life has been saved. I don't monkey with wounded bitterns, or cranes—well, scarcely."

INGENIOUS WOOD RATS.

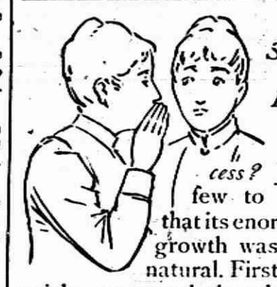
Built a House of Railroad Spikes and Lined It with Rags.

The wood rat of the western slopes of the Cascade range is a curious creature that loves to steal so well that it is known to many as the camp robber. It carries off anything it can lay its lips to, and is besides a jolly, reckless fellow. It does things which rodents are not given to doing.

Forest and Stream tells of some of its favorite spoils. It will take knives, forks and tin plates, cartridges, cups and anything it can handle in the line of clothing, towels or gun rags, which make soft linings for its nest. It is related how a pair of these rats staked off a claim on top of a hunter's camp stove, and put up the most curious rat house anybody had ever heard of. About 200 yards away was a railroad shanty, where the section men kept their supplies, and among other things was a keg of railroad spikes, such as are used to fasten the rails to the ties. The rats took some spikes to their claim, built up an iron wall, and lined the interior with soft stuff. It is a curious fact that all the points of the spikes were directed outward, and they were laid with great regularity and firmness.

The habits of the rat are a study for a naturalist, and it makes things so interesting for the natives that they kill it on sight.

According to the St. Louis City directory, just issued, the population of that city is 611,268.



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Hasen S. Pingree will deliver an address to the graduating class at Morenci.

A postoffice has been established at Clark's Lake with Jay D. Reed postmaster.

The Washtenaw pioneer society will hold its annual meeting at Chelsea June 10.

The canker worm is doing much damage to apple orchards in the vicinity of Deerfield.

The Adrian commandery will hold a week's encampment at Devil's Lake this summer.

Gov. Rich has issued a proclamation restricting the shipment of Texas cattle into Michigan.

John S. Hollister got into fresh trouble at Muskegon, and gets 90 days for assault and battery.

There is some hope for Hudson. A mammoth temperance meeting was held in that city Sunday night.

James Schermerhorn, formerly of Hudson, has left the Detroit News to become an editorial writer on the Free Press.

An item in the Elgin (Ill.) Daily News states that Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, will deliver the oration on decoration day at that city.

In the suit of Mrs. Rachel Emery against the Lake Shore a verdict of $300 was found for plaintiff. The road will take the case to Supreme court.

Tecumseh has a Beers Post—and other beer posts.—Monroe Democrat. Beer tanks seem to be the characteristic possessions of Monroe citizens.

The Adrian College team defeated a like nine from Hillsdale Saturday, by a score of 6 to 4. Lowe, of Britton, did good catching and some hard hitting for Adrian.

The Hudson Gazette of last week contains a fine portrait of the late Lewis Fernsdorf and a fine tribute to the memory of one of Lenawee's most sterling citizens.

An Eastern Star lodge has been organized at Hudson with forty-six charter members who will speedily train a nanny goat and make other preparations for a prosperous organization.

John G. Mason, one of Adrian's most respected and public spirited citizens, died there Tuesday morning. Mr. Mason was an ex-sheriff of this county and a very active man in public affairs.

The twenty-fourth annual reunion of the Old Fourth Michigan Infantry will be held in Hudson on Friday, June 19. This is the original "Fighting Fourth" and their reunions are very much enjoyed.

The murderer, Holmes, graduated in the medical department of the University in 1884. His name at that time was Herman Webster Mudgett. He is the first graduate of the institution to be executed.

The graduating class of the West Side Hudson schools will enjoy the presence of Will Carleton for the coming exercises. The favorite Michigan poet received his early education in Hudson and will be a welcome guest.

Quite a lively strike is on among the tailors at Adrian. They want extra pay for putting two or three flask pockets in the trousers of Adrian citizens, etc. Their grievances as set forth seem to be just and well founded.

Thomas Wilkinson, of Adrian, probably has the longest beard of any person in the United States and perhaps in the world. He had it measured one day last week and it is solemnly asserted that it was eighteen feet long. He says that it has grown two feet in the last two years. One foot a year. If we knew just when he stopped shaving it would be an easy matter to tell his age.

This wisdom bearing find was discovered in a drift of Philander Perkins' well stocked mine of geological and political knowledge: A nugget of pure copper was discovered on the farm of Jacob Snyder, of Oxford, last week. It is thought to have been dropped there by the melting drift of the glacial epoch. A nugget of pure brass has been discovered in Detroit "drifting about and bearing the hieroglyphics "H. S. P."

A little pleasantry in which this paper indulged last week is interpreted (purposely?) by the Telegram to mean that The Observer had a "spite against Adrian." Why, my dear sir, we're proud of Adrian. We think that she is the handsomest county seat in all this grand broad land of ours; and when it comes to nice looking ladies, gallant gentlemen, shrewd politicians, able lawyers and physicians, sharp tradesmen, bright newspaper people and ministers (these go well together) she's not at the tail-end of the procession—she's not. There, now! "Spite at Adrian?" Nonsense, Mr. Telegram.—Morenci Observer.

Mr. H. L. Patch was in Wauseon, last Saturday and drove out to see how the Lima Northern was progressing. He found the track laid to within six miles of Wauseon, and that they were laying a mile every day. North of Wauseon there are four gangs of men grading. They have the bed nearly ready for several miles.—Adrian Times.

Patents granted: A. O. Abbott, Hudson, voting machine; E. W. Cornell, Adrian, can case filling machine; S. Frank, Gobleville, sales and exhibiting rack; G. H. Gere, Grand Rapids, screw propeller; F. Holshauer, Detroit, spading machine; J. Scheidler, Coldwater, shill coupling; E. K. Warren, Three Oaks, corset stiffener and making same.

Addison Courier: Being desirous of taking a course in law, Prof. Mills has declined to accept the principalship of the public schools here for another year and will enter the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor next October for a three years' course of study. Unprecidented success has crowned the school work during the two years of his connection therewith, and all concerned join in wishing him success as a student and legal practitioner.

Monroe Democrat: Dr. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, was recently the recipient of a punch bowl from some anonymous "admirer." Not long ago he was presented with a pack of cards. It is a cheering outlook for the morals of a community, when sinners manifest their remorse by surrendering the instruments of their wickedness to the good man. If similar donations continue Rev. Ryan will soon be able to open a saloon, provided he can get the bondsmen.

The Monroe Democrat: Journalistic amenities have attained a high grade, north of us. The editor of the Pinckney Dispatch refers to the editor of the Observer as "the ass-tute editor, who contrived to condense more imbecility into a 14-line item than would suffice to equip a first class insane asylum." When the Fowlerville man read that he shut himself in his room with a dozen graphite lead pencils and a slang dictionary and has not come out yet, but smoke is filtering through the keyhole.

H. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, W. C. Street, of this city, and A. H. Boies, of Hudson, constitute the soldiers' and sailor's relief commission for Lenawee county. They met today, Mr. Boies being unable to attend. The duty of this commission is to apportion the special fund, to the relief of the disabled soldiers, sailors and their widows and orphans. Heretofore this has been attended to by the township, but it is now a county matter, one-tenth of one mill of all the taxes collected being set aside for a fund for the relief of the veterans.—Telegram.

Adrian Times: A Grand Rapids special says while John Hollister, his latest wife, and his wife's father were in that city, Hollister was taken into the office of Capt. Johnson, where he made a complete confession of his wrong doings. He wept like a child during the narration, and said drink drove him to the bad. Dispatches from Muskegon also indicate that the authorities there are in a quandary what to do with Hollister. The statute covering the little boy's case was declared unconstitutional last December, and his alleged conduct with the little girl had not gone far enough to be called criminal assault.

A Lansing dispatch says: The fight over the family mileage book question which has been waged in the circuit court at Adrian between Henry C. Smith and the Lake Shore R'y company will be transferred to the supreme court, a writ of certiorari having been asked for by the company Monday. In the lower court Smith succeeded in procuring a mandamus to compel the railroad company to sell him a ticket good for himself and wife for a term of two years, in accordance with the law of 1894. The company claims that the law cannot apply to special chartered roads like its own.

Blissfield Advance: The Adrian Press takes exceptions to the importation from Syria, by the Blissfield state bank, of two Mahuds. How little our neighbor appreciates the enterprise of Blissfield institutions. It is safe to say no other banking institution in the country has imported Syrian Mahuds for the pleasure and edification of its customers. The throngs who have visited the bank every day to view the floral curiosities, and incidentally to transact a little business, testify the appreciation the public has for the efforts of its officers to please. The ability of the bank to lead the procession either with Mahuds or business is unquestioned, and it is rather unkind of Brother Stearns to inject politics into the question.

Sunday Service via C., J. & M. R'y.

On Sunday, May 24, Sunday train service on the C., J. & M. R'y will be inaugurated between Toledo and Sand Lake, Devils Lake, Clarks Lake, Jackson, and intermediate points. Special low excursion rates to the lake resorts and one fare for the round trip between all stations. For time of trains, rates, etc., call on C., J. & M. agents.

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A flying Chicago Trolley car jumped the track and injured Nicholas H. Meyer, Mrs. Bessie Boettiger, Benjamin Wegforth, and Emma Moses.

Divers will attempt to raise the copperladen steamer Pewabic, which was sunk thirty years ago in Thunder Bay, Lake Huron, in 180 feet of water.

TWO YOUNG TRAVELERS.

Boy and Girl Cross the Ocean Together on the Rhyaland.

Among the passengers on board the steamer Rhyaland recently were two little children, a boy and a girl, who were traveling alone to different points in Ohio, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The boy was George Gough, nine years old, a bright, sturdy, little fellow, who, owing to the serious illness of his mother had been sent from Harrington, England, to be cared for by his "Uncle Jack" at Hammondville, Jefferson county, O., until the mother again leaves the hospital. The boy was well clothed and very sedate. He was the proud possessor of $2.50 pocket money and appeared to feel rich.

The girl, in marked contrast to the boy, was as wild as she is pretty, a curly, fair-haired eight-year-old, Mabel Blaney, of Walsell, England, who was going to join her mother at 272 West Sixth street, Cincinnati. Both children had become great friends while crossing and were familiar with almost all the passengers. The boy took his place by Chief Inspector Hughes' desk, and as the immigrants filed in front he would correctly give the name of almost every one. Each and everyone of the passengers had a kindly farewell for the little lad.

On the pier the children feasted on such delicacies as were to be purchased at the lunch counter and drank copious draughts of soda water with evident relish. They rushed hither and thither, the girl always in the lead, and varied their delight by occasional quarrels.

As soon as the majority of passengers had left the pier the two children were provided with railroad tickets, provisions for the journey, and, after being duly tagged with the full directions as to destination, they were turned over to the railroad company's representative, their friends being duly notified by telegraph of their coming.

THE INTERESTING BEETLE.

One Kind Carries a Cannon Loaded with a Fluid—The Dytiscus.

Of all the insects the beetles are the most interesting. There is one that carries a cannon, which a naval man would call a stern chaser, and is loaded with a fluid. When pursued the beetle fires it, and the other insect, usually a carniverous beetle, is blinded by the discharge of fine, acid spray. Hence its name of bombardier. The latest thing that has been learned about beetles is that Dytiscus marginalis cuts its way through the shells of snails and mollusks and eats the inhabitants.

W. B. Tegetmeier writes to the London Field and tells about the curiosity of naturalists at finding shells manifestly gnawed by some insect or other, and the final discovery of Dytiscus marginalis at work on the shell. Then he tells some things about the Dytiscus family. Says he:

"I know of no more interesting animal in an aquarium than a Dytiscus, who soon acquires the habit of following the fingers for food, and amuses himself at night, if the aquarium is open, by flying round and round the room, and occasionally misses the way, and being unable to return is found on the floor in the morning. There is one drawback to the habits of this creature. He is a bloodthirsty tyrant of the aquarium, requiring the whole place to himself, for if kept with tadpoles, frogs, fish, or any other animals he quickly destroys them, even if many score times his own size."

What hawks are to the other birds, cats are to other mammals, sharks are to other fish, the Dytiscus is to other insects.

BIRDS SHOW AFFECTION.

Largest and Strongest of the Flock Help the Little Ones.

Numerous incidents have been recited showing how the larger and stronger animals have assisted and protected smaller and weaker ones, says the New York World.

Among the birds, however, there is a practice which is just as interesting as any of the acts of consideration performed by animals. A striking instance of that is shown on the continent of Europe.

For smaller birds to attempt to fly across the broad Mediterranean would, because of the inadaptability of their wings and powers of endurance, be impossible. To reach a warmer climate through Asia Minor, Syria and Palestine would be quite as certain to result in their death.

Through the kindliness of the crane, however, the small birds are enabled to reach the warmer climate with little effort.

When the crane is about to migrate it flies in wide circles close to the ground, uttering a loud and peculiar cry, as of alarm, and can be heard at a great distance. The small birds recognize it as a call for them, and they immediately fly to the crane and take up a position on the crane's back. When he has all the passengers he can carry comfortably the crane starts on his long journey. Arrived in the warm south lands, the small birds fly from the back of their friend and are safe for the winter.

Where the Timber Goes.

One of perhaps many little considered ways in which the forests of the country are being eaten up is in supplying timber for railway timber work. There are 2,000 miles of trestle structure in the United States, according to an estimate by the Forestry Division. This trestle work has to be replaced entirely every nine years, on an average, and every year timber amounting to 260,000,000 feet, board measure, is used for this purpose. Nearly all the timber is cut from the largest and finest trees. The annual expenditure on this work is estimated at about $7,000,000.

Used to Be an Oath.

"By the holy poker" is a popular abbreviation of an oath common during the crusades. "By the holy sepulcher" was in the mouths of Englishmen during the two centuries that the crusades went on.

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Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

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On Sunday, May 24, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo, account opening Lake Erie Park and Casino with its special attractions, and base ball game, Toledo vs. Saginaw. Train leaves Tecumseh at 9:51, a. m. Tickets good returning on special train Sunday, May 24, and on regular trains Monday, May 25. Don't miss it. See large hand bills.

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF REVIEW.

TO ALL PERSONS LIABLE TO ASSESSMENT FOR TAXES IN THE VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH, COUNTY OF LENAWEE, STATE OF MICHIGAN, FOR THE YEAR 1896:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said Village of Tecumseh, for the year 1896 has been completed, and that the Board of Review of said village will be in session at the council ubilding in said village, on Tuesday, May 26, and Wednesday, May 27, 1896 from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 1 o'clock to 4 o'clock p. m., of each of the said days, at which time and place the aforesaid assessment roll will be subject to review and correction, and all persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by any valuation of property as now set forth in said assessment roll, or who may have knowledge of any errors contained in said roll or omissions from the same, or who may have reasons to suppose that such errors exist, will then and there be heard by said Board of Review and all errors found to exist in said assessment roll will be duly corrected, and all property subject to taxation within said village found to have been omitted from said assessment roll will be placed thereon by the said Board of Review. And such assessment roll, as corrected and approved by said Board of Review and finally approved by the common council of said village shall be the assessment roll of said village for the year 1896.

Given under my hand at the village of Tecumseh aforesaid, the 14th day of May, 1896.

JEBIEL DAVIDSON,
Assessor of the Village of Tecumseh, Mich.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	12	14
Eggs, per doz	7	9
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	20	25
Beans, per bushel	1 10	1 50
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		15
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 18
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 7½	18
Turkeys	10	12
Hides, green		4½
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		65
Corn, shelled	30 to	32
Corn in ear	18 to	22
Oats	20 to	25
Hay, timothy, per ton	12 00 to	14 00
Hay, clover, per ton	12	00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
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IN CONGRESS.

Summary of the Daily Proceedings at Washington.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills and Resolutions Passed.

Washington, May 21. — The senate yesterday passed the fortifications appropriation bill and defeated a proposition by Senator Gorman for the issue of $100,000,000 of three per cent. treasury certificates to meet prospective deficiencies.

Washington, May 22.—After agreeing to several conference reports in the senate yesterday Senator Butler's bill prohibiting the issuing of government bonds without the consent of congress was brought up and caused a lively discussion, but no action was taken.

Washington, May 23.—The time in the senate yesterday was occupied in discussing Senator Butler's bill prohibiting the issue of United States bonds without the consent of congress.

Washington, May 25.—The time in the senate on Saturday was consumed by the "filled cheese" bill and the second installment of the speech of Senator Allen (pop., Neb.) on the Butler bill to prevent the issue of bonds without the authority of congress. On the ground that the filled cheese bill was a revenue measure, several amendments to raise the revenue were offered, but all failed. The calendar was cleared of all the private pension bills.

Washington, May 26.—The general deficiency appropriation bill, the last of the supply bills, was before the senate yesterday and passed just before adjournment.

Washington, May 27.—Tariff and finance each came in for a share of consideration in the senate yesterday. While discussing the filled cheese bill Senator Dubois (Idaho) offered an amendment adding 75 cents per barrel to the tax on beer, but the bill and pending beer amendment were displaced by the bond bill, which was considered.

Washington, May 27.—The bill for the repeal of section 61 of the present tariff law providing for a rebate on alcohol used in the arts or medicinal compounds was passed in the house yesterday by a vote of 165 to 69.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, May 21.—In the house yesterday the immigration bill was passed. It adds to the classes of aliens excluded from admission to the United States all persons between the ages of 16 and 60 years of age, except parents of persons living in this country, who cannot both read and write English or some other language.

Washington, May 22.—By a vote of 196 to 47 the house yesterday passed over the president's veto the bill granting a pension of $50 a month to Francis E. Hoover.

Washington, May 23.—In the house yesterday the conference report on the river and harbor bill was agreed to and 15 pension bills were passed. A bill establishing a life-saving station at Charlevoix, Mich., was favorably reported.

Washington, May 25.—In the house on Saturday the conference reports on the river and harbor bill, and the executive, legislative and judicial bill were also adopted. Mr. Howard (pop., Ala.) failed in an attempt to secure consideration of a resolution to impeach President Cleveland on eight counts. The bill granting statehood to Oklahoma was favorably reported.

Washington, May 26.—The house spent the time yesterday in committee of the whole on the free alcohol repeal bill. There was general debate, but no action.

Lives Lost in a Collision.

Two Harbors, Minn., May 25.—George Weaver, engineer, and Wallace Moulton, foreman of a worktrain on the Duluth & Iron Range railroad, were instantly killed in a head-end collision with an extra ore train Saturday night. Brakeman McKenna were seriously injured, and a number of workmen employed on the road were badly shaken up. Both engines and 15 cars were demolished.

Consecrated Bishops

Cleveland, O., May 27.—Charles Cardwell McCabe, Earl Cranston and Joseph Crane Hartzell were consecrated as bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, at Central Armory Tuesday morning. There was an immense congregation present, nearly every seat in the big auditorium being filled. The consecration was most impressive.

Seventeen-Year Locusts.

Lincoln, Neb., May 27.—According to reports from Cass county, on the Missouri river, that the 17-year locust has made its appearance there. Farmers declare the pest to be present in almost countless numbers, but no damage to vegetation has thus far been done.

Humane Bequest of $100,000.

Philadelphia, May 25.—The will of Edward H. Kennedy was admitted to probate. He bequeathed his entire fortune of $100,000 in trust for the benefit of the woman's branch of the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Philadelphia, May 25.—A rowboat containing six men capsized in the Delaware river Saturday evening and John Fox, John Goldman and Theodore Clinkett were drowned.

twoen Thomas and Dryden in Lapeer county, and the other following a southeasterly direction to North Oxford.

After leaving North Oxford, the path of the southeast cyclone is marked at intervals until Mount Clemens is reached, where great damage was done and many persons injured.

The next heard from this storm is near Walkerville, Ont., 20 miles due south of Mount Clemens. The cyclone evidently expended its force after striking Canada, as no other reports of damage have been received.

After passing Dryden and Whigville, in Lapeer county, the next heard from the other storm was in Sanilac county, 30 miles away, at the village of Amadore, which was nearly swept away. The funnel-shaped cloud struck a mile west of the village and in a path half a mile wide and 6½ miles long, to the shore of Lake Huron, every building was more or less damaged.

Tuscola was also visited by a windstorm of cyclonic violence. Nearly every building in the path of the storm, which started near Gilford and traveled directly east for six miles, was destroyed. Joseph Malburg was hit by a flying board and instantly killed.

FARMERS SUFFER.

Wheat Crop in Many Parts of the State a Total Loss.

Lansing, May 25.—The secretary of state has received from his regular crop correspondents nearly 400 special reports respecting damage to the wheat crop. These reports cover all parts of the lower peninsula. Nearly 300 are from the southern counties. It is evidently clear that in this section the crop is being very generally and seriously damaged. It is estimated the damage will now reach 20 per cent. The estimate for the central counties is six per cent. and for the northern counties three per cent. The damage, however, is not wholly chargeable to the Hessian fly. The wheat probably rusted, which explains the discoloration so generally reported. The heavy wind of Sunday, the 17th, broke the wheat down badly, but the insect cannot always be found in the break. In a number of counties some fields have been plowed up, and in others cut for fodder.

Owosso, May 24.—The reports from elsewhere in the state relating to the damage done wheat by the Hessian fly have caused the Shiawassee county farmers to investigate, and they find that all wheat throughout this county is seriously damaged by the insect. The crop never looked more promising at this time of year until a few days ago, and now wheat that gave promise of a 30 bushels to the acre yield will not produce one. The loss will be a heavy one to the farmers, since the acreage was never larger, and the slight advance in the price of wheat last month took all of last year's crop out of the county.

SHOWS A PROFIT.

State Gains $73,754 in Revenue from the Uniform Tax Law.

Lansing, May 23.—The operation of the uniform tax for liquor sellers passed by the legislature in 1895, has been satisfactory. As compared with the previous year, it shows a falling off in dealers in malt liquors of 1,404 and an increase in dealers in spirituous liquors of 917, and a net decrease in both of 487. The decrease in amount received for tax on malt liquors is $402,407, while the increase for tax upon spirituous liquors is $476,161, showing an increased revenue from the business of $73,754. The previous tax was $300 upon malt dealers and $500 upon spirituous dealers. It is now uniform.

Mines Start Up.

Negaunee, May 23.—The Prince of Wales mine, which has been idle since the panic of 1893, was first started up this week with a full force of miners, and will be regularly worked from now on.

Ishpeming, May 23.—The Foster mine will resume work in a short time with a full force. The Sawmill mine of the Cleveland Cliffs company, which has been idle two months because of flooding, has been pumped out and mining has been resumed.

L'Anse May Not Rebuild.

Marquette, May 24.—There is little probability that the village of L'Anse will recover from the effects of the fire which two weeks ago wiped out half the town. Many business men who sustained loss will not rebuild, but the most discouraging fact of all is the reported intention of J. B. Smith to remove to Detroit. Smith's large sawmill and general store were the main enterprise and dependence of the village, and the decision not to rebuild leaves little for the future of L'Anse.

Mint Crop Being Ruined.

Niles, May 25.—Owners of peppermint farms in southwestern Michigan are much alarmed over the ravages of cut worms and grasshoppers in the mint. The leaves are being eaten off, leaving the stem bare. Poison is being used to exterminate the pests, with no effect on the worms, and the grasshoppers are so thick that little progress can be made. Grave fears are felt that this new and thriving industry may be entirely ruined.

Free Silver Convention.

Lansing, May 23.—Many responses are being received to letters sent out last week relative to the advisability of holding a mass free silver convention here July 16. As a rule the responses favor the project. It is noticeable that the petitions for the convention are being signed by republicans much more freely than by democrats. The latter are inclined to wait until after the Chicago convention, as they hope that silver will win out at that gathering.

Fatal Accident in a Mine.

Bessemer, May 25.—Andrew Smith was killed by a fall of ground in the Palms mine here.

TOWNS TORN UP.

A Cyclone Practically Destroys Oakwood and Thomas.

It Kills a Great Many Persons—A List of Forty-One Deaths Published—The Loss of Property Is Enormous

Detroit, Mich., May 27.—The cyclone which devastated the northern portion of Oakland county Monday evening swept a path half a mile wide and 16 miles long from west to east, clearing the earth of nearly everything movable. Forty-one persons were killed outright and 72 were injured, some of whom will die. The list of killed and injured at the various points, so far as known, is as follows:

Near Ortonville.

DEAD — Mrs. William Mitchell, Claude Mitchell, her son; J. Mitchell, a baby son; Abram Quick, Glen Quick, six-year-old son; Myrtle Quick, four-year-old daughter; Ross Quick, a baby son; Mrs. Henry Quick, mother of Abram Quick; Prescott Wilkins, John Porritt, Mrs. Joseph Porritt, his daughter-in-law; Mrs. Lewis Porritt, a daughter-in-law; Mrs. William Kitchen, Abram Kitchen and John Milkie, Jr. Total, 15.

INJURED — Mrs. Joshua Johnson, leg broken; Baby Johnson, not seriously hurt; William Mitchell, fatally; Don Mitchell, his son, will recover; Mrs. Abram Quick, will recover; Joseph Porritt, fatally; William Kitchen, seriously; John Milkie, seriously; Henry Flamboy, wife and two children, not seriously; Benjamin Westby, wife and two children, not seriously; Mrs. John Frost, seriously; Oscar Granger, fatally, and Mrs. John Whipple, seriously. Total, 19.

Oakwood and Vicinity.

DEAD—Mrs. Clark Eaton, Ed Fifield, Mrs. N. R. Wolverton, Mrs. Ed Howe, Miss Mina Howe, Orrin Howe, a two-year-old baby; Mrs. Wells, Eugenia Fifield, Mrs. Jessie May Fifield, Libbie Davidson, Mrs. Stewart and Baby Davis. Total, 11.

INJURED—Harvey Francis, Mrs. Ed Fifield, Nelson Chapman, Mrs. Kate Davidson and her two sons (these may die); George Fifield, leg broken and knee cap torn off; Will Carr, arm broken and back wrenched; James Brush, arm broken; Mrs. Anna Tinsey, of Pontiac, several ribs broken; Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Smith and two children; Mrs. Green, John Clark, John Kent, Mrs. Francis and two children. Total, 18.

At Thomas.

DEAD—Mrs. Van Wagoner, Charles Hicks, Rev. C. M. Fretchyplace, Andrew Pattibone and M. Bremeyer. Total, 5.

INJURED—Mrs. R. Copeman, internally and seriously; Amy Kidder, crushed by timbers, probably fatally; Mrs. A. M. Kidder, badly bruised by debris; George Hibler, both legs and one arm broken; Joe ——, a farm hand employed by Dr. Sutter, head bruised; T. B. Knapp, slightly injured by falling glass and plaster; William Althause, internal injuries; Charles Bradley, arm crushed; Abram Reed, arm broken; Leroy Hicks, skull crushed. Total, 10.

North Oxford.

DEAD—Claire E. Laidlaw, three weeks' old baby; Mrs. Oscar Slade, 35 years old; Sol Rame, Tom Bishop, Joseph Smedley, Sr.; Joseph Smedley, Jr.; Mrs. Thomas Bennett, at Dryden, and one unknown man and woman at Whigville. Total, 9.

INJURED—Neil Mathewson, Oscar Slade, leg broken; George Besse, head hurt; Will Allen, cut on head; Mrs. Will E. Allen, bruised; Mrs. A. Pettibone, severe cuts; Thomas Bennett, three ribs broken, recovery doubtful; Mrs. Joseph Smedley, Sr., probably fatally; Mrs. Joseph Smedley, Jr., slightly injured; John Peters, slightly. Total, 10.

In Tuscola County.

DEAD—Joseph Malburg.

INJURED—August, Julius, Fred and Edward Haske; Mrs. Julius Haske and Mrs. Urbane. Total, 6.

Injured at Mount Clemens.

No lives were lost, but the following 12 were injured at Mount Clemens.

Mrs. Anna Pohl, widow, back broken, injured internally, breast crushed in, will not live; Henry Pohl, aged 14, hip broken, injured internally; Adolph Pohl, aged 13, right leg broken, bruised about shoulders and body; Willie Pohl, aged 10, injured internally, right leg broken, left shoulder dislocated, recovery doubtful; Mrs. Joseph Harder, injured internally, cut about head and arms; Russell Carter, head and face cut; Mrs. Russell Carter, injured internally, breast and shoulders bruised, recovery doubtful; Baby Carter, head badly cut; Gustave Cutche, cut on head and right arm broken; Mrs. William Ormsby, left arm broken and badly cut on face; Miss Anna Belle Teabo, left arm broken, right arm injured, skull fractured.

Work of the Storm Near Ortonville.

The cyclone first struck earth six miles west of Ortonville, and passed half a mile north of that village. In these six miles of devastated country before Ortonville was reached, 15 persons were killed and about 20 injured; some fatally. The first house to feel the effects of the storm was that of Joshua Johnson. The storm had not obtained all of its fury and the building was only partially demolished. Mr. Johnson escaping injury and his wife and baby being only slightly injured.

A mile further east stood the home and barns of William Mitchell. Not a trace of them is left but the foundation walls. Mrs. Mitchell, her son Claude and baby, Jay Mitchell, nine months old, were instantly killed. The father was seriously bruised and internally injured and will probably die. A big sliver was driven into the center of his forehead. All of his stock was killed. Don, another son, is seriously hurt.

There is nothing but foundations to show where the home of Abram Quick, who lived across the way, stood. Six occupants of the house were killed and one was seriously injured. Prescott Wilkins, one of those killed in the Quick home had reached there on a visit but an hour before the cyclone tore its way through. The home of Henry Flamboy was next destroyed and himself, his wife and two children seriously injured. A mile east of Flamboy's the cyclone demolished the house of John Porritt. The death list in this home reaches four. The wind cloud passed on and next wrecked the home of Benjamin Westby. Mr. Westby, his wife and two children were buried in the ruins but all were gotten out with severe injuries. John Frost was the next victim of the storm. His house was completely wrecked and his wife seriously hurt. The home of John Milkie, on a line with Ortonville was unharmed, but his barns were wiped out. Mr. Milkie and his son John, aged 18, were in a barn when it was demolished. The son was instantly killed and the father is in a critical condition.

Storm Separates.

The three mile stretch from Oakwood to Thomas is a scene of heartrending desolation and wreckage. Everything in the path of the cyclone was leveled. In and around Thomas the death list is large and many are injured.

After completing its work of destruction at Thomas, the cyclone evidently separated, one section going northeast and doing an immense amount of damage be-

Clinton Column.

A New Building—A Jewelry Store —Change in Business.

W. C. Burridge was in town Tuesday.

Chas. Parker was in town over Sunday.

H. D. Cutting called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Matie Welch went to Tecumseh Monday.

Claude Hause visited Jackson friends over Sunday.

Miss Anna Maischauser has gone to Marine City.

Mrs. Geo. Miller, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife drove to Britton Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker leaves for Chicago Saturday.

Mrs. C. F. Field and Lizzie were in town Saturday.

Woodward & VanTuyle are buying wool this week.

Mrs. E. G. Cook, of, Tecumseh, was in town Saturday.

Geo. A. Kies started Monday for Indianapolis, Ind.

The grand opening of Wampler's lake occurs June 5th.

Mrs. J. D. Shull was the guest of Mrs. E. S. Tate Monday.

Earl Conklin was home from Chelsea the first of the week.

Geo. A. Kies returned last Friday from his eastern trip.

Ed. VanDeMark marketed his first strawberries Tuesday.

Miss Matie Goodrich returned to her home in Charlotte last week.

Will Woodward returned home from Danville, Ill., Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardeman became the parents of a little girl Tuesday.

Miss Polly Erlenbush went to Ann Arbor Monday to visit her sister.

Thos. Ferrel and daughter Marion, of Manchester, were in town Monday.

Mrs. Frank L. Woodward and daughter, of Hudson, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. N. H. Wells, of Manchester, was in town Thursday of last week.

Jas. Bostedor went to Eaton Rapids last Saturday, to visit his son, Fred.

Miss Alice Halladay was visiting Tecumseh friends the last of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallinger, of Tecumseh, visited friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Woodward came over from Hudson last Friday for a few day's visit.

W. S. Kimball returned Friday from his trip in the northern part of the state.

Miss Ida Hunt, of Tecumseh, attended service at St. John's church last Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Parker, of Hillsdale, has been visiting friends in town for the past week.

Misses Edith VanGieson and Angie Dewey went to Onondaga, Tuesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Dr. Lynch and Miss Matie Shore, of Manchester, were calling on friends in town last Saturday.

Rev. A. J. Hutchins will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at the Congregational church, June 7.

Miss Carrie Alvord was sick last Friday with tonsilitis and her sister, Rose, taught school for her.

Mrs. Mary Pomeroy, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting her old friends in town for the past week.

Little Eva Wadsworth, of Hudson, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Prentiss, over Sunday.

Mesdames E. VanDeMark, Kate Strait and E. Wilmer Shoemaker visited friends in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Capt. C. Rowell and bride, of Cleveland, O., have been guests at J. R. Blanchard's since last Friday.

Quite a number from Manchester and Cambridge attended first communion at St. Dominic's church Sunday.

George Freese and W. D. VanTuyle went to Detroit Thursday of last week on their wheels, returning Friday.

Mrs. E. M. Coseklyn and Mrs. E. E. Root, of Manchester, were guests of Mrs. Hattie Johnson last Saturday.

Clarence Grinnell came over from Detroit on his wheel Saturday forenoon, and visited at Thos. VanGieson's until Monday.

Catherine Clark entertained a number of her little friends last Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her sixth birthday.

Mr. Steadman, of Massachusetts, has bought out the bakery business of Frank McClure and took possession this week.

Miss Margaret Biggins, of New York City, and Miss Katherine, of Toledo, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Biggins.

Mrs. R. J. Younge, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Lindsley, returned to her home in Grand Rapids Monday.

Ernest Rhodes, of Saline, who runs as postal clerk between Cleveland and Chicago, called on his cousin, H. D. Niblack, Tuesday.

Atty. Sumner Collins, of Tecumseh, Tuesday, appeared against G. P. Gillespie in a suit in which H. Lancaster and G. D. Ellis were interested.

Mrs. Belle Bradner and little Ray, who have made their home at James Bradner's for more than a year, returned to their home in Texas last Tuesday. They were accompanied by Miss Rachel Smith, who expects to spend several months with relatives in that section.

A good ball game will be played here Decoration day between the first nines of Clinton and Tecumseh. The latter team will be strengthened by Lee, Lowe and Biggs and a close contest may be looked for.

H. G. Shekell, of Battle Creek, was in our village Monday, and made arrangements with Bainbridge & VanTuyle to occupy a new building which they will erect between the one now occupied by Sherwood & Foster and the barber shop. E. G. Semark will do the work, and commences this week.

One of the most notable cycling events of the season will be the Journal-Examiner Yellow-Fellow transcontinental relay, which will be run in July between San Francisco and New York. The relay will carry dispatches for the United States Army as a test of speed. The celebrated Stearns wheel will be used in this trip. For particulars enquire of The Freese-Whittlesey Co., who handle the Stearns.

CONE.

Aid Society Largely Attended—Y. P. S. C. E. Ice Cream Social.

Elbert Smith is repairing his house.

Jessie Osborne is quite sick this week.

E. Allhouse has purchased a new bicycle.

Mrs. Wright, of Tecumseh, visited friends here last week.

Miss Bertha Cone, of Milan, visited over Sunday at Walter Cone's.

The aid society last Wednesday was largely attended. Receipts $4.70.

Walter Caswell is learning the barber trade of Mr. French in Dundee.

Will and Della Craig went to Toledo on an excursion Sunday, returning Monday.

Henry Tee moved his family to Toledo, Saturday, where he has work for the summer.

Chas. Derling and wife, of Napoleon, visited their cousins, Frank Buck and Mrs. Will Ellis, last week.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will give an ice cream social in the church yard next Tuesday evening, June 2. A cordial invitation extended to all.

The Coming of Baby.

When a baby comes to the house real happiness comes. The care and anxiety count for nothing against the clinging touch of the little hands and the sound of the little voice. The highest function given to human beings is bringing healthy, happy children into the world. Over thirty years ago the needs of women appealed to Dr. Pierce, now chief consulting physician to the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y. The result of his study improved by thirty years of practice is embodied in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It strengthens, purifies and makes healthy the organs distinctly feminine. It gives weak women the strength and health necessary for the production of healthy children and it makes the bearing of those children easy. It is sure to cure any weakness or derangement peculiar to women; stops pain, soothes inflammation, strengthens, purifies, invigorates. 1w

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best. May

An attempt was made at Pawtucket, R. I., to wreck the Shore line train from New York to Boston by piling obstructions on the track.

A bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup in the house saves doctor's bills, saves trouble, and very often saves precious lives. Gives almost instant relief in cases of coughs, colds, or lung troubles of any sort. 2w

Rev. C. O. Brown, of the first Congregational church, San Francisco, Cal., has resigned as the outcome of the recent scandal.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing. 2w

After the Grip, What?

Few diseases are marked by such tedious and unsatisfactory convalesence as is the one known as epidemic influenza, in spite of the ordinary modes of treatment. The patient is left in a condition of general debility. He is troubled with catarrh, headache, and with slight exposure he is subjected to a relapse. To prevent this and to cure the catarrh use Century Catarrh Cure. Instant relief. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. May

Four thousand miners have quit work in the coal belt of Indiana, and the strike against a reduction in wages is extending.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). It is delicious. Full qt. 10c. apr

The anchor line steamer Belgravia landed 1,548 Italian immigrants at Ellis Island, New York Harbor a few days ago.

LAKE RIDGE.

Miss Harring Improving—Sabbath School Institute.

Lew Skinner spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

Alex. Easlick visited his brother Sunday.

Joseph Osborne attended C. Mead's funeral Friday.

Ed Mills was a welcome visitor in the school Sabbath.

Miss Maggie Moore is teaching school in the Harrington district.

Little Hazel Harrington spent several days last week with her grandmother.

Cyrus Mead, an old resident of Macon, died at his home in Ypsilanti Wednesday.

Ben Johnson, of South Macon will be a graduate of the Ridgeway school in June.

Frank Davenport, who has been indisposed for the past six months, is better.

Sammie Orr and Hugh Craig went to Ann Arbor Saturday on their wheels, returning Monday.

Elan Gauntlett, of Milan, was through here Friday distributing bills for their sale of dry goods, boots and shoes.

An invitation is extended to the Ridge people to attend Decoration day exercises at Macon Saturday at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Wesley Pennington, who has been in poor health for some time, was able to attend the tea meeting last Saturday.

There is talk of a Sabbath school institute in the near future. Let our school be alive to the work as these institutes are a great help to teachers and officers.

Jennie Harring, who was taken to Ann Arbor a few weeks ago for treatment, is comfortable and the family are encouraged as to her recovery. Her sister, who went with her, has returned home.

The monthly tea meeting of the W. C. T. U., of Macon, was held at the home of Mrs. C. Hendershot Saturday afternoon. A good attendance was present, two new members added and other busines transacted. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Burleson's. All are cordially invited.

Are You One

Of those unhappy people who are suffering with weak nerves, starting at every slight sound, unable to endure any unusual disturbance, finding it impossible to sleep? Avoid opiate and nerve compounds. Feed the nerves upon blood made pure and nourishing by the great blood purifier and true nerve tonic, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The South Dakota cyclone of Tuesday night devastated a tract one mile wide and injured fifteen persons.

If you eat what you like, and digest it, you will surely be strong and healthy. But if you don't digest it, you might almost as well not eat, for what good can your food do you if it doesn't nourish you? If you find that you can't digest it, there is a simple help for your stomach. It is Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon. It has never failed to cure the worst case of indigestion. Strength and health come from the food you eat, after it has been digested and has gone into your blood. The best tonic is digested food. The best aid to digestion Shaker Digestive Cordial. When you have acid eructations, nausea, headache wind, dizziness, offensive breath, or any other symptoms of dyspepsia, Shaker Digestive Cordial will cure you. At druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents. 1w

Have you earache, toothache, sore throat, pains or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will bring relief almost instantly. 1w

Spring moving is at its height in Chicago, Ill., and rents have decreased from 10 to 20 per cent.

Food when it sours on the stomach, becomes innutritive and unwholesome. It poisons the blood, and both mind and body suffer in consequence. What is needed to restore digestion is a dose or two of Ayer's Pills They never fail to relieve. 1w

If You Will Use a Little Reasoning

and not be influenced by the claim that catarrh is a blood disease, you can easily prove that catarrh is climatic. Have you not the severest catarrhal attacks during the winter and spring, and have you but little evidence of catarrh during the summer? Yes. Well, this proves it is a climatic disorder, inflaming the membrane of the nasal passages. It is a waste of time and money to invest in blood remedies. The proper treatment is a local application, and the most prompt to cure is that popular remedy, Ely's Cream Balm. 5

An electric vulcanizer for the repairing of pneumatic tires is one of the latest inventions.

Search For Health.

By using Calumet Baking Powder you will accomplish this object. If you use the high priced powders you endanger the health of your family as more than 80 per cent of the quantity used remains in the food as Rochelle Salts. This drug in food is dangerous. 1w

Four carloads of Chinese laborers are on their way from the Pacific coast to be shipped to Havana under contracts.

It is a great mistake to suppose that a simple tonic gives strength; it only stimulates the stomach to renewed action. To impart real strength, the blood must be purified enriched, and can only be done by such a standard alterative as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. 1w

Miss Mary E. Wiggins, the ...oress, is seriously ill at Old Point Comfort, Va.

TAKE THE CROWN.

Emperor and Empress of Russia Formally Enthroned.

Amid Booming of Cannon and Pealing of Bells the Czar and His Consort Are Proclaimed Rulers—The Ceremony.

Moscow, May 27.—The great event, for which untold preparations had been made and an immense amount of money expended, is over. The supreme function was accomplished without a hitch. The weather was perfect and everything leads the people to look forward with hope to the reign of Czar Nicholas II. The proclamation issued by the czar on the occasion of his coronation prescribes various remissions, of which the following are the principal:

The Proclamation.

All arrears of taxes in European Russia and Poland are remitted and the land tax is reduced by half for ten years. The sentences of exiles in Siberia are materially reduced, political offenders receiving further remissions, with the restoration of their civil rights in certain cases. The exministers of the interior and justices are

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empowered to submit to the czar deserving cases of those punished after a regular trial. Those persons who shared in the Polish rebellion who are not guilty of murder, cruelty, arson or robbery are exempted from the police supervision decreed in 1883 and are granted full freedom of residence if they return to their own country and take the oath of allegiance.

Emperor and Empress Appear.

All Moscow had come to catch a glimpse of the emperor and empress and their brilliant suite as they descended the red staircase from the Kremlin palace and crossed the inclosure to the cathedral. Shout after shout rose upon the air, drums sounded, bells pealed and the bands grouped in the Great Square played the national anthem.

Ceremony in the Cathedral.

The aged metropolitan of Petersburg held up a prayer before the emperor, who read it deliberately and distinctly, standing with his hands hanging at his side. The priest of the Gospel followed the emperor with a prayer, and the empress and greater part of the assemblage crossed themselves meanwhile.

Then two grand dukes, his uncle Vladimir and young brother Alexander, took the collars of the different orders from the em-

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peror's neck and lifted the ermine mantle to his shoulders. It was 15 feet in length, of gold cloth, covered with double eagles, embroidered with silk and precious stones, and with a cape of ermine. Over this was placed the diamond collar of St. Andrew.

Czar Is Crowned.

Then the czar received the crown from the metropolitan and placed it on his own head and took the globe and scepter in either hand. In the head of the scepter was the Orloff diamond, for which the Russian government paid the Orliff family $1,000,000 and ennobled them.

The empress knelt before the czar, and he lifted his crown and touched it for an instant to her head, replaced it, and put her smaller crown upon her head, holding it there while three of the oldest ladies of the court fastened it to her hair with long pins. Her robe, similar to his own, was put on her shoulders, and supported at each side, on account of its enormous weight, by Grand Dukes Sergius and Paul.

Then their majesties seated themselves upon the thrones. At that moment the bell of the tower of Ivan Veliky, which gives the time to all the other thousands of bells in Moscow, jarred the air with the great news which it was the first to tell, and from steeple to steeple, and belfry to belfry, all over the great city, the signal was tossed like thousands of echoes.

Imperial Couple Congratulated.

The members of the imperial family and the foreign princes now advanced and congratulated the imperial couple, while others in the church bowed thrice toward the throne, thus expressing their felicitations. Suddenly the cannon, bells and bands ceased, and a solemn silence ensued while the czar knelt and solemnly offered a fervent prayer.

When the czar rose from his knees the metropolitan of St. Petersburg began a prayer for the emperor, at which everyone in the cathedral knelt, with the exception of the emperor, who stood erect, wearing his crown.

The metropolitan then stepped forward to the foot of the dais and made a short address to the czar on the importance and duties of his office.

Receive the Communion.

Reading by priests followed for an hour, when the czar received the communion in the chapel behind the closed doors. The empress received it at the doors, but was not permitted to enter the sanctuary. For the first time during the long service both the czar and czarina wept as they returned from the communion table. The ceremony ended shortly after that, when their majesties visited two more churches within 50 yards of the cathedral, and then, mounting the famous red steirs of the palace, bowed to the thousands who had gathered outside, and who had been cheering unceasingly for an hour. The emperor and empress subsequently dined in state in the banqueting hall of the Granivitaya palace, wearing their imperial crowns and mantles.

The National bank of Jefferson, Tex., closed its doors.

INTERESTING EVENTS.

Bits of Information from Various Localities in Michigan.

Cut worms are destroying whole fields of oats in Saginaw valley.

The electric rapid railway carries mail between Detroit and Mt. Clemens.

An epidemic of mumps lessens the attendance in the Hartford public schools.

Potatoes are free at Northport to those who will remove them from the cellars.

Thirty-eight new dwelling houses are being built in South Haven. There is not a vacant house in the town.

James T. Armstrong, of Jackson, died from lockjaw caused by stepping on a sharp stick that made a slight wound in his foot.

Albert Taylor, a prominent farmer of Leroy, near Battle Creek, aged 70 years, was killed by falling from a loft in his barn.

Muskegon schools will observe Hackley day—May 25—the anniversary of Hon. Charles Hackley's gift of the public library to the city.

Gov. Rich has pardoned Thomas Dougherty, who was sentenced from Detroit in 1894 for five years for burglary, and is in the last stages of consumption.

WE WANT TO TELL YOU

Why Your Back Is Lame—Why It Aches and Pains, and How to Cure It.

Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe bilious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

NEURALGIA cured by Dr Miles' Pain Pills. "Quicker than a dose." At all druggists

"For Charity Suffereth Long."

Mrs. Laura C. Phoenix, Milwaukee, Wis.

"Matron of a Benevolent Home and knowing the good Dr. Miles' Nervine has done me, my wish to help others, comes my dislike for the publicity, in a letter may give me. In Nov. and Dec. 1895 The inmates had the "La Grippe" and I was one of the first. Recovering too soon, with the care of 80 many, I did not regain my health, and in a few weeks I became so debilitated and nervous from sleeplessness and the drafts upon my vitality, that it was a question if I could go on. A dear friend advised me to use Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I took 2 bottles and am happy to say I am in bettter health than ever. I still use it occasionally use, as a nervine tonic, as my work is very trying. A letter addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., will reach me." June 6, 1894. MRS. LAURA C. PHOENIX.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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ghborhood News.

BRITTON.

tion Day—L. O. T. M. Entertain-nt—Base Ball Club—Band Organized.

nd Mrs. W. J. Clark were De-sitors Monday.

n Hause and Joseph Thackery Toledo Friday.

Tripp recently purchased twenty land of Eb. Price.

s & Lynn have a new sign up. groceries is announced.

rdson Bros. & DuBois will meet ce on binder twine.

DuBois and wife leave next week nth's visit in New England.

Rupp has commenced work on se in the Hoagland addition.

Winsley is working for E. M. his saw mill near Tecumseh.

bout that cycle club? Remem-e is much good in organization.

Amber Whaley, of Morenci, is a two week's visit at Alvin s.

ar meeting of the Hendershot O. T. M. next Tuesday even-e 2.

inder twine of Lenardson Bros. ls. Fine grade. Price guaran-

Ida Dolph, of Belleville, was est of W. H. Blakely's family nday.

Wells is able to be out and to though still very weak and un-walk.

C. I. Deyo will deliver the ad-n Decoration day at 1 o'clock p. Britton's grove.

Adrian Times highly compliment-e's playing with their team in mes with the Albions.

er twine at Lenardson Bros. & s.

regular monthly tea meeting of dies Aid passed off very pleasant-he church last Wednesday even-

nesday the Highway Commis-made out the road warrants for way township. Look out for oads.

new band is an assured fact. A ntative of the Detroit Music Co. town Wednesday evening show-truments.

Sutton, who formerly lived in Blakely's family, wheeled up Fayette, Ohio, last Saturday to is friends a call.

S. Rederus expects to leave soon is family for New York state. a kindly word for his many friends in next week's issue.

whip of Lenardson Bros.

ng of Wabash painters have itton. The depot and out have this week received a of paint and their appearance gly improved.

ey Tressell, of Milan, was in Wednesday canvassing the s of establishing a branch law Britton. We plead guilty to of a good bright lawyer.

ladies of the Reformed church pense strawberries and cream e at the church parlors tonight. ten cents. Pure cream, fresh light, beautiful cake, all for ts.

mber that Lenardson Bros. sell t wheel on the market for the

cts at the Christian church next Morning, "An Hour's watch-Jesus." Evening, "Lessons from this Spring and Summer Evening service will commence ck until further notice.

Bailey unloaded and set up two road machines here Wednesday. hines have been sold and ap-have every requirement for roads. They are a good thing, m along. A trial of the Aus-competitor will be given at y Monday.

mbers of Hendershot Tent are d to meet at the K. O. T. M. Sunday June 7th at 9:40 a. m., purpose of attending divine at the Christian church. The . Deyo will preach a sermon ate to the occasion. All mem-invited to parcipitate.

s, buggies and road wagons. ality, low prices at Kishpaugh's n.

ation Day will be observed here this year. The meeting will in Britton's grove Saturday n. After the address the G. A. R. R. C. together with the Sunday nd citizens will proceed to the y of Ridgeway, where the graves ted veterans will be decorated.

ement is on foot to reorganize ll club in Britton. The lovers ne can hardly keep alive to ummer months go by without Britton always has had a first m and always can have. What have let us have. Attend the ll meeting in Exelby's hall Mon-and let us have a ball team

vaters, spring tooth and disc s. Prices way down at Kish-at Britton.

Maus Entertainers will assist O. T. M. in their entertainment w night. These people give a recital which is par excellence class performance and fully every particular to the high musical entertainments. Mr. is an exceptional artist on struments while Mrs. Maus Boyd are very proficient in specialties. It is safe to say this the greatest treat ever given to on and once.

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The Rebellion of 1895 and How it was Put Down.

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Central Union Church on this evening was filled with people. It is claimed that a part of their plan was to throw bombs into the church, when the congregation was assembled and thus scatter death and consternation through the town, and seize the government building before the people could recover from the panic. It was known that the heads of the government could thus be swept off at a single blow. The minister was in the midst of his sermon when a man entered and went up to Mr. Edwin Benner, whispered something in his ear, and went out again. Benner began at once to glide from pew to pew whispering a single word to a man here and there. Each one to whom he spoke arose and went out. They were members of the citizens' guard. The preacher went on tho' a flutter of excitement began to thrill the audience. So many went out that alarm began to spread. Judge Judd went to the vestibule and demanded of Benner what it all meant, and Benner explained that the Royalists had arisen to overthrow the Government. Just then a company of National Guards dashed along the street at a double quick, and the congregation rose and left; the preacher knowing it was useless to attempt to hold them longer, closed his sermon without ceremony.

During Sunday night Nowlein, with a large body of insurgents, started from the vicinity of Diamond Head to seize Punchbowl Hill, which is just at the back of Honolulu. Marshal Hitchcock, fearing some such a move, early on the morning of the 7th dispatched Captain Murray with thirty-five men to head it off.

The rebels were found concealed behind a stone wall and covered by a heavy underbrush of lantana. A heavy fire was opened on Murray, hand-grenades hurled at his men, and all forced back. Reinforcements were hurried to their aid, and for an hour the battle raged. A piece of artillery was brought up and opened with shot and shell until the mountains echoed with reverberations. The dense lantana concealed the combatants from each other.

At last the rebels were located in an extinct crater, and it took fifteen shells to dislodge them, but at last they were driven out and seven of their number surrendered. Then they began coming in with white flags until thirty-seven had surrendered. This fight is called the Battle of Moiliili, as it was fought on the Moiliili Road.

On Wednesday the insurgents were again overtaken at a place called Manoa. On Monday Diamond Head had been bombarded and the rebels driven out. At Manoa they made their last determined stand, Robert W. Wilcox commanding in person. Tuesday was spent in searching for the enemy and following up false rumors. It was an active, nervous day. Troops were hurried from Moiliili Road to the foothills and to Diamond Head; a few prisoners were taken and many guns were picked up, twenty rifles that had never been used being found in a little fort near Waialae.

At Manoa, Wilcox and Lot Lane had probably about seventy-five men located among the high peaks, where they hoped to hold out until they could make terms with the Government.

The forces of the Government were massed against them at this point, and the conflict raged for some time at long range but artillery and the long distance guns of the Government men drove them from their hiding place. Wilcox left ten men behind as a cover and went into Panoa valley. Two natives came in under the white flag. One had an ear cut with a bullet, and they led the way to where a third lay with a bullet in his brain. Wilcox and his forces then retreated into the mountains where they were reduced to the direst want, supplies being entirely cut off. They had no houses or tents, and were compelled to sleep on stones or in caves. On January 14 Nowlein, Greig, Widemann, and Marshall were captured. They were found in a thicket, and on being summoned to surrender came out, dirty and bedraggled, their clothes torn and their faces and hands scratched. Marshall, a mere boy, was the only one who seemed cheerful.

The war was now a man hunt. The rebellion was broken, and the only question was the capture of the fugitives. Robert Wilcox was taken and sent to prison, and then the hunt for Lot Lane began. He was regarded as the most desperate and dangerous of the rebels, but was easily captured. Lot Lane was said at that time to be one of the finest specimens of physical manhood on the islands. He was over six feet tall and well proportioned, possessing herculean strength. His father claimed to be a descendant of the kings of Ireland, and his mother had the blood of the Kamehamehas in her veins.

The Provisional Government decided to arrest the ex-Queen as the chief instigator in the conspiracy. Bombs and arms were found buried in her yard, and the confessions of those captured were sufficient to implicate her. Marshal Hitchcock and Adjutant-General Soper were sent for at 9:30 a. m., Wednesday, 16th, and a warrant put in their hands for the arrest of Mrs. Liliuokalani Dominus, the ex-Queen, and deliver her to Colonel Fisher, commanding the militia at the Executive Building. They left at once for Washington Place, the ex-Queen's residence, in two hacks. There were a number of native guards around the house, who did not even challenge the officers. The mistress of the house had no visitors inside. The ex-Queen was lying on a sofa in her bed-chamber, but arose at once and came into the reception hall to meet the officers. Mrs. Dominus has always been rated as a strong woman, and her captors half suspected that she would resist, but she coolly received the summons. Any other woman would have swooned or given away to tears or imprecations of rage; with a queenly dignity and the stoical indifference of a warrior, she answered: "All right. I will go." Going to her dressing room she attired herself in black, and seated by the side of Deputy Brown, with Captain Parker in front, was driven to the Executive Building.

With this rebellion ended the last hope of Monarchy in the islands. The Republic had proven to the world that it was able to put down any internal insurrection. Over two thousand men were constantly ready at the slightest notice to spring to arms to defend the liberal government. The ex-Queen was confined for a long time in the Executive Building in a large airy apartment in the second story. She was treated with kindness and her lady friends permitted to visit her. She addressed a letter to the President renouncing any claim on the throne of the Hawaiian people soon after her arrest and before her trial. After a few months she was released, and returned to her home at Washington Place, where she now lives, surrounded by splendor and elegance, but shutting herself up and refusing to communicate with any one save her most intimate friends. She says the Republic cannot be overthrown, and all she asks is to be permitted to live undisturbed as plain Mrs. Dominus.

RIDGEWAY.

Narrow Escape from Fire—Church Organ Repaired—Children's Day—Quarterly Meeting.

Wm. Boyd, of Albion, visited relatives in the village and vicinity last week.

Mrs. Maud Smith, of Saline, is visiting her cousin, Daisy Riggs, this week.

Mrs. Chas. Foote left for Luther Monday for a visit with her sister Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon.

Chas. Lowe and wife, Clarence Lowe and Blanche Dunn, were at Wampler's lake, Saturday.

Best quality of wool twine only five cents a pound at Smith & Schmidt's.

The library underwent a renovating last week, which improved the appearance very much.

Mrs. Elmer Linn went to Raisinville Monday, for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Dr. D. W. Loree spent a portion of last week at Lawrence with his son Prof. I. D. Loree and wife.

F. L. Cook, of Lansing, ran over on his wheel Saturday, spending Sunday as the guest of Lelia F. Sutton.

Mrs. W. D. Stearns and daughter, Hazel, of Toledo, spent Saturday with agent A. J. Sutton and family.

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Lillian Dersham and Edith Collins spent Saturday with their parents at Palmyra and Blissfield, returning Sunday.

Mrs. A. V. Dersham, of Palmyra, and Mrs. Brown, of Republican, Ohio., called on friends of the village Friday, of last week.

The lady who lost a pocket book at Mrs. Jones, the evening of the social, may have the same by calling at Mrs. Jones.

Lafe Rappleye's house had a close call from being burned down Tuesday noon, having caught fire from a stove pipe in the roof.

Buy a Planet, Jr., cultivator of Smith & Schmidt before you go into your cornfield.

August Moeller, of Detroit, was in the village last week Thursday and Friday, cleaning and tuning the pipe organ at the church.

Remember the third quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held next Sunday morning at the usual hour.

The C. J. & M. connections with Jackson are now perfected giving two trains each way per day. The single fare to that city is $1.10, round trip $2. Consult time table for train service.

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The commencement exercises of the high school will be held Friday evening June 12. The Acme quartette, of Adrian, will furnish the musib for the occasion. This is probably the best male quartette in southern Michigan and on account of the expense entailed in getting them, a small admission fee will be charged.

The members of the Epworth League entertained their friends above sixty years of age at the lecture room of the church on Tuesday evening. A very pleasing program was carried out consisting of readings, recitations and music, after which refreshments were served and the evening spent in a social manner and enjoyed by all.

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Next Monday afternoon C. H. Chase, of Quincy, state agent for the Western revesible steel road machine, manufactured at Aurora, Ill., and Daniel Bailey, of Macon, local agent for the Austin steel reversible road machine manufactured at Chicago Ill., will meet in District No. 5 for an exhibition and trial of their machines, and the merits of their graders in all of its points. The exhibition will take place on the ridge road from the railroad south.

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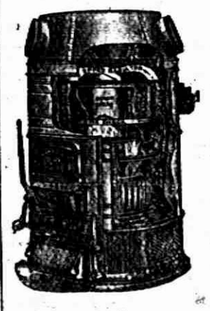

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 29, 1896.

It is now thought by the political management that Wm. McKinley will be nominated at the St. Louis convention by acclamation and Reed will be the nominee for vice president if he will accept.

Street Commissioner Hyde is doing great work with his horse-power hoe, and never did the thoroughfares of this village look better. The city council should go a little farther and order away the garbage in alleys and lots behind the stores, when there would not be a cleaner, neater village in the state than Tecumseh.

The laws of Michigan demand that the 30th of May in each year shall be kept as a legal holiday and that the banks and saloons shall remain closed. This, in honor af the custom of decorating the graves of the nation's dead heroes. Why should there not be a law against desecrating the day with base ball games and other amusements of this sort. So long as there are no such laws, the common decency of the citizens demand that such pastimes be indulged in on other days.

So far this week the record of deaths caused by the cyclone will number nearly fifteen hundred souls. Some counties in our own state have been visited. Iowa, Illinois and Dakota have also suffered; but most terrible of all was the calamity at St. Louis, Mo., on Wednesday night when perhaps 600 persons were instantly killed and millions in dollars of property destroyed. In times of war, a battle in which 1000 men are killed would excite the world. In a few days the world will have forgotten this work of the Almighty, and 'tis hard indeed for mortals to reason why innocent people should thus be destroyed.

Horace Boise, of Iowa, stands a good chance of being the nominee of the democrats at the Chicago convention. He is not a politician but has been repeatedly thrust into prominence by force of circumstances and the fact that under any and all circumstances he could trusted by his fellow men. He is a lawyer of much more than local prominence and a brother of the late John K. Boise, of Hudson, Michigan, who was known all over Lenawee as a man of sterling qualities. Should the democrats nominate a man of this stamp although he would no doubt be unsuccessful, the fortunes of the party might be retrieved so that four years hence something might be done.

Forty-six years ago today The Tecumseh Herald started its existence. What the old Herald has done for Tecumseh and what the people of Tecumseh have done for the old Herald any one who takes the paper well knows. For over 21 years the policy and business of the Herald were conducted by the late Scovel C. Stacy and by his death in December, 1895, the concern has suffered its most severe loss. It is the purpose of the present publishers to give the readers of the Herald during the 47th year the best local newspaper in Lenawee county. The first thoughts of the editors shall be to print true accounts of the happenings of Tecumseh and vicinity and to keep these accounts free from anything which would be in any way objectionable to any member of any family. The political policy of the Herald will be strictly independent and in village, township and county politics the editors will reserve the privilege to choose a ticket for themselves made up of the best material from all parties. The readers of the Herald may be assured that they may always know which candidate the paper favors, but the time for honest politics is at hand and this can only be accomplished by independence of thought and speech and the discarding of strict party lines. Tecumseh and Lenawee county have troubles of their own and it should be the province of a local newspaper to assist in the building up of its immediate community rather than endeavor to be a needle in the straw stack of national affairs. It is a pleasure to thank the patrons of the Herald for their 46 years of patronage and to promise simply this—an honest endeavor to at all times improve.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May 23 '96.

The dissatisfaction of the chairman of some of the House committees with the methods which have been followed during this session is becoming more marked as the time for adjournment draws nearer. First Chairman Mahon, of the committee on War Claims, got in a blow at the unanimous consent legislation, which has knocked out the regular order so often of late, by giving this warning to the House: "Gentlemen get what you can the next fifteen days. Unanimous consent will not be given for any purpose at the next session." He was followed by Chairman Walker, of the committee on Banking and Currency, in an impassioned speech arraigning the three or four men who rule the House with a rod of iron. "If God spares my life," he exclaimed dramatically, "and I return to this House at the next session, this thing will end. I have served here for eight years and received no more consideration than a dog." In reply to a question Mr. Walker said: "In view of the approaching Presidential election, both sides of the House show a decided disinclination to consider bills from my committee." Notwithstanding the palpable truthfulness of that assertion, it was greeted with a shout of laughter as though it was something funny.

The best informed politicians of all parties now believe that President Cleveland is out for another nomination and that nothing will prevent his getting it but the capture of the Chicago convention by the silver democrats.

The American missionaries in Turkey are after Minister Terrell's official scalp, and they have, it is believed, a good show of getting it. They charge him with profanity, vulgarity, ungentlemanly habits of several kinds and general incompetency, and they are backed up by many influential personal friends of the President. Terrell is in Washington now trying to square himself.

It has just come to light that an attempt is to be made to consolidate the votes of the negro delegates to the St. Louis convention and to use them to dictate the nomination of some other man than McKinley. How dangerous this may be to the fortunes of McKinley is not yet apparent, but it is already alarming some of his supporters. Perry Carson, who is a negro delegate from the District of Columbia to the convention is credited at the head of this scheme. He claims to favor the nomination of Senator Allison, but is believed to be working in the interest of Speaker Reed. Mr. Manley, who is Mr. Reed's manager, is not in Washington, but his private secretary says of this scheme: "If the plan goes through, Speaker Reed will received the vote of every colored delegate at the St. Louis convention, at some stage of the proceedings, whether they are under instructions or not."

The most important political event of the week was Senator Quay's announcement that he intended to pay McKinley a visit. It isn't so strange that Mr. Quay should make this visit, but it is very strange, in view of his usual method of doing things, that he should announce it in advance. It has set everybody guessing, and that is probably what Mr. Quay desired and expected it to do. Nobody pretends to know just what the object of this visit is, but there is a rather general idea that it is largely in behalf of ex-Senator Platte, of New York. It has never been believed that Senator Quay was very strongly opposed to McKinley's nomination. In fact, he stated a year or more ago that he was either for McKinley or Reed. Since then he got the idea, which the McKinley tidal wave has brushed aside, that he might get the nomination himself, and while that idea was working full time he is believed to have made an alliance, offensive and defensive, with Mr. Platte, which may keep him in the field as a candidate, unless he can get certain promises from McKinley that will enable Mr. Platt to retain his hold on his party's machine by getting a liberal share of the Federal patronage in New York. According to the best information to be had, if he gets those promises Gov. Morton and himself will withdraw in McKinley's favor. It is believed in Washington that he will get them, too. McKinley can probably be nominated without Platt's help, but he cannot easily carry New York without it, and the loss of New York and the silver states, which are expected to bolt the St. Louis platform, would make his election very doubtful.

A Senator, who ought to know what he is talking about, said today: "McKinley expects to get 150 silver votes in the St. Louis convention. That's what is keeping him mum on finance. After he gets the nomination he'll come out flat-footed for a gold standard. Mark the prediction."

The Senate is slowly but surely disposing of the appropriation bills, but nothing has been done about adjournment yet.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Resolutions of Respect.

The Great Husbandman, in garnering in his sheaves, has summoned to an account of the faithfulness of their stewardship, Mrs. W. H. Osborne and Mrs. G. D. Perry, who for many years have been identified with the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church. In their death the society has lost wise counselors and willing workers, and we mourn, but not as those without hope for we have bright evidence that when the call came they were ready to go. Having spent a long life in christian usefulness they rest from their labors. As a society we mingle our sorrow with the stricken families, who will miss them as no others can, with the church, which has lost two of its most efficient members, yet feeling that our loss is their eternal gain. May we all, like them, "set our house in order" that when the message for us is, "Thou shalt die and not live," also shall be ready. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we do most sincerely tender to their families our united sympathy in this time of their sad bereavement, and pray that in the blessed hope of a heavenly reunion they may be reconciled to their great loss.

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Greatly Reduced Prices

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Stock must be reduced within next sixty days. Price will do it.
We pay the freight on $10 worth.

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TOILET SOAPS

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Why use coarse laundry soaps for toilet purposes when you can buy sufficient fine toilet soap for 10 cents to

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And good baths with good soap are a luxury indeed,

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We have received a very large stock of Straw Hats direct from Boston, and can show the nicest hats for the least money you have seen.

Have You Seen

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Nice All Wool Suits $7, $8 and $10.

We will sell you goods cheaper than any other store in Southern Michigan.

No trouble to show goods.

The One Price Clothiers. McCANN BROS.

Groceries Cheap.

I have recently purchased the

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They have been in business only a short time, so the goods are all first-class. I have put these goods in

With My Already Large Stock.
This Enables Me to Make Prices
Below Any of My Competitors.

If K. & M. customers wish the same goods they have been getting from them, please call on me. I will sell you for less money than you have been paying, and give you same brands of goods as long as they last. I have not room to quote prices, but will say that

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FOR SALE—Cheap seed potatoes. Vicks Prosperous, Rural New Yorkers, Maggie Peerless, Early Puritans, State of Maine, Monarchs, Early Fortune, State of Maine, Money Makers, Seedlings, and Beauty of Hebron. A. W. Slayton.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 29, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sheriff Wilson was in town yesterday.

Fred Glass, of Jackson, was in town Tuesday.

W. C. Burridge is in Tecumseh this week.

Co. C will take part in the exercises tomorrow.

P. Hosmer spent a couple of days in Cleveland this week.

C. Bidwell attended the matinee at Blissfield last Saturday.

Miss Lucie Bliven returned to her home in Blissfield Tuesday.

J. W. Wightman and wife called on French friends Wednesday.

Lucius Lilley and Fred Wood were Toledo passengers Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Bresle is home from Cleveland to spend the summer here.

Mrs. Geo. Everette, of Chicago, is calling on old Tecumseh friends this week.

C. V. Coe and Mr. McIntyre, of Toledo, were the guests of Postmaster Kyle last Friday.

Chas. Ham, of Jackson, was in town Wednesday looking after his insurance business here.

A tally-ho passed through town Tuesday enroute to Toledo after a few days at the lakes.

Julian StClaire, a University student called on Dr. Lombard and Rev. C. M. Brown the first of the week.

Hon. Albert Deyo, of Morenci, delivers the memorial address tomorrow.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Agnes Montgomery, instead of Mrs. Miller as announced last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nichols have been the happy parents of the first boy and baby child since last week Thursday.

The two little daughters of Will H. Wasson, Gladdis and Bernice, went yesterday to spend Sunday at Blissfield.

Mrs. Henry Tripp, one of the pioneer women of Franklin, was in Tecumseh Wednesday for the first time in four years.

Eugene Halber, of Saline, was in Tecumseh and vicinity last week in the interest of the Washtenaw Volksfreund.

Next Sunday morning Rev. J. A. Detwelder will preach in the Macon Reformed church and in the afternoon in South Macon.

Four ladies rode over from Adrian Wednesday morning to take breakfast at the Lilley. The ladie's bicycle club in that place is flourishing.

A choice line left of spring capes and jackets which we will close at ¼ off former low prices.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Will A. Smith, who ran here in the two races at the Armory this spring, was in town Tuesday. He has a number of races already on hand for the summer.

Subject for Sunday, May 31, in the Universalist church: Morning, "Christ the end of the law for righteousness, to every one that believeth." Evening, "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush."

The Wit and Wisdom club allowed their wit to overcome their wisdom sufficiently to end up their literary work for this season with a banquet at the residence of Geo. W. Knapp.

The Alumni Association of the Tecumseh High School will hold their annual reunion and banquet at the Lilley House Friday, June 12, 1896. Jackson's Mandolin Orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the occasion.

Rev. C. M. Brown and C. F. Field together with Mrs. James Carpenter, of Blissfield, acted as judges at the Demorest Gold medal contest at Adrian last Friday night. The contest was close, with eight competitors. Miss Ida Bate, of Adrian, carried off the medal.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Eaton, Wednesday evening, June 3. Meeting called promptly at 7 o'clock. A short program has been prepared also light refreshments will be served. A full attendance is desired.

T. R. Kyle tendered his resignation as captain of Co. C last Tuesday night. The boys were very loth to accept, but as the captian had already received his discharge from headquarters, it was inevitable. During Mr. Kyle's captaincy the company has much improved in discipline and increased in numbers. Business engagements caused Captain Kyle's resignation at this time.

The rector of St. Peter's church wishes to announce to those of his congregation, who subscribe towards the diocesan pledge, that the last payment for the year is due on the 31st of May. All unpaid amounts should be sent in through the offertory next Sunday, that the balance of the pledge may be forwarded to the treasurer in Detroit before June 5, otherwise the parish will not receive credit for full payment at the coming convention. Subscriptions are also asked from those communicants who have not assisted in past years to help this work, as without extra help there is likely to be a deficiency.

Clem Hardenburg is home from the lakes.

First matinee one week from tomorrow.

E. F. Kirchgessner was in Toledo Wednesday.

Claude VanTyne rode over from Ann Arbor Saturday.

See our 25c men's ties. On sale Saturday. ANDERSON & CO.

James Cummins, of Toledo, stopped over trains here yesterday.

D. T. Hall and family visited Mr. Wiggins in Adrian township Sunday.

Mrs. Miss Omsted, of Bay City, made a brief visit at Tecumseh this week.

Tecumseh vs. Clinton will be the base ball attraction at Clinton to-morrow.

Miss Margaret Knapp, of Adrian, spends Sunday as the guest of Miss Etta Thorpe.

The postoffice will be closed to-morrow from 9:00 till 11:30 a. m. and from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.

Capt. and Mrs. Lester, of Grosse Isle, were renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity Saturday.

LaPearl's greatest of the great 10 and 20 cent shows will exhibit at Tecumseh Wednesday, June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Woodward, of Rome, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Bangs.

Mrs. H. H. Bratton, of Cleveland, returned Wednesday after a week's visit with her cousin Mrs. Dora Clark.

Rev. L. P. Davis, the presiding elder of the Adrian district, will occupy the Methodist pulpit Sunday evening.

Last Monday an area of plastering fell from the ceiling in Baker & Hall's drug store slightly breaking a show case.

Red Flame, with a record of 2:23 3-4, owned at Wauseon, O., has been entered in the free-for-all race for the first matinee June 6.

Mrs. J. P. Varner attended the annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionery society of the Detroit conference held at Flint this week.

J. C. Marquis, formerly lineman on the C., J. & M. here, accompanied by his wife, went to Marshall Wednesday when he has a situation.

The greatest of all child artists, Little Ruby LaPearl, the contortionist wonder of her age, with LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show. Will exhibit at Tecumseh, Wednesday, June 3.

A. B. Rowland, who has been working for a couple of weeks in a bicycle factory at Toledo, returned Wednesday all the employees being out on a strike.

The Lake Shore work train last Monday filled in about 120 feet of the tressle work on the bridge over the Raisin north of town laying the track on ties.

The meeting of directors of the C. T. line was held in Dr. North's office Monday afternoon. Manager Garlinghouse's resignation was accepted. His successor has not been chosen.

Anyone on our streets Saturday night would be convinced that Tecumseh is still the center of trade in Northern Lenawee. No better trading point in Michigan than Tecumseh.

Call at the Herald office and see samples of copper plate engraved cards, wedding invitations and announcements. If you have copper plates bring them in. The low prices will surprise you.

T. C. M. Schindler, G. P. A. of the C. J. & M. railroad was in town the first of the week. While here he made arrangements for an up-town ticket office at the Lilley House. You can get your tickets there after June 1st.

The sessions of Sunday School Association of Tecumseh and Clinton townships held here last Friday were very interesting and the scene of much earnest discussion. Milo Dole, of Adrian, gave a splendid address to the evening meeting.

The race track is in better shape than ever before for the the first matinee June 6. The boys who beat Smith last winter are working out and are in excellent form. The entries are full and the matinee promises to be a fine days sport.

The LaPearl children, the greatest aerial wonders before the American public. With LaPearl's Big 10 and 20 cent Railroad Show. Will exhibit at Tecumseh, Wednesday, June 3.

Married at the home of Thos. Harris last evening Miss Mabel A. Davis, of Adrian, and Levi Fowler, of Bronson, Mich. The bride is a grand-daughter of Henry Ives and her many friends showed their high esteem by a profusion of valuable and useful presents. Rev. Varner performed the ceremony.

A change of time went into effect on the Lake Shore Sunday. The only change on the Jackson branch is in the afternoon train which goes south now at 3:08 instead of 3:11. Those going into Detroit will be glad to know that on account of a new fast train they can leave that city at 9:15 instead of 6:45 and reach Tecumseh on the noon train, thus having two and one half hours longer in the city.

A very serious runaway occurred in Brownville Wednesday forenoon about 9 o'clock. Clarence Gilmore, of Macon, was driving a horse and carriage into town. The horse, which was a large, spirited animal became frightened at the paper mill and dashed up the hill at the same time kicking spitefully. As there were two teams ahead Mr. Gilmore attempted to turn west. As the horse crossed the sidewalk, he stopped on three legs, the right hind leg being broken, probably from kicking. If this had not happened, it is doubtful if Mr. Gilmore would have escaped serious injury. Dr. Waldron examined the horse and it was decided to shoot the animal which was accordingly done. The same horse together with his mate ran away at Britton a few weeks since, doing damage which cost the owner considerable.

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Fine strawberries are on the market.

C. M. Dickinson was a Toledo visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Hettie Brewer went to Detroit this morning.

Bring your floral offerings early tomorrow to the armory.

H. W. Stevens, who has been indisposed of late, is out again.

Postmaster Kishpaugh, of Clinton, was in town Saturday.

Special meeting of the Blue Lodge tonight for work in the third degree.

Mr. E. L. German and wife, of Adrian, visited Geo. Kay's family over Sunday.

Miss Nora Love, of Adrian, is making a few weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Kay.

Archie Sherrard, of New York, shook hands with old Tecumseh friends last Saturday.

Miss Belle Gimbert, of the Adrian Telegram force, was the guest of Lynne Daly over Sunday.

Tie to bargains. Bargains in ties Saturday. ANDERSON & CO.

Master Web Kay made a trip to Adrian last Saturday on his wheel. A good ride for a youngster.

The topic for Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church: "Is the World Growing Better or Worse?"

J. F. Hicks leaves tomorrow noon for Saginaw to make arrangements for his his summer campaign in the valley.

Rev. B. S. Hudson will observe Decoration day and be assisted by little Miss Hudson who arrived this morning.

Miss Inez Thorpe, who is a student of stenography in a Detroit business college, will spend the Sabbath at home.

E. L. Teeple is in Jackson to-day. Mrs. Teeple, who has been making a visit there returns with him to-morrow.

E. F. Kirchgessner calls attention in his space this week to the fact that all goods are now going at cost. Call and get prices.

Mayor Pingree rode over from Adrian last Saturday. At the present price of tubers potato patches will hardly pay to fence this year.

Marvin Hayden wife and child, of Grand Rapids, are making a two week's visit with J. M. Kennedy's family and other relatives here.

For sale a first class Steinway piano at G. W. Frazier's. tf

Capt. E. D. Chilson and son Harry were in town part of this week. The Captain is putting new boilers into the Marquette at Detroit.

Ice cream was served in excellent form in the Presbyterian church parlors last evening. A fine musical program was given in connection.

On Thursday, June 4, occurs the anniversary of the student of Raisin institute, at the home of David Galloway, about three miles north of Adrian.

Mobbs & Co. announce a special sale of toilet soaps for Saturday. 75 baths for 10 cents is certainly cheap enough so that no one can afford to go dirty.

The pupils of Miss Mary Anderson will give a piano and violin recital Friday evening, May 29th. It promises to be one of the musical events of the season.

The cracker-jack ball game was played last Saturday between the high school nine of Clinton and the eighth grade boys, of Tecumseh. The score stood 11 to 10 in our favor. The game was close throughout, and a good one.

A mass meeting in the interest of the Armenians will be held in Sutton's opera house Sunday at 3 p. m. The pastors of the churches and prominent citizens will address the meeting, also Presiding Elder Davis, of Detroit.

The Tecumseh Chapter of the Eastern Star tested the hospitality of the organization at Manchester to its fullest capacity Wednesday evening. The officers also exemplified the work there. Fifty-four stars of the first magnitude completed the visiting constellation and all found hearty welcome in the Manchester firmament. For want of space we omit names.

The memorial services held in the Presbyterian church were largely attended. Beers Post, G. A. R., and W. R. C. and Co. C attended in a body and a large audience, who hold in sacred memory the associations which this service annually recalls, assembled. Rev. Varner offered prayer and Rev. B. S. Hudson gave a very strong and timely addresses taking as his text, "For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds."

Mr. J. F. Hicks is improving the appearance of his house and buildings on Union street, eight in number, by a fresh coat of paint. This place with its location and about 10 acres of land makes one of the most desireable and attractive residences in our beautiful village. The painting is being done by M. L. Gillen, and Mr. Hicks says that if he finishes with the same skill that he has thus far employed, it will be the finest job of painting in the town.

At a special meeting of the executive committee of the Tecumseh Bicycle Association yesterday morning it was decided that the association's race meeting would be held on the 16th of July. This was deemed the best available date inasmuch as the meet would follow the big meet in Battle Creek and the National Circuit meet in Detroit. Late in the afternoon, however, a telegram was received from the L. A. W. racing board saying that we would not be permitted a sanction for that date as it had already been secured by the management of the state meet at Kalamazoo. This was especially exasperating as the News was filled with locals advertising Tecumseh's Bicycle Derby day for Thursday, July 16th. This was no fault of the News nor was it really any fault of the management of the races as it was necessary to place these locals prior to hearing definitely from the national authorities.

High School Happenings.

Final reviews are the order of the day.

Final examinations begin next Thursday.

The seniors begin rehearsals on Monday afternoon.

C. F. Field was a visitor in the B room Tuesday.

Mrs. S. B. Wood called on the A room Wednesday.

Lena VanValkenburg was a high school visitor last Thursday.

Mr. Keeler, the county commissioner, visited the high school Wednesday.

Julia Gilmore has been compelled to leave school temporarily on account of illness.

The attendance at the monthly examination is less this month than in any of the previous months of the year. The reviews have been a helping factor.

It has been an evident fact to those who have had the pleasure of sitting in the A room this year that some alternation should be made in the distribution of the popular pests throughout the room. Therefore, Miss Hartbeck, acting under the impression that "little people" should be seen and not heard, has placed Vern Smith on the front row. Those who have been accustomed to dodge balls of paper, books, base ball gloves, etc., will now look for them in another direction.

—We have just received three car loads of new furniture and will sell everything in our store at rock bottom prices. WHEELER & SISSON.

—We are receiving more and more bicycle repairing every week, and the reason is plain, people are well satisfied with prices and work. General repairing of all kinds. Clothes wringers repaired, Rollers re-cast or new ones supplied. JAMES CLARK,
Slayton's Block, R. R. street.

—A lovely line of walking shoes, toe slippers and shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—All frames ordered at Jas. Montague's novelty store are now completed and it will be an accommodation for us to have them called for as soon as convenient. P. B. SUTFIN.

—An elegant line of sun umbrellas and parasols just received new shades, new styles and extremely low prices.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery—
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—The best of ice cream always on hand and well served at Ford & Crossman's boarding house.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—See those lawn mowers at Satterthwaite Bros.

—New laces, new underwear, new wash goods, latest style shirt waists, just received at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Envoy and Fleetwing bicycles strictly high grade, price $15, at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Gasoline and oil cook stoves at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Hammocks, croquet sets, etc., at the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—Lap Dusters and whips at Satterthwaite Bros.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Call at Mill's Block, Tecumseh, whenever in the city. Stock is changing every day, always something new.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

—Having such a large stock Tan and Oxford shoes we are beginning the slaughter early, and are now making August prices, Mill's Block Tecumseh.

—Hammocks and fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

—A dollar or two buys a full set of dishes, tinware, etc., at the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—Those bargains in shoes at Mill's Block are still the talk of Tecumseh.

—Fine line of refrigerators at Satterthwaite Bros.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

—The great cut prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's draw large crowds.

—I TRUST YOU—
will take advantage of the prices at which I am selling buggies, wagons, plows, harrows, cultivators, and other implements, also twine, field seeds, etc. Agency Milwaukee binders and mowers.
JNO. L. KISHPAUGH,
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When Hot and Tired

—A BOTTLE OF—

Hires' Carbonated Root Beer,

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A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists.
Former Price 25c. To close 15c.

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DID YOU....

ever try a can of our

5c. Corn, Now 6 Cans For 25 Cents?

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Gasoline Stoves.

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Fish Poles and Tackle.

Bicycles and Sundries.

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Satterthwaite Bros.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

A Salt Lake Minister Said to Have Murdered Two Young Girls.

Salt Lake City, May 25.—Foul play is suspected in the somewhat mysterious disappearance of Miss Henrietta Clausen, who has not been seen since September last. She was at that time taking care of the apartments of Rev. Francis Hermann, pastor of the First Scandinavian Methodist church in this city. A recent inspection of the grate of the furnace in the building reveals two razors and a butcher knife, garter and belt buckles and charred bones. The bones have been turned over to physicians and the police department is making a rigid investigation. Miss Samuelson, a friend of the pastor, also disappeared last January. The last heard of the pastor he was at Kansas City, on his way to Iowa. A warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of the preacher upon an information charging him with murder. The warrant is signed by D. H. Wenger, city magistrate, upon the complaint of John Hanson, who is the last man who saw Miss Clausen before her disappearance from the city.

Hermann is of Scandinavian descent, but was born in England. He is about 40 years of age, exceedingly well educated. He has been married three times, and it is said all his wives have died under suspicious circumstances. In his study were found a large collection of poisons and drugs of various kinds.

A FATAL PLUNGE.

Many Lives Lost by the Falling of a Bridge Span at Victoria.

Victoria, B. C., May 27.—A defective span in the Government street traffic bridge across Victoria Arm, gave way Tuesday afternoon, precipitating a loaded street car and several private carriages into the bay, 100 feet below. The number of victims cannot at this time be estimated. The bridge was crowded with vehicles containing pleasure-seekers bound for MacCauley's Point, where the queen's birthday celebration sports were in progress.

Up to 10:30 p. m. 62 bodies had been taken from the bay. Twenty persons known to have been on the bridge at the time of the accident are missing, and it is supposed that they have perished. The car register shows 90 fares, and it is probable that over 125 were on board.

The number of carriages lost and the foot passengers carried down in the wreck cannot be learned. It is claimed by many that fully 200 persons went down with the span, and that more than half of them perished. The accident occurred so quickly that nobody has a very clear recollection of what transpired.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of Leading Clubs for the Week Ended May 26.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Cincinnati	21	11	.656
Cleveland	18	10	.643
Boston	18	12	.600
Pittsburgh	16	11	.593
Baltimore	18	13	.581
Philadelphia	17	14	.548
Chicago	17	15	.531
Washington	14	16	.467
Brooklyn	13	17	.433
New York	12	19	.387
St. Louis	11	20	.355
Louisville	7	24	.226
Western league:			
Detroit	19	8	.704
St. Paul	16	10	.615
Kansas City	15	11	.577
Milwaukee	17	14	.548
Minneapolis	15	14	.517
Indianapolis	13	12	.520
Columbus	9	20	.310
Grand Rapids	7	22	.241
Western association:			
Des Moines	20	8	.909
Peoria	15	9	.625
Dubuque	16	11	.593
Rockford	15	11	.577
St. Joseph	9	15	.375
Cedar Rapids	9	16	.360
Burlington	9	18	.333
Quincy	7	16	.304

Will Appeal to the New Czar.

Asbury Park, N. J., May 27.—At the closing session of the Baptist anniversary Tuesday a resolution was adopted providing that a petition to the czar of Russia, just crowned, be forwarded through the proper channels, asking the assertion of his kind offices in behalf of suffering Christians in Armenia.

A LITTLE HEATHEN.

BY MONTGOMERY M. FOLSOM.

Jack was a heathen. Oh, the little imp, how tough he was! I was a model boy. I was, for a fact, you may believe it or not; I used to hold down my head when grace was being said; I knew the Ten Commandments and the Lord's Prayer by heart, and I was a child of many virtues.

Jack was as mean as the old scratch. He would cut his eye around at me and try to make me laugh while the blessing was being asked; he would stick pins in the little boys as they knelt at prayers; he would rob birds' nests, and when remonstrated with would say:

"Why, my gracious, let the old fool bird go lay some more aiggs, she's got the whole summer and 'tain't much trouble to lay a few little old aiggs like them."

We used to read tales in our reading books about how bad boys came to bad ends, and Jack would laugh at them.

"Shucks!" he would say, "them old book men can't fool me. What makes gran'ma kill chickens on Sunday, if it's a sin to go in washin'? I notice one thing: ol' brother Kicklighter al'us eats mighty hearty, and if it was a sin to kill 'em it'd be a sin to eat 'em. They can't scare nobody."

Ah, the dear little old freckled face! Worlds would I give to have it come between me and the sun again ere I reach the vale of shadows.

He would whip the stuffing out of a boy for my sake. I remember once a fellow called me "wormy." We were coming home from Sunday-school, and I had resolved not to resent any insult—a very convenient way of resolving, by the way—and the big boy would have gone unpunished but for Jack.

What did he do? He lit onto that fellow, and he pelted him in the burr of the ear and got him down and such a thrashing that boy never toted before. That was Jack's style. No foolishness about him. He was of that particular type of ugliness that denotes cussedness and original sin.

I used to pray for Jack when the preacher would tell us to pray for all those whom we thought needed our prayers. Jack was cutting a jagged "J" on the back of the seat while I was praying for his conversion.

Ah, the days, the golden days, when the summers seemed so long. I wonder if the summers of paradise will not possess that same sweet, delicious lingering when the pathos and the passion of mortal life are past?

Sometimes I dream of Jack, now. The other night, I don't know what got into me, but I dreamed that we were rambling along the banks of one of those winding southern rivers, whose languid waters were murmuring, whispering, lisping among the reeds and rushes.

There was a flash of shining sand around the bend, and we came to a place where there was a thicket of cypress saplings. I saw one that would make the finest sort of a fishing pole, and Jack went to cut it for me. It grew right on the bank of a slough of black water, on whose sheeny bosom the tupelo gum berries were afloat.

I was timid—good boys are not always brave boys—and Jack went to cut the pole for me. I saw him open the little old rusty barlow knife, and he reached far over the treacherous bank.

He had cut it most in two, when there was a crash.

"Splash!"

The spray flew upward in a shower and blinded my eyes, and when I opened them—Jack was gone!

I was sitting up in bed gasping, struggling, choking, in my efforts to call help. Such dreams are our lives made up. Sometimes as I sit gazing up at the summer heavens I am startled by the illusion that I see that boy's face through a rift in the clouds.

Jack was a bad boy. Popper Joe used to shake his head and mutter:

'I tell you, dat boy's sho' ter come ter some bad end."

Then he would point to me and remark:

"But dar's a chile w'at'll be somebody. Dat's er good chile, de Lawd knows he is, an' folk'll make much er him w'en he gits ter be a growed up man."

I was so pitifully pious in those days. The fact is, I think I was not well. The chariot wheels of time rolled noiselessly on, and poor old blind Fate sat in the doorway of the future, with her palsied fingers untangling the skein of destiny, her withered lips all the while crooning those weird ditties whose echoes now and then thrill our souls with the warning of prophecy.

Jack was as tough as a lightwood knot, and nobody ever thought about him getting sick. He was too full of devilment to stay in bed, but they were very careful about me.

One winter we had an awful spell of weather and the stock suffered severely, for we had no shelter for them in the country in the days when I was a boy.

Jack had a favorite cow that had a little calf, and one cold drizzly afternoon the cow and calf failed to come home. Jack went in search of them, and it was late when he came back. He had brought the little calf in his arms a good portion of the way, and he drove the cow into the lot and gave her a big basket of shucks and nubbins, and put the little, weakly calf in a warm place.

It was dark when he came in, cold and tired, but he was as joyous and light-hearted as ever. He went over the rigmarole about—

"Amo daree my, romp stomp dominicker, shuck back, penniwinkle, instep nipcat, sing song kitty kin you kimee, O," and he cut a shuffle and turned a handspring as he came through the passage.

Before we went to bed we sat down before the fire and took the wet rags off his toes and tied them up with some dry ones, jokingly calling his big toe "big Ike," and the little toe "little Ike" as he fixed them.

During the night he woke me up telling me he was so hot and that he ached all over. I told him to go to sleep and not turn over and kick so much. Next morning he said he felt too bad to get up, and asked me to see about his cow and especially the calf.

I grumbled a good deal, and went and told grandma that Jack was too lazy to get up. She went to see about him and she said he had a fever. I went out and attended to the cow, expecting to find him up when I returned, but he was still tossing about in bed, and he began to talk foolish.

I scolded him about it and told grandma. She looked very grave when she went in and felt of his face, and she went and told one of the boys to go after the doctor.

Then I began to get uneasy. The place seemed so lonely and I never missed anyone so much in my life.

The cat dozed on the hearth in peace and the house was so quiet and still. The old doctor drove up to the gate in his sulky and took out his little leather saddle-bags and walked into the room where Jack was.

I watched him anxiously and when he took grandma aside and talked low to her I just caught the word "pneumonia." It was unfamiliar to me, and I felt a premonition of coming sorrow.

All day long I hung about the door, and late in the evening they told me that I would have to sleep in another room. I went in to see Jack, and he was tossing about, muttering something about his cow.

"I fed her, Jack, and I threw down some straw for her to sleep on," I said.

He looked at me, but he did not seem to understand. His eyes were so bright and his cheeks were so red that I didn't know what to make of it. That night I could not go to sleep and kept staring at the ceiling, thinking, thinking, thinking.

At last I got up softly and stole into his room. The candle was burning low and grandma and grandpa were sitting by the fire. Jack was lying still, with his eyes half open and he was breathing hard.

"Is he any better?" I asked, with a great lump in my throat.

"No, my son, he is mighty sick. Go back to bed now."

I went back to my room and I got down on my knees. I never will forget that night. I prayed: prayed as I never prayed before, as I have never prayed since. The words were broken with sobs.

Oh, the anguish of those dark hours! I would pray awhile and then I would stop and wonder if the good Lord heard me. Perhaps He was too busy at the time, and I would ask Him again in my childish simplicity, hoping that I might attract His attention.

A way long towards day I fell asleep and the sun was shining when I awoke, shining in the cloudless heavens, and the day was real mild.

I went into the room where the sick boy lay, and I saw that there was a change. His face was pale and his eyes sunken, and his breath came in gasps. I gulped down a sob as I looked at that shaggy head, and thought how often I had seen it bobbing about the house. Such a day as this we would be out about the lot and you could hear his whistle as merry as a mocking bird in May.

And now—

The candlestick with the half-burned candle, three medicine bottles on the mantel; the cup and the spoon and all the sad reminders of sickness and suffering. Aunt Ailsie walking softly about the room, keeping watch while the old folks got a little sleep.

"Is he any better?"

"No chile, he ain't no better, honey. De doctah say ef dey ain' some change po' little Jack won't be heah long."

I couldn't bear it. The good old mammy came and put her withered arms around me and kissed me and told me not to cry. I went out to the lot and Popper Joe was giving the cow some nubbins, and the calf was skipping clumsily around. The sight of them set me to crying again, and I turned away. Ah, the dismal day! Better the clouds and the dreary rain with Jack well, than floods of sunshine and he so sick. Late in the afternoon grandma called me.

"Come in here, son, Jack wants to see you."

I went into the room. The lingering rays of the wintry sun struggled in through the windows and fell on the snowy counterpane.

His face was ashen pale, and his eyes were no longer restless. He looked at me and a faint smile played about the pinched features. It was like the dying light of the wintry day.

He motioned me to come closer, and I found that his voice was so weak that he could but speak in whispers. The old doctor sat with his hand on the little wrist, and the family were gathered around the bed.

Then the fountains of my heart were broken up and I gave way to my grief.

"I want you to have all my things. Good-by," he whispered, and then they took me away.

As I lay sobbing and moaning in my room, I heard a cry from Aunt Ailsie:

"Oh, God bless my po' chile. Dey's one mo' angel done gone to glory!"

Now, I have told you the story. I cannot, even unto this day, dwell further on the sad theme. But it is a mystery to me why people should keep on harping about good boys and bad boys when I know just as well as I am sitting here that my boy comrade has gone to a better world than this!

And look at me. I was a model boy, and have lived to make more mistakes, suffer for more sins, and weep over more wrecked hopes than I can ever tell.

Dear old playmate, here is a tear to your memory, to the memory of a bad boy whose wantonness was mistaken for wickedness. Had you lived who knows but that your strength might have walled in my weakness, and kept these erring feet from straying.—Southern Farmer.

SPORT AT NILES.

Horse-Racing and a Baseball Tournament in June.

Niles, May 23.—The events at Gephart's driving park in this city during race week, from June 8 to 13, under the auspices of the Niles Jockey club, will constitute an era in the sporting history of southern Michigan. Here in Niles, where nothing like it has ever taken place, expectation is at its height. There will be horse racing every day at 2:30 p. m., with four races each day.

The Niles Derby will be run on Thursday, June 11. Several of the crack three-year-olds are entered in this event.

A tri-state baseball tournament, in which clubs from Michigan, Indiana and Illinois will participate, has been arranged and a game will be played every morning on June 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 at 10:45. The baseball events are under the direction of Tom Farley, of Chicago. Some of the contesting teams are undecided as to the day that will be most convenient for them to play, but the schedule and all details will be completed in a few days.

BOOTH'S CAPTOR DEAD.

Lieut. L. B. Baker, Who Caught the Assassin of Lincoln, Expires.

Lansing, May 25.—Lieut. Luther B. Baker, who, as an officer in the government detective service, had charge of the party which captured J. Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, died here Saturday, aged 66 years. Lieut. Baker was the first to strike Booth's trail as he crossed the Rappahannock. He demanded the assassin's surrender at the barn and was the only person who conversed with Booth before the barn was fired. He was also the first person to reach Booth after Corbett shot him, and received his dying message to his mother. The horse Buckskin, which Baker rode on the occasion of Booth's capture, died here a few years ago, and his stuffed frame is in the museum at the Agricultural college. The story of the pursuit and capture was related by Lieut. Baker from the lecture platform many times during the last eight years.

WAR ON FORTUNE-TELLERS.

State Supreme Court Pursues Them Under an Old English Law.

Lansing, May 27.—According to an opinion of the supreme court handed down Tuesday, fortune-tellers will be likely to give Michigan a wide berth in the future. One Arthur Elmer, while pretending to foretell the future at Ionia, advised a woman to leave her husband for the reason that while in a trance he had seen him in the act of killing her. Elmer was arrested as a disorderly person and convicted. The supreme court affirms the judgment of the court below, and emphasizes the English statute which says that "every person pretending or professing to tell fortunes shall be deemed a rogue and a vagabond."

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Better

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 6th day of June, 1896, and on the 2d day of November, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 2d day of May, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 15, 1896.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
B. A. GARLINGHOUSE,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 181, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the County of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

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Dearborn	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Wayne	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Rochester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Romeo	6 55 "	3 07 "	2 05 "
Armada	7 08 "	3 11 "	2 15 "
Richmond.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

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Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
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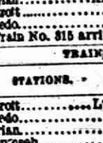

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FARM AND GARDEN.

PRETTY ROOF WINDOWS.

The Illustration Tells the Whole Story of Their Construction.

The chambers of many old-fashioned houses are dark and stuffy. They need light and air, which can be secured by letting windows into the roof. Double-roofed dormer windows are not particularly attractive, are quite expensive to build, and frequently leak. Besides they do not give the proper amount of room inside that is needed. A much better plan for roof windows is shown in the accompanying illustration, which tells its own story of construction. Here we have graceful lines and the

maximum of room inside, the ceiling of the room finishing flush right out into the addition. In front of the window, if desired, can be constructed a window box for flowers, as shown. In this case a gutter must be placed above the window to catch the drip. The rafters for such a dormer window can be cut from seven-eighths-inch boards, these being perfectly strong to support the weight of the dormer roof, which is, of course, very light. Cut from boards it is very easy to get the curved roof. Such windows can be added to a roof very cheaply and will give the greatest satisfaction, as the writer knows by experience.—Orange Judd Farmer.

PROSPEROUS HOMES.

Found on Every Farm Where Improvement Is the Watchword.

From all sections of the country comes an earnest expression of a desire for improvement along all lines of effort. This desire is the logical result of the improved condition of the farmers produced by their wise action last year in making their supplies at home. The home is the starting point for advancement and progress. Make the home self-sustaining and its inmates comfortable and happy, and it is easier then to establish the community and country on a higher plane of prosperity. The essential thing is to get the home in a prosperous condition, and no home can be prosperous unless the owners live there—live in the true meaning of the word, and not simply exist there. The farm is the farmer's world and the home the heart and center of that world. In conducting the farm on sound business principles it is vitally important that provision must first be made for the sustenance of the family and live stock necessary to conduct operations on the farm. With this as a basis, decreasing expenditures, the money crop will be a surplus one, and the producer will be, to a certain extent, independent.

The expression of a general desire for improvement is an omen of better times. It is prophetic of still greater improvement of the condition of the farmer, of the soil he cultivates, in his system of cultivation, and in the handling of the products of the farm. Let improvement be the watchword.—Southern Cultivator.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

Very few animals are as dainty or as choice in their food as sheep.

To plow manure deep is to lose a good part of the possible benefit.

The health of the animal affects the quality and quantity of the wool.

The first gait to teach the young colt is a good, strong smart walk.

Feed the lambs as soon as they are able to eat, and keep them growing.

Mixed husbandry in gardening and fruit growing is essential to success.

A little boiled linseed meal given in the milk will be found good for colts.

In selecting and breeding horses look for three things, size, action and sense.

Both the fertility and moisture needed by growing crops is taken up by the weeds.

It does not pay to keep all kinds of and all sizes of hogs in the same pen and on the same feed.

A careless hand will often cause more loss than he is worth. Pay a fair price and secure good help.

Under present conditions it does not pay to raise mongrel cattle, as they cost as much as good grades and sell for less.—Farmers' Review.

Devastation of Forests.

The devastation of forests still goes on in various parts of the country, which, unlike New York and a few of the eastern and middle states, do not appreciate the value of trees. Unfortunately, this appreciation, even in the east, has come too late. It is proudly announced in a western paper that a large syndicate has acquired possession of 40,000 acres of timber land in northern Idaho. It is estimated that this area will yield more than 400,000,000 feet of white and yellow pine, red and white fir, cedar and tamarack. The arid waste which it will also yield is not taken into consideration in this estimate. Americans have too long looked upon trees as in their way unless they could be used to build fires or for commercial purposes. This was true a few hundred years ago in Germany; but now a man who cuts down a tree must plant one to take its place, or suffer a penalty. Probably a like provision will be enacted here some time, but it should come before many more trees are felled.

RESTORING PASTURES.

Harrowing in Clover Seed Is Given as an Excellent Plan.

The maintenance of pasture lands has become one of the important problems in connection with farm management. Our system of close grazing, followed by periods of prolonged drought inevitably leads to weakened vitality of grass plants, resulting in deficient stand and reduced productiveness. One of the best plans of renovation, says the Massachusetts Plowman, is to harrow in some clover seed. From experiments at the Iowa station it appeared that clover seed disced into blue grass pasture at the rate of ten quarts per acre increased the yield 65 per cent., the equivalent of 1,500 pounds of cured hay per acre. Good, fine barnyard manure applied to blue grass pasture at the rate of 20 tons per acre increased the yield 74 per cent., equivalent to 1,700 pounds of cured hay per acre.

The addition of 30 pounds of grass seed per acre, together with the discing and harrowing, increased the yield of grass 32.6 per cent. or the equivalent of 800 pounds of hay per acre.

A top-dressing of liquid manure, 500 gallons to the acre, without grass or clover seed, increased the yield only 26.5 per cent.

The pasture used for the test was stated to be rather poor, shallow, gravelly soil; with a fairly good natural stand of grass.

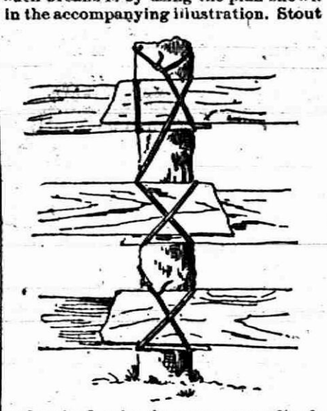
The results show that clover seed gave twice as much increase as grass seed, and more than twice as much as that produced by liquid manure.

In the practice of treating pastures with clover seed and the disc, the work can be very much reduced by applying the seed early while the ground is soft in order that a part of it may be covered by the tramping of stock, and the discing and harrowing should also be done at a time when the surface will be most readily loosened. With many pastures the rocks prevent the use of the disc machine, and in such cases considerable can be accomplished with the old-style tooth-harrow. But a disk harrow should be used in the clear places.

REPAIRING FENCES.

Stout Galvanized Wire Is Far Better for Mending Than Nails.

Mending pasture fences is often a prominent element in the regular summer work of the farm. The boards used in pasture fencing are usually of a cheap quality, and either decay rapidly or warp and twist out of shape, either of which evils has a tendency to free the ends of the boards from the posts. To again nail these ends to the posts is but to temporize. They will soon be off again. A much better way to mend such breaks is by using the plan shown in the accompanying illustration. Stout



galvanized wire is now exceedingly cheap. It is just the material to use in making repairs upon board fences. Secure the end of the wire to the top of the post so that it cannot slip down, and then bind it about the post and the ends of the boards in the manner shown, making it fast at the bottom. Such repairing is easy, and, best of all, it is effective and lasting. Such wire may also be used in binding pole fences to the stakes which support them.—N. Y. Tribune.

Receding Clover Meadows.

The Ohio Experiment station is now planning some experiments in attempting to get a stand of clover on fields sown last spring, but which failed to make a perfect stand, owing to the drought. The bare spots in these fields will first be gone over with a sharp spike harrow, or with a disk harrow; crimson clover and common clover will then be sown side by side, and lightly covered in with smoothing harrow. A light seeding of oats as a nurse crop may be added on part of the land, for comparison, but we expect the best results from seeding the clover alone. Last season's experience demonstrated that the nurse crop may prove a robber instead of a nurse, by taking all the water from the soil and leaving none for the clover.

Care of Grass Lands.

Almost anything spread thinly over grass lands will help them. Even material not very rich and which itself will not grow a good crop will make the grass grow better, because it acts as a mulch for the grass roots beneath. The washings of poor uplands will fertilize the richer soil of the valleys below. But except where top dressings can be thus done naturally by irrigation it will not pay to top dress with poor material. The labor will be too great, and it will trample and cut up the grass too much unless the fertilizing material is put on during the winter.

The Saving of Fertilizers.

Do not let an ounce of fertility on the farm go to waste. Utilize every thing that has in it any elements that will enrich the soil, and take such care of your manures that the best part of them is not lost before they reach your fields. Every farm should have a compost heap, where all sorts of refuse from the house, barn and yards can be thrown. A good many tons of the most valuable fertilizers can be saved in this manner, fertilizers that now go you know not where.—Farm News.

Rocked the Boat.

Oak Harbor, O., May 26.—Two men named Hugh Conroy and Steve Janssen, each aged about 25, and Mrs. Mary Janssen, the wife of the last named, were drowned in the lake near here by the upsetting of their boat. Conroy was responsible for the accident. He was partly intoxicated and persisted in rocking the boat.

Eleven Persons Drowned.

Cairo, Ill., May 27.—A terrific hurricane and cloudburst struck this city at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The extent of the destruction of property cannot yet be ascertained, but it is known at least a dozen lives were lost through the capsizing of the steam ferryboat Katherine.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Deserontd, Ont., May 27.—Fire broke out yesterday in the tile dock of Rathburn & Co., and in a short time spread northward and eastward until it had swept away almost the entire eastern portion of the town. About 75 families are homeless. The loss will aggregate over $350,000.

Whole Family Murdered.

Ava, Mo., May 25.—The whole Sawyer family, consisting of father, mother and grown-up son, were discovered in their home one mile east of this place Saturday foully murdered. Edward Perry, the supposed murderer, was arrested. Robbery was the motive.

Family Quarrel Ends in Death.

Cleveland, O., May 26.—August Guenther, 45 years old, shot his wife, Minnie, Monday morning, at their home, 54 Hackman street, and then turned the weapon on himself. Both are dead. The tragedy was the result of a family quarrel.

Killed in a Mine.

Butte, Mont., May 27.—Peter Connelly and John Nolan were instantly killed and their bodies terribly mangled Tuesday by premature explosion of a blast in the J. I. C. mine.

Bitten by a Tarantula.

Kalamazoo, May 27.—Mrs. J. C. Crogin was bitten by a tarantula which came out of a bunch of bananas, and became a raving manic, but hopes of her recovery are entertained.

Dies from His Bath in Beer.

Houghton, May 24.—Anton Funke, who jumped into a large cooling vat full of beer at the Haas brewery on Monday, died Saturday morning from the effects of his bath.

A Fatal Fall.

Benton Harbor, May 22. — Duncan MacKellar, a contractor, fell 25 feet from a scaffold to a concrete pavement, receiving fatal injuries.

Poisoned Himself.

Coldwater, May 23.—Ambrose Bunnell, 66 years of age, rendered despondent by poor health, committed suicide by poison.

Died of Lockjaw.

Detroit, May 25.—Mrs. Albert Knox, of Ganges, stepped on a rusty nail and died of lockjaw.

According to the St. Louis City directory, just issued, the population of that city is 611,268.

The Only One that's imitated, among all washing compounds, is Pearline. That is because it is the original, the most popular, and the best. Paddlers and some grocers will tell you that this thing or that thing is "the same as" or "as good as" Pearline — what better recommendation do you want for Pearline? They tell you this because it pays them better to sell these "same as" stuffs. But how will it pay you to use them? Any saving that they can offer you, in prizes or prices, can be only nominal. The loss in ruined linens, flannels, muslins, etc., can be large. 363 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c, (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and 1, at Orr & Temple's. May

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THUNDER AND LIGHTNING.

The Damage Enormous—Only One Safe Way to Live.

A few weeks since a paragraph appeared calling attention to the immense amount of damage which had been done within the past two months by lightning. The loss of property in that time in this section of the state has been simply appalling and almost every day now has its thunder shower and adds to the list of casualties. We also spoke of the service done in this connection by our veteran lightning rod man, John F. Hicks. As nearly every exchange which comes to our table relates some fresh disaster and as the life and property of nearly every householder seems to be in jeopardy, it is but fair to suppose that our readers would be interested in an investigation into the merits of lightning rods as a protection, since they are the only means which science has yet offered as a safeguard against the omnipotent electric discharge. A little light also on the methods of hanling this useful commodity would no come amiss in this connection.

Apropos to this idea Mr. Hicks was consulted in regard not only to the practicability of and actual results obtained by the use of a lightning rod, but also to the methods employed in selling and putting them up. As Mr. Hicks has spent upwards of 40 years in the continued and successful prosecution of this business and as his work has found favor and praise during all this time among men of the highest reputation and safety, his experience would probably furnish as reliable data as could be procured on this subject.

The theory of lightning rod protection is founded upon one of the simplest and best known laws of physical science. Every school boy knows that electricity will find and follow the best conductor.

The practice part of this business is to always have the rods so adjusted as to make a perfect conductor, and then, and then only, do they afford a perfect protection.

Mr. Hicks not only erects his rods with the best workmanship on scientific principles, but guarantees to keep them in perfect repair and his guarantee is good. The two principal points in regard to rod's conductivity are the point or and the ground connections. In regard of points, Mr. Hicks showed a dozen or so which had been struck and considered useless and which had been replaced by him. These points had been taken from the Union school, Globe Mill, the buildings of Chauncey Coopand C. W. Greenleaf, of Cambridge, John Seeler, of Brooklyn, and others. One notable instance was the Germ church at Richville, Tuscola Co., thiate. Before rodding, the building was damaged by lightning over $1,000 dollars worth. The church was then roded and it has since sustained the heavy strokes without injury, as time melting the points and ornaments, which have been replaced free of charge.

In regard to the ground connections, Mr. Hick with the advice of such men as Prof. Kedzie, of the Agricultural College, has devised a battery test by which he can instantly make a perfect and satisfactory test of this most important condition of the rod.

Concerning the experience of Mr. Hicks in his business and his methods of doing it, his integrity and responsibility as the confidence placed in the protection of lightning rods as handled by him among most practical and successful business men, we append the following:

Adrian, Mich.
June 5nd 1890.

This is to certify that I have known Mr. John F. Hicks of Tecumseh, Mich., for the last 30 years, and that 18 years ago he erected upon my buildings his improved Lightning Conductors, agreeing at the time to keep them in good repair without cost to me, which he has done to my entire satisfaction, and this day has been at my place and tested the conductors with his electric battery, to see they were in prime order, and also to determine if the ground connections were still perfect. He has found them in perfect working order, and I am now more satisfied than ever that Lightning Rods are a protection to life and property when erected on buildings in a scientific manner and the ground connections made perfect. I have never known of any work Mr. Hicks has done which has not given good satisfaction. Nor have I ever known a building to be damaged by lightning which he has rodded. I am well pleased with the work Mr. Hicks has done for me and do not hesitate to recommend him to every one wishing lightning conductors placed on their buildings, as perfectly reliable and trustworthy in every respect.

Z. Cook,
Pres. and Treas. of the Farmer's Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Lenawee Co. Mich.

Mr. Hicks has similar statements from such well known business men and farmers as Lucius Lilley, C. A. Slayton, Webb Anderson, Robert Cairns, A. Richard and Nathan Spencer, of Raisin, E. Howell, of Macon, Wm. K. Childs, Secy. of the Washtenaw Insurance Co., and a host of others.

A certificate from the Tecumseh school board reads as follows:

Aug. 4th 1884.

The undersigned, members of the school board of the village of Tecumseh, certify to the permanency and durability of the rods placed upon our school building by Jno. F. Hicks. Said rods were erected 25 years ago, sometime since receiving a heavy stroke of electricity, melting the points but carrying the electricity to the ground without damage to the building or the inmates. Said points were replaced without cost to the district. We cheerfully recommend Jno. F. Hicks to parties wanting lightning rods.

Samuel Catlin
S. G. Stacy,
David McNair,
Lucius Lilley.

Beside his business relations in this section, Mr. Hicks is equally well and favorably known in this connection in Northern Michigan. For over twenty-five years he has done rodding in the Saginaw valley and adjacent country with the success which has always attended his work in this section as the following will show:

First National Bank,
East Saginaw, Mich.,
July 13, 1895.

This is to certify that twenty-five years since Mr. J. F. Hicks, of Tecumseh, Mich., rodded my residence and barn in East Saginaw, and agreed to keep it in good order free of expense to me, and that he has this day examined the buildings by testing the same with his battery in my presence and finds the rods and groundins so satisfactory that I have ordered my farm house and barns at Blacknar rodded, as I consider his system of rodding a full protection as against the effects of lightning. I have full confidence in his integrity and his system of rodding buildings, and can cheerfully recommend him to any one in need of his services.

E. T. Judd, President.

Sept. 1st 1894.

This is to certify that I have been acquainted with Mr. J. F. Hicks, of Tecumseh, Mich., for the past 25 years, he having at that time placed on my residence in this city and on my farm buildings in South Saginaw, his improved Lightning Rods, agreeing at the time to keep the same in good repair, without cost to me, which has been done to my entire satisfaction. On looking the work over this 1st day of September he found that one of the points on the cupola of the 120 foot barn had been struck and melted, which he replaced without cost to me. I am satisfied that the little money which the farmer pays out for good lightning rods is money well spent. Mr. Hicks has just placed rods on my cluster of farm buildings in Gratiot and Saginaw Counties, there being 19 buildings that he rodded. The work requiring 2,808 feet of rod and 54 points, and I consider the money well spent, as I believe them a perfect protection from lightning, and the work has been done to my entire satisfaction, and I cheerfully recommend Mr. Hicks to every one wishing lightning rods placed on their buildings, as perfectly reliable and trustworthy in every respect.

D. L. C. Eaton.

It is a quite prevalent idea and one perhaps substantiated by fact, that the lightning rod business has sometimes born the earmarks of "fake." This may even be true as practiced by some agents. Concerning their methods, we have nothing to say either for or against. In this connection we simply say that the work of Mr. Hicks as alluded to above, speaks for itself. A few of the points discovered are these: Rods properly put up are a safe protection. Properly taken care of they continue a safe protection. Mr. Hicks does both these things and his guarantee is as good as gold. Again, no business in Michigan is conducted on sounder business principles than the manner in which he does his work. He or his representative can always be found at 51 Union St., Tecumseh, Mich., to do new work or make good that which has already been done by him.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal. Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

The anchor line steamer Belgravia landed 1,548 Italian immigrants at Ellis Island, New York Harbor a few days ago.

When Nature

Needs assistance it may be the best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

Old People.

Sunday Service via C., J. & M. R'y.

On Sunday, May 24, Sunday train service on the C., J. & M. R'y will be inaugurated between Toledo and Sand Lake, Devils Lake, Clarks Lake, Jackson, and intermediate points. Special low excursion rates to the lake resorts and one fare for the round trip between all stations. For time of trains, rates, etc., call on C., J. & M. agents.

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James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal panacea for coughs, colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations.

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery. Try this ideal cough remedy now. Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

Rev. C. O. Brown, of the first Congregational church, San Francisco, Cal., has resigned as the outcome of the recent scandal.

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ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Circuit Court adjourned last week until June 1st.

Ann Arbor's city fathers do not allow carts to be pushed on the sidewalks.

The Morenci Observer has a bran new dress, which becomes the sheet very much.

Crop reports show great devastation to the wheat crop from rust and the Hessian fly.

The Great Camp of the K. O. T. M. exemplified the new ritual at Ann Arbor Wednesday.

A village of eight acres has been laid out at Clark's Lake and the plat has been filed in the office of register of deeds.

The gold medal contest held in the Methodist church at Adrian last Friday evening was won by Miss Lida Pate, of Adrian. Eight contestants took part.

Two lads aged 11 each were drowned while bathing in an artificial pond just over the Ohio state line, Saturday. Their names were Harry Meguerer and Floyd Bell.

Rev. Whitney, of the Adrian Baptist church, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday. The pulpit will be supplied during the summer by Chicago theological students.

The new Lima Northern will run from the crossing point on the Wabash near Seneca to Jackson. It will probably enter Adrian on the Wabash and run into Detroit over that line.

Adrian and Hillsdale champions held a field day of sports at the latter place last Monday. A good day was had, but the Hillsdale boys won a majority of events on account of superior training.

Fire destroyed the old Gillis mill, a land mark of Morenci, at about 2 o'clock last Friday morning. Several contingent buildings were also consumed with little insurance. The direction of the wind saved the town.

Quite a disgraceful row occured recently at Ann Arbor over a freshman banquet. The University, as usual, claims it was caused by "town hoodlums" Town hoodlums are bad enough but not a circumstance to U. of M. ruffians of the same stamp.

It is said that only a dozen Adrian people are candidates for the county offices this fall. We move to make it unanimous and give the porcine Adrianites a life lease of all the county offices.—Blissfield Advance. Second the motion, Mr. President.

Herbert Benedict, of Jackson, champion 35 mile runner of Michigan, ran 10 miles at the fair ground, Thursday of last week, in one hour and 10 minutes.—Ann Arbor Argus. That is very good but simply nothing at all for Cowboy Smith who did 10 miles here on short laps in less than one hour.

The general store of W. S. Culver at Brooklyn was entered last Thursday night by parties prying up a window. As nothing is left in the safe, it was left unlocked and was not disturbed. A few pennies were taken from the cash register. The job was probably done by local talent.

The editor of Judge recently passed to the judgement side of the river, the editor of puck passed away last week and since the free silver knock out at the recent democratic state convention, Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, has not felt at all well. The present year has killed several humorists and sagged the constitutions of others.—Monroe Democrat.

The most terrific cyclone ever experienced in Michigan swept over Mt. Clemens and part of Oakland county last Monday evening. The loss of life has reached the number of 45 with as many more seriously injured. The destruction of property can hardly be estimated. Our state has always been considered especially fortunate in respect to cyclones of such fury and extent, but now has suffered alike with her western sisters. Relief is being sent to the sufferers.

The following facts go to prove that the high license law is the most practical way of dealing with the liquor question: In 1894 the total number of dealers in spirituous liquors in the state was 3, 011, and the tax paid $1,410,804.87. In 1895 the number of dealers was 3,928, an increase of 917, and the tax paid $1,886,966 27, and increase of $476,161 37 In 1894 however, the number of beer licenses taken out was 1,524, the amount of tax paid being $415,193 50 In 1895 the number of dealers showed a decrease of 1,404. and the amount of tax paid $12,786 28, a decrease of $402,407 22.

Mayor Pingree speaks at Morenci to the high school graduates June 2nd. The distinguished gentleman is given to learned, polished, scholarly productions couched in choice English, at times, and if he gets off an original speech instead of one that has been written for him by "Alec", he will make the grammars and the bibles in the school tumble out of their places. Hazen will incidentally grab for some of his gubernational boom as has not sunk from sight, and you can set down Seneca for a solid Pingree poultice at the next republican convention. —Adrian Press.

Two young Tecumsehites, recently wandering in the cemetery, were chased by a bogus ghost and fled, covered with "goose pimples." The "ghost" may yet meet the fate of the joker, who having wrapped himself in a sheet, laid him on a grave in the gloaming and uttered a sepulchral groan, as a man with a rope halter on his arm strode by from his pasture. The man with the halter stopped, gazed a moment at the "ghost," then sliding the halter into his hands, belabored the "spirit" unmercifully, shouting. Git into yer hole! What'r yer doin out in the dew at this time o'night"—Monroe Democrat.

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Farmers' Social Club.

Tuesday afternoon the members of the Farmer's Social Club laid aside cares and responsibilities for a few hours and gathered at the home of Mr. John Fisher to enjoy with one another the pleasures of the May meeting. This is always a much anticipated meeting with the society, and this year, with Mr. Fisher as host and Miss Ellen as hostess, the enjoyment exceeded all expectation.

Mrs. Benedict, Mrs. Ora Gillespie, Ellen Fisher and Hazel Roberts provided the music for the afternoon.

A couple of recitations were rendered and an essay entitled, "Home Making," read by Mrs. Finch, plainly pictured the difference between house keeping and home making.

Mrs. Remington's original poem contained many beautiful thoughts and was one of the features of the afternoon.

Mr. Coddington related reminiscences of the rebellion in a true soldier's spirit, giving some of the trials and hardships encountered by the brave boys in blue, and closed his remarks with an amusing story.

Mr. Bowen read a brief but well worded paper on "Lessons of the Past Year in Farming," which was followed by a short discussion.

Supper was then announced, and on entering the dining room the sight that met the vision would have satisfied an epicure. The tables fairly bent beneath the weight of provisions, provided by the ladies and the quality of each article of food was par excellence. After lingering some time in social chat the company seperated, agreeing to meet in June at the lake for an all day picnic.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Special Session.

Council Room, May 6th, 1896.

Present entire council, excepting trustee Boyd.

Saloonist's bond of William J. Arnold, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500, with Henry Smith and Geo. Merritt as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that bond, with sureties named, be approved. Supported; carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. Ingersoll, Village Clerk.

Regular Session.

Council Room, May 18, 1896.

Present, entire council, excepting Trustee Lowry.

Minutes of last regular meeting and special meeting of May 6th, 1896, read and approved.

Chairman of street committee reported that the committee had examined the Union street bridge and that the same was found to be in a very bad condition; that piling is all gone at south end of bridge and that timber in same is in a rotten condition. That it is absolutely necessary that a new bridge be erected at once to replace old one. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved that committee ascertain the probable cost of different kinds of bridge for place and that they report at next meeting. Supported; carried.

Street commissioner's report for period from May 4th until May 18th, 1896, presented, showing village team labor 10½ days. Hired team labor 9 days 6 hours, cost $24.00. Twelve days poll tax worked. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Cement walks—E. G. Cook, $37.52; George Merritt, $11.55; George W. Knapp, $7.00. Labor—Dell Packard, $13.75; William Fielder, $24.00. C. F. Field, printing, $2.90. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the said several sums.

Moved that the recommendation of the President that the ordinance relating to the village paying one-fourth of the cost of cement walks be repealed, be not considered and that recommendation be placed on the table. Supported; carried.

Ordinance committee was instructed to prepare and present at next meeting an ordinance relative to village police.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. Ingersoll, Village Clerk.

Tecumseh Price Current.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	10	12
Eggs, per doz	8	10
Lard, per lb		08
Potatoes, per bushel	5	10
Beans, per bushel	75	1 20
Salt, common, per bbl		1 00
Cheese, per lb		12
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		15
Smoked shoulders		9
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 00 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 50	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	6 to 15
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 6½	10
Turkeys		
Hides, green		4
Sheep Pelts	35 to 85	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		65
Corn, shelled		22 to 23
Corn in ear	17 to	20
Oats	17 to	18
Hay, timothy, per ton	10 00 to	12 00
Hay, clover, per ton		9 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		70
Middlings, per 100 lbs		80
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw		$3.00

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show. In all departments of the vast concern, honesty and fair de
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It will Be Here in all its Gorgeous Splendor,
Be on the streets at noon and witness the Grand Free Street P
then go and see the greatest free exhibition ever witnessed at 1 and
m., the perilous dive 60 feet into a net at the show ground. Have
wild animals in my side show than any traveling. Children under
of age in the afternoon, half price.
Tecumseh, Wednesday, June 3,
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HELP IS NEEDED.

Cyclone Victims Suffering for the Necessaries of Life.

Oxford, May 30. — As time passes it becomes more and more apparent that all aid which can be given the cyclone sufferers by the generous people of this vicinity will not be nearly adequate to meet the demand when divided among the many sufferers. The people throughout the state must be appealed to. Could the people generally gaze upon the destruction of the devastated district no appeal in words would be necessary. Some systematic way of soliciting aid throughout the state will doubtless be devised. The people are not only suffering for the immediate necessities of life, but they must have places to shelter their families and their stock. Help must be furnished at once to clear away the debris scattered throughout fields and to rebuild fences sufficient to protect crops from the stock. Should the farmers attempt to do this themselves they will not be able to get their ground in shape for any crops whatever this season, and fall would find them with nothing whatever to sell or live upon during the winter.

Lansing, June 2.—This state will supply to the Michigan cyclone sufferers a sufficient number of tents for temporary shelter, until houses can be erected. Gov. Rich is receiving generous donations, and is having personal charge of the distributions.

FOUND IN CHICAGO.

Plunder Stolen from a Battle Creek Store Recovered—Thief Captured.

Battle Creek, May 28.—The young man who stole silks valued at $2,500 from the Leader dry goods store and then attempted to burn the store on the morning of April 28, has been located by Deputy Sheriff King. He gives his name as Péroy Bennett, is 18 years old and his parents live at Cleveland, O. Bennett left the city the following Saturday night after the robbery was committed with two packing boxes and a trunk containing the silks for Chicago. He was soon followed by King, who located where he had been stopping in the outskirts of that city, but had left for Springfield, Ill., where he did a job of the same kind, carrying out $40,000 worth of goods to the roof of the building. He was nabbed in the act by Springfield officers. The silks taken from here are in storage in Chicago.

MUST PAY $12,000.

Verdict Against Edgar Pells for Breach of Promise.

Petoskey, June 1. — A dispatch received from Medina, N. Y., states that a verdict has been rendered against Edgar Pells, of this city, for $12,000 for breach of promise. Mr. Pells spends several months every year in this city. He is proprietor of the little village of Pellston, 17 miles north of here, on the Grand Rapids & Indiana, and in the immediate vicinity of that village he owns about 20,000 acres of land. He came here in 1875, and invested largely in swamp and timber lands, and has since made a fortune in land speculation and lumbering estimated at $1,000,000 to $2,000,000. He is a smooth-faced, mild-mannered, jolly little man, about 40 years of age, and a prime favorite with the quiet bachelor set in which he moves.

Oldest Resident Dead.

Howell, May 28.—Livingston county lost its oldest resident Wednesday by the death of Henry Higgins Smith, who died at his home in this city aged 88 years. He was born in Utica, N. Y., December 8, 1807, and moved to Livingston county in 1835, taking up a claim and then returning to his eastern home. The next year he came back to Michigan and settled down where Howell now stands. He was a prominent figure in early days in this vicinity, and was known by all men as a man of unflinching integrity. He leaves a widow and two sons, and two sisters also survive him.

Murdered His Betrothed.

Chelsea, May 31. — Emma Morekel was shot and killed Saturday night by her fiance, Fred Hydloff, who was in a jealous rage because the young woman had been escorted home by another man. Hydloff then shot himself, and not succeeding in fatally wounding himself, he tried to batter his own brains out, but he was finally controlled and taken into custody.

Attempted Assassination.

Kalamazoo, May 31.—Twelve shots were fired at Thomas McHugh, president of the Molders' union, Saturday at midnight by unknown parties. The trouble arose, as alleged, over union and nonunion molders' differences. McHugh's escape and the names of his probable assailants are much discussed.

Fell Overboard.

Detroit, June 1. — Will H. Riedy, a well-known local amateur athlete, member of the Detroit Athletic club, and the Detroit Boat club, fell overboard from the yacht City of the Straits Sunday afternoon, and before assistance could reach him he sank and was drowned.

Too Much Rope-Jumping.

Grand Rapids, May 30.—As a result of excessive rope jumping Grace Parker, a 13-year-old girl, was seriously injured about a week ago and died Friday after undergoing a difficult operation at the U. B. A. hospital.

—The Brooklyn bridge is 278 feet above the river.

SHORT BITS OF NEWS.

Interesting Occurrences in Various Localities in Michigan.

The huckleberry crop in the upper peninsula has been damaged by frost.

Copper is said to have been found three miles from Petoskey, whether in paying quantities will be determined later.

William Wilbur, of Wilbur, aged 74 years, was found dead in an outhouse on his place. Heart disease was the cause.

Brig. Gen. Hawley intends to make rifle practice a prominent feature of the coming encampment of the state troops.

Burglars cleaned out Sensiba's jewelry store and the post office at Stephenson, taking $100 in stamps and six dollars in cash.

Grasshoppers in large numbers have made their appearance in the vicinity of North Adams and considerable anxiety is felt by farmers for their crops.

Many farmers in Van Buren county will plow up their wheat fields, and plant corn, the wheat having been ruined by hail, rust and the Hessian fly.

A special election will be held in Three Oaks, Berrien county, June 8, to vote on a proposition to bond the village for $10,650 to put in a system of waterworks.

Judge Allen C. Adsit, of the circuit court, while riding a bicycle in Grand Rapids, ran into a grocery wagon Tuesday night, was kicked by the horse and severely hurt.

Owen Roberts, of Port Huron, will begin suit against Eddy Bros., of Detroit, for $10,000 for personal injuries sustained two years ago by the bursting of a bottle of sulphuric acid shipped by the Detroit firm to the Sulphite Fiber company.

A STRANGE CASE.

Calhoun County Woman Said to Have Fasted for 100 Days.

La Porte, Ind., June 1. — Mrs. Henry Ingram, of Calhoun county, Mich., on Sunday entered upon the 100th day of her record-breaking fast. During this period she has not taken a morsel of food of any kind and does not appear to need anything to eat. Her health remains about the same, and her physicians are at a loss to account for her condition, nor are they able to break her fast, which promises only to end by death. The strange condition of Mrs. Ingram, as published in the newspapers, resulted in bringing together her two brothers-in-law, each of whom had mourned the other as dead. George Ingram, of Lyons, N. Y., found in Henry Ingram, of Detroit, Mich., his long-lost brother, and Sunday at the bedside of Mrs. Ingram they were reunited.

Carpenters Satisfied.

Detroit, May 30.—At a meeting of the striking carpenters Friday morning an agreement signed by President Helson for the Carpenter Contractors' association was submitted, and on the basis of the same the strike was declared off. The agreement states that the contractors will continue to pay the same rates, from 20 to 25 cents an hour for nine hours' work, and one-fourth more for overtime until January 1, 1897, after which date they will pay a minimum wage of 25 cents an hour for eight hours' work, and one-fourth overtime.

They Have the Vouchers.

Niles, June 3.—The shortage of 4,584 in the waterworks fund, which was discovered a week ago by an expert accountant while at work on the books and which created such a sensation in the city, was cleared up satisfactorily Monday night at the council meeting. The committee of the old council which had charge of the construction of the waterworks submitted a report showing that the money had been paid to the contractors. It also produced vouchers for the amount.

A "Scorcher" Killed.

Bay City, June 3.—Hiram Cone, the foreman in the assembly room of the National Bicycle works, while "scorching" down Madison street, ran directly in front of an electric car. He was going so fast that he could not stop in time to avoid a collision. His companion, John Large, who was also scorching, hit the car and was thrown off, receiving painful injuries. Cone's body was dragged under the wheels 50 feet and horribly mutilated. Cone leaves a family of three.

Found Dead in Her Bed.

Sturgis, May 28.—The wife of Supervisor William E. McKee, of Fawn River, residing 4½ miles southeast of Sturgis, was found dead in her bed Wednesday morning. She was a very estimable lady. Mr. McKee came to Sturgis early on business. He looked at his wife before leaving and thought her asleep. He learned of her death several hours later and is nearly prostrated from grief.

Suicide at Ionia.

Ionia, May 28.—H. J. Cable, keeper of a restaurant, corner of Depot and Front streets, committed suicide by taking strichnine Wednesday afternoon. He bought a dose of the poison at Van Allen's drug store at two o'clock, and when in front of the post office swallowed it. He was taken to his home and died within a half hour.

Killed at St. Louis.

Muskegon, May 29.—Among the victims of the St. Louis cyclone was J. Earle Keane, of this city, who was in the Vandalia frieight office as a clerk. He was to have been married next month to Miss Lottie Nichols, formerly of this city, but now of Chicago.

OUR LAWMAKERS.

What They Are Doing at the National Capital.

Measures of Importance That Are Under Consideration in the Senate and the House—Bills Passed and Others Considered.

Washington, May 28. — The senate yesterday defeated the proposition to increase the beer tax 75 cents a barrel by a vote of 34 to 27. The filled-cheese bill was further discussed, as was also the bond bill. A bill was favorably reported to increase pay of letter carriers throughout the United States.

Washington, May 29.—The bond bill was further discussed in the senate yesterday Senator Carter, of Montana, gave notice of an amendment to the filled-cheese bill, putting on a tax and establishing regulations against adulterated beer.

Washington, May 30.—In the senate yesterday the bill for the repeal of the free alcohol clause of the Wilson tariff act was passed, as was also the house bill concerning the distillation of brandy from fruits. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 2.—The bill to prohibit the issuance of interest-bearing bonds without the consent of congress was further discussed in the senate yesterday, but no action was taken.

Washington, June 3.—The senate yesterday passed the bill to prohibit the issuance of interest-bearing bonds without the consent of congress by a vote of 32 to 25.

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, May 28. — The house spent almost the entire time yesterday discussing the senate amendment to the general deficiency bill appropriating large sums for various claims, and it was adopted finally.

Washington, May 29.—In the house yesterday a partial conference report on the Indian appropriation bill occasioned an animated controversy. A resolution adopted by the senate providing for the loan of tents by the war department and such other relief as the secretary may deem necessary to the sufferers by the St. Louis storm was concurred in.

Washington, May 30.—In the house yesterday no business was transacted. A message was received from the president vetoing the river and harbor bill. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 2.—In the house yesterday the bill authorizing the appointment of a labor committee of 20 members to investigate the relations of labor and capital and to report to congress desirable legislation in relation thereto was passed.

Washington, June 3.—The river and harbor appropriation bill was passed over the president's veto yesterday by the unexpected heavy vote of 220 yeas to 60 nays. The republicans, with practical unanimity, and 39 democrats, with one populist, made up the affirmative vote, while the negative vote was about equally divided between the republicans and democrats, five populists voting with them.

STEVENSON-HARDIN NUPTIALS.

Brilliant Wedding at Washington of the Vice President's Daughter.

Washington, June 3.—The marriage of Miss Julia Stevenson, daughter of the vice president of the United States, to Rev. Martin D. Hardin, of Lexington, Ky., which took place Tuesday evening at the New York avenue Presbyterian church, the largest edifice of that denomination in the city, was a brilliant affair, attended by all the high officials, including President Cleveland and Mrs. Cleveland, and most of the diplomatic corps. The bridegroom is the son of Gen. P. Watt Hardin, the recent democratic candidate for governor of Kentucky. Miss Stevenson was attended by her sister, Miss Letitia Stevenson, as maid of honor, and four bridesmaids, Miss Letitia Scott, Miss Jane Hardin, Miss Julia Scott and Miss Julia Hardin.

Blaine's Body to Be Removed.

Augusta, Me., June 2.—The body of the late James G. Blaine will be taken from Oak Hill cemetery, Washington, and will be brought to this city. Mrs. Blaine has decided to have both the bodies of her husband and her son Walker buried here, and the removal will occur probably this month. Mrs. Blaine has purchased three acres on the front of Burnt Hill for the purpose.

Women's Peace League Delegates.

Washington, June 3.—The American branch of the Women's International Peace league has selected Mrs. Mary F. Ormsby, of this city, president of the American branch, and Mrs. Lacey Green Leach, a relative of Vice President Stevenson, as delegates to the international congress for women's work at Berlin, Germany, from September 19 to 21 of this year.

Portland, Ore., June 2.—At the state election yesterday the returns indicate that the republicans elected Bean for chief justice by 5,000 plurality, a large majority of the legislature and reelected Congressman Tongue and Ellis.

Less Money in Circulation.

Washington, June 2.—The treasury official statement shows a decrease of all kinds of money in circulation during May of $18,482,709, and since June 1, 1895, of $38,000,000. The per capita circulation is stated at $21.35.

Clinton Column.

The Medicine Man Here—A List of Interesting Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Rev. B. S. Hudson was in town last Friday.

Geo. Freese was an Adrian visitor Sunday.

A baby girl, last Sunday, at L. E. Gibson's.

Jas. Hamilton was in town the first of the week.

George A. Kies returned from Indiana last Saturday.

Nellie Martin visited Tecumseh Monday afternoon.

B. F. Thompson was a Tecumseh visitor Sunday.

C. Baldwin, of Manchester, was in town Wednesday.

Kittie Noone returned Monday from her Jackson visit.

Sadie Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Rev. T. H. Warner and family arrived Tuesday from Lansing.

C. F. Clark and wife visited Detroit a couple of days last week.

Frank L. Parker came home Friday night for a few days' visit.

Polly Erlenbush returned Monday from her Ann Arbor visit.

Grace Davis was home from Detroit from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Thos. H. Biggins was on the sick list the first of the week.

Ely Fisk and wife, of Jackson, visited at W. H. Dorr's last Friday.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife were up from Britton to spend Sunday.

Ed Grey, of Tecumseh, played with the Clinton band Decoration day.

Wilbur Hogan went to Chicago last Friday to visit his brother, Frank.

Mrs. Sarah Platte has been quite seriously ill for the past few days.

Nate Schmidt and Will Lehr, of Manchester, were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Janet Walker went to Lansing Wednesday to visit her son, James.

One of Jas. Ferrick's twin girls has been very sick for the past few days.

Frank Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, visited friends in town last Saturday.

A. G. Cobb and wife, of Saline, were visiting Clinton friends last Tuesday.

E. G. Cook and wife, of Tecumseh, spent last Saturday with Clinton relatives.

E. S. Tate drove over from Ypsilanti Monday afternoon and returned at night.

Miss Dora Shultz, of Manchester, spent Saturday and Sunday with Kittie Hogan.

Mrs. Lydia Katner, the aged mother of W. H. Katner, was very low at last account.

George Calhoun and wife visited friends in Norvell last week returning Friday.

Mrs. E. S. Tate entertained a party of young ladies at her home last Friday evening.

Mrs. G. R. Wolf has been visiting friends in Deerfield since Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Rowland and Mrs. Heesen, of Tecumseh, were calling on friends in town last Friday.

Frank Fitz Gerald and wife, of Brooklyn, were guests of H. D. Niblack and wife over Sunday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox went to Addison last Friday to attend commencement and visit his parents.

Chas. Holmes and family and Chas. Randall came down from Norvell to spend Decoration day.

Mrs. Fred Valentine, of Manchester, visited her grandmother, Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh last Friday.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell started for Howell Monday, his father driving as far as Ann Arbor with him.

Mrs. Chas. Pawson, of Tipton, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. G. Rogers, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Alva White, of Tecumseh, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marion, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Jas. Priest went to Toledo last Saturday to join her husband, who has been working there for the past few weeks.

E. J. Semark, with his gang of carpenters, began work on Bainbridge & Van Tuyle's new store Wednesday morning.

The Turner-Shaker Medicine Co. began their concerts on the commons Monday night, and will probably remain here ten days or two weeks.

Leon Clark, Will Burton and O. L. Stitt went to Jackson on their wheels last Saturday, returning Sunday by the way of Clark's Lake and Brooklyn.

Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker went to Hudson last Saturday, where she visited friends until Wednesday, when she went on to Chicago to join her husband.

The friends of Rachel Smith are very much worried about her, as it is known that she was in St. Louis at the time of the cyclone, May 27. She was on her way to Texas in company with Mrs Belle Bradner, but for some reason was not allowed to start from St. Louis on the same train with Mrs. Bradner, who left in the morning, but was allowed to remain until 9 o'clock that night. This appears very strange to their friends, as their tickets were the same. Mrs. Bradner reached her destination safely, but no tidings of Miss Smith have yet been received.

Pure, rich blood is the true cure for nervousness, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve tonic. 1w

MANCHESTER.

The 4th to be Celebrated—The Circus Has Been Here.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Manchester will celebrate the 4th.

John G. English is building a new barn.

LaPearls circus exhibited in town last Tuesday.

A little son arrived at J. D. Gages one day last week.

Orlando Torrey is repairing his house on Ann Arbor hill.

D. W. Palmer, of Bridgewater, is very low at this writing.

Mrs. Henion, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting her son, W. H. Henion.

Mrs. E. P. Root and two sons of Hartland, are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. David Gilbert will celebrate her 88th birthday on Saturday, June 6th.

Mrs. Gordanier, and daughter, Belle returned from a visit at Clare, last Friday.

Mrs. William Yocum and sister Mrs. Winans, of Chelsea, were in town on Tuesday.

Charles Leeson rode his wheel to Albion last Saturday and returned Monday afternoon.

Mesdames Wm. Burtless, Thomas Thorn and Elizah Carr visited in Jackson over Sunday.

The ladies' Aid society, of the M. E. church met at Prof. Evan Essery's on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Florence Kellam closed her school last Friday and returned to her home in Chelsea, on Tuesday.

R. W. Amsden and F. H. Blosser took a bicycle trip to Detroit Sunday returning as far as Ypsilanti the same day.

HOLLOWAY.

School Closed—Interesting Personals—Ladies' Social.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntyre were at Saline Sunday.

The regular review of Osgood Hive will be held tomorrow.

Mrs. Gilliland, of Adrian, attended the social at James Lanes.

The C. E. Business meeting will be held at the church next Wednesday.

Mr. Chas. Rothfuss and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Blissfield.

Mrs. Chester Lynn, of Britton, spent last week with her friend, Mrs. Jas. McIntyre.

Mrs. Geo. McClenathan entertained several ladies at dinner last week Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Smallidge, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Ola Widley over Sunday.

Remember that Jas. Haight & Co. always have on hand the best paints and oils.

The interior of F. G. Florance's store looks nicely after the improvements he has made.

The Misses Minnie Kerr and Florence Kishpaugh are in Adrian learning the art of dressmaking.

The family of A. H. Kelley have the pleasure of riding in a new surrey bought of Rothfuss Bros.

The ladies' social will be held at the home of Mr. A. D. Macham next Thursday. Every one invited.

The people of this place and vicinity are pleased to have the family of H. H. Osgood again in our midst.

Poultry netting and wire cloth in every variety at Jas. Haight & Co's.

Mr. J. L. Richards and wife will attend the C. E. convention to be held at Washington, D. C., in July.

The ladies' social held at the home of Mr. James Lane, was largely attended and all enjoyed the occasion.

Mrs. Phoebe Curtis, of Traverse City, has been visiting the families of A. H. Kelley and Mrs. Jane Kelley.

The Misses Thompson and Palmer, of Blissfield, were in town last week, the guests of Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss.

Miss Agnes E. Still, of Palmyra, who has been stopping with Mrs. F. G. Florence, has returned to her home.

Mr. J. L. Richard's school closed on Friday of last week, with a picnic in his grove, to which he invited Miss Abbie Ray and her school. Ice cream and cake were served in abundance.

Health and happiness are relative conditions; at any rate there can be little happiness without health. To give the body its full measure of strength and energy, the blood should be kept pure and vigorous, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. 1w

Home Seekers' Excursions to Virginia and North Carolina.

Agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets to points in Virginia and North Carolina on June 9, return limit 30 days, at rate of one fare for round trip plus $2. For further information address

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Dr. Eliza M. Mosher, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been appointed Dean of Arts and Literature in Ann Arbor University.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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The latest devotee of the wheel in European royal circles is the young Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, who is now learning to ride a bicycle. 1w

Nowadays when women are trying to do everything it is not strange that many things are over-done. It is not strange that there are all kinds of mental and physical disturbances. If the woman who is a doctor, or a lawyer, or a journalist, or in business would not try to be a society woman too it might be different; but the woman who knows when she has done a day's work has yet to be born. Usually a woman's way is to keep doing until she drops. Working in this way has manifold evils. The most common trouble resulting from over-exertion, either mentally or physically, is constipation of the bowels with all its attendant horrors.

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Miss S. A. Lee Kennard, of St. Louis, has been chosen to act as sponsor for Missouri at the Confederate reunion at Richmond, Va., on June 30th. 1w

"I have never had a day's sickness in my life," said a middle-aged man the other day.

"What a comfort it would be," sighs some poor invalid, "to be in his place for a year or two." Yet half of the invalids we see might be just as healthy as he, if they would only take proper care of themselves, eat proper food—and digest it.

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The University of Chicago will send a movable observatory to Mexico for the purpose of making observations of the planet Mars. 1w

Home Knowledge

is all astray about Catarrh. Pale, thin delicate, children are apt to be troubled with Catarrh, it will be of great value to mothers to know how to treat it. Get a package of Century Catarrh Cure. Don't accept his "just as good" excuse; try some other druggist and if you cannot get Century Catarrh Cure write to us. Century Manufacturing Company, Warren, Pa., and enclose 50c and we will mail you a package. Sold by C. A. Wright & Co. june

A family quarrel at Cleveland, O., ended in August Guethner shooting his wife Minnie and then himself. Both are dead. 1w

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Elliott M. Sacton, an expert bicyclist, of Worcester, Mass., was killed while coasting down Cemetery Hill, at North Oxford. 1w

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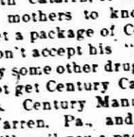

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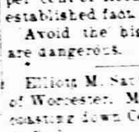

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LITERARY NOTES.

Track Athletics in Detail is the title of a book compiled by the editor of a department in Harper's Round Table, and published today by Harper & Bros.

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The appearance of the Athens of today, sitting among the ruins of another age, is graphically portrayed by Bishop Doane in the opening paper of Harpers Magazine for June. The paper is illustrated from sketches, made on the ground, by Guy Rose.

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An article on "Civilizing the American Indian," by Ruth Shaffner, attractively illustrated with pictures of the Indian School at Carlisle, Pa., and its students, in the June issue of The Chautauquan, will be interesting to those who champion the cause of the noble red man.

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The complete novel in the June issue of Lippincott's is "From Clue to Climax," by Will H. Harben. It is a tale of murder and hypnotism, in which an extremely able detective and a physician of the new school join forces to clear the innocent and run the guilty to earth.

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An article of great contemporary interest in Scribner's Magazine for June is Henry Norman's vivid picture of the present condition of affairs in the most crucial point in all European politics—the Balkan Peninsula, where a half-dozen little Principalities are the buffer between the great powers of Europe.

McClure's Magazine for June contains a little battle study by Stephen Crane that, in its way, is more dramatic and striking than even "The Red Badge of Courage," the novel by Mr. Crane which is now attracting so much attention both in America and England. It shows, unmistakably, the hand of genius.

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Dr. Parkhurst's articles to young men in The Ladies' Home Journal have turned out to be, next to General Harrison's article, the most profitable venture which that magazine has ever undertaken. His coming papers will deal with a young man's social life; his business success; as a citizen; his religious life and his marriage.

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The supplement to Harper's Weekly for June 6 will be largely devoted to "China Today," concluding the observations and studies of that country by the members of the World's Transportation Commission. The Great Wall, the Chinese Railway, and Russian Influence are among the interesting topics discussed and illustrated.

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The Forum for June contains a dozen articles of more than usual interest and timeliness by as many distinguished writers. The leading article is contributed by Senator John H. Mitchell, of Oregon, who for many years has advocated the election of United States Senators by popular vote and who has lately introduced a bill in the Senate to that effect.

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The June Arena opens its 16th volume, appearing in a new dress, and being printed by Skinner, Bartlett & Co. It is an unusually strong number, opening with a brilliant paper by Rev. Samuel Barrows, D. D., the distinguished editor of the "Christian Register," of Boston, on "The First Pagan Critic of Christian Faith and His Anticipation of Modern Thought."

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The Outlook's seventh annual Recreation Number contains nearly a hundred pages and scores of illustrations. Nearly all of the special articles relate to outdoor life, sport, recreation, and vacation possibilities. Among the writers are Ian Maclaren, the Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke, the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, Kirk Munroe, General A. W. Greely, Poultney Bigelow and many others.

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The political situation in the United States on the eve of the Presidential nominating conventions is admirably covered by the June Review of Reviews in its departments of "The Progress of the World," "Current History in Caricature," and "Record of Current Events." Prospective convention-goers will be greatly interested in Dr. Shaw's sketch of "St. Louis: This Year's Convention City."

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Everyone who will take the trouble to cut out this notice and forward it, with ten cents, to the address below, will receive a sample copy of Demorest's Magazine, containing a Pattern Order which entitles the holder to any pattern illustrated in any number of the Magazine published during the last twelve months, at the uniform price of four cents each. Demorest is published for $2 a year, by the Demorest Publishing Company, 110 Fifth Avenue, New York.

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Table Talk, the little magazine which upholds woman's interests by being "up-to-date" in everything pertaining to the home, and especially everything having reference to the dining room and kitchen, again shows its progressiveness throughout the current issue. Housekeepers unacquainted with Table Talk should avail themselves of the publishers' offer to our readers of a sample copy free, to anyone sending their address to Table Talk Publishing Co, Philadelphia.

"Our little girl had diarrhoea in a very bad form. We tried everything we could think of but without effect until we got Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry, which helped her right away." Mrs. Ann Borgman, Verban, Casilise Co., Mich. 1w

Alfred C. Fields, colored, was hanged in Chicago Ill., for the murder of Mrs. Ellen Randolph.

The following is from the Daily Record of April 28, 18—:

"A strange accident happened at Coffin Beach on Friday last. Clarence Baxton, a well-known New Yorker, went down on Thursday for a bit of snipe shooting, expecting to return that night. Prevented from doing so by the storm, he sought refuge in a fisherman's cabin on the beach where the life patrol left him at 10 o'clock in the evening, comfortably housed and provided with light and fuel. The tide rose to an extraordinary height during the night, so much so that the flood wave (as the last wave of the high tide is called) swept clear over the sand dunes that line the beach, overwhelmed the cabin and swept it out to sea carrying with it the unfortunate gentleman, whose body was cast up on the shore by the returning tide next morning. Not a vestige of the cabin remains save the figurehead of a ship, which formed part of the structure. It is curious to note that the succeeding ebb tide, which was an extremely low one, exposed upon the beach the hull of a large ship, supposed to be the remains of the clipper Bucephalus, which was wrecked on the sands some forty years ago. The deceased was the son of the late H. B. Exton, a prominent merchant of this city."—Vanity.

AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belongs to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, then a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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Mrs. J. P. Bell, Cassopolis, Mich.

wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes: *"I was troubled with heart disease* for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. I consulted the best medical talent. *They said there was no help for me* that I had organic disease of the heart, which there was no remedy. I had seen your advertisement in The Graphic a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of *Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart* which convinced me that there was merit in it. I took three bottles each of Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. *It completely cured me.* I sleep well at night, my heart beats regularly. I have no more smothering spells. I want to say to all who are suffering as I was, there's relief untold for them if they only give your remedies just one trial."

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Rev. Rederus Given a Friendly Parting—Wedding Bells—Brass Band—Maccabees Attend Service.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Andrew Wood is quite ill at this writing.

Dr. Hendershot was in Britton Tuesday night.

Jennie Saxton and Gertie Marvin are reported on the sick list.

Neal and Clarence Exelby each raised a barn on his farm Thursday.

Clarence Lowe is riding a bran new rambler wheel bought of Lenardson Bros.

Buy summer lap robes and dusters at Jas. Haight and Co's.

William Cornell went to Willis Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Curtiss & Lynn respectfully ask all who are indebted to them to settle as soon as possible.

The Fellowship meeting of the Christian church will be held next Saturday, June 6, at 2:30, p. m.

Dick Toby, of Adrian, loaded a car of wool here this week for shipment to Providence, R. I.

Earl Lenardson is a painter as well as carpenter and has made a new sign of attractive appearance.

Mrs. W. E. Allen left Tuesday for Toledo to make a visit among friends and relatives in that city.

Clarence Lowe has signed with the Ryan, Ohio, team and will play ball with the buckeyes this year.

The Waverly bicycle still leads. Jas. Haight and Co. have just sold four more. It's the best.

Mrs. Jno. Exelby returned Tuesday night from a week's visit at Detroit, accompanied by her little granddaughter.

Miss Helen Hardy, who has been attending school at Ypsilanti, accompanied the doctor as far as Hornellsville, N. Y., to visit her parents.

Jas. DuBois and wife left Tuesday for Smith's Falls, Ont., and Rochester, N. Y. Will Rinn will attend to his business during his absence.

Mary Bowerman and Samuel Kniffin were married at the home of the bride, near Blissfield, Wednesday. Both parties are well known in this section.

Jas. Haight & Co. have just received a fine line of screen doors, cheap.

H. W. Porter, of Weston, stopped off Wednesday, on his return from the Baptist convention at Tecumseh. Mr. Porter was looking after his hay interests here.

The preparations for Decoration day were sadly interfered with by the rain. The exercises were held in Exelby's hall and a committee decorated the graves at Ridgeway.

Chas. DuBois had the misfortune to run over his fine St. Bernard dog a few days since and broke the hind leg of the animal. We are glad to say, however, that he is recovering.

Mr. Hardy and wife left Monday for Peekskill, N. Y., where the doctor attends the Synod of the Reformed church of America, as a delegate. They will visit relatives in the state before their return.

The Ladies Glee Club quartet consisting of Mrs. Webb Underwood and Misses Gertrude Kniffin, Jennie Britton and Ella Exelby, rendered some very excellent music at Exelby's hall on Decoration day.

Ropes, pulleys, horse forks and every kind of hay tool at Jas. Haight & Co.

The new band instruments have arrived and the boys are well pleased with them. We will have music galore now on, and some to spare to our unfortunate neighbors, who are blessed with a band.

Rev. Rederus left last Wednesday for Apella, Iowa, with his family to spend a few week's visit with his people there. He then goes to Clyde, Ohio, to assume regular charge of the Reformed church at that place. He left a word at the end of this column.

Make your own ice cream. You can do it if you get a blizzard freezer of Jas. Haight & Co.

Next Sunday morning, June 7, Henry Stout Tent, K. O. T. M., and the hive of L. O. T. M., will attend the Christian church in a body. Rev. C. I. Deyo will preach from the subject: The Chastity of Christ as Exemplified in Fraternal Societies—Especially in the Order of the K. O. T. M." In the evening his subject will be: "Money the Potent Power of Civilization."

The Maus entertainment, which was held here under the auspices of the L. A. M. Saturday night, was an enjoyable surprise to most of those who were present. Everyone voted the trio to be the best in their line ever heard in Britton. On account of the weather the house was but partially filled, but they are ready to go again, and there is such prospect that the troupe will visit Britton again.

Binder twine, binder twine and binder twine at Jas. Haight & Co's.

The most rousing occasion of goodfellowship, which it has been the good fortune of Brittonites to enjoy, occurred last Monday evening, when the citizens assembled in the Christian church to bid Rev. Sipko Rederus a farewell banquet. Not that his departure was an occasion of rejoicing; far from it. But the people who had known the Elder for years wished to express their regard and respect for him and give him a rousing speed in no heartless fashion. The occasion consisted of a short program and lots of supper. Rev. C. I. Deyo made an address very appropriate to the occasion, which was responded to by Rev. Rederus in feeling words. Rev. Wright offered prayer and the rest of the program consisted of recitations, etc., which were much appreciated. The supper which followed was no small part of the festivities and was simply complete. The reception was simply the last expression of the people of Britton, as a whole, who have found Rev. Rederus a most honorable and agreeable citizen, neighbor and friend, ever mindful of others and constant and devoted to his christian work. The Herald joins in wishing the Elder every success in his new field.

A WORD BEFORE MY DEPARTURE.

Most heartily I thank the citizens of Britton for the tokens of their friendship and esteem for me and my family, so generously expressed in the paper with their signatures attached, presented to me in the course of last week. On my part you may be certain of the same feeling, and that it will remain my wish and prayer that the Lord may cause you to prosper in every good work.

SIPKO REDERUS.

RIDGEWAY.

Commencement Exercises—Children's Day a Success.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Lina Boyd, of Tecumseh, visited May Fletcher Sunday.

The class rings of the graduating class are very fine.

Addie Sherman rides a Wayne pneumatic to her school.

Prof. Ernest Dersham, of Palmyra, was in the village Monday.

Postmaster F. G. Florance, of Holloway, was in the village Wednesday.

With this week's letter we complete our twelfth year as correspondent for the Herald.

Mrs. B. F. DePuy entertained the graduating class at her home Wednesday evening.

See the whips in the show window at Jas. Haight & Co's.

Mont Florance, who has been spending some time at Adrian, is home for a few week's stay.

Lafayette Rhinebolt, wife and son, Russell, of Addison, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Rev. C. M. Baldwin, of Addison, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday both morning and evening.

A good number from Britton and Macon attended the children's day exercises Sunday evening.

Clarence Ratts and Fannie Kelley, of Holloway, called on A. J. Sutton's family Sunday afternoon.

The Villa on South street, is receiving a fresh coat of paint which improves the appearance very much.

Mrs. A. Lake and daughter, Bessie, left for Cincinnati Wednesday for an indefinite stay with relatives.

Bessie Barrett went to Toledo Sunday evening for a few days' visit at the home of her cousin, W. E. Barrett.

F. J. Temple accompanied by F. W. Samsen, the new proprietor of the Tecumseh News, was in the village Monday.

You must have window screens now. Buy them of Jas Haight & Co.

Gertie Marvin, the primary teacher of our school, is ill and her brother, Arthur, is filling her place in the school room.

Class No 4, of the Sunday school, held their annual reunion at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Sarah Rappleye, on Friday evening.

Remember the Acme Quartet, of Adrian, will furnish the music for the commencement exercises next week Friday night, at the church.

Rev. H. Cansfield left for New York City Monday, where he will sail aboard the Majestic, for England to spend a couple of months in Bradford.

W. E. Barrett, having had his run changed from Allgan to Jackson, has moved his household effects from Allegan to Toledo, where he will reside.

The following are the members of the graduating class of '96: Ella M. Boyd, S. Raymond Gould, Benjamin Johnson, Carrol M. Culbertson and Jas. Murphy.

There was a large attendance at the children's day exercises given by the Sabbath school Sunday evening and everything passed off very nicely. The collection amounted to $5.50.

Remember the Acme Quartet will furnish the music for the graduating exercises, to be held at the church next week Friday evening. A small admission will be charged to defray expenses.

A Coal Miner.

William Gilbride, of Assumption, Ill., writes: "Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy I have ever used, for stomach troubles. I never felt better in my life, and I think every family should keep it on hand. It does more than is claimed for it." Sold by Orr & Temple. june

It is estimated that there are $100,000,000 invested in the telephone industry in the United States.

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COMB.

Children's Day Held June 14—Strawberry Festival a Success.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Wm. Johnson is visiting his aunt in Jackson this week.

Mrs. Sarah Munson visited friends in Palmyra and Adrian the first of the week.

Joe Gregg's sister and her daughter from Eaton Rapids, are visiting him this week.

Miss Zaine Calkins is home from Dundee, where she has been staying the past few weeks.

Edward Allshouse is having a well dug. Tom McCaughery and Aaron Auten are doing the work.

Quite a number of our young people attended Children's Day services at Ridgeway last Sunday.

You can't get through the summer without a hammock. Look at Jas. Haight & Co's stock before you buy.

George Haren and Ray Hulbert, of West Toledo, were calling on friends here the first of the week.

Frank Packard has moved his household goods to Detroit, where he expects to make it his future home.

Mr. Bremer, of Jackson, was in town the first of the week. He is agent for the McCormick Binder machine.

Children's Day services will be held here on June 14, at 10 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The receipts of the ice cream and strawberry festival held at the church last Tuesday evening was $14.50.

Mrs. Larrane Vandeventer went to Detroit last Saturday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amy Cassidy.

Mrs. Jennie Kent and daughters Pearl and Addie, from West Toledo, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Auten.

Fred Auten and wife, Bert Gould and wife, Henry Smith, wife and daughter Eva visited friends in Auburndale, O., for several days last week.

LAKE RIDGE.

Lawn Social—General News.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Julia Gilmore is able to resume her school duties.

Horace Hand went to Milan Thursday on business.

Florence Miller, of Ann Arbor, is home on a visit.

Alfred Lewis and wife have gone to Iowa to visit his brothers.

The familiar face of Ralph Southard of Ypsilanti, was among us Sunday.

J. S. Strong, of Tecumseh, will assist the school in the exercises children's day.

Jas. Haight & Co. have every kind of seasonable hardware and sundries, and they sell them cheap.

Amelia Harrington has returned after a two week's visit with Mrs. Martin, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Will Randall, who was quite badly hurt a few weeks ago is slowly improving.

Rob Reed and lady attended the children's day exercises at Ridgeway Sunday evening.

Thos. Murphy is treating his buildings to a coat of paint. Ezra Sink, of Britton, is doing the work.

There will be a lawn social at the residence of Chas. Hendershot, Wednesday evening, June 10, for the benefit of the Sunday school. Ice cream and cake will be served. A good program has been prepared.

FRANKLIN.

Death of an Old Citizen—Several Ill—Much News.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Luman Deming is worse.

James Sloan raised a barn Wednesday.

Aunt Emily Whelan is not much better.

John Jillet was the guest of his uncle, G. W. Allen.

Mrs. Jack Hooten is dangerously ill with catarrhal fever.

Cecil Billington was home from Ypsilanti Decoration day.

Lynn Butrick and bride, of Chicago, are visiting his parents.

Lorenzo Billington drove to Ypsilanti Sunday returning Monday.

Wm. Burnes, and old and highly respected citizen of Franklin, died Tuesday.

L. E. Taylor's new barn is a conspicuous and pleasing feature in the landscape.

Kate Ellis closed her school in the Stone district with a picnic last week Friday.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher brought her wheel with her and is declared to be one of the most graceful riders yet seen.

The Tipton band furnished music at Tipton in the morning and Tecumseh in the afternoon of Decoration day.

John Fisher and wife, who have been visiting her parents, returned to Kalamazoo asylum Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hunt are settled in their new home and we gladly welcome so pleasant an addition to our community.

Mr. Fisher came down from the asylum on his bicycle leaving at 4 a. m. and arriving in Tipton at at 8 p. m., with a stop in Jackson for dinner.

$200.00 IN GOLD GIVEN.

Of Special Interest to Students and Teachers.

R. H. Woodward Company, of Baltimore, Md., are making a most liberal offer of $200 to anyone who will sell 200 copies of Gems of Religious Thought, a new book by Talmage. This is one of the most popular books ever published. Three editions sold in 60 days. Agents sell 10 to 15 copies a day. An Estey organ, retail price $270, given for selling 110 copies in 3 months. A $100 bicycle given for selling 85 copies in 2 months. A gold watch for selling 60 copies in one month. This premium in addition to commission. Complete outfit 35 cents. Freight paid. Credit given. Agents wanted also for Talks to Children about Jesus. 150,000 copies sold, and it is now selling faster than ever. Same terms and conditions as on Gems of Religious Thought. Other popular books and Bibles also. They offer special and most liberal rates to students and teachers for summer vacation. During the summer a large number of students and teachers canvassed for their books. Among the list there were 23 who made over $200, 57 who won the $200 premium, and 76 made over $150 for their summer work. Write them immediately.

Mrs. Lee Villard Hill, who is going to Cuba to care for sick and wounded insurgents, is a cousin of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. 1w

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A man named Perry was arrested at Ava, Mo., for the butchery of the Sawyer family. 1w

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At Kunkle, O., Lewis Wertz shot and killed George Wheeler, his wife's paramour, then fatally shot his wife and fled. 1w

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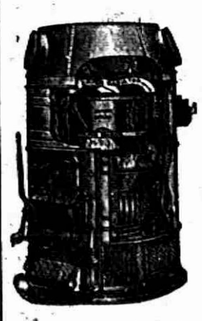

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 5, 1896.

Within the last few days the River and Harbor bill appropriating about seventy millions of dollars has been passed by Congress, vetoed by Grover Cleveland and passed again over his veto. This bill is simply an outrage on every taxpayer in the United States, and any man who voted for it knew he was doing wrong.

Last Monday the boats carried over the lake to Chicago from Michigan 17,800 cases of strawberries and the seasons delivery so far has reached 125,000. The fruit prospect over the entire state is the best ever known. Early peaches will be in market in three weeks and apples never looked as well, and although some complaint has been made about rust and weevil, really the only bad prospect about Michigan wheat is the price.

President Cleveland may at times be called dull, and is in fact a very stubborn man, but sometimes his phrases are wonderful and as a phrase maker he really leads all the presidents. For instance, in his message vetoing the River and Harbor bill the following is indeed quite "pat:" "Individual economy and careful expenditures are sterling virtues which lead to thrift and comfort," and also. "Economy and exaction of clear justification for the appropriation of public moneys by the people are not only virtues but solemn obligations."

At last Tecumseh has a police force. Last Monday evening the city fathers passed an ordinance which instructed the president of the board to appoint policemen and in less than two jerks two citizens of this village were transformed into policemen, all but the uniforms. L. L. Bates will "watch out" at night and Levi Thompson will, with the aid of the city team, patrol day times. It is supposed that this step of caution was made necessary by the passing of the ordinance some weeks since prohibiting the use of sidewalks for bicycle practice. Boys, now beware, or Levi will be upon you, Charles Bidwell, the great chief, will sit upon your case, and inside of 24 hours you will be within the "cooler" walls and a report of the arrest submitted to the village council.

The improvement in manufactured stone sidewalks and curbs on the south side of Chicago street, from Pearl street to Maiden Lane is fine, and makes this by far the nicest residence block in Tecumseh. The property owners are to be commended upon their desire to improve their property and the looks of the main street of our beautiful village, but under the present ordinance it is wrong for the village to pay any part of the cost of these improvements. If the council will pass an ordinance to pay a portion of all walks that are built in the village on the public streets all well and good, but under the present law, either plank or stone or concrete or any kind of walk can be laid to suit the property owner, but only will the village assist him if he chooses manufactured stone. If he be too poor to pay for three fourths the cost of manufactured stone then he must pay four fourths of the cost of planks, and also assist his more fortunate neighbor in the payment of the village's share of the stone walk. Already this season the village has paid out $139.33 to private parties for building stone walks, and every working man in Tecumseh, who owns his home must pay a portion of this tax. This is not right, either pay the same proportion to all or none. The Herald would sanction the plan of the village paying the entire cost of every walk built in the corporation and thus make the village more and more beautiful every year, but treat one class of people the same as another. Especially should care be taken as to expenditure when every factory in Tecumseh is running short time, and little prospect of anything better.

St. Louis, Mo., and Return at Half Rates.

June 12, 13, 14 and 15 the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway will sell tickets to St. Louis and return at very low rates. Tickets good for return until June 22d.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 29 '96.

For a time this week it looked as though the silver Senators would succeed in putting the silver Senate on record in favor of giving the Treasury $25,000,000 a year additional revenue, by putting an additional tax of 75 cents a barrell on beer, and if they had all been in their seats the end of the attempt might have been different. When Senator Dubois offered the beer tax amendment to the filled cheese bill Senator Sherman moved to lay it on the table, and the motion was defeated by a vote of 30 to 25. The expiration of the "morning hour" prevented Senator Dubois following up his advantage, and the next day the Senate voted down the amendment 34 to 27. There was some odd voting in this business. For instance Senator Hansbrough voted against tabling the amendment one day, and the next day voted against the amendment itself; Senator Vest stated after he had voted for the amendment that if it had passed he would have voted against the amended bill as a whole, and Senator Faulkner against tabling the amendment and then against the amendment. This indicates to a certainty that this session of Congress will not provide any additional revenue for the government.

The Senate will pass Mr. Butler's bill prohibiting the further issue of bonds without the consent of Congress, but it will not be allowed to come up in the House at this session. It is only because it is known that it has no show in the House that its opponents have not tried to talk it to death in the Senate.

There may be a very lively time in Congress when President Cleveland sends in the veto message he is now preparing on the River and Harbor bill, if it be the sort of document expected, and a fight may be started which may delay adjournment. According to the opinion of nearly all the prominent members of both branches of Congress, the river and Harbor bill will be passed over the veto.

Party lines were not drawn in the vote by which the House passed a bill repealing that clause of the present tariff law which provides for the admission free of duty of foreign alcohol which is to be used in the arts or manufactures. 104 republicans, 56 democrats and 5 populists voted for the repeal bill, and 60 republicans and 9 democrats against it. Owing to defects in the clause it had never been enforced and claims were simply being piled up against the Treasury for rebate of duty paid on alcohol. Secretary Carlisle asked for repeal and was endorsed by the House Ways and Means committee. Whether the bill will get through the Senate is yet a question, although it has been given a place on the program prepared by the steering committees.

The silver democrats are fully determined, they say, that they shall not be kept out of the control of the Chicago convention by any manipulation by the National committe of the contested delegations, and notice to that effect has been served upon chairman Harrity of that committee, who is now in Washington. Mr. Harrity denies that his committee has any intention of trying to use its authority in making up the temporary roll of the convention to keep silver democrats out of their seats, but silver men do not entirely accept his denial, and say that they are going to take steps which will stop any such scheme as that, even if every silver democrat has to stay out of the convention to do it. This question is arousing interest among the politicians of all parties, in Washington, and doubtless as much elsewhere. It is generally believed that the silver men will have a majority of that convention, but there is much doubt as to whether that majority will exercise its power by the adoption of an out and out free coinage platform, and more that a silver man will head the ticket nominated. A majority can make the platform, but unless the old rule is changed it will require two-thirds to nominate.

The decision of the Supreme Court, that the sugar bounty money which was held by Controller Bowler should be paid, would have been much more satisfactory if it had been settled for once and all the constitutionality of the sugar bounty. It merely decided that the money appropriated by Congress must be paid, which will put about $5,250,000 in circulation, and left the still more important question open to dispute. It seems however to have put an end to the absurd idea that a minor Treasury official has more authority than Congress and the President, and for that reason has been thankfully received by many who will not get any of the sugar bounty money.

A service pension bill giving every man who served 90 days $3 a month and one cent a month additional for each day served in excess of ninety, has been favorably reported to the House. It will not be acted upon at this session. It is estimated that it will cost between twenty-five and thirty millions a year to carry out this bill.

New Sleeping Car Line Between Detroit and Louisville.

On June 1st, 1896 the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Pennsylvania Lines will inaugurate a line of through Sleeping Cars between Detroit and Louisville via Logansport, leaving Detroit daily at 3:20 p. m. and Louisville at 8:30 p. m.

"LITTLE POPLAR'S" SKULL.

Gruesome Relic of Indian Warfare Now in the National Museum.

A ghastly relic of Indian warfare was recently sent to one of the professors at the national museum in Washington, says the New York World. It is the skull of "Little Poplar," the great fighter and warrior, at one time the sub-chief of the Cree nation. The Crees had their homes and lands in Canada, and when the Riel rebellion broke out some years ago "Little Poplar" took advantage of the opportunity it afforded to make war on his own account.

He attacked the white settlers, burned their homes, carried off their women and instituted a reign of terror in the region of his operations. Hundreds of persons became the victims of his bloodthirsty cruelty. He destroyed their herds, laid their homes in smoking ruins and put women and little children to the torture. There was, in fact, no form of devilry too horrible for this Indian to perpetrate.

When the Riel rebellion was crushed "Little Poplar" crossed to the American side. So great was the horror he had excited that a reward of $2,000 was offered for his apprehension, dead or alive. In 1886 he was murdered near Fort Assiniboine, Mont., and the half-breed who killed him received the reward. One of the soldiers of the fort watched for years the lonely grave in which "Little Poplar" had been buried, and at last, when he felt certain that all the flesh had been worn off the bones, he dug up the skull and kept it as a relic. It has just found a resting place on one of the shelves of the national museum.

MATRIMONIAL AGENCIES.

Some Advantageous Alliances Effected by Their Assistance in France.

A very profitable form of swindling is that of the matrimonial agencies which are now worked in France in a manner entirely unknown, says the London Spectator, to M. De Foy, who was the real originator of marriage by intermediary. There are, of course, offices where preliminary fees are asked and where wife seekers and ladies yearning for lords are quietly swindled after having been told to go to the opera, the salon or the fashionable church of Sainte-Clotilde. The strange part of the matrimonial agency scheme is that you never know, when in society whether some banker, priest or old lady of fierce virtue and mystical tendencies may not be a husband or wife broker. There are young ladies not too thin-skinned, head waiters in certain restaurants, livery stable keepers, cloistered nuns, notaries and lady doctors of the obstetric school. These are only a portion of the army of workers in the interests of Cupid. There are at present in Paris two wealthy American girls who have married titles, upon the wedding day of each of whom a very handsome commission was paid to one of these intermediaries, of course without the knowledge of the wife.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 5, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

...irst matinee to-morrow.

...oy DeWolf passed the Sabbath at ...e.

...r. Lyster Dewey and wife are here ...n Washington.

...C. will take 66 men to camp this ...

...rst matinee at the race track to-...row.

...v. E. C. Avdrus lectured in Hills-... this week.

...n Ellis and Bert Baker were home ... Toledo over Sunday.

...e to bargains. Bargains in ties ...rday. ANDERSON & CO.

...s. E. J. Waire, of Grand Rapids, ...ed at the Hayden home Wednes-...

...s. Irving Finch, of Adrian, was en-...ned by Miss Harriet Whittier over ...ay.

...s. Abbie Fisher will entertain Prof. ...Mrs. I. D. Loree during the summer ...ion.

...auncey Knapp, of Pittsford, Mich., ...er of the late B. C. Knapp attend-...e funeral here yesterday.

...iss Stacy, of East Buffalo, was in ... several days this week circulating ...d among his old friends.

...e annual picnic of the Farmers' ...l Club will be held at Putnam's ..., Sand Lake, June, 13.

...m Owens and Guy Davidson, of De-... took advantage of the recent holi-...o visit Tecumseh friends.

...s. James Smyth, of Grand Rapids, ...ned home today, after a short visit ...relatives and faiends here.

...is understood that Mr. and Mrs. ... Hayden will soon commence the ...ing of a fine home on their Union ...t property.

...rried at the Methodist parsonage, ...nesday evening, by Rev. J. P. Var-... Miss Estella Rhodes, of Saline, and ... Kelley, of Macon.

...ry Wagner, Alva Spayde's shoe-..., leaves one week from tomorrow ...week's visit at Napoleon, O. Get ...hoes fixed before he goes.

...oice line left of spring capes and ...s which we will close at ¼ off ... low prices.

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... Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co. ...ing many orders for hard coal ...e and July delivery and it will ...n to inquire as to the summer ...

...s. M. F. Marks and children arriv-... from Rhinelander, Wis., Mon-... they will make a visit of several ... with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... Potter.

... Slayton is interesting every ... who calls at his warehouse, in ...bject of cultivators. He has a ...ne at hard times prices, in fact ...thing the farmer needs.

...and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons ...nced a journey to the East Wed-... Their destination is Middle-... N. Y., but many cities will be vis-...y them before their return.

... at the Herald office and see sam-...f copper plate engraved cards, ...ng invitations and announce-... If you have copper plates bring ...n. The low prices will surprise ...

... Libbie Kirchgessner has left the ... of Anderson & Co., where she ...n for some time. It is stated on ...uthority that Libbie will soon ...partner and go into business for ...

...exter Leader of May 14 contains ...ary of the late J. W. Bennett, ...place. The deceased was the ... Mrs. W. A. Brown, of this ...s. Brown attended the fun-...ter.

... Hayden and son Will ar-...m Topeka, Kan., Tuesday ...re they visited on their re-... their Texas trip. They re-...t enjoyable winter and return ...roved in health.

...eral of Ezra Day was held at ...at 10 o'clock yesterday fore-..., C. M. Brown officiating. The ... taken to Bridgewater near ...r home, for interment. His ... Day, of Gollirn, O., attended ...al.

... Patterson, who has been for ...o years one of the most faith-...ficient printers ever employed ...rald Office left last Saturday ...amily for Kalamazoo for a ...made necessary from failing ...t is our sincere wish as well ... many friends that he will ...n to his old place.

...a Met, our Uncle Chet or some ...st take a bet on the big sex-...will make 'em sweat until ...t to pay the debt, but don't ...ou'll win that bet and all you ...portsmen get 'gainst our fast ...ck at let, one twenty net, the ...e big sextette. All exist-...ck records broken by this ... machine. Tecumseh, Thurs-... 23.

...'s one ring railroad show ex-...ere last Wednesday afternoon ...ing. Though the weather was ...ing all day resulting in a rain ...ening the reputation which ... secured here last year brought ... crowd to both performances. ...ing feature of the show this ...LaPearl's Marine Band which ...s the best ever carried with ...s. Everything else is up to ... H. LaPearl carries a nice, ...w and does just what he ad-...

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Edith Lambkin returned from Bowling Green, O., Tuesday.

Harry Hanford, of Cleveland, visited his mother here the first of the week.

Spencer Lester, of Detroit, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

Miss Edith Phelps, of Chicago, has been visiting her mother and sister here this week.

Mrs. J. D. Walker, of Brooklyn, was the guest of Tecumseh relatives the first of the week.

John A. Hoanes, state agent of the Mutual life of New York, was in Tecumseh part of this week.

Mrs. Seth Forsythe, of Chicago, is making a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eckles.

Chas. E. Burns and wife attended the funeral of his father, Wm. Burns, of Tipton, who died Tuesday.

Mr. Alfred James and wife have moved from Mrs. E. B. Wood's house into rooms in the Patterson House.

Miss Mina Elliott, who has been trimming for Mrs. Mosher this spring, returned to her home in Vassar Thursday.

A quite clever trick performer solicited alms on the street corners last evening. He was clever enough to get the alms.

Rev. B. S. Hudson will deliver the bacculaureate sermon to the graduating class of '96 at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Albert Aylesworth, who purchased the Will Osborn farm in Franklin, sent in a strawberry with a girth of 6 inches. Beat it if you can.

Mr. E. Russell and wife of Jackson, and Mrs. Bert Blood, of Toledo, were called here by the death of their sister Miss Florence Hyde.

Mrs. Addie Holmes, of Elgin, Ill., arrived Wednesday from Washington D. C. to spend a few weeks as the guest of Miss Harriet Whittier.

A change of time is annouced on the C. J. & M., for next Sunday. The principle change is in No 22 which goes at 8:42 instead of 10:20 as formerly.

Gen. James E. Pittman, of Detroit, was the guest of Lucius Lilley over Sunday. Mrs. L. P. Tribou returned with him for a week's visit in the city.

Next Sunday there will be a special service for the children in the Universalist church at 10:30. There will be no evening service as the pastor will preach at York at that time. Young People's meeting at 6:30 as usual.

Ralph Bidwell is the happy owner of the finest instrument ever brought to this or any other town. It is a mandolin made by J. W. Jenkin's Son's, Kansas City, and procured of J. A. Maus, their agent. The instrument is their best production retailing at $175.00.

Last Tuesday occurred the death of Ezra Day, at his home north of town. The cause of death was attributed to heart disease. Mr. Day was well known to our citizens as a man of the strongest moral convictions and as one possessing a deep and steadfast christian faith. Ezra Day was born Oct. 17, 1811, and died June 2, 1896, in his 85th year. He was born in Morris township, Washington Co., Pa. He moved to Richland Co., Ohio, at the age of 4 years and settled on a farm with his father, near Lexington, where he spent his boyhood days. At the age of 27 he joined the Presbyterian church at Pleasant Hill, Ohio. Mr. Day was thrice married. He married his first wife at Pleasant Hill and his second at Bridgewater, Mich. and his third he leaves as a widow to mourn his departure. He moved to Michigan in 1866, residing near Clinton and Tecumseh since that time.

The many friends and acquaintances of B. C. Knapp were much shocked to hear of his death which occurred Monday evening about 10 o'clock. Although Mr. Knapp had been ailing for some time he kept about till the very day of his death. For six weeks he had been unable to attend to his business on our streets. A post-mortem was held, revealing the fact that a malignant growth in the stomach was the cause of death. Bronson C. Knapp was born in Yates, Orleans Co., N. Y., May 4, 1830, and was brought to Michigan three years later by his fathe, who settled in Franklin. In 1854 he married Miss Rosetta M. Kimball and bought a farm near his father's in Franklin on which he lived till 1884, when he retired to Tecumseh, which has since been his home. Mr. Knapp was considered one of our soundest business men and his advice in this direction was often sought by friends. The funeral was held at his late residence on Pottawatamie street, at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. Varner, assisted by Rev. Brown, officiating.

This community was much pained to learn last Saturday that Florence Hyde was much worse and the prospect of her recovery was very small. During Sunday she grew rapidly worse and in the evening it was thought she was dying, but she rallied slightly and though entirely unconsious lingered till about six o'clock Monday evening, when death came to her relief. Florence Belle Hyde was born in Tecumseh April 29, 1880, and died June 1, 1896. She was a student in our High School and a faithful member of the Baptist Sunday school. By her correct conduct, happy disposition and winning ways she won and retained many friends. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyde, have two other daughters, Mrs. E. E. Russell, of Jackson, and Mrs. A. A. Blood, of Toledo, so that Florence was all the child left in the home. The funeral occurred at her home yesterday afternoon at half past two. The High School was dismissed that her student friends might attend the last sad rites. Robed in white, surrounded by beautiful flowers she was borne to the grave, three of her own relatives, her Sunday school teacher and two young associates acting as pall bearers. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. B. S. Hudson.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Dolly did.

Ed. R. Smith, of Clinton, was on our streets Tuesday.

Ben Strong, of Adrian, visited Will Hicks Wednesday.

The recital by music pupils of Miss Jennie Root occurs this evening.

Children's day exercises at the Baptist church next Sunday morning.

Jas. E. Newburn, of Cleveland, passed Sunday with Mrs. Newburn here.

Mrs. W. F. Sisson went to Blissfield Tuesday returning with her children.

Head J. C. Haslett's "ad" and then order a summer suit. Great chance now to save money.

James Reynolds, of LaSalle, Mich., father of Mrs. F. J. Temple, is rapidly recovering from his recent stroke of paralysis.

Miss Lena Hardenburg left the first of the week for Hillsdale, where she will attend the commencement exercises of the college.

Frank Chilson has been home part of this week. The new boilers are in the Marquette but the work of making the connections takes considerable time.

Mobbs & Co. are handling the very best varieties and qualities of berries. Call before ordering your supply for canning and you may be able to save money.

Ed Holdway now rides a Ben Hur purchased of Satterthwaite Bros. and Arthur Gould, David Gregg and Frank French are happy since last week, with reliable wheels from the above firm.

Mayor H. S. Pingree, of this state, is advertised to speak at a horse race up the road tomorrow. Tecumseh also will indulge in a matinee and all the good horses hereabout will be in attendance. It is not yet certain whether Herr Most will address the grooms after the race or not.

Last Friday evening about 100 of the friends of Miss Anderson's pupils listened to a recital given at her house on Chicago street. The program was varied in style and instrumentality and not a number was devoid of interest and pleasure to all present. Such entertainment is of much pleasure and benefit to the pupils especially as Miss Anderson insists upon the pupils assuming much of the management of the affair.

Commencement Week.

June is again at hand and commencement week, which carries with it some of the most important events of all the year in the social and educational life of Tecumseh. The commencement exercises will occur at Sutton's opera house, Thursday evening, June 11. The class this year, which will make its bow to the public and to a new life among us, consists of three boys and ten girls who make in all the very lucky number of thirteen young aspirants for literary honors. The members and officers of the class are as follows: Frank Keeney, pres; Julia Gilmore, vice pres.; Christine Wilson, sec.; Lavern Smith, treas.; Chas. Hurry, Mertie Macham, Bessie Spayde, Nellie Lowden, Kittie Bowers, Adah Erskine, Minnie Russel, Mabel Smith and Eloise Waring.

The program which will be carried out we give below:

PROGRAM.

Invocation—Rev. J. P. Varner.
Salutatory—Christine Wilson.
Progress of Invention—Chas. Hurry.
Self Interest, not Selfishness—Mertie Macham.

CHORUS.

Our Class—Bessie Spayde.
Why Educate Women?—Nell Lowden.
Judgement—Lavern Smith.
Retrospect and Prospect—Kittie Bowers.

MUSIC.

Prophecy, Class Reunion in 1906—Adah Erskine and Minnie Russell.
Cost of Greatness—Julia Gilmore.
Cranks and Crazes—Mabel Smith.

MUSIC.

Value of the Study of Music—Eloise Waring.
Valedictory—Frank Keeney.
Presentation of Diplomas—Mr. Peter S. McKinnon.

MUSIC.

Benediction—Rev. J. P. Varner.

The Alumni exercises will be held at the Lilley House parlors Friday evening. A banquet will be served and the flood gates of fraternal good-fellowship will be raised until the flow of soul amounts to a literary flood. The program has not been arranged.

Baptist Association.

The Fifty Seventh Annual Meeting of the Lenawee Co. Baptist Association was held in the Baptist church of Tecumseh, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2 and 3, 1896, Rev. J. McLean, of Morenci, presiding.

The association met at 10 a. m. Tuesday with a good attendance. Ample provision was made, under the charge of a committee of ladies from the Baptist church, for dinner and supper in church parlors on both days.

Miss Chilson presided at the organ, and Mrs. Winchip and J. H. Cole led the song service.

We have neither time nor space to particularize and when all was so admirably done it would seem almost invidious to do so.

The exercises of the Juniors of the Tecumseh Baptist Union led by Miss Fisher, on Tuesday, was a happy thought and well carried out.

There were several addresses by the visiting clergyman, and the closing address by Rev. C. E. Conley was one long to be remembered. After a closing prayer by A. P. Coddington, the association adjourned to meet in the second Baptist church of Rome, on the last Wednesday of May, 1897.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to sincerely thank our friends, who so willingly assisted with kind attention and sympathy during our recent great bereavement.

ALBERT HYDE AND FAMILY.

FATE OF TWO SNAKES.

Were at the Bottom of a Mine When Notice to Quit Was Served.

A Forest and Stream correspondent tells a South African story. Two snakes were at the bottom of a 60-foot mine shaft. The snakes were each about ten feet long, and of one of the most poisonous species, known as mambas. Now, miners and ten-foot mambas do not agree very well, and this is especially true when both are at the bottom of a mining shaft. The miners whose claim had been jumped sent a message down to the snakes with orders to come up. The message was a bottle of dynamite with a lighted fuse attached. The snakes obeyed the summons at once. They came up the perpendicular shaft with such speed that they shot up 30 feet above the opening of the shaft. When they came down they were somewhat mixed. The two tails had in some way got tangled into a square knot, such as sailors tie. The snakes wanted to go in opposite directions, but the efforts were in vain, and they fell to and stung one another to death.

Acting Was Too Real.

During some private theatricals at the Saxon court recently, Crown Princess Frederick took the part of a maid servant. The extreme realistic way in which she portrayed a vulgar young woman moistening and polishing a leather shoe brought her a reproof from the king himself, who said: "We are among ourselves, it is true; but even then a royal princess ought not to play so exactly the manners of a maid."

—We are receiving more and more bicycle repairing every week, and the reason is plain, people are well satisfied with prices and work. General repairing of all kinds. Clothes wringers repaired, Rollers re-cast or new ones supplied. JAMES CLARK,
Slayton's Block, R. R. street.

—A lovely line of walking shoes, toe slippers and shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Our new window shades are here and will be sold cheap. Our baby carriages will be closed out at cost.
WHEELER & SISSON.

—All frames ordered at Jas. Montague's novelty store are now completed and it will be an accommodation for us to have them called for as soon as convenient. P. B. SUTFIN.

—An elegant line of sun umbrellas and parasols just received new shades, new styles and extremely low prices.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—We have just received a car load of rockers and will close them out at prices that are cheaper than rockers were ever offered in the state of Michigan.
WHEELER & SISSON

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery—
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—Something entirely new, and the best in the land. "Ball Bearing" Bicycle shoe. For both ladies and men, and the low price will surprise you. Call and see these fine new goods.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—New laces, new underwear, new wash goods, latest style shirt waists, just received at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Hammocks, croquet sets, etc., at the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—L. D. Dewey has the largest wood yard in town and sells it the cheapest. Nice dry hard wood, $1.25 to $2. He pays more for wool and eggs than any man in town. Come and see the wood and bring your eggs.

—25c glassware at 10c, 20c glassware at 5c at Tansley's.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Call at Mill's Block, Tecumseh, whenever in the city. Stock is changing every day, always something new.

—Don't forget that Teeple is making photos as cheap as ever.

—It will pay you to go miles see the great slaughter sale of crockery and glassware at Tansley's.

—Having such a large stock Tan and Oxford shoes we are beginning the slaughter early, and are now making August prices, Mill's Block Tecumseh.

—If you want a life-sized portrait please call at Teeple's studio and see what you can get before giving it to an agent. Why not leave your money at home if you can get as good and cheap work?

—A dollar or two buys a full set of dishes, tinware, etc., at the Mill's Block, Tecumseh.

—Teeple does more work in photos, portraits, and framing than any one in the county.

—Those bargains in shoes at Mill's Block are still the talk of Tecumseh.

—The lowest prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's. Come and see.

—The great cut prices on crockery and glassware at Tansley's draw large crowds.

—I TRUST YOU—

will take advantage of the low prices at which I am selling buggies, wagons, plows, harrows, cultivator, and other implements, also twine, field seeds, etc. Agency Milwaukee binders and mowers.
JNO. L. KISHPAUGH,
Britton, Mich.

ARE YOU AWARE

That there is more imitation Cod Fish sold than genuine.

Pure Georgia Cod is the Best.

We sell nothing else. Buy direct from the curers, and can please you in Cod Fish.

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

We Sell the Leaders and Lead The Sellers

In our Clothing Department. We have a big line of Men's and Boys' Suits of the Latest Patterns, nicely made up and lined with the best linings, that will suit the most exacting in fit and style, and at Rock Bottom Prices.

WASHABLE SUITS

for children. A big line 3 to 10 years.

A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists. Former Price 25c. To close 15c.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

DID YOU....

ever try a can of our

5c. Corn, Now 6 Cans For 25 Cents?

We are headquarters for

Best Groceries at Right Prices.

AVERY & CO.

GARLAND STOVES RANGES

Westminister Bicycles.

Made from cold drawn steel tubing and steel forgings, Barrel Crank Hanger and Hubs, Ball Bearings to every part made from high grade steel and strictly dust proof. For the present this wheel goes

AT $40 CASH.

A Great Discovery.

We have just accepted the agency for a practical attachment for the self healing (while riding) tire punctures. Can be applied to any tire. It is the greatest boom for the cyclist that has been produced.

Satterthwaite Bros.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

In pencil across the margin of the clipping was scrawled in Calamity Dick's cramped script: "And 30 of 'em wimin, and Lalor says the captain died a cussin' the owner as the seas swept them pore folks offen the deck into the surf."

Baxton stared at the paper before him. My God! he had heard of the Bucephalus before.

True, he was not born until years after this terrible event, yet the memory of it had poisoned all of his mother's remaining days. "Baxter, the Bucephalus Murderer," he had heard somebody say in his father's lifetime, but until to-night he never knew the meaning of the words. And here, on the very scene of the horror, the son of its author was domiciled under the cabin walls of that long-lost ship. Yonder its figurehead mocked him with staring eyes!

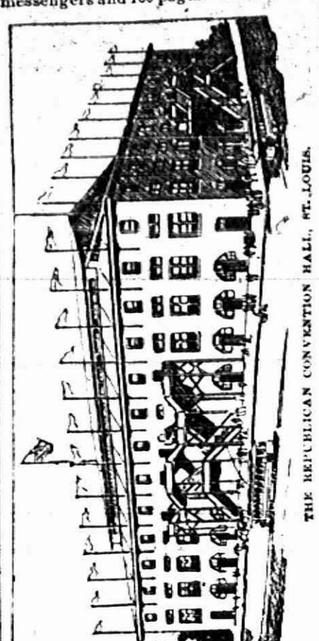
"The hull is breaking up!" It is no longer the fisherman's house, but the cabin of a sinking ship. See how the timbers strain and wrench as the keel pounds on the remorseless sand; hear how the waves thunder on the deck above, as though to crush the trembling fabric; listen to the creaking of the overstrained timbers! The water is slowly rising yonder, where the cabin floor is lowest. Who are these that crowd down the companionway—women scantily clad—terror in their eyes, their hands bleeding, their naked feet raw from contact with the cruel ropes? One is an aged gentlewoman who leans feebly on the shoulders of a young man—her gray hair streams over her brow, her dim eyes look with a mother's tender love on her son's resolute young face. All these poor creatures are chilled with exposure, weak with suffering. Two of the women lead, another carries a child. "Better to drown here," says one, bitterly, "than to freeze to death on deck." (Baxton does not hear these words, but he sees the lips move and knows what they are saying.) Then the little group huddles close together in the gloom, the mothers gather their children to their breasts, and one, an ancient gentlewoman, prays silently, as she looks hands with the stripling. "I pray Thee, O Father, if it be Thy will, take me and spare him." • • • Now the pale lips of the woman are still, her head sinks on her breast and the son rises with a terrible cry—(Baxton cannot hear that cry, but he sees the man's awful eyes and knows what he says). "My mother is dead!" Then the waves pound harder on the deck, the timbers shrink and creak and groan, the fabric lifts and falls with dull, terrible thuds—it is high tide—the ship is breaking up. Although it is day, the cabin grows darker and darker. The water rises higher. Baxton must save himself. He staggers across the heaving floor where mother and son lie dead in each other's arms, reaches the companionway, gains the deck—and then, before him, over the shattered bulwarks, to which clings half a hundred miserable, drowning creatures, looms a great towering wall of green water. Lashed to the mizzen shrouds, the captain, trumpet in hand, sees not the coming avalanche—his glance rests only on the face that is emerging from the companionway—Baxton's face. Casting off the rope that holds him to this place of safety, with livid stare and blazing eye, he points straight at Baxton.

"See, see," he cries, "the murderer Baxton! Curses on you—curses on you—curses!" In a second it was over. The monstrous hill of water, the double wave that marks the flood-tide, strikes the shattered ship a full, fair blow, mounts as high as the yardarm, clear over the decks, shatters the weakened hull to fragments and bears down mast and bowsprit in one common ruin, amid an awful grinding and crushing and a splintering of timbers. Then rises a great shriek that pierces to heaven over the tumult of the sea (Baxton cannot hear that shriek, but he feels it), followed by the boiling seethe of waters—and the wave passes on, leaving naught to tell the fate of the Bucephalus save a few scattered spars, a few battered corpses (ghastly playthings of the tide) and—that is all.

BIG JOB ON HAND.

The Sergeant-at-Arms of the Republican Convention Begins His Work.

St. Louis, June 3.—Sergeant at Arms T. E. Byrnes, of the republican national convention, arrived here from Minneapolis Tuesday evening. He will remain here till the close of the convention. His first act was to formally open the headquarters of the national committee at the Southern hotel. The first duty, and one of the most trying ones, that Mr. Byrnes will perform will be the appointment of subordinates. These consist of 500 assistant sergeants at arms, 300 doorkeepers, 400 ushers, 200 messengers and 100 pages. The national



committee meets here June 10, to ratify Mr. Byrnes' selections. With the committee will come 2,000 friends of the different candidates and representatives of the various state and territorial delegations. There are on file 3,500 applications for appointment by Mr. Byrnes. The 5,000 badges for delegates, alternates, employes of the convention, members of the national committee and distinguished persons especially invited are now in the hands of Mr. Byrnes.

TWENTY-FIVE DROWNED.

Cloudburst Turns Creeks in Seneca, Mo., Into Raging Waters.

Seneca, Mo., June 1.—A cloudburst broke over the city at four o'clock Saturday morning, and in ten minutes the water in Lost creek, which traverses the town, had risen to a depth of eight to ten feet and a breadth of over half a mile, sweeping through the city like a mill race, carrying away every structure in its path. Not a house in the district south of the creek is left intact on its foundations. Twenty-five persons were drowned in the rushing waters in this city and vicinity. Eight bodies have been recovered. Among the buildings destroyed here were two churches, the office of the Seneca Despatch, Wier's livery stable and a score of dwellings. The water flooded the principal stores on Cherokee avenue, running over the counters of McGannon's emporium. The property loss in this city alone will reach $100,000.

TREASURY FIGURES.

Official Statement Showing Receipts and Expenditures for Eleven Months.

Washington, June 2.—The official treasury statement shows: Receipts for May, $24,643,717; expenditures for May, $28,426,592; deficit for May, $3,782,875.

Receipts for 11 months, $299,804,806; expenditures for 11 months, $326,786,680; deficit for 11 months, $26,981,874. As compared with May, 1895, the receipts were $600,000 less than May, and as compared with the 11 months of 1895, the receipts were $12,000,000 more. The expenditures for May, 1896, are slightly less than for May, 1895, and for the 11 months they are more than $2,000,000 greater than for the corresponding period of 1895. The interest charge per annum is now $35,000,000, as against $21,000,000 this time last year.

Washington, June 2.—The debt statement issued Monday afternoon shows a net increase in the public debt, less cash in the treasury, during May of $5,188,730.04. The interest bearing debt increased $3,176,450; the non-interest bearing debt decreased $855,170; and cash in the treasury decreased $2,897,450.04. The balances of the different classes of debt at the close of business May 30 were: Interest bearing debt, $845,488,590; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, $1,645,970.26; debt bearing no interest, $373,535,050.64; total, $1,220,669,610.90.

Population of Springfield, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., June 2.—The school census just completed gives Springfield a population within the limits of 30,742 As the residence district extends over a mile in each direction from the municipal limits the total population, according to close estimates founded on the vote, is about 41,000.

Ended in Murder.

Lebanon, Ind., June 2.—Thomas Allen, a wealthy stock dealer, and Wallace Riley, a prominent citizen, engaged in a duel in front of the post office yesterday, and Riley was instantly killed. The runaway marriage of Allen's son and Riley's daughter was the cause.

Liabilities of $100,000.

Memphis, Tenn., June 3.—The School-Field-Hanauer Crockery company, one of the oldest wholesale firms in the city, assigned Tuesday. The liabilities will reach $100,000; assets nominally $100,000.

Ohio Socialists.

Massillon, O., June 3.—The socialists in convention here nominated a state ticket headed by Daniel Wallace, of Hollister, for secretary of state.

STREWN WITH FLOWERS.

Graves of Dead Heroes in Michigan Cemeteries Are Decorated.

Menominee, May 31.—A Memorial day was celebrated in this city by the dedication of the soldiers' monument, the only one in the upper peninsula. The services were under the direction of Lyon post, G. A. R. Many representatives were present. The parade was the largest ever witnessed here.

Kalamazoo, May 31.—Memorial day was quietly observed. Rain drove the people into the Grand opera house for the exercises for Bronson park, and Rev. W. A. Waterman, of Chicago, gave his oration Sunday in the park. He spoke briefly Saturday; all others. The speakers decried Memorial day sports.

In an address here Sunday afternoon Rev. Mr. Waterman took occasion to refer to the recent attack made by President Eliot, of Harvard, on the G. A. R., and scored the noted educator in bitter language. Dr. Waterman declared that Eliot's attack was unworthy of a patriotic citizen, and would even call for condemnation from ex-confederates themselves. He insisted that the man who thus wantonly attacked the bravery of the members of the G. A. R. was unworthy to be a citizen of the country which they fought so gallantly to perpetuate. Dr. Waterman's denunciation met with great applause.

Niles, May 31.—Memorial day was appropriately observed here by Frank Graves post, Grand Army of Republic. Rev. R. H. F. Gardiner delivered the address. In the afternoon the exercises were interfered with by rain.

Decatur, May 31.—Memorial day was more generally observed throughout southwestern Michigan than ever before, the exercises for the most part consisting of parades of civic societies, with addresses by local speakers.

Constantine, May 31. — A horse belonging to Simon Bronson ran away during decoration ceremonies. Bronson was badly injured internally and his skull was fractured. His recovery is doubtful.

Benton Harbor, May 31.—Memorial day was observed here by a procession made up of George H. Thomas post, G. A. R., Modern Woodmen, firemen and school children.

Coldwater, May 31.—Judge Gaple delivered an eloquent and patriotic address at Oak Grove cemetery on Memorial day.

GIANT BISONS IN MICHIGAN.

One of the Magnificent Specimens Taken to Adrian Dies from Injuries.

Adrian, June 1.—Two four-year-old bull bisons, consigned to the Page Fence company, arrived here Saturday night from Fort Wayne. They were bred on the preserves of Mr. Bass and are wild specimens. Mr. Clement and 12 assistants were three days trying to cage them. Twice Nero, a magnificent fellow weighing 2,000 pounds, jumped a six-foot fence, and on a third attempt failed to clear it and hung suspended by his hind quarters, in which position he was secured after a hard fight. He died at noon Sunday at Page park. It is supposed death resulted from internal injuries. Prof. Stephens, of the University of Kansas, who is in the city negotiating for Prof. Kost's collection of mastodons, made a liberal offer for the body to add to the university collection, but President Page decided to have the animal preserved and properly mounted for the purpose of presenting it to the museum of Adrian college.

Ravages of the Hessian Fly.

Coldwater, June 1.—The Hessian fly and rust have ruined the wheat crop in this vicinity. Last month the prospect for more than an average yield was flattering, but now there will not be half an average crop. Some farmers are plowing up their wheat fields, while others are hoping for some favorable change in the weather that may possibly benefit them. This deplorable condition appears to be general throughout southern Michigan and northern Indiana, and wheat growers are despondent.

Death of Capt. Blodgett.

Detroit, June 1.—Capt. C. C. Blodgett, for 40 years connected with the lake marine as sailor and owner, died here Sunday from a cold contracted at Cleveland two weeks ago. He was at one time connected in business with Capt. Ward. He was born at Conneaut, O., 68 years ago. Several years ago he sold his vessel property and devoted himself to the care of his large improved property interests in this city.

Three of One Family Killed.

Almont, May 30.—Mrs. James Smiley died Tuesday evening at Whigsville from the effects of injuries received in the recent cyclone at that place. This makes three deaths in one family—father, mother and son. The triple funeral was held Thursday.

Big Wool Clip.

Dowagiac, May 31. — Fifteen thousand pounds of wool was drawn into this city by four-horse teams the other day, being the clip of Lyle Bros., near Decatur, and claimed to be the largest single clip grown in southwestern Michigan this season.

Baptists Adjourn.

Cassopolis, May 29.—The Baptist conference closed Thursday night with addresses by Prof. Gaylord Slocum, president of Kalamazoo college, and Rev. George K. McDonald, of Kalamazoo.

Blown Down.

Bay City, June 1.—During a recent storm the city electric light tower on Center avenue, 220 feet high, the highest in the United States, was blown down and wrecked.

Discovered a Shortage.

Flint, May 29.—The expert accountants who were employed by the city council to examine the city books for two years past, reported a shortage of $4,585 in the waterworks contract.

DOMESTIC.

Four men were killed and seven others seriously injured at McKay's lumber camp near Seney, Mich., by the running away of a steam log machine.

Three employes of the Consumers' Gas company at Wilkesbarre, Pa., George Maxwell, the foreman, and Samuel Maxwell and George Zerbee, were suffocated by gas.

The convention of delegates to arrange for a Chicago-Southern States exposition in Chicago next fall began in that city.

While temporarily insane Mrs. Ethel Kelso, wife of George Radford Kelso, business manager of a printing establishment in New York, killed her two children—Ethel, aged four, and George, aged two—and then attempted suicide.

It was reported that 13 fishermen lost their lives while out in the lake at Buffalo, N. Y., during a storm.

John Thompson, aged 87 years, for over 50 years publisher of various weekly papers in different parts of Indiana, committed suicide by hanging himself at Fowler.

Mrs. Letitia Green Stevenson, wife of the vice president, was chosen president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the annual meeting in Washington.

A fire in the Leader newspaper building at Cleveland, O., threatened the entire plant, but was finally extinguished, with a loss of $10,000.

The holding of the southern states exposition in Chicago next fall was practically assured.

The monitor Monadnock was formally placed in commission at Mare Island navy yard in San Francisco. The construction of the Monadnock commenced 21 years ago.

The Maryland house of representatives passed a bill referring the whole matter of civil service reform to a vote of the people at the election in November.

James Fitzgerald was hanged at St. Louis for the murder of his sweetheart, Annie Naessens, on the night of November 24, 1893. When the trap sprung the rope broke, and a new rope had to be procured. Fitzgerald's father, mother and sister died of grief as the result of his conviction.

The 23d annual meeting of the American Paper Manufacturers' association was held in New York, reports showing trade to be in good condition.

Richard and John Steele, brothers and farmers, were killed at a crossing near Winchester, Ky., by a passenger train.

The bank at McLouth, Kan., was robbed by burglars of $3,500 in cash.

There were 280 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 21st, against 381 the week previous and 302 in the corresponding period of 1895.

Ducat & Grantham's livery barn at St. Joseph, Mo., was burned, and 60 horses, many of them valuable blooded animals, were cremated.

Itching

If there is one thing more than another which gratifies us, it is the great volume of hearty thanks which come from grateful parents for the cures Hood's Sarsaparilla has effected upon their children. The agony of despair turns to unspeakable joy as mothers and fathers see dreadful sores and eruptions gradually yield to the potent purifying power of this great medicine, and bright boys and girls given perfect health. Read this:

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Sores

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Cured

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the office of Charles Burridge, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 6th day of June, 1896, and on the 3d day of November, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 3d day of May, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, May 15, 1896.

RICHARD B. GILLESPIE,
B. A. GARLINGHOUSE,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 134, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00) provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, 6th April, A. D. 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Thursday the 28th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Aaron K. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William J. Waldron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Lewis M., William J. and Charles A. Waldron, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

Col. John S. Mosby, the once famous Confederate calvaryman, is critically ill with appendicitis in San Francisco, Cal. 1w

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Ac Express	5:24 a. m.
York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Accommodation	4: 0 p. m.
York Express	9:38 p. m.

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Trains.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 349. Accom'dn.
Lv	6 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
	6 20 "	3 19 "	1 15 "
	6 37 "	3 29 "	1 30 "
	6 48 "	3 45 "	1 52 "
	6 56 "	3 01 "	2 05 "
	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 06 "
Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
	10 45 "	6 40 "	
	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Trains.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 348 Accom
Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
	11 05 "	7 50 "	
	11 50 "	8 30 "	6 00 A.M.
	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

Passenger Time Table, In Effect May 17, 1896.

Central Time. STATIONS.		WEST. No. 8 Pass	No. 24 Pass
		P. M.	P. M.
L. Allegan	A	4 30	8 40
Monterey		3 56	8 15
Yorkville		2 59	7 35
Battle Creek		2 19	7 03
Marshall		1 37	6 35
Homer		12 58	6 10
Hanover		12 18	5 41
Addison Junc.		11 15	5 00
Lv. Jackson	Ar	11 00	5 45
Devils Lake		11 00	4 55
Onsted		10 47	4 44
Sand Lake		10 40	4 37
Tipton		10 33	4 31
Tecumseh		10 20	4 17
Ridgeway		10 11	4 09
Britton		10 05	4 03
Rea		9 54	3 54
Dundee		9 45	3 45
A. Toledo	L	9 00	2 55
		A. M.	P. M.

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ABOUT COLD STORAGE.

Why Every Farm Should Have a Small Plant of Its Own.

The cold storage business is taking on immense proportions. Its development in the principal cities of the country has been nothing less than phenomenal of late years. And now cold storage warehouses are being erected at country shipping points. In some cases they are put up by the farmers themselves, who organize cooperative stock companies and conduct the business on the same general principle that is applied so successfully in cooperative creameries. Most of these cold storage plants in both city and country use chemical refrigeration or other artificial means of creating and maintaining a low temperature. We understand that recent progress in this line makes it possible to build and equip a cold storage plant at comparatively reasonable cost. Of course, where the ice crop is assured, no expensive refrigerating machinery is required, and in such localities cold storage can be provided in connection with a neighborhood icehouse. The fact that cold storage is coming into such extensive use in the cities is the best possible evidence that it generally pays to thus hold perishable products until they can be marketed to the best advantage. Now, if this is such a good thing for marketmen, cold storage can be equally useful to farmers, especially as they can utilize its advantages by the cooperative method. Almost any farmer can have a fruit retarding house built on a side hill, which does not require ice, and a small cold storage room should be a feature of every farm or home icehouse.—Orange Judd Farmer.

FIGHTING CHINCH BUGS.

Barrier and Trap Method Assures Most Satisfactory Results.

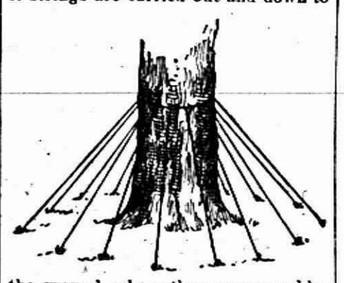
The Oklahoma experiment station says that it is practicable to keep chinch bugs out of corn fields, and in many cases out of the oat fields, even when they have appeared in great numbers in the wheat fields. As a help to this, this station has advised the separation of the corn fields from the small grain fields as far as possible, and to have alfalfa between where this was practicable. The chinch bug does not feed on alfalfa nor any of the clovers. It does feed on grasses, wild or cultivated, although it prefers wheat, and especially barley and the millets. It has been advised to sow millet alongside or around the wheat field so as to attract the bugs to a narrow area, thus helping to more easily destroy them.

The method of saving the corn crop, which is strongly advised, is called the "barrier and trap" method. It consists in forming a barrier over which the bugs cannot pass and then trapping them in holes as they collect at this barrier. This method requires work and attention but it has proved so remarkably successful in many cases that it is strongly recommended. One reason for discontinuing the distribution of diseased bugs is that it has been found that such distribution tends to cause reliance on the possible spread of the disease and unwillingness to make the effort necessary to protect other crops.

AN EXCELLENT IDEA.

Support for Sweet Peas Which Produces Excellent Results.

A bed of sweet peas about a tree trunk can be trained satisfactorily in the manner suggested in the accompanying illustration. A stout bit of cord is tied about the trunk some three feet from the ground, and from equal spaces about it strings are carried out and down to



the ground, where they are secured by pegs driven into the ground, these pegs forming a perfect circle about the tree. When the plants have secured a hold upon the strings and have come to blossoming, the effect will be very pleasing and attractive.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Water Cress for Profit.

Water cresses can be made to pay if any vegetable can. If you have the right facilities, i. e., a piece of ground that can be covered from one to six inches deep, with cool, gently-flowing water, you will have no difficulty in producing large amounts of this popular green stuff. The most work connected with it, indeed, is to cut and tie it in bunches. A springy meadow with a clay subsoil is a good location for a crop. To start a bed, all that is required is to stick some slips or cuttings into the mud or sand that is kept lightly covered with water, or to sow some seed into the moist soil on the edges of running streams. The plant is so easily grown that it is a wonder it is not found more frequently on farmer's premises. It is worthy of more attention. In some cases, a piece of ground that has some slope, might be terraced and arranged for growing water cresses in beds one above another, the water flowing from one to the other.—Practical Farmer.

Preparation of Spraying Mixtures.

Too much care cannot be taken in preparing any mixture to be used on trees and fruits. If not properly prepared, injury may follow. Bordeaux mixture, if properly prepared, will not injure the apple; but if there is not a sufficient amount of lime, injury may follow, causing the surface of the apple to be russeted and rough. Also damage to foliage may result. Other fruits are susceptible to injury from the mixture, if carelessly prepared. This mixture is one of the most effective fungicides in use.

GRAFTING GRAPE VINES.

The Proper Time and the Correct Way of Performing the Operation.

As nearly everyone who has had the grape fever, and went into numerous varieties, is most likely to have some that he wishes to change, this is the time to change them by grafting instead of digging such out as are not desirable.

Sometimes wild vines are where they might be left stand, and be changed into good varieties. This I advocated years ago, but would not advise it now except where young canes can be laid in the ground six inches deep for a few feet, then graft the end. There are various modes of grafting the grape, but the most simple, and as successful as any, is the common cleft graft. There are two periods to do this work in, one before the sap is in flow, and the other when the strong flow is on. The latter will be when the vines have made shoots a foot long. In this case, however, the grafts must be kept in a cool place or they will be too far advanced when the time comes.

Clear away the ground around the vine to be grafted six inches deep, saw off the vine with a sharp, fine-toothed saw, and smooth the stump with a sharp knife. If the stem is straight grained use a strong, thin-bladed knife and split the stump one and a half or two inches; have a wedge-pointed spike and drive it in the middle so as to hold the split apart wide enough to insert the grafts. The grafts should be the thickness of an ordinary lead pencil, although smaller wood sometimes answers as well; cut two grafts of the eyes if ordinary wood, and if short jointed take three eyes to a graft. Cut the graft one-half inch below the lower bud and one-half inch above the upper one.

Cut a wedge from the lower eye down to a nice edge with the side next the eye a little the thickest. This is so that it will be pressed tightest where the saps meet, as it is a little difficult to run the line of the sap exact (and this must be looked to). It is well to have the graft lean a little out at the top, in which case the line will be crossed and the connection sure; insert the grafts, two in a stock, that is an inch in diameter, if less one graft will do. Press down to the eye, then pull out your wedge and the grafts will be held firm enough without tying. But if small vines it is best to tie them. If the stump is twisted and crooked, so that it cannot be split straight, use the saw and saw out a wedged piece so that the grafts will fit tight and tie well; fill in the earth now and press firmly around the grafts (but be careful not to move them), up to the top bud, and cover over this a little grass or sand dust if you have it. This is to prevent the sun from drying out the bud before there is a connection between the graft and stock. When growing time comes, the suckers that may come from the old stock must be carefully removed, or they will rob the graft. When the graft begins to grow they must have stakes to tie to. I have often had grafts to grow ten to twenty feet the first season and bear a big crop the next.—Colman's Rural World.

SPOTTED COWBANE.

Short Description of One of Our Most Deadly Plants.

Every year cases of the poisoning of children from eating "wild parsnips" are chronicled by the papers. As many people are ignorant of the harmful nature of the plant, it may be well to describe it. Spotted cowbane (Cicuta maculata) is a member of the parsley family. It is a weed of the damp meadow and brookside. It is a perennial, with a purple stem, white flowers, slender habit and a pungent, aromatic odor. The stems spring from

SPOTTED COWBANE.

thick, fleshy, underground roots which are usually three or five in number, though single specimens are also found.

The roots of spotted cowbane will affect man, cattle and horses, and for this reason they should be grubbed out from the farm as soon as recognized. The symptoms of poisoning by cowbane are: Pain in the bowels, vomiting, followed by violent convulsions, dilation of the pupils, frothing at the mouth, and death. Cowbane is generally mistaken for wild parsnips, but the two are really quite different, though belonging to the same family. The genuine wild parsnip is a biennial, of a tall, stout habit, with deeply grooved stem, and bears large clusters of yellow flowers. It is also of an acrid, poisonous nature, which is not entirely destroyed by cooking. Like the cowbane, it should be dug out wherever found.—N. Y. World.

Tobacco as an Insecticide.

"For some years I have been using and recommending tobacco dust as an all round insect destroyer," says Joseph Meehan, in the Practical Farmer. "I have used it in the greenhouse for lice (aphis), in the open ground for the cucumber beetle, plant lice and for worms of all kinds, and sometimes in the henhouse for lice, etc. It is surely one of the swiftest of all insecticides we can apply. I have usually applied it with the bare hand, scattering it rather freely over bushes and plants and around cucumber, melon and squash vines, even an inch deep on the ground."

Troubled With Catarrh.

"I have been troubled with catarrh for 18 years and for the last two years I have had a cough. I have taken two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and two boxes of Hood's Pills and these medicines have benefited me more than any other I have ever taken. I recommend this medicine for catarrh or nervousness." Mrs. Wm. Rutledge, Frederic, Mich.

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Ypsilanti has a flourishing camera club.

Blissfield will have a macadamized street. Good thing too—in such soil as that.

Adrian has a phenomenal trick bicycle rider in the person of Lee Kennedy, a 4-year-old.

The laying of the corner stone of the new masonic hall at Palmyra has been adjourned till next Tuesday.

Blissfield will have an old fashioned 4th celebration. The principal attraction will be the oration by Grant Fellows, of Hudson.

Adrian has prospects of securing a bicycle manufactory. Mr. Baker formerly with the Yost people, of Toledo, is the moving spirit.

The commencement exercises of the Hudson East Side High school took place last week Thursday evening. Four young ladies received diplomas.

The motor line between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti, will be changed to an electric line, and that line and the Ann Arbor street railway will be run as one line.

The Hudson people are congratulating themselves over the prospects that the Lima Northern may run from Seneca to Hudson and thence over the Mackinaw to Jackson.

The Saline school board have decided to build a 300 barrel cistern in the school yard. It has probably been found necessary to furnish the pupils with soft water for bathing purposes.

Thos. J. Hiller, an attorney of Hudson, is on trial in the Circuit Court on charge of embezzlement while administrator of the estate of John Phillips. Judge Erastus Peck, of Jackson, is hearing the case.

The latest information given by the Morenci Observer concerning the Lima Northern is the fact that that road is quite certain to go somewhere after reaching Seneca on the Wabash. It may stop at Seneca.

T. J. Hiller, the Hudson attorney, was convicted of embezzlement in the circuit court Tuesday. The jury was out but a few minutes. He will probably give bonds tomorrow and appeal the case to supreme court.

The Abbott voting machine, which has been on exhibition for some time in a practical voting contest in New York, comes out ahead of its competitors. The machine gives fullest satisfaction and is likely to be adopted in the city of Brooklyn.

Ann Arbor and the University are rejoicing over the success of the 1896 May Festival. Well they may, for this most successful performance ranks Ann Arbor as among the great musical centers of this country and Professor Stanley as one of her leading composers and directors.

The new hall of the Oriental Order of Zouaves is in readiness for occupancy and is being fitted up with oriental splendor. The first initiation of candidates under the new ritual will take place Monday night. Hudson cantonment is the second of the kind in the United States.—Hudson Gazette.

Ypsilanti is going to have an opera house, sure. There is no mistake or doubt about it this time, for at a meeting of the stockholders, last Tuesday night, it was decided to go ahead with the building in the Beal block, the opera house to be finished by October, at a cost not exceeding $13,000. Work will probably be commenced at once.—Ypsilantian.

A man is going through the country working a new swindle. He calls at the residences and shows four photographs, which he says are his mother, father, wife and girl baby. All were burned to death by a gasoline explosion and he was also badly burned, and is here now under the treatment of a local physician. He sells court plaster to help him along, his physician giving him 100 packages as a present. He makes big hauls, almost everybody giving him the price of the plaster without taking it.

Gala days in Hudson this year will be as scarce as hair on a turnip. Along with the sad, sad fact that we will have no circuses, no ball games and no band tournament, comes the deplorable intelligence that Hudson will not celebrate the glorious "four times." A few citizens started out to arouse patriotism and secure a celebration, but met with so little encouragement of the right kind ($$) that they abandoned the idea. The occasional small boy and his bunch of fire-crackers is all that will be seen or heard on the streets of Hudson, July 4th this year.

Mayor Pingree, of Detroit—or rather of all over Michigan, was in the city Friday, and stayed over night. He and Uncle Charley Redfield "jostled" each other merrily for some time, but Ping. wouldn't say whether he would accept a nomination on the democratic ticket, in case he was not nominated by the republicans. Ping., however, shows that he has no use for a democrat or his principles. He says he is an out and out protectionist, and nothing democratic about him except a desire to skin McMillan, but if democrats want to vote for him, he can't help it. He visited Clayton and went down to Palmyra and made a speech. He is keeping republican managers busy, these days.—Adrian Press.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL ROOM, June 1st, 1896.

Present, the entire council.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Street committee reported that a new bridge for Union street would cost at least $3,000.00 and committee asked further time in which to investigate. Report accepted and time granted.

Ordinance committee reported an ordinance establishing a police force. Moved that the same be laid on the table to be taken up later in the evening. Supported. Carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for the month of May presented, showing two adult interments and ten dollars fees collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for May presented, showing village team labor 10½ days; hired team labor 23 days, 3 hours; hand labor, 28½ days, poll tax worked, 12 days. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Chairman of street committee reported that he had sold $13.44 worth of gravel from village gravel pit. Accepted and approved.

PETITIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Petition of Thomas Elliott and six others, asking that cement cross walk be constructed across Chicago street south from Presbyterian church, laid on the table.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Labor: A. Park, $10.63; Dell Packard, $1.25; Wm. Fielder, $21.25; W. H. B[illegible]s; Ezekiel Davidson, assessor, $[illegible] Ingersoll, clerk, $36.58; [illegible]lks; Henry Bissell, $21.31; A[illegible]nce, $10.50; J. H. Heck $10.[illegible] Martin, $14.70; Mrs. Inez Morley, $18.06; Thos. Elliott, $11.23. Garlinghouse Bros., clipping fire dept. team, $2.00; J. A. Boyd and A. Richards, $4.00 each for services on board of review. Water works: A. Park, labor, $2.03; C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight, $47.07; Satterthwaite Bros., supplies, $34.08; A. Y. McDonald Co., supplies, $39.51. Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for May, $216.67. Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the said several amounts.

Moved that the marshal be, and hereby is, instructed to place danger notices on Union street bridge, that same is not safe to cross with heavy loads. Supported. Carried.

The assessment roll of the village for 1896 was presented, duly certified by the board of review, for the approval of the council. Same showed a total valuation of $1,372,250.

Moved that the said assessment roll be, and that the same is, hereby approved. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the sum of $7,633.50, which is six mills on the dollar valuation, be raised for the general fund of the village for the year 1896, and that the president and clerk certify the roll to the village assessor to spread such amount on said roll. Supported.

Trustee Boyd, yea. Heesen, yea, Lowry, yea. Hall, yea. Wright, yea.—yeas, five, nays, none. Declared adopted.

Moved that the report of the ordinance committee be taken from the table. Supported. Carried.

Moved that the following ordinance be passed and adopted:

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE ORGANIZATION AND MAINTENANCE OF A POLICE FORCE.

SEC. 1. The common council of the village of Tecumseh ordain: That a police force is hereby organized and established in the village of Tecumseh. Said police force shall consist of the village marshal, who shall be chief of police, who shall have command thereof, subordinate to the president and council, and such number of policemen as the council shall, by resolution, provide for from time to time, provided, that this provision shall in no wise abridge the right of the president or council to appoint special policemen as provided for in Sec. 4 of this ordinance.

SEC. 2. All policemen shall be appointed by the president by and with the consent of the council, on the second Monday of April of each year, and shall serve for the term of one year therefrom, or until removed or his successor shall be appointed and duly qualify. All policemen shall take and subscribe the constitutional oath of office before entering upon the duties thereof. Policemen shall receive such compensation for their services as the council shall fix by resolution.

SEC. 3. The president may suspend any member of the police force for neglect of duty or whenever he shall deem such suspension necessary for the public good; but no policeman shall be permanently removed except by the council when they shall believe that there is reasonable cause therefor.

SEC. 4. The president or council shall have authority to, and it shall be their duty, in case of emergency, or whenever the public good so requires, to appoint such number of special policemen as shall be deemed necessary. All special policemen shall, before entering upon their duties, take and subscribe the constitutional oath of office.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the police to enforce the by-laws and ordinances of the village and the laws of the state and to make complaints for all violations thereof; and as peace officers they shall possess the same powers as constables.

SEC. 6. Whenever any person shall be arrested by any policeman he shall be immediately, or as soon thereafter as possible, taken before some justice of the peace of the township of Tecumseh, to be dealt with in accordance with the by-laws and ordinances of said village or the laws of the state.

SEC. 7. The marshal shall keep a correct record of all arrests and the cause therefor, wherein he shall enter, within twenty-four hours after such arrest, the name and age of the person arrested, nationality, and the cause thereof, and if discharged without being taken before the court, the reason therefor.

SEC. 8. The marshal, as chief of police, shall make and deliver to the council, at their first regular meeting of each month, a written report, which shall be on oath, of his doings during the past month. Said report shall show the number and names of all persons arrested by the police and the cause therefor, also the names of all persons discharged from arrest during the month, also the number of persons remaining in confinement for breaches of any ordinance of the village, the amount of all fines collected and the names of persons from whom collected and the cause therefor, and such other matters as he shall deem necessary.

SEC. 9. All moneys collected or received by the marshal shall be immediately paid into the village treasury and the receipt of the treasurer therefor shall be filed with the village clerk.

SEC. 10. This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

ALFRED JAMES, President.

W. J. INGERSOLL, clerk.

Passed June 1st, 1896.

Supported. Trustee Boyd, yea; Heesen, yea; Lowry, yea; Hall, yea; Wright, yea. Yeas, five; nays, none.

Ordinance declared passed and adopted.

Resolved: That the president appoint two policemen. Resolution supported. Carried.

Thereupon the president named as policemen Lucius L. Bates and Levi B. Thompson.

Moved that appointments of Lucius L. Bates and Levi B. Thompson, as policemen be confirmed. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

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It Rained.

Decoration day broke bright and cheerful and the careful preparations, which had been arranged were perfected in the morning in full anticipation that everything would be carried out as planned. Although clouds began to gather early in the forenoon, the work went on despite the fact that it rains "so easy" this year. The soldiers' monument on the square was most handsomely decorated, the floral car was arranged in showy and patriotic covering and an abundance of wreaths and floral offerings were arranged at the armory, by the W. R. C., for decorating the graves of departed veterans and members of Co. C. Beside this work, the citizens, who do not forget their dead, had remembered the resting place of their loved ones by becoming floral tokens which not only spoke of their regard but also of their loyalty to that day on which even the most careless feel a thrill of devotion for those who died for us.

Just as the Tipton band and Co. C marched to the four corners to escort the G. A. R. to the square, it began to rain and it didn't do much else during the entire afternoon. The only available place to which the meeting could be adjourned was the armory, and certainly it would have furnished ample room for the crowd, had arrangements been made to anticipate the weather and furnish chairs. As it was the speaker was obliged to talk to an audience part of which was constantly moving about and talking. American independence is occasionally carried to a point of extreme boorishness, and this certainly was an occasion. It seems a great pity that the missionaries in Japan would not come home and impart to their American brothers some of the salutatory lessons in public decency and the rights of others, which they have learned of the lowly Jap.

However, despite the jostle and the noise, the program was carried out as well as possible under the circumstances. The address of the day was forcibly and eloquently delivered, against odds which would have made such effort impossible to the ordinary speaker. Hon. Albert Deyo in the first place is a ready and forcible speaker. In the next place, he is an enthusiastic member of the G. A. R. and most thoroughly imbued with that true spirit of patriotism which consecrates this day to the purpose of perpetuating the memory of our departed heroes and to that alone. We trust it will be the privilege of our people to again hear Mr. Deyo under more favorable circumstances.

At the close of the address an interesting paper was read by Comrade [illegible] of Franklin, concerning his experience at Kenesaw mountain.

As if by special intervention, the rain ceased just long enough to allow the procession to form and march to the cemetery to perform the time honored service of decorating the graves of departed comrades. As quickly and completely as it had cleared off did the rain clouds gather again and the G. A. R. service at the cemetery was dispensed with, and the band, G. A. R., militia and floral car made double quick for shelter. They all got there too—after a most thorough drenching with mud and water.

Although the ceremonies of the day were a sad disappointment to those who had made such complete preparations for its observance as well as for those who regard its keeping as the most sacred duty of the year, they were one and all glad to know that a duty had been performed and that the old spirit of Memorial Day does not grow dim in the hearts of our citizens.

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting Occurrences Reported from Various Localities.

July 13-14, at Battle Creek, the national bicycle tournament will be held.

The Lansing schoolboard has decided that dancing does not disqualify a teacher.

The post office at Wearesville, Gladwin county, has been discontinued. Mail will go to Coleman.

Detroit papers state that John D. Rockefeller is about to establish a rock-salt factory near that city.

All of the $100,000 capital stock in the company that is to manufacture Abbott voting machines at Hudson has been subscribed.

Eddie Thayer, of Jackson, only seven years old, has been sent to the reform school for mutilating horses on the street and stealing a coat.

The Free Methodists of southwestern Michigan will hold their annual camp meeting at Lawrence, Van Buren county, July 23 to August 2.

The assessed valuation of the city of Jackson shows an increase of $233,910 over the rolls of 1895. Three-fourths of the increase is made on personal property.

A few years ago more wool was marketed in Decatur than any other point in southwestern Michigan. This season the local buyers purchased less than 30,000 pounds.

Leland Green, of Farmington, Oakland county, celebrated his 35th birthday June 4. He came to Michigan 73 years ago and has resided in Farmington ever since.

The weekly bulletin from the weather bureau at Lansing reports improvement in the condition of the wheat crop, with less damage than anticipated from the Hessian fly.

Large numbers of Chicago people are purchasing tracts of land along the St. Joseph river between Berrien Springs and Lake Michigan, on which they are building summer homes.

Mrs. Anna French, of Flint, who lives near the shops of the Armstrong Steel company, has sued the company for $2,000 damages to her home caused by the noise of the big trip-hammers.

A gentleman who has taken the trouble to ascertain finds that Lansing has 36 miles of water mains, 293 fire hydrants and has 135,000,000 gallons of water annually to sprinkle the city streets and supply the drinking fountains.

The eighth annual reunion of the Branch County Soldiers' and Sailors' association and the old Seventh Michigan volunteer infantry, at Bronson, on June 16 is expected to bring out at least 2,000 veterans, besides crowds of other people.

BANKER DROPS DEAD.

Andrew J. Bowne, of Grand Rapids, Succumbs to Heart Disease.

Grand Rapids, June 8.—Andrew J. Bowne, widely known in Michigan banking and business circles, dropped dead Sunday afternoon of heart disease. He was president of the Fourth national bank and of the Consolidated Street Railroad company, and was largely interested in the Lowell and Hastings railroad. He was one of the pioneer wool and grain buyers in the state, and at one time was one of the largest in the state. For 40 years he lived in Hastings, and about ten years ago came here. He was 65 years old and leaves a family.

TORNADO STRIKES LANSING.

Wind Demolishes Trees and Small Buildings—Torrents of Rain.

Lansing, June 8.—A tornado struck this city from the west shortly after 11 o'clock Sunday and a terrible rainstorm followed. It was the worst experienced here in years. Trees were uprooted and scores of them, some of which were a foot in diameter, were broken off. Several barns and numerous outbuildings were overturned and over 400 feet of sheds at the plant of the Michigan Stave company were leveled. The rain fell in torrents.

Peculiar Death of a Diver.

Harbor Springs, June 5.—A marine diver named Colwell lost his life Thursday in the wrecking operations on the sunken steamer Cayuga. He was employed by Capt. Reed and was lowered in the diving rig to the sunken boat. Five minutes later he was hoisted to the surface, and when his helmet was removed his head was found to be crushed. The cause is unknown.

Killed by the Cars.

Saginaw, June 4.—George Hartman, aged 33 and unmarried, met a terrible death by falling off the rear end of a gravel car, the next car in the train running over him. Both legs were cut completely off. He also had big holes in his head and side and was brought to St. Mary's hospital, where he died a few hours later.

Heavy Rainfall.

Adrian, June 9.—Prof. Howard, of Adrian college, reports that in the 36 hours preceding Sunday midnight within a fraction of five inches of rain fell in this city. The storms were intermittent and severe. A number of cattle are reported killed. Minor havoc by wind and water was extensive.

Absorbed a Rival.

Kalamazoo, June 6.—The Kalamazoo Radiator company has been absorbed by the American Radiator company, which belongs to the trust. It is feared that the institution, which employs 100 men, will be closed.

DEATH OF EX-GOV. BEGOLE.

He Expires Peacefully in His Home at Flint, at the Age of 81.

Flint, June 8. — Ex-Gov. Josiah W. Begole died at a late hour Friday night. He had been gradually failing for the last two years. He was 81 years old and leaves a widow and several children. The end came quickly after a protracted illness due to a general breaking down of a once robust constitution consequent upon an injury received a year ago last February by a fall as he was about to enter a carriage at his home. In the evening of a well-spent life and an honored career Michigan's kind-hearted and generally beloved ex-governor passed peacefully away, leaving as a rich legacy to his family an untarnished name that is held in honor wherever it is known.

Flint, June 9.—The remains of ex-Gov. Josiah W. Begole were laid to rest in Glenwood cemetery Monday afternoon with every mark of respect. The services were held at the First Presbyterian church, and the funeral was attended by Genessee Valley commandery K. T.; Flint Lodge, No. 23, F. and A. M.; Fenton Knights of the Loyal Guard; company A, Third regiment, M. N. G.; Gov. Crapo post, G. A. R.; members of the common council and ex-mayors and ex-aldermen and other past and present city officers in a body and Campbell's Flint City band. The stores on Saginaw and contiguous streets were closed during the hour of the funeral, and in the factories throughout the city there was a general suspension of work during the afternoon.

[Josiah W. Begole arrived in Michigan when it was a territory and almost a wilderness. He was born in Livingston county, N. Y., January 27, 1815. He received his early education in a log schoolhouse and subsequently attended Temple Hill academy at Genesee, N. Y. When 21 years old he left home to seek his fortune. He settled in Genesee county, and aided much in the prosperity of the city of Flint. He was married in 1839 to Miss Harriet A. Miles. He was a strong anti-slavery man and became a member of the republican party at its organization. Held several town and county offices, and in 1870 was nominated for state senator and elected by a large majority. He was a member of the national republican convention in 1872, and was elected to congress that year. In the gubernatorial election of 1883 he was the nominee of both the greenback and democratic parties, and defeated David H. Jerome, the republican candidate. He refused to be a candidate for reelection. Ex-Gov. Begole was a pioneer in masonry in this section of the state, having been made a member of the order about 50 years ago. He was a member of Flint lodge, No. 23, F. and A. M., and of Genesee Valley commandery, Knights Templar, and of the Mystic Shrine. He was for many years a member and communicant of the Presbyterian church and a liberal contributor to its support.]

GILBERT MEMORIAL UNVEILED.

Lorado Taft's Bust of the Grand Rapids Citizen Given to the City.

Grand Rapids, June 6.—A memorial to Thomas D. Gilbert was unveiled in Fulton Street Park Friday afternoon with prayer by Rev. D. E. Bradley and addresses by Col. George G. Briggs, George W. Thayer and President James B. Angell, of the University of Michigan. The memorial was accepted in behalf of the city by Mayor L. C. Snow.

Mr. Gilbert was for half a century one of the most prominent citizens of western Michigan, served 12 years as a member of the board of regents of the university, was once presidential elector and delegate-at-large to the national republican convention, besides holding city offices. He was also active in local charity work and was a generous giver. The memorial is a bronze bust executed by Lorado Taft, of Chicago.

Earnings of Michigan Roads.

Lansing, June 7.—Commissioner Billings reports that the Michigan earnings of the railroad companies for March were $2,273,282, an increase of $48,833 over March, 1895. The earnings to April 18 this year were $6,670,664, an increase of $427,955 or 6.42 per cent. over the same period last year.

Ex-Gov. Felch Very Ill.

Ann Arbor, June 10.—Ex-Gov. Alpheus Felch is very low and hardly expected to live. He is unable to move himself in bed. He is 92 years old. The heart action is bad, and there seems a general failing of his powers, both of mind and body, yet all hope is not given up.

Factory Undermined.

Battle Creek, June 9.—The storm Sunday night undermined the carriage works of Adams & Smith and the Hart flouring mill. A portion of three large buildings was carried through a washout 60 feet wide. Damage, $3,500.

Grasshoppers Do Much Damage.

Niles, June 7.—The farms of William Eisner and Peter Ellis, residing east of here, were ravaged by a flock of grasshoppers. The hoppers appeared to be in millions. They attacked hay and oats and did great damage.

Drowned While Bathing.

Menominee, June 9.—Hans Nelson, aged 24, was drowned Monday morning while bathing in Little river, 7 miles from this city. A companion nearly lost his life in attempting to rescue him.

Fatally Scalded.

Muskegon, June 6.—Julius Fuhrmann, employed as a fireman in the nail keg manufactory, fell into a vat of boiling water and was fatally scalded.

Kalamazoo to Have a Road Race.

Kalamazoo, June 6.—A ten-mile road race will be run here July 4, with $1 prizes, ranging from $2.50 to $100 wheels, of which there are five.

TERRIFIC STORMS.

Great Damage Done in Several Western States.

Several Persons Lose Their Lives and Over One Thousand Head of Live Stock Perish—Hail Cuts Down the Crops.

St. Paul, Minn., June 8.—Reports received in St. Paul up to midnight indicate that the damage done by the great storm will reach fully $300,000. The loss of human life is not yet known, but three people are known to have perished. These are C. W. Castleton, of Ash Lake; E. W. Hunter, of Adrian, and Moses Chadwick, of Nobles county. There were at least 1,000 cattle, sheep, hogs and horses drowned in southwestern Minnesota. The greatest casualties were at Luverne and on the Rock river. Two cloudbursts struck the latter in three hours and the river overflowed the country for miles.

Four Drowned in Kansas.

Leavenworth, Kan., June 8.—Mike and Dennis Desmond and Eugene and Danay Cummings were drowned here Sunday. About two o'clock p. m. a cloudburst came upon the city and no such flood of water has been witnessed here for many years. Upon the approach of the rain six small boys, the four named and two others, Mike Cummings and George Newsome, rushed to a culvert for shelter. Before they could realize what happened, four of them were carried off by the rush of water.

Roads Strewn with Dead Birds.

Wichita, Kan., June 8.—A terrific hailstorm at an early hour Sunday morning destroyed thousands of acres of ripe growing corn in southern Kansas with hailstones, cutting stalks off like a mowing machine. The storm was so severe that the roadsides are strewn with dead birds. The storm was general apparently all over southern Kansas and extending over a part of Oklahoma.

A Church Wrecked.

Lincoln, Neb., June 6.—Reports from northeastern Nebraska tell of a terrific storm of wind and rain. In Stanton county barns, schoolhouses and one large country church were torn to pieces. Much farm machinery and other personal property were destroyed. The wind was even more violent in Thurston county, developing almost into a tornado. Several residences were badly damaged, barns leveled and live stock killed. So far as known no lives were lost. One boy was injured.

Destroyed by the Wind.

O'Neill, Neb., June 8.—Word has reached here that Lynch, Boyd county, was destroyed by a tornado Saturday night. No lives were lost. Lynch is a small village 20 miles north of here, off the railroad and without telegraph communication. The condition of wagon roads makes it impossible to secure particulars.

Storm at Chicago.

Chicago, June 8.—There was a heavy hailstorm in Chicago Sunday afternoon and in the southeastern district much damage was done by wind and rain. In Hyde Park and Woodlawn all basements were flooded with water and many windows were broken by the hail. Many trees were blown down, signs were carried away and the roof of the Waukesha flats at Sixty-fourth and Grace streets was partially destroyed by the wind. Two boats were capsized by a squall on the lake, one at Thirty-ninth street and the other at South Chicago. Eight people in all were thrown into the lake but all were rescued alive.

Swept Over the Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 9.—An unknown man, who is supposed to hail from Buffalo, lost his life here Monday night in a very mysterious manner. While standing on Luna island at the brink of the cave of the winds his hat blew off, and in making a sudden attempt to catch it the unfortunate man lost his footing, slipped into the water and on the slimy rocks and in an instant was swept over the falls.

Carlisle's Answer.

Washington, June 10.—Secretary Carlisle in his reply to the subcommittee of the senate finance committee charged with the investigation of the sale of United States bonds during the years 1894, 1895 and 1896, says that foreign investors became uneasy regarding our ability to pay in gold and bonds were necessary to maintain our credit.

Grasshopper Plague in Ohio.

Chillicothe, O., June 10.—The plague of grasshoppers which is ruining the farmers north of the city is on the increase. Several hundred of the insects have been captured and shipped to the Ohio experimental station at Columbus, where they will be inoculated with a virus to work their destruction.

Martial Law Declared.

Barcelona, June 9.—Martial law has been declared here. The total number of victims of the bomb explosion Sunday are eight dead, 21 dying and 18 injured. The impression is general that anarchists did the work as a result of a widespread anarchist plot.

Wants to Be Auditor General.

Decatur, June 4.—Edwin A. Wildey, of Paw Paw, has announced himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for auditor general.

Woman Killed by a Rattlesnake.

Decatur, June 10.—Mrs. John Gittner, of Athens, died from the effects of a bite of a rattlesnake received while picking berries.

Clinton Column.

Much Personal Gossip—Another Ball Nine Organized—Saloon Case Adjourned.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

H. D. Niblack was in Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Julia Scully spent Sunday in Manchester.

Robert Cairns, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Mrs. G. R. Wolf returned Friday from her Deerfield visit.

George Chandler, of Saline, is visiting friends in town.

Chas. W. Parker spent Sunday in Clinton with his family.

F. E. Sherwood and wife visited Britton friends last Sunday.

Miss Linda Nase closed her school in the Brown district last Friday.

A. W. Perrine, of Dundee, was in town a greater part of last week.

Dr. J. E. White was in Blissfield on professional business Wednesday.

Miss Anna Cutting, of Tecumseh, was visiting friends in town Tuesday.

Miss Loveday Payne returned to her home in Manchester last Saturday.

J. W. Bradner started Monday morning for Hudson, Ind., to visit a son.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife went to Detroit Tuesday, returning Thursday.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth visited her parents in Tipton, the latter part of last week.

W. W. Hess arrived Friday from Tennessee, where he has been spending the winter.

Geo. Chandler, of Saline is the guest of his grandmother this week, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

Mrs. E. R. Smith has been visiting friends in Ann Arbor since Thursday of last week.

Dr. F. J. Knight, of Charlotte, has been visiting his parents during the past week.

Hiram Saxton made an overland trip this week to Hillsdale, where he will visit friends.

Geo. C. Lindsley and wife went to Grass Lake Monday for a visit of a week or ten days.

Jas. H. Breese and wife, of Fenwick, arrived here Tuesday for a few days visit with old friends.

Mrs. W. R. Blachford and children, of Tecumseh, were guests at L. W. Kimball's last Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers and Mrs. E. S. Tate went to Springville Monday to visit relatives a few days.

The friends of Rachel Smith were pleased to hear that she had reached her Texas friends in safety.

Wednesday evening, at the Eddy homestead occurred the wedding of A. H. St. John and Libbie Eddy.

Miss Margaret Biggins, who is home from New York for a visit with her parents, was taken quite ill Tuesday.

Chas. H. Johnston came over from Detroit on his wheel Saturday and spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

Jno. and Joe Alexander arrived home from Canada last Friday. Joe surprised his friends by bringing a wife with him.

C. S. Baker and wife arrived Monday, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Clark. Mr. Baker is greatly improved in health.

The Misses Kittie and Eva VanTuyle drove to Ypsilanti Monday, with Jennie, who is to remain there for some time.

Mrs. Irve Hause and child, who have been visiting he people at Hanover, Ill., for several weeks returned home Wednesday noon.

The new Baindridge and VanTuyle building is nearing completion and H. G. Skekell the jeweler will occupy it June 15th.

Guy Carr, son of Mrs. M. E. Carr, arrived here Saturday from Rochester, N. Y. having come all the way on his bicycle. He started on Monday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and F. D. Lancaster attended the Episcopal Dioscean Convention at Detroit this week as delegates from St. John's church.

The ladies of St. John's church will give a social at the home of Mrs. Laura Tuttle, Thursday, June 18. Supper from 5 to 7. All cordially invited.

Carl Burton arrived home Wednesday for a visit with Clinton relatives and friends. The opera company of which he is musical director have closed their season.

Miss Winnie Woods, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, reached here Thursday of last week and expects to spend the summer with her cousin, Miss Clyde Marsteller.

Miss Emma Strum returned from her visit with Hillsdale friends Wednesday morning. She intends returning there the first of the week and will learn the art of dress making.

Ed Clark took C. H. Johnston, S. O. VanDeMark and Bernard Selliegs and their wheels to Saline Monday morning as the clay roads, owing to the heavy rains, were too sticky for bicycles.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner started last Saturday for Connecticutt, where she is to visit relatives during the summer. She spent Sunday with her daughter in Detroit and expected to go by boat from there to Buffalo.

Fred Strum, a nephew of Charles and son of Jacob Strum, of Saline, who has made a fine record as teacher in the far west, started Monday for Germany, to attend the one of the celebrated schools at Berlin. He expects to be gone a year or more, as he expects to perfect himself in German and will remain until he graduates.

Another ball team has been organized here to be known as the 2nd nine with Obe Olwood as captain and W. O. Silvers as manager. They are now ready to cross bats with any of the neighboring teams of their class.

S. O. VanDeMark and Bernard Sellings, of Detroit, came over to look after Schmidt & Wallinger's interest in the matter of saloon bonds at Adrian the last of the week. As the case was by agreement of the attorneys postponed to come before Judge Lane in Detroit, Wednesday of this week, they came up to Clinton and were guests of W. D. VanTuyle's family over Sunday.

ONSTED.

A Big Day, Pingree on Hand, and a Good Matinee.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Last Saturday, the 6th inst., turned out as advertised to be a great gala day for Onsted. Early in the day the streets and business places which were beautifully decorated, were full of people. The procession headed by the Pres. with Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, formed at 12.30 p. m. in front of Hotel Teachout, after passing through the principal streets stopped in Frank Brooks' Park. The Pres. Mr. T. J. Kinney, introduced Mayor Pingree and Elder Blades, of Detroit, who addressed the large audience on the issues of the day. A vote of thanks was given the speakers and three cheers for Pingree. The band after executing an excellent piece of music marched to the race grounds followed by fully 1500 people, who were pleased to see one of the best matinees ever held in southern Mich.

Summaries follow: Named race with 7 starters required 7 exciting heats to decide, won by Bonnie Belle. Best time 1:24.

Green race, 6 starters, won by Chas. Reynolds Roy. Time 1:28.

Bicycle race won by Bert Base. Time 1:22 1-2.

Free for all 4 starters, 3 heats, won by Neely Bros' Cambridge Belle. Panama Gazelle 2nd, Cambridge Boy 3rd. These 3 were well bunched in all heats. Time 1:11 3-4, 1:12, 1:12 3-4.

Running race won by Prairie Flower. Best time .58. The next matinee which promises to be as good will occur on Sat. June 27th.

SOUTH MACON.

The Aid Society Enjoys a fine Meeting—News from Absent Friends.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Bryant is again quite sick.

Miss Julia Gilmore is a member of the class of '96 in Tecumseh.

Sunday afternoon services still continue in the Reformed Church.

Miss Louis Bond is home from Cleary's College to spend commencement week.

Mrs. J. W. Baker is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mead in Ysilanti this week.

Mr. Harry Bailey, of Cleveland, O., called on Macon friends Friday, of last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Richard Clarkson last Thursday afternoon. A good attendance and a very enjoyable time is reported.

The many friends of Miss Emma Bailey will be pleased to hear that at a recent music recital given at Austin, Texas., she favored the audience with several selections on her violin.

With the blood full of humors, the heated term is all the more oppressive. Give the system a thorough cleansing with Ayer's Sarsaparilla and a dose or two of Ayer's Pills, and you will enjoy the Summer as never before in your life. Just try this for once, and you'll not repent it. 1w

Richard Little shot and killed his wife at Chico, Cal., and then killed himself.

CUSTOMER—I want a remedy for catarrh.

DRUG CLERK—All right, sir. Here's a blood tonic that is advertised to build up the constitution.

CUSTOMER—Young man, do you think I'm going to dose myself with a blood tonic for months, just on the chance of it doing me some good? Not much! I want immediate relief; besides, catarrh is a local affection, and no tonic or blood purifier ever made, can cure it. Here's 50 cents. Let me have Ely's Cream Balm. It's the only thing I know of to cure an attack of catarrh. 7

Prisoners in the Ohio Penitentiary are permitted to converse in the dining hall during meals.

A healthy appetite, with perfect digestion and assimilation, may be secured by the use of Ayer's Pills. They cleanse and strengthen the whole alimentary canal and remove all obstructions to the natural functions of either sex, without any unpleasant effects. 1w

By the will of the late W. T. Richards of New Orleans, La., about $250,000 is left to charities.

Baldness is either hereditary or caused by sickness, mental exhaustion, wearing tight-fitting hats, and by over-work and trouble. Hall's Renewer will prevent it. 1w

"I was troubled with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a most wonderful medicine." Joseph Herick, Linwood, Ont. 1w

The wheat crop in the lower Michigan Peninsula has been seriously damaged by rust and Hesian fly.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases. 1w

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., June 8, '96.

President Cleveland has been convinced that the silver men will control the Chicago convention. The Kentucky contest almost settled his hopes, and the business was clinched when Secretaries Smith and Morton returned to Washington and made their reports. Secretary Smith says Georgia will join the silver column at Chicago, and Secretary Morton, who has been visiting the Pacific coast, says the silver sentiment of that section is so overwhelming that no man or party can stand against it. It looks like this ought to be sufficient to take Mr. Cleveland out of the calculations at Chicago, and so it is with most people, but there are still a few men who cling to the idea that he is a pet of fate. These men hint mysteriously of something Mr. C. will shortly do, in connection with Cuba, that will renew his hold upon the country.

The passing of the River and Harbor bill over President Cleveland's veto was very quietly accomplished in both House and Senate, and there were plenty of votes to spare, over and above the two-thirds required.

The fact that the silver men will control the Chicago convention has upset a great many political plans, made upon the presumption that neither the republican nor democratic national conventions would declare for silver. Prominent members of the silver party, which is to hold a national convention at St. Louis on July 22d—the same time and place that the populist convention is to be held—, have already declared that they favored endorsing the ticket nominated at Chicago, if the platform declared for silver. This doesn't suit the populists who have been counting upon the co-operation of the silver party. There may be some sensational surprises in national politics this summer.

About the only result of the passing of the Butler anti-bond bill by the Senate was to emphasize what everybody already knew—that the silver men control that body. The bill, which reads as follows: "Be it enacted, that the issuance of interest bearing bonds of the United States for any purpose whatever without furthur authority of Congress is hereby prohibited," has been tabled by a majority vote of the House. The 32 votes cast in the Senate for the bill were from 10 republicans, 17 democrats and 5 populists, and the 25 against it were from 16 republicans and 9 democrats. Silver and not party was the dividing line, and during the debate which preceded the final vote several of the republican silver Senators, including Teller, Cannon and Brown, of Utah, took occasion to offer some advance advice to the St. Louis convention. Senator Teller was somewhat pointed in his remarks. He said: "What the republican party will do at St. Louis, I do not know, but I believe I know enough of the sentiment of the west and of the plain people of the country to say that the party that inscribes on its banner 'the gold standard' is doomed to defeat."

So far as the committees of the House and Senate are concerned these engineers who investigated and reported upon the Nicaragua canal, in accordance with instructions from Congress, would just as well have remained at home. Reports were submitted from the committees to both House and Senate, this week, and that of the House committee was positively disrespectful to the engineers, and impeached their estimates of the probable cost of the canal. The report made to the Senate wasn't quite so positive in referring to the work of the engineer commission, but was even more positive in advocating the building of the canal. There is no expectation of action upon this at the present session of Congress, and its fate at the next session will depend largely upon circumstances.

The real estate syndicates which heavily invested in land around the suburbs of Washington have not, except in rare instances, realized the expected profits, and they would be glad of some government assistance. This has been asked for in various ways, but the requests have not been heeded up to this time. Several years ago there was a bill to appropriate a million dollars to buy a specified piece of property just north of the city proper, upon which to erect a residence for the President of the United States. After that was shelved came a proposition to add about $12,000,000 to the bonded indebtedness of the District of Columbia, and to use the money putting in seweres and grading streets through country fields. That was killed as soon as its real purpose was discovered. The latest is the most modest request of all. It is a bill appropriating $100,000 for the purchase of 18 acres of land in a specified location, to be used as a summer home for the President. This land may have cost its owners in hundreds what they are seeking to get thousands from Congress for, but it is doubtful whether it cost them that much. It is also extremely doubtful about their unloading this land on Congress.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers' that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. June

Hall's family pills are the best.

The Habits of Children

Should be closely watched and regulated by mothers. Carelessness in childhood often leads to serious troubles in after life. The digestive organs and bowels should be kept in the best possible condition to insure good health, not only for the present, but for years to come. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a harmless but potent remedy, corrects all such evils in children. Twenty doses (for children) 10c, at Orr & Temple's. june

Percy Furber, a mine owner, while bathing at the city of Mexico, struck his head on the bottom of a tank and is in a critical condition.

The Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs. Made by the California Fig Syrup Company. june

Dr. J. G. Johnson, living near abbeyville, S. C. was found dead on the piazza with his dwelling on fire, and foul play is suspected.

When a man owns a blooded horse he is always careful of its health. He looks after its diet and is particular that the feeding shall be regular and right. While he is doing this it is likely as not that he is himself suffering from some disease or disorder. When the trouble gets so bad that he cannot work, he will begin to give himself the care he gave the horse at the start. Good pure, rich, red blood is the best insurance against disease of any kind. Almost all diseases come from impure or impoverished blood. Keep the blood pure and strong and disease can find no foothold. That is the principle upon which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery works. It cleanses, purifies and enriches the blood puts and keeps the whole body in perfect order; makes appetite good, digestion strong, assimilation perfect. It brings ruddy, virile health. It builds up solid, wholesome flesh (not fat) when from any cause, reduced below the healthy standard. 1w

There are more than 7,000 liquor saloons in San Francisco, Cal., or one for every fifty of its inhabitants. This breaks the record.

If strength is what you want, you should study what causes your weakness.

It is practically lack of food.

But you eat three meals a day and all you can eat at a time.

Yes, but do you digest it?

Food undigested, is not food. It is not nourishment.

It doesn't create strength.

To digest your food take Shaker Digestive Cordial at meals. After a while you will digest your food without it. Then you will get well, and strong and healthy.

Shaker Digestive Cordial cures indigestion and all its symptoms, such as nausea, headache, eructations, pain in the stomach, giddiness, loss of appetite, etc. It makes your food nourish you, and make you strong and fat and hearty.

Druggists sell it. Trial bottle 10 cents. 1w

"Little Pete," the notorious Chinese crook, of San Francisco, Cal., is accused of flooding the Pacific Coast with counterfeit coins.

Ninety Per Cent.

Of all the people need to take a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla at this season to prevent that run-down and debilitated condition which invites disease. The money invested in half a dozen bottles of Hood's Sarsaprillla will come back with large returns in the health and vigor of body and strength of nerves.

Hood's pills are easy to buy, easy to take, easy to operate. Cure all liver ills. 25c. 1w

The Cunard steamer, Etruria has lowered her record from Sandy Hook to Queenstown to six days and fifty-eight minutes.

1872—1894.

In 1872 Cream of Tartar was 49 cents per pound: in 1894 it was 19 cents per pound. Have the High Price Baking Powder monopolists reduced their price? They have not!

"Calumet" was the first, and it is the only high grade Baking Powder offered to the public at a moderate price. Its motto is:

"Monopoly must yield to moderation, Impurity must improve or go under, 'Calumet' is the standard." 1w

Bellinger Fishburne and Pickney Purse, boys, left a picnic party at Columbia, S. C., to go bathing and were drowned.

There is fun in the foam, and health in the cup of HIRES Rootbeer—the great temperance drink.

Made only by The Charles E. Hires Co., Philadelphia. A 25c. package makes 5 gallons. Sold everywhere.

PARKER'S GINGER TONIO

cures Lung Troubles, Debility, distressing stomach and female ills, and is noted for making nurse when all other treatment fails. Every mother and invalid should have it.

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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists

HINDERCORNS The only sure Cure for Corns. Stops all pain. Makes walking easy. 15c. at Druggists.

Chichester's English Diamond Brand.

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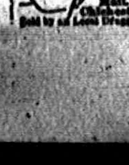

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Michigan Female Seminary.

Kalamazoo, June 8.—The exercises of commencement week of the Michigan female seminary began Sunday morning with the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. John Gray, D. D., at the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. Marie Heater, of Chicago, sang at the offertory.

To Prison for Fifteen Years.

Grand Rapids, June 5.—Kryn Lindhout was sentenced Friday morning by Judge Burlingame, of the supreme court, to 15 years at Ionia for causing the death of his sweetheart, Mary Tillema. The young man is 20 years old and took his sentence very calmly.

To Make Useful Women.

Kalamazoo, June 10.—The state agricultural board, in session here, adopted a four-year course of study for women at the State agricultural college. It includes poultry raising, cooking, domestic economy, languages, music, painting, floral culture, etc.

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The Weapon Small — but None More Certain or Effective.

In these times when backs are lame, when almost every other one we meet has now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains—"a weak back," "a bad back," a back that makes their life a misery to bear—and still they go on day by day in pain and suffering. Now 'tis the easiest thing in the world to give this played out back "a blow" that will settle it, and put in its place a new one equal to any. It's just like this: hit at the cause; most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up fibres in operation; when this is done you can say good-bye to backache.

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...trawberry crop is about done.

...shaker Medicine Co. all next ...ee show.

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...Clark, of Clinton, was in the ... Wednesday.

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...to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cheev... week, a pair of twin boys.

...ce Lowe starts for Bryan, Ohio, ...catch for the Bryan team.

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...artha Gorham left Monday for ... to visit relatives and friends.

... Gripton and Ernest DuBois ...business trip to Detroit Monday.

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... Mrs. W. E. Allen returned ... from a few days' visit at To...

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...and will soon be in shape to ...open air concert. Look out for ...

...dson & Hughes are shipping ...m Dundee on the Lake Shore ...k.

... Temple, our hustling lumber ...as added three more cars to his ...good stock.

...and's instruments have been ...ed, and now work to the satis... of the boys.

... Baker and wife, of Chicago, ...the village Monday visiting W. ... and family.

...d Mrs. Wesley Pennington, of ...were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. ...llen Monday.

... Lee returned Tuesday from ...here she has been visiting her ... several weeks.

...elm is making a great leading ...$13 and $15 single harnesses. ...ee them right away.

...Haight reports the sale of sev... bicycles so far this season and ...ey are coming for more.

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... J. Clark is now the owner of ...ew Waverly wheel and Bert ...rides a new Relay wheel.

...e, route agent for the Ameri... Co., was in the village last ...on business for the company.

...Smith traded a horse for a bi... week and now has two more ...at he will give for one good ...

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... Underwood, Webster Under... ...n Britton, James Haight, Geo. ... L. A. Babcock, J. L. Kish... Elder Deyo, attended the ...the corner stone of the Mason... at Palmyra, Tuesday. They ...markably fine time and in... so much merriment that Eld... early done up at last ac... our citizens' desire is that ... some future date be able to ...to the Palmyra people.

...dershot tent of Maccabees, ... and men's branches, is one ...gest in this section and by ...t Rev. C. I. Deyo delivered ... last Sunday morning for ...l benefit. And a benefit it ...as. Over 120 members from ...dges were present, and with ...ll of the citizens and church ...very seat in the church was ...The discourse was full of ...pressed in well chosen words. ...ly no man is better adapted ... Deyo to talk to fraternal or... for he is a high degree ma... order and has given this sub... ...ernal orders long and careful ...s only hoped that in the fut... be induced to again address ...ees.

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...w where is the man with the ...at any extensive underdrain... ...ried up all our rains.

RIDGEWAY.

Heavy Rains—Commencement Friday Evening—Grist of Local Topic.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. C. W. Culbertson and Mrs. Chas. Lowe were in Adrian Tuesday.

E. L. Teeple, of Tecumseh, was in the village Wednesday afternoon.

Best quality wool twine only 5c lb. at Smith & Schmidt's.

The heaviest rains at one time for several years, came Sunday night.

Chas. Lowe and wife visited friends at Wyandotte Saturday and Sunday.

Ada Dibble, of North Adrian, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Gove.

Mrs. Fauster, of Toledo, spent last week Thursday as the guest of Mrs. A. J. Sutton.

Florence Brewer and Hattie Osborn, of Tecumseh, visited the school last week Thursday.

I. T. Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y. came Monday night for a few days stay with his wife and daughter.

Remember that we have a large stock of binder twine, all grades, at bottom prices. SMITH & SCHMIDT.

Rev. A. B. Wood, of Ann Arbor, a former pastor of this place, called on friends Thursday, of last week.

Marvin Patterson and Floyd Smith attended the funeral of Florence Hyde at Tecumseh last week.

Daniel Linn and wife and Elmer Linn and wife visited Sumpter friends from Saturday till Wednesday.

Mrs. Peter Corel died at the home of Nelson Palmer, last Tuesday morning. Funeral at the house Thursday.

Mrs. Byron Begal and daughter, Mariel, of Jackson, are visiting her father, Wm. Barrett and family.

A large invoice of Mason fruit jars just received from the factory. Buy now while they are cheap at Smith & Schmidt's.

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, are home, staying with his parents for the summer vacation.

Wm. Askin, of Tecumseh, with his men put down a cement walk and coping for Dr. D. W. Loree, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The superintendet of Flower Missions with her delegates and assistants, was in Adrian Tuesday to celebrate Flower Mission day.

Wm. Schmidt, of the firm of Smith & Schmidt, has sold his business interest to Mr. Smith and returned to Toledo Tuesday.

Those who went to Britton to hear Rev. Deyo's discourse to the L. O. T. M. and K. O. T. M. were well pleased with his address.

Fred Gorton, of Ypsilanti, rode over on his wheel Friday and spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife, who is with her father, Lester Osgood.

Buy screen doors and window screens at Smith & Schmidt's.

Miss Loana Davidson, who has been in the Traverse City schools for the past year is at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson.

We regret to learn that Scovel Walker has severed his connection with the Herald, but we wish him good luck in his new field of labor as mail clerk.

Dr. D. W. Loree has had a new cement walk and coaping put down in front of his residence, which is is a grand piece of public enterprise and improvement.

Rev. C. M. Baldwin, of Addison, filled the sacred desk, Sunday, both morning and evening, presenting many thoughts for after consideration for all who listened to him.

Don't forget the Acme Quartette, of Adrian, will furnish the music for the graduating exercises Friday night. A small admission will be charged to defray expenses.

For the finest grades of machine oil go to Smith & Schmidt.

Mrs. John Arner and daughter, Rhoba, went to Detroit Friday to visit relatives and friends at Plymouth, Iona, St Louis, Ithica, Lansing, Leslie and Jackson before their return.

Mary Osgood, who has been spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Gorton, at Ypsilanti, returned Thursday of last week, accompanied by her sister, who will spend some time at her old home.

CONE.

The Schools Close and Ladies Visit Round About.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Jno. Dennison and son, Clair, were in Detroit Saturday.

J. C. Dennison visited friends in Britton the first of the week.

Geo. Martin, of Canada, visited his sister, Mrs. J. M. Auten, this week.

The Aid society will meet with Mrs. Eugene Ellis, Wednesday afternoon, June 17.

Misses Bertha Jourdan and Nellie Dennison visited friends in Dundee last Wednesday.

J. M. Auten and family and Fred Rapp spent Sunday with the latter's family, at Raisinville.

Frank Raymond and wife and Bert Gould and wife attended services at Britton Sunday morning.

Misses Grace Barr and Hattie Jacobs closed their schools, in the Caswell and Wright distficts, last Friday, for the summer vacation.

Oliver and Horace Logan moved their mill from near Petersburg to this place the first of the week, where they will soon be ready for work.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Circus at Adrian June 22.

Blissfield will celebrate July 4.

Manchester will celebrate July 4.

Commencement exercises at Blissfield June 18.

Adrian will celebrate July 4; and now where will we go? Adrian, Blissfield or Manchester?

Rev. James Vincent, of Tecumseh, was an Adrian business visitor Saturday evening.—Adrian Telegram.

The Tecumseh Herald has just turned its 46th year of publication, and is growing good with age.—Blissfield Advance.

S. L. Plant, merchant tailor, late of Tecumseh, has located in Dundee to engage in business. His rooms are located over the store of Romig & Berg.—Dundee Reporter.

Tecumseh has been doing for some time without a police force, but since the bicycle ordinance was passed it has been found necessary to appoint a day and night patrolman.—Adrian Telegram.

The Brooklyn Exponent published a supplement last week, regular space having been crowded with advertising matter and the Memorial day address. Mrs. Clough is a hustling newspaper woman.

The men of the Lake Shore shops are taking turns in laying off a week. The arrangement reduces the force about one-eighth. The decrease in work which necessitates this plan is about a month earlier than in ordinary years.—Adrian Times.

Adrian was all torn up last week over the "Deestrick Skule," which was presented by local talent to the entire city Friday evening. Doc Morden, Seth Bean and many other Adrian "kids" took part and everybody laughed and had a good time.

The subscription books to stock in the Abbott Voting Machine company were opened at Hudson yesterday afternoon and $100,000 in stock was taken by local investors in thirty minutes. A factory will be started at Hudson at once.—Adrian Telegram.

Mr. R. S. Moreland states he has met with so little encouragement in regard to establishing a bicycle factory here, that he has abandoned all effort in that direction. Local capitalists have been disappointed so many times in similar enterprises that they have lost all heart.—Adrian Times.

The Herald shears always seem anxious to get a nip at the Monroe Democrat, but this week a long, white streak appears down "Philanders" funniest column, placed there on purpose, no doubt, by some thick headed pressman. The shears feel sad, but will go out and indulge in a new sharpen ready for next week.

The rain of Saturday and Sunday did much damage in Adrian, flooding stores washing out railway track and among other things drowned 26 chickens in Dewesse Wilson's cellar, while the lightning knocked out the boss elk in the Page Wire Fence Co.'s herd. Adrian never could stand much water, except "on the side."

The state crop report that wheat is seriously affected with rust, is without doubt untrue so far as this vicinity is concerned. In a 17-mile ride through the country, the other day, the Advance editor only saw one field of wheat in that condition. — Blissfield Advance. About the same report may be made of the wheat fields around Tecumseh. All are in fine condition.

Miss Carrie Jackson went to Tecumseh Friday last, to take part in a Musical given there that evening. In musical Tecumseh Miss Jackson stands high as a pianist, and her numbers upon the program were received with great enthusiasm. When the people of Dundee are educated to the same musical standard as are those of Tecumseh, Miss Jackson's talents will be appreciated at their true value.—Dundee Reporter.

The band boys will not give a concert tomorrow evening. The new instruments have not arrived, due to the fact that the Detroit Musical Company's building caught fire last Tuesday. The instruments were saved, however, and will undoubtedly arrive within a few days.—Britton Citizen. Later: The new instruments came, but the wind being constantly in the west Tecumseh people have not noticed any strange, mysterious noises.

Last week, the Tecumseh Herald began its 47th volume and appears to be prospering, and presents a very neat typographical appearance. The local and editorial work show enterprise and care, while the generous patronage of advertisers show that they appreciate the value of the paper as an advertising medium. The present management announces that it will be strictly independent in politics, and will try and do everything for the best, making the paper a faithful record of facts.—Adrian Press. Thanks. The Herald always appreciates a good notice from a good newspaper.

An exchange says A. J. Kempton, of Addison, being a gentleman of leisure, was selected to present the diplomas of the Addison graduating class. All that Kempton has had to do for the past few years, was to run a Sunday school, attend to the duties of alderman, sell watches and clocks, edit a newspaper, do the job work and preach.—Adrian Times. Yes, and they say he can clean a watch in twenty minutes, knock out the whole council in joint debate, run the Sunday school on business principles and preach like a whirlwind, beside printing a "hang up" good newspaper, and contemplates running for Justice of the Peace.

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J. FREE SMITH, Lansing, Mich.

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Mrs. DIANA RIGGS, Hillsdale, Mich.

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We have many more letters to the same effect.

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For a number of years Scovel Walker has been connected in one capacity or another with the Tecumseh Herald, and it is with mingled pleasure and regret that we now chronicle the fact of his severing his connection with the old paper to assist Uncle Sam in the railway mail service. His first run was from Cleveland to Chicago last Saturday night, and that this may be the first of hundreds of lucky runs is the wish of the Herald and hosts of other friends. "Scove" will be missed in Tecumseh by every person who knows him, as he not only made friends by his unusual good nature but has always been regarded in this community as a young man who was in every way absolutely reliable. He will succeed with his new employment if honest purpose and hard work will bring success.

The editors of partisan newspapers become so biased in their opinions that it seems sometimes almost impossible for them to tell the truth. At the present time the republican newspapers are gloating over the fact that the River and Harbor bill was passed over Cleveland's veto by an overwhelming majority. Everyone of these republican editors well know that the river and harbor bill was a gigantic trade. Seventy millions of dollars have been appropriated to spend on the rivers and harbors of the United States, when one quarter of that amount, with judicious expenditure, would do the work. All the republican congressmen and senators voted for this bill for two reasons; first because they desired to fulfill their trade agreements; second because if the country was loaded down with this debt there would be more excuse for higher tariff in the future. The democrats had only the first reason. Both democrats and republicans are fully aware that Cleveland's veto was absolutely right. On the other hand, the democratic newspapers are very much worried about whether McKinley is a silverite or a gold-bug. What nonsense! Wm. McKinley will be nominated at St. Louis by a convention seven-eighths of the delegates to which are in favor of the gold standard, if he runs for president he will be obliged to do so standing on the platform that this convention adopts. This platform will be gold first, last and all the time. Why is it that partisans become so biased that they cannot, or will not, tell the truth?

The following extract from the Secretary of State's. June 1, crop report, will be of interest to every farmer. No matter what we may think, the facts of the case are that Michigan crops are in first rate condition: "The average condition of wheat June 1, was in the southern counties 69, and in the State 77, as compared with 91 and 92 on May 1. One year ago the averages were 66 and 73. The average condition now in the central counties is 87, and in the northern 95, as compared with 94 in each section one month ago, and 83 in the central and 87 in the northern one year ago. The average condition in the southern counties is 22 points, and in the State 15 points lower than one month ago. These figures may be taken to represent the average of our correspondents estimates of damage by Hessian fly and rust. In a special report given out May 23 the average damage in the southern counties was estimated at 26 per cent. The recent cool weather and heavy rains have been beneficial, but it is beyond question that the crop is seriously and permanently injured. Whatever the total yield it would have been much more had not the crop been damaged by Hessian fly and rust. The acreage planted to corn fully equals, and the acreage sowed to oats is from three to five per cent less than, the acreage in average years. In condition oats are nearly a full average. The average condition of meadows and pastures is in southern counties 79, central, 87, and northern 94, the average for the State being 83. Clover sowed this year is in good condition. The figures for the State are 95. Apples promise about 93 per cent and peaches 83 per cent of average crops. In the southern counties the wages per month of farm hand average $15.10 with board, and $20.85 without board; in the central counties, $13.86 with board, and $20.91 without board, and in the northern counties $15.49 with board, and $24.-99 without board. The averages for the State are $14.87 with board, and $21.35 without board. Wages now are lower than one year ago in each section of the State."

OBITUARY.

MEAD.

At the age of sixty-nine Mr. Cyrus Mead departed this life, on the 26th of May 1896. He was born in Lewiston, Westchester Co., N. Y., May 10, 1827. He was married to Ellen Bailey, of Milo, N. Y., Feb. 16, 1853, and moved to Macon, Mich., in November of the same year. During the forty years which he spent upon his farm in said township, he gained many friends by means of his jovial disposition and his kind, benevolent acts

In August, 1893, he took up his residence in Ypsilanti, Mich. It was there that the obsequies and burial took place. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. A. DeSpelder, formerly pastor of the family, and was attended by a large number of Ypsilanti and Macon neighbors and friends.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Heaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Baker & Hall's drug store. 2

Low Rate Excursion to Toledo

On Sunday, June 21st, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackikaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return.

Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:17 a. m., fare 75 cents for the round trip. Special attractions at the Casino. Eelegant steamers to Presque Isle. Ball game Toledo vs Wheeling. Don't fail to go.

For further information see large hand bills.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
2w Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

The wheat crop in the lower Michigan Peninsula has been seriously damaged by rust and Hesian fly.

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at Baker & Hall's drug store. 2

New Sleeping Car Line Between Detroit and Louisville.

On June 1st, 1886 the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Pennsylvania Lines will inaugurate a line of through Sleeping Cars between Detroit and Louisville via Logansport, leaving Detroit daily at 3:20 p. m. and Louisville at 8:30 p. m.

Three negro employees of Strawburg's sawmill at Hoffman N. C., were killed by the bursting of the boiler.

Out of weakness comes strength when the blood has been purified, enriched and vitalized by Hood's Sarsaparilla. 1w

Bicyclers' Book.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway has just issued the vest-pocket Cycling Record Book, containing speed records, racing rules, etc., etc. Sent anywhere on receipt of 4 cents in postage, by A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, Ohio. 2

Bellinger Fishburne and Pickney Purse, boys, left a picnic party at Columbia, S. C., to go bathing and were drowned.

One dose of Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry will check any case of diarrhœa if taken at the start. 1w

Cycling Record Book.

Contains speed records of amateurs and professionals, paced and unpaced; table of gears; L. A. W. rules, racing and road record rules, and other interesting points. Send 4 cents in postage for copy to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, Cleveland, Ohio. 2

The Cunard steamer, Etruria has lowered her record from Sandy Hook to Queenstown to six days and fifty-eight minutes.

Fourth July Excursion.

July 3 and 4 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to points on its line within 200 miles from selling station, good returning until July 6. 2

"Little Pete," the notorious Chinese crook, of San Francisco, Cal., is accused of flooding the Pacific Coast with counterfeit coins.

Y. P. S. C. E. Excursions

To Washington, D. C., July 4, 5, 6 and 7, at half-rates, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway. Tickets good for return until July 31. Ask ticket agents.

Joe R. Keeney arrived home from Texas yesterday.

Mrs. Dr. W. A. Gifford, of Toledo, O., is visiting Mrs. Jennie Hall.

The meeting of the alumni will occur at the Lilley House this evening.

Mrs. Judge Whelan and Mrs. L. B. Stevens, of Detroit, are visiting their relatives here.

Geo. Matteson is taking much pains with the interior decoration of Baker & Hall's drug store.

Mrs. Geo. W. Stimpson, of Saline, took dinner Saturday with her father, James H. Aten.

C. F. Patterson is making quite extensive exterior improvement on the Lilley House block.

Robert Houseman, of Ridgeway, and Hugh Kerr, of Tecumseh, now ride new bicycles purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

Co. F, of the 26th Michigan, will hold its reunion at Frank Sperry's in Bliss field tomorrow, only three of the boys, Jehiel Davidson, Billy Smalledge and Geo. Beneway are left in Tecumseh, but Britton and Ridgeway furnish more, John Britton, Chester Linn, Joe Thackery, Henry Reynolds, L. Hause, John Ackley, "Fi" Brewer, Jas. McCarbury and Henry McCarbury, and no doubt all will attend.

The Matinee.

The matinee at Bill's driving park last Saturday was a success in every way, no matter if it did rain like fury about 4 o'clock and spoil the latter part of the afternoon's sport. About 400 people attended and a long string of good horses were there and started. The bicycle and foot races were good. Following is the score:

NAMED RACE NO 1.

1-2 mile heats 3 in 5.

Central Bay, B. G.,	1	1	1
Hambletonian Girl, G. M.,	2	2	2
Minnie Aragon, B. M.,	3	5	3
Clara Wilkes, B. M.,	5	3	4
Clinton Girl, B. M.,	4	4	5
Langton Bay, B. G.,	6	6	6
Alice L, G. M.,	7	7	dr

Time 1:20 3-4, 1:20 3-4, 1:20.

2:40 TROT OR PACE, 1-2 m 2 IN 3.

Frankie B, G. G.,	1	1	1
Fulton Jack, B. G.,	1	2	2
Texas Jim, blk. G.	3	3	3

Time 1:20, 1:19 3-4, 1:20.

NAMED RACE NO 2, ½ MILE HEATS NOT FINISHED.

Bell Boyd, G. M.,	1
Texas Jim, blk. G.,	2
Green Goods, B. G.,	3
Startle,	4

Time 1:21 1-2.

FREE FOR ALL TROT OR PACE 1-2 MILE.

Red Flame, Jr., C. L. S.,	1
Frankie B., G. G.,	2

Time 1:18.

FOOT RACE 1-2 MILE DASH.

Mead—1
Smith—2
Prichard—3
Westcott—4
Coddington—5
Pattison—6
Laugermann—7

Time 2:12 1-4

BICYCLE RACE 1-2 MILE HEATS 2 IN 3.

Rosacrans	1	4	1
Bradford	4	1	3
Pattison	2	2	2
Brewer	3	3	4

Time 1:25, 1:35 1-2, 1:19 14.

The next matinee will be Saturday, June 26.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Half-rates to Washington, D. C., and return, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, July 4, 5, 6, and 7. 2

Excursions to St. Louis, Mo.

For the Republican National Convention, June 12, 13, 14 and 15, via the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway. Tickets at half rate, good to return until June 22.

Low Rates for July 4th

Over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway, tickets being sold July 3 and 4 to points within 200 miles of selling station, good returning until July 6. 2

CLEARING SALE!

Having purchased the James Montague stock, I now offer many of the lines at

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Suits from $5.00 up.

Nice All Wool Suits $7, $8 and $10.

We will sell you goods cheaper than any other store in Southern Michigan.

No trouble to show goods.

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Do Not Be Worried

The strawbsrries are not gone yet. We shall have bushels for canning and general use Saturday and Monday, but——

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is the time to get them, and the place for best fruit and lowest prices is

Mobbs & Co.'s.

Groceries Cheap.

I have recently purchased the

Kennedy & Mize Stock of Groceries at a Big Discount.

They have been in business only a short time, so the goods are all first-class. I put these goods in

With My Already Large Stock. This Enables Me to Make Prices Below Any of My Competitors.

If K. & M. customers wish the same they have been getting from them, call on me. I will sell you for less than you have been paying, and give same brands of goods as long as they I have not room to quote prices, but say that

Prices are Right and Goods First-Class and Warranted.

JAMES LOWRY,
LILLEY HOUSE BLK, TECUMSEH, MICH.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 12, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Wm. Barkwell visited Detroit Tuesday.

James Haight was up from Britton Saturday.

Miss Loana Davidson is home from Traverse City.

Mrs. C. A. Wright now rides a new Hartford bicycle.

Frank Temple went east as far as Ridgeway yesterday.

Delos Whitenack was in Onsted on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heck are visiting in South Bend, Indiana.

J. M. Jones announces a cost price sale for light suitings. Call and see him.

New carpets just opened at Anderson & Co's.

Geo. Adamson has been quite sick for several days but is around again today.

Mrs. J. P. Varner and children left for Virginia, her birthplace, and will remain some weeks.

It is reported that the sheriff of Monroe county had business in the vicinity of Britton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell rejoice in a son since yesterday and "Jim" can now be called Grandpa.

Wm. H. Osborn, of Milwaukee, visited his father on Sunday. He leaves in two weeks for Europe for an extended stay.

Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject: "Spoils and how Obtained."

Next Sunday will be children's day at the Methodist church. There will be exercises by the children, beginning at 10:30

Mrs. J. J. Hagemann, of Colorado Springs, visited in Tecumseh this week and left to join her husband in Chicago, yesterday.

John J. Orr found a pocket-book and H. Bramble a child's cap this week. Neither has use for either article and await the owners.

B. L. Baxter goes, this morning, to the Pangborne cottage, and to visit the Rev. Brown at the Slayton cottage, at Island Lake for a day or two.

Derby Day, Englands' great racing holiday, will be duplicated in a thoroughly modern and up to date manner at Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23rd.

Free band concert by one of Michigan's best bands will be given in front of the Lilley House both morning and afternoon on the day of the races.

Mrs. L. F. Selfridge, who has been in Jackson the past few weeks, stopped over one train, to visit her brother, B. L. Baxter, while on her way to Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Mrs. James Smyth, and grandson, little Harvey Smyth, of Grand Rapids, are taking their summer outing in our rural village visiting friends and acquaintances.

Put away the plough, hang up the cultivator and mower, place a quarter in your pocket and your best girl on your arm, take the trolley for Tecumsehs' Big Bicycle Derby and have more fun than anybody.

Pat Redman and Sam Boyce were all fixed up over a horse Wednesday night and the worstof it all was the horse belonged to James McCarbury. Deputy Stevens did some great detective work during the evening but Thursday morning Sam drove up sober and all was settled.

James A. Boyd, Gen. F. B. Wood, Dan. Garlinghouse, J. J. Orr, Postmaster Thos. Kyle, I. D. Loree, John Hazlett and Dr. O. Q. Jones attended the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple at Palmyra Tuesday and report a grand good time.

The prizes in the coming bicycle contests will be the most valuable which have ever been offered outside of a National Circuit meet. No shoddy articles will be permitted on the list and in guaranteeing the value of each prize the association stakes its reputation.

Subjects for next Sunday, by E. C. Cyrus: 10:30a. m., "The Material Support of the Christian Church". 7:30 evening Convention of Charities". Sunday-school at 12:00 m. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m., Topic; "The Children and the Flowers", St. Luke, 18: 1 - 14; 6 - 28.

Aside from the pupils, about 150 people attended the recital given by the pupils of Miss Jennie Root last Friday evening. It is reported by those who are familiar with and enjoy music that the pupils advanced and beginners, have marked improvement since the last recital. The evening was made enjoyable by the smoothness with which every number was executed. It is to be hoped that such recitals may continue.

Last Sunday morning John Hialey lost one of the finest greyhound dogs in this section. Sunday evening the dog followed Mr. Hialey's daughter Gertrude to the C. J. & M. depot and returning, playfully chased some chickens along the road. Chas. Aten, seeing the performance, procured his shot gun and killed the dog. The dog was in no way molesting Mr. Aten and as a result Aten will have to settle the matter with the state's attorney, who was over from Adrian Monday and had Aten bound over to the circuit court. Mr. Hialey is worse over the loss of this dog than he would to have parted with his best horse and it certainly was a great loss to lose so fine an animal.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Home Seeker's Excursions, June 16 and 23, via Ohio Central Lines. 2

Lester Westcott started to work for James Lowry last Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Walker spent the Sabbath with relatives south of Adrian.

An additional pension has been granted to our afflicted townsman, Thomas Hanley.

R. J. W. Bowen and family, of Franklin, are spending the day at the home of Milo Dole.—Adrian Times.

Stephen Whittier is improving the looks of Geo. Merritt's house with a new porch and other work of repair.

Advices from our former townsman, David McNair, show him to be well located in a bank at Cripple Creek, Col.

Miss Mamie Haight, of Tecumseh, and Vada Shaw, of Ypsilanti, were Dundee visitors this week.—Dundee Reporter.

The Lilley State bank is undergoing a complete renovation, new wall paper, new floor, etc., but the same men remain to change the money.

D. S. Plant, who has been in the employment of J. C. Hazlett for some months, left last week for Dundee to open up a tailor shop in that place.

Misses Lina Jones and Nellie Kishpaugh, of Clinton, came over on their wheels, and were the guests of Mrs. Hanaibal Osborne Sunday and Monday.

Wolcott Marsh reports they had new potatoes, not new potato, but a sufficient quantity of good sized tubers to fully satisfy his entire family, last Sabbath.

If you happen to wake up at 7 o'clock and listen real sharp, you may perhaps hear the weather signal blown at that hour by the Gilliland electric works of Adrian.

A recent copy of the City and Island Methodist, of Brooklyn, N. Y., shows an excellent condition of the paper as it enters its third year under the management of A. R. Pardington.

Veterinary surgeons at Tecumseh are still digging plate glass out of a spirited horse which recently went in at the window to show the editor of the Herald how to write up "Hoss News.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club will hold their annual picnic at Putnam's landing, Sand Lake, on June 20th. Let all the members lay aside care and enjoy one day of rest and recreation.

Business cares have caused Capt. T. R. Kyle to resign from Co. C. First regiment, M. N. G., Tecumseh. Under his captaincy the company has much improved in discipline and work.—Adiran Times.

Leon McNeil, a printer employed in Finch's rubber stamp shop, was united in marriage last Thursday evening, to Miss Anna Richards, who resides on Madison street. Printers usually make good husbands and we trust the young man will prove to her a type of true manhood.—Adrian Press.

Dr. Thomas Miller, of Washington, D. C., was in town a few hours last Saturday. He was unexpectedly called home to attend his brother Alexander, of Raisin, who has been quite ill. He reports Alexander now better. Dr. Tom looks as if the world and all the people had been using him well.

At the regular meeting of Beers' Post, 140, G. A. R., June 1, it was moved and carried that a vote of thanks be tendered the committee that so kindly assisted in the Decoration on Memorial day, and especially to Hon. Albert Deyo, of Morenci, who delivered the oration.

A. W. Slayton, Adjt.
H. W. Stevens, Commander.

J. H. Bramble brought to the Herald office counting room last Monday, a quart of strawberries, which consisted of one measuring nine inches in circumference and 29 others. The editor of the Herald thinks this beats all record in this line, but suggests that future competitors in the strawberry line do not forget the 29 others as well as the large one.

Clayton, Lambert & Co., of Ypsilanti, will hold a Diamond Race Meet at the Ypsilanti Fair Ground Friday and Saturday, June 12 and 13. These gentlemen have been prominently mentioned in bicycle matters for the last few years and without question this meet will be a successful affair. The Great Fowler Sextet which was seen by a great many people at their spring show will endeavor each day to beat a mile record of 1:50.

The following concerning Mr. Cook, who has become known to many Tecumseh people through his connection with the Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Asso. is taken from the Adrian Times: Harry E. Cook turned over the opera house to its owners yesterday, when his lease expired. Mr. Cook is undecided as to whether he will act as manager another season. It is to be hoped he may, as he furnished amusement lovers a finer class of attractions last season than was ever offered before. If Mr. Cook could also be induced to take the management of the Tecumseh opera House it would be a good thing.

We publish the following comparative meteorological data furnished from the report of Dr. F. O. Tefft to the state board of health, which will be of interest. The figures relate to the rain-fall and temperature in the month of May for four years. The rain-fall for May in those years is as follows: 1893—12 in., 1894—8.12 in., 1895—2.55 in., 1896—3.79 average 6.6 inches. The hottest and coldest temperatures in May for the 4 years, with days of month, is as follows: 1893, 23d,—86°, 3d—36°; 1894, 17th—84°, 18th—35 degrees; 1895, 30th—89 degrees, 14th—36 degrees, with snow; 1896, 10th—86 degrees, 31st—44 degrees. The average for May has been: 1893—55 degrees; 1894—57.05 degrees; 1895—59.58 degrees; 1896—65.12 degrees. It will be seen that the rain-fall for this year has not been unusual, but often and that the temperature has a remarkably high average.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

I. P. Keyser was down from Jackson Thursday.

Miss Laura Brown, of Toledo, is the guest of Miss Viola Zeluff this week.

Mobbs & Co. shipped a car load, 400 bushels, of potatoes to Toledo Tuesday.

Tecumseh masons will go to Adrian for special work inthe chapter this evening.

Another girl at Jno. L. Anderson's home yesterday and everybody well and happy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Reding, of Toledo visited Mr. and Miss Kirchgessner over Sunday.

Scove Walker arrived here from his first mail run yesterday and leaves again Tuesday.

Walter Burridge is in Ann Arbor a portion of this week.

A choice line left of spring capes and jackets which we will close at ¼ off former low prices.

Harris & Hiteshu.

Gus Rowland returned yestesday from Toledo, after a week's stay looking over the business situation.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden and Will Hayden accompanied J. M. Hayden to his home in Grand Rapids, yesterday.

See those handsome new wash goods just opened at Anderson & Co.

Miss Mollie Healey, of Detroit, and John Webber and wife, of Chelsea, were in Tecumseh Thesday to attend the Martin-Kirchgessner wedding.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give a ten cent tea in the church, Wednesday, June 17. Supper served from 5:30 to 7. All are cordially invited.

A. W. Slayton is in Detroit this week looking after his wholesale lumber yard. He will also visit his retail yard at Royal Oak. His managers report trade very good.

Mrs. Dr. Miller, of Washington, D. C., accompanied by her son Thomas, arrived in Tecumseh yesterday and will spend several weeks with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Tefft.

For Sale Cheap—A good barn. For particulars inquire at the Herald office.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons have arrived safely at Middleton, N. Y. At least, so a letter from his honor this morning distinctly states. His only trouble seems to be that he forgot, before leaving, to order the Herald to follow. The Herald now goes.

H. M. Temple, an old Tecumseh boy, is chairman of the committee on entertainment for the G. A. R. encampment at St. Paul, and ample arrangement will be made to take care of all the old "Vets," who attend. This will be especially lucky for the Lenawee Co. boys, for he will know and be glad to see them all.

A special L. S. & M. S. train arrived at Tecumseh Monday, a score of workmen disembarked and planted in the vicinity of the station two beautiful beds of flowers. Chas. Orr, the baggage man, has signed a contract to keep the posies in growing condition, and the only objection Mr. Satterthwaite seems to have to the arrangement is that the flowers might have a tendency to attract the young ladies in that direction.

Tuesday June 9th, at 10:30 a. m., at the residence of Mr. E. F. Kirchgessner, occured the marriage of his sister, Miss Libbie Kirchgessner to Mr. Harry T. Martin, of Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Heidnreich, of Manchester, only the relatives and friends being present. Miss Kirchgessner has for a nnmber of years been employed as an assistant in Anderson & Co's dry goods business and is well thought of by everyone for her genial disposition and high business qualities. Mr. Martin is the son of Michael J. Martin, of Macon, learned his first lessons in the Anderson store, and has been for the past four years employed in the wholesale house of J. V. Farwell & Co., of Chicago. The happy couple left Tecumseh at noon via Jackson for Chicago, which city will be their future home. Although the wedding was a quiet one, the bride's many friends did not forget her in the way of numerous and useful gifts and with these gifts came wishes of good luck and prosperity which will follow the couple through life.

It is with extreme regret that it becomes necessary for The Herald to announce that The Stimpson Scale Co. is about to remove its works and business from Tecumseh to Elkhart, Ind. We are informed by Mr. Barnes, the secretary, that this step has become necessary, not through any fault of our citizens, excepting in as much as it is necessary that the company, to keep pace with their increasing business, should increase their capital stock to $100,000, and that, of course, this amount was not forth-coming in Tecumseh. There are now associated with Messrs. Barnes and Finn, Messrs. H. E. Bucklen and Issac Grimes, of Elkhart, who have furnished the necessary capital to increase the stock to $100,000 which will put the concern on a footing equal to that of many concerns of twenty years' standing. The manufacture of the Stimpson scale is destined to become a great business. Aside from the computing part there is no doubt that this is the best built scale manufactured. The computing system is fully covered by patents, which have stood the tests of the courts, and it is so simple and absolutely accurate that it will be only a short time when these scales will be as necessary in all branches of mercantile business as the common scale is today. It seems very much to be regretted that such a concern, managed by such competent and painstaking men as Messrs. Barnes and Finn, should leave Tecumseh, still we cannot but congratulate these gentlemen on their success in securing the financial and business assistance of such a man as H. E. Bucklen. Aside from the business loss, Mr. Barnes will be greatly missed in a social and personal way by his Tecumseh friends and acquaintances.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

H. A. Worcester is now superintendent of this division of the Lake Shore.

A. J. Kempton, editor of the Addison Courier, and general Poo-Bah of that entire community, visited the Herald Monday.

Will McCowen, of Greensburgh, Ind., came home yesteaday. He looks as young as ever and will make his home folks quite a visit.

Geo. H. Tansley commenced suit in Justice Burridge's court Monday against Spencer Lester, Mrs. Lester and Clement Lester for the funeral expenses of the late G. S. Lester.

Under the new arrangement Mr. Geo Church is superintendent of the Tecumseh Electric Co., and has two assistants. The headquarters are now at C. A. Wright's drug store, where lamps and supplies can be obtained.

Mrs. Lybryant Wesselius and little daughter Marie, of Grand Rapids, arrived at M. Smeltzer's last Wednesday for an extended stay. Little Marie has been very ill and they came with the hope that the country air would be a benefit to her health.

The Republican Convention meets at St. Louis next Saturday, June 16th. McKinley will be nominated in the first ballot and although there may be a little "scrap" on the platform it will be for High Tariff and Gold Standard. Next weeks' Herald will contain a full account of the proceedings in detail.

Miss Harriet Whittier delightfully entertained a small company at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Addie Holmes, of Washington, D. C. The pleasure of the entertainment was in the variety of amusement offered, a feature of the evening being the art contest in which Mr. and Mrs. Whiting secured favors.

—L. D. Dewey has the largest wood yard in town and sells it the cheapest. Nice dry hard wood, $1.25 to $2. He pays more for wool and eggs than any man in town. Come and see the wood and bring your eggs and wool.

—See that "Westminister" bicycle for forty dollars in cash, at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Those new white dinner sets at Tansley's are selling fast, the low prices make it.

—For binder twine call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Crockery, china and glassware always new, always the best and cheapest at Tansley's.

—An elegant line of hammocks at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—When you want something good and useful for a present see what Tansley has got.

—When at Britton Wednesday we looked over the stock of buggies, surries and road wagons sold by J. L. Kishpaugh and discovered that he had one of the best assortments in the county. Mr. Kishpaugh gave us a "quiet tip" that any one that did not want to swap some old relic, and had the money in their fist to pay down, can get big bargains. Quality and finish guaranteed.

—House and wind will pumps, gas pipes, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—A lovely line of walking shoes, toe slippers and shoes at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Our new window shades are here and will be sold cheap. Our baby carriages will be closed out at cost.

Wheeler & Sisson.

—Furnace work, eaves-troughing and roofing at Satterthwaite Bros.

—All frames ordered at Jas. Montague's novelty store are now completed and it will be an accommodation for us to have them called for as soon as convenient.

P. B. Sutfin.

—An elegant line of sun umbrellas and parasols just received new shades, new styles and extremely low prices.

Harris & Hiteshu.

—See these Torrey razors, Northfield pocket knives and "Keenkutter" scissors and shears at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—We have just received a car load of rockers and will close them out at prices that are cheaper than rockers were ever offered in the state of Michigan.

Wheeler & Sisson

—List of breads for Saturday at the Star Bakery—
Snowflake Bread,
Domestic Bread,
Boston Brown Bread,
Rye Bread,
Vienna Bread,
Cream Puffs and Rolls.

—Something entirely new, and the best in the land. "Ball Bearing" Bicycle shoe. For both ladies and men, and the low price will surprise you. Call and see these fine new goods.

Harris & Hiteshu.

—Everything in the line of fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.

A. W. Slayton.

—New laces, new underwear, new wash goods, latest style shirt waists, just received at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Bicycle sundries and repairs at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—I have White and Red Cedar also Pine Shingles, 8 grades, and will not be undersold.

A. W. Slayton.

—Steel frock hay cars, ropes, pulleys, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

Don't Bother

this hot weather to bake cakes and cookies when you can buy such elegant goods at low prices. Our line of Sweet Goods is larger than ever.

Pins Apple Glace,
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Coffee Fruit,
Moss Jelly Bars,
Wine Imperials,
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In our Clothing Department. We have a big line of Men's and Boys' Suits of the Latest Patterns, nicely made up and lined with the best linings, that will suit the most exacting in fit and style, and at Rock Bottom Prices.

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for children. A big line 3 to 10 years.

A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists.
Former Price 25c. To close 15c.

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The Best Place

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A Coal Oil Stove that gives a Powerful Blue Flame and operates without smoke or odor. It gives you all the desirable features of a gasoline stove with

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less fuel. It is the perfected "Ideal" summer stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

DOWN ON THE FARM.

Reports from Various States Show the Progress of Crops.

Chicago, June 10.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Mostly warm and showery, but cool nights first part of week with light frosts which did no damage. Vegetation made satisfactory progress. Heavy local rains in some counties washed corn fields. Wheat maturing and heading fairly, but no special improvement.

Indiana—Warm sunny weather and good rains improved all crops. Wheat, barley, rye, clover and hay cutting commenced. Corn, oats and potatoes are in excellent condition, growing rapidly. Tobacco plants are being set out. The army worm is doing injury.

Michigan—Weather favorable with plenty of rain in lower half of state. Wheat shows less rust and has made some improvement. Oats, rye and new grass have done splendidly, but hay is light and will be a short crop. Because of cut worms, much corn has been replanted; but it is now about all in, coming up and being generally cultivated.

Illinois—The week has been favorable and crops have advanced rapidly; wheat harvest is progressing slowly and, with corn cultivation and clover cutting, has been delayed by wet land. Oats are in excellent condition, rank growth; rye cutting is progressing favorably. Broom corn, pastures and meadows, gardens and potatoes are generally in good condition; fruits fair, somewhat blown off by wind.

Wisconsin—The week has been more favorable to small grain than to corn, which needs warm weather and sunshine. Wheat is heading and promises better than at the beginning of the season. Fruit is in good condition. Hay will be lighter than was promised, on account of the damage by cut worms.

Iowa—Frequent showers in larger portion of state and excessive cloudiness have not been favorable for small grain and corn. Corn is generally backward and needs warm dry weather. Oats and wheat are too rank, showing tendency to lodge and rust.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

General Trade Continues Dull in Almost All Lines.

New York, June 6.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"It is highly suggestive that with as little help as there is now from new business, markets are so nearly maintained. The opinion gains ground that more active business is to be expected after the conventions have been held and the safety and sufficiency of crops has been assured.

"Failures for the week were 234 in the United States, against 195 last year; and 29 in Canada, against 25 last year."

Bradstreet's says:

"General trade continues depressed in almost all lines. Demand is smaller than a week ago and the tendency of prices, particularly in cereals, sugar, coffee, pork products, cotton and cotton goods and iron and steel, continues downward. There is a moderate demand for dry goods at Chicago, but business generally is disappointing. The check to trade at St. Louis is, in part, the result of delays in distribution of merchandise on account of the late storm. Unseasonable cool weather and rain have interferred with retail trade in territory tributary to Kansas City."

CYCLONE IN ALABAMA.

Wyeth City Destroyed—Two Lives Lost—Many Injured.

Montgomery, Ala., June 10.—The little town of Wyeth City, in Marshall county, some 30 miles west of Gadsden with a population of about 300 souls, was completely wrecked at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning by a cyclone. Eighteen houses were destroyed. The cyclone lasted fully five minutes and then passed in a northeasterly direction. Fifteen persons are wounded, six fatally. Mrs Picketts and a man named Bundby were badly hurt and will die. Mrs. Clark, Mrs Brown and several children will probably die. The path of the cyclone was about 100 yards wide. Several persons are missing, and it is probable that they will be found dead. Ed Long and an unknown woman were killed by lightning.

Gifts to a College.

Alton, Ill., June 10.—As a happy surprise incidental to the 58th annual commencement of Monticello seminary Tuesday, the principal, Miss H. N. Haskell, announced the gift of $50,000 from Hon. W. H. Reid and wife, of Chicago, for the new annex now in course of construction. Also a bequest of $1,200 from the estate of the late singer, Emma Abbott.

AMANDA TODD.

BY MARY E. WILKINS.

Amanda Todd's orbit of existence is restricted, of a necessity, since she was born, brought up and will die in this village, but there is no doubt that it is eccentric. She moves apart on her own little course quite separate from the rest of us.

Had Amanda's lines of life been cast elsewhere, where circumstances had pushed her, instead of hemming her in, she might have become the feminine apostle of a new creed, have founded a sect or instituted a new system of female dress. As it is, she does not go to meeting, she never wears a bonnet and she keeps cats.

Amanda Todd is 60, and she never was married. Had she been, the close friction with another nature might have worn away some of the peculiarities of hers. She might have gone to meeting, she might have worn a bonnet, she might even have eschewed cats, but it is not probable. When peculiarities are in the grain of a person's nature, as they probably are in hers, such friction only brings them out more plainly, and it is the other person who suffers.

The village men are not, as a rule, very subtle, but they have seemed to feel this instinctively. Amanda was, they say, a very pretty girl in her youth, but no young man ever dared make love to her and marry her. She had always the reputation of being "an odd stick," even in the district school. She always kept by herself at recess, she never seemed to have anything in common with the other girls and she always went home alone from singing school. Probably never in her whole life has Amanda Todd known, what it is to be protected by some devoted person of the other sex through the mighty perils of our village street.

There is a tradition in the village that once in her life, when she was about 25 years old, Amanda Todd had a beautiful bonnet and went to meeting.

Old Mrs. Nathan Morse vouches for the reliability of it, and, moreover, she hints at a reason. "When Mandy, she was 'bout 25 years old," she says, "George Henry French, he come to town, and taught the district school, and he see Mandy, an' told Almira Benton that he thought she was about the prettiest girl he ever laid eyes on, and Almiry, she told Mandy. That was all there ever was to it, he never waited on her, never spoke to her, fur's I know, but right after that, Mandy, she had a bunnit, and she went reg'lar to meetin'. 'Fore that her mother could scarcely get her to keep a thing on her head out of doors—allers carried her sunbunnit a-danglin' by the strings, wonder she wasn't sunstruck a million times—and as for goin' to meetin', her mother, she talked and talked, but it didn't do a mite of good. I s'pose her father kind of upheld her in it. He was most as odd as Mandy. He wouldn't go to meetin' unless he was driv, and he wa'n't a member. 'Nough sight ruther go out prowlin' round in the woods like a wild animal, Sabbath days, than go to meetin'. Once he ketched a wildcat, an' tried to tame it, but he couldn't. It bit and chewed so he had to let it go. I guess Mandy gets her liking for cats from him fast enough. Well, Mandy, she had that handsome bunnit, and she went to meetin' reg'lar 'most a year, and she looked as pretty as a picture sittin' in the pew. The bunnit was trimmed with green gauze ribbon and had a wreath of fine pink flowers inside. Her mother was real tickled, thought Mandy had met with a change. But land, it didn't last no time. George Henry French, he quit town the next year and went to Somerset to teach, and pretty soon we heard he hed married a girl over there. Then Mandy, she didn't come to meetin' any more. I dunno what she did with the bunnit—stamped on it, most likely, she always had consider'ble temper—anyway, I never see her wear it arterwards."

Thus old Mrs. Nathan Morse tells the story, and somehow to a reflective mind the picture of Amanda Todd in her youth decked in her pink-wreathed bonnet, selfishly but innocently attending in the sanctuary of divine love in order to lay hands on her own little share of earthly affection, is inseparable from her, as she goes now, old and bare-headed, defiantly past the meeting house, when the Sabbath bells are ringing.

However, if Amanda Todd had elected to go bareheaded through the village street from feminine vanity, rather than eccentricity, it would have been no wonder. Not a young girl in the village has such a head of hair as Amanda. It is of a beautiful chestnut color, and there is not a gray thread in it. It is full of wonderful natural ripples, too—not one of the village girls can equal them with her papers and crimping pins—and Amanda arranges it in two superb braids wound twice around her head. Seen from behind, Amanda's head is that of a young beauty; when it turns a little, and her harsh old profile becomes visible, there is a shock to the stranger.

Amanda's father had a great shock of chestnut hair, which was seldom cut, and she inherits this adornment from him. He lived to be an old man, but that ruddy crown of his never turned gray.

Amanda's mother died long ago; then her father. Ever since she has lived alone in her shingled cottage with her cats. There were not so many cats at first; they say she started with one fine tabby, who became the mother, grandmother and great-grandmother to armies of kittens.

Amanda must destroy some when she can find no homes for them, otherwise she herself would be driven afield, but still the impression is of a legion.

A cat is so covert, it slinks so secretly from one abiding place to another and seems to duplicate itself with its sudden appearances, that it may account in a measure for this impression. Still there are a great many. Nobody knows just the number—the estimate runs anywhere from 15 to 50. Counting, or trying to count, Amanda Todd's cats is a favorite amusement of the village children. "Here's another," they shout, when a pair of green eyes gleams at them from a post. But is it another, or only the same cat who has moved? Cats sit in Amanda's windows; they stare out wisely at the passers-by, from behind the panes, or they fold their paws on the ledge outside in the sunshine. Cats walk Amanda's ridgepole and her fence, they perch on her posts and fly to her cherry trees with bristling fur at the sight of a dog. Amanda has as deadly a hatred of dogs as have her cats. Everyone which comes within stone throw of her she sends off yelping, for she is a good shot. Kittens tumble about Amanda's yard and crawl out between her fence pickets under people's feet, Amanda will never give away a kitten except to a responsible person, and is as particular as if the kitten were a human orphan, and she the manager of an asylum.

She will never, for any consideration, bestow one of her kittens upon a family that keeps a dog, or where there are many small children. Once she made a condition that the dog should be killed, and she may be at times inwardly disposed to banish the children.

Amanda Todd is extremely persistent when she has selected a home which is perfectly satisfactory to her for a kitten. Once one was found tied into a little basket like a baby on the doorstep of a childless and humane couple who kept no dog, and there is a story that Deacon Nehemiah Stockwell found one in his overcoat pocket and never knew how it came there. It is probable that Amanda resorts to these extreme measures to save herself from either destroying her kittens or being driven out of house and home by them.

However, once, when the case was reversed, Amanda herself was found wanting. When she began to grow old, and the care of her pets told upon her, it occurred to her that she might adopt a little girl. Amanda has a comfortable little income, and would have been able to provide a good living for a child, as far as that goes.

But the managers of the institution to whom Amanda applied made inquiries, and the result did not satisfy them. Amanda stated frankly her reason for wishing to take the child, and her intentions with regard to her. She wished the little girl to tend her cats and assist her in caring for them. She was willing that she should attend school four hours per day, going after the cats had their breakfast, and returning an hour earlier to give them their supper. She was willing that she should go to meeting in the afternoon only, and she could have no other children come to visit her for fear they would maltreat the kittens. She furthermore announced her intention to make her will, giving to the girl, whom she should adopt, her entire property in trust for her cats, to include her own maintenance on condition that she devote her life to them as she had done.

The trustees declared that they could not conscientiously commit a child to her keeping for such purposes, and the poor little girl orphan, who had the chance of devoting her life to the care of pussy cats and kittens, to the exclusion of all childish folowers, remained in her asylum.

So Amanda to this day lives alone, and manages as best she can. Nobody in the village can be induced to live with her; one forlorn old soul preferred the almshouse.

"I'd 'nough sight ruther go on the town than live with all them cats," she said.

It is rather unfortunate that Amanda's shingled cottage is next the meeting house, for that, somehow, seems to render her non-church-going more glaringly conspicuous, and then, too, there is a liability of indecorous proceedings on the part of the cats.

They evidently do not share their mistress' dislike of the sanctuary, and find its soft pew cushions very inviting. They watch their chances to slink in when the sexton opens the meeting house; he is an old man and dim-eyed, and they are often successful. It is wise for anybody before taking a seat in a pew to make sure that one of Amanda's cats has not forestalled him; and often a cat flees down one flight of the pulpit stairs as the minister ascends the other.

We all wonder what will become of Amanda's cats when she dies. There is a report that she has made her will and left her property in trust for the cats to somebody, but to whom? Nobody in this village is anxious for such a bequest, and whoever it may be will probably strive to repudiate it. Some day the cats will undoubtedly go by the board; young Henry Wilson, who has a gun, will shoot some, the rest will become aliens and wanderers, but we all hope Amanda Todd will never know it.

In the meantime she is undoubtedly carrying on among us an eccentric, but none the less genuine mission. A home missionary is Amanda Todd, and we should recognize her as such in spite of her non-church-going proclivities. Weak in faith though she may be, she is, perchance, as strong in love as the best of us. At least I do not doubt that her poor little four-footed dependents would so give evidence if they could speak.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Florida Indians.

"Our Indians," says Dr. Brecht, Indian commissioner in the state of Florida, "are not multiplying rapidly. This is due to physiological and social reasons. Still, there has been an increase. In 1859 there were but 112. Now there are something over 500. The chief social reason for their slow propogation is the custom of countenancing no marriages of persons who have a drop of the same blood in their veins. This is sometimes hard on the girls. One leader I know has two beautiful daughters, who cannot get married because the eligible young men are almost all akin, to them."—Chicago Chronicle.

—The Hindoo-Koosh, 20,600 feet, is reported to be the highest in Afghanistan.

WILL DO HIM HONOR.

Approach of President Angell's Twenty-Fifth Year of Service.

Ann Arbor, June 8.—Preparations are practically completed for a grand celebration on alumni day of commencement week of the completion of President James B. Angell's 25th year of service at the University of Michigan. The matter is being pushed both by the faculty and the regents. The whole affair is to be conducted as a personal tribute to Dr. Angell, and not as an educational celebration. In accordance with that idea official invitations have been issued to prominent educators, personal friends of Dr. Angell and to his colleagues in the executive chairs of the leading colleges and universities of of the country, and of Michigan particularly.

June 24 will be memorial day. In the morning the exercises will be held in the university hall. Regent W. J. Cocker will speak in behalf of the official board of control. Then an illuminated parchment containing an address from the university faculty, prepared by Dean Harry B. Hutchins, Dean M. L. D'Ooge and Prof. E. L. Walters, will be read and presented. Other congratulatory speeches will follow from Dean Murray, of Princeton, a classmate of President Angell in Brown university; Justin Winsor, librarian of Harvard; Dr. W. T. Harris, United States commissioner of education and president of the University of Illinois. Dr. Angell will respond.

An ode especially written for the occasion by Charles Mill Gayley, of the University of California, and set to music by Prof. A. A. Stanley, of the University of Michigan, will be rendered by the choral union, a chorus of 300 voices, accompanied by the big Columbian organ. A banquet will follow in the gymnasium. Dean M. L. D'Ooge will act as toastmaster, and among others responses will be given by Dr. Angell, Presidents Harper, of Chicago; Rogers, of Northwestern; Speery, of Olivet; Adams, of Wisconsin, and ex-President Andrew D. White, of Cornell. In the evening a reception will be given in the gymnasium by President and Mrs. Angell.

No Mercy for Mrs. Maybrick.

London, June 6.—The secretary of state for home affairs, Sir Matthew White Ridley, replying in the house of commons, said that the government did not see any reason for further clemency to Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the sentence of death having been imposed upon her, and subsequently commuted to imprisonment for life.

Trampled to Death.

Rockford, Ill., June 6.—Mrs. James E. Turner, a prominent Rockford lady, sister of Hugh Nicol, manager of the Rockford ball club, died Friday morning, the result of injuries received Thursday by being trampled on by a horse which she was holding when it became frightened.

Blind

Sometimes persons become blind from impure blood, which develops scrofulous ulcers on the eyeballs, iritis, granulated eyelids, etc. In such cases Hood's Sarsaparilla has been marvelously successful in restoring sight. It shows its powers as a blood purifier and radical cure for scrofula, by removing the cause, thus curing the

Sore

eyes and restoring all the affected parts to healthy condition. Read this:

"As an act of justice and for the benefit of other mothers who may have afflicted children, I write this. About the first of February, 1892, my daughter Zola, then three years old, contracted sore eyes of the worst form and in a few weeks was entirely blind, being unable to tolerate light of any kind. She suffered and cried until I was almost heartbroken. The best eye specialist in the county treated her for months, but the

Eyes

became worse. Then I took her to a specialist in Indianapolis, who said he could do nothing. I came away with a heavy heart. I met my father's physician, Dr. Berryman, who examined Zola's eyes, and told me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to give it as directed and wash her eyes with warm water. Soon I began to notice improvement, and now, having given the child over a half dozen bottles, her eyes are greatly improved and she can see as well as any one. She is five years of age, and goes to school. When she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, she had to eat her meals in a darkened room, but now she is able to sit at the table with the rest of the family." MRS. OLLIE BUSER, Colfax, Indiana.

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Of Colfax, including John D. Blacker, Township Trustee, W. H. Coon, Druggist, and Dr. J. A. Berryman, cordially endorse this statement.

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This Matter of Darning doesn't amount to much, with the women who use Pearline. Most of it has to be done because you persist in rubbing things over the washboard so. You have to, to get them even passably clean, if you wash with soap in the old way. Use Pearline and you'll save the darning. You haven't rubbed the things to pieces, and you won't have to mend them. And another kind of darning won't suggest itself, either, for you haven't tired yourself out to the cross point with the hardest of women's work.

Beware of imitations. 411 JAMES PYLE, N.Y.

Beautiful Lady

May or may not be the meaning of the word *belladonna*. But many women know (and others are daily learning) how excellent a thing for aches and pains in any part of the body is JOHNSON'S BELLADONNA PLASTER. It is fine, smooth, elegant, and full of quick and kindly healing. Try one and we shall not need to advertise them any more—not for *you* at least. On the face cloth of the genuine see the bright Red Cross.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Manufacturing Chemists, New York.

A quarrell over a woman at a Catskill N. Y., christening, resulted in the murder of Joseph Caserta by a fellow-countryman named Paschal.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 131, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($ 0.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00), provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains, thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, 6th April, A D 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Thursday the 28th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Aaron K. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William J. Waldron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Lewis M., William J. and Charles A. Waldron, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to George W. Knapp or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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EAST BOUND.

lantic Express	5:24 a. m.
w York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
troit Accommodation	4:0 p. m.
w York Express	9:38 p. m.

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cific Express	1:10 a. m.
ley Accommodation	9:18 a. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 345. Accom.
.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 20 P.M.
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	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 20 "
ben	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 30 "
.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 20 "
	10 45 "	6 40 "	10:00 P.M.
	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

n No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348 Accom
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East. No. 21 Pass	Central Time. STATIONS.	West No. 23 Pass	West No. 24 Pas
A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
7 30	L....Allegan....A	4 30	8 40
7 54	Monteith	3 56	8 15
8 34	Yorkville	2 59	7 35
9 02	Battle Creek	2 19	7 03
9 32	Marshall	1 37	6 35
9 58	Homer	12 58	6 10
10 28	Hanover	12 15	5 41
11 15	Addison Junc	11 15	5 00
10 25	Lv. Jackson Ar	12 08	5 48
11 20	Devils Lake	11 00	4 55
11 32	Onsted	10 47	4 44
11 39	Sand Lake	10 40	4 37
11 46	Tipton	10 33	*4 31
12 01	Tecumseh	8 42	4 13
12 10	Ridgeway	10 11	*4 09
12 14	Britton	10 06	4 05
12 28	Rea	9 54	*3 54
12 35	Dundee	9 45	3 45
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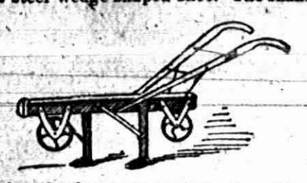
FARM AND GARDEN.

GOOD SUBSOIL PLOW.

How to Make One Which Does Perfectly Satisfactory Work.

The following description of a home-made subsoil plow said to do perfectly satisfactory work when made strong enough is condensed from the Country Gentleman:

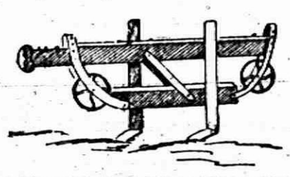
Some 18 months ago I had occasion to visit a brother gardener in the western part of the county late in the fall, and found him using a home-made subsoiler that exactly met my ideas of what such a tool should accomplish. It was a straight beam of hard wood three by four inches in size and about six feet long, supported with an ordinary plow-wheel at each end, and carrying on either side between the wheels a stiff steel shank, which in turn carried a steel wedge-shaped shoe. The shank



of each shoe was a piece of mowing-machine cutter-bar, about five-eighths of an inch thick and three or four wide.

They were attached at the upper end by a bolt, one being on each side, and about two feet apart, and a slanting brace made of wagon tire was bolted to the shank about a third of the way from the bottom and to the beam some 18 inches ahead. The shoe was a piece of inch-steel about three inches wide, and in a finished condition about seven inches long, the back three inches being full size and the front drawn down to a tapering chisel-edge with a slight inclination down just sufficient to make it draw into the soil and rest upon the wheels. A clevis and handles attached like cultivator handles completed the outfit.

At the time I saw the plow work there had been a prolonged drought, and it was being used in an undrained, heavy clay loam, and it did its work perfectly, with a not very heavy team drawing it. The surface plowing was nine inches, and the subsoiler went seven inches lower, making a total of 16 inches. I



could not find any lumps bigger than a butternut.

The entire iron work of the outfit was made by a country blacksmith, and the cost was quite small in proportion to the usefulness of the tool. Fig. 1 shows the plow as my friend had got it up. He had a hook clevis, and changed from one plow to the other every time round. The subsoiler ran as steady as a mud sled, keeping right down to its work without any exertion on the part of the driver. Its only weak point was the side strain on the shank, which, having only a three-inch bearing against the beam and a 20-inch leverage, was liable to be bent sidewise and run either nearer or farther from its partner than was best to insure equality of work. As height of beam is necessary to clear furrows with the double tree, this fault can only be remedied by putting another and shorter beam below, bolting each shank to each. I give a drawing, Fig. 2, showing the construction after such a plan.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

The Wisconsin station finds 100 pounds of whey produces as much pork as 13 cents worth of corn.

A sheep grower says that when lambs are tormented with ticks they will drop down on the ground and try to bite their flanks and bellies in the most frantic fashion.

Prof. Shaw, of the Minnesota experiment station, cautions farmers to grow peas on land that has a clay subsoil, and states that they will not thrive on sandy soil.

The Vermont station kills potato bugs with a mixture of one pound Paris green to 100 pounds land plaster, all costing 65 cents, while 100 pounds patent bug remedies cost five dollars and up.

Divide the day up so as to have plenty of time to rest and recreate. There is no sense in working 12 hours a day on the farm. It is the best way in the world to disgust the boys with farm life.

Bulletin 25, of the Wyoming station, gives results of six years experiments in growing wheat by irrigation. The average cost was $7.75 per acre; average profit, $10.16 per acre, which is ten per cent. on a valuation of $100 per acre, 20 per cent. on $50, or 40 per cent. on $25 per acre. The advantages of irrigation are an assured crop, a heavier yield, a better grain, and increasing fertility of the soil.—Journal of Agriculture.

Telling a Horse's Age.

"The popular idea that the age of a horse can always be told by looking at his teeth," said a veterinary surgeon on Michigan avenue, "is not entirely correct. After the eighth year the horse has no more new teeth, so that the tooth method is useless for telling the age of a horse which is more than eight years old. As soon as the set of teeth is complete, however, a wrinkle begins to appear on the upper edge of the lower eyelid, and a new wrinkle is added each year, so that to get at the age of a horse more than eight years old you must figure the teeth plus the wrinkles."—Chicago Tribune.

FARMERS WHO SUCCEED.

Three Types of Agriculturists Found in the Western States.

Farmers are divided into three classes: First, those who take up with everything new in grains, vegetables, fruits and machinery without stopping to think or studying the demands of their market, the possibilities of their soil and peculiarities of the climate. Invariably they make failures. The second class are those who never buy or produce anything new in the way of grains, etc., use the same implements their fathers did, irrigate only when the spirit moves them, let their cattle run around the straw pile in winter, feeding them a few nubbins; make all their butter in the summer and use the old dash churn. They are homely likened to a cow's tail, inasmuch as they are always behind.

The third class are those who think, study their market and soil, begin on a small scale and experiment until the problem is solved. If a new fruit is being advertised and trees sold at enormous prices they buy but one and see if it suits their soil and climate. They will not set out a peach orchard in a swamp or a cherry orchard on an alluvial soil underlaid with gravel. This class is the one that is making money at farming—the other two are in the background. One and two are both bound for the same place, but seemingly traveling in opposite directions.

One acts without thinking; the other thinks without acting. One is extravagant in buying unnecessary things; the other extravagant in not buying necessary articles. One has no fixed method of labor; the other's method of labor fixes him. These two classes are an anomaly, and, as Lamartine said to Robespierre, are "shadowy, undefined—mixed." Not so with those designated as the third class. They have an aim in farming, and as a result have a well defined plan and combine brain and muscle—theory and practice, know the old way, but adopt the new and are a success. In the new agriculture of the far west these farmers are legion and are rapidly coming to the front. They believe in the modern theory of advancement as applied to agriculture and are bettering their condition by working along these lines. The methods of the past generations will not do for them and they are reaching out for the improved order of things that mark the pathway of other men who are a great success in this world.—Denver Field and Farm.

STRONG FARM GATE.

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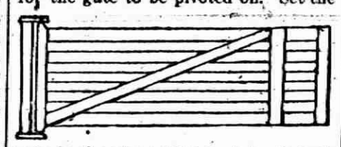
I send description of a farm gate, cheaply and easily made, strong and not apt to sag. I have made several for myself and am well pleased with them. The hinge piece is 4 feet 6 inches long, 3x4 inches, rounded at the ends, and banded to prevent splitting. A round rod three-fourths inch in diameter and about 5 inches long is inserted in each end about 3 inches; the lower rod or pivot should have a flange welded on 1½ inches from one end. At the foot of the post sink a block of wood (or stone) so that its upper surface will be level with the ground. In its upper surface mortise a hole about 2 inches square and 1½ inches deep; in the bottom of this hole lay a piece of an old buggy spring 2 inches long; on it place a blank seven-eighths-inch nut. This will be a step for the gate to be pivoted on. Set the



gate in the step; take a piece of plank about 18 inches long; bore a three-fourths-inch hole 6 inches from one end; put the plank on the top, and pivot and spike it securely to top of gate post. The gate swings in either direction, and does not pull on the post so hard as if hung on hinges.—Ohio Farmer.

May Need It in the Fall.

No matter how favorable crop prospects may be now, no human being is gifted with sufficient foresight to tell with any degree of certainty what the final outcome will be. With chinch bugs, drouth, army worms, cut worms, grub worms, cyclones, wet, unfavorable weather for harvesting, etc., the crops run a terrible gauntlet from the time they are planted till safely garnered. Who knows but that the surplus corn, wheat, etc., of last year's bountiful crop may all be needed for home use before another crop is raised? The man who is able to hold his surplus may do well to refuse to sell it at present prices. See that the corn stored in pens is well protected from the weather.—Journal of Agriculture.

Weeds in the Farm Garden.

Few gardens have the opportunity to show of what the soil is capable, because they are not kept free from weeds and as well cultivated as they should be. This work needs to be done at the start and kept up to the end. And indeed it should not stop until the weeds stop growing. It is often the case with the garden as it is with the fields, that when the crops are thought to be safe the weeds are let alone to grow and mature seeds. Thus the land is stocked for years to come. Five years of perseverance in killing weeds and preventing the seeding of them will secure clean ground in the garden, and the field as well.—Rural World.

Root Crops for Stock.

Be sure and fit a piece of good land for the root crops that are so nourishing and healthful as cattle feed. The sugar beets and the mangels will yield immensely on good land, if put in in good time and well tended, and no farm crops are more valuable. Cattle thrive on such food in winter, when it forms a large part of their rations, and every stock owner should have a good supply. Carrots are particularly desirable for horses, keeping them in good, thrifty condition.

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High School Commencement.

The exercises properly began last Sunday evening, when Rev. B. S. Hudson delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the class in the Presbyterian church, which was filled to its utmost capacity with representations of nearly every family in town. The address received the closest attention and was appreciated by all.

The class exercises were held in the Opera House last evening. That spacious edifice was filled with relatives and friends of the class. No effort was made by the graduates to trim the hall, the class colors (violet and white) or the motto ("Success Means Sacrifice") were not displayed. The platform presented a neat appearance, in front on either side there were, tastily arranged, palms and potted plants. Promptly on time the class, numbering thirteen, consisting of ten young ladies and three gentlemen, made their appearance and as they took their seats presented a pretty picture. While some of the former classes may have exceeded the class of '96 in numbers, it is doubtful if any presented a more interesting program than was given last evening. Each member in their appointed role acquitting themselves with such credit that comparison was well nigh impossible.

The exercises opened with a piano solo by Miss Harding, which was well executed and received a hearty encore. After the Invocation by Rev. J. P. Varner Christine Wilson stepped forward and in a clear tone delivered the salutatory in a graceful manner. Charles Hurry then showed the "Progress of Invention," his production was well written and nicely delivered. Mertie Macham presented in a charming manner her essay, topic "Self-Interest, not Selfishness," then followed a chorus, by over seventy school children, which, reflected credit not only to themselves but their instrucror, Miss Grayson. Bessie Spayde then made many statements concerning the class, unknown to the public generally, she evidently knew of what she was speaking and demonstrated her fitness for the task. Nellie Lowden presented many stronng arguments why a woman should be educated in such a convincing manner that the most skeptical must have been shaken. Lavern Smith made a strong plea for parents to early instill in the minds of the young, self-reliance. His subject was "Judgement." Retrospect and Prospect" by Kittie Bowers was carefully prepared and her mahner and delivery were fine.

Naomi North then executed a piano solo in an artistic manner, which called forth hearty applause.

The Class Prophecy was given by Adah Erskine and Minnie Russell, in a way which showed their selection for the task was just the thing. It was unique, terse and witty. Julia Gilmore handled her subject "Cost of Greatness" in an able manner, and won new laurels. Mabel Smith showed conclusively that no great things were brought about without the aid of so-called "Cranks and Crazes". She did well. The school children then sang a chorus.

Eloise Waring presented a carefully prepared paper, subject, "Value of the Study of Music," in hearing her one was led to exclaim "Music is the highest of all arts." Frank Keeney then gave the Valedictory in a feeling manner. It was an appropiate close to a choice program.

The pupils then rendered another chorus which was finer than than either of the others.

To Peter S. McKinnon was assigned the presentation of diplomas and certainly no better selection could have been made. His remarks to the class were choice, and full of encouragement and good advice. Rev. J. P. Varner pronounced the benediction after which the class received congratulations of their friends. The gifts to each member of the class were many and valuable.

Very Low Rates to Buffalo, N. Y.

Very low rates to Buffalo, N. Y., and return, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, July 5 and 6. Tickets good until September 1 for return. 2

A quarrell over a woman at a Catskill N. Y., christening, resulted in the murder of Joseph Caserta by a fellow-countryman named Paschal.

Half Rate Excursions to Washington, D. C.

On July 4, 5, 6 and 7, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., and return at one fare for the round trip. Good for return until July 31. 2

John W. Ackerman, a Yonkers, N. Y. builder, pared his corn too closely and died of blood poisoning.

Real Estate Transfers.

Following are the real estate transfers in this vicinity, as recorded at the office of the Register of Deeds up to date.

Sheridan Sanford to Wm. F. Clack, Clinton village, $400.

Jerome Truax to Sarah E Dickinson, Madison, 15 acres sec. 10, $1,500.

Geo. B. Cheever to Francis C. Pocklington, Ridgeway, land on sec. 2, $350.

Eva M. Wood to Jesse Hendershot, Tecumseh, 10 acres sec. 23, $500.

Prisoners in the Ohio Penitentiary are permitted to converse in the dining hall during meals.

St. Louis, Mo., and Return at Half Rates.

June 12, 13, 14 and 15 the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway will sell tickets to St. Louis and return at very low rates. Tickets good for return until June 23d.

Heavy rains in Maine have subdued the forest fires and saved several towns from destruction.

MUMMY OF AN UNKNOWN RACE.

Remains of Prehistoric Man Unearthed in Southern Arizona.

John McCarthy has brought into Prescott a mummy that is believed to antedate the Indians and is of a decidedly different type. He found it, says the Prescott (Ariz.) Courier, while hunting a lion, which he had treed and brought down in the Verde canyon. In a cliff dwelling he had found a sealed chamber seven by nine feet. Tearing it open, he met a grisly sight. It was a mummy kneeling on a soap weed mat, with the body upright and head erect, the long arms hanging straight down from the shoulder. In life he was about five feet seven inches high. In one hand he grasped a stone ax, in the other a bundle of barbed flint-headed arrows. As the air rushed into the vault the rawhide shafts of the arrow heads and the rawhide handle of the stone ax crumbled to ashes, as did the mat and the mantle which covered the mummy. The fine brown hair, about two feet in length, fell from the head.

In the cave were found several earthenware bowls, a tortoise shell, and about $1,000 worth of best grade turquoise in the rough, just as it was taken from the ledge. The pieces ranged in size from the dimensions of a walnut to that of a hen's egg. As there is no flint in this part of the country, and no known vein of turquoise in the western hemisphere of the width of these dimensions, where the ancient got them is a mystery. The absence of high cheek bones and the fine hair indicate that he was not related to the Indian of to-day.

THE REASON WHY.

You Weigh No More After You Eat Than You Did Before.

Many of us have laughed at that absurd conceit in one of Hoyt's productions—"A Texas Steer," we believe—where, in the restaurant scene, customers are put on the scale immediately before and after eating, and are charged in proportion to the extra weight they have taken on. The idea for a comedy is good, but restaurant keepers who adopt it as a practical means of gauging their charges would come out at the small end of the horn.

It is a well-known fact, though somewhat anomalous, that a person weighs no more after eating a hearty meal than he did before. A little reflection will readily explain this apparent mystery. During the process of mastication, deglutition, etc., certain muscles are brought into active play, and the exercise of any muscle necessitates a temporary waste of its tissues, and a certain amount of carbon is eliminated and passed off during the course of the meal.

This loss, however, is trifling, as compared with that of respiration and perspiration, both of which are increased during the various operations of making a meal. The length of time one may take to consume a pound of food makes no little difference to these losses, for if eaten leisurely, there is but slight increase of respiration or perspiration, whereas, if it is hurried through, both are abnormally accelerated. Hence, by the time the pound is eaten, the consumer has lost appreciably in moisture or carbonic acid.

WHERE THE BEAVER DIVED.

Kind of Picture Which Is Full of Suggestion to the Sportsman.

Forest and Stream prints from a photograph a wood scene that should bring a far-away look into the beaver trapper's eyes the moment he sees it. There are fallen logs in a tangle of brush trees denuded of leaves mostly, and down a slight incline, surrounded by the brush, is a pool. Ripples of water are waggling the shadows of the trees, which were caused by a beaver that had just dived, alarmed by the approach of E. Hofer, who took the photograph.

No picture is so suggestive to a sportsman as one which shows where game has been. Sportsmen's papers print photographs of the tracks of deer, bears and other game, and these are more suggestive than a view of the game itself. A fox's track, leading away across the snow-covered fields, or the ripple where a fish has slapped the water's surface are full of life to a sportsman. There is a chance with such evidence before him of exercising his craft and skill.

It is related of an amateur photographer of field scenes that one day he tried to catch a running gray squirrel with his little camera. When the negative was developed he found that he had a picture of the animal's tail alone, but because of the very incompleteness of the scene he values that picture above any six in his collection.

The Temple of Serpents.

The small town of Werda, in the kingdom of Dahomey, is celebrated for a loathesome den called the Temple of Serpents. It is a long building dedicated to the priests and mystery men of the kingdom, and in it they keep thousands of snakes of all kinds and sizes. These slimy, crawling creatures literally own the village, as well as the temple which has been erected for their special accommodation, and may be seen hanging from the rafters and door posts of any house in town. In Werda to kill a serpent is a crime punishable by death. The serpents in the sacred temple are fed by a regular corps of hunters, who are paid for their services out of the public exchequer.

Monarchs Meet and Shake.

When the late shah of Persia was in Paris in 1889 he visited the Wild West Show, and there met the famous Indian chief, Red Shirt. The latter was in his tent and was presented to the Persian monarch. To the shah's astonishment Red Shirt held out his hand as though to an equal. The shah hesitated, but when the interpreter whispered: "He is a king," he took the Indian's hand and shook it. He was evidently immensely amused and interested by the dignified old warrior, with his feathers and primitive surroundings.

THE WORK DONE.

A Resume of the Important Business of Congress.

Great Number of Bills Presented in Both Houses—The Most Important of Those That Have Become Laws.

Washington, June 8.—The first session of the Fifty-fourth congress, now in its closing hours, enjoys the distinction of being the shortest "long" session for a period of 20 years. Of the measures which become laws, the most important from an international standpoint, was the bill creating the commission "to determine the true divisional line between Venezuela and British Guiana." Of scarcely less general interest were the bills prohibiting prize fights in the territories; permitting appointments in the army and navy of former United States officers who served in the rebellion and making one year's residence in a territory a prerequisite to obtaining a divorce there.

Excepting these, however, the remainder of the 235 bills and resolutions which received the president's approval were not of a character to deserve extended mention. The more important were the bills incorporating the national society of the Daughters of the Revolution, opening the forest reservations in Colorado, for the location of mining claims; regulating proof of death in pension cases; providing for a naval training school in San Francisco harbor; making it unlawful to shoot at any railway train or any person thereon or to throw missiles into such train, and repealing clause 61 of the tariff law providing for a rebate on alcohol used in the arts.

Great Number of Measures Presented.

If the session, however, be conspicuous by reason of its brevity and the limited number of important laws enacted, it resulted in the introduction of a larger number of bills in the house than during any similar period for a quarter of a century. The total number of bills introduced during the entire last congress was 8,987, of which 4,405 were introduced during the first session, which corresponds to the session now drawing to a close and in which latter the aggregate reaches 9,500. Of these 2,300 were favorably reported by the committees to whom they were referred, and scores of them are likely to be brought to the attention of the house next winter.

The Nicaragua canal bill is one of these measures. After many months of consideration in the committee, it received a favorable report in the face of an absolute certainty that it would not be taken up during the present session. The bill to liquidate the indebtedness of the Pacific railways to the government is another far-reaching measure, which is also upon the calendar with a favorable report, but which for prudential reasons will continue to slumber there. Others are the service pension bill, reported by the invalid pensions committee; the Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma statehood bills; the Pacific cable bill and the joint resolution conferring the rank of lieutenant general upon Maj. Gen. Miles.

Interest in the Cuban Revolution.

The popular interest in the Cuban revolution was shown in the large number of resolutions, more than 50 in all, that were introduced and referred to the committee on foreign affairs. After careful consideration, a concurrent resolution was reported, for which was subsequently substituted, in conference, the senate resolution expressing the sympathy of the United States with the insurgents, recognizing their belligerency and calling upon the president to use his good offices to secure the independence of the island.

Measures for which there has been a widespread demand that have passed the house and will probably receive consideration from the senate next session, include the bankruptcy bill, the McCall bill, providing an educational test for immigrants, the labor commission and labor arbitration bills and the bill simplifying the rules of the pension office so as to facilitate the adjustment of private pension cases.

Much Work for Committees.

The early weeks of the session were a busy period for the ways and means committee. Of the 187 measures referred to it, 30 were acted upon. Two of the greatest importance were the bond and revenue bills. The bond bill passed the house, was sent to the senate and returned with the addition of an amendment providing for the free coinage of silver. The revenue bill died in the senate committee on finance. Among other measures of interest reported by the ways and means committee were the bills permitting the killing of all the fur seals in Alaskan waters; the "filled cheese" bill and the bill amending the law permitting a rebate on alcohol used in the arts.

The committee on invalid pensions broke all previous records for work. Upwards of 2,800 bills were referred to it, of which 700 private bills were reported to the house. Among the measures reported in addition to those which passed the house, were bills giving members of state militia a pensionable status; granting pensions to remarried war widows; broadening the scope of the law pensioning army nurses; increasing the pensions of those who lost limbs in the service and providing for the payment of pensions by check.

The pensions committee, which deals with a different class of measures from those which are referred to the invalid pensions committee, disposed of 240 of the 600 bills referred to them.

The committees on post offices and post roads, railways and canals, coinage, weights and measures, agriculture, military, public lands, patents, judiciary and commerce reported the ordinary number of measures, but with few exceptions they were not of unusual importance.

Business in the Senate.

The results accomplished by the senate during the session just closing are entirely out of proportion with the legislation that was introduced. Up to Saturday there had been introduced a total of 3,261 bills more than were introduced during the whole of the last congress. The same ratio of increase is found in the flood of memorials and petitions that have been laid before the senate. Out of this array of proposed legislation but little has been done.

The finance committee, to which was referred 105 different measures, has succeeded in getting through the senate but three of any importance that have become laws—the filled cheese bill; the amendment to the administrative feature of the tariff act permitting express companies to pay the duty on packages valued at not more than $500 and deliver them to the residence of the importer direct, and the bill to repeal the free alcohol clause of the tariff law. The Dingley bill came out of committee with a free coinage amendment which prevailed in the senate, and this proposition to increase the revenues through tariff duties has ever since been hung in the air between the two houses. The bankruptcy and contempt of court bills, the two most important measures emanating from the committee on the judiciary, were not even considered by the senate. The favorable report from the committee on privileges and elections for an amendment for the election of senators by popular vote, became the text for many speeches that never got beyond that indefinite stage.

The senate committee on pensions shows a better record for accomplished results. Senate pension bills aggregating 1,020 were referred to this committee. Similar bills aggregating 220 came over from the house. Two hundred and seventy senate bills were passed by the senate, of which the house passed but 50. On the other hand, the senate passed 110 of the house pension bills out of a total of 220 passed by the house. Out of all this proposed legislation but 83 bills became laws, as follows: Senate bills without the approval of the president, 1; senate bills approved, 27; house bills become a law without approval, 8; house bills approved, 27; total, 83.

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WHEAT—No. 1 Hard	72¾	@	73
June	67¼	@	67¼
CORN—No. 2	33½	@	33½
June	33¾	@	33½
OATS—Western	23	@	28½
PORK—Mess, New	9 00	@	9 50
LARD—Rendered	4 45	@	4 50
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	11½	@	15½
EGGS	12	@	12½
	CHICAGO.		
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	4 20
Stockers and Feeders	2 00	@	3 75
Cows and Bulls	1 40	@	3 65
Texas Steers	2 75	@	3 50
HOGS—Light	3 25	@	3 60
Rough Packing	2 90	@	3 05
SHEEP	2 00	@	4 00
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	11	@	15
Dairy	9	@	13
EGGS—Fresh	8½	@	10
POTATOES—New (per bri)	1 50	@	2 00
PORK—Mess	7 00	@	7 10
LARD—Steam	4 15	@	4 20
FLOUR—Winter	3 25	@	3 80
Spring	2 65	@	3 65
GRAIN—Wheat, July	58¾	@	60¼
Corn, No. 2	27¾	@	27½
Oats, June	17½	@	17¾
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LARD	4 20	@	4 25
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Bacon		10
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Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	
Chickens per lb	to 6	15
Turkeys		4
Hides, green		3
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		55
Corn, shelled	32 to 35	
Corn in ear	17 to 18	
Oats	17 to 19	
Hay, timothy, per ton	9 00 to 10 00	
Hay, clover, per ton	8 00	
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Exciting Scenes on the Withdrawal of Senator Teller — The Declaration.

Convention Hall, St. Louis, June 19.—Bright sunshine, cloudless skies, and a temperature up in the eighties, and going higher, diffuse an inspiriting influence on the many thousand men and women who are swarming through the streets, or jamming the cable and trolley cars which converge on the large, squat, flag-bedecked building in which the republican national convention holds its session. It is the morning of the third day—the decisive day, the day which gives to the "grand old party," for victory or for defeat, its battle cry and its leader. Both are already fixed upon with but little probability of change or variation—the battle cry "the gold standard," and the leader, "William McKinley, of Ohio."

Colored Gentleman Offers Prayer.

At 10:35 the president, Senator Thurston, announced that the divine blessing would be invoked by Rev. John R. Scott, of Florida.

Platform Is Presented.

The chairman said the first order of business was the reception of the report of the committee on resolutions, and the chair recognized for that purpose Senator-elect Foraker, of Ohio.

Sound Money Plank Cheered.

As Mr. Foraker approached the financial plank Mr. Teller left his seat with the Colorado delegation and moved up to the platform where he seated himself at the end of the second row of seats to the right of the chairman. With the opening sentence "the republican party is unreservedly for sound money," which Mr. Foraker read slowly and very emphatically, a burst of cheering occurred, and the applause was repeated with redoubled volume when the pledge to promote international agreement for free coinage was read. The cheering at this point was so prolonged that it interrupted the proceedings for some time and compelled the chairman to rap for order.

The reading of the platform as a whole was listened to with marked attention, and at the close it was greatly cheered. The reading occupied 25 minutes.

Mr. Foraker moved the adoption of the report as the republican national platform for 1896.

Teller Presents Minority Report.

Then the chair, amid the breathless attention of the convention, recognized Senator Teller, who sent to the secretary's desk and had read the following minority report:

"We, the undersigned members of the committee on resolutions, being unable to agree with that portion of the majority report which treats of the subjects of coinage and finance, respectfully submit the following paragraph as a substitute therefor:

"The republican party favors the use of both gold and silver as equal standard money, and pledges its power to secure the free, unrestricted and independent coinage of gold and silver at our mints at the ratio of sixteen parts of silver to one of gold.'"

Teller Addresses the Convention.

Mr. Teller then advanced to the front and in earnest tones addressed the convention in explanation of his course. He disclaimed that his advocacy of free silver was in any manner controlled by the fact that he represented a state which produced silver. He contended for it because he believed that no country could prosper without it, and because he believed that it was the great weight which was now weighing down the country. Professing tolerance for those who differed from him, he said his decision had been arrived at after many years of deliberate thought. The great contest whether there should be one flag or two in this country was not more important than this. Confronted for the first time in the history of this glorious party of ours with the danger of a financial system which in our judgment would be destructive to the country, they were called upon to decide whether to adhere to it or reject it.

"I cannot go out without saying that I cherish down in my heart a hope—nay a belief—that better counsels will prevail and that at some future day on a true republican platform, sustaining republican principles, I may have the inestimable privilege of again addressing you."

Teller's Substitute Tabled.

Mr. Foraker, of Ohio, chairman of the committee on resolutions, moved to lay Teller's substitute on the table.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, seconded the motion.

The yeas and nays were demanded by the states of Colorado, Montana and Idaho and the vote was taken.

As states usually classed as silver states, such as Nebraska, North Dakota, Oregon and South Dakota, cast their votes in favor of tabling the resolution and added to the rapidly growing majority in favor of that motion there were demonstrations of delight from the exulting gold standard men.

The result of the roll call was announced: Yeas, 818½; nays, 105½.

So the motion to lay Senator Teller's substitute free silver plank on the table was carried.

Mr. Foraker was recognized to move the previous question on the passage of the resolutions.

Financial Plank Adopted.

Mr. Dubois demanded a roll call of states on the passage of the financial plank, and Colorado and Montana seconded the call.

The chairman said the question to be voted on was:

"Shall the financial plank be adopted as the sense of this convention?" On this the roll of states was called.

The roll call proceeded amid so much confusion that the chairman had to suspend it until order was restored.

The result of the roll call on the question of the adoption of the financial plank was announced: Ayes, 812½; nays, 110½. "And the financial plank is adopted," added the chairman amid cheers.

The rest of the platform was adopted with a ringing chorus of ayes, there being but one solitary "No."

As a matter of personal privilege the chair announced that he would permit Senator Cannon to read a statement prepared by certain members of the convention and asked respectful attention and perfect quiet.

Silver Men's Declaration of Withdrawal.

Mr. Frank Cannon, the youthful senator from Utah, advanced to the platform and with Senator Teller sitting by his side, read in ringing tones and with many gestures the following protest:

"In announcing the purpose asserted in this paper, it is due to our constituents and to ourselves that there shall be a public showing of vindicating facts."

The declaration then reviews the position of the republican party on the money question as set forth in the platform of 1892, which was favorable to silver and acceptable to bimetallists. The right of the majority of the republican convention to change the party tenets is not questioned. But "as surely as it is requisite for peace and progress that minorities shall yield to majorities in matter of mere method, just so surely is it necessary for that same peace and progress that minorities shall not yield in matters of fundamental truth."

Seceded from the Truth.

"We hold that this convention has seceded from the truth; that the triumph of such secession would be the eventual destruction of our freedom and our civilization. To that end the people will not knowingly follow any political party; and we choose to take our place in the ranks of the great mass of citizens who realize that the hour has come for justice. Did we deem this issue less important to humanity we would yield, since the associations of all our political lives have been intertwined with the men and the measures of this party of past mighty achievements.

Withdrawal from the Party.

"Accepting the fiat of this convention as the present purpose of the party, we withdraw from this convention to return to our constituents the authority with which they invested us, believing that we have better discharged their trust by this action which restores to them authority unsullied than by giving cowardly and wrong ever willfully attempted within the republican party—once redeemer of the people, but now about to become their oppressor, unless providentially restrained by the votes of free men."

A Wild Scene.

At Mr. Cannon's closing words, declaring that the republican party, once the redeemer of the people, was now about to become its oppressor, a storm of hisses and groans was raised from all parts of the hall and cries of "Down" were raised.

The chair, with his resonant voice rising, above the tumult, said: "The chair suggests to this convention that the republican party in convention assembled need not fear any declaration." Here an outburst of cheers, which lasted several seconds, interrupted the chairman.

"His great ability, his originality of thought, his power in debate, his strong will, are known of all men, and are part of the history of the last 20 years. His public career is as spotless as his private character is pure and unblemished. He is a trained statesman fit for the heaviest task the country can impose upon him. He commands the confidence of his party and his country. He is a leader of men. We know it because we have seen him lead. To those who have followed him he never said 'go,' but always 'come.' He is entirely fearless. We know it for we have seen his courage tested on a hundred fields. He has been called to great places and to great trials, and he has never failed nor flinched. He is fit to stand at the head of the republican column. He is worthy to be an American president. I have the honor, the very great honor, to present to you, as a candidate for your nomination, the speaker of the national house of representatives, Thomas B. Reed, of Maine.

Mr. Reed's nomination was loudly applauded, many of the delegations rising and waving flags, amid much cheering. The nomination was seconded by Charles E. Littlefield, of Rockland, Me.

Depew Presents Morton.

When the state of New York was called Mr. Sutherland, of Rochester, rose and said that the name of New York's favorite son would be presented by another "favorite son of that state and of all the states, Chauncey M. Depew."

"We meet to take up the broken cord of national development and happiness and link it once more to the car of progress. With our industries stagnant, our manufactures paralyzed, our agriculture disheartened, our artisans unemployed, our credit impaired, our treasury bankrupt, our position among the nations of the world questioned, all look to this convention and call upon its wisdom for hope and rescue.

"Whoever may be nominated by this convention will receive the cordial support, the enthusiastic advocacy of the republicans of New York, but in the shifting conditions of our commonwealth Gov. Morton can secure more than the party strength, and without question in the coming canvass, no matter what issue may arise between now and November, place the Empire state solidly in the republican column."

Mr. Depew closed at 3:06.

The state of Ohio was reached at 3:07 p. m.

CONVENTION GOES WILD.

Foraker Rises to Nominate McKinley Amid Tremendous Applause.

Foraker rose in his place, and delegates and spectators jumped to chairs and tables. Fans, plumes, hats, etc., were waved for the space of 90 seconds.

As Ohio was called and Gov. Foraker came to the front there was such cheering as had not marked the proceedings of the convention at any previous time. He characterized the four years of democratic administration as one stupendous disaster which had fallen on all alike, the just and the unjust. But this affliction had one compensating advantage, it had destroyed the democratic party. Their approaching national convention was an approaching national nightmare.

No one knew what they were going to do, and no one was seeking the nomination except a limited few who had proclaimed their unfitness by announcing a willingness to stand on any kind of platform. If the republican party made no mistake here, it would be reestablished in control of the government to hold it till Providence in His infinite mercy chose again to chasten the nation. [Laughter and applause.] The people wanted something more than a good business man, a fearless leader, a wise statesman, one who, in addition to all these, presented qualifications which were exactly the opposite of this free-trade, deficit-making, bond-issuing, democratic administration.

"I present to you such a man," said Gov. Foraker, "in William McKinley."

Pandemonium Let Loose.

At this point pandemonium let loose and the convention gave up to unrestrained yelling, cheering, horn-blowing, whistling, cat-calling and all the other devices common to such occasions. A number of red, white and blue plumes which (carefully wrapped up) had been brought into the convention earlier in the proceedings, were uncovered and waved, whilst almost every delegate seemed to be wildly gesticulating with either a fan or a flag in the air. The band tried in vain to compete with the ear-splitting clamor, but at last the strains of "Marching Through Georgia" caught the ears of the crowd and they joined in the chorus and gradually quieted down.

WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

Portrait of McKinley Hoisted.

Then a portrait of McKinley was hoisted on a line with the United States flag on the gallery facing the platform, and the cheering began over again, to which the band responded by playing "Rally Round the Flag," the convention joining in the chorus.

After at least 12 minutes of this kind of proceeding, the chair began to rap for a restoration of order, but without avail.

Gov. Foraker stood during all this scene smiling his approval. Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, had in the meantime been called to the chair by Senator Thurston, but just when he had nearly restored order Mrs. W. H. Strong, of California, who had presented the plumes in honor of Ohio's choice, made her appearance on the floor waving one of them, and another uncontrollable outburst of temporary insanity occurred.

Bust of McKinley Presented.

During the interval of confusion a three-quarter face, life-size sculptured bust of Mr. McKinley was presented to Mr. Foraker by the Republican club, of the University of Chicago. The portrait was in a mahogany frame, decorated with red, white and blue ribbons and with a bow of the maroon-colored ribbons forming the colors of the university. The portrait was the work of Mr. Hans Hirsch, and was presented by Dr. Liston H. Montgomery, of Chicago, with a letter signed by Mr. H. L. Ickes, president of the club. It was accepted by Gov. Foraker in dumb show.

Foraker Allowed to Finish His Speech.

After 25 minutes of incessant turmoil Mr. Foraker was allowed to resume his speech. He said from what had occurred it was evident the convention had heard of his candidate before. Then he sketched his career, his war services under Phil Sheridan, his legislative experience under James G. Blaine, and claimed for him the honor of having been, when in congress, the leader of the house of representatives and the author of the McKinley bill. He closed an eloquent peroration by submitting in the name of the 46 delegates William McKinley's name for the consideration of the convention.

Senator Thurston, of Nebraska, was recognized by Temporary Chairman Hepburn, and seconded the nomination of McKinley.

At the close of Mr. Thurston's effective speech, cries of "Vote" were raised, interspersed with cries for "Quay." In the midst of this Gov. Hastings took the stand and placed in nomination the name of Matthew Stanley Quay.

The Total Vote.

Ohio, McKinley, 46. With the vote of Ohio McKinley had 661½ votes, which nominates him. Necessary to a choice, 643.

There was much cheering when it was seen that the vote of Ohio made the nomination.

The total result of the ballot was as follows:

McKinley, 661½; Reed, 84½; Allison, 35½; Morton, 58; Quay, 61½; Cameron, 1.

REVOLUTIONS are not made, they come. A revolution is as natural a growth as an oak. It comes out of the past. Its foundations are laid far back.—Wendell Phillips.

Clinton Column.

Arrivals—Departures—Numerous Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

C. F. Field was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Leon Gray, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Frank E. Brown came home Friday for a few days.

Ralph Kishpaugh joined his parents at Britton Saturday.

Dr. J. E. White made a business trip to Blissfield last Friday.

Mabel Blatchford went to Mason Saturday for a few days' visit.

James Hamilton came over from Detroit Tuesday, via Britton.

Nate Schmidt and son, of Manchester, were in town Saturday.

Geo. Fisk, of Jackson, is visiting relatives in Clinton and vicinity.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Howard Hause is visiting her parents in Britton this week.

Druggist C. E. Foster has been visiting in Chelsea the past week.

Sylvester Nase, of Palmyra, visited his father the first of the week.

G. C. Lindsley and wife returned Monday from their Grass Lake visit.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife visited relatives in Manchester last Sunday.

In a scuffle, last Saturday, Ed. Kehoe succeeded in breaking his collar bone.

George Freeze and family, with Miss Lina Jones, drove to Monchester, Sunday.

Fred Blosser, of Manchester, was calling on friends in town Saturday evening.

Robert Park, of Adrian, was the guest of Wirt C. Rowlend a part of last week.

Grace Collins came up from Macon to attend commencement and the alumni exercises.

Jno. L. Tuttle jr. arrived home from Ann Arbor last Saturday to remain during vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Amspoker, of Manchester, were guests at Jas. Hogan's over Sunday.

The Misses Emma and Edith Cotton, of Macon, attended the alumni exercises Friday night.

Mrs. L. A. McConnel arrived home home last Friday and expects to spend the summer here.

Mamie Fletcher, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Florence House the latter part of last week.

The Turner-Shaker Medicine Co. went to Britton last Sunday. They made many friends here.

Edgar Larzelere, of Detroit, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Corwin, the first of the week.

Minnie French, of Hanover, Ill., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Fannie Huntoon and Mrs. Alexander.

Mrs. Chas. Becker drove over from Ypsilanti last Friday and Roy Wood returned with her Saturday.

Miss Laura Haggart returned Saturday morning from Buchanan, where she has been teaching the past year.

John Butterfield returned to Whitmore Lake, Tuesday, after a visit of about a week with Clinton friends.

Mrs. M. E. Carr and son, Guy, started Friday morning for Hickory Corners, Barry Co., to be gone about a week.

Miss Bertha Shugar and her friend, Miss Dewey, returned to Onsted Sunday after a visit of several days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Steadman have been moving into the Parsons house, recently vacated by F. B. Greenleaf.

Mrs. C. F. Coller, of Tecumseh, and Miss Edna Wilkerson, of Dundee, were guests at Peter Kishpaugh's last Saturday.

Misses Ella Fowler and Grace Hillman, of Tecumseh, were guests of Miss Alice Halladay the latter part of last week.

Misses Minnie McAdam and Marie Kirchhoffer came down from Manchester last Thursday to attend commencement.

Mrs. C. S. Baker gave a party, last Tuesday, to the little friends of her daughter, Florence, at the home of Mrs. E. A. Clark.

Little May and Ada McCollum, of Manchester, have been visiting their uncles, W. H. and H. D. Niblack, during the past week.

It was found necessary to postpone the next regular meeting of the O. E. S. as it would come June 24th, the date of the annual Masonic festival.

Mrs. Kate Strait, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. VanDeMark for the past two months, started Monday for her home at Hammond, Ind.

Grace Corwin went to Norvell, Monday, to visit a cousin, a couple of days, then she will go on to Grass Lake to visit friends for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Emma Steadman arrived from Brockton, Mass., on Saturday. Mrs. S. may be found at the Bakery, she being connected with her son in that popular institution.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Manchester, came down Tuesday to pass the last day of her brother Carl's stay at the old home. A number of friends were invited in and a delightful social time was the result.

E. C. Codling (Ted) left Saturday for Detroit to take charge of a fine market in connection with a grocery store, on 12th street. His many friends rejoice that he has secured so responsible a position and feel assured he will prove worthy of the trust.

Miss Margaret Biggins is still very ill with fever.

Miss Addie McDermott was quite sick Sunday and Monday.

Henry Lancaster has been repairing the floors in his barn.

Miss Ada Stanscliff moved her household goods to Toledo Tuesday.

M. F. McClure and Geo. W. Freese each paid Tecumseh a call Tuesday.

Alvah McNeil, of Grass Lake was calling on Clinton friends this week.

Miss May Aylesworth, of West Tecumseh, was calling on friends Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Platte, whose condition at one time was so critical, continues to improve.

Miss Kathleen Hogan closed the spring season with Clark & Shimmen Saturday.

Charles Avery and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Clark the last of the week.

Alonzo Clark and wife visited Ridgeway friends Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. E. F. Muir and daughter left Monday for a visit with friends at Eaton Rapids.

A. H. St. John and bride are now at home to their friends at his father's on Chicago street.

Lois Bond was the guest of Malinda Nase during the commencement and alumni exercises.

Mrs. James Wadsworth and Eva, of Hudson, arrived Tuesday for a week's visit with friends here.

E. A. Clark and wife, C. S. Baker, wife and daughter and Leon Clark and lady friend spent Wednesday at the lakes.

Miss Kate Murphy, of Kalamazoo, will spend the summer, at her fathers, the family with whom she lives being n Europe.

Mrs. Loa Demuth attended the commencement exercises at Tecumseh last week. A cousin's daughter being one of the graduates.

Howard Hause and sister, Jean, went down to Britton Wednesday for a short visit with the former's wife and L. Hause and family.

Alonzo Clark has let the contract to Ed Semark for a new residence to be erected on the lot between Wm. C. Rogers and E. A. Clark.

John Arbens, of Norvell, was calling on Clinton friends Tuesday. He has a flowing well, on his celery grounds, which throws a three inch stream.

Albert Lowry and Lester Westcott, as representatives of James Lowry, Tecumseh's oldest grocer, was here Tuesday and bought a large quantity of hen fruit of S. W. Demuth.

Chas. Mensing, of Toledo, is making glad the hearts of Clinton friends this week. He is connected with a wholesole millinery in that city and is well pleased with his position.

The ball game, Saturday, between Lake Ridge and Clinton first nine was an interesting one even if the home team was defeated. The score was 12 to 10 in favor of the visitors.

Charles Nase, while drawing a load of sand to the Fuller house, Tuesday, the front axle broke in front of P. Kishpaugh's and it was some time before he could get another wagon. Charlie does enjoy shoveling.

Carl Burton made his old home friends but a flying visit after all, much to their regret, they hoping and expecting he would spend the summer vacation among them. He left Wednesday morning for the Thousand Islands, where he will combine business with pleasure until the Opera season begins, when he will again take the road. He reports the past season a most prosperous one for the company he was with.

The graduating exercises Thursday evening and those of the alumni Friday evening were very interesting and largely attended. The class of '96, consisting of six gentlemen and three ladies, presented a delightful program and all acquitted themselves with great credit. The presents were fine and abundant. The alumni banquet was par excellence. The hop was by no means least in the evening enjoyment.

F. D. Lancaster was out Tuesday doing missionary work. He was enlisting the farmers in the vicinity of the lakes to (at a most convenient time to the majority) turn out and with clay and gravel transform the stretch of deep sand west of Runy Witherell's into a fine road, the business men of Clinton to furnish the shovelers and they to draw the loads. It will be done, as Frank is a hustler and completes what he undertakes.

Tuesday morn about 5 a. m. the slumbers of H. D. Niblack and F. D. Lancaster, were suddenly disturbed by the blending of cat and dog voices. They both rushed out clad only in their slumber robes, just in time to witness the death of Jim. Frank's fine cat, which was the pet of the neighborhood. Jim during the summer has slept in an arm chair on the stoop and was in deep repose when the dogs took him unawares. When Frank gets the dogs located the canine family of Clinton will be speedily reduced by two members. The scene, while in a sense tragic, must have been grotesque as well.

The Habits of Children

Should be closely watched and regulated by mothers. Carelessness in childhood often leads to serious troubles in after life. The digestive organs and bowels should be kept in the best possible condition to insure good health, not only for the present, but for years to come. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a harmless but potent remedy, corrects all such evils in children. Twenty doses (for children) 10c, at Orr & Temple's. june

A young Harvard University student, Jerome E. Grofe, dangerously shot himself while cleaning a revolver.

MANCHESTER.

An Old-Fashioned Celebration—Also Much Local News.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Katie Marx is very sick.

Mr. Boyd, of Chelsea, was in town on Friday.

H. G. Conklin, of Toledo, was in town on Sunday.

B. G. Sutton, of Plainfield, was in town one day last week.

Miss Florence Kellam, of Chelsea, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Maud Ohlinger, went to Clinton Saturday to spend Sunday.

Mayor Pingree will give the 4th of July address in Manchester.

The W. C. T. U. held a special meeting in the M. E. chapel on Monday.

Miss Allie Lazell went to Tecumseh to visit May Aylesworth on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Sheldon, of Three Rivers, visited friends in town over Sunday.

Warner Spencer came from Grand Rapids to attend the funeral of Mr. Amsden.

The Ladies' Aid Society held a social at Mrs. W. H. Stark's on Wednesday afternoon.

The anniversary of the C. E. of the Lutheran church, was largely attended on Sunday.

Cornelius Carr is building a cement walk in front of his little farm on Jackson street.

Mrs. Martha Dennison went to Grand Rapids on Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Alice Amsden.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stewart Hall, of Ypsilanti, came here to attend the funeral of A. G. Amsden.

Geo. C. Amsden and wife, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of their son, Bert, over the Sabbath.

A. D. Perkins, R. C. Miller and E. A. Kotts and their wives, of Toledo, came on the special train to attend the funeral of A. G. Amsden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robison returned Friday from a visit with their son, Barrett, in New York City.

L. Whitney Watkins rode his Victor wheel to Hillsdale one day last week to be present at College commencement.

The children's day exercises at the Methodist church were very fine and were listened to by a crowded house.

On Sunday evening June 21st, Rev. Clarence Eugene Allen, of Wyandotte, will preach the baccalaureate sermon in Emanuel's church.

Miss Myra Spafard returned from Garden City, Long Island, Saturday, to spend the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spafard.

Abram G. Amsden, superintendent of the Kalamazoo division of the Lake Shore R. R., died at his home in Grand Rapids on June 10th, after a lingering illness, aged 58 years. His remains were brought here on Saturday, accompanied by his widow, son and daughter. On Sunday a large delegation of railroad men and their wives came on special trains from Chicago, Cleveland, Grand Rapids and Toledo, and the funeral was held at the residence of his brother-in-law, A. W. Spencer at three o'clock in the afternoon. The floral tributes were numerous and very beautiful.

The committee of arrangements, which consists of some of the leading business men of the village, have met with success thus far in their arrangements for a grand celebration of America's independence on Saturday July 4. Boos' celebrated band of 18 instruments and drum major will furnish excellent music throughout the day. At the grove—not Arbeiter, but one near the center of the village—the forenoon exercises will be held. Mayor Pingree of Detroit, Hon. Charles E. Townsend, of Jackson, and W. W. Wedemeyer of Ann Arbor, are among the speakers who have agreed to be present. Appropriate patriotic vocal music will be furnished by a choir of good singers. The afternoon sports will consist of long distance, township and other bicycle races by both sexes; foot, sack, wheelbarrow; 3-legged, egg and other races will be held on exchange place. Swimming races, tub races, etc., will be given in the mill pond in the center of the village, for which liberal prizes will be given and in which all who wish may participate. A business parade will be held and perhaps the "Omegas" may yet be induced to return and give an exhibition. A military parade by some of Jackson's best companies will be an attraction. The day will close with a display of fireworks, better than is usually seen outside of large cities. The railroads have promised special trains and half fare, and our citizens will give all visitors a hearty welcome.

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Della Keegan, who sued Russel Sage for breach of promise of marriage in New York City, was declared insane.

MACON.

Going to Have a Fourth of July Celebration and Other Amusements.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Miss Jane Langan is reported ill.

Will Gibson was in town Sunday.

J. C. Howell visited the Blissfield school Tuesday.

Four dozen new chairs have been put in the M. E. church.

A union entertainment is being talked up by the Endeavorers and Leaguers.

Get your binder twine of Lenardson Bros. & DuBois at Britton. They deliver it.

Both children's day services drew out a crowded house. The exercises were much enjoyed.

Everybody come and enjoy the Fourth of July celebration and social to be given on the school grounds.

The Epworth League will give an Apple social on Mr. Elwin Camburn's lawn Wednesday evening, June 24. All who desire to do so are requested to bring articles which they wish to exchange at the "Swap Auction" to be held in connection with the social.

SOUTH MACON.

School Districts Hold a Picnic—Personal Mention.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Miss Lois Bond returned to her college duties Tuesday.

Mrs. Samuel Weeks visited friends near Saline last week.

Miss Greenleaf, of Hanover, was the guest of Mrs. Ambrose over Sunday.

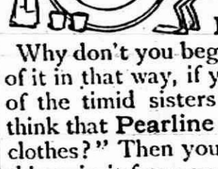
Mrs. Mills Hatch, of Macon, is spending the week with Mrs. Morris Harrington.

Mrs. R. Clarkson and daughter, Martha, spent the past week with relatives in Ypsilanti.

The friends of Ben Johnston were much pleased with the manner in which he handled the silver question last Friday evening.

School Districts No. 2 and 3 joined in a picnic supper at Grange Hall last Friday afternoon. A good literary program was carried out by the children.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold the regular meeting in connection with the business meeting Friday evening. Topic, "What think ye of Christ." Leader, Samuel Boyce. A full attendance is desired.



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Neighborhood News.

RIDGEWAY.

—Go to Ed. Smith.s for machine oil.

A full line of binder twine at Ed. Smith's.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman is learning to ride a Crawford.

D. W. Smith visited Dr. R. H. Nelson at Hudson Sunday.

Lizzie Gill, of Philadelphia, is visiting at Samuel Barlows.

For Mason fruit jars, best quality and lowest prices go to Ed. Smith.

Rev. Jas. Wright filled the pulpit at the M. E. church last Sunday.

Gertie Marvin went to her home in Azalia at the close of her school.

Quite a number attended children's day exercises at Britton Sunday.

The best place to buy screen doors and window screens is at Ed. Smith's.

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree spent Saturday and Sunday at Dr. Loree's.

Lena Swick, of Milan, visited her cousin, Mrs. Elmer Linn, Saturday.

Arthur Palmer, of Adrian, spent Saturday with his uncle, Henry Palmer.

The person who left a shawl at the church may have it by seeing the sexton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Vote Miller, of Detroit, on the 11th inst., a nine pound boy.

W. L. Jones and daughter, May, road over to Clinton on their wheels Saturday.

Some of the young people attended children's day exercises at Macon Sunday.

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Mrs. M. D. Britton, of St. Louis, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jared VanVleet left Monday for a visit with friends at Lowell.

Maggie and Erma Cheever each ride a Waverly, gifts from their grandmother.

Lawrence Rappleye is studying telegraphy in the office of the night operator at Britton.

Quite a number attended commencement exercises at Tecumseh last week Thursday night.

Mrs. Lewis Priest and children are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Fenner Palmer.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson was called to Mt. Pleasant by the severe illness of her brother, Judge Fesendon.

A majority of the residents of road district No. 5 have purchased a western portable steel road machine.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Vinnie R. Green, of Albion, to Charles O. Hiscock, of Columbus.

Mrs. Chas. Foote, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Mary McCrimmon, at Saline, returned Friday.

The person finding a pair of gold-rimmed eye glasses will do the loser a kindness by leaving them at the postoffice or library.

Rev. J. E. Jacklin, of Detroit, associate editor of the Christian Advocate, will occupy the pulpit at the M. E. church next Sunday.

F. T. Bush, who has been spending a few days with his wife at the home of her parents, left Monday for a ten days visit at Denver, Col.

Tecumseh, Macon, Lake Ridge, Cone, Britton, Holloway and Palmyra were represented at the commencement exercises in the large gathering.

Ray Pocklington, Lawrence Rappleye, Ray Fletcher and Lelia Sutton attended the commencement exercises at Britton Thursday evening of last week.

Miss Smith and Dora Pocklington called on Rev. Yager at Saline Sunday. The elder understands the hearts of the young people when they come before him with smiles.

The two youngest children of Chas. Miller created quite a commotion in the family Sunday, by eating an unknown quantity of arsenic. The assistance of Dr. Loree soon quieted their fears.

The school year closed Friday evening of last week, and the commencement exercises of the graduating class of the high school were held in the auditorium of the church. There was a very large attendance, and the exercises were from first to last, each graduate rendering his carefully and well-chosen subject in a manner that commanded the attention of the large gathering and left many thoughts for future study and consideration. The large number of beautiful and valuable gifts received bears evidence of the esteem they merit as a class by their many friends. Ella Boyd and Ray Murphy each received a beautiful gold watch, and Ben Johnson a silver cup among their numerous gifts. The class consisted of one lady and four gentlemen. The class ring is a heavy gold band. The class colors were pink and green, the badge a star of the class colors.

The platform was decorated with house plants and boquets, class motto and a design of the coat of Armor hung in gilt letters, "Class of '96." The Acme Quartet, of Adrian furnished excellent music for the occasion, which was encored and received by rousing encores after each selection. The residents of the district, as well as parents and class of '96, have every reason to be proud of our school and should lend every assistance to push it until it stands second to none in the state. Prof. Howell, on behalf of the class, desires to express appreciation to Mr. Decker for his valuable and willing assistance in the preparation of the church exercises evening, also to all who lent a helping heart and ready hand in the

—NOTICE.—

I wish to announce to the public that I have purchased my partner (Wm. Schmidt's) interest in the general hardware and grocery business, and will be pleased to see all old patrons as well as many new ones. I guarantee fair treatment and low prices. Yours for trade,

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Elnore Covell died at the home of Nelson Palmer, on the morning of the 9th of June 1896. The deceased was born at London, Monroe Co., March 10, 1878. In January she contracted a cold which terminated in consumption. For nearly 16 weeks she was confined to her bed. The funeral services were held at the house Thursday, June 11, Rev. Boyer of the Free Methodist church officiating.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kind assistance and sympathy in our recent sad affliction, also for their floral gifts. We also wish to thank the choir for their assistance in the service.

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BRITTON.

Children's Day Exercises—Newsy Locals and Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Get a Wayne bike of Lenardson Bros.

Thos. Hoagland has an increase of pension.

Frank Bronson, who has been ailing, is better.

Andrew Wood and family are visiting at Sand Creek.

H. H. Temple furnished the lumber for the Exelby barns.

H. W. Porter, of Weston, was in town on business last week.

Lenardson Bros. & Hughes closed their hay business Monday.

Many of our local sports took in the matinee at Adrian Saturday.

M. Hiscock, of Toledo, was the guest of W. E. Allen's family Sunday.

John Britton and son, Will, made a business trip to Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Mrs. E. E. Hendershot returned the last of the week from her Ohio visit.

H. H. Temple now occupies the house lately vacated by Rev. Sipko Rederus.

Miss Bessie Barret, of Ridgeway, was calling on Britton friends Wednesday.

Ed Bachman is just now completing the third new barn for the Exelby boys.

J. L. Kishpaugh and family are pleasantly settled in a part of the DuBois house.

John Zeluff and wife and Will Britton returned from their Saginaw trip last Saturday.

J. D. Kinney, of Adrian took in 17,500 pounds of wool here last Friday. Fair for one day.

A. W. Curtiss has so far recovered from his late indisposion as to be in the store again.

The remaining veterans of Co. F. in this vicinity attended the reuninon last Saturday at Blissfield.

Bennie Beasley now rides a new Gendron wheel and his friends hardly know him he has grown so.

Fred Wood and wife, of Sand Creek, spent Saturday and Sunday with Andrew Wood's family.

All those having laundry work will please leave it with us no later than Thursday noon. LENARDSON BROS.

The Shaker Medicine Co. are here and are giving free entertainments nightly. They ore first-class and well attended.

M. Conway, track master for the C., J. & M. Ry. was inspecting the yards here Wednesday. He found everything O. K.

Mrs. W. J. Clark, while out bicycling a few days since, had the misfortune to sprain her knee, which has been quite painful.

Elmer Osgood accompanied his daughter, Myrtle, from Toledo Sunday. He returned the same day, leaving her to complete her visit.

You want to be careful how you approach John Wiggins. He hits straight from the shoulder if any one touches the pet on his left hand.

Miss Lulu Rappleye, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Cass Zeluff, left Wednesday for Dundee, where she has many close friends.

E. Hause and George Mead, of Tecumseh, visited our village Wednesday, the former showing his practical window stop and the latter his fence machine.

Ralph Kishpaugh arrived from Clinton the last of the week and will remain during the summer vacation. He began work in the Citizen office Tuesday.

Charles Britton, of Grand Ledge, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swick, of Milan, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoagland were the guests of O. B. Lenardson and wife last Thursday.

Rev. C. I. Deyo will preach on the following subjects at the Christian church next Sunday: Morning, "Seeing the Invisible God." Evening, "Heaven. What is it? Where is it?"

Next week Wednesday at the Christian church occurs the business meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society at 2 o'clock p. m. Supper will be served at the usual time under the direction of Mrs. Frank Gibson and her able committee.

Farmers, do not forget that we will bring you your binder twine whenever you want it, and can meet any competition. We carry 4 grades so can please you all.

LENARDSON BROS. & DUBOIS.

George Clark and Charles Gorham visited Detroit Tuesday and it is whispered around that they posed as delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention in session there. We don't blame the boys, we have been there ourselves.

The Children's Day exercises at the Christian church last Sunday were of the highest order. In the morning the pastor preached a sermon to children and in the evening the exercises consisted of recitations, reading and music. Claud Lowe proved himself a natural orator, and the Ladie's Quartet won many applaudits. Many were unable to gain admittance. The church was beautifully decorated.

Prof. M. B. Collins and wife, who have given us a prosperous school, move to Ypsilanti this week. The Prof. will enter the Normal school. They have made friends of all scholars and parents who wish them success wherever they go.

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10 bars Beacon soap—25 cents.
7 pounds bulk starch—25 cents.
1 pound Japan tea, good as others sell at 50 cents only 25c at Lenardson Bros.

LAKE RIDGE.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Geo. Bryant is very sick.

George East has a fountain on his farm east of the Ridge.

Rob. Eastlick spent Sunday with his brother Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis have returned from the west.

Vena Montinye and Lula Westfall went to Clinton Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Adams, of Detroit, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Harrington.

Miss Rose Pines, of Tecumseh, was a visitor in the Sabbath school last Sunday.

Lena Swick wheeled up from Milan Monday and was the guest of Mrs. Nett Hendershot.

Miss Anna Osborne, of Chicago, and W. H. Osborne, of Milwaukee, spent Sunday at home.

James Murphy, Josie Hand and Etta Miller attended commencement at Tecumseh last week Thursday night.

The W. C. T. U., of Macon, will hold its regular tea at the home of Mrs. Susan Burleson, Saturday of this week.

The Lake Ridge Sunday school will observe children's day Sunday evening, June 21. Rev. J. A. DeSpelder will address the children.

The social held at Chas. Hendershot's Wednesday was well attended, although the evening was cool the cream was all sold, and $5.60 added to the Sunday school treasury.

CONE.

Measles Here—Personal Mention.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

A number of children are sick with the measles.

Susie Reeves is visiting friends in Tecumseh.

Rev. Saigeon, of Lapeer, was in town Tuesday evening.

A flag was raised at the Caswell school house Friday.

Mrs. Viola Corbett entertained company from Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Tressie Caswell is spending a few days with friends at Wellsville.

Sherman Rice, of New Boston, is building a coal kiln for J. M. Auten.

Charlie Lockwood and Lewis Jackson, of Dundee, papered the church last week.

Rev. Crandall and wife, of Clio, were calling on old friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

There was a large attendance at the children's day exercises. The collection amounted to $5.

Frank Buck was home from Toledo over Sunday. His daughter, Goldie, returned with him Tuesday.

James Craig and wife and Charles Craig, of Toledo, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Craig.

Horace Logan has purchased the house formerly owned by Phillip Smith and moved his family there Tuesday.

Edith Dumphy closed a successful term of school in the Cone district last Friday. Her scholars presented her with a nice album as a token of friendship.

HOLLOWAY.

Children's Day Exercises a Success—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

S. E. Doty returned from Saginaw Saturday.

The social at A. D. Macham's was enjoyed by all present.

Frank Crabb closed his term of school in the Dibble Dist., Friday.

Rev. Austin and wife, of Milan, took dinner at C. Atwells's on Friday.

Mrs. Byron Begel, of Jackson, was calling on friends in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Jenkins, of Adrian, visited at the home of James Lane, last week.

Mrs. F. G. Florance and daughter returned from Bay City Friday evening.

Quite a number attended the Salvation Army meeting at Raisin Center on Sunday.

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The exercises Children's Day were well attended, and highly appreciated by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rector and daughter, of Tecumseh, visited Mrs. A. D. Macham last Sunday.

L. Dewey and wife, of Washington, D. C., visited at the home of J. L. Richard last week.

An eight pound boy came to the home Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Carpenter on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Bulah Atwell, of Palmyra, visited at Conrad Atwell's and Merrit Granger's last week.

Miss Addie Sherman closed a year's successful school work in the Schwab Dist. with a picnic, on Wednesday.

A. D. Macham enjoyed a visit last week from his father and mother and brother, Thomas and wife, of Deerfield.

Rev. Stead on Sunday administered the ordinance of baptism to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore.

S. R. Rogers, on Sunday morning gave an interesting report of his journey to Saratoga, and the proceedings of the Assembly. He visited many points of interest, among which were Mt. McGregor.

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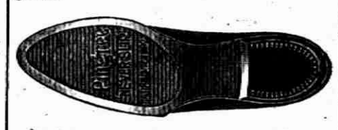

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We have many more letters to the same effect.

This preparation is in no way to be classed among the many worthless Patent Medicines of the day, being simply a Prescription used by Dr. F. French, of Hillsdale, for many years in his practice. It is offered to the public with the full assurance of its being the Best Medicine on Earth for the cure of Rheumatism in all its various forms. Affections of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys, Scrofula-Eruptions, and Cutaneous Diseases, Female Weakness, and all complaints arising from an Impure Condition of the Blood.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 19, 1896.

The village owns a fine lot on which is built the stand pipe, and with the beautiful trees and well kept carpet of grass, presents in summer, a beautiful park like appearance. It seems a pity that the entire beauty of the spot should be marred by the building in the middle of the Chicago street front, an ugly looking circus bill-board. The business eye of the circus man was all right, but the city fathers who gave permission were short sighted indeed. If no permission was given the thing should be taken down at once.

"And may God save the country." Shouted Senator Hill when it was announced that the senate had passed the Butler Bond bill. This bill took away from the President the right to issue bonds for any purpose without the consent of Congress. Of course the bill never could become a law as, even if the house had acquiesced, the presidential veto would have settled it; but had this power been entirely vested in the last Congress, the finances of the country might have been in the bottom of the Red Sea before anything could have been accomplished. The last Senate has not only refused to enact any useful legislation but with pure maliciousness seems to be proud of attempts to do the country and people absolute damage.

Nearly every one has been reading of the "Filled Cheese" bill recently passed by Congress. It is practically as follows: The "filled cheese" act defines "filled cheese" to embrace "all substances made of milk or skimmed milk the admixture of butter, animal oils or fats, vegetable or any other oils, or compounds foreign to such milk, and made in imitation or semblance of cheese." Manufacturers of filled cheese are taxed $400 annually; wholesale dealers, $250; retail dealers, $12. In addition to these taxes the product itself is taxed 1 cent per pound and imported filled cheese is taxed 8 cents per pound in addition to the import duty. This is one of the most important bills in the interest of the dairy business ever passed by Congress. Whether it will entirely stop the manufacture of filled cheese is a question but one thing certain if the consumer wishes filled cheese he will buy it knowing what he is buying. Let the stuff be sold on its mer its

The nomination of Wm. McKinley by the Republicans by a more unanimous declaration than was ever given any other nominee since the tine of Lincoln, was brought about by two causes. First. The political organization of Mark Hanna is the most perfect known to civilization. For over two years he, and trusted lieutenants, have worked, and planned, and organized for the nomination of McKinley, and good business judgment has for once overcome all methods of the machine politician. Second. The majority of the people in all parties desire that the country should raise sufficient revenue to pay it normal expenses, and think, in want of better theory, that a return to the McKinley idea of a high tariff will produce this result and bring back "better times." It is no use denying the fact, even the farmers of all parties feel this way. The American Agriculturist, a non-partisan newspaper which has a general circulation all over the United States on request of the views of their subscribers as to whether the protection policy of the McKinley bill shauld be endorsed, received 4,168 answers yes, and 1,672 no. The people demand a resume of prosperity. This country has the climate, the soil, the same natural conditions it always enjoyed. The people, both capitalist and laborer have the same disposition to do business and to work, still the wheels stand idle. The Herald does not agree with McKinley in his idea of extreme high tariff, but does think that a country should be run the same as a private business, viz: to provide revenue enough to pay its expenses, and the Herald, as an independent newspaper, cannot help but see that whether the policy be right or wrong, the Republicans, rank and file, demanded the nomination of McKinley at their convention, and the people of all parties will vote for and elect him next November.

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The 7th Reunion of Co. F 26th Michigan Inf.—A Pleasant Meeting at Blissfield.

Ever since the surviving members of old Co. F, 26th Michigan Inf., met at Jehiel Davidson's seven years ago and decided to hold annual reunions thereafter, they have looked forward to their reunion as the most interesting event of the year. And well may they regard the day with a deep interest. For it brings together the old comrades of the war and renews and strengthens those strong bonds of friendship that were formed when they marched side by side in the stirring days of war. It awakens emotions of pleasure as they grasp each other's hands once more, and of sorrow as they recall their comrades gone before. To the boys of Co. F therefore each recurring 13th day of June is a memorable one.

The meeting this year was held at the hospitable home of Frank Sperry, in Blissfield. It is unnecessary to say to any one who has ever experienced Mr. Sperry's whole souled hospitality, and that of his fellow villagers, that everything was done which kindness could suggest to make the occasion an enjoyable one. The house and grounds were profusely adorned with national flags and bunting and other ornamentations that gave a decidedly bright and patriotic appearance to the whole premises. The reunion was held on the lawn west of the house under the shade of the evergreen trees and as the weather was perfect nothing was lacking to make the surroundings delightful.

Twenty-six members fell in line for roll call and Sergeant Jehiel Davidson called the long muster roll of the company, the following answered to their names:

Jehiel Davidson, Tecumseh; John H. Dunbar, Deerfield; Jared Ward, Whiteford; Norman Ackley, Britton; Henry Ball, Dundee; Harley Decker, Adrian; Philemon Brewer, Dundee; Michael Biggs, Genoa; James Ebbitt, Hudson; John Exelby, Britton; Chas. F. Howes, Adrian; Lyman Hause, Britton; Marquis Hadley, Whiteford; John Osterhout, Britton; J. K. Quick, Bridgewater; Henry Reynolds, Britton; Wm. Smalldge, Tecumseh; Frank Sperry, Blissfield; Richard Tappin, Deerfield; Joseph Thackery, Britton; Charles Willes, Dundee; John Britton, Britton; Chester Linn, Britton; James Crane, Blissfield; Palmer Hamilton, Elkhart, Ind.; C. W. Haynes, Ypsilanti.

The next command was given by Comrade Sperry, it was: "Get your ladies and come to dinner." Besides the old soldiers there were present a large number of people, consisting of soldiers wives, families and friends, and when dinner was announced the long array of tables under the trees were quickly filled it is hardly necessary to add that the dinner was an excellent one, to which the hungry assemblage did ample justice. The following program was listened to with great interest.

PROGRAM.

Singing—America.
Prayer—Rev. Mr. Davis.
Singing—Choir.
Address—Dr. E. Edger.
Song—Comrade French.
History—Richard Tappin.
Singing—Choir.
Remarks—Rev. Mr. Davis.
Song—Comrade French.
Report—Secretary.
Report—Treasurer.
Singing—Choir.

Mrs. J. Davidson presented and read resolutions commemorating Mrs. A. W. Harding, Anna Harding, Mrs. Henry Reynolds, Mrs. Archie Hamilton and Scovel C. Stacy. Mr. Stacy was not a member of the Co. but had attended every reunion and his good humor and ready wit and presence will always be missed.

The business meeting was then held. Secretary Crane read his report, which was adopted. Treasurer reported balance on hand, $1.75. It was voted to hold the next reunion at Philemon Brewer's, June 11, 1897. The following officers were elected:

Pres.—Philemon Brewer.
Sec.—J. K. Crane.
Treas.—N. H. Ackley.
Historian—R. Tappin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sperry are to be congratulated on the success which attended their efforts in behalf of the old soldier boys, of Co. F, and may well look back upon the occasion as one of the red letter days of their lives.

"I am an old soldier of the Rebellion. A year ago I was in bed all winter with chronic rheumatism. Three doctors failed to give me relief. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters put me on my feet. It is worth its weight in gold." W. B. Knapp, Litchfield, Hillsdale Co., Mich. 1w

Very Low Rates to Buffalo, N. Y.

Very low rates to Buffalo, N. Y., and return, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, July 5 and 6. Tickets good until September 1 for return. 2

"Little Pete," the notorious Chinese crook, of San Francisco, Cal., is accused of flooding the Pacific Coast with counterfeit coins.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Alumni Reunion.

The annual banquet and reunion of the alumni association was celebrated at the Lilley House last Friday evening, June 12, and the following program carried out:—

PROGRAM.

Music, selected—Jackson Mandolin Club.
Prayer—Rev. B. S. Hudson.
Address of welcome to class of '96—Pres. C. A. Slayton.
Response—Pres. of Class, Frank Keeney.
Music—Orchestra.
Report of officers and business.
Oration, "The University compared with the Public Schools"—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons. Read by Dr. North.
Music—Orchestra.
History—Abner Wilson.
Music—Orchestra.

TOASTS.

Sumner Collins, Toastmaster.
The Youngest Alumnus—Charles Hurry.
The Relations of the High School to the University—Fred. B. Wood.
The Relation of the Pulpit and Parent to the Teacher—C. F. Field.
The Alumnus in Journalism—S. S. Walker.
The Alumnus in the Legal Profession—Walter Burridge.
The Ladies—Geo. N. Stacy.

The alumni reunions of Tecumseh are always a success for in them all seem interested. No one in our town is called upon to assist but he does so with willingness to the best of his ability.

The credit of the success of the reunion of '96 can be given to the faithful and painstaking efforts of Chas. A. Slayton, president, Walter Burridge, chairman of the executive committee, and Sumner Collins, toastmaster, and in numbers in attendance, variety and quality of entertainment and interest to the guests this may be considered one of the best of the Tecumseh alumni meetings.

The number at the banquet was 91 and the spread furnished by C. F. Patterson was ample, tasty and served beautifully. The dining room of the Lilley house is well adopted for the use of a gathering of this kind and the association was fortunate indeed to leave the matter of banquet to those who so well understood it.

Those who attended heard and were pleased, hence no use for the newspaper man to particularize. Those who were not present care not else they would have been there, so particulars of solid essays and bright sayings will not be printed. Let all come next year and learn and enjoy.

OFFICERS FOR 1897.

President—Abner Wilson.
1st Vice Pres.—Maggie Haire.
2nd Vice Pres.—Minnie Russell.
Secy.—Edith Ingersoll.
Treas.—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Orator—Garland Gillespie.
Alternate—Clarence Hurry.
Poet—Mrs. C. A. Wright.
Alternate—A. O. Howard.
Historian—Loana M. Davidson.
Alternate—Anna May Bailey.
Toastmaster—L. G. North.
Alternate—F. B. Wood.
Executive Committee—R. S. Moore, Lavern Smith, L. P. Tribou.

After the adjournment of the banquet all who desired enjoyed dancing at the armory.

Among those present from out of town were: Miss Gertrude Haynes and Miss Rawson, of Dundee; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bowerfind, the Misses Jones, Miss Lizzie Clark and Messrs Geo. Jones and Otis Peavey, of Adrian; Guy Davidson and Miss Thompson, of Detroit.

Some people are constantly troubled with pimples and boils, especially about the face and neck. The best remedy is a through course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels all humors through the proper channels, and so makes the skin become soft, healthy and fair. 1w

National Educational Association

Meeting at Buffalo, N. Y., July 7-11. Tickets at very low rates over the Lake Shore Railway, July 5 and 6. This is the best line. Has the most trains and fastest. Tickets good until September 1 returning. 2

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Neatest Outline,

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It cannot break at the Side or Waist
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Nice All Wool Suits $7, $8 and $10.

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No trouble to show goods.

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Not A Car Load

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Mobbs & Co.'s.

We will surprise you on prices.

The 4th of July

will soon be here. Although we do not celebrate, you will want to go where they do, and you will want to go dressed in the latest style. If you want the very latest in

Dress Goods,
Sun Umbrellas and Parasols,
Ribbons, Velvets, Silks, Laces,
Shirt Waists or Ladies and
Gents Furnishings
in all the Latest Styles.

If you want the Latest and Best Makes in Shoes, Walking Shoes, Slippers, Bicycle Shoes, Leggins, etc., come and see us and save money.

Respectfully,

Harris & Hitesman.

Bidwell's Block, Tecumseh, Mich.

Groceries Cheap.

I have recently purchased the

Kennedy & Mize Stock of Groceries at a Big Discount.

They have been in business only a short time, so the goods are all first-class. I have put these goods in

With My Already Large Stock. This Enables Me to Make Prices Below Any of My Competitors.

If K. & M. customers wish the same goods they have been getting from them, please call on me. I will sell you for less money than you have been paying, and give you same brands of goods as long as they last. I have not room to quote prices, but will say that

Prices are Right and Goods First-Classs and Warranted.

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Stock must be reduced within next sixty days. Price will do it.

We pay the freight on $10 worth.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 19, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE OR RENT My Sand Lake cottage, one of the most desirable as to location and equipment, at this popular resort. Mrs. C. M. DeWolf.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Great races at the matinee tomorrow afternoon.

S. V. Miller, of Detroit, was a Tecumseh visitor Thursday.

Sumner Collins was out of town Wednesday on legal business.

Miss Jessie Bangs is the guest of Adrian friends this week.

Ed Kirchgessner and George Tiffany will spend Sundsy in Toledo.

W. H. Palmer has moved to the residence first west of P. J. Welling's.

John Cook's condition is very critical with but little hopes for improvement.

Ruthella Rainey, of Holloway, is visiting her cousin, Miss Eva Elliott this week.

Mrs. Bigelow and Mrs. Paul, of Dundee, were the guests of Miss Mary McKee last Saturday.

Our society young people have a hop at the Armory tonight. Prof. Mause will furnish the music.

Henry McClure was in Detroit yesterday and saw the Detroit-Indianapolis game at Bennett Park.

Mrs. Jno. F. Hicks gave a delightful reception yesterday afternoon to the members of St. Peter's Guild.

Edwin Powell, of Adrian, a Tecumseh resident of many years ago visited friends and acquaintances here Monday.

Mrs. John Fenwick, of Holly, Mich., who has been visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Train's, for the last two weeks, returns home this afternoon.

Mrs. Richard McConnell, who has been visiting among her friends in Tecumseh for a few weeks, will return to her home at Hurley, Wis., today.

The LaBesta Mfg. Co. are filling a large order for their LaBesta washing powder and are running over time in order to let their help attend the bicycle races Derby Day.

At the Methodist church next Sunday morning, Rev. J. P. Varner will preach to the aged people. In the evening he will have for his subject:—"Christian Citizenship."

The friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Spencer, of Clinton, will be pleased to know that last Tuesday morning an 8 lb. son was born to them. Congratulations are in order.

E. F. Kirchgessner went over to Detroit Saturday last and returned Monday. Sunday he took a boat ride to Port Huron and back. He had only 30 minutes in that pleasant city.

Cleo Hall wears a disgusted look. For several nights and mornings he has struggled diligently with the weeds on the roadside in front of the Chicago street home. Next day after the job was completed along came Street Commissioner Hyde with his street jack knife and cleaned up the entire street. Still Cleo has the experience.

A few weeks since the Herald perfected arrangements with Claude VanTyne to publish his European letters this season. He looked innocent enough at that time and no doubt was. Today Miss Belle Joslyn, of Chesaning will become Mrs. Claude VanTyne. Best wishes to the happy couple and the Herald will now look for "double-headed" letters.

During the meeting of the Baptist Association here, some lady from Adrian was followed home by a valuable hunting dog. Will the party who left word at this office, kindly call again and give the name of the Adrian lady.

Great stories have been circulating around, about the destroying work of a grasshopper down in Macon. Richard Clarkson says the pests are very thick, that they eat up the gardens but so far have done no particular damage to wheat, eating only the leaves. He thinks they will not go any farther this way.

Subjects for next Sunday at the Universalist church. Morning: "The Polydon," Evening: "Behold the fowls of the air; for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them." Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30.

Ava Spayde is not particularly struck with the trade in Tecumseh this season but says he has no real cause for complaint as last week's trade was the best of the summer. But Tecumseh depends on the trade of the farming community and the lack of wool to sell and the market here to buy makes much difference in summer trade.

The secret of success in a retail store and particularly in the dry goods business is to purchase the variety and quality of goods peculiarly adapted to the trade. Harris & Hiteshu purchase only the latest novelties in their lines and aim to please their trade in selection and price. An inspection of their new summer novelties will please you whether you desire to purchase or not.

Wm. Cupples and James Elliott Lowry commenced a friendly discussion relating to a point of law, in Geo. Heesen's store, Wednesday. As the discussion waxed warmer the "Point" seemed to grow farther away, till finally Lowry, to more forcibly emphasize his argument, knocked Mr. Cupples over the head with a chair. Dr. Catlin repaired the physical damage, but the end is not yet.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

John H. Osborne is at home this week.

Regular meeting of the Blue Lodge tonight.

Mrs. Jas. Elliott is spending the week at Homer.

Miss Jessie Bangs visited in Adrian this week.

Another grand matinee at Bill's driving park tomorrow.

John Freeman chased the fish at Evan's Lake Wednesday.

Mrs. Bickley left Wednesday for a visit with Toledo friends.

Someone said there had been sufficient rain fall to last some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McClure were Sand Lake visitors Sunday.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner is spending the week with Toledo friends.

Charles Avery and wife, of Jackson, were guests at J. J. Orr's Sunday.

Landlord Teachout is improving the Central House by electric lights.

A new cement walk is now being laid in front of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Coder, of Norvell, visited Mrs. Coder's people over Sunday.

DeGarmo Dewey, D. D. S., of Washington, Iowa, is visiting relatives here.

James Ingersoll and family were at Slayton's cottage, Sand Lake for an outing.

Mrs. Alva Spayde was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Armstrong of Adrian Wednesday.

The Presbyterian society are having cement sidewalks laid in front of the church.

Rev. P. J. Ternes and Peter Ryan, of Marine City, called on friends here Tuesday.

Dr. E. M. Conkling, of Manchester, was in town Tuesday on professional business.

Fred Stout, a cousin of Mrs. Vet Erskine, visited here Friday and Saturday of last week.

Will T. Eckles and Chas. Clark, of Clinton, were with the others at Sand Lake Sunday.

Lessons given on the mandolin or guitar. For terms enquire of Miss Louise Phelps. 1913

Guy Davidson, of Detroit, was home to attend Tecumseh commencement and alumni reunion.

Walter Burridge officiated as "best man" at the Johnson-Lowell wedding at Adrian Tuesday.

Edwin J. Haines started for Northern Ohio, in the interests of G. W. Mead's fence machines, last Saturday.

Regular meeting of the chapter R. A. M. next Wednesday evening and of the Eastern Star Thursday evening.

Roy Burlingame was at Sand Lake Sunday, but he prefers the water trough to the lake proper for bathing purposes.

For Sale Cheap—A good barn. For particulars inquire at the Herald office.

Prominent cycling men from Toledo and Detroit have consented to act as judges and referees on the day of the races.

Mrs. Addie Holmes, who has been visiting Miss Harriett Whittier for several days, departed for Elgin Tuesday morning.

John L. Anderson, John Orr, Harlow Smith, Levi Hayden and Harry McClure visited Ypsilanti Friday and took in the bicycle race.

Lucius Lilley went to Detroit Monday morning to attend a meeting of the Executive Council of the Michigan Banker's Association.

Mrs. Chas. McNeil and daughter, Jennie, went to Rea Wednesday. The former for a few days visit. Jennie will remain several weeks.

Insure your property against cyclones and wind storms of all kinds. Alfred James is offering reduced rates on this class of insurance. Call and see him.

The usual June gathering of the Clinton Baptist Social, will be held at Mrs. J. Watson's next Tuesday afternoon, June 23. All are cordially invited.

The hay crop this summer will be sufficiently ample to preclude the possibility of having to feed straw to your horses next winter. Share a little of this prosperity with we Tecumsehites at the Bicycle Derby.

When the pistol doth sound,
And the wheels go round,
Just keep your eye on the gun,
For the pace is hot
And they may "upset",
And break their necks at the turn.

Adrian was base ball crazy last year and, we believe, only one carriage from the county seat cast its shadow on our track. Now that the base ball runners are non est we hope the inhabitants of the metropolis will come over and join in one day of good sport.

Mrs. Spaulding, of Shawnee, Oklahoma., is visiting her son W. H. Spaulding for several weeks. The Herald is indepted to her for a copy of the Shawnee Quill, which contains a write up of the new city and shows remarkable enterprise in so new a locality.

Pingree & Smith, the Detroit shoe manufacturers, have just received the bronze medal and diploma awarded them as highest premium for their exhibit of shoes at the World's Columbian Exposition. This is the only shoe manufacturing firm in Michigan to be so honored. Their exhibit was one of the finest in the Shoe and Leather Building.

B. L. Baxter left Monday to attend the funeral of ex-Gov. Alpheus Felch at Ann Arbor, on Tuesday. He will remain at Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti until after Pres. Angell's reception the 24th, and the University Commencement on 25th, returning by the way of Toledo to visit his daughter, Mrs. James Winans. Mr. Baxter expects to be gone about two weeks.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Remember the matinee tomorrow afternoon.

Lots of fun at the matinee tomorrow afternoon.

Albert Brewer left Wednesday for Middletown, N. Y.

Delos LeBaron was in town between two trains yesterday.

Mrs. Lamonte Bidwell, of Detroit, is visiting in Tecumseh.

Mrs. R. B. House, of Springfield, O., is visiting her brother, Jas. A. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamb, of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday at Philip Kehoe's.

P. S. McKinnon is attending the International S. S. Convention at Boston.

Miss May Ross, of Onsted, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Etta Thorpe.

Home Seeker's Excursions, June 16 and 23, via Ohio Central Lines. 2

Levi Hayden attended the bicycle meet at Ypsilanti Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Ellsworth Cairns has returned from a visit at different points in the state.

Lyster Dewey returned to Washington, D. C., Wednesday over the Lake Shore.

Mrs. Stephen Galloway, of Raisin, sick for the past week, is now reported better.

Miss Mabel Wiley, of the public schools, will spend her vacation at her home in Brighton, Mich.

Treasurer Frank Avery has the village tax books and already several persons have paid their taxes.

Miss Carrie Millspaugh has been this week enjoying a visit from her brother Will, of Branchport, N. Y.

More good horses will be in attendance at the matinee tomorrow afternoon than at any previous one.

Mrs. H. S. Waring and son are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rogers, of Cambridge.

Miss Harding returned to her home in Hillsdale Friday. She will not return to Tecumseh schools next year.

It is reported that Sam McClure, salesman for Clark Mason & Co., was badly frightened while driving from the lake Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Blood returned to Toledo yesterday after making her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyde, a visit of several days.

Wesley Bordine, Prof. I. D. Loree, Bert Garlinghouse and Ed Bliven, of Blissfield, tried to catch fish at Sand Lake Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher went to Ann Arbor yesterday to attend the U. of M. commencement. She will be the guest of Mrs. Judge Cheever.

Chauncy Vedder and family and Frank Avery and family journeyed westward Sunday, it is said that they did not reach the lakes.

I will be at The Lilley State Bank every Friday in July, for the purpose of receiving corporation taxes.
F. D. AVERY, Village Treasurer.

The Lake Shore special containing officers of the road and friends to attend the funeral of A. G. Amsden, of Manchester, passed through here Sunday.

Frank Bryan brought to this office a "hunk" of cheese sufficient to feed the entire force for a week. It was the product of the Tecumseh cheese factory and the quality was first rate.

Miss Hattie Widney, of Adrian, will not return to the public schools here another year, having been engaged as assistant training school teacher in Adrian. A deserved advancement.

The Page Fence Giants vs. Grand Rapids nine of the Western League at Lawrence Park, Adrian, July 1 and 2. This promises to be the base ball event for Lenawee Co., of the season. Games called at 3 o'clock.

The platform adopted by the Republican National Convention at St. Louis is printed in full on the 8th page and a full report of the convention with a picture of Wm. McKinley, the nominee, on the first page of this paper. The subscribers of the Herald who do not take daily papers can always depend on receiving not only the latest, but all, the news of the week in the Old Reliable.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart can 10c.

Half-rates to Washington, D. C., and return, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, July 4, 5, 6, and 7. 2

The bite of a spider dangerously poisoned Angus C. McKay, a contractor, at Waterbury, Conn.

Five tramps were run over and two of them fatally hurt by a train at New Haven, Conn. One gave the name of Charles J. Albaugh, of Meadville, Pa.

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PRICE'S
CREAM
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POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

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—FARMERS.—

—Can find some great bargains in 2nd hand mowers and Binders at C. A. Slayton's.

—Thomas tedders are the best made. Sold at cost. KINHPAUGH at Britton.

Fourth July Excursion.

July 3 and 4 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to points on its line within 200 miles from selling station, good returning until July 6. 2

—See that "Westminister" bicycle for forty dollars in cash, at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Those new white dinner sets at Tansley's are selling fast, the low prices make it.

—The best grades of Hard Coal, Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, at bottom prices. C. A. SLAYTON.

Cycling Record Book.

Contains speed records of amateurs and professionals, paced and unpaced; table of gears; L. A. W. rules, racing and road record rules, and other interesting points. Send 4 cents in postage for copy to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway, Cleveland, Ohio. 2

—For binder twine call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—BINDING TWINE.—

—The best is the cheapest and Plymouth is the best. See it at C. A. Slayton's.

St. Louis, Mo., and Return at Half Rates.

June 12, 13, 14 and 15 the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway will sell tickets to St. Louis and return at very low rates. Tickets good for round trip.

—Crockery, china and glassware always new, always the best and cheapest at Tansley's.

—An elegant line of hammocks at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—When you want something good and useful for a present see what Tansley has got.

—House and wind will pumps, gas pipes, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Furnace work, eaves-troughing and roofing at Satterthwaite Bros.

Half Rate Excursions to Washington D. C.

On July 4, 5, 6 and 7, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., and return at one fare for the round trip. Good for return until July 31. 2

—All frames ordered at Jas. Montague's novelty store are now completed and it will be an accommodation for us to have them called for as soon as convenient. P. B. SUTFIN.

Low Rates for July 4th

Over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway, tickets being sold July 3 and 4 to points within 200 miles of selling station, good returning until July 6. 2

—See those Torrey razors, Northfield pocket knives and "Keenkutter" scissors and shears at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Everything in the line of fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros'.

Excursions to Buffalo, N. Y.

On July 5 and 6 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets to Buffalo and return at half rates, plus $3.00, account N. E. A. membership fee. Only double-track route to Buffalo. 2

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

Y. P. S. C. E. Excursions

To Washington, D. C., July 4, 5, 6 and 7, at half-rates, over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway. Tickets good for return until July 31. Ask ticket agents.

—New laces, new underwear, new wash goods, latest style shirt waists, just received at Harris & Hiteshu's.

—Bicycle sundries and repairs at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Steel forks hay cars, ropes, pulleys, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

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Made in white, drab and black. Sold by all dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price, $1.25.
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Good
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Give satisfactory results. Poor extracts spoil your cake. We have a full line of
Seely's Celebrated Extracts
—in bulk, viz:—
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Banana, Rose, Almond,
Strawberry, Pine Apple, Pistacheo, etc.
ANDERSON BROS.
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We Sell the Leaders
and Lead The Sellers
In our Clothing Department. We have a big line of Men's and Boys' Suits of the Latest Patterns, nicely made up and lined with the best linings, that will suit the most exacting in fit and style, and at Rock Bottom Prices.
WASHABLE SUITS
for children. A big line 3 to 10 years.
A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists.
Former Price 25c. To close 15c.
Yours for trade,
ALVA SPAYDE.

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Are those people going?
They are going to
AVERY & CO.'S
To get a Bag of Salt
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NEW PROCESS, BLUE FLAME
OIL STOVE.
A Coal Oil Stove that gives a Powerful Blue Flame and operates without smoke or odor. It gives you all the desirable features of a gasoline stove with
One Third
less fuel. It is the perfected "Ideal" summer stove.
SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

TELLER IS OUT.

Silver Leader Is Defeated and Declares His Withdrawal.

Solemn Scene in Committee Room—Platform Substantially as Adopted by Full Committee.

St. Louis, June 17.—It was 10:30 when Chairman Foraker called the full committee on resolutions together.

The platform was read by paragraphs, the agreement being that each paragraph should be voted upon separately. The preamble was objected to, and the phraseology was ordered to be changed so that the wording of the paragraph should be less obscure.

Mr. Teller, of Colorado, then arose and stated that he had prepared a minority report on the financial plank which he would present when that subject was reached. The remainder of the platform was, he added, entirely satisfactory to him.

A Pathetic Scene.

There was a pathetic scene in the committee room when the financial plank was reached and Senator Teller, of Colorado, presented his minority report. It took the form of a substitute and declared in general terms for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of sixteen to one.

Teller's Substitute Defeated.

The test vote of the committee on platform was taken on Teller's free coinage substitute. It was defeated by 41 to 10, the silver votes being from the states of Colorado, California, Utah, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Nevada and North Carolina and the territories of Arizona and New Mexico.

Minority's Silver Planks.

The minority report of the resolutions committee took issue squarely on the sixteen to one silver issue. It sets forth as follows:

"The republican party favors the use of both gold and silver as equal standard money, and pledges its power to secure the free, unrestricted and independent coinage of gold and silver at our mints at the ratio of sixteen parts of silver to one of gold."

When this was voted down, Mr. Teller offered the following, proposed by Senator Cannon, and intended to combine silver and protection:

"Whereas, The basis of the great doctrine of protection is to give constancy of employment and good wages to the toilers; and upon this basis the great men of the party have stood and the party's victories have been achieved: and

"Whereas, The effect of the single gold standard in this country is to make employment insecure and to decrease the wages of toilers by decreasing the prices of human production; and

"Whereas, Since the single gold standard and protection are irreconcilable, it follows that a party cannot reasonably declare for both and attempt to achieve the purpose of both: and if the republican party shall devote itself to the single gold standard it will be led to the fatal policy which commends the Americans to buy where they can buy the cheapest: and,

"Whereas, If the republican party is to still continue as the advocate and exponent of protection to the American people it must logically oppose the single gold standard policy now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the republican party, in national convention assembled, holding to the great truth that its highest mission is to advance the interests of the toilers of the United States, reaffirms the doctrine of protection to American industries and resolves to use all its power to achieve bimetallism, being the free, unrestricted and independent coinage of silver at our mints as they were coming previous to 1878."

IN THE HOTEL LOBBY.

THE PLATFORM.

Text of the Resolutions as Substantially Agreed To.

"The republicans of the United States assembled by their representatives in national convention, appealing for the popular and historical justification of their claim to the bitter fruits of four years of democratic control, as well as the matchless achievements of 30 years of republican rule, earnestly and confidently address themselves to the awakened intelligence, experience and conscience of their countrymen in the following declaration of facts and principles:

Consequences of Democratic Rule.

"For the first time since the civil war the American people have now witnessed the calamitous consequences of full and unrestricted democratic control of the government. It has been a record of unparalleled incapacity, dishonor and disaster. In the administrative management it has ruthlessly sacrificed indispensable revenue, eked out ordinary current running expenses with borrowed money, piled up the public debt $262,000,000 in time of peace, forced an adverse balance of trade, kept a perpetual menace hanging over the redemption fund, pawned American credit to alien syndicates and reversed all the measures and results of successful republican rule. In the broad effect of its policy it has precipitated panic, blighted industry and trade with prolonged depression, closed factories, reduced work and wages, halted enterprise and crippled American production while stimulating foreign production for the American market. Every consideration of public safety and individual interest demands that the government shall be rescued from the hands of those who have shown themselves incapable of conducting it without disaster at home and dishonor abroad and shall be restored to the party which for 30 years administered it with unequal success and prosperity.

Policy of Protection.

"We renew and emphasize our allegiance to the policy of protection as the bulwark of American industrial independence and the foundation of American development and prosperity. This true American policy taxes foreign products and encourages home industry; it puts the burden of revenue on foreign goods; it secures the American market for the American producer; it upholds the American standard of wages for the American workingman; it puts the factory by the side of the farm, and makes the American farmer less dependent on foreign demand and prices; it diffuses general thrift and founds the strength of all on the strength of each. In its responsible application it is just, fair and impartial, equally opposed to foreign control and domestic monopoly, to sectional discrimination and individual favoritism.

Democratic Tariff Denounced.

"We denounce the present democratic tariff as sectional, partisan and one-sided, and disastrous to the treasury and destructive of business enterprise, and we demand such equitable tariff on foreign imports which come into competition with American products as will not only furnish adequate revenue for the necessary expenses of the government, but will protect the American labor from degradation and the wage level of other lands. We are not pledged to any particular schedule. The question of rates is a practical question, to be governed by the conditions of the time and of production. The ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry. The country wants a right settlement and then it wants rest.

Pledges Renewed.

"The republican party renews its pledge for the protection of all American industries against foreign competition, and declares its faith that the supremacy of the United States among the nations is the result of such a policy. We believe in liberal reciprocity and just retaliation, and demand the application of the golden rule of commerce to all future legislation affecting the tariff and foreign trade.

Demand for Reciprocity.

"We believe the repeal of the reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations, remove the restrictions that now obstruct the sale of American products in the ports of other countries and secure enlarged markets for the products of our farms, forests and factories.

Twin Measures.

"Protection and reciprocity are twin measures of republican policy and go hand in hand. Democratic rule has recklessly struck down both, and both must be reestablished. Protection for what we produce; free admission for the necessaries of life which we do not produce; reciprocal agreements of mutual interest which gain open markets for us in return for our open markets to others. Protection builds up domestic indstry and trade, and secures our own market for ourselves; reciprocity builds up foreign trade and finds an outlet for our surplus.

Present Administration Condemned.

"We condemn the present administration for not keeping faith with the sugar producers of this country; the republican party favors such protection as will lead to the production upon American soil of all sugar which the American people use, and for which they pay to the other countries more than $100,000,000 annually.

"To all our products, to those of the mine and the field, as well as those of the shop and the factory, to wool, the products of the great industry of sheep husbandry, as well as to the finished woolens of the mill, we promise the most ample protection.

Cuban Resolution.

"The government of Spain, having lost control of Cuba, and being unable to protect the property or lives of resident American citizens there, or to comply with its treaty obligations, we demand that the armed force of the United States shall be promptly interposed to restore peace in the island. We hold it to be necessary to our national peace and prosperity that the people of Cuba shall achieve political independence, and we pledge to them our sympathy in their noble struggle against the corrupt and barbarous Spanish monarchy.

The Financial Plank.

"The republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payment in 1879; since then every dollar has been as good as gold.

"We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are therefore opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such an agreement can be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper currency now in circulation must be maintained at parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the obligations of the United States and all our money, either coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth."

CONVENTION HALL.

DELAY TACTICS.

Republican Convention Accomplishes Little on Second Day.

Thurston Made Permanent Chairman —His Speech in Full—The Afternoon Session.

Convention Hall, St. Louis, June 17.—The early morning hours of the second day of the convention were cloudy and drizzly, and threatened a rather disagreeable, rainy condition of the weather, but just before the hour fixed for the meeting—ten a. m., the clouds began to disperse, and there was every appearance of sultry weather.

PERMANENT CHAIRMAN JOHN M. THURSTON.

By ten o'clock hardly half the delegates were present, but they kept pouring in all the time, while the band discoursed popular airs. In the meantime the galleries were being filled up, and when at last Mr. Fairbanks called the convention to order there were few seats unoccupied either in the galleries or in the sections assigned to delegates and alternates.

Seats of Delegates Changed.

Since Tuesday's adjournment the arrangement of the floor has undergone a change—the positions of the several states having been shifted, and in a way far from satisfactory to the reporters, because, instead of having Senators Teller, of Colorado; Lodge, of Massachusetts; Chauncey M. Depew and Thomas C. Platt, of New York, between whom much of the discussion is anticipated, in close proximity to each other and to the reporters, they have been removed to remote quarters back of the hall, where they can neither be seen nor heard from the platform seats.

The California delegates occupied one of the first four rows in the right hand section from the platform and were conspicuous by each of them wearing on his left shoulder a plume of red, white and blue cock's feathers, which had been adopted by the republicans of that state four years ago as a Blaine badge, and is still worn by them.

Delay in Calling Convention to Order.

The convention was called to order at 10:45, three quarters of an hour behind time, when prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. William G. Williams.

"The senator from Massachusetts," said the chairman, and Mr. Lodge rose amid applause and said: "I desire to say, in behalf of the committee on resolutions, that the sub-committee has completed a draft of a platform and that it is now under consideration by the full committee. The committee is unable to report this morning and asks leave of the convention to sit during this morning's session, hoping to be able to report a platform of principles to the afternoon convention, and on behalf of the committee I ask that leave of the convention."

Leave was unanimously granted.

The committee on credentials was called upon for report, but was not ready. Neither was the committee on permanent organization.

Mr. Wellington, of Maryland, asked unanimous consent that the committee on rules be allowed to report at this time. This was refused.

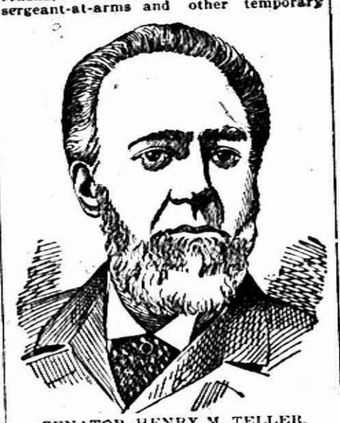
A motion for a recess till two o'clock in the afternoon was made by Mr. Wellington, and was voted down, to the satisfaction of the galleries—as indicated by cheers.

A motion that the report of the committee on permanent organization be accepted was made by Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, and was agreed to amid applause.

Permanent Organization Effected.

The report of the committee on permanent organization was then presented and read.

It named Senator J. M. Thurston, of Nebraska, as chairman, made the secretaries, sergeant-at-arms and other temporary



SENATOR HENRY M. TELLER.

officers permanent officers of the convention, and gave a list of vice presidents one from each state, as agreed on by the delegation.

The reading of the list of vice presidents was interrupted by applause as popular names were reached.

Mr. Mudd, of Maryland, made the point of order that although the convention might receive the report of the committee on permanent organization, it could not act upon it until the report of the committee on credentials had been acted upon. There was no convention here, now, he said.

The chairman overruled the point of order and promptly put the question on the adoption of the report of the committee on permanent organization. Whilst a rising vote was being taken Mr. Mudd made another point of order that the roll of states must be called according to the rules. "There is no convention now," he said, "until we have a permanent organization."

Disregarding the point, the chairman said:

"Those opposed will rise," and declared that the ayes had it, and that the report of the committee on permanent organization was adopted.

The chair appointed Senator Sewall, of New Jersey, and Representative Serene Hayne, of New York, to conduct Senator Thurston to the chair.

Chairman Thurston's Address.

Senator Thurston took the chair amid tumultuous applause and addressed the convention. He said:

"Gentlemen of the Convention: The happy memory of your kindness and confidence will abide in my grateful heart forever. My sole ambition is to meet your expectations, and I pledge myself to exercise the important powers of this high office with absolute justice and impartiality, I bespeak your cordial cooperation and support to the end that our proceedings may be orderly and dignified, as befits the deliberations of the supreme council of the republican party.

"Eight years ago I had the distinguished honor to preside over the convention which nominated the last republican president of the United States. To-day I have the further distinguished honor to preside over the convention which is to nominate the next president of the United States. This generation has had its object lesson and the doom of the democratic party is already pronounced. The American people will return the republican party to power because they know that its administration will mean:

"The supremacy of the constitution of the United States.

"The maintenance of law and order.

"The protection of every American citizen in his right to live, to labor and to vote.

"A vigorous foreign policy.

"The enforcement of the Monroe doctrine.

"The restoration of our merchant marine.

"Safety under the stars and stripes on every sea, in every port.

"A revenue adequate for all government expenditures and the gradual extinguishment of the national debt.

"A currency as sound as the government and as untarnished as its honor, whose dollars, whether of gold, silver or paper, shall have equal purchasing and debt-paying power with the best dollars of the civilized world.

"A protective tariff which protects, coupled with a reciprocity which reciprocates, thereby securing the best markets for American products and opening American factories to the free coinage of American muscle.

"A pension policy just and generous to our living heroes and to the widows and orphans of their dead comrades.

"The government supervision and control of transportation lines and rates.

"The protection of the people from all unlawful combinations and unjust exactions of aggregated capital and corporate power.

"An American welcome to every God-fearing, liberty-loving, constitution-respecting, law-abiding, labor-seeking, decent man.

"The exclusion of all whose birth, whose blood, whose conditions, whose teachings, whose practices would menace the permanency of free institutions, endanger the safety of American society or lessen the opportunities of American labor.

"The abolition of sectionalism — every star in the flag shining for the honor and welfare and happiness of every commonwealth and of all the people.

"A deathless loyalty to all that is truly American and a patriotism eternal as the stars."

As Senator Thurston closed his short speech with the phrase "a patriotism eternal as the stars," the air was rent with cheers, amid which he was heard to ask the official question: "Gentlemen, what is your pleasure?"

The secretary read a letter from the chairman of the committee on credentials, saying they were engaged in the consideration of the Texas case, and had not been able to complete it.

On motion of Gov. Buchnell, of Ohio, the convention then adjourned until two p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Convention Is Slow to Resume—Committee on Credentials Reports.

St. Louis, June 17.—There was the usual delay in calling the convention to order for the afternoon session, but the waiting time was pleasantly whiled away by strains of sweet music. There was a great pressure in all parts of the immense hall; the galleries were packed; and there, as well as on the floor, palm leaf fans were in ceaseless agitation. The heat was very oppressive.

It was 2:40 when the chairman's (Mr. Thurston's) hammer knocked for order and announced that the afternoon session would be opened with prayer by Bishop Arnett, of Wilberforce college, Ohio.

Historic Gavels Presented.

Mr. Madden, of Chicago, was recognized by the chair, for a special purpose. Mr. Madden then, in appropriate terms, presented a gavel made from a portion of the house in which Abraham Lincoln once lived.

The chairman, in accepting it, expressed the hope that the inspiration of the immortal Lincoln might fire the hearts of the convention to higher patriotism.

SENATOR FRANK CANNON, OF UTAH.

Judge Denny, of Kentucky, presented a second gavel made from the wood which formed part of the homestead of Henry Clay, the father of protection.

Temporary Chairman Fairbanks responded, expressing his gratification that the state of Henry Clay had entered the republican fold, and trusted that it would be found true to the standard bearer of this great convention in November next.

A voice in the hall exclaimed: "By 25,000."

Mr. Torrence, of Minnesota, then presented, in the name of that state, to the chairman of the convention the table which stood in front of the presiding officer.

In accepting the table the president sent back word to the boys of Minnesota that, even as the fathers of the republic handed the union down, so would the republican party of to-day hand down the government under republican institutions, with all the rights and privileges and opportunities for the boys to come. [Cheers.]

The report of the committee on credentials was then presented by its chairman, Mr. Fort, of New Jersey.

At three p. m. the report of the committee on credentials was presented by Hon. J. Franklin Fort, of New Jersey. The paragraph in the report seating the Higgins delegation was received with slight applause, and there was more applause when the seating of the Grant faction of the Texas republicans was announced.

Some one called for three cheers for Grant, but they were not given.

Majority report of committee on credentials was adopted, seating Grant faction in Texas and shutting out Addicks faction of Delaware.

Convention adjourned at 5:07 until 10 a. m. Thursday morning.

Resolution on Mob Violence.

Mr. H. A. Rucker, one of the colored delegates at large from Georgia, introduced into the convention Wednesday the following resolutions, which were referred to the committee on resolutions:

"Resolved, That we denounce mod violence and lynch law as the work of savages, and we denounce those composing the mobs as the most dangerous, despicable and odious of all murderers, and we earnestly appeal to the people of the various states, the state government and to the government of the United States to enact and enforce laws which will protect citizens of all classes, colors and conditions, at home on American soil, as well as they are protected abroad.

"Further, that humanity, enforcement of the laws constitute more vital factors in the progress of civilization than any question of the currency or tariff, and equal civil and political rights to all citizens within our borders.

"Further, that we protest against treatment received by a portion of the delegates to this national convention by the city of St. Louis and that this national convention instructs the national committee not to accept an invitation from any city that does not guarantee to every delegate fair and equal treatment."

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Ezra Day and Hannah Day, his wife, to Jacob L. Day, bearing date November 29th, A. D. 1895, and recorded in the Register's office for Lenawee Co. Mich., in Liber 137 of mortgages, on page 311, on the 30th day of November, 1896, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of $1,454.29 and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection for the same or any part thereof.

Notice therefore is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum and all costs of this foreclosure and sale including the Attorney fee in said mortgage provided I shall on the 14th day of September, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co. Mich., that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit; all that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) of town five (5) south of range four (4) east bounded as follows: beginning on the north-west corner of said east half of said north-west quarter of said section twenty seven (27) running thence north eighty-eight degrees and forty-seven minutes (88° 47') east along the section line eleven (11) chains and fourteen (14) links: thence south one degree and nineteen minutes east parallel with the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section thirteen (13) chains and fifty and one-half links: thence west parallel with the first course eleven chains and nineteen links to the west line of said east half of said quarter section; thence north one degree and nineteen minutes west along said west line of said east half of said quarter section thirteen chains and fifty and one half links to place of beginning:—containing fifteen acres of land.

Dated June 19th 1896.

JACOB L. DAY, Mortagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Lilley State Bank, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 11th day of July, 1896, and on the 9th day of December, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 9 th day of June, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, June 19, 1896

LUCIUS LILLEY,
J. N. SAITERTHWAITE.
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Michards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 131, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00), provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 28th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time), at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, 6th April, A. D 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Thursday the 28th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Aaron K. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William J. Waldron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Lewis M., William J. and Charles A. Waldron, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to George W. Knapp or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Respectfully yours,

Peter J. Rocker

Inman, McPherson Co., Kan.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Wabash Line

To take Effect May 17, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:10 p. m.
New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	9:?3 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:48 p. m.
St. Louis Express	6:15 p. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

For rates, tickets, time tables and all desired information, apply to WM. F. BRADLEY, C. RAMSEY, Jr., Agent, Adrian.

Gen. Manager.

C. S. CRANE, Gen Pass. & Ticket Agent.

L. S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect May 24, 1896

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 341. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 18 "
Jarvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 58 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 20 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 08 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 15 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 342 Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 53 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Jarvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 99 "

All Trains run on New Standard of 90th Meridian Time

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Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Ry

Time Table in effect June 4, 1896.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

21	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
23	Passenger	5:52 p. m.
19	Pass'gr Sunday only,	6:40 p. m.
25	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

22	Passenger	8:42 a. m.
24	Passenger	4:13 p. m.
20	Pass'gr Sunday only	9:18 a. m.
26	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

Close connections made at Toledo and Cincinnati with all roads diverging and at Addison Junction for Jackson and all points south.

C. A. STER, Depot Agent.

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Toledo, Ohio.

The fact that Doctors

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A desperate lover, Don Juan M'guel Toledo steal his sweetheart at Tijikue, Mex., and one of his companions was shot dead by the girl's father.

Eczema of the scalp or Scald Head, even in its most severe form is never-failingly cured by Doan's Ointment, the best specific for all itchiness of the skin. 1w

CONGRESS ADJOURNS.

First Session of the Fifty-Fourth Assembly Ends Its Work.

Shortest "Long" Session, with Two Exceptions, in the History of the Government—What Was Done in the Closing Days.

Washington, June 11.—The senate disposed of the appropriation bills yesterday and fixed four o'clock p. m. today as the time for final adjournment. Bills were passed to increase the pay of letter carriers, to prevent the shipment of liquors under false labels, and the bill giving right of trial by jury in all contempt cases.

Washington, June 12.—The senate adjourned sine die yesterday after passing resolutions expressing thanks to Senator Frye, of Maine, president pro tem., and Vice President Stevenson for the uniform courtesy and ability with which they had presided over the senate. Promptly at four o'clock the vice president delivered the following valedictory, at the close of which the gavel fell and the senate stood adjourned sine die:

"Senators: I am deeply touched by the resolutions personal to myself adopted by the senate. It has been my earnest endeavor impartially to execute the rules prescribed for the guidance of this body. For the aid you have so generously given me in the discharge of the duties that pertain to this office, as well as for the courtesy uniformly shown me, I am profoundly grateful. And now wishing each of you a safe return to homes and constituents, it only remains for me to declare the first session of the Fifty-fourth congress adjourned without day."

THE HOUSE.

Bills Introduced and Petitions and Resolutions Presented.

Washington, June 11.—In the house yesterday the concurrent resolution for the final adjournment of congress at four o'clock p. m. to-day was received from the senate and agreed to. The senate amendments to the sundry civil bill were concurred in and many bills were passed, among them being one to extend the scope of investigation of the agricultural department into the question of road improvement.

Washington, June 12.—In the house yesterday a resolution offered by Mr. Turner (dem., Ga.) was adopted thanking Speaker Reed for the ability, efficiency and strict impartiality with which he had discharged the arduous and responsible duties of his office, after which Speaker Reed closed the session with the following remarks:

"Gentlemen of the house of representatives: Before pronouncing those words which close the session, I desire to offer to the house my grateful recognition of its kindness. The thanks of the house of representatives is always a high honor, but is especially so at the end of a session where the speaker has been forced to say "No" more times, perhaps, than in the history of any other congress. While thanking you for your kindness to me, I must congratulate the house on its conduct of the public business. Ordinarily, a majority of two and a half to one, a majority of 150, means disorganization, faction and discord. In this house 150 new members of both parties have behaved with the steadiness of veterans, and if our connection with other branches of government with different ideas has prevented us from serving the country as we might have done, we at least have behaved with dignity, fairness and credit. With the kindest personal wishes to you all, I again return thanks. By virtue of the concurrent resolution of both branches, I declare this house adjourned without day."

Noted Mine Owner Dead.

Galena, Ill., June 15.—James M. Day died here, aged 77 years. He was a resident of Galena over 60 years. He was a part owner of the famous Little Emma mine in Utah, which was eventually sold when worked out to English capitalists for $5,000,000. Mr. Day made a half-million out of the mine, but refused to be a party to the huge swindle on the Englishmen, and sold his share at a nominal figure.

Louisiana for Silver.

Baton Rouge, La., June 17.—Free silver carried the day at the democratic state convention, which completed its labors early Tuesday morning. There will be a solid free silver delegation to Chicago pledged to vote for a free silver plank in the democratic platform and for a straightout free silver man for the presidency.

Fast Flights of Pigeons.

Green Bay, Wis., June 15.—Fifty-eight pigeons belonging to the Green Bay Homing club were released at Alton, Ill., at 4:55 Sunday morning for a homeward flight. The aerial distance is 403 miles. Four of the birds arrived in their coops here Sunday evening at 5:23, 5:27¼, 6:04 and 6:05.

President Goes Fishing.

Washington, June 16.—The president, accompanied by Internal Revenue Commissioner Miller, has gone on a fishing trip to Leesburg, Va., where he again will be the guest of Mr. Harrison, who has a fine trout preserve just outside the village.

Another Civil Service Order.

Washington, June 15.—President Cleveland has issued another civil service order that brings under the civil service rules all government employes carried on the pay rolls as laborers who really perform clerical duties.

Sent to Prison.

Manitowoc, Wis., June 15.—Fred Thiedmann and William Goetsche pleaded guilty to robbing farmhouses and were sentenced to two years each in prison. Both are married and more than 50 years of age.

Great Harvest in Nebraska.

Omaha, Neb., June 15.—The wheat and oats harvest is in progress in Nebraska. The period is from one to five weeks in advance of the season. The yield is something unprecedented in Nebraska.

Crushed to Death.

Iowa Falls, Ia., June 15.—William Adams was crushed to death by falling rock at the V. A. Beggs stone quarry here, and other workmen narrowly escaped a similar fate.

Killed Himself.

Sioux City, Ia., June 17.—A. W. Coats, for 25 years a resident here, killed himself. Sickness and financial troubles caused the suicide.

CLEVELAND TALKS.

The President Interviewed on His Party's Prospects.

Refuses to Believe That the Convention Will Adopt a Silver Platform—Such Action, He Thinks, Would Bring Disaster.

Washington, June 17.—President Cleveland on Tuesday made the following reply to a representative of the New York Herald who asked of the president a statement concerning the democratic situation. Mr. Cleveland said:

"I have made no figures as to the probable action of delegates already chosen or to be chosen to the democratic national convention, but I refuse to believe that when the time arrives for deliberate action there will be engrafted upon our democratic creed a demand for the free, unlimited and independent coinage of silver. I cannot believe this because I know the democratic party is neither unpatriotic nor foolish and because it seems so clear to me that such a course will inflict a very great injury upon every interest of our country, which it has been the mission of democracy to advance, and will result in lasting disaster to our party organization. There is little hope that as a means of success this free silver proposition, after its thorough discussion during a political campaign, will attract a majority of the voters of the country. It must be that many of the illusions influencing those now relying upon this alleged panacea for their ills be dispelled before the time comes for them to cast their ballots which will express their sober second thought. The adoption by the democracy of this proposition would, I believe, give to our opponents an advantage both in the present and future which they do not deserve.

Should Make No Mistake.

"My attachment to true democracy is so strong that I consider its success as identical with the promotion of the country's good. This ought sufficiently to account for my anxiety that no mistake be made at our party convention. In my opinion no effort should be spared to secure such action of the delegates as will avert party demoralization. It is a place for consultation and comparison of views and those democrats who believe in the cause of sound money should there be heard and be constantly in evidence. A cause worth fighting for is worth fighting for to the end. If sound money democrats suppose there is danger of a mistake being made such danger should stimulate their activity in averting it instead of creating discouragement.

Wants No Further Honors.

"I am very far from arrogating to myself a controlling influence upon the policy of my party; but as an unflinching democrat who has been honored by his party and who desires hereafter no greater political privileges than to occupy the place of private in its ranks, I hope I may not be blamed for saying this much at this time, in the interest, as it seems to me, of the grand old organization, so rich in honorable traditions, so justly proud of its achievements, and always so undaunted and brave in its battles for the people's welfare."

A FAMILY DROWNED.

Big Reservoir in Oregon Bursts—Five Persons Lose Their Lives.

Baker City, Ore., June 17.—The Goodrich reservoir, located 15 miles from this city, collapsed at an early hour Tuesday morning and a great volume of water rushed down the gulch, wrecking everything in its path. The home of R. French was swept away and the entire family, consisting of the parents and five children, was drowned. A number of bridges were carried away and considerable damage was done to grain fields. The reservoir was constructed in 1863, and was used for mining purposes.

Died in Abject Poverty.

Boston, June 15.—Rodney Fisk, who two years ago was a millionaire and lost his all in Wall street, died Sunday at a lodging house in South Boston. He was a nephew of John Flood, one of the bonanza kings. He leaves three brothers in southern California, one of whom, James, is a candidate for congress.

Two Boys Killed.

St. Louis, June 17.—While a party of men and boys were at work in the Knapp-Stout lumber yard, at the foot of Salisbury street, Tuesday afternoon a pile of lumber collapsed, killing two and fatally injuring four others. The dead are: Philip Slushman, 19 years old, and William Stoll, aged 17.

Sisters Commit Suicide.

Grinnell, Ia., June 17.—Two daughters of Frank P. Hipps, a farmer living a few miles from here, committed suicide Tuesday afternoon at their father's house by taking strychnine. Bertha, the elder, had left her husband, but no motive is known for the self-destruction of Eva, the other sister.

Hotel and Depots Burned.

Janesville, Wis., June 16.—Fire at Clinton Junction Monday morning destroyed the Taylor house, Chicago & Northwestern depot, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul depot and American Express office. The total loss will aggregate $10,000, $5,000 on the hotel alone; partially insured.

Bank President Shot.

New York, June 16.—George H. Wyckoff, president of the Bank of New Amsterdam, was probably fatally shot by a crank because he refused to hand over to him $5,000. The man, who gave the name of Charles Clark, shot himself, but will recover.

Work of a Fiend.

Elkhart, Ind., June 17.—Milton R. Wells, a widower about 50 years old, shot Miss Jennie Walters, aged 23 years, in this city, and then set her clothing on fire and she was burned to death. No cause for the crime is known.

Ball Player Killed.

Newark, O., June 16.—In a game of ball Pitcher McLaughlin hit William Swartz in the head. At first base Swartz fainted and died within a few minutes, his skull having been fractured.

Quits the Stage.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 15.—With the disbanding here of Parson Davies' "Wicklow Postman company" John L. Sullivan says farewell to the stage. He is a wreck both physically and financially.

Seven Armenians Hanged.

Constantinople, June 16.—The police Monday morning hanged seven Armenians in different parts of Galata, a suburb of this city.

New Through Line to Cincinnati and the South.

The Lake Shore in connection with the Ohio Central and Big Four railways are now running two trains daily each way between Detroit, Toledo and Cincinnati. This line lands you in Cincinnati at the Grand Central Union Station right in the heart of the city and if you are going beyond you have a decided advantage as there is no transfer necessary. The trains of the Q. & C., L. & N., Ill. Central, Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio roads all leave from Grand Central Union Station. Parlor cars on day trains and Wagner sleepers on night trains. Further information given by any Lake Shore Ticket Agent, also by addressing A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio, or H. J. Rhein, General Agent, Detroit, Mich. june19 1?

Because Toronto University conferred the degree of LL. D. upon Prof. Goldwin Smith, W. G. Falconbride resigned from the faculty.

If a small bottle of Shaker Digestive Cordial does you no good, don't buy a large one.

"Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." It's not good for everybody, only for the thin, pale sick, weak and weary. For those who are starving for want of digested food. For those who cannot get fat or strong, because their stomachs do not work as they ought to.

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Dwight Steers, a life prisoner, and William Johnson, escaped from the Connecticut State Prison at Wethersfield.

"I was troubled with quinsy for five years. Thomas' Electric Oil cured me. My wife and child had diphtheria. Thomas' Electric Oil cured them. I would not be without it in the house for any consideration." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y. 1w

Five tramps were run over and two of them fatally hurt by a train at New Haven, Conn. One gave the name of Charles J. Albaugh, of Meadville, Pa.

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"I would like to add my testimony to that of others who have used Ayer's Pills, and to say that I have taken them for many years, and always derived the best results from their use. For stomach and liver troubles, and for the cure of headache caused by these derangements, Ayer's Pills cannot be equaled.

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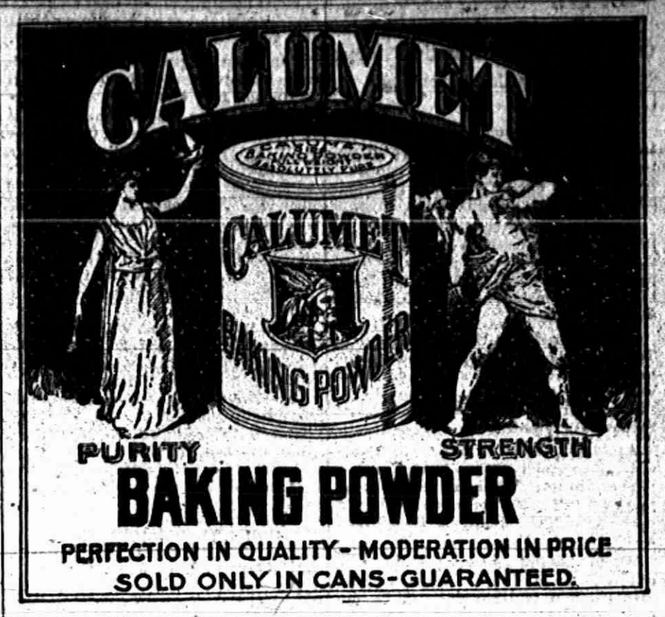

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If so a "Baby" Cream Separator will earn its cost for you every year. Why continue an inferior system another year at so great a loss? Dairying is now the only profitable feature of Agriculture. Properly conducted it always pays well, and must pay you. A De Laval Separator would save you $10. to $20. per cow per year, and there can be no question about it. All styles and capacities. Prices $75. to $200. Send for new 1895 catalogue. Beware of cheaply constructed, inferior, and patent infringing machines.

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ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of St. Joe, was in the village Wednesday while en-route for Ridgeway, for a visit with his parents. He was formerly a principal of Tecumseh schools.—Britton Citizen.

The Stimpson Scale Co., is about to move from Tecumseh to Elkhart, where the necessary capitol to push the business has been put in. This will be a loss to Tecumseh.—Adrian Telegram. Yes, a great loss.

It is rumored that H. W. Stevens, of Tecumseh, is hustling to become a republican candidate for sheriff of Lenawee county.—Britton Citizen. This rumor has been afloat around Tecumseh for the last 20 years.

At Jackson Jan. 23, Mrs. T. S. Applegate, of the Adrian Times, will read a paper entitled: "Woman, her work in journalism." The occasion being a meeting of the Michigan Republican Editor's association.

We understand that Fred Field, late of the Tecumseh News talks of going to Manistique to take charge of the Democrat, which it now owned by a company. The Enterprise wishes him success.—Manchester Enterprise.

Eugene Camburn, of Tipton, who was recently shot by Henry Luce, his daughter's suitor, passed Sunday at the home of his nephew, George M. Knight. Mr. Camburn has nearly recovered from his wound. The bullet has not yet been discovered.—Adrian Times

Prosecuting Attorney John E. Bird, of Adrian, was in town on professional business Monday. He will look after the councils interest in the bond case.—Clinton Local. Great time they are having up at Clinton over those liquor bonds. Meantime the old settlers are very dry.

Miss E. Cora DePuy, of Tecumseh, author of "The Workinan's Tariff," a story that has had quite an extensive circulation among tariff reformers, was an Adrian visitor today, and remembered this office with a pleasant call. Miss DePuy is an able and entertaining writer.—Adrian Times.

Phenominal growths continue to be reported. Mrs. Wilhelmina M. Schnieder, Toledo street, has a stalk of corn in her garden seven feet high, measured by a Telegram carrier boy and guaranteed correct. Next.—Adrian Telegram. Well done my boy. Time you get to be an editor "Jack and the bean stalk" will not be in it with your yarns.

A letter from Dr. Hardy while at Prospect Park Hotel, Catskill, N. Y., says: "Having an elegant time. My wife and baby are with me. We spent a few days in New York City, the remainder of the time thus far at above hotel. Eastern New York has suffered for want of rain, many parts are very dry. The Raines bill has also dried parts of New York City.—Britton Citizen.

The paper contains an official register showing that Frank Pierce was president and Joe Jefferson secretary of war; Kinsley S. Bingham was governor of Michigan, and the county officers were: S. S. Wilkinson, prosecutor; G. W. Ketcham, sheriff; C. A. Stacy, judge of probate; Jas. Geddes, treasurer; William Kinsley, county clerk; Charles Chandler, register; Lucien B. Bowen, circuit court com'r; James B. Hampton and James Swords, coroners.—Morenci Observer. The above clipping relates to minutes taken from a paper printed in Morenci in 1855.

George Carl, a farmer 52 years of age who lived two miles northeast of Clayton village, fell dead at the home of Race Noble, in the village, about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. He had just entered and taken a seat beside his sister-in-law's bed, when he suddenly cried, "Get some one to help," and then expired. Dr. Williams, who was attending Mrs. Noble, had only just left the house. He was immediately recalled, but his services could be of no avail. Heart disease was the cause of death. A child was born to Mr. and Mrs. Noble shortly after midnight. The funeral of Mr. Carl will be held at 2:30 sun time, Tuesday afternoon.—Adrian Times.

A Tecumseh grocery firm advertises that it sells nothing else, but pure Georgia cod fish. Not much of a business it strikes us. They remind us of the reply a young lady in Tecumseh made a few years ago, when her sister remarked. "You are not going to wear those drab gloves to the party, I hope." Said the determined young belle, "Well I'm not going to wear anything else," But she did, though.—Adrian Press. Yes, this grocery firm succeeds in doing every week the same as this time, attracting attention with their advertisements.

Cute fellows are those politicians at Adrian. A few days ago they sent emissaries down here to induce Dr. Edgar to enter the field this fall for probate judge nomination, but their scheme was too gauzy, and it won't work. The evident object was to divide the interests of the people, and by having more than one candidate for a county office, thus endeavor to weaken the strength already manifest for the favorite son of this section of the county. These same cunning politicians have evidently been getting in their work at Tecumseh, for that place has alreadv three candidates in the field for county officers, and the result will undoubtedly be a division of strength and all will fall by the wayside. So far as the probate judgeship is concerned, the people of Eastern Lenawee are decidedly pleased with Judge Robbins' labors and feeling that he has made a good record of which any honest man might well be proud, propose using their influence to keep a good man in an office for which he is eminently fitted. They think that the office of probate judge, which is the guardian of the widows and orphans, is one that should be kept above political scheming.—Bliesfield Advance.

Fourth of July celebrations all around us. Tecumseh has no need to celebrate this year.

The First Regiment Band will discourse sweet music to the boys and girls at Hudson July 4th.

Shareholders in the company are A. O. Abbott; G. L. Thompson; O. R. Pierce; C. B. Stowell; Roscoe Bean; Edward Frensdorf; N. W. Bearley; E. J. Southworth; G. J. Perkins & Son; Grant Fellows, Ira Waterman; E. H. Cogswell; G. Fowle & Co.; F. H. Stroud & Co.; R. A. Beach; Geo. D. Rice; Dr. Perkins; Byron J. Foster; Jas. B. Thorn; John H. Bird; Dr. Eaton; A. J. Hasbrouck; M. P. Swaney; B. B. Schermerhorn; S. A. Eaton; A. H. B. Nacy.

Stock in the Abbot Voting Machine company went kiting the day following the organization of the company. Holders of stock were offered 55 per cent advance upon their investment Saturday, by anxious would-be buyers. They declined the tempting offers.—Hudson Republican. Good for Hudson. Half this sum would keep the Stimpson Scale Co. in Tecumseh and the latter is no experiment.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL ROOM, June 15th, 1896.

Present, the president, clerk, Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Wright. Absent, Trustees Hall and Lowry.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to finance committee:—

Labor: Wm. Fielder, $16.00; W. H. Bird, $16.00; A. Park, $7.50; Dell Packard, $9.13; John Hastings, $2.50; Jehiel Davidson, balance due as assessor, $11.25; Chas. Bidwell, marshal, $25.00. Cement sidewalks: Matthew Boyd, $14.14; W. A. Frost, $8.33; Mrs. P. J. Welling, $19.85. Water works: C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight on coal, $53.20; L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co., freight, 76c; M. L. Gillen, to apply on account for painting standpipe, $42.26.

Committee reporting favorably on all of above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

Moved that clerk draw his order on the treasurer for $852.13 in payment of July installment of interest of water bonds. Supported. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL,
Village Clerk.

Byron used a great deal of hair-dressing, but was very particular to have only the best to be found in the market. If Ayer's Hair Vigor had been obtainable then, doubtless he would have tested its merits, as so many distinguished and fashionable people are doing now-a-days. 1w

The battleship Maine has arrived at Key West, Fla., where she relieves the Amphrite, which sails today for Brunswick, Ga.

The Reason Why "Calumet"

can furnish a perfect baking powder at a moderate price is because they do not buy (so called) Government Chemists and because they are satisfied with a small profit.

If you bake with the high priced powders, you eat more than 70 per cent of the quantity used as Rochelle Salts.

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A Coal Miner.

William Gilbride, of Assumption, Ill., writes: "Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy I have ever used for stomach troubles. I never felt better in my life, and I think every family should keep it on hand. It does more than is claimed for it." Sold by Orr & Temple. june

Mrs. Hester A. Sander, of West Cape May, N. J., while working in her flower beds, found her wedding ring, which she lost twenty-five years ago.

The Modern Beauty

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Platform in Full as Adopted—Principles Upon Which the Party Will Fight Its Campaign.

St. Louis, June 18.—Following is the full text of the platform adopted Thursday by the national republican convention:

"The republicans of the United States, assembled by their representatives in national convention, appealing to the popular and historical justification of their claims to the matchless achievements of 30 years of republican rule, earnestly and confidently address themselves to the awakened intelligence, experience and conscience of their countrymen in the following declaration of facts and principles:

"For the first time since the civil war the American people have witnessed the calamitous consequences of full and unrestricted democratic control of the government. It has been a record of unparalleled incapacity, dishonor and disaster. In administrative management it has ruthlessly sacrificed indispensable revenue, entailed an unceasing deficit, eked out ordinary current expenses with borrowed money, piled up the public debt by $262,000,000 in time of peace, forced an adverse balance of trade, kept a perpetual menace hanging over the redemption fund, pawned American credit to alien syndicates, and reversed all the measures and results of successful republican rule. In the broad effect of its policy it has precipitated panic, blighted industry and trade with prolonged depression, closed factories, reduced work and wages, halted enterprise, and crippled American production while stimulating foreign production for the American market.

"Every consideration of public safety and individual interest demands that the government shall be rescued from the hands of those who have shown themselves incapable to conduct it without disaster at home and dishonor abroad, and shall be restored to the party which for 30 years administered it with unequaled success and prosperity. And in this connection we heartily indorse the wisdom, the patriotism and the success of the administration of President Harrison.

Tariff.

"We renew and emphasize our allegiance to the policy of protection as the bulwark of American industrial independence and the foundation of American development and prosperity. This true American policy taxes foreign products and encourages home industry; it puts the burden of revenue on foreign goods; it secures the American market for the American producer; it upholds the American standard of wages for the American workingman; it puts the factory by the side of the farm, and makes the American farmer less dependent on foreign demand and price; it diffuses general thrift, and founds the strength of all on the strength of each. In its reasonable application it is just, fair and impartial, equally opposed to foreign control and domestic monopoly, to sectional discrimination and individual favoritism.

"We denounce the present democratic tariff as sectional, injurious to the public credit, and destructive to business enterprise. We demand such an equitable tariff on foreign imports which come into competition with American products as will not only furnish adequate revenue for the necessary expenses of the government, but will protect American labor from degradation to the wage level of other lands.

"We are not pledged to any particular schedules. The question of rates is a practical question, to be governed by the conditions of the time and of production; the ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry. The country demands a right settlement and then it wants rest.

Reciprocity.

"We believe the repeal of the reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations, remove the restrictions which now obstruct the sale of American products in the ports of other countries, and secure enlarged markets for the products of our farms, forests and factories.

"Protection and reciprocity are twin measures of republican policy and go hand in hand. Democratic rule has recklessly struck down both and both must be reestablished. "Protection for what we produce; free admission for the necessaries of life which we do not produce; reciprocal agreements of mutual interests which gain open markets for us in return for our open market to others. Protection builds up domestic industry and trade, and secures our own market for ourselves, reciprocity builds up foreign trade and finds an outlet for our surplus.

Sugar.

"We condemn the present administration for not keeping faith with the sugar producers of this country. The republican party favors such protection as will lead to the production on American soil of all the sugar which the American people use, and for which they pay other countries more than $100,000,000 annually.

Wool and Woolens.

"To all our products—to those of the mine and the field as well as to those of the shop and the factory—to hemp, to wool, the product of the great industry of sheep husbandry, as well as to the finished woolens of the mill—we promise the most ample protection.

Merchant Marine.

"We favor restoring the early American policy of discriminating duties for the upbuilding of our merchant marine and the protection of our shipping in the foreign-carrying trade, so that American ships—the product of American labor, employed in American shipyards, sailing under the stars and stripes, and manned, officered and owned by Americans—may regain the carrying of our foreign commerce.

Money.

"The republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879; since then every dollar has been as good as gold.

"We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are therefore opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved.

"All our silver and paper currency must be maintained at parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the obligations of the United States and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth.

Pensions.

"The veterans of the union army deserve and should receive fair treatment and generous recognition. Whenever practicable they should be given the preference in the matter of employment, and they are entitled to the enactment of such laws as are best calculated to secure the fulfillment of the pledges made to them in the dark days of the country's peril.

"We denounce the practice in the pension bureau, so recklessly and unjustly carried on by the present administration, of reducing pensions and arbitrarily dropping names from the rolls, as deserving the severest condemnation of the American people.

Foreign Relations.

"Our foreign policy should be at all times firm, vigorous and dignified, and all our interests in the western hemisphere carefully watched and guarded.

"The Hawaiian islands should be controlled by the United States, and no foreign power should be permitted to interfere with them.

"The Nicaraguan canal should be built, owned and operated by the United States; and by the purchase of the Danish islands we should secure a proper and much needed naval station in the West Indies.

Armenian Massacres.

"The massacres in Armenia have aroused the deep sympathy and just indignation of the American people, and we believe that the United States should exercise all the influence it can properly exert to bring these atrocities to an end. In Turkey American residents have been exposed to the gravest dangers and American property destroyed. There and everywhere American citizens and American property must be absolutely protected at all hazards, and at any cost.

Monroe Doctrine.

"We reassert the Monroe doctrine in its full extent, and we reaffirm the right of the United States to give the doctrine effect by responding to the appeals of any American state for friendly intervention in case of European encroachment. We have not interfered and shall not interfere with the existing possessions of any European power in this hemisphere, but those possessions must not on any pretext be extended.

"We hopefully look forward to the eventual withdrawal of the European powers from this hemisphere, and to the ultimate union of all the English-speaking part of the continent by the free consent of its inhabitants.

Cuba.

"From the hour of achieving their own independence the people of the United States have regarded with sympathy the struggles of other American peoples to free themselves from European domination. We watch with deep and abiding interest the heroic battle of the Cuban patriots against cruelty and oppression, and our best hopes go out for the full success of their determined contest for liberty.

"The government of Spain, having lost control of Cuba, and being unable to protect the property or lives of resident American citizens, or to comply with its treaty obligations, we believe that the government of the United States should actively use its influence and good offices to restore peace and give independence to the island.

The Navy.

"The peace and security of the republic, and the maintenance of its rightful influence among the nations of the earth, demand a naval power commensurate with its position and responsibility. We, therefore, favor the continued enlargement of the navy and a complete system of harbor and seacoast defenses.

Foreign Immigration.

"For the protection of the quality of our American citizenship and of the wages of our workingmen against the fatal competition of low-priced labor, we demand that the immigration laws be thoroughly enforced, and so extended as to exclude from entrance to the United States those who can neither read nor write.

Civil Service.

"The civil-service law was placed on the statute book by the republican party, which has always sustained it, and we renew our repeated declarations that it shall be thoroughly and honestly enforced and extended wherever practicable.

Free Ballot.

"We demand that every citizen of the United States shall be allowed to cast one free and unrestricted ballot, and that such ballot shall be counted and returned as cast.

Lynchings.

"We proclaim our unqualified condemnation of the uncivilized and barbarious practice well known as lynching, or killing of human beings, suspected or charged with crime, without process of law.

National Arbitration.

"We favor the creation of a national board of arbitration to settle and adjust differences which may arise between employers and employed engaged in interstate commerce.

Homesteads.

"We believe in an immediate return to the free homestead policy of the republican party, and urge the passage by congress of the satisfactory free homestead measure which has already passed the house and is now pending in the senate.

Territories.

"We favor the admission of the remaining territories at the earliest practicable date, having due regard to the interests of the people of the territories and of the United States. All the federal officers appointed for the territories should be elected from bona fide residents thereof, and the right of self-government should be accorded as far as practicable.

Alaska.

"We believe the citizens of Alaska should have representation in the congress of the United States, to the end that needful legislation may be intelligently enacted.

Temperance.

"We sympathize with all wise and legitimate efforts to lessen and prevent the evils of intemperance and promote morality.

Rights of Women.

"The republican party is mindful of the rights and interests of women. Protection of American industries includes equal opportunities, equal pay for equal work, and protection to the home. We favor the admission of women to wider spheres of usefulness and welcome their cooperation in rescuing the country from democratic and populistic mismanagement and misrule.

Conclusion.

"Such are the principles and policies of the republican party. By these principles we will abide and these policies we will put into execution. We ask for them the considerate judgment of the American people. Confident alike in the history of our great party and in the justice of our cause, we present our platform and our candidates in the full assurance that the election will bring victory to the republican party and prosperity to the people of the United States."

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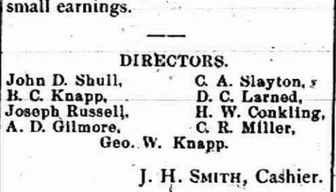

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WHITNEY DECLINES.

The Ex-Secretary Refuses to Be the Democratic Candidate.

He Fears the Chicago Convention Will Adopt a Free Silver Platform, Points Out the Danger of Such a Course

New York, June 22.—Hon. William C. Whitney, who has been named as a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination has given the following to the press:

"I find it necessary to make a public statement embodying my views of the situation to correct misconceptions and to save the time now occupied in answering questions. Far too great importance has been attached to my decision to go to the Chicago convention. I have been practically out of politics for four years, and there are now many eastern democrats

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

who can do much more than I can for the party. I shall not assume any position of leadership. My decision to stay was simply based on the duty of every person who believes in the party for its principles, to stand by and lend his aid and take his chances when a great crisis is upon it.

Differences in the Party.

"There can be no question but that a great crisis is upon the democratic party. Fundamental differences of principle exist inside the party, marked almost by sectional lines. The great question to my mind is whether the party meets in convention now as in 1860, with issues and differences that are for the moment irreconcilable. For the past 15 years leaders of public opinion in the south and west have been advocating as the great remedy for existing ills the free coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one, with or without the cooperation of other nations. It has come to be believed in there quite generally and conscientiously. A large majority of the delegates to the coming democratic convention have been elected by the people for the purpose of incorporating that doctrine into the platform of the democratic party.

Views of Eastern Democrats.

"Our people, on the other hand, entirely disagree with these views and believe almost universally that it will bring general ruin to the business and prosperity of the country. It is deemed a new doctrine when proposed to be incorporated into the platform of the national democracy. It is true that in no previous platform of the party can it specifically be found. Consequently no party obligations heretofore assumed oblige them to subscribe to it.

May Disrupt the Party.

"Under these circumstances, if the results of the democratic convention should be to establish as the issue of this campaign the free coinage of silver at a ratio of sixteen to one, independent of other nations, in the intensity of feeling likely to arise it is to be seriously apprehended that a disruption of the democratic party might occur. Certainly no substantial following could be secured for the doctrine among eastern democrats. They might not vote the republican ticket for other reasons (believing that the republican party stands for other issues that are detrimental to the country), but the democrats in the east would not, in my opinion, vote for it.

Refuses to Be a Candidate.

"It ought not to be necessary for me to say anything of a personal nature. I find myself, however, spoken of here and there as a possible candidate—not very seriously or prominently, but sufficiently to attract attention if I should fail to notice it. It sometimes affects one's influence in cases like the present. I have no personal motive in entering this fight. I have said that I would not be a candidate. I will add, copying the emphatic language once used by the late Gen. Sherman (I think I remember it correctly): 'I will not run if nominated, nor serve if elected.' I am not foolish enough to suppose that any eastern man could be nominated by this convention—much less that I could. I sympathize thoroughly with the feeling in the south that has caused this uprising and will find its expression at Chicago, but as to the principles which the uprising has brought forth and the issues being framed I entirely disagree. WILLIAM C. WHITNEY."

REPLY TO WHITNEY.

Hon. Wharton Barker Takes Issue with the Ex-Secretary.

New York, June 24.—Wharton Barker has written a reply to the statement of Hon. W. C. Whitney, which was published on Monday morning. Mr. Barker says:

"Mr. Whitney's statements are so misleading and fallacial that they really should not go unchallenged. It is fortunate that he represents so few of the members of the democratic party who entertain the belief to which he gives expression. The people have been misled and deceived too long. They have believed, hoped and doubted, their condition gradually growing from bad to worse, until the unalterable conviction has settled upon them that they have been used by such men as Mr. Whitney, not in the advancement of the interests of the people at large, but merely as a part of a great piece of machinery to further their own selfish ends. His appeal will be of no avail. Cleveland could not stem the tide, with all the power of office at his command; Whitney cannot do it, even though backed by the combined wealth of England.

"Mr. Whitney declares that we must remain subservient to Great Britain: that we must not think of restoring bimetallism until the British government, controlled by the creditor classes, expresses willingness to cooperate with us to that end. No steps must be taken to restore bimetallism until we have the consent and approval of those who, prompted by selfish motives and by the hope of enrichment and self-aggrandizement at the expense of the producing classes, have advocated the gold standard with the avowed purpose of doubling the burden of all debts."

We Must Not Wait.

"The creditor classes of Great Britain will never advocate bimetallism until they have succeeded in confiscating the property of all their debtors. Then, as owners of property, their interests will be in restoring bimetallism and raising prices, but not before. If we wait upon Great Britain we will wait until the property of our industrial classes has been confiscated by foreign money lenders; until our producing classes have become bankrupt and reduced to poverty, misery and despair, and until the foreign bondholders who lay tribute upon them have given place to foreign landlords ready to lay tribute upon us in a new role.

"Yet Mr. Whitney tells us that any move on our part to lift the yoke of vassalage to Great Britain and free our producing classes from the owners' tribute that now rests upon them must end in disaster; that any attempt on our part to do away with the 200-cent dollar that is sapping our vitality must end in disaster.

How to Avert Disaster.

"The truth is, disaster can only be averted by doing away with this 200-cent dollar. The alternative that confronts us is not sound money or disaster, but free coinage or bankruptcy. Unless we open our mints to silver, check the appreciation of gold and free our producing classes from the owners' tribute to the creditor classes of Great Britain which the appreciating gold standard lays upon them bankruptcy is inevitable.

FAVORABLE OUTLOOK.

Crops Pushed Forward by the Weather Conditions.

Chicago, June 24.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Warm sunny days, cool nights, local showers. Wheat and rye cutting is nearing completion in southern counties and begun in middle section. Clover hay making continued. Oats, gardens, grass, potatoes and corn made good progress, but cool nights early in week retarded corn. Corn is mostly of a good color and clean and some is laid by. Tobacco all set out, doing well and some is a foot high and is free from worms thus far. Raspberries are ripe.

Michigan—Generally favorable weather for all crops. Wheat continues to improve and is beginning to turn. Corn has grown slowly, but ready to cut. Pastures are good. Weather has allowed much cultivation and given haying a good start.

Indiana—Warm weather, several rains. Growing crops in best condition. Corn growing fast, oats heading; pasturage good; wheat and rye harvest and haying continued; barley being thrashed.

Illinois—Warm, favorable, a growing and working week; wheat, rye and clover cutting practically finished to north counties, and stacking general. Oats ripening rapidly, and a rank growth, with some rust; cutting will begin in southern section this week. Corn has been cleaned and much has been laid by. Broom corn, potatoes, gardens, pastures and small fruits are in good condition. Haying is beginning.

Wisconsin—The week has been very favorable to all kinds of vegetation, and the high temperature and full sunshine have been especially favorable to corn. Rye is ripening nicely, and wheat is doing fairly well, although rust is appearing in some localities. Oats on rich soil are very heavy and are lodging.

Iowa—A favorable week for cultivation and growth of corn which is generally clean and doing well. Small grain needs dry and cooler weather. Hay harvest in progress and fall grain nearly ready to cut.

HON. BENJAMIN BRISTOW DEAD.

Was Secretary of Treasury Under Grant—Was Candidate for President in 1876.

New York, June 23.—Hon. Benjamin H. Bristow, the well-known lawyer and former secretary of the treasury, died at his home in this city Monday of peritonitis.

[Benjamin H. Bristow is best known as President Grant's secretary of the treasury for two years from June, 1874, until June, 1876, and as a candidate for the nomination for the presidency at the republican convention of 1876 in which he received 113 votes on the first ballot. Rutherford B. Hayes was nominated. Benjamin Helm Bristow was born June 20, 1832, at Elkton, Todd county, Ky. He was graduated at Jefferson college, Pennsylvania, in 1851, and in 1853 was admitted to the bar at Elkton, Ky. When the civil war broke out he threw in his fortunes with the union side and became lieutenant-colonel of the Twenty-fifth Kentucky infantry. From 1863 to 1865 he served in the Kentucky senate. As United States district attorney for the Louisville district for five years, beginning in 1865, he proved so efficient that he was appointed solicitor-general of the United States. In 1873 President Grant sent his name to the senate for the place of attorney-general, but the senate refused to confirm the nomination. The following year Mr. Bristow became secretary of the treasury. Since 1876 he had practiced law in New York city.]

PRESIDENT DIAZ HONORED.

Mexican Chief Executive Is Nominated for the Fifth Term.

City of Mexico, June 22.—There was a great demonstration here Sunday in honor of President Diaz, who has been renominated for a fifth term. There was a procession of about 5,000 persons, including 4,000 pure blooded Indians from neighboring villages, carrying banners and flags. The bells were ringing all day and at night there was a display of fireworks. Forty volumes with more than 500,000 signatures favoring the renomination of President Diaz were presented. He had practically no opposition.

Three Killed by Lightning.

Sioux City, Ia., June 24.—This city was visited by a heavy rain and thunderstorm Tuesday morning, and water rushed through the streets, doing much damage. During the storm lightning struck and instantly killed Mrs. Mary Paulsen. At Newell, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson was struck, and they were both killed together on a lounge.

Killed His Wife and Himself.

Wichita, Kan., June 23.—In a fit of insane jealousy, O. E. Hart, a prominent young man here, shot and killed his wife Sunday afternoon, then turned the weapon on himself and sent a bullet through his brain.

EVACUATION DAY.

Detroit Prepares for a Big Celebration on July 11.

Detroit, June 23.—Detroit will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the evacuation of the city by the British, July 11, in a manner befitting the historic character of the event. The success of the celebration was assured Monday afternoon at a general meeting of all the committees assigned to prepare for the celebration. Gen. R. A. Alger presided. The reports submitted showed systematic progress in all departments. Don M. Dickinson announced having secured the consent of the authorities for the troops in this vicinity and the United States steamer Michigan and crew and the Michigan naval reserves to participate. Gov. O'Ferral, of Virginia, will deliver the oration of the day, and a party of distinguished eastern guests will come from Washington to attend the ceremonies. The principal exercises of the day will be at the new federal building, which stands on what was once the site of the last fort on United States soil which was occupied by the British. The new structure will be elaborately decorated for the occasion.

CROSSED THE DARK RIVER.

Ex-Congressman Stout Passes Away at His Home at Pontiac.

Pontiac, June 20.—Ex-Congressman Bryon C. Stout died at his home in this city Friday morning after a long illness of cancer.

[Hon. Byron Gray Stout was born in Richmond, Ontario country, N. Y., January 12, 1822. Two years later his parents moved to Michigan. Mr. Stout was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1851. He served a term in the state legislature, and was elected to congress in 1863, being defeated for reelection two years later. He was also a member of the Fifty-second congress. In 1862 Mr. Stout was nominated for governor by the union party and indorsed by the democrats, but was defeated owing to his views on the civil war. Mr. Stout was the fusion candidate for United States senator from Michigan in 1883.]

WILL REMEMBER THE DAY.

A Chicagoan Visits St. Joseph and Has All Kinds of Trouble.

St. Joseph, June 23.—W. L. Johnson came over from Chicago and was the victim of aggravating circumstances Monday. He began the day by falling down the long flight of steps that lead to the hotel St. Joseph and narrowly escaped breaking his neck. Then he started up the beach on his wheel, and by accident fell into the lake. Later in the day his wheel was stolen. When he went to take the boat home Monday afternoon he found that his pocketbook containing $85 in cash and $4,000 in securities had been deftly removed by a clever pickpocket.

HONOR FOR CHINESE WOMEN.

Two of Them to Graduate from Michigan's University.

Ann Arbor, June 24.—While some of the Americans in the senior class have been compelled to appeal to the faculty and get special examinations at the last moment in order to go through, two Chinese girls in the class have finished with a splendid record for scholarship, both with the faculty and with their fellow students. They are Meiyie Shie and Ida Kahn, two girls who register from Kiukiang, China, and who are the first Chinese girls to graduate from the University of Michigan, and almost the first Chinese to graduate here.

SUCCESSFULLY LAUNCHED.

Largest Boat Ever Built in Michigan Set Afloat at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 22.—The largest boat ever built in Michigan was successfully launched from the Wyandotte yards of the Detroit Dry Dock company Saturday morning. The new boat was christened "The Senator." She was built for the Wolverine Steamship company, of Detroit, and cost $260,000. She is 420 feet over all, 400 feet keel, 45 feet 6 inches beam and 28 feet deep. She is expected to carry 4,300 gross tons on about 15 feet draft.

Charged with Child Murder.

Menominee, June 23.—Carl Wendel, aged 14, is on trial here for the murder of Eva Lafrenier, aged six. Nearly a year ago the little girl went into the Wendel house and asked Carl for some ice cream. For three months afterward nothing was seen or heard of her, until a noisome stench near the Wendel house caused an investigation. In an unused attic in the Wendel home the decayed body of the child was found.

Denounces the Gold Platform.

Detroit, June 19.—The Tribune, one of the oldest daily newspapers in the west and the leading republican paper of Michigan since the birth of the party, has unequivocally repudiated the action of the republican national convention in declaring absolutely for the gold standard, as against bimetallism. It declares the platform to be unpatriotic and unrepublican.

Found a Counterfeiter's Den.

Niles, June 23.—Louise Leff bought an old house in McBride, Calhoun county, and while tearing it down found counterfeiters' dies, which appeared to have been used considerably, and crude metal. The dies were used to make half-dollars, and bear the date of 1891. For the last two years bad half-dollars have been plentiful in that county.

Many Injured.

Ottawa, Kan., June 10.—By the fall of a balcony here 50 persons were injured, some probably fatally.

Clinton Column.

Two Old Pioneers Gone—96th Birthday—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Ed. Clark took a load to the lakes Tuesday.

Quite a number went to the lakes Wednesday.

Ed Moore and wife, of Rea, called here Monday.

Dr. I. L. Iddings, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

Joe Keeney, of Tipton, was calling on friends Tuesday.

Frank Parker returned from Albion last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Clark visited Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Frank Hogan come home from Chicago Friday for a short visit.

Floyd Rodgers returned from Orchard Lake Thursday, of last week.

Gertrude McAdam went to Manchester Friday for a few days visit.

Miss Julia Sturm spent the latter part of last week at Manchester.

Dr. Turner, of the Shaker Med. Co., drove up from Britton last Friday.

Malinda Nase visited her sister Susie and brothers at Palmyra, this week.

Miss Katie Braun, of Manchester, visited at Chas. Sturm's over Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Clark, of Tecumseh, visited her mother, M M. B. House, Monday.

Mrs. Frank Johnson has been visiting friends in Detroit since last Friday.

Miss Edna Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., is visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

Fred Breese, of Lansing, has been visiting Clinton friends for the past few days.

Geo. W. Freeze spent Sunday with L. W. Kimball's family at Wamplers lake.

Will Goosmer arrived from Battle Creek Tuesday for a visit with home friends.

J. W. Bradner returned home last Friday from a visit at Angola and Hudson, Ind.

John Jackson and wife, of Manchester, visited H. D. Niblack and wife on Monday.

Mr. Bliss and mother, of Saline, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lindsley, Sunday.

Mrs. John Southwick and son were the guests of Leman Bailey and wife over Sunday.

G. R. Gillespie and C. H. Thompson were called to Ann Arbor Tuesday on legal business.

Geo. Runyon, J. C. Fitzgerald, S. W. Demuth and Willie were fishing at Evans Lake Tuesday.

James Moore, the genial host at Wamplers lake was shaking hands with Clinton friends Tuesday.

Alonzo Clark left for Chicago yesterday, where he has business interests that require his attention.

John Riley and Herbert Barkwell, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends the last of the week.

Hause & Son attended the funerals of Mrs. Carmer here, and James Langan, of Macon, Tuesday afternoon.

David Woodward and wife brought their little grand-daughter, Donna, home with them from Hudson.

Nellie Martin and Floy Avery leave Monday for Ypsilanti, where they will attend the Normal summer school.

Mrs. A. C. Huntington, daughter Carrie and children left Monday for Bay View, where they expect to pass the heated term.

L. W. Kimball and family and Mrs. G. R. Wolf have been spending the past week at the "Tarry-a-While" cottage at Wamplers lake.

The ladies of St. John's society will hold their next social at the home of C. Schmidt Thursday, July 2. Supper from 5 to 7. Everybody invited.

Eva Shimman and Edna Kies attended the Saline High School Commencement Wednesday evening. Miss Abbie Chandler being one of the graduates.

Clark Baker joined his people here Monday from Battle Creek, Tuesday, the family went to Sand Lake. They will occupy the Kies cottage for two weeks.

Mrs. Katner, who has been very ill and still very feeble, was brought down to her son Will's Tuesday, where she can have every attention. She is over 80 years of age.

W. C. Rowland and Maud Starrett went to Ypsilanti Friday to attend the commencement exercises at the Normal. They also visited Prof. Daniels and wife at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Margery Rose had a night blooming Cerus bloom Sunday evening. It was on the veranda of the Edrose and was inspected by scores of people. It never bloomed so early in the season before.

Col. A. T. Bliss, Tent No. 566, K. O. T. M. will hold their anniversary service Sunday, June 28th. at 10:30 at the M. E. church, sermon by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell. All Sir Knights are requested to meet at the K. O. T. M. hall to march to the church in a body.

The funeral of Mrs. Carmer was held at her late residence on Jackson street, Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating. Mrs. Carmer had lived in this vicinity for many years. She was sick about seven weeks, her death occuring Sunday morning. She was 76 years old and leaves two sons and two daughters.

Frank Lancaster took Ralph Kishpaugh, Vern Davis, Frank Burroughs, Fred Johnston, Carl Keyser, Jay Gibson, Charles Semark and John Hardiman, with their tents and provisions to Wamplers lake Monday, where they are camping out for the week. Rev. W. R. Blachford will look after the boys. Frank says of all the crews he has carried, this was the jolliest.

Chas. Carroll is home from Detroit.

Grace Collins, of Macon, was in town Saturday.

A. J. Waters, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

J. L. Kishpaugh, of Britton, was in town Saturday.

E. W. Freese returned Saturday from his western trip.

Philip Keusch was home the latter part of the week.

A. H. St. John and wife visited Dundee friends last week.

Miss Abbie Chandler, of Saline, visited Mrs. J. S. Kies last Sunday.

Steve Huntington started Monday for Pesbtigo, Wis., to visit his parents.

D. Woodward and wife visited their son in Hudson from Saturday till Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Camburn and daughter, drove over from Tipton last Friday.

Miss May Morey, of Brooklyn, visited at Dr. Tuttle's from Saturday until Tuesday.

Rev. W. C. Stevenson visited his family in Toledo from Monday until Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Codling and daughter, of Tecumseh were the guests of Mrs. Hattie Keyser Tuesday.

E. D. Newcomb and wife, of Brooklyn, visited at Jno. T. Clark's from Saturday till Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Wood, of Tecumseh, who has been visiting Mrs. C. F. Clark, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Janet Walker has been entertaining her daughter, Aggie, from Scotch Ridge, Ohio, the past week.

Dr. Elizabeth Newcomb, of Tewksberry, Mass., arrived Monday for a few day's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark.

Little Mamie Keyser is visiting her uncle Robert Codling's family and grand-mother, Mrs. Henriett Keyser, at Tecumseh.

Our venerable friend, Mrs. Maria Hixson, who was born June 26, 1800 and is 96 years old to-day, was quite sick the first of the week and so her birthday anniversary was postponed. A full account of it will appear in this column when it occurs.

The funeral of David W. Palmer, one of the pioneers of Southern Michigan, whose death occured at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Lowry last Saturday, took place at the house Monday and was largely attended. Mr. Palmer was 89 years of age. He had won bright laurels as an Instructor and had occupied many public offices. A number of children and his aged companion survive him.

MANCHESTER.

Maccabee Meeting—Many Personal Mentions.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Leavenworth, of Grand Rapids, is visiting friends here.

Miss Orrell Grisby returned to her home at Allegan Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Blinn, of Clayton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Milo Rowe.

Miss Edith Case goes to Ann Arbor on Saturday, to attend the summer school.

Mrs. Sarah Sheldon and daughter, of Mt. Pleasant, are guests of William Burtless.

Fred Burtless returned from Toledo, where he is attending a business college, on Friday.

Misses Julia Conklin, Julia Martin, and Edith Knapp are at home from school duties in Ypsilanti.

About 20 lady Maccabees came from Grass Lake to attend the meeting of L. O. T. M. Tuesday evening.

The Manchester Epworth League are preparing to serve dinner and ice cream in the Bessac store, on the 4th of July.

The friends of Prof. John S. Copp, of Hillsdale, were pained to hear of his death, which took place last Saturday.

Miss Lois McMahon, who teaches in the Normal, sails for England on Saturday, where she will spend her vacation.

David W. Palmer, of Bridgewater, died at River Raisin, Friday, June 19. He was born in Connecticut June 5th, 1807, and came to Michigan in October, 1836. His first wife died in 1833 and he married Fidelia Randall in 1837. She, with seven children, survive him. The funeral was held at 10:30 a. m., Monday, attended by a large concourse of friends.

Are you suffering from rheumatism? Thomas' Electric Oil has cured thousands of the worst cases of this terrible disease. It only costs 50 cents to try it. 1w

The boy drowned in the river at Bay City last Tuesday has been identified as the son of Mrs. Joseph Polczenszny.

The Habits of Children

Should be closely watched and regulated by mothers. Carelessness in childhood often leads to serious troubles in after life. The digestive organs and bowels should be kept in the best possible condition to insure good health, not only for the present, but for years to come. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a harmless but potent remedy, corrects all such evils in children. Twenty doses (for children) 10c, at Orr & Temple's. june

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The Lake Shore in connection with the Ohio Central and Big Four railways are now running two trains daily each way between Detroit, Toledo and Cincinnati. This line lands you in Cincinnati at the Grand Central Union Station right in the heart of the city and if you are going beyond you have a decided advantage as there is no transfer necessary. The trains of the Q. & C., L. & N., Ill. Central, Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio roads all leave from Grand Central Union Station. Parlor cars on day trains and Wagner sleepers on night trains. Further information given by any Lake Shore Ticket Agent, also by addressing A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio, or H. J. Rhein, General Agent, Detroit, Mich. june19 t3

A call has been issued for a national convention of the Negro National Democratic League. The convention will be held in Chicago, August 11.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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A few miles from Boonville, Ky., Mrs. J. McIntosh killed Mrs. Polly Ann Fox with a knife. The two women had had trouble over a man.

Good Health

And a good appetite go hand in hand. With the loss of appetite, the system cannot long sustain itself. Thus the fortifications of good health are broken down and the system is liable to attacks of disease. It is in such cases that the medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla are clearly shown. Thousands who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla testify to its great merits as a purifier of the blood, its powers to restore and sharpen the appetite and promote a healthy action of the digestive organs. Thus it is, not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story and constitutes the strongest recommendation that can be urged for any medicine. Why not take Hood's Sarsaparilla now? 1w

Percie J. Spencer has been commissioned postmaster at Harlan, Mich.

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The International News and Book Co., of Baltimore, Md., offer $200 to any agent who will sell in three months 255 copies of their book, "Campaign and Issues of '96." A full, graphic and complete account of the Campaign,—all sides given. Beautifully illustrated. Biographies of the leading men in each party. The book of all others to sell now. Freight paid and credit given. Complete outfit 15 cents. Write them immediately. A gold watch given in addition to commission for selling 70 copies in thirty days. Agents wanted also for other books and Bibles. june26 t4

A mass convention of the prohibition party has been called to meet at Lansing, July 3.

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The corner-stone of a new G. A. R. hall at Twin Lakes, Muskegon Co., was laid last Wednesday.

Not many business houses in these United States can boast of fifty years' standing. The business of Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., whose incomparable Sarsaparilla is known and used everywhere, has passed its half-centennial and was never so vigorous as at present. 1w

LITERARY NOTES.

The July Forum will contain a noteworthy paper by the Hon. William E. Russell, of Massachusetts, entitled "Jefferson and His Party To-Day."

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Elizabeth Stuart Phelps will publish in McClure's Magazine for July her recollections, which are very intimate and interesting, of Longfellow, Whittier and Holmes.

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"The Landlord at Lion's Head," a new novel by W. D. Howells, will be begun in the issue of Harper's Weekly dated July 4th. Illustrations for this story have been made by W. T. Smedley.

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In a few days President Angell will complete the twenty-fifth year of his services as President of the University of Michigan, and in the July number of The Forum, Dr. Martin L. D'Ooge, the oldest member with one exception, of the University Faculties, contributes a paper reviewing his long and valuable administration.

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In Harper's Round Table, published June 23, is an excellent story by James Barnes, entitled "The Hidden Treasure of King Oban," and the second part of a humorous story by R. K. Munkittrick, entitled "Slambangaree." "A Virginia Cavalier," the new serial by Molly Elliott Seawell, grows more interesting. Kirk Munroe's serial, entitled "Rick Dale," is proving to be one of the best boy's stories he has written.

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Ex-President Harrison will discuss our national finances in an article on "The Secretary of the Treasury," which will appear in the August issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. He will tell briefly of the origin of our financial system; its expansion or development; how the nation raises its revenues, and disburses its moneys; and detail the faults of our system of financiering. Referring to the methods necessary to maintain our gold reserve General Harrison expresses himself with evident disapproval, and says that "the present situation would be absurd if it were not so serious." The increase or diminution of the gold reserve, the ex-President asserts, powerfully affects every interest, and the "mending of the existing conditions will be a task for the wisest and strongest statesmanship."

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Whoever cares to know how Rudyard Kipling composes one of his spirited barrack-room ballads will be interested in the opening paper in McClure's Magazine for July. Written by Mr. E. Kay Robison, with whom Kipling was intimately associated in the editorship of a newspaper in India, the paper is full of interesting personal facts about Kipling. But perhaps surpassing this in a paper of recollections of Longfellow, Whittier, and Holmes, by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps. Whittier, it appears, while never lacking for affectionate care, and never losing his cheerful tone, was, in his last years, much oppressed by loneliness; and Holmes, while outwardly so merry a man, was at heart grave almost to melancholy. In his later years the latter experienced, too, quite a radical change in his religious views. Both papers are fully illustrated with portraits and other pictures; and, forming an independent article, is a comprehensive series of portraits of Longfellow.

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The complete novel in the July issue of Lippincott's is "A Judicial Error," by Marion Manville Pope. It is a strong story, based on a murder for which the wrong man was convicted and hanged. He has a friend who determines to prove his innocence, and does it. This plot involves some rousing scenes and situations, and the author has not been slow to improve her opportunities.

"A Twenty-dollar Bill," by Algernon Tassin, is a pathetic tale of honesty among the very poor and in the face of the strongest possible temptation—to save a sister's life. Gilliam W. Ford tells about "The Rector's Game-cock," which came to the minister in a singular way, and was thenceforth a bird of peace. Jean Wright narrates briefly "An Old Story"—which is not a familiar or commonplace one at all—of the army.

A Russian, who for obvious reasons withholds his name, writes forcibly on the "Decadence of Modern Russian Literature." His terrible array of facts shows clearly, what might be expected, but has not been much thought of at this distance, the benumbing effect of despotism when vigorously exercised through a censorship of the press.

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The July number of Harper's Magazine will open with a paper on General Washington and the period of the Revolution, by Woodrow Wilson. Rarely has a historic personage been made so real and human as Washington appears (thanks to the art of this skillful writer) in camp and on the battle-field no less than in the Virginia House of Burgesses or at his Mount Vernon plantation. Mr. Pyle' illustrations of historic scenes worthily accompany Professor Wilson's admirable studies of colonial life and politics.

The number will be strong in fiction. There will be presented the opening chapters of "Two Mormons from Muddlety," a three part novelette, by Langdon Elwyn Mitchell, whose scene is laid among the West Virginian hills, and whose characters are the rude population of a primitive community, enlivened by the visits of two Latterday Saints engaged in proselyting. The story will be illustrated by Gilbert Gaul. "The Wedding Gown," a charming poem by Alice Archer Sewell, will appear with four page illustrations by H. Siddons Mowbray. Other poems in the number will be "A Wayside Grave," by Margaret E. Sangster, and "Orbis Terræ," by C. H. Gothwaite.

Word comes from all quarters that the neatest and most satisfactory dye for coloring the beard a brown or black is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers. 1w

Song of the Washboard.

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Wexford county republicans declared in favor of A. O. Wheeler, of Manistee, for governor.

TOO MUCH WORK

For a Healthy Existence.—That's Why the Kidneys so often Fail.

Nature has provided a certain amount of work for every organ of the human body; overtax the and disease eventually follows. There is not one portion of our organism that is so overworked as the kidneys; on them is placed the important function of filtering the blood of the impurities which naturally form in the regular action of life and digestion. The kidneys are consequently termed the sewerage of the system; clog up this sewer, and the blood becomes tainted with poisonous uric acid, which brings on disease in many forms. The back is the first to show this stoppage. From there comes the warning note; it should be heeded, and the kidneys receive prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills will right the action of the kidneys quickly, relieve the back of pains and aches, and cure all troubles of kidneys and bladder. Read the following:

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Narrow Escape—Lawn Ornamentations, etc.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Will Helm was in Adrian Monday.

John Bachtold was in Adrian Wednesday.

L. Kishpaugh called on Jackson friends Sunday.

Remember Teeple the artist is in Britton Tuesdays.

Where was Art Lee Wednesday? That is the query.

W. Lenardson and wife were in Toledo Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James DuBois have returned from their eastern trip.

Jas. DuBois & Co. shipped 3 cars of baled hay from Azalia Monday.

Miss Minnie Morrell was the guest of Adrian friends part of last week.

All those having laundry work will please leave it with us no later than Tuesday noon. LENARDSON BROS.

Mrs. George Gripton and wife visited relatives in Toledo Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Sly, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Maynard Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Helm and daughters have been visiting her people in Franklin.

Our people is making a great reduction in prices. Call and see for yourself.

Minnie Saxton now rides a Stormer wheel, purchased of Jas. Haight & Co.

Mrs. Fred Morrell is enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. Felch, from the east.

Ernest Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was shaking hands with Britton friends Monday.

Ralph Kishpaugh is camping out at Kempler's lake with a party of Clinton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thackery left Wednesday for a two week's visit with Toledo friends.

Don't let flies torment your horses, when you can buy fly nets so cheap of Jas. Haight & Co.

The ladies Aid society of the Christian church held a meeting at the parsonage Wednesday, followed by a supper.

Farmers, do not forget that we will sell you your binder twine whenever you want it, and can meet any competition. We carry 4 grades so can please all. LENARDSON BROS. & DUBOIS.

Tomorrow evening our citizens will have a rare musical treat. The band boys will give their first open air concert.

Butter is so cheap now days it don't pay to churn. So get a freezer of Jas. Haight & Co. and enjoy ice cream. It will cool you, delight you and make you good natured.

The Shaker Medicine Co., after a six months stay, left Sunday for Milan. By their genial though quiet manner and strictly honorable business transactions they made many friends, who will remember them kindly.

Owing to the ill health of her husband, Mrs. Campbell has closed her millinery business and moved back to Ridgeway. We regret to lose them and hope Mr. C. may regain his health when they return to us.

The people, the popular artist, is just now offering a special inducement to those having photos taken. A fine picture is a joy forever. Now is the accepted time.

Will Osgood and Ed Gripton left Monday morning on a fishing tour to Stony Lake. They expected to return Wednesday but not appearing as expected their friends concluded they must have succumbed to the wiles of the water nymphs and mermaids.

17 pounds granulated sugar—$1.00
8 bars Lenox or Jaxon soap—25 cents.
10 bars Beacon soap—25 cents.
7 pounds bulk starch—25 cents.
1 pound Japan tea, good as others sell at 40 cents only 25c at Lenardson Bros.

We have always considered Will J. Britton possessed of many accomplishments, but the past week he has demonstrated marked ability in a new role, that of landscape gardener. The Wabash depot grounds have been very tastefully laid out, under his directions, and contains many set figures, which when filled with plants, will be very attractive. No doubt Brittons fair visitors will see that he has plenty of courage to carry out dis artistic design in full.

Now is the time to get rope, pulleys and other tools. Jas. Haight & Co., has them, and cheap.

Alexander Peters, youngest son, a lad of about 15 years old, had a very narrow escape from a serious accident if not death Wednesday. When the Wabash train pulled in he was on the platform and he very carelessly attempted to get on. Not paying much attention to what he knew he was on the ground between the platform and car. Preserving his presence of mind he kept his hold and by great effort drew himself up till he reached the platform and threw himself away from the train. His strength was all gone for a time. He was thoroughly frightened and it is hoped this will prove a lesson to him.

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Then go ahead. If your blood is impure, your appetite failing, your nerves weak, you may be sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla is what you need. Then take no substitute. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. This is the medicine which has the largest sales in the world, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier.

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RIDGEWAY.

Another Ice Cream Social—Many Personal Mentions.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Leila Sutton is visiting Toledo friends.

Mrs. Sarah Rappleye was in Adrian Monday.

Go to Ed Smith's for binder whips.

F. L. Cook, of Lansing, spent Sunday in the village.

Alfred Lucking of Detroit was in the village Monday.

C. M. Gove is making quite extensive repairs on his barns.

James Nelson, of Hudson, visited old friends the first of the week.

C. L. Lowe is in Adrian attending the board meeting of supervisors.

Mrs. A. Lake, who has been visiting in Cincinnati, returned home Saturday.

Fruit jars, caps and rubbers, at Ed T. Smith's.

Best grades of binder twine and machine oil at lowest prices at Ed Smith's.

Bertha Allison, of Ypsilanti, visited her uncle, Theodore Allison, last week.

Get your binder twine of Lenardson Bros. & DuBois at Britton. They deliver it.

John Barneby, of Raisinville, spent Monday with his sister Mrs. Susan Clark.

Buy your hay rope and forks of Ed Smith.

Mrs. H. Brown, of Grand Ledge, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Smith.

Mrs. Daniel Allen and daughter, Jennie, went to Ithica last week to visit relatives.

Dr. Loree visited his daughter, Mrs. L. M. Palmer, in Jackson, Thursday and Friday.

Arthur Mapes, of Geneva, came down Saturday on his wheel and spent Sunday with friends.

Mrs. W. L. Jones and daughter, May, left for Brooklyn, N. Y., Friday, to visit her sister, Ella Hall.

Byron Begel, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his wife at the home of her father, Wm. Barrett.

Go to Ed Smith for screen doors, window screens and wire cloth.

Lulu Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, who has been visiting in this vicinity for the past week, returned home Sunday.

Miss Franc Baker, secretary of the W. F. M. S., will fill the pulpit next Sunday both morning and evening.

Why be troubled with flys when you can get screen doors and window screens so cheap of Jas. Haight & Co.

Quite a number went to Tecumseh Sunday evening to hear Rev. Varner in his discourse on "Christian Citizenship."

Parties wanting to buy binder twine will do well to call on Ed Smith. He has a large stock of four grades of the best twine made, at lowest prices.

Several of the young people went over to the Raisin Valley M. E. church Sunday evening to hear the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the Seminary.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve ice cream and cake on Henry Curtis' lawn next Wednesday evening. The Britton band will furnish music for the occasion. Conveyances will be provided for those who have none, they will be at Mr. Gould's store at 7:30.

SOUTH MACON.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bailey spent a few days of last week in Ypsilanti.

George Miller, who has been teaching in the upper peninsula the past year, called on friends here Saturday.

Mrs. B. J. Bond, Mrs. J. E. Baker and Georgiana Baker attended the Normal choir concert in Ypsilanti Monday evening.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meets as usual Sunday evening. Topic: "True Manliness and Womanliness." Members, please remember this is our consecration meeting.

Food, undigested, is poison. Digested, it is life and strength. Millions of us suffer from indigestion, but we often don't know it. We think it is something else. Even doctors often mistake the symptoms.

Pale, thin people, who are overworked, who need strength, who seem in want of proper food, should take Shaker Digestive Cordial. It is astonishing what food will do, when properly digested. It will make you strong, revive you, refresh you, sustain you, make you fat, restore your color, make muscle, brain fibre, courage endurance, energy; increase your power to throw off disease and make you healthy and happy.

Indigestion does just the opposite, but indigestion can be cured and prevented with Shaker Digestive Cordial. Sold by druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents. 1w

John H. McDowell, of Union City, Tenn., has been appointed sergeant-at-arms of the people's party national convention which meets at St. Louis next month.

Purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will give you an appetite, tone your stomach and strengthen your nerves. 1w

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was the first and is the only high grade baking powder sold at a moderate price, Food prepared with it is free from Rochelle Salts, Alum, Lime, Ammonia, or any injurious substance. Avoid any baking powder that sells at 40 to 50cts. per pound, as they leave in the food more than 70 per cent of the quantity used as Rochelle Salts. Such powders are dangerous. 1w

HOLLOWAY.

Ice Cream Social—School Closes—Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Rev. Stead was at Ann Arbor a day or two last week.

The Misses Ray and Fish entertained the Dramatic Club on Thursday evening.

Mr. James Lane and wife attended the G. A. R. reunion at Hudson last week.

Frank Stead returned from Ann Arbor University last week to spend the vacation with his parents.

Get a Wayne bike of Lenardson Bros

W. P. Rainey went to Jonesville on Tuesday to attend a wedding.

Rev. A. T. Stead will preach the memorial sermon at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning.

Grandma Campbell formerly of this place, but now of Maple Rapids is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Jennie Gillespie, of Tecumseh, is now the guest of her cousins the Misses Bertha and Blanche Macham.

Miss Abbie Ray closes her school in the Kelly District, where she has taught four years and will return another year.

An interesting report of the K. O. T. M. convention at Saginaw, was given on Friday evening by Com. Sir Knight Doty, at the joint meeting held at Mr. J. McIntyres.

The Sir Knights and Lady Maccabees will hold an ice cream social at the new hall on Saturday evening, proceeds to go toward purchasing a carpet for the hall. Every one come and bring your friends.

CONE.

Birthday Party—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Bertha Jourdan was in Ann Arbor last week.

Mrs. Hannah Austin is quite sick this week.

There will be no service at the church next Sunday evening.

Sarah Sherwood is visiting her sister Mrs. Henry Tee, of Toledo.

Thomas Caswell now gets a pension. He also received $930 back pay.

Mrs. Acker is spending a few days with her daughter in Tecumseh.

May Lowry, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Rose Vandeventer last week.

Meda Auten is spending the week with Mrs. Fred Miller, near Ridgeway.

Charley Kent and family came up from Toledo Saturday to stay a few days.

Ona Curry, who has been very sick for the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Get your binder twine of Lenardson Bros. & DuBois, at Britton. They deliver it.

Will McCormick and friend Allan Cook came up on their wheels from Toledo Saturday and spent Sunday at Bert Caswell's.

Reuben Howard and family, Hebron Camburn and wife, Mrs. Chloe Auten and Cannie Auten came down from Ashley on the excursion last Sunday.

Della Craig received a fine gold watch and chain from her parents Wednesday, June 17, it being her nineteenth birthday. In the evening a number of her friends made her a surprise party and presented her with an album and a pair of vases.

A campmeeting under the auspices of the Second Baptist church, of Jackson, will begin a ten day's meeting in S. H. Rendel's grove Saturday, June 27. On Sunday at 3 p. m. the return of the prodigal son will be represented, in which the fatted calf will be killed, barbecued and eaten. There will also be present a number of fine singers.

A man may dress as well as his own good judgement and the assistance of an artistic tailor may elect. He may take his "tubs" but if his digestive organs are out of order, he will have an unwholesome appearance. His complexion and the white of his eyes will have a yellowish cast. His tongue will be coated, appetite poor, his teeth rusty, his breath abominable. He is one big, unmistakable sign of constipation. The quickest, surest, easiest way to cure this trouble is to take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are made of refined, concentrated vegetable extracts. Nothing in the least harmful enters into their composition. They hunt down all impurities, and "make them move on." They are the product of many years' study and practice. Dr. Pierce cannot afford to put forth a worthless article.

Address, with 21 cents in one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and get a free copy of the "Medical Adviser." 1w

The wife of Jacob Wackerly, of Bay City, attempted to commit suicide by hanging, but was discovered and cut down just in time.

A Word or Two

to those suffering from catarrh, or the thousands subject to severe attacks of cold in the head, will not be amiss if a sure remedy can be offered. Ely's Cream Balm has become a favorite in all sections of the United States, because of its effectiveness. Your cold in the head will be quickly relieved by it, and the severest attack of catarrh will yield to and be perfectly cured by a through treatment. Catarrh is not a blood disease, but an inflamation of the passages of the nose and throat, due to climatic changes. 9

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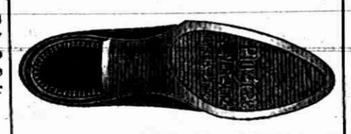

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Mrs. DIANA RIGGS, Hillsdale, Mich.

"Was sick for four years with enlargement of the Liver and Spleen, and General Prostration of the Nervous System; was attended by two of the best Doctors in the town and used no end of Patent Medicines, all who saw me thought there was no relief except by death, which seemed sure. A friend recommended Dr. F. French's Unequaled Blood Purifier and Rheumatic Remedy; in less than a week after I commenced taking it I was better. Six bottles cured me. You are welcome to use my name and this statement, and also refer anyone to me either personally or by mail, and I will tell them much more than I can write."

We have many more letters to the same effect.

This preparation is in no way to be classed among the many worthless Patent Medicines of the day, being simply a Prescription used by Dr. F. French, of Hillsdale, for many years in his practice. It is offered to the public with the full assurance of its being the Best Medicine on Earth for the cure of Rheumatism in all its various forms. Affections of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys, Scrofula-Eruptions, and Cutaneous Diseases, Female Weakness, and all complaints arising from an Impure Condition of the Blood.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 26, 1896.

Should the democrats nominate Boise, of Iowa, there could not be any honest mud throwing during the campaign, for personally both McKinley and Boise are above reproach.

The adoption of the Gold Standard plank in the St. Louis platform forces the democrats to come out straight for free silver at the Chicago convention July 7, if they would have any idea of winning at the November election. This is as it should be, for the country demands that this question of finance should be settled.

The politicians all over the state are in a bad way about their party papers. The old Detroit Tribune has come out for free silver and the Adrian Times, Jackson Citizen and other G. O. P. war horses are crazy, advising all good republicans to stop the Tribune, and at the same time wondering what they will do for a state party organ. The Detroit Journal is about half and half republican gold standard and the Free Press is "Between the Devil and the Deep Sea," favoring gold money, but hardly knowing what to do in face of such a strong free silver sentiment among the Michigan democrats. And the editorials at this exciting political time about "Destruction of the Forests" "Outrages in Cuba," etc., etc., are very "pat." Verily the life of the editor of a political organ is hard. His brain must be fertile and his body capable of squeezing through minute holes.

The time is now at hand for the establishment of Postal Savings institutions in the United States. The laboring wage earner should be afforded a place of absolute security for his earnings at the same time he should be able to draw some interest. This period of hard times has given to the wage earner a spirit of unrest, he should be encouraged to save even if only a trifle at a time. The existing tendency is that National banks will discontinue the payment of any interest on deposits even now the question is being agitated by metropolitan bankers whether to discontinue all interest or reduce the rate to 2, 2 1-2 or, at most, 3 per cent. This will effect the country banks so they will be able to pay very little if any interest and the country should provide a Postal Savings Institution on a plan similar to that of Germany and England.

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The boy drowned in the river at Bay City last Tuesday has been identified as the son of Mrs. Joseph Polczenszny.

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Account of the meeting of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, at Cincinnati, July 7-9, 1896, the C., J. & M. Ry. will sell special low rate excursion tickets at rate of one cent per mile for the round trip.

For information as to time of trains and rate see large hand-bills or apply to nearest C. J. & M. ticket agency.

T. C. M. SCHREDLKA,
Gen'l. Pass'r. Ag't.

Thomas H. Swope, of Kansas City, Mo., has made a gift to the authorities of that place of a suburban park of 1,300 acres.

MATINEE.

Fine Races—Great Sport—Track Record Lowered.

A large crowd attended the second matinee last Saturday afternoon, and it is doubtful if ever a more interesting one has been given. Those present were delighted and those who were not there are kicking themselves that they were not. The weather, though at times lowery, was just suited to racing. While there were some fast horses from away, yet the horses entered from here and vicinity, were strictly in it from start to finish, and surprised their most ardent admirers by the grand work they did. Notably was this true with Robert Elliott's bay gelding, Startle; Geo. Teachout's pacer, Central Bay; T. R. Kyle's b. g., Green Goods; and Henry Lancaster's b. m., Clinton Girl. These, all, though in fast company, made the efforts of their lives. There were four races, viz.: 3 minute, 2:40 trot or pace, named race and free for all. In each phenomenal time was made. There was also a bicycle race and a foot race. Captain Kyle is entitled to great credit for furnishing an afternoon of rare enjoyment and he is determined to have all matinees to come, as good if not better.

The afternoon's sport began on time with the 3 minute race in which there were six starters, and the heat was won by Prarie Lil, with Harold 2d, Clinton Girl 3d, Bonnie Bell 4th, Josie L 5th, Valentine 6th. Time 1:24. In the 2:40 trot or pace there were 6 starters, the first heat being won by Frankie B R, Clinton Boy 2d, Frank B 3d, Texas Jim 4th, Maud A 5th, Rightwood 6th. Time 1:17 1-2

In the second heat of the 3 minute race but four contested, Josie L and Valentine being drawn; won by Harold, Bonnie Bell 2d, Clinton Girl 3d, Prarie Lil 4th. Time 1:23.

In the bicycle race there were four starters, who came in as follows; Rosacrans 1st, Bradford 2d, Burleson 3d, and Taylor 4th. Time 1:19 1-3.

2d heat of 2:40 had 5 starters: Frankie B R 1st, Central Boy 2d, Frank B 3d, Texas Jim 4th, Maud A 5th. Time 1:16. The finish between Central Boy and Frank B was very exciting, they came down the stretch neck and neck but the little pacer crossed the wire first.

3d heat 3 minute race: Harold 1st, Clinton Girl 2d, Prarie Lil 3d, Bonnie Bell 4th. Time 1:18 1-2.

The foot race had four starters and Mead won easily, Pritchard 2d, Anderson 3d, Fink 4th. Time 2:34 1-2

In the 3d heat of 2:40 race matters were changed. Frank B was at himself and came in first, Frankie B R 2d, Central Boy 3d, Texas Jim 4th, Maud A 5th. Time 1:14.

2d heat of bicycle race resulted: Rosacrans 1st, Bradford 2d, Taylor 3d, Burleson 4th. Time 1:39 1-2.

Last heat of 3 minute race won by Harold, Prarie Lil 2d, Clinton Girl 3d, Bonnie Bell 4th. Time 1:21.

Taylor and Burleson then rode a heat to see who was entitled to third prize in the bicycle race, and Burleson won. Time 1:33 1-4

Last heat in 2:40 race won by Frank B R, Frank B 2d, Central Boy 3d, Texas Jim 4th. Time 1:14. Another exciting finish between Frank B and Central Bay, while the pacer crossed the wire first, he was set back for running.

In the named race there were four starters, 1st heat won by Bell Boyd, Green Goods 2d, Startle 3d, Hamiltonian Girl 4th. Time 1:21 1-2

In the free for all Red Flame came in first, Panama Gazelle 2d, Frank B 3d, Fannie H 4th. When the time, 1:10, was announced from the stand and the track record tied, a loud cheer went up.

The 2d heat of the named race was won by Startle, Green Goods 2d, Hamiltonian Girl 3d, Bell Boyd 4th. Time 1:16.

2d heat free for all won by Red Flame, Panama Gazelle 2d, Fannie H 3d, Frank B 4th. Time 1:09. When the crowd realized that the track record had been lowered one second they let loose again.

3d heat of the named race resulted as did the 2d save being 1-2 second slower.

Last heat of the free for all was a repetition of the 2d, even to time, 1:09.

Last heat of the named race, won by Startle, Green Goods 2d, Bell Boyd 3d, Hamiltonian Girl 4th. In this heat Startle and Green Goods demonstrated that they were fast ones and aroused great enthusiasm, especially when the time was called out, 1:13¼. Fred Teachout drove Startle, and Campbell, the driver of Red Flame, held the ribbons over Green Goods. This ended the day's races, the best ever on the track.

The next matinee will occur Wednesday, July 15, and will consist of four races: 3 minute, 2:40, free for all, and bicycle race. $25 in three purses will be given in the free for all.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St. South Gardener, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial Bottles Free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store.

A mass convention of the prohibition party has been called to meet at Lansing, July 8.

YARNS.

Short Stories of Local Interest.

Mrs. Hixon, of Clinton village, visited the Brewer homestead, in Tecumseh, a few days ago and amongst other conversation related the fact that in the year 1814 she had the pleasure of riding in the steam war vessel "Fulton the First" commanded by Fulton himself. This was the first steamship. Not only this, but this was the second voyage this first steamship ever made. Mrs. Hixon is one of the most remarkable ladies in Southern Michigan. She is 96 years of age today and not only remembers all that has happened for the last 80 years but has a faculty of telling it in a manner so interesting and entertaining that all are delighted to listen.

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It seems lucky that the aperature in our front window is filled with pine flooring rather than plate glass. Monday, an extremely swarthy coon, suffering from temporary or chronic alcoholism, came along the sidewalk. He acted like a new bicycle rider, he didn't exactly fall down, but could'n control his steering apparatus. He suddenly turned into the office, plunged around behind the door into the wooden glass and fell down into a chair. He afterwards went to bed across the sidewalk on Evan's street but was provided with more comfortable quarters in the cooler.

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Sam Hatch is a farmer, know it for I saw him and he looks like one. All tanned up, hands as hard as door knobs and carries that nervous hungry feeling round with him all the time. For years Sam peddled candy for the largest wholesale house in Detroit. He was known all over Southern Michigan as the best natured man on the road, and it is really quite astonishing to see him settle down now and behave himself. Think of it! Sam Hatch a "Horny handed son of toil."

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Dr. Frost looks like an inoffensive sort of a man still sometimes his very name will cause remarks. I was talking with the doctor the other day, and after the conversation a young lady inquired, "who is that gentleman?" I replied, "That is Dr. Frost, one of Tecumseh's best phicicians," and was startled with the reply "Would'nt that freeze you?"

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B. L. Baxter has a couple of grandchildren, Florence and Frances Winans, who live down in Toledo, and are no doubt the most wonderful grandchildren in the world, and nothing pleases our venerable townsman more than to relate anecdotes about the lives of these little ones. Frances B., he claims is a natural born lawyer and proves this statement by the following story. She and her sister were one day discussing, amongst other things about how good a mother they have. Francis claimed her judgement in picking out so good a mother was something wonderful. Florence, the eldest sister, began to think this a pretty strong statement and said, "How could you, a little baby, not able to talk, pick out your mother?" Frances answered, "That is easy; I simply pointed."

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Up at Hudson lives an old lawyer called "Jeff" Hiller. His boyhood days were spent in the township of Macon and he started out in the practice of law with bright prospects. Fortune did not favor "Jeff," in the latter years of his life, younger members of the bar strode past him in the race, discouragement came, and in settling an estate, about $720 could not be accounted for. He was tried in the circuit court at Adrian and convicted of embezzlement. It was with great reluctance that Judge Lane announced the verdict of the jury and his lawyers asked for and secured a new trial. No doubt this money was used by the old lawyer, if at all, for daily expenses, little by little. The strange part of the story is yet to come. Old "Jeff" Hiller is father of three sons all ministers of the gospel and preaching to larger congregations. It might be possible they could not keep the father out of his trouble, but I doubt it. Shame on such beings who call themselves men.

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THE STOLLBERG & CLAPP CO.,
Distributing Agents, Toledo, Ohio.

The 4th of July

will soon be here. Although we do not celebrate, you will want to go where they do, and you will want to go dressed in the latest style. If you want the very latest in

Dress Goods,
Sun Umbrellas and Parasols,
Ribbons, Velvets, Silks, Laces,
Shirt Waists or Ladies and
Gents Furnishings
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Our butter has secured, and why? Because we keep every pound in a refrigorator and buy only the best selected grades from regular customers, who are noted as fine buttermakers.

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Raspberries.

Red and Black.

But not Green.

There are the sorts we sell and every quart is selected fruit. Takes more sugar to can poor berries than good ones, and you pay no more for the best if ordered from

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and prices can't be beat.

My 50c. uncolored Japan Tea

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For a short time I will give with

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Royal Diamo Tea, a glass dish,

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and Glassware. It will pay you to

come and see my stock before

you buy.

JAMES LOWRY,

LILLEY HOUSE BLK. TECUMSEH, MICH.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 26, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE OR RENT. My Sand Lake cottage, one of the most desirable as to location and equipment, at this popular resort. Mrs. C. M. DeWolf

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Thos. McCann was a Jackson visitor Monday.

Miss Linna Hall returned home Friday last for the summer.

Remember the date of the next matinee is Wednesday, July 15.

Glen Osborne has been the guest of Ben Osborne's family this week.

Tom Holdway, E. L. Teeple and Will Aldrich are up to the lakes today.

For Sale Cheap—A good barn. For particulars inquire at the Herald office.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heck entertained Mr. Rush and wife, of Salem, O., last week.

Mrs. Will Wilson, of Cuyahoga Falls, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eliza Ford.

Jno. Kay is improving the external appearance of his buildings. Mike Gilbert is the artist.

Mr. F. Cole and wife, of Wolf Creek, were the guests of Geo. Teachout and family over Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton and daughter Pearl have been spending a few days with friends in Jackson.

Last Sunday morning a terrible storm passed over Blissfield doing much damage to buildings and crops.

Lydia McNeil and Mrs. Hattie Whitney were the guests of Mrs. Maurice Hart at Holloway Wednesday.

George Teachout's pacer, Central Boy, was being tracted at Dundee by Chas. Hall. He is coming in fine style.

Ernest M. Coller has a wheel—The Regulator. He initiated it today on a bicycling expedition with his brother.

Harry U. Kies, who recently graduated at Orchard Lake with high honors, spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Walter N. Fowler and wife are visiting his people. He is house physician in the Homeopathic Hospital at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Minerva Westcott and little granddaughter, Gracie Whiting, are visiting Somerset friends a pleasant visit.

Leon Rosacrans and Raynor Brewer started out in high spirits Monday morning for a trip to Chicago on their wheels.

Mr. Marsden went to Ann Arbor Tuesday to witness the law class graduates of which a nephew of his is a member.

Fred B. Wood has been in Ann Arbor this week attending commencement exercises. His class held a reunion there, also.

Miss Edna Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., arrived here Saturday and will visit her grandmothers, Mrs. M. A. Freeman, and Mrs. J. S. Kies, at Clinton.

Married, by the Rev. T. H. Warner, at Clinton, Wednesday evening, Adelbert Moulton and Gertrude Stiffens, two popular young people of that pleasant village.

Married, at Christ church rectory, on Friday, the 22nd inst., by the Rev. C. Tanner, Mr. Clarence M. Sweet to Miss M. Reese, both of Tecumseh. Ann Arbor Times.

Mr. Willard Coller, wife and son Fred, 8 years of age, are visiting his father. They all rode their wheels from Hudson Wednesday. Fred, for a boy, is a fine wheelsman.

Charles Everett has rented the Quaker hotel of James A. Boyd and, as soon as the extensive repairs it is undergoing are completed, he will be ready for business. Here's success to you, Charley.

The jury disagreed in the trial of Will Elliott, accused of running a game of fortune on "Pingree Day," at Manchester. Walter Burridge defended the accused man, and it is said the suit will be dismissed.

Rev. B. S. Hudson leaves Monday for Chicago where he will pursue a special line of study in the university. While he is gone Mrs. Hudson and daughter will be members of Mr. Fisher's household.

Mr. McClure drove over from Adrian Sunday in great style. He had an elegant carriage, just made for him, and out of sight. It had cushioned wheels, ball bearing. Sam, what are you up to? It looks a little bit suspicious.

Monday, first day of the week in the month, Will Stevenson and Charles Hall had a little misunderstanding before it was fully settled Will's eye was draped in mourning. It might have been worse had not one of Tecumseh's police force appeared on the scene.

Co. C Company C were out for a drill Wednesday evening on the streets. Milkins and Edgar Coddington executed a series of movements out of the ordinary and not down in any military tactics. The officers and members for a time were amazed, but soon took in the situation and order was speedily restored.

Wednesday and early Monday morning Warner and Tom Lowry started on their wheels for an extended trip. They headed for Chicago. From there they take a trip across the lake to Grand Haven and on their homeward journey will visit Grand Rapids and other points. While they are gone they will take orders for LaBests.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

L. S. & M. S. pay car passed through Wednesday.

W. J. Arnold was in Clinton Wednesday afternoon.

Ed. Clark, of Clinton, was in town Saturday evening.

E. F. Kirchgessner and Geo. Tiffany visited Toledo Sunday.

D. P. Anthony arrived home from the West Saturday morning.

L. W. Hoch, Adrain's post-master, was in Tecumseh Monday.

Bert Tribou was home over Sunday, he still remains one, poor boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, of South Bend, are visiting Mr. Chas. Heck and wife.

Second hand 1895 and 1896 wheels for sale cheap. F. ROSACRANS.

Amongst the Michigan pensions granted last week was one to Thos. Caswell, of Cone.

Mrs. Heber, of Jackson, who visited Mrs. John Alexander last week, returned Monday.

Thos. Elliott, J. W. Wightman, and Mr. Irv. Kennedy and wife were Adrian visitors Monday.

W. B. Odion and Thos. Moffatt took a trip to Reading Saturday on their wheels returning Monday.

Mrs. L. C. Blood, of Lansing, is spending a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Conklin.

Subject for next Sunday evening in the Universalist church: The Salvation of a Bit of Mud.

Lessons given on the mandolin or guitar. For terms enquire of Miss Louise Phelps. 1913

Supervisor Tom Elliott visits the county seat daily to attend meetings of the board of supervisors.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt journeyed Michiganward Monday last. It is to be hoped he will reach Tecumseh.

Geo. S. Spafford went to Addison Tuesday to assist Editor Kempton with his 12th anniversary edition.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich and little son, of Tecumseh, are visiting P. W. Aldrich.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Heesen and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Heck visited the Hurlbut cottage, Sand Lake, Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. David Lewis left for Maine, Monday, where they will engage in tent evangelistic work.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the opera house during the months of July and August. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. F. W. Adams and Mrs. F. W. Hoyt and children, of Battle Creek, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross over Sunday.

Rev. C. M. Brown will address the Mothers' meeting, Friday, July 3, at the opera house at 3 o'clock. All young mothers are especially invited to attend.

Mell Barnes left for Elkhart Monday afternoon and the Stimpson Scale Co. all went before him. The Herald wishes the concern all success in their new location.

Roy Burlingame, Leon Burlingame, Newberry Satterthwaite, Dr. O. F. Tefft, Earl Updyke, Vern Smith, and Edgar Coddington were Sand Lake visitors Sunday.

Dr. R. B. House, of Springfield, O., is visiting hereabouts this week. The Doctor looks as if the Ohio climate agreed with him and states that it is all McKinley down in his state.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held Wednesday, July 1, at the home of Mrs. Remington. Meeting to be called at 2:30, a full attendance is desired.

The Herald is in receipt of a very fine poster announcing and describing the 4th of July celebration at Adrian. Many attractions are presented and a grand old fashioned day may be anticipated.

The Herald is in receipt of a very neat commencement program of the Normal Conservatory of Music of Ypsilanti. Miss Gussie Burlingame, formerly of Tecumseh, is a member of the class and delivers an essay on the occasion.

Howard Nichols, of Saline, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Wednesday. Mr. N., for the past two or three months has visited many Michigan towns and he remarked that Tecumseh's streets were in the finest condition of any town he had seen.

Come early on Thursday, the 23rd of July, and stay late for there will be much to occupy your attention. The great ten mile road race and exhibition of trick and fancy riding by Sid Black, the world's most celebrated rider, will be given in the morning absolutely without charge, while the track events will occupy the entire afternoon.

The state convention of the National Party has been called to meet in the rink, at Lansing, at 2 p. m. Friday, July 3 and continue July 4. This is a mass convention and all favoring the platform of the National Party, regardless of past political affiliations, are invited to participate. One fare for the round trip. Mrs. Helen M. Gougar and other able orators will speak.

The Commercial Telegraph company is almost in a state of "innocuous disuetude." Some weeks since Gurdon Garlinghouse resigned the office of general manager and since then the things have been running themselves. It is said that many poles are in a dangerous condition and if any accidents happen the directors and company would be legally responsible. The treasury contains no money and truly matters are in a bad way. It is simply another case of giving too much for the money; if every subscriber had been obliged to pay a small rental for the use of the wire, beside subscribing for the stock, he would have thought more of the service and no knowing where the usefulness of the line would have stopped. It is hoped the company will be reorganized on a different and better footing.

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A. W. Slayton is in Detroit.

Miss Julia Wood is at home from Dayton, Ohio.

F. D. Avery was a Toledo visitor Wednesday.

Joe Keeney and son Frank, of Tipton were in town Tuesday.

Willis Finch went with the Stimpson Scale Co. to Elkhart, Ind.

Mrs. Darling, of Duluth, Minn., is visiting relatives at her old home.

Miss Clyde Marsteller, of Clinton, has been visiting at E. G. Cook's home.

J. R. Fowler came up from Toledo and spent Sunday with his family.

Gus Wright attended a meeting of the Mystic Shriners at Cleveland this week.

Lamont Bidwell arrived home from Kansas yesterday, says it is very dull out there.

Miss Jetta Burroughs, of Cherokee, Iowa, is visiting the Misses Wilson this week.

Watch the dainty Trilby feet of the rollicking racers reel off the records on Derby Day.

Amongst other improvements are three beautiful office chairs in the Lilley State Bank.

Doctor Frost was in Detroit Monday and Tuesday attending the Medical convention.

Alva Spayde visited Clinton Thursday and returned quite well satisfied with Tecumseh.

John J. Orr and wife enjoyed a visit from Robert Lockhart and wife of Jackson, over Sunday.

John Temple sent out to his farm yesterday a new McCormick boiler purchased of C. A. Slayton.

H. V. C. Hart, wife and two lady friends took a run over from Adrian Monday on their wheels.

Dan Kirchgessner, wife and family, of Minnesota, visited E. F. Kirchgessner the first of the week.

Orr & Temple are ready to assist all in celebrating the Fourth. They have a great display of fireworks.

I will be at The Lilley State Bank every Friday in July, for the purpose of receiving corporation taxes.
F. D. AVERY, Village Treasurer.

C. F. Field, wife and Lizzie were present at the graduation of Miss Abbie Chandler, a neice of Mrs. Fields, at Saline Wednesday.

Lon Henry and daughters came up from Toledo and spent Sunday with his parents. One of the girls remanied for a visit with her grand-parents.

No wonder Frank J. Temple walks with such elastic step, a bouncing baby girl was presented him Tuesday morning. Frank says his happiness is now complete.

Are the timers ready? Are the starters ready? Go! And if you aren't there to see them go you will repent it for years to come. $1,000 in prizes at the Bicycle Derby, July 23.

General James E. Pittman, of Detroit has rented the Knapp residence on Pottawatamie street for the summer and will make this his summer residence, arriving in a week or so.

Helen's Babies were the first real bicycle enthusiasts and though they are grown folks now, they "want to see the wheels go wound" and will be in Tecamseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Horatio Keyser is attending commencement exercises at Adrian this week. Miss Mary, daughter of M. P. Brown, who formerly lived here, and a namesake of Mrs. K., being one of the graduates.

Buy the infant prodigy a red tin bank. Give him a penny a day until the day of the races and if he comes to Tecumseh he will have more fun with the contents of that bank than Noah had with the ark.

The force at the L. S. M. S. station has been reduced by laying off the baggageman, Chas. Orr. Charley has been a faithful employee for a number of years and it is to be hoped the "lay off" will be only temporary.

Married, at the Baptist parsonage, by Rev. B. S. Hudson, Wednesday evening, June 24, Mr. George Rendel, of Milan, and Miss Mabel Allen, of Macon. Their future home will be at Macon, Mr. Rendel being a teacher at that place.

Mrs. Alva Waring will sell Rev. W. G. Puddefoot's new book, "The Minute Man on the Frontier." Every one in in Tecumseh remembers Mr. Puddefoot and many will be interested in his book which is spoken of very highly by pulpit and press.

Rob Moore has one show window in his store which looks just like Fourth of July. Not only do the boys look into this window with much pleasure but all the old men seem to be interested. Call and see how cheap he sells these Fourth necessities.

"Wolf" Marsh is getting to be an expert in the line of having runaways. Last Friday his mule team got a good start and played tag all around the soldiers' monument in the square. Wednesday his other team got even by smashing the butcher wagon into a thousand pieces. All now mended up ready for another start.

A noticable improvement has been made in the electric street lights and the management of the company informs the Herald that nearly every lamp has been taken down, cleaned and readjusted within the last few days, and the good work will not stop till every lamp is in the best working order. The company is also making special inducements to private customers in way of rates and wiring that all may make it a matter of economy to put incandesant lights in their residences and stores. Certainly electric lights are a great luxury and with the prices as low as in Tecumseh, are becoming a necessity.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mrs. Wm. Heck, of South Bend, is at John Heck's.

John Riley visited his uncle's family at Adrian Sunday.

Best material for your Fourth of July celebration can be found at Moir's.

E. E. Russell, of Jackson, visited Tecumseh friends yesterday and today.

Miss Mary Riley was a guest at Eb. Price's in Britton the last of the week.

John J. Orr, Fred B. Wood, James A. Boyd and Dr. R. B. House will attend commandery meeting at Adrian this evening.

C. F. Field, wife and Lizzie have gone to Manchester today. Fred will attend the alumni meeting this evening, he being a member.

Wanted—A reliable man to canvass Lenawee County. The work is light and desirable and will pay well. Must own horse and buggy. Address A. B., care Tecumseh Herald.

The promoters of the great National L. A. W. bicycle meet at Louisville have hung up a total of $2,500 in prizes for a three day's meet, an average of a trifle more than $800 per day. Tecumseh puts up $1,000 for one day's sport and provides many gratuitous attractions for her guests.

Thanks to Street Commissioner Hyde and assistants our streets are being put in elegant condition. It is doubtful if any town around can show anything like them. When all contemplated improvements are finished and grading done the principal streets will look like boulevards. Our citizens are vieing with each other in grading and seeding in front of their homes.

Orr & Temple have just received fine orders from Manchester and Kalamazoo for their white liniment which has become very popular, from the latter comes a request for prices in large quantities. As these orders come unsolicited it speaks volumes for the liniment. These enterprising druggists are manufacturing many preparations that have gained great popularity and are in great demand all over the country.

Henry Ives was born in Steuben county, New York, 80 years and six months ago, Dec. 29, 1815. When 19 years of age he came to Michigan and took up the land which has been his home since that time. When 35 years of age, he was married to Miss Samantha Ann Hall. To them were born two sons and two daughters, three of whom are living. The wife died 24 years ago. Mr. Ives has always been a careful, prudent man, very fond of his family and a good citizen. In a very true sense his life was a success. His last sickness was one of suffering, dropsy of the heart, but he died suddenly without a struggle, Friday, June 19. Funeral service Sunday afternoon, June 25, Rev. B. S. Hudson officiating.

The July number of Harper's Magazine will open with a paper on General Washington and the period of the Revolution, by Woodrow Wilson. Rarely has a historic personage been made so real and human as Washington appears (thanks to the art of this skillful writer) in camp and on the battle-field no less than in the Virginia House of Burgesses or at his Mount Vernon plantation. Mr. Pyle' illustrations of historic scenes worthily accompany Professor Wilson's admirable studies of colonial life and politics.

—See that "Westminister" bicycle for forty dollars in cash, at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Those new white dinner sets at Tansley's are selling fast, the low prices make it.

—Steel forks hay cars, ropes, pulleys, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Phosphated drinks, all kinds, coolest and best at Moir's.

—For binder twine call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Crockery, china and glassware always new, always the best and cheapest at Tansley's.

—Do not forget that Moir keeps a full line of fireworks and his prices are the lowest.

—An elegant line of hammocks at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—When you want something good and useful for a present see what Tansley has got.

—Ice cream best in town at Moir's.

—House and wind will pumps, gas pipes, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Insure your property against cyclones and wind storms of all kinds. Alfred James is offering reduced rates on this class of insurance. Call and see him.

—Furnace work, eaves-troughing and roofing at Satterthwaite Bros.

—300,000 SHINGLES AT COST—
—I am going to sell off my Shingles at Cost for Cash. Never such prices heard of here. White Cedar, Pine and Red Cedar, all will be sold. I hope to close them all out in 30 days. tf
A. W. SLAYTON.

—See these Torrey razors, Northfield pocket knives and "Keenkutter" scissors and shears at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—We do not advertise to give our customers "plain facts" alone for their money. But we do say we will give them Better Furniture and More of it for their money than any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSONS.

—Everything in the line of fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—Bicycle sundries and repairs at Satterthwaite Bros'.

RASPBERRIES.

We are in a position to furnish you with

Red and Black Raspberries

in any quantity at prices that are right, and quality the finest.

ANDERSON BROS.
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We Sell the Leaders
and Lead The Sellers

In our Clothing Department. We have a big line of Men's and Boys' Suits of the Latest Patterns, nicely made up and lined with the best linings, that will suit the most exacting in fit and style, and at Rock Bottom Prices.

WASHABLE SUITS

for children. A big line 3 to 10 years.

A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists.
Former Price 25c. To close 15c.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

OLD POTATOES

If they are well kept are much better than new ones as yet. We have some

Fine, Elegant Old Potatoes

in cold storage. When in need give us a trial.

AVERY & CO.

NEW PROCESS, BLUE FLAME
OIL STOVE.

A Coal Oil Stove that gives a Powerful Blue Flame and operates without smoke or odor. It gives you all the desirable features of a gasoline stove with

One Third

less fuel. It is the perfected "Ideal" summer stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

THE CROPS.

Warm Weather Favorable to Products of the Field.

Lansing, June 24.—The usual report shows generally favorable weather for all crops. Wheat continues to improve and is beginning to turn. Corn has grown slowly, but looks good and healthy. Oats and rye continue finely, and rye is nearly ready to cut. Pastures are good. Weather has allowed much cultivation and given haying a good start.

Decatur, June 24.—The wheat harvest of southern Michigan commenced Tuesday, and most of the grain will be in the shock by July 4, the usual time of beginning cutting. The damage done to wheat by rust and Hessian fly is much less than at first estimated, although in some localities, especially on light soils, the insects caused considerable injury to the crop. In the southwestern counties the acreage planted to what is slightly less than last year, but the excellent yield in the largest grain growing districts will make an increased output this season. The oat crop is the heaviest for years.

CLASS DAY AT ANN ARBOR.

Three Hundred Members in the Law Graduating Class This Year.

Ann Arbor, June 23.—The law seniors, over 300 in number, awoke Monday morning, listened to their last regular lecture, which by a vote of the class was accorded to Prof. Floyd R. Mechem. At two o'clock, in university hall, the annual class exercises were held. A portrait of ex-Dean Jerome C. Knowlton was the memorial presented to the university by the law class of '96. The honor men were Fred L. Ingraham, of Michigan, president; Henry E. Nothomb, of Iowa, poet; Daniel R. Williams, of Missouri, historian; Earl D. Reynolds, of Michigan, orator; Albert A. Huzman, of Ohio, prophet; Edgar P. O'Leary, of Michigan, valedictorian; Daniel R. Hughes, of Missouri, class memorial orator. Regent Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit, accepted the memorial for the university.

BOTH DROP DEAD.

Two Farmers with Almost the Same Names and Same Disease.

Niles, June 21.—Two strange deaths occurred here Saturday morning, remarkable for their similarity. Two miles north of here resided Anson F. Miller, aged 65, a well-to-do farmer. About the same distance east of the city lived Anton Miller, aged 71, one of the oldest settlers in this part of Michigan. Saturday morning at nine o'clock both dropped dead at their respective homes from heart disease. The fact of the gentlemen having the same surname, almost the same given name, both farmers and the death of both at about the exact minute, makes a startling coincidence.

TURNED TO STONE.

Petrifaction of a Body Buried Near Elkhart Four Years Ago.

Niles, June 24.—The body of Christian Bartholomew, who died and was buried near Elkhart four years ago, was recently exhumed for removal to another cemetery, and upon bringing the remains to light it was discovered that the body had not turned to dust, but had become completely petrified. It had the same appearance as when placed in the grave four years before. The body when struck gave forth a ringing sound, like striking a stone. It weighed at least 400 pounds and five men were required to lift it from the grave.

Death of an Educator.

Hillsdale, June 23.—Prof. John S. Copp, of the theological department of Hillsdale college, is dead. For four years Prof. Copp had been unable to sit up, and had suffered intense agoines from a severe strain received while in the army. Prof. Copp was about 55 years old. He graduated with Will Carleton in 1869, and was a member of Kappa Chapter Delta Tau Delta. He was for years the alumni professor of Hillsdale college, and was given a year abroad, which he spent in study at Heidelberg university, and then was made professor of theology.

GARRET A. HOBART.

Sketch of the Life of the Republican Nominee for Vice President.

Paterson, N. J., June 22.—A sketch of the life of the republican nominee for vice president, Garret A. Hobart, may prove interesting at this time and a brief biography follows:

[Garret A. Hobart, nominated by the republican party for the vice presidency of the United States, was born at Long Branch, N. J., in 1844. He graduated from Rutger college before he was 20 years old, and studied law with Socrates Tuttle at Paterson, being admitted to the bar in 1865.

In 1872 he was elected a member of the New Jersey house, and was reelected and was chosen speaker. He declined an election in 1873 and in 1877 he was elected senator from Passaic county. He was reelected to this position, and served in the office from that time until the expiration of the year 1882, being president pro tem. of the body for the last two years of which he was a member.

In 1884 he was nominated by the republican caucus of the legislature for United States senator, but was not elected, as the legislature was democratic, and John R. McPherson was chosen. In 1884 he became a member of the republican national committee.

In business life he has been active and energetic. He is the president of the Passaic Water company, the Acquackanonk Water company, the Paterson Railroad company's consolidated lines, the Morris County railroad and the People's Gas company. He is a director in several national banks, including the First national bank of Paterson and the Paterson savings institutions. He is also on the directory boards of the New York, Susquehanna & Western railroad, the Lehigh & Hudson River railroad, the Barbour Flax Spinning company, the Pioneer Silk company, the Edison Electric Illuminating company, the American Cotton Oil company and some 40 or more additional corporations. With many of those concerns he holds the position of legal adviser.

Mr. Hobart is a resident of Paterson, where he has a beautiful home, which is the center of the social amenities of the city.]

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of the Leading Clubs for the Week Ended June 23.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Perct.
Baltimore	34	18	.654
Cleveland	31	18	.633
Cincinnati	33	22	.600
Boston	29	21	.580
Pittsburgh	28	23	.549
Washington	26	23	.531
Philadelphia	26	24	.520
Brooklyn	27	25	.519
Chicago	29	27	.518
New York	22	31	.415
St. Louis	14	33	.298
Louisville	11	29	.230
Western league.			
Indianapolis	31	16	.652
Detroit	29	19	.604
Minneapolis	31	21	.596
Kansas City	29	23	.558
St. Paul	23	26	.469
Milwaukee	24	30	.444
Columbus	21	34	.382
Grand Rapids	18	37	.327
Western association:			
Des Moines	36	9	.800
Peoria	30	17	.638
Rockford	30	21	.588
Dubuque	27	23	.540
Quincy	14	30	.318
Burlington	19	33	.365
St. Joseph	18	32	.360
Cedar Rapids	16	33	.327

COST THREE LIVES.

Sad Disaster to a Boating Party Near Zanesville, O.

Zanesville, O., June 22.—A sad drowning accident occurred at three o'clock Sunday afternoon on the Muskingum river, four miles below this city. Grant Harvey, aged 33; Emma Collins, aged 21; A. O. Williams, aged 21, and Lulu Evans, aged 16, were out in a skiff in the middle of the river when the boat began to fill with water. Young Williams sprang into the water and with his hands on the boat was swimming for shore, when within 50 feet of the shore the three occupants of the boat became panic stricken and jumped into the water. In their struggle the two young ladies seized Harvey and pulled him down with them, the three sinking immediately. Young Williams was picked up by another skiff in an exhausted condition.

THIRTY THOUSAND DEAD.

Terrific Result of the Late Earthquake in Northern Japan.

Yokohama, June 23.—It is now estimated that 30,000 people were drowned by the tidal wave on the island of Yesso, the northern part of Japan, which accompanied a succession of frightful earthquakes, lasting about 20 hours.

In allition to the town of Kumaishi, which was wholly destroyed, many other coast towns have been washed away entirely or in part.

FATAL CYCLONE.

Four Persons Killed by the Wind's Fury in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, June 24.—Violent storms swept over portions of the state Tuesday and did much damage. In the vicinity of Clayton a cyclone demolished a number of dwellings and one man, name unknown, was killed. The cyclone also passed over Clear Lake, killing one man and destroying much property. The house of John Seaman at Neshkoro was torn down and his daughters, aged six and three years, who were playing on the porch, were killed. At La Crosse houses were torn down and a vast amount of property destroyed.

Bank Fails.

Salt Lake City, June 24.—The private bank known as the Bank of Salt Lake (not incorporated), with James H. Bacon as principal owner, failed to open its doors for business Tuesday, and is in the hands of F. W. Ross, as assignee. The liabilities are about $250,000, which, it is said, will be paid in full.

Still the King.

Sheepshead Bay, June 24.—Henry of Nevarre demonstrated once more his right to the title of king of the turf by winning the 13th Suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay. Commoner was second, Clifford, third. Time, 2:07.

Big Mass Convention of Silverites.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 24.—A mass convention of the silverites of this state, without regard to party, has been called to meet in this city July 16 to elect delegates to the national bimetallic convention in St. Louis.

Are State Champions.

Lansing, May 30.—Ann Arbor won the state high school baseball championship Friday, defeating Lansing by a score of 16 to 9.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Many Matters of General Interest Noted Below.

President Bowen, of Kalamazoo college, has put the institution out of debt by presenting $5,000 in cash.

The postoffice department has established a new postoffice at Michilinda, Muskegon county, with Fred H. Mason as postmaster.

The Southwestern Michigan Spiritualist association will hold its annual meeting at Lake Cora, in Van Buren county, June 28.

A local statistician has figured out that Berrien county fruit-growers received over $250,000 for their shipments of strawberries this season.

Potatoes are now six cents per bushel in Lapeer county and farmers are hastening to unload their stock at that figure, which is expected to decline still further before long.

The shipment of huckleberries has begun at Muskegon. The crop this year is one of the largest for a long time, and many men, women and children are earning good wages.

The third annual conference of the health officers of Michigan will be held at Ann Arbor, July 16 and 17. Many valuable papers will be read and discussed, and a large attendance is expected.

Willie Dague, eight years old, of South Custer, Mason county, scuffled with an older boy for the possession of a gun. The gun was discharged and the top of young Dague's head was blown off.

An effort is to be made to organize an anti-saloon league at Muskegon this summer. This movement is a new one in Michigan, coming from Ohio, where considerable work has been done on such lines.

Union City prides herself upon lowering the rate of taxation for the ensuing year one-eighth of one per cent., the rate being one-half of one per cent. this year. The assessed valuation of the village is $668,480.

Along the Menominee river the grasshoppers, which are so numerous this year, are not stopping at grain and grass, but are eating the strawberry plants and causing much loss in that branch of farming.

Notwithstanding the generally favorable season, the hay crop of southwestern Michigan is far below the average, and farmers are sowing fields with millet to serve as a winter forage crop for horses and cattle.

Southwestern Michigan sportsmen claim that never since the passage of the laws for the protection of fish has there been such systematic and open violation of the law on the lakes of that region as at the present time.

The land owners in the western portion of Huron county have suddenly become silver men. The reason is the recent discovery near Bay Port of a vein of silver ore five feet thick, located 30 feet below the surface.

The supreme commandery of the United Friends of Michigan has decided that hereafter no death benefit shall be paid to the heirs of a member who shall commit suicide, unless he shall have been a member of the order for at least two years.

Jerry Boynton recently visited Burlington and assured the citizens that the Central Michigan railroad would be built through that place. Instead of passing through Coldwater the road will touch Quincy and Girard, covering 225 miles of the best territory in Michigan.

A. O. H. Convention.

Escanaba, June 19.—The seventh biennial convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Michigan came to a close here Thursday morning after one of the most successful gatherings ever held in the state. Resolutions were adopted eulogizing the clergymen of the different Protestant churches in Michigan for their action upon all occasions and places for suppressing the growth of un-American societies in the state. John McLaughlin, of Detroit, was elected state president.

The Foresters.

Port Huron, June 19.—The foresters Wednesday evening closed a very interesting and animated four days' convention of the grand court of Michigan. The session was one of the most harmonious since the organization. Total membership, 2,919; an increase of 840 since last session. Funds are in good condition. The next grand court meeting will be held at Hancock on the third Tuesday in June, 1898. John Doney, of Hancock, was elected grand chief ranger.

Lumber Plant Burned.

Saginaw, June 22.—J. H. Howrey & Sons, of this city, who own and operate a large lumber plant at Fenelon Falls, Ont., have received advices that a fire there Saturday destroyed 15,000,000 feet of lumber and a quantity of lath and shingles. The mills were not damaged. The loss on lumber was confined to one yard; 10,000,000 feet in another yard was saved. Loss, $200,000; insured for $196,000.

A Boy Drowned.

Bay City, June 20.—The fifth drowning in Saginaw river within ten days occurred at about eight o'clock Wednesday evening. The victim was Wilson Wells, the 14-year-old son of Mrs. James M. Wells. The boy was bathing and went to the bottom in sight of his companions. The body was not recovered. This is the second son that Mrs. Wells has lost by drowning in the same place.

Curfew Will Ring in Ludington.

Ludington, June 18.—The city council has decided to institute the curfew bell. An ordinance has been passed for the purpose of keeping girls and boys under 16 years of age off the streets after 8:30 in the evening, except when accompanied by parents or guardians.

Appointed by the Governor.

Lansing, June 20.—L. B. Desvoignes, of Marcellus, has been appointed judge of probate for Caro county by Gov. Rich.

WHEN A TELEGRAM ARRIVES.

Usual Routine Through Which Women Go on Such Occasions.

"What is it, Mary?"

"It's a boy, mum, with a telegraft."

"A telegram! Oh, ask him if James is killed!"

"He says he doesn't know, mum."

"Ask him what he does know about it."

"He says all he knows about it is that it's for you, mum."

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! What shall I do? Oh, my poor James! I just knew something would happen to him before he went away this morning. Will they bring him home on a stretcher, Mary?"

"I s'pose so, mum. Maybe you'd better read the telegraft."

"I can't, I can't! Oh, it serves me right for not kissing him three times when he left. And we've been married such a short time, too."

"Why don't you read the telegraft, mum?"

"Well, I suppose I must; but, oh, I can't tell you how I dread it."

Reads telegram: "Will bring friend home to dinner.—James."

"Oh! the heartless wretch!"

Utilising Popular Airs.

The Boston Post tells a story of a young man who is forbidden to call on or write to the girl with whom he is deeply in love, and by whom he is loved. He manages to circumvent the vigilance of her parents by whistling popular airs, she answering on the piano. He walks by the house, for instance, piping "Alice, Where Art Thou?" In good time he hears "Home, Sweet Home" played within. After a turn around the block he starts on "Oh, Nannie, Wilt Thou Gang wi' Me?" Perhaps the return will be "Where Are You Going To?" A few bars of "Come Into the Garden, Maud," convey to her the tip and the opening of "All's Well" on the piano tells him everything is understood.

Accommodating.

The following is told of an old lady who had her hair cut off in a severe illness, and wore a wig in its place. She was staying in a continental hotel, and one day noticed a gentleman looking curiously at her hair. Soon after, on some excuse, he crossed the room to behind where she sat. She calmly got up, turned around, and, lifting her hair from her head, said: "Yes, sir; it is a wig."

How They Eat.

The following is the daily ration of the animals at the Jardin des Plantes in Paris: Ten pounds of flesh for each lion, tiger and bear; seven pounds for the panther, three pounds to six pounds for the hyena, one pound for the wild cat, and two pounds for the eagle

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Incurable

During the next winter and spring he became rapidly worse. We took Jimmie to a specialist, who said it was hip disease. At this time the affliction became so severe that we could not move him without causing screams of agony. He became reduced in weight to 30 pounds, and was but a shadow of his former self. We had about given up hope when we read of a cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla of a similar case. We resolved to try this medicine. Jimmie was decidedly improved after taking the first bottle. He was even

Better

after the second. We have since used over a dozen bottles of the medicine, and the change has exceeded our expectations. James is now able to walk without the aid of crutches and goes to school every day. He has been wonderfully cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. O. RUNDELL, Oakley, Michigan.

Druggist C. C. Tubbs says he knows the Rundell boy has been wonderfully

Cured

by Hood's Sarsaparilla and that Mr. Rundell is thoroughly reliable. He has a good sale of Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, both of which are giving perfect satisfaction. He says Hood's Pills seem to be the coming family cathartic.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Ezra Day and Hannah Day, his wife, to Jacob L. Day, bearing date November 29th, A. D., 1893, and recorded in the Register's office for Lenawee Co. Mich., in Liber 117 of mortgage, on page 214, on the 30th day of Nov. last, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of $1,463.39 and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection for the same or any part thereof.

Notice therefore is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum, and all costs of this foreclosure to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale including the Attorney fee in said mortgage provided, I shall on the 16th day of September, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public veadue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co. Mich., that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: all that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) of town five ( ) south of range four (4) east bounded as follows: beginning on the north-west corner of said east half of said north-west quarter of said section twenty seven (27) running thence north eighty-eight degrees and forty-seven minutes (88° 47') east along the section line eleven (11) chains and fourteen (14) links; thence south one degree and nineteen minutes east parallel with the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section thirteen (13) chains and fifty and one-half links; thence west parallel with the first course eleven chains and nineteen links to the west line of said east half of said quarter section; thence north one degree and nineteen minutes west along said west line of said east half of said quarter section thirteen chains and fifty and one half links to place of beginning;—containing fifteen acres of land.

Dated June 19th 1896.

JACOB L. DAY, Mortagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Lilley State Bank, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 11th day of July, 1896, and on the 9th day of December, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 9 h day of June, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, June 19, 1896

LUCIUS LILLEY,
J. N. SATTERTHWAITE.
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 19th day of November, A. D. 1892, executed by Harvey Hartman and Cora M. Hartman, his wife, and Joseph Hartman and Carrie L. Hartman, his wife, all of the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, to Alexander Richards of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee county in the state of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 131, of Mortgages, on page 102, by the non-payment of interest due thereon, and of insurance on the buildings situate on the premises covered thereby, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sume of fifty and fifty-one hundredths dollars ($50.50), and the further sum of fifteen dollars ($15.00), provided in said mortgage and by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is, therefore, hereby given that on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day (standard time) at the easterly front entrance of the court house of the circuit court for the county of Lenawee in the city of Adrian, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due as above specified, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, and the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage, said premises being described as follows: The following described lands and premises, situate in the township of Raisin, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, viz: Beginning at a point on the south line of section twenty-three in the above named township two chains and seventy-five links west of the west line of land owned by the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific R. R. Co., thence north three chains thence west one chain, thence south three chains, thence east along the above named section line one chain to the place of beginning, containing in all forty-eight square rods of land together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated Tecumseh, Michigan, 6th April, A.D. 1896.

ALEXANDER RICHARDS, Mortgagee.
SUMNER COLLINS, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Thursday the 28th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Aaron K. Waldron, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William J. Waldron, a son of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Lewis M., William J. and Charles A. Waldron, the executors in said instrument named, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 29th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barager, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, a son of said deceased, praying that Administration of said estate may be granted to George W. Knapp or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGER, Probate Register.

Thomas H. Swope, of Kansas City, Mo., has made a gift to the authorities of that place of a suburban park of 1,800 acres.

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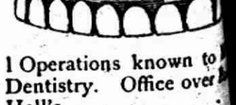
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To take Effect May 17, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:?0 p. m.
New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	9:?3 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:48 p. m.
St. Louis Express	8:15 p. m.

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Jackson Branch. In Effect May 24, 1896

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 333. Express.	No. 341. Accom.
Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 16 "
Orvell	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 56 "
Clinton	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 20 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 06 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 00 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 40 "	10 25 "
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 342 Accom
Detroit.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M	.....
Toledo	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	12 22 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Orvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Napoleon	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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Time Table in effect June 4, 1896.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

No. 21,	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23,	Passengor	5:52 p. m.
No. 19,	Pass'gr Sunday only,	6:40 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

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WALDENSIAN FARMERS.

Quite a Colony of Them Is Located in Burke County, N. C.

In the summer of 1893 some 30 families came over from sunny Italy and settled in the western part of North Carolina. They were the advance guard of the colony which to-day numbers about 200 persons.

There would be little to attract attention to this settlement if it were not the only one of the kind in America. The colonists are Waldenses; that is to say, they are descendants of a religious sect that was driven by persecution into the Piedmont mountains of northern Italy. Here they were safe and secluded, and here they were free to follow their peculiar forms of worship. In their mountain retreat at home the Waldensians have followed the ordinary pursuits of agriculture. Living by themselves and shut off from the outside world, these people were content to farm after the fashion of their forefathers. The result was, their methods of farming were rather rude and primitive.

When the Waldensians came to this country they brought with them their old-fashioned ideas and methods. Many of the colonists had never seen a plow or a mower and reaper until they arrived in North Carolina. Of course, our modern methods of intensive farming and rotation of crops were beyond their knowledge. The colony is located in Burke county, N. C., about eight miles from Morgantown, the county seat. The village is called Valdese, and is laid out into streets and building lots. The first thing the colonists did was to build a church and schoolhouse. Recently they have showed considerable enterprise in starting a hosiery mill, in which most of the young people are employed. The property of the colonists consists of several thousand acres. This has been divided into small farms, each family receiving from 50 to 60 acres. At the same time each householder is obliged to assume his share of the debt which the colony still owes.

WALDENSIANS AT WORK.

Thus far, the colonists have been too busy at clearing the lands and building houses to make much of a showing. It will be several years before the results of their work and industry are fully seen. Already they have set out quite a number of fruit trees and vines. Many of them are familiar with grape growing in Italy, and they will soon learn the methods of successful viticulture in this country.

They are giving up using their old and clumsy implements, and to-day they handle the plow as skillfully as the native farmers. As our illustration shows, the women and children lend a hand and work in the fields. The majority of the people are young and in the prime of life; that is, they are under the age of 40. The women are strong, thrifty and make good wives. The men are active, vigorous, industrious and used to hard work. They should make good citizens.—American Agriculturist.

Fowls Running at Large.

There is no better place for a flock having full liberty than to allow them access to brush land, as they will then secure insects and be comparatively safe from hawks. Many waste track of such land could be used for poultry-raising, and if the soil is light and sandy it will be all the better as it will be dry. If fowls have free range they will partially support themselves, but more land will be required for them than when they are confined. It is not so much the confinement as the inactivity that often causes failure. If fowls in confinement are kept busily at work they will need no range, nor will they care for it.—Prairie Farmer.

How Manure Is Wasted.

To the question: "Does manure waste as ordinarily kept in open yards?" Prof. Roberts, before a Wisconsin institute, proceeded to show that each inch of rainfall was equal to 100 tons of water on an acre, the usual 32 inches of rainfall during a year making 3,200 tons of water to the acre. A barnyard with six 16-foot panels one way and seven the other to inclose it, he said, had almost exactly a quarter of an acre in it, and would therefore receive 800 tons of water in the usual rainfall of a year. He said he would as soon think of leaving hay out in the field all winter as of leaving manure in the barnyard all summer.

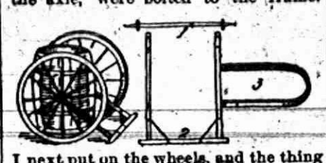
South Missouri Fruit Belt.

That that part of southern Missouri which extends from Springfield to Thayer, along the line of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad, is rapidly becoming one of the greatest fruit belts in the United States is evidenced by the fact that the counties of Greene, Webster, Wright, Howell and Oregon will [illegible] since no less than 120,000 [illegible] and 805,700 bushe[illegible]

HANDY SWILL TRUCK.

One Can Be Made at Home at a Cost of Three Dollars.

I have a home-made swill truck which I like very much. I bought an oil barrel, knocked out one head and bored a hole opposite the bung hole and of the same size. Then, at a blacksmith's, I got two old buggy wheels with boxes in, and the iron part of a buggy axle, and had the blacksmith take a piece out of the axle and shorten it so that it measured two feet nine inches between the hubs. I had the axle for two inches back of each shoulder rounded, it being square, and shoved it through the holes in the barrel, until the ends were at equal distances from the barrel; then I wedged all around the axle with some soft wood, such as pine. Then I made a frame, see 2, two feet eight inches from outside to outside, in width, and which may be of any length desired. Two irons, 3, of the right length to bend around the axle, were bolted to the frame.



I next put on the wheels, and the thing was done. I can put in 11 pailfuls of swill, and if pains be taken to wedge water-tight, I can fill it three-fourths full or more. To empty, tip the barrel and pour out, as the axle turns in the wheels and frame.

Here is the cost:

One barrel at store	$ 70
Two wheels at 50 cents	1 00
One axle and work	50
Two axle irons and two braces	50
Bolts, etc.	30
Total cost	$3 00

I threw in the labor for a good cause. From our dooryard to the hogpen is 200 feet. For eight months of the year my wife was carrying out the swill, if we men folks were away. There was an average of 12 pails a day for somebody. Walking the 200 feet 12 times over, or 2,400 feet a day, in eight months, counting 26 days to a month, gives us 208 days, and 499,200 feet in a year. In 25 years this amounts to 12,481,000 feet, or 2,364 miles walking; at 30 miles a day, this would occupy nearly 79 days.

In 25 years one might have to expend $15 for trucks and repairs. Anyone who carried the swill would earn about 20 cents a day. Young married man, do you wish your wife to work for 20 cents a day and board herself, when if you have a truck standing by the door you can take it right along on your way to the barn without extra steps?—Rural New Yorker.

FARM WATER SUPPLY.

Why Every Good-Sized Farm Should Have a Deep Well.

Few farmers remember how much they appreciate a cool draught of water, fresh from the well or fountain in summer, when providing for the live stock. Too often the tank or trough is filled but once in 24 hours. The pigs too often have access to the drinking places of the larger stock. Positive detriment to the stock results when the water is not always of an inviting temperature.

As a rule, digestion is aided more by good water ever in the reach of the animals than any other one article. The quality is much better if possible to furnish it free from surface impurities.

The deep wells which are sunk now 100 feet or more below the solid rock strata will do much to abolish the evils attending the surface water. Where the expense is great on account of the depth of 500 feet or more, cooperation of small farms is advisable. A town of 200 or more people in some parts of the west is supplied by two or three deep wells, with no serious consequences. From two to four farms might be supplied by a partnership well, where brains governed the management. Double fences for a few rods, to keep the stock separated by a healthful distance, would be the chief consideration. Such reserve wells, too, would prove often very convenient every month in the summer, even when the surface wells are filled, avoiding the removing of some of the stock long distances from the pasture for watering.

Each 160-acre stock farm should have a deep well.—Farm, Field and Fireside.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

The meannesses of human nature are a bar to cooperative effort. There is too much pig nature in the combinations.

Nothing pays better on the farm than to keep accurate accounts—to know what is raised at a loss and what yields profit.

Be sure to get the bulletins from the agricultural experiment stations. They are doing important work. Keep in touch with it.

Be careful in selection when buying trees. One variety will bring profit, another will cause you loss. Foresight is better than hindsight.

Don't waste the straw. It may not be as nutritious as good hay, but it contains enough food and fertilizing properties to be well worth husbanding.—Farmers' Voice.

Wash for Fences and Barns.

A wash for fences or barns is thus made and will last for five years: Half a bushel of fresh lime is slacked and strained and three pecks of hydraulic cement are added, with water sufficient to reduce it to a proper liquid condition. Ten pounds of burnt umber and one pound of Venetian red are well mixed dry; four ounces of lampblack killed with sufficient vinegar are then mixed with water and added to the other materials. The whole is diluted to make a barrel of 30 gallons. It must stand a few days and be frequently stirred before being used. A wash for inside work that will not rub off is made of one pailful of common lime wash, to which is added a thin paste made of half a pint of flour and boiling water.—Rural World.

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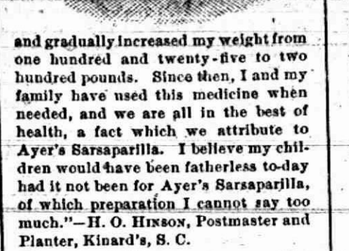

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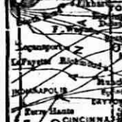

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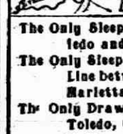

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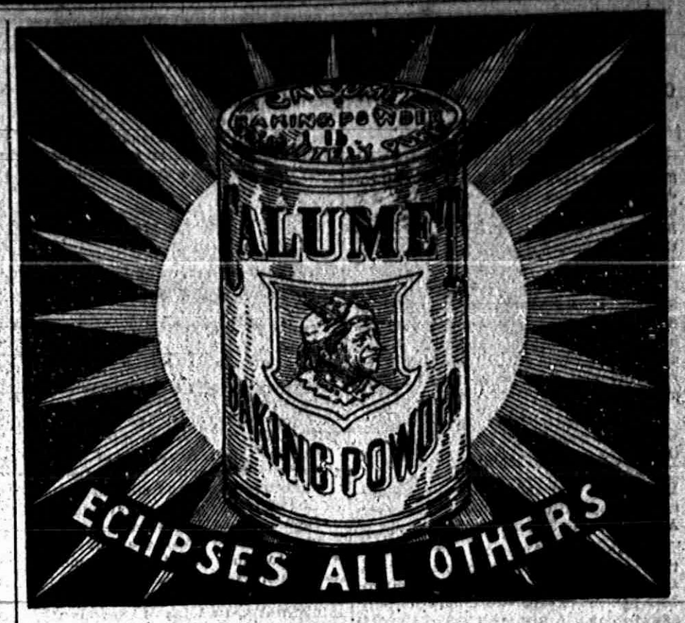

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'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

It seems that a portion of Adrian will go up to Hudson to run their Fourth of July celebration. J. L. O'Mealey will speak, Walt Hulett will read, and the First Regiment band will play. But the good looking girls all belong to Hudson.

Col. Marsh, of the Hillsdale Leader, Stearns, of the Adrian Press, and B. J. Smith, of the Monroe Democrat, are having kind of a three-cornered "scrap" about wool. Ten to one the combined knowledge of the three could not tell a sheep from a goat.

After all "Curly" Walker, of Adrian, was touched for about $50 up at Hudson. Our sister town is right in it these days. Raised a $100,000 stock company, got McDowell to vow they were next to Adrian in population, and held up a poor Adrian cub for $50, all in one month.

On Thursday forenoon the Prohibition county committee met in Adrian and Chairman Cairns and all the members present except two tendered their resignation. A few members of the old party got together and decided to continue the organization. In the afternoon the National party for the county was formed with Editor Grandon as chairman.—Morenci Observer.

C. H. VanTyne, of Tecumseh, was married Friday to Miss Belle Joslyn, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Joslyn, of Chesaning. The young couple will sail for Antwerp next Wednesday, and will travel through the old country. Mr. VanTuyne will be remembered by The Times readers as the correspondent who sent bicycling notes from the far west a year ago.—Adrian Times.

David W. Palmer, for 36 years clerk of Bridgewater township, died last Friday at the home of his daughter, aged 89. Mr. Palmer was educated at Hamilton college, New York state, one of his classmates being Josh Billings. In 1836 he went to Clinton, where he taught school, among his pupils being Clinton B. Fisk, Senator Charles M. Felton, of California, and Wirt Dexter, of Chicago. He was well known all over Lenawee Washtenaw counties.

If you ever saw an excited man it was A. Brunt, when he went home to supper Wednesday evening, and found the front door to his house in the hands of a swarm of bees. As Mr. B. has such a peculiar disposition he could not make up with the other bees and trouble followed. But he finally gave them the go-by when he gained entrance to the house by a side door and was permitted to satisfy his hunger without being further molested. He has fully recovered the shock now, and can talk politics as loud as the best of them.—Deerfield Times-Journal.

A Tecumseh special says the joy with which the Tecumseh Republicans received the nomination of McKinley has been more than offset by the anger with which they read the editorials in Friday morning's Tribune, and as they pondered the matter they have been getting madder and madder. Most of them have stopped the paper or declared their intention of doing so at once. Dispatches of the same tenor have been sent out from Lansing and other points in the state.—Adrian Times. Even members of the G. O. P. cannot agree right there in this enlightened state of Michigan.

"No," we repeat, "Morenci will not indulge in one of those old-fashioned celebrations this year," but with varied attractions, there'll be plenty of good enjoyment here on the 4th of July. Not only should all our people stay at home that day, but persons of other places, where no celebrations are to be held, should come to Morenci if it is their desire to have some recreation on the great national holiday.—Morenci Observer. This is hardly fair. If Morenci does not choose to celebrate let the boys go to Adrian, Hudson or some other little town. Not forgetting Tecumseh's great Derby day, July 23.

The Lake Shore flower train passed over the branches last Monday leaving quantities of beautiful flowers to adorn the depot grounds, but nary a flower did Manchester get. The men in charge said that there was no place for them there. If that be true would it not be well to expend a few dollars in preparing a place for flowers. At this station passengers, who are transferring from one branch to the other spend hours waiting for trains and a neat flower garden might assist in diverting the mind from the unsightly and uncomfortable hovel in which they have to wait. —Manchester Enterprise. Poor old Manchester she always gets left, but the railroad man was all right. Manchester is no place for flowers.

Mrs. Lucy Smith the venerable mother of E. J. Smith, of the Monroe Democrat, observed the 81st anniversary of her birth, at Deerfield, June 9. She was surrounded by children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren and the occasion was one of rare enjoyment to the old lady, who looked upon her descendants with a considerable degree of pride, but she could not refrain, as she cast her eye upon several late copies of the Monroe Democrat from remarking that the slipper she used up when he was a kid, did not cure E. J. of the habit of violating one of the fundamental commandments, for the preservation of the truth.—Adrian Press. Right is Mrs. Smith. But then it is to be remembered that for about 15 years "Philander" learned to lie from Stearns.

To whom it may concern: Whereas it is reported that certain persons living in neighboring villages have circulated the story that the church at Cone had called their pastor, Rev. Ross to account for language used by him, charging him with using profane language. Therefore be it known, that the same is a false, malicious and wicked fabrication, not having a shread of truth in warp or woof, and further that perfect harmony exists between the Cone church and their pastor, and that peace reigns supreme in all our borders. And the prayer of thy servant is that this may continue until our neighbors shall have buried the hatchet and scalping knife and put on the girdle of peace, and shall learn war no more.—Dundee Reporter. And what is more it is hereby averred that the said parson did not even think of a cuss word.

BICYCLE MEET.

$1,000 in Prizes to be Given at Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

The third annual race meet of the Tecumseh Bicycle Association will occur at Bills driving park, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23, and the association are sparing no pains or expense to make this their best "meet" as well as the attraction of the season for Southern Michigan. A large number of amateur and professional riders will compete for the $1,000 in prizes and not only Michigan but Ohio, Indiana and Illinois will be represented. Eight track events and a 10 mile road race are announced, which, together with the engagement of Sid Black, the celebrated trick rider, and many other attractions, will certainly make this a day of rare sport.

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The graduating exercises of the Flushing high school will occur Friday evening. There are eight graduates.

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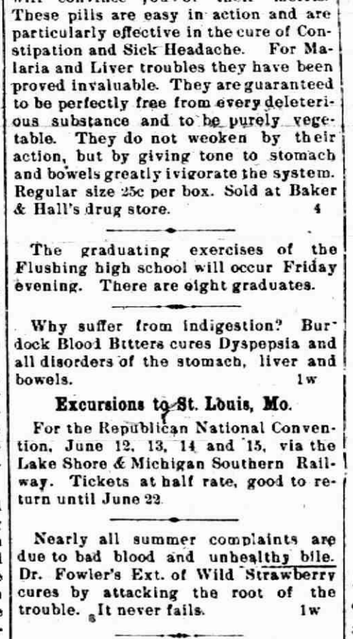

AFTER TWELVE YEARS.

Wayward Daughter Once More Taken to Her Mother's Forgiving Heart.

It was under the trees of one of the uptown squares. The rain, which came up with the sudden swiftness of the May shower, had passed away with equal swiftness, and left the newly clothed trees shimmering in the brilliant sunshine which followed the cloud, says the Philadelphia Call. Every leafy fold of nature's spring dress seemed trimmed with a diamond as the sun rays fell across the pendent water drops. An old woman, in tattered dress, and with work-worn hands, moved wearily from under the shadow of a friendly tree whither the storm had driven her. As she stepped into view from the other side of the tree another woman, younger, but with the same toil-stained, weary look, moved to meet her. Their eyes met, and with a piercing scream the younger woman fell to the ground. A crowd gathered quickly, attracted by the screams. But there was no robbery, no assault, no arrests. The old woman, with a softened look in her face, said simply: "It's my gal, Mary. I hain't seen her for 12 years. She's goin' along o' me now." The crowd drifted silently away, and two sorry-looking figures, the penitent prodigal and the forgiving parent, moved out into the glare of the sunlit street and disappeared.

Calumet and Hecla Dividend.

Boston, Mass., June 20.—The Calumet & Hecla Mining company has declared a dividend of five dollars per share, payable July 13, to stockholders of record June 30. This will bring total of dividends paid to date to $45,850,000.

In Camp at Mount Clemens.

Mount Clemens, June 18.—The Nineteenth United States infantry went into camp at this place Wednesday for two months' rifle shooting. Capt. Gardner, of Fort Wayne, is in command.

Babe Drowned in a Tub.

Holland, June 20.—During the short absence of the mother, the one-year-old daughter of Henry Boeskool, a farmer living nine miles southeast of here, fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

Collieries Shut Down.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 24.—Notices have been posted at all collieries of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company in this region that work is discontinued until further notice. Eight thousand men and boys are thus made idle.

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PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	9	12
Eggs, per doz	9	11
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, old per bushel	15	25
Beans, per bushel	75	1 20
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		10
Potatoes, new per bushel	50 to 60	80
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		11
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	6 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens per lb	to 6	12
Turkeys		
Hides, green	4	
Sheep Pelts		25 to 35
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		58
Corn, shelled		32 to 35
Corn in ear	17 to	25
Oats	17 to	19
Hay, timothy, per ton	9 00 to	10 00
Hay, clover, per ton		8 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		70
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
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IN THE EVENING

a novel feature will be introduced, being a game of base ball between the Fats and Leans, of the city, under electric lights.

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JULY 1 AND 2, '96

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GIVEN NOTICE.

Maj. McKinley Officially Notified of His Nomination.

Senator Thurston the Spokesman—Reply of the Candidate in Which He Indorses the Platform and Defines the Issues of the Campaign.

Canton, O., June 30.—The committee, consisting of one member from each state and territory, which was selected at the St. Louis convention to convey to Maj. McKinley the official notification of his nomination, arrived in Canton on a special train from Cleveland at 11:30 o'clock Monday morning. The day was charming and the members of the committee enjoyed the ride from Cleveland. They were met at the station here by a reception committee, composed of some of the foremost citizens of Canton, and were driven in open carriages to Maj. McKinley's residence, accompanied by a mounted escort. The preparations at Maj. McKinley's were simple. Seventy-five chairs were placed on the front lawn under the trees and facing the house. On the rear lawn a large tent was erected, and in it was a long table on which covers were laid for a hundred guests.

Maj. McKinley received the members of the committee on the veranda. The streets about the house were filled with men, women and children. The crowd surged in at the gates and pressed close up to the chairs where they sat.

Senator Thurston's Speech.

Senator Thurston was in excellent voice. His tones were as clear and commanding and far-reaching as they were in the St. Louis convention hall. His speech was received with much enthusiasm and applause.

"Gov. McKinley: We are here to perform the pleasant duty assigned to us by the republican national convention recently assembled in St. Louis, that of formally notifying you of your nomination as the candidate of the republican party for president of the United States. We respectfully request your acceptance of this nomination and your approval of the declaration of the principles adopted by the convention.

"We assure you that you are the unanimous choice of a united party, and your candidacy will be immediately accepted by the country as an absolute guaranty of republican success.

"Your nomination has been made in obedience to a popular demand, whose universality and spontaneity attests the affection and confidence of the plain people of the United States. By common consent you are their champion. Their mighty uprising in your behalf emphasizes the sincerity of their conversion to the cardinal principles of protection and reciprocity as best exemplified in that splendid congressional act which justly bears your name.

"In 1892 your countrymen, unmindful of your solemn warnings, returned that party to power which reiterated its everlasting opposition to a protective tariff and demanded the repeal of the McKinley act. They sowed the wind. They reaped the whirlwind. The sufferings, losses and disasters to the American people from four years of democratic tariff are vastly greater than those which came to them from four years of civil war.

"But your nomination means more than the indorsement of a protective tariff, of reciprocity, of sound money and of honest finance, for all of which you have so steadfastly stood. It means an indorsement of your heroic youth; your fruitful years of arduous public service; your sterling patriotism; your stalwart Americanism, your Christian character and the purity, fidelity and simplicity of your private life. In all these things you are the typical American; for all these things you are the chosen leader of the people. God give you strength to so bear the honors and meet the duties of that great office for which you are nominated, and to which you will be elected, that your administration will enhance the dignity and power and glory of this republic, and secure the safety, welfare and happiness of its liberty-loving people."

When Mr. Thurston finished Gov. McKinley, who was standing a few feet from him and slightly in the rear, stepped forward, holding the manuscript of his speech in his left hand. Maj. McKinley read his speech in a clear, far-reaching voice. It was listened to intently and he was compelled to halt several times by reason of loud applause and cheers. He said:

Maj. McKinley's Response.

"Senator Thurston and Gentlemen of the Notification Committee of the Republican National Convention: To be selected as their presidential candidate by a great party convention, representing so vast a number of the people of the United States, is a most distinguished honor, for which I would not conceal my high appreciation, although deeply sensible of the great responsibilities of the trust and my inability to bear them without the generous and constant support of my fellow countrymen. Great as is the honor conferred, equally arduous and important is the duty imposed, and in accepting the one I assume the other, relying upon the patriotic devotion of the people to the best interests of our beloved country and the sustaining care and aid of Him without whose support all we do is empty and vain. Should the people ratify the choice of the great convention for which you speak, my only aim will be to promote the public good, which in America is always the good of the greatest number, the honor of our country and welfare of the people.

Great Issues Involved.

"Great are the issues involved in the coming election and eager and earnest the people for their right determination. Our domestic trade must be won back, and our idle working people employed in gainful occupations at American wages. Our home market must be restored to its proud rank of first in the world, and our foreign trade, so precipitately cut off by adverse national legislation, reopened on fair and equitable terms for our surplus agricultural and manufacturing products. Protection and reciprocity, the twin measures of a true American policy, are again the demand of the people of the country, and of the government at Washington. Public confidence must be restored, and the skill, the energy and the capital of our country find ample employment at home, sustained, encouraged and defended against the unequal competition and serious disadvantages with which they are now contending. The government of the United States must raise enough money to meet both its current expenses and increasing needs. Its revenues should be so raised as to protect the material interests of our people, with the lightest possible drain upon their resources, and maintain that high standard of civilization which has distinguished our country for more than a century of its existence.

Will Protect American Credit.

"The party that supplied, by legislation, the vast revenues for the conduct of our greatest war, that promptly restored the credit of the country at its close, that from its abundant revenues paid off a large share of the debt incurred in this war, and that resumed specie payments, and placed our paper currency upon a sound and enduring basis, can be safely trusted to preserve both our credit and currency with honor, stability and inviolability. The American people hold the financial honor of our government as sacred as our flag, and can be relied upon to guard it with the same sleepless vigilance. They hold its preservation above party fealty, and have often demonstrated that party ties avail nothing when the spotless credit of our country is threatened.

"The money of the United States, and every kind or form of it, whether of paper, silver or gold, must be as good as the best in the world. It must not only be current at its full face value at home, but it must be counted at par in any and every commercial center of the globe. The sagacious and farseeing policy of the great men who founded our government, the teachings and acts of the wisest financiers at every stage in our history, the steadfast faith and splendid achievements of the great party to which we belong, and the genius and integrity of our people, have always demanded this, and will ever maintain it. The dollar paid to the farmer, the wage-earner and the pensioner must continue forever equal in purchasing and debt-paying power to the dollar paid to any government creditor.

Indorses the Platform.

"The platform adopted by the national republican convention has received my careful consideration and has my unqualified approval. It is a matter of gratification to me, as I am sure it must be to you and republicans everywhere, and to all our people everywhere, that the expression of its declaration of principles are so direct, clear and emphatic. They are too plain and positive to leave any chance for doubt or question as to their purport and meaning. But you will not expect me to discuss its provisions at length or in any detail at this time. It will, however, be my duty and pleasure at some future day to make to you and through you to the great party you represent a more formal acceptance of the nomination tendered me.

Expresses His Gratitude.

"No one could be more profoundly grateful than I for the manifestation of public confidence of which you have so eloquently spoken. It shall be my aim to attest this appreciation by an unsparing devotion to what I esteem the best interests of the people, and in this work I ask the counsel and support of you, gentlemen, and of every other friend of the country. The generous expressions with which you, sir, convey the official notice of my nomination are highly appreciated, and as fully reciprocated, and I thank you and your associates of the notification committee and the great party and convention at whose instance you come, for the high and exceptional distinction bestowed upon me."

After McKinley's speech, H. H. Smith, of Michigan, presented to him the gavel used by Chairman Thurston at the St. Louis convention.

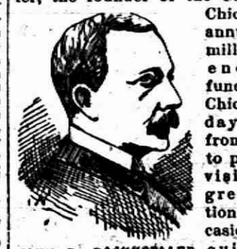
Before sitting down to luncheon, the members of the committee filed through the reception-room and were introduced to Mrs. McKinley and the governor's mother.

The notification committee sat down to luncheon shortly after the speech making. After lunch they were driven about the city for an hour or two and left for Cleveland about five o'clock.

THE GUEST OF HONOR.

John D. Rockefeller on a Visit to the Chicago University.

Chicago, July 1.—John D. Rockefeller, the founder of the University of Chicago and the annual giver of millions to its endowment fund, arrived in Chicago Tuesday morning from New York to pay his first visit to the great institution on the occasion of the quinquennial exercises and the convocation. There will be other events for his amusement—corner-stone laying, receptions, feasting and Fourth of July merrymaking. Mr. Rockefeller was met by President Harper, at whose urgent solicitation the founder decided to come, and after breakfast at the Union League club was taken to the Lake Forest residence of Cyrus H. McCormick. He will return to New York Friday.



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.

BAPTISTS IN MILWAUKEE.

Young People's Union to Hold Their Sixth Convention There.

Milwaukee, June 29.—Fully 12,000 people are expected to attend the sixth international convention of the Baptist Young People's union, which will be held in Milwaukee July 16 to 19. One of the features of the convention will be the music. There will be a chorus of 600 voices lead by Prof. Daniel Protheroe, of this city. The chorus will be divided into three sections—250 sopranoes, 150 altos and bases and 200 tenors, the whole choir to be made up of members of Evangelical churches of Milwaukee. The convention will be held in the Exposition building, which has a seating capacity of 16,000.

Named for Congress.

The following congressional nominations were made on Tuesday:

Minnesota, First district, J. A. Tawney (rep.) renominated; Second, J. T. McCleary (rep.) renominated; Third, J. P. Heatwole (rep.) renominated. Ohio, Fifth district, D. Meekison (dem.); Eighth, M. Dunn (dem.). Illinois, Nineteenth district, A. J. Hunter (dem.); Twenty-first, T. E. Ford (dem.); Twenty-second, J. J. Hall (pop.). Kansas, Fifth district, W. A. Calderhead (rep.) renominated. California, First district, J. A. Barham (rep.) renominated.

Fatal Accident in a Mine.

Bessemer, May 25.—Andrew Smith was killed by a fall of ground in the Palma mine here.

FATE OF MINERS.

Disastrous Cave-in Occurs in a Colliery at Pittston, Pa.

Fully One Hundred Men and Boys Are Entombed in the Fatal Pit—All Have Probably Perished—May Take Several Days to Reach Them.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 29.—One hundred miners were caught Sunday morning under a fall of rock in the Twin Shaft mine at Pittston, nine miles north of here. It is believed that all perished instantly, but there is a possibility that some are imprisoned in the drift between two cave-ins. In that case they are confined in a small and almost air-tight space, so that even the powerful fans cannot supply air enough to sustain life until the searchers can cut through the walls of debris. If it prove that the men are dead 63 women will be left widows and 200 children be fatherless. This is the most terrible mine accident which has occurred in the anthracite region since the great disaster at Avondale, this county, in 1869, in which 120 lives were lost.

The Call for Rescuers.

Immediately after the accident occurred there was a call for volunteers. Two hundred men responded at once, and, despite the great dangers sure to be encountered, entered upon the work of rescue. The men were divided into relief gangs of 40 each, for the work is very tedious, as the roof has to be propped as fast as the men work their way through the debris.

The danger from fire and choke damps is incredibly great, as the Twin shaft is known to be subject to these gases except under favorable conditions of ventilation. Any minute may thrust the rescuers into a pocket of fire-damp and result in a terrible explosion.

The greatest excitement prevailed about the mouth of the shaft all day. The relatives of the imprisoned men gathered in large numbers and their grief was pitiable. "Oh, my poor papa," were the cries of anguish heard. Many of the women swooned and had to be carried away. Some knelt on the wet ground and prayed that their loved ones might be brought out alive.

The Situation Unchanged.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 1.—There is no change in the situation at the Twin Shaft mine. The rescuers continue to work hard in their endeavor to reach the entombed miners. Very little progress is being made, however, as there are frequent cavings of the earth about the mine.

Another Mine Disaster.

Fayette City, Pa., July 1.—Michael Barbaras and Louie Deristi, together with three or four other coal diggers, contrary to orders entered the Washington mine, belonging to Biggs & Flinn, to take out their tools. A terrific explosion of mine gas occurred and Barbaras and Deristi were instantly killed. The fate of their companions is not known, but they are also believed to be dead.

Many Will Be Idle.

Youngstown, O., July 1.—Every mill in the Mahoning valley, including Youngstown, Warren, Niles, Girard and Struthers, will close down pending a settlement of the rate per ton for boiling. The manufacturers offer to sign a scale at four dollars per ton, while the Amalgamated association is holding out for $4.50. Eight thousand five hundred mill workers will be out of employment until a settlement is reached. The conference committee will meet again in this city July 9.

Newspaper Syndicate Fails.

Youngstown, O., June 29.—The syndicate organized two years ago to purchase and operate a chain of newspapers from New York to San Francisco and which purchased the Boston Traveler and the Youngstown Telegram and started the Kansas City World has failed, the manager, Hal K. Taylor, who secured credit through wealthy hands, being bankrupt, with liabilities of over $100,000.

Confederate Veterans.

Richmond, Va., July 1.—Over 20,000 veterans who followed the fortunes of Lee, Longstreet and Jackson have gathered here, many of them accompanied by their wives and families, to participate in the sixth annual reunion and the exercises attending the laying of the corner-stone for the Jefferson Davis monument. The exercises will continue for three days.

Killed by His Neighbor.

Wellston, O., June 29.—James Robinson, a prominent politician, was hot and killed Saturday by Frank Harrison. Robinson was on a spree and abused his family. Among the neighbors who came to the rescue was Harrison. Robinson attacked the latter with a knife, when Harrison shot him. Harrison was arrested.

Deficit Will Be About $38,500,000.

Washington, July 1.—The indications are that the excess of government expenditures over receipts for the fiscal year ended Tuesday will be about $38,500,000, as compared with a deficit of about $43,000,000 for the fiscal year 1895. The receipts for the present month will exceed the expenditures by about $1,400,000.

Elgin's Population.

Elgin, Ill., July 1.—Elgin's population, just taken for school purposes, is almost 22,000, an increase of over five per cent. in a year.

Clinton Column.

Arrivals—Outings—Married—Many Personal Mentions.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Ed A. Clark arrived home from Ohio, Sunday.

The woolen mill is now running nearly full time.

Jacob Nase made a business trip to Jackson Tuesday.

Rev. W. C. Stevenson visited Toledo, the first of the week.

George A. Kies was in town last Saturday over one train.

Miss Mame Bradner is expected home from Detroit tomorrow.

Miss Maggie Biggins is now convalescing from the typhoid fever.

Clarence Cooley has been with Tecumseh relatives since last Saturday.

Dr. White and Fred Koernig went to Hudson last Sunday on their wheels.

Geo. Freese and Will Waterhouse wheeled over to Adrian last Sunday.

Miss Alberta Johnston returned last Saturday from her Manchester visit.

Miss Sadie Huntington is home from Adrian College, for the summer vacation.

The Misses Jennie and Ada Gallatin drove up from Tecumseh, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wil. Hause left Tuesday to spend the week with Britton friends.

Miss Doris Shultz, of Manchester has been the guest of Kittie Hogan the past few days.

Marvin Purdee left Tuesday for Webberville for a short visit with his parents and friends.

Mrs. Jennie Sigler, of Adrian, visited her sister, Mrs. Carlie Wilson, Monday and Tuesday.

D. M. Bainbridge left Tuesday noon for Muskegon, to visit relatives for an indefinite time.

Mrs. J. L. Wadsworth and daughter Eva, and Donna Woodward, returned to Hudson last Friday.

C. E. Foster returned home last week Thursday, after a three week's visit in Chelsea and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Wil. Matthews are entertaining a young lady friend from Ann Arbor this week.

Henry Heying, who is now on the road, arrived home Monday for a short visit with his family.

Mrs. Frank Johnson returned Friday from a week's visit with her brothers, the Grinnells, in Detroit.

Mrs. P. Kishpaugh and Willie Dorr visited Dundee friends from Thursday of last week until Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Hard and Lina Jones were breathing the invigorating air at the lakes the last of the week.

Miss Della Bennam returned from Adrian last Saturday, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Lizbeth Beach.

Miss Nellie Martin went to Ypsilanti Monday to attend the five weeks term of summer school at Cleary's Business College.

Mrs. G. W. Freese and little Laura left Wednesday for Paines Hollow New York, where they will remain until September.

Fred Bartless, Elmer Silkworth, and the Misses Mattie Scott and Eva Dixon drove down from Manchester Saturday afternoon.

L. C. Coller and wife, of Coldwater, were calling on friends here last Saturday. They came up from Tecumseh on their wheels.

Mrs. May Haywood and son, Waite Beardsley, came from Ann Arbor Saturday to spend the summer vacation at E. R. Smiths.

Chas. Grinnell, of Detroit, has been visiting Thos. VanGieson and Frank Johnson for the past few days. He came over on his wheel.

Mrs. James DuBois and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh and little Clement Hoagland drove up from Britton Tuesday for a days visit with friends.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife drove to Britton last Sunday. Bessie Brown accompanied them to visit J. L. Kishpaugh's family several days.

Frank W. Palmer, who has been working for J. H. Miller at Ypsilanti, is now in Toledo, where he has a more congenial position in a fine restaurant.

H. D. and W. H. Niblack and neices visited their sister, Mrs. Rhodes, at Saline, Sunday. Mrs. Rhodes is slowly recovering from her long and serious illness.

On account of Saturday, July 4th being a legal holiday, the post-office will be closed from 9:30 a. m. until 12 m. and from 3:30 p. m. until 7:30 p. m. Standard time.

Miss Sibella Lancaster returned from her Toledo visit Tuesday. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Shurtz and two daughters and little Frank Mensing who will remain over the fourth.

James W. Bradner, Jr., and friend, G. W. Henrys, of Hancock Co., O., are at J. W. Bradner's and will remain some time recuperating from the year's school work. They both lately graduated.

Dr. Elizabeth Netcomb, who had been visiting at J. L. Clark's since last Monday, left Saturday for Saginaw, where she expected to spend a few days before returning to her home at Tewksbury, Mass.

You have probably noticed the mutilated condition of Charlie Ellis' countenance this week and wondered how it came about; to relieve him from the annoyance of explaining we will say it was not done in a scrap for he is too good natured to get into a row with any one Sunday evening he was riding Fred Koernig's bike and coming down Jackson street the pesky thing became unmanageable and ran him into the embankment near Mrs. Platte's, and when he extricated himself he was disfigured thusly.

Our base ball boys play at Manchester July 4th.

John Palmer of Toledo, spent Sunday with his family here.

Ida Kirchgessner went to Detroit Saturday to be present at her brother's wedding.

Ed. A. Clark and wife were the guests of C. S. Baker and family, at Sand Lake Tuesday.

Mrs. G. R. Wolf has returned home from the lake but L. W. Kimball's family still remain.

Farmers in this vicinity have their wheat nearly all cut. The earliest harvest ever known.

Hebron Langan, of Douglas, Allegan, Co., was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Will Niblack, Monday.

Dr. David Langan, from the northern part of the state, was shaking hands with Clinton friends Tuesday.

Our lovers of horses are anxiously looking forward to July 15th, the date of the next matinee at Tecumseh.

Miss Mabel Barnsdale entertained in a delightful manner, a company of friends, at her home Wednesday evening.

S. W. Dumuth and Rev. Mr. Hutchins went on a fishing excursion Monday and experienced the old time fisherman's luck.

The Whittlesey family and guests, Mrs. F. Knopf and three children, of Elkhart, Ind., were outing at the lakes the first of the week.

Little Jim Palmer came near having a sun stroke Monday. He went frogging and exerted himself too much. He says he does not care to repeat it.

Cebert Halladay, who recently fell from a load of hay, striking a fork stale making a bad wound under the arm and partially dislocating the shoulder, is doing nicely, much better than was thought possible.

Henry Lancaster's Clinton Girl and J. E. Woodward's pacer, Mollie W, age entered in the Dundee races tomorrow. Among those from here who will be present are Henry, Elisha, David Lancaster and George Sherwood.

Luman Deming, who has been so long sick with consumption, was released from his suffering Tuesday morning. Age 46 years. The funeral was held at the home of his mother yesterday at 10 a. m. Interment at Tecumseh.

Mrs. Louisa Clark and daughter held quite a reception at their pleasant home Monday evening. A night blooming Cerus unfolded nine perfect flowers. It was indeed a beautiful sight and a large number had the pleasure of seeing it.

The many friends of Ed. F. Kirchgessner were gladly surprised to hear of his marriage to Miss Mary Healey. The ceremony was performed Monday evening at 7 o'clock at Bishop Foley's Chapel, Detroit, by Rev. Father Heidenrich, of Manchester. After the reception at the home of the bride, they left for a trip around the lakes. Ed has the best wishes of all.

Whites tailor went to Tecumseh, got a beautiful jag on, spent the night in the cooler, came up on the freight Tuesday, still carrying a heavy load of red eye and when in front of VanDeMark's Hardware store he took a header into the gutter. When he sobered off he undoubtedly found he had a sore head, for a stone gutter is not the softest spot a falling man can strike.

ONSTED.

Matinee not a Success—Personal Mention.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Good harvesting weather.

Will Ryter is home for the summer.

The hay crop around here is very light.

The stone work for the new People's church is laid.

The huckleberry crop in this vicinity is very promising.

Mrs. John Kane and daughter visited at Napoleon last week.

Arthur Champenoy, of Washington state, is visiting relatives here.

A few of the masonic fraters visited the lodge at Brooklyn recently.

Elwin Harris received a call from a nephew from Hudson a few days ago.

Mrs. Butterfield has been entertaining a brother and his wife from Allegan.

Mrs. Julia Reed went to Boston to represent this state at the S. S. convention.

The next meeting of Justice Tent No. 503, K. O. T. M. will occur next Tuesday evening.

Wm. Aldrich passed his 90d birthday last week, and can step off a mile with the best of the boys.

The new hall is nearly completed and the masons expect to hold their July meeting in the new apartments.

The children and grandchildren of Uncle Robert Wooden helped him celebrate his 84th birthday recently.

The Onsted driving association held their second matinee last Saturday afternoon, but owing to the busy time, there was not a very large crowd in attendance.

You May

snap your fingers at Dyspepsia, if you use Calumet Baking Powder. It is pure and safe.

Food prepared with "Calumet" is free from Rochelle Salts, Lime or Alum.

Food prepared with the high priced powders contains more than 70 per cent of the quantity used as Rochelle Salts. These powders are dangerous. 1w

HISTORY.

Of the Big Prairie from 1815 to 1896, by B. L. Baxter.

The government survey of this prairie lying mostly in town 6, south of range 5 east, in Lenawee Co., Mich., but also partly in the town of Dundee, Monroe Co., Mich., was commenced the year I was born, 1815, and was finished and a final report of it made to the U. S. government August 9, 1819, by Maj. Joseph Fletcher, U. S. District Surveyor.

It was purchased from the United States government at the Land Office then at Monroe, Mich, for the most part, by Austin E. Wing, of Monroe, and Beverly Robinson, a banker of New York city, and mostly on the 14th day of July, 1835. But it seems that this purchase was really made in the interest of a Land Company, consisting, as their partition deed sets forth, of some 12 partners in unequal interests, of which, however, Beverly Robinson held one half, or 12-24ths.

The original purchase covered 6,800 acres; also some lands in Monroe Co. not purchased by us.

But the 6,800 acres were purchased by Perley Bills, of Tecumseh, Mich., as to the Beverly Robinson share; and by Benjamin L. Baxter, of Tecumseh, Mich., as to the Nathaniel Silsbee share consisting of 3-24 of the whole, in the interest of one Land Company, consisting of Perley Bills, of Tecumseh, and his law partner Benjamin L. Baxter and Witter J. Baxter, of Jonesville, Mich., as equal partners.

The Partition Deed of the old Land Company, executed July 15, 1835, and recorded July 31, 1835, in vol. C of deeds folio 604, shows the following persons to have been interested in these lands, as follows, to wit

Dan B. Miller	1-24
Henry Smith	1-24
Tunis VanBrunt	3-24
Nathaniel Silsbee	3-24
John P. Cushman	1-4 of 1-24
Jacob D. Lansing	" " "
Lewis Cass	" " "
George R. Davis	1-8 " "
William Porter	1-16 " "
Edwin Crosswell	1-32 " "
Thomas W. Olcott	1-32 " "
Beverly Robinson	12-24

As to the particular land assigned to each you can consult the Partition Deed recorded as above, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee Co.

Perley Bills purchased for the company the Beverly Robinson interest on the 7th day of August, 1865, in all the lands then belonging to him, consisting of 6,400 acres, for the sum of $25,000. And I purchased of the heirs of Nathaniel Silsbee 728 acres. I afterwards bought for the company, from various parties, enough to makeout for us to pay taxes on and drain, an even 10,000 acres.

The old Land Co., under the charge of Isaac P. Christiancy, of Monroe, had expended some $3,000 in ditching, but failed to make, thereby, any perceptible impression on the prairie, to wit:

The commencement of the Robinson drain at the N. E. corner of the prairie, and a part of the Deerfield ditch, down the center of sec. 25, south to the Swamp Raisin.

The most part of sections 12 and 13 fell to Tunis VanBrunt, and I purchased these 220 acres of him, but was not able to keep them.

Much of this land now belongs to D. W. Loree, some to Jesse Exelby, and the E 1-2 of the N W 1-4 to James Lavender, and the S 1-2 of the S E 1-4 to the heirs of James Fuller. His son, Chas. Fuller, built a log house on the same, and that with a log house at the extreme S W of the prairie and the log house of D. W. Austin built in the edge of the woods on the south side built by L. D. Austin, were the only houses on that prairie not built by me, or with our money up to 1884.

In 1864 before purchasing the prairie, at the request of Messrs. Murphy and Baxter, of Jonesville, agents for the old Land Co. or rather agents of Beverly Robison, who owned one-half of the company's lands, included in the original purchase, I took Joseph C. Satterthwaite, the surveyor, and we made a preliminary survey of these lands, going around every section of it, found the U. S. section corners, examined the character of the soil, and decided upon the feasibility of draining it, and upon my report, when given them through their agents, Mr. Robinson instructed his agents to effect a sale of his interest, if possible; saying that he was thoroughly tired of draining and paying his taxes upon it, and to no good purpose, so far as he could see.

Thence arose his sale, to Mr. Bills, of the whole 6,400 acres, at $25,000; 1-4 down and the balance in 1, 2 and 3 years with interest annually, it being a little over $4 per acre, but after we had purchased it, an old ditch tax, of some $2,000, which ought to have been levied and collected two years before, and which we supposed to be out of the way, and some other taxes, brought the average price up to some $4.50 per acre.

And very likely this tax about to be collected, known to Robinson, but not to us, was one strong motive for his selling as he did.

That whole prairie of over 7,500 acres extending north-east across La Plaisance Bay turnpike to the north end of the old George Price farm, and east into Monroe Co. for over a mile, was marked down by the government surveyors as an irredeemable swamp, and utterly worthless. In fact, it was a swamp when we bought it, in 1865, and for several years after we bought it I had to go down to within two miles of Dundee, by the Hough school house, where the Robinson ditch (then called the Little Raisin) crosses the turnpike on its way to the Macon, to get around on the south side of that prairie.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.

Hives are not dangerous to life, but they are a prolific breeder of misery and profamity. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, even in the worst cases of this and other exasperating diseases of the skin. 1w

Female Loveliness

May be obtained by intelligent women. A well regulated system must of necessity show its fruits in the face. To regulate the system and keep it in perfect condition there is nothing so good as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin—Constipation and indigestion absolutely cured. 1p doses 10c. Large size 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's. july

The Convention of Physicians and Surgeons at Buffalo, N. Y., has adjourned to meet next year in Indianapolis, Ind.

A True Saying.

It has been said that habitual constipation is the cause of fully one-half the diseases that flesh is heir to. Keep your bowels regulated by Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and your system will be in proper condition to keep off diseases of all kinds. Get a sample bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple, and you will bless the day you did. july

The Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, now in session at Richmond, Va., has rapidly increased in membership.

"One of my sick headaches," you will hear one say, as if the complaint was hopelessly incurable. As a matter of fact, Ayer's Pills not only relieve sick headache but effectually remove the cause of this distressing complaint, and so bring about a permanent cure. 1w

A business man is not the most patient creature in the world. He cannot wait to hear any long-drawn-out story of the cause of his ailment. He does't care two straws about a fine spun theory of how he should treat himself. He may be predisposed to scrofula, or consumption. "That," he will tell you "has nothing to do with the case." He wants to be well. If he can be cured write out a prescription and send in your bill. So, here's the first part of the proposition. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a microbe hunter and killer. Many persons of scrofulous blood, encourage the breaking out of unsightly sores, to prevent the disease going to the lungs. There is no need of this state of dread and discomfort. Purify the blood. It can be done. Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per. cent of all consumptive cases, also of all lingering bronchial, throat and lung diseases. 1w

John Benn, a Long Island Railroad section hand, earning $7 a week, has inherited $100,000 by the death of his uncle, Bernard Earle.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured be the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

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Judge Coleman has granted a writ of error in the case of Mary Abernathy, convicted of the murder of Mr. Pollard in Lunenburg, Va.

New Through Line to Cincinnati and the South.

The Lake Shore in connection with the Ohio Central and Big Four railways are now running two trains daily each way between Detroit, Toledo and Cincinnati. This line lands you in Cincinnati at the Grand Central Union Station right in the heart of the city and if you are going beyond you have a decided advantage as there is no transfer necessary. The trains of the Q. & C., L. & N., Ill. Central, Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio roads all leave from Grand Central Union Station. Parlor cars on day trains and Wagner sleepers on night trains. Further information given by any Lake Shore Ticket Agent, also by addressing A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, Ohio, or H. J. Rhein, General Agent, Detroit, Mich. june19 13

The North American Turners at Louisville, Ky., have declined to admit women to membership.

$200.00 in Gold Given.

The International News and Book Co., of Baltimore, Md., offer $200 to any agent who will sell in three months 255 copies of their book, "Campaign and Issues of '96." A full, graphic and complete account of the Campaign,—all sides given. Beautifully illustrated. Biographies of the leading men in each party. The book of all others to sell now. Freight paid and credit given. Complete outfit 15 cents. Write them immediately. A gold watch given in addition to commission for selling 70 copies in thirty days. Agents wanted also for other books and Bibles. june26 14

Joseph Beck, a tenement house dweller in Brooklyn, N. Y., was presented by Mrs. Beck with triplets.

Why is it,

if catarrh is a constitutional affection, as those claim who have a blood tonic to sell, that physicians, in extreme cases, frequently advise change of air to those suffering from it? Catarrh is a climatic affection, and nothing but a local remedy or change of climate will cure it. Ely's Cream balm, in all cases of catarrh, is so efficient as to do away with the necessity of leaving home and friends, causing instant relief and a permanent cure after short continuance. 10

P-e-r-f-i-n-e. This is the way we spell it. It's necessary to mention it, because some women don't seem to know. We find so many who say they use **Pearline**, and then, upon examination, find that what they are using is only some imitation of it. See if your package is marked as above. There is only one **Pearline**. It makes white things whiter—bright things brighter—economical and saves at every point. For washing and cleaning, nothing under any other name can equal it.

Beware Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you, "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, do the honest thing—*send it back.* 414 JAMES PYLE, New York.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 35 Hanley Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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YEARS OF INTENSE PAIN.

Rheumatism of the Heart.

DR. J. H. WATTS.

Dr. J. H. Watts, druggist and physician, Humboldt, Neb., who suffered with heart disease for four years, trying every remedy and all treatments known to himself and fellow-practitioners; believes that heart disease is curable. He writes:

"I wish to tell what your valuable medicine has done for me. For four years I had heart disease of the very worst kind. Several physicians I consulted, said it was **Rheumatism of the Heart.** It was almost unendurable; with shortness of breath, palpitations, spasms, pains, unable to sleep, especially on the left side. No pen can describe my sufferings, particularly during the last months of these four weary years. I daily [illegible] and was surprised at the result. It put new life into and made a new man of me. I have not had a symptom of trouble since and I am satisfied your medicine has cured me for I have now enjoyed, since taking

Three Years of Splendid Health.

I might add that I am a druggist and have sold and recommended your Heart Cure. I know what it has done for me and would wish I could state more clearly my suffering then and the good health I now enjoy. Your Nervine and other remedies give excellent satisfaction." J. H. WATTS.

Humboldt, Neb., May 9, '94.

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price, by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...w Buildings—Dr. Hardy Home—Cow Mutilated, Etc.

Charles Avery paid Battle Creek a ...it Tuesday.

...L. Wood was called to Toledo on ...iness Tuesday.

...W. R. Osgood is on the sick list this ...k. Sorry for you Will.

...harles Gorham and wife spent Tues... very pleasantly in Detroit.

...uesday evening July 7, is regular ...iew of Hendershot Tent, K. O. T. M.

...ustice George Oliver made a busi... trip to Hudson the last of the ...k.

...harles DuBois shipped five cars of ...d hay from Deerfield the first of the ...k.

...t Curtiss has been running business ...e this week. Cause why? Linn ...been haying.

...ll Hause and wife, of Clinton, are ...ing a few days among their old ...bors and friends.

...ll J. Helm wanting a change of air, ...went out Wednesday and set up a ...r at Wm. Gregg's. He got it.

...e C. J. & M. roadmaster, M. Con... was in town Friday viewing Will ...'s park. He may endeavor to go ...one better.

...D. Smith, of Dundee, was in town ...day looking after the binder busi... He expects to go to Chicago the ...of the week.

...s. James DuBois and Mrs. J. L. ...paugh called on Clinton friends ...day. Little Clemmie Hoagland ...mpanied them.

...ll J. Clark, strange to relate, made ...mseh a visit Saturday. His last ...was sometime last fall. He did not ...ost, however, or taken in.

...ttle Miss Bessie Brown, of Clinton, ...been at J. L. Kishpaugh's for sever... ...ys. She has become acquainted ...many of the little folks.

...J. Temple, of Orr & Temple, Te... ...h, came down with young Sam... ...ednesday, to see that none of the ...n bellies would capture him.

...master Babcock and Lawrence ...were thining the fish in Wamp... ...Lake two or three days of this ... They say Lawrence can discount ...n fish stories.

...new hamlet on the north side of ... fast growing, five houses com... ...two nearly so and the frame up ...other. What's the matter with ...? She's all right!

...members of the ladies' Aid socie... ...he Christian church executed a ...t surprise on Mrs. Wright, wife ... James Wright, at Ridgeway, ...day. All enjoyed it.

...Adah Hillock, who has been a ...r of her brother James' family ... past year, left Monday for her ...a Wheeling, Mich. She made ...friends who will miss her.

...W. C. T. U., of the M. E. church, ...way, gave an ice cream social at ...me of Henry Curtis Wednesday ...r. The Britton band discoursed ...usic, and the way the boys got ...with the ice cream was a caution.

...r a month's visit in the east. Dr. ...rs. P. B. Hardy returned home ... night. It seems good to see ...pleasant faces again. The change ...and scene evidently agreed with ...they look much younger.

...W. E. Allen attended the wed... ...her brother, Chas. Hiscock, at ... last Thursday evening, from ...he visited her aunt at Paw Paw. ...unt of the illness of her little ...r she returned home Wednes... ...t.

...ing out to his barn Tuesday ... Neil Exelby discovered that ...tch had destroyed the useful... ...one of his best cows. One of ... had been severed with a sharp ...t. As some tramps were seen ...is thought some one of them ...he cow is partial as to who ... and, no doubt, whoever at... ...it got kicked and took this ...revenge. It was a dastardly ...he perpetrator deserves severe ...nt.

...Wednesday afternoon; Place, ...meat market; Bone of conten... ...knife; Actors, Plues, Wright; ...Three; Audience, small, select, ...nce, timely, for Plues. Thus ... little set to over a jack knife, ...Plues and Wright. The form... ...the mill but now, we judge, ...e hadn't, as Wright in the ...nd, got in almost a knock-out ...in the third, when they were ...d given several savage under ...ke up, boys. Forgive, forget, ...ll be well.

A Child Enjoys

...ant flavor, gentle action, and ...fect of Syrup of Figs, when ... a laxative, and if the father ...be costive or bilious, the ...fring results follow its use: ... is the best family remedy ... every family should have a ...

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...re being arranged at San Fran... ...for a new steamship line be... ...at port and Japan.

...purifiers, though gradual, are ...their effect. Ayer's Sarsap... ...tended as medicine only and ...culant, excitant, or beverage. ...e results may not always fol... ...e; but after a reasonable time, ...t benefit is certain to be re...

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...the two-year-old child of Sam... ...heimer, of Bloomfield Furnace, ...a tub of scalding water and was ...urned.

RIDGEWAY.

Marriage of a former Ridgeway boy—Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Grandma Loree is quite poorly.

Estella Barnes has a Toledo wheel.

Mrs. I. T. Bush went to Chicago last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorton on June 25th, a boy.

The library will not be opened in the evening on July 4th.

Go to Ed Smith's for machine oil.

F. E. Pocklington went to Ypsilanti on his wheel Saturday.

Rev. S. L. Ramsdell, of Clinton, will preach here next Sunday.

The Richart sisters, of Macon, visited friends here last Thursday.

Edith Collins will sell her millinery stock at cost until July 20th.

Mrs. David Ousterhout, of Britton, called on friends here Tuesday.

Best quality binder twine at lowest prices at Ed Smith's.

Martha Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, visited friends here the first of the week.

Prof. L. M. Kellogg, of Tecumseh, was in the village on business Monday.

When the Britton wheelmen want a dandy spin they come up on the Ridge. Take it.

Lelia Sutton, returned Tuesday morning from a week's stay with Toledo friends.

Mrs. John Arner and Rhoda arrived home Wednesday from their visit with relatives.

Ada Dibble, of the class of '96 of the Valley Seminary, spent Sunday with friends here.

Buy your Mason fruit jars, caps, and rubbers of Ed Smith.

Mrs. F. J. Phelps, of Camden, N. Y., is visiting her granddaughters, the Lawton sisters.

Kittie Clark, who attended school at the Normal the past year, returned home Thursday.

Irvin Barnes and Willie Fletcher rode to Toledo on their wheels Saturday returning Sunday.

Planet Jr. cultivators cheap at Ed Smith's.

A large number from here attended the commencement exercises at the Raisin Valley Seminary last week Friday.

The person finding a pair of gold-bowed spectacles will do the loser a kindness by leaving them at Mrs. J. F. Temple's.

Floyd Smith and Marvin Pattison attended the commencement exercises of the east side graduating class at Blissfield last week.

All sizes and styles hay forks at Ed Smith's.

Miss Franc Baker, of Morenci, state lecturer for the W. C. T. U., filled the pulpit both morning and evening Sunday, in the interest of that society.

Richard Houseman, who made his home with his aunt, Mrs. D. W. Loree, and attended school the past year, left for his home at Essex, Clinton county, Monday.

Mrs. Hiscock attended the wedding of her son, C. O. Hiscock, of Columbus, O., to Miss Minnie Freen, of Albion, on Thursday evening the 25th, at the home of the brides mother.

MACON.

Married—Ice Cream Social—List of Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Jennie Mills has a new wheel.

W. B. Hatch is home from Detroit on a visit.

Bertha Mills will teach in Blissfield the coming year.

Prof. L. M. Kellogg, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Baugh, of Ann Arbor is visiting Macon friends.

Grace Sage and Maude Howell were in Ypsilanti last Friday.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell preached the annual sermon to the K. O. T. M.

Don't forget the ice cream social to be held on the school grounds the 4th.

Married, June 24th, Mr. George Rendel, of Cone, and Miss Mabel Allen, of Macon.

Rolph Mills is home from Ann Arbor, where he has just finished a course in the Law Department of the University.

What the Shakers of Mount Lebanon know more about than anybody else, is the use of herbs and how to be healthy. They have studied the power of food. They nearly all live to a ripe old age. The Shaker Digestive Cordial is prepared by the Shakers from herbs and plants with a special tonic power over the stomach. It helps the stomach digest its food, and digested food is the strength-maker. Strong muscles, strong body, strong brain, all come from properly digested food. A sick stomach can be cured and digestion made easy by Shaker Digestive Cordial. It cures the nausea, loss of appetite, pain in the stomach, headache, giddiness, weakness and all the other symptoms of indigestion, certainly and permanently. Sold by druggists. Trial bottle 10cents.

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Joseph H. Choate has been elected President of the Harvard Law school Association.

Taken in time H... ...la prevents serious ... blood pure and ... healthy con...

CONE.

Christian Endeavor Officers Elected—Personal Mention.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Grace Barr, of Raisinville, was calling on friends here last Friday.

Dr. M. Howell visited his parents at Lansing the first of the week.

Frank Gray and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Ann Arbor and Dexter.

Aaron and Elva Auten, of Toledo, spent Saturday and Sunday with their brother, Fred.

Several young people attended children's day exercises at the Bragg church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sarah Austin, of Tecumseh, returned home Tuesday, after a few day's visit with relatives.

Oliver and Horace Logan with their wives attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Mary Snell, at Blissfield, last Saturday.

George Rendal, of Cone, and Mabel Allen, of Macon, were married at the Baptist parsonage, Tecumseh, Wednesday evening, June 24. They will reside in Macon, Mr. Rendal having engaged to teach the school the coming year.

Mrs. Stella Gould met with a painful accident Sunday afternoon while out riding. The horse became frightened and she was thrown violently to the ground, striking on her head and receiving severe injuries. She is some better at this writing.

The Christian Endeavor society elected the following officers last Wednesday evening:

Pres.—Chas. VanDuser.
Vice Pres.—Jessie Auten.
Rec. Sec.—Fred Ellis.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Stella Gould.
Treas.—Ernest Caswell.
Organist—Mertie Auten.

HOLLOWAY.

Ice Cream Social a Success—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Dr. Nixon and wife were Adrian visitors Sunday.

Several of our young people visited Sand lake Saturday.

Abbie Ray returned to her home at North Morenci Monday.

W. C. Holt has gone to Kimble, Ohio, where he has a position.

Trimmed hats at greatly reduced prices at E. H. Fish's rooms.

Mrs. Kelley, of Bay City, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. G. Florance.

Jennie Hollister is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jane Kelley, and her mother.

Mr. Nuttingham, of Milwaukee, takes charge of the creamery at this place.

Clarence Ratts has gone to Mt. Clemens, where he has a position in a creamery.

The ice cream social given at the Maccabee hall was a success. Proceeds $11.35.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Kelley, of Adrian, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Stella Anthony, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Milo Dole, of Adrian, were callers in town Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Nixon, of New London, Canada, is visiting her son, Dr. J. W. Nixon, and her brother, Mr. A. Damson.

The people of this place and vicinity were pleased with the sermon delivered by Rev. A. J. Stead on Sunday at the Maccabee memorial service.

At the C. E. business meeting the following officers were elected:

Pres.—Frank Kishpaugh.
Vice Pres.—Eva Doty.
Rec. Sec.—John Calhoun.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. C. B. Anthony.
Treas.—Floy Spencer.
Organist—Eva Doty.

FRANKLIN.

Death of an Old Resident—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Aunt Emily Whelan is better.

Mrs. Harriet Hooten is better.

Howard Whelan is home from Detroit for vacation.

Miss Orcutt is spending a couple of weeks at G. W. Allen's.

Celia Brewster, of Clinton, was the guest at E. J. Whelan's this week.

A fine boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Skeese last Saturday.

Joe Waring, of Tecumseh, was in this vicinity last week setting up binders.

Irene Allen and Visa Fisher attended commencement exercises at Ypsilanti.

Luman Deming died Tuesday, June 30, at 9 a. m., after an illness of nearly two years.

Mrs. S. N. Munger has been assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. George Knapp, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. C. E. Wisner is in receipt of a letter from a daughter of Mrs. Martha Platt. Mrs. Platt will be 90 years old in August and still retains all her faculties.

Mrs. Martha Whelan received a telegram Saturday announcing the death of her brother, Frederick Deming. Mrs. Whelan started at once for Eaton Rapids where the family reside.

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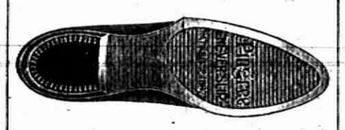

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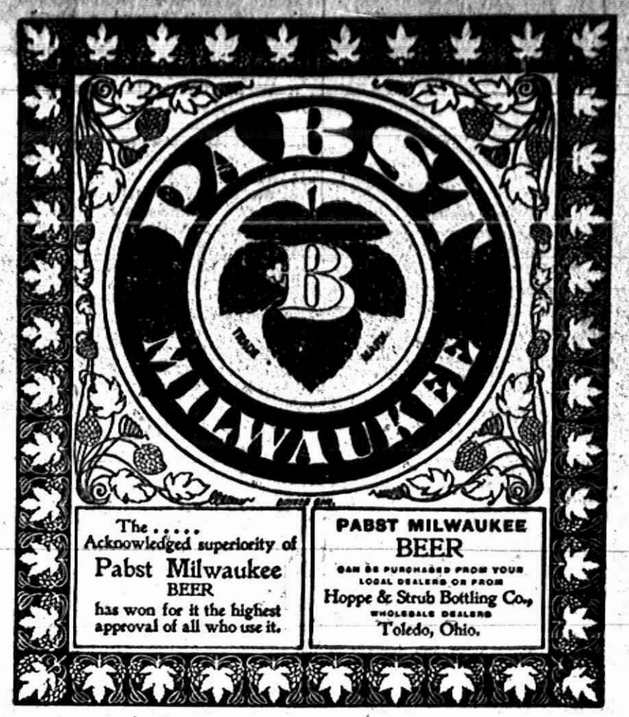

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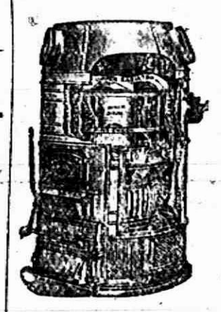

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 3, 1896.

A. W. Smith, of Adrian, is elected chairman of the executive committee, of the State central republican committee. Indeed "Doc" is getting to be a great politician.

It has been said, and truly, that the Herald printed the best and most complete account of the Republican National Convention of any paper in Lenawee county. This rule will hold good for the Democratic Convention which convenes in Chicago next Tuesday, July 7. In fact it is the aim of the Herald to print all the news each week and give information to its readers on a strictly independent basis.

The Republican Gubernatorial Convention will be held at Grand Rapids Aug. 5, when the following men will compete for the honor of the nomination. David D. Aitkin, of Flint. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, H. S. Pingree, of Detroit, and James O'Donnell, of Jackson. At present the situation is, Pingree against the field. The politicians and many of the better class of the republicans are against Pingree, but he has and is doing the work, and the forces of the others will have to be concentrated to beat him.

The meeting of the two great political parties of these United States in convention to nominate candidates for the struggle in November, should set the voters of this country to thinking as they never thought before. In looking over the situation a glance at the work of the last Congress will satisfy every thinking person that it is neither Free Silver, or Gold Standard that this country needs as much as a little honest painstaking legislation; by legislation we mean measures passed for the good of the people without regard to the policy of party or selfish greed of the politician. Such a measure was absolutely unknown to the last Congress, and republicans, democrats and populists all seem to have been to blame. The populists and silver men held the balance of the power in the senate and during the entire session no legislation of any kind was allowed to pass, for the simple reason that no measure for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1 could pass both houses, and these men with theories and "fads" and sectional interests at stake would allow the whole country to go to the dogs, unless this handful of minority could control everything its own way. No revenue measure could pass Congress, the treasury could get no relief simply for the selfish interests of this man, Teller, and his associates; and yet good men ask us to support such men to watch the interests of the whole country at Washington. And now for the other side, John Sherman, the old rascal, put foot on the bill to tax beer $1 per barrel simply through fear of losing the German vote at the coming election and this man has been a candidate for nomination at several national republican conventions. Very few people have looked into the wonders of this gigantic River and Harbor bill passed by this the most extravagant of American Congresses. It provides for an ultimate expenditure of 75 millions of dollars. and its authors were so wasteful that they included in its appropriations 10 millions of dollars for projects of which the engineer had not approved, and one million and one-half on which the engineer had actually reported adversely. Whatever may be said in defence of the remainder of the bill, this 12 millions will be of no benefit to the country or commerce, but will simply be abstracted from the public treasury and wasted in behalf of the political gain of favored congressmen. Whatever else were President Cleveland's faults he had the courage to veto this bill and it was passed over his head with a crazy howl from all parties. It is no wonder that the people were glad when such a Congress adjourned, it should be a lesson to every honest voter to see to it that Congressmen are selected this summer and elected this fall who will at least keep up the appearance of being honest. The Detroit Tribune and Adrian Press may howl about Free Silver, and the Free Press about gold, but never was there a time when there should be the pains taken in selecting public servants as this fall. Commence with the poundmaster and pick out the best man for every office without regard to his political attachments. In the heat of the national campaign let us not forget that there are county officers to elect and a little touching up will do none of them any harm.

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Things Which I have Seen

Which seem to me worth noticing, while swinging around a circle of mingled duty and pleasure through Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti and Toledo, between June 15th and July 1st, 1896.

At Ex-Gov. Felch's funeral on Friday afternoon I saw, I think, the longest funeral procession, consisting not only of celebrities from abroad, church and college societies, drawn by a procession of carriages more than half a mile long, such was the high esteem and even veneration in which he was held by all who know him, that it was ever my fortune to look upon.

I saw at Ypsilanti the Normal school exercises and, walking around evenings, saw, perhaps, the most startling evidence of the trend of this co-educational business re-inforced by promiscuous bicycle riding that it ever was the lot of an old fogy like myself to look upon and, if I must say it, blush to behold.

At Ann Arbor on the 25th I saw the graduation of 754, which it took nearly a cord of sheepskins to launch forth into the world, 331 of them lawyers—"The Lord have mercy on their souls"—and 115 doctors of one kind or another—"God save the weak."

I saw on my way to Toledo, June 26th, at or near Milan the first field of ripe wheat and fields of wheat already harvested and meadows of Timothy hay already mown and the hay drawn away to the barns, and I have seen since here men all along the streets walking the telegraph wires, 25 or 30 feet up in the air (and they are welcome to the job for all of me) putting up cable tubes of lead, enclosing, I am told, sometimes as many as 185 copper telephone wires, to keep them the more removed and secure from outside disturbances; so that telephoning is now reduced to a fine art which almost nothing can disturb or interfere with. And while looking upon this, it has seemed to me that this ought to solve the question as to the feasibility of putting telegraph and telephone wires under the ground instead of upon dangerous and unattractive poles as is now the style and custom. But this is a question for scientists and not for me to answer.

Hoping to have completed my circle of duty and of visiting and to return again to my Tecumseh home by next Monday afternoon, I am as ever,

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In the course of an account of the progress of the preparations for the celebration of the czar's coronation at Moscow, the London Standard's correspondent devotes a paragraph to the feat of one of the Russian sailors whose services had been enlisted in the performance of the more difficult parts of the electric installation for the illumination of the Kremlin:

"I watched this afternoon a cool-headed sailor climbing about the Russian eagle which surmounts, at a height of 170 feet, the handsome tower of the Saviour's Gate. Every now and then the electric current would be turned on and a few lamps fail to light up. The sailor had then to climb, wholly unaided and carrying the tools with him, round and about the huge eagle—it measures about 20 feet across the wings—stepping on and holding by the outspread wing feathers, for the most part, until he succeeded in reaching and putting to rights the defaulting lamps. The risk in the cold, raw weather of to-day at such a height was immense, and it was a relief when, after nearly an hour's labor, he reached comparative safety a few yards below the peak on which the eagle stands. The moment his hands were at liberty the man devotedly crossed himself three times, turning toward the sacred places within the fortress, an action which indicated pretty surely his own opinion of the feat just accomplished, and sent a thrill through the spectators just below."

A Tight Lock.

At Timaru, New South Wales, two women quarreled about a bucket of water, and from words came to blows. After a few minutes both women fell to the ground with their hands twisted in each other's hair. They lay thus grappling together for about a quarter of an hour, watched by screaming women and children. A man then came up and tried to separate them, but without result, until he brought a claw-hammer, by using the claws of which he unlocked the women's hands and made them let go. The weaker woman had to be assisted home.

Joan of Arc.

Joan of Arc's armor, given to the maid by Charles VII. at Bourges, is said to be hanging on the walls of the castle La Tour de Pinon in the department of the Aisne, forming part of the collection of arms of the marquis de Couval. The armor is of the fifteenth century, bears the arms that Charles VII. granted to the Maid of Orleans, and would fit a person five feet three inches tall, while the breast plate must have been intended for a woman.

The Tecumseh Bicycle Association—$1,000 on their Third Annual Derby Day.

Tecumseh is unlike her sister villages. She is radically different in many ways, but in one feature she excels them all. That feature is the unanimity of action among her citizens. We all "pull together," and once a plan of action is approved by the majority, even though its adoption may have been seriously opposed, the hatchet is instantly buried by the faction in the minority and they pull in unison with those whose opinions have prevailed.

In 1894 the Tecumseh Bicycle Association was organized among our more enthusiastic young sportsman. On the 6th of October they hung up a $500.00 prize list for which a large field of speedy riders contested. Encouraged by the succes of 1894, these same young men determined to eclipse there previous effort by giving a still larger meet in 1895. The merchants and business men of the village responded with unusual generosity, the manufacturers came to our assistance most liberally, and the Association was thus enabled to offer a prize list amounting to $750, which was subsequently increased to $825. The day selected for the meet was perfect and the largest crowd Tecumseh had seen in many a year assembled to witness a day of splendid sport.

This year, Tecumseh's third annual Derby Day, to be given on Thursday, July 23, will cast in the shadow the brilliancy of its predecessors. One thousand dollars in gold, diamonds and valuable sundries constitute an unexcelled prize list. Every article on the list is one of guaranteed value and the guarantee of the Association means all that the word implies. Many of the most noted professional riders known to the sport, as well as the most speedy amateurs will contest at this meet.

The extremely successful ten mile road race of 1895 will be repeated, and in order that this great attraction may be more fully enjoyed, the race will be conducted in such a manner that a portion of the contestants will be within sight of the spectators from start to finish. The justly famous Sid Black will also give an exhibition of his sensational and difficult trick and fancy riding. And best of all, these features will be presented to Tecumseh's guests absolutely free of any charge.

The track events will be pulled off in the afternoon at the Association's unusually fast half mile track. This track has recently been rendered absolutely safe by the banking of the turns and the widening of the stretches. The tandem races will be an unique feature of the afternoon's sport and Mr. Black will again appear, giving an entirely different exhibition of fancy riding, concluding his performance by riding a half mile backwards against his best previous effort, which, by the way, is a world's record.

An excellent band will discourse music throughout the day, the railroads have reduced their rates of fare to this point and there seems to be absolutely nothing left undone to insure the greatest day that Tecumseh has ever seen. The admission at the track is only twenty-five cents and that is the only charge made during the entire day unless you wish to luxuriate in the purchase of a grand stand ticket. Don't miss this meet on any account and if you don't secure full value for your money the Association will gladly reimburse you.

For information, entry blanks or tickets address the Association or John L. Anderson, the acting Secretary.

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Mrs. Pheobe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 5

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

W. Anderson is making Elkhart a ness visit.

e Herald office will be closed to-ow afternoon.

mpany C will help Manchester out orating the 4th.

s. Orvis, of Toledo, O., is the guest rs. Sumner Collins.

es Lovina Schreder was the guest of iends in Saline this week.

Crossman was the guest of her rank at Jackson Sunday.

t Gray has returned from Flint, e he did carriage painting.

t Pennock, of Ann Arbor, was the of Alonzo over Sunday.

race Westcott and Edward Snedi-ere Ypsilanti visitors Sunday.

jor Howell, of Adrian, witnessed 's inspection Tuesday evening.

. House returned home Sunday but H. will continue her visit here.

r Sale Cheap—A good barn. For iculars inquire at the Herald office.

ward Whelan, of Detroit, is spend-little season with his people here.

rence Hurry will spend the vaca-not here we regret to say, but up

e matinee, July 15, will be fun. of horses and fast ones will com-Several from away are already ed and many more will be.

. Maggie Wood is enjoying a visit her sister, Mrs. Tillie Myers, of son.

and Mrs. C. A. McNeil received a from Mrs. C. Snerley, of Chicago, ily.

Abbey and wife, of Chickopee Mass., are the guests of Dr. and Lombard.

. Daly, of Detroit, brother of Miss the artist, will spend two weeks is people.

ter E. Burnett, who won such honors at Albion College, is home e summer.

ert Lowry and Charlie Williamson quite a trip Sunday to Toledo, t and home.

Gaston arrived home last night hort visit. He has been on the all the season.

t, the tailor, having accepted a with Wesley Bros., has moved mily to Adrian.

. Snell and wife were called to eld Saturday by the death of his er, Isaac's, wife.

n. Darling and wife witnessed the ntation of Queen Esther by local t at Brooklyn Tuesday.

e acquaintances of Mrs. Will Chiv will be pained to learn that she een quite ill this week.

rry Goff, who is attending school n Arbor was in town Saturday be-trains. He will return later for t with friends.

. Vet Erskine's sister, Mrs. Jack, esterday after a pleasant visit for me in Bay City. She was accom-by Gertrude Ford.

ow P. Stringham died July 2 at e in Tecumseh in his 42nd year. l Sunday at 2 p. m., at the house rial at Manchester.

Lake Shore R. R. will run a ial train to Manchester tomorrow, ving here at 9:15 a. m., returning Manchester 9:50 p. m.

Smith, of Grand Rapids, a form-sident here and brother-in-law to Cleveland and Alvah Waring, ing among old time friends this

t Coller accompanied his brother and wife to Detroit Monday they have been spending the th B. J., another brother. They over.

Weidrick, of South Lyons, has town several days looking after pany's binder business but at e time has been meeting and old friends.

Mothers' meeting which was to en held in the opera house, July been postponed until Friday, The meeting is to be addressed C. M. Brown.

of the Tecumseh relatives of aria Hixson, of Clinton, spent of last week with that venerable d in an appropriate manner her in celebrating her 96th y. They had a delightful time.

Smith and James Boyd visited ld and Morenci Tuesday and are arrangements for a Lake Shore to run from these points and Bicycle day. They report the enthusiastic to come.

withstanding Co. C has been labor-der serious disadvantage of late, without a captain and orderly ant and their 1st Lieut. S. S. er, being away most of the time, ey went through the ordeal of tion Tuesday with great credit to selves and great pleasure to their friends who witnessed it. Col. Williams, the asst. inspector gen-f the state troops, complimented particularly on the way the y and equipments were kept.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Ed C. Rogers is among us again.

Geo. Kay visited Manchester Wednesday.

Miss Gertrude Ford is visiting at Bay City.

John H. Norcross is in Bay City this week.

J. M. Jones made a business trip to Blissfield Wednesday.

Mr. Will J. Clark and wife, of Britton, were in town Saturday.

Miss Minnie Mobbs visited at Raisin Center over the Sabbath.

Lynn Hardenburg returned Wednesday from a tour of the lakes.

See our Shirt Waist Window. Your choice for 69c. Anderson & Co.

G. A. R. social and programme next Wednesday evening. All are invited.

M. A. Zimmerman was out of town on a business trip several days this week.

Frank B. Bauer informs us that there has been a big cut in Tornado Insurance rates.

Rev. B. S. Hudson left Monday afternoon for Chicago. He will be gone six weeks.

Miss Adah Cullen, Mrs. Freeman's trimmer, returned Tuesday from her vacation.

S. H. Merritt, of Cadillac; visited relatives and friends here from Saturday till Tuesday.

Jas. Elliott, W. J. Ingersoll, Will Westcott and Cleo Hall were at Clark's Lake last Sunday.

L. B. Stevens, of Detroit, was in town over Sunday. Mrs. Stevens returned with him Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright and son Donald started yesterday for a trip around the lakes.

Miss Nora Charles is at home for the summer vacation. She will teach in Cleveland next year.

Wm. Bresie and Chas. Johnson the inseperables were shaking hands with their many friends Tuesday.

Mr. J. M. Bittman and family of Saginaw are settled for the summer in their cottage at Sand Lake.

W. W. Whiting was in Manchester Wednesday, selling cigars for our German neighbors to smoke at their 4th of July celebration.

Mrs. L. M. Waldron and daughter, Margaret, started this morning with the delegates for the Chicago Convention and to visit her sister.

Rev. A. J. Hutchins, of Clinton, will preach at the Newburgh school house next Sunday at three o'clock p. m. A Sunday-school will be organized.

Don't let this hot weather keep you from the house of God. Everybody gladly welcomed at the Friends' church next Sunday morning and evening.

Geo. W. Hoag left last Saturday for New Haven, Mich., to take the place of J. H. M. Campbell in the printing office there. Campbell will go to Chicago.

Services in St. Peter's church next Sunday are Holy Eucherist at 8 a. m. and Evening Prayer at 7:30 p. m. Service on Friday evening of this week.

Wanted—A reliable man to canvass Lenawee County. The work is light and desirable and will pay well. Must own horse and buggy. Address A. B., care Tecumseh Herald.

Mrs. H. C. Colgate, of New York City, was calling on Adrian friends yesterday. She was on her way to Tecumseh and other points west, she was formerly a resident of this city.—Adrian Telegram.

We would call our readers notice to mid-summer cash sale of Harris & Hiteshu's, to commence next Monday. See their ad in this issue for full particulars. While Thede is full of his jokes, there is no joke about this. The boys mean just what they say.

The old Lake Shore windmill is gone. Went in the wind storm yesterday, but this event will only hurry matters a little. A new tank and mill have been in way of construction for the Tecumseh station for some time. The new tank will be set down where the well and mill are now located.

David Garlinghouse, of Napoleon, called at the Herald Office this morning on a business errand. He incidentally remarked that he should continue to call and see us every year or two even if he was in his 93rd year. Mr. Garlinghouse bids fair to reach the century mark.

Charles Burns and family, who have been rusticating at his father's near Tipton, drove down Sunday afternoon. He hitched the horse in front of his residence. Soon after he heard a crash, rushing out, he found the horse circling around the post, before he could reach it, it had freed itself from both post and carriage and started towards home. But little damage was done.

The first matinee of the season will be held at Dundee, Mich., on Agricultural Association track Saturday, July 4th, 1896, at one o.clock. Speed contests: 3:00 trot or pace, half mile heats, best 3 in 5, purse $80, 3 monies; 2:40 trot or pace, half mile heats, best 3 in 5, purse $40, 3 monies; free-for-all trot or pace, half mile heats, business men's purse $75, 4 monies. No entrance fee charged. Base ball game, purse $10.

J. B. HAYNES, Sec., Dundee.

Some 16 of our society young people all girls, knowing that Ed and Edith Corey were expected home Tuesday evening from Providence, R. I., where they have been attending school, decided to have a little picnic for themselves and at the same time give a surprise. They boarded the afternoon train, laden with lunch baskets, hammock, etc., and left the train at Suttons where they repaired to a grove and had a pleasant time till the night train arrived, when they walked in upon the unsuspecting returning ones, taking them completely by surprise. It was a jolly crew. Charlie Bidwell acted as chaperon, and was the envy of all the other men in town.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Miss Grace Heesen is home from Negaunee for the summer.

Geo. Teachout's Central Boy is entered in the Dundee race tomorrow.

Miss Etta Baker, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Whiting.

Will Hurlburt wife and children were with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Heck over Sunday.

Hud Davenport left today for Van Wert, O., after a week's visit with friends here.

Miss Ella Lehr, of Manchester, is spending some time with her cousin, Leda Arnold.

Raynor Brawn arrived home from his Chicago trip last evening. He returned by rail.

The postoffice hours tomorrow are as follows: 7:00 to 8:00 a. m., 12:00 to 1:00 and 3:00 to 4:00 p. m.

C. F. Field and wife were the guests of Mr. Will Doty and wife, of Ann Arbor Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Shaw, of Adrian, a compositor in the Times office, is the guest of Mrs. Horatio Keyser this week.

No special meeting of the Masonic lodge tonight. Next Friday evening there will be work in the first degree.

Geo. Chidester arrived Tuesday afternoon from Lansing for a short stay with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Holdridge.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Frazer left yesterday for Ely, Minnesota. They will spend the summer there with their daughter.

Theo. P. Wood, who has been working in Chicago the past 3 months, arrived home Wednesday and will probably remain here.

The Misses Lynn Daly and Augusta Kirchgessner attended a party given by Mabel Barnsdale, at Clinton, Wednesday evening.

Lessons given on the mandolin or guitar. For terms enquire of Miss Louise Phelps. 1913

Geo. Houseman and Mr. Christiancy, of Ridgeway, David Boyd, of Macon, and Henry Smith, Jr., of Tecumseh, now ride wheels purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

Roy and Leon Burlingame, Edgar Coddington, Fay Anderson, Vern Smith, Geo. Tiffany and the Misses Lena Arnold and Viola Shull attended a dancing party at Manchester last Friday night.

T. R. Kyle acts as starter at the Blissfield races tomorrow. They wanted him in that capacity at Dundee also, but the judges stands are a little too far apart for him to occupy both at the same time.

The Tecumseh Women's Auxiliary to the National Party was organized Wednesday with the following officers:
Chairman—Mrs. Jennie Hall
Secretary—Mrs. N. M. Fowler.
Treasurers—Mrs. Anna Bryant Smith.

A very happy company of little folks, about 30 in number, were entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lombard last Friday evening from 7 to 9. The party was for George and Lillis who made it very pleasant for their young friends.

The reunion of the Seventh Mich Cavalry will be held at Ann Arbor today. El Grey is in attendance. The other boys who are left from the 7th, in this section are, John Monaghan, Wm. McKinney and Chas. Wiley.

There will be no preaching services in the Universalist church till August 23d, when the pastor returns from his vacation. Y. P. C. U. devotional meetings will be held every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. followed by the regular Sunday-school.

Dr. O. Q. Jones, in honor of his guests, Drs. Richardson and Johnson, of Dundee, entertained at dinner Sunday at at the Lilley House: C. A. Wright, F. B. Wood, J. J. Orr, B. F. Steinhoff, Jas. Boyd, Dr. R. B. House and F. W. Samsen, all Sir Knights.

Rev. C. I. Deyos' subjects at the Christian church in Britton, next Sunday will be appropriate to our national independence and the season of the year. Morning, "Christianity and National Strength." Evening, "Making and Dressing the Garden."

Sunday morning while people were at church the homes of Art Rice, Oscar Johnson and Mrs. Southards, southwest of town, were entered and ransacked by some person or persons who evidently knew what they wanted and where they would find it as at each place quite a sum of money and other valuables were taken. Sheriff Wilson was investigating matters Monday, but thus far little or no clue has been discovered.

Some 25 or 30 of our base ball enthusiasts attended the game of ball at Adrian Wednesday between the Page Fence Giants and Grand Rapid's league team. It was so loosely played, particularly by the Giants who were not in it at any stage of the game, that most of them were disgusted and yesterday the attendance from here was small. Ben Garlinghouse, Dolph Heesen, Jim Jones and a few others, however, could not stay away and now are glad they did not, as it was a fine game of ball, and though the Giants lost by a score of 6 to 5 yet they put up a gilt edged game.

The following intelligence received from Detroit Tuesday may be a surprise to many of Ed's friends, yet all will rejoice in it and wish him bon voyage. Mr. Edward Frank Kirchgessner, of Tecumseh, and Miss Mary Florence Healy were united in marriage, by Rev. Father Heidenreich, of Manchester, at Right Reverand Bishop Foley's Chapel, Detroit, Monday, June 29th at 7 p. m. The bride was attired in white organda and carried a bunch of white roses and ferns. Miss Kittie Roschford was maid of honor and Mr. Wm. Fitzsimmons, a cousin of the bride was best man. The reception at the home of the bride's parents was attended by about 30 relatives and friends after which the bridal couple left by boat for Mackinac and Chicago. They will be at home in Tecumseh after two weeks.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Miss Lena Arnold had a pleasant visit Wednesday from the Misses Millen and Schmit, of Manchester.

Mrs. T. R. Kyle and Erma left Wednesday morning for a visit with a sister at Hillsdale for a couple of weeks.

Miss Gussie Burlingame, who graduated in music at the Normal conservatory, is visiting her Tecumseh relatives.

Mrs. Chas. I. Weinert, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Miss May Wildo, of Toledo, were guests of Mrs. J. J. Orr over Sunday.

The suit of Greenfield vs. DePuy was argued before Justice Burridge yesterday, who reserved his decision for a day or two.

The Maus company expect to spend some time at a resort on Saginaw Bay where they will furnish music to the pleasure seekers.

I will be at The Lilley State Bank every Friday in July, for the purpose of receiving corporation taxes.
F. D. AVERY, Village Treasurer.

$1,000.00 in Prizes.

The Jackson Wheelmen's Club will hold a diamond race meet as the fair grounds, at Jackson, July 21st. One thousand dollars worth of prizes will be offered to the fellows who are in the lead. The prizes consist of diamonds, bicycles, bicycle medals, prize cups, and other things such as bicycle riders are after. This meet is purely amateur and will be second to none in Central Michigan. The track will be put in excellent condition and fast time is anticipated. The Jackson Wheelmen are looking after every possible detail for the comfort of riders and spectators. A road race will come off in the morning and about twenty-five prizes will be offered, consisting of bicycles, diamonds and other prizes. In the evening a grand band concert will be given, and Boos' First Regiment band of twenty-two pieces has been secured. A royal time is in store for everybody July 21st, at Jackson. fw

—See that "Westminister" bicycle for forty dollars in cash, at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Will not pack a dollar's worth of crockery or glassware at any price.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Those new white dinner sets at Tansley's are selling fast, the low prices make it.

—Steel forks hay cars, ropes, pulleys, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Paris Green at The White Pharmacy, Britton.

—Carpet sweepers go at $1.50, only a few left. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—For binder twine call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—All clothes wringers $1.50 now, at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Crockery, china and glassware always new, always the best and cheapest at Tansley's.

—Hundreds of 25c articles now go on 5c counter. You see we are after the 5c and we are going to have it.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—An elegant line of hammocks at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Get your drugs and medicines at The White Pharmacy, Britton.

—When you want something good and useful for a present see what Tansley has got.

—14 quart pressed dish pans 10c 2 quart dippers 5c, 4 quart pans 5c, 2 quart coffee pot 10c.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—House and wind will pumps, gas pipes, etc., at Satterthwaite Bros.

—Three 5c cakes castile soap for 5c. 25c dust pans 5c. Brooms 10c. Curtain poles 19c. Window shades 17c.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Furnace work, eaves-troughing and roofing at Satterthwaite Bros.

—300,000 SHINGLES AT COST—
—I am going to sell off my Shingles at Cost for Cash. Never such prices heard of here. White Cedar, Pine and Red Cedar, all will be sold. I hope to close them all out in 30 days. tf
A. W. SLAYTON.

—We want $1,000. We have 1,000 pairs of shoes to spare. We are going to have it. "See?"
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—See these Torrey razors, Northfield pocket knives and "Keenkutter" scissors and shears at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—See the dollar shoe table.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—We do not advertise to give our customers "plain facts" alone for their money. But we do say we will give them Better Furniture and More of it for their money than any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSONS.

—All shirt waists go at any price.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Everything in the line of fishing tackle at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Now comes the grand slaughter. Hundreds of pairs of shoes, mens womens, childrens, $1 per pair. To see them is to buy them.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—A grand clean up of tan and oxford shoes. Price no object. Every pair must go. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Bicycle sundries and repairs at Satterthwaite Bros'.

The Glorious 4th.

is here, and we can help you

CEBEBRATE.

Fireworks are all right, but you will need something more substantial. We have

Watermelons on Ice,
Sweet Oranges,
Yellow Bananas.

Ginger Ale and Carbonated Root Beer on Ice.

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

We Sell the Leaders and Lead The Sellers

In our Clothing Department. We have a big line of Men's and Boys' Suits of the Latest Patterns, nicely made up and lined with the best linings, that will suit the most exacting in fit and style, and at Rock Bottom Prices.

WASHABLE SUITS

for children. A big line 3 to 10 years.

A Big Bargain in Boys' Blouse Waists.
Former Price 25c. To close 15c.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

For a Short Time and For Cash

we will give a bar of

Octagon Soap

and one-half pound of either

Chase & Sanborn's Red Brand or No. 4 Tea.

at the price of the tea alone.

Best 50 cent Tea and Best 5 cent Soap on the market.

AVERY & CO.

NEW PROCESS, BLUE FLAME OIL STOVE.

A Coal Oil Stove that gives a Powerful Blue Flame and operates without smoke or odor. It gives you all the desirable features of a gasoline stove with

One Third

less fuel. It is the perfected "Ideal" summer stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

EVACUATION DAY.

Proclamation of Gov. Rich with Reference to Detroit's Big Event.

Lansing, June 25.—The following proclamation was issued by Gov. Rich:

"To the people of the state of Michigan: For many years after the cessation of active hostilities between Great Britain and the United States in the revolutionary war the British refused to carry out the terms of the peace and surrender to the Americans the territory they had won, and it was not until the 11th of July, 1796, at Detroit, that the British flag finally ceased to float over any part of the country whose independence had been acknowledged 13 years before.

"It is proposed to recognize the centennial of the evacuation of Detroit by the British, by a celebration at Detroit on the 11th day of next July. The importance of this event to the nation, and especially to the great middle and western states, demands fitting recognition from the executive of the state, and every citizen who can do so is earnestly urged to attend the celebration of the anniversary of this memorable event.

"The definite and final yielding up of this western region gave the federal government the control not only of the great lakes, but eventually of the Mississippi as well, and indeed, in its finality, of all our western territory clear to the Pacific coast.

"On that date the American flag with its 17 stars was first raised over our soil, and its raising meant the speedy founding of the states of Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

"With the raising of the flag on July 11, 1796, British domination over any part of our country ceased, the 'rebels' then living here breathed freely, and the way was opened for all the blessings we now enjoy as a part of the United States of America.

"In historic interest and importance no other date in connection with the west is of equal value, for the surrender of Detroit marked the close of the war of the revolution and the final accomplishment of the results fought for by our fathers during so many years, and the date of that event should excite patriotic loyalty in the breast of every member of the commonwealth and be treasured in the memory of every citizen.

"Given under my hand and the great seal of the state, at the capitol, in Lansing, this 24th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twentieth.

"JOHN T. RICH.

"By the Governor,
"WASHINGTON GARDNER,
"Secretary of State."

TALKS FOR SILVER AND GOLD.

Republican Candidate for Nomination as Governor Speaks at Jackson.

Jackson, June 30.—At the Jackson county republican meeting Monday night ex-Congressman James O'Donnell, one of the leading candidates for the gubernatorial position on the republican ticket, a delegate to St. Louis and publisher of the republican organ in the county, created a genuine surprise by declaring in his speech that he was a bimetallist. He said the currency plank of the republican national convention did not propose to reduce the amount of silver money a single dime, but that it pledged the party to secure an international agreement by which gold and silver would be used as money on some basis yet to be decided. His speech was half free silver and half gold.

War on Saloons.

St. Joseph, June 27.—Charles Smith, Albert Aukli, Gotfried Kolb, Richard Waters, John Kiblin and Frank Seavers were arrested Friday afternoon upon warrants sworn out by women members of the Law and Order league, charging them with having their curtains drawn tight and the blinds of their respective places of business closed Sunday. Some of them have been arrested four times within a month.

Heavily Mortgaged.

Jackson, June 25.—Chattel mortgages aggregating $390,000 have been filed by the Collins Manufacturing company to secure creditors. The Collins company manufacture carts, buggies, etc. Assets are in excess of liabilities, though the amount is not given. The $160,000 of the amount covered by the mortgage is discounted paper with the company's indorsement.

Blaze at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, June 25.—The plant of the Grand Rapids Mattress company burned early Wednesday morning. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $4,000. The fire started from spontaneous combustion.

SOME POSTAL CHANGES.

Salaries of a Number of Postmasters Are Reduced.

Washington, D. C., July 1.—The post office department has made public the change in the classification and salaries of the presidential post offices for the fiscal year beginning to-day. The changes in Michigan are as follows:

Battle Creek advanced from second to first-class; Ironwood and Mount Clemens from third to second-class, and Bangor, Durand and Milan from fourth to third-class; St. Johns relegated from second to third-class and Ewen from third to fourth-class. Au Sable $1,100, decrease $1,900; Carson City $1,100, decrease $1,000; Coldwater $2,600, decrease $2,300; Imlay City $1,300, decrease $1,200; Nashville $1,300, decrease $1,200; Pawpaw $1,500, decrease $1,400; West Branch $1,200, decrease $1,100; Caro $1,700, decrease $1,600; Cass City $1,200, decrease $1,100; Howard City $1,300, decrease $1,100; Jonesville $1,400, decrease $1,300; Ovid $1,5000, decrease $1,400; St. Johns $2,000, decrease $1,900.

MOTHER AND SONS ARRESTED.

Charged with Attempting to Poison a Family in West Bay City.

West Bay City, June 30.—Mrs. Victoria Gregg and her two sons, John, aged 17, and Carl, aged 10, are under arrest, charged with conspiring to poison the family of John A. Gregg, from whom Mrs. Gregg is divorced. Little Carl was arrested Monday, and on his testimony the mother and elder brother were apprehended Tuesday. Carl lives with his father and stepmother. The little boy, it is alleged, has been putting poison in the food of the family for two months. First he put sulphur matches in the bread, and on several occasions lately has put tablets in coffee, milk and water used by the family. The divorced wife of the complainant denies the charge. She says it is trumped up to get her out of the way and put the boy in the reform school.

FRANCHISE EXTENDED.

City of Detroit Takes Action Favorable to Street Railway.

Detroit, June 30.—The common council has granted a 30-years' franchise (which is a 16-year extension of its present franchise) to the Fort Wayne & Belle Isle street railway company. The provisions of the franchise are much the same as that under which the Detroit railway is operating. It provides that the company shall sell eight tickets for 25 cents, good from five a. m. until eight p. m., and six tickets for 25 cents from the latter hour until five a. m. The franchise is saddled with some objectionable provisions, one of which requires the company to pay $25,000 towards the expense of opening a new street, and it is believed that the company will not accept it.

SILVER PARTY IS HOPEFUL.

Members in Michigan Working fo the Nomination of Teller.

Lansing, June 27. — Members of the state committee of the independent silver party are confident from the canvass already made that the mass convention to be held in this city July 16 will astonish even the most sanguine of the silver men. They also say that if Teller is nominated at Chicago the delegation to be sent to St. Louis by the Michigan convention will be instructed to favor his indorsement. Otherwise they will be instructed to insist on the nomination of Teller at St. Louis.

AN AERONAUT KILLED.

Disaster to a Balloonist at Grand Rapids, Mich., Proves Fatal.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 29.—Andrew Cole, an aeronaut who has been giving a series of ascensions at North park, fell from his balloon Sunday afternoon and died from the effects of his injuries. The wind was blowing quite hard from the west and hurled his balloon against the corner of a building, dragging him from his trapez. He fell 30 feet, striking on his head and shoulders, breaking his neck.

Will Take a Course in Chicago.

Ann Arbor, June 30.—The two Chinese girl graduates, Ida Kahn and Mary Stone, do not expect to return immediately to their native country, but will do another year of college work, probably at the University of Chicago. In China they will be made part of the staff of one of the hospitals managed by the missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal church. Both speak English with surprising accuracy and fluency.

Crack Shots at Holland.

Holland, June 27.—The tournament of the Michigan trap shooters opened here Friday with a fair attendance. In the state team shoot diamond trophies were given to the winners. The Grand Rapids team won the state championship. Among those from the outside who made good scores were Bush, of Kalamazoo; Schrigley, of Traverse City; Schelling, of Lansing; Walton, of Grand Rapids, and Vaneyck and Karsten, of Zeeland.

Soldiers Testing a New Rifle.

Mount Clemens, July 1.—Preliminary firing began at the encampment of the Nineteenth United States infantry near this city Tuesday. Companies H and I were given five rounds to a man, the distance being 200, 400 and 800 yards. Record firing begins Friday, each man having 20 rounds. The Krag-Jorgensen rifle is the arm used.

May Have Been.

Buchanan, June 27.—The city aldermen by a vote of 6 to 2, granted a license to have a saloon in this city. The pastors of the different churches made a gallant fight, but uphill, against this ordinance. Twice has it passed the board of aldermen, only to be vetoed by the mayor.

Death of Peter Collier.

Ann Arbor, June 30.—Peter Collier, Ph. D., died here Monday. He was the brother-in-law of President Angell and had been professor of chemistry and physics at Vermont university, chemist of the national department of agriculture, etc.

Burglars Make a Rich Haul.

Coldwater, Mich., June 29.—The residence of George Monroe, in Bronson township, was entered by burglars and robbed of $700 in cash and a valuable gold watch.

PRESIDENT ANGELL HONORED.

Completion of the Twenty-Fifth Year of His Presidency.

Ann Arbor, June 25.—Few men have the good fortune to receive an ovation such as was being tendered Wednesday to President James B. Angell, of the University of Michigan, by the students, faculty and alumni of the institution and prominent educators from all parts of the country, in recognition of the completion of the 25th year of his presidency. In the morning formal exercises were held in University hall. An illuminated parchment, containing an address from the university faculty, was presented to President Angell. Congratulatory speeches were delivered by Dean Murray, of Princeton, Justin Winsor, librarian of Harvard, and Dr. W. T. Harris, United States commissioner of education and president of the University of Illinois. An ode written for the occasion by Charles Mill Gayley, of the University of California, was rendered by the Choral union. In the afternoon a banquet was tendered to President Angell, among the speakers responding to toasts being Presidents Harper, of Chicago university, Rogers, of Northwestern, Speery, of Olivet, and Adams, of Wisconsin, and ex-President Andrew D. White, of Cornell.

TAKEN TO COURT.

Suit Involving $1,000,000 Brought Against a Defunct Gas Company.

Detriot, June 29.—Suit involving $1,000,000 has been brought against the defunct Gas Light company by the Guaranty Trust company, of New York. In an answer filed in the Wayne circuit court the Guaranty company asks that the purchase of the Detroit Gas Light company by the Detroit Gas company be held as fraudulent and void and that a mortgage of $1,000,000 given in payment by the company be declared worthless. The holders of this mortgage are nearly all non-residents of Detroit. They claim that the representations made by the Detroit Gas Light company that it possessed a grant by virtue of the franchise of 1851 were false and fraudulent, because there was a later franchise dated 1861. The Detroit Gas company was forced, by the discovery of the 1861 franchise, to accept terms of compromise by which it sustained great loss and damage.

RUMOR CAUSES A BANK RUN.

Depositors in Jackson Alarmed by a False Report.

Jackson, June 30.—An absurd rumor in connection with the Collins Manufacturing company's filing of mortgages for $390,000 Saturday started a flurry of the savings depositors on the Union bank Monday, and probably $25,000 in small sums was drawn out. The bank is the strongest in the city, and paid out up to eight o'clock in the evening, four hours later than usual. Business men and large depositors put in more than the small ones drew out. The officers say all can have their money as fast as they want it.

CARL WENDEL NOT GUILTY.

The Jury Says He Did Not Murder Little Eva La Frienere.

Menominee, June 30.—Carl Wendel, who has been on trial here for the murder of five-year-old Eva La Frienere at Ishpeming, this state, a year ago, was on Monday afternoon found not guilty, the jury being out less than an hour. Fifty-five witnesses testified in the case, and the expenses of the trial will be very large. Young Wendel is walking around town with his attorney and is the lion of the hour.

Peach Crop Immense.

Niles, June 25.—The first peaches of the year were brought in Wednesday from a large orchard near Fairland. They were fully ripened and above average size. This is the first time in the history of the Michigan peach belt that peaches ever ripened so early. They were fully four weeks ahead of time. The crops also will be the largest ever known. Many thousands of bushels of half-ripened peaches have been taken from the trees to keep the limbs from being broken off.

Died of Lockjaw.

Detroit, June 29.—Eva McDougall, aged seven years, died of lockjaw in the Children's free hospital Sunday morning. The child received two slight cuts a week ago while playing with a wringer. The wounds healed in two days. Last Monday her jaws became set and she had spasms. Anti-tetanic serum was utilized and the disease was seemingly stayed, but Saturday night she had 17 spasms, and Sunday morning at seven o'clock another of five minutes' duration ended her life.

New Silver Organ.

Lansing, June 29.—The projectors of the independent free silver party in Michigan will have an organ in the Lansing Daily Leader, the publication of which will begin this week. It will be an afternoon paper. The capital for the enterprise comes from outside the state. L. C. Stockton, late of Sidney, Neb., will be the editor and D. A. Reynolds, of Lansing, business manager.

Observe Midsummer's Day.

Menominee, June 29.—The Scandinavian societies of Menominee and Marinette celebrated Midsummer's day with a festival at Riverside park. Over 1,500 people took part in the parade. Three bands were in attendance. An interesting programme was given at the park, where at least 7,000 people gathered and took part in the festivities.

Students Stay for Summer School.

Ann Arbor, June 30.—More students than ever before are staying over for the summer session of the university. Nearly 200 are registered so far, all but 30 who are laws being registered in the literary department. The total enrollment is expected to approximate 300.

St. Joseph, June 27.—W. F. Plumsteel, steward of the steamer City of Milwaukee, died Friday of apoplexy. The deceased was 64 years of age and for 14 years had been steward of the northern Michigan line boats.

EAGLES AS GAME DRIVERS.

Sometimes They Enable Gunners to Get Shots at Wild Ducks.

Eagles are sometimes of considerable service to a hunter, and this is especially true of the eagles of the Potomac river at Wide Water, where President Cleveland shoots. According to an American Field writer, eagles on a calm day often give the hunters shots which they would not otherwise get.

The eagle goes flying up and down the stream, and on seeing a flock of ducks goes toward them, hoping to get a cripple, being unable to capture ducks as the peregrine falcon does. When the ducks see the eagle coming they jump into the air and go looking for a safer locality, and this is where the gunner comes in. The gunner's place of concealment in a blind is not nearly so safe as the eagle's vicinity, but the ducks think it is safer till the shot goes through their feathers.

Three or four eagles will keep all the ducks on the move, and the gunners get good sport where they otherwise would not have dirtied their gun barrels. The eagles sometimes steal cripples from the gunner, but the knowing man does not hurt the birds, getting his pay back on calm days.

Bond Proposition Successful.

Benton Harbor, June 25.—A special election was held here to bond the city in the sum of $30,000 for a public park and to aid the proposed tunnel railway. The proposition carried by 600 majority.

Young Patriot Loses an Eye.

Coldwater, June 27.—Friday afternoon Storrs Smith, a boy of ten years, had his right eye blown out with torpedoes while at play.

Mangled by the Cars.

Coldwater, June 27.—Roy Youngs, of this city, fell under the cars at Howard City Friday, cutting off one foot at the ankle.

Killed by Lightning.

Galesburg, June 25.—Edward T. McGolrich, aged 22, was killed by lightning on a farm two miles south of this place.

Dickinson as Counsel.

Detroit, June 30.—News has been received from Washington that Don M. Dickinson had been asked to act as chief counsel for the United States in the arbitration with Great Britain on the Behring sea awards. Mr. Dickinson refused to talk about the matter, but it is believed the report is authentic.

Awarded Heavy Damages.

Marshall, June 26.—In the circuit court Charles Hardigan has recovered a verdict of $10,000 damages against the Michigan Central railroad. Hardigan was stealing a ride at home on a freight train and was forced off the train while it was running at a high rate of speed, run over and lost both legs.

—The Hindoo-Koosh, 20,600 feet, is reported to be the highest in Afghanistan.

Itching

If there is one thing more than another which gratifies us, it is the great volume of hearty thanks which come from grateful parents for the cures Hood's Sarsaparilla has effected upon their children. The agony of despair turns to unspeakable joy as mothers and fathers see dreadful sores and eruptions gradually yield to the potent purifying power of this great medicine, and bright boys and girls given perfect health. Read this:

"When my baby was four weeks old, scrofulous eczema broke out on his body. He became literally covered with

Sores

When six months old the breaking out healed on his body, but his head, face and arms were a terrible sight. I passed many sleepless nights holding his little hands to keep him from scratching his face. I cannot tell what he suffered with the sores. One doctor attended him a year without avail. No one thought he would ever get well. He was almost a year old when I commenced to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla. He soon grew so much better that

Cured

I was able to rest at night. Gradually the sores on his head and arms healed, the burning and itching ceased, and he slept better. In 2 months he looked like another child, gained strength, was cured. I recommend all persons afflicted with eczema or any skin disease to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I feel assured that it will do wonders for others. I cannot praise it too highly for what it has done for my

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poor little sufferer. It is hard to believe he is the same child, he is now such a big, hearty, fat boy, a very picture of health. If more people would give Hood's Sarsaparilla to their children, there would not be so many poor, delicate little ones." MRS. AGNES C. BAILEY, Box 91, McVeytown, Pennsylvania.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Ezra Day and Hannah Day, his wife, to Jacob L. Day, bearing date November 26th, A. D., 1895, and recorded in the Register's office for Lenawee Co. Mich., in Liber 117 of mortgages, on page 318, on the 30th day of Nov 1895, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest the sum of $1,063.24 and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection for the same or any part thereof.

Notice therefore is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum to accrue thereon, the costs of this foreclosure and sale including the Attorney fee in said mortgage provided. I shall on the 14th day of September, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co., Mich., (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: all that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) of town five ( ) south of range four (4) east bounded as follows: beginning on the north-west corner of said east half of said north-west quarter of said section twenty seven (27) running thence north eighty-eight degrees and forty-seven minutes (88° 47') east along the section line eleven (11) chains and fourteen (14) links; thence south one de ree and nineteen minutes east parallel with the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section thirteen (13) chains and fifty and one-half links; thence west parallel with the first course eleven chains and nineteen links to the west line of said east half of said quarter section; thence north one degree and nineteen minutes west along said west line of said east half of said quarter section thirteen chains and fifty and one half links to place of beginning; containing fifteen acres of land.

Dated June 19th 1896.
JACOB L. DAY, Mortagee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Jane Osborne, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Lilley State Bank, in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 11th day of July, 1896, and on the 9th day of December, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 9th day of June, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, June 19, 1896.

LUCIUS LILLEY,
J. N. SAITERTHWAITE,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin H. Conger to Lydia M. Corsell dated the twentieth day of February A. D., 1892, and recorded in office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, Michigan on the 21st day of April, 1892, in liber 89 of mortgages on page 389, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest the sum of two hundred and forty-four dollars and eighty-four cents, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at seven per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 28th day of September 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan, (that being the place in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all those parcels of land situate and being in the township of Tecumseh, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the east line of the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one of town five south of range four east seventy-one and one-half rods south of the north-east corner of the west half of said quarter section running thence south on that line fourteen rods; thence west twenty and one-third rods to the center of the highway leading across said eighty acre lot; thence north-west along the center of said highway to the south west corner of land allotted to George S. Conger by commissioners in partition whose reports of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county Michigan in liber 127 of deeds on pages 49, etc.; thence east on south line of land so allotted to said George S. Conger as aforesaid thirty rods to the place of beginning containing two and one quarter acres of land.

Also all that other tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan described as that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one of town five south of range four east lying west of the River Raisin and bounded on the north by land now or formerly owned by George Griswold, and on the south by land deeded by [illegible]insworth to Stephen D. Conger and which is a formerly part of the George Griswold land containing twenty-five acres of land.

Dated, July [illegible], 1896.
Lydia M[illegible]orsell, Mortgagee.
Charles F[illegible]ge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF [illegible]CHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 8th day of June, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to George W. Knapp or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 6th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

New Day Trains On The Wabash Between Chicago and Detroit.

Commencing Monday, July 6th, the Wabash Line will place in service between Chicago and Detroit through day trains leaving Chicago 9:50 a. m. daily except Sunday, arriving Detroit 6:30 p. m. and leaving Detroit 8:20 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving Chicago 5:10 p. m. These trains will be equipped with Wabash Standard Day Coaches and Free Reclining Chair Cars running through without change between Chicago and Detroit. 7-3-4.

Senator Teller is taking a rest at the home of his mother, at Morriston, Ill., where a family reunion is being held.

Kidney Trouble Relieved.

Ludington, Mich., June 12, 1896. I felt it a duty to write concerning the great good that I have derived from the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For a number of years I have been troubled with my kidneys, and found no medicine to help me until I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has given me great relief." Mrs. Sophia Hietz, Box 492.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line.

To take Effect May 17, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express.....
New York and Boston Limited.....
Detroit Accommodation.....
New York Express.....

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express.....
Chicago Accommodation.....
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S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

Jackson Branch. In Effect May 24, 1896.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 341. Accom.
Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
	6 37 "	2 38 "	1 30 "
	6 55 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
	7 58 "	3 01 "	2 38 "
	7 08 "	3 05 "	2 48 "
Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 15 "
	10 45 "	6 20 "	
	8 50 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

No. 315 Arrives in Chicago at 2.10 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 342. Accom.
Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
	11 05 "	7 50 "	
	11 50 "	8 50 "	8 00 A.M.
	12 29 "	9 35 "	7 50 "
	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 16 "
	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 50 "
	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 54 "
Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 30 "

Trains run on New Standard of 90th Meridian.

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Time table in effect June 4, 1896.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

Passenger	12:01 p. m.
Passenger	5:52 p. m.
Pass'gr Sunday only,	6:40 p. m.
Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:42 a. m.
Passenger	4:13 p. m.
Pass'gr Sunday only	9:18 a. m.
Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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Jackson, City Ticket Agt.

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Toledo, Ohio.

A cyclone and storm blew down a circus tent in St. Paul, Minn., and the crowd stampeded, injuring several persons.

$75.00 in Gold Given.

The Interstate News and Book Co., Baltimore, Md., are making a most liberal offer of $75.00 to any agent who will sell 40 copies in two months of their book, "Under Both Flags," and watch for selling 40 copies in one month. This premium is in addition to commission. Graphic and thrilling pictures of the Civil War,—both in gray and blue, written by eye witnesses of camp fires, comrade-ship, deeds of dash and daring, anecdote, etc. Hundreds of war pictures. Agent reports 23 copies sold in two days. Complete $1.00 outfit sent for 50 cents in stamps. Write them immediately. Freight paid and credit given. This is a splendid opportunity for students and teachers during their summer vacation. 1014

HORTICULTURE

FOR BERRY GROWERS.

Hints on the Propagation of Strawberries and Black Raspberries.

It is not always best to invest too much money in new things. Nowadays, hundreds of new varieties of fruits are being propagated and introduced through the catalogues, describing the characteristics and good qualities of each in such a way that would excite one's curiosity and tempt them to invest. No doubt, though, some of the newer varieties are better than the old ones. But if you desire to try something new, don't "go in too steep;" buy just a few and try them, and if they prove satisfactory, you can make more of the same by propagating them yourself, just the same as the nurserymen.

It is possible to produce 500 to 1,000 strawberry plants from one healthy

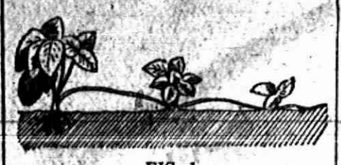

FIG. 1.

plant in one season. The plant is put in a very rich bed, deeply trenched and enriched the year previously with all the manure that can be mixed thereon. The plant then set, work the soil about it frequently, but not deep. Remove all the runners that appear at first. As the plant gains strength, permit the runners to remain, and draw them out in all directions from the parent plant, laying a small stone over each where the leaves appear. (See Fig. 1.) When rooted, separate them, set them from four to six feet apart each way, and treat them in the same manner as just described above for the parent plant. Continue this course, watering in time of drought with diluted liquid manure. Soil so rich as that is not desirable for producing fruit, but is just the thing for growing more plants.

Propagating the black raspberry is also easy to perform. If we observe closely the plants in the woods and learn the nature of self-propagation we would be more benefited therefrom. We observe the blackcap, with its long canes drooping the tips to the rich loose ground, where they coil and assume a snakish appearance and send out rootlets into the rich soil, thus forming a new plant. The natural mode of self-propagation is almost unknown in a great many places nowadays, since the woods are being cleared out, as the winds have full sway, swinging the plants to and fro, forbidding them fixing their tips in the ground. Natural conditions have been changed to some extent, and now nature has to be assisted somewhat to fill the deficiency. Just after the fruit has been gathered is the time to commence "layering" your plants. Cultivate the soil very finely and dig little holes two to three inches deep, and bend the tip ends of the canes into them perpendicularly, not slantingly, and cover with dirt to hold them in place. (See Fig. 2.) By following this method attentively it is possible to make above a hundred plants from a vigorous plant in a season.

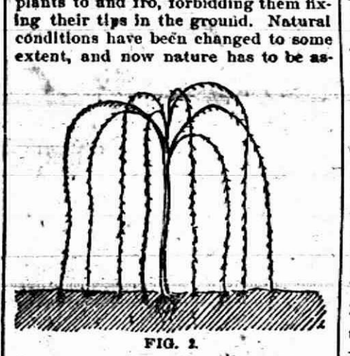

FIG. 2.

The red raspberry and blackberry are propagated from the roots sprouting up. It is quite an item to the farmer and fruit grower to understand propagation; they may just have only one plant of a rare variety and increase it to many the same season, thus getting a start very cheaply, even if they do pay a big price for the first one.—S. C. Vaughn, in Farm and Fireside.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

All fruit for market should be handled carefully.

Keep up planting of sweet corn for roasting ears.

The nicer the appearance of fruit the better the price.

The first year after the tree is planted is the time to prune and shape the trees.

For grapes to be of much benefit spraying should be done at least three times.

The best results with liquid manure can be secured by applying it weak but often.

The best results from thinning are secured by doing the work early in the spring.

Coal ashes can be used to good advantage as a mulch around the currant bushes.

When there is a crop of fruit send only the best to market, and have it in good condition.

While no variety of plums is free from curculio, keeping the trees healthy will help materially.

Peach trees suffer most and pear and cherry least from standing in a thick growth of grass.

If pruning is neglected for the first few years the removal of large limbs may be necessary.

If a piece of land is to be planted to small fruits this fall grow some hard crop on it this summer.—St. Louis Republic.

THE CURRANT WORM.

Information Supplied by the Indiana Experiment Station.

A bulletin from the Indiana experiment station says: The currant worm, or, more properly, the gooseberry saw fly, was introduced into this country from Europe about the year 1857, coming, as did the imported cabbage butterfly, by way of Canada. It is probable, however, that it was landed at other points along our eastern coast. Like most of our imported insects, it spread very rapidly, and now it covers the greater portion of the United States.

This fly belongs to the order Hymenopters, which includes the bees, wasps and ants. It is known to entomologists as a kind of connecting link between this order and the Lepidoptera, to which belong the moths and butterflies. The adults make their appearance soon after the leaves of the currant and gooseberry bushes come forth. The female lays her eggs along the principal veins on the under side of the leaf. These hatch in about ten days, and the young larvae may be detected by the minute holes which they have eaten through the leaves. As they approach maturity they become ravenous eaters, soon stripping the bushes of their foliage. They then seek for a secluded place in which to pupate, and in about four or five weeks the second brood makes its appearance and the same process is gone through as before.

Remedy.—The most successful remedy yet discovered for this insect is white hellebore. Dust a little of the powder over the infested bushes while they are damp, either early in the morning or just after a shower. If this is done promptly, before the worms have spread all over the bushes, one or two applications will usually be sufficient.

LARGER PEACHES.

Thinning Out by Hand Is the Best Way to Produce Them.

Mr. J. H. Hale, one of the greatest peach growers in the United States, in speaking of the manner in which he makes a success of the business, is reported as saying that one must thin by hand. He puts stepladders under the trees and puts boys on them whose bump of destructiveness is large and tells them to go ahead. He begins when the peaches are three-quarters of an inch in diameter and takes everything that is curculio-stung and diseased. These he carts away and burns. The rest that are taken off are dropped on the ground and left there.

In future, he says, three or four-year-old peach trees shall not bear over 250 peaches; four or five-year-old trees not over 300, and full-grown trees not over 500. That means six inches apart; 500 peaches on a tree will make six or eight baskets of fancy fruit. Three thousand peaches to a tree won't make more or sell for more money, and the trees are ruined.

Peach trees are planted on a good ordinary corn or wheat land in a fair state of fertility. The holes for the trees are dug about twice as large as necessary to receive the roots and a big handful of fine ground bone is scattered at the bottom of the hole and two or three more on the dirt, and that is worked in around the roots at the time the tree is planted. Then is put on muriate of potash. The next year is broadcasted from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds per acre of fine ground bone and from 400 to 800 pounds of muriate of potash or its equivalent, and this is kept up every year whether the trees bear or not. "It is pretty liberal feeding, but it pays to be liberal with trees," says Mr. Hale. —Western Rural.

MARKETING PRODUCE.

Handy Box for Carrying Small Fruit, Butter and Eggs.

Many a farmer goes to market carrying fruit, butter, eggs, and a number of other articles. A convenient package for his use is shown herewith. The box has a bail for carrying purposes. One side, instead of the top, is hinged, disclosing shelves when opened. Fruit,

BOX FOR MARKETING PRODUCE.

butter, eggs and other small articles can be placed on these shelves, and reached instantly without disturbing other articles, which is not at all the case when the package opens at the top.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Thinning Out Garden Crops.

Few practices are more profitable than thinning out garden crops. If the knowledge of the proper sowing of seeds was more widely prevalent no thinning would be needed, but so many persons sow the seeds fearing that numbers will fail to grow, and therefore many more seeds are used than is necessary. But sometimes all these superfluous seeds grow, in which case it is desirable that they should be thinned. Not only do the vegetable plants grow larger under these circumstances, but in many cases they come earlier into use.—Rural World.

Irrigation in Horticulture.

Irrigation as applied to horticulture was discussed at great length before the late meeting of the Kansas State Horticultural society. Delegates from the western part of the state as well as others dwelt at length upon the possibilities of garden and orchard irrigation from wells. The underflow is very strong and almost inexhaustible. Orchards of ten to 100 acres are quite common, and the owners are prosperous and contented. Young men are urged to acquire such homes. This season more farms are being equipped with irrigation outfits than ever before.—American Agriculturist.

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'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The editor of the Petersburg Sun took a vacation last Saturday. Fished, viewed the crops, and returned full of gratitude that Petersburg had survived his absence.

From the cartoons and editorials of the Detroit Tribune it looks very much as if it was not for McKinley, nor for Teller, nor for Boies, but for Sale.—Monroe Democrat.

The Morenci Observer says that J. L. O'Meeley, of Adrian, will relate how the Irish discovered America, at the celebration at Hudson on the Fourth. Like was an eye witness, and with his native eloquence he will make a speech worth hearing.—Adrian Times.

Prof. and Mrs. E. D. Walker, of Dubuque, Ia., are here to spend a portion of their vacation with their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Crittenden.—Saline Observer. Prof. Walker is a nephew of S. J. Walker, of Tecumseh, and spent most of his school-boy days here.

This morning Sheriff Wilson received word by telephone that a burglary had been committed near Tecumseh. While the people were at church yesterday, the house was entered and two watches and some other jewelry taken. He went out to investigate.—Adrian Telegram.

In speaking of the other candidates the Morenci Observer has the following to say about H. W. Stevens: "Hank" Stevens would like to. The Tecumseh man has a soldier record behind him, is one of Wilson's deputies, is an individual of military appearance, and is well thought of in his home town.

The Gazette cannot agree with the Detroit Tribune on the money question, but we do admire its courage in coming out boldly, without fear or favor, for a principal they conscientiously believe to be right. People have very little regard for a newspaper that is afraid to express its candid opinion on an important question.—Hudson Gazette.

The Addison Courier comes to the Herald table this week with a beautifully engraved cover, and looking in "all at home" clothes, as neat as a new pin. The meaning of all this is a celebration of its 12th birthday. Hereafter the paper will be a five column quarto, printed all at home and certainly is one of the best papers printed in this section. Much more success to our neighbor is the wish of the Herald.

Edward DePuy was quite seriously cut and bruised while working in a binder Tuesday morning. Some straw had become tangled, and as he was endeavoring to pull them out the machine started a little and his left hand was caught in the machinery, and the left arm and wrist badly cut and torn. Dr. Sheeder, with some difficulty, replaced the parts together as best he could and Mr. D. is now doing as well as can be expected.—Saline Observer.

The Detroit Tribune has, in fact, deserted the republican party. It is no longer, in name even, the organ of that party in Michigan. Owned by a man who also publishes the free trade whacking News, it has never been under the Scripps management the recipient of confidence of the Wolverine republics and its present attitude is no surprise. The Detroit Journal is a good enough paper for the average advocate of McKinley and republican ideas.—Detroit Observer.

Last week Wednesday, a stranger went to Knapp & Jones' shop and rented a Lady's "Record" bicycle, saying he wished to go to the lake. On returning at the proper time they sent enquiries to the lake to ascertain if the fellow had been there and found that he had checked the wheel to Van Wert, Ohio. Thursday morning Mr. Knapp and Mort Kane, who were the only ones who could identify the thief, went to Van Wert to try and get a trace of him, but finding that he had shipped the wheel to Cincinnati, they returned to Hudson without making any further attempts to capture the thief.—Hudson Gazette.

We were permitted to read a letter from R. J. W. Bowen to C. Tuttle who he assumed wrote the item in last week's issue relative to the present condition of the C. T. Line. Mr. Bowen's attempt to explain his motive or justify his haste in taking down poles, cutting the line and making other changes which lessen the general usefulness of the line fails to satisfy the familiar with the facts. As Mr. Bowen's present relation to the line is simply that of one of five directors, his aim to have the right to cut the line and his declared intention to take down such poles as he thinks unsafe will be watched with interest, especially as everything he has done on the Clinton loop the past month has lessened its usefulness, caused trouble and expense and seemed prompted by haste so unnecessary as to appear malicious. If the court does not happen to agree with Mr. Bowen, he may think it advisable to repair the line where his zeal for a general good (?) prompted him to tear down.—Clinton Local.

The sad news was received here Saturday evening of the death at Petoskey, at 4 o'clock that afternoon, of Miss Mabel Critchell, the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour P. Critchell. At the suggestion of the family physician, coupled with the invalid's earnest desire, Miss Critchell was taken north by her mother two weeks ago, in the hope of arresting the progress of the dread disease, consumption, which developed from a decline that became apparent nearly eight years ago. The patient was greatly fatigued by the journey, but she rallied somewhat after a few day's rest, and bid fair to be benefitted by the change of air and scene. On Wednesday, however, the frail invalid experienced a relapse, since which time she failed rapidly. The father, accompanied by Mr. A. A. Wooten, left for Petoskey Saturday night, returning Monday morning with the remains and the bereaved mother. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the home of Wm. Critchell, 27 College avenue.—Adrian Times.

Some of our exchanges are publishing an item which merely states that Hudson has 100 widows. We object to the matter being treated in such a cold manner. It would be much nicer, and would also be true, if the papers would say that Hudson has nearly two hundred as nice widows as there are in Dixie. That they are good looking, smart, accomplished, and splendid cooks and housekeepers. That most of them are willing to build fires in the morning, and that they always mind their own business. Write it something in the style brother editors, and possibly in a short time there will be lots of widows in Hudson.—Hudson Post.

H. E. Buckley, a Chicago capitalist, will build a railroad to connect Elkhart and Jackson, Mich. He has associated Michigan and Indiana capitalists with him in the project. The road, which is to be built as far as Adamsville, Cass Co., will be completed at once, the survey having been made and a part of the right of way secured. The road will be operated in connection with the Elkhart & Western, which runs from Elkhart to Jackson, and has accumulated a large surplus fund, and pays [illegible] per cent. Buckley is president of the [illegible] Indiana system.

DOGS AS CHURCH GOERS.

[illegible] Wrote Concerning Dogs in Colonial Days.

The principal disturbers of the peace in the colonial meeting-house were dogs, says William Root Bliss in "Glimpses from the Colonial Meeting-House." They seem to have been regular attendants at the Sunday services and of necessity were placed under discipline.

At New London (1662) one of the duties of the sexton was "to order youth in the meeting-house and beat out dogs." At Charlestown (1666) a man was hired at four pounds a year "to ring the bell to meetings and to keep out dogs in meeting time." At Dedham (1674) a man was paid eight shillings a year "for keeping dogs out in meeting time and shutting the door."

Andover did not object to dogs, but made them pay for the privilege of coming to meeting. The law of this town (1672) said: "Whatsoever dogs shall be in the meeting-house on the Sabbath day the owner thereof shall pay sixpence for every time."

The dog law of Redding (1662) was peculiar. It runs thus: "Every dog that comes to the meeting, either of Lord's day or lecture day, except it be their dogs that pays for a dog-whipper, the owner of those dogs shall pay sixpence for every time they come to the meeting that doth not pay the dog-whipper."

Twenty-six men wrote their names, or made their marks, in the Redding records, agreeing to "pay the dog-whipper" to whip other people's dogs out of meeting, while their dogs remained and were recognized as members of the congregation in regular standing.

DOG AND COW.

A Remarkable Instance of Affection Between Animals.

A remarkable instance of affection between a dog and a cow is related by a by a well-known suburbanite. His little black Scotch terrier became infatuated with a small Jersey cow in his neighborhood, and every morning he would run off to the pasture where his bovine sweetheart was kept. He would slip out the side way and walk along with the cow. He often missed his breakfast and often did not taste a mouthful all day. When she munched grass by the roadside, he patiently sat on his haunches until she moved along. Sometimes he was confined at home to break up the habit, but as soon as he was released, off he would go at a full run for the pasture, singling out his love from the herd of cattle and following close at her heels. He would jump up and kiss her in the mouth, lick her feet, and show signs of greatest joy when he came to her. While the cow on her part did not appear to appreciate his attentions, she did not hook him away. Finally, the family grew tired of keeping a dog that remained away during the day and only came home for his supper and to spend the night, and gave him to persons living some distance in the country. The cow, who had never seemed to notice any of his demonstrations of affection, missed his companionship when he was gone. For she would come to his former home at evening, put her head over the palings and low. She did this at intervals for several months.

A Great Increase.

Washington, June 29.—According to official statistics just issued by the director of the geological survey the total value of the mineral products of the United States for 1895 increased over $50,000,000 beyond the value for 1894, or from $527,368,594 to $617,795,290. This increase is considered a long step towards recovery from the depression to which the mineral industry like all others has been subjected.

Values Adjusted.

Washington, July 1.—Mr. Preston, the director of the mint, has adjusted the values at which foreign coins are to be received by United States customs officers during the next quarter. The values are increased on a basis of $0.68769 per ounce of silver, as against $0.68207 on April 1, 1896.

Joliet's Growth.

Joliet, Ill., July 1.—The new city directory gives a great increase in population in this city. It has 15,572 names, 1,289 more names than any previous directory, and placing the population at 40,000. There are 7,000 houses, of which 93 are vacant.

HORSE TRADING IS [illegible]

Bicycle Craze Drives it Out—Hard for a Livelihood.

Even the wandering [illegible] influence of the popular bicycle. The head of [illegible] camped for some weeks [illegible] chelle, complains that [illegible] the home market, [illegible] part by the popularity [illegible] has taken from [illegible] source of income. He has a [illegible] horses than he needs to drive [illegible] van about the country, and [illegible] his custom for 20 years to make [illegible] whenever she opportunely [illegible] nobody came to trade horses [illegible] and he is driven to sabre [illegible] earning a livelihood.

Luckily for him he has [illegible] sources. Having a fair education, he undertakes to teach young men mathematics, penmanship and [illegible] phy. He gets pupils, too, [illegible] chanics who wish to learn [illegible] arithmetic or algebra, and occasionally one that has a fancy for [illegible] raphy. The gypsy finds [illegible] ask questions of [illegible] hardly ask for [illegible]

TESTS OF ENDURANCE.

Methods in Vogue [illegible] Trying Man's Fitness for Marriage.

No other country [illegible] such opportunities to those [illegible] to marry as [illegible]. In this respect it is truly the home of the free and the land of the brave, not to say the foolhardy. In some countries matrimonially [illegible] have to [illegible] parents' consent, but [illegible] prospective bride-groom has to show that he can support a wife. Uncle Sam throws no such [illegible] in the path of true love. He [illegible] every man's right to starve [illegible] if she is willing, and provided one can raise the slight fee necessary for the license, there is nothing [illegible] him getting married if he can find a woman of the same mind. In some parts, says the New Orleans Picayune, the savage tribes have a peculiar ceremony which they put the matrimonial candidate through previous to his entering the holy estate. His hands are tied up in a bag containing fire ants for two hours. If he bears unmoved the torture of their stings he is considered qualified to cope with the nagging and daily jar and fret of married life. Such a man would make an admirable husband. He would not be upset by the thoughts of a spring bonnet, or grow irritable every time the steak was undone. The idea of having a patience trial for those about to marry is a good idea that civilized people might adopt.

CAVE DWELLERS.

The Haunt of the Rat on the Colorado River.

A party of hunters have just returned to civilization after a trip along the Colorado river. One of them, Capt Hurd, tells of an interesting discovery they made. One morning they rose about daylight to take advantage of a long day in which to make a desired excursion. As they passed among the timber on the steep and rocky side of a canyon, they suddenly came upon a big dead tree, every limb of which was literally covered with bats of varying sizes. There were hundreds and thousands hanging to the wood.

But as the hunters watched a curious sight was revealed. There was a hole in the trunk of the tree, and one after another the bats released their hold on the limbs and disappeared in it. They moved in with great regularity and speed, but more than an hour was consumed before all had disappeared. It was evident to the interested watchers that there was not room within the tree trunk for one-tenth of all the bats which had entered, so they determined to cut the tree down and discover the secret. When the tree was felled a cave was found underneath, and in this the thousands of bats found refuge by day. A match dropped in the mouth of the cave brought the inmates out in great numbers.—Philadelphia Press.

COULD NOT PAY HIS FARE.

Rothschild Was Once Placed at the Mercy of an Omnibus Driver.

Baron Rothschild was once caught in a predicament that many people experience daily, and that is getting into a conveyance of some kind and then not having the money to pay the fare. The driver of the omnibus into which Rothschild entered, says Harper's Round Table, demanded his fare, and the baron, feeling in his pockets, discovered that he had no change. The driver was very angry. "What did you get in it for if you had no money?" "I am Baron Rothschild," exclaimed the great capitalist, "and here is my card." The driver scornfully tossed the card away. "Never heard of you before," said he, "and don't want to hear of you again. What I want is your fare." The banker was in great haste. "Look here, I've an order for a million," he said; "give me the change." And he proffered a coupon for that amount. The driver stared and the passengers laughed. Fortunately a friend of the baron entered the omnibus at the moment, and, taking in the situation, immediately paid the fare. The driver, realizing his mistake and feeling remorseful, said to the baron: "If you want ten francs, sir, I don't mind lending them to you on my own account."

The Dewfall in Britain.

Wells estimates the total annual deposit of dew on the British isles as being in the neighborhood of five inches, or about one-seventh of the total amount of moisture received from the atmosphere. This means 22,161,337,365 tons of dew a year, reckoning the ton at 252 imperial gallons.

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Ruins of the House Inhabited by the Virgin Mary.

The pope and the cardinals are much interested in the discovery made by Father Esbrasch, superior of the French seminary in Rome, during his recent journey in the east with Father Paulinus, superior of the Lazarist community at Symrna. The reported discovery, says the London Standard, is that of the ruins of the house inhabited by the Blessed Virgin and St. John, after the ascension of Christ.

This house, it appears, was not situated at Jerusalem, as has hitherto been generally believed, but at a place three miles from Ephesus, where the site is located in the book containing the revelations of Anne Catherine of Emmerich, a German nun, the account of whose visions of the various scenes of Christ's Passion has been published in most European languages.

Fathers Esbrasch and Paulinus found that the site indicated by Anne Catherine of Emmerich is known to the peasants as Peneghia Capouli, signifying "Place of the Virgin," and that the locality exactly corresponds with the description given in the nun's book.

They Wear Paste Gems.

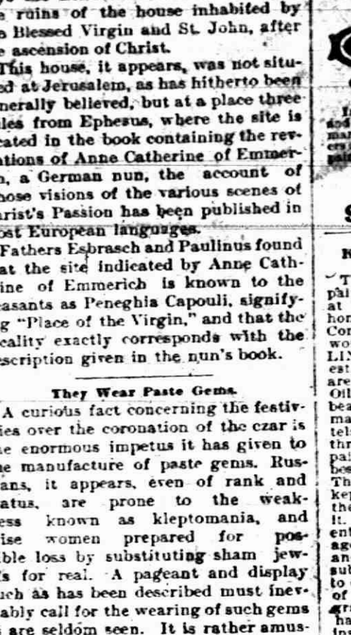
A curious fact concerning the festivities over the coronation of the czar is the enormous impetus it has given to the manufacture of paste gems. Russians, it appears, even of rank and status, are prone to the weakness known as kleptomania, and wise women prepared for possible loss by substituting sham jewels for real. A pageant and display such as has been described must inevitably call for the wearing of such gems as are seldom seen. It is rather amusing to learn that much of the splendor is pretense, and that, too, because the grand dames do not dare trust their treasures in a crush, even though the crowd is composed of their own kind. Among the Muscovites, however, the sin is said to be held a trifling one, and the story is told that one lady of high rank was caught appropriating her cousin's emeralds, and that victim declined to prosecute, merely saying: "Poor Sophie! It is a very painful and nervous disorder."

Taking Refuge in the Bowl.

Since the hard times, said a barber, home hair cuts are more common, especially among the foreign population. The housewife puts a bowl on the heads of the men and boys in the family, then cuts of all the hair which shows below it.

Railway Around Etna.

The new railway around Etna is about 62 miles in length.



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Cheese, per lb		10
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MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		11
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25 to	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	6 10 12
Chickens per lb	10 6	12
Turkeys		
Hides, green	6	
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	
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Wheat		85
Corn, shelled	32 to 35	
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A STEAMER SINKS.

The Arago Is Wrecked in a Fog Off the Oregon Coast.

Four Passengers and Nine of the Crew Lose Their Lives—A Brief Story of a Terrible Battle with the Waves.

Marshfield, Ore., Oct. 21.—The Oregon Coal & Navigation company's steamship Arago, Capt. Reed, was wrecked Tuesday morning on the Coos bay bar and four passengers and nine members of the crew were drowned. The vessel was endeavoring to enter the harbor at Empire City and the engines were slowed down while the bar was being crossed. A strong tide-rip carried the vessel on the submerged rocks of the partially-constructed government jetty. She struck so hard that a hole was knocked in her bottom directly under the engine room, and a few seconds later the vessel sank in eight fathoms of water. The deckhouses and upper works were carried away, as were also the life rafts and boats. In the midst of the confusion the passengers and crew clung to whatever debris they could reach. Two boats were captured, and into these 18 persons climbed, leaving the captain and five of the crew clinging to the rigging, which was still above water. For two hours the boats endeavored to make land through the breakers. A huge wave capsized one of them and all of its nine occupants were drowned. The other boat was finally piloted safely into the bay and the life-saving crew notified. With much difficulty the captain and remaining seamen were removed from the rigging, which was rapidly being submerged. Three seamen afterward floated ashore in safety on life rafts, and all the passengers and crew are now accounted for.

SATOLLI SAYS ADIEU.

Large Delegation of Distinguished Persons See the Cardinal Off.

New York, Oct. 19.—After a long sojourn in this country as apostolic delegate from the see of Rome, Cardinal Satolli bade adieu to America Saturday. He was a passenger, sailing for Genoa, on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II. A large party of eminent churchmen and laymen, distinguished in every walk of life, including Archbishop Corrigan and the Suffargan bishops of the province; 100 Catholic clergymen of the city and vicinity; Rev. Brother Justin, president of Manhattan college; the college faculty, and over 1,000 of the leading Catholic citizens of New York accompanied his eminence down the bay as far as the Narrows on the steamer Valley Girl.

RAMBUSCH KILLS HIMSELF.

Absconding Wisconsin Banker Commits Suicide in Virginia.

Juneau, Wis., Oct., 21.—A dispatch was received here Tuesday night from the coroner of Fredericksburg, Va., stating that W. T. Rambusch, the absconding banker of this city, had committed suicide there. The dispatch asked what disposition should be made of the body. Instructions were at once sent to forward the body to this place for burial. Rambusch was engaged in banking and the abstract business. He disappeared on October 10, and forgeries amounting to between $300,000 and $500,000 have come to light. The total amount of his irregularities is not known.

Found Guilty.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 19.—William Harris was found guilty of murder in the second degree, the jury returning the verdict at 11 o'clock Saturday night. Harris, on the evening of September 7, killed George Frank, stabbing him seven times in the abdomen. The murder was committed on a leading business corner and Harris was so drunk at the time that he had no recollection of the act afterwards. The trial lasted a week. The penalty is anywhere from ten years to life imprisonment.

B. F. Foster Dead.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 20. — B. F. Foster, grand secretary of the grand lodge of odd fellows, died at his home in this city Monday morning. Benjamin J. Foster, was born January 28, 1820, and had held the office of grand secretary for 25 years. He was state librarian during Gov. Morton's term and was a warm personal friend of the war governor. Dropsy of the heart was the cause of death.

Death of a Pioneer Minister.

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 19, — Rev. George Stevens, former presiding elder of the Jacksonville and Bloomington districts of the Methodist church, died Saturday, aged 82. He was a brother-in-law of Gen. John M. Palmer and was one of the few remaining pioneers of Methodism in the west.

Fate of a Somnambulist.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Benjamin A. Crisler, 81 years old, while walking in his sleep Sunday morning fell from a third-story window. He died a few hours later. Frequently during 20 years he had walked in his sleep, but had never before met with an accident.

Havana, Oct. 21.—Arcano Sanaoria, a prisoner of war who had been convicted of incendiarism, was shot Tuesday at Matanzas.

There is no mistaking Hanna's position on the labor question. He stands with his foot firmly planted on labor's throat.

SCHNAUBELT DEAD.

Haymarket Bomb-Thrower Expires at San Bernardino, Cal.

San Bernardino, Cal., Oct. 20.—Rudolph Schnaubelt, the fierce visaged anarchist who threw the Haymarket bomb in Chicago and for whose apprehension the police machinery of the world has been in motion ever since, is dead. The end of his long flight and years of hiding ended Monday in this little town in southern California. Consumption, a better trailer and worse foe than the authorities for law and order, found him out.

[Schnaubelt was one of the first men arrested with Lingg, Spies and Schwab, May 5, 1886, after the great riot in Chicago. For ten hours the police kept him in the sweat box, but his nerves stood the test and they let him go. He took immediate advantage of this, for he disappeared as completely as if he had dropped into the lake. In ten hours more the police wanted him badly, but could not trace him. He was reported in Central America and all over the world, but was never captured. There never has been any doubt in Chicago police circles that it was Schnaubelt who threw the bomb. All the evidence pointed to him as the chief tool of the leading conspirators, and it has never been controverted or strongly denied. The testimony on the trial, summed up, went to show that Lingg made the bomb, that Spies lighted the fuse with a match while standing in the alley opening on the Haymarket square, and that Schnaubelt threw the bomb into the ranks of the police.]

WHEAT SOARING.

Prices Continue to Advance with Great Rapidity.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—In the midst of a scene of wild excitement, such as veteran traders recall in war times, December wheat opened on the Chicago board of trade Monday anywhere from 78½ to 79½ cents, after closing officially Saturday at 75⅞ cents. It was an average three-cent jump to begin the furore with, and in its startling suddenness and effect it came like a bomb in the pit. Eighty-cent wheat was missed by a quarter of a cent only, the top notch of this sensational session being 79¾ cents. But the market was not all upwards. It oscillated between Saturday's closing price and the top, reacted to 78⅛ cents, then went to 79¾ cents and flashed all around this point with a bewildering assortment of changes. The December future broke towards the close, the last official price being 77½ cents, but that was 1½ cents above Saturday's closing.

HOTEL BURNED.

Its Owner Arrested for Setting Fire to the Place.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—The Farmyard Hotel, a roadhouse halting place between the city and country, at Geyer avenue and Broadway, was burned Monday morning, together with five horses, a lot of wagons and buggies and a large amount of feed. Premises adjoining were damaged to the sum of $5,000. The total loss is $17,000. Three servants were injured by jumping from windows. A wagon once owned by Gen. Grant and lately used for advertising purposes, was burned. Frank Schwab, owner of the hotel, has been arrested on a charge of firing the place.

Death of a Millionaire.

New London, Conn., Oct. 19.—Hon. Jonathan Newton Harris, aged 81 and one of the best-known men in New England, died Sunday of heart disease. Mr. Harris was a millionaire, having made a fortune by a patent medicine. In 1851 he formed a copartnership with J. L. Harris & Co., of Cincinnati, O., controlling the sale of certain patent medicines west of the Allegheny mountains. Mr. Harris has given large sums to churches and for educational purposes, including $100,000 to found a school of science at Kioto, Japan.

Heavy Registration in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The second and last day of registration in Chicago showed, according to a conservative estimate, that at least 85,000 names had been placed upon the books when the polls closed at nine o'clock Tuesday night. Over 293,000 registered on the first day—the 13th of this month—making a total number of voters registered about 380,000.

Illinois Mine on Fire.

Gillespie, Ill., Oct. 19. — Fire broke out near the airshaft in the Consolidated Coal company's mine at this place Friday night and is doing great damage. An attempt is being made to smother it by sealing the mine. The men all escaped, but 12 mules perished. The top works are probably safe, but a long shut-down will be necessary.

Quits the Field.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—Mr. O. D. Jones, populist candidate for governor of Missouri, handed his resignation as a candidate to the populist state committee and it was accepted, and Lon Stevens, the democratic candidate, was indorsed.

Twenty Drown in a Wreck.

Lisbon, Oct. 19.—The Portuguese bark Venus, Capt. Pino, hailing from this port, which sailed from Cardiff on October 1 for Lisboa, foundered in a gale on October 9 off Skomer island. Twenty persons were drowned.

New York's Registration.

New York, Oct. 21.—According to the official figures of the election bureau, which were made public Tuesday, the total registration in this city for the four days is 330,976.

The Record Still Stands.

Terre Haute, Ind., Oct. 21.—John R. Gentry failed to beat the world's record and made the mile in 2:04½. The wind was strong and it was cold. The first half was in one minute.

HELD UP A TOWN.

Six Bandits Plunder the Village of Carney, O. T.

Store, Hotel, Post Office and Shops Robbed of Their Valuables—Telephone Wires All Cut to Prevent Interference.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 19. — Saturday night at ten o'clock the town of Carney, 30 miles west of here, was attacked by bandits, all heavily armed, masked and well mounted. The robbers entered with a flourish of arms and oaths and at once attacked the store of J. H. Fouts, the largest merchant in the city. Before entering the town the bandits cut the telephone wires between Carney and Chandler in order to prevent interference with their evidently prearranged plans. Carney is a town of 300 people and contains a general merchandise store, hotel, post office, blacksmith shop, stables and dwelling houses. Only Fouts and his son were in the store when the robbers rushed in and threw their guns on them. The chief of the outlaws commanded Fouts to open his safe. He quickly complied and handed over $800 in cash to the bandits. Two of the robbers then bound and gagged Fouts and his son and carried them two miles out of town. Meanwhile the other robbers attacked the hotel and post office, but got nothing in the latter place. In the hotel three drummers and two citizens were relieved in all of $500 in money, watches and jewelry. At the United States marshal's office the opinion prevails that the gang is headed by "Dynamite Dick," pal of the late Dalton and Doolin.

TRAGEDY IN ST. LOUIS.

A Peddler Kills His Divorced Wife and Himself.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—William Huttinger, a peddler, shot and killed Mrs. Mary Kerstinger Monday night and then shot and killed himself. The double tragedy occurred at 1803 Arsenal street, where Mrs. Kerstinger was visiting. Fourteen years ago the two were married and lived together but a short time when the woman got a divorce. She has been married twice since then. Kerstinger, her present husband, is part owner in an omnibus line in Peoria, Ill., and is there now. Ever since the couple separated, Huttinger has followed the woman and persecuted her. They met by accident when their old quarrel was renewed. The shooting occurred on the veranda of the boarding-house.

REMOVED.

Political Activity Causes the Dismissal of a United States Official.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Henry D. Clayton, United States district attorney for the middle district of Alabama, has been summarily removed from office by the president. Mr. Clayton was a delegate to the Chicago convention, and is now a candidate for congress from the Second district of Alabama. Early this month Attorney-General Harmon informed Clayton that his candidacy was interfering with his official duties. In reply, Mr. Clayton declined to admit his running for congress was inconsistent with his office. The correspondence was laid before the president. Saturday Attorney-General Harmon telegraphed Clayton notice of his removal from office by the president.

Accidentally Killed.

Cresco, Ia., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Grace Dunoon Farnsworth was accidentally killed by a bullet from a rifle in the hands of her husband Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Farnsworth had been changing cartridges and in snapping the barrel to place the rifle was discharged, the bullet entering his wife's forehead between the eyes. Death was almost instantaneous.

Three Sailors Drowned.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 20.—The sealing schooner St. Lawrence, which arrived Monday after a nine months' cruise off the coast of Japan, in which she secured 8,000 sealskins, reports that on August 5 three members of the crew, John Juan, of Seattle; James McNutt, of Juneau, and Fred Williams, of Sitka, Alaska, were washed overboard and drowned.

Bankers Assign.

West Point, Ga., Oct. 21.—W. C. and L. Lanier, bankers, assigned Tuesday morning. Failure to realize on securities, depreciation in the value of assets and the general business depression are said to be the causes of the failure. Liabilities and assets unknown.

Struck by a Fast Train.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 20.—Charles Hill, an old engineer on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, while oiling his engine at Spalding Monday morning, was struck by a fast train and instantly killed. The body was thrown 100 feet and terribly mangled.

Aged Journalist Dead.

Superior, Wis., Oct. 17.—Silas G. Sherburne, one of the oldest newspaper men in the northwest, died here of heart failure Friday. Mr. Sherburne was at one time connected with the Chicago Times under the Storey regime.

Colby, Kan., Oct. 21. — Charles F. Flickenger, a farmer living near here, shot his wife and then hanged himself. Brooding over financial losses unbalanced his mind.

A Centenarian Registers.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 19.—Abraham Sanford, aged 100 years and 8 months, was among the voters who registered in this city.

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Clinton Column.

Pole Raising—Political Meetings—Business Change—New Club Rooms.

E. R. Smith is spending a few weeks in the East.

Ora Still spent Sunday at his father's near Wamplers lake.

Clara Welch was the guest of Adrian friends over Sunday.

John L. Tuttle, Jr., was at home from Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Nellie Monroe went to Britton Sunday to spend a few days with friends.

May Brooks, of Adrian, has been the guest of Mrs. Alice Teabolt this week.

Dr. J. E. White and family visited J. L. Kishpaugh's family at Britton Sunday.

Chas. Householder, of Ypsilanti was visiting Clinton friends the first of the week.

Clarence Hause was up from Britton and spent Sunday with his brothers and sister.

Cornelia Ellis was the guest of Mrs. Ben Ellis at Tecumseh Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Bush has been visiting relatives in Ann Arbor since Friday of last week.

Fred Camburn, of Macon, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Will Niblack, over Sunday.

The republicans held a rally Tuesday evening. Ex-Congressman Mark Brewer was the speaker.

Mrs. J. S. Kies spent Friday and Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, at Tecumseh.

John Middlebrook came up from Tecumseh Monday for a few days' visit with Clinton friends.

Winnie and May Waterhouse were home from Ypsilanti. They came Friday and returned Monday.

Leon Clark and Frank L. Parker were home from Albion over Sunday. They came on a tandem wheel.

Minnie Glasgow, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Frank Anglemeyer the latter part of the week.

Robert Woodard left for Lacon, Ill., Thursday of last week, having promise of work in the woolen mill at that place.

The McKinley club have opened club rooms over the Clinton Provision Company's market and have very pleasant quarters.

Frank D. Lancaster recently purchased, at Jackson, a fine standard bred pacer. Individually he is a fine model and very speedy.

Mrs. E. VanDeMark returned home last Friday, after a six weeks' visit at Chicago, Hammond, Ind., and Paw Paw, this state. She reports a grand time.

Mrs. E. M. English has moved into the upper rooms of what is known as the Belding house, on West Chicago street, but which is now owned by herself.

Mrs. Fred Schoen, of Bridgewater station, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tagg, last week. Amelia kept house for her while she was here.

E. S. Tate made a trip into Ohio on his wheel last week. While gone he visited Canton, Ohio, and called on Wm. McKinley. The interview was very pleasant. Bert reached home the last of the week.

John J. White made a business trip to Norvell Monday. Mr. White is receiving many orders for suits and overcoats from the surrounding towns. He carries a fine line of samples and his work is of the best quality.

Ed Clark and Henry Lancaster have dissolved there business relations so far as the livery business is concerned. Last Friday Henry rembved his part of the stock to his own barn and henceforth will conduct his own livery.

Will and James Eagan, of Grand Rapids, came the last of the week and several days were spent among their old friends. Will is studying law and teaching German in Grand Rapids and Jim is selling cash registers for the Dayton Company in Wisconsin. The boys are always welcome.

Saturday afternoon the silverites raised as fine a hickory pole, 98 feet high, as can be found anywhere. The weather was raw and disagreeable, still there was a large crowd present and everything passed off pleasantly and successfully. The pole bears 16 silver bands and 1 gold one and a fine Bryan and Sewall banner waves in the breeze. Quite a number of the county nominees were present and some strong and stirring speeches were made in the hall. J. W. Helme and Clem Bramble, both of whom are thoroughly posted on the currency question presented the subject in an eloquent, impressive and argumentative manner. They are both pleasing speakers and make staunch friends wherever they go. The occasion was one to be remembered.

D. St. John and wife visited Tecumseh Monday.

George Chandler, of Saline, spent Sunday in Clinton.

James Jones was up from Tecumseh Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Bertha Shugar returned Saturday to her home in Onsted.

Roy Wood was home from Detroit a few days the first of the week.

Miss Florence House has been on the sick list for the past few days.

E. Van De Mark is suffering with a felon on the middle finger of his right hand.

James Riley and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with their son, James, and wife.

Elmer Halladay, of Tecumseh, was calling on Clinton friends Wednesday afternoon.

Jennie VanTuyle returned home from Ypsilanti Saturday. She may remain some time.

Miss Jennie VanTuyle, who has been at Ypsilanti for the past few months, returned home last Saturday.

Wilber Hogan and mother were the guests of Henry McMann's family at Saline Monday and Tuesday.

M. J. Gregg and sister, Mrs. Theo. Henderson, after a two week's visit with Clinton friends, left Friday for Jackson.

Isaac Corwin came over from Grass Lake Wednesday afternoon, for a few days' visit at the home of his son, Chas. Corwin.

Ambrose McDonald, Sidney Case and Raynor Hauessler, three of Manchester's society young men, spent Saturday in this village.

Anna Eagan, who is teaching at Fruit Ridge, spent Sunday at her uncle's, M. Keusch's and had a little visit with her brothers, Will and Jim.

Mrs. J. L. Barker arrived here Wednesday from Bridgeport, Vermont, expecting to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Huntington.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell, Mrs. Will Wood and Mrs. Thos. VanGieson went to Morenci Thursday to attend a foreign missionary convention.

D. H. Davis is gaining great reputation as a cartoonist. He has recently produced some original cartoons of great merit. He made a fine crayon of Wm. J. Bryan, which he gave to C. D. Keyes, that is a masterpiece.

The 26 tickets sold at this point for the Bryan special Friday does not fully represent Clinton's delegation to that general outpouring of all classes to see and hear the people's candidate, Wm. J. Bryan, at Jackson, Friday. Several used their mileage on the special, some drove, others wheeled, and eight took the noon train, swelling the number to about 50. They feel well repaid for all sacrifices made.

Saturday, while the silverites were raising their pole on the corner of Jackson and East Chicago streets, the republicans ran out on a rope stretched across the street from Hause's store to Freese's, a large American flag with pictures of McKinley & Hobart attached. It was done as a slur to the silver men. It was not a courteous thing to do and was denounced as such by many republicans. Such things will do their cause no good.

FRANKLIN.

One of our farmers is sowing wheat this week.

The republican rally at Tipton was a success and well attended.

Mr. Hunt of Adrian, sent a fine piano out to G. W. Allen's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Deming, of Adrian, visited at Aunt Anna Allen's Saturday.

Several of our young men rode over to Clinton Saturday to help raise the free silver pole.

Mrs. Lorenzo Billington and Miss Ella Munger drove to Ypsilanti Saturday, returning Monday.

Come out to the Lyceum at Seth Simmon's tomorrow night and take part in the free silver debate.

The mutual benefit association will meet at Frank Bradley's, October 30th, Mr. Crowel Eddy is president of the society.

A load of people from the free silver club of Tipton drove to Jackson Friday to hear Bryan speak. They were more or less fortunate—generally less—in getting a glimpse of him through the immense crowds that thronged the streets. One lucky lady succeeded in getting a fine view of the back of the great man's hat. Those that heard him speak are enthusiastic in his praise.

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David A. Wells Discusses Cause of Fall In Prices—Compares Jasper's "Sun Do Move" Theory With Silverites' Gold Has Appreciated Theory—Measured by Price of Labor, Gold Is Depreciating.

The Hon. David A. Wells, author of "Recent Economic Changes," and the greatest American authority on the cause of falling prices, has a full page article on this subject in the New York Tribune of Sept. 7. He finds that there has been a universal fall in prices, averaging 30 or 40 per cent. since 1873, but that it is only in this country that the fall is attributed to the demonetization of silver. Continuing, he says in part:

Granting, as every intelligent person must, that the recent universal decline in prices cannot be due to any local agency, but must be attributed to some universal influence, it is claimed that such an influence is to be found in an appreciation in the value or purchasing power of gold, owing to its limited and insufficient supply, and also that this decline in prices followed the so called demonetization of silver in some countries, and the closing of the mints in other countries to its coinage.

The appreciation of gold, helped by an alleged enforced scarcity of silver, and a decline in price seem, therefore, to stand to each other in the relation of cause and effect, and the cause of the advocates of silver has accordingly at the outset much of plausibility. But plausibility is not proof, nor assumption truth, as is strikingly illustrated by the claim of the Rev. Jasper, pastor of the First colored church in Richmond, Va., that "the sun do move," and the earth "do stand still," and who has more of seeming facts in support of his faith than can be adduced by the advocates of the gold appreciation theory—for cannot everybody with eyes see the sun move up every morning in the east and move down every evening in the west? And if the earth moves 19 miles every second, as the astronomer bugs tell us, would not every movable thing fly off its surface as mud does from a revolving carriage wheel? And as nothing does fly off, is it not certain that the earth stands still?

Investigation in the case of the Rev. Jasper and the advocates of the gold appreciation theory will, however, lead to different conclusions. It is to be noted, in the first place, that the advocates of the latter theory, in stating what they assert to be the truth, never express themselves other than generally, in all that has been written or spoken in support of the gold theory on either side of the Atlantic.

No one has ever been able to name a single commodity that has notably declined in price within the last 30 years and satisfactorily proved, or even attempted to prove, that such decline was due to the appreciation of gold. And the reason for such default is that it cannot be done.

On the other hand, not a single commodity that has notably declined in price within this time can be named in respect to which clear, abundant and specific evidence cannot be adduced in proof that this decline has been due to decreased cost of production or distribution or to changes in supply and demand occasioned by wholly fortuitous circumstances.

Nobody, furthermore, has ever risen to explain the motive which has impelled the honest sellers of merchandise all over the world during the last 25 years to take lower prices for their goods in the face of an unexampled abundance of capital and remarkably low rates of interest, except for one or both of two reasons—excess of supply or diminished demand. Has any one ever attempted to explain how it has happened that during the recent period of the fall of prices the world's stock of money, and especially of silver, has been constantly increasing?

Is it not plain that a phenomenal decline of prices in two parts of the world, with entirely different monetary conditions, must have had other causes than a demonetization of silver in the United States, which took place, if it ever did, a comparatively short time ago (repeal of the Sherman act in 1893), and which has not prevented nearly $600,000,000 of silver credit money from circulating in the the country at its full nominal value?

That the price of labor measured in gold has not declined, but increased in a marked degree everywhere in the civilized world during the last quarter of a century, has been already commented on; hence if the purchasing power of gold has increased during this period a given amount of it would have purchased more labor and not less, or, what is the same thing, wages would have fallen, which they have not done.

Measured by the price of labor, gold has unquestionably depreciated, and recent careful examinations indicate that the ratio of its decline has been from 100 in 1873 to 83 in 1893. Measured also by the decline in the rate of interest on such established gold paying securities as British consols, the ratio has been from 100 in 1870 to 75 in 1896. Can anybody suggest a better measure for testing this issue?

Has any one ever endeavored to explain how an appreciation of gold has reduced the cost of railroad and water transportation to the extent of more than 75 per cent within the last 20 years, although the wages of employees have advanced during the same period?

If, on the other hand, these reductions were caused by the suppression of the free coinage of silver, will not a reversion of policy enable the railroads to advance their freight rates and rob the people, as will be claimed, by restoring 50 per cent more than at present? And will not some supplementary provisions to the free coinage act be necessary to prevent their so doing?

SIMPLE SUMS FOR SILVERITES

Problems Which Can Easily Be Figured Out by Voters.

A farmer raises 1,000 bushels of wheat, for which he now gets $500. With that money he buys various kinds of manufactured goods at low prices. With free coinage at 16 to 1 he might get $1,000 for his wheat, but would certainly have to pay nearly twice as much for the goods he would buy. How much would the farmer gain from a cheap money scheme which doubled the price of the things he gets in exchange for his wheat?

The Sherman silver law of 1890 provided for the purchase by government of 54,000,000 ounces of silver per year. Under the operation of that law the price of silver, after a short speculative rise, fell steadily from $1.16 to 78 cents per ounce. If the purchase and storage of practically the entire American production of silver could not prevent its price from falling, what reasons are there for believing that the mere act of coining silver into dollars and returning them to the owners of the bullion will double the price of all the silver in the world?

A workingman who depends for his livelihood on the sale of his labor to an employer is now paid $2 per day in currency based on the gold standard and kept on a parity with gold by our laws. This $2 will buy a relatively large quantity of necessities. If this country adopts free coinage and goes on to a silver basis, $2 will buy only one-half as much of the goods the workingman needs. Show how labor would be benefited by a policy which would cut the purchasing power of wages in two.

An investor having money to lend was approached by a farmer who wanted a loan for the purpose of buying new implements, additional stock and some fertilizers. "If you will let me have $800 on the security of my land and buildings," said the farmer, "I will vote for a free silver law which will enable me to pay you back next year in dollars worth just half of those you lend me." State how much money that investor loaned the farmer, also the rate of interest paid.

A large number of persons who complained that they were poor decided to enact laws which would make them all rich. As their poverty consisted in the lack of food, clothes, furniture, houses and other forms of wealth, they agreed that instead of producing the things they needed they would set men to work digging silver, which they did not need, out of the Rocky mountains. By so doing they expected that the supply of other labor products would in some mysterious way be increased. How much is twice nothing, and how will the changing of silver bullion into coins make more houses, machinery or beef?

If the sound money vote in Vermont increases the Republican majority from 21,000 in 1892 to 38,000 this year, how long will it take the 16 to 1 issue to wipe out the entire Democratic vote in that state? WHIDDEN GRAHAM.

The Tempting "More Money" Scheme.

There would be a scramble to pick up the promise did they not see the string to it.

There Has Been No Reduction.

When a silverite urges you to vote for free coinage on the ground that "the crime of '73" reduced the money in the country, just show him these figures:

The money in this country in circulation, not counting the money in the treasury, at two dates 20 years apart was as follows:

	July 1, 1876.	July 1, 1896.
State bank notes	$1,047,335	.....
Subsidiary silver	21,055,128	$59,999,805
Fractional currency	82,988,845	.....
United States notes	331,447,078	225,451,358
National banl notes	316,120,702	215,331,927
Specie on Pacific coast	25,000,000	.....
Gold coin	.....	456,128,483
Silver dollars	.....	52,175,998
Gold certificates	.....	42,330,759
Silver certificates	.....	331,259,509
Sherman notes	.....	95,217,361
Currency certificates	.....	31,840,000
Total	$727,600,888	$1,509,726,200
Per capita circulation	$16.12	$21.15

Besides the money in circulation there was in the treasury $111,803,340 of gold to cover the certificates and maintain the redemption of legal tender notes, 378,614,043 silver dollars, which are in the treasury mainly because people object to receiving them, and other moneys aggregating $684,519,981. The whole amount of money in the country in 1876 was $765,683,284; in 1896, including gold and silver bullion in the treasury, the amount is $2,346,897,955.

As long as gold, either from its intrinsic superiority as a metal, from its rarity or from the prejudices of mankind, retains so considerable a pre-eminence in value over silver as it has hitherto had, a natural consequence of this seems to be that its condition will be more stationary. The revolutions, therefore, which may take place in the comparative value of gold and silver will be changes in the state of the latter rather than in that of the former.—Alexander Hamilton.

Clothing To Order.

Yes! And its time to order it. If you don't know where, call at J. C. Haslett's and you'll have no further doubt on the subject. Our new suits are dress creations never excelled in wool. We are second to no Tailoring house in the country. Our measures, our workmanship, our styles, our suitings and our prices are five grand points in the cyclopedia of dress. Your attire will never be criticised if we produce. Study the price conditions: Suits $20 up; Overcoats $20 up. Pants $5 up.

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Some of the prettiest fancies ever designed. Some of the most desirable styles ever shown, EITHER HERE OR ELSEWHERE, are now waiting inspection at our Dress Goods counters. It matters not what price you may want to pay, we have truly handsome fabrics at

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We have some very special things to show you.

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It will be profitable for you.

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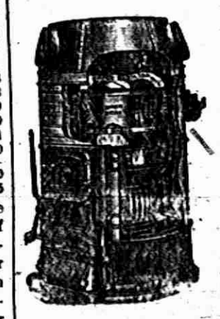

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All Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Work and Plumbing done in a workmanlike manner.

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Columbus Buggy Co's Assignee Sale

Stock of Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Surreys, Traps, Carts, Wagons (500 different styles vehicles)

200 sets of double and single driving harness. Large stock of robes, blankets, etc.

100 Ohio high grade bicycles.

Everything in their late branch store at Detroit, Mich., will be offered to the trade for next 60 days at 60c to 80c on the dollar. Call or write before this fine stock is all sold.

N. B. EDWARDS, Agent, 243 and 245 Jefferson Ave. Detroit, Mich.

Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

New Business Man—Sad Death.

Mrs. Gee is under the doctor's care at present.

O. W. Haynes, of Ypsilanti, was in town Tuesday.

Vern Gripton is slightly indisposed this week. Overwork.

Several cars of hay have been shipped from this point over both roads.

Earl Lenardson has promised a communication for next week's issue.

Miss Nellie Monroe, of Clinton, was visiting Britton friends this week.

Clarence Hause spent Sunday with his brothers Will and Irve, at Clinton.

Mrs. A. O. Maynard and Minnie are spending the week with Detroit friends.

Station agent Clark sold sixteen tickets to the Bryan meeting at Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh entertained Dr. J. E. White and family, of Clinton, Sunday.

John Zeluff and wife went to Detroit to see Bryan Saturday. Sunday they visit with friends.

Will J. Clark and wife visited Detroit Monday. Will did not go either to hear Beech or make one.

Captain E. P. Allen came over from Ypsilanti Monday, on business pertaining to the Meade estate.

Jennie Beasley was kicked by a horse Monday but not seriously hurt. Ben would have been at the other end.

John Britton and wife have returned from their visit with Hillsdale friends. Seems good to see them home again.

Rev. E. Mudge, who came to attend the Christian conference here, gave a silver talk in Exelby hall Saturday evening.

The friends of Alfred Lucking were pleased at the compliment shown him at the Bryan meeting in Detroit Saturday evening.

P. B. Hardy took a trip into Ohio last of the week. He visited several towns, but Youngstown was the objective point.

The Christian church, the usual services Sunday. At DeSpelder church, 2:30 p. m., sermon followed by Sunday school.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly visitation here Tuesday and was the bearer of material blessings to the employees of that road.

Both the McKinley and Bryan banners were damaged in the storm and Monday and Monday night and went to the dry dock for repairs.

Postmaster L. A. Babcock and family spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Will and wife, in Detroit. They attended the Bryan meeting.

Rev. E. Mudge is spending a few days among her friends here while her husband, who is a candidate for senator on the fusion ticket in Lenawee county, is canvassing his district.

Mr. R. Osgood was called to Morenci Friday on account of an accident that befell his father, who had the misfortune to fall from the roof of his house. Fortunately he escaped serious injury.

There will be a leap year shadow social held in the DeSpelder Reformed church on Friday evening, October 30. All young men are requested to bring their lady with supper enough for two. All are invited.

Services at the Reformed church Sunday in the morning, subject, "A Saviour." At 7:30 p. m., topic, "With Holes." C. E. meeting at 6:30. Consecration service led by president Nickerson.

Britton is now a full fledged business town. Monday he opened a commercial parlor in the office of the Exelby house. Besides attending to business he has found time to shave the ground in front of the hotel.

The death of John Bechtold, Sunday noon, was no doubt one of the saddest that has ever occurred here. Uncle John, as he was familiarly called, had lived in Britton twelve years. He was a quiet citizen whom everyone respected. He came from Germany, his native country, when a young man and later became a citizen of the United States. He served his country faithfully through the civil war. At the close of the war he went to Petersburg and resided until he came to Britton. He was a member of Eaton post and was a pensioner. Recently he had an increase but it was of no benefit to him as the papers never filled out. Not having relatives in this country he never told his age and as he never told his age no one knew how old he was, though they must have been not far from 70. His illness was not protracted nor one of pain. Kind friends ministered to his every wants and nothing was left undone. His funeral was held at the church Tuesday morning and was largely attended by sorrowing friends. The remains were placed in the vault at Ridgeway. Uncle John will be greatly missed in this community.

Woman's Home Association.

1138 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11, 1896.

Dear Woman's Home Association: Foley's Honey and Tar six bottles and are using it today. It has been a favorite, for while its use is all unpleasant its effects are beneficial. It has never yet failed us. Wishing you all possible success, Sincerely yours, LAURA G. [illegible] Mgr. Orr & Temple.

Season, Hopkins' Steamed (Shelled Corn). Elegant lunch 10c. Clean 10c.

RIDGEWAY.

Temperance Lecture—School Exercises—Marriage—Silver Speech—Personals.

Mr. Danley is very sick.

Buy your fodder twine at Ed Smith's.

C. W. Culbertson and wife were Detroit visitors Saturday.

The first snow of the season put in an appearance Saturday.

All sizes stone jars from ½ gallon to 30 gallons at Ed Smith's.

B. F. DePuy and Wm. Barrett went to Jackson Friday to see Bryan.

Mrs. Jacob Arner, of Detroit, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Attorney Sumner Collins, of Tecumseh, was in the village Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Toledo, spent Saturday with relatives in the village.

Gertrude Snedicor, of Howell, has been visiting friends here since Saturday.

Remember the Halloween social to held at C. M. Gove's Friday evening, Oct. 30.

Mrs. Catherine Cox left for Dowagiac Wendesday morning for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Benj. Kelley and Fannie, of Holloway, spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Graves.

Dr. Rhodes, of Somerset, a former physician here, died at his late home a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Wm. Waldron, of Tecumseh, visited their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Arner, Friday.

Mrs. West, of Marshall, delegate to the Christian Convention, was a guest of Mrs. E. L. Lowe last week.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, gave a very telling and convincing temperance address here Friday evening.

We are sorry to learn of the critical condition, with erysipelas, of Prof. E. A. Wilson's wife, of Benton Harbor.

May Jones entertained several of her school mates, at her home Wednesday evening of last week, with a candy pull.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, looked after the interest of their drug store in the absence of C. W. Culbertson Saturday.

J. A. Young, of Rome, president of the Christian Conference occupied the pulpit here Sunday through the request of Rev. Cansfield.

Marvin Pattison, who has been attending college at Albion for the past two months, returned home Saturday for an indefinite stay.

C. M. Gove and Jennie Uunderwood were chosen delegates to attend the Sunday school county convention held at Adrian Tuesday and Wednesday.

A week from next Sunday the first quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held at the usual hour for the morning service.

Save your blankets from being torn by the horses getting them under their feet, by using the Higgins patent fastener, for sale by Ed Smith, call and see them.

Fennor Palmer received a telegram Thursday of last week, announcing the death of his brother, Cyrus Palmer, at Wasepi, on the 15th inst. He was in his 83 year.

J. W. Helme, of Adrian, nominee for prosecuting attorney on the democratic ticket, addressed the citizens of Ridgeway and vicinity on the silver issue Tuesday night.

A large assortment of gloves and mittens, all styles and sizes at Ed. Smith's.

A number of the young friends of Nettie Bannister enjoyed a very pleasant evening at her home at the Exelby house, at Britton, Friday, in the way of a surprise on Nettie.

C. H. Bramble, democratic nominee for Register of Deeds, will address the citizens of Ridgeway and vicinity on the financial issues of the day from a silver standpoint, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 27, at the building formerly used for a wagon shop by W. H. Arner.

At the home of the bride, Thursday at eleven o'clock, occurred the wedding of Miss Florence Allet and A. R Arner, of Ionia, in the presence of a small company of relatives. Rev. A. H. Bailey performed the ceremony. Harry Deyer, the bride's brother, was best man and Miss Miss Mary Stevens was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Arner left on the evening train for Grand Rapids, and will be "at home," 706 West Main street, Ionia, where Mr. Arner has a position as conductor at the state house of correction.—Allegan Gazette.

For oil-cloths, stove boards and zincs go to Ed Smith's.

The exercises prepared for the raising of the flag staff, at the school building, Friday afternoon, were very fine, and successfully presented. The exercise, "Columbia's Daughters," by sixteen young ladies and two young men, was very interesting, each winning praise and honor. The part of the red man's plea at the hands of the white man was given by Miss Ina Wilson in a manner that held all spell bound as she rendered the part with reality both in word and sentiment. P. S. McKinnon, of Tecumseh, gave the address in his usual pleasing way, with words of advice and encouragement to the pupils of the school.

Wednesday evening A. J. Sutton's pleasant home on North street was the scene of one of the grandest wedding events ever given in this village. The interior of the house was decorated with smilax, potted plants and ferns. At 7-30, as Miss Kate M. Clark played Mendelsshon's wedding march, the bridal party took their place in the alcove of the south parlor beneath a bow of white ribbon and smilax when Rev. H. Cansfield performed the marriage vows that united Miss Leora Francina Sutton and Mr. Fred L. Cook, of Lansing, as husband and wife. Miss Gertrude Cook, of Big Rapids, a sister of the groom, and Mr. Frank Cowley, of Lansing, acted as bridesmaid and best man. The bride was attired in cream silk with lace and pearl garniture and carried pink roses. The groom wore the conventional black. Little Hazel Stearnes was the first to congratulate the bride and presented her with a beautiful basket of flowers. After congratulations, the guests were ushered into the dining room where they partook of an elaborate wedding repast served by the young ladies of the bride's Sunday school class. The groom is one of the capitol city's hustling real estate and insurance agents and is located with Roswell Mott; also president of the Epworth League, one of the largest in the state, and is very highly esteemed by his many friends in Lansing. The bride is well known here, having spent the most of her life among us. As pipe organist and music teacher she ranks among the first in southern Michigan, and to say that she will be missed in our society, church and Sunday school work is expressing the fact in a mild manner. During the evening DeMuth's orchestra from Toledo furnished excellent music which was highly appreciated by the guests. The members of the orchestra are personal friends of the bride. Guests were present from Lansing, Big Rapids, Howell and Toledo. An account of the happy event would not be complete without mention of the large number of handsome and costly presents bestowed upon the young couple bearing evidence of the high esteem in which they are held by their many friends. The newly wedded couple will spend a few days at the home of the bride's parents, after which they will leave for their future home, 312 Logan street, Lansing, and will begin housekeeping in their new and finely furnished residence.

MACON.

A Shrewd Tramp—New Road Proposed—Personals.

Everybody husking corn.

Our first snow Oct. 17 and 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Collar are spending the week in Detroit.

Gertrude Snedicor, of Howell, called on Macon friends Tuesday.

Mesdames Sage and Augustus visited their children in Ypsilanti Oct. 16 and 17.

B. S. Scuider and family are visiting friends and relatives in Vermontville.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church met at Miss Susan Langon's Tuesday afternoon.

Be sure and attend the Epworth League business meeting Saturday at Mrs. Baron Remington's.

Hard times are over! Confidence prevails. All because of the conviction that our next president will be that safe, broad minded statesman, William ?

Darius Hendershot and wife moved to Tecumseh this week, where Mrs. Hendershot has entered the employ of Seaton Anderson. Tecumseh's gain. Macon's loss.

The many friends of Dr. E. E. Hendershot regret that he prefers Britton to Macon, but feel sure that he will have his share of the patronage in the town where he formerly lived.

Still more evidence that hard times are over—Will Collins, of Macon, and Miss Florence Swinnock, of Detroit, were married at Ann Arbor, Thursday, Oct. 15. "Wish you much joy!"

B. F. DePuy has a handsome new marble clock for his private library. Probably he thought that politics in Lenawee had arrived at the stage where you call "time" on the county committee.

Mr. Bardwell, of Tecumseh, was canvassing Macon last week with fresh peanuts. He reported good sales and also met with genial hospitality at J. W. Baker's where he was entertained over night.

With equal pleasure record is made of the marriage of Hon. Bryan and Miss Daisy Burgess, Tuesday, Oct. 13. Both are Macon residents. Our people extend their warmest wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Bryan.

Men in this vicinity, who have been working for Mr. Reatore, on his celery farm, say that the celery is badly affected with rust. Mr. Reatore has been a heavy loser on his celery this year, one car load having been spoiled on account of the extreme hot weather when the consignment was shipped.

A tramp, who had beaten his way from Chicago to this place last week, gave some very comical accounts of his political experiences along the way, especially in Coldwater and Adrian. The fellow pretended to be for Bryan but he was too shrewd for one of your every day, on-the-ragged-edge tramps, and it is the general belief that he was a "worker" for one political party or the other.

Scores of men, who have visited the headquarters of the McKinley club at Tecumseh, have remarked upon the comfort and convenience of having such a room in town every day in the year, where farmers and young men from the adjacent towns could go in to warm and chat for half an hour. It would keep men out of the saloons and also induce those who now stand on the street corners to go into the reading room and look over the papers and magazines of the day and thus acquire a habit of reading instead of gossiping. It is proposed by several persons to get the farmers to "chip in" and pay for the rent of this store and thus establish a permanent reading room. All that is required is some one to start the movement. With such a large territory to assess the yearly dues would not be more than fifty cents, which, paid quarterly, would never be missed by any one. By all means let the proposition materialize.

Now that the estate of the late Mary Ann Norcross has been divided, there is a prospect of opening the road on the town line between "Kelley's Corners" and Thomas Boyce's, a distance of less than a mile. Miss Norcross owned 40 acres of land bordering on this line, which, in the division, fell to Will, J. H., and Aaron Norcross. The young men wish to improve the property and will petition the commissioners to open the road. This line in question leads directly north to Abner Ellis' farm, passing through the farms of Asel Kelley, P. S. DePuy and Mrs Kate Hendershot. It is hoped by all residents in the north part of the town that the petition will cover the length of the line, thus opening the road between Asel Kelley's corner and Abner Ellis' farm on the Clinton road. This much needed improvement should have been given the public years ago. We trust the Norcross boys will get enough signers to their petition to cover the entire distance of the line.

Cardinal Satoli sailed from New York Saturday for Genoa.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing.

Shall it be 16 to 1?

Silver men say yes, gold men say, no. But all who have used it whether gold or silver men concede that Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup is superior to all others as 16 is to 1. Orr & Temple.

Three firemen were killed and six injured by the falling of a floor in a burning building at Montreal.

A stomachful of undigested food is about as unhealthy a mass as one can well imagine.

What can be done with it?

There it stays. It won't digest. It churns up, ferments and decays; becomes poisonous (as all putrid matter does) and causes pain and deep-seated disorders.

In order to change all this, take Shaker Digestive Cordial.

It stops fermentation and decay at once, so that no more poisons are created.

It clears the stomach of poisons already there. It helps it to turn the food that remains, into healthful nourishment. It strengthens the stomach for the next meal.

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The premature discharge of a blast of giant powder near Mena, Ark., killed six men and badly injured another.

Mrs. Geo. S. Beck, eastern manager of Farm, News and Womankind, 193 World Building, New York, writes: "I had a bunion on my left foot that, as a pain producer, was on a par at least with the boils, sores, rheumatics and colics that made poor old Job's life so miserable. I do not have the bunion now, for Lightning Hot Drops reduced the swelling, killed the pain, rotted the callous, enlivened the skin, and—there is no doubt about it—annihilated the bunion."

Massey & Son, of Lipscomb, Maury Co., Tenn., writes as follows: "Lightning Hot Drops is the greatest medicine for the mumps I ever saw; gives instant relief."

Mr. Edward W. Smith, Proprietor of the Lake View Marble Works, Youngstown, O., says: "I used Lightning Hot Drops for a badly sprained ankle, and its action as a liniment was both soothing and effectual. It is indeed a good remedy."

For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway, Mich.

LAKE RIDGE.

Viola Wildey, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Mrs. John Lewis returned from her eastern trip Tuesday.

Rena Speers, of Adrian, was a guest of Miss E. H. Fish Saturday.

Wm. Rotafuss and wife visited Chas. Rothfuss and family Monday.

Emma Schuler, of Adrian, was a guest of Miss E. H. Fish last Friday.

Mrs. James Lane has been spending a week in Detroit visiting relatives.

Conrad Atwell and wife are visiting friends at Owosso and other places.

Rev. and Mrs. Stead attended the Presbyterian synod in Detroit last week.

Fannie Kelley attended the Sutton-Cook wedding at Ridgeway Wednesday evening.

Mrs. James Haight, of Britton, visited her sister, Mrs. A. H. Kelley, last week Monday.

Geo. Holloway, Jno. Rainey, A. D. Macham and Chas. Benedict were in Detroit Saturday.

Holloway hall is rented for free silver speeches Friday evenings instead of Thursday evenings as stated last week.

Mrs. A. R. Boyd and Mrs. R. M. Boyd attended the annual session of the Mystic Order of the Eastern Star at Adrian last week.

The soothing, lung-healing virtues of the newly cut pine are all embodied in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, the sovereign [illegible] coughs and colds, and lung [illegible] all sorts.

CONE.

Born, Monday, October 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, a son.

Mrs. Nettie Dennison is recovering from an attack of malarial fever.

Orrie Dennison and Henry Vandeventer were in Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Norma Laskey was up from West Toledo last week purchasing cows for his dairy farm.

Ernest and James Caswell and Eugene Dennison visited friends at Auburndale, Ohio, over Sunday.

John Austin came down on his wheel Sunday and was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Acker.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Logan were called to Bowling Green, Ohio, Saturday by the death of the latter's sister.

The ladies' aid society will meet with Mrs. John Dennison Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 4. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. Calkins and daughter, Mrs. Cooley, of Cleveland, Ohio, called on the former's granddaughter, Miss Zada Calkins, Monday.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases.

Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney diseases pronounced incurable have been cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. Orr & Temple.

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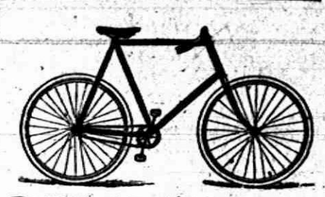

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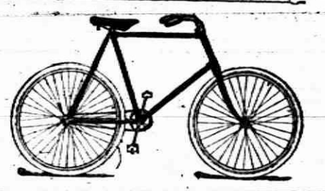

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The three Adrian newspapers are in about as disgraceful a row as one could find in any decent community. Such a state of affairs may be pleasant for the editors but is certainly disgusting to their readers. It may be that votes are captured over in Lenawee's county seat by calling each other liars and horse thieves and a few other common names but such a policy would hardly be considered politic in any other community.

Following is a communication from J. W. Helme, Jr., of Adrian, relating to to the position of Mr. Camburn on the oleomargarine question. There is no sum of money too large for such meh as Armour and Swift and Morris to spend to stop the passage of laws in any state which will make it possible for consumers of butterine and oleomargarine to at all times tell whether they are eating this adulterated food or butter. On account of the large expenditure of money by these manufacturers it has been impossible to pass these laws in but few states. Representative Camburn has the reputation of being unwilling to assist the farmer in this legislation and if such is the case he should not be returned to Lansing. The selling of oleomargarine has reduced the price of dairy butter in this state until there is, at the present time, little or no profit in this most important branch of farming industry and unless laws are passed to prevent the using of hog fat for butter, the Michigan farmer might as well give away his cows and close up his dairy. If Mr. Camburn has any defense to Mr Helme's communication, the columns of the HERALD are open to his use over his signature.

EDITOR HERALD:—

My attention has been called to an article in the Adrian Times headed "willful misstatements." The article states that false reports have been circulated through the county respecting the votes of Rep. Edgar and Camburn against the bill pertaining to the coloring of oleomargarine. The times article is calculated to deceive as it mentions the vote of Edgar and Camburn on the pure food bill which contained an oleomargarine clause, but the bill the dairymen wanted was the Redfern bill which related to dairy products alone. Now I wish to say right here that Camburn and Edgar have never denied that they opposed the bill. Before the Lenawee county institute last winter, Hon. Geo. B. Horton publicly stated that he personally went to both members and both refused to help the bill. Early in September the democratic convention denounced both members for their vote and neither has ever objected. In a conversation with me last winter, John I. Breck, of Jackson, a republican and now deputy food commissioner said that "Camburn and Edgar opposed the bill from start to finish." I will now publicly ask Messrs. Edgar and Camburn to answer this question over their own signatures: Did you vote and work in every manner with your voice and influence for all clauses in all bills providing against the coloring of oleomargarine in semblance of butter? Another question: Did you not, at Lansing during the session, in conversation with Hon. G. B. Horton and John I. Breck, refuse to use your influence and voice and votes in favor of the bills against coloring oleomargarine which the dairymen asked? The peculiar method adopted by the oleomargarine people to save their friends in the legislature from being put on record, is thus described by deputy food commissioner John I. Breck, of Jackson, who represented the State Dairymen's association, at Lansing during the session. This extract is from the 12th annual report of the association, page 131:—

"The only way to prevent the sale of oleomargarine is to prohibit its being colored yellow. You can pass all the regulating acts you have a mind to, and you cannot control it so long as it is allowed to mask under the form of butter no more than you can prevent the passage of counterfeit money if you allow it to be made. We have not got the members of the house and senate on record in this matter but it was utterly impossible. At a certain stage of every bill, which is called the general order, the bill is open to amendment, and these amendments are offered, made, and voted upon by viva voce vote. The roll is not called and the members are not put on record. We simply could not put them on record and many of our members avoid putting themselves on record. We had petitions containing 8,000 names asking for the passage of the Redfern bill. On the day when this bill came up on general order, a motion was made to strike out the section prohibiting the coloring of oleomargarine. There was present in the house, just one man who was interested in the manufacture of oleomargarine and that man is high up in the councils of one of the parties of this state. His private secretary was here and a lobbyist from Detroit and another from Chicago and those three people were as busy as boys killing snakes. This manufacturer of oleomargarine sat in his seat and never opened his mouth but kept his eyes on those three men and when that motion was made it was carried without any effort at all."

In conclusion I would state that in the Times last August its Franklin correspondent, in answer to a speech I made at Tipton on this subject, defended Mr. Camburn's action in the matter instead of denying it as the Times has. Any voter can get the exact facts from John I. Breck, of Jackson, Mich., or of Geo. B. Horton, of Fruit Ridge, Mich.

J. W. HELME, Jr.

EDITOR HERALD:

Inasmuch as my neck is threatened to be wrung by Dr. Loree, I suppose what he feels ought to be done under certain circumstances it would be his duty to do the first chance he had. However, I do not fear the doctor and hope to meet him most cordially as I often have done before.

I have had it in my mind to say something about the different phases of money and now, as the doctor has intimated something on that line, will endeavor to give my ideas thereon, which are, it appears to me, founded upon statute laws relative to the matter. And here, in passing, I wish to state that any utterance in any political platform or anywhere else contravening statutes should not be accepted. Everyone has a right to construe laws, under logical rules, according to his own judgment. "Standard" money, as will be found, relates only to the kind, quality and quantity of the material of which it is made as found in the latest laws enacted and by which we are governed at this time, without reverting to antique history, not pertinent to the present discussion. The law of 1837, "enacted that the standard for both gold and silver coins of the United States shall hereafter be such that of 1000 parts by weight, 900 parts shall be of pure metal and 100 parts of alloy. The alloy of the silver coins shall be of copper and the alloy of the gold coins shall be of copper and silver, provided that the silver does not exceed one-half of the whole alloy." This was and is called standard silver. Section 9, "enacted that of the silver coins the dollar shall be of the weight of 412 1-2 grains of this standard silver, the half dollar of 206 1-4 grains, and smaller coins in the same proportion." But it was found that silver at about that time so raised in commercial, intrinsic value that no silver dollars of that weight could be kept in circulation, being worth, as bullion, about $1 04, so that the coinage of them was stopped. And the law of 1853 enacted that the weight of the half dollar should be 192 grains and the smaller coins in the same proportion, so you see that two half dollars only contained 384 grains of standard silver instead of 412 1-2 grains as in the dollar coin, being 28 1-2 grains less, so the minor coins were kept in circulation. But none, or scarcely any dollars were coined and such continued to be the case up to and including 1873, when the trade dollar was provided for and the 412 1-2 grain dollar was left out of the law. This is called the "crime of 1873" when silver is said by some to have been demonetized. Notwithstanding, the minor coins and what dollars there were in the country were legal tenders to $5.00. The law of 1837 enacted, section 16, "That of the gold coins the weight of the eagle shall be 258 grains and of the half and quarter eagles in the same proportion, that is, 258 grains standard gold to the dollar. Thus we have the statutes on which silver and gold were coined into money up to 1873 from "bullion from any owner of silver bullion to be coined into bars or into dollars of the weight of 420 grains troy, designated as trade dollars, and no deposit of silver for other coinage shall be received. But silver bullion contained in gold deposits and separated therefrom may be paid for in silver coin." So here we see how standard money came to be. Now what was this money for, what was to be its vocation, bringing us to another phase of the questioner. The law of 1874 enacted section 3, 584, "No foreign gold or silver coins shall be a legal tender in payment of debts;" section 3, 585, "The gold coins of the United States shall be a legal tender in all payments at their nominal value when not below their standard weight;" section 3, 586, "The silver coins shall be a legal tender for any amount not exceeding $5.00 in any one payment." Thus we see that gold was standard money and also legal tender money at its nominal value to any amount. Silver was standard money also but not legal tender money to any amount above $5.00. The doctor says, "Gold coin is our only standard money. So many units of gold is our unit of value." By the above laws, was not silver a unit of value just as certain as gold to a limited extent? And since the laws of 1878 and 1890 it is a unit of value not only to the extent of $5.00 but to any amount a legal tender. The doctor says, "Silver coin was at one time standard money but is not at this time. Sometime, somewhere and somehow it has been divested of the character of that kind of money." Truly a great enigma; surely we ought to be able to solve it. We will admit, to please the now silverites and save contention, that silver was demonetized in 1873 but it amounted to nothing as there was no silver to be demonetized. But as there came to be some it was remonetized by the law of 1878 and more fully by the law of 1890 and is not now demonetized. Now let us call to mind another phase of the money question, A civil war was upon us with scarcely any money in the treasury. March 2, 1861, there began to be issued treasury notes followed from time to time by other issues and greenbacks of 1862 and '63 to the amount of $449,338,903 on January 3, 1864 together with treasury notes of several millions more a large proportion of all entering into currency as full legal tender money. But in answer to Dr. Loree's question, I am not "counting them as standard money" they not coming under that class as defined above, but were mere flat money founded only upon the credit of the government. I felt impelled to produce what evidence I could to prove my assertion true, that silver is not now demonetized, leaving our readers to render the verdict as to whether my neck should be wrung or not,

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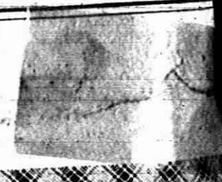

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TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 23, 1896.

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WOOD FOR SALE.—All kinds at the lowest market prices. You can get full measure in any quantity from one cord to ten. Inquire of A. Harding. E. M. Lewis.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

New millinery styles at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's.

Be sure you hear Sligh and Hartman at the opera house tonight.

Do not buy a Dress until you see my line. Seaton W. Anderson.

James Cummins, whose head quarters are at Toledo, was in town this week.

After Nov. 1st the library will open from 3 to 9 p. m. instead of from 3:30 to 9:30.

Sligh, Hartman and Barkworth were expected to speak at Clinton this afternoon.

Mrs. Henriett Keyser spent Sunday with her son Charles and family at Clinton.

Mesdames Winship and Hill, of Adrian, were calling on friends here yesterday.

Harry Tansley has been improving the interior of his crockery store with a fresh coat of paint.

Mrs. A. W. Jackson has returned from Wasepi where she was summoned by the death of an aunt.

B. L. Baxter was called to Battle Creek, on business, this morning. He left via the C. J. & M.

Secure your tickets at once for the remaining five entertainments of the course. Price only $1.25.

Miss Haug, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Hartbeck, has returned to her home in Indianapolis.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman drove to Adrian yesterday to meet her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Kies, of Elkhart, Ind.

E. F. Muir, of Clinton, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends today. Frank is holding his age well.

"Wes" Bordine and wife, after a season passed with friends at Marshall and Battle Creek, are home again.

Miss Mabel Smith, after several weeks spent among her friends, returned to her home in West Bay City yesterday.

Horatio Keyser, who was taken quite seriously ill last Saturday morning, is convalescing nicely and able to be about the house.

Mrs. J. H. Osborn has been enjoying a visit this week from her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Horton, of Traverse City.

Dan T. Hall spent the greater part of last week at the county seat and it was too much for him. He has been about sick ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Morris, after a few days spent with John W. Doe's family, returned Tuesday to their home in Jonesville.

Leave an order for a Cresco corset with Mrs. M. A. Freeman.

Mrs. Parkinson, who was to have opened her class in dancing Tuesday evening, died at her home in Jackson very suddenly Monday last.

Mrs. Sarah Lowry is now nicely situated in rooms over Barkwell's steam laundry. She moved from over Tansley's store the first of the week.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Asa Gage, Wednesday Oct. 28. at 2:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

Dr. A. Whelan returned from Detroit Wednesday. Mr. Whelan is not receiving as his friends would like, a change for the better is expected soon.

Richard Anderson returned home Saturday to make permanent arrangements to accept a good position in a dry goods house at Bowling Green, O. He left Monday morning with best wishes of all for his success.

See the new and beautiful feather boas at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's.

Although the house was not packed at the opening of the lecture course Saturday evening as upon some former occasions, yet it was a refined audience that greeted the Redpath Concert Company and one that recognized and appreciated the artistic work done by the talented artists which comprise the company. Every selection secured a hearty encore and was generously responded to. The pianist, Mr. Sonnaholb won the hearts of all by his fine execution and delicate touch. Mr. Dunseath has a sweet and pleasing tenor voice. Miss Desvignes has a contralto voice of fine quality and great power and her selections were with fine expression. Madame Urso has been before the people so long and the position she has attained in her profession, that criticisms unnecessary. She is a musical artist with the violin. The committee used rare judgment in presenting their course for 1896-7 by placing the company first, thereby assuring the people that the entire course will be the best ever presented here. They should be royally supported by this community in their endeavors to furnish entertainments. And here we would say that it will require the sale of more tickets to cover the expense of the course and the committee have placed the price of tickets for the reserved five at $1.25, and it is earnestly hoped the people will respond at once. Election will soon be over and the accompanying excitement subsided and we feel confident our citizens will support the assistance of these public spirited men who have arranged and are responsible for this expense for the special benefit.

Mrs. C. A. Wright was an Adrian visitor Monday.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton is spending the week with Detroit friends.

Mrs. L. L. Bidwell and Mrs. George Tiffany visited Adrian Tuesday.

Weight and Measure social at the Presbyterian church this evening.

The semi-annual county C. E. convention will meet in Adrian next Friday.

The workmen have lately finished putting electricity into the M. E. church.

Mr. Bailey, of Michigan City, Ind., is visiting his brother-in-law, Will Sisson.

James Riley and wife spent Sunday with their son James and wife at Clinton.

Mrs. W. J. Babcock, of Hastings, Mich., is visiting her uncle, S. M. Smith.

Linda Hall and Grace Gillespie came over from Ypsilanti and spent Sunday at home.

John Middlebrook went to Clinton Tuesday for a visit with friends at his old home.

Mr. George U. Smith and wife, of Brownville, were in Detroit one day last week.

James Dunseath returned from Detroit Monday night and expects to remain some time.

Miss Minnie Glasgow was the guest of Mrs. Frank Anglemeyer at Clinton the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons left Tuesday for Middletown, N. Y., for a stay of several weeks.

Prof. E. G. Walker, of Chicago, who was visiting his family at Adrian drove over Saturday and called on friends.

Our citizens will have the opportunity tonight at the opera house of seeing and hearing the Hon. Charles R. Sligh, silver candidate for governor and Hon. Charles Hartman, of Montana.

Dr. C. M. Woodward is confined to his bed with continued fever and rheumatism. Dr. Howell thinks, however, that he is on the gain.

Do not buy a Dollar's worth of Dry Goods until you see our Stock and learn our Prices. Seaton W. Anderson.

The offertory next Sunday in St. Peter's church will be special for the diocesan assessment. There is a portion of last year's assessment not yet paid.

The Misses Carrie and Mamie Osborn gave a pleasant tea Thursday for their guests, Miss Lou Hendryx, of Coldwater, and Mabel Smith, of West Bay City.

The young people of the Presbyterian church are wiring it throughout for electricity and will put the lamps into a portion of the building at once.

Rev. Lewis Esselstyn, of Persia, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening. His subjects will be Persia and in the evening he will wear the full Persian costume.

Comrade William Smith brought to this office Wednesday an Egyptian Red beet which weighed 14 pounds and measured 30 inches around the waist line and Mr. Smith say such beets are not infrequently found in his garden.

D. H. Davis, of Clinton, is becoming quite celebrated as a caricaturist. He has produced some original sketches appropriate to the present political campaign that are not only unique but works of art. Dan is fast forging to the front.

Mr. Sonnakolb, the pianist with the Redpath Concert Co., filled his part in the program under the most trying circumstances. During the day he received a telegram from his home saying his 7 year old son was very ill, and a few hours later another saying he was dead. He left on the night train for New York, via Jackson.

The opera house was nearly filled last evening to hear Congressman Geo. Spalding. While by no means an orator Mr. Spalding did the best he could and the audience was satisfied, the republicans that he did so well and the silverites that he did their cause no harm.

Query—Why didn't Mr. Wightman like a man take issue with Barkworth when he was here and invited criticism instead of waiting till he was gone to attack him.

The marriage of Mr. Ernest Welch, of Clinton, and Miss Eva Welling occurred at Adrian Saturday forenoon. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the M. E. church, at the parsonage, in the presence of the bride's brother, Harvey, and wife and the groom's sister, Clara, and Claude Larzelere, of Clinton. A wedding dinner was served at 2 p. m., at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Welling, besides the bridal party, Miss Nellie Clark and Frank Gieske, of Manchester, and Miss Florence Montgomery were present. Owing to the physical condition of both Mr. Welling and Mr. Terry, the contemplated home wedding was abandoned. The many friends of the fair bride, who was born and reared here, have the heartiest congratulations to offer.

The Lenawee County Union Sunday-school convention convened at the Presbyterian church in Adrian at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday and continued all day Wednesday, when it adjourned to meet at the call of the executive committee another year. This was the 10th annual meeting and it was ably presided over by its president, A. L. VanAuken, of Adrian assisted by its active and efficient secretary, Rev. B. I. Laing, of Raisin. The music was led by Mr. Swift, of Adrian, and the "question drawer" was conducted by S. Milo Dole, of Adrian. The attendance was large, delegates coming from nearly all the schools and Christian denominations of the county, well supported by the citizens of Adrian. The influence of so successful and enthusiastic a convention must be long and extensively felt throughout the whole county for good.

Don't forget the ladies' social at the Universalist church next Friday.

Will Getty, of Kalkaska, is the guest of Mrs. James Glasgow this week.

Come to the Universalist supper next Friday evenilg from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson was called to St. Joseph the last of the week by the death of an uncle.

Last Saturday evening, Matthew Boyd and Miss Emma Barber were married. Rev. J. P. Varner tied the knot at Mr. Boyd's home.

The Standard Cabinet Co. have a new and very neat sign in front of their building on Railroad street.

At the Methodist church next Sunnad night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, Corrupt Literature.

New comers and those having moved from one precinct to the other should register at once. The board will be in session tomorrow for that purpose.

Yesterday was Mrs. George Teachout's 61st birthday. The event was appropriately celebrated at the Central house last evening when fifteen of her lady friends walked in upon her. It was a surprise which was planned and executed by her daughter, Mrs. Fred Aldrich, who demonstrated herself an adept. The supper served was elegant.

Died, at his late residence in Clinton township of heart disease, John McIntyre aged 73 years. Mr. McIntye was a man well known and respected in the community in which he lived and will be mourned by many relatives and friends. The funeral was conducted by Rev. C. M. Brown at the residence yesterday at 2 p. m. Interred in Tecumseh cemetery.

Union street will soon be open for traffic as the arch or bridge spanning Evans' Creek at the cemetery is nearly completed. It will be a substantial improvement as the work is being well done. But few people know that all the material used in its construction is purely American—steel, stone, and even cement. It is the first of the kind in this part of the country.

A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, 2334 3rd Avenue, Toledo, October 14th. The contracting parties, Miss Metta E. Miller, and Mr. Harry M. Bailey both are well known here, the bride having spent the girlhood in Macon until two years ago when she went to Ypsilanti and took a course at Cleary's business college. The groom holds a position as postal clerk on the Lake Shore railroad and is an estimable young man. The ceremony was performee at noon by the Rev. Mr. McCaulley of the Presbyterian church, Auburndale, Toledo. After a bountiful dinner, the couple left for Cleveland, their future home, carrying with them the best wishes of all.

Scovel J. Walker.

Wednesday evening about 9 o'clock Scovel J. Walker sat by his fireside, his family around him, and breatbed his last earthly breath. The summons came so quietly and peacefully, without a pain or struggle, that the friends hardly knew when the end came. The shock to his relatives and friends is difficult to bear yet calmer thoughts tell them, "What a peaceful ending of peaceful life."

Scovel J. Walker was born in Madison county, N. Y., 69 years ago. In 1866 he with his family came to Tecumseh, remained here two years, then purchased a farm in the township of Norvell, Jackson county, on which he lived until last spring, at which time, on account of failing strength and declining years, the farm was sold and the family moved to Tecumseh.

He leaves a widow, four children, S. S. Walker, of Tecumseh, W. J. Walker, of Elgin, Ill., Mrs. F. P. Coder, of Norvell, Mich., and Mrs. J. L. Bearsley, of Elgin, Ill., one brother, J. D. Walker, of Brooklyn, Mich., and three sisters, Mrs. C. A. Stacy and Miss Clarinda Walker, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Sidney Houghton, of Humbird, Wis., and a number of grandchildren, nephews and nieces.

"Uncle Scove" was the favorite uncle. He was always good natured, always happy, always interested in the pleasures and work of others, always ready with an encouraging word and the loved one with all the children. His life of constant care and devotion to his family is in the minds of all who knew him the greatest monument man can build for himself, and in such a life there are no intentional faults. His place in the home to the devoted wife and aged sister cannot be filled and that it must always remain vacant is the only sad thing about so peaceful an ending.

"Who does the best
His circumstance allows
Does well—acts nobly.
Angels could no more."

The funeral will be conducted at the family residence in "Brownsville" Saturday at 11 a. m. by the Rev. W. R. Blachford.

Bro. Stacy:—

It may be of interest to many of your readers to know that a little over a month ago the home of Mrs. Julia A. Wood in Sauk Rapids, in Minnesota, who in her early days was a teacher in our Tecumseh female high school or seminary, was burned to the ground with nearly all of its contents. Also that on the 5th inst. the home of her brother-in-law, the Hon. J. Q. A. Wood, of Sauk Rapids—also in his earlier days a resident of Tecumseh—was in like manner burned to the ground with all its contents, the gathered mementos and literary treasures of a lifetime, he himself only escaping by crawling through a window and jumping from the upper story, slightly but not severely injured thereby. B. L. Baxter.

Three firemen were killed and six injured by the falling of a floor in a burning building at Montreal.

The premature discharge of a blast of giant powder near Mena, Ark., killed six men and badly injured another.

Do not buy a Cloak until you see my line. Seaton W. Anderson.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy and Miss Loana Stacy assisted by Mrs. C. F. Patterson and Misses Harriet Whittier, Lizzie Beamish and May DeWolf entertained about sixty friends at the Stacy home Wednesday evening.

A great guessing scheme the Standard Cabinet Co. have on hand and everyone should take advantage of it before election. No one is barred from guessing and anyone is likely to get a $12.50 cabinet free.

As was expected, the opera house was far too small to accommodate the crowd Wednesday evening to hear Hon. Thos. E. Barkworth, the fusion candidate for congress in this district. Mr. B. is an able lawyer and an eloquent platform orator. His speech was clean, terse and logical and won the admiration of the entire audience irrespective of party. The Tipton Glee Club rendered some fine music.

—MOVING RIGHT ALONG—

—Is the business of the Standard Cabinet Co. Every house in the county will be visited by gentlemanly agents who do not "bore" the people, simply tell them how this useful article works and show its many advantages. The methods of Manager Gooch and his assistants are such that the householders are glad to see them and have the merits of the cabinet explained whether they desire to purchase or not.

—We have a complete line of horse blankets, inspect them before purchasing. Satterthwaite Bros.

—You see we have only a few week more and we are bound to clean out our entire Tecumseh stock. We mean it. They have got to go. Mills Block.

—Strictly fresh taffy every day at the City Bakery.

—For pocket and table cutlery and carving knives and forks call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

Best bulk oysters in Tecumseh at the City Bakery.

—The most beautiful line of brass beds, new orders, fancy stands, and tables, in fact anything and everything in the furniture line can be found in great variety at Wheeler & Sisson.

—Oysters served in any style at our lunch counter. City Bakery.

—Hot oyster stews at Mrs. Vedder's.

—If I were you I wouldn't buy a dollars worth of goods until I saw the goods and prices they are making now at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Where can you get a fine lunch? Why at Mrs. C. Vedder's, sure.

—F. A. McNeil and Fred S. Packard have formed a partnership for the purpose of doing a general painting and paper hanging business they also make a specialty of wall paper cleaning and refinishing furniture. Old paper made to look as good as new. Charges reasonable.

—Mrs. C. Vedder serves elegant lunches at Darling's old stand.

—Cooking materials in granite iron ware are very cheap at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Blankets, underwear, work shirts, fine shirts, pants, overalls, etc., any price to close out.
Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—ANNUAL MEETING—

—The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company of Lenawee county will hold their annual meeting at Whitney's opera house, in the city of Adrian, Mich., Monday, October 26, 1896, commencing at 8:30 o'clock a. m., for the election of a president and five directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
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Roswell W. Chamberlain, a pioneer of Jackson county, who located there in 1836, is dead at his home in Jackson, aged 83 years.

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CATARRH

COLD IN HEAD

THE JACKSON PRISON.

Some Statistics from the Biennial Report of the Board of Control.

Jackson, Oct. 15.—The biennial report of the board of control and warden of the state prison for the two years ending June 30, 1896, is completed, and has been placed in the hands of the state printers at Lansing. The report of the board says in substance that the warden's administration has been efficient. The employes generally have entitled themselves to appreciation by their ability and intelligent discharge of their duties. The business of the prison has, within a few months past, become quite satisfactory. All available convicts are now employed in productive industry and their earnings have increased to nearly the normal amount, although it has not been possible to obtain as good wages for the men working on contracts or as good prices for products made for the state by convicts who work on state account as were formerly obtained.

The total earnings from July 1, 1894, to June 30, 1896, were as follows: On contracts, $130,799.24; on state account, $25,198.44; total, $155,997.68.

The board also refers to the recently enacted parole law and speaks in highly complimentary language of its workings. It also refers to the fact that an undue proportion of discharged convicts remain in the city of Jackson, but sees nothing that the prison authorities can do to remedy the evil, as all control over the man ends when his term ends.

The warden's report deals more largely with figures. The population of the prison for the two years is as follows: Number of inmates July 1, 1894, 856; since received, 484; returned from asylum for insane, 9; returned from parole, 1. Total, 1,350. Number discharged at expiration of sentence, 383; transferred to Ionia, 51; transferred to Marquette, 25; sent to asylum for insane, 21; to Detroit house of correction, 2 (females); discharged for new trial, 6; escaped, 1; pardoned, 8; died, 12; released on parole, 17; remaining in custody, June 30, 1896, 834; net loss in population, 32.

Under the new parole law 17 men have been paroled from the prison. Of these one has been returned for not complying with the provisions of his parole, three have been discharged on expiration of sentence and the law has thus far worked very successfully.

The number under contract during the past two years was 418, representing 260,820½ days, for which the state received a trifle over 50 cents per day per man. There are now five contracts in force: Withington & Cooley, 175 men; Derby Cycle Co., 100; Bronk Shirt Co., 300, not full; Austin, Tomlinson & Webster Co., 25; C. W. Hill's granite works, 30, not full. Total, 630 men.

The expense of the prisoners per capita per day for two years has been 60 3-10 cents, the earnings per capita per day for two years have been 38 4-10 cents. The daily expense for food per capita has been 8 6-10 cents, for clothing 2 7-10 cents, amusement and industrial training nearly 9 cents per day and salaries and wages 14 1-10 cents.

CLIMAX, Oct. 20.—The village of Climax, Kalamazoo county, has been selected in this state to again try the system of rural delivery, which will be inaugurated in about a week. Mr. Ralph Bird, United States post office inspector from Milwaukee, is here making arrangements and looking up carriers. W. C. Pond is postmaster. The daily route traveled by the carriers will be about 22 miles.

SILVER DEPARTMENT.

LABOR'S FRIEND—NOT THIS YEAR.

—Denver News.

WHY WHEAT HAS ADVANCED.

Its Value Is Gauged Solely by the Laws of Supply and Demand.

HIGH GOLD; LOW WHEAT

Enormous Exportation Caused by Short Crops in India, Russia, Argentina and the United States.

Average Prices Gradually Declined Since Silver Was Demonetized—India Buying Rupee Paper and Wheat—Speculation Has Only Followed Natural Tendency of Higher Prices—What Mr. John Cudahy Says.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The recent advance of 17 cents a bushel in the price of wheat has given rise to considerable discussion as to what extent the republican managers have participated in the advance. Many erroneous statements are made, among which being one attributing the advance to McKinley's probable election and the probable defeat of silver in November. One republican paper gives credence to the statement that inasmuch as the value of wheat to the farmers in this country has increased in the neighborhood of $100,000,000, there can be no possible doubt but that the gold sentiment has done it.

The value of wheat is gauged absolutely by the unalterable laws of supply and demand, aided temporarily at times by speculative influences. Speculators occasionally advance or break the price of wheat according to the opportunities offered in the exercise of the business. There are evidences at the present time which show clearly that either the republican national committee or a syndicate in close touch with it has recently been participating in a speculative syndicate which has for its purpose the making of campaign capital in addition to a few dollars.

It is often asserted that during the almost continual decline in the price of silver bullion since the demonetization of silver in '73, the price of wheat has advanced, and the differences of relative worth have been gradually widened. That this is not true is shown in the report of the United States department of agriculture showing the average price of wheat for the years 1865 to 1895, inclusive. Before silver was demonetized it sold at $1.29 per ounce. From 1866 to 1869 the average price of wheat was $1.18 a bushel. From 1870 to 1873, $1.04; from 1874 to 1880, 95 cents; from 1881 to 1885, 88 cents; from 1886 to 1890, 77 cents, and from 1891 to 1895, 60 cents. With the appreciation in the price of gold the tendency is for higher prices for wheat, as it is recorded that in so far as money can have any influence on the price of wheat, high prices for silver have always brought high prices for wheat. Such advance however, would not be uniform with the advance of both silver and wheat. Under a bimetallic system the premium would be removed from gold, and silver, of course, would advance. This would in a measure equalize the advance in the price of wheat. According to the estimate made by one of the most prominent grain dealers in Chicago, the advance from 70-cent wheat would be about one dollar, while silver would at once go to $1.29.

The Wall Street Journal gives the following explanation of the weakness in silver, so far as it is considered as a commodity:

"The explanation given by dealers of the weakness in silver is absence of demand for India. This is considered confirmatory of the reported shipments of wheat from here to India and makes the silver situation interesting. Heretofore India had wheat for export and silver was in demand in London to pay for India wheat. Having no wheat now to export the demand for silver has lessened, and India in buying wheat is buying it on a gold basis and paying practically $1.30 a bushel in silver for what costs about 70 cents a bushel in gold in Chicago.

dia rupee paper. It seems that London operators during the summer, in anticipation of the sweeping victory in the United States for free silver, bought rupee paper as a speculative venture. These operators made a profit in this paper, sold it, and India being the natural home for it has been buying. Another factor has been the very dull trade of East Indian countries and China and Japan for raw materials, such as teas, silks, etc."

Aside from the speculative influences which have been at work in silver, the laws of supply and demand have undoubtedly governed present prices of wheat. Extraordinary causes are at work this year to advance the price of wheat, and were it not for the depression which is due to the rise of the price of gold, wheat prices would now be very high. The wheat crop in the United States is very short this year, being 56,000,000 bushels less than the average crop for 20 years. The last government crop report placed the crop at 411,000,000 bushels. Add to this the available supply of 52,000,000, the official estimated reports, makes the total crop 463,000,000. The exportation of wheat has been phenomenal this year, and if kept up at the present rate will reach fully 150,000,000 bushels, leaving but 313,000,000 bushels for consumption and seed purposes in this country, which is not enough for the actual needs.

Probably one of the greatest influences that have ever appeared in the history of the wheat trade has been Argentina's production of enormous quantities of wheat, which began a few years ago, and ever since that country has been a factor of the first importance. Last year she shipped enormous quantities of wheat and this year nothing, nor will she, as her crop is practically ruined. The crop of Australia is only 30 per cent. of last year, and the most conservative of the estimates of the damage to the Russian crop give a decrease under last year of 150,000,000 bushels. The almost complete failure of the crop of India has brought about a condition of things which has never existed in the history of the grain trade before. Add to these features the failure in the potato crop in Germany and Ireland.

The exportation of wheat, in quantity, has been astonishing, in the last two weeks over 8,000,000 bushels having been shipped. A number of cargoes were sent to India, being the first shipments ever made to that country.

Big operators in wheat like John Cudahy, W. T. Baker, W. R. Linn, August Brosseau and Armour have had men out for months to estimate this year's crop. The reports received by them have caused them to give expression to the belief that the United States would this year raise less than 400,000,000 bushels of wheat. Upon these estimates, and the enormous exporting demand, they have built their hopes for higher prices. That they do not take any stock in the assertions so often made by the republicans that the advance in the price of wheat is due to the belief in the minds of the people that McKinley will be elected is shown in the statement made by Mr. John Cudahy, who said it made no difference who was elected president of this country, wheat this year would go up just the same.

In corn, oats and provisions, there is no shortage in this country, and such minor advances as have been made from the lowest prices that have been ever recorded in either of these commodities are only in sympathy with the advance in the price of wheat.

Should this country remain upon a gold standard basis, gold would certainly go to a higher premium. A leading bullion firm in Wall street has recently been selling calls on gold, dated beyond election day, at 1½ per cent premium. This shows clearly the belief of Wall street in higher prices for gold should McKinley be elected. On the other hand, should this country go to a bimetallic basis by the election of Mr. Bryan, the price of silver would at once go to $1.29 per ounce. In consequence the price of wheat would also advance at once, as payment would then be made in gold as now, purchased according to its parity with silver in the exchange market.

Prince Bismarck says, in his letter to Gov. Culberson, that the surest and quickest way to secure an international settlement of the currency question is for the United States to adopt the independent coinage of silver.

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(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

The following statement is one of great interest to many a citizen of Kalamazoo, and a man as well known as Mr. Wallace should carry more than ordinary weight with our readers. Here it is as taken down by our representative:

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Detroit Accommodation	4:48 p. m.
New York Express	9:08 p. m.

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Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:11 a. m.
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STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 841 Accom
Pokson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	11 30
Apoleon.....	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 35
ortland.....	6 37 "	2 39 "	1 50
anchester.....	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 56
linton.....	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 10
ouncil.....	7 05 "	3 08 "	2 18
drian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 10
etroit.....	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
oledo.....	8 40 "	4 30 "	.....

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818 Express	No. 84 Accom
etroit.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
oledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	.....
drian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.
ouncil.....	12 09 "	9 05 "	7 50
linton.....	12 33 "	9 35 "	8 14
anchester.....	12 55 "	9 70 "	8 50
orvell.....	1 12 "	10 07 "	9 32
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No. 21,	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

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The Ex-Senator Dies at Grand Haven of Apoplexy—His Career.

Grand Haven, Oct. 15. — Ex-United States Senator Thomas W. Ferry died here very suddenly Wednesday morning of paralysis. He had been in splendid health, excepting attacks of sudden dizziness, until three days ago, when he took to his bed. Tuesday evening he was given a hypodermic injection. The family sat up with him a short time, when he seemed to be asleep. Wednesday morning he was found dead in bed.

Grand Haven, Oct. 19.—The funeral of Ex-Senator Thomas W. Ferry took place Sunday afternoon with simple but impressive services. Special trains from all parts of the state brought many prominent men and long-time friends to pay their last tribute of respect to the distinguished statesman. The services were held in the Presbyterian church and were conducted by Rev. David Cooper, of Detroit, the early pastor of the deceased, assisted by Rev. J. A. Kennedy, pastor of the church. Rev. Cooper's funeral address was a eulogy on the life of the deceased. The remains were interred in the Lake Forest cemetery.

[Thomas White Ferry was born in Mackinaw, June 1, 1827, and received his education in the public schools. In the Michigan legislature he was a representative in 1850, and a senator in 1857-8, was one of the vice presidents of the Chicago national convention in 1860; was appointed a member of the board of managers of the Gettysburg national cemetery in 1864, and reappointed in 1867; was a representative of the Thirty-ninth, Fortieth and Forty-first congresses and was reelected to the Forty-second, but was afterward elected United States senator, to succeed Jacob M. Howard. While in the house he was chairman of the subcommittee on the New York post office building and the erection of that magnificent structure is largely due to his exertions. He took his seat in the senate March 4, 1871; was elected president pro tem. March 9 and 10, and December, 1875; became acting vice president upon the death of Vice President Wilson, serving as such until March 4, 1877. In the absence of the president he presided and delivered an address at the centennial exposition, July 4, 1876. Reelected senator January 17, 1877, he was also reelected president pro tem., March 5, 1877, February 26, 1878, April 17, and March 3, 1879, so that but two of the 51 presidents pro tem. of the senate have served longer than he. In the senate he was for many years chairman of the committee on rules and post offices and post roads and a member of the committee on finance. His ability as presiding officer was tested in the impeachment trial of Secretary of War Belknap, and at the joint convention on the electoral count of 1877.

In 1883 Mr. Ferry was a candidate for reelection, but after a long and heated contest his name was withdrawn. This was the memorable battle which resulted in a victory for Thomas W. Palmer and sent him to the senate in Mr. Ferry's place.

The last honor conferred upon ex-Senator Ferry was his appointment as a member of the state park commission having charge of Mackinac island, of which board he was unanimously elected president.

Mr. Ferry was president of the United States for a little more than one hour. It occurred in 1877 owing to the memorable contest between Hayes and Tilden which was settled by means of an electoral commission. A short interval occurred between the expiration of President Grant's term and the swearing in of Hayes, and it was said that for that interval Mr. Ferry, benig the presiding officer of the senate, became legally president.]

MR. BRYAN'S VISIT.

The Democratic Candidate Makes a Four Day's Tour of the State.

Detroit, Oct. 19.—William J. Bryan, democratic candidate for president of the United States, ended a four days' tour of Michigan by making three speeches in this city Saturday night. During that time he traveled nearly 1,400 miles through the state and made about 70 speeches. He was greeted by big audiences everywhere, ranging in size from 500 to 20,000. His addresses were devoid of any new features, following closely the lines of those made all through the campaign.

Entering the state Wednesday morning early he begun his speechmaking at Ironwood. During the day he made speeches at Bessemer, Watersmeet, Iron River, Iron Mountain, Norway, Powers, Escanaba, Ishpeming, Negaunee and Marquette, and his train made brief stops at a few other smaller places.

Thursday morning he began his day's labor just after breakfast with a speech at St. Ignace. Crossing the Straits of Mackinaw, he spoke in succession at Mackinaw City, Petoskey, Charlevoix, Bellaire, Traverse City, Cadillac, Reed City, Big Rapids, Howard City, Greenville, Belding, Ionia, Walton, Manton and Lowell. He finished the day with three addresses to enormous audiences at Grand Rapids.

Friday's journey included addresses at Muskegon, Holland, Fennville, Bangor, Hartford, Ann Arbor, Niles, Dowagiac, Decatur, Lawton, Kalamazoo, Battle Creek, Marshall, Albion, Jackson (two), River Junction, Leslie, Mason and Lansing. In the latter city three addresses were delivered. At Jackson the crowds were so large that Mr. Bryan could not force his way through them to the stands prepared for him and was forced to speak from his carriage.

Saturday was devoted to the eastern part of the state, along Lake Huron, between St. John's, a town near Lansing, to this city. He made 15 speeches and had big audiences everywhere. Among the towns in which he spoke were Saginaw, Owosso, Ovid, Bay City, Port Huron, Flint, Durand, Vassar, La Pere, Imlay City, and Mount Clemens, winding up with three speeches in this city.

Factory Resumes Operations.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 21.—The Berkey & Gay furniture factory, the largest in the world, resumed operations Tuesday, after a period of enforced idleness during the business depression. The factory employs more workmen than any of the other institutions in this city, and, although all the men are not taken back at once, they will be put on gradually.

Detroit, Oct. 17.—Edwin Henderson, a young lawyer, has been chosen by the silver democrats to contest with John R. Corliss, republican, for the seat in congress from the First district.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of News from Many Localities.

Upper peninsula farmers report a small yield of potatoes.

Jackson supervisors have reduced the salaries of county officers 25 to 40 per cent.

Alpena county supervisors have reduced the salaries of all county officers 25 per cent.

The Saginaw Salt and Lumber company paid half of its pay-roll of $8,000 in gold Wednesday.

Snow fell to the depth of an inch or more over the northern portion of the lower peninsula Saturday night.

Joseph Martin, a sewer inspector employed by the Detroit board of public works, dropped dead Saturday evening.

The shipments of peaches from the four lakeshore townships of Allegan county this year are estimated at 5,000,000 baskets.

Ohio merchants are buying apples in Dimondale for 40 to 50 cents per barrel. Immense quantities have already been shipped.

Georg W. Smith, a farmer of Clio, was thrown in front of a street car by a runaway horse at Saginaw, and was instantly killed.

The woodenware factory at Standish, after a four-months shut-down, has resumed operations and 125 men are thus given employment.

Capt. James Davidson, of Bay City, has bought 3,000,000 of Norway pine logs from the Holland Emery company. Consideration, $22,985.

Diphtheria is epidemic at Millburg, six miles east of Benton Harbor. There have been several deaths and the schools have been closed.

A farmer named Krowl, of Bainbridge, Berrien county, lost one of his hands by the accidental discharge of his gun while out hunting.

Hon. James Shearer, one of Bay City's most prominent business men, is dead, aged 73 years. He was a resident of Detroit from 1849 to 1862.

Battle Creek has the largest enrollment in the public schools in the history of the city. The enrollment is 2,611, about 400 more than last year.

Mrs. Sally Dewey, of Thetford, Genesee county, is just 100 years old. She is apparently in good health and can distinctly remember events that happened 75 years ago.

Quartermaster General Kidder has forwarded to the various companies of the Michigan national guard the balance due them on account of services rendered at the recent annual encampment.

Fishing tugs and sail boats from St. James, Beaver Island, report the past season as being a very good one. More fish have been shipped out of St. James this year than any other port on the lakes.

Blake Bros., of Galesburg, shipped 165 selected Cotswold bucks, which are billed to the Neponsit Live Stock company at Evanston, Wyo. This is probably the largest shipment of the kind in the history of the state.

A live coal from a pail of ashes set out to cool is supposed to have caused the loss of three buildings on the farm of John Sweet in Colfax township, Mecosta county. The property was valued at $3,000, with insurance of only $500.

The largest log jam ever seen in the Manistee river extends for 13 miles up from the sorting gap. It is estimated that there are 30,000,000 feet of logs waiting to be sorted. The mills will have plenty of material to begin work on in the spring.

Reports presented to the annual meeting of the grand chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, at Adrian showed 39 new lodges instituted during the past year with an increase of 921 in membership. The next meeting will be held in Detroit.

Furniture Factory Burns.

Holland, Oct. 17.—The West Michigan Furniture company's factory, owned principally by George P. Hummer, democrat-union silver candidate for congress in the Fifth district, was burned to the ground Friday night and is a total loss. The loss, which is total, will amount to about $125,000, with $100,000 insurance. The factory was one of the largest in western Michigan and gave employment to about 400 men and had been running full time. Many of the men lost their tools.

Must Be Given a Place.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 21.—The supreme court has granted a mandamus requiring the Wayne county electoral commission to give the prohibition state ticket the second place on the official ballot. The court declares the gold democratic ticket is entitled to a place on the ballot and to the use of the word "Democratic," and that the fusion ticket must take the place assigned to it by the committee, which is the last on the ballot.

Buried Alive.

Negaunee, Oct. 17.—About three tons of earth fell upon Joseph Rowe while he was employed in the Jackson mine Friday morning, inflicting injuries from which he died about three hours later. It was fully 20 minutes before he was extricated from beneath the mass of earth, his body being terribly mangled. He was 28 years of age and leaves a young widow and child.

Lumber Firm Fails.

Houghton, Oct. 17.—The Sturgeon River Lumber company, the largest and oldest lumbering concern in the copper district, has been placed in charge of E. L. Wright, as trustee for the mortgagees. The difficulties of the company are due exclusively to the depression in the lumber trade and inability to collect outstanding accounts.

Willow, Oct. 17.—Mrs. A. Chamn, an old lady and resident of Sumpter township, was burned to death. While near the stove flames set her dress on fire and she was unable to extinguish them. The poor woman was burned to a crisp and died a short time after.

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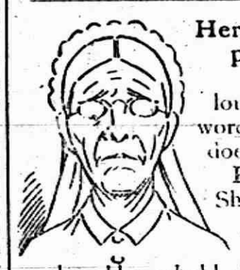

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Seaton W. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and John L. Anderson, under the firm name of Anderson & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent of said partners.

All debts due said partnership are to be received by W. H. Caldwell, at E. P. Kirchgessner's store.

SEATON W. ANDERSON,
FRED ROSACRANS,
JOHN L ANDERSON.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty-third, 1887, and recorded on the 25th day of May 1887, in the Registers office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 286, which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 28th, 1894, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assigement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1894, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 348,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 66-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Village lot nunmer fourteen (14) of Rhoer Shearman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 6th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said {mortgage.

Charles Burridge Attorney for assignee.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned John L. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and Webster Anderson, who severally reside in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, have formed a limited partnership pursuant to the provisions of chapter 78, of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the state of Michigan. The terms which are as follows:

The name of the firm under which the partnership business is to be conducted is Anderson & Rosacrans.

The general nature of the partnership business is the buying and selling of dry goods and carpets and such other articles as are usually kept for sale in a dry goods store.

The general partners are John L. Anderson and Fred Rosacrans.

The special partner is Webster Anderson and the above named are all the persons who are interested in said partnership business.

The capital stock contributed by said Webster Anderson is three thousand dollars in cash.

This partnership is to commence on the 28th day of September, 1896, and terminates on the 28th day of September, 1898. Dated September, 28th, 1896.

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DOWN THE DANUBE

In an Open Boat—Twelfth Letter of this Interesting Voyage.

Heidelberg, Sept. 9, '96.

EDITOR HERALD:

We are told every day of some danger to which we are coming soon, and are warned with grave looks against trying to go farther. At Mohacs we were informed that there were many "gelsen" below. Not knowing what "gelsen" are, we are rather nervous about them. Sancho decides that they are thieves, and I suspect they are Turks, and we let the matter rest there.

It was in August, of 1526, that the Turks defeated the Hungarians in a great battle near Mohacs. Then Hungary came under the Turkish yoke and was only liberated in 1687 on the same battle-field by Charles of Lorraine. Such events as these constantly enhance the interest of these banks. We passed the mouth of the Drave and approached Dalja. Many amusing mills were anchored in mid-stream near here. The Hungarian names are always written with surname first and given name last. The effect is funny enough. Rank, George is the owner of a mill, on which is painted a saint and a mermaid. The mermaid's tail looks as if it had been done up in curl papers. Near this mill is one with an inscription in German, "God bless the trade of the miller," painted in great letters so that the sentiment covers one whole side of the mill. Beyond are several old arks, which, like Falstaff, are "blasted with antiquity." We were wandering about the city looking for provisions and were not able to find a market. A portly and well dressed old German inquired what we wanted, and when I told our quest, he said, "Kommen sie mit," and we went. He proceeded leisurely until we reached a fine garden surrounded by a high stone wall. There he summoned a workman and giving some orders began showing us the fine points of his garden. At last the servant returned laden with a bountiful supply of corn, cucumbers, tomatoes and a couple of muskmelons. These were sent down to our boat with the old gentleman's compliments. He shook hands with us at parting, wished us a happy journey and warned us solemnly against the "gelsen." We departed, pleased with the hospitality, but worried over the "gelsen." "Perhaps they are having a war down here in Servia or Bulgaria," suggested my wife. "Perhaps, we haven't seen a paper in weeks," I concede. Just then a chimney with a genuine stork's nest, and real storks sitting in it, took our attention and we went rashly on to our boat to drift madly down to the "gelsen."

We had not gone far before a storm with wind caught us in mid stream. To face it and row for an island was the only way to keep afloat. It was a hard struggle and the waves were very high before we reached the shelter of the island. I was so exhausted that I could barely drag the little boat on shore, and with my wife's aid, put up our tent, before the rain descended. The storm having ceased, we proceeded; passed a low muddy island, where long legged storks stood, awkwardly on one leg, and floated by a wharf where a large crowd of workmen were waiting for a ferry and looking as if they had turned out in their night gowns.

As night came on we came to Vukavar. We landed at the mouth of a black, ugly looking river. The mud was bad there and a man advised us to row up the little river to a grassy bank. I rowed up this modern styx, and camped in the very heart of the town, near the market place. The markets open at dawn and close before a respectable American would get up. We had been in much difficulty about getting our supplies. This time they got us up early enough by crowding about our closed tent and asking questions. Such a sight! The whole length of a long street was lined with round willow baskets, large white umbrellas, and every vegetable conceivable piled in heaps. Nor was this all. Upon wooden racks were hung shoes, circle combs, cloth brushes, ropes, hats, tin-ware, wooden spoons; while soaps, perfumery and jewelry, all suited to peasant buyers, were displayed on benches. Besides there were queer little booths, where they served soup and hot milk from large iron boilers. Everybody stared as we wended our way up this lane of curiosities. The shop keepers, who always find out what we are doing before they sell us anything, all warn us with grave faces to beware of the "gelsen." We finally embarked, and as I pulled slowly out of the Styx into the noble stream of the Danube, we speculated in vain as to what "gelsen" were.

Just below the town we met a tug towing a flour mill up stream. The banks grew higher and when Peterwardein was reached we had a superb mountain on our right, and the city of Neusatz, beautifully situated in a plain, on our left. Peterwardein is a grand fortress built upon a rock around which the proud Danube curves. Directly under the fortress runs a railroad tunnel. Upon the mountain side are many charming chateaus. The scene reminds one of the shore of Lake Geneva near Vevey. A bridge of boats connects Neusatz with the fortress. Our little boat asked no favors of the bridge tenders. We just glided between two boats composing the bridge. Upon the platform above stood several peasants with white gowns and red jackets. They hallooed to us, and made frantic gestures, which we construed into some warning against those terrible and mystic "gelsen." After landing to see the tomb of John Capistranus, the celebrated preacher of the Crusades, we resumed our pilgrimage, and as we neared Karlowitz, memorable for the great peace of 1699 between Austria and the Turks, we saw the most remarkable sight which our trip has afforded. The river was about 3-4 of a mile wide at this point. We were lying lazily in the boat with umbrellas up to shield us from the sun. Suddenly we heard the roaring of an animal. We roused ourselves, and, looking about saw not far from us a boat about 15 feet long and four feet wide. Two men were in it. One was paddling desperately, while the other held a rope by which they were compelling a cow to swim the Danube. All at once there rose from the boat another cow, whose feet were tied together. Such fun, we never expect to see again. Both animals roared furiously. The one in the water would try to pull back, and the paddler would cease paddling and club the poor brute into submission. Then the cow in the boat would kick and both men would pound her into a state of quietude. Finally the animal in the water nearly succumbed to fatigue, and the frantic efforts of the men to get ashore before it should drown, were enough to convulse us both with laughter. We could not help having sympathy for the poor animals and the whole thing may be termed piteously funny. We survived merely because we got too far away, finally, to see the exhibition.

In the cliffs at our right we could now see the caves, homes of the cliff dwelling fishermen. Across the wide plain on our left appeared the minarets and towers of Belgrade. But night compelled us to go ashore for a camp. A fisherman came along just as we had selected a nice spot, and began to tell us very excitedly about the "gelsen." I manufactured a sentence which approximated to "What in the deuce are 'gelsen'?" Our friend laconically caught one and showed it to us. "Gelsen" are mosquitoes. C. H. VANTYNE.

Universtty Notes.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 12, '96

EDITOR HERALD:

Work in the State University has begun in earnest, and a goodly number of young men and women from all over the nation have assembled here. The attendance, so far, is about the same as last year, with a slight falling off in the law department and an increase in the Homeopathic Medical College.

The Law Department, despite the lengthening of the course, shows but slight decrease in attendance. The efforts of the Michigan Law School to raise the standard of legal education, have met, seemingly, with the hearty approval of those seeking to enter the profession. What all the young lawyers will do is a question. They come from every part of the country, the West and South-west, next to Michigan, being most strongly represented. Kansas, notably, believes in sending her young seekers after legal honors to the U. of M. Law School.

As a feeler to the political situation, an expression of political preferences was requested from every member of the freshman law class. It was believed that the students, most of them voters, coming from every part of the country, might reasonably be expected to reflect the political sentiments of the sections from which they came. Out of 134 members of the class voting, the silver candidate received 22 votes while the "sound money" men received 112 votes.

The Hon. Chauncey M. DePuy, of New York, lectured before the Students' Lecture Association, Oct. 10. Mr. DePuy was so full of ardor for the cause of "sound money" that he could not forego the pleasure of "hitting the other fellow," even in a non-partisan lecture. He certainly did not enhance his reputation as an orator by his effort here. A stump speech on the political issues of the campaign with the usual accompaniments of personality and trite argument, before a mixed university audience, seemed to say the least, in bad taste. He experienced the, to him, novelty of being hissed.

Mr. DePuy is one of the two remaining members of that group of great American orators of which Blaine, Conklin, Ingersoll and Garfield were members. He is very graceful in gesture, perfectly at ease in every attitude, has a perfect command of language and perhaps combines more of the essentials of the great orator than any other living American, except Mr. Ingersoll.

The co-ed is very much in evidence here. She has invaded every department, and even the subtle mazes of the law has no terrors for her. The very newest "new woman," the latest edition, revised, annotated, and complete up-to-date, has taken possession of the university. She steers her bicycle on the sidewalk with a stoical indifference to the fate of the unlucky pedestrian, who has the temerity to venture on the walk. In the dark ages before bicycles and "new women" came on the stage, the idea prevailed that the sidewalk was designed exclusively for foot passengers but "all is changed."

The University Foot Ball team is preparing to go forth and battle for the honor of the state on the gridiron. The preliminary training is completed and the "Michigan men" are prepared to bruise, kick, and maim their opponents and be bruised, kicked and maimed in their turn in the most civilized and scientific manner. One wonders where all the young doctors the university turns out will practice, but we are relieved on that score when we reflect that foot ball is growing in popular favor. It is a mooted question whether the university team should take along two or three doctors to every man on the team, but the weight of authority seems to favor three. C. V. WISNER.

Special Train to Jackson Meeting

At Jackson will be run over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. Thursday, October 27th, carrying the Foraker party and all who wish to attend the great Republican rally and to hear him speak. Half fare for the round trip. Special train leaves Tecumseh at 10:57 a. m., leaving Jackson returning at 3:30 p. m.

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frequently advise change of air and climate to those suffering from catarrh is proof that catarrh is a local and climatic disease. Therefore, unless you can leave home and business, you should use Ely's Cream Balm. Applied directly to the seat of the disease, it effects instant relief and a satisfactory cure after short continuance. No mercury nor injurious drug is contained in the Balm.

EDITOR HERALD:

In my last article the printer made me say, so many "units" of gold is our only unit of value; should have said, so many "grains" of gold is our only unit. This is true because the dollar is the unit in our monetary system. When 23.22 grains of gold with about 3 grains of alloy passes through the mint it becomes the "one" of our standard of money. And whatever its purchasing power may become by an increase or a diminution in quality the purchasing power of every other dollar of currency based upon it is likewise increased or diminished. Never in the history of nations was there an increase in the volume of money that was not an immediate source of blessing to mankind. This is true because increase in the volume of money increases prices of things, increases the need of things, and stimulates human energy to provide them. To increase the volume of money is to depreciate the value of money and appreciate the value of everything which is the real source of happiness and blessing to mankind. The true definition of "depreciated currency" is not "debased currency;" it is appreciated commodities, appreciated products of labor, appreciated bone, muscle and nerve of toil. Appreciated gold is debased humanity, exalted servant, debased master. Appreciated gold is wrong enthroned. About the 53-cent dollar,—the whole of anything is equal to the sum of all its parts and not to the sum of half of its parts, so it is absurd to say we shall have a 53-cent dollar. A dollar under free coinage will be of the same weight, of the same size, of the same appearance, and of the same color and will pass current for 100 cents. Should I be mistaken in this, there is one explanation and that is that all these people who are warning the rest of us in good time to beware, whenever they pay out silver after Mr. Bryan's election will always shove out 47 cents in change with each dollar, just for the satisfaction of having it to say, "I told you so." In answer to Mr. Wisner's presumption that I use the term "free coinage" as synonymous with bimetallism. I certainly do, because the free and unlimitted coinage of silver equally with gold can furnish the only true, scientific bymetallism. By the term "equally" I mean, at a ratio fixed by law. The vital point in a scientific bimetallism is that the debtor has an option to pay in either coin. The vitality of this fact is that the creditor is thereby compelled to exert himself equally with the debtor to maintain the parity fixed by law, and as a consequence we have then the nearest approach to stability in the purchasing power of money, which a gold standard can never supply. But the executive council of the American bankers' association, at St. Louis Sept. 22nd, in their declaration of principles, say that "gold commands all values because it is the most stable in value." That is not true, and this is the answer: Gold commands all values because it is the only standard of value. In the same declaration of principles they assert "mere money changers have always found more profit in a fluctuating than in a stable currency." Gold has been constantly appreciating in value during the last 16 years, i. is, therefore, not a stable currency. If space permits let me answer one other fallacy: Mr. Wisner says, "Not how much but how good," and says that is good, sound sense, whereas quality without regard to quantity is nonsense. A normal quantity is of just as much importance as is good quality. An appreciating quality is a bad quality when applied to money and is the direct result of a too limited quantity. The yellow metal is too limited in amount to answer as the money standard of the whole world. And all the ruin and disaster to the business interests of our country is the result of the experiment, just as Mr. Blain predicted it would be, in his famous speech of Feb. 1878. His words were, "I believe the struggle now going on in this and other countries for the single gold standard will, if successful, produce widespread disaster in and throughout the commercial world." The destruction of silver as (standard) money and the establishment of gold as the sole unit of value must have a ruinous effect on all forms of property except those invested which yield a fixed return in money." In the light of this truth, why do men sleep and slumber? With some it is, beyond a doubt, because of the spirit of avarice or self aggrandizement coupled with a fear of too hard work to keep their investments permanent. With some it is, no doubt, because of party prejudice or hatred, or bitterness and fear of the awful consequences should the party of their love and pride fail to carry the election. There is no fear or danger that any man will be read out of his party because he votes this year for the free and unlimitted coinage of silver. D. W. LOREE.

The Michigan Christian Conference

Was held at Britton, Lenawee county, October 14-17, 1896. The denomination, though not a large one, showed much push, animation and the broadest and most Christian charity.

It was marked throughout with great harmony and spirituality. In their discussion of religious topics the brothers, and sisters, as well, differed, as is not at all unusual in like conferences of other denominations, but always in the most friendly spirit and with the animation of an evident sincerity in their conviction. Christian unity and interdenominational affiliations and courtesy occupied a large place in the program.

It was ably presided over by Rev. J. A. Young, of Lexington, Mich., and the Rev. C. E. Hulbert, D. D., of Detroit, Prof. T. Holmes, D. D., and the young P. W. Reynolds, of Marshall, Mich., were marked men in the convention, as also its secretary, Rev. E. Mudge, of Maple Rapids.

The Christian ladies of Britton did themselves proud in providing for the temporal wants of the convention, furnishing dinners and supplies in the church parlor below and making the convention socially, as well as religiously, a pronounced success. B. L. B.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned having rented his farm will sell at public auction to the highest bidders, without reserve, on the premises, two miles east and one mile north of Franklin Center, on Friday, Oct. 30 at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit: 1 standard bred mare, 5 years old; 14 registered Merino ewes, 7 registered Merino rams, known to be the best bred flock in the country; 1 wide tire lumber wagon, nearly new; 1 set bob-sleighs, 1 Burch plow, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 hay rack, 1 cutter, 1 single cultivator, 1 double harness, 1 Champion mower, new; 1 cook stove, 1 parlor stove, 50 sap buckets and spoils, 1 Round Oak stove and other things too numerous to mention. Terms of sale—All sums $5 or under cash. Over $5, one years time on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises. A. C. Aylesworth, Auctioneer.

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Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases by neglect of a simple cold or cough. Foley's Honey and Tar, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine, would have saved them. It is guaranteed. Orr & Temple.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club will meet at the residence of H. A. Hoag Friday evening, Oct. 30.

PROGRAM.

Music—Lena VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Ella Munger,
Reading—Mary Matthews.
Dec.—Earle Munger.
Song—Mrs. Will Waldron.
Rec.—Lulu Aylesworth.
Charade—Mrs. Belle Matthews.
Chips—George Swartz.
Rec.—Lila VanValkenburg.
Essay—Harry Abbott.
Song—Amenzo and Perry VanValkenburg.
Locals—Ina VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Julia Tilden.
Music—Viva and Elmer Mellon.
Papers by Mrs. VanValkenburg and Mrs. Swartz: "How to make our clubs interesting and beneficial to young and old." Suggestions on same by members of club.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant, and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

Local anti-saloon leagues are being organized in every town in Branch and Calhoun counties.

High School Happenings.

Jamie Moir entered the seventh grade Monday.

Albert Rector has left school for a few weeks.

The truant officer is making his work effective this year.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton visited the sixth grade Monday afternoon.

Edith Ingersoll called on the high school Tuesday forenoon.

Miss Haug, of Indianapolis, visited Miss Hartbeck's room Friday.

Physiology class are studying the circulation of the blood this week.

Bertha VanValkenburg, a former student here, visited us Friday.

P. S. McKinnon and J. H. Smith looked over the work in the eighth grade Tuesday.

Agnes Eaton and Jennie Gillespie were absent from their accustomed places on Thursday.

Next Tuesday afternoon there will be a meeting of the parents and teachers at the West Branch school house.

Bessie Spayde and Christine Wilson, a couple of our last year's graduates, paid the A room a call yesterday afternoon.

The eighth grade Latin class are surpassing all former ones in enthusiasm. Owing to their numbers their combined efforts tell.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Oct. 20, 1896:

Mr. Lem Goldsmith, Mr. D. G. Andrews, Mrs. M. Sherman, Let. Frank Siegfried, Bert Vanese D. D. Coley, Miss Addie Case Ethel Sears.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. H. KYLE, P. M.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	14	16
Eggs, per doz	14	16
Lard, per lb		10
Beans, per bushel	75	1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		12
Potatoes, new per bushel	25	35

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 50	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens per lb	6	9
Turkeys		
Ducks, green	4	
Sheep Pelts	10	15

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat		70
Corn, shelled	20	25
Corn in ear	15	20
Oats	15	16
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		90
Straw	4 00	5 00

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Open Letter.

My Friend—

Like others I need money to do a cash business with, and if you owe me I will consider it a great favor if you will come in and pay me now without my being to the expense of mailing to you statement or spending my time to come and see you.

It costs considerable to see each one when you have a large number on your books, and you ought not to expect me to do it. I give credit as a favor, and hope you will bring me the cash now.

If you can not pay all cash now, bring what you can and settle by note till you are able to meet it.

You certainly can do this and expecting you will, I thank you in advance. Yours truly,

C. A. Slayton.

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TO BE VOTED FOR.

Tickets as Made Up for November 8 in the Various States.

Governors Are to Be Chosen in Twenty-Four States, Legislatures in Thirty and Presidential Electors in the Entire Union.

The following are the officers to be voted for in the various states in the union on November 3.

Alabama—Eleven presidential electors, nine congressmen.

Arkansas—Eight presidential electors, six congressmen, legislature.

California—Nine presidential electors, seven congressmen, lieutenant governor, legislature.

Colorado—Four presidential electors, two congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, superintendent of public instruction, attorney-general, regents of state university, legislature.

Connecticut—Six presidential electors, four congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, comptroller, legislature.

Delaware—Three presidential electors, one congressman, governor, legislature.

Florida—Four presidential electors, two congressmen.

Georgia—Thirteen presidential electors, eleven congressmen.

Idaho—Three presidential electors, one congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, judge supreme court, attorney-general, treasurer, mine inspector, superintendent of public instruction, Auditor, secretary of state.

Illinois—Twenty-four presidential electors, 22 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, university trustees, legislature.

Indiana—Fifteen presidential electors, 13 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor treasurer, reporter of the supreme court, attorney-general, state statistician, superintendent of public instruction.

Iowa—Thirteen presidential electors, 11 congressmen, secretary of state, auditor, state treasurer, attorney-general, judge of the supreme court, railroad commissioners.

Kansas—Ten presidential electors, eight congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, attorney-general, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, superintendent of public instruction, chief justice of the supreme court, legislature.

Kentucky—Thirteen presidential electors, 11 congressmen.

Louisiana—Eight presidential electors, six congressmen.

Maine—Six presidential electors.

Maryland—Eight presidential electors, six congressmen.

Massachusetts—Fifteen presidential electors, 13 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, attorney-general.

Michigan—Fourteen presidential electors, 11 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, land commissioner, attorney-general, superintendent of schools, members board of education.

Minnesota—Nine presidential electors, seven congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer and attorney-general.

Mississippi—Nine presidential electors, seven congressmen.

Missouri—Seventeen presidential electors, 15 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, railroad commissioners, judge of supreme court.

Montana—Three presidential electors, one congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, superintendent of public instruction, justice of the supreme court.

Nebraska—Eight presidential electors, six congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, commissioner of public lands, superintendent of public instruction, regent of state university, justice supreme court.

Nevada—Three presidential electors, one congressman, lieutenant governor, supreme judge, regents of university, legislature.

New Hampshire—Four presidential electors, two congressmen, governor, legislature.

New Jersey—Ten presidential electors, eight congressmen, legislature.

New York—Thirty-six presidential electors, 34 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, judge court of appeals, legislature.

North Carolina—Eleven presidential electors, nine congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, superintendent of public instruction, attorney-general, justice supreme court.

North Dakota—Three presidential electors, one congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, attorney-general, railway commissioners, superintendent of public instruction, insurance commissioner, commissioner of agriculture and labor, legislature.

Ohio—Twenty-three presidential electors, 21 congressmen, secretary of state, judge supreme court, food and dairy commissioner, member board of public works.

Oregon—Four presidential electors, legislature.

Pennsylvania—Thirty-two presidential electors, 29 congressmen.

Rhode Island—Four presidential electors, two congressmen.

South Carolina—Nine presidential electors, seven congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, comptroller-general, attorney-general, treasurer, adjutant and inspector-general.

South Dakota—Four presidential electors, two congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, treasurer, auditor, attorney-general, superintendent of public instruction, railway commissioners, land commissioners, legislature.

Tennessee—Twelve presidential electors, ten congressmen, governor.

Texas—Fifteen presidential electors, 13 congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, comptroller, treasurer, attorney-general, land commissioner, superintendent public instruction, railroad commissioner, judges of court of appeals.

Utah—Three presidential electors, one congressman, legislature.

Vermont—Four presidential electors.

Virginia—Twelve presidential electors, ten congressmen.

Washington—Four presidential electors, two congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, judge of supreme court, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, superintendent of public instruction, commissioner of public lands, state printer.

West Virginia—Six presidential electors, four congressmen, governor, auditor, treasurer, attorney-general, superintendent of schools, justice supreme court.

Wisconsin—Twelve presidential electors, ten congressmen, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, insurance commissioner, treasurer, attorney-general, railroad commissioner, superintendent of schools.

Wyoming—Three presidential electors, one congressman, justice supreme court.

Arizona—Delegate to congress.

New Mexico—Delegate to congress.

Oklahoma—Delegate to congress.

SUDDENLY CALLED.

Unexpected Death at Atlanta, Ga., of Ex-Speaker Crisp.

Ill for Some Time from Malaria—His Demise, However, Was Unlooked For—Death of Grant's Secretary of the Interior, Columbus Delano.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 24.—Hon. Charles Frederick Crisp, speaker of the Fifty-first and Fifty-second congresses, died at Holmes' sanitarium here at 1:45 o'clock Friday afternoon. A paroxysm of pain in the heart produced death, the paroxysm probably resulting from a rupture of the heart as the result of fatty degeneration.

Suffered from Malaria.

Judge Crisp came to Atlanta six weeks ago for treatment. He was then suffering from a typical case of malarial fever which had developed in his home at Americus. He spent June, July and a part of August in the mountains of North Carolina and Tennessee. His return to middle Georgia during the very hottest period of the summer developed the fever. After a week's treatment by Drs. Holmes and Davis the fever disappeared and the judge improved slowly. Last week he was out driving several times and he was getting stronger until Sunday night, when he was attacked with symptoms of his old trouble, pneumonia. Dr. J. S. Todd was called in, and on Tuesday congestion of the lungs disappeared, but the patient was so weak that Mrs. Crisp telegraphed for her children, and all came next day. On Wednesday and Thursday Judge Crisp's condition improved, but he received no callers.

EX-SPEAKER CRISP.

His Death.

His family were hopeful until ten o'clock at night, when he had a paroxysm of pain near the heart. At midnight there was another paroxysm, and they continued at intervals all through the night and forenoon. He suffered intensely, but was conscious up to the very last. The last attack occurred at 1:40, Judge Crisp dying five minutes later, surrounded by his family.

His Career.

[Mr. Crisp was one of the best-liked men in congress. He commanded the respect of friends and opponents by his abilities and his generally unruffled judicial fairness, which was broken up only once or twice, during the bitter controversy with Speaker Reed over the Reed rules. He was born in Sheffield, England, where his parents had gone on a visit in 1845, and this fact took him out of the category of vice presidential possibilities when some years ago his name was suggested for that office. He was brought to the United States before he was a year old, was educated in Savannah and Macon, Ga., served in the confederate army and was made a prisoner, was admitted to the bar in 1866, became successively state solicitor-general, judge, congressman and speaker of the house of representatives in the Fifty-second and Fifty-third congresses. His congressional career in the lower house extended over 14 years, and he was the choice of his party for the United States senate when he died.]

COLUMBUS DELANO DEAD.

Ex-Secretary of the Interior Expires Suddenly at His Home.

Columbus, O., Oct. 24.—Hon. Columbus Delano, secretary of the interior under Grant, died suddenly at 11 a. m Friday at Lake Howe, his suburban home near Mount Vernon. He was 87 years old. Mr. Delano died suddenly and unexpectedly. There was no connection between his death and the accident to Mrs. Delano on Sunday. She is at the point of death.

Mr. Delano was a man of national reputation. He died while sitting in his chair.

[Mr. Delano was born in Shoreham, Vt., June 5, 1809, and came to Mount Vernon in 1831. The honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred upon him by Kenyon college, of which he was one of the trustees. In 1844 he came within two votes of receiving the nomination of the whigs for governor of Ohio. He was a delegate to the national convention at Chicago in 1860 which nominated Abraham Lincoln for president, and rendered yeoman service in behalf of the martyred president. In 1861 he was appointed commissary general of Ohio. In 1863 he was elected to the house of representatives of Ohio. He was elected to the Twenty-ninth congress. He served on the committee on invalid pensions in congress, and made a vigorous speech against the Mexican war. Mr. Delano was appointed by President Grant commissioner of internal revenue. In 1870 he received the appointment of the secretary of the interior, which he resigned in 1875.]

Another Record Broken.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Arthur E. Smith, of this city, reduced the 24-hour American bicycle road record, making 295¾ miles in that time, thereby breaking the former record of 277 miles.

Was Buried Alive.

Juneau, Ore., Oct. 27.—It has been discovered that Carleton F. Wells, who was supposed to have died here two years ago of heart disease, was buried alive.

A TRIPLE MURDER.

Woman and Her Two Children Slain in Missouri.

Horribly Mangled Bodies of the Victims Found by Neighbors—Perpetrators of the Crime and Its Cause Unknown.

St. Louis, Oct. 28.—A special from Richmond, Mo., says that a triple murder occurred eight miles northeast of that city Monday night. The victims were the wife and two little children of Jesse Winner. The children were aged three and one years, respectively. Winner is a miner and works in the mines at Richmond. The victims were evidently killed early Monday night, but their bodies were not discovered until Tuesday morning. When found by a neighbor, the body of Mrs. Winner, her head mashed out of all shape, was lying in the yard in a pool of blood. The body of the oldest girl was found on the bed and that of the baby on the floor, under the bed. The throats of the children were cut and the jugular veins were severed. All around the house and in the yard were evidences of a terrible struggle, and the poor girl did not give up until the assassin had struck her a deadly blow on the head, cleaving the skull and cutting the top of the head off. There is no clew to the assassin. A little deaf and dumb girl, the child of Mrs. Winner by a former marriage, was present when the murder was committed, but is unable to tell anything of the crime.

COST NINE LIVES.

Awful Result of a Collision Between Trains Near St. Louis.

St. Louis, Oct. 26.—A head-end collision occurred on the St. Louis & San Francisco railway near Meramec Highlands at ten o'clock Sunday morning, by which nine persons were killed and a score injured. The scene of the wreck is 13 miles west of this city. The Valley Park accommodation train, going east very fast on a down grade, came into collision with the second section of a west-bound excursion train going to St. James, Mo., and carrying 240 G. A. R. men and their families to assist in the dedication of a home for the aged widows of veterans.

Well-Known Jurist Dead.

Brattleboro, Vt., Oct. 28.—Judge Royal Tyler, for 50 years judge of probate for the Marlboro district of Windham county, died Tuesday afternoon, aged 94. He was born in Brattleboro April 19, 1802. His father was a man of distinction, having been elected in 1801 as a judge of the supreme court of Vermont and promoted to chief judge in 1807. He was also the author of "Contrast," the first American play ever staged and first produced in the old John street theater, New York, April 16, 1786. The younger Royal had held the office of judge of probate since 1851.

A Church Burned.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Fire broke out in the Third Unitarian church, Monroe and Laflin streets, just as the morning services were beginning, and the structure was totally destroyed. The congregation made its exit quietly. The loss is estimated at about $20,000; insured for $13,000. The pastor, Rev. Vila Blake, suffered the loss of a valuable library. The fire originated from a faulty furnace.

National Bank Dividends.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The comptroller of the currency has declared dividends as follows: First dividend, ten per cent., National bank of Jefferson, Tex.; third dividend, ten per cent., Ninth national bank, of Dallas, Tex.; fourth dividend, ten per cent., Baker City national bank, of Baker City, Oregon; fourth dividend, 20 per cent., First national bank of Redfield, S. D.

Two Boston Widows Asphyxiated.

Boston, Oct. 28. — Mrs. Elizabeth Hart, a widow 60 years of age, and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah J. Stevenson, 35 years old and also a widow, were found asphyxiated Tuesday forenoon at their home. A gas jet was turned partly on and the room was full of gas. The deaths are believed to have been caused by accident.

A Big Cargo.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 26.—The steamer Algoa sailed from this port for Liverpool with the largest cargo ever taken from an American port, consisting of 18,260 bales of cotton, 104,000 bushels of grain, and 640 tons of other freight, all valued at $1,000,000.

Rural Free Delivery.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Auburn township, in Sangamon county, has been selected by Frank H. Jones, first assistant postmaster general, as the place for testing the rural free delivery service in Illinois, to begin November 1.

Bishop Whipple Marries.

New York, Oct. 24.—Bishop Henry B. Whipple, of Minnesota, was married in this city to Mrs. Evangeline Simpson, widow of a wealthy cotton manufacturer of Massachusetts. The bishop is 74 years old and his bride 35.

Margaret Mather Again Single.

Milwaukee, Oct. 26.—Gustave Pabst was divorced from Margaret Mather in secret in the circuit court in this city last Tuesday. Judge Johnson granted the divorce on a complaint by Mr. Pabst which alleged that his wife was cruel and inhuman and that she horsewhipped him on the street October 3, 1895.

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Clinton Column.

Republican Rally—Another Runaway—Personals.

Bert Cutting was up from Tecumseh Monday.

Floyd Rogers went over to Ann Arbor Saturday.

Sadie Huntington spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Charles Corwin was calling on Tecumseh fridnds Friday.

Charles S. Burroughs addressed the Maconites Monday evening.

Alonzo Clark is expected home from Chicago tonight or tomorrow.

Irve Hause and family now occupy the house with James Honley.

John Amspoker and wife were the guests of Tecumseh friends Sunday.

Mrs. Charles F. Clark and Mrs. Laura Tuttle were Tecumseh visitors Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Sanford, of Manthester, was calling on Clinton friends Saturday.

Wm. Amspoker and wife were the guests of Jas. Hogan's family Sunday.

Henry Camburn, of Macon, visited his sister Mrs. Will Niblack, over Sunday.

Minnie Gray entertained her friend Ida Hunt, of Tecumseh, the first of the week.

Minnie McAdams came down from Manchester and spent Sunday with her family.

Mrs. George Miller and daughter, of Manchester, spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

Miss Jean Hause was the guest of Florence Primrose, at Tecumseh, over Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Hogan attended the Alpha Sigma, at Mancheater, Monday evening.

Berkley Griffin, of Clayton, visited his brother-in-law, B. Frank Thompson, Saturday.

Fred Aldrich, of the Central House, Tecumseh, was on our streets Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. F. Barker, of Middlebury, Vt., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Huntington.

Miss Mabel Barnsdale returned home last Saturday, having closed her school near Wolf Creek.

Mrs. C. B. McMaster, of Norvell, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Dewey this week.

Fred Freeman and August Nisle, of Manchester, attended the republican rally Monday evening.

Mrs. W. J. Kies and son Joseph, of Elkhart, Ind., visited Mrs. J. S. Kies Wednesday and yesterday.

Will and Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, spent Friday and Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

Mrs. Frank Johnson left for Chicago Tuesday, where she will spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Halladay, of Napoleon, were visiting Clinton relatives the latter part of the week.

Len W. Kimball, wife and little daughter were the guests of Detroit friends Monday and Tuesday.

Lavern Davis came over from Ypsilanti last Friday, returning Sunday. Vern enjoys his school very much.

Hause & Son, funeral directors, had charge of Walter Osborn's funeral in Franklin, Wednesday afternoon.

Mark Mills, of Macon, came over Monday to confer with his friends, also to attend the blow out in the evening.

E. R. Smith returned from New York city last Friday, after an absence of ten days. He still preaches sound money.

Mrs. Willis Mann and Shirley having completed their stay here left Tuesday for Albion, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. E. R. Smith returned from her Ann Arbor and Detroit visits Thursday night of last week. She had a delightful time.

Mrs. Will J. Kies and son, Joseph, and Mrs. C. F. Field drove over from Tecumseh Monday and spent the afternoon with Mrs. J. S. Kies.

After five weeks passed among her many Clinton friends, Miss Maggie Robinson returned to her home in Detroit Thursday of last week.

Mrs. S. M. Case and Mrs. C. E. Lewis, of Manchester, were guests of Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh Monday afternoon.

Last Thursday the daughters of Edgar Randall, Minnie and Clara, passed through an ordeal they would have gladly escaped. They are, now it is past, congratulating themselves that the result was no worse. Their horse ran away with them. For a time it looked as if they might be killed, fortunately they escaped serious injury. Clara had some ribs broken and Minnie was severely bruised. The horse heretofore has been docile and trusty.

Miss Mabel Blatchford was a Jackson visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Jerome Bowen, from near Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Regina Schneirla, who was called here a few weeks ago by the death of her mother, returned to Grand Rapids Monday.

Miss Edith Bennett, who has been the guest of Miss Josie Rogers for the past two weeks, left Thursday for Charlesworth, Mich.

Geo. A. Kies, who is now located at Boston, arrived home Saturday night. He will remain in this vicinity until after election before returning East.

Mrs. Mary Burroughs, who has been visiting friends in New York state for the past few weeks, returned to Clinton last Friday and will complete her visit here.

Ex-Gov. Foraker made a short speech from the car platform of the special train Tuesday. Quite a number from here went up to Jackson to hear him speak.

Chas. E. Judge returned Friday from a two weeks' visit with his old home friends at Clayville, N. Y. He expects his parents will move here in about two months.

A large McKinley and Hobart banner spans Washington street from Peter Alexander's to the Priest house, occupied by his son-in-law. Peter is very proud of it.

Owing to the delay of the one o'clock train from the south Friday, Hon. Thos. Barkworth and the other speakers were unable to reach Clinton for the afternoon meeting as expected.

A special meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star is called for Wednesday evening, Nov. 4. The order is growing quite rapidly and interest in the beautiful ritual increasing.

Quite a number attended the silver rally at Tecumseh Friday evening and heard Congressman Charles Hartman, of Montana. They declare him the finest speaker they have heard.

After the parade last Monday night, consisting of 23 horsemen and 112 on foot bearing torchlights, Charles Townsend, of Jackson, delivered a very able address from the republican standpoint, to an enthusiastic crowd, at the town hall.

The woolen mill was closed an hour earlier than usual Tuesday forenoon, to enable the hands to see and hear Ex-Gov. Foraker, of Ohio, who spoke from the rear end of the train, which halted on Chicago street for about fifteen minutes.

The acquaintances and friends of old Mr. McElroy, who lived in the east part of Clinton township, were surprised and shocked last Monday morning to hear that he had died suddenly of heart failure. Mr. McElroy had lived on the farm where he died, a great many years and was respected by all his neighbors. The funeral was held at the residence on Thursday, October 22nd, conducted by James Hause of this place.

Arthur Sewall still is, as he has been for a long time past, president of the Bath (Maine) national bank.

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GOLD DEPARTMENT.

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Labor's Commission to Mexico.

The report of the commission of inquiry sent to Mexico by the Chicago Trade and Labor assembly to investigate the social and industrial conditions that prevail under the silver standard in that country was recently made public.

This commission consisted of Messrs. Maas and Enright, members of the Chicago Trade and Labor assembly, who were selected with no reference to any predilections on the currency question which they may have entertained.

The report is a scathing and unanswerable arraignment of silver monometallism as a currency system. It is a staggering blow to the free silver propaganda that seeks to deceive and betray American labor. The revelations it contains are a stinging rebuke to the repudiationists who are endeavoring to persuade American mechanics that their condition can be improved by Mexicanizing our currency.

In the comforts and necessities of life the Mexican laborers, according to the investigations of Messrs. Maas and Enright, are down to the minimum, and in no time in history could their condition have been more deplorable, or the race would be extinct. Special stress is laid on the significant fact that the principal inducement offered capital to invest in Mexico is the cheap native labor to be found and the absence of all danger of strikes. This fact alone should be sufficient to impel American labor to resist with all its mighty power the attempts to Mexicanize our currency.

Under the silver standard in Mexico labor is the cheapest commodity in the country. In Mexico "to don the raiment of toil is to wear the garb of servility." The toiler lives and dies a veritable beast of burden and performs his tasks "with the impassive indifference of an automaton."

It deserves the careful study and consideration of every intelligent American wageworker. It is entitled to his respectful credulity, because it comes not from economic scholars or from dreamy sociological theorists, but from plain toilers, "inured to the hard knocks of the factory and workshop."

The Gold Dollar Measured by Labor.

The proper test of the value of an article is the labor required to produce it.

The test applies as well to the gold dollar as to everything else.

If less labor is required now to produce a gold dollar than was required in 1860 or in 1873—that is, if a given amount of gold will purchase less labor, or if, in other words, wages are higher—then by the labor test, the only genuine test, the gold dollar must have gone down instead of up.

And no silver advocate has attempted to deny that wages have risen.

The senate report on wages and prices made in 1892 shows conclusively that wages have increased over 68 per cent since 1860 and nearly 24 per cent since 1870—in gold.

The purchasing power of wages has increased over 75 per cent since 1860 and nearly 32 per cent since 1870.

The cost of gold, measured by labor, has declined 41 per cent since 1860 and nearly 28 per cent since 1870.

Taking the cost of gold, measured by labor, in 1860 as the standard of comparison, the cost of gold from 1870 to 1891, the last year included in the Aldrich senate report, has declined as follows:

1870	.73	1881	.638
1871	.654	1882	.654
1872	.652	1883	.628
1873	.678	1884	.644
1874	.685	1885	.642
1875	.712	1886	.642
1876	.745	1887	.638
1877	.725	1888	.633
1878	.719	1889	.614
1879	.717	1890	.594
1880	.699	1891	.608

The labor test confirms the result of the interest test, that gold has not appreciated in value.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

From Secretary Windom's Last Speech.

The quality of circulation is even more important than the quantity. Numerous devices for enlarging credit may, and often do, avert the evils of a deficient circulation, and a redundancy may sometimes modify its own evils before their results become universal, but for the baleful effects of a debased and fluctuating currency there is no remedy except by the costly and difficult return to sound money. As poison in the blood permeates arteries, veins, nerves, brain and heart, so does a debased and fluctuating currency permeate all the arteries of trade, paralyze all kinds of business and bring disaster to all kinds of people.

How many hours a day, at 8½ cents an hour, Mexican style, would an American workingman have to work in order to own his own house? That is a free silver question.

There is the same difference between gold arguments and silver sophistries that there is between sunshine and moonshine.

What Makes Interest Low.

What keeps interest high is uncertainty. That means lack of confidence. That means low credit and high interest.

In Idaho, Montana and other far west states the average interest on farm loans is over 10 per cent. Idaho has had the severest laws enacted against usury, but these have not made interest low. Montana has failed to pay her own drafts. Those who have money to loan are afraid to lend in states where the state itself fails to pay its debts. In the older states where debts never have been repudiated the interest on farm loans averages from 5½ to 6½ per cent. This is because men who have money to loan believe that they will get their money back. They do not have to charge high insurance in the interest for fear they may lose the principal.

The reason western farmers have had to pay high interest is that those who had money to lend were uncertain what they would get back. They had been uncertain because they feared repudiation or debased money. Repudiation by southern states for years kept money out of the south and kept interest high. The free coinage movement at the west has had the same effect.

When sound money comes to stay, those with money to lend will be more ready to lend it and ready to lend it cheaper. This is truly "cheap money."

When the last bonds were sold, the secretary of the treasury stated to congress that he could save $16,000,000 interest if congress would say that the bonds would be payable not only "in coin," but "in gold." People expected they would be paid in gold, but they wanted to be sure. The difference between being half sure and being sure was $16,000,000 in interest.

It is "cheap interest" the western farmer needs, not "cheap money." He can get "cheap interest" with sound money, and in no other way.

That is true of all borrowers who need money to carry on their business.—New York World.

Swindling Old Soldiers.

The value of the pension secured by the wounded veterans, whose monthly payment from the government is in a great many cases their sole support, depends entirely upon its purchasing power. If that power be high, it will buy a much larger supply of the necessities of life than if calculated in cheap dollars. It requires no argument to prove that, if this country adopts the silver standard, prices as based on dollars containing 50 cents' worth of silver will be just twice as high as they are now. Values will be no higher, and the farmer or worker will get no more than he does now, but nominal prices will be doubled. As the number of dollars paid for pensions is fixed, it follows that if paid in silver dollars the pensioner would receive only one-half as much, measured in commodities, rent, etc., as he does under the gold standard.

These are facts which the silverites have never attempted to deny. Nor have they ever proposed to double the pensions which are paid to the old soldiers, their widows and orphans. Now, then, can they expect the country to adopt a financial system which would dishonestly rob the pensioners of one-half of their income?

The Workingman's Alternative.

If our workingmen think their wages are too high by 50 per cent and would rather have them paid in dollars that will buy only half as much in the markets and at the stores, they will vote for Mr. Bryan and free coinage of silver. If they think, as we do, that this would be "free and unlimited" folly on their part, they will stand by Thomas Jefferson's common sense doctrine "that dollars should be coined as near the market ratio as possible, so that they will buy 100 cents' worth of goods wherever they are tendered.—Baltimore Sun.

Why Not Call Francs Dollars?

As well might the farmer and laborer think to make a profit by selling his farm or labor for francs instead of dollars because it takes 5 francs to make a dollar, and he would consequently get five times as many of them, as to think that by selling his farm or his labor for silver dollars, two of which make a gold dollar, that he would make a profit by so doing.

Free silver in Mexico is a great institution. Wages averaging 35 cents among all kinds of workingmen are a great institution, too—for Mexico. They are not desirable enough, however, in American eyes, to be made part and parcel of our civilization.

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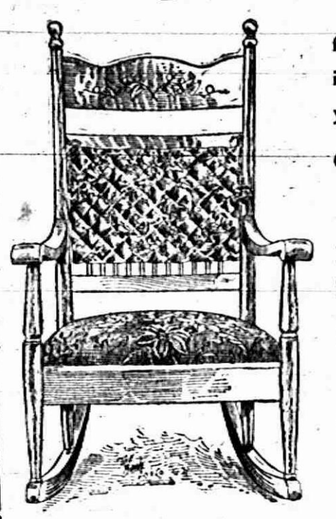

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Wabash Line.

To take Effect May 17, 1896.
Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	8:34 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:34 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:45 p. m.
New York Express	9:00 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:11 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:43 p. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 845. Accom.
Detroit.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Wixom	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Milford	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Rochester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Orion	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 35 "
Lake Orion	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 05 "
Pontiac.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 10 "
Pontiac.....Lv	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Adrian	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 05 "

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818 Express.	No. 846 Accom.
Adrian.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Pontiac	11 05 "	7 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Lake Orion	11 30 "	8 50 "	7 00 "
Orion	12 39 "	9 35 "	7 50 "
Rochester	12 55 "	9 70 "	8 50 "
Milford	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Wixom	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
Detroit.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 20 "

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Time Table in effect Sept. 30, 1896.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

No. 21,	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 22,	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
No. 26,	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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EDWIN WILLITS DEAD.

Ex-Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Expires at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The flag on the agricultural building was at half-mast Saturday on account of the death of Edwin Willits, who was assistant secretary of agriculture during the administration of President Harrison. Mr. Willits died suddenly at his home in this city Friday evenig. He became ill at his office about four o'clock. He was taken home in a carriage, a physician having been summoned to meet him there. The doctor found that Mr. Willits had been stricken with a form of kidney trouble from which he had suffered at different times for several years. Every effort was made to restore him, but he gradually sank into a state of coma and died in a few hours.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 27.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Edwin Willits were held at his home in this city Monday. Secretary Morton and all the chiefs of the agricultural department were present. The services were conducted by Rev. Wallace Radcliffe, of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. Dr. Radcliffe delivered a very impressive and touching sermon. The body was sent to Monroe, Mich., for burial. It was accompanied by the widow, Mrs. Willits; her sister, Miss Ingersoll, and her son, George S. Willits, of Chicago. The Washington alumni of the Michigan agricultural college, of which institution Mr. Willits was once president, met in the parlors of Willard's hotel Saturday night and passed a resolution of condolence.

Monroe, Oct. 28.—The remains of Edwin Willits, who died at Washington on the 23d inst., were interred here Tuesday with masonic honors. The remains, accompanied by Mrs. Willits, George S. Willits and Miss Ingersoll, arrived at noon and lay in state in the Presbyterian church until 2:30 o'clock. During that time hundreds of his fellow townsmen viewed the remains. Rev. L. B. Bissell conducted the funeral and delivered a very touching and impressive sermon, in which he paid a glowing and well-worded tribute to the memory of the deceased. Mr. Willits was for many years, before entering public life and during his congressional career, a resident of Monroe, and enjoyed a wide and very favorable acquaintance with the people of his county.

[Mr. Willits was born April 24, 1830. He was raised on a farm in Michigan and his earlier years were devoted to the duties of a farmer's son in summer and attending district schools in winter. At the age of 20 he entered the University of Michigan, where he distinguished himself as a diligent and thorough student. His class was graduated two years later than that of his college mate and friend, Secretary of Agriculture Morton. He entered upon the profession of law and settled at Monroe, where he achieved eminence in his profession, and was elected member of the house of representatives for that district. He served three terms and subsequently was made president of the agricultural college of Michigan. He was elected prosecuting attorney of Monroe county in 1860, and to a membership of the state board of education in the same year, and was re-elected in 1866, holding the position 12 years. He was on the commission to revise the constitution of the state in 1873, was editor of the Monroe Commercial from 1856 to 1861. Mr. Willits also had charge of the government exhibit at the world's fair. He was called by President Harrison to accept the position of assistant secretary of agriculture which place he filled with great efficiency during the administration of Gen. Rusk and eight months longer—up to January 1, 1894—remaining by special request, as assistant to Secretary Morton. Mr. Willits was a splendid specimen of American citizenship, intelligent, honest and conscientious. He leaves a reputation for fidelity to trusts and integrity in the discharge of all duties, public and private, upon which there is not a spot or blemish.]

Mines Will Resume.

Ishpeming, Oct. 25.—W. K. Matteson, of Boston, president of the Lake Superior Iron company, who has been looking over the mines here, states that the company will work its mines with full forces during the winter. This means steady employment to over 1,000 men. The Pittsburg & Lake Angeline mine, ordinarily employing 800 men, now idle, will probably resume mining with a full force next month.

Killed in a Well.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 22.—A fatal accident, of which Charles Miller, an employe of the Grand Rapids plaster company, was the victim, occurred about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning on the company's property a short distance west of the Eagle mills. Miller was repairing the walls of a well when the surrounding earth caved in on him, burying him alive. He was dead when taken out.

Saginaw Lad Wins.

New York, Oct. 28.—The fight between George Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., and Jack Everhardt, of New Orleans, to decide the lightweight boxing championship of the world, took place at the Bohemian sporting club's rooms Tuesday night. Lavigne won in the 24th round.

Another Promise to Pay.

Benton Harbor, Oct. 24.—It is now announced that the $118,000 due the Pottawatomie Indians from the government will be paid in this city November 4. The announcement of this payment has been made many times in the past few years, but it has always been delayed for some reason or other.

Suicide of an Insane Farmer.

Menominee, Oct. 27.—Peter Matteson, a farmer, committed suicide by drowning in the river. He was subject to fits of insanity. The man strapped his hands and feet together and drew his head forward by means of the strap so that it rested on his breast. He leaves a wife and two children.

A Hunter Killed.

Kingsley, Oct. 27.—Claude Putnam, 23 years old, accidentally shot himself while hunting near here, the charge entering his abdomen. He died in a few hours.

Jackson, Oct. 24.—James Deyo, turfman and breeder of fast horses, notably Small Hopes, died at his home in this city. He was 78 years old and had been ill several months.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Points.

Allegan is putting in an electric fire alarm system.

Emil Pardon, of Lake City, was killed while coupling cars on Mitchell's logging road.

Detroit capitalists are buying oil options on land in the vicinity of Monroe and will soon sink a test well.

C. S. Bliss & Co., of Saginaw, are to ship 30,000 feet of hemlock lumber to a dealer at Cape Town, South Africa.

Wheat brought 80 cents per bushel on the streets at Galesburg one day last week, the highest price realized in five years.

Will Ferguson, ex-city treasurer of Big Rapids and a popular Grand Army man, died suddenly of heart disease Tuesday.

Saginaw and Bay City are to be connected by a metallic telephone circuit owned by the Inter-Urban Electric Railway company.

It is stated that the car factory is to be removed from Saranac to Mentor, Ind., the latter town having offered a bonus of $2,000.

During the past year there has not been a house to rent in Bellaire, and newcomers have been forced to build residences to live in.

Nicholas Van Brunt, a pioneer business man of Adrian, died of paralysis, at an advanced age. He was an invalid for nine years.

An order was issued Tuesday to discontinue the post office at Joliet, Midland county, October 31. Mail will thereafter go to Hope.

Dr. H. H. Raymond, a former member of the state legislature, died recently at his home in Grass Lake. He was a highly respected citizen.

Howe & Co.'s hardware and jewelry store at McBain was burglarized the other night, and four gold watches and over $100 in money were stolen.

The Eton county circuit court opened the fall term Monday, but the lawyers were all busy talking politics, and an adjournment was taken until November 16.

John Toutloff, of Ishpeming, is under arrest on a charge of having burglarized his father's saloon and stolen $400 in cash and watches valued at $200. No trace has been found of the money.

John B. Upton, a prominent citizen of Big Rapids, aged 67 years, died recently, after a brief illness. He had held the offices of prosecuting attorney of the county, and attorney for the city.

The board of supervisors of Kent county have cut down the salaries of the circuit judges, from $3,500 to $2,500 per year, and reduced the salaries of all the clerks in the county building at Grand Rapids.

Evart Ellen, a farmer near Holland, was badly injured by being crushed under a wheat bin which collapsed and came down while he was trying to strengthen the foundation. He will be crippled for life.

The evaporator plant at Old Mission, owned by J. A. Bullen, was burned recently. Hundreds of bushels of green apples were roasted and $600 worth of dried fruit was destroyed. The building was valued at $800.

State Baptist Convention.

Plainwell, Oct. 24.—Much business was transacted at Friday's session of the state Baptist convention. The needs of the upper peninsula's mission ary field were discussed and reports from missionaries were received. Personal pledges were taken to organize a mission at Negaunee. C. W. Barber, the new president, wielded the gavel at the afternoon session.

Plainville, Oct. 26. — The Baptists' convention closed on Sunday. A largely increased membership was reported in the Baptist young people's unions and the women's home missionary societies. Bay City was chosen as the next place of meeting.

Deaf Mutes Strike.

Flint, Oct. 27.—The boys in the state institute for the deaf and dumb in this city have gone on a strike because they thought they should be dismissed at four p. m. with the girls, instead of an hour later, and this demand being refused, they went on a strike for shorter hours in the industrial department. The strike was ended by vigorous measures. Several boys were expelled and the rest told that they, too, could go home if they wanted to, a privilege which a large number may embrace. The parents of the boys who have been expelled will take some action looking to their restoration.

Michigan Odd Fellows.

Lansing, Oct. 23.—The Lansing Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows closed the annual session here Thursday, and elected the following grand officers: Master, A. F. Wiselogel, Muskegon; deputy master, E. S. Andrews, Williamston; warden, E. H. Sellers, Detroit; secretary, E. H. Whitney, Lansing; treasurer, B. D. Pritchard, Allegan; chaplain, D. H. Reiter, Vicksburg; marshal, F. E. Andrews, Adrian; conductor, A. J. Stroud, Horton's Bay; guardian, C. E. Williamson, Tecumseh; herald, Charles Geiger, Calumet.

Saginaw Valley Banks.

Saginaw, Oct. 24.—The official statement of the condition of the banks in the Saginaw valley on the evening of October 6 shows the total amount of deposits to be $8,473,763.47. Of this amount $5,516,303.85 is held by banks in Saginaw and $2,957,459.62 is on deposit in the banks of the Bay Cities.

Miss Uhl to Wed.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 26.—A Berlin dispatch says: The United States ambassador, Edwin F. Uhl, and Mrs. Uhl announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucy Follett, to Dr. Guy V. Thompson, of Yale. The marriage will take place in Berlin during the beginning of February.

Kingsley, Oct. 27.—Miss Maud Hatfield, 15 years old, was accidentally shot in the arm by Frank Lewis. The limb was amputated.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Seaton W. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and John L. Anderson, under the firm name of Anderson & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent of said partners.

All debts due said partnership are to be received by W. H. Caldwell, at E. F. Kirchgessner's store.

SEATON W. ANDERSON,
FRED ROSACRANS,
JOHN L. ANDERSON.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty-third, 1887, and recorded on the 25th day of May 1887, in the Register's office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 286, which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 28th, 1894, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assigement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1894, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 318,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 66-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Village lot number fourteen (14) of Eber Shearman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 4th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said [mortgage.

Charles Burridge Attorney for assignee.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned John L. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and Webster Anderson, who severally reside in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, have formed a limited partnership pursuant to the provisions of chapter 78, of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the state of Michigan. The terms which are as follows:

The name of the firm under which the partnership business is to be conducted is Anderson & Rosacrans.

The general nature of the partnership business is the buying and selling of dry goods and carpets and such other articles as are usually kept for sale in a dry goods store.

The general partners are John L. Anderson and Fred Rosacrans.

The special partner is Webster Anderson and the above named are all the persons who are interested in said partnership business:

The capital stock contributed by said Webster Anderson is three thousand dollars in cash.

This partnership is to commence on the 18th day of September, 1896, and terminates on the 28th day of September, 1898. Dated September, 28th, 1896.

John L. Anderson.
Fred Rosacrans.
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DOWN THE DANUBE

In an Open Boat—Thirteenth Letter of this Interesting Voyage.

Heidelberg, Germany, Sept. 14, '96.

EDITOR HERALD:

After the deep mystery of the "geisen" was aired, we passed the night unharmed by the monsters. Eagerly on the morrow we arose and got afloat. Belgrade was not far away. From the first day of our voyage, and more earnestly each day, we had been cautioned about venturing into Servia, Bulgaria, and Roumania. These countries were peopled with all sorts of aerial, aquatic and terrestrial devils—so thought the people on the upper Danube. We had seen other terrors vanish as we approached them, and were not daunted. We stopped half an hour at Semlin, to see the remains of Hunyade's castle. The hero died here in 1456. Then we floated to the mouth of the Save and, after a hard row up stream, reached the Belgrade steamboat landing. We were met by a genial, kindly disposed officer, who talked enough German to explain the red tape necessary for a visit. Leaving our passports in the hands of the officials, we walked up into that strange Servian city. Everything, everybody, was so strange. The old ruined fort is different from any fort we have ever seen. During the Turkish wars, it was of utmost importance; now the walls are used to support the unsteady houses of fishermen. Children crawl through the port holes and along the dilapidated walls. Over from the fortress is the Turkish town with its mosques and soaring minarets. Then back to the Save and up the long "Milan" street, past the university and museum of Servian antiquities, until far up in the city we find the American consul, who is very kind to us. I go and bring our passport which he visees for Roumania and Bulgaria. We have coffee with him and after giving us some English books, Poe, Lytton and Twain, he bids us goodbye with a hearty Godspeed.

As we were returning to the river, I tried to get a pecture of the royal palace. A guard at once came up and demanded that I let him examine the kodak. I had no objections, and having allayed his suspicions by examining our marketing bag also, he allowed us to pass on. My wife noted, in Belgrade, the following: "The ladies wear black silk or satin zouave jackets with flowing sleeves. The army officers, and we have seen many, are very handsome, without exception, and are extremely polite. They wear blue coats and cardinal trousers." We were very courteously treated upon our departure. Our boat had been carefully watched all day and was, with all its contents, intact. At the next small town I stopped to get drinking water. As I climbed up the steep hillside, I entered a small farm yard. Seemingly from every point of the compass came a howl, and in a moment I was in the midst of pack of dogs, lean and gaunt and hungry, each barking savagely. I tried the old ruse of saying "get down," in an off-hand way, but they evidently misunderstood or were not very good linguists. Then I kicked and swung my water-pail vigorously. Just then came a stalwart Servian with a terrible voice and, still more effective, a volley of clubs. The dogs scattered, yelping. I thanked my rescuer with a mixture of English, German and Hungarian, which neither of us understood. He pointed out the town spring in the distance, and I got the water after admiring a very pretty group of peasant girls, with large jugs upon their heads, waiting their turn.

We were soon steaming down the river again. I say "steaming," because it was terribly hot and the exercise of rowing made me perspire copiously. As the sun was setting, and our view was limited by the trees which bordered the river, Sancho began to read from Poe's Tales which the consul had given us. The story was "The Little Gold Bug," and if you have read it you will understand how we forgot all and drifted unmindful of the necessary camping place until it was too dark to read and also too dark to see the shores plainly. The river is a mile and a half in width at this point and we were in mid stream. I rowed for the right bank. It was very dark before we neared it. We could see here and there, like will 'o th' wisps, the lights of the fishermen. The bank proved to be perpendicular. No landing there. Voices sounded very plainly over the waters and we could hear strange cries toward the left bank. I pulled eagerly over there and found another bank perpendicular. The darkness was simply appalling now, for clouds covered the sky. Again I saw a light. I rowed nervously toward it. We were very near to it, when my wife cried, "Why, it is a steamboat!" In the darkness I could only guess how to get out of the monster's path. Fortune favored and we saw the barge move swiftly by us in the gloom. Despairing of landing, we decided to float all night. Yet I continued to attempt landing, and about twelve o'clock we were delighted to hear the grating of a gravel beach upon which I had pulled our little boat.

At dawn we awoke to find ourselves in front of a small, dirty Servian town. These towns are a mixture of straw-stacks and huts, alternate houses and straw domes. The banks are high on the Servian side, and as we voyaged that day we could see the peasant beating the grain with a flail and throwing it high in the air to remove the chaff. Their favorite amusement seems to be mounting a horse and urging him far into the river to make him swim. They don't seem to distinguish between a horse and a hippopotamus. The Servian peasant costume is a white linen tunic and frock and a broad, red band at the waist.

Without adventure we passed Semendria, with its odd Turkish fortress, and Rama, the Servian fort with scarcely one stone left upon another. But on the morning following we had an experience which came near abruptly closing this strange, eventful history. We had camped on an island near O Palanka. The wind was pretty stiff and was increasing. We had no food and must cross over to O. Palanka. As we passed the end of the island, we found the waves so large that only by keeping them dead-ahead could we keep afloat. Thus we drifted until a bend in the river around a huge promontory let the wind strike us at right angles. Such a choppy sea on a river I never saw. I made up my mind that we should be overturned. My wife evidently thought likewise, but said very calmly, "I will get hold of the boat and we will gradually drift ashore." A very brave resolution, but no one except an experienced swimmer could have kept his head above water among such waves. Well, we battled with the ever increasing waves and at last were beaten ashore on a mud bank. As I stepped out, I went knee deep in mud. Then I waded and drew while my wife pushed the boat with an oar, until we reached the town. Completely exhausted, we bought provisions and settled in our tent to eat and rest.

C. H. VANTYNE.

EDITOR HERALD:—

I have thought my brother Tindall to be conscientious. When he deliberately makes a false statement, I am doubtful. I have not threatened him with personal violence and am sorry that he should so effectually wring his own neck by making a misstatement of fact. In trying to exhonorate his party he says, "Any political platform utterances contravening statutes should not be accepted." I want to say to him quietly, and yet so forc bly that he will not forget it, that the statutory enactment of Feb. 12, '73, demonetizing silver as primary or standard money, contravenes every principle of honesty and justice, because it deprived the American people of the best and most effectual means they had of maintaining the nearest approach to stability in the purchasing power of their money. It is but honest and just that we return to a bimetallic standard for we have not had stability in values since the day we began the experiment of standing, and trying to walk on our one leg "gold." The platform utterances of the republican party in '88 and '92, "contravening," as he says, this statute of '73, were altogether patriotic and righteous, and it comes with poor grace for our brother, at this late day, to say they "shonld not be accepted" as of any worth. Too true, they are of no worth. The republican party, because it has gone back on those utterances and for no other reason under heaven, finds itself today in a deep, dark hole, only to be deeper and darker after the people have spokon as they are already prepared to speak. But not realizing either pain or embarrassment, he goes on to wring his neck some more. He says, "Standard money relates only to the kind, quality and quantity of the material of which it is made." That is not true. Standard money relates a thousand times more to its function or use as money than it does to anything of which it is made. The exchange value or purchasing power is the all-important thing with money, and any standard of value which commands the value of the products of labor so unmercifully low as at the present time, is a cheat and a robber. The true function of money is to measure values with some reference to the principles of equity and justice. It can do this only when furnished in sufficient quantity by government, without interest, to facilitate the widest possible exchange of the products of toil This truth is the more profound when we reflect that an abundant supply of money directly opens up the highway for civilization to advance in. The highest advancement is possible only by the widest possible exchange of the commodities of the world and the highest intelligence and virtue of the people. But my opponent gives his argument entirely away when he says, "When the trade dollar was provided for, the 412 1-2 grain dollar was left out of the law:" and further, in referring to the coinage of the trade dollar he recites the wording of the law, "and no deposit of silver for other coinage shall be received." By virtue of that clause the free coinage of silver was prohibited from that day forth. Up to that day silver had free and unlimited access to the mints to be coined into 412 1-2 grain dollars, which had always been the unit of value and a standard equally with gold, and the virtue of the law could not be impaired though there had not been a dollar coined. Mistrusting the folly of his argument he "admits, to save contention, that silver was demonetized in '73," and there, half repenting, says, "but it amounted to nothing as there was no silver to be demonitized," but the fact is, there was an increasing amount of silver dollars being issued and had been for several years. Beginning in 1870, there was coined nearly three million up to Jan. '73 and from that date to Feb 12 nearly half a million more. Then they demonetized the "dollar of our daddies" and issued the trade dollar as a makeshift. The statute utterly prohibited the coinage of any more standard silver dollars from that date and made, by express declaration, 23.22 grains of pure gold the only and sole unit of value, which remains to this day. I have no pleasure in heaping ridicule on a fallen brother, but duty requires plain speech. His statemnnt that the Bland-Allison act of '18 and the Sherman act of '90 remonetized silver, is a most nonsensical misstatement of fact. The Bland bill did contemplate the remonetization of silver, but as it passed Congress and became law and known as the Bland-Allison act, the silver bird had its wings clipped. The repeal of that law and of the Sherman law in '93, was simply to damn the bird because it could n't fly. Since brother Tindall is the only man in the realm who knows that silver has not been demonetized, he ought to have an interview with Mr. McKinley and Mr. Bryan immediately, and lay the fact before them, for surely if he is right there is altogether too much ado about nothing.

D. W. LORER.

Ganges township, in Allegan county is replacing all its wooden bridges with iron ones.

Milwaukee, Oct. 19, 1896.

EDITOR HERALD:—

I have never lost my love for old Tecumseh or its people, and have read with interest the papers upon the money question which have appeared recently in the Herald. While that question is most important, it is not the only issue in this rather unusual campaign, and it ought not to be used to blind the eyes of intelligent men as to what the election of Bryan, with his following, means to this fair land of ours which we love. Those who live in the larger cities have better opportunities of observing this than those living in the smaller towns where there is populistic, anarchistic element. Here is a report taken from yesterday's Sentinal of a Bryan meeting held at north side town hall, this city, on last Saturday night. I should like to have some of my old friends who think of voting for Bryan know with what kind of a company they are marching.

Four speakers were introduced to the audience, with the proud distinction of having been jail birds, Debs, Whip, Kelliher, Schilling, was the quartette. The first named did not boast in an unseemly manner of his incarceration in Woodstock jail. The audience relieved him of all necessity on that score. He had been too prominent an offender to make such a course on his part necessary, even if the chairman had neglected to do it for him.

Debs discussed the money question to some extent, appealed to laboring men to stand by the candidates of the Democratic and Popocratic party, and almost canonized Robert Schilling as a subject fit for congressional honors. Then some enthusiastic creature in the hall shouted, "What is the matter with Debs for president in 1900?" This gave the leader of the disastrous railroad strike of 1894 an opportunity to smile serenely and declare that he would accept no office in the gift of the American people; that he would rather raise up one poor, downtrodden son of Adam and give him his freedom than occupy the presidential chair. Mr. Debs then retired gracefully, and when he attempted to leave the hall the crowd shouted and yelled itself hoarse, and nearly crushed each other in attempts to get near enough to shake his hands.

Peter J. Whip, of Cleveland, was introduced as the next speaker distinguished by reason of his having been incarcerated in the jail at Cleveland. Whip is a beardless boy, lean and hungry in appearance. He began his oration with the declaration that he knew Bob Schilling in Ohio seventeen years ago; that Schilling was one of the truest hearted men that ever stepped in shoe leather; that he had been put on his "uppers" and forced to leave Ohio because of his loyalty to the union workingman. Mark Hanna was denominated an industrial cannible who lived outside the city limits of Cleveland to save taxes; he had hired a murderer named Ramsey to break up the Seaman's union in Cleveland; and the coalminers' union in Pennsylvania, and and when this thief, and murderer, and thug had accomplished Hanna's work, Hanna had rewarded him with a free trip around the world. Rourke Cockran had been in England for seven years trying to break into the British parliament, but the Bank of England would not allow him to do so because it had more effective work for him to do on this side of the pond. Mr. Whip then declared that the union laboring men of the United States were going to inaugurate the greatest strike in the annals of time on Nov. 3; they would march out at 6 o'clock in the morning and in twelve hours it would be brought to a successful close; there would be no starving wife or hollow-eyed children to mock their efforts on this occasion. "Remember the sound of the cannon at Homestead," he shouted; "the crack of the Winchester at Chicago and in Idaho." Remember the men who were put in Woodstock jail," he continued. "There will be no crack of a Winchester in this strike; the silent ballot will win the fight, and put a boycott on the necks in the White house."

Chairman Schindler, as a prelude to the introduction of the next speaker, said he had heard a lawyer, a prominent Republican of Milwaukee, say that McKinley would be elected without doubt. When another questioned his judgment and expressed a belief in the election of Bryan, the lawyer had replied that six months after Bryan was inaugurated there would be a revolution in this country. Mr. Schindler cautioned him that that was a dangerous thing to say in the present condition of the standing army. There were cries from all parts of the house of "Let her come," when reference was made to the possibilities of a revolution.

"I don't know as the next speaker has been in jail," remarked the chairman, "but I believe he has been. I have the honor to introduce Sylvester Kelliher, of Chicago."

"I've been there," said Mr. Kelliher. "I was in Woodstock jail with Debs."

"Good boy, Kelliher."

"Bully boy."

"That's the stuff." Mingled with thunders of applause greeted this admission.

"If the election of Bryan means revolution, the election of McKinley means slavery," shouted the speaker, "and you may take your choice. J. Pierpont Morgan, Rothschild's agent in this country, has more influence with this government in shaping its laws and controlling its destinies than the 70,000,000 of people who make up its population." He then drew a gloomy picture of the condition of the workingmen, declaring that they were being starved and ground into the dust by the corporations and trusts; that they were filling the world full of children to live without hope; that women were obliged to sell their souls to keep from starving and that there were but three ways open for them to live; one was to work, another was to steal, and the third was a life of shame. To perpetuate these conditions they had turned every railroad roundhouse into a Republican wigwam to continue the government of injunction.

Robert Schilling was the next speaker. He said he too could claim the distinguished honor of having been a jail bird. Had he been convicted on the charge for which he had been arrested, he would have been liable to a two years' term in the prison at Waupun. He thanked God, however, that there were men on the jury that tried him that could not be bribed or bulldozed, and he escaped. He was afraid that they were going to send him up for two years at this time, but it was to congress that his sentence would run. What the people had wanted was education about these things and they getting it very rapidly now that there had been a general awakening. Mr. Schilling then made one of his characteristic speeches, and was followed by John Toohey, who spoke briefly on the issues of the campaign and brought the meeting to a close.

Citizens and farmers of old Lenawee who responded so nobly to our country's call for the preservation of law and order, and for the purity of "old glory," are you willing to join hands with such men to overthrow all that you fought for, worked and prayed for? How would you like such political bedfellows?

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

ublican Rally—Surprise Party—Personals.

has. R. Maybee is expected home n Ada, Ohio, Sunday.

L. Kishpaugh drove to Clinton Sun- and returned Monday.

or a clean shave and stylish hair go to Zibble's at the hotel.

. D. VanNocker, of Petersburg made siness trip here last Friday.

enardson Bros. & Hughes shipped cars of hay from this point last k.

o. Clark and Chas. Gorham visited higan's metropolis, Detroit, Thurs- last.

avern Gripton has recovered from ate indisposition and is at his post sual.

e McKinley & Hobart marching attended the rally at Milan last ay night.

itton will soon be in line, all pre- aries having been made for its poration.

rence Zibble solicits a share of blic patronage at his barber shop Exciby House.

delegation, numbering about 70, Tecumseh attended the republi- ally here Monday evening.

rt Sickley, of Macon, was out day doing mission work for the r cause and made Britton a call.

ipton Bros. finished the season at sorghum mill Friday. It has been r the best season they ever had.

ite a delegation of the unterrified to Tecumseh Friday evening to Hartman, of Montana, on the sil- uestion.

s. James DuBois spent the greater of last week with Will Hause and at Clinton, assisting them in set- their new house.

r. Lamb, of Saginaw, who is a large ber dealer, was here on business ay and during his stay was the t of H. H. Temple and family.

e Misses Minnie Francis and May ickerson represented the Y. P. S. . of the Reformed church at the ty C. E. Union at Adrian Tuesday.

alter A. Gripton has returned from East, where he has been in the em- of I. T. Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y. of the summer Walter spent at y Island.

the Christian church, Sunday, C. I. Deyo will have the following es; in the morning, "Up with the ," and in the evening at 7 o'clock, lf Baked."

oseph Rapp, O W. Lenardson and hn and Will Britton, who went to drian Tuesday to hear Foraker were adly disappointed as he spoke only fteen minutes.

Mr. Frank Sisson, of Ridgeway, and Miss Minnie Pocklington, of this place, were married at the parsonage of the Methodist church Saturday even- Rev. Mr. Schermerhorn performing ceremony.

r. and Mrs. Arthur S. Hughes were n a surprise Friday evening of last k by about forty of their friends, o appeared at their home without ding a herald before them. The ning was passed very pleasantly by

t the Reformed church Sunday ning the pastor will speak on "Our ts to the Greeks and Barbarians." :30 he will give a pre-election ser- on "What Exalteth a Nation. The S. C. E, at 6:30, will be led by Wm. Drake.

on A. Beal returned Tuesday from k's fishing and hunting at Devils . He had a nice time, all in all, of the time he had fine sport, and of the time the fish were away m home, at least he could not dis- their whereabouts.

It is true, as the "News" man had it, e representative of the Herald missed he train last Tuesday, but he did not us for it, as was also stated, for Dr. Hardy was so charmingly entertaining him that time flew by unnoticed and it was only when he reached the station that he found the train had gone. Doc. le charged up with the price of the rig all right.

The committee having in charge the r to be given by the Ladies' Aid iety of the Christian church, in vember, are busily at work complet- the programs to be given in the nings. The dates fixed are Nov. 17 inclusive. Each evening there be different attractions, one even- New England supper, the last an amusing Cantata, "The Quix- akers," will be rendered. What- hese ladies undertake is an as- success so bear it in mind and e to be present.

republicans feel highly pleased he success of their rally Monday and they are entitled to, for they fine street parade and a large . The hall was packed to over- g and the addresses by J. N. Sam- t Adrian, and H. R. Pettingill, of g, were gentlemanly and well ed. There was no mud slinging he audience, composed of repre- tives of all parties, had no harsh isms to make. Good delegations present from Milan and Tecumseh n the parade there were over 200 es. It was, for the town, a big out.

he ladies of the Christian church serve dinner in the vacant store of nk Brown, on election day. The of fare will consist of chicken pie, hed potatoes with brown gravy, and beans, bread and butter, pick- tea and coffee, and a nice desert, for the small price of 20 cents. Half he tables will be set with McKin- ley and half with Bryan favors. A lunch counter will also be run in connection. Everybody should patronize the ladies and partake of a good fifty cent dinner for twenty cents. Ladies belonging to the aid society are requested to accept this as sufficient notice to be on hand to assist, also to provide the necessaries. Whether Bryan or McKinley wins the election is an open question, but that an excellent dinner will be furnished by the ladies, is beyond question.

RIDGEWAY.

Halloween Social—Many Interesting Personals.

B. F. DePuy was in Adrian Monday.

Silas Danley is no better at this writing.

Mrs. George Pocklington is under the doctor's care.

Our store will be closed all day Tuesday, Nov. 3. ED. T. SMITH.

Mart Sickley, of Macon, was in the village Tuesday.

Kate Sherman spent Sunday in Tecumseh with friends.

George James, of Dundee, called on relatives here Tuesday.

Daniel Linn and wife were at Stony Creek with relatives Sunday.

Quite a number went to Britton Monday night to hear H. R. Pettingill.

Rev. Whitney, of Port Huron, was the guest of Rev. H. Cansfield Thursday.

Lena Titus, of Tecumseh, spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.

Fodder twine, husking pins and corn baskets at Ed. Smith's.

L. H. Bennett, of Plymouth, spent Sunday with Mrs. John Arner and family.

Rev. Cansfield spent Friday at Morenci, returning Saturday accompanied by his wife.

Editor Smith, of the Milan Leader, called on his aunt, Mrs. John Arner, Monday evening.

Mrs. Cansfield went to Morenci Thursday as a delegate to the W. F. M. S. county convention.

Keep it in your mind that the Halloween social will be held at Mrs. C. M. Gove's this evening.

Buy your floor oil cloth, binding and stove boards at Ed Smith's.

Remember the quarterly meeting service will be held next Sunday morning at the regular church hour.

Mrs. Jacob Arner returned to Detroit Monday evening, after a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Those who went to Tecumseh to hear Hartman, of Montana, on the silver question were well pleased with him.

Rev. and Mrs. Cansfield went to Port Huron Tuesday to attend the funeral of Rev. Stansfield's son, who was drowned Monday.

Now is the season of the year to feed Pratt's stock and poultry food. A fresh stock just arrived at Ed Smith's.

Miss Gertie Marvin, teacher in the primary room, was on the sick list Tuesday and Ella Boyd filled her place in the school room.

Mrs. L. H. Bennett and Mrs. James Pattison, of Plymouth, arrived Wednesday for a few days' visit with Mrs. John Arner and family.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, of Hudson, visited J. W. Osborne and called on friends in the village Sunday.

Fred Wood, of Tecumseh, nominee for Judge of Probate on the silver ticket, was in the village Wednesday evening shaking hands with friends.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, filled the pulpit here Sunday morning and Rev. Cansfield occupied the M. E. pulpit at Tecumseh at the same hour.

Season tickets for the Star Course at Tecumseh, may be had for $1.25. The next number on the course is Robt. J. Burdette, who will be at Sutton's opera house November 17.

Our store will not be opened any time during the day or evening on election day, Tuesday, Nov. 3. ED T. SMITH.

Mrs. Cook with her daughter, Gertrude, of Big Rapids, who were here at the marriage of her son, Fred, to Miss Leora F. Satton, on the 21st inst., left Saturday for a few day's stay in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Cook left for their new home, at Lansing, Monday, and by a letter from them we learn they arrived all right on the evening train, and were received by a large gathering of Lansing friends, who had taken possession of their home, and everything was done to make them feel welcome.

There was a large attendance at the silver meeting held here Wednesday evening. The Britton band and Bryan club of Britton, about a hundred strong, were in attendance, besides a good many from Tecumseh and Macon. C. H. Bramble, nominee for Register of Deeds on the silver ticket, gave the address of the evening, putting forth the issues of the day from the silver point of view in a clear, convincing manner. The best of order prevailed.

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MACON.

Pole Raising—Personals—Leap Year Social.

George Hendershot is repairing his house.

J. W. Howell is spending a few days in Detroit.

Wm. Smith returned to his home in Paw Paw, Ill., Monday.

M. V. Sickly attended the St. John mass meeting at Adrian Saturday night.

Bert Chandler, of Hudson, nominee for State Senator, was in this vicinity the first of the week.

The ladies of the M. E. church sent a barrel of fruit to the Deaconess' Home, in Detroit last week.

The Epworth League will hold a leap year social at the home of Mrs. John Koebbe Friday evening, Nov. 6.

Dr. E. E. Hendershot is president of the McKinley club and keeps things stirring for his side of the question.

The Ladies Aid society of the Reformed church held their regular meeting at Mrs. Bolt Pennington's Wednesday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their monthly tea meeting at the home of Mrs. Clara Gooding, Tecumseh, Saturday, Oct. 31.

Hebron Camburn keeps Jersey cows and sells his butter in Detroit, ten months in the year, for 25c a pound. Better than talking about hard times all the while.

Mark Mills has been looking after his political interests throughout the county the past week. He and Chas. S. Burroughs have done their campaigning of the county on a wheel.

Will Richmond goes to Clinton every day to attend to his business of grain and stock buying. When Macon gets that railroad we hope Mr. Richmond will be able to establish headquarters here.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Eugene Burdette is going to start up dress making again, assisted by Misses LeAnna Morgan, Addie Hendershot and Mamie Pratt. She is now ready to take in work at any time.

The first quarterly meeting of the M. E. church will be held at Clinton Sunday afternoon. The members of this church are invited to attend. There will be no Sabbath school or preaching here in the afternoon.

A pole raising was held at John Hendershot's last Friday afternoon, which was the finest yet held in this vicinity. Clem Bramble, Sumner Collins and Rolfe A. Mills were the speakers. Mr. Bramble gave an able address and surprised his hearers with his eloquence and good reasoning.

Most of the campaign meetings here have been held in the old Free Baptist church, which has stood vacant for several years, and people are asking why the citizens of this place couldn't raise money enough to buy the building, enlarge it and thereby convert it into a town hall. In all probability the Free Will Baptists never will have an organization here again strong enough to support a church. Let the movement be started and it will soon grow into a reality. Lon O'Mealy, of Adrian, will give an address in the church this evening.

LAKE RIDGE.

Mrs. Richard Collums is still very sick.

Mrs. Ed. Allen has been quite sick the past week.

Mrs. John Hendershot has returned from her northern visit.

James Elliott of Tecumeh, was on the Ridge Monday, distributing bills.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hand were visiting friends in Ann Arbor last week.

Mrs. Persis Hatch, of Macon, was visiting friends on the Ridge Thursday.

Miss Cinda Lowry has gone to Tecumseh to live in the family of Wallace Tilden.

Mrs. Fred Aten attended the Sunday school convention Oct. 20th and 21st. Mrs. C. Hendershot being detained by sickness.

The monthly tea meeting of the W. C. T. U., of Macon, will meet with Mrs. Mort Gooding, of Tecumseh, Saturday, Oct. 31st. Dinner will be served at 2 p. m. Let there be a good attendance.

CONE.

E. Allhouse, wife and son, Archie, arrived home from Pentecost last Friday.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit over Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Craig, of Toledo, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray.

Bert Caswell and wife spent Sunday with the former's sister in Ann Arbor.

Ezra Sink, of Britton, is painting Elbert Smith's house.

Frank Packard is preparing to build a new house.

C. H. Bramble and J. W. Helme, of Adrian, spoke on free silver at Cone Saturday evening to a large audience.

A number of people went to Milan last Friday evening to hear A. F. Sawyer, of Ann Arbor, speak on the sound money question.

Milton Cragler, of Tecumseh, visited at James Reeves' the first of the week.

Rev. Kinney and wife, of Rea, called on friends here Tuesday.

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In other columns may be found well written sketches of four candidates on the the county and legislative tickets. These articles are profitable to read. All should know something of the men for whom they intend to vote.

Thomas M. Camburn, of Franklin, republican candidate for the legislature, has sent no reply to the HERALD to the accusation made last week that he refused to assist the farmer in efforts to stop the coloring of oleomargarine. He has had ample and fair opportunity to do so, is afraid of the issue and no farmer should vote for him.

Republicans, know no friends on election day, but vote your ticket straight—Tecumseh News.

This is indeed good doctrine for a lot of republican candidates who have been turning every stone in the county to get democrats to split their ticket. The HERALD advises every voter to use his judgment and vote for the best men in state and county politics.

Before another edition of the HERALD is printed the great troubles of the politicians and country will be settled; either McKinley or Bryan will have been elected. One side of politicians will be happy, the other sad. The country will still remain with us and in any case civil war may not be anticipated. From the beginning of the campaign, the HERALD has endeavored to interest its readers by giving good reading matter on both sides of the question and has furnished a local friendly discussion which has been of much interest and proven of much benefit to many voters to aid them in deciding how to vote this fall. All the letters have been signed by the writers. In fact the HERALD absolutely refuses to print communications on any subject for persons who will not allow their names to appear in print, thus showing good faith in the discussion and giving persons of different ideas an opportunity to answer and know to whom their reply is addressed. The policy of the HERALD is independent, not neutral, and will now, as in the future, advise its readers concerning some of the local candidates without respect to party, thinking that in county and township politics the best man for the position should be chosen without regard to party politics. Bert D. Chandler, of Hudson, the silver nominee for state senator in this district, should by all means be elected. He is a young man of fine natural ability and has received training that will be of much value to him should he be elected, is a partner of Grant Fellows and esteemed, honored and trusted by democrats and republicans alike in his own home. Wm. Jibb, his opponent, is utterly without qualification to perform the duties of such an office. He has no standing in any sphere except in that of a political wire puller, and how he ever secured the nomination as against our worthy townsman John D. Shull or Dr. Howell is a mystery to the voters of the entire district, republicans included. Charles D. Burroughs, of Clinton, the silver nominee for representative should also be elected. His business and political career especially fits him for this position and the position Mr. Camburn has taken in the oleomargarine question is evidence to the farmers that Mr. Burroughs, not Mr. Camburn should represent them at Lansing for the next term. E. Leroy Mills, the republican nominee for county clerk, has made a most competent county employee and there is no reason why he should not be returned to the place for another term. Edwin D. Ferguson, of Adrian, the republican nominee for sheriff, should be the next sheriff of Lenawee county. He has had experience as under sheriff and is one of those men naturally qualified for such a position. His opponent, Mr. Iffland, is a good man, well known and respected in his community, but is not naturally endowed with the qualifications for a good sheriff. On general principle it is the desire of the HERALD that Grandon, of the Adrian Telegram, should be elected treasurer. For goodness sake, give a newspaper man for once a chance to look at money, even if he cannot own it. James W. Helme, Jr. would make for the county an able prosecutor. He is a careful, conservative man, able lawyer and level headed business man, has had experience as assistant prosecutor and will receive a large vote outside his own party. C. H. Bramble is practically a Tecumseh man, born and raised in Franklin with school days spent in Tecumseh. All like him and know of his capability to make a good register of deeds. Of the other nominees on either ticket the HERALD has nothing to say. All are good men and will serve the county well, if elected. Every voter should, in casting his ballot this fall, use the same independence in voting as the HERALD has in expressing its opinion. Pick out whom you think are the best men on each ticket and vote for them without fear or favor.

CHARLES S. BURROUGHS.

Nominee for the Legislature in the First District

To be a successful legislator, a man must possess those magnetic qualities which win and hold the confidence and esteem of his associates, and this was why Charles S. Burroughs received the nomination for the legislature on the first ballot. Mr. Burroughs was born in Ypsilanti, Mich., July 4th, 1857. When he was eight years old, his parents died and he went to live with his guardian, the late John P. Silvers, of Clinton, Mich., who gave the boy an excellent training. After leaving the Clinton high school, Mr. Burroughs entered the University of Michigan, graduating from the school of pharmacy in 1876, at the early age of nineteen. Upon leaving college, he decided to follow the drug business and entered the employ of a druggist in Toledo, Ohio. From there he went to Hays City, Kansas, and went into business for himself, but at the end of two years he sold out and returned to Michigan. In 1884, he returned to Clinton and went into the drug business for himself, where he used his knowledge of chemistry to practical advantage by inventing his famous "Crescent Cough Syrup," "Cuba Chewing Gum" and other useful articles.

As an active politician, an ardent advocate of free silver and an unswerving democrat, Mr. Burroughs is well known to the voters of Lenawee county, having been identified with the democrat party ever since he became a voter.

In 1893, Mr. Burroughs was appointed by the government, disbursing agent of town site board No. 18, of Oklahoma, and it was while filling this position of trust and honor that he evinced his strict integrity as a public official and his marked executive ability. The board was composed of three members, who sat as a court. Their authority was legislative, executive and judicial. Every report sent in by the court was sustained, while to the surprise of the Secretary of the Interior Mr. Burroughs, at the close of his term of office, turned in $550 which he was supposed to have used up in salaries for the board. It is such a man as this that the people of the first district can afford to entrust with their affairs of legislation.

In 1883, Mr. Burroughs was married to Miss Genevieve Lancaster, of Clinton, Mich. She died in 1895 leaving one child, a son now twelve years old.

Socially, Mr. Burroughs is always a leader. He is a Free Mason and a Maccabee and has hosts of friends in both of these organizations who will be glad to vote for him.

CLEMENT H. BRAMBLE.

Nominee for Register of Deeds.

One of the most important offices in the county is that of Register of Deeds. The choice of the people of the fusion ticket this year fell upon Clement H. Bramble, who is both well and favorably known throughout the entire county.

Mr. Bramble was born in Franklin, Mich., Oct. 26, 1861, and is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jehiel H. Bramble, of Tecumseh, Mich. During his boyhood on the farm he attended district school and afterward entered the Tecumseh high school, taking the English and Scientific course. Possessing an inherent taste for study, particularly for Science and Political Economy, he resolved to get a college education, and taught district school several terms to defray his expenses, while attending Kalamazoo College, where he took the Literary and Scientific course, in 1885.

In 1887 Mr. Bramble was married to Miss Nellie Heath, of Grand Haven, Mich., and took up his residence on his father's farm in Franklin.

Upon entering college Mr. Bramble soon became recognized as a logical reasoner and a most forceful debater and it was while a student thus favorably environed that he gave his first attention to the study of finance. His paper entitled "The Banking and Monetary System of the United States," read before the Farmers' Institute, at Adrian, Mich., a few years ago, was one of the most instructive addresses ever presented to a Lenawee County audience, and is yet often commented upon by those who heard it. An equally able paper was that read before the Institute at the Tecumseh opera house, entitled "Government Ownership and Control of Railroads."

Last year Mr. Bramble spent the winter in the West and South and it was while attending a debate held by the Chautauqua Club of Kansas City, Mo., that he heard and met the illustrious statesman, Wm. J. Bryan. After the debate it was his singular good fortune to travel a short distance with Mr. Bryan on the cars and to converse with him upon the great political issues of the day, and, no doubt, it was this happy instance that fired Mr. Bramble's enthusiasm afresh, and has enabled him to throw so much energy and zeal into the present campaign. He has spoken to large audiences in nearly every town in the county and has convinced his hearers that political subjects are interesting when presented in a forceful and logical manner.

Mr. Bramble is an active christian gentleman and is always identified with movements of public interest. He served as school inspector of the township of Franklin for several years and was a member of the County Board of Examiners for one year. He is a Maccabee, and a gentleman at all times and under all circumstances.

J. W. HELME Jr,

Nominee for Prosecuting Attorney.

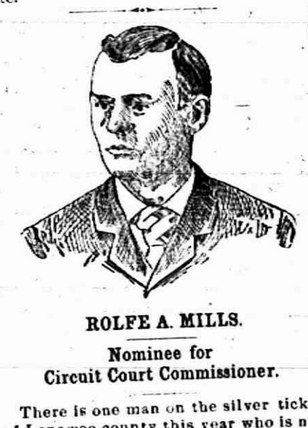
J. W. Helme, Jr. was born in the city of Adrian in 1860, and has resided for the past 30 years in the third ward of that city. He graduated from Adrian high school at the age of fifteen, being the youngest person who ever graduated from that institution. He read law in the office of Willard Stearns for four years, and was admitted to the bar the day before his 21st birthday, being the youngest attorney ever admitted to the bar in this county.

Mr. Helme was night editor on the Daily Press during the campaign of 1878. His first appearance on the stump was in the campaign of 1880, at Palmyra, in behalf of Democracy. His first vote he cast a straight democratic city ticket, in the spring of 1881, against the republican ticket headed by Tom Navin. In 1882 he was nominated for circuit court commissioner on the democratic ticket and was elected by 97 majority, running over 400 ahead of his ticket, and the only man on the ticket elected except L. H. Salsbury for prosecutor. He was the youngest county officer ever elected and the first democrat elected commissioner in 30 years, the last one having been Judge Thomas M. Cooley, 1852.

In 1884 he was appointed city attorney and served five and a half years, being the youngest city attorney ever appointed and serving longer than any other occupant, a clear proof of the kind of service rendered. In 1892 he was appointed assistant Prosecutor by Prosecuting Attorney Fred B. Wood, and served until the expiration of Mr. Wood's term with ability and success, (so Mr. Wood says). He was a member of the committee on resolutions at the democratic state convention at Grand Rapids in 1894, which reported the first Simon pure free silver platform ever adopted by a democratic state convention.

Mr. Helme has, beginning with 1880, stumped Lenawee county for the democratic ticket for eight successive campaigns. For this service he received no pay whatever and paid his expenses out of his own pocket.

Mr. Helme resides on a 23-acre farm just west of the court house. He is a practical farmer in the line of fruit growing and dairying, doing a large share of the work on the farm personally before and after office hours. On this little farm fift en head of thoroughbred Jerseys are kept, besides other stock. He is a member of the state dairymen's association and has contributed many interesting articles on farm topics to the Michigan Farmer and the Lenawee county formers' institute.



ROLFE A. MILLS.

Nominee for Circuit Court Commissioner.

There is one man on the silver ticket of Lenawee county this year who is not only well known in the vicinity where he has always lived but who is regarded as an honor to the ticket, as a man always is when the office seeks him. This is Rolfe Mills, nominee for circuit court commissioner. Mr. Mills was born in Macon, Lenawee county, in 1864, and is the only son of John B. and Angeline Mills. When Rolfe was five years of age, his father died, and perhaps it was this early deprivation of a father's counsel and support that threw the youth upon his own energies and brought home to him, in all its sterner light, the seriousness of life and all its busy cares. As soon as he was old enough to read, Rolfe entered the district school at Macon and attended regularly until he was ten years old. Then he was obliged to drop out summers to help do the work on his mother's farm, and thus he continued, until he was twenty years old, going to school winters and working on the farm summers. In the meantime he taught district school one term.

At the age of twenty, Mr. Mills entered the Tecumseh high school and afterwards entered the state normal school, at Ypsilanti, where he took a four years' course, graduating in the literary department of the class of '91. Having a natural adaptation for books, he again turned to the school room, teaching one year in Michigan and then going to California, where he taught two years. In entering upon this work of teaching in the far west, Mr. Mills displayed the practical methods that accentuates all his business transactions. His school was engaged and he knew exactly what salary he was to receive before he left home.

Expiration of two years he returned to Michigan and entered the Law department of the University of Michigan, graduating with honors in the class of '95. It was here that Mr. Mills found his true field of activity. In the practice court, where the student has an opportunity to display his best powers as an attorney, Mr. Mills won all of his cases, including the one carried to the supreme court, the latter court being represented by three of the ablest professors of the Law department.

In argument, Mr. Mills appeals to the reason rather than the sympathies, while no man can swerve him from his sense of honor and truth, however much to his own disadvantage may prove the results. Temperate, fearless and just, he has the courage of his convictions and, if elected, will not only be a valuable official but an honor to the bar of Lenawee county.

Both Sides.

The following from the Morenci Observer, and answer is self explanatory. As John I. Knapp is candidate for coroner on the republican ticket the reply is significant to say the least.

Said a gentleman who is not a member of the political party to which the official referred to belongs: "John Bird is one of the very best prosecutors that Lenawee county has ever had. I say this unhesitatingly because I believe it. He has saved the people money in a manner and to a degree which all reasonable people must commend; he has been untiring in the discharge of every duty devolving upon him—shirking nothing, but giving to every case honest, fearless attention; in fact, has sought for the public interest from the beginning of his term until the present. Disregareing politics, I say that Mr. Bird deserves to be re-elected if any official of our county was entitled to such consideration." This was the language of a man who will not vote the national republican ticket.—Morenci Observer.

EDITOR HERALD:

I was somewhat amused to see copied in the Adrian Times from the Morenci Observer an item praising Pros. Atty. Bird for his economical administration, during the last two years. The fact that the Observer man lives distant from town may account for his singular statement. Mr. Bird may have been in some respects, but in many cases Mr. Bird's prosecutions have been absurd, expensive and almost malicious. Take the celebrated Dog Case—One, Ezra Fairbanks was arrested for stealing a dog, which witnesses swore was worth just 25 cents. Fairbanks claimed that it was a case of mistaken identity of dogs. Nevertheless he was tried in Justice Court and tried in Circuit Court and given 30 days in jail. As soon as he got out he discovered witnesses who identified the dog positively as his dog and not Reese's the complaining witness. Acting in good faith Fairbanks at once got the dog and was again arrested for larceny. This was in February, 1896. On the trial Feb. 24 a large number of responsible farmers from Fairfield positively identified the dog as Fairbank's animal, and the jury disagreed. Notwithstanding conviction was hopeless Mr. Bird tried the case again on March 2nd, but was knocked out on a legal point. The four trials about this 25 cent dog cost the county several hundred dollars. One witness Mr. Bird brought from Chicago cost the county $21.75 for each trial the witness attended. In this dog case Fairbank's attorney demanded security for costs on behalf of the county but Mr. Bird opposed the motion and the justice over-ruled it. Mr. Bird still apparently had it in for Fairbanks, and had Fairbanks arrested in May following on complaint of that well known character Dan Whitman, for drunkenness. A jury trial resulted in a disagreement and Fairbanks was finally discharged with all costs to be paid by the county. The case of the People vs. Mary E. Bailey for forgery, better known as the King case, was another instance of apparent lack of judgement in prosecution. Although the whole matter was largely a family quarrel this woman was confined in jail nearly a year, awaiting trial. She was tried three times in the Circuit Court and after two disagreements was acquitted at a large expense to the people of the county. Mr. Bird's action in the Clayton trouble with Justice Abbott was in my opinion unwise, and expensive to the county. He attempted to have Justice Abbott removed from office. Charges were preferred and the amount paid by the county to Circuit Court Commissioner Robinson, for taking the testimony about these charges was over $445. Governor Rich dismissed the charges as being without merit. In the entire history of criminal prosecution in this county, the above samples of Mr. Bird's administration can find no parallel for unwise expenditure of money.

JOHN I. KNAPP.

Adrian, Oct. 26, 1896.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant, and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

Now is the Time.

These cold mornings and evenings make one think of a little fire. Why not buy a little

Cannel Coal?

It is sold cheap and gives out a warm, comfortable heat. Call and examine and get prices.

TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER COMPANY.

WE LEAD

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The People Demand and the Times Demand Low Prices for Merchandise of all kinds, and we are the First and Only ones to offer Clothing at Prices to suit the Times. We strive to and Do give Our Patrons the Greatest Value to be found in Tecumseh.

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Causes our Business to Grow from day to day.

You Can Afford to Stand by Those Who Stand by You.

Our New Stock

Includes a Great Variety of the Very Latest Styles and most Fashionable Goods. With such an assortment to choose from you cannot fail to make a satisfactory selection at a price that is sure to be the very lowest made. An Inspection only necessary to convince all. Quick Sales and Small Profits. Facts Easily Proven.

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THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS.

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OUR PRICES PLEASE

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Anderson & Rosacrans.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 30, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED—To the ladies of Tecumseh. Having prepared myself to do first class dressmaking, I would solicit a share of your patronage. Mrs. S. E. Austin, Shawnee St.

WOOD FOR SALE.—All kinds at the lowest market prices. You can get full measure in any quantity from one cord to ten. Inquire of A. Harding. E. M. Lewis.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 8-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

FOR SALE—Good road horse, road wagon, cutter, harness, cart, lumber wagon and milch cow. Inquire of S. S. Walker or at HERALD office.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Buy your carpets of Anderson & Rosacrans.

Mrs. Mary C. Wood was an Addison visitor last week.

Rev. N. M. Sutton has recovered from his late indisposition.

Representatives of the Salvation Army made us a visit this week,

Herford Meade has taken a position with Anderson & Rosacrans.

When Whittier is expected home from Middletown, N. Y. tomorrow.

Remember Mrs. E. Vedder will serve lunches election night, Nov. 3rd.

George Knowles, of Brooklyn, was calling on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Willie Richards, though here on business, found time to greet many old friends.

Will Shepard arrived home Tuesday, bringing his wife and child for a visit with friends at Hudson.

Mrs. Clark and A. M. Kennedy, of Adrian, were giving their friends the glad hand (of hands) this morning.

There was last Sunday morning an exchange by the pastors of the M. E. churches here and at Ridgeway.

Election returns will be received at Memory next Tuesday night. An admission fee of 10c will be charged.

Mrs. A. Fitzsimmons arrived home Wednesday morning just in time for the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. P. R. Adams.

We have just received another lot of solid oak taboretts or jardineire stands and are selling them cheap. Come and see them.

WHEELER & SISSON.

The last great republican rally will be held tomorrow evening and Col. John Atkinson, of Detroit, will be the speaker. Turn out for red and every other kind of fire.

The closing meeting of the campaign will be held at Sutton's opera house, Monday evening by the friends of silver who will be addressed by Hon. Wilbur Stearns, of Adrian.

The city bakery has secured the services of Harry Bice who is a first-class baker of twelve years experience and is now making the finest of confectionery fresh every day.

Mr. R. Bennett caused considerable excitement yesterday by his strange actions seeming to be mentally unbalanced. It is hoped it is only temporary and he is in bed today.

Mr. Williamson, while in attendance at the meeting of the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. F., at Lansing last week, was surprised by being elected an officer of the body, that of guardian. It was a compliment worthily bestowed.

Mr. Farrington, who has been working for Met Conklin, was, in consequence of his combativeness yesterday when fired by Red Eye, placed in the lock up. This forenoon he was taken before Squire Wightman who fined him $5 and costs, total over $5.00.

A. W. Slayton sold two corn husking and shredding machines, one to Mr. Hartz and one to Robert Westfall. The machines are a wonder, taking care of the fodder in the best manner possible and husking the corn to perfection. Both parties have more work than they can attend to.

John J. Orr and a number more of our citizens went to Adrian Wednesday evening to hear Clay Clement in "The Rivals." After the first act a number of the company stepped before the curtain and denounced as false in strong terms a statement in the Daily Times that the audience stood 16 for McKinley, 1 for Bryan. It was a scathing rebuke.

Mrs. J. Walker, Mrs. J. L. Beardsley and Mrs. Ned Clarkson, of Elgin, Dr. Wyndman, of Jackson, Mrs. Abbie Hall, of Adrian, James D. Walker, of Lansing, Mich., Mr. and Mrs John Carlton, Mrs. Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton, of Adrian, and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Coder, of Norvell, were called here last week in attendance upon the funeral of S. J. Walker.

Wear. The cheapest line ever in Tecumseh. Ladies' and Gents' suits from 25c up.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Only 5 days remain for you to register. Interest on the result of the election in Michigan at the Standard Cabinet office on Railroad street. Many have taken advantage of the generous offer (200 having been sold) the book will hold more and every one is welcome to come and see the Cabinet they offer. Some have got it and why not you? Attend to it at once.

Mrs. Dr. C. M. Woodward's illness is quite generally known, but it was not believed that he was seriously sick. Monday, when his death was announced Tuesday morning, it was a shock to the entire community and people could hardly realize it was true.

His death leaves a void difficult to fill and his family have the deepest sympathy in their bereavement. A full sketch of his life, military, professional, as well as report of the obsequies will be given in the HERALD next week.

Buy your cloak of Anderson & Rosacrans.

Ladies' social at the Universalist church this evening.

Do not forget the Universalist supper tonight from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Wm. Barrett, of Ridgeway, was calling on friends Wednesday.

Rev. B. S. Hudson returned home from the Baptist convention Wednesday.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening the pastor will give a sermon to voters.

Berkley Griffin, of Clayton, was the guest of Tecumseh relatives (the Rowlands) over Sunday.

Miss Dora Clark started for Missouri Wednesday, where she will visit friends at Joplin and Webb City.

Mrs. George Teachout visited her daughter, Mrs. Pat Cole, at Wolf Creek, the greater part of the week.

If you need Underwear of any kind don't fail to see my line.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

The Franklin Lyceum will hold its next session at the residence of B. Lamkin Saturday evening, Nov. 7.

Bert Chandler, the silver senatorial candidate, spent Sunday here. He thinks his election looks favorable.

Ernest M. Coller recently sold a fine Kroeger piano to Mrs. Arthur Hall, of Toledo. He delivered it last Friday.

Roy Langton, accompanied by a friend, spent several days with his people. They returned to Toledo Tuesday.

George Heesen and wife and Mrs. Henry Nyland returned home Monday night from a visit with Toledo friends.

Mrs. Rufus Keyser, who lives in Toledo, arrived Saturday for a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends.

C. F. Coller and wife visited their son, B. J. Coller, and family, at Detroit, last week. They reached home Monday night.

We invite you to call and look over our complete stock of furniture and get our prices whether you intend buying or not. WHEELER & SISSON.

Adamson Bros. are painting their store front. When completed it will be very tasty. Other improvements are under contemplation.

The November committee will serve a ten cent supper at the Baptist church Thursday, November 5th, from 5 to 7 o'clock. All are invited.

The post office will close at 7:30 p. m. from November 1st to April 1st except Saturdays when it will close at 8 p. m. Open Sundays from 11 to 12, standard time.

The "Monday Club" have engaged the room over Miss Hough's millinery store for the coming year. They will hold their first meeting there Monday, November 2nd at 2 p.

A few days since, John J. Freeman purchased of Archie Richards, of Jackson, the business block on the north side of Chicago street occupied by Mrs. E. Vedder and George Marsden.

Subject at the Universalist church next Sunday morning, "The Redeemed of the Lord shall return and come with singing unto Zion:" Isaah 51:11. Evening, "The Present Crisis." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m: Topic, "All Souls' Day." You are welcome.

The following Presbyterian Christian Endeavorers drove to Adrian Tuesday to attend the county Christian Endeavor Union; Rev. C. M. Brown, F. A. Shepard, W. R. Caldwell, T. A. Lowry, Frank Nyland, Sant Cutting, Anna Cutting, Maggie Haire, Agnes Stevens, Grace Hillman, Edith Ingersoll, Emily Hall.

The quarterly tea meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. L. B. Ayers Wednesday November 4th. Meeting called at 3 p. m. Tea will be served at 6 by Mrs. Griswold's committee. A report of the district meeting will be given by Mrs. Varner. A full attendence is desired.

Miss E. Cora DePuy has been elected a member of "The American Authors' Guild," an organization for literary workers with headquarters in New York. Miss DePuy is the first woman author of Michigan to be admitted, and, as the Guild is composed of the foremost writers of America, the honor is worth working for.

On Saturday, Oct. 31, the ladies of Tecumseh will have one more opportunity to see the full line of capes, coats and jackets of one of the largest manufactories in this country. We invite you one and all to come and examine these garments and will sell you your selection cheaper than any other house in southern Michigan. All are cordially invited to call. HARRIS & HITESHU.

Tuesday evening, Mrs. Will Spaulding, who is an active and prominent member of the Womens' Relief Corps and is soon to join her husband in Toledo, was given a surprise by the members of that worthy body. They met at the Central House and when all had arrived they went in a body to to the house. To say the lady was surprised, is a feeble expression; she was speechless. Recovering, she welcomed them and the evening was a delight to the entire company.

Walter Osborn, whose death occurred Monday morning, has suffered for a year or more with serious affection of the heart. Although not accompanied with any great pain, his breathing has been labored and he unable to do any work. During this period, he has had several severe attacks when death seemed almost certain, from which he rallied, and, like many cases of this kind, when the end came it was sudden and unexpected. He was 50 years of age and leaves three children, two sons and one daughter. The funeral was held at the house west of town Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner. The remains were placed in the cemetery here. At the grave the services were conducted by the Masonic body of which he was a member. An obituary will appear next week.

Buy your underwear of Anderson & Rosacrans.

Miss Carrie Osborn is visiting friends in Manchester.

Found—A lap robe, which is now at the Herald office.

Mrs. James McCann was the guest of Jackson friends this week.

Miss Anna Doke is spending a few days with friends at Jackson.

Twenty-four nice chairs have been provided for use at the library.

Walter Burnett is back from Albion and will spend a few days among us.

Abner Wilson made a business trip to Kansas City and St. Louis this week.

Gents' Neckwear. 75c and $1.00 ties for 50c. All the newest styles.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Winnie Wilson spent Sunday at Manchester with her aunt, Mrs. Rundell.

Louise Emery, of Adrian, was the guest of Mattie McClure over Sunday.

Harry Chilson, having finished his season on the Lakes, is home for the winter.

We have the largest assortment of of window shades in the county. Prices the lowest. WHEELER & SISSON.

H. V. C. Hart, Chas. Whitney and several others from Adrian were in town Sunday.

The Misses Emma and Edith Cotton, of Macon, attended the C. E. convention at Adrian this week.

Lewis Grey, of Clinton, has purchased of E. M. Coller one of the popular Kroeger pianos for his daughter.

Ed Smallidge blew in yesterday afternoon. He has been flitting over quite an area, Chicago being his last stopping place.

We carry a [illegible] Oneita Union Suits for La[illegible] only perfect fitting Union S[illegible]

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Michael DeWand, of Twin Lakes, was in town yesterday. He brought some of the finest Murphies seen in this market.

The Baptist church is being wired for electric lights this week and it is expected that everything will be completed ready for use Sunday.

H. J. Williams and wife, of Adrian, on their way to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. David Rogers, called on Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Temple yesterday.

The silverites at Clinton for their last rally tomorrow evening, have been fortunate in securing as the speaker, the Hon. L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian.

Will Gray has removed his tools and machinery to the corner of Logan and VanBuren street and is prepared to do anything and everything in the line of bicycle repair work, including the manufacture of cones, cups and axles.

Wednesday afternoon the silverites, in the presence of a large number of republican onlookers, erected, on the Frasier corner, a fine hickory pole 123 feet above ground, bearing a Bryan & Sewall streamer. After which, C. H. Bramble made a very nice fifteen minute speech.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Ide during the month of November. It is earnestly hoped the young mothers will try and be present the first Friday in the month as the superintendent of Mothers' meetings has arranged a good program which will be a help to all who attend. Exercises will begin promptly at 3 o'clock.

Very short notice was given for the silver meeting at Sutton's opera house last Friday evening, yet a large crowd greeted the speaker, Hon. Charles Hartman, of Montana, who proved to be the finest platform orator ever heard in Tecumseh. He held the closest attention of his vast audience and won the admiration of all by his able and courteous address. His coming was a ten strike for the advocates of silver and did their cause much good. He is a whirlwind.

At the annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance company held at Adrian, the secretary's report showed the company to be in a prosperous condition. Owing to ill health A. D. Hall could no longer perform the arduous duties of president, so a new one in the person of R. D. Hill, of Palmyra, succeeds him, with the following as directors: M. E. Farmer, Hudson; Ezra Bertram, Rome; L. C. Baker, Adrian; Chas. Kaynor, Raisin; and G. H. Witt, Ridgeway.

Another new lot of Coats and Capes just received. Prices very low.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

It was a good house that greeted A. A. Nelson, of Montana, the so-called sound money democratic speaker at the opera house Wednesday evening. With him on the stage were C. F. Field and Will J. Ingersoll who had a lonesome look throughout the evening. To the surprise of his friends, the former gentleman introduced the speaker who proceeded to make his speech which consisted mainly in ridiculing Coin's Financial School, complimenting Charles Hartman and eulogizing Cleveland and his administration. Mr. Nelson, undoubtedly, is a fine gentleman, a good lawyer, but is not an easy or eloquent speaker. Many of the old time republicans, who four yeasr ago predicted such disasters if Cleveland was elected, cheered vociferously whenever the speaker alluded to him or his acts, which to some was very amusing.

—The success attending the efforts of the Standard Cabinet Company to introduce their kitchen cabinet is almost phenomenal, considering the scarcity of money, and demonstrates the fact that it possesses superior merit or people would do without it. The agents who work from this point are meeting with flattering success in towns adjacent and surrounding country. The good housewives see at once that it is not only practical but complete and a necessity they must possess and are willing to make sacrifices in other ways in order to secure one.

Cordelia Waller Adams.

The ranks of the old pioneers in this vicinity are rapidly depleting in number and it will not be long ere all are gone who saw the forests cleared away and the wilderness made to blossom as the rose. This week we are called upon to record the death of perhaps the oldest resident of Tecumseh, that of Mrs. Peter R. Adams, which occurred Tuesday morning, October 27th at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John D. Shull, with whom she resided. Mrs. Adams was well known throughout southern Michigan and her disease will bring sorrow to many hearts.

Cordelia M. Waller was born at Palmyra, Portage County, Ohio, October 16th, 1815. In December 1829 she was united in marriage to Peter R. Adams at the same place and with him came to Tecumseh July 26th, 1830, since which time, with the exception of two years spent in Kansas in the early 70's, this has been her home. She possessed a cheery disposition and sterling qualities that eminently fitted her for life's duties which were faithfully discharged. She suffered an attack of peralysis June 25th of the same year since which time she has been rather feeble. The end came so suddenly and so quietly that those in attendance hardly knew when the spirit took its flight. She leaves two children, P. W. Adams, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. John D. Shull, of Tecumseh; six grandchildren and a large circle of friends to mourn her loss. The funeral was held at the house this morning at ten o'clock and was conducted by Rev. B. S. Hudson, pastor of the Baptist church, of which she had long been a faithful member.

John McElroy.

The community was startled by the announcement, Oct. 20, that John McElroy was dead. Mr. McElroy had been a sufferer for several years. During last winter he had a very hard siege of illness, which undoubtedly laid the foundation of his sudden death from heart disease.

He was born in Antrim county, Ireland, in 1824. Was married to Miss Agnes Herbison in 1859. Came to this country in 1880 and settled in Clinton township, where he has since resided. When about 21 years of age he united with the Presbyterian church of his native land. He has always been a faithful and devout christian, putting in practice his belief as well as holding it mentally. He leaves a wife, three sons and three daughters, one son having preceded him in death.

The funeral occurred from the family residence, Thursday, Oct. 23, Rev. Chas. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, officiating. Many friends gathered to pay their last respects, and a large number of carriages accompanied the friends to Tecumseh, where the body was laid to rest to await the great trumpet call of the Master.

—We have a complete line of horse blankets, inspect them before purchasing. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

—You see we have only a few vests more and we are bound to clean out our entire Tecumseh stock. We mean it. They have got to go. MILLS BLOCK.

—Strictly fresh taffy every day at the City Bakery.

—For pocket and table cutlery and carving knives and forks call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

Best bulk oysters in Tecumseh at the City Bakery.

—The most beautiful line of brass beds, new orders, fancy stands, and tables, in fact anything and everything in the furniture line can be found in great variety at Wheeler & Sisson.

—Oysters served in any style at our lunch counter. CITY BAKERY.

—If I were you I wouldn't buy a dollars worth of goods until I saw the goods and prices they are making now at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—F. A. McNeil and Fred S. Packard have formed a partnership for the purpose of doing a general painting and paper hanging business they also make a specialty of wall paper cleaning and refinishing furniture. Old paper made to look as good as new. Charges reasonable.

—Cooking materials in granite iron ware are very cheap at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Blankets, underwear, work shirts, fine shirts, pants, overalls, etc., any price to close out.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—See the name on the leg of the genuine "Round Oak" at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—You can find the ladies best 10c hosiery at the Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—My china and fancy goods are carefully selected from the largest factories the world and my prices are the lowest. G. H. TANSLEY.

—Those new kind of lamp chimneys at Tansley's excel anything on the market.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap.

A. W. SLAYTON.

—See the new lamps from 25c up, at Tansley's.

—Have you seen that 10c broom at the Mills Block? They are worth 20c, you can get them at 10c.

—Doll cabs from 25c to $1.25 at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Wash tubs 35c, clothes baskets 35c, clothes pins at 10c per hundred.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Stamped doilies, splashers, pillow shams, etc., two for 5c and 5c each at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

PANCAKES

ARE NOW SEASONABLE.

We Have

Pure Buckwheat Flour,

AND

Home Made Maple Syrup

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

"Mary had a little lamb,
And her heart was in a flutter;
For when she came from school one day,
Her ma had lamb for supper."

And possibly its fleece was used in the Wool Boots and Knit Socks we've been selling? We don't know about that, but we do know that our line of Wool Boots and Knit Socks is complete for the season of '96 and '97.

It is our business to have them right as to quality and price if we expect to sell you, and its your business to examine them as well as others, in order to secure the most for your money.

They'll Stand Examination.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

We Are Sole Agents

In Tecumseh, for

CHASE & SANBORN'S

TEAS AND COFFEES.

Most reliable goods in the market, and,

Prices Are Right.

AVERY & CO.

PANCAKES

AND

MAPLE SYRUP

are all right if you get good buckwheat and good maple sprup.

We Keep The Best Of Both Articles.

Mobbs & Co.

N. B. Highest cash prices for all kinds of farm produce.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

DIRECTIONS

Apply a particle of the Balm directly into the nostrils. After a moment draw strong breath through the nose. Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring.

Ely's Cream Balm.

Opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages

COLD IN HEAD

Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores Protects the Membrane from Colds. Restores the senses of Taste and Smell. The Balm is quickly absorbed and gives relief at once 50 cents at Druggists or by mail.

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PENSION SUIT ENDED.

The Long Case Dismissed by the United States Supreme Court.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The Long-Lochren pension case was dismissed by the United States supreme court Monday on the ground of abatement by reason of the retirement of Judge Lochren from the office of commissioner of pensions. The case was brought by Judge Long, of the Michigan supreme court, to test veterans' rights. Judge Long drew a pension of $72 a month and the reduction of the rating to $50 a month was stubbornly contested in the courts of the District of Columbia and finally carried to the supreme court.

Lansing, Oct. 28. — Chief Justice Long, of the supreme court, whose famous case against ex-Pension Commissioner Lochren was dismissed by the federal supreme court Monday, will at once commence a similar action against the present commissioner, and will endeavor to bring it to a final hearing before the commissioner has time to either die or resign.

SEEKS DAMAGES.

City of Port Huron Sued for a Bicyclist's Death.

Port Huron, Oct. 25.—J. W. Benedict, administrator of the George P. Burgess estate, has commenced a suit against the city of Port Huron for $30,000 damages. Burgess was drowned in Black river on the evening of November 27, 1895. He rode off into the river on his wheel and was drowned. J. W. Benedict, in his bill, claims that Burgess met his death because of the lack of proper safeguards being provided at that point by the city. The council investigated the case some time ago and decided that Burgess met his death through his own carelessness, and that the city was not liable for damages, owing to the fact that a chain was stretched across the roadway at the time, but that Burgess knocked it down.

Burned to Death.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 27.—George Lovett, 45 years of age, in the employ of Dr. C. R. Yearick, as general barnman, was smothered to death and burned fearfully at an early hour Monday morning. He was found lying on the bed in the barn, his face charred and the skin burned off most of the body. Lovett must have lighted his lamp early in the morning before getting out of bed, and placed it near the bed clothing and fallen asleep. He leaves a widow and three children in Toronto.

To Protect Creditors.

Bay City, Oct. 27.—See Brothers and the See Brothers' Manufacturing company, dealers in and manufacturers of furniture, gave chattel mortgages Monday, for $69,905 and $6,209 to secure pressing creditors, the first embracing those at home and the second those on the outside. The Chicago houses protected are: Lussky, Payne & Co., $1,699.96; Johnson Chair company, $175; Glover & Whitticomb, $429. The firm had indorsed paper for W. E. See & Co., who filed trust mortgages Saturday.

Big Damage Suit.

Bay City, Oct. 24.—A summons was served on Henry Huffman, an attorney of St. Ignace, in the smoking car of the Mackinaw train, in West Bay City by Deputy Sheriff Johnson in a suit for $20,000 damages started by John Godkin, lumberman of this city. The suit is based upon a remark alleged to have been made in a trial at Manistique a few months ago, in which Hoffman was the attorney against Godkin.

SILVER DEPARTMENT.

HANNA'S KITE IN THE STORM.

—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

HENRY GEORGE SAYS BRYAN WINS.

The Result of a Careful Tour of Observation Through the Central West.

THE DRIFT FOR BRYAN.

An Opinion That Is the More Valuable Because of Its Extreme Caution and Conservatism.

Henry George Undertook a Trip Through the Doubtful States Convinced That McKinley Would Win—His Observation Leads Him to Change That Opinion and He Is Now Confident of Bryan's Success.

Early in September Mr. Henry George was requested by the New York Journal to make a tour of the so-called doubtful states in the middle west and to give the public in an entirely unbiased manner the result of his observations of the political conditions existing there.

Before his reply was received the news come from Maine of the increased republican majority at the state election there. Then followed Mr. George's answer, as follows:

"Chicago, Sept. 15, 1896.

"Editor New York Journal:

"In my opinion, confirmed by Maine, the result is foregone. I believe, therefore, that a convinced free silver man would be better to make proposed trip for Journal than I, as candor is something uselessly painful to friends. Will go ahead if you wish and do my best to give exact truth as I see it, but my judgment and feelings are against this.

"Would prefer to save my time and your money by not beginning. Could stop until to-morrow's committee meeting for your private information if you wish, though do not think I could learn anything not public; otherwise would start back. Advise me, Victoria hotel.

"HENRY GEORGE."

In reply to this message the editor of the Journal telegraphed to Mr. George, requesting him to remain for a short time in the doubtful territory and describe the situation as he saw it.

On October 5 Mr. George, having spent three weeks in the doubtful states, more especially in Illinois, Ohio, and West Virginia, was requested to telegraph, for the information of the editor of the Journal, his opinion of the probabilities. In reply, he sent the following:

"Cleveland, O., Oct. 5.

"Editor New York Journal:

"My belief is that Bryan will be elected. "This is my carefully-formed private, as well as public, opinion. I congratulate the Journal on the good prospects.

"HENRY GEORGE."

Mr. George, it is seen, began his journey with the settled conviction that McKinley's election was assured. For this reason he suggested that some one else undertake the trip for the Journal. But as only the exact truth was desired, and as Mr. George is everywhere known for thoroughness of investigation, accuracy of conclusion, and fairness of statement in all matters political, it was especially desired that he would make this trip and do this work. His reports are therefore valuable for their entire candor and reliability.

Mr. George has himself been surprised at the results of his investigations in the doubtful states. He began his trip fully convinced that McKinley would win. The results have convinced him that Bryan will win.

After having sent the Journal the above dispatch from Cleveland, O., on October 5, Mr. George continued his journey through the states of Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota and returned to New York. On the 18th of October he submitted his final report to the journal as follows. It is all the stronger and more valuable for its extreme caution and conservatism:

"October, 18, 1896.

"Editor New York Journal:

"I came back to New York over more than a third of the continent to register my vote and hear Gov. Altgeld make in Cooper Union the speech in which he set forth what, in my mind, is the most important of the issues of the campaign.

"The question which greets me from the lips of every friend I have yet met, and the question repeated in all I have as opportunity to glance at in the pile of letters I found awaiting me, is:

"'WHAT DO YOU REALLY THINK WILL BE THE OUTCOME OF THE ELECTION?'

"Let me answer questioners and correspondents, one and all, through the medium of the Journal. My personal opinion differs from that which has already been expressed in the letters that have recently been telegraphed by me to the Journal from the places where they have been written only in this.

"I AM SOMEWHAT MORE CONFIDENT THAT MY LETTERS TO THE JOURNAL HAVE SHOWN THAT BRYAN WILL CARRY THE STATES THAT HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED DOUBTFUL IN THE CENTRAL WEST, AND WILL BE ELECTED TO THE PRESIDENCY.

"I have no ability to see into the future, and am liable to all the mistakes of judgment that beset man or woman, but this is my opinion as to what will be, formed after five weeks' of as dilligent, cautious and dispassionate effort as I am capable of to discover the trend and strength of the tides of political opinion now running in that part of the country.

"This was not my first opinion—on the contrary, it at first seemed to me that McKinley, not Bryan, would carry the central west; but it is the matured conviction with which I came back to New York. And that the tide is daily setting more strongly toward Bryan, I am convinced.

"HENRY GEORGE."

This is not the work of a campaign manager, anxious to give coloring of victory to his own side. It is the result of a tour of observation of a candid, truthful, and reliable man, who began the work with the conviction that McKinley's election was sure. That it is a correct forecast the 3d of November will prove.

AN INSULT TO LABOR.

A Sneer at the Intelligence of Those Who Favor Bryan and the Free Coinage of Silver.

Dugald Crawford, proprietor of a big St. Louis department store, is being prosecuted for dismissing 12 of his employes who had the temerity to confess, when he asked them the direct question, that they were in favor of free silver and intended to vote for Bryan. The Chicago Evening Post, the organ of the goldbug aristocracy of that city, editorially suggests the following escape for Crawford from his dilemma:

"Mr. Crawford can beat the charge if he will go into court and claim that he discharged his employes because their announcement of an intention to vote for Bryan proved them unfit to discharge their duties intelligently."

This is a gross insult to every man who favors Bryan and free silver, and it is not the only one of the kind which the Post has recently given. Sneers at the intelligence of bimetallists are evidence of the ignorance, as well as the bad manners of the dudes who fawn upon the gold power. The scientific opinion of the world is almost unanimously in favor of bimetallism. A sneer at the intelligence of his employes will not clear Bulldozer Crawford.

"We can afford to be poor," said Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, who is chaperoning a crowd of "generals" around the country, speaking in McKinley's interests, "we can afford to be poor," said he, addressing a crowd of workingmen at Kansas City, "but we cannot afford to be dishonest. We must pay everything we owe with 100-cent dollars." This the very identical Millionaire Alger whom Senator Sherman deliberately charges, in his book, upon conclusive proof, with buying the votes of negro delegates instructed for himself in the national republican convention of 1888. Can such a man teach workingmen honest finance?

"You may read its history and you will find that the gold standard never brought a ray of hope to those who sit in darkness; the gold standard never gave inspiration to those who are downcast."—W. J. Bryan.

The committee from the Labor Legion of Chicago, appointed to investigate charges against Gov. Altgeld's convict labor record, recently made by eight alleged workingmen, have made a thorough investigation, going to the Joliet penitentiary for that purpose, and declare that the charges are wholly unfounded.

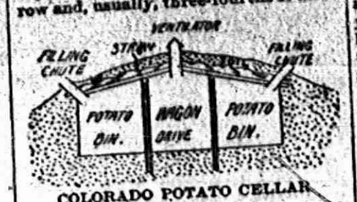
"Oh, the exigencies of this campaign, when John Ireland, archbishop of St. Paul, and Robert G. Ingersoll, the pope of infidelity, clasp hands on the same platform and unite in denouncing millions of their fellow citizens as fools and anarchists."—Father Nugent.

FARM & GARDEN.

CELLAR FOR POTATOES.

One Seen in Colorado Answers All Ordinary Requirements.

I have just returned from a trip through the irrigation districts of the west, and while in Colorado, at Greeley, where potato growing is so large an industry, and where they do know how to raise potatoes, my attention was called to their potato cellars of which there are large numbers. The cheaper forms of simplest construction are, usually, holes in the ground, preferably, although not always, on a slope facing south or east. They are long, narrow and, usually, three-fourths or more



COLORADO POTATO CELLAR

below the general level of the ground, but often they are built so much above ground that a wagon may be backed into them when it is desired to remove the potatoes.

The cut gives a general idea of their construction and interior arrangement, as seen in a simple cross-section. Usually these cellars are without walls of masonry, and are provided with a roof made of poles covered with a layer of hay or straw upon which are six to twelve inches of earth. A row of chutes arranged along each side serves to fill the bins easily from the wagon; these are made of inch lumber, and are about one foot square in cross-section, projecting six to eight inches above the roof. In the crest of the roof there are, usually, two or more ventilators constructed in the manner of the chutes. The entrance to the cellar, especially when constructed so as to be entered with a wagon, is provided with double doors separated by a hallway having a length of six or eight feet, and has for its object the shutting out of the frost from in front. When necessary, potatoes are stored in the driveway as well as in the bins, the rear of the drive being filled first.—F. H. King, in Rural New Yorker.

SALT AS A MANURE.

Report of C. V. Vanderford, of Tennessee Experiment Station.

Results of a great many experiments both such as have been conducted under control methodically, and those made by practical farmers, do not show that salt is essential to life or development of agricultural plants. Salt may have some indirect effect because of induced chemical changes in the upper stratum of the arable soil, and in some cases by physical changes when applied to stiff clays.

For many crops, as potatoes, tobacco, beets, melons, etc., salt is injurious; in some cases a light application of salt may be beneficial, as for onions, cabbage, celery and possibly tomatoes. Upon stiff clay lands, salt at the rate of 200 to 600 pounds broadcast some weeks before the sowing of small grain, or the planting of corn, has apparently improved the mechanical condition of the soil and has probably added to the yield of grain. Upon land upon which wheat had usually made an overgrowth of straw, with a tendency to straw-fall before ripening grain, the writer has obtained a somewhat shorter but much stiffer growth of straw standing up well till the fully matured crop was harvested, by applying 300 pounds per acre of pork house refuse salt broadcast upon the land in January.

Little or much, it is not advisable to apply salt to annuals at the time of seeding and it should be used cautiously, if at all, during growth and cultivation. A moderate dressing, 200 pounds per acre on meadow or pasture, very early in spring, or better during the last winter month, has upon several occasions given apparently good results; but these were not sufficiently marked to induce further experiments.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Extend the scope of the agricultural societies.

Weeds tend to prevent one man from owning too much land.

Denser farming communities will give more educational facilities.

Generally the larger the animal the greater the cost of keeping.

Remember that the pasture is a principal part of the farm, and treat it accordingly.

All fallen fruit should be destroyed in some manner. Many insect pests will be killed by so doing.

Nature abhors an uncovered patch of ground. Therefore she has the weeds to carpet it if the farmer does not care.

Good pastures can be made from stumpage, if the stumps are cut off close to the soil and the ground seeded down.

In fighting weeds, remember that "weeds take possession of waste places." Therefore cover the waste places with something.

Apples Are Good for Cows.

Don't be afraid to give your cow green or ripe apples. But feed them regularly as you feed grain, meal or hay. A careful trial last season, during which time the amount was increased to more than a bushel a day, showed good results all through. The flow of milk was good and rich and the cow had to be milked up to the time of calving. There were no symptoms of milk fever, and the old idea that apples will make a cow "go dry" did not apply in this case. The apples were fed whole, in a trough, about 18 inches from the ground, and of course she never choked.—Farm Journal

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Mary Marks, colored who resides in Hepnham, Tex., was born in the West Indies in 1776, and is therefore 120 years old.

Working Woman's Home Association.

31 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11, 1896.

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Wednesday was Illinois day at Canton and large delegations were present from many towns and cities in that state.

Mrs. Geo. S. Beck, eastern manager of Farm News and Womankind, 193 World Building, New York, writes: "I had a bunion on my left foot that, as a pain producer, was on a par at least with the boils, sores, rheumatics and colics that obtained poor old Job's life so miserable. I do not have the bunion now, for Lightning Hot Drops reduced the swelling, killed the pain, rotted the callous, enlivened the skin, and—there is no doubt about it—annihilated the bunion."

Massey & Son, of Lipscomb, Maury Co., Tenn., writes as follows: "Lightning Hot Drops is the greatest medicine for the mumps I ever saw; gives instant relief."

Mr. Edward W. Smith, Proprietor of the Lake View Marble Works, Youngstown, O., says: "I used Lightning Hot Drops for a badly sprained ankle, and its action as a liniment was both soothing and effectual. It is indeed a good remedy."

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Rev. John D. Morrison, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., has been elected to the recently created Episcopal bishopric of Duluth.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected!

How few people realize when their back begins to ache that it is a warning provided by nature to tell you that the kidneys are not working properly. You have a severe fall, you strain yourself lifting or perhaps you are compelled to maintain a sitting or stooping position for long intervals at a time; your back begins to ache, then your head, you become listless, tired and weary, but do you understand the real cause? We think not, else you would not use plasters and liniment on the back, which only relieve but do not reach the cause. If you would rid yourself of the pain and cure the root of the trouble, at the same time save many years of suffering and perhaps life itself, you will take a kidney remedy that has been tried and proven that it will cure.

Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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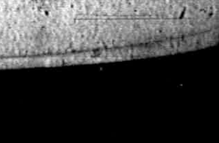

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M'KINLEY CHOSEN.

He Will Be the Next President of the United States.

The Republicans Carry the Country by Large Pluralities—The Electoral Vote Will Probably Be: McKinley, 318; Bryan, 93.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Reports received up to two o'clock this morning by Vice Chairman Henry C. Payne, of the republican national committee, from national committeemen and chairmen of state committees show that McKinley carried 24 states, with an aggregate electoral vote of 271. Mr. Payne conceded 14 states, with an aggregate electoral vote of 106, to Bryan. He claimed one state with nine votes and placed six states, with 61 votes, in the doubtful column. Mr. Hanna has announced that the results in every state have exceeded all estimates made by the national committee.

Hanna Claims 1,000,000 Plurality.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 4. — Chairman Hanna claims the country by 1,000,000 plurality.

New York, Nov. 4, 12:45 a. m.—The national republican committee has been advised that Chairman Mark Hanna claims 331 electoral votes for McKinley and Hobart.

Another Estimate.

New York, Nov. 4.—From returns received by the United Associated Presses up to one a. m. the indications are that McKinley will have 318 electoral votes, as follows:

New England states, 29: New York, 36; New Jersey, 10; Pennsylvania, 32; Ohio, 23; Wisconsin, 12; Iowa, 13; South Dakota, 4; Maryland, 8; Illinois, 24; Kentucky, 13; West Virginia, 6; Tennessee, 12; Virginia, 12; Nebraska, 8; North Carolina, 11; Indiana, 15; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 9; Missouri, 17 Total, 318.

The total electoral vote for Bryan is 93, as follows: South Carolina 9; Georgia, 13; Alabama, 11; Florida, 4; Mississippi, 9; Louisiana, 8; Arkansas, 8; Montana, 3; Idaho, 3; Colorado, 4; Utah, 3; Nevada, 3; Texas, 15. Total, 93. The returns from the other states are meager and they are classed as doubtful as follows: Kansas, 10; North Dakota, 3; Wyoming, 3; California, 9; Oregon, 4; Washington, 4; Delaware, 3. Total, 93.

McKinley Feels Sure.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—At midnight Maj. McKinley admitted publicly that he felt assured of his election. He made no announcement of the fact that he believed he had been chosen by the American people to the highest office within their gift, but he allowed his friends to congratulate him when they pressed about him. At one o'clock it

WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

was estimated that there were 25,000 people gathered in the vicinity of the McKinley home.

Mr. Payne's Claim.

Chicago, Nov. 4. — Committeeman Payne claims for the republican ticket all the New England states, Maryland, Delaware, West Virginia, Ohio, Tennessee, North Carolina, Virginia, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Wyoming, Oregon and California.

The Next Congress.

New York, Nov. 4.—Returns up to midnight show that republicans have elected 200 congressmen; democrats, 89; populists, 11, and "sound money" democrats, 1—Josiah Patterson, of Tennessee. This leaves 87 districts to be heard from.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Chairman Babcock, of the republican congressional committee, claims 100 majority against silver in the next house.

Advices from the various states are as follows:

Illinois.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The state gives McKinley a plurality of 100,000 and John R. Tanner (rep.), for governor, about the same.

Ohio.

Columbus, O., Nov. 4.—Chairman Kurtz at 11 p. m. claimed the state on returns so far received for McKinley by 102,000. The entire state ticket, headed by Charles R. Kinney, for secretary of state, is elected by pluralities no less. Of the 21 congressional districts the republicans have carried 17 and the democrats 2, leaving 2 districts still in doubt.

Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 4.—The Journal estimates that the state has gone from 60,000 to 80,000 republican. The entire republican state ticket, headed by Mayor Pingree for governor, is elected. The legislature will be two-thirds republican. Democrats concede the election of 10 out of 12 republican congressmen.

Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 4.—Chairman Roberts, of the republican state committee, claims Kentucky for McKinley by 25,000, and that the republicans have seven, and possibly ten congressmen.

Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 4.—Unless the returns from the country districts shall show enormous democratic gains, McKinley has carried Indiana by at least 30,000 plurality. The entire republican state ticket is elected by pluralities that are almost as large as that for McKinley. It is estimated that James A. Mount, the republican candidate for governor, will have at least 28,000 plurality. The republicans claim 12 out of the 13 congressmen and the legislature by a decisive majority in both branches, meaning a republican successor to Senator Voorhees.

Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 4.—The Leader (dem.) concedes the state to McKinley by over 50,000. The democratic state committee also concedes Iowa to McKinley. Chairman McMillan, of the republican state central committee, says that from returns received up to midnight Iowa will give McKinley 85,000 over Bryan. The committee also claims the election of each of the 11 republican congressmen.

Minnesota.

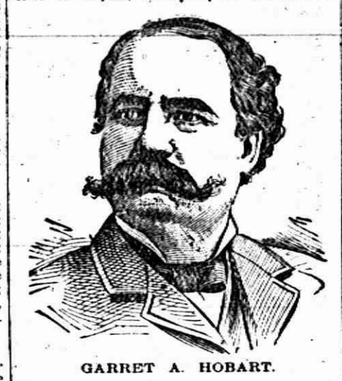
St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 4.—The state has apparently given the Buckeye statesman about 50,000 plurality. Every county so far reporting gives a big McKinley majority. Clough (rep.) is reelected governor. It is a clean republican sweep on congressmen except the Seventh district.

New York.

New York, Nov. 4.—The returns from over three-fourths of the election districts in New York city indicate that McKinley will carry the city by 25,000 plurality. His plurality in the state is figured at 200,000. Black, republican candidate for governor, will have 60,000 plurality, and the delegation in congress will consist of 27 republicans, 6 democrats and 1 independent. In Brooklyn McKinley has 20,000 plurality.

Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Out of the apparent republican avalanche in neighboring states, Nebraska has seemingly remained true to Bryan, who has, on the face of



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the scattering returns, carried the state by from 6,000 to 12,000. Chairman Post, of the republican committee, declines to concede defeat, but the figures disprove his claims.

Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley will carry Wisconsin by at least 50,000 majority. Edward C. Wall, of the democratic committee, concedes the state by 100,000, to McKinley. The republicans have elected ten congressmen. Maj. Edward Scofield, the republican candidate for governor, and the entire republican state ticket are elected, and the republicans will have 75 of the 100 members of the assembly, and the state will also be overwhelmingly republican.

Utah.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4. — Exceedingly meager returns are at hand, but such as have been received and reliable estimates show that Bryan and Sewall have carried Utah by 40,000 to 45,000 majority, and King (dem.) is elected to congress by probably 10,000 majority.

Idaho.

Boise City, Idaho, Nov. 4.—Returns come in very slowly and there will be no figures obtainable until morning. The state is conceded to Bryan by 15,000 to 20,000 majority.

Delaware.

New York, Nov. 4.—The Times' bulletin says the democrats concede Delaware to the republicans by 1,000.

Montana.

Butte, oMnt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are meager, but indicate a smaller majority for Bryan than was expected. He will carry the state by 25,000.

Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 4.—One hundred and ninety-eight precincts out of 733 give McKinley, 19,658; Bryan, 16,144.

West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 4.—On basis of the returns the state is estimated at 12,000 to 15,000 for McKinley.

California.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—California gives 4,500 majority for McKinley.

The Carolinas.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 4.—Bulletins received here from all parts of South Carolina show that the democratic presidential, congressional, state and county tickets have been successful by overwhelming majorities.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—Populists and democrats voted nearly solid for Bryan and claim the state. The result for governor is in doubt. The other republican-populist fusion state officers are elected.

Colorado.

Denver, Col., Nov. 4.—A very heavy vote was cast in Colorado, and Bryan electors win by a large majority.

Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 4.—As far as learned up to a late hour the election in the state passed off quietly. Chairman Cooper, of the republican state central committee, concedes Bryan's majority at 45,000.

Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 4.—Returns of 297 Wyoming precincts give McKinley 796; Bryan, 732; democratic gain of 201. Same gains throughout the state will give Bryan a plurality of 1,400.

Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 4.—There being eight long tickets on the Australian ballot, the count in Kansas is slow. Returns from scattering precincts in 20 counties show republican gains. Chairman Simpson, of the republican state committee, says that McKinley has carried the state by 10,000; that the state ticket is elected, and that the republicans have elected at least five out of the eight congressmen and a majority of both branches of the legislature, insuring the election of a United States senator to succeed Mr. Peffer.

North Dakota.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 4.—Returns have been received from 204 precincts in 28 counties, indicating that Maj. McKinley has carried North Dakota by at least 1,000, and probably by 4,500. Johnson (rep.) is reelected to congress by 1,000, and all the republican state ticket is elected.

Maryland.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 4.—McKinley has carried Maryland by at least 15,000 majority. The indications also are that the state will send a solid republican delegation to the next house of representatives.

Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Bryan's majority in Georgia is estimated at 40,000.

Massachusetts.

Boston, Nov. 4.—McKinley has carried Boston by 12,000 and Massachusetts by over 100,000. The democratic vote has fallen off 61 per cent, and the republican gain is 49 per cent. Williams, the democratic candidate for governor, is defeated by Wolcott (rep.) by 150,000. Twelve republican congressmen are elected, and the result is in doubt in the Ninth district.

Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—Chairman Cook, of the democratic state committee, claims Bryan carries Missouri by 40,000. Conservative estimates give St. Louis to the republicans by at least 25,000 majority.

Connecticut.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 4.—Bryan carries only three out of 111 towns which reported in this state and none in the cities. McKinley's plurality will be 40,000.

Texas.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 4.—Meager and scattering returns only have been received. State Chairman Blake (dem.) estimates Bryan's plurality at 100,000.

New Jersey.

Cape May City, N. J., Nov. 4.—The returns so far from New Jersey indicate that McKinley has carried the state by 45,000. The republican committee chairman claims the state by 40,000, while the democratic chairman concedes the state to McKinley by 30,000. The reports show that the whole eight republican congressmen are elected, and the republicans have both branches of the legislature by a large majority. The senators elected will vote for a successor to United States Senator James Smith.

Washington.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley has carried Washington by a small plurality, and that Sullivan (rep.) is elected governor.

Rhode Island.

Newport, R. I., Nov. 4.—As soon as the returns began to come in it was evident that the state had given McKinley an overwhelming majority. Town after town, irrespective of political complexion upon local issues, cast the vote for the republican candidate, and his plurality will be 20,000.

Maine.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—There is a general falling off of about 25 per cent. in the total vote, compared with that of the state election. The probability is that the republican plurality will be 40,000.

Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 4.—Reutrns up to midnight, though only partial, show a large vote by both political parties for president, and the best information obtainable is that Bryan has carried the state by a safe majority.

Mississippi.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi gives Bryan a majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000.

Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Returns are coming in slowly, but those received indicate that McKinley will carry the state by 175,000 plurality. The Pennsylvania delegation to the lower house of congress will probably stand, republicans, 25; democrats, 5.

Louisiana.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Louisiana gives 40,000 majority for Bryan and elects six democratic congressmen.

Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—Returns indicate that the electoral vote of Virginia will surely be given to Bryan.

South Dakota.

Huron, S. D., Nov. 4.—South Dakota threw its vote for Maj. McKinley by at least 5,000, and later figures may increase his majority to 10,000. But four counties of the state seem to have gone for the fusion ticket. Both republican congressmen are elected. The legislature is overwhelmingly republican, insuring a gold successor to Senator Kyle.

Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Twenty-six precincts out of 632 in Florida give Bryan 1,262, McKinley, 107. If the ratio continues throughout the state Bryan's plurality will exceed 10,000.

A Fatal Error.

Deming, N. M., Nov. 2.—While in pursuit of border bandits who have been committing murders and robberies in the southwest and in the vicinity of Skeleton canyon, near the Arizona line, Deputy Sheriff Frank M. Galloway, of Silver City, was shot and kill by a member of his own posse, who mistook him for a robber in the darkness, having called out to him and received no answer. The posse was close upon the robbers, but had camped for the night and Galloway was on watch. The robbers have made their escape.

Negro Kills a Farmer.

Owenson, Ky., Nov. 2.—Peter Shea, a prominent farmer and trader, was shot and instantly killed by Jim Burke, a desperate negro, near his home at Lusby Mill Saturday. The negro was drinking and got into an argument on politics with the crowd. Seeing there might be trouble, Shea, who knew Burke, led his horse some 25 yards away, when Burke pulled a pistol and shot Shea through the head without the slightest provocation. Burke escaped.

Fatal Collision.

Westchester, Pa., Nov. 2.—The second section of the day express on the Pennsylvania railroad, four hours late, crashed into the rear end of a freight train at Whitford at nine o'clock Saturday night, killing one man and seriously wounding another. The caboose, in which was John Clark, a drover of Pleasant, O., was smashed into splinters and Clark was killed. The conductor, brakeman and flagman of the freight were all seriously injured.

Singular Death of a Hunter.

Cumberland, Md., Nov. 2.—Ira Sawyer, while coon hunting near Hamlin, W. Va., became separated from his companions. He built a fire against a tree and while asleep the tree burned through and fell upon him. While he was pinioned the tree kept on burning until it reached Sawyer, who was literally roasted alive. He was found by his friends just before he expired.

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Clinton Column.

Last Rally—Marriage Bells—Death—Personals.

Alonzo Clark came home Monday.

Mrs. Hutchins' mother is visiting her.

Miss Florence House is reported better.

G. C. Lindsley visited the county seat last Friday.

Elmer Halladay, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Linda Nase was on the sick list the first of the week

Henry Miller, of Macon, visited at H. D. Niblack's Sunday.

Mrs. Will Niblack is visiting at her mother's, in Macon.

Mrs. Fred Camburn, of Macon, spent Sunday at H. D. Niblack's.

Miss Blanche Rose visited Tecumseh friends Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle was the guest of Tecumseh friends over Sunday.

Miss Carrie Camburn, of Macon, visited Miss Bertha O'Hara Sunday.

Frank Parker came home from Albion Monday night, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Codling and daughter, were up from Tecumseh Wednesday.

James Hause went to Jackson Tuesday to attend the funeral of a cousin.

Mrs. J. S. Kies went to Elkhart, Ind., yesterday to visit her son, W. J. Kies.

Miss Myrtle Gallon, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Rentschler.

Miss Eva Davis returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with friends at Grass Lake.

Mrs. D. Haggart, of Tecumseh, was calling on her Clinton friends Thursday of last week.

Miss Maude Goodell, of Manchester, visited Miss Bertie Johnston Monday and Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. Will Hause entertained Monte Hoagland and family, of Britton, Sunday.

H. G. Shekell and C. O. Wiltse drove to Ann Arbor Sunday morning and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Kinouse, of Toledo, visited at James Hogan's from Friday until Monday.

Rev. Mr. Conley, of Detroit, preached at the Bapdist church Sunday, both morning and evening.

G. C. and H. E. Lindsley, with their wives, drove to Saline Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

Earl Conklin, who has a situation at Albion, has been making his home friends a visit this week.

About twenty-five from the Macon M. E. church attended the quarterly meeting services here Sunday.

Miss Edith Chamberlain, of Horton, was the guest of Nettie Kishpaugh Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner went to Grand Rapids Tuesday, called there by the illness of her brother's wife.

Mrs. W. H. Dorr and Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh went to Dundee Monday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hause gave a Hallow'en party at their home on Church street Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary Dorr returned last week from a four weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Fisk, in Detroit.

Sidney Case, Bert Tieter and Earle Chase, of Manchester, came down to the McKinley meeting Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins returned Friday from Plainwell, where they had been attending a Baptist convention.

George A. Kies came home Saturday and staid until Tuesday so as to vote. He went to St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

A. J. Kishpaugh and wife, and W. H. Dorr, wife and little daughter, visited J. L. Kishpaugh's family, at Britton, last Sunday.

Miss Florence Green was taken quite seriously ill Wednesday of last week at the home of C. C. Rowland, but was some better at last report.

Many invitations were issued for the marriage of Harry U. Kies to Miss Maretta Fellows, of Saline, who were married yesterday. They will live on the farm.

For some time past Clark Bailey has been actively engaged in furnishing his house preparatory to a most important event in his history. He evidently acted upon the suggestion so often given—"Provide the cage before securing the bird." It was a very happy company that gathered in that cosy home Wednesday evening to witness the ceremony by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell which changed the name of Miss Mertie Cummins to that of Mrs. Clark Bailey. Charles O. Wiltse and Miss Alice Rose attended the bride and groom. The guests were received by them as they arrived. It was a very pretty home wedding.

Joe Alexander arrived home Saturday from the Queen's dominion. He came to perform his duty as an American citizen by depositing his ballot November 3rd.

Charles O'Hara's little girl, thirteen months old, was fatally burned Thursday so that it died Sunday. The mother put a fire-lighter in the stove and stepped outside the door for wood. While she was gone the child took the fire-lighter setting fire to its clothing. The funeral was held Wednesday.

The law for specific kinds of game expiring October 31st, the sportsmen are in high glee. Being a firm believer in the adage "The early bird catches the worm," Seth W. Demuth was off hunting early Monday morning. The number of his trophies he keeps to himself.

Rev. T. H. Warner, having accepted a call from a church at Perry, Shiawassee county, moved his family there this week. The reverend gentleman and his estimable wife during their sojourn here have formed many strong friendships that will be enduring. Our entire community wish them success in their new home and field of labor.

The HERALD article in its Clinton department, referred to by the editor in last week's local, did not eminate from Charlie Keyes, as assumed by brother Blanchard, but was furnishnd by one of Clinton's respected citizens who has always been a republican. We make this explanation knowing that Charlie's modesty forbids compliments to which he has no claim.

No more will the pleasant and familiar face of John Nelson be seen on our streets, he having joined the great majority on the other side. Although in failing health for some time, his friends hoped there would be a change for the better, but it was not so to be, and he laid down life's burden last Friday. His funeral was held Sunday under the auspices of the G. A. R., and was largely attended by sorrowing friends.

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MANCHESTER MATTERS.

Little Clara Heliker is very sick.

Miss Lucy Poucher visited at Iron Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Ide, of Jackson, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs G. B. Halliday, of Norvell, visited their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Waters, Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. Kotts, of Toledo, is in town visiting her relatives and friends. Her husband spent Sunday here.

Charles Leeson began the winter term of school in the Crafts district in the township of Sharon, Monday.

Harry U. Kies, of Bridgewater, and Miss Maretta Fellows, of Saline, were married on Thursday of this week.

Albert English is a delegate to the Temperance quarterly meeting of Free Baptists, which converes November 6th.

Miss Blanche Coulson, of Brooklyn, accompanied by a friend, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Goodyear, Sunday.

Hause & Son, of Clinton, were called to Liberty, Jackson county, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. D M. Edwards, of that place.

Rev. I. B Buffum was called from Fennville, where he had gone to attend the state F B association to officiate at the funeral of John Nelson

John Nelson, a member of Beer's Post, G. A. R., died last week at his home in the southern part of Manchester. The funeral services were held on Sunday November 1st, conducted by Rev. I. B Buffum and a large concourse of friends followed his remains to their final resting place in the cemetery at Reynold's corners.

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CLOSED ITS DOORS.

A Banking Institution at Big Rapids Has Failed.

Big Rapids, Oct. 30.—The Mecosta county savings bank of this city did not open its doors Thursday morning. Wednesday, after a run on the bank and $12,000 had been paid out, the doors were closed. At a meeting of the directors this course was decided upon. Inability to raise money on collateral deposits are announced as the cause of the failure. The bank's last statement, issued on October 6, showed resources to be $302,000, of which some $44,000 was cash on hand. Since then there have been steady runs, which during the past few days have drained the bank of all its available cash. The bank's officials assert that all depositors will be paid dollar for dollar, but despite their assurance there is considerable uneasiness among those interested. The Michigan Trust company of Grand Rapids is named as assignee.

A seeming great wrong is being uncovered by the assignees of the bank. Mr. Brown, the assignee, made affidavit that D. F. Comstock, the bank's president, had received $75,000 of the bank's funds and was putting his property into other hands. An injunction was issued, and the sheriff attached Comstock's unfinished block and all other realty that could be found. During the issuance of the papers it was discovered that Comstock had deeded to his wife the $15,000 homestead and given chattel mortgages for $21,000 to his two married daughters on personal property. His son Chester, who was general manager of the bank, is still away, and the ugly charges afloat are strengthened by his continued absence.

CLAIMS THE HEART OF TOWN.

Residents of Mount Pulaski Disturbed by a Coming Suit.

Ithaca, Oct. 30.—John Jeffery, a real estate man here, has claimed 80 acres of land in the heart of Mount Pleasant The land covers the south half of the city and includes the central Michigan normal school and the fine residence portion of the city. When John Jeffery, Sr., died he held a warranty deed to the property from a man named John M. Hursh, who made the deed from his wife by power of attorney. Mrs. Hursh claimed the deed was a mortgage, and that she never gave him the power of attorney. Then a man named Robert Hillock secured a deed from Mrs. Hursh and commenced suit against Mr. Jeffery and heirs to set aside the Jeffery deed and get a clear title. Jeffery claims the Hillock decree is not valid on account of an error in the proceedings. The case will be upon the Isabella county circuit court docket this fall. The land is worth over $100,000.

DR. WETMORE INNOCENT.

Story Implicating Him in the Lawrence Murder Declared False.

Holland, Nov. 2.—Dr. Judson D. Wetmore has been acknowledged innocent of the charge of complicity in the murder of Enos Lawrence, for which he is now confined in the county jail at Grand Haven. The wife of Lawrence and her brother, both of whom are serving time in Jackson prison as confessed murderers of Lawrence, have now confessed that the doctor, whom they implicated last month in the crime, is innocent of all knowledge of the murder, and that it was the woman's hope to lighten her own sentence by implicating him.

In a Receiver's Hands.

Petoskey, Oct. 30.—The Connable Fishing company, one of the supposed strongest financial institutions in Petoskey, has gone into the hands of a receiver. Twenty years ago B. Connable & Sons engaged in shipping Petoskey lake trout and made a fortune. Later Ralph Connable, Sr., retired, being succeeded by Connable Bros., and they in turn three years ago sold out to the Connable Fishing company, retaining stock and business management. Fishing stations were maintained here, at Mackinac and at Grand Marais and offices in Chicago. The business will continue under a reorganization

Payment to Indians Deferred.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 3.—David Fisher, of Kalamazoo, who was appointed to distribute money due the Pottawatomie Indians from the United States, has resigned, and the payments which were to have been made this week will not be made until later, and then by a regular United States Indian agent. This information was received Monday morning by Brace Knapp, of this city. He is a relative of Chief Pokagon.

Lumber Piles Burned.

Stephenson, Nov. 2.—About 11 o'clock Saturday night five lumber piles in different parts of Ira Casley's yard at Ingalls, three miles south of here, were discovered burning. Casley's oil house, near the mill, was broken into and the lumber saturated with oil. The piles were fired about the same time. Two dwellings were also burned. The loss is $21,000; insurance, $18,500.

Arrested for Counterfeiting.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 3. — William Deighner, Mrs. Emma Zimmerman, Deighner's stepmother, and Ira Koung, an inmate of the soldier's home, were arrested Monday for counterfeiting and for raising bills from one to ten dollars. Koung has confessed. A lot of counterfeiting apparatus and coins were found at Deighner's house.

A Sudden Death.

Port Huron, Oct. 31.—Mrs. David Worden, of Eleventh street, died suddenly while making a call at the M. E. parsonage. She had been seated in the sitting-room scarcely a minute when she fell to the floor and expired instantly. Drs. Lewis, Randall, Stewart and Vollmar were called and decided that death had been caused by apoplexy.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 3.—Shriver Brothers, fruit growers of this locality, sent a crate of ripe strawberries Monday to Maj. McKinley and his wife. Some of Shriver's plants are producing two crops of strawberries this season.

PERISHED BY FIRE.

Wife and Daughter of a Farmer Burned to Death.

Jackson, Oct. 31.—The home of Albert Robinson, living near Trumbull Station, a few miles from this city, was destroyed by fire Friday morning and Mrs. Robinson and her eight-year-old daughter were burned to death and Mr. Robinson probably fatally burned. Mr. Robinson was trying to build a fire in the kitchen stove and poured kerosene on the fire from a five-gallon can. An explosion followed, and, wrapped in flames, Robinson rushed into the bedroom. His wife wrapped bedding around him to smother the flames and then ran to the kitchen. Robinson, supposing his wife and child had escaped, jumped from a window. The bodies of the mother and child were found in the ruins, both burned to a crisp. Robinson is seriously burned.

Held Up in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 30. — Robert J. White, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was held up and robbed of his purse containing $400 by a trio of colored women Thursday night. At the time of the robbery Mr. White was passing beneath the elevated railroad structure in Harmon court. He was pounced upon by three negro women and before he could recover himself his assailants had fled with his money.

Railroad Earnings.

Lansing, Oct. 30.—There was a falling off of $74,559 in the amount the railroads earned in Michigan in August, as compared with the earnings of the same month last year. The total earnings this year were $2,545,883. The aggregate earnings of $19,201,865 from January 1 to September 1 were, however, an increase of $658,320, or 3.42 per cent. over the same period of 1895.

Instantly Killed.

Houghton, Oct. 30.—Paul Kabi, aged 26, single, who had just recovered from injuries detaining him eight months in Calumet and Hecla hospital, was instantly killed by a rock falling on him in the Hecla branch of the mine.

Stole Valuable Jewelry.

Clare, Oct. 31.—Thursday night, at about 8:15 o'clock, the houses of John Imerman and E. B. Horning were entered and about $300 worth of jewelry and other articles were stolen.

Fell Overboard.

Benton Harbor, Oct. 29.—Henry R. Palsley, of this city, fell overboard from the steamer Frank Woods while off Milwaukee and was drowned. He leaves a family.

HE WAS A SMART BOY.

Managed to Recover a Dropped Quarter from a Difficult Spot.

He had deposited his ticket in the box on the downtown station of the Sixth avenue "L" road at Fiftieth street early one morning, and was counting his change in a search for plugged dimes and nickels. A quarter fell from his hands and rolled along the platform until it lodged under the raised steps which form the edge of the platform. There it lay in plain view, but as unobtainable as the golden apples of Hesperides. The loser was the picture of rage, says the New York Mail and Express.

"I don't care about the blame coin," he wailed. "I've got 'em to burn; but it just makes me mad to see that quarter there, and I can't get it."

"Gimme a dime, mister," said a messenger boy, "and five cents for expenses, and I'll get your mun."

The man regarded the boy for a moment and said: "Go ahead."

He returned in a few minutes with his form working convulsively. In his hand he had a piece of scantling. The crowd watched him curiously. From his mouth the boy took a well masticated wad of chewing gum. He stuck this on the end of the scantling and, thrusting the stick through the narrow space, pressed the soft and sticky gum firmly on the lost coin. Then he deftly drew it out and presented the money to its owner.

"Keep the whole outfit," said the man. "Boy, you're a peach. We live and learn," and he boarded a train, his face wreathed in smiles. The face of the boy was similarly decorated.

THEY SPIN BY HAND.

Old-Fashioned Block Islanders Still Send Their Wool Into Connecticut.

The hum of the spinning wheel is still a familiar sound in Block Island, a quaint and interesting resort in summer and a miniature world in winter, in which the habits and customs are those of 150 years ago. The island is 15 miles off the Rhode Island shore and almost directly south of stormy Point Judith, says the New York Herald.

The heads of 30 Block Island families set sail in fishing boats the other day and pushed up the Thames river to Oakdale, where they left heaps of wool to be carded into rolls for hand spinning. The rolls will be spun and knitted into stockings and mittens for the protection of the hardy islanders against the bleak winter winds of the Atlantic.

There are times during the winter when the wind sweeps across the treeless land at a velocity of 84 miles an hour, and women take their lives in their hands when they venture out of doors. The isolation of the island is almost complete.

John Schofield established the first woollen mill in Connecticut near Oakdale, where the carding was done by power cards. In 1798 the Block Islanders began to send wool to the mill to be carded into rolls, and generation after generation have kept up the practice. Formerly many bags of grain accompanied the wool, and grist and woollen mills were kept running day and night, while the fishermen and farmers enjoyed themselves in the quiet Connecticut village until the work was done.

Cincinnati Pays $10,000 for Breitenstein.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.—Pitcher Breitenstein has been sold to the Cincinnati club for $10,000 cash. Breitenstein will get none of the money.

IN OUR POCKETS.

We May Soon Be Able to Carry Gallons of Coffee.

In the forward march of science, nature's methods are being closely imitated in the laboratories of the synthetical chemist who has already been able to make an artificial quinine which contains most of the therapeutical properties of the real article. Two German chemists working in Berlin have just produced an artificially prepared caffeine, the alkaloid to which both tea and coffee owe their refreshing stimulating and analgesic properties.

As may be readily imagined, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, the process by which this has been done is exceedingly elaborate and costly, but the discoverers are not without hope that they will be able to simplify and cheapen it so as to bring it within the region of practical economics, as has been done with many of the coal-tar preparations which, though now exceedingly cheap, were very expensive when first produced.

Should the anticipations of these two gentlemen be realized a cup of tea or coffee will resolve itself into a question of minute pellets; one of the alkaloid, one of saccharine, and one of a highly concentrated milk, which will only need to be put into a cup of boiling water to be an efficient substitute for the real article.

IT WAS ON A TRAY.

Reason Why Johnnie Could Not Put the Card Under the Door.

The lady who lives at the family hotel on the North side was dressing for dinner. She was not expecting company just at that moment and was somewhat startling to the eye. But no eye was there save hers. Suddenly she was roused from a contemplation of her charms in the mirror by a knock.

"Some one is rapping again," she muttered. "Everybody in this hotel seems to have a hammer out."

Then in a clear, bird-like voice she called:

"Who is it?"

"It's Johnnie," said a voice.

Johnnie was the sad-faced boy with the painstaking head who brought up ice water and things.

"What is it, Johnnie?" asked the lady fair.

"I have a card," replied the page.

"Put it under the door," said the charming guest.

"I can't," said Johnnie; "it's on a tray."

And the elevator fell to the basement with a great crash.

Honey in Butter.

Parisian restaurant keepers mix a little honey with their butter. This gives it an agreeable taste and flavor and makes the inferior butter more palatable

Grand Rapids, Oct. 26.—A Berlin dispatch says: The United States ambassador, Edwin F. Uhl, and Mrs. Uhl announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucy Follett, to Dr. Guy V. Thompson, of Yale. The marriage will take place in Berlin during the beginning of February.

"Down Brakes, and Reverse!" When a train is discovered rushing on

the system is flying along the track at such a frightful pace that no ordinary methods will prevent disaster. There are plenty of medicines which act as brakes to "slow up" the disease and ward off disaster for a little while; but that is not enough. What is needed is a medicine which will instantly reverse the entire system, and thus cure the degenerating process.

When people are losing flesh and strength and vitality, with the life oozing out day after day, they need Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which acts directly upon the vital forces, completely transforming the entire nutritive organism and absolutely reverses the wasting, debilitating process which is at the root of all disease.

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There is an era of tiny dogs in fashionable society. The more diminutive the parcel of canine flesh that you can possess the more are you a swell, says the Toledo Blade. But, alas! How many feminine readers who delight in the possession of miniature doggies know that they are an artificial product.

There is in London an establishment devoted entirely to the stunting of dogs and animals. The proprietor is a breeder of fighting dogs, but he finds more profit in rearing the Lilliputian canines, for which he has a world-wide reputation. He does not claim to be the originator of the process, for he declares that all dog men know of the dwarfing powers of alcohol, but he asserts that he is the only man in London to adopt the principle systematically.

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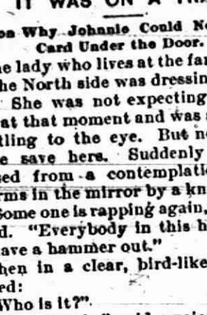

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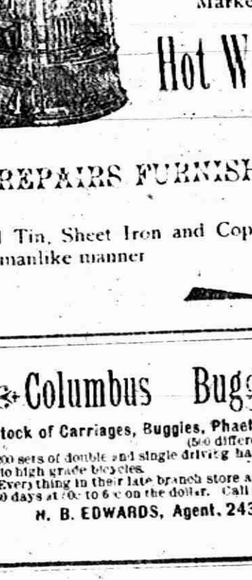

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Silver Rally—Birth—Departure—Personals.

mes Chidester left Tuesday noon visit with friends at Toledo.

rs. Will E. Allen is enjoying a visit an aunt, this week, from Paw Paw,

ant Pennington, of Macon, spent sy as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. llen.

W. Yates & Co. sport a spic span sign. It is the work of C. F. erson.

nte Hoagland and family were the s of Will Hause and wife at Clinunday.

es Keusch having completed his ork down on the farm came home ay and will remain.

rumored that Dr. P. B. Hardy plates going to Jamestown, O. t it is not so to be.

rence Brown is full of business ays, talking politics and baling He was in Woodstock the last week.

rge number from here attended ver rally at Deerfield Saturday g. Over 30 went on horse back. had a good time.

. Clements has moved his family Blissfield and is now a citizen of n. He and his will find a cordial ne by our citizens.

Britton band accompanied the ley marching club to Clinton y evening. They report a large and a pleasant time.

nd Mrs. Frank Taylor are now to receive congratulations of riends, a bouncing baby girl was o them Saturday night.

Britian band furnished music at ver rally at Deerfield Saturday g. Their services have been in lemand during the campaign.

rt Lee, who is afflicted with a r of Job's comforters, is home for . If it were not for bodily in- we would see but very little of

wing of Charles Gorham's change tion, a large company of friends im and wife a pleasant surprise iday evening. It was enjoyable

Gorham has gone A. O. Maynard stationed here all the time and inspecting for both roads. A has been appointed for Adrian, by Wabash.

harles R. Maybee, having finished course in Pharmacy, at Ada, Ohio, rned home last week and resumed place in the drug store. It seems atural and good to see his genial nance among us.

es Gorham left Tuesday fore- r Van Wert, Ohio, to assume his as car inspector for the C., J. & at that point. His family will m later. Charlie did not neglect before he started.

Ladies' Aid society of the Chris- hurch will hold its next regular ng in the church parlors, Wednesternoon, Nov. 11. Mrs. Morrell's ittee will serve supper, to which a invitation is extended to all.

N. F. Nickerson will preach in formed church Sunday at 10:30 n "Progress in Religion," and m. on the topic, "Branded for ." The pastor is also leader for sion service of the Y. P. S. C. E. m.

the silver faction that held the ally before election here and it to be very interesting Levi P. , of Raisin, was the principal er, and he gave as fine a speech as who preceded him. Mr. Chase is ly earnest in all that he does and effort Monday night was a grand d up. J. W. Clement presided in usual happy manner.

CONE.

Appearance Rally—Many Interesting Personals.

. Buck has returned home from

Eastlake, of Maybee, was in onday afternoon.

owell, of Detroit, was the guest Tobleigh several days last week.

apman, of Weston, Ohio, spent last week at Thos. Caswell's.

ten has gone north on a huntion with a party of friends

nthia Miller, of London, visitter, Mrs. J. M. Auten, Saturunday.

arr closed her school in the istrict last Friday for two cation.

ng returned home Sunday o week's visit with a sister oway.

ara Libbstaff, of Auburndale, led on friends here last ThursFriday.

Snyder, of Holloway, spent t Wm. Landt's. Minnie Landt home with him.

will be a Christian Endeavor ance Rally at Cone church next day evening, Nov. 11.

Wightman, of Tecumseh, de- republican speech at the Cool house Saturday evening.

Can't Afford to Chance It.

y-cold may lead to pneumonia umption. Foley's Honey and n in time affords perfect secun serious results. ORR & TEMPLE.

RIDGEWAY.

C. H. Bramble and Chas. Snedicor were in the village Monday.

Pros. Atty. J. E. Bird and J. E. Jacklin, of Adrian, were in the village Monday.

Mrs. E. Yager, of Napoleon, visited friends here Thursday and Friday of last week.

Quite a number went to Tecumseh Saturday night to attend the republican jollification.

H. J. Williams and wife, of Adrian, visited friends in the village a portion of last week.

C. A. Pocklington and Chas. Lowe left for the north Monday on their annual hunting trip.

Erma Cheever entertained her schoolmates at her home Thursday evening, with a candy pull.

Prof. and Mrs. Waterman, of Britton, were library visitors Saturday. The professor took a membership.

A very pleasant time was spent at the home of Mrs. C. M. Gove, at the Halloween social Friday evening.

Remember Bob Burdette, second number of the Tecumseh Star Course will be at Sutton's opera house, Nov. 17. Season tickets may be had for $1.25.

Our village school has erected one of the best steel flag staffs there is in the township, if not in the county. It is nearly sixty feet in length with a weather vane and compass at the top, from which floats an eight by twenty foot flag.

LAKE RIDGE.

Mrs. Richard Collums is some better.

Vena Montoyne is visiting friends in Ypsilanti.

A little son of Scuyler Eastlick has been quite sick with scarlet fever.

Harry Perkins, of Adrian, was the guest of Harriet Osborne Sunday.

Mrs. Horace Hand and Mrs. Greene visited at Joseph Osborne's Thursday.

Mrs. Henry has gone to White Pigeon to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. Phillips.

Enoch Carter, of Cadillac, has been visiting his uncle, Michael Carter and other relatives.

Mrs. Thos. Murphy and Mrs. Nett Hendershot attended the tea meeting at Tecumseh Saturday.

Sam Gibson was one of the enthusiastic horseback riders in the parade at Tecumseh Saturday evening.

Thos. Murphy and son James were Ypsilanti visitors Monday. The latter expects to enter school there the ensuing year.

Anna and Mary Murphy, of east Tecumseh, visited their grandparents the latter part of the week. Anna will remain some time.

Maggie Moore closed her second term of school in the Harrington district last week. Miss Moore has made many friends here and all will welcome her back in the spring.

Mrs. Fred Aten read a very interesting report of the Sunday school convention held at Adrian, before the Sunday school last Sunday, which was listened to by even the smallest schoiar,

HOLLOWAY.

Boiler Bursted—Political Meetings—Personals.

Viola Wildey is convalesing.

Mrs. L. B. Spencer is yet seriously ill.

Grace Spaulding is stopping with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Spencer.

Abbie Ray visited her parents at North Morenci over Sunday.

Frank Stead was home over Sunday and remained to attend election.

Maggie Moore closed a successful term of school at Lake Ridge last Friday.

Osgood Hive No. 285, L. O. T. M. will hold its regular Review tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. C. M. Iveson, of Palmyra, formerly of this place, is visiting friends in and about Holloway.

Mrs. Dr. Begal, formerly of this place, but now of Jackson, has been visiting friends here for a few days.

Mrs. George Hoxie and children, of Adrian, visited Aunt Jane Kelley and Mrs. Mary Clark Saturday night and Sunday.

J. M. Joslin, of Adrian, and Hon. Files, of Ohio, addressed a fair sized audience last Friday evening, on the gold issue.

On account of the bursting of the boiler the creamery has not been in operation for the past week and has under gone extensive repairs, but resumed work this morning.

Rev. L. C. Chase, of Raisin, addressed a large gathering of silverites last Wednesday evening and Hon. L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian, addressed a meeting Monday evening.

A. H. Kelley, A. D. Macham, Charles Lowe, Chas. Pocklington and Bret Simonds started for Manton, Monday morning on a hunting expedition and therefore failed to cast their votes on the right side.

The only remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body, that is absolutely safe and never-failing, is Doan's Ointment. Get it from your dealer.

The woman who does not wear a chain of some sort about her neck is not a la mode. Many wear a yoke—but, let that pass.

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MACON.

Most of the Ypsilanti and University students came home to vote.

Anna O'Hara, of Tecumseh, visited Mrs. Asel Kelley over Sunday.

Now that the law will permit, the woods resound with the huntman's rifleshot and the hunted quail knows no safe hiding place.

Will Hatch, of Detroit, came out last Friday to make a speech at the pole raising. Mr. Hatch is an eloquent orator and gives promise of rising to the front ranks of the Detroit bar.

The many friends of Mrs. Ed. Sisson, of Detroit, are pained to hear that she has been very ill with diphtheria and is yet unable to care for her infant babe. Her mother, Mrs. William Hendershot, is in Detroit nursing her.

People who drive to Tecumseh these days cannot fail to note the improved appearance of the little cemetery situated across the road from the residence of Jim Hendershot. The grass has been mown, all the weeds and brush cleaned up and every lot put in good order. Many of the old residents of the immediate neighborhood are burried in this little resting place and the late improvement is a pleasure to everybody.

Election returns were received last Tuesday night, by telephone, at Cotton's store, and by telegraph at Bradley Scudder's. The largest crowd gathered at Cotton's and naturally filled in the waiting time with predictions of the result. One man in the crowd, who had been a good observer of elections in the past, said that as Macon had gone so had the presidential election for the past three elections. This was a new omen and roused every man present to a fever heat. After awhile the returns began to come in. Clinton, Tecumseh, Saline, all reported for McKinley and the McKinley element of the crowd yelled itself hoarse. Then came Ridgeway with 25 majority for Bryan and the other side cheered. Pretty soon came the report that Macon had given one majority for Bryan. Such a yell! It must have been heard in Nebraska. But in another moment came the report that Macon was a tie. Then the whole crowd collapsed.

Mrs. W. R. Maryfield, of Ashton, O., says: "I had a case pin worms presented to me of 30 years' standing. This man has taken three bottles of Lightning Worm Killer, and has passed, he says, over 2 1-2 gallons of worms, and that he will make oath to the same. A score of doctors told him that he could not be cured."

Mr. George Craft, of Annville, Ky., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills have given me great benefit in kidney and liver disease of ten years' standing. They act as recommended."

Mr. J. K. Moore, of Weston, W. Va., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills, used for constipation and piles, have given me great benefit."

Mr. C. C. Garrett, postmaster, Calm, W. Va., writes: "We have been using Lightning Worm Killer for the past six years with perfect satisfaction. It is a sere eradicator of worms, and has greatly benefitted our children."

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Is there any man who is not glad that it is all over?

Mark Hanna has proven to be even a larger man than the cariacatures have pictured him.

It would hardly seem by the looks of George W. Larwell that he carried D. W. Grandon inside his waistcoat, but such seems to be the case.

It is sincerely to be regretted that this senatorial district, one of the largest and wealthiest in the whole state, should be represented in Lansing by old Bill Jibb.

It is now thought by the politicians around the county that the Hudson Gazette has completely mopped the earth with Stearns. Poor old Stearns! He stands defeat the best of any man in Michigan.

The returning of Thomas M. Camburn to Lansing is a mistake which party majority cannot undo. With this man in the lower house and Bill Jibb in the upper house this section of Michigan is certainly in a bad way.

It is really a pleasure to read the Tecumseh News this week. Now that everybody is sure which way election has turned out, the editor really expresses an opinion. A candid opinion, it matters not whether it be right or wrong, is wholesome, to say the least.

Thos. M. Camburn was re-elected to the legislature by a handsome majority, notwithstanding the efforts of the Herald to besmirch his honesty, and advice to farmers not to vote for him. Burroughs can attend to his business at home just as usual.—Tecumseh News.

The HERALD simply told the truth about Mr. Camburn and neither he nor the News dared to refute the charges, although given ample time and opportunity to do so.

"Sound money and prosperity" has been the motto of the republican party throughout this the most bitterly fought campaign since 1860. It seems from the reports, though unofficial, that the republican party will, in the next congress, control both houses. Now if this same G. O. P. will continue on with this motto of sound money and prosperity, and transact quietly and quickly the legislation which the country needs, all right and good. But they have taken upon themselves the contract to restore good times. It is the wish of every citizen in this country that this contract should be fulfilled. The wheels of industry must begin to turn and this at once. There is now no excuse for the capitalists of this country withholding their money to stimulate industry. There is now no excuse for foreign capitalists refusing to buy American stocks. There is now no reason why gold should not flow steadily in and not out of the treasuries of these Unites States. Indeed the republican party has taken upon itself a large contract and it has the ability the money and the enterprise necessary to fulfil it. The fullfilment must come and this at once, or the people of the country will be so dissatisfied that this may be counted their last victory.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Chautauquan for November, more than ever replete with literary may fitly be called a "Moliere" number. A glance at the frontispiece shows a full-figure portrait of Moliere, the master of French comedy, while the study of his life and works is presented in six appreciative articles, two of which are profusely and beautifully illustrated.

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Madame Calve and Madame Melba will both appear in the next issue of the Ladies' Home Journal with articles on the voice. Madame Melba has written before and is, in fact, no novice with the pen, but this is Madame Calve's first attempt at authorship. She wrote the article in French, and after an English translation had been made of it she had the original manuscript bound between morocco covers as a souvenir of her debut as a writer.

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During November some interesting and characteristic features in the progress of the political campaign will be shown in pictures by T. de Thulstrup, who has made a special trip to the National Headquarters at Chicago in the interests of Harper's Weekly. Princeton's sesqui-centennial will be fully treated by the Weekly, in illustration and text; and Robert Reid's decorations for the Congressional Library will form the subject of an attractive paper.

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The November "Forum" will contain among other articles "As Maine Goes, so Goes the Union."—a trenchant article by the Hon. Thomas B. Reed, whose drift is perhaps sufficiently indicated by its title. Mr. Edward P. Clark under the title "The Solid South Dissolving," contributes an interesting study of the way in which the South grew from normal conditions into solidity, and the way in which that solidity is now disappearing—a very timely and suggestive paper. Mr. E. W. Codington, a business man of Florida, discusses the Money question with uncommon lucidity, and suggests a plan for placing our financial system upon a sound basis. The "Forum" sweeps over the whole field of contemporary thought and activity, and presents to its readers scholarly and authoritative discussions of the leading questions of the day by experts in their respective fields.

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The complete novel in the November issue of Lippincott's is "An Interrupted Current," by Howard M. Yost, a new writer with a happy knack of story-telling. The scene is in eastern Pennsylvania, and the action turns on tracing the perpetrators of a bank robbery and their plunder.

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The Arena closes its sixteenth volume with the November number, which is one of the most notable issues of that progressive magazine. It contains striking papers on the money question by Prof. Frank Parsons, of the Boston University School of Law, Justice Walter Clark, LL. D., of the Supreme Bench of North Carolina, Hon. William H. Standish, and B. O. Flower, the editor.

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The Hon. Thomas C. Platt discusses "The Effect of Republican Victory" in the November number of the North American Review, and confidently asserts that the election of McKinley and Hobert will constitute a verdict so emphatic that during the lifetime of all those who are on earth today, no man or party will be found bold enough to go before the people advocating doctrines which mean repudiation.

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An important feature of Harper's Magazine for several months to come will be Poultney Bigelow's series of papers on the "White Man's Africa." treating in a thoroughly popular way the new continent recently opened up to European exploitation. The first paper, in the November Number, will be merely introductory, but it will give a novel view of Jameson's raid from material placed in the author's hand by an English physician and a Boer official—thus presenting both sides of this remarkable episode. The series is the result of a journey to South Africa undertaken by Mr. Bigelow for Harper's Magazine and is illustrated from photographs specially made for the purpose.

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The superior truth and delicacy of the old daguerreotype are made manifest in the November "McClure's," where fine reproductions of daguerreotype portraits of Calhoun, Webster, Edward Everett, Dr. Holmes, Jenny Lind, and others, from rare collections still surviving, illustrates an entertaining paper by Mrs. D. T. Davis, on the development of daguerreotyping in America. Soon after the discovery of the process, American daguerreotypers became the finest in the world, and there is a strong movement now toward a revival of the art. The paper is, therefore, timely as well as entertaining.

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Birds and monkeys will often warn the jungler of the approach of a tiger—the latter especially take every opportunity to express by loud hootings the intensity of their feelings at the hated presence of either of the dread beings of their jungles. I have heard too that peculiar bark of the sombar stag sound again and again in the night air from out the dark jungles on the banks of the Nerbudda, as he sends out a warning to his kind that murderous "stripes" is stalking near.—From "Panther-shooting in Central India." by Capt. C. J. Melliss, of the 9th Bombay Infantry, in the November Scribner's.

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"The Food of the Anglo-Saxons," by Dora M. Merrill, is the title of the leading article in the November issue of "Table Talk." It touchs upon the menus and special dishes eaten by the English in America, Austria, England, Canada and India, and is followed by "Some Old-Fashioned Thanksgiving Dainties," by Eliza R. Parker. Miss Cornelia C. Bedford gives an exhaustive and valuable article on "Bread;" Miss E. Marguerite Lindley on "Dress and Its Effect upon Health and Mind." Any of our readers, sending their name and address to the Table Talk Publishing Co., of Philadelphia, Pa., are offered a sample copy of the magazine free.

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All through the campaign, "Public Opinion" has successfully maintained its reputation for fairness. Every shade of thought upon all topics is represented in its American Affairs department; not one man's opinion but the opinion of every man who is at all representative. "Public Opinion," (published in New York), is the one journal that enables its readers to keep posted upon the happenings in every field of human activity. Your local paper furnishes information as to purely local affairs and "Public Opinion" furnishes a view of national affairs. For $2.50 you can be a thoroughly posted man for one year. Six months for $1.25.

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Magazine articles about the late George Du Maurier are likely to be quite numerous during the coming months. The first noteworthy attempt to form an estimate of Du Maurier's career that has appeared in America since his death, is in the form of a profusely illustrated article contributed to the November "Review of Reviews" by Mr. Ernest Knaufft, who describes Du Maurier's qualities as an artist and illustrator, rather than his more recently developed gifts as a writer of fiction. Mr. Knaufft has for years followed Du Maurier's work in "Punch," and his article is illustrated with many evidences of his zeal and success as an enthusiastic collector of Du Mauriana. There are also several interesting portraits of the author of "Trilby."

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There is a "new girl" as well as a "new woman." She has not been much talked about and she would not like to be; but she exists—strong of muscle and keen of intellect; modest and dignified; fearless yet tender; selfreliant yet never aggressive; a girl more often beautiful than otherwise, for beauty is the divine right of every woman properly bred and nourished. She is well groomed and dressed, unconsciously expressing her harmony of thought in harmony of appearance. She is a loving, lovable girl, with a capacity for romance; but none for "sentimentalism." She is the newest growth of a new country—an exponent of the freshest and strongest civilization in existence. —From Mary Annable Fanton, in Demorest's Magazine for November.

Charles Meredyth Woodward.

Charles M. Woodward was the third son in a family of four brothers and two sisters, children of John and Polly Woodward, and was born on a farm on the east side of Seneca lake in the township of Hector, Schuyler County, New York, February 10th, 1843. His early life did not differ materially from many raised on a farm. He attended the district school and afterwards the academy or college near by, from which he graduated with honor (being second in his class) in the early spring of 1861. His home associations were of such a character that he formed habits of industry and imbibed sentiments of honor and Christian charity which characterized his future life in a marked degree. His intense love for the profession which he afterwards chose and in which he attained prominence, was, in a sense, inherited, as on both sides of the family there was a tendency to the professions, especially the clerical and medical professions, in which many gained distinction. In April 1861 at the age of eighteen, in company with an elder brother, he enlisted as a private in Company I 23rd Regiment, New York Volunteers, under command of Col. H. C. Hoffman, which started for the front in May. Soon after he was promoted to Corporal and then to Sergeant. While on a prolonged march he had a severe sunstroke which incapacitated him for the hardships of out door army life and he was transferred to the medical department of the army of the Potomac. While here he prosecuted his studies under Surgeons Kolleck and James Collins of the U. S. Army. On being mustered out with his company in the spring of 1863, he immediately returned to the army of the Potomac and served as hospital steward till the close of the war, when he returned home and continued his professional studies under the late Dr. G. N. Dox, of Geneva. In 1867 he graduated from the medical college at Albany N. Y. For a time he served as assistant physician in the sanitarium at Geneva. June 12th, 1867 at North Pelham, Canada West, he married Mattie L., second daughter of Rev. Leonard Neelishan. He then located at Waterloo N. Y., where he soon secured a lucrative practice and gained prominence in his profession. He was a member of the different medical societies and medical director of the G. A. R. He came to Michigan and located at Port Huron in 1874. A year later, at the urgent solicitations of friends he came to Tecumseh where he has since resided. In 1879 he entered the State Militia as Assistant Surgeon of the 1st Regiment, under Dr. Porter. He was promoted to Surgeon with rank of Major in 1883, and again promoted in 1891 to Brigade Surgeon General with rank of Lieutenant General, his term expiring in 1894. He leaves behind him a grand military record and in his beloved profession one most flattering. He was a valued member of the medical societies, both State and National, and frequently presented papers of great merit. In this community he held a high position in religious, social, musical and professional circles, and his place will be difficult to fill. He was a devoted member of and greatly attached to the Episcopal church and for many years was a member of the choir. He was an accomplished musician and formed the social orchestra whose valuable services were freely offered for all charitable and worthy objects. He was a member of the Masonic bodies, G. A. R. and Royal Arcanum.

The obsequies were perhaps the most imposing ever held here and were conducted in a beautiful manner by funeral director Tansley, who had entire charge of the civil and Major Seymour Howell, of Adrian, of the military departments. The services were held at St. Peter's church and conducted by Rev. W. R. Blachford. The cortege was arranged in the following manner:—Band, Company B, of Adrian, Company C, old members of Company C, Royal Arcanum, Business Men and Masons, Physicians, G. A. R. Post, hearse and bearers, horse caparisoned but riderless, mourners and friends. At the grave, Beers Post had charge of the services.

Besides brothers and sisters, the widow and two daughters, Amy Meredyth and Anna Agnes, survive him. Among the many expressions of sympathy and eulogies for his worth received by the family, the following is taken from a communication received from Dr. J. E. Clark, of Detroit, Surgeon General of Michigan:—

"To Dr. Woodward's push and perseverence is due, in a large measure, the improved position occupied by the medical officers of the M. N. G., and it seems to me had his wishes and aims been given more consideration by our military boards, the medical department would be in even better condition than at present. My association with him was such as to gain for him my admiration for his talents and ability as an organizer and professional man. He leaves an honorable record in the military, one of which any man might be proud. As an officer and a gentleman he will be missed in no respect more seriously than by those who have the interest of the militia at heart, not only in the state of Michigan but in the national organization of military medical officers at the inception of which he was a moving spirit. He had the honor of being the first Surgeon General of Michigan, I the last, and I trust when my time comes I will be as deserving of honorable remembrance as Dr. C. M. Woodward."

Tecumseh Council No. 634, Royal Arcanum.

Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 2, '96.

WHEREAS: It hath pleased Almighty God our Heavenly Father, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, to remove from our midst our brother, Dr. C. M. Woodward, a charter member of this Council and its medical examiner since its organization, therefore

RESOLVED: That we sincerely mourn his death as a loss to this Council and the community of which he has so long been an active and useful member.

RESOLVED: That we tender to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy in this, their sad affliction, feeling as we do that their bereavement is our loss and that we must mourn with them the death of our friend and brother.

RESOLVED: That the charter of this Council be suitably draped for thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of the deceased brother; that a copy be placed on the records of the council and also be published in the Tecumseh HERALD and Tecumseh News and the Crown, the official paper of the Order in this state.

C. A. MCNEIL,
DAN'L T. HALL,
G. H. TANSLEY,
Committee.

Resolutions on the Death of Dr. C. M. Woodward.

Whereas it hath pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from earth Dr. Charles M. Woodward, a devoted communicant of St. Peter's church and for the past twenty years a faithful member of the vestry; be it

RESOLVED: That we hereby give expression to our heartfelt sorrow at the loss we as a church and congregation have sustained in his death. We shall greatly miss his genial presence and zealous spirit in all the work connected with the maintenance and support of the parish, and while keenly feeling our own loss, we tender to his afflicted family our sympathy in their bereavement, and commend them to the kind providence of an all-wise and all-merciful Father.

RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be given to the family and that they be spread upon the records of the church.

By order of the Vestry of St. Peter's church.
C. F. FIELD,
Secretary.

High School Happenings.

Percy White has left school.

Eva Ronk has left school to return to Ann Arbor.

Bliss Hand, of Springville, entered the ninth grade Monnay.

Winifred Wilson's place was vacant last Friday, owing to illness.

Jennie Gillespie has been absent for a few days on account of illness.

Miss Clara Waldron and three of her pupils visited the eighth and ninth grade room Friday.

Mr. Kellogg and some of the boys were forced to form themselves into an impromptu fire company Monday noon, some burning leaves having set fire to the sidewalk.

Tuesday morning several enthusiastic sophomores arrived early and by nine o'clock the B room was brilliant with flags and flowers. The first two hours were devoted to exercises in honor of the day. The lives of Bryan, McKinley, Hobart, Sewall, Mrs. McKinley and Mrs. Bryan being given, together with an address on patriotism, by Mr. Kellogg, and the song America by the pupils. The last hour in the afternoon was given over to the pupils of the A room by Miss Hartbeck. Will Hicks, Harry Osgood and Leigh Pennington took charge of the exercises. The McKinley March was played by Mary Mills, Mr. Kellogg addressed the pupils for about ten minutes, after which Leigh Pennington and Will Hicks debated on the financial question, the silver side being presented by Leigh and Will took care of the gold. Exercises closed with the rendering of the Bryan March by Naomi North. All expressed themselves much pleased with the exercises.

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These cold mornings and evenings make one think of a little fire. Why not buy a little

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It is sold cheap and gives out a warm, comfortable heat. Call and examine and get prices.

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Hoyt's Comedy Company

In New and Popular Plays. Change of Play each Night. Opening Play, Monday Night,

In Old Kentucky.

Ladies Free Monday night, if accompanied by an escort with a paid reserved seat ticket, or two ladies admitted on the paid ticket.

Prices, 15, 25 and 35 Cts.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 6, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE—Cheap at Richart's wagon shop a new lumber wagon, with or without box or seat.

WANTED—To the ladies of Tecumseh. Having prepared myself to do first class dressmaking, I would solicit a share of your patronage. Mrs. S. E. Austin, Shawnee St.

WOOD FOR SALE—All kinds at the lowest market prices. You can get full measure in any quantity from one cord to ten. Inquire of A. Harding. E. M. LEWIS.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Lucy Blivin, of Blissfield is in Tecumseh today.

There will be a special meeting of the Blue Lodge next Friday evening.

Wallace Bryan, of Kansas, has been greeting old friends the past week.

Willis Finch, B. C. Ellis, and others, came home to deposit their ballot.

Born, to Rev. and Mrs. David Lewis, Sunday night, a fine healthy daughter.

Miss Anna Doke returned the first of the week from her visit with Jackson friends.

A large number from abroad attended the funeral of Dr. Woodward Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner returned from her visit with Detroit friends Saturday night.

See "Old Kentucky" at Sutton's opera house Monday night. Ladies free. Prices 15c, 25c and 35c.

Already numerous applicants for the postoffice are in the field and the contest promises to be very exciting.

Mrs. Mary Codling, who has been attending Mrs. Elmer Halladay, returned to her home in Clinton Wednesday.

Miss Lou Rogers, of Adrian, came up Saturday and will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Emma Vedder.

Company C served an excellent supper to the members of Company B, of Adrian at the armory Friday evening.

We have the largest assortment of window shades in the county. Prices the lowest. WHEELER & SISSON.

Elliott Gray sent home a deer and patrons of Marsh's market have been indulging in "wild" meat since election.

We have received this week an Elegant line of New Dress Goods at prices lower than the lowest.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Martin Crossman is happy. The day after election William McKinley Crossman arrived at his house. Weight 7 1-2 pounds.

Fred Chiveral came home from Elkhart, Ind., to vote, and remained for a visit. He will return to Elkhart the first of the week.

Married, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, by the Rev. C. M. Brown at his residence, Robert Reed, of Macon, and Sarah Estic, of Stanton, Mich.

Mrs. W. J. Kies and son Joseph, who have been visiting here, returned to Elkhart, Ind., yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. J. S. Kies, of Clinton.

C. F. Field and wife attended the wedding of Mrs. Field's cousin, Harry Kies, and Miss Maretta Fellows in the township of Saline yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Morris Hyde, wife of Morris Hyde, died at the family residence at noon today, aged 86 years. A more extended notice will appear in the Herald next week.

This morning C. D. Keyes received a despatch that his adopted sister, Mrs. Walter S. Plumb, was dead. He leaves in the morning for Grand Rapids to attend the funeral which occurs Sunday afternoon.

Ernest Ruwoldt was either ugly and abusive to his family last evening or was off his base. In either case he caused quite a little excitement in the neighborhood and an officer was called in. What the outcome will be remains to be seen.

The ladies of the Research Circle, having made a fine collection of chrysanthemums, will place them on exhibit at the Heesen store, Nov. 11th and 12th. Doors open Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., continuing through the afternoon and evening. Thursday, through the day and evening. Admission 10 cents.

"In Old Kentucky," at opera house Monday night.

Clarence Conklin was home to vote, and returned Wednesday.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning "An Honest Inquiry."

A full account of the national election will be found on the first page.

The smoke stack at the table factory blew down yesterday about noon.

Chas. Bidwell, Jr., left for an "after election" trip on the road yesterday.

M. L. Root came from Portland, Maine, to vote and it is said that he voted.

Geo. Knapp has taken to the woods. Left the day after election — gone — ?

At the Methodist church next Sunday night Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject, "Gambling."

The steam shovel and a gang of men are at work in the gravel bank on the C. J. & M., west of town.

We have received New Capes, Coats and Jackets this week. We will sell them to you cheaper than any house in Southern Michigan will sell you the same class of Goods.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Hoyt's Comedy Company at Sutton's opera house one week, commencing Monday, Nov. 9th. Change of play each night.

Don't buy a cloak, a piece of underwear or a dollars worth of dry goods until you see my line. I will save you money. SEATON W. ANDERSON.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will serve a chicken pie supper at Masonic Temple Tuesday, Nov. 10th, commencing at 5 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. Supper 20 cts.

The ministers' conference will meet at 10 a. m. next Monday, at the parlors of the Baptist church for the purpose of reorganization and discussion. Pastors outside of town are earnestly invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nichols have the sympathy of their friends in the sorrow which has come to them by the death from pneumonia of Carl, their six-months-old baby-boy. Funeral at the house tomorrow morning.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. have cleaned their store up and are putting in a large assortment of all kinds of choice groceries as McKinley's election will open the mills, set the wheels moving and make business boom.

Jacob Totten died of pneumonia yesterday morning at one o'clock at the residence of his son-in-law, Charles Eldridge. The funeral will be held at the house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

Adamson Bros. have purchased and will soon have in position a fine sign consisting of an illuminated clock which will be suspended over the walk so that people on the streets can at a glance see the time. The boys are up to date in everything.

Will Spalding has been home this week packing his household goods which will be transferred to Toledo, where, for a time at least, the family will reside. While we regret to lose them from the community we trust the change may prove to their advantage.

B. L. Baxter, having traveled 140 miles to vote for McKinley and Pingree and visited Ridgeway and Deerfield on business, returns tomorrow morning to Battle Creek and Kalamazoo and will not be in Tecumseh again until Thanksgiving and possibly not until Dec. 4th.

Lucian Westcott, yesterday while helping his father to back a wagon heavily loaded with saw dust, had the misfortune to get his left foot under one of the wheels whereby the great toe was badly crushed, the nail torn off and the foot bruised generally. It will lay him up some time.

We have just received another lot of polished oak taborettes or jardineire stands and are selling them cheap. Call and see them. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. Lombard has received word from Mrs. Parker, at Ontonagon, that the box of clothing consigned to her by St. Peter's Guild, arrived a few weeks ago. The clothing was a welcome assistance and has been distributed among some of the most needy families who suffered from this summer's disastrous fire.

Subjects for Sunday in the Universalist church, morning, "And whoso falleth not down and worshipeth shall the same hour be cast into the midst of a burning fiery furnace." Daniel 3:6. Evening, "The Reformer." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "Our Sunday School," Matt. 19: 13-15; Joel 1: 3; Luke 2:46.

Next Saturday and Sunday will be quarterly meeting at the Friends' church, beginning at 10:30 each day. On Sabbath afternoon at two o'clock there will be a missionary address by Mrs. Emma B. Malone, of Cleveland, Ohio, to which all are specially invited. Mrs. Malone is a gifted and worthy lady. She will be at all the sessions of the meeting. Everybody is invited to attend.

We invite you to call and look over our complete stock of furniture and get our prices whether you intend buying or not. WHEELER & SISSON.

Willie O'Riley, son of David O'Riley, of the township of Clinton, who attends school here, met with a painful accident Wednesday about 1 p. m., which will necessitate the use of crutches for some time. He rides a mustang to and from school and takes his dinners at Thomas Hanley's. While returning from dinner Wednesday, as the tang, which was unshod, struck the crosswalk between the Lilley House and the James Block, which was damp, his feet went out from under him and he fell broadside, catching Willie's left leg and foot under him. The entire foot was severely bruised and the bone above the great toe joint was broken. He was taken to Dr. Howell's office, where he was made as comfortable as possible, and from there to Mr. Hanley's.

The guessing contest of the Standard Cabinet Co. closed the evening before election, the book sealed up and placed in the Lilley State Bank. As soon as the official returns are received, a committee will examine the guesses and award the prize to the winner, a report of which will appear in this paper as soon as the result is known.

We have the largest line of Underwear in Tecumseh, bought direct from manufacturers. You can save money and doctor's bills by buying now. Our Shoe, Rubber, Felt and Knit Goods Stock is larger and more complete this year than ever. Remember we are agents for E. Stout rag-proof Rubbers, the best Rubbers made. Come and see us and Save Money on your Winter Purchase, HARRIS & HITESHU.

The following republicans will dance and be merry this evening at the expense of the democrats also mentioned. All the result of an election bet made some weeks since. The republicans have the privilege of decorating the armory: Republicans, E. F. Kirchgessner, Geo. Tiffany, Merton Burlingame, Roy Burlingame, L. P. Tribou, John Nyland, Jas. Elliott, Jr., Cleo Hall, Fay Anderson, Will Sisson, Chas. Bidwell, Earle Updyke. Democrats, Lavern Smith, Leon Burlingame, Bert Garlinghouse, Don Bowen, Sumner Collens, J. R. Hosmer, Guy Davidson, W. H. Hayden, H. C. Moore, H. U. Kies, Walter Burridge, E. A. Coddington.

Election Day

In Tecumseh was quiet enough, still the workers were "sawing wood," 815 votes being polled which number is only 10 less than the registration. Following is the vote in detail of the entire ticket in Tecumseh:

Governor—Pingree 425, Sligh 342, Safford 11, Sprague 19, Giberson 3—Pingree's plurality 83.

Electors—McKinley 429, Bryan 355, Russel 9, Farr 5, Richards 3—McKinley's plurality 74.

Congressman—Spalding 426, Barkworth 353, Perry 12, Zabel (People's) 2, Rawson 3—Spalding's plurality 73.

State senator—Jibb 418, Chandler 341, Borough (p p) 2—Jibb's plurality 57.

Representative—Camburn 425, Burroughs 355, Beal 12—Camburn's plurality 70.

Probate judge—Robbins 389, Wood 395, Beal 11—Wood's plurality 6.

Sheriff—Ferguson 433, Illand 350, Warren 12—Ferguson's plurality 83.

Clerk—Mills 433, Gahagen 351, Lombard 11—Mills' plurality 82.

Register—Mills 427, Bramble 342, Bowerman 9—Mills' plurality 65.

Treasurer—Jacklin 428, Grandon 336, Todd 11—Jacklin's plurality 72.

Prosecutor—Bird 449, Helme 244, Bird's majority 96.

Commissioners—Robertson 428, Chapman 427, Clark 356, Mills 355.

Coroners—Hamilton 427, Knapp 422, Robertson 355, Johnson 356; Damon 11, Boland 13.

Surveyor—Blair 426, Baluss 355, Cole 11—Blair plurality 71.

The entire republican county ticket was elected and for the following pluralities in Lenawee county from governor down, the Herald is indebted to the Adrian Times:

Returns this year from the outlying districts have been exceptionally tardy in their transmission, and difficult to get. From 23 towns and wards received from reliable sources, at the Times office this morning, we make the following computation of pluralities on the republican ticket. The remaining townships may not materially affect these figures, and judging from their vote in previous years, any change will be to the advantage of the winning candidates:

Governor—Hazen S. Pingree, 736.

Representative in congress, second district—George Spalding, 638.

McKinley and Hobart electors, 649.

State senator, fifth district—William Jibb, 254.

Representative, first district—Thos. M. Camburn, 325.

Representative, second district—Wm. R. Edgar, 98.

Judge of probate—Richard B. Robbins, 496.

Sheriff—Edwin S. Ferguson, 626.

County clerk—Edwin Leroy Mills, 543.

Register of deeds—Mark B. Mills, 784.

Treasurer—James E. Jacklin, 817.

Prosecuting attorney—John E. Bird, 819.

Circuit court commissioners—Geo. Chapman, 690; Leslie B. Robertson, 462.

Coroners—Samuel M. Hamilton, 585; John I. Rnapp, 493.

Surveyor—James Blair, 669.

Cyrus Palmer.

We clip the following from the Centreville Observer as Cyrus Palmer, in a very early day, was a resident of Ridgeway township, where he has many relatives and was well known to all the old settlers in this region of the county. He was an uncle of Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of our village:—

Cyrus Palmer was born in Walworth, Wayne County New York, on May 17th, 1815, and died at his home in Nottawa township October 14th, 1896, at the advanced age of 81 years, 4 months and 27 days.

He was a son of John and Mary Palmer, who emigrated to Lenawee county, this state, in the spring of 1831, and settled on land in which is now Ridgeway township, where, after reaching a good old age, they passed from earth. They were the parents of eleven children, of whom Cyrus was the second son. He came with his parents when they removed to this state and was at that time fifteen years old. He continued to live with them until the year 1838, and then with his wife he came to this county and settled in Nottawa township.

He was married September 17th, 1837, to Miss Mary Schreder, in Lenawee county, Ridgeway township. When Mr. and Mrs. Palmer came to this county it was little better than a wilderness. Their first work after settling was to make a clearing; that done, to cultivate and improve the land. Their first home was constructed of logs, and in it they resided for a number of years.

Their golden wedding was celebrated September 17th, 1887. September 17th last was their 59th anniversary. Seldom do companions continue so long together in the journey of life. There were present on the day of the funeral their seven children, six of whom acted as pall bearers. All save two of them were at his bedside when the spirit took its departure.

In this, their hour of bereavement, the aged mother and seven children have the prayers and sympathy of neighbors and friends.

It is a notable fact that this pioneer is the last in St. Joseph county who yields up the title to his land which he has held from the general government since the days of Andrew Jackson. Their home never has been transferred nor mortgaged. Steadily the old pioneers have yielded their former possessions.

In the death of Mr. Palmer the township loses an honest, industrious and upright citizen, the neighborhood an excellent neighbor and sympathetic friend and the family a loving and kind parent.

The funeral services were largely attended and conducted by Rev. J. W. McDougall, of Mendon, from the home. His remains were laid to rest in the Ketchum cemetery.

A Golden Wedding.

Last Thursday afternoon, Oct. 22, 1896, a pleasant company of relatives and friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eberhart to pay their respects to this venerable couple and extend their congratulations to the aged ones, who have traveled down life's journey side by side for fifty years.

Owing to the feebleness of Mrs. Eberhart, the entertainment was given in the form of a reception, the guests being received by Miss Anna Eberhart and Mrs. John Gillespie, daughters of the bride and groom. A delicious collation was served in the dining room and each guest, upon departing, was given a souvenir in the form of a heart-shaped brochure with appropriate quotations, memorizing the event, written thereon, and tied with golden ribbon. The bride and groom were remembered with a number of choice presents while the children and grandchildren will ever cherish the memory of the day as one of those rare instances that come only to a favored few in the course of a life time.

—I had the pleasure of seeing the handsomest line of Flannelette Night Gowns opened at HARRIS & HITESHU'S. And the prices so low that every man, woman and child can keep warm this winter.

—Stamped doilies, splashers, pillow shams, etc., two for 5c and 5c each at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—We have a complete line of horse blankets, inspect them before purchasing. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Fresh fish every Friday at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—You see we have only a few left more and we are bound to clean out our entire Tecumseh stock. We mean it. They have got to go. MILLS BLOCK.

—Strictly fresh taffy every day at the City Bakery.

—For pocket and table cutlery and carving knives and forks call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

Best bulk oysters in Tecumseh at the City Bakery.

—New invoice of Heinz's pickles, mustard and sauer kraut at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—The most beautiful line of brass beds, new orders, fancy stands, and tables, in fact anything and everything in the furniture line can be found in great variety at Wheeler & Sisson.

—Wash tubs 35c, clothes baskets 35c, clothes pins at 10c per hundred. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Oysters served in any style at our lunch counter. CITY BAKERY.

—If I were you I wouldn't buy a dollars worth of goods until I saw the goods and prices they are making now at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Fine fresh mince meat, strictly pure and clean at Dickinson Bros.'

—Doll cabs from 25c to $1.25 at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Hoyt's Comedy Company open an engagement of one week at Sutton's opera house commencing Monday, Nov. 9. Change of play each night. Ladies free on opening night if accompanied by an escort with a paid reserve seat ticket, or two ladies admitted on one paid reserved seat ticket. Prices 15c, 25c and 35c.

—Cooking materials in granite iron ware are very cheap at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Blankets, underwear, work shirts, fine shirts, pants, overalls, etc., any price to close out. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—See the name on the leg of the genuine "Round Oak" at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—You can find the ladies best 10c hosiery at the Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—My china and fancy goods are carefully selected from the largest factories the world and my prices are the lowest. C. H. TANSLEY.

—Those new kind of lamp chimneys at Tansley's excel anything on the market.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—See the new lamps from 25c up, at Tansley's.

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Sweet Mixed
Sour Spiced
and Sweet Spiced.

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And her heart was in a flutter;
For when she came from school one day,
Her ma had lamb for supper."

And possibly its fleece was used in the Wool Boots and Knit Socks we've been selling? We don't know about that, but we do know that our line of Wool Boots and Knit Socks is complete for the season of '96 and '97.

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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

DIRECTIONS

Apply a particle of the Balm directly into the nostrils. After a moment draw strong breath through the nose. Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring.

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Ely's Cream Balm.

Opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages

COLD IN HEAD

A particle is applied directly into the nostrils and is agreeable. Price 50c at druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren street, New York.

THE ELECTION.

The State Goes for McKinley—Pingree Elected Governor.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Chairman Ferry, of the republican state central committee, claims Michigan by 50,000, and the returns received up to midnight make his estimate probably a conservative one. Figuring from the two o'clock count, Pingree has received a plurality of 5,000, with McKinley running a close second. This may be reduced. A careful estimate, based on returns at hand, show that at least four out of twelve of the congressmen will be republican, and the entire delegation is not an improbability.

The following congressmen, all republican, are known to be elected:

First district	John B. Corliss
Fourth district	H. H. Hamilton
Fifth district	William Alden Smith
Seventh district	H. C. Smith
Ninth district	R. I. Fisher
Eleventh district	W. S. Mesick
Twelfth district	C. D. Sheldon

In the presidential election of 1892 Michigan cast 476,217 votes, giving the state to the republicans by a plurality of 20,412. In the state election of 1894 Michigan went republican by the largest majority the state has ever given. There were 416,538 votes cast, and of these 237,215 went to the republican candidate, giving a republican plurality of 106,392.

Appended dispatches from various points throughout the state tell how the battle at the polls was waged:

Adrian—Returns thus far show republicans carry Lewanee county by 500 for McKinley and Spalding for congress. Pingree, for governor, runs ahead. Six towns and four wards of this city give Bryan 2,083, McKinley, 2,333.

Benton Harbor—St. Joseph gives McKinley 630; Bryan, 320. Palmer, 68—a republican gain of 130. The county will go 2,500 for McKinley. Eth Hamilton, for congress, will get a few more votes than McKinley Pingree, for governor, has 2,300 plurality.

Big Rapids—The republicans have carried this city by 300 and Mecosta county by from 700 to 800.

Cassopolis—This town gives Bryan 113 plurality. Fourteen townships give Bryan 115 plurality. Democratic gain over 1892, 200. Jarvis, for congress, gets about the same vote.

Constantine—Constantine gives 140 plurality to McKinley, the largest republican plurality ever given. Three townships show republican gain of 150 over 1892.

Decatur—Decatur township gives McKinley 277; Bryan, 269. Incomplete returns from Van Buren county indicate a republican majority of 600 to 800, as against 2,600 at the last state election.

Grand Haven—This city gives McKinley 675; Bryan, 364. Smith, republican, for congress, 689; Hummer, silver democrat, 366. Pingree, republican, for governor, 707; Sligh, silver democrat, 315; Sprague, gold democrat, 46. This is a republican gain of one-third since the last election in this city.

Ironwood—Eight wards of this city give McKinley 1,688; Bryan, 574. The same wards in 1892 gave Harrison 2,344; Cleveland, 1,615. Pingree, for governor, and Sheldon, republican, for congress, have the same vote as McKinley. Eleven precincts in Gogebic county out of 18 give McKinley 1,533 and Bryan 663.

Marquette—McKinley and Hobart carry the town by about 150, a change of 200 or 300 votes. The town usually goes democratic by from 50 to 200.

Sault Ste. Marie—Chippewa county gives McKinley 700 plurality; republican gain of 500. This city gives McKinley a plurality of 400, a gain over 1892 of 324.

Hudson—The Abbott voting machine, which was given its first test here Tuesday, proves to be all that was claimed for it. Hudson has 700 votes and not a single person experienced trouble in voting quickly and without confusion. The entire vote of the city was polled at least two hours before the polls closed. One blind and one armless man voted on the machine. Following is the official result: McKinley, 402; Bryan, 273; Palmer, 13; congressman, Spalding, republican, 396; Barkworth, silver democrat, 276; governor, Pingree, 371; Sligh, 279; Sprague, 27. McKinley's plurality here is a gain of 60 over 1892.

FARM AND GARDEN.

FOR SMOKING MEATS.

How to Improvise a Suitable House in a Few Moments.

The approach of the season when meats are usually preserved by smoking, calls up suggestions in regard to this subject. One plan is illustrated herewith. Where one has but a few pieces of meat to smoke, a smokehouse may be improvised in a few moments by taking two empty barrels and arranging them in the manner shown in the cut. In the side of the lower barrel is cut an opening, in which an old

IMPROVISED SMOKE HOUSE.

kettle is set, filled with smoldering chips or corncobs. The upper barrel has either hooks in its bottom or sides—the bottom of the barrel now being uppermost—or has rods passing through the sides, on which to hang the meat. A small hole can be bored in the barrel's bottom, to give a slight draft, if needed, while the opening in front of the kettle can be closed if the draft proves too strong. A simple little arrangement of this sort will often do as much good work as one on which much money and labor have been spent.

The same plan is suggested for use in fumigating articles, or for bleaching articles with burning sulphur. For such purposes, a tighter chamber is required than is needed for smoking meat. This tightness can be secured by wrapping cloth about the point of union of the two barrels, while no opening need be made at the base of the lower barrel.—Country Gentlemen.

SELECTING SEED CORN.

A Task Whose Importance Is Not Realized by Some Farmers.

Selection of seed corn and its care afterwards are of much more importance than many realize until bitter disappointment faces them, with perhaps one-third of a stand, and then it is too late to recover for the year. And still farmers go right on and do the same thing another year. While I always go into the field and select early at least a part of my seed, I do not plant such selection unless I have failed at husking time to gather such as I desire. I can select just the size and shape that seems best to my mind at that time and I cure it in the chamber over the kitchen stove and leave it there until wanted in the ear. I would not shell any I did not use for the year, and during my entire life I have never so saved corn that 95 per cent. would not grow, and seldom ever any fails even at three years old. While the early ripening will always grow and will make very early corn, after a number of years of such saving I am satisfied the variety grows small by so doing. I prefer to plant and sow the largest and best of its kind. At husking time, either from stalk or shock, one can make the selection. Leave enough husk on the ear and throw to one side of the wagon, and in this way the corn can be selected with little or no hindrance, and unless there has been very hard freezing with corn damp there is very little danger of its not growing, if properly cared for after picking.—Cor. Live Stock Indicator.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

Every hog feeder should know at what weight to sell.

Ewes should always be in a thrifty condition when bred.

Every feeder should know the ration that is best for his animals.

Kind treatment generally begets a gentle disposition in a horse.

Plenty of salt and water will help to maintain good health with hogs.

On many farms during the fall months is one of the best times to drain.

The corn shucking should be pushed now. Get it all under shelter as soon as possible.

It is poor economy to feed wet fodder to stock by scattering on the ground on a rainy day.

There should be a sufficient growth of grass left on the meadows to properly mulch the plants.—Farmers' Union.

The Farmer's Happy Home.

A recent letter from the superintendent of farmers' institutes in the state of Pennsylvania states "that at every two day's institute held in the state during the coming winter the evening session of the first day is to be set apart to the ladies, and the topic is to be 'Country Homes.' All topics relating to home life in the country will be included, such as the construction of homes, the heating, lighting, ventilating and sanitary arrangements for country homes; the water supply, sewage and plumbing for houses in the country; the cooking of food, the care of the sick, the care of the children; flower gardening, kitchen gardening, house decoration, and all that relates in any way to comfort, convenience, health and enjoyment in a country home."

ABOUT KAFFIR CORN.

Valuable Pointers Supplied by the Kansas Experiment Station.

A recent bulletin issued by the Kansas experiment station says that in an average season red Kaffir corn will mature in about 12 or 14 weeks. Planted in the middle or latter part of May, the seed is ripe by the middle of September, and it should be harvested at once. The fodder will remain green until frost, but this fact should not be made an excuse for putting off the harvesting. The earlier it is cut after the seed is ripe the more time will there be for the stalks to cure, which is an essential point, especially if the fodder is stacked. Any of the many good corn cutters on the market will do the work. When the seed has dried out sufficiently so it can be stored, which condition it will not reach until the end of November, it should be threshed. It is true that many growers feed the crop as it comes from the shock, seed and all, but it is a wasteful way to handle it, though of course the cost of threshing and grinding must be taken into consideration, and doubtless there are considerations under which this cost will exceed the value of the waste incurred by feeding without threshing or grinding. One way of proceeding is to gather the heads in the field, as corn is gathered, before the crop is cut. A better way is to cut the heads off in the stock after the seed is dry, and thresh them at once. We have on one occasion threshed the whole stalk, but this has the objection that the fodder is badly broken up, and it also requires that the stalks shall be well cured in order to avoid heating when stacked. We have also threshed it by taking each armful of fodder and sticking the heads into the cylinder for an instant; but this method requires too much handling of the whole crop and is, therefore, not desirable, unless the fodder in the process of stacking or storing away must be handled anyway. As in the handling of corn fodder, it is desirable to save as much time as possible. The seed is hard and brittle, especially the red sort, and will sometimes crack badly in threshing. When this is the case it can largely be remedied by removing the concave in the thresher and putting in boards instead. For the reason noted above the seed should be ground, and the finer the better, in order to utilize it to the best advantage.

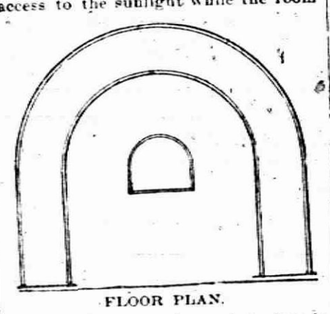
ADDITION FOR PLANTS.

How the Dwelling House May Be Provided with One Cheaply.

A small plant house can quite readily be provided by building an addition to the sunny side of the dwelling house. If this is given too much the aspect of a greenhouse—by making the addition rectangular and having a glass roof—

VIEW OF PLANT HOUSE.

the appearance of the house is seriously injured, as the addition savors too much of commercial plant growing. A perspective view of an added plant room that is at once a graceful addition to a house, and a most serviceable room for plants, is shown in the accompanying illustration. Fig. 1, with a floor plan, Fig. 2, showing the interior arrangement. The circular shape gives great access to the sunlight while the room



FLOOR PLAN.

is made high enough so that glass is not needed in the roof. The center bench can be used for some lofty plant, or plants, which will be in full view from the room adjoining. Portieres separate the two rooms. One who is anything of a mechanic can construct this without the aid of a carpenter, but it would be well to employ a carpenter to lay out the job and make water-tight connections at roof and sides of the house.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Pat Followed Instructions.

An Irish laborer, who was somewhat new to his work, was plowing one day, and the furrows being uneven, the farmer told him to look at something at the other end of the field as a guide. "That cow by the gate," said he, "is right opposite us. Now, work straight for here." "Right you are, sur," says Pat. Coming back later on the farmer was quite horrified to find the plow had been traveling zig-zag all over the field. "How is this?" said he. "What have you been doing?" "Shure, sur," was Pat's reply, "I did what you told me. I worked straight for the cow, but the craychur didn't keep still."

Frost as a Pulverizer.

Make the frost do some of the work of pulverizing the soil. When sod lands or soils that are difficult to reduce are plowed late in the fall the frost pulverizes the lumps and also destroys any insects that are brought to the surface. The expansion and contraction of the rough plowed land by alternate freezing and thawing will bring it to a fine state before spring, at which time cross plowing will cause it to turn over in a mellow condition for crops.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Charles Logan, of St. Joseph, was fatally kicked, Thursday, by a horse.

Hog cholera is reported at several points in the southern part of the state.

It is said that the pumpkin crop in Michigan this year is the smallest raised in the state for 25 years past.

John Thompson's suit for $25,000 against the street railway company of Kalamazoo, resulted in a verdict of no cause of action.

The flax mills at Croswell, Downington, Berne, Fargo, Yale and Brown City, have shut down indefinitely, throwing 150 men out of employment.

A petition is being circulated at Charlotte asking for the resubmission of the local option law to the voters of the county at a special election.

The store of Mrs. D. H. Burrows, in Armada, was burglarized, early Thursday morning, and $300 worth of goods were carted off by the burglars.

A petition is being circulated in Montmorency county asking for a grand jury to investigate the financial accounts of the county, which are alleged to be in a bad way.

Hunters are flocking to the northern woods. Every Alpena and Mackinaw train from Bay City carries from 20 to 50 hunters and their traps from the southern part of the state.

The school at Pine Run, in Genesee county, has been closed on account of diphtheria among the pupils. It is thought that the drinking water used is responsible for the epidemic.

A peculiar disease has appeared among the horses on the stock farm of William Hammond, near the city of Pontiac. Suddenly the color of the nostril changes, and without apparent pain or sickness the animal dies.

While digging a hole, a Niles man came across the skeleton of an Indian buried about two feet below the surface. The skeleton was in perfect condition, and on each wrist was a metal bracelet, while beside the body lay a fine scalping knife.

IN GOOD FINANCIAL CONDITION.

Statement at the Banks of Michigan Show a Sound System.

Lansing, Oct. 30.—The state banking department of Michigan has issued a consolidated report of the condition of the 174 banks and four trust companies of the state at the close of business, October 6, which is of more than ordinary interest at this time, when financial matters occupy public attention so extensively.

The total resources of the state banks are $55,035,972, of which $60,016,689 is in loans and discounts; overdrafts, $199,076; banking-house furniture and fixtures, $1,794,917; other real estate, $1,094,815; premiums paid, $25,940; due from banks and bankers, $464,762; due from banks in reserve cities, $9,393,600; exchange for clearing houses, $277,088; checks and cash items, $301,278; nickels and cents, $23,216; gold coin, $2,210,185; silver coin, $277,640; United States and national bank notes, $2,357,460.

The liabilities are as follows: Paid up capital stock, $12,505,700; surplus, $2,860,281; undivided pr its less current expenses and taxes paid, $1,907,515; dividends unpaid, $3,745; commercial deposits, subject to check, $15,110,040; certificates of deposit, $7,948,344; saving deposits, $11,915,262; certificate checks, $44,351; cashiers' checks, $57,141; due to banks and bankers, $2,319,282; rediscounts, $309,048; bills payable, $55,000.

DIES AT PRAYER MEETING.

Heart Disease Overcomes Rev. W. H. Allworth in a Lansing Church.

Lansing, Oct. 31.—Rev. William H. Allworth, a Congregational minister of prominence in Michigan and Canada, died under peculiar circumstances Thursday night. He attended the midweek prayer-meeting at Plymouth church and while making a fervent talk on the broad catholicity of the church fell to the floor and died instantly of heart disease. He was for 17 years a pastor at Paris, Ont., and was 78 years old.

Prepare to Log 34,000,000 Feet.

Menominee, Nov. 3.—A big crew of men have been sent up on the Popple river by the Scofield Arnold company to build a large warehouse and several camps. They have a contract to log 34,000,000 feet belonging to the Schroeder Lumber company of Milwaukee and will put in 16,000,000 feet of this amount this winter. Two hundred and twenty deer licenses have already been taken out by residents of this city.

Insane from Cigarette Smoking.

Jackson, Nov. 2.—Robert O'Connor, aged 18, son of a wealthy man of Louisville, Ky., escaped Saturday night from the Sanitarium at Battle Creek, where he is being treated for insanity, and bought a ticket for Detroit. He was arrested by Jackson officers and returned to Battle Creek Sunday. The young man's insanity is said to have been caused by smoking cigarettes. He is very wild and violent.

Victim of Hydrophobia.

Saginaw, Oct. 30.—William Manchke, aged 35, died in Saginaw hospital, Thursday morning, after having been in great agony for 24 hours, of hydrophobia. The young man was bitten by a dog afflicted with the distemper, last June. He leaves a widow and three children.

Home Ordered Sold.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 31.—In the United States court a decree was made ordering the sale of the home of Leroy A. More to satisfy creditors of the defunct Greenville national bank, of which he was president. The place is the finest in the town and is worth about $15,000.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 2.—It is said that the receipts to celery growers in this vicinity for this year's crop will be less than $400,000, a considerable reduction from the usual figure. The loss was caused by the overflowing of the Kalamazoo river early in the spring.

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It is understood that Mrs. Minna Thomas Antrim's new book, "A Man of That Sort," will be even more interesting than its companion bit of literary work, "A Woman of That Description."

EFFECT OF MUSIC.

The Nervous System Influenced by Different Kinds of Sounds.

The old story that Saul when out of temper used to summon David to play the harp, and found the music to be a sedative, may prove to be more than a simple historic incident, for both Charcot and Tarchanow have declared that musical sounds are a remedial agency in disease which no physician can afford to ignore, says the New York Herald.

Mr. Warthin, of Michigan, who has given a great deal of thought to this subject, asserts that different kinds of sounds are more effective than drugs in the cure of disease. For instance, he boldly assures us that the music of Valkyrie will increase perspiration, and, therefore, cure certain forms of ailment caused by checking its flow. The operative energy is not the music as such, but the peculiar vibrations made by it. Tannhauser, on the other hand, is a vibratory soporific and induces a serene state of mind and body.

M. Coriveaud, of Paris, asserts that violin playing is at least a temporary remedy for sciatica. He adduces the instance of a patient who found almost instant relief in that way and who successfully resorted to it whenever threatened with an attack.

Perhaps this is an appeal to the imagination, but what matters it if the patient is cured? Perhaps, again, there is a law hidden somewhere in the pile of apparent impossibilities—one which will some time be discovered for our benefit. We never smile with incredulity at anything in these wonder-working days.

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Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Dupont.....	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15 "
Carnell.....	6 27 "	2 29 "	1 30 "
Manchester.....	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton.....	6 58 "	3 01 "	2 10 "
Tecumseh.....Ar	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 20 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	3 00 "
Toledo.....	10 45 "	6 40 "	.....
Detroit.....	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 838 Express.	No. 84 Accom
Detroit.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
Toledo.....	11 05 "	7 50 "	8:00 A.M.
Adrian.....	11 50 "	8 50 "	9 00 "
Tecumseh.....	12 22 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton.....	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 16 "
Manchester.....	12 58 "	9 50 "	8 50 "
Carnell.....	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	9 22 "
Dupont.....	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44 "
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" 23,	Passenger	5:30 p. m.
" 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

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" 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
" 26,	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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HOW SHE FOOLED HIM.

BY HELEN GRAVES.

The momentous interview between Mrs. Jefferson Wayland and Mr. Hopkins was over at last—and the lady was heartily glad that it was so. All her smiles and suavity were needed—all her slender stock of patience was exhausted.

"Of all intolerable creatures, I do think an old bachelor is the most intolerable," thought Mrs. Wayland to herself, looking at Mr. Hopkins with the sweetest and most interested of expression. "I wonder if he really means to stay here all day—and I have an engagement at two!"

But Mr. Hopkins had risen to his feet at last, with an "ahem," and a manifest intention of going, and Mrs. Wayland rose, too, with a soft rustle of silken robes and expensive laces.

"Then you think, madam, that circumstances are tolerably auspicious as regards the consummation of my matrimonial happiness within a very brief period of time?" was Mr. Hopkins' final query.

"My dear sir, I am quite sure of it," answered Mrs. Wayland, emphatically, as she followed Noah Hopkins, Esquire, to her front door.

Noah was a tall, portly gentleman, something on the shady side of 50, with massive gold eye-glasses, and scanty hair, brushed carefully to hide the bald spot on the crown of his respectable head—a gentleman who pronounced his words slowly and sententiously and somehow seemed to carry in his very presence the auriferous idea of bank stock, railroad bonds and productive coupons!

"Yes, but, madam, Miss Wayland is so very—ahem!—so remarkably undemonstrative—I might even say so decidedly cold in her manner—"

"Oh, my dear sir," smoothly interrupted Mrs. Wayland, "that is the way with all girls at this interesting period of their lives. Nothing on earth but maidenly shyness—natural girlish timidity, I assure you!"

Mr. Hopkins looked gratified, but still doubtful.

"You are quite certain, then, that she really loves me?"

"There cannot possibly be a doubt of it, Mr. Hopkins!"

And Noah Hopkins departed, treading gleefully over the ringing pavements as his thoughts reverted ever and anon to the pretty 18-year-old damsel who was, cupid willing, so soon to become Mrs. Hopkins.

But what did Bessy Wayland herself think of it? And how did she contemplate the near approach of orange blossoms and wedding ring?

She sat there by the window, as her mother returned from bidding a ceremonious adieu to Mr. Hopkins, a modern edition of Niobe, "all in tears."

She was small and fragile, with shady blue eyes, rather large and languishing; light brown hair that had an irresistible inclination to curl all over her head in tiny gold-burnished rings, and cheeks where changing dimples hid away among the loveliest roses.

"Crying again, my dear?" said Mrs. Wayland, in accents of mild reproach. "Really, Bessie, your conduct is most inscrutable."

"Mamma!" sobbed Bessie, flashing rebellion from the brimming blue orbs, "I hate Mr. Hopkins!"

"My dearest child!" exclaimed the horrified mother, "don't let me ever hear you say such a shockingly unladylike thing again! When he is so condescending as to notice a child like you!"

"Yes, but, mamma—"

"I quite understand the meaning of this new freak of obstinacy," went on Mrs. Wayland, sternly. "You have seen Charley Evans again."

"I couldn't help it, mamma," faltered Bessie; "he was at the door just as I came out of church last night, and when I—"

"The idea!" ejaculated Mrs. Wayland, holding up both her hands and looking appealingly at the ceiling, as if for inspiration. "And you can actually stoop to fancy a clerk in Mr. Hopkins' banking establishment!"

"But I don't 'fancy' him, mamma," returned Bessie, stoutly; "I love him with my whole heart."

"Hush—sh—h!" exclaimed Mrs. Wayland, authoritatively. "You will be married a month from to-morrow to Mr. Hopkins, Charley Evans to the contrary notwithstanding. And now let us sit down and make out a complete list of the dresses and things you will want."

"I don't care for dresses," pouted Bessie; but Mrs. Wayland paid no attention whatever to her remonstrance and opened her tablets, putting the pencil thoughtfully to her lips.

"You see, we must be very careful at first, for Mr. Hopkins is so exceedingly economical—it won't do to shock his ideas of what is proper and fitting."

Bessie winked away the tears and listened—nay, she almost smiled as her mother wrote down item after item. Mrs. Wayland could have hugged herself for her diplomacy.

"The girl never yet lived who could resist the attraction of new clothes and an outfit of dresses," she thought. "I knew how to bring the willful little minx to reason!"

"Bessie," she said, as she finally closed the little set of tablets and restored the pencil to its place within them, "Mr. Hopkins is coming to take you out walking to-morrow."

"Very well, mamma."

"And I think you had better wear your blue silk with the double satin folds. Never mind about putting on your new earrings and pin. Mr. Hopkins has some rather peculiar ideas, and might consider them a little extravagant for people in our circumstances."

"Yes, mamma," said Bessie, as docile as a four-year-old child.

She was all ready, looking exceedingly lovely in the blue silk dress, when Mr. Noah Hopkins called for her, according to the programme, next morning.

"What a lucky fellow I am," thought Noah, exultantly, as he drew the little gloved hand within his arm, with a sensation of proprietorship very agreeable to experience.

"Do stop a minute, Mr. Hopkins," said Bessie, as they reached the glittering splendors of a jeweler's window, "I just want to look at those pretty things! Aren't those rubies perfectly splendid. You're going to buy me a set of emeralds and diamonds, aren't you, when we are married? And a real Geneva watch with a bouquet of brilliants on the case? And a pair of those lovely link bracelets? I never had much jewelry, but when I'm married, I mean to buy everything that is pretty. And you'll get me a parure of big white pearls, won't you?"

"I—I'll think of it," stammered Mr. Hopkins, rather taken aback by the extent of his bride-elect's expectations.

"It will be so nice to have a rich husband," went on Bessie, artlessly. "Mamma says you'll let me have a carriage and a pair of darling little cream-colored ponies, that I can drive myself, with silver-mounted harness, and—"

"Y-yes, but you don't consider, my dear—horses are shockingly expensive," interrupted Noah, wiping his brow with a huge yellow silk pocket handkerchief.

"What of that? You're rich, aren't you? I shall have a housekeeper, and two maids, and a colored waiter, and white kid gloves—"

"Kid gloves are two dollars a pair, my dear," apologetically put in Mr. Hopkins.

"That's nothing, as long as one has a rich husband! We shall go to Saratoga, or the White mountains, for at least two months every year, of course. I always did sigh for a gay life and plenty of excitement."

"Sixty dollars a week for eight weeks—four hundred and eighty dollars!" mentally computed Noah, with a slight shiver. "I shall come to the poorhouse, as sure as I'm a living sinner!"

"And as many dresses as I want," pursued Bessie, clapping her little hands. "Mrs. Glenn has 32 silks, and I don't know how many of nuns' veiling and taffetas. Oh, Noah, how glad I am that you are rich!"

Noah Hopkins stared confusedly down at the blue eyes that were upturned to his so unconsciously.

"You'll have a billiard table, of course? I dote on billiards—and a yacht, for I'm so fond of the salt air, and sea bathing, and—"

"I'll have a private insane asylum and put myself in it first!" ejaculated Noah, driven to the very borders of distraction. "Miss Wayland, I must have entirely misunderstood your character, from beginning to end!"

"I shouldn't at all wonder if you had," said Bessie, demurely.

"I certainly never for an instant contemplated such frightful extravagance as you seem to coolly take for granted."

"If I marry a rich husband I certainly mean to use his money and enjoy it," said Bessie, defiantly.

"Then, ma'am, allow me to remark that you will not use mine! I—I prefer remaining single!"

"And what's to become of me, with all my wedding clothes ordered?" whimpered Bessie, trying very hard to summon the semblance of mortified tears into her mischievous blue eyes.

"Perhaps you might prefer some younger man?" suggested Noah, with the lively horror of a breach of promise suit rising up before his mind's eye. "I understand that my clerk, Mr. Evans, is—"

Bessie's cheeks glowed like carmine.

"Mr. Evans' situation does not justify him in marrying—he is too poor. I'm afraid you'll have to take me yourself."

Noah involuntarily recoiled from the idea of pony carriages, cream-colored horses and yachts.

"Yes, but—but our head clerkship is vacant, at a salary of $2,000 a year. I did intend it for old Bogsley, but Charley Evans is a very deserving young fellow, and—"

Here Miss Bessie interrupted him by standing on her tiptoe to give him a kiss that almost shook his resolutions of celibacy. But he remembered the colored waiter, with the white kid gloves, and stood firm!

"But what will mamma say?" suddenly questioned Bessie.

"I will make it all right with her, my dear," said Mr. Noah Hopkins, thinking of the gorgeous India shawl full of palm leaves and pagodas, wherewith he would propitiate the impending anger of his mother-in-law that was not to be.

"It'll cost a deuce of a sum," thought Noah, sorrowfully, "but it won't compare with the daily and hourly drain of an extravagant wife. I'm well out of this scrape, shawl or no shawl!"

So our little Bessie went triumphantly home, to work at her wedding garments with renewed zeal, sewing a happy thought in with every stitch, and Charley Evans was that very day agreeably surprised with a $2,000 position, formally presented to him with a little stiff speech by Noah Hopkins, Esq.

"Poor Evans," thought Noah, as Charley left him after a torrent of thanks, "that extravagant little puss will be the ruin of him, before he is a year older; but it's no business of mine."

Nevertheless, Mr. Evans would persist in rushing blindly upon his fate, and married Bessie Wayland on the very day originally set for the consummation of Noah's own nuptials. Mr. Hopkins went to the wedding, and muttered thoughtfully to himself, as the bridal party passed beneath the arched doorway of the church:

"Good Apollo! what an escape I have had!"

But Mr. and Mrs. Evans were quite contented with the existing state of things.—N. Y. Weekly.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty-third, 1887, and recorded on the 25th day of May 1887, in the Registers office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 286, which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 28th, 1891, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assignement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1891, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 318,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 66-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Village lot number fourteen (14) of Eber Sherman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 8th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said mortgage.

Charles Burrige Attorney for assignee.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned John L. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and Webster Anderson, who severally reside in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, have formed a limited partnership pursuant to the provisions of chapter 78, of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the state of Michigan. The terms which are as follows:

The name of the firm under which the partnership business is to be conducted is Anderson & Rosacrans.

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The general partners are John L. Anderson and Fred Rosacrans.

The special partner is Webster Anderson and the above named are all the persons who are interested in said partnership business.

The capital stock contributed by said Webster Anderson is three thousand dollars in cash.

This partnership is to commence on the 28th day of September, 1896, and terminates on the 28th day of September, 1898. Dated September, 28th, 1896.

John L. Anderson.
Fred Rosacrans.
Webster Anderson.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 2nd day of November in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Addison Hardenburg deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alice B. Hardenburg, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to this statute in such case made and provided that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as this court shall deem proper.

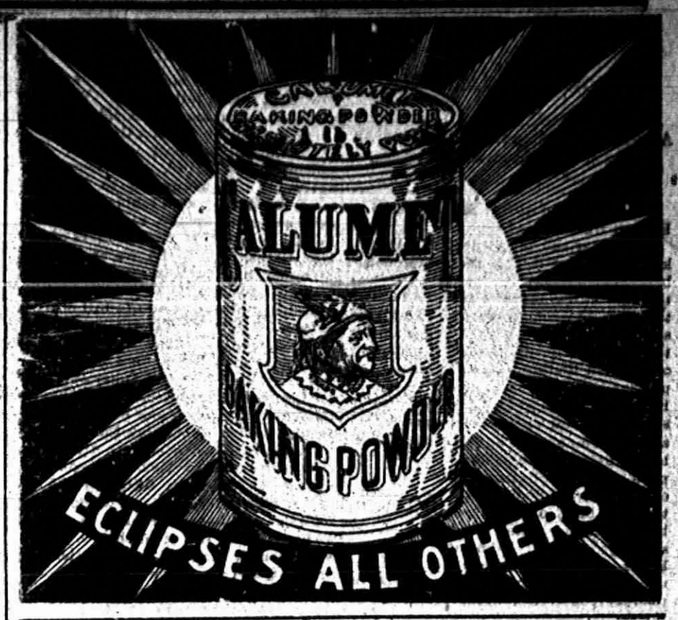
It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of November, 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.



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DOWN THE DANUBE.

Among Carpathian Hills—Fourteenth Letter of this Interesting Voyage.

Heidelberg, Sept. 20, 1896.

EDITOR HERALD:—

Soon after the adventure at O. Palanka, we reached Bazias and entered the beautiful hills of the Southern Carpathians. It was with a feeling of awe that we entered upon the marvelous solemnity of those hills. Never among the Alps or the more rugged grandeur of our own Rockies have I been so impressed with mountain charms as here. High up on the grassy declivities, the shepherds and their flocks moved idly along. The quaint pipes of the shepherds make the vast slopes vocal with pastoral sound that would have delighted the ear of Theocritus. The many tinkling bells of the sheep are reverbrated among the rocks and sound sweetly as the babbling mountain brook. Truly, the wonders of the Danube for the seventy miles from Moldova to the Iron Gates, are overwhelming For us, it was filled with dangers. The perils had been recited to us daily and those who saw our boat shook their heads decisively and said it was impossible. At Moldova, begins the grand defile. On either side, rise the tremendous iron gray rocks three to four hundred feet straight up. On the Servian side there is no road, but the Hungarian Szechenyi has caused a road to be cut in the face of the rock on the Hungarian side. As we entered between these beetling cliffs, we passed the Babakaj rock, the gigantic silent sentinel which stands in mid stream as if to repulse all intruders. To our right, on a pinnacle of the rock, stood the ruined fortress Golubac, perhaps as picturesque as ever ruin could be. Opposed to it, is the ruin Lazylovar. In the face of these massive rocks, many caverns open their dark mouths. From the large Golubac cavern, the poisonous flies swarm, which sting and ki many cattle. So the simple peasant b eves. You may be as credulous as you please. We clambered up to one of these hungry looking caverns and, to satisfy the adventurous cravings of my wife, we ventured some distance into the gloomy maw. The multitude of bats clinging to the wall and the uncanny odors like those from catacombs, drove us back at last. The sweet air of day is more pleasant than the melancholy breath of the nether world. Near by was a moss covered grotto whence water dripped continually and where green lizards ran hither and thither as we approached. Back to the river again, where we were now scorched by the hot winds which rush through the defile, and now gliding swiftly and coolly in the shade of some monster shaggy rock. Where the precipitous rock gave way to slopes just habitable, we saw for the first time what is the common lower down on the ri ... is, hay stacked in trees. The u ... anches are cut away and an outs ... e supports the load. They look like huge toadstools on these slopes. At Dre ... va, we went over the first of the six le ... es of rock which cause the six rapids of the Danube. The grandeur and stern beauty of this region must be seen: I cannot describe it. It was amid these awful surroundings that one after another we shot four of these terrific rapids I own that I experienced a thrill of terror now and then as a powerful whirlpool twisted us around and seemed to cast us out as if unworthy of its strength, or we passed perilously near one of those black rocks about which the turbulent water boiled and seethed. You cannot appreciate the fearful power of the mighty Danube without actually being in its grasp. Once we were driven irresistably upon a rock. Luckily we struck squarely and our stout little craft only swung round and went stern first through the remainder of the rapids. We had both been thrown from our seats and badly frightened, but, when I drew the boat on land to examine, I found we had suffered no damage. One of the chief dangers for us was the choppy sea, which we found about the middle of each rapids. Our united efforts were necessary to keep upright. Well, we passed safely four of the six rapids, but the terror, the Iron Gates, was still before us. It was passable only on the Servian side, said the guide book, "Keep to the Servian side and near the shore," said every fisherman or raftsman whom we asked. We had camped in a broad, lake-like basin just before the famous Defile of Kasan and and after a sleepless night arose to pass a day among the grandest works of Nature. That defile! how can I convey any idea of it? The emminent overhanging cliffs, the superb stream 200 feet deep confined to the narrow limits of 180 yards, the Veterani cavern which the Austrians so bravely defended against the Turk in 1682, and the extremely interesting traces of Trajan's road through this pass—these, and all those other indescribable things, make this defile incomparable. Trajan's inscription, now barely legible, may be seen on a perpendicular cliff opposite Gradina. It commemorates the first Dacian campaign and the completion of the roads above mentioned. At Orsova, we landed and were at once met by a beggar boy, a Romanian. We gave him a loaf of bread which was past its usefulness for us, and for a reward his hideous, dirty mother came to the water's edge and insisted upon telling my wife's fortune. She shuffled a filthy pack of cards and urged my wife to draw. Sancho could face the dangers of the rapids, but she flinched and blanched before that vile deck of cards. Nothing daunted, the woman made motions and facial contortions meaning, evidently, that Sancho would have a grand palace, and lots of money. Having performed her functions, the witch retired smirking. After going up to see where Kossath burried the crown of Hungary in 1849, we continued down the river to the first Romanian town. Being hailed by a sentinel, we went ashore. An old man sat soaking his legs in mud, while his wife, playing with a pet ram, sat on the grass near him. The guard made motions to follow him, and I fell in line. When we came to the custom house offic ... I succeeded, with the aid of a German idler, in getting my passport approved. The officers were polite, handsome and agreeable. On returning to the boat we decided th shoot a rapids just ahead of us and came for the night. We had heard so much of the dangers of the Iron Gates, where the water falls sixteen feet in one and one-half miles that I wanted good daylight for it. It was now dusk. We got into the full current of the river, were carried at a terrific speed for a mile, and by a dexterous turn got into a return edey near shore, and landed. I asked a fisherman how far the Iron Gates were. He looked at me stupidly and shook his head. We camped on a narrow ledge for the night. Next morning the wind was strong and I did not care to risk so dangerous a passage as the Iron Gates would be. We climbed high up on the mountain side, but could see no rapids as far as we could view the river below. Then we returned, tied all loose articles to the boat, and when my wife had safely adjusted her life preserver, made a start. At every turn in the river, we hugged the shore expecting the rapids to appear. Finally I climbed a hill to view: and was challenged by a frontier sentinel. I showed him my passport. He looked at it wisely and, though he could not read a word, bowed and said I could go. As I was going he pointed to a distant spire and said, "Turn Severin." I looked and suddenly it flashed upon me that we were three miles past the Iron Gates already. We had shot those terrible rapids in the dusk on the wrong side of the river, said to be impassable, and had stopped three-fourths of the way through to ask where they were. For the protection of the travelling public, we think that the Iron Gates ought to be plainly labeled. They are a menace to public safety.

C. H. VANTYNE.

ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Postmaster F. D. Jenkins, of Tipton, recently resigned to move onto a farm in Somerset, and yesterday Warren J. Hampton, the hustler, was notified of his appointment to fill the vacancy.—Adrian Telegram.

Eighty cents per bushel was paid for wheat at Britton last week Wednesday, says the citizen. Somebody must have had an oversupply of cash.—Deerfield Times. It is a fact that the Britton wheat market is the best in this county.

Other victims of the forger, B. F. Cooper, managed to get back some of the plunder, but Tom Elliott, of Tecumseh, was too late to come on the "divide" and will put up for his $85 guaranty. The next man who asks his guaranty will need to have his face mended by a doctor.—Adrian Press.

The Tecumseh seniors had a pink faced time of it the other day, over parsing the word "kissed," and embarrassment increased, when the question was asked if it were an active transitive verb. Several of the class knew it was, and that it was of the compound gender, but smothered their knowledge.—Adrian Press

The venerable Cicero M. Comstock, of Hudson, died on Monday, at the age of 87. He was one of the early landlords of Hudson, occupying successively the Franklin House, the old Exchange Hotel and the Comstock House, which he built in 1867. He was a very energetic man in his day, but had been retired from active life for some years.—Morenci Observer.

Under the new law, the season during which the small boy can realize on the bodies of the deceased English sparrow will commence Nov. 1 and continue until April 1. The entire carcass must be presented. The new law further provides that no bounty shall be paid unless the birds are brought in lots of 10. It is not unlawful to kill the sparrows at any season of the year.

It has been decided to make a test case of students voting in Ann Arbor. To do this, complaint will be made against two students who vote next Tuesday and the matter carried to the Supreme Court to ascertain just what the law is. It is generally believed that students will be allowed to vote if such a test is made.—Ann Arbor Register.

The six sons of the late veteran mason of this village, John Sharr,—Uri, Frank, Asa, Herbert, Allen and Almer, whose ages range from 17 to 35 years—acted as pall bearers at the funeral. The burial arrangements were carried out in a manner as desired by Mr. Sharr and accordingly the body was placed in a brick vault, which was constructed by the sons.—Morenci Observer.

H. H. Chapin, of Adrian, the gentleman who has been at work on a directory for Hudson, Adrian and Tecumseh for several years past, was in the city Tuesday, making excuses for the delay and endeavoring to induce the business men to go into the enterprise again.—Hudson Gazette. No use. Harry Chapin is a good man, good printer, but too slow for this world.

The Supervisors were in a salary cutting mood last week. As a result the following changes were made: Clerk, $1,200 to $1,000; Register of Probate, $1,300 to $600; Pros. Atty., $1,200 to $1,000; Commissioner of Schools, $1,500 to $1,200; School Examiners, $4 00 to $3 00 per day.—Ann Arbor Register. About the same kind of a cut has been made in Lenawee county.

In nearly all the large cities the returns from next Tuesday's election will be thrown on a large white canvass by stereopticons in front of the newspaper offices. These returns, of course, will be read by millions of anxious and interested people and the first to greet their eyes will read something like this: "The Abbott voting machine was used at Hudson, Michigan, and gives the following results," etc., etc. Arrangements are being made in Detroit and Chicago to wire the returns from Hudson within 15 minutes after the polls close and have it thrown from the stereopticons as above stated. It will be a great advertisement for the machine.—Hudson Gazette. If the Abbott voting machine works as they claim for it, every village and city in Michigan should immediately invest.

George Steel, living south of Hudson, has done "doing" the yellow-legged chicken in the style of the boa-constrictor. A bone stuck in his throat, and for two weeks he was in bed, unable to move or swallow. The bone and George are now out. The chicken first got it in the neck, and George followed suit, while the ghost of the biddy flapped its wing in glee on the barpost and voiceless, (like Voris' speech) crowed in derision.

The Daily Graphic is the name of a new journalistic venture which made its appearance at Monroe last week Thursday. Graphic Printing Co. as publishers—Geo. W. Grames, business manager; Ella T. Grames, advertisement solicitor; Miss F. Tisdale, city editor. One cent per copy or 17 cents per month. The publishers announce with professed certainty that it has come to stay. The issues that we have received have a very good show of advertising patronage.—Dundee Reporter.

CAUTION: If you want to Mexicanize this country vote for Bryan. McKinley has somehow imbibed the notion that this is a better country than Mexico, and he couldn't be coerced to de-Americanize it.—Exchanges. The above paragraph has been seen by the editor of the Herald in eleven different papers all published last week. It is needless to say that it is "plate" matter published in Chicago and sold by the column. Would it not be better for country newspapers to say nothing editorially than buy their brains by the column.

James McCourt of Northfield, had six head of cattle stolen from his premises, last Wednesday night. Thursday morning he came to town and notified the officers of his loss. Pros. Atty. Randall started out at once with an officer and in a short time located the cattle. They had been brought to town early Thursday morning and had been sold to Wm. Rehfuss, county treasurer, for $120.00 The theif thus had the start of the officers by a good half day, and will probably not be captured, at least right away. It was a cool piece of theiving and should be severely punished, if the offender can only be caught.—Ann Arbor Register.

Walter S. Osborne.

Walter S. Osborn was born in Franklin, Michigan, March 7th, 1846, and died October 26th, 1896. In March 1871, he was married to Miss Henrietta Mead, of Clinton, who died five years later. Two children were born to them. Frank A. Osborn, of Oscoda, and Mrs. Jennie Rynd, of Seward, Ohio. In November 1878 he was married to Miss Laura M. Brown, of Clinton, who died five years ago. One son, Donald, who is now ten years old, was born of this union. He lives with his aunt, Mrs. Munson King, of Clinton.

Mr. Osborn left two brothers and one sister, namely, W. J. Osborn, of Brooklyn, Rev. F. L. Osborn, of Oscoda and Mrs. Libbie Mead, of Mt. Pleasant. Having grown up and spent his life in the same community, he was well known. His funeral was conducted at the home by Rev. J. P. Varner. A large procession of friends followed the remains to the cemetery, where the Masons took charge of the burial.

Home Seekers—One Way Settlers' and Tourist Rates to the South.

The Cincinnatti, Jackson & Mackinaw Ry. will sell Home Seekers' Excurtickets to points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Florida, twenty-one day limit, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. These tickets will be on sale Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and 15, 1896, Jan. 5 and 19, Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16, April 6 and 20 and May 4 and 18, 1897.

One way Settlers' tickets will also be on sale to the points above mentioned on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, at greatly reduced rates.

Winter Tourist tickets to all southern points, good returning up to May 31, 1897, are on sale at principal ticket offices.

Two trains each day making direct connections at Cincinnati with trains for all points South.

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Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Nov 3, 1896:

Rev. Miner Fairfield, Miss Clare Ackley, Miss Bertha Riche, care Edd Gould, H. B. Bulkley, Tecumseh Root Cutter Co., William Case, A. C. Conklin, J. C. Wortemath, Wm. C. Sherrard, Leah Mars.

"Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

Baker—Pennock.

At the residence of Alonzo Pennock on Pearl street, last evening at 7 o'clock in the presence of a few intimate friends, Rev. B. S. Hudson united in marriage Mr. William F. Baker and Miss Mildred Singer Pennock. After the ceremony, the young couple repaired to the residence of the groom's father, Horace S. Raker, their future home, where a wedding supper was served to the relatives. Later a number of the neighbors came in and the evening was very pleasantly passed.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	13	16
Eggs, per doz	16	18
Lard, per lb		10
Beans, per bushel	75	1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		12
Potatoes, new per bushel	20	35

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 50	8 10
Veal dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens per lb	6	9
Turkeys	4	
Hides, green	10	15
Sheep Pelts		

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	25	76
Corn, shelled		35
Corn in ear	13	20
Oats	16	20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		80
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw	4.00	5.00

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Our stock of Cloaks, Capes and Jackets are of the very Latest Styles and Best Material.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

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My Friend—

Like others I need money to do a cash business with, and if you owe me I will consider it a great favor if you will come in and pay me now without my being to the expense of mailing to you statement or spending my time to come and see you.

It costs considerable to see each one when you have a large number on your books, and you ought not to expect me to do it. I give credit as a favor, and hope you will bring me the cash now.

If you can not pay all cash now, bring what you can and settle by note till you are able to meet it.

You certainly can do this and expecting you will, I thank you in advance. Yours truly,

C. A. Slayton.

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WHOOP NOT.

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Cure it.

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Ruskin invariably dines alone. Conversation, he finds, has a distressing effect on his digestion.

A Memphis man is in jail with penalties aggregating 1,425 years hanging over him.

Winsor Drury, aged 74 years, living at Wildwood, N. H., has captured four bears this season.

INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK

Encouraging Reports from All Parts of the Country.

Wheels Which Have Lain Idle for Months Begin to Revolve—Manufactories in Many Places Start Up at Full Time.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 10.—The Star tin-plate works, located on Twelfth street, Pittsburgh, which has been running half time, started up in full with two additional mills Monday morning, giving employment to 100 skilled workmen.

The Oliver Iron and Steel company will start their plant in full Wednesday morning, employing 600 men.

The Clinton Furnace company, located on the South side, will start up in full Tuesday, giving work to 300 men. The Westinghouse Electric company, which has been running but five days per week, Monday started up on a six-day schedule, giving one more day's work to 2,000 men.

Prosperity in Connecticut.

Bristol, Conn., Nov. 10.—A business revival is felt here, and the most notable instance of it is found at the works of the Bristol Brass and Clock company. Beginning Monday night, the factory will run overtime. This course is necessary to fill orders which have been received.

Manchester, Conn., Nov. 10.—The big silk mills of the Cheney Brothers began a full-time schedule Monday. The works have been running at reduced time for more than three years. The change affects 2,500 employes.

Will Get More Pay.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 10.—J. C. Moorehead, general superintendent of the Erie railroad here, has issued an order which will affect for the better several thousand men. The order calls for longer hours and increased pay and more men.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 10.—The John S Gibbs company, one of the largest canning industries in the state, has increased wages 25 per cent. to take effect at once. Seventy-five men will be benefited from two to three dollars per week. Mr. Gibbs says there is an unprecedented era of prosperity ahead and he expects all the packing firms in the city to follow his example.

Car Works Open Up.

Meadville, Pa., Nov. 10.—The Erie railroad car shops in this city started running on full time Monday. The road expects a big increase in freight traffic on account of the revival of business.

Sedalia, Mo., Nov. 10.—After working one-half a force on one-half time for several months past, the Missouri Pacific shops here on Monday put a full force of men, 800 in number, to work on full time.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 10.—The car shops of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway in this city, employing 700 men, began Monday morning a ten-hour day. The shops have been on eight-hour time for a year past.

Brick Yards Start Up.

La Porte, Ind., Nov. 10.—The Porter brick yards located at Chesterton, which have been idle for six months, resumed operations Monday morning. Fifteen hundred men returned to work. The syndicate operating the Porter yards control immense brick-making industries in Ohio, Michigan and Illinois, and the resumption of work furnishes employment to over 5,000 men.

Miners Feel It.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 10.—"The returning wave of prosperity has struck the mining industry and has infused life and vigor," said Frank Rockefeller Monday. The mines owned by Mr. Rockefeller in the Lake Superior region will be opened in a few days and will give employment to about 1,500 men. These mines have been idle since last July. The order to open them has been sent out by Mr. Rockefeller. The extensive mines owned by John D. Rockefeller will resume operations soon and will put a greater number of men to work than those of his brother.

Other Industries Enjoy a Boom.

Piqua, O., Nov. 10.—The corrugating works, the rolling mill, the Snyder Bentwood works and the Orr linseed mill started Monday, giving employment to 500 men.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 10.—The Des Moines Packing company opened its packing house Monday after a long period during which it was shut down on account of hard times. It employs 150 men. The Des Moines knitting works has put on day and night forces, doubling its capacity and employing 75 men. The Des Moines woolen mills has also doubled its force and will employ 130 hands. The Rock Island road has ordered nine hours' work daily in all its shops in Iowa, the first time in a year.

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 10.—The following firms have resumed work, after being idle for the past year: Chambers, Bearing & Quinlan, employing 100 men, manufacturers of check rowers, etc.; F. B. Tait & Company, 100 employes, manufacturers of corn planters and farming implements; Decatur Furniture company, 100 men, manufacturers furniture; Wabash railway shops, 300 men. All of these places have been shut down entirely or working half time for the past year.

Pats Many to Work.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—Fresh evidence of increasing business activity due to a restoration of confidence are to be found in nearly every line of manufacturing carried on in the great Kensington mill district. The daily opening up of mills and factories in the district, many of which have been practically shut down for over three months, is giving employment to hosts of idle men and the legend hands wanted, has already become so familiar in the business part of the city as to cease to excite remarks. Conservative manufacturers who scout the idea of realizing prosperity in a single leap say that the manifestations of activity are caused by the filling of orders which have been held in abeyance, but all agree in the belief that operations will gradually increase until all the big plants are running full blast.

FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS.

Sixteenth Annual Session of the Organization Opened at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—The sixteenth annual session of the Farmers national congress began at the state house Tuesday morning with about 500 delegates in attendance. Many more who are interested in the matters to be discussed by the congress are present. The body is a non-political organization, and its sessions are open to the public.

Col. B. F. Clayton, of Iowa, president of the organization, was in the chair. The morning session was devoted entirely to addresses. Mayor Taggart welcomed the congress on behalf of the city, J. G. Offett, of Trafalgar, on behalf of the farmers of the state, and Gov. Matthews upon behalf of the state. Col. Clayton delivered the president's address and in the course of it gave the keynote for discussion in the following paragraph:

"During the last fiscal year of the operations of the former tariff law the agricultural imports on 20 articles the like of which we produce north and south amounted to $65,804,446; during the first calendar year of the operation of the present law the importation of the same articles amounted to $135,068,860, or an increase over the former law of $68,264,314. In the exportation of farm products we find the discrepancy still greater in 27 chief articles produced on the farm. During the fiscal year 1894 we exported farm products to the amount of $907,946,945, while during the calendar year 1895 there were exports in the same products to the amount of $751,833,937, a decrease of $156,113,000. Adding the gain in imports to the loss in exports, and the American farmers lose in one year $224,337,322. If these figures be true, a vigorous remonstration to these schedules should go up, and we should demand that the agricultural department investigate each item. Should protection be the policy of the government, then it should be applied to farm products, and the agricultural department should recommend to the general government such changes in tariff schedules as will furnish equal protection to the products of the farm."

IOWA BANKS FAIL.

Withdrawals and Inability to Realize on Securities the Cause.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 11.—W. P. Manley has been appointed receiver of the Iowa savings bank of this city. Heavy withdrawals and slow collections caused the failure. Assets are $445,000 and liabilities about the same. Officers say they will pay in full.

Decorah, Ia., Nov. 11.—The First national bank of this city failed to open its doors Tuesday morning as a result of a special examination by order of the comptroller of the currency. Bank Examiner Stone is in charge pending the appointment of a receiver. The bank had suffered a run for some weeks and was unable to convert assets fast enough. It has $75,000 capital. No statement has been made public of its condition, but it is said to be in such shape that the capital will be lost and depositors will lose heavily.

FIVE LIVES ARE LOST.

Schooner Sonora Wrecked Thursday—Mate Duquett Alone Escapes.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 10.—A report reached here from St. Thomas, Ont., that the schooner Sonora was wrecked and five lives lost in Thursday's storm off Point Abino, about ten miles from Buffalo on the Canadian shore. Mate W. Duquett, who claims to have been the only survivor, carried the news to St. Thomas. Nothing can be learned in local marine circles about the reported wreck.

Sandy Hook an Island.

New York, Nov. 9.—The great October storm tore through the Sandy Hook peninsula about a quarter of a mile north of Highland Beach. It made a large inlet from the sea to the Shrewsbury river and in its course demolished the railway trestlework erected on deep-driven piling by the United States government to transport its big guns and gun carriages and machinery from all points to the government proving grounds. No efforts have been made to close this break in the peninsula.

Government Secures a Historic Building.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Under the operation of a law passed at the last session of congress the United States Tuesday became possessed of the house opposite the old Ford's theater, where Lincoln was carried after the assassination, and died. The house will continue to be occupied by the Lincoln Memorial association as a museum of relics of the martyred president.

Death in the Blizzard.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 11. — The first death in a Kansas blizzard this season is reported from Goodland, on the Colorado border, where on Monday the body of J. N. Moran was found in a snowdrift. He had evidently lost his way in the night and storm, and, finally, turning loose his horses, sought shelter behind the wagon box.

Lost in Lake Michigan.

Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 9.—In a fierce storm the three-masted schooner Waukesha went to pieces off this port and Capt. Corbett and three sailors were drowned.

THE POSTAL SERVICE.

Synopsis of the Report for the Past Fiscal Year.

A Saving of Over $3,000,000 Announced—Recommendations for the New Year—Asks for the Renewal of Private Post Office Boxes.

Washington, Nov. 9.—First Assistant Postmaster-General Frank H. Jones, in his annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, states that there has, during that time, been a saving of $3,278,985, and also such was an improvement in the service of delivering the volume of mail matter.

The number of presidential post offices is 3,654, the salaries of the postmasters being $6,203,900, and the total gross receipts from these offices were $65,282,364.

Mr. Jones recommends that $17,000,000 be appropriated to compensate postmasters for the next fiscal year. He asks only $11,000,000 for clerk hire, a considerable decrease in proportion to the increase of clerks to be employed. He recommends that $75,000 be appropriated for the rental and purchase of canceling machines. He thinks $15,000 a sufficient sum to cover advertising expenses regarding unclaimed letters, and advocates the adoption of the bulletin board system in this matter. He recommends that ten inspectors be assigned to look after the work in the salary and allowance branch of the service.

Free delivery service has been established at 24 cities during the year, and there are now but 63 entitled to it, but on account of the expense the remainder could not be benefited. Experimental free delivery in towns and villages has shown a reduction in gross receipts in a majority of offices. By November 1 next rural free delivery will be tested in about 30 states. There was a reduction of dismissals of letter carriers, which evidences the high standard of discipline. An estimated expenditure of $13,326,500 is made on account of free delivery system for the fiscal year 1897-98. Negotiations are now pending for an exchange of money orders with Mexico. Mr. Jones recommends that a penalty be prescribed for the unlawful use of the frank of a member of congress and suggests $300 fine in each case. He says the law was disregarded during the campaign just closed. He asks legislation to do away with private post office boxes.

Foreign Mails.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The annual report of Capt. N. M. Brooks, superintendent of foreign mails, shows that the aggregate weight of the mail dispatched from this country by sea to other countries during the last fiscal year was 6,286,914 pounds, of which over 4,500,000 pounds were transatlantic. It is pointed out that the postage collected by the government on articles exchanged with foreign countries largely exceeds the gross expense incurred by the department in connection with that service. The sum of $5,294,756 was received by this country for mail exchanged with other countries. Only 1,516 errors were reported in the distribution of 11,518,373 letters and postal cards. The net excess of cost of the contract ocean mail service was $453,386.

Estimates for Next Year.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Postmaster-General Wilson has submitted to the secretary of the treasury his estimates for the post office department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898. The estimates show a grand total of $97,515,411, an increase over the estimates of 1897 of $4,943,846. As the expenditures for the service of 1898 are estimated at $97,515,411 and the revenue expected for the same year is placed at $96,227,076, there will be an estimated deficiency of about $1,288,335.

More Rural Free Delivery.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Morning Sun, in Louisa county, Ia., and China Grove, Rowan county, N. C., will be granted free delivery in accordance with the experiments now being made by the post office department for the establishment of such service for rural districts.

Torrens Law Is Void.

Ottawa, Ill., Nov. 10.—The supreme court Monday declared the Torrens land title act unconstitutional. The question came before the court in the quo warranto case of the people vs. Samuel B. Chase, which was appealed from the county court of Cook county. The judgment of the county court was reversed and the case remanded.

David Blakely Dead.

New York, Nov. 9.—David Blakely, manager of Sousa's band and president of the Blakely Printing company, of Chicago, died in this city Saturday. Mr. Blakely was a pioneer newspaper publisher in the west years ago.

The Three Friends Seized.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 9.—The famous steam tug and alleged Cuban filibuster Three Friends was seized at Jacksonville, Fla., on advices from the treasury department, charged with violation of the neutrality laws.

New Orleans, Nov. 9. — James Michael, the little Welsh wonder of Tom Eck's team, broke the world's record for five miles Sunday afternoon on the new cement track. He went the distance in 9:12.

Nearly Wiped Out.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 10.—The town of Spencer, W. Va., was almost destroyed by fire Sunday night. Thirty-nine stores and houses were burned. The total loss is estimated at $300,000.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., N. Y.

Clinton Column.

A. F. Kishpaugh was a Detroit visitor Friday.

W. A. Kimball was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Maud Poucher, of Adrian, is visiting friends here.

Mrs Abbie Fisher visited Clinton friends Friday.

W. W. Hess started for Tennessee Tuesday morning.

Eva Davis visited at Tecumseh Monday and Tuesday.

D. D. Embler went to Chelsea Monday for a few days.

Mrs. E. S. Tate visited Detroit friends during the past week.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester, Saturday.

Blanche Moir visited in Manchester from Friday till Sunday.

F. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Monday afternoon.

Jennie and Kit VanTuyle visited in Manchester Wednesday.

H. G. Sackell visited his parents at Battle Creek over Sunday.

Mrs. E R. Smith was on the sick list the fore part of the week.

Prosecuting Attorney John E. Bird was on our streets Monday.

Nettie Logan, of Manchester, spent Saturday with Gertrude Hogan.

Mrs. C. B. McMaster has been visiting Clinton friends since last Friday.

The M. E church has a new organ purchased of Grinnell Bros., Detroit.

Mrs. B. J. Bond and daughter Lois, of Lake Ridge, were in town Friday.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. next Wednesday evening, November 18th.

Benj. Silvers, of Albion, came down Monday for a short visit with relatives

Miss Edith Amspoker, of Manchester, was a guest at James Hogan's Saturday.

Gertrude Hogan and Edith Kirk visited the Manchester schools last Friday.

Margaret Collins and Alberta Johnston were Tecumseh visitors Saturday.

Miss Kittie Noon spent the greater part of last week with friends in Jackson.

Mr. Wolfe was called to Deerfield Monday by the death of his wife's father.

Mr. Marsteller's stone cutter, Mr. Dick, moved his family from Ann Arbor Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Johnson returned last Thursday night from a week's visit in Chicago.

J. D. Shull and P. W. Adams were up from Tecumseh Monday morning on business.

John T. Clark and C. S. Burroughs spent Friday and Saturday hunting at Wamplers lake.

Mrs. James Walker has returned to her home in Jackson after a short visit at James Hogan's.

Ah! there! Lenardson Bros., Britton, have received those sample shoes you were enquiring for. Get there Eli!

Agnes Stevens, of Tecumseh, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Adam, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lillian Avery, of Tecumseh, and her sister from Adrian, were guests at C. R. Fuller's over Sunday.

Matthew Howell came up from Adrian Saturday for a few days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. E. O. Allen.

Mrs. J. Bradner was called to Grand Rapids by the death of Mrs. W. Plumb. She returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. H. C. Daniels, of Pentecost, came over last Friday for a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Halladay.

Mrs. Mary Pomeroy, who had been visiting Clinton friends for a few days, returned to her home in Ypsilanti, Saturday.

There was no school here last Friday and the teachers took advantage of the fact and visited the Normal, at Ypsilanti, driving over Thursday night.

Roy Wood went to Detroit last Friday and his many friends will be pleased to learn that he has secured a good position with the Michigan Central Supply Co.

H. Saxton, Sr., and Geo. VanGieson left Monday morning for Logansport, Ind., where they will open a store, from which to retail apples, shipped there by Mr. Saxton.

Mrs. G. R. Wolf was called to Deerfield about two weeks ago by the serious illness of her father, and remained with him until his death, which occurred Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, of this place, conducting the service.

Yes, over 1,000 pair of sample shoes from the coarest to the finest at Lenardson Bros'. Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wier, of Manchester, were calling on Clinton friends Monday afternoon.

Maud King, who has been teaching one mile south of Tinton, closed her fall term last Friday. She expects to begin the winter term in the same school, after a vacation of three weeks.

FRANKLIN.

L. E. Taylor's health does not improve.

Irene Allen closed the fall term of school in the Center district last Friday.

Ella Munger closes a term of school in the Stone district Friday.

The many friends of Mrs. John Stout nee Whelan, will regret to learn that her health is very poor.

Willie Rusinck, of the Normal, Ypsilanti, and Carl Wisner, of the University, Ann Arbor, came home to vote.

Clarence Wisner went to Jackson last Friday, where he has a position in Dennis' machine shops.

HOLLOWAY.

Lenardson Bros., Britton, invite you all to inspect their stock of sample shoes, just received.

Mrs. Mary Holt and daughter, Blanche, of Kunkle, O., visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

New and stylish goods are still being received at the millinery rooms of E. H. Fish. Prices to suit everyone.

The Ladies' social of the First Presbyterian church of Raisin is being held this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Boyd.

The L. O. T. M.s and K. O. T. M.s will hold a pie social at their new hall Saturday evening, Nov. 21. 10c supper Everyone come and bring your friends. Remember the date.

Over 1,000 pair sample shoes at Lenardson Bros., Britton, at less than wholesale prices. Do you see?

The first meeting of the Literary society this season, was held last Friday evening. The next meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church parlors two weeks from that date.

The Companion Calendar.

It is said that the expense of making the Companion Art Calendar for 1897 was so great that had it been published in the usual quantity it could not be sold for less than one dollar. Four beautiful female figures are reproduced on four folding pages. Each figure is lithographed in twelve colors, being a true reproduction of the original water-color painting which was selected because of its excellence of design and charm of color and tone. The size of each of the four folding pages is 10 1-2 by 6 inches.

It is by far the best piece of color work the Companion has ever offered. Both as a calendar and as a gem of the lithographer's art, it is so attractive that it becomes a valuable addition to the mantel or centre-table of any room. It is given free to all new subscribers sending $1.75 to the Companion for the year 1897, who receive also the paper free from the time the subscription is received till January 1, 1897.

Celebrating in 1897 its seventy-first birthday, the Companion offers its readers many exceptionally brilliant features. Fully two hundred of the most famous men and women of both continents have contributed to the next year's volume of the paper. For free Illustrated Prospectus address.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
205 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. June

Hall's family pills are the best.

How to Prevent a Cold.

After an exposure, or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails. ORR & TEMPLE.

You Can't Afford to Chance It.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results. ORR & TEMPLE.

You ought to know that when suffering from any kidney trouble that a safe, sure remedy is Foley's Kidney Cure. Guaranteed or money refunded. ORR & TEMPLE.

A Coal Miner.

William Gibride, of Assumption, Ill., writes: "Caldwell's Syrup Popsin is the best remedy I have ever used for stomach troubles. I never felt better in my life, and I think every family should keep it on hand. It does more than is claimed for it." ORR & TEMPLE

A. Smith, of Detroit, Mich., whose advertisement as agent of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. appears in our columns, still continues the other branches of his glass business, and will be pleased to have your orders.

DRAINING PASTURES.

In Many Cases It Can Be Made to Pay Handsomely.

The impression is quite common that it will not pay to underdrain pasture land, says Drainage Journal. There are pasture lands that it will not pay to drain, but it is also true that in many instances it will pay to underdrain, in part, at least, lands used for grazing purposes. In passing through the country we see many acres of pasture land which, if sufficiently underdrained, would be very valuable. As they are now they are practically worthless, affording only wild and unnutritious grasses, worth but little for grazing purposes; in fact, such lands are disease breeders of the live stock which have the run of them. Pastures which need underdrainage may be cared for so as to present a good appearance to the casual observer, but when carefully examined are found to grow grasses of little value. If they have been seeded to tame grass there is such a mixture of water grasses with the tame that the pasture is poor.

If a landowner is doubtful as to the benefits of underdraining such land, let him put in one or more tile drains with good outlets and observe the result. The wild sour grasses will disappear and the tame grass sod will thicken and grow luxuriantly. The live stock are good judges. In grazing they will keep the grass near the drains cropped closely because it is more palatable to the taste and more nutritious. We are confident that the value of thousands of acres of pasture lands could be greatly enhanced if underdrained, which are, in their present condition, practically worthless. Those who have given little attention to the real condition of their grazing lands will be surprised in a careful examination of their condition. It will soon become apparent to them that where there is one blade of good, nutritious grass, four or five may be made to grow by a well directed effort in the underdrainage of the land.

STORING FARM WAGONS.

A Device Which Makes the Shifting of Wagon Bodies Easy.

The illustration below is of a home-made appliance placed in a barn the past winter and found to be a great convenience, especially in shifting from wagon body to hay rigging, and vice versa. This device consists of a round shaft, a, 9½ inches in diameter, reaching from one main side beam to the other, bb. In one end of the shaft are two spokes, c c, seven feet long, making four handles 3½ feet in length. From one handle to the next is a bolt, e, about two feet long. The shaft runs in wooden boxes with bearings five inches in diameter. On one side of the shaft two small chains, f f, drop down within

SHIFTING WAGON BODIES MADE EASY.

two feet from stake holes in wagon body, or hay rack, or other implement, as at g. From these ends of chain two pieces about four feet each, with hooks on the ends, run to the stake holes or hooking parts. Similar chains are arranged on the other end of the shaft. After the first rigging is rolled up, it is very easy to raise afterwards, as the weight of one body going down assists in raising the other.—F. C. Hubbard, in Orange Judd Farmer.

CHEAP FARM PAINT.

It Gives a Satisfactory Finish on Either Wood or Stone.

A method of painting farm buildings and country houses, while by no means new, is yet so little known and so deserving of wider application as to warrant a description. The paint has but two parts, both cheap materials, being water lime or hydraulic cement and skimmilk. The cement is placed in a bucket, and the skimmilk, sweet, is gradually added, stirring constantly until just about the consistency of good cream. The stirring must be thoroughly done to have an even flow, and if too thin the mixture will run on the building and look streaked. The proportions cannot be exactly stated, but a gallon of milk requires a full quart of cement, and sometimes a little more. This is a convenient quantity to mix at a time for one person to use. If too much is prepared, the cement will settle and harden before all is used.

A flat paint brush about four inches wide is the best implement to use with this mixture. Lay it on exactly as with oil paint. It can be applied to wood work, old or new, and to brick and stone. When dry, the color is a light creamy brown, or what some would call a yellowish stone color. The skimmilk cement paint, well mixed, without adding color has a good body, gives smooth satisfactory finish on either wood or stone and wears admirably.—American Mechanic.

Plenty of Swindlers Abroad.

The number of people who live or try to live by their wits seems to have increased rapidly of late. Never have swindlers of all kinds been more in evidence both in city and in country. In a single week no less than four schemes to defraud farmers have come to our notice. They are all variations of the venerable swindles which have been exposed so often in the press. One correspondent intimates that hypnotism is being used to bunko farmers in his locality. This is probably only the hypnotism of a smooth tongue on the part of the "agent" and careless business methods on the part of the victim. There is a heap of this kind of "hypnotism" all over the country at present.—National Stockman.

CAUGHT IN CHICAGO.

Arrest of a Bay City Newspaper Man—Embezzlement Charged.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Edwin T. Bennett, for many years connected with the Bay City (Mich.) Tribune, was arrested here Monday afternoon charged with embezzling $15,000 from that concern. The complainants are Edwin T. Carrington, president, and John F. Eddy, one of the directors of the Tribune Publishing company at Bay City. The stock company was organized by Bennett himself, the former owner of the concern. He was made manager, secretary and treasurer. After a failure last May the concern was reorganized and Bennett's alleged discrepancies were discovered. He had for several months been living in the east and on Prince Edward island. He returned to Bay City early last week, but before a warrant could be obtained for his arrest had boarded the steam barge John Spry, bound for Chicago. He was arrested here Monday when the boat landed after a perilous trip down the lakes. He will return to Bay City to-day in charge of an officer without the formality of a requisition.

Bay City, Nov. 11.—Police Justice Kelley was in his office at ten o'clock Tuesday night when Special Officer Benson walked in with Edwin T. Bennett, whose arrest he caused in Chicago Monday on a warrant sworn out by stockholders of the old Tribune Publishing company for alleged embezzlement. The complaint charges that while treasurer and acting manager of the Tribune company he embezzled $5,000 between March 1, 1895 and September 1, 1895, $5,000 between September 1, 1895, and February 1, 1896, and $5,000 between February 1, 1896, and August 1, 1896. There were three business men on hand to become bondsmen in the sum of $5,000 for the appearance of the accused Thursday morning. Bennett says he is entirely innocent and will prove it.

WILL REMOVE TO MUSKEGON.

Princess Knitting Works of Chicago Decides to Leave Illinois.

Muskegon, Nov. 9.—The Princess knitting works, manufacturers of ribbed underwear, located at Chicago, are to be moved to this city and be consolidated with the Amazon Hosiery company, recently moved here from Michigan City. The stock holders of both companies are or will be the same. George W. Powell, president of the Amazon, is the president and principal owner of the Princess, and the move is one in the direction of joining interests. The union will increase the number of hands employed by the Amazon from 300 to 600 and the pay roll from $75,000 to $150,000. The move will be made in the near future.

Another Factory Starts Up.

Muskegon, Nov. 9.—The Alaska Refrigerator company, the largest refrigerator factory in the world, will resume work to-day, after being idle all summer. The company has 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 feet of hard wood lumber ready for immediate manufacture. The company employs 350 to 450 hands, and its annual output is 60,000 refrigerators. The Kelly Bros.' Manufacturing company is completing negotiations for the manufacture of 3,000 ice boxes, which orders were placed recently contingent on McKinley's election.

Improvement Shown at Niles.

Niles, Nov. 9.—The Dowagiac Manufacturing company, the largest drill works in the country, employing over 200 men, and the Round Oak stove works, employing 500 men, started up to-day, giving employment to all their old men and many new hands. All their traveling men have been sent out. In this city the banks have been paying out gold and there has been deposited in the banks by farmers thousands of dollars in bank notes calling for gold. Business in all branches shows renewed activity.

Lumber Trade Revie

Saginaw, Nov. 9.—The result of the election is already felt in the lumber business. Orders are coming in fast and some large sales have been made. A. C. McLean, who operates a line of lumber lighters on the river, put on 125 more men Saturday and wanted as many more, but could not obtain them. Wickes Brothers, machine and boiler builders, have added 40 men to their force.

Bay City's Oldest Resident Dead.

Bay City, Nov. 6.—Mrs. Lavina Stickney, the oldest resident of Bay City, died Thursday night, aged 98 years. She went to Saginaw from New York state in 1853. She had been a widow since 1857. She is survived by seven living children, 42 grandchildren and 52 great-grandchildren.

Young Lady Minister.

Mattawan, Nov. 8.—Miss Wisemecht, of La Porte, Ind., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Congregational church here. She is accredited with being one of the youngest women clergymen in the Congregational ministry, and an eloquent pulpit orator.

Drunken Man Hangs Himself.

Detroit, Nov. 5.—George W. Whipple, butcher, 45 years old, hanged himself in a cell of the Vinewood avenue police station, with a string he had worn for a belt. He had been arrested as a tippler. His widow and several children survive him.

Insane Over Election.

Allegan, Nov. 11.—Miss Dolly Mollar, of Otsego, went crazy election night while shouting "Hurrah for McKinley!" Then she chased her father and mother around with a butcher knife. The doctors say she is hopeless.

Four Barns Burned.

Brown City, Nov. 6.—Four large barns owned by Andrew Brown, living west of here, were destroyed by fire Thursday, with their contents. Loss, $2,500; partly insured.

Mistaken for a Deer.

Iron Mountain, Nov. 7.—D. Miller, a German, residing at the Great Western Mine, was mistaken for a deer while out hunting near Sag in and was shot dead by a companion.

PRIMARY SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount Apportioned Among the Several Counties.

Lansing, Nov. 11.—The semi-annual apportionment of primary school money was made by Superintendent of Public School Instruction Pattengill Monday. The amount per capita is 77 cents, which is 31 cents more than was apportioned in May. The following is the amount apportioned among the several counties:

	Number of Children	Amount Apportioned
Alcona	1,859	$1,431 43
Alger	511	391 47
Allegan	12,248	9,430 96
Alpena	6,799	5,235 23
Antrim	4,856	1,860 32
Arenac	2,416	1,143 07
Baraga	1,491	5,450 32
Barry	7,079	17,105 14
Bay	22,232	1,916 07
Benzie	2,491	10,602 03
Berrien	13,639	8,238 83
Branch	8,905	9,977 46
Calhoun	12,698	4,587 09
Cass	6,017	5,899 32
Charlevoix	5,709	5,726 03
Cheboygan	4,859	3,466 54
Chippewa	4,502	1,614 39
Clare	2,257	5,078 36
Clinton	7,635	458 67
Crawford	641	4,134 13
Delta	5,356	3,139 31
Dickinson	4,142	6,907 67
Eaton	8,971	3,423 20
Emmet	5,109	1,664 04
Genesee	11,239	1,208 93
Gladwin	1,570	1,535 61
Gogebic	3,293	4,007 03
Grand Traverse	5,204	1,159 18
Gratiot	8,298	8,340 18
Hillsdale	8,234	11,347 49
Houghton	14,737	9,489 48
Huron	12,324	8,741 51
Ingham	11,853	7,799 33
Ionia	10,129	3,905 96
Iosco	3,774	1,115 73
Iron	1,449	8,564 79
Isabella	7,227	9,715 20
Jackson	12,617	8,565 49
Kalamazoo	11,123	1,251 72
Kalkaska	1,626	29,926 05
Kent	38,865	493 57
Keweenaw	641	1,363 67
Lake	1,771	7,204 12
Lapeer	9,356	2,614 46
Leelanau	3,265	10,291 83
Lenawee	13,396	4,450 60
Livingston	5,780	425 04
Luce	552	1,755 60
Mackinac	2,289	8,291 34
Macomb	10,768	7,053 97
Manistee	9,161	9,287 74
Marquette	12,062	4,729 87
Mason	6,131	5,428 50
Mecosta	7,050	5,887 42
Menominee	7,646	3,505 81
Midland	4,653	1,635 48
Missaukee	2,124	8,599 38
Monroe	11,071	8,827 55
Montcalm	10,315	615 23
Montmorency	799	9,589 21
Muskegon	12,973	4,616 92
Newaygo	5,996	8,447 67
Oakland	19,971	4,219 63
Oceana	5,519	1,495 04
Ogemaw	1,852	1,158 88
Ontonagon	1,549	4,588 69
Osceola	5,697	275 66
Oscoda	358	1,047 97
Otsego	1,561	10,872 20
Ottawa	13,860	1,328 49
Presque Isle	1,727	302 61
Roscommon	393	20,979 99
Saginaw	27,240	14,566 85
St. Clair	18,905	5,160 51
St. Joseph	6,732	9,467 15
Sanilac	12,295	1,377 53
Schoolcraft	1,789	7,129 44
Shiawassee	9,272	8,850 33
Tuscola	11,494	7,090 40
Van Buren	9,230	9,496 41
Washtenaw	12,233	71,524 54
Wayne	92,802	3,269 51
Wexford	4,363	
Totals	698,231	$537,637 87

Michigan Sunday Schools.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 9.—The state Sunday school convention which will be held in the First Congregational church, this city, November 17-19, will be one of great interest. From 800 to 1,000 delegates will probably be entertained in the city during the convention.

A woman whose nerves are unstrung, racked and dragged by debilitating pains and inflammation, cannot be a good companion or happy wife; and she is unfitted to be a mother.

These troubles prevail almost universally among women largely because of carelessness and neglect. There is no need of them. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive specific for the weaknesses and diseases of the feminine organism.

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Miss Lauretta McNees, of Rose Hill, Washoe Co., Nev., writes: "I have been taking the 'Prescription' and will not be without any more (at present). Last month I had pain at all and worked every day without inconvenience whatever. It was the first time I never had pain during that period. I cannot say too much for your medicine. I have used the 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' for my patients.' I know of a lady who had been an invalid for years, who has been restored to health by your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' She was not sick like she was all her life, but was taken with flooding. This was her second baby. She took your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and your grand medicine. So do I."

Dr. Pierce has had a large experience in this particular field. He has written an illustrated book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser" (1008 pages), which contains chapters devoted to woman and her peculiarities and to physiology. A paper-bound copy will be sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing only. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For a cloth-bound copy send 50 stamps.

Floral Display at Grand

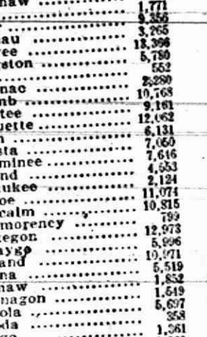
Grand Rapids, Nov. 11.—The Grand Rapids Floral club's second annual chrysanthemum show opened with ten exhibitors, 100 varieties, several thousand specimens. The display is for the benefit of the Children's Home and is a great improvement over the show given last year. Besides the chrysanthemums, there are large displays of carnations, violets and other flowers. The show will last a week.

Bonds for a New Road

Benton Harbor, Nov. 7.—It is announced the promoter of the new Benton Harbor & Eastern railway has secured financial bonds from eastern capitalists for building the road and will take possession and that the road will be started in a few weeks. The road is known as the Tunnel line.

Killed Himself.

St. Joseph, Nov. 10.—Farmer Harry M. Wilson, agent and treasurer of the Benton and Home Forum orders, disappeared when short in his accounts. It is now learned he went south, stopping at Little Rock, Ark., where he committed suicide.



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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

urch Fair—Box Social—Art Loan—Fair—Supper—Cantata.

Will Larrabee is busy paying election

l Craft was in Jackson Wednesday, business.

ervices at the Christian church as al Sunday.

ow is your chance to get shoes cheap Lenardson Bros.

. H. Temple received another car of ber Wednesday.

egular meeting of the Hendershot K. O. T. M., next Tuesday even-

hauncy Andruss visited friends at ns, Ohio, from Saturday until Tues-

rs. Wm. Ransom, of Ridgeway, vis- Mrs. Will Allen the last of the

ey are here—those sample shoes wanted. No two pair alike.—Len- on Bros.

ll Higgins and Miss Mary Exelby, erfield, were the guests of Mr. and Art Curtiss, Sunday.

ancis W. Yates has moved his fam- o town and, for the winter at least, live with his father.

r. and Mrs. W. H. Blakely and ghter returned Wednesday from a with friends at Willow.

he G. J. M. have put a gravel n on th the route which prove a the road.

aynard telegraph operator ddison junction, was shaking hands Britton friends Wednesday.

rs. M. Hiscock and Mrs. H. Allen daughter, Jennie, were the guests irs. W. E. Allen the first of the

The New Woman" will be the theme he Reformed church Sunday even- Rev. Nickerson invites all to be ent.

hink of it, over 1,000 pair shoes at ardson Bros., Britton. Get a move ou!

the bonfire Monday night, a binder nging to M. V. Hoagland and a on of Art Hughes' were sacrificed— t up in smoke.

he ladies of the Christian church aid ety feel very grateful to those who ook of their chicken pie dinner on tion day. They realized $23.00.

he law suit which has several times ed Vern Ousterhout and his witness- to Blissfield, was finally settled esday, to the relief of all concerned.

While Mrs. Monte Hoagland was ooking oysters recently, little Cle- ent, her three year old son, said "Ma- ma don't put any gizzards in my oup."

Mrs. Charles Gorham was again the im of a surprise last evening. This e the perpetrators were her sisters he L. O. T. M. It was very enjoy-

irst to come have their pick from e sample shoes at Lenardson Bros.

eorge L. Oliver has recently taken agency for the Grand Rapids Fire urance company and expects to do d work for them. They are a relia company.

he suit of Lenardson Bros. vs. Thos. ams. which came before Justice Fra- in Tecumseh, Tuesday, and result- in a disagreement of the jury, came oday at the same place.

s true, those sample shoes are at ardson Bros., Britton, all styles and es, no two pair alike.

not forget the band boys' box so- at their rooms over Kishpaugh & 's tomorrow evening. There will e galore—some comical combinations ill be seen. Cupid, as usual, will be esent with his bow and arrow. You annot afford to miss it and the boys eserve a benefit.

Monday evening a large company witnessed Darius W. Smith wheel O. W. Lenardson down the street and back. In payment of an election bet. The wheelbarrow was gaily decorated and brilliantly illuminated. It furnished great amusement and it is difficult to determine which felt the cheapest, Darius or O. W.

Now is the time to buy foot-wear at your own price at Lenardson Bros. er 1,000 pair sample shoes.

The fair to be given by the ladies of Christian church is an assured suc- It will be held next Wednesday, sday and Friday. You cannot af- o miss it. There will be a fine y of grains, fruits, vegetables etc. splays in this departm it are do- and at the close will be sold by iety. The art loan will be at- ve, the supper a regular New Eng- one, served by waiters in ancient mes, and the cantata Friday even- t Exelby hall very amusing. The ittees of arrangement of the dif- t departments are as follows:—

cy Work—Mesdames Deyo, Sink, Bachman, Ella Gripton, Martha am, Luella Haynes.

ned fruit, bread, cake, pickles, etc. sdames Stella Smith, Phena Ex- Mamie Underwood, Martha Wig- Abbie DuBois.

ve cent table—Mesdames Eliza Ze- Emily Brown, Ida Exelby, Betty ley.

rab bag—Mrs. Henry Bachman, Jen- Saxton, Gertrude Kniffin, Ernest Bois.

egetables—Mesdames Mary Wright, o Gripton, Allie Hoagland, Mary ison.

rt loan—Mesdames Carrie Clark, tie Ousterhout, Mamie Lenardson, ggie Lee.

o sell bum bum—Bernice Under- d, Bertha Britton, Mrs' Maggie bes.

Popcorn—Clyde Kniffin, Bennie Haight, Ethel Gripton, Lizzie DuBois, Rebecca at the well—Miss Bertha Kniffin.

To arrange gipsy tent—George Clark, Ed Gripton.

Table committee for New England supper—Joseph Wiggins, Frank Zeluff, Willie Swick, Herbert Lavender, Roy Britton, Claude Kniffin, Clarence Boyd, Linus Zeluff Everett Exelby, Clarence Hause, Ernest Wright, Minnie Morrell, Belle Rupp, Maude Lee, Vie Underwood, Mary Swick, Nettie Bannister, Flora Zeluff, Mary Wiggins, Bertha Kniffin, Lydia Price Claude Lowe, Vern Yates, Lyrus Smith, Clarence Exelby, Fannie Wiggins, Mary Boles' and Clara Swick.

JUDGES.

Vegetables:—
John Britton, James DuBois, Norman Ackley,
Grain:—
Charles DuBois, George Oliver, George Exelby,
Fruit:—
George Smith, Henry Bachman. Geo. Gripton.
Fruit pickles:—
Mesdames Hause, J. Exelby, J. Underwood.
Cakes and pies:—
Mesdames Yates, Cheever, Ousterhout.
Bread and butter:—
Mesdames Morrell, Britton, Maynard.
House plants:—
Mesdames Rinn, Babcock, and Jennie Exelby.

Judges to be present and award premiums Thursday afternoon.

The business men offer premiums as follows:—

H. H. Temple—1,000 shingles—best bushel of wheat.
Haight & Co.—one scoop shovel—best bushel of corn.
" " —one corn popper—best peck popcorn
" " —three gasoline cookers (—best squash
" " —one curry comb—best (1-2 doz. winter radishes.
" " —one sled—best 1-2 doz (beets
" " —one sausage cutter—best 2 pumpkins.
" " —one oatmeal boiler—best peck turnips.
" " —one lantern—best cake
" " —one kettle—best quart (maple syrup
" " —one granite wash dish—best bread.
" " —one horse brush—best 2 pounds lard
Lenardson Bros.—pr. ladies' or gent's ($2 shoes—best trio chickens.
" " —chenille stand spread (—best 2 pounds butter.
Yates & Co.—suit clothes, $3.50—best peck potatoes.
G. W. Winsley—8lb roast of beef—best honey
Jas. DuBois—25 lbs flour—best peck of beans.
J. L. Kishpaugh—dash rack for buggy (—best peck onions
W. R. Osgood—one gallon jelly—best pickles.
Henry Bachman—$2 50 ironing board—best can fruit.
Will Rinn—shoeing one horse—best bushel oats.
Willis Helm—pr. blanket holders—best peck apples.
W. H. Blakely—$1.00 in trade—best peck pears.
Burt Allen—hair cut and shave—best head cabbage.
C. H. Goodrich—one yr. sub. Citizen—largest pumpkin.
Mrs. E. Sink—one hat—best collection house plants.

Dr. Hendershot will pull a tooth as a booby prize for the most unsuccessful exhibitor in any class.

The cantata "Quixotic Quaker" will be presented by the young people. Admission 10 and 15 cents. New England supper 10 cents. All donations etc. are to be brought Tuesday afternoon.

RIDGEWAY.

Thanksgiving, Thursday, the 26th.

Buy your fodder twine at Ed Smith's.

Orange blossoms are reported in the near future.

Edith Collins, of Blissfield, was in the village last week.

All kinds of ammunition for the hunting season at Ed Smith's.

J. O. and Mrs. Shepard, of Flint are visiting friends here this week.

Gertrude Boyd began her winter term of school in the "Steel" district last week.

Mrs. David Boyd went to Albion Friday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hastings Boyd.

Go to Ed Smith for floor oil-cloth, binding, and stove boards.

Mrs. Geo. Pocklington, who has been under the doctor's care for several days, is slowly recovering.

Cyrus Palmer was the victim of a surprise Friday evening, made by his schoolmates and friends.

Lenardson Bros., Britton, have received those sample shoes. Come and see them.

Robert J. Burdette, second on the Tecumseh Star Course, will be at Sutton's opera house Tuesday evening, Nov. 17.

New prunes, new raisins and currants at Ed Smith's.

Mrs. Alfred Lewis, of Lake Ridge, and Mrs. Elizabeth Augustus, of Macon, visited Mrs. C. A. Pocklington last week Wednesday.

Hudson buckwheat flour of Ed Smith.

Mrs. Scove Isabel, who has been spending several weeks with her parents and other relatives, left for her home at Baldwin, Mich., Saturday.

Over 1,000 pair shoes, all styles and sizes, at Lenardson Brothers', Britton.

Silas Danley, who has been in failing health for several weeks, died Monday morning. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn his departure. The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday morning, Rev. Cansfield officiating.

MACON.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Day is improving.

We are sorry to say that Dr. Hendershot moves back to Britton this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church met with Mrs. Wm. Biddle this week.

Dr. Charles Howell and wife, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday and Tuesday with his brother, Edwin Howell.

There was quite an attendance at the leap year social held at Mr. Koebbe's last Friday night. The supper made about $4 50.

It is a little late for election news and yet a joke that is told on the chairman of the democratic silver committee, of Macon, is too good to go by unrecorded. It may not have been noised around the earth, probably the news didn't "flash" at all, for most of the wires were too busy serving the devil that day, but there was one solitary voter who had the courage to walk up to the polls in Macon and cast his ballot for prohibition. Just as the voter was turning away from the booth, the undertaker from Ridgeway and the chairman of the silver committee rushed up against each other. "Hello," said B. F., "what are you up here for, to bury this prohibition corpse?" "No," was the quick retort, "I came up here to get the job of looking after the last sad remains of W. J. Bryan." He got it.

Mrs. Ed Sisson, of Detroit, came home with her mother last week, having recovered from her recent illness, and is visiting friends in this vicinity.

B. F. DePuy has decided that another presidential campaign would be entirely too much for his nervous system and so has decided to attend the World's Fair, at Paris, in 1900. His daughter, Fern, will accompany him and the two will make a tour of the continent before returning home.

Asel and Lafe Kelley entertained friends at dinner last Sunday and served, among other good things, nineteen quails, which they "bagged" the day before. Lafe's dog has a nose especially trained to quail and is the envy of every fellow in the neighborhood who owns a gun.

Last Sunday night a valuable cow belonging to Ira Coller got choked on an apple, from the effects of which she coughed so hard and so long that she burst her lung. Then the throat and neck began to swell, until by Monday the poor creature was in such agony that Ira was obliged to have a neighbor shoot her. Mr. Coller had recently paid $35 for the cow and yet he would have been glad to have given that amount if he could have saved her from such suffering and such a death.

They have come. What? Why, over 1,000 pair sample shoes at Lenardson Bros., Britton. Be quick and get your choice.

If all the accusations made are true, there must have been some high-handed violations of the law at the Macon polls on election day. Even the names are told of those who bought votes right and left all day, but as no man has yet been found who dare own up that he sold his vote, no proceedings have been ventured against the offending parties. These gentlemen are warned, however, that the defeated people are gathering evidence.

Quite a number of young gentlemen, who live in adjacent towns, come down here on a wheel, to see their "best girls." Last Sunday night the weather froze up, and the roads too, before good night had been said for the twentieth time, and some of them had a humpty dumpty time of it getting home, especially the fellow who has to go almost to Manchester. If these gentlemen can only get elected to the next legislature we'll have stone roads sure.

At Lenardson Bros., Britton, you can get shoes at your own price, if you hustle.

The news furnished by the Herald's Britton correspondent last week, that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor were the parents of a bouncing baby girl, warather amusing to Mr. Taylor's family as the little lady weighed just two pounds and had to be esconced in delicate, soft flannel until some wee clothes could be made for her. Indeed, the little one is such a tiny bit of flesh and blood that she seems more like a doll than a real child. She is bright and smart, however, and will grow up just like any other daughter, although she probably won't come under the head of "bouncing" during the present season.

Mrs. W. R. Mayfield, of Ashton, O., says: "I had a case pin worms presented to me of 30 years' standing. This man has taken three bottles of Lightning Worm Killer, and has passed, he says, over 2 1-2 gallons of worms, and that he will make oath to the same. A score of doctors told him that he could not be cured."

Mr. George Craft, of Annville, Ky., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills have given me great benefit in kidney and liver disease of ten years' standing. They act as reccommended."

Mr. J. K. Moore, of Weston, W. Va., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills, used for constipation and piles, have given me great benefit."

Mr. C. C. Garrett, postmaster, Calm, W. Va., writes: "We have been using Lightning Worm Killer for the past six years with perfect satisfaction. It is a sure eradicator of worms, and has greatly benefitted our children."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 13, 1896.

Our worthy townsman, F. J. Temple, is candidate for oil inspector. This will leave as far as heard from 26 instead of 27 candidates for the Tecumseh postoffice.

It will be the prediction of the HERALD that with the coming republican McKinley administration there will be no great change in the tariff or agitation of the tariff question. There are many incongruities in the Wilson bill which need attention, but the tariff, or rather the revenue from the tariff, will not have to be materially changed. In 1892 the people of this country spoke in very strong terms their opinion about high tariff. There should be sufficient revenue raised by tariff to pay promptly the expenses of this government. The campaign just finished, as everyone knows, was fought on currency issue. No doubt Mr. McKinley and his assistants will have common sense enough not to stir up any agitation by "tariff tinkering."

The banks and manafacturer throughout the country have taken upon themselves the job of restoring the United States to prosperity. Yes, old time prosperity. By old time prosperity is meant prosperity to the merchant, to the manufacturer, to the mechanic, to the farmer, to the day laborer, to the capitalist, to everybody. They should be assisted by republicans, silver men and democrats alike and with this assistance old time prosperity will certainly be with us. The daily papers since election have brought intelligence that the banks throughout the country are paying out the gold freely to all who desire it. To thoroughly convince the people of this fact, a number of large manufacturers paid their employees last Saturday with the yellow metal. Thousands of dollars were tranferred this last week from safety deposit vaults to banking institutions, thus putting the money where it could be circulated instead lying idle and bringing no income to its owners. The capitalists are now willing and glad to loan their money on good security. Factories are daily starting up and a few increasing pay rolls should improve business in every direction. The shortage of the wheat crop in India and Australia will help the farmer in this direction. Wheat is now 80 cents a bushel and bids fair to go higher. The opening of the cotton mills already begins to boom the price of cotton. Indeed everything tends to help us in all branches of industry and with hard work and a little patience it is to be hoped that the beginning of the end of the so-called hard times will soon be with us.

The following concerning the wheat crop and other matters from the Secretary of State is interesting and shows good crop prospects and good healthy condition of stock. The average condition of wheat in the State on Nov. 1 90, in the southern counties 88, central 93, and northern 95, comparison being with vitality and growth of average years. The average condition in the State in previous years has been: 1895, 78; 1894, 94; 1893, 89; 1892, 87; and 1891, 91. The average condition in the southern counties is 16 per cent higher than in 1895, 3 per cent lower than in 1842. The plant appears to be in healthy condition but is of small growth owing to the unusually cold and dry weather of October. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the October report was published is 1,227 917, and in the three months, August, September and October, 3,399,174. This is 476,459 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year. The average yield of corn per acre in the State is estimated at 72 bushels of ears, equal to about 36 bushels of shelled corn. The estimate for the southern counties is 74, central 70, and northern 67 bushels of ears. These are remarkable high estimates for the State and each section and indicate the largest crop ever grown. The average yield per acre in the sixteen years, 1879-94, was 51.65 bushels of ears, or about 26 bushels of shelled corn. The clover seed crop is light. The estimate is 1.61 bushels per acre on less than three-fourths the acreage in average years. Potatoes are estimated to yield 80 per of an average crop. The excessive rains during the growing season did much damage to this crop. Hog cholera is reported from a few localities, mostly in the extreme southern counties, but stock generally is in good condition. The mean temperature of the State in October was 44.9, and in the sourthern counties 46.2 degrees. It was 1.6 degrees below the normal in the State, 1.7 degrees below in the southern counties, and about 1 degree below in the remaining counties. The average precipitation during the month was, in the State, 1.50 inches, and in southern 1.23 inches. Compared with the normal there was a deficiency in the State and in each section in the lower peninsular as follows. State 0.92 inches; southern counties, 1.03 inches; central, 1.13 inches, and northern, 1.25 inches. The rainfall in the upper peninsula amounted to 3.46 inches which is 0.71 inches in excess of the normal.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Nov 10, 1896:

Miss Vica Cox, Willie Smith, Hollis Taylor, Mrs. James Burns Rev. Minor Fairfield, Miss Clara Ackley, H. B. Bulkley, Tecumseh Rock Cutter Co.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. B. KYLE, P. M.

Election Bets.

Very few bets of any kind were made in Tecumseh this year, some money changed hands and it is reported that some staunch republicans lost small sized "wads" on "Li Hung Ping." A few novel bets were indulged in but only the two following were discovered by the HERALD man.

Chas. H. Heck, the miller, and Will Sisson, the furniture man, have for the past few months been very warm friends. Heck has been allowed to rest himself in the easy chairs in the furniture show room, while Sisson smoked the farmers cigars, but now all friendship has ceased between them and Heck declares that Sisson is nothing more or less than a web-footed-horse-thief from the swamps of Blissfield, and all on account of an election bet. Heck bet Sisson a barrel of flour against an easy chair that Michigan would go over 30,000 republican, and Sisson paid the bet by sending him a picture of a chair, which was delivered via Uncle Sam's postoffice. The same parties have another bet still unsettled and people at the HERALD end of town fear bloodshed.

The papers all over the state have recorded, in various ways, the wheel-barrow ride wager between Miss Metta Owen and Frank Bauer, which culminated in the young lady treating Mr. Bauer to a delightful "push-buggy" excursion from the Mills block to the HERALD office and return, last Saturday. The reports of the trip were fairly correct but the following description of how the bet came about is vouched for by both interested parties:

Said Metta to Frank,
"I'll wheel you up the plank,
If 'Old Gold bug Mc' is elected."
Said Frank to Miss Mettie,
You better not 'bettie'
Election might go unexpected."

Then she said, "Mister Bauer,
I will give you one hour
To bet or to simply back down.
For I do surely think,
Old "Mc" on the brink
Of being 'done up' in this town."

Then said Frank very gruff,
"I will not stand the bluff
I will bet you a ride in the barrow
That Bryan is 'done.'
This is business, not fun
Lets decide it today not tomorrow."

Election is past
And this is the last
Bet Metta will ever be Owen,
Still Frank was not gay,
As she trundled away,
He had rather he hadn't been "goin."

Chrysanthemum Show.

The ladies of the Research circle are to be congratulated for the wonderful success of their display of these popular and beautiful flowers. The transformation which the Heesen store presented as one stepped inside the door, was simply marvelous. One could scarcely believe the room could be transformed into such a bower of beauty by human hands and yet these ladies did it unassisted. Considering that with the exception of some plants furnished by Mr. Peck, florist, of Hudson, and a fine collection of blooms of the different varieties from Nathan Smith & Son, of Adrian, the entire display has been gathered from this community, one's credulity experiences a severe strain. When seen in the homes of the individual owners they do not look so extraordinarily beautiful but collected together and arranged as these have been, by skillful hands, language seems too feeble to do the picture presented justice. The ceiling and side walls above the shelving of the room were tastefully adorned with bunting of different tints, the floor covered with a great variety of rugs artistically arranged, beautiful screens placed around formed pretty backgrounds for the charming grouping of plants in bloom. In the center of the room a lovely floral pyramid rose to the ceiling, made so by the arrangement of blooming plants of different kinds and colors. On the north side of this was the beautiful chrysanthemum collection from N. Smith & Son's of Adrian, and on the south side those from Mr. Peck, of Hudson. The east side of the room was draped in white and in the center yellow chrysanthemums of every hue, which were greatly admired. On the west side there was a variety—cactuses of different kinds in full bloom, ferns, mirrors, canary birds in pretty cages, pictures, palms, and on top of the shelving potted plants in great profusion, all arranged with such exquisite taste that it furnished a picture to delight the eye. In the west window, arranged like a parlor, was a wedding scene, complete in every detail, one ought to see to comprehend. It showed taste, skill, and a great amount of labor. The diminutive ladies' toilets were handsome and the little gentlemen were in full dress. The priest was there, the bridal pair with attendants under a marriage bell, behind them a bank of flowers; children with baskets of flowers, guests, etc. It was indeed very realistic. A piano orchestra furnished the music.—A gentleman presided here only. Dainty lunches were served and choice boxes of bon bons sold. Each visitor was presented with a hand painted souvenier that was a work of art. This delightful entertainment was planned, executed and conducted entirely by the ladies of the Research circle and they should have reaped a bountiful harvest.

Mrs. Langtry rides a bicycle painted with her racing colors.

Sir Horace Kitchener comes from the county Kerry.

Anderson & Rosacrans.

Anderson & Rosacrans occupy the store known as the "old Anderson store," which is a building 23 by 120 feet in size and the space used for sales rooms is the first and second floors, thus making one of the roomiest and best lighted sales houses in southern Michigan. Since the organization of this firm, (which consists of Webb Anderson, John L. Anderson and Fred Rosacrans), every effort has been made to purchase a new, well-assorted and complete stock of dry goods, notions, carpets and cloaks. These goods coming, a great many of them, indeed most of them, direct from the manufacturers, and being purchased especially with regard to the trade and desires of the people of Tecumseh and vicinity, it has taken until about this time to get the assortment fully in place. Now everything is here. No finer stock of dry goods proper can be found in the county. Special attention has been paid to the purchasing of hosiery and underwear, and the assortment of notions is tasty and up to date in every particular. In the carpet department may be found stock which was never before and never will be again sold at such low figures. It may be said that wool used in making carpets is now at the lowest price ever known. The facilities for making carpets have been perfected from year to year, and combining the two the results in price are simply marvelous, and now is the time to buy carpets. Prices were never so low and the stock of this firm will certainly please you.

It has been the purpose of Anderson & Rosacrans in no way to hurry the arrival of this immense stock of merchandise. The idea was to take pains in selecting, special care being used that the prices and qualities should be right, that their patrons might be assured at all times of securing the best qualities for the least money at this store. It would be advantageous for the people of Tecumseh to call, look over the goods, make comparison in qualities and prices, not taking into consideration for an instant whether they desire to purchase or not, and it is the desire and intention as far as quality of goods and prices are concerned, to hold a little opening every trades day in the year.

Webb Anderson has been engaged in business in Tecumseh for over 40 years. Fred Rosacrans has worked 25 years as employee and partner of the Andersons. John Anderson commenced 20 years ago to clerk in the store and for a number of years past has been partner in the firm. Three better known, more trusted, more competent men could not be found in Lenawee county. They have made the dry goods business the study of their lives, and the two younger members of the firm will at all times be actively engaged attending to the wants of their increasing trade. It is indeed a pleasure for the HERALD to write concerning the business and business life of the members of such a firm. Tecumseh has always been fortunate in this branch of trade, and the citizens not only of our town but of the surrounding country are proud of so first-class an institution. It will really be a wonder if in every way the firm of Anderson & Rosacrans does not succeed.

Home Seekers—One Way—Settlers' and Tourist Rates to the South.

The Cincinnatti, Jackson & Mackinaw Ry. will sell Home Seekers' Excursion tickets to points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississipi, Louisiana, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Florida, twenty-one day limit, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. These tickets will be on sale Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and 15, 1896, Jan. 5 and 19, Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16, April 6 and 20 and May 4 and 18, 1897.

One way Settlers' tickets will also be on sale to the points above mentioned on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, at greatly reduced rates.

Winter Tourist tickets to all southern points, good returning up to May 31, 1897, are on sale at principal ticket offices.

Two trains each day making direct connections at Cincinnati with trains for all points South.

For information as to time of trains, rates, etc., apply at C., J. & M. ticket offices.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
11-6-5 Genl. Passr. Agt.
Toledo, O.

Hoyt's Comedy Company.

This popular company composed of artists of ability in their special lines, are making a week's stand at Sutton's opera house. The repertoire is large, choice and varied, and the stage settings unusually fine. Their work has been far in advance of what is usual in towns of this size. The houses have increased nightly which is a high compliment to the company. Rose May Doty is a charming soubrette, Charles Rich an excellent commedian and baby Lottie a prodigy. Last night there was a big house to see "Texas Steer." Tonight, by special request, they repeat "Faust and Marguerite" wherein special scenery is used and electrical display gorgeous. At the matinee tomorrow afternoon for women and children, "Maloney's Wedding" will be presented and in the evening "Trilby." No doubt the opera house will be packed.

Resolutions of Respect.

Resolutions adopted by the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club.

WHEREAS it has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from us Mr. George Poucher, one of our members of the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club, and while we know that "He doeth all things well", still we desire to express our sympathy, therefor be it

RESOLVED, that we extend to the bereaved family our consolation in this their hour of sorrow and affliction, and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be entered upon the books of our society and also published in the Tecumseh Herald.

WHEREAS, God in His providence has seen best to remove from our midst, our friend and neighbor, W. S. Osborn,

RESOLVED, that through the death of Mr. Osborn the club has lost a true and honored friend and member.

RESOLVED, that we tender our sympathy to the bereaved sons and daughter in this their great affliction.

RESOLVED, that a copy of the above be printed in the Tecumseh Herald and sent to the bereaved family and entered upon the minutes of the society's book.

MR. AND MRS. S. V. MUNGER.
MR. AND MRS. A. VANVALKENBURG.

Again standing by the open grave of a valiant defender of the old flag, we are forcibly reminded that each day's march brings us nearer the eternal camping ground.

Charles Meredyth Woodward passed over the river October 27th, 1896.

During the dark days of rebellion he was ever loyal to his country and exemplified his devotion amidst the clash of arms and smoke of battle, and when war's alarms became a memory he continued to be a genial, generous and lovable comrade. He was an esteemed member of Beers' Post 140, G. A. R., which organization, in respect for his memory, by a rising vote unanimously

RESOLVED, that to the family of our deceased comrade we extend our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of sorrow and bereavement.

RESOLVED, that our altar and charter shall be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days, and that a copy of these resolutions be published in our village papers.

JOHN D. SHULL,
LEMON BARNES,
ALTA SPAYDE,
Committee.

Mrs. Freeman,
Is Sole Agent in Tecumseh for this Celebrated Corset.

D. M. BAKER,
Coal,
Lumber
and Sewer Pipe.

Specialties:
Red Cedar Posts,
Long Timbers.
Akron Sewer Pipe.
The Largest Stock.
Prices that are Right.

COR. MICHIGAN AND DIVISON STS.
Yards: Corner Church and Pearl Sts.
ADRIAN, MICH.

Remember
Our Wood is the only Wood kept under shelter. Why buy wet, poor wood, when you can get the best for the same price?
Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Company.

There is Nothing the Matter with our Fall and winter Suits and Overcoats,
Except the price.
Styles are latest
Quality finest
Lines complete
You can be exactly suited, but the
Prices are too Low,
for anything like the right kind of profit.
Our loss your gain.
We will stand it and invite you to call and see them.
McCANN BROS.
N. B. Our line of hats at $2.00 a head is a wonder.

You're Looking
for winter wraps.
We're Looking
for you
Our Prices,
Our Cloaks
Our Underwear
will please you.
INVESTIGATE.
Agents for Standard Patterns. Best fitting and retail from 5 to 25c.
Anderson & Rosacrans.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 13, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 8-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dry hard maple wood, finest in the world, $2.00 a cord. Order quick.
ARTHUR HARDING.

W. Anderson has in front of his stores the two handsomest signs in Tecumseh.

A great time at Harris & Hiteshu's next week. Cloaks and capes and jackets all half price.

Daniel T. Hall went to Madison Wednesday to attend the funeral of his uncle Thomas F. Moore, whose death was very sudden. Mr. Moore was an old and respected resident of Madison and well acquainted with many of our citizens.

Now is the time. One-half price on all the capes, coats and jackets in stock Also besides this on Thursday, Nov. 12, a large line from a leading manufacturer will be added and all go at half price.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

Bicyclists will do well to remember that the ordinance prohibiting riding on the sidewalks is still in force and will be during this month. From December 1st to April 1st it is allowable to ride at a rate of speed not exceeding six miles an hour.

James Henderson's little son Herbert was three years old Sunday. On the afternoon of Monday eleven little ones called about that age assisted him in celebrating the important event. It is a question who enjoyed it the most, the children or adults.

Judging from the amount of furniture we have been selling since November 1st and what our customers tell us we can give you a larger stock of furniture to select from and much lower prices than any place in the county.
WHEELER & SISSON.

The party given at the armory last Friday evening to the McKinley young men by the Bryan boys, as the result of a bet, was a delightful affair. The hall was decorated as dictated by the McKinleyites and was showy. About a couple participated. The guests were royally entertained.

It is understood that the ladies of Tecumseh are agitating another leap year party. 'Tis well, ladies, but if the HERALD remembers correctly the gentlemen have not returned the party of last year which was indeed a most delightful affair.

It has been reported around town that coal has gone up in price quite an amount during the last few weeks. This is a mistake. C. A. Slayton is selling the best grades hard coal, carefully screened, any size, for $7.00 per ton and your orders will be filled promptly. There is at present no prospect of a raise in the price of coal.

At the last meeting of the Monday club the topics Charles V, Martin Luther and the Reformation were discussed. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Wm. Smith presided. Able and instructive papers were read by Mesdames Levi Hayden, A. Isenburg and J. R. Hialey, which were followed by very full discussions.

A beautiful line best embroidery silks at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's.

We learn that St. John's Episcopal society of Clinton is preparing a sacred concert to be given at town hall there Friday evening, November 28th. Such a boy soprano will be the leading feature, the reputation of this society is such that whatever they undertake proves to be par-excellence. We hope to give further particulars next week as many people often attend entertainments given by this society.

Smith & Son, Adrian's popular florists, no matter where they show their chrysanthemums, bear off the plumes. At the great show in Chicago Wednesday, they had no plants, only blossoms, and yet they won four firsts and one second as follows:—2nd, $15.00 for forty blossoms one variety yellow; 1st, $15.00 for twenty varieties, one bloom of each; 1st, $15.00 for twelve varieties, one blossom of each; 1st, $25.00 for collection named varieties, one blossom of each less than forty varieties: 1st, $25.00 collection named varieties. They have a display at all the chrysanthemum shows now in progress in the different large cities. No doubt they lead others in chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Freeman desires attention to her "ad" concerning the "Cresco" corset on fourth page.

Mr. Whiting owns a dog commonly known about the village as "Ping." The dog's full name is Hazen S. Pingree Whiting. Although there is no more rabid democrat in Lenawee county than Will Whiting, this dog seems to have fallen onto the job and instead of following in the footsteps of his master insisted upon attending every republican meeting during the last campaign and at every mention of Pingree's name he would howl to "beat the band." But "Ping" had no collar, and as his master had bet so much on Bryan that he had no money with which to buy one, a mutual friend stated these facts in a letter to his honor, Mayor Pingree, and by early express came the handsome collar that Detroit could furnish, beautifully engraved and inscribed "Pingree Whiting."

Daily arrivals every day in the cloak room at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

It has been an open secret for some weeks that the C. J. & M. was to be sold and last week the Toledo papers announced the order of the court which stated that the price shall not be less than $1,000,000. It is now reported that the price intends buying the road to form a connecting link between the Southern and Lima Northern.

We make a great specialty of underwear. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Judge Whelan, of Detroit, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. O. P. Bills visited the city of Toledo Monday.

C. D. Keyes returned from Grand Rapids Tuesday evening.

Robert Cairns made a business trip to Addison Wednesday.

Miss Grace Burnett visited Miss Maud Metcalf, of Adrian, last week.

Mrs. Corey returned last week from quite an extended visit in Ohio.

Gene Fowler, of Clinton, was calling on Tecumseh relatives Tuesday.

Eugene Crane's smiling countenance was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Bert A. Garlinghouse is serving as juror in the U. S. court at Detroit.

See the feather boas and beautiful line of millinery at Mrs. Freeman's.

Mobbs & Co. are hustlers and are getting a great trade in their teas and coffees.

Rev. James Hagerman, of Dundee, visited Tecumseh friends the first of the week.

Rev. Judith C. Johnson will fill the pulpit of the Friends' church Sunday, Nov. 15th.

Read on another page what Harris & Hiteshu have to say about cloaks and capes at half price.

At the Methodist church next Sunday night, Rev. J. P. Varner will have for his subject "Crime."

Presbyterian church, topic for Sunday evening: "A young man's conception of the ideal young lady."

And now McCann Bros. come forward and talk about winter suits and low prices. Read their "ad."

Charles E. Totten, of Ionia county, has been in town this week. He came to attend the funeral of his bonther.

Don't fail to visit our store when in town and see what a quantity of furniture a small amount of money will buy.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Dr. Sickles, an old Adrian boy but for some time connected with Harper hospital, Detroit, thinks strongly of locating here.

Charles Adler, district manager of telepohnes, came over with men and made some changes in the line here Wednesday.

Dickinson Bros. are making a specialty of Heinz's pickled goods, sour kraut and mustard. Read their "ad" on another page.

Ministers' meeting next Monday at 10 a. m. at Baptist church parlors. Paper on "Citizenship" by Rev. Nickerson, of Britton. Discussion following.

And still they come. Another invoice of cloaks to be opened tomorrow, Saturday, at Seaton W. Anderson's. Come quick before the selections are broken.

Jerome Travis, whose family now live at Ypsilanti that the daughters may have better educational advantages, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Remember the date, Thursday, November 12th, every cloak and cape at Harris & Hiteshu's at half price. Never such an opportunity before offered in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Perry, of Charlotte, were the guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Snell. The later couple returned with them to return the compliment.

A farewell reception was given Rev. and Mrs. J. Edgar Williams at the home of Miss Libbie Satterthwaite Monday evening last. It was largely attended and very pleasant.

The Herald subscribers are once again notified that no wood will be exchanged for subscription after Dec. 1. Will take all you can bring previous to that time but not a load later.

Last Sunday Mark Mills, register of deeds elect, dined a number of his young republican friends. It is reported that the affair was grand and up to date in every particular.

Our new goods are arriving daily, the latest designs and all the best makes, and you can buy them cheaper than the shoddy furniture. WHEELER & SISSON.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will hold its regular tea meeting in the church parlors Wednesday, Nov. 18. Supper served from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

John Riley and sisters, Mary and Anna, and Harold Hatch attended a large pedro party at James Riley's, in Clinton, Wednesday evening. The house was filled to overflowing with a jolly company.

We would call the attention of all to the new advertisement of Lenardson Brothers, Britton. It will open your eyes and no doubt cause you to visit them at their double store instanter. Look it up.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Edgar Williams left yesterday for their new field of labor at West Milton, Ohio. The Friends society which has enjoyed Edgar's ministrations the past year, while loth to part with him and his estimable wife, rejoice that he is called to a more important field, and his many friends outside the society can only wish him abundant success wherever he goes.

Mack & Co. have their grand opening for fall and winter Saturday, Nov. 21, 1896, in Manchester, Mich. To memorize the occasion they will give away with each $1.00 sale that day a solid sterling silver souvenir consisting of a manicure, cuticle, nail file, glove buttoner or a souvenir spoon In addition they will have their store decorated with potted chrysanthemum plants, giving it a holiday attire. Any one wishing any chrysanthemum in bloom will receive it instead of the solid silver souvenirs. Everybody come to this memorable occasion.

Albert Conger is able to be out again.

Third degree work in Masonic Temple tonight.

Mrs. Vern. Smith is recovering from her serious illness.

A. Whelan has returned from Detroit but little improved in health.

Will Rector has sold one of his farms to Charles Avery, of Saline township.

Miss Louise Phelps entertained a party of friends at duplicate whist Monday evening.

Ed. Williamson has received a stock of goods and will open a store in his building next week. He will transact a strictly cash business.

Coal ashes came near causing a conflagration at George S. Tiffany's Saturday evening. Fortunately the blaze was discovered before any damage had been done. It was a close call.

Some sheep owned by Mr. McLean and a cow belonging to Robert Boyd in the township of Raisin, which recently showed symptoms of hydrophobia, were, by orders of Dr. Chas. Waldron, killed and cemated. It is thought no further trouble of the kind will occur.

Subjects for Sunday in the Universalist church: Morning; "Be ye not called Rabbi, for one is your master, even Christ, and all ye are brethren," St. Matt. 23: 8. Evening: "The peasant and the prince." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Topic: "The next thing," Acts 9:6, I Cor. 10:31-33. Special Y. P. C. U. business meeting after Sunday-school.

A. M. Palmer's company, under the direction of Wm. A. Brady, which has just concluded a successful tour of Australia, presenting that delightful play, "Trilby," will appear at the new Croswell, Adrian, Tuesday evening, Nov. 17th. The popularity of this fresh and delightful romance of artistic life is certainly remarkable. "Trilby" is a play which has the unusual distinction of appealing more to the imagination than to one's experience in actual life. It makes no large demand on the intelligence or thinking faculties; it is a fantastic fairy tale happily blended. No one can deny that Svengali fascinates notwithstanding his knavish and hypnotic tricks and devilish cunning. Was there ever such a character of frank girlishness as Trilby? Miss Eleanor Barry, who was prominent in support of Wm. H. Crane last season, is appearing in the title role. Chas. Kent, who has done excellent work in the past, is handling the role of Svengali.

Ernest Ruwolnt about whom an article appeared in these columns last week feels that it was unjust and in a great measure uncalled for as he is not abusive to his family and labors hard for the comfort of his wife and little ones. On the evening referred to when he returned from his work and spoke to his wife as he repeatedly had about her taking the children and being away so much, thereby neglecting things at home when he was away at work, she became angry and some words followed. At bedtime he locked the doors and retired, leaving her down stairs, and knew nothing of her leaving the house until after eleven o'clock. When the officer came he explained matters whereupon he retired satisfied that Mr. Ruwoldt was not the only one at fault. Mr. W. simply desires his wife to husband his earnings and care for his household affairs that he may be able to pay his creditsrs. We understand explanations have been made and harmony restored.

THE NEXT ATTRACTION.

Our Own and Only Bob Burdette will be here Tuesday, Nov. 17.

Burdette, the laughing philosopher, the prince of pathos, the wizard, who jingles among the bells of his cap the key to every human heart.

"A lecture by Robert J. Burdette is certain to draw a crowd. It doesn't seem to make much difference what kind of a night it may be, nor what may be the subject of the discourse, people always go to hear Burdette talk. Last night Grace Methodist church was filled to hear him, in spite of the extremely disagreeable weather. People take him on the principle that you can't have too much of a good thing. It is impossible to disguise the genial soul of this man even under well known phrases. His lecture in its outward form may grow old, as he says it has, but the heart of the man never will. That appears to be as young ever. And it is the firm belief of many who know him that he couldn't get old if he tried. His lecture last night was new to those who have heard it before, as well as to those who have not. It was terse with wit and the same pathos which characterize all of Mr. Burdette's work, and a delighted crowd laughed and cried for two hours."—Chicago Inter Ocean, Feb. 4, 1890.

Season tickets for the remaining five entertainments are now offered at $1.25. Never before were five such entertainments offered to a Tecumseh audience at the small price of 25c each. Now that the campaign has closed, the committee of the Star Course trust that the citizens of Tecumseh will appreciate the effort made and the chances taken in securing such a high class of entertainments and that they will come to the rescue and patronize the course and by so doing relieve the committee of a large loss which is before them.

SCHNEIDER HEARS BURDETTE

"Ven dot man Purdette vas make his sbeech, py chimminy, I cried dill I laffd! He dell so many tings yo pin droo your own seliuf und py gracious you neffer knowh id dill you vos listen mit him! Yaw. Und you find oud how you vos a pig fool, by gracious, ven you vos a liddle fool, und you don'd known id! Dere vos more laffingness in dot man, py chimminy Chris'mus, dan dere vos in bein' de fadder of dwins. Ven he vas dell his leedle tawg sdory, und tings like dot, you got laffingsome all ofer yourseliuf, don'd id? Und dot man Purdette, he neffer mind id. He geep on talkin' yoost de same. Off I vos make asbeech and efferypoddy vos laff ad me like dot I vould shtop. Dot's de kind off a man I vos, py gracious! But ven Mister Purdette gomes dis vay again I vos go to hear him off id gost me dree kevarters off a tollar, so hellup me Moses Peter!"

Mrs. Morris Hyde.

Harriet Lawrence was born at Pompey Hollow, near Syracuse, New York, Dec. 10, 1810. When she was a child of five her mother died two years later her father followed; leaving four daughters and one son, the subject of this sketch being the last surviving member of her family. After her father's death Harriet made her home with an aunt and uncle until 1831 when she became the wife of Phineas Whittier. In 1832 the husband died, leaving his widow with an infant son. On June 15, she was married to Morris Hyde, at Sodus, Wayne Co., New York. Two years later the young couple emigrated to the wilds of Michigan, coming as far as Toledo by water and from there to Franklin, Lenawee county, by wagon. For ten years they endured the hardships of pioneer life and in 1846 moved to Tecumseh, where they have since lived on the corner of Pottawatamie and Union streets.

Mrs. Hyde died on Nov. 6, 1896, after an illness of ten days. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Nov. 8, 1896, at the family residence, the Rev. B. S. Hudson officiating.

Five children survive their mother: Stephen Whittier, Albert Hyde, Mrs. J. A. Munger, Mrs. J. M. Ingersoll and Mrs. Clarissa Kendrick; two sons having gone before. She also leaves nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

She was a faithful wife and loving mother and although we shall sadly miss her, yet we can say, through our tears, "She has finished her day's work and is laid to her well earned rest."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their aid and kindly sympatny toward us in our late bereauement.
MR. AND MRS. ED HUNT, Tipton.

You ought to know that when suffering from any kidney trouble that a safe, sure remedy is Foley's Kidney Cure. Guaranteed or money refunded. ORR & TEMPLE.

—Have you seen that 10c broom at the Mills Block? They are worth 20c, you can get themat 10c.

—Stamped doilies, splashers, pillow shams, etc., two for 5c and 5c each at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—We have a complete line of horse blankets, inspect them before purchasing. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Fresh fish every Friday at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—You see we have only a few weeks more and we are bound to clean out our entire Tecumseh stock. We mean it. They have got to go. MILLS BLOCK.

—Strictly fresh taffy every day at the City Bakery.

—For pocket and table cutlery and carving knives and forks call at Satterthwaite Bros'.

Best bulk oysters in Tecumseh at the City Bakery.

—New invoice of Heinz's pickles, mustard and sauer kraut at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—Wash tubs 35c, clothes baskets 35c, clothes pins at 10c per hundred.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Oysters served in any style at our lunch counter. CITY BAKERY.

—If I were you I wouldn't buy a dollars worth of goods until I saw the goods and prices they are making now at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Fine fresh bulk mince meat, strictly pure and clean at Dickinson Bros.'

—Doll cabs from 25c to $1.25 at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Cooking materials in granite iron ware are very cheap at Satterthwaite Bros'.

—Blankets, underwear, work shirts, fine shirts, pants, overalls, etc., any price to close out.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—See the name on the leg of the genuine "Round Oak" at Satterthwaite Bros.'

—My china and fancy goods are carefully selected from the largest factories the world and my prices are the lowest. G. H. TANSLEY.

—Those new kind of lamp chimneys at Tansley's excel anything on the market.

—Come quick, if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap.
A. W. SLAYTON.

—See the new lamps from 25c up, at Tansley's.

—Canvass wampuses and woolen shirts at cost. MILLS BLOCK.

—All bed and horse blankets going for cost and below now. MILLS BLOCK.

—We have a large assortment of underwear, mittens, gloves, etc., which we are bound to close out. Call and get prices. MILLS BLOCK.

KANNED KORN.

May be the proper way to spell the canned trash on the market, but not the correct way for the

Celebrated Honey Drop Brand,

of SWEET CORN, of which we have just received a quantity of the new crop.

Nothing Finer Produced.

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

Cold Weather Underwer and Gloves and Mittens

We invite attention to our Large Asssortment of

Gentleman's Underwear
Winter Caps
Wool Socks
Knit Gloves
Fine Dress Gloves

Especially adapted for cold weather we are offering all at Rock-Bottom Prices.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

JUST OPENED

A Barrel of

H. J. HEINZ CO'S

(SAUR KRAUT.)

AVERY & CO.

Have You Ever

tried the J. M. BOUR CO'S famous

Royal Garden Japan Teas

and

San Marto Blend Coffees

sold by

Mobbs & Co.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

CATARRH

Is quickly absorbed
Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, and Heals and Protects the Membrane from Cold
Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell
Gives Relief at once and it will cure

COLD IN HEAD

A particle is applied directly into the nostrils, is agreeable. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10 cents by mail.
ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York

THEY NEVER HEARD OF HIM.

Two Chicago Business Men Who Wondered Who George R. Davis Is.

Three men were chatting together in a Madison street cigar store. It was raining outside and neither was in a hurry to leave. One of them was a well-known politician and the other two were apparently successful business men. A military-looking gentleman with snowwhite hair, mustache and chin whiskers entered, says the Chicago Chronicle.

"Good evening," said the politician.

"A nasty night," he added.

"Who is that?" queried one of the other two men of the politician after the man he had addressed as colonel had gone out.

"Why, don't you know him—Royal George Davis?"

"Well, who is Royal George Davis, anyway?"

"George R. Davis—don't know George R.?"

"What did he do?"

"Why, man, he was director general of the world's fair!"

"Never heard of him."

The politician looked at the man in undisguised amazement. "Come, buy the cigars," was all he said.

And such is fame.

How Manufacturers Test Bicycles.

Unless one has visited a great bicycle factory it is not easy to appreciate the many delicate operations that the parts of a bicycle are subjected to, the many tests that must be passed, and the hundreds of careful inspections that the many parts must pass before they are considered worthy or good enough to be assembled into a bicycle of standard worth. Visitors to a big manufactory are surprised at the extent of the plant, the perfect appointments, and air of discipline that prevails throughout. It does not take the most inexperienced long to see why it costs so much to build a good bicycle. The most exacting care is required; the very best materials are necessary in every part; skilled labor of the highest order is essential to obtain the desired results, and if any part gets through the inspection-room and is afterwards found imperfect, it is nothing short of marvelous.

A Remedy for Thinness.

A French paper tells the story of a dramatic instructor who had as a pupil a girl who was very pretty, but woefully thin. Thinness is so fatal on the stage—except where there is the highest genius, as in the case of that great actress of whose admirers it is said that they prefer grace before meat—that he consulted a physician about it. The physician recommended belladonna. "Why?" asked the dramatic instructor. "Because," was the reply, "belladonna has the property of dilating the pupil."

It is not long since the emperor of Austria definitely settled the succession to the throne on his nephew, Archduke Otto, passing over the latter's elder brother, Francis Ferdinand, because he was on the point of death from consumption. Francis is apparently recovering his health, however, and it is hinted that he was not suffering so much from consumption as from blighted affection. He has long wished to marry Archduchess Stephanie, the widow of Crown Prince Rudolph, whose tragic death at Meverling a few years ago will be recalled, and he was constitutionally debarred from doing so while he remained in the direct line of succession to the throne.

FARM AND GARDEN.

APPLE BARREL PRESS.

Homemade Contrivance That Answers All Ordinary Purposes.

The press commonly used for heading barrels of apples in large orchards is too complicated for home manufacture and more expensive perhaps than many care to purchase where the output of the orchard is but a limited number

APPLE BARREL PRESS.

of barrels. We find in American Gardening a sketch of a homemade press which hardly needs to be described. An iron rod is bent to the curve of the barrel and its lower end turned over a hook under the lower edge of the barrel. The lever at the top and a block of wood, to be used first flatwise and then edgewise, complete the outfit. The lever can be raised or lowered by the nut on the end of the iron rod.

VACCINATING LAND.

The Principle of Inoculation in the Domain of Agriculture.

Research has demonstrated that the soil of our fields is literally teeming with bacteria, which, according to some recent experiments, may be present to the extent of 45,000,000 per gramme (the one-twenty-sixth part of an ounce) of soil; and that these bacteria are largely instrumental in conducing to the successful growth of vegetation by preparing, in forms suitable for assimilation by the plant, the different food substances it derives from the soil, says the Quarterly Review. The latest application, in the domain of agriculture, of the great principle of inoculation, is in many respects of a more striking nature than anything yet accomplished by this line of research, and consists of the inoculation of the soil with pure cultures of bacteria for the purpose of promoting plant growth.

Inoculation of a soil with these cultures, on a practical scale, may be affected in either of two ways. First, the seed of the crop it is desired to inoculate may be inoculated before it is sown. This is effected by making a watery solution of the pure cultivation, immersing the seed in it, and subsequently drying it; or, secondly, it may be effected by inoculating a quantity of fine sand or earth in the same way, and then spreading it over the field and subsequently working it into the soil to a depth of about three inches. Naturally, a point of considerable interest is the economic question of the cost of such treatment. It is interesting to learn that this is extremely moderate, as the expense of inoculating a field in this way amounts to the very moderate sum of five shillings per acre. This cannot be regarded as expensive, and contrasts favorably with the expense of nitrogenous fertilizers.

ART IN AGRICULTURE.

It Is Coming to Be Quite an Important Elevating Factor.

Art in agriculture is coming to be more and more noticeable every day. With the advent of new methods, improved implements and a wider knowledge of the field, the agriculturist is rising higher in the field of useful or ornamental art as the years go by. We may say that sharp competition is no small factor in this progressive movement, says the agricultural student. Take, for example, the manner in which certain products are prepared for the open market. The improvement in the condition of certain dairy products and fruit on market in the last few years is truly wonderful. The reason, of course, is that people always buy that article which is put up in the most tasteful and attractive style, and are willing to pay a little more for it. With this change comes a more wholesome effect upon the article itself, and disease is much less disseminated through food at the present time than formerly. Greater precautions are taken now than ever before in preventing the spread of contagious diseases in this manner, and with the increase in the size of the cities and the greater liability to ill-health, these precautions cannot be observed too carefully. Thus the agriculturist, to be successful, must keep right up to date in his readings and methods.—Mirror and Farmer.

The Day of Small Things.

This is a day of small things, and the sooner we educate ourselves to see the necessity of economizing in the factors of success, the sooner we shall be able to extract ourselves from the slough of despond. The small butter dairy, under certain conditions, can compete with the largest creamery. But, as in the creamery, it is necessary to pay strict attention to details and the requirements of excellence, if we hope to please the taste of the consumer.—Farmers' Review.

It costs almost as much to keep an idle horse as one that works in winter

BUTCHERING TIME.

Timely Hints Concerning the Killing and Dressing of Hogs.

Butchering time is near at hand; have plenty of dry wood up; kettles and scalding tub ready, the old gun ready to shoot, and the knives sharpened. Meat killed in moderately cool weather will take salt better and keep sweeter than that killed in severely cold weather. Under latter conditions it is liable to freeze or chill before the animal heat and smell leaves the carcass.

Water heated with hot limestone rock will clean a hog better than water heated in kettles. If you heat in kettles, put a shovelful of ashes in the scalding tub; 160 degrees is scalding heat, but water at 175 to 180 degrees will do the work much quicker, but with more danger of setting the hair. The thermometer is the best test of the proper heat, but old butchers readily test it by the feel of the water on the hands.

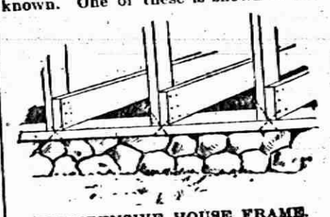
Shoot your hogs down before sticking them, it is more humane and even if it was not, a shot hog will bleed more freely than one stuck alive. The proper place to shoot is where lines drawn from each eye to the opposite ear would cross. Use a small charge of powder, or if you use a breech-loading gun, use short cartridges. As soon as the hog drops stick him. Roll him on his back, put the point of your knife, which should not be more than six inches long, right in front of the breast bone, direct it toward the root of the tail, thrust it in and withdraw it quickly to prevent shoulder sticking from the struggles of the dying animal. Scald the front end first, and when the hog is clean hang it on the gallows pole and scrape down. Use hot water at first, and finish it up with a bucket or two of cold water.

Take the insides out of the hog just as soon as you can after it is hung up. Put your knife in at the hole made in sticking and rip up through the breast bone and ribs; this will allow any blood that has settled in the lungs to run out while you finish the job. Split down between the hams and cut around the vent; pull and cut until you have the bung gut loose for six inches. Tie a string around it and push it back into the carcass. Finish cutting down in front, and put your left hand under the intestines as they roll out; with the right hand tear everything loose from the back bone, using the knife with care, so as to avoid cutting the entrails. Cut the gullet in front of the stomach, and take the stomach out with the rest of the entrails. Remove the liver, lungs and heart after the rest is done. If the hog is not bloody inside, use no water to clean it, but wipe it dry with a cloth. Even if the inside of the hog is rather bloody, it may be wiped clean with little trouble; the meat will take salt better if kept dry.—C. D. Lyon, in Rural World.

SIMPLE HOUSE FRAME.

Mode of Construction Highly Useful for Small Buildings.

There has been a wonderful change in recent years in the manner of framing buildings, reducing the size of timbers used and doing much less cutting of mortices and tenons. But there are still other changes in the direction of simplicity that are not commonly known. One of these is shown in the



INEXPENSIVE HOUSE FRAME.

accompanying sketch, which very nearly explains itself. Instead of a heavy sill, a two-inch plank is laid upon the stone foundation, bedded into the cement. Upon this are laid the planks that are to support the floor boards. These are spiked to the uprights, which are themselves spiked to the sill plank. The same plan of spiking the frame can be carried out in the upper portion of the building. In this way all the frame is made of plank, and no mortising or tenoning is required. This plan is highly useful for small buildings, while there are plans to use a somewhat similar construction in the framing of barns. —American Agriculturist.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Plan to make hog killing as easy as possible.

Don't waste time and effort trying to grow crops not adapted to your soil or climate.

When we reflect that a large proportion of milk is made up of water, we see the importance of furnishing the cows with pure water.

H. S. Matteson says: "I do not believe that a cow milks any easier for having her teats wet, any more than I believe a man can lift more when he spits on his hands."

What man has done man can do. Many dairies have succeeded in getting their herds up to an average of 300 pounds of butter per cow per year. All should strive for it.

A fair estimate of hay for a cow is from 15 to 20 pounds per day. A milch cow will eat four or five pounds more than a dry one, and a large cow will of course eat more than a small one, under similar conditions.

It is said that the color on the inside of the ear is an infallible guide in the selection of a good butter cow. If the skin on the inside of the ear is of a rich yellow color, the cow is sure to give a good quantity of milk that is rich in butter.

The soja bean has given great satisfaction in the Ohio station. It is a hardy, rapid grower, and gives a good yield of very rich forage. The black is the only variety that matures seed that far north, but the green makes better hay, as it holds its leaves better. For hay, plant them with the grain drill; for seed, plant as corn.

VESSEL GOES DOWN.

Loss of the Schooner Waukesha in a Storm Off Muskegon.

Six Members of Her Crew Are Drowned—One Rescued—The Survivor Lays the Blame on a Drunken Captain.

Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 9.—It was about 1:30 Sunday morning when the beach patrolman on the south shore of the harbor reported wreckage coming ashore. This report, to the mind of Capt. Wood, brought up the question of the safety of the big three-masted schooner which arrived off the point about four o'clock Saturday afternoon. She signaled for a tug as she came in sight, and the station sent word uptown for the Carrie Ryerson, which came down, but did not venture out in the face of the big sea which was running. The schooner was apparently all right during the evening, and at nine o'clock the lookout man saw her lights. After that they disappeared and nothing more was seen of them. It was thought she had slipped her cables and run out to get room.

Six Lives Lost

But the sequel shows she had not. In the storm, the awful cold and darkness, six human lives had been snuffed out and not a soul on shore had been a whit the wiser. In the wreckage was found the name plate of the schooner, which was the Waukesha, owned by Capt. Duncan Corbett. She was loaded with salt and was bound from Ludington to South Chicago, so it was learned, as the thread of the tragedy was slowly picked up afterwards.

The lookout man at the life saving station thought he saw something move on a dark object which bobbed with the swell of the sea, the object lying about half a mile off the harbor. This was at the break of day, and Capt. Wood was notified and speedily found out that the dark something was the wreck of a vessel.

One Survivor.

In the hope that something might be alive on the wreck he went out there with his crew and to his great surprise found a sailor clinging to an improvised raft. The man was able to wave to the life savers as they came up and was taken to the station, and when warmed up and pronounced out of danger was sent to bed. Sunday evening he was able to talk, and gave a graphic description of the tragedy

Says the Captain Was Drunk.

He said that his name was Frank Delach, that they left Ludington Friday, and almost immediately the captain began drinking, and had for his companions a sailor by the name of Fred and the mate. Soon the three were deeply intoxicated and they continued that way until the end. The boat leaked badly all the way and the hands, at the pumps all the time, soon became worn out.

The sea increased and the men begged the captain to beach the boat, but he refused. When they came in sight of Muskegon the master did not know where he was, and anchored 1½ miles out, against the protests of Delach, who wanted him to either enter the harbor or go ashore, saying they could not live where they were. The drunken captain, however, refused, and would not allow any signals to be given to bring help, locking the torches up.

Loss of the Crew.

Shortly after the boat began breaking up and the men sought safety in the rigging. One by one the masts fell, one killing the negro cook. The other six clung to the wreckage and were washed away one by one. Delach's mate being the last to go, just at daybreak Sunday morning. Two bodies, those of the cook and a Swedish sailor, have been recovered and have been taken charge of by Coroner Van der Linde, who will hold an inquest to-day.

The boat had on 600 tons of salt. The Waukesha was an old boat, having been built at Manitowoc, Wis., in 1862. She registered 310 tons, was 138 feet long and 26 feet beam, and her owner or manager was F. H. Head of Chicago.

Survivor of Thirteen Wrecks.

This was Delach's first trip on the boat, and he was unable to give the names of any of the crew. He says she was sailed by her owner. This is the thirteenth time Delach has been wrecked. Nothing was found on the bodies by which they could be identified.

Muskegon, Nov. 10.—Two of the bodies of the crew of the wrecked schooner Waukesha have been identified. One was named Johnson and lived in Chicago. He formerly lived in Muskegon. The name of the other was Martin, and his residence is unknown. The body of Thomas Gayton, the colored cook, has been taken to Benton Harbor by friends.

Expect Heavy Winter Traffic.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 7.—The Graham & Morton Transportation company has closed a contract with the Lake Michigan & Lake Superior Transportation company for the steamer Duluth to go on the Milwaukee freight route from this port after November 20 for six months. An immense freight business is in sight for the winter over this route.

School Money to Be Apportioned.

Lansing, Nov. 7.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction Pettengill will soon make the regular semi-annual apportionment of primary school money. The sum of $547,537.87 will be apportioned among the 608,231 children in the state at the rate of 77 cents per capita.

Kalamazoo Factories to Resume.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 7.—The Standard wheel works, the Long Coupler company and several large carriage and wagon factories and foundries in this city are preparing to resume at once, after a long shut-down.

Crazy on "16 to 1."

Mount Clemens, Nov. 11.—Walter Cord, of Macomb township, aged 26, went hopelessly crazy over politics and since election has done nothing but shriek "sixteen to one."

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New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:48 p. m.
New York Express	9:38 p. m.

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Jackson.....Lv	8 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.
Napoleon	8 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Concord	8 27 "	2 29 "	1 20 "
Manchester	8 45 "	2 45 "	1 35 "
Clinton	8 55 "	3 01 "	1 55 "
Tecumseh	9 05 "	3 08 "	2 05 "
Adrian.....Ar	9 45 "	3 45 "	2 40 "
Toledo	10 45 "	4 40 "	3 35 "
Detroit	12 40 "	6 35 "	5 25 "

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818 Express	No. 84. Accom
Detroit.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	....
Toledo	11 05 "	8 00 "	....
Adrian	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Tecumseh	12 29 "	9 25 "	7 50 "
Clinton	12 38 "	9 35 "	8 14 "
Manchester	12 55 "	9 50 "	8 30 "
Norvell	1 12 P.M.	10 07 "	8 52 "
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Jackson.....Ar	1 40 "	10 35 "	10 00 "

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No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

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No. 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
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How to Have Fresh Vegetables Almost All the Year Around.

In many sections of the country fresh vegetables may be had the year round if a hotbed is constructed and properly cared for. Such a bed may not be an expensive one of brick or stone, covered with glass, unless the owner so desires. Oiled canvas stretched over a frame will answer the purpose nearly as well as glass and will be far cheaper. It should be made a few days before needed, so that the oil can penetrate through and through the cloth. Linseed oil is best, and may be applied by means of a common paint brush.

For the hotbed make a bed of common barnyard manure, being sure there is no cow dung in it. Turn this over and over two or three times at intervals of four or five days. Allow the manure to ferment until smoking hot. When the manure is thoroughly heated

HOMEMADE HOTBED.

make an excavation two feet longer and two feet wider than the box, which may be made of inch boards. The back part should be about 20 inches high and the front 12 or 14 inches. This will give a sloping top, which will permit the rain to run off. The cover may be made so it can be pushed down or up at the owner's will; or a stick with notches in it at intervals will answer as well. In this way the cover can be lifted entirely off the bed or be raised just enough to admit necessary air and light. By having a notched stick the cover will take no extra room when not in use. The hotbed may be of any size desired.

In the excavation place six or seven inches of rich soil, and upon this the fermenting dung until the bed is about two feet high. On top of this place three or four inches of pulverized soil. Put on the frame and keep it covered until the temperature rises to 120 degrees, then sow the seed. Every night until danger of frost is passed cover with mats or similar protection. The bed should be opened every day from 9 until ten or eleven a. m. and from two to three or four p. m., unless freezing, to let in air. Never allow the temperature to exceed 90 degrees or fall below 70. To secure good, healthy plants plenty of air is necessary, and unless the air is admitted tall, sickly growths will be the result. Care must be taken to bank the outside of the bed all around with good stable manure.—Farm and Home.

INTERESTING TESTS.

A Fine, Firm Seed Bed Is Preferable to a Loose Soil.

In order to determine the effect of "compact" and "loose" soil upon seed, the horticultural students in the short course in agriculture, Madison, Wis., made the following experiments:

Each student used 100 white beans divided into two equal lots. Before planting, the volume of each lot was determined by pouring a given amount of water into graduated tubes, and noting the difference in height of the water when the beans are added. They were then drained and at once planted in tin boxes with tight covers. The boxes were filled one-third with moist garden soil, in which the beans were mixed and the surface covered with an inch of soil. The same operation was performed with the second lot, and in addition a small block of wood was used to compress the soil about the beans. As each student prepared two lots, this gave 100 cups, which were marked with labels giving student's name and volume of beans. The cups were then placed for 24 hours in a room in a temperature of 68 to 70 degrees. The volume of the beans of each lot was then determined with the following result: The average increase in volume of the beans in loose soil was 46 per cent., in compact soil 71 per cent. Peter Henderson relates in "Gardening for Profit" an experiment in which not one seed in 1,000 of celery, nor one in 100 of cabbage, started in strips of loose soil, while compacted strips gave an excellent stand. The use of the feet or roller is based on the same principle. In the loose soil there are less points of contact of moist earth with the seed, causing less water to be absorbed, a slower germination, and an unfavorable condition for its best development.

The concensus of opinion is that a fine, firm seed bed is preferable to a loose soil.

The Way to Sell Fruit.

In order to effect a ready sale for fruit of any kind in these times of great competition, it is necessary to grow large and highly-colored fruits, to strive after quality—as understood in the market—more than quantity, although the latter must not by any means be overlooked. Let it be noted, if fruit is to be sold privately, that good flavor and proper degree of ripeness, will recommend your fruit to your customers. If you intend selling through a market agent, flavor will count for nothing; but rich color and soundness of condition are everything towards securing the highest price. All fruit should be grown as large and highly colored as possible, gathered and packed before it becomes soft and overripe. When gathering fruit, never gather when there is a heavy dew or just after a rain. They should be gathered dry, and be kept dry.—Rural World.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

How It Affects the Growth of Various Kinds of Vegetables.

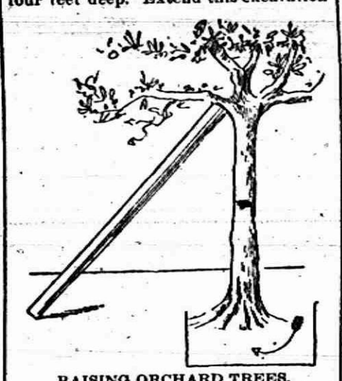
In consequence of the success which has attended the experimental culture of flowers and vegetables by electricity in America, some of the London horticulturists, who desire to be first at Covert garden with their early salads—a branch of industry which is exceedingly profitable—propose to install the electric light in their forcing houses. In the states the electric culture of plants for commercial purposes has now become a recognized industry. This fact is mainly owing to the careful compilation of data which has been made by Prof. L. H. Bailey, of Cornell university. Prof. Bailey shows that the effect of the light is marked even at a distance of 100 feet; that the electric light does not determine the periodicity of growth; that increase under the light occurs only during the first days; that growth takes place in daylight as well as in darkness. His experiments are thus summarized: The influence of the electric arc light upon greenhouse plants is greatly modified by the use of a clear glass globe, or the interposition of a glass roof. Plants which are much injured by a naked light may be benefited by a protected light. The light can be suspended even above the house with good effect. As a rule, plants are earlier under the electric light than when grown in ordinary conditions. Lettuce is greatly forced and improved by the electric light. An average of five hours of light per night hastened maturity from a week to ten days, at the distance of from ten to twelve feet. Even at 40 feet in only diffused light, the effect was striking. The light appeared to injure young, newly transplanted plants. Radishes were also benefited by the light, but not much. To do them any good the light had to be hung outside the house. If placed inside, whether naked or protected by a globe it injured the radishes. Beet and spinach were apparently somewhat benefited by the light. Cauliflowers grew taller and made fewer and smaller heads and violets and daisies bloomed earlier in the lighthouse. This corroborates results obtained with other flowers in earlier experiments. The electric light does not appear to determine or modify the hours of growth of lettuce and some other plants which have been studied in this particular. Plants which are benefited simply grow more rapidly during the customary periods. These experiments have been extended over six years and the conclusions reached are worthy of careful attention as based on independent scientific investigation.

TREES BLOWN OVER.

Description of a Method by Which They Can Be Saved.

Many orchard trees have been blown over recently by high winds. Where the roots on one side are still intact, such trees can be easily saved. L. B. Rice, of St. Clair county, Mich., describes his method as follows:

Dig a large hole on the side on which the roots are broken, and some three or four feet deep. Extend this excavation



RAISING ORCHARD TREES.

under the body of the tree, so that when it is raised up it will settle about four inches lower than what it stood before. (See cut.) Then trim the tree thoroughly, not by cutting off large limbs, but reduce the leaf surface by cutting away small limbs and twigs, and by taking off the ends of the longer limbs. Then raise it into its place and set a fence post in the ground at an angle so that the tree will rest against the top of it; then fill in under the roots with sods and rich earth mixed with manure, so as to encourage strong root growth. In a few years your trees will be as good as before. Of course, this only applies to trees that have roots enough left intact to keep the tree from withering.—Ohio Farmer.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES.

The land for the sugar beet should be plowed in the fall, and after plowing, unless the land is very rich, apply plenty of well-rotted manure.

The potato blight is on the increase. Bordeaux mixture for blight and paris green for bugs will have to be kept in stock by the potato grower.

It is not much trouble or expense to construct a hothouse for forcing early vegetables or growing vegetables in winter. The farmer can do this.

The apple grower who does not regard the apple as he would any other crop, and furnish the trees with food, as he does other crops, will not succeed.

If the farmer would go at the work of producing early vegetables, he could laugh at the low prices for grain, if they should continue. Early vegetables always pay.

If fruit trees grow too rapidly they will not bear well. The force goes into the wood. When young trees grow too rapidly, it is a good plan to put the orchard in grass. This will check the growth.

If house plants become frozen, darken the room and sprinkle with water from the well, with a few drops of spirits of camphor in it. Keep the temperature at 45 degrees for 24 hours. —Western Plowman.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal panacea for coughs, colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations.

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discover Try this ideal cough remedy now. Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal. Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at Baker & Hall's drug store. 6

Does economy bore you? It ought not to, always. Take the matter of washing with Pearline, for instance. That is a pleasant economy. There's your work made light and short for you; and while you're doing it, in this easy, pleasant way you can be thinking of the acutal money that you're saving by not rubbing things to ruin as in the old way. That ought to be pleasant to think of whether you're doing the work yourself, or having it done. Millions use Pearline.

Beware of imitations. 431 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty third, 1887, and recorded on the 25th day of May, 1887, in the Registers office for Lenawee County Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 28 which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 24th, 1894, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assigement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1894, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 348,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 66-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee County Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Village lot number fourteen (14) of Eber Sherman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 4th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said [mortgage.

Charles Burridge Attorney for assignee.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned John L. Anderson, Fred Rosacrans and Webster Anderson, who severally reside in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan have formed a limited partnership pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 78, of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the state of Michigan. The terms which are as follows:

The name of the firm under which the partnership business is to be conducted is Anderson & Rosacrans.

The general nature of the partnership business is the buying and selling of dry goods and carpets and such other articles as are usually kept for sale in a dry goods store.

The general partners are John L. Anderson and Fred Rosacrans.

The special partner is Webster Anderson and the above named are all the persons who are interested in said partnership business.

The capital stock contributed by said Webster Anderson is three thousand dollars in cash.

This partnership is to commence on the 26th day of September, 1896, and terminates on the 26th day of September, 1898. Dated September 26th, 1896.

John L. Anderson.
Fred Rosacrans.
Webster Anderson.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 2nd day of November in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the estate of Addison Hardenburg deceased.

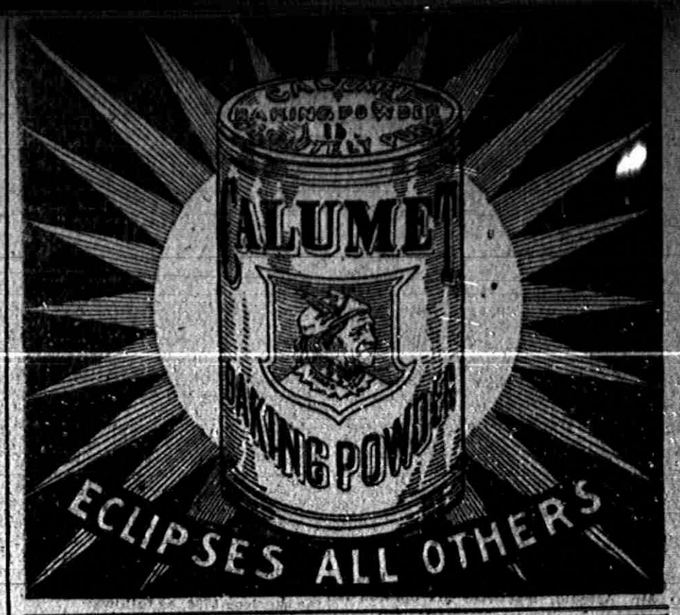
On reading and filing the petition of Alice B. Hardenburg, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to this statute in such case made and provided that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as this court shall deem proper.

It is ordered That Monday, the 30th day of November, 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcole, Ill.



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ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The trolly cars will be running now in a few days on the motor line between the Twin Cities, but the contractors couldn't make the $500 bonus by getting their work done November 1. Ann Arbor Courier.

Careless sportsmen sent a load of shot in the direction of Chas. W. Flowers, of Adrian township, while in the woods yesterday on the land of Anthony Poucher, one of which penetrated one finger, requiring the attention of Dr. A. M. Stevenson. Such carelessness should be punished.—Adrian Telegram.

One of the pleasurable results of the election is the defeat of Altgeld, for governor of Illinois. If ever there was a mistake in politics it was when this man was brought forward into public life, and there are no regrets now that he has been relegated to private life from which he should never be allowed to emerge.—Blissfield Advance. The editor of the Advance evidently knows Mr. Altgeld, leastwise his opinion is all right.

By a skillfully contrived apparatus, at the university, the professors are enabled to observe the pulsations of a man's heart and watch the play of the bones while the body is in motion, the spectacle of a live skeleton, executing a double shuffle, and keeping step to the brisk measure of "The Devil's Dream," is something never before witnessed on earth, though it is said to be the regular thing in another place.—Adrian Press.

Black diphtheria is raging in Wright township, Hillsdale county, about 10 miles southwest of Hudson. Homer Treat, the 16-year-old son of Horace Treat, died Sunday, and was buried quietly Monday. Lena Treat, age 20, a daughter of Horace, and brother of the deceased, is lying at the point of death. Two other persons, one a child, of Dr. Bates, have succumbed to the terrible disease.—Hudson Gazette.

News has been received here of the death of Frank Galloway, a former Adboy and printer. While serving as a government detective in New Mexico, he was accidentally shot by a brother officer, who was on guard duty. Mr. Galloway was one of the organizers of Adrian Typographical union, and was also prominent in the Knights of Labor. He left the Times office early in the eighties, to take a position in the K. of L executive offices, in Philadelphia, during the Powderly regime. He was married, a capable craftsman, and a man of considerable general information.—Adrian Times.

Within 15 minutes after the polls closed Tuesday afternoon, the verdict of Hudson's 700 voters was known in every city in the United States. Dispatch s were hurried to Detroit and there it was given to the Associated Press and sent broadcast over the land. Each dispatch the words contained "the election was held on the Abbott voting machine" and the effect that it had by way of advertisement can easily be imagined. Within forty minutes after the polls closed the Detroit Journal was out on the streets of Hudson, and within 30 minutes the result has thrown from the stereopticons before the awaiting and anxious multitudes in Chicago. The first dispatch received by McKinley at Canton was the one giving the result in Hudson. It was a magnificent advertisement for the machine.—Hudson Gazette.

The officers said that last night's crowd was one of the best natured and most peaceable of any they have ever seen. There seemed to be no drunks whatever and no inclination to resent injuries by pugilistic exhibitions. In fact the entire campaign has been free from such features considering the intense interest. Of course there were a few who found it necessary to exhibit foot ball tactics by flying wedges and dashes round the end, but no harm was done aside from ruffling the tempers of a few timid people.—Adrian Telegram. Getting tamed down. The above words about the republican ratification meeting in Adrian sounds peculiar. One week before election the TELEGRAM would have said, "The meeting of republicans last evening was a disgrace to any civilized community. Men, women and children, all drunk. Only sober ones were silver men coerced into joining the parade."

The first evidence of returning business confidence, the result of the election, was a deposit of $500 in gold, Wednesday morning, in the First National Bank of this city.—Ypsilantian.

Britton now feels as big as a boy with his first breeches. It has been incorporated with a population of 383. In order to be allowed the use of the village, after the choice of officers, a stranger or any outsider will be obliged to remove his hat, stand at a respectful distance from the president and humbly petition as follows: "Please, sir, do I have your permission to stay in the town all night?"—Adrian Press

A lad 12 years of age was killed at Ann Arbor, last week, while jumping upon a moving train. In his company was Jimmie Blytheman who of course escaped. Loaded down with crimes and escapades of all sorts, that boy Blytheman, bears a charmed life and slips safely through, while misfortune, the prison and death await others at the threshold. 'Tis a strange world!—Adrian Press.

The fact of the death of John Gahagan, in Missouri, son of James Gahagan, of Hudson township, are of a nature to excite deep sympathy and pity. Mr. Gahagan was on his way to work, when he was shot down by a party of men who were in pursuit of a murderer and mistook him for their man. The place of the tragedy was a lone, unfrequented one. Too late, the excited mob discovered on reaching the wounded man that he was not the object of their search. The burial had taken place before the arrival of the sorrowing father, who caused the disinterment of the body and its burial in another place.—Adrian Press.

J. H. Pomeroy has arrived at Hilo, Honolulu, and writes home very entertainingly of his voyage, which lasted twenty-two days, as he went in a sailing vessel and was becalmed. The passage sometimes takes only eleven days. The brig had a narrow escape from running into a water spout. The passengers had the novelty of a freshly caught dolphin for breakfast, and saw a number of whales, flying-fish and porpoises.—Ypsilantian.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned session of Nov. 4th, 1896. Present, the President, Clerk, trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lowry, and Wright. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for October presented showing six adult interments, $24.00 fees collected and two lots sold for $50. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street Commissioner's report for October presented showing village team labor 25 days; hired labor 3 days and 2 hours, $3.00; hand labor ½ day, $.32. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Village treasurer reported in writing as to the collection of the village taxes for the year 1896, as follows:

Total amt. of taxes assessed,		$7,708.00
By tax on real estate uncollected,.....	$143.00	
Tax on personal property uncollected,...	14.64	137.64
Total collected,.....		$7,550.36
Poll tax collected.....		10.00
Total.....		$7,560.36

Accepted and placed on file.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: P. W. Samsen, printing, $21.55; W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, $25.96; C., J. & M. R'y Co., rental ground, $5.00; Chas. Bidwell, marshal, $25.00; Tecum Electric Co., lights for October, $216.67; Alva Waring, labor, $1.25; Waring, labor, $.63; Wm. Fielder, labor, $6.75. Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills, the clerk was instructed to draw his order on the village treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

On motion the marshal was instructed to cause the arrest of all boys found climbing on or about the Soldiers' Monument in Military Square, or who are injuring or damaging the same, or playing about the same.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

High School Happenings.

Bessie Spayde called on her old schoolmates in the A room Thursday forenoon.

Mertie Gage occupied the Monday morning rhetoricals with a fine essay on the history of Lenawee county.

Mrs. G. W. Meade visited the sixth grade last Friday.

The snow-ball proclamation has been issued. What for? Where's the beautiful?

Jerome Navis, of Ypsilanti, was a caller at the high school on Tuesday.

Cora and Lulu Day have been absent this week, owing to the illness of their mother.

Leon Kelley, of Holloway, visited the ninth grade Monday, as the guest of Kenneth Holloway.

The Philosophy class are working on their nerves this month, and the nerves in the text book too.

A parents' and teachers' meeting will be held at the central building next Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

Willie O'Reilly is able to be in school again after his unfortunate fall.

Mabel Clements was absent Thursday.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club will hold a meeting on Thursday evening Nov. 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie. This is to be the opening meeting for the winter season and a good attendance is desired. The date of the meeting was changed from Tuesday evening to Thursday evening on account of the Robt. Burdette entertainment.

PROGRAM.

Singing, America—Club.
Recitation—Lydia Schreder.
Essay, "Literature"—Ida Rector.
Charade—Andrew Kehoe.
Declamation—Vernie Finch.
Locals—Ora Gillespie.
Reading—Mrs. Cyrus Hendershot.
Paper—A. P. Coddington.
Recitation—Edith Rector.
Reading—John T. Boyce.
Question, "Shall the farmer in this locality try to secure permanent pasture? If so, what grasses shall he sow? Of what value is rye as a forage plant? Led by John Fisher followed by R. B. Gillespie, I. H. Schreder and others.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	18	16
Eggs, per doz	16	15
Lard, per lb		8
Beans, per bushel	75	1 20
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		12
Potatoes, new per bushel	20	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	$ 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 80	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens per lb	6	10
Turkeys	4	
Hides, green	10	15
Sheep Pelts		

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	65	83
Corn, shelled		85
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15 83
Oats	16	20
Oats		7 00
Hay, timothy, per ton		6 00
Hay, clover, per ton		50
Bran, per 100 lbs		60
Middlings, per 100 lbs		80
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	4.00	5.00
Straw		

There are over twenty centenarians in Maine. Four of them are named Pinkham.

The czarina of Russia has 357 costumes in her wardrobe.

McKINLEY'S CABINET,

The Selection Already Made.

Since the election of Major McKinley to the presidency, the all-absorbing question has been in regard to his Cabinet. The most important step in the official life of a new president is to make a wise choice for his Cabinet, and if he should make a mistake in this, his administration would be a failure from the beginning. Having the welfare of this great nation with its seventy millions of people to look after, his duties are many and his work is surely arduous enough, even with the most competent assistance he can get. In the campaign just ended, the opinions and views of these seventy millions of people have been sharply arrayed against each other on questions of national import, making it all the harder for Mr. McKinley to administer the affairs of the government for the next four years with satisfaction to the masses. Our president-elect, realizing the great importance of choosing his Cabinet, has ignored the politicians and national leaders and turned to his wife for advice. In this he showed his wisdom, for she at once settled the troublesome question by declaring that the proper Cabinet for them to have for the next four years was the STAND-ARD CABINET, which clearly shows that a woman's judgment on important subjects is often superior to a man's, although he be a president.

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FOES OF LIQUOR.

Annual Meeting in St. Louis of the National W. C. T. U.

Miss Frances Willard Reelected President—All Other Officers Retained—Daily Proceedings of the Gathering.

St. Louis, Nov. 15.—The pulpits of 63 churches in this city were occupied yesterday by delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention. In the afternoon a mass meeting was held to consider the Armenian massacres, and a message was sent to President Cleveland, urging him to cooperate in ending the reign of bloodshed. Miss Willard in her address said:

"An ancient nation is being slowly slaughtered at the foot of Mount Ararat. Fifty thousand victims stretched out under God's sky in the slow circle of a year: women, pure, devout and comely, suffering two deaths—a living and a dying death; little children poised on the bayonets of Moslem soldiers; villages burned, and starvation the common lot. On the other hand, Christian Europe, with 7,000,000 soldiers, who take their rations and their sacrament regularly; statesmen who kneel on velvet cushions in beautiful cathedrals and pray, 'We beseech Thee to hear us, God our Lord;' diplomats who can shape the whisper of a throne and shade the learning of an ultimatum; but neither statesman, diplomat nor soldier has wit, wisdom nor will to save a single life, shelter a single tortured babe or supply a single loaf of bread to the starving Christians on the Armenian hillsides.

"'Vested interests' are against it, 'the balance of power' does not permit it. The will of the sultan is the only will in the empire of Turkey, and all the wills of all the Christian nations cannot move it one hair. The Turk is a savage, while the statesmen are over-civilized, he is a tyrant, while they are craven cowards. Meanwhile a star moves toward the east; it caught its light from the star of Bethlehem. One Clara Barton, a woman well-nigh 70 years of age, took her life in her hands and moved forward to the rescue. She went to bind up wounds, to give out bread, to light the fires on the blackened hearthstones, to put hope into broken hearts. She is a greater power to-day for God and brotherhood than all the statesmen, diplomatists and soldiers. The world's eyes followed her with love; they could not see her plainly for tears. Did our Heavenly Father wish to put before humanity an object lesson on the broadest scale of the futility of force and the omnipotence of love?"

Resolutions Adopted.

St. Louis, Nov. 17.—At the meeting yesterday of the W. C. T. U. the following resolutions were adopted:

Total abstinence for the individual; prohibition for the state and nation by law and by party; equal standard of purity for men and women; equal wages for equal work without regard to sex; ballot with educational test for both sexes; opposition to lynching; arbitration between nations, education along temperance lines, and cultivation of public sentiment; the Holy Bible as our standard of faith, and the recognition of the Sabbath as a day of rest; Christian citizenship and sympathy with the Armenians. It was recommended that each member of the Woman's Christian temperance union who appreciated the holy significance of God, home and native land, make an Armenian offer in some form on Christmas day.

Old Officers Reelected.

St. Louis, Nov. 18.—The National Woman's Christian Temperance union at Tuesday's session reelected the old board of officers without opposition, as follows:

President—Frances E. Willard, Illinois.
Vice President at Large—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, Maine.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Katharine Lente Stevenson, Massachusetts.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, Missouri.
Treasurer—Mrs. Helen M. Barker, Illinois.

Resolution on "Women's Bible."

The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that while we recognize the right of women to make commentaries on the Bible, as men have done from the beginning until now, we regret the name 'Women's Bible' to any volume and we further deplore the misapprehension of the press, secular and religious, in styling this commentary on those parts of the Bible only relating to woman as a 'new version of the Scriptures.'

"We further disclaim any connection whatever of our society or of our national president with this work."

A resolution from the Boston Temperance union was presented which stated that it had been learned that the house in Washington, D. C., in which President Lincoln died was about to be converted into a saloon, and therefore it was asked that congress be petitioned to prevent such occupation. The resolution was adopted.

It was resolved to send petitions to both houses of congress praying for a bill to forbid Sunday traffic in the District of Columbia and a bill to raise the age of protection for girls to 18 in the District of Columbia and the territories. The passage of a bill for the appointment of a non-partisan commission to investigate the problems of labor and capital and report some solution, the commission to consist of five farmers, five laborers, five manufacturers and five representatives of business and professions, will be asked for. Resolutions favoring the Keeley league and other similar cures were adopted.

The evening session was wholly given over to the presidents of the union in those states where the memberships had been increased 500 or more during the past year. Mrs. Clara Hoffman, state president of Missouri, presided.

Standard Silver Dollars.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The records of the treasury department show that from February 1, 1896, to November 1, there were coined at the mints of the United States 16,262,922 standard silver dollars. The seigniorage upon this amount was $3,051,430.

Forman Appointed.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The president Monday appointed W. S. Forman, of Illinois, commissioner of internal revenue, vice Joseph H. Miller, resigned.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

Synopsis of the Immigration Commissioner's Statement.

During the Last Fiscal Year 340,468 Foreigners Were Landed—Report of the Commission of Navigation for 1896.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The commissioner of immigration has made his annual report. A synopsis follows:

During the last fiscal year the arrivals of immigrants in this country aggregated 343,267, of whom 340,468 were landed and 2,799 were debarred and deported at the expense of the various steamship lines by which they came. Of those deported 776 were found to be under contract to perform labor in the United States made prior to their arrival, and 2,023 were returned as belonging to other prohibited classes. In addition to the number debarred there were 238 who became public charges within a year after their arrival, and hence were returned to the countries whence they came. The commissioner general states that he knows of no immigrant landed in this country during the last year who is now a burden upon any public or private institution.

With some exceptions, the report says, the physical characteristics of the year's immigration were those of a hardy, sound, laboring class, accustomed and apparently well able to earn a livelihood wherever capable and industrious labor can secure employment. As to occupations, it was composed largely of the classes designated as skilled and unskilled laborers, with some professionals. The amount of money brought into the country by immigrants was at least $4,917,318, and probably was largely in excess of these figures.

The report shows that the total number of immigrants over 14 years of age that arrived during the year 5,066 could not write, and 78,130 could neither read nor write, which is 25.63 per cent. of the whole number. Of those who could neither read nor write 31,374 came from Italy, 12,816 from Russia proper, 12,154 from Hungary, 6,197 from Bohemia and Moravia, 5,231 from other parts of Austria-Hungary, 2,474 from Ireland, 1,566 from Arabia and Syria and 1,589 from Portugal. The report shows that of the whole number of arrivals 212,466 were males and 130,801 females.

Commission of Navigation.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The report of the commission of navigation for 1896, after referring to the necessity for the passage of a free ship bill, states that our maritime rank of the Pacific is now threatened by a new rival. Japan, under liberal and progressive laws, has just established a trans-Pacific steamship line to the United States, and, with the cooperation of American capital, is preparing to extend rapidly this service.

In 1880 the tonnage of American vessels entering the United States from the ports of Asia and Oceanica was 283,395 tons, and of foreign vessels, 442,251 tons. In 1895 the American tonnage entering was 308,481, the foreign tonnage, 657,206. The large and profitable carrying trade, once conducted between Asiatic and European ports by American vessels, which seldom entered American ports, has almost entirely passed away.

Our total imports for 1895 were valued at $731,969,965, of which $590,539,362 were brought in foreign vessels.

Cost of the Army.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The cost of the army during the last year was $16,074,488, an increase of $755,527 over the previous year, according to the report of Paymaster General Stanton.

Coast Defenses.

Washington, Nov. 18. — The annual report of the board of ordnance fortifications, composed of Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Col. Royal T. Frank, First artillery; Col. Peter C. Hains, corps of engineers; Maj. F. H. Phipps, ordnance department; Capt. J. C. Ayres, and ex-Representative H. H. Outhwaite, was made public Tuesday. It says:

"Under the increased appropriation of the present fiscal year the work of placing our harbors in a proper state of defense is making good progress, and if only the same sums are appropriated annually for a few years, our principal ports will present a formidable front to an attacking fleet. It is hoped, however, that even more liberal appropriations will be made in order that we may sooner be ready for an emergency that may arise at any time. In view of the present serious aspect of European politics, it is only common prudence for this nation to be on its guard, for should a conflict arise we are liable to be embroiled with some power whose navy, in the present defenseless condition of our coasts, might destroy or exact enormous ransoms from our chief cities.

"A war, if it come at all, will come with no warning and no time for preparation. China, with undefended ports and an inadequate navy, was defeated in a few months. In the last war between the great military powers of Germany and France, the surrender at Sedan occurred only 40 days after the declaration of war.

"The wars of nations occur in cycles of varying length, but seldom does a generation pass without a great conflict. Already more than 30 years have elapsed since our last great war and another may soon, if the past be a guide to the future, terminate one of the longest intervals of peace we have ever enjoyed.

"Our engineer department is ready with the most modern plans for fortifications and our ordnance department is prepared with designs for guns and carriages that are equal to any in the world. A congress will but increase the appropriations to the capacity of those departments for useful and economical work, it will not be long before our coasts are secure against the attack of foreign powers. An effective preparation for war is the best safeguard against war."

A Jealous Printer's Deed.

Glenwood Springs, Col., Nov. 16.—James B. Spurrier, a printer, on Sunday shot and probably fatally wounded Miss Nina Cornell and slightly wounded James E. Wilson, her escort, and then sent a bullet through his own heart. Jealousy was the cause.

Green Bay, Wis., Nov. 18.—A few days ago August Pohl, chief witness against Swanson, accused of the Leshake murder in the town of How, Oconto county, hanged himself. Tuesday three more men in the town whose names are not learned, are reported as having hanged themselves through fear of being drawn into the case.

WRITES A LETTER.

President Cleveland Says Constant Vigilance Is Necessary.

The Document Is Read at the One Hundred and Twenty-Eighth Annual Banquet of the New York Chamber of Commerce.

New York, Nov. 18.—The one hundred and twenty-eighth annual banquet of the New York chamber of commerce was held Tuesday afternoon at Delmonico's, and among the 376 guests were the most prominent professional and commercial men of the country as well as distinguished statesmen and politicians. The banquet-room was decorated with several hundred American flags and the tables were ornamented with flowers. Alexander E. Orr, president of the chamber of commerce, presided.

When coffee and cigars were served, President Orr arose and was heartily cheered and applauded. When the enthusiasm had subsided, Mr. Orr welcomed the guests.

At the conclusion of his address President Orr read the following:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, Nov. 16, 1896.—Alexander E. Orr, President, etc. My Dear Sir: The pleasure which a participation in the banquets of the chamber of commerce has afforded me in the past and the kindly feeling and broad spirit of enterprise which always pervaded those occasions, causes me to regret most sincerely that I cannot join the goodly company that will gather around the chamber's hospitable board.

"Recent events may well cause those who represent business interests to rejoice in their escape from threatened peril. But while they have abundant reason for rejoicing and can view with the greatest satisfaction the support they have given 'sound money' in the contest lately waged against it, I earnestly hope that in this time of congratulation it will be remembered that constant vigilance and continued effort are required to even maintain political condition, but that absolute safety will only be secured when our financial system is protected by affirmative and thorough reforms. When our business men are habitually alert and watchful, and when they are moreover fully aroused to the importance of such legislative action concerning our finances as business methods approve, and the welfare of the entire country requires, much good may be confidently anticipated, not only in the accomplishment of practical results, but in the removal of hurtful prejudices through an assurance to the people that business and patriotism are becoming more and more united.

Yours very truly,

"GROVER CLEVELAND."

Addresses were delivered by Postmaster-General Wilson, Gov. Griggs, of New Jersey; Bourke Cockran, Gen. Miles, Senator Hawley, Gen. Horace Porter, Mayor Strong and others. Each urged patriotic support of the president-elect.

WILL NOT BE DEPOSED.

Rumors of Punishment of Archbishop Ireland False.

Rome, Nov. 16.—It is semiofficially stated at the vatican that the reports circulated in the United States of the intention of the pope to remove Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, are "pure inventions." Archbishop Ireland has simply been advised from an authorized quarter to moderate his attitude, avoid irritating discussions and conform his conduct to the instructions of the holy see, especially as regards education, social questions and the favor to be accorded to religious bodies.

Denounces It as a Fabrication.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Senor Dupuy de Lome says the alleged interview published in the New York World Tuesday, in which he is made to say that a war between the United States and Spain is possible, and that it would be terrible in its effects, and no one could predict its end, is a fabrication. He has not spoken to a World correspondent for days, and has never made any such statement to any other person. On the contrary, he asserts that the relations of Spain with the United States and his own relations with his home government were never more amicable than now.

No Negroes Allowed There.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 18.—When a few dozen men founded the town of Calvert City, about 16 miles below here, they swore that no negro should ever live in the town or vicinity. Several foolhardy blacks tried it, but they died before daylight. Monday night a mob of the lawless whites of the Calvert City neighborhood, in keeping with their policy, peppered nine negroes with buckshot because they dared to work in that section.

Knights of Labor.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 18.—The general assembly, K. of L., at its session on Tuesday reelected J. R. Sovereign general master workman. General Secretary-Treasurer Hayes was reelected without opposition. To the next highest office, that of general worthy foreman, Thomas Maguire, of Amsterdam, N. Y., was chosen. The next annual meeting will be in Louisville, Ky.

Long Strike Ended.

St. Louis, Nov. 16.—The strike of the employes of the Tudor iron works, which has been in progress for two years, was declared off Saturday, the proprietors having acceded to the demand for increased wages. This will place 800 men at work. The increase of orders for structural iron and the general revival of business brought about the end of the strike.

Congressman-Elect Dead.

Shelbina, Mo., Nov. 18.—R. P. Giles, congressman-elect from the First Missouri district, died at noon Tuesday.

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Clinton Column.

Social Concert—Live Stock—Many Personals.

Mrs. Halpin was quite sick the first of the week.

Philip Keusch wheeled over to Tecumseh Tuesday.

Sadie Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle's condition is slightly improved.

Mrs. C. F. Field was up from Tecumseh Wednesday.

J. M. Jones was up from Tecumseh Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Ellis and son spent Saturday in Tecumseh.

Mrs. June has been quite ill with pleurisy this week.

Mrs. Eva. Cooley spent Monday and Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Gordon Wolfe returned home from Deerfield Friday.

Services will be held in St. Dominic's church next Sunday.

VanTuyle & Co. shipped a car of hogs to Buffalo last Saturday.

Dora Davenport, of Franklin, is visiting Mrs. Addie St. John.

Robert Cairns, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday forenoon.

John Hazlett, of Tecumseh, was calling on customers Monday.

Jas. Gillen and wife were Tecumseh visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Nickerson, of Saline, was calling on Clinton friends Monday.

L. W. Kimball and wife were Tecumseh visitors Monday afternoon.

Clark Bailey and wife were the guests of Raisin friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Alta VanTuyle is still very sick with no change for the better.

Eugene Palmer enjoyed a visit from a brother, who lives East, last week.

Tate & Stoner shipped a car load of hogs to Buffalo Saturday afternoon.

Will Fowler, of Saline, visited his brother, Eugene, the last of the week.

Eva Smith spent Saturday in Tecumseh, the guest of Mrs. Chris. Wallinger.

Kathleen Hogan was the guest of Manchester friends Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Tuttle and daughter, Ella, visited in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

John Perry went to Chicago Saturday morning, returning Monday. He went to buy two car loads of cattle.

Will Niblack spent Sunday with his wife, who is caring for her mother, who is ill at her home in Macon.

Mrs. E. S. Tate, who had been spending the week with Detroit friends, returned home Saturday night.

Ellen Whittelsey returned last Thursday from a four weeks' visit with friends at Toledo and Battle Creek.

The Misses Kelly, of Cambridge, drove down Saturday and spent the day with Martin Keusch and family.

What has become of Geo. Tiffany and Mert Burlingame? They have not been over from Tecumseh in some time.

Mrs. Bert Kishpaugh and Mrs. James DuBois, of Britton, were visiting Clinton friends the first of the week.

The M. E. society have purchased a new cabinet organ for the church, and Sunday it was used for the first time.

Mrs. A. C. Huntington, her brother, George Stearns, and sister, Mrs. John Barker, visited in Tecumseh Tuesday.

S. W. Demuth and wife, Rev. Hutchins and wife and Bert Tate attended the lecture in Tecumseh Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. B. McMaster returned to Norvell Friday after a four week's visit with friends in Bridgewater and Clinton.

Geo W. Freese has been making a graveled driveway, at his residence, which is not only ornamental but very convenient.

Mrs. Franc Ordiway and little daughter, May, returned home Saturday, after a visit of several weeks with relatives at Angola, Ind.

Some of our society young men are preparing for a dancing party, to be held in the hall over Sherwood & Foster's, Wednesday night, Nov. 25.

St. John's society will give a sacred concert, to be held at town hall Saturday evening, Nov. 28. A young boy soprano, Master Gerald Brown, of Ann Arbor, has been engaged to give a number of very choice selections, and with others who have kindly consented to help, we feel sure of presenting to the public a good program, which will prove to be a musical treat.

S. F. Marsteller went to Grass Lake last Thursday on business, returning Friday.

G. C. Lindsley returned from the supervisor's meeting, at Adrian, Saturday noon.

Miss Ettie Breese, of Penwich, has been visiting her brother, Ed, and wife, since Saturday.

Ed Clark and wife took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallinger, in Tecumseh, Sunday.

C. S. Burroughs spent Monday at Manchester as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Conklin.

Lovisa Schreder, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Margaret Collins Tuesday and Wednesday.

Chas. H. Randall came down from Norvell Friday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Calhoun.

Hattie Porter, of Evans Lake, was a guest of T. Grey's family from Thursday till Wednesday.

Clara Bush spent Sunday with her mother in Ann Arbor, where she is spending some weeks.

Fred Bostedor and family, of Eaton Rapids, have been visiting Clinton relatives since Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Manchester, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Johnson, Tuesday.

Mrs. George Blatchford and daughter Mabel drove to Jackson Friday, returning Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. R. Smith gave a family dinner Wednesday in honor of Mrs. James B. Wells it being the birthday of both ladies.

In the evening of Thanksgiving day evensong will be held in St. John's church at 7:15 Offertory for domestic missions.

Mrs. John Hardiman left Saturday with her family and household goods, for Detroit, to join her husband, who has been there for the past few weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell went to Detroit Friday to attend a meeting of the General Missionary committee of the M. E. church. They returned home Monday.

Yet it is a fact that Will O. Silvers spent Sunday in Clinton, and it did not make him sick, for he was at his post Monday as though nothing unusual had occurred.

Last Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bailey gave a party to a few of their friends in honor of Gusta Lundquist, who expects to leave Clinton in a short time.

Gust Lundquist, who has been working for S. F. Marsteller for the past few years, left Wednesday for Ravenna, Ohio, where he will work at his trade with his brother.

Sam McClure and Edgar Coddington, of Tecumseh, visited friends here Sunday. There seems to be great attractions here for our neighboring town's young men.

Rev. Mr. Hutchins, of the Baptist church, Sunday, denounced dancing and card-playing in strong terms, which caused many comments. Whether it has the desired effect is extremely doubtful.

FRANKLIN.

L. E. Taylor is very low.

The Severence girls' new barn is a conspicuous feature on the landscape.

Hollis Taylor and W. J. Hampton have been taking out and shipping celery the past week. Their crop was fine.

The question of "Woman Suffrage" will be discussed at the lyceum Saturday night. The leaders are G. W. Allen and S. N. Wisner.

Come out to the lyceum at B. Lamkin's Saturday night and may the clerk of the weather be in better humor than he was two weeks ago.

If McKinley, down in Canton, didn't hear Mart Whelan's 35-year-old horn November 11th, it must have been his own fault. There was a big celebration in Tipton on that date, a free oyster supper at John Conlin's and a real jubilee of the republicans of Franklin.

TIPTON.

Edwin Cook is now settled in his new home.

Mrs. Oscar Alexander is visiting her daughters in Chicago.

J. H. Hunter went to Chicago last Saturday for the winter.

Mrs. Mary Woods, of Hillsdale, is visiting her brother, L. E. Taylor.

Mrs. John Echart, of Chesaning, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Knight.

A little two-year-old child of Gus Creger's died very suddenly Monday afternoon.

L. E. Taylor is slowly growing weaker and fears are entertained that he has a cancer.

Why Attempt to Cure

catarrh by the use of so-called blood remedies? That catarrh is not caused by blood troubles is self-evident when you reflect that attacks are always due to sudden climatic changes or exposure, and occur most frequently during the winter and spring, though the blood is as pure then as in summer or fall. A remedy which quickly relieves and cures the catarrhal attacks has been found in Ely's Cream Balm.

Lady Ulric Duncombe has entered Girton College as an undergraduate.

You Can't Afford to Chance It.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results. ORR & TEMPLE.

LAKE RIDGE.

The organ in the Sunday school is undergoing repairs.

Clarence Gilmore, who has been quite sick, is now convalescent.

Eber Bradley, an old resident of the Ridge, is in quite poor health.

Robert Ried and bride visited his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Butler, Sunday.

Miss Josie Hand was the victim of a surprise party last Wednesday evening.

Walter Norris has commenced his second term of school in the Henry district.

There will be preaching in English at the German church next Sunday morning.

They are here—those sample shoes you wanted. No two at alike Lenardson Bros.

Free Methodist protracted meetings are in progress in the White church, east of the ridge.

Mr. Bailey's daughter No. 3, of Fremont, has been spending some time under the parental roof.

James Murphy and Ben Johnson have entered Cleary's business college. May success attend them.

Clarence Fisher and sister, of Tipton, called on Mrs. C. Hender both on their way home from Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Lois Green and Mr. Archie Phillip, who have been the guests of H. Hand and family for the past month, have returned to their home in the mountains.

Think of it, over 1,000 pair shoes at Lenardson Bros., Britton. Get a move on you!

Charles Hendershot and family in company with Miss Josie Hand and Archie Phillip, spent a part of last week in Ann Arbor sight seeing and visiting friends.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. L. R. Spencer is slowly convalescing.

Miss E. H. Fish has discontinued her millinery store at Palmyra.

At Lenardson Bros., Britton, you can get shoes at your own price, if you hustle.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Underwood, of Britton, visited at Allen Kelley's Sunday.

A. H. Kelley and A. D. Macham have returned from their trip to the north woods.

F. Rogers, of Oklahoma, has been visiting his father and other friends for a few days.

Do not forget the pie social at Maccabees hall tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Supper from 5 to 8.

Miss Minnie Klegg of Adrian has been spending a few days with her friend Jennie Gordon.

The ladies' social at Mrs. A. R. Boyd's last week, was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

Charles Hoxie, of Traverse City, visited the families of A. H. Kelley and Aunt Jane Kelley last week.

They have come. What? Why over 1,000 pair samples shoes at Lenardson Bros., Britton, Be quick and get your choice.

The weekly prayer meeting of the Presbyterian church, also the Y. P. S. C. E. business meeting was held at the parsonage last Wednesday evening.

A business meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church next Monday evening, at which time an oyster supper will be given in the church parlors.

The "hard times" social, which was to have been held at the home of J. L. Richard on the 10th inst., was indefinitely postponed on account of the inclemency of the weather.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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The gold wreath ordered by the czar for M. Carnot's tomb was ready on All Souls' Day.

An Editor,

Of Clarence, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, writes: "Since the agency of your Caldwell's Syrup was established here I have been a user of what I can call 'that excellent medicine.' For a year or more I have been troubled with constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., and I find that this remedy is just what I have needed." Orr & Temple.

Everyday symptoms of digestive disorders—acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling—Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct troubles of this sort.

Harber, the great authority on fish, says that every square mile of the sea is inhabited by 120,000,000 finny creatures.

How to Prevent a Cold.

After an exposure, or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails. Orr & Temple.

ATTEMPT TO KILL A FAMILY.

Frank Konczal's House, Near Detroit Wrecked with Dynamite.

Detroit, Nov. 16.—The house of Frank Konczal, in the township of Springwells, four miles from Detroit, was wrecked late Saturday night by the explosion of a dynamite bomb, which is supposed to have been put there with an idea of killing the whole family. Konczal, aged 42 years, is in Emergency hospital, with more than a hundred wounds, and likely to die; Robert Ewers, aged 22 years, is almost sure to [illegible] with his eyes and be a cripple for life, if he recovers, which is doubtful; and Josie Konczal is painfully hurt. Several other members of the household were cut and bruised. Konczal and his family had retired but a short time before, leaving Josie and Ewers courting in the sitting-room. Just before the explosion Konczal heard the footfalls of a man, first in the front and then around the house. He thought he recognized the gait of his neighbor and enemy, Rogolski, who, it is alleged, because of an ancient feud and jealousy of Ewers, had threatened to kill the family. Sheriff Collins' officers began searching for Rogolski, and found him at 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning in bed with his clothes on. He tells various stories of his whereabouts. His little daughter and son both contradict him. He is locked up in the county jail.

PANTLIND DEAD.

Well-Known Grand Rapids Hotel Man Passes Away.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 13.—A. V. Pantlind, one of the oldest and best-known citizens in the city, died Thursday morning. He was about 76 years old, and one of the best-known men in western Michigan. He kept hotels in Paw Paw, Jackson, Niles and Saginaw and ran the eating houses on the Michigan Central railroad in early days. He has kept the Morton house for many years. About three years ago he was stricken with paralysis and has been failing rapidly every since.

Grand Rapids Team Sold.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 18.—Manager George Ellis, of the Grand Rapids Baseball club, has sold his franchise in the Western league to Robert Leadley, of Detroit, and Robert J. Glenalvin, the well-known Western League player, once captain of the Grand Rapids team and formerly of the Chicago league nine. The price is not given out. The only condition is that the team shall be kept here. Glenalvin will be manager and captain and will immediately sign as good a team as procurable. Ellis will devote his attention to the Atlantic league team.

Will Rebuild at Holland.

Holland, Nov. 16.—The citizens have raised $6,000 to aid in rebuilding the factory of Hon. George P. Hummer, the silver candidate for congress, which was burned a few weeks ago, entailing a loss of $150,000. Mr. Hummer had offers from Kankakee, Ill., and from Grand Rapids, but the action of the citizens means that the factory will not remove to another city. He will employ 500 men.

Gold Deposits at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 16.—Since the presidential election money has been flowing into the local banks at the rate of $20,000 a day. The reports given out by four of them Saturday show the following increase in deposits since November 3: Old National, $140,000; Fourth National, $40,000; Kent County savings, $20,685; People's savings, $21,027.

Makes the Saloonmen Pay.

Detroit, Nov. 17.—Mrs. White is said to have collected over $300 from the saloonkeepers of this town within the last month. The state law makes saloonkeepers liable for selling liquor to a husband when forbidden to do so by his wife. One man gave her five dollars cash and ten cords of wood in liquidation of the claim for $50 made by Mrs. White.

Falls Heir to Land and Money.

Niles, Nov. 18.—R. C. Sweet, a sewing machine agent, left his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., several years ago and started out in the world. About three months ago his father died, and on Monday Mr. Sweet received a letter stating that $47,000 in money and a large amount of real estate in Brooklyn had been left to him and his three brothers.

Sawed Entirely in Two.

Nestoria, Nov. 17.—A Swede millwright named Nels Sundean from Utica, N. Y., employed by the Sturgeon River Lumber company at Chassel, while watching the sawyers skid a log upon a log-carriage, fell in a faint across the log. Before it could be stopped he was carried to the saw and his body was cut in two.

Big Output of Lumber.

Menominee, Nov. 13.—The total output of the Menominee river mills for the season is 389,600,000 feet of lumber. Of this amount the Menominee mills cut 218,000,000 and the Marinette mills 171,000,000. There is a noticeable improvement in both lake and rail shipments.

Given a Ten-Year Term.

Menominee, Nov. 14. — Frank Butnick, who pleaded guilty to the charge of setting fire to and destroying the barn and contents of Barney Brunsted, in Meyer township, was sentenced by Judge Stone in the circuit court to ten years in the Marquette prison.

Big Fire Under Control.

Houghton, Nov. 16.—The fire in the coal shed of the Calumet and Hecla smelting works at South Lake Linden, is under control, and nearly extinguished. A steam fire engine and several fire pumps have been kept running for four days.

To Be Married December 9.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 16.—A Berlin dispatch says: The marriage of Miss Lucy Uhl, daughter of Hon. Edward F. Uhl, United States ambassador to Germany, to Prof. Guy Thompson, of Yale university, has been fixed to take place in Berlin on December 9.

Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Ionia, Nov. 14.—The 12th annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Michigan conference of the M. E. church closed here Friday after a three days' session. Forty visiting delegates were present. Mrs. A. A. Knappen, of Albion, was elected president, and Mrs. J. W. Hollenbeck, of Charlevoix, corresponding secretary. The report of officers showed a membership of 1,338, with 50 auxiliary societies. Just $2,921.75 has been received from all sources. The society pledged itself to contribute [illegible] toward the support of the Aldrich Deaconess home at Grand Rapids.

Victim of Burglars.

Bay City, Nov. 16.—The small grocery store of Paul Kleemann on Fitzhugh street was entered by burglars Saturday night, who blew open the safe and stole $525 in cash and checks amounting to $165. The robbers tied the doors of Kleemann's residence, which is a part of the building, so that Kleemann and his wife, both of whom are past 70 years old, could not escape in case they were aroused by the explosion. Kleemann thought his safe more secure than local banks, but has changed his mind.

Federation of Labor.

Lansing, Nov. 14.—The Michigan Federation of Labor will hold its annual convention at Representative hall in this city on December 1. President L. E. Tossy states that it will be the largest and most important convention the federation has ever held. The chief work will be the mapping out of desirable measures to be urged upon the state legislature for adoption.

Found a Paying Vein of Coal.

Jackson, Nov. 15.—C. E. Bennett and Henry Hayden some time ago received word that there was a vein of coal under the lots of the defunct George T. Smith plant on West Ganson street. They prospected, found the coal and paid $6,000 for the lots. Now three shafts are down, and a three-foot vein of the finest coal ever mined about the city has been found.

Driven to the Wall.

Menominee, Nov. 13.—The extensive hardware establishment of Dunning Bros. & Co., probably the largest concern of the kind in northern Michigan, was closed Thursday on a writ of execution issued at the instance of local indorsers in the sum of $9,000. It is thought the assets will more than balance the amount of all liabilities.

The Canvass Goes On.

Lansing, Nov. 16.—President Perry F. Powers, of the State League of Republican Clubs, is here arranging for the formation of "sound money" clubs in every precinct in the state. It is the purpose of the league to give the silverites no advantage in the way of organization or agitation.

Mr. Ferry's Successor.

Lansing, Nov. 13. — Gov. Rich has named Edward W. Lowe, of Grand Rapids, as a member of the Mackinaw park commission, to succeed Hon. Thomas W. Ferry, deceased.

health. They usually go together.

An observing man learns that a woman who is physically weak and nervous is not capable, is likely to be ill-natured [illegible] unfitted to be a mother.

These troubles prevail almost universally among women largely because of overwork, carelessness and neglect. There is no need of suffering from them. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive specific for the weaknesses and diseases of the feminine organism.

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Miss Lauretta McNees, of Ramsdell, Washoe Co., Nev., writes: "I have not been taking the 'Prescription' and 'Pellets' any more (at present). Last summer I had pain at all and worked every day without inconvenience whatever. It was the first time I never had pain during that period. I cannot say too much for your medicines. I took the 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets.' I know of a lady who was sick and took your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and was not sick like she was with her other children. This was her second baby. She says it is the grand medicine. So do I."

Dr. Pierce has had a lifetime experience in this particular field. He has written an illustrated book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," containing 1,008 pages and over 300 chapters devoted to woman's peculiarities and to her physiology. A paper-bound copy will be sent entirely free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing only. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For a cloth-bound copy send 31 stamps.

The late James Greathead was the inventor of the system of subaqueous tunnels which is called by his name.

Even in the most severe cases of cuts, sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Eclectric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

Mrs. Russel Sage is a devoted church woman and one who carries her religion into the practical, every-day affairs of life.

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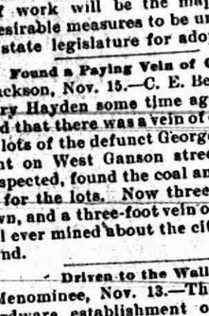
From a letter written by Mrs. Sarah Alderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as its results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Methodist Church at Rives Jubction, Mrs. Alderman was brought down with Pneumonia following La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with only a little interruption and it seemed as though she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. It was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.



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Now is the time to buy foot-wear at our own price at Lenardson Bros., Britton. Over 1,000 pair shoes.

A. Gogoline [illegible] business to Toledo Friday.

Wm. Nivison and wife have both been on the sick list the past week.

James Underwood has been considerably out of health this week.

Postmaster L. A. Babcock and wife were Tecumseh visitors Tuesday.

Al Craft visited Toledo over Sunday, combining business with pleasure.

James Elliott and J. T. McKinney, of Tecumseh, were in town Tuesday.

Yes, over 1,000 pair of sample shoes from the coarsest to the finest at Lenardson Bros., Britton.

Mrs. Jennie Brown, of Clinton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson is holding revival meetings in the DeSpelder church.

Wednesday the Wabash inspection train made its annual trip over this division.

Mrs. James DuBois and Mrs. Bert Kishpaugh visited Clinton friends Monday and Tuesday.

The ladies' fair is in progress. The hall is nicely arranged and there is a good attendance.

Mrs. Edward Pawson, of Franklin, visited her sister, Mrs. W. J. Helm, Friday and Saturday.

Have you seen those Surprise Heaters at James Haight & Co's, Britton? They are the thing you want.

Dr. A. C. Wood, of Sand Creek, has bought Dr. Hardy's medical practice and will soon move here

'Tis true, those sample shoes are at Lenardson Bros., Britton, all styles and makes, no two pair alike.

Mrs. Charles Goodrich was again summoned to Dundee Monday by the critical condition of her mother.

Dr. E. E. Hendershot and family are now living here and will occupy the Fred Rupp house, on North street.

Lenardson Bros.' suit with Adams, before Squire Frasier, at Tecumseh, Friday, resulted in a victory for them.

James Haight & Co's, Britton is where you want to buy your Stoves of any kind as well as hardware generally.

Now the village is incorporated, a special election will be held January 6, 1897, when village officers will be elected.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly visit here yesterday and dispensed a generous amount of cash to the employees.

Andrew Gogoline and George Sanderant were in Adrian Tuesday, trying to arrange their business difficulties.

James Haight spent Saturday in Detroit and found time to visit the pure food exhibit, which he says was very fine.

As we shall move from town soon, all accounts must be settled by cash or approved note before the close of this month. P. B. HARDY, M. D.

D. D. VanNocker and wife, of Petersburg, are domiciled at the Exelby house. Van is busy receiving grain at his elevator.

It is decided that we are to lose Dr. P. P. Hardy. He has sold his practice and as soon as he can settle his affairs will move to Jamestown, Ohio.

The Perfection Washers are the finest made, save labor and wear on clothes. Haight & Co., Britton invite you to call and examine them.

Andrew Gogoline is having some trouble with his creditors. Sheriff Wilcox came over Saturday and closed up the mill and the pool room on attachments.

Lenardson Bros. are doing a rushing business these days. The 1,000 pairs of sample shoes is the drawing card and they are going like smoke. Look out or you will get left.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor have lost the deminutive little daughter recently born to them. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday at 1 p. m., under charge of W. R. Osgood having it in charge.

Go to James Haight & Co's, Britton, for Horse and Stable Blankets. They can suit you.

Mrs. Charles Gorham entertained her Sunday school class consisting of about twenty lads and lassies from five to eight years of age, at her home Thursday afternoon of last week. The little folks had everything their own way and enjoyed themselves exceedingly.

Ah! there! Lenardson Bros., Britton, have received those sample shoes you were enquiring for. Get there Eli!

The social Saturday evening for the benefit of the band boys, was not as well attended as it should have been. The boys have been ready and have responded cheerfully with their best efforts to aid any and all entertainments, and certainly deserved a handsome benefit. The receipts, $4.00, were beggarly.

James Haight & Co. have just received a fine line of Cook Stoves and Ranges. They are fine.

Saturday evening about 9 o'clock, a shanty two and a half miles east of here, at the coal kilns on Eb. Price's place, called McGinty, was burned to the ground and its occupant, Samuel Nixon, aged 81 years, burned to a crisp. Two box cars on the C. J. & M. track near by, were also burned. Henry Nixon, the old man's son who lived in another shanty near by, was away from home at the time, but his wife and her brother, Henry Prentiss, were at home, but claim they knew nothing of the fire or the old man until the return of Henry about eleven p. m. Sunday morning Justice George Oliver was notified, summoned a jury, and repaired to the ruins. After hearing the testimony, a verdict of accidental death by burning of the shanty from a defective stove, was rendered. The bones were finally gathered up, put in a box and burried at Azalia. Many think it very strange that persons could be so near and not waken.

Surprise Heaters are something new. No ashes scattering around—do not need taking up but once a month. Haight & Co., at Britton, have them.

At the band boys' box social Saturday evening, Will Britton demonstrated, to the satisfaction of all, his capacity for choice provision. He bought three boxes and, of corrse, as many ladies went through the form of eating, though several who were present declare that Will got the lion's share in each case. Will has a weakness for box socials.

RIDGEWAY.

Hudson buckwheat flour at Ed T Smith's.

Addie Sherman closed her fall term of school in the Witt district, Friday.

Wm. Riggs, wife, and daughter Daisy visited Saline relatives a part of last week.

All kinds of gloves and mittens from 10c up at Ed Smith's.

Rev. Cansfield attended a portion of the W. F. M. conference held in Detroit last week.

Lenardson Bros., Britton, invite you all to inspect their stock of sample shoes, just received.

Next Sunday being temperance Sunday, the pastor will preach a discourse appropriate to the occasion.

Any one finding a locket watch chain will be kind enough to leave the same at the post office or library.

Ella Montgomery and Nina Lowe, spent Saturday and Sunday in Toledo with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barrett.

Master Ford Babcock, of Detroit, is enjoying a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pocklington.

Those who listened to Bob J. Burdette, the second on the Tecumseh star course, Tuesday evening, were highly entertained and very much pleased.

Our store will be closed all day Thanksgiving, Nov. 26. ED T. SMITH.

Editor A. B. Smith and wife, Mrs. Alfred Putnam and son Clyde, of Milan, and David Dutton and wife, of Plainfield, visited Mrs. John Arner and family Saturday.

After Nov. 20th, the undersigned will close their respective places of business each evening except Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, standard time, until April 1st, 1897:—E. T. Smith, Orr & Temple, Ed. Harrison, Harry Smith, E. J. Gould.

All sizes stone meat crocks at Ed Smith's.

Sunday evening Bert Hendershot, while out driving with Miss Eno, attempted to commit suicide by taking a poisonous drug. It seem by what can be learned that they had been keeping comany for some time and because the young lady didn't think she cared to accept his offer of marriage, he thought it best to end his disappointment by taking his life and thereby cause a sensation and arouse sympathy.

First to come have their pick from those sample shoes at Lenardson Bros., Britton.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks to the neighbors and friends, who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our husband and father.

MRS. SILAS DANLEY AND DAUGHTER.

MACON.

Richard Gillespie finds so many farms rather a heavy tax to look after, and now offers the Bert Morley farm, in South Macon, for sale. Buyers are scarce though.

Corn husking and drawing stalks was the chief occupation of several farmers in this vicinity last Sunday, and yet the churches keep right on taking up collections to teach the heathen in India to remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.

The ladies' aid society of the D. R. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Calvin Davenport on Wednesday, Nov. 25th. At 2 o'clock a ten cent dinner, consisting of chicken pie, etc. A cordial invitation is extended to both ladies and gentlemen.

Probably no man living knows his own business better than the foreman of the Herald. Nevertheless he is called down by the architect of this column for sandwiching penny-a-line Baitton "ads" with gilt edged security. Macon news. If the "stuff" had related to Macon merchants all very well, but no more Britton "ads" in our department, thank you. It is neither burliness nor pleasure—not even recreation.

Over 1,000 pair sample shoes at Lenardson Bros. Britton, at less than wholesale prices. Do you see?

If the big loads of goods which mail-carrier Sam Sarvey brings to our merchants almost daily, are any sign, business is reviving in our midst. Mr. Sarvey is a very faithful employee of the government, and if he could combine his business of mail carrying with a stage line, using a covered coach and charging five cents a ride either to or from Macon and Tecumseh, he would greatly increase his business. In order to do this the Macon mail would have to be made up earlier in the day to give people more time in the village to do their shopping, but it would seem that this part of the enterprise could be satisfactorily arranged. The convenience of such a means of daily travel between the two places, would be inestimable and our citizens could well afford to "chip in" and buy such a coach, reserving it, of course, in case the mail should change hands. There are scores of people here who have no way of going to Tecumseh unless they "catch a ride." They could afford to pay street car fare and that is all. It is moved that Joe Sage, Mart Sickley, Dr. Morden and Sam Hatch be appointed a committee to take up a collection and buy that coach. The "ayes" have it. If any of these gentlemen don't speak to the other since election, he is authorized by the chair to appoint a "sub."

A good many Macon people who hold season tickets to the Tecumseh lecture course would like more lectures and fewer musical entertainments. Classical music requires a cultivated ear to appreciate it, and of these but very few live in our midst. The management will do well to accept the friendly hint that George R. Wendling would fill the opera house for them from pit to dome, while the Boston Mandolin Club stands a chance of playing to empty seats. By all means let's have a change next year.

Lenardson Bros., Britton, received those samples shoes. Come and see them.

The fire that destroyed the home of old Mrs. Kehoe last Saturday evening, was seen almost to the "Corners" and several men hurried to the scene, supposing the building to be much nearer than it was. They got there in time to see the embers. Mrs. Kehoe is 86 years old and has clung to this old home with a tenacity that was truly pathetic, the associations of early years being dearer than anything her children, now in their prosperous years, could bestow. That the old house might have been spared to her what little time she yet had to live, is the wish of all her friends.

Probably the richest young lady in the town of Macon is Miss Fern DePuy, who will come into possession next year of the handsome property left her by her grandmother. Miss DePuy is a young lady of fine intellectual endowments and is especially desirous of taking a course in Law for her own personal knowledge and advancement. Having been under her father's constant training from childhood, she naturally would imbibe the subjects, either literary or political, with which he is so familiar, and it is but the inevitable consequence of inherited tendencies that the young heiress prefers Blackstone to Heine.

CONE.

J. C. Cone and son Walter were Monroe visitors Tuesday.

J. M. Auten returned home from the north Monday evening.

Ella, Grace and Anna Ellis visited friends at Onsted last week.

Over 1,000 pair shoes, all styles and sizes, at Lenardson Bros., Britton.

Ferman Lewis, of Toledo, spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Daisy Caswell.

Mrs. Walter Cone and daughter Veda, of Detroit, are spending this week at Cone.

Miss Flota Cook, of Tecumseh, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Smith, this week.

Samuel Osborne moved his family into the house lately vacated by Ed. Mudge last Tuesday.

Rev. C. I. Deyo, of Britton, addressed a large audience at the temperance rally last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Addie Wilcox and daughter Edna, and Cassie Bartholomew, of Milan, spent several days last week with friends here.

The ladies' aid society will meet with Mrs. Nettie Dennison Wednesday afternoon, December 2nd. All are cordially invited to attend.

Wm. Cochran and wife, of Ann Arbor, visited at Thomas Caswell's over Sunday. The latter's children, Alma and Margie Corbett, returned home with them.

Now is your chance to get shoes cheap at Lenardson Bros., Britton.

S. Gould's Bible class met at the home of Miss Jessie Auten, Saturday evening. A fine program was given by members of the class and refreshments were served.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has two palaces provided for him free of cost by the British nation.

Mrs. W. R. Maryfield, of Ashton, O., says: "I had a case pin worms presented to me of 30 years' standing. This man has taken three bottles of Lightning Worm Killer, and has passed, he says, over 2 1-2 gallons of worms, and that he will make oath to the same. A score of doctors told him that he could not be cured."

Mr. George Craft, of Annville, Ky., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills have given me great benefit in kidney and liver disease of ten years' standing. They act as recommended."

Mr. J. K. Moore, of Weston, W. Va., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills used for constipation and piles, have given me great benefit."

Mr. C. C. Garrett, postmaster, Calm, W. Va., writes: "We have been using Lightning Worm Killer for the past six years with perfect satisfaction. It is a sure eradicator of worms, and has greatly benefitted our children."

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The crown worn on state occasions by William, Emperor of Germany, weighs exactly three pounds.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 20, 1896.

The Adrian Telegram is in a flurry for fear some of the hard money men will withdraw their patronage on account of the support of the silver forces during the late campaign. The Hudson Gazette seems to be in the same kind of a worry regarding silver men who are withdrawing their patronage on account of the support given by the Gazette to the gold standard forces. Would it not be a good plan for these two establishments to join issue and divide the profits? This would be about the only way in the world to accomplish the useless task of trying to please everybody.

With the exception of the electorial vote of Wyoming, which is still in doubt, the result of the presedential election of November 3rd is about settled. Of the very doubtful states, Kentucky gives her twelve votes to McKinley and one vote to Bryan. Wyoming's votes are given to Bryan as at present he seems to have the most right to them. The totals now are 272 electorial votes for McKinley and 175 for Bayan. Necessary for a choice, 224. The popular vote for McKinley largely exceeds that of any other presidential candidate. Grrnt, however, secured 292 electorial votes and in 92 Cleveland received 277.

There has been much talk about confidence being restored and business booming, but the cold facts are what we are all after. The New York Commercial Bulletin, which is a very conservative paper and has very little to do with parties, has taken the pains to discover from authentic sources the number of manufactories in the United States which were shut down previous to election and have opened up since. Up to Sunday it had information from 389 manufacturing establishments in different parts of the country which had opened, also from 254 which had increased their force of employees and output since election. Following is the summary as taken from that paper:—

Mills running after shut-down—iron and steel, 105; machinery, 7; woodenware and lumber, 28; glasware and pottery, 13; woolen goods, 25; cotton goods, 12; carpets, 13; clothing, 23; boots and shoes, 5; cordage, 2; miscellaneous, 108. Total, 389.

Increase in force or increased output—iron and steel, 79; machinery, 19; woodenware and lumber, 13; glassware and pottery, 13; woolen goods, 18; cotton goods, 9; clothing, 5; carpets, 2; boots and shoes, 3; miscellaneous, 98. Totals, 254.

This statement is not buncombe nor intended for political effect, but is actually true.

Resolutions of Respect.

Since it has pleased the Great Commander to remove from us to his reward John Nelson, formerly of Co. 17th. Mich. Vol. Infantry and a member in good standing of Beer's Post No. 140, who died at his home October 29 1896, services were held at his late home Sunday, November 1st, under the auspices of Beer's Post, G. A. R. A very large attendance of both citizens and comrades assembled to join with the bereaved family and sympathizing friends in paying their last respects, and the remains were placed in the cemetery by comrades.

RESOLVED: That we as an organization extend fraternal sympathy to the bereaved family and friends in their great affliction.

A. W. SLAYTON,
GEO. S. VANTYNE,
JEHIEL DAVIDSON,
Committee.

High School Happenings.

Jennie Gillespie was absent Thursday.

Mertie Machan gave us a call Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Nellie Rogers, of Lenawee Junction, was the guest of Miss Kyle Thursday.

Fay Anderson and Will Mc Glashan graced the A room platform by their presence Thursday morning.

Part of the rooms in the central have received a coat of oil and others will soon receive like treatment.

An interesting mothers meeting was held in the eighth grade room at the central building Tuesday afternoon.

No an absent or tardy mark for the seventh grade for the month of November. Some of the rooms might be glad to have such a report. It dont happen in the seventh grade very often.

The ninth grade are the proud possessors of a large, handsome crysanthemum plant presented to Miss Gallatin by Mr. Chas. Burridge as a souvenir of the crysanthemum show last week.

The class in General History had an impersonation on Tuesday. Each pupil personated some famous character in history which the rest of the class had to guess. A great deal of fun and no little profit was derived.

POOR OLD GEORGETOWN.

A Century Ago It Was a Most Prosperous Little City.

Now It Is Merely an Insignificant Suburb of the National Capital and of No Commercial Importance Whatever.

[Special Washington Letter.]

The poet scarcely guessed all the wisdom he expressed when he wrote the "One-Hoss Shay" and penned the lines:

"Little of all we value here
Wakes on the morn of its hundredth year
Without both looking and feeling queer."

Old things pass away and all things become new, for the progress of the eternal plan of the universe involves in its maximum procedure the principle of decay. Individuals, clans, tribes and whole nations pass away in orderly procession in order that the new may have the room of the old. Every man is the intelligent artificer of a work that is not his own. We do our blasting, mortar-making, stone dressing or spire building, but none of us understands the fullness of the design of the architect who planned the whole.

Ninian Beall, the Scotchman who came across the trackless Atlantic wastes and settled upon the rock of Dumbarton in this new world, founded the city of Georgetown; and the new national capital has grown up and absorbed the old village and corporation of Georgetown, so that it is now called West Washington. But the landmarks of the ancient and honorable municipality have remained untouched, and will so continue as long as they may last. But the government is about to invade one of the most sacred precincts of ancient Georgetown.

The customs port of Georgetown is about to be abolished. There is no longer any necessity for the continuance of the office, but it is a relic of the days when Georgetown had a large place on the map, when her people were prosperous, and when the minds of her business men were filled with visions of the development of a new Liverpool, a city greater than any in the old world. Nobody in those days feared rivalry with New York, Philadelphia, Boston or any other city in the new republic. Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Paul, and the magnificence and wealth of and beyond the great American desert, were all unknown. Just as the Chicago man of to-day talks of nothing but his thriving city, so the ancient inhabitants of Georgetown talked of their growing trade center. But the glory of Georgetown has departed, and her venerable citizens sadly see the decadence.

The steamboats, railroads, telegraph and telephone lines have brought all sections nearer together and all nations closer in trade relations. The procession has passed by Georgetown, and she is no longer a requirement in the business world. It is easier to transact business with New York, Baltimore or Philadelphia than to sail or steam up the Potomac with traffic and passengers.

GEORGETOWN IN EARLY DAYS.

When the revolutionary war began the hills and dales now covered with the residences and public buildings in the national capital were as densely wooded as the hills of Arlington. Georgetown was then an established town and doing a thriving business. But all the land east of Rock creek was occupied by the children of the forest, the noble red men.

Georgetown grew and waxed strong long after the seat of government was located here, and many a statesman lived in the quaint and aristocratic old town, although their daily duties were in the new city. In 1790 the federal government established offices in Georgetown, and that was before the capital had been located. On February 16, 1790, William B. Magruder was appointed postmaster, and on October 1, 1790, James McCubbin Lingan was appointed collector of customs. The descendants of those worthies are as proud of their ancestry as ever Clara Vere de Vere dared to be of hers, and she was "the daughter of a hundred earls." They are good people until this day and there is no record of a black sheep in either family. One of the Magruders is a successful doctor, another a prosperous merchant, and all of the ladies are worthy and winsome. The Lingans are nearly all gone. One of them, McCubbin Lingan, is an excellent newspaper writer. He was here several years as the correspondent of some prominent papers, but went to Michigan to reside.

The office of collector of customs has never been discontinued since the date of its establishment. The office of postmaster has been abolished already, and is merged into the office of the postmaster of Washington. That is to say, it is merely a sub-station of the Washington post office. When this official action was taken there was weeping and wailing in Georgetown. The good people there were always jealous of the growth of Washington, and entertained no patriotic pride in the development of the national capital, because they realized that the growth of Washington would minimize their city. The oldest inhabitants actually shed tears when the post office was merged into the Washington office.

And now the office of collector of customs is to be abolished. The original commission given to Collector Lingan recites the fact that whereas, during the revolutionary war, he had served without salary, he should receive an annual salary of $2000 from the date of his commission. The Coleman museum of Georgetown college shows his gorgeous [illegible] suit and satin waistcoat with real gold buttons, and evidently he was a man of high rank in those days. He was flour inspector as well as collector of customs. In 1792 Collector Lingan and all of the office holders appointed by President Washington, were required to repeat and sign the following religious test oath:

"I, ——, do declare that I believe that there is no transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper or in the elements of bread and wine, at or after the consecration thereof by any person whatsoever."

So it appears that there were extremists on religion in those days as

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well as in our times, and religious declaration was necessary to the proper performance of public duty. Nobody to-day seems to know whether George Washington made this form of oath a pre-requisite to office holding, or whether it was required by congressional enactment. But the original oath is on file here in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia.

Pennsylvania Town Suffers.

Erie, Pa., Nov. 18.—The town of Mercer, county seat of the county of the same name, was nearly destroyed by fire to-night. Loss, about $100,000.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has two palaces provided for him free of cost by the British nation.

The crown worn on state occasions by William, Emperor of Germany, weighs exactly three pounds.

Tecumseh Price Current.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	13	16
Eggs, per doz	15	20
Lard, per lb		8
Beans, per bushel	75	1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		60
Cheese, per lb		12
Potatoes, new per bushel	20	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 50	5 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens per lb	5	10
Turkeys		
Hides, green	4	
Sheep Pelts	10	15
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	83 to 85	
Corn, shelled		35
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15 20
Oats	16	20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		80
Corn meal, per 100 lbs		80
Straw	4.00	5.00

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Winter Tourist tickets to all southern points, good returning up to May 31, 1897, are on sale at principal ticket offices.

Two trains each day making direct connections at Cincinnati with trains for all points South.

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Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Nov 17, 1896:

Miss Viola Cox, Willis Smith, Mrs. James Burns, Jack Hooten, Claude Ellsworth, James Corau, Reuben Merriman.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

Many would be cured of sore eyes if they would wear their glasses over their mouths.

The gold wreath ordered by the czar for M. Carnot's tomb was ready on All Souls' Day.

Lady Ulric Dupcombe has entered Girton College as an undergraduate.

Sutton's Opera House,
Tuesday, Nov. 24.
Harry Martell's
Realistic Southern Production.
The South Before The War.
The only show of its kind on Earth.
ABSOLUTELY UNIQUE.
WITHOUT A RIVAL.
Three Score Sweetest Voices,
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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 20, 1896.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sear's Graham is a bummer.

J. W. Wightman had a law case at Monroe this week.

Wm. J. Arnold made a business trip to Adrian Tuesday.

Mrs. A. B. Graves has returned from her Adrian visit.

James Aten visited friends in Jackson county last week.

The Schreder girls visited Clinton friends the first of the week.

Sear's crackers and cakes are endorsed by pure food commissioners.

"Hank" Smith, of Adrian, was smiling on his friends here yesterday.

A. D. Gilmore and Mr. Moore, of Blissfield, were in town Tuesday.

Regular meeting of the masonic lodge tonight, also work in the 3rd degree.

Arnold Graves, of Cambridge, visited Frank Davidson yesterday and today.

It is reported that Tom Owens is doing finely in his new position at Homer.

F. D. Lancaster, Clinton's popular clothier, was calling on friends yesterday.

Fred Teachout and Geo. Carpenter, of Blissfield, were calling on friends Wednesday.

Rev. B. S. Hudson attended the Baptist missionary convention at Monroe this week.

Kathleen Hogan, Abbie Chandler and Teressa Carroll, of Clinton, were down Wednesday.

Howard Whelan, who came over from Detroit with his father, will remain for a time at home.

Mrs. Abbie Kimball, of Adrian, made a flying visit to Tecumseh friends the first of the week.

Horatio Keyser and wife spent Sunday and Monday at M. R. Keyser's, northwest of town.

Wm. C. Holmes, wife and daughter, from near Evans Lake, were in town shopping, yesterday.

Mont Hendershot and wife, of Manchester, spent Saturday and Sunday with James Aten's family.

The friends of Art Bangs will be pained to learn that he is very sick with typhoid fever, in Toledo.

Robe Hosmer is having a run of fever and is quite sick. It is not the typhoid however, and he is better this morning.

Don't fail to visit our store when in town and see what a quantity of furniture a small amount of money will buy.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Mr. Risener, of Detroit, who has the contract for the bridge on Union street, was here Wednesday, inspecting the work.

Mrs. Mary Burroughs, of Grand Rapids, visited the families of E. C. Kennedy and Al Paxon from Monday until yesterday.

Mrs. A. W. Mills will entertain the Sunday school classes taught by Mrs. Fannie Rector and herself at her home this evening.

Dickinson Bros. are making a specialty of Heinz's pickled goods, saur kraut and mustard. Read their "ad" on another page.

Today is a good day to buy Sear's crackers.

A. J. Whitnah, Mrs. Effie Harrison and Miss Anna Wright, of Canton, Ill., were the guests of Jas. H. Aten and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner, Geo. Tiffany and Harry Pattison went over to Adrian Tuesday to see "Trilby." They report it very fine.

On Thanksgiving day there will be a celebration of the holy Eucharist in St. Peter's church at 10 a. m. The offertory will be given for domestic missions.

The great cloak sale of Harris & Hiteshu will continue until every garment is sold. Remember "one-half price" is their motto, and they stick to it.

Fred Aldrich and wife visited his father at Brooklyn the first of the week. While there Fred went out hunting and brought home a fine lot of game Thursday night.

Mrs. Frank Coder after a few day's visit with relatives here, returns to her home in Norvell tonight, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. S. J. Walker, who will remain over Thanksgiving.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. James McKinney on Wednesday November 25th. Meeting will begin promptly at 2:30.

Last Friday afternoon the C. E. society of the Presbyterian church gave a pleasant reception to the older members of the church. Nearly one hundred invitations were issued and a large number responded. Carriages were sent for those having no conveyance and unable to walk. The church parlors were made very attractive and cozy. Easy chairs and rockers were nicely grouped, sofas with fine cushions at different points. The floral decorations though not elaborate were very pretty and consisted largely of chrysanthemums. The afternoon was a delight to both entertainers and entertained. Miss Mary Mills favored them with a fine piano solo and Mesdames Kellogg and John Orr rendered some charming vocal solos and elegant refreshments were served at an early hour. It was very thoughtful on the part of the C. E. society and furnished an afternoon of social enjoyment to the fathers and mothers in Israel they will not forget.

Children cry for Sear's lunch.

"Ye Deestrick Skule" is a merry maker.

Ben Ellis is home from Toledo for a few days.

Wait for "Deestrict Skule." Dates next week.

Bert Cutting wheeled to Hudson and back Tuesday.

Harry Tansley was buying goods in Toledo Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Stone was in town on business Saturday.

Mabel Smith is now teaching school in Franklin township.

Miss Genie Burnett is the happy possessor of a new bicycle.

Miss Florence Cook made her Cone friends a visit this week.

Miss Bertha Smelzer is assisting Adamson Bros. in their store.

See the bargains in Men's underwear 25c and 39c at Seaton W. Anderson's.

Mrs. Fred Hall, of Marion, Ohio, is visiting her brother, Alva Spayde, for several days.

Miss Minnie Townsend, of Denver, Col., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Edith Ingersoll.

The Misses Emma Shultz and Kittie Stanton, of Adrian, have been visiting friends here this week.

Frank Wallinger and wife, of Maiden Lane, entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Clark, of Clinton, Sunday.

Tom Adamson returned from Chicago last night. He has been there all the week making holiday purchases.

George C. Hale and family have moved from Potawattamie street to the Harvey Wood house, on Logan street,

John M. Hendershot has been confined to the house by illness for the past two weeks and is not yet able to be out.

The post office will be open Thursday November 26 from 7 to 8, a. m., from 10:30 a. m. to 1 p. m., and from 3 to 4:30 p. m.

Every body come to the young men's supper at the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, Nov. 24. Oysters, doughnuts and coffee all for 15c.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Varner will discuss the same subject that he had last Sunday evening: "Crime."

Messrs G. W. Marvin and Harry Cook, of Adrian, were in town Monday looking after matters at the Bankrupt Purchasing Association Stores.

A full attendance is desired at the Friend's church, as our sister Judith C. Johnson expects to be with us Nov. 22 and 29, both morning and evening.

Our new goods are arriving daily, the latest designs and all the best makes, and you can buy them cheaper than the shoddy furniture. WHEELER & SISSON.

Miss Gertrude Hisley was in Detroit last week and attended the federation of womens' clubs, a description of which will be given to the Monday club in the near future.

Pretty girls eat Sear's sweet goods.

Mrs. Wm. Ide, who was called to Detroit two weeks ago by the illness of her son Edgar's wife, returned home Tuesday night, leaving her daughter-in-law convalescent.

The annual meeting of Tecumseh Council No. 634, Royal Arcanum, will be held at their hall Monday evening, December 7th. Election of officers. All members expected.

The union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church owing to the removal of J. Edgar Williams, the Friends minister. Rev. B. S. Hudson will preach the sermon.

Frank Page, who has his shop and store with the U. S. company, has put in quite a little stock of furniture and will, in the near future, be able to show quite a complete assortment.

Many capes and cloaks were sold last week at Harris & Hiteshu's at their one-half price sale. Still a large variety remains. Call and see if they cannot fit you.

George Mead's son Guy was quite seriously hurt Wednesday morning on his way to school. While passing through monumental square, some of the boys were playing ball. Clarence Witherell threw the ball, (which was like a stone), swiftly to Ned Cutting, who let it go by and it struck Guy squarely in the mouth, felling him to the ground as though shot. His lips were badly cut and some teeth loosened. Dr. Howell fixed him up, straightening the teeth back in place, and he was taken home where he will be for some time.

Polly wants a Sear's cracker.

The ladies of the Research circle are well pleased with the result of their flower show, which netted them over $40. An annual chrysanthemum display will hereafter be held. Contemplating these varied and beautiful flowers, the following lines are very expressive:

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

With summer and sun behind you,
With winter and shade before,
You crowd in your regal splendor
Through the autumn's closing door.
White as the snow that is coming,
Red as the rose that is gone,
Gold as the heart of the lilies,
Pink as the flush of the dawn.
Confident, winsome, stately,
You throne in the wane of the year.
Trooping an army with banners
When the leafless woods are sere.

Sweet is your breath as of spices
From a far sea island blown,
Chase your robes as of vestals
Trimming their lamps alone.
Strong are your hearts and sturdy
The life that in root and stem
Smoulders and glows till it sparkles
In each flowry diadem.
Nothing of bloom and odor
Have your peerless legions lost,
Marching in fervid beauty
To challenge the death-white frost.

So to the eye of sorrow
Ye bring a flicker of light,
The cheek that was wan with illness
Smiles at your faces bright.
The children laugh in greeting,
And the dear old people say,
"Here are the self-same darlings
We loved in our own young day."
As summer and sun behind you,
Winter and shade before,
You crowd in your regal splendor
Through the autumn's closing door.
(Harper's Bazar.

Opera house Tuesday night.

C. F. Field made a trip to Detroit yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Richter is visiting Toledo friends.

Sumner Collins has been in Detroit all the week.

C. A. Wright and wife spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Harry Root left for Buffalo yesterday to be gone some time.

"The South Before the War," at the opera house next Tuesday night.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning, "Determination in Definite Knowledge."

Mrs. R. C. Van Antwerp and son Chas. have been visiting among their friends the past week.

The Christian culture class of the B. Y. P. U. will meet with Miss Bullock Saturday evening.

H. A. Wooster Division Superintendent of the Jackson branch, L. S. R. was in town Tuesday.

Clarence Church, after several months spent with Tecumseh friends, left for Chicago Tuesday.

Rev. Mrs. Gillette, of Rochester, Michigan, was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Stacy over Sunday.

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will give a Thanksgiving concert on Sunday evening, November 29th.

The Royal Arch degree will be conferred at the special meeting of the chapter, Wednesday evening, December 2nd.

Willie, the ten-year-old son of Mrs. Sarah Lowry, is quite ill at his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross, with appendicitis.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy left yesterday morning for a visit of several weeks with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Bigelow, at Elint.

At the annual meeting of the Presbyterian society Sunday, S. W. Anderson, Fred Shepard and Dr. W. Frost were re-elected elders,

Our poultry dealers, L. D. Dewey and C. E. Williamson, have large forces at work dressing fowls for market and are shipping tons weekly.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden has been entertaining her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Ware, of Grand Rapids, and Miss Olive Ware, of Toledo, the past week.

Morris Hyde and family desire to thank their friends for kindnesses shown them during the sickness and at the death of "grandma" Hyde.

Charlie Burridge has taken a position with the Tecumseh Electrical company and began his duties yesterday. The company are to be congratulated in securing one so thoroughly competent. He is an expert.

Dolph Heesen says that on account of "confidence being restored" business has loomed up sufficiently so that Heesen Bros. & Co. are painting their entire shop buildings a beautiful and bright hue of red.

The first of a series of dancing parties to be held at the armory, occurs Thanksgiving night, November 26th. Very neat invitations have been issued, fine music engaged and no pains will be spared to make these parties first-class.

Every man who owes the HERALD wood on subscription, is requested to bring it this next week. Also all who desire to pay for [illegible] in wood, come at once. Roads are good and we want the wood now or not at all.

Manning & Co. of Adrian, have rented the Heesen store and opened a candy kitchen. They manufacture their own goods from the choicest and purest of materials and will no doubt succeed in Tecumseh. On Saturday evening, there will be a public exhibition of candy [illegible]

Bob Burdette's lecture at the opera house Tuesday evening, which was the second of the Star course, pleased everybody who attended and the house was good. There is only one Bob Burdette, and everybody who likes good humor likes him. Type cannot picture his humor and the HERALD only desires that he will come again another winter.

Mrs. C. M. Woodward and daughters not only presented to Beer Post No. 140 G. A. R. a fine portrait of the late Doctor in military uniform but to Company C an easel holding an eleghant picture of him taken with the other brigade officers. In both cases the gift is highly prized and occupies a prominent position in their relative headquarters.

The young gentlemen who run the series of "hops last spring under the auspices of Co. "C" are much embarrassed to think that the rumor should have floated about the village that sufficient profit was made by the venture to secure them a nice little vacation at the lakes. As a matter of fact the series was successful financially, the entire profit $11.85 being turned over by the boys to the company.

"The South Before the War" which will appear at Sutton's opera house next Tuesday evening, November 24, is a good play, and they who like entertainment of this character will be pleased if they attend. It shall be the province of the Herald to as much as possible announce to the people of Tecumseh if the plays are good before they arrive. In some instances, of course, the Herald may be mistaken but "The South Before the War" will certainly be all right.

Mr. Chapin is calling on his Tecumseh directory patrons this week and assurance is given that the work will now be issued in a short time. As publication of the work was delayed after it was nearly ready for the press, on account of the illness of the publisher, a new canvass will be made here, when the system of numbering houses, which is approved by the village council, will be carried out and every name be given a location by street and number. This is the only directory which will give Tecumseh a separate representation and the prominence which it is entitled to in such a publication.

Sear's saltine wafers are great.

Eva Smith, of Clinton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wallinger.

Special values in men's underwear. Ribbed cotton underwear at 25c, white merino and grey mixed at 39c.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

At the Presbyterian church Sunday evening Rev. C. M. Brown will have for the topic, "The Young Woman's Conception of an Ideal Young Man."

Fulton McLean, of Raisin, lost a cow Wednesday morning. The case was similar to that of Robert Boyd's cow, symptoms of the nature of hydrophobia.

It is understood that great preparations are being made for the leap year party at the opera house Friday night next. Most of the young men are invited, the others have taken to the woods.

The young men of the B. Y. P. U. will serve an oyster supper at the Baptist church Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. Supper 15c. The boys will have on special costume for the occasion.

At the last meeting of the Monday club, papers were read by Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Billman, and a paper written by Miss Gertrude Hisley by Mrs. Wright. Full discussions followed.

Do not wait until you have taken cold but call at once at Harris & Hiteshu's and secure the proper warmth needed with some of their underwear. The prices quoted will be a wonder to you and the variety of styles is very complete.

The home of Mrs. Annie Kehoe, who lived near her son Philip, burned Saturday night. Mrs. Kehoe, who is very aged, and her son Michael lived together. Though the house was destroyed, the contents were saved and no harm came to the occupants.

Judging from the amount of furniture we have been selling since November 1st, and what our customers tell us we can give you a larger stock of furniture to select from and much lower prices than any place in the county.
WHEELER & SISSON.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson during the month of December. It is hoped that the members will try to attend as it is conveniently located for all, and every one, though not members will be gladly welcomed. There will be no meeting the last Friday in November.

Sunday in the Universalist church the preaching services both in the morning and evening will be conducted by Mrs. E. C. Andrus, as the pastor is going to Hillsdale. Sunday school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 o'clock. Topic, "Jesus at the Door," St. John 10:9; 14:6. Y. P. C. U. business meeting after Sunday school.

George Marvin has sold all of his business interests in Adrian to his associate in business, Harry C. Cook. He is now in Tecumseh and will give his entire attention to managing the affairs of the Eastern Bankrupt Association until every dollar's worth of goods in the Mills' block stores is sold. He informed the HERALD man today that, beginning with next week, the fur would fly down there. He has determined to go out of business and the prices will tell the story. Look out for great bargains from now till January 1st.

Sear's crackers are all marked "C."

At Sutton's opera house, Tuesday, November 24th, will appear Harry Martell's successful production, "South before the War," a novelty and one that has won fame and many dollars for its originators. It is so different from anything of the kind ever attempted, that its success is not to be wondered at after it has been seen. It is composed of some fifty people, including a Pickaninny band of seventeen little colored [illegible] a score of buck [illegible] a coterie of cake [illegible], a grand chorus of fifty voices, and a Pickaninny band who appear in the play and head the parade of the company.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

Harber, the great authority on fish, says that every square mile of the sea is inhabited by 120,000,000 finny creatures.

—Invoicing, fixing up, and getting ready for the last act. Fun begins next week. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—My china and fancy goods are carefully selected from the largest factories the world and my prices are the lowest. G. H. TANSLEY.

Fresh fish every Friday at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—Watch for some prices in this paper next week, from Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Those new kind of lamp chimneys at Tansley's excel anything on the market.

—New invoice of Heinz's pickles, mustard and sauer kraut at Dickinson Bros.' meat market.

—Next week begins the final sale and we'll sling 'em, don't you forget it. We stop at no price now to sell.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Fine fresh bulk mince meat, strictly pure and clean at Dickinson Bros.'

—Keep your eye on that sale at Mills Block for the next few weeks.

—See the new lamps from 25c up, at Tansley's.

WE CAN

supply your Thanksgiving wants

In Fruit.	In Vegetables.
Oranges,	Fresh Lettuce,
Almeria Grapes,	Fancy Celery,
Yellow Bananas,	Sweet Potatoes.
Catawba Grapes.	

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Everything Fresh and Nice.

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We invite attention to our Large Asssortment of

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Winter Caps
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You will want the best goods. We have them.

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Also a fine line of canned goods, and everything that goes to make up

A First-Class Grocery.

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still continues with its unbroken record of success with hundreds of competitors it has no rival.

Adapted for

Wood or Coal.

See the name on the leg.

Satterthwaite Bros.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

For your Protection we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

ELY'S CREAM BALM

Cleanses the Nasal Passages, allays Inflammation, heals the sores, protects the membrane from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell.

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IT WILL CURE COLD IN HEAD

A particle is applied directly into the nostrils and is agreeable. Price 50c at druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Towns in Michigan.

Port Huron is to have an auditorium to cost $14,000.

Indians at Lake City predict an open winter, with little or no snow.

There are now 750 students in the industrial school for boys at Lansing.

There are 13 candidates for speaker of the house in the coming session of the state legislature.

Michael King, formerly wheelsman of the steamer City of Louisville, was killed in Benton Harbor by an electric car.

A barn owned by Joseph Kays, near Paw Paw, was burned Wednesday night with six horses and a large amount of grain and hay.

The Ann Arbor railway will add two more steamers to its winter route between Kewaunee and Manitowoc, Wis., and Frankfort.

The Shaw Electric Crane company, of Muskegon, has just completed four large cranes for the Mariopol-Nicopol Mining Metallurgical company of Russia.

John Updegraff, of St. Louis, aged 21, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting deer with a party of friends in Midland county.

An abundance of whitefish is being caught in Saginaw bay this season. One West Bay City firm has already shipped six tons to New York markets.

The Detroit board of education will close the year with a deficit of at least $50,000. The greater part of this was expended in the construction of the new high school.

A strange epidemic prevails among the sheep to the southeast of Tecumseh. It is supposed to be hydrophobia. Fulton McCain has killed a number. Robert M. Boyd has also had the same experience.

William J. Armstrong, of Detroit, 45 years old, committed suicide Saturday by taking poison while at his room in the Randolph hotel. A year ago it is stated he was worth $100,000. He died leaving seven dollars.

Thieves went through the church sheds at Fennville during prayer meeting the other evening and carried off every robe, blanket and whip from the buggies therein. The aggregate loss is something over $100.

The dangerous gang of criminals who worked clerks at Marshall, Lansing, Flint and other hoteds in the state by means of forged drafts, have been run down by Pinkerton detectives and will be tried in New York for extensive operations there.

J. M. B. Sill, United States minister to Corea, sends the natural science department of the state normal school at Ypsilanti specimens, including two leopard skins, a large one and a small one, a Corean badger skin and the skeleton of a leopard, all of which were prepared by Prof. Sill himself.

Old Shoes for Doormats.

A use has been found for old shoes, a derelict product that has heretofore defied the efforts of that class of claimants who view with despair the absolute loss of anything, says the New York Journal. The leather is cut into little disks of various shapes. These are set on edge and held together with long wire staples, and the result is an odd looking but flexible and serviceable door mat, which seems to do the work excellently of the wire and steel mats that are in such general use in outer halls. The leather scrap mat is very cheap, and will last a long time.

FIRE SWEEPS TRAVERSE CITY.

One Life Is Lost and Many Buildings Are Destroyed.

Traverse City, Nov. 12.—Traverse City met with a devastating fire loss just before two o'clock Wednesday morning. For a time it seemed as if the entire business portion of the city would be swept away, but the united and superhuman efforts of firemen and scores of citizens saved many valuable buildings and much personal property. As it was, the disaster was a blow to the city which is far worse than anything yet recorded. The loss is more than $55,000, and may reach $60,000, with only about $12,000 insurance. The fire is supposed to have originated by explosion of chemicals in the drug store of C. A. Bugbee, though that is not fully established. The greatest single loss was the Front Street house, owned by the Friedrich estate, valued at $8,000 and insured for $1,000. There were 13 other buildings totally destroyed and a dozen more badly damaged. What was a thriving part of a business street is now a heap of smoldering ruins. Edward Newberry, the porter of the hotel, a Swede, 34 years of age, succeeded in escaping, but ran back into the burning building for some of his valuables, when he was wrapped in flames and burned to a crisp. All the occupants had narrow escapes and lost everything, many escaping in their night clothes by the aid of the firemen, who bore many from the windows in the upper stories.

BIG CROP OF APPLES SOLD.

Michigan Grower Sells 50,000 Bushels to an Illinois Buyer.

Hart, Nov. 18.—The apple crop of Oceana county has been remarkable; it paid better than the peach crop, for which this county is noted. Many orchards have yielded more than $500 an acre. One buyer in Illinois purchased about 50,000 bushels and thousands of bushels have been shipped to various commission houses throughout the country. The best judges of fruit, however, declare that the apples this year will not "keep" long. Late winter apples are commencing to ripen and the earlier ones to decay.

Activity on the Bessemer Range.

Bessemer, Nov. 14.—All indications on the range point to an active winter's work at the Palmes. About 50 men are at work preparing room for stock piles. The old Colby mine will resume operations at once with about 200 men; the Tilden with about 350 men and 350 more December 1. The Sunday Lake, at Wakefield, has started with 100 men. Business men are placing their orders for stock. All indications are better than for the last four years.

A Mill Burned.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 17.—The Spinks planing mill, in the south part of the city, burned Monday night. The wind was blowing strongly from the southeast and for a time a disastrous conflagration was threatened. Clouds of burning embers flew over the city. The fire department, with the assistance of St. Joe firemen, kept the flames from spreading. The loss of the mill and contents is about $5,000.

Law Is Valid.

Lansing, Nov. 18.—The law of 1893, depriving convicts who are serving a second term in the prisons of this state from earning the same amount of good time as first-term convicts, was declared constitutional by the Michigan supreme court Tuesday. Convict Charles Miller, who caused the validity of the law to be tested, obtained his release Tuesday by the expiration of his sentence.

Many Workmen Laid Off.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—Many of the employes of the Michigan Car company state that all of the 1,500 men employed at the works six weeks ago have been laid off, the number of workmen having decreased beginning last week. The men had anticipated plenty of work in the near future. The officers of the company decline to talk about the matter.

Fire at West Bay City.

Bay City, Nov. 14. — Early Friday morning the entire department of West Bay City was called out to the Cincinnati sawmill, which was in flames. This concern and the Salzberg brewery, owned by Knoblauch & Son, were destroyed, causing a loss of $50,000; $30,000 on the mill and $20,000 on the brewery, both of which are insured.

Bishops Preach at Detroit.

Detroit, Nov. 16. — Bishops of the Methodist church who are attending the general missionary committee meeting occupied the pulpits in most of the leading Protestant churches of Detroit Sunday and addressed large congregations.

Counterfeits Are Plenty.

Decatur, Nov. 17. — Southwestern Michigan is being flooded with counterfeit silver half dollars of excellent workmanship. The coins are dated 1885, are of full weight and can only be detected by their lack of ringing qualities.

Victim of Trichinosis.

Muskegon, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Eugene Davis, of Oceana county, ate a sandwich of bread and raw ham. Within an hour she was taken violently ill with trichinosis. Three doctors endeavored to save her life, but she died.

Clothiers Fail.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 14.—Apple Brothers, clothers, filed trust mortgages for $39,000 with the Peninsular Trust company for the benefit of their creditors, who are principally Chicago firms.

Little Child Burned to Death.

Jackson, Nov. 18.—The one-year-old child of C. W. Horr was burned to death Tuesday night. It pulled the cover off a small table on which a lamp stood.

Fate of an Aged Man.

Britton, Nov. 16.—Samuel Nixon, aged 87 years, was burned to death in his shanty Saturday night about two and one-half miles east of this village.

Owosso, Nov. 18.—Fred Switzer, aged 15 years, accidentally shot himself through the heart while examining a revolver. He lived 20 minutes.

PEOPLE MUST BE AMUSED

This Holds as Good of Washington as Any Other Place.

Gambling and Gaming No Longer Countenanced in the National Capital—Good Stories of Theaters and Actors.

(Special Washington Letter.)

The poet told the truth; although there will always be some doubt concerning the authorship of the lines. The words have a jingle of merriment, wine and wassail, and indicate that they were written by a man; and by just such a man as Col. John A. Joyce. But Ella Wheeler Wilcox claims their authorship:

"Laugh, and the world laughs with you,
Weep, and you weep alone.
This grand old earth must borrow its mirth.
It has troubles enough of its own."

Phillip Phillips, the celebrated singer of sacred music, used to sing a verse

"I HAVE NO CARD WITH ME, SIR."

containing the words: "Though you may forget the singer, you will not forget the song;" and so it makes no difference from whose pen the lines came, and it would make no difference if we never heard of the controversy concerning authorship—the words contain a truth which is universal.

The moralists and theorists of all ages have discussed the best modes of living. There are ascetics to-day who believe in the repression of mirth, even in children. There is a priestly class who live in seclusion, and, meeting each other, always make the cheerful allusion: "Brother, we must all die." There are others who look upon the world through glasses of a different color, and who believe in extracting all the pleasure possible out of this fleeting existence. Some of them are the careless extremists who clink their bumpers and sing: "Eat, drink and be merry." But there are still others who attain a happy medium between extreme recklessness and extreme asceticism, and they are in the majority.

People in the national capital who live in the ease and luxury of comfortable incomes, the families of statesmen and of the higher salaried government employes, the foreign ambassadors and ministers, and the wealthy visitors who make this a winter resort, are all in pursuit of pleasure. The majority of them are reasonable in their quest of enjoyment. In the hotels where families of congressmen spend the winter there are little card parties given by the ladies, whereby long evenings are pleasantly passed. The ladies on the first floor of the hotel go visiting the ladies on the fifth floor, and the ladies on the second floor visit the ladies on the ninth floor; and thus visits are exchanged in the hotels just as calls are made at home from house to house.

Then there are other card parties in which gentlemen alone participate, and sometimes large sums of money change hands. It is proper to say, however, that gambling for money is growing less and less among gentlemen every year. In my brief experience in the national capital it has been a pleasure to notice the fact that gentlemen are doing less gambling, and that the habit is becoming reprehensible. Forty or fifty years ago drinking was not regarded as a grave fault, but the temperance spirit has grown during that time so that drinking is now regarded as a vice. Healthy public sentiment is thus driving out the evil spirit of gambling.

The most popular pleasure here is the theater, and many box parties are given during the season. Washington is a small city compared with our commercial marts, and so we do not have the best plays long continued. The star performers and their companies seldom stay in Washington more than a week. This is really fortunate for the theater goers, because there is a constant variety of entertainment.

The ticket sellers at large theaters are peculiar people. They are not autocratic here as they become in the greater cities. Once upon a time there was a ticket seller at the old Ford's theater who forgot or did not realize that this is a singular city, and that a senator, representative, cabinet official, or some members of the family of a public functionary may appear at the window; and so he tried to start a flirtation with a pretty and piquant young miss by asking her for her card. Having obtained her tickets, she opened her big blue eyes in astonishment, and then said: "I have no card with me, sir, but you shall have one to-morrow morning, and I presume that you will call upon me without delay."

The ticket seller was a handsome fellow, and he smiled triumphantly and kissed his hand to her as she passed away. He waited on others all day long, but his brain was very busy with thoughts of his conquest, and he wondered who the beauty would turn out to be. That night he dreamed of pink cheeks, pretty pouting lips, pearly teeth and the wonderful figure of loveliness which had been so suddenly charmed by his masculine attractions. He expected to receive that card in his morning mail, and he was surprised when he was greeted by the manager, who handed him an envelope containing his pay up to date and said:

"Senator Blank wants to continue patronizing this theater, but he does not want his daughter insulted at the box office; and so I have engaged a gentleman to take your place."

The masher had received his card from the beauty with a vengeance, but he never called to pay his respects. He was a married man, the rascal, and he never recovered from the rebuke which he received on that occasion. No other theater wanted his services, and he has since earned his living as a clerk in a clothing store. His example has proved to be influential with others, if any hate been disposed to make the box office a place for flirtations.

At all of our theaters the ticket sellers are polite. They never forget that they are surrounded by greatness and power, and that the slightest deviation from probity is likely to prove costly. They are accommodating and gentlemanly, but they have a hard time of it, for they meet with human nature in every guise. The majority of the patrons of the theater, of course, is feminine, and almost every woman supposes that the ticket agent is a mind reader. They simply put their money before him and expect him to read their thoughts and give them such tickets as they want. The man behind the window may ask in his most bland and polite way where the lady desires to be seated, and he will frequently receive a sharp and petulant answer. The men, too, make many simi[illegible] in dealing with the ticket[illegible] man behind the window ke[illegible] per.

Actors and actresses of ability and standing have splendid audiences here. Mr. Joseph Jefferson gave a performance of "Rip Van Winkle" last year and the audience was one of the finest that could have been assembled in the world. You probably have heard that the great actor and President Cleveland are very warm personal friends, and of course President and Mrs. Cleveland attended that performance. Mr. Jefferson always has large audiences wherever he goes, but the fact that the president was to attend naturally induced many prominent people to witness the performance who might not otherwise have gone on that particular occasion. In a box adjoining the stage sat the president with his wife and several of her intimate lady friends. The other boxes were occupied by members of the cabinet and their families. The secretary of state, the secretary of the treasury and the secretary of the interior, with their families, occupied the lower tier of boxes. In the audience there were all of the diplomats from foreign countries, a majority of the senators and representatives, the chief

WHERE BLAINE USED TO LIVE.

justice and associate justices of the supreme court, and others of national reputation and distinction. It is seldom that any actor has such an audience.

The veteran performer has played Rip Van Winkle for fully 30 years, but never did he appear to better advantage than upon the occasion described. The ease, grace, naturalness and climatic power of the celebrated delineator of the vagabond Rip brought forth round after round of applause. In that magnificent scene where the old man pleads for recognition and finally compels his daughter to remember her long-lost father, the actor brought tears to all eyes, and Grover Cleveland was obliged to rub his handkerchief over his eyes, just like the rest of us. With equal facility the actor caused the audience to be convulsed with laughter in the humorous parts of the play, particularly when he tells his wife Gretchen to turn away the villain of the play, "give him a cold potato and let him go." Mr. Jefferson will probably never again give a rendition of his celebrated play; certainly never again to such an audience.

Although this city is what the theatrical people call "a good theater town," that is, a city which liberally patronizes the plays, there has never been a first-class building in Washington until within the last year. Of course, the opera houses and theaters have not been common, but there has been none to compare with the places of amusement in the great cities.

We now have a very handsome theater and it is built upon the site of the late residence of James G. Blaine. It is a historic place. For many years the old Washington club was there, and in front of it occurred the celebrated tragedy of 1859, when Daniel E. Sickles killed Phil Barton Key. It was in the same building that William H. Seward resided as secretary of state when the assassin entered and almost killed him on the night when President Lincoln was killed. While Blaine was secretary of state he resided there, and in that house he died.

There was almost universal protest against the transfer of the property to new proprietors for the purpose of building a theater, but Mrs. Blaine pursued her own course, as she has done all her life, regardless of the will and wishes of others. Consequently our amusement-loving people find their handsomest and best theater on that site.

SMITH D. FRY.

BEWARE OF SOFT-SHELL CRABS.

Peculiar Parts to Be Regarded by Those Who Eat Them.

"There is no danger in eating soft-shelled crabs," observed an epicure, "if they are fresh, but they are poison if they are not. They should be well seasoned, and an extra lot of pepper put on them as a precaution, especially if the weather is very hot when they are eaten, or if they are eaten shortly before one retires. It is the habit of many persons to eat soft-shelled crabs at night time. I do not know but that they taste better then. It is somewhat dangerous to many to drink milk after eating crabs. Milk seems to develop the colic that follows eating soft-shelled crabs with some persons.

"Another thing that should be remembered, and that is that a sharp thunderstorm will kill soft-shelled crabs, and even the hard-shelled crabs at times. Unless the soft-shelled crab had been cooked before the thunderstorm, I think the safer plan would be to decline to eat it. Under all other conditions there is no danger in partaking of them, for I do not think anyone would be criminal enough to cook a dead crab, hard or soft shell. The proper way to kill a crab is to throw him into a kettle of boiling water. I know that some people think this is cruel, but it is no more cruel than to stab them with a needle or kill them with chloroform, as I have known some extra sensitive persons to do."

Evading the Rule.

One of the regulations at the new Congressional library in Washington is that visitors must carry no parcels into the building. So says the Post, of that city, and then goes on to relate an amusing occurrence: A rather tall, broad-shouldered young woman arrived at the door of the library, having in her hand a neat brown paper package. "No bundles are alowed inside the building," said the attendant. "You must leave it here till you come out." The young woman objected. The man said it was the rule. The young woman said it was absurd. The man was firm. He must obey orders. The young woman hesitated; then she undid the parcel, hung several pairs of black hose over her arm, handed the man the paper, and said: "There, you may keep that until I come out."

If the ministers are going to take the stump, perhaps we'll have to assign the politicians to fill the pulpits.

Eczema of the scalp or Scald Head, even in its most severe form, is unfailingly cured by Doan's Ointment, the surest specific for all itchiness of the skin.

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CROSS-EXAMINATION

Could Not Weaken Such Testimony As This.

(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

The following statement is one of great interest to many a citizen of Kalamazoo, and a man as well known as Mr. Wallace should carry more than ordinary weight with our readers. Here it is as taken down by our representative:

"My name is John A. Wallace. I am a member of the firm of J. A. Wallace & Co., doing business as tinners, etc., at 106 Eleanor Street, Kalamazoo, in which city I also reside. For the past nine or ten months I have been having attacks of kidney complaint, the pain in my back over my hips was very severe at times; my urinary system was also in a bad state of derangement, sometimes the urine was scanty and then again the amount would be excessive, and a difficulty of passage always existed. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills at a time when I felt that I was going to be sick, but their use warded off an attack, and I am now feeling very much better; the urinary organism has regained a normal condition, and the terrific pain in my back is much reduced in severity, while it is now fast going away altogether. I am continuing the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, with positive feeling that they will effect on me a permanent and speedy cure. I have unbounded confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills as a remedy for all kidney ailments; have good reason to be, as they have done so much for me."

Can you ask any more than this? Doan's Kidney Pills are relieving more backs of the burdens they have been forced to bear through the kidneys than all other means devised, and, better still, they are doing this right here in Michigan. Ask any one who has ever taken them and see what they will say.

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Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:38 p. m.
New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
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STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 303. Express.	No. 347 Accom.
Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	10 20
	6 20 "	2 22 "	1 15
	6 37 "	2 29 "	1 30
	6 45 "	2 45 "	1 55
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	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25

315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 34 Accom
Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	
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	11 50 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.
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	12 55 "	9 10 "	8 50
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	1 18 "	10 15 "	9 44
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No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

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The plans as here given represent a ¾-span house, and will assist anyone to make a handsome greenhouse.

The size of the greenhouse is 12 feet wide by 20 feet long, and the boiler house six feet square. The glass used in the roof is 14 inches wide.

The greenhouse can be made with either wood or iron rafters and purlins. Iron is the better, as it makes a lighter house and lasts much longer than wood. The rafters are made fast to iron foot pieces that extend into the ground, and run up to the ridge, which is also of iron; these are capped with cypress, in which to bed the glass. The ridge also receives a cap of the same wood. The sash bars are made of cypress.

The inside of the house can be sealed with cypress, but a builder's paper should be put on and the outside covered with novelty siding.

The ventilation shown on the plan is continuous and 30 inches wide, and is placed next to the ridge. It should be operated by a ventilating apparatus, such as can be purchased from any maker of greenhouse material.

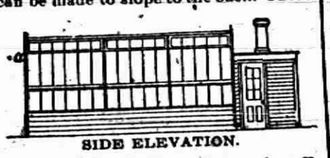
The house is arranged with three

PLAN OF GREENHOUSE.

benches or beds—one extending from the door along the front and end being two feet six inches wide, one down the center of the same height and three feet wide, and one against the back wall two feet wide. The back bench should be elevated, which will require the walk to be elevated also, which should be about the height of the middle bench, the supports for which will answer for the walk, by extending them through to the back wall.

The sides should be made of cypress and the bottom either of cypress or hemlock. The supports can be made of iron or cypress. If made of iron they will last a long time, the only thing requiring to be renewed being the sides and bottoms from time to time.

A boiler six feet square is attached to the greenhouse at one end. The roof can be made to slope to the back. There



SIDE ELEVATION.

should be provided also a pit of sufficient depth to allow the top of the boiler to be below the flow pipes in the greenhouse. If this is not convenient the heating can be done without it, but the circulation would not be as good as if the boiler be as suggested. The bottom of the pit should be cemented and be supplied with drainage.

The heating can be accomplished by hot water heating pipes 3½ inches in diameter, running three pipes under the back bench and two under each of the other benches. The pipes should be set on brick piers and have a rise to the farther end of the house and then drain all the way back to the boiler.

The expansion tank can be in one corner of the boiler house out of the way, and all the space in the greenhouse can be utilized.—F. T. Oakes, in American Gardening.

GARDEN AND ORCHARD.

Cutting out is the only remedy for peach borers.

Successful gardening depends upon a good manure pile.

No fruit pays for judicious pruning or thinning better than the pear.

In the fall, after the leaves drop, is a good time to prune the grape vines.

When the ground is frozen an inch or two deep is the best time to mulch strawberries.

One advantage in mulching is that it in a measure prevents a too early growth in the spring.

One reason why plants do better in the kitchen than any other room is because of humidity in the air.

After apples have been kept a few weeks they should be sorted over, as some good ones will show defects later on.

Wood ashes is one of the best remedies for pear trees that bear cracked fruit. Stir the soil well and then spread the ashes well over the surface.

When intending to plant an orchard one of the best plans of management is to get the trees this fall and heel them in ready for planting in the spring.

Pruning a tree when dormant tends to impart vigor, but if done when the tree is growing or in leaf it tends to check growth.—St. Louis Republic.

Hints for Lettuce Growers.

In order to maintain a regular supply, plantings should be made every ten days or so. A temperature of from 40 to 50 degrees at night suits lettuces, and so as to have good results the plants should be grown on without a check. Solid beds would no doubt produce the finest heads, but in private establishments the crop is generally grown on benches which answer the purpose sufficiently well. Green fly is sometimes troublesome and must be checked before it gets headway, otherwise the crop will be destroyed; either fumigate or lay tobacco stems between the plants.—American Gardening.

TIME TO MAKE CUTTINGS.

Good Way of Increasing Small Fruits of Every Description.

During the winter months is a good time to make cuttings of such trees and shrubs as it is desirable to increase. Quinces, currants, gooseberries and grapes are readily increased by cuttings. In the case of shade trees willows and poplars are easily grown from cuttings, but the great majority of trees need to be raised from seeds, layers, or by budding or grafting. But when it comes to the flowering shrubs which adorn our lawns, cuttings are the chief reliance of propagators. The time to make them is while vegetation is dormant, and it is better done at least a month or more before spring comes. The beautiful Golden Bell, Weigla, Mock Orange, Spirea, Duetzia and Athaea among many others are easily raised in this way.

The best shoots for the purpose are those of last year's growth. The exact length is not particular, so that two or three joints are included in each one. About nine inches is a good length for most sorts, though grapes having the joints far apart may be a foot in length. It is believed that when the lower part is cut just below an eye, that rooting is easily accomplished, so cuttings are usually made in that way. It is not so essential at the upper end where the cut is made, but as the buds push from the joints all wood above the highest one is useless. After the cuttings are made place them in a cellar, buried up in sand or earth, with but the tops projecting, these to remain until the time arrives for setting them out in the spring. When the work is done about February, it will be found that the cuttings are nicely healed over by the time spring comes, which is in favor of the success of the operation.

When the winter is over and the soil is in good condition for working the planting may be done, setting them so that two-thirds of their length are in the ground and one-third out. In ordinary season the most of them will be well rooted by fall. — Practical Farmer.

PROTECTION IN WINTER.

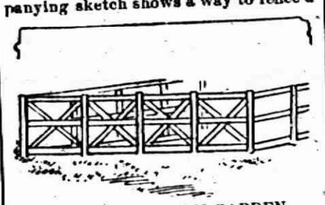
How to Care Effectively for Young Trees and Tender Shrubs.

The aim in giving any kind of winter protection is merely to preserve the gains made in root or top growth during the preceding season. At a in the illustration is shown a young tree well protected both by stake and mound. A few stones piled around the stem, as shown at b, will often do very well, at least are much better than no protection at all, but will not prevent injury from rabbits and mice, as the mound is quite liable to do. Young trees with little root, when left exposed to the sweeping winds without support, usually are swayed back and forth until a funnel-shaped cavity is formed around the base, as may be seen at c, endangering the life of the tree from the drying out of the already scant root supply, or perhaps by being entirely blown over, as seen at d. Young evergreens, with their comparatively heavy tops, are particularly subject to displacement or partial uprooting by the winter's winds, and may be held in position by stout strings fastened to the stem and to small stakes driven into the ground a few feet from the base of the tree, as shown at e. Small compact evergreens are liable to be broken down by a heavy snowfall, and the most natural protection perhaps is the one suggested at f, consisting of a sort of roof made of two pieces of board. Tender shrubs may be treated in a variety of ways. At g we have a shrub protected by an inverted barrel. To make a sure thing still surer, the other head might be taken out also, the barrel filled with dry leaves and again covered. At h we see the shrub wrapped in canvas or muslin; at i protected by straw or straw matting. A simple way of covering small, tender shrubbery is by means of sods, as illustrated at j; but ordinary soil, as at A, will do about as well.—Farm and Home.

THE FARM GARDEN.

How to Avoid Destruction and Loss from Straying Cattle.

Some kitchen gardens must be fenced, or destruction from straying cattle will follow. It is a misfortune, however, to have a garden so fenced that cultivation cannot take place. The accompanying sketch shows a way to fence a



FENCE FOR FARM GARDEN.

small garden, that admits of easy and thorough cultivation. The garden must be entirely in rows running lengthwise. The side fences are permanent. The ends are panels of fence that hook onto posts set permanently, each post being in line with a plant row in the garden, so that they will not be in the way of the horse and the cultivator. It is but a moment's work to take down or put up these end panels, as they can be made of light strips.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Stimulating Growth of Vines.

All growers of squashes or other vines of this character have noted the fact that the first blossoms are barren. In other words, they are all male blossoms. If this is examined a little further, it will be found that these male blossoms are on the main vine; which accounts for their being earlier than the female or bearing-blossoms, which appear on the side branches. To keep the main stem pinched back will force more growth into the side branches and consequently more fruit. There should be pinching back of new growth all around, as the squash vine will set more fruit than it can carry to profitable marketing size.—Rural World.

When they put a man in jail he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of the dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and meanwhile the body is holding poisonous matter that should be gotten rid of. The poisons being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity of the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

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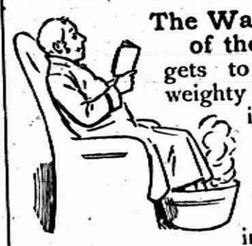

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty-third, 1887, and recorded on the 24th day of May 1887, in the Registers office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 286, which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 24th, 1894, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assignement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1894, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 348,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 65-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 20th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Village lot number fourteen (14) of Eber Shearman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 4th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said [mortgage.

Charles Burridge Attorney for assignee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 2nd day of November in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Addison Hardenburg deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alice B. Hardenburg, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to this statute in such case made and provided that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as this court shall deem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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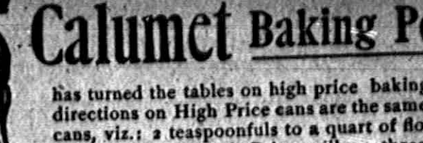

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Heidelberg. Sept. 30, '96.

EDITOR HERALD:

So we passed the Iron Gates, the last great defile of the Danube. Now Roumania was on our left and Servia, soon to give place to Bulgaria, was on our right. We began to experience what it means to be on the boundary line of two jealous powers. There is a guard house every two miles or less along the shore, and, if you land, you almost have to make out your naturalization papers. Our landing at Turn Severin is a fair sample of what we went through at every town where we stopped from the Iron Gates to the sea. I row up to land, a uniformed guard comes striding down to the water's edge. Armed with my passport I stand unflinchingly until I can see the whites of his eyes. Then I open fire with "Sprechen sie deutsch?" Guard shakes his head. Again I fire, "Parlez vous Francais?" Guard shakes his head once more. I have another shot, "Parlano Italiano?" Guard looks stupid, and in despair I fire my last shot "Well, blame it, perhaps you speak English?" The guard sees I am helpless and opens on me relentlessly with the three languages which he always has at command, Russian, Roumanian, and Servian. The three shots usually finish me and I feebly reach out my passport. But that won't do. The guard scowls and says, "Hite" and I "hite." That is I follow him up to his superior's office. The officer looks wisely at my pass, glances at me and tells the guard to allow me the freedom of the city that day. I return to the boat and we tie up and "do" the city. Now, at Turn Severin all went according to the above program except that we had gone past the steamboat landing, and the stupid guard insisted upon my rowing back up stream to the dock. His superior berated him for that.

These guards are usually dressed in a white linen suit, very dirty, and bound at the waist by a broad red belt. Their greatest peculiarity is, that they all look alike in features, and we feel like the hare in the fable, who raced with the hedgehog, and finding the wife of the hedgehog at the end of the furrow concluded that he was beaten. We apparently find the same hedgehog in each new city.

It was near Turn Severin that we saw a new scheme for fishing. Stakes are driven in the sand at the river's edge, and then the fisherman throws the leaded and hooked end of a 50 foot line far out in the Danube. Then he lays the other end over the stake, balances a stone thereon, and goes to sleep. When the fish bites, the stone falls, the fisherman awakes, and pulls in his game. That is by one degree the laziest scheme I ever saw. As we were passing a small Servian town at a distance of several hundred yards from the shore a guard hailed us. We paid no attention. He came excitedly down to the shore and made moves threatening to pursue us with a boat. We continued going down stream. He called a man to bail out his boat. Meanwhile the Danube and some lusty rowing carried us out of reach of pursuit. Of course he had no right to ask us to land. The Danube here is an international waterway.

One shore, the Roumanian, is low and marshy most of the way to the sea but the Servian and Bulgarian shore is very interesting. Now rugged scarred hills, and now steep rocky cliffs appear. The Bulgarian hills at times look much as one imagines the moon's surface would look. They are cracked and seamed, bare, pitted and seared with fantastic lines. Many hollows of the hills might be extinct volcanoes.

Shepards with their flocks are the life of these hills, while fishermen literally line the shores. Where the springs bubble out at the base of the hills, we always see a picturesque group of peasants, who come from the towns built in a forest of trees on the hillside. In these groups are men in white divided skirts and long tunic. A colored sash wound many times around the waist, thick wool hose purple embroidered with pink roses and green leaves done in cross stitch, a high astrachan hat, and shapeless sandals tied with thongs complete this costume. Yet more marvelous are the women with their white linen under-robes, over which are aprons front and back, which often look like a rug or piece of tapestry. The rear apron is often replaced by gay colored woolen streamers. As these gay birds flutter about huge sweeps or creaking pulleys they make splendid game for my kodak.

Well, the day before we reached Widen, we nearly famished, because we could get nothing in small towns which a human being would eat. But Widen was a surprise. If we had been dropped by the Arabian Sinbad's roc into some old oriental city we could not have marveled more at our surrounding. An old Turkish wall and fort encompass that district of the city set apart for the sons of the prophet. Above its walls rise towers and minarets. We landed just outside of Turkish town. Our passport was taken in charge by an officer. Then a German tavern keeper hailed me as a countryman and insisted that my wife and self come in, and have some wine at his expense. We accepted the invitation for the experience sake. Such a crowd. Half a dozen market women sat at tables and drank wine and smoked, as many men did likewise. We told the German what we wanted to buy and he sent a boy to do the marketing. Upon the boys return we excused ourselves and under the guidance of a kindly German entered the Turkish quarter. Going through a huge gate of the fortress—so damp and gloomy—we came to the streets gay with Turkish shops. Such fountains, such old, oid decaying walls and houses, and in the shops were little Turks, boys, making caps and shoes. This all, to say nothing of a real circus and menagerie in full blast. We saw Turks of all sizes, clad in all colors, and having every shade of devilry in their faces, but not a feminine Turk did we see, and my wife was stared and leered at as if she were an Houri. Our guide caught a lizard for our amusement.

We bought some real cookies, just like American cookies, and with the good bread, fruit, and vegetables, we were about to depart. By the aid of a German interpreter, a young Roumanian officer, who had come to Widen on business, asked me to take him as a passenger and land him on the Roumanian shore. I consented and we three embarked. We had not realized how small our boat was until we found that only careful balancing would prevent the boat dipping water, because of our extra load. When at last we got this dainty Hotspur, with his white duck suit, peaked blue hat with red piping, and high boots, safely ashore, he insisted upon our visiting his den, the guard house, and sent his subordinates after some green corn and pears, which he presented us.

C. H. VANTYNE.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Mrs. W. Newberry is arranging to send a barrel of apples to the Detroit news-boys' association.—Dundee Reporter. Don't do it. Send them the price of the freight, they can then buy the apples and have 25c left.

Ever since election there has been a notable and unmistakable increase in the amount of gold in circulation. The banks of this city are receiving and paying out large amounts of the yellow metal every day.—Hudson Gazette.

No sooner had the election of McKinley been conceded by Chairman Jones than our townsman "Pardy" Deems appeared on the streets with his head covered with a brand new silk hat. "Going away, Jim?" enquired a citizen who noticed the change of headgear. "No," replied Jim, "confidence has been restored so I though I would resurrect my old tile and get ready for prosperity."—Hudson Gazette.

An operation was performed yesterday morning upon Wm. Campbell, the Lake Shore engineer, who fell from Chase's bridge Saturday afternoon, by Doctors C. Kirkpatrick, Daniel Todd, G B. M. Seager, F. E. Andrews, W. E Jewett and A. M. Allen. It was found necessary to amputate the left leg below the knee, and although the right leg is severely injured, it is hoped that it may be saved.—Adrian Telegram.

The farmers say that the thickets and fields are full of rabbits. They can be kicked up anywhere almost, so thick are they. The past summer has been a good one for Br'er Rabbit, and he is playing havoc with young fruit trees and every thing else he can get his teeth into. The law does not protect him and his family, and he can be killed at all seasons. They are fat this year, and now is the time to kill the young ones.—Addison Courier.

About a year ago W. W. Whiting, of Tecumseh, an ardent admirer of the governor-elect, named his pet dog "Pingree Whiting," or "Ping" for short. After the election it occurred to Mr. Whiting that the dog's namesake ought to do something handsome and he wrote and asked Mr. Pingree for a dog collar. The collar arrived a day or two later, with the following inscription: "Gov. Pingree Whiting." The dog struts around with unapproachable pride, and you can't get him to associate with a common corporation cur.—Adrian Times.

Surveyor Boss, P. Cooley and H. R. Cole went to Adrian Monday to assist on a preliminaary survey for an extension of the Lima Northern railroad from that city to some point on the Ohio division of the C., J. & M. Ry. It is hoped that such connections and train service may be secured as to afford the citizens of north-western Lenawee better facilities for getting to and from the county seat.—Addison Courier. If this happens Tecumseh people can go to Adrian via. Addison Junction. The walking will also be good.

Although the property holders did not take advantage of the offer recently made by the Clinton Woolen Mill Co. to furnish the principal business street of the village with water, providing the former raise sufficient money to put in the water main and hydrants, the company propose, at any rate, to provide themselves with suitable fire protection and have purchased a large and powerful pump. This pump, which weighs five and one-half tons, arrived Saturday and was taken down to the mill Tuesday.—Adrian Telegram.

The following from the Dundee Reporter is printed on account of the many friends of the deceased in Tecumseh: "Of all sad and melancholy deaths in my remembrance, none appear to me more heart-breaking than the death of Elmer E Mugg, at the H. Q. W. ranch in New Mexico. There he laid down his weary frame racked with the ravages of consumption; bereft of his friends with no one near to soothe his last moments save the big-hearted ranchero and his noble, motherly wife, with the few cow-boys and Mexicans all of whom had grown to love this gentle, patient sufferer. Among all men it has been my good and bad fortune to have met, Elmer Mugg few could compare with. He was as the diamond is to the pebble. In him vice was wanting; no dishonorable act ever sullied his spotless reputation; his mind was as unclouded by petty spite as the blue of an Italian sky; in his veins there coursed no venom; in his heart space for all God's creatures. Those who knew him remained his friends unto death. His life was of many trials and much bitterness, but through it all he maintained an air of cheerfulness and hope, though firmly realizing his sad condition of health. Of his boyhood days I know but little. Born in York township, Sandusky county, O., Oct. 16, 1861, he grew to manhood on the farm and learned his life's work well. A better farmer for his years never went afield; his to pattern after, and his stock the admiration of all eyes. For many a year this patient thoughtful boy worked and lived among us, ever cheerful, genial, frank and upright, yet battling like a strong swimmer in his agony against a sea of trouble; with no one to cheer him on save the gentle sisters whom he idolized. On the 18th of June his failing health urged him to seek the climate of New Mexico to which country I accompanied him. The end soon came for on the 20th day of October, 1896, at the ranch before mentioned, he gave up the struggle. On the wind swept plains of New Mexico, where the stillness is only broken by the mournful cry of the wolf and the lowing of the countless herds of cattle, there sleeps in the sun baked earth, a man, respected and loved by all who knew him."

H. W. CAMPBELL.

It is being quietly intimated that there are some other dark horse aspirants for the Adrian postoffice, and that when they come from cover, there will be a scatteration among a lot of the others. It is being whispered around among the knowing ones that as matters stand, Festus R. Metcalf stands very near to the throne as compared to all the other applicants. When General Humphrey received the appointment, Capt. Allen was pledged to him before the election. But this year Gen. Spaulding says he is free from pledge, so there is a fairly open field.—Adrian Telegram. Than Festus Metcalf there is no better qualified man in Adrian for the position.

The Hudson Republican will be discontinued if the last issue is not the last. Dr. Edwin Eaton has purchased all the stock of the company, the members being J. J. Wood, Grant Fellows and George W. Fenton. The doctor proposes to dispose of the material and presses and divide up the list between the Post and Gazette, according to the choice of the subscribers. The Republican has been a very lively paper, clean and ably edited, and had a large patronage at first, but evidently spread out too large for the field in the beginning of its existence.—Adrian Messenger. Good thing to stop it. Hudson has no more use for three newspapers than a cat has for three tails.

The order for the sale of the C., J. & M., an announcement of which was published in the Blade yesterday, started many rumors in railroad circles to-day. The story that an effort will be made by some outside people to get control of the property does not seem to have any foundation. The Brice-Thomas syndicate which has always controlled the road will meet no opposition in the reorganization. The plan is the usual scheme of wiping out a large floating debt, and to put the property on a paying basis. The Ohio division of the C., J. & M. has proved to be a profitable piece of property, and with the Jackson extension, it is thought that the Michigan division will do as well. The future of the road, with a return of prosperty, seems to be promising.—Hudson Gazette.

Jacob Totten.

Jacob Totten was born in New York, Sept. 14, 1815, and died in Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 5, 1896. He was one of ten children, four of whom still live, namely: Henry Totten, of Dundee; Charles Totten, of Belding; Mrs. Eliza Marsh, of Columbia, and Mrs. Juliette Rowland, of Tecumseh.

In 1843 Mr. Totten came to Michigan and located in Tecumseh, where he resided until the time of his death. In 1847 he was married to Miss Mary M. Cuthbert. Two children were born to them; one son, Romain, who died in infancy, and Mrs. Ella Eldridge, of this place. Her father made his home with her since the death of her mother, who died Sept. 17, 1893.

Those who knew Mr. Totten for many years remember him as a strictly honest man, and who meant to be right on all moral questions. His habits of life were good, and as a result he passed his four score years with all his faculties well preserved. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner, and was attended by a large number of friends.

The Farm Home Reading Circle of the Michigan Agricultural College.

The Michigan Agricultural College has again proven itself alive to the needs and demands of the general farming population. The fundamental purpose of the Agricultural College is to educate farmers' sons and daughters toward the farm and not away from it. She is doing this and in addition is making it possible for those who cannot afford a college course to become posted on agricultural topics through the Farm Home Reading Circle. One of the objects of the Farm Home Reading Circle is to recommend the best books for the farmer, gardner and stock breeder to read and at the same time to furnish an opportunity for the farmer to buy those books at greatly reduced prices.

The Farm Home Reading Circle above all, claims to educate the present generation, those who are now farming rather than the future generation. Those farmers who think there is nothing for them to learn in books are yearly getting more scarce. On the other hand we are glad to note that a very large number of our farmers are almost constantly asking for guidance in the selection of books to read which will be of practical benefit to them in their work. Again we say that this is the object of the Farm Home Reading Circle. It can no longer be called an experiment, for it has been more successful than any other similar movement. It is stronger today than ever before. We have a large number of members, not only in Michigan but also in several other States including Canada. Several changes have been made since the Farm Home Reading Circle was first organized, and we are sure that no one interested in farming, gardening, fruit growing or stock breeding can find a more profitable employment for the long winter evenings than to take up the course of reading outlined. It is not necessary to organize a reading circle to get the benefit of this course. You can read alone.

Please remember that this is not a money-making scheme. We are trying to place within easy access of every farmer, information of value to him in his every day work. Address the Secretary for further information.

HERBERT W. MUMFORD.
Secretary Farm Home Reading Circle,
Agricultural College, Mich.

J. L. SNYDER, Ph. D.,
President of the College.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club held a very interesting meeting at the home of A. Van Valkenburg Friday evening, Nov. 13. The following program was rendered:

Music—Mrs. Welch and Fred.
Rec.—Herbert Munger.
Rec.—Leon Van Valkenburg.
Reading—Mrs. Munger.
Chip Basket—Mrs. W Waldron.
Rec.—Abbie Jay.
Dia.—Harold and Eddie Hoag.
Music—Viva Mellon.

As it was the annual meeting the following officers were elected:

Pres.—S. N. Munger.
Vice-Pres.—Harry Abbott.
Sec.—Ella Munger.
Treas.—Mrs. Hoag.

The Club then adjourned to meet in two weeks at home of A Welch, where the following program will be presented:

Music—Ruth Taylor.
Rec.—Nellie Wilson.
Locals and Personals—Mrs. Waldron.
Song—Maud Abbott.
Rec.—Lilla Van Valkenburg.
Reading—Mrs. Hoag.
Rec.—Sammie Tilden.
Chip basket—Charles Mathews.
Dia.—Munger Family.
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ON THE FARM.

Annual Report of the Secretary of Agriculture.

Affairs Managed with Much Economy—Our Foreign Trade in Meat—America Destined to Monopolize the Markets of the Globe.

Washington, Nov. 23.—In his fourth annual report the secretary of agriculture shows that with the $180,000 that may be saved from the appropriations for the current fiscal year, there will have been covered back into the treasury since March 7, 1896, over $2,000,000. That this great economy was effected without any loss of efficiency he attributes in a large degree to the improvement in the personnel of the force under the civil service rules.

Our Foreign Trade in Meat.

The inspection of animals intended for food is treated at length. Mr. Morton urges that the government inspection should be extended to all animals intended for human food, whether for consumption in the United States or abroad, but he maintains that the cost of this inspection should be paid by the packers. The total consumption of meat in Great Britain for the year was 1,000,000 tons, 75 per cent. of which was produced at home, the remaining 25 per cent. being produced abroad. Of the live meat arriving in Great Britain during the first half of the year of 1896, the United States supplied 75 per cent. of the cattle and 45 per cent. of the sheep. The testimony of the department representatives abroad is that cattle from the United States arrive in English ports in excellent condition. The Glasgow market is especially commended to American shippers, as in that city cattle from the United States compete with the very highest qualities of British animals.

Shipment of Horses Abroad.

The shipment of American horses to England is steadily increasing. In 1893 Great Britain took 13,573 American horses, nearly 23,000 in 1894 and 24,000 in 1895, but during the first nine months of 1896 more American horses were shipped into England than in any previous 12 months.

Opposed to Free Seed Distribution.

The seed distributed gratuitously by the government during the present fiscal year weighed 220 tons and occupied 30 mail cars in transit. The cost of carrying them through the mails was over $70,000. Enough seed was sent out gratitously to plant 115 square miles of garden. Ex-congressmen received enough to plant 16314 acres. For the current year at present prices the amount required by congress to be expended in the purchase of seed will make each congressman's quota double what it was last year. The secreary regrets this unnecessary and wasteful expenditure of public money and hopes congress may in good time put a stop thereto.

Competition of Farmers.

Referring to the stress of competition which the American farmer is compelled to endure, Mr. Morton calls attention to nearly 2,000,000 farms of 80 acres each given away by the gogernment under the homestead act of 1866 during the past 30 years, and to the amount donated under the timber culture law equivalent to over 550,000 more farms of the same size. It was impossible he says, for farmers in the old states to profitably sell their products in competition with those of the newer states, grown upon lands which cost their owners nothing.

Farm Mortgages.

Secretary Morton refutes the idea prevailing that the farms of the west and south are more heavily burdened with mortgages than those of the east and northeast. States along the north Atlantic, he says, are quite heavily incumbered with farm mortgages, and New Jersey carries a debt of this kind greater in proportion to its farm valuations than any state in the union.

Referring to the impression that greater rates of interest are charged for money loaned upon farms than that loaned on other kinds of real estate, Secretary Morton states that the rate of interest charged upon mortgages on residential property other than farms averages eighty-four hundredths of one per cent. less than the rate of interest charged upon farm loans. In 17 states the average rate charged upon the latter is less than that demanded for loans upon other residential property. In two states the rates are the same upon urban and rural real estate. In Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, Kentucky, Wisconsin, Kansas, Iowa, Texas and Alabama the rates of interest are less for money secured by mortgages than for money secured by other realty. In five states, including Kansas, the difference in favor of the farmer is from one-fourth to one-half of one per cent., and in Texas it is over one per cent. If a western farmer pays a higher interest than the eastern, so does the western merchant, common carrier or manufacturer.

Exports of Farm Products.

During the fiscal year just ended, the exported products of American farms aggregated $570,000,000, an increase of $17,000,000 over the preceding year. In spite of this, there was a falling off in the percentage of agricultural products exported to the total exports, but this was due to the unprecedented sale abroad of American manufactured goods. The principal market for American products is found in the united kingdom of Great Britain and her colonies. These English-speaking people bought 58 per cent. of exports from the United States during the fiscal year 1896. Together with Germany, France, Holland, and Belgium, they purchased 81.9 per cent. of our entire output, leaving 18.1 per cent. for the rest of the world.

Can Monopolize the World's Markets.

Secretary Morton asks if a nation which, like the United States, possesses the greatest power and facilities for producing and manufacturing things which the world demands, is not destined to monopolize the markets of the globe. With the most favorable conditions for varied and successful agriculture and the lightest burden of national taxation, what country, he asks, can compete with this in developing the best resources of human toil with a minimum of human effort. With our wonderful labor-saving contrivances applied to nearly every avenue of production, the wages paid in the United States, in the production of wheat and cotton, for instance, are 50 to 100 per cent. higher than in countries with which we compete, so the wages paid in manufactures from metal are from 25 to 100 per cent. higher than the wages paid workers in the same industries by other nations. And in this contest for feeding and furnishing mankind—notwithstanding the fierce competition which it meets all over the globe—American agriculture, manufacture and commerce are steadily gaining more trade, and thus furnishing an enlarged wage fund on a gold basis out of which some millions of American laborers and skilled artisans draw their yearly remuneration, and upon which they and their families largely depend for employment and comfort.

Work of the Weather Bureau.

Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, has submitted to the secretary of agriculture his report of the operations of the bureau during the fiscal year of his administration. Among other things he refers to the kite experiments. On one occasion, he says, an altitude of 7,000 feet was obtained. The use of kites is always limited by the condition of the winds. There appears to remain but one other means of exposing meteorological instruments at approximately fixed points in free air—namely, by the use of devices sustained by the action of propellers which either lift the apparatus directly or give it a specially ascending or descending motion.

Sentenced to Death.

Columbus, Ga., Nov. 24.—The jury in the case of Henry White brought in a verdict of murder. He was sentenced to be hanged on January 15. White was charged with the murder of Policeman Jackson here on October 14, at which time his father killed two other officers and was in turn shot to death by a posse.

WEYLER IS BACK.

He Leaves His Command and Returns to the City of Havana.

Havana, Nov. 24.—Capt. Gen. Weyler is defeated. He arrived here Monday night from Mariel on board the cruiser La Gazpi, which had been placed at his disposal. Only a few weeks ago the Spanish commander took personal charge of the forces and marched to the Pinar del Rio country with the avowed purpose of suppressing the rebellion in quick time. Now he is back in Havana, having conducted a masterly retreat. His operations in Pinar del Rio have proved a failure. He has demonstrated his inability to whip the insurgents, and his recall by the government at Madrid is considered a certainty. Maceo is practically master of the situation.

The news of Weyler's arrival created widespread excitement. It is looked upon as a death blow to the hopes of Spain. The high feeling prevailing was augmented by the information that Gomez is on his way to Havana province at the head of 35,000 well-armed and amply-provisioned men. The insurgents are in possession of plenty of ammunition, having several field pieces and dynamite guns. The artillery is manned by Americans and every engagement in which they have participated the Spanish have suffered heavy loss.

MRS. SCOTT SIDDONS DEAD.

Distinguished Woman's Demise Is Tardily Reported from France.

London, Nov. 20.—French newspapers at hand state that Mrs. Scott-Siddons, famous a number of years ago as a dramatic reader, died there last week and that her body was shipped to New York on Tuesday. She had lived abroad in the latter years of her life in broken health.

[Mrs. Scott-Siddons was a great-granddaughter of the great Sarah Siddons. She began her career on the stage in London in 1867, giving readings from Shakespeare's plays in the Hanover Square rooms, and later on made her first appearance upon the regular stage at the Haymarket theater in the character of Rosalind in "As You Like It." She first came to the United States in 1868, when she read in Steinway hall, after which she acted in the Fifth Avenue theater. She then returned to London and acted in "The Lady of Lyons" and several Shakespearean characters, as well as in a number of romantic plays and melodramas. In later life Mrs. Siddons traveled extensively in the British colonies, and achieved considerable popularity in Australia. She paid a final visit to the United States a year or two ago, but her appearance on the stage then ended in a disastrous failure.]

SLAIN FOR MONEY.

The Terrible Fate of a Man and His Wife in Pennsylvania.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 24.—The mining town of Nesquehoning, in Carbon county, was the scene of the wildest excitement Sunday when it became known that a terrible murder had been committed, the victims being Mrs. Casper Laboye and her husband. The former was instantly killed and the latter fatally injured. The perpetrators of the crime are three unknown Hungarians, who were arrested by a number of citizens while in the attempt to make their escape, and had it not been for the interference of the coal and iron police, all three would have been lynched. The prisoners were taken to Mauch Chunk and are now in jail awaiting a hearing. Robbery was the motive for the crime.

CHILDREN BURNED.

Five Little Ones Perish in Flames in Their Homes in Missouri.

Hamilton, Mo., Nov. 23.—Five children of Mr. and Mrs. Snyder Neal, living five miles north of the city, were burned to death Saturday night. The Neal dwelling was burned while the parents were attending a dance. The children who lost their lives are: Cullie, 13; Hattie, 11; Willie, 7; Clarence, 5; Julian 3. It is thought the fire was caused by an incendiary.

Strange Death of an Engineer.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 24.—W. A. Fox, Santa Fe railway engineer, on Monday died from a malady that baffled the skill of physicians. On November 4 Fox's foot "went to sleep," and from this strange disease his leg gradually wasted away. Physicians say the trouble was not rheumatism, and a consultation of medical men was held, but they cannot explain the strange fatality.

Bank Wrecker Sentenced.

Hebron, Neb., Nov. 23.—Capt. J. H. Stickle, for years a leader in politics in central Nebraska and president of the defunct Blue Valley bank of this place, was on Saturday night convicted of wrecking that institution and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Judge Hastings. The specific charge on which he was convicted was the embezzlement of $800 of the bank's funds.

Nature abhors an uncovered patch of ground. Therefore she has the weeds to carpet it if the farmer does not care.

THE POPULAR VOTE.

How the States Cast Their Ballots in the Last Election.

The Figures Show the Total Vote for the Three Leading Candidates for President — The Statistics Are Nearly Complete.

New York, Nov. 23.—The World announces the first approximately complete returns on the recent presidential election from all the states as follows:

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Palmer.
Alabama	54,733	107,122	6,464
Arkansas	37,511	110,198	....
California	146,317	142,959	4,238
Colorado	22,765	161,970	650
Connecticut	110,288	66,724	4,835
Delaware	20,977	16,671	687
Florida	11,548	29,438	1,900
Georgia	60,061	94,223	5,788
Idaho	5,031	15,764	....
Illinois	605,121	465,100	6,255
Indiana	323,754	305,731	9,143
Iowa	289,293	209,162	6,000
Kansas	159,541	171,810	1,200
Kentucky	218,068	217,797	5,611
Louisiana	16,962	72,961	1,350
Maine	80,421	62,811	1,807
Maryland	136,978	104,745	11,000
Massachusetts	267,7	106,655	11,510
Michigan	251,100	201,250	1,750
Minnesota	193,455	139,477	3,500
Mississippi	4,549	55,993	1,051
Missouri	304,940	363,750	6,000
Montana	10,100	41,275	....
Nebraska	100,618	115,340	6,460
Nevada	1,758	6,781	....
New Hampshire	57,444	21,271	2,420
New Jersey	221,367	134,595	6,471
New York	795,271	543,839	13,820
North Dakota	20,686	16,119	....
Ohio	525,930	474,880	1,857
Oregon	49,218	47,102	1,040
North Carolina	155,222	176,488	670
Pennsylvania	728,300	427,127	11,000
Rhode Island	58,427	14,459	1,100
South Carolina	9,313	58,801	276
South Dakota	45,100	45,275	2,500
Tennessee	148,773	148,651	1,961
Texas	154,422	364,200	....
Utah	13,461	64,651	....
Vermont	42,884	6,788	1,000
Virginia	152,368	185,868	1,877
Washington	39,429	50,927	1,750
West Virginia	102,000	90,000	....
Wisconsin	265,659	162,609	5,000
Wyoming	10,072	10,389	....
Totals	7,057,450	6,283,379	133,900

"The total vote cast 1896 (approximate), 13,579,638, including about 100,000 prohibition votes and 50,000 Bryan and Watson votes.

"This table shows the complete vote of all the states except three—Missouri, West Virginia and Texas—where the count has been delayed by contests. From most of the states the figures are official, the results being reported by the secretaries of states. New York's vote will not be canvassed officially by the state officers until December 15. The total prohibition vote cast will not exceed 100,000. It was highest in Pennsylvania—19,274. In the 77 counties of Texas thus far counted, Bryan and Watson received 66,732. The total middle-of-the-road populist vote will be about 100,000. The socialist vote was smaller than in 1892. In many states none were cast. In 1892 Cleveland received 5,556,918 votes, and Harrison 5,176,108, a total of 10,733,026; Cleveland over Harrison, 350,810."

BANKS ROBBED.

Burglars Raid Nebraska Institutions—Have Secured $30,000.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 24.—Twenty-six banks in eastern and southeastern Nebraska have been burglarized with losses amounting to over $30,000, within the past two months. Officers representing different detective agencies, secret service men of the United States and railroad detectives have all been trying to locate the band of safe breakers, and now it is reasonably certain that at least four out of 20 men in the gang are in jail at Hebron, Neb.

CROSSED THE DARK RIVER.

Death of Milo B. Stevens, a Well-Known Pension Attorney.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 24.—Milo B. Stevens died at his residence, 578 Cedar avenue, Monday morning. The funeral will take place at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday from his late residence to Woodland cemetery. Mr. Stevens was one of the most prominent pension attorneys in the United States and did business under the firm name of Milo B. Stevens & Co., with offices in Cleveland, Washington, Detroit and Chicago.

MANY DROWNED.

Loss of Life Through Floods on the Island of Martinique.

Kingston, Nov. 24.—Advices received here from Fort Defrance, capital of the island of Martinque, say that heavy rains throughout the island have caused all the streams to overflow, and immense damage has been done. A number of persons in the interior, all of whom are believed to have been negroes, have been drowned.

Princeton Defeats Yale.

New York, Nov. 23.—On Manhattan field, Saturday, the contest for the American championship at football was won by the Princeton college team, the Yale forces being defeated by a score of 24 to 6. Fully 45,000 persons witnessed the game.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—For the third successive year, Pennsylvania this year, on Franklin field, Saturday, defeated Harvard at football. Pennsylvania won by a score of 8 to 6.

Shut Out.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 24.—Official returns show that 446,037 votes were cast in Wisconsin for president in the recent election, a gain of 64,456 in four years. McKinley's plurality is 104,570. Palmer's total vote was 4,455 and Levering's 7,466, both falling below the two per cent. requirement, thus preventing those parties from going on the ballot again except by petition. Matchett secured 1,270 votes and Bentley 336.

Mother and Son Asphyxiated.

Elgin, Ill., Nov. 24.—Patrick Meagher, a justice of the peace at Gilbers, a suburb of this city, and his mother were found dead in bed at their home Monday morning. Their deaths were caused by asphyxiation from coal gas. Meagher was last seen alive Saturday evening, and it is thought he and his mother were suffocated Saturday night.

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Clinton Column.

Medicine Company—Dancing Party—Sacred Concert.

John Tuttle ate turkey at home yesterday.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester Saturday.

Miss Grace Davis is home from Detroit for a few days' visit.

Mrs. David E Haggart visited Manchester friends last Friday.

Elmer Halladay came up from Tecumseh to see his brothers, Monday.

Elmer Gregg left Friday for his home at Grant Station, Newago county.

Wm. Thieme, of Adrian, was in town tuning pianos the first of the week.

L. K. Davis was a Britton visitor last Friday. He made the trip on his wheel.

Mrs H. R Hause visited her parents in Britton a greater part of last week.

The Misses Laura Clark and Nellie Kishpaugh visited Britton friends Friday.

Miss Alice McAdam entertained the Misses Keusch, of Brooklyn, over Sunday.

Miss Jessie Case, of Tecumseh, attended service at St. John's church last Sunday.

Miss Lettie Ward, of Chelsea, has been visiting her b other Burr and wife this week.

Sacred concert at town hall tomorrow night. It will be fine. See that you are there.

Alonzo Clark returned to Chicago Saturday to look after his business interests there.

A. B. Van De Mark has been having a serious time with a carbuncle on the back of his neck.

John Middlebrook ran over from Tecumseh and spent Sunday with his Clinton friends.

Arthur, the young son of Dr. and Mrs. Reeves, is having quite a serious time with tonsilitis.

James Jackson, of Tecumseh, visited his daughters, Mesdames Sutfin and Harlan, over Sunday.

Clarence Brown, of Grass Lake, was the guest of Miss Cora Witherell from Friday until Monday.

There will be a special meeting of the O. E. S. Wednesday evening December 2nd, for work.

Mrs. L. A. McConnel returned last Thursday from quite an extended visit with friends in Ohio.

Miss Lena Arnold, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Kirchgessner sisters.

H. D. Niblack and wife ate Thanksriving turkey with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, at Brooklin.

Dr. J. E. White has just completed his semi-annual office cleaning and his rooms look as slick as grease.

Winnie and Mae Waterhouse came over from Ypsilanti to spend Thanksgiving under the parental roof.

J. E. Woodward's condition continues much the same. Medical skill and good nursing seem to fail as restoratives.

S. W. Demuth is greatly improving the interior of his store, papering and painting. Mel Sutfin is the artist.

Mrs. Jennie Brown returned home Monday from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kishpaugh, at Britton.

Leman Bailey's sister, who came from Caro several weeks ago for a visit with her relatives, has been quite seriously ill but is now improving.

Robert McClure and wife came up from Tecumseh the last of the week for a week's sojourn with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Middlebrook.

Mrs. Will H. Niblack, who for several weeks has been with her mother who has been very ill at Macon, but is now recovering, returned home Friday last.

Robert Crosby has disposed of nearly all of the tickets for his bicycle and it will not be long ere it changes owners and we will know who the fortunate individual is.

A medicine company arrived in Clinton Monday for a two weeks' stay. It comprises six persons. They will give entertainments at town hall nightly and of a varied character.

Gerald Brown, the boy soprano of Ann Arbor, who will assist the Episcopal ladies in their concert tomorrow evening, has a wonderful voice of great range, power, and exquisite tone. At the great June carnival of music at Ann Arbor, with a chorus of nearly 300 voices and an immense orchestra, with University hall packed to the doors, his voice soared above all like that of a bird. This musical prodigy will render several solos at the sacred concert tomorrow evening. This alone should fill the house.

Henry Lancaster had a very sick horse the first of the week. Dr. Waldron, the eminent vetenarian, was given the case, but his skill could not save him. It died Monday night.

Will Katner had quite a family gathering at his home Thanksgiving day. Among those from away were his mother and sister, of Bridgewater, Charles Bradley, Mrs. Tinker and two children, of Jackson.

Miss Lucy Kirk is at her father's, far from well we regret to say. Her nervous system is prostrated, caused no doubt by overwork. It is hoped that a change of scene, rest and quiet will restore her to her former self.

It was a very pleasant dancing party given by Winters & Gray at Bainbridge & VanTuyle's hall Wednesday evening. The attendance was large, company select, music fine—in fact nothing was wanting that goes to make up an elegant party.

Now the credit and honor of the country has been saved by the election of McKinley, confidence restored and prosperity assured, the Woolen Mill company paid the hands off in gold their last pay day and are now reducing their help. More were laid off this week. Prosperity seems to work peculiarly just now.

G. R. Gillespie is working quite a transformation in his office which, when completed, will give him as cozy and aed convenient quarters as can be found. His private, or rather consultation, room is carpeted and very neat. The dark room—for what purpose we cannot divine but presume it is essential in the legal profession—is a success, dark as midnight and his plain, every day office is o. k. Garland will be strictly in it.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally; acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Many would be cured of sore eyes if they would wear their glasses over their mouths.

"For three years I suffered from Salt Rheum. It covered my hands to such an extent that I could not wash them. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured me." Libbie Young, Popes Mills, St. Lawrence County, N. Y.

Lady Ulric Duncombe has entered Girton College as an undergraduate.

JUST try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

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The Archbishop of Canterbury has two palaces provided for him free of cost by the British nation.

TO BUY THE POPE A CITY.

Constantinople More Than Rome, Is Likely to Be Purchased.

It is suggested that the Roman Catholics of Christendom shall subscribe $1,000,000,000 to buy Rome and a near-by seaport for the pope, says Harper's Weekly. The belief is expressed that the Italian government might sell the property without serious detriment to its political integrity and that the money could be used to great advantage in relieving Italy of part of the burden of her public debt. It is not proposed to turn over the principal to the venders, but to place it in trust and to pay its annual proceeds into the Italian treasury as long as the pope remains undisturbed in the papal territory.

The plan is a very pretty one and there are those who think the money might be raised and that King Humbert's government would appreciate the advantages of such a bargain. But would Rome be the best purchase the pope could make with the money? Chicago would take him vastly cheaper and give him port privileges on Lake Michigan, but she could not engage to make him monarch of an American township at any price. But there is Constantinople, an excellent city, where popes have lived before, full of ready-made churches built by Christians and nearly ripe now for reconsecration. Constantinople seems liable to come into the market any day. If the pope could buy it of the sultan that would be a deal worth subscribing to and worth turning a page of history to record.

SCIENTIFIC REASON GIVEN.

Why the Eyes of a Painted Portrait Follow the Observer.

Wollaston's curious discovery was that by adding to each pair of eyes a nose directed to the right or the left, the eyes lose their front direction, and look to the right or left, according to the direction of the nose. By means of a flap representing the lower features in a different position, as Dr. Wollaston remarks, "a lost look of devout abstraction in an uplifted countenance of inquisitive archness in the leer of a younger face turned downward and obliquely toward the opposite side."

As by changing the direction of the lower features we change the direction of the eyes, says Notes and Queries, so by changing our position, the eye of the portrait apparently follows us. If a vertical line be drawn through the tip of the nose and half way between the eyes, there will be the same breadth of head, of cheek, of chin and of neck on each side of this middle line, and each iris will be in the middle of the whole eye. If we now move to one side, the apparent horizontal breadth of every part of the head and face will be diminished, but the parts on each side of the middle line will be diminished equally, and at any position, however oblique, there will be the same breadth of face on each side of the middle line, and the iris will be in the center of the whole of the eyeball, so that, being on a flat surface, the iris will be seen in front of the picture or obliquely.

CHICAGO HORSES AT LUNCHEON

Man's Faithful Servants Emulate Him in Taking a Hurried Meal Downtown.

Even the horses of this city take luncheon downtown. Every business man knows what this means, the hurried bite taken in the short hour about noon every day, when business is abandoned long enough to permit the destruction of a piece of pie or a sandwich. Everybody does it, so it is as fair for one as the other, says the Chicago Chronicle.

This same haste applies to the nag which pulls the cab or the heavy draft horses used as freighters. At the noon hour on any of the downtown streets the observant person can see these faithful beasts with nosebags depending from their heads quietly munching their oats or corn with every evidence of satisfaction.

It makes no difference to the horses that the passing throng sees them in the act of taking food. They are as callous on this subject as their masters, many of whom can be seen sitting on the wagon or adjacent sidewalk with tinpail open, eagerly destroying the luncheon which the wife packed in the morning. It is all in a lifetime, and the Chicago horse has learned that he must eat when he can, and not be too particular about it. Hence he lays his ears back and munches away with placid joy.

Queen's Domestic Correspondence.

One pleasing feature of the queen's busy life is the keeping up with her own hand of a correspondence with all her children and grandchildren, besides many other relatives and dear friends, such as, in the latter case, ex-Empress Eugenie. This correspondence is particularly large when she is, as at present, in retirement in her Highland home. Perhaps the most interesting letter her majesty ever penned was that written to the prince of Wales many years ago announcing his emancipation from parental authority and control, when, after warning him against flatterers, she stated that she would never intrude any advice upon him, although she would ever be ready to give it whenever he should think fit to seek it.

The international geographical congress in London a year ago declared that the greatest piece of geographical exploration remaining to be undertaken is that of the antarctic regions. Since then a number of small expeditions toward the south pole have been planned, but little has yet been accomplished, and Dr. Mill reminds English readers in Nature that, although 55 years have elapsed since Capt. Ross discovered the two giant volcanoes which he named Mounts Erebus and Terror, they have never again been seen, and no important additional facts have been learned about that mysterious part of the globe.

COUNTING OF THE VOTES.

In Recent Elections There Has Been Little Fraud in New York.

The counting of votes has been in the past more fruitful of trickery and falsification than any other part of the election process. In 1893 the canvassers in certain districts reduced the matter to its lowest terms by simply reporting a unanimous vote on their side, and then going out to fling up their hats for the rest of the night. In the subsequent election competent and irreproachable men supervised the canvass so strictly that the percentage of fraud was so small, if any existed, as never to be heard of. This watching, says a writer in Century, at the count not only prevented intentional lying, but saved accidental mistakes. In one case the board of inspectors confessed they did not know how to count the votes, and submitted entirely to the guidance of a well-informed watcher.

The counting is done in public, and is often an interesting sight. Every organization and each candidate may send a representative to observe it, though nobody but the inspectors is permitted to touch the ballots. The straight tickets are first counted in tens by four men in succession, and a tally is kept by at least two assistants. Each name is credited with as many votes as there are tickets for his side. Then one inspector reads off of those tickets which are "split," or have pasters attached, or upon which names have been erased or new names written, and each candidate is credited with a vote every time his name appears. When this is finished the most prominent office is taken up, and the sum of the votes for each candidate is ascertained.

HE VOWED VENGEANCE.

And Got It with a Will—Lord Reginald's Path.

"He struc-c-c-k me!"

The villain strode up and down the stage cycle path and ground his teeth with rage, says the New York World.

"He struc-c-c-c-k Cecil Legree!"

In a very ecstasy of fury the villain stamped his feet and tore his hair.

"He struck Cecil Legree! No man ever did that and lived to tell the tale. And as for the girl—ah, me proud beauty, you shall yet feel the vengeance of a Legree!"

What venom, what hatred there was in the bitter words.

Even the pale moon wobbled in the canvas heavens.

"I have the papers; ha, ha, ha! I'll bide me time, and then, then I'll cross his path again!"

Raising his clenched hand the villain served notice upon high heaven and the property moon that some day he would puncture proud Lord Reginald's tire.

"I'll cross his path again! I'll cross his path again!" he repeated.

A whirr on the air of the stilly night, an ominous grinding upon the theatrical macadam, a pneumatic "biff" like the "biff" of a pile-driver, a bent, battered shape crashing into a pale-green tree trunk with a dull, sickening thud and then silence—silence!

It was even so.

He had crossed Lord Reginald's cycle path again!

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Bad Scare—Many Personals.

as. R. Maybee made a journey to county seat Monday.

larence Zibble disposed of his violin ffie Wednesday evening.

of. Waterman enjoyed a visit from brother, in Hudson, the first of the k.

e Wabash road are putting a foun- on under their water tank at this e.

H. Blakeley and wife were called ginaw Monday by the death of a ew.

L. Russel shipped a car load of , via the C., J. & M., to Solon, O., day.

annual meeting of the Christian h will be held Saturday, Dec. 5, m.

ern Gripton and wife now occupy ome, recently vacated by Dr. P. dy.

e, the barber at the Exelby can fix you up to the queen's Try him.

Howard R. Hause, of Clinton, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. last week.

. Yates, L. L. Wood and Joseph ery made a business trip to To- iday last.

VanNocker and wife, after two at the Exelby House, left Tues- their home in Petersburg.

rn Smith and wife are now oc- their new house south of town. oved the first of the week.

Kishpaugh was busy the first of k unloading and delivering hard coal. He received one car of

Jennie Brown, after a week's ith Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kish- left Monday for her home in

Bernice Underwood was 18 years sday. A company of her friends r a surprise, which was very en-

Misses Laura Clark and Nellie gh, of Clinton, were the guests Kishpaugh and wife Friday of k.

esday the restaurant, building ures, and some lumber belong- Andrew Gogoline was sold at sale.

C. Wood, of Sand Creek, who hased Dr. Hardy's practice, is here this week, and will occupy dy house.

nesday evening a raffle of chick- turkeys and oysters came off at vacant store. It was partici- by a large number.

, J. & M. have had a large force about 25 in number, raising and g three miles of road east of ward Rea. They did a good job.

clean shave and a dandy hair o Zibble's barber shop.

B. Hardy finds it impossible to ay this week and his many rejoice that it is so, for they are part with him and his charm-

Christian church in the morn- C. I. Deyo will preach on the acy of Man." There will be no service on account of the union ice meeting, which will be held formed church.

Smith and D. C. VanNocker a sample of oats at the church as since been discovered that from the same bin. George st, cleaned them nicely; Van is called the tailings and ked out George's display, ning the prize.

iven by the ladies of the church, last week, was a ccess and netted about $75. ntata was very fine, every one part did well, and were as fol- Luella Haynes, Jennie Saxton, Ella Gripton, Bessie Bower- Du Bois Gertrude and Bertha Darius Smith, and Ed Gripton. something entirely new and gave satisfaction.

booths at the church fair dnesday evening and for a ts there was intense excite- n it occurred there were no present and some of the panic stricken, while others t least, maintained their nd proceeded to extinguish hich they did before any e was done. That some of thing did not take fire is Miss Bernice Underwood dly burned about her arms. to leave the hall. Allie down stairs, but fortunate- jured.

Household Necessity.

Candy Cathartic, the most edical discovery of the age, refreshing to the taste, act positively on kidneys, liver cleansing the entire system, cure headache, fever, ha- stipation and biliousness. and try a box of C. C. C. to- 50 cents. Sold and guaran- by all druggists.

uld be represented without

An Editor,

o, Iowa, Mr. Clark Smith, Since the agency of your Syrup was established here a user of what I can call ent medicine.' For a year ave been troubled with con- ndigestion, dyspepsia, etc., that this remedy is just needed." Orr & Temple.

RIDGEWAY.

Kittie Clark was on the sick list last week.

Samuel Helm was under the doctor's care a part of last week.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the fair held at Britton last week.

Charles Riley, who has been living in Mrs. Andrew's house on North street, moved his household effects in with Wm. Gifford, on Mrs. Harrison's farm, where he has engaged to work for a year.

Erwin and Estella Barnes and Jennie Lawton spent Sunday with friends near Adrian.

Marvin Pattison was in Chicago last week prospecting for a situation, but without success.

C. M. Gove is devoting his time and exercising his patience to the comforting of a very painful abscess on his throat.

Mrs. M. D. Stearns and daughter Hazel, of Toledo, accompanied Mrs. A. J. Sutton to Lansing Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Cook.

Eddie Williams, who has been at work in the Clinton woolen mill for the past four years, is stopping with his uncle, Wm. Larkin, having with several others been discharged since election. More fruit of the gold standard system.

The students of the school and members of the Epworth League are making arrangements for a lecture course to be given here this winter. Full particulars as to dates, price and order of entertainments will be given in a few daes.

The annual election of officers of the Hall Memorial Library Association will be held in the library parlors Tuesday afternoon of next week, at one o'clock. A full attendance of the members is desired. By order of the president, T. H. Temple.

We fully endorse the Macon correspondents kick in regard to the Britton "ads" being sandwiched in our write up each week, and several who are taking the Herald have declared their intention to stop taking the Herald if it continues. We believe the editor too wise to impose upon his patrons and will devise some other means by which their advertisements may be read.

Temperance Sunday was observed here. Rev. H. Cansfield delivered a discourse in the morning in a masterly manner, setting forth the evils of the liquor traffic and its grip on the voter and power and influence with the legislators of our government affairs. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. had charge of the evening service and presented a very interesting and instructive program.

MACON.

Charley Day, from Ohio, has been spending a few days with his mother.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at Mrs. Ann Carter's Saturday, Nov. 28. Dinner will be served at 1 o'clock.

Relatives and friends gave Baron Pennington a surprise last Saturday evening about forty were present.

Mrs. Day does not seem to improve very rapidly. It is the wish of her many friends that she may soon recover from her illness.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Reformed church met with Mrs. Calvin Davenport, Mednesday, Nov. 25. A dinner of chicken pie was served at 2 p. m.

There was a very pleasant party at Mr. and Mrs. Granvill Mills' elegant and spacious house in Macon, Wednesday Nov. 18, in honor of Mrs Martha Collins, of Barnegat, N. J., it being her 73 birth day. She has been visiting her friends and relatives in this vicinity since the first of July. We all regret to have her take her departure from our midst. Among those from adjoining towns were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dillingham and daughter and Mrs. Welch, of Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Christian Coller and son, James Hunt and daughter, of Tecumseh; Joseph Collins Amy Bowerman, Mr. and Mrs. Ball and daughter, Libbie Wooster and family, of Raisin; Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Granger, of Summerset Center; Mrs. David Gorden and sons Emerson Collins, Timothy Collins and family, of Saline. The day was spent with vocal and instrumental music and rehearsals of days gone by. There were some present that had not met in 50 years, long time between shakes. It is needless to mention the sumptious dinner we all did justice to. We very reluctantly bade Mrs. Collins also the host and hostess good-by, and felt it was a day well spent and long to be remembered.

CONE.

Michael St. George is quite sick.

Elmer Hodge, of the regular army, is visiting friends here this week.

G. W. Auten was up from Auburndale, O., several days this week.

Mrs. Joseph Cone, of Milan, spent Saturday with Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mattie Rhinehart, of Deerfield, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Horace Logan.

Will McCormick, of Toledo, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Bert Caswell.

Rev. G. W. Kinney will preach here Sunday evening as usual. Topic, "Sunday School Work."

Rev. A. Ross, of Fleming, will preach at Cone church Saturday evening, Nov. 28, also Sunday morning.

The receipts of the box social, at John Dennison's, last Thursday evening, were $6.10. Walter Crittenden drew the quilt, the lucky number being 83. The proceeds go towards purchasing a bell for the Cone schoolhouse.

WHEN bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c.

HOLLOWAY.

Birth—Successful Social—Death—Personals.

Mrs. J. I. Knapp, of Adrian, was in town Saturday.

A bouncing baby girl came to the home of S. T. Stuart the 7th inst.

Maggie Tompson, of Adrian, has been visiting at James Lane's several days.

Mrs. Jane Kelley and daughter, Fannie, were in Detroit from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. August Greenwald visited in Toledo from Thursday until Monday. Her daughter, Hattie Herringdean, returned with her.

The pie social at Maccabee hall, Saturday evening was well attended, although the inclemency of the weather prevented many from being present.

Ida Gobbe died at the home of her parents, about three miles southeast of this place, the 16 inst. Funeral was held at the Lutheran church Thursday.

The Literary society, Friday evening, at the church parlors, was well attended. A fine program will be rendered at the next meeting, two weeks from that date.

LAKE RIDGE.

Frank Gilmore and wife visited their father, E. Bradley, Friday.

Mr. Curry, of Cone, was on the Ridge Wednesday, repairing organs.

There were ten young men present in the Sunday school last Sunday.

Eber Bradley, who is in poor health, is about the same at this writing.

The Sunday school organ has been repaired and is now full of tunes.

Mrs. John Murphy, who has been visiting her son near Tecumseh, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray will start for Florida this week, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. T. Murphy and Mrs. Johnson went to Ypsilanti Wednesday to look after the boys, and report them doing well.

Claude Harmen has put up the new shades in the school house, purchased by the Sunday school fund and they are quite an improvement.

Free Methodist meetings will be in progress this month. The minister will move his family into George Gray's house while he carries on the meetings.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucassus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Shen come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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Mrs. W. R. Maryfield, of Ashton, O., says: "I had a case pin worms presented to me of 30 years' standing. This man has taken three bottles of Lightning Worm Killer, and has passed, he says, over 2 1-2 gallons of worms, and that he will make oath to the same. A score of doctors told him that he could not be cured."

Mr. George Craft, of Annville, Ky., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills have given me great benefit in kidney and liver disease of ten years' standing. They act as reccommended."

Mr. J. K. Moore, of Weston, W. Va., writes: "Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills, used for constipation and piles, have given me great benefit."

Mr. C. C. Garrett, postmaster, Calm, W. Va., writes: "We have been using Lightning Worm Killer for the past six years with perfect satisfaction. It is a sere eradicator of worms, and has greatly benefitted our children."

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 27, 1896.

Commencing with Tuesday, December the first, the TECUMSEH HERALD will issue a semi-weekly for the month of December. It has been the custom heretofore for a number of years, to issue for the month of December, a holiday supplement, but thinking to give the merchants of Tecumseh a better chance to advertise their wares for the holiday season and the good of the subscribers of the HERALD, the paper will be issued in a 4-page form on Tuesday and an 8-page form on Friday throughout the month. In this, as in all other things, it shall be the aim of the HERALD to keep up with the times and furnish to its subscribers and advertisers whatever is in demand.

A number of years ago Senator Cullum, of Illinois, presented to the senate of the United States a bill which authorized the President of the United States to appoint a tariff commission of five members whose duty it should be to arrange the tariff, to adjust it to suit the conditions of labor and production. This bill stipulated that the body should be in every way non-political, the same as the justices of the supreme court of the United States, salary of same for each man was to be $5000 per annum, clerk hire and expenses. This bill was presented and a similar one in the house by a member of that body sometime before his interstate commerce commission bill was passed. For several years the subject died away but since the "tariff tinkering" caused by the McKinley bill and the Wilson bill agitation has started up in various parts of the country that some such measnre as this should become a law. Although there was so much talk against the Wilson tariff law, although there are so many incongruities and useless things expressed in its terms, the manufacturers all over the country, republicans and democrats alike, would rather it would remain the same than to run any risk of prolonged tinkering. Thousands of dollars have been spent in the last two years in new machinery to enable the different lines of industry to compete with foreign produeers and now the manufacturers are fearful that any change in the tariff may again compel them to make new investments in this line. She American manufacturer will adapt himself to circumstances quicker than any other class of men on earth and his constant prayer is "let me alone."

Home Seekers—One Way—Settlers' and Tourist Rates to the South.

The Cincinnatti, Jackson & Mackinaw Ry. will sell Home Seekers' Excur- tickets to points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Florida, twenty-one day limit, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. These tickets will be on sale Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and 15, 1896, Jan. 5 and 19, Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16, April 6 and 20 and May 4 and 18, 1897.

One way Settlers' tickets will also be on sale to the points above mentioned on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, at greatly reduced rates.

Winter Tourist tickets to all southern points, good returning up to May 31, 1897, are on sale at principal ticket offices.

Two trains each day making direct connections at Cincinnati with trains for all points South.

For information as to time of trains, rates, etc., apply at C., J. & M. ticket offices.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
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11-6-5

High School Happenings.

Ira Hanna has left the eighth grade.

Millard Russel has joined the tenth grade.

Eloise Waring visited Miss Hartbeck's room Tuesday.

P. S. McKinnon was a high school visitor Wednesday afternoon.

Grace Simmons is absent this week, confined to her home by a hard cold.

The class in general history has begun the History of the Roman Empire.

The geometry class is occupied in proving the equality of triangles, etc. The aforesaid equality is more easily seen than proved.

Several of the primary grades had Thanksgiving day exercises on Wednesday. The high school also had appropriate exercises in Miss Hartbeck's room. A number of visitors were present. All performed their parts very creditably.

The crown worn on state occasions by William, Emperor of Germany, weighs exactly three pounds.

YARNS.

Picked up Anywhere and Everywhere.

I stopped to see George Adamson Tuesday and was very happily disappointed, he is looking so much better than I anticipated. George has been a very sick man and is now in no proper condition to enter the prize ring; but a few weeks more and he will be again at his place in the store. Everyone will be glad to see him for than George Adamson there is no better man on earth

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Bob Burdette called at the HERALD office the other day and wanted to know why I did not attend his lecture the night before. The reason was simple. In 1881 I assisted to pay $37.50 to hear Bob Burdette lecture one evening. The late S. G. Stacy and myself, thinking to educate the people of Tecumseh up to something funny, secured the services of our friend Bob for one evening for the sum of $60. The advance sale of seats was not great, and about 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the day for which the lecture was set the snow commenced to fly. Bob claims that at half past seven in the evening he could not see over the top of the snow. If I recolect correctly, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Slayton, C. A. Slayton, S. G. and myself took in the lecture. After all we got our money's worth.

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Since election many interesting thingh have come to light in various parts of the country and even Tecumseh can furnish her share of queer stories. It is stated, and on pretty good authority, at least the HERALD could print the names of 27 male inhabitants of this community who have or have had aspirations for the post office. This is quite in contrast to a little story I heard on the street the other day about how our worthy townsman Webb Anderson happened to be postmaster along about 1860. He had hired out to work for Geo. T. Ketchum in the capacity of clerk in the stationery and jewelry business for the wonderful sum of $250 a year. A number of the citizens of Tecumseh, recognizing his clerical ability, appointed themselves a committee to secure for him the post office. After the wires were all laid, the congressman seen and the appointment as good as secured Mr. Anderson was notified that he was to be the next postmaster of Tecumseh. Hetold them that it was impossible forhim to accept the position. He had hired out to Ketchum for a year and proposed to keep his contract. Ketchum heard of it and agreed that if he would stay with him his pay should be raised to $600 a year. Notwithstanding this fact he did recieve the appointment of postmaster, completed his work with Ketchum and did the work of the office for several years.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Mrs. Richard Ford arrived from Duluth Tuesday night and will spend several weeks among her friends here.

The Cabinet Company has just received a large car load of cabinets and will soon be ready to supply their anxious customers.

George N. Stacy went to Flint Wednesday to spend the season of feasting with his father-in-law, Presiding Elder Bigelow. He expected to return tonight.

A family dinner was given by Mrs. Julia Rowland yesterday. Among those present were Gus Rowland and family, of Toledo, B. F. and Charles H. Thompson, of Clinton.

Monday night our streets for a time were dark as midnight in consequence of a broken wire. Were it not for similar accidents the electric lights would not be properly appreciated.

The cabinets came two in a crate so are easily handled and can be closely packed so they cannot be injured in transit.

As soon as the Standard Cabinet Company get official figures from the Secretary of State, the book of guesses will be opened by the committee and the cabinet awarded to the winner.

Died. Wednesday morning, November 25th, of consumption, Mary, eldest daughter of Robert Lowry, aged 19 years. Funeral at the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Although it was generally known that Mary was in poor health, none realized her condition to be so critical, therefore her death was a great shock to her relatives and friends. Bereft of her mother when but a small girl, the care of the house as well as that of the younger children fell upon her. Most faithfully did she perform the duties thus imposed and though her life's work was not of long duration it was well done and she leaves behind memories that will be cherished by loved ones as long as life shall last.

If you want to see some results of push and enterprise, just step into the Cabinet Company's building and you will get some idea of the amount of goods these men are selling. They have a house full of them.

Miss Jennie Lourie, of Battle Creek, was called home by the sudden illness of her little brother, Willie Lowrie, who is now improving apidly.

Cabinets! Cabinets! Cabinets! roomful after roomful are here.

Dr. Sickles, of Detroit was in town today and informs us that he has decided to locate in Tecumseh and will make his arrangements to return at an early date.

IMPROVED TRAIN SERVICE ON THE WABASH.

Taking effect with change of time, Sunday, November 15th, 1896, trains Nos. 6 and 7 between Peru and Montpelier will be restored running daily, except Sunday, making connections at Peru and Montpelier with trains from and to St. Louis and Detroit.

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You can be exactly suited, but the

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TECUMSEH, MICH., NOV. 27, 1896.

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FOR SALE—Cheap at Richart's wagon shop, a new lumber wagon with box and seat or and stock rack or neither; and with narrow tire or both.

TAXES—I will be at the following places to receive taxes for the Township of Raisin during the month of December and up to the 4th of January: Thursdays, at the Lilley State House, Tecumseh; Fridays at Florence's store, Ridgeway; and Saturdays at Waldby & Clay's Bank, Adrian. BERT E. SIMONDS, Township Treasurer.

NOTICE.—I will be in my office in the Village of Tecumseh every Friday during the month of December from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. to receive taxes. GEO. W. MARSDEN, Twp. Treasurer.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Albert Tribou spent Sunday at the old home.

A. Slayton was a Toledo visitor Monday.

Albert Garlinghouse will do no more threshing till December 15th.

Mrs. A. McNeil is entertaining Mrs. Sylvia McNeil, of Newburg.

W. Mills entertained his brother, Roy, of Adrian, yesterday.

W. Warner came home to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

At the Central House they had a fine Thanksgiving dinner yesterday.

Ed McDermid, of Ontario, is the guest of A. P. Coddington's family.

Hiram Westcott and wife are visiting friends in Hillsdale county this week.

Peter McKinnon left yesterday morning for a trip. He returns tomorrow.

James Riley and wife sat down to a family dinner at his father's yesterday.

There was a pleasant family gathering at Mrs. Elsie Rowland's last evening.

Fred Osborn, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of John H. Osborn's family yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Andrus took Thanksgiving dinner at Homer Bickford's, in Raisin.

Lincoln Walker ate Thanksgiving dinner with his sister, Mrs. Frank Coder, of Norvell.

Henry Wilson and family, of Franklin, were guests of Abner Wilson's family yesterday.

Mrs. Fannie Rundell, of Manchester, spent yesterday with her brother, Andrew Wilson.

Mrs. Ellsworth Russel, of Jackson, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyde.

Be sure you see the twins in "Deestrick Skule." They are like two peas, near alike.

Col. Church and family, of Alma, came to take Thanksgiving dinner with P. Bill's family.

D. A. Hodges and family came down from Jackson to eat turkey with G. W. Jackson's family.

Mrs. Alonzo Henry and children, of Toledo, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tilden.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tilden Wednesday morning, a fine boy. Wallace says he is a dandy.

If our people would like to hear some fine music they can do so by going to Clinton tomorrow evening. Gerald Brown, the boy soprano, will delight you.

Judging from the amount of furniture we have been selling since November 1st and what our customers tell us we can give you a larger stock of furniture to select from and much lower prices than any place in the county.
WHEELER & SISSON.

It was a large audience that gathered at Sutton's opera house Tuesday evening to see "The South Before the War." For an entertainment that furnishes no plot or story but only bits of this and that it was the finest of the kind ever presented here. While it was divided into two parts there were so many specialties introduced all the way through that it made one continuous performance, which the people seemed to enjoy and appreciate. Individually the singing was not above the average, but when in quartets or by the entire company it was fine. The dancing was excellent, Ferry, the human frog, simply wonderful and many of the specialties were first class. The cake walk, which concluded the program was gracefully executed by a large number of couples and was really the finest feature of the entertainment. We would suggest to the management that they renew the cake presented to the winners, for this was badly shop worn.

In the Universalist church Sunday, Nov. 29, the topic will be: Morning, "Some things for which we are Thankful." Sunday school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. Thanksgiving concert 7 p. m.

PROGRAM.

Voluntary.
Hymn—Choir and Congregation.
Prayer—Rev. Andrus.
Anthem, "Thanksgiving—Thos. F. (Seward.
Short Essay.
Duet, from Mercadante's "Il Guiramento"—Mr. and Mrs. Andrus.
Ten minute talk—Miss Loana Stacy.
Violin Solo, "Cavatina"—Rev. Andrus.
Chorus, "Praise Ye the Father," Ch. (Gunod.
Reading, "The King's Soliloquy," (from Hamlet, Act IV.—Rev. Andrus.
Anthem by W. Howard Doane.
Offertory Solo, "Peace," by Schubert (—Mrs. Andrus.
Hymn.
Benediction.

Do not forget the collection, it is not often that we take one. Give us a full attendance.

Quarterly meeting at the M. E church Sunday.

Fred Wood spent most of the week in Jackson.

John J. Orr was in Adrian Wednesday on business.

Ernest Welch and wife, spent Sunday with his people, at Clinton.

James Jackson made his daughters at Clinton, a visit over Sunday.

Elmer Halliday called on his brothers just west of Clinton Monday.

John Middlebrook was the guest of friends at Clinton over Sunday.

John Fowler came up from Toledo and spent Sunday with his family.

Little Jehiel Davidson, in the "Deestrick Skule" infant class, is a prodigy.

Wm. Nottingham arrived from Cleveland Friday and is again at the Central House.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pease, of Blissfield visited R. G. Goff and family over Sunday.

John Keyser, of Newburg, has been spending the week with his brother, Horatio.

Special meeting of Tecumseh lodge, F. & A. M. this evening. Work in the third degree.

Mrs. Dawley, of Hillsdale county, has been visiting her relatives, the Keysers, the past week.

Meeting of the Chapter at the Temple next Wednesday evening for work in the Royal Arch.

Llona Hall, Grace Gillespie and Roy Hughes all came home from Ypsilanti for Thanksgiving.

Clyde Prichard returned home Monday from a three weeks' visit with his brother at Jackson.

Mrs. Mary McMillan and nephew, of Deerfield, were guests of Mrs. Huey Friday and Saturday last.

Mrs. Grace McDermott and son, Willie of Clinton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordon, Monday.

Horatio Keyser had a severe chill the last of the week and has been confined to his bed most of the time since.

Miss Sena Hosmer came home from Toledo Saturday, on account of Robe's illness, and remained during this week.

The library just now is in something of a chaotic condition. The books are being renumbered, relabeled and arranged anew.

Charles H. Thompson, of Clinton, was down Tuesday greeting old friends, and made the Herald a pleasant call. Charlie is always welcome.

The Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association are now closing their entire stock in Tecumseh. See their advertisement in this issue.

Geo. W Knapp and El Gray reached home Wednesday afternoon from their hunting expedition They report a fine time and got a number of deer.

H. H. Driggs and brother of Palmyra, are shipping large quantities of hay from Clinton and here. They expect it will reach fully forty cars.

Mrs. Rufus Keyser, after several weeks passed with relatives in this vicinity, left Monday for Toledo, where she will spend the winter with a sister.

Tommie Kyle, Thedie Harris, Mardie Zimmerman, Johnnie Hicks and little Lester Tribou are just too sweet to live, in pinafores, in "Deestrick Skule."

We were sorry to learn that the drug firm of Baker & Hall were financially embarrassed and had filed chattel mortgages to secure creditors. We trust it may be only temporary.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Aten entertained the following relatives the first of the week: Mrs. John Beneway, of Groveland, N. Y., Mrs. Libbie Saunders, from Nebraska, and Mrs. Jacob Maxwell, of Onsted.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Union telegraph line Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Mark Mills', in Macon. The annual meetmeeting occurs a week later at the same hour at Grange hall, Macon.

Do not wait until you have taken cold but call at once at Harris & Hiteshu's and secure the proper warmth needed with some of their underwear. The prices quoted will be a wonder to you and the variety of styles is very complete.

Among those from Clinton, who came down Tuesday evening to see "The South Before the War," we noticed L. J. Leek, H. W. Saxton, Clarence Mills, Will Kimball, Steve Huntington, Ott Gillen, Will Waterhouse, and Ro Woodward.

Don't fail to visit our store when in town and see what a quantity of furniture a small amount of money will buy.
WHEELER & SISSON.

A certain Detroit firm had an execution against a Brittonite, which was placed in the hands of the sheriff of Lenawee county, who, through instruction from an attorney for the Detroit parties, who lives in Tecumseh, levied on a building and contents, lumber, etc. in Britton. The building contained soft drinks, a billiard table and a pack of cards. On the day of sale another attorney appeared on the scene, from Adrian. The two attorneys and sheriff from Adrian, entered the building above mentioned to inspect the contents, when it was suggested by the sheriff that the trio play a game of pedro, which they agreed to do. The parties sat down and played a game, when the sheriff proposed they quit. On going to the door they found it closed, and then the officer and two lawyers were in it. The sheriff could not get out and threatened to knock in doors, etc., when the Adrian lawyer said, "I have friends on the outside and think I can give them the tip and we can get out." It was done, and the three walked out. As a matter of fact the door was not locked, but on account of the damp weather was swollen. When they emerged from their imprisonment it caused a great deal of merriment on account of the situation.

Mrs. R. C. VanAntwerp, who has been visiting her many friends here, left for Chicago today.

Frank Page is receiving each week something new in the line of furniture and will soon have quite a stock.

Earl Slayton arrived home from Fitzgerald, Georgia, Wednesday noon. It seems good to see Earl around again.

Little Florence Rosecrans, assisted by a company of young friends, celebrated her ninth birthday last evening.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church Rev. J. P. Varner will continue the discussion of "Crime and its Causes."

The Standard Cabinet Company are now delivering their kitchen cabinets, having received a car load the first of the week.

We learn that the dancing party at Clinton Wednesday evening was an elegant affair and the supper furnished by M. F. McClure was very choice. Thirty-four couple participated.

Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker, nee Louise Van De Mark, late of Atchinson, Kansas, arrived in Clinton Tuesday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van De Mark.

Landlord Patterson had at the Lilley House, as has been his custom, an elegant Thanksgiving dinner. His menu cards were very pretty. Quite a number of our citizens took dinner there.

Undertaker Harry Tansley had charge of the funeral of Philip Pentecost's infant Saturday, between here and Tipton, also that of Edward Brooks' young child, three miles northwest of Tipton Monday.

We understand that the Standard Cabinet Company have been doing a rushing business the past two weeks selling county rights for their kitchen cabinets, the purchasers being men in Raisin, Franklin, Clinton and Tecumseh.

The meeting of the Farmers' Club at John Gillespie's last Thursday evening, November 19th, was well attended. The first meeting opening so favorably is a good indication that the season's meetings will be both profitable and pleasant. The next meeting will be held at J. K. Waldron's

The annual election of officers of Council 634 Royal Arcanum, will be held at the next regular meeting, December 7th. The constitution reads, that "all members to vote or hold office must be in good standing." A large attendance is desired as there will also be two or more initiations.

Teachers desiring points in their profession should see Peter McKinnon's system of instruction as exemplified in the "Deestrick Skule."

It was quite a joke the young men of the Baptist society perpetrated at their social Tuesday evening. The provisions were all to be prepared by them, independent of the ladies, and what do you suppose they were? Coffee, oysters, crackers and Will Stevenson made some doughnuts. It made lots of fun.

H. D. Cutting has bargained for the VanWinkle property just south of town, containing ten acres of land, which he contemplates fitting up for a home. It being so late he will not move until spring. In the mean time he will make the much needed improvements, which, when completed, will make it a beautiful place.

The La Besta band came out on the street yesterday and entertained the people with one of the finest band concerts heard here. Their playing was exceptionally fine and would compare favorably with any of the crack bands of the country. Tecumseh is highly favored in possessing an aggregation of such accomplished musicians.

Our new goods are arriving daily, the latest designs and all the best makes, and you can buy them cheaper than the shoddy furniture. WHEELER & SISSON.

If you want to know just how many ties there are between Lenawee Junction and here ask Rev. B. S. Hudson, he knows, as he walked up yesterday morning, reaching here just in time to preach at the union service. He had been assisting in a series of meetings at Morenci and expected to get the frieght at the Junction, but lo! when he arrived it had gone and the only thing he could do was to walk. Oh, no he didn't have an appetite for dinner.

The long expected and anxiously looked for "Deestrick Skule" will be held at the opera house, Tuesday evening, Dec. 8, and it will be a "corker." More fun than you ever had in the same length of time. Never before was such an aggregation brought together, as comprise this particular school, who under the istruction of that efficient and painstaking pedagogue, Peter McKinnon, have attained great proficiency and they will on this occasion give you the benefit of their superior ability. Come and bring your entire family. You will have sport galore.

Program for the Sacred concert to be given at Clinton Saturday evening, Nov. 28:

PART I.

Thanksgiving Anthem.
Vocal Solo—Gerald Brown.
Vocal Solo—Miss Jaen Hause.
Jubilate—Chorus.
Vocal Solo—Gerald Brown.
Vocal Duet—Miss Jaen Hause, Wirt (Rowland.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Blanche Kimball.

PART II.

(a)
Vocal Solo—Gerald Brown.
(b)
Organ Solo—Dwight Hause.
Vocal Solo—Rev. W. R. Blachford.
Te Deum—Chorus.
Vocal Solo—Gerald Brown.
Jerusalem the Golden—Chorus.

The Choral Union, of Ann Arbor, under the musical direction of Prof. Stanley, is of no small repute. It comprises a chorus of 280 voices with an orchestra of forty pieces, and Gerald Brown has, upon several occasions, been the leading soloist before an audience of 3,000 people in University Hall.

Cabinets for everybody on hand at the cabinet office.

Will Elliott spent Thanksgiving with Tom Owens, at Homer.

Will Orr and wife ate turkey with Norvell friends yesterday.

Roy Church has returned from Chicago and is again at O. P. Bills'.

Albert Conger is papa. A bright little daughter was born to him this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Moore were the guests of Toledo friends over Sunday.

Arthur Hall and wife, of Toledo, spent Thanksgiving with Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. John Freeman visited her sister, Mrs. Rundell, at Manchester, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons are in Middletown, N. Y. They went Wednesday morning.

C. C. Hendershot and family, of Lake Ridge, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rice Hendershot yesterday.

Dr. Ernest Gamble, of Winona, Minn. has joined his family here and will make a visit among old friends.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning, "The Passion of Sin." Evening, "Noah, Foolish or Faithful, which?

Charles Cummins and wife, of Detroit, and James Cummins and wife, of Toledo, took dinner with their sister, Mrs. Hettie Brewer yesterday.

The ministers meeting will be held next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the Baptist church. Rev. Stead will read a paper on "The Second Coming of Christ."

Mrs. M. Stacy and Loana, Miss Walker, Mrs. H. Stout, Charles Hopkins, Mrs. Bell and Charles Bell and wife, of Jackson, dined at James Walker's, in Adrian township, yesterday.

Owing to the excitement incident to a general election, the Standard Cabinet Company did not receive their invoice of goods as soon as expected, but you know a good thing will keep and they are in fine condition.

Gerald Brown, of Ann Arbor, the young lad, who will appear for the first time before a Clinton audience on Saturday evening, is a person of great musical ability. He has been the leading soprano singer in St. Andrew's church for several years, and soloist of a surpliced choir, of forty voices, composed of men and boys.

If you want to know how to read and spell and understand arithmetic and geography, you attend the "Deestrick Skule."

Mr. H. H. Carty, formerly manager of the Russell House steam laundry, Detroit, but late of Saginaw, has purchased of Mr. Barkwell the Tecumseh steam laundry and takes possession Monday. Mr. Carty is thoroughly competent and fully equipped for the business and proposes to introduce an entirely new process which gives him great advantage over others in doing fine work. While we regret to lose Mr. Barkwell, who has made many friends here, we welcome his successor whom we are sure will prove a valuable addition to the ranks of our business men.

The great cloak sale of Harris & Hiteshu will continue until every garment is sold. Remember "one-half price" is their motto, and they stick to it.

A treat is in store for music lovers of Lenawee county, Monday November 30th, when Gilmore's famous band of 50 performers, conducted by Victor Herbert appears at the new Croswell opera house, Adrian, in a special popular matinee, at two o'clock. Under Victor Herbert, the famous composer of "Prince Ananias" and "the "Wizard of the Nile," nothing was ever heard in this country like it—not even when old Gilmore's was at its best and it was a wonder even then. The prices for this attraction will be 35, 50 and 75 cents and seats may be reserved by letter to Manager Hardy, at Adrian.

Many capes and cloaks were sold last week at Harris & Hiteshu's at their one-half price sale. Still a large variety remains. Call and see if they cannot fit you.

The meeting called at the council building at eight o'clock tomorrow evening, should interest every citizen of Tecumseh and call out all the public spirited citizens, for an opportunity now presents itself which, if improved, will do more for the town than the most sanguine can imagine. Should the Lima Northern Rail Road be secured, —and everything indicates that it is within our reach,—it will give us railroad facilities that very few towns enjoy. Let there be a large attendance to consider this important matter. All its benefits will be fully set forth by those who thoroughly understand them. Remember tomorrow (Saturday) at 8 p. m.

—Invoicing, fixing up, and getting ready for the last act. Fun begins next week. MILLS BLOCK Tecumseh.

—My china and fancy goods are carefully selected from the largest factories the world and my prices are the lowest. G. H. TANSLEY.

—Watch for some prices in this paper next week, from Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Those new kind of lamp chimneys at Tansley's excel anything on the market.

—Next week begins the final sale and we'll sling 'em, don't you forget it. We stop at no price now to sell.
MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Keep your eye on that sale at Mills Block for the next few weeks.

—See the new lamps from 25c up, at Tansley's.

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If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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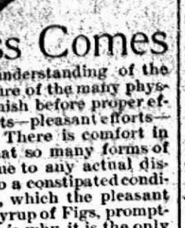

COLD IN HEAD

STATE TEACHERS.

Association to Assemble at Lansing December 28.

Lansing, Nov. 21.—The Michigan School Moderator contains the programme for the forty-sixth annual meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' association to be held in this city December 28, 29 and 30, at Representative hall. This is one of the largest gatherings that meet in the capital city and an unusually large attendance is looked for this year, as some of the most noted speakers on educational topics in the country will be present.

George Lothrop Dead.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 23.—George H. Lothrop, eldest son of George V. N. Lothrop, ex-United States minister to Russia, died at his residence here Saturday morning from a complication of heart and asthmatic troubles. Mr. Lothrop was born in this city in 1850 and graduated at Cornell university in 1870. He turned his attention to patent law and won high eminence in that branch of the legal profession. A widow and two children survive him.

Prince Wants a Divorce.

Paris, France, Nov. 23.—Action for divorce has been commenced by Prince Joseph of Caraman-Chimay, a Belgian nobleman, against his wife the princess of Caraman-Chimay, who was formerly Miss Clara Ward, of Detroit, a very beautiful woman, who inherited a large fortune from her father, and who was a great favorite in Parisian society. It is alleged that the princess was eccentric to the degree of being mentally unbalanced.

In the Interest of Good Roads.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 21.—S. S. Bailey, chairman of the executive committee of the Good Roads league of the Fifth congressional district of Michigan, has, by request, issued a call for a special meeting of the league to be held in the courthouse on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 1 and 2.

Saginaw's New Post Office.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20. — Bids were opened Friday at the treasury department for the erection of the United States post office building at Saginaw, Mich. There were 13 bids, of which that of Charles W. Gindele, of Chicago, at $67,000 was the lowest.

Salt Works Destroyed.

Saginaw, Mich., Nov. 23. — Fire Friday midnight destroyed the salt block, salt sheds, salt well, drill house, ice house, 700 barrels of salt and a portion of the dock located on Crow island, belonging to Tyler & Sons. Loss, $12,000; insurance, $4,000.

Took Poison.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—Samuel Tuke, a clerk in the employ of the Michigan brass and iron works, committed suicide Sunday by taking a dose of carbolic acid. It is believed that the arrest of a young son for highway robbery led the father to end his life.

Iron for Austria.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—F. A. Goodrich & Co. have received an order for 2,000 tons of charcoal pig iron for the car wheel factory of P. H. Griffin at Buda Pesth, Austria. It will make four train loads and is the first order of the kind for a long while.

Brings Suit for Damages.

St. Joseph, Nov. 24.—William Versaw, a merchant and politician of this city, has filed a suit for $10,000 damages against George B. Thayer & Co., basket manufacturers, for false imprisonment upon the charge of embezzlement.

DETROIT FIRM FAILS.

Mabley & Co. Make an Assignment in Favor of Their Creditors—Expect to Resume.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 24.—Mabley & Co., one of the oldest retail mercantile establishments in this city, Monday morning filed three chattel mortgaes covering all of their stock and fixtures to the Union Trust company as trustees for the benefit of the firm's creditors. The mortgage aggregated nearly $370,000.

The Union Trust company has been appointed receiver of the Mabley & Co. and will continue the business subject to the chattel mortgages. The firm may reorganize after the first of the year. The filing of the mortgages was forced by the action of a large eastern creditor who demanded that he be secured in preference to other creditors. No inventory of the assets has yet been taken.

The indebtedness of the firm is a little less than $400,000. Bruce Goodfellow, president of the company, said later that he hoped that the firm would be able to reorganize and continue the business. The failure was largely caused by the inability of Godfrey & Hyde to complete the new building, which the firm was to occupy last May, and the overstocking incident to the intended move.

TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER.

Case of Beveridge and Redpath to Be Called Up.

Menominee, Nov. 21.—Sheriff Corbett and Prosecuting Attorney W. R. Adams, of Ontonagon, and Assistant Attorney-General Henry E. Chase, of Grand Rapids, met in this city to further arrange for the trial of Beveridge and Redpath, which will be called in the circuit court for Gogebic county at Bessemer on December 9, having been taken there from Ontonagon county on a change of venue. The charge on which the prisoners are to be tried is the murder of Mollie Beveridge, on a homestead in Ontonagon county in 1889, and for which John McDonald was convicted and sentenced to the state prison for life, but who was pardoned after serving six years. The details of the case are now complete, with the exception of securing one or two witnesses.

MADE A CONFESSION.

Member of a Band of Alleged Forgers Squeals.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 21.—A special to the Journal from Flint says that Benjamin F. Cooper, alias Willis Herbert Connors, who is in jail there for working forged bank drafts, has made a confession. He says that the gang with which he operated had no connection whatever with the Valentine gang, recently captured in New York. It was composed of W. B. Peters, W. H. ("Kid") Smith, Otto Thomas and himself. Peters, he claims, lithographed the drafts, and Smith, Thomas and himself disposed of them. He claims that the gang cleaned up $1,795 in Indiana and Ohio, $1,455 in Michigan and about $400 in New York state.

Justice Long's Pension Claim.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—Justice Charles D. Long, of the Michigan supreme court, who for two years waged a vigorous contest in the court against the pension bureau to test the rights of veterans, has now made application to the bureau for restoration to his old pension rating and has filed evidence to support his application. This move was an unexpected one, even among those well acquainted with the case, and is taken as an indication that Judge Long will abandon his fight in the courts and will submit to the rule of the office to file evidence to secure his restoration.

Woman Worsts a Robber.

Battle Creek, Nov. 19.—Mrs. E. L. Woods, a milliner, was awakened Wednesday morning by some one walking in the hallway. As she stepped into the hall she was confronted by a burglar. She did not scream or faint. For 15 minutes they struggled, and the burglar got the worst of it. She gripped him by the throat, and, while shutting his wind off, cried for help. At last the burglar broke loose from Mrs. Woods and ran out of the door, but a policeman who had been attracted by the shouts caught him. He was recognized as a professional.

Safe Robbers at Work.

Niles, Nov. 19.—Safe crackers Wednesday night blew open the safe in the ticket office of the Big Four railroad, but got only five cents. This makes the seventh time the Big Four ticket office here has been entered and the fifth time the safe has been blown open. The aggregate sum stolen will not exceed ten dollars. In the past two months, along the line of the Michigan division of the Big Four, five safes have been blown open.

Saves His Sister's Life.

Detroit, Nov. 20.—Bennie Moran is 3½ years old. Recently his mother left him and his little baby sister, two years old, playing in the kitchen while she went on an errand. Wind blew the curtain into the flames of the gasoline stove. Bennie tried to pull down the curtain, but could not reach it, so he ran to his little sister and dragged her out of doors. The kitchen was burned out, and Bennie Moran is the hero of the neighborhood.

Express Messenger Arrested.

Niles, Nov. 24.—Delbert E. Mitten, messenger for the American Express company, was arrested Monday, charged with stealing $2,000 from the company. The crime is alleged to have been committed last Wednesday, when a package containing $2,000 was sent by the Citizens' national bank, of this city, to the Bankers' national bank, of Chicago. About half of the money has been recovered.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 20. — William Knight was brought here Thursday from Three Oaks by Deputy Sheriff Sherwood, charged with counterfeiting. Twenty-nine new half-dollars for which he could not account were found on his person. It is believed here that Knight is a member of a gang of counterfeiters who have been at work along the lake shore.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

Sault Ste. Marie is putting in an electric fire-alarm system.

Diphtheria is scourging all the principal towns of the copper district.

Saginaw people want their city charter amended so as to do away with the police court.

A new steel bridge will be built to connect Menominee with Marinette at a cost of $9,500.

Six deer hunters have been killed in the upper peninsula since the deer-hunting season opened.

The next convention of the national association of agricultural implement manufacturers will be held in Detroit.

The enrollment shows that there are 2,841 students in the University of Michigan. The highest enrollment last year was 3,019.

A girl baby that weighs only a pound and a half was born in a northern Michigan town a few days ago. A tea cup will cover its head.

Lansing's common council has decided to pay John Voisell $2,150 in settlement of a suit for damages caused by a defective sidewalk.

Two Saginaw boys, Datus Legault and George Schuch, have confessed that they set fire to several buildings, involving a loss of $500,000.

The members of the legislature from the upper peninsula will urge the establishment of a state normal school the other side of the strait.

The Pine Creek Gold Mining company has been organized at Iron Mountain to work some of the gold quartz discoveries made there of late.

The Muskegon Lake railroad, the shortest line in the state—a spur less than 80 yards long—is to be absorbed by the Chicago & West Michigan system.

Morgan Cloney stepped into a hole in a pavement which was being repaired at Kalamazoo and was injured. He now asks the city to give him $10,000 to square matters.

Col. O. A. James, of Hillsdale, announces himself as a candidate for the position of pension agent at Detroit to succeed Maj. Levi T. Griffin, when the latter's term expires.

Hannah, a little seven-year-old daughter of Charles Bulley, near Flat Rock, was burned to death Monday. She was filling a stove with kerosene when her dress caught fire.

Gov. Rich has appointed Fred B. Spire, of Bay City, and J. K. Davis, of Concord, representatives from Michigan to the national irrigation congress to be held at Phoenix, Ariz., December 15.

J. D. and Arthur, aged 13 and 7, sons of Albert Colburn, near Morrice, were playing with a shotgun when it was discharged and the elder boy was instantly killed, the shot striking him in the head.

A New Zealand man is said to have made nearly $6,000 out of the recent rise in wheat without any board of trade speculation. He bought about 20,000 bushels at an average of 55 cents and sold it at 85.

The promotion of Col. Frank B. Lyon to the rank of brigadier general of the Michigan national guard leaves John E. Terrell, of Jackson ranking colonel and in direct line for the brigadier-generalship two years hence.

Grover Manchester, of Standish, had the whole top of his head blown off while hunting. The breech pin of his gun blew out penetrating his brain. He lived several hours after his father discovered him, with his brain exposed to view.

Saginaw lumber dealers are beginning to buy again. Sales of a million feet log run, 500,000 feet of inch hemlock, 500,000 feet of box lumber, and 300,000 feet of selected stock are reported. Shingles are also advancing slightly in price.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 21.—The ancient case of the government against the Lake Superior Canal, Railroad & Iron company to determine the rights of homesteaders in the upper peninsula was partially adjusted Thursday here. The company has compromised with 17 of the homesteaders by buying them out, thus clearing title to about 2,400 acres. The amount paid is not announced. There are still 16,000 acres in litigation and negotiations are in prospect for a similar adjustment.

New Stamp Mill.

Houghton, Nov. 21.—The Calumet and Hecla is planning the erection of a new stamp mill at Lake Lindon. It will probably be of the same size and capacity as each of the present mills, which have 11 stamps each, and will require some two years to build and equip, by which time the Red Jacket shaft will have been opened and ready for work on a large scale. The capacity of the present mill is nearly 8,000,000 pounds of refined copper per month when strongly worked.

Big Steel Shafthouse.

Houghton, Nov. 24. — The Union Bridge company's employes completed their contract Monday night in erecting the Red Jacket shaft rockhouse for the Calumet and Hecla Mining company. This is the largest structural steel mining shafthouse in the world, over 2,250,000 pounds of steel being erected on a space of 41 by 80 feet. Over 45,000 rivets were used. It was built in 50 days.

Burned to Death.

Jackson, Nov. 19.—The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Horr was burned to death Tuesday. The child pulled the table cloth from a table and upset the lamp, the burning oil running down the chair in which she was sitting, and burning through the cane seat. Mrs. Horr had stepped out of the house to do some chores, when the accident occurred.

Buried in the Snow.

Michigamme, Nov. 20.—The body of W. W. Ingram, a well-known resident of Chicago, was found in the woods near here Thursday, alongside a deer which he had shot. Both were covered by snow three feet in depth, and had been dead for several days.

A CHILD OF FORTUNE.

Domestic in Grandville, Mich., Informed That She Is an Heiress.

Grandville, Mich., Nov. 23.—Hattie Spafford, a domestic, will work no more. Fifteen years ago her mother died in poverty. Hattie was then a babe three years old, and was sent to the childrens' home in Grand Rapids. Saturday she received word from a lawyer in Helena, Mont., tracing her, stating that her father died in Butte two years ago, leaving all his property to the wife and baby he had forsaken years ago. He was a large shareholder in several rich silver and copper mines, and owned three large ranches. Marcus Daly was made executor of the estate and next Monday the girl will go to Montana. The letter from the lawyer contained a check for $4,000, which is but an insignificant amount compared with what awaits the girl in the far west. It is said the estate amounts to over $1,000,000.

FORCED TO CLOSE.

First National Bank of East Saginaw Unable to Realize on Its Assets.

Saginaw, Mich., Nov. 23V.—The First national bank of East Saginaw is in the hands of National Bank Examiner Caldwell, who took charge of its affairs Saturday morning. The following notice is posted on the doors: "Owing to inability to realize from assets, it is deemed wise to temporarily close this bank. Depositors will be paid in full. It is hoped that arrangements can be made to resume. By order board of directors."

The capital stock is $100,000; E. T. Judd, president; John W. Howry, vice president; Clarence L. Judd, cashier.

The last official statement, October 6, showed a surplus of $60,000; individual deposits subject to check, $88,565.40; demand certificates of deposit, $209,585.04.

CAMPAIGN EXPENSES.

Michigan Candidates Tell What the Election Cost Them.

Lansing, Nov. 24.—As required by law, Chairman Ferry of the republican state committee has filed an affidavit stating that the total election expenditures of the committee amounted to $60,332.29. The "sound money" democratic committee expended $14,598 48. The silver democratic committee $6,675 and the silver committee $1,655; prohibition, $675. Mayor Pingree's campaign for governor cost him $4,356. This was the largest individual expense account. The expenditures of other state and congressional candidates vary from $250 to $2,500.

TO PREVENT BILIOUSNESS.

Americans Should Eat More Green Vegetables and Salads.

Authorities on diet believe that it would be well for most of us who are in health to eat more green vegetables with our meat and starchy foods than we do at present, says the New York Post. Indeed, some go so far as to believe that the absence from our menus of plenty of green vegetables and salads accounts for the biliousness of the American people. The best known of such plants are lettuce, beet-tops, dandelion, kale and spinach, but Mr. Colville, botanist of the United States department of agriculture, finds that there are many other palatable and healthful plants that, though rarely used, might add a pleasant variety to our list of available vegetables. One of these, "winter cress," or Barbarea praecox, which is cultivated from this city southward and is sold in large quantities in the Washington markets, is planted in late summer or early fall and needs very little cultivation. Another plant that belongs to the spinach and beet family, though it is a common weed in fields and gardens in nearly every part of the United States, is "lamb's quarters," or Chenopodium album. It is in many places commonly known either as pigweed or goosefoot, but it is not the true pigweed. The plant has a pale-bluish green color, and is used when six or eight inches high as tender, juicy and pleasant to the taste. The teasing weed, the common garden "pusley," or "purslane," when boiled is also recommended as a most palatable green vegetable and can easily be had. In India, where it originated, the plant has been used for hundreds of years. In Europe it is used both as a pot herb and for salads.

SHE LEARNS ITS VALUE.

Young Girl's Method of Discovering Her Engagement Ring's Price.

Two young girls dressed in stylish tailor-made gowns entered a State street jeweler's shop. They asked to see diamond rings and for a few moments pretended to be very much interested in the gold circlets and their brilliants. All at once one of them fished in her pocketbook and produced a ring set with a most beautiful emerald.

"Could you duplicate a ring like this?" she asked.

"Yes," said the jeweler.

"For how much?" The girl hesitated just the least bit asking that question. The jeweler glanced at a friend, winked and smiled. He told her the price and then the girl asked:

"This is a rather valuable ring, isn't it?"

"Yes, quite valuable."

"Well, I shall see mamma first, and if I decide to have the ring duplicated I will let you know."

"She'll not be back," said the jeweler, after the door had closed. "Happy creature! She really never intended duplicating the ring, but she was mortally anxious to find out how much her fiance had paid for it. For that was her engagement ring, and you know she had to know how much the trinket was really worth. His depth of affection is largely measured by the value of his engagement ring. Now she's happy. Did you notice the beatific expression when I told her my price? Happy youth! They are pretty much all alike."

PATRON SAINT OF BARBERS.

Alexander the Great Started the Fashion of Shaving.

The confessor of Francis II. of France refused him absolution until he had completely removed his beard. An ancient German was by tribal custom not allowed to cut off his flowing beard until he had killed his first man in battle. About the year 200 B. C. the Roman Emperor Scipio Africanus inaugurated the custom of shaving among the Roman nobles. Henry I. of England wore a beard until a courageous preacher leveled his eloquence at him to such good purpose that he submitted to be shaved. From the time of Julius Cæsar until the advent of William the Conqueror the Britons wore mustaches, but the clergy, after the conversion of the islanders, were forced to shave by law. One of the early popes established the shaving of Roman Catholic priests to distinguish them from the patriots of Constantinople. The priests of the Greek church still wear beards. Peter the Great of Russia laid a tax on beards and delinquents were forced to have their faces shaved with a blunt razor or to have the hairs pulled out with tweezers. So everybody shaved. The first shaving was done by order of Alexander the Great, who forced the Greek warriors to cut off their beards, as he found them awkward impediments in the hand-to-hand contests of that time.

A Woman's Appointment.

A pessimistic German says: "If the dear God should announce from one end of the world to another that on the 1st of January, from twelve to one o'clock, He would open the gates of Paradise to all who made application at that time, the women would arrive late, in spite of the importance of the occasion. They would find it impossible to complete a satisfactory toilet before evening."

One Kind of Business That Is Happily and Permanently Suspended.

Where has the jewelry auctioneer gone? Up to three years ago there were at least a dozen places on the South side where a gaudy display of watches, diamonds and revolvers in the windows called attention to a scarcely less loud auctioneer within. He stood on an elevation behind the counter; he had "cappers" both inside and outside the place, and his sonorous tones were ringing all the time. He watched the stream of passers-by on the street and "backed the play" of the cappers. He sold all manner of watches, and he always "got the best of it."

As a rule, says the Chicago Post, these salesmen were excellent auctioneers and knew all the wiles of their craft.

Up to two years ago some of them were still running, but they gradually faded out, and now there is not one, with the trifling exception of a Saturday night fling in West Madison street. They must do a good business, selling quantities of material at an excellent price. But there was an end of all things in their line and the jewelry auction has vanished.

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Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe bilious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

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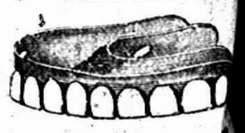

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FARM & GARDEN.

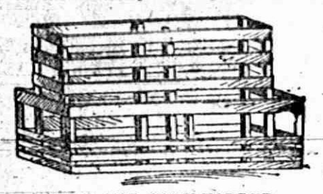
ABOUT CORN FODDER.

Some Valuable Hints About Shredding, Storing and Feeding.

Combined corn huskers and fodder cutters or shredders were used to a limited extent in this section of country some years since, but I think none are used now. Imperfections in material, workmanship, and in principle of construction, as then made, and the expense of operating, will account for their failure to obtain a foothold among the labor-saving machines of our country. All except the last of these objections have been overcome in the latter machines, which are now before the public.

For several years past all the shredding that has been done in this section has been with the common small-grain thresher—mostly with old machines. While they do not do the work quite as well as the special corn machinery now in use, the expense of purchasing the latter is avoided by the use of the thresher.

As a shredder, the thresher, used with all of the cylinder spikes and two



RACK FOR CORN FODDER.

half-rows of concave spikes, is a decided success, doing the work rapidly and well—in fact, much more of a success than as a sheller and cleaner of the grain, which usually is left somewhat broken and not clean enough for market, though in good condition for feeding purposes. If, however, the ground has been wet and is frozen when the threshing is done, causing the earth to adhere to the stalks, a considerable quantity of lumps of frozen earth about the size of corn kernels will be found in the grain. If the corn is dry when threshed (a condition essential to best work and easily secured west of the Missouri), there will be no difficulty in keeping the grain in bin and the stover in large quantities in mow or stack. Our dry autumns are very favorable for this work, which is usually done in November and December. I know that in northern Ohio the corn was never ready to shell and store in bulk before winter set in; therefore, I think the huskers and shredders should be better adapted to that and other sections where the season is comparatively short and the autumn moist. Ear corn can be safely stored in large quantities when so damp that if shelled and piled up it would certainly be lost. As before stated, the fodder must be dry when it is threshed: for damp stover is a great material to develop heat when shredded and stored in large quantities. A little of the natural juice remaining within the stalk is not nearly so bad as outside moisture from rain or dew.

The western plan is to run the shredded stover directly into large racks in the feed yard, where two or three men mow it away, same as they would mow or stack straw from the machine, being careful to keep the center full and well tramped so it will turn water perfectly. A rack 16x32 feet should hold a good-day's threshing, or about 12 acres of ordinary fodder, without making the rack very high. Racks are made by setting posts in the ground and nailing on fencing, beginning four or five feet from the ground and running them as high as necessary. To keep the thing from spreading, the wires are tied together by putting wires across and twisting them together with a stick to tighten them. Around the rack a manger is constructed with fencing boards and posts for the cattle to eat out of.

The sketch herewith will serve to show the principle of constructing; it shows a small rack which is very convenient for feeding straw or hay in the yard, as well as for fodder, when it is made on a larger scale. The lower part of the manger, being the opening for heads of cattle to pass through, should be boarded up tight for feeding fodder. The railing about the opening should be a strong pole or a hardwood 2x4.—George T. Pettit, in Ohio Farmer.

FARM AND STOCK NOTES.

In order to produce superior beef, the best beef herds of cattle must be kept.

If the best health is maintained with sheep they must be kept dry under feet.

Sheep manure contains a large per cent. of the plant food contained in the rations they consume.

Wheat bran can nearly always be fed to young and growing stock during the winter to an advantage.

Keep all young stock growing steadily; feed of all kinds goes further with young stock than with old.

It is not by any means the man who feeds the most that has the fattest and the best conditioned horses.

One of the surest and best ways of securing vigorous, thrifty stock is to select and mate good parents.

When it can be done in arranging the pasturage for the hogs give the brood sows the run of the wood land.

Rather more care is needed to not over-feed when ground feed is given than when whole grain is used.

For growing pigs milk and mill feed made into a slop with a little corn makes one of the very best winter rations.

Gentleness and firmness are two necessary qualities to be employed in the training of both horses and cows on the farm.—Farmers' Review.

SUGAR BEET CULTURE.

Nebraska Farmers Are Making the Crop Pay Fairly Well.

The live question among farmers now is what can be done to make farming pay? If sugar beet growing pays in Nebraska may it not be made profitable in other grain-growing states? It is an interesting question. What, then, are they doing in that state that is taking the lead in this industry? The season is so far advanced that a pretty close estimate of the beet-sugar product may be made, and the output of the great Oxnard factories is expected to reach a total of 15,000,000 pounds from 75,000 tons of beets. This is about twice as large a field as that of 1895, and nearly three times as great as that of 1894. At the same time the number of farmers who have cultivated beets has increased with like rapidity. In 1894 only about 500, and in 1895, 1,300 engaged in the business, but the present year the number reached about 2,000. The average yield has been about 11 tons of beets to the acre, and the price per ton has ranged from four to seven dollars. The latter figure was paid for beets that contained the remarkably high per cent. of 20; the lower price was given for those that graded only 12 per cent. of sugar. The amounts received by the growers ranged from $44 to $77 per acre. The average amount of beets grown by each farmer was only about 37 tons, showing that less than four acres were planted, on the average. But the profit from this small area was from $150 to $200—more, probably, than that derived from all the remainder of the farm.

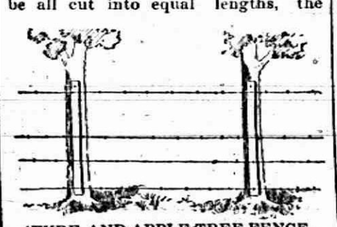
It is an interesting fact that in all the foreign sugar-beet growing countries, including France, Germany and Russia, this industry is steadily increasing. In the last-named country the increase last year was nearly 20 per cent. over the amount grown in previous years. The subject is certainly well worthy of consideration by our farmers.—Indiana Farmer.

AN ECONOMICAL FENCE.

Made of Barbed Wire Bolted to Apple Trees for Posts.

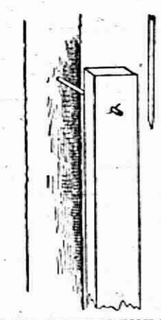
One of the greatest problems of the farmers to-day is how to make the best and cheapest fence. Many devices have been recommended, but the most economical fence, to my mind, is one made of barbed wire stretched to small strips—say two by four inches—bolted to apple trees for posts, as shown in the illustration.

The trees are trimmed up pretty high, and the two by four-inch strips should be all cut into equal lengths, the



WIRE AND APPLE TREE FENCE.

height you desire your fence, and a hole bored near each end, leaving the spaces between them all of equal distances apart. Then make bolts about nine inches in length, sharpened at one end, and with two holes drilled in the other, two inches apart, as shown in illustration. They can be made very cheaply. They are driven into the tree about three inches deep, at their proper distance apart; put a key in the second hole, then slip on your two by four-inch strip, then put in the other key to hold it on, and the post is com-



HOW TO FASTEN THE BOLTS.

plete. The wire is then stapled onto the posts; and by taking pains to have all the trees the same distance apart, the fence, with the two by four-inch posts, can be removed by taking out the keys that hold them on, to any portion of the farm where trees are prepared for them.

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It is a safe rule in estimating the size of a crib to allow two cubic feet to each bushel of corn. By a cubic bushel is meant 70 pounds of ear corn, which is equivalent to 56 pounds of shelled corn. The rule is to allow 14 pounds for cob in the fall, and 12 pounds in the spring after the corn has been dried out perfectly. Two cribs 30 feet long, six feet wide and ten feet high, will by this rule hold 1,800 bushels. Ten feet is too high to throw corn easily with a scoop shovel, but there can be two openings for each crib extending down to within four or five feet of the floor, and when the crib is full to the bottom of these, short boards can be placed across them, as the crib is filled, and most of the filling can be done with ease. When the cribs must be filled to the top, a boy or man can throw corn back to the ends and fill it, so as to utilize all the space.—Rural World.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin J. Wood and Maggie Wood to Abbie M. Fisher, dated May twenty-third, 1887, and recorded on the 25th day of May 1887, in the Registers office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 286, which mortgage was assigned by instrument in writing dated September 25th, 1894, by said Abbie M. Fisher to the undersigned Gertrude Fisher Loree (formerly Gertrude Fisher) and such assignement duly recorded on the 8th day of October 1894, in said Register's office in Liber 136, of mortgages on page 318,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred seventy and 66-100 dollars and no proceedings in law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the 30th day of November 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee state of Michigan and described as follows to wit; Village lot number fourteen (14) of Eber Sherman's addition to said Village of Tecumseh according to the recorded plat of said addition.

Dated September 4th, 1896.

Gertrude Fisher Loree. Assignee of said (mortgage.

Charles Burrige Attorney for assignee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 2nd day of November in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Addison Hardenburg deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alice B. Hardenburg, Administratrix, upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to this statute in such case made and provided that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as this court shall deem proper.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 30th day of November, 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARIGAR, Probate Register.

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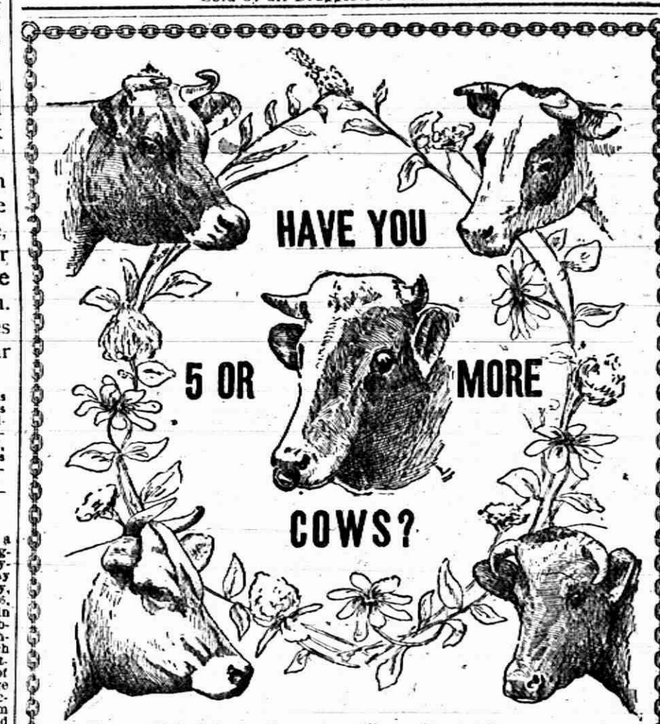

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DOWN THE DANUBE.

In an Open Boat—Sixteenth Letter of this Interesting Voyage.

Heidelberg, Germany.

EDITOR HERALD:—

Hardly had we re-embarked after inspecting the quarters of the Roumanian frontier guardian when we heard shouts from the Bulgarian shore. Of course we could not understand the chorus, but looking in that direction we saw two boat loads of soldiers rowing vigorously and towing a large raft. Their efforts seemed to be directed to getting the raft in mid-stream. Their shouts were for us, and we laughed because they seemed to want us to get out of the way. "I guess we can avoid being run over by two clumsy row boats and a raft," said the valient Don and the laughing Sancho acquiesed. The soldiers evidently despaired of making us understand, and leaving the raft floating on the river rowed hurriedly ashore. Much mistified, we drifted and ate pears until suddenly from a clump of bushes ashore burst a cloud of smoke followed by a deafening roar. A moment after there was rain of shot uncomfortably near us and a shell falling in the water not fifty feet away burst and made a great rift in the water. There was a great splashing and, as the water rushed back, a gurgling, unpleasant sound. We did not wait for a second salute. Our stupidity was all gone. I seized the oars and rowed as if for life. By the time the next shot was fired we were well out of range. That old raft was their target and the soldiers were practicing. They seemed to need the exercise, for during a half hour that we watched them they failed to land a shell within 50 feet of the raft. It was quite thrilling and warlike to hear the booming reverberate among the hills. After this excitement ceased, we had time to note the landscape. Far to the south stood the Balkan mountains, dim and cool in the afternoon sunlight. The river was a mile and a half in breadth. On the steep Bulgarian shore, one might see the herdsman and hear their strange shouts. Late in the afternoon, we landed in a secluded spot on the Roumanian shore intending to camp. We have to land where the guards can't see us, lest they make us go with them to the nearest town to have our passports approved. Well, as my wife stepped on shore she exclaimed, "Heavens? here is the skull of a man." Yes, it was indeed "poor Yorick," and not far from his skull was the remainder of the skeleton. In the dim light it was horrible enough. We did not camp there. We fled to the Bulgarian shore where we camped, and passed a night of restlessness and uncanny dreams. Next day as we approched Lom Palanka, we took a morbid interest in the city graveyard. A great brown hillside is covered with red and blue crosses. The effect is the gayest and most unique cemetery that I ever saw. Sancho thought it was a very sacriligious graveyard. The population of Lom Palanka which is above ground dwells in sickly yellow and blue buildings of the toy house style. About the windows is a blue tracery, peculiar designs painted in blue. Minarets rise gracefully here and there. They look like immense rockets with a swelling half way up. The swelling is the encircling balcony upon which the mollak appears in the early morning and exhorts all good Mohamedans "Awake my brothers, to pray is better than to sleep." Another ornament of these cities is the bell-shaped towers crowned with what resembles a Santa Claus hat. While we were exploring the town, a small beggar boy grew so insistant that he followed us whining and holding out his hand. Suddenly I turned and leveled my kodak at him. With a yell of terror, he staggered back and then fled around a corner. As we were departing, we saw some low caste Turkish women washing clothes at the river's edge, or rather we saw only the tips of their noses and some ugly looking eyes.

Out on the river again, the sun beat down so unmercifully that I could not endure the exercise of rowing. We sat beneath our one umbrella (we lost the other in the rapids at the Iron Gates) and drifted very idly and slowly. I was dreamily looking toward the shore, when my attention was caught by some black objects, very large and bulky, which moved with a writhing motion. A queer feeling of discomfort came over me. "Did you ever hear of rhinoceroses or hippopotamoses in the Danube?" I asked nervously of my wife. She answered in the negative. We were nearly a quarter of a mile from the curious creatures but could distinguish plainly that they had tails and did not have horns. "They can't be crocodiles," I ventured. "No, but let's row that way and find out," said Sancho. I acted on the suggestion and we got rid of the uncanny feelings when one of the beasts went ashore and we discovered that they were cattle. Their forms are very peculiar and they are hornless. Later we saw many of them, being in the water and cooling themselves. The ordinary cattle never accompanied them in their unique baths.

Near evening, we came upon two islands, lying side by side in the river We decided to row between them. After going some distance, darkness gathered about us but a landing was impossible, because on either side the bank rose perpendicularly ten or twelve feet. As we glided along underneath the stars and the moon, we were annoyed by the continual howling of dogs, which seemed omnipresent. Then we got among shoals and sand bars, and would start up great flocks of birds, which had settled there for the night. It was a weird experience. The islands seemed to have no end. My arms grew numb with rowing. At last in the moonlight the end of the island came to view. A strong wind made the row to land very difficult. Our first attempt to land was a failure because the mud was too deep. At the next place we found gravel shore but were assaulted by a furious howling of dogs. Too wearied to go further, we camped in spite of the dogs.

C. H. VAN. Y.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Once more has the Carleton Gazette been carried to the field set apart for deceased newspapers, and carefully laid to rest by moonlight, in a little grave which had been prepared for it. D. J. Niven, who had announced in glaring headlines that he had "come to stay," quietly took his departure a few days ago to return again no more. The paper had thrived recently on pap, but when that nourishment was not continued after election it sickened and died. May it rest in peace. The air in the vicinity of Carleton is fatal to newspaper projects.—Monroe Democrat. It was evidently not a "long felt want."

Seia Fitzgerald had about fifty bushels of corn taken from the field Monday night. The corn had been husked and put in a pile waiting for a convenient time to draw it home. Monday night was a convenient time, but the corn did not "come home."—Morenci Observer. In this section corn is too cheap even to steal. Perhaps it is worth more in Morenci.

A pleasant birthday gathering for Mrs. Margaret Gillen was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. VanDuzer, last Sunday. Mrs. G. is 68 years of age and enjoying good health. There were present of her children, Mr. and Mrs. VanDuser and Mr. and Mrs. John Gillen, of this place, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gillen, of Tecumseh, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gillen, of Clinton.—Morenci Observer.

The new telephone company and exchange in Adrian now appears to be assured. J. B. Brailey, of Wauseon, was in town this morning with the information a construction gang would commence work in the city on Monday. The line is now built as far as Fayette, and connects with Defiance, Toledo and other Ohio cities. The company has already secured 230 subscribers in this city on two years' contracts. A rental of $2 per month is charged for a business house phone, and $1 for a residence phone. The exchange here will be opened by February 1 at the latest. The line will be continued from this city to Detroit.—Adrian Times. It is hoped that this new telephone company may come toward Tecumseh. At such rates many subscribers could be secured here.

There is a little talk of organizing a stock company for the manufacture of the newly invented Lamb wire fence which will be a great addition to Hudson's industries. The patentee is one of Lenawee county's original and successful inventors. The article is highly practical and will be well worth the trouble of establishing it.—Hudson Gazette. The machine for making this fence is now in the Tiffany building Tecumseh and endeavor has been made to start a company here.

Two tramps went to the house of Willard Day, Wednesday evening, and in addition to the usual enquiry for a cold bite, wanted to know about that gentleman's stock of cast-off overcoats, etc. Upon Mr. Day's announcing that he had nothing to offer, the couple went away, only to reappear shortly in the role of thieves, and took from a hook in the woodshed two overcoats. Mr. Day missed them soon after and followed them to their hiding place in a car in the Lake Shore yard, and succeeded in finding the purloined garments in the keeping of the tramps. No arrests.—Hudson Gazette. Good natured people those up at Hudson. The citizen simply asks his old clothes back and thanks the tramps for giving them an airing.

Tipton has been connected with Tecumseh by local telephone line, and will be connected with Pentecost in a short time. They have put in the Gilliland phones and a number of farmers will put them in also.—Adrian Telegram. If this report is true it must be that the old Commercial Telephone Company wires are being used.

If ever a newspaper "petered" out at the little end of the horn, this is the fate of the Hudson Republican. The issue of last week equals the size of two Columbia postage stamps and as there is nothing in the thing it is really hard to discover its usefulness.

"Say, I have got a local for you," said Vene Spaulding the other day, "I have been at work at the farm of W. A. French, and from 1 acre of land on the flats I dug 525 bushels of potatoes; from 2½ acres of land 315 bushels of corn was husked; and from two acres of ground 2,500 bushels of mangel wurzel was got. How is that for crops?"—Dundee Reporter. Either great crops or larger yarns.

SIX CENTS A WEEK.

The election of Mr. McKinley was the occasion of the most rapid and widespread business revival ever known in this country. There is a certainty that good times will prevail and that people will earn money and have money to spend. THE INDEPENDENT, of New York, was foremost in upholding the principles for which Mr. McKinley stands, and rejoices in the better outlook for every man, woman and child in the country.

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NOTES FROM THE UNIVERSITY.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 16, '96.

EDITOR HERALD:—

As the foot-ball season draws to a close, the Michigan men review the work done by their team with a good deal of satisfaction. Although the managers were unable to get a game with Harvard, which they so much desired, or with any of the "big four" Eastern universities, their career in the middle West has been a continual round of victories. Only one team, Minnesota, has scored against them, and in that game some of Michigan's best men were in the hospital and others were unfit to play. However brutal and demoralizing foot-ball may seem to the casual observer, it seems to have won a place in the favor of the student body held by no other atheletic sport. To the student of popular psychology we will leave the question how a sport that in almost every game results in the maiming and disabling of a part of the players, and necessitates the presence of a surgeon and a hospital stretcher, can have gained such a hold in the favor of the cultured and refined classes.

Sunday November 15th a mass meeting of the students was held at University hall to give the University senate the chance to impress upon the students the necessity of giving support to the Students' Christian Association. It seems that the association is not in a flourishing condition; less than one fourth of the students belong to the organization, and it is in a bad way financially. The Salvation Army people have apparently determined that here is a rich field for them, and the song of the street exhorter rings over the campus. The question, to what extent the influence of an institution of learning founded by the people of this commonwealth and paid for with the people's money, should be used in the furtherance of religious teaching, sometimes suggests itself.

The membership of the Students' Oratorical Association is unusually large this year. This organization has given several lectures and readings of much merit so far and many more will follow. An unusual interest in the association has been created by the coming Inter-University oratorical contest which will be held this year in Ann Arbor. Five out of six contests have been won by the University of Michigan and every effort will be made to win this year's contest. The Hon. Chancey Depew explained recently why he delivered a stump speech before the lecture association last October by saying that in a political campaign he could not bring himself to speak on anything like an academic question, besides, he added, the money question is an academic question. Whether calling the other fellow a knave and a fool is a strictly academic way of treating such questions the Hon. Chancey did not say.

The parlors of the "woman's annex" to the gymnasium have been fitted up for work, and regular class work was begun November 10th. The building is very far from finished however. About $7,000 more will be required to complete it. Work will be suspended until the requisite money is in sight.

Under the auspices of the School of Music, the Chicago orchestra, directed by Theodore Thomas, opened the first of a series of musical entertainments to be given here. Ten concerts will be given this year and many of the numbers secured are the most celebrated on this side of the Atlantic. The choral union has been increased to three hundred voices and the coming series promises to be the best ever given.

The senior Law class this year is the smallest in a great many years; it numbers 35 members. Last year's class numbered about 340. The great falling off is due to the change from two to three years in the course required. Henceforth it is probable that the Law school will not turn out quite so many lawyers, but it is hoped that the quality will be improved. C. V. WISNER.

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NATIONAL FINANCES.

Annual Report of the Treasurer of the United States.

Revenues of the Last Fiscal Year—The Bond Sales—Help from the Bankers—Money of the Nation.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The annual report of Daniel N. Morgan, treasurer of the United States, shows the net ordinary revenues of the government during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, to have been $356,979,200 and the expenditures $352,179,446, leaving a deficiency for the year of $25,200,246, or $17,601,977 less than during the preceding fiscal year.

The report shows that during the last fiscal year there was an increase of $7,862,134 in the receipts from customs, an increase of $3,341,192 from internal revenue sources, an increase of $2,479,622 from miscellaneous sources, and a loss of $97,823 from the sale of public lands, making the net increase in the receipts $13,586,125. The decrease in the expenditures amounted to $4,818,352.

Bond Sales.

The report shows the total receipts from the first $50,000,000 loan of 1894 to have been $58,660,917, the second loan of $50,000,000 of 1894 $58,719,710, the loan of $62,315,400 for 1895 $65,128,056, and the $100,000,000 loan of 1896 $111,355,612. From the first loan there was realized $52,850,264 in gold coin and $5,810,420 in gold certificates; from the second loan $53,651,188 in gold coin and $5,068,-410 in gold certificates; from the third loan $63,428,051 in gold coin, and from the fourth loan $109,327,455 in gold coin and $2,028,816 in gold certificates. The total receipts from the several bond sales, therefore, were $294,-164,236.

Referring to the condition of the treasury during the last year, the treasurer says:

"While the cash balance in the treasury has afforded a comfortable working fund, and would have done so without augmentation from loans, the gold reserve has been maintained only at the cost of a fresh issue of bonds and by voluntary contributions of banks and financial institutions. With the exception of a brief period in the autumn of 1895 and another in the spring of 1896, the ruling rates of foreign exchange were such throughout the year as to permit if not require the export of gold.

Draining the Gold Reserve.

"The movement began in volume the first week in August and continued with a short interruption till toward the end of January.

"At first the demands upon the treasury for gold were limited to the wants of exporters, but in December considerable withdrawals began to be made by others, the amount increasing during January and rising in February, when heavy payments were made into the treasury for bonds, to nearly $20,000,000 for the month.

"Under this drain the reserve gradually sank until February 10, 1896, when it stood at $44,563,493. It was then rapidly built up from the proceeds of the sale of bonds and rose to $128,713,709 by March 31. After inconsiderable variations in the reserve during April the export of gold was resumed on May 1, and this movement, together with the continued withdrawals not for export, again put in operation the process of depletion. There was an almost daily decline until July 23, when the official figures for the reserve were $59,059,975.

Help from the Banks.

"At this point the bankers of the principal cities joined together in a movement of relief, the result being that the banks and financial institutions deposited gold in exchange for paper currency and restored the reserve to $110,782,403 by August 4. After the discontinuance of these operations the free gold again declined gradually to $100,957,561, where it stood on September 1.

"In the latter half of August there occurred a favorable turn in foreign exchange, which had the effect, first, of checking the outflow of gold, and later of setting in motion a rapid current in the opposite direction. As some of the imported material was brought for the purpose of supplying the inland demand for currency, and as the preference which later was manifested in the interior for gold had not yet become a factor in the situation, a great part of the early inflow found its way into the treasury in exchange for paper.

"In ordinary times and under ordinary circumstances there is a natural flow of gold toward the treasury, which often is limited only by the capacity of the treasury to carry the specie.

"Fortunate indeed has it been for the treasury that even during the most critical periods through which the country has recently passed these currents of inflow have not been altogether checked, and that where their volume has been materially diminished the loss has been partly made good by the assistance of financial institutions.

"In the 15 months ending with September last the withdrawals of gold from the treasury in redemption of United States notes and treasury notes amounted to the immense sum of $192,972,205, while the net gains of gold from all sources attained a total of $88,138,902."

The public debt outstanding June 30, 1896, is shown to have been $1,769,840,323, and on June 30, 1895, $1,676,120,983.

Money of the Nation.

According to the revised estimates of the department the composition and distribution of the monetary stock on June 30, 1896, was as follows:

	In treasury mints.	In circulation.
Gold coin	$112,559,974	$454,905,004
Gold bullion	22,102,926	
Silver dollars	378,673,137	52,116,504
Fractional silver	15,767,056	60,204,451
Silver bullion	120,833,868	1,032,565
Total metallic	660,077,051	568,258,924
United States notes	122,431,148	224,949,985
Treas'y notes of 1890	34,638,033	85,045,247
National bank notes	10,832,425	215,168,122
Gold certificates	620,070	42,198,119
Silver certificates	11,962,318	330,657,191
Currency certificates	320,000	21,910,000
Total paper	180,803,993	939,209,547
Aggregate	$840,871,040	$1,507,467,831

The total stock transfers is $2,348,338,871, as compared with $2,299,704,683 on June 30, 1895. Since the close of the fiscal year this loss has been fully recovered, chiefly by the importation of gold.

The net proceeds of the national bank notes redeemed during the year were $107,-891,028, the largest amount for any like period in ten years, and, with the exception of three years, the largest since 1879. The expense to the banks of redemption will be $1.12½ per $1,000.

The appendix to the report contains a number of new tables which will be found exceedingly valuable to persons specially interested in the financial affairs of the government.

Died at the Age of 101.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Sarah Annis died Sunday, aged 101 years 5 months and 23 days. She was born in Cowell's Manor, Can., and until eight years ago lived in Peru, N. Y.

Twentieth Anniversary.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 30.—Francis Murphy celebrated yesterday the twentieth anniversary of his temperance work, which he began in this city.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Its Record Shows Efficient Work for Five Years Past.

Lansing, Nov. 28.—The secretary of the state board of health has just published official statistics of the life-saving work of that board, which show that through compliance with the recommendations of the board during the five years, 1890-94, there were probably saved to the people of Michigan about 112,843 cases of sickness and about 5,261 deaths, from the four diseases—diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and measles. At a very low estimate the money value thereby saved the state during these five years is $5,097,800, or over $1,000,000 per year, from these four diseases. If all the dangerous diseases were considered, the saving would undoubtedly be much more.

The state board of health exists for the purpose of guarding the highest interests of every man, woman and child in Michigan; and, if it had the cooperation of all, and its advice was fully complied with, the results of its work would be still more effective. As it is, the money values saved to the people of the state greatly exceed the cost of the public-health work, being, in fact, nearly half as much as the entire amounts required to sustain the state government and all the state institutions. From an unhealthful state, Michigan is fast becoming one of the most healthful.

The basis on which the above estimate is made is as follows: For medical attendance and other necessary expenses in each case of sickness, $20; for each funeral prevented, $40; value of each life saved, $500. Before the late war a slave was worth about $800, for what it would earn over and above its cost of maintenance, and now the courts count an average person's life worth about $5,000—ten times the amount used in this estimate.

WILL SPEND MILLIONS.

Big Water Power Canal at the "Soo" to Be Developed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 28.—At a meeting of the directors of the Lake Superior Power company, held in this city, it was decided to at once develop the Soo's big water power canal. The company is composed of eastern capitalists, who will expend from $3,000,000 to $5,000,000 in the enterprise. The canal plans will be changed, and 25 engineers are now at work in altering them, so that the width will be changed from 250 to 400 feet. President Clergue said that everything would be in shape to award contracts about January 1, 1897. He said that at the start at least 2,500 men would be employed on the construction work alone. The contracts will be let in three sections, each a mile in length and 400 feet wide. The canal is being pumped dry at the upper end, and this work will be completed within two weeks. Dredging at the upper approach has been in operation for a month.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Biennial Report of Quartermaster-General Kidd.

Ionia, Nov. 27.—The biennial report of Quartermaster General Kidd, of the Michigan national guard, covering the period from July 1, 1894, to June 30, 1896, is out. The brigade, the report says, is not suitably equipped for field service on short notice, and recommends the purchase of about $40,000 worth of new accoutrements. As the fund for military support is barely sufficient to pay the running expenses and the annual encampment, the report suggests that the annual encampment be dispensed with for one year, and the money thus saved be used to properly equip the brigade. The expenses of the state military department for the two years were $194,898.30, about $100,000 of which went to defray the expenses of the annual encampment.

WON'T WED UNBELIEVERS.

Rev. B. Ashton, of Union City, Sets a New Example.

Union City, Nov. 26.—Rev. B. Ashton, Baptist, said to be the only preacher in the state who refuses to accept a salary, has refused to marry a couple because they did not profess Christianity. He made the following explanation:

"I am a servant of the Lord, and all my work is done in His name. If parties to a marriage are unbelievers, religious ceremony is a farce. I will not marry unbelievers, neither will I marry people who have been divorced. I would not preach a funeral sermon for an unbeliever if it did not give me an opportunity of preaching the word of God to people who might not otherwise hear it. It is a matter of conscience with me, and so long as my conscience is clear I am willing to lose the fees."

Saginaw, Nov. 26.—The Arenac county bank of Standish, owned by C. L. Judd, cashier of the First national bank of East Saginaw, has closed its doors until all matters are adjusted. All is quiet in banking circles here, and the situation is practically unchanged.

To Protect Creditors.

Big Rapids, Nov. 30.—To protect depositors and other creditors of the Mecosta county savings bank, attachments have been placed on all the property of D. F. Comstock, late president of the bank, by the receiver. The value of the property attached is $75,000.

Aged Lady Killed.

Coloma, Nov. 26.—Mrs. John Wooten, a highly respected lady of this place, was thrown from her carriage Wednesday, and instantly killed. She was a pioneer, her age being 73 years.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

The Annual Report of the Secretary, Daniel S. Lamont.

The Showing with Reference to Increase of Modern Methods of Defense Is Gratifying—Strength of the Army—Some Suggestions.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Secretary Lamont's report of the operations of the war department for 1896 show total expenditures aggregating nearly $52,000,000, and an unexpended balance of nearly $2,000,000 turned back into the treasury at the end of the fiscal year. For the three years of Secretary Lamont's administration the surplus has amounted to more than $5,000,000.

Modern Defenses Strengthened.

The report shows that by July 1, 1897, there will be in position 70 high-power breech-loading guns, and 95 breech-loading mortars of modern design, and by the following July, on completion of work already under way or provided for, 123 guns and 133 mortars. A battery of two or three of these guns takes the place of the ancient fort, and is more effective.

The total amount appropriated for seacoast defenses, including cost of sites, fortifications and armament since the adoption of the present scheme is $36,457,000, of which more than one-third was carried by the act passed at the last session of congress.

The estimates of the department for the next fiscal year aggregate $10,482,263. With this appropriate provision will have been made for 163 high-power gun emplacements, 129 rapid-fire gun emplacements, 300 12-inch mortar emplacements, 358 high-power steel guns, 97 rapid-fire guns, 250 12-inch mortars, 180 eight, ten and twelve-inch gun carriages and 290 12-inch mortar carriages.

Coast Defenses.

Secretary Lamont says his predecessors in office at the head of the war department had, during many years, the difficult task of arousing the public mind to a realization of the national deficiencies in the matter of coast defense. As the interest which has been awakened has grown deeper, successive congresses have made more liberal provision for the accomplishment of the adopted scheme. Therefore, in submitting the estimates for another year, he feels that it is no longer necessary to repeat the arguments that have been reiterated so many times. While earnestly inviting attention to the great work that yet remains to be done, it is also his fortune to have the more grateful duty of exhibiting the important results that have been actually accomplished as well as the splendid progress which is now being made toward early completion of the work.

Work on Rivers and Harbors.

The total expenditures for river and harbor improvements ordered by congress during the year ending June 30, 1896, including those of the Mississippi and Missouri river commissions, was $17,039,000. Including the amounts appropriated by the act of June 3, 1896, there was available for expenditure on river and harbors July 1, $26,020,000. The Mississippi river commission has decided to discontinue the plan to improve the river by bank protection and to adopt the plan of dredging channels in shoal places and maintaining, with state and local cooperation, an effective levee system. With this change of policy the minority believe the function of the commission is ended, and the work should be turned over to the secretary of war.

Great Lake Improvements.

Referring to the great lakes the report says: "The new lock at the falls of the St. Mary's river, though not fully completed, was thrown open to commerce August 3, 1896, is 800 feet in length and 100 in width, with a depth of 21 feet on the miter sills and a single lift approximating 18 feet, is an essential link in the chain of improvements which are to give a ship channel with depth of 20 feet connecting the waters of the great lakes between Chicago, Duluth and Buffalo. This work, now nearly completed, is one of great magnitude, and its importance to the interests of navigation may be judged by the fact that its total cost from its inception to completion, while amounting to several millions, will be but about five per cent. of the value of the commerce passing through the Detroit river during the season of 1895.

Strength of the Army.

The army consists of 25,426 officers and men, or 284 below the legal maximum. The effective field strength on October 31 was 23,382.

Secretary Lamont renews his previous recommendation that the infantry be reorganized on the general idea of three fight and mobile battalions of four companies each to the regiment instead of the cumbersome ten-company formation adopted a century ago, and abandoned by other nations since the development of modern magazine rifles, and he quotes Gens. Sherman, Sheridan and Lieut. Gen. Schofield in support of the necessity of this reorganization of the infantry.

The Militia.

Investigation this year has shown serious deficiencies in the arms and equipment of the state militia branch of the service. When the states furnish the armories and defray all expenses incidental to keeping their forces in training, Secretary Lamont suggests that the United States should provide them with the implements which they will need in active service—arms and field equipment—as the supply on hand is totally inadequate. The secretary recommends that the Springfield rifle, caliber 45, be issued to state troops; that the states be allowed to return to the war department obsolete arms and equipments to be sold and the proceeds credited to the states, and that the states be allowed to purchase from the department supplies at regulation prices.

Entire Family Burned to Death.

Perry, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Luther Greenman, aged 40; his wife, aged 37; and their children, Aimee, aged six; Lottie, aged three, and Arthur, a baby of 11 months, were burned to death at their home near here. The fire was undoubtedly the result of a defective stove pipe.

The President Buys a Home.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 28.—President Cleveland has purchased the old Slidell property in this place, with a view to making it his permanent home. The actual purchase price is not known, but it is generally understood that the price paid is between $45,000 and $60,000.

A Texas Cyclone.

Waco, Tex., Nov. 28.—A cyclone near here devastated a strip one mile wide and eight miles in length. A number of farmhouses were demolished and one person was killed and several others injured.

Said He Was Innocent.

Seale, Ala., Nov. 30.—Jackson Young (colored) was hanged here for murdering his sister. He died protesting his innocence.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 1, 1896.

The failure of Mabley & Company, the large clothing establishment in Detroit, last week, was not unexpected by people who knew anything concerning the affairs of the establishment. Since the death of C. R. Mabley some fifteen years ago, the establishment has been nothing more or less than a gigantic fake. It has been a wonder to people who knew anything of the correct methods of advertising, how the Detroit papers would allow this firm to advertise in their columns lie after lie which were patent even to the most inexperienced eyes. Such a business, such dishonest competition, such advertising of goods at one-half price and then doubling the marks for the effect of the sales, would be ruinous to the commonest enterprise. It is to be hoped that this will be a lesson to Detroit, both to her merchants and newspapers.

The HERALD is pleased to introduce today to its subscribers, a little sister, who is expected to make them a visit the first four Tuesdays in the month of December. She brings notes of gossip and information concerning the people and about their doings in Tecumseh and vicinity and will contain many bright sayings of the merchants in calling attention to their wares for regular winter and holiday trade. It is to be hoped that none of the subscribers will become annoyed at the prospect of getting too much for their money, also that the "little sister" may not detract from the interest of the regular issue which will appear as usual on Fridays. The HERALD management is indebted to the merchants of Tecumseh for their cheerful co-operation in producing a semi-weekly during the month of December, and it is not a boast to say that in no other town in the county could so fine a line of advertisements be procured in so short a space of time. Verily it pays to advertise in the HERALD.

Since election it has been brought to light that down in Virginia they invented a new and novel way of doing up the republicans November 3rd. It seems that in that state there is a law that the names of the candidates for whom a person does not wish to vote must be erased with ink. Two bottles of ink were provided, one nicely doctored with fine mucillage, the other in its normal state. When a republican desired to vote the mucillaged ink was shoved forward to him. When the democrat came the good ink was put forth. Of course when the ballot was folded the mucillage stuck together and by the time the count was made it was so torn apart in opening that it was thrown out as mutilated. Something like 3,000 of these ballots perished in one county. Verily the mind of the Virginian is fertile.

The time of the "noon" train coming from the south on the Lake Shore has deen changed so that it reaches Tecumseh at 9:09 in the morning. This change has been made following the petition of Jackson merchants who are in hopes to catch the trade from the villages on the line of the branch, and no doubt more promptly considered by the Lake Shore officials since the C. J. & M. put on trains to Jackson. With the exception of making trips to Adrain to attend to probate and other court business, it is likely that this train will answer our purpose as well as if it came about noon as heretofore, but for many many years the train on the Lake Shore has arrived at Tecumseh sometime near the noon hour. Yesterday, the first day of the change, it was indeed comical to see men hasten to the postoffice shortly after one, and about one-half of the male population of the village didn't know enough to go to dinner, the other half being inclined not to know enough to come back. All should be thankful that the time of the night train has not been disturbed.

RIDGEWAY.

(Delayed Letter)

Over a hundred neighbors and friends made Rev. James Wright a surprise Tuesday night and spent a very pleasant evening. Rev. Cansfield, in behalf of the congregation of the church, presented Mr. Wright with a beautiful gold watch as a token of their esteem and appreciation of his willing service rendered in the past. After an hour of social conversation, refreshments were served and all departed for their homes, leaving their best wishes with Elder Wright and his family.

Superintendent J. B. Flanders, of the C. J. & M., was in the village Wednesday looking up the location of a saw mill on the railroad grounds. Such an [illegible]

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

C. E. Williamson, the Tecumseh hustler, shipped eight car loads of poultry to the eastern market for the Thanksgiving trade.—Adrian Times. Yes, and many car loads go each week.

The work of changing the motor line of railway between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti to an electric line is completed and the cars will be running regularly in a few days. Trial trips have been made in 22 minutes.

No bidders appearing today, the sale of the electric street railway was adjourned until [illegible] P. Priddy, attorney for divers creditors, states he will petition the court to suspend the operation of the road. If he finds that it is running at a loss.—Adrian Times.

The plant of the Hudson Republican has been purchased by Walter W. Stephens and G. F. Parish, of Fostoria, O., who will convert it into a free silver paper, to be called the Hudson Vibrator. W. W. Coad will be the local editor. The first issue will come out next Wednesday.—Adrian Times.

An unhatched nest of spurious coined dollars was recently brought to light from under the stoop of the Canandaigua hotel. Who stooped to this [illegible] not known, but the dollars [illegible] to 1, and there was no seignio[illegible] government, but their would [illegible] in the penitentiary for the "director of the mint," were he within the claw of the law.—Adrian Press.

Bill Manning, of Petersburg, last week clubbed 50 frogs into insensibility, and supposed he had killed them. He put them in a pail which he placed in his wagon. Returning later, he was jumped upon from every part of the wagon box, by the revived frogs, and obliged to fight for his life. He saved a few, and most of them escaped to the ditch.—Petersburg Sun.

F. E. Whitney paid an election bet Monday by giving Dud Macham a sulky ride up and down the public square. The sulky was decorated with a flag on which was McKinley's picture. Dud carried a large flag and heralded the event with a tin trumpet. The cold weather seemed to make the free-silver steed quite lively.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Some weeks ago the sum of $60 cash was stolen from David Brand, of Hudson, and in sadness the grieved David sought the thief and the recovery of his money, but without success. Returning to his home from Addison, a few days ago, a small bag lay on his doorstep, and in it the sum stolen and $3 in addition, which a note in the bag explained, was for interest. Brand's delight was such that he kicked his hat off his own head and would have hugged the thief, if he could have got at him.—Adrian Press.

M. D. Case is making an experiment of transplanting a full-grown maple tree on his premises. The tree stood so near another that neither was doing well, so he has taken it up by the roots with a large quantity of earth and has replanted it about 20 feet east of its original position. This is successfully done by experts in cities but in towns of this size it is seldom seen. We hope it will be a success for Mark takes pride in his shade trees and in keeping his premises in slick order.—Manchester Enterprise.

We doubt if the law compelling candidates to file a statement of expenditures, is a valid or constitutional enactment. We do not believe any legislature can pass a legal act that can inquire into one's private business. Possibly a candidate might be required to file a statement that he had not expended money contrary to law, but even this would antagonize the theory that a man is presumed to be innocent until proof of guilt establishes a contrary standing. These statements serve no good purpose, and it seems there is no limit to the amount a candidate can expend. We believe the law would not stand a legal fight.—Adrian Press.

One day last week a fellow obtained a horse and buggy at W. Drewyour's livery, with which to go to Oakville, saying that he would return the next day. Not returning, an investigation began. "Young Bill" Drewyour and "Reddy" Bert Thorp became detective sleuths and started out scouring the country in search of a clue which would lead to the whereabouts of the missing property and the capture of the culprit. Going to Deerfield they were rewarded by finding the property and the culprit at the hotel barn. The horse bore evidence of hard usage, and was under treatment from a local veterinary. The "young Pinkertons" took possession of the culprit, who gave his name as Vern. Henderhott, of Tecumseh, and brought him to Dunce and deposited him in the office of Justice Owen. Vern. could not give any excuse for his wrong doing was given a 60 days' sentence in county jail.—Dundee Reporter.

If a man has several thousand dollars invested in a plant that requires three or four thousand dollars a year to run, he will no matter how competent his superintendent may be, often visit the place in which his capital is invested. The school house represents an outlay of several thousand dollars, to which must be added an annual cost of four thousand dollars. Do the patrons of the school take the interest that the cost manda? The highest success asks for a closer interest, an intense co-operation. The school board, patrons, pupils and teachers are the factors in a school. The nearer any one of these approaches zero in its efforts towards the highest attainment, the less potent is the work of the others. Each one has a duty that ought not to be shirked. "United we stand, divided we fall," is true in school interests.—Manchester Enterprise. This is true of every school in Michigan and should be otherwise.

This city bids fair to have an acquisition to her already large bicycle colony. The Hudson, Mich., factory, which is quite young, but doing business on a $75,000 capital, will in all probability have been in the city on two or three different occasions, looking over the ground, and express themselves as being highly pleased with Toledo's prospects and the excellent shipping facilities offered here. They manufacture the celebrated "Hudson" bicycle, and employ a large force of men. While the arrangements have not been completed looking to the removal of the company's business to this point, the writer is reliably informed that the prospects for such a transfer are very favorable.—Toledo Blade. Thus the big fish always swallows the little one. It is a very difficult thing for smaller towns to secure factories and afterward to keep them. The trouble is not concerning shipping facilities but in smaller towns, competent mechanics are [illegible] and keep.

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The undersigned having rented his farm will sell at public auction on the premises, one-half mile west and one-half mile south of the village of Clinton, on Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1895, at 12 o'clock sharp, the following property, to wit:

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The Wabash Railroad has placed in service on day trains Nos 6 and 7, between Chicago and Detroit, a line of Buffet Parlor Cars in which meals and other refreshments are served at any time during the day. Prices are very reasonable, these cars being operated on the a la carte plan.

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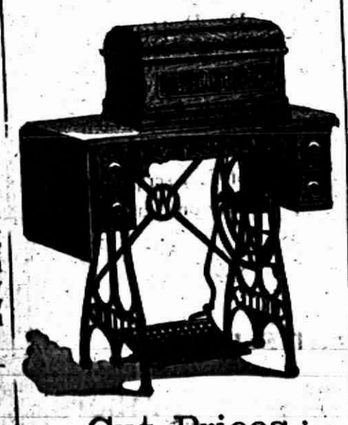

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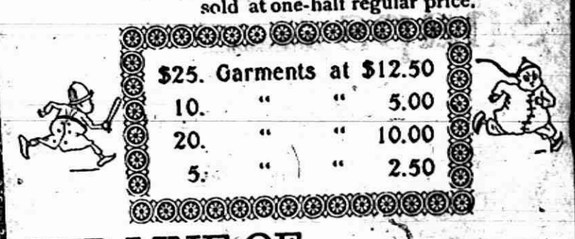

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 3-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

FOR SALE—Cheap at Richart's wagon shop, a new lumber wagon with box and seat or a new and stock rack of beither; and with narrow or wide tire or both.

TAXES—I will be at the following places to receive taxes for the Township of Raisin during the month of December and up to the 6th of January; Thursdays, at the Lilley State Bank, Tecumseh; Fridays at Florence's store, Ridgeway; and Saturdays at Waldby & Clay's store, Bank, Adrian. BERT R. SIMONDS, Treasurer.

NOTICE.—I will be in my office in the Village of Tecumseh every Friday during the month of December from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. to receive taxes. GEO. W. MASHAM, Twp. Treasurer.

FOR SALE—Two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a store or shop building. Enquire at once at HERALD office.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Wait for Guy Brothers' Minstrels the 21st.

J. Williamson was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

See our line of horse blankets from $1 each. SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Mrs. O. Kay and family spent Thanksgiving with his people at Norvell.

The greatest holiday bargain. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Rev. David Lewis, who has been holding meetings at Jonesville, returned home yesterday.

Don't fail to see Joie Crosby in Deestrick Skule next Tuesday evening at the opera house.

Albert Brewer entertained a few gentlemen friends at venison dinner Thursday evening.

People is doing lots of large portrait work but you must leave your orders at once to get them for Christmas.

Bargains in underwear. Splendid values in ladies' and gent's underwear from 25c up. SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Miss Agnes Stevens has taken a position with Karner Bros. and began her official duties yesterday morning.

Frank J. Temple visited Detroit Saturday and no doubt saw His Honor, the mayor and newly elected governor.

Miss Fannie Smith, who went to Detroit to spend Thanksgiving with friends, returned home last evening.

Rev. N. M. Sutton spent Thanksgiving with her daughters, in Detroit, who married Wednesday New York City.

You will find it to your advantage to buy your underwear, gloves, mittens, hosiery, etc., etc., of Harris & Hite.

Miss Ollie Jones returned yesterday from Ottawa Lake where she had been visiting her people during the short vacation.

The great cloak sale of Harris & Shu will continue until every garment is sold. Remember "one-half off" is their motto, and they stick to it.

Tom H. Bramble left this morning for Arkansas where he expects to spend the winter. He goes in the interest of the Page Wire Fence company.

Albert Conklin, commonly known as "Bert" who came over from the university where he is in the medical department, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, returning to Ann Arbor Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold its tea meeting in the church parlors Thursday, Dec. 3. Committee to meet at Mrs. S. Holme's Monday afternoon, Dec. 7.

Remember the railroad meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock city time. The opera house has been secured so there may be room for every citizen. Everyone should be interested.

Mrs. Judith C. Johnson, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. David Lewis, several weeks and the past two Sundays filled the pulpit at the Friends' church, left this afternoon for Short Creek, O., where she resides.

The annual election of officers of Tecumseh 634 Royal Arcanum, will be held at their next regular meeting, December 14th. The constitution reads, that "all officers to vote or hold office must be in good standing." A large attendance is desired as there will also be two or three initiations.

I wonder the Deestrick Skule has created such immense houses wherever it goes. It is too funny for any thing. You miss it.

Mrs. Mary A. Carter, of Macon, widow of Jesse Carter has been granted a pension of twelve dollars per month. Her attorney, C. W. Haynes, of Ypsilanti, secured it for her in less than three months after her husband's death. Mr. Haynes gives all his time to the business and is very successful in securing pensions for widows and increase claims for soldiers. His address is 115 Bell street, Ypsilanti, Mich.

Miss Margaret Dawley, of Hillsdale county, who has been visiting her relatives in this vicinity for some time, including at her grandson's, Charles Dawley's, while spending Thanksgiving, had the misfortune to fall and break her hip. Dr. Catlin was called and she was made as comfortable as circumstances would permit. It certainly for her was most unfortunate.

At the Deestrick Skule Tuesday night there is something like as interesting as the Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co's, you will laugh and grow fat.

The new firm consisting of Wm. DeWitt, Robert A. and David Boyd have purchased the Tecumseh celery plant and intend to make it for all there is in it, they to take possession January 1st. Each member of the firm is experienced in the growing and market gardening business which will be carried on extensively and we are confident that they will make this plant a grand success.

Guy Brothers' Minstrels the 21st.

F. J. Temple made a trip to Adrian yesterday.

Roy DeWolf spent a few days at home the past week.

Now is the time. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Fred Osborn returned to his school duties at Ann Arbor yesterday.

George Tiffany, Sr. has been quite ill but is now reported much better.

Miss Adah Cullen, of Saline, spent Thanksgiving with her people here.

Railroad meeting at the opera house Thursday evening. Everybody attend.

Mrs. Harry Richter returned home from her visit with Ohio friends Saturday.

Miss Ross, of Addison, is making her cousin, Miss Etta Thorpe, a pleasant visit.

M. L. Hoagland and Arthur Curtiss, of Britton, were calling on friends Friday.

Old Bill Jibb, senator-elect of Maybee, Monroe county, was in town yesterday.

Charles Moody is visiting his mother, Mrs. Betty Moody. He came Wednesday last.

Ezra Burlingame has purchased a fine young Jersey cow of W. D. VanTuyle, of Clinton.

Valorous Woodward left Saturday for Detroit where he will remain for a time with his son Put.

The young girls in Deestrick Skule are too sweet to live. You will say so when you see them.

Mrs. Egbert Anderson lies in a very critical condition and her death may occur at any moment.

Little Florence Keyser is assisting her Aunt Mary in taking care of "Uncle 'Ratio," as she terms it.

Prof. L. M. Kellogg attended a session of the schoolmasters' club, at Ann Arbor, the last of the week.

Guy Brothers' Minstrels are one of the best companies on the road. At Sutton's opera house Dec. 21st.

Dr. and Mrs. George Howell and Mrs. Remington spent Thanksgiving at Peter J. Knight's, in Bridgewater.

Arnold Graves, of Cambridge, and sister, Mrs Gilmore, who formerly lived here, were calling on friends Monday.

James Morrison, while near Britton Sunday, in some way fell off a wagon injuring his left knee quite seriously.

George Quine, of Auburndale, O., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson, of the Lilley House, over Sunday.

Will Haslett, late of Oscoda, arrived here Saturday and has taken a position with his brother John, the merchant tailor.

Mrs. Huntington, of Clinton, accompanied by her sister and husband who are visiting her from Vermont, were in town yesterday.

Yes, we must get that picture framed for Christmas and Teeple has so many styles of moulding and so cheap too, that is the place to get it.

No wonder every one is so interested in the Deestrick Skule which comes off next Tuesday evening at Sutton's opera house. It will be very funny.

For sale, two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a large store or shop building. Inquire at once at the HERALD office.

George Chandler, of Saline, and Misses Eva Shimman and Abbie Chandler, of Clinton, were the guests of C. F. Field and family Thanksgiving day.

Two photos 25 cents. Miss DALY.

Robe Hosmer, under Dr. Tefft's skillful treatment, is making a speedy recovery and, to the surprise of every one, was out on the street for the first Sunday.

Mrs. Alonzo Henry and children, who have been spending a few days with her people, Joseph Tilden and family, returned to their home in Toledo yesterday.

Miss Ione Lampson, of Adrian, is now connected with the Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association. She is taking her meals at the Central House and rooms at the Patterson.

Sure, you are going to get your photos at Teeple's for Christmas.

Ben C. Ellis has made a change in his business relations and January 1st, 1897 joins the ranks of commercial travelers. He will go on the road for the popular wholesale firm of L. S. Baumgardner & Co., of Toledo, Ohio. He entered the house yesterday morning and will, during the month of December, thoroughly acquaint himself with the store and stock thereby equipping himself for his new position. Ben's friends rejoice at his advancement and feel confident he will prove a valuable man for the firm.

The Tecumseh Electric Light Company served notice on Company C and the Knights of Pythias lodge that on December 1st no more electricity would be furnished for their use, stating as a reason for this cutting off of the current that more money could be earned for the company by renting to consumers who would use the current a greater number of days in the week. After taking legal advice Company C concluded that the Tecumseh Electric Light Company, being a corporation enjoying the privilege of franchise in this village, was, in a sense, a "common carrier," otherwise under obligation to furnish electricity to any and all persons in the village of Tecumseh who desire to pay the legal rate stated in the ordinance giving the company the franchise. Company C accordingly petitioned Judge Lane for a temporary injunction restraining the Tecumseh Electric Company from cutting the electric wires and from refusing to furnish electricity. The injunction was granted and the hearing set for December 7. The decision is awaited with anxiety by many people using the electric current in our village.

J. Lon O'Mealy, of Adrian, is smiling on Tecumseh friends today.

Mrs. C. A. Wright entertained her friend Miss Ella Irish, of Adrian, Friday and Saturday last.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one-quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSON.

The Eastern Bankrupt Purchasing Association are busy perfecting a cut down price list to be printed in Friday's TECUMSEH HERALD. Watch for it.

Vern Heesen and Loviza Schreder were Adrian visitors recently and we are informed they called at the county clerk's office.

The law suit between Zimmerman and Spaulding Saturday, held before 'Squire Frasier, resulted in the verdict "no cause for action."

Our Stock of Holiday Goods are about all in and we can give you the best stock in the County to select from and prices the lowest. WHEELER & SISSON.

After drill at the armory tonight, the young gentlemen will hold a meeting to arrange for the Christmas party. A full attendance is desired.

Charles Burridge, Sr. has been quite ill for several weeks past being unable to get to his office but few times. It is now hoped that he is getting better and will soon be able to attend to his business as es once more.

Clyde Heck and John Gaston made Toledo friends supremely happy by their presence Thanksgiving day. The boys, by the way the food vanished, demonstrated conclusively that there was nothing ethereal about them.

Owing to the absence of Mr. Henry Conklin Sunday, the choir at the Presbyterian church was led by Stoughton Strong and consisted of the following: Mesdames L. I. Bidwell, J. J. Orr, L. M. Kellogg, Mr. Strong and Will Elliott.

Ransom Bates, an old veteran, who has made his home with Geo. W. Bly for a long time, died yesterday morning of heart failure. The time of the funeral has not been announced as they are waiting to hear from a brother living in Nebraska whom they notified.

Christmas will soon be here and you will want to give some kind of a present. There is nothing more acceptable than a pretty chair. We have them from $1.00 up. WHEELER & SISSON.

Prof. E. A. A. Grange State Veterinary, of Lansing, and J. J. Woodman, of Paw Paw, member of the state live stock sanitary committee, came here yesterday afternoon to examine a case of supposed glanders in a horse owned by George Martin, who resides in Brownville. They found it a clear case, ordered it killed, and left on the night train.

The ladies of St. John's Episcopal church, Clinton, will hold their annual fair at the town hall Thursday afternoon, December 10th. They will have for sale a fine assortment of both fancy and domestic articles suitable for holiday presents. A fine supper will also be served. These fairs have come to be a necessity, and the people not only expect but demand them.

Judge Whelan, who returned to Detroit Friday after passing a couple of days with his father, was summoned again by a change for the worse in his father's condition and reached here Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Whelan arrived last night. Mr. Whelan, though very low and hourly expected to drop away, lingered until 6:30 this morning when he was released from his suffering. The funeral will be held at his late residence Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A suitable ogituary will be given later.

Just received, a car load of Bedroom Suits, bought at a bargain and we will give every one a bargain that wants a suit.

It was a delightful house party dinner given by Mrs. O. P. Bills at five p. m, on Thursday last. There were present Mr. Passmore, Arthur Howell, Roy DeWolf and Miss Helen Church, of Detroit; Colonel Church and Clarence, of Alma; Mrs. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson and the Misses Mae and Winifred DeWolf. As an entertainer, Mrs. Bills is most charming and her executions on the piano most exquisite and finished.

It was a very happy company that surrounded the well spread board at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones last Thursday afternoon. There were present George Smith and family, Britton, Mrs. Fred Teachout and children, Blissfield, J. M. Jones and family, Ellsworth Cairns and wife, Lulu and Lule. It only lacked the presence of Fred Teachout and their daughter, Belle Probart, and family, of Ionia county, to make the family complete, but they were unavoidably detained.

THE LEAP YEAR PARTY.

One of the Prettiest and Most Enjoyable Parties ever Given in Tecumseh.

"But though I had loved you well I [woo'd you not
And yet, good faith, I wished myself [a man
Or that we women had men's privelege [of speaking first."

But on this happy occasion the ladies had men's privelege of speaking first and they improved it, first, last and all the time.

It was Friday evening last that Tecumseh ladies escorted their partners to the armory to the second leap year party of the season. As if to daunt them in their undertaking, the king of storm set up his meanest temper and threw down hail and sleet and rain, but the old chap was evidently unacquainted with the dispositions of Tecumseh's daughters for at nine o'clock sharp 40 girls with 41 beaux started the merry dance.

The armory was a surprise to every one. Lace curtains hid the bare inside blinds, tasteful Japanese fans, banners and parasols festooned the ceilings, while the old square corners were transformed into bowers of comfort, with easy chairs, sofas, screens and draperies. The green and fragrance of potted plants made one think of southern climes, and all this crowned with the delightful attentions of the ladies secured an evening of enjoyment for the men which will long be remembered as a pinnacle for comparison.

The arrangements from first to last were perfect, music good, floor nicely managed, lunch fine and beautifully served, the novelty of each lady serving her partner being an especially pleasing feature, all this supplemented by the grace of the ladies in charming costume produced Tecumseh's most enjoyable party.

Every male attendant was so thoroughly pleased that he fully resolved to assist to give the ladies the grandest return party men would be able to produce.

The home participants were aided in making merry by the following guests: Miss Helen Church, of Detroit; Miss Louie Hatch, of Detroit; Miss Gertrude Haynes, of Dundee; Miss Edna Stafford, of Blissfield; Mr. and Mrs. Hodges, of Jackson; Arthur Howell, Ed Passmore, and Roy DeWolf, of Detroit; Mr. Flag, Mr. Pratt and George Quine, of Toledo.

THE LIMA NORTHERN.

Will It Come To Tecumseh?

This is the question that is agitating the minds of many of the solid business men and manufacturers of Adrian and Tecumseh at the present time. Last Saturday evening an enthusiastic meeting was held at the council building. Mayor Hunt, Seth Bean, H. C. Smith, H. V. C. Hart, Mr. Page and others came over from Adrian and explained that the Lima Northern drsired to build north from Sand Creek, where the line now strikes the Wabash, through Adrian and Tecumseh instead of through Hudson and Morenci as first contemplated and would do so if proper inducement were offered by the two cities.

The meeting Saturday night was presided over by Lucius Lilley and remarks were made by many Tecumseh business men. It seemed to be the desire of all that efforts be put forth to secure the road if possible. A committee of three, P. S. McKinnon, C. A. Slayton and J. F. Hicks, were appointed to appoint a committee of ten to see what subscriptions could be secured. Meeting then adjourned till Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the opera house.

The committee of ten was appointed and notified Monday morning and consists of the best business element of Tecumseh, viz: Lucius Lilley, A. W. Mills, C. E. Williamson, Ben Garlinghouse, A. L. Brewer, C. A. Wright, Henry Smith, R. A. Heesen, A. W. Slayton, John S. Temple.

Adrian is certainly in earnest in this matter and if it proves that the road will be a benefit to Tecumseh our men will raise the required bonus and secure it.

The committee of ten met at the Lilley State Bank this morning at 8 o'clock, organized and decided that each member should constitute a committee of one to find out what is the feeling amongst the citizens and report at a meeting to be held at the opera house Thursday evening at 8 o'clock city time.

Everybody is invited to be present at the Thursday evening meeting. Attorney J. B. Townsend, of Lima, Ohio, representative of the road, will be present and explain fully the situation. Let there be a rousing meeting that every citizen of Tecumseh may know what are the advantages of securing this road.

Beautiful Sea Shells.

Every one admires them. Since coming south I have received numerous inquiries from northern people for sea shells, and now I am prepared to answer yes, I can send you shells, for I have made quite a collection of lovely shells, both from our own coast, the coral reefs and some lovely ones from the West India islands. I will mail a dozen or more different kinds, no two alike, to any one who sends a stamp for postage.

Yours, MRS. F. A. WARNER,
Jacksonville, Fla.

—Notice to Cabinet Purchasers.—

—We take this opportunity to notify our patrons that we have received one car load of our cabinets and will be around delivering them soon. On account of the election our canvass was considerably delayed and our delivery will be made in the month of December instead of November and we trust all will be prepared to receive their Cabinet when it is brought to them. Our orders read "Deliver to me in the month of November, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS CONVENIENT," thereby making the order just as binding for December delivery as for November. The company at Kansas City, Mo., keeps an exact list of all orders taken, and each salesman is held personally accountable for the delivery of every order taken by him and we have ordered a cabinet for every person who has given us an order, and we ask that all customers be prepared when the agents call so as to save us the trouble and expense of an extra trip for settlement. We want every cabinet we deliver to be a standing advertisement for us. Consequently if there should be any defect in any of them we request that it be at once reported to some of our salesmen or to our office in Tecumseh, and it will be made satisfactory, as it is our intention not to put a single defective cabinet into use. Thanking our many customers for their liberal patronage thus far and asking for a continuance of same. We are very truly,

THE STANDARD CABINET CO.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

A MAN WANTS

lots of things he knows he can't get, and occasionally gets things he don't want. But when he want's a

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CAPS, COLLARS, MITTENS,
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This is only a starter. Call and we will tell you a hundred different articles

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Yours for trade,

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SNOW.

Just a few weeks off.

Perhaps you think this is anticipating events a trifle—plunging you headlong into mid-winter snow. Not at all. The calendar is always getting away from us, snow drifts are only a few weeks off, and all the weather prophets are piling up the snow drifts particularly high this year. We can put you

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that is a safe insurance against cold feet.

At Prices that cannot Help But Please You.

Call and see us.

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fine pen and pocket cutlery is absolutely the best produced.

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are warranted to give satisfaction.

We Have the Finest Grades

of scissors and shears and carving knives and forks in great assortment.

In Making Your Purchases

for the Holidays bear in mind that we have quantities of useful and practical articles to select from.

Satterthwaite Bros.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Localities in Michigan.

Ontonagon is being rebuilt slowly. There will be no schools this winter.

Frank Breney, a farmer of Saginaw county, dropped dead of heart disease in Saginaw City.

Hazen S. Morse, for 50 years a resident of St. Clair, died Wednesday evening, aged 85 years.

Arrangements have been completed for running electric cars between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

Henry Wooley, an old and respected resident of Bay City, fell dead of heart trouble, aged 64 years.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Farmers' clubs will be held at Lansing December 8 and 9.

The Bailey store building at Ionia, owned by D. F. Wright, of Detroit, was burned down. Mr. Bailey lost $1,500 in stock.

Mary J. Service, of Jackson county, hanged herself at the Kalamazoo asylum, with a stocking over a bedpost.

The West Bay City Shoe company has failed, filing mortgages to secure $4,000. The manager promises to pay in full.

The Standard Oil company have erected two large oil tanks in Lapeer as a center for distributing oil throughout that section.

Suit for $20,000 has been commenced at Muskegon in the name of Louis Rabidon, aged 41, for injuries received from a C. & W. M. freight train.

Word comes from Millington that a six-foot vein of fine coal was struck while boring for a well at that place. It was reached at a depth of 147 feet.

The Jackson Farmers' Mutual Insurance company during the past year settled 73 losses, half of which were caused by lightning, for the sum of $13,648.

The sawmills at Cheboygan have shut down for the winter. The cut for the season was 88,000,000 feet of lumber, 23,000,000 lath and 20,600,000 shingles.

Thomas Foster, founder of the village of Fostoria, died recently of heart failure, aged 70 years. He was engaged extensively in farming and raising blooded stock.

W. H. Newton, of Pontiac, was awarded first and second prizes for fat sheep at the cattle show in New York city. He exhibited Oxford and Hampshire yearling wethers.

Gov. Rich has appointed George S. Pratt, a resident of Michigan, who is now sojourning in Arizona, as a delegate to the national irrigation congress soon to be held in Phoenix.

John and Marian Bean, of Muskegon, who lived together for 38 years, were divorced by Judge Russell the other day. They had $10,000 worth of property, of which Mrs. Bean gets a third.

Many farmers in the vicinity of Flushing have been unable to sow as much wheat as they intended to on account of the wet weather. It is said that many will experiment with spring wheat.

The city council of Albion has passed an ordinance prohibiting all persons under 18 years of age taking part in any game of pool or billiards or staying in any room where such games are played.

The Michigan College of Mines will be the name of the mining school at Houghton, if the decision of the board of control is approved by the legislature. The school is now the largest of its class in the country and ranks second only to the Imperial Mining School of Heidelberg, Germany.

A BIG SLUICEWAY.

Wonderful Feat of Engineering Planned in the Iron Country.

Menominee, Nov. 28.—A feat of engineering unrivaled in the history of the upper peninsula, is soon to be undertaken at the Hemlock mine in Iron county. There are shafts on each side of the Hemlock river, which have been worked toward each other until a tunnel has been formed under the river bed. Miners recently discovered water dripping down and refused to work, fearing a repetition of the Mansfield disaster. The stockholders have decided to dam the Hemlock river, some distance above the mine. A giant sluiceway of matchwood, resting on two arches will be built. The sluiceway will be 1,500 feet long, cost $10,000 and will be constructed this winter. In this way the river bed will be diverted, and mining carried on.

Mines Consolidated.

Houghton, Nov. 28.—It is practically assured that the deal consolidating the four idle copper mines in this city, the Portage, Huron, Isle Royal and Sheldon & Columbian, and securing the investment of nearly a million dollars of eastern and European capital, will be concluded this week. The mines, if worked, will employ 700 to 1,000 men. The mines are capitalized at 50,000 shares each, par value $25 a share. The Huron closed down in 1891. The Isle Royal has been idle 25 years, the Portage 13 years.

Storm at Owosso.

Owosso, Nov. 27.—Heavy wind passed over this section Thursday night, doing considerable damage to outbuildings, fences and forests. Heavy rains also fell during the night. A report from the northern part of the county states that several buildings were wrecked and Thomas Lewis, a farmer, was killed by falling timber.

Death of a Pioneer Physician.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 25.—Dr. Uriah Upjohn died here aged 88. He had been a practicing physician here for about 60 years, being the pioneer physician in Kalamazoo county. In early days he covered the territory 40 miles around on horseback.

Detroit, Nov. 26.—Rosa Kamphista, a Polish girl, was killed by a Michigan Central train at the Scotten avenue crossing, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Stella Debalski, who was with the unfortunate girl, had one of her feet crushed to a pulp.

MICHIGAN'S VOTE.

Figures Shown by the Official Canvass of the State.

Lansing, Nov. 26.—The board of state canvassers has completed the work of canvassing Michigan's vote on presidential electors, state officers and congressmen. Sligh, fusion candidate for governor, lost 4,116 votes through his name having been misspelled on the ballots in some counties. The result on president is: McKinley, 293,327; Bryan, 237,251; Levering, 4,968; Palmer, 6,930; Bentley, 1,809; McKinley's plurality, 55,076.

In 1892 Harrison received 222,708; Cleveland, 204,296. Results on governor: Pingree, 304,431; Sligh, 221,022; Sprague, 9,738; Safford (pro.), 5,499; Gibberson (nat. pro.), 1,945; scattering, 5,168; Pingree's plurality, 83,409. In 1892 Rich (rep.), received Morse (dem.), 206,138; Ewing (pop.), 21,417; Russell (pro.), 20,777.

The pluralities of the other victorious candidates are: Secretary of State Gardner, 59,274; State Treasurer Steel, 56,445; Auditor-General Dix, 56,308; Land Commissioner French, 61,470; Attorney-General Maynard, 57,425; Superintendent of Public Instruction Hammond, 61,382; Member of State Board of Education Simmons, 62,394.

SAGINAW BANK TROUBLES.

Figures of the First National's Recent Failure.

Saginaw, Nov. 30.—A mortgage covering all the real estate of the Standish Manufacturing companies, C. L. Judd principal owner, has been filed at Standish, Arenac county. Mr. Judd is cashier of the First national bank, of East Saginaw, which closed its doors a week ago, and was also owner of the Arenac county bank, which suspended after the failure of the East Saginaw bank. The mortgage filed gives a first lien of $25,000 to the First national bank of East Saginaw, a second of $23,000 to the depositors of the Arenac county bank and a third of $95,000 to the First national bank of East Saginaw. A stockholders' committee has completed an investigation of the affairs of the First national bank. The committee found assets of the bank at the time of suspension $615,000, and liabilities to depositors and for borrowed money $385,000. Bad paper carried was between $230,000 and $250,000. Depositors will undoubtedly be paid in full, but the stock and surplus will be wiped out. A receiver will probably be appointed.

TO SETTLE MABLEY AFFAIRS.

Offer of 25 Per Cent. Will Be Made on Third Mortgage Claims.

Detroit, Nov. 30.—The inventory of the stock of Mabley & Co., clothiers, has been completed. It figures up $219,300; liabilities, $362,900. Many creditors are preparing to contest the legality of the three mortgages filed by the Mabley company, through which certain creditors are to secure preferences in the final settlement. An offer of 25 per cent. in settlement of their claims will be made to the holders of third-mortgage claims by James T. Carew, of the firm of Mabley & Carew, of Cincinnati. It is stated that if the above offer is accepted W. S. Peck, of Rochester, N. Y., will secure the stock now held by the receiver, and that Bruce Goodfellow, manager of the Mabley establishment, will be enabled to purchase the business under a contract.

A HERO.

Miner Rescues His Partner at the Risk of His Own Life.

Iron Mountain, Nov. 26.—Charles Vantercrant performed a deed of heroism at the Pewabic mine. He and his partner, Hiller by name, had prepared a hole for blasting. The fuse had been lighted and the men were hastening away from danger when a fall of ore occurred. Hiller was pinioned to the ground within a few feet of the burning fuse. Vantercrant saw the great danger of his partner and, without a moment's hesitation, rushed back, snatched the burning fuse from the dynamite cartridge and threw it from him. He was just in time, for the cap exploded in the air. When Hiller was extricated it was found both his legs were broken and he was otherwise injured.

Begin Suit for Foreclosure of Mortgage.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 30.—The Central Trust company, of New York, Saturday morning began suit in the United States circuit court against the Indiana & Lake Michigan railroad and Terre Haute & Indiana railroad for foreclosure of mortgage bonds issued in 1889 amounting to $480,000. The Lake Michigan railroad operates from South Bend, Ind., to St. Joseph, Mich. Control of it was assumed in June, 1889, by the Terre Haute & Indiana railroad. The suit is a part of the Vandalia company's litigation in which the entire system is now involved.

Silver Men Will Organize.

Lansing, Nov. 28.—The Michigan silver forces propose to organize in every township and ward in the state a club to cooperate with the National Bimetallic union. This was decided at a conference of leaders here Friday. It was also arranged to have a mass meeting of friends of silver here January 8 for the purpose of extending the organization and arranging for the April elections, when complete tickets will be placed in the field.

Bought a Fast Horse.

Sturgis, Nov. 26.—S. L. Caton, of Lansing, has bought of William H. Douglas, of this city, the great four-year-old trotting horse, Victor Wilkes, 2:15¼, by Domineer, by Red Wilkes; consideration, $3,500. He will probably be campaigned in this country and trained here. He will begin road work at once.

Battle Creek, Nov. 25.—Charles Vail, a well-known business man and pioneer of Battle Creek, died Tuesday morning aged 77 years. He settled first in Detroit when the City of the Straits had only 8,000 inhabitants and was foreman of the first fire company organized in Battle Creek.

PLENTY OF WORK.

Much Legislation Awaits the Action of the United States Senate.

Washington, Nov. 27.—When the senate meets a week from next Monday it will find a calendar loaded with bills that require careful attention, many of which were debated during the last session, and which are now awaiting final action. The interregnum of nine months so far as the legislative condition of bills is concerned amounts to no more than adjournment over night.

According to the order made on May 8 last the bill for the erection of a bridge across the Detroit river at Detroit, which was hotly contested before the committee on commerce and which has been as warmly discussed on the floor, is made the special order for the first Monday in December, the opening day of the session.

Unfinished business in house bill H. R. 7,864, an act to amend the immigration laws, as reported to the senate by Mr. Lodge with some material amendments.

The joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of senators by popular vote is the special order for Monday, December 14, at two o'clock.

Other special orders are senate bill to prevent the desecration of the national flag; house bill to prevent the extermination of the fur-bearing seals of Alaska, and house bill to reduce cases in which the penalty of death may be inflicted.

Apropos of our relations with Spain, it may be stated that the comprehensive fortifications bill of Senator Squire appropriating $100,000,000 for defenses is still on the calendar; also Mr. Hale's bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to enlist additional men, which was amended and passed, and since May 20 has been pending on a motion to reconsider a bill for the establishment of a lighthouse on Swan island, in the Caribbean sea, belonging to the United States, and the bill to construct a dry dock at Key West.

The stringent concurrent resolution of Senator Davis relative to the enforcement and assertion of the Monroe doctrine, which was called out by the attitude of Great Britain towards Venezuela still remains upon the calendar and can be called up at any time for consideration.

Washington, Nov. 30.—It is improbable that the house at the coming session of congress, which begins a week from to-day, will dispose of much of the proposed legislation which encumbers its calendars. Little is usually accomplished at the short session beyond the passage of the regular supply bills.

There are on the several calendars of the house 1,465 bills reported from the various committees, and the proportion which will pass at the coming session must be necessarily small.

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE.

Coroner's Jury Decides That Rev. Miller Committed Suicide.

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 26.—Rev. James Miller, pastor of Grace Methodist church at Bloomington, and grand prelate of the Illinois commandery Knights Templars, found dead in the alley near the Catto residence Tuesday morning, was not murdered. The formal verdict of the coroner's jury was to the effect that Mr. Miller came to his death by a pistol that was fired by his own hands with suicidal intent on November 23, about the hour of 11 p. m. The coroner's jury consisted of Dr. R. L. Walston, Case C. Chenoweth, H. D. Heil, Albert M. Drew, Herbert C. Jones and William W. Connard, the first five well-known physicians.

Cattle Perishing.

Yankton, S. D., Nov. 28.—Two hundred thousand head of cattle are perishing from cold and hunger on the ranges west of the Missouri river in this state. Two weeks ago a heavy fall of snow, preceded by 24 hours of rain, covered the ground to a depth of 12 to 16 inches. Cattle were unable to get food, and have since drifted into the ravines and settlements for shelter, hundreds of them having succumbed to starvation.

The Vote in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 28.—The official count for Nebraska was completed Friday night by the state canvassing board. The vote on presidential electors follows: Bryan, 115,625; McKinley, 102,565; Palmer, 2,814; Levering, 1,193; Bentley, 769; Matchett, 176. The entire fusion (populist-democrat) state ticket is elected, Gov. Holcomb leading the party vote.

Presidential Vote in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 30.—The official count of Iowa's presidential vote shows: McKinley, republican, 289,293; Bryan, democrat, 223,741; Palmer, national democrat, 4,519; Levering, prohibition, 3,192; Bentley, national, 353; Matchett, social labor, 453. McKinley's majority, 57,136; McKinley's plurality, 65,552.

Left a Fortune.

Springfield, O., Nov. 30.—Chief of Police Van Tassel has received a letter that James Wesley Dorsey, a negro, has fallen heir to $150,000 left him by Peter Shaffer, a planter of Frederick county, Md., who died a few weeks ago. Dorsey lived here until recently, but his whereabouts are unknown at present.

Shows a Deficit.

Burlington, Ia., Nov. 27.—The final statement of the Iowa centennial celebration committee was made public Thursday and shows a deficit of $2,500, on a total outlay of over $35,000. The bondsmen made the deficit good at once and final settlements were made.

To Prison for Sixty Years.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 30.—The heaviest sentence imposed in the state, short of life, was given Saturday to William Day, convicted of murder in the second degree. Judge Speer sentenced him to 60 years in the penitentiary. Day is now 40 years old.

Carlyle, Ill., Nov. 28.—Henry Budde, a well-known citizen, died Friday. Corpulency caused his death. His weight was nearly 400 pounds. He was 65 years of age and a native of Prussia.

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TO BE DISCUSSED.

Financial Question Will Receive Attention of Commercial Bodies.

Conference at Indianapolis Decides to Call a Convention for January—Basis of Representation.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—At the conference Tuesday called by the local board of trade to consider the advisability of calling a monetary convention, a resolution was introduced to the effect that a call be issued inviting representatives from each commercial body of cities of the United States of over 6,000 inhabitants to attend a national convention to be held in Indianapolis in 1897, to discuss the financial question; to offer remedies to congress or to advise the appointment of a commission to prepare remedies. The resolution was referred to a subcommittee which was appointed by the conference to consider and report upon it.

Ex-Attorney-General Miller and John R. Wilson, both of Indianapolis, addressed the conference at some length.

The special committee reported a resolution declaring it the sense of the conference that a general convention of commercial bodies be called at Indianapolis on January 5 for the purpose of suggesting such legislation as may be necessary to place the currency system of the country upon a sound and permanent basis. The details of representation were left to an executive committee named by the chair, and later the following basis of representation was adopted:

One delegate for cities of from 8,000 to 10,000; two delegates for cities of from 10,000 to 15,000; three delegates for cities of from 15,000 to 25,000; four delegates for cities of from 25,000 to 50,000; five delegates for cities of from 50,000 to 100,000; six delegates for cities of from 100,000 to 200,000; seven delegates for cities of from 200,000 to 400,000; eight delegates for cities of from 400,000 to 1,000,000; 20 delegates for cities of 1,000,000 or over.

It was found that the hall could not be secured on January 5, and the date was left to a local subcommittee. It probably will be fixed at January 12.

Election at Birmingham, Ala.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 2.—The city election here Tuesday resulted in the election of Frank V. Evans, democratic nominee for mayor, and the full democratic ticket of aldermen, in opposition to the reform ticket, headed by C. F. Enslen, a banker, and A. C. Lowry, an independent. Two years ago the reformers won, but this time the negroes divided, the most influential among them voting the regular democratic ticket. The mayor-elect was for ten years the treasurer of the city, and has been prominent in journalism, both in Georgia and Alabama, and at the time was editor of the Age-Herald, the predecessor of the State Herald.

Funeral of William Steinway.

New York, Dec. 2.—Private funeral services were held Wednesday morning over the remains of William Steinway at his late residence, Gramercy Park. Only the members of the family and relatives were present. Rev. Dr. Charles Henry Eaton, pastor of the Church of the Divine Paternity, read the simple Presbyterian funeral service. At the conclusion of the service the body was removed to the hall of the Liderkranz society, where public services were held. Persons prominent in almost every walk of life attended the public services. The body was interred in Greenwood cemetery.

Issues a Challenge to the World.

Saratoga, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Charles Hatfield, of Newark, N. J., who is here in training for the short distance professional races, to be held in Madison Square garden during the week beginning December 7, Wednesday issued a challenge open to the world to ride any man a mile, unpaced, for any sum, to start from opposite sides of the track, the race to be ridden in Madison Square garden during the week of the international races.

Relief of Britishers in Cuba.

London, Dec. 2. — The Manchester Guardian Tuesday said that Lord Salisbury, prime minister and secretary of state for foreign affairs, will make very strong representations to the Spanish government with reference to the detention in Cuba by the authorities there of Richard and John Beatty, residents of British Columbia, who were recently arrested in Havana for being in some way connected with the Cuban revolution.

Fighting Near Havana.

Havana, Dec. 2.—A party of rebels made an attack Tuesday evening upon the town of Guanabacoa in the province of Havana, near this city. The fire of the attacking party was returned by the garrison, and the rebels were repulsed. Before retiring the rebels set fire to a house, which was destroyed. The rebels left one man dead on the field and the garrison also had one man killed.

To Relieve Orphans in Turkey.

Constantinople, Dec. 2.— A meeting of the central committee was held Tuesday at the residence of Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador, for the purpose of considering methods for the relief of the orphans in Turkey, of whom there are now known to be 40,000. The meeting was presided over by Chairman Whittall.

RIOT AT TRENTON, N. J.

During Free Fight Between Two Bodies of Laborers Two Men Are Shot.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 2.—A free fight occurred at the new reservoir works Wednesday between a body of Italians and several hundred men of other nationalities, whose hatred the Italians had incurred by trying to obtain work. William Lenox was shot in the right arm and an unknown man in the side and arm by one of the Italians named Beline Salvator. Besides the two men who were shot, a number of others received injuries more or less serious by being struck by flying missiles. Salvator was arrested.

Sheriff Ashmore, upon his arrival, read the riot act to the mob and the disorder came to an end. The wounded men, it is thought, are not fatally injured. The arrested Italian was cut in the head. The prisoner claims that he was goaded into shooting, but had no intention of killing anyone.

SHOT DOWN BY FOOTPADS.

Bravery of a Prominent Druggist of Greencastle, Ind., Costs Him His Life.

Greencastle, Ind., Dec. 2.—William E. Counts, one of the most prominent men of this county, was murdered Tuesday night at Reelsville, where he is in the drug business. Mr. Counts had closed his store and was on his way home when he was waylaid by two footpads. He resisted their order to throw up his hands and was immediately shot in the head by one of the footpads. They both then made good their escape. Counts lingered for a few hours, but did not regain consciousness. He leaves a widow and one child. The police from this city and a mob of neighboring farmers are scouring the country for miles around for the murderers.

Kills His Murderous Assailant.

Thomasville, Ga., Dec. 2.—Jeff Carlisle, a white man of about 35 years of age, who lives in the upper part of Thomas county, Tuesday attacked Tobe Bryant, his neighbor, a youth of 20, with a knife, and, in the desperate fight that followed, was shot and killed by Bryant. The latter immediately surrendered to the sheriff, and is now in jail awaiting an investigation of the affair. Carlisle leaves a wife and family. Both men were prominent in the county. Bryant was severely cut. It is said that Carlisle had persistently persecuted his slayer for some unknown reason.

Charged with Aiding Prisoner to Escape.

Toledo, O., Dec. 2.—After a hearing lasting nearly two weeks, John Mulchler and Henry Newbury, the deputy sheriffs charged with aiding the escape from the county jail of John Harrington, alias Davis, alias Crawford, an accused murderer, were Wednesday bound over to await the action of the grand jury. Harrington, the escaped prisoner, was said to have been a member of the North Market street gang in Chicago. His accomplices, Bob Curry and T. C. Jones, alias Doc Lee, are now on trial at Bowling Green, for Marshal Baker's murder.

Government Must Refund $500,000.

Cairo, Dec. 2. — The court of appeal at Alexandria has given a decision on the appeal taken from the judgment of the Egyptian mixed tribunal, rendered at Cairo in June last, against the government and the four commissioners of the Caise, who favored advancing funds from the Egyptian reserve for the purpose of the Soudan expedition. This decision supports that of the mixed tribunal, and declares that the government must refund the £500,000 taken from the reserve and must also pay the costs of the appeal.

Ordered Sold.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 2.—United States Judge Barr Wednesday morning ordered the sale of the property of the Kentucky & Indiana Bridge company for the benefit of the holders of $3,000,000 worth of bonds. The property consists of a bridge across the Ohio terminals, the New Albany belt road and the New Albany street car system. The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern and the Monon will probably be the purchasers.

Ore Shipping Season to Close.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 2.—Owing to unexpectedly severe weather the ore shipping season will close earlier than anticipated. Great difficulty is found in unloading ore from cars to docks and from dock to vessels as it freezes solidly. Final shipments from the mines are now being made, much of which will remain on the docks till spring.

Will Be an Important Report.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The annual report of Postmaster General Wilson will not be made public until after the president has submitted his annual message to congress. This is taken to indicate that matters of great importance pertaining to postal affairs are under consideration between the postmaster general and the president.

Train Robbers Arrested.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 2.—Police officials here Wednesday morning arrested Jeff Pagett and Albert Ells, two of the bandits who held up and attempted to rob an Alton express train at Blue Cut, near Independence, on the evening of October 23. Both are about 22 years of age. Evidence against them is conclusive.

For growing pigs milk and mill feed made into a slop with a little corn makes one of the very best winter rations.

DIAZ' FOURTH TERM.

Will Not Again Be a Candidate for Reelection as President.

City of Mexico, Dec. 2. — President Porfirio Diaz entered Tuesday upon his fourth term as president of the republic. Four years hence, if his life should be spared for that period, he will announce to the country that he is not a candidate for reelection. It was his intention to have made such a statement when formal announcement of his reelection was made last month, but on the suggestion of some of his intimate advisers he refrained from so doing, although the draft of an address setting forth his final and irrevocable decision to retire to private life four years hence had been prepared.

[Porfirio Diaz has presided over the destinies of the republic of Mexico from 1877 until the present time, with the exception of the interregnum between 1880 and 1884, when, on account of internal troubles, he transferred his authority to Gen. Manuel Gonsales, secretary of war, and made a successful canvass for the governorship of Oaxaca. He was born September 15, 1830, and, consequently, when the term upon which he enters to-day expires he will have passed the age of three score and ten. He takes the ground that should he survive to the age of 70 he will be justified in retiring to private life and in spending the few years that remain to him in peace and repose.]

END OF A SALOON ROW.

A Disorderly Customer Shot Dead by a Sixteen-Year-Old Boy.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Fred Matthews, a bartender at 292 Clark street, was shot and mortally wounded in Louis Hochberger's saloon Tuesday night by the proprietor's 16-year-old son. Matthews it is claimed, refused to pay for drinks he had ordered, and a quarrel followed, during which Hochberger was knocked down. The latter's wife, who lives in the rear of the saloon, came in with a small baby in her arms, and it is claimed the disorderly customer seized the infant and threw it to the floor. Then he turned upon the proprietor's son, who had attempted to assist his father, and dealt him several severe blows. The boy ran back into the living rooms and appeared a moment later with a loaded shotgun. He fired at Matthews, and the latter fell to the floor with a mortal wound in his abdomen and died within 15 minutes. Both the proprietor and his son are under arrest.

Arrested for Arbuckle's Murder.

New York, Dec. 2.—Michael Ryan, a saloonkeeper 36 years of age, was arrested Tuesday by Policeman Doherty, on suspicion of having been concerned in the death of Frank P. Arbuckle, the Denver mine owner, who was found dead on Eighth avenue near One Hundred and Fifty-second street several days ago. The returns of Capt. Kirchner, at headquarters Wednesday, state that Ryan was suspected of having been in Arbuckle's company before he died. Ryan was not held, as he could not be identified.

Valuable Collection of Poe Relics.

New York, Dec. 2.—Mr. E. B. Hill, of the Detroit Journal, has presented to the New York Shakespeare society his entire and unique collection of relics of Edgar Allan Poe, consisting of between 600 and 700 copies of Poe's first editions, contributions to magazines, portraits, newspaper clippings and other memorabilia contemporary with the poet's life. The collection is to be placed in the cottage in which the poet lived when that building is removed to Poe park.

Defendant in Scott Trial Ill.

London, Dec. 2.—Frederick Kast, who, with Lady Selina Scott and two other defendants, is being prosecuted by Earl Russell, Lady Scott's son-in-law, on a charge of criminal libel, and on account of whose illness the trial was postponed on Monday for a week, is in a critical condition. He is confined in Holloway jail, where his deposition will be taken Wednesday. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Will Hand Down Decision Monday.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 2.—In the federal court Wednesday morning Judge Thayer announced from the bench that a decision in the Santa Fe case would be handed down next Monday morning. As requested Tuesday night by Judge Thayer, the attorneys on both sides Wednesday morning handed in a list of authorities cited, and the case was taken under advisement by Judge Thayer and Foster "en banc."

Not Liable for Prospective Profits.

Washington, Dec. 2.—In a case appealed from a lower court the court of appeals of the District of Columbia has decided that a telegraph company is liable for an error in the transmission of a message, to the extent of actual pecuniary damage sustained, but not for prospective profits. This is the first decision on the question made in the district.

Wisconsin's Official Count Finished.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 2.—Secretary of State Casson Wednesday sent a telegram to McKinley announcing that the official count of the vote of Wisconsin gives him a majority of 102,612. The board of election canvassers has just completed its labors and finds that McKinley electors received 268,135 as against 165,523 for the Bryan electors.

Trial of Private Allen Postponed.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The trial of Private James D. Allen, of the Fifteenth United States regiment, who shot and killed Private Daniel M. Call, of the same regiment, at Fort Sheridan March 20 last, was continued by Judge Grosscup Wednesday until December 15, at the request of the prisoner's counsel.

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I will cease making cider Saturday, Dec. 5. W. R Osgood, Britton.

Miss Cora Witherell is on the sick list this week.

Richmond, Gadd, and Hogan shipped hogs Saturday.

George A Kies was home the latter part of the week.

Prof. Wilcox spent his vacation at his home in Addison.

Ben Taylor was home from Albion to spend Thanksgiving.

L. Gray played for the dance at Tecumseh Friday evening.

Miss Lotta Blanchard spent her vacation at her home in Adrian.

Miss Minnie McAdam came home to spend her Thanksgiving vacation.

Fred Tag was home from Adrian to spend his Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Sarah Huntington was home from Adrian over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. D. Shull, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs Bert Tate, Friday.

Eugene Fowler and family spent Thanksgiving day with friends in Saline.

Miss Olive Mills began the winter term of school in the Dillingham district Monday.

Mr. and Mrs E G. Cook, of Tecumseh, ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs A F. Tuttle.

Hanibal Osborn and wife of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Friday afternoon.

Lavern Davis, who came home from Ypsilanti Wednesday of last week, returned Monday.

Miss Grace Davis returned to Detroit Saturday, after a visit of about ten days at her old home.

Charles Starrett, of Buchanan, visited friends and relatives here the latter part of the week.

Miss Ida Harmon, of Manchester, was the guest of Miss Clara Welch the latter part of the week.

Marvin Pardy and H. D. Sheckle went to Wampler's lake Thursday and spent the day in shooting.

Miss. Virginia Dox, of Chicago, will speak at the Congregational church next Sunday December 6.

Miss Ella Payne, of Jackson, has been a guest at the home of her uncle, J. E. Woodard, since last Friday.

Miss Marie Miller, of Manchester, was the guest of Chris. Schmidt and family the latter part of the week.

Maud Ohlinger, of Manchester, was the guest of Blanche Muir from Wednesday till Saturday of last week.

Mrs. J. S. Kies returned home Monday from a three weeks' visit with her son J. S Kies, at Elkhart, Indiana.

Mrs. E W. Shoemaker, arrived Tuesday night from Chicago, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs E Van De Mark.

Miss Edith Amspoker, of Manchester, visited at the home of her uncle, John Amspoker from Wednesday until Saturday.

Miss Julia Sturn, who had been visiting Manchester relatives since Wednesday of last week, returned home Monday.

Miss Edith Bennett, who has been a guest at Lyman Bailey's for several weeks, returned to her home at Caro, Monday.

Jean Marsteller drove over to Ypsilanti Wednesday and Vern Davis returned with him to spend Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs Mary Borroughs, returned Friday, to her home at Paul, Kent county, after a visit of several weeks with Clinton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens and daughter Agnes, of Tecumseh, ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Stevens' mother, Mrs. Dr Adam.

The mite meeting of St. Dominic's church met at Miss Alice McAdam's home Friday evening. A large attendance for such a stormy evening.

Rev. W. C. Stevenson, left Friday morning for Danvers Illinois where he will hold revival meetings for a couple of weeks, assisted by J Richie Bell, the musical evangelist, who came here last winter with Mr Stevenson.

The concert last Saturday night, given for the benefit of St. John's church, was quite a success, the society clearing $21.45. Each number on the program was very pleasing but special mention should be made of the five solos rendered by Master Gerald Brown, of Ann Arbor, who has a beautiful, clear voice which delighted every one in the audience. Those who did not attend the concert missed a rare musical treat. He also sang the Te Deum and Offertory in a delightful manner at St John's church Sunday morning.

Mrs L A Mc Connel, left Wednesday of last week for Niles, Berrien county, expecting to spend a greater part of the winter with her son, who is station agent at that place.

Roy Burlingame, Clyde Heck, Earle Updyke, Harry Moore, Edgar Coddington, Fay Anderson, Vern Smith, Winifred De Wolf, Viola Shull, Lovisa Schroder, of Tecumseh, were up to the Thanksgiving hop Wednesday evening.

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The Sexes in Burmah.

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Mourning for a Chinese Ruler.

When a Chinese emperor dies the intelligence is announced by dispatches to the several provinces, written with purple ink, the mourning color. All persons of rank are required to take red silk ornaments from their caps, with the ball or button of rank; all subjects of China, without exception, are called upon to forbear shaving their heads for 100 days, within which period none may marry, play upon musical instruments or perform any sacrifice.

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Mules for Bear Hunters.

The proper beast for a grizzly bear hunter to ride is a good mule. Dr. W. F. Edgar, United States army, tells in Recreation why a mule is best. The doctor was wandering near a camp up in Washington state on a mule. He had his rifle with him, and, seeing a big bear in the trail, fired. The bear tumbled over and out of sight. It looked like a clean kill, and the doctor started toward the place, and was nearly in sight of the hollow where the bear had disappeared, when the bear climbed up over the edge and went for him. It was then that the mule was of the utmost service. The mule rose on its hind feet, turned sharply around, and headed for camp. A horse or a mustang wouldn't have been quick enough, the bear was so close, but all the hunter had to do was to hang on. The mule knew what to do without being told.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

mputation—Birthday urprise—Society Events, etc.

I will cease making cider Saturday, c. 5. W. R. Osgood.

. H. Lenardson was in Tecumseh on siness Monday.

H. H. Temple made a business trip to cumseh Wednesday.

Dr. Hendershot amputated a toe for elder Mr. Linn, Wednesday.

ll business houses now close even- at 8 o'clock, except Saturdays.

Dr. E. E. Hendershot has fitted up es in rooms over Browns store.

Mr. Baker, of Fayette, O., made a siness trip to this village Monday.

alter and Ethel Gripton left today New York and Brooklyn for an ex- ed visit with friends.

arles Avery of Macon, received esday, over the C. J. & M., a fine orse power engine. It is a beauty.

ger Blessing and Will Osborn, of mseh, are painting Ed Bachman's e this week and are doing a fine

mer Osgood and wife, of Toledo, came up to eat turkey with Will, nksgiving day, returned home Mon-

Gogoline broke a feed pulley at his Tuesday, which obliged him to down. He hopes to start again to- row.

L. Wood and Vern Oosterhout went Toledo yesterday with a load of ed meats, consisting of hogs, s, beeves, etc.

ss Luella Haynes entertained a l company in a charming manner, e home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. s, Thanksgiving eve.

arle Nickers George Clark, ha Knittle and Nettie Bannister at- ed the Gilmore Band Concert, at an Monday afternoon.

hn Beasley had Surveyor Richards, ecumseh, here Saturday establish- oundary lines and has built a fence een his possessions and Gogoline ard.

Curtiss was taking in the sights e county seat Monday and we are med that he used his optics to very advantage. He heard Gilmore's toot, also.

ella Haynes attended an elegant Friday evening of last week at ome of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Under- , of Ridgeway. It was given in r of their daughter, Jennie.

e witnesses declare positively that Zibble made a most unceremonious from the caboose of an eastern freight on the C. J. & M., Tues- and the girls laughed, not Brad.

ve Walker's genial face was seen r streets Tuesday and he was the ient of as many hearty hand shakes ough he were a presidential candi- He was enroute to his home in nseh.

e next regular meeting of the es' Aid society of the Christian h will be held in the parlors Wed- y afternoon, Dec. 9. Mrs. Hause's ittee will serve tea, to which a al invitation is extended.

have heard of men having snakes eir boots, and all sorts of things, hen Uncle James DuBois, the day in one of our stores, took off p and a mouse jumped out—well, ere was a surprised lot of indi- s. This is no fish story.

VanNocker is here this week looking after matters at the ele- We would suggest that he move etersburg and become a perma- sident of Britton. He and his would receive a most cordial rty welcome from all.

Davis, one of Clinton's jewelers, o Britton Wednesdays to repair an clocks, watches, etc., and found at the Citizen office. We r. Davis well and can say he is a fine mechanic but a thorough- tent jeweler in all branches of , as well as a genial gentleman.

mbers of Ivy Leaf hive L. O. ade Mrs. P. B. Hardy, who ext week for her new home, a visit Tuesday afternoon. It he nature of a surprise and very xecuted by those having it in It was an afternoon mingled easure and sadness.

Maxwell, a student in the con- ry of music at Adrian College, guest of Miss Nickerson Friday turday of last week. Friday the following members of the n club, George Clark, Judd Charles Maybee and Ed Grip- ether with a few others, were n and the time was devoted to nd social converse. It was a f enjoyment.

esday evening of last week, r. Mr. Nickerson in the quiet me, was considering that an- iestone had been reached in ory, his meditations were dis- by a company of friends walk- pon him to assist in celebrat- birthday. The evening was ly spent and the reverend gen- s eyesight was revived by a pair of glasses.

nd Mrs. Lavern Gripton, being settled in their new home, on icago street, fourteen of their walked in upon them unan- . Among the number was Wal- ton with his phonograph, the roving a charming adjunct to ning's festivities. The evening slight to all who participated. nd Ella will be pleased to re- any more surprises of a similar r.

bilious or costive, eat a Casca- y cathartic, cure guaranteed.

RIDGEWAY.

Pleasant Surprise arty—Death—Interesting Personals.

I will cease making cider Saturday, Dec. 5. W. R. Osgood, Britton.

The lecture course is progressing very encouragingly.

Eddie Williams is under the doctor's care this week.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was in the village Tuesday.

Dr. Chas. Barneby, of Raisinville, visited relatives Monday.

For stone meat crocks go to Ed Smiths.

Lou Arner took her Thanksgiving dinner with her mother.

Prof. Graves was unable to be in the school room Wednesday.

Gertie Marvin spent her Thanksgiving vacation at her home, near Azalia.

Lilian Dersham spent Thanksgiving with her parents near Lenawee Junction.

Ed Gould is painting the interior of his store, which improves the appearance.

Mrs. George Pocklington, who has been quite sick for some time, is able to be out.

Mrs. W. H. Arner was the guest of her nephew, Will Schreder, Thanksgiving day.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Loree took their Thanksgiving dinner with Prof. L. M. Palmer and family, of Jackson.

Keep your stock in a healthy condition by feeding Pratt's poultry and stock food. A fresh lot just in at Ed Smith's.

T. S. Boyd, with his friend Otto Stowell, of Detroit, spent several days with his father, John Boyd, returning to their home Monday.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, while on his way to Ypsilanti, on business, enjoyed his Thanksgiving dinner at the home of his father.

Mrs. Leon McRoberts, who has been spending several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pocklington, returned to her home near Lansing Friday.

If you wish to attend a fine and enjoyable entertainment, you had better not miss the Decstrict Skule" given by the members of the Episcopal society at the opera house, Tecumseh, next Tuesday evening.

Remember the third entertainment of the Tecumseh Star lecture course will be the Johnson-Smily Combination. They will appear at Sutton's opera house Thursday evening the 17th. Tickets for the balance of the course $1.00.

All kinds cross cut saws, axes, saw tools, etc., at Ed Smith's.

The relatives and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. George Linn, who formerly lived here, but who for several years past have resided near Cadillac, will be somewhat surprised to learn of Mrs. Linn's death, which occurred on the 11th of November.

It was our pleasure with several other friends to spend Wednesday evening at the home of W. L. Jones and enjoy an entertainment given by Walter Gripton with his phonograph. He has a collection of vocal and instrtumental productions of the latest. We can recommend the wonderful phonograph to any society that wishes to give an evening's entertainment, as first-class.

The annual election of officers for the Hall Memorial Library Association was held at the library Tuesday afternoon. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year; Pres., Dr. D. W. Loree; Vice Pres., C. W. Culbertson; Sec., Lizzie Boyd; Treas., T. H. Temple; Board of Directors, Ella M. Hall. Mrs. Lester Osgood, B. F. DePuy, C. M. Gove, J. W. Osborn, W. R. Wilson, E. L. Lowe.

Go to Ed Smith's for floor oil cloth and stove boards.

Tuesday evening of last week over a hundred members of the church and congregation made Rev. James Wright a surprise. After the usual custom of congregations were through with, Rev. Cansfield, in behalf of the company, presented Elder Wright with a beautiful Hunting case gold watch as a token of their appreciation for his services in the past. Refreshments were served and the evening spent very pleasantly, after which all departed for their homes.

CONE.

John McBride, of Dundee, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Albright moved his family back to Samaria Monday.

Rev. Ross, of Fleming, called on friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis, of Toledo, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Daisy Caswell.

Mrs. Frazer, of Ypsilanti, spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Cone.

Miss Ellen Richardson, of Milan, was the guest of Mrs. Jacob Dennison last Wednesday.

Horace Logan and family entertained about forty of their friends at Thanksgiving dinner.

Frank Gray and wife left for Eustis, Florida, Saturday, where they expect to reside in the future.

Charles Kent and family, of West Toledo, are spending the week with their mother, Mrs. Jane Auten.

Miss Bertha Jourden came out from Detroit Friday evening and remained until Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. P. O'Brien,

Ivesdale, Ill., writes: "I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a family medicine with the best of results. For derangements of the stomach and a general laxative I like it better than anything I have used. It is so pleasant to taste my children are always anxious to take it." Orr & Temple.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. James Lane visited friends at Franklin last week.

Mrs. Grorge Riley returned Saturday from her visit in Ohio.

Miss Edith Schwab, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Hats from 25 cents up at the millinery store of E. H. Fish.

Remember the literary at the church parlors this (Friday) evening.

Osgood Hive No. 285 will hold its regular meeting tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

Misses Abbie Ray and Maud Munch attended the teachers' meeting at Adrian on Saturday.

Dr. Montgomery, of Adrian, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. August Greenwald last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Atwell spent Thanksgiving with the family of W. C. Holt, at Kunkle, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Winchip spent Thanksgiving at Britton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Britton.

Miss Grace Gillespie, of the Ypsilanti normal, was among the guests at A. D. Macham's last week Thursday.

The families of A. D. Macham Charles Benedict and W. E. Doty each gave a Thanksgiving dinner at which many of their relatives and friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dance, of Detroit, were among the guests at A. D. Macham's Thanksgiving. Mr. Dance returned to the city Thursday evening but Mrs. D. remained to visit her brother and other relatives for a couple of weeks.

LAKE RIDGE.

I will cease making cider Saturda Dec. 5. W. R. Osgood, Britton.

There is talk of a al in the near future, look out for a good time.

Mr. Stephen Martin, of Bloomingdale, is visiting his brother Lewis and other relatives.

In the absence of the superintendent last Sunday, Miss. Josie Hand took charge the lesson.

The children and grandchildren of Horace Hand ate Thanksgiving dinner under the parental roof.

The Misses Anna, Lizzie and Florence Murphy have been making a visit with their aunt, Mrs. V. Goheen.

The Sunday school will hold some kind of an entertainment Christmas with speaking by the children.

Little Hazel Patterson, who has been spending some time with her aunt, Bertha McCoffee, of Toledo, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martim Phillips entertained a number of their friends Thanksgiving and treated them to sumptous dinner.

The person or persons who have been trespassing on Dan Barnes premises, are requested to keep off and save themselves trouble.

Lost, between C. Hendershots and Horace Hands, last week, a fur cape. Will the finder please leave the same at the postoffice.

There will be no preaching in the German church next sabbath, as the pastor has gone to Rockford, Illinois, to visit his mother.

Mr. Warren Miller, after a visit with his son Martin, in Gratiot county, has returned home, accompanied by the latter who will visit the old home.

Rev. Austin and wife of Milan, conducted the meeting last Sunday evening in the Free Methodist church. There will be meetings this week.

Mrs. Edith Westfall, Julia Phillips and Nettie Hendershot were among these from the Ridge who attended the tea meeting at Ann Carter's Saturday.

Mr. John W. Grow, of Limerick P. O., Ohio, writes: "I have used Lightning Worm Killer and found it as recommended. It has given great satisfaction; want nothing better." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

"My little boy was very sick. I gave him Lightning Worm Killer and found that it is what it is claimed to be—a worm killer—for it worked like a charm. My child is well now." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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There are ten volcanoes in Mexico.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Orr & Temple and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar which always gives relief.

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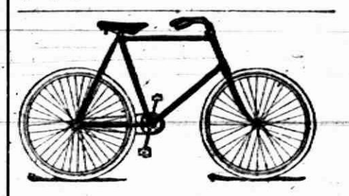

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 4, 1896.

Everyone seems to be pleased with Tuesday's edition of the HERALD. This will continue for three more weeks and our subscribers will kindly take notice and hand in announcements of meetings, etc., in time for the Tuesday as well as Friday issue.

It is just one month since election, and already the Adrian Press and the Adrian Messenger have fallen out of bed, one on one side and one on the other. Figuratively speaking, they both rolled under the bed, tackled somebody and grabbed each other. This scrap will now continue until the next silver agitation comes up when they will roll back into bed again, fondly embrace each other, forget their differences and be as one happy family.

Under the present management the HERALD has never dunned its subscribers through the columns of the paper and does not now intend to do so, although many dollars are long past due on subscriptions which would be of great service in paying debts and improving the paper. In answer to statements which have been sent out, it has been ascertained that many of the subscribers have been paying their subscription in wood; so many that there is about $200 now due the HERALD in wood. An announcement has been made that no wood would be taken after December first, but many of our former friends have begged off on account of bad roads and too much fall work. Hence it has been deemed advisable to extend the time to January 1st. Now every person who owes the HERALD wood is requested to bring it in at once, also any who desire to pay in this manner for the paper for next year. The HERALD woodshed is in good condition to receive 50 cords of wood and it is hoped that it will not be necessary to write any more wood editorials. After January 1st, all old accounts due on subscription will be promptly sued. Now if you want to bring wood, do so at once and kindly remember that this term "wood" does not mean punk or sky-rockets.

The situation in Cuba seems to be about as uncertain and contradictory as it was one week ago, and is evidently a sort of "now you see it and now you don't see it" kind of game; intensely amusing in some of its aspects possibly, but on general principles intensely uninteresting. According to one press dispatch, claimed to be entirely authentic and reliable, the insurgent forces by successfully avoiding a general battle with the Spanish troops, are said to be gradually but surely wearing out and depleting the ranks of the latter, with far less loss to the Cuban army than if the opposite course should be pursued. In other words, General Maceo and his co-workers are determined to accomplish through stratagem and with only an insignificant loss of life among their own men; all that could be secured by massing his troops and engaging in a general battle, resulting in the loss perhaps of thousands of lives on both sides. This is the purport of the press dispatches one day. But the day following perhaps this story is contradicted, and we are informed that Captain General Weyler has finally taken personal command of the Spanish army in the field, and is scouring the mountain fastnesses in search of the insurgent forces under General Maceo, and is just on the point of closing around him and forcing him into an engagement that is sure to end the war by crushing the rebellion. This would do very well, had it not been followed two or three days later by another press dispatch, announcing General Weyler's sudden return to Havana, with a rumor that he has been removed from the command of the Spanish army in the field, and ordered to report forthwith at Madrid. This is really the substance of the Cuban war news at the time of this writing. There has been no general and decisive engagement of the two armies in the mountains or elsewhere, but there remains no doubt that Captain General Weyler has actually returned to Havana. Perhaps the Spanish authorities at Madrid are disgusted because the rebellion has not yet been crushed, and may possibly hold General Weyler responsible for the failure.

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The Physician as a Patient.

Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 18, 1896.

TO THE EDITOR:—Why is it, that an error in diagnosis is so frequently made when the patient is a physician? Within the past thirty years, a number of cases have come under the writer's observation, where an error in diagnosis has been made; and where the patient has been a member of the medical *guild*; it therefore has occurred to the writer, that if the patient had not been a member of the medical profession the mistaken diagnosis would not so frequently have been made.

Recently a case illustrating the above statement was reported to the writer, as follows: A physician, age about 53 years, had been complaining for a few days with a feeling of general malaise, some fever which increased from day to day, until the patient was taken to bed. A neighboring physician was called to attend him, who diagnosed the case as malarial fever complicated with rheumatism. As the disease progressed, and the condition of the patient did not improve, a second physician was called in consultation, who appears held similar views to those of the attendant. One or two physicians of the town were casually met by the attendant and invited to see the patient and "cheer him up," but declined being placed in the position of a layman. The condition of the physician becoming critical a third physician from a neighboring town, ("eminent" according to the local press) was called a few hours previous to the death of the patient. About twenty-four hours after death a postmortem examination was made upon the body, and the pathological lesions of typhoid fever presented, consequently the case was immediately reported to the local board of health as death from typhoid fever. A recognition of typhoid fever and treatment accordingly adopted at an early stage of the disease might have produced different results; however it certainly would have been more satisfactory to the attending physician, unless he is so far behind the age as to believe that typhoid fever is frequently dovetailed into malarial fever. This and similar cases should lead the physician when called upon to attend a brother physician, to examine him as carefully as an ordinary patient, and never permit the views of the physician patient to bias his judgment in forming a correct diagnosis.

Respectfully,
J. F. JENKINS, M. D.

From The American Medical Journal.

It is an easy task for even a "layman" to diagnose the case of the writer of the above article, viz: an attack of egotistic jealousy complicated with temporary cussedness. The "scraps" and differences of doctors are of such frequent occurrence that newspapers would contain nothing else if they attempted to give only a portion of them brief mention, but when a man rushes into print to attack another who is not on earth to defend himself, it is time the HERALD said something.

It is really a matter of regret that this Jenkins, a good physician, well read and respected when he behaves himself, should be of such a billious, jealous and egotistical temperament that he can see no good in others or their works, otherwise he might become a power and benefit instead of a menace to his fellow citizens and the profession to which he belongs.

THE CHRISTMAS PARTY.

At a well attended meeting held at the armory it was decided to hold a Christmas party at the opera house the night of December 25th, and the following committees were appointed and are now at work, every man seeing how much he can do for the success of the party.

Music committee—Chas. F. Patterson, Chairman; Bert Garlinghouse, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, J. H. Elliott.

Refreshment committee—L. P. Tribou, chairman; R. A. Moore, M. Burlingame, Dr. D. W. Reed, Vern Smith, W. C. Burridge.

Invitation committee—George Stacy, chairman; Leon Burlingame, Ed. Kirchgessner, Fay Anderson, W. W. Whiting, R. C. Burlingame, Raynor Brewer.

Reception and arrangement committee—R. C. Burlingame, chairman; Chas. A. Bidwell, Bert Garlinghouse.

Decoration committee—Ben Garlinghouse, J. A. Elliott, chairmen; Clyde Heck, Levi Hayden, Lavern Heesen, Fay Anderson, Wm. Sisson, Vern Smith, Edgar Coddington, Raynor Brewer, Walt Burridge, S. Collins, J. R. Hosmer, J. R. Nyland, Harry Moore, Cleo Hall, Lester Heesen, Thos. McCann.

Soliciting committee—George Tiffany and J. H. Elliott.

Attention G. A. R.

A full attendance of comrades is requested at our next Post meeting, Dec. 7th. Election of officers for 1897.

H. W. STEVENS, Commander.

A. W. Slayton, Adjutant.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

Program for the Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club to be held at the home of Eli Abbott, Friday evening, December 11, 1896.

Rec.—Maud Abbott.
Essay—Harold Hoag.
Charade—Austin Swartz.
Rec.—Ona White.
Dialogue.
Song—Mrs. VanDorn.
Reading—Ina VanValkenburg.
Medley—Herbert Munger.
Rec.—Lulu Aylesworth.
Dec.—Edward Hoag.
Song.
Reading—Leroy Matthews.
Dialogue.

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CUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 4, 1896.

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OR SALE—Cheap at Richart's wagon shop, a new lumber wagon with box and seat or and stock rack or neither; and with narrow ide tire or both.

AXES—I will be at the following places to receive taxes for the Township of Raisin g the month of December and up to the 1st of January; Thursdays, at the Lilley State k, Tecumseh; Fridays, at Florence's store, oway; and Saturdays at Waldby & Clay's s Bank, Adrian. BENT E. SIMONDS, Treasurer.

OFFICE.—I will be in my office in the Village of Tecumseh every Friday during the th of December from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. to re- taxes. GEO. W. MARSDEN, Twp. Treasurer.

OR SALE—Two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a store or shop building. Enquire at once at HERALD office.

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TICE—I will be at the following places to eive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway the month of December. Clerk's office. s. 11—18—24—31. Village of Ridgway, 16—30. John Witt's Sr., 18—Jan. 6.

K RENT—15 pure bred Shropshire ewes, red to "Willows" for rent. Elliott Gray.

TICE—I will be at the Town Hall on Dec 11, 24, and Jan. 8. At B. S. Scudder's Dec 31. At home all other days until Jan. 10 e purpose of receiving taxes. FRANK GILMORE, Treasurer.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

te that price list on 8th page.

pic for Sunday evening at the Presrian church, "The Eye."

s. George Tiffany returned yesterfrom a few days' visit with Adrian ds.

orge Tiffany, Jr. went over to Adyesterday for a little visit with his g friends.

n't fail to hear little Fern Stringsing at "Deestrict Skule" next day night.

o photos 25 cents. MISS DALY.

B. Ager left yesterday for Gene- N. Y. to see his sister Mrs. Hanna, is quite low.

bert Patton and daughter Anna, of on, have been visiting at H. B. 's for the past two weeks.

r sale, two good coal stoves cheap. nearly new and one suitable for ing a large store or shop building. ire at once at the HERALD office.

e young people connected with the gregational church, Tipton, will a "leap year" social and entertain- at the church Friday evening, 18th. Every one is cordially invitbe present.

e Rev. H. B. Vicborn, of Albion, visited Rev. Mr. Blachford in the mer, preaches in St. Peter's and St 's churches next Sunday. Mr. hford goes to Albion to preach in John's church.

e old gentleman VanVleck, who is one of his periodical pilgrimages, in town recently. He was very le indeed, so much so that, fearing would have him on their hands, a t was provided and he went to point in Ohio. No doubt he has Tecumseh his last visit.

st received, a car load of Bedroom s, bought at a bargain and we will every one a bargain that wants a WHEELER & SISSON.

st Friday evening at the Research e Mrs. E. B. Wood read a paper rning the buried cities of the of the Nile—"Tanis and Bubas- Mrs. F. Avery described the Egyp- "Ritual of the Dead," and Mrs. es Burridge told us "The Uses of graphy," and its wonderful adment since the art was first dis- d.

we must get that picture framed ristmas and Teeple has so many of moulding and so cheap too, the place to get it.

Standard Cabinet company, hav- elved from the secretary of state cial figures of the late state eleche sealed box of guesses was from the Lilley State bank Wed- , Dec. 2nd, and placed in the of the committee chosen to exame books and decide the winner. have finished their labors and report as follows;

Tecumseh, Dec. 2, 1896.

, the undersigned committee chosdecide the winner in the Standard et Co's guessing contest, after ully examining the list of guesses, L. B. Ayers, of Tecumseh, Mich., the winner, he having guessed McKinley's plurality in Michigan 56500, the official count showing it 56076.

L. P. TRIBOU,
J. H. SMITH,
S. W. ANDERSON.

ad the price list of the Eastern krupt Purchasing Association.

e railroad meeting at the opera e last evening was well attended as J. B. Townsend, representative he road, was unable to attend and lain the situation, after some dision the meeting adjourned till Monnext, at the armory. At present it mpossible to state any opinion as to atter. Without some definite propas to where the road would come nto village or how much money it would be necessary to raise to secure it, the citizens cannot determine whether Tecumseh desires the road or not. At Monday evening's meeting the case will plainly stated by a representative of road and no doubt all the interest- people of Tecumseh will be present. delegation from Adrian will also be ent at the next meeting, and by day they should be able to state it, in the way of subscription, Adhas accomplished and what she be able to do.

ow is the time. Two beautiful tos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Notice that price list.

There will be some fine music in "Ye Deestrict Skule"

Captain Chilson is expected home the first of the week.

John J. Orr visited Ann Arbor Wednesday and yesterday.

I will cease making cider Saturday, Dec. 5. W. R. OSGOOD, Britton.

Sure, you are going to get your photos at Teeple's for Christmas.

You can get 21 pounds granulated sugar for $1.00 at James Lowry's.

Miss Gertrude Bray, of Adrian, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whiting over Sunday.

You will find it to your advantage to buy your underwear, gloves, mittens, foot wear, etc., etc., of Harris & Hiteshu.

Frank Chilson arrived home Wednesday night having left the boat in winter quarters at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Teeple is doing lots of large portrait work but you must leave your orders at once to get them for Christmas.

The great cloak sale of Harris & Hiteshu will continue until every garment is sold. Remember "one-half price" is their motto, and they stick to it.

There will be a special meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, R. A. M., at the Temple next Wednesday evening when there will be an exhaltation.

See that price list in this issue.

Little Mamie Keyser, of Clinton, will give a character song at the Deestrick Skule Tuesday evening that alone would well be worth the price of admission.

We learn that our venerable friend and townsman, B. L. Baxter, is very ill. His daughter, Mrs. James Winans, of Toledo, and his sister, Mrs. Selfridge, of Chicago, are now with him.

On account of the dress rehearsal for the Deestrick Skule, the Wit and Wisdom club, which usually meets Monday evening, has been postponed to Thursday at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Knapp.

The first meeting of the Farmers' Union for the season of '96-'97 will be held next Friday evening, Dec. 11, at the home of Albert Waring. A short but interesting program will be given in addition to the election of officers.

One night not long since while Chas. Everett was enfolded in the arms of Morpheus, he was awakened by a mouse who was actively engaged in unfolding and counting the ringlets of his hair. Charlie swatted Mr. or Mrs. Mouse, as the case may have been.

Hear Mr. Stoughten Strong in solo "When we were boys, in "Deestrict Skule."

At the annual meeting of the Baptist Sunday-school held at the church Wednesday, the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Superintendent—L. G. North.
Ass't supt.—R. S. Moore.
Treasurer—Fred Sheldon.
Secretary—Carrie Osborn.
Librarian—Geo. Kay.
Assistants—Chas. McIntyre, Eugene Pattison.
Choirister—B. F. Steinhoff.
Organist—Ella Chilson.

The value of the water works system was manifested again Tuesday evening when the rear part of the upper story of the building occupied by L. D. Dewey for his egg and poultry business was discovered to be on fire. Had it not been for them, handled by our faithful fire laddies, it undoubtedly would have proven the most serious fire Tecumseh has ever seen, for this building is situated midway east and west of the business portion and no matter which way the wind was, the result would have been disastrous.

Greatest holiday bargain. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Tuesday evening about 9 o'clock our citizens were startled by the alarm of fire and a general rush was made for the scene of conflagration which proved to be in the heart of the business center, the Bidwell building back of Harris & Hiteshu's occupied by L. D. Dewey and John Loomis. Although when first discovered the flames had made great progress, they were soon extinguished by the heroic work of the fire department and effectiveness of the hydrant system. The greatest loss Mr. Dewey sustained was not by fire but by water. The building, or a portion at least, was badly scorched but can be easily repaired. The fire evidently was caused by the chimney (which was very defective) burning out. Mr. Dewey is thankful it was not more serious and cannot find language sufficient to fully express his gratitude to the boys of the fire department for their great work. Had it not been for them Mr. Dewey's loss would have been very severe as one room was full of dressed poultry and he had a large quantity of pelts and eggs on hand.

Read that price list carefully.

Last Satuaday afternoon, on Van Buren street, leading north from Chicago street, fourteen ladies of class number one of the Baptist Sunday school were seen, each with basket, box or package. Where were they going? Why they were going to give Mrs. W. S. Morse a surprise, and surprise it was as she knew nothing of it until she saw them at the corner of her home. Mrs. Morse has been teacher of this class eighteen years. For more than a year her health has been such that she could not meet regularly with the class but has a very efficient alternate. Miss J. Hough. The afternoon was passed in happy converse until about five o'clock, when the command came to report at the dining room where a very nice supper was found in waiting, the tables having been spread by Misses Carrie Osborn, Bell Clohecy, Emma and Jay Morse, and well did they attend to the wants of the ladies; and when later in the evening each left for their home, they could feel that they had left a bright spot in another's life; the only regret being that six of the class who were unavoidably detained, thus missing a very pleasant affair.

Mrs. Neal, of Grand Rapids, is the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ayers who live on El. Gray's farm.

Seaton W. Anderson leaves for New York tonight to buy his stock of holiday goods.

Mrs. J. H. Maus arrived from Grand Rapids Wednesday and will spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Waring.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one-quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSON.

Sunday in the Universalist church, Rev. Mrs. Gillotte, of Rochester, Mich., will preach in the morning, the pastor being in Hillsdale. In the evening the young people will have a devotional meeting at 7 o'clock instead of 6 as usual, there being no preaching service in the evening.

Christmas will soon be here and you will want to give some kind of a present. There is nothing more acceptable than a pretty chair. We have them from $1.00 up.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Loren Taylor, who has been a great sufferer from cancer, died at his home in Franklin Tuesday night at ten o'clock. The funeral was held at the house at eleven o'clock today, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, of the Clinton M. E church officiating. The interment was in the Clinton cemetery and the services at the grave were Masonic and conducted by Clinton Lodge No. 175, of which he had long been a member. He leaves a large family of sons and daughters. His wife died several years ago of the some dread disease.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods are about all in and we can give you the best stock in the County to select from and prices the lowest.

WHEELER & SISSON.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Orr Sunday a farewell dinner was given in honor of her brother, Dr. Walter N. Fowler, which with the exception of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Frost was confined to the relatives. The doctor left Ann Arbor Wednesday night for Baltimore where he will take a special course in the John Hopkins University. About Dec. 15 he sails from New York for Liberia via Liverpool, London and South Hampton and expects to reach his destination about the middle of February. He goes to establish a homeopathic hospital under the direction of the Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church. Dr. W. N. Fowler, of the class of '89, U. of M., who has gained many friends during his occupancy of the responsible position of medical superintendent of the university hospital homeopathic, has resigned his position and soon leaves for South Africa where he has accepted a lucrative position in a hospital. His departure is greatly to be regretted. While Doc's many friends will miss him they rejoice that he is so rapidly coming to the front in his profession.

If you really desire a bargain in the latest style cloak call at Seaton W. Anderson's.

The Other Side.

Tecumseh, Mich., Dec. 3, '96.

MR EDITOR,—

There seems to be something of a misunderstanding in regard to the difference between the Electric company and Company C, M. S. T. The facts, as we understand them, are these:

About January 1st, 1894 the Electric company put the fixtures and wires in the "Armory building," giving them 18 incandescent lamps. There was no written agreement but naturally it was understood that the Electric company was to furnish the electric current to serve those lamps and that Company C was to burn those lamps and so consume that current. At least that took place and each party worked on that basis for some time. After a time Company C thought best to substitute oil lamps for a large portion of their lights, only burning the electric lights on extra occasions, such as general inspection or when they rented their hall and got an extra price for electric lights. This reduced the income of the Electric company about 75 per cent of the original amount received from Company C. For several months past the deal has been unsatisfactory to the Electric Co., the Armory people were expected to keep an account of the hours of light used, but at times it has been hard to find any account, one saying that some other member kept it and that other member knowing nothing about it, so that some times it has been months before we would get a settlement, and even then the money has no always been in the treasury, with which to pay. For one lamp they were to pay the regular price of 60 cents per month, and as every one knows that is for a ten o'clock light, and not unfrequently it has been known to burn all night. For several months past we have been trying to get them to put a meter in their hall. Thus we would know just what was used and they would pay for just what they used and no more, but they have repeatedly refused to put in the meter. Under these circumstances and the fact that we were only getting about one fourth of the rent that we did originally, and the fact that we were obliged to keep a transformer there, costing us about $40 and hold in reserve an electric current sufficient to serve those 18 lamps thus limiting our capacity to serve other customers by just that amount, is it strange that we ask them, inasmuch as they had substituted other lights so largely that they substitute the oil entirely? Is it not a poor rule that does not bind both parties alike? If one has a right to withdraw, why not the other? Right here allow me to say that I am not aware that there is a member of our company who has any other than the most pleasant feelings towards Company C or any member thereof. It is purely a business transaction.

On the day following the one on which I notified Captain Hayden that we would like to withdraw the lights, he with Mr. Gillen called at my office and complained bitterly. I told him that we could not afford to continue as matters had been going. He then said for the first time, that they were willing to put in the meter. I told him that I would see the other members of the Electric company and let him know within a day or two. Without another word said between us, the temporary injunction was served upon us. Tuesday of this week Mr. Hayden was in my office and in conversation he said they were willing to put in a meter and burn only the electric lights and I answered, "Well, Will, that is all we ask and we would have done that at any time, and if you say so we will put in the meter today and the whole matter will be settled." He replied, "I will see you tomorrow and we will arrange it then." Yesterday he came in and had a paper drawn up in which we were to agree to allow the tempory injunction to become a permanent one and we were to pay all expense that they have made, and wished me to sign it. I said, "No, we have made no expense and there was no occasion for any expense being made and we will pay none unless we are obliged to do so." There the matter rests at present. On Wednesday I repeated to Capt. Hayden the proposition that I had made on a previous day, viz, that I was willing to leave the whole matter to any disinterested business man on the street, or I would select one man, he another, and they select a third and each of us would present our case and we would each abide by the decision of this man or men and settle the matter as he or they directed, but he refused.

Yours respecfully,
A. W. MILLS.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman earnestly desires that all who owe her would pay at once as she needs the money.

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—We take this opportunity to notify our patrons that we have received one car load of our cabinets and will be around delivering them soon. On account of the election our canvass was considerably delayed and our delivery will be made in the month of December instead of November and we trust all will be prepared to receive their Cabinet when it is brought to them. Our orders read "Deliver to me in the month of November, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS CONVENIENT," thereby making the order just as binding for December delivery as for November. The company at Kansas City, Mo., keeps an exact list of all orders taken, and each salesman is held personally accountable for the delivery of every order taken by him and we have ordered a cabinet for every person who has given us an order, and we ask that all customers be prepared when the agents call so as to save us the trouble and expense of an extra trip for settlement. We want every cabinet we deliver to be a standing advertisement for us. Consequently if there should be any defect in any of them we request that it be at once reported to some of our salesmen or to our office in Tecumseh, and it will be made satisfactory, as it is our intention not to put a single defective cabinet into use. Thanking our many customers for their liberal patronage thus far and asking for a continuance of same. We are very truly,

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M. B. HIRSCHFIELD, the Optician of Detroit, is now at the Lilley House for a few days. If you are in need of glasses don't let this opportunity go by without consulting him. He examines the eye free of charge and carries a line of glasses that gives perfect satisfaction to all his customers. If you have weak eyes, or are near sighted, or your sight is affected by old age, or if you cannot read at night, just give him a trial and he will fit you as you never were fitted before; also attend to your children's eyes. If you can't call, leave your name and address, and he will call at your residence.

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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

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ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

Strategy Well Employed.

The wise men of the east understand the value of strategy and know when to use it. A rich merchant died. He had one son, who when quite a lad had been sent to an uncle in India. When on his way home the young fellow was shipwrecked. It was believed that he escaped drowning, though no tidings of him could be obtained. His father died, leaving his fortune to the care of an old friend, not to be handed over to any claimant until certain injunctions had been fulfilled. At the end of a year a young man appeared, who declared himself the heir; then a second and a third arrived on the scene. The guardian gave to each a bow and arrow and desired them to use the dead man's picture as a target to aim at the heart. The first nearly hit the mark, the second drove his arrow home, but the third burst into tears and refused to dishonor his father's memory by desecrating the portrait of one whom he had loved and revered. Then the guardian knew which of the three was entitled to the fortune.

Choice Hibernicisms.

At the convention of the Irish race last month in Dublin two speakers, who had come from the United States, contributed the following sentences in the course of their speeches. One of them, in giving some details of personal history, informed his hearers that "he had left Ireland 53 years before, a naked little boy, without a dollar in his pocket." Said the other: "Until last week I had never set foot in the land of my birth."

Gambling in India.

Amongst the Hindoos throughout the whole of India there is a holiday celebration in honor of Lakshmi, the goddess of wealth and good fortune, whereon gambling is universally regarded as a religious duty. It is known as the festival of lamps, and on that day all classes indulge in games of chance with shells, coins, cards, dice, etc., and the future of the individual, whether good or bad, is looked upon as a forecast of his wealth or poverty during the ensuing year. The women take a most intense interest in the proceedings and, if fortunate, expend their winnings in the purchase of sweet-meats and fruits, as gifts to all their friends and relations, toys for the small children and fireworks for the boys. At Benares, their sacred city, as night approaches, small earthen lamps, fed with oil, are kindled, making the outlines of every mansion, palace, temple and minaret visible. All vessels in the river are also illuminated; so that the whole city is one blaze of light.

Suicide Is Hereditary.

An extraordinary instance of hereditary tendency to suicide was told by Prof. Brouardel in Paris lately. A farmer near Etampes hanged himself without apparent cause, leaving a family of seven sons and four daughters. Ten of the eleven subsequently followed the father's example, but not until they had married and begotten children, all of whom likewise hanged themselves. The only survivor is a son, who is now 68 years of age, and has passed safely beyond the family hanging age.

Mourning Color in Brazil.

At the funeral of an unmarried woman in Brazil scarlet is the mourning hue. The coffin, the hearse, the trappings of the horses and the livery of the driver must be scarlet.

UP-TO-DATE EQUIPAGES.

A Few Years Ago Washington Had Scores of Them.

French Diplomat Once Upon a Time Rode to a Party in a Hearse—President Arthur Mounted on an Indian Pony.

(Special Washington Letter.)

Twenty odd years ago the greatest luxury of life on the Iowa prairies was an oyster stew; and we were only favored two or three times in the winter when the ladies of the church gave an oyster festival for some charitable object.

The oysters came in large tin cans, and they were usually frozen solid in order that they might be preserved on their journey; for the distance from Baltimore then was four or five days, but now it is less than two days. The cars go faster, and everybody goes faster nowadays.

After living on the Atlantic sea-coast for several years, and having oysters right out of the salt water, and in every epicurean form conceivable, the succulent bivalves are no longer on the list of luxuries. We look upon them here as plain everyday food; just as you look on ham and eggs, spare-ribs, griddle cakes, buckwheat cakes or mashed potatoes.

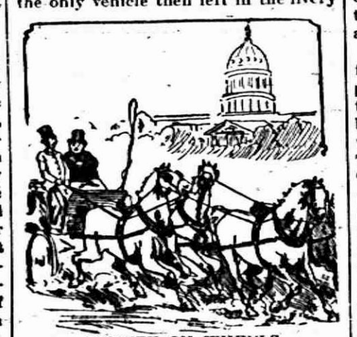
Things which are hard to get, either because they are scarce or costly, are luxuries. Things which are easily obtained are not valued as they often should be. We long for something new. In each breast there is a wish we scarcely would care to own, for something better than we have known. Time changes our appetities and aspirations. Circumstances also alter our views and desires.

Twenty years ago when we regarded oysters as the greatest of all luxuries on the prairies, we were surrounded by some of the finest horses on the continent. In the cities only they who were most prosperous could afford to buy and keep a horse. The man who kept two horses in town was regarded as a rich man. Now that electricity is furnishing very cheap transportation in cities, horses have become very cheap, and the days of stylish turn-outs are numbered.

Only a few years ago the diplomats, society leaders and political somebodies were distinguished in the national capital, in great measure, by their equipages, their footmen and their liveries. Society on wheels would furnish the leading of an amazingly entertaining little volume if one could but collect the bits of history, shreds of romance and, often enough, harassing financial data, that lie back of and environ many of those turn-outs on which the harness jingled loudest.

Probably never outside of a foreign court was greater style ever observed in the matter of equipages than that with which old Baron de Bodisco delighted the residents of this city in the days long ago when he represented the court of Russia as minister plenipotentiary to this country. Living always in splendid style commensurate with his wealth, the baron, on his marriage to the beautiful young Miss Williams, set up a magnificent coach drawn by milk white horses. Gradually, as children were born to the minister, he added to the number of his team, until six white horses driven tandem in pairs was the sight that attracted attention whenever Baron and Mme. de Bodisco took their airing in the fine coach to which liveried outriders gave the finishing touch of splendor.

To go from matters grave to gay but a step is needed to chronicle mention of the weird vehicle, the black-plumed hearse, in which one of the earliest French ministers was compelled, in default of another conveyance, to ride from the legation to a dinner party on Georgetown heights. The instance has long since become a matter of history as to how, it being found at the last moment that no carriage could be secured for the minister, he declared rather than disappoint his prospective entertainers he would avail himself of the only vehicle then left in the livery



SOCIETY ON WHEELS.

stable. The road from Washington to Georgetown was none of the best in those days, and the minister's thoughts now and then may very naturally have taken a funereal turn as he bounced from side to side in the hearse, jolting over the stony byways and ruts.

Did you ever hear about President Arthur's Indian pony, and his first ride on Pennsylvania avenue? While President Arthur was in the Yellowstone park in 1883, an Indian chief gave him a handsome aboriginal pony. One morning in March, 1884, President Arthur sent for his pony, saying that he would ride to the soldiers' home and back before breakfast. President Arthur was a tall man, and the pony being rather short the chief executive found confronting him the problem of how best to accommodate himself to the circumstances. The pony, however, cut short any further doubt or musing by making a bolt through the white house gate, keeping up such a break-neck pace, unmindful of whip, spur or reins, that Gen. Arthur always declared was too much in the nature of a dreadful nightmare even to dream of wishing for a repetition.

Attorney General Williams had a landaulet which was wonderfully made. It attracted so much comment and newspaper notoriety that Donn Piatt nicknamed the attorney general "Landaulet Williams," a name by which he is better known until this day than by his proper name. In private conversations here amongst old-timers, the ex-cabinet official is always referred to as "Landaulet Williams."

Some years ago Count D'Arco Valley came to Washington as the minister from the German empire. When his equipage arrived it was housed away; but when his sister, Countess Leopoldine, arrived, a sensation was produced which ramified the entire diplomatic and social circles of the city. The count and countess made a memorable round of calls on the cabinet in a dark-blue paneled carriage, attended by a man in full military regalia. The

PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S PONY.

fellow was really a most splendid looking creature, and when he doffed the long-plumed, gold-bullioned chapeau to open the carriage door for the minister and his sister, unsheathing a glittering sword in military salute, he was a sight long to be remembered.

Unfortunately, however, the amount of attention attracted by this attendant finally became so overwhelming that, finding crowds collecting and barring the way to and from each house before the carriage stopped, the minister was reluctantly compelled to deprive the man of his gaudy strappings, remove the gold stripe from his trousers, the shining metal buttons from his blue coat, the chapeau from his head, and taking the dress sword from his reluctant grasp reduced him to ordinary civilian's attire. It was a great blow to the poor fellow, who never could understand why he could not be allowed to continue wearing the uniform in which he had been accustomed to attend Count D'Arco in his native land.

One of the attaches of the Russian legation, a Mr. Gregor, half a score of years ago gave Washingtonians their first glimpse of a genuine Russian drosky. The turn-out, with the spirited team of horses and dramatic accessories, even to the stolid-looking, big-nosed driver with bushy crop of hair cut straight from ear to ear, standing out like a whisk-broom under his peculiarly flat, low-crowned hat, were imported direct from Russia. The driver's general appearance was an instance in which the picturesque had been obtained without regard to beauty. He was a skillful driver, though, and understood perfectly the art of producing a sensation strangely akin to a panic whenever he elected to dash along the fashionable promenades, the jingling bells of the troika keeping up a musical accompaniment to the leader's dashing pace.

But the day of droskys, uniformed footmen and paneled coats-of-arms would seem to be swift gliding into history. Cabinet ministers, members of the supreme court, including the chief justice, ambassadors, ministers and other dignitaries, freely use the cable and electric cars. Of course, after the theater, the opera, the lecture, or the church services at night, our upper-tendom ladies must have their own carriages to convey them home; but that is for convenience and comfort, and not for style.

Once upon a time there was a senator from New England who constantly employed a public conveyance belonging to a colored man who was a great deal blacker than the ace of spades, or anything else black that you can think of. The ladies of the family called him "Crow," and he never objected to the name. But, one evening after the theater, the senator's daughter thoughtlessly asked an usher to "call Crow." Without reflection the usher cried: "Call up Senator Blank's Crow." This appellation was new to the hacking fraternity, and they laughed uproariously as "Crow" drove up to the door of the theater. The man was mad clear through. He declared that he would not take the ladies home, but a policeman threatened him with arrest unless he did so; and the ladies entered the coupe. Instead of driving them home, "Crow" drove straight to his stable, where he unhitched his team, and compelled the wife and daughter of the senator to walk home, although it was a dark, rainy, dismal night, and near midnight.

SMITH D. FRY.

Novel Flower in Tehuantepec.

A novel flower has been found on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, which has the faculty of changing its color during the day. In the morning this floral chameleon is white, when the sun is at its zenith it is red and at night it is blue. This red, white and blue flower grows on a tree about the size of the guava tree, and only at noon does it give out any perfume.

A flume six miles long, part of it built on trestles 87 feet high, has been constructed near Cottage Grove, Ore., from a mill in the lumber belt to the Southern Pacific railroad. A million feet of lumber was used in building it, and its capacity is 40,000 feet a day. There is abundant water for it throughout the year.

SPREES AT A CHURCH FESTIVAL.

Contracted for by Subscription in the Rhineland Village of Oberringelheim.

It is a custom of the country in Germany to get drunk at the consecration of a new church. This custom has been regarded as unlovely and unChristian by many influential Germans of the new school, most notably by Emperor William II., but still it remains unreformed, and the comic weeklies do not tire of depicting the scenes, in and out of the police court, that follow the consecration sprees and fights. Some three weeks ago the festival of a new church was celebrated in Oberringelheim, in the Rhine country. In anticipation of the usual trade in exhilarating liquors a saloonkeeper who does business near the sacred edifice advertised thus in the Rhineland Observer:

"Jacob Muller herewith pledges himself for a subscription price of three marks (75 cents) to serve every one of his guests with as much wine as he can drink on the occasion of the church consecration.

"Inviting my friends and patrons to visit me in response to this request, I remain, respectfully yours,

"Jacob Muller."

Within an hour after the newspapers containing this advertisement appeared, 39 citizens of little Oberringelheim bought subscription tickets from Muller. At the current price of ordinary loose wine in the Rhine country, each of the 39 and their colleagues in this speculation had to drink 16 large glassfuls before he could begin to benefit by the subscription tariff. The final results of the speculation cannot be known until the police court reports of the Oberringelheim district arrive with the newspapers from the continent.

LIFE IN THE GREAT CITIES.

Its Tendency Is Not to Enervate Nations.

And as to the tendency of the growth of great cities to enervate nations there is no proof of it at all unless we identify the life of great cities with the passion for idleness and pleasure and self-indulgence, which sometimes, but by no means universally, accompanies their growth, says the London Spectator. When you get a large proletariat living, as that of ancient Rome and possibly of Nineveh and Babylon did, on the alms of the rich and powerful, then no doubt you have the conditions of a thoroughly unnatural and unhealthy life, and no one can wonder at the rapid decay of such cities and of the nations which gloried in them. But where the honest working class far outnumbers the proletariat, where the middle classes of distributors and manufacturers and professional men are laborious and energetic, and even the class that lives on its accumulated wealth contains a considerable sprinkling of serious and disinterested workers, we do not believe that there is the smallest evidence of any greater danger in the life of the city than in the life of the agricultural village of the pastoral tribe. Indeed, we should regard Olive Schreiner's picture of the life of the modern Boers as indicating a condition of things more prolific of morbid elements, with its almost complete absence of any stirring or active intelligence, than any kind of modern life that is honestly laborious at all. The Boer life is too sleepy, too destitute of stirring thought or effort, to be altogether natural. It needs at least the old element of danger and necessary vigilance to render it even bracing.

MIXTURE OF STRANGE BLOOD.

Few Reigning Families of Same Nationality as the People Governed.

There is hardly a reigning monarch in Europe whose family is of the same nationality, absolutely, as the people governed. The house of Austria is really the house of Lorraine, and even in their origin the Hapsburgs were Swiss. And if Emperor Francis be not, strictly speaking, an Austrian, still less is he a Hungarian, although he is a king of Hungary, says London Tit-Bits.

The king of Belgium is a Saxe-Coburg, the king of Denmark a Holsteiner, the infant monarch of Spain is a Bourbon, the king of Italy a Savoyard, the king of Roumania and Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria are both foreigners, the founder of the Bernadotte dynasty in Sweden was born at Pau less than a century and a quarter ago, the czar is a Holstein Gottorp, and the king of the Hellenes is likewise a Holsteiner.

Even in England's royal family there is very little English blood left. The Hohenzollerns were originally Suabians, and, therefore, partly Bavarians and partly Swiss. Neither was the historic house of Orange, in which patriotism has nearly always been the first instinct, Dutch to begin with.

Making War Balloons.

Women make the aerostats, or war balloons, used by the British government, and also do some part of the roping of the balloons. They work in sheds built specially for the purpose. There are about 35 women engaged, and all earn good wages. They are mostly the wives and daughters of soldiers, and have all been carefully trained by the superintendent of the balloon department. The making of the balloons requires a very delicate touch, one thin film of bullock's skin having to be laid over another with the greatest care. The ends of the ropes have also to be woven into each other with extraordinary deftness.

Isolated Weather Station.

Rockall, a desolate granite rock rising only 70 feet above the sea, between Iceland and the Hebrides, is to be made an English meteorological station. It lies 250 miles from land, the nearest point to it being the little island of St. Kilda, 150 miles away, and itself nearly 100 miles from the main group of the Hebrides. Rockall is in the path of the cyclonic disturbances on the Atlantic, and the station there would give timely warning of storms approaching the British coast.

Eternal Vigilance.

"Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty." It is the price of everything worth having. It is the price of life itself. A man needn't be always looking for danger, afraid that something will happen to him, but a wise man will form a habit of care about the important things of life.

It isn't half so much trouble to take care of yourself as if is not to. A man who follows regular, healthy habits, feels good all the time. Life is worth living to him. But a man who "don't want to bother" with taking care of himself has more pain and misery crowded into one day than a good healthy, hearty man who lives right would ever know of in a whole year.

When a man's stomach is out of order, and his digestion don't work; when his liver gets to be sluggish and won't clear the bile out of his blood, it is time for him to look out for himself. He gets no nourishment out of his food. His blood gets thicker and thicker with impurities. His nerves get irritated. He loses energy and fighting force.

He may say, "I can stand it, I will feel better to-morrow;" but the chances are he will feel worse to-morrow and worse still next day. He ought to put himself right at once. He needs Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is made for just this condition. It rouses up the digestive and nutritive organs, and gives them power to extract from the food all the nutritious elements and transform them into rich, nourishing blood. It enables the liver to cleanse out all bilious impurities and pour into the circulation an abundance of highly vitalized blood, full of the life-giving red corpuscles which build up healthy flesh, muscular strength and nerve-energy. It does not make flabby flesh. It is the only suitable tonic and strength-builder for corpulent people.

Professor George Newcomb, of Salem, Mass., says he can cure baldheads by means of the X rays.

THE WABASH "CALIFORNIA FLYER."

Quickest and best service to CALIFORNIA is now offered by the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway. Vestibuled sleeping cars through to Los Angeles without change, making twelve hours better time from St. Louis than any other line, and corresponding time from other points.

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Does your head feel as though someone was hammering it; as though a million sparks were flying out of your eyes? Have you horrible sickness of the stomach? Burdock Blood Bitters will cure you.

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Taking effect, with change of time, Sunday, November 15th, 1896, trains Nos. 6 and 7 between Peru and Montpelier will be restored running daily, except Sunday, making connections at Peru and Montpelier with trains from and to St. Louis and Detroit.

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AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(*From Detroit News.*)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 18 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills. They have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried in the past years. I have not had any return of the pain or bleeding since using them."

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Having located in Tecumseh, over Avery & Co.'s Grocery, I shall be pleased to have all who will call and see me. Examination FREE.
Crown and Bridge work a Specialty.
Silver, Aluminum and Rubber Plate to Suit the Patient.
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W. D. REED, D. D. S.

Wm. Reid, of Detroit, Mich., whose advertisement as agent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass Co. appears in this paper, still continues the sale of his glass business, and wishes to have your orders.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 8 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

tend the Deestrick Skule tonight.

bert S. Moore, the grocer, is in To- today on business.

member Royal Arch at Masonic ple tomorrow night.

testest holiday bargain. Two beau- photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

ss Louise Phelps entertained a company very pleasantly last ing at whist.

d that price list carefully.

D. Ellis, one of Blissfield's promi- dry goods merchants, was calling cumseh friends today.

. Mrs. Gillette, of Rochester, has the guest of Miss Hyde, of West go street, since Saturday.

t received, a car load of Bedroom bought at a bargain and we will very one a bargain that wants a WHEELER & SISSON.

ple is doing lots of large portrait but you must leave your orders at o get them for Christmas.

ot fail to see the august body of ittee men and their wives as they he Deestrick Skule tonight.

A. H. Jackson, of Freemont, Ohio, partner and intimate friend of Harris, is visiting him today.

great cloak sale of Harris & u will continue until every gar- is sold. Remember "one-half is their motto, and they stick to it.

Episcopal services for the month cember will be in the morning nd at Clinton in the evening.

s. McCann and Will Westcott Sunday with Adrian friends. visits are becoming quite regular.

and Mrs. F. J. Montgomery, of go, are the guests of Tecumseh es and hope to remain some time.

d the price list of the Eastern upt Purchasing Association.

. Comfort, of Jackson, was the of his wife's parents, Mr. and Frank Fox, from Friday until Sun-

O. P. Bills has taken a class in also one in German at Toledo ill make weekly visits to that

and Mrs. Wm. Ide took the after- rain for Detroit, where they ex- o spend several weeks with their

ice that price list.

s Ollie Jones, who went to spend sgiving with her people at Ottowa was taken sick and has not been return.

ert Lowry and children wish to ss their gratitude to their many s for their kind offices in their bereavement.

rything in the line of Furniture e-quarter less than you can buy ame goods at any place in Mich- WHEELER & SISSON.

Lulu Brown and little daughter, who have been visiting her sis- rs. C. L. Comfort, at Jackson, eturned home.

ladies of the Maccabees will hold ssing social" at their hall in ay next Friday evening, Dec. 11. cordially invited.

hat price list in this issue.

Ladies' social and supper, of the ralist church, will be held next Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17. from 5 to 8 o'clock. All are in-

we must get that picture framed istmas and Teeple has so many of moulding and so cheap too, the place to get it.

Episcopal ladies of Clinton hold nnual fair and supper next y afternoon. They will have a lay of useful as well as fancy uitable for holiday presents.

Monday, Dec. 7th, at her home, C., wife of Egbert Anderson, of , aged 69 years. Funeral at e this afternoon at 2 o'clock. M. Brown officiating.

ock of Holiday Goods are about nd we can give you the best the County to select from and he lowest.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Kennedy started today to work Williamson, taking charge of the department of his business. Mr. y is not only a very well posted an but is well liked and will ade to his employer.

mas will soon be here and you t to give some kind of a present. nothing more acceptable than chair. We have them from

WHEELER & SISSON.

been reported that the Christ- y to be given Christmas night return for the delightful Leap rties given by the ladies. This be a "return" party simply the Christmas dance run as well as are capable of doing.

le, two good coal stoves cheap. rly new and one suitable for a large store or shop building. at once at the HERALD office.

is the time. Two beautiful cents at Miss Daly's.

mbridge camping club was en- by Miss Jennie Underwood at in Macon Friday evening of k. A six o'clock dinner was after which the evening was ith music and games. Mr. E. D. of Adrian, receiving the prize successful guesser in a drawing The house was beautifully d with chrysanthemums and

Note that price list on 8th page.

Two photos 25 cents. MISS DALY.

Miss Francis Middlebrook visited friends over Sunday.

George Oliver, of Britton, was a Tecumseh visitor yesterday.

Sure, you are going to get your photos at Teeple's for Christmas.

George Tiffany, Jr., returned from his Adrian visit Friday night.

Mrs. W. J. Gooch and daughter Nellie are visiting friends in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Dance, of Detroit, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

If you really desire a bargain in the latest style cloak call at Seaton W. Anderson's.

Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Pardington arrived in Tecumseh this morning for a few days visit.

A. H. Ford, of Bay City, has been visiting his relatives and friends here since Saturday.

E. C. Rogers leaves today for Elkhart, Ind., to take a position with the Stimpson Scale Company.

Rev. David Lewis left Saturday for Litchfield, where he will hold a series of revival meetings.

Capt. Chilson came home last Saturday for the winter. His boat is in harbor at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Archibald Hamilton left yesterday for Elkhart, Ind., where he will spend the winter with his son, Palmer.

Hear Mr. Stoughton Strong in solo "When we were boys, in "Deestrict Skule."

Rev. B. S. Hudson returned from Morenci Saturday where he has been assisting in revival meetings.

Capt. Chilson reached home Saturday night and seems as well pleased to be at home as his friends are to have him.

You can procure your tickets for the Deestrict Skule at E. F. Kirchgessner's and thereby escape the crush at the box office.

You will find it to your advantage to buy your underwear, gloves, mittens, foot wear, etc., etc., of Harris & Hitchcock.

Mrs. Dolph Heesen was called to South Bend, Ind., the last of the week by the illness of her mother. Word has been received that there is a change for the better.

Mrs. Vicborn, of Albion, joined her husband here last evening, and they will remain to attend the "Deestrick Skule" tonight. They are guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford.

Dolph Heesen left yesterday for South Bend and other points in Indiana on a business trip. He may only be away a few days and his visit may be prolonged until the first of the year.

The second one of the series of dancing parties will be held at the armory Thursday evening. Good music and good management will prevail and a fine time will be anticipated for all who attend.

Have you seen the latest thing out in porous plasters? If you wish to know how they work just ask Ed Holdway and Dave Macham. They have them and take great pleasure in explaining their superiority over others.

The Tecumseh News presented to its readers last week a paper several columns larger than usual. It is well printed and contains beside good reading matter many announcements of the business firms showing their enterprise to reach the people during the holiday season.

The chairman of the Invitation committee of the Christmas party has received a communication suggesting names of friends to whom invitations should be sent. This is very proper and he would consider it a favor if any interested lady or gentleman would kindly send the names of friends either here or away to whom notice of the party should be given.

News was received yesterday of the death of Dr. S. J. Fulton, of Norwich, N. Y. Dr. Fulton lived and practiced medicine in Tecumseh for many years but for the last twenty years has been a resident of New York state. Mrs. Fulton who survives him is a sister of Mrs. A. L. Millis and of the late Mrs. Horace Baker and Dr. Wm. Fisher. This is sad intelligence to the many friends of the family in Tecumseh.

Capt. Hayden received a letter yesterday from Scove Walker stating that he had received his permanent appointment as postal clerk. Scove's many friends in Tecumseh all rejoice with him, the only regret being that he will be obliged to live on the line which will take him away from Tecumseh. His final examination was an honor, his percentage being 98.70. It may well be said that "Uncle Sam" has no more honest and conscientious an employee than Scove Walker.

Be sure you hear King Cole at the Deestrick Skule tonight.

Last Saturday evening while Mr. and Mrs. Peter Marsh were coming along by the little park south of the Episcopal church, some one on a bicycle ran into Mrs. Marsh knocking her down and bruising her considerably. While Mr. Marsh was caring for his wife the wheelman mounted and stole away in the darkness without being recognized. It is fortunate that Mrs. M. was not seriously hurt. An ordinance should be passed requiring those riding wheels after dark to carry a light, especially now they are allowed to ride on the walks.

The program rendered by the Young Peoples' Christian Union at the Universalist church, a week ago Sunday evening, was very interesting and delighted the congregation, which nearly filled the church. It was varied in character and all acquitted themselves with credit. The short historical sketch of the Union from its organization demonstrated what a few earnest workers can accomplish by united effort. This little band would put to shame many similar societies numerically much stronger.

Wm. Smallidge has had his pension restored to him.

Mrs. General Humphrey, of Adrian, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Tiffany.

Geo. W. Marvin, of the Bankrupt store, is suffering from a slight attack of rheumatism.

John Chamberlain came over from Adrian yesterday to take a position in the Bankrupt store.

The raffle for Harry Richter's fine hammerless shot-gun came off last night at C. A. Wright's drug store. No. 3 was the lucky number and was held by John J. Freeman, treasurer of the Fur Club, the members of which are delighted.

James Lowry has in stock the most complete and finest line of crockery ever seen in Tecumseh. He will present in Tuesday's edition of the Herald a complete description of this part of this part of his business, both in advertising space and reading matter. Watch for it.

Farmers' Social Club.

At the meeting of the club held Friday evening at J. K. Waldron's, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—John Boyce.
Vice pres.—A. P. Coddington.
Sec. and treas.—Miss Leva Gillespie.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, at the residence of H. B. Roberts. A full attendence of members is desired.

PROGRAM.

Address by the president.
Instrumental music—Bertha Roberts.
Dec.—Ralph Gillespie.
Charade—Mr. and Mrs. Bowen.
Instrumental music—Edith Rector.
Select Reading—Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse.
Historical questions to be answered by the club.
Vocal Music—Hazel Roberts.
Rec.—Alma Waldron.
Geographical questions answered.
Question, "How can the local clubs best secure loyal support of the measures advocated by the state association from their respective legislators elect," led by Mr. Coddington.

For This Evening.

The ladies of St. Peter's church, assisted by a few gentlemen friends, will present the "Deestrick Skule" at the opera house this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock city time. Following is the program:

Ichabod Brainpusher McKinnon, ye Pedagogue.

James Butler Davidson, William Henry Anderson, Reuben Louder Hicks, Ephriam Lafayette Keyes, Samson Pettibone Harris, Mark Hanna Bidwell, Robbie Rowe Kyle, Jeremiah Hosmer, Willie Trot Crosby, Johnnie Green Rosacrans, Jonathan Zimmerman, Obediah Conklin; Betsy Jerusha Wood, Dorcas Deliverance Hall, Libbie Marier Hicks, Tribulation Harris, Melinda and Belinda Bumpus (twins), Jane Ann Sophier Hardenburg, Patience Penelope Heesen, Amanda Ann Anderson, Sophronia Sisson, Samantha Stout, Keturah Jane Train, Tasy Ann Avery.

Ye Skule Committee and wives: Dr. Hayseed Smith, Squire Kicker Stacy, Deacon Wayback Field, (a widower of six weeks).

MORNING SKULE.

Skule call and roll call—Recitation of ye classes and spelling.

AFTERNOON SKULE.

Examination of classes: speaking of pieces; singing of ye skule; arrival of committee.

P. S.—Tickets to visit ye skule 25c, and 15c for your children except those in arms and they are free.

P. S.—Ye scholars will wear their Sunday clothes.

THE RAILROAD MEETING.

A Well Attended and Enthusiastic Meeting, Addressed by J. B. Townsend and Others.

The railroad meeting at the Armory last evening was well attended and J. B. Townsend, of Lima, Ohio, attorney for the road, used about an hour and one-half of the time in explaining the situation.

He said that the Lima Northern was a continuation of the old Ohio Southern, which starts in Jackson county, Ohio, and now comprises the Ohio Southern and Lima Northern from the Jackson Hill coal fields of Ohio to within three miles of Adrian, where it now strikes the Wabash.

Should the road be built through Adrian and Tecumseh it would tap the C., J. & M. at this place and Tecumseh would be the end of a division. A small round house would be required and some of the crews would require homes here.

From Tecumseh the freight would follow the C., J. & M. west toward Holland, the contemplated lake harbor, and toward Dundee and Toledo for the East.

The Lima Northern is a coal road and has reduced the price of soft coal 65 cents a ton to all the towns, including Adrian, which it has run through.

Mr. Townsend proposes to make to the citizens of Tecumseh a direct proposition as to how much aid will be required to secure the road and states that if the proposition is accepted and Adrian does her share the road will be built.

After some remarks from Mr. Lilley, Mr. Lee and Mr. Temple, the meeting instructed the committee of ten to meet Mr. Townsend at the Lilley State Bank at ten o'clock this morning to hear the proposition.

Short Line to Michigan Points.

Take the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y for Tecumseh, Jackson, Homer, Marshall, Battle Creek, Allegan and Grand Rapids. Trains leave Tecumseh at 8:45 a. m. and 4:11 p. m., making close connection at Jackson with trains of the Michigan Central R. R. for Lansing, Eaton Rapids, Charlott, Hastings, Grand Rapids and intermediate points.

The Closing.

While I recognize the fact that newspapers are not the proper tribunals in which to try law suits yet I cannot by my silence accept as true the unkind and misleading statements that appear in the letter of Mr. Mills published last week in regard to the differences between Co. C and the Electric Light Co.

The oil lamps used in the armory were put in at the same time as the electric lights and we have burned either as suited our convenience. Co C has never made any agreement to use the electricity exclusively nor was there ever any implied understanding one way or the other about it.

The company have always paid their bills to the Electric Co. in full, and while there was a misunderstanding some months back when both the senior officers of Co. C were away, yet on their return everything was settled and for several months there has not been the slightest difficulty until the following letter was received which explains itself:

Tecumseh, Mich., Nov. 24, '96.
Office of
Tecumseh Electric Co.
All kinds electrical supplies.
To members of Co. C., M. S. T.

GENTLEMEN:

The time is close at hand when we will be obliged to use the current of electricity that has been held with which to serve your lamps, in other places. The large number of lights recently put in private residences with those now contracted for will use our full capacity of current. For the lights in your entire building we get but about $1.00 a month and these same lights when placed in private residences will bring from $8.00 to $10.00. I explain thus fully that you may see why we make the change. If you wish to sell the fixtures you have I think I can find sale for them for you at a reasonable price.

If convenient to you we would like to make the change on Dec 1.

Very respectfully yours,
TECUMSEH ELECTRIC CO.
Per A. W. Mills, Manager.

Mr. Mills, in the letter published last week, makes no reference to the condition of the affairs of the Knights of Pythias, yet he writes them a letter to the same effect as the one sent to Co. C, and they have taken the same legal steps to secure their rights and secured the same injunction.

There is no dispute or never has been between the Knights of Pythias and the Electric Co. and we submit that Mr. Mills had no occasion to resurrect a passing trifling misunderstanding, once satisfactorily settled and when matters had been running without a complaint for months, assign it as a cause for his arbitrary action and notice that our lights were to be cut off.

There never was any more delay in the payment of our electric light bills than there is in any organization where bills are presented and allowed at regular meetings and Mr. Mills has always gotten his pay and always will for any service we get.

Mr. Mills is a good and successful business man and we respect him as such but he has no right to deprive us of our light in order to increase the dividends of an already well paying corporation.

When the above letter was received a committee from Co. C, acting in connection with a committee from the Knights of Pythias, sought legal advice and were informed that the Electric Co., acting under a franchise and contract with the village, were obliged to furnish current for all who asked it at the contract rate of 3-4 cents per lamp per hour, no matter how little or much they used it. If Mr. Mills would look up the law on the subject a little instead of spending his time writing long-winded communications he would know better where he was at.

We had an interview with Mr. Mills which gave us no satisfaction whatever and so rather than be cut off and without our lights and obliged to undertake tedious and expensive litigation to get them restored, we applied for and were promptly allowed an injunction restraining him from cutting off our current.

The young men of Co. C and the K. P's are imbued with the same spirit as were the boys of Boston Common a hundred years ago and want their legal rights and nothing more.

From now on we will let the courts determine the right of this controversy and shall have nothing farther to say in the papers. WILL H. HAYDEN.

High School Happenings.

Gloyd Warner has been absent this week.

Winnie Wilson was absent Monday forenoon.

Wallace Bryan was a high school visitor Wednesday.

After several weeks' absence Albert Rector is again among us.

Mrs. Ed. Rogers and Mrs. Wm. Jordan visited the grade rooms Tuesday.

Grace Austin called on her old schoolmates in the high school Tuesday afternoon.

Another new pupil in the sixth grade, Theodore Grootenhuis. And, still they keep coming.

H. C. Aldag, of Indianapolis, has been inspecting the work in Miss Hartbeck's room for the past week.

The Chemisty class visited the foundry to see the men cast on Wednesday instead of having their regular recitation hour. The class enjoyed it immensely but it is doubtful if the men at work had so good a time.

L. M. Kellogg, Miss Jennie Gallatin and Miss Alice Wimple attended the joint meeting of the schoolmasters' club and association of teachers of English held at Ann Arbor the latter part of last week. They all returned filled with wisdom and enthusiasm for their work.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—I want to borrow some money for two or three years on good security and will pay interest semi-annually. Drop a card to Lock Box 15, for further particulars.

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fresh goods, 1 case each of

Haskell's Wheat Flakes,

H-O Oatmeal,

Ryena Flakes.

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CAPS, COLLARS, MITTENS,
MUFFLERS, CUFFS,
NECKTIES, GLOVES, MITTENS.

This is only a starter. Call and we will tell you a hundred different articles

Suitable For Holiday Gifts.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

SNOW.

Just a few weeks off.

Perhaps you think this is anticipating events a trifle—plunging you headlong into mid-winter snow. Not at all. The calendar is always getting away from us, snow drifts are only a few weeks off, and all the weather prophets are piling up the snow drifts particularly high this year. We can put you

ON A FELT FOOTING.

that is a safe insurance against cold feet.

At Prices that cannot Help But Please You.

Call and see us.

Karner Bros.

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still continues with its unbroken record of success, with hundreds of imitators it has no rival. Adapted for

WOOD or COAL.

See the name on the leg.

Satterthwaite Bros.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Total Asked for State Institutions Reaches Over $1,000,000.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—As required by the statute, the boards of control of the various state institutions have submitted to the state board of corrections and charities their estimates for needed appropriations to be asked of the coming legislature for 1897 and 1898, and these estimates have been passed upon by the board. They are as follows:

Michigan asylum for the insane—$31,740; approved at $26,250; not favored, $5,000.

Upper peninsula hospital for the insane—$150,108; approved at $111,623; not favored, $38,885.

Asylum for dangerous and criminal insane—$3,974; approved.

School for the blind—Current expenses for two years, $67,730; approved.

School for the deaf—Current expenses, $150,300; approved; special purposes, $76,-625; approved at $27,525; not favored, $48,-100.

State public school—Current expenses, $62,000; approved; special purposes, $2,-871.75; approved.

Home for the feeble minded and epileptic—Current expenses, $99,700; approved at $88,988; not favored, $13,832; special purposes, $152,200; approved at $146,550; not favored, $5,650.

Industrial home for girls—Current expenses, $35,718; approved; special purposes, $5,970; approved at $4,460; not favored, $1,-530.

Industrial school for boys—Current expenses, $120,000; approved; special purposes, $9,000; approved.

State prison—$30,000; approved.

Ionia reformatory—$13,700; approved.

Marquette prison—$46,500; approved at $32,500; not favored, $14,000.

The appropriations asked for aggregate $1,097,548.55. The board approves of an aggregate of $343,461.55, making a total cut of $124,087.

FOR FUTURE WORK.

Michigan "Sound Money" Democrats to Stay in the Field.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 4.—The sound money democratic state central committee met here and decided unanimously not only to maintain the present organization, but to strengthen and extend it in every county in Michigan. If the silverites nominate candidates for justice of the supreme court and regents of the university next spring and adopt silver resolutions the sound money democrats may put up an independent ticket. A committee was appointed to draft a statement of how Michigan felt in regard to continuing the organization and to urge the national organization to be kept up. The statement will be taken to the Indianapolis conference this week by Thomas W. Wilson, of Jackson, the Michigan member of the national committee.

COUNTERFEITERS CONVICTED.

Sentence of George and Frank Kingston Is Deferred.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 7.—Frank and George Kingston were convicted in the United States court Saturday of counterfeiting, and sentence was deferred pending a motion for a new trial. They are brothers, 33 and 28 years old respectively, and their father was a pioneer of Ionia, where their mother lives. They have been shoving counterfeit $20 bills in Missouri and Arkansas, and were traced by means of a box containing their printing press, dies and other apparatus to Ionia and to their mother's house. The box contained $7,-000 bogus money. It was a dangerous counterfeit.

FISH LAWS ARE VOID.

Supreme Court Declares a Recent Enactment Unconstitutional.

Lansing, Dec. 5.—In affirming the decision in the case of Fish vs. Stockdale, which came from Allegan county, the supreme court declared unconstitutional act 168 of the laws of 1893, to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this state. The original act, which the above amended, applies to inland lakes only, and the object was to extend the provisions to other inland waters. The court finds that the title was defective, in that it gave no notice to the people that the provisions of the original act were to be extended to other subjects.

New Supreme Court Reporter.

Lansing, Dec. 6.—The supreme court has accepted the resignation of William D. Fuller, for the past ten years supreme court reporter. Mr. Fuller, during the time he has been reporter, has published 47 volumes of Michigan reports, including volume 105, which will soon be out, which is equal to one-half of the entire reports printed in the state. The court accepted the resignation, which takes effect January 1, and immediately appointed John A. Brooks Mr. Fuller's successor. He has for several years been assistant reporter.

The Next Senate.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—The next state senate will contain four bankers, six lumbermen, two real estate dealers, three merchants, three insurance men, three lawyers, four farmers, one mine manager, one manufacturer, one sailor, one miller, one stone quarry manager, two ministers. The oldest is 64 and the youngest 31, while the average age is about 47.

Heavy Losses by Hog Cholera.

Adrian, Dec. 7.—Hog cholera is getting in its work in the town of Madison, near here, over 100 fat porkers having died of the disease within a short time, entailing a great loss upon the farmers. More than $150,000 loss was sustained by farmers of that vicinity last year from the same cause.

Young Man Kills Himself.

Ypsilanti, Dec. 7.—Prof. Lodeman, of the normal school, has received word of the suicide of his son Ernest, at a hotel in Mexico, N. Y. The young man had been an instructor in Cornell university. Prof. Lodeman attributes his son's deed to insanity. He shot himself with a revolver.

South Bend, Dec. 5.—The body of Rose Goins, the colored cabin maid whose whereabouts have been persistently sought since the burning of the steamer City of Kalamazoo Monday morning, was found by dragging the river Friday morning.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of Information from Many Localities.

S. S. Bailey, of Grand Rapids, has invented a horseless carriage.

Miss Sarah Pardee, who had lived at Ypsilanti since 1833, died recently, aged 84 years.

John Fitzpatrick, of Mount Pleasant, who was struck by a switch engine on Thanksgiving day, is dead.

The annual reunion of the Sixth Michigan cavalry will be held at the Bailey house, Ionia, on New Year's day.

It is said the narrow-gauge railroad will be extended from Hartford to Holland by way of Saugatuck next summer.

Dowagiac capitalists propose to dam the St. Joseph river five miles above Niles and furnish power to neighboring villages.

The Standard wheel works at Kalamazoo has resumed operations, employing 200 men, after a close down of several weeks.

Secretary of War Lamont has approved the plans for improving Grand river and has ordered an advertisement for bids to be opened next month.

Cattle and sheep thieves are driving a lively business in Tuscola county. Grain and other farm products also disappear in a mysterious manner.

It is said that Detroit members of the legislature will introduce and support a bill to abolish the office of coroner and put the duties on justices of the peace.

Mayor Richter, of Niles, has vetoed an ordinance which would give the American Telegraph & Telephone company the right to set up poles in that city.

A little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dean, of West Owosso, was burned to death recently. His mother left him in the house while she went to hang out her washing and his clothes caught fire from the stove.

A legislative bill will be introduced to make Berrien county a separate judicial circuit detaching Cass county. Judge O. W. Coolidge cannot find time to hold court in both counties. There are about 200 cases ahead and the October term is not finished.

DEMAND NEW LAWS.

Resolutions Adopted by Michigan Federation of Labor.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—The Michigan State Federation of Labor Thursday demanded the enactment of laws making it a misdemeanor for employers to coerce employes by threatening to either curtail or suspend operations unless a certain candidate is elected; also to reduce the competition of convict with free labor to a minimum. A committee was appointed to confer with the State Wheelmen's league with a view to securing a law requiring that convicts be employed on roads as far as possible. Resolutions demanding free text books and favoring government ownership of railroad and telegraph lines, postal savings banks, the issuing of all money by the government direct and making use and occupancy the sole basis of ownership of lands were indorsed.

FOR LOVE AND HUMANITY.

Miss Coleman Starts for Cuba to Join Her Lover in the Army.

La Grange, Ind., Dec. 5.—Miss Anna F. Coleman, of Noble Center, Branch county, Mich., left this city Friday for Key West, Fla., where she hopes to find passage to Cuba. William R. Needham, aged 23, a Michigan boy, is a soldier in the Cuban army under Maceo. Miss Coleman is Needham's betrothed. A love of adventure led Needham to volunteer his services to the cause of Cuban independence. Miss Coleman will take service with the Cuban army as a nurse, and is hopeful of being attached to the same command under whose standard Needham is fighting.

FOUND IN POTTER'S FIELD.

Wife Discovers Body of Her Long Absent Husband.

Sturgis, Dec. 6.—A little over a year ago W. H. Thomas fell between the bumpers of a Lake Shore freight train and was killed. His remains were buried in potter's field. The local undertaker, after considerable correspondence, succeeded in locating his wife, who now lives in Grand Rapids. She came here, had the remains disinterred and buried in a lot, and ordered a tombstone to mark his grave. Thomas' parents live in a western state, where he married, and he was in quest of work when here. His wife did not know his whereabouts.

Body Found.

Albion, Dec. 7.—The body of the missing student, George W. Nichols, of Galesburg, was found in the northeast of Spectacle lake Saturday morning by George Spalding, who will receive $200 reward. A bullet hole in the left temple shows that Nichols shot himself before plunging into the lake. The young man's father, Melvin R. Nichols, will take the body to Galesburg.

Died in Its Mother's Arms.

Bay City, Dec. 4.—While Mrs. Martin L. Wiseman was lying sick with a six-weeks old infant her husband was sent up 20 days for drunkenness. The nurse left after several days and Mrs. Wiseman, being too weak to care for things, allowed the fire to go out. Wednesday her baby was found dead in her arms. Officer Wyman has engaged a physician and nurse.

Railway Earnings.

Lansing, Dec. 3.—The earnings of Michigan railway corporations for September decreased $160,055 from those of the same time last year, this year's total being $2,403,132. Up to October this year the earnings were $21,-604,997, an increase of $498,464, or 2.31 per cent. over a like period of 1895.

Howell, Dec. 4.—Charles, the 14-year-old son of Joseph Tunnard, was drowned while skating on Thompson lake before school. He broke through the ice. The body was found in 40 feet of water.

HOARD FOR THE CABINET.

Michigan Horticulturists Indorse Wisconsin's Ex-Governor.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 4.—Honorary President T. T. Lyon, of the state horticultural society, on Thursday urged the importance of having a secretary of agriculture of sufficient breadth and character to appreciate the importance of fruit-growing interests of the country, and to give that branch the same encouragement and assistance as other branches. A committee was appointed to draft a memorial to President-elect McKinley on the subject, and the memorial came out in the form of a hearty indorsement of the candidacy of ex-Gov. Hoard, of Wisconsin, for the place. Resolutions were also adopted asking the horticulturists of Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio and other fruit-growing states to cooperate in the matter. Resolutions were also adopted favoring the replacement of the tariff on summer vegetables, fruits and nursery stock as a protection against Canada. Such imports came in almost duty free, while the Canadians charged a tariff almost prohibitive. The annual session closed with papers and discussions. The society reelected the old officers as follows: President, Roland Morrill, Benton Harbor; secretary, Edwin C. Reid, Allegan; treasurer, Asa W. Slayton, Grand Rapids; executive committee, F. J. Russell, Hart; R. D. Graham, Grand Rapids.

LOW LANDS OVERFLOWED.

Much Damage from Ice Gorge in the Menominee River.

Menominee, Dec. 5.—Heavy rains, followed by snow and freeze-up, are causing trouble up the Menominee river. The river from Fischer, some 22 miles from here, north of Twin island, is jammed full of ice, and an ice dam is formed at the former place, which, unless soon broken, will result in great loss of property. Miles of territory are already overflowed. The large farm of the Kirby-Carpenter company is covered with water from four to six feet deep. Farmers have lost much stock, and winter provisions stored in cellars are damaged. In one place near the Cedar river the overflow has changed the course of the Menominee and the greater bulk of its waters are now flowing through the Cedar river channel, which has greatly swollen that small stream, causing it to overflow its banks.

BIG LUMBER MILL SOLD.

Forster & Burns Pay $20,000 for a Plant at Menominee.

Menominee, Dec. 3.—The Blodgett & Davis mill, with a capacity of 35,000,000 feet per season, has become the property of Forster & Burns; consideration, $20,000. The mill has been idle during the past season. The new firm will put in a stock of 17,000,000 feet of logs on the Michigamme and Menominee rivers; besides this, enough more to make 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 will be brought in by rail. The Forster Lumber company of Milwaukee, of which the gentlemen comprising the new firm are members, owns a large amount of stumpage in the Lake Superior district, from which the property for another year will be drawn both by rail and by rafting.

BOYS DO GOOD WORK.

Satisfactory Showing of State Industrial School.

Lansing, Dec. 5.—During the last two years, ending June 30, the state industrial school for boys in this city has received 650 boys, and has released on full discharge 306, on leave of absence, 307, of whom six have returned as improper subjects and three have died. There have been no escapes. In the annual report of the institution, which has just been submitted to Gov. Rich, the trustees assert that the work of the past two years has been most satisfactory in every respect, and that they have the satisfaction of knowing that no school of its kind in the United States stands the peer of the one with which they are connected.

Pottawatomies Paid.

Decatur, Dec. 6.—A distribution of $118,000 in delayed annuities since 1866 is now being made among the 272 members of the Pottawatomie tribe of Indians in southwestern Michigan. Many of the Indians are squandering their newly-acquired wealth, but the band at Athens will devote its share to the erection of a handsome church.

Ore Shipments Suspended.

Ishpeming, Dec. 4.—The Lake Superior & Ishpeming railroad has suspended ore shipments for the winter season, and all construction work has also been stopped. The company has not yet decided to extend the line to the mines during the winter, for which about five miles of track would be required.

Awarded Damages.

Edwardsburg, Dec. 4.—Three years ago Mrs. Evaline Aldrich, of this place, was burned to death in the terrible railroad wreck at Battle Creek. In a suit for damages the administrator has received a verdict against the Grand Trunk in Cass county circuit court for $1,110.

Wants No Demonstration.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—Considerable disappointment is felt by the people of this city because of the refusal by Gov. elect Pingree to permit any demonstration upon the occasion of his inauguration January 1, arrangements for which had been going on for several weeks.

Killed Himself.

Mount Clemens, Dec. 1.—Charles Bayless, manager of the street car system here, killed himself by shooting at the Avery house. Unhappy relations with his wife are assigned. He came from Muncie, Ind., and his relatives live at Bessemer, Mich.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—The Michigan Medical Legislation league is preparing to go before the legislature this winter with a bill which will tend to prevent quacks and fake doctors from practicing in the state in the future.

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Grover's shoes for tender feet	98
Men's leather boots	1.67
Boy's "	98
Rubber boots, first quality	2.35
Men's, women's, boys', girls' shoes	98
Then see our line for	1.38
Men's buckle artics	89
Boys, suits, coats and pants	83
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Underwear	23
Men's pants	83
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Remarks by Bill Nye, worth its weight	67
Teachers' Oxford Bible, " 4.50	1.47
Old Dr. Carlin's recipe book, worth 3.50	67
Josephus, complete works	98
Redpath's History of the United States	98
People's encyclopedia, worth 2.50	67
Wide, Wide World, two volumes	47
Popular Atlas of the World, worth 8	1.98
America Photographed, an elegant present	1.37
Fleetwood's Life of Christ	98
Famous Frontiersmen, a great western history [98	
Story of the Wild West	98
Our Presidents, from Washington to date	98
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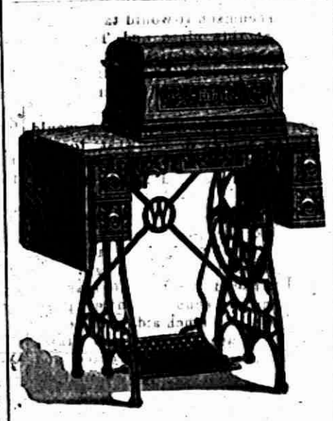

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CURRENCY REFORM.

A Formal Call for a Conference Is Issued.

It Will Assemble in Indianapolis January 12—Objects of the Gathering Are Projectors.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 5.—The executive committee in charge of the arrangements for the currency reform convention to meet in this city on January 12 agreed upon a form of call. The call, which is as follows, is signed by representatives of boards of trade and other commercial bodies in Cincinnati, Chicago, Cleveland, Columbus, Grand Rapids, Indianapolis, Louisville, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Louis, St. Paul and Toledo.

"The representatives of the boards of trade, chambers of commerce and similar commercial bodies of the cities of Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Louisville, Columbus, Cleveland, Toledo, Grand Rapids and Indianapolis, in conference assembled at the city of Indianapolis on the 1st day of December, 1896, after due deliberation, do hereby call a nonpartisan convention, to meet at the city of Indianapolis on the 12th day of January, 1897, to be composed of representative business men chosen from boards of trade, chambers of commerce, commercial clubs or other similar commercial bodies in cities of 8,000 or more inhabitants, according to the census of 1890, the basis of representation to be as tabulated and in accordance with the population of said cities, for the purpose of considering and suggesting such legislation as may in their judgment be necessary to place the currency system of the country upon a sound and permanent basis. In behalf of this call the conference submits that the fact that necessity for such legislation exists is generally conceded by business men.

"It is the right and the duty of the business men of the nation in a matter of such vital business concern to render to this cause all the aid which their experience and knowledge can afford. These owe it to themselves as citizens of the republic and as a matter of business self-preservation to participate actively, and, we believe, efficiently, in this movement. The business men have been accused of neglect of political duties; in ordinary times there may be some foundation for this charge, but at every critical juncture in the history of our country when the nation's perpetuity, honor or general welfare was seriously in danger they have in the spirit of enlightened patriotism risen to the full measure of their duty; and we believe that the painful experience of the country under the existing laws on the subject of the currency admonishes the business men that we have reached a point where it is their duty to take an active part in helping to solve the great questions involved.

"And we have a right to believe that a convention composed of broad-minded and enlightened business men, so earnest in the pursuit of truth that party considerations will be forgotten, convening in the spirit of enlightened patriotism, can and will do much in helping forward a wise and sound solution of the currency question.

"We are also justified in the light of the recent presidential election in saying that the voters of the nation are opposed to any plan of currency reform involving the use of any money which will place in jeopardy the honor or credit of our country

"Accepting these as conclusions from the recent manifestations of public opinion, we cordially and earnestly invite your organization to choose and send with proper credentials your representative business men to the proposed convention. Please appoint only those who will attend, and report the names of your delegates, as soon as practicable, to H. H. Hanna, chairman of executive committee, Indianapolis, Ind."

THE PUBLIC DEBT.

A Net Increase During the Month of November of $8,200,333.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The debt statement shows a net increase in the public debt, less cash in the treasury, during November of $8,200,333.16. The interest-bearing debt increased $60; the non-interest-bearing debt decreased $15,300, and cash in the treasury decreased $8,215,663.16. The total cash in the treasury was $835,961,579.81; the gold reserve was $100,000,000; net cash balance, $125,357,098.47. In the month there was an increase in gold coin and bars of $14,203,268.71, the total at the close being $169,527,101.34.

Favor Cuban Independence.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 7.—The Dallas Free Thinkers' association, the strongest organization of the kind in the United States outside of New York city, passed a series of resolutions in favor of Cuban independence. A memorial was adopted to be sent to President Cleveland and the two houses of congress urging immediate and practical action in behalf of free Cuba. The association pledged physical and moral aid to the revolutionists.

A Negro's Bloody Deed.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 7.—A negro named Davis, while out hunting with the two sons of his employer, Joe Williams, aged 15 and 13 years, near Pine Bluff, Ark., attacked the boys with a knife, cutting the throats of both and crushing the skull of the oldest. The elder boy is dead and the other cannot live. The negro escaped.

Froze to Death.

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 3.—While riding on the platform of an Omaha train between Merrill and Hinton Tuesday night Sheriff W. E. Herron, of Plymouth county, a well-known politician, was thrown off and so seriously injured that he could not move. He froze to death before help came.

Voted for Bryan and Sewall.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 3.—The presidential electors met here Wdnesday afternoon, in accordance with the state law, and cast the vote of Mississippi for president and vice president for Bryan and Sewall. They will meet again in January as per the federal law.

Theater Burned.

Muscatine, Ia., Dec. 4.—The Columbia theater was totally destroyed at an early hour Thursday morning. Loss, $35,000, with insurance at $7,500.

GROUND FOR CONFIDENCE.

Decline in Business Failures Regarded as a Hopeful Sign.

New York, Dec. 5.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"The classified failures for November, given to-day, show a gratifying reduction compared with October, and are especially [illegible] during the presidential campaign, which swelled failures $36,000,000 in August and September, did not prevent quick return to a monthly aggregate scarcely greater than that of May. Defaulted liabilities in 11 months have been $188,788,459, against $148,844,202 last year, the increase being only $14,000,000 outside of those two months, and this remaining increase of only 10 per cent. was also due in part to the alarm during the campaign. The decline of failures to about 40 per cent. of the September aggregate gives stronger ground for the confidence so generally expressed. Failures for the week have been 279 in the United States, against 324 last year, and in Canada 56, against 52 last year.

"Ground for confidence is also found in the abandonment of two of the largest combinations by which the iron industry has been retarded and the possibility that two others will be abandoned. Such a state of things within a month after the election suggests that these organizations, formed when depressed business failed to support all the works in existence, are not expected to survive a general revival and ample demand for products. The immediate effect of breaking prices is to check buying of iron and steel products, but it will soon be seen about where prices are to range. At present the base price for wire nails is $1.25, against $2.55 two weeks ago, with greater reduction on small sizes, because new cards reduced "extra" charges. Beams are selling at $1.35, against $1.55 two weeks ago, and there are sales of billets below the fixed price. The bar combination is still undersold by steel bars at 1.1 cents, and nothing is doing in rails, because the meeting shortly to be held will settle whether any price shall be fixed for the next year. Bessemer pig at Pittsburgh is lower, at $11.65, and gray forge at $10, but there is large demand for vessel plates, both on foreign contracts and for the lakes. Several thousand cars have been ordered and numerous new buildings and bridges.

"The volume of business shown by clearing house returns was for the past week nearly 1 per cent. over last year, and for the month of November 3 per cent., and 11 per cent. less than 1892, the comparison being the best for the past five months."

PENSION AFFAIRS.

Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reviews the Work.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The report of Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds for the present year shows the policy pursued in the administration of pension affairs. The assistant secretary says: "The liberal and generous spirit which prompted the enactment of the pension laws has been the guide of the department in their construction. Former adjudications have not been disturbed, save where fraud, error in law or mistake was apparent."

Figures are cited to show the significant reduction in pending cases and to demonstrate that, for the first time in eight years, the work of the office during the last year was devoted to considering current appeals. The action of the commissioner of pensions was reversed in 2,066 of the cases ruled.

Suggestion is again made as to the advisability of such legislation as will lodge in the federal courts the right of anyone, on behalf of the government, to ask better protection to the pension fund of those laboring under legal disabilities.

It is suggested that justice demands the universal application of the common-law rule in proof of marriage. State laws govern, and lead to denial of title in cases which are equally meritorious. It is claimed pensionable rights of minor children, whose claims come under the act of June 27, 1890, should be defined with more certainty where the soldier dies leaving no widow surviving.

The act of August 5, 1892, relates to pensionable title of those women who served as nurses during the war of the rebellion. Title is confined to those who served in regimental post, camp or general hospital. The refusal of the war department to recognize those as properly employed who served in the first three classes mentioned tends to defeat their title and renders this portion of the act nugatory. Attention is invited to this in order that proper legislation may be enacted to relieve any deserving claimants of an unjust and unintentional discrimination.

WANTS RECIPROCITY.

Canada Asks That Quarantine Against Cattle Be Abolished.

Ottawa, Can., Dec. 7.—Hon. A. S. Fisher, minister of agriculture, will be in Washington on the 15th or 16th inst. He goes to discuss with the American authorities the question of abolishing the international quarantine against cattle. If the American government will agree to abolishing the quarantine against Canadian cattle it is understood that Mr. Fisher will agree, on behalf of the Canadian government, to abolish quarantine against American cattle.

McKinley Will Be There.

Canton, O., Dec. 3.—Gen. T. S. Clarkson, commander in chief of the G. A. R., invited Maj. McKinley on behalf of the old soldiers of the country, 95 per cent. of whom, he said, supported the republican candidate, to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R. at Buffalo, on the 23d of August, 1897. Maj. McKinley said it would give him great pleasure to be present. This is the first engagement he has made since his election.

Two Men Lynched.

Lexington, Mo., Dec. 7.—At about one o'clock this morning a mob of Ray county farmers broke into the county jail here, secured Jesse Winner and James Nelson, held for the murder of Mrs. Winner and her two babes, and lynched them. The crime was committed six weeks ago.

Five Men Killed.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 7.—A head-end collision between two through freights on the Southern Pacific road near Waelder yesterday morning resulted in the death of two engineers, two firemen and a brakeman.

Bank Note Circulation.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The monthly statement of the comptroller of the currency shows that on November 30 the amount of national bank notes in circulation was $235,312,103, an increase for the month of $414,446 and for the last 12 months of $21,440,907.

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

Secretary Herbert Says That More Ships Are Needed.

While Great Progress Has Been Made Towards Strengthening It, We Are in Powers on the Sea.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The secretary of the navy, Hilary A. Herbert, has made public his last annual report to the president on the affairs of his department. The document, while affording much ground for congratulation, is from beginning to end a warning to the country of the insufficiency of its navy for the requirements of war. To show, however, the vast progress that has been made of late years, the report begins by quoting from the president's message in December, 1885, the following words: "We have not a single vessel of war that could keep the sea against a first-class vessel of any important power." It quotes also from a former report of the secretary in which he pointed out the danger of relying on commerce-destroying cruisers as a protection in time of war. The French revolution and the recent civil war are cited as illustrations of the fact that preying on a nation's commercial marine has no effect on the course nor the results of a war.

Work of the Administration.

The secretary's report shows that congress has authorized the building of 29 vessels since this administration began. There were five battle ships, six light-draft gunboats, 16 torpedo boats and one submarine torpedo boat, with a total displacement of 65,868 tons. During the administration there will have been placed in commission three first-class and two second-class battle ships, two armored cruisers, four double-turreted monitors and one harbor defense ram, a total of 12 armored vessels, with a displacement of 81,517 tons. In addition to these armored ships, eight cruisers and three gunboats will have received their first commission, making a grand total of 23 vessels, with an aggregate displacement of 118,134 tons. During the year eight vessels have been finished and accepted.

More Vessels Being Built.

The report shows 21 vessels, including seven torpedo boats and one steam tug, under construction. The tug is to be completed this month, and 14 others are to be finished during 1897. There are 42 vessels in commission, with a total tonnage of 127,859 tons. June 30 there were 8,165 enlisted men and 1,378 apprentices in the navy. Of the enlisted men 72 per cent. are citizens, and 82 per cent. of the apprentices are American born. The secretary urges an appropriation to enable the department to convert boats in the merchant marine into war vessels in case of need.

Praise for Naval Militia.

Considerable space is given to a favorable report on the naval militia, which has 3,339 members in 15 states. Naval officers agree that the naval militia will be a powerful adjunct for coast defense in case of war. An extensive system of mobilization and defense has been prepared and will be communicated to the militia.

He reports that the department expended, exclusive of money for public works, for the year ended June 30, the sum of $13,002,625.41. The appropriations for the current year are $36,500,000, and he estimates the expenditures at $29,311,000. The grand total of his estimates for 1898 foot up $34,215,000.

Mr. Herbert recommends the construction of three light-draft battle ships and says in relation thereto: "Battle ships that could enter the harbors of Savannah, New Brunswick, Key West, Tampa, Pensacola, Mobile and the mouth of the Mississippi at all times would have an immense advantage over the battle ships of foreign nations, few, if any, of which could enter these ports. Light-draft battle ships, if we had them, could make any of these ports bases of supply, could sally forth from them or retire into them at will, and could therefore almost always offer battle on their own terms. There are also many of our ports farther north which would give the same advantages to such ships."

THE TURNPIKE WAR.

Kentucky Mobs Continue Their Destruction of Tollgates.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Dec. 7.—A mob of men armed with shotguns and axes, rode through Mercer Saturday night and chopped down six tollgates. Over 300 tollgates have been burned or chopped down since the turnpike war began in Washington county three months ago, and as yet only five arrests have been made. No convictions resulted from these. The gates destroyed represent 1,500 miles of turnpike valued at $4,000,000, and the state and county authorities have furnished no protection whatever.

WHOLESALE POISONING.

Nearly One Hundred Families in Milwaukee Affected.

Milwaukee, Dec. 5.—The health department reports a wholesale poisoning of families in the northern part of the city. According to reports which reach the health department members of about 100 families are ill, with all the symptoms of arsenical poisoning. The people who are sick had eaten bread purchased at a bakery establishment on Sherman street, and the physicians and officers of the health department are inclined to attribute the origin of the wholesale poisoning to that source.

Orchards Ruined.

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 7.—Information is just beinning to reach here of the enormous loss to orchards as a result of the present storm in the northwest. The snow was preceded by a storm of rain and sleet, which froze to the trees, breaking off the limbs, and, in many cases, even splitting the trunks almost to the ground. Within a radius of 50 miles of Sioux City the loss is said to amount into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 7.—The total vote of the state in the recent election was 47,381, of which McKinley received 23,336; Bryan, 20,689; Levering, 356. McKinley's plurality is 7,647.

Drowned While Skating.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 7. — William Bourke, 7 years old; Josie Bourke, 11 years old; Daniel Ryan, 6 years old, and Martin Burns, 10 years old, were drowned here while skating.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 8, 1896

The article in the HERALD of November 27th regarding the failure of the Mabley establishment, in Detroit, has been copied by almost every county newspaper in the state. The truth, as well as gossip, is bound to spread.

The people of Tecumseh seem to take the idea of a semi-weekly very easily and nicely and in this issue may be found a number of new advertisements which have walked in without any solicitation. In fact so many that there is now no more space to be let in the Tuesday edition. Several advertisers have already been taking locals because the space was all filled. This indeed is a pleasant state of affairs.

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Such has been the history of the business career of Tecumseh's well-known grocery and crockery dealer James Lowry. Just twenty years ago this fall, after closing a very successful apprenticeship and clerkship in the grocery line, he embarked in business for himself, starting in a small way and with small capital; but by judicious business management and hard labor he proceeded to use tact and good business methods in place of large capital and made a success under the same circumstances in which nine men out of ten would have made a failure. Business kept constantly increasing until about seven years ago he was obliged to occupy a second store. This room has been used since as an exclusive crockery department and is not only the largest in Tecumseh but will rank more than even with any other in the county. Mr. Lowry being confident that to have a full assortment of goods means to sell them, has made special effort this fall to stock up this department of his business in such a manner that any person who has any money to spend for the holiday season can spend it successfully and to their pleasure in his crockery store. His invoices of china have been imported direct from France, Germany and Australia, besides everything of value to be found from the manufacturers of this country. The porcelain and granite comes from England. Cut glass also from this country, and in all the invoices the complement of assortments and prices is complete. Especially fine are the styles of odd pieces, such as cups and saucers, creamers and sugars, in all comprising some 600 patterns. The line of jardiniers is more complete than was ever before found in the county and are especially beautiful on account of the cheapness in price. In lamps the range is complete from the finest banquet lamp at almost any price you want to pay, down to the hand lamp at less than a quarter. Before the holidays it is well nigh impossible for people to find out what would be the most acceptable and appropriate for gifts, but when one seee the beautiful stock and immense assortment in Mr. Lowry's crockery store, the task is easy. The HERALD representative is informed that the goods for the holidays are now unpacked and that everyone is invited to call and see them.

Alvinza Whelan.

The subject of this sketch was born to John and Freelove Whelan in the township of Franklin, Feb. 16, 1835. Until he reached his majority, he remained on the farm with his parents, where with the counsel and instruction of his father, he became fully equipped for the life work he chose, that of tiller of the soil. In January, 1856, he was married to Miss Adelia Witherell, and started out for himself on a farm given him by his father, which under his skillful management was brought to a high state of cultivation, and upon which he erected fine and commodious barns and other out-buildings. Here his sons were born and reared to manhood. Mr. Whelan was a man of the strictest integrity and in all his transactions was governed by a sense of the brotherhood of man. In October, 1894, after 38 years spent on the farm, he purchased the property on West Chicago street, Tecumseh, which has since been his home.

On the 7th day of July last he was taken sick with pleurisy, which medical skill seemed unable to control. In October he was taken to Detroit hoping a change of scene and the most skillful medical treatment might prove beneficial, but it was not so to be. The disease assumed many forms and he gradually grew weaker. Soon after his return home he had an attack of apoplexy and he passed away, surrounded by his loved ones, about 6:30 a. m., Dec. 1st. The widow and two sons, John and Howard, survive him. The funeral was held at the house, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 3, Rev. E. Andrus officiating, and the remains placed in the cemetery here.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Reports to the state board of health show that neuralgia, rheumatism, bronchitis, tonsilitis, and influenza, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Consumption was reported at 227 places, typhoid fever at 44, diphtheria at 42, scarlet fever at 31, measles at 21, and whooping cough at 10 places.

Wm. and Ellen Howlett, of Kent county were married forty-four years ago, and of the fourteen children born to them, twelve are living. Howlett is 79 years of age, and Mrs. Howlett 66. The aged couple are having a lawsuit relative to property matters, and the wife has commenced divorce proceedings against her aged hubby.—State

The name of our old friend A. W. Smith, is mentioned in connection with the position of postmaster at Adrian, and those of all shades of political faith say, Amen. For a quarter of a century the genial "Doc" has been a faithful standard bearer of the republican party and if "the laborer is worthy of his hire" it is time he began to draw the pay.—Addison Courier.

Of all the roots with which horses are tempted, the carrot, as a rule is the favorite and perhaps the most beneficial. It is said to be somewhat diuretic in its effects, and to exercise salubrious influence on the skin. Certain it is that a sick horse may be coaxed into eating carrots when disinclined to partake of other nourishment, and the greatest benefit results. For the ailing horse the crrrots are most valuable as an article of diet and a few may be given with advantage even to a horse in healthy condition.—Addison Courier.

Who is a merchant? He is the man who helps pay for the streets upon which you walk; for the schools in which your children and perhaps yourself were educated; he helps to keep up the church in which you worship; he is the man who builds a house and enhances the value of your property; every subscription paper that is passed his name is on it; he is the man who can't afford to swindle you, self interests if nothing else would prevent this; he bears his share of the burden of good government and stays with you in sunshine and darkness, in days of prosperity and adversity. These are but a few reasons why our patronage should be given to the home merchant.—Exchange.

Nose parties are among the latest fads. The girls are all concealed behind a curtain, into which small slits have been sliced. Each girl puts her nose through a slit and the young men select their partners for the evening by their noses. Instead of the eyes having it, the noses always have it in this case. There is great advantage in this over the old game of selection by the foot. Then the girl could wiggle her toes a little, stand in some attitude so the fond lover, who anderstood the prearranged signal, could recognize her. No girl, however much accomplished she may be, can wiggle her nose or so dispose or arrange it in the slit that the lover can detect it with unerring certainty.—Morenci Observer.

Attend To Your Eyes

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FOREIGN RELATIONS.

Secretary of State Olney Presents an Interesting Report.

He Shows Why Belligerent Rights Should Not Be Accorded Cuban Insurgents—Relations with Germany—Arbitration Treaty.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The report of the secretary of state relative to the president's message is a document summarizing the foreign relations of the United States during the past year. On the Cuban question Secretary Olney has much to say, and this is briefly summarized as follows:

He sets out in great detail the history of the growth of the rebellion, the present evil state of affairs on the island and other facts upon which the president bases his broad statement and conclusions. No reference is made to a report from Consul-General Lee, but the secretary intimates that his information comes principally from the United States consuls, and so must be regarded as confidential as to its source. The secretary's estimate of the present situation is disclosed in the following paragraph, made after a preliminary statement of the destruction of the industrial resources of Cuba:

Insurrection Formidable.

"From whatever point of view we regard the matter, it is impossible not to discern that a state of things exists at our doors alike dangerous to good relations, destructive of legitimate commerce, fatal to the internal resources of Cuba and most vexatious and trying because entailing upon this government excessive burdens in its domestic administration and in its outward relations. This situation cannot indefinitely continue without growing still worse, and the time may not be far distant when the United States must seriously consider whether its rights and interests, as well as its international duties, in view of its peculiar relation to the island, do not call for some decided change in the policy hitherto pursued."

The secretary says that while no prominent seaport has been attacked by the insurgents, a large part of the 2,200 miles of seacoast is practically in their hands, and from its rugged and wild character is peculiarly fitted for guerrilla warfare and affords easy means of receiving clandestine supplies of men and arms. The secretary adds:

"While Cuba, in fact, controlling the large area of the whole island of Cuba, from Cape San Antonio to Cape Maisi, and enjoying practically unlimited use of an equally large part of the coast, the revolutionary forces are scattered, being nowhere united for any length of time to form an army capable of attack or siege and fit to take the defensive in a pitched battle. Assembling suddenly at a given point, often in a single night, they make unexpected sallies or carry destruction to the tobacco and cane fields of Cuba, and at the first sign of pursuit or organized assault they disperse, only to reassemble at some other spot."

As to Recognition.

As bearing upon the question of recognition of the insurgents, probably soon to come before congress in some shape, the following statement by Secretary Olney is of importance as explaining his reasons for declining recognition:

"So far as our information shows, there is not only no effective local government by the insurgents in the territories overrun, but there is not even a tangible pretense to established administration anywhere. Their organization, confined to the shifting exigencies of the military operations of the hour, is nomadic, without definite centers and lacking the most elementary features of municipal government. There nowhere appears the nucleus of statehood. The machinery for exercising the legitimate rights and powers of sovereignty and responding to the obligations which de facto sovereignty entails in the face of equal rights of other states is conspicuously lacking. It is not possible to discern a homogeneous political entity of possessing and exercising the functions of administration, and capable, if left to itself, of maintaining orderly government in its own territory and sustaining normal relations with the external family of government."

In Regard to Venezuela.

Secretary Olney says very little more than does the president in his message respecting the Venezuelan boundary question. He announces, with gratification, that amicable counsels have prevailed to induce a satisfactory result of the attempts to an understanding, and that the boundary question and its associated phases have been at last eliminated, as between this country and England. He gives, however, no inkling of the nature of the treaty, beyond the statement that it provides for honorable arbitration of the whole controversy.

General Arbitration.

Touching the negotiations for a general arbitration treaty for the settlement of all future disputes between the United States and Great Britain, Secretary Olney says that both countries have given repeated proofs of their acquiescence in the great principle involved, not only by treaties between themselves, but severally by concluding like adjustments with other powers for the adjudication of disputes resting on law and fact, the subject was naturally approached in a benevolent spirit of agreement, and the negotiations have so satisfactorily progressed as to foreshadow a practical agreement at an early date upon the text of a convention to the desired end.

Relations with Germany.

Under the head of Germany, the report treats briefly of the exclusion from that country of American meat products. The situation apparently remains unchanged, and there has been no amelioration of the stringent measures adopted by Germany "on assumed grounds of public health" against our cattle. "On the contrary," says the secretary, "the disposition of Germany, visible for a number of years past, to still further impede and virtually inhibit this legitimate traffic is evidenced by fresh restrictive measures, national and local. Their unjustifiability and the erroneousness of the supposed premises on which they rest have been again pointed out, and the healthfulness of our exports supported by amply conclusive proof."

Other Subjects.

Hawaii comes in for a single short paragraph in the report, stating that no questions of importance have arisen; that a few claims for indemnity have been filed in behalf of United States citizens arrested during the last rebellion, and that the final chapter in the history of that attempted revolt was reached in the pardon of the ex-queen.

Other points in the report may be briefly summarized as follows: The Argentine government has settled the Hale claim by offering to pay an indemnity; arrests of naturalized Americans returning to Austria are becoming less frequent; efforts continue for the removal of restrictions on the importation of American cattle into Belgium; there are prospects of a speedy conclusion of arrangements for the completion of the work left unfinished by the Chilian claims commission of 1894; the [illegible] has settled all claims of Americans for losses through the anti-foreign riots, and it is expected that that government will soon consent to a formal recognition of the rights of American missionaries and teachers to full protection in their work and property.

The Presidential Vote.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The presidential vote of each state of the union has been counted and turned in to the various secretaries of state, and the returns show McKinley's total vote to be 7,122,[illegible] Bryan 6,498,857, giving McKinley a plurality of 623,897. In the electoral college the figures are: McKinley, 276; Bryan, 171.

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

Secretary Herbert Says That More Ships Are Badly Needed.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The secretary of the navy, Hilary A. Herbert, has made public his last annual report to the president on the affairs of his department. The document, while affording much ground for congratulation, is from beginning to end a warning to the country of the insufficiency of its navy for the requirements of war.

The secretary's report shows that congress has authorized the building of 28 vessels since this administration began. There were five battle ships, six light-draft gunboats, 16 torpedo boats and one submarine torpedo boat, with a total displacement of 65,866 tons. During the administration there will have been placed in commission three first-class and two second-class battle ships, two armored cruisers, four double-turreted monitors and one harbor defense ram, a total of 12 armored vessels, with a displacement of 81,517 tons. In addition to these armored ships, eight cruisers and three gunboats will have received their first commission, making a grand total of 22 vessels, with an aggregate displacement of 118,134 tons. During the year eight vessels have been finished and accepted.

The report shows 21 vessels, including seven torpedo boats and one steam tug, under construction. The tug is to be completed this month, and 14 others are to be finished during 1897. There are 42 vessels in commission, with a total tonnage of 127,859 tons. June 30 there were 8,165 enlisted men and 1,878 apprentices in the navy. Of the enlisted men 72 per cent. are citizens, and 53 per cent. of the apprentices are American born. The secretary urges an appropriation to enable the department to convert boats in the merchant marine into war vessels in case of need.

He reports that the department expended, exclusive of money for public works, for the year ended June 30, the sum of $13,002,625.41. The appropriations for the current year are $30,509,000, and he estimates the expenditures at $29,211,000. The grand total of his estimates for 1898 foot up $34,215,000.

ASKS FOR MONEY.

Secretary Carlisle Sends in Estimate of Expenses for Year '97-'98.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Secretary Carlisle Monday sent to congress the estimates of appropriations required for the public service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, as furnished by the several executive departments.

The estimates foot up $421,718,970.60 against $418,091,073.17 estimated for 1896-97 and $432,421,605.98 appropriated that year. The estimates for 1898 by title are:

Legislative establishment, $4,379,820.90. Executive establishment, $19,865,952.00. Judicial establishment, $907,120.00; foreign intercourse, $3,082,728.76; military establishment, $24,292,636.43; naval establishment, $32,422,773.62; Indian affairs, $7,279,525.97. Pensions, $141,325,580 00. Public works, $31,437,061.92. Postal service, $1,283,334.47. Miscellaneous, $38,344,216.63.

Permanent annual appropriation, $130,078,230.00. Grand total, $421,718,970.60.

The sales of public property of all kinds, mostly condemned and comparatively worthless, during the year 1896, realized $263,196.

Disbursements under the heading "contingent expenses, independent treasury, 1896," amounted to $175,000.

THE BANKING SYSTEM.

Comptroller of the Currency Eckels Makes Some Suggestions.

Washington, Dec. 9.—In his annual report to congress James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, takes a firm stand for the retirement of the greenbacks. At the present time there are 3,679 national banks in existence with a total capital of $650,014,895. The total amount of circulating notes outstanding October 31 was $334,553,807. Receivers were appointed during the year for 27 banks and 37 went into voluntary liquidation.

Mr. Eckels suggests that national banks be permitted to establish branch banks in towns and villages where no national banks are established and where the population does not exceed 1,000 inhabitants. He also says that the time must come when banks shall issue all of the credit currency of the country and stand wholly responsible, instead of the government, for its redemption in gold coin whenever and in whatever quantities presented.

Disabled Soldiers' Home.

Washington, Dec. 9.—W. B. Franklin, president of the board of managers of the national home for disabled volunteer soldiers, in his report to congress, says that the whole number cared for at all homes during the year was 40,433 and applications for admission are more numerous than ever before.

Fire Losses in November.

New York, Dec. 8.—The fire losses of the United States and Canada for the month of November amount to $5,211,600, against $5,993,000 during the same time last year. The total losses during the year up to date have been $104,293,500, against $119,820,900 during the same period in 1895.

Cheated the Gallows.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 9.—Abram Eckert, who was to have been executed for the murder of Frederick T. Dittenbender, took poison and died in his cell.

Said He Was Innocent.

Seale, Ala., Nov. 30.—Jackson Young (colored) was hanged here for murdering his sister. He died protesting his innocence.

THE MAIL SERVICE.

Annual Report to Congress of Postmaster-General Wilson.

The Excess of Expenditures Over Receipts the Past Year Was $8,127,083—No Necessity, He Says, for an Annual Deficit.

Washington, Dec. 8.—A vigorous protest against the abuse of the postal service is made in the annual report of Postmaster-General Wilson. He quotes figures which show an excess of expenditures over receipts of $8,127,083 for the last fiscal year, which, however, is a decrease in the deficiency of $1,679,956, as compared with the previous fiscal year. This satisfactory exhibit for the last year has been made possible, the postmaster-general sets forth, by a vigorous policy of bringing suit or pushing collection on bonds immediately after default, which is the only safe practice for the interests of the government and those of the obligers.

The postmaster-general argues that there is no necessity for the annual deficit in the revenues of the department, and that but a few lines of amendment by congress to the postal laws will wipe it out and give in its place a steady surplus. It has its chief source, he says, in the transmission at second-class rates of a large and rapidly-increasing volume of matter never in the contemplation of the law, which gives the nominal rate of one cent a pound on such matter, and assuredly outside of the policy of the law as to newspapers and periodicals.

Loss Through Franking.

He characterizes the loss sustained by the franking privilege in transmitting serial libraries, etc., as indefensible, shows that of 846,890,648 pounds of second-class matter handled during the year over 83,345,000 pounds were "county free" matter, and urges the adoption of the Loud bill, now pending in the house, as the remedy. He says the passage of this bill will not only wipe out the postal deficit and insure in ordinary years a surplus which may be used to cheapen postage on letters or to increase the mail facilities of the people, but will really carry out the one-cent-a-pound law of 1885.

The postmaster-general estimates a deficiency in the revenues of the department for 1897 of $3,472,419, and for 1898 of $1,283,334.

Discussing the merits of the postal system, the postmaster-general says the people of the United States may felicitate themselves that in no important respect are they behind any other country in their postal facilities, and in many things they are in the van.

Free Rural Delivery.

The results of the free rural delivery experiments are yet incomplete. Time is required to familiarize the people with the innovation and develop its benefits or failures. The thorough working of such a system involves some redistribution of post offices and some discontinuances which cannot now be safely attempted.

Twelve thousand and ninety appointments of postmasters were made during the year, of which 1,941 were due to removals. There were 198 fraud orders issued during the year.

Lotteries.

The headquarters of all or nearly all of the avowed lottery concerns have been removed to foreign shores, but it is thought much matter sent by them reaches addresses in this country through the mails, which the department practically has no power to prevent, and that express companies carry large sums of money from our people to them.

The postmaster-general concludes his report with two significant recommendations, which he says are necessary to complete the civil service reforms. The first is to secure fixity of tenure during efficiency and good behavior to the three assistant postmasters-general, whose work is entirely non-political, whose capacity to deal with the large machinery and great expenditures of their respective bureaus must come in great measure from experience, and who preserve the continuity of the department, not in the mere desk or division work, but in the general administration.

THE TURNPIKE WAR.

Kentucky Mobs Continue Their Destruction of Tollgates.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Dec. 7.—A mob of men armed with shotguns and axes, rode through Mercer Saturday night and chopped down six tollgates. Over 500 tollgates have been burned or chopped down since the turnpike war began in Washington county three months ago, and as yet only five arrests have been made. No convictions resulted from these. The gates destroyed represent 1,500 miles of turnpike valued at $4,000,000, and the state and county authorities have furnished no protection whatever.

Life Sentence Commuted.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 9.—Gov. Altgeld has commuted to 20 years in the penitentiary the life sentence of Henry Schwartz, convicted of murder in March, 1887, in the circuit court of Grundy county. Schwartz is said to be in poor health, and his prison conduct is reported to have been exemplary.

Government Receipts.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The total receipts of the government during the past year were $32,499,208.40, and the total expenditures were $90,626,296.84, an increase of receipts over the previous year of $5,516,080.21, and an increase of expenditures of $3,836,124.02.

Well-Known Navigator Dead.

Milwaukee, Dec. 8.—Capt. James Fraser, an old and popular lake captain, died suddenly Monday morning at his residence, No. 2524 Wells street. Capt. Fraser was 63 years of age, and has been sailing on the great lakes since he was 15 years of age.

Was Exonerated.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Dec. 9.—F. F. Benedict, the station agent at Fairfax, who shot and killed one of three men who attempted a train hold-up Monday night and wounded another, was exonerated from all blame Tuesday by the coroner's jury.

Heavy Judgments Entered.

Allentown, Pa., Dec. 9.—Two executions for $216,166.99 were Tuesday entered against the Catasaqua Manufacturing company. The sheriff will sell four rolling mills and nineteen houses at Catasaqua and Fullerton on January 2.

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Clinton Column.

B. A. Garlinghouse, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife were up from Britton Sunday.

C. S. Burroughs went to Albion Saturday to spend a few days.

Frank McGuire arrived home from Toledo the first of the week.

A. J. Wilkerson, of Dundee, visited Clinton relatives over Sunday.

Sara L. Huntington was home from Adrian from Friday till Monday.

Little Carl Parker is again suffering from his old trouble, the asthma.

Mrs. Jane VanDeMark has been quite seriously ill for the past few days.

The Standard Cabinet men have rented office rooms of Mrs. W. H. Smith.

L. J. Leek returned Saturday from a few days' visit with his sister at Adrian.

The next regular meeting of the Eastern Star Wednesday evening Dec 16.

Lewis Grey and wife visited friends in Jackson from Saturday till Tuesday.

After a stay of two weeks in Clinton the Electric Belt Co. left Monday for Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. DuBois, of Britton, were guests of Wm. Hause and wife Sunday.

Willis E. Barnes returned from Chicago last week, expecting to remain here for the winter.

Mrs. Ben Reynolds, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton relatives from Saturday till Monday afternoon.

Robt. Eddy and wife left Saturday for South Bend, Ind., where he has secured work in the woolen mill.

Miss O. J. Hall, of Detroit has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. M. English, for the past few days.

George VanTuyle and wife are visiting friends in Cleveland, Ohio. They expect to be gone several weeks.

Alice Halladay left here last Thursday expecting to visit friends at Albion Chelsea, Ann Arbor and Jackson.

Crowel Eddy and Willard Messier, who are attending school here, have a room in Miss Cornelia Ellis' house.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Watkins, of Grass Lake, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Sam Larzelere, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Orville Kemp, of Tecumseh, came up to assist her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Cooley, and will remain with her until after the holidays.

Mrs. Louise Gordanier, of Manchester, came down Wednesday afternoon for a two days' visit at the home of her brother, Jas. E. Anthony.

Lizzie Roff, of Washington, D. C., arrived Tuesday night for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Hause. She expects to remain until after Christmas.

The services at St. John's church during the month of December, will be held in the evening and the singing will be led by the boy choir.

The friends of Mrs. W. D. VanTuyle feel very much encouraged about her, as they have been able to see quite a change for the better within the past few days.

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PENTECOST.

George Fisk and Harry Vanderpool are keeping bachelor's hall. Sort of probation we suppose to see how they like housekeeping.

A distressing accident happened at Tipton last week, resulting in the loss of the left hand, to John Allhouse, while shredding cornfodder for S. Whelan. He has the earnest sympathy of everyone.

A strange and unusual sight, last Sabbath morning, was a man drawing baled hay to the station. Perhaps he had lost his reckoning and thought it was Saturday or Monday. Send him a calendar.

Thursday evening, Dec. 17, Rev. S. D. Wellwood will lecture at Pentecost on the subject of "Books, their Origin, Uses and Abuses." After the lecture refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed. Tickets free. All are cordially invited. Members please come at 7 for business.

Arthur G. Daniels, of this place, has received an appointment to a clerkship in the Chicago postoffice. He will be greatly missed, as he was one of the most useful workers in the church, was superintendent of the Sunday school, president of the Sunday school association and Epworth League, as well as a very successful teacher in the common school. His many friends wish him all honor and success in his new home and business.

The funniest election bet of the season has just come to light. The husband hurrahed for Bryan, the wife for McKinley, and they agreed that the one whose candidate won should be "boss" the ensuing four years. At midnight after election the husband came home and found lights out and doors locked, and went to the barn to sleep. When he went to the house in the morning, his wife (who was posted on election matters) looked out of the window and informed him that she was going to run that place for the next four years and that he could come in and warm up on a good breakfast only on condition that he hurrah for McKinley. Charlie obeyed like a man and now all is serene, but he says he will look out how Mrs. Charlie gets the whip hand of him again on an election wager.

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MANCHESTER.

A little child of Mr. Gumpper, aged five weeks, was burried Monday.

Mrs. Rundell went to Brooklyn to attend the Eastern Star meeting last Friday.

The cheese factory began work Wednesday. Graham and Hageman are the proprietors.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lowery visited in Brooklyn and Woodstock from Friday until Monday.

Seymour Coon returned from Mexico Thursday and will spend the winter with his mother.

H. K. Wilbur, a former pastor of the Baptist church, preached in that church on Sunday morning.

The ladies of the M. E. church hold a fair in the Bessac store Friday and Saturday, December 11th and 12th.

The S. W. Farmers' club will meet at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Fenn, in Bridgewater, Thursday, December 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sandford left for Philadelphia Monday, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Clifford Drake.

Mrs. Stout, of Fayette, Ohio, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hinckley, for several weeks, returned to her home this week.

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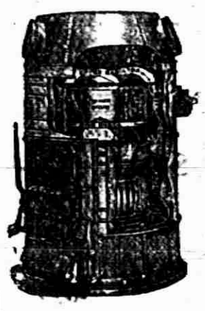

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Mrs. Mabee was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

Charles Mabee was an Adrian visitor Wednesday.

Editor Goodrich was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Jean Marsteller, of Clinton, was in town Wednesday.

Postmaster Babcock was in Tecumseh on business Tuesday.

L. L. Wood shipped a large quantity of fresh meat to Toledo last Thursday.

James DuBois and J. L. Kishpaugh and wife spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

George Sancrant and Andrew Gorgo made a business trip to Adrian Monday.

Miss Sophia Martin accompanied Dr. Hardy's family to Jametown, Ohio, Wednesday.

Remember the donation for Rev. C. I. Deyo at the Christian church next Thursday evening.

Sumner Collins, of Tecumseh, and Mr. Carl, of Schoolcraft, were in the village Monday, on business.

Benjamin Lamkin and wife, of Franklin, were with their daughter, Mrs. W. Helm, over Sunday.

The recent thaw has put an end to the pleasant skating parties which were so enjoyable last week.

Regular review of Hendershot Tent No. O. T. M., Tuesday evening, December 15th. Let all members be present.

At the recent fair given by the ladies of the Christian church, they netted $4.01, for which they are very grateful.

Miss Ethel Gripton left Tuesday evening for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she expects to spend the winter with friends.

Bradley Zibble, the tonsorial artist, has ded up his tent, so to speak, and silently and quietly shook the Britton dust from his feet without declaring his destination.

Nelson, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bushroe, died Saturday night. The funeral was held at the house Monday at 11 a. m., Rev. C. I. Deyo officiating.

John Exelby would like the person or persons who last week Wednesday morning damaged his corn stalks to call and make it right or they may hear something concerning the matter.

Next Thursday evening, December 10, there will be a donation party at the Christian church, for the benefit of the pastor, Rev. C. I. Deyo. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

At the Christian church next Monday evening, Rev. C. E. Hurlburt, of Detroit, will deliver his popular War lecture for the benefit of the Y. P. S. C. E. Admission 10 and 5 cents. Go, and enjoy having an evening of enjoyment, with this worthy society.

The car containing Dr. Hardy's household effects, horse, etc., left Tuesday accompanied by Mr. VanDusen, father of Mrs. Hardy, for Jamestown, Ohio. The doctor, wife and child followed Wednesday. Quite a number of their friends were at the train to see them off. The best wishes of this community accompany them to their new home.

CONE.

Mrs. Ray visited friends at Fleming last week.

W. P. Richardson was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Born, to Mr. ane Mrs. Peter Hanlon, Monday, Dec. 4, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cone, Friday, Dec. 1, a 6½-pound boy.

The ladies of the Aid Society, held at the home of Nettie Dennison's, were $8.10 ahead.

Miss Johnson left last week for Jackson where she expects to spend the winter with an aunt.

Edward Mudge left for Alganac, last week where he expects to spend the winter with his brother.

William Hale, of Wayne, and Schuyler Hall, of Whittaker, visited Dan McDonald and Harry Wilcox the first of the week.

Mrs. Osborne returned home Saturday from Stony Creek, where she has been visiting friends for the past two weeks.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. L. B. Spencer is still on the sick list.

There is so much sickness at present that Drs. Dr. Nixon hustling.

Grace Ratts, of Mt. Clemens, visited friends in town the first of the week.

Holloway Tent K. O. T. M. will hold a regular review next Tuesday evening.

Miss Florence Tompson, of Blissfield, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Frost.

The ladies of Maccabees will hold a "sassing" social at Maccabee hall this (Friday) evening.

Walking hats, children's caps and felt hats at reduced prices at the millinery rooms of E. H. Fish.

Miss Della Kerr, who has been spending her vacation at home, will return to her school near Deerfield next week.

Miss Maud Munch commenced her school in district No. 3, Ridgeway, last Friday having closed a term in the West district the Friday previous.

The Misses Hattie Dawson and Ellen Hall and Mrs. McClenathan attended the M. E. revival meetings at Wellersville Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Raisin literary held in the church parlor last Friday evening, was well attended. A spelling contest was indulged in which caused much merriment. Next meeting December 18th.

RIDGEWAY.

Go to Ed Smith's for cattle ropes.

Ida Eastlick looked after the station during agent A. J. Sutton's absence.

Ed Heath, of Toledo, spent Monday with his cousin, Lawrence Rappleye.

Simonds, Atkins, Disston, and Champion crosscut saws at Ed Smith's. Come and take your pick.

Township Treasurer D. W. Smith will be at Ed Smith's store to receive taxes, on Dec. 10, 17, 23 and 30.

Mrs. Boyd, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter, at Albion, returned home Saturday.

Volney Hess, of Tekonsha, and Minnie Camp, of Lenawee Junction, visited Mrs. Graves and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison went to St. Louis Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Britton.

Mrs. Chas. Staats, of Chatem, N. Y., arrived Thursday evening for an indefinite stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith.

A. J. Sutton went to Lansing, Saturday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. F. L. Cook. He returned Tuesday, accompanied by his wife.

See Ed Smith's "ad" elsewhere in this paper.

A few people from here attended the "Deestrick Skule," given for the benefit of St. Peter's church, at Sutton's opera house in Tecumseh, Tuesday evening.

Daniel Linn is lying in a critical condition, at this writing, from a stroke of apoplexy. He was taken Tuesday noon while on his way from his shop to his home.

For chore mittens go to Ed Smith's.

Those having season tickets for the Tecumseh Star Course will bear in mind that the date of the third entertainment, Robert McIntyre, who was to be at Sutton's opera house, Thursday, Dec. 10, has been changed, as McIntyre cannot fill the engagement. In his place the Johnson-Smiley Combination has been secured, who will appear at Sutton's opera house Thursday evening, Dec. 17.

Hudson buckwheat flour at Ed Smith's.

The arrangements for the Lecture Course to be given under the management of the high school and Epworth League, at the M. E. church, have been perfected, with the following program:

Dec. 22, '96—Silas Palmer, Detroit, Subject, "Wit and Wisdom in Words."

Jan. 13, '97—Bliss Concert Company.

Feb. 12, '97—Judge V. H. Lane, of Adrian, subject, "Legal Aspects of the Trial of Christ."

March 9.—H. R. Patengill, Superintendent Public Instruction, Lansing, subject, "Quartette of American Rivers"

March 30,—Rollo Kirk Bryan, of Lansing, chalk talk "The Dawn Immanuel."

April 13.—Rev. J. Stansfield, of Port Huron, subject, "Hero of Babylon."

The committees having charge of the arrangements are doing all in their power to make it a success, and tickets will be for sale, for the full course, at $1. Single admission for first entertainment, 25c. It is hoped that the patrons of the school and the members of the league and church will lend their influence and help make the undertaking a success.

LAKE RIDGE.

Ed Eastlick is suffering from a carbuncle on his neck.

Thomas Murphy has been entertaining a friend from Homer.

Mrs. W. Eastlick and Mrs. Milton Phillipps are on the sick list.

Thomas Murphy went to Ypsilanti last Thursday to visit his son and nephew, who are students there.

Mrs. Florence Adams, who has made her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller, a long visit, has gone to her home in Chicago.

Miss Ella Anderson, of Chicago, is making her sister, Mrs. Thomas Murphy, a visit, after an absence of two and a half years.

Things are picking up since election. At least L. Barnes says that some one picked up his gate, carried it some distance and elevated it in a tree.

Joseph Hunter has openod a grocery store at Harrington's corners and will keep a first-class stock of groceries. We bespeak for him a liberal patronage.

The meetings in the East church, which have been in progress for some time, will continue all the week, conducted by Rev. Mr. Baker, of Milan, and others.

Presiding Elder Bradfield, of Spring Arbor, had charge of the quarterly meeting services at the F. M. church, commencing Friday evening and closing Sunday evening.

FRANKLIN.

The mutual benefit society will meet at Mr. Dorr's tonight.

Judge Whelan and brother Howard called on Franklin friends last Friday.

Loon Allen and Newell Wisner drove to Jackson Sunday morning, returning in the evening.

Many of the children in the district schools are suffering from attacks of sore throat and influenza.

Miss Alma Whelan, who has been staying with her aunt, Mrs. Alvinza Whelan, returned home Sunday.

Misses Nina Allen and Bertha Butrick are preparing a duet to be rendered at Miss Root's recital, in Tecumseh.

The Franklin lyceum has been postponed until December 26th, to meet at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's. Full program will appear next week.

The leap year concert and social of the 18th has been postponed one evening, and will be held December 19th, at the Tipton Congregational church. Friedcakes and coffee served from five to eight. Shadows sold at seven. Concert beginning at eight, sharp. Young ladies specially invited.

MACON.

Mrs. John Day is gradually failing.

Mrs. Eugene Burdett opened up her dressmaking shop Monday.

Will Collins and wife have moved into John Mooney's house.

Lewis Coller visited Joe Howell at Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Acel Smith, of Ridgeway, called on Macon friends Sunday.

Douglas Faulkerson, of Clinton, was the guest of Miss Marilla Liddel Sunday.

Geo. Frost has improved his "shop" in appearnce and comfort by reshingling it.

Maggie Biddle visited her aunt, Mrs. Philip Hornbaker, in Tecumseh, a number of days last week.

Miss Minta Jackson began school in the Merritt district and Edward Miller in the Lindsley district Monday.

Bill Burleson, who has been working for Arch Sickly at Somerset the past summer, returned home Saturday.

The entertainment that the Epworth League were preparing for Dec. 18, has been postponed till after the holidays.

Present Still in the Sacrament, is the topic for the E. L. meeting next Sunday evening. Leader, Edward Miller.

Rev. David Lewis, of Tecumseh, will begin a series of revival meetings at the M. E. church Sunday evening, Dec. 20th.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League at the church tonight for the purpose of electing new officers.

Chas. Morgan has moved his family and household goods into Will Niblack's house recently vacated by Dr. E. E. Hendershot.

Edith Cotton closed the fall term of school in the Mills district Friday. There will be no more school in that district till next spring.

Mrs. Jas. Thomas and daughter, who have been visiting friends in Macon and vicinity the past two weeks, returned to their home in St. Joseph county Monday.

Elwin Camburn and wife, Parker Allen and wife and John Jackson and wife attended the G. A. R. and W. R. C. meetings in Tecumseh, Monday night, it being the election of officers.

Miss Sadie Jackson, who has been the assistant in the postoffice for nearly two years, severed her connections there last week Thursday, L. R. Hatch will take her place for the winter.

While John Frost, wife and brother were riding Saturday night the horse fell down and tipped them all out. The buggy was considerably broken, but the occupants were lucky enough to escape injury.

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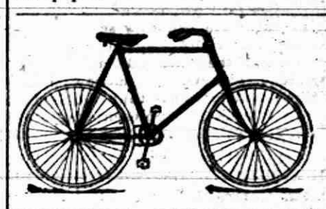

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 11, 1896

There is at present, since Cleveland's message, some belief that the government mortgages against the Union and Northern Pacific railroads will be foreclosed. If this step is taken the government will own two railroads and nothing could be better for the western country.

That Tecumseh can now secure the Lima Northern railroad, is well nigh an assured fact if the citizens desire to put up the required amount of money, and the HERALD understands that the last proposition made by a representative of Mr. Townsend to the committee today, is not an exorbitant one. At the end of the meeting of the committee of ten with Mr. Townsend last Tuesday morning, it was decided that if the Lima Northern could not run so as to tap the Mackinaw road within three-quarters of a mile of the Lake Shore railroad as it runs through Tecumseh, it would not be worth while for the committee to further entertain any proposition. It is now understood that after more carefully examining the route between Adrian and Tecumseh, the railroad people discover that they can run the line of the Lima Northern so as to strike the Mackinaw road no further west than the location of the Mackinaw gravel pit, which is within three-quarters of a mile of the center of our village. It is entirely unnecessary for the HERALD, to attempt further to demonstrate the fact that the Lima Northern would be of great benefit to our town. One of the largest manufacturers in Tecumseh said that if by the agency of the Lima Northern the price of Ohio soft coal could be reduced 25 cents per ton, it would pay to attempt to secure the road at almost any reasonenable amount. As a matter of fact the price of soft coal has been reduced in every town through which the Lima Northern has run from Lima, Ohio, to Adrian, Michigan, 65 cents net per ton, and there is no better soft coal for general purposes than that found in Jackson county, Ohio. The price of wheat in Britton, Adrian and Hudson has been from two to four cents a bushel greater than the price in Tecumseh for many months, for the simple reason that Tecumseh is not on a trunk line of railroad and cannot obtain the competing freight rates. What is true of wheat is true of every kind of freight which leaves this station and the difference in incoming freight is the same as that in outgoing freight. The railroad representative who talked with the committee yesterday, advised them that Adrian would raise the required amount and there seems, at this writing, no good reason why, with the assistance of Adrian, and Adrian with the assistance of Tecumseh, that both cities should not obtain this railroad. The committee of ten that has this matter in charge, is composed of Tecumseh's most enterprising citizens. Their judgment in this matter can in every way be relied upon, and if they decide that the coming of the Lima Northern to Tecumseh would benefit the town, there is not a doubt that the money will be forthcoming to secure the road.

The Michigan Bureau of Labor and Industrial Statistics has its 14th Annual Report in press, which will be ready for distribution about February 1st From advance sheets we find that during the year Commissioner of Labor Morse has been energetic in gathering industrial statistics, and the forthcoming report will be replete with interesting and useful information, not being confined to any one subject. Recognizing the vehicle industry in the state to be one of the most important, the Commissioner has made a thorough canvass of the munufacturers of vehicles and their employees. To this end 126 establishments have been interviewed and a personal canvass been made of 4,650 employees. Of these establishments 46 are incorporated firms, 39 are co-partnerships and 41 are doing an individual business. The incorporated firms have an authorized capital stock of $3,201,700 00 divided into 196,520 shares. The invested capital of the 126 firms canvassed is $4,626,553.00. They employ 289 salaried officers and clerks, 178 traveling salesmen and 5,776 persons in and about the shops. The reports show an average of about 50 persons employed in each establishment canvassed. This number would be nearly doubled were they running at full capacity. Many places were entirely idle, others employing but few operatives, while but very few were working a full force. This great industry was more seriously affected by the prevalent business depression than almost any other in the state, the bicycle factories being the only ones which could be said to be fairly active. The aggregate monthly pay roll of salaried officers, clerks and traveling salesmen is $35,834.00, an average of $76.73 each. The aggregate monthly pay roll of all other employees is $190,677.00, an average of $33.94 each, or $1.30 1-2 per day. This includes all classes of labor entering into the manufacture of vehicles, from the best skilled mechanics to apprentices and common laborers. The average daily wages for each particular class, from the manager to the office boy, is given in the report. The value of material used in 1895 was given at $8,674 717.00, while the product of the business was estimated at $8,044,222.00, showing the value of material used to be a little over 44 per cent of the value of the manufactured product. Add to this the interest on money invested, wear of machinery, taxes, insurance and wages paid, it will be seen that the strictest economic management is needed to insure success, especially during the depression of the past three years. The product of these concerns is shipped to nearly every country on the globe, over 63 per cent being sold outside of Michigan. Carriages and vehicles of Michigan manufacture have a world-wide reputation. Ordinarily the product of a vehicle manufactory is all closed out at the end of the year, but the reports show that nearly one-fifth of the product of 1895 was unsold at the time of making the canvass. The financial crisis through which the country has passed has greatly paralyzed the vehicle industry. In the canvass of the employees nearly 53 per cent were married, 43 per cent were single, and 1 per cent widowed. Their families consisted of 7,278 persons, 71 per cent being adults and 29 per cent children. The average pay of each class is given. An average of 10 hours per day is the time required. Over 67 per cent work by the day, and about 25 per cent by the piece, others by the hour, week, month or year. These employees return their average earnings at $1.55 each. Over 66 per cent say they cannot earn more than enough to support themselves and families. The entire earnings given by these employees was $1,985,446.00, an average of $426.98 each. Only 1,549 reported that they saved any money, the average being $120.07 each. About 25 per cent worked overtime, nearly all of whom received extra pay, either at the same rate as regular pay or at a higher rate. Wages are generally paid weekly or semi-monthly. Very few factories have rules which withhold wages. Less than one-fifth think there has been any improvement in times for the past two years, a large majority saying they are worse. About 75 per cent do not think there has been any change in the cost of living in that period. The Commissioner has also gathered interesting data regarding a shorter work day. To this end employers and employees were all interviewed, as were many people who have made this feature of the labor question a study. In view of the present agitation regarding the hours of labor, this part of the report is most valuable, being treated fairly and without prejudice.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The arrangements for the Christmas party are progressing finely. Uhl Bros. orchestra has been engaged and will consist of the nine best musicians in Toledo. The decoration committee is already at work making plans and the invitation cards will soon be issued.

Subject in the Universalist church Sunday morning, "Show us the Father and it sufficeth us," St. John 14:6. Evening, "The Obligation of the Debtor." Sunday school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "What can I do for our Home Church?"

At the "Research Circle," December 4th, papers were given on "The Painting and Sculpture of Egypt," by Mrs. Barnes; "The Industrial Arts of the Egyptians," by Mrs. Linton. "Hypnotism and its Uses," a miscellaneous topic, was interestingly treated by Mrs. Crosby.

George H. Tansley is in trouble about his rail fence. It has been disappearing a rail at a time until some portions of it is so low that it would not turn a toad. In fact he is about to offer a reward for the conviction of the chap who is using his fence for stove wood.

Special values in Boys' Underwear at 19 cents. Worth double the money, at SEATON W. ANDERSON'S.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tecumseh state savings bank, held Tuesday, the following were elected:—
President—C. A. Slayton.
Vice President—J. D. Shull.
Cashier—J. H. Smith.
Directors—C. A. Slayton, D. C. Larned, Geo. W. Knapp, L. D. Dewey, J. D. Shull, H. W. Conkling, Joseph Russell, A. D. Gilmore.

The funeral of Mrs. Rachel Anderson, wife of Egbert Anderson, occurred at the family residence Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Anderson was born in New York state 69 years ago. Was married to Egbert Anderson and for a number of years has been a resident of Tecumseh. She was of a quiet, retiring disposition, honest and straightforward in all her actions and belief, a good wife and kind neighbor. For a long time she has been out of health and death came Monday morning as a release from much and constant suffering. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Charles M. Brown assisted by the choir of the Presbyterian church.

Thursday evening, Dec. 2, the following were elected officers for Tecumseh Lodge, No. 190, Knights of Pythias, for the ensuing year:
Chan. Com.—R. A. Heesen.
Vice Chan.—Jas. Elliott.
Prelate—J. C. Mahaney.
M. of W.—M. L. Root.
M. E.—Henry Wagner.
M. F.—D. P. Wheeler.
K. of R. and S.—W. J. Ingersoll.
M. A.—J. C. Hazlett.
T. G.—C. H. Heck.
Trustee—F. H. Nyland.
Representative—B. P. Anderson.
Alternate—J. T. McKinney.

Died, at her residence on Ottawa street, Thursday morning December 10, Ellen, widow of Dougal McCaugn, aged 78 years. She was one of the pioneers of Lenawee county and had lived in Tecumseh 56 years. By the death of her son William, of the 18th Mich. Vol. Inf., while in service, she received a pension. Four children survive her, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Herbison, Daniel and John. She was a life long member of the Episcopal church. The funeral will be held at the house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating.

The dainty little Madonna and child framed in a wreath of holly and mistletoe which adorns the cover of the December Chautauquan, is a suggestion of the artistic treat within; the frontispiece is the famous Bodenhausen Madonna, and eight pages are occupied by reproductions of some of the favorite Madonnas of the masters. In the value and attractiveness of its textual matter also, this number is unusually rich.

Attention! Co. C.

Inasmuch as Tuesday evening drill was postponed, there will be two drills next week—the regular drill on Tuesday evening and a special drill on Friday evening. WILL H. HAYDEN, Capt. Comp'y C.

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Reduced Rates for Holidays.

Excursion tickets at reduced rates will be sold Dec. 24, 25 and 31, 1896, and Jan. 1, 1897, good for return until Jan. 4, inclusive, by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway between all points on its line west of Erie, Pa., also to points on many immediate connecting lines. Inquire of ticket agents for full particulars.

The following is the list of purchasers of

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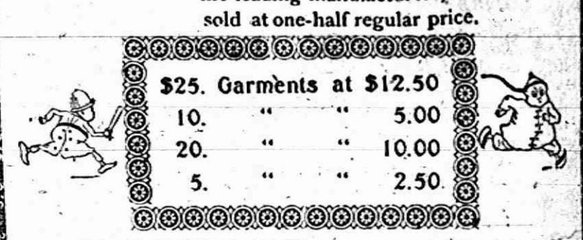

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 11, 1896.

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FOR SALE Cheap at Richart's wagon shop, a new lumber wagon with box and seat or hay and stock rack or neither; and with narrow or wide tire or both.

TAXES—I will be at the following places to receive taxes for the Township of Raisin during the month of December and up to the 6th of January; Thursdays, at the Lilley State Bank, Tecumseh; Fridays at Florence's store, Galloway; and Saturdays at Waldby & Clay's Citizens' Bank, Adrian. BART E. SIMONDS, Treasurer.

NOTICE.—I will be in my office in the Village of Tecumseh every Friday during the month of December from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. to receive taxes. GEO. W. MASSEAU, Twp. Treasurer.

FOR SALE—Two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a large store or shop building. Enquire at once at the HERALD office.

LOST—A light log chain almost ten feet long. Please return to George Sisson.

NOTICE—I will be at the following places to receive taxes for the Township of Ridgeway during the month of December. Clark's office, Clinton, 11—16—24—30. Village of Ridgway, 10—17—24—30. John Witt's Sr., 16—Jan. 6.
D. W. Smith.

FOR RENT—15 pure bred Shropshire ewes, bred to "Willows" for rent. Elliott Gray.

NOTICE—I will be at the Town Hall on Dec 31, 24, and Jan. 3. At B. S. Scudder's Dec 18 and 21. At home all other days until Jan. 10 for the purpose of receiving taxes.
FRANK GILMORE, Treasurer.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Now is the time. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Mobbs & Co. pay the highest market price for all kinds of produce.

S. Tate and daughter Lizzie, of Bridgewater, were in town Wednesday.

J. M. Bittman, of Saginaw, arrived Tuesday to look after his interests here.

Mrs. Angeline Helm, of Ridgeway, was calling on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

S. W. Anderson, on his way to New York, called on his daughter Helen, at Vassar.

Mrs. Emma Krause, of Rea, was the guest of Tecumseh friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

Charles Avery, of Jackson, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Orr over Wednesday.

Hundreds of new and dainty things for Christmas, at
SEATON W. ANDERSON'S.

Mrs. Arthur Dance, after a two week's visit with relatives, returns to her home in Detroit tomorrow.

Presbyterian church, topic Sunday morning, "The true theme of the pulpit." Evening, "The Ear."

At a stockholder's meeting of the Lilley State Bank Tuesday, the old board of directors were re-elected

Yes, we must get that picture framed for Christmas and Teeple has so many styles of moulding and so cheap too, that is the place to get it.

Mrs. James Winans, who has been assisting in caring for her father, Hon. R. L. Baxter, returned to her home in Toledo the last of the week.

Mrs. George Stacy, after several weeks spent with her children in and near Buffalo, N. Y., reached her home at Newburg last Thursday.

Put Cole, wife and son, Willard, of Onsted, visited Mrs. C's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teachout, of the Central House, yesterday and today.

Master Lyman Root arrived from New York Wednesday night, in S. W. Anderson's care, and will spend the winter with his grandmother, Mrs. J. Root.

The Ladies' social and supper, of the Universalist church, will be held next week Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17. Suppr from 5 to 8 o'clock. All are invited

The Macon Cemetery Association will hold a meeting to elect a secretary and other officers, at the school house, Pennington's Corners, tomorrow evening, Dec. 12 at 7 o'clock.

The HERALD this year will not print a club list for any particular papers but has made arrangements to supply its subscribers with any other newspapers they desire at greatly reduced rates. Never before has so much pains been taken to secure better prices on all periodicals, all the benefit of which will be given to HERALD patrons. No matter what you want we can get it for you and promptly.

Manager Sutton received word last evening that the date of Guy Bros.' minstrels was changed from Dec. 21, as published, to the 18th. This will be welcome news to those who were fortunate enough to hear this excellent company a year ago, for they will not have to wait so long before hearing them again. They will have a crowded house next Friday night for all were delighted with their performance and the company this year is larger and stronger than ever.

The superb company (Guy Brothers' minstrels) held the boards at the Hibbard evening, and it was the unanimous verdict that this is the very best minstrel troupe that has visited Jackson in many a day. Each member of the company is an artist in his line. The company came here comparatively unheralded, possibly the fault of its press agent, and the character of the performance last night was an agreeable surprise to those present. The Guy Bros. have too good a company to allow remissness in the way of advertising. Should they see fit to make another date for Jackson this season, or at any time in the future, they can rest assured that a crowded house will greet them. The Courier takes pleasure in stating the fact that there is not a medioeral feature in their entertainment. There is also an entire absence of alleged wit, bordering on vulgarity.

Two photos 25 cents. MISS DALY.

I. P. Keyser has returned from Jackson for the winter.

Sure, you are going to get your photos at Teeple's for Christmas.

Gertrude Clement has been afflicted with throat trouble for some days.

Dame rumor has it that there are to be several weddings in the near future.

J. W. Wightman and John Hock attended the tax sale, at Adrian, Monday.

Dolph Heesen's trip was short and sweet. He returned home Wednesday.

Dr. C. S. Lombard and J. J. Orr drove to Ann Arbor yesterday returning today.

Next Sunday night at the Methodist church the subject will be, Crime and its Causes.

M. P. Wemple, one of Onsted's stirring business men, was calling on friends Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutfin have returned from Jackson and will make Tecumseh their home again.

Rev. B. S. Hudson went to Detroit yesterday to hear the celebrated Rev. Dr. John Robertson, of Glasgow, Scotland.

Tecumseh Star Course Thursday December 17th. Johnson-Smiley Combination. Season tickets for four entertainments $1.00.

Next Friday evening at the Temple, election of officers will occur in the Blue lodge. Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

The annual meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, R. A. M., will occur at Masonic Temple Wednesday evening next. Let all companions be present.

Ministers' meeting in the parlors of the Baptist church at 2 p. m. Monday. Rev. Stead will continue the discussion of the "Second Coming of Christ."

For sale, two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a large store or shop building. Inquire at once at the HERALD office.

Seaton W. Anderson returned from New York Wednesday and reports the purchase of many beautiful novelties for the holiday trade.

Mrs. H. C Snedecor, after nearly three weeks passed with her mother and other friends, returned to her home in Ypsilanti the last of the week.

Just received, a car load of Bedroom Suits, bought at a bargain and we will give every one a bargain that wants a suit. WHEELER & SISSON.

Miss Karner, who has been keeping house for her brothers, has returned to her parents in Blissfield, and George C. Hale (who does repairing for the boys) and family occupy the rooms over the store.

Will R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., and Chas. E. Johnson, of Logansport, Ind., made their friends here a short visit the first of the week. They attended the Deestrick Skule and enjoyed it greatly.

Harris & Hitesbu's sign, on the east side of Bidwell's block is completed and, as every man, woman and child in Tecumseh has seen it, for the HERALD to describe it, is unnecessary. The work, executed by George Matteson, is fine in every particular.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one-quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSON.

C. W. Haynes, pension attorney, of Ypsilanti, will be in Tecumseh December 15th and 16th. Comrades who have claims against the government or those who wish to apply for pension or increase of pension are requested to call and see him one door south of council building, at 1 p. m.

Wanted—2500 bushels good sound ear corn. 2000 bushels to be delivered at the farm between Clinton and Tecumseh, the balance at Clinton.
E. R. SMITH, Clinton, Mich.

Greatest holiday bargain. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Girls! do you realize that leap year is near its end and many elegible bachelors yet remain? Among them we might mention Ernie Anderson, Bert Garlinghouse, Will DeMott C. D. Keyes, Cal Hitesbu, Tom McCann, Dr. Tefft, Bolly and Newberry Satterthwaite—what an array from which to select. Now is your chance.

At the last meeting of the Royal Arcanum, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Regent—R. A. Quackenbush.
Vice Regent—Lee McConnell.
Orator—E. VanWinkle.
Past Regent—James Mitchell.
Secretary—W. A. Chiveral.
Collector—L. L. Bates.
Treasurer—James Lowry.
Chaplain—L. M. Waldron.
Guide—George Zimmerman.
Warden—Samuel Mobbs.
Sentry—Fred Hall.
Trustee, 3 years—J. T. McKinney.
Rep. to Grand Council—Jas. Mitchel.
Alternate—A. VanWinkle.

Christmas will soon be here and you will want to give some kind of a present. There is nothing more acceptable than a pretty chair. We have them from $1.00 up.
WHEELER & SISSON.

It was our good fortune recently while enroute to and from Grand Rapids to take a couple of meals at the new Sherman House, Allegan, E. O. Phillips, proprietor, and we found it to be one of the cosiest and most complete in all its appointments that we have ever seen. Mr. Phillips and his two sons are genial, courteous gentlemen who thoroughly understand the wants of their guests and have a faculty of anticipating which is very rarely found. The dining room is very attractive, table service choice and the meals served would do credit to the Morton House, Grand Rapids, Cadillac, Detroit, or Palmer House, Chicago, and we do with great pleasure say to the traveling public generally, it is one of the most elegantly kept hotels in the state and all will feel repaid who even go out of their way to avail themselves of its service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bangs left today for a visit with friends at Rome, Hudson and vicinity.

Bill Jibb, senator-elect, was in town again today. He is becoming quite a familiar figure on our streets.

Teeple is doing lots of large portrait work but you must leave your orders at once to get them for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCann, of Bunker Hill, Ingham county, arrived yesterday for a visit with their sons, James and Thomas.

H. A. Driggs, who has been loading hay here this week, returned home to Palmyra this afternoon. A loadstone drew him.

Mobbs & Co. are selling 21 pounds of high grade granulated sugar for $1.00 and Arbuckle and Lion coffee for 20 cents a pound.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods are about all in and we can give you the best stock in the County to select from and prices the lowest.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Who would think Rob Moir would run opposition to the drug stores? But he does for he has a large stock of the new kind of porous plasters and is doing quite a business with them.

F. J. Temple has received word from Grand Lecturer Arthur M. Clark that the Masonic school of instruction would be held at Adrian December 23rd instead of the 16th as previously announced.

Knights of the Maccabees remember that Wednesday evening December 16th Tecumseh Tent No. 142, K. O. T. M., will hold its annual election of officers. Let there be a full attendance of members.

The largest and cheapest line of Handkerchiefs ever shown in Tecumseh. Wonderful values at 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents, at
SEATON W. ANDERSON'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Clark, of Clinton, expect to spend the winter in San Diego, Southern California. Mrs. Clark started from Clinton this morning for Chicago, where she will join her husband and they will leave for the golden state the first of next week.

Karl Keyser, one of the Clinton boy singers, who rendered, so acceptably, "Old King Cole," at the opera house, Tuesday evening, remained for a visit with his uncle, Robt. Codling, and grandmother, Mrs. Henriett Keyser. He returned home today.

At the regular meeting of Beers Post No. 140, G. A. R., department of Michigan, held Monday evening December 7, the following members of the Post were chosen officers:—

Commander—George Swartz.
S. V. Commander—J. L. Jackson.
J. V. " —J. A. Bouck.
Surgeon—Fred P. Deuel.
Chaplain—Dr. Lemon Barnes.
Quartermaster—George S. Van Tyne.
Officer of the Day—Dan Preston.
" " Guard—Laurence Bauer.
Sentinel—Charles Berry.
Adjutant—Henry L. Sweet.
Sarg't Major—A. VanValkenburg.
Q. M. Sarg't—Parker Allen.
First delegate at large—Miles Baldwin. Alternate—Elmer Wilson.
Second delegate at large—Dr. Lemon Barnes. Alternate—Wm. Jay.
H. W. Stevens, Commander.
A. W. Slayton, Adjutant.

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THE DEESTRICT SKULE.

A Good House, Fine Entertainment and Everybody Pleased.

Out of doors it rained and poured
While inside each one laughed and [roared.

From first to last it was funny, made so by the originality of costume and the fact that everybody knew who each actor was. Each person who attended came to be pleased and pleased he was, and the house was well filled, about 700 people and 700 umbrellas attending the entertainment. The night could not have been worse even if that kicking school board had made it to their own order.

After several fine selections by the band, Mr. Strong rendered a character song, "When We were Boys," which was finely sung and gave character to the beginning of the entertainment. Then came the song, "Old King Cole," given by eight little chaps from Clinton and was so good that the audience would scarcely allow them to leave the stage. Then came the scholars, not pupils, to school. Some stopped to play by the wayside while others went peacefully along that they might "tattle" on the others when school opened. Ephriam Keyes and Jeremiah Hosmer ("Jumping Jerry") indulged in leap frog and played the game nicely while Robbie Rowe Kyle ("Romping Rob") turned a hand spring which would put to shame any other boy of his size, weight and age in Lenawee county.

The opening of the "skule" proper was anxiously awaited by an expectant audience. Ichabod Brainpusher McKinnon appeared, and his very deliberations were a feature of the evening. Throughout his evening of trials and tribulations, his countenance never changed nor did his decorum weaken. Verily Peter was a Perfect Pedagogue.

The A B C class was a grand success, demonstrating the fact to perfection that each and every one knew absolutely nothing, certainly a gang of Illiterate Infants.

The class in 'rithmatic proved no better, and their mental calculations were calculated to drive the pedegogue insane, truly a class of Foolish Figurers.

In grammar is where the school outdid itself. Every question was answered promptly and although most of them incorrectly the performance seemed to please the audience and they could properly be called Green Grammarians.

Geography to these scholars seemed only pastime. They located the United States in Michigan and sent the Mississippi river flowing upstream. They can only be called Geographic Goslings.

The spelling of the spelling class ended the forenoon session and in fact it was a fit ending. Such pranks, such capers, none but grown-up kids could cut. 'Twas during this class that the pedagogue first used his spanker and every one deserved to be a Spanked Spelley.

Then the noon recess. More to eat than would run two church suppers. 'Twas here that Libbie Marier Hicks and Patience Penelope Heesen jumped the rope. They skipped and hopped and hopped and skipped with willowy ease and grace, a pair of Jolly Jumpers, who certainly knew their place.

The brain work of the morning session seemed to need counteracting for the whole noon recess was taken up with work for the pedal extremities. Samson Pettibone Harris ("Stuttering Sammie") did a skirt dance and was assisted in an encore by his light-footed playmate, Samantha Stout, ("Stout Samantha") In fact, the whole school, minus the pedagogue, joined in where the chorus should have been, and exercised the feet and hands to banjo music A band of Dancing Dunces.

The afternoon session was opened by Peter the Pedagogue with somewhat more of ease and grace than that of the morning. His right arm seemed to catch its cunning and some of the scholars were quite severely touched on places provided by Providence for this purpose. Reuben Louder Hicks ("Rollicking Rube") still retains several stripes as a souvenir of the occasion.

The school board comes (a Krowd of Kronic Kickers) when genuine trouble commences. Ephriam Lafayette Keyes ("Empty Eph") delivers an address of welcome to the board and becomes so enamored of his teacher that he swings him round and round. "Eph" was certainly a He Hugger. This was followed by a recitation by the twins, Melinda and Belinda Humpus ("The Humpus Brats"). "Twinkling Star" was their subject but even the twins could not make the stars twinkle that night. The poem on "Spring" was read by Katurah Jane Train ("Kunning Kate"). Spring poems are usual to Katurah and she succeeded nicely.

It was impossible to tell what the declamation by James Butler Davidson ("Jingling Jimmie") would have amounted to had he kept on. Fortunately for the school Robbie Kyle became nervous at the length of the declamation and removed Jimmie from the stage.

The most original performance of the evening was the "Ode to the Cow" by Tasy Ann Avery ("Active Annie" also sometimes called "Tearful Tasy"). She accompanied the cow carefully on through its existance, through all vicissitudes to the end.

The poetical address by Samantha Stout ("Stout Samantha") was a corker. Such bursts of elocution seemed hardly possible from one of her experience and tender years. The committee-men got so excited that they rose in their wrath and "fired" the pedagogue at once. Thus was the school broken up amid the tears and lamentations of the scholars.

In writing the story of this old-fashioned school, the reporter must be judged kindly. Type cannot picture the comical costumes of these grown up "kids" nor can the pen describe the scores of comical actions, each one funny because it pertained to the individual character of the actor.

PAPER WADS AND SLATE PENCILS.

"Jumping Jerry" Hosmer was a wonder. He created more fun and annoyance than some whole families.

Mehittable Paxon ("Muttering Mettie") and her baby brother, Willie Trot Crosby, ("Wabbling Willie") were two great characters, always together and so simple.

Mark Hanna Bidwell ("Muttonhead Mark") was a natural born "tattler" and spent his whole time as spokesman for the others.

William Henry Anderson ("Hungry Hank") and Johnathan Zimmerman ("Jovial John") were remarkable for their tasty costumes and general misdemeanors, while Betsy Jerusha Wood, Amanda Ann Anderson, Sophronia Sisson and Dorcas Deliverance Hall were the dutiful pupils.

Tribulation Harris, Diantha Merritt and Cordelia Corey were stage managers and, although they were not in view of the audience, deserve much credit for the smoothness of the performance.

Jane Ann Hardenburg and Lovisa Tiffany ("Lovely Lucy") were good assistants to the school board in their kicking operations. Geo. Knapp's cornet solo was fine and well deserving of its hearty reception.

Miss Fern Stringham sang beautifully and the clearness of her voice is charming, while little Mamie Keysor, of Clinton, simply captured the audience with her character song and sweetness.

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What the WEEKLY has been in its spirit and purpose, as these have been manifested principally in its editorial pages, it will continue to be.

It is impossible to announce with precision all that the WEEKLY will contain during the year 1897. It were as easy to announce what is about to happen in the WORLD, what triumphs for GOOD GOVERNMENT are to be won, what ADVANCES of the PEOPLE are to be made what is to be the outcome of the continuous struggle between the spirits of WAR AND PEACE, what is to happen in the FAR EAST, what is to be the STATE OF EUROPE twelve months hence, what NEW MARVELS OF SCIENCE are to be revealed, or what are to be the ACHIEVEMENTS OF ARTS AND LETTERS, for the WEEKLY is to be a pictorial record of all this.

CARTOONS will continue to be a feature.

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Improvement in Agricultural Methods in Twenty Years.

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VICTIMS OF HARD LUCK.

Washington's Helpless Poor Are Counted by Thousands.

Negroes Furnish the Largest Contingent to the Army of Unemployed—What Organized Charity Is Doing for Them.

[Special Washington Letter.]

The most beautiful roses of summer are guarded by thorns; and that fact has often been used to point a moral and adorn the tale that all the sweets of life are mingled with the bitter.

The beautiful snow has come again, bringing with it sorrow and suffering to thousands of the poor people in our cities. In the capital city of the republic fully 2,000 families were without fuel during the two days and nights of the storm. It was much like the blizzards of Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, as they were experienced by the writer, some years ago.

The coming of the snow seems to have emphasized the fact that want and suffering exist among the poor of the city. However, this fact has been a familiar one to those interested in the administration of charity ever since the cold weather began. It is the cold that develops a good deal of the need for relief. It is the snow, as a rule, that causes the general public to realize that there are those who stand in need of help. It is natural, therefore, that the volume of contributions, either in money or clothes, for the benefit of the poor should be sensibly increased even since the fall of the snow the other morning.

The stream of public and private charity which flows deep and broad in this city is divided into a great many rivulets and rills of varying size and importance, but all reaching the homes of want and poverty and giving aid which is most needed. There is the charitable individual, sometimes with a heart as large as his purse, and then, again, with the purse in inverse ratio to the size of the heart. He or she visits the poor at their homes and gives help as it seems the occasion demands. They use their friends as their bankers, and very cheerful bankers most of them prove to be, with a good-natured laxness in regard to the cashing of checks. The truth is, the majority of good, charitable people prefer some one else to do the "slumming," as it is sometimes called, while, on the other hand, they are perfectly willing to foot the bills. The drafts upon their time and sympathy are not so cheerfully borne as those upon their bank accounts.

"To every man his work." Since men and women of moderate means enjoy the work of saving souls and bodies in the alleys, it is well; and they are encouraged to go about doing good. Since the prosperous are willing to furnish the money, they are excused from the

OUT OF WORK.

work of "slumming." The churches are doing a great deal to relieve human misery in this city. In nearly every church, of all denominations, are found societies which are devoted to work among the poor. They have a treasury to draw upon, and the members go about from house to house and thus dispense their alms. Then there are organizations of various kinds, which either incidentally, or, as one of the main features, look after the unfortunate class. The Central Union mission offers a conspicuous example. It furnishes lodgings and meals to those in need of temporary help and demands in return, where practical, a certain amount of work in its wood yard. Its members minister to the body as well as to the soul, and they are not compelled to turn away deserving men and women simply because the hour has arrived when the religious meeting which is held daily must close. The influence of the mission continues after the meetings, and the endeavor is by practical means of help to keep men from falling any further into the slough in which they generally are when the mission takes hold of them.

We had a snow carnival on Pennsylvania avenue. Every sled, sleigh, cutter, in fact everything on runners or that could be put on runners, was brought into requisition. Horses, those faithful animals who are so cheap and are being discarded nowadays, were worth a dollar an hour, and apparently every horse in town was in the carnival. All of the pretty girls, the jolly boys, and even the gay old sports were in the procession. Hearing the ringing and the jingling of the bells, the peals of laughter, and the songs of the rushing rabble, no one would suppose that there was any suffering in this city.

The Associated charities is an organization which does much practical good. The secretary has had years of experience, and he knows the genuine from the sham sufferers at sight. For example, during the carnival on Pennsylvania avenue, a young colored man entered the room and told the secretary that he was out of work, and had been vainly trying to find some place as a cook, which was his business. He had failed. He had a wife and a little child five years of age. His wife was able to work, but could not get a place because her clothes were not "fitten," as the man expressed it. They had fuel in the house, but no food, having eaten their last meal last evening. The man said he was willing to work, and his wife was willing to work if they could get it to do.

A crucial test, as it appeared, was made by the secretary who had brought out all this information by a series of questions when he asked the man in conclusion if he would saw wood. The man said he would, and then the secretary gave him an order for some meal, flour, meat, beans, and told him to go home and get something to eat and feed his family, and then returned to the office where he wanted him to go to work. The man promised that he would return, and taking his order, went off to the grocery store to have it filled.

AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

It seemed, from experience, that the secretary's little wood shed in the back yard is the rock upon which the schemes of many who have designs upon the funds of the society split, and go all to pieces. The impostors don't want to work, and when the wood shed looms up before them, they manage to leave and seek more congenial scenery. Sometimes they break the saw or dull the ax with the view of lessening their hours of toil.

The chief of our city police says that the dumping lots furnish a field where many of those who scramble for existence find employment in raking out cinders and chips for fuel. When snow is upon the ground their occupation, as well as fuel supply, is gone. It is then that they appeal to the police. They crowd the station houses at times and are grateful for the smallest pittance. A pound of flour and a bushel of coal go a long way with the starving, shivering, half-clad old woman who lives in an alley garret. Those most dependent in the district are the colored people, to whose numbers the contiguous states of Maryland and Virginia largely contribute. Nourished in more temperate climes, they soon collapse under the vicissitudes of a cold winter.

There is another class of poor, composed of people who do not ask for public relief until actually driven to do so. These are persons who have experienced better days, many of whom make a living on the streets either as laborers or peddlers, but are deprived of their vocations by bad weather. The policemen endeavor to acquaint themselves with the condition of those who live upon their respective beats and the needy are promptly reported for assistance.

The demand for rent money is an unusual feature. The threatened evictions for non-payment of rent were almost as numerous as those reported from Ireland. Men, women and children, representing every color and degree of intelligence, called at police headquarters, some of them almost frantic for want of means to satisfy the landlord. In nearly every instance the "notice to vacate" was presented as a guarantee of truthfulness on the part of the applicant.

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That tells the story, and it is a story which might be repeated again and again concerning all cities. Indeed if the true tale were told concerning the suffering of the poor in New York, Chicago and the other cities which are larger than Washington, it would be harrowing in the extreme. Superintendent of Police Moore tells me however, that there is not a single family in Washington to-day without fuel and food; unless it may be some family too proud to let its poverty be known to the duly constituted authorities.

SMITH D. FRY.

A Monster God House.

In Mexico are found ruins of ancient Aztec teocallis, or 'gods' houses," some of which are thousands of years old. One of these, near Cholula, is in the form of a truncated pyramid. Each side of the base of this pyramid is 1,423 feet, which is twice the length of the great pyramid of Egypt. The height of this Mexican wonder is 177 feet, and its base covers an area of 44 acres.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Detroit.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 50 P.M
Ypsilanton	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Carpenterville	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 45 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 08 "
Adrian.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Toledo	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 55 "	10 55

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 336. Express.	No. 346 Accom
Toledo	.....	6 20 P.M.	.....
Toledo	7 40 A.M.	1 50 "	6 00 A.M
Adrian	8 40 "	3 50 "	8 03 "
Tecumseh	9 19 "	4 35 "	8 35 "
Clinton	9 17 "	4 35 "	8 35 "
Manchester	9 33 "	4 50 "	9 05 "
Carpenterville	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
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THE LAZY FARM HORSE.

How to Make Him Draw Exactly His Part of the Load.

The question is often hotly discussed whether, when two horses work on an "evener" without stay chains, the lazy horse that lags behind thereby draws just one-half of the load, or more, or less than half. The truth is that either of the three may be true, according to how the evener and clevises are arranged.

1.—If all three clevis holes, a, b and c, are equally distant from each other and are on a straight line, and if the clevises

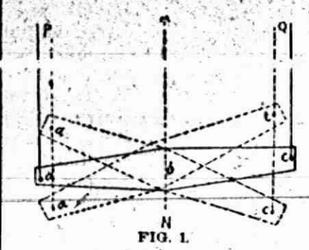


FIG. 1.

play freely on their pins, each horse will draw exactly half of the load, no matter which one is ahead. Fig. 1 shows this. If the line of the clevis holes, a, b and c, is not at right angles with the central line of draft, m n, both horses will be nearer that line, but both will be equally distant from it, drawing in lines a p and c q, parallel with m n. Hence each will draw half of the load.

2.—But if, as in Fig. 2, the three levises are rigid (as sometimes on mowing machines) and the central oint of draft (or fulcrum), b, is behind, and the fulcrums, a and c, are in ront of the evener, then when both orses are even, as in the upper posi-

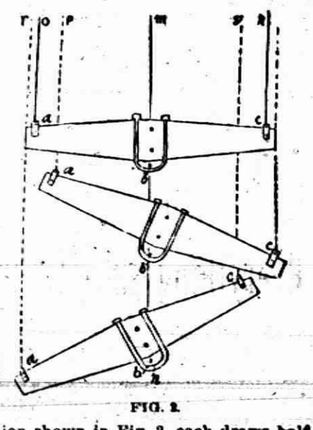


FIG. 2.

ion shown in Fig. 2, each draws half. But when the lazy horse at c lags behind (middle of Fig. 2), he throws his line of draft, c q, further from the middle line of draft, m n, than is a p. That is, the lazy horse has by his laziness given himself the long end of the lever.

If, however, the free horse lags at a (bottom of Fig. 2), his line of draft, a r, is thrown further off from the center line, m n. That is, he gets the long end of the lever. For, in this last case (bottom of Fig. 2), a line drawn from a to b would make a right angle with the line, m n, while a line from b to c would form a sharp angle with the center line of draft, m n, and of course c would be nearer to that line.

3.—But if the center hole, b, for the main clevis, were ahead of the middle line, and the end holes, a and c, were behind, the case in Fig. 2 would be exactly reversed, and the lazy horse by lagging behind would give himself the short end of the lever and must do the most work. This can be inferred from Fig. 2 without a separate cut to illustrate it.

Of course, the only correct way is to have the three holes (fulcrums or points of draft), a b c, exactly on a line. Then each horse draws exactly his half of the load, no matter whether he forges ahead or lags behind.—Ohio Farmer.

The Nature of Sandy Soil.

Sand has a great power for the transportation of water. It will convey water quicker than any other soil, but it will not hold as much. A clay soil will hold more, but water will pass through more slowly. Sandy soils take in all the rains that fall, and if there is a subterranean supply within ten or fifteen feet of the surface, it seems to have a power to pump the water up to the roots of the plants. If, however, there is no such supply, the higher temperature of summer will usually increase the temperature of the top sandy soil and gradually dry it out faster than a fine, clayey soil. Clay will hold more moisture, and hold it longer than any other form of soil, but it must be protected by surface cultivation.—Rural World.

American Corn for Mexico.

Owing to the removal by the Mexican government of import duties on corn for the two states of Vera Cruz and Tamemlipas, and owing to the scarcity of grain there, large shipments are being made from this country, chiefly via Mobile, Ala., which has facilities for shipping to Mexican ports. One steamship company has already carried 700,000 bushels, and for August and September the total reached 1,500,000 bushels. What these figures mean is shown by comparison with the total shipments to Mexico for the year ending June 30, 1896, the aggregate being 1,677,633 bushels. In the year previous the total was only 179,611 bushels. The corn sells for $2.50 a bushel in Mexican money.

IMPROVING GRASSES.

Why Our Farmers Should Bring Native Species Into Cultivation.

One of the best lines of work in connection with the development of improved forage conditions is that of bringing our native forms into cultivation. More than 20 per cent. of all the grass species of the world are natives of the United States, the number ranging upward of 700, and I think I am not wrong in saying that there is no other continent on which there is a greater number of native forage plants other than the grasses. Nearly all of our cultivated forage plants are of foreign origin, and if it were not simply a matter of public interest, it ought to be one of public sentiment to preserve the coming generations of American farmers those native species which have added so much to the wealth of the land in the past. The species of the grazing regions in the west and southwest, and, for that matter, in every part of this country where [illegible] adapted for the conditions under which each grows, and it is folly to think that better forms may be introduced from Europe or Asia or Australia, where climate and soil and abundance of rainfall are different. The meadow grass of the parks, woodlands and mountain slopes, the grama and buffalo grasses of the southwest, and the blue stems of the eastern prairie belt, cannot be improved upon.

We must go out into the fields and meadows and select, care for and propagate the thrifty grasses and native clovers, just as the horticulturist selects and propagates his finest varieties of fruits, or the florist his most perfect and most highly developed flowers. Every cultivated grass, every cereal, every fruit or flower, has been developed up from just such small beginnings, and when we take into consideration the importance of the grazing industries, the great amount of money invested in them, and the vast yearly income from these sources, we must adopt the conclusion that such a line of work is an exceedingly important one.—United States Department of Agriculture.

EXHAUSTED FERTILITY.

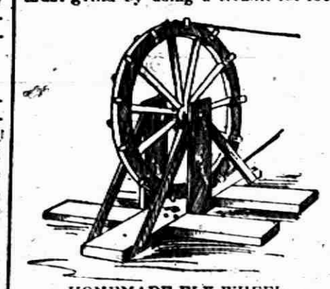
A Good System of Rotation Is the Best Restorer of Worn-Out Soil.

The following conclusions by one of our experiment stations apply everywhere: The continued cropping of soils to grain crops only without any system of rotation, or other treatment, is telling severely upon the original stock of half decomposed animal and vegetable matters, and nitrogen. Soils which have produced grain crops, exclusively, for ten or fifteen years, contain from a third to a half less humus and nitrogen than adjoining soils that have never been plowed. Soils which have been cropped until the organic matters and humus have been materially decreased, retain less water and dry out more easily than when there is a larger amount of organic matter present in the soil. Soils which are rich in humus contain a larger amount of phosphates associated with them in available forms than the soils that are poor in humus. Soils which are rich in humus and organic matters produce a larger amount of carbon dioxide that acts as a solvent upon the soil particles and aids the roots in producing food. One-half of a sandy knoll, heavily manured with well rotted manure, contained nearly a quarter more water during a six weeks' drought than the other half that received no manure. The supply of organic matter in the soil must be kept up because it takes such an important part, indirectly, in keeping up the fertility of soil. A good system of rotation, including sod crops, and well prepared farm manures will do this, and will avoid the introduction and use of commercial fertilizers which are now costing the farmers of the United States over $33,000,00 annually.

SIMPLE FLY WHEEL.

Can Be Used to Advantage for Many Kinds of Farm Work.

A fly wheel is often serviceable on the farm for helping keep the churn in regular motion, or the hand separator, or the grindstone, where one must grind by using a treadle for foot



HOMEMADE FLY WHEEL.

power. In the latter case a fly wheel will cause the stone to run very evenly. Our sketch shows a cast-off heavy farm cartwheel, mounted and ready for business. Small strips of hard wood screwed to the rim keep the band from coming off. The plan of setting up the wheel is plainly shown in the illustration. Where the rim of the wheel used is of sufficient thickness, the old iron tire can be removed and a very thick, but narrow, tire put upon both edges of the rim, leaving a chance for the band to run between them. In the case of a cast-off cartwheel this plan would answer admirably.—Orange Judd Farmer.

A bulletin of the Ohio station tells how seed oats were successfully treated by the hot water method in 1895 and 1896, to prevent smut. It is estimated that Ohio farmers lost not less than half a milion dollars this year, on account of smut in oats. The crop from untreated seed at the station showed 40 smutted heads out of every 100, while the treated seed yielded a much larger crop entirely free of smut.

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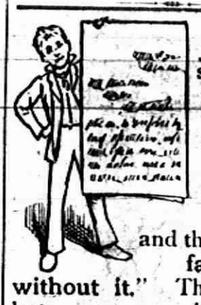

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Beware of imitations. 430 JAMES PYLE, N.Y.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of December in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John B. Whelan a son of said deceased praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Ervin J. Whelan or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Tuesday, the 5th day of January, next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARRAR, Probate Register

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russel, dated April 21, 1891 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 , in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 188,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1,457 53) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 30th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Humboldt Pennington deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Claribel Pennington administratrix upon said estate praying that she may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therin stated.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 28th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the, Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The Tecumseh Herald is issuing a Tuesday special to accommodate its extra advertising patronage for December. Brother Stacy is a hustler sure.—Addison Courier.

The Tecumseh Herald will issue a semi-weekly edition during the month of December. This paper will take the place of the usual holiday edition.—Hudson Gazette.

The Addison Courier will issue four beautiful and readable "extras" during the month of December. There is no better paper for a town of its size in Michigan than this very same Addison Courier.

[illegible] received official notice Saturday that he had been elected governor of Michigan for the two years following January 1, 1897. He celebrated the day by entertaining several scores of visitors and favor seekers.

Tecumseh has a "Wit and wisdom" club, but deponent stateth not whether it is a political, social, educational, original or second-hand affair. The club has an attractive name and ought to be a winner.—Petersburg Sun.

We should like to mention the fact that last week the Tecumseh Herald printed an ad. without a border. Just think of it, brothers, a whole ad. without a border. Jumpins Jehosophat, what's goin' to happen? Petersburg Sun.

During the past three months about 5,000 bushels of apples have been manufactured into ap le butter, jelly or cider at F. A. Saunders & Son's mill here. During the best of the season the average daily output was about 1,000 gallons.—Addison Courier.

Harassed to an almost state of distraction by the importunities of numerous aspirants, Congressman "Billy" Smith, of Grand Rapids, has decided that the postmastership question in one village in his district shall be settled by a vote of the citizens.—Morenci Observer.

Tecumseh also has the railroad fever; wants the Lima Northern to come that way; does not seem to realize that the only practical way for that road to extend its line is to come to Hudson. It is very unfortunate that the road cannot be built on half a dozen different routes so that all might be accommodated.—Hudson Post.

Just as the hustling city of Hudson thought it had the northern terminal of the Lima Northern railroad sure, a lot of grasping Tecumsehites conceived the idea that there were other places on earth quite as good for the iron horse to run into, and that Tecumseh was one of them. Accordingly they are trying to get the Junction with the C. J. & M. at that town.—Addison Courier.

As required by the statute, the boards of control of the various state institutions have submitted to the state board of corrections and charities their estimates for needed appropriations to be asked of the coming legislature for 1897 and 1898, and these estimates have been passed upon by the board. Those approved includes the Industrial Home here with $85,718 for current expenses; $3,970 for special purposes; approved at $4,450, and not favored at $1,520. The total asked for by all institutions reaches $1,097,548.35. The board approves at $943,461.55.—Telegram.

After all the long contest over the election of a sheriff in Monroe county, and the recounting of the entire vote of the county, the two candidates stand exactly where they did before the contest was opened. Rod, the silverite, was elected by a majority of 31, on the face of the returns over Mills, the Republican. In the recount, 319 ballots were thrown out, sometimes one man and sometimes the other being in the lead, but Rod generally having a majority. When the canvassing board completed its work and adjourned after putting the county to heavy expense, Rod had exactly 31 majority, just what he had at the beginning of the contest. The courts will probably now be called on to take a whirl at the matter.—Messenger.

Upon the old Horace Bartlett farm, about a mile northwest of the village of Clinton, says a correspondent, there is a large mound of peculiar formation It is situated on the river flats, about 20 rods from the stream and has often been thought remarkable, situated as it was on flat ground. This mound is about 50 feet accross its base and is 10 or 12 feet high. Until within a year or so it has been covered with a growth of large trees but they have been cut down. Mr. Heal, a former Clinton druggist, who was quite a collector of curiosities, always claimed this mound was made by Indian mound builders, basing his theory on its cylindrical form and peculiar location and also upon the fact that its soil differed from that of the surrounding land. While the river flats were composed of loam, common to such ground, the soil on the mound consisted of clay, sand and gravel. On Tuesday some boys, while digging in the mound, made some discoveries which went to prove the theory that it was made by the Indians. They unearthed several pieces of pottery, the neck of an urn, and what appeared to be bones, but crumbled to pieces upon being exposed to the air. It is likely that further investigations will be made and perhaps discoveries of value to antiquarians will be brought to light.—Adrian Telegram.

Groceryman E. Luther has had one delivery horse for seven years. He had become so tame and gentle and so used to the street cars that the animal seemed to like to have them hanging along by him. Indeed it was as much as a bargain to get him off the track when the car came along, he seemed to be so much in love with the electrical machine. But a change has come o'er the spirit of his dream. A few days ago while driving across the track near Scott street just after a car had flashed by, when a foot touched one track a hind foot dropped on the other. This evidently made a circuit and the animal tumbled to his knees, stricken with the electric shock. From that time on he has been about as much afraid of the cars as a spring colt that never saw them before and has already run away once and smashed things, pertaining to his rig, up considerably. When he is driven under an electric light or hears the rattle of the wires overhead as the car goes along the always steady animal heretofore ducks his head, picks up his ears and makes desperate efforts to get away. The scare is undoubtedly due to the shock.—Adrian Telegram. Didn't suppose there was life enough in the Adrian electric railway to shock anything, let alone an old one-eyed delivery horse.

At Pontiac a movement has been started to establish a "market day" for the purpose of attracting farmers in Oakland and adjacent counties to the city. It is proposed to have a market on will make special prices to farmers. It will also be known as "bargain day." These are days when it takes more than the usual attractions to bring trade and such a method might prove advantageous in Adrian.—Adrian Telegram. Just what every provincial town needs. Such a market would benefit Tecumseh more than we could think.

Without being hypercritical or finical in the least, it would seem that Michigan is in a fair way to solve the problem of eternal life. The report of Secretary Baker of the state board of health shows that during the past fiscal year the board prevented 112,845 cases of sickness and 5,261 deaths from diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and other infectious diseases. To generalize from this we may assume that if the state board were to double its efforts next year it could prevent 225,686 cases of sickness and 10,522 deaths. From this it becomes apparent that through a further increase in the effectiveness of the board, coupled with a corresponding increase in appropriations, there would be no deaths in Michigan except from trolley cars and unloaded fire arms, which do not come within the province of the department. The people of Michagan need not die unless they want to, and even the most rudimentary instincts of patriotism ought to inspire them to live and keep down the death rate for the reputation of the state.—Detroit Tribune.

Taylor.

Loren E. Taylor, eldest son of Rodman Taylor, was born in the township of Franklin, Feb. 26, 1835, and his whole life was passed in the same neighborhood; for when, on March 25, 1860, he was married to Emma G. Hampton, of the same town, he settled on the farm west of his father's, where his family were reared and where he and the loved ones who preceeded him passed away. It is doubtful if a happier home could be found than was his. Loren and Emma were truly a devoted couple and to them were born twelve children, nine of whom are living, and dutiful children they have ever been. June 6, 1892, his life's partner was taken from him by death, truly a most stunning blow; but with christian resignation he bowed submissively and turned to his children for earthly comfort, and not in vain. For many years he had been an exemplary member of the Clinton M. E. church and the masonic lodge, both of whose burial rituals were used for his interment. His death occurred Dec. 1, and the funeral Friday, Dec. 4, was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. Besides his aged father, two sisters, one brother, and the following children survive him: Mrs. Luella Joseph, Sadie, Bertha, Mrs. Edith Simonds, Hollis, George, Andrew, Ruth and John.

High School Happenings.

The Physics class have begun the study of electricity.

Ethel Doty, of Evans Lake, was a sixth grade visitor Friday.

Maggie Biddle, of Macon, called on the high school Friday morning.

Ina Jackson was absent for a day or so this week, on account of illness.

Grace Ruder, of Macon, visited her Macon friends in the B room Friday.

The primary teachers had a meeting at the central building Tuesday evening.

The advanced Algebra classes are trying to fathem the mysteries of proportion.

Willard McIntyre, a former pupil here, called on the A room Tuesday afternoon.

Harold Hoag renewed his acquaintance with teachers and pupils Thursday afternoon.

Minnie Russel, a member of the class of '96, called on the high school Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Varner were looking over the different rooms of the high school Monday.

Cuyler North and Louis Sheldon were absentees from the C room the greater part of the week, owing to illness.

The senior class held a meeting after school Wednesday. What deep dark plots were formed is not for us to tell.

The ninth grade grammar classes have completed the advanced work and are now reviewing, preparatory to examinations in January.

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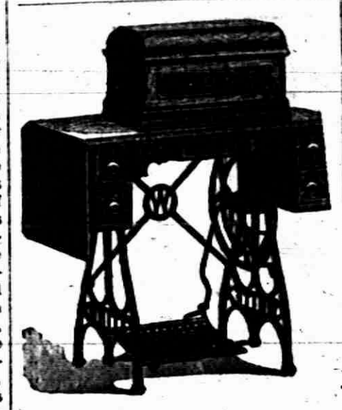

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LURED TO DEATH.

Antonio Maceo the Victim of Spanish Treachery.

Invited to a Conference, He and His Staff Are Ruthlessly Shot Down—The Story Denied by Spanish Officials.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 14.—Gen. Antonio Maceo, the famous Cuban leader, is really dead, having been treacherously murdered by Spaniards December 7 while on his way to attend a conference to which he was invited by the marquis of Ahumeda, acting captain general of Cuba, while Gen. Weyler was in the field. Saturday noon a letter was received by Col. J. A. De Huau, the head of the Florida junta, from his secretary correspondent in Havana, giving a detailed account of the assassination of Gen. Maceo and his entire staff, with the exception of Dr. Zertucha, who was Maceo's physician. The letter came from a reliable source in Havana, but the correspondent's name, of course, cannot be made public, for, as Mr. Huau said: "The writer would be shot within an hour by Spanish authorities if they knew who gave away details of one of the most horrible atrocities ever chronicled in modern warfare."

Led Into a Trap.

It appears that the marquis of Ahumeda, who is officiating as captain general of Cuba during Weyler's absence in the field, sent a letter to Gen. Maceo inviting the Cuban leader to a conference near Punta Brava, stating he desired to confer with him as to some means of stopping bloodshed and the great waste of human life, and to getting his views on the subject. Maceo, who was the soul of honor, never for a moment thought treachery was intended, especially as the invitation came from such a prominent Spaniard as the marquis of Ahumeda, and he immediately returned an answer, saying he would be glad to meet the Spanish general. Attended by his staff only, consisting of 35 men and officers, he went to the rendezvous, little dreaming of what was in store for him.

Ambushed.

On his arrival at the trocha, the Spanish soldiers there, acting under orders, actually saluted the rebel chieftain as he passed, but after reaching the rendezvous on the east side near a hillside, thickly wooded, the Cuban leader was surprised to see, instead of the marquis of Ahumeda, a large body of Spanish soldiers, who seemed to come from every side. The actions of the Spanish troops were so suspicious that Maceo felt that he had been cruelly trapped, and his suspicions were confirmed when peremptory orders came from Maj. Cirujeda, who dashed up to the gallant Cuban leader as he stood at bay, surrounded by his staff, and demanded his unconditional surrender. "If you surrender," said he, "we offer you your life and an honorable treaty."

Maceo Shot Down.

"Never!" was the brave reply, and hardly had the words been uttered when volley after volley was poured into the little band of patriots, who, although hemmed in on all sides and outnumbered almost one hundred to one, struck spurs into their horses with cries of "Cuba libre" and rode gallantly to their death, striking down as many of the enemy as they could. Maceo is reported to have fallen at the first fire with a bullet through the head, breaking his jaw, while another hit him in the abdomen. Each was fatal.

Young Francisco Gomez, son of the Cuban commander in chief, was the next to fall, and in a few moments a number of bloody corpses, all shot almost beyond recognition so fierce and concentrated was the Spanish fire, was all that remained of the gallant Cubans, who had trusted not wisely but too well to Spanish honor.

Zertucha Spared.

The fire was continued until every man was killed save Dr. Zertucha, who, the Cubans say, is a traitor. The bodies of Maceo and young Gomez were then tied to the tails of the soldiers' horses and dragged over the field so as to disfigure them, as the Spaniards did not wish to have them discovered and identified at first.

Story Officially Denied.

Havana, Dec. 14.—It is announced in official circles here that the accounts received by the Cuban junta detailing the manner in which Maceo met his death are absolutely untrue. The statement that Maceo was assassinated through the instrumentality of Dr. Zertucha, who, it is claimed, led Maceo and his staff across the trocha, where they were met by Ahumeda and the Spanish soldiers and murdered after being invited to a conference, is officially and emphatically denied.

Will Stay in the Field.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 11.—The national executive committee of the national democratic party held its first meeting here since the election and decided to hold the organization intact as it stands and to make an effort to extend it into states where it had no footing in the last campaign.

Sight Restored.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Helen Beers, of this city, born blind 19 years ago has had her sight restored by the removal of a cataract from each eye.

Headquarters Chosen.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The national republican committee has selected the Glover building in Washington as permanent headquarters.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

Officers Elected and Resolutions Adopted by the National League.

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—The delegates to the annual meeting of the National Civic Service Reform league, which began Thursday in Hotel Walton, held a business session Friday morning. Pres[illegible] was in bad voice and Henry Hitchcock, of St. Louis, presided.

The officers elected were:

President, Carl Schurz, New York; vice presidents, Charles Francis Adams, Boston; Augustus R. McDonough, New York; Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, New York; J. Hall Pleasant, Baltimore; Henry Hitchcock, St. Louis; Henry C. Lea, Philadelphia; Franklin MacVeagh, Chicago, William Potts, New York, and Archbishop P. J. Ryan, Philadelphia.

Charles J. Bonaparte, of Baltimore, chairman of the committee on resolutions, presented the report of that body, which was adopted after some changes. A synopsis of the resolutions follows:

They refer to the fact that for the first time since the organization of the league its principles were openly repudiated and a revival of discarded abuses threatened in the platform put forth by a national convention and in the public declarations of a candidate for the presidency, and "congratulates the country that the purpose thus foreshadowed to undo the good accomplished by persistent effort during a generation's space have failed of consummation." The league congratulates the country on the "truly remarkable" progress of reform under the second administration of President Cleveland, and especially during the past year, and declares that "for this great achievement, advancing as it does the fundamental principles of free government, President Cleveland deserves the sincere and heartfelt thanks of all good citizens." The league recognizes in the president-elect a friend to civil-service reform, and urges that he adopt as soon as may be practicable a plan which may enable him to base his nominations for non-political presidential offices such as postmasters and consuls, upon ascertained fitness and efficiency, regardless of party or other affiliations. The league further suggests to the president-elect that the public interest would be advanced if no removals were made of fourth-class postmasters, except for cause, and it submits the advisability of extending the system of registration of laborers to all departments.

At the afternoon session a number of interesting papers were read, and the meeting adjourned sine die. It is probable that the next annual meeting will be held at Cincinnati. The place will be selected by the executive committee.

CAN'T ENFORCE IT.

Anti-Trust Law Practically a Failure—Attorney-General Reports.

Washington, Dec. 11.—The annual report of Hon. Judson Harmon, attorney general of the United States, was sent to congress Thursday. Concerning the anti-trust law, he says that the restricted scope of its provisions, as constructed by the courts, makes amendments necessary, if any effective action is expected from the department of justice.

A new crimes act is one of the things the attorney general thinks is needed. Further defects in the criminal laws were discovered during the past year. Criminal legislation is hopelessly confused, says the attorney general.

TOOK THEIR OWN LIVES.

Two Prominent California Ladies Found Dead in Their Home.

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Sarah H. Cooper and her daughter, Harriet Cooper, were found dead in their home in this city yesterday morning with the gas turned on and every evidence of suicide. Both were widely known as workers in the cause of temperance, Christianity and philanthropy. It is supposed that the deed was committed because of a church scandal in which they at first sided with the pastor and then turned against him and were snubbed by former friends.

Issues an Address.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—Charles D. Lane, chairman of the national bimetallist committee, has issued an address to his followers urging them to suspend active agitation of the subject of free coinage of silver for the present and to join in upholding the hands of Maj. McKinley as president of the United States, and to support him in all efforts to increase the prosperity of the people.

Fell from a Train.

Columbia, Mo., Dec. 11.—A man with $2,975 fell from a Missouri, Kansas & Texas train near Wilton and was killed. There was nothing whatever on his person by which he could be identified. His ticket read from Denison, Tex., to St. Louis. Coroner Parker has taken charge of the remains and money.

Coxey Leaves People's Party.

Massillon, O., Dec. 12.—Gen. J. S. Coxey has issued an open letter to Senator Marion Butler denouncing "the disgraced people's party, sold out to an issue so insignificant as silver." He tenders his resignation as a member of the national committee.

Famous Chemist Dead.

London, Dec. 11.—A dispatch to a news agency here announces the death at San Remo, Italy, of Alfred Nobel, a Swedish engineer and chemist. He was the first to recognize the value of nitroglycerine, and was the inventor of a number of explosives.

Internal Revenue.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The annual report of Commissioner Joseph S. Miller, of the internal revenue bureau, shows the receipts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, to have been $146,830,615, against $143,246,077 the previous year.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 14. — Mrs. Catherine Corbett, aged 70, and her daughter Mary, aged 40, were found dead in their home in this city, having been suffocated by gas.

THE MAIL SERVICE.

Annual Report to Congress of Postmaster-General Wilson.

The Excess of Expenditures Over Receipts the Past Year Was $6,127,083—No Necessity, He Says, for an

Washington, Dec. 9.—A vigorous protest against the abuse of the postal service is made in the annual report of Postmaster-General Wilson. He quotes figures which show an excess of expenditures over receipts of $6,127,083 for the last fiscal year, which, however, is a decrease in the deficiency of $1,679,956, as compared with the previous fiscal year. This satisfactory exhibit for the last year has been made possible, the postmaster-general sets forth, by a vigorous policy of bringing suit or pushing collection on bonds immediately after default, which is the only safe practice for the interests of the government and those of the obligers.

The postmaster-general argues that there is no necessity for the annual deficit in the revenues of the department, and that but a few lines of amendment by congress to the postal laws will wipe it out and give in its place a steady surplus. It has its chief source, he says, in the transmission at second-class rates of a large and rapidly-increasing volume of matter never in the contemplation of the law, which gives the nominal rate of one cent a pound on such matter, and assuredly outside of the policy of the law as to newspapers and periodicals.

Loss Through Franking.

He characterizes the loss sustained by the franking privilege in transmitting serial libraries, etc., as indefensible, shows that of 848,980,648 pounds of second-class matter handled during the year over 83,349,000 pounds were "county free" matter, and urges the adoption of the Loud bill, now pending in the house, as the remedy. He says the passage of this bill will not only wipe out the postal deficit and insure in ordinary years a surplus which may be used to cheapen postage on letters or to increase the mail facilities of the people, but will really carry out the one-cent-a-pound law of 1885.

The postmaster-general estimates a deficiency in the revenues of the department for 1897 of $3,472,419, and for 1898 of $1,283,324.

Discussing the merits of the postal system, the postmaster-general says the people of the United States may felicitate themselves that in no important respect are they behind any other country in their postal facilities, and in many things they are in the van.

Free Rural Delivery.

The results of the free rural delivery experiments are yet incomplete. Time is required to familiarize the people with the innovation and develop its benefits or failures. The thorough working of such a system involves some redistribution of post offices and some discontinuances which cannot now be safely attempted.

Twelve thousand and ninety appointments of postmasters were made during the year, of which 1,941 were due to removals. There were 198 fraud orders issued during the year.

Lotteries.

The headquarters of all or nearly all of the avowed lottery concerns have been removed to foreign shores, but it is thought much matter sent by them reaches addresses in this country through the mails, which the department practically has no power to prevent, and that express companies carry large sums of money from our people to them.

The postmaster-general concludes his report with two significant recommendations, which he says are necessary to complete the civil service reforms. The first is to secure fixity of tenure during efficiency and good behavior to the three assistant postmasters-general, whose work is entirely non-political, whose capacity to deal with the large machinery and great expenditures of their respective bureaus must come in great measure from experience, and who preserve the continuity of the department, not in the mere desk or division work, but in the general administration.

PROGRESS IN CHINA.

The Government Orders Establishment of English Schools.

San Francisco, Dec. 11.—Tokio advices say that the Chinese government has issued instructions to the viceroys and governors throughout the empire to establish schools for teaching the English language and western sciences in all the principal cities. The reason assigned is that China desires to keep herself on terms of equality and in touch with the great powers of Europe.

Ball Clubs in the Western Association.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 11.—J. Hickey, president of the Western Baseball association, has notified the Quincy Baseball association that he has awarded Quincy the eighth franchise in the Western association. This makes the circuit complete as follows: Quincy, Peoria, Rockford, St. Joseph, Des Moines, Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Dubuque.

Grand Jury Refuses to Indict.

Denver, Col., Dec. 12.—Andrew J. Spute, who was accused of the murder of his wife and four children several weeks ago in Smith's lake, where they were boating, has been fully cleared by the unanimous refusal of the grand jury to vote an indictment. Spute will not begin suit to collect the $10,000 insurance on his wife's life.

At His Betrothed's Grave.

Toledo, O., Dec. 14.—On the grave of his late fiance in Calvary cemetery Sunday morning Edmund K. Wright, aged 20, a member of a prominent Toledo family, committed suicide. After placing a bunch of flowers on the tomb, Wright sent a bullet into his heart, dying almost instantly.

Employment for 6,000 Men.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 11.—A general resumption of operations in the river coal mines will take place in a few days, giving employment to about 6,000 men. The miners will receive an advance in wages of 37½ cents per 100 bushels, the agreement holding good until next July.

Fifty Years in Journalism.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.—Eminent public men from many cities sat round the board at the Hotel Walton Wednesday night and did honor to Col. Alexander K. McClure, editor of the Times, who that day completed his fiftieth year in journalism. Gov. Hastings presided.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 15, 1896

If a newspaper man can get two new subscribers for each one stopped he considers himself doing a great business. Without solicitation the HERALD has received 28 new subscribers since November 1 and only four stops. One of the four was sent to a man who moved away between two days, the other three discontinued the HERALD simply because they didn't want a paper with an opinion of its own. Certainly this is a good showing and no effort will be spared to make the HERALD worthy this patronage.

A public meeting was held in Adrian last evening to determine what is best to be done concerning the securing of the Lima Northern railroad for that city. Much interest was manifested and there is no doubt but that Adrian will be able to raise the amount required to secure the road. The time is limited and if Tecumseh secures the Lima Northern, quick work must be done. Our committee of ten is now at work and it is to be hoped that by Friday's issue of the HERALD the report can be made that Tecumseh's share is all pledged.

Congress is now running full blast but all the work that has been done so far has been to spend money. Appropriation bill after appropriation bill has been railroaded through both house and senate without regard to the fact that at the present rate of expenditure the deficit for the present year will be over $74,000,000. Something should be done by this congress to arrange matters so that Uncle Sam will receive money enough each month to pay his current expenditures. Something must be accomplished, either by increasing its revenues or decreasing the expenses, [illegible] complexion of the senate [illegible] no increase of tariff will [illegible] session, hence the plan of the HERALD would be to increase the tax on beer $1.00 per barrel which would raise $35,000,000 of the deficit; put a duty on tea of 40 per cent which would further reduce it $4,000,000, and a duty of 40 per cent on coffee would reduce it to nearly $80,000,000. Experience has taught us that the price of tea and coffee has been very little less than it was before the duty was taken off and all the difference it would make to the consumer of beer would be that he would drink a little more water while consuming the beer which would certainly do him no damage. Of course the advice of the HERALD to congress is like a fly dropping into Lake Michigan but the advice is just as good.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Session of [illegible]
Present, the President, Trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lo[illegible]
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton presented report for November, showing three [illegible] adult interments; $15 [illegible] interment fees collected; one lot [illegible] for $15 cash. Accepted and ordered [illegible].

Street Commissioner [illegible] presented, showing village [illegible] labor 17 days, 7 hours, hired team [illegible] for 16 days 2 hours, cost $40.50; hand [illegible] for 18 days cost $22.50. One poll [illegible] worked. Accepted and ordered [illegible].

Street committee reported [illegible] worth of gravel sold for cement walks. Accepted.

Dr. Geo. Howell appeared and addressed the council as to the necessity of prohibiting the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks at all times, during the year, on account of the danger to pedestrians, and citing several instances where parties had been struck by reckless riders and one instance where a person was seriously injured. Consideration of the matter laid over until next meeting.

Moved that the clerk draw an order on the village treasurer for $1,854.63 in payment of water works bond due January 1st 1897 $1,000, interest due $850, commission for paying same $4.63. Supported. Carried.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for Nov., $116.92; J. A. Boyd, telegram &c., $.75; Jas. Elliott, blacksmithing, $6.55; H. Brewer & Co., supplies, $31.21. Labor: John Lucas, $3.60; Wm. Austin, $3.00; Wm. Fielder, $14.25; A. Waring, $9.45; C. Bronson, $8.25; Jas. O'Riley, $9.25; F. Warin, $1.25; O. E. Hodges, $4.88; John Hoy, $1.25; Robt. Hastings, $1.25; G. W. Bly, $7.63; Wm. Cassel, $1.25. Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

Moved that bridge over Evans Creek on Union street constructed by Keepers & Thacher, be accepted and that clerk draw his order on the village treasurer for the balance, remaining unpaid thereon. Seconded. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil gives almost instant relief.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The ladies of the Congregational church at Morenci gave a bazaar and fair and netted $226.95 besides plenty of fun and hard work. Still they complain of hard times in Morenci.

The latest from Monroe is the reported rupture of an engagement between a young woman and a young man because the latter insisted on wearing motto buttons. With the motto button breaking ups engagements, the suspender button breaking up marriages, and the collar button doing business all the year round, its about time we took to wearing hooks and eyes.—Petersburg Sun.

The Wabash and Lake Shore have never come down into the city because it is an expensive route. It will cost many times what the Lima Northern asks to build the new road down into the city. But the expense of building, of bringing in outside capital during the dull season to expend many thousands of dollars in addition to all that Adrian contributes, means a mighty thing just at this time to the business men and working people of Adrian. The enterprise should have their united support.—Adrian Telegram.

A prominent federal office holder who keeps a general store at Jerome, Hillsdale county, disappeared ten days ago, and it is alleged he is a defaulter to the government to the extent of $1,500. A postoffice inspector has looked over his affairs, and found that he obtained the cash by ordering a large number of money orders payable to himself upon postoffices scattered all over the country. Westover is said to have mortgaged his stock of goods for $2,300 before he went away. It is also claimed that he owes for many carloads of apples which he purchased of the farmers in that locality. When he left he went to Hillsdale, the county seat, discharged the mortgage upon his homestead, and deeded it to his wife.—Adrian Telegram.

A six year old son of A. Loomis, a Lake Shore passenger brakeman who resides on Toledo street, had a narrow escape from death yesterday afternoon. A bottle of chloroform was left standing on a shelf in the kitchen where it was discovered by the little fellow, who drank a quantity of it. The child soon went to sleep on the bed and his condition was not discovered until an hour and a half later when the parents tried to arouse him but could not do so he being in a complete stupor. Dr. Williams was summoned and succeeded, after nearly an hour's work, in reviving the little fellow. It was a close call and teaches the importance of keeping poisonous drugs out of the reach of children.—Adrian Telegram.

Handbills announcing a public meeting at Croswell opera house Monday evening, which are being distributed about town today, show an active revival of interest in the Lima Northern project, and lead to the general conclusion that something definite is to be done. The citizens who have so industriously served in an investigating capacity, met last night at the mayor's office and formulated the report which is given below. We hope the people of Adrian, without any distinction, will carefully read what the gentlemen of the executive committee have to say, and rise to a full appreciation of the requirements of the situation.—Adrian Times. In addition to the above, the committee appointed last February makes a report and sets forth the many advantages of the Lima Northern.

RIDGEWAY.

Ed Freer, wife and son, of Mason, arrived Saturday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Pocklington, and family.

In our letter last week was a false statement. Ace Smith did not go to St. Louis with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrison; his wife expected to accompany them, but was unable to do so and will join them for Christmas. Ace is attending the market during Ed's absence.

Horace Dibble visited Rev. E. Yager and family, at Napoleon, during the past week.

The first number of the Lecture Course comes next week Tuesday evening, when Silas Palmer, of Detroit, will lecture on "Wit and Wisdom in Words."

Mrs. Jennie Lockwood, of Petersburg, district president of the W. C. T. U. will meet with the ladies of the union at the church parlors, Friday evening of this week, and will give an address. Let everybody turn out and meet Mrs. Lockwood.

The Plan to get A GOOD HARNESS

is where good harnesses are made. Anything in this line made as you want it at lowest prices. Repairing a specialty.

W. C VanAntwerp,

2nd door south Marsh's Market
R. R. Street.

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has added

A Stock of Furpiture.

Call if you wish to save money.

(With U. S express office.)

ONCE IN A LIFETIME.

in a new program of
Original Musical Doings
and Descriptive Sayings.

A Literary Treat! A Musical Torture!
A Novel Entertainment!

Ojisdoh=The White Star of the Mohawks, is an incident of the wars between the Mohawks and the Hurons and in it Miss Johnson portrays in a manner quite indiscribable in cold type, the means an Indian woman will have recourse to before allowing herself to be captured by the enemies of her tribe

THE EVENT OF THE SEASON.

TEKAHIONWAKE.

The Illustrious Indian Poetess.

OWEN A. SMILEY.

of London, England

Tecumseh Star Course,
Thursday Dec. 17, '96.
at
Sutton's Opera House

DID YOU SEE THOSE NICE FRESH CANDIES IN R. S. MOORE'S WINDOW?

Just the SWEETEST kind of a Christmas present.—A box of fine assorted Candies.

Still Booming

THE

Red Banner Sale

OF

Adamson Bros.'

New Goods coming every day and all suitable for the HOLIDAY TRADE.

Watch us, we will make you prices that will please.

YOUR HEALTH

is largely a question of suitable attire. One must dress for the season. Fashion as well as the weather must be considered. Health demands warmth. Fashion requires correctness. Both points are met handsomely in our made-to-order suits, produced from the largest and finest stock of woolens in Tecumseh, at very low prices.

J. C. HAZLETT,
Merchant Tailor.

Something Good to Eat

Is neccessary to Complete Christmas.

At

W. W. MARSH'S

You can get anything in the MEAT and POULTRY line

Always the Best and Cheapest.

Loaded With Gifts.

Our store is more than loaded with goods especially suitable for

Christmas Gifts

Our stock comprises an elegant assortment of

Silk Mufflers Neckwear
Fancy Suspenders, Shirts,
Kid Gloves; Plush Caps,
Collars, Cuffs.

Just The Thing For a Nice Present.

F. D. Lancaster,
Clinton, Michigan.

Ladies Say

It is a difficult task to buy Christmas presents for gentlemen.

We Say

they need have no trouble if they will call at our store for we keep not only articles needed by men but the

Very Best Goods,

with which men are always pleased.

For Instance: A new suit of clothes, an overcoat, fine underwear, fancy suspenders, beautiful neck, wear, pair of gloves, hat or cap.

or a thousand other things we can mention to you when come in. and remember our

PRICES ARE WAY DOWN.

McCANN BROS.

THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS.

Our Store is Crowded

day and night with

Holiday Goods,

and all day with people looking for and getting

Bargains in Novelties.

Also remember that our Half Price Cloak Sale still continues and will until every garment is sold.

HARRIS & HITESHU

LOOK! LOO

21 lbs, H. G. fine Granulated Sugar $1.

Arbuckle and Lion Coffee 20c lb

Highest Market Price Paid for Produce.

Mobbs & Co.

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 15, 1896.

OPERA HOUSE.

FRIDAY, DEC. 18.

Return of the Favorites

Guy Brother's Minstrels.

30 -:- People -:- 30

Their Guy Bros. have spared no expense in securing the very best talent in the Minstrel line. Entire new show this season. Stronger and better than ever. Best Band and Orchestra traveling. See the Grand Street Parade with Three Drum Majors in parade at 4 p. m.

Seats on sale at Kirchgessner's.

Prices 35 and 50 Cents.

Children 25 Cents.

Meals at all hours at Moir's.

Dr. L. G. North visited Toledo, Ohio, Saturday.

Master Karl Keyser returned to Clinton Sunday.

Bert Ayers, of Sand Lake, was in town yesterday.

The shoe slaughter goes right on at the Mills Block.

Chris Wallinger and wife spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

Miss Rosa Dove, of Newburg, is quite seriously ill with tonsilitis.

E. D. Cutting and wife were calling on friends in Clinton Sunday.

Mrs. Al Paxon has been quite ill the past week, but is now on the gain.

Mrs. Kate Sotfin, of Clinton, visited her father, James Jackson, yesterday.

Col. E. D. Fenn, of Bridgewater, was calling on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

The greatest line of holiday goods ever shown in Tecumseh.

MILLS BLOCK.

Richard Farley, after a month spent in Buffalo, N. Y., returned home the last of the week.

Milton O. Weidrick, of North Adams, has been visiting Z. Cook and family, in Raisin, the past week.

Mrs. Jas. Cock, of Lansing, and Zach Cook, of Raisin, were calling on Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Roy Hughes came home from Ypsilanti Saturday. He will not return, having finished the course.

Mrs. Margaret Dowley, who broke her hip Thanksgiving evening, is making most satisfactory recovery.

John D. Shull left this morning for Adrian, where he will act as one of the jurors for this term of court.

Genial Sam McClure ran over from Adrian Saturday morning to spend the day socially among his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Temple were called to LaSalle, Monroe Co., yesterday by the illness of Mrs. T.'s father.

Yes, we must get that picture framed for Christmas and Teeple has so many styles of moulding and so cheap too, that is the place to get it.

The HERALD office is sending orders for engraved calling cards every day. Bring your copper plates in and save all expense and trouble.

Mrs. M. S. Gray, of Middlefield, Ohio, and Mrs. W. C. Burns, of Stanton, Mich., accompanied by the latter's daughter, are visiting their mother, Mrs. James Vincent.

The largest and cheapest line of Handkerchiefs ever shown in Tecumseh. Wonderful values at 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents, at

SEATON W. ANDERSON'S.

"Miss Johnson is a full blooded Iroquois Indian. Besides being an elocutionist of exceptional merit, she is a poetess of much renown. Mr. Smiley is the best humorist who ever appeared in this city. Taken all together it was one of the finest entertainments ever presented to a Fostoria audience."—*Daily Review.*

The funeral of R. C. Hathaway, Past Grand Master of the grand lodge of F. & A. M., of Michigan, was held at St. Mark's Episcopal church, Grand Rapids, Sunday afternoon and was one of the largest masonic funerals ever held in Michigan. He was well known all over the state and had many acquaintances here. He was son-in-law of the late Genl. W. P. Innes and brother-in-law of Adolph Wheeler, of Adrian.

One evening in a large Canadian city, while Miss Johnson was reciting her pathetic little poem, "Beyond the Blue," and was calling and patting the imaginary dog "Rover," the sweet, piping voice of a little child rang out, startling the entire audience, which a moment afterwards burst forth with enthusiastic applause, for the little voice was saying, "Oh! Mama, I 'tant see the dog, lift me up, I want to see the dog."

Miss Johnson is an Indian princess of one of the proudest of the old tribes. At the same time she is a flower of Canadian culture and high breeding. But with all her social accomplishments and prestige, she has always retained her hold on the life of the forest. Equally at home in her canoe or in exclusive London society, she is perhaps the only Indian who has ever succeeded in giving with adequate grace an English expression to the deep imagination of her people. Go and hear this accomplished lady in the Star Course Thursday night.

Oysters all styles at Moir's.

Guy Bros. Minstrels Friday evening.

Raynor Anderson was home over Sunday.

Mrs. B. C. Ellis spent Sunday in Toledo.

Our holiday stock is now complete.

MILLS BLOCK.

Election of officers in the chapter at the temple tomorrow evening.

Greatest holiday bargain. Two small photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Mrs. Ellsworth Cairns is teaching in Miss Monigan's place while she is away.

Miss Franc Middlebrook has been at her parents in Clinton, sick the past week.

Will Hopkins, mail clerk on the Jackson branch was a Tecumseh visitor yesterday.

Miss Belle Gimbert, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. John Hughes over Sunday.

Secure seats at once for Guy Bros' Minstrels at the opera house Friday evening.

Fay Anderson journeyed to Detroit yesterday and will make a few days' visit in that city.

Walter Brighton and wife from near Wamplers lake, are with Mr. and Mrs. D. Holmes, Mrs. B.'s parents.

Teeple is doing lots of large portrait work but you must leave your orders at once to get them for Christmas.

Mrs. J. W. Owen and daughter Jennie are spending a week in Hudson with Mrs. Bovie, Mrs. Owen's daughter.

Mr. George Doke, of Chesterton, Ind., is visiting his cousin, Miss Anna Doke, and other relatives here this week.

Christmas eve they will have a tree at the Presbyterian church, and some interesting exercises by the children.

Harry Goff, of Ann Arbor, arrived Saturday and is spending a few days among his friends and old schoolmates.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Copper plate engraved cards ordered at the HERALD office will be a most acceptable gift for either lady or gentleman. Call and see the samples.

"El" Gray sold a hog yesterday which weighed 622 pounds. It required "El", the hired man, a good team and all the neighbors to load up.

For sale, two good coal stoves cheap. One nearly new and one suitable for heating a large store or shop building. Inquire at once at the HERALD office.

The M. E. church Sunday evening was packed to overflowing. Rev. J. P. Varner's series of sermons on "Crime and its Result" is exciting great interest.

Miss E. Pauline Johnson will read a number of her most popular poems descriptive of the Indian wilder life, in Indian costumes, at the opera house, Thursday evening.

Geo. Tiffany, Jr., and Robt. McClure left yesterday for St. Joseph county, where they will sell cabinets. They drove through and expect to make Sturgis their headquarters.

Fred Howland started for Saginaw county this morning, overland. He has purchased the right for the Standard Cabinet for that county and expects to begin active operations at once.

Adamson Bros. have in a great stock of goods for the holiday season. The selection of these old and reliable merchants are always judicious and their prices will please you for reliable goods.

Knights of the Maccabees remember that Wednesday evening December 16th Tecumseh Tent No. 142, K. O. T. M., will hold its annual election of officers. Let there be a full attendance of members.

So loaded up with holiday goods is Harris & Hiteshu's store that it is a difficult thing for buyers to move around, but it is getting easier every day, for goods will move at the prices they ask.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barkwell leave tomorrow for St. Thomas, Canada, which place will be, for a time at least, their home. Mr. and Mrs. Barkwell have made many friends in Tecumseh who regret their moving away, but who wish them all success in their new home.

Ice cream in any flavor, brick or plain for Chrtstmas. Leave orders at Moir's.

Mr. Owen A. Smily, the Musical Skit Artist, of London, Eng., who will appear in the opera house Thursday night, constitutes the most admirable foil possible for the tragic Mohawk poetess—Miss E. Pauline Johnson. He has a wonderful voice and jumps from a gruff bass to a high soprano or light tenor with greatest ease. He does "new things" with the piano—making it entirely subservient to the humor of the sketch.

Last Friday and Saturday the Tecumseh stores were crowded with customers, and these were customers who came to buy. It may well be said that there is not another town of its size in Michigan in which the merchants are as "up to date" as in Tecumseh. Their stocks are complete, well kept and sold at reasonable prices. Perhaps the Twice-a-Week Herald during December has aided somewhat in calling people to town. Certainly, it has done no harm.

Now is the time. Two beautiful photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

At the meeting of the Monday club yesterday Miss Alice Rice read a paper on the Mennisingers, Miss Jennie Root a paper on Walter von der Vogleweide, and Mrs. Shull described "Parcival" of Volfreim von Eschenbach, followed by discussion. The members of the club are contemplating a rare treat in the near future. Prof. Emerson, of Cornell University, will deliver to them a lecture on Art. The entertainment will take place at the residence of Mrs. Bills and each member will be privileged to invite a friend.

Two photos 25 cents. Miss DALY.

Fine line Christmas candies at O. McBride's.

George W. Marvin made a business trip to Detroit yesterday.

Geo. W. Marvin goes to Adrian this afternoon.

John Nyland was a Clinton visitor Saturday evening.

Farmers, get your sausage meat chopped at Marsh's meat market.

Miss Lettie Young, of the Central House, has been on the sick list since Saturday.

Nothing nicer for a holiday present than a package of engraved calling cards. Order at once at the HERALD office.

Keep that price list in mind.

The Ladies' social and supper, of the Universalist church, will be held next week Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17. Supper from 5 to 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Fine mixed candies 10 cents a pound at O. McBride's.

John Murphy, of Clinton township, who was drawn a juror for the December term of the circuit court, left this morning for the county seat to perform his official duties.

The Baptist Sunday school are busily engaged in preparing for a Christmas tree and suitable exercises to precede the distribution of gifts, which will be held Christmas eve.

Gents neckwear for holiday trade. All the new styles and colors.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

The HERALD is in receipt of a program of a late session of the Los Angelos county teachers' institute by which it is noticed that Mrs. Lulu M. Walcott, nee Monaghan, takes an important part.

Sure, you are going to get your photos at Teeple's for Christmas.

Vern Smith, from the exhibition of his horsemanship on the street yesterday afternoon, would win high distinction for himself as subduer of the fiery, untamed steed, were he to give it his attention.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods are about all in and we can give you the best stock in the County to select from and prices the lowest.

WHEELER & SISSON.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church at Holloway hold their next regular social at the home of Mrs. McLain next Thursday morning. Dinner will be served at one o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Wanted—2500 bushels good sound ear corn. 2000 bushels to be delivered at the farm between Clinton and Tecumseh, the balance at Clinton.

E. R. SMITH, Clinton, Mich.

R. V. Wilson, of Toledo, who has held responsible positions in the wall paper trade of that city for several years, is spending several weeks in Tecumseh at the old home previous to taking charge of a large establishment in Cincinnati January 1st.

Everything in the line of confectionary for Christmas at O. McBride's.

Master Clyde Curry is a very proud youngster just now, as he is the proud possessor of a fine snare drum. The best of it is that he paid for it himself, having, for a long time, been saving his pennies and placing them in the bank. No wonder he steps high.

A handsome line of dolls very cheap.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Died, at her home in Clinton township at 2 o'clock this morning, Orrisavilla, wife of Jacob Everhart passed from her lingering illness into eternal rest, aged nearly 77 years. The funeral will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the family residence. A suitable obituary will appear later.

See the pretty handkerchiefs at 5, 10, 15 and 25 cts. at Seaton W. Andersons.

The HERALD this year will not print a club list for any particular papers but has made arrangements to supply its subscribers with any other newspapers they desire at greatly reduced rates. Never before has so much pains been taken to secure better prices on all periodicals, all the benefit of which will be given to HERALD patrons. No matter what you want we can get it for you and promptly.

Just received, a car load of Bedroom Suits, bought at a bargain and we will give every one a bargain that wants a suit.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Among the many outsiders who were in town Saturday we noticed Mrs. Wm. Amspoker and Mrs. Fannie Rundell, of Manchester; Buell Johnson, wife and son, Allen Bartlett, wife and son, Cebert Halladay and wife, C. H. Fabrique and wife, Watson Aten and wife, Millard Hunter and Linford, Robt. McHenry, Mrs. Chris Saley and daughters, Aaron Norcross, Mrs. J. B. Hause and sister, Miss Lizzie Roff, of Washington, D. C., Sadie Taylor, E. S. Tate, Addie, Myrtie, James and Ande McDermott, Mrs. Chas. Ellis, Maggie Ebbett, Otto and Ed. Gillen, Claude Hause, Rollie Woodward, Chas. Shuler and Ralph Somark, of Clinton.

Christmas will soon be here and you will want to give some kind of a present. There is nothing more acceptable than a pretty chair. We have them from $1.00 up.

WHEELER & SISSON.

The management of the New Croswell opera house, Adrian, make the announcement that they have engaged the Whitney Opera Company for a performance of Donoven & Smith's comic opera, "Rob Roy," for Saturday evening, Dec. 19. This is one of the finest of the season's brilliant list of bookings. Interest is enhanced locally by the fact that Carl S. Burton, of Clinton, is the leader of the orchestra of the organization. Arrangements are being made whereby the Jackson train will be held until after the performance, for the accommodation of patrons from Tecumseh, Clinton, and Manchester. Seats may be ordered of Manager Hardy by mail or telephone.

Miss Clara Ward, of Clinton, was in town shopping yesterday.

In the Blue Lodge Friday it is the annual meeting with election of officers.

Mrs. S. J. Walker left yesterday for Elgin, Ill., to make quite an extended visit.

Anderson & Rosacrans opened up yesterday morning with a very attractive window. It must be seen to be appreciated. See it at once.

Mrs. Bertha Monican left yesterday morning for El Paso, Texas, to see her brothers, one of whom is quite low with consumption.

Bold Burglary.

One of the coolest burglaries ever occurring in this community, was perpetrated Saturday night shortly after midnight, at the home of Mrs. Tilton, on the southwest corner of Pearl and west Chicago street, whereby her son, Henry Bissell, lost his watch and a sum of money. The following account of the affair was given us by Mr. Bissell and his mother. On returning home Saturday night, Mr. B. gave his mother $26 to put away, and on her requesting him to give her all he had, replied that he would need to use some Monday and put the balance, between ten and twelve dollars in his pants pockets. After winding his watch and placing it on a stand by his mother's bed as was his custom (she being very deaf and unable to hear the clock strike had the watch at hand that she might know the time by simply turning up the light, which was kept burning, without rising) went to his room which joins hers and is on the east side of the house facing Pearl street, with a French window opening on the porch. Between the rooms are folding doors. Not feeling very well he only partially undressed and lay down. Mrs. Tilton awoke and thought some one was moving around. She called to her son and receiving no reply arose and went to him, but finding him asleep thought she must have imagined it and returned to bed. Mr. Bissell was awakened by feeling someone going through his pockets. On opening his eyes he found two men with handkerchiefs over their mouths bending over him, one having in one hand a lighted lamp and in the other a revolver, and who told him to remain quiet and he would not be harmed. He said, "Shoot if you want to." Some further conversation passed between them when the light was placed on the dresser and they hurridly made their exit through the window, upon which Mr. Bissell hurried to the front door and called out. Mr. Ernest Anderson, who was going west on the opposite side of the street, heard him and asked, "What's wanted, Henry?" After learning who it was that spoke, Mr. Bissell asked him over. On going into the house, as they were passing through his mother's room he thought of his watch and said, "Mother where's my watch?" She replied, "On the stand. Looking, he found that it, also, had disappeared.

In the morning Marshal Bidwell was informed of the affair and on Mr. Bissell's describing the men, one of whom resembled Jud Manley. He was arrested on suspicion and, having been seen in the evening with Tom Breen, he was was also taken and both placed in the lock-up. Soon after Mr. Bissell saw them and, on stating that Breen was not the man, he was released on his own recognizance.

The sheriff and deputy prosecutor came over and the examination was held before Justice Frasier last evening. Breen was discharged while Manley was held under $500 bond to appear for trial at present term of court. Manley secured security and was released.

Reorganization of the Arena Publishing Company.

On petition of the creditors of the Arena Publishing Company made Oct. 1, 1896, before Judge Dunbar to appoint a temporary receiver, A. D. Chandler, Esq., was appointed for the protection and adjustment of the interests of the creditors during a reorganization of this company. The officers of the company did not contest the petition, feeling that it is for the best interests of all parties concerned as an equitable plan pending the business changes to be made.

The Arena Company will be recapitalized by experienced business men and placed in new hands and on a firm financial basis, the magazine to be an open court for the promulgation of all authoritative and important opinions.

The business of the Arena, both as a magazine and as a book-publishing house, has had quite a phenomenal growth, but had not sufficient capital to handle the business into which it had developed. With the reorganized company the Arena will be enabled to extend its growth and add to its reputation now so well established in the success of which all readers and thinkers feel a personal interest on account of the national influence which the publication has attained.

Excursion Fares on C. J. & M. R'y for Christmas and New Year Holidays.

Account Christmas and New Year holidays the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip between all local points, also to points reached by other lines. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, 1896, and Jan. 1st, 1897, good returning to and including Jan. 4th, 1897. For information as to time of trains, rates, etc., apply to C., J. & M. Agents. Special inducements to Students going home to spend the Holidays. 12-11-3

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting Facts from Many Localities in Michigan.

North Manitou island is to be organized as a township of Leelanau county.

Farmers in Calhoun county are obliged to dispose of their hogs at a sacrifice in order to avoid cholera.

Jerry Stage, a sawmill hand, employed near Powerfield, had an arm and leg cut off by a circular saw.

Allegan's fruit evaporating works used 31,000 bushels of apples this season and dried 200,000 pounds of various fruits.

All of the stamps and a large quantity of merchandise were stolen by thieves who broke into the Pettysville post office.

The last tract of standing pine between [illegible] being lumbered. It is situated near Sweet's station.

Several schools in Charlevoix county have been closed owing to lack of funds caused by non-payment of taxes on stump lands.

While butchering hogs, Mrs. Charles Witherbee, living near Utica, had her arm badly scalded by dipping it in a barrel of hot water.

Bangor grand army comrades will mount an 11-inch cannon in the public park as a monument to the residents of the village who fought in the war of the rebellion.

The death is announced at Des Moines, Ia., of A. B. Judson, who was prominently identified with the history of pioneer days in southern Michigan, where he was known as its merchant prince.

The Northern Supply company has contracted to put in 50,000,000 feet of logs this winter for Menominee lumber companies. The Bird & Wells company has purchased 1,600 acres of standing pine in Marinette county.

After serving five years for forgery at the Jackson state prison Isaac McMillan, of Saginaw, was released and subsequently arrested for a similar offense. He pleaded guilty and will serve another five years at the same institution.

THE WHEAT CROP.

Its Condition Shown to Be Excellent—Sale of Wheat.

Lansing, Dec. 10.—The crop report shows the average condition of wheat December 1 was 91 per cent. of condition in average years. This is nine per cent. above the condition December 1 last year. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the November report was published is 1,296,500, 101,204 bushels more than in November last year, and in the four months, August, September, October and November, 4,695,695. This is 577,663 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year. Fall pasture has been good and live stock is in fine condition.

FREE TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Grand Rapids Profits by the War Between Rival Companies.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 12.—The Bell Telephone company offers free service to its subscribers in this city, and this is the first move in a war of extermination against the new Citizens' company. The Bell had 1,500 subscribers six months ago, and charged $40 and $50 annual rental. The Citizens' company offered its service at half these rates, and although the Bell met the cut, hundreds of subscribers deserted the old company. Since then the Bell has been lying low, improving its apparatus, putting in the latest appliances, and is now prepared to contest for the field.

Protect the Muskrats.

Monroe, Dec. 14.—Six muskrat hunters were arrested last week for killing muskrats in the marsh. The season is closed for rats, but notwithstanding the following violated the law: Vetal and Samuel Willets, John Duelo and Clarence Navane and Duval brothers. The prosecutor saw them kill 18 rats, and the law provides a fine of three dollars per rat. The men have been slaughtering rats every year, and they will certainly become extinct unless the law is enforced.

Lumbermen Unable to Find Work.

Houghton, Dec 12.—The prolonged flaw of the past six days is proving highly inconvenient and damaging to the lumber operators. At present about 75 per cent. of last winter's forces are employed in the woods, and a few more camps are to be put in before Christmas. Wages run low and many lumbermen are unable to find work.

Direct Taxes.

Lansing, Dec. 11.—State Statistician De Land reports that the people of Michigan paid $20,963,571 in direct taxes last year—local taxes in cities and townships, $7,473,504; school taxes, $5,480,907; state taxes, $3,010,229; county taxes, $2,791,538; liquor taxes, $1,377,391.

Champion Hunter Passes Away.

Decatur, Dec. 12.—Thomas Cotterell, Decatur's oldest resident, died Friday, aged 92 years. He was the father of 18 children. Mr. Cotterell was a noted hunter of the pioneer days of southwestern Michigan and had a record of killing 120 deers in one season.

Strike Ended.

Muskegon, Dec. 12.—The strike of the longshoremen on the winter trans-lake freighters has been settled, the men backing down from their demand of 20 cents an hour, and accepting the winter rate of 15 cents offered.

Hand Car Struck and Two Killed.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 11.—A hand car was struck by a freight locomotive on the "Soo" railroad near Pembine Thursday morning, and Louis Swanson and a companion section hand, who were on the car, were killed.

Niles, Dec. 12.—Thursday was the 217th anniversary of the landing of the great French explorer, La Salle, at a point on the St. Joseph river six miles south of here. It is proposed to erect a monument there.

LUCY UHL MARRIED.

American Ambassador's Daughter Weds at Berlin.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Miss Lucy Uhl, daughter of the United States ambassador, Mr. Edwin F. Uhl, was married Wednesday afternoon to Prof. Guy Thompson, of Yale university. The civil ceremony took place early in the afternoon and the religious ceremony was celebrated at the bride's house at seven o'clock in the evening. Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, German minister of foreign affairs, acted as master of ceremonies at the wedding of Miss Uhl and Prof. Thompson. Assistant Secretary Usedom, Baron de Rotennau, secretary of state to the minister of foreign affairs, and Baron Rio Branca were among those in attendance upon the reception. Letters were received from President and Mrs. Cleveland, and from the imperial household, regretting inability to be present at the ceremonies. During the evening the band of the Alexander regiment of guards serenaded the young couple.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 10.—Miss Lucy Uhl, who was married in Berlin Wednesday at the United States embassy, is the eldest daughter of Edwin F. Uhl, now ambassador of the United States at Berlin. She was born in this city, and this has always been her home. Prof. Guy V. Thompson, whom she married, is also a native of Grand Rapids, and as children they went to school together. Miss Uhl is very attractive personally and highly cultured and accomplished, being a musician of rare ability and conversant with several foreign languages. After her graduation she traveled and studied for two years in Europe, and upon the appointment of her father as assistant secretary of state, early in the present administration, she returned to assist her mother in her social duties at Washington. She accompanied the family to Berlin when Mr. Uhl was appointed there.

Prof. Thompson is a graduate of Yale, and is now a member of Yale faculty. Mr. Uhl's family were all present at the ceremony, the eldest son, David E. Uhl, going over for the purpose. Prof. and Mrs. Thompson will travel in Europe for a few weeks, and then return to this country to live at New Haven, Conn.

PINGREE'S FIRST MESSAGE.

Intends to Call Attention to Certain Railroad Reforms.

Detroit, Dec. 11.—Mayor Pingree is hard at work on the message which he will deliver to the legislature January 6, when he takes the oath of office as governor. His first recommendation will be the repeal of the present law under which railroad property is liable for a percentage tax on gross earnings only. In place of this he will ask the enactment of a law taxing railroad property for local purposes the same as all other kinds of property are taxed. In the matter of fare he will recommend the immediate passage of a bill fixing the maximum rate at two cents per mile, at least in the lower peninsula and perhaps in the whole state.

WAR ON LIQUOR IN DETROIT.

Anti-Saloon League Movement Is Begun in That City.

Detroit, Dec. 14.—Sunday witnessed the beginning of the Anti-Saloon league movement in Detroit. Addresses were made in behalf of the league in most of the principal churches and many ordered the movement. It is intended to prosecute the work of educating public sentiment, securing a vote upon the question of local option, enforcing the present liquor laws, and securing more stringent liquor legislation throughout the state. Michigan is the second state in which this movement has been inaugurated in Ohio. Among the several speakers of Sunday was Justice C. B. Grant, of the Michigan supreme court.

Partridge Convicted of Embezzlement.

Alpena, Mich., Dec. 14.—O. L. Partridge, formerly secretary of the Alpena Loan and Building association, was found guilty Saturday morning of embezzlement. The jury was out 22 hours. The amount of Partridge's embezzlement was $20,000, and it practically wrecked the association, in which many poor persons had invested their savings.

Fruit Men Combine.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 14.—Representatives of several granges held a meeting in this city. It was a private session for the purpose of formulating plans for the disposal of their fruit next season without the aid of the Chicago commission men, who, they think, have not dealt with them in a fair and honest manner in past seasons.

Seeks Damages.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 10.—Thomas J. Sheridan began suit against Charles I. Parrell and I. M. Weston for $10,000 damages. He bought a lumber mill at Whitehall from them and made repairs, for which it is alleged they were to reimburse him, and after mortgaging his property to raise cash they failed to do so.

Express Agent Is Held.

Niles, Dec. 12.—The examination of Delbert Mittan, charged with embezzling $2,000 from the American Express company, was concluded Friday. He was bound over to the next term of the circuit court, January 11, in bonds of $3,000.

Fatally Burned.

Kingsley, Dec. 12.—Mrs. George McDonald left her child alone. On returning she found his clothes in flames. The little one suffered until next day, when it died.

Bond Forfeited.

Decatur, Mich., Dec. 12.—John Kleckner, the defaulting cashier of the broken Citizens' bank at Edwardsburg, failed to appear for trial, and his bond was forfeited.

Niles, Mich., Dec. 12.—Eli Jones, a Cassopolis farmer, was instantly killed by the fall of a tree.

ROTTEN TO THE CORE.

Depositors in People's Savings Bank at Lansing, Will Lose Nearly All.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 14.—Receiver Foster, of the defunct People's savings bank, has filed his report with Circuit Judge Person, which shows that the institution was rotten to the very core. It is estimated that the depositors will receive ten cents on the dollar, and this is considered a high estimate. The total assets as shown by the report was $373,528.43, and the liabilities are $241,760.80, showing an apparent excess of assets over liabilities of $134,068.63.

Of the $129,281.62 of notes held in the bank's vaults, something in the neighborhood of 90 per cent. is the paper of failed or failing individuals and corporations, and for practical purposes may be regarded as almost worthless. One of the assets of the report is the total of bonds, stocks and mortgages, footing up $171,785. One item of this asset is $10,500 of the Lansing Lumber company "A" bonds, which are worth but a fraction of their face value. Another item is $6,800 of stock in a failed bank, and the other items are no better. To make a bad matter worse, the best of the securities in this class are hypothecated. It develops in the investigation made by Receiver Foster that thousands of dollars of the bank's stock held by individuals was never backed by a dollar of anybody's money.

FRUIT GROWERS SUE.

Will Try to Have Makers of Small Size Baskets Punished.

Decatur, Dec. 12.—A test case of interest to Michigan fruit growers, and incidentally to Chicago commission men and consumers of peaches, will be appealed to the supreme court from the Allegan county circuit. At the request of many leading growers in the lake shore fruit belt the last legislature enacted a law requiring all manufacturers of fruit packages to plainly stamp the capacity on each package. The principal object of the act was to prevent the placing of peaches packed in sixth-bushel baskets in direct competition in the Chicago market with the product of those growers who used full-sized packages. The manufacturers generally ignored the law, and a test case was made by the arrest of John F. Barron, of Fennville, who has just been convicted in the lower courts. The growers claim a considerable percentage of the many millions of baskets of peaches shipped across the lake to Chicago the past season was in short packages, thereby causing the fruit in the standard fifth-bushel size to sell at a less price.

J. A. JORDAN ARRESTED.

Grand Rapids Pension Examiner Wanted for Perjury and Fraud.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 14.—J. A. Jordan, indicted by the United States grand jury a year ago for perjury and fraud, was arrested Saturday in Toronto. He was one of the oldest pension examiners in the country, his services dating back to the close of the war. When stationed here he would send papers to applicants for pensions, and when they were returned by mail signed he would fill the affidavit and then charge the government for mileage, hotel bills and incidentals as though he had made a personal visit to the applicant.

X RAYS CAUSE INSANITY.

A Niles Doctor Becomes Insane Trying to Solve the Problem.

Niles, Dec. 12.—Dr. C. W. Smith was taken in custody by the sheriff at Dutand on the grounds that he is insane. Smith is 38 years of age, a graduate of the medical department of the University of Michigan, and has always been a great student. Of late he has given his time and attention to experimenting with X rays, and his mind gave way under the strain. He believes some one is laying plans to take his life by means of electric wires run into his office.

Peppermint Crop a Failure.

Niles, Dec. 12.—The season's output of peppermint oil in southwestern Michigan will not be one-half that of last year. In 1895 half of the peppermint oil in the country came from Michigan, and this year farmers who had swamp lands neglected other farm work and embarked in the peppermint business. The farmers are now cutting the peppermint weed for hay. No reason is assigned for the failure of the crop.

Clerical Force Dismissed.

Lansing, Dec. 14.—It is evident that Roscoe D. Dix, auditor-general-elect, proposes to make sweeping changes in the force of clerks in that office. He commenced operations by notifying 24 of them that there would be no work for them after January. That is nearly one-half of the entire number, and it is understood that more dismissals will follow.

Pleads Guilty.

Decatur, Dec. 14.—William Knight, who was arrested at Three Oaks with 26 spurious half-dollars in his possession, pleaded guilty in the Berrien county circuit court, but refuses to give any information regarding his companions. Knight is thought to be the leader of the gang which is flooding southwestern Michigan with counterfeit coin.

Held Up in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10.—Three colored women of the "Levee" pounced upon C. F. Monarch, a farmer from Coloma, Mich., and dragged him into a hallway and covered him with revolvers. They demanded and received his money, $25, after which they pushed him into the street. The women were arrested and identified.

Voted Against the Sale of Liquor.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—When the bill passed the house Thursday abolishing the sale of liquor in the capitol every Michigan man present stood up to be counted as favoring the measure.

Menominee, Dec. 12.—The bankrupt stock of hardware of Dunning Brothers & Co. was sold Friday under the hammer by the sheriff to Buhl Sons & Co. of Detroit, for $16,700.

Here's That Price List

See How You Like 3[illegible]

BOOTS AND SHOES

Burts fine shoes, worth $5	$1.38
Kelly's " " " 4	1.38
Field & Thayer's shoes, worth 4 50	1.38
Wright & Peter's " " 4	1.38
Grover's shoes for tender feet	98
Men's leather boots	1.67
Boy's " "	98
Rubber boots, first quality	2.35
Men's, women's, boys', girls' shoes	98
Then see our line for	1.38
Men's buckle artics	89
Boys, suits, coats and pants	83
Boys' knee pants	19
Underwear	23
Men's pants	83
Rugs worth 5	2.87
Mittens and gloves	10c up

Immense bargains in Roger's plated ware
Just a few gold filled watches left now.

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Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, Leather [bound	98
Farmer's encyclopedia, worth a farm	67
White House cook book, worth 3.50	98
Remarks by Bill Nye, worth its weight	67
Teachers' Oxford Bible, " 4.50	1.47
Old Dr. Carlin's recipe book, worth 3.50	67
Josephus, complete works	98
Redpath's History of the United States	98
People's encyclopedia, worth 2.50	67
Wide, Wide World, two volumes	47
Popular Atlas of the World, worth 8	1.98
America Photographed, an elegant present	1.37
Fleetwood's Life of Christ	98
Famous Frontiersmen, a great western history [98	
Story of the Wild West	98
Our Presidents, from Washington to date	98
Shams; the greatest book on earth	47
Chatterbox, worth 1	47

HOUSE FURNISHINGS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY, ETC.

56 piece tea sets, worth $8	$3[illegible]
Chamber sets, worth 3	1[illegible]
100 piece dinner sets, worth 14	9[illegible]
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Teas and saucers, handled, per set	
Special prices in odd pieces to close	
Large decorated bowls	
Tumblers per dozen	
Table castors	
Water sets in endless variety, any price	
Knives and forks, per set	
Butcher Knives, worth 25	0
Lamps, less than manufarturers price	
See our wall pockets for	
Wash boilers	
All copper boiler	
Large water pitcher	
10 quart pail	
14 " "	
2 " covered pail	0
Chambers	
Doll cabs	
Augur bits	
8 and 10 inch files	
Brass pad locks, 2 keys	
Tea kettles	2
Candle moulds	
Stamped goods, doilies, etc.	2c u
Matches, 24 hundred for	
Clothes pins, per huudred	
Granite ware at prices never before known	
Immense bargains in jewelry	
Granite cuspidor	
Hosiery, less than wholesale price	
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FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Resolutions were introduced in the senate yesterday to recognize the republic of Cuba as a free and independent government and denouncing the manner in which it is alleged Gen. Antonio Maceo had been killed, and for the appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the establishment of a permanent monetary system. All the pension bills on the calendar (55) were passed.

Washington, Dec. 16.—A concurrent resolution for a holiday recess from Tuesday, December 22, to Tuesday, January 5, was adopted in the senate yesterday, as was also a resolution requesting the president to furnish copies of papers relating to the condition of affairs in Cuba. Senator Morgan (Ala.) spoke in advocacy of a strong and decisive policy in dealing with the Cuban question.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The Dingley tariff bill was discussed in the senate yesterday and it was practically decided to drop the measure indefinitely. The pension appropriation bill ($141,328,580) was passed as it came from the house.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The senate yesterday passed the Lodge immigration bill by a vote of 52 to 10. It excludes all persons over 16 years of age who cannot read and write the language of their country or some other language. Adjourned to the 21st.

The House.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Bills were introduced in the house yesterday authorizing the payment of export bounties on agricultural and other products of the United States; to amend the constitution so as to lengthen the terms of office of the president and senators to eight years and of representatives to four years. A resolution for a two weeks' recess beginning December 22 was adopted. A joint resolution recognizing the independence of Cuba was introduced.

Washington, Dec. 16.—In the house yesterday a bill to amend the law relating to the transmission of second-class mail matter was discussed. A resolution was introduced directing the president to recognize the independence of Cuba and to demand that Spain immediately withdraw from Cuba all her armed forces. A bill was introduced to abolish the office of commissioner of Indian affairs.

Washington, Dec. 17.—In the house yesterday the army appropriation bill ($23,126,344) was discussed at length, but no action was taken.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The army appropriation bill was passed in the house yesterday, and the legislative, executive and judicial bill ($21,609,369) was considered. Bills were introduced appropriating $50,000 for the erection of a monumental statue to James G. Blaine in Washington and to abolish the offices of commissioner and assistant commissioner of Indian affairs and to create in their stead a board of Indian commissioners of three members.

Washington, Dec. 19.—In the house yesterday 37 pension and relief bills were passed, and the rest of the session was occupied in discussing five war claim bills.

Washington, Dec. 21.—A bill appropriating $130,000 to enable the government to make an exhibit at the Tennessee centennial exposition at Nashville next year was passed in the house Saturday. Charles Crisp, the newly elected member from the Third Georgia district, was sworn in. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was further considered.

Pittsburgh's Costly Fire.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 18.—The Casino skating rink and summer theater in Schenley park was entirely destroyed by fire early Thursday morning. The loss will approximate $400,000, on which the insurance is $75,000. The fire was caused by the explosion of an ammonia cylinder in the ice skating plant.

Flames in a Printing Office.

Toledo, O., Dec. 21.—The Bee job rooms at 136-138 St. Clair street were gutted by fire Sunday evening. The loss is estimated at $50,000 on stock and machinery and $10,000 on building. The building next door, occupied by the Toledo Commercial and the Toledo Express, was slightly damaged.

For Defense of Southern Ports.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 18.—Gov. Mitchell, of Florida, has called a convention to meet at Tampa, Fla., January 20, to discuss the best methods of harbor defense in case of war for southern ports and the governor of Texas Thursday appointed seven delegates to represent Texas at the meeting.

A Fatal Quarrel.

Bethel, Pa., Dec. 18. — Two married women named Moon and Shell quarreled over a trivial matter, and the Shell woman threw a bucket of strong lye water into the face of Mrs. Moon and her infant daughter, injuring both fatally.

Lynched by a Mob.

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 21.—George Finley (colored) was lynched by a mob near here for attacking a white man with a knife, inflicting a slight wound.

THE POPULAR VOTE.

Complete Official Returns from All the States Are Collected.

New York, Dec. 16.—The canvass of the vote of New York state Tuesday practically completes the official vote by states and makes it possible for the first time to tabulate the popular vote for president. With the exception of Utah and South Dakota, where the courts have ordered the revision of the completed returns, the final vote of all states has been collected. In Texas the state canvassing board declared the vote without waiting for the returns from six small counties. These have been estimated and added to the result in that state.

The total vote cast was 13,924,653. This was 1,813,124 more than the total vote of 1892. McKinley received 7,109,480 and Bryan 6,508,681, a plurality for McKinley of 600,799. The vote for Bryan and Sewell and that for Bryan and Watson are combined in the total vote given for Bryan. Only 13 states reported a separate vote for Bryan and Watson. His aggregate vote was 46,879. The "sound money" democratic vote for Palmer and Buckner was 132,056. The prohibition vote for Levering was 127,174. The national free silver prohibitionists cast 13,320 votes for Bentley. Matchett, the candidate for the socialist labor party received 33,942.

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Palmer.	Levering.	Matchett.
Alabama	54,737	114,113	4,464	2,147	....
Ark'ns'a	37,512	110,103	893	998	....
Calif'r'ia	146,688	144,308	....	1,677	700
Colorado	26,271	161,329	....	1,717	1,000
Conn	110,287	56,740	4,356	1,804	1,323
Del'w're	20,452	16,345	966	602	....
Florida	11,300	23,313	1,773	953	....
Georgia	60,191	94,252	2,706	....	....
Idaho	6,324	22,196	....	183	....
Illinois	607,130	465,709	6,390	9,796	1,197
Indiana	305,710	305,971	2,145	3,056	325
Iowa	289,293	223,741	4,513	3,124	653
Kansas	158,541	171,819	1,300	2,881	....
Kentucky	218,171	217,889	5,114	4,743	....
Louisia'a	22,012	11,296	1,510	....	....
Maine	80,424	51,994	1,264	1,571	....
Maryl'd	136,873	104,745	2,507	6,923	595
Mass	278,976	106,711	11,763	2,966	3,114
Michig'n	293,827	237,281	6,849	4,968	....
Min'sota	193,501	139,676	3,262	6,243	887
Miss'pi	4,720	57,457	1,021	330	....
Missouri	304,940	363,658	2,855	3,199	610
Montana	10,539	16,980	....	....	....
Neb.	102,564	115,624	2,797	1,194	178
Nevada	1,938	8,377	....	....	....
N. H.	67,444	21,650	1,430	776	223
N. Jersey	221,367	133,675	6,373	5,614	3,975
N. York	819,838	551,513	15,972	16,075	17,721
N. C.	155,222	174,488	878	635	....
N. D.	26,336	20,686	....	856	....
Ohio	525,946	475,047	1,831	5,060	1,189
Oregon	48,711	46,779	974	919	....
Penn.	728,300	427,157	11,000	13,274	1,693
R. Island	37,437	14,459	1,196	1,100	678
S. C.	9,313	58,801	824	....	....
S. Dakota	40,302	40,398	....	993	....
Tenn.	148,779	186,176	1,951	2,998	....
Texas	164,888	303,299	4,030	1,785	....
Utah	13,461	67,053	....	....	....
Vermont	50,931	10,907	1,229	738	....
Virginia	135,233	154,985	2,187	2,941	115
Wash.	39,133	51,646	1,663	908	....
W. Va.	104,414	92,927	677	1,303	....
Wis.	268,135	165,523	4,684	4,609	1,014
Wyoming	10,072	10,855	....	159	....
Total	7,109,480	6,508,681	182,056	127,174	33,942

McKinley's plurality, 600,799.

PUT TO DEATH.

A Mob Kills Three Brothers in a Kentucky Town.

Russellville, Ky., Dec. 19.—A bloodthirsty, armed mob of men from Logan county, half of whom came from Adairville, came to this town after midnight Friday morning and killed three prisoners who were in the jail waiting for trial on the charges of murder and conspiracy. Arch Proctor, who murdered Aaron and "Doc" Grafton at Adairville October 24, was taken from the jail with his father, Dink Proctor, charged with conspiracy in the Grafton case, and both men were hanged to the same tree just outside the town. Bill Proctor, a half brother of Dink, and credited with being a real desperado, who had terrorized the Adairville district for a score of years, was riddled with bullets in his cell, defying the mob to take him out alive and cursing them with his last breath.

Noted Pension Attorney Dead.

Washington, Dec. 19.—A private dispatch received here Friday night announces the death of Capt. George E. Lemon, of this city, at Coronado Beach, Cal., where he went some time ago to recuperate his shattered health. Capt. Lemon was probably the best-known pension attorney in the country, and was publisher of the National Tribune, devoted to the interests of the soldiers. During the war he saw service with the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth New York infantry. He was over 55 years of age.

Killed by a Lamp Explosion.

New York, Dec. 21.—The explosion of a lamp on the second floor of the four-story residence, 514 East Fifty-eighth street, resulted in the loss of five lives. The dead are: Aaron Goldsmith, 45 years old; Chlotilde Goldsmith, his wife, 33 years old; Bertha Goldsmith, 10 years old; Harry Goldsmith, 5 years old; Frank Goldsmith, 6 years old.

Town Nearly Wiped Out.

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—Jamestown, more popularly called "Jimtown," Cal., one of the best-known mining towns in the state, was nearly wiped out by fire Thursday morning. Thirty buildings were burned, with a loss of $50,000; insurance half that amount.

Fitzsimmons Beaten.

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—Glove contests and prize fights are synonymous. Such is the legal opinion of Judge Sanderson, and in consequence, Thomas Sharkey will get the $10,000 that Fitzsimmons still believes rightfully belongs to him.

Drowned in a Cistern.

Beaver Dam, Wis., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Henry Fisher was found dead in the cistern into which she had fallen while attempting to draw a bucket of water.

Aged Man Killed by the Cars.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 18.—Cyrus Nolan, aged 84, was picking up coal along the Rock Island railroad, when a freight train ran over and killed him.

STRIKES AT SPAIN.

Sensational Action Taken by a Committee of the Senate.

The Cameron Resolution Adopted to Acknowledge the Independence of Cuba—The Views of Secretary Olney.

Washington, Dec. 19. — The senate committee on foreign relations, by a practically unanimous vote Friday morning ordered a favorable report to be made to the senate Monday on the Cameron resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba. A verbal change was made in the text of the resolution, so that as finally agreed to it reads as follows:

"Resolved, etc., That the independence of the republic of Cuba be, and the same is hereby acknowledged by the United States of America.

"Section 2. That the United States will use its friendly offices with the government of Spain to bring to a close the war between Spain and Cuba."

Secretary Olney's Opinion.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The Cameron Cuban resolution, if pressed to final passage in both houses, will constitute a direct and formidable issue between the executive and legislative branches of the government. This is clearly indicated by an interview given out by Secretary Olney. Secretary Olney being asked his opinion as to the nature and effect of the proposed resolution recognizing the independence of the republic of Cuba said:

"I have no objection to stating my own view of the resolution respecting the independence of the so-called republic of Cuba, which, it is reported, is to be laid before the senate on Monday. Indeed, as there are likely to be serious misapprehensions regarding such resolution, both in this country and abroad, and as such apprehensions may have injurious results of a grave character, it is perhaps my duty to point out that the resolution, if passed by the senate, can probably be regarded only as an expression of opinion by the eminent gentlemen who vote for it in the senate, and if passed by the house of representatives, can only be regarded as another expression of opinion by the eminent gentlemen who vote for it in the house. The power to recognize the so-called republic of Cuba as an independent state rests exclusively with the executive. A resolution on the subject by the senate or by the house, or by both bodies, or by one, whether concurrent or joint, is inoperative as legislation and is important only as advice of great weight voluntarily tendered to the executive regarding the manner in which he shall exercise his constitutional functions.

If Passed by Two-Thirds Vote.

"The operation and effect of the proposed resolution, therefore, even if passed by both houses of congress by a two-thirds vote, are perfectly plain. It may raise expectations in some quarters which can never be realized. It may inflame popular passions both in this country and elsewhere, may thus put in peril the lives and property of American citizens who are resident and traveling abroad, and will certainly obstruct and perhaps defeat the best efforts of this government to afford such citizens due protection. But, except in these ways and unless the advice embodied in the resolution shall lead the executive to revise conclusions already reached and officially declared, the resolution will be without effect and will leave unaltered the attitude of this government towards the two contending parties in Cuba."

Would Veto It.

Of course, Secretary Olney's statement indicates clearly that if the joint resolution ever passes both branches of congress and is sent to the president the latter will veto it, not only on the ground of impolicy, but also because it constitutes an infringement of his own prerogatives. Moreover, the secretary in his interview goes beyond this point, and in almost as many words says that no attention will be paid to the will of congress in this matter, even if the resolution is passed over the president's veto. In this case a grave conflict of powers of two branches of the government might be expected to follow, though just how the issue may be made up so that it can be reached by the supreme court, the arbiter of all questions of constitutionality, is not clear at present.

Might Declare War.

It is suggested, however, that if the issue goes to that length congress may achieve its purpose indirectly by the exercise of a power certainly confided to it exclusively by the constitution, namely, by a declaration of war, which is, after all, in the judgment of many authorities, only what the recognition of the independence of Cuba under existing conditions would mean.

Olney Assures Spain.

Madrid, Dec. 21.—The explicit announcement is made that Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister at Washington, has telegraphed to his home government here that he had a conference with Mr. Olney, the secretary of state, in the course of which the latter assured him that Spain might rest tranquil until March, at least, since, despite the attitude of congress, President Cleveland would not recognize the independence of Cuba.

How Spain Regards It.

Madrid, Dec. 21.—The decision of the United States senate committee on foreign relations to recommend the adoption of the Cameron resolution recognizing a republic in Cuba has caused a profound sensation in Madrid. The newspapers here, without exception, declare that Spain will never peacefully assent to Cuban independence, and that no government that consented to entertain in any shape or form such a suggestion would live 24 hours, as the feeling of the Spanish people is unanimous and determined to maintain Spanish rule in the West Indies at any cost, even at the risk of war with America.

—The Hindoo-Koosh, 20,600 feet, is reported to be the highest in Afghanistan.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 22, 1896

Mobile aged men in this country will live to see the day when the senate of the United States will be abolished. If there ever was in the world a lot of silly old fools they can be found now in the United states senate. Instead of going to work to relieve the country of the burden of the constantly increasing deficit, they simply attempt to paralyze trade again—if there is any trade to paralyze—by kicking up a war scare. The report of the committee on foreign relations in the senate which requests of the President of the United States to recognize the Cuban belligerency is mischievous nonsense if anything. It will do neither the Cubans nor any one else any good and the business of the country harm. It is to be hoped that the rest of the senators will have sense enough not to pass any such resolution.

The next issue of the HERALD will be found in the accustom Christmas morning's mail. This will be the last Tuesday's issue. The HERALD has given its subscribers a Christmas present of four issues in the month of December, and so far as we can find out every one has been pleased with the venture. The merchants had an opportunity to more thoroughly advertise their wares and readers certainly could not object to receiving each week such an unusual amount of news. In this connection it might not be out of place to state that the Tecumseh HERALD for 1897 will be an improvement over that of 1896. It shall be the purpose to print the news of Tecumseh and the surrounding towns and instead the news from the neighboring towns will be made a specialty. Good correspondents are now secured for every locality and persons renewing their subscriptions for local papers would do well to consider the HERALD with any other paper in Lenawee county and make their choice accordingly.

ROUND ABOUT US

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The Manchester Observer comes this week with a rank cover which, so far as nice newspaper work is concerned, is "rank of perfection."

Steve Walker, formerly connected with the Tecumseh Herald, has received an appointment as railway postal clerk, having passed his examination with a high percentage. He is a competent young man, and one whom the village of Tecumseh dislikes to lose as a citizen.—Hudson Post.

The case of Sarah C. Rogers, of Clinton, against the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co., is now being tried before the circuit court. In 1894, a house in which Mrs. Rogers had a mortgage interest, was burned and the company failed to adjust the loss. The property was worth about $600.—Adrian Telegram.

The Milan electric lights were turned out for a few days while a new and larger dynamo was being put in, and the Leader says: You don't hear of any one "kicking" about the expense of electric lights now, and days return to the old kerosene oil system has cured many of that disease.—Bloomfield Advance.

The Washington correspondent says in Wednesday morning's Detroit Tribune: "It is a little early for the selection of postmasters, but it would probably be a fair guess that Dan. B. W. Smith will be postmaster at Adrian when B. W. Hoyt's term is out, and J. M. Robertson at Hillsdale, when John Foote has served four years."—Hillsdale Standard.

The legislature this winter will consider the question of abolishing the office of coroner. There is little doubt the country would get along all right without this office. About the only thing the coroner can do is to officially say a man is dead. In case of murder the prosecuting attorney really does the work of the coroner, and there is little need of continuing an office which is of little service. This position is so nearly superfluous that it ought to be abolished without harm to any one.—Adrian Times.

With a severe depression existing in the iron trade, since by an improving and satisfying presidential contest the past year has been the busiest one that the present generation of business men ever experienced. In fact, [illegible] such effort all along the line to keep things going, and the results by the way have been pretty. But we are happy to say that through all the difficulties of the past year [illegible]

The growling heard upon the streets was an improvement, a good many dollars being expended in that way and laboring men thereby benefited. They are fortunate towns which have held their own during the last twelve months, and we believe Morenci is one of them.—Morenci Observer.

Anderson is about to engage in a "Uncle Tom's Cabin" performance and Hudson has just recovered.

Tecumseh has a Monday club. It's no washtub society, however. That is, the Monday club to which we refer is not. It's a high toned, social organization.—Adrian Press.

Gen. Parson was at Detroit this week and purchased two car-loads of short horn cattle for winter feeding upon his farm. He also feeding about 60 head of hogs, expecting that thereby to make way with a portion of the crop of clean corn.—Dundee Reporter.

The Tecumseh philosophy "class in studying atmospheric pressure and a young lady expressed surprise at the amount of pressure a man can stand, and live. Her mind, however, had probably wandered from the subject of "atmospheric" pressure.—Adrian Times.

The Standard Cabinet company, of Kansas City, Mo., is represented in Washtenaw county by D. Woodward, of Clinton, Mich., as manager with Clinton as headquarters. He specially requests every family in the county to examine the cabinets when the agent calls, as it will be time well spent and something that should interest every house-keeper whether you wish to buy or not.

Ex-sheriff Baldwin, it is understood, will not be utterly insensible to the demands of the people of the eastern federal district of Michigan, if, with one voice or even a dozen voices or more, they call upon him, in thunderous acclamations to become United States marshal. Those who may have feared that Mr. Baldwin would turn a deaf ear are assured that he wouldn't. He would make a fairmed good marshal, too.—Adrian Press.

Prosecuting Attorney F. E. Fish, of Allegan, has drafted a bill to be presented at Lansing this winter. He wants the names of purchasers at drug stores published, with the amounts of liquor sold and the purpose, in the weekly paper in local option counties. The law, he thinks, should not be subject to repeal for five years. The vote in local option should be taken as a general election, thus saving $600.—Adrian Messenger.

Rev. Benj. T. Trego, rector of St. John's Episcopal church at Saginaw, has tendered his resignation to take effect January 1st. Next September he proposes to don his clerical garb and vestments and go upon the stage, starring jointly with the eminent actor, Clay Clement, in Shakespearean plays. These two gentlemen have been bosom friends since childhood, and during Clement's week engagement at Saginaw last month he was a guest of Rev. Trego, and the rector was in attendance at all the performances.—Adrian Telegram.

The special Lima Northern committee was out this morning soliciting for the new railroad, and everywhere they met with the proper spirit, a friendliness toward the enterprise and a desire to help it to the extent of their ability. The feeling is splendid and the outlook is good. Everybody who has studied the situation realizes that this is Adrian's opportunity and if the people fail to avail themselves of the opportunity now, there is slim chance for any other railroads to be projected in this direction in the near future.—Adrian Messenger.

The Manistee Observer admits the election of McKinley a confirmation of the old tradition that the American people like their presidents to have only one christian name. The first five presidents had no middle name and when McKinley is inaugurated he will be the seventeenth president without one. The list includes George Washington, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe, Andrew Jackson, Martin VanBuren, John Tyler, Zachary Taylor, Millard Fillmore, Franklin Pierce, James Buchanan, Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Jackson, Grover Cleveland and Benjamin Harrison.

It would be a good idea for parents who have boys that are in the habit of roving about the streets nights after nights to ascertain what they find to amuse themselves. Only the other night about six young misses spent the entire evening peering into windows and chasing unbelievable acceptances to the occupants of the houses thus annoyed. How sad it would be for some fond mother to have her step boy brought home to her daily wounded from a gun shot. Yes sir-ree, shoot the man who lived the shot. Dansville Express.

Wishing to observe the sprouting of seeds, the writer filled a glass jar so within an inch of the rim with earth; a row of seeds—corn, peas, beans and the like—were laid around next to the glass, and on each layer of soil added. The condition of the seed is the same as it would be if planted in the ground, except each layer can be plainly seen, and the process of swelling, sprouting [illegible]

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Our store is more than loaded with goods especially suitable for

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Our stock comprises an elegant assortment of

Silk Mufflers Neckwear
Fancy Suspenders Shirts,
Kid Gloves, Plush Caps,
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Ladies say

It is a difficult task to buy Christmas presents for gentlemen.

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they need have no trouble if they will call at our store for we keep not only articles needed by men but

Very Best Goods,

with which men are always pleased.

For Instance: A new suit of clothes, an overcoat, fine underwear, fancy suspenders, beautiful neckwear, pair of gloves, hat or cap,

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Our Store is Crowded

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Holiday Goods,

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Also remember that our Half Price Cloak Sale still continues and will until every garment is sold,

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When you are getting ready for your Christmas Dinner you want nothing but the best of everything

Choice Bananas,
Navel Oranges,
New Nuts,
Fresh Lettuce,
Fresh Oysters,
New Dates,
New Figs

With every 2 lb. package of our Pumpkin Rose Garden Tea we will give a box of Toilet Soap Free.

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MSEH, MICH., DEC. 22, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

...ST—between Ed Smith's and Tecumseh on ...Clinton road a sand bag containing pocket ...ments etc. Finder kindly leave at the ...L office.

...R SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and ...-horse steam boiler. For particulars in- ...at the HERALD office

...TICE—I will be at the Town Hall on Dec ...9, and Jan. 6. At R. S. Sondder's Dec ...12. At home all other days until Jan. 10 ...purpose of receiving taxes. FRANK GILMORE, Treasurer.

...e the doll window at SEATON W. ANDERSON'S.

...iss Julia Wood is home for the holi-

...ne line of Christmas confections at ...r's.

...rs. T. H. Mosher will spend Christ- ...with friends in Toledo.

...ow is the time. Two beautiful ...tos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

...arner Brothers will spend Christ- ...with their parents in Riga.

...erything in the line of confection- ...for Christmas at O. McBride's.

...ill Bennett was quite sick Saturday ...Sunday but is now much better.

...eo. DePuy wife and daughter, Grace, ...linton, were in town shopping Mon-

...rs. J. M. Jones and Wade will spend ...ristmas with her mother, Mrs. DePuy, ...Detroit.

...iss Florence Brewer returned home ...m Detroit Saturday for a visit during ...r vacation.

...Mrs. Sumner Collins has been very ...for some days but is reported better ...is morning.

...John Stone and family, of Hillsdale, ...re the guests of Thos. R. Kyle and ...mily Monday.

...Miss Merl Munn, of Toledo, will ...end Christmas with her grandparents, ...r. and Mrs. Jas. Heck.

...Word has been received that to Mr. ...d Mrs. Wallie Grey, who now live in ...do, a daughter was born recently.

...Postmaster T. R. Kyle will collect ...e dance tickets at the Christmas ...rty. The right man in the right ...ce.

...Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Lilley expect ...eir son, Raynor, and wife, of Indian- ...olis, Ind., to spend Christmas with ...m.

...Nothing nicer for a holiday present ...n a package of engraved calling ...rds. Order at once at the HERALD ...ice.

...At Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kolkleisch's ...ey will observe Christmas with an ...l time Christmas tree and expect a ...rry time.

...Just received, a car load of Bedroom ...ts, bought at a bargain and we will ...ve every one a bargain that wants a ...it. WHEELER & SISSON.

...Gustave Wuerthner goes to Manches- ...r Thursday evening to spend Christ- ...as with his people. He returns Mon- ...y morning.

...Ralph Bidwell arrived home from ...Johns military school at Delafield, ...isconsin, Saturday, to spend the holi- ...y vacation.

...Our Stock of Holiday Goods are about ...l in and we can give you the best ...ock in the County to select from and ...ices the lowest. WHEELER & SISSON.

...L. B. Ayers, who drew the standard ...binet in the election, desires to thank ...e Standard Cabinet Co. for their ...omptness in the delivery of the same.

...Linn Hardenburgh, Mrs. C. Bidwell, ...on Rosacrans, Raynor Anderson and ...bert Anderson, Jr., are assisting An- ...rson & Rosacrans in the store this ...ek.

...Copper plate engraved cards ordered ...the HERALD office will be a most ac- ...table gift for either lady or gentle- ...n. Call and see the samples.

...Mrs. D. P. Wheeler is a very happy ...y these days and all on account of ...Christmas present of that beautiful ...y chair seen in Wheeler & Sisson's ...ow window last Monday.

...Miss Mama Monaghan, after only a ...y passed with Tecumseh relatives, ...k the afternoon train Saturday, for ...rian, from which point she left Sun- ...y afternoon for Buffalo, N. Y., ...here she will pass the winter with her ...rother, George.

...The following will be the officers of ...ecumseh Lodge, No. 69, F. & A. M., ...r the coming year as the result of the ...ual meeting held at the Temple Fri- ...y evening, Dec. 18.

W. M.—F. J. Temple.
S. W.—J. A. Boyd.
J. W.—B. J. Garlinghouse.
Treas.—T. D. Marks.
Sec.—J. D. Shull.
Stewards—W. W. Hicks, J. R. Hosmer.
Tyler—Wm. Jordan.
Finance Com.—J. D. Shull, Alva Spayde, M. E. Conklin.

The entertainment furnished by Guy Brothers' Minstrels Friday evening, was one of the finest seen here in years. The first part usual to minstrels was very chaste, the singing good, jokes crisp and new, no old chestnuts; the specialties were way up in G. Every one an artist in his line. They deserved a much larger house than they had. Coming the next night after the course entertainments may have had some effect to lessen the attendance, but the principal cause was the price. Fifty cents admission these times in a town of this size will not insure a packed house. Although the company could not have made expenses here they must have felt gratified at the genuineness of applause each number on the program received. Every one present felt well paid and would be glad to see them here again.

Meals at all hours at Moir's.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy arrived home from Flint last week.

Lena Wyrill is helping at Harry Tansley's during the holiday rush.

Greatest holiday bargain. Two small photos 25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Q. Jones visited Adrian friends the last of the week.

O. E. Williamson and family spend Christmas with Dundee relatives.

Len W. Kimball and wife, of Clinton, were calling on Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Frank Avery and family expect to take Christmas dinner with friends at Onsted.

A. W. Slayton is in Detroit and Royal Oak this week looking after his lumber business.

Fine mixed candies 10 cents a pound at O. McBride's.

Miss Mama Monaghan and Miss Stacy were visitors of the Stacys at Newburgh Saturday.

Miss Hattie Bates is assisting James Montague in the novelty store before the holidays.

No matter what you want in the line of Christmas goods you can find it at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. C. Vedder will entertain her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rogers, of Adrian, over Christmas.

S. N. Minger and family, of Franklin, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Knapp, Christmas day.

Mrs. Julia Rowland and Etta left this morning for several weeks' visit with Gus and family, in Toledo.

Abner Wilson went over to Ann Arbor Friday and returned Saturday accompanied by his daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wagner expect their daughter, Mary, from Detroit, to spend Christmas with them.

Two photos 25 cents. Miss DALY.

Miss Lizzie Beamish and Miss Eloise Waring are assisting Seaton W. Anderson during the holiday trade.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wheeler will entertain Mrs. W's mother, Mrs. Brown, of Blissfield, over Christmas.

Fine line Christmas candies at O. McBride's.

Mrs. Margaret Healy, of Grand Rapids, is spending some little time with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirchgessner.

R. B. Gillespie is in Calhoun county, looking over the territory he has purchased for the Standard Cabinet.

Ice cream in any flavor, brick or plain for Christmas. Leave orders at Moir's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirchgessner and Mrs. Healy will test the Christmas turkey at Wm. Kirchgessner's, in Manchester.

The HERALD office is sending orders for engraved calling cards every day. Bring your copper plates in and save all expense and trouble.

Judge Powell and family, of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coryell, of Deerfield, will spend Christmas at A. W. Slayton's.

Mrs. O. M. McBride and child are visiting her parents, at Napoleon. Ora expects to run up and spend Sunday with them.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one-quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. A. G. Evans, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich several days last week, has returned to her home in Oxford.

You can buy more Christmas goods for the same money at Harris and Hiteshu's than any other place on earth. If you don't believe it, try and see.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kennedy will have for Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burlingame, of Coldwater, and J. B. Carlton and wife, of Adrian.

J. H. Smith and family and Bert Waring and family will eat their Christmas dinner and spend the day with Mr and Mrs. R. L. Rogers, in Cambridge.

Christmas will soon be here and you will want to give some kind of a present. There is nothing more acceptable than a pretty chair. We have them from $1.00 up. WHEELER & SISSON.

There will be a special meeting of the Eastern Star, January 7, for work, supper and robes, also to discuss going to Jackson. A full attendance is desired.

John Wyrill and family spend Christmas with Fred Beland's family, Lake Ridge, and the balance of the week with Mrs. W's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beland, in Macon.

Harris & Hiteshu have had the happy faculty this season of securing the lines of holiday goods that please the people. Call and see them before making your selections or you will regret it.

Oysters in all styles at Moir's.

The trustees of the Tecumseh Masonic association met last Saturday night and paid the last dollar which was due on the masonic temple. According to the provisions of the deeds this property can be used hereafter only for masonic purposes and cannot be mortgaged. So, barring accident of fire, the masonic lodges of Tecumseh will always have a home and a good one.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Hamblin, at South Haven, Mich., by the Rev. John Russell, Saturday morning December 19th, at 10 o'clock, their only daughter, Hattie L., and Mr. George Hoag, of Tecumseh. The wedding was a very pretty one, the company being composed of relatives and a few intimate friends. The gifts were many and costly, showing the popularity of the fair young bride. The bridal couple arrived here Saturday evening and will spend some time with the groom's mother, Mrs. Cynthia Hoag, of east Chicago street. Well, George, here are our congratulations.

Miss Hartbeck is a Detroit visitor today.

C. B. Pennock, of Adrian, was in town last evening.

Orange blossoms on Maiden Lane New Year's eve.

W. C. Burridge was in Adrian on legal business Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher visited Detroit friends yesterday.

Grove Vanderpool, of Springville, was in town today.

Miss Nora Childs is home to spend the holidays with her friends.

Mrs. Cary Climer, of Macon, visited Mrs. Albert Conger Monday.

Miss Mina Olmsted will spend the holidays with friends at Bay City.

John Zable, an attorney of Petersburg, was in the village Thursday.

Geo. Mattison, of Jackson, is visiting his cousin, N. E. Mattison this week.

Miss Inez Thorpe is home to spend Christmastide with her mother and sister.

Mrs. Alma Tate was the guest of Tecumseh friends Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. A. P. Coddington was called to Cleveland by the death of her sister, Mrs. Pickell.

John Osborn is home from his fall trip and will pass the holiday season with his family.

Julia Brown and Mina Redfield, of Adrian, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Helm over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr's baby, which was quite sick Sunday and yesterday, was better this morning.

The Misses Viola Shull and Winnifred DeWolf were calling on Adrian friends the last of the week.

R. A. Heesen leaves in the morning for South Bend, Ind., where he will remain until after January 1st.

Charles H. Heck, wife and Willie will spend the Christmas season in South Bend, Ind., with his mother.

Grace Steinhoff was 11 years old yesterday. The event was duly celebrated last evening at Dr. and Mrs. Steinhoff's by a happy company of her young friends.

Arthur Burnett has arrived home from New York and Walter is expected from Albion tomorrow night. They will pass the holidays beneath the parental roof.

Chas. E. Secord, of Grand Rapids, who has been here the past two weeks tuning pianos for his regular patrons and several new ones, left yesterday morning for Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Crossman and little daughter, of Jackson, have been spending a few days with relatives here. They left today for a short visit at Dundee before returning home.

Cards are out announcing the marriage on Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 8 p. m., of Viola E. Wildey to Clayton J. McIntyre, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wildey, at Holloway.

Mr. Albright, of the standard cabinet company, left this morning to spend the holidays with his parents in Florida. The other members of the company will go to their respective homes for the same purpose.

About 7 o'clock last night as H. H. Carty, our new laundryman, threw some oil in a coal stove, a flash of fire struck him and burned his hands and face badly. Dr. Tefft was called and Mr. Carty is resting easier this morning.

Special attention is called to the advertisement of Seaton W. Anderson on the first page. His store as well as the "ad" is full of Christmas ideas and as his force of help during this week numbers fifteen, all can be waited on without delay.

Bert Lee, while out hunting east of the village one day last week, shot what is known as a Guillmot which is described as "a bird of the British waters." How such a bird came in this section is unknown. Mr. Lee will have the bird stuffed and mounted.

Ed Everett, Fay Anderson, Will McGlashin, Sam McClure, Hattie Conklin, Tom Moffat and John J. Orr went to Adrian Saturday evening to see the Whitney Opera Company in Rob Roy. Those whom we have seen pronounce it very fine and say that Carlton Burton is a great musical director.

At the meeting of the Monday Club yesterday afternoon Mrs. Wm. Smith gave a paper on the Religious History of Art. Mrs. B. F. Snyder a paper, "Nuremberg and Hans Sachs, the cobbler poet." Mrs. C. A. Slayton a paper on the legend "Queen Cunigunda." Prof. Emmerson will deliver the lecture on Art at Mrs. Bill's tomorrow evening. The ladies are all to be there at 7:45 city time.

The HERALD this year will not print a club list for any particular papers but has made arrangements to supply its subscribers with any other newspapers they desire at greatly reduced rates. Never before has so much pains been taken to secure better prices on all periodicals, all the benefit of which will be given to HERALD patrons. No matter what you want we can get it for you and promptly.

The arrangements for the Christmas party, at the opera house Christmas night are about complete. No small part of the affair will be the concert by Uhl Brothers' full orchestra, which commences at 8 o'clock city time. Admission to the gallery has been placed at 15 and 25 cents, and the reserved seats are selling rapidly at Kirchgessner's. Many replies have been received from invitations sent away and the attendance will not number less than fifty couples. It is safe to say that the concert will be the best ever given in Tecumseh. Uhl Brothers' orchestra is composed of young American musicians who are up-to-date in every particular.

Mrs. Jacob Everhart.

Died, at the family residence, Clinton township, on the morning of Dec. 15th, of marasmus, Orrissavilla, wife of Jacob Everhart.

Beside her husband, she leaves three daughters and one son, Mrs. D. W. Clemens, of Pueblo, Colo., Mrs. John Gillespie, Miss V. Anna, and Omer L. Everhart, of this place, also eight grand-children, two sisters living at Rochester, N. Y., and one at Albion, Mich.

Orrissavilla Landon was born at Wolcott, Wayne county, N. Y., Jan. 13, 1820, and married at Lyons, N. Y., Oct. 22nd, 1846, to Jacob Everhart, then of Massillon, O., and with her companion she lived to commemorate their fiftieth anniversary with a quiet gathering of children, grand-children and neighbors about them, but even then the shadow of the white messenger was over their household as the devoted wife and loving mother slowly faded away, until "He gaveth her sleep."

IN MEMORIAM.

Out into the silence of the night
Her unfetter'd spirit took its flight,
Alone;
When the white robe was covering the ground,
Unseen wings the dear one folded round,
While mean
And weeping of those near had her no power to stay,
Since the good Master took her hand to lead the way.

"'Tis morning," she did say, while the gloom
Of a starless night filled hearts and room,
But ray
Of heavenly light her soul was o'er,
The light which beamed from the mystic shore,
And day
Indeed for her with beautious light was dawning,
For the gates stood wide ajar of life's new morning.—M. L.

Mr. J. Everhart and family wish to express thanks to all the friends who by word or deed or in any manner extended the helping hand to them during their recent bereavement.

Reduced Rates for Holidays.

Excursion tickets at reduced rates will be sold Dec. 24, 25, and 31, 1896, and Jan. 1, 1897, good for return until Jan. 4 inclusive, by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway between all points on its line, also to points on many immediate connecting lines. Inquire of ticket agents for full particulars.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowen, Tuesday evening December 29th. Meeting to commence at 7:30 and close at 9:30 o'clock.

PROGRAM.

Music—Mr. Bowen and daughter.
Paper—Henry Ward Beecher—Mrs. George Bendelct.
Quotations from Rev. Beecher.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Paper—Harriet Beecher Stowe—John Boyce.
Historical questions answered.
Question—How can the local clubs best secure loyal support of the measures advocated by the state association from their respective legislators elect. Led by A. P. Coddington.

Railroad Matters.

The committee of ten met yesterday morning at Lilley's bank and appointed sixteen more members to act with them in the matter of projecting the canvass. The committee is now as follows: Lucius Lilley, Albert Brewer, John S. Temple, R. A. Heesen, C. A. Wright, A. W. Slayton, Henry Smith, A. W. Mills, C. E. Williamson, B. J. Garlinghouse, John F. Hicks, C. A. Slayton, N. M. Sutton, Seaton W. Anderson, Joseph Russell, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, E. N. Satterthwaite, B. P. Anderson, J. S. Strong, E. G. Cook, L. G. North, Thos. Elliott, Alva Spayde, James Lowry, T. C. Harris, H. S. Lee.

This morning the committee of 26 met, adopted a form of suoscription paper and selected A. W. Mills, Ben Garlinghouse and John F. Hicks as a special committee to assist the committee of 26 in taking the subscription. The work has commenced and the amount will be raised as Tecumseh people will come forward freely with their minds all made up that the railroad is to be a public benefit.

High School Happenings.

Latin 9a are reading Viri Romae.

Bookkeeping class are studying single entry forms.

Adah Erskine dropped in for a short time Thursday afternoon.

Charlie McIntyre called on the A room Thursday afternoon.

Henry Conklin looked over the work in the central building Wednesday.

Chemistry class have completed their advance work and are now reviewing.

Howard Whelan and Raynor Anderson visited the various rooms in the high school Thursday forenoon.

Ina Jackson and Jennie Gillespie have been absent the greater part of the week on account of sickness.

The first and second grades of the east branch school hold appropriate exercises this afternoon, to celebrate Christmas.

Theodore Grootenhuis, who entered the sixth grade a week or so ago, was found to be so far advanced in his work that he was transferred to the seventh grade.

Miss Monigan, one of the east branch teachers, started Monday morning for a three weeks' visit with her brother in Texas. During her absence, Mrs. Cairns presides over the fourth grade.

Miss Keavs has organized a High School Chorus in the ninth grade, and another in the grammar grades. They will meet once a week after school for practice, and are already very enthusiastic over the work.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

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FULL OF INTEREST.

Much Information Will Be Found in the Paragraphs Below.

There are now 1,065 patients in the Pontiac asylum.

A colony of Berrien county farmers will emigrate to Texas in the spring.

John Bagley, of Decatur, dropped dead while on his way to church Sunday night.

The Calumet & Hecla Mining company is making preparations at Houghton for sinking a new shaft.

The handle factory at Boardman, Grand Traverse county, will begin operation soon, large orders having been received.

Wages in the lumber woods of Montmorency county range from $12 to $15 per month, the latter rate paid in that section.

Eleanor Miller began suit against Bay City for $10,000, for alleged injuries resulting from falling on a defective sidewalk.

Owing to low prices it is estimated that fully one-eighth of the potato crop in southwestern Michigan has been left in the ground.

Reports made to Commissioner Billings show that the railroad passenger earnings in Michigan for October were the smallest in 15 years.

Thomas Huston, the oldest resident of Niles, is dead. He was born in 1817 and came to Niles in 1830, when there were but five houses in the village.

Hon. E. S. Lacey, of Chicago, has been elected as a trustee of Olivet college to fill the vacancy caused by the death of F. S. Belcher, the Charlotte banker.

Unless the state agricultural society can effect a settlement with Lansing creditors or renew notes for about $20,000 there may be no state fair next fall.

The Cummer Lumber company of Cadillac owns 80,000,000 feet of lumber in Florida, which will be milled this winter to save its being destroyed by worms.

Mrs. E. A. Russell, of Genesee, drowned herself in a cistern Tuesday morning. Her husband died last spring and despondency is supposed to have caused her act.

The common council and lumbermen of Saginaw offer $1,500 reward for the arrest and conviction of the incendiaries who have been operating in that vicinity.

The Benton Harbor health department prides itself on the fact that during the past five months there have been but ten cases of contagious disease in the city, and not one of those was developed by communication.

TO LIMIT WHISKY SALES.

Michigan Legislature Has a Plan to Publish a List of Purchasers.

Niles, Dec. 19.—Representative Merriman, of Allegan, will introduce a peculiar local option bill when the next state legislature meets. Mr. Merriman says it is impossible to convict druggists under the present laws, they being allowed to rely implicitly upon the statement of a purchaser that he wants liquor for medicinal purposes. Mr. Fish would require the druggist each week to file an affidavit showing the name of the purchaser, kind and quantity of liquor sold and the purpose, and to publish the affidavit in a newspaper. Young men would be loth to see their names in print and people would look for the list just as they do now for marriage licenses. No druggist would dare to sell liquor to one man three or four times a week.

Insurance Rates Slashed.

Lansing, Dec. 18.—Special agents of fire insurance companies were in secret session here two days this week. Their presence was due to the fact that the Michigan inspection bureau has gone to pieces, and for the past fortnight there has been a general slashing of rates throughout the state. The plan has been for the Michigan companies which constitute the bureau to make the rates, the outside companies, as a rule, accepting them. Every now and then a break is occasioned by some company in the combine cutting rates.

Fire in Detroit.

Detroit, Dec. 18.—An explosion occurred early Friday morning at the Detroit College of Medicine. Flames immediately broke forth from the third-story windows, and in less than two hours the building was in ruins. The janitor and his wife narrowly escaped with their lives. The loss on the building will reach $75,000, partly insured. Besides the building itself, valuable instruments and costly furniture were destroyed.

Embezzlement Charged.

Big Rapids, Dec. 17. — Ex-General Manager Chester W. Comstock, of the defunct Mecosta county savings bank, was arrested at the instance of the depositors' committee for alleged embezzlement. It is stated in the warrant that on October 22 he took $2,000, and sent it to Chicago to apply on the Comstock Lumber company paper. He was examined and held for trial under $5,000 bail bonds.

Monks Again in Custody.

Bay City, Dec. 19.—A telegram from Corning, N. Y., announces the capture there of Willie Monks, who broke out of the Bay county jail ten days ago. Monks was arrested in Chicago for the authorities of Bay City on suspicion of being implicated with his brother in a number of forgeries.

Regaining Her Health.

Battle Creek, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Charles A. Culberson, wife of the governor of Texas, who has been dangerously ill at the sanitarium in this city, is rapidly improving in health. The governor, who has been with her, left for home Thursday night.

Elk Rapids, Dec. 17. — A 15-months'-old child of Alfred Gates, four miles north of this place, pulled a kettle of boiling water off the stove and was scalded so severely that it died of its injuries.

MAY GET A BIG SUM.

State May Receive Pay for Services Rendered During the War.

Lansing, Dec. 19.—If the joint resolution providing for the payment of interest, discount, premium, brokerage, exchange, etc., or money borrowed by the state for war purposes, passes congress, Michigan will stand a show for collecting a large sum of money from the general government. The total claim filed by this state against the general government on account of expenses incurred for war purposes was about $1,200,000. Along about 1869, the government allowed $847,369 of the claim, rejecting about $356,000. Of this sum, the state was credited with $426,498.83, to apply on the status quota of direct tax; $420,899.07 was paid to the state, and $200 was held out on account of the retention by the state of the proceeds of government property.

Twenty years later congress provided for paying back the direct tax collected of the state, and in 1891, during the administration of Gov. Winans, Michigan was paid back in cash $426,498.83, less $5,633.17, which was held back for ordnance stores, not counted for. Subsequently on March 30, 1893, this item of $5,633.17 was also paid. Of the amount of Michigan's original claim, which was rejected, the greater portion was for interest on bonds, discount, premiums, etc., on loans for war purposes. On June 11, 1883, this state filed a claim for $320,488.32, for discount and interest on war loan bonds issued by the state, on account of the late war. This claim was rejected on the ground that there was no provision for paying such interest and discount. If the joint resolution is adopted, Michigan will collect this interest, brought down to date, making a total item of some $350,000.

ROSWELL G. HORR DEAD.

The Michigan Ex-Congressman Passes Away at Plainfield, N. J.

Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 19.—Ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr died Friday night at 11 o'clock, after an illness of two weeks, with bronchitis and Bright's disease.

[Roswell G. Horr was born November 26, 1839, in Wattsville, Vt. He received his education in the public schools, and when young moved to Elyria, O. In 1859 he married Miss Carrie Pinney, of Elyria. He was admitted to the bar in 1864. One year later he moved to St. Louis, and went into the mining business. In 1871 he took up his home in Saginaw, Mich., from which district he was elected to congress on the republican ticket in 1878, and served with distinction three consecutive terms. In 1890 he moved to Plainfield and became a member of the editorial staff of the New York Tribune, which position he has held ever since. His joint debate in Chicago with W. H. Harvey, author of "Coin's Financial School," attracted much attention. When the national republican campaign committee called for speakers last fall he was one of the first to respond, and made over 90 speeches in the presidential campaign before he was taken ill with bronchitis.]

ROSWELL G. HORR.

To Develop Oil Wells.

Roscommon, Dec 19.—Two oil experts have been looking over the fields of Roscommon this week and have expressed the opinion that oil exists here in paying quantities. They have leased considerable land and intend boring next spring. It will be remembered that about 14 months ago a well was sunk near Roscommon and real oil pumped, but the owners for some reason sunk a railroad rail in the tube and the plant was abandoned.

No Case Against Him.

Saginaw, Dec. 19.—Rev. O. D. Taylor, the Oregon preacher charged with false pretenses in some western land deals of which several Saginaw men were alleged victims, has been discharged by order of the judge and all proceedings quashed. The ground is that the law under which the proceedings were begun had been repealed by an amendatory act in 1894, and the new act could not be made to apply to an offense committed before it was passed.

Foreclosure Suit Begun.

Marquette, Dec. 17.—Papers were filed here by the Farmers' Loan and Trust company, of New York, against the Escanaba Waterworks company in beginning a foreclosure suit on a $100,000 mortgage, a third of three aggregating $275,000, held by the trust company for the protection of bondholders. During foreclosure and sale a receiver is asked for.

Deserts the Pulpit for the Stage.

Saginaw, Dec. 18.—Rev. Benjamin T. Trego, rector of St. John's Episcopal church at this place, has tendered his resignation, to take place January 1, 1897, when he will leave the ministry and enter the study of dramatics, preparatory to going on the stage next August to star jointly with Clay Clement in a repertoire of Shakespearean plays.

Smallest for Twenty Years.

Alpena, Dec. 19.—Alpena sawmills cut 84,553,059 feet of lumber this season. This is the smallest cut since 1876, when they cut 84,300,000. The cut for 1896 is over 100,000,000 short.

The Alpena Hoop & Lumber company is rebuilding the Union Island mill, preparing for the manufacture of various articles from hard wood.

Columbus, Ind., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Willis Bond, a famous minister of the French church, died here Friday evening. She formerly lived at Richmond, Ind., and later at Traverse City, Mich. Her husband was also a minister of that denomination.

McKinley in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—President-elect McKinley arrived in this city yesterday morning for a brief visit at the home of Lafayette McWilliams, a relative, where the major's wife has been staying for a week.

Celebrates Her 101st Birthday.

West Concord, Vt., Dec. 18.—Mrs. S. H. Tenney on Thursday celebrated her 101st birthday. Many friends extended congratulations. She is in excellent health.

Robbed a Train.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 18. — Two highwaymen held up a west-bound Southern railway passenger train near Bryant station, 25 miles west of here, Thursday night and succeeded in escaping with a large amount of money.

Killed at a Crossing.

Denison, Ia., Dec. 21.—John Kruml, wife and child were struck while crossing the track by a fast freight of the C. & N. W. railroad. The woman is dead, the child is safe and the man is not expected to live.

Indians Win.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—The Carlisle Indian school football team defeated the University of Wisconsin 11 at the Coliseum Saturday night by a score of 20 to 8. Seven thousand people saw the game.

Iowa to Celebrate.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 21.—Gov. Drake has issued a proclamation recommending that the people of the state fittingly observe on the 28th inst. the fiftieth anniversary of the admission of Iowa into the union.

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Years ago more candy and toys were sold and somehow people did not consider neccessities appropriate for Christmas giving.

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PROBABLY LOST.

Sad Plight of the Danish Barkentine Solid When Sighted at Sea.

Asks Provisions of a Passing Vessel—Belief That She Has Foundered with Her Crew of Twelve Men.

New York, Dec. 23.—The Dutch oil tank steamer Bremerhaven, Capt. Ninnes, which has arrived from Antwerp in ballast, sighted the Danish barkentine Solid (of Haugesund) on December 15 at seven p. m. The barkentine was burning a "flare-up" light, and when Capt. Ninnes brought the steamer within hailing distance the captain of the barkentine shouted that he was short of bread, and asked to be supplied. Capt. Ninnes told the Barkentine crew to lower a boat, but the answer came back that their bulwarks and boat were stove. Accordingly, Third Officer Edward Bornhaupt and a boat's crew lowered a life boat and carried a supply of bread, beef and potatoes to the Solid. On his return to the steamer Mate Bornhaupt said the barkentine was in a bad plight. Her bulwarks were almost gone and the seas washed across her decks continually. Capt. Ystinas, of the Solid, refused to abandon her. There were 13 men all told, aboard of her, and they seemed to be in a pitiable condition. Bornhaupt thought her chances of living through a gale of wind were but slight. Shortly after the Bremerhaven's boat returned to her the weather came on thick and the Solid was lost to sight. The Solid is an iron barkentine of 340 tons burden, and was built at Hamburg in 1869.

NEW GUNBOAT LAUNCHED.

The Annapolis Intended for Practice Ship of Naval Cadets.

New York, Dec. 23.—The gunboat Annapolis, destined for service as the practice cruiser for the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, was launched at Elizabeth at 10:30 Wednesday morning.

Miss Georgie Porter, daughter of Lieut. Theodoric Porter and a granddaughter of the late Admiral Porter, broke the customary bottle of wine on the vessel's bow as it glided into the waters of Staten Island Sound, exclaiming at the same time: "I christen thee Annapolis."

The gunboat Annapolis is of a vessel of entirely new type, so far as our navy is concerned, in that it is of composite construction, all of the framing being of steel, with planks of Georgia pine worked on the frames below the water line, secured by composition bolts in such manner as to prevent galvanic action and being then covered with copper.

This will make the vessel largely independent of docking facilities and economical in the use of fuel. Another feature of the vessel that distinguishes it from other naval ships is the use of full sail power in addition to steam. It will be barkentine-rigged and will be able able to sail 12 knots an hour without using its engines. It is a sister ship to the Vicksburg and Newport, of 1,000 tons displacement, drawing 12 feet of water, and is 168 feet long by 36 feet beam.

Pope Receives the Cardinals.

Rome, Dec. 23.—The pope has received the sacred college of cardinals and expressed to them his good wishes for the New Year. His holiness delivered an address to the cardinals, in which he reviewed the position at home and abroad and deplored the situation of the papacy in Italy. The pope also said that his intentions in the matter of having made overtures to King Menelek of Abyssinia, with a view of obtaining the release of the Italian soldiers who were held by the Abyssinian king as prisoners of war, had been misrepresented.

Killed by Explosion of Glycerine.

Toledo, O., Dec. 23.—A special from Montpelier, Ind., says that George Hickox, a well shooter, and Harry Woods, helper, were killed there Wednesday by an explosion of glycerine at the magazine of the Empire Glycerine company. Windows for several miles around were shtatered and the magazine building was completely demolished.

Report of an Engagement in Cuba.

Havana, Dec. 23.—Col. Pavia reports having had an engagement with a party of rebels encamped at Sao Redondo, in the vicinity of Holquin, killing 21 insurgents and capturing and destroying their camp. The troops lost one lieutenant and four privates killed and a major, a captain and nine privates wounded.

Steel Billet Pool Intact.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 23.—The Bessemer Steel association, better known as the steel billet pool, is still intact, reports to the contrary notwithstanding. One of the leading members of the organization, who has returned from the meeting in New York, has so stated emphatically.

Shoots His Wife and Kills Himself.

Washington, Dec. 23.—J. D. Williams, a mulatto, shot his wife and then killed himself about noon at 408 Washington street, northwest, this city. It is thought Mrs Williams will recover.

NEEDS OF CHICAGO.

They Are Laid Before Legislators at a Banquet.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The senators, representatives of the lower house of the Illinois legislature, the mayors of many Illinois cities and other prominent out-of-town citizens were the guests of the Civic federation and associated clubs of Chicago at a novel banquet in the Auditorium hotel Tuesday night. The object of assembling such a body around the banquet board was to enable the hosts to tell the members of the new legislature, which meets next month, the practical and special needs of Chicago in the way of legislative reforms, so that intelligent action could be taken and out-of-town citizens were invited to cooperate and offer suggestions along reform lines. The visitors were entertained during the day by prominent Chicagoans and the Palmer house was placed at their disposal free of cost. About 500 persons attended and listened to addresses from lawyers, bankers and politicians until a late hour.

KILLED HIS SISTER.

A Chicago Peddler Crushes Her Skull with a Baseball Bat.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Driven mad by peace bonds which have been held over him since last October, John Ryan, a peddler living at 45 Lowell place, murdered his sister, Katherine Ryan, Tuesday evening by crushing her skull with a baseball bat, and intended to end his own life in Lake Michigan. He was arrested, however, as he was leaving the scene of his crime, and the police are of the opinion that he is insane. When the officers reached the flat where Ryan and his sister lived they found the murdered woman lying upon the floor in a pool of blood and the room in flames. During the struggle the stove had been overturned and the department was called out to extinguish the blaze. Neither Ryan nor his victim had ever been married. Last October he quarreled with other tenants in the building and was placed under peace bonds. The disgrace he has felt it is thought affected his mind.

FOUR ARE DEAD.

Young Man of Minnesota Kills Three Persons and Commits Suicide.

Mankato, Minn., Dec. 23.—A wholesale murder was committed at Madelia, a small town 20 miles west of here, late Monday night. John Mottle shot and killed Dennis J. Joblinski, the latter's son, aged 19, and a daughter, aged 16. A fourth person was badly wounded. The slayer then put a bullet through his own head. Mottle was infatuated with Joblinski's daughter and the father objected. The murderer was 25 years old.

Forefathers' Day.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The anniversary of the landing of the pilgrims was celebrated by the Washington Congregational club at the First Congregational church Tuesday night. A reception was first held, followed by a dinner, at which speeches were made by Justice Brewer, of the United States supreme court; Rev. S. M. Newman and Representatives Northway, of Ohio, and Brosius, of Pennsylvania.

More Talk of Reforms.

Constantinople, Dec. 23.—The ambassadors accredited to the Porte have received instructions from their respective governments to act in concert in submitting fresh proposals for reforms in the Ottaman empire and all of the diplomats, including M. Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador, have agreed to resort to coercive measures if the sultan should be dilatory in enforcing the reforms.

Son of a Famous Character Dead.

Clayton, N. Y., Dec. 23.—John Johnston, aged 80 years, passed away at his home here. He was the son of the late William Johnston, the famous commander-in-chief of the naval forces and flotilla of the patriots during their strife upon the St. Lawrence river in 1838 in the interest of the independence of Canada. The affair ended in ignoble defeat for the invaders.

Frozen Pipes Cause a Fire.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 23.—Fire broke out in the house of W. H. Brown on Stanley street, caused by an attempt to thaw out frozen water pipes by burning paper around them. The house adjoining, occupied by Mr. May, was damaged. Much damage was done by water. Total loss, $25,000; insured.

Railroad Sold Under Foreclosure.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 23.—The St. Joseph & Grand Island road was sold under foreclosure at Hastings, Neb., for $2,300,000 to William L. Bull, in the interest of Edward W. Sweet & Co., who are the first mortgage bond holders. What connections will be made by the new owners is not known.

Miss Frances Willard Ill.

Castile, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Miss Frances Willard, president of the World's and National Womens' Christian Temperance union, who is at the Sanitarium here, has suffered a relapse and is quite ill. Her physician has cancelled all her engagements and she will remain here for some months.

Bank Bookkeeper Arrested.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Edwin J. Smith, individual bookkeeper of the Bank of Commerce, has been arrested on the complaint of the receivers of the bank who charged him with falsifying the books, effecting a practical embezzlement of between $2,500 and $3,000. Smith confessed.

A RACE WAR.

Trouble of the Most Serious Nature Feared at Mayfield, Ky.

Whites Arming to Protect Themselves Against a Big Mob of Negroes—Bloodshed Almost Certain.

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—A special to a morning paper from Mayfield, Ky., says that at 3 o'clock a. m. every man of that town and every boy who can carry a weapon is on guard there, for an attack by an army of negroes is expected at any moment. The whites are being re-enforced hourly by citizens from surrounding towns.

It is thought that before daybreak there will be commenced the fiercest race war ever known in the south.

For 48 hours news had been received at Mayfield from different points that the negroes were organizing in large bodies for the purpose of visiting the town and wreaking vengeance upon those who lynched Jim Stone, the rapist, Monday morning, and followed this by white-capping some of the colored families who lived on the outskirts.

Prepare for a Battle.

At 9 o'clock at night telegrams from Water Valley said that the negroes who had massed there were 250 in number, and that every one had some sort of weapon. A half hour later news of a similar nature came from Wingo. These reports, in addition to many of a similar nature, received from surrounding towns during the evening, caused the greatest consternation, and preparations were at once made for a battle. Men first saw to it that their homes were barricaded, as well as that could be done, and then they proceeded to the hardware stores, where everyone who could use a weapon was handed one until the entire stock was distributed.

A dispatch was sent from Mayfield to Fulton as soon as the alarming reports began to come in, asking aid of the white citizens at that point. A reply came at once stating that a special train would be chartered and a body of armed men would reach Mayfield as soon as possible.

At ten o'clock p. m. the reports had become so alarming that the fire bell was sounded, and all of the citizens assembled in the public square, where they remain, expecting the attack at any hour.

A message from Paducah, received at 11 o'clock, stated that a body of negroes was being organized there, but that they would probably not march upon Mayfield before daybreak.

At 12:30 o'clock in the morning a body of citizens of Fulton reached town. They report meeting a mob of 200 negroes, every one armed with a rifle, on the outskirts of town. No attempt was made by the negroes to interfere with the Fulton people, and it was evident that the former are waiting for reinforcements.

Guns have been ordered from Paducah and are expected at any moment on a special train.

At 2:30 in the morning several shots were fired at three negroes who were seen on the outskirts of Mayfield. There was no response and the negroes retreated, evidently toward the larger body.

A special from Nashville, Tenn., dated at 3:30 o'clock a. m., says the wire to Mayfield has been lost and it would probably be impossible to obtain any more information for several hours.

Desperate Affray on a Ranch.

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—A special from Guadalajara, Mexico, says particulars have been received there of a desperate affray at the ranch of Juan Vidrio, in that state. Vidrio had trouble with some of his employes a few days ago and 30 of them attacked him. He was seriously wounded by the first volley of shots, but took refuge in his residence and fired on his assailants, killing two of them and wounding seven others badly. Twenty members of the mob have been arrested and will probably be shot.

Constable Killed.

Mansfield, Mo., Dec. 23.—Owen Booth, a constable, is dead, Tom Applin dying, and a half dozen others were wounded as a result of a shooting affray near the Douglass county line, seven miles south of here. Constable Booth's posse attempted to search the house of a German named Coonsey, who had been accused of burglary. Coonsey resisted and opened fire with a double-barreled shot gun with the above effect.

Assumes His Office.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Bishop William David Walker, the recently elected Protestant Episcopal bishop for the Buffalo diocese, was enthroned in his official position in St. Paul's cathedral. The ceremony attending the enthroning is of English origin, and is very interesting, being marked with all the dignity and solemnity of the Episcopal services.

To Dictate a Biography.

London, Dec. 23.—The St. James Gazette says the queen will personally dictate and revise a biography of her majesty, which will appear in 1897. The work will tell the story of the longest reign in the history of England as the queen herself regards it

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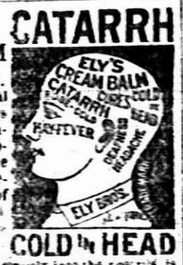

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A case showing great cunning and perseverence, as well as tolerance of much self-inflicted pain continued for many months, is worth telling, says Chambers' Journal. The convict was most determined and resourceful in his efforts at malingering. He began by running a piece of copper wire into his knee, by which he nearly lost his leg. He then produced a number of sores round the knee joint, and kept up a great degree of swelling and inflammation by means of a rag and thread pushed into the wounds. Upon the discovery of this he took to introducing lime below the skin. On another occasion a bandage was found firmly bound round the man's thigh, the result being, in medical phraseology, "extensive swelling and lividity of the thigh."

The doctor ordered his limb to be enveloped with a large piece of gutta-percha so as to checkmate the prisoner's malpractices. The latter, however, by means of a strip of sheeting, and the skewer to which part of his dinner was attached, formed a tourniquet, and by it compressed his leg so much during the night as to quite neutralize the medical treatment it had received during the day. The imposture was at length detected by an order of the doctor to expose the limb outside the bedclothes to the view of the officer day and night, and from that hour progress was toward complete recovery.

Big Rapids, Dec. 17. — Ex-General Manager Chester W. Comstock, of the defunct Mecosta county savings bank, was arrested at the instance of the depositors' committee for alleged embezzlement. It is stated in the warrant that on October 22 he took $2,000, and sent it to Chicago to apply on the Comstock Lumber company paper. He was examined and held for trial under $5,000 bail bonds.

Monks Again in Custody.

Bay City, Dec. 19.—A telegram from Corning, N. Y., announces the capture there of Willie Monks, who broke out of the Bay county jail ten days ago. Monks was arrested in Chicago for the authorities of Bay City on suspicion of being implicated with his brother in a number of forgeries.

GHOST OF THE "PENGUIN."

BY WILL LISENBEE.

For more than a week the Penguin had laid at anchor in the little harbor at Bastia. She was a small schooner, a weather-beaten, lubberly craft, with her yards splintered and one of her masts broken, yet she looked strongly picturesque, standing with bare poles against the flaming sunset sky, as I allowed my little boat to drift before the gentle breeze.

Aboard the craft there were no signs of life visible, and I knew that Muggins must be ashore, filling himself with rum, as was his custom when Capt. Darke was absent.

My old friend, the captain, had been beating about the Mediterranean with his lubberly schooner for half a score of years, and so he might still have been engaged, but for the arrival of a letter at Bastia telling him of a newly-inherited fortune left him by an uncle who had been living in Florence.

But upon receipt of the goods new he was off at once, leaving his disabled schooner in charge of Muggins, an old sailor who was more honest than sober.

As my boat drifted alongside the Penguin I perceived a rope trailing over the port side, and, making my little craft fast, I drew myself upon deck.

I looked about me, but no one was visible. It was evident that I was the only soul aboard the Penguin.

I threw myself on a camp-stool in the shadow of the sail and fell to regarding the range of dark hills that rose back of the romantic little city. Presently I was interrpted by the sound of oars, and a few moments later Muggins' tawny head appeared over the rail. He started when he saw me, and was about to beat a hasty retreat when my voice stopped him.

"Bless me, I thought you were a ghost, I did, by the powers!" he said, seeming well pleased that his fears had not been realized.

"Well, now, what the deuce is there about me, Muggins, to make you think me a ghost?" I asked.

"Oh, it isn't that you look like a ghost, Mr. Raymond," he returned, apologetically. "But, you see, when a cove is looking to see a ghost, he's pretty certain to take the first live thing his eyes fall on for what he's looking for."

"Then you were expecting to see something of the supernatural kind?"

"That's a fact, Mr. Raymond, though 'tain't often a cove is believed when he tells such a story. There's a ghost on this old hulk, or else I'm losing my eyesight."

"And you really believe in such nonsense?"

"I believe what I sees, that's all."

"What did you see?"

"Well, since you ask, I don't mind telling you. You see, since Capt. Darke went away and the crew was discharged, the Penguin has been under my care, and I have been sleeping aboard the vessel and spending most of my time here. Last night about two o'clock I woke, thinking I heard something moving near me. I was sleeping in my cot on the deck, and as I looks about me I sees a woman, all in white, moving like a specter right by the hatchway. While I was watching, it seemed to sink into the deck and disappear. I'm not the man to run from a single night-prowler, but I felt queer-like at this, and can't see how a woman could be on the Penguin. Thinking she might have descended the companion-ladder, I goes down with a lantern, but finds nothing. Then I looks all over the ship with the same result. I slept no more that night, and though I look after the ship during the day, I shan't sleep here again if I know myself, call it ghost or what you will."

With this he picked up a lantern and descended to his boat that lay alongside.

"Then I shall spend the night here and lay your ghost for you," I said.

"You'll greatly oblige me if you will," he returned, "though I'll be blowed if I think you succeed. Good evening, Mr. Raymond. I'll drop alongside early in the morning and see how you have fared. There's the key to my cabin," he added, tossing the key upon the deck. "You'll find pipes and plenty of tobacco, and a sip of rum in a decanter, if you look close. Now again good night to you."

His oars dipped into the water, and he was gone.

Dusk was already settling over the water. I took a seat on the deck and lit a cigar, and began running over in my mind some of the events that had befallen me since my arrival in Corsica.

For more than three months I had been staying in the romantic little island, finding a restful charm in its quiet seclusion that was a pleasing contrast to the life I had been spending for the past two years in the gay capital of the restless and pleasure-loving French.

One is not likely to expect to meet with adventures of the thrilling kind in the peaceful precincts of Bastia, yet something bordering upon this had come to my lot less than a month before.

For the amateur artist the quaint little city will furnish many subjects for the pencil and brush, and I had made good my opportunities since my arrival.

The most prized among my collection was the portrait of Veda, the little Corsican fruit-seller. There was something fascinating in her very pose, and the dark beauty of her face had drawn me to her as if by some subtle witchery.

One evening, as I was strolling through the streets, I heard a cry of mortal terror come from the court of a ruined building where several poor families had taken their abode, and entering hastily I perceived an aged woman, withered hag, with uplifted knife, in the act of striking a girl who was crouched in the corner of the wall.

I struck the knife aside, and the would-be murderess fled, leaving me face to face with Veda, the intended victim.

She only paused a moment to press a kiss upon my hand; then she slipped through a gap in the wall and was gone. That was the last I had seen of her.

To my inquiries regarding her whereabouts I received no information, excepting a bit of her past history which told me that she had belonged to a wealthy and influential family, and that she had received a finished education. But reverses had come; her father had fallen a victim to a dreadful vendetta, and she had finally been left a penniless orphan.

I was deeply interested in her, but no one could give me the slightest clew as to whither she had fled.

Still I had lingered about the places I used to see her. Was I in love with the little Corsican beauty?

Her face would come before my mental vision asleep or waking, bringing a sweet sensation I had never before experienced; and yet I tried to dismiss her from my mind.

I sat smoking for some hours upon the deck of the Penguin, watching the yellow lights dancing in the romantic little city, and drinking in the fresh, sweet air of the night that stole up from the Mediterranean.

It was about 11 o'clock when I stretched myself upon the cot which Muggins had placed upon the deck. I fell asleep soon after, and dreamed of Muggins' ghost.

It seemed that some strange presence came to me—a woman, beautiful beyond any dream; and, just as I reached out to touch her she vanished, leaving only a faint odor of some strange, sweet perfume. I awoke suddenly with that inexplicable sensation that sometimes tells us of the unseen presence of another.

I sat up and looked about me in vague bewilderment. The moon had risen out of the sea and was flooding the deck with its mellow radiance.

As my mind grew more composed I detected a subtle perfume on the night air, the same that had come to me in my dream.

Was it only the effect of my imagination? No; there could be no mistake as to its reality. Something white lay at my feet; I picked it up; it was a delicate piece of lace embroidered linen, and exhaled the breath of perfume that had before greeted my senses.

While I stood bewildered at the amazing circumstance, I perceived a white form emerge from the hatchway and move forward, with a slow, gliding movement.

I stood immovable, watching the figure as it came toward me. As it drew near, I perceived that it was a girl, and as the moonbeams fell on the pale face I recognized it as belonging to Veda Dorlos, the little fruit seller.

Her eyes were wide open, and staring vacantly ahead in a way peculiar to the somnambulist. She was a sleep-walker! The thought came to me like a flash. Yet, what could account for her presence aboard the Penguin?

Without attempting to answer the puzzling question, I started toward the figure, but as I did so, the sound of something like the dropping of an oar in a boat came from over the port. Then a moment later the dark figure of a woman—the same I had seen making the assault on the little fruit-seller—slipped noiselessly over the rail. She paused for a moment to glance about the ship, then, with a cry of rage that might have proceeded from some wild animal in deadly combat, she leaped upon the unconscious girl, the blade of a long knife glinting in the rays of the moon. Roused to action by the sight of the murderous intruder, I leaped quickly forward, and, before the knife descended to do its deadly work, I caught the hand that held it.

But if I reckoned on an easy victory in subduing my adversary, I soon discovered my mistake, for the woman, though aged to all appearances, seemed to possess the strength of the strongest man, and, finding herself foiled in her murderous attempt, she turned upon me with the fierceness of a panther. Coming unexpectedly as the attack did, it caught me off my guard, and before I realized my peril, the hand that held the knife was wrenched from my grasp; then there was a swift blow, a keen pain in my shoulder as the blade entered; then a mist gathered before my eyes, and I sank unconscious upon the deck.

When my senses returned it was broad daylight, and I was lying on a cot in Muggins' cabin, the beautiful but troubled face of Veda bending over me.

It was about a week before I was able to get ashore, and, though I had a trained nurse from Bastia, Veda refused to leave me entirely in the hands of another.

Well, in that week I had learned to love the little Corsican beauty with such an intense devotion that I could not bear the thought of separation.

Her life had been one of trials and misfortunes. The old hag who had twice sought the life of Veda was prevented from taking my life by the timely arrival of Muggins, who had come over to the vessel in his boat just before daybreak to see how I was faring. Finding herself thwarted, she leaped into the bay, and was drowned before she could be rescued by Muggins.

She was the last of the Baralodo family, between whom and the Dorlos a dreadful vendetta had existed, and it was to escape the vengeance of the old woman that Veda had stowed herself aboard the Penguin, hoping to be carried to some foreign land, and thus escape the violence and death that constantly threatened her.

Veda and I were married, and a month later sailed for America in the Penguin with my old friend Capt. Darke, who had returned and had the vessel repaired.

Muggins was much elated over the happy ending of my attempt to "lay" his ghost, though he always declared I had made a most lucky failure, and instead of laying the ghost, I had myself been layed by it.—N. Y. Ledger.

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	6 27 "	12 27 "	1 25 "
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	6 55 "	2 42 "	2 35 "
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	10 45 "	6 20 "	
	8 40 "	6 35 "	10 25 "

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

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STATIONS.	No. 314. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 848 Accom
		8 20 P.M.	
	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	
	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
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THE INSPECTOR'S LOSS.

Inspector Hookyer had served his 25 years in the detective force, and his colleagues were entertaining him at a little farewell dinner, in anticipation of his forthcoming retirement. The chairman having eulogized the guest of the evening to an extent that brought a blush to the face of that case-hardened officer, the inspector rose to reply, and at the outset he said:

"The chairman has said that I never let a man slip through my fingers after I had once got on his track, but I am sorry to say he is wrong. I am bound to acknowledge that once an offender was too clever for me."

"Tell us about it!" arose spontaneously from almost every throat, and Inspector Hookyer, in response to the request, gave the story:

"It was a good many years ago now when I had intrusted to me a case of a young woman named Eliza Thickbroom, who had been found dead (evidently murdered by having her throat cut) in some fields adjoining the canal near a town in Lancashire. She had been a domestic servant and was of a very retiring, staid disposition, and bore an irreproachable character. Her friends lived in quite another part of the country, and her mistress had no knowledge of her keeping company or anything of that kind. For some time I had considerable difficulty in fixing the crime or any reason for it upon anyone; but at last, after a lot of inquiry, I ascertained that she had been walking out with a man named Lamprey, who lived near Stockport, in Cheshire, some 30 miles from where Eliza Thickbroom resided.

"It seemed that the girl had been in the habit of spending her holiday, when she had a day off, in going to Stockport, where Lamprey met her, and that she had become engaged to him, but that, hearing something to his discredit, she refused to have anything more to do with him, and, so far, nothing further was known to implicate Lamprey in the crime; but I, of course, at once took the train to Stockport and proceeded to hunt up Lamprey and to make inquiries in the town where he resided.

"I knew nothing about him except his name, but from the local police and cautious questions of one another I ascertained that he had been a sailor and was then a 'steeple-jack,' and one of the best climbers known.

"'Jack Lamprey!' cried one man to whom I had spoken. 'Ah, he can climb, for sure, can Jack! Why, he climbed up to the very top of yon steeple' (pointing to the church hard by, which had a spire remarkably tall and slender, and very hard to mount). 'After the storm had damaged the weathercock. Jack climbed up and fixed it all alone for the parson, and he refused to be paid for it!'

"The man seemed to look upon Lamprey's refusing payment as more wonderful than his climbing the steeple, and perhaps he was right. Well, bit by bit, I found little things which, when pieced together, pointed unmistakably to Jack Lamprey as the murderer. He had, until recently, been seen frequently in and about Stockport with the girl, but for the last two or three months she had not been observed in his company. He had been a jolly sort of fellow, but since the girl had ceased her visits it had been noticed that he had become moody and silent, and he had taken to drink a good deal, although he had previously been a most abstemious man.

"He was away from his lodgings on the night of the murder, and on his return early the next day he was travel-stained, as if he had walked a long way. His landlady remembered that he told her he had fallen down in some chemical works where he had been on a job and had stained his clothes, and she recollected that immediately after his arrival home he had busied himself brushing and sponging his garments.

"There was sufficient evidence to justify me in obtaining a warrant; but he was away on a job—no one knew where, exactly, except that it was somewhere near Liverpool—and it was useless for me to leave Stockport, where I had the best chance of catching him, on a wild-goose chase to Liverpool without better information. My only course was to wait and keep quiet till he came back, which he was expected to do the following day.

"I took every precaution to prevent anyone knowing that he was 'wanted,' but some 'pal' must have got to suspect it and given him warning. The police in Liverpool had been wired to and had kept watch of all trains in the direction of Stockport, and towards the evening of the second day I received the intimation that a man resembling his description had taken the train and was on his way. Assisted by a local detective who knew the man, I watched every passenger out of the train on its arrival at Stockport, but no Jack Lamprey alighted, and, on inquiring of the guard, it seemed pretty certain that he had got out at Cheadle, a station a few miles outside Stockport.

"It was the beginning of winter, and night had set in, so that it was extremely doubtful if we could follow the man, but we took a train which was just going out of the station, and in a few minutes were at Cheadle. I there made certain that my man had got out. He had booked for Stockport and had given up his ticket; but do all we could, we could get no trace of him. He had left the station immediately on leaving the train; no one knew him, and we could find no one to tell us anything more. So, hoping perhaps to pick up a clew on the road, we walked back to Stockport and on to the town where he lived, which was a few miles the other side, but our tramp was in vain.

"We had left instructions at Stockport for Lamprey's lodgings to be watched; but by some blunder a man had not been sent there for some time, and, much to my anger and disgust, when I arrived at his house I found that he had been there, just for five minutes, his landlady said, and had left again with a bag of clothes.

"I was mightily savage, you may guess, both with myself and with the police of the place for not keeping a better lookout; but it was no use losing my head over it, and I at once set to work dodging his footsteps after he had left his lodgings. In the public house which he frequented I came across a man to whom I had previously spoken, who seemed to know Lamprey in a very distant sort of way, and I turned the conversation on the man I wanted.

"'Ah! I've just seen him,' said the fellow. 'About an hour ago, or may hap a little more. He was going to Macclesfield, he said, to catch the early train in the morning into Staffordshire, where he's got another job. He seemed in a mighty hurry, too.'

"I had reason afterward to think that this man was the one who had given Lamprey warning, but whether that was so or not his information that night appeared to be correct, for I met several people who had seen Jack going across the fields toward Marple, which was his best way of getting to Macclesfield from the place he lived in; but when I arrived at Marple station I was at fault again, for no train had been out for quite two hours, and although I waited till the last train to Macclesfield had left, Lamprey did not show up.

"Tired, and vexed beyond description, I tramped back and got what rest I could, hoping that something might turn up in the morning to assist me in recovering the ground I had lost, but afraid that for once I had let my quarry slip, and that I might never catch him, now that he was aware he was being tracked.

"Sure enough, the something did turn up in the morning, and something which confirmed my fears, though I felt that I had got my man dead, if I had missed him alive. The postman came round soon after seven, before it was quite light, and I had only just got up when a boy came running with a letter, which had been delivered at the police station. It bore the Marple postmark, and was addressed to 'The Detective from London.'

"Tearing it open, I read something like this:

"'From John Lamprey. I know you are after me, and I know what for. I managed to keep out of your way to-night, and I meant to try and get down south, but you are sure to have me, sooner or later, so I've determined to make an end of it. Look at the church steeple when you get this to-morrow morning.'

"The church steeple was a tall and prominent feature whichever way you turned, and I had only to go to the end of the street to get a full view of it. When I got there and looked up, I saw something that gave me a start. In the uncertain light of the early morning I could discern against the gray sky, hanging by the neck to one of the iron loops which serve for a ladder on the side of the spire, the figure of a man!

"'So much for Jack Lamprey!' I said to myself, as I hurried to the police station. 'He has saved me any more trouble!'

"By the time I had been to the station and back to the church it was broad daylight, and, of course, the body hanging aloft had been seen, and a crowd had already collected, every one recognized it as Jack Lamprey.

"'A strange freak,' I remarked to the sergeant who was with me.

"There was no one round Stockport who would venture up the spire, and a telegram had to be sent to Stalybridge for a man to come and get the body down. It was past midday before the steeplejack arrived, and by that time half Stockport had heard of the affair. Work was discarded, and an immense crowd collected to witness the sight. Every foot of the man's way up to the steeple was watched by thousands of eyes, and when at last he approached the swaying body of Jack Lamprey, the tongues which had been loudly wagging were hushed as by common consent.

"I shall never forget the few minutes that followed while the steeple-jack (now looking the size of a little child) made his way very cautiously close up to the body, and fixing a rope to it, made his preparations for lowering it to his assistant, who was waiting on the top of the square tower to receive it. There was something awfully sad and solemn about it all!

"In due course the assistant received the corpse, which he let down to the ground, and everyone around me remarked that he swung it roughly to the earth, without showing the respect which might have been looked for. In fact, some actually called out, 'Shame!'

"But all at once the hush which had fallen upon the crowd was broken by a storm of jeers and laughter! The thing which had given us all this trouble was nothing but a guy! And I never felt such a fool in all my life.

"So that he might get nearly a day's start, Lamprey had cleverly missed me the night before. While I had been wasting my time at Marple he had been employed in stuffing the suit of clothes which he had taken from his lodgings with straw, making a very passable representation of himself; and in the middle of the night he had climbed the steeple (which was child's play to him), and left his effigy there to deceive me and lull me into inaction.

"I need not dwell upon the chaff I received. It is too painful, even now, for me to recall without annoyance, but you may be sure that I quickly made myself scarce."

"Did the fellow get clear away?" asked some one.

"Yes. He took the train to the east coast and succeeded in getting to Holland unnoticed," replied Inspector Hookyer. "But he hanged himself in real earnest some considerable time afterward, leaving a letter behind admitting his guilt, and stating that his conscience troubled him so that he could not bear to live."—Tit-Bits.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30, 1896, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 99 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1896, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Macon, Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.

Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 7th day of December in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John B. Whelan a son of said deceased praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Ervin J. Whelan or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Tuesday, the 5th day of January, next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William F. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 2d, 1891 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 1891 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 183,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1,457 53) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line or Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 30th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Humboldt Pennington deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Claribel Pennington administratrix upon said estate praying that she may be empowered and licensed to sell the real estate of said deceased in said petition described for reasons therin stated.

It is Ordered, That Monday the 28th day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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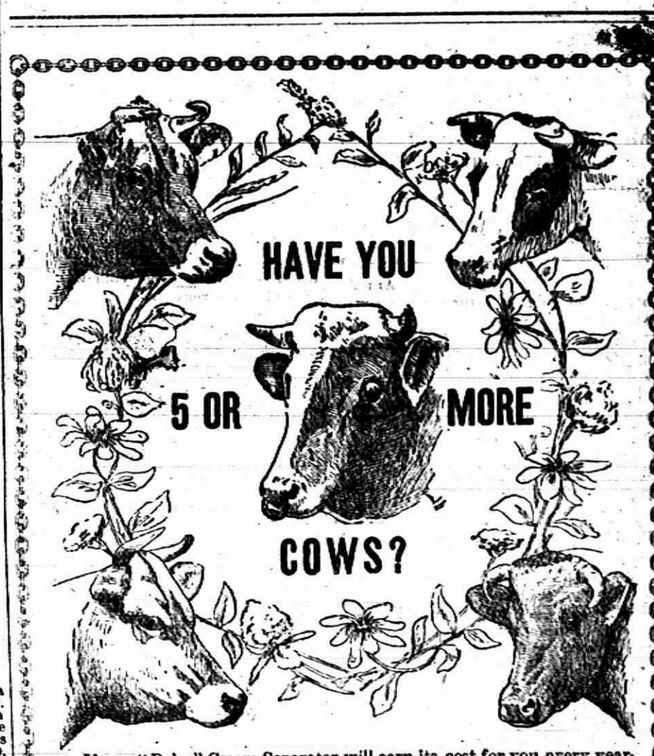

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 25, 1896

In spite of the "hard times" the merchants report a good holiday trade.

The HERALD with this issue wishes all its subscribers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year in the full sense of the term. The fall of snow Tuesday filled the heart of every one with joy. The merchant was delighted that he filled his store with people who desired to purchase goods and the farmer was delighted that he could so easily reach town with his sleigh and team. The hearts of the young people are made glad in anticipation of sleighrides and crisp cold weather for the holiday merry-makings. The little folks are delighted that Santa Claus will not in any way be delayed on account of the fine sleighing, and the general remark of every one is "What perfect Christmas weather." Christmas time is the happiest season of the year and for the simple reason that the thoughts of everyone are of some one else. Unselfishness always brings genuine pleasure and forgetfulness of ourselves is the strongest characteristic of unselfishness.

CLINTON.

Fred Breese, of Lansing, spent Sunday in town.

Leon Clark came home from Albion Tuesday to spend his vacation.

John Tuttle came home from Ann Arbor, Saturday, to spend his vacation.

Dr. M. C. Reeves, wife and little Lon Arthur spend Christmas in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Tate attended the funeral of Mr. Tate's cousin, at Saline, Monday.

Miss Minnie Humphrey, of Toledo, came home Thursday evening to spend the holidays.

Miss Polly Earlingbush, of Ann Arbor, arrived here Saturday for a visit with friends.

Frank Parker came home from Albion Thursday morning to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. E R. Smith went to Mason Monday to be gone until after Christmas. Mr Smith goes Friday.

Mrs. H. D. Niblack went to Ypsilanti Wednesday morning to spend Christmas. Her husband goes Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kennedy went to Detroit Thursday to visit Mr. Kennedy's mother. They will return Monday.

The Roller—Reiser wedding Tuesday evening was attended by about 80 guests. The bride wore Nile green trimmed with white satin and lace. The ceremony was performed in German by Rev. Shettler, of Manchester.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston, Alberta and Fred, Will and Christine Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fabrique, Mrs. Charles Clark, W. D. VanTuyle and J. T. Clark drove over to Adrian Saturday to hear "Rob Roy," of which Carlton Burton is musical manager. Carl returned home with them and remained until Monday morning.

RIDGEWAY.

Buy snow shovels of Ed Smith.

May Fletcher was kept from school, last week, by sickness.

R. S. Houseman and Axton Christenson were in Milan Thursday on business.

A. L. Arner, of Adrian, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Louise Arner.

Mrs. Anna Hamlin, of Chicago, is visiting Grandma Lowe, who is in poor health.

Miss A. J. Torwilliger, of Detroit, visited friends here from Saturday until Wednesday.

Dame rumor says we are to have a profusion of orange blossoms during the holiday season.

George Houseman, who is attending school at Tecumseh, is home for the holiday vacation.

Go to Ed Smith's for your meat crocks and rock salt for packing your pork.

Velta Wadner, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Palmer, the past two weeks.

The party who left a fur tippet at the church several weeks ago may have the same by calling on the sexton.

Ernest Palmer and wife will spend Christmas with his brother, Rev. Edward Palmer, at Rochester, Mich.

For cattle ties and ropes go to Ed Smith's.

Miss Eliza Thompson, of Perrysburg, Ohio, visited Mrs. P. E. Pocklington and family from Friday until Monday.

Ed Freer, wife and son, who have been spending several days with friends and relatives here, left for their home at Mason Monday.

It is examination week at the high school and the students are hustling things. School will close Thursday afternoon for a two weeks' vacation.

Cyrus Underwood, David Gibson and Shirley Smith have taken county agencies for the celebrated kitchen cabinet and have left for their fields of labor.

Chore mittens, two pair for 25 cents, at Ed Smith's.

The funeral services of Mrs. James Tafft, whose death occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. Sherman, Friday night, was held at the church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Jas. Wright officiating.

The graduating class of our high school for '97 are two ladies and two gentlemen, and the following are the class officers: Pres., Miss Laura Palmer; Vice Pres., Elmer Pocklington; Sec., Miss May Culbertson; Treas., Cyrus Palmer.

Hudson buckwheat flour, the best made, at Ed Smith's.

Mrs. Jennie Lockwood, of Petersburg, district president of the W. C. T. U., met with the ladies of the union here Friday evening, at their parlor meeting held at the church, and gave a short address and read a very interesting paper, giving a report of the W. C. T. U. convention held at St. Louis.

The management of the Tecumseh Star Course were very fortunate in securing the Johnson Smiley Combination, who appeared at Sutton's opera house Thursday night, Dec. 17. It was among the first, if not the best entertainment ever given in Tecumseh. If the public can be assured they will appear on the course another season, it will assist the management materially in completing their work for the course.

The next that appears on the present course is F. W. Gunsaulus, of Chicago, Jan. 19, '97.

One of the ten big engines recently purchased by the Lake Shore, made its first trip through here this morning, drawing passenger train No. 15. Although this engine is capable of more speed, and of drawing a heavier train than the locomotive formerly used, the running time of No. 15 will not be increased for the present, at least. The engine is called a "McQueen hog." It has six drivers, a 19x24 cylinder, carries 200 pounds of steam, and is guaranteed to run 60 miles an hour. Frank Towsley was the engineer.—Adrian Times.

The last issue of the Empire (Mich.) Leader is printed on wall paper, through which runs a rather pretty design of flowers flecked with silver. In explanation of the issue the Leader says: "This issue may indicate to you that this is the 'last run of shad,' but don't you never think it. By the time the readers have absorbed its contents we shall be hustling for 'coin' to get our bundle of ready prints that are waiting us in the province of Lake Ann with a draft attached thereto. This issue is intended to serve two purposes: One is to remind those in arrears that we need funds, but can get along without them; the other is, you can paper your walls with it and have regular wall paper with ornaments on."

Scribner's Magazine.

A Red Letter Year for 1897.

The entire novelty of many of the plans for 1897 is noticeable. For instance, the series devoted to

LONDON AS SEEN BY CHARLES DANA GIBSON. Mr. Gibson has not before appeared as a writer. He visited London last summer for SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE, for the purpose of depicting with pen and pencil those scenes and types which the huge metropolis presents in endless variety.

Of like novelty is the first considerable NOVEL BY RICHARD HARDING DAVIS, Soldiers of Fortune. The hero is one of the most vigorous men that Mr. Davis has drawn. Illustrated by C. D. Gibson.

THE CONDUCT OF GREAT BUSINESSES. A beautifully illustrated series of articles of which the following are already completed:
The Great Department Store.
The Management of a Great Hotel.
The Working of the Bank.
A Great Manufactory.

UNDERGRADUATE LIFE IN AMERICAN COLLEGES. A series of articles touching upon the life of our older universities as represented by the doings of the students themselves.
Judge Henry E. Howland writes on, Undergraduate Life at Yale.
Mr. James Alexander on, Princeton and Robert Grant and Edward S. Martin on, Harvard.

JAPAN AND CHINA SINCE THE WAR, will be a most interesting group of articles richly illustrated.

THE UNQUIET SEX. Under the title of The Unquiet Sex, Mrs. Helen Watterson Moody will write a series of articles:—Woman and Reforms, The College-Bred Woman, Woman's Clubs and The Case of Maria (a paper on domestic service).

W. D. HOWELLS'S STORY OF A PLAY. In this Mr. Howells gives us the best novel he has ever produced in his delightful vein of light comedy.

GEORGE W. CABLE. In addition to the fiction enumerated there will be a series of four short stories by George W. Cable, the only ones he has written for many years.

HOW TO TRAVEL WISELY with a minimum of wear and tear must be regarded as an art little understood. MR. LEWIS NORRIS IDDINGS, in two articles, will offer a variety of useful suggestions and data on OCEAN AND LAND TRAVEL. This will be happily rounded out by an articles from MR. RICHARD HARDING DAVIS on TRAVELLERS ONE MEETS: Their Ways and Methods. The illustrations by American and foreign artists will be highly pertinent.

*** It is impossible in a small space to even mention the many attractive features for 1897. A beautiful illustrated booklet has been prepared which will be sent, postage paid, on request.

Scribner's Magazine $3 a Year
25 cents a copy
CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS
153-157 Fifth Avenue, New York

The following is the list of purchasers of

Economy Heaters

in the last 30 days.

John Schreder, Wright Doty,
Dan Garlinghouse, Harvey Doty,
P. S. Depuy, M. Smeltzer,
Herald Office, John Wyrell,
Comfort Chase, Tom Adamson,
Chas. Ives, Mr. R. R. Hall,
Mrs. John Fields, Manchester.

for sale by

D. L. Whitenack & Co

For Christmas

Turkey, Goose, Duck or Chix.

Oysters.

Bananas, Naval Oranges, Apples,

Fine Confectionary.

In fact everything that you will want for your Christmas Dinner.

At Bottom Prices.

C. E. Williamson.
Cash Grocer.

ATTENTION FARMERS

Butchering time is near at hand. Meat killed in moderately cool weather will take salt better and keep sweeter than that killed in severely cold weather. Under latter conditions it is liable to freeze or chill before the animal heat and smell leaves the carcas.

See Us.

to do your dressing of hogs and beef.

Remember Us.

when you want some sausage made, ham smoked, etc.

Call and get prices,

Dickinson Bros.

When Selecting

the Groceries for the big Christmas and New Year dinner call and see what we have to offer in new, fresh goods. Our prices for cash are remarkably low.

Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

Now Buy Horse Blankets.

Robes. Fur and Plush

I have a large stock and at bottom prices. See them before you buy.

Coal and Wood. I have the best grades at the old prices. No advance.

Its time for Buckwheat Cakes and I have the Flour.

C. A. Slayton.

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Savings Deposits compounded every six months

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State Savings Bank.

DIRECTORS.
John D. Shull, C. A. Slayton,
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A. D. Gilmore, C. R. Miller,
Geo. W. Knapp.

J. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Ladies say

It is a difficult task to buy Christmas presents for gentlemen.

We say

they need have no trouble if they will call at our store for we keep not only articles needed by men but the

Very Best Goods,

with which men are always pleased.

For Instance: A new suit of clothes, an overcoat, fine underwear, fancy suspenders, beautiful neckwear, pair of gloves, hat or cap.

or a thousand other things we can mention to you when you come in. and remember our

PRICES ARE WAY DOWN.

McCANN BROS.
THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS.

Our Store is Crowded

day and night with

Holiday Goods,

and all day with people looking for and getting

Bargains in Novelties.

Also remember that our Half Price Cloak Sale still continues and will until every garment is sold.

HARRIS & HITESHI

When you are getting ready for your Christmas Dinner you want nothing but the best of everything

Choice Bananas,
Navel Oranges,
New Nuts,
Fresh Lettuce,
Fresh Oysters,
New Dates,
New Figs,

With every 1 lb. package of our Famous Royal Garden 50c Tea we will you 1 box of Toilet Soap Free.

Mobbs & Co

e Tecumseh Herald.

MSEH, MICH., DEC. 25, 1896.

PECIAL NOTICES.

-A dog, white bodied, black ears with
s tips and black spot on the back.
Finder will please answer this "ad"
charges will be paid. LUCY LOWRY,
Lake Ridge.

Ed Smith's and Tecumseh, on
ton road a hand bag containing pecan s
acles, etc. Finder kindly leave at the
office.

ALE CHEAP.--A 8-horse engine and
orse steam boiler. For particulers in-
the HERALD office

I will be at the Town Hall on Dec
24, and Jan. 8. At B. S. Boudder's Dec
At home all other days until Jan. 10
pose of receiving taxes.
FRANK GILMORE,
Treasurer.

y Christmas.

ers in all styles at Moir's.

Lillian Avery is spending the
n at her home in Adrian.

Nellie Young spent Sunday with
ter, Mrs. James Linton, at Tip

Cutting is making extensive
on his residence on Chicago

test holiday bargain. Two small
25 cents at Miss Daly's.

Jennie Nyland is assisting
son Bros. during the holiday

Nellie Temple was the guest of
Avery at her home in Adrian over
y.

ls at all hours at Moir's.

is & Hiteshu during the week
isted by Vincent Wood and Wal-
odall.

you seen Jim Jones' Christmas
? It is a dandy and he is very
t it.

Julia Brown and Minnie Red-
Adrian, are visiting Mr. and
J. Helm.

is the time. Two beautiful
25 cents at Miss Daly's.

and Mrs. Jehiel Davidson will
Christmas with Mr. and J. H.
in Jackson.

and Mrs. Fred Field will drive to
ester and spend Christmas with
eld's people.

and Mrs. John Wilson of Plain-
ich., are visiting their daughter,
oseph Crosby.

ream in any flavor, brick or plain
rtstmas. Leave orders at Moir's.

David Lewis has been housed
eral days by indisposition. He is
gain now.

Mary C. Wood, who has been
ill, though improving her conva-
ce is very slow.

Dennison and Mrs. Caswell, of
were the guests of Mrs. Agnes
omery Wednesday.

and Mrs. E. C. Andrus went to
Rapids yesterday for the holi-
They return Jan. 2.

Minnie Russell and Miss Sena
are assistants at Anderson & Ros-
' during the holiday rush.

Oscar Palmer left yesterday to
n the hearts of her Jackson
through the coming weeks.

ything in the line of confection-
Christmas at O. McBride's.

e are many finely trimmed show
ws in town but among the finest
of M. E. Bice, at the city bakery.

es May and Julia Lowry may be
busy as bees in the crockery de-
ent of their father's stores this

Millie VanAntwerp arrived
Chicago Saturday night and is vis-
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles
n.

Woodward and family, of Detroit,
xpected last night. They will
Christmas dinner with W. R. Key-
amily.

received, a car load of Bedroom
bought at a bargain and we will
every one a bargain that wants a
WHEELER & SISSON.

Frank Bauer has been carefully nurs-
of Job's comforters awhile
state this lest some might
the appearance of his nasal
Frank had taken to drink.

Mrs. Cynthia Hoag, accompanied by
mother, Mrs. George Smith, and her
George and bride, left yesterday
to spend Christmas with a
Cornelius by name, at Adrian.

ving the names of the newly
officers of Tecumseh Lodge, F.
, the deacons were left out. We
re give them now:—
Deacon—R. A. Heesen.
" —J. H. Aten.

aster Kyle has done himself
in the souvenir cards he has fur-
d the patrons of the office. It is
ost office bulletin, so to speak.
is nothing slow about Tom, he is
s up to date.

istmas is here and you will
to give some kind of a present.
is nothing more acceptable than
tty chair. We have them from
up.
WHEELER & SISSON.

might be well for Santa Claus to
mber that coal is very high in Te-
eh this year and with the mercury
tering below zero many poor peo-
ight be in sad need of this useful
le. A word to the rich should be
ient.

iott Gray planted a patch of rape
spring, using imported seed. He
end for seed again in about three
s and any one who desires to get
can leave word at the Herald
any time before January 15. He
charge for the seed only what it
laid down here, simply desiring
accommodate his friends who desire
this new fodder.

Two photos 25 cents. MISS DALY.

Now, on this snow, bring the HERALD that wood.

Guy Davidson made a trip to Toledo Wednesday.

Fine mixed candies 10 cents a pound at O. McBride's.

Remember the Christmas party concert this evening.

Lon Haight reached home yesterday for the holiday season.

Thomas Service, of Clinton township, was a Tecumseh visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons arrived home from the east Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson left yesterday for Jackson, to spend the holidays.

Miss Ella Chilson has so far recovered from her late illness as to be about the house.

Mrs. Truman McKinney, of Detroit, will spend Christmas with Mrs. J. J. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harris will spend Christmas with Mrs. Harris' people, at Freemont, Ohio.

Mrs. Mosher has moved her millinery parlors into the Tindall house on Pottawatamie street.

Charles Anthony has arrived from his western trip and will spend the holidays at home.

Miss Albertine Johnston, of Clinton, was calling on Dolly Shull and Winnie DeWolf yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr are expecting Mrs. Walter N. Fowler, of Ann Arbor, today, for a brief visit.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton arrived home Wednesday from a month's visit with her daughters in Detroit.

A ministers' meeting will be held at the Baptist church parlors Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Bryan, of Grand Rapids, came yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. James B. Kennedy.

A full account of all the Christmas entertainments will appear in next week's issue of the Herald.

John Temple drove to Adrian yesterday to meet his daughter May, who will spend the vacation at home.

The Misses Nettie and Ella Fowler are passing the holidays with friends at Byron, Shiawassee county.

Mrs. Harry S. Lee is spending Christmas with her brother James and family, at Kalamazoo. She went yesterday.

C. A. Bryan, of Neosha Falls, Kansas, is spending the holiday season among his Tecumseh relatives and friends.

Charlie Beebe and family came over from Adrian Wednesday to spend Christmas. They returned this afternoon.

Ray Gould, of Albion College, was in town Wednesday, on his way to spend the vacation with his parents at Cone.

Winthrop Lombard, of Chicopee Falls, Mass., is spending the Christmas vacation with his brother, Dr. C. S. Lombard.

Everything in the line of Furniture at one-quarter less than you can buy the same goods at any place in Michigan. WHEELER & SISSON.

Dr. Walter Fowler, who is on his way to Liberia, expected to reach Liverpool Wednesday, providing all things were favorable.

Mrs. Charles Moody and children have joined Charles, who has been sick, and they are with his mother, Mrs. Betty Moody.

Zimmerman & Hicks have taken the agency for the Stearns wheel (the yellow fellow) and propose to push it for all there is in it.

Arrangements are all perfected for the Christmas party. Dance tickets are on sale at Kirchgessner's, Alva Spayde's and the Lilley House.

The thermometer registered eight degrees below zero at an early hour yesterday morning which made it the coldest morning of the season.

Our Stock of Holiday Goods is all in and we can give you the best stock in the County to select from and prices the lowest.
WHEELER & SISSON.

B. L. Baxter is still a very sick man but out of danger and able to see his friends. His physician says he will not be able to leave his room till May next.

Miss Lydia McNeil entertained her Sunday school class at tea Wednesday evening and Christmas tokens were distributed. It was a very pleasant occasion.

Miss Hattie Conklin leaves in the morning for Napoleon, Ohio, where she will meet Clarence, he not being able to come home, and they will have their visit there.

McCann Bros. have as extra help this week, Mrs. McCann and James H. Elliot, while at E. F. Kirchgessner's Mrs. K. and Will Caldwell will be ready to wait upon you.

Representatives of the fur club were out Wednesday morning for a little brush through the woods and over the plains training, so to speak, for the great chase under contemplation.

The HERALD force intends taking a rest today in consequence of which the papers are mailed in the morning instead of evening. The Ridgeway correspondent was a day behind and the news from that village, although all here, will be found on the fourth page instead of in its accustomed place. Additional news from Clinton will also be found on the fourth page.

At Robert Hastings residence on Pottawatamie there came very near being a serious conflagration. One of the boys tipped over a stand on which was a kerosene lamp. The oil ran out, caught fire, burned a chair and portion of the carpet and smoked things up generally. Fortunately Mr. Hastings was at home and he promptly extinguished the flames and in consequence suffers from serious burns on his hands. Property fully insured.

Fine line of Christmas confections at Moir's.

Miss Bessie Spayde is assisting in her father's store.

Miss Allie Temple is home from Albion for the holidays.

The Christmas dinner at the Lilley house will be served at five o'clock, city time, today.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman desires all who owe her to make her a holiday present of the amount, as she needs the money.

In the marriage notice of George Hoag in Tuesday's issue, it should have been New Haven instead of South Haven.

Special attention is called to the advertisement of Seaton W. Anderson on the first page. His store as well as the "ad" is full of Christmas ideas and as his force of help during this week numbers fifteen, all can be waited on without delay.

Brooklyn Belle, the nobby little running mare belonging to Mr. Jones, was the recipient of a fine Christmas present from her owner. It was a corduroy chest protector. All the bloods wear them, you know.

Fine line Christmas candies at O. McBride's.

At E. F. Kirchgessner's, Wednesday about 6:40 p. m., was fully demonstrated that, little we know what a moment will bring forth, also that the work of years may be blotted out in the twinkling of an eye. For days Mert Burlingame and Will Caldwell had been racking their brains on a device that was to make them famous in history. It was completed, the power turned on, and the thing worked like a charm, drawing people to the window as a candle draws the moth; when, presto, change, the whole thing went up in smoke in a jiff, nothing remaining to remind one of what had been, except Will Caldwell's burned hands. For full particulars consult Will or Mert.

HOMERIC ART,

The Subject of Prof. Emmerson's Lecture to the Monday Club, at Mrs. Bills' Wednesday Evening.

The members of the Monday Club have been living in anticipation of a rare treat ever since the announcement was made that Prof. Emmerson, of Cornell University, would lecture before the society on the subject of Art, and the realization even exceeded the anticipation in the event of Wednesday evening.

Prof. Emmerson occupies the chair of Archæology at Cornell University, has filled the same position at John Hopkins University, was at one time connected with the Chicago Art Institute and has spent his entire life in the study of Ancient Art.

Under ordinary circumstances it would have been impossible for the Monday Club to have secured Prof. Emmerson at all, but he is an intimate friend of Mrs. Bills, they having formed this friendship in Munich when both were students there, and having discovered that the professor would make a trip to the Art Institute in Chicago during the holiday recess, prevailed upon him to stop over one train and give to the members of the Monday Club this lecture.

At the hour of eight the members of the club and their guests of the evening, in all numbering 100 persons, assembled in the spacious and beautiful rooms of the Bills residence and for two hours the feast of instruction continued; a feast even to those who were not so schooled or interested in this particular branch of study. A criticism of this discourse is unnecessary and would be out of place in a newspaper but it is impossible to omit mentioning that all present were delighted with his clearness of description and the pureness and elegance of his English.

As a social event the success was assured by the hospitality and kindness of Mrs. Bills in lending for the occasion her home, in fact the members of the club and their guests are under many obligations to Mrs. Bills for making possible so rare an intellectual and social treat.

Mrs. Jacob Everhart.

Died, at the family residence, Clinton township, on the morning of Dec. 15th, of marasmus, Orrissavilla, wife of Jacob Everhart.

Beside her husband, she leaves three daughters and one son, Mrs. D. W. Clemens, of Pueblo, Colo., Mrs. John Gillespie, Miss V. Anna, and Omer L. Everhart, of this place, also eight grand-children, two sisters living at Rochester, N. Y., and one at Albion, Mich.

Orrissavilla Landon was born at Wolcott, Wayne county, N. Y., Jan. 13, 1820, and married at Lyons, N. Y., Oct. 22nd, 1846, to Jacob Everhart, then of Massillon, O., and with her companion she lived to commemorate their fiftieth anniversary with a quiet gathering of children, grand-children and neighbors about them, but even then the shadow of the white messenger was over their household as the devoted wife and loving mother slowly faded away, until "He gaveth her sleep."

IN MEMORIAM.

Out into the silence of the night
Her unfettered spirit took its flight,
Alone;
When the white robe was covering the ground,
Unseen wings the dear one folded round,
While moan
And weeping of those near had her no power to stay,
Since the good Master took her hand to lead the way.

"'Tis morning," she did say, while the gloom
Of a sorrowful night filled hearts and room,
But ray
Of heavenly light her soul was o'er,
The light which beamed from the mystic shore,
And day
Indeed for her with beauteous light was dawning,
For the gates stood wide ajar of life's new morning.

Mr. J. Everhart and family wish to express thanks to all the friends who by word or deed or in any manner extended the helping hand to them during their recent bereavement.

ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

That interesting relic, the old Wide Awake banner, which has been hanging on the Standard office walls since the days of '60, when it was used in the campaign for Lincoln and Hamlin, was send last week, by the Rowlson heirs, to the state museum, at Lansing.—Hillsdale Standard.

Ernest Spalding and Judson Manley, two Tecumseh young men who were arrested for entering the house of Henry Bissell, of Tecumseh, on the night of December 12, were arraigned before the circuit court this morning. Both pleaded not guilty. The trial will be held some time in January.—Adrian Telegram.

Quite an industry has sprung up on the St. Joseph river, south of Niles. Carp are so thick that they are not caught in the usual manner, but are captured on bare hooks. The fishermen drop a cluster of hooks, attached to a strong line, to the bottom and then pull it up quickly, and the fish are so numerous that they have no trouble in hooking them in this way. The fishermen are paid two cents a pound for the fish, and many of them weigh as high as sixteen pounds.—Adrian Telegram.

M. S. Knapp came in on the Lima Northern last night and will remain over the holidays. He was in Wauseon yesterday, and while there had occasion to test and appreciate the excellent service of the telephone company which is now introducing the new Adrian system. He had occasion to do some business with Toledo and other points, and pronounces the long distance, as well as the local curcuits, satisfactory in the extreme.—Adrian Times. Tecumseh is much interested about this matter of telepeones.

The immense apple crop of southwestern Michigan this season so reduced the price of the fruit in the Chicago market that many growers shipped their crop direct to Minnesota and North Dakota points. Most of them are now sorry they did so, for in many instances no returns whatever were received from the commission men, and in some cases a demand was made on the shippers for a balance due on freight charges. One farmer at Monterey shipped 100 barrels of choice selected apples to Winona, Minn., and received for his consignment a remittance of $4.—Adrian Messenger.

Hillsdale Manufacturing Co. is the name of a new firm organized recently for the manufacture of patent screen windows, patent corn poppers, anti-jumping halters and Fredonia washers, the stockholders being J. S. Parker, Seth H. Smith, A. S. Smith and L. F. Cole, of this city, and L. J. Niblack, of Addison. The company organized with a capital of $25,000 and are already doing work in Parker's hall, on Broad street, with five men employed, with hopes of having twenty by April, as business pecks up. Five men are on the road in the interest of the company, and orders are coming in in a very encouraging way.—Hillsdale Standard.

On the strength of the item in last week's Gazette relative to A. H. Boles going to Cuba, he is receiving all sorts of missives from all over the country in regard to enlisting volunteers, and others are very desirous to go with him. If could organize two or three companies of men. It plainly shows the sentiment in regard to the Cuban cause. Mr. Boles answers them one and all that he can do nothing about enlisting men for Cuba until the government recognizes the belligerency of the Cubans. The law in regard to neutral nations in a war of the nature of the Cuban war is very strict. He tells them they must go as individuals and not as members of a military company and on their own expense. He expects, however, that congress will express itself and the way made clear for Americans to assist their brethren in their struggle for liberty.—Hudson Gazette.

The announcement of the wedding of Dr. H. D. Baker, of this city, to Miss Minnie Martin, of Nevada, Mo., which occurred at the home of the bride at noon Thursday last, comes as a pleasant though much looked for surprise to his many friends in this city. The wedding was attended only by the members of the family and a few intimate friends, and amid a profusion of flowers and happiness Rev. A. Rogers, of the Baptist church, performed the ceremony which forever closed the bachelor quarters of Dr. Baker, all of which he renounced without a seeming regret. The bride, whose fairness, it is said, can in part be accounted for from the fact that she comes of ancient Kentucky stock, has many friends in Nevada, where her womanly loveliness and accomplishments have made her a favorite in society, while the doctor, during his four years' residence in this city, has made for himself a legion of friends. They are now at home at 629 College street, and Springfield extends to the doctor and his bride a hearty welcome and congratulations.—Springfield (Mo.) Democrat. Friends of the bride about Tecumseh will be pleased to read the above notice.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Dec 23, 1896:
Enders & Young, Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington.
Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."
T. R. KYLE, P. M.

—A fine lot of goose and duck feathers for sale at L. D. Dewey's at 35 cents per pound. Come early before they are all gone.

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Clinton Column.

W. J. Green was up from Tecumseh Monday.

W. H Hunt visited Tecumseh Monday afternoon.

John Spafford, of Manchester, was in town Saturday afternoon.

Fred Breese, of Lansing, visited friends here over Sunday.

Frank Hogan came home from Chicago Friday for a short visit.

Clarence Lankton is building a house on his lot on Tyrrill street.

Mrs. E. R. Smith has been visiting friends at Mason since Monday.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Cooley made a business trip to Tecumseh Tuesday morning.

Miss Maud Ohlinger, of Manchester, visited Clinton friends the first of the week.

J. I. Tuttle, Jr., came home from Ann Arbor Saturday to spend his Christmas vacation.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kolkleisch, Sunday morning, December 20th, a daughter.

Henry Calhoun arrived home from Ann Arbor Tuesday night for his Christmas vacation.

E. F. Muir went to Detroit Wednesday to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Johnston.

Invitations are out for the leap year party to be held at the town hall next Friday evening, December 31st.

Miss Pauline Erlenbush arrived from Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon for a few days' visit with Clinton friends.

Next Friday being Christmas day the regular K. O. T. M. review will be held Monday evening December 28th.

Mrs. A. Voorhees, of Pontiac, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell, for the past few days.

The Episcopal society have a Christmas tree for the Sunday school Christmas eve, in the hall over Freese's store.

Ruth Calhoun entertained quite a number of her little friends at her home Saturday afternoon, it being her tenth birthday.

The marriage of George Wilson and Miss Kate Ellis took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, in Macon.

The new officers of Clinton chapter No. 45, R. A. M., were installed at a special meeting called for that purpose Tuesday evening.

The next meeting of the W. M. S. of the Congregational church will be held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Augusta Brooks.

Miss Laura Haggart, who is teaching at Buchanan, came home Saturday to spend her vacation of two weeks with her brother Dave and family.

Mr. John W. Grow, of Limerick P. O., Ohio, writes: "I have used Lightning Worm Killer and found it as recommended. It has given great satisfaction: want nothing better." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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UNABLE TO MAKE THE CHANGE.

Predicament of the Cashier of a Downtown Resort with His Cash Register.

There were three in one party and two in the other. They were standing before the white-aproned dispenser of refreshments, says a Chicago exchange, and one of the three invited the entire party to have something. The dispenser dealt out the order of the three, took the dollar offered in payment and handed back 35 cents in change. The other two, standing a short distance away, were not served, as there was a mistake on the part of the cashier. The bill amounted to less than a quarter according to the refreshments served the three. The host examined his coin and then looked surprised and grieved.

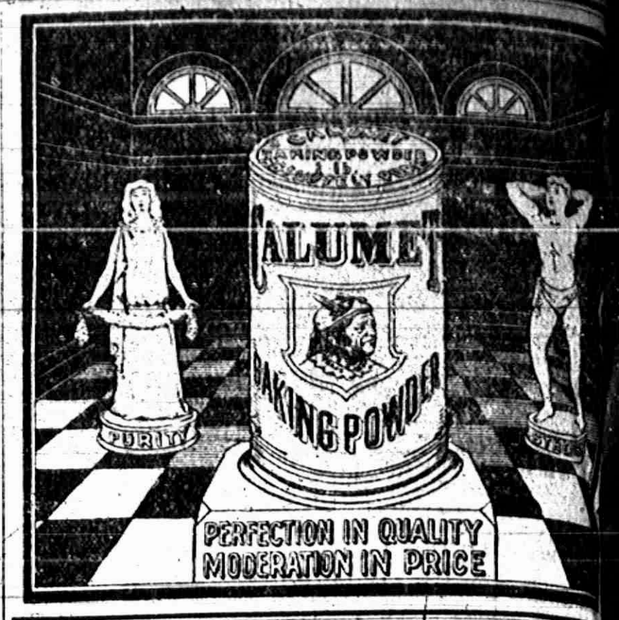
"I gave you a dollar, he said.

"Was it a dollar? How much change did I give you?"

"Thirty-five cents."

"Well, I will have to wait until somebody buys. I don't dare open the register, as there is a false balance on it. Every time I open it it means a purchase charged to me. Sorry, but we will have to wait."

The man to whom the change was coming stood by and waited until the cash purchase was made before he could get his money. He was the only one in the party who did not enjoy the situation. He remarked, gloomily, that he never had much use for cash registers, anyway.



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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Burt Allen is quite sick.

editor made a business trip to Monday.

Wood made a business trip to last Friday.

er Westerman of Adrian, was village, on business, Monday.

D. VanNocker was here Friday urday hustling out shipments of

Caswell has been filling vacancy in Mr. Blakley's store during sley's illness.

nd Mrs. O. B. Lenardson and lit- ty visited relatives at Sylvania, om Sunday until Monday.

lie Allen, after a two weeks' visit er brothers Frank and Vern, at o, returned home Saturday and a very pleasant time.

Gorham, George Clark and Goodrich visited Detroit Tues- this is a jolly party—editor, tel- perator and car inspector.

Tarwilliger, of Detroit, A and Charlie Swick, of Milan, ests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Len- and family from Saturday until

Sunday, December 27th, special ings will begin to continue during eek of prayer at the Reformed h. The services of the singing ellist, F. Forwarda have been se by the pastor. A cordial invita- extended to all to attend these

HOLLOWAY.

les Gobbe is dangerously ill.

a Britton and Belle Rupp, of were callers in town Saturday.

any friends of Mrs. A J. Kelley sorry to learn of her recent ill

a Schuler, of Brantford, Can., uest of Esther Fish Monday and y.

k Stead, of Ann Arbor Universi- perding the holiday vacation s parents.

a number of the young friends lie Kishpaugh gave him sur- onday evening.

Hoxie, of Tra[illegible]y, is g for an indefinite [illegible]h his Mrs. Jane Kelly.

ame of the treasurer [illegible] C. ty, a given last week, should en Elmer Riley.

aines left Tuesday for Tonesee where he will engage in the s of selling Kitchen Cabinets.

ay evening, Dec. 27, Rev. W. K. r, of Adrian, will deliver the a series of lectures, to be given First Presbyterian church of subject: "Cardinal Doctrines of sbyterian church.

19, at the regular meeting of the M. the following officers were for the ensuing year:

Com.—Mrs. Adelia L. McIntyre.
Mrs. Esther E. Kishpaugh.
in.—Mrs. Eva M. Florance.
d Keeper—Esther H. Fish.
ce Keeper—Abbie E. Ray.
ain—Mary Chatfield.
nt—Viola E. Wildey.
s at Arms—Lottie E. Coffin.
el Ellen Pardee.
—Lenora Loper.
nner Bearer[illegible]

[illegible] Appointees

fficers of Raisin Grange No. 314, ensuing year, were elected:

—S. S. Mundy.
er—Willis Chatfield.
er—Mrs. Horace Holdridge.
d—Stanley E. Doty.
teward—Edward Kaynor.
in—J. H. Billmeyer.
—George Holloway.
Horace Holdridge.
keeper—Samuel Kerr.
Mrs. J. Kraft.
— Mrs. Frank Bowerman.
Miss Grace Kaynor.
ast. Steward—Mrs. Edward (Kaynor.

PENTECOST.

Mo[illegible]t and sleighing! What more ng people ask.

people of Wolf[illegible] are con- the project of building a Have not heard what denomi- are concerned in the matter.

friends and constituents of the M. Camburn have given several parties in honor of that gentle- o is soon to leave for Lansing.

Widow of Luther Rexford, who is elderly lady, fell down cellar day, breaking one of her legs ow the knee. The lady has suf- broken arm twice in the last few Much sympathy is felt for her.

Farmers' Club at M. E. Case's urday was simply fine. There eport from the delegates to the sociation of Farmers' Clubs at g, and the discussion following very interesting, especially that to the "good roads" question. be hoped that farmers will keep weather eye" on the legislature latter, and not let the bicycle run away with the little cash ing in these hard times. The ood bill, including the making us butter, sheds attention from s also, and appeared to be the of nearly all present that Ad- s the poorest butter market in- had nearly said, the world. The eeting will be on the second ay in January, at the home of ridd, in Franklin.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets stimulate liver kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

MACON.

The Maccabees had a wood bee for Charles Morgan Monday.

B. S. Scudder made a business trip to Toledo last week Thursday.

Macon was well represented at the show in Tecumseh Friday night.

John Buck and wife, of Saline, visited Isaac Gahoung and family Friday and Saturday.

The jury disagreed in the Jacobus vs. Daniels law suit, which was held in Adrian last week.

John Jackson and Parker Allen attended the G. A. R. meeting, in Tecumseh Monday night.

Wm. Grootenhuis, of Tecumseh, was in the village the first of the week, taking orders for fruit trees.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a mid-day meeting at the home of Mrs. William Randall, Saturday afternoon of this week.

Carey Clymer, wife and daughter, who have been visiting Leslie friends for a number of weeks, returned home Friday.

The revival meetings, which were to begin last Monday night, have been postponed on account of the illness of Rev. Davis Lewis.

A meeting of the Macon cemetery association was held at the Macon school building Thursday evening December 17th, at which time the following trustees were elected:—

For one year—Edwin Howell, Calvin Davenport, Wm. Morgan.

For two years—Granville Mills, W. S. Morden, C. L. Morgan.

For three years—Wm. Richart, John C. Mills, Allen Collins.

The meeting was adjourned to Monday evening December 21st, when the following executive officers were elected:

President—John C. Mills.
Secretary—W. S. Morden.
Treasurer and Sexton—Allen Collins.

Mr. Collins lives on the farm north of the cemetery where people desirous of purchasing lots can conveniently find all necessary plats, etc. All persons indebted to the association are requested to pay the cash to the treasurer as soon as possible.

ONSTED.

A cantata will be held here Christmas eve.

Fred Desermie is at the county seat, courting.

Lon Peters, of Franklin, was in town Saturday.

Another car of hogs was shipped from this station Satuaday.

Skinner & White are in the market buying and baling hay.

Dora Howard is learning the dressmaking trade of Mrs. Hallott.

The people in this locality are enjoying the present fine sleighing.

The perfume of orange blossoms are wafted from toward Springville.

George Kishpaugh, of Raisin, called on relatives in this vicinity last week.

The new church has been plastered and the interior is nearing completion.

A public dance will be given by Alf. Onsted in the new hall on New Year's eve.

Will Muck and John Kane are displaying some very nice holiday goods at their stores.

We wish the Herald force and its subscribers all a very merry Chrsitmas and success in the future.

A. R. Bell has moved from Addison and will do repairing of watches and clocks at his window in the hardware store.

A. Howard, who resides south of town, has greatly improved the looks of his house this fall, both on the interior and exterior.

Harry Maxwell says he wishes that some young lady would hurry up and pop the question as leap year is almost gone and he dare not do such a thing. He can be found at the grocery store near the creek.

The following officers of the Masonic lodge have been elected for 1897:—

W. M.—G. W. Ross.
S. W.—G. B. Hines.
J. W.—G. R. Kilbery.
Treas.—J. O. Maxwell.
Sec'y—E. H. Kerr.
S. D.—F. W. Darling
J. D.—H. E. Short.
Stewards—J. F. Hallett, C. A. Desermie.
Tyler—B. R. Marlette.

"I burned my fingers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it." Amelia Swords, Saundersville, O.

CONE.

Edith Ray is home from Toledo for a few days this week.

Michael St. George is very sick. His recovery is doubtful.

Myron Ray was a Toledo visitor last Friday and Saturday.

George Packard, of Dundee, was calling on friends here last Sunday.

Quite a number attended the boxing contest at Milan Saturday night.

Rosa Logan visited her uncle's family at Lake Ridge Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Auton and wife visited friends at Auburndale the first of the week.

James Kinch, of Britton, is spending a few days with friends here this week.

Baukman Auton returned to Ashley last Saturday, after a few weeks' stay with friends in this vicinity.

Consumption is the natural result of a neglected cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, bronchitis, asthma, and lung troubles of all sorts down to the very borderland of consumption.

HE QUITS.

Grand Recorder Wilson, of the A. O. U. W., Tenders His Resignation.

Detroit, Dec. 17.—The announcement, first made Wednesday afternoon, of the resignation of W. Warne Wilson, for more than a dozen years recorder of the grand lodge of Michigan, Ancient Order of United Workmen, caused something of a sensation in fraternal circles, and especially among the members of the order, of whom there are several thousands in this city, and some 23,000 in the state. The letter of resignation, addressed to Grand Master Workman Theodore E. Bissell, of West Bay City, was laid before the trustees of the grand lodge at their meeting in this city Tuesday. It was first laid on the table and a strenuous but vain effort made to induce Mr. Wilson to withdraw it. It was then accepted, to take effect December 31, and George Latcham becomes grand recorder temporarily.

He has been an urgent advocate of the abolition of the level-rate insurance system in the order, and the substitution therefor of a rate of monthly assessment based on the ages of members. Each member pays one dollar on each assessment for deaths, no matter whether he is 25 or 60 years old. This system, Mr. Wilson held to be unsound, and because the Michigan grand lodge has, so far, refused to change it, he resigned his $2,500 a year position.

Mr. Wilson will become supreme commander of the Columbian league, a fraternal insurance society at the preliminary organization of which he presided October 12 last, and which is expected to open up for business January 1.

COL. ALDRICH HONORED.

Banquet Given Him on Retiring from His Editorial Position.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 18.—The Hesperus club, of this city, gave a banquet at the Morton house Thursday night, as a compliment to Col. M. A. Aldrich, who recently retired from the managing editor's chair of the Democrat, after filling the position for nearly six years. Nearly 100 members and guests were present, the latter including gentlemen from Detroit and other Michigan cities. The banquet was followed by a programme of toasts, with responses, with General Manager Shelby, of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, as toastmaster. Ex-Congressman Cutcheon spoke of "Our Club," William M. Hathaway for the "Newspaper Men," F. O. Paige, of Detroit, for the "Insurance Men," and ex-Judge Champlin, of the Michigan supreme court, paid an eloquent tribute to the guest of honor. A letter of regret was read from President Angell, of the Michigan university, who was formerly associated with Col. Aldrich in newspaper work in the east.

Will Soon Start Up.

Ishpeming, Dec. 17.—Superintendent Davidson, of the Commonwealth Iron company, and F. B. Miller, representing Cleveland capital, finished their inspection of the Bessie mine at Humboldt, and the sale, pending for a month, will be closed. Davidson and Miller have put five men to work keeping water out of the workings and announced that mining operations would be resumed after the first of the year with 200 men. The Bessie has been idle three years.

Gets a Young Wife.

Niles, Dec. 19.—George H. Pregner, a wealthy farmer, living near Three Oaks, advertised for a wife in a Chicago matrimonial journal. He agreed to give the young woman who would become his wife a 200-acre farm and $5,000 in cash. Friday morning Pregner was united in marriage to Miss Edith Van Horn of Kindred, Minn. Miss Van Horn is 21 years of age, while Pregner is hale and hearty at 72, and has the record of having divorced three wives.

Strangled Herself.

Detroit, Dec. 17.—Rosa Manick, aged 29, a domestic formerly employed by S. Dow Elwood, committed suicide at the home of a friend with whom she was living. The girl's body was found crowded into a corner behind a door with a piece of clothes line about her neck. She had fastened the rope on the hinge of the door and deliberately strangled herself. Despondency brought on by lack of work brought on the deed.

Shows Ninety Per Cent Pure Ore.

Lansing, Dec. 19.—Specimens of the iron ore which was found near Pokagon and sent away for examination have been returned with the information that the quartz contains 90 per cent. pure ore. It is believed a vein exists in this vicinity where the specimens were found, and in consequence farm land near by has increased considerably in value.

Council Declares a Boycott.

Muskegon, Dec. 18.—The city council adopted a resolution boycotting those fighting what are known as 1894 taxes, litigation of which is now pending. The resolution recites that such persons are not entitled to the usual city benefits and protection, and must not be patronized by city purchasing agents.

Want the Dingley Bill Passed.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Senater Burrows, of Michigan, laid before the senate Tuesday a petition from citizens of Kalamazoo, St. Johns and Coldwater, Mich., asking for the passage of the Dingley tariff bill.

Old Citizen Gone.

Grass Lake, Dec. 17.—Hiram Fisk, aged 92, died at his home in Francisco, four miles east of this place, of paralysis. He has been a landmark in this locality, having located here in 1832.

Caused by Slow Collections.

Saginaw, Dec. 17.—C. M. Norris, for 30 years leading music dealer in this city, filed chattel mortgages for $4,480. Slow collections.

His Wife Was Dead.

Fowlerville, Dec. 17.—Henry Yeat attended a Grand Army meeting. On his return home he found his wife lying across the bed dead. Heart disease.

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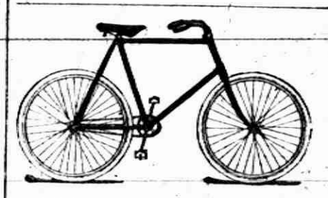

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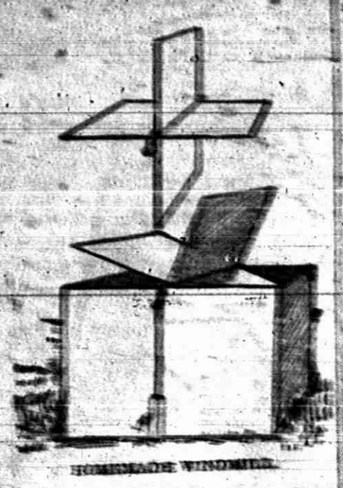

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THE COLOR OF CORN.

Breeding Varieties Adapted to Them.

Upon the much-discussed question of whether there is a material difference in the feeding value of yellow and white corn, Prof. C. H. Monrow writes the Metropolitan and Iowa Homestead as follows: "Experiments upon the value of corn. There are minor differences in the composition of different varieties and considerable differences in the structure of the kernels as to hardness. In my observation, yellow varieties are more frequently hard than white ones, but some of the white varieties have very hard kernels. While I can give no reason for the fact, it is true that of hundreds of varieties tested at different experiment stations the average yield of the white has been somewhat larger than that of the yellow. Probably a majority of the farmers believe that the white varieties have not as much value as the yellow. I have often heard the expression that the yellow corn is more fattening." My own view is that neither yield nor composition depends on the color of the kernels, that some varieties are much better in yield and slightly better in quality of one color, and some of the other."

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

Unless a careful selection of corn is made each year, it will tend to "run out."

A poor farm can be taught much cheaper than a rich one, and by proper rotation the poor farm can soon "be made rich."

There should be regular hours for work on the farm. The many farmers break down their health by exposure and overwork.

A hedge plants some eminent agriculturist thoughts why pumpkins and watermelons should always grow crooked with the stem

Farmers cannot afford to experiment enough on a small scale. [illegible] of the experiments stations is necessary, extend to experiments.

Shall machinery that becomes clogged with dirt on the bearings, and the stretch, says a writer, be plunged in lubricating oil and left to stand [illegible] immediately. Afterwards wipe dry.

An exchange says: The model farmer is always on the lookout for improved farming implements and has always a ready and convenient place to house them. Many farmers [illegible] Barrel Pump Spray Mills.

Ways That Mark Labor Shortness.

Planning is determined, but the [illegible] are not, and all sorts of [illegible] in their way. Not to the last, and [illegible] of [illegible] are spoiled [illegible] An exchange says: "A farmer who has not [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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A FATAL FOUNDA

Sunday Evening Services Near Manchester, Ohio.

Church Crowded, Many Seats Broken and Floor Gives Way—Fifteen Persons Killed and Two Injured.

Manchester, Ohio, Dec. 28.—One of the most disastrous storms in the history of southern Ohio suppressed in miles south of here occurred Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock. In which fifteen persons were killed outright and two others injured, one of whom will die. The ill-fated train was a Louisville & Nashville train which left here at 5:30 p. m. for Rockford, a distance of 40 miles. The train left here at 6:30 p. m. in charge of Conductor Frank White and Engineer [illegible]. Just before the entire train, made up of an engine, baggage and two passenger coaches, crashed through a bridge 700 feet long and 120 feet high into the Dakota river.

Wreck Takes Fire.

It is the belief that the wreck was caused by fiends for the purpose of robbery. A mail had been removed from the train, and when the engine struck this 600 feet of the bridge gave way and went down with the train. Immediately the wreck took fire, the water being only about three feet deep, and before sufficient help could be secured the unfortunate passengers and trainmen who were pinioned under the debris were burned to death in sight of other unfortunate victims of the disaster. Some of the passengers not so badly hurt managed to crawl out and do all they could in assisting the others, but with little avail. The dead are:

The Victims.

Frank White, engineer, of Birmingham; George Carney, fireman, of Birmingham; J. P. Connell, conductor, of Birmingham; Tom Streeter, colored porter, of Birmingham; Jordan Powell, wife and eight children, of Bloxton; Mrs. Henry Hanberry and two children, of Birmingham; James Bottle, express messenger, of Guthrie, Ky.; L. W. Martin, of Brookwood; Bruce Phillips, of Bloxton; S. W. Tibbs and wife, of Campbellsburg; Andrew Bryson, of Bloxton; George Glendall, Helena; four others unidentified.

The injured are: Ed Echols, slightly; Henry Hanberry, the brakeman; Powell child, feet badly burned; Mrs. Walker, of Bloxton, internally, will die; Mrs. Walker's three children, slightly; Miss Bigsby, Bloxton, internally, will die; Stan Stewart, arm broken.

Relief Promptly Sent.

As soon as the news was received here here the Louisville & Nashville and Southern railways sent out relief trains loaded with physicians and others, and everything possible was done for those who had been fortunate enough to get away from the reach of the flames which quickly consumed all of the coaches and a part of the bridge. Many of the dead were charred completely beyond recognition. The exact number who perished will never be known, but it is believed it will reach 35. The train contained men, women and children living at the mines who had gone to Birmingham to spend Christmas and were returning home.

Robbed Dead and Wounded.

Dr. Huy, a Bloxton physician, who attended Gardner, one of the survivors, telegraphs the statement made by Gardner as to the cause of the wreck. Gardner says when he felt the cars leave the track he looked out and saw three savage-looking men rushing from a hiding place down toward the water's edge, and that after the wreck they went through the wreckage, robbing the dead and wounded, and then fled to the woods. They did their work quickly, and offered no assistance whatever in the way of rescuing the imprisoned and injured passengers. This story, however, has not yet been corroborated, but other facts tend to show that it was the work of train wreckers.

Jealousy Cost Two Lives.

Huron, S. D., Dec. 30.—Edward Rosa, who made his home with his brother, Cale Rosa, a ranchman near Forest City, shot and killed his sweetheart, Miss Mary Brehl, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Stewart, in Forest City. After killing the girl Rosa blew out his own brains. They had been to a dance Christmas. Rosa believed he was not given proper attention by the girl.

Mrs. Beecher Breaks Her Hip.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 29.—At Stamford, Conn., Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, who had been recovering from her recent accident, was seized with a fit of dizziness when rising from her bed and fell to the floor, breaking her hip. She may be forced to use crutches for the rest of her life. She is 84 years old.

Death of Gen. Read.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 28. — Gen. John Meredith Read, of this city, the well-known diplomatist, died in Paris, aged 69 years. He was the first United States consul general for France and Algeria in 1869-73, and in November, 1873, was appointed United States minister resident in Greece.

Razor Cuts Her Throat.

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—A special to the Press from Delaware, O., says Lulu Stults, aged 20, in a fit of anger after reproof from her parents cut her throat from ear to ear with a razor, dying instantly. Her parents are wealthy.

Spanish Steamer Lost.

Santander, Dec. 30. — The Spanish steamer Carranza, Capt. Martinez, has foundered in the Bay of Biscay off this port. She carried a crew of 29 men, 26 of whom were drowned and two succeeded in saving themselves.

HOLMES GETS A NEW TRIAL

Supreme Court Reverses Decision of Lower Court.

Holmes Was Convicted of Murder in the First Degree and Sentenced to Imprisonment for Life.

Lansing, Dec. 29.—The supreme court has reversed the decision of the lower court in the case of Holmes, convicted of murder in the first degree and now serving a life sentence at Jackson prison, and granted a new trial by the appellate court. This is one of the most notable murder cases ever tried in Michigan. The prisoner was a young man of some respectability, though of dissipated habits. He was skilled in figures, and for some time had been in the employ of Melgrave, Allen & Johnson, grand rapids, as bookkeeper and collector. While in this position he became involved in a quarrel with one Johnson, a grand Rapids. One day Johnson put his cold hands down the neck of Holmes. The latter exasperated struck him. A quarrel in which Holmes was badly punished, ensued. He went upstairs, procured his revolver and shot Johnson on the spot. The fatal shot [illegible] Holmes was convicted and found guilty of murder in the first degree or sequel, a defense of temporary insanity having been made. The supreme court holds that this was error, as there was a question whether Holmes might not have been guilty of manslaughter.

SLAIN BY ROBBERS.

An Aged Michigan Farmer Murdered in His Home.

Millington, Dec. 25.—James Brown, aged 80, a farmer living two miles west of this place, was fatally shot by robbers Wednesday night. At eight o'clock Mr. Brown was called to the door by two men. They asked for a drink of water and followed the old man into the house and began quarreling with him, one of them finally shooting him in the left side. Brown was then bound and chloroformed. The house was ransacked, but no money found. A son who reached the house before the robbers left was fired at and then the desperadoes made their escape. Mr. Brown died Thursday afternoon from his wounds.

PARDONED.

Gov. Rich Makes Christmas Merry for Two Convicts.

Lansing, Dec. 26. — Two young men were released from Jackson prison Christmas morning through the exercise of executive clemency on the part of Gov. Rich. They are Norville J. Hawkins, of Detroit, and Eugene Kirby, of Marshall, both of whom were guilty of embezzlement. Hawkins was an employe of the Standard Oil company and embezzled about $3,500. He was sentenced in 1895 to three years' imprisonment. Young Kirby was connected with a bank at Marshall. He speculated in wheat options and borrowed the money from the bank's funds. He was sentenced in 1892 to ten years' imprisonment.

FREE TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Bell Company, at Ishpeming, Bids for New Subscribers.

Ishpeming, Dec. 30.—The Bell Telephone company, which formerly had a list of nearly 500 subscribers in Ishpeming and Negaunee, has now only 93, while the new company—the Citizens'—has 600 subscribers in the two towns. The usefulness of the Bell was so impaired that the rest of the subscribers threatened to quit. Tuesday the Bell company published a notice that it would give new subscribers in the two towns free telephone service for one year, from January 1, and charge nothing for putting telephones in houses and stores.

Fire in Detroit.

Detroit, Dec. 27.—Fire Saturday night in the retail hardware store of D. S. Phelps, 174 Woodward avenue, did damage estimated at $10,000. The stock was insured for $25,000. McAuley Brothers' book store, adjoining, was damaged several thousand dollars by smoke and water. The Muir Rahaul company, 176 Woodward avenue, also sustained considerable loss to the stock of laces and ladies' fine wear by smoke and water. In both instances insurance will cover the damage.

Surety Law Constitutional.

Lansing, Dec. 29.—The supreme court on Monday held constitutional the act of the last legislature permitting corporations to become sureties on bonds required by the laws of Michigan and directed that the bond of State Treasurer-elect Steel, with the Fidelity and Deposit company of Baltimore as surety, be approved.

Sues Her Husband's Alleged Charmer.

Bay City, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Harriet Fehrenbach has begun an attachment suit against Mrs. Naomi Warner, of Chicago, formerly of this city, for $5,000 damages. She charges Mrs. Warner with having alienated the affections of her husband. Fehrenbach was a contractor in Bay City. Deserting his family he went to Chicago.

Destitution Prevails.

Petoskey, Dec. 28.—Severe destitution prevails in the country and small villages of this county. School authorities cannot collect or borrow money and teachers can get no pay but district orders, and these are not accepted in the cities as of any value.

What Mean Promotion.

Ishpeming, Dec. 28.—A strong delegation of the leading grocers and manufacturers of Lake Superior iron mines will go to Washington to present arguments for an increase of duty on iron ore at the hearing before the ways and means committee January 6.

Will be presented to the [illegible]

Governor Pingree has [illegible] of $25 to the university [illegible] shall point out the [illegible] dead or impossible, [illegible] gan statutes.

The Portland Manufacturing [illegible] pany paid a 50 per cent dividend [illegible] August, and stockholders are to get another 25 per cent. January 5. The company makes washing machines.

SAD OUTLOOK.

Michigan Railroads Must Have Money Reductions or Abandon Tracks.

Lansing, Dec. 26.—Railroad Commissioner Billings says that he took into account all passes, mileage and excursion tickets, when he figured on the average passenger charge per mile on Michigan railroads at 2.39 cents. Speaking of the fact that New York railways are taxed on an average of $676.87 per mile and railroads in this state only $97.25, Mr. Billings says that Michigan railroads only earn $3,901.81, but those of New York $13,196.40. "I am in favor of the railroads paying their just share of the taxes," said Mr. Billings, "but I predict that, unless business picks up wonderfully, at least 1,000 miles of railroad tracks will be abandoned next year."

FAVORS STOCKHOLDERS.

Supreme Court Reverses an Important Decision.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 28.—The decision of the supreme court in the case of the Staver & Abbott Manufacturing company, of Chicago, against Mrs. Catherine Blake and others, defining limited partnerships and holding the defendants, as limited copartners, not responsible for the debts of the concern, has a direct bearing on the cases against the stockholders in the Michigan Mortgage company, which failed a few years ago with liabilities of several hundred thousand dollars. The decision relieves the stockholders of further responsibility than their stockholding.

A Woman Missing.

Saginaw, Dec. 29.—Much excitement is occasioned here at the mysterious disappearance of Miss Anna Danner, of Buffalo, N. Y. She had recently returned from Europe with Mrs. Ines Hanley, whom she had accompanied as a companion and guardian and in whose service she has been for nine years. Miss Danner left the home of Alfred Newton, at 11 o'clock Thursday morning, since which time nothing has been heard of her. Her mother and friends at Buffalo are frantic over the news of her disappearance. Miss Danner is about 35 years old.

Most Part of the Town Burned.

Portland, Dec. 25.—Fire Thursday morning destroyed a large part of the business portion of Eagle, a village on the Detroit, Lansing & Northern road in the southwest corner of Clinton county. The fire started in McCrumb's hardware store and spread to several adjoining buildings, which included Eddy Brothers' store, general merchandise, the Bell telephone and the Western Union offices. Loss on McCrumb's store, $2,000. The total loss is estimated at $10,000.

A New Counterfeit.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 28. — Chief Hazen, of the secret service, has issued a circular warning against a new counterfeit ten-dollar national bank note on the Union national bank of Detroit, Mich. The note is the product of the same hand that produced the [illegible] counterfeit on the National Bank of Commerce of New York. One distinguishing feature is that the back of the note is upside down.

Vote to Issue Bonds.

Niles, Dec. 28.—By voting on [illegible] to bond the city for $30,000 the citizens of Niles solved the important financial problem. The vote was 314 to 2[illegible] many weeks a defeat has been [illegible] the city officials there not [illegible] enough money to pay running expenses. It is believed the $30,000 issue of bonds will get rid of all complications.

Lumber Cargo Burned.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Piers are [illegible] about 90 to 95 men [illegible] Calumet river. Ore, [illegible] Saginaw river, [illegible] another fresh fire [illegible] is said that 60 [illegible] put in the lower [illegible] a few years ago the [illegible] with lumber.

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Clinton Column.

Roy Wood was home from Detroit to spend Christmas.

M. A. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Saturday.

Peter Kishpaugh went to Dundee Tuesday for a two days' visit.

Mrs. Thomas Kirk is quite ill at the home of her sister, near Iron Creek.

Miss Lina Jones visited her parents in Manchester, between trains Tuesday.

H. G Shetrell visited his parents at Battle Creek from Friday until Monday.

Miss Mamie Mingus has been visiting friends at Manchester since last Thursday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox has been spending his vacation with his parents at Addison.

Ralph Kishpaugh has been spending Christmas week with his parents at Britton.

W. W. Hess arrived home from Tennessee Thursday of last week for a few days' visit.

Miss Lizzie Brewster presented her sister Celia with a Hummer bicycle for a Christmas gift.

Mrs. M. B. Haywood and son Waite came over from Ann Arbor Tuesday to visit for a few days.

Mrs. F. L. Woodward and Donna, of Hudson, have been visiting Clinton friends since Saturday.

Miss Jennie Goodrich, of Deerfield, has been the guest of Mrs. W. H. Katnea since last Thursday.

E. W. Shoemaker, of Chicago, has been visiting his wife at E. Van De-Mark's for the past few days.

Mrs. Robert Bauer and daughter Zoe, of Hudson, have been visiting Clinton friends for the past few days.

Miss Eva Shinman, who had been visiting her sister at Jonesville since Friday last, returned home Monday.

The remains of Mrs. Miller, mother of J. E. Woodward, will be brought here from Jackson Thursday afternoon for burial.

The home of Rev. W. C. Stevenson was made happy Saturday morning by the advent of a little daughter. Weight ten pounds.

James Priest and wife, of Toledo, have been visiting his mother and sister since last Thursday and expect to remain until after New Year's.

Mrs. Susie Moore returned to her home at Palmyra Wednesday, after a three weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Willoughby Nase.

Frank Hogan arrived from Chicago just in time to eat Christmas dinner at his old home, and started on his return Sunday, driving to Adrian to take the train.

Little Clyde, the seven year old son of Robert Redick, died Tuesday morning, after a short illness of typhoid fever. The funeral will be held Thursday at 1:30 p. m., at the M. E church.

Charles H. Fisk and family came over from Detroit last Thursday night to spend Christmas. Charles returned home Saturday but his wife and daughter will remain until after New Year's.

At the meeting of the Col A. T. Bliss tent, K. O. T. M., Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Com.—Edwin R. Vest.
Lieut. Com.—Henry C. Hollenbeck.
R. K.—Albert D. Jones.
F. K.—Orian L. Stitt.
Chaplain—Charles O. Wiltse.
Physician.—George Blatchford.
M. A.—Louis K. Davis.
Sergent—Leman Bailey.
1st M. G.—Wm. H. Phillips.
2nd M. G.—Munson R. King.
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WHERE NOAH GOT HIS PITCH.

Natural Spring Which Enabled Him to Make the Ark Water Tight.

An English explorer has recently reached Hit, in Syria, the locality in which Noah dwelt. Here he found a remarkable group of bitumen springs, says the New York Journal.

From these springs, he says, it is probable that Noah obtained his supply of material to "pitch it within and without." In a basin, undoubtedly of volcanic origin, a spring of warm water bubbles up, and with the water comes the bitumen or pitch, in a plastic form, of the consistency of rather moist putty; and the Arabs gather it by simply scraping it off the surface of the water with their bare hands and pressing it into panniers carried by patient little donkeys, who then struggle up the rocky sides of the basin and take the material off to the boat-building yards, where it is used for covering the boats and gouphas, after undergoing a certain refining process.

The bitumen is continually rising, but owing to the formation of the basin into which it rises with the stream very little of it can escape, and it remains floating on the surface of the water till taken off by the Arabs. The water itself tastes slightly of sulphur, is quite warm and apparently charged with some mineral which it deposits in its rocky bed as it flows away (through channels and crevices which the bitumen cannot pass) from the basin, coating it with a lovely lilac color, which further down the stream becomes a "peacock" blue.

MAGNANIMOUS WILLIAM.

He Did Not Take Revenge for an Insult.

Louis XII. was of the opinion that it was unworthy of the king of France to revenge himself for the insults he suffered as prince royal. Emperor William of Germany is of like opinion, says the New York T[illegible].

Baron de Krosik, who has just been appointed a grand cross of the Red Eagle order, was formerly colonel of the hussar regiment in which the emperor as a youth first did military service. One night at mess, toward the close of a banquet at which the young prince, then a mere captain, had invited his friend, Archduke Rudolph, the conversation turned to the projected reforms in the cavalry.

William declared himself a partisan of these reforms and defended his opinion with so much impetuosity that Col. von Krosik, very much excited, suddenly interrupted him. "It is an absurdity," said he in a loud voice and contemptuous tone as he ridiculed the idea put forth by the prince.

"It is well," replied the prince. "Today you are my superior officer, and I must bow before you, but our positions may change."

When his former subordinate ascended the throne Baron von Krosik fully expected to see his name put on the retired list. But the emperior appointed him a general, gave him the important directorship of the School of Cavalry, of Hanover, and has ever treated him with the greatest respect.

DISTRIBUTING NATURAL GAS.

Sent Long Distances Through Pipes by Means of Air Pressure.

The transmission or conveyance of gas under pressure to long distances, which was an unsolved problem some 20 years ago, is now a fixed fact, represented by the present use of about 75,000,000 feet of pipe used in the distribution of natural gas. On the first discovery of this article, says the Philadelphia Bulletin, the pressure at the well was sufficient to drive it through the pipes almost as far as desired, but this pressure declining some additional methods were necessitated, the well-known air compressor being resorted to to pump the gas; and, as showing its efficiency, there are at Greenland, in Indiana, gas wells which have long carried supplies to Chicago. There are two eight-inch pipe lines used, the gas being pumped a distance of about 160 miles. There is at Redky, Ind., a pumping station of this character that supplies the towns of Springfield, Tiffin, Liman, Dayton, Piqua and other places in the western part of Ohio. Near Pittsburgh there is a gas plant which pumps 20,000,000 cubic feet every 24 hours for use in mills, the pumping of this being without the least difficulty; and the Philadelphia company pumps many millions of cubic feet a day. There are New England air compressors that are pumping every day, at various stations in the United States, the enormous quantity of nearly 100,000,000 cubic feet.

IS ONLY FIVE BLOCKS LONG.

Trolley Line in Chicago Which Operates But One Car.

To the average Chicagoan a trolley line unconsciously suggests great distances. His city is so big. It will surprise many, therefore, to learn that a line actually in operation in the business district, the rolling stock of which runs a trifle less than five blocks.

This line, says the Chronicle, operates on Clark street and simply runs from Washington to Illinois street. Its rolling stock consists of one car, and its operatives include one conductor and one motorman. It is run for the special benefit of South Water street merchants who live on the north side, but is safe to say not one of these men in a thousand know that such is the case. As for the general public not one person in the thousand know of its existence. Incidentally, too, the line is operated to retain the franchise.

"We give transfers to the cable line going north," said the conductor when asked for information, "but we don't transfer to any other cars."

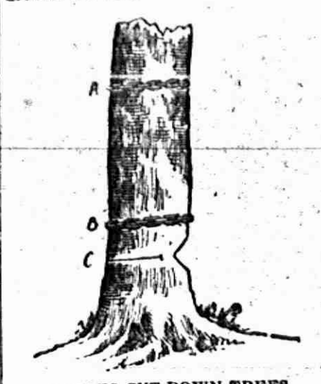
"Have you many passengers each day?"

"Yes; we're crowded," he said, with a laugh. "Sometimes I get one—then again another."

WORTH REMEMBERING.

How to Cut Down Large Trees and Leaning Timber.

In cutting down large trees for sawlogs, or trees that do not stand straight, those that lean badly are sure to split and spoil some of the butt logs. If the farmer will put a good stout cable chain around the body of the tree, as shown



HOW TO CUT DOWN TREES.

in the cut, he will not have any trees split up, as they are sure to do without. At A is the place to put the chain around tree, and hook. Now slip chain down to B, or within four to six inches of row marked C. If chain is not tight, drive in some wooden wedges until it is tight.

I have cut leaning trees in this way without splitting them, where the top of tree was within 30 feet of the ground, 75 feet from the stump. I saw a large white oak tree last winter that was cut for sawlogs, sound as could be, measuring four feet across stump, which was split nearly in center for over 20 feet, and spoiled the two butt sawlogs, or nearly one-half of the lumber in said tree. If I had seen the parties when they were cutting the tree, I could have saved all the lumber in the way above described.—J. T. Smith, in Ohio Farmer.

Returning to San Francisco.

Washington, Dec. 23.—A dispatch to the navy department from San Francisco announced that the cruiser Adams, guardship at Honolulu, had left that port Dec. 12 on being relieved by the Alert and was expected to reach San Francisco about Jan. 1.

Recognized by the President.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The president has finally determined to recognize the new greater republic of Central America and at three o'clock received Minister Rodriguez, who has been in Washington the past three weeks.

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The largest tree in the United States is in Tulare County, California. It is 275 fee high and 100 feet in diameter at the base.

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A Warren County (Ind.,) man thinks he has a fortune in a calf that has two heads and no tail.

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and I now feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1.00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

Young fruit trees must have good care to grow well.

That Catarrh is a Local Affection

Of the nasal passages, is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompetent parties, that catarrh is a blood affection. Ely's Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicants and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane, it restores it to its healthy condition.

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Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sszes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

Thick planting of trees is as much against production, as is crowding of plants in the garden.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He failed to use Foley's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. Orr & Temple.

The latest from Spain is to the effect that they have 10,000,000 sheep and 30,000 shepherd dogs.

No need to fear the approach of croup if you have Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house. Never was a case that it wouldn't cure if used at the outset.

Foley's Honey and Tar

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Is there anything worse than the masculine busybody who meddles in your affairs under the guise of friendship?

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A toad in the possession of Harry Henderson of Pittsburg, Pa., was found in a snug little hole under 17 feet of hard pan at Tacoma, Wash.

YES, 'tis true; Foley's Honey and Tar is the best Cough Medicine. Orr & Temple.

How much like a prison is the enclosed smoking car, with its seats running lengthwise and its barred windows that add to the gruesome effect.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Address with 21 cents in one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and get a free copy of the "People's Common Sense Medical Adviser."

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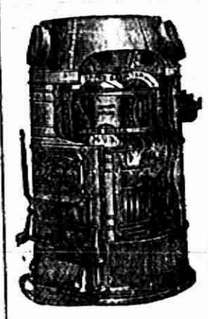

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Funeral—Wedding—Birth—Interesting Meetings.

Bert and George Allen were in Toledo Tuesday.

Peter Klshpaugh, of Clinton, visited here last Saturday.

John Britton and son Will made a visit to Detroit Monday.

Chas Zeluff and family spent Christmas with friends in Ypsilanti.

Mike Bachman and wife went to Toledo Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Fred Easterly, of Milan, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lenardson.

Bert Gillen, of Tecumseh, visited his aunt, Mrs. Mary Zibble, a portion of the week.

John Bachman came up from Toledo and spent Christmas with Britton relatives.

Mrs. Burt Allen, who for some time has been ill, is, it is thought, convalescing.

Charles DuBois, O. W. Lenardson and Ralph Kishpaugh were Dundee visitors Tuesday.

Did you hear Will Osgood when that load of straw tipped over in his yard Monday?

W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of Cass Zeluff and family a part of last week.

Mrs. A. W. Curtiss was the guest of Ypsilanti friends from Friday until Wednesday.

Ralph Kishpaugh is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kishpaugh.

A. O. Means, of Lowell, Mich., was the guest of his cousin, A. W. Curtiss Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pennington, of Tecon, were guests of W. E. Allen and family, Sunday.

Art Curtiss, after a week's illness, is out and around again. He does not relish being housed up.

Samuel Helm and wife, of Ridgeway, took their Christmas dinner with their son Willis and family.

Walter Exelby received a new tread power for his hay press Monday that is admired by all who see it.

J. L. Kishpaugh has been experiencing serious inconvenience from a severe cold the past two weeks.

Mrs. Rose Heyser and son Will, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Mrs. E. Lenardson the first of the week.

The suit before Justice Oliver Tuesday, between Edmund Smith and Morton Bragg, was nonsulted on account of defective papers.

Tuesday, December 22nd, there was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cheever, a fine healthy son. Came near being a Christmas present.

Mrs. Cyrus Pope and son, of St. Johns, Mich., were guests of her brother, H. H. Temple, and family, the latter part of last week and a portion of this.

Rev. C. I. Deyo will have for topics at the Christian church Sunday, morning, "The Great Gospel Fan;" evening, "Wanted—Christians for this World."

Wash Underwood, while baling hay Monday, met with an accident by which two ribs were cracked. Wash says (in your eye) sneezing just now.

All the Kniffin families kept the feast of Christmas at the elegant home of Charles Kniffin and the spacious tables nearly groaned under their load of choice viands. It was a delightful gathering.

Charles Oliver, who has been working for his uncle Edward, at Dwight, Kan., for the past three years, arrived Monday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Oliver, and other relatives and friends.

It was a complete family that surrounded the table at Lyman Hause's on Christmas day. Will and wife, Irvel and family, and Emma and husband, were present from Clinton. The day was one of solid enjoyment to all.

The meetings at the Reformed church are having a large attendance and growing in interest. Mr. Ferwerder, the singing evangelist, has a very pleasing voice and conducts his part of the services in a satisfactory manner. They will continue through next week.

The funeral of Mrs. Thomas Butler was held at the Reformed church Tuesday at 11 a. m. There was a large attendance of neighbors and friends. Rev. Wm. Humphrey, of Palmyra, conducted the services. The remains were laid in the cemetery at Ridgeway.

Dr. P. B. Hardy arrived from Youngstown, Ohio, Tuesday morning, for a few days' stay, in which he hopes to settle all accounts. The doctor is well pleased with his new home. He has two offices fitted up in the center of the business part of that thriving city and expects to open them January 1st.

Wednesday, Dec. 23rd, at high noon, at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. William Underwood, in the presence of a large number of relatives and intimate friends, their daughter Viola was married to Frank Zeluff by Rev. James Wright. The young couple are among the most popular of this community and the good wishes of their friends can avail anything, their wedded life will be an extremely happy one.

At the caucus held at Exelby hall Tuesday, the following ticket was placed in nomination for village officers:—
Pres.—C. B. Exelby.
Clerk—Samuel Knittle.
Treas.—James DuBois.
Assessor—William Britton.
Trustees—W. J. Clark, John Britton, James Haight, Charles DuBois, Wm. Green, F. E. Morrell.

RIDGEWAY.

B. F. DePuy took his Christmas dinner with relatives at Jackson.

Miss Lillian Dersham went to her home at Wellsville Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Marvin will spend her vacation with friends at Azalia and Ypsilanti.

Ray Gould, who has been attending Albion college, is visiting his brother Ed during his vacation.

Mrs. Fred L. Cook, of Lansing, is enjoying the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton.

Mrs. Fred Gorton and son, of Ypsilanti, are spending the holiday vacation with her father, Lester Osgood.

Mrs. A. Smith left for Grand Rapids Wednesday morning of last week to spend Christmas with her daughter.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their regular parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. John Arner on Friday evening of this week.

Reuben Gunn, who has been blind and helpless for several years, died at the home of his daughter, Thursday, aged 80 years.

Owing to the "hard times," the inclement weather and Santa's old age, he was unable to be at Ridgeway this year. Mrs. Goody Santa Claus was on hand, however, although she had to take in the Christmas washings which hung on the line overhead consisting of stockings and pillow slips filled with such delicacies as children enjoy.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harrison, on Christmas eve, Miss Ella Harrison and Harry Hindes, Rev. H. Cansfield officiating. Only the near relatives of the contracting parties were present. The newly married couple left for a few days' visit with friends at Union City and will be at home after January 1st.

A drowning man would have little use for a method of rescue which would require days. A dyspeptic doesn't want to bother with a remedy that is going to take weeks to show its beneficial effect. The Mount Lebanon Shakers are offering a product under the name of Shaker Digestive Cordial which yields immediate relief. The very first dose proves beneficial in most cases; and it is owing to their unbounded confidence in it, that they have put 10 cent sample bottles on the market. These can be had through any druggist; and it will repay the afflicted to invest the trifling sum necessary to make a trial.

The Shaker Digestive Cordial relieves by resting the stomach and aiding the digestion of food.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

FRANKLIN.

Mr. Penning was the guest of his aunt, Mrs A. D. Hunt Saturday.

Miss Babcock was the guest of her sister, Miss Dora Hunt, Saturday.

Mrs. Adelia Whelan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner Saturday.

Mrs. S. N. Munger and Irene Allen are enduring severe attacks of influenza.

Warren Wisner came down from Jackson Christmas, returning in the evening.

Hudson Davenport came home from Vanwert, O., to spend Christmas with his parents.

Louvisa Fisher and W. Ruesink of the Normal, Ypsilanti, are enjoying the Christmas vacation at home.

Mrs. Whelan and Howard, of Tecumseh, and Mr. and Mrs E. C. Wisner ate Christmas dinner with E. J. Whelan and family.

Irene Allen of the Center school and Ella Munger, of the Stone district, have a vacation this week. Both schools reopen Monday.

Cecil Billington, of Cleary's Business College, Ypsilanti, and Carl Wisner, of the U. of M., Ann Arbor, are spending a vacation at home.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

PENTECOST.

The infant child of Eugene Smith died quite suddenly Sunday morning of pneumonia. The little one had seemed in no danger till shortly before its death.

The absent-minded male who carried our mail in his pocket three or four days before he thought to mail it, is responsible for last week's items being a week behind time.

Pentecost L. A. is considering the advisability of holding a session of the "Sleepy Hollow Country Schule," at no very distant day. "Ye old folks" expect to take leading parts.

Some twenty or thirty young folks surprised Messrs. Fiske and Vanderpool, at their "bachelor's hall" last Monday night, and kept up the music till the "wee sma' hours." It was to celebrate Mr. Fiske's birthday.

The sad news comes from Chicago of the serious illness of Grant Ogden, whose wife was well known to Franklin people as Sylvia Daniels. Also the little daughter of John M. Daniels, of that city, is very sick with pneumonia. Their many friends will anxiously await news from them.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Joseph celebrated the fifth anniversary of their marriage Christmas day. A large number of relatives met and enjoyed the pleasant reunion and a sumptuous dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph received many gifts, among them a handsome dining table from the former's parents and sisters.

MACON.

Mrs. Sarah King, of Flint was here on business last week.

Mart Sickly and wife spent Christmas with friends in Blissfield.

Will Fowler and wife, of Saline, called on Macon friends Sunday.

The C. E. society will hold a necktie social at the old church tonight.

Lavern Camburn, who has been quite sick, is able to be around again.

Will Hatch returned to Detroit Monday accompanied by Rolfe Mills.

Lester Collier and family entertained relatives from Adrian Christmas.

Dr. W. S. Horden has been a little under the weather the past week.

Libbie Walp, of Britton, has been visiting her parents the past week.

The school which has been closed during the holidays will begin Monday.

Carl Chambers, of Adrian, called on Macon friends the first of the week.

Several of our young people attended the revival meeting at Britton Sunday evening.

Frank Thomas and family visited Jackson friends from Thursday until Tuesday.

The Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor students are at home enjoying the holiday vacation.

Bertha O'Hara, of Clinton, spent a few days of this week at the home of Joe Sage.

Bolt Savy has gone to Portland for a number of weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

William Osgood and wife have gone to St. John's for an indefinite stay with their son Edmund.

Blanche Mills and John Howell, teachers in the Blissfield schools, have been home the past week.

Mrs. Alice Burns and daughter, of Stanton, and Mrs. Matilda Gray, of Ohio, are visiting at the home of Chas. Collins.

Wm. Miller, of Eaton Rapids, has been visiting his brother, Henry, and other relatives in the vicinity the past week.

Word was received here Saturday that Mr. and Mrs. Ed McKinney, of Tecumseh, formerly of this place, were presented with a 9 pound girl, Christmas.

Miss Kate Ellis, of this place, and George Wilson, of Clinton, were married Wednesday evening, Dec. 23, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ellis. They left the same evening for Jackson, where they remained over night and then went to Chelsea for a few days' visit with Hiram Lighthall and family, relatives of the bride.

HOLLOWAY.

Dr. and Mrs. Nixon entertained relatives Christmas.

Clarence Ratts, of Mt. Clemens, was in town Christmas.

Mr. French, of Naples, N. Y., is visiting Charles Wildey.

Mary Hanchett is spending the holiday vacation at home.

Miss Howe, of Ann Arbor, visited Jennie Calhoun over Sunday.

E. Islay and family visited his brother Thos. Islay and family Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McIntyre went to Saline the 24th inst, returning the 27th.

James Cox and wife have returned from their extended visit in the North.

George Kelley, of Duluth, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kelley.

Hattie Herrington went to Coldwater last week Thursday for a month's visit.

Mrs. Anna Hanlon, of Chicago, visited her friend Mrs. James McIntyre over Sunday.

Osgood Hive, No. 285, L. O. T. M. will hold its regular review Saturday afternoon.

L. D. Macham and family spent Christmas at the home of R. Gillespie, near Tecumseh.

The season's clearing sale of winter goods has begun at the rooms of E. H. Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rogers entertained quite a large number of relatives Christmas.

Chas. Benedict and family spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bois.

Abbie Ray, of Morenci, was in town last Wednesday evening to attend the Wildey—McIntyre wedding.

The week of prayer will be observed at the Presbyterian church; meetings beginning next Sunday evening.

The district meeting of the Free Methodist church will commence here Thursday, Jan. 7, and continue over Sunday.

On account of illness the lecture to have been given Sunday evening by Rev. W. K. Spencer, was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lewis and daughter, Jennie, are spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crittenden, at Shelbyville.

The public meeting of the grangers, held Tuesday evening of last week, in Maccabee hall, was well attended and a fine literary program was rendered.

Conrad Atwell and family, Mrs. Jas. Lane and daughter, Florence, and the Misses Mary Wallace and Ellen Atwell spent Christmas at H. H. Atwell's, at Palmyra.

Mr. Clayton J. McIntyre and Miss Viola Estelle Wildey were united in marriage Wednesday evening December 23rd, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wildey, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives, their pastor, Rev. A. J. Stead, performing the ceremony. The young couple have a host of friends who join in wishing them happiness.

A RECENT INTERVIEW

With Dr. Hartman, the Renowned Catarrh Specialist.

A newspaper contributor was lately admitted into the extensive suit of offices which constitute the headquarters of Dr. Hartman, who treats catarrh patients by the thousand. Amid the busy swarm of assistant doctors, clerks, stenographers and book-keepers, Dr. Hartman stopped long enough to say a few words:

"The number of catarrh patients who visit me is large, but the number who are entered on my books as regular patients (but are treated without charge, by correspondence), is very much larger. Hundreds of letters are received and answered free every day. A yet greater multitude take my catarrh remedy, Pe-ru-na, and are cured, of whom I never hear. Some of this latter class write me years after their cure. I never allow a name published except by the written consent of the patient. We make no charge at any time. The medicine only is obtained by each patient at his own drug store. Those desiring to become regular patients have only to send address, duration of disease and treatment previously received, and directions for first month's treatment will be sent at once.

"Over half the people have catarrh in some form or another. And yet probably not a tenth of the people know that their disease is catarrh. To distinguish catarrh of various organs it has been named very differently. One person has dyspepsia; another bronchitis; another Bright's Disease; another liver complaint; another consumption; another female complaint. These people would be very much surprised to hear that they are all suffering with chronic catarrh. But it is so, nevertheless. Each one of these troubles, and a great many more, are simply catarrh—that is, chronic inflammation of the mucuous lining of whichever organ is affected. Any internal remedy that will cure catarrh in one location will cure it in any other location. This is why Pe-ru-na has become so justly famous in the cure of catarrhal diseases. It cures catarrh wherever located. Its cures remain. Pe-ru-na does not palliate; it cures."

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GREAT PHENOMENON.

Daily Journey of the Sun Puzzled the Ancients—Many Erroneous Theories.

Strange as it may seem in this day and age, the rising and setting of the sun was the greatest of natural phenomena to the ancient scholars. They were greatly puzzled to know how the same sun which plunged into the ocean at a fabulous distance in the west could reappear the next morning at an equally great distance in the east. And, as Sir Robert Ball points out, a number of remarkable theories were advanced, and every one of them wrong. "The old mythology asserted that after the sun had dipped in the western ocean at sunset (the Iberians and other ancient nations actually imagined that they could hear the hissing of the waters when the glowing globe was plunged therein) he was seized by Vulcan and placed in a golden goblet. This strange craft with its astonishing cargo navigated the ocean by a northerly course, so as to reach the east again in time for sunrise the following morning. Among the more sober physicists of old, as we are told by Aristotle, it was believed that in some manner the sun was conveyed by night across the northern regions, and that darkness was due to lofty mountains, which screened off the sunbeams during the voyage." Another theory was that the sun actually pursued his course below the solid earth during the darkness of night, and philosophers taught the same about the stars that rose and set. These are but samples of many a theory that might be named with regard to the phenomenon of sunrise and sunset.

TEACHERS IN CAMBODIA.

A Spiritual Bond Between Them and Their Pupils.

All children who present themselves at the veat for study are received. It is not ever required that their parents bring them or send them, says Popular Science Monthly. The newcomer chooses his professor, and, if accepted, begins at once to study under his direction, installs himself in his cell or in the school hall, and becomes his servant. If the professor has already too many pupils, he refuses the new pupil and advises him to choose another teacher; sometimes he guides his choice, directing him to a master who has few or no pupils, or takes him to the superior who will select a teacher for him. The choice of a professor is always a grave affair, because it is held in Cambodia, as in all Buddhist and Brahmatic countries, that professor and pupil are bound by strong ties of spiritual affinity, and that the pupil ought to respect his master as he does his father and mother. The law inflicts the same penalty upon an offense of the pupil against his master as an offense by a son against his father and mother and it prescribes that in certain cases the pupil may be heir of his professor when he has cared for him or supported him or served him when studying under his direction; not only a family bond, but a religious bond, too, is established between them, for the professor makes it his business to teach his pupil the course by which he may earn more advantageous reincarnation and reach the Nirvana, and becomes his spiritual guide.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

Baffled Many Times but Success Comes at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 23 Hailey Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

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Savage people, have a superstition that an evil eye may be cast upon a person to bring all sorts of trouble and misfortune. That seems like a pretty foolish notion, but it isn't much worse than some of the notions which civilized people indulge in. One worn out superstition is the belief that if a man inherits weak lungs from his parents he is pretty sure to die of consumption. The actual fact is that if such a man will only take proper care of himself he will really be safer from consumption than a careless person who has no inherited weakness. Carelessness is the real evil eye. Carelessness will develop a tendency to consumption in any body.

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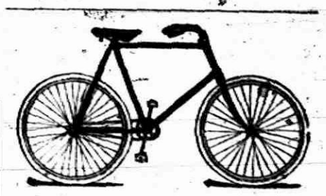

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Happy New Year.

The work of the soliciting committee for the Lima Northern railroad is progressing finely and if Adrian succeeds in raising her share of the money, both Adrian and Tecumseh will get the road. Of course Tecumseh's share of the money has not all been subscribed and our citizens will have to open up their pocket books in the near future for Tecumseh will not be behind.

The HERALD has advocated for some time the establishment of postal savings institutions. Other papers are doing the same thing and it is hoped that the next congress will take up this matter and allow the postoffices to receive the savings of the working people and pay small interest on them. The many failures of large banking institutions in the past few years has frightened people from placing their money where it will earn them anything in the way of interest. Many other nations already have these government banks and in this regard United States is way behind.

The action of the American federation of labor in defeating the resolution by a vote of only 2 to 1, which authorized interference with laws of the United States and with the present jurisdiction of the supreme court of the United States, shows plainly that the laboring men of this country are not in any way anarchistic. The laboring men have just cause for complaint against the money power in more ways than one. For instance, the assessed valuation of the railrords in the state of Minnesota is over seventeen per cent of the taxable property in that state, still the railroads pay only 5 per cent of the taxes. This same statement may be authoratively made of every other state in the union. Not only the railroads but other corporations do not pay their share of the taxes. Another coincidence: The feeling of the laboring of this country is identical with the feeling of the bond purchasers of Europe. The capitalists of Europe who invest their money in American corporations, complain that the corporations of America are without business honor or soul. It is the duty of the next congress to do something to right these wrongs. The question is, will they do it?

LITERARY NOTES.

The first number of Harper's Bazaar for 1897 will contain the initial chapter of a very noteworthy series on "Infancy and Childhood," written from the standpoint of advanced modern ideas by Mrs. Frances Fisher Wood.

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A profusely and beautifully illustrated article on the famous Horse-show held annually in New York City, appears in the January number of Demorest's Magazine. Notable among the illustrations are a full-page and several other spirited drawings by Max F. Klepper. The show, as a social function and as an exhibition of horses, is interestingly described in the text.

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Harper's Weekly for January 2nd will contain the first installment of "Jerome, a Poor Man," by Mary E. Wilkins. This is thought to be the strongest novel she has yet written. Col. George E. Waring, Jr., will write of Street Cleaning in Paris. A striking short story of Spanish-American life, entitled "Guardian to His Majesty" will be contributed by Edgar Mayhew Bacon and illustrated by T. de Thulstrup. There will be two characteristic New-Year's illustrations by Frank V. DuMond and Peter Newell.

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Notable, even among so many excellent features as are presented in the New Year's Ladies' Home Journal, are articles on the Prince of Wales' visit to America, Prince Bismarck, South Pole explorations, Jerome K. Jerome's new short story, and a delightful musical composition. Stephen Fiske graphically recalls the incidents of "When the Prince of Wales was in America:" the balls, receptions, fetes and popular ovations, and the great interest with which all the young Prince's movements were followed, especially by the young women. It is of the "Great Personal Events" series and is strikingly illustrated. In another profusely-pictured article, George W. Smalley the famous correspondent reveals "The Personal Side of Prince Bismarck." He writes of the Iron Chancellor's home life, his wife and children, and shows him to be a man not all of iron. The above is only a beginning of the good things in the January number.

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The January Forum opens with an extremely interesting study of "Pope 'Leo XIII" by the Vicomte E Melchior de Vogue, who traces briefly, but with perfect freedom, the successive developments of this lofty genius, and the corresponding increase in the prestige and moral power of the Papacy throughout the world. The Vicomte de Vogue's frequent visits to the Vatican, and the high esteem in which he is held by the Pope, lend unusual weight to this article. Mr. O. D. Ashley, President of the Wabash Railroad, discusses the tariff question from the point of view of a business man and advocates "middle ground" between the two extremes of policy; and suggests the apointment of a bi-partisan committee to colect evidence on the subject, with a view to reporting such charges as may in its opinion be advantageous to the industrial interests of the country. Dr. J. M. Rice continues his valuable series of articles on The Problem of Elementary Education, with a paper on "The Essentials in Elementary Education." Want of space prevents an extended description of many other papers contained in the January number.

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The January number of the Chautauquan is especially rich in the character of its literary productions. With the French Academy as a nucleus French literature, past and present, is made the subject of five attractive articles, three of which are profusely illustrated.

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The "Progress of the World," in the Review of Reviews for January, 1897, gives an admirable "resume" of the great world events of 1896. Nowhere else can so faithful and impartial a chronicle of these stirring times be found. This illustrated editorial summary in each month's "Review" is everywhere recognized as one of the triumphs of modern journalism. The discussion of the Cuban situation is enlivened by the reproduction of timely Spanish and Spanish-American cartoons.

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Under the title of "What Shall be Done About Cuba?" Mayo W. Hazeltine contributes to the December number of the North American Review an eloquent article pleading for the recognition by the United States of the belligerent rights of the Cuban insurgents. The Cuban revolution, Mr. Hazeltine declares, is justified, if ever a revolution was, and such a recognition would be in strict conformity with the traditional policy of our government.

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Harper's Magazine begins the year with a strong and attractive January number, varied in contents and beautifully illustrated. The opening paper is the third in Poultney Bigelow's series, "The White man in Africa." It is called "Portuguese Progress in South Africa," and contains a strong indictment for official corruption and misgovernment of the blacks. This paper is embellished with illustrations drawn by R Caton Woodville, a striking picture of a war-dance of the Zulus standing as a frontispiece to the number.

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Lippincott's for 1897 will maintain the traits and standards hitherto familiar to its many readers. It will continue to offer in each number, besides a clean and readable complete novel, a large variety of fact and minor fiction, prose and verse, selected, with more reference to matter and style than to origin, from a vast mass of material on all subjects, by writers known and unknown. It will contain no serials to tantalize the mind; each tale, and each issue, is complete.

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In McClure's Magazine for January are reproduced all the known portraits of Benjamin Franklin painted or drawn from life. There are fifteen of them, covering a period of thirty-one years; and they are the only authentic documents whence the present generation may derive any accurate conception of Franklin's features. Presented all together, as they are here, with excellent note, giving the history of each picture, they have an intere and value that cannot be estimated. Mr. Charles Henry Hart, the editor of the series, more than proves his competency, and the groups of life portraits of Washington, Hamilton, and other great Americans that are promised in succeeding numbers of the magazine, will now be awaited eagerly.

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The first of a series on "The Conduct of Great Businesses," appears in the January number of Scribner's magazine, suggested by the fact that the vital points of American business life have been but little touched upon, in spite of the countless papers devoted to the industrial side of the subject. The purpose of the present series is not to deal with statistics or processes of production, but with the part that men's brains play in large business enterprises—the organizing, the originating, and the developing. Americans have a reputation for skill in business, not, it is hoped, as traders merely or money getters, but for large success upon broad and even generous lines.—From "The Conduct of Great Businesses—The Department Store," by Samuel Hopkins Adams, in the January Scribner's.

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The January Arena is the most interesting number that has appeared in many months. It is of special interest to legislative bodies, physicians and lawyers on account of the article on "A Court of Medicine and Surgery, written by A. B. Choate, the prominent lawyer, at the request of leading physicians. Mr. Choate intends to inaugurate a movement which it is believed by some of the ablest lawyers and physicians will be of as vital importance to medicine and surgery as well as to the public as was the movement that resulted in the establishment of trial by jury to the public and to the legal profession. This is the opening shot of a campaign that will be waged from The Arena's pages by leading physicians, surgeons and jurists in the near future and that that will be carried before the legislature in Minnesota and elsewhere this winter.

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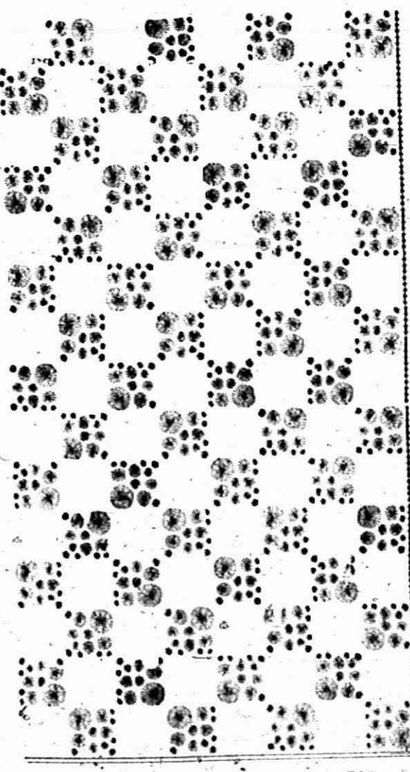

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Cloak sale at Anderson & Rosacrans. Don't miss it.

Miss Agnes Kehoe spent Saturday and Sunday in Adrian.

Dr. Kirkpatrick and J. W. Helme, Jr., of Adrian, were in town Sunday.

Miss Maude Metcalf, of Adrian, visited at Grace Burnett's this week.

Will J. Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., was calling on friends here Wednesday.

Geo. Tiffany, Jr., returned to Mendon Monday night to resume his labors.

Miss Genie Drewyour, of Dundee, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Sue cor.

Willis and Delmar Finch, of Elkhart, Ind., are spending the holiday season here.

Tom Lowry and Sant Cutting are in Blissfild with John Karner selling cabinets.

Philip Kehoe starts today for Kalamazoo to visit his brother-in-law, J. Lamb.

Bert Gillen is spending the week among his young friends in and around Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ellis, of Dundee, were guests at Minor Davidson's Wednesday.

Harry Spalding, of Milwaukee, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. A. A. Hall came up from Toledo Tuesday to attend the Taylor—Fisher wedding.

Peter J. Knight and family, of Ypsilanti, took Christmas dinner with Dr. Howell's family.

Dr. F. J. Knight, of Charlotte, visited his uncle, George Howell, a few days the past week.

Special meeting of the Blue Lodge next week Friday evening, Jan. 8, for work in the first degree.

Dr. Will Wiggins, of Novi, Migan, and sister Minnie, of Adrian township, visited at A. D. Hall's Sunday.

Miss Carrie Millspaugh, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Hilton, returned to Chicago yesterday.

Word has been received that Prof. and Mrs. M. L. Palmer, of Jackson, a son was born Tuesday December 29.

Leon Buckingame, Fay Andon and Joe Everett were taking in sights at Toledo Wednesday and yesterday.

Capt. Will H. Hayden attended the inspection of Company A, 1st Reg. M. S. T., at Ann Arbor Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Fowler and daughter Etha, of Somerset Center, are visiting mother, Mrs. Minerva Westcott, this week.

Eugene McDermott, of Clinton, was down Wednesday afternoon calling on his friends. He is recently from the east.

T. C. Harris, wife and daughter returned home Tuesday from Fremont, Ohio, where they spent Christmas with relatives.

Fred Steinhoff returned Wednesday from Addison where he had been visiting his Uncle S. Root's family since Saturday.

Mrs. F. A. Buechner and son Arno, of Battle Creek, are the guests of the former's parents, Wm. Ro and wife. They return to their home Saturday.

Mrs. Put Woodard and Russell returned to Detroit yesterday afternoon accompanied by Mrs. M. R. Keyser who will be the guest of her brother's family for two weeks.

M. F. Stein, the well-known occulist and optician who has had such good success with his practice in Tecumseh for the past four years, will be at the Lilley House next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser entertained at dinner yesterday, M. R. Keyser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Valorus Woodard, Mrs. Put Woodard and son Russell, and Mrs. Henriette Keyser.

Joe Everett, of Chicago, arrived Monday morning for a week's visit with Tecumseh friends. It seems good to see *him* here. Joe has changed so that *many* did not know him at first.

A special meeting of the Eastern Star will be held next Thursday evening, January 7th, at the temple. The officers will appear for the first time in their new robes and a banquet will be served.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. James Heck during the month of January. The first meeting will be held January 8th when Mrs. Mary C. Wood, instructor of the Bible, will conduct the exercises.

Tuesday December 22nd occurred the commencement exercises of Cleary's business college, at Ypsilanti. There were forty-eight in the graduating class, and among the number were two from Tecumseh, Miss Hattie Montgomery and Mr. Roy Hughes, both of whom occupied high positions in the class.

Monday a party consisting of Louie Jones, Linn Hardenburg Ernie and Albert Anderson, armed with guns and a ferret, Louie, of course, being anxious to try his new gun. On their return, they had one rabbit as the fruit of their labor. When asked who shot it, Louie replied "I don' know; all shot at it." Also Jones declares it was not hit at all but simply died from fright.

At the Christmas tree entertainment given to the children of St. John's church Sunday school, at Clinton, on Christmas eve, Rev. Mr. Blachford was handsomely remembered. Mr. Charles Barrowclift, in behalf of the ladies of the congregation, presented him with a beautiful rocking chair. Mr. Blachford was greatly surprised, for he had not even thought of any gift at all.

Wanted—A few loads of barnyard manure. A. C. SLAYTON.

"Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at the Opera House next week.

Bargains in dress goods this week at Anderson & Rosacrans.

Chicken pie supper at the Baptist church next Thursday evening.

Will Mobbs has been quite ill for over a week but is now much better again.

Mrs. Ira A. Boynton, of Adrian, is the guest of Tecumseh relatives this week.

Miss Minnie Corey entertained friends at her mother's residence last evening.

Remember the chicken pie supper at the Baptist church next Thursday evening.

Miss Hattie Conklin returned from her visit at Napoleon, Ohio, Tuesday night.

Mrs. E. C. Rogers and son spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with A. C. Aylesworth.

Quite a number of our young people attended the leap year party at Clinton last evening.

Dr. Morden, of Macon, was called again to council with Dr. North on Mrs. Gamble's case.

Service at the Baptist church every evening during the week of prayer. Everyone invited.

You can buy goods at Harris & Hiteshu's at manufacturer's cut prices. Month of January.

Miss Edna McClue, of Charlotte, is spending her holiday vacation the guest of Mrs. L. B. Ayres.

Miss Anna Osborn, who teaches school school at Nashville, Tenn., is home for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Robinson, of Manchester, were guests of John J. Orr and wife, yesterday.

Mrs. Eugene Gamble of Wheatland, came over to see her sister, Mrs. Nancy Gamble, who is very sick.

Miss Lydia McNeil returned Wednesday from Adrian, where she had been visiting friends since Friday.

Miss Daisy Rude, of Brighton, Ind., is visiting her cousin, Miss Maud Mitchell, and other relatives in Tecumseh.

Ed McKinney beats them all this year in Christmas presents. His wife presented him with a fine little daughter.

Will Aten and Charles Rathburn, of Grand Rapids township, are visiting the formers brother Watson, of Clinton township, this week.

Miss Inez Thorp has finished her school in Detroit, and it is understood is now very expert in the art of stenography and typewriting.

It is reported that Mrs. T. Moshier and Mr. Chas. Dewey, of Cambridge, were married at Adrian, Tuesday or Wednesday of this week.

A leap year sleigh ride and dancing party was enjoyed by about thirty-five Tecumseh young people out at J. N. F. Bowen's last Monday evening.

The Sunday school of St. Peter's church was given a delightful 5 o'clock tea at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks Monday evening.

Next Thursday evening the ladies of the Baptist church will hold their annual chicken pie supper. The fee will be 20 cents and everybody is invited to attend.

Harris & Hiteshu announce a grand clearing sale to commence at once. Their Sales always mean business and this firm never advertises anything they do not intend to fulfill.

The meeting of the W. F. W. S. for Jan. 6, '97, will be held in room No. 1 of the M. E. church. Meeting to be called at 2:30. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

C. A. Slayton is handling Pocahontas coal. This variety is well nigh smokeless and is especially adapted for domestic use. In these days of high price hard coal, it will certainly prove a bonanza.

The meeting of the Farmer's Social Club at Mr. Bowen's Tuesday evening was the first under the new plan of study. All seemed pleased and considered the roll call one of the best features of the program. The members will tell who their favorite authors are at roll call at the next meeting.

Another leap year party, no doubt the last of the season, was given at the armory Tuesday. The affair was nonetheless enjoyable for being gotten up in a minute, and the ladies are under obligations to Capt. Hayden and members of Co. C for the use of the armory as well as being able to witness a fine exhibition drill.

John Freeman has for many years enjoyed the reputation of being a great hunter but now his efforts have been crowned with success. On Wednesday afternoon crowds of people were attracted to the show window of his store, in which hung the carcass of a huge "Sand Lake Fox." Mr. Freeman did not arrive from the hunting grounds till in the evening, but the "Fox" was sent on ahead by special messenger. With the "Fox" was displayed the following cartoon, executed it is supposed by his order. "J. J. Freeman, leader of the Fur Club, dealers in all kinds of hides, pelts and other fruits."

At a meeting of Court Pottawatamie, No. 1181, I. O. F., held Dec. 29, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

C. D. H. C. R.—C. A. Slayton.
P. C. R.—Rev. W. R. Blachford.
C. R.—James Lowry.
V. C. R.—John C. Hazlett.
R. S.—E. L. Teeple.
F. S.—J. C. Mahaney.
Treas.—James Elliott.
Chap.—Robt. Codling.
S. W.—Robt. Russell.
J. W.—Chas. Moyer.
S. B.—T. R. Kyle.
J. B.—Thos. Russell.
Trustees—Rev. W. R. Blachford, and (C. A. Slayton.

R. E. Anderson was home over Christmas.

Tribou LeBaron was up from Toledo over Christmas.

Harry Hanford came home to spend the holiday season.

Martin Zimmerman is in Detroit this week on a business trip.

Fred B. Wood spent Monday in the metropolis of the county.

Hud Davenport made Tecumseh friends a visit over Christmas.

J. M. Jones drove to Blissfield Sunday evening, returning Monday.

Ernest Collier has put in a new desk for his private use that is very fine.

The funniest play on earth at the opera house next week—Peck's Bad Boy.

Gus Cummins, of Chicago, is passing the holiday season with Tecumseh relatives.

Mrs. Robert McClure left Tuesday morning to join her husband at Mendon, Mich.

Miss Rose Wilson, of Ypsilanti has been the guest of James Elliott's family this week.

Miss Mamie Keyser, of Clinton, is visiting her Uncle Robert Codling and family this week.

Miss Anna McClure accompanied her sister, Mrs. Jennie Bangs to Toledo Monday for a visit.

The "wit and wisdom" club will meet Monday evening January 4th with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rosacrans.

Mrs. Michael Wilson returned Monday from a visit with Mr. W's daughters at Marmill and Bowling Green, Ohio.

John Chamberlain's wife and little daughter came over from Adrian to spend Christmas with him. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Karner Bros., Tecumseh's bustling shoe dealers, are after prices with a sharp knife for the next 30 days. Their "ad" on the fourth page is no larger than the bargains to be found at their store.

Mrs. Sumner Collins, who has been ill, was taken to Macon to the home of Mr. Collins' mother, Sunday. She is reported better to-day, and her many friends are anxious for her speedy recovery.

Last Saturday morning Dr. George Howell assisted by Drs. North, Barnes and Knight removed a tumor of a cancerous nature from Mrs. Elijah King. The patient thus far is doing nicely and no doubt will recover speedily.

You can buy a cape, coat or jacket at Harris & Hiteshu's for less than making cost.

John J. Freeman and James Eccles left Saturday morning for Sand Lake. On a fox chase they were bent, if they don't lay up a cent, and it keeps them till the summer; for they feel the time well spent, if they only catch the scent, and the tale they'll tell 's a hummer.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher received a telegram Monday morning that J. B. Rue, her cousin's husband, died at his home in Battle Creek Sunday night, of pneumonia. Mr. Rue was known to many of our citizens as he frequently visited here. Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Gertrude Loree left for Battle Creek Tuesday to attend the funeral.

Wednesday evening of this week the Presbyterian Sunday school held its annual election of officers. John T. Boyce was elected superintendent, Dr. Frost having declined to serve another year.

Vice Supt.—P. S. McKinnon.
1st Asst.—Wm. Caldwell.
2nd " —Allie Cutting.
Treas.—Jno. L. Anderson.
Sec.—Joe Smith.
Librarian—H. S. Waring.
1st Asst.—Frank Nyland.
2nd " —Lavern Smith.

The exercises at the Presbyterian church for the Sunday school Christmas eve were of an interesting character and consisted of music by the choir, exercises by the scholars, a tree and distribution of gifts. Two special features of the program were the toy symphony by Miss Mary Anderson's music class of children, which showed careful training on the part of the instructor and skillful execution by the pupils, and Fred Frost's whistling solo with organ accompaniment, both of these were gems and received hearty encores. John T. Boyce personated Santa Claus admirably, appeared on the scene drawn by brownies, the reindeers having been overcome with fatigue. Miss Root presided at the organ faultlessly. At the Baptist church the same evening they had a fine program, carefully prepared and executed in fine style by all who participated. The revolving tree with electric lights was a novelty, which was appreciated by all present. The tree presented a beautiful sight. Each member of the school was bountifully remembered in the distribution of gifts. At the M. E. church the exercises were held Christmas night and consisted of appropriate exercises by the school and a cantata entitled, "Old Time Scene." sung by Gertrude Ford and Bert Day, assisted by a quartette composed of Clarence Jackson, Leon Rosacrans, Metta McKinney and Ella Potter and the school. The scene represented a home with a massive fireplace, children coming home for Christmas, etc. As presented it was very realastic and highly entertaining. At the Friends' church the Christmas exercises were held at the church Sunday. While there was no tree, a fine program had been arranged which was carried out by the little folks in a manner that charmed the older ones, and a generous supply of gifts were distributed. At St. Peter's church there were no special exercises for the Sunday school, but Monday afternoon a choice 5 o'clock tea was given the school at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks, on Union street, which proved fully as satisfactory to the scholars and did not require the labor necessary to prepare a tree or program.

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Fisher-Taylor Wedding.

At an early hour Wednesday evening, Dec. 30th, guests to the number of seventy-five gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Taylor, on Maiden Lane, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Blanche to Mr. Will F. Fisher, of this place. Promptly at 7 o'clock the wedding march was played by Miss Anderson.

The buzz of conversation died away and the guests made room for the wedding party, consisting of Miss Maud Howell, of Macon, and Miss Ida Beebe, followed by the bride and groom elect. The parties took their place under the beautiful evergreen bower, and Rev. B. S. Hudson pronounced the words which made them husband and wife. Music was softly played during the ceremony, after which many congratulations were extended by all present.

A dainty supper was served, after which the evening was spent in happy conversation by all. The presents given were beautiful, numerous and useful. At about 9 o'clock the contracting parties, almost without observation, but not quite, left, they knew where, and others strove to find where, but without success.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are well known in the community and have the love, respect and good wishes of all. They are useful members of the Baptist church of this place. They expect to make their future home at the Fisher residence, three and one-half miles north of town, where they will make all their friends welcome.

THE CHRISTMAS PARTY.

A Delightful Affair—The Society Event of 1896.

"The dancers are dancing, and taking (no rest,
And closely their hands together are (press'd;
And soon as the dance has come to a (close,
Another begins and each merrily goes."

Thus the Christmas party last Friday night went on nor did it end till near four o'clock in the morning.

For a number of years, about twelve, it has been the custom for the young gentlemen of Tecumseh to give a Christmas party and each year this party has proven the social event of the season. The custom has prevailed to order anything and everything that would go to make up a nice party, then pay the bills afterward. In running the affair in this way these parties have acquired a reputation for many miles around, and in Toledo, Detroit as well as in our neighboring towns, Tecumseh's Christmas parties are synonyms for fine times.

There was a reason why the '96 Christmas party should be better than usual and this reason was very plain to every young man in Tecumseh. The ladies had given two leap year parties, either one of which would be difficult to excel; in fact the ladies had set a "merry pace" which was hard to pass. Committees were appointed, invitations issued, and now let us tell results.

At eight o'clock, as advertised, Uhl Brothers' full orchestra, of Toledo, commenced a concert of six numbers. The gallery was well filled with those who did not care to dance but loved good music and liked to watch the dancers. The concert was fine and spectators well pleased. At nine the dance commenced, nor did it end till four, and then the only trouble was, the band would play no more; and such a pretty party. Each lady danced

"Her feet beneath her petticoat,
Like little mice stole in and out,
As if she feared the light;
But O, she dances such a way:
No scene upon an Easter day
Is half so fair a sight."

And then the costumes, the gentlemen in full evening dress, the ladies seemed all to have new gowns and the air was filled with perfume from the flowers they wore. The music was grand, and he who ever danced at all could not stop that night. And then the lunch. All in keeping, tasteful, and beautifully served.

The whole arrangement seemed perfect. The decorating committee presented the opera house transformed into a veritable bower, and easy sofas and chairs were everywhere.

The floor committe seemed ever-present to see that all Tecumseh's guests had a good time. The refreshment committee provided a banquet, served accordingly. The music committee secured a concert orchestra. Is it a wonder that the dancers would never quit?

Fifty-three couples were present and among them the following guests from out of town: Mr. and Mrs. Ham and Mr. and Mrs. Livingston, of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Young, Miss Mae. Temple and Gus Cummins, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kimball and Miss Albertina Johnston, of Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kies, of Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bliven, Miss Edna Warren and Miss Anna Carpenter, of Blissfield; Mr. Hal Knapp, Miss Margaret Knapp and Sam McClure, of Adrian; Mr. Pratt, of Toledo; Miss Haines and Miss Clute, of Dundee; Lon Haight, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Roy DeWolf, of Detroit; Miss Julia Wood, of Dayton, O.; Miss Winifred Wallin, of Ypsilanti.

Sad News.

Tecumseh, Dec. 29, 1896.

EDITOR HERALD:

Those of our readers who were acquainted with him will be pained to learn that our life-long friend and college-mate, the Hon. Quincy Wood, who was so unfortunately burned out of house and home, at Sauk Rapids, Minn., about a month ago died at his sister's, at Streator, Mich., of the grip, a few days ago.

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NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

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Great Multitudes Seek Admission, But Only a Few Thousand Can Enter—The Official Part of the Annual Programme.

[Special Washington Letter.]

"The king is dead. Long live the king."

Not only in royal circles, but in every walk of life we often find that the funeral baked meats do coldly furnish forth the wedding breakfast.

Thus also, it is with time. Tottering away into the niche of history prepared for it, the old year trembles and quavers into the oblivion of memory or forgetfulness. The tolling bells scarce conclude their requiem at midnight, when, with magic touch, they change their tune to peals of joyous gladness because of the birth of the new year.

At the very moment, in the twinkling of an eye, just as the old year is shrouded and coffined, the infant new year is cradled and rocked with the caressing hand of universal mankind while it is fleece-lined with the spotless, beautiful snow of midwinter. "The king is dead. Long live the king." The old year is dead. Long live the new year.

For many generations it has been customary to make New Year's day a holiday for social calls, every friend being expected to remember every friend; but the custom of formally receiving friends on this glad, gay day survives perfectly only in Washington at the present time. This is caused mainly by reason of the fact that the president of the United States holds his first annual public reception on the first day of the calendar year. Nothing more democratic than the New Year's reception at the white house is known even in the democratic United States. On the first day of the year statesmen, diplomats and reverend judges rub elbows with the public, but not with the great unwashed public. A clean face and hands, and a tidy costume, are the only passports required at the gates of the white house grounds.

Business never begins in Washington until nine o'clock in the morning, and the higher public functionaries never make their appearance officially until nearly noon. But on New Year's day things are different. Carriages begin to fly about at an early hour. Men in the uniform of the army or navy are seen hurrying from place to place, many of them awkward in the

CROWDING THE SIDEWALKS.

unfamiliar garments, for uniforms are little worn in Washington, though they are an invariable feature of every story or play which is supposed to illustrate Washington life.

Everybody goes to the white house. Straight is the gate and broad is the way, but few there be which go in thereat, because it is impossible that more than 10,000 people should pass in review before the president; and it is beyond all conceit that the chief magistrate should shake hands with more than 3,000 people inside of three hours.

In the three parlors, the blue, the green and the red, there are thousands of dollars' worth of flowers, ferns and plants of every description. They come from Greenland's icy mountains and from India's coral strand. Every variety of vegetation that is beautiful and desirable is represented here. The hothouses of the agricultural department, the botanical gardens and the conservatories of the executive mansion have been actually looted to make up the floral display and decorations which so enhance the beauty of the executive mansion.

In the great east room, the magnificent apartment which Dolly Madison used to use as a drying room on washdays, the mantels and grates are hidden by a great mass of brilliant foliage and bloom, while the corners are tropical with palms and huge ferns and rubber plants. The curtains in all these rooms are drawn, and the glow from "sunbursts" of electric light illumines the east parlor. In the other parlors the softened radiance of frosted electric bulbs, springing from the tapestried walls, lends brilliance to the spectacle.

At least 15,000 people are out on Pennsylvania avenue, crowding the sidewalks the entire length of the white house front, covering part of the concreted plaza on either side of the cable car tracks, all along the opposite side of the avenue, and extending up and down Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets. These cannot enter, but they can see the gorgeously attired diplomats and officers of the army and navy, and they are satisfied with that brilliant display.

Those who enter the white house lobby can barely discern, beyond the potted plants, the red coats of the Marine band. The celebrated musicians are screened there in the foliage, ready to take part in the reception when the signal is given. As soon as the leader receives the announcement that the president is approaching, Prof. Fanciulli raises his baton, and to the crash of brass and the sound of flute and horn the president comes down the stairway. It is customary for him to bring down the wife of the vice president. Mr. Cleveland has violated the custom on several occasions by bringing down his own wife, and, fortunately, the rule on the subject is less rigid than the rule of precedence, for, whomsoever the president brings downstairs, his own wife stands at his side when he takes his place in the blue parlor.

Behind the president and his wife are the secretary of state and his wife, and then the other members of the cabinet, escorting each other's wives. The husbands lose the order of official precedence on this occasion, but their wives maintain it for them. The wife of the secretary of state must precede the wife of the secretary of the treasury, and the sister of the secretary of agriculture must bring up the rear, or there would be a revolution. Men may forget or overlook certain social amenities, but women, never. They cling to their places of precedence, sometimes with more loyalty and fidelity than they cling to their matrimonial vows.

AT THE RECEPTION.

The president first receives the ambassadors, ministers and attaches of embassies and legations of the foreign governments. Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador, is the dean of the diplomatic corps, and he is the first recognized by the president, who gives him a cordial greeting. The other ambassadors and lessor diplomats follow in order of their rank and standing here, as to length of service at this capital. Sir Julian wears a brilliant military uniform. He carries a gorgeous cocked hat in his hand. Behind him come the other members of the corps attired in the gayest of uniforms or silk robes. The Chinese minister and his attaches keep their little kull caps on their heads, and save when they shake the president's hand they keep their own hands buried in their flowing sleeves of silk. The Japanese are the French of the orient. They are progressive, intelligent, ambitious and effusively polite. The Russian minister, with his giant military attache, always attracts attention. It is a gorgeous sight to witness this diplomatic corps reception. The reception begins at 11 o'clock, but long before that time the supreme court justices have arrived, for they are next in order. Chief Justice Fuller, looking pigmy-like beside the stalwart Harlan or the broad-shouldered Gray, occupies the place of honor. He presents his colleagues to the president, Justice Field in the van, and they pass down the receiving line and into the red parlor and the east parlor beyond it. A few of the diplomats have gone through the parlors, but most of them have slipped behind the receiving line to greet their friends and wish them a happy New Year.

The senate and house follow the members of the supreme court. And here the regularity of the reception is broken, for among so many it is difficult to keep any order of precedence, and senators and members become hopelessly mixed. The vice president or the president pro tempore of the senate makes the introductions of the senators, and the speaker introduces the members of the house. But there are always stragglers, and the members of the house pop up singly and in pairs at intervals all through the remainder of the reception time.

Following the legislative or congressional reception, the uniformed defenders of the nation on land and on sea march into the presence of the commander in chief of the army and navy.

The secretary of war and the secretary of the navy remain by the side of the president during this part of the reception. Secretary Lamont introduces the general commanding the army and his subordinates as they file by in the order of their rank. Secretary Herbert introduces the senior admiral of the navy and his subordinates. Then the officials of the executive departments come forward in their turn. Finally, about one o'clock, the doors are thrown open, and the general public is given admission in double file for an hour. Promptly at two o'clock the doors are closed. Then, although thousands outside are impatiently demanding admittance, the tired president and his tired wife, after having for three hours stood in one place bowing and shaking hands, retire to their living apartments for refreshment and rest.

SMITH D. FRY.

Library for the Blind.

The first free circulating library for the blind in New York city was formally opened recently in St. Agnes' church. It starts with 184 volumes. There are 21,000 blind people in Greater New York, and to meet their literary requirements there has heretofore been only a very small library in Brooklyn. A library for the blind is an expensive institution, for the books are costly.

The World's Sunday Schools.

It has been estimated that the total number of persons attending Sunday schools throughout the world cannot be less than 18,000,000, with about 2,000,000 teachers.

THE ACTOR'S DOUBLE.

We were talking about spirit manifestations at the Thirty-nine club, and retailing the usual second or third hand accounts of deceased ladies and gentlemen showing themselves to their sorrowing relatives.

"It is strange the tricks which our brains will sometimes play us," said Dr. Macpherson. "I remember once seeing a ghost myself, and I can tell you that the sensation is a very curious one. It was a good many years ago, in my examination days, and I had been sitting up until the early hours 'cramming.' Everybody in the house had long since gone to bed, where I ought to have been myself, so I was rather surprised when I glanced up from my book to see somebody sitting at the table where I myself had been a few moments before writing. I felt quite startled for an instant, until I recognized the intruder. He was a little hazy, but I could see plainly enough who it was."

"A dead relative?" asked Maj. Dennett, who was a firm believer in the good old-fashioned ghost.

Macpherson answered in his peculiarly quiet way: "No, it was myself. The experience of seeing one's own ghost is not altogether unusual, I believe."

"Now, I do not think your experience was half so remarkable as one of mine," said Gilbert Dane, the well-known actor and manager of the Howard theater, who happened to be there that night. Dane is not a member of the Thirty-nine, but had come with Macpherson. Most of the brain specialist's friends are in the profession, a fact which is perhaps due to the year which he himself spent on the stage as a young man.

"My story begins prosaically," said the actor, when we begged to hear it. "I lost the latchkey with which I let myself into the theater, and took somebody else's to the locksmith's to have a duplicate made. I agreed to call for it the following morning as I was going up to town for rehearsal. I was living at Putney then, and we were actively preparing a play which deserved a better fate than it received, if thought and preparation go for anything, for I came near making myself ill over it. I was feeling out of sorts on the morning that I called for the latchkey, and when the locksmith swore positively that he had given me the thing already—that less than ten minutes previously I had come in for the key, paid for it, and taken it away with me—I will confess that I lost my temper, and stormed at the fellow; but I could not get him to budge a line from his story. He seemed to have an idea that I was playing a practical joke, and the only result of my talking was that I nearly lost my train to Waterloo. It was moving when I reached the platform, and I had to run for the only compartment of which the door was open, near the end of the train.

"The compartment contained two other passengers, but if I glanced at them at all, I noticed nothing except that each was pretty well hidden behind a daily paper. I had fortunately bought my own paper before calling at the locksmith's, and I speedily followed their example. So far the story is painfully commonplace. Now comes the truly remarkable experience which has stamped the doings of that day indelibly on my memory."

The actor paused to strike a match and relight a cheroot, which he had allowed to go out, and we all watched him in silence, wondering what was coming. Macpherson only had the air of a man who had heard the story before.

"I had become rather interested in my paper," Dane went on, when the cigar was lighted again, "and did not notice my companions talking until one of them started telling an anecdote.

"The story and voice startled me, but it is difficult to describe my feelings when I put down my paper to glance at the narrator."

"It was yourself?" asked Maj. Dennett, excitedly, as the actor paused; and Dane nodded.

"Yes, gentlemen, I saw seated at the other end of the compartment by the window, opposite his companion, a figure that was an exact fac-simile of the reflection which I see in my glass every day when I have dressed for the part of a respectable citizen. It was myself complete in every detail of face and attire."

"An optical delusion, I suppose?" I suggested; and the actor shook his head.

"No; that was the first idea that occurred to me—that I had been working and worrying too much over the new play, and my brain had played me a trick. The unconcerned way in which the third man glanced at me encouraged me in the belief, for the likeness, unless I was imagining it, was enough to attract instant attention. I wondered whether there was actually a man sitting and talking where I had seen and heard my fac-simile; for the third man, an ordinary, everyday individual, had not spoken a word to him, and might from his expression have been listening to his anecdote or simply thinking. I was relieved when he laughed at the point when 'my double,' as I began to call his companion, came to the joke of the story, but when he opened his mouth it was only to increase the mystery of the affair, for it showed me that 'my double' possessed my name, as well as my voice, my dress, my face, my figure.

"I began to wonder then, not whether the man at the window was a reality, but whether I was reality myself, and it certainly would not have surprised me if I had looked in a mirror and found it reflect back a face that was unfamiliar to me. It is strange how quickly a single phenomenon will sometimes change all one's fixed opinions on a subject of the supernatural. I felt I must speak to the man if only to prove whether I was awake or dreaming, and I seized the opportunity of introducing myself offered by hearing my double called by name.

"'Excuse me,' I said, addressing him, 'but I heard your friend just call you "Mr. Dane." I wonder whether we are related at all, for that happens to be my name, and we seem to bear a striking similarity to one another.'

"'My double' turned and surveyed me through a single eyeglass in exactly the same manner as that with which I should have surveyed a stranger who addressed me in the train.

"'I really do not know whether we are related or not,' he said, in the voice I use when I wish to be slightly patronizing. 'I am Gilbert Dane, of the Howard theater,' and he actually handed me one of my own cards.

"There was something in the substantial nature of the familiar bit of pasteboard that brought back a little of my common sense, and relieved me from the state of stupefaction into which the phenomenon had driven me.

"'Come, this is a very clever trick,' I said, with a smile, which I am afraid was rather feeble. 'You have certainly succeeded in startling me. Now I should like your own card, so that I may know whom to congratulate on a very clever performance.'"

"And what did the Mystery do?" I inquired, with interest, when the actor paused.

"He did exactly what I should have done, if a stranger addressed me in the same manner. He became angry, and asked me what I meant, and whom I called myself.

"'Well, until to-day I have been in the habit of calling myself Gilbert Dane, of the Howard theater—' I was beginning, keeping as cool as I could, when 'my double' interrupted me in a tone which I still recognized perfectly as my own.

"'Well! you had better not do so any more,' he said sharply, 'or you will find yourself in the hands of the police. I see that you have been imitating my dress, too, which I cannot help, but the use of my name is another thing.'

"We had just reached Vauxhall, our first stopping place, as he spoke, and a ticket collector who knows me by sight came to the door. My double caught his eye first.

"'I wish you would tell this gentleman who I am,' he said, and the man answered promptly:

"'Certainly, sir, you are Mr. Dane, the actor.'

"He looked startled when I asked him the same question.

"'I should call you a very good imitation,' he said, when he had recovered from his surprise.

"This was becoming decidedly uncomfortable, and I began to wonder how I could prove to anybody that I was not a good imitation of myself. The ticket collector's ready acceptance of my double as the real Mr. Dane showed how helpless I should be in an appeal to anyone who did not know me well. But I felt that it would not do for two Gilbert Danes to remain at large; the question which one was to surrender the title must be settled at once. It struck me that the easiest way to do it would be to go together to the theater, and submit the question to the company assembled for the rehearsal. I suggested this course to my fac-simile, and he surprised me by accepting it readily.

"'I warn you that I shall detain you when it is settled, and send for the police,' he said, in my haughtiest voice.

"'It was what I was intending to do with him.'

"The actor paused to light another cheroot.

"'And did you both go back?" somebody asked.

Dane nodded.

"'Yes, together. The third man left us at Waterloo,' he said. 'You may not believe it, but I felt rather uneasy as I approached the stage door, and the fact that I had no latchkey to open it for myself seemed a calamity. My double calmly produced his, and marched me into my own theater with the air of a proprietor. Then he closed the door behind him, and, changing his voice and manner, suddenly turned quietly: 'And now, Mr. Dane, I will puzzle you no more, but apologize for giving you so much trouble, which I hope you will think repaid by the enjoyment of a unique sensation. The fact is that I am very anxious to go on the stage under your auspices, and I thought that this would be the best way to obtain an introduction to you, and at the same time show you a specimen of my acting in the part of your understudy. You will admit at least that I understand the art of making up. Now are you going to give me an engagement—or send for the police?'"

"'And you gave him the engagement, I suppose?" I asked.

"'Yes; I have always regretted that he threw it up before the year was out, and returned to his former profession, that of a medical man.'"

"'It was he, of course, who called for the latchkey in the morning?'"

"'Yes; he had been in the shop when I ordered it, and the fact finally determined him to carry out the affair, which he had been pondering for some time.'"

"'But he must have haunted you like a shadow beforehand,' put in Maj. Dennett, 'to learn all your gestures and that. I should hardly think the result was worth the trouble.'"

Macpherson, who had been sitting quietly in the background, surprised us by replying for his friend.

"'Excuse me, major,' he said, in his usual quiet way, 'but you make a mistake there. Any man would have been glad to give £100 down for the engagement which Dane offered me straightway. It cost me less than £10 for clothes, and about a month of study; and my time was not worth £90 a month then, or I should not have thought of giving up medicine and taking up the stage."—Tit-Bits.

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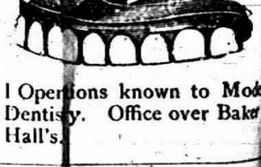
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It was during this famous retreat that the following incidents occurred:

Some time after dark during one of those memorable autumn days the American army began to pass a little hamlet at cross-roads between New Brunswick and Princeton, in New Jersey.

The place did not contain more than 10 houses, and these were so scattered that the collection had never been dignified by a name. The houses were of the old-fashioned kind, and several were stone, and to all large gardens were attached.

The wagon train, which carried much of the ammunition that belonged to the army, came struggling through the hamlet, guarded by a detachment of the most faithful. As the last wagon reached the place the hindmost axel broke off and the precious contents were dumped upon the ground.

Instantly all was confusion, and the soldiers tried to repair the mishap, but soon discovered that it was irreparable.

The other wagons being some distance in advance, and all heavily loaded, the men decided to bury the powder somewhere where it would not be found by the enepy when advancing, flushed with late victories.

The soldiers were discussing the burial of the ammunition when a boy of 15 appeared suddenly in their midst. He was a stout lad, not very well clad, but bright eyed and eager to lend a hand in the time of need.

"If you bury the powder here you must take care that the Tories don't watch you and turn it over to the British when they come along," said he to the sergeant who had charge of the wagon guard.

"You've got tories here, have you, boy?" asked the sergeant.

"Three families, sir. You might throw a guard around their houses while you bury the powder, and that will keep them from finding out where you put it."

"The very thing. You're fit to command a regiment," cried the soldier, and then he told the boy to point out the homes of the three tories, which was done, and guards were placed at the houses.

It was far into the night when the wagon guard moved on without the powder, and the boy had been cautioned to keep the secret that had been entrusted to his care."

"I'll do that, sir," said he, his eyes flashing. "You can move on believing that Toby Travers won't tell the enemy the hiding place of the ammunition. It's safe here, and when you come back you'll find it right where you've hid it."

Daylight saw the headquarters of Lord Cornwallis established in one of the tory homes, and Toby saw more redcoats then he ever expected to see.

He was standing in the doorway of his humble home when he espied four British soldiers, headed by a tall sergeant, advancing toward him, and while he gazed they halted in front of the house.

"You're the Travers boy, aren't you?" the sergeant said, haughtily.

"My name's Toby Travers."

"I thought so. Well, Master Travers, we want you."

Toby started a little, but kept his composure.

"Whatever can you want with me?" he inquired.

"Come along and we'll answer that question in a little while."

Without a word of further explanation he was marching to the tory's house and pushed half rudely across the threshold.

"This is the boy," said the sergeant, saluting his officer. "We caught him at his home and he is the boy who knows where they buried the powder."

For a moment longer the leader of the British army looked across the table and then said gruffly:

"Where is it, boy?"

All eyes were riveted upon Toby and the tall sergeant at the door grinned his delight.

"Aren't you going to tell?" demanded Cornwallis.

"Why should I? If you found the powder you would use it against Gen. Washington."

"Of course we would! That would be paying the rebels back in their own coin."

"Then," said Toby, resolutely, "you can go out and find the powder."

The face of Cornwallis flushed for a moment—his eyes seemed to flash.

"Do you know who I am, boy?" he exclaimed.

"Yes, sir—you are Gen. Cornwallis."

"I am. I command this army and serve the king. I hold your fate in my hands, young sir, and unless you tell where the rebels hid their powder last night you are liable to severe punishment."

"I cannot do that, generdl," said Toby, resolved to keep his secret at all hazards. "I promised—"

"What's a promise to a rebel?" interrupted the British chief. "Come, sir. We can't wait all day on you. You are delaying the advance of my army and you must tell."

"I refuse to tell you, sir. There!"

"This is treason of the deepest dye!" exclaimed Cornwallis. "I never saw anything like it and from a boy, too."

"This is too much," ventured one of the other officers in a lowered voice. "You should discipline the young rebel, my lord."

"Just what I am going to do. Here, sergeant. Take the prisoner and see that he is guarded till night. If he still refuses to disclose the hiding place of this rebel powder you will stand him up before six soldiers and see that the muskets are loaded with ball."

Toby was escorted to the only empty house in the hamlet, an old stone affair with a clapboard roof and one little window which had been boarded up.

Nearly all day the British force followed through the village on its march after Washington's retreating army. All day a tall, gruff sentry paced up and down in front of Toby's prison. Every now and then he looked in to see that "rebel brat" was safe and each time he caught the resolute look of the boy still confined between the four walls.

"Why don't you make a clean breast of it, boy?" said the guard toward evening.

"I am not a tory, sir," came the quick answer.

"Tory or not, it behooves you to tell where the rebel powder is. You know the orders."

Toby turned away and went over to the other side of the old house, where he remained, looking defiantly at the guard, who thought him one of the "stubbornest rebels" he had ever seen.

Night came at last, throwing her sable pall over the memorable little place.

The last detachment of the British army had vanished, but 20 men remained behind to take care of the boy, safe in their clutches. More than once since sundown Toby was visited and urged to betray the hiding place of Gen. Washington's ammunition; but to all the pleadings and threats he turned a deaf ear, and was heartily cursed for his refusal.

"We will quit here at nine o'clock," said the sergeant, at last. "It is the last moment of grace you have, boy."

It was seven, then.

Toby listened to the retreating footsteps of the sergeant, and then the guard resumed his tramp in front of the old stone pile.

"This is Abner Bryant's work," said the little prisoner to himself. "He is mad because they watched his house, and did not give him a chance to tell Cornwallis where the powder was buried. He takes this plan to become a hero in Cornwallis' eye and to show this British commander that he is loyal to the king. Never mind, Abner. We may be quits one of these days, and you may not stand quite so high in the estimation of King George's generall"

It was almost nine o'clock when the sergeant drew up his squad and saw that their muskets were loaded with ball.

Abner Bryant and the other tories of the crossroads stood off a little distance and witnessed this ceremony.

"He'll tell," said the head tory. "The boy will weaken at the last moment, and when the rear-guard leaves us they'll take the rebel powder along."

"Certainly. His mother understands this, for she won't shed a tear, you know."

"There they go now. The sergeant is going to carry out his orders if the little rebel still remains defiant."

"In front of the stone house the detachment halted and the sentry saluted.

"It is nine o'clock," said the sergeant.

The sergeant unlocked the door, the key grating harshly in the rusty padlock, and the next moment he looked in and called for Toby.

There was no reply, and the soldier went inside.

A moment's glance seemed sufficient.

"There's a hole in the roof!" cried he.

"A hole in the roof?" echoed half a dozen voices.

"Bring a light. Quick! The little scamp has escaped."

The utmost confusion reigned.

A light was brought and revealed the interior of the stone pile; a loose clapboard in the roof told that the little rebel had actually taken flight, and the white-faced sentry seemed ready to fall on his knees with fear.

"He was here ten minutes ago. I heard him," he managed to say.

"And ten minutes to him meant a great deal. He can run like a deer," put in Abner Bryant.

"It seems to me I heard a horse cross the bridge a little while ago," remarked another and then the soldiers separated.

The sergeant and one other hastened to Toby's home and searched it, Abner Bryant ran home to get out his best horse, but a startling discovery awaited him.

The "best horse" was gone.

The excitement that followed Toby's escape was intense. The patriots of the hamlet secretly rejoiced, while the three tories bit their lips with chagrin.

Some months later Abner Bryant received a letter exploiting the good qualities of his missing horse and thanking him for the use of it.

The letter was signed "Toby Travers," and the enraged tory tore it up and threw it into the fire.

What became of the little rebel of the cross-roads?

The day after the surrender at Yorktown he was the bearer of a message from Washington to Cornwallis and the defeated general looked at him with a great deal of curiosity.

"We have met before, my lord," said Capt. Toby, with a bow.

"I've been thinking as much," answered Cornwallis, "but just now I cannot place you."

"I'm the Jersey boy who wouldn't betray the hiding place of the patriot powder."

A flush came to the Briton's face and he turned it away. But the next moment he turned suddenly to the young captain:

"We've heard from that powder since. I understand that a lot of rebels afterward unearthed it and used some of it against us in the siege of Yorktown," he said, with a smile. "Your general nearly lost a young captain that time; but I commend your courage on that occasion. You deserve to be made a major."

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Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of John B. Whelan a son of said deceased praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Ervin J. Whelan or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Tuesday, the 5th day of January, next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate office, in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said Petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said Petitione give notice to the persons interested in said estat of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. BABADAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russel, dated April 21, 1894 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 188,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1,457 53) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell, Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

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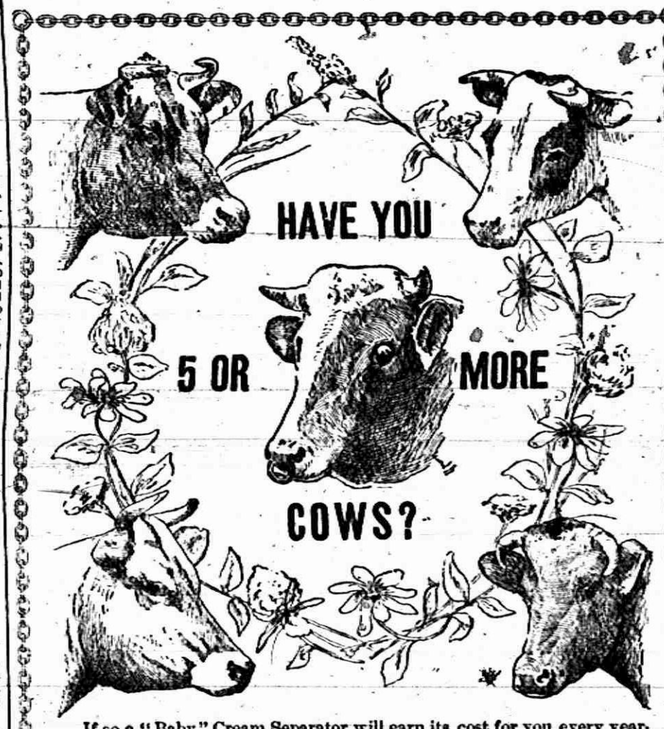

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A. W. Mills was in Adrian Monday.

Two Orphans, at the opera house next week.

C. F. Field went to Detroit Wednesday morning.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning "Prayer."

Mrs. Walter Fowler returned to her home in Ann Arbor Monday.

Charles Bidwell, deputy sheriff, visited the county seat Monday.

Fred Osborn, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of his uncle John's family.

Will Ross, of LeRoy, N. Y., is visiting his old home, Tecumseh, this week.

Mont Bangs and wife, of Toledo, spent Christmas with Tecumseh friends.

"East Lynne" at the Opera House next Monday night, 10 cents admission.

Miss Loana Davidson came home from Niles to pass the vacation with her people.

Donald Wright shot his first rabbit last week and now he is a full fledged hunter.

B. F. Steinhoff enjoyed a visit from his brother Hiram, of Simcoe, Ontario, this week.

Put Woodard returned to Detroit Sunday afternoon, taking the Wabash at Britton.

Mrs. Brown, of Blissfield, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. P. Wheeler, for several days.

Arthur Potter, of Ann Arbor, spent a few days the past week among old friends here.

E. W. Aldrich, of Brooklyn, spent Christmas with his son Fred, at the Central House.

Mrs. A. P. Coddington, who returned from Cleveland Saturday night, was quite ill Sunday.

Miss Anna Carpenter, of Blissfield, was the guest of Miss Anna Gaston over Christmas.

Prof. I. D. Loree and wife, of Lawrence, are spending the vacation with Mrs. Abbie Fisher.

Fred Aldrich, wife and son Wilson left Monday morning for a week's visit with Hillsdale friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whiting went to Detroit Saturday for several days' visit with Mrs. Whiting's people.

Fred Teachout and family, of Blissfield, were guests of David Jones and family Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Carrie Shaw and Mr. Somerville, of Adrian, spent the evening Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser.

Miss Vesta Kies arrived Saturday from Elkhart, Ind., for a short visit with relatives here and in Clinton.

Ed Williamson's grocery windows are unique to say the least and have been admired by all who have seen them.

Prof. Emmerson presented over 100 prints of subjects of Grecian sculpture to the members of the Monday club.

W. E. Young and wife, of Chicago have been visiting the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins, the past week.

Mrs. Helen Sprague, Mrs. Zimmerman's mother, has been quite ill but is now better and able to see her friends.

Mrs. H. McIntyre, of Scofield, Monroe county is spending the holidays with her uncles, Ed and C. H. Snedecor.

Mrs. W. R. Wooden and daughter Clara, of Battle Creek, are visiting Mrs. Franc Stout during the holiday vacation.

Louie Jones held the number which drew the shotgun put up at raffle by Fred Aldrich Friday evening. It is a bird.

Alf. W. James and family and Roy DeWolf, of Detroit, spent Christmas at the DeWolf homestead, on west Chicago street.

Saturday evening Coller's music store was packed with an interesting audience to hear the Gramophone he received recently. To many it was a novelty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Cairns entertained at dinner Sunday, David Jones and wife, Fred Teachout, wife and children, Miss Lulu Jones, Louie and J. M. Jones.

John Orr received a letter Monday from Dr. Arthur Sickles, of Detroit, saying he expected to be here about January 1st to complete arrangements for locating here.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club will hold its next meeting at the home of William Waldron Jan. 8, 1897.

The married people will have charge of the meeting and will render the following program:

Song. America—By the Club.
Essay—Mrs. Munger.
Rec.—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Reading—Mr. Hoag.
Music—Mrs. Welch.
Charade—Mrs. Hoag.
Rec.—Mrs. Haire.
Reading—Mrs. Aylesworth.
Song—Clark Payne.
Paper—Henry Wilson.
Chips—Mrs. Swartz.
Dialogue—Mr. and Mrs. C. Mathews.
Music—Mr. VanValkenburg.

A very pleasant time is anticipated by all.

Farmers' Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Underwood will entertain the Farmers' Union Friday evening, January 8th, 1897. Program as follows:—

Music—Jennie Underwood.
Rec.—Nina McConnell.
Reading—Mrs. James McIntyre.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Personals—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
Music.
Reading—Ella McLain.
Paper—B. F. DePuy.
Music—Mrs. Charles Staats.
Question: Can prosperity be legislated into the agricultural industry? Led by B. F. DePuy, Dr. Loree and others.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ella Sheldon Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, '97. A plan of work has been outlined for the winter and is published for the benefit of the members. Please preserve this paper for reference.

PROGRAM FOR JAN. 12.

Roll Call, name favorite author.
Ian Maclaren—Lova Gillespie.
Music—Ora And Jennie Gillespie.
J. M. Barrie—Ida Hendershot.
Reading, from "Beside the Bonny Brier Bush—John Boyce.
Song—Hazel Roberts.
Historical Questions.
Question for discussion same as published in notice of last meeting. It is earnestly requested that the members will be prepared to discuss this question as it is one of general interest to local clubs.

PROGRAM FOR JAN. 26.

Roll Call, name a battle ship or naval commander.
Our Coast Defenses—A. P. Coddington
Naval Academy at Annapolis—Mrs. (F. D. Rector.
Patriotic Recitation—Lovina Schreder

PROGRAM FOR FEB. 9.

Roll Call, quotation from either author
Ella Wheeler Wilcox—Mrs. J. Bowen
Owen Meredith—Ora Gillespie.
Reading—Mrs. Coddington.
Recitation—Edith Rector.

PROGRAM FOR FEB. 23.

Roll Call, quotations on money, wealth (or riches.
United States Mints—O. B. Finch.
Treasury Department—Ida Rector
Reading—Mrs. B. J. Rector.

PROGRAM FOR MARCH 9.

Roll Call, current events.
Board of Trade—J. F. N. Bowen.
Trusts and Combines—John Boyce.
Reading—Mrs. John Boyce.

These programs will be interspersed with music and a recitation or declamation will be given occasionally. Questions will also be added.

The crow flies 25 miles an hour, and the pigeon hawk 150 miles.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30, 1895, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich. which mortgage was recorded in Liber 139 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh in Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortagee.

Teachers in Session.

Lansing, Dec. 30.—Making the township a unit for the organization of primary school districts was strongly favored by the Michigan State Teachers' association Tuesday. Superintendent of Public Instruction Pattengill and other prominent educators indorsed the plan. The association was attended by over 500 teachers, President Angell, of the University of Michigan, and many other college presidents being present.

Natural Gas in a Mineral Well.

Mount Clemens, Dec. 29.—The engineer of the new sanitarium, while going through the pumphouse, heard a hissing noise at the mineral well. As he lighted a match flames shot across the room. Indications of natural gas were found when the well was first put down, but the pressure of water shut it off. The sanitarium people talk of putting in a second well for the gas, which is 500 feet nearer the surface than the water.

Convict May Go Free.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 28.—In the United States court this week a motion will be made to grant George Kingston, convicted of counterfeiting, a new trial. His older brother, Frank, makes affidavit assuming all the responsibility and claiming that George was an innocent partner in the work. He also implicates others, who will be arrested.

Regains Her Speech.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 28.—Miss Ida Reamer, whose home is in Michigan, on a visit to relatives here, has suddenly regained her speech. Four years ago she lost her speech through an attack of typhoid fever. Since then she has never uttered a word until now.

Sold at Auction.

Jackson, Dec. 25.—The great plant of the Collins Manufacturing company was sold at public auction by Trustee Thomas A. Wilson for $75,000. It cost nearly $200,000 three years ago and was bid in by the first mortgage holders.

Teachers Meet.

Lansing, Dec. 29.—The State Teachers' association is in annual session here with a large attendance. Monday evening Dr. Arnold Tompkins, of the University of Illinois, lectured on "The Beautiful as a Phase of Education."

Declares Dancing a Sin.

Grand Rapids, Dec. 24.—The school board declares that dancing is a sin and that the high school alumni association cannot hold dances in a school building.

Took Morphine.

Niles, Dec. 30.—Miss Lillie Belcher committed suicide at Burr Oak by swallowing morphine. The cause was disappointment in love.

Committed Suicide.

Coldwater, Dec. 30.—W. H. Hond committed suicide at his home in Union City, a few miles north of this city, Monday night by hanging. The act was prompted by financial troubles. He was president of the electric light company at Union City.

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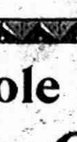

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LEANS ON MRS. LAMONT.

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Socially the Last Six Weeks of the President Administration Will Be Very Animated—Some Historic Residences.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Men like political letters. Young people enjoy descriptive letters. The ladies like society letters. The correspondent who would please his readers and thereby earn his salary should try to interest and entertain all of the patrons of the paper.

The large majority of correspondents are men, and they know very little about society; at least, not enough to write interesting social letters. But when the editor calls for a letter on social affairs, there is nothing for a man to do but call on some obliging lady friend for facts in that line; and that is what I have done.

"Write a letter about the ladies of the cabinet," says Pauline Ambler. "Write about their homes and the way they entertain people. Tell them about the intimate friendship existing between the wife of the president and the wife of the secretary of war. It is a fact that Secretary and Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont are the Lord and Lady Churchhill of the present administration. While the secretary whispers confidentially in the ear of the president, Mrs. Lamont presides sweetly but tyrannically over Mrs. Cleveland's teakettle. Mrs. Cleveland is as fondly attached to Mrs. Lamont as ever good Queen Anne was to her doting duchess. When Mrs. Lamont first went house-hunting, Mrs. Cleveland accompanied her and insisted on the secretary settling as near the white house as possible. Consequently the secretary closed the lease for the old Woods house on Lafayette square, facing the executive mansion.

This is the house that Mrs. Cleveland picked, out of all those visited, for her "dear friend." There is almost an obstructed view between the two houses, and, as Old Hickory used to signal to Van Buren across the park when affairs of state were in a flurry, so can Mrs. Cleveland call for her confidential friend when there are little social and domestic questions to be considered. The home of the secretary of war is historic itself and located in the most historic section of Washington. The old house has rather an important social history. Secretary Gideon Welles lived there during the war. Senator Stockton's family made it their home when they were leaders in the gay world of fashion. The house adjoins Daniel Webster's old residence, now the palatial home of Senator Brice. The house has no street door, but is entered through an arch driveway and French court. The Ohio senator dines all the nobility who chance to visit Washington and takes the lead in taking up the latest fads.

Miss Ambler says that during the entire administration Mrs. Lamont and Mrs. Cleveland have together settled many problems which have affected political as well as social life. Over the teapot social leaders have been created or decapitated. Over their chocolate they have discussed executive and other state dinners and decided upon the arrangements of their guests, as well as the details of menus. Thus together they have given fame to the favored and mediocrity to those who have been disfavored.

Mrs. Hoke Smith, who entertained so lavishly and brilliantly last winter, will not be here this winter, because her husband is no longer secretary of the interior. He resigned from the cabinet last August, and the family now resides in Atlanta, Ga.

The small green parallelogram between the white house and the Arlington hotel, in which Secretary Lamont's home is located, has undeniably the most interesting history of any locality in this country. At the time of the revolution it was an insignificant part of David Burns' farm. But long before the British soldiers tramped overit on their way to burn the white house in 1813 the political grandees of the land had already begun to build their homes around it. The center of that farm is now one of the most beautiful spots in Washington, Lafayette park.

MRS. GROVER CLEVELAND.

The great double mansion east of Secretary Lamont's residence was built by Matthew St. Claire Clark, long clerk of the house of representatives. It afterward became the home of the British legation. It was here Sir Bulwer Lytton lived during his embassy. It was also here that his son, "Owen Meredith," wrote "Lucile."

Facing the northwest corner of Lafayette park, and diagonally opposite the residence of Secretary Lamont, is the antique residence which Commodore Decatur built in 1812. After Decatur's death the house was successively occupied by Henry Clay, Martin Van Buren, Edward Livingstone, Jackson's secretary of state; George M. Dallas, Judah P. Benjamin, and finally Gen. Beale, whose guest Gen. Grant has been for weeks at a time. The window in the south wall of the house was ordered cut by Van Buren in order that he might see the signals displayed by Jackson from the white house.

Only a few doors from the old Woods house is the home of the Cosmos, the

MRS. DANIEL LAMONT.

largest scientific club in the world. It was erected by James Madison in 1801, when he came to Washington to serve as Jefferson's secretary of state. Twenty years later "Dolly" Madison returned after her husband's death, and there for 15 years she held court and dispensed during the remainder of her life the gracious hospitality which made her name memorable.

In the next two houses have dwelt Secretary Windom, Senator Fenton and Col. Robert G. Ingersoll. In the next house below lived Admiral Paulding, a son of the obstinate soldier, John Paulding, who captured Maj. Andre. The house is now owned and occupied by Senator Don Cameron.

The most famous house in the historic square is no longer in existence. Upon its site now stands a grand opera house. It is a shame upon the common sense of our lawmakers that the old residence should have been destroyed. It was originally the elite boarding-house of Washington, and numbered among its guests John C. Calhoun, when he was Monroe's secretary of war, and afterward vice president, and Henry Clay lived in it when he was Adams' secretary of state. Then it became the property of the celebrated Washington club, of which Sickles and Key were both members, and the tragedy which associates their name took place in front of its door. Later it became the war residence of Secretary Seward, and there the deadly assault was made upon Seward by Paine at the time of Lincoln's assassination. Last it was renotated for the home of James G. Blaine, who dwelt and died beneath its roof. The widow of that great man, with characteristic lack of respect for the brilliant husband whose whole life was clouded by domestic cares, sold the historic mansion to people who made no secret of their purpose to erect a playhouse there. Congress had an opportunity to buy it, but failed to do so.

Society has circled around the square in which these houses of historic renown are located, just as moths flutter around a light. Of course, the wife of the president is "the first lady in the land," and no woman has more worthily worn that title than Mrs. Cleveland has worn it. She has always been gracious and unconventional with the general public, while she has been regal and superb in official functions of society. But Mrs. Cleveland is like all good mothers. She cares less for society than she does for her little ones. During the first administration of her husband, when she was a young bride, she was delighted with her high social position, and enjoyed every moment of her time in social leadership. During the present administration she has been more domestic; and yet her official functions have not been neglected. She has been very greatly pleased, however, to have the active assistance and cooperation of Mrs. Secretary Lamont. Indeed, again and again has Mrs. Cleveland avoided some of the extra social amenities by directing the current of society towards the home of the secretary of war.

The wife of Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle has held a conspicuous social position, and will give numerous entertainments this winter. Secretary of the Navy Herbert, with his handsome daughter, will resume their series of entertainments early in January. The secretary of agriculture and his sister, Miss Morton, will hold weekly receptions. The wives of the postmaster-general, the secretary of the interior, the secretary of state and the attorney-general will also participate in the social festivities.

SMITH D. FRY.

A willow tree in front of Mr. Barker's house, in East Sullivan, N. H., spreads 90 feet, and is 65 feet high; and its circumference one foot above the ground is 16 feet

A FATAL CYCLONE.

It Leaves Death and Ruin in Its Path in Louisiana.

Old Town of Mooringsport Almost Entirely Wiped Out—Four Lives Lost—Blizzard Raging in Western States.

Shreveport, La., Jan. 4.—A cyclone from the southwest struck and almost literally demolished the town of Mooringsport, just north of this city, at 3:45 p. m. Saturday. Over 20 dwellings were blown down, and only seven were left intact. Four were killed and 23 wounded. The dead are Willie, Maud, Hall and an infant, all children of Jesse Goodman, who is also injured with his daughter Alice, his wife and nephew, Claude. Their home is a wreck. Three of the wounded will probably die. The cyclone came without warning, and lasted only about one minute. The following houses were destroyed:

W. H. B. Croom, grocery and cotton warehouse destroyed, main store and residence safe; Ivis' grocery, Fains' saloon, Fuller's residence, Christian's store, warehouse, residence and tenant house; Morgan's residence, Milam's residence, Ivis' residence, Goodman's residence, Teat's residence, Methodist parsonage, C. S. Croom's vacant house, O. V. Aiken's residence, W. Croom's stable and smokehouse.

In Missouri.

St. Louis, Jan. 4.—Specials from different portions of Missouri show that the state is storm swept. Rain has fallen for the past 36 hours. Every stream in the vicinity of Sedalia is out of its banks. The rain is pouring down and railway washouts are numerous. Reports from Warsaw, Bagnell and Clinton indicate a high stage of water on the Osage river. At the first named place the river has risen 20 feet and the residents thereabouts fear a repetition of last year's disastrous floods, which destroyed nearly all the crops and much stock.

Blizzard in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 4.—A blizzard is blowing in this section over an area 400 miles north and south and 600 miles east and west. Over most of Minnesota it has been snowing from 14 to 20 hours and there is from seven to sixteen inches of snow on the ground. The wind is blowing a gale from the north.

Closes the Schools.

Aberdeen, S. D., Jan. 5.—Aberdeen and all tributary country are in the throes of the worst wind and snowstorm experienced in many years. The gale Sunday nigh reached a velocity of 60 miles per hour and considerable damage was done about the city. The electric light and telephone systems are knocked out. It was found impossible Monday morning to convene the city schools after the holiday season. The snow is piled in drifts on the principal streets from eight to ten feet deep.

Blizzard Is Over.

Hudson, S. D., Jan. 6.—The greatest snow and windstorm since the settlement of this part of South Dakota abated yesterday morning. It was of 50 hours' duration. Two feet of snow fell, and it is piled in immense drifts so solid that several days will elapse before the streets are passable.

Victims of the Cold.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—There was loss of life in the blizzard of Sunday and Monday. A telegram from Barnesville came to Representative McGrath saying his brother, John McGrath, was lost in the storm and perished before he could reach shelter. A dispatch from Fargo says two children of John Petit, of Hunter, were frozen to death. In Atchison, Kan., a ten-year-old child was found dead in a snowdrift.

American Monopoly in China.

New York, Jan. 6.—Senator Calvin S. Brice, at the head of a close syndicate of United States officeholders and capitalists, has nearly concluded arrangements for the establishment of a monopoly of the railroad, telephone and telegraphic systems in China. The first negotiations for this huge monopoly were made when Li Hung Chang was in this country last summer.

Five Hurt in a Wreck.

Carson, Ia., Jan. 6.—The passenger train on the Burlington jumped a trestle entering the city Tuesday morning. John Surles, conductor; Robert Adkins, Henderson, Ia.; S. E. Lamb, expressman; Miss May Paul, Henderson, and Curtis Curran, brakeman, were injured. Adkins' wounds are supposed to be fatal.

The Public Debt.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The debt statement shows a net decrease in the public debt less cash in the treasury during December of $2,839,577.48. The interest bearing debt increased $170. The non-interest bearing debt increased $123,534 and cash in the treasury increased $2,963,281.48.

They Were Innocent.

Lexington, Mo., Jan. 6.—It has been discovered that Jesse Winner and James Nelson, who were taken from the jail here on the night of December 6 and lynched by a mob for the murder of the former's wife and two children, were innocent.

Fitzsimmons and Corbett Matched.

New York, Jan. 5.—Bob Fitzsimmons is matched to fight Jim Corbett for a purse of $15,000 and a side bet of $5,000 on March 17. Fitzsimmons signed the articles Monday afternoon at Taylor's hotel, Jersey City. Corbett signed them three weeks ago.

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Clinton Column.

George A. Kies is home for a few days.

Chickenpox in Frank Reidel's family.

John Machen drove over to Ypsilanti Monday.

Miss Mamie Minger spent Christmas in Manchester.

Mamie Fletcher, of Ridgeway, is visiting Florence House.

Mrs. F. E. Sherwood is visiting friends at Fowlerville.

Mrs. George Bowen went to Mason Saturday, to visit friends.

Frank Hogan was home from Chicago from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. F. L. Woodward and Donna, returned to Hudson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, of Jackson, are visiting in Clinton.

Tom Noon, of Chicago, was in town from Thursday until Saturday.

Arrived at the home of Rev. Stephenson, Saturday, a ten pound girl.

Next regular meeting of the O. E. S. Wednesday evening January 13th.

Mrs. George Miller, of Manchester, spent Sunday at Patrick Murphy's.

Miss Alice Carroll, came home from Detroit, Thursday for a week's visit.

L. J. Leek left Saturday for Lansing expecting to be gone about three weeks.

Rufus Raymond and wife, of Mason, were guests at C. E. Corwin's Saturday.

Mertillo Still, of Ypsilanti, visited Clinton friends the latter part of last week.

Peter B. Gregg returned Monday from a few days' visit with Detroit friends.

Will Stevenson was up from Tecumseh the latter part of last week, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Priest, of Toledo, are spending the holidays with his mother.

Mrs. H. H. Halladay spent a few days the latter part of last week with Napoleon friends.

George Dorr and wife, of Grass Lake, were New Years guests at W. H. Dorr's, west of town.

Dr. E. Newcomb, after a short visit with Clinton relatives, left Tuesday for Oberlin, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis and daughter Agnes, of Hillsdale, visited relatives here Thursday.

Miss Mabel Clements, of Tecumseh, attended the leap year party last Thursday night.

Frank McGuire returned to Toledo Monday, after a two weeks' visit at his home east of town.

Miss Nettie Keyser returned Monday from a week's visit with her grandmother, at Tecumseh.

Clarence Hause came up from Britton Friday to spend a few days with his brothers, Irve and Will.

Miss Minnie Humphrey, of Toledo, spent Christmas with relatives here, returning Monday morning.

G. R. Gillespie returned Monday from Monroe, where he had been for the past few days on business.

E. D. Newcomb and wife, of Brooklyn, were guests of John T. Clark's from Saturday until Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Woodward and daughter Donna, of Hudson, came here Saturday for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Woodwood, and little granddaughter, Donna, and Miss Lina Jones, spent Tuesday in Manchester.

Miss Laura Haggart returned to Buchanan Friday after a visit of two weeks with her brother Dave and family.

Mrs. George Sanford and little daughter returned home Saturday after spending a few days with her parents at Norvell.

Miss Vesta Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., and Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, visited their grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George DePuy, who have been visiting friends at Belmont, Kent county, for the past ten days, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Wilder and son Jamie, of Adrian, spent Christmas at her father's, Patrick Murphy's. They returned home Monday.

Thomas Ward, wife and daughter, of Napoleon, and Milton Ward and two children, of Morenci, attended the funeral of little Clyde Redick last Thursday.

Miss Grace Davis and Mrs. C. H. Fisk and daughter who have been spending the Christmas season at their old home west of town, returned to Detroit Saturday.

At a meeting of the ladies' working society of St. John's church last Monday evening, the following officers were

Pres.—Mrs. W. S. Whittelsey
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. G. R. Wolf.
2d " " —" E. S. Tate.
Sec.—Mrs. E. Van De Mark.
Treas.—Mrs. C. F. Clark.

"I am an old soldier of the Rebellion. A year ago I was in bed all winter with chronic rheumatism. Three doctors failed to give me relief. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters put me on my feet. It is worth its weight in gold." W. B. Knapp, Litchfield, Hillsdale Co., Mich.

HOLLOWAY.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stuart is ill.

Grange meeting next Tuesday evening at Maccabee hall.

Mesdames Ida Spencer and Elizabeth Kelley are still on the sick list.

L. C. Winchip is still in Adrian in attendance at this term of court.

Miss Catherine Bowers commenced a term of school in the West district Monday.

Frank Stead returned to Ann Arbor Monday to pursue his studies at the university.

A surprise was given Miss Isabel Clark last week and an enjoyable evening was passed.

A. D. Macham and family spent New Years with the family of Wm. Rector, near Tecumseh.

Miss Eva Rector visited her aunts, Mesdames Jennie Macham and Mary Benedict last week.

Miss Abbie Ray and J. L. Richard each renewed their school work in their respective districts Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Islay, of Blissfield, have been spending a week with their son Edward and family.

George McClenathan has greatly added to the appearance of his residence by a coat of paint and a fine veranda.

A. H. Lewis returned from Shelleyville Wednesday of last week. His wife and daughter returned Monday.

A surprise was given Frank Kishpaugh December 29th by the pupils of his former Sunday school class, and others.

Mrs. Fessenden, of Adrian, and Miss Nellie Tompson, a student of the Ypsilanti Normal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Lane over Sunday.

Mr. James Bussard writes from Sharpsburg, Md., as follows: "I had neuralgia in my head and jaws, and could get nothing to relieve me until I tried Lightning Hot Drops, which gave relief inside of thirty minutes, and I have not had it since. It is the best medicine I ever saw to relieve any pain. It will do more than is claimed for it.

Mr. W. R. Shimfessel, of Clay City, Powell Co., Ky., writes: "Lightning Hot Drops is a grand remedy for a bad cold. After taking only one dose before retiring it broke up a bad cold which had annoyed me for several days."

Mr. Samuel Niswanger, of Armington, Ill., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Lightning Cough Drops for the last year. I don't think I would be alive today, only for this medicine. I am in my 87th year. I recommend Lightning Hot Drops to all who have a cough."

So far as possible leave nothing on the ground in the orchard that will afford a harboring place for insect pests during the winter.

A tired stomach is very much like a sprained ankle. If you suffer from any of the symptoms of dyspepsia, your stomach is tired. It needs a crutch. We must relieve it of all work for a time, or until it is restored to its natural strength. To do this successfully, we must use a food which is already digested outside of the body, and which will aid the digestion of other foods that may be taken with it. Such a product is the Shaker Digestive Cordial. The Shakers have utilized the digestive principles present in plants for the manufacture of this article, and its success has been truly phenomenal. You can try it for the nominal sum of 10 cents, as sample bottles are sold by all druggists at this price.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

The time to cut scions for grafting is before the buds swell in February. The work should be done when they are not frozen.

The sick man knocking at the door of health gets in if he knocks the right way, and stays out if he doesn't. There are thousands of ways of getting sick but only one way to get well. Do whatever you will, if you do not put your digestion in good order, and make your blood rich and pure, you will not get well. Rich, pure blood is the only thing that can bring perfect health. Constipation is a disease of the blood. A large part of all diseases are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating them with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites a copious secretion of the digestive fluids and promotes assimilation. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be, kills them and forces them out of the system. The Golden Medical Discovery" has been has been used with unvarying success for over 30 years.

George Greenwood, born at Malden, Mass., in 1826, lived to a good old age but never sprouted a single hair on either head or face.

THREE YEARS AGO

C. W. Knaner was Cured of Chronic Catarrh—His Cure Remains Permanent.

C. W. Knaner, Sheldon, Iowa, writes [illegible] troubled with catarrh for over two years; so bad at last I could not work but two or three days in a week. I tried two doctors without any relief. At times I was so bad that I could not hear. After using nine bottles of Pe-ru-na I was completely cured and believe Pe-ru-na will do all you claim if the directions are followed. I heartily recommend it to all who are afflicted with catarrh. I should call my cure lasting, for I have been working in an elevator for three years (among the dirt and dust of wheat)."

No greater test could be made of any cure, than three years' exposure to the dust and dirt of a grain elevator. This letter is a sample of those we receive daily. They come unsolicited and unrewarded. They express the sentiments of the writer in words that are direct and forcible.

A book on catarrh will be sent to any address by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

A strong microscope shows the single hairs of the head to be like coarse, round rasps, but with teeth extremely irregular and jagged.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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S. F. Fritz, of 677 Sedgwick street, Chicago, says: "I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved; I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life." Orr & Temple.

The best yield of fruit both for quality and quantity is grown on a rich, well cultivated soil. Keep it rich by giving repeated applications of manure.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's

The old Alexandrian Library contained 700,000 volumes; the largest collection ever brought together before the invention of printing.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He failed to use Foley's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. Orr & Temple.

Naturalists who have investigated the matter say that a bat's heart is aided by the "rythmic contraction of vein in the wings."

It Grows.

As a cure for constipation and indigestion Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin grows rapidly in favor where introduced. Children love its taste, for it is so pleasant. Trial size 10c. Regular size 50c and $1 of Orr & Temple.

If any trees in the orchard are not bearing well, stir the soil thoroughly and apply a good dressing of wood ashes, this work can be done in winter.

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Hard rubbing is the sleight of hand. A prompt cure is The Magic.

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During the winter is a good time to plant out the small fruit plot and the orchard.

BACK ACHE and RHEUMATISM relieved by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.

Do not allow too many new plants among the blackberries and raspberries.

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People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

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It is not too late to mulch the fall planted onion sets if the work has not been done before.

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To take Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Chicago and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m
New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m
Detroit Accommodation	8:40 p m
New York Express	9:37 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
Chicago Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:45 p. m.
St. Louis Express	4:15 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 805. Express.	No. 849 Accom
Lv	6 00 A. M.	2 00 P. M.	12 30 P M
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 35 "	2 45 "	1 45 "
Clinton	6 55 "	2 59 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 16 "	2 26 "
Adrian Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	3 [illegible]
Lv	8 00 "	4 30 "	
Detroit Ar	9 40 "	6 35 "	10 [illegible]
Toledo	8 00 "	4 35 "	

Train No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 8 5 Accom
Detroit		6 00 P.M.	
Toledo		7 50 "	
Adrian		8 40 "	4 00 A M
Tecumseh		9 25 "	8 0. "
Clinton		9 35 "	9 05 "
Manchester		9 50 "	
Norvell		10 07 "	9 47 "
Napoleon		10 15 "	10 15 "
Jackson		10 35 "	10 [illegible]

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Time Table in effect Dec. 27, 1896.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EASTBOUND.

No. 21,	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

WESTBOUND.

No. 22,	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
No. 26,	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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of the original grant.

7. Provide that no franchise of the character above enumerated shall be granted by any municipal authority without being submitted to a vote of the people.

I appreciate the fact that the passage of such a law, by which the people can be protected from extortion and fraud, will be opposed by every friend of special privileges, not only in this state, but that they will be reinforced by agents from other states who represent like interests. I cannot emphasize in too great a degree the necessity for some action in the line here indicated. Unless some such course is pursued it will be necessary to provide for state or municipal ownership of street car lines, telephones and other means of transportation and transmission, and I believe that such a plan should only be adopted as a last resort, for in my opinion it would [illegible] unwarranted enterprise and exertion, and when these are lost the virility of the nation will be destroyed.

In this connection I desire to call attention to the question of fraud and corruption in securing public franchises and in the awarding of public contracts. It has always been a principle of law that fraud vitiates all contracts, and yet it has been held that the right to operate a public franchise is such a divine right that fraud cannot affect it. This matter has been often referred to in connection with the case of Jake Sharp and the Broadway street car franchise. Briber and bribed were sent to prison, but the fruit of their corruption was held by the courts to be too sacred to be touched. Before the courts of Michigan give their sanction to such a code of morals I would suggest that a law be passed making all public contracts, like private contracts, absolutely void for fraud or corruption. The manner of raising the question of fraud and the time within which and by whom it can be taken advantage of must be wisely considered by you.

Telephones.

Great interest within the past year has been manifested in the construction of telephone plants. Previous to that time the Bell company has had the absolute monopoly. The rates charged have been extortionate. It has been argued by some that the telephone business is a natural monopoly. There is no such thing as a natural monopoly in telephone any more than in railroad or telegraph service. In addition to what I have already said under the head of public franchises I make the following suggestions as to telephones:

1. The law should permit the fixing of telephone rates by the local authorities in each municipality or town.

2. All companies should be required to charge the same price for the same service and no one should be permitted to give free service upon any consideration. A company which for years has charged double rates could for a number of years give free service, and the result might be to wreck a younger company, destroy capital and enterprise and leave the community in the hands of the old monopoly.

3. All telephone companies in a city should be compelled to exchange telephone service, upon terms to be fixed by the municipal authorities. The present law contains a provision looking to that end, but I am satisfied that it is too indefinite to be made available.

4. The law against consolidation of telephone companies should be made so positive and emphatic, and contain such penalties and forfeitures that it would be impossible to evade it.

Prisons.

The treatment of criminals is one of the vexed questions of the age. Criminals are of two classes, corrigible and incorrigible. These should be kept separate in all jails, prisons and reformatory institutions. The original purpose of the establishment of the prison at Ionia was to provide a place for those who were not deemed to be hardened criminals. I fear that this purpose has not always been kept in view. I recommend that some discretion be lodged in the prison boards for transferring from Ionia prison those who have been found to be incorrigible, and also for transferring from prisons to Ionia such inmates as may be deemed to be corrigible. There can be no greater nursery for crime than a prison which permits the association of the vicious with those who are merely unfortunate.

The care of criminals is another question which becomes every year a subject for more serious and thoughtful consideration. The employment of machinery and the manufacture of articles which compete with the products of our great industries is in my opinion fundamentally and radically wrong. Hundreds of great prisons in the United States have become immense manufacturing establishments. Will it not be proper to make an effort to secure a change from the present system? I cannot outline at length a plan for such change, but would respectfully offer a few suggestions as a basis for legislation. Would it not be well to investigate the question of utilizing and enlarging the present system of prison farms to the greatest possible extent for the production of such articles of food as may be necessary to feed prisoners? If hand labor only were employed both upon the farms and within the walls, it seems to me that the prisoners could be kept at work and could produce enough for their own support without creating a surplus and thus crowding the market with prison-made goods. The sale of prison-made goods in competition with the products of free labor has a tendency to reduce prices for such goods and hence reduce wages. The mingling of prison-made goods with others enables these handling the same to cut the prices below a fair profit, and in order to obviate this I am of the opinion that all prison-made goods should be labeled and no label should be removed until the final purchase from the retailer. Such a law is in force in the state of New York, and I have been informed with good results.

Insurance.

Gov. Pingree discusses at some length the methods of fixing rates adopted by insurance companies in Michigan, and declares that by these methods rates of insurance no longer become a matter of contract between the insurer and the insured, but an assessment without notice and without escape on the part of the person applying for insurance. He continues:

I believe you can find some way by which the field of insurance may be open to fair competition and without injustice being done to the companies. It is also suggested that the form of policy in use and authorized by the statutes of this state be examined with a view to making the same more liberal for the insured.

I find that but few of the state institutions are supplied with Michigan coal. As the state is interested in the development of these mines I would suggest the propriety of the more extended use of this fuel by these institutions, all things being equal.

Good Roads.

There is absolutely no question as to the necessity of good roads for Michigan; but the state, rendered poor by unequal direct taxation and exorbitant indirect taxation, cannot afford at the present time to enter into the great work of constructing public roads at an outlay that will assure substantial highways which will endure for some time to come. The state government must first satisfy the people with a measure of equal taxation before the question of good roads can be entered upon indeed, before any measure involving an appropriation of public money is seriously approached. We have before us the lesson of the spectacle of the administration immediately preceding the present, consciously or unconsciously in aid of those who successfully shift taxation from their own to the shoulders of others, cutting away from the appropriation for the chief educational institution of the state. And this in obedience to the wishes of the largest body of taxpayers in the state who in their distress, and perhaps aware of the possible hopelessness of enforcing equal taxation, were willing to sacrifice along the lines of education to retain the proper support of the home. I would therefore urge upon the legislature, if the institutions of the state are to be maintained at all; if the proper work of the state is not to be abandoned; if all classes of citizens are to be treated alike before the law, that the question of equal taxation be seriously taken up and treated with impartiality.

Arbitration.

In the experience of the state of Michigan, if not in that of the United States, it is found that the military arm is called into requisition to suppress riots, chiefly on account of disagreements between corporations and their employes. Recourse to the military should be the final extreme resort. It is the duty of corporations to live at peace with their neighbors. And employes have a like duty to perform. Neither has any rights superior to the other in the eyes of the people. It is the duty of the state to preserve the peace and defend the rights of all. But it is also the duty of the state to prevent that which tends to disturb the peace or which infringes such rights and to that end laws have been passed and courts have been instituted. To further promote that end, I would recommend that no body of men be allowed the privilege of incorporation without their free consent, expressed in the articles of incorporation, as in part consideration for such privilege, that all disputes found impossible of adjustment between employer and employe, should be referred to arbitrators, in accordance with the latest platform declaration of the republicans of Michigan, that of the state convention for 1894, held at Grand Rapids.

Statistics Relating to Corporations.

The value of statistics to the state relating to corporations is incalculable. But they are valueless if they do not extend far enough to afford the legislature absolutely safe material from which to gather the correct deductions upon which the regulation of corporations is based. The day of absolute reliance upon competition, especially between transportation lines, is passed and the day of the trust and the combine is here, and the legislature must stand between the rights of the people of the state and the encroachments of the trusts and combines. To hide successfully is to swindle successfully. The people are entitled to all of the facts in relation to the creations of their representatives and all of the facts relating thereto should be gathered by the state and placed in the hands of each and every elector of the state free of technicalities. Information is education and private publications, like private schools, have private purposes. If it is the duty of the state to educate children, it is likewise the duty of the state to inform the people.

If, for example of the importance of such statistics, it is required to know to-day the earning capacity of any given railroad in Michigan upon which to base a maximum rate of fare it cannot be obtained from the public reports of the state, surprising as it is, because the number of passengers other than employes hauled on passes is not shown in such reports. Yet passes are being regularly written by railroad attorneys for United States senators, United States representatives and for other public servants whose good will is valuable to the roads. Certain classes of shippers, as also certain classes of so-called influential people, inclusive of certain newspaper publishers, obtain passes. So, too, the public statistics do not show the amount of money expended by railroads for the maintenance of lobbyists at this capitol. Actual earnings of roads do not show their earning capacity by any means; and passes and the money maintenance of lobbyists are not all the lacking figures of the problem, the solution of which would show conclusively that bad management, growing out of the exploitation of watered stocks and bonds, is ruining the railroads and checking the development of the earning capacity of the state of Michigan. Actual value of roads and rolling stock and actual cost of operation are not clearly known and set forth. As for freight rates, they are at the option of the companies either to raise to exorbitant figures for occasions of speculation in the stock market or to reduce to figures intended to ruin a competitor or favor the monopolistic designs of a shipper, and the ordinary statistician must fail in following the changes.

Coercion of Electors.

As a guard against coercion of voters; a provision for the safeguard of the ballot; an additional assurance of the independence of the voter and the purity of elections, I would recommend that a penalty be provided by an act of the legislature severe enough to prevent corporations of a public character exerting undue influence in elections.

Fish Propagation.

I recommend that the legislature, at its coming session, pass such laws as may be needed to increase the productiveness of the fisheries and maintain their benefits for future generations. An act should be passed enlarging the meshes of the nets and imposing a severe penalty for the taking of small fish; a close season should be made to protect the spawning fish, and a license to be laid on the boats and nets similar to the one now in force in Canada, and income derived from such licenses must not only maintain the fish commission in their work of artificial propagation as at present established, and its enlargement in the future to its fullest possibilities, but at the some time provide a substantial revenue for the state.

Banking Department.

While I believe that most of our state banks are well managed, and in good condition, still the lessons taught by the failures during the past two years should not be unheeded or forgotten, and I feel that I cannot too strongly urge attention to this subject.

From the report of the commissioner on banking, it appears that there are now upwards of 170 state banks and three trust companies in existence in our state with a liability to depositors of $35,000,000.

This is three times the number shown by the first annual report and over twice the liability to depositors.

The severe strain of the past three years has increased the burden and responsibilities of those charged with the administration of banks, and has developed some weak points in our banking laws. During the period mentioned a number of banks have failed. In the city of Lansing alone three state banks [illegible] owing up nearly $1,000,000 of depositors' money. The cause of these, and in fact nearly all bank failures, may be distinctly traced to the excessive loans made to the officers of those banks and to the various business concerns in which these officers are interested. It is hardly necessary to add that most of these loans were made in violation of the law or by evading it.

It seems to be a fact that too few bank directors understand banking and most of them find it easier, at least when times are good, to leave the management of the bank with its cashier or some other one officer. Something certainly should be done that will make bank directors more familiar with the affairs of the bank and thus prevent mismanagement for which they are morally, and should be legally, responsible. The quarterly reports, which are now required to be made to the commissioner, should be verified by the oath of all those who are required to sign the report and the oath should contain a statement that they have personally examined the books and assets of the bank and that from such examination they personally know that the statement signed by them is true in substance and in fact. It should be made obligatory upon each bank to require from its cashier or treasurer such a bond as shall be approved by the banking commissioner. Whenever a cashier or treasurer shall, without authority shown upon the records of the bank, discount or cash any negotiable paper or security of any kind, it should be regarded and treated as an unlawful use of the money in the bank and appropriately punished. A full and complete record of the actions of the board of directors relative to loans and discounts should be kept, which record should be signed by all those present. There is altogether too much red tape in the manner of getting a receiver under the present law.

In this country, where sudden fortunes are often made by some fortunate speculative enterprise, the temptation to make unsafe and illegitimate investments with depositors' money is often too great to be overcome. Severe punishment should be meted out to those officers and managers of banks who are thus led to betray their trusts. Business prosperity depends upon sound banking. Without it we must always expect to pay a higher rate of interest than our business will warrant.

What I have said relative to banks applies with equal force to building and loan associations. Savings banks, pure and simple, with no capital stock—the depositors standing in the relation of shareholders to the extent of their deposits and profit sharers pro rata—are not obliged to earn money for shareholders and depositors, too. They are enabled to make very conservative investments. As there is no incentive to make great profits, such institutions are obviously in the interest of depositors, to whom a reasonable dividend can be paid. I recommend that our general banking laws be amended to admit of such societies for savings in Michigan.

Without reflecting upon any previous administration, I feel it my duty here to call your attention and that of the people of the state of Michigan to a deficiency which exists, and which, I am informed, has existed for some time, in the state finances. This has necessitated the borrowing of considerable sums of money, as high sometimes as $500,000, without authority of law, in order to bridge over emergencies when there were no funds in the state treasury. This condition should not be continued, but should be met openly and manfully and provided for in an intelligent and businesslike manner. It is not so necessary to ascertain where the responsibility for this deficiency exists as it is to provide for the existing condition without subterfuge.

Short Legislative Sessions.

I would respectfully call your attention to the provision of the constitution requiring sessions of the legislature to be held biennially. This and the granting of special municipal charters are the two great obstacles in the way of short sessions of the legislature. I recommend that an amendment to the constitution requiring annual sessions of the legislature of not over 60 days each to be submitted to the people. I also suggest the advisability of your honorable body taking a recess for one year after a session of 60 days.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russel, dated April 21, 1890 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 , in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 188,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1,457 53) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1898, Samuel Tarzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 111 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897

SARAH C. ROGERS. Mortgagee.
G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5 of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumberences by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 38 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

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Dated January 8, 1897.

CLARISSA PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

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PINGREE TAKES THE OATH.

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Lansing, Jan. 2.—Gov.-elect Pingree arrived at the state capital shortly before noon Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Pingree and a party of friends from Detroit. Precisely at 12 noon Chief Justice Long, of the supreme court, administered the oath of office to Governor-elect Pingree, who, as one not needing such a formality, as the new governor of Michigan. His simple, unostentatious ceremony added to his conspicuous personality by at once placing him in the anomalous position of occupying the office of governor and at the same time that of mayor of Detroit, which latter office it is understood he proposes to retain.

All precedents in the inauguration of state officers were overthrown and the governor-elect stood alone in the presence of the chief justice, with the exception of Land Commissioner French, who, seemingly, was the only other state officer-elect who had been invited to take the oath with Mr. Pingree. The others, uncertain as to the programme, had taken the oath of office at various times. Gov. Rich was the first to congratulate his successor, and a genial handshaking followed, participated in by those of the gubernatorial party and a few Lansing citizens who had come in to witness the proceedings. The first official act was affixing his signature to the commission of Joseph W. Selden, deputy secretary of state.

It was understood that Mr. Pingree had objected to the selection, and Secretary of State Gardner placed the commission before him with some doubt of the result. The expected storm did not arise, and the Rubicon was crossed. J. A. Tomlinson, of Lapeer, was appointed executive clerk in the governor's office and Leonard Slosson, of Reed City, clerk in the law department of the state library.

KILLED BY A WOMAN.

Prominent Michigan Farmer Is Shot Dead.

Harrisville, Mich., Jan. 6. — James Anderson, a prominent farmer and ex-under sheriff of this county, was shot and instantly killed by Mrs. Robert Dobson, the wife of a prominent farmer of Haynes township. Anderson was sitting in his buggy in front of the Huron house, when Mrs. Dobson stopped and began talking to him. The conversation lasted only a few minutes, and then the woman suddenly drew a revolver and fired four shots into Anderson's body, killing him instantly.

Mrs. Dobson was immediately placed under arrest. Her husband, who is one of the most prominent citizens of the township, is prostrated over the shooting. The motive for the killing was scandalous stories which had been circulated regarding Mrs. Dobson, and Anderson's refusal to deny them. Mrs. Dobson is very nervous, but exhibits no signs of regret for her action. In an interview she said:

"My motive for shooting Anderson was because he has brought horrible disgrace upon myself and family. I preferred death to facing the world with the stigma of shame he had brought upon me. While I was in Bay City last August Anderson followed me there and by the use of drugs caused me to do things that have disgraced me forever. When the drug was out of my system I determined to make Anderson deny the stories he had circulated regarding me or kill him. He obstinately refused to make any retraction whatever. To-day is the first time I have seen him since my return from Bay City, and you know what I have done."

TAX TITLES INVULNERABLE.

Decision by the Supreme Court Affects a Vast Amount of Property.

Lansing, Jan. 6.—The supreme court has made a ruling which renders tax titles practically invulnerable. Louis Sands, a wealthy Manistee lumberman, in common with other extensive owners of timber lands, has been wont to let his land be sold to the state for taxes, his programme being to contest the tax titles and have them set aside. A tract of his property was sold last year by the state for the taxes of 1891, and in Tuesday's decision the court affirmed the sale. The opinion says that all irregularities in the proceedings previous to the sale are foreclosed by the confirmation of the sale, and that the tax law was designed to make people pay their taxes. Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property, scattered all over the state, is affected by the ruling.

William B. Smith Dead.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 4.—William B. Smith, proprietor of Smith's opera house, died Sunday, aged 54 years. He was born in Chillicothe, O., opened a music hall in Buffalo, moved to Saginaw in 1872, and established a theater there, managed a theater in Syracuse, N. Y., and in 1879 came to this city. He was the oldest manager in Michigan and one of the best known in vaudeville circles in the country.

Greatest Depth of Snow.

Marquette, Jan. 2.—The Marquette weather station had for many years the distinction of reporting the greatest snowfall in the United States. Snow lines on old weather maps showed Marquette as the radiating point. Last winter the deepest snow fell at Sault Ste. Marie, and the map was changed. Now the copper country is the place of deepest snow, Marquette seeming to be almost on the edge of the belt.

Calve Will Sing at Ann Arbor.

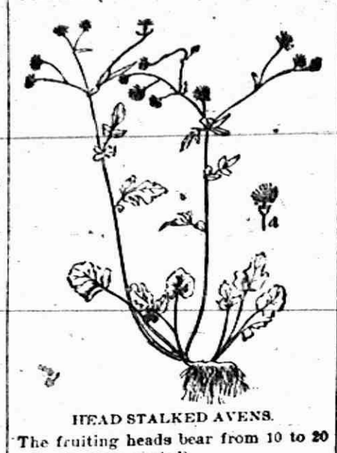
Ann Arbor, Jan. 6.—Musical circles here have been aroused by the announcement made by the University Musical society that Emma Calve has been secured as the leading soprano for the annual May festival. The other artists have not yet been announced, but it is assured they will be up to the standard, and the securing of Calve assures a great success.

Kalamazoo, Dec. 31.—Chief Simon Pokagon, of the Pottawattomie Indians, says the tribe has a larger claim against the government than the one just settled. It is for 5,000,000 acres of land in Iowa, which had been taken from the Pottawattomies without pay. Pokagon expects no difficulty in the settling of this claim.

HEAD-STALKED AVENS.

Must Be Destroyed Root and Branch to Get Rid of It.

The drawing represents a common weed belonging to the rose family. It is headstalked avens (Geum Vernum) and on account of the hooked tails of its seeds is somewhat troublesome, clinging to wool or clothing. The blossom is inconspicuous with five small yellow petals, five reflexed sepals and numerous pistils crowded in a conical stalked head, the stalk being at first short, but later quite prominent. The seed or achenia are flattened, about one-eighth inch long; the persistent style is nearly as long and at about two-thirds its length from the base is bent into a hook and from this the other third abruptly shoots out parallel to the longer part. As the seed matures the end of the style drops off, leaving the longer portion with its hooked end. The styles are smooth and weakish, so do not cling so obstinately to clothing as stick-tights.



HEAD STALKED AVENS.

The fruiting heads bear from 10 to 20 achenia (one seeded).

The leaves vary in shape, the stem leaves being lobed, with two irregular edged stipules at the base of the petiole; the root leaves on long slender stems are either like the stem leaves or rounded, with irregular serate edges, as if inclined to become lobed.

The plant has a sprangling habit, the long slender stems not standing erect, but ascending obliquely, and toward the top branching into irregular flower panicles, as shown in the drawing. The plant attains a height of one to three feet, and often covers considerable patches with its tangled mass of stems. The drawing shows how the plant sometimes has a creeping base, sending up two or more stalks. After the seed has ripened and fallen, the stalk dies, leaving only the root leaves green to furnish sustenance for the root during the remainder of the season.

The plant blossoms in April and May or into June of a late spring. The petals remain on but a short time and the seed speedily begins to ripen. It prefers rather shady places, like old orchards, thickets, fence corners, but often gets a footing in low meadows. It has usually been meadows bordering woods where I have noticed it in grass.

There are several kinds of avens, some bearing white, some yellow and some purple petaled blossoms, but the general characteristics of all are so similar that knowing one it is easy to recognize most of the others. Being a perennial, it is necessary to destroy it "root and branch" in order to be rid of it, and thorough cultivation is the most effective means of killing the roots where the weed has secured considerable access.—Harriet Moseb, in Ohio Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

One item in renovating an old orchard is to provide good drainage.

No fruit is more certain to give good annual crops than the strawberry.

Generally grapes give a good return for the land and labor required to grow them.

Wood ashes make a good fertilizer for strawberries, raspberries, currants and grapes.

The currant and gooseberry are grown, probably, with less trouble than any other small fruit.

A bent and crooked tree is always an eyesore. The time to train them is when they are young.

Clean up the orchard, saw and cut out the dead branches and burn or mote all rubbish so that it will not harbor insect pests.

Many injurious insects winter among the dead leaves and branches. The safest plan is to gather up and burn them.

On warm soils the buds of fruit trees often start early and are liable to be nipped by frost. Mulching heavily in the fall or early winter will largely prevent this.

It is not best to dig the hole for the tree any deeper than the tree is to be planted, otherwise it will stand in a puddle of water.—St. Louis Republic.

Peaches in the Garden.

Concerning growing peaches in the garden, American Gardening says: "The possibilities of well-cared-for trees in the home garden are scarcely to be imagined. If one build a small chicken yard about a newly set tree he may have the tree in bearing next year, and with a head equal to that of the ordinary tree set twice as long. The chance seedling, in rich and favorable situations, may give two bushels of choice fruit at four years from seed, without a particle of culture."

To Keep Rabbits from Trees.

Make a thick whitewash by dissolving a fresh lump of lime. When the lime is slacking add under cover a half pound of pine tar. When the wash is prepared add a fourth of a pound of powdered red pepper. Rake away the rubbish around the trees and apply the wash. Rabbits and mice will not trouble them. I have used it many years. It is a good protection from sun the next season.—E. Bodman, in Prairie

FORECLOSURE.

ON the seventh day of April 1893, Charles H. Mangas and Martha E Mangas mortgaged to Alice B Hardenburgh all that parcel of land situate and being in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: All that part of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty (20) of town five (5) south of range four (4) east which lies south of the centre of the Sand Lake road formerly so-called, containing sixty (60) acres of the lands hereby mortgaged and conveyed, to secure the payment of the sum of fourteen hundred dollars, five years from the date thereof with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1893, duly recorded in the register of deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 139 of mortgages on page 000. And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of $ 00 00 as remains unpaid with all arrearages of interest thereon shall at the option of said mortgagee, her executors, administrators or assigns become and be due and payable immediately thereafter although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of said interest to the amount of $102.95, all of which has been unpaid and in arrear for upward of sixty days, the undersigned mortgagee, hereby elects to declare the whole amount due, both principle and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of fifteen hundred and two and ninty-five hundredths dollars ($1502.95) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken to secure the payment of the same or any part thereof

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the moneys so due and unpaid on said mortgage, and the interest thereon hereafter to become due at said rate the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including also the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, the above described lands and premises will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) on the 5th day of April, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

ALICE B. HARDENBURGH,
Mortgagee.

CHARLES BURRIDGE,
Attorney for said mortgagee.
Dated January 8th, 1897.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

BACK ACHE and RHEUMATISM relieved by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30, 1893, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 159 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the powar of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1897, (that at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.

Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Coal, Lumber and Sewer Pipe.

Specialties:

Red Cedar Posts,

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The Largest Stock.

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There are Stores and Stores in which to buy Groceries, but the place to buy is where they keep the best and most complete stock and where they uniformly quote the Lowest Prices This place is in Tecumseh at James Lowry's.

I Offer Everything

in the line of

Boots and Shoes

(leather goods)

in my store at

20 per cent Discount.

till January 30th. Also a liberal discount in

Overcoats and Ulsters

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A Fine Line of Canned Goods

Tomatoes, Sweet Corn, Peas, Lima Beans, Pineapple, Pumpkin.

All at the Lowest Cash Price.

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Do you use

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Warranted to give satisfaction.

Dickinson Bros.

N. B.—All persons indebted to us for the past 60 days please call and settle. We must have a settlement every 30 days.

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BEST BULK OYSTERS

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BICE'S CITY BAKERY.

The following is the list of purchasers of

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in the last 30 days.

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Chas. Ives,	Mr. R. [illegible] Hall,
Mrs. John Fields,	Manchester.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 5, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 6-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

Great skating.

Daniel Frost has been granted an original pension.

Walt Burridge was in Napoleon Wednesday on legal business.

Charles Burridge is reported as gaining in strength every day.

Dr. D. W. Loree, of Ridgeway, was a Tecumseh visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Irve Finch, of Adrian, was in town between trains yesterday.

D. St. John and wife, of Clinton, were in town yesterday calling on friends.

R. S. Moore was in Adrian Tuesday on business with the Register of Deeds.

Mont L. Van De Mark, of Detroit, was calling on his old Tecumseh friends Monday.

You can buy a cape, coat or jacket at Harris & Hiteshu's for less than making cost.

Arrangements are in progress for a visit from the Jackson Masons in the near future.

J. D. Hause, A. H. St. John and H. Saxton, of Clinton, made Tecumseh a visit yesterday.

Several Tecumseh young gentlemen attended the Masonic party at Blissfield New Years.

Mrs. James Woodward, of Clinton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jackson, Wednesday.

Thomas Elliott is in Adrian this week attending the January meeting of the board of supervisors.

Died—Suddenly on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 3, 1897, Enoch Tindall, aged 77 years, 5 months, 20 days.

The next number of the Star course will be the lecture by Dr. Gunsaulus, of Chicago. This is the fourth.

The week of prayer at the Presbyterian church has been largely attended and with very manifest interest.

At a meeting of the stockholders of Tiffany Iron Works, Tuesday, the old board of directors was re-elected.

George Clark, of Steel, North Dakota, was shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends the fore part of the week.

Lawrence Samsen expects soon to go on the road for Paige, Chope & Booth, wholesale paper dealers of Detroit.

The remains of Mrs. John Day, whose funeral took place at Macon Tuesday, were deposited in the cemetery here.

Wanted—Within the next 10 days, 20 pigs weighing 60 to 80 pounds. Please call or drop us a line. Dickinsen Bros.

Mrs. Wm. Hayden and Capt. Will H. Hayden leave Grand Rapids this evening for Austin, Texas, to remain the winter.

Ministers' meeting in the parlors of the Baptist church Monday at 2 p. m. Rev. B. S. Hudson will read a paper on "Prayer."

Mrs. E. S. Tate, of Clinton, came down to attend the Star meeting last evening. She was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Shull.

Arthur Potter, after a two weeks' visit with former Tecumseh friends, returned to his home in Ann Arbor yesterday.

Mrs. C. A. Kilborn, of Waukegan, Ill., left this morning for her home, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills.

For a nice form buy a Henderson corset. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Mrs. Will Sisson and children arrived home from Chicago Monday. They enjoyed a fine visit with Mr. Sisson's people in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Chicago, returned the early part of the week. They have been spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins.

Company "C" has arranged to give a series of four club parties the first of which will occur some evening the latter part of next week.

No matter what paper you desire it can be ordered at the HERALD office. Reduced rates on every paper which allows any commission.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burlingame returned to Coldwater Monday after a very pleasant visit with old friends and acquaintances in Tecumseh.

Subjects at the Baptist church Sunday morning January 10th, morning. "The Twentieth Century Call;" evening, "Formalism and Hypocrisy."

A meeting of the poultry fanciers is called at the Herald office for business Saturday evening, at 7:30 city time, for the purpose of starting an institute. All are invited.

Henry Jones is building an addition to his Chicago street store now occupied by G. H. Tansley and has leased it for five years to M. E. Bice. Mr. Tansley will move to the Heesen store and both places will be fitted up in modern shape.

H. A. Stacy of Newburgh, enjoyed quite a queer experience Wednesday. He and another man were chopping in the woods at the other end of the farm, and by a misdirected stroke of the ax "Al" cut a deep gash in the sole of his rubber. He examined the gash and thought certainly the cut must have extended deep into the foot. He felt the blood in his boot and suffered much pain, finally started for the house and on account of faintness from loss of blood, frightened the entire family nearly to death. Finally with much difficulty his wife succeeded in removing the boot only to discover that the foot was not even scratched. Mr. Stacy is now a firm believer in Christian science.

Dr. L. G. North was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

J. M. Jones made a business trip to Dundee Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar Palmer has returned from her visit with Jackson friends.

Ralph Bidwell returned to his school duties in Wisconsin Wednesday.

Miss Nettie Keyser, of Clinton, visited Tecumseh relatives last week.

Remember the 1st degree will be conferred at Masonic temple tonight.

Fred Aldrich and family arrived home from their Hillsdale visit Monday.

E. J. Temple and family spent New Years at Ridgeway with his parents.

Harry Spalding returned to Milwaukee and Joe Everett to Chicago Saturday.

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree visited his parents at Ridgeway a portion of the week.

John Chamberlain, of the bankrupt store, spent Sunday with his family at Adrian.

Al Paxson spent several days the past week at Cincinnatti and intermediate points.

Mrs. Perry Hosmer is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Blackmar, of Cambridge.

The Forresters, as a body, will attend St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday evening.

Sam McClure, of Adrian, visited his friends here in a social way the last of the week.

Mrs. J. S. Gilman visited her daughter, Mrs. Gilmore, in Macon township, this week.

Capt. and Mrs. Chilson left Saturday morning for a two weeks' visit with Ohio friends.

Sant Cutting and Tom Lowry are home from Blissfield where they were helping John Karner.

Don't miss Anderson & Rosacran's clearing sale.

George Graves, of Milwaukee, arrived here Tuesday morning, called by the death of Enoch Tindall.

B. C. Ellis and Bert Blood, of Toledo, passed New Years among their respective relatives and friends.

Prof. J. W. Cupples, after a brief visit with his parents, returned to his home in Ludington Friday last.

Charles Heck and family, who passed the holiday season with South Bend relatives, came home Monday.

R. A. Heesen and wife reached home Monday, from South Bend, Ind., where Mrs. H. had been some weeks.

Henry Tindall, of Denver, Colorado, reached here Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of his father.

Mrs. Harry S. Lee returned Monday from Kalamazoo, where she passed the holidays with her brother James.

The home of Postmaster Kyle contained a large and happy company of Mrs. Kyle's relatives New Years day.

Dr. and Mrs. Beem, late of Oscoda, Mich., are now in Tecumseh and we understand the doctor will practice here.

Miss Hattie Montgomery, of the HERALD force, was confined to the house by illness several days the past week.

Vincent Wood expects to leave the first of the week for Oskaloosa, Iowa, where he will engage in evangelistic work.

John Curry spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives at Cone. A nephew of his was very severely injured recently.

Will Orr has been confined to the house with rheumatism the past week. He thinks he could find more agreeable companionship.

Miss Nora Charles, who has been spending the holiday season at home, returned to Cleveland the last of the week to resume her duties as teacher in a kindergarten school.

Charles VanAntwerp, we are informed, is now in Cleveland attending what is known as the Walter Malone training school. He contemplates fitting himself for the work of an evangelist.

Rev. Walter S. Aldrich, of Adrian, has been engaged to occupy the pulpit of the Friends church for a few weeks. Meeting both morning and evening each Sunday. All are welcome.

Mrs. James Westcott, after a week spent with her father-in-law, Hiram Westcott, and family, returned to her home in Cleveland the last of the week. James only remained here over Christmas.

The Raisin and Palmyra township Sunday School Union will meet at the Raisin center Friends church Saturday, January 9. Basket dinner. Tea and coffee will be served by the ladies of the church.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Rev. James C. Hageman, of Dundee, and Miss Olive Mead, which takes place Thursday, January 14, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mead of Raisin.

Harry U. Kies demonstrated his loyalty and zeal to Company C Tuesday night when he braved the elements and rough roads to attend drill. For coming and going the distance must have been over twenty miles.

Howard Whelan, who has been with his mother since his father's death, left Tuesday morning for Detroit, where he has accepted a position in the county clerk's office which he considers to his advantage in various ways.

Master Clyde Curry, who recently came into possession of a snare drum, has already become a skillful drummer. The progress he has made is really wonderful considering he is but nine years of age. Christmas eve at the Presbyterian church he delighted all with his executions. He has met with the bad boys twice for practice and did so well that henceforth he will play with that aggregation of skillful musicians. Clyde is certainly a prodigy with the sticks.

Delos LeBaron, of Toledo, is in town today.

Rev. B. S. Hudson made a business trip to Adrian Monday.

Horatio Keyser and wife are guests at Charles Dawley's today.

Miss Camilla Mead has been visiting friends at Ann Arbor this week.

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree return to their home at Lawrence in the morning.

Miss Jane Adair Corlett, of Toledo, is the guest of Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Niblack, of Clinton, were Tecumseh visitors yesterday.

Miss Sadie Comfort has gone to Kansas City, Missouri, for a visit of some months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington were guests of Detroit friends several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan Hewitt, of Chicago, are visiting their aunt, Miss A. M. Hewitt.

You can buy goods at Harris & Hiteshu's at manufacturer's cut prices. Month of January.

Mrs. J. M. Jones and Wade, who returned from Detroit the last of the week, report a delightful time.

F. B. Wood has rented a house on Maiden Lane and will make Tecumseh his home for some months at least.

Mrs. George Teachout and Mrs. Fred Aldrich attended the funeral of Mrs. Barris, a niece of the former, at Wolf Creek, today.

Mr. Hall, of Hudson, who organized the K. P. lodge in Tecumseh, was here last evening and assisted in the installation of officers.

Mrs. Alfred James, Jr., and children, who have been with her mother, Mrs. O. B. DeWolf for some time, return to Detroit in the morning.

Raynor Anderson is now in New York City and will make that city his home, having a situation with a manufacturing establishment.

Alva Spayde announces a 20 per cent discount sale on boots, shoes and all leather goods. Now is the time to take advantage of such prices.

Rev. W. R. Blachford has kindly invited the members of Court Pottawatamie Independent Order of Forresters to attend church Sunday evening January 10th.

Mrs. Tiffany has been taking special instructions in Toledo, and will on Saturday, Jan. 16, start a class in dancing. For terms apply at her residence on Chicago street.

Harris & Hiteshu announce a grand clearing sale to commence at once. Their Sales always mean business and this firm never advertises anything they do not intend to fulfill.

Miss Helen Anderson quite seriously hurt her foot by some accident last week and will be unable to use it again for some days. She will not return home but remain at Vassar.

There will be communion of the Lord's supper and reception of members at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Evening topic will be, "Easily understood beliefs."

The chicken-pie supper at the Baptist church drew the hungry in large numbers. The pies were many, large and elegant and the way they were disposed of was a caution. The receipts were nearly $30.00.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday, January 10, morning, "Justice as a Religion;" evening, a character study in American history—U. S. Grant. Y. P. C. U. business meeting at Miss McNeil's at 7 o'clock Monday evening.

Dr. M. F. Stein has had so much optical business to attend to that he will be unable to get through in Tecumseh this week and will return next Tuesday and remain at the Lilley House Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Wade Waring was shaking hands with his friends today. He had been visiting his parents and stopped over night here with Ernest Elliott and returned to Toledo this evening where he has a position with the dry goods house of Davis Bros.

The remains of Edmund L. Hubbard, who died at the home of his son Asel, in Henrietta, Jackson county, arrived here for interment Wednesday afternoon and were taken in charge by Beers Post, G. A. R., who conducted the services at the grave.

Frank H. Hall, son of A. D. Hall who for a long time has held a government position at Washington, D. C., was Jan 1st promoted to the position of expert agriculturist with a salary of $1500 per year, not a bad New Year's present. His friends here rejoice in his advancement.

The Frost & Fanshaw company have been giving good entertainments at the opera house this week. The members are all clever artists. To-night the attraction is "Two Orphans". Matinee to-morrow afternoon when Naval Engagements will be given and each child present will receive a bag of candy. They close their engagement here to-morrow night with "Peck's Bad Boy." They deserve crowded houses.

At a special meeting of the Eastern Star chapter last evening, the officers appeared for the first time in their robes while conferring the degrees, and the effect was all that could be desired. The ladies, while at all times attractive, were, in their robes, charming, and exemplified the work in a faultless manner. Their floor movements were new, graceful and elaborate, and the large company present were delightfully entertained. After the work, a fine banquet was served. It was decided impracticable to accept the invitation from the Jackson chapter to pay them a visit January 19th, but they may do so at some other time ere long.

George Greenwood, born at Malden, Mass., in 1820, lived to a good old age but never sprouted a single hair on either head or face.

Enoch Tindall.

The village was startled Sunday afternoon by the news of the death of Enoch Tindall.

He was one of the early pioneers, coming to Tecumseh with his parents in 1831, where he spent 64 years of his life; saw the village grow from its infancy to its present proportions, and had always been identified with its prosperity. For a time he was a dry goods merchant, later in the elevator business. When the Lake Shore road was extended through here he was appointed and served as the first station agent.

He was twice married, his first wife living but a few months. January 23, 1851, he married Mrs. Caroline L. Graves, who died April 13, 1886. One child survives him, J. Henry Tindall, now of Denver, Col.

Mr. Tindall has always been an ardent christian, was united with the Presbyterian church of this place while yet a lad. For many years he served as elder and clerk of session.

For some months he has not felt well, but last Sunday morning he attended church and Sunday school, as was his custom; told some friends he then met that he felt better than usual. He left Sunday School, went to his home, placed his bible and lesson leaf on the table, sat down in an easy chair, his overcoat still on, and fell asleep. He had often said that when his time came, he wanted to go suddenly. His prayer was answered, and he went from service on earth to that complete and perfect service above. The funeral occurred Wednesday, from the Presbyterian church. The pastor made a few brief remarks, the choir sang his favorite hymns, the session acted as pall bearers and laid the body of their predecessor to rest in the village cemetery.

High School Happenings.

Harold Hoag has rejoined the high school ranks.

Fred Burrell visited the seventh grade Monday afternoon.

Edith Neely was absent from the B room Monday and Tuesday.

Ralph Bidwell called on several of the high school rooms Monday.

Jennie Gillespie has been compelled to leave school on account of ill health.

I. D. Loree inspected the work in the various rooms of the high school Monday.

Perry VanValkenburg has left school to begin farm work. We are sorry to lose him.

Minnie Russell, of the class of '96, dropped in for a short time Wednesday afternoon.

Arthur Potter, of Ann Arbor, called on the A room Wednesday afternoon, as the guest of Albert Lowry.

A number of new pupils have entered the primary and grammar grades. Several of the rooms are quite full.

Several of the classes have begun review work preparatory to final examinations at the end of the month.

Miss Keavy was elected secretary of the state association of music teachers at its meeting in Lansing last week.

Miss Monagin returned from Texas in time to begin her work Monday morning. She reports a fine climate.

Miss Wiley being absent from her place in the grammar grades on Monday, Miss Mamie Osborne taught her branches.

The chorus classes in music, that meet after school, are supplied with new codas and judging from the spirit of the singing they are enjoying the work.

The C., J. & M. Sold.

"A special from Van Wert to The Blade says:

'The Mackinaw railroad was sold here at 1:16 this afternoon to C. S. Brice. The consideration is $1,000,000.'

This is thought to have been the crucial test for Mr. Brice. If it is true that, as stated in the dispatch, Mr. Brice's people have purchased the property, it is a decided victory for the Senator. It is known that there has been an element at work in Wall street to destroy Mr. Brice's influence among the men who have stood behind him in his projects. If Mr. Brice's enemies could induce his people to withdraw their support of him in this enterprise, it was believed that they would have him on the 'run.' This would not only lose for Mr. Brice the control of the C., J. & M., but might effect his interest in other lines."

This is as was anticipated and now the coming of the Lima Northern to Adrian and Tecumseh is assured if the bonuses are raised.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 5, 1898:

Mr. J. M. Curtice, Sarah Barker, Sarah P. Barker, Miss Bessie Marr, Lewis Moxson, G. Wilkinson, W. Fornefelt, Chas. E. Beck, Esq., E. R. Beck & Co.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Mrs. Woodward will sell a part of her household goods at private sale, for the next two weeks. Residence, 50 Chicago street.

—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—I want to borrow some money for two or three years on good security and will pay interest semi-annually. Drop a card to Lock Box 15, for further parculars.

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Message of the Governor to Michigan's Legislature.

He Urges Reduction of Railway Fares and Reform in the Tax Laws—Trusts Denounced—Lobbyists Scored—Safer Banking Laws Needed.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 7.—The following is the message of Gov. Hazen S. Pingree to the Thirty-ninth Michigan legislature:

I desire to urge upon you as the law-making power the necessity which exists for the amendment of several laws of the state, for the repeal of others, and for the enactment of a few which I deem of vital importance. As representatives and servants of the people, let us endeavor to work harmoniously, with no object in view but the public good. Michigan ought to stand in the front rank of progressive states. Her people desire that she should. Just laws will aid her; unjust laws will retard her. Whatever stumbling blocks have heretofore been placed in her pathway should be removed. The labor of removing them will not be an idle pastime. It will require united and persistent effort on our part. It remains to be seen whether we shall be equal to the great work. It is within your power to make the coming session of the legislature an ideal one. This can be done by the enactment of a few laws which will meet the approval of all patriotic citizens of this state and the commendation of every true member of our great republic.

Primary Elections.

If we would inaugurate reforms in our state government we must commence where the governing power originates, in party organizations and conventions. I would recommend that the political party caucus laws already upon our statute books be so amended as to abolish party conventions. If political corruption exists its origin can here be found. The true theory of party organization is that the best men should be chosen for election to office. This theory cannot be carried out under the present system. The caucuses and conventions have become the means by which the few obtain power and place. Under a representative form of government, the people should have free choice of their representatives. Any obstruction to such free choice should be removed.

HAZEN S. PINGREE.

Syndicates of office seekers are formed, corrupt combinations are made, delegates are bought and sold, promises of positions to unworthy men are often of necessity made, and the example is set before us that those who in the ordinary walks of life pass for honorable men enter upon the duties of public office under a cloud of suspicion and shame. The convention has become the medium of trickery, bribery and fraud. The higher criminal is here developed. The direct vote of the ballot holder for party candidates is the simplest means of expressing preference for representatives. If the people make mistakes they alone are to blame. The direct vote and the Australian ballot system is of less cost to the people than the convention system. It is remarkable that so great has been the power of the few and ambitious that in a nation having a representative form of government as composed of states, but two of those states vote direct to put party candidates in nomination, while every Canadian province has the direct vote, and for that reason is so much nearer the ideal republic.

Taxation.

The question which is always present and is never solved in any state or municipal government is the question of taxation, direct and indirect. Taxes are burdens which must be borne. The theory of the republican form of government is that they are borne equally by all owners of property in proportion to their wealth. If this principle does not prevail the government has favorites, and therefore it is not republican. All exemptions and variations from this fundamental principle should be upon lines of public policy and for the greatest good of the greatest number. The cost of government of the state should be lessened by the reduction in the charges of departments and of state institutions, proportioned to proper maintenance and administration, and to the reduced cost of living incident to the general decline of values. I also recommend, in order to the proper distribution of the public burdens, that all forms of wealth bear their just proportion of taxation. The policy of continuing the system of specific taxation of corporations as the sole resource of the state from such organizations which originated when the state was new and which favored the promoters of needed works for small and scattered communities has long been regarded with disfavor by the people of this state, who contend that the time has arrived when the well-known inequalities of taxation should be adjusted and proportioned according to values.

There is nothing new or novel in this recommendation. In 1877, Gov. Bagley took occasion in his address to the senate and house of representatives to emphasize the inequalities of specific taxation of corporate property, which he contended should be taxed locally according to its value like other property. In the same year Gov. Croswell recommended improved methods for uniformity in levying taxes. In 1887, Gov. Luce recommended the equalization of taxation and in 1891 recommended, for purposes of revenue, a tax on bequests, on corporations and an income tax. In 1891 Gov. Winans recommended equalizing taxation as between classes of property paying specific taxes and property under assessment, claiming that the assessed property pays double the tax paid by property upon which specific taxes are levied. He favored the local taxation of corporate property and doubted the policy of exempting any property from equal taxation.

It will thus be seen that the contention of the people against the system of solely specific taxation of corporations found expression at the capitol through several of the governors of the state regardless of party and as early as the seventies, and that the recommendations were in favor of taxing the property of the corporations as other property is taxed. The question, therefore, is one no longer for debate but for enactment, action since it has been under consideration for 20 years. While I do not believe that the system of specific taxation and the method of its distribution in support of the common schools should be disturbed, I recommend that steps be taken in the form of local or general legislation to make corporations bear their proper share of taxation.

Fixing Railroad Tolls.

The right of the legislature to fix the maximum rate for passenger fares has been exercised ever since the first general enactment as to railroads, in 1855. In 1870 the people of the state amended the constitution, expressly conferring upon the legislature the power to fix such maximum rates.

"The legislature may from time to time pass laws establishing reasonable rates of charges for the transportation of passengers and freight on different railroads in the state." (Article 13-A, Paragraph I.)

In 1873 there was a general revision of the railroad laws and certain rates were fixed. Afterwards were made changing rates at various periods up to the final amendment in 1891, and generally speaking there has been a reduction of rates by legislative enactment.

It will thus be seen that any proposed reduction of railroad passenger rates of fare or of freight charges has its precedents in the changes made from time to time in the past history of these corporations. The right of the legislature to fix the maximum rates has been contested by interested corporations, and the supreme court has held that the legislature has the right to fix such rates. At the present time inequalities of passenger fares exist which should be adjusted by the legislature. Thus, for example, the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway is confined to a local passenger charge of two cents per mile, while the Michigan Central and Lake Shore roads are permitted to charge a local fare of three cents per mile. It is also commonly known that passengers traveling from station to station in Michigan are charged more by the railroads than passengers who travel through the state from outside points. A passenger arriving in Detroit having paid two cents per mile over the New York Central and subsequently finding it necessary to go to Jackson pays a local fare of three cents per mile on the Michigan Central, which is part of the same general line of road owned by the New York Central people.

What is true of discriminations by railroads in favor of through passengers as against local passengers, and of discriminations by the state in favor of one railroad as against another in the matter of maximum passenger rates, is true as to discriminations by railroads in favor of terminals as against local stations in the same state. All of these inequalities of charges are within the power of the legislature of Michigan to correct. And their correction, in my firm belief, would prove to be for the benefit of the railroad companies as well as for the people of the state. I therefore recommend that the legislature take into consideration the question of passenger fares at two cents per mile for Michigan.

The Referendum.

The referring of important acts of the legislature to a popular vote for final adoption by the people is the extension of the well-known principle underlying the practice in this state of referring proposed changes of the constitution, and in certain local cases, matters of extraordinary expenditure involving the issue of bonds, to the vote of the people. I am not prepared to state how far opinion favorable to the extension of this method of legislation has penetrated the state generally, but I am acquainted with the opinion of the people of the city of Detroit, which is favorable to its extension to the granting of street railway and other quasi-public franchises as a check upon corrupt public officials in cities.

Trusts and Combinations.

There is growing up in this country a system of trusts and combinations which is becoming more and more impudent and extortionate. Its influence is felt in the home of every citizen. The necessities of life are made instruments of oppression in the hands of those who reap a rich reward from the weak and the helpless. Such trusts and combinations destroy competition and throw thousands of worthy people out of employment. For this reason the consuming power of the people is destroyed and the producing power to just that extent is affected. Such combinations are illegal upon the broad grounds of public policy, but wholesome laws should be enacted against them. I do not propose to suggest the form of the laws nor the penalties for their violation, but they cannot be too strong. In the presence of a threatened destruction of individualism and the liquidating of the spirit of independent effort in it is high time that the makers of the laws should be the people's representatives, whose names are upon the roll of your houses, and not members of a third house who infest the halls of legislation for evil purposes.

It has been rumored that Michigan has been selected as the field for the operation of a company controlling vast amounts of wealth to obtain possession of the mineral resources of the state, and in connection therewith to control the shipping interests of the great lakes. Prices will be reduced at first, of course, but in the end the people will be made to suffer. Heretofore the waterways of the state have been instrumental in keeping down freight charges on railroads, but if the enterprising interests pass into the control of one gigantic company, it needs but one more step to stop competition between the railways and vessel men. If upon investigation I find that we are seriously threatened with this danger, I shall in some future message communicate with you upon that subject.

State Should Control.

We should be extremely jealous of the reputation of our business interests. All investments should be given such guarantee of safety by law as to inspire confidence in those who deal with us. Capital should be encouraged to invest in the development of our varied resources. Investments made within the state should be governed and protected by wise laws and not be disturbed by frequent changes in the laws that govern them. The burden of taxation should be equally distributed, all property bearing its just share. The issuing of stocks and bonds should be so regulated that when the investor seeks for proper security he will find that the state has guarded him in his investment against the purchase of artificial values by way of watered stocks and bonds. Legislation on this subject need not be untried or experimental; in fact, it doubtless would be wise to adopt in some measure the laws of older states if a precedent can there be found. It is in your power to materially aid owners of corporate property in Michigan in disposing of their securities if you will pass such laws as will protect the investor therein by making the sale of securities open and at a lower rate of interest. All legislation of this character should commend itself to sound business discretion.

Under the laws that now exist manufacturing and other corporations are permitted to do business after having paid in ten per cent. of the authorized capital, without the residue being subscribed for, and upon this payment of ten per cent., and upon the strength of the authorized capital, and the fair standing of the men connected with the corporation, and possibly to some extent the fair prospects of the business, large credit has been obtained by the corporation, in some cases many times larger than the actual capital paid in. The practical workings of this law are unsatisfactory to creditors, because in many instances the creditor, after the corporation has failed to be successful, has been found to be the largest investor in the corporation, in order to protect his claims. I therefore recommend that you increase the responsibility of the stockholder by making him individually liable for such debts as are incurred beyond the amount of capital actually paid in, at least up to the amount of the authorized capital of the corporation. In other words, when a corporation obtains authority to do business with a certain amount of capital, that capital should exist in good faith for the security of the creditor.

In the case of banking corporations, much greater liability of the stockholders exists under the law, with very satisfactory results to the creditors of the banks and to the people generally. In this connection it would be well to consider such supervision of corporations by a corporation commissioner, whose duty it shall be to ascertain what the exact available assets of a corporation are before it is permitted to enjoy corporate privileges and enter upon the business for which it is created.

Great care should be used in preventing corporate bodies from coming into existence on values that are artificial. The price for which its first issue of stock shall be sold might safely be fixed by law as an additional safeguard against deception. Accurate and detailed reports of the exact condition of the corporation and the value of its assets should be made at stated periods, and statements made by them in that behalf should be carefully examined and scrutinized by competent authority, and if it is found that, notwithstanding the value placed upon the assets of the corporation by itself, it is as a matter of fact insolvent, it should be prohibited from doing business. In short, I deem it as important that all corporations dealing with the public should be under the supervision of a competent state official as that railways and banks should be under the supervision of the proper officials. In some of the older states this plan has been carried out with great success and without expense to the state by the charge of such a reasonable inspection fee as is not burdensome to the parties paying it, and for which they receive full value by having a statement of their business and assets made by an expert.

I am not unmindful that there are some legitimate advantages in organizing partnerships and other enterprises into corporations. The death or withdrawal of a partner sometimes compels the winding up of the affairs of a partnership. This and several other inconveniences are obviated by converting the partnership into a stock corporation. While partnerships are often thus converted into corporations for legitimate purposes and with honest intentions, it is equally true that this opportunity afforded by the law is seized by the dishonest for the purpose of avoiding individual liabilities for debts contracted in the conduct of their business, and thus cheat their creditors out of their honest dues. Many worthless corporations are organized, electing for its president a person of well-known financial strength, thus giving to this institution a fictitious credit. When the affairs of the concern become involved and creditors seek to get their money, it is found that the aforesaid president has only a few dollars stock in the concern and therefore is only liable to the creditors for a small amount. The creditors are thus swindled by the use of the rich man's name.

There is an easy remedy for all this—the law should make a distinction between public and quasi-public corporations, and those which are strictly private; the latter should, in my judgment, for convenience and distinction, be designated as joint stock companies and all holders of stock in such companies should be liable for the debts of the concern precisely the same as though they were partners. All the honest advantages of a corporate existence can thus be obtained, while at the same time the public is protected from the swindling operations of those who organize a corporation for dishonest purposes. I recommend that a law be passed, substantially embodying the views above indicated.

While we should not of necessity select the railway of the state to prove the great inequality of our present distribution of taxes and present burdens, yet I have the figures at hand with reference to these railways, and because there has been a supervision of them by the public, and the facts have at least become partially known, I submit the following statement taken from the report of the railway commissioner for 1895, which I am sure will be of interest to you in determining what your duty to the people of the state may be with reference to the question of taxation. The figures are taken from page 56 of the railway commissioner's report for 1895: The gross earnings of the companies from all sources were $29,307,508.93; upon which there was collected a total tax of $620,929; and as I compute it the percentage of taxation on gross earnings is .02118.

Page 61 of the commissioner's report gives the following total tax for Michigan, under the present system of tax of gross earnings: 1890, $812,969.63; 1891, $804,324.12; 1892, $803,762.61; 1893, $811,056.65; 1894, $778,132.82. Showing that railway companies in Michigan are paying taxes under the gross earnings system in exact proportion to the conditions of their business, thereby increasing the taxes on all assessable property during the period of decreased earnings.

A like inequality of taxation under our present system applies to telephone, telegraph and express companies. Concerning the latter I call your attention to the fact that while the earnings of these companies are very large the amount of assessable property, either real or personal used in their business is very small compared with the earnings.

I submit also herewith a statement obtained from the reports of the auditor-general and of the railway commissioner showing the inequality of taxation of railway properties in this state. The items contained in the statement as obtained from the railway commissioner's office are taken from the report not yet published:

"The total cost of railway property in the state of Michigan in the year 1895, according to the report of the railway commissioner (not yet in print) was $146,782,427.90. The railway companies paid during the year in specific taxes $741,645.77, or a fraction more than two and one-third mills on the dollar.

"The total value of real and personal property in the state in the year 1895, as equalized by the boards of supervisors, was $818,686,109, and the taxes levied for the same year for state, local and all other purposes (as shown below) amounted to $20,-635,571 61, or a fraction less than two and one-half cents on the dollar.

"The taxes were as follows:

State tax	$ 2,619,227 82
County taxes	2,791,060 00
School taxes	5,491,677 47
Township and city taxes	7,473,806 33
Liquor taxes	1,879,291 62

From this statement it will appear how unjustly and how unequally the public burdens have been distributed, and what applies to railways in this regard applies with equal force to large amounts of other property in the state. While you may not deem it advisable to dispense entirely with the present system of specific taxation of corporations, which I do not recommend, some steps must be taken by you in the interests of the people in at least adding to that system. From many sources comes the proposition to tax corporate property in the localities where it may be situated, and in the absence of any better system I commend it to your attention. However, after considerable investigation it appears to me that a wiser and better method would be to create a department of taxes and assessments, composed of a board to be appointed by the governor, and which board should be composed in part of such officials as have the supervision of the corporations against whom taxes are to be assessed. This board to determine the exact value of all corporate property in the state not now taxed locally under the present law, and to levy taxes thereon in the same proportion that private property is taxed. If the formation of such board can meet the requirements of law no difficulty should be experienced on the part of the state in compelling the payment of a just tax on the actual value of the property owned by such corporations within the state, including the value of the franchise. I look upon the question of taxation in these times as the most vital one with which you have to deal and one with which we must deal justly if the people are to be satisfied with our work. A careful investigation of the statement herein submitted to you will make it manifest that the people of the state when they have a just and proper system of taxation can be relieved of the burden of the expense of state government, and be burdened only with local taxes of their own creation. And I especially recommend to you that in the settlement of the question of taxation you avoid levying taxes in such a manner that by increasing the prices of products or tolls to the consumer the burden of taxation will indirectly remain upon the people.

The Present Tax Law.

I am of the opinion that some radical changes should be made in the present tax law. The taxation of mortgages upon land must be considered double taxation. The owner of the real estate must in all cases pay the tax, not only upon the real estate, but upon the mortgage, for if he who loans the money is required to pay tax upon the mortgage which he holds he will recuperate from the owner of the property, either by requiring him to pay additional interest sufficient to cover the amount of the mortgage, or by compelling him to execute a mortgage which contains a clause requiring him to pay the tax upon the mortgage direct. The effect of the present law is to prevent residents of the state from loaning money directly, and to avoid the payment of tax frauds are committed, and the mortgage is taken in the name of a nonresident, against whom the collection of the tax cannot be enforced. It would be far better to permit the borrower to have the advantage of a lower rate of interest than to allow the lender to exact a higher rate upon the plea that a portion of the interest received must be used for the payment of the tax.

I am also of the opinion that a radical change should be made in the present law by which tax titles are acquired. While every facility should be afforded for the collection of taxes, yet it should not be possible for one individual to confiscate the property of another. Whatever rights are required by reason of the nonpayment of taxes should be acquired by the state. Whatever penalties are added for the noncurrent and detailed reports of the exact payment of tax should inure to the state. The present law which prohibits the recording of deeds of transfer without the payment of taxes due at the time the transfer is made has facilitated the collection of taxes. This law, however, should be amended so as to require the payment of all back taxes, and merely those that stand against the property for five years preceding the transfer.

I would also recommend the adoption of a general enabling act, if such can legally be done, by which all property in the state which has been sold for taxes either to the state or to the individual can be redeemed by the original owner, or by his heirs or assigns, at any time within five years from the passage of such an act upon the payment of the original tax and costs and six per cent. interest to the date of redemption. In times like the present such an act would meet the approval of all broad-minded citizens, and only a few who desire to reap large rewards from the misfortunes of their fellow citizens would raise a voice in its condemnation.

Taxes Upon Timber Lands.

The state has suffered great losses in the past by reason of the failure to collect taxes due upon timber lands. The principal object of the owners has been to strip the lands of valuable timber and refuse to pay taxes during the time the stripping process has gone on. When it is known that this evasion of the tax law has been and is now practiced to an alarming extent by many wealthy people, both residents and nonresidents, something should be done at once to prevent it. To this end I would recommend the passage of a law prohibiting the cutting and removal of timbers from lands upon which taxes are due and unpaid. Such an act could be enforced by delegating special authority to trespass agents or others acting under the control of the state land commissioner.

The educational, charitable, reformatory and penal institutions of the state should all command your earnest attention, and be subjected to such inspection as will enable you to provide intelligently for their needs. Economy in their management should always be practiced, but the necessity for reducing the cost of maintenance, if possible, was never more keenly felt than at the present time. In making appropriations for current and other expenses of the institutions it is hoped the legislature will not be less mindful of the conditions that render appropriations necessary than of the strain that every additional dollar appropriated puts on the resources of the taxpayer. I am very strongly of the opinion that supplies for the various institutions should be bought of Michigan producers. Considerable sums of money are annually expended for beef and other supplies that come to our institutions from other states, while the farmers of our own state, who are taxed for the support of the institutions, are compelled to go away from home to find a market for their cattle and produce. I am sure you will agree with me that this is wrong, and if legislation is necessary to prevent it, you must be depended on to supply it.

Permit me to direct your special attention to the university. This great institution should under no circumstances be crippled. Its reputation as one of the great American universities should be sustained. It has been endowed by the people and has been maintained by them with a spirit of pride and often at a great sacrifice. Its teachers should be equal to any in the world, and they should be men of independent thought, ready and willing to meet all great questions of modern civilization and advancement with an intelligent and enlightened public spirit.

The Lobbyist.

I cannot refrain from expressing my views upon the subject of the professional lobbyist. At every session of the legislature just measures are killed by the enemies of good government and equal rights and the means used to compass their death are the paid lobbyists who infest our halls. If the members of the legislature are not intelligent enough to give independent thought and action to great public measures without the aid of those who wine and dine and cajole and flatter and bribe, at least some steps should be taken to modify the nuisance. I do not propose to formulate rules for the government and control of those whose business it is to obstruct legislation. All attorneys who practice before courts and juries must be admitted as members of the bar and are required to pay certain fees and observe certain rules. If the lobbyist, like the poor, must be always with us to aid in thinking and assist us in acting and furnishing us food and drink, there should be some method of enrollment and a fee demanded as a condition precedent to the right to practice before the people's legislative jury. It has come to my knowledge that some of these professionals have secured large retainers from individuals and corporations who are interested in obstructing honest legislation, and I trust a roll will be made of all such in order that their particular purpose may be clearly known and understood. It unfortunately happens that in the past at least a few of the members of both houses have accepted the dual capacity of legislators and lobbyists, being paid by the people a small salary to serve in the former capacity and being hired by the people's enemies at high salaries to serve in the other capacity. It has been necessary for these to be enrolled as their real employers are generally discovered early in the session of the legislature. I trust that there are no such public servants in the present legislature and that such evil work will not be felt or recognized.

Public Franchises.

The question of granting public franchises by the state and by municipal authorities, and the conditions under which they should be granted, ought to be one of the greatest problems with which we have to deal. A public franchise, when it has passed beyond state or municipal control may become a power greater than the sovereign or municipal power. It may become an engine of oppression and corruption. The moment a franchise is granted the whole people surrender to a few of their number the right to exercise a public function, and the question which should be considered is what proportion of that right should be reserved to the people themselves in the way of regulation and control.

Combinations and consolidations by franchise owners in cities are going on all over the United States. These combinations and consolidations are for the purpose of keeping up tolls. The amount of wealth that is being accumulated in the hands of a few by these favored holders of special privileges is appalling. These tolls are indirect taxes, and to the extent that the right to regulate the tolls is abandoned by the sovereign or the local power to the franchise owner, to that extent the right to levy taxes is given away. The state or the municipality appoints an agent for a period of 20 years, more than the life of a generation, and before the term has half expired the agent becomes the master and the master becomes the slave.

Permit me to give an example of the abandonment of such power: A license is given to a company of three men to operate a street railway in a city of 60,000 people, and they are permitted to charge five cents per passenger for a period of 20 years. At the time the license was granted the cost of carrying a passenger was four cents, and the profit was therefore but 20 per cent. upon the money actually invested. In ten years the population has increased to 120,000 and the cost of carrying the passenger is three cents, and the profit is 40 per cent. Rather more than the profit of most merchants and manufacturers and farmers. If the original grant of the license, for that is all the franchise is, had reserved the right to regulate fares, and the municipality had been able to keep the profit down to 20 per cent., even the most radical advocate of vested rights could not complain that the corporation was being oppressed. It should be very clear, then, that the right to regulate fares should always be reserved. But the reservation of this right is not all that is necessary.

Permit me to give another illustration: The amount actually invested in a plant is $1,000,000. After the road is completed it is mortgaged and bonded for $2,000,000. This could only be done by executing a mortgage upon the license itself. In other words, the three men who formed the company and their associates advanced $1,000,000 and immediately thereafter placed a mortgage upon the industry and earnings of every inhabitant of the city for 20 years to come to the amount of $2,000,000, and then when the question of regulating the fares is brought up the municipal authorities are met with the plain statement that the original owners have transferred their vested rights to innocent purchasers, and in order to pay the bonus of $1,000,000 and the interest upon it for 30 years the company cannot live if the fare is reduced.

This system of indirect taxation is going on in every city of the United States, and hundreds of millions of dollars of fictitious values, which must represent some form of human labor, have been created for a few by the simple stroke of the pen, and in order to pay these immense sums tribute is laid upon every man, woman and child in the country. It simply means that these hundreds of millions of dollars are to be taken from the ordinary channels of legitimate trade to the injury of every mercantile and manufacturing and farming industry in the land, for no one interest can suffer without a corresponding injury to all. Is it not strange that in the presence of this insidious but constant process of concentration learned financiers, wise statesmen and profound political scholars wonder why the few become rich and the many become poor?

In order to prevent such accumulations a law should be passed which will prevent the execution of a mortgage upon the license. I would suggest the following amendments to the laws permitting the granting of franchises to public corporations, such as street car, electric light, telephone and gas companies:

1. Reserve the right to fix rates of toll or charges.

2. Let the construction of the plant of every such corporation be under the supervision of the municipality, so that the actual cost shall be known.

3. Provide that no mortgage shall be executed and no bonds issued to a greater amount than one-half of the actual cost of the plant.

4. Require the corporation each year to file a sworn statement of its receipts and expenditures, certified by a public accountant who shall have access to the books.

5. Provide that there shall be no consolidation of one company with another and that no individual stockholder of one company shall own, either directly or indirectly, any stock in another company operating in the same city.

6. Provide that no franchise or license now existing or to be granted in the future shall be renewed or extended beyond the terms of the original grant during the life

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Attorney Walter Westerman was in town Tuesday.

W. Lenardson was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

A delegation of Brittonites were quite a delegation of Brittonites were Tecumseh Monday.

Clarence Lowe was home Sunday and Monday, and returned to Onsted, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gripton made their Toledo friends a visit during the holidays.

Mrs. P. B. Hardy returned to his home in Youngstown Friday evening of last week.

John Exelby and wife, who spent the holiday season with friends in Detroit, returned home Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Helm and daughter, who spent New Years with her people in Macklin, returned home Monday.

Lawrence Brown came home to vote, Tuesday, but returned to Clarks Lake, Wednesday, a wiser if a sadder man.

Dr. Maybee went to Detroit Tuesday where he went before the pharmaceutical examining board for his final examination.

What is lost is found—the son returned to his riotous living—the fatted calf no more—Brad Zibble is at home again.

John Haight says its not fair for the members of the committee to draw from view and leave him alone a target.

Samuel Kniffin and family spent New Years with Blissfield friends. Sam stayed Monday, while they remained a few days longer.

Quite a number of the Stars braved the rough roads and attended the meeting of those brilliant bodies at Tecumseh last evening.

Richardson Brothers have been taking a vacation this week. Well, boys we guess there will be a nice balance on the right side of the ledger.

L. Kishpaugh, to accommodate his increasing coal trade, is erecting a commodious coal shed just east of the old grain barn by the C., J. & M. track.

The new transfer freight house being erected by the C., J. & M. road at Macon near where the Wabash passes is to be available for use by both roads.

Mr. Ferwerder, the singing evangelist who has been assisting Rev. N. F. Peterson in revival meetings left Tuesday morning for his home at Grand Rapids.

At the Christian church Rev. C. I. Lee will have for his topic Sunday morning, "An Example in Spiritual Mathematics," and in the evening, "A Thing Well."

Stephen Plues has moved his cobbler shop to Dundee, where he will continue to repair (souls) of thunfortunates. His removal from this community leaves Willis J. Helm without a rival. Cock of the walk, so to speak, and his self-satisfied air is the envy of all.

The household of Herbert Hemple was materially augmented Monday by the arrival of a 11-pound boy. It bears this addition with his usual modesty, and we do not see a merry twinkle of his left optic, would imagine how proud he is of his new son. Here is to you Herb.

One of the most disgusted persons at the election fizzle is Lawrence Hutchinson, who had been suffering untold agonies preparing himself to pass a successful examination for weer commissioner. He feels that the physical strain has been such that he ought to receive recompense and contemplates bringing a suit against the corporation for damages.

Frank Underwood, Tuesday while standing still with his hands in his pockets, attempted to move and in so doing struck some imaginary object and fell to the ground, severely bruising his knee, hip and arm, besides tearing his pants. Great was the fall—little less than of 300. Sam says he will not fall; that election day the saints were down pen.

The corporation caucus, was called to order by William Britton, who nominated Dr. Hendershot as chairman. On thanking the caucus for the honor in electing the first chairman of the first village in the village of Britton William Clinton was made clerk and John L. Gaugh and C. B. Exelby trustees and the following officers were nominated: Treasurer—C. B. Exelby.

Trustees—W. J. Clark, Jas Britton, Wm. Haight, Chas. R. Dodis Wm. Hendershot and F. E. Morrell.

Clerk—Samuel Kniffin

Treasurer—James DuBois

Assessor—William Britton

The union ticket is as follows:

President—John Winsley.

Trustees—Jas. W. Clement, John Zeigler, Harry Backman, Willis Helm, Jackery, F. C. Mell, Arthur Curtiss, Lyman Hause.

Clerk—Walter Exelby.

The Adams-Covell suit which came before Justice George Orr Monday by means of drawing the largest jury Britton has seen for election, and previous legal apartments of the Justice proved far too small for the case so the court moved to the more commodious building of Frank Brown's saloon filled to its utmost capacity. Walter Westerman was attorney for the plaintiff, and Zabriskie of Petersburg for the defendant. This was the suit that was before was settled on by disinterested parties, and was for the value of a wagon and damages.

It must have proved very interesting to the onlookers for they remained all through the trial. The jury gods were out in full force and occupied elevated seats on top the railing. At times the scene resembled the tower of Babel when occurred the confusion of tongues. The learned limbs of the law finished finally their eloquent pleas and the case was given to the jury, 5 minutes and weighty instructions from the judge, at 5 p. m., when the court withdrew, leaving the jury in full possession. While they were in secret session, going over the intricate points of the case they were nourished and strengthened for their arduous duties by a liberal supply of cider and apples furnished by Francis Yates. Three hours the jury wrestled with the work several members of which developed wonderful pugilistic proclivities that astonished the rest. At 8 o'clock they summoned with great dignity the court, which had been out in the hold, when the foreman announced the inability to agree on a verdict and the case adjourned to February 4.

Mrs. N. V. Cooper, of Mt. Pleasant, is the guest of her brother, W. R. Hagood, and family over Sunday.

Tonight and tomorrow night the popular comedy, "Our Boarding House" will be presented at Exelby hall, for the benefit of Britton's Cornet Band. They deserve a substantial one; that they have it by filling the house Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harland assisted by the following local talent—J. Clement, Clade Lowe, Jud Kniffin, Ernest DuBois, Warren Underwood, Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes, Mrs. Laverne Gripton, Berth Britton, Jennie Saxton, Maud Lee and Hazel Exelby, will sustain the various characters of this amusing comedy in a manner that will entertain all who may favor them with their presence. Admission 25c, children 10c.

When Tuesday morning arrived, the all-important one that was to decide the first officers of the newly incorporated village of Britton, the many friends of the opposing candidates were stirring early, and as the hour for opening the polls arrived, were out in full force with their war paint on and knives in their belts, with a determined air to do or die, when to their surprise and disgust it was discovered that no tickets had been provided and the election was off. Whose fault it was the have ever since been trying to solve. It seems the board appointed by the supervisors met and adjourned to some indefinite time. Consequently what promised to be a day long to be remembered in Britton's enviable history sank with a dull thud into the dead past unnoticed by the many. The supervisors will be asked for another board at once, one whom they feel will attend to their duties promptly and complete.

RIDGEWAY.

Write it '97.

John McClellen is quite sick.

Mrs. Susan Clark is under the doctor's care.

Rev. James Wright was in Adrian Monday.

The village school will begin Monday.

The week of prayer is being observed this week.

E. M. Coller, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday.

Mrs. Charles Foote made a flying trip to Dundee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gorton returned to Ypsilanti Monday.

Go to Ed Smith's for cross-cut saws, saw tools and axes.

James Nelson, of Hudson, visited friends here last week.

Eva Hindes is one of the number on the sick list this week.

Ray Gould spent Sunday at the county seat with his best girl.

Gertrude Boyd and Addie Sherman began their schools Monday.

Ray Gould returned to Albion Monday to resume his college work.

L. H. Barrett is spending some time with his mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowe.

Glen Smith is spending the week with his uncle, David Coryell, at Newburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenner Palmer went to Dundee Tuesday, for a visit with friends.

Mrs. S. P. Smith went to Napoleon Wednesday to visit Elder Yager and family.

Emma Cheever spent the holidays in Detroit with her mother, returning Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Boyd has been retained as librarian of the Hall library for another year.

Prof. H. C. Wilson and family, of Paw Paw, visited his parents a portion of the holiday vacation.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe is at the county seat this week attending the meeting of the board of supervisors.

Misses Helen Foster and Grace Birchall, of Toledo, were the guests of A. J. Sutton and family last week Tuesday.

Lulu Rappleye spent New Years day at the home of S. P. Smith, leaving Saturday for Hudson where she has a school.

Sunday school class No. 10 held their annual reunion and banquet in the church parlors last week Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Fred L. Cook, after a week's stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton, returned to her home in Lansing Monday.

Stephen Plues has put a cobbler's bench in Harry Smith's tin shop where he will be pleased to see all who need anything in his line.

The second entertainment on the high school and Epworth League course, —the Bliss concert company—will be held in the auditorium of the church on Wednesday evening of next week. The piano they use will be a, "Kingsbury," and will be furnished by Grinnell Bros., of Detroit. No one should fail to hear this celebrated company as all are artists in the part they fill. Single admission 25 cents.

Mabel Graves returned Monday to her school work near Sutton's station, in Raisin.

George Clark, of Steel, North Dakota, arrived Friday to spend the winter with relatives here.

F. J. Temple and family, of Tecumseh, were visiting relatives in the village Saturday.

Ed Gould is the possessor of a Tibard organ recently purchased of E. M. Coller, of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Charles Staats is visiting relatives and friends in Newburgh, Clinton and Napoleon this week.

Prof. I. D. Loree and wife, of Lawrence, spent the first of the week with his father, Dr. D. W. Loree.

Skates! skates! for boys and girls, at ED SMITH'S.

The young friends and schoolmates of George Houseman made him a surprise visit last week Wednesday evening.

The fourth number of the Tecumseh star course—F. W. Gunsaulus—will appear at Sutton's opera house, Thursday evening, January 19th.

Arthur Mapes, who has been spending a few days with friends, was made the victim of a surprise at the home of Postmaster Barnes Monday evening, by a company of his young gentlemen and lady friends. A very pleasant evening was spent by all.

Stone meat crocks and rock salt, at ED SMITH'S.

It might be well for those boys who are carrying revolvers and doing so much shooting along the highway and in the village, to call at the county clerk's office and procure a permit to carry concealed weapons or the sheriff may have cause to visit them. Unless a nuisance is done away with complaint will be made, and if this warning is heeded it will save trouble.

The Epworth League held their annual meeting and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:—

Pres.—E. L. Lowe.

1 Vice-Pres.—Chauncy Graves.

2 " " —Daisy Riggs.

3 " " —Jennie Underwood.

4 " " —Fern DePuy.

Sec.—Bert Smith.

Treas.—A. J. Sutton.

MACON.

Miss Libbie Walp returned to her work in Britton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rendel spent New Years with Cone friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coller have both been grip victims the past week.

Al Cvanaugh, of London, is visiting at the home of Hebron Camburn.

Mrs. Lank Smith, who has been quite sick with grip, is able to be around again.

The Misses Grace and Cora Austin, of Tecumseh, visited their sisters here a few days last week.

Mrs. Sumner Collins, who is sick at the home of Edwin Howell, is reported not so well at this writing.

Andrew Maples and wife, who have been visiting Macon friends the past two weeks, returned to their home in Kent county Monday.

The topic for the Epworth League meeting next Sunday evening is, "The Sure Word of Promise," found in Isa. 65: 30:19 and Psalms 105:42. Leader, Minsey Collins.

We understand that Charles Allen and Miss Maggie Sones went to Canada and were married about a week ago. It must be true, for Charles set up the cigars Monday evening.

Mr. John Day, who has been sick and unconscious for the past ten weeks, crossed the river of death early Sunday morning. The funeral services were held Tuesday an eleven o'clock, Rev. J. P. Van [illegible] of Tecumseh, officiating. The remains were taken to Tecumseh and laid to rest beside those of her husband, who died December 28, 1894.

Four years ago, Thomas Jacobus' barn and contents were burned, origin of fire unknown. He at once erected another large barn and early New Years morning the barn and contents, including fifty tons of hay, a quantity of grain, a wagon and several farming implements, were burned. Two horses were also badly burned, one so much so that it had to be killed. Origin of fire, again unknown but it looks a little suspicious.

LAWRENCE RIDGE.

(Delayed Letter)

Claude Harmon is spending his vacation with his parents.

Mrs. Fred Aten is quite indisposed with bronchial trouble.

Miss Cinda Lowry, who has been from home some time, has returned.

Meetings are still in progress in the east church and are well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Boyd spent Christmas at John G. Boyd's, east Macon.

Mart Bailey attended the funeral of E. B. Ford, of Moorevill, Thursday.

A Christmas tree was enjoyed at the German church and a fine time reported.

Miss Julia Gilmore closed a successful term of school Friday in the Eastlick district.

James Murphy, of Ypsi, is home for the holiday season, and looks quite like a student.

The Christmas tree at Henry school house passed off to the satisfaction of all.

The death of Mrs. Thomas occurred at her home in east Macon Saturday morning.

Mrs. Chas. Hendershot and Josie Hand visited Milan Thursday, the interest of the Christmas tree.

Much credit is due Claude Harmon for his assistance at the Christmas tree. "Honor to whom honor is due," is our motto.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boyd attended the funeral of Mrs. Butler, Tuesday, which was held in Britton at the Reformed church.

The children and grandchildren of John Murphy, to the number of 31, dropped in upon them Saturday, much to the surprise of all.

George Houseman, of Ridgeway, was the guest of James Murphy, Monday.

Miss Anna Osborne, after a visit with her parents, has returned to Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Harry Perkins, of Hudson, was the guest of J. W. Osborne's family Christmas.

There was no Sunday school Sunday, on account of the officers not performing their duty.

A series of meetings are still in progress at the East church with increasing interest.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Grace Gordon, of Saline, and Mr. Elmer Stimpson.

James Murphy, after a ten days' vacation at the old home, has returned to his school at Ypsilanti.

Ben Johnson, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, has gone back to the business college.

Miles Densmore, a graduate of Cleary's business college, is spending some time with his uncle, C. Montinye.

A goodly number of young people of the DeSpelder church attended the watch night meeting held at the F. M. church.

Rev. Mr. Baker, assisted by his father, conducted a watchnight service at the F. M. church. Although the night was stormy and dark, a good house greeted the ministers as they entered the church at nine o'clock.

Yes, 'tis true; Foley's Honey and Tar is the best Cough Medicine. Orr & Temple.

CONE.

Delayed Letter.

Mrs. Gideon Lewis visited her father, in Toledo, the first of last week.

James Ray came out from Fleming to spend the holidays with his parents.

Christian Endeavorers are holding a series of prayer meetings this week.

Aaron Auten, of Auburndale, O., is spending the holidays with friends here.

Henry Tee, wife and little Fern spent Christmas with the former's parents in Toledo.

Ray Gould, of Albion College, is spending the holiday vacation with his father, S. Gould.

Mrs. Walter Cone and daughter Veda, of Detroit, are visiting friends here this week.

Everett and Claudia Case, of Pentecost, were guests at E. Allhouse's several days this week.

Mrs. Chas. Caswell and children spent a part of this week with her brother and sister in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Amy Cassidy, of Detroit, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vandeventer.

J. M. Auten, wife and three sons spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Mabel Laskey, at West Toledo.

Scholars in the Caswell district are having a week's vacation. Miss Grace Barr went to her home in Raisinville.

Fred Rapp, Frank Hanlon, Misses Jessie and Mertie Auten and Lena Landt spent Christmas with the former's parents at Raisinville.

Carl, the youngest son of Oliver Curry, undertook to jump on a loaded sleigh, last Monday. He slipped and fell, the sleigh passing over his leg, breaking the bone and mangling the flesh terribly. Drs. McLachan, of Mooreville, and Downing, of Cone, made the little sufferer as comfortable as possible.

J. M. Auten was in Ashley on business last week.

J. C. Dennison spent News Years with friends in Britton.

Simon Gould was in Fairfield and Adrian last Thursday.

Rev. G. W. Kinney, of Rea, called on friends here Tuesday.

George Rendal and wife, of Macon, were visiting relatives here last week.

Miss Edith Gray, of Tecumseh, spent a few days last week with friends here.

Charles Craig spent New Years with his sons James and Charlie, in Toledo.

The election of Sunday school officers was postponed till next Sunday morning.

A number of young people enjoyed a dance at Bert Caswell's last Thursday evening.

Tom McCaughey and George Horen, of West Toledo, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Minnie Craig, of Toledo, spent New Years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray.

Edward and Thomas Doucher, of Sarnia, Ontario, were called here Monday by the severe illness of their mother.

Bertha Jourdan came out from Detroit to spend New Years. She was taken sick and was unable to return Monday evening.

J. C. Cone and wife attended a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Louisa McManus, age 73 years, at the residence of James Galloway, in Azalia, Thursday, Dec. 31.

The following trustees of the M. P. church were elected Monday evening: Simon Gould for a term of 3 years. Charles Goodridge, 2 years. George Caswell 1 year.

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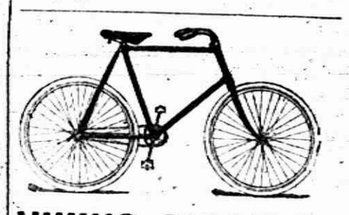

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It is understood on the street that Adrian has raised her share of the bonus for the Lima Northern railroad and our committee is now hustling to pull up Tecumseh's portion. There is little doubt but that the money will be raised.

On the sixth and seventh pages of this issue of the HERALD may be found the message in full delivered by Gov. Pingree at the opening of the state legislature. In it are many good thoughts and if the governor does half what he promises, such a going over will occur at the state house in Lansing as the present state house has never seen before. Gov. Pingree is erratic and in some ways quite a fanatic but the corporations of this state need stirring up with a sharp stick and in stirring them up he will receive what little support the HERALD can give him every time. The deliberations of this present legislature will be looked for with much interest.

President Diaz, of Mexico, has recently been elected to succeed himself for the fifth time in the history of that republic. The labor and social conditions of Mexico are in a bad shape compared with those of this country and the other nations of Europe, but in the matter of economic and successful government the United States and officials of this country could take many good lessons of Gen. Diaz. During the last summer and fall the corn crop in Mexico was a total failure; consequently Diaz removed the duty on corn that the laboring people of Mexico could buy it as cheaply as possible. Next year if the Mexican corn crop is plentiful the duty will be put back again. This is as it should be, but imagine a like occurrence in the United States. It would take two presidential campaigns to get the duty off corn and three to get it back on again, and by the time both were accomplished the poor man would have starved to death and the rich man have gone into bankruptcy.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Married, by Rev. L. R. Cook, at his residence, December 23, 1896, Mr. John Garlinghouse and Mrs. Alice Seman, of Napoleon.—Brooklyn Exponent. The groom has many acquaintances in this vicinity.

Lenawee county has 48 licensed saloons—22 are located at Adrian, 6 at Hudson, 5 at Tecumseh, 3 at Blissfield, 3 at Deerfield, 2 at Morenci, 2 at Riga, 2 at Addison, one each at Palmyra, Clayton and Onsted. Adrian also has two breweries. Total licenses collected, $22,629.94.—Ann Arbor Courier.

One of our exchanges tells how a Hillsdale farmer made a sausage which was 42 feet long, and says it would make a meal for half a dozen people. According to the figures, the average would be seven feet of sausage for each person. It takes our utmost confidence in the truthfulness of a newspaper correspondent to believe the story.—Hudson Post.

The Chase family reunion was held at the home of Rev. L. C. Chase, in Raisin, yesterday, and there was a large attendance of relatives and a pleasant time enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. James W. Corwin and little daughter, Mabel, and Mrs. Cora Brainard, of Toledo, were among the guests from abroad.—Adrian Messenger.

St. Andrew's church was filled Sunday evening by an appreciative congregation. The music of the beautiful choral service rendered by the vested choir under the directorship of Prof. R. H. Kempf, the sweet solos of Masters Gerald Brown and Freddie Daly, and the beautiful prayers of the church were peculiarly appropriate to this bright season of the Christian year.—Ann Arbor Argus.

The quiet and peace-loving inhabitants of so-called "Scrap Alley" were rudely aroused by a ripple of excitement which threatened to turn into the roar and din of a pitched battle on Wednesday morning, when Mrs. John Kuehl, with the fire of battle in her eye, proceeded to the residence of Stephen Ouderkirk, with the intention of righting some imaginary wrong done her. "Steve" was at home and after listening to a tirade of abuse from his female assailant attempted to eject her from his premises, when she stumbled and rolled into a puddle of slush and ice, which, instead of having a cooling effect, nerved her to renewed efforts, and picking up a heavy missile sent it with unerring aim through the window of Steve's residence. She was again seized by Ouderkirk and pushed into the ditch, which ended the fracas for the time being. The parties again met in front of a justice's office, where another set-to was prevented by the large crowd that surrounded them. We understand that Mr. Ouderkirk will swear out a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Kuehl, while the husband of the "female warrior" walked to Monroe to enter complaint with the prosecuting attorney against Ouderkirk.—Dundee Reporter. A case of not man's but woman's inhumanity to man.

The end of a postal order looks ragged on account of being torn so as to show the amount of the order in figures. Mrs. S. M. Hunter received one from Jackson recently, and with her usual neatness trimmed it off nicely with the shears. When she presented it for the money an investigation was found necessary before she could get the cash and her acquaintances are having considerable fun at her expense.—Clinton Local.

An agreement has been effected between the Wabash and the Lima Northern, in connection with the Ohio Southern, which virtually gives to Toledo and Detroit another passenger line to the south. The present agreement calls for the honoring of the Wabash mileage books over the Lima Northern and Ohio Southern, and a reciprocal honoring of these roads' mileage over the Wabash from Napoleon to Toledo and from Adrian to Detroit. This is a practical step in the direction of the entrance of the Lima Northern with Toledo. It is a generally understood that if business should develop satisfactory with this agreement, a through car service will be put in by the Wabash over the Lima Northern and Ohio Southern.—Toledo Blade.

A letter received by E. N. Smith from Major Seymour Howell, dated New Orleans, December 28, states that the major and his wife are having delightful weather. He says he stops a run down to Port Chalamette, the other day, and stopped at the U. S. barracks enroute, where he met an old army friend. At the national cemetery old times were recalled by the fact that 110 of his regiment are burried there, 26 of whom were connected with the two companies he had charge of. The major and his wife were to spend Christmas at Lynn Castle, a winter resort in Pass Christian, Miss., on the Gulf of Mexico, where there is plenty of sailing, fishing and bicycling. They will be in New Orleans for Mardi Gras.—Adrian Telegram.

An exchange tells us of a young man, being a stranger in a neighboring town stood on a corner one night wondering what he would with himself to kill time, when he saw a crowd of thirty or more young people approaching with baskets on their arms. It was a surprise party, and when he fell in line and asked a pretty girl if he could carry her basket, she consented, thinking he was a guest whom she had not met. Everyone in the crowd seemed to think that some one else had invited him and some one finding out his name introduced him to all the others. He had the best time in his life. He had a good supper, kissed seventeen girls and escorted the prettiest girl in the crowd home and was invited to two parties to be given the next week. There is nothing like seizing an opportunity to be in the social swim.—Saline Observer.

Mr. Lindvall, the tailor, told an Adrian press man a singular incident that happened in his store one day. A gentleman, while standing at the tailor's table, received an express package marked $30. When he opened the money package only a $10 gold piece showed up. He called all of them to witness that the package was marked $30 and commenced an investigation. The next morning the missing $20 was found in a gold piece that had accidently slid out of sight in the folds of the cloth Mr. Lindvall was cutting, and had been moved to another table. All the witnesses would have sworn in court that the package contained but $10. How the money secreted itself, during all the handling, cutting and doing up of that cloth is a mystery. The gentlemen in the shop tried a half dozen times to repeat the operation, for satisfaction, but it could not be done.—Adrian Messenger.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Present, the President, Clerk, trustees Boyd, Beegan, Lowry and Wright. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for month of December presented, giving five adult interments, $20 interment fees collected, two lots sold for $60 cash. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: D. L. Whitenack & Co., hardware, $58.88; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for December, $216.67; Alfred James, insurance, $10; Globe Mills, feed, $5.12; Chas. Bidwell, marshal, $25; W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, $25.72; F. W. Samsen, printing, $22.50; C. A. Wright, supplies purchased, $4.55; Water works C. A. Wright, coal purchased, $15.93; freight on same $4.05; D. L. Whitenack & Co., hose, $2.70; D. L. Whitenack & Co., cemetery, $1.70.

Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the several amounts therein.

Moved that 500 feet of Eureka double jacket cotton hose be purchased for fire department of H. D. Edwards & Co., Detroit, Mich., hose to cost fifty cents per foot and to be paid for during July 1897; seconded, carried.

Moved that the sum of $25 be paid L. B. Thompson for extra services as policeman for present year. Supported, carried.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

The True Remedy.

W. M. Rogers, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store.

Wyoming and Nevada have less than one inhabitant to the square mile.

Our Mid-Winter Sale
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And Continues During the Entire Month. Everything in Our Store Sold at a Discount.

Dry Goods, Notions, Underwear, Gloves, Mittens, Hosiery, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Capes, Coats and Jackets.

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COME AT ONCE AND SAVE MONEY.

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What do you need in the Grocery Line this Week?

No Matter, You can always find the Best Assortment at Lowest Prices at

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If you need an Overcoat now is the time to buy. We can show you anything you desire and the Price on every garment will be suitable to the liteness of the season.

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Two Superior Brands of Flour

Raisin Mills Royal Patent Spring Wheat Blend, which is of Best Patent Roller Flour mixed with Pillsbury's flour, making an article equal to anything ever sold in the country.

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Is a domestic flour equal to any straight flour on the market. If you desire even bakings of good bread, ask your grocer for either of these brands.

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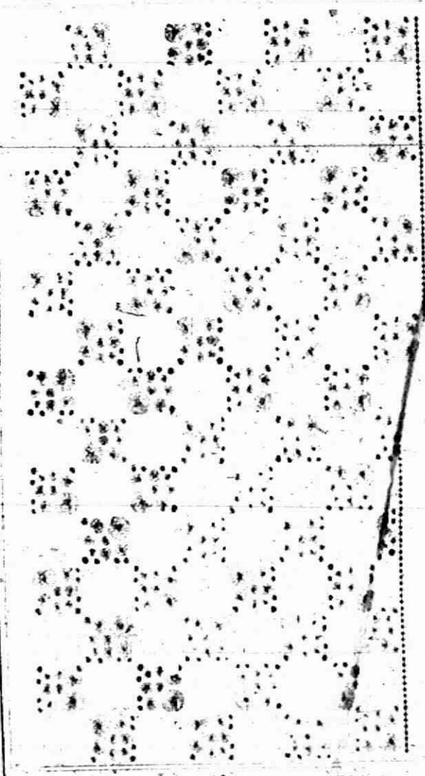

In order to close out Odds and Ends in our Felt and Warm-Lined Goods we will Discount Everything in our Store except Rubber Goods. You will surely appreciate this Sale from the fact of Receiving Such Large Bargains at our Previous Discount Sales, and you also remember that our goods are all marked in Plain Figures so you can see for yourselves if you are receiving a Discount or Net Prices.

On all Felt and Warm Lined Goods we will give a Discount of 20 per cent. On all Leather Goods a Discount of 15 per cent.

This Great Slaughter Sale on Strictly First-Class, Goods, will begin on Saturday, Jan. 2nd, and continue until Saturday, Jan 30th. Come one and all and Reap the Benefits of Our Generous Offer.

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Ladies' Calico Wrappers 75c
A good towel. . . . . 8c worth 12½c
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A handsome bed spread. . . . . 95c well worth $1. 25
Good blankets . . . . . 50c per pair
Handsome black dress goods . . . . . 15c per yd.
All wool dress goods, black and colored . . 25c per yd.
Best new prints . . . . . 4¾c per yd.
Best Amoskeag ginghams . . . . . 4¾c per yd.
Men's all linen collars [slightly soiled] 5c, regular 15c goods.

BARGAINS

ALL OVER THE STORE.

New spring ginghams and cambrics just opened.

Seaton W. Anderson.

Just through Invoicing and will make Special Prices on canned goods this month Call and get prices.

R. S. Moore, Grocer.

40 Jackets

At One-Half Price

Saturday Morning we will give you a choice of 40 Handsome Jackets at one half price.

Get Bargins in Remnants Silk and Dress Goods.

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Prepared Sizes for Stoves and Furnaces Cheap, Clean and makes a Hot Fire.

POCAHONTAS SMOKELESS COAL

For Stoves and Grates. Will Please You.

Bargains now in Buggies, Cutters, Sleighs, Harness, Blankets and Robes.

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Jan. 11, 1897

Orr & Temple.
Tecumseh Mich.,

I recieved the box of Orr,s Headache Tablets ordered.

If I am as much pleased with these as the first box, I will order one half dozen boxes.

I first heard of them from a friend in Detroit Mich., who was visiting here last summer.

Yours Respectfully,
Mrs. Morris Bartlett.

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A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.

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SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Domestic Trouble Causes a Terrible Deed at Janesville, Wis.

Herman Stimm Kills His Wife and Child, and After Several Attempts Succeeds in Taking His Own Life.

Janesville, Wis., Jan. 11.—In one of the three little rooms above the Kent Paint company's store the bodies of three people—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stimm and their six-year-old son, were found weltering in their blood, dead, Saturday morning. A mute witness—a cheap revolver half submerged in fresh blood—convicted the father of the crime, and the black eye that showed through the blood stains on Mrs. Stimm's face proved that resistance had been offered, but uselessly. A jet of brains from the child's head had been thrown to the ceiling when the shot that cut its little life short as it lay in bed had been fired, and another wound in the head showed that the father had not calculated to half do the job. One bullet had been sufficient to kill Mrs. Stimm, and it had entered squarely between the eyes.

The Bloody Deed.

After emptying his revolver in slaying his wife and child Stimm, it appears, had tracked their blood out into the kitchen. Then he walked back and locked the front door, leaving the marks of his blood-stained fingers on the key and the white doorknob. After that he went back into the sitting-room and watched his wife's life ebb out. Then he calmly reloaded the revolver, letting the empty shells fall on the floor. Seating himself on the floor where he could see his wife's dying agonies he held the revolver against his forehead and pulled the trigger. His nerve was gone, however, and the revolver raised as the shot was fired and the ball simply cut a three-inch scalp wound in the top of his head. Raising the hammer again he pointed the weapon at his chin. The ball missed its mark and grazed his neck, hardly tearing the skin. Then, holding the revolver close to his left breast, he sent a ball clashing into his vitals and fell over dead, while the weapon dropped into the pool of blood beside him.

The Discovery.

The shots were heard by many people, but no one investigated. When the Kent company's store was opened Saturday morning blood was found oozing through the ceiling and dropping on the floor. The door to the rooms above was forced by Sheriff Acheson and the authorities took charge. Family troubles were responsible for the crime, Stimm having repeatedly threatened, since his wife sued him for a divorce, to kill her and himself. Mrs. Stimm was a muscular woman and did not fear him. They had been living apart since the beginning of the suit, but Stimm went to her home Friday night. He was a box-maker by trade and 30 years of age. Mrs. Stimm came here from Monroe and married Stimm seven years ago.

BOTH ARE DEAD.

An Illinois Man Kills His Wife and Himself.

Alton, Ill., Jan. 13.—Joseph Burkhardt, of Edwardsville, shot and killed his fair young wife Tuesday night and then sent a bullet through his own brain. The deed was the sequence of a life of domestic unhappiness. Burkhardt was a wealthy contractor in the county seat. Last fall he built a fine home and his wife disagreed with him as to plans and furnishings. When it was finished she declined to live in it and the matter continued in this way until Tuesday night when without warning the husband took a revolver and ended both their lives. It is thought by some that the Prickett bank failure had something to do with the tragedy.

Spain Will Accept.

New York, Jan. 12.—The Journal's Madrid correspondent declares that Minister De Lome has been ordered to notify Secretary Olney that the offer of mediation by the United States will be accepted. Cuba is to be granted absolute autonomy, such as is enjoyed by Canada. The Spanish government is to be debarred from any share of the revenues of the island and all interference in elections.

Republican Governor Inaugurated.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 13.—Tuesday for the first time in 24 years a republican was inaugurated governor of North Carolina, when Daniel L. Russell, of Wilmington, was sworn into that office. The governor's inaugural address was a presentation of the various matters of state that will claim the attention of the legislature at its present session.

Says Spain Can't Win.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator-elect Money, of Mississippi, who has just returned to Washington from a two weeks' visit to Cuba, says that Spain is unable to cope with the insurrection; that she will never put it down; and will never end the war with victory to herself.

A Dangerous Counterfeit.

Washington, Jan. 13.—A dangerous $20 silver certificate with a portrait of Daniel Manning has been discovered by the secret service department of the treasury. This counterfeit is of the series of 1891, with check letter "B" and plate No. 6.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 13.—George C. Perkins was reelected United States senator on the first ballot, the other candidates withdrawing.

CURRENCY REFORM.

Many Plans Presented at the Monetary Conference in Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—The monetary convention which opened in Tomlinson hall yesterday afternoon has brought to the city a large and distinguished gathering of representative American business men. E. O. Stanard, ex-governor of Missouri, was selected as temporary chairman. Mr. Stanard in his remarks recommended that the greenbacks should be retired; that national banks should be permitted to issue notes up to the par value of bonds deposited to secure their payment; that paper notes of less than five or ten dollars should be circulated in the interest of a more general use of silver. These recommendations met the general approval of the delegates.

C. Stuart Patterson, of Pennsylvania, was made permanent chairman, and upon taking the chair said, among other things, that "we may differ as to questions of protection or of revenue reform, but we can agree that the government must have a revenue adequate to its necessary expenditures and with a surplus sufficient to provide for possible contingencies." Resolutions were offered as follows:

Directing the committee on resolutions to take into consideration the expediency of incorporating into the national bank system the principle of Scottish branch banks; advocating the maintenance of the gold standard, withdrawal of the government from the banking business, and the extension of the national bank system by the establishment of branches, and the reduction of the minimum capital stock required of such institutions to $25,000; declaring in favor of a refunding of the national debt, the retirement of greenbacks, a more expansive system of national bank currency and the imposition of severe penalties upon national bank directors for failure of duty, to be presented to congress by a committee of the convention; a declaration that the present gold standard should be maintained, and that any attempt to lower that standard would be disastrous to every class of people, and that only so much silver and paper as the country can consume, relieving the government of the responsibility of maintaining it at a parity with gold; favoring cancellation of United States legal tender notes and the simultaneous creation of a safe and expansive currency upon the basis of the Baltimore plan; favoring establishment of postal savings banks; for the constitution of a department of finance, consisting of three comptrollers, with a deputy in each state, to have charge of the issue of notes and with authority to examine all banks of issue; declaring that international bimetallism is impracticable and cannot be maintained; that silver dollars be legal tender at par value for no larger sum than $20; that silver dollars, silver certificates and Sherman treasury notes may be exchanged for bonds bearing 2½ per cent. interest, convertible on demand into notes which shall be received for customs dues; that silver bullion now in the treasury shall be sold within the next five years, declaring against any reduction of currency or the exchange of any currency now in circulation for any other that should not command public confidence; favoring repeal of the state bank tax.

OLD HICKORY'S NAME.

It Is Greeted with Reverence by Gold Democrats at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Choosing the anniversary of "Old Hickory's" victory at New Orleans instead of his birthday, representative members of the national democratic party from the ten middle and western states who fought for the gold standard under the banner of Palmer and Buckner, assembled last night in the banquet hall of the Auditorium hotel to celebrate alike the birthday of Andrew Jackson, the victory over Bryan and free silver, and renew pledges of adherence to the Indianapolis platform. The occasion was made notable by the presence of the party's nominee for vice president, Gen. Simon B. Buckner, of Kentucky; Hon. Charles S. Hamlin, of Massachusetts, assistant secretary of the treasury, and Hon. Henry Watterson, of Louisville. The following letter from President Cleveland was read:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, Jan. 4, 1897.—Franklin MacVeagh, Esq., Chairman, etc., Chicago.—My Dear Sir: I regret that official duties prevent my acceptance of the invitation I have received on behalf of the national democrats of the middle states to attend their Jackson day banquet on the 8th inst. When passion and prejudice threatened to obscure the meaning of true democracy and pervert its patriotic purposes, a reunion of those who are democrats for the sake of principle and the good of their country cannot fail to be inspiring and useful. On an occasion when the character and achievements of Andrew Jackson are commemorated, the old landmarks of democratic faith should be distinctly pointed out. At such a time it should be impressively taught that democracy is not disorder; that its regard for popular rights does not mean the care of only a portion of our people; that its loyalty to the constitution and laws does not mean a petulant challenge of the duty of civic obedience; that its aggressiveness does not mean class hatred and sectional vituperation, and that its success should never mean mere partisan triumph at the sacrifice of principle and patriotism. Yours very truly, "GROVER CLEVELAND."

Seek Heavy Damages.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 12.—The Chicago Sugar Refining company commenced suit in the federal court Monday against the American Glucose company for $1,000,000 damages, and against the Peoria Grape Sugar company for $500,000 for alleged infringement of patents covering improvements in the process of treating corn in the manufacture of starch, glucose and other products therefrom.

Blairsville, Pa., Jan. 13.—An earthquake shock here shook buildings, and farmers in the vicinity said they distinctly saw the earth move as with a waving motion.

Big Spot on the Sun.

Geneva, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Prof. Brooks announces observations of an enormous sun spot now on the sun's face and visible to the naked eye through a smoked glass.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Bills were passed in the United States senate yesterday to amend the timber culture law and for the appointment by brevet of active or retired officers of the army. The bill providing free homesteads for bona fide settlers on public lands acquired from the Indians was debated at length. Senator Call spoke on Cuba.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A joint resolution was offered in the senate yesterday by Senator Mills (Tex.) declaring that the power of recognizing a new republic resides in congress, recognizing the independence of Cuba and appropriating $10,000 for a United States minister to the republic of Cuba. The bill for free homesteads on Indian lands was further discussed. Adjourned to the 11th.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Senator Mills (Tex.) made an impassioned speech in the senate yesterday in favor of the resolution introduced by him to declare recognition of a foreign government a congressional prerogative and to recognize the independence of Cuba, and strongly denounced the administration, charging it with favoritism toward Spain. Senator Proctor (Vt.) spoke in favor of a six-year presidential term and three years for congressmen.

Washington, Jan. 13.—A bill was introduced in the senate yesterday making the term of fourth-class postmasters four years. The resolution to extend the presidential term to six years and the free homestead bill were discussed.

The House.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The Loud bill to amend the law relating to second-class mail matter was passed in the house yesterday by a vote of 144 to 105. A resolution was adopted asking information of the several departments relative to the administration of the civil service law.

Washington, Jan. 8.—In the house yesterday the debate upon the proposition to refund the indebtedness of the Pacific railroad companies to the government was begun. Before the discussion commenced a bill was agreed to providing for the appointment of a surveyor-general for Alaska at a salary of $2,000.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The second day's discussion of the Pacific railroad refunding bill in the house yesterday developed much interest, from a popular point of view. Mr. Johnson (rep., Cal.) in the course of a speech supporting the bill, alluded to Mr. W. R. Hearst, of the San Francisco Examiner and New York Journal, in most vituperative terms.

Washington, Jan. 11.—In the house on Saturday the discussion of the Pacific railroad funding bill was concluded. The Indian appropriation bill for the next fiscal year was reported. It carries a total of $7,465,000, which is somewhat less than the appropriation of the current year.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The Pacific railroad funding bill was defeated in the house yesterday by a vote of 168 to 102. The military academy appropriation bill was considered and a bill was passed fixing the minimum limit of capital for national banks in cities and towns between 50,000 and 3,000 inhabitants.

Washington, Jan. 13.—In the house yesterday a resolution was passed to pay the widow of the late Speaker Crisp $1,484, the expenses of his last illness and funeral. Mr. Johnson (Cal.) defended a personal attack made upon him by Mr. Maguire (Cal.) in the Congressional Record, and a resolution to expunge the matter from the Record was adopted.

Four Miners Killed.

Ward, Col., Jan. 13.—Word has just been received from the Adit tunnel, some distance from here, that four miners, whose names are unknown at the present time, were killed and frightfully mangled by an explosion of giant powder in one of the big drifts of the property. Several others were injured. The Adit is one of the largest properties in the county. The cause is presumed to be a premature blast.

Work of an Unknown Fiend.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Jan 11.—When William Devine, a farmer, returned home Friday night, he found his wife dead on the floor with two infant daughters lying on their mother's breast half frozen and crying. Finger marks on Mrs. Devine's throat showed that she had been choked to death after being outraged. There is no clew to the murderer.

More Butcheries in Cuba.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 11.—Advices from Havana per steamer Olivette tell of renewed buteheries of Cubans by Spaniards. It is asserted that Thursday night at Cuanabacoa Spanish troops under Col. Fondeviela killed 30 men, women and children and burned many houses. In Pinar del Rio Spanish troops are accused of ravishing many Cuban girls.

Made Fast Time.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 11.—A special train on the Big Four road ran from St. Louis to this city, 348 miles, in ten hours and four minutes.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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Business locals, five cents a line for each insertion.
Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.
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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 15, 1897

The HERALD has made arrangements to receive through a special correspondent a two column letter from Lansing during the session of the Michigan legislature. The first letter commences this week. Next week will be printed the first letter from Dr. Walter Fowler, and these letters will continue from time to time during his journey to, and stay in Liberia. During '97 the HERALD will be full of special features intended to make it the best paper in Lenawee county.

A few years ago men paid their taxes without very much thought as to whether they were too high or too low, thinking to have good roads and good bridges and good county buildings was a good thing for the commonwealth, because the money in those years came easily. But for the last few years, or more definitely since 1893, the prices of products have decreased to such an extent that it is difficult even for the "well to do" person to find money with which to pay his taxes. The taxes in Lenawee county, and especially in Tecumseh, have soared for the last two years to be even a greater burden than ever before. The HERALD has made an endeavor to find out the cause for these high taxes and in the research has formulated the following table which tells the number of cents per hundred dollars levied for state, county and township taxes for the years from '88 to '96 inclusive.

Year	State	County	Township
1888	20	14½	4¾
1889	18½	12	4½
1890	13¾	14¾	2½
1891	14	10¾	2¾
1892	14¾	8¾	4
1893	20	11	8¾
1894	18	9	8¾
1895	31	18¾	14½
1896	22	16	13

It would seem from this table that the taxes for the last two years are wholly out of proportion with those assessed for the years previous and if anyone is able to explain the cause of the raise in the township taxes from 8 1-2 cents to 14 1-2 cents per hundred dollars while both the state and the county taxes are also raised, perhaps it would be well for them to do so. In the township of Raisin the '96 state tax is one cent lower than in Tecumseh and the '96 county tax is four cents lower. Supposing the Raisin man is right this would raise our township tax five cents per hundred making it eighteen cents instead of thirteen cents which would be a jump of 9 1-2 cents over '94. The township tax in Raisin has always been very much higher than that of Tecumseh for the reason that Raisin has 18 bridges to take care of, practically making it necessary to build a bridge every year. There is no doubt that the city of Adrian has not paid, for many years, her share of the county tax. There is a system of swopping and dickering amongst the supervisors which makes it impossible for the members from the country towns to successfully combine against Adrian and make her pay the proper share of the county taxes. In another way Adrian shirks her share of share of the taxes. Manufacturing establishments have been induced to come to Adrian with the promise that their taxes should be low. Concerns worth $100,000 are assessed at less than one-half their value. Farms all over the county are assessed at more than their actual value and the farmer is paying one-half the manufacturers taxes. Every township in the county takes care of its own poor and no doubt a great portion of this excess of money raised for township taxes for the last two years has gone for the support of the poor. Certainly the taxes are too high in Tecumseh and in consideration of the fact that the rate per hundred dollars as between the years '94 and '96 is almost double, it would seem that there should be some good reason given for this increase. It may be of interest to the HERALD subscribers to know who bears the burden of this taxation, hence following is a list of all who pay over $100 in taxes to the township treasurer of Tecumseh.

Mrs. Cordelia Adams	$181.92
L. I. Bidwell	101.92
Albert Brewer	225.40
H. Brewer & Co.	196.00
B. J. Bidwell Estate	314.12
H. W. Conkling	132.14
Lydia Coryell	222.95
Wm. Hayden Estate	190.61
James Hunt	111.23
A. Hyde Estate	100.45
Mrs. A. Hardenburgh	111.02
I. P. Keyser	106.35
L. Lilley	411.10
A. W. Mills	143 61
C. F. Patterson	311.49
B. J. Rector	166.66
J. Q. Roberts	117.72
N. M. Sutton	236.22
Henry Smith	245.00
C. A. Slayton	145.87
J. S. Strong	446.96
Mary A. Shull	169.17
Temple, McClure & Co.	119.70

Egg for dipping purposes is far better when diluted.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The board of supervisors has granted a petition asking for the appointment of an election board at Britton, and the holding of an election on the first Tuesday in March. The same board which recently failed to perform its duties properly, was reappointed.—Adrian Times.

A project is on foot to build a telephone between Adrian and Wauseon, says the Hudson Post, it is supposed principally for the use of Doc. Smith, so that when he wants to secure Foraker or some other prominent Ohio speaker during a campaign, he can communicate with that state without traveling three nights and two days.—Adrian Messenger.

W. H. Harris, the showman, has an elephant on his hands that he cannot manage, consequently he has offered her to the Cuban insurgents to fight the Spaniards with. Wm. McKinley, Esq., of Canton, Ohio, has an elephant on his hands, in the shape of about ten extra applicants for every job. Perhaps he would be willing to send his elephant to the same place.—Ann Arbor Democrat.

Assistant Prosecutor Sampson is at Addison today, in the case of assault against Ezekial Meeks, who tried to kiss Mrs. Rose Whalon, on the streets there some time ago. The attorney's gone up there loaded down with books, and will try to convince twelve good men that Zeke's not so Meek's he looks. See?—Adrian Times' The attorney lost courage at the time for hostilities, dismissed the case and hied away to the county seat again.—Addison Courier.

Circuit court was busy in chancery this morning. A divorce was granted (when the costs are paid) to Mrs. Lida Gertrude Schwartz from her husband, Jacob Schwartz. Fred Cook, of Tecumseh, who is alleged to have been implicated with Jay Amsden in burglaries in Raisin, was brought in and his bail raised from $200 to $300, in pefault of which he rests in jail. Amsden is now serving a five year sentence at Jackson.—Adrian Telegram.

Just before Christmas Miss Jessie Blair, of this villige, addressed a letter to President-elect McKinley, extending to him the compliments of the season and expressing her joy over his election. The young lady has since received this reply from Private Secretary Boyle; "Major McKinley desires me to thank you for your pleasant letter of a recent date and to send you the enclosed campaign pin." The pin is a neat one and will doubtless long be treasured by Miss Jessie.—Morenci Observer.

But how about the postoffice? That question is a sticker. Mr. A. W. Smith is conceeded by some to have a clinch, and is doing nothing, allowing what has been done to leaven through the loaf. Mr. Metcalf seems to be the only active candidate just now, his labors going on in a quiet way right along. The speculation on other possible combinations is about like predicting weather by the aid of the muskrat. When the postmaster is appointed, then the people will know to a certainty Mr. Hoch's successor, not before.—Adrian Telegram.

A partnership has been formed between Postmaster L. W. Hoch and Chas. Meyerhuber, and the new firm will open out extensively probably about February 1st, in the store owned by Mrs. Dorcas Whitney, No. 13, East Maumee street. It will be an elaboration of Mr. Meyerhuber's present business, wall paper and carpet cleaning, feather renovating, awnings, etc., and after Mr. Hoch gets through with the postoffice, which of course he expects along in September, he will give the new business his entire personal attention. This settles the matter of Mr. Hoch remaining a citizen of Adrian, and between you and I, The Telegram is pleased to hear that he is inclined to remain here. We wish him all the success in the world.—Adrian Telegram.

The board of supervisors adjourned Saturday until March 8, without so much as even discussing the completion of the county jail annex. It was generally expected the matter would be disposed of, but it was entirely ignored. A squabble occurred over several accounts, including those of the supervisors themselves. A resolution was carried last fall reducing their salary to $2.50 per day. No attention was paid to this by the gentlemen of the minority, however, each taking the $3 which it was claimed the law allowed. At the fall session, the schools commissioner's salary was reduced from $1,200 to $1,000, but when Clerk Mills informed the board that the law fixed the salary at $1,200, and asked the board if it was willing to assume the responsibility of a cut, the board voted to pay the legal rate.—Adrian Times.

Judge Lane today held that where circuit court adjourns for any period longer than from day to day, a witness must be resubpœnaed and paid his fees and attendance for the day to which the court adjourns, or else the witness must be paid $1 a day for each day intervening, including Sunday. The question comes up often by reason of court adjourning Friday night until Monday morning, and is of interest both to witnesses and suitors as to whether a witness is either to receive his traveling fees or his $1 per day for attendance for Saturday and Sunday; or whether the suitor can on Friday night hand the witness a dollar and compel his attendance for Monday the same as for Saturday or the following day. Judge Lane holds that the witness is entitled to either be resubpœnaed and paid his traveling fees and one day's attendance, or he must be paid for his day's attendance, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The judge expressed some doubt about the rule, and hoped the matter would be settled soon in the supreme court.—Adrian Times.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters 25c. at all druggists.

Farmers' Union.

The Farmers' Union will meet at B. F. DePuy's Friday evening, Jan. 24, '97. Program as follows:

Music—Mary McIntyre.
Rec.—Mabel Wood.
Reading—Mrs. Mary VanVleet.
Music—Nellie Wilson.
Paper—Mary Eaton.
Chip Basket—John Cadmus, Jr.
Music.
Rec.—Nina McConnell.
Paper—Mrs. A. Boyd.
Rec.—Ulla Underwood.
Music.

Topic for discussion, "Recognizing the fact that legislation affords the only proper remedy for financial ills and agricultural depression, how shall we proceed to obtain relief?" Opened by Philip Kehoe, Dr. D. W. Loree, Robert Boyd, Leo McConnell, Eldridge Lowe.

Mrs. Mary Ann Harrison Waring.

wife of the late Daniel Waring, passed quietly and peacefully away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Eaton, at 3:40 a. m., Monday, January 11, 1897.

She was born in Yorkshire, England, April 17, 1811, and came to America with her mother in 1830, her father having preceeded them two years.

She was married January 3, 1833, and was the mother of nine children, six of whom still live to mourn her loss. She became a Christian in early life and for more than fifty years was a faithful member of the M. E. church.

Mrs. Waring was a woman of large hearted liberality and has ever given freely and ungrudgingly to all objects of a benevolent and praisworthy nature. The poor and unfortunate ever found in her a sympathising and helpful friend. The months of her sickness and suffering were borne with a patience existing only in the true Christian. Truly her life work has been well and faithfully done and she has passed to her reward.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Rev. John Watson (Ian Maclaren) who has just returned to England after his wonderfully successful lecturing tour in this country, has promised to write for The Outlook in 1897 two or more articles on "Hopeful Tendencies in American Life." The recent visit of Dr. Watson, the special interest of the readers of The Outlook in the author of "Kate Carnegie," and the eminently attractive nature of the subject, combine to make this one of the most important features of The Outlook's program for the coming year. These will be the only articles written by Ian Maclaren for American readers on the subject of his recent visit to this country.

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The January number of the North American Review contains a most carefully written paper by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge entitled "The Meaning of the Votes." It is a terse deprecation of the system of computations, indulged in by many, who aim to show that if a certain number of votes had been changed in one state and a certain number in another, the result of the presidential election would have been entirely different. Senator Lodge deftly demonstrates in some plain and simply compiled tabulations of his own that Governor McKinley received the largest plurality and the largest majority over all ever given to a President, except in 1872, when Grant defeated Greeley.

Mrs. Mary Thomas.

Mrs. Mary Thomas, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Forrestall, Saturday morning January 9th, was born in the state of Massachusetts, February 19, 1813, consequently was nearly 84 years of age. Her parents moved to Ohio when she was but six years of age. Here she grew to womanhood. She was twice married, her first husband being Hiram Ormsby to whom she was united in 1834 and who only lived six years. Three children were born to them, one of whom is now living, the daughter with whom she resided since coming to Tecumseh. In 1845 she became the wife of Rev. Nelson Thomas, a Baptist minister, who died three years later. One son was born of this union who, like many others, sacrificed his life in the late civil war. She joined the Bastist church over 50 years ago, but for the last 30 years she has been connected with the M. E. church. During the 22 yesrs spent in this community, she was actively engaged in church work when in health, and drew around her a large circle of warm friends. The funeral was held at the home Monday afternoon, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating and the remains were taken to Constantine Tuesday morning for interment.

Mrs. John F. Day.

Mrs. John F. Day, who has been sick for the past nine weeks, passed peacefully away January 3rd 1897, aged 61 years, 5 months and 15 days.

Miss Lois E. Edsall was born in Richland county, Ohio, May 18, 1835. At the age of 23 she was married to John F. Day, at Ontario, Ohio. They lived in companionship for 37 years, spending the latter 27 years in the state of Michigan in the vicinity of Lenawee county. Ten children were born to them, eight of whom live to honor their name. Also the father and mother of Mrs. Day still live at the age of 85 years. The husband and father passed away two years ago.

Mrs. Day was converted at the age of fifteen years in the Baptist church, and lived a most devoted, conscientious, Christian life. The funeral was held at the home in Macon, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

A sainted mother has left us never to return. The children stood at eventide over the death-bed of the one dearest to them on earth. The memories of joys that were past came crowding into their souls. "And is this," said we, "all that remains of one so loved and so lovely?" We call, but no voice answers. Our hearts are saddened because of words we cannot hear. Although she spoke no words to us, yet the expression of her face was enough to sink deep into our hearts and cause us to think pensive thoughts. Her eyes reflected as a mirror the purity of the human soul. They were lifted upward toward God, as her life was fast ebbing away. Silently and slowly the soul took its departure. It drove back medical skill as impotent. It broke through the circle of loved ones who stood around the dying bed. With one breath it was safe in the arms of Christ. O death, inexorable death! what hast thou done? Let us bow down and forget our sorrows in the slumbers of the grave.

While we thus thought in agony, the gentle form of Christ came in. He bade us look upward, and to the eyes of faith the heavens were disclosed. There were the spirits of the just made perfect—there the spirit of her we mourn. There happiness was pure, permanent, perfect. The mourners then wiped the tears from their eyes, took courage and thanked God.

We will wait for our time to meet this sainted mother, who left us all a great fortune—not of money or land, but a Christian principle deeply centered in our souls. We then returned to the duties of life, no longer sorrowing as those who have no hope.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.
God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon his love had given;
And though the body slumbers now,
The soul is safe in heaven.

A Happy Event.

The following from the Petersburgh Sun will be of interest to many Tecumseh people, friends of the groom:

"One of the most pleasant occasions within our memory was the marriage at the home of the bride's parents, of Mr. Bert Lee, of Tecumseh, and Miss Mary Lewis, of Summerfield, on Thursday, Dec. 31. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lewis Wilcox, of Dundee, Mr. Fellus Lloyd was best man and Miss Etha Lewis was maid to the bride. The bride wore a becoming costume of nun's veiling trimmed with lace and silk. About one hundred of the relatives, friends and neighbors of the contracting parties were present to celebrate the event and partake of the feast of good things abundantly provided by the host. The presents were many and selected with much discretion.

Mr. Lee is a young man of sterling worth and has made many friends during his residence among us, while his bride is one of the jewels of our country side,—a dutiful daughter, faithful church and Sunday school worker and true friend.

All unite in wishing long life, prosperity and happiness unalloyed to the young people now beginning life's voyage together.

Farmers' Social Club.

Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, the club will meet at the home of Mrs. F. C. Rector. Meeting to commence at 7:30.

PROGRAM.

Roll call, name a battleship, (tell where built and stationed), or a naval [commander.
Inst. Music—Edith Rector.
Paper, Our Coast Defenses.—A. P. (Coddington.
Inst. Music—Bertha Roberts.
Paper, Naval Academy at Anapolis.—(Mrs. F. C. Rector.
Patriotic Rec.—Lovina Schreder.
Historical Questions.
Song—Hazel Roberts and Eva Rector.
Question for discussion, Resolved, That there should be a law to assess a tax of two dollars on each bicycle, tricycle or tandem, and said tax should be used in each township for highway taxes.—Led by R. B. Gillespie.

American Whist Rules.

So much interest has been manifest in Tecumseh of late in the game of whist that the Herald prints the following general rules, which are the American Whist Rules:

1 The original lead should be from your strongest suit.

2 A "strong" suit is one in which you have four or more cards, or one in which you have three cards, two of which are honors. The former is generally preferable for the original lead.

3 Never lead from a weak suit, except when the previous fall of the cards shows you that it is better to discontinue your own or your partner's strong suit.

4 When obliged to lead from a weak suit, select the strongest one you have, unless your partner or your left hand adversary has discarded from it, or your right hand adversary has shown strength in it.

5 With five trumps without an honor it is generally right to lead them. With five trumps, with an honor, or with six trumps, always lead them.

You should lead from four trumps, if you get the lead after your opponents' hands are so far cleared of your strong suit that you command it.

Do not lead from less than four trumps unless—

You have winning cards in every suit; or

Your opponents are both trumping; or

The game is hopeless unless your partner proves strong.

Leads after the First Round of a Suit.

6 Avoid changing your lead from one suit to another; and if you lose the lead and obtain it again after one or more tricks have been played, generally pursue your first lead.

7 After the first round of a suit, if necessary for you to lead it, generally lead the winning card if you have it; and if you remain with the second and third best, lead the second best.

8 In other cases continue with your original fourth best.

Returned Leads.

9 Generally return your partner's lead, unless you have a strong suit of your own which contains four cards and two or more honors.

10 When obliged to return your adversary's lead, choose a suit in which the fourth hand is weak, or one in which the second hand is strong. The former is preferable.

11 Return the highest if you have but two of the suit left in your hand; the lowest, if more than two (subject, however, to rule 7).

Discount on Overcoats

During this month we are giving Big Discounts on all Overcoats in our Store in order to make room for New Goods. Get in quick while sizes are right.

McCann Bros.
The One Price Clothiers.

Our Mid-Winter Sale
OPENS SATURDAY, JAN. 2nd

And Continues During the Entire Month. Everything in Our Store Sold at a Discount.

Dry Goods, Notions, Underwear, Gloves, Mittens, Hosiery, Ladies', Capes, Misses' and Coats and Children's Jackets.

All Leather Goods consisting of Our Elegant Line of Shoes, go at 20 Per cent Off.

COME AT ONCE AND SAVE MONEY.

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Bidwell Block, Tecumseh.

Two Superior Brands of Flour.

Raisin Mills Royal Patent Spring Wheat Blend, which consists of Best Patent Roller Flour mixed with Pillsbury's best flour, making an article equal to anything ever sold in this country.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 15, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

WANTED—Salesmen to sell very complete line of lubricating oils, greases and specialties. Liberal terms to proper party. Jewel Packing Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

Three dollar shoe now $2.40 at Karner Brothers.

A. W. Mills made Toledo a business visit Tuesday.

George W. Marvin spent Sunday with his family in Adrian.

Tom Temple, of Ridgeway was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

Will Fisher and bride returned from their trip Saturday night.

Miss Edith Kirk, of Clinton, was visiting friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Vedder, who was quite ill last week, is improving slowly.

Miss Lydia McNeil visited her sister, Mrs. George Hawks, at Britton this week.

Miss Ione Lampson, of the bankrupt store, spent Sunday with her people at Adrian.

Mrs. Robert Moir sold her house and lot Saturday to Mrs. A. Harlan, of Clinton.

Remember the day and date of next star course entertainment, Tuesday, Jan. 19th.

Mr. George Bly, who has been quite seriously ill for some weeks, is now slowly recovering.

Miss Allie Rice returned home Monday afternoon from a two weeks' visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. John Chamberlain's wife and little daughter came up from Adrian and spent Sunday with him.

The Misses Whittlesey girls, Grace and Nellie of Clinton, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Blachford Monday.

Mrs. John Owen, who has been assisting her uncle at Homer through the busy season, returned home Monday.

Until Saturday January 30th you can buy all the felt and leather goods at 20 per cent discount at Karner Bros.

Mrs. M. B. House, spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. James Clark, returning in the evening to Clinton, home.

Mary Nyland is housed up in consequence of an injured foot which resulted from a wagon tongue falling on it a few days since.

Mrs. Tolver, of Ypsilanti, who used to clerk in the white pharmacy at Britton, has been placed in charge of Baker & Co's drug store.

Miss Austin and her committee will serve supper in the parlors of the M. E. church Wednesday, Jan. 20, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Mr. A. B. Clark, of Adrian, died last Monday night. The funeral was held at Lyons, Ohio, Saturday, attended by Rev. E. C. Andrus, of this place.

Miss Daisy Baldwin held the lucky ticket which drew the candy house at the kitchen consequently she has candy galore. She is a very lucky girl.

Children desiring instruction in dancing will meet with Mrs. Tiffany, on Pearl street, Saturday (tomorrow) at 2 o'clock. Adults, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cupples have given up life and returned to the farm, but in these times it is to their interest to have the management of themselves.

Hall & Hitesbu announce a grand closing sale to commence at once. Sales always mean business and Hall never advertises anything they do not intend to fulfill.

Mrs. McClure was in Toledo Tuesday. She has accepted the position of housekeeper in the popular fruit house of Demuth & Co. and will begin duties February 1st.

Rev. Walter S. Aldrich, of Adrian, is filling the pulpit at the Friends church for a few weeks. Mr. Buck will supply him next Sunday to assist in meeting. Services morning and evening. Everyone is welcome.

Rev. Charles M. Brown went to Detroit first of the week to assist Dr. Pierson of the Trumbull Ave. Presbyterian church, in special meetings. Sunday Mr. Brown preaches for Dr. Pierson and Dr. L. C. Thomas, of Olivet college, preaches here.

"The Cycling Club" March and Two Step, latest hit, as played by Hoo's Fashionable Entertainment Band, Michigan National Guard. Complete piano copy by mail, 50 cents (silver). Address,

CENTRAL CITY MUSIC CO.
Jackson, Mich.

Sunday evening, Rev. Andrus, of the Universalist church, began a series of character studies from American history, taking as his theme "U. S." The series is to continue during the year from our political history, our industrial life and one from literary history.

Rev. W. R. Blachford exchanges pulpits next Sunday with the Rev. Mr. Arnot, of Hillsdale. At both services at St. John's church, Clinton, and St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, Mr. Arnot will preach upon Diocesan topics. There will be the usual early celebration of communion at each church.

Manager Aswell announces a splendid bill for January 21. It is the comic opera "Wang". It will be given in Adrian with a very large and strong company headed by Marie Albert Hart. The chorus will be large, the scenery all special. Seats for this attraction will be on sale early to Manager Adrian. Remember the date, Jan. 21.

Star course, Tuesday, Jan. 19th.

Bert Chandler, of Hudson, was in town yesterday.

George Semark, of Clinton, was on our streets yesterday.

E. D. Brown, of Dundee, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Now is the time to buy carpets cheap at Anderson & Rosecrans.

Mrs. D. A. Hodges, of Jackson, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson.

Mrs. Sumner Collins is much better and it is hoped will soon be in Tecumseh again.

John Campbell expects soon to go to Clayton to take charge of a newspaper in that village.

Misses Lucy Bliven and Edna Warren, of Blissfield, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sisson.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh lodge at the temple tonight followed by work in the third degree.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. wants some good cabbage and handpicked beans at once.

L. S. Cook, of Plainfield, Mich., has been roaming around Tecumseh for several days visiting old friends.

Mrs. W. S. Morse, who was so critically ill last week, is rapidly improving and now considered out of danger.

Mrs. Mary E. Prichard, after nine weeks visiting at Jackson with her daughter, Mrs. Rassman, has returned home.

Mrs. Forrestall is slowly recovering from her late illness, but was unable to accompany her mother's remains to Constantine.

Mrs. J. S. Kies, of Clinton, visited her daughter Mrs. C. F. Field, Tuesday, returning to her home in Clinton Wednesday morning.

Dr. Beem has rented a suite of rooms over McCann Bros.' store, is fitting them up and may be found there or at room 40 Lilley house.

Harry Pattison and Vern Smith went to Adrian Tuesday to see Black Crook. They are not very flattering in their expressions regarding it.

Robert Moir and Ed McKinney contemplate removing to Hudson soon and engage in the manufacture of cigars. They are making their arrangements accordingly.

Mrs. Wm. Kirchgessner and child, who for the past two weeks have been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Kirchgessner, returned to her home in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Southworth has had the care of her brother Ed's baby son, Albert, since before the holidays. She appears very motherly and the young boy seems perfectly contented.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington DePuy are visiting relatives and friends in and about Tecumseh for a few days. Mr. DePuy reports business affairs in good shape at his home in Grand Ledge, Mich.

George Teachout and George Reese went to Wolf Creek overland yesterday, and returned this forenoon. They went in style, being perched high in the air, and had an excellent opportunity to survey the country on all sides.

Last evening a few friends of Rev. and Mrs. Blachford dropped in upon them in a social way and presented them with an elegant hall seat as an anniversary token of their marriage. All passed a pleasant evening.

Will Mobbs overdid last week and Friday suffered a relapse. For three days his condition was certainly alarming but on Monday there was a perceptible change for the better and since then he has continued to improve and he hopes soon so be as good as new.

Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus, Jan. 19th. Subject, "Savannah Roller."

Subjects in the Universalist church Sunday, Jan. 17th: Morning, "An Aggressive or a Defensive Spirit, which?" Evening, "A Character Study from Our Political History, Thomas Jefferson." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m.

A number of poultry fanciers met at the Herald office last Saturday evening, organized themselves into a committee with John D. Shull chairman and Dr. Waldron secretary, and decided to hold a poultry institute in Tecumseh about the middle of February. Competent persons have the matter in charge and success is assured.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. have invoiced a choice line of candy.

At the last meeting of the Monday club papers were read as follows: Miss Bertha Smeltzer on St. Sebald, Mrs. S. W. Temple on St. Lawrence, Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy on Peter Vischer. After the reading of papers and a general discussion officers were elected for the season of '97 and '98. The officers are thus elected in advance that ample time may be had to prepare the course of study.

Mrs. Michael Wilson returned yesterday afternoon from a short visit with Toledo friends, and while alighting from the C., J. & M. train here, slipped and sprained her ankle severely. She was taken to the Central House and a physician called. She was made comfortable and able to accompany her husband to their home in the country. Being fleshy, it is a wonder no bones were broken.

Come early Saturday morning to our Cloak Sale. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

At the regular meeting of the Research Circle, Jan. 8th, the election of officers for the year 1897-8 took place. Papers were read on the beginning of the decline of Egypt—"Fisit Persian Invasion," by Mrs. Helme and "Conquest by Alexander and Founding of Alexandria," by Mrs. Howell. The circle anticipate a rare treat in the near future, an afternoon with Egyptian photographs. This pleasure and profit is secured through the kindness of Mrs. L. M. Kellogg.

Roy Langton visited his people this week.

Frank Chilson contemplates buying a new pair of skates.

Ed. Williamson made a business trip to Chicago this week.

Charles Burridge is reported easier and it is hoped better today.

Bessie Bates thinks it's tough to be sick when there is good skating.

Sumner Collins visited Detroit and Ann Arbor on business this week.

Geo Hall is out on a business trip this week and may strike Chicago.

Mrs. Tiffany was in Toledo yesterday taking special instruction in dancing.

Albert Clark was called to Grand Rapids Monday by the death of his father.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. W. Bowen, Monday morning, an 8 lb. daughter.

You can buy a cape, coat or jacket at Harris & Hiteshu's for less than making cost.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Elliott Lowry has been seriously ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Potter are making an extended visit with friends at Chester, Mich.

Editor Stevens, of the Hudson Vibrator, was the guest of Mr. Lamb yesterday and today.

You can buy goods at Harris & Hiteshu's at manufacturer's cut prices. Month of January.

Mrs. H. E. Stout, who has been very ill, being threatened with pneumonia, is much better today.

Tonight occurs the first of the series of hops given under the auspices of Company C at the armory.

Tecumseh was represented at the party at Adrian Friday evening by Charlie Bidwell and Miss Etta Thorpe.

Wanted—Within the next 10 days, 20 pigs weighing 60 to 80 pounds. Please call or drop us a line. Dickinson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoag, who have been visiting here for some weeks, return to their home in New Haven in the morning.

There is to be a skating party on the pond tonight. We would suggest to those participating that they provide themselves with football clothing and skull pads.

Those from away who attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas were Mrs. Allen, of Benton Harbor, Mrs. Winship, of Adrian, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of Constantine.

Notwithstanding about an inch of snow covers the ice, the skating is good and both ponds are thickly covered with young and old from 4 p. m. until late at night.

There is now a vacancy in the official ranks of Company C, Score S. Walker having presented his resignation as 1st lieutenant. No doubt Richard Farley will be advanced to the position.

James Henderson, who for some time has been suffering from a stomach trouble, was taken with severe cramping yesterday and was in great agony until relieved by the physician. He is still confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Satterthwaite have been very anxiously watching over a very sick child for the past two weeks, their youngest daughter, about 2 years of age. They now think all danger past and her recovery assured.

Simpson Clark, who for many years lived in this community, but for some years has been an inmate of the Soldier's Home, died Saturday night. His funeral was held there Tuesday afternoon. He was the father of Albert Clark and was 62 years old.

The remains of Capt. Charles D. Stevens, of Detroit, a former resident here, arrived on the evening train yesterday and were conveyed to the home of his sister, Mrs. William Steinhoff. The funeral was held at the house at 10:30 today, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating. Tecumseh lodge of Masons attended in a body and conducted the services at the grave.

The past week there has been quite a number of changes in real estate. Among the most important is that of John J. Freeman, whereby he exchanges the block recently purchased of Richards, on the north side of Chicago street, with Arthur Gove for those on the south side, occupied by David Macham and John Hazlett. This will necessitate W. W. Whiting's changing quarters as John wishes to occupy the rooms himself as soon as Will can find another place.

George Adamson, who for the past seven months has been valiently fighting the battle of life with heroic courage, has been forced to yield to the inevitable and at ten o'clock today, surrounded by loved ones, he quietly laid down the burden of life. The funeral will be held at the house Sunday at 2.30 p. m., with the Episcopal service conducted by Rev. Mr. Vernor, of Hillsdale, who, as prearranged, exchanges with Rev. Mr. Blachford. Beers Post, G. A. R., will act as escort. Lack of space forbids a more extended notice at this time but next week a suitable sketch of his life will be printed.

The funeral of Mrs. Leroy Barris, who died at her home in Wolf Creek, of heart disease, was held last Friday, Rev. E. C. Andrus, of this place, conducting the service. Mrs. Barris was taken some three months ago with a bad spell, recovering, as she and the rest supposed, fully. Last week Tuesday she was not well but did her work as usual though she felt chilly. In the evening she joined in the good times with her husband and daughter, though not with her usual spirit. Retiring about ten o'clock, she died in a few hours. She leaves a husband and three daughters, all married, with one of whom she and her husband lived. Besides these she has numerous other relatives and friends who mourn the loss of one who was the life of a company, a good neighbor, a loving wife and mother.

Notice the long list of bargains in Karner Bros.' "ad" this week.

Tuesday, two of our young people, Mr. Thomas Shurtz and Miss Florence Beasley, visited Adrian. At the county clerk's office a license was procured. They then called at the Baptist parsonage and were married by Rev. Mr. Banker, returning home on the night train. The whole affair was managed very quietly and the young couple have the best wishes of their friends.

The Rev. James C. Hageman, of Dundee, and Olive S. Mead, daughter of Thomas and Libbie Mead, of Sutton, Mich., were married at the home of the bride, January 14th, at 7 p. m., the Rev. David J. Lewis officiating. The Mead home was tastily decorated and was filled with the many relatives and friends of the family. The evening being perfect, nearly all invited were in attendance. Miss Jennie Root rendered excellent music and nothing was wanting to make the occasion all that could be desired. The young couple received many valuable and useful presents and after supper was served, mid joy and congratulations, the bride and groom left to take a late train at Adrian for the home of the later at Cincinnati. After a short visit among friends at Cincinnati and Richmond, Ind., Rev. Hageman and wife will return to Dundee about Feb. 8th, to take up their abode in their new home.

High School Happenings.

Lina Boyd was a C room visitor last Friday.

George Hoag called on the A room Tuesday afternoon.

George Houseman, one of the senior class, has left school.

Luina Wiggins, of the C room, is confined to her home this week by illness.

John Richards, teacher in the Holloway school, was examining our work Tuesday.

Bertha Macham and Grace Carpenter, of Holloway, were guests of Floy Spencer Tuesday.

Mrs. Wilson McClure and Mrs. Robt. Elliott called on the seventh grade Wednesday afternoon.

Chauncey Graves, the Ridgeway high school principal, looked over our high school work last Friday.

The ninth grade numbers another new pupil. Lloyd Bartholomew, of Holloway, entered Monday.

Christine Wilson expects to take up German II with the class when the new books, Herman and Dorothea, come.

Mrs. George Hoag, of New Haven, called on the A room last Thursday afternoon. Bessie Spayde also dropped in.

Lillian and Charlie Waring and Agnes Eaton were absent the first three days of the week, owing to the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Waring.

Monday, Iva Elliott was an A room caller, while in the office Mr. Kellogg entertained two of the school board, P. S. McKinnon and J. H. Smith.

Miss Kyle applied her favorite theory of study from observation, Wednesday, by having a heart dissection for the benefit of the sixth grade physiology class.

Next week will come final examinations in English II. grammar, chemistry, algebra II, physiology, United States history, physical geography, and bookkeeping. The studies to take their places are English history, English composition, political economy, botany, rhetoric, civil government and arithmetic. The program for examinations with the exception of English II, bookkeeping and chemistry, is as follows: Thursday morning, algebra II, grammar; Thursday afternoon, physical geography and physiology; Friday morning, United States history; Friday afternoon, ancient history and English I.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The club met at the home of William Waldron, Jan. 8, 1897. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Aylesworth, January 22.

PROGRAM.

Song—VanValkenburg family.
Rec.—Zora Cairns.
Reading—Mrs. Mary Mathews.
Paper—Lila VanValkenburg.
Song—Viva Mellon.
Essay—May Aylesworth.
Stump Speech—Harry Abbott.
Rec.—Julia Tilden.
Song—Maud Abbott.
Simultaneous Rec.—Harold and Eddie (Hoag.
Charade—Mrs. Belle Mathews.
Music—Mrs. Wm. Waldron.
Conundrums—Minnie Stitt.

A pleasant time is anticipated by all.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich. Jan. 12, 1897:

Mrs. Clara Ransford, F. W. Ransom, Mr. I. M. Curtice, Miss Bessie Marr.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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—Rubbers—men's, women's, and children's, first quality, 25c a pair, at the great clean up sale. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Best felts and rubbers made, $1.87 a pair to close. Only a few pairs left. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

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—Come quick if you want some shingles at cost, most all gone. Some lumber for sale very cheap. Two good houses to rent cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

—Great bargains in a few fine lamps to close. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—9 bars Jaxon soap 25c. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—10c counters now 8c, 5c counters now 4c. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

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Fresh Roasted Coffees

Carefully selected Green, Roasted often and properly Blended. We can assure you a cup of splendid Coffee.

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A time to work,
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A time to buy,
A time to pay.

And we trust the

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so far as those who owe us on book account is concerned has come. We need money and must have settlements by cash or note at once.

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Buckwheat Cakes,
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Ham and Eggs
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with a cup of

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ought to suit the most fastidious. Three kinds of Buckwheat in stock Special low price on

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The Genuine Round Oak

still continues with its unbroken record of success, with hundreds of imitators it has no rival. Adapted for

WOOD or COAL.

See the name on the leg.

Satterthwaite Bros.

READY FOR BUSINESS.

Michigan Solons Can Now Perform Their Duties.

OBSOLETE LAWS TO BE DROPPED.

Standing Committee to Weed Them Out and So Arrange Those Still in Force That They Can Be Readily Understood—Other Work Which the Committee Will Perform—Proposed Amendments to the State Game Laws—Blow to Lobbyists.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 13.—The legislature is now squared away and ready for business. The messages of the retiring and incoming governors have been read and digested, the committees have all been appointed, and nothing now stands in the way of the transaction of the business which the lawmakers are here to perform.

One of the most important departures made by the house, and one which it is generally expected will be productive of excellent results, is the appointment of a standing committee of ten whose duty it is to provide for the general weeding out of obsolete laws and so arrange those still in force so that they will be readily understood. As Speaker Gordon well said in his timely address upon taking the chair, many of the existing laws have been so loaded down with amendments that even accomplished lawyers have the utmost difficulty to understand just what the law is, while the layman is utterly at sea on the subject. This new committee will, however, have other and fully as important duties to perform, for the resolution under which it was appointed imposes upon it the task of practically passing upon the advisability of enacting into laws the bills which will be introduced during the first fifty days of the session. While the members of the house may not generally understand it to be the case, yet the resolution contemplates that every bill introduced shall be carefully scanned by this committee whose judgment will have much to do with its fate. The committee is, in fact, a "steering" committee, the principal business of which will be to steer to the front such proposed legislation as, in its judgment, should become laws, and steer to the rear all other bills.

These are the days when much is read and heard of what legislation the various members are going to propose. It has always been so, but the fact remains that most of this information is unreliable. When the average new legislator reaches Lansing he brings with him a lot of startling ideas in the way of desired legislation of which he rids himself very soon after being here a short time and exposing his plans to the criticism of some of his more experienced colleagues. There is no doubt that the schemes embodied in Governor Pingree's legislative programme, such as 2-cent railroad passenger fares, the prohibition of the consolidation of steam or street car companies, the prevention of stock watering, laws against trusts and combines, the abolition of political primaries, etc., will all soon appear in the shape of bills, but none of the latter have yet been drafted, so that their exact provisions cannot be stated. Whatever might be said of them at this time in other than a most general way would be mere speculation.

The fact is becoming more evident as the attitude of the various legislators developes that the oft heard of Pingree and anti-Pingree feeling will be no more prominent than the Rich and anti-Rich or the Luce and anti-Luce feeling has been in previous legislatures. In other words, there is every reason for believing that the relations between the present governor and the legislature will be in every way similar to those which have always existed between the governors and legislatures of this state. It is confidently predicted that there will be no considerable opposition to any measure because it may be championed by the governor. Neither is it believed that the governor will be hostile to any measure simply because some one whom he may not love very well introduced it. It is becoming more apparent every day that each bill will be disposed of on its merits, and that the legislative and executive departments of the state government will work together with fully as much harmony as in previous years.

The conference of the state committees of the several parties constituting the Democratic-People's-Union Silver party of Michigan, which was held here last week, paved the way for the introduction of one of the most interesting bits of legislation that is likely to be considered this winter. That conference was attended by many silverites, aside from the members of the three state committees, fully 250 persons from various section of the state being present. The proposed legislation referred to will result from the adoption by the conference of a resolution favoring the enactment of a law providing for a specific state tax on incomes, the proceeds to be used, as provided by the constitution in the case of all income taxes, in paying the expense of maintaining the primary school system. The unanimity and enthusiasm with which the resolution, which was proposed by Chairman Fred A. Baker of the Democratic state committee, was adopted, leaves no doubt that the proposition will be embodied into a bill and vigorously pushed before the legislature. It is proposed to levy a 2-per cent. tax on incomes of $1,500 and over. It may be more or less significant that the resolution introduced by ex-State Senator Samuel W. Hopkins of Mt. Pleasant, commending the message of Governor Pingree and the stand taken by him for the rights of the people, was voted down.

The representatives of the State Sportsmen's association are early in the field with several amendments to the existing game laws, which they will ask the legislature to ratify. One of their principal objects is to dispose of the market hunter who annually raises such havoc with game of every description, threatening even to wipe out some kinds of game entirely. The bill designed to accomplish this object will absolutely prohibit the sale or giving away of game of any and every description. At present this prohibition extends only to quail and partridge, the idea being that when a man can be prosecuted for selling or giving away such game there will be no object for him to kill any more than he has personal use for and needed protection will thus be given. The open session to be asked for are as follows: For fox, black or gray squirrels and rabbits, Oct. 1 to Dec. 31; wild turkey, Nov. 1 to Dec. 1; wild duck, wild goose, brant or waterfowl, snipe, woodcock, plover, mourning dove and wild pigeon, Oct. 1 to Dec. 31. The other provisions of the existing laws are retained. It is expected that the subject will, as usual, occupy much of the legislature's time and precipitate a fight of somewhat extensive proportions. No doubt an effort will be made to prohibit spring duck shooting, a provision which has thus far been successfully combatted.

There is considerable speculation as to what place the lobbyists will have this session. Representative Edgar introduced a resolution calling for the rigid enforcement of the rule excluding all but certain officials from the floor of the house, and the chances are that the resolution, which is now in the hands of the committee on rules, will be reported favorably and adopted. It is clearly designed to give a blow to lobbyists who have heretofore been permitted to mingle freely with the representatives while the house was in session. Then, too, the suggestion made by Governor Pingree in his message that lobbyists be licensed and restricted in their operations, was warmly applauded. Taken together these facts would seem to indicate that the lobbyists will experience something of a frost this winter.

The agitation for better roads in Michigan resulted in the organization of a state good roads association in this city a few months ago. Since its organization very little has been heard from the association, but a meeting will be held here Friday for the purpose of agreeing upon legislation which will tend to promote the construction of better roads in Michigan. No regular programme for the session has been prepared, but Hon. William L. Webber of Saginaw, who represented this state at the good roads congress at Atlanta last year, will preside. Mr. Webber has devoted much time and thought to this question which he believes of paramount importance.

Two years ago the doctors of the state secured the passage of just such a medical registration bill as they thought they desired, but when it reached the governor after the legislature adjourned and too late to have it amended, it was discovered that it contained fatal defects and Governor Rich was obliged to defeat it. The doctors propose to be early in the field this year, and have already drafted a bill which is the same as that of two years ago in the main, but from which all of the objectionable and unconstitutional features of the old bill have been eliminated. The new measure provides for the appointment by the governor of a board of registration, to consist of nine members representing the different schools of medicine. With this board all doctors will be required to register. Doctors already in practice will be permitted to simply register with the board upon payment of a fee of $1. Certificates of registration in another state will be accepted here, and new doctors will be permitted to practice upon either passing an examination before the board, or filing a diploma issued by a recognized medical college having at least a four years' course.

About the only point which yet remains to be decided is the number of representatives each of the several schools of medicine is to have on the board. The supreme court has already decided that it would be unconstitutional to provide that so many shall be of one school, so many of another, etc., and the committee in charge of the preparation of the bill are not a little puzzled how to get around this fact and still fix things so that it will be impossible for any one school to manipulate matters that it will secure a majority of the members of the board, and thus be in shape to work affairs in its interest. It is constitutional to provide that no more than a certain number shall be of the same school, but such a provision would not confine the representation to the exact number named, and that is what the committee desires to do.

As intimated above the measure does not contemplate that physicians now in practice in the state shall be required to pass an examination before the board, but only those who desire to practice and who have never been granted a diploma by a reputable college, or who cannot show a certificate from another state. The committee which prepared the bill is made up of representatives of all the schools, and the members are agreed that it is free from all objectionable features.

The traveling library system, which was provided for by the last legislature, has proved to be very popular, the librarian being quite unable to meet the demand upon her because sufficient money was not appropriated to meet the rapid growth of the scheme. Already a number of applications are on file awaiting the contemplated action of the present legislature in increasing the appropriation so that the wants of the people may be supplied. Representative Atkinson has announced his intention of introducing a free public bill, which will embrace the salient features of circulating libraries in other states. The measure will provide for the appointment of a state library commission to act in conjunction with the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of encouraging the establishment of free public libraries in the cities and villages of the states, and will provide for an appropriation of $100 each as a nucleus with which to establish such libraries. This bill, if it becomes a law, will not interfere in any way with the traveling library system, that being taken advantage of principally by citizens of the rural districts to whom they have proved a great benefit.

Some changes may be made in the arrangement of the upper peninsula counties. At present Isle Royale county is disorganized, its records being in possession of the auditor general. In view of the contemplated resumption of mining operations on the island it is proposed to attach it to Keweenaw county. There is also a movement on foot to induce the legislature to organize a new county from the townships of Ewen, Matchwood, Port, Trout Creek and Choate in Ontonagon county, Marienesco and Watersmeet in Gogebic, and Laird and Duncan in Houghton. These are all lumber towns, but some of them are attached to copper and others to iron counties. Duncan and Laird townships are located 100 miles from the county seat. The plan bids fair to encounter considerable opposition.

NEW SCHOOL FOR MONKEYS.

They Will Be Trained for Domestic Servants.

There has just been founded at Calcutta an institution for the education of monkeys, says an exchange.

A young monkey is taken and before him is placed a set of blocks on which are painted in capitals the letters of the alphabet. These blocks are, in fact, exactly similar to those which children play with in every civilized country in the world, and they are used in precisely the same way as if the monkey were a young specimen of the human race. There is one professor for each monkey, and the monkey is taught by means of the blocks to spell certain words. If the word is "fruit," for example, the monkey, after having been taught to arrange the blocks so as to spell the word quickly and without error, receives a bit of fruit as his reward. The same exercise is repeated with other words; and it is hoped that in time the simians will learn how to read and spell and understand English, if they cannot speak it. An effort will also be made, it is said, to educate these beasts so that they may become fairly efficient domestic servants. The school is so young as yet, however, that what it will accomplish is entirely a matter of speculation. Its "professors" are enthusiastic about their novel work and seem to think that a new field of usefulness will be opened up for these chattering little beasts.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	10 11	14
Eggs	14	16
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		12
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12½
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 90	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs.	3 25 3 75	3 25 3 75
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	7 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	6½ 7	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	64	
Corn, shelled	23	35
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15 20
Oats	16	30
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		50
Middlings, per 100 lbs		60
Corn meal, per 100		60
Straw	4 00	5 00

A MIDNIGHT EPISODE.

The Entire Matter Was Dropped Just Where It Was.

Beemer was walking home late at night through the suburbs, observes the Detroit Free Press.

So was Deemer.

Deemer was not more than 50 feet behind Beemer, and both of them were trembling in their shoes for fear of footpads.

Beemer wanted to run, but felt sick at heart under a conviction that the man so doggedly following him would not be a robber unless he were a sprinter.

Deemer ached to turn and make a dash for safety, but was sure that the man ahead would be upon him within a block.

Beemer stumbled and yelled "police."

Deemer struck out into a vacant lot and yelled "police."

They reached their respective homes pale, breathless and resolved never to stay out late again.

Next day Beemer and Deemer met with the usual crowd at lunch. Beemer gave a thrilling account of how he put a footpad to flight the night before.

Deemer was even more vivid in his description of a like feat.

After the two had taken a square look at each other they sneaked out together and before they parted there was a solemn pledge exchanged that the entire matter should be dropped just where it was.

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Until that date you can buy everything in our Store (except Rubber Goods) at 20 per cent. Discount. We have a few more Felt Boot Combinations, which we are closing out as follows:

Best Pontiac, all wool Knit Boots with Snag Proof Overs, were $3.75 now $3.00

Mishawaka Ball Band wool Boots with Wales Goodyear 2 buckle Overs, were $3.25 now $2.60.

Best Artic Region wool Boots with Boston Overs were $2.50 now $2.00.

All	$5.00	Shoes	now	$4.00
All	4.00	"	"	3.20
All	3.00	"	"	2.40
All	2.00	"	"	1.60

Our Special Sale on Felt and Leather Goods at the above Reduced Prices will close Saturday, Jan 30th. Come early and supply your wants.

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For the next Thirty days I will sell all Fall and Winter

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Goods Must Go!

Come early and make your selections. First-class work on all Garments.

Satisfaction Guaranted

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We have a thousand pounds of a—1 kettle rendered lard. Try one of those

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This place is in Tecumseh at James Lowry's.

The Tecumseh Herald.

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Men's Underwear. . . . . 19 and 25c.
Ladies' Underwear. . . . . 25c extra good value.
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A good towel. . . . . 8c worth 12½c
An extra good towel . . . . . 100 worth 15c
A handsome bed spread. . . . . 95c well worth $1. 25
Good blankets . . . . . 50c per pair
Handsome black dress goods . . . . . 15c per yd.
All wool dress goods, black and colored . . 25c per yd.
Best new prints . . . . . 4¾c per yd.
Best Amoskeag ginghams . . . . . 4¾c per yd.
Men's all linen collars [slightly soiled] 5c, regular 15c goods.

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ALL OVER THE STORE.

New spring ginghams and cambrics just opened.

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CREAM CHEESE

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Awful cheap

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Jan. 11, 1897

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Tecumseh Mich.,

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If I am as much pleased with these as the first box, I will order one half dozen boxes.

I first heard of them from a friend in Detroit Mich., who was visiting here last summer.

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CHILDREN BURNED.

Fifteen Inmates of a Texas Orphans' Home Lobe Their Lives.

A Search of the Ruins Discloses the Charred Remains of the Luckless Little Ones—Several Others Badly Injured.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 18.—Fifteen little girls and boys are dead as a result of Friday night's fire at the Buckner orphan home and nine others are seriously burned and crushed. Three of the injured, it is thought, cannot recover.

The fullness of the holocaust was not discovered and fully realized until Saturday. The fire, which began about ten o'clock Friday night and raged until the boys' dormitory was destroyed, did not cool enough for search for bodies in the ashes until early Saturday morning. At that time it was thought that only five children had been burned to death. When the ashes had cooled enough to admit of a search scores of sympathizing friends and neighbors began the sad task of finding the bodies of the five who it was known had perished. The search had hardly been instituted when the terrible truth that there were more than five bodies in the ashes appeared. The search continued until dawn, when 15 bodies had been found.

All the dead except one were buried Saturday evening in the cemetery home. Rev. Mr. Buckner, manager of the home, officiated The home physicians are in attendance on the injured. All the farmers in the vicinity turned out and assisted in making coffins, digging graves and burying the victims. There were 147 boys and more than 100 girls in the home. All are accounted for.

Three Children Suffocated.

Boston, Jan. 18.—John D. Reynolds, a laborer, has been unfortunate of late through sickness among his four children, and had called in Annie Connelly, 14 years old, to assist in the care of them. She put the four to bed early Saturday night, two to a room, and she herself occupied the room with the two elder girls—Mary, aged 7, and Margaret, aged 4. All three were found dead in bed Sunday morning, with the gas turned on. It is supposed that this was done accidentally.

TIME IS NEEDED.

Dun & Co. Say Business Improvement Is Coming Gradually.

New York, Jan. 16.—R. G. Dun & Co. in their weekly review of trade say:

"The greatest growth and prosperity the country had ever seen came suddenly in 1879, after several months of disappointment because specie resumption had not yet brought the benefits expected. It takes time for new confidence to reach through easier money markets, large orders, resuming mills, expanding employment and larger distribution, to the results which make still greater and lasting gain possible. Such gradual and steady improvement has been in progress for more than two months. The output of pig iron has gained 41.6 per cent. since October 1. The output of coke has increased 88.7 per cent. since October 1. Sales of wool have become large. Money markets feel a steady increase in demand for commercial and manufacturing loans. Additional works have gone into operation each week in January, and the working force is larger than at any other time for six months. The gain may be ascribed to the deliberate judgment of the ablest and most prudent men in business.

"Failures for the week have been 435 in the United States, against 336 last year, and 41 in Canada, against 31 last year.

POACHERS SHOT.

Serious Trouble on Private Shooting Grounds in Indiana.

Crown Point, Ind., Jan. 20.—Seven watchmen guarding the preserves of the Tolleston club, of Chicago, ten miles north of here, and who were armed with Winchesters, fired into a hunting party of 16 men Tuesday afternoon who were on the grounds of John H. Clough, of Chicago, fatally wounding four of them. Their names are: Theodore Prott, riddled with bullets and shot; Frank Kosti, shot through the body; Alvin Bothwell, arm shattered; Charles Prott, wounded in the neck.

The farmers are reported to have been poaching on the club's preserves and to have attacked the wardens when ordered to leave. Frank Whitlock and two of his wardens were arrested by Sheriff Farley and driven to the Crown Point jail over the old stage route. This was taken because the authorities feared the wrath of the villagers.

Iowa Coal Miners Strike.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 19.—When the operators of the Oak Park mine, near this city, asked the miners to accept a reduction of 30 cents a ton for mining from the former rate of 80 cents the miners threw down their picks and left the shaft. One hundred men are involved in the strike, which the miners declare will immediately spread to the other 20 mines of the district.

Honored Again.

Huntington, Ind., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Sarah Dick, the only female national bank cashier in the United States, was for the twenty-fourth consecutive time chosen to that position in the First national bank of this city.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 10.—In the female six-day bicycle race here yesterday Tillie Anderson made 41 miles 10 laps in two hours, which is a new world's record.

Cincinnati, Jan. 18.—The Wheeling, Lake Erie & Pittsburgh Coal company failed for $1,036,000 and the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway company went into the hands of receivers with liabilities of $320,000.

SHERMAN ACCEPTS.

The Senator Announces That He Will Be Secretary of State.

Canton, O., Jan. 16.—After more than two months of extensive consultation with party leaders and after weighing many eligible citizens in the scales of personal fitness, statecraft and party politics, President-elect McKinley has chosen the premier of his cabinet—United States Senator John Sherman, of Ohio, for the office of secretary of state. The venerable, but vigorous statesman who was in the cabinet of President Hayes as secretary of the treasury and has been a distinguished senator since 1861, except for his term in the cabinet, made a special trip from Washington to Canton to formally ac-

SENATOR JOHN SHERMAN.

cept the tender of the first portfolio. After his conference with Maj. McKinley Senator Sherman authorized the positive announcement that he had accepted the state portfolio. It is understood that Gov. Bushnell will call a special session of the legislature to fill the prospective vacancy and that he can be Senator Sherman's successor if he says the word and does not want to make way for Mark Hanna.

IN EXTRA SESSION.

Iowa Legislature Convenes and Organizes for Business.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 20.—The extra session of the legislature was opened in regular form at ten o'clock by Lieut Gov. Parrott and Speaker Byers. The officers of the two bodies at the regular session last winter were reelected with the exception of Secretary of the Senate Bullard. George A. Newman, of Cedar Falls, was elected secretary. Resolutions looking to reduction of expenses of the session and the manner of carrying on the code revision work, were introduced.

Gov. Drake, in his message, after referring to the causes which led to the convening of the extra session, devotes considerable space to the damage done several state institutions by the elements, and suggests that the state should purchase insurance or else provide for the establishment of an insurance fund or the adoption of other adequate provision to meet extraordinary emergencies. The financial condition of the state was also touched upon.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

Congressman Hubbard Would Inflict It on Train Wreckers.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Some interesting facts concerning train-wrecking were presented to the judiciary committee of the house Tuesday by Representative Hubbard, of Missouri, who has introduced a bill to provide the death penalty for the crime. Mr. Hubbard showed that the number of train "hold-ups" in six years had been 183, in which 73 persons were killed and 58 wounded by shots. The record for 1896 was 23 hold-ups, in which 32 passengers and trainmen were killed and many injured, four robbers killed and two injured. The bill is a very severe one and fixes the death penalty or imprisonment for not less than ten years for all "held-ups" or attempts at train wrecking.

Americans in Germany.

Washington, Jan. 19. — The Royal Wurtemberg statistical bureau has completed a census of the citizens of the United States in that kingdom which is sent to the state department by Consul Johnson at Stuttgart. It appears that in Stuttgart there are 197 male Americans and 231 females, and in Wurtemberg 518 males and 519 females. No note was taken of the birthplace of the citizens.

Duestrow Must Hang.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 20.—The supreme court affirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of Arthur Duestrow, of St. Louis, who shot and killed his wife and child in that city during a drunken frenzy three years ago. Duestrow has twice been sentenced to hang, but the case was appealed Duestrow is in jail in St. Louis.

A Mother's Crime.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Frank Villier, of Piney settlement, four miles east of Port Leyden, Lewis county, cut her child's throat and then her own. The child is dead and the mother cannot recover. The cause of the act has not been ascertained.

Recognized by Spain.

Madrid, Jan. 18.—The cabinet council just held here agreed to recognize the newly-formed federation of the Central American states of Nicaragua, Salvador and Guatemala, known as the greater republic of Central America.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 16.—The semi-centennial plan of celebrating in 1898 the fiftieth anniversary of Wisconsin has been abandoned.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Most of the time in the senate yesterday was given to Mr. Bacon (Ga.) in a speech upholding the power of congress to recognize new governments. In executive session the nomination of David R. Francis to be secretary of the interior was discussed, but no action was taken.

Washington, Jan. 15.—In the United States senate yesterday the free homestead bill to open to settlement all public lands acquired from the Indians free of any payment to the government, and involving 33,252,341 acres, was passed. The army appropriation bill ($23,129,344) was reported. Adjourned to the 18th.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The army appropriation bill was passed in the senate yesterday and the military academy and the bill making appropriations of $21,729,255 for the legislative, executive and judicial expenses of the government for the year ending June 30, 1898, were reported. The Nicaragua canal bill was discussed. In executive session the nomination of David R. Francis, of Missouri, to be secretary of the interior was confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Nicaragua canal bill was further discussed in the senate yesterday and the legislative appropriation bill was also considered.

The House.

Washington, Jan. 14.—A senate bill was passed in the house yesterday to withdraw from the supreme court criminal cases other than capital, and to leave jurisdiction over them to the courts of appeals. The agricultural appropriation bill ($3,152,752) was reported and a bill to make oleomargarine and other imitations of dairy products subject to the laws of the states into which they are transported was discussed.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The bill to subject oleomargarine and other imitation dairy products to the laws of the states into which they are transported was passed in the house yesterday. A bill was introduced for the establishment of a permanent census service.

Washington, Jan. 16.—In the house yesterday a bill was introduced authorizing the secretary of state to offer to the government of Spain a sum of money not to exceed $200,000,000 for the purchase of the island of Cuba. The free homestead bill which came back with senate amendments was referred to the committee on public lands. A bill fixing the age at 65 years for retirement from the classified civil service was introduced, veterans of the civil war and their widows being excepted. At the evening session 14 private pension bills were favorably reported.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Most of the time in the house on Saturday was devoted to oratorical tributes to the late Speaker Charles F. Crisp. Mr. Sherman (N. Y.) introduced a bill to regulate the sales of railroad tickets. It makes it unlawful for other than authorized agents to sell or transfer tickets or passes, fixes penalties for counterfeiting tickets, and provides that all unused parts of tickets must be redeemed by the companies by which they are issued.

Washington, Jan. 19.—In the house yesterday bills were passed to prohibit and punish the sale of liquors to the Indians and to amend the existing patent laws.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Nearly the whole day was devoted in the house yesterday to the consideration of private pension bills and of the 900 on the calendar 52 were disposed of. Bills were introduced providing for taking the twelfth census of the United States under the directions of Carroll D. Wright, and providing for the naturalization as United States citizens of the Alaskans living on the Aupette islands who can prove a five years' residence.

A SON IS BORN.

Countess Castellane, Formerly Anna Gould, Becomes a Mother.

Paris, Jan. 19.—A son was born to Countess Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould, of New York, at one o'clock Monday morning. Mother and child are doing well. The baby is the great grand nephew of Talleyrand, and inherits the blood of nine centuries of French nobility. To Americans he will be known as a grandson of Jay Gould. Anna Gould, the second daughter of the late Jay Gould, was married at the age of 21, to Count Paul Ernest Boniface de Castellane, of France, on Monday, March 4, 1895. Countess de Castellane's share of her father's great fortune was $15,000,000, and of this, it is said, $2,000,000 was settled upon the bridegroom, in accordance with the European custom.

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—The state supreme court affirmed the death sentence in the cases of Peter, better known as "Cotton-Head," Schmidt, and Sam Foster, two of the three footpads who shot and killed Bertram E. Atwater, a young Chicago artist, at Webster Groves on the night of January 23, 1896. John Schmidt, a cousin of "Cotton-Head," was tried separately and convicted, but his case has not yet been reached by the supreme court.

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Clinton Column.

E. R. Smith visited Detroit Tuesday.

C. D. Keyes attended service at St. John's church Sunday.

Miss Louise Peiper visited her sister in Manchester over Sunday.

Chauncy Ogden was up town on crutches Wednesday morning.

E. F. Kirchgessner, of Tecumseh, was in town last week Thursday.

Frank Brown came home Friday to spend a few days with his family.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from Adrian from Friday until Monday.

W. S. Whittelsey started Monday on a business trip to Eddy, New Mexico.

Miss Anna Riley, of Tecumseh, is the guest of her brother James and wife.

W. A. Kimball went to Leoni Wednesday to visit relatives for a few days.

There are two light cases of diptheria in the family of J. C. Fisk, west of town.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife visited relatives at Raisin Center Tuesday afternoon.

Congregational social next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Andrew McDermott.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner and Mrs. George Seagrave were Tecumseh visitors last Friday afternoon.

T. L. Carey, of Jackson, who had been visiting Clinton relatives for two weeks, returned home Thursday.

E. F. Muir returned Saturday from a three weeks' wisit with his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Johnston, at Detroit.

Charlie Silvers was confined to his bed Tuesday with one of those severe headaches with which he is afflicted.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cline, of Saline, visited at the homes of G. C. Lindsley and J. A. Rush the latter part of last week.

H. H. Rowland, who had been visiting George Freese and family for the past week, left Monday morning for New Haven, Conn.

Miss Mamie Reasom, of Hudson, was a very pleasant guest at the home of her cousin, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, from Friday until Monday.

J. B. Hause & Son conducted the funeral of the three month's old child of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jeffrey, at Evans Lake, Wednesday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. George B. Williams went to Detroit Saturday, called there by the serious illness of her sister's child. She expects to be gone a week or ten days.

Elmer and Lilly Gregg returned Saturday from Grant Station, Newago county, where they have been spending the past few months with Elmer's parents.

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ONSTED.

At Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fish's, a wee baby.

Mrs. E. S. Ross has been on the sick list.

Ed. Freer and wife are visiting in Sumerset.

The weather is very changeable. Is it Pingree weather?

Revival meetings will be commenced in the F. B. church soon.

Mrs. J. Reed attended the quarterly meeting at Jackson recently.

Mrs. A. P. Onsted entertained a neice from Elkhart, Ind., recently.

Walters & Craft will sell a bankrupt stock at the brick store for thirty days.

S. J. Fish is dealing in patent churn dashers and is meeting with fairly good success.

Mr. Bell, our new jeweler, is meeting with good success and has about all the work he can do.

A large amount of live stock of all kinds has been sent out from this station during the past few days.

A "hard times" dance will be held in the new hall on the 22nd. Wonder if Bill McKinley will be there with his golden everyday suit on.

Some of the friends of Mrs. John Secor sprung a surprise upon her the other day and presented her with a nice sofa and easy chair.

The knights and ladies of the Maccabees installation of officers for 1897 occurred Thursday evening of last week and a banquet served at the close of the ceremony.

Immense quantities of baled hay are being shipped from this point this winter, with fair prices, but what will people do if they want to buy hay next spring? It will all be gone out of the country.

FRANKLIN.

Hard colds seem to be the fashionable fad just at present.

The wind Sunday night tore the doors off the barn on Mrs. Marshall's place.

Remember the farmers' club at Albert C. Aylesworth's, Friday evening, January 22nd.

Mrs. A. C. Brown, of West Clinton, was called to Chicago Saturday by the death of her sister.

Albert Haire, while on his way to a job threshing, had the misfortune to break an axle on his tank wagon.

Albert Holmes, who had been spending a week among friends in Bridgewater, returned to his home at Watson Hunt's Monday.

Mr. Zimmerman, of Tecumseh, was in this neighborhood looking after handle timber Tuesday.

Johnnie Taylor has succeeded in selling a dozen and a half packages of bluine and sent for the watch for which he was working.

Mack Cooley is introducing to the people of Franklin a book entitled "A Compendium of Practical Knowledge." He also has a catalogue from which he takes orders. He has books for all ages.

The regular meeting of the Tipton grange will occur Wednesday evening, January 20th. Installation of officers is the order of the evening and Clarence Cook will be the future Worthy Master. Supper will be served.

From Another Correspondent.

Mrs. Ave. Aten drove to Macon Tuesday.

Hudson Davenport is at home for a few days.

Mrs. Noyse returned to her home at North Adams, Tuesday

Miss Alma Whelan has had a present of an elegant gold watch.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tripp are now cosily settled in their new home.

Aunt Anna Allen has been ill for several days but now seems to be improving.

Mrs. Noyse, of North Adams, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Freel Davenport, last week.

The "big hill" was graveled Wednesday, a number of men donating a day's work for that purpose.

In Ezra Simmons' sugar bushes many trees have died and wood choppers are busily converting them into wood.

W. G. Donaldson, agent for the Tecumseh News, has been canvassing the town in the interest of that paper.

E. J. Whelan and sons are cutting logs and expect to have a portable saw mill in the woods to convert them into lumber.

The many friends of Mrs. John Stout, nee. Eliza Wheelan, of Clinton county, are pained to hear that she is extreme ill health.

Cecil Billington, of Cleary's business college, will have a birthday in about two weeks which he expects to spend at home.

David Burroughs, of Kalamazoo county, has been visiting his aged father, Davidson Burroughs, who will be 97 years old in March and quite feeble.

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IN HIS ARMS.

This Man Caught a Deer and Secured It After a Hard Struggle.

Harry Middlehouse of Grand Rapids, Mich., who a short time since was visiting at Remus, Mich., had the novel experience of catching a live deer in his arms, says the American Field. The deer was a 250-pound buck, which, though once a captive, had been roaming the woods and fields for the last four years, and was about as wild as if it had never set eyes on a human being. The buck was seen, and Middlehouse hid behind a log while Farwell, his companion, circled round and drove the deer toward him. The buck came direct to the edge of the log where Middlehouse was hiding and stopped, when Middlehouse sprang up and caught the deer around the neck. Then a grand tussle ensued, Middlehouse winning the first fall, but the buck was on its feet again in a moment. Farwell was too far away to give him any assistance, and by the time Farwell reached him Middlehouse was about worn out in his struggles to hold the deer, his clothing had nearly all been torn off and he had two b' bruises on his side made by the buck's feet. Farwell finally came to his assistance, and the two placed a halter around the deer's neck and tied it to a tree. After resting for a time the men bound the deer's feet together and carted it back to its old home, from where, the next day, it was shipped to Grand Rapids, where it is to have a home in the city park.

A THREE-DAYS' DANCE.

The Longest Ball on Record, with Constant Relays of Musicians and Dancers.

What promises to be the longest ball on record will soon be held in Brighton, England, in the cause of charity. It is said it will last, continuously, for three days and three nights. Just how this will be managed has not yet been learned. It is possible, however, that it can be kept going by a careful arrangement of relays of musicians and dancers who will reel off the waltzes, mazurkas and schottisches one after the other. Probably a short interval will be allowed in the daytime for rest, and then the program resumed with increased ardor.

The entertainment, says the New York Journal, is to be given in the town hall, and the institution is to be benefited by it as a dispensary for the relief of the sick poor. There is a long list of titled people among the patronesses, and it is presumed that many members of the nobility named will grace the occasion by their presence. The duchess of Teck is the greatest "altesse" on the list, which also includes the countess of Munster, Baroness de Worms, Lady Ellis, Lady Pocock, and several score of the untitled gentry of the place. The lord lieutenant of the county, the marquis of Abergavenny, is the nominal head of the affair, but whether the authorship of the idea is his is not stated.

ZINC WALL PAPER.

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Animals Are Left-Handed.

Somebody has found out that animals are left-handed, if the expression may be used about creatures that have no hands. Several different zoologists have noticed this condition. Parrots take objects preferably with the left claw, the lion strikes with the left paw and so competent an authority as Dr. Livingstone, the African explorer, asserted that in his opinion all animals are left-handed.

A Princely Salary.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 16.—The salary of Game Warden Brewster has been cut by the board of supervisors of Kent county, to one dollar per year.

STREAMS LIGHT TOWNS.

Electric Plants Run by Melting Snow in Switzerland.

Besides a considerable number of large water-power installations, Switzerland is full of small power plants, nearly every town in that land of mountains and water-falls being well supplied with power from the "white coal," as the melting snow on the mountain sides has well been called, says an exchange. When there are no large streams, many small ones are impounded and collected in reservoirs on the hillsides, and it is rare to find a place of any size which is not well lighted by the power of some mountain stream.

At Montreaux, says a London paper, the electric tramway gets its power in this way, and from the old Roman town of Vevey to the mediæval castle of Chillon one may ride in a trolley car propelled by the power of an insignificant little stream, which may or may not be noticed in climbing up the hillside just above.

The capabilities of this general utilization of natural power are beginning to be understood everywhere, and with the appreciation of the possibilities of the best methods of long-distance transmission the development of many mountain streams must surely come. There are innumerable streams which, while very small, are yet very high, and these can with comparatively little difficulty be impounded and carried down many hundreds of feet, thus making up for their lack of volume by the great pressure readily obtainable, and, either by the use of electricity or compressed air, the power may be transmitted to many points of application with but little loss.

LEGAL FIGHT FOR A BIG CAVE.

Secretary of the Interior to Decide a South Dakota Case.

Litigation, which has been in progress for more than a year for possession of the famous Wind cave, at Chamberlain, S. D., has now reached an interesting stage. McDonald, the man who located the cave before it was surveyed and held it as a squatter, made final proof in June, 1895, claiming the land as agricultural land. A few months later the South Dakota Mining company filed a protest, in which it was alleged that minerals existed on the property.

The register and receiver of the United States land office at Rapid City investigated the matter, and decided in favor of McDonald, as the investigation showed there was no mineral-bearing rock to be found in the place, although colors of placer gold as well as other mineral traces were discovered. The case was then carried to the commissioner of the general land office. He decided that the land was neither agricultural nor mineral, and held for cancellation McDonald's application for a patent.

Both parties are naturally dissatisfied with this sort of a decision, and both have now appealed the case to the secretary of the interior. A decision is awaited with considerable interest, as the cave is equivalent to a fortune to the person who becomes the owner of it.

An American's Sarcasm Abroad.

An old story revived by the late historic festival in Plymouth is about Joseph Bartlett, an American lawyer, who went to England shortly after the close of the revolutionary war. One evening he strayed into a theater and found the actors performing a species of satire on the war. A company of American soldiery was introduced—a ragged, motley set—armed with scythes, hammers and soldering irons. In contrast there moved across the stage a troop of British warriors in fine gay trappings and glittering arms. The difference was amusing, and the British audience laughed. In the midst of the merriment Lawyer Joe arose and shouted: "Long live his majesty, King George of England, whipped by tailors, tinkers and cobblers!" There was a profound hush. For a second it seemed as though the American would pay for his temerity with his life, but admiration for his pluck won the day, and the ominous silence was broken with a ringing cheer.

Two Horses.

The editor of the New York Christian Advocate learned not long since from a coachman that horses are not unlike human beings. He writes: Riding in a friend's carriage one day, we noticed that the coachman made constant efforts to restrain one of the horses and to hasten the other. As the pair were handsome and perfectly mated, we said: "What is the difference between these horses, that you are constantly touching up one and holding in the other?" Said he: "The one that I whip cannot possibly overwork himself. I will not say that he is lazy, but he is so made up that he never can and never will do himself any damage. It would be impossible to whip him so hard that he would hurt himself. The other can trot a mile in less than 2:25, and he would trot from the love of it until he dropped dead. Hot or cold, he does his best."

Measuring Its Own Velocity.

By means of an electrical device experimenters, acting for the United States board of ordinance, have recently succeeded in obtaining photographic records of the motion of a projectile while yet inside the bore of a cannon. The projectile carries a rod of wood attached to its front end, and copper rings, encircling this rod at fixed interrals, successively form electric contacts as the rod is driven from the gun. Each of these contacts produces an automatic record on a photographic plate. The Scientific American, in describing the apparatus and experiments, says that the shortest distance traveled by the projectile between two successive records was 3.7 centimetres, which is a little less than an inch and a half, and that some of the time intervals between the records were only one-two-thousandth of a second

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Will Nivison was transacting business in Adrian Monday.

W. H. Blakley spent Monday and Tuesday at Wayne.

Mrs. Nathan Cheever, of Dundee, was calling on her Britton friends Tuesday.

Mr. Worthington, of the Worthington Fence Co., Adrian, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemont C. Hoagland entertained guests from Blissfield over Sunday.

Mrs. Lyman E. Hause visited her children at Clinton from Friday until Monday.

Mr. Sly, of Detroit, was the guest of A. O. Maynard and family the last of the week.

Charlie Goodrich's tramp printer did not stay long. He took a skate Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ousterhout are rejoicing over a young son that was born to them recently.

Mrs. Borden, who had the misfortune to fall recently and severely strain her knee, is still confined to the house.

Fred Mains and wife, who have been visiting A. W. Curtiss and family, returned to their home in Albion Monday.

For sale cheap, if taken at once—a house and lot with good barn on Oak street, Britton. Inquire of Art W. Curtiss.

Mrs. Milo Ousterhout was called to Tecumseh Monday on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Dixon.

Will R. Osgood has at his feed and cider mill erected sheds for the convenience of his patrons. It was a kind, good act, Will.

Earl Lenardson will move some of his household goods to Blissfield this week but will not move his family until some time next week.

Alonzo Allen has been having chills and fever the past week. He thinks there are shakes that are preferable—a milk shake for instance.

James Hillock, wife and daughter left here Tuesday night for Gratiot county where they will spend three weeks with friends at Wheeler and vicinity.

Joseph Thackery had a severe attack of hemorrhage last week and for a few days his condition was considered critical. He is convalescing slowly with every prospect of complete recovery.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly visit yesterday, dispensing blessings to a number who in turn passed them on to others and so on until the whole community felt better for its coming.

John N. Parker & Co., of New York city, are, we are informed, contemplating erecting a commodious hay barn to accommodate their rapidly increasing business here. Let the good work go on.

The horse sheds at the Reformed church are fast nearing completion. They will be appreciated by both man and beast. A "merciful man is merciful to his beast." They will prove a great convenience.

Tonsilitis has claimed many victims the past week in this vicinity. In fact it has been almost an epidemic. Among the sufferers were O. B. Lenardson, Herbert H. Temple, C. R. Maybee and Dina, little daughter of Earl Lenardson and wife.

Again there is a change in the meat market. Will Winsley has retired and L. E. Cheever and L. L. Wood opened the market Wednesday morning. Luke does not feel natural unless he is connected with a market and that he knows how one should be conducted no one questions.

As was expected, the installation of the newly elected officers of both the tent and hive of the Order of Maccabees brought out a large company of spectators and everything passed off pleasantly, though as usual the sisters outdid the brothers in performing the installation ceremony. The box social was a fitting finale to the evening's enjoyment.

Mrs. Wm. Prindle has been an inmate of George Kemp's family, at Tecumseh, since Friday of last week. She went for medical treatment. Dr. Howell removed a tumor from one of her limbs under the knee. Although no anaesthetic was used she withstood the trying ordeal (which took a long time) with great fortitude and is making a satisfactory recovery.

Ernest DuBois has been a target for all the jokers in town the past week. It seems he went up to Ridgeway intending to return on the next train. Instead of boarding the train when it stopped, he waited until it was in motion, thinking to catch onto the rear platform of the last coach. This proved to be the officials private car, "Leon," with a closed gate. Consequently he did not ride on that train and no better means of transportation presenting itself, he walked home like a man, and just for this he has been joked on all sides. Never mind Ernie, it's a long road that has no turn. Be patient and bide your time, your chance to laugh will come, sooner or later.

Few people know that all plants contain digestive principles. They cannot absorb their food until it is digested by more than animals can. The Mount Lebanon Shakers have learned the art of extracting and utilizing these digestive principles, and it is for this reason that their Shaker Digestive Cordial is meeting with such phenomenal success in the treatment of dyspepsia. The Shaker Digestive Cordial not only contains food already digested, but it also contains digestive principles which aid the digestion of other foods that may be taken with it. A single 10 cent sample bottle will be sufficient to demonstrate its value, and we suggest that every sufferer dyspeptic make a trial of it. Any druggist can supply it.

RIDGEWAY.

New lard cans, only 25 cents each, at Ed. Smith's.

Blanche Bannister, of Britton, visited Ella Larkin Saturday.

Skates for boys and girls, best quality, at Ed. Smith's

Charles Morgan, of Macon, was in the village the first of the week.

Charles Kelly left Monday for an indefinite stay with friends in New York state.

Mrs. S. P. Smith and Floyd were both victims of tonsilitis the first of the week.

The first thunder shower of the new year passed over this section Sunday afternoon.

Several persons went to Tecumseh Saturday afternoon for a skate on the globe mill pond.

Rev. Wellington and Mrs. DePuy, of Grand Ledge, visited at the home of B. F. DePuy last week.

There was a good attendance at the W. C. T. U. narcotic meeting held at the church Friday evening.

Go to Ed. Smith's for stone meat crocks and rock salt.

Mrs. Graves and her family attended the Hageman—Mead wedding in Raisin Thursday evening of last week.

The farmers' club will meet at the residence of B. F. DePuy Friday evening of this week, when a fine program will be rendered.

Mrs. Philip Sisson is under the doctor's care with a very bad arm, caused by getting a sliver into the thumb. Blood poison is feared.

For corn poppers and corn that is sure to pop go to Ed. Smith's.

C. L. Waring, of Chicago, who was called here by the death of his aunt, Mrs. Waring, spent the latter part of the week with friends in this village.

Lost, between Tecumseh and Ridgeway, last Tuesday, a mink boa. Finder will please leave at the postoffice at Ridgeway and oblige Mrs. S. H. Linn.

R. S. Houseman, agent for the Page wire fence, while out a portion of last week took orders for over a mile of fence, also promises for as much more.

Go to Ed. Smith's for cross-cut saws, saw tools, axes and ax handles, all makes, at bottom prices.

Theodore Allison, having opened a wagon repair shop in the building formerly occupied by Daniel Linn, would be pleased to meet any in need of his services.

Those who listened to Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus Tuesday evening, at Tecumseh, on Savonarola, have nothing but praise for him. One must hear him to know his vast ability as a lecturer and orator.

The second quarterly meeting services of the present conference year will be held next Sunday. Love feast at six o'clock in the evening. The presiding elder, L. P. Davis, will preach in the evening. Other services in their usual order.

The third on the star course, Prof. O. L. Palmer, of Adrian college, will be held in the church Friday evening of next week. His subject, "The Land of the Crescent," is a historical sketch of the American trouble which is attracting the attention of all the world at the present time. Mr. Palmer has given his subject careful study and thought and will present this oppressed people in a manner that all may understand. Single admission 15 cents.

CONE.

Oliver Logan has a brother visiting him this week.

Simon Gould was in Monroe Wednesday on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Wright Friday, the 15th, a daughter.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit from Saturday till Monday.

Joseph Dennison, of Stony Creek, is visiting relatives here this week.

William Landt visited his parent at Newport several days last week.

Quite a number from this place attended quarterly meeting at Rea last Saturday.

Fred Auten visited his parents at Auburndale, O., Saturday and Sunday.

Jehiel Auten cut his foot quite badly one day last week. It will lay him up for some time.

George Rendal is again insane. He was taken to Kalamazoo last Wednesday, there being no room for him at Pontiac.

MACON.

Mary Morgan has the scarlet fever.

Frank Sage and Lewis Coller are the latest grip victims.

Webb DePuy and wife, of Saline, called on Macon friends Thursday.

Mrs. O'Riley, mother of David O'Riley, died Tuesday morning.

Remember the Epworth League concert Friday evening of this week,

J. L. Jackson attended the G. A. R. meeting in Tecumseh Monday night.

Mr. Dodge, of Montpelier, Ind., visited his daughter, Mrs. Sumner Collins, last week.

E. L. Lowe and wife and J. D. Arner, of Ridgeway, were in the village on business Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Stephenson, pastor of the Clinton Congregational church, occupied the M. E. pulpit last Sunday.

The topic for the Epworth League meeting next Sunday evening, is "The Highway of Holiness." Isa. 35: 8:10

Leader, Emma Cotton.

Mrs. Sumner Collins, who has been sick for some time at the home of Edwin Howell, has recovered and rejurned to her home in Tecumseh.

S. F. Fritz, of 677 Sedgwick street, Chicago, says: "I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved; I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life." Orr & Temple.

Not until the new woman is admitted to the order of Freemasons will she feel that she has conquered destiny.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

There is no reason why a woman should not look as fetching in a travelling gown as in a reception toilet.

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Game sets are bewildering in the color and variety of the birds depicted on their china surfaces.

Mr. James Bussard writes from Sharpsburg, Md., as follows: "I had neuralgia in my head and jaws, and could get nothing to relieve me until I tried Lightning Hot Drops, which gave relief inside of thirty minutes, and I have not had it since. It is the best medicine I ever saw to relieve any pain. It will do more than is claimed for it.

Mr. W. R. Shimfessel, of Clay City, Powell Co., Ky., writes: "Lightning Hot Drops is a grand remedy for a bad cold. After taking only one dose before retiring it broke up a bad cold which had annoyed me for several days."

Mr. Samuel Niswanger, of Armington, Ill., writes, "This is to certify that I have used Lightning Cough Drops for the last year. I don't think I would be alive today, only for this medicine. I am in my 87th year. I recommend Lightning Hot Drops to all who have a cough."

The man who calls himself a "gent" probably wears "pants" and has a "lady friend."

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitious, brainy and energetic; the other, sick, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day, because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distress after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the quickest, easiest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated.

A window pane at Argyle, N. Y', has upon it a "lightning photograph" of an old lady who was sitting near it during an electric storm.

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On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Full size 50c. Ely Brothers,
56 Warren St., New York City.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sszes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

Dr. C. H. Conklin, of Saline, aged 68, and Mrs. Mary E. Bennett, of Milan, aged 56, were married after a separation of 20 years. Since their divorce he has been twice married and she once.

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Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

It often happens that the woman just home from Europe is positively afraid to don her Paris-bought clothes, as they are so much in advance of what she sees worn here.

Foley's Honey and Tar

Cough Syrup wherever introduced, is considered the most pleasant and effective remedy for all throat and lung complaints. It is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates and can safely be given to children. Orr & Temple.

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He failed to use Foley's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. Orr & Temple.

A maid in the waiting-room of one of our most select theaters says that women come there between the acts and smoke their cigarettes with all the nonchalance of men.

It Grows.

As a cure for constipation and indigestion Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin grows rapidly in favor where introduced. Children love its taste, for it is so pleasant. Trial size 10c. Regular size 50c and $1 of Orr & Temple.

There are many who declare that they are not superstitious who feel certain of some dire calamity if they were to remove their wedding ring.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

It is a fact to be thankful for that the inventor of numerous skirt supporters makes the untidy belt and skirt gaping almost a rarity.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Why is it when a woman wants to be considered literary she cuts her hair, while a man for the same reason lets it grow?

Subscribing for Metropolitan Papers.

The coming year will be crowded with big news events and happening, the details of which everyone interested in national and foreign affairs will want to read. The best Western newspaper published is the Semi-Weekly Republic of St. Louis. It is only $1 a year, and for that amount it will send two papers a week to any address for one year.

The Republic daily is $6 a year, $3 for six months or $1.50 for three months.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

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FORECLOSURE.

On the seventh day of April 1893, Charles H. Mangas and Martha E. Mangas mortgaged to Alice B. Hardenburgh all that parcel of land situate and being in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: All that part of the west half of the southeast quarter of section twenty (20) of town five (5), south of range four (4) east which lies south of the centre of the Sand Lake road formerly so-called, containing sixty (60) acres of the lands hereby mortgaged and conveyed, to secure the payment of the sum of fourteen hundred dollars, five years from the date thereof, with interest from the date thereof at six per cent per annum payable annually, which mortgage was on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1893, duly recorded in the register of deeds office for Lenawee county, Michigan, in liber 189 of mortgages on page 230 And whereas said mortgage contains a provision that should any default be made in the payment of said interest or any part thereof on any day whereon the same is made payable as above expressed and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of sixty days, then and from thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse of said sixty days, so much of the aforesaid sum of $140.00 as remains unpaid with all arrearages of interest thereon shall at the option of said mortgagee, her executors, administrators or assigns become and be due and payable immediately thereafter although the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired.

Default having been made in the payment of said interest to the amount of $162.95, all of which has been unpaid and in arrear for upward of sixty days, the undersigned mortgagee, hereby elects to declare the whole amount due, both principle and interest, amounting at the date of this notice to the sum of fifteen hundred and two and ninty-five hundredths dollars ($1502.95) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken to secure the payment of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the moneys so due and unpaid on said mortgage, and the interest thereon hereafter to become due at said rate the costs of this foreclosure and sale, including also the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, the above described lands and premises will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) on the 5th day of April, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

ALICE B. HARDENBURGH,
Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge,
Attorney for said mortgagee.
Dated January 8th, 1897.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30, 1893, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich, which mortgage was recorded in Liber 189 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 23th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the north west quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 14, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector,
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Baker & Hall's Drug Store. 5

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and I now feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1.00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

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Mr. Charles H. Hoffman is a fireman on the M. C. R R., and resides at 132 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: "I have suffered for a long time from a kidney and bladder disorder which has at times rendered me incapable of work; have been at the hospital for my complaint and discharged from there as cured, but the old complaint has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I began taking them, with most gratifying results. Urinary complaints which bothered me greatly are very much improved, and the pain I suffered in my back has entirely left me, my general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without Doan's Kidney Pills, I think others should know what a valuable remedy it is."

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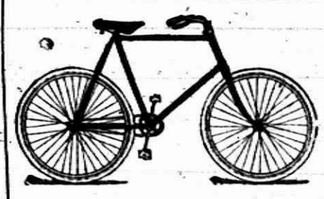

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 22, 1897

The present state law provides that all taxes paid to the township treasurer before the 10th day of January shall be subject to a collection fee of only one per cent. After January 10th, the treasurer is entitled to a collection fee four per cent until the roll books are of turned over to the county treasurer, which usually occurs about March 1st. All taxes paid to the county treasurer are subject to the four per cent plus an additional fee of eight per cent per annum until paid. G. W. Marsden, the township treasurer, has of his own accord extended the time of payment during which only one per cent will be added, to February 10th, thus giving a month extra time, and his course should be highly commended. Many poor people can make an effort and raise the money by February 10th, thus saving them quite a little in extra collection fees. The attention of other township treasurers is called to the charitable disposition of Mr. Marsden.

Below is printed a good letter from Supervisor Thos. Elliott on the subject of taxes. The HERALD is pleased to print the communication. Friendly discussion on such subjects is of benefit to everyone.

EDITOR HERALD:—

In last week's issue of the HERALD I noticed a lengthy editorial touching the high rate of taxes paid by the citizens of this township. As you are seemingly interested in obtaining an explanation of why the township taxes have been so high the past two years, if you will permit me through the columns of the HERALD I will try and explain the cause. In searching the township records I find that the trouble began in 1882, in which year there was raised only $900 00 for township purposes and from the poor book now in my possession I find that Mr. James in the above named year expended upon the poor alone $1065 03. Of course the amount raised was not sufficient to meet the expenses, so on May 27, 1892, the township board were compelled to borrow $300.00 to meet running expenses until the taxes could be collected in December. When the taxes were collected the board paid the $300.00, but in the following March—practically the same year—they were again compelled to borrow $1000.00 to pay running expenses until the tax of 1893 should be collected. In 1893 there was raised for township purposes $1800.00, but Mr. McNair distributed to the poor $1185.44. This, coupled with the other expenses still left the balance on the wrong side of the ledger. In 1894 the township raised $1800.00 for township purposes, and the amount expended on the poor was $899 32, but although we used all the economy possible, we could not wipe out the endebtedness. As the outgoing board makes the appropriations for the following year, I recommended that the board raise $3000.00 in 1895 and in so doing be enabled to pay in full all outstanding claims. In 1895 it cost $891.54 to take care of the poor. We paid the village $800 00 to help reconstruct the steel bridge over the river at the paper mill and also paid the long-standing $1000 00 which had been a stumbling block for three years. In 1896 the board recommended that $2500.00 be raised for township purposes. We thought it best to raise this amount and be able to meet all necessary expenses and keep out of debt. This amount is nearly all if not all in the hands of the treasurer when he has the taxes collected. You will readily see that the great portion of this excess of money raised for township taxes for the last two years has not gone for the support of the poor as you supposed but to pay up the indebtedness incurred some time ago that the present board had nothing to do with. One more item of interest to the taxpayers: I wish to state to the taxpayers of Tecumseh that the assessment roll as carried before the board of supervisors in 1894 amounted in round numbers to $2,133,687 and as carried before the board in 1896 and passed by that honorable body without change of any kind whatever was $1878.53, a decrease of $255 157 in two years. THOMAS ELLIOTT.

Olean claims the champion big family of the county, the head of which is W. A. Field. He is the happy father of 34 children, 27 of whom live at home with papa and mamma. The father is but 57 years old and his interesting brood consists of quadruplets, five sets of triplets, three pairs of twins, while one, by some strange mischance, came into the world singly. Thirty-one of these children are living, eight being boys.—Northeast Sun, Penn.

It Grows.

As a cure for constipation and indigestion Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin grows rapidly in favor where introduced. Children love its taste, for it is so pleasant. Trial size 10c. Regular size 50c and $1 0 Orr & Temple.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

John Britton was severely "tanked" on the head by a pole, Wednesday, which slipped from his hands while trying to put in on end. It's quite a fad these days. Only last week, about a dozen candidates were "tanked" by the election polls.—Britton Citizen.

Prof. A. H. Lowrie, editor of the Elgin, Ill. News, is being endorsed by his fellow editors of that state for reappointment to the position of United States consul at Freiburg, Germany. He held the office under President Harrison, and his reinstatement would be a recognition of his capabilities.—Adrian Times

Joe Smith, of Hillsdale, mixed stove polish with gasoline. Then he applied it to a stove, after which he introduced a lamp into the interior of the heater. When it exploded, Joe thought he was in active warfare in Cuba, with dynamite guns to the right, left, and beneath him. He will recover, although he was considerably singhed.—Hudson Post.

A chemically-inclined student at the West Side high school threw a piece of phosphorus into the trough leading to the waste pipe in the laboratory. As soon as the water was turned off it ignited and for a time it looked as if the "little red schoolhouse" would be reduced to a little pile of red ashes. Prompt work prevented serious damage.—Hudson Gazette.

Many of the citizens of Hudson will remember Paul Land, once a resident here, but later of the state of Washington, and will be pleased to learn of his advancement and success in that far away state. At the last general election, Mr. Paul Land was elected to a seat in the state legislature, and adds still another laural to the list of successes achieved by Hudson boys.—Hudson Vibrator.

There was a compotion in Pittsford last Sunday morning, when it was found that the store of Seth Lyon had been entered by burglars, and about $150.00 in money taken from the safe. It seems that the robbers had unlocked the door of the store, and then unlocked the safe, took the money, locked up the safe again, and left the store by a different door. The officers were at once notified, but have not been able to obtain any clue to the burglars.—Hudson Post.

James W. Helme, Jr., was at the Monroe county farmers' institute yesterday, and delivered two addresses. Mr. Helme states that Monroe county farmers beat anything for hospitality and enthusiasm he ever saw. The institute was held two days, at a place called London Churches, in a township where there is not a railroad nor a village. The two churches are situated in the center of the township, one of them being a Methodist church and the other owned by a farmers' club. The crowd was so great that the Methodist church had to be opened, in addition to the other, and even that was crowded. Mr. Helme repeated his address, speaking an hour at each place. And the ladies of the township furnished chicken dinner and supper for that vast multitude. What do you think of that?—Adrian Telegram.

Recent developments confirm the statement in the Blade some time ago that the Brice people are making a determined effort to reach Lake Michigan. Either Brice or some of his people have purchased the old Mansfield & Coldwater road bed which was graded almost a quarter of a century ago. This road bed extends to the lake through Coldwater from some point near Napoleon. Part of the Michigan division of the C. J. & M. was laid on this old road bed, and it would make an excellent line to the lake, either in connection with the Lima Northern or C. J. & M. It is generally supposed that the Lima Northern and C. J. & M. people will combine in building to the lake, and giving both of them a cheap outlet.—Toledo Blade.

E. C. Baldwin, one of the best sheriffs that Lenawee county ever had, is receiving excellent endorsements asking that he receive the appointment as U. S. Marshal for the eastern Michigan district. There are many reasons why his name should be considered, one of the best being his excellent record as an officer, and another being that Lenawee county has not had any appointment of that kind for a generation. Mr. Baldwin has a large and favorable acquaintance, and his candidacy is receiving many good words. If the powers that be are shrewd, they will recognize Lenawee county as stalwart in the Republican ranks, and will also find that the appointment of the gentleman above mentioned will be very acceptable to Republicans in Lenawee, as well as elsewhere in Southern Michigan.—Hudson Post.

The old saying that no news is better than bad news, is, just at present, true of the negotiations pending between the city of Adrian and the officials of the Lima Northern railroad. Mayor Hunt was in Lima Thursday to satisfy himself as to what the trouble has been, causing so much delay, and was prepared to lay before Mr. J. B. Townsend, the attorney for the road and the one having authority, all the conditions at the Adrian end of the enterprise. He returned Thursday night. A Messenger reporter saw him Friday forenoon and squared himself to get a half column of information, but the mayor only smiled and expressed himself as feeling sorry that he could not be accommodating.

Mr. Hunt saw Mr. Rosier, and that gentleman said that Mr. Townsend was ill at his home. He then went after the latter named gentleman, whom he found just getting up from a severe attack of grip. Mr. Townsend was in no condition to talk business, and begged to have the matter deferred until such time as he should recover sufficiently to visit Adrian. Thus the matter remains tied up. We will be obliged to await Mr. Townsend's recovery.—Adrian Messenger

LACK OF EDUCATION.

The Convicted Forger Admitted That It Ruined Him for Life.

A certain philanthropic woman has a theory that the remedy for crime is universal education, says the New York Journal. A short time ago she visited Sing Sing in company with several friends. Among the convicts was a man whose face betokened intelligence. She called the attention of her friend to him, saying: "There is a man whose countenance shows natural intelligence, and yet I am satisfied that he was deprived of an education.

"I'll wager that he is well educated," said one of her friends, and, turning to the warden, asked:

"What was that man convicted of?"

"Forgery," was the response.

"See?" said the friend, turning to the lady.

"Well, I don't care. I do not believe he is an educated man. I want to talk to him."

Permission was obtained, and the following colloquy ensued:

"Did you have the advantage of an education?"

"No, ma'am."

"Don't you think if you had received a liberal education you would have been a free man?"

"I know it, ma'am."

"I told you so," turning to her friend, and then speaking to the convict again, she said:

"You feel within yourself, do you not, that knowledge would have directed you into paths of rectitude?"

"I don't know about that, but I do know that if I had been properly educated I would not have spelled 'bearer' with a double r, and that's what got me caught."

WANTED EPIGRAMS.

His Cook Couldn't Make Them, So He Was Discharged.

The story is told, says the Youth's Companion, that a certain speculator, exceedingly unlearned, took a fancy to the entertainment of literary people when he had made his fortune and set up a house; and, of course, he wished to have and do all the fine things that other rich men had and did. After dinner one day one of his "literary" guests chanced to remark:

"I dined at X.'s, the poet's, the other night, and he gave us a capital epigram at dessert."

The speculator was humiliated. He had no epigrams! After his guests were gone he called his cook.

"Didn't I give you carty blanchy for this dinner?" he demanded.

"Yes, sir; you did, sir," said the cook.

"And didn't I tell you to have everything that anybody had?"

"Yes, sir; you did sir."

"Yes! Well, now it seems that at X.'s they have epigrams for dessert, and good ones, too, and folks miss 'em when they come here. Now I want to know if you don't know how to cook epigrams?"

The unfortunate cook was compelled to acknowledge that he could not cook epigrams and was discharged on the spot.

MISTLETOE IN HER HAT.

Latest Scheme of the Up-to-Date Girl to Tease Her Friends.

The up-to-date Chicago girl is not losing any chances and her ingenuity is being employed to make the most of the mistletoe superstition, says the Chicago Times-Herald. Everybody knows that according to an old custom, which comes down from the time of the Druids, a man is at perfect liberty to kiss a girl who happens to be under a sprig of mistletoe—that is, if the girl is willing. It is the fashion to hang a sprig of mistletoe to the chandelier of a room near Christmas time, and sometimes it is hung over a door, so that every girl may be compelled to receive a salute as she enters or leaves the room.

But these opportunities are not enough to satisfy some of the girls. The custom has arisen lately among them of wearing a sprig of mistletoe on their hats. It has been noticed this year for the first time, and the custom has been spreading.

Probably the girls mean nothing at all by it, but the temptation which is offered to their masculine friends is almost irresistible.

One Woman's Ready Wit.

A young woman who lives near a railway crossing, looking out of a window the other day, saw a laborer jump from one track to the other to escape an approaching freight train. He was apparently dazed by terror and stood still, not seeing that an express train was rushing down upon him. The girl saw that before she could make him understand his danger it would be too late. She therefore threw up her arms, shrieking wildly: "Help! help! help!" trusting to the impulse which sends a man on the instant to the relief of a woman in distress. "I'm coming!" shouted the laborer, springing toward her in time to escape the engine as it rushed past. He stared back at it, and then at the woman crying and laughing in the window, and, taking off his hat with shaking hands, said: "I owe you something, miss," and walked away.

A Prompt Answer.

The Washington Post tells this story of Col. Wallace S. Jones, United States consul general at Rome, Italy, now on a visit to this country: "Col. Jones is a Floridian, and has been in the consular service in Italy for the last ten years. He is a gentleman of wit, tact and culture, and his ability to make a happy response at the right time brought him into the good graces of Queen Margherita on his first appearance at court. The queen asked him from which state he hailed, and, on being told, said that he had often heard Florida described as a very beautiful country. "Yes, your majesty," was the prompt reply, "we call it at home the Italy of America."

THE "FUNNY MAN."

He Had Been a Boy and Hadn't Forgotten It.

We call him the funny man because he was sad and serious, and said little but gazed right into our souls and made us tell him just what was in our minds at the time, and then came out with some magnificently luminous suggestion that cleared every cloud away, says Scribner's. What was more, he would then go off with us at once and play the right thing out to its finish, earnestly and devoutedly, putting all other things aside. So we called him the funny man, meaning only that he was different from those others who thought it incumbent on them to play the painful mummer. The idea as opposed to the real man was what we meant, only we were not acquainted with the phrase. Those others, with their labored jests and clumsy contortions, doubtless flattered themselves that they were funny men; we, who had to sit through and applaud the painful performance, knew better.

He pulled up to a walk as soon as he caught sight of us, and the dogcart crawled slowly along till it stopped just opposite. Then he leaned his chin on his hand and regarded us long and soulfully, yet said never a word; while we jigged up and down in the dust, grinning bashfully, but with expectation. For you never knew exactly what the man might say or do.

"You look bored," he remarked, presently; "thoroughly bored. Or else—let me see; you're not married, are you?"

He asked this in such sad earnestness that we hastened to assure him that we were not married. Though we felt he ought to have known that much; we had been intimate for some time.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Jan 20.			
LIVE STOCK—Native Steers	$4 50	@	5 10
Sheep	2 75	@	4 20
Hogs	3 60	@	4 00
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	4 50	@	4 70
Minnesota Bakers'	3 45	@	3 90
WHEAT—No. 2 Red, Jan	83¾	@	83¾
No. 1 Hard	96¼	@	96¾
CORN — No. 2	28¾	@	29
May	30¾	@	30¾
OATS — Western	22	@	30
LARD	4 10	@	4 15
PORK — Mess	8 25	@	8 75
BUTTER — Creamery	13	@	20
Factory	7	@	14
EGGS	14¾	@	15
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Beeves	$3 50	@	5 15
Stockers and Feeders	2 90	@	4 10
Cows and Bulls	1 80	@	4 00
Texas Steers	3 00	@	4 25
HOGS — Light	3 20	@	3 50
Rough Packing	3 15	@	3 30
SHEEP	2 50	@	4 00
BUTTER — Creamery	14	@	19¼
Dairy	9	@	17
EGGS — Fresh	13	@	13¼
POTATOES (per bu.)	17	@	24
PORK—Mess, January	7 75	@	7 85
LARD — January	4 00	@	4 02½
FLOUR — Winter	3 75	@	4 45
Spring	3 50	@	4 50
GRAIN — Wheat, January	77	@	77¼
Corn, No. 2	22¾	@	22¼
Oats, No. 2	16¼	@	16¾
Rye, No. 2	37	@	37½
Barley, Choice to Fancy	32	@	36
MILWAUKEE.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	77	@	78
Corn, No. 3	20	@	20¼
Oats, No. 2 White	18¼	@	18¾
Rye, No. 1	35¾	@	35¾
Barley, No. 2	34	@	34¾
PORK—Mess	7 25	@	7 30
LARD	3 95	@	4 00
DETROIT.			
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	77	@	77
Corn, No. 2	22¼	@	22¾
Oats, No. 2 White	18¾	@	20
Rye, No. 2	39	@	39¼
ST. LOUIS.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 50	@	5 00
Texas	2 75	@	4 00
HOGS	3 60	@	3 80
SHEEP	2 45	@	4 30
OMAHA.			
CATTLE—Steers	$3 40	@	4 25
Cows	1 50	@	3 50
Feeders	3 00	@	4 10
HOGS	3 15	@	3 20
SHEEP	2 90	@	3 50

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	19	14
Eggs	12	14
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 @ 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		99
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 75 @ 4 00	
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 @	10 12
Chickens, per lb	7 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	85	
Corn, shelled	20	35
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15 20
Oats	16	20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		50
Middlings, per 100 lbs		60
Corn meal, per 100		

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Prices that are Right.

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Discount on Overcoats

During this month we are giving Big Discounts on all Overcoats in our Store in order to make room for New Goods. Get in quick while sizes are right.

McCann Bros.
The One Price Clothiers.

Our Mid-Winter Sale
OPENS SATURDAY, JAN. 2nd

And Continues During the Entire Month. Everything in Our Store Sold at a Discount.

Dry Goods,
Notions,
Underwear,
Gloves, Mittens,
Hosiery,
Ladies', Capes,
Misses' and Coats and
Children's Jackets.
All Leather Goods consisting of Our Elegant Line of Shoes, go at 20 Per cent Off.

COME AT ONCE AND SAVE MONEY.

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Two Superior Brands of Flour.

Raisin Mills Royal Patent Spring Wheat Blend, which consists of Best Patent Roller Flour mixed with Pillsbury's best flour, making an article equal to anything ever sold in this country.

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Is a domestic flour equal to any straight flour on the market. If you desire even bakings of good bread, ask your grocers for either of these brands.

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What!

Want something nice for supper? Well then try some of those nice fresh

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Just try them and your taste will be satisfied. There are none better. For Sale by

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 29, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and 15-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

WANTED—Salesmen to sell very complete line of lubricating oils, greases and specialties. Liberal terms to proper party. Jewel Refining Co., [illegible]

FOR SALE—I want to sell "Leopard Rose" one of the best of drivers, cheap for cash. Would take a good cow in part payment and some hay. Also No. 1 pair of single bob sleighs, cheap. E. FAIRMAN.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young pure blood Jersey calves, both sexes, from cows making from 9 to 18 pounds of butter per week. Inquire or address at once, W. TI KEGLER, Tecumseh, Mich.

Notice Auction ad. in this issue.

Hud Davenport was in town Tuesday.

Rev. C. M. Brown returned home from Detroit Monday afternoon.

Ira VanGelson, of Bridgewater, was calling on his friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Milburn R. Keyser has returned from her visit with Detroit friends.

Rev. David Lewis was a sojourner at Toledo from Saturday until Tuesday.

Female Masonry will confer six grand and impressive degrees of Masonry.

See those bargains in Dress Goods. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Mrs. John Southwick has been enjoying a visit from her sister Julia this week.

Mrs. F. A. Deuel is spending a couple of weeks among her friends in Battle Creek.

Rev. B. S. Hudson occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church at Morenci Sunday.

Al. Heesen, of Toledo, came up to attend the funeral of George Adamson Sunday.

Martin A. Crossman was an Adrian visitor Saturday and was at Manchester the day before.

Mrs. H. J. Warren, of Blissfield, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Sisson, this week.

Attorney Sisson was in Clinton Tuesday arranging for the comic opera at Adrian this week.

Miss Florence Montgomery, of the HERALD force, has been taking a much needed rest this week.

The Misses Mary and Joana Tingley, of Rollin, have been guests of A. M. Lamb and wife this week.

Miss Inez Thorpe returned Tuesday night from a pleasant visit with Miss Maggie Knapp, in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Darling are at home again from an extended visit with friends at Brooklyn and Lansing.

Until Saturday January 30th you can buy all the felt and leather goods at 20 per cent discount at Karner Bros.

Severn Gripton, of Britton, was in town Monday. It is not often his friends are honored by his calling.

We only want seven more of those fall pigs to make up the number. Call and drop us a line. DICKENSON BROS.

John Karner was in town a couple of days this week. Shorty is looking, as Sam McClure would say, "finer than silk."

Will Orr has so far recovered from his attack of rheumatism as to resume his accustomed duties, but he is quite lame.

Mrs. Henriett Keyser left yesterday for a visit of some weeks with her brother, George Kinnicut, and family at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Charlie Dixon has been quite ill the past week and her mother, Mrs. Milo Ousterhout, of Britton, has been caring for her.

Ed. Shepard, of the Shepard & McCracken drug house, Adrian, is invoicing the Baker & Hall stock. He commenced Wednesday.

Roy Langton, after a pleasant visit with home friends, returned to Toledo Wednesday morning where he has a position in the street car service.

Rev. Vernor, who officiated in the Episcopal church Sunday, left Monday morning for a visit with Detroit friends before returning to his home in Hillsdale.

Miss Edith Gordon, accompanied by Merill, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Crossman, has been spending the past week in Holloway and vicinity.

Mrs. Phoebe Miller received a telephone Wednesday morning to come to Adrian to nurse a patient. She left on the afternoon train and will be at No. 49 Chestnut street.

John Chamberlain, who for some time has been representing C. B. Pennock at the Bankrupt store, has returned to Adrian. John formed many pleasant acquaintances during his stay.

D. M. Bainbridge, of Clinton, was calling on friends here Tuesday. Dan is rapidly attaining aldermanic proportions, demonstrating that freedom from business cares is agreeable to him.

The meetings at the Baptist church have continued through the week and been very interesting. Rev. Mr. McLean, of Morenci, has assisted the pastor in them and filled the pulpit Sunday both morning and evening.

The W. C. T. U. have adopted the prescribed studies for the year and the meetings will be held as follows: the first Friday of each month will be observed as mothers' meeting; the second the lesson; third, physiology; fourth, civil government. Able superintendents have been appointed for each department and it is hoped that all will attend as the meetings will be a great help in each line of work. The meetings for each month will be announced in advance. During February they will be held at Mrs. James Heck's.

Don't forget the Auction Sale. See ad.

Three dollar shoe now $2.40 at Karner Brothers.

Mrs. C. A. Wright is still confined to her bed, we regret to say.

Dr. and Mrs. S. Catlin were calling on Ridgeway friends yesterday.

Clint Farrell, of Manchester, visited Wm. Nissle and family, Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Tuttle, of Clinton, were Tecumseh visitors yesterday.

Miss Anna Riley is visiting her brother, James, and wife at Clinton.

Miss Carrie Jackson, of Dundee attended the Gunsaulus lecture Wednesday evening.

John Hughes, who lives east of Clinton, was shaking hands with friends here yesterday.

C. B. Pennock, of Adrian, is here this week looking after his interests at the bankrupt store.

Geo. Calhoun and Jacob Rentschler, of Clinton, were in town yesterday on legal business.

Special meeting of the blue lodge at masonic temple tonight for work in the second degree.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will, in the near future, present female masonry to the public.

Miss Minnie Thompson, of Denver, Colorado, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Edith Ingersoll.

Miss Minnie Gray, of Clinton, has been visiting her people, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gray, this week.

John Orr received word yesterday from Walter Fowler that he reached Madeira, Liberia, Jan. 8th.

At a special meeting of Tecumseh lodge, F. & A. M., Wednesday evening, the first degree was conferred.

Henry Seilenhoff, who for several years has worked for N. M. Sutton, is now assisting in W. J. Arnold's bakery.

Met E. Couklin and family will move to town soon and expect to occupy the Woodward residence on East Chicago street.

The W. H. M. society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. F. J. Temple Wednesday afternoon, January 27, at 2:30 o'clock.

Wm. Ide and wife, who for the past two or three months have been visiting in Detroit, Ypsilanti and Dundee, returned home Wednesday evening.

All children desiring instruction in dancing, will meet with Mrs. Tiffany, Chicago street, Saturday (tomorrow) at 2:30 o'clock. Adults, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A sleighing party, composed of our society people, went up and spent last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Keyser in their pleasant home. They had a jolly time.

Mrs. Minerva Westcott will, for a time at least, make her home with her son Horace, as her daughter with whom she has been staying, is moving to Ingham county.

A. W. Mills has closed out his entire interest in the Page wire fence to the Page Wire Fence Co. and joined the gang of unemployed. He says he has not started out as a tramp just yet.

Louie Jones, Ernie Anderson and Linn Hardenburg went to Devil's Lake yesterday for a few days sport, hunting and fishing. They will make their headquarters with Jerry Harkness.

Ernie Coller, Jim Eccles and John Freeman are on another fox hunt at Sand Lake. They drove up yesterday morning. If perseverance will win foxes the boys are bound to have some sooner or later.

Two of Tecumseh's young men, who are of an inventive turn, are busily engaged just now in perfecting a machine that is expected will make them not only famous as inventors but bring to them shekels of silver and gold. N. B.—It is not a flying machine.

Warnie Hampton reports via the local telephone line that Jas. Moore's hotel on the northeast side of Wampler's lake was entirely consumed by fire Wednesday forenoon. There was no insurance and the $1700 mortgage is so worded that the amount is holding on the farm.

Mrs. A. J. Whiting and Gracie leave in the morning to join Andrew at Williamston, Ingham county, which will be their home, he having a good position there. Their household goods were shipped the first of the week. The best wishes of their friends accompany them.

Dr. Howell removed a tumor from the limb of Mrs. Wm. Prindle, of Britton, Saturday, at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Kempf. The tumor was under the knee and the formation was of such a character that the operation was long and tedious, especially to the lady, as she took nothing to deaden the pain. She is doing nicely.

Subjects in the Universalist church next Sunday: Morning, "Then shall Moab howl for Moab," Isaiah 6:7; evening, "A character study from our diplomatic history, Benjamin Franklin." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Ladies social and supper in the church next Friday, Jan. 29th.

George Burroughs recently was not exactly kicking but wondering why, if some people were out of town for a day even, it was noticed in the paper, while he and his wife were in Toledo four whole days the first of the month and not a word was said about it. Well, George, you should not be so extremely modest but let a fellow know when and where you go.

For the week ending Jan. 15th the Research Circle have been studying Egypt under Greek rule, and at the regular meeting papers were read on the following subjects: "The Ptolemies," by Mrs. Hardenburg, "Schools and Libraries of Alexandria," by Mrs. Hall. The miscellaneous topic, "Education of the Deaf and Blind," was read by Mrs. Knapp.

Auction begins Saturday, Jan. 30th.

Harry Moore is visiting his mother at Dundee.

Watch for the date of Female Masonry, a la Lease.

Al. Paxson has been spending the week at Toledo.

D. C. LeBaron called at the HERALD office yesterday.

Do not forget the Universalist supper next week Friday.

Miss Minnie Glasgow visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

The first letter from Dr. Fowler will be printed next week.

Mrs. O. M. Palmer is recovering from her late indisposition.

Alex Richards expects to move back to his farm in the spring.

M. L. Root left yesterday for Buffalo and other eastern points.

Miss Lena Smith has been housed up this week with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Marshall is entertaining Miss Edith Doolittle, of Detroit.

Miss Daly has so far recovered from the grip as to be at work again.

Dr. Beem has fitted up very pleasant offices over McCann Bros.' store.

C. E. Williamson has been in New York City on business this week.

Roy DeWolf, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother and sisters.

Lincoln J. Carter's "Fast Mail" at the opera house Monday, Feb. 1st.

Leon Temple was the guest of Adrian friends the greater part of last week.

Buy your Carpets just now and save money. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Ed VanDeMark and Mr. Shoemaker, of Clinton, were Tecumseh visitors Saturday.

A. W. Slayton and Cleo Hall have been in attendance at circuit court all the week.

Harry Lee has been trying hard to be sick this week. It has not been a howling success.

Thos. Elliott, has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is slowly convalescing.

W. W. Marsh's ice house is full of ice, the hundredth load having been put in Wednesday night.

Don't wait but buy your Cape or Jacket just now. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

The cut sale at Seaton W. Anderson's still continues and despite bad roads crowds attend daily.

Dr. and Mrs. Barnes are enjoying a visit from the former's sister, Mrs. S. Cushman, of Sharon.

Ed Comfort, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Comfort and other friends.

Elliott Gray will send his order for rape seed, Feb. 1st. All who desire any should notify him at once.

Walter Burridge has been attending circuit court all the week and last evening went to Jackson on legal business.

A musical recital by Miss Jennie Root's pupils was given last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mills.

P. S. McKinnon and C. F. Field attended the Grand Chapter meeting at Saginaw as representatives of Tecumseh Chapter, R. A. M.

W. W. Whiting will soon be at home to his patrons in the building on Ottawa street formerly occupied by the News. He will have very pleasant quarters.

We understand the cabinet craze did not result as (richly)? as expected. Some who bought counties settling their notes without even making an effort to sell a cabin.

Henry Schofield and Jay B. St. John of Ann Arbor, were calling on their friends here Tuesday. They like living in the University city.

Will Mobbs suffered another attack from his old trouble the first of the week. While it was not so severe as a former one still he is not able to be at the store.

Miss Aleine McCollum, who is learning photography of Miss Lynne Daly is a victim of la grippe and confined to the house. She boards with her uncle, James Updyke.

John W. Lee has had mounted the guilmot that was recently shot near here. It is a rare bird in this climate and makes a very pretty specimen. Albert Stretch, of Raisin, was the taxidermist.

Miss Hattie Tennant, after a two weeks' visit with David Macham's family, returned to her home in Deerfield yesterday, accompanied by Miss Mertie who will visit relatives there for a few weeks.

Mrs. W. R. Blachford joined Mr. B. (who exchanged with Rev. Mr. Vernor, of Hillsdale, Sunday) at Hudson Monday for a short visit among former parishioners and friends. They returned home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Ella Sheldon and daughter, Mrs. Helen McNeil, of Newburgh, left Tuesday morning for the state of New York, their former home, where they will spend several weeks among their relatives and friends.

In Frank Avery's show window is one of the neatest Chinese lanterns ever seen in Tecumseh and in the evening with an electric light inside, it beautifies the whole store front. Chase & Sanborn, with their advertisements as with their coffees, never do anything by halves.

Miss Leo Snow, daughter of Jerome Snow, who for some time has been at her brother Fred's, in Adrian, died early Monday morning, of tuberculosis. The funeral was held there yesterday at 10 a. m. and the remains brought here for burial. She was 30 years old. Her death was a shock to most of her friends for but few outside the family knew she was so ill.

Miss Helen Conklin has lost her brown umbrella. It walked away from the Methodist church one evening lately, and she is now endeavoring to solve the problem as to whether in future to change color of umbrella or choose different society.

The fourth entertainment of the Star Course was the lecture by Dr. Gunsaulus last Tuesday evening on "Savonarola." The life of the great Italian missionary was cheerly pictured and every person in the audience was instructed and delighted. Each succeeding number gives more and more credit to the Star Course managers.

Editor Goodrich, of Britton, is a young man of fine proportions and excellent health, but from cause of a too free indulgence in "sweets," in his youth, lost his teeth somewhat in advance of persons of corresponding age. False grinders usually take their place, but last week in some peculiar manner the crockery substitutes strayed away. The Citizen office was searched with a fine tooth comb; in fact all Britton ransacked still the molars hid themselves, until finally the exhausted editor discovered them in his coat tail pocket, where he had quickly put them, that he might with less difficulty swear at a Milan delinquent, who brought him a load of green elm on subscription.

George E. Adamson

Was born at Sag Harbor, Long Island, Nov. 4, 1844, and died in Tecumseh, Michigan, Friday, Jan. 15, 1897, having lived nearly 53 years. In 1848 he moved with his parents to Illinois, spending his boyhood days in that state and in June, '62, enlisted in Company A, 69th Ill. Volunteers, serving out his time. In 1872 he married Miss Elizabeth Meige at Elkhorn, Wis., and in 1877 moved to Tecumseh which place has since been his home. He leaves a wife and a brother and sister to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held Sunday, Jan. 17th, conducted by Rev. Geo. Vernor, of Hillsdale, and the G. A. R. and K. of P. lodges attended as organizations. The house was by far too small to hold half the sorrowing friends, nearly all Tecumseh's business men and all the friends and neighbors being in attendance. Thus ends the short history of the life of Geo. Adamson, a man of the world.

As a business man he was a part of Tecumseh, the soul of honor in business deal and prompt to the minute with all his obligations. As a friend he was always to be trusted and the writer has often heard him say, "I bear ill will toward no man and to my knowledge haven't an enemy on earth." As an individual Geo. Adamson was peculiar, positive of opinion, but generous to a degree of self sacrifice. His very peculiarities made him a favorite with business and personal friends alike.

Brothers do not always agree as well as strangers in affairs of the world but between George and Tom Adamson there was always the deepest, warmest affection. Each helped to bear the others burdens and what either one possessed belonged to both in the truest sense of the term. Geo. Adamson's religion was his generosity of nature and his monument will be the void left in the hearts of his wife, brother, sister and countless friends.

Mrs. Julia A. VanDuser.

Mrs. Julia A. VanDuser died January 16th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Cadwell, after twelve weeks of suffering from general debility and old age.

Miss Julia A. Dolly was born in Oneida county, N. Y., March 16, 1818. She came to Michigan in early life and was married in Franklin in 1850 to John VanDuser. Five children were born to bless; Mary E., wife of Wm. Smalledge, who died February 15, 1889; John, who died in the hospital during the late rebellion; Robert, now living near Hillsdale; Mattie L., wife of George Cadwell, at whose home she had been living for the past fourteen years; and Thomas, who lives near Ridgeway. The funeral was held at the house Tuesday afternoon, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating, and the remains were taken to Ridgeway for burial.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us, and especially to Mrs. Will Orr for singing and Mrs. N. M. Sutton for her many deeds of kindness toward us in our late bereavement.

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A huge gray wolf was killed by a pack of hounds near Sturgis.

THE BLIND CHAPLAIN.

Rev. William H. Milburn Has an Interesting History.

How He Came to Be Elected Chaplain of the House of Representatives Fifty Years Ago & His Promotion in 1893.

(Special Washington Letter.)

"A prayer by the blind chaplain does me more good than a sermon," says Senator Davis, of Minnesota.

"Although dilatory about reaching the capitol at noon for many years," says Senator Sherman, "I have actually observed and heard that some senators make an effort to get to the capitol at noon in order to hear the opening prayer."

As a usual thing statesmen care little for the prayers that are daily said in the senate and house of representatives, and few of them care whether they are on time each day or not. Usually not more than 50 representatives are present when the house is called to order, and it seldom happens that more than ten or twelve senators are present when the vice president assumes the gavel.

Rev. William Henry Milburn, chaplain of the senate, is now 73 years old, although he does not yet begin to look like an old man. He is strong, vigorous and bids fair to remain with us for many years to come, doing good. It has been 50 years since he first came to Washington to assume the position of chaplain, but he has not served continuously in that capacity. He was only 23 years of age when he was elected chaplain of the house of representatives in 1845. No other man so young has ever been selected for such a position in any country.

When young Mr. Milburn was elected chaplain of the house of representatives 50 years ago he knew no politicians, and had no aspirations for political preferment or political associations. He was a blind young man and had just been ordained to the ministry. He was traveling upon a philanthropic mission when an incident occurred which changed the entire course of his life.

He attended the Illinois Methodist conference at Springfield, in 1845, and that conference decided that a female seminary should be established at Springfield. The people of the west had no money, and it was customary for western conferences to appeal for aid from eastern churches. Finally the Methodists established what is known as the Church Extension society for the purpose of extending aid systematically to western circuits. At that time, however, the society was merely in a formative state, and the Illinois conference selected young Mr. Milburn to travel and solicit aid for the proposed female seminary. Accompanied by a friend to guide him and take care of him, Mr. Milburn started on his mission. He first went to Cincinnati and preached there for three weeks without [illegible] financial [illegible], but he concluded to shake the dust of Cincinnati from his feet and go further east.

On Friday morning he took the Ohio river steamboat for Wheeling, expecting to reach the Virginia town on Saturday night. In those days nearly all traveling was done by steamboat and stage, for railroads were few and far between. That Ohio river steamboat was delayed, as all river steamboats were in those days, and on Sunday morning the boat was still 80 miles from Wheeling. The passengers had an informal meeting and asked Mr. Milburn to preach to them in the cabin of

REV. WILLIAM HENRY MILBURN.

the boat. He consented, and that sermon changed the course of his life.

While walking about the boat on Friday and Saturday, the young preacher had heard a great deal of profanity. He also learned that the passengers were playing cards and drinking a great deal of whisky. He further ascertained that the most hilarious of them all were some western congressmen, who were on their way to Washington to attend the coming session of congress. There were nearly 300 passengers on the boat, and at 10:30 o'clock they assembled in the cabin and services were held. Familiar hymns were sung, and the chaplain prayed, and then delivered a sermon the like of which few men have ever heard.

The young preacher said that he had always been taught to respect people high in authority, and had been led to believe that gentlemen who were sent to congress were leaders of their people in all things good. He had supposed that they were representatives of the people intellectually and morally as well as politically. But while on the boat he had heard enough to convince him that if the representatives in congress were really representatives of the people, then this republic must be a nation of drunkards, gamblers and ungodly men in every particular. With vigorous and direct English, such as few men can use, the young preacher said that as an American citizen he felt outraged and disgraced, and that as a preacher of the Gospel he felt it to be his duty to tell them that unless they mended their ways they would all be damned.

Probably no sermon was ever preached in the presence of public men which was so plain, direct, keen, cutting and effective. The average preacher lacks vim and independence. Certainly in the presence of leading politicians and statesmen many preachers have shaky knees. There is no doubt of it. Right here in Washington some so-called preachers never open their mouths concerning wickedness which should be rebuked. These congressmen were dumfounded when they were thus depicted by the fearless blind young preacher. The services were concluded and the preacher went to his stateroom. He realized that his sermon had been a terrific philippic, and apprehended some manifestation of the displeasure of the statesmen. While pondering the matter, he reached the conclusion that he had but done his duty, and he would stand by his declarations, no matter what might be said or done.

INVOKING THE DIVINE BLESSING.

In the meantime the passengers were discussing the sermon and raising a collection. The contributions were liberal, and one of the passengers carried to the preacher's stateroom a sum of money such as he had never handled before. That afternoon the congressmen waited upon him and asked him if he would permit the use of his name as a candidate for the position of chaplain of the national house of representatives. After giving the subject prayerful consideration that afternoon Mr. Milburn gave his consent to the use of his name. The boat landed at Wheeling, the congressmen departed, and Mr. Milburn remained at Wheeling.

Although congress did not meet until December, the western congressmen came early in November in order to be able to make the trip before the river was frozen and navigation stopped. Thus they had a month to devote to the interest of the young preacher. As the congressmen arrived from the eastern and middle states, the western statesmen told them of the remarkable sermon they had heard from a remarkable man, and urged his selection for the chaplaincy. When congress convened every member of the house of representatives was aware of the story and anxious to see the remarkable preacher, and his election was made without difficulty. He was sent for and assumed the position just before the Christmas holidays. During that entire congress he prayed not only for the nation and for the world, but for the congressmen; prayed for them as an earnest man would pray for a lot of miserable sinners.

That was the beginning of the Twenty-ninth congress. James Knox Polk was president, and George M. Dallas was vice president. The blind chaplain was acquainted with the members of the house and of the senate during that congress; and he has vivid recollections of Clay, Calhoun and many others who were then in their prime.

At the beginning of the Thirty-third congress Dr. Milburn was again elected chaplain of the house of representatives. Franklin Pierce was president, and his administration had just begun. During the interim Webster, Clay and Calhoun had died, and there were many new men coming to the front; men who became prominent in the halls of legislation and also on the battlefields of the civil war, which wise men easily foresaw.

At the conclusion of his second term as chaplain of the house of representatives Dr. Milburn returned to the ministry and continued actively in the work until December, 1885, when he was a third time elected chaplain of the house. Thirty years had elapsed, during which time the blind chaplain had become more and more famous as a preacher and lecturer.

In 1893 Dr. Milburn was elected chaplain of the senate, and there he will remain as long as he lives. All of the senators hold him in high esteem, and many of them hold him in veneration. His daily invocations are models of diction and of intense feeling. He is escorted to the capitol every day by his niece, a very beautiful blonde. Together they ascend the elevator and walk along the marble floors to the room of the vice president. There they are welcomed by that courtly gentleman, and a general conversation ensues until the hour of noon, when, taking the hand of a little page boy, the blind chaplain accompanies the vice president into the senate chamber.

Together they ascend the steps leading to the vice president's chair. The vice president takes a little ivory gavel and raps lightly on the desk, saying: "The senate will be in order." He then steps aside, and the blind chaplain, lifting his sightless eyes to heaven, invokes the Divine blessing upon the senate. He is then led down the steps, the vice president takes the chair, and business proceeds. Accompanied by the little page boy, the blind chaplain usually walks about the senate chamber for five or ten minutes, taking the hands of senators and paying his respects to them, and they to him. He then returns to the room of the vice president, takes the arm of his niece, and returns to his humble home. The salary of the chaplain is $900 per annum, and that is but a little sum to live on.

SMITH D. FRY.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

Much Interesting Information to Be Found in These Paragraphs.

F. A. White, an old resident of Niles, died Wednesday, aged 84 years.

St. Joseph's new county buildings cost $104,008.52—so the supervisors say.

Henry Ward, a stock buyer, is feeding 21,000 sheep on his ranch near Pontiac.

Grand Marais business men have organized an association and raised $5,000 for booming purposes.

The crop of peppermint oil [illegible] Allegan county the past season [illegible] mated at 20,000 pounds.

Orville McLane, aged 24, died [illegible]ly of heart disease while skating on Mud lake near Elk Rapids.

Owners of the Monitor mines at Bay City have been buying Ohio coal to fill their contracts during the strike.

Mrs. Robert Dobson, who killed James Anderson, of Harrisville, for slandering her, will plead emotional insanity.

A 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of Manchester, was drowned while skating Wednesday.

The Benton Harbor & Eastern railroad (the tunnel line) is asking the Benton Harbor city council for a franchise.

The receipts of the Battle Creek post office for 1896 were $43,833.91. This is a gain of more than $3,000 on the receipts for 1895.

A post office has been established at Bolster, Ionia county, six miles southeast of Ionia, with special service from that place.

Mrs. Philo Parsons, of Pittsfield township, near Ypsilanti, where she had resided since 1825, died Sunday morning, aged 89 years.

Wexford county will vote on the proposition to raise $5,000 per year for five years to build a courthouse, at the spring election.

Kalamazoo printers and cigarmakers have ordered a boycott on the laundries that do not use the union label on their printed matter.

The losses of the Kalamazoo County Farmers' Insurance company in 1896 aggregated $17,000, of which $10,000 was caused by lightning.

William Honeyman, a business man of Vandalia, fell into a ditch at Cassopolis, was injured and sued the city for damages. He was awarded $6,500.

The Pabst Brewing company of Milwaukee, has purchased a lot in Battle Creek and is expected to erect a cold-storage building at a cost of $10,000 in the spring.

Mormon missionaries are said to be making many converts in Berrien and Van Buren counties. Their object is to promote emigration to Utah where new settlements are being established.

Richard G. Monks, the slick forger, was sentenced to Ionia prison at Bay City Saturday morning, for five years. In passing sentence Judge Maxwell said he believed Monks to be partially crazy.

The Owosso council is considering a resolution similar to one recently adopted in Chicago. It provides that women must not wear hats or bonnets in any public place of entertainment where an admission fee is charged.

O. M. Hale, of Comstock township, had 4,000 bushels of apples last fall from 800 trees, the largest crop in 40 years of attention to the orchard. After paying the expense of picking and packing he received but $225 for the crop.

At the American Oxford Down Sheep Breeders' Record association annual meeting held at Toledo, O., Flint, Mich., was selected as the place of the meeting for 1898, the date to be the same as fixed by Michigan State Oxford Down association.

Mormon missionaries are actively at work in Berrien and Van Buren counties. Their aggressive proselyting is causing alarm in many localities where converts are being made. The purpose of the missionaries is to promote immigration to Utah, where new settlements are being established.

Berlin, Jan. 20. — The ex-Empress Frederick received Mrs. Uhl, wife of the United States ambassador to Germany, Edwin F. Uhl, in audience Tuesday.

To Benefit Others.

The Editor of The Bloomfield Iowa Farmer Writes of the Good Done by DR. MILES' NEW HEART CURE.

THERE ARE a great many unselfish men and women who wish others to know what has restored them to health and happiness. Mr. C. F. Davis, publisher of one of the best newspapers in Iowa, writes from Bloomfield Ia., Aug 18 1896. "My desire to benefit others prompts me to write this. We have used Dr. Miles' Remedies in my family for nearly two years with most gratifying results. We would'nt now do without them. My wife had been weakly and down nearly every summer for the past fifteen years. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is exactly what its name implies; a sure cure for a weak, fluttering, palpitating heart, and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills are most excellent."

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CONDITION OF BANKS.

Deposits Show an Increase While Loans and Discounts Are Less.

Lansing, Jan. 20. — Commissioner Ainger reports that at the date of the December call the state banks of Michigan had aggregate resources and liabilities of $85,686,065, and a paid up capital of $12,485,275. The loans, discounts, stocks, bonds and mortgages aggregated $65,393,888. The total deposits were $67,479,851; commercial deposits, $15,274,265; certificates of deposits, $7,530,592; savings deposits, $42,055,852. Compared with the report in October of loans and discounts, stocks, bonds and mortgages show an increase of $164,225.26, certificates of deposits a decrease of $417,951.77, savings deposits an increase of $140,590.58; total deposits an increase of $81,484.12.

CHILD EATS PILLS AND DIES.

Carelessness of a Mother Causes Her to Lose Her Little One.

Detroit, Jan. 18.—Harold John Cameron, a bright little boy 2½ years of age, ate about a dozen out of a box of pills Saturday afternoon. The child was soon taken with spasms and within an hour and a half died in awful agony, despite the best efforts of the mother and Dr. Brady, of First street, who was summoned as soon as it was discovered that the child had taken the pills. The child's mother had been showing the box of pills to a neighbor and thoughtlessly left it on a table, whence the child helped himself.

To Oust Pingree.

Detroit, Jan. 20.—A petition was presented to the city council Tuesday night calling upon President Richert to order a special election to fill the office of mayor, which the document declares has become legally vacant since Mayor Pingree assumed the office of governor. Although there is admittedly a constitutional question as to whether one may properly hold the offices of governor and mayor, there has hitherto been no apparent disposition to force a settlement of it.

Water Invades Michigan Towns.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 20.—Grand river is gorged with ice below and above the village of Portland, Ionia county. Serious damage is being done by the water and the town is threatened. All the factories have been forced to close and merchants and residents are now moving to the upper floors. The Muskegon river is also gorged below Newaygo, and that village is threatened with flood and damage.

Faithful Unto Death.

Port Huron, Jan. 13.—A week ago, George Montgomery, mate on the North Land, was taken sick with scarlet fever, and his sweetheart, Emma Thrall, went to his home to nurse him through his illness. In two days she contracted the disease, and died Sunday.

Has Proved a Success.

Prescott, Jan. 16.—C. H. Prescott, of Cleveland, four years ago began the conversion of pine barrens near here, and succeeded in turning 1,600 acres into a fertile farm. More than 12,000 bushels of all kinds of grain were raised upon it last season.

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Napoleon	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manhester	6 38 "	2 38 "	1 35 "
Clinton	6 43 "	2 43 "	1 40 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 06 "
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Detroit	11 45 "	6 20 "	....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 2

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TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 836. Express.	No. 8 Acc
Detroit		6 10 P.M.	
Toledo	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	
Adrian	8 40 "	9 10 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 10 "	9 25 "	8 0. "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 35 "	
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	
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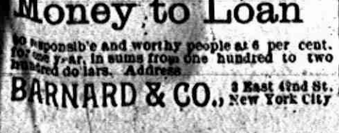

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STACKING FODDER.

An Ohio Farmer Describes an Apparently Excellent Method.

My way of stacking fodder is as follows: I begin the stack the same as a shock, that is, by standing bundles almost perpendicularly on the ground, butts down and tops pressed together. I continue in this way, placing the bundles close together until the shock, or prospective stack, is about 12 feet in diameter at the base (ground). This usually requires 50 or 60 bundles.

Next, instead of getting up on this shock, or stack bottom, and having some one pitch the bundles to me, while I lay them down horizontally, as is usually done, I remain on the ground, and continue there till the last bundle is placed, when a ladder is leaned against the stack and the top tied.

I begin the topping-out process by grasping a bundle with both hands and lifting it say three feet from the ground, laying, or more properly speaking,

STACK OF CORNFODDER.

standing it on one of the bundles of the last or outside course of shock or stack bottom. I continue in this way, walking around the stack and placing bundles "side by side," until I come around to the starting place. This completes the first elevated course. The butts of this course being about three feet from the ground, brings them to a point about where the bundles underneath are tied. See cut.

The bundles for the next or second elevated course are placed in order by means of a two-tined pitchfork. The butts of this course are about six feet from the ground, and like the butts of the first elevated course, come to about the middle of the bundles underneath.

The butts of the third or last course, consisting of say eight or ten bundles, are placed about nine feet from the ground. This makes a stack about 14 feet in height.

When the last course is placed in order the top of the stack is securely tied in two places—one within a foot or two of the extreme top, and the other around the butts of the top course.

Two men are not required to put up this kind of a stack. I built ten such stacks this year myself without any assistance. One man says he puts about 600 bundles in a stack. I put only about 120.

In stacking in this way there are no bundles lying down with butts sticking outward, as in stacks as usually built. They all stand up in an almost perpendicular form—butts down, tops up. The bundles having so much "pitch" they shed the water perfectly.

In feeding from such a stack I begin with the ground course, as the bundles may be easily pulled out. The top bundles remain untouched till the last, thus leaving no part of the stack exposed to the weather.

I adopted this plan three or four years ago and like it quite well. Its advantages are: (1) The bundles having so much pitch they shed the water completely. (2) In feeding therefrom the bottom buntlles are fed first and the top left to protect the stack till the last. (3) One man can take the bundles from the wagon and construct such a stack, without assistance.—Frank Leslie, in Ohio Farmer.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

If you have gravel near you, improve your highways.

Don't feed rats unless you mix poison with the food.

Exterminate the rat. Both poison and cats are cheap.

Paint your machinery if needed. It is money well expended.

Wide tires on hard roads act as rollers and improve the road.

Chopping firewood in midwinter is a mighty unpleasant business.

Save the hay. Substitute corn fodder and good straw to some extent.

Do as well as your neighbor does on all lines. What he can do you likely can.

Be an idealist. Set your mark even higher than you can reach, but reach as high as you can.

One man thinks that the opening of new farms in the west is evidence that farming is profitable. That sort of logic would indicate that all kinds of business is profitable.—Western Plowman.

Refunding Farm Mortgages.

Refunding of mortgages at a lower rate of interest wherever the loans are well secured on improved farms is a crying need of the times. Most of the great railroads have thus refunded their mortgage indebtedness, if indeed they haven't wiped it out in whole or in part by reorganization proceedings. Many cities are refunding their loans at lower rates. Now give the farmer a chance to do likewise. He has better reasons and as good or better security. —Farm and Home.

THIS IS GOOD NEWS.

If True, It Will Make the Farmers of the West Independently Rich.

Prof. Gibbs made the speech of the evening, which was the reason for the gathering, at a dinner given to western senators and representatives by Messrs. Cramp, of Philadelphia. If half he said was true an industry is opening up to the corn-growing region of this country which seems more like a vision than the belief and utterance of scientific experts and far-sighted business men.

The cornstalks would soon be as valuable, if not more so, to the farmer than the corn itself. The pith has been discovered to be more valuable than any other substance for protecting the sides of battle ships from inrushing water after being struck by shells. To-day the best of that padding is made from cocoanut fiber imported at large cost. Messrs. Cramp, proprietors of the largest private ship-building plant in this country, have pronounced in favor of the cornstalk pith, both for service and cheapness. They believe that in a few years all the battle ships of the world will be protected by this pith condensed into a sufficient hardness. Its manufacture into protective pads is being perfected by actual experiments. Prof. Gibbs further says that from the fiber smokeless powder can be made at a cost of 15 cents per pound, while that which the government now uses costs several dollars for a like quantity. A beautiful lacquer, waterproof and hard, can also be made from the stalk. Celluloid, too, it is claimed, can be manufactured cheaper than from other substances. With the pith drawn out the stalk can be ground with other preparations into a fodder so cheap it would be within the reach of everyone and upon which cattle would thrive.

Better, finer and cheaper sugar, Prof. Gibbs says, can be made from it than from the cane of Louisiana. He further stated that when these facts became known and plants started, the farmer would receive at least $2.50 per ton for his cornstalks, which he is now sometimes at an expense to get rid of. He thinks ten dollars per acre would be paid for the stalks after the farmer had received about a similar price for the corn, thus doubling the value of the corn crop.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

SIPHONING WATER.

Simplest Method for Getting a Supply for Irrigation or Building.

Siphoning water is one of the simplest methods of getting a supply for irrigation or building. Where there is a body of water above the buildings, but separated from them by such a height of ground or ridge that water will not naturally flow through a pipe from the supply to the source of consumption, it is often possible to use a siphon. A siphon consists of a tube bent at a point nearer one end than at the other, giv-

SUPPLYING WATER THROUGH A SIPHON.

ing a long and a short arm, as shown in Fig. 1. If the tube be filled with water, the column of water in the long arm is heavier than the column in the short arm. As the heavier column starts to run down out of the tube, a vacuum is created at the bend, and the lighter column of water in the short arm is constantly forced up to fill the constantly produced vacuum at the bend, the stream being thus made constant. The water must first be started through any large pipe by a pump. But when once the flow is started there is no need for the pump. If the pipe and the shut-off are perfectly air-tight, the stream will begin to flow again when turned on.—Orange Judd Farmer.

About the Color of Soil.

The color of the soil will affect its temperature. If a white piece of paper and a black piece of paper be placed upon the snow in the sunlight, the snow under the black piece of paper becomes more rapidly melted than the snow under the white. This is an illustration of the fact that dark substances absorb the sun's heat rays. In the same way, the darker the color of a soil the more rapidly do the sun's rays warm it, while light-colored soils become warmed only slowly. The dark color of soils is generally due to the presence of decomposed organic matter. Hence soils rich in humus are generally warm soils.—Western Plowman.

Value of Important Crops.

The United States department of agriculture gives the following as the total product and total value of six of the country's leading staples for the average of eight years ending with 1895, approximately: Corn, 1,783,000,000 bushels, value $650,000,000; hay, 51,000,000 tons, value $451,000,000; wheat, 470,000,000 bushels, value $332,000,000; cotton, 3,750,000,000 pounds, value $276,000,000; oats, 688,000,000 bushels, value $208,000,000; potatoes, 197,000,000 bushels, value $90,000,000. Tobacco has a total value less than half that of potatoes.

Reversing an Old Custom.

The general custom of farmers is to go to town with an empty wagon and return with a load of something that in nine cases out of ten they could have grown on their own farm. A Cobb county farmer has reversed this plan. He never goes to town unless he carries something to sell. He takes a full wagon to town and returns with an empty wagon, but with money in his pockets. Begin the new year by imitating the example of the Cobb county farmer. Reverse the custom of having the "outgoes" of the farm greater than the "income."—Southern Cultivator.

In law it is no crime to rob the farm, but it is a crime nevertheless. Be honest with your farm.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell dated April 21, 1894 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 89, of Mortgages on page 188, upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1457.53) and no proceedings at law or in eq ity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March 18 7 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county, Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the County of Lenawee and State of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said F. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886 Samuel Larzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 188, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($ 34 51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (the building the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897

SARAH C. ROGERS, Mortgagee.
G. R. Gilleepie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the 28th day of December A D 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5, of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February 897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day subject to all incumberences by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5 east excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the saline and Tecumseh road so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 88 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5 of town 5, south of range 6, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

Reserving all the growing wheat on all the lands above described with right to harvest and remove the same.

Dated January 8, 1897.

CLARIBEL PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the former residence, of Alvinza Whelan in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 12th day of February 1897 and on the 5th day of June 1897 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days And that six months from the 5th day of January A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 11, 1897.

W. A. BEEBE
JOHN BURTLESS,
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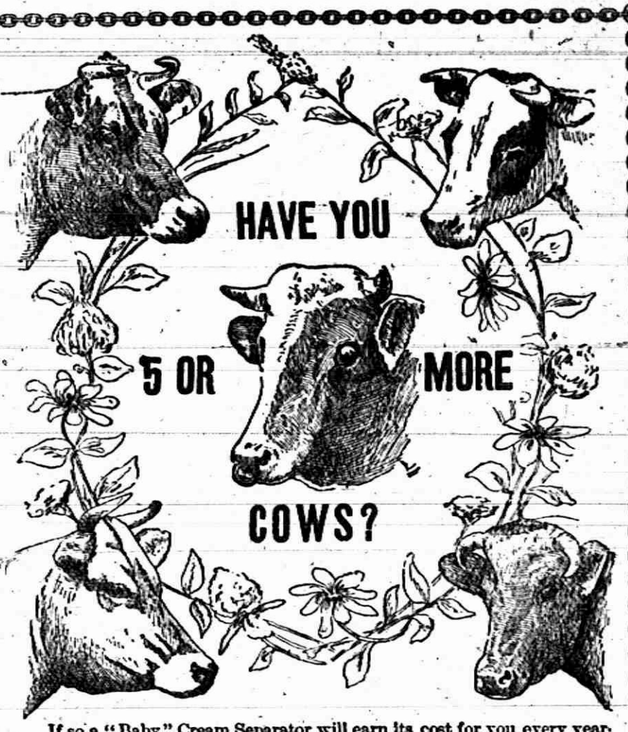

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MICHIGAN'S PRISONS.

Contract System To Be Fought by Labor Men.

WILL MEET WITH OPPOSITION.

The Keynote Has Been Sounded by Ex-Governor Rich and Prison Managers Will Oppose Any Effort to Abolish Convict Labor by Contract—What O. M. Barnes of Lansing Has to Say Upon the Subject—Pingree's Recommendations.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 19.—One of the first lobbies to make its appearance in the legislative halls is that representing the Michigan Federation of Labor, which at its annual meeting here last month, decided to confine its efforts before the present legislature to a bill prohibiting the employment of convicts in Michigan prisons on contracts. This decision was made on the recommendation of H. C. Barter, the new president of the federation, who, in his speech accepting the office, called attention to the fact that two years ago the labor unions and interests asked for a number of things from the legislature, and so widely was their shot scattered over the whole field of reform that they did not succeed in securing recognition for any of their demands. It was largely on his advice that the federation decided to give attention to nothing else during the pending session. While the delegates were thus solicitous about the abolishment of the contract labor system in prisons, they had nothing definite to offer as a substitute for the employment of the prisoners, the best they essayed to do in this direction favoring co-operation with the wheelmen with a view to employing the convicts on the highways of the state as far as practicable, and looking to the cultivation of larger prison farms.

Furniture Men Will Help.

The labor organizations will be assisted in their effort by the furniture manufacturers of the state, at least to the extent of an endeavor to secure the prohibition of the manufacture of furniture in the penal institutions of the state. One of the fiercest fights before the last legislature was made by the furniture men, but their efforts were unsuccessful. This class of citizens consider themselves especially aggrieved because an extensive furniture plant is maintained at the state house of correction at Ionia. They declare that it is being run at a material loss to the state, and that this fact, together with the fact that the labor costs the state but a trifle, enables the prison managers to put goods on the market at a ruinously low figure. Those of the manufacturers who make chairs want the state to abolish chair making at the Detroit house of correction, and the labor men will find strong allies in these manufacturers in the fight they propose to make.

There is no doubt that all he prison managers and state officials who have had anything to do with the management of the prisons will strenuously oppose any effort to abolish contract labor. Ex-Governor Rich has, as an ex-officio member of the prison boards of control, given this subject much attention during the last four years, and in a recent address he sounded the keynote of the opposition. He declared that while the prisons of the state can not, in the aggregate, be made self-supporting, the state prison at Jackson should be, and charged that the attitude of the labor organizations on this subject has materially added to the difficulty of the problem. Under the present law the convicts can be employed on piece work, on contract or on manufacture on state account, and the ex-governor declared that this power cannot in reason be curtailed, for even though all of them have been resorted to, it has been impossible to keep all of the convicts employed. It is his judgment, based on the experience of the past four years, and in this opinion he is sustained by every prison manager in the state, that the contract system is the most profitable and desirable for all concerned, notwithstanding th fact that it is the one most severely criticised by labor organizations and prison reformers.

Should Pay for Their Maintenance.

The ex-governor argued that the men were consumers both before and after imprisonment. He further maintained that most of them were producers before their imprisonment, and he insisted that they should be made to pay the cost of their conviciton and maintenance. This, too, should be done in a manner that will not reduce the price of free labor. He contended that under the contract system the labor must be sold in the open market for what it is worth, and the man who purchased it must furnish his own capital, sell his own goods, and generally compete with other manufacturers. Attention was called to the fact that convict labor does not bring as much as free labor, nor is it worth as much, as experience has proven, nor is there anything to show that employers of it are, as a class, more prosperous than other manufacturers. If they were, it was insisted that the price of convict labor would be higher. Another point urged was that, under the contract system, the state receives pay for each day's work, retains control of the convicts and enforces its own discipline. The effect on free labor was declared to be no different than if the same number of free men were employed at the same work, except that convicts will not accomplish nearly as much as free men. As a potent reason why the contract system should not be abolished, ex-Governor Rich emphasized the fact that under the state account system the state is obliged to furnish active capital for material and tools, money to carry a stock of manufactured goods and men to sell them. It was stated that experience has proven that in this state it has sometimes cost more to maintain convicts employed on state account than to maintain the same number of insane in absolute idleness. The fact that under the contract system the contractor must pay for his material and labor and sell at a profit or quit the business was mentioned, and it was urged that as he must purchase both material and labor in the open market, his competition with other manufacturers is legitimate and in no way degrades free labor or reduces the market price thereof. Particular emphasis was put on the statement that the state does not have to make money when working its convicts on the state account system, the state treasury being practically unlimited, and, if necessary, the manufactured goods can be sold at less than the cost of production, thus not only reducing the demand for the products for free labor, but also the price of it.

Governor Pingree's Recommendations.

The above will constitute the substance of the arguments to be made by those who believe that the contract system is altogether the best and most profitable, for all concerned and the contest promises to be most spirited.

This important question has been brought into still greater prominence just at this time by the recommendation of Governor Pingree in his inaugural message that the employment of convicts should not be permitted to compete with the great industries. He suggests the idea of attempting to inaugurate a system of raising beets for the manufacture of sugar or other food plants which will not come into competition with the farming interests of the state. In order to make prison farms secure temporary stockades might, in his opinion, be built, to be replaced with brick walls, the brick to be made and the walls built by the convicts.

No man in Michigan has given more thought to this subject than O. M. Barnes of this city, who is a member of the board of inspectors of the state prison at Jackson, and chairman of the joint boards of the several penal and reformatory institutions of the state. Mr. Barnes was appointed an inspector by Governor Winans when the central board of control of all this class of institutions was created by the legislature of 1891. When the old system of separate boards was returned to in 1893 he was made a member of the Jackson board by Governor Rich, and has two years yet to serve. During all these years he has made a constant and painstaking investigation of the question of prison labor. For this reason your correspondent sought him out a few days since and asked if he had given the governor's message consideration.

Prison Boards Will Co-Operate.

"Yes," was the reply, "I have read the message of the governor, and have given that portion of it which relates to the prisons special attention.

"In my opinion all the prison boards will co-operate with the governor in all measures for the improvemnt of the prisons. Such is my own purpose, and I believe it is the purpose of all the members of all the boards. The joint meeting of all the boards required by law to be held semi-annually is soon to occur, and I mean to ask the several boards, in advance, to be ready to lay before the meeting a report showing to what extent they can carry out the suggestion in regard to farming, without any new appropriation. All the prisons have lands for garden and farming purposes, and all do more or less farming already, and it may be that this industry can be much increased without great increase of expense.

"The boards will, of course, follow the suggestion made by the governor to proceed with caution. They are anxious to make any change that will be an advantage to the state, and, on the other hand, they are anxious to avoid mistakes. Several of the states have wasted immense sums in changes of prison industries that have resulted in losses instead of gains. The law already allows the carrying out of the suggestions of the governor as to convict labor, if found to be for the best good of the state, and I am in favor of investigating the question of utilizing the prison farms and enlarging them, if found best, as recommended by the governor. We would not thereby escape the objection made to prison labor, for the competition would then be thrown upon the farmers. But after all, no matter what the convicts do, if they do anything we will encounter objections from some quarter in every field of labor, and in some fields greater difficulties than in others. Even if we go to making streets and roads with convicts we compete seriouly with a large body of free laborers who now do such work.

Boards Have Power.

"We are thus compelled to look at the matter in all of its bearings. Indeed, I may say that the boards have attempted hitherto to do so, but that will not prevent doing so again, and it may be that with the new views and aids some changes may be found to be improvements. The laws already sufficiently empower the boards to undertake new kinds of labor if found advisable, and I shall advise a review of this entire subject, although I am inclined to think that the fuller the investigation the more clearly will it appear that very few changes can be wisely made. I shall be glad if we can increase the number of convicts employed in farm and garden work in the direction suggested by the governor. One serious difficulty has confronted us in respect to farming convicts. It is this: But little can be done on the farm in winter. Perhaps, however, some other kind of work could be found for them during the winter months.

"What the governor says," concluded Mr. Barnes, "about the classification of prisoners and prisons, and the transferring of convicts is, in my judgment, excellent."

When the matter of convict labor was before the legislative committees two years ago, Mr. Barnes opposed the proposition of the furniture manufacturers of the state that the manufacture of furniture at Ionia and of chairs at the Detroit house of correction be prohibited. Those who favored the proposition suggested that the convicts be employed on the streets, and called attention to the fact that none of that class of citizens who are engaged in this work had entered any protest against such employment of the convicts. In response to this Mr. Barnes made a telling point by declaring that there had been no such protest for the reason that the average street laborer was in ignorance of what was before the legislature, and insisting that, for this very reason, it was the duty of the legislature to protect their rights. He then stated that as soon as convicts appeared on the streets to do the work the day laborer is now accustomed to do, the state would hear a protest of the most emphatic nature, and that, too, from a class of its citizens which, less than any other, can afford to encounter competition. Replying to the suggestion then made that convicts be employed in making clothing, etc., for the use of the inmates of other state institutions, Mr. Barnes showed that this labor would not keep them employed more than one-tenth of the time.

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All	$5.00	Shoes	now	$4 00
All	4.00	"	"	3.20
All	3.00	"	"	2.40
All	2 00	"	"	1.60

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WAY BELOW ZERO.

The Ice King Has a Firm Grip on the Entire Country.

Great Suffering Caused by the Intense Cold—Responses for Aid Are Quickly Made—Canada Is Also Frozen Up.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The people of Chicago, in bodies and as individual citizens, were aroused Monday to take prompt and generous action for the relief of the 40,000 destitute inhabitants, whose suffering for want of fuel, food and clothing has reached an extreme stage as a result of the terribly cold wave which came upon the city Saturday, increasing in intensity until Monday it reached the lowest point officially recorded in a quarter of a century. Between five and seven o'clock Monday morning the weather bureau in the Auditorium tower, where it is warmer than on the street, recorded 20 degrees below zero. Only once in the history of the bureau—December 24, 1872, 23 below—has the temperature fallen lower.

Poor Suffer at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 26.—The cold wave, which reached here Saturday night, continues and the mercury remains close to zero, with high wind, but no snow. The suffering among poorer classes of people is intense, and Sunday night over 500 unfortunates were sheltered at the police stations.

Reports received Monday show the cold wave extends south to Texas and west to the Rocky mountains. In western Missouri the mercury dropped 60 degrees in 24 hours, and dispatches received from all parts of the state indicate that great damage has been done to the wheat crop, and that much of the early budding fruit has been killed.

In Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Jan. 26.—The cold wave which came here Saturday was felt here Monday in full force. In the morning the thermometer recorded 20 below zero. The relief organizations of the city are overwhelmed with applications for help from the suffering unemployed and there is much distress that cannot be alleviated.

Coldest Ever Known.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 26.—The last 24 hours has been the coldest ever known in Michigan, and at points in the state the thermometer registered 24 degrees below zero. In Detroit the mercury marked 20 degrees below at the Michigan Central slip dock on the Detroit river, and at St. Clair the river was entirely choked by ice, and showed 24 degrees below zero. From all over the state came reports of extremely cold weather.

In Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 26.—The terrible cold continues and the suffering among the poor of Cleveland eclipses any previous record. The below-zero weather—for at eight a. m. Monday the mercury had dropped to 15 below—brought a tremendous crowd of half-starved, half-frozen, scantily-clad people to the city relief office.

Suffering in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 26.—Pitiful stories of want and destitution are coming to the attention of the authorities, aggravated by the intense cold which still holds its grip on the city and state. The city authorities on Monday had over 1,000 families to provide coal for, in addition to food and clothing. The charitable institutions of the city are able to assist only a small portion of those in actual need of protection.

In Iowa.

Dubuque, Ia., Jan. 26.—This section of Iowa is experiencing the coldest weather it has known for many years. Monday morning it was 22 degrees below zero. The heavy snowstorm was followed by severe cold. Several cases of freezing have been reported, but none of them of a serious nature. The poor people are in desperate straits and the authorities are besieged with applications for relief.

In Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 26.—Excessive cold is reported again all over the northwest. It is 20 below in St. Paul.

Fifty-One Below.

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 26.—The government thermometers here Monday registered 32 degrees below zero, but private instruments went much lower. There is no wind. It is 51 below on the ranges at Virginia, 42 at Tower, 40 at Ely and 28 at Two Harbors.

Pennsylvania.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 26.—The coldest weather of the winter prevails throughout western Pennsylvania. In this city the mercury dropped from seven to ten degrees below zero, while thermometers in the country registered from five to ten degrees colder. The cold wave was preceded by a heavy fall of snow.

In Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 26.—The temperature in northwestern Kentucky registered ten degrees below zero early Monday morning. The minimum in the Blue Grass region was two degrees below. Louisville's lowest temperature was three degrees below zero at 7:30 a. m. At 11 p. m. the mercury stood at two above. All cases of suffering are being relieved by the charity organization.

Apples Were Poisoned.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Jan. 27.—Three children died at the home of George Madison, near here, from the effects of eating apples that were poisoned.

Mother and Children Burned.

Bedford, Pa., Jan. 25.—The house of William Croyle was destroyed by fire and Mrs. Croyle and two children were burned to death.

WANT THE BALLOT.

National Convention of Women's Suffrage Association at Des Moines.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 27.—"We will have nine stars in our banner instead of four before the end of the century," declared Susan B. Anthony, the veteran president of the National American Woman Suffrage association, in her annual address to the convention, which opened Tuesday. She seized the banner from the desk before her and waved it aloft. It is an American flag, save that it has only four stars, one for each state that has granted full suffrage to women, and the confident declaration of the beloved president set the convention in an uproar of applause that lasted several minutes.

The convention opened in the Central Christian church with about 200 ladies present. It was 15 degrees be-

SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

low zero, but the church was crowded to its capacity forenoon and afternoon. Seventeen states were represented, the weather keeping away many delegations. Miss Anthony presided, assisted by Anna Howard Shaw, of Philadelphia, vice president at large. It was voted that no state that has not paid its dues will be allowed to vote.

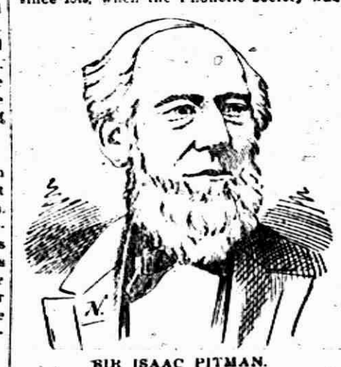
Mrs. Shaw made her report as vice president at large brief, because the same ground was covered by the address of the president. She told of the campaign waged the past year in California for the woman suffrage amendment, resulting in 110,000 votes for and 123,000 against. It was the largest vote suffrage had ever received in any state, although it did not carry.

SIR ISAAC PITMAN DEAD.

Inventor of System of Stenography Passes Away at London.

London, Jan. 29.—Sir Isaac Pitman, the inventor of the system of stenography which bears his name, is dead.

[Sir Isaac Pitman was born at Trowbridge, Wilts, January 4, 1813. After six years' service as a clothier's clerk he was sent to the Normal college of the British and Foreign School society, London, and after five months training, at the close of 1831, was appointed master of the British school, Barton-on-Humber. He established the British school at Wotton-Under-Edge, in 1836, and removed to Bath in 1839. His first treatise on shorthand, entitled "Stenographic Soundhand," appeared in 1837, and he thus became the originator of the spelling reform, to which, and the propagation of his system of phonetic shorthand, he devoted his entire attention since 1843, when the Phonetic society was



SIR ISAAC PITMAN.

established. His system of shorthand was renamed in 1840 and entitled "Phonography, or Writing by Sound," and his "Phonographic Reporter's Companion" appeared in 1846. Mr. Pitman edited and printed the Phonetic Journal. Besides printing his own instruction books for teaching phonetic shorthand, Mr. Pitman had issued a little library of about 80 volumes, printed entirely in shorthand, ranging from the Bible to Rasselle's. In the autumn of 1887 an international shorthand congress and jubilee of phonography was held in London, and Mr. Pitman's family were presented with his bust. A gold medal from the phonographers of the United States, and one from those of Great Britain and the colonies were presented to Mr. Pitman in recognition of the invention of his system of shorthand and of his labors for the reformation of English orthography. Mr. Pitman received the honor of knighthood in 1894.]

Bad Fire in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 25. — The Greenlee Brothers & Co.'s woodworking machinery plant and the Northwestern Stove Repair company's factory, Greenlee Brothers, owners, at 225 to 235 West Twelfth street, were entirely destroyed by fire Sunday night. David B. Carse, general manager of the two concerns, estimated the loss at $350,000. The plants were only partially insured. The blaze originated in the offices on the first floor, from an unknown cause. The building is a six-story structure.

Spooner Elected.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 27.—In the joint legislative assembly John C. Spooner was nominated and elected for United States senator to succeed Vilas. He received every republican vote. The gold democrats voted for Gen. Bragg, and the silver democrats for W. C. Silverthorn, their late candidate for governor.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The senate yesterday considered further the Nicaragua canal bill. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill carrying approximately $23,000,000 was passed.

Washington, Jan. 22.—In the course of a discussion in the senate yesterday of laying electric conduits in the Washington streets Senator Hill (N. Y.) spoke against trusts and monopolies in general. Senator Turpie concluded his speech against the Nicaragua canal bill. The credentials of John Edward Addicks, claiming the vacant seat as senator from Delaware, were presented. The bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors to Indians was favorably reported.

Washington, Jan. 23.—In the senate yesterday Senator Turpie (Ind.) spoke in favor of Cuban independence. Senator Hoar (Mass.) resented public interference in the new arbitration treaty, and a letter was presented from Mr. Rodriguez, the minister of the "Greater Republic of Central America," protesting against the Nicaragua canal bill.

Washington, Jan. 25. — Bills were passed in the senate on Saturday for a statue of President Lincoln at Gettysburg, Pa.; to reclassify the railway postal service, and the house bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating drinks to Indians. A resolution was agreed to asking the president for all correspondence on the Nicaraguan canal since 1887.

Washington, Jan. 26.—In the senate yesterday Senator Turpie (Ind.) characterized Capt. Gen. Weyler as the Herod of Havana, the murderer of women and children, and as an "indescribably diminutive reptile." A bill was introduced to prevent the punishment of persons in the United States who may aid the Cuban insurgents. Memorials were presented from the presidential electors of Delaware, asking for a congressional investigation of alleged fraud and political irregularities in that state. Eulogies on the late ex-Speaker Charles F. Crisp were delivered.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Cuba, the proposed international monetary conference and the Nicaragua canal each came in for a share of attention in the senate yesterday, and the measures were discussed at length.

The House.

Washington, Jan. 21.—In the house yesterday the conference report on the army appropriation bill was agreed to. The Post-Tucker contested election case from the Tenth Virginia district was debated, but no action was taken.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The contested election case of Yost versus Tucker, from the Tenth Virginia district, was decided in the house yesterday in favor of Tucker. A bill was introduced embodying the recommendations made by the national irrigation congress, recently held at Phoenix, A. T.

Washington, Jan. 23.—In the house yesterday private bills occupied the entire day, and at the evening session several pension bills were passed.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The Indian appropriation bill ($7,525,791) was considered in the house yesterday, and the conference report on the immigration bill was presented. The consular and diplomatic bill ($1,651,808) was reported, and Mr. Johnston (Ind.) read a speech in favor of an early reform of our banking and currency laws.

Washington, Jan. 27.—In the house yesterday the time was devoted to a continuation of the debate on the Indian appropriation bill. A bill to restore Jonathan Scott, a veteran of the Fifth Iowa cavalry, to the pension roll was passed over the president's veto.

Laid to Rest at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 27.—The funeral services over the remains of Albert S. Willis, late minister to Hawaii, were held Tuesday morning at the First Christian church, and the greatest simplicity characterized every detail. Rev. R. L. Powell, of the church named, and Rev. Reverdy Estelle, of St. Paul's Episcopal church, conducted the services. The burial, at the request of Mrs. Willis, was private.

Want Equal Rights.

Chicago, Jan. 27. Articles of incorporation were granted Tuesday at Springfield by the secretary of state to the Chinese Equal Rights League of America. The society is to be organized for the purpose of urging a law to confer citizenship rights on Chinese. About 200 American Chinamen have already signed the roll of the organization.

Suddenly Called.

Milwaukee, Jan. 26.—George Koeppen, aged 64, editor-in-chief of the German newspaper Germania, died last night at 10:30 at the rooms of the German club, where he attended a meeting as president of the same. Mr. Koeppen, who had been suffering from heart disease for some time, died of heart failure.

An Educator Honored.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 25.—Educators from every section of the country met in this city yesterday to participate in the celebration of the 87th anniversary of the birthday of Dr. Henry Barnard, "the father of education in the United States."

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Clinton Column.

Fred Tag, Jr., was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Miss Blanche DePuy is visiting friends at Grass Lake.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester over Sunday.

Presiding Elder L. P. Davis, of Detroit, was in town Saturday.

George A. Kies was at home from Saturday until Tuesday.

C. S. Burroughs was in Detroit a few days the fore part of the week.

W. R. Amspoker and wife were guests at his brother John's Saturday.

George DePuy attended grand lodge at Saginaw the first of the week.

W. A. Kimball returned Wednesday afternoon from a week's visit at Leoni.

Charles DuBois, shipped several cars of baled hay from here the last of the week.

David Woodward and wife visited Frank and family at Hudson from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. E R. Smith has been entertaining a cousin, Mrs E. C. Squier, of Detroit, for the past few days.

A party consisting of eight young people of our high school enjoyed a sleighride to Tecumseh Tuesday night.

Mrs. L. W. Kimball very pleasantly entertained a few of her immediate neighbors at tea last Thursday afternoon.

The woman's missionary society of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. James B. Hause Friday at one o'clock.

Rev. A. J. Hutchins, who had been at Brooklyn during the past week assisting in revival meetings, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Voorhees returned to her home at Pontiac Friday, after a visit of six weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell.

Mrs. G. Roscoe Swift and children returned to their home at Adrian Friday after spending a few days at the home of George Freese and wife.

Tate & Stoner shipped three cars of stock, consisting of sheep and cattle, to Buffalo. S. Tate and John Palmer went with them and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Jane McCook died Sunday night at her home east of town, after a short illness. The funeral was held Wednesday at eleven o'clock, at the house.

Miss Lizzie Tate went to Hillsdale Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives. She expects to visit friends at North Adams also before her return.

Mrs. Unrhu, state national organizer, and Mrs. Humphrey, of Adrian, county organizer of the W. C. T. U., were in town over Sunday and gave talks at the different church services during the day concerning the work of the society. Sunday evening they succeeded in organizing a union with about 20 members.

Mr. James Bussard writes from Sharpsburg, Md., as follows: "I had neuralgia in my head and jaws, and could get nothing to relieve me until I tried Lightning Hot Drops, which gave relief inside of thirty minutes, and I have not had it since. It is the best medicine I ever saw to relieve any pain. It will do more than is claimed for it.

Mr. W R. Shimfessel, of Clay City, Powell Co., Ky., writes: "Lightning Hot Drops is a grand remedy for a bad cold. After taking only one dose before retiring it broke up a bad cold which had annoyed me for several days."

Mr. Samuel Niswanger, of Armington, Ill., writes, "This is to certify that I have used Lightning Cough Drops for the last year. I don't think I would be alive today, only for this medicine. I am in my 87th year. I recommend Lightning Hot Drops to all who have a cough."

Two traveling men lost their lives in a hotel fire at Fort Smith, Ark.

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Congressman-elect R. E. Burke and J. M. O'Neall pummeled one another in the street at Dallas, Tex.

W. A. Harris was elected Senator from Kansas to succeed Peffer.

We know of but one community in the world where dyspepsia is practically unknown, and that is the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, N. Y. These good people have been studying the subject of digestion for more than a hundred years, and that they understand it pretty thoroughly, is evident in the foregoing fact. Their Digestive Cordial is the safest and best remedy in cases of indigestion that we know of. A trial bottle can be had through your druggists for the trifling sum of 10 cents.

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The State Federation of Labor urged the adoption of a bill to suppress the sweat-shop system.

A Word or Two

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CAPITAL GOSSIP.

Senate Antagonizes Some of Gov. Pingree's Appointments.

Josiah E. Just, of Ionia, Made Commissioner of Banking—Senators Depart on a Junket—Some Important Legislation Proposed.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, Jan. 25.—The apparant hostility between the senate and Gov. Pingree cropped out upon the presentation to that body of a batch of nominations last week. There was no opposition to the confirmation of the appointment of Elliott O. Grosvenor, of Monroe, as dairy and food commissioner, but the nominations of J. B. Caswell, of Bay City, as salt inspector, and William Hartsuff, of Port Huron, as inspector general, were sent to a committee which cannot report until February 2. It is doubtful if Caswell will be confirmed. Members of the State Salt association allege that he is wholly without expert knowledge of salt and its manufacture. Gen. Hartsuff, who was once collector of customs at Port Huron, has been one of the leaders of the factional fight which has disrupted St. Clair county republicans for years and his nomination did not please some of the senators.

The railroad corporations now pay Michigan specific taxes aggregating some $800,000 annually. The tax is based on the gross earnings in Michigan, the rate being two per cent. on gross earnings of less than $2,000; 2½ per cent. on earnings of from $2,000 to $6,000; 3½ per cent. on from $6,000 to $8,000, and four per cent. on all in excess of $8,000. This yields the state an annual revenue averaging $800,000. By a bill introduced last week it is proposed to increase this revenue at least $125,000 annually, by making a general increase of one-half of one per cent. in the above rates of taxation.

The Pingree two-cent passenger fare bills will shortly make their appearance, as will bills to repeal the special charters of the Michigan Central and Lake Shore roads and bring them under the general railroad law.

The uniform text book bill is likely to be one of the most important of the session. It makes the state board of education a board of commissioners to procure the compilation and make a selection of books for use in the primary and common schools, to be nonpartisan and nonsectarian, and in size and quality equal to the standard books now in use. The board is authorized to advertise for the period of three weeks in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis newspapers for sealed proposals for furnishing the books when selected. The selling price is to be named in the contract for each text book, and will include a retail dealers' profit of not exceeding 20 per cent. One thousand dollars is appropriated for the purpose of putting the system in operation, and 2,000 copies of the bill were ordered printed.

The senate excused all members of committees on state institutions from attendance this week. As these members constitute a majority of the senate, that body can transact no business this week, the minority merely adjourning from day to day. This is the result of the deadlock between the two houses over the proposed ten days' adjournment, commencing last Friday. The house will continue in session. The senators are on the upper peninsula junketing trip.

A plan for increasing the revenue of the state is being devised, and will take the shape of a bill to provide a stamp tax of 50 cents a barrel on beer. By this means an annual revenue of nearly $500,000 will be secured.

Attorney-General Maynard is preparing a bill to make directors and officers of insolvent banks liable for the full amount of the debts, and to make the fact of insolvency prima-facie evidence of felony on the part of such directors and officials.

Another bill to be introduced will require every taxpayer to furnish the assessor a statement on oath covering every item of taxable property owned by him, and also the fact that he has put none of his property out of his hands or covered it up for the purpose of avoiding taxation. A term in state prison will be the penalty for falsifying as to any detail of the statement.

The senate and house disagree as to the time for final adjournment, the house having killed the senate resolution setting the time for April 23.

Senator Robinson has introduced a joint resolution providing for the submission to the people of a constitutional amendment prohibiting the acceptance of a free pass by a member of the legislature, and making it a misdemeanor to offer one to a public official. The resolution concludes with the provision that the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the people in the election to be held on the first Monday in April next.

Senator Westcott, of St. Clair, who has introduced a bill to repeal the mortgage tax law, thinks the law comes far from accomplishing the object desired. He says the tax, instead of falling on the capitalist, falls on the poor lender, and that it drives capital out of the state.

Representative Moore has given notice that he will introduce a bill in the interests of servant girls, among other things providing that no servant girl shall be discharged without one week's notice.

The compulsory education law provides that children in cities must go to school until 16 years of age. Representative Donovan has introduced a bill to exempt children between 14 and 16 from this provision, in the discretion of the school board at the recommendation of the superintendent.

The nomination of Josiah E. Just, of Ionia, for commissioner of banking for the term commencing April 1 was sent to the senate Thursday and confirmed by unanimous vote.

An admirer of Gov. Pingree has introduced a bill in the senate to create the county of Pingree from a portion of territory now in Ontonagon county.

The only measures which have as yet received consideration in either branch of the legislature were local acts.

One of the most important bills presented to the senate is based upon one of the points strongly urged by the governor in his message—an anti-stock-watering measure. It provides a penalty of a fine of $5,000 or six months' imprisonment for any officer or agent of a corporation guilty of issuing stock not fully paid up, or of issuing bonds except at their par value. The issuing of bonds before the stock subscribed is fully paid up is also prohibited, as is the issuing of bonds for an amount greater than the paid-up stock.

At the session Monday the senate had but two senators present, and Lieut. Gov. Dunstan in the chair. The secretary announced "no quorum," and an adjournment was taken until the regular hour to-day, when the same action will be taken and continued from day to day through the week.

At a special session Tuesday evening the house by a unanimous vote adopted resolutions favoring the recognition of Cuba. Speeches supporting the resolutions were made by several prominent members.

Among the important bills introduced in the house Tuesday was one by Representative January to amend the banking laws so that state banks can make no regulation that will place savings depositors on a different footing from commercial depositors. At present if the name of a commercial depositor is forged to a check and the money obtained thereon the bank loses, but if the book of a savings depositor is stolen and the thief by presenting it and forging the owner's name receives the deposit the latter is the loser. The bill also provides that interest shall be paid on savings deposited from the date of the deposit, thus doing away with the rule that deposits made after the fifth day of any month shall not commence to draw interest until the first day of the month following. Finally, stockholders are made liable for all the indebtedness the same as copartners.

Among the important bills introduced last week are the following:

To make the uniform liquor tax $750, an increase of $250 a year; for the introduction of fans and blowers in shops for the protection of workmen; making an appropriation of $176,000 for the soldiers' home; a physicians' and surgeons' registration bill; establishing permanent quarters for the Michigan G. A. R. in the capitol building; reducing the legal rate of interest to five per cent., and limiting it to seven per cent. by contract; appropriating $10,000 for establishing a home for adult blind; providing death by electrocution for murder in the first degree; a home rule bill for cities; changing the minimum age at which girls may marry with the consent of their parents from 14 to 16 years; providing for the analysis at the Michigan university of the drinking water of all municipalities maintaining a waterworks system; for the treatment of deformities of the children of indigent parents at the same institution free of charge; appropriating $22,000 for support of state agricultural colleges; and requiring railroad companies to furnish transportation free to the commissioner of railroads and his appointees; to cut the salaries of the justices of the supreme court from $7,000 to $5,000 a year; to effectually abolish trusts.

EMMETT.

CARS COLLIDE.

Disaster in Grand Rapids Causes a Death.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 24.—A disastrous collision occurred between a car loaded with coal and a trolley car on the North Park line near the Michigan soldiers' home at six o'clock Saturday evening. Motorman John Hake was killed and Conductor Frank McAlvey was badly injured. The car was full of passengers and several of them were badly bruised. The most seriously injured are James Ross, hip badly smashed, and James Thompson, cut about head with broken glass. The coal had been taken to the home, two miles north of the city, with a switching motor. When uncoupled the brake was found to be broken and the car ran down the grade until it met the trolley.

VOTE AGAINST FUSION.

Resolution Adopted by Michigan Prohibition Convention.

Detroit, Jan., 25.—After a lengthy discussion the state prohibition convention Friday afternoon declared itself as opposed to any negotiations toward a fusion with the national prohibitionists, who seceded last summer at Pittsburgh. The resolution against fusion was framed by Prof. Samuel Dickie, of Albion, chairman of the national committee, and Rev. John Russell, who is known as the father of the prohibition party. The platform reiterates the Pittsburgh platform, and asserts that features of the straight-out party's platform need not debar the nationalists from returning to their former allegiance. In conclusion, it points out the difficulties and danger of fusion.

Council Favors Pingree.

Detroit, Jan. 27.—The city council Tuesday night unanimously adopted the report of the committee on judiciary, which recommended denying the petition of D. W. Moreland, commissioner of public works. Moreland petitioned the council to order a special election for mayor, and thereby declare that Mayor Pingree could not hold the offices of both governor and mayor. The question will be taken to the courts by Moreland's attorney, Fred A. Baker, who is chairman of the democratic state committee.

A Valuable Gift.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 27.—Senator McMillan has added to the Shakespeare library, founded by him in 1882, an excellent copy of the third folio edition of the plays (London, 1664). This last copy is even more rare than his previous gifts. The McMillan Shakespeare library now contains all the four folios except the first, and of this the university has Staunton's excellent photo-lithographic facsimile.

Killed by a Falling Limb.

Decatur, Jan. 22.—While chopping in the woods Clayton Tittle was killed by a falling limb striking him on the head.

The Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Rev. C. I. Deyo paid Tecumseh a visit Saturday.

Will R. Osgood was sick the first of the week.

C. H. Goodrich made another trip to Sandee Tuesday.

Mrs. O. B. Lenardson, is assisting in the store a part of the time.

Mrs. George Gripton has been having a severe attack of quinsy this week.

Mrs. Ward's son, Maynard, has been numbered among the sick this week.

Little Glen Osgood has been having a mild form of scarlet fever this week.

George Sanscrant, who was on the sick list the last of the week, is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown were both on the sick list the first of the week.

Miss Nettie Cannon, of Tecumseh, visited her friends here the first of the week.

Charles Gorham and wife visited friends at Raisinville Saturday and Sunday.

Joseph Thackery is slowly recovering from his severe illness and is able to be around the house.

Walter Gripton left Monday morning for Central City, Colorado, where he expects to remain some time.

Mrs. Gardner, of Lawton, arrived Thursday last for an indefinite visit with her daughter, Mrs. Deyo.

James Haight was taken with the grip Saturday and for three days was confined to his bed. He is around again.

The Christian Endeavor society of the reformed church is preparing for an entertainment to be given in the near future.

In nearly every household some member of the family is having either the grip, hard colds, tonsilitis or kindred troubles.

Miss Libbie Walp, we are informed, has joined the Paul Harland Theatrical company and will endeavor to win honors on the stage.

Will Osgood has a thermometer which puts to shame all the rest in town. Just think of it! Monday morning it showed 28 below zero.

Mrs. Wm. Prindel, who recently underwent an operation at Tecumseh, returned home last Friday and is making speedy recovery.

Art Hughes, who was entertaining the grip last week, has dissolved the bond that connected them and is attending to business again.

Henry Freidenstein and family, who have been living near Adrian, are once more citizens of Britton and occupy their own home again.

The cold wave the first of the week worked destruction to the house plants of this village, most of our good housewives losing nearly their entire collection.

C. L. Kishpaugh was in Detroit Monday on business. He returned on the early morning train Tuesday—two o'clock—and can tell you exactly how cold it was.

Judging from the quanty of wall paper O. B. Lenardson received Monday, we would suppose he expected to supply all Lenawee county and that every house was to berepapered this spring.

Henry Bordeau, of Jackson, representing the Champion Binder Company, was in town Tuesday and before leaving arranged with Francis L. Yates & Co. to act as their agents here. Certainly they could not have found more efficient representatives.

Wednesday while on her way to school, a little daughter of Mrs. Eb. Price was overcome with the cold and would not some one coming along rendered her assistance, the chances are she would have perished. As it was she was but slightly affected.

Paul Harland, with his company termed the Criterion, have been stopping at the Evelbr house the past week. They played at Holloway Saturday night and last night. Tonight and tomorrow night they occupy the boards here.

Mrs. E. W. Lenardson and little Nina left Thursday for their new home in Blissfield. Earl went up to Tecumseh Friday to ride the masonic goat and remained over night and joined his family Saturday morning.

The ladies' aid society of the Christian church will hold their next regular meeting in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, February 3rd. Mrs. O. B. Lenardson's committee will serve tea. A general invitation is extended all to be present.

We would suggest to our young men musicians that when they start out to assist in an entertainment it would be well to have their music and their racks fastened to their persons as at such times they are very necessary and their absence may cause them to think swear words they do not do so audibly and besides is embarassing.

C. R. Maybee is not only a skilled pharmacist but an expert at pumping water as well. In fact he dotes on it and improves every opportunity to keep himself in practice. He recently, while indulging this hobby of his filled the water tank at the hotel and would no doubt have flooded the entire house had Miss Libbie called a halt and invited him to fill his pail and extended thanks for his neighborly act.

The ice took agent was in town this week placing orders for Wm. J. Bryan's book and of course did a flourishing business. It is a matter of course George Exelby was the first to subscribe and he took the finest binding. Nothing is too good for George when Bryan is considered. Right you are George; he is worthy of our confidence and admiration. He is both great and good.

Miss Bertha Britton has been having a serious time with quinsy this week.

It must have been an awful blow that left that mark on Will Clark's cheek. Who would have thought such a thing possible!

It will not be long now before this community will be in the midst of corporation caucuses and wire pulling in favor of candidates.

Wonder if Lawrence Brown will figure for water commissioner at the coming election. He will require great physical endurance to undergo so soon again the strain incident to the race.

John Britton, fired with a desire to make himself useful, was assisting the ladies in washing Monday, his little granddaughter in a high chair near by. In attempting to empty a tub to which was attached the wringer, not noticing the child hadhold of it, she was thrown faced ownwards to the floor, cutting her lip badly from which the blood flowed copiously. It broke John up completely and you could have knocked him down with a feather. Fortunately the little one was not seriously hurt and the washing went on.

Walter Mest, who travels for the Jackson Cracker Co. and makes this town at stated times, is driven over from Clinton, via Macon and Ridgeway. John Ed. Keyes brought him over Tuesday, and as they were coming into town gave the road to a man with a load of wood who, as they came opposite him, thoughtlessly raised an umbrella which startled the team John Ed. was driving. They jumped sideways, the cutter struck a deep rut and over they went in the snow. Fortunately no damage was done as Ed had the team well in hand and checked them at once. The little tip-over caused a ripple of excitement, the first since the corporation election fizzle.

RIDGEWAY.

John Boyd is under the doctor's care.

Orange blossoms are reported for next week.

Presiding Elder Davis occupied the pulpit Sunday evening.

Sixteen below zero was the record here Monday morning.

Go to Ed. Smith's for corn poppers.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman and son George were in Ypsilanti Saturday.

S. H. and W. B. Linn were in Adrian on business Thursday of last week.

Julia Reaves, from near Cone, is visiting Mrs. R. S. Houseman.

Laurence Rappleye visited Arthur Palmer at Adrian Saturday and Sunday.

George Clark visited his uncle, Henry Barneby, at Toledo Friday and Saturday.

For good and pure buckwheat flour go to Ed. Smith's and buy the Hudson make.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Toledo, visited relatives here a part of last week.

Mrs. Kniffin, of Britton, visited her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Smith, a part of last week.

B. F. DePuy and cousin, Rev. Wellington DePuy, are in Hillsdale visiting friends this week.

Mrs. Susan Clark, who has been under the doctor's care for the past two weeks, is still quite sick.

Several Clinton relatives were called here Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Philip Sisson.

A large delegation from here attended the farmers' club held at B. F. DePuy's Friday night.

Bessie Barrett went to Jackson Monday for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mrs Byron Beagle.

Mrs. D. W. Loree went to Jackson Wednesday evening to see Mrs. L. M. Palmer, who is quite poorly.

Mrs. Dwella Hodges and son Dale, of Jackson, visited Dr. D. W. Loree and family the first of the week.

Another car of soft coal just received at Ed. Smith's. Come while it is on the car and save the cost of cartage.

S. H. Linn sold his farm north of the village last week to Arthur Mapes, of Geneva, who will take possession in the spring.

Charles Riley, having purchased the property owned by A. Curry, moved his household effects to his new home Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Kniffin, of Britton, spent a few days last week with her cousin Mrs. Charles Staats, at the home of S. P. Smith.

There was a very good attendance at the donation last week for so stormy a night as it was. The amount received was nearly $55.

A large assortment of Gloves and Mittens at low prices at Ed. Smith's.

The subject of the discourse at the M. E. church next Sunday morning will be "The Modern Dancing Party from a Methodist Standpoint." Everybody welcome. Rev. H. Cansfield, Pastor.

The bulletin board suspended from the wire across the street in front of the postoffice announces the entertainments of the lecture course in their order, also their date. A change of announcement will follow each number as soon as it has appeared.

The next number on the Tecumseh star course—The Royal Hand Bell Ringers—will appear at Sutton's opera house Monday evening February 22nd. Single tickets may be had of J. D. Arner. All purchasers of tickets are entitled to a reserved seat which they can procure by calling on J. M. Smith, at the Tecumseh State Savings Bank. No time should be lost in securing tickets as there are only a few seats left to select from.

Mrs. Philip Sisson, who suffered for nearly a week from blood poison caused by running a sliver into one of the fingers of her right hand, died Wednesday evening of last week from a severe attack of pneumonia. Lydia G., daughter of William and Elmyra Suttin, was born in the township of Tecumseh August 15, 1840 and was united in marriage to Philip Sisson July 3, 1857. Eight children were born to them, four of whom—Mrs. Wm. Barrett, Mrs. Harry Campbell, Alonzo and Frank,—with the husband, survive her. The funeral services were held at the house Friday afternoon, Rev. James Wright officiating. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their neighbors and friends in this their sad hour.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and at the death of our wife and mother.

PHILIP SISSON
AND FAMILY.

CONE.

Mrs. Eugene Ellis is quite sick.

John McFall, of Oakville, visited friends here last week.

Owen Curry was in Detroit last Friday and Saturday on business.

Charlie Dennison and Frank Gilmore were Britton visitors Tuesday.

Edward Allhouse has a brother from Pentecost, visiting him this week.

Tina Ellis and Uncle Frank Buck are visiting friends at Napoleon this week.

Aaron Auten, of Auburndale, was visiting friends here Saturday and Sunday.

About thirty teams are busily improving the sleighing by hauling logs, wood and stave bolts to the saw mills and coal kilns.

Have You a Cold?

If so, then, instead of taking so much quinine and other strong medicines, take a pleasant and mild stomach and bowel remedy, which will cleanse the system, and you will be surprised how quickly the cold will leave you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this better than any other. Trial size 10c (10 doses 10c), larger sizes 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's.

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Lieutenant Governor Northcutt, of Illinois, is suffering from the grip at his home at Greenville.

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The Nebraska House passed a bill repealing the law granting a bounty on beet sugar.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Resolutions attacking the arbitration treaty were introduced in the Illinois House.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

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Two prisoners jumped from a moving train near Windsor, Mo., and escaped.

A cough is a danger signal of worse troubles to come. Cure the cough and prevent its results by using Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He failed to use Foley's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. Orr & Temple.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases.

A Russellville, Ark., woman is laboring under the delusion that she is the Messiah.

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MACON.

Frank Morgan was home from Tecumseh Friday.

Wm. Hatch was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Blanche Mills was home from Blissfield over Sunday.

Miss Inez Langan, from near Lapeer is visiting Macon friends.

Thomas Jacobus, who has been dangerously ill, is able to be out again.

The scarlet fever cases are gaining and there are no new cases at this writing.

Mrs. Lester Coller spent several days last week with Mrs. Sarah Biddle, in Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koebbe went to Saline Sunday to attend the funeral of Miss Paulina Lutz.

A sleigh load of Tecumseh's young people spent Friday evening at the home of Charles Morgan.

The funeral of Mrs. David O'Riley was held in the Catholic church in Clinton last week Friday.

Joe Howell, accompanied by his cousin, Warren Webster, was home from Ann Arbor from Friday until Sunday.

The ladies' aid society of the Reformed church was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Harriott Wednesday of this week.

The Epworth League entertainment, which was booked for last Friday evening, has been postponed for an indefinite time.

The C. E. society will hold a necktie social in the old D. R. church Saturday evening of this week. Let all turn out and help in a good cause.

Miss Predemore, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity for the past two or three weeks, left Monday for her home in Chester, Pa.

Tonic for the E. L. meeting Sunday evening January 31st is "The Temporal Blessings which follow Christianity." Isa. 60: 17-22. Leader, Burt Osborne.

All who anticipate papering their homes this spring will do well to order their paper of W. S. Betser. He carries a fine line of samples and is sure to please.

Miss Paulina Lutz, who has been gradually wasting away with consumption, passed into the haven of rest Thursday morning. The funeral was held in Saline Sunday.

The fore part of last week Mrs. Mary Pennington, widow of Isaac Pennington, suffered a stroke of paralysis, and being near an open cellar door at the time, fell to the bottom of the stairs. She was unconscious when found and remained so until her death Monday evening. She leaves one daughter and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her sudden death. The funeral was held from her late residence Friday afternoon.

LAKE RIDGE.

Delayed Letter.

Mrs. Gertie Sisson, of South Macon, is quite sick.

David Boyd visited his mother in Ridgeway Saturday.

Eber Bradley, who has been in poor health for some time, is failing fast.

Fred Gordon of Elkhart, Ind., was visiting friends on the Ridge last week.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather there was no Sunday school last Sunday.

Darius Hendershot, of Tecumseh, was the guest of his brother Charles Tuesday of last week.

Rev. Mr. Baker, of Milan, and his estimable wife, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hendershot Tuesday.

Miss Ella Anderson, of Chicago, after a two months' visit with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Murphy, has gone to Tecumseh.

Meetings are still in progress in the East church conducted by Rev. Mr. Baker, of Milan, assisted by Church Austin and wife. Let the good work go on; it seems to be the wish of every person, as was expressed by a unanamous vote last Sunday evening.

T. Murphy went to Ypsilanti Saturday to see his son James.

Mrs. Martin Miller, of Gratiot county, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Miller.

Miss Metta Owens, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Josie Hand over Sunday.

Owing to the zero weather there was a small attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday.

Miss Josie Hand visited her aunt Mrs. Hendershot, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Lonnie Miller's little son had the misfortune to fall and break his arm one day last week.

The thermometer registered 20 degrees below zero at some points on the Ridge Monday morning.

H. Hand and C. Hendershot, with their wives, attended the funeral of Mrs. P. Sisson, at Ridgeway, Friday.

Meetings are still in progress at the Free Methodist church and truly the car of salvation is passing that way.

Rev. Mr. Baker, pastor of the F. M. church, went to Oakville Saturday and in his absence Mrs. Saoddard filled the pulpit to the satisfaction of all. The church was packed to overflowing and good order prevailed.

S. F. Fritz, of 671 Sedgwick street, Chicago, says: "I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved; I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life." Orr & Temple.

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Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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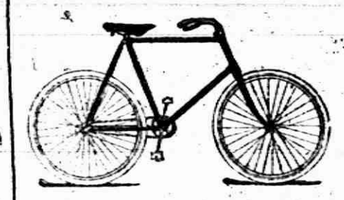

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The saying "There are tricks in all trades except ours," is so old that everybody very well knows its meaning, and perhaps a little enlightenment about the newspaper business to newspaper readers would not be out of place. But few country newspapers are printed all at home. Firms who make this a business in Chicago, Cleveland and other large cities edit and print each week one whole side of a country weekly and ship by express to the publisher. The publisher unties his ready edited bundle, prints the other side and mails the paper to his subscribers. In Lenawee county there are only four newspapers that do not use patent insides, namely, Adrian Press, Adrian Times, Messenger and TECUMSEH HERALD. The latter paper is the only one sold for a dollar a year and between an all home printed paper and one that is half patent there is no comparison. In news printed the HERALD competes favorably with the other three papers named. In price it competes with those chaps who print only half their paper at home. An all home printed country newspaper costs at least twice as much each week to produce that a patent does. The HERALD is oblized to compete in price with the publisheas who buy "ready made" sheets. Would it not be well to remind the friends of the HERALD that their dollars for subscriptions right now would be mighty acceptable. The paid circulation of the HERALD now reaches over 1,200 nearly every subscriber of which owed a dollar January 1st and nobody needs these dollars worse than the printer.

Farmers' Social Club.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Philip Kence, Tuesday evening, Feb. 9.

PROGRAM.

Roll call, quotation from either author named below.
Music—Mrs. Benedict.
Paper, Ella Wheeler Wilcox—Mrs. (Bowen.
Rec.—Edith Rector.
Paper, Owen Meredith—Ora Gillespie.
Reading from Owen Meredith's works (Ora Bowen.
Music.
Historical Questions.
Question for discussion, Resolved, That the tax laws of the state of Michigan are unjust and should be revised in the present administration—Led by O. P. Remington.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The meeting of this club was held at the home of Albert C. Aylesworth Friday evening, Jan. 22nd. Although it was very cold and stormy a good crowd was present. A good time is reported by those present.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Geo. Swartz, Friday, Feb. 5th. The following program will be carried out:

Music—Lena VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Lulu Alesworth.
Reading—Will Wells.
Dec.—Will Hill.
Music—Mary Fisher.
Rec.—Ona White.
Chips—Mr. Hoag.
Rec.—Elsie Updike.
Charade—Mrs. Swartz.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Poucher.
Question—"We recommend that all county officers be paid with a salary, fixed by the board of supervisors, and that all fees pertaining to said officers be put into the county treasury." Question opened by Wm. Waldron.

Farmers' Union.

The Farmer's Union will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Welliver in Raisin, Friday evening, Feb. 5th. The following program will be given:

Music—Mary McIntyre.
Rec.—Mabel Hollister.
Dec.—Lawrence Boyd.
Reading—Mrs. J. B. Kennedy.
Music—Jared VanVleet.
Charade—Mrs. B. VanNess.
Paper—Mrs. B. I. Laing.
Dec.—W. F. Raymond.
Music—Nellie Wilson.
Question—"Resolved that our preachers have a greater influence over society than our teachers."—Affirmative: B. F. DePuy, Eldridge Lowe, Mabel Wood, Bertha Smeltzer. Negative: W. F. Raymond, Fern DePuy, Delia Wood, Rob Boyd.

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Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The authorities of our neighboring village of Pioneer have passed a curfew law which prohibits children under sixteen years of age to be alone on the streets after half-past seven in winter and half-past eight in summer.—Hudson Post.

There is another man in town who thinks he has a right to a prize cake in regard to children's birthdays. That is Mr. Will Gafney. His first and second sons were born on the same day of the year, seven years apart. Also his first and second daughters were born on the same day of the year, three years apart.—Adrian Telegram.

John Kelsey is nursing some ugly bruises and cuts about the face and head. While going to Rome Center with a heavy wagon Wednesday he accidentally slipped and fell, one of the wheels passing over him with the above results. The details of all the accidents which Mr. K. has met with would fill a good sized booklet.—Addison Courier.

Fr. Nacy, of Hudson, recently brought his congregation to time in a novel manner. He read from the pulpit a list of all the members who ought to contribute and the amounts he expected from each. Those who were able to contribute and refused, be intimated, could hardly expect to enjoy the privileges of the church.—Adrian Times.

Metcalf & Co., an enterprising Adrian firm, are running some very attractive and up-to-date advertisements every day in the Adrian papers. The writer of the terse announcements evidently puts a great deal of thought into his ads., and the printer brings out his ideas very cleverly. Metcalf & Co. have evidently got the right idea about newspaper advertising, and we'll bet dollars to doughnuts that they never doubt whether it pays. "The Leader" company of Adrian, are also large and judicious advertisers, and their announcements are written and "set up" in a way that brings business.—Hudson Gazette.

Traveling Passenger Agent Will Brown, of Hudson, yesterday made a contract for the Lake Shore to take the Alger club of Detroit, to Washington for the inauguration ceremonies. The special train will leave on the night of March 2d and reach Washington at 5:30 the next afternoon. Persons wishing to go from this city or vicinity may take the 10:15 train to Toledo, and connect with the excursion special there at 11:10 on the night of departure. The fare for the round trip will be $14.50.—Adrian Times. Persons from any part of the county may "take" this excursion.

The other day Senators Jibb and Barnum called to see the governor. It was just a friendly call to pay their respects. That's what they thought, at least. Mr. Pingree conversed with them in his gentle, conciliatory fashion. That is, he jumped on the senate with both feet, cussed like a bewhiskered pirate and bankered to wash his feet in senatoaial blood. Kind friends removed them after the interview had terminated. Both were bordering on nervous prostration, and neither will pay any more respects to his excellency. Not if they know it.—Detroit News.

The complications which may arise out of the controversy as to the right of Mr. Pingree to hold the offices of mayor and governor are numerous. One of the latest has been suggested by the contention that the office of mayor is a state office, and that, therefore, Pingree cannot be governor, the constitution providing that no "person holding office under the United States, or this state, shall execute the office of governor." This being the case, the politicians are now speculating on the proposition that all votes cast for Pingree last November were void, and, therefore, Charles R. Sligh, the fusion candidate, is entitled to the office. Excellent lawyers are inclined to hold to this view of the matter and the possibility of affairs taking this sensational turn has caused quite a flurry among the politicians.—Adrian Telegram.

The following list of petit jurors to serve during the February term of the circuit court was drawn Saturday. They are summoned to appear on the second day of the term, the 9th:

Adrian city—
First ward—Gottlieb Gelenius.
Second ward—Lafayette Knowles.
Third Ward—John Edmonds.
Fourth ward—E. B. Cope.
Fifth ward—John Steinmetz.
Adrian tp.—John L. Hunt.
Blissfield—C. J. Miller.
Cambridge—Anson Ayers.
Clinton—Cebert M. Halladay, D. M. Bainbridge.
Deerfield—Geo. Wilcox, James Manning.
Dover—Philip Middleton.
Fairfield—A. D. VanDusen.
Franklin—Mark Perkins.
Hudson—Wm. A. Dwyer.
Hudson city—Orrin W. Gleason.
Macon—Wm. Randall.
Madison—L. Porter.
Medina—Wm. D James.
Ogden—Peter Jacob, sr.
Palmyra—Seymour Warren.
Raisin—Fulton McLain.
Ridgeway—Cass Zeluff.
Riga—Ezekiel Wolverton.
Rollin—Mellville Chase.
Rome—John Rexford.
Seneca—A. D. Stephenson.
Tecumseh—M. G. Updyke.
Woodstock—George Bowen.

An editorial which appeared in Tuesday's Daily Times (independent) of Ann Arbor is causing much talk, especially in university circles. It suggests in the strongest terms that the successors to the retiring regents, Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit, and W. J. Cocker, of Adrian, should be taken from the laboring classes of the state. The new regents should be chosen one from the extreme western part of the state and one from the upper peninsula, and both should be farmers or mechanics. This action, it is held, will result in bringing the laboring classes back to the support of the institution. The Times calls upon Washtenaw county's representative at Lansing, Hon. A. J. Sawyer, to bring the matter forward at once to the Republican councils. Regents Barbour and Cocker are spoken of as members of the aristocracy, too far separated from the great farming and laboring masses of the people of the state.—Morenci Observer.

Sunday in the World's Greatest City.

Like all who leave wife and dear ones and go into a far country, I have my moments of homesickness, and last night as I lay tossing about in my bed trying in vain to woo nature's sweet restorer of strength and beauty, I was suddenly made aware that I was not the only one awake at the hour of midnight, by a band of street carolsers, who came into the vicinity singing that beautiful hymn of Charles Wesley's, "Hark, the herald angels sing, Glory to the new born King," following it with "Way down upon the Swannee river," "Nearer my God to Thee," and, while listening to our national song, "America," I fell asleep, to be awakened at eight o'clock by Bishop Hartzell coming to my door. And as this has been an eventful day in my life, I will relate to you what I have seen. Our party, composed of Bishop Hartzell, Rev. and Mrs. Shannon, formerly of Denver, now of Cincinnati, (who are carrying out a course of study here and going no Oxford soon) and Prof. Campbor and wife, of Monrovia educational interests, and myself, attended morning service in London's great city temple, where we listened to a master sermon by the Rev. Dr. Parker, Congregationalist, the text of which was, "Prepare to meet thy God."

After the service, we returned to the hotel and enjoyed the privelege of a genuine English dinner, with its beef followed by the proverbial seven courses and coffee in the drawing room. After dinner we started immediately for Westminster Abbey, passing through the Strand and Piccadilla, and past old Trinity church, the oldest in London. On the way past the historic White Hall where Richard II was executed, past the Houses of Parliament to the Abbey, which today stands a grand pile of masonery, gray with the discoloration of its hundreds of years of time. When we arrived, the unreserved seats were full, and Dr. Shannon, who has been here some time, went in and informed one of the officials that the Bishop of Africa and a party of five were in the aisles and wished to get seats inside, and we were immediately conducted into the best part of the Abboy and given seats to enjoy the privilege of worship, which I considered a great thing. We sat facing the pulpit with the nave on our left and behind us in the rear was the famous pouts' corner. The sermon was very good indeed, but I think the divine made one misstatement, making the remark in connection with his sermon that "It will be a bad day for England when our home life is lost which seems to have been never known by our sister country across the sea." He evidently misunderstood the American idea of home life.

After the sermon we passed out into the nave of the church to the tomb of Livingstone, and as I gazed upon the slab that covers all that is left on earth of that great man, the responsibility of the great work left by him to be carried on by others, came to me with great force. The bishop made a short prayer and we passed out by the Court where in olden times a grave was always kept dug to remind the monks that all things end in death.

Again we returned to the hotel, coming back by Southampton street and Bloomsbury to Queen's square which is an open square in the locality where the nobility lived in the time of Queen Anne who have a statue erected in her honor. Burr's hotel, where we are stopping, faces this square. The house was built 300 years ago and is in a good state of preservation, and the furnishings are quaint and ancient. After lunch we proceeded to St. James' chapel in Southampton road. This is the largest mission in London, carrying on a great work and having a net-work of branches extending all over the city. It is held in what was formerly concert hall which holds 2500 people and every seat was occupied and many stood. The sermon was delivered with great force by Hugh Price Hughes, a Wesleyan Methodist of great reputation. His orchestra was composed of 70 instruments besides a large choir.

I cannot close this letter without mentioning my visit to John Wesley's church at city road, also his grave and the house where he lived. The church has been somewhat repaired and remodeled inside but there is the same old Spanish mahogany pulpit. The house contains the famous clock, teapot and many other things of interest. Altogether my stay in London, though short, has been very interesting. London is full of historic associations. Among others I have seen the famous red Lyons and Old Curiosity shop. But greater than all these is the British museum, a description of which I must defer until another time.

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Two traveling men lost their lives in a hotel fire at Fort Smith, Ark.

High School Happenings.

Bessie Bates, after a week's illness, is out again.

Eloise Waring called on the A room Thursday forenoon.

Willie Riley is an absentee from the nineth grade this week.

Clarence Jackson was absent from his place in the A room Wednesday.

John Snow is absent from the eighth grade this week on account of the death of his sister.

The Misses Mertie Macham and Hattie Tennant visited the various high school rooms Tuesday forenoon.

Everybody is busy with finals. On account of the large number of examinations one or two have been deferred.

The seventh grade grammar class have finished Hyde's grammar and take up Reed & Kellogg for the rest of the year.

German II are finishing Wilhelm Tell and having sketches from Schiller's life, works, etc. this week. Some of the papers given are very interesting.

A report has been circulated doing great injustice to George Houseman, of Ridgeway, who left our high school lately to begin a course in the business college at Ypsilanti. George was one of our hardest workers, always attentive to his work and left school for the reason stated and not because he was to go. He has our best wishes in his new field.

LITERARY NOTES.

Harper's Weekly for January 30th will contain an elaborately illustrated article on New York's new plan for rapid transit. The front page of the same number will be a drawing by W. A. Rogers of the signing of the Treaty of Peace between Great Britian and the United States.

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The January number of the Photographic Times, New York, is a work in every detail. Beautiful half-tones, a carbon specimen, tri-colored covers and the whole work a novel of typographical skill. The contents are beyond our space to particularize but of great interest to all photographic people.

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The February Chautauquan presents for the introductory paper "Masterpieces of French Painting," by Horace Townsend, with excellent reproductions of some of the most famous French paintings. The variety and merit of the other articles testify more than ever to the rank of this magazine as a standard for home reading.

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Senator David B. Hill has written an able paper for the February number of The Forum on the "Future of the Democratic Organization." "The Present and Future Cuba" is the title of an interesting and important article that will appear in the February Forum from the pen of Mr. Fidel D. Pierra, chairman of the Cuban Press Delegation. It is an able and impartial account of the progress and present condition of the Cuban revolution. The Hon. William Woodville Rockhill, Assistant Secretary of State, has contributed a timely article to the February number of The Forum reviewing the steps that have been taken toward reforming our Consular System, and pointing out many evils yet to be remedied before the service can reach its highest efficiency.

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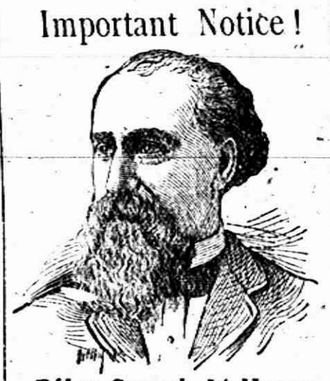

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At Tecumseh, LILLEY HOUSE Thur. Feb. 11th.

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Ten sets of special scenery, Flight of the Fast Mail. Niagara Falls by Moonlight, with Boiling Mist. Practical Working Engine, and 14 freight cars with illuminated caboose. The Dago Dive. Realistic River Scene and Steamboat Explosion, and other Startling Effects.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JAN. 29, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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FORSALE—A good house and lot in the village of Tecumseh for $350.00. A rare chance for some one with small capital to secure a good home.

Opera house, Monday evening.

Dr. North was in Toledo yesterday.

Miss Alice Gaston is out of school this week on account of sickness.

Lincoln J. Carter's "Fast Mail" at the opera house Monday, Feb. 1st.

Orrin Finch immersed his horses in the Raisin mill pond this morning.

Don't forget the date of "Female Masonry", Feb. 9th. Every one come.

Nate Schmid, of Manchester, was here Wednesday, performing his official duties.

Adamson Bros. have been taking an inventory this week. Alfred James assisting.

Company C will elect a first lieutenant at their meeting next Tuesday evening.

Clyde Heck being under the weather today, Tom Owens is taking his place delivering groceries for R. S. Moore.

Carl Updyke, the Herald devil, was confined to the house Monday and Tuesday with a severe cold and sore throat.

Buy a Carpet while cheap at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Wednesday twenty from the Universalist society drove out and spent the evening with Homer Bickford's family. They passed a delightful evening.

Hugh Campbell and E. J. Shepherd, two of Adrian's able alderman, were calling on friends Tuesday. Hugh is recovering slowly from his late serious injury.

"Female Masonry" will divulge all secrets of Masonry.

If you ever want a cutter, now is the time to buy it. C. A. Slayton has just bought a few $30.00 cutters where they had to be sold for $19.00. Come quick if you want one.

Geo. Rubadeaux had an engagement that called him to Britton Tuesday evening. He kept it despite the severity of the weather. George does not stop for trifles.

Actor Bishop and the young girl, Mabel Stanton, with whom he eloped a short time since, were this morning brought back to Adrian by Sheriff Furgeson on train 15.

Last evening a company of seventeen of the young people of the Baptist society gave Grant Tomms a surprise at the home of Mrs. Lester in Raisin that was a success from start to finish.

The next number on the Star Course will be the Royal Hand Bell Ringers Feb. 22. This company comes the best recommended of any yet on the list and the entertainment will certainly be pleasing in every way. Those who have not season tickets would do well to procure their seats early.

Cloak sale in full force at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Lincoln J. Carter, the young Chicagoan, author of the melodrama, "The Fast Mail," is a remarkable young fellow, on the Da Vinci pattern, in variety of accomplishment. He wrote his own play—and it's a good one of its class—he acts a principal part and does it well, he paints all his own scenery, constructs all his elaborate mechanical effects, and designs all the pictorial work used for advertising "The Fast Mail." Truly a bright young fellow, who creates his own career without trampling over anybody else. Opera house, Feb. 1.

Club hop at the armory this evening.

Newbold Satterthwaite is at the bicycle show in Chicago this week.

Robert Metz sold his stock and fixtures to Robert S. Moore the last of the week.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton left Saturday afternoon for a visit with her daughters in Detroit.

Miss Agnes Kehoe is making a four weeks' visit in Saginaw with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Rose.

Captain Chilson has been quite under the weather since he and his wife returned from their Ohio trip.

Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning: "Fresh Water from Deep Wells." Children's choir in the evening.

Collector Geo. Marsden has extended the time for paying taxes without the extra per cent. to Feb. 10. All should make an effort to pay them.

Mrs. C. M. Woodward and daughter Agnes went to Detroit Saturday where they will make their home and are located at 275 Lincoln avenue.

It seems good to see Mrs. Emma Vedder at the store attending to the wants of her customers again after her illness which confined her to the house for some weeks.

David Stevenson, who has been on the old Rector farm for some time past, will the coming season work John Clarkson's farm and expects to move about April 1st.

Miss Florence Huey has been suffering from a throat trouble and for several days the past week she was unable to speak above a whisper which to her was a great calamity.

Secure seats at once for the "Fast Mail" at the opera house Monday evening, Feb 1.

J. W. Helme, Jr., of Adrian, will read a paper—the subject, "The Jersey as a Necessary Adjunct to the Dairy"—at the Michigan State Dairymen's Association to be held at Charlotte, Mich., Feb. 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Will F. McGlashan, who has been assisting Mrs. Woodward since the doctor's death in settling the accounts, left the first of the week for Detroit to help them settle and will then return to his home in Buffalo, N. Y.

Next Sunday evening the young people of the Universalist church give a concert for which an especially fine programme has been prepared. In the morning Mr. Andrus will preach a doctrinal sermon. Ladies' social this evening from 5:30 till 7.30 o'clock.

The quarterly tea meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held Wednesday, Feb. 3d, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Howell, meeting to be called promptly at 3 o'clock. Tea served at 6 to which all are invited.

After visiting her parents, G. W. Jackson and wife, for a couple of weeks, Mrs. D. A. Hodges returned to her home in Jackson Wednesday, accompanied by her brother, Clarence, who will make his home with her and attend school there the remainder of this school year. Clarence will be missed by several Misses of this place.

Wednesday noon word was received that Rev. Robert Wooden, of Onsted, is dead. Grandfather Wooden was one of the first Universalist ministers to come into this section of the country. He came here a great many years ago. Rev. E. C. Andrus, of this place attends the funeral this afternoon at Onsted.

Rev. Sidney Strong, the noted Cincinnati divine, has accepted a call from the Oak Park Congregational church of Chicago Mr. Strong is a nephew of our worthy townsman, J. S. Strong, and the latter gentleman is justly proud of his brother's son. The salary attached to the Chicago appointment is $3500 per year and the Oak Park church one of the strongest in the city.

Mrs. Jane Burns, sister of Morris and the late Albert Hyde, who lives east and in the fall spent some time among her relatives here and then went to other points in the state, returned Friday to complete her visit with Mrs. Caroline Hyde, but it was brought to a speedy close by a telegram announcing the death of a sister-in-law at Canandaigua, N. Y., and she left Monday morning to attend the funeral.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will present "Female Masonry" at the opera house Tuesday evening, Feb 9th.

An order from the court has finally settled the C. J. & M. terminal matters. On and after Feb. 1 the C. J. & M. will use the Ann Arbor terminals and depot. The change will materially shorten the C. J. & M.'s time. It will cut out two stops in entering. In fact the C. J. & M. will not be required to make any stops in the Toledo yards, as the Ann Arbor lets the passenger trains on its terminal line with an interlocking station. In addition to this, the C. J. & M. gains an entrance into the finest depot in the city.—Toledo Blade.

The members of the Monday club during the present year are enjoying the history, literature sights and scenes of Germany, that quaint old land beyond the sea. At the last meeting of the club Miss Harriet Whittier gave a delightful description of the picture gallery at Dresden, comparing it with other great galleries in Europe. From the vast collection of wonderful paintings in this gallery, Miss Eloise Waring attracted our attention to the gem of the entire collection "The Madonna di San Sisti" or "Sistine Madonna" by that prince of artists Raphael, painted only a few years before his death. Miss Waring explained how it became the property of the Dresden gallery also gave the legends regarding St. Sistus and St. Barbara who are represented with "The Virgin and Child" with attendant cherubs. Miss Buttrick described the old surburban town of Meissen, also gave the process of manufacturing the Meissen or Dresden china showing the delicate quality, exquisite finish and decoration of that superior ware.

Auction begins Saturday, Jan. 30th.

Mrs. C. A. Wright will start for Boston next week for a month's visit.

Miss Libbie Kress, of Freedom, is visiting her nephew, E. F. Kirchgessner.

Aaron Taylor and his worthy wife rejoice over a new little girl at their house.

Harry Lee has recovered from the attack of tonsilitis which he had last week.

L. C. and C. M. Heath, of Milan, were guests at the Primrose residence over Sunday.

The Wit and Wisdom club meet next Monday evening, Feb. 1st, with Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Frost.

Frank J Temple attended the meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge at Saginaw this week.

New spring dress goods arriving every day, at HARRIS & HITESHU'S

Charles Johnson, of Logansport, Ind., was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Comfort had a little visitor come to their house last Sunday morning. Another little boy.

Mrs. Millie VanAntwerp went to Adrian, Tuesday for a visit with her brother and family, who reside in that pleasant city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Snow desire to thank their neighbors and friends for their sympathy and kindness during their affliction.

Thomas Elliott is again able to be around, but does not feel like putting on the boxing gloves or engaging in a game of foot ball.

Will W. Whiting is nearly settled in his new quarters, having moved his cigar factory to the old office of the News, Wednesday.

Owing to impaired health Rev. David Lewis has decided to give up revival work for a time and will act as pastor of the Friends church.

Mrs. Channing Bills, whose home is now in Jackson, arrived Wednesday for a few days' visit with her old neighbors and friends.

Ladies' $2.00 Dressing Sacques for 98c, at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

George Tiffany arrived home from Mundon, St. Joseph county, Wednesday evening for a few days stay. George reports the cabinet business good.

The Sunday school classes of Mesdames A. W. Mills and F. D. Rector were entertained charmingly last evening at the pleasant home of the latter.

G. H. Tansley is now occupying the Heesen store, having most of his crockery moved from the old store. When everything is in place he will have one of the finest crockery stores in the ounty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepard at their cozy home entertained a company of friends Wednesday evening as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Henry McClure, who expect to remove to Toledo soon.

The young gentlemen gave a return party to the young ladies Monday evening at the home of Fred Rector. It was a pleasant affair. Two of the young people suffer from frosted ears as a result of the cold ride.

Henry McClure left yesterday morning for Toledo. He assumes his position as bookkeeper for A. M. DeMuth & Co. Monday morning. Henry's friends wish him abundant success in his new quarters.

We will give you more values for your $'s than any house in Southern Michigan. HARRIS & HITESHU.

E. L. Church, of Jackson, an expert at the bench, is assisting Adamson Bros. Repair work having accumulated during the past few months that makes it necessary for extra help. Mr. Church is a pleasant gentleman and a fine workman.

Rev. W. R. Blachford went to Ann Arbor Wednesday to attend a meeting of the southern convocation of this Episcopal Diocese, which convened in St. Andrews church that city yesterday. He being secretary of the convocation. He returned home to-day.

Miss Minnie Reeves left Wednesday morning for Ypsilanti, where she expects to take a course in Cleary's Business College. Minnie has a large circle of friends here, who, while they regret to have her go from them trust the change will be to her advantage.

Fine $30.00 cutters for $19.00, at C. A. SLAYTON'S.

Lonnie Jones, Linn Hardenburg and Ernie Anderson returned from their Devils lake hunt. Unlike our fox hunters, they had plenty of game to show, being satisfied with what they found, not bent on one kind or nothing. Forty-three rabbits they, with the help of a ferrett, gathered in.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Pennington, widow of the late Isaac Pennington, who had the misfortune to fall into the cellarway of her residence one day last week and soon after lost consciousness never to regain it, was held at the house this afternoon at one o'clock, Revs. D. H. Ramsdell, of Clinton, and David Lewis, of Tecumseh, officiating. Mrs. Pennington was well known in this community and was a member of the Friends church.

The recent spell of cold weather has done much damage about Tecumseh, freezing house plants and water pipes and other things susceptable to frost. But the worst damage yet heard of was that done to the interior of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Anderson's beautiful residence last Monday and Tuesday. Their house is heated with hot water pipes and notwithstanding every care, on Monday morning the pipes began to freeze and by Tuesday morning were bursted in more than a dozen places, water running all over the house and destroying everything. Several hundred dollars will not repair the damage and the worst of it all is that Mr. and Mrs. Anderson may be shut out of their home for some time before the damage can be repaired.

Ernie Coller, J. J. Freeman and Jim Eccles returned home Sunday from their fox hunt and it is the old, old story they relate. Almost, but not quite. Reynard was too foxy for them.

The poultry institute for Tecumseh is now a settled fact and all who have birds to show are requested to leave word at the Herald office before next week Saturday evening. No entrance fee is charged and all are invited to display their birds.

Harris & Hiteshu announce in this issue of the Herald a continuance of their annual clearing sale to Feb. 15th. The sales of this firm are all genuine, and it is with much haste that purchasers should avail themselves of this opportunity to get bargains.

Just opened a new line of Dress Goods awful cheap.

ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

There will be a meeting of the members of the C. T. Co. west of Tecumseh, at Hampton's store, Tipton, Tuesday, Feb. 2d, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of organizing as a Telephone Co. All parties interested are invited.

W. J. HAMPTON,
R. J. W. BOWEN.

The Research Circle have been studying Egypt as a Roman province and Friday evening, Jan. 22nd, papers were read as follows: "History of the Roman Period," by Mrs. Kellogg and "Rival Religions," by Mrs. Kyle. The miscellaneous topic, "How to Learn to Think," was given by Miss Mary Burridge. The Circle have added to their numbers by establishing a new section with about twenty members. They will take up the same work and meet Saturday afternoons. The quota, however, is not yet filled, and any who wish to prepare for next year's work, will please send in their names.

Last night about 12 o'clock as a load of young people were returning from Mrs. F. D. Rector's where they had been spending the evening, on coming to the green-house, Miss Mary Mills discovered that the house occupied by Ernest Spalding just south was on fire. She and Miss Anna Williamson then uttered yells that would have done credit to a Comache Indian and all rushed to the burning building. The family was aroused and Mrs. Spalding and baby taken to a neighbor's for shelter and then the company drove rapidly to give the alarm. The department were soon on the spot and the flames speedily extinguished. The origin of the fire is a mystery, it occurring in the north end of the building which was unoccupied. Whether there was any insurance we are unable to learn.

Receiver's Sale.

—The stock, fixtures and book accounts of the druggist firm of Baker & Hall will be exposed for sale at public auction on the 6th day of Febauary, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the store lately occupied by said firm at Tecumseh. Terms cash.

E. J. SHEPHERD,
Receiver

—Auction at Mills block starts tomorrow.

—Don't forget the auction commences at the Mills block tomorrow.

—Goods at your own price at the Mills block auction which commences tomorrow.

—Shingles for sale at cost. House to rent, $1.00 per week. Barnyard manure wanted. Potatoes for sale, 20 cents per bushel. A. W. SLAYTON.

Headquarters Beers Post No. 140.

Tecumseh, Mich., Jan. 18, '97.

Whereas, Comrade George Adamson, late of Co. A, 69th Ill. Inft., departed this life January 15th, 1897: Therefore,

Resolved: That in his death the Post has lost a genial comrade and the old flag a true friend, and that we extend to the bereaved friends our heartfelt sympathy.

J. M. INGERSOLL,
L. BAUER,
J. L. JACKSON,
Committee.

Leo Ada Snow.

Miss Leo Ada Snow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Snow, of this place, died at the home of her brother in Adrian January 18th, 1897. She was born in Adrian September 11th, 1866.

For some time her health has not been good but her friends did not anticipate serious trouble uptil four months ago when she went to Adrian to visit brother. While there she became seriously ill and was never able to return home.

The funeral service was held at the home of her brother and the remains were brought to Tecumseh for burial. She has left to mourn her loss her father and mother of this place, three sisters and two brothers, namely, Mrs. A. F. Maxwell, of Chicago, Mrs. Charles Hendryx, of Franklin, Mrs. Fred Clark and Fred Snow, of Adrian, and John Snow of this place.

Pioneer Gone.

David VanTyne was one of the oldest Tecumseh's citizens, who for many years was prominently identified with the business interests of the community, a man of sterling integrity and unquestioned honor, one of the charter members of St. Peter's church and a valued member of the vestry until the infirmities of age compelled his retirement from the work, one who was familiar to and respected by every man, woman and child in the village. In the fall he fell and hurt his hip and while in a sense he recovered from the injury, he never overcame the shock to his system. For the past few weeks he rapidly grew weaker and death came to his release Sunday morning January 24th. The funeral was held at the home in Brownville Tuesday afternoon attended by Rev. W. R. Blachford. He was nearly 85 years old. A suitable sketch will appear in next week's HERALD.

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If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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SAVED FROM DROWNING.

The Heroism of a Miller in Rescuing a Little Girl.

The brave work of a miller in saving a little girl from drowning is described by the Indianapolis Journal. The mill-owner and his wife, it appears, had gone to the city, leaving an eight-year-old girl at home. With other children she went down to the mill to play, and by some accident fell into the sluice which feeds the turbine wheel.

The head miller heard a scream, and not knowing what had happened, applied a brake and stopped the machinery. Then he ran out, found the little girl just disappearing under the water, and in he went after her.

Then he found himself in a hard place. The water was eight feet deep, and he was four feet below the top of the sluice, the sides of which were as smooth as a polished floor. The girl was unconscious. How was he to get her out?

It took one hand to hold her head above water, and the other to keep himself from sinking. He must try to throw her out, and this, by a great effort, he did. But the rebound drove him under water and against the wheel, where he was in great danger of being caught and held. He came up again, however, and now a new difficulty confronted him. How was he to get out himself? He sank to the bottom, gave an upward spring, and as he came up half-blinded, succeeded in catching the top of the sluice. Then, by the greatest exertions, he drew himself out.

The girl was still unconscious, but by vigorous measures was at last revived.

The first nails were undoubtedly the sharp teeth of various animals; then, it is believed pointed fragments of flint followed. The first manufactured metal nails were of bronze. The nail with which Jael killed Sisera was a wooden tent-pin, probably pointed with iron. Bronze nails have been found in the Swiss lake dwellings, in several places in France and in the valley of the Nile.

WHAT SENATORS EAT.

Senator Allison Likes Pumpkin Pie and Pure Milk.

The Venerable Senator Morrill, of Vermont, Usually Lunches on Crackers and Milk—Senator Hill Has a Penchant for Big Oysters.

(Special Washington Letter.)

Now, while the rain and sleet are driving over the prairies, the snow settling on the mountains, and the north winds are blowing over the sunny south, the majority of our people will remain indoors the greater part of the time; for farm chores and village duties are not very pleasant in winter time.

While the blizzards are blowing it is pleasant for the farmers to remain inside the house, with plenty of fuel, plenty of food, and plenty of time to rest. The cattle being safely covered and screened, with ample food in reach, the farmer needs not worry, but can philosophically smile at the elements and say:

Laugh, and the world laughs with you,
Weep, and you weep alone.
This grand old earth must borrow its mirth
It has troubles enough of its own.

But the successful farmer is not the citizen who laughs last, or best, or loudest. In this chill winter weather nobody enjoys life more than the average statesman in the national capitol. They are all alike in their pride, pomp, purse and purposes; and a majority of them are alike in their gustatory desires and the gratification thereof. "Put a knife to thy throat if thou be a man given to appetite," said Solomon. Some of the people who live in this year of grace do not think the advice good. Neither suicide nor eating with a knife is good form in these days. It must be evident even to the casual visitor at the senate restaurant that the wise man was not addressing his remarks to United States senators. No self-respecting senator ever allows his knife to get within a foot of his jugular. Members of the house may, perhaps, elevate their pork and beans to the mouth level without the assistance of a fork, but the dignified senator never permits the glittering steel greater altitude than the third button on his vest. The day for eating with your knife was cut short by that happy invention, the four-pronged fork.

During the sessions of congress there are thousands of people passing through the capitol building every day, and they manifest the popular interest in senators by seeking them, and prying into their methods of living. They occupy the senate floor until removed by the opening of the session and the energy of

PUMPKIN PIE AND MILK FOR ALLISON.

several employes; they survey senators from the galleries and criticise their respective and generally respectable appearance; they peep through half-opened committee-room doors and reach the apex of the tourist's bliss when they behold a senator engaged in the consumption of food.

"He's eatin' raw oysters," said a stranger to his wife the other day. The couple had, from afar, followed one of the senators who represent their state to the senate restaurant. The male tourist watched the alleged legislator commence feeding and then reported to the waiting but equally curious female.

The senate restaurant is an interesting place. Men sometimes succeed in concealing their characters behind screens of reputation; but they cannot continually and successfully disguise their appetites. The man who loves to eat must fail to hide his affection, just as he who cares but little for the good things of life must surely display his disdain for matters stomachic.

If there is such a thing as a lobbyist outside of the senate he can be found in the restaurant somewhere between 12 o'clock meridian and four p. m.; a clever argument has no such support as that which springs from a cleverly cooked and artistically served meal, and the average human tongue wags more freely in response to the gurgling caresses of free liquor than it would in direct return for hard cash—besides, many a man will unconsciously swallow such bait who would spurn the largest bribe ever offered outside of a New York board of aldermen.

For three hours every afternoon the waiters in the senate restaurant are kept very busy, and it is almost impossible for the cooks in the basement to keep pace with the orders which are shouted to them.

One large room is given up to the public, but two small rooms are reserved for the senators and their families. During the past year these private rooms have been invaded by members of the house of representatives, thereby disturbing the dignity and destroying the privacy of the senators. But these representatives of the people cannot be ordered out without a public scandal, and some time this session one of the committee-rooms will be set aside for the senators. They are seclusive and recluisive, are these senators; and when they are compelled to come into contact with common people in public places in Washington, they do not like it. That is a rather sweeping assertion, but it is a fact that some senators, and many of them, too, are senatorially sensitive in Washington, although they may be exceedingly affable to their neighbors and friends in their several states.

Many people wonder what the senators eat. Well, they eat just as you and I and all the rest of us eat, and they take the same food. Only a few of them call for terrapin and champagne. They want first-class roast beef, and very rare, too. They want the best of meats, and some of them are very fond of fish and game; but the majority of them take oysters in some form for their lunch.

Senator Allison, of Iowa, likes pumpkin pie and a glass of milk. Senator Morrill, of Vermont, now 87 years old, likes crackers crumbled into a bowl of milk. The best feeders in the senate used to be Senators Manderson and Paddock; but they are no longer in public life; Senator Joe Blackburn, of Kentucky, is a royal entertainer, and his

BIG RAWS FOR SENATOR HILL.

term expires in March. Senator Davis, of Minnesota, to-day mixed up some stewed potatoes and stewed codfish and ate a whole plate full, with the appetite of a schoolboy. Senator Vest, of Missouri, is fond of broiled lobster; and so is Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania.

Senator Pettigrew, of South Dakota, likes a hearty meal at midday here, just as he does at home. The majority of the statesmen have only light lunches between noon and two o'clock. The principal meal in Washington is eaten between five o'clock and seven in the evening, and it is called "dinner."

Senator Sherman, of Ohio, is a very light eater. He likes a rare oyster stew, a small cut of beef and a piece of apple pie. Senator Morgan, of Alabama, whose life was despaired of last spring, is a very large man, but he satisfies his appetite with an apple or two.

Senator Allen, of Nebraska, the populist statesman who spoke continuously for 15 hours on the silver purchase repeal bill, is a man of giant frame. He is a splendid specimen of physical manhood. His splendid physique requires ample renewal of strength; so he is a hearty eater, but not given to indulgence in fancy dishes. A man may be sensibly a consumer of much food, and yet not be a gourmand.

Senator Hill is shamefully seclusive in his habits. He is a bachelor. All bachelors are selfish. They never learn to take off their shoes at night and put them in their proper place, nor to put their clothes on a particular chair before they retire. Only the married men learn the Scripture, which saith: "No man liveth unto himself." The bachelors think only of themselves. The married men must think of others, or be compelled to think of others.

Senator Hill is a bachelor, lives in his own private apartments and has his meals served in his rooms. I lived with him in a prominent hotel in Washington for six months and never saw him take a single meal. Everything that he ate was served in his own private dining-room. But shortly after one o'clock every afternoon he walks briskly into the senate restaurant, and George, his regular colored waiter, rushes to the dumb waiter and shouts to the cooks: "Half a dozen big raw for Senator Hill." Almost instantly the oysters are served, and then the waiter goes and shouts: "Hot chicken soup, quick, for Senator Hill," and by the time the oysters are consumed the soup is on the table. In a jiffy the simple meal is eaten, and very soon thereafter Senator Hill is on the floor of the senate, defending the administration.

That is the way the statesmen eat. That is the way they are served. Public interest in them would be less but for the fact that "distance lends enchantment to the view." We who live here in Washington care less about the way these distinguished men eat, sleep and drink than the way they legislate. People at a distance want to know how they perform little acts of daily routine, but we who watch them closely are constantly wondering how they will vote on certain bills of national importance. No man is a great man to his valet, and no man is a great man to the men of experience in the national capital; for, after all, they are simply of the people, from the people and like the people. You are as good a man as any member of congress, and so is your neighbor.

SMITH D. FRY.

Brides to Appear in Colors.

It is rumored, but the rumor is one scarcely to be believed, that the traditional white satin of the usual bridal garment is to be ousted in favor of colored robes that are supposed to be more becoming to everyday womanhood. Certain it is that several fashionable marriages have been recorded of late in which sacrificial white has not played a part. Nevertheless some of us are old-fashioned enough to regret its absence, and more than one prospective bride has blushingly confessed that she would feel defrauded if not wedded in white satin and orange blossoms.—St. Louis Republic.

How She Did It.

Robby—How did the Sphinx get the credit of being so wise, papa?

Mr. Knowin—By keeping her mouth shut for 3,000 years.—N. Y. Tribune.

INTERESTING FACTS.

Bits of Information from Various Localities in Michigan.

A number of buyers of elm logs are on hand in Benzie county and the price of the logs is going up in consequence of the demand.

George W. Simmons, of Constantine, died Wednesday, aged 73 years. He had been constable and deputy sheriff for 30 years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, an aged couple of Sunfield, died within five hours of each other, Wednesday, of general debility.

Maria H. Greenley, of Adrian, widow of ex-Gov. William L. Greenley, died in Washington, D. C., Wednesday morning, aged 75 years.

Mrs. Meddard Breaudry, of Newport, died Wednesday, aged 89 years. She had lived over 30 years upon the farm on which she died.

The Grand Rapids board of trade has decided to ask the legislature for an act renewing the permission of two years ago for the city to issue $100,000 bonds for river improvement.

The officials of the Mackinac division of the Michigan Central railroad are considering the advisability of extending their line to Duncan City. The extension will cost about $30,000.

Mrs. Margaret Thick has commenced a suit for damages in the circuit court against the City Electric Railway company, of Port Huron, for the death of her 13-year-old son, who was killed by a motor car a short time ago.

One thousand emigrants — mostly Germans and Russians—arrive in Port Huron every week, some with money, and more without. About one-eighth of all who enter the United States come in by way of Port Huron.

The Marinette & Menominee Paper company will build a $50,000 sulphate mill at Menominee, this year, which will be one of the best paper manufacturing plants in the west. The company is running all its mills at full blast.

FORTUNE OF A FARMER.

Thomas Hull, of Ludington, Inherits $50,000 a Year.

Ludington, Jan. 24.—The story of Thomas Hull's good fortune is attracting much attention. His father and mother separated in Chicago 28 years ago. The father died soon afterward, and the mother went to New York city, where, five years ago, she left a fortune of $2,000,000 made by real estate speculation. The other children were easily found. A Chicago lawyer learned from an old letter that the father had left his boy here, and by means of a birthmark Hall was identified. His share is about $50,000 a year. He is a farmer, and had never heard of his father and mother.

COLDEST EVER KNOWN.

Mercury Drops to Twenty Below Zero at Detroit.

Detroit, Jan. 26.—The last 24 hours has been the coldest ever known in Michigan, and at points in the state the mercury has registered 24 degrees below zero. In Detroit the mercury marked 20 degrees below at the Michigan Central slip dock, on the Detroit river, and at St. Clair the river was entirely choked by ice, and showed 24 degrees below zero. From all over the state came reports of extremely cold weather. The below-zero temperature at various points was as follows: Flisfield, 24; Jackson, 17; Decatur 16; Bay City, 14; Kalamazoo, 11; Lansing, 11; Grand Rapids, 8; Saginaw, 8.

Rev. Anthony Bogacki Was Arrested on Charge of Assault.

Bay City, Jan. 27.—Rev. Anthony Bogacki, the priest of St. Stanislaus parish, who was arrested on January 8 on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder, waived further examination in the police court Tuesday morning and was held for trial, giving bonds of $1,000. His attorney informed the court that it had got so that the witnesses for the prosecution would all swear to the same thing. He considered it useless to proceed. The church premises are still in possession of an armed committee of 20 men.

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He Couldn't Spell Osawatomie Nor Could the Stenographer.

A short man, with red whiskers, shambling gait, and the remains of a jag, wandered into the Midland the other evening, and asked for a typewriter's studio, says the Kansas City Journal. He lives in Kansas, not far from Topeka, and had been here attending the football games. Luck had walked on the same side of the street with him in the matter of bets, and he wanted to stay another week. But his wife expected him home, so he was in search of a typewriter to send home a letter to serve as an apology for his nonappearance.

"Kansas City, this date, 96," he muttered to the typewritist.

"I have that."

"My dear wife."

"Yes."

"Very important business will require my presence in Osawatomie for a few days—"

"Let's see," interrupted the artist. "How do you spell that Osawatomie?"

"Spell it yourself. It's your typewriter."

"I can't."

"Can't spell Osawatomie?" he asked in disgust.

"No."

"Then I'll go to Fort Scott."

Death of Two Men in the Woods Near Huron Bay—A Third Is Injured.

Marquette, Jan. 25.—Two men were instantly killed and a third fatally wounded in an accident that occurred Friday in the lumber woods near Huron Bay. The location is out of the line of travel, and the news reached here Sunday. The killed are Joseph Martin and a man named Ford. Patrick Donahue was wounded. The men were returning to camp in a blinding snow shortly before dinner. A tree fell on the men, killing the first two outright and horribly mangling Donahue.

Valuable Bed of Clay Found.

Menominee, Jan. 27.—Edward Ganyou, of this city, and a Mr. Hebert, of Marinette, lately discovered a ten-acre bed of clay resembling koaline, which is unexcelled for polishing purposes. The deposit is from four to five feet thick, covered with a foot of muck, and is located about 12 miles from Lena, on the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul in Marinette county. They made the discovery while engaged in land-looking, and immediately bought the tract of two forties. They have received several liberal offers for the property.

Horses Fall Dead from Cold.

Sturgis, Mich., Jan. 27.—E. L. Parker, of Orland, Ind., lost a team in a peculiar manner. He drove a traveling man from Orland to Burr Oak, to make a train. He drove fast, and when within two miles of his destination, one horse fell dead. Before the harness could be removed the other horse fell dead also. The zero weather had congested the lungs, causing death.

Accidentally Killed.

Benton Harbor, Jan. 22. — Samuel Shoop was killed by a bullet from his own gun while hunting rabbits.

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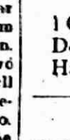

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RAIL ROAD TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line.

To take Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

8 Atlantic Express	5:24 a. m.
2 New York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
6 Detroit Accommodation	8:48 p. m
4 New York Express	9:37 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

5 Pacific Express	1:10 a. m.
7 Ashley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
9 Chicago Limited	3:13 p. m
3 St. Louis Express	5:15 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 341 Accom
Napoleon Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P M
Norvell	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Manhester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 08 "
Adrian ..... Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 3 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 35 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 340 Accom
Detroit	.....	6 20 P.M	.....
Toledo	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 09 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
Norvell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Napoleon	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
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Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

No. 21,	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 22,	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
No. 26,	Local Freight	10:54 a m.

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HORTICULTURE.

STORING IN TRENCHES.

How Many Kalamazoo Growers Keep Celery Through Winter.

We do not advise keeping celery for winter use other than by means of cold storage, but it is done by some of our growers by placing it in trenches. This is the method in use in Kalamazoo, and while it has the advantage of prolonging our season, it will not, in the course of two or three years, be practicable, as the California, Utah and Florida stock will be more plentiful, and ours, though well blanched, sweet and tender, will not be able to compete with it in fancy markets on account of its size and ragged tops. The celery, when placed in the trenches, has to live on something, and, having lost most of its roots, it is not able to draw its food from the ground. The heart, therefore, grows at the expense of the outside stalks, and, instead of the head becoming larger, it grows smaller.

The celery for the trenches is cut from the row, after having been banked for about a week. It is quite green and the heart growth has just fairly commenced. It is taken up with a spade, allowing three or four inches of the tap root to remain on it. The trenches are, in reality, not dug into the ground, but are built on top of it. To do this, blanching boards have stakes nailed on to the sides, and are by means of these made to stand up, about ten inches apart. The ground should be dry and level. When these boards are in place, the celery, after having the outside dead stalk removed, is stood up between these boards, being packed fairly tight, care being taken not to bend the stalks. When two or three board lengths have thus been filled, the earth is drawn up

STORING CELERY FOR WINTER.

against the boards and packed there. See cut. Should the celery be taller than the boards they are pried up with a shovel until their tops are even with those of the celery, and more earth is drawn up. If the weather is not too cold, they are allowed to remain this way until it becomes colder, and then the earth is pressed firmly over the tops until there is finally left an opening not more than three or four inches wide. This is sometimes covered over with a blanching board at night and opened in the day time, thus saving the tops to a certain extent. Frost may be removed by sprinkling dry muck over the tops. See the lower part of cut.

The length of time that it will keep this way depends upon the weather, how well blanched it is when put in, and the variety. Continuous cold weather is the most favorable, for it does not allow it to grow very rapidly, and the tops rot less. In this latitude, it is put in from October 1 to 15. Our main variety for winter and fall use is Perfection Heartwell. In warm weather holes are made in the sides of the trenches near the bottom, to allow the air to circulate through the celery. This is the best method that we know of, although I can say, from personal experience, that it is not economical if a fair or even a low price can be had for it directly from the field.—Fred S. Johnson, in Rural New Yorker.

PLANTING IN SPRING.

A Task Which Requires Some Care and Considerable Judgment.

One of the most serious objections to spring planting is that if the trees are to come from the nursery they will make the planting late. This may be obviated by securing the trees in the fall and heeling them in. Then they are at hand ready for planting when wanted. The ground can be plowed, manured and staked out during the winter, and this will be another help in getting the planting done early. So far as is possible the planting should be done as early as the condition of the soil will admit. While early planting is advisable, there is no advantage in attempting to set out trees unless the soil is in a good condition, as one item in securing a good growth is to have the work of planting properly done. The advantage in early planting is the longer time for growth before hot, dry weather sets in, and for the soil to get well settled around the roots.

A safe rule is to set as deep as the trees grew in the nursery, to have the holes large enough to admit all of the roots without bending or twisting. The dead and injured roots should all be cut off, always making a smooth, slanting cut; and then the top should always be cut back in proportion to the roots. The soil should be thoroughly fined, and if manure is to be applied it should be well rotted and thoroughly incorporated with the soil.

It is a very good plan to scatter the manure in the bottom of the hole or place prepared for the tree and then set the tree in it. Fill in the soil carefully around the roots, as it is an important item to have the roots and soil come in close contact, and in many cases it will pay after the roots are covered to tramp the soil down well. Care must always be taken to keep the roots moist while transplanting, as the drying of the roots and the failure to have the roots and soil come in close contact cause more loss than any other causes. —N. J. Shepherd, in Farmers' Voice.

APPLES FOR EXPORT.

Valuable Information Supplied by the Department of Agriculture.

The report of Secretary Morton, of the agricultural bureau, gives some valuable information to growers who intend shipping apples to Europe, and especially to English markets. The season begins in August, when the domestic crops come into the market, and apples bring comparatively low prices. An occasional large crop in Spain or Portugal may result in shipments to England in August and September, but usually the supplies are confined to the home product. The bulk of English apples, an average year, bring about $1 to $1.75 per 112 pounds, but superior kinds fetch much higher prices. Ordinarily, they are seen in the market up to the end of January. This year the crop was deficient, and was practically used up early in October, and the market left clear for American and Canadian fruit, which is practically all that is available. Our early shipments did not fairly represent us, and brought low prices. Our European agent has heard complaint of a decrease in the size of the barrel, which usually netted rather less than 100 pounds each; this should not be, it is a mistake which must be avoided. Canadian barrels weigh from 130 to 140 pounds. When our shippers see Canadian Baldwins quoted at from $2 to $2.50 per barrel, this difference in weight will account for it, and is no evidence of superior quality on the part of Canadian fruit.

The bulk of the shipment consists of Baldwins, Northern Spy and Greenings; our Baldwins are finer than Canadian, but are not such "good keepers." They range from $2.50 to $3.50 for Canadian barrels, and $2 to $2.75 for American barrels, but it is thought that these prices can hardly be maintained on account of the large Canadian and American crops. Greenings must be large, as they are used for "dumplings;" small samples would easily fall off a dollar a barrel, and make the shipment unremunerative. Northern Spys bring about the same price as Baldwins.

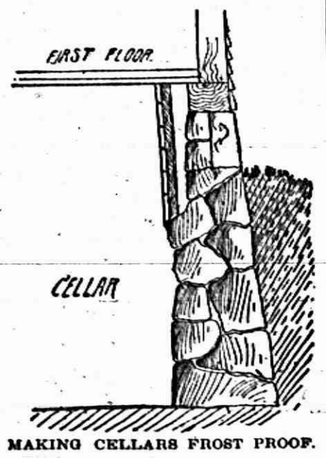
Freights to London, Liverpool, Glasgow or Bristol (all of them good apple markets) are approximately $1 a barrel, and all charges, including salesman, commission, would be covered by 25 cents. Apples are sold at auction, cash on delivery; if the auctioneer gives credit, it is at his own risk. The addresses of responsible consignees in the principal shipping ports in England can be obtained through the agricultural department, at Washington.

Any apples of good color and size will sell in England, but it costs no more to send the best than the medium quality, and the return is better. "If you discard a shilling's worth in packing, you may better your price two shillings," is the saying of a London broker. Fruit should be packed so that it cannot rattle; if it does, it will reduce value considerably, even though it might be uninjured.

FROST-PROOF CELLARS.

To Be Secured at a Small Expense of Time and Money.

Many old cellars are not so proof against frosts as to make the storing of fruit in them an entirely safe matter. A low temperature is certainly needed to keep fruit in the best condition, but the possibility of the mercury falling



MAKING CELLARS FROST PROOF.

below the safety point during a cold snap is a factor to be guarded against. A cellar can be made frost-proof by laying a single wall of brick inside the underpinning, leaving an air space between the bricks and the outer wall, but this is somewhat expensive. An easier and cheaper way is to put up some short studs just inside the underpinning, and to nail upon these thin matched boards, down to a point a little below the ground on the outside of the cellar wall, leaving an air space as shown in the illustration. Fruit will then be out of danger from low temperature outside.—American Gardening.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Young fruit trees must have good care to grow well.

When crops are grown in the orchard be sure to manure it.

Thorough pruning is a prerequisite to successful spraying.

Improve the farm by setting out good fruit trees and taking care of them.

Do not allow too many new plants among the blackberries and raspberries.

Rhubarb, asparagus, strawberries, gooseberries and currants should be in every garden.

If the vines or canes are too thick in the rows the fruit will be small and of an inferior quality.

Thick planting of trees is as much against production as is crowding of plants in the garden.

The best remedy for an orange rust on raspberries is to dig out every affected cane and burn it.

So far as possible leave nothing on the ground in the orchard that will afford a harboring place for insect pests during the winter.—St. Louis Republic.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Charlotte Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 21, 1892 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 , in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 186,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 58-100 dollars ($1,457 58) and no proceedings at law or in eq ity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the money above mentioned [illegible] at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running west on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet; thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 8th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886 Samuel Larzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty-four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS. Mortgagee.

G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5, of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumberences by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 3, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 8, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 58 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

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Dated January 8, 1897.

CLARIBEL PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the former residence, of Alvinza Whelan in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 12th day of February 1897 and on the 5th day of June 1897 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of January A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 11, 1897.

W. A. BEEBE
JOHN BURTLESS,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30 1893, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 139 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 5th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

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Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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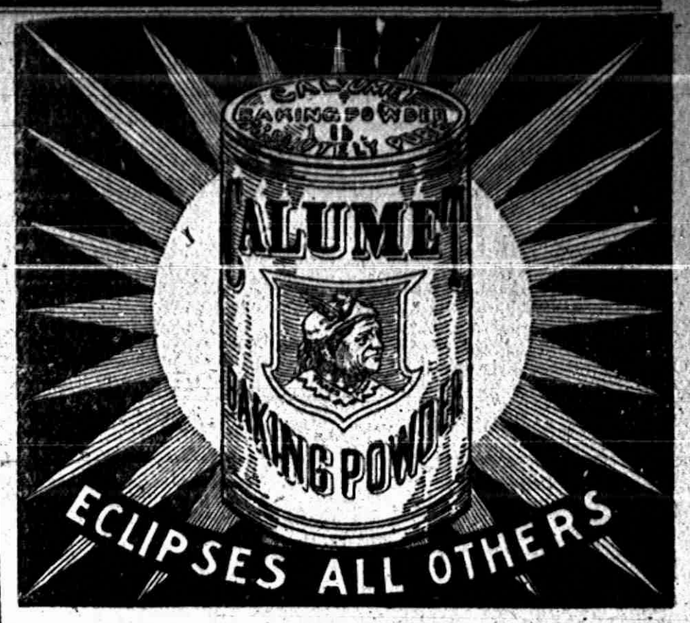

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RECESS WOULD HAVE SAVED CASH.

They Voted Against Taking a Ten Days' Adjournment—Efforts to Have the Law Providing for Collection and Publication of Farm Statistics Repealed—Other Interesting News from the State Capital.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 26.—For a legislature made up of men who, regardless of party, were required to make their canvass on a platform of economy and reform, it must be confessed that the present body of lawmakers has accomplished less during the first three weeks of its session than of its predecessors for many years. Your correspondent has been quite closely associated with the legislatures of Michigan for the past ten years, and his opinion on this subject has the indorsement of Chief Clerk Miller and Journal Clerk Cook of the lower house, who have been connected officially with that body for the past quarter of a century. Speaker Gordon is of the opinion that the lack of progress this year is due to the fact that the passage of the blanket charter for the fifty or more cities of the fourth class two years ago has shut off the great mass of local bills and charter tinkering which occupied previous legislatures for the first few weeks of the session, it being necessary, in most cases, to get this class of legislation out of the way so that action could be taken thereunder at the April election. Other legislators profess to believe that the delay is due to a disposition to wait until Governor Pingree shows his hand more extensively than he has thus far done in the matter of legislation. Affairs in Detroit have occupied the governor's attention to such an extent since his inauguration that he has not devoted much attention to the legislature, although, so far as the daily observer is able to judge, he has given it all the attention its work has demanded.

Claim That Is Hardly Tenable.

The claim that legislators are waiting to see what legislation the governor will have introduced is hardly tenable, for the reason that several of the most important matters which he recommended in his inaugural message have already been introduced in the shape of bills and are ready for consideration by the committees, but the committees do not show any marked disposition to work. The bill to prevent stock watering, the income tax bill, the measure to require railroad companies to grant a uniform passenger rate of 2 cents per mile in the lower peninsula, and bills to reduce upper peninsula fares from 4 to 3 cents per mile, to increase the specific tax paid by railroads ½ of 1 per cent, thereby increasing the annual revenue of the state from this source about $125,000 per annum, to make stockholders who lend their names to corporations simply to give the latter credit liable for the debts of the corporation, and to make it unlawful to enter into any combine, trust, agreement or contract designed to lessen competition in mercantile trade or manufacturing are all Pingree measures, and all of them have been duly started on their way through the legislative hopper.

Experience of legislators and officials are all agreed that it would have been considerable money in the taxpayer's pockets if both houses had adjourned for ten days, so that all the committees could have visited the state institutions at the same time. This opinion is expressed with full knowledge of the fact that nine-tenths of the taxpayers take a contrary view of the matter. In fact, had it not been for the fear of their constituents a majority of the members of the lower house would have voted in concurring in the action of the senate in this regard.

Constituents Could Not See It.

Several of the holdover members freely said that they knew that a recess would be an economical measure, but they voted against the resolution because, as they said, they could never get their constituents to see the case in that light. The last time no such recess was taken was in 1891, and that year the session lasted until July 4, and was the longest session in the history of the state. The house has been plugging slowly along doing little or nothing, and whatever it has accomplished has been simply piled up awaiting the return of the senators, who have purposely absented themselves so that the upper house has been without a quorum. Without nearly simultaneous concurrent action by the two houses no progress can be made in the matter of legislation, and the result will be that the house will have to dally along for a week while the senate is disposing of the matters it has been dallying with.

The most persistent effort thus far put forth in the matter of legislation is in the direction of the repeal of the law providing for the collection and publication of farm statistics. The house is being flooded with petitions on this subject, all of them having been circulated from a central point, as the heading of each is printed in the same type and couched in the same language. At first the supporters of the bill said the repeal of the law was desired because of the great expense attached to the publication, but this was exploded by the statement of the secretary of state, in response to a resolution of the house, that the anpual cost is less than $4,500. Another reason advanced is that the only persons who profit by the information are the commission merchants and grain dealers, who use it to the detriment of the farmer, taking advantage of the knowledge thus gained to manipulate the market. However this may be, the fact is that the publication of the statistics was instituted for the purpose of putting the farmer on the same level with the dealer in this regard, the fact being that the dealers make investigations on their own hook, constantly keeping agents in the field for this very purpose. Without these statistics the farmer would have no knowledge of the situation whatever, while the dealer would be just as fully informed as he is now. If the farmers consult their own interests they will see to it that the law is not repealed.

For the first time in the history of the state a colored boy has been appointed page in the Michigan legislature. His name is Dickinson, and he is a son of the only colored member of the legislature, who hails from Detroit. Not much of the reform so much talked about during the campaign has characterized the actions of the legislators thus far in the session. Some of the members were disposed to cut down the number of employes when the legislature first convened, but Speaker Gordon advised them to retain the number, and, if economy was their object, to reduce the pay. Having appointed the usual number, if not a few more, no one need expect the salaries to be cut for the very good reason that so many of the members have relatives in the different branches of the service.

Sure to Bring Out Protests.

A bill of considerable importance, and one which is sure to bring out numerous protests, is one introduced by Representative Fleischauer of Reed City, proposing an amendment to the law relative to game wardens. Under the existing laws these wardens have power to make arrests on their own complaints, or rather to have arrests made on their own complaints, it being the duty of magistrates to issue warrants in such cases. The bill proposes to curtail this power by making it necessary to secure the approval of the prosecuting attorney before the warrant can be issued. There is no doubt that State Game Warden Osborn will oppose this measure, for as a rule prosecuting attorneys are loth to conduct cases for the people even after complaints and arrests have been made for violations of the fish and game laws, and in several instances it has been necessary for the attorney general to conduct prosecutions owing to the lack of interest taken by the county prosecutors. Those who are interested in the stringent enforcement of these laws believe that the passage of the Fleischauer bill would amount to a practical nullification of all the game laws, as it would be next to impossible to secure the arrest of violators.

A very interesting case is now before the supreme court, and an opinion is expected within a fortnight. The decision will be of interest to the people of the state generally as it involves the question of the right of a municipality to pay a bonus for the location of a manufacturing institution. It appears that the city of Corunna agreed to pay D. R. Salsbury several thousand dollars for locating a shoe factory there. Salsbury carried out his agreement, but Marcus Wilcox, an extensive property owner, secured from the circuit court an injunction restraining the city from paying the money.

Opinion Awaited With Interest.

A hearing was had and the injunction was dissolved. Wilcox then appealed to the supreme court and the case was argued and submitted a fortnight ago. This question has never been passed upon by the court of last resort in this state, and the opinion is being awaited with much interest. The claim is that it is illegal for a city to make such an appropriation of public funds.

It is probable that the law regulating the examination of candidates for admission to the bar will be amended in one or two important particulars this winter. This, by the way, is one of the very best enactments of the last legislature. It is a much more difficult matter for candidates to get the approval of the state board of examiners than of the old examiners appointed by the various circuit courts as was the custom under the old system. Under the old law the preceptor and one or two friends of the candidate usually constituted the examining committee in the circuit court, and the occasions when a candidate failed to pass were very rare. Now most of the candidates are rejected, and the result has been to materially raise the standard. Every person desiring admission has to be examined by this board, the only exception being in the case of graduates of the university who are admitted on their diplomas. It is now proposed, and the board sanctions the idea, to bring these graduates under the operation of the law and require them to stand examination also. A bill already introduced proposes an amendment permitting persons who have served as county clerks for four years to be eligible to examination, even though they have not been connected with the office of some reputable attorney for two years as is now required, the idea being that county clerks have exceptionable opportunities for studying law which should be equal to the two years' experience in a law office. The tendency, however, is so strongly in favor of making it harder for one to gain admission to the bar that it is not believed that the bill will pass.

Scheme of the State Treasurer.

State Treasurer Steel's scheme of having the state go into the banking business so far as the numerous state institutions are concerned has come in for considerable discussion. There is quite a difference of opinion as to the desirability of the plan. When he first took hold of the office Treasurer Steel decided to make a rule requiring the treasurer of each institution, upon receiving a warrant from the auditor general, to deposit the amount of the warrant in the state treasury and check it out of that depository instead of taking it to his home and depositing it with one of the banks there. For convenience sake the treasurer of each of these boards is the resident member of the board or some other citizen of the place in which the institution is located. Investigation convinced the state treasurer, however, that he had no authority to make the contemplated order, the law prescribing that, upon the presentation to him of the auditor general's warrant, he shall pay the amount thereof to the treasurer to whom it is drawn, leaving it entirely beyond his province to say where that person shall deposit it. It is now his purpose to ask the legislature to enact a law requiring this money to be deposited here. In support of his proposition he argues that with the money in the state treasury it would not be necessary for the state to borrow money to help out when taxes are delayed, as is now necessary to do occasionally. This would result in the saving of the money now paid for interest.

On the other hand it is contended that the state has no business to engage in the banking business, such functions being contrary to the genius of our institutions; that each of the state institutions draws so many checks during the month that it would require a couple of extra clerks in the state treasury to handle the new department, so that the expense would more than offset the saving in interest; and finally that the fact that this money is distributed in banks all over the state is of vast benefit to these localities.

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THE NEW CABINET.

President-Elect McKinley Has the Places Nearly Filled.

Names of Those Who Will Occupy Distinguished Positions — Only One More Place Is Left to Be Filled.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—Friday was Maj. McKinley's birthday, and he celebrated it by tendering the portfolio of war to Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, who accepted it with cheerful alacrity. Gen. Alger authorized the press to say that he had accepted the portfolio of war.

Russell A. Alger's Career.

[Gen. Russell A. Alger was born in Lafayette township, Medina county, O., February 27, 1836. His grandfather served in the revolutionary war and claimed descent from William the Conqueror. When 11 years of age both his parents died. For the next seven years he worked on a farm, earning money to defray his expenses at the Richfield (O.) academy during the winters. Subsequently he taught school, and in March, 1857, entered a law office in Akron. Two years later he was admitted to the bar. He entered the law office of Otis & Coffinbury in Cleveland, but abandoned the practice of law the following autumn on account of failing health and moved to Grand Rapids, Mich., where he engaged in the lumber business, and where, in 1861, he married Annette H. Henry.

In 1861 Alger enlisted in the Second Michigan cavalry and was made captain of Company C. He was wounded in the battle of Booneville, Miss. Owing to his part in

GEN. RUSSELL A. ALGER.

this engagement he was promoted to the rank of major. In 1862 he became lieutenant colonel of the Sixth Michigan cavalry, and in 1863 was made colonel of the Fifth Michigan cavalry, his regiment being in Custer's famous brigade. In 1864 his health induced him to retire from the service. He was brevetted brigadier and major general "for gallant and meritorious services," and was on private service in 1863-64, receiving orders personally from President Lincoln. In 1865 he removed to Detroit, where he has since been extensively engaged in the lumber and pine land business.

Gen. Alger was elected Governor of Michigan in 1884, receiving a plurality of 3,950 votes over Begole (fusionist). His administration of state affairs was considered highly successful. In 1888 he was one of the leading candidates for the republican nomination for president. The acrimony which developed between the Alger workers and those of Senator Sherman, who was also a candidate, was intense and the breach of friendship caused thereby between the general and senator is believed to have only recently been healed. Gen. Alger served one term as commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

WILSON, OF IOWA.

The Ex-Congressman Will Be the Secretary of Agriculture.

Washington, Feb. 2. — Ex-Congressman James Wilson, of Iowa, has accepted the office of secretary of agriculture in President McKinley's cabinet. Senator Allison received a telegram from Mr. Wilson saying he had accepted.

Mr. Wilson is a native of Scotland, and will be the only person of alien

HON. JAMES WILSON, OF IOWA.

birth in the cabinet. He is 52 years old, and has been regent of the Iowa university and president of the Iowa State Agricultural society. He was a member of the Forty-third, Forty-fourth and Forty-eighth congresses.

NEARLY COMPLETE.

Offices of Postmaster-General and Attorney-General to Be Filled.

Canton, O., Feb. 2.—The announcement made by Hon. James S. Wilson, of Iowa, that he had been tendered the portfolio of agriculture by Maj. McKinley and had accepted, fills the cabinet with reasonable certainty, excepting the offices of attorney-general and postmaster-general. The McKinley cabinet to date, therefore, may be given as follows:

Secretary of State—Sherman, of Ohio.

Secretary of the Treasury—Gage, of Illinois.

Secretary of War—Alger, of Michigan.

Secretary of the Navy—Long, of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Interior—McKenna, of California.

Secretary of Agriculture—Wilson, of Iowa.

JOSEPH M'KENNA.

The California Judge Will Be the New Secretary of the Interior.

San Francisco, Feb. 3.—Judge Joseph McKenna, of Suisun, has been selected for secretary of the interior in President-elect McKinley's cabinet and he has accepted.

[Joseph McKenna is a native of Pennsylvania, having been born in Philadelphia August 10, 1843, and in 1855 removed with his parents to Benicia, Cal. He received a good education in the public schools of Philadelphia and at the Benicia Collegiate Institute, now St. Augustine college. Having studied law and graduated with honors he was admitted to the bar in 1865. In the following year he removed to Suisun, where he has since resided. In March, 1865, although only 22 years of age, he was elected district attorney of Solano county and discharged the duties of his office faithfully for two years. He served in the legislature

JOSEPH M'KENNA.

successful candidate for congress in 1876 and 1878. In 1884 he was nominated and elected to congress, and served with distinction in the Forty-ninth and Fiftieth congress. On February 11, 1892, he was appointed to fill the place left vacant by the death of United States Judge Sawyer.]

MAY CLAIM BIG TAXES.

Entire Capital Stock of Corporation May Be Assessed.

Washington, Feb. 2.— States have the constitutional right to tax the entire capital stock of interstate corporations doing business within their limits. This was the startling decision of the supreme court Monday in what is known as the Ohio and Indiana tax cases. There were three dissenting justices—Field, Harlan and White. The decision is a surprise to lawyers and will be the source of endless trouble to express, telegraph and telephone corporations.

It is one of the most important decisions rendered by the court in many years, as it not only involves grave constitutional questions, but will place interstate corporations at the mercy of state legislatures everywhere. Ten of these cases were brought by the officers of the Adams, American and United States Express companies. They were suits in equity to enjoin the assessment and collection of taxes under the acts of the general assembly of the state of Ohio, passed April 27, 1893, and May 10, 1894, for the taxation of express, telegraph and telephone companies, on the ground that the acts were in contravention of the constitutions of the state of Ohio and of the United States.

ECKELS' VIEWS.

He Thinks a Proper Banking System Would Cure Financial Ills.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The exchange of views between Comptroller Eckels and members of the banking and currency committee on the financial questions was continued Monday. Mr. Eckels expressed the opinion that the only way to solve the present financial condition would be through a proper banking bill.

A declaration by the comptroller that he believed the single gold standard essential to the prosperity of a great nation nearly precipitated a silver discussion, but the settlement of a question of order as to who was entitled to the floor occupied the remainder of the session, and at 3:10 the committee adjourned to meet again this morning, when the comptroller will be asked to discuss the several bills before the committee proposing general changes in the banking system.

CAPITOL BURNED.

The Historic State House of Pennsylvania Is in Ruins.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 3.—The Pennsylvania state capitol was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. The legislative halls are in ruins, and a new structure must rise from the ashes that has served as a meeting place of the Pennsylvania legislature since 1822. The flames within the short space of one hour ate up $1,500,000 worth of property.

The most valuable of the state and legislative records which were in the building were saved, but the records and statistics of the department of public instruction, which included much valuable information bearing upon the public schools of the state, were destroyed.

Lima, O., Feb. 2.—Charles Russell and his wife were cremated in their home at North Baltimore Monday. The house took fire on the inside and when the department arrived the building was too far gone to be saved. Mrs. Russell was burned to death in bed. Her husband got out of the house, but went back for her, when he was overcome and cremated beside her.

Paris, Feb. 2.—A report from Frouenfeld, Switzerland, announces the death at that place of M. Martini, the inventor of the Martini rifle.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The military academy appropriation bill was passed in the senate yesterday. Senator Sherman, in speaking on the Nicaragua canal bill declared that the government-al execution of the project was the only feasible one.

Washington, Jan. 29.—In the senate yesterday the bill for an international monetary conference was debated. Senator Chandler (N. H.) speaking in favor of it and Senator Stewart (Nev.) against. The nomination of William S. Forman as commissioner of internal revenue was confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 30.—By the decisive vote of 46 to 4 the senate yesterday passed the bill for the appointment of commissioners to an international monetary conference. A bill granting a pension of eight dollars a month to Mrs. Martha Frank, of Georgia, widow of a soldier of the Indian war of 1818, now 102½ years old, was also passed. The credentials of William E. Mason to be senator from Illinois for the term beginning March 4 next were received. Adjourned to February 1.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The Nicaragua canal bill occupied the attention of the senate most of the time yesterday, but no progress was made toward a final vote. The new treaty relative to the Alaskan boundary and the arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain were reported.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The feature of the senate yesterday was a very spirited debate on the conference report on the immigration bill, but no action was taken. A resolution was introduced providing that the United States should not permanently acquiesce in the single gold standard, and a bill was presented to increase the pensions of the survivors of the war of 1812 to $30 per month.

The House.

Washington, Jan. 28.—By a vote of 131 to 118 the house yesterday agreed to the conference report on the immigration bill. A favorable report was made on a bill to prohibit the employment of prison labor on government buildings.

Washington, Jan. 29.—In the house yesterday the Indian appropriation bill was passed and the agricultural appropriation bill was considered. During a speech Mr. Grosvenor (O.) attacked ex-Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, for charging that the last election was corrupt. The appropriation bill for the District of Columbia was reported.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The bill making appropriation for the military academy was sent to conference in the house yesterday, the agricultural bill was further considered, and a report providing for the incorporation of the purchasers of the Atlantic & Pacific railroad was rejected after an animated debate between Messrs. Powers, of Vermont, and Barrett, of Massachusetts.

Washington, Feb. 1.—In the house on Saturday, after a long discussion, the agricultural appropriation bill was passed; as were also several private bills. Mr. Cox (Tenn.) introduced a bill to appropriate $200,000 to reimburse confederate soldiers or their heirs for horses, baggage and side arms taken from Gen. Lee's officers and men by federal soldiers after the former had been paroled.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was further considered in the house yesterday and the following bills were passed: To prevent express companies from carrying obscene literature; to prevent trespassing upon national military parks, and providing that surgeons and assistant surgeons of soldiers' homes may be appointed from others than those disabled in the service of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 3.—In the house yesterday the whole time was devoted to debate on appropriation bills. The diplomatic and consular bill was passed. Resolutions arranging for the formal canvassing of the electoral vote of the last presidential election on Wednesday, February 10, were adopted.

Father's Terrible Deed.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 3.—A. W. Linderstrom, a farmer, living on Anderson's island, came home late at night and in a fit of anger took down a shotgun and blew out the brains of his five-year-old son. When he saw what he had accomplished he placed the muzzle of the gun to his head and blew out his brains. The trouble is said to have started from domestic causes.

To Prison for Life.

Akron, O., Feb. 2. — Romulus Cotell, who killed Alvin Stone and Wade and Ira Stillson at Talmadge last March, was allowed to plead guilty of murder in the second degree. Judge Kohler at once sentenced him to life imprisonment at hard labor. Cotell was found guilty in the first trial and was sentenced to hang November 6.

Seven Persons Cremated.

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 1.—A tenement house in this city was destroyed by fire and Mrs. Nellie Schroeder and her five children and Mabel Mangles perished in the flames. The father of the family, Charles Schroeder, was in a near-by saloon playing cards while his wife and children were dying.

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Clinton Column.

C. F. Field was in town Saturday.

Jas. Hamilton was in town the first of the week.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife spent Sunday in Clinton.

Harry Kies and wife, of Manchester, were in town Friday.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Horace Moulton is very ill, with little hope of his recovery.

C. W. Nase and wife visited Tecumseh Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jos. Cochran, of Ann Arbor, is visiting Clinton friends.

Ted Codling is working for the Clinton Provision Company.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lane, an 8 lb. girl, on Monday, Feb. 1st.

Geo. A. Kies came home Monday morning to remain a few weeks.

D. Woodward attended the Farmers' Institute at Adrian last Friday.

J. M. Blanchard, of Adrian, visited his son and family last Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner and Mrs. George Seagrave were Tecumseh visitors Saturday.

G. W. Goodrich has been suffering for the past week with neuralgia in his eyes.

Mrs. S. W. Demuth and Mrs. G. R. Wolf visited Jackson Thursday of last week.

Quite a number went from here to Tecumseh Monday night, to see the "Fast Mail."

Geo. Kishpaugh and wife, of Raisin Center, visited Clinton relatives last Saturday.

Frank Reidel moved his family and household goods to Bridgewater Station last week.

Mrs. E. L. Broadbent has been very seriously ill with lung trouble for the past week.

Mrs. J. V. Amspoker and Miss Eva Shireman were Tecumseh visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mingus and little daughter Mamie visited friends in Manchester Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. DuBois, of Britton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Will Hause.

Mrs. W. Broadbent who was reported quite sick is some better. Mrs. Ingham is taking care of her.

A. J. Allen and wife went to Charlotte Tuesday, to attend the State Dairymen's Institute.

L. J. Leek, who had been visiting his sister at Lansing for the past four weeks, returned home Friday.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin and son Frank, of Manchester, were guests of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Johnston, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gadd, Mrs. C. E. Corwin and W. H. Niblack attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Pennington at Macon, last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Wheeler, of Addison, who came here to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Jane McCook, has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Frank Marshall and Mrs. C. F. Larzelere.

Mesdames Abbie Fisher, John Hesson, Fred Montgomery, Essie Rowland, J. D. Shull and A. Millis, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. M. Ford, of Duluth, visited Mrs. E. S. Tate one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anglemire, daughter Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jacobs, the Misses Anna, Ella and Ida Jacobs, drove to Deerfield Sunday morning, all returning Sunday evening except Mr. and Mrs. C. Jacobs who expect to remain several weeks visiting their daughter, Mrs. Kirchgessner.

Quite an enthusiastic temperance meeting was held last Sunday evening at the Congregational church. After the usual opening service of singing, scripture, reading and prayer, Mr. S. E. Boys, a law student of Ann Arbor, delivered an address in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League, after which each of the pastors made a few remarks, showing the intense interest they feel in the work. Mr. Boys occupied the pulpit at the M. E. church, Sunday morning.

Eugene Smalley started Monday night for Brookfield, having been called there by the serious illness of his brother George.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lindsley, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh, Mrs. Hattie Johnston and Miss Laura Clark formed a jolly load going to Britton Tuesday afternoon. After enjoying a good warm dinner at six o'clock and a very pleasant evening with J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, they started for home, reaching here at about midnight.

FRANKLIN.

Lorenzo Billington drove to Manchester Friday.

Newell Wisner drove to Ann Arbor and back Monday.

E. J. Whelan will build a new house this coming summer.

George Taylor bought the grey team at the Taylor auction last week.

L. M. Waldron was doing some repair work in this vicinity last week.

Cecil Billington came home from Ypsilanti Friday, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner visited at Mrs. Stringham's, in Tecumseh, Saturday.

Carl Wisner spent Sunday [illegible]. He came from the University city on Foot & Walker's line.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen attended the recital given by Miss Root's pupils at A. W. Mills', in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Milton Burns is sojourning with her daughter, Mrs. Gibbs, in Chicago, and Miss Nellie Burns is in charge of the domestic arrangements during Mrs. B's absence.

Mrs. Adelia Whelan, of Tecumseh, called at E. J. Whelan's Saturday. She is at present helping to care for her mother who is very sick with typhoid fever at the home of her son, Dudley Witherell, in Washtenaw county.

There was a small but very pleasant party at Mr. and Mrs. L. Billington's, Saturday, the occasion being the twenty-first birthday of their son Cecil. Among the many good things with which the dinner table was loaded, was a royal dish of pears whose age was identical with that of the young man. Twenty-one years ago his mother canned the pears and they were in a perfect state of preservation, not a particle of mould having accumulated on them. We notice there has been a change in the price of pears. Twenty-one years ago they were two dollars a bushel and windfalls at that.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Miss Bertha Taylor is home from Adrian this week, enjoying a vacation.

Miss Alma Whelan visited Miss Celia Brewster at Clinton Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Munger, Mrs. Spalding and Lena visited Mrs. Ada Spencer in Holloway Saturday.

Andrew and Sadie Taylor drove over to Hillsdale Monday, to spend three or four days with their aunt, Mrs. Mary Woods.

As Mrs. Munger and Mrs. Spalding were coming home Saturday, a man ran into the cutter, breaking the cross-bar. He drove on leaving them to get home as best they could.

Wm. R. Hayes Writes

Payne, Ind., Feb. 1896

I have been using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin ever since the agency was established here four months ago. When I began taking it I weighed 150 pounds and now I weigh 177 pounds. Feel better than ever did in my life and must say it is an excellent remedy. In 10c size (10 doses 10 cts) regular sizes 50c and $1.00 at Orr & Temple's.

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ONSTED.

Was it cold any last week? Well, yes.

Covenant meeting last Saturday at the church.

J. O. Aldrich visited friends in Rollin over Sunday.

Baled hay still keeps coming into town for shipment.

S. J. Fish still cuts a dash in canvasing for those churndashers.

The W. C. T. U. meets at James Newton's on Wednesday of this week.

H. E. Stoddard, of Eaton county, called on friends here and in North Rome recently.

A musical was given at the hall last Saturday evening by the Adrian Mandolin Club.

A flock of three or four robins tarried around the residence of M. O. Aldrich during the late cold snap.

The social for the benefit of the People's church was held with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Onsted, Saturday.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star will take place on the evening of February 12th. Let all members take notice.

Warren Pitcher was presented with a nice chair on his birthday recently by a number of his friends who popped in upon him unawares. He sits down a part of the time now.

The death of Rev. Robert Wooden, one of the first settlers of this vicinity, occurred last week. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at the church here and the remains laid by the side of his wife in the cemetery near by. Thus the life work of our neighbor is done and he is taking the last long rest.

Frank Stearns, a musical genius, arrived in town Saturday evening from Wexford county. He came all the way afoot carrying three musical instruments, two satchels, a bundle of clothes, a cane, and leading a dog. He started out with a wheelbarrow but the snow was too deep and he abandoned the vehicle.

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness that can come to a woman. She allows a slight disorder to become worse, to slowly sap her vitality. The little pain and the other slight indications of trouble seem to her unimportant. She goes on, with increasing suffering, until life itself becomes a drag. Nervousness, "sinking spells," digestive disturbances, and fifty other complications may arise from the derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Over thirty years ago, the need for a reliable remedy for so-called "female complaints" was recognized by Dr. R. V. Pierce, then, as now, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y. He prepared Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the most wonderfully effective remedy that has ever been used for such maladies.

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GOOD SIGNS IN LONDON.

Things Which Are Jokes Without Intending to Be Such.

The American's first visit to London brings to his notice, if he be at all observant, many peculiar signs, says the New York Mail and Express. Here are a few seen by a reporter last summer:

Englishmen are noted all the world over as prolific letter writers. To-day little personal attention is paid to business when it is possible to write a letter and say what one ordinarily should say verbally. Attached to the heavy doors of four-fifths of the most successful business houses in the English capital is a highly polished brass plate, on which is inscribed: "Do Not Ring the Bell Unless an Answer Is Required."

Directly under this I detect an opening for dropping letters "that do not require an oral answer."

On the Strand, within a stone's throw of the Bank of England, is a well-known tradesman, who has a "richly" inscribed blue sign in his window which tells the busy throng outside that "Yankee Cyder Is Sold Here."

It may be considered a joke—this sign—as if party of Americans who inquired earnestly believed, but the tradesmen took the matter quite seriously when the subject of the sign was broached, and then remarked:

"If ham-er blooming blighter hif another chap didn't soy the same thing t'day. 'E told me 'ow to spell Yankee, but 'ang me hif hit 'asn't escaped me memory. Hit will 'ave to do now, though."

A "gentleman's hairdresser" close to Charing Cross exposes a sign which says: "Hair Neatly Trimmed While You Wait."

And this sign, too, was not intended as a joke. London signs are indeed peculiar, if not strikingly odd.

ANCIENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

They Were Written on House Walls In Spaces Called Albums.

When some enterprising Greek or Roman merchant of old first whitened a portion of the wall of his house and on this album, as it was called, rudely scratched the symbols of his trade he little dreamed it to be the dim foreshadowing of miles upon miles of pictorial advertisements, first produced in the interest of commerce, but destined to come so close to art as to attract more than passing notice from the esthetic connoisseur and collector, says Lippincott's.

Yet from the very earliest times some sort of public advertising was felt to be a necessity. Thus we read of notices in the first days of the children of Israel being posted in the high places of the cities—proclamations, generally, of kings and prophets, inscribed on parchments and papyri more than 3,000 years old have been exhumed from the ruins of ancient Thebes on which are written descriptions of runaway slaves and the rewards offered for their return.

Another heathen mode of attracting attention was to hang on the statues of the infernal deities, within the temenos of the temples, sheets of lead bearing curses and prayers of vengeance against those persons who had stolen goods or otherwise injured the advertiser, the evil to be deprecated only in case of the restitution of the property. A collection of such imprecations that was discovered in the temple of Demeter at Onidus in 1858 may be seen in the second vase-room of the British museum.

JOKES BY SPORTSMEN.

Tricks That Hunters Play on One Another in the Woods.

Sportsmen like to play tricks on one another. Some of the jokes are older than the hills, but always ready for service, says the New York Sun. A dead deer braced up against the side of a tree has more than once been a mark for pounds of lead. Eight men once shot their repeating rifles at such a deer, some 60 shots being fired at it before it fell. The joyful hunters, on going to it, found that the beast had been dressed and that 45 bullets had gone through it. Hunters sometimes doctor the shells of their mates, putting in double charges of powder and taking out the shot. Firing pins are extracted and putty ones substituted. Buckshot is substituted for 8s, and the amazement of a hunter when he finds how the 8s bunched, as he supposes, and tore a woodcock half in two is the sport that comes from it. Rifle shells are filled half with powder, half with red pepper. The powder drives the bullet after a deer and burns the pepper. Unlimited sneezing follows.

False trails made by a man with bear-foot moccasins in the snow have led many a tenderfoot over weary miles only to end in a man's trail at some log where the bear's feet could be taken off. It sometimes happens that a pack of fox dogs are led on a drag trail when the dog followers thing it is a live fox's.

Peculiar Aversions.

Most people have aversions of some kind or other, and some have strange ones. The sight of a set of false teeth makes John L. Sullivan sick at the stomach. Napoleon did not like to see a white dog. Agassiz could not bear to touch polished steel. The sight of the rising moon, when it was full, always made Mme. De Stael ill. Barefooted children made Louis XIV. nervous. Dean Swift has said that Bolingbroke would "act like one bereft should he cast his eye on a poor, harmless toade." Disraeli had an attack of vertigo when he saw anyone chewing gum. Dickens never liked a stiff shirt bosom, and Buffon would fly into a rage if anyone put an egg on the dining table at which he sat.

Don't Like Poorhouses.

There is such a deep-rooted dislike among paupers in Ireland to enter the workhouse that in the county of Antrim, for instance, there are only 1,000 persons in six workhouses that have room for 5,000.

TIMES CHANGE.

She Thought the Case Required Heroic Treatment.

They had been married less than a year when she noticed that her husband stayed out late at nights and when he did come home was apt to be noisy and demonstrative, says the Detroit Free Press. On his part William observed that he could never find a knife to cut a bite to eat, and that even the family shears were out of reach, while his razors at such times were locked up and the key hidden.

He did not say much, because he was not in a condition to talk, and when he was sober he did not care to refer to the past.

But he grew worse instead of better, and one night he went home at a late hour and found the hall brilliantly lighted and on the table under the gas an assortment of all the cutlery in the house. Knives, scissors and razors alluringly open met his unsteady gaze.

"M-M-Mary," he called, "w-w-what d-does t-this mean?"

"It means," she answered, from the top of the staircase, "that ever since you've been cutting up in this manner I've been afraid you would do as you threatened to do—kill yourself with some of those things."

"Y-y-yes, Mary."

"Now I'm beginning to be more afraid that you won't, so I thought I'd give you every possible chance."

There was a sound of cutlery by night, mingled with forcible though unsteady words, and William has remained at home every evening up to date.

Life in Spain.

In Spain constitutional indolence, fertile soil, and a magnificent climate continue to make life one long dawdle. In Turkey the natural thrift and industry of the real Turkish population are paralyzed into idleness and apathy by the hopelessness of winning anything worth having which will not be at once stolen by official corruption.

An Odious Custom.

An addition to a Japanese theater is allowed, for a small fee, to stand up, and the unfortunate individual behind him has no right to remonstrate or to rise and get a peep at the stage. He may hear, but he cannot see.

Market for Railroad Ties.

It takes each year 20,000 acres of forest to supply crossties for the railroads of the United States. It takes 12,000,000 ties to supply the demand, for which the contractors get on an average 25 cents apiece, making in the aggregate $3,250,000.

Hanged Herself.

Decatur, Feb. 5.—Mrs. J. K. Rifler, a director in the First national bank at Chesapolis and prominent in religious circles, committed suicide by hanging while temporarily insane.

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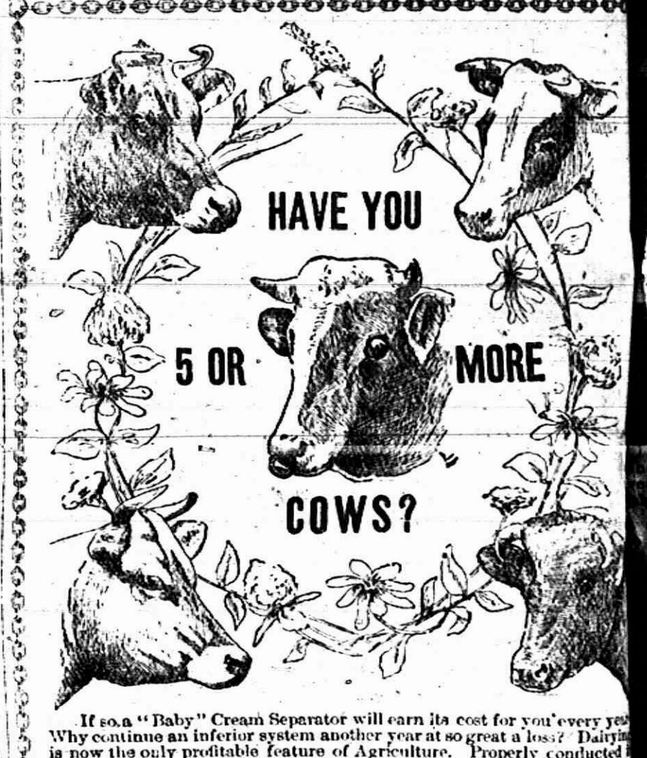

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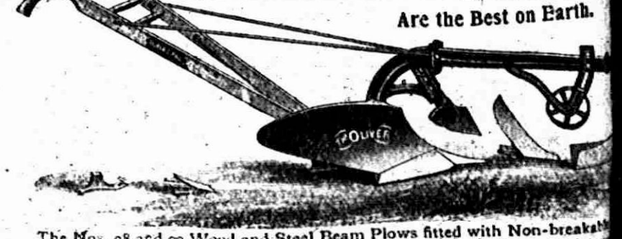

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

ill E. Osgood made a business trip roit Tuesday.

and Mrs. W. J. Clark visited the nty seat Monday.

ev. C. I. Deyo spent Tuesday and dnesday in Toledo.

he fellowship meeting of the Christ- church will be held Saturday at 2:30 n.

r. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh were guests of Clinton friends over Sun- .

can Cheever had quite a bad spell h his heart Monday but is better .

W. Yates was a Tecumseh visitor day and he has been about sick ever e.

ed Feilbach, of Toledo, was the t of his friend W. E. Allen Satur- of last .

veral pe came over from Hol- y to attend the play at Exelby hall rday evening.

bel and Rose Pennington, of Ma- visited their cousin Will Allen and ly Thursday of last week.

s. George Gripton and Miss Bertha on, who were suffering from quinsy week, are both better.

anuel Connell, of Chicago, who o attend his father's funeral, re- several days among relatives ends.

e Charlie Goodrich found his he has been chewing the rag to een's taste. You bet he has kept moving.

n Weidner and estimable wife, of anti, were visiting among their eighbors and friends several days ast week.

e revival meetings in the Ridge- Free Methodist church still con- . The pastor, Rev. Mr. Schemer- expects help from abroad this .

ank Brown thinks it will be awful ext summer and to prepare for it rected a model ice house and filled th ice from the Quaker pond south ecumseh.

and Mrs. Fred Taylor, of Detroit, called here by the death of his dfather, Wm. Connell. Will re- ed home Sunday but his wife re- ned until Tuesday.

e Paul Harland company did not e as liberal patronage at their en tainments last week as was expected. y went to Milan Monday morning re they play this week.

m. Connell, an old resident of this n, died Wednesday morning of eek. The funeral was held at the ian church Friday at one o'clock, ames Wright officiating.

silverites will hold a caucus at Oliver's office, Saturday (tomor- evening to nominate six delegates county convention of the union ces to be held at Adrian next .

company has been formed he purpose of manufacturing . They have made arrange- ith A. Gogoline for the use of and expect to begin operations morning next.

re sorry to learn that W. B. contemplates leaving Britton t two weeks and will locate at . During his brief sojourn here his family have made many riends whose best wishes for rosperity will accompany them new home.

Christian Endeavor society en- ment at the Reformed church evening, was very enjoyable, ogram being carefully selected mirably given. By no means the t feature of the evening was the hich seemed to an onlooker to e large company perfectly.

e Christian church next Sunday tor, Rev. C. I. Deyo will preach morning from the subject, "Con- ol Church Membership." In the "Endeavor Day" will be ob- with a literary and musical con- der the auspices of the Y. P. S. Miss Gertie Kniffin, Chairman.

ems the report regarding the lit- ughter of Mrs. Eb Price being me by the cold on her way to one morning last week, was un- d, and we hasten to make this ent as it appeared in the columns paper's last issue. We aim to ly facts and supposed our in- s knew whereof they spoke.

a number of our society young ent to Tecumseh Monday even- e "Fast Mail," among them be- rn Gripton and wife. Charles n, Minnie Francis, Shirley ora Statler, Ernest DuBois, Saxton, Will Larrabee, Tillie eon, Amos Uuderwood, Miss an, Ed. Gripton, George Clark n Yates.

has again visited this commu- taken one who has resided many years. To Warren Covell, spected by all who knew him, messenger came suddenly and . Mr. Covell arose as usual rning and built the fire, then o see how his wife—who was passed the night and as it was down on the couch and went never to waken. When the n they were unable to arouse before medical aid could be e had passed to that sleep s no waking. The funeral at the house Monday at one ducted by Rev. James Wright tains placed in the cemetery y. Eaton Post, G. A. R., of as a member, had charge of e at the grave. Mr. Covell wife and three children, the ughter—Mrs. Frank Smith— wife, Byron and Minerva.

For Sale or Rent—My farm of 120 acres in the township of Macon.
F. E. MORRELL.

Wm. Ide and wife, of Tecumseh, were calling on Britton friends Sunday.

Mrs. James DuBois spent Saturday and Sunday with Will Hause and wife, at Clinton.

Ernest and Horace Lamkin, of Franklin, visited their sister, Mrs. W. J. Helm, Sunday.

A sleighload of their Clinton friends paid J. L. Kishpaugh and wife a social visit Tuesday evening.

All who have ice houses have been filling them this week consequently things have been lively.

Thomas Lee purchased a dandy Portland cutter of J. L. Kishpaugh the first of the week It is a beauty.

A. W. Curtiss left Wednesday for Sarinac, the home of his boyhood, for a week's visit with his parents and other friends.

Saturday Ed Gripton was going to take Ella (Vern's wife) down home and went over to hitch up George Exelby's 'tang. Among that animals peculiarities he starts the instant a person touches the reins. Knowing this, Ed got everything ready in the barn and they got into the cutter. So far so good, but the 'tang started a little previous. Before Ed had both reins in hand the thill struck the door and that started the 'tang anew and away he went, kicking at every jump, back of the house and around Will Clark's. For a few minutes there was music in the air. Ella screaming, 'tang kicking and Ed—well you can imagine what he did. No one was hurt but the cutter.

RIDGEWAY.

Nelson Palmer is very sick with tonsilitis.

Judge V. H. Lane next week Friday evening.

Burton Linn and Daisy Riggs were in Blissfield Saturday.

The ground hog will have to "hole up" for six long weeks."

Mr and Mrs. C. M. Gove were in Adrian Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Patrick Curry visited friends in Milan Monday and Tuesday.

Mail Messenger A. E. Palmer, of Adrian, was in the village Tuesday.

Elmer Linn and wife went to Stony Creek Sunday for a few days' stay.

Rev. H. Cansfield went to Monroe Tuesday to assist in special meetings.

Thirty new volumes were added to the list of books at the library Monday.

Mrs. Jehiel Davidson, of Tecumseh, visited her brother B. F. DePuy Sunday.

Those who took in "Fast Mail" at Tecumseh Monday evening, were well pleased with it.

George Houseman went to Ypsilanti Monday to take a course in Cleary's business college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Charles Staats, were at Cone Thursday of last week.

Dr. Howell, of Tecumseh, was called Saturday to consult with Dr. Loree in the case of Montie Florence.

Erwin Palmer, E. B. Fellows and the Misses Kate and Addie Sherman were at the county seat Saturday.

May Fletcher entertained twenty of her Tecumseh friends at her home Wednesday evening of last week.

Miss Lillian Dersham, after a stay of nearly a month with her parents near Lenawee Junction, returned Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Pocklington, who was on the sick list last week with inflammation of the lungs, is much better this week.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Susan Clark, who has been very sick for the past two weeks, is much better this week.

The schoolmates of little Fern Lowe enjoyed a surprise at her home Saturday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday.

Tickets and reserved seats for the Royal Hand Bell Ringers, who will be at Sutton's opera house on the 22nd, may be had of J. D. Arner. No extra charge for reserved seats.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs Charles Foot on Wednesday evening of next week to which all are welcome.

The ladies of the L. C. S. will give an oyster supper at the home of R. F. DePuy on Wednesday evening February 17th. Full particulars next week.

The Hon. V. H. Lane will give the fourth number of the entertainment course at the church next week Friday evening, a lecture, "The Legal Aspects of the Trial of Christ." No Sunday school worker can afford to miss this opportunity of thus making themselves acquainted with the "Jewish Courts of Justice," a topic which so often perplexes teacher as well as scholar.

On Friday evening of last week. Prof O. L. Palmer, of Adrian college, the third on the lecture course, gave his celebrated lecture "The Land of the Crescent," a historical production of the Armenians. The professor is an able and pleasing speaker and held the attention of his audience from first to last. The recitation, "Bessie and I," given by Mabel Graves, was well presented, and showed the natural elocutionary talent possessed by the young lady.

Married, at noon Wednesday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sherman, Miss Kate Sherman to Mr. E. B. Follows, of Clifton, N. Y. Only the immediate family and a few intimate friends were present. Rev. J. P. Varner, of Tecumseh, performed the ceremony. The newly married couple left for their home at Clifton, N. Y. on the 4:50 Wabash train. Mrs. Follows leaves a large circle of friends here who wish her a happy journey through life.

MACON.

Miss Lee Morgan has the tonsilitis.

Hebron Camburn has been suffering an attack of grip.

Mark Mills was home from Adrian a few days last week.

Mrs. Will Fowler, of Saline, Sundayed with Macon friends.

Mark Moore, of Moscow, is visiting at the home of Isaac Mills.

J. Dewitt Arner, of Ridgeway, called on Macon friends Saturday.

Mrs. Catherine Burdett is under the doctor's care at this writing.

Acel Smith and wife, of Ridgeway, called on Macon friends Sunday.

Geo. Kuder and family entertained relatives from Ann Arbor Sunday.

Several Macon people attended the show in Tecumseh Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buck, of Saline, visited at Isaac Ganoung's last week.

Several Clintonites attended Maccabee's meeting here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary J. Welsh, of Clinton, spent a portion of last week with Macon relatives.

Miss Lillian Bracy, of Tecumseh, visited her brother, Frank and family this week.

Rev. Chas. Allen, of Detroit, attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Pennington last week.

Elmer Hunter has joined the Maccabees. He "rode the goat" last Saturday night.

Misses Maude Howell and Grace Sage were home from Ypsilanti from Thursday till Monday.

Wm. Hatch and Hollo Mills came home from Detroit last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Pennington.

Bolt Sarvs, who has been visiting friends at Portland, Mich. for several weeks, returned home last week Wednesday.

Bradley Scudder has been on the sick list the past week. Thomas Marshall has been assisting Will Harring in the store.

The topic for the E. L. meeting, next Sunday evening is "Immanual, God with us," Isa 7, 14, 9, 6, 7, 15. Leader Florence Camburn.

The necktie social of last Saturday evening for the benefit of the C. E. society was well attended, and considered a complete success.

Jessie Frost accompanied Miss Maggie Biddle to Ann Arbor the first of the week; where she has gone to assist her aunt, Miss Helen Camburn.

The Epworth League entertainment will be held at the M. E. church, Friday evening of this week. A good attendance is desired. Admission, 10 cents.

Last Sunday afternoon the pulpit of the M. E. church was occupied by Mr. Boyce, of Ann Arbor, who addressed the people on the anti-saloon question.

The officers of the Union Sunday School Association, of Ridgeway and Macon townships, met last Saturday and made necessary arrangements for a convention, to be held in the D. R. church of this place, Wednesday, Feb. 24th.

The officers of Glen Hive L. O. T. M. were installed January 28th by Past Lady Commander Mrs. Emma Morgan. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:—
P. C.—Mrs. Amelia R. Hatch.
C.—Mrs. Elfie F. Ellis.
Lt. C.—Mrs. Elmira Camburn.
R. K.—Mrs. Ellen Richart.
F. K.—Mrs. Claribel Pennington.
Chaplain—Mrs. May Worden.
Sergt.—Mrs. Martha Betser.
M. at A.—Miss Loanna Morgan.
Sentence—Mrs. Olive Randall.
Picket—Mrs. Ann Carter.

LAKE RIDGE.

Abram Harrington is entertaining a sister from Canada.

Thomas Murphy was quite indisposed a few days last week.

The family of Elmer Smith are all sick with throat trouble.

The zero weather has abated and the thermometer now registers at freezing.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Hendershot are grieved to hear of her serious illness.

Mrs. Helen Osborne, of South Macon, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hendershot last Thursday.

Miss Ella Bailey is canvassing this vicinity for a book entitled "The First Battle by Our Defeated Candidate, W. J. Bryan."

Geo. Rendel, who was taken to Kalamazoo for treatment a few weeks ago, is reported better and the family entertain hopes of his recovery.

Meetings are still in progress in the F. M. church. Quite a number joined Sunday evening on probation. The church was crowded to overflowing.

The officers and workers of the Sunday-school were greeted with a good fire Sunday morning which was duly appreciated. The attendance was good.

S. F. Fritz, of 677 Sedgwick street, Chicago, says: "I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved; I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life." Orr & Temple.

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Ex-United States Senator John Martin has been appointed clerk of the Kansas supreme court.

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and I now feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1.00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

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CONE.

Dan McFall visited his sister at Britton Friday and Saturday.

Sarah Sherwood visited Edith Dumphy near Rea Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Gilbert Munson, of Raisinville, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Olds, Monday.

Chas. Craig, of Toledo, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craig.

The receipts of the Ladies' Aid Society held at Mrs. Chas. Caswell's Wednesday were $5.00.

Walter Cone, Charlie Dennison and little Eva Smith visited friends in Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ray attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, Warren Covell, at Britton Monday.

Schuyler McFall and son Perry, of Whittaker, recently visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Harry Wilcox.

Henry Tea has moved a house that formerly belonged to Caspar Habmon onto the lot belonging to Homer Sherwood and will reside therein.

The Ladies' Aid Society have elected the following officers:
President—Mrs. Margaret Caswell.
Vice pres.—Mrs. Almeda Buck.
Sec'y—Miss Tina Ellis.
Asst. sec'y—Miss Maud Helm.
Treas.—Mrs. Loraine Vandeventer.
Committee—Mrs. Marietta Allshouse, Mrs. Emily Dennison.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. A. T. Carpenter spent last Friday in Adrian.

Mrs. A. H. Kelley, who has been ill for some time, is reported not so well.

Albert Boies' family, of Detroit, visited his sister, Mrs. Chas. Benedict, the first of the week.

Mrs. L. B. Spencer, who has been on the sick list for some time, is so much improved that she was out to church Sunday.

H. Schwab, Geo. Riley and Jas. Lane have been taking a vacation from their kitchen cabinet business during the recent cold weather.

The surprise given Kenneth Holloway Thursday evening of last week was a decided success, the evening being passed very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gillespie, who reside near Tecumseh, visited at A. D. Macham's Friday and their daughter, Jennie, returned with them.

Among those who attended the Farmers' Institute at Adrian last week were Geo. Holloway, A. D. Macham, James McIntyre and Chas. Benedict.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, will hold a missionary social at the parsonage next Thursday. A large attendance is desired.

Rumor has it that the Holloway Dramatic Club with a few others enjoyed a sleighride to Britton Saturday evening, attended the entertainment held there and also partook of a bountiful repast served at the Exelby house.

The lecture, "John Knox, and Presbyterianism in Scotland," given at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening by P. S. McKinnon, of Tecumseh, deserves more than mere mention. A large audience listened with intense interest and the lecture was much appreciated by all present.

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When Peffer leaves the senate next March he will go back to the editorial chair of the Topeka Advocate.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Green, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's Drug Store.

Comptroller Eckels has written a circular to governors of states asking them to suggest state legislation requiring state supervision of state banks and urging its necessity.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB 5, 1897

What has become of Adrian and the Lima Northern railroad?

It is now said that Tecumseh has the best live stock market in Lenawee county.

The severe cold weather, or rather the severe changes of the weather in this section during the last month have brought on many severe attacks of la grippe and the doctors are all busy both in the villiage and country.

Farmers who kept their wheat expecting the price to reach $1.00 per bushel will wait some time before getting it. From the top market 96 cents it has gradually lowered until today it is only 83 cents and in the minds of the financial people there is no reasonable reason why it should remain even at this price.

It is reported that more wood is being cut this winter around Tecumseh than in many years previous and on account of the high price of coal more people have used wood this winter than for many years before. There seems to be ready sale on the streets here for dry body hickory at $1.75, second growth oak at $1.50 and soft wood at $1.00 and $1.25.

With corn at 12 cents a busnel, chickens on foot at seven cents a pound would seem to be a paying investment. From one to five carloads of poultry have been shipped every week from Tecumseh since the cold weather commenced, and the price has hardly been below seven cents. Certainly the farmers who have anything to sell now should take courage and get rid of it. Corn and fatting stock are low but poultry is very high and there never has been such a demand for milch cows at good prices.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

While returning from Adrian Wednesday, Mrs. Nora Stevens Babler, of Somerset, got as far as Rome Center when she suddenly expired from heart failure. Undertaker Tansley will conduct the burial tomorrow. The lady was about thirty years old and had previously had some indications of heart disease.—Addison Courier.

The selection of Gen. Alger as secretary of war is regarded as insuring the appointment of Mr. Hanna to the senate. Gen. Alger's selection is attributed to the Foraker-Busbnell influence, and it is said that the appointment of Mr. Hanna was held to be contingent upon this selection. Gen. Alger is a friend of Foraker's and the unfriendliness that has existed between Senator Sherman and Gen. Alger up to a recent date, was the outgrowth of Gen. Alger's antagonism to Sherman's presidential ambition. —Adrian Telegram.

Postmaster John Gillen, of Saline, says it is all fixed up who is to succeed him when his term of office expires next June. The lucky man, he says, is George Burdick, who has all the field to himself since W. N. Lister started out to get the nomination for county school commissioner. John says: "All seems to be peace and harmony among the other fellows at present. But it remains to be seen whether Lister gets his place or not."—Ann Arbor Argus.

James M. Hall, of Toledo, general passenger agent of the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway company, has tendered his resignation, to take effect Feb. 1st Mr. Hall has many relatives and friends in this city, and is widely known among railroad men everywhere. He was general passenger agent of the Wabash railway system at the time the Detroit extension was built through this city. He was also attached to the Lake Shore passenger department some years ago. He is credited with having organized the return ticket and the rebate systems which now prevail on all American railroads.—Adrian Times.

One of the boldest robberies in the history of crime in Detroit was perpetrated about 6 o'clock Saturday night on Michigan avenue, within five minutes' walk of the city hall. Two men entered the shoe store of David McAllister, at 283 Michigan avenue, and compelling the submission of proprietor and clerks at the point of revolvers, robbed the cash drawer of between $60 and $75. The street outside was filled with people going home, at the time, but so well was the work of the robbers done that nobody outside of the store knew anything of the affair until they had been given nearly fifteen minutes to make their escape. In the store at the time were David McAllister, his daughter and three boys, William Armstrong, Willie Schultz and Bennie Ellis. All were thoroughly frightened and permitted the robbers to escape with no efforts to check them. Both robbers were afterward captured and identified, however. The store where the daring act was committed is next to the bakery of Henry C. Weisinger, formerly of this city, and one of the men had been in his place of business but a short time before.—Adrian Times.

Exchange says: "It is not unusual to see a person take a nickel or a silver coin from the pocket and place it in the mouth for safe keeping until ready to use it. But it is a thoughtless and risky thing to do. No one knows where the coin has been, into what filth or contagious disease. There is not a doubt that contageous diseases are spread through the agency of money. It is not infrequent that rolls of bank notes brought to cashiers have to be spread out to air and deodorize, because of offensive smell. No person should risk touching his finger to his tongue while counting money." At last the mystery is solved, we are no longer ignorant of our healthy condition. The fact that we don't place silver coin in our mouth, or touch our finger to our tongue while counting greenbacks, explains matters —we have none to count. But if any of our dilinquent suscribers wish to make up a roll of bills for us, we will risk trying the experiment, even if we are obliged to call in the doctor.—Deerfield Times-Journal.

Representative Edgar, of Lenawee, is considering a project to entirely revamp the present election law. He says that as its stands at present it is so long and rambling that election inspectors find it difficult to tell just what their duties are, and what is considered a legal vote in one part of the state is thrown out in another. He wants the law solidified and simplified. He would have the state provide all ballot boxes, having them made by contract, and then stamping them with the state seal and making all townships and cities buy them. Speaking of Pingree's plan to do away with conventions, Edgar said he did not think much of it. "I lived in an Ohio county," said he, "where they had the primary election system, and instead of operating against the use of money in deciding nominations it had the reverse effect. The man with money could have every ward heeler out spreading his name before the primary election, which the poor man could not, and the result was usually victory for the man with wealth." —Adrian Telegram.

LITERARY NOTES.

The American Journal of Photography commences the new year with a fine number for January discussing the "Relative Distance between Screens and Plates in Half-Tone Process." "Comparative Tests of Commercial Orthocromatic Plates with Yellow Color Screen." "Copyright and Reproduction" and many other matters of value to professional and amateur photographers. $2 per year, 25c a copy. Thos. H. McCollin & Co., Philadelphia.

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Trimmed sash-ends, matching the corsage and sometimes the whole gown, have appeared. They taper to the waist from wide pointed ends, and are trimmed all around with narrow lace or chiffon frills. No fluffy loops head them, often they hang straight down from the folded girdle, fastened perhaps by handsome buttons, and if there are loops they are short, severely conventional, and flat.—From "Review of Fashions," in Demorest's Magazine for February.

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"No novelist can succeed to-day in retaining the full vigor of his art unless he keeps constantly before him the three great sources of his power: the power to hold our attention, the power to reach us through our emotions, and the power to make us see others as we are accustomed to see ourselves. He must fail if he attempts to wield the same power by means of his beautiful morality, or his touching pathos, or his admirable critical judgment alone."—Annie Nathan Meyer, in "The Problem of the Novel" in February Arena.

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A writer in the February number of the North American Review, who signs himself A Foreign Naval Officer, endeavors to answer the question, "Can the United States Afford to Fight Spain?" Much clever discussion is indulged in, and the opinion firmly expressed that an embroilment with Spain would inflict upon that country but little lasting damage, and that while she would not be able to defeat the United Stated, yet she could easily inflict losses amounting to many millions of dollars.

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To make a success of irrigation it by no means follows that water should be available for a whole farm. With ten acres of assured crops and the rest dependent upon rainfall, the farmer, no matter what his location, will be better off than he is now. The future will undoubtedly see irrigation spread all over the East. When it does, regular crops and certainty of income will be the order. Skillful irrigators will then conclude that the cost is not so important an item when benefits are considered. The first to try will get the usufruct from good prices in times of partial crop-failure, though they may get the laugh when rain is plenty.—Albert G. Evans, in February Lippincott's.

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The February number of "Table Talk" opens with "The Lobster at Home" by Helen Louise Johnson, one of the most comprehensive and valuable articles written upon this subject which is at the same time bright and entertaining, giving as it does the complete life-history, as well as the various methods of its preparation for the table. In addition to this and the regular Departments of "Housekeepers Inquiries," "The New Bill of Fare," Menus regular and special,—"Seasonable Receipts," Fashions and Entertainments (for a St. Valentine's Party among others), all of which are very helpful to the housekeeper and home-maker, the issue contains an interesting article on the Quotation Mean; an account of some "Culinary Legacies from the Indians," by Martha Booker Flint and one on "Ancient Salads" by Elizabeth Grinnell, as well as mention of the latest novelties, books of interest and so forth. Any of our readers are offered a sample copy of the magazine free, if they will address Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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The Review of Reviews for February makes "A Plea for the Protection of Useful men" from bores and "societies," and all well-meaning people who bother the life out of public men by letters and calls on the pretext of seeking assistance in some worthy undertaking. The editor of the Review publishes letters on this subject from the late Gen. Francis A. Walker, written only a few weeks before his death. In one of these letters General Walker wrote, "I am not well, and neither callers nor correspondents have any mercy."

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In McClure's Magazine for February Mr. H. J. W. Dam has a particularly interesting article on "The Making of the Bible." First it describes by what strange and almost miraculous, means narratives of which the original records have utterly perished, survived in fair integrity through centuries of turmoil and confusion; and next it describes the finely wrought, typically modern, instrumentalities and appliances by which those narratives are today published to the world, in all its varied languages, by the million copies through the Oxford University Press. Pictures of the University Press and facsimilies of early texts illustrate the article.

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There is, perhaps, no other natural gift that brings so much genuine pleasure to its possessor as does the keen sense of appreciation. It teaches us, or points out to our understanding, the benuties of Nature that are all about us, gilds the commonplace, and emphasizes the joys of life and of living. Appealing to us through all our senses, the pleasures that it brings are ceaseless and unfailing. Seen through appreciative eyes the beauties of life overshadow and eclipse the homely, rough places. There is an attractive side to everything, and this an appreciative mind will see first, and longest remember.—February Ladies' Home Journal.

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A "Kaffee Klatsch" for charity is a new idea for raising money originated by one of the girls who has just returned from a year spent in Dresden. There are plenty of girls who have given a "Kaffee Klatsch" here before, but they have invariably spoiled it by having all sorts of innovations, such as tea, ices, and bonbons, and making a sort of fair out of it, where fancy articles were sold. This girl intends to have hers in true German style, the only addition to an ordinary German "Kaffee Klatsch" being the waitresses who will serve at the different tables. A number of her young friends have offered their services to help her, and they will be dressed in the peasant costume of the different partsof Germany and Austria. From Harper's Bazaar for February.

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The series on "Great Businesses" is opening up an entirely new field of information for magazine readers. Many industrial articles on American subjects have been published heretofore, but in this series for the first time is the reader shown the man's brain at work behind the enterprise. The second paper, "A Great Hotel," by Jesse Lynch Williams, shows the intricate organization, the many checks and balances and economies, the advertiseing and executive ability, that go to the making of the peculiary American development—the great hotel. This story is told in February's Scribner with the practised literary touch of a young man who has earned distinction as a writer. The many pictures made from actual scenes, and the astounding facts and figures that accompany them, make the whole article a complete revelation of a business that is a mystery to most people.

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Mr. Godkin (Democratic Tendencies) points out the essential differencies between ancient and modern democracies. Ancient democracies were generally small; modern ones are large. (1) The size of our country and the increasing complexity of modern life and of governmental problems brings the greatest danger to all. It is doubtful whether the development of administrative capacity in mankind has kept pace with the demands for it. Especially is there danger to government when the best administrative talent cannot be secured in politics. (2) Another danger is the old one of plutocracy. Rich men now have a fondness for power as in the past. (3) Another grave danger is the system of giving offices to men as rewards, which prevents in many cases the selection of the ablest for the public service. Such are the fundamental and far-reaching dangers to modern democracy.—Atlantic Monthly for February.

Harper's Magazine for February is a monument of the policy of exalted journalism which has characterized it in the past, and which is more and more becoming the policy of American magazines everywhere. Articles on literary criticism, or advanced thought in art and letters, though by no means entirely absent, are subordinated to rereports and discussions of the vital interests of modern life. Richard Harding Davis went all the way to Moscow to report the coronation of the Czar and Czarina. Charles F. Lummis presents the first of a series of articles on the Mexico of today, in preparing which he spent three months beyond the Rio Grande, and Poultney Bigelow has brought back from Cape Town a series of articles on "White Man's Africa," the present number of which, illustrated by Frederic Remington and W. H. Drake, from photographs taken by the author, discusses the career of President Steyn of the Orange Free State.

We are Going to Move!

March 1st next we take possession of the building recently vacated by C. E. Lenardson at Blissfield. Prior to that date, we must dispose of about one-half of our large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS

At our old Stand in Tecumseh.

To convert all these goods into cash during the usually dull period of the year is a tremendous undertaking and calls for extraordinary concession to customers. To stimulate stupendous selling we must make stupendous

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And that is what we propose to do. The Slaughter begins

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Which means BARGAINS, as follows:

ALL	$5.00	SHOES NOW	$3.75	ALL	$2.50	SHOES NOW	$1.85
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"	3.50	" "	2.50	"	1.50	" "	1.10
"	3.00	" "	2.25				

We have a large stock of Boston and Goodyear Glove Rubber Goods, which must all go at **10 per cent. Discount**

We are compelled to make this great sacrifice as the capacity of our new quarters are somewhat limited, and the stock must be reduced. Terms of sale strictly cash.

Tecumseh, Mich. **Karner Bros.**

Important Notice!

Piles Cured At Home

I will be at

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EMERY HOTEL,

Wednesday, Feb. 10th.

At Tecumseh, LILLEY HOUSE Thur. Feb. 11th.

At Britton HOTEL, Friday Feb. 12.

All persons, male or female, suffering from prolapsing fissures, catarrh, inflamation, ulceration, constipation, bleeding, blind or itching piles, are kindly requested to call and see me.

No Examination.
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Medicine placed direct to the diseased part by yourself. I claim the most complete, successful, original and sensible method of treating this terrible disease, ever offered to the public.

By this treatment ulceration in the rectum can be healed at well as if the ulcers were on the outside Come and see me and learn some thing new. It will save you hundreds of dollars.

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	Wholesale.	Retail
Butter	10 11	14
Eggs	12	14
Lard		6
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		85
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon	10
Smoked Ham	12
Smoked Shoulders	7½
Beef, by the side	5 6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb	7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6 10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 7
Turkeys	9 10
Hides, Green	5
Sheep Pelts	15 25

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	80 81
Corn, shelled	99 85
Corn in ear	10 to 12 15 20
Oats	16 20
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 00
Hay, clover, per ton	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs	80
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FOR SALE CHEAP—Young pure blood Jersey calves, both sexes, from cows making from 9 to 18 pounds of butter per week. Inquire or address at once, W. T. ECCLES Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE—A good house and lot in the village of Tecumseh for $350.00. A rare chance for some one with small capital to secure a good home.

Ed. Shepard was over from Adrian Tuesday.

C. E. Williamson returned from New York Wednesday.

R. V. Wilson started for Cincinnati Tuesday via Toledo.

Don't miss seeing Mary Ellen Screech in "Female Masonry."

Mr. and Mrs. John Orr visited friends in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Albert Boyce, of Detroit, was a Tecumseh visitor over Sunday.

Secure your tickets and seats early for the Royal Hand-Bell Ringers.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will give a laughable farce on Masonry.

The HERALD is under obligations to Guy Davidson for a fine office calendar.

Mrs. May Greenfield visited Mrs. Geo. Fuller, of Pentecost, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. L. B. Ayers was the guest of Mrs. Blanche Fisher the first of the week.

Table Linens, handsome patterns, popular prices, at
ANDERSON & ROSACHANS'.

Tecumseh State Savings Bank declared a dividend to its stockholders on Feb 2nd.

Prof. Ed. Morden, of Adrian, the great mandolin player, was calling on Tecumseh friends Monday.

Geo. Horton, of Fruit Ridge, was in town Tuesday and spoke to the Grangers in Newburg in the evening.

Dolph Heesen, who has been making a business trip in the East this week, is expected home tomorrow night.

Don. E. Palmer, wife and children, of Norvell, were the guests of H. D. Cutting's family Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Baldwin, of Addison, and Rev. H. Cansfield, of Ridgeway, were calling on Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coryell drove up from Deerfield and made their Tecumseh friends a visit the fore part of the week.

David J. Lewis will preach Sunday evening at Tecumseh Friends' church. No service will be held there in the morning.

Mrs. Geo. Heesen's committee will serve supper next Thursday evening at the Presbyterian church parlors. Every one invited.

Clarence Jackson has gone to Jackson city to reside and will enter the east side high school there. We regret to have him leave us.

Mrs. Millie VanAntwerp, after a visit of some weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Baldwin, left yesterday morning for Chicago.

The Misses Ada Boyd and Anna Gray gave an oyster supper to a few of their many friends at the home of the former last Wednesday evening.

John Temple, who has been having the grip for several weeks, has been having a tough time of it. Even now he is not able to be out much.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Andrus and some others from the Universalist society were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Melody at their home Wednesday.

John Chamberlain drove over from Adrian after C. B. Pennock, G. W. Marvin and Miss Ione Lampson, all of whom spent Sunday at their homes in that city.

George Lanning brings to the HERALD office the first large egg of the season. Over eight inches in circumference and weighs something less than three pounds. Next.

Rev. Mr. Taylor, brother-in-law of Rev. C. M. Brown, left Monday morning for Winnemac, Ind., leaving his wife, who is a twin sister of Mrs. Brown, to complete her visit.

The Friends' quarterly meeting will be held Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 6th and 7th, at Raisin Center. Rev. Wm. Allen, of Canada, and others are expected to be in attendance.

Quite a number in the west end of town have been on the sick list the past week but not seriously so. Among them were Mrs. Abner Wilson, Mrs. James Updyke, Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy and Mrs. Ezra Burlingame.

A Sunday-school convention is being held today at the Baptist church here. Rev. E. M. Stevenson, state superintendent for that denomination, is in attendance. The closing exercises will occur this evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

New spring dress goods arriving every day, at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

It was a fair house that greeted "The Fast Mail" at Sutton's opera house Monday evening. While the scenic effects were fine the company as a whole was not strong and, were it not for A. W. Magill as Sleuth, Lois Jaynes as Belvy Ann, Mary Asquith as Mary Martin and Van. C. Barrett as Macaroni the Dago, might have been taken for amateurs. These in their several roles did good work and were largely instrumental in making the play satisfactory to the audience. The explosion of the steamer and both the freight and fast mail trains were realistic, while Sleuth, the detective, and Belvy Ann, his wife, kept every one in good humor.

Karner Bros. are going to move.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ide were guests of Britton friends Sunday.

A. E. Karner spent Sunday with his parents at Blissfield.

Mrs. G. P. Burtch, of Ionia, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Steveson.

Frank Wallinger and wife were calling on Clinton friends Wednesday.

Roy, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fink, is very low with brain and lung trouble.

Wilson brothers have been busy this week filling their icehouse on their celery farm. It took 100 loads.

Look over the list of great bargains in Karner Bros.' "ad" this week.

Joe Hanford has been having a severe tussle with the grip this week. It now looks as if he would come out victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ayers, of Cambridge, visited their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Smith Wednesday and yesterday.

H. H. Carty, having disposed of the laundry, together with his wife, left for East Tawas, Mich. yesterday afternoon.

Frank Rising, the first of the week, slipped and fell. His hip did not make a dent in the walk, but he has hobbled around with a cane ever since.

Mrs. Joseph Russell, who has been seriously ill, is, we are happy to say, improving steadily day by day, and it is hoped the crisis has been passed.

Chauncey Vedder took a sleigh load of people to Tipton Tuesday for an evening's visit with Wm. Fisher's family. A very pleasant time they had.

The boys got up a sleighing party last evening and went out to the home of Richard Mead in Raisin for a good time, and they had it and no mistake.

About twenty young people from Adrian came over and spent Wednesday evening with Miss Avery at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harding. A pleasant evening they passed.

To look well, feel well and be satisfied, buy a Henderson corset at
ANDERSON & ROSACHANS'.

Next Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, their daughter Nellie will become Mrs. Irving Luce at the hour of two. Rev. Marsh, of Tipton, will perform the ceremony in the presence of many relatives and friends.

Mesdames Henry Conklin, Lucius Lilley, A. W. Mills, A. W. Slayton, O. M. Brown, M. C. Taylor, R. B. Gillespie E. B. Wood, A. Hardingburg, Jennie Hall and Miss Mate Dingman were guests of Mrs. F. D. Rector Wednesday afternoon at her pleasant home north of town. It was a delightful company.

We wondered why George Beneway was on the streets early and late peering into sleighs and talking with every farmer, so we tackled him about it and found he was buying pelts, hides, chickens and in fact most everything a farmer has to sell for L. D. Dewey. Geo. is consequently on the alert being a hustler.

James Eccles, Louie Jones, Clement Hardingburg, Harry Richter and Geo. W. Knapp started early Wednesday morning for Sand Lake to chase the crafty fox, and on their return at night had as fine a specimen as you often see. It was on exhibition at C. A. Wright's drug store in the evening.

For the next three weeks everything will be sold at cost. KARNER BROS.

Robert Moir and family left for their new home, Hudson, Tuesday. They have spent most of their lives here and have a host of friends, who regret to have them leave. They will be greatly missed. The best wishes of all accompany them. Our sister city will find in genial Rob and his estimable family valuable accessions to the community.

A theatrical event of more than passing importance, and at the same time a most pleasing social event, is the coming to the New Croswell, Adrian, on Thursday February 11th, of the gifted French actress, Mlle. Rhea, who will present her latest and greatest success, "Nell Gwynne." Mlle. Rhea has an excellent company, and press and critics speak in highest praise of the star and her new play.

What little time we have been on the streets this week we have met the following from Clinton: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Belding, Chauncey L. Fuller, wife and daughter, Clara, Mrs. Chas. Fabrique and Fred, Mrs. A. Harlan, Elmer Fuller, Mrs. James McCook, Anna O Hara, H. W. Saxton, John Machen, Fred Lehn, Fred Koering, Mrs. A. B. VanDeMark, Mr. and Mrs. Len Rhodes, Florence House, Rollin Woodard, Mrs. J. B. Wells and Mrs. E. R. Smith.

Beautiful Black Dress Goods goods just opened at
ANDERSON & ROSACHANS'.

The hop at the Armory last Friday evening was the most enjoyable of the season. Most of our society people were present and the festivities were enjoyed by the following from Adrian: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Andrews, Doctors Gibson and Segar, Messrs Whaley, Cochran, Earl Allen, Henry Farnsworth, George Clark, G. Henry Crane, John Hensey, Thomas O'Connell, Mrs. Ed. J. Shephard and the Misses Farnsworth, Cole, Moreland, Gorman, Valle, Ross, Wynn and Dillon.

At the last meeting of the Monday day club, February 1st, Mrs. C. Bramble furnished an interesting paper concerning the life, paintings and engravings o. Albrecht Durer, "The Evangelist of Art." Mrs. Wright read a humorous poem by J. G. Holland, Albert Durer's Studio.

"In the house of Albert Durer
Still is seen the studio,
Where the pretty Nurembergers,
Cheeks of rose and necks of snow,
Sat to have their portraits painted,
Three a hundred years ago."

Mrs. N. P. Howland gave a fine history of Durer's celebrated engravings, the "Great and Little Passion." Miss Minnie Corey compared wood engraving of the sixteenth century with that of the 19th century.

Will Baker made a trip to Detroit Tuesday.

James Kehoe, of Clinton, was on our streets Tuesday.

Al Hand has a large force of men at work this week filling his ice houses.

The Table factory is running this week. We trust it will continue so to do indefinitely.

Mrs. C. A. Wright started for Boston yesterday for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Chas. W. Nase and wife, of Clinton, were in town shopping Monday and called on several friends.

Will Caldwell, John Primrose and Fred Hermann were taking in the sights at Toledo Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thomas Kyle will take a prominent part in the play "Female Masonry." If you want fun, go, for where Tom is there fun is also.

One day last week Vern Heesen struck his hand against the postoffice door and was forced to carry it in a sling for two days.

Among those from Clinton who took in the Fast Mail Monday evening were L. J. Leek, H. W. Saxton, C. H. Thompson, Steve Huntington, Will Kimball, Marvin Pardee, Claude Hause and Ott Gillen.

Ladies' $2.00 Dressing Sacques for 98c, at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Fred E. Morrell, of Britton, offers his farm of 120 acres, located in the township of Macon, for sale or rent. Anyone desiring a farm could not do better than to see Mr. Morrell. It is fine and productive land. The buildings are good and everything up in shape.

Miss Mary McKee has been suffering the past week from heart trouble which she has been subject to for a long time. In this instance it has been no doubt aggravated by the news of the death from pneumonia of a favorite nephew, J. Bruce Pollock, who lived at Exchange, Penn., and had many acquaintances here.

Russell & Garlinghouse Bros. have been for the last few weeks purchasing a large amount of live stock, cattle, sheep and hogs and shipping from Tecumseh. They have paid the highest prices paid in any market near here and as a result have been shipping several cars each week. This good work will go on as long as there is any live stock to buy. Farmers need no longer take their stock to Britton or Adrian.

They had a great cocking main at Jackson Saturday night when Albion birds were pitted against Tecumseh birds. It resulted in a clean sweep for the latter as the two battles won by Albion were the first two when Jackson birds were used and the other nine were won by Tecumseh's birds, breaking the state record. Don't you think for a moment that Tecumseh hasn't great game stock and she has men that know how to fit them for the pit as well.

We will give you more values fo your $'s than any house in Southern Michigan. HARRIS & HITESHU.

Monday evening after supper a team was seen coming down Chicago street, from the west, apparently driverless. They were stopped when lo, the driver was in the bottom of the sleigh beastly intoxicated. It proved to be David Nixon, living east of Clinton, who had been over to Adrian and succumbed to the effects of Adrian's beverages. Being in no condition to continue on home, his team was put in Bennett's barn until he had sobered up sufficiently to know what he was about, when he resumed his journey.

Alva Spayde is making quite extensive changes in his store increasing business in both his clothing and shoe departments thus making it necessary to not only put in a new cash desk but to establish a person there as cashier and bookkeeper. Miss Bessie Spayde takes this position and the new venture will begin Saturday. Every year since Mr. Spayde has been in business in Tecumseh his business has been spreading and for the single reason that he carries the goods people desire to buy and sells them at lowest prices and has the reputation of being square dealing in every way. Such business methods are sure to bring success and it is with much pleasure that the HERALD sees the necessity of this new departure in his business.

Fine $30.00 cutters for $19.00, at
C. A. SLAYTON'S.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will present a laughable farce entitled "Female Masonry" (a La Lease) at Sutton's opera house, Tuesday evening February 9th to be preceded by a musical program which is as follows:—

Orchestra.
Solo—Rev. W. R. Blachford.
Violin Solo—Miss Elliott.
Duet—Rev. W. R. Blachford and Miss Thorpe.
Orchestra.
Solo—Mrs. L. M. Kellogg.
Duet—Rev. W. R. Blachford and Miss Thorpe.
Solo—Mr. Will Elliott.
Orchestra.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Most Illustrious High Mogul—Miss Cutting.
Grand High Pull Hauler—Miss Smeltzer.
Sister Royal Panjandrum—Mrs. F. M. Bryan.
Sister High Muck-a-Muck—Miss Schreder.
Sister Hobble-de-Hoy—Mrs. F. D. Avery.
Sister Gibble Gobble—Mrs. A. R. Boyd.
Sister Linen Draper—Mrs. J. D. VanVleet.
Sister A. F. & A. M.—Mrs. H. S. Waring.
Grand Inner Guard of the Temple Keyhole—Mrs. S. Catlin.
Sister Mary Yelling Screech—Mrs. H. Osborne.
Two Candidates—Miss Anna Shaw and Paul Pry.
Pianist—Miss Root.
Admission 25 cents. Children 15 cents.

Mrs. Geo. W. Knapp expects soon to take a trip to Florida.

W. J. Clark, of Piqua, O., was the guest of A. C. Paxon Saturday.

Those not in the secrets of Masonry don't fail to attend "Female Masonry."

Mrs. George N. Stacy has been quite ill since Saturday and is still confined to her bed.

Bring out the children and let them hear the five artists on 181 bells Monday, Feb. 22.

Mrs. Buell, who has been the guest of John H. Osborn's family, returned yesterday to her home in Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Lilley sailed for Europe on the Red Line steamer Freiseland Wednesday February 3rd.

Miss Florence Montgomery has somewhat recovered from her recent illness but will rest for some weeks from work.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Samsen entertained a number of their old neighbors and friends from Blissfield Monday evening.

There is a rumor on the street this afternoon that by an agreement made with the railroad people today Adrian will get the Lima Northern.

About seventy connected with the young people's society of the Baptist church passed an evening of rare social enjoyment Tuesday at A. VanValkenburg's.

The most entertaining of any of the entertainments given by the Star Course this season will be that by the Royal Hand Bell Ringers, of London, England, on Monday, Feb 22. Admission 50c, children 25c.

John Barkwell, our former laundryman, has again returned to Tecumseh and will take possession of the laundry now run by H. H. Carty. Mr. Barkwell is a first-class workman and hopes to receive the patronage of all of his old customers and as many new ones as possible.

Mrs. Josephine Darling, wife of Frank W. Darling, of Onsted, died Monday morning at 5 o'clock. The funeral was attended by Rev. E. C. Andrus, of this place, Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Darling was a daughter of Rev. Robert Wooden who was buried last week at the same place. She, like her father, had a wide circle of acquaintances who join in deep sympathy for the family who are left.

The following from here expect to attend the hop at Adrian this evening:—R. S. Moore and wife, W. W. Whiting and wife, E. F. Kirchgessner and wife, Merton, Roy and Leon Burlingame, Roy Hughes, Lavern Smith, Clyde Heck, Bert Garlinghouse, W. C. Burridge, Charlie Bidwell, Frank Cillson, George Tiffany, Raynor Brewer, Will Hicks and the Misses Lena Hardenburg, Julia Hicks, Camilla Meade, Harriet Whittier, Etta Thorp, Inez Thorp, Mabel Clements, Winnifred DeWolf and Viola Shull.

To step into L. D. Dewey's poultry house almost any day one would think by the great quantity of choice poultry there displayed that the season had just commenced instead of being nearly over. The amount bought, dressed and shipped by Mr. Dewey seems almost incredible. Just think of it, this late in the season he is shipping nearly two cars per week. And think what this represents in dollars and cents distributed by him to the farming community and the employment given to many hands.

If you ever want a cutter, now is the time to buy it. C. A. Slayton has just bought a few $30.00 cutters where they had to be sold for $19.00. Come quick if you want one.

Receiver's Sale.

—The stock, fixtures and book accounts of the druggist firm of Baker & Hall will be exposed for sale at public auction on the 6th day of February, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the store lately occupied by said firm at Tecumseh. Terms cash.

E. J. SHEPHERD,
Receiver.

David B. VanTyne

Was born at Auburn in the state of New York in 1812 and died in Tecumseh, Mich., Sunday, January 24, 1897, having lived nearly 85 years. Mr. Van Tyne came to Michigan in 1830, first settling in Pontiac. He remained there only a short time, coming on to Tecumseh the same year, and started a furniture business which he conducted for nearly 30 years.

David VanTyne came from one of those early day New York families whose first thought was frugality and honesty, and with his death this family becomes extinct, he being the last of eleven children. His life of 66 years in Tecumseh, over 58 of which were spent under the same roof which covered his lifeless body, was in a measure uneventful, for the reason that he gave no one trouble or annoyance in any way. He was cheerful and encouraging in manner to every one and an especial favorite among the younger people, expressing in his latter years many, many times his gratitude for their seeming kindnesses to him in his infirm old age.

In an early day he was president of the village council for a term. Was a charter member of St. Peter's church and a valuable member of the vestry until bodily infirmities compelled his resignation. Was a soldier in the Black Hawk and Toledo wars under General Brown, Gov. S. T. Mason having signed his commission in 1839. For many years he was a member of the Odd Fellows' lodge.

In the summing up of this short sketch of a long life it may be said that he lived for the good he might do. One by one the pioneers drop away, seemingly to be forgotten, yet leaving a void that can never be filled. Less than six months since Mrs. VanTyne joined the great majority and now these two, so dear to each other on earth, are once more joined never again to be separated.

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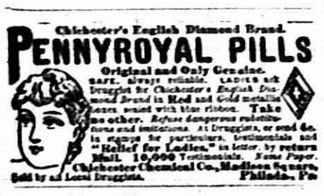

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THE BED OF BEDS.

Pleasures of the Couch Made of Boughs in Camps in the Woods.

There are beds and beds, but none is so comfortable, so restful, or so interesting as that which the hunter, fisherman, or plain camper-out makes for himself from the boughs of evergreen trees in the forests of Maine, Canada, or any of the other great hunting regions along the northern border.

This bed, made of short trimmings of twigs form the spruce, cedar, hemlock or balsam, or all four together, consists entirely of the "feathers" of the trees, the six-inch outshoots from branches, with the plume end up, laid against a prostrate two-inch sappling, so that the head may have a pillow. As the twigs stand nearly erect the bed is four or five inches deep, and a blanket spread over it yields and springs back as one rolls over it. The bed, wide in proportion to the number of persons to use it, and seven feet long, is as fluffy as a haymow, and gives forth a scent that soothes and heals one's senses and body.

But the bough bed is getting less and less used. Hotels and fancy cottage camps with spring beds and linen sheets are slowly superseding the old-style hunter's bed because of the difficulty and bother of getting a new bed every trip. It will be a long time, however, before balsam bough pillows cease to be used in even the most aristocratic of hunters' lodges.

A Snap Shot.

A little child often not only leads, but amuses by original descriptions of ordinary events. Says the Pittsburgh Chronicle: A judge's little daughter, who had attended her father's court for the first time, was very much interested in the proceedings. After her return home she told her mother: "Papa made a speech, and several other men made speeches, to 12 men who sat all together, and then these 12 men were put in a dark chamber to be developed."

HEARD IN WASHINGTON.

Stories That Are Good Enough to Bear Repetition.

How Senator Wolcott Surprised a Lady Correspondent—A Dude Victimized by His Tailor—A Geography Lesson in Indiana.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, does not deny the story, and it is probably a true one. When he was a young man he was, as now, attorney for several large railway corporations. He was regarded by the gentler sex as a confirmed bachelor, proof against all the advances and charms of matrimony. A lady in the southern part of the state desired a pass to Denver. She wrote a friend, who was well acquainted with Mr. Wolcott, asking her to request a pass from him, and like all women, she wrote a postcript, which in this instance was as follows:

"P. S.—I wish you would also send me one of those P. D. corsets; the kind you wore when I was last in Denver. I think they are just too lovely for anything."

Her friend being in very much of a hurry, and momentarily forgetting all about the postcript, indorsed a request on the back and forwarded the letter to Mr. Wolcott. A reply came promptly as follows:

"Dear Madam—I inclose a pass, as requested, for your friend Miss ——. I would send her the P. D. corset, but have forgotten her number. Very respectfully,
"E. O. WOLCOTT."

American Girl's Touching Fate.

Congressman Madd, of Maryland, tells a true story, and it has a moral, too. It is concerning a beautiful girl in a small Maryland city, who was regarded as the handsomest and most entertaining young lady in that vicinity. She married a gentleman who held a commission in the Austrian army. He was kind, amiable, and there was no question as to his social position. She went with her husband to his far-off home. She knew no German (he spoke English very well) and had no knowledge of the world. She could speak to nobody for awhile, until she mastered enough of the language of the country to get along. The few amusements permitted her were not those she had been used to, and the absolute social freedom to come and go without suspicion was all gone. Ten years ago a former friend was in a garrison town of Austria, and there met with what had been the sweetly pretty girl of a few years before. He never saw such a change. "You are the only American I have met that I ever knew before in ten years," she said. "I am not unhappy, but I think if our girls at home could only know or understand how different everything here is from what they have been used to, they would never dream of marrying a man who was not an American. I have gone for years and never heard my mother tongue. Leopold (her husband) is in command here. But there are no ladies for me to associate with. In the Austrian service no man is permitted to marry until he has a certain income. The young officers therefore cannot marry, for they are generally poor. Those who are rich go into the guards regiments, which are at Vienna or other large cities. So we get the worst and poorest educated in the line. I have not spoken to a lady in six months. You cannot imagine my unutterable loneliness." As he bade her good-by she broke into a torrent of tears, and said: "I am so lonely. I am so lonely. Oh, that I could go home!"

Upon his return to America he saw her mother, and told her that her daughter was dying of homesickness. She was brought home, but the bad living and miasma had done its work only too well, and she died within three weeks after she came under her father's roof. If our girls could only know, or if they would only think, how much unhappiness they would save themselves! The first thing the foreigner thinks of in marrying is money, and not an American girl in 100 is married for any other cause than that she has or will have money. This rule is absolute.

Knowledge Licked Into Him.

Amos Cummings, of New York, not only tells the story in the cloak room of the house of representatives, but he says that he printed it once, and has it in his scrap book. He says that he got it from ex-Congressman Holman, the

"SIT DOWN ON THE WOODPILE."

chronic objector. It seems that a rural schoolmaster in Indiana asked a pupil named William Scott which was the longest river in the world, and William persisted in crediting that honor to the Wabash. As a result he went home with a tanned jacket. As another result, a stranger appeared and knocked on the door.

"Is this the skule teacher?" he pleasantly inquired.

"He are!"

"Are you the critter as licked Bill Scott fur sticking up fur the Wabash?"

"The same, sir."

"Wall, Bill happens to be my son, and I've come fur to gin you the awfullest whalin' ever writ down in geography."

"Can you wait until I am through with this class in spelling?" asked the teacher.

"Oh! I s'pose so, but under the circumstances I hope ye'll cut it as short as possible. Haven't got my corn husked, ye know."

"Certainly. I never keep a gentleman waiting when I can help it. Sit down on the wood pile, Mr. Scott. I'll come out and pulverize you in just nine minutes."

At the end of the appointed time the teacher reappeared, and at once rushed into the waiting Mr. Scott and blacked his eyes, broke his jaw and flattened his nose. By and by Mr. Scott said he had all he wanted, and added:

"Which is the longest river in the world?"

"The Amazon, sir."

"Am-a-zon. Please write it down for me. You've licked it into me in fust-class style and when I git home and git my paws onto my son Bill he'll come to believe that there hain't nuff water in the Wabash to wash his mother's feet with! Am-a-zon! Good-by, critter!"

The Victim of His Tailor.

There is a young bank clerk here who always dresses up to the prevalent style. He sent his trousers to the tailor to be creased, and they were returned to him in the evening. After dinner he resolved to visit one of his fair adorables, and he donned that pair of trousers. When on the street he noticed to his horror that his usually careful tailor had creased but one leg, and the other was limp and lifeless.

To make the matter worse a small boy called the attention of the whole street to the discrepancy, by shouting:

"Hey, Butch! Git onto de dude with de joblot legs!"

He had not time to go back, and so he tried to appear oblivious. He thought the girl would be polite enough not to say anything, but he was sure that she would notice it. When he arrived he did all he could to hide his lower extremities, but her little sister made a stage whisper to the hostess and said:

"What funny legs! They ain't mates, are they?"

Told a Lie and Took a Walk.

Bob La Folette, of Wisconsin, says that when he was going to the capitol in a cable car a bride and groom got aboard at Seventh street crossing.

THE DUDE IN THE STREET CAR.

When the conductor came around for the fares the young man fumbled in his vest pocket and then brought a $100 bill, which he reached out to the conductor with two fingers.

"Nothin' smaller?" queried the official, who had caught the distant rattle of silver in the young man's pocket.

"The only change I've got," returned the youth haughtily.

"Can't take it, then," said the conductor, reaching for the bell rope.

The astonished youth looked frightened.

"What's the matter?" he exclaimed, as he thought of the rain and mud outside.

"Counterfeit—that's all," calmly returned the conductor. "Sorry you ain't got the change."

The bell rope was pulled and the youth got off with his girl. He had the change, but he was afraid to confess to a lie before the carful of passengers.

Conjugal Magnanimity in Tunis.

John O'Connor was for many years private secretary to the late "Sunset" Cox. He has traveled extensively himself, and learned much concerning foreign countries from his versatile employer. He tells me that the bey of Tunis supports a large harem, but a very modest one. He has had only three wives, and one of them is dead. The survivor, happening to be in Constantinople some years ago, bought a beautiful young girl and brought her back to Morocco to be Ali Bey's wife. Now there was conjugal amgnanimity for you! These two wives live most harmoniously together; they dress in European fashion, and, for that matter, so does Ali Bey, who is now 70 years of age. The bey has ten children, five boys and five girls. A lack of money has compelled the old gentleman to send the children to the schools patronized by common people. Yet the bey receives annually 1,200,000 piasters from the government, and his personal estate is valued at $14,000. The entire absence of jealousy among the wives and favorites of Mussulmans presents a direct contrast to the feeling that obtains among womankind in other parts of the world, and illustrates how all-powerful is custom when prescribed by articles of religious faith.

SMITH D. FRY.

A Scarecrow for Mosquitoes.

Prof. Pheltschue, a German naturalist, has discovered a curious way of repelling the attacks of mosquitoes. The little pest has a deadly enemy in the dragon fly, which pursues it and feeds upon it. The professor has found by many experiments that the dried bodies of a few dragon flies suspended by threads around a bed keep the mosquitoes at a distance.

PERSONNEL OF THE NAVY.

Desertions from Uncle Sam's Ships Are Few and Far Between.

The report from Washington to the effect that 4,000 bluejackets are needed to man the new vessels of the American navy about to go into commission recalls a remark made by Admiral Bunce one day last summer, says the New York Mail and Express. The North Atlantic squadron lay at anchor off Staten Island and Father Knickerbocker and his country visitors were going down to quarantine daily to look at the splendid fighting ships. A reporter went aboard the flagship one morning and enjoyed a pleasant chat with the gallant admiral. Said he:

"The type of man-of-war's-man of to-day is far different from the old-time bluejacket. Desertions are almost unknown from the navy now. Here is a vessel which cost in round numbers $2,000,000. The men consider it their home and they take an immense amount of pride in it. How many men are there ashore who can sleep and eat in a house which cost as much money? Look about you and note the faces of the bluejackets here."

The sailormen in sight were certainly a fine-looking lot. The admiral surveyed them admiringly and then said: "So far as the personnel of the crew goes the vessels in the American navy are away ahead of those of any foreign power."

DISCREDITING THE HUMANITIES.

The College Bought "Mugs of the Old Greek Duffers."

It is charged, with a good deal of vigor and generality of statement, that the college fills the mind with useless knowledge and trains it in antiquated methods of thought and action, says the Forum. In the same breath it is added that the scientific school gives practical knowledge and that its training is vital. The comparison between the dead languages and the modern is made—always to the credit of the modern. The value of modern history and of economic science is made to appear greater than that of ancient history and of philosophy. Scientific studies are lauded as by far the most precious. The humanities are discredited. I remember hearing at a hotel table a conversation between two recent graduates of the scientific school of a rich and famous university. "Mr. ——," said one, "gave several thousand dollars for any use the officers wished to make of the money. And what do you think they did with it? Why, instead of buying something useful, they spent it all in buying some mugs of the old Greek duffers." It was evident that the study of the humanities had not seriously influenced the manners nor the linguistic tastes of the graduates in question.

CRUSOE'S ISLAND DISAPPEARS.

Reported Sinking of Juan Fernandez Land by Volcanic Action.

A few weeks ago a vessel putting in at Lisbon after a trip around Cape Horn, reported the destruction by volcanic action of the Juan Fernandez Island, famous as the scene of "Robinson Crusoe." The master claimed to have seen the catastrophe from the deck of his vessel. The report was not given credence at the time by scientific men, and many denials were printed in papers and magazines. But Capt. Powells, of the British ship James Kerr, asserts that the story is generally believed by seafaring men all over the world. The James Kerr has recently arrived from Newcastle, N. S. W., where she was laid up four months on account of the coal mine strike. Capt. Powells met a very large number of master mariners there, and says that the destruction of the island was a matter of common gossip among them. The captain himself has not passed within sight of the island since 1889, when he secured a photograph of it from the deck of his ship. He says that some of the captains who arrived in Newcastle while he was there verified the report, that the island was missing.

The Unit of Heat.

We cannot, of course, measure heat by yards, pints or pounds, but the unit of heat (the standard measure of that phenomenon) has been agreed upon by those whose business it is to philosophize on that subject to be that quantity which can raise a pound of water one degree. Now, to turn a pound of water into a pound of steam requires 967 of these units of heat; that is to say, if we boil a pound of water until it all goes away in steam we shall have used in doing so a quantity of heat which would have raised 967 pounds of water one degree higher in temperature.

A Valuable Pair of Trousers.

The boys of Yale in the old days used to bribe the printers' "devils" to get proofs of the examination papers for them. When the college authorities put a stop to this practice a bright idea seized one fellow and he saved the whole suffering party. He hired one of the printers (it was summer) to wear a pair of white trousers to the office and at noon to sit down on the "form" in which were locked the precious questions. The inky seat of that pair of trousers sold for a deal more than the clothes were worth in their original spotlessness.

Utica, Jan. 29.—Anna Newman, aged 16, dropped dead Wednesday afternoon. She stepped out to get a stick of wood, slipped on the walk and, in trying to recover herself, ruptured a blood vessel in the brain.

Republican Clubs.

Detroit, Jan. 30.—The tenth annual convention of the National League of Republican clubs is to be held in this city July 13-15, and President-elect McKinley has signified his intention to be present.

Furniture Company Fails.

Decatur, Feb. 3.—The Doherty Hardware & Furniture company, at Coleman, has filed chattel mortgages covering its entire stock in favor of John M. Morley, of East Saginaw, as trustee.

Consumption in its advanced stages is beyond the power of man to cure. It can be prevented though, by the timely use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

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The bill for government foreclosure on the Union Pacific has been filed at Omaha in the United States court.

[illegible] was troubled with quinsy for five years. Thomas' Electric Oil cured me. My wife and child had diptheria. Thomas' Electric Oil cured them. I would not be without it in the house for any consideration." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y.

Fire at Mingo Junction, O., wiped out nearly the entire business part of the town.

The Most Fatal Disease.

It is not generally known that more adults die of Kidney trouble than any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear no time should be lost in taking Foley's Kidney Cure, which is guaranteed or money refunded. Orr & Temple.

The "Lexow" investigation at Kansas City is developing the fact that where a policeman found any gambling going on he was transferred to another beat.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1 per bottle at Baker & Hall's Drug Store. 2

Harvard students are red hot against the proposed abolition of the "scrimmage" on class day.

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Miss Sophonisba P. Breckinridge, daughter of Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, has been admitted to the bar at Frankfort, Ky.

You should know that Foley's Honey and Tar is absolutely the best remedy for all diseases of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dealers are authorized to guarantee it to give satisfaction in all cases. Orr & Temple.

General John D. Stevenson, of St. Louis, is dead. He served with distinction in the Mexican and civil wars. He was loyal during the civil war.

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From Adirondacks.

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FOR over a year I suffered with complete nervous prostration as the result of La Grippe, writes Mr. Ball of Lake Placid, N. Y. Doctors did all they could but their efforts were without results, and I grew worse. My trouble affected my mind, but kind nature came to my relief by helping me to think, 'If I only had a helping hand to aid nature to build me up slowly and surely.' The result was I refused all other medicine and my wife procured a bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine which I took faithfully and am fully restored to health. I write this hoping it may help others, for Dr. Miles' Remedies surely cure.

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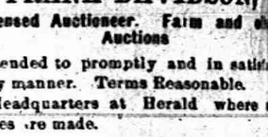

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Atlantic Express ..... 5:24 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited ..... 7:24 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation ..... 3:48 p. m.
New York Express ..... 9:37 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 353. Express	No. 35 Accom
Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 5 P M
Tecumseh	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Clarklake	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 43 "	1 "
Bridgewater	6 58 "	2 58 "	1 35 "
Dexter	7 18 "	3 18 "	2 06 "
Delhi	7 43 "	3 45 "	3 "
Ar. Ann Arbor	8 00 "	4 00 "	
Ypsilanti	8 41 "	4 20 "	
Detroit	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 2

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 354 Express.	No. 3 Accom
Lv Detroit		6 50 P.M.	
Ypsilanti	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	
Ann Arbor	8 07 "	8 50 "	8 00 A M
Delhi	9 09 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Dexter	9 38 "	9 50 "	
Bridgewater	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Manchester	9 58 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
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FARM AND GARDEN.

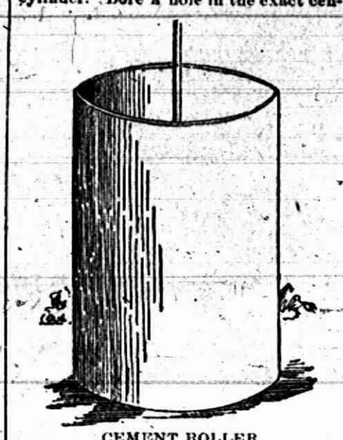
FARM CONVENIENCES.

Cement Can Be Advantageously Used for Many Purposes.

The use of cement for stable floors is becoming more and more general each year. There are other uses for the same material about the farm, two of which are suggested in the accompanying illustrations. One is a cement watering trough made by using two wooden boxes of different sizes to form a mold. Put in a thick layer of cement, sharp

CEMENT WATERING TROUGH.

sand and sharp gravel well mixed upon the bottom of the larger box, then set upon this the smaller box, as shown in Fig. 1, and fill in about the sides. If a vent is desired, in the bottom or side, put a round bit of wood in the position where the opening is desired, as the cement is being filled in. The second convenience is a lawn and garden roller. Get a sheet of sheet iron and fit a disc of wood into one end to make it a perfect cylinder. Bore a hole in the exact center of the disc to insert an iron rod. Place on end, with the disc end down. Select a round rod for the core of the roller, and drive it through the hole in the disc, a few inches into the ground, keeping the rod exactly in the center of the cylinder at the top. The mold, as seen in Fig. 2, is now ready to fill with cement. A light handle is attached to the iron center, and the roller is complete. Use the best cement, the sharpest of sand and gravel and mix thoroughly, that every particle of the cement may be wet. Round off all sharp edges when the articles are taken from the molds.—Webb Donnell, in Orange Judd Farmer.



CEMENT ROLLER.

NEW WESTERN CROP.

Authentic Information Concerning the Value of Kafir Corn.

"Wheat and corn may not be grown after this in Kansas." The words are reported to have been uttered by a Kansas minister, who praises the meal of the comparatively new cereal, Kafir corn, as more nutritious than wheat flour and of "unsurpassed flavor."

According to the best information obtained by the Kansas department of agriculture, the Kansas agricultural college and the United States department of agriculture, these claims cannot be sustained. Kafir corn, an Egyptian millet, is a most useful plant, but it is never likely to supersede either wheat or Indian corn.

The plant is a sorghum. There are several varieties; the best is known as the red Kafir corn.

As a crop it has these striking advantages: the yield is larger, by from 20 to 50 per cent., than Indian corn; it will grow and yield a crop—not a large one—on very poor soil; it is injured much less than Indian corn by drought, and even when withered by the hot, dry winds of the prairies, it will recover under moisture.

It forms an excellent food for cattle and pigs. All the experiments of which many have been made by scientific agriculturists, show that it is inferior in fattening power to either wheat or corn. Nevertheless, as a surer and larger crop than corn, it promises most important results for regions like Kansas and Nebraska, where scorching winds frequently wither the corn and destroy the crop.

As food for man, it is nourishing, wholesome and palatable. But the latest conclusions of the national department of agriculture, communicated to us, are that its use will probably be somewhat like that of buckwheat—it will form an occasional rather than a staple article of diet. In nourishing power it stands at 27, where bolted cornmeal stands at 37, wheat flour at 45, and oatmeal at 62.

Heretofore it has been difficult to grind Kafir corn fine enough for use as human food. It is said that this difficulty has been overcome lately. If so, there will soon be an opportunity to test its food value on an extensive scale.—Youth's Companion.

Examine the Seed Potatoes.

The earlier the potatoes can be started the better, as it is the hot, dry weather that damages them. It is now customary to sprout the small potatoes before planting, handling them carefully, in order to secure an early start. Now is the time to look over the seed potatoes, throwing out every one that shows the slightest signs of rot, and every potato used for seed should be carefully examined. Do not use seed that came from land where rot has occurred. Better procure sound seed from elsewhere, even if the cost is increased for carriage.

THE AMERICAN FARMER.

He Can Secure No Reforms Save Those of His Own Making.

There are a good many discouraging things for the American farmer to contemplate at this time. Some of them are political, some economic, some social. Some are due to the selfishness and greed of man; some to corrupt influences in public places, some to ignorance as to remedies to be applied. Most of these discouragements are the outgrowth of years and can be corrected only by time and experience. Meantime the farmer suffers.

But the farmer cannot escape responsibility if he permits untoward conditions which are within his own control to continue. The other day a representative of the Farmers' Voice discovered a large farmer in the "corn belt" of Illinois who had stored up in his granaries three crops of corn—1894, '95, '96—and who would not sell a bushel because the price he had himself fixed three years ago had not been reached. That man will doubtless grow another corn crop in 1897—and may have to build a granary to accommodate it. The leading grocer in one of the towns in the "belt" told the Voice man that every cabbage he sold was shipped in from Chicago!

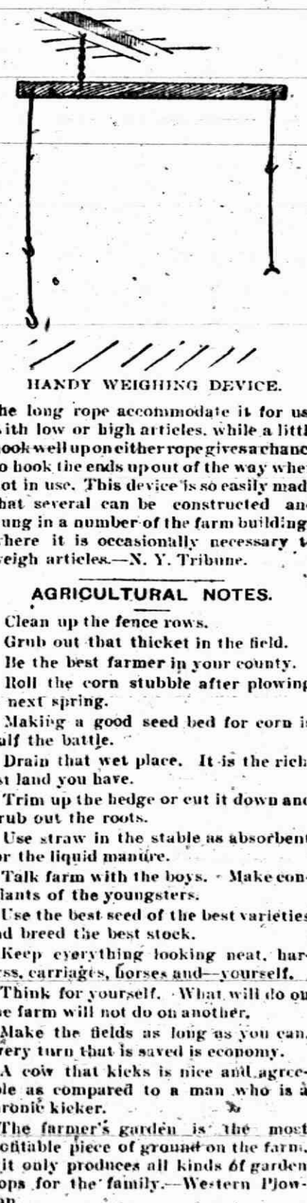
We talk of competition and the crowding of population. What will we do if we pursue present methods, when the population is numbered by the hundreds of millions? Let us learn now the lessons of intensive and economic farming—scientific farming—as practiced in the old world. Take the island of Jersey for example. There are 45 square miles, something more than an Illinois township, and there are 60,000 people. What of its agriculture? The island contains 12,000 head of cattle, or 65 head to every 100 cultivated acres. The island of Guernsey is but 25 square miles in extent, sustains a population of 30,000, and 66 head of cattle to every 100 cultivated acres is the rule. And these little islands are the richest and best farming lands to be found anywhere.

The greatest reform the farmer can ever secure will be of his own making. When American farmers adopt scientific methods there will be no hard times for them, and the American farmers who do practice this method now prove it. Intelligent, economical management of the farm, careful reading of the market reports and study of the principles which underlie the business of farming, will make the American farmers the most prosperous in the world.—Farmers' Voice.

WEIGHING DEVICE.

So Easily Made That Each Farm Building Should Have One.

Many times one wishes to swing a heavy article—a bag of grain or sack of potatoes—just clear of the floor in order to weigh them. A handy device is shown herewith, the working of which can be seen at a glance. Two hooks in



HANDY WEIGHING DEVICE.

the long rope accommodate it for use with low or high articles, while a little hook well upon either rope gives a chance to hook the ends up out of the way when not in use. This device is so easily made that several can be constructed and hung in a number of the farm buildings where it is occasionally necessary to weigh articles.—N. Y. Tribune.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Clean up the fence rows.

Grub out that thicket in the field.

Be the best farmer in your county.

Roll the corn stubble after plowing it next spring.

Making a good seed bed for corn is half the battle.

Drain that wet place. It is the richest land you have.

Trim up the hedge or cut it down and grub out the roots.

Use straw in the stable as absorbent for the liquid manure.

Talk farm with the boys. Make confidants of the youngsters.

Use the best seed of the best varieties and breed the best stock.

Keep everything looking neat, harness, carriages, horses and—yourself.

Think for yourself. What will do on one farm will not do on another.

Make the fields as long as you can. Every turn that is saved is economy.

A cow that kicks is nice and agreeable as compared to a man who is a chronic kicker.

The farmer's garden is the most profitable piece of ground on the farm, if it only produces all kinds of garden crops for the family.—Western Plowman.

Fertilizing with Electricity.

Mr. Nikola Tesla, the electrical expert and inventor, has recently suggested the possibility of using electricity as a fertilizing agent for the soil. The currents produced by perfected electrical oscillators, he says, are capable of causing the chemical combination of the nitrogen with the oxygen of the atmosphere. If this combination were carried on upon an industrial scale, which he thinks is possible, then the product could be used as a fertilizer, and in his opinion the benefits to humanity would be incalculable.

FIGHT KEEPS UP.

More Anti-Street Railway Legislation Introduced.

Constructed on Lines Recommended by Gov. Pingree—Blow at Palace and Dining Car Companies—Capital Gossip.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, Feb. 3.—Gov. Pingree's attack on the Detroit street railway companies came to the surface in the house Thursday. A bill was introduced which embodies the ideas outlined by the governor in his inaugural message. It contemplates a law forbidding the extension of the franchise of any corporation in Michigan during the constitutional period of 30 years for which the franchise under which it may be operating was granted. In other words a corporation cannot apply to a board of aldermen for a new lease of 30 years' life ten or fifteen years before its corporate life expires. Another bill requires companies in cities having a population of 150,000 to give at least a five-minute service. A bill requiring that all railroad companies in the lower peninsula reduce passenger fares to two cents per mile is being prepared for introduction.

The Pullman and Wagner palace and dining car companies have also a fight on their hands. Among the bills presented last week in the house was one providing for a tax of ten mills on the dollar upon the actual value of the capital stock of all kinds in the hands of these companies, invested in Michigan during the year preceding the taxable year. Provision is made for taxing cars that run in and out of the state. Those companies whose business is confined to Michigan, and who pay specific and other taxes, are exempted.

A proposition to amend the constitution so as to provide for annual sessions of the legislature has been noticed, the plan being to devote 50 days the first year to the introduction of bills which shall not be acted upon until the following year, thus giving the people time to consider them fully.

Labor measures noticed prohibit the payment of employes in anything but cash and make all general election days legal holidays. The latter bill is designed to make it impossible for employers to disfranchise their men by requiring them to work or lose their jobs. Another bill provides for the branding of all convict made goods, while a fourth absolutely prohibits the contracting of convict labor and provides that the prisoners be employed at hand work for state institutions and on the highways.

One of the good roads measures which became a law two years ago provides that farmers whose wagon tires are of a certain width shall be exempted from one-fourth of the road tax. Representative Bricker says the result has been the diminution of revenue and the consequent loss of road improvement. He has a bill to repeal the law of 1895.

Gov. Pingree has appointed Nathan M. Richardson, of Caro, assistant adjutant general of the state militia. Mr. Richardson was born in 1845, entered the Second Michigan infantry at the age of 16 and served honorably with it all through the war. He was wounded several times and was a prisoner for many months.

It is the general belief that J. L. Cox, of Battle Creek, will be the successor of State Statistician De Land.

The bill recently introduced for the organization of a new county to be called Pingree county provides for the cutting of Ontonagon county squarely in two and the south half to be called Pingree. As now organized people who live in the southern part of the county have to go to Sidnaw, Houghton county, and from there 45 miles to Ontonagon to reach the county seat, making a distance of about 75 miles from Ewen, which is directly south of Ontonagon 24 miles, but the long route has to be taken. Ewen will undoubtedly be chosen as the county seat for Pingree county.

Representative Chamberlain has introduced a joint resolution looking to an amendment to the state constitution to provide for annual sessions of the legislature not to exceed 75 days, also a joint resolution fixing the compensation of members at $750. These are companion resolutions to one previously introduced limiting the time for introduction of bills to 25 days.

The labor men scored a victory in the house Tuesday, securing the passage by the committee of the whole of the Eikhof bill, providing that blowers be used on all dustmaking machines in factories and authorizing deputy sheriffs to make complaints for violations.

Among the new bills introduced in the house is one to exempt real estate mortgages from taxation, the reason being that the mortgagor invariably pays the tax in addition to the interest.

The anti-railroad pass fever has broken out in the legislature in most virulent form. The question has been frequently discussed since the session began, and many members have returned passes sent them. Tuesday Representative Lusk gave notice of a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution making it an offense punishable by removal from office for any public official to accept a free railroad pass or a telegraph, telephone or express frank. It is not improbable that such a proposition will be submitted to the people at the fall election.

It is proposed by a recently introduced bill to give to townships authority to purchase gravel pits, stone quarries and road-making machinery for the purpose of improving the highways.

Following are among the measures noticed or introduced in the house last week:

For the examination and supervision of private banks by the state banking department; making the agreement of nine jurors sufficient to decide civil cases; to turn over to the United States the $20,000 in the state treasury for the building of a marine hospital at Sault Ste. Marie; to provide for incorporation of Methodist Protestant Episcopal churches; to prevent publishers sending periodicals longer than for the period of subscription; to authorize incorporation of a home for the aged, infirm or indigent men or women; for the prevention of the spread of various insects or infectious diseases of fruit trees grown in this or imported from other states; prohibiting the insuring of lives of persons under 17 and over 65 years of age; providing for the payment of a bounty of $35 for wolves, $5 for lynx and $3 for wildcats; requiring adulterated baking powder to be so branded, providing a severe penalty for school officers who refuse to comply with the law requiring that each school in the state be supplied with an American flag; to make the manufacturers of beat sugar pay at least $4 a ton to the producer for sugar beets, and to make the state pay a bounty of one cent a pound to the manufacturer for the sugar manufactured therefrom.

EMMETT.

AFTER PINGREE'S SCALP.

Suit to Oust the Governor from the Detroit Mayoralty.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 2.—The first steps were taken to the Michigan supreme court Monday to oust Gov. Pingree from the office of Mayor of Detroit, which he has presumed to hold since his inauguration as governor. The proceeding was commenced by Attorney Fred A. Baker, of Detroit, the noted constitutional lawyer, who asks for an order directing the Detroit common council to show cause why mandamus should not issue to compel the holding of a special election in that city at which to choose a successor to Mayor Pingree, who, by accepting the office of governor, is declared to have vacated the office of mayor. The two offices are said to be incompatible.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 3.—The supreme court refused to issue the mandamus applied for by Attorney Fred A. Baker Monday night, directing the common council of Detroit to declare the office of mayor vacant and order a special election to fill the vacancy. The court held that there is plenty of time before the next election to let the case go through the proper channel, the Wayne circuit court. The contention was that Mayor Pingree by his assumption of the office of governor of Michigan had vacated the office of mayor of Detroit.

ALGER HONORED.

President-Elect Invites Him to a Place in His Cabinet.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—Friday was Maj. McKinley's birthday, and he celebrated it by tendering the portfolio of war to Gen. Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, who accepted it with cheerful alacrity. Gen. Alger authorized the press to say that he has accepted the portfolio of war. Gen. Alger was asked if all differences between himself and Senator Sherman had been arranged. "Yes," said he. "We are on good terms and will work together in harmony."

Gives $120,000 in Public Bequests.

Battle Creek, Feb. 2.—The will of Charles Willard, the hermit, who died Sunday, was made public Monday. It bequeaths $40,000 to the Young Men's Christian association of this city for a building, $40,000 to the Battle Creek public schools for a library building, and $10,000 to the Baptist college at Kalamazoo. The remainder of the property is divided among the legal heirs. A few days prior to his death he deeded to the city 16 acres of frontage on Goguac lake as a park.

Alleged Counterfeiter Arrested.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 3.—John Depree, an engraver employed in a local office, is under arrest charged with engraving the plate from which $20 counterfeit bills were printed by George and Frank Kingston, of Ionia, recently convicted of counterfeiting. Fred Hauck, a Belding saloonist, and Simpson Craig, of Jackson, are also under arrest for shoving the bogus bills.

Acquitted and Married.

Benton Harbor, Jan. 31.—Delbert E. Milian was acquitted Saturday in the circuit court at St. Joseph of the charge of robbing the American Express company at Niles of a package containing $2,000. Immediately after the verdict was announced Milian was married to his sweetheart, Mattie Edwards, of Niles, in the courtroom.

Fell from a Car.

Port Huron, Jan. 30.—Fred Bathey, immigrant inspector, was instantly killed Friday afternoon by falling from the platform of a car while the train was passing through a tunnel. His body was found shortly after the accident, the wheels of the car evidently having passed over his head.

Fatal Flames.

Belleville, Jan. 27.—Fire destroyed the farmhouse of A. E. Vandawater, about three miles from this place, at three o'clock Tuesday morning, and Mrs. Vandawater perished in the flames. Four other occupants of the house escaped in their night clothing, but were badly frostbitten.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 21, 1891 and recorded on the 28th day of May, 1891 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99 of Mortgages on page 185,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 58-100 dollars ($1457 58) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet, thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan on the 28th day of December A D 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5 of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5 east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the Saline and Tecumseh road so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 18 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jacobs; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5 of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

Reserving all the growing wheat on all the lands above described with right to harvest and remove the same.

Dated January 6, 1897.

CLARIBEL PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the former residence of Alvinza Whelan in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 12th day of February 1897 and on the 5th day of June 1897 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of January A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 11, 1897.

W. A. BEEBE
JOHN BURTLESS,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

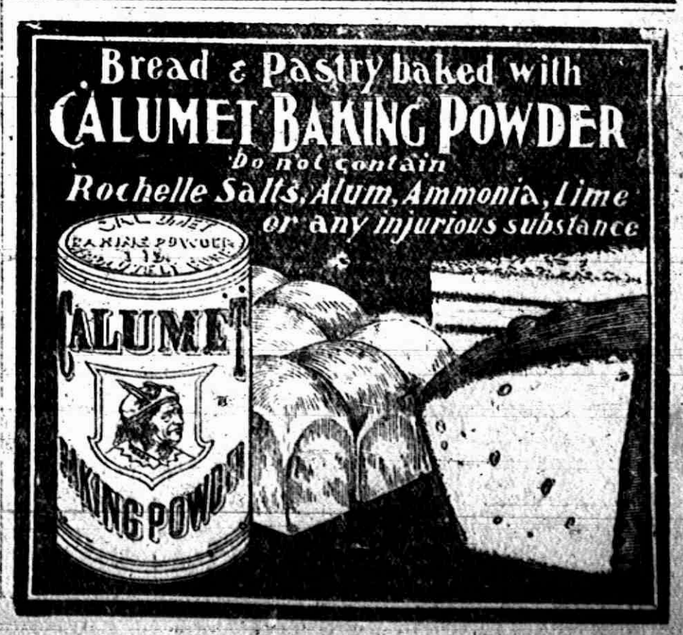
Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 31 1893, executed by John McLain and Annie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich. to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 139 of Mortgages on page 312 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas he amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Fifty-three hundred and eighty-seven and 8-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 1st, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.



OLD FACES DISAPPEAR.

Pingree Men Installed at the State Capital.

GOVERNOR CARING FOR FRIENDS.

Wants of the Michigan Federation of Labor In the Line of Convict Labor Legislation. Question of Repealing the Special Charters of Railways—The New Dairy and Food Commissioner. Bill to

Lansing, Feb. 2.—Governor Pingree has not spent a great deal of time in Lansing since the first of January, but, every one was aware of his presence when he has been here. This does not mean that he proclaims the fact from the housetops, nor that he unduly parades himself. He does not have to resort to either expediency. He is the most sought-after man in the city. There are always scores of men with axes to grind awaiting his coming and they hang on his footsteps until he departs. There is no time of the day when his office is not occupied by at least a score of persons anxiously waiting for an opportunity to talk with him. One of the new sights encountered since his inauguration is that of the chief executive of the state going to and from his hotel with a bevy of newspaper men at his heels. The correspondents of the Detroit dailies look to his excellency for much of their copy, and whenever they get hold of him they are sure to get what they are after.

If any one had an idea that Governor Pingree was not going to dictate matters as far as possible, he has probably changed his mind by this time. This dictation has not extended to anything further than who should fill the subordinate positions under the bureau officers whom he appoints, but he has not dropped a thread in this regard. So far there has been a complete exodus of the subordinate officials in all the departments over which he has appointed the heads, with the single exception of commissioner of railroads. There two of the old employes still remain, but there is time to supersede them yet. In the military offices the old faces have already disappeared, the same being true of the dairy and food department. In every case a Pingree man has been installed, the governor frankly confessing his purpose to take care of his friends, his only regret being the dearth of positions. It is understood that this policy will be pursued to the end.

Convict Labor Legislation.

The legislative committee of the Michigan Federation of Labor has finally declared itself as to what it wants in the line of convict labor legislation. Their bill prohibits the contracting of the labor of prisoners and the employment of any machinery save that which can be operated either by hand or foot power. Not more than one-twentieth of the inmates of any prison are to be employed in the same industry, unless it be the making of supplies for other state institutions. The most interesting provision of the bill, however, is that which relates to the employing of convicts on highways. If provides that, with the exception of lifers, the convicts may, upon the request of the supervisors, be transferred on the governor's order to the sheriff of a county, who is in turn to deliver them over to the overseers of highways for work on the road. Not more than twenty convicts are to be sent to a county at a time. The road or highway commissioner having the convicts in charge are to be responsible for their safekeeping, and may use bells and chains to insure this. It is not believed that the people of the state will take very kindly to this idea, they having always revolted at the thought of encountering chain gangs along the highway. The plan of working county prisoners on the streets has lately been resorted to at Kalamazoo, and the citizens of that place have entered a vigorous protest against their being paraded through the public places to and from their work. They claim that this has a demoralizing effect on the community, a contention which most enlightened people will indorse.

Bills designed to increase the revenue of the state are piling up. They include measures to increase the rate of specific taxes paid by railroad, insurance, and other corporations, to establish a stamp tax of 50 cents a barrel on beer, to tax incomes and inheritances, etc. All of them will meet with much opposition, but it is not improbable that some of them may become laws. All the money derived from these sources would, under the constitution, go into the primary school fund. In the inheritance tax bill an effort has been made to overcome the objections of the supreme court to the last law enacted on this subject, that enactment having been declared unconstitutional.

To Repeal Special Charters.

Although bills providing therefor have not yet been introduced, it is understood that the question of repealing the special charters of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, Michigan Central, and other special charter roads, and bringing them all under the provisions of the general railroad law will be one of the principal matters which the present legislature will be called upon to consider. In 1881 and 1893 Congressman Milnes, who was then in the senate, was the champion of bills to repeal these charters, and two years ago a gallant, but unsuccessful fight was made by Senator Jewell of Dowagiac. In discussing this question State Statistician DeLand, who has made an exhaustive study of the entire problem of taxation, speaks as follows: "There is no doubt that the feeling that these special charters should be done away with and the railroad system of the state placed under the general laws is rapidly increasing. Whether it is advisable to press this by a direct act of repeal or through constitutional amendment is debatable ground. The first will, of course, bring the question of adjudicating rights affected before the state courts and the state legislature, a priori, subject to repeal to the federal tribunals. The latter would remove all power of judicial determination from our state courts and leave its adjustment, if breach of contract was claimed, to the federal courts. The hindrance to the repeal of these charters is the great bugaboo of damages for breach of contract. This is magnified by the corporations and their attorneys and agents into vast sums, and the entailing of millions of dollars of damages and taxation is the ghost that is constantly shadowed to the public gaze. Such a picture, painted in the interests of corporations, is liable to be too highly colored. It is hardly supposable that in case of repeal by either method the corporations would attempt, unless a gross injustice were done them, which is not a supposable case, to press unreasonable claims, in view of the danger to be apprehended from a state and people made enragedly inimicable by their demands and having legislative power to so restrict their business revenues as to amount to a practical confiscation, if such an alternative were forced upon them."

While it is general believed that a repeal of the bill might receive a two-thirds vote in the house, it is as generally conceded that the measures could never pass the present senate.

New Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Whatever may be said as to the action of the senate in holding up two of the last lot of nominations sent in by Governor Pingree, that body is to be commended for its promptness in confirming the nomination of Elliott O. Grosvenor of Monroe as state dairy and food commissioner. I have known Mr. Grosvenor for many years, having gone to school with him in the old Union school at Monroe, and having somewhat closely followed his career since our paths diverged. He is energetic and competent, and can be depended upon for an intelligent and vigorous administration of the important department of which he is now the head. Although educated for the law, Mr. Grosvenor's tastes and inclinations ran in another direction, and ever since his graduation from the law department of the University of Michigan, which followed a full course of instruction at the Michigan Military academy at Orchard Lake, he has given his attention to farm and dairy pursuits.

"The independent state of Monroe" has, by the way, given the state and nation many able men at one time and another. In the early days, the late ex-Governor Alpheus Felch went out from Monroe and commenced his career of honor and usefulness. Another of the earlier Monroe men to attain distinction was Robert McClelland, who also became chief executive of the state. Henry W. Shaw, better known as "Josh Billings," was an old-time resident of the "Floral City," and he now has a namesake, Henry Shaw Noble, residing there. Isaac P. Christiancy, chief justice of the supreme court, United States senator, and minister to Peru, went from Monroe to the supreme bench. In later years General George A. Custer, the famous fighter, shed luster on the home of his youth, and as United States consul at Naples and subsequently as secretary of state, Harry A. Conant, who still lives at the home of his birth, added to the fame the old city had already won. In more recent years the quaint old town furnished a member of the official family of the chief executive of the nation in the person of Henry T. Thurber, private secretary to President Cleveland, and it is confidently predicted that it will be equal to any further demands that may be made upon it.

Bill to License Nurseries.

A bill which, if it becomes a law, will directly benefit a greater number of citizens of Michigan than any thus far introduced, was formulated a few days ago at a meeting of the legislative committee of the State Horticultural society. The meeting was held here, the members of the committee being President Morrill, Professor L. R. Taft of the Benton Harbor Agricultural college, Secretary E. ... Reid of Allegan, Hon. Charles J. Monroe of South Haven, and Representative Robert D. Graham of Grand Rapids. This committee formulated a bill for the licensing of nurseries or nursery stock, and the provisions of the measure are of widespread interest to the farmers and horticulturalists of Michigan. It provides for the creation of the office of nursery inspector, the incumbent of which shall receive a per diem of not to exceed $5 for actual services. It shall be his duty to annually inspect the nurseries of the state during the growing season, and if he finds them free from injurious insects and disease to issue a certificate to that effect. In case the inspector finds a nursery to be infected with any insect or disease he shall advise as to the means to be employed to eradicate it. No nurseryman whose premises have not been officially approved will be permitted to ship or sell any stock, a heavy penalty being provided for violations of this provision.

The bill furthermore provides that all stock shipped into the state shall bear certificates of inspection. If the state from which shipment is made has no inspector, the would-be shipper can by corresponding with the state board of agriculture of this state, secure the services of the Michigan inspector or the board will designate some competent person in the other state to make the inspection.

Required to Pay License.

The bill requires nurserymen to pay a license fee of $5 together with $1 for each solicitor employed, and to give bonds in the sum of $1,000. The penalty for violations of the proposed law is $1 for each tree, vine or plant sold. It will be seen that while the license is not high enough to make its payment a hardship, the penalty is sufficient to keep all dealers in line.

The prediction made last week that the house would not accomplish much during the absence of the senate was amply fulfilled. Although there was a good working quorum present after Monday and until Friday afternoon, most of the members were impressed with the idea that they were giving a presentation of Hamlet with Hamlet otherwise engaged, and not much work was accomplished. Now that the senators have devoted a week to inspecting the state institutions, several of the house committees, some of the members of which voted against a recess for that purpose, ran off last week on the same errand, thus leaving the house with such a small majority of its members present, that another week of meagre results will be recorded. The most persistent anti-junketer now realizes that it would have been money in the taxpayer's pockets if the committees of both houses had made these visits at the same time.

The arrival of Captain Cornelius Gardener of the Nineteenth United States infantry last week marks an epoch in the history of the National guard of Michigan. He has been detailed by the secretary of war as instructor of the National guard and will make his headquarters in the office of Adjutant General Irish.

JAMES V. BARRY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 1st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rachel Gallatin, administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration, thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the statute in such case made and provided, that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to ed, and for such other order and decree as to ... shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of March ... in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Barnard, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886, Samuel Larjelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton, as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the ... office in and for the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan. Said lot being ... (4) feet front and rear and one hundred ... feet on its east and west lines.

The ... age was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 111 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty-four dollars and fifty one cents ($ 31.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS Mortgagee.

G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

MADRI GRAS CARNIVAL

New Orleans, La., March 2nd, 1897.

Account Madri Gras Carnival to be held at New Orleans, La., March 2nd, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets from all points on Feb'y 26, 27 and 28, and March 1st, limited good returning fifteen days from date of sale.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Room, Feb. 1, 1897.

Present, the President, clerk, trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lowry and Wright.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for January presented, showing nine adult and one infant interment. Two lots sold for $60. $30 vault rent and interment fee collected. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Note of Thomas Adamson, with George Heesen as surety, for $40, for lot, payable six months after date, presented. Same accepted and surety approved.

Street commissioner's report for December and January, presented, showing 81½ days village team labor. Accepted.

Petition of H. L. Jones, asking permission to erect a frame building, same to be covered with metal, in the rear of his property in fire limits, same to be used as a cook room and kitchen.

Moved that petition be not granted on account of hazardous nature of business to be carried on and location of building. Seconded; carried.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: Temple, McClure & Co., lumber, $23.89; W. J. Ingersoll, freight and postage paid, $1.60; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for January, $216.67; Alfred James, insurance, $37.50; Henry Heesen, services, $8. Committee reporting favorable on all of the above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the amounts thereof.

The village treasurer reported that the funds of the village were exhausted, there being only $52.25 on hand.

Moved that the committee, consisting of the president, clerk and chairman of the finance committee, negotiate a loan of $1,000, payable July 15th, 1897, to be distributed to the various funds of the village to defray expenses until the collection of the village taxes for 1897. Seconded. Trustees Boyd yes, Heesen yes, Lowry yes, Wright yes. Carried.

Moved that the President and clerk destroy water bonds No. 1, due Jan 1st, 1896, and No. 2 due Jan. 1st, 1897, and 206 coupons of the value of $25 each, of series 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, all of which bonds and coupons have been paid. Seconded; carried.

Moved that the village purchase 10,000 feet of oak plank and 2,000 feet of 3x4 stringers. Seconded; carried.

Council then adjourned until Monday Feb. 15th, 1897, at 7 p. m.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Auction Sale.

Having rented my farm I will sell at public auction, one-half mile east of Pennington's corners, on Tuesday February 9th, 1897, at one o'clock p. m., sharp, the following personal property: Sixteen sheep, 1 roan mare, 10 years old; bay colt, 4 years old; grey colt, 2 years old; 1 two-year-old heifer; 3 shoats, Wood mower, 1 Wood self rake, land roller, pair farm trucks, road scraper, revolving hay rake, shovel plow, Burtch plow, Scotch drag, 1 five-tooth cultivator, 1 two-tooth cultivator, pair bobsleighs, cutting box, 1 set of three-horse whiffletrees, grain cradle, 2 log chains, quantity of ash lumber and square timber, and other things too numerous to mention. Terms of sale, All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. Over $5.00, 12 months time on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

THOMAS JACOBUS.

REN REYNOLDS, Auctioneer.

General John D. Stevenson, of St. Louis, is dead. He served with distinction in the Mexican and civil wars. He was loyal during the civil war.

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AFTER THE CAPITAL.

Plan to Remove It from Lansing to Detroit.

Latter City Prepared to Offer Inducements for the Change—Interesting Budget of News from Lansing.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, Feb. 10.—Gov. Pingree has unfolded to a number of personal friends a scheme he is developing for the removal of the state capital from Lansing to Detroit. It involves the bonding of the city of Detroit in the sum of $5,000,000, with which to erect a state house to be presented to the state free of charge, the present building to be used for whatever purpose the legislature sees fit to make of it. At a meeting of 40 citizens of Detroit at Gov. Pingree's residence in that city Monday night, a plan was originated. It is proposed that the legislature submit the question to the people. The idea is to make a state park on the Detroit river front and erect the capitol thereon. Gov. Pingree not only thinks the capitol should be in the largest city in the state, but that the present building is too small and otherwise unfitted for the purpose.

Gov. Pingree has tendered the office of mineral statistics to Horatio S. Goodell, of Houghton, and the tender has been accepted. Mr. Goodell is 22 years of age, and entered politics last fall as the organizer of the Pingree boom in Houghton county.

The state grange will make its big fight in the state legislature this year for the passage of the anti-fee bill now before that body. A committee composed of Thomas Mars, of Berrien, and other prominent grangers has been appointed to look after the bill. It was stated that by reason of the liberal fees allowed county clerks by the statute some officials even in the rural districts are enabled to make big money. In some cases amounting to $4,000 to $5,000.

Representative Dickinson, the only colored member of the legislature, has given notice of a bill for the suppression of mob violence. It is modeled after the Ohio law and provides that persons suffering at the hands of mobs shall recover from the county in which the assault takes place a sum not less than $500, nor more than $5,000, the extent of the injuries to govern. The legal heirs of persons killed by mobs will be entitled to recover $5,000. The county, in turn, will be entitled to recover the amount paid from any known participant in the assault. In case a mob goes from one county to another and there resorts to violence the latter county will pay the bill and recover from the former.

A mass meeting of the spiritualists, held under the auspices of the state and national associations, has protested against the pending medical registration bill, because it does not recognize spiritual medium healers, on whom thousands of Michigan people rely in case of sickness.

Representative Obendorffer says that as the soil of the upper county is so much different from that of the lower peninsula, the experiments made at the agricultural college are not of value for the upper peninsula. He will, therefore, try to have a bill passed appropriating $6,000 for experimenting in agriculture and horticulture in the upper peninsula.

The Michigan Photographers' association will urge the passage of a law compelling the closing of galleries on Sundays.

A bill proposing a tax of 50 cents per year on bicycles has been introduced. It is said to be in the interest of wheelmen, as it provides that the revenue from the tax be placed in a special fund to be used for the construction of bicycle roads. The supervisors and a committee of wheelmen in each county are designated to determine what roads shall be repaired.

A shot has been taken at commercial agencies by the introduction of a bill prohibiting them or any individual from making, publishing or circulating any statement whatever as to the financial standing of a firm or corporation without the latter's consent.

There is a strong sentiment among legislators in favor of the enactment of a liquor law similar to the Nicholson law in Indiana, and the indications are that such a measure will be favorably reported at an early day. There is a decided tendency to make the liquor laws more stringent than ever before, and it is not improbable that the present county local option will be extended to cities, villages, townships and wards.

Among the measures introduced and noticed in the legislature are the following:

Providing that persons acquitted of crime on the ground of insanity shall be committed to an asylum for the insane; for the encouragement of the manufacture of sugar from beets; to prevent the forfeiture of fire insurance policies by the violation of any condition of the policy when such violation has been without prejudice to the insurer; prohibiting the insurance of lives of persons under 17 or over 65 years of age; providing for the organization of local building and loan associations; providing a license fee of $50 upon sleeping cars; providing for the labeling and branding of prison-made goods; authorizing practicing physicians, having drug stores, to put up prescriptions; authorizing the use of voting machines for elections; protecting regular graduates from veterinary colleges from the operation of quacks; protecting the manufacture of dynamite by establishing a standard grade and strength; [illegible] the organization of trust companies in cities of 10,000 inhabitants or upward, with a capital of $50,000; limiting the fee for the privilege of a sleeping car to one dollar a night; providing for ascertaining the interest of the state of Michigan in escheating estates; providing the manner in which servant girls may quit or be discharged, requiring one week's notice in either case; amending the general tax law; making appropriations of $1,000 to complete the compilation of records in the attorney general's office; to provide for the appointment of guardians for habitual drunkards and persons addicted to the use of morphine and other narcotics; for protection of fur-bearing animals. EMMETT

A big cement factory will be built in Bronson.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Annual Report of the Commission to the President.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The annual report of the civil service commission to the president shows that at the beginning of President Cleveland's administration there were about 43,000 places included in the classified service. This report embodies the work of the commission for the past two years as the report for 1895 was not issued owing to the various amendments to the rules made by the president and the commission deferred its report for that year so as to include the thousands of positions placed under the classified service during the past 18 months. The total approximate number of positions in the civil branch of the government is 178,717, of which 87,107 are in the classified service and 91,610 in the unclassified service.

The aggregate compensation paid in the executive civil service of the United States during the last fiscal year was approximately $100,000,000.

Of those in the classified service 84,239 are arranged in classes by compensation and subject to examination or registration, 26 are appointed by the president alone, 781 are excepted from examination or registration, and 2,051 are Indians in the Indian service. Of those in the unclassified service, 5,570 are excluded from classification for reasons deemed best for the service, 4,815 are appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate, 8,854 are persons employed merely as laborers or workmen, and 72,371 are considered as classifiable, but not yet classified. Of those not yet classified 66,725 are postmasters of the fourth-class. The classifiable but still unclassified group will be transferred to the classified service by the action of the rules, as, for instance, in the customs service, when the number of employes in a custom house becomes as many as five, and in the post office service when a post offices becomes a free delivery office.

PURITAN IS UNSEAWORTHY.

Still Another Vessel in the New Navy Must Be Repaired.

New York, Feb. 8.—Still another vessel in the United States navy has been found unseaworthy. It is the monitor Puritan, the last one added to the list of vessels available for service. The following is a summary of the calamities that have befallen the war ships of the United States since an effort has been made to get them into a condition for actual service:

May 19, 1896—Battle ship Indiana caught fire. Her bunker plates buckled and her steam pipes were twisted.

October 12, 1896—The Indiana narrowly escaped destruction, both of her monster turrets breaking loose in a storm, and the big guns threatening to wreck her.

September 16, 1896—Battle ship Texas struck a rock near the torpedo station at Newport.

November 9, 1896—The Texas sank at her dock in the Brooklyn navy yard because of faulty water-tight compartments.

January 13, 1897—Cruiser Montgomery struck bottom near Governor's Island, lost a propellor blade and bruised five plates on the port side.

January 30, 1897—The cruiser Brooklyn struck her bottom on the ice and rocks of the Delaware river, and her hull was crushed in.

February 5, 1897—The battle ship Indiana put back to Hampton roads for fear turrets would again break loose and cause her to "turn turtle."

February 6, 1897—The monitor Puritan was found to be unseaworthy on account of defective engines, some of the valves being in a leaky condition.

CUT IN HALF.

The President Reduces the Number of Pension Agencies to Nine.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The president has signed, on the recommendation of Secretary of the Interior Francis, an order reducing the number of pension agencies in the United States from 18 to 9. The object is to effect a large saving to the government without inconveniencing the pensioners. The following are the nine agencies and the number of pensioners paid thereat under the new order: Boston, 94,357; New York, 98,833; Philadelphia, 106,735; Washington, 140,265; Columbus, 104,492; Indianapolis, 116,066; Chicago, 125,123; St. Louis, 116,709; San Francisco, 23,098. Total, 970,678. The change goes into effect September 1 next.

BATTLE WITH WAVES.

Five Big War Vessels Caught by an Atlantic Storm.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 9.—The United States war ships New York, Maine, Columbia, Amphitrite and Marblehead arrived off Charleston bar yesterday after a terrible experience with the storm, which swept up the south Atlantic coast Friday and Saturday. Four men were drowned and others were injured, some fatally. The officers say that their ships behaved splendidly and none of them have been seriously injured.

Jennings, Kan., Feb. 9.—Ben Munson, married, and Bert, his 16-year-old brother, were drowned while skating near here.

OUR LAWMAKERS.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Feb. 4.—After a brief parliamentary struggle in the senate yesterday the friends of the Nicaragua canal bill were unable to hold a quorum. Senator Thurston spoke on the resolution to prevent the sale of the Union Pacific railroad and said the people of the United States never would be ready to enter upon government ownership and operation of railways.

Washington, Feb. 5.—In the senate yesterday the house bill was taken up to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the capitol and Senator Hill (N. Y.) spoke at length against the measure, but no action was taken. The immigration bill was recommitted to the conference committee and the Nicaraguan canal bill was further discussed.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The senate yesterday admitted Richard R. Kenney to the Delaware seat vacated many months ago by Mr. Higgins. Fifty pension bills were passed and the Nicaragua canal debate proceeded without definite conclusion. A bill was passed granting part of Fort Lyon, an abandoned military reservation in Colorado, for the purpose of a state soldiers' home. Senator McMillan introduced a bill declaring "The Star Spangled Banner" to be the national song of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The senate on Saturday adopted Senator Morgan's resolution introduced last June, calling on the president for information regarding the capture of the Competitor by a Spanish warship. Eulogies on the late William Cogswell, congressman from Massachusetts, were delivered.

Washington, Feb. 9.—In the senate yesterday the bill rearranging the judicial districts of Texas was passed over the president's veto. Most of the time was occupied in executive session in considering the Anglo-American peace treaty.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The house yesterday agreed to the final conference report yesterday behind closed doors discussing the arbitration treaty.

The House.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Mr. Stewart (Wis.) offered a bill in the house yesterday to better protect the lives and property of persons against mob violence. The contested election case of Cornett vs. Swanson from the Fifth Virginia district was discussed at length, but no action was taken.

Washington, Feb. 5.—In the house yesterday consideration of the bill making appropriations of the expenses of the District of Columbia for the year ending June 30, 1898, occupied most of the time. A senate bill to pension the widow of Gen. J. B. Carr, of New York, at $50 a month was passed.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The entire day in the house yesterday was spent in clearing the calendar of unfinished business and out of 63 bills 59 were passed, most of them being pension matters.

Washington, Feb. 8.—In the house on Saturday the District of Columbia appropriation bill and a bill to permit the treasury officials to sell forfeited opium to the highest bidder and not require them to secure the amount of the duty, $10 a pound, were passed. The consular and diplomatic bill ($1,095,308) was reported.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The entire time in the house yesterday was devoted to District of Columbia business, and bills of more or less local importance were passed.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The house yesterday agreed to the conference report on the immigration bill by a vote of 217 to 33 and passed two more pension bills over the president's veto. A bill was passed to prevent the fraudulent use of the word "copyright" on books and other publications and a favorable report was made on a bill for the location of a branch of the National soldiers' home in Vermilion county, Ill., at a cost of $300,000.

For a New Road.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 10.—Incorporation articles were filed Tuesday for the St. Louis & Salem Railway company, which proposes to construct a road from East St. Louis to Belleville, in the same county; from East St. Louis to Salem and from East St. Louis to Edwardsville.

Killed by His Wife.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 10.—George Davis, commission merchant, was shot and instantly killed by his wife early in the morning at their home, 11 Grace street. The shooting was the result of one of many family quarrels. The family are prominent.

Falls Dead in the Pulpit.

Springfield, O., Feb. 9.—Mrs. William L. Fee, the aged wife of Rev. Mr. Fee, a well-known former minister here, fell dead in the pulpit while speaking at a big revival at Felicity Sunday evening. Women screamed and men wept.

Hoisted the Greek Flag.

Athens, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Canea, says the Christians about Canea have hoisted the Greek flag, have proclaimed the union of that island with Greece, and have invited the king of Greece to take possession of it.

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CLINTON.

M. D. Alexander, of Tipton, was in town Tuesday.

Al. James was up from Tecumseh on his wheel Tuesday.

Leon E. A. Clark was home from Albion over Sunday.

E. W. Shoemaker returned to Chicago Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Tate returned Saturday from her Hillsdale visit.

Chas. Marr, of Detroit, visited Clinton friends the last of the week.

Mrs. Kerman, of North Adams, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. K. Felton.

Fred Kornig went to Norvell Saturday and spent Sunday with his father.

Timothy Halladay, of Norvell, visited Clinton relatives the last of last week.

Ralph Kishpaugh visited his parents at Britton from Friday until Sunday night.

Miss Mabel Clemens, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday at Dr. J. E. Tuttle's.

Mrs. W. R. Ainspoker, of Manchester, was a guest at Jas. Hogan's the latter part of last week.

Merrit Martin, Jr., was quite sick the latter part of last week, but is now able to be about again.

Next regular meeting of Golden Rod [illegible] day evening, Feb. 17th.

The funeral of Michael Kirk, of Manchester, was held at St. Dominic's church last Friday at 10 a. m.

Chas. Sturm and wife attended the funeral of her brother, Fredrick Gauss, at Bridgewater Station Sunday.

Miss Minnie McAdam came down from Manchester Saturday to spend the day with her father and sisters.

Mrs. J. F. Reutschler entertained her friend, Mrs. Cornell, of Napoleon, from Thursday until Saturday night.

Regular meeting of Clinton Lodge No. 175, F. & A. M., Saturday evening. It is expected that there will be work.

Mrs. Geo. Burtless returned to her home at Napoleon Monday, after visiting her brothers, Chas. and James Bostedor.

Tate & Stoner shipped two cars of sheep, lambs and hogs to Buffalo Monday. S. Tate and Allen Bartlett went with them.

The members of the Epworth League will hold a photograph social Friday evening, at the home of Maud King, west of town.

E. A. Clark has disposed of his livery stock to Geo. Palmer, of Wayne, the papers being made out Wednesday. Mr. Palmer takes possession Saturday.

Misses Catherine and Jennie VanTuyle entertained their friends with a five o'clock tea Thursday afternoon at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Wastell.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.—Mrs. E. P. Felton was born Feb. 8th, 1808, consequently was 89 years old Monday. Strangers would not take her to be much over sixty, she being so active and well preserved. She enjoys all harmless amusements as well as the young and enters into them with zest. For many years it was her custom to invite all the aged ladies in town on her anniversary. So many having crossed the river that were wont to be present, this has been abandoned. Monday some thirty of her friends surprised her by walking in carrying well filled baskets and proceeded to take possession and made themselves quite at home. Mrs. Maria Hixson, who is nearly 97, Mrs. Barker and Mrs. E. Davis, far up in the eighties, were unable to be present. The afternoon was passed in social converse and the tea was bountiful and elegant. It was indeed a season of delight to all present. We append the names and ages of those present: Mesdames Sarah Wastell, 82; T. C. Adam, 81; M. Bartlett, 78; Haynes, 76; D. W. Palmer, 76; Ellen Rhoades, 71; A. Priest, 69; E. M. English, 63; Wm. Rogers, 62; D. Woodward, 62; F. M. Palmer, 62; S. Parker, 61; C. C. Silvers, 60; F. D. Lancaster, 57; M. Gulwits, 57; H. P. Downs, 56; J. Honley, 50; S. F. Marsteller, 49; J. Hogan, 48; Sarah Stevens, 47; J. L. Tuttle, 46; H. Davis, 43; A. H. St. John, 42; and Roswell Randall, 93; Darius St. John, 87; Edwin W. Freese, 74; David Woodward, 72; Henry P. Downs, 69; Frank M. Palmer, 67.

Mrs. Mat Lancaster visited in Tecumseh from Friday until Wednesday.

Miss Alice Halladay, who has been visiting friends at Jackson, Chelsea and Ann Arbor for the past few weeks, returned home Saturday.

Last Saturday morning a jolly party of young ladies, 19 in number, drove up from Adrian, to spend the day with their friend, Miss Sara Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hard, accompanied by eight young boys and girls, surprised Miss Eva Smith at her home, three miles west of town. A very pleasant evening was spent.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Sleighing is rather poor in spots.

Martin Updyke is courting. Rather old, eh?

Mrs. Sarah Martin is visiting at her nephew's, Ed. Bowen's.

John Dunn visited friends in Cambridge the first of the week.

Andrew Taylor commenced work for Seth Simmons Friday. He has hired out for the season.

Mrs. S. N. Munger and little son, Maxson, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Tecumseh with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Knapp, who expects to start for Florida Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartz entertained the E. and F. Farmers Club Feb. 5th. Mrs. S being unable to sit up. Rather disagreeable company—the colds, we mean.

A SCOURGE OF LA GRIPPE

Is Raging Everywhere, Devastating City, Town and Country Alike.

Nothing equal to it has ever been known. We have had la grippe before in this country in several well defined epidemics, but not as we are having it now. Everybody, everywhere, has it, has had it or is expecting to have it. In every paper we read of it. Every one we meet speaks of it. Perhaps the worst feature about la grippe is that it is almost sure to leave consequences behind it which are far worse than the original disease. But it could not have been otherwise than that some things have been learned during these sieges with la grippe. Untold thousands have learned these things but a still greater multitude perhaps have these things yet to learn.

First, that Pe-ru-na taken before each meal and at bedtime will protect any one from having la grippe. Second, that Pe-ru-na taken every hour during the acute stage of la grippe will shorten its duration and prevent the long train of disagreeable consequences which follow the acute attack. Third, that in cases where Pe-ru-na has not been used during the acute stage and the victim finds himself dragging out a miserable existence from the damage to his system accomplished by la grippe, he has only to take Pe-ru-na according to the directions on the bottle to realize a speedy and complete cure. The explanation of this is that la grippe is epidemic catarrh. Pe-ru-na will cure catarrh wherever located. It will cure catarrh of every variety and stage. Therefore it will cure la grippe, which is simply the epidemic variety of acute catarrh. During such a winter as this no one should be without a copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book which treats fully of la grippe, acute catarrh, chronic catarrh, coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption and all other climatic diseases of winter. Sent free to any address by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

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Sims Reeves, the celebrated English tenor singer, has been declared a bankrupt at London and a receiving order has been issued against his property.

MANCHESTER.

Mrs. J. D. Bauer and son, Chris, are quite sick.

Miss Anna Watkins is visiting relatives in Ann Arbor.

Miss Allie Lazell returned on Friday from her visit in Hastings.

Rev. J. L. Hudson, of Alpena, is visiting his sister, Mrs. M. D. Case.

C. W. Sandford and wife returned from their visit in Philadelphia last week.

Rev. McPhail will preach his farewell sermon as pastor of the Baptist church Sunday.

The Universalist society held a social at L. M. Baldwin's last Wednesday evening.

There is to be an A. C. F. social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bowins Friday evening.

The school social held at Geo. S. Rawson's Friday evening was a success. The collection was $24.00.

The Methodist ladies' society give an entertainment, "The Deestrict Skule," at Arbeiter Hall on Feb. 17th.

Wait Peck died at his home in Sharon township last Sunday. He was born in Litchfield, Conn., Oct. 12th, 1807. His funeral was held Wednesday.

Here is a diamond, here a piece of charcoal. Both carbon; yet between them stands the mightiest of magicians—Nature. The food on your table, and your own body; elementally the same; yet between the two stands the digestion, the arbiter of growth or decline, life or death.

We cannot make a diamond; we cannot make flesh, blood and bone. No. But by means of the Shaker Digestive Cordial we can enable the stomach to digest food which would otherwise ferment and poison the system. In all forms of dyspepsia and incipient consumption, with weakness, loss of flesh, thin blood, nervous prostration, the Cordial is the successful remedy. Taken with food it relieves at once. It nourishes, and assists nature to flourish. A trial bottle—enough to show its merit—10 cents.

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Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle has decided to locate in New York City after March 4th.

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It is said that the appointment as minister to Mexico has been given to Powell Clayton, of Arkansas.

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In personal appearance Southern, just now a central figure in the drama is quite youthful.

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REFORMS FOR CUBA.

Full Abstract Received at Spanish Legation in Washington.

Insurgents Will Not Accept—Minister De Lome Gives His Views—Gomez Will Not Treat with Weyler.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The Spanish legation has received with the full abstract of the new reforms for the island of Cuba and Porto Rico the preamble of Senor Canovas, announcing the terms of the new decree. This preamble expresses the kindliest feelings towards the Cuban people. Minister Dupuy de Lome discussed the scope of the reforms and said among other things:

"The electoral reforms were not referred to at any length in the decree of the ministry, for the reasons stated in the preamble of Senor Canovas, that they will require the action of the cortes. I am informed, however, that the government contemplates extending greatly the basis of the suffrage, but they desire to do it in such a way as to prevent undue influence being acquired by the illiterate portion of the population. Any educational qualification which may be suggested by the Cubans, and which seems reasonable and proper, will undoubtedly be adopted by the cortes.

"It is the purpose of the government to show the greatest generosity towards the insurgents who lay down their arms. The reforms cannot well be put in full effect until the sovereignty of Spain is acknowledged in all parts of the island. The government will not relax its military activity in any degree if the insurgents show a disposition to continue the contest and fail to appreciate the great concessions made by the home government.

"The tariff features of the new decree mean a great deal for the United States as well as for Cuba. The first column of the new tariff schedules, providing for revenue, will contain the greatest number of items, leaving the list on which discriminations are made in favor of Spain not exceeding 20 per cent. of the value of the imports, a comparatively short one. The duties levied will be equal against all countries except Spain, and American manufacturers and exporters, in view of their familiarity with the Cuban trade and their nearness to the island, are likely to appreciate the importance of these concessions. The situation will be much more favorable to American trade than under the reciprocity treaty of 1890."

GOMEZ SCORNS WEYLER.

Cuban Leader Refuses to Treat with Him for Peace.

Havana, Feb. 8.—Gen. Weyler's attempt to arrange for a secret conference with Gomez in Santa Clara over the question of the proposed Cuban reforms has proved a complete fizzle. Gen. Gomez sent word, it is said, that he would not confer with Gen. Weyler upon any subject whatever, and refused to meet him under any circumstances. While the rebel leader doubted the sincerity of the Spanish government, and declared that the proposed reforms would not be promulgated in good faith, he expressed a willingness to meet any accredited agent of the government, except Gen. Weyler, for the purpose of giving the insurgent view on the question. Gen. Gomez' refusal to deal with Gen. Weyler caused intense excitement in official speculative circles.

WILL NOT ACCEPT.

Gen. Gomez Says Spain's Proffered Reforms Are Bogus.

New York, Feb. 10.—The World publishes an interview with Gen. Maximo Gomez, commander of the Cuban army, in which the general said:

"Spain will not grant a new real reform. We no longer ask concessions from her. Even were Spain's proposals bona fide, nothing could tempt us to treat with her.

"We are for liberty, not for Spanish reform. We are for Cuba, not for Spain. I am disgusted with this talk of reform. Does Spain think we have forgotten the lessons of the past?

"Liberty is what we are fighting for, because it is one of the most glorious gifts that God has bestowed upon man.

"Home rule in its broadest sense is independence. That is the kind of home rule we want. If you ask, would we accept home rule with a Spanish captain general, I would answer most emphatically, no. We want nothing from Spain. We do not want her captain general or her glory, if she has any remaining—nor her care."

TOOK HER OWN LIFE.

Mrs. Lucy Burnham Commits Suicide at Starke, Fla.

Starke, Fla., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Lucy Burnham was found dead in her room at the Commercial hotel Tuesday morning, having committed suicide by taking chloroform. Mrs. Burnham left several letters for friends in Chicago and elsewhere and a note to the public stating that the burden of life had grown too heavy for her. She was formerly Mrs. Lucy Van Evar, art critic of the Chicago Inter Ocean. Eight months ago she was married to Dr. Burnham, the specialist, and they came to Florida.

Suffocated in a Corn Bin.

Sandusky, O., Feb. 10.—At Parkertown, near here, at his father's elevator, 13-year-old Henry Somers jumped for fun into a bin which was being emptied of shelled corn. He was drawn to the bottom, and the first known of it was when his body stopped outpouring of corn at the mouth of the bin. He was suffocated.

Drowned Herself and Children.

Big Timber, Mont., Feb. 8.—In a fit of desperation, after a quarrel with her husband, the wife of Robert Cort, a fairly well-to-do rancher living five miles from here, picked up her three small children, rushed to the Yellowstone river and threw the children and herself in. The current carried the bodies quickly out of sight.

Crime of a Farmer.

Mount Vernon, Ky., Feb. 6.—Anderson Parker, a farmer of this (Rock Castle) county, in a drunken rage struck his wife and fractured her skull with a club. He then shot his son through the wrist, when the boy secured a revolver and killed his father.

Will Locate in New York.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 9.—According to a dispatch received from Washington, Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle has definitely decided to locate in New York city.

Montreal, Can., Feb. 8. — Thomas Doherty & Co., tea merchants, have assigned. Liabilities about $100,000.

The Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette

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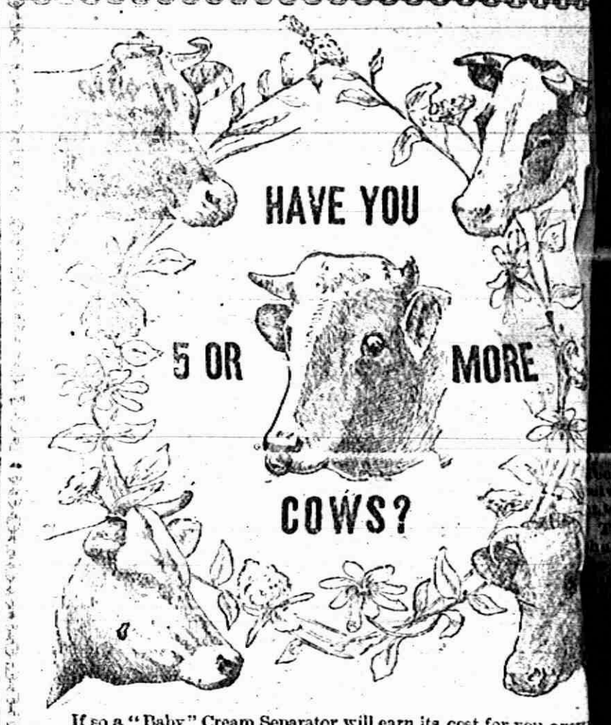

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ighborhood News.

BRITTON.

A. O. Maynard has been on the st this week.

Britton has been nursing an d eye this week.

s DuBois made a visit to the seat the last of the week.

Martha Gorham has been a mem the invalid corps this week.

ge Kishpaugh of Raisin Center, his nephew, Bert, Tuesday.

lar review of Hendershot tent T. M. next Tuesday evening.

Porter, of Weston, was in town looking after his hay interests.

John Zelnff was the guest of Te relatives Tuesday and Wednes.

Hoagland and Andrew Gogoline n Adrian transacting business

and Mrs. Dayo were both ailing t of the week, having the pre symptoms.

VanNocker, of Petersburgh, wa sday on business connected elevator.

Aunty Lenardson, like many the community, has been nav erating disease this week.

Goodrich has been having his rience with the grip the past for several days was quite

isses Della Mills and Edith of Macon, were guests of Dr. Hendershot several days the ek.

John Cheever and granddaugh s Georgie Cheever, left for Chi sdnesday for a visit with rela d friends.

ral of the Britton Masons went to a Wednesday to attend the ded of the new Masonic hall. They pleasant time.

Wednesday evening the officer dershot tent K. O. T. M. go to to exemplify the work accord the new ritual for the fraters

lie Maybee mourns the loss of his gent Cocker Spaniel dog. While lowing the Wabash mail train ne morning the last of the week, cut it two.

C. L. Deyo will speak on the fol topics at the Christian church y: morning, "The Supreme Pow God's Love;" evening, "After the the Victory."

he school house in district No. 3 raised a pole this afternoon and ed the flag with suitable exer Rev. Mr. Deyo made the address. pleasant occasion.

ly number from here went up mate Masonry" as presented dies at Sutton's opera house, Tuesday evening. They re pointers and were nigaly

donation at the Reformed be held in Exelby hall on of February 17th. Supper ved from 6 to 10 o'clock. A singer of Adrian is expect or several pleasing songs.

& Cox, photographers from oened up their gallery in lock Monday, and are turning nd artistic work. They offer ducements to their patrons.

nsert given by the Christian society of the Christian nday evening, was very fine. e audience room was filled to ng and the program was choice, ber being artistically rendered.

ws of Charles Burridge's death om over this entire community. no man in the county held a lace in the esteem and confi f our people than he, and they death to be a public calamity. rom this section attended the Wednesday.

oultry institute to be held at a house, Tecumseh, next Wed afternoon and evening, will large number of our progresive and some will exhibit fowls. atherings are of great benefit to mers generally and should re their heartiest co operation. s no expense attached to this all the practicall varieties of ll be on exhibition.

ommunity was stirred from cen circumference the last of the it has not been for years. The eal estate even took a sudden ew of the great business boom about to shake the town. The of sound money were nudg silver friends and claiming promised era of prosperity was be realized. What caused all e will tell you. Friday a gen Hebrew extraction, bearing of Wolf and claiming to hail water, appeared in town. He ed himself as being a man of lth and interested, with his several large business houses nt cities and that he was here sh a bank, cigar factory and a artment store. Hotel life be stoful to him, he sought for with a private family, price object if the rooms and table y furnished and he could have roast goose on Sundays. He he could be suited at Albert the parlor was arranged to suit nd convenience and he seem eased, although Mrs. Lee told d not know where to procure his Sunday dinner is being the week. He next turned ion to securing proper quar is difeness business enter it was not long ere he had contracted for the Beasley ch he thought could be con he following uses: the ground floor for the bank and the upper floor for a cigar factory. He next rented the Brown store, which was to be remodeled to his taste and he gave full instructions how it should be done. He next visited Lenardson's and placed a large order for the finest wall paper and paperhangers and painters were engaged to report for duty Tuesday morning. He paid Editor Goodrich a visit and placed an order for something less than a ton of printed matter and engaged space in his paper sufficient to warrant enlarging the sheet. Two young ladies were hired as clerks who proceeded to arrange their wardrobes for their positions. Three men were wanted—one applicant he said looked too honest for him. All this was done before Saturday night. Monday he found it necessary to go to Milan and engaged Al Lee to drive him over. Before starting he endeavored to borrow money from different individuals, bought a quarter's worth of Lenardson's best cigars to be paid for when he got the wall paper. On arriving at Milan he told Al he was so chilled he thought he could not ride back but would come on the cars. Tuesday morning the paperhangers were on hand to go to work but Mr. Wolf had not arrived and Brown would not allow anything disturbed until the first quarter's rent was paid, as the contract called for it in advance. By this time the people began to take a tumble to themselves and realize that the great buisness boom was busted and he had been working them for a lot of chumps. Oh! no! Suckers don't work in winter time. Think of it!! Goose for Sunday dinner!

RIDGEWAY.

Harness oil in bulk and cans, at
ED. SMITH'S.

Elmer Pocklington has the measles.

F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday afternoon.

T. H. Temple and Charles Lowe went up to the lake Monday to fish.

Remember that Hon. V. H. Lane will be here Friday night of this week.

A new line of cutlery just received, at
ED SMITH'S.

Miss Gertrude Marvin spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother near Azalia.

Jehiel Davidson and Abner Wilson, were in the village on business Monday afternoon.

Arthur Palmer, of Adrian, was the guest of Laurence Rappleye Saturday and Sunday.

E. W. Rappleye was in the village shaking hands with old friends the first of the week.

Lester Sherman went to Ypsilanti last week Thursday to take a course in Cleary's college.

Ace Smith left Friday for a visit with relatives at Charlotte, Grand Rapids and Grand Ledge.

All kinds of cross-cut saws, saw tools and axes, at ED SMITH'S.

May Fletcher went to Tecumseh Friday night to attend a party given at the home of her friend Charles Schreder.

The older pupils of Addie Sherman's school in the Witt district spent a very pleasant evening at her home last Friday.

S. A. Plews, our west street shoe cobbler, reports business good and any one in need of his services will do well to call and see him.

Lou Arner spent Sunday and Mondry with her mother, leaving on the afternoon train for a few days' visit with friends at Hudson.

Dr. D. W Loree was called to Jackson by telegram Tuesday afternoon on account of the illness of his daughter, Mrs. L. M. Palmer.

Mrs. Wm. McCrimmen, of Luther, arrived Thursday of last week for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Temple.

Go to Ed Smith's for buckwheat flour and pure maple syrup.

George Dibble and wife, of North Adrian, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Harry Campbell left for Jackson Monday for an indefinite stay.

One week from next Monday night the Royal Hand Bell Ringers, the fifth entertainment of the Tecumseh star course, will be at Sutton's opera house. Tickets to any part of the house, 50cts and no extra charge for reserved seats.

Something over fifty of the friends of C. B. Dibble and wife gave them a very enjoyable surprise at their pleasant home on Friday evening of last week. Since building their new home last season they have one of the most pleasant and convenient farm homes in the township and the latch string is out to all their friends, who are welcome at any time.

The L. C. S. of the M. E. church will hold their annual oyster supper at the home of B. F. DePuy Wednesday evening of next week, February 17th. Mr. DePuy, in behalf of the L. C. S., bids all who may come a hearty welcome. The bill of fare will consist of stewed oysters, raw oysters, cold meats, bread and butter, crackers, pickles, cake and coffee. Price of supper 15cents. Conveyances will be provided for those in the village who have no way of getting there, if they will leave word with the president. By order of the president,
Mrs. S. L. Rappleye.

MACON.

Mrs. Edward Miller is on the sick list.

Quarterly meeting at the M. E. church next Sunday.

Charles Morgan made a business trip to Dundee Monday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Rachel Howell Saturday afternoon of this week.

Topic for the E. L. meeting next Sunday evening is "Christ's Character Described." Isa. 11: 1-5. Leader, Rev. D. H. Ramsdell.

Will Lowe, of Raisin, called on Macon friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb DePuy, of Saline, spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Sarah Austin, of Tecumseh, visited her daughters and other friends here last week.

Lewis Collier served ice cream to a few of his intimate friends at his home Saturday evening.

A load of Tecumseh young people attended the E. L. entertainment here last Friday evening.

Miss Minta J. Gason closes the winter term of school in the Merritt district Friday of this week.

Miss Grace Norris, of Tecumseh, has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Skinner.

William Randall, who was chosen juryman from this town, left for the county seat Tuesday.

The Epworth League entertainment proved a success and the proceeds amounted to nearly $17.

Mrs. Ivy Price and little daughter Reta, of Britton, visited Macon friends from Tuesday until Thursday.

The lady Maccabees sprang a surprise on Mrs Rose Hatch last week Thursday. A grand dinner was served after which they presented Mrs. Hatch with a fine willow rocker, as a token of remembrance.

Elwin Camburn and wife, John Jackson, Parker Allen and wife and Mrs. Mary Ann Carter went to Franklin Thursday evening to attend a surprise party given Comrade VanValkenburg. A good time is reported.

Will Thomas, Acel Kelley and Spencer Morgan spent two or three days of last week on Wamplers lake, fishing. Spencer caught the fish that capped the climax, it being a pickerel weighing 9 3-4 pounds. It made him step high when he passed through the "Corners," but who wouldn't be proud to catch such a fish.

HOLLOWAY.

The creamry was well stocked with ice during the recent cold weather.

The many friends of Mrs. A. H. Kelley will be pleased to learn that she is convalescing.

The weekly prayermeeting and Y. P. S. C. E. business meeting were held at the parsonage Wednesday evening.

Saturday evening quite a number of our young people visited William and Bessie Mitchel, at their home in Raisin Valley.

The Misses Anna and Ruthella Rainey very pleasantly entertained a large number of their friends on Friday evening of last week.

The stockholders of the Clover Leaf creamery, with their wives, were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Doty, Monday evening.

A select party gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Florance on Thursday evening of last week and spent the evening in games and tripping the "light fantastic."

A. D. Macham and family attended the golden wedding of his parents at Deerfield, Tuesday, at which time also occurred the marriage of his brother Earl, to Miss Florence Baker.

John Schwabw's horse, while hitched in town last week Tuesday, became frightened at a passing train and quite demolished the cutter, although not so badly but that A. H. Lewis repaired it.

CONE.

Chas. B. Kent is up from Toledo visiting friends this week.

Jas. Kinch, of Britton, was the guest of Wm. Curry Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith were guests at Thos. Caswell's Monday.

Miss Gertie Marvin, of Azalia, called on Mrs. J. C. Cone Saturday.

Myron Ray and wife were Toledo visitors the first of the week.

J. C. Dennison was the guest of friends in Britton the first of the week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kempf, a son, Thursday, Feb. 4th.

Miss Rosa Logan visited her aunt in Adrian from Saturday till Monday.

Miss Lena Landt is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Etta Snyder, near Raisin Center.

Mrs. Margaret Caswell visited friends in Ann Arbor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ben Snyder, of Raisin Center, visited his brother-in-law, Wm. Landt, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cochran, of Ann Arbor, are spending the week with friends in this vicinity.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Amasa VanDeventer Feb. 24. All are cordially invited.

Miss Anna Curry and Mrs. Maggie Curry and little son Lamont visited friends in Tecumseh last Friday.

Mrs. G. W. Richardson, of Sandusky, O., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caswell, and other friends here this week.

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Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and $1.00 at Baker & Hall's drug store. 3

Horatio L. Hutchins, for five years past Associated Press reporter on the Omaha Bee, died Saturday morning.

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Foley's Honey and Tar gives quick and positive relief in all cases. Orr & Temple

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Wm. R. Hayes Writes

Payne, Ind., Feb. 1896.

I have been using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin ever since the agency was established here four months ago. When I began taking it I weighed 150 pounds and now I weigh 177 pounds. Feel better than ever did in my life and must say it is an excellent remedy. In 10c size (10 doses 10 cts) regular sizes 50c and $1.00 at Orr & Temple's.

John Brown's daughter, who is living in great distress near Petrolia, Humboldt county Cal., recently received from some colored people $15, which, she said, helped her a great deal.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Mrs. McKinley has returned to Canton, O., from her inauguration shopping at Chicago.

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A large portion of the business part of Shellrock, Ia., was destroyed by fire Saturday. The loss is estimated at $25,000.

How much business can a man do whose system is in a state of disorder? Headache is only a symptom. It is not a disease. The pain in the head is the sign of rebellion. There have been mistakes in diet and other abuses.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a gentle, effective renovator and invigorator of stomach, liver and bowels. They assist nature without threatening to tear the body piece-meal. There are no griping pains, no nausea. One is a laxative.

A book of 1008 pages, profusely illustrated, written by Dr. R. V. Pierce, called "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," will be sent free for 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only. World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffaly, N. Y.

In the balloting of the league of the L. A. W. Philadelphia received the greatest number of votes, and the national meet will be held in that city.

A Philadelphia grocer has this sign behind his counter; "The man who trusts is out."

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and know feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1.00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

A milkman in South Bend, Ind., had diphtheria in his family and several of his patrons took the malady. It is asserted the disease was spread by milk tickets.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Dr. O'Reilly, family physician to Presidents Harrison and Cleveland, has gone to Europe to bring home his insane wife who suddenly took passage across the ocean while demented.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

Statement of Mr. J. S. Creech, of Stephens, Ky: "I suffered with neuralgia and pains in my head and neck for several years. My gums seemed to come loose from my teeth, and at times I suffered almost death. My friends thought I would sometimes die with lockjaw. They applied Lightning Hair Drops to my neck and head and to their surprise it gave me great relief. Afterward, I applied it to my gums with like good results, and I am now entirely well." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

The Arkansas house by a unanimous vote has passed an anti-trust bill.

You should know that Foley's Honey and Tar is absolutely the best remedy for all diseases of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dealers are authorized to guarantee it to give satisfaction in all cases. Orr & Temple.

DISCARDED CHIMNEYS.

A Definite Vacuum Is Now Held Upon All Fires.

One of the most remarkable changes noted at present in the manufacturing industry is the giving up of the chimney to produce draught, and though, of course, a chimney offers so simple and efficient a means of making the requisite draught for the fire, it is stated that in one of the large works of England—locality not mentioned—chimneys have been discarded and a definite vacuum is held upon all fires. In this way the products of combustion and destructive distillation which result from the burning of coal and carbonaceous matter are collected, cooled, condensed and worked up. One of the methods noted as attracting attention in Germany consists in sucking the gases of the furnaces away and allowing them to pass through water in the form of small bubbles, which removes the soot and some of the products of combustion, the gases being then led to a gasometer, from which they are drawn into the process of utilization. A manufacture of this kind, it is urged, can easily extend pipes in any direction and draw the gases of combustion from their manufactures—the purification of the atmosphere thus assured being another important result.

Dickens and the X Ray.

An amusing instance of anticipation of the penetrating character of the so-called X rays has been discovered, says the Electrical Review, in a most unlikely place—that is, in Dickens' "Christmas Carol." It will be remembered that when the miser, Scrooge, sees the ghost of his former partner, Marley, entering the room, Marley's body appears to be transparent, so that Scrooge can see clear through him and discern the two buttons on the back of his coat. It may be presumed that Marley wore the old-time blue coat with brass buttons, and that flesh and blood became transparent when metal buttons would not. It is now in order for the Society of Psychical Research to try the X rays for the detection of ghosts, but if they are successful they must give the credit to Dickens.

In the Yosemite valley a while ago, a young fellow went out on the edge of a shelving precipice two thousand feet high, and balanced himself on his head. A little slip or little puff of wind would have sent him to eternity. Not one man in a million would be that kind of a fool. But nine men in ten are all the time taking foolish chances.

There is no deadly peril about a little fit of indigestion or biliousness, and yet if a man allows these troubles to get a hold on him he is taken serious risks. Dyspepsia alone seldom kills anybody; that is, it only kills you by inches, and takes a good many years doing it. But it weakens and undermines the constitution so that it is all ready to receive and fertilize the dangerous diseases which do kill you outright.

Disease-germs won't grow in healthy blood any more than corn will grow on a rock. A man who keeps his digestion perfect and his blood pure may eat and drink and breathe disease germs, but they gain no foothold. They are cast out of the system. But a man with a dyspepsia weakened constitution breathes in typhoid or diphtheretic germs and down he goes.

The best health-insurance a man can have is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It acts directly on the stomach and liver. It gives the blood-making organs power to make healthy blood. It clarifies the blood from all impurities, and builds up the healthy flesh, muscular power and nerve energy, which fortifies you against disease.

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HE WON HIS CASE.

Reminded the Maryland Squire of the Old Days.

"I went into a country district in Maryland a few days ago to try a case," said a Washington attorney to a Washington Star man.

"I appeared for the plaintiff and it must be confessed that the evidence failed to establish his claim. I presented the matter before the justice of the peace in the best light I knew how, but had very little hope of securing the verdict. My client, when I finished, whispered to me that he would say a few words if I were willing and, considering the case lost, I consented. It was the most unique speech I ever heard and it won the case. He said:

"'Squire, I brought this suit and the evidence, except my own, is against me. I don't accuse anyone of lying, squire, but the witnesses are the most mistaken lot of fellows I ever saw. You know me, squire. Two years ago you sold me a horse for sound that was as blind as a bat. I made the trade and stuck to it and this is the first time I have mentioned it. When you used to buy grain you stood on the scale when the empty wagon was weighed, but I never said a word. Now, do you think I am the kind of a man to pick up a rumpus and sue a fellow unless he has done me wrong?"

"It took just five minutes for the justice to decide for the plaintiff."

CROSS-EXAMINATION

Could Not Weaken Such Testimony As This.

(From the Kalamazoo Telegraph.)

The following statement is one of great interest to many a citizen of Kalamazoo, and a man as well known as Mr. Wallace should carry more than ordinary weight with our readers. Here it is as taken down by our representative:

"My name is John A. Wallace. I am a member of the firm of J. A. Wallace & Co., doing business as tinners, etc., at 108 Eleanor Street, Kalamazoo, in which city I also reside. For the past nine or ten months I have been having attacks of kidney complaint, the pain in my back over my hips was very severe at times; my urinary system was also in a bad state of derangement, sometimes the urine was scanty and then again the amount would be excessive, and a difficulty of passage always existed. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills at a time when I felt that I was going to be sick, but their use warded off an attack, and I am now feeling very much better; the urinary organism has regained a normal condition, and the terrific pain in my back is much reduced in severity, while it is now fast going away altogether. I am continuing the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, with positive feeling that they will effect on me a permanent and speedy cure. I have unbounded confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills as a remedy for all kidney ailments; have good reason to be, as they have done so much for me."

Can you ask any more than this? Doan's Kidney Pills are relieving more backs of the burdens they have been forced to bear through the kidneys than all other means devised, and, better still, they are doing this right here in Michigan. Ask any one who has ever taken them and see what they will say.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.

Rates on general advertising on term contracts made known at the counting room.

Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michigan, as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 12, 1897.

In the death of Charles Burridge Tecumseh has sustained a severe loss. His business acquaintance and clientage extended all over Lenawee County and throughout this territory the feeling is that of sadness and regret at the taking off of so good a man, still in the prime of life.

The soliciting committee for the Lima Northern will commence soliciting early next week and continue until the amount is raised Tecumseh will certainly raise the bonus required and it is the duty of our citizens to make it as easy as possible for the committee in their work.

The HERALD has several times during the last few months called attention to the fact that a law should be passed, in this state, which would require the railroad companies to carry bicycles free of charge as excess baggage. Through the efforts of the Michigan Division of the L. A. W. the following bill, called the "Anderson Bill," (House bill No. 159) will be introduced during the present session of the legislature. New York, Ohio, and several other states have compelled the railroads to take care of the wheel which is certainly no more than right and no doubt Michigan will do the same.

SECTION 26. The words "ordinary baggage" and "baggage" wherever used in this act and in the acts amendatory thereto, shall be deemed to include bicycles, and no passenger shall be required to crate, cover or otherwise protect any such baggage: Provided, each passenger shall be entitled to have but one bicycle transported under the provisions of this act.

SECTION 27. The baggage of the passenger shall be delivered on presentation of the duplicate check therefor, without unnecessary delay to such passenger or any person acting in his behalf at the place to which it was to be transported, or at any regular intermediate stopping place where the cars usually stop; provided thirty minutes notice be given the baggage master or other person in charge of the baggage of such intention to stop at intermediate point.

To take effect upon its passage.

Farmers' Social Club.

The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gillespie Tuesday evening, Feb 23rd.

PROGRAM

Roll call, quotations from money, wealth or riches.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Paper, "United States Mints"—O. B. Finch.
Music.
Paper, "Treasury Department"—Ida Rector.
Music.
Reading—Mrs. B. J. Rector.
Historical questions.
Medley.
Question for discussion, "Can the agricultural interest procure proper legislation for their financial depression through the Grange," led by B. B. Gillespie.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of February in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David VanTyne deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Law erence M. VanTyne, a son of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, petitioner, the executor named in said instrument or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

Woman Elected Chaplain.

Boise, Idaho., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Rebecca Mitchell, of Idaho Falls, president of the Idaho Woman's Christian Temperance union, has been elected chaplain of the state legislature, an unusual honor for a woman. She was largely instrumental in securing woman suffrage for Idaho.

Judge Goff Declines.

Canton, O., Feb. 8.—Judge Goff, of West Virginia, has written to Maj. McKinley a letter couched in such terms as to warrant the announcement that he will not be in the cabinet, and his name must now be erased from the cabinet slate.

Will Pay Off Depositors.

Freeport, Ill., Feb. 10.—The Farmers' and Merchants' bank, of this city, has arranged with the Second national bank to pay off its depositors. The bank was organized under state laws, and will probably go out of business.

NAMES WRIT ON WATER.

Evanescent Reputations of Persons Who Flitted on the Stage.

"Theatrical reputation is the most evanescent of all glories of life," sadly observed the old actor, drawing his last summer's overcoat around him a little tighter, according to the New York Herald.

"That's so," responded the agent, "and nothing reminds one of this more than an acquaintance with the billrooms of the old theaters about the country. You know they have a way of posting up bills and lithographs in the bill-rooms—that part of the theater in which the bills are laid out, and which is the lounging place of the traveling agents, the billposters, advertising men, etc., and preserving a sort of record of the celebrated actors, companies and scenes that have been at that particular house. Sometimes this is done systematically, with an idea for general pictorial effect, and then looks very pretty. But more often it is the freak of some billposter, who slaps up a full length figure, or a lithograph head, or something grotesque, the whole collection forming a curious and sometimes nightmarish jumble.

"In the older bill-rooms will be seen pictures of bygone favorites of the American stage—of many persons who were famous the other day and who today are quite forgotten. They are usually represented in their favorite costume and part. Some of these were the rage but a few years ago—drew big salaries and had everything their own way. There are women who actually queened it over the whole country—made thousands and drank champagne and wore a princess' diamonds. Why, their very names are forgotten! I am not an old-timer, though I'm familiar with the stage, and I tell you I've been actually startled suddenly to come across these pictures on the bill-room walls, and to be thus reminded what they had been, and to be set to thinking what had become of them!"

SHE WAS THRIFTY.

One Woman Made $2,200 with a Thrashing Machine.

A woman thrasher is a novelty—that is, outside of the schoolhouse or home. And the one in question is a genuine thrasher of the golden grain of the northwest, says the Minneapolis Journal. She came into one of the Minneapolis farm machinery houses the other day to make her final payment on her machine. This was startling and marked her as a woman of business capacity; for the man who makes a full payment on a thrasher this season is regarded as an exceptionally good man. That the lady in question had a business head is further evidenced by the fact that she succeeded in "working" the manager of the establishment for $2.50, the amount of her fare home.

She innocently told him that to pay her bill in full would take every cent she had and she must take out enough to get home. While the manager gently demurred at receipting the bill in full with this discount off, she ingeniously hinted that it would cost more than $2.50 to send a collector after the balance, and he tumbled to the situation as gracefully as possible. Mrs. Thrasher (or perhaps it is Miss) said that she had made $2,200 out of her machine and had 187 stacks of grain to finish this winter, which she proposed to do if the snow was hub deep. Considering the fact that many machines are being taken back on mortgages this year, no one can successfully maintain that a woman is not adapted to this new field for woman's activity.

TURNS OUT BESSEMER STEEL

Oxide Successfully Extracted from Rock by Edison with the Use of Electricity.

When Thomas Edison began experimenting with electricity as a means of extracting iron oxide from rock a shiver ran through the spinal columns of iron mine owners. Then the matter was forgotten and the public heard nothing more about magnetic separators until a few days ago, when the news came out that the method was not only perfected, but that by it 5,000 tons of bessemer steel were being turned out every day at Edison, N. J. Mr. Edison has been developing his newest discovery quietly, and now his smelting works and their appurtenant buildings cover many acres among the Jersey mountains. The rock is blasted out of open quarries, 5,000 tons at a time, and carried by enormous electric cranes to rollers which crush the largest bowlders as if they were lump sugar. After passing through a series of these rollers the fine rock falls past 700 magnets, which extract the ore, sending it along to the furnaces almost free from extraneous matter. From the furnaces the ore issues in nuggets of bessemer steel ready for the mills.

The Russians.

The Russians are believed to have originated from the Slavonian tribe called the Roxilani, about the Christian era. At a later date they were also called Muscovites, from Moscow, their leading city. The state was founded by Rurie, 862 A. D. Russia was a duchy until 1157, when it became the grand duchy of Wladimir, remaining such until 1328, when it was called the grand duchy of Moscow. The Russian rulers began to call themselves czars in 1462. Peter the Great assumed the title of emperor in 1689.

The average age of doctors is much higher than that of any other calling—it is no less than 56. Their great pull consists, no doubt, in their opportunities of observing what treatment is most efficacious with their patients. A certain physician is said by James Payn to have let this particular cat out of the bag to one to whom he was paying marked attention. "I am very much interested in your case," he said, "because I have the same complaint myself; and if this medicine really does you good I shall try it."

Female Masonry.

The entertainment given at the opera house Tuesday night by the ladies of the Eastern Star consisted of two parts, a short musicale and a farce entitled "Female Masonry." The former was a charming entertainment of itself and compared favorably with any of those who have appeared on the course. The orchestra consisted of five pieces, Frank Keeney, violin, W. J. Ingersoll, clarinet, Geo. W. Knapp, cornet, A. E. Karner, euphonium, and Sam McClure, piano, and the four numbers they gave were artistically rendered, their selections being timely. Owing to Mrs. Kellogg's inability to appear, the program was changed from that advertised. The duet by Mr. Blachford and Miss Thorpe was received with great favor, their voices being well adapted each to the other. Miss Lina Boyd won liberal applause by playing her own accompaniment on the guitar while giving a solo on the harmonica—a difficult thing to do. Will Elliott's bass solo was effectively given. He has a fine voice of good range and rich tone. He refused to respond to a hearty encore. Miss Thorpe's solo was charmingly rendered and she delighted the audience by giving as an encore that sweet little ballad, "A Bunch of Daisies." Miss Elliott's violin solo was a gem. She played with fine expression and her movements were dainty and graceful. She, too, failed to respond to an encore. Mr. Blachford rendered a solo in his usual effective manner, that was received with favor. Miss Root, as accompanist, acquitted herself, as she always does, with great credit to herself and the delight of her hearers. After the musicale came the farce, "Female Masonry." The officers, clad in their robes suitable to their positions in the order, marched onto the stage to music and their movements as they proceeded to their proper stations were very pretty. After, by order of the Grand Mogul, the outer and inner doors were made secure, the lodge opened in due and ancient form and each officer seemed peculiarly qualified for her particular station. The opening ceremony was unique and such as women alone could invent. A distinguished visitor, Sister Mary Yelling Screech, was announced and received with grand honors, who proceeded to give an address of great importance to the craft, showing the superiority of woman over man, that was received with great applause by the members, and then remained to witness the work of the order. Many applicants for the degrees were reported in waiting but, owing to there being but one goat, the preference was given to Anna Shaw who soon after appeared on the scene seated on the historical goat which evidently was on his good behavior as he conducted himself with great dignity. After a blood curdling and iron clad obligation had been taken, the work of initiation proceeded. When about half through an interloper was discovered who proved to be of the hated sex, a man, bearing the cognomen of "Paul Pry." A consultation followed as to his fate, he having gained possession of many of the important secrets. He was given the alternative of death or joining the order. Choosing the latter, he was obligated, clothed in the attire of the craft. At this point an alarm came from without that the citadel was beseiged by an enemy and although in no wise frightened, discretion was deemed the better part of valor and the holy vessels and paraphernalia of the craft were speedily gathered up (folded their tent so to speak) and silently vanished from sight. We only regret the ladies did not reap a richer harvest.

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I have the book entitled "The Home Beyond" in my library. I regard it as a book full of instruction and worthy a place in every home.—J. P. Varner, pastor M. E. church, Tecumseh.

The finest work ever written of the here and the hereafter.—Merton.

A companion piece for the Bible.—Ormsby.

Should be in every home.—Addison.

No library complete without it.—Blackwood.

NOTICE.—While the regular price of the book is $2 50, arrangements have been made direct with the publishers to place 300 copies in Tecumseh at just the publisher's price—$1.00, and can be paid in four weekly installments of 25c each. This offer is made so that every family may own the book. Master Fred will call and show you the book and take your order for the same, to be delivered about April 1st. If he fails to call on any, a postal card directed to Fred Waring will bring him and the book for your inspection.

Remember 25c a week for four weeks pays for it.

FRED WARING.

Wm. R. Hayes Writes

Payne, Ind., Feb. 1896.

I have been using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin ever since the agency was established here four months ago. When I began taking it I weighed 150 pounds and now I weigh 177 pounds. Feel better than ever did in my life and must say it is an excellent remedy. In 10c size (10 doses 10 cts) regular sizes 50c and $1.00 at Orr & Temple's.

We are Going to Move!

March 1st next we take possession of the building recently vacated by C. E. Lenardson at Blissfield. Prior to that date, we must dispose of about one-half of our large stock of

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ALL	$5 00	SHOES	NOW	$3 75	ALL	$2.50	SHOES NOW $1.85
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"	3.50	"	"	2.50	"	1.50	" " 1.10
"	3.00	"	"	2.25			

We have a large stock of Boston and Goodyear Glove Rubber Goods, which must all go at **10 per cent. Discoun**

We are compelled to make this great sacrifice as the capacity of our new quarters are somewhat limited, and the stock must be reduced. Terms of sale strictly cash.

Tecumseh, Mich. **Karner Bros.**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 1st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rachel Gallatin administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration, thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the statute in such case made and provided, that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886, Samuel Larzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 858.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection herewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty-four dollars and fifty cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS, Mortgagee.
G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and now feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1.00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	10 11	14
Eggs	12	14
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 90	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 00	
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 7	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	80	81
Corn, shelled	30	30
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats	16	20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 13, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young pure blood Jersey calves, both sexes, from cows making from 9 to 16 pounds of butter per week. Inquire or address at once, W. T. ECCLES, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE—A good house and lot in the village of Tecumseh for $300.00. A rare chance for some one with small capital to secure a good home.

J. H. Smith was transacting business in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Stone, of Bay City, is the guest of Mrs. Mina S. Olmsted for some days.

John Karner arrived in town Saturday, to remain until they move their stock to Blissfield.

Mrs. Henry Conkling is enjoying a visit from her neice, Mrs. Jerome, and daughter, of Chicago.

Butler Treat, Ernest Meyers and Cameron Harris, of Adrian, remained in town over Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, of Deerfield, were visiting Tecumseh relatives and friends the last of the week.

Miss Lizzie Smith went over to Adrian yesterday. She went to see the popular actress, Rhea, in the evening.

You can buy the best Hose at the least price of Anderson & Rosacrans.

The Rev. H. C. Knight, of the McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, was the guest of Rev. C. M. Brown Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Daken, of Williamston, arrived Saturday last for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Friend McNeil, and other relatives.

Miss Helen Conklin went to Toledo Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with friends there. She returned Monday night.

E. W. Rappleye, who formerly lived at Ridgeway but now a resident of Ypsilanti, visited Tecumseh friends a few days this week.

E. J. Shepard, of Adrian, was over Saturday and again Monday on business connected with the drug stock that was sold Saturday.

At Odd Fellow's hall next Tuesday evening there will be special work and a full attendance of the members is earnestly desired.

Will Cutter, wife and little daughter, of Adrian, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich over Sunday, returning home Monday afternoon.

Seventeen young lady students from Adrian college, who had driven over to Clinton Saturday, took tea at the Lilley House. They were a jolly company.

Towel sale just on at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Mrs. Fred Aldrich, Mrs. E. L. Jones and son Leo were the gueste of Mrs. Michael Wilson one day the last of the week. They were entertained royally.

Capt. Chilson has given the contract for painting his large and pleasant dwelling to M. L. Gillen who is already at work. When completed it will be one of the most attractive homes in town.

Go to the auction. Mills block every day.

Rev. C. S. Nightingale, of Northville, a classmate of Rev. B. S. Hudson, will supply the Baptist church, Tecumseh, next Sunday. Subject in the evening, "Why do the Wicked Prosper?"

Clem H. Bramble arrived home from Texas Saturday night for a brief visit with his family, and it was brief for he left Wednesday morning for Ohio on business connected with the Page Fence company.

There will be a Republican caucus at the council building Tuesday evening, Feb. 16th, at 7 o'clock, standard time. Six delegates will be chosen to attend the county convention at Adrian Saturday, Feb. 20th.

A pleasant surprise was given John Riley and sisters last Friday night at their home by twelve couples of intimate friends. The time was occupied with cards and dancing and the hours slipped away like a dream.

Mrs. Chas. Humphrey, of Adrian, will deliver an address under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. on Friday evening, Feb. 19, in the Baptist church, subject, "Beautiful Sunny France." An admission of ten cents will be charged.

Ben Pulver, of Ypsilanti, came to attend the sale of Baker & Hall's stock Saturday. The court affirming the sale, he has been placed in charge of the stock by the Detroit firm who purchased it and no doubt will remain here some time.

"Cuban Rights and Spanish Rule," Sunday evening and "The Atonement," Sunday morning in the Universalist church. Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m., topic, "Kindness." Every one welcome to all services. Seats free. Come and bring your friends.

Save money by laying in a supply of footwear for years to come, while you can buy of us at cost. KARNER BROS.

Monday afternoon a colt belonging to James Nobles that was hitched in the street in front of the News office became frightened at a piece of paper which blew in front of him, and not being able to break the rope, he ran around the post, kicking at every jump, until the cutter, horse and harness were completely wound up. The colt was in and out the cutter several times. Had he succeeded in breaking away, no doubt it would have caused many other wrecks on the streets being full of teams. As it was as damage was done to any others. The colt was but slightly cut but the harness was badly broken and the cutter, though well built and of the best material, was completely wrecked.

Roy DeWolf is expected home over Sunday.

Geo. Kies stopped over one train Tuesday.

Poultry Institute at the opera house Wednesday, all day and evening.

Garlinghouse Bros. purchased a fine Jersey cow of W. T. Eccles last week.

Mrs. Anna Newburn came to Tecumseh Saturday and will remain several weeks.

Auction at Mills block commences tomorrow.

Wm. H. Wiggins and wife, of Adrian township, visited her father, A. D. Hall, yesterday.

Adam Grey, of Detroit, is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse.

Mrs. Fannie Rundell, of Manchester, visited her sister, Mrs. John J. Freeman, this week.

New spring dress goods arriving every day, at HARRIS & HITSHU'S.

Mrs. C. J. Robinson, of Manchester, spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Theodore Crane.

Mrs. Geo. Knapp started for Florida yesterday and will remain till summer weather in Michigan.

Miss Mabel Clements went to Detroit Wednesday for a few days' visit with Mrs F. C. Stoepel and Mrs. James Wilson.

The board of directors of the Lilley State Bank met yesterday, declared a dividend and placed $4,000 more into the surplus fund.

Mrs. Mary J. Garlinghouse was treated to a birthday party last evening at the home of her son, Ben Garlinghouse. All the relatives were present.

Mrs. Wyrill and her committee will serve supper in the parlors of the M. E. church Wednesday, Feb. 18, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are invited.

Anyone who has birds to show at the Poultry Institute, to be held at Sutton's opera house Wednesday of next week, should bring them before 10 a. m.

Will T. Eccles received a lot of young brook trout from the state hatchery yesterday to be distributed by him in different streams west and north of here.

Mrs. Sam Helm, who had the misfortune to break her left wrist while on her way to the Research Circle last Friday evening, is doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Al. Paxon had the misfortune the last of the week to run a sliver under the nail of one of her fingers which required the assistance of a physician to remove. A portion of the nail was cut out before it was extricated.

We notice the public is taking advantage of Karner Bros.' Removal Sale.

Come to the Poultry Institute at Sutton's opera house Wednesday. Admission free. Many coops of birds will be shown and a number of instructive papers will be read. Read the programme in another part of this paper.

Al Paxson leaves in the morning to take possession of the flouring mill Perry Hosmer and he have purchased at Piqua, O. His family will not go at present. For over twenty years he has been at the Globe Mills and most faithful he has been. May he strike it rich where he is going is the desire of a multitude of friends.

Auction at Mills block every day.

At the Monday Club, February 8th, the following interesting and instructive papers were read: Mrs. M. E. Corey described the process of metal engraving, also included a sketch of the German engraver, Martin Shongauer; Miss May DeWolf furnished a paper regarding the life, paintings and engravings of the artist, Holbein; Mrs. C. Bramble closed the program by reading a paper prepared by Mrs. O. B. Finch, containing a description of Holbein's celebrated picture, "The Dance of Death."

The Farmers' Union will meet at the home of M. Smeltzer Friday evening, Feb. 19th. Following is the program:—

Music—Bertha Smeltzer.
Rec.—Mary Linton.
Chip Basket—Mary McIntyre.
Music—Mary Haight.
Sketches from the life of William Cullen Bryant—Jennie Nyland.
Recitation from Bryant—Mary Eaton.
Music.
Rec.—Ethel Babcock.
Reading—Edna Bryan.
Questions taken from the Western Rural to be answered by members of the club.

Have you taken the time to look over the list of big bargains in Karner Bros.' ad. on the opposite page?

Mr. and Mrs. John Macham, who reside three miles west of Deerfield, were united in marriage Feb. 9th, 1847, and last Tuesday at their pleasant home the fiftieth anniversary of that important event was properly celebrated. It was a happy company that gathered beneath that hospitable roof. This aged couple have been favored far beyond most mortals. To them ten children were born, all of whom are living, and, with the exception of four who were unavoidably detained at home, were present with their families. To make the occasion the more memorable as well as unusual, the youngest son, Earl, who resides at home, had planned a surprise for the assembled guests which was successfully carried out when he and Miss Florence Baker, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker, of Deerfield, took their positions before the clergyman and pledged their troth. May they live to enjoy their golden wedding is the desire of their friends. It was a day of rare enjoyment to all. The following children were present from abroad: David Macham and family, of Tecumseh; Mrs. Frances Camp Hunter and two children, of Niles; Allen Macham and family, of Holloway; Dudley Macham and wife, of Brooklyn; and Thomas Macham and wife, of Deerfield.

High School Happenings.

Mrs. G. W. Meade called on the sixth grade Monday.

Miss Edna Petter called on the various rooms of the high school Monday afternoon.

Geometry class are busy with review in plane geometry. Oh that life were all reviews.

Anna and Stella Young were absent from their places in the seventh grade Wednesday.

The eighth grade arithmetic took examination today (Friday) and will begin Algebra on Monday.

Miss Jessimine Case visited the pupils of the ninth grade Wednesday afternoon for a little while.

The rhetoric classes are about as full as they can very well be this year. The total number at present is forty-five.

The Junior class took a little sleigh-ride Tuesday night ending up at Clinton. They all report a very fine time.

Miss Inez Thorpe accompanied Miss Mabel Clements to school Monday afternoon for a short call on her high school friends.

The class in German II has been increased by the addition of another new member, Miss Eloise Waring having taken up Hermann and Dorothea.

Ella and Agnes Paxson have left school preparatory to moving to Piqua, Ohio. We are sorry to lose them from our midst but hope they will like their new home.

Mr. Kellogg is engaged in "shocking" the Physics class this week. To judge from the sounds in the office during that hour however, the girls at least are enjoying it hugely.

Two of our little freshmen took an enforced vacation Tuesday afternoon. One swallowed her pride and came back the next morning; the other will take a longer rest from her duties.

We are sorry to learn that Mertie Gage, one of our ninth grade pupils, has been compelled to leave school on account of ill health. We trust she may soon be able to rejoin us.

Two sleighloads of young people went to Newburg last evening and surprised Fred Sheldon.

If you ever want a cutter, now is the time to buy it. C. A. Slayton has just bought a few $30.00 cutters where they had to be sold for $19.00. Come quick if you want one.

Poultry Show and Institute.

At Sutton's opera house Wednesday February 17th, '97, commencing at 10 a. m. The program, commencing at 7 p. m., sun time, will be as follows:—

Music—Viva and Elmer Mellon.
Address—President J. D. Shull.
Paper—Eggs in Winter—Abner Wilson, Tecumseh.
Paper—Raising Turkeys—Mrs. H. (Calhoun, Manchester,
Paper—Farmer's Wife and the Poultry Business—Priscilla Plum, Reading.
Broilers from Egg to Market—Arthur (E. Mosher, Onsted.
Instrumental Music—Ora Gillespie, (Tecumseh.
Poultry Houses—J. W. Holme, Adrian.
Paper—Poultry on the Farm—Mrs. (Smith Munger, Tipton.
Poultry for Pleasure and Profit—Ed (Lake, Ridgeway.
Artificial Incubator and Brooding—A. (P. Coddington, Tecumseh.
Duck—Ed Clapp, Evans Lake.
Music—Viva and Elmer Mellon.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Swartz. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Martin Updyke Feb. 19th. The following program will be presented:—

Music.
Rec.—Pearl VanValkenburg.
Select Reading—Mrs. Aylesworth.
Rec.—Florence Keyser.
Song—Maud Abbott.
Dialogue—Mr. and Mrs. Hoag.
Rec.—Ella Munger.
Chip Basket—Chas. Mathews.
Rec.—Mattie Wilson.
Charade—Ora Bowen.
Song—Mrs. Welch and Fred.
Question, "Is the Good Road League the best thing for the farmer," to be opened by C. A. Matthews.

—Attend the Mills block everyday auction.

—Special bargains in Toilet and Dinner sets at Tansley's new store, Heesen block.

—Every day auction at the Mills block.

—Pender's Oriental Magic at the opera house Monday and Tuesday evenings February 15th and 16th.

—Dr. W. C. Walker, the eminent physician and surgeon, will be at Tecumseh on February 26th. He will make regular monthly visits. Those suffering from any chronic or obstinate complications may call and consult him. See the doctor's "ad" in this issue of the HERALD.

—Remember Pender's grand entertainment at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

—C. H. Pender's entertainment held forth on Wednesday and Thursday evenings last, and we must say that it was the most pleasing exhibition that has visited our city in many years. The large and delighted audience was kept in a roar of laughter from the opening of the performance to the finish. Mr. Pender is one of the best ventriloquists and sleight-of-hand performers in the United States. Everybody that can stand it to laugh a couple of hours should be sure and spend an evening wherever he exhibits.—Oneida, N. Y. Union.

Sutton's opera house Monday and Tuesday evenings. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

Charles Burridge.

For a number of months Charles Burridge had been very ill, at first confined to his house only a part of the time, later on all the time, still later he was confined to his bed. Last Sunday he submitted to a surgical examination and Sunday evening, February 7, about 8:30 o'clock, the final summons came.

He was born in London, England, January 5, 1837, and died in Tecumseh, Michigan, February 7, 1897.

At the age of fourteen Charles Burridge came to America, returned and came back the following year, went to Richland county, Ohio, then on to White Pigeon, Constantine and Tecumseh. Worked and educated himself here and two years in the University at Ann Arbor. Taught school three months, then journeyed to the Mississippi but only to return to Tecumseh. Worked for Mr. Hayden a few years, studied law in the office of E. B. Wood and finally formed a partnership with him. Was Justice of the Peace for 24 years, city recorder nine years, but was not admitted to the bar till 1885 and then was induced to apply for admission only by the earnest solicitation of friends and was admitted without examination. His business all those years has been practice in the Probate Court, and as a probate lawyer he was acknowledged to be the most able man in Lenawee county.

Since 1865, every week day, did Charles Burridge go up and down those same stairs to his work and there is hardly a man or woman in Tecumseh, who owned any property, or transacted any business, that he had not served in some way; and when two hundred men marched through the town to lead the funeral train, each one could think of some kind word or deed this man had said or done for him.

Every business house was closed in honor to his memory; indeed the very town was sad. The last sad rites were held in the Presbyterian church—of which he was a member—that all might attend, and the place was none too large. It was filled with people who felt honest sorrow for an honest man, and why not?

Charles Burridge lived as near an upright life as man could live, his very retirement of disposition brought him forward to the notice of the public as one who could be trusted, and in all his clientage there cannot be found one person who would even wish to think of him as any other than the very soul of honor.

"'Tis wrong to say a good man dies," yet in this case difficult not to so so, as the loss clearly falls on those who are left. Mr. Burridge left no relatives except his immediate family which consists of Mrs. Burridge, Walter C., Mary L. and Charles, and to this family circle it almost seems as if the light had been snuffed out, for until this last illness he had never known sickness and had lived a life which seemed to be all spent for the good and comfort and welfare of the loved ones at home.

"Two hands upon the breast,
And labor's done:
Two pale feet crossed in rest,
The race is won."

Mr. Burridge was a member of the Lenawee county bar association, and that body met at the opening of the circuit court on Monday afternoon, Hon. A. L. Millard occupying the chair. Eulogistic remarks were made by Judge Lane, Judge Robbins, L. H. Salsbury, Seth Bean, James Wightman, Sumner Collins and others. A committee on resolutions was appointed and at a meeting held on Tuesday submitted the following report, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the bar of this county has by the death of Charles Burridge, whose loss we deeply deplore, been bereft of one of its most honored and esteemed members, whose genial ways, pure life, unsullied integrity, faithfulness in the duties of his profession and unfailing courtesy to the court and to his brethren at the bar, have endeared him to the profession and given to us an example worthy of emulation.

Resolved, That Mr. Burridge was a man whose life and practice tended to ennoble the profession, whose example as a lawyer was a daily refutation of the statement too often made by the uninformed that there is no honor among lawyers, and that they subsist by sharp practices and taking advantage of honest people. Mr. Burridge was the soul of honor. His integrity was never questioned. Those who knew him soon learned to trust him implicitly in matters of the gravest concern to them. Probably no other member of the bar was called upon to counsel and advise so many persons whose lives have been clouded by the death of loved ones, and who had estates to administer, as Mr. Burridge was. He was to them indeed a friend in need, and he never betrayed their trust, never was there a slip of his unfaithfulness or disloyalty. There was hardly an estate to a minister in the northern part of the county but what he was chosen to manage and settle it. This devolved upon him great responsibility, and led him into practice in the Probate Court, which was the theatre of his greatest activity and usefulness, and his was a familiar figure on our streets Monday morning, wending his way, satchel in hand, to and from the Probate court; where, never seeking to mislead the court or take any technical advantage of an opponent, he was always welcome, always fair, always trusted.

Resolved, That Mr. Burridge was a strong man having much tenacity of will and the courage of his own opinions, who was not easily swerved from the course he had marked out to follow. Still he was kind and generous to all. He rarely, if ever, uttered a word of detraction of any one. If he could not speak well of a person, he spoke not at all. He boasted not in victory, he complained not in defeat. His best eulogy is the respect and confidence the people where he lived had in him without regard to party or condition in life. And his death will be deplored by many, yes very many who had learned to love and trust him because of his true manhood, his faithfulness as a counsellor, and his exalted character.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and sincere condolence in this hour of their great bereavement.

Resolved, That as an evidence of our regard and esteem for our deceased brother, the bar do attend his funeral in a body, and that as an additional mark of respect we request the court to now adjourn during this the day of his funeral.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this court and that a certified copy of the same be delivered to the family of our deceased brother.

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Committee.

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CATARRH
COLD IN HEAD

ART OF GETTING ON.

Have a Definite Knowledge of Some One Thing.

I recall with shame how earnestly and how vainly a well-wisher of mine, an eminent publisher, tried many years ago to impress this fact upon my mind: "You will succeed," he used to say, "as soon as you produce what somebody wants; but not so long as your merit is only that of a woman who is struggling." In common with a great many other women not brought up to work, I had a vague sort of idea that my misfortunes were a passport and would gain me an income, says a writer in Lippincott's. Let me assure every woman similarly placed that they never will. Sympathy is readily awakened, but it is in the nature of things short-lived. Respect for effort earnest and continued is a much better ally. In an experience ranging over many years, I must honestly say that every time I have failed it has been through my own ignorance and incompetency, and that my success has been built upon failures many and severe. The best equipment that either men or women could have is definite knowledge, if it be only of one thing. The first question I ask of those who come to me for advice is: "What can you do?" If the answer is, as it almost invariably proves to be: "Anything," my heart fills with despair for the applicant. In the money-making world "anything" means "nothing." It is overrun with a vast army of incapables ready to rush in and undertake "anything." What is needed is some one who can do something as opposed as to anyone who can do anything. Competency is the only equipment that is worth anything nowadays.

Ironwood, Feb. 5.—The Metropolitan Iron and Land company, operating the Norrie, East Norrie and Pabst mines near here, and employing 700 men, has cut the wages of all employes ten per cent. This cut is the most sweeping ever made since the mines have been in operation.

HORTICULTURE.

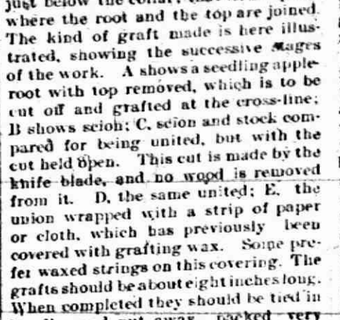
ROOT-GRAFTING APPLES.

How to Perform the Operation and How to Plant the Grafts.

The common apple is grown almost entirely by what is termed root-grafting, although it may be grown by budding and cleft-grafting. Root-grafting is done during winter as follows:

Seedlings which are dug in autumn, and packed in moss or sawdust in a cold cellar, are taken as needed to a warm room and the scions grafted upon them just below the collar; that is, the place where the root and the top are joined. The kind of graft made is here illustrated, showing the successive stages of the work. A shows a seedling apple-root with top removed, which is to be cut off and grafted at the cross-line; B shows scion; C, scion and stock compared for being united, but with the cut held open. This cut is made by the knife blade, and no wood is removed from it. D, the same united; E, the union wrapped with a strip of paper or cloth, which has previously been covered with grafting wax. Some prefer waxed strings on this covering. The grafts should be about eight inches long. When completed they should be tied in bundles and put away, packed very firmly in sand or light soil, in a cold cellar. A cave is best for this purpose. Early in the spring they should be planted in the nursery, about six inches apart, in rows three apart, setting all but the upper bud of the scion below the surface of the ground. It is important to plant the scion deep, so as to encourage it to throw out roots, as the trees are then more hardy than when they depend entirely upon the seedling root for support. Great care should be taken to have the soil very firm and solid around the base of the root and at the union. This may be secured in several ways. Some nurserymen attain this end by the use of a large dibber, having a guard on the side to prevent its going too deep. With this a hole is made sufficiently wide and deep to permit the insertion of the graft easily so that not more than one or two buds project above the ground. To do this work most expeditiously the grafts should be of the same length and free from side branches.

Two persons should work together—a man who uses the dibber and a boy who carries the grafts. The man



ROOT GRAFTING ILLUSTRATED.

makes a hole with the dibber, the boy puts in a graft; when the man immediately makes another hole by the side of and two inches away from that containing the graft, and, pressing forward the graft, packs the soil firmly around it. After each row is finished in this way, the man should turn back on the row and press firmly by the side of each graft with the ball of the foot.

Another method of planting root-grafts, which is as applicable for planting cuttings on a small scale, is as follows. It is not a fast method, but a very excellent one for a few grafts. The thoroughly plowed land is smoothed off, a line stretched and walked where the row is to come, and then thrown to one side. With a spade throw out a furrow along the line, leaving the edge straight and smooth. Against this place the grafts, and then, with a hoe turned bottom up, push a little earth against the lower part of the root of each graft, and afterward draw three inches of soil into the furrow around the grafts and then press firmly against each graft with the ball of the foot. Fill the trench full, and repeat the footing process again. A more expeditious way is to plow out a furrow instead of making it with a spade, and then fill the trench with a plow. In this way the work may be successfully done if the soil is not dry, and the season is favorable. But it pays well to do good work, and where one has only a few hundred or a thousand grafts to plant, the spade method is most certain. In planting in a dry time, the great key to success is to have the land firm and solid around the root and the union so that there will be no air space. This is very important. In two or three years from the root-grafting the trees will be large enough to be transplanted to the orchard.—Farm and Fireside.

Market for Filled Cheese.

As a result of the congressional laws affecting the manufacture of filled cheese the figures on file in the Chicago internal revenue office indicates that hardly ten per cent. of the former business is now being done. The year previous to September 1, when the act of congress went into effect, 15,000,000 pounds were made, yielding a revenue of $1,000,000 and keeping 30 factories busy. A foreign market has been created, and since September three factories have qualified to Collector Mize. They expect during the coming year to make 1,500,000 pounds.

Watch the trees carefully and if any nests of the tent caterpillar appear cut them off and burn them up clean.

THE OLD CONSTITUTION.

To Be Forever Kept as a National Naval Museum.

Commodore Farragut's Flagship, the Hartford, Is Also to Be Permanently Maintained—Relic of the Kearsarge.

[Special Washington Letter.]

"There is nothing in all my work of which I am more proud," said the secretary of the navy the other morning, "than the accomplishment of the reclamation of the old battleship Hartford. Congress is often very prodigal in allowing large appropriations for claims, but congress is not primarily patriotic or sentimental. It was very difficult to secure an appropriation, but, by constant urging, it was accomplished. And now Commodore Farragut's flagship will be permanently maintained in the navy.

"Do you know that a relic of heroism incites patriotism? The young men who see the Hartford in future years, and who read her splendid naval career, will be stimulated to honor the flag which floats over her, and have an ambition to do as well for their country as did the heroes who trod her decks and served her guns. They will read of the old commodore lashed to the mast and handling his fleet in the smoke and carnage of battle; and particularly our young midshipmen will have before them constantly the memory of the commodore, with a stimulated ambition to fight as he fought, if ever in command of a battle ship in time of war.

"Yes, I am glad that the Hartford is preserved; but I am not satisfied with the progress made towards a restoration and reclamation of the Constitution. That splendid relic of American prowess should be preserved. Although I have constantly asked congress to make appropriation for that purpose, I have failed to receive a dollar, up to date."

Secretary Herbert is not alone in his desire to have the Constitution repaired. Congressman Fitzgerald, of Massachusetts, has secured the adoption of a resolution calling upon the secretary of the navy for an estimate of the amount of money which will be necessary to move the Constitution from Portsmouth to the Washington navy yard, where it is contemplated that the ship shall be forever kept as a naval museum. In support of his resolution, Mr. Fitzgerald made a speech in the house of representatives. He said:

"In connection with the resolution I present a petition of the Massachusetts Historical society that congress may take some action in regard to the preservation of the frigate Constitution, which now lies at the Portsmouth navy yard, and is in such a condition as to be in danger of sinking at any time.

"As every member of this house knows, there is no vessel in the American navy that possesses the history and the record that the Constitution possesses. It is my proud privilege to represent in congress the district in which is located the wharf where this famous old frigate was built and launched. In grateful memory of her untarnished record it has been called Constitution wharf. As a boy I have the pleasantest recollections of the happy days spent at the wharf where the Constitution was built over a century ago, and when I stand here pleading for the preservation of Old Ironsides my deepest sympathies are moved. The achievements of the heroic sons of Massachusetts with her have produced within my breast, as they must within the breast of every American citizen, feelings of deepest reverence for the historic ship.

"Why should it be necessary to call the attention of the government to its duty with regard to the preservation of the Constitution, whose great victory in the naval engagement with the Guerriere in the dark days of the war of

FARRAGUT'S FLAGSHIP HARTFORD

1812 brought hope and encouragement to our people and placed the United States among the first-class powers of the world?

"Why this shame of neglect toward a historic relic that typifies the heroism of our fathers and is an inspiration to succeeding generations?

"Nelson's flagship, Victory, is carefully perpetuated by Great Britain, and in such great reverence is she held that Englishmen respectfully remove their hats whenever they pass. Who shall say that the dear old Constitution, with her unbroken line of victories, unparalleled in the history of the world, is not worthy of like respect from a grateful republic?

"In 1829, when the destruction of the Constitution was ordered, the stirring lyric poem of Oliver Wendell Holmes saved her from what would have been a disgrace to our country, and I think it proper that those inspiring words should be recalled at this time, when, through neglect, a like fate seems to be in store for her:

OLD IRONSIDES.

Ay, tear her tattered ensign down!
Long has it waved on high,
And many an eye has danced to see
That banner in the sky.
Beneath it rung the battle shout,
And burst the cannon's roar;
The meteor of the ocean air
Shall sweep the clouds no more!
Her deck, once red with heroes' blood,
Where knelt the vanquished foe,
When winds were hurrying o'er the flood,
And waves were white below,
No more shall feel the victor's tread,
Or know the conquered knee;
The harpies of the shore shall pluck
The eagle of the sea!

Oh, better that her shattered hulk
Should sink beneath the wave;
Her thunders shook the mighty deep,
And there should be her grave.
Nail to the mast her holy flag,
Set every threadbare sail,
And give her to the god of storms,
The lightning and the gale!

"Massachusetts asks that this grand old ship be perpetuated, and she relinquishes her claim to have her placed in the waters of the state, near where she was built and manned, that she may be placed in Washington, here to serve as a national monument of the triumphs of the American seamen during the war of 1812. Such has ever been the true, chivalrous spirit of Massachusetts.

"Through the care and labor of her own historical society she preserves the

THE CONSTITUTION.

revered relics of the revolutionary times and of her illustrious sons; and she feels that she has the right to insist that the national government shall no longer be unmindful of its duty to the flower of the American navy, the Constitution."

At the conclusion of the congressman's speech he was given an ovation of applause such as seldom is given to the most gifted of orators. The resolution was passed without objection, and in a short time the old frigate which bore our banner aloft with honor and glory will be properly cared for. Meeting the congressman on the evening of the delivery of his speech, and congratulating him on the success of his effort, he said: "I am no orator. I never made a good speech in my life. I was gratified with the passage of the resolution, but the applause did not turn my head. The representatives of the people of this country were not applauding me. They were patriotically applauding the stanch old frigate of which I spoke, and for whose preservation I was pleading. They were also applauding the grand poet and his poem. Had it not been for the lines of Holmes, the Constitution would have been torn to pieces as an old hulk, worn out, and no longer useful."

The gentleman is modest and sincere. Nevertheless, his speech was delivered with the eloquence of fervid earnestness. He is not an orator, and he is wise enough to know it. But his speech ought to pass into history with the splendid poem which he quoted. Oliver Wendell Holmes prevented the destruction of the Constitution. Congressman Fitzgerald secured the appropriation which will result in her permanent preservation.

It is a pity that the Kearsarge could not have been preserved. She was lost by careless seamanship on a reef in the Atlantic ocean. The gallant cruiser ought not to have been on duty. She should have been kept in the Washington navy yard forever. But our statesmen are shortsighted. The republic is young. Our people have not become accustomed to making sacred history for the future. They make history for the present, and fortunately it is intended to be patriotic history, and will read well through all generations; but they are reckless of the nice little details which go to make beautiful the history of nations.

But we have a relic of the Kearsarge which will be preserved carefully for all time. It is the oak rudder post of the historic cruiser. In the museum at the navy yard the rudder post stands. Imbedded in it is a conical shell which came near destroying the ship. It was fired from a rifle on the confederate cruiser Alabama. But it did not explode. An explosion would have resulted in the sinking of the Kearsarge, and the escape of the Alabama. The shell was found there after the celebrated engagement. A skillful gunner, risking his life, and of course risking the safety of the vessel, sat astride the rudder post and drilled a hole into the shell until he came to the powder. Then he poured in water and saturated the explosive. After that, he drilled off one end of the dangerous missile and took out of it the explosive materials. The rudder post was then mended and strengthened with steel bands, and the Kearsarge sailed away after other confederate privateers. Finally, the rudder post was taken out and a new one put in its place. The old rudder post, with its shell inclosed, is at the navy yard; and it is all that remains of the famous ship.

SMITH D. FRY.

A Patriarch Among Parrots.

In Brooklyn there is a parrot which is undoubtedly 90 years of age, and perhaps older. The present owner has the genealogy of the bird, and it begins in 1806, when the parrot was brought from England, and it was then claimed that it was the mate of one owned by King George III. The parrot is noted for its dignity, and holds receptions in great style. It is accomplished, speaking portions of three languages; is very fastidious in its eating, and, like all parrots, obstinate enough to remain dumb just when everybody wants it to talk.

Another woman who has recently been admitted to the bar is Miss Daisy D. Barbee, of St. Louis.

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EPISODE OF OLD TEXAS.

The Government Set Up by Count St. Denis in 1714

A Romantic Fragment of Southwestern History—The Count's Meeting with the Man He Thought He Had Slain.

There is much well-authenticated material for the historian in the minds of the old veterans of the border that will soon pass beyond the reach of all writers. Few people know anything of the very first settlements in Texas, and, doubtless, many will be astonished to learn that the business of creating republics in that country commenced nearly 200 years ago. There were filibusters who dreamed of carving out for themselves an empire in the great southwest long before even Aaron Burr was born. Others in the ranks of the most careful readers of history will possibly be surprised to learn that the old San Antonio road, which is one of the best-known landmarks in the southwest, was laid off and carefully mapped just 182 years ago. It was at one time regarded as the longest highway in the world. It was longer than any of the old Roman roads—longer than the great military road that led from the gates of the Eternal City to Constantinople and the Asiatic provinces. The San Antonio road proper ran from San Augustine to San Antonio, and the long road extending south of the Alamo mission across the Rio Grande to the City of Mexico, a distance of more than 1,000 miles, was also called the San Antonio road. It was originally laid off 100 feet wide. It is a road yet. This great road, over which Spanish viceroys and richly laden caravans traveled—over which countless thousands crowded their way to battle fields for more than 100 years, was laid off by men who were talking of republican institutions before the idea of Jefferson or the triumphs of Washington had ever entered the minds of the wildest dreamers.

Spain and France both claimed the country. France based her claims on the discoveries of La Salle. This great explorer, in searching for the mouth of the Mississippi, sailed too far west, and finally landed on the shores of Matagorda bay. Here he built a fort, and called it Fort St. Louis, in honor of Louis XIV. of France. Realizing that he had made a mistake, La Salle accompanied by his followers, attempted to march across the country, hoping to reach a French fort on the Arkansas river, where he had instructed De Tonti to keep a small body of soldiers. He lost his life through the treachery of his own comrades, and it is supposed that his bones repose somewhere on the shores of the Neches river. Exaggerated reports concerning the rich country west of the Mississippi river, which bordered on the Gulf of Mexico, reached France. The soil was said to be the richest in the world, the climate was salubrious, like that of southern Spain, the mountains were full of gold and silver, and the rivers ran over golden sand. Among the hundreds of adventurous and warlike spirits that surrounded the throne of Louis XIV. none listened to these stories with more eagerness than Count St. Denis. He was a brave, energetic, and handsome youth, who had inherited a great name and many heavily mortgaged estates. The opportunity which he eagerly sought, to draw his sword and make an effort to fill his purse on the plains of the Rio Grande, soon presented itself.

The bare cold facts of the story of this young man's adventures read so much like the dreams of a romancer that they would be rejected by all historians if they were not supported by indubitable records. Count St. Denis and a young Frenchman of equal rank of the name of Belisle were both violently in love with the same young lady. Their rivalry ended in a quarrel which led to a duel. The antagonists met and fought a terrible battle with swords, which terminated, as St. Denis supposed, in the death of his rival. He at once fled from France, and after a series of narrow escapes from arrest and death he finally landed in America and joined the great Louisiana company. His countrymen received him with open arms, and immediately offered him employment. All Spanish territory at that time north of the Rio Grande was ruled by a governor appointed by the viceroy of Mexico. The Louisiana company was anxious to possess the country, and the authorities sent Count St. Denis at the head of a little army of less than 100 men to plant the flag of France upon the domes of the Spanish forts and missions. He marched through a region of country that literally swarmed with hostile savages and established himself in northern Texas without ever firing a shot. He must have been an extraordinary young man, possessing many of the traits of a leader, not the least among which were his masterly accomplishments as a diplomat, for he not only made an alliance offensive and defensive with the powerful, warlike Natchez, but he soon won the friendship of the Spanish settlers who lived in the territory. Intoxicated with his success, he boldly cut loose from the Louisiana company and set up a government of his own. This was in the year 1714, and it was the very first attempt to establish an independent government ever made on the North American continent.

It was a curious kind of a government. St. Denis was at the head of it under the modest title of governor, and by the provisions of the constitution, which he drafted himself, he possessed in his limited realm just about as much power as the autocrat of all the Russias. Leaving a trusted subaltern in command, St. Denis set out for the City of Mexico on a mission that has never been thoroughly understood. He either hoped through his shrewd powers of diplomacy to get the Spanish viceroy to recognize his government, or, failing in this, he expected to turn everything over to Spain and get himself appointed governor of the territory. When he arrived at the Presido San Juan, near the Rio Grande, the governor received and entertained him in a most hospitable manner. The polished address and courtly military bearing of the bold young adventurer almost instantly won the head of the old governor, and at the same time the heart of his beautiful daughter. It was a case of mutual love at first sight. St. Denis almost forgot the empire that he had been dreaming of, while enjoying the hospitality of Senor Villeseceas and basking in the smiles of Donna Maria.

There was another suitor for the hand of this young lady, and this was no less a personage than Gov. Anaya, of Coahuila. This official no sooner heard of St. Denis and his attentions to Donna Maria than he ordered his arrest. St. Denis was loaded with chains and thrown into the fortress of Monoclava. Donna Maria continued to assure the young man of her devotion and of the friendship of her father. After St. Denis had been confined a month or more his powerful rival appeared one fine day at the door of his cell, followed by a file of his guards, and told St. Denis that if he would instantly surrender all claims to the hand of Donna Maria that he would release him and give him letters that would assist him in the prosecution of his plans in the City of Mexico. St. Denis, with flashing eyes, scorned the offer, and his reply was worthy of one of the old knights of chivalry.

"Tyrant, you may load me with chains, but so long as Donna Maria honors me with her love and confidence, so long shall that love and confidence be guarded as my most sacred treasures. You may take from me my life, senor, but you cannot take from me my honor."

The tyrant ordered St. Denis to be treated as a common criminal, but when months had passed and the brave young Frenchman showed no signs of yielding, the wretch sent a courier bearing this cruel message to Donna Maria: "Marry me, and St. Denis shall be released; refuse, and your lover shall surely die." The fearless young girl declined the tyrant's offer in emphatic terms, and at once applied to the viceroy in the City of Mexico, telling him the story of their love. The viceroy was moved by the piteous appeals of the beautiful girl, and he released St. Denis. As soon as St. Denis was liberated he married Donna Maria and resumed his journey to the City of Mexico. Here his pleasing address won all hearts. The viceroy offered him a position under the Spanish government and gave him full authority to punish his enemy. St. Denis showed that magnanimity was numbered with his many other fine traits of character, for he refused to make any trouble for the man who had so cruelly wronged him.

It is not known as to what kind of authority was granted to him by the Spanish officials in Mexico. He built a fort at Nacogdoches and laid off a city. He ordered the lands surveyed, and granted titles to the settlers. He established trading posts at various points in the interior and rapidly accumulated a large fortune. He possessed the happy faculty of making a friend of every man who came in contact with him. He was called the "just chief by the Indians, and his fame for honesty and dealing was well established with all the tribes within reach of his capital. While in the height of his power two Indians one day came to his house and told him that they had seen a white man with a tribe of coast Indians who held him as a prisoner. St. Denis at once offered them a large sum of money if they would go and rescue the white man and bring him to Nacogdoches. The Indians went away, and in a few weeks they reappeared at St. Denis' house with a naked, half-starved human being who was besmeared with dirt and painted like an Indian. St. Denis ordered a bath for the poor shivering creature, and sent a suit of his own clothes to the bathroom. When the man had been washed and clothed he appeared before his benefactor. St. Denis no sooner looked at him than he was struck dumb with amazement. The man was Belisle, whom St. Denis thought he killed with his sword in Paris. Belisle was equally as much astonished. They were Frenchmen, and they instantly embraced each other and buried all past differences. Belisle's story was a short one, but full of sufferings. He had recovered from the wounds inflicted by the sword of St. Denis, and not long afterward he joined a colony of adventurers who sailed to join the Louisiana company at the mouth of the Mississippi. Like La Salle, they lost their way, and sailed too far west. Belisle, with two comrades, went ashore on the coast of Texas to enjoy a hunt. They got lost, and the ship sailed away and left them. After wandering through the forests for many days Belisle's two comrades perished from hunger. Belisle fell in with some coast Indians, who treated him very cruelly. They striped him of his clothing, and would have tortured him to death with fire had not an old squaw interfered in his favor. He had been a prisoner with the Indians for a long time. St. Denis gave Belisle an office in his government, and put him in the way of making money.

St. Denis was slain in a battle with the Indians on the frontier of his country, and after his death the affairs of the colony fell into disorder. At the time of St. Denis' death there were about 300 white people who claimed the protection of his government, and they were nearly all in prosperous circumstances. Many of them had accumulated fortunes trading with the Indians, and St. Denis himself was said to have had in his possession more than $100,000 in gold. Had he lived a few years longer he would have anticipated the work of Austin and Houston, and firmly established a government in Texas that Mexico could not have overthrown 100 years before the battle of San Jacinto was fought.—Globe Democrat.

TO IMPROVE TWO HARBORS.

Important Recommendations Affecting Ludington and Holland.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Secretary Lamont has made two important recommendations to congress respecting the improvement of the harbors at Ludington and Holland in Michigan. He recommends that congress set aside $240,000 for deepening the harbor at Holland and $210,000 for similar work in the harbor at Ludington. It is proposed in the case of the harbor at Holland to secure a depth of 16 feet, and the plan suggested provides for pier extensions, repairs to the existing structure and dredging. The recommendations as to the harbor at Ludington are of almost equal importance. It is proposed at the harbor to make the depth 18 feet below the present level of Lake Michigan. The plan of improvement is similar to that proposed for Holland harbor.

BANKS CUT INTEREST RATES.

Detroit Savings Institutions Make a Reduction.

Detroit, Feb. 10.—For more than a month the savings banks of the city have been agitating the reduction of the rate of interest on savings deposits from four to three per cent. Some of the weaker banks held out. Tuesday George H. Russel, president of the State bank, sprung a surprise by announcing that on and after March 5 deposits would be received at three per cent. per annum only, and, beginning June 1, all present deposits would be subject to the same rate. This announcement caused the other banks to fall in line and at a coming meeting all the banks will authorize the same rate. President M. W. O'Brien, of the People's and Dow Elwood, of the Wayne county, the two heaviest savings banks in the city, have declared in favor of the new rate.

TAKEN FROM DETROIT.

Agency to Be Closed, and Pensions to Be Paid from Indianapolis.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—President Cleveland has signed an order recommended by the secretary of the interior which will reduce the number of pension agencies in the United States from 18 to nine, and it is said that by so doing the expense of distributing pensions will be reduced $150,000. The change will be made by an amendment which was approved last March, and the executive order will go into effect September 1 next. This order will do away with the pension agency in Detroit, and after it is in effect all pensions that are now paid from Detroit will be paid from Indianapolis.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Terrible Fate of Two Little Children at Grovetown.

Grayling, Feb. 4.—Seeley Wakeley's house in Grovetown, near here, was destroyed by fire, and his two children, aged two and four years, were burned to death. The father was at work in the woods, and the mother was visiting relatives near by. Upon her return she found the house in flames. She attempted to rush in for the children, but was restrained by the neighbors, as to have done so probably would have been death to her as well.

SOLD HIS WIFE FOR $25.

Strange Transaction in Lieu of a Divorce to Dissolve Marriage.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 5.—John Lane and his wife Mary got tired of marriage, so, for the sum of $25, to be paid by J. H. Hurst, John sold all right and title to Mary, and Mary relinquished all claims upon John. This peculiar bargain-counter disposal of a wife was made formal by a bill of sale signed by both Mary and John and Mr. Hurst, and witnessed by S. R. McMasters and Thomas Jones, two neighbors.

Opposed to Two-Cent Fares.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 8.—The railway employes of the Chicago & West Michigan system on Sunday held a mass meeting to protest against Gov. Pingree's two-cent railway fare bill. There were delegates present from every town along the line of the road, over 400 being in attendance. A resolution was adopted declaring that the proposed law would cause the roads of the state to cut down the number of employes to curtail expenses, thereby forcing men into idleness and causing hardship and suffering to families dependent upon them for support. A committee was chosen to go to Lansing to lobby against the bill.

Killed by a Constable.

Allegan, Feb. 9.—Saturday night about eight o'clock, Jim Lawver, a constable, shot and killed Joseph White, better known as Crazy Joe, a bachelor, living about a mile west of Hoppertown. It seems Crazy Joe was creating a disturbance and Jim went down to quiet him. A fight ensued which resulted in Joe's being shot to death.

Poisoned Himself.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 10.—William H. Stewart, an engineer, aged 60, was found dead in a hallway at 1205 Washington avenue, Tuesday evening. He had committed suicide with poison. Stewart's home was in Saginaw, Mich., but for a year he has lived here with his son-in-law. No cause for the suicide is known.

Out of the Race.

Lansing, Feb. 6.—Fred A. Baker says he will not be a candidate for justice of the supreme court under any circumstances. This narrows the contest down to W. G. Howard, of Kalamazoo, and John B. Shipman, of Coldwater.

Prominent Mason Dead.

Jackson, Feb. 5.—Hollis F. Knapp died Thursday morning. He was very prominent in masonic circles, having been grand commander of the Knights Templar of Michigan.

Goes to Prison for Seven Years.

Port Huron, Feb. 5.—Charles M. Bentley, the ex-secretary of the Royal Arcanum, who obtained $6,000 by fraudulent death certificates, was sentenced to seven years at Ionia.

A NOVEL SERMON.

Cadillac Minister's Plan to Discourage Tobacco Using.

Cadillac, Feb. 10.—The announcement that Rev. W. L. Laufman, assisted by Dr. C. E. Miller, would kill two cats in the pulpit of the Methodist church to illustrate Laufman's sermon on tobacco, was sufficient to pack the church. Prominent on the pulpit were packages of fineout and plug chewing tobacco. Holding aloft a pound plug of tobacco, he assured his hearers that it contained enough grains of nicotine to kill 300 men. Then the cats were brought up by Dr. Miller. An assistant held them while the doctor administered the nicotine. The first one died in a minute and a half, while the attendant held it, and three drops of nicotine were placed on its tongue. The next cat, a large one, was administered only two drops, the purpose being to illustrate the sickness and spasms which the first dose of tobacco creates. A second dose of two drops, and in a minute and a quarter the cat was dead. Rev. Haufman announced that next Sunday he would kill some more cats to show the effect of alcohol, and also have on exhibition the stomach of a drunkard.

LUMBERMEN PROTEST.

Opposition to Proposed Duty of $2 on White Pine.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Republican members of the ways and means committee have been interviewed during the last two days by a delegation of Michigan lumbermen, who are opposed to the duty of two dollars which will be placed on white pine in the new tariff bill. The Michigan men have purchased stumpage privileges in Canada and are opposed to the increase of duties on white pine, and fear that the Canadian government will retaliate by the imposition of higher crown taxes on their Canadian property. They want the committee to leave the white pine where it was in the McKinley act, or to protect them against possible retaliation by some special provision in the bill.

OFFICIAL KILLS HIMSELF.

Village Clerk of Allegan Commits Suicide While Under Arrest.

Allegan, Feb. 7.—Ed J. Wagner, village clerk, committed suicide Saturday morning at 7:30 o'clock. He held a shotgun to his breast and pulled the trigger with a string. He was in charge of the marshal Friday night on a $600 shortage being found in his books, and Saturday morning he asked if he could go to the office and write a letter. The marshal allowed him to do so, and while the officer was out on the sidewalk he heard the report of the gun. Running upstairs the marshal found Wagner upon the floor, with a big hole in his chest. His coat, vest and hat lay on a chair, his collar and necktie were on the table.

CONDITION OF CROPS.

Majority of Correspondents Report Wheat Not Damaged.

Lansing, Feb. 9.—The monthly crop report for February shows that to the query: "Has wheat suffered from any cause during January?" 227 correspondents answer "yes," and 250 "no." The average depth of the snow at the end of January was 8.26, 4.77 and 5.88 inches in the southern, central and northern counties respectively. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in January was 616,532, and in the six months August-January, 6,305,775 bushels, or 311,949, in excess of the same period of 1895. The condition of live stock is reported at 97 per cent. of the average.

THE STATE GRANGE.

Executive Committee Holds a Session at Lansing.

Lansing, Feb. 7.—The executive committee of the state grange has formulated plans for a Patrons' Fire Insurance company and for extending its co-operative department. The committee indorses a change in tax laws which shall require all taxpayers to make oath to their tax statements, and supervisors and boards of review to certify to tax rolls under oath. It favors an ample appropriation for farmers' institutes, and deplores the reduction of the appropriation asked for traveling libraries.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 6.—Hon. W. R. Shelby, chairman of the sound money democratic state central committee, has called the convention of the party to meet in this city on February 24.

Cornell's Good Fortune.

Decatur, Feb. 10.—William Cornell, a laborer at Olivet, has had left to him a legacy of $40,000 from a relative in England. He is unable to read or write and has a large family.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William T. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 21, 1893 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 69 of Mortgages on page 188,—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 53-100 dollars ($1457 53) and no proceedings at law or in eq ity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the 28th day of December A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5, of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumberances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the saline and Tecumseh road so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 18 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, 6 st—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side the reof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

Reserving all the growing wheat on all the lands above described with right to harvest and remove the same.

Dated January 8, 1897.

ISABEL PENNINGTON, Admin'stratrix.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Alvinza Whelan deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the former residence, of Alvinza Whelan in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 12th day of February 1897 and on the 6th day of June 1897 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 5th day of January A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated January 11, 1897.

W. A. BEEBE
JOHN BURTLESS,
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30 1886, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Lib r 139 of Mortgages on page 312 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 26, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

OUR LANSING LETTER.

Breezy Bits of Gossip from the State Capitol.

PLAINTS FROM INSANE ASYLUMS.

Inmates Who Think They Are Unlawfully Restrained Tell Frightful Stories of Alleged Ill-Treatment—Cost to the State for Caring for the Unfortunates—Specific Tax on Mineral Products of Michigan Mines—A Venerable Chestnut.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 9.—A great many queer letters are received by state officials every month in the year. The governor and attorney general are the recipients of most of them, their correspondents being inmates of the asylums for the insane who believe they are being unlawfully restrained and who tell frightful tales of the manner in which the inmates are treated. Of course, the tales are invariably imaginary and no attention is paid to them. If these officials undertook to investigate all the charges preferred against asylum officials and attendants, they would have to devote their entire time to these matters and then they would not dispose of more than half of them. Some of the letters are very perplexing. Frequently one comes from a patient who gives no evidence whatever of mental disturbance, and no one would suspect from its perusal that anything was wrong with him. Every new governor at once finds himself up a stump upon receiving one of these splendidly written epistles. He is at a loss to know what to do for the oftener he reads the letter or the more frequently he receives one from the same person the more convinced is he that the patient is telling the truth, so intelligently does he put the case. It is an open secret that every new governor has to investigate a few of these complaints before he is convinced that they are all of a piece—the vagaries of diseased minds.

How Governor Luce Was Fooled.

I heard ex-Governor Luce tell once how he was fooled in this connection. Soon after assuming the duties of governor he received a most pathetic letter from an inmate of the Eastern asylum at Pontiac, who complained most bitterly of being unjustly restrained and of the treatment the inmates were subjected to by the attendants. The letter was such a perfect piece of composition that the governor was greatly impressed with it. He could not get his mind off the matter, and when he received a second letter, apparently even more intelligently written than the first, he was more than ever convinced that the woman was telling of actual abuses. There was not a suspicion of insanity or even of nervousness about the letter, and the governor was greatly wrought up. The matter bothered him night and day. Finally he could stand it no longer and he took the train for Pontiac, determined to interview the woman personally and act then and there in the premises. As the interview proceeded he became more and more convinced that the patient was being wrongfully detained and that the abuses she complained of were actually accomplished. There could be no doubt of this, he thought, because never once did she display the least signs of insanity. Impressed with the importance of the duty which the awful details he had heard thrust upon him, Governor Luce arose to go, fully determined to institute an investigation at once. As he reached the door he paused a moment to make some inquiries as to the woman's family relations. All these were answered promptly and intelligently until he asked her how many children she had.

Struck Her Weak Spot.

"Well, now," she replied frankly, "I really don't know. Sometimes I thinks it's more, and sometimes less. Sometimes I think it's three and sometimes I think it's seventy. I guess it's seventy, though."

The governor had finally struck her weak spot. His investigation ceased right there, for he discovered that, notwithstanding all that had gone before, he was talking with an unfortunate whose mental faculties were sadly impaired.

The fact that the cost of maintaining the insane has been steadily increasing in the aggregate notwithstanding that the per capita cost has as steadily decreased and is now at the lowest point in the history of the state, has induced many legislators to make a study of this perplexing question. For the calendar year 1896 the total cost to the state of caring for this class of unfortunates was $492,000, the population of the several asylums at the close of the year being as follows: Kalamazoo, 3,193; Pontiac, 1,655; Traverse City, 1,-013; asylum for dangerous and criminal insane at Ionia, 220; Newberry, 106; total, 3,592. The per capita cost of maintenance is $3.08 per week. The question which perplexes the legislators is how to increase the enormous annual expense without lessening the care which the patients receive and which their condition makes imperative. Experience in other states where costly experiments have been made proves conclusively that there is nothing to be gained by following the plan often recommended of separating the acute cases which require constant and special care from the chronic and harmless cases which need only custodial care and which could be given in large numbers over to the supervision of a single attendant.

Divided into Two Classes.

In speaking of this important matter recently, Secretary Norris of the state board of corrections and charities, who has given the question careful study during the past few years, said:

"As far as the cost of maintenance is concerned, the insane in our state institutions are divided into just two classes. The first class is made up of private patients whose entire support is assumed by either the patient or his friends. The second class is composed of those who are supported wholly at either county or state expense. There is no doubt that of those supported wholly at either state or county expense there are many who could share with the county or state this burden. Indeed this is now practically done as far as counties are concerned. In some instances there are agreements that the county shall be reimbursed either wholly or in part by the person committed or by his friends for the amount expended for his maintenance in the asylums. There is this injustice, however, in such agreements. Under the law the patient is a county charge for the first two years of his stay in the asylum. Then he becomes a charge against the state. Now when the state, after two years, assumes the cost of his maintenance, the agreement referred to terminates and the state is compelled to bear the entire expense. No one looks after the state's interest in this matter and the laws are such that partial support by the patient or his relatives can not be enforced. This injustice should be corrected and the state should be included in the agreement. There are so many who could pay a part of such cost that I would suggest that the law be amended so that, in the future, such patients as are able to do so be compelled to share with the state this burden. I would have the extent of their ability to pay determined by the probate court."

It is not improbable that his suggestion will be acted upon as the legislators are all agreed that some means for lessening this constantly increasing burden should be devised.

Tax on Mine Products.

Representative Madill has not yet completed the details of his bill to levy a specific tax on the refined products of Michigan mines of all kinds, from coal to copper. It is known, however, that he proposes to make the tax on copper 2½ cents per pound. In speaking of this the Marquette Mining Journal editorially says: "Among the stupid propositions that the legislature will have to consider this winter is one providing for the imposition of an export tax of 2½ cents a pound on copper. It is estimated that this would yield a revenue of $500,000 annually, but it wouldn't. What it would do would be to force a number of the copper mines in this district to suspend operations, thus cutting down the estimated revenue from the tax and at the same time throwing hundreds of miners out of employment. The laws under which mining properties in this state are taxed are all right now, and if the legislature is wise it will not interfere with them."

It would seem that from the vast number of revenue bills that have thus far been introduced some measure that would be equally beneficial and equitable could be devised. The only fear is that the shots would be so widely scattered that nothing will be accomplished.

Considine Pardon Case.

When Governor Rich turned the executive office over to his successor last month he mentioned the fact that he had been requested to act in two pardon cases, but had decided to leave them to the new governor to utilize in getting his hand in. One of these was the recommendation of the pardon board that the four Molitor murderers be pardoned, and the other was a petition signed by a number of prominent citizens of Detroit asking for the parole of the notorious "Billy" Considine of Detroit, who is serving five years in Jackson for receiving stolen property. Governor Pingree was not long in acting in the Molitor matter, the four convicts having been released a fortnight ago. Young Considine remained in prison somewhat longer, however, and it has leaked out that Governor Rich was very "foxy" and smiled grimly when he turned this case over to his successor. In the conversation referred to the retiring executive shyly remarked to Governor Pingree: "I guess you know more about that case than I do, so I will leave it for you to take care of." The significance of this remark has but recently come to be understood. It appears that while the petition for Considine's parole was not very extensively signed, the signatures were those of distinguished citizens of Michigan, and the first name of the list was "H. S. Pingree." Among the other signers of the petition were Don M. Dickinson and ex-Secretary of State Harry A. Conant. The governor finally concluded that "H. S. Pingree's" recommendation ought to have some weight with the chief executive, so he went to Jackson again last week and released Considine on parole.

Office of Public Defender.

Mrs. Clara Foltz, a New York lawyer, has sent here for introduction the draft of a bill to create the office of public defender. It provides that such an officer shall be elected in every county in the state at the general election next year, and that he shall hold his office for two years. It shall be the duty of such an officer to appear for and defend all persons charged with crime who are without counsel and who desire an attorney to appear for them, and also to appear in behalf of all persons charged with being insane or lunatic. The public defender is empowered, when so authorized by the board of supervisors, to appoint assistants and employ counsel. His salary is to be fixed by the supervisors. The bill especially provides that no person shall be prevented from employing special counsel to defend him alone, or assist the public defender.

The creation of the office would, it is urged, prevent the innocent from being railroaded to prison, and also prevent the unscrupulous lawyers, who frequent all our courts, from getting hold of prisoners and fleecing them without giving them proper returns, as well as prevent many innocent persons from pleading guilty simply because they believe that, in their friendless condition, conviction is certain, and in order to escape as easily as possible from the charge they have not the means to disprove. It is furthermore contended, without detracting from the able men who sometimes do offer to defend a poor prisoner, that the rule is that the court appointees are wholly unable to cope with the public prosecutor.

Able Men Seldom Appointed.

Those whose ability commands a law practice are seldom assigned this duty, the appointees coming from the failures of the profession who hang around the courts, hoping for a stray fee from the unfortunates, or from the kintergardens of the profession, youths just let loose from college and anxious for a chance to try their hand at a case. Those readers who have had experience about courts know that there is much force in this contention.

The action of the supreme court lately, in holding that tax titles are absolute unless it can be shown that the property involved was either exempt from taxation, or the taxes had been actually paid, thus demonstrating that the return and sale was a mistake, and therefore illegal, has brought the matter to the attention of the legislature, and there have been introduced a number of bill designed to give the delinquent property owner more of a show for his "white alley."

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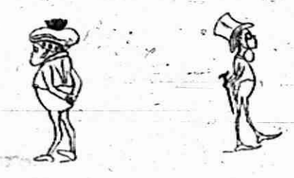

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Greece Lands Her Troops on the Island of Crete.

Marines from War Ships of Foreign Nations Occupy the City of Canea—Prospect of Open War Grows.

London, Feb. 16.—Foreign soldiers are now in control in Crete. In one town a Greek army corps is in possession. In Canea forces from the war ships are guarding the excited city. Heraklion and Retimo are also occupied by naval soldiers of the signatory powers. The clash between the Athens government and the other European nations has come in a startling manner and no one knows what the outcome will be. It is not believed, however, that Greece will decide single-handed to maintain its war-provoking attitude against the wishes of the other powers.

Occupation of Canea.

Amid the crash of cannon and the rattle of musketry the forces of the fleets Monday afternoon occupied Canea. The fighting between the Turks and the Christians was going on in a desultory fashion when the imperative orders to land troops came to the various admirals, and in a short time blue-jackets in the various uniforms of their nations, with glittering carbines shouldered, were marching jauntily in the direction of the several consulates. Thus the Turk has won the first point in the game of war with Greece, and the powers have shown that they do not consider the time opportune to abet plans that may lead to a general w. over a partition of the sultan's domain.

An Act of Open War.

But if the powers have acted promptly in the pressing emergency, Greece has been as sensationally prompt in forcing them to show their hands. Only Monday afternoon a Greek army corps was landed at Platania, a town near Canea. This defiance to the sultan and to Europe is fraught with grim possibilities. It is an open act of war with Turkey, and it remains to be seen whether the powers will undertake to dislodge the bold invaders. Still more exasperating is the act of the commander of the invaders, Col. Vassos, who, upon planting the Greek colors upon the Turkish soil of Crete, at once issued a flamboyant proclamation praising the patriotism of the Cretans and sternly demanding the immediate surrender of all the Turks in the neighborhood.

Authorized by the King.

One prominent fact looms up in this puzzling situation. Greece has shown her hand in a manner that admits of no scintilla of doubt. She wants war with Turkey; she desires union with Crete. The man who Monday afternoon issued the startling proclamation to the Christians and Turks at Platania is an aid-de-camp to King George. He is no adventurer, no filibusterer. He went fully authorized by his king to engage in a breach of the peace of nations, and how well he has performed his mission can be understood when it is known that his wild exploit is being discussed in the cabinets of Europe.

This policy threatens to open with a vengeance the perplexing and dangerous eastern question. Turkey makes threats of retaliation, but its menaces lack force, for the cogent reason that its treasury at Constantinople is bankrupt. It cannot raise funds, unless backed by the powers, to put troops in the field, and the reported determination to send an overwhelming army into Thessaly is not believed to be feasible. Such an act would set the Balkan region in a blaze, and the flames of war thus created would more than likely sweep the Turkish empire out of existence.

The indubitable fact remains that Greece has secured, in defiance of Europe, an armed foothold in Crete. The diplomats must determine how these gallant and Moslem hating soldiers are to be displaced without provoking hostilities that may involve the nations.

Urges Prince George to Go On.

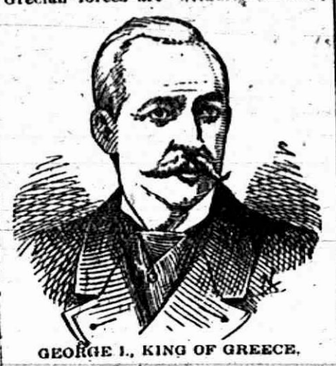
A dispatch to the Chronicle from Athens says that the commander of the English ironclad threatened the commander of the Greek cruiser, and told him that he would sink his boat if he again fired at the Turkish transport. The Chronicle, editorially, denounces in a highly indignant manner the foregoing treatment of a friendly prince and nation, and says that it will cause a thrill of passionate shame to enter the heart of every man caring for freedom. The Chronicle's editorial then exhorts Greece to God's name to go on.

Foreign Troops Occupy Canea.

Canea, Crete, Feb. 16.—One hundred men each from the Russian, French, British and Italian fleets at Canea and 50 Austrians have been landed, under command of an Italian officer and have occupied the city, the Turkish officials having given their assent to the step. The flags of the nations represented by the occupying force have been hoisted upon the ramparts of the fortress.

Insurgents Refuse to Yield.

London, Feb. 17.—The Daily Mail says that the powers have sent a collective note to Greece stating that unless the Grecian forces are withdrawn from Crete within 48 hours the Piraeus will be blockaded and hostilities begun against Greece.



GEORGE I., KING OF GREECE.

GREECE AND CRETE.
[Map showing relations of Crete to Greece and Turkey.]

A dispatch to the Times from Canea, dated Tuesday evening, February 16, says the commanders of the foreign squadrons sent a joint note to Ismail Bey, the newly appointed governor of Crete, successor to Prince Georgi Berovitch, resigned, informing him that they had addressed an ultimatum to the commodore of the Greek fleet requiring him to withdraw from Cretan waters. They requested the governor to find a way of notifying the insurgents of this fact, and of summoning them to yield up their arms, also of informing them that the powers had taken measures to prevent Greece from interfering in the affairs of Crete. An Italian gendarmerie officer was also dispatched with a flag of truce to the lines of the insurgents of Akrotiri. He delivered the message, but the chief of the insurgents replied that they would maintain their present position and send a definite reply in behalf of the revolutionary assembly Monday. Their action will probably depend upon the course adopted by Col. Vassos, the commander of the Grecian forces on the island of Crete.

GOES AGAINST DUNLOP.

Supreme Court Decides He Is Guilty—Must Go to Jail.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The opinion of the supreme court sustaining the finding of the United States district court of the northern district of Illinois in the case of Editor Joseph R. Dunlop, of Chicago, convicted of sending obscene matter through the mails and sentenced to imprisonment for two years and to pay a fine of $2,000, was read by Associate Justice Brown yesterday. There was no dissenting opinion.

Mr. McKinley's Illness.

Canton, O., Feb. 17.—The president-elect remained in his room all day, and was seen by no one except Mother McKinley and the members of his own household. He will not go to Cleveland to-day, and his visit may be postponed until the last of the week. He is now devoting all his energies to getting well, and has no intention of exposing himself unnecessarily. The brief respite from his arduous daily labors will be greatly beneficial to him.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The senate laid aside the arbitration treaty temporarily and devoted the time yesterday, after the completion of the electoral count, to the discussion of the Nicaragua canal and the agricultural appropriation measure.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Yesterday the senate spent the greater part of the time in executive session debating the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was passed, and Wednesday, February 17, at 4 p. m., was fixed as the time for a final vote on the immigration conference report.

Washington, Feb. 13. — The Anglo-American arbitration treaty was further discussed in the senate yesterday, and a resolution was adopted requesting Secretary Olney to use every effort toward bettering the condition of Sylvester Scovel, the newspaper correspondent imprisoned in Cuba. The reappointment of Carroll D. Wright as United States labor commissioner was confirmed.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The time was occupied in the senate on Saturday in discussing the arbitration treaty in executive session.

Washington, Feb. 16.—In the senate yesterday the bankruptcy bill was read at length, the conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was agreed to, a further conference on the agricultural appropriation bill was directed and 24 pension bills were passed.

Washington, Feb. 17. — Senator Chandler (N. H.) spoke for three hours in the senate yesterday in advocacy of bimetallism. The bankruptcy bill was discussed, but no action was taken.

The House.

Washington, Feb. 11.—In the house yesterday, prior to the assembling of the joint convention, the fortifications and the post office appropriation bills were reported and placed on the calendar. The latter carries $95,611,711, or $3,040,150 more than for the current year, and $1,903,697 less than the estimate of the postmaster general. The senate bill relating to the carrying of obscene matter by express companies was passed.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The fortifications appropriation bill was passed in the house yesterday and some headway was made with the post office appropriation bill, but the major portion of the day was consumed in a political debate on the financial question.

Washington, Feb. 15.—In the house yesterday the post office appropriation bill, ($96,435,714) was passed and the sundry civil appropriation bill was taken up and its first reading begun.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Resolutions were introduced in the house on Saturday for information concerning insults to American ladies by Spaniards on board the United States mail steamer Olivette in the harbor of Havana, and concerning the electoral vote in South Carolina. Mr. De Armond (Mo.) spoke in favor of Cuba, and the sundry civil appropriation bill was further discussed.

Washington, Feb. 16.—In the house yesterday the sundry civil appropriation bill ($50,644,743) was passed and the senate amendments to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill were concurred in. In the contested election case of Benoit vs. Boatner, from Louisiana, the latter's title to his seat was confirmed.

Washington, Feb. 17.—A bill was passed in the house yesterday to define the jurisdiction of United States courts in cases for infringement of letters patent and the rest of the day was devoted to the consideration of private pension bills, about 25 of them being passed.

NOT GUILTY.

Alderman O'Malley's Trial at Chicago Ends in His Acquittal.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—The sensational trial of Alderman Thomas J. O'Malley and John Santry on the charge of being members of the gang which raided the Oak street polling place in November, 1894, to steal the ballots and killed Gustave Colliander while in the act, ended Saturday night in the acquittal of both defendants of the murder accusation.

Took Poison.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Thomas B. Houston, a prominent resident of Lemont, Ill., committed suicide at the Great Northern hotel Saturday by taking carbolic acid. He registered at the hotel Friday evening. The cause for his act is not known here. His brother committed suicide under similar circumstances about two years ago in the Grand Pacific hotel in this city.

Treasury Deficiency.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The treasury deficiency for the 7½ months of the current fiscal year to date is $47,713,300. The available money in the treasury for the current use is stated at $216,000,000, of which $146,000,000, including the $100,000,000 gold reserve, is gold, $20,000,000 silver certificates, $11,000,000 United States notes and $39,000,000 of miscellaneous funds.

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CLINTON.

C. F. Field was in town Wednesday.

Fred Tag was home from Adrian over Sunday.

L. W. Kimball went to Toledo Friday on business.

T. R. Kyle, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday afternoon.

H. P. Downs has been on the sick list during the past week.

Mrs. Charles Parker, of Hillsdale, is visiting Clinton relatives.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, of Britton, were Clinton visitors Sunday.

Miss Bertha Staiger spent Sunday with her sister in Manchester.

Frank S. Walker, of New Haven, has commenced work in the Local office.

John Tracy and Wm. Holmes, of Manchester, were in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Sunday.

About 25 Clinton Maccabees visited the Manchester tent Tuesday night and report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood drove to Saline Sunday to spend the day with A. G. Cobb and wife.

Mrs. Horace J. Brown is injoying a visit from her sister, Miss Anna Coulter, of Leamington, Ont.

Charles Judge has a brother who now resides at Jackson. He went up and spent Sunday with him.

James F. Rentschler began moving Tuesday to his farm which he recently purchased, near Tecumseh.

Horace Moulton, who was thought to be dangerously ill two weeks ago, is on the gain and now able to sit up.

The young people's society of St. Dominic's church hold a mite social Friday evening at the home of Maggie Collins.

George Beatenhead, who has been living on Wm. C. Rogers' farm, west of town, for the past year, has lately moved to Saline.

Mrs. C. C. Fisk, of Detroit, with her little son Louie, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nase, since Wednesday of last week.

It is reported that Rev. Mr. Hutching's sermon at the union meeting Sunday evening was a strong one and forcibly as well as effectively delivered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittlesey entertained Dr. Lombard and family and Rev. Blachford and family one day the last of the week. It was a happy occasion.

Howard R House spent Sunday in Britton. On his return he was accompanied by his wife who had been caring for her mother during her late illness.

It is expected that Orville Barnes, one of our Clinton boys, now a Theological student at Chicago, will preach at the Congregational church Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Webster, of Adrian college, filled the pulpit at the Congregational church Sunday, as the pastor, Rev. W. C. Stevenson, is assisting in revival meetings at Creston, Iowa.

Mrs. Klingensmith wife of the new loom fixer at the woolen mill, arrived Tuesday night from Indianapolis, Ind. They expect to make their home at George Goodrich's for a time.

Miss Maude Goodell, of Manchester, was the guest of Albertine Johnston Thursday and Friday of last week. Not completing their visit, Bertie went home with her and staid over Sunday.

A. G. Shekell was in Battle Creek over Sunday. He claims his frequent visits to that city are occasioned by his desire to see his parents. No doubt he is a very dutiful son but his friends here think a certain Battle Creek young lady comes in for a large share of his attention during his visits.

Lewis Gray met with a sad mishap Sunday afternoon which will not only cause him pain but interfere with his pursuing his vocation for some time to come. The Johnston house, where he resides, is situated on a side hill, and as he was going down it he slipped and fell, breaking both bones in his left wrist. Time will hang heavy on his hands as he cannot amuse himself during his enforced idleness with the cornet or violin.

Mrs. Wm. Burrill and children bade adieu to Clinton friends Wednesday afternoon and went to Detroit for a short visit with her sister. From there they go east where they expect Mr. Burrill—who is now in South Bend, Ind.—will soon join them. The family have made many warm friends during their sojourn here.

The Harland Criterion Company, who played here last week to much smaller houses than they were entitled to, as their work was mertitorious, are at Saline this week. They went from here Sunday overland. When on top of the hill east of town they missed some of their belongings and in turning back one side of the sleigh box fell out and the entire company took a plunge into the snow, but happily with no serious results.

FRANKLIN.

Horace Wilcox is putting down a well for Sam Tripp.

At Tipton the Grange gave a Cuban program last Wednesday night.

Enzel Whelan attended the masquerade at Pentecost Friday night.

E. J. Whelan will have his house connected with the local telephone.

G. W. Allen is going to do some extensive underdraining this spring.

Miss Webber has been visiting her sister and neice at Thomas Conlin's.

Clarence Wisner came home from Jackson Tuesday for a short vacation.

S. N. Wisner took a sleighload of people up to the gymnasium at Wm. Beebe's Friday night.

Bert Rodgers, traveling salesman for the Monroe nursery, was in this vicinity last week Thursday.

Horace Wilcox's little boy broke his collar bone while sledding at school Thursday of last week.

Franklin was represented at the Case auction in Cambridge by the greater part of its masculine inhabitants.

G. W. Allen has been hauling tile from Comfort's yard for several days and now has on hand more than 3,000 and will haul a lot more. The tile are 6, 7 and 8 inches.

A correspondent at the University writes: "They have a black plague germ over in the medical department. It feeds on meat and potatoes and is doing nicely. Dr. Vaughn says 'No known cure for disease; ninety per cent of those attacked die; raging in India now; starvation and unsanitary conditions cause the disease; America need not fear it.' Hope microbe wont get loose and think that it wont."

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Senator Edward O. Wolcott, of Colorado, has arrived at Berlin.

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It used to seem so sad to see the children gather round
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But when their tops were spinning and you heard their arrows whiz,
No voice among the youngsters' was as happylike as his—
Not one of all the boys there could a better whistle make
Than those so deftly fashioned by Old Jud Drake.

Barefooted, gray and wrinkled, lolling through the summer day,
He used to seem so jolly when he joined them in their play;
He won Tom Culver's "chinneys"—which he lost to Charlie Stone;
He fought with Charlie Parker for a ball he thought his own;
A man in years and stature, but a boy still, naught could shake
The honesty and justice of Old Jud Drake.

Ah, me! sometimes I wonder if it wasn't just as well:
He was concerned so little in the matters that befell;
His life was smooth and placid, freighted with the childish joys
That came from the championship of village girls and boys;
And I, who won his marbles—even now I sometimes take
A stealthy, wistful glance back to Old Jud Drake.

His grave is in the churchyard, where the sun in summer smiled.
And now I deem he wanders hand in hand with some sweet child,
And that the younger angels gather with him through the day,
And—as we used to yonder—join him gayly in his play.
For well he loved the children, and I know his heart would break
If no child in Heaven came to play with Old Jud Drake.

—Chicago Record

MR. WILLIAMS' ECONOMY.

"Did it ever occur to you that little Victor is getting to be nearly three years old?" inquired Mr. Williams, looking up from the newspaper which he had not been reading for five minutes.

"Well," said Mrs. Williams, "as we have been celebrating his birthday every month since he was six months old, and as we observed it weekly up to that time, I suppose it would be rather difficult for me not to remember the boy's age. Why?" with some concern. She had half an idea that he was thinking of some wonderfully advantageous scheme for the little one's benefit.

"Well," said Mr. Williams, "it seems to me that we ought to be calculating upon his education."

"Oh, my," his wife cried, laughing. "Why, he isn't old enough by three years even to go to the kindergarten."

"I didn't mean to send him at once," said Mr. Williams, looking proudly at his offspring, now engaged in the highly educational pursuit of building a miraculous sort of tower out of his blocks, and knocking the edifice down and then laughing glo fully. "Of course he's too young for that, but it seems to me that we ought to begin providing for the future. We ought to start in to lay by a fund for his education. I want him to attend college and all that, and of course that costs money, and possibly misfortune might come just at the time when we wanted to give him educational advantages, and if we didn't have a special fund to draw upon the child would have to go through life illiterate."

"I don't think there is any danger," Mrs. Williams started to say, but Williams interrupted her.

"Sometimes," he declared, "I am ashamed of myself for my spendthrift habits. Every little once in awhile I am confronted by the idea that I am paving the way for starvation for my family by pandering to the needless little vices which have grown up around me. I never deny myself anything, and some time—"

"Oh, you're a dear old goose, and you haven't any vices at all, and we shall get along nicely. Don't get blue about nothing."

"I'm not blue; but look here." He drew a paper from his pocketbook—a paper covered with figures. Presenting it to his wife, who was always appalled at the sight of mathematical displays, and never could get at the bottom of them, he said: "Look at that."

"What is it?" she queried, helplessly. "The compound interest on the abstract to the trust deed of our house?"

"It is shaving," gloomily. "I would not have believed it myself. But I figured it up on the train to-day, and it shows an appalling condition. I have squandered in the last 15 years $766.50 in shaving—just plain shaving, common 15-cent shaving. No frills to it. No mustache curling or anything of that sort. Isn't that scandalous, and all the time that boy not knowing where the money was going to come from for his education."

"But," said Mrs. Williams, "he wasn't born until three years ago."

"The theory is just the same," her husband insisted. "It is a vicious waste of money and I am going to correct it as far as I can."

"What are you going to do?"

"I am going to shave myself and apply the money to a fund for little Victor's forthcoming education. I can do it."

The next day Mr. Williams came home in high elation. He had several bunchy-looking little bundles in his overcoat pocket, and, unloading them on the dining-room table, little Victor, as is the custom of speculative children of his age, gladly seized upon them, crying:

"Papa b'ing me this!"

Mr. Williams, who had been hanging up his overcoat at the moment of the seizure, came rushing in from the hall like a full-back rushing to get a punted ball.

"Heavens and earth! He'll cut his hand off with that razor. Grab him!" he called. The baby had been howlingly rescued from impending calamity. Mr. Williams then explained the nature of his purchases.

"This," he said "is a mug. It cost a dollar, but seven shaves will save it back to me. This brush cost another dollar—same reckoning. The strop cost me $2.50 and the sponge 75 cents. The shaving soap—"

"Oh, now, Harry!" Mrs. Williams interrupted in triumph. "Now I can tell you where you wasted money for all your good intentions. I bought a whole case of soap at the department store the other day, and Ida says it's just magnificent. You can scour with it, too."

Mr. Williams tried to explain that there was some difference between soaps, but she declared that hers made just as nice lather as one could wish, and the only difference, she said, was that he had paid about 50 times as much, proportionate to quantity, as she had.

"I had to get the best of the permanent and unchangeable things," Mr. Williams said, evading the soap question, though he knew he was right. "The strop, sponge and mug, you see, cannot suffer much change by time. But I saved considerably on the razor, for I reasoned that you can sharpen a razor every time you shave, and so it is useless to buy a costly one. I paid 43 cents for this one, and I am shre it will answer every purpose. The buy rum and other things—"

"Oh, are there still more things to use? I didn't know the process of shaving was such a complex one. I thought all that was needed was something sharp enough to get the beard off."

"Well," said Mr. Williams, dubiously, "I will confess that I thought so, too, but the fellow reminded me of all these things, and, sure enough, I remembered that they were necessary. But just a few weeks and they will all be paid for, and then every time I shave after that it will be clear profit. Think of saving that much money for the benefit of the baby," and Mr. Williams gathered his offspring up and rapturously kissed him.

The next morning Mr. Williams started in on the work of economy. He procured a handglass and hung it to the wall, only to find when he began operations that the glass was invariably on the wrong side of the light and his hand always shaded his face. His lather seemed to be reluctant and watery also, but those were minor evils which would be remedied if he only had time, which he didn't, for his train was due to leave in half an hour. He lathered on in a liquid way for several minutes, and then opened hostilities with his beard.

There is no cause for description of the horrible half-hour which followed. Men who have never learned to shave and who try it know how the thing works, and nobody else would credit a fraction of the true story. Mr. Williams discovered new angles in his countenance—angles never before revealed to human eye. He found that his razor, although sharp enough to perform almost any miracle in mowing, positively balked at his two-days-old stubble, and when he did succeed in chopping off a dozen spikes at a sawing sweep it was a victory achieved through floods of blood. He pulled the razor and pushed and worked it cross-wise and gave it every motion to which the arm is a possible contributor, and every moment a new smarting sensation was the register of a new "pinking." But it was not until he had worked his way down from the cheek to the chin that the full measure of his contract occurred to him. There the blade, defied by the stumpy beard, lunged and plunged and the uprooting sensation was continuous and fearful.

But he was game, and ten minutes after his train had left he rushed from the house, pretending to be in too big a hurry to catch the next train to stop to kiss his wife.

The next day Mr. Williams tried it again.

He made another effort the following day.

On the fourth day Mr. Williams sneaked into his former shop in Chicago, and, approaching his favorite barber, said: "Ed, I have been shaving here so long I thought I'd bring my mug in. And while I was at it I concluded to buy an entire outfit for you to use on me. Here's the razor and the strop."

He hoped that Ed would not know the truth, but the barber, looking at his harrowed face, understood. When Mr. Williams had gone the other barbers gathered around in an awed fashion to look at the razor.

Mrs. Williams is a wise woman. So wise that she has never mentioned the Little Victor Educational Fund since the day of its incipiency.—Chicago Record.

Roast Turkey with Giblet Sauce.

Select a fat young hen turkey. Singe and wash. Fill with rich bread or cracker dressing, well seasoned, and if liked, two onions may be finely minced and added to the dressing. Stuff both body and breast with this. Lay the turkey in the basting pan and pour two cupfuls of hot water around it. Bake slowly but steadily, basting frequently. Allow from 10 to 12 minutes a pound, if the fowl is a young one, but 15 or more if it is an old, tough one. To make the giblet sauce, boil the heart, liver and gizzard in two quarts of water for two hours. Take up, chop fine and return to the gravy with a spoonful of flour. Season with salt and pepper, and pour in the pan in which the turkey was cooked, and stir, and serve. Serve this sauce in gravy boat.—Ladies' World.

A Matter of Business.

Servant (from next door)—Please, mum, missus sends her compliments, and will ye be so kind as to sing and play the piano this afternoon?

Lady—Why, certainly. Tell your mistress I'm glad she likes it.

"O, it isn't that, mum; she's expecting the landlord, and she wants some excuse for asking for a reduction of the rent."—Boston Globe.

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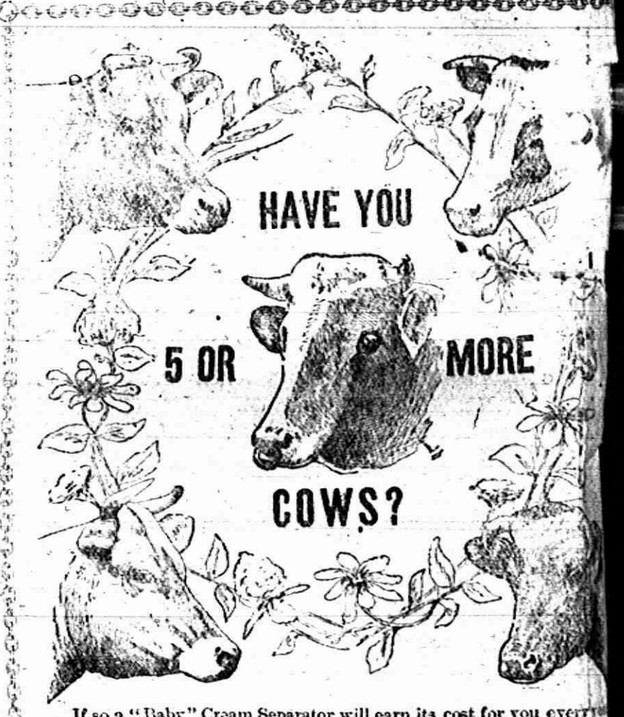

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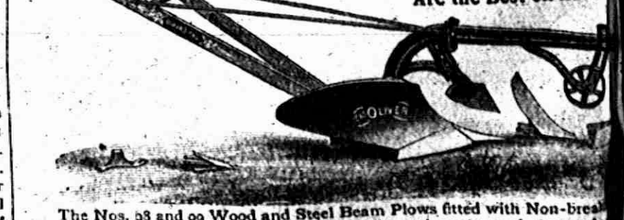

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Robert H Temple spent Monday in Tecumseh.

Fanny Lenardson's illness has been quite severe.

Mrs. W. H. Blakely is visiting friends in Wayne this week.

Miss Jennie Saxton spent Sunday with her people at Rea.

Miss Luella Haynes visited friends in Ypsilanti the past week.

Bert Kishpaugh and wife spend Sunday with Clinton friends.

Little Glen Osgood is a member of the juvalid corps at present.

Mr. Lamb, of Saginaw, was the guest of H. H. Temple Wednesday.

John Britton and Mrs. Scott paid a visit to Tecumseh Wednesday.

L. L. Kishpaugh is building a barn on property purchased of Will Hause.

Wm. Wren visited Macon Wednesday, went with a view of purchasing a horse.

Ralph Kishpaugh will come over from Clinton tomorrow to spend Sunday with people.

Flora Zeluff enjoyed a visit from her friend, Miss Cook, of Dundee, the first week.

L. S. Hause and Sam. Kniffen, of whom were quite sick, are improving slowly.

Mrs. Thackeray was out for the first time Monday. Her illness was both severe and severe.

J. W. Clement represented Ridgeway at the State Silver convention at Grand Rapids this week.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly distribution of currency to the employees at this point today.

W. H. Blakely has decided to remain a little longer than at first reported. He will stay until March 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hawks entertained a neighborly of Tecumseh friends one evening the last of the week.

Wm. Hobart and wife, of Whiteford Center, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thackeray the last of the week.

Willis J. Helm had a severe attack of la grip last week but has come out on and is pursuing his labors as usual.

[illegible] will work for Geo. Hanchett the coming season and will soon move to a farm southwest of Tecumseh.

[illegible] suggest to Will Swick that after he tie his horse. He may not escape as he did a few days ago.

[illegible] Maybee and mother will move to the Hawks house lately occupied by Earl W. Lenardson and family.

S. Mills, of Clinton, was in town Wednesday. He came over with L. K. Fitts, the jeweler, who makes weekly visits here.

Rev. N. E. Nickerson's topics at the M. E. church Sunday will be:—Morning: "The Church in its Relation to Humanity"; evening, "Daily Dying."

W. Curtiss reports a delightful time among the friends of his childhood. He finds it hard to buckle down to business so took in the sights at Tecumseh Tuesday.

About thirty members of Hendershot tent, K. O. T. M., went to Dundee where the officers conferred the degrees. They had a fine time and were royally entertained by the Dundee brothers.

E. Hause drove to Clinton Saturday for Will and wife and Howard who remained over Sunday. On their return Monday, Emma, Howard's wife, who had been caring for her mother, accompanied them.

At the Christian church Sunday, the pastor, Rev. C. I. Deyo, will speak on the following topics: morning, "The Christ Idea of Man's Interpretation of Himself;" evening, "An Innocent Young Man Without a Character."

Rev. Nickerson has received word from the Ladies' National Missionary Board of the Christian church that they will furnish means for a parsonage here. This will be welcome intelligence to the members of the society.

Will Britton and Al Lee, as advance agents to the Maccabees, went to Dundee early Wednesday to see that everything was in readiness for the boys to meet the Dundeeites just how the work would be done according to Hoyle. They gave the goat an extra feed and [illegible] him till he shone like burnished brass.

Hereafter when Chet Caswell goes to get Lion coffee he will not forget that every package contains a prise. He recently had an experience that will not easily be forgotten. He ground up a few dominos and the labor entailed during up the mill made it a forcible object lesson. Well, Chet, how do you like cleaning up coffee mills?

A team belonging to Mr. Weeks, which was on Frances Yates' farm, became frightened while at the depot Friday and started to run. The horses became loosened but, owing to pulling on the reins in his effort to stop them, the tongue kept in place and the only damage done was the breaking out the window in the tank wagon at the hotel. They ran into it and made a clean sweep.

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RIDGEWAY.

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The ice house at the creamery was filled last week.

Royal Hand Bell Ringers at Sutton's opera house next Monday night.

Agnes Eaton, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. Loree.

Rev. J. A. DeSpelder, of Tecumseh, called on friends in the village Friday.

Little Bessie Lake, who has been quite sick for the past week, is reported better.

Gertie Ford, of Tecumseh, visited her cousin May Fletcher Saturday and Sunday.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe, withbis brother E. L. Lowe, were in Adrian on business Saturday.

George Houseman enjoyed Saturday and Sunday with his parents, returning to Ypsilanti Monday.

Dr. A. J. Monagin and sister Bertha, of Cambridge, called at the home of S. P. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Florence Montgomery, of the Herald force, spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Montgomery.

Several of the members of Hendershot tent K. O. T. M. went to Dundee Wednesday evening to assist in the new ritual for the fraters there,

Ashley Chase, of Tecumseh, was the guest of his sister, Edith Chase, Saturday and Sunday, at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Pocklington.

Master Ford Babcock, who has been spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pocklington, returned to his home in Detroit Tuesday.

The date fixed for the township union Sunday school convention of Macon and Ridgeway, is March 3rd, when it will be held in the D. R. church in Macon. Program will appear next week.

Mrs. C. E. Staats, who has been spending the past three months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith, in company with her brother Floyd Smith left for her home at Chatam, N. Y., Manday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sutton next week Wednesday evening when E. L. Lowe will conduct a parliamentary drill, and all persons who wish to receive the benefit of such an exercise, are welcome.

R. S. Houseman returned from Elkhart, Ind., Thursday of last week, where he had been in the interest of the Page Wire Fence Co. He left yesterday (Thursday) for Clinton county, in the interest of the same company.

The residents of school district No. 3 raised a pole at their school house last week Friday, with very interesting and appropriate exercises. Rev. C. I. Deyo, of Britton, delivered the address for the occasion and it was pronounced a success by all present.

Judge V. H. Lane, of Adrian, the fourth number of the lecture course, filled that date Friday evening at the church, giving his grand lecture "Legal Aspects of the Trial of Christ." It was one of the best lectures ever given in the village, and the judge presents it in a manner that interests and instructs his audience. His gentlemanly appearance and Christian character made a deep impression upon those who heard him.

MACON.

Jesse Frost spent Sunday with friends in Ann Arbor.

John Whetsel attended a law suit in Toledo last week.

Charles Morgan made a business trip to Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harring spent Sunday with Ypsilanti friends.

Lester Coller is quite sick and nearly helpless on account of rheumatism.

Mrs. Martha Hornbaker, of Tecumseh, spent last week among her Macon friends.

Rice Hendershot and family, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Julia Hendershot.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening Febauary 21st is "The Cross." Isa. 53: 1-9. Leader, Guy Collins.

Ask John Koebbe if he didn't get a little mixed up on the roads and lose his way going home from the donation Thursday evening.

There will be a donation at the Reformed church next Tuesday evening, February 23rd. All are invited to attend. By order of committee.

There will be a business meeting of the league Saturday evening of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Koebbe. All officers are earnestly requested to be present.

The Sunday school convention of Ridgeway and Macon townships which was to have been held in the D. R. church of this place February 24th, has been postponed until March 3rd.

A donation for the Rev. D. H. Ramsdell was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coller last week Thursday evening. It being a stormy night there was not a very large turnout though they realized about $33.

Last Saturday evening Miss LeAnna Morgan gave a Valentine party to about fifty of her young friends. The valentines were numerous and produced much laughter and sport throughout the house. Ice cream and cake were served and all report a good time.

Mrs. Martha Camburn, who has been sick since last fall and gradually growing worse, entered into peaceful rest about half past six o'clock Saturday evening. She leaves two daughters, three sons and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her death. The funeral was held from her late residence Wednesday afternoon and the remains laid to rest beside those of her husband in our village cemetery.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. Jennie Wildey is seriously ill at this writing.

Mr. L. C. Winchip is doing a large business at his sawmill.

Grange meeting will be held at Maccabee hall next Tuesday evening.

An organ has been purchased for use in the parlors of the Presbyterian church.

Osgood Hive, No. 285 will hold its regular Review tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

Mrs. May Anthony and son, Roger, of Tecumseh, have been spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Nixon.

Miss Hattie Herringdean, who has been visiting at Coldwater for a few weeks, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. J. L. Richard, with a merry load of boys and girls, enjoyed a sleigh ride and surprised Miss Jennie Gillespie, of Tecumseh, Tuesday evening.

The third of a series of lectures under the auspices of the C. E. will be held at the Presbyterion church next Tuesday evening. Rev. Bissell, of Monroe, will deliver a lecture on the Life of John Calvin. All are cordially invited to attend.

Lost—At Blissfield or between there and Holloway, a medium sized leather wallet, containing quite a sum of money, also three orders for photographs on the Michigan Photo Co. Names on orders were as follows: E. Fish, S. Atwell, and C. Atwell, to whom the wallet belongs. A liberal reward will be given the finder.

A company of sixty or more gathered at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Stead, on Thursday, of last week, the occasion being the Missionary social. The company were very pleasantly entertained, as the Rev. and his wife know so well how to make it pleasant for everyone. A sumptuous dinner was served, after which a fine program was given. Receipts, including missionary dues collected, $11.70.

The Literary was held at the church parlors on Friday evening of last week. A very interesting session was held, a spelling contest being a special feature of the evening. The officers who were elected two weeks previous were as follows: Pres., J. Clayton McIntyre; Vice-Pres., Eva Doty; Secy., Kenneth Holloway; Treas., Stanley Doty. Next meeting Friday evening, the 26th inst. An interesting program will be given.

CONE.

E. Allshouse returned from Toledo Monday evening.

Mrs. Susan Pilbeam visited friends in Britton last week.

Miss Janie Cone is spending the week with friends here.

Oliver Logan was an Adrian visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Wright, of Tecumseh, is visiting her sons, Joe and Fred, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Biggs, of Britton, spent a few days this week with friends at Cone.

A number of young people spent a pleasant evening at Perry Tingely's Tuesday.

Rev. Kinney expects to begin revival meetings at Cone Thursday evening of this week.

Fred Auten and wife attended the funeral of the latter's cousin at Petersburg Monday.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit over Sunday. Little Veda returned home with him.

The Young People's Bible Class met at the home of Miss Rose VanDeventer Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th. A good time is reported by all present. Ice cream and cake were served.

Poisons engendered by food fermenting in a dyspeptic stomach are the direct cause of rheumatism, gout, bronchitis, liver and kidney complaints, asthma, pneumonia and many nervous ailments.

These results are prevented by the use of the Shaker Digestive Cordial, a remedy discovered and prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, N. Y. It is in itself a food and has power to digest other food taken with it. Thus it rests the diseased stomach and finally masters the worst cases of dyspepsia. It acts promptly and fresh strength and increase of weight soon follows. The first dose, taken immediately after eating, abates the pain and distress so dreaded by dyspeptics. Trial bottles—enough to prove its merit—10 cents.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

American castings are being used in new underground tunnelework at London, much to the surprise of the British iron manufacturer.

For Your Protection.

Catarrh "cures" in liquid form to be taken internally, usually contain Mercury or Iodide of Potassa, or both, which are injurious if too long taken. Catarrh is a local, not a blood disease, caused by cold and damp weather. It starts in the nasal passages. Cold in the head, if repeatedly neglected, results in catarrh. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug.

Gypsies, 200 strong, are reported to be terrorizing the farmers near Germantown, Ills.

It Beats All

The great success that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has reached in so short a time. Those who once give it a fair trial, then and there become walking and talking advertisers of this great remedy. Constipation, Indigestion and Sick Headache cured. Get a 10c trial size, larger sizes 50c and $1.00 of Orr & Temple.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers, without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by California Fig Syrup Company

Eugene Graham, aged 14, fell from the second story window of a planing mill at Mt. Pleasant, and broke his neck.

A DISGUISED ENEMY.

Chronic catarrh often makes its approach in disguise. Before a person knows it, he may become a victim of chronic catarrh. Its onset may be gradual, its development insidious, and at last the victim finds himself in the clutches of a tenacious disease. A slight cold, a tendency to sneeze, a puffiness in the nose and head, fullness or crackling in the ears, stringy mucus in the throat, slight cough or wheeziness, snoring during sleep, any one of these symptoms should be regarded as a warning. What can be cured in the beginning in a week or two, by using Pe-ru-na, if allowed to become chronic, may require months of faithful treatment. You had better take Pe-ru-na now, for by and by you may be obliged to take it a long time in order to get well. Pe-ru-na is the remedy for catarrh. Almost everybody knows that by hearsay and thousands know it by blessed experience.

The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, of Columbus, Ohio, are sending Dr. Hartman's latest book on chronic catarrh and climatic diseases of winter, free of charge—64 pages instructively illustrated.

Four thousand persons took part in the whist tournament at Boston, the receipts of which, $2,000, went ao the poor.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

The full intensity of living is reached only by the perfectly healthy. Sickness discounts the capacity for enjoyment. If his body is all out of order and run down, he will not be able to enjoy anything, no matter how full of enjoyment it may be for other people. If he is just a little bit out of order, if he "is not sick, but doesn't feel just right" he will only be able to enjoy things in a half-hearted sort of a way. The nearer he is to being perfectly well, the nearer will his capacity for enjoyment be perfect. If this condition doesn't exist, something ought to be done. That means, nine cases in ten, the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It works directly on the digestive organs, and on the blood and through these on every tissue of the body. It makes the appetite good, digestion and nutrition perfect and supplies rich, red blood to all the tissues, building up solid, healthful flesh.

Send 21 cents in one cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

Charles A. Jackson, manager of the Jackson Paper mills, who recently disappeared with considerable money, has committed suicide in New Orleans.

Glad Tidings to Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar gives quick and positive relief in all cases. Orr & Temple.

John Wanamaker is to build a church in Philadelphia to commemorate his escape from fire.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Hall's family pills are the best.

The man whose life is not more or less influenced by some woman can be depended on to make frequent mistakes.

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If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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A Word in Your Ear.

The secret of good health is found in the perfect action of the stomach and digestive organs. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin produces a perfect condition and good health results. Try it. Sold in 10c (10 doses 10 cts) 50c and $1.00 sizes. Orr & Temple.

Statement of Mr. J. S. Creech, of Stephens, Ky: "I suffered with neuralgia and pains in my head and neck for several years. My gums seemed to come loose from my teeth, and at times I suffered almost death. My friends thought I would sometimes die with lockjaw. They applied Lightning Hot Drops to my neck and head and to their surprise it gave me great relief. Afterward, I applied it to my gums with like good results, and I am now entirely well." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Public men would often do better if they were not afraid.

The soothing, healing effects of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is felt almost instantly. There is no other cough medicine that combines so many virtues.

If the wealth of the United States were equally distributed every person would receive only $200.

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Fire destroyed the store and stock of the Star Dry Goods Co., at Eaton Rapids, causing a loss of $15,000.

You should know that Foley's Honey and Tar is absolutely the best remedy for all diseases of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dealers are authorized to guarantee it to give satisfaction in all cases. Orr & Temple.

The banks of Newfoundland are formed by the sand, ice and stone brought from the north by the icebergs.

SORE THROAT.

We unhesitatingly recommend the free use of Lightning Hot Drops in all cases of sore throat. If directions are closely followed, the result must be a happy one; for Lightning Hot Drops has proven its curative energies in all diseases of throat. It is a superb remedy for asthma, bronchitis, tonsilitis, quinsy, croup, diphtheria and common sore throat. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

A young woman in St. Louis has opened a co-operative dining-room for members of her sex.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 15c

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

UNABLE TO MAKE THE CHANGE.

Predicament of the Cashier of a Downtown Resort with His Cash Register.

There were three in one party and two in the other. They were standing before the white-aproned dispenser of refreshments, says a Chicago exchange, and one of the three invited the entire party to have something. The dispenser dealt out the order of the three, took the dollar offered in payment and handed back 35 cents in change. The other two, standing a short distance away, were not served, as there was a mistake on the part of the cashier. The bill amounted to less than a quarter according to the refreshments served the three. The host examined his coin and then looked surprised and grieved.

"I gave you a dollar, he said.

"Was it a dollar? How much change did I give you?"

"Thirty-five cents."

"Well, I will have to wait until somebody buys. I don't dare open the register, as there is a false balance on it. Every time I open it it means a purchase charged to me. Sorry, but we will have to wait."

The man to whom the change was coming stood by and waited until the cash purchase was made before he could get his money. He was the only one in the party who did not enjoy the situation. He remarked, gloomily, that he never had much use for cash registers, anyway.

A CUNNING CONVICT.

His Tortured Himself in Order to Get Placed on the Sick List.

A case showing great cunning and perseverence, as well as tolerance of much self-inflicted pain continued for many months, is worth telling, says Chambers' Journal. The convict was most determined and resourceful in his efforts at malingering. He began by running a piece of copper wire into his knee, by which he nearly lost his leg. He then produced a number of sores round the knee joint, and kept up a great degree of swelling and inflammation by means of a rag and thread pushed into the wounds. Upon the discovery of this he took to introducing lime below the skin. On another occasion a bandage was found firmly bound round the man's thigh, the result being, in medical phraseology, "extensive swelling and lividity of the thigh."

The doctor ordered his limb to be enveloped with a large piece of gutta-percha so as to checkmate the prisoner's malpractices. The latter, however, by means of a strip of sheeting, and the skewer to which part of his dinner was attached, formed a tourniquet, and by it compressed his leg so much during the night as to quite neutralize the medical treatment it had received during the day. The imposture was at length detected by an order of the doctor to expose the limb outside the bedclothes to the view of the officer day and night, and from that hour progress was toward complete recovery.

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Every MAN who would know the GRAND TRUTHS, the Plain Facts, the Old Secrets and the New Discoveries of Medical Science as applied to Married Life, who would atone for past follies and avoid future pitfalls, should write for our wonderful little book, called "Complete Manhood and How to Attain It." To any earnest man we will mail one copy Entirely Free, in plain sealed cover.

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ORCHARD PRUNING.

Don't Go at It as Though You Were Cutting Cord Wood.

Don't get a crazy fit and go into your orchard with an ax and cut and slash the branches off and think you are pruning, says H. E. Van Deman. Every stroke with a tool on a tree is a stroke at its life, unless very wisely made. There need be no elaborate or stylish method of pruning adopted. Common sense is a good guide, but if a person judges his knowledge of pruning by the amount of brush he makes, he is sadly lacking in common sense, and should never be allowed to prune.

All dead or sick branches should come off, all that cross or chafe each other should be relieved by the removal of the one which can best be spared. Do not cut great open spaces in the tree tops and so let in too much hot sunshine and injure the limbs that have been used to being shaded. It is dangerous to prune cherry trees at all; they are rarely benefited by so doing, but are often injured. Train old orchard trees to have low, broad heads, which will shade the trunks, lessen the purchase of the winds, and make more convenient the gathering of the fruit.

All soups can be preserved in a good condition for some days by taking great care, when freshly made, to skim well, and to remove every particle of fat from the surface. The broth should be kept in a very cool larder and uncovered; in very hot weather it should be strained every day, and poured into a perfectly clean vessel.—Albany Journal.

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Wm. Reid, of Detroit, Mich., whose advertisement as agent of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. appears in our columns, still continues the other branches of his glass business, and

Wanted—An Idea Who can think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michigan, as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB 19, 1897.

The committee is progressing finely with the soliciting work for the Lima Northern, and the HERALD is in hopes to be able to soon report the fact that the full amount is raised.

In the days of "Billion Dollar" Congresses and 33 million a year deficits, it is refreshing to look backward for even a few years to the "Good Old Times," when public debts were promptly paid and public expenditure was cut according to the cloth. Through the kindness of John Heck the HERALD copies the following from the Danville (Penn.) Intelligencer of Dec. 26th, 1834. Read this and then reflect how public affairs are going on at the present time.

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.—We have neglected, in consequence of the press of other matter, to lay before our readers an epitome of this document.—We learn from the Report the following particulars, in reference to our national fiscal concerns:

The actual receipts into the Treasury for the first three quarters of the year 1834, have been	16,324,717 94
The receipts of the fourth quarter of the year, are estimated at	4,300,000 00
Total.	$20,624,717 94
Balance in the Treasury on the 1st January, 1834,	11,702,905 31
	$32,327,623 25
The expenditures of the whole year are ascertained and estimated to be	$25,591,390 91
Which will leave a balance in the Treasury, on the 1st of January, 1835, of	$6,736,232 34
All the disbursements during the present year, on account of the public debt, will have been for principal	$5,964,774 93
Interest,	195,142,63
Total.	$6,161,071 56

It is announced in the Treasury Report, that the national debt, which at one time amounted to $127,000,000, will be totally extinguished on the 1st of next month.

There are many more articles in this old paper of interest o which the HERALD will make use in the near future.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned, executor of the estate of Henry Ives (deceased), will sell at public auction on the town line between Adrian and Raisin, 2 1-2 miles north of the Quaker meeting house, on Wednesday Feb'y 24, 1897, at one o'clock sharp, the following property:—Four good cows and a number of young cattle, flock of sheep, 3 brood sows, one work horse, 2 mowing machines, clover huller, one cutter, grain drill, hay rake, drags and cultivators, McCormick binder nearly new, disk harrow, ditch scraper, fanning mill, 3 corn shellers, caldron kettle, bench vise, extension table, buffalo robe, hot house sash, two pair bobs, 3 wagons, sewing machine, hay loader, platform scales, barrel churn, DeLaval cream separator nearly new, 12-horse Mansfield engine, and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale: All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. Over $5.00, one year's time on approved notes at six per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

C. H. IVES, Executor.
A. C. Aylesworth, Auctioneer.

MADRI GRAS CARNIVAL
New Orleans, La., March 2nd, 1897

Account Madri Gras Carnival to be held at New Orleans, La., March 2nd, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets from all points on Feb'y 26, 27 and 28, and March 1st, limited good returning fifteen days from date of sale.

Two elegant through trains between Jackson, Mich., and Cincinnati, with Pullman Sleeping and Chair Cars on night trains, making close connections at Cincinnati to and from New Orleans.

The most desirable route from Southern Michigan and Western Ohio.

For information as to time of trains, rates etc., apply at nearest C., J. & M. R'y Station or address the General Passenger Agent, Toledo, Ohio.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER, G. P. A.

Mrs. Maggie Myers,

Williamsport, Ind., writes: "I suffered for months of severe stomach troubles, caused by indigestion and constipation. My trouble seemed almost unendurable. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of Armstrong & Swank and as soon as I had taken its contents I was like a new person, and I now feel better and weigh more than I have in years." It is sold in 10c, 50c and $1,00 sizes at Orr & Temple.

FIRST ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW

And Institute, Held at Sutton's Opera House.—Great Show of Birds and Large Crowd in Attendance.

To the systematic and earnest efforts of a small band of enthusiastic admirers of poultry, strong in the faith that this industry properly conducted will return a satisfactory dividend, are the people of this community indebted for one of the finest displays of the different varieties of the popular and practical breeds ever seen in the county, as well as an interesting program composed of valuable papers by persons of ripe experience, covering the several branches of this great industry which to the masses is underestimated. To C. A. Waldron more than any other one person no doubt belongs the lion's share of credit for this grand exhibit, for he conceived the idea and worked constantly and tirelessly to have it materialize, but he was ably assisted by the following "chicken cranks," as they term themselves:—J. D Shull, Abner Wilson, Jebiel Davidson, Miles Baldwin, H. D. Cutting, Lewis and Will Waldron, all of whom responded nobly to every demand upon them. From their united efforts resulted this first poultry show and institute, far surpassing in interest and extent the highest anticipations of the most sanguine.

The collection of fowls would have been a credit to a regular show for fancy breeders and demonstrates the fact that the farmers are beginning to realize the importance of raising fowls for profit, that nothing pays better for money invested and that it costs no more to keep good fowls than poor ones.

There were over seventy coops arranged around the room representing fowls up in the hundreds. During the day an immense throng of people inspected them. Some admired this variety, while others chose that—certainly, the most critical could be suited. The different exhibitors booked many orders for eggs and in this way were recompensed for their labor. We cannot speak of each variety so will give the names of exhibitors and the varities shown:

Andrew McHenny, York— Blk. Minorcas, S. C. Brown Leghorns, Blk. B. Red Games, Bronze Turkeys, Embden and Toulouse Geese, Rouen and Aylesbury Ducks, Fan Tail Pigeons.

A. Middlebrook, Clinton—Partridge Cochins.

Ed Clapp, Evans Lake—Pekin Ducks.

M. A. Ladd, Springville—Silver Laced Wyandots.

J. E. Brainard, Springville— S. C. White and Brown Leghorns.

C. W. McNeil, Newburgh—S. L. Wyandots.

P. A. Montaghe, Adrian—White, Barred and Buff Plymouth Rocks, and exhibited some choice Capons.

A. P. Southworth, Adrian—Buff Plymouth Rocks and S. C. White Leghorns.

The following exhibitors' postoffice address is Tecumseh:

Mrs. Will Waldron—White Plymouth Rocks.

Jebiel Davidson—Light Brahmas.

H. W. Stevens—Barred P. Rocks.

C. A. Waldron—Barred P. Rocks, S. C. B. Leghorns and Capons.

C. H. Ives—S. C. B. Leghorns and Silver Spang. Hamburg.

L. M. Waldron—Houdans.

B. P. Anderson—B. P. Rocks.

Miles Baldwin—B. P. Rocks and S. C. B. Leghorns.

Mrs. J. D. Hayward—B. P. Rocks.

E. C. White—Blk. Minorcas and Blk. Hamburgs.

B. S. Waring—S. C. B. Leghorns.

C. A. Hooten—S. C. B. Leghorns and S. S. Hamburgs.

James VanAntwerp—S. L. Wyandots.

Wm. Kyle—Buff Leghorns, Buff Cochins, White Crested Blk. Polish.

F. Kolkleisch—B. P. Rocks, Buff Leghorns.

Geo. Mattison—Buff Leghorns, B. P. Rocks.

H. Pattison—Blk. Langshans.

Chas. Lowry—Partridge Cochins.

J. Shurtz—Blk. B. Red Games, Red Dominiques.

James K. Cook—Blue Smokeball Games, Cuban Dominiques, Red Piles, Blk. B. R. Games, Red Pile Muffs, Blk. R. Muffs, White, Black and Yellow Jacobins and Carrier Pigeons.

Jimmie Waldron—Doves.

Floyd Elliott—White Pit Games and B. B. R. Game Bantams.

Bert O'Hara—B. B. R. G. Bantams.

Donald F. Wright—Buff Pekin Bantams, B. B. R. Game Bantam and Fan Tail Pigeons.

Willie Hanley—B. B. R. Game Bantams.

Forrest Macham—Grey Duck Wing Bantams.

In the evening the opera house was filled with an earnest and appreciative audience to listen to the literary and musical program. The former consisted of able papers on the different branches of the poultry industry and the latter, though wholly instrumental, was an agreeable change and was nicely rendered by the performers. The following papers were read:—

"Eggs in Winter," Abner Wilson, Tecumseh.

"Raising Turkeys," Mrs. Henry Calhoun, Manchester.

"Farmers' Wives and the Poultry Business." This paper was written by Mrs. Priscilla Plum, of Reading. She being unable to be present, it was read by Mrs. Andrew Wilson, Tecumseh.

"Broilers from Eggs to Market," Arthur E. Mosher, Onsted.

"Poultry on the Farm," Mrs. Smith Munger, Clinton.

"Artificial Incubator and Brooding," A. P. Coddington, Tecumseh.

They were all practical and instructive, covering the whole ground. The music was furnished by Viva and Elmer Mellon and Ora Gillespie. This institute will undoubtedly stimulate the interest in poultry and the people will look forward to the next institute with great pleasure.

John Wanamaker is to build a church in Philadelphia to commemorate his escape from fire.

Mrs. Rose Abbitt.

The death of Mrs. Rose Abbitt, the Lilley House laundress, which occurred at her rooms over the Central market Sunday evening, was a shock to her friends as but few knew she was ill. She was not feeling well the first of the week but supposed it to be only a hard cold so continued to perform her accustomed duties until Wednesday evening when she gave up and went to bed, never more to rise from it. The disease, pneumonia, had become firmly seated and, she being very fleshy, all medical skill seemed powerless to stay its hold and she rapidly grew worse until the end which came as the bells were tolling for evening service.

Rose, as she was called by both young and old, whose maiden name was Kellar, was born in Germany April 23rd, 1841. Coming to this country when but a child, she settled at Adrian. When but 15 years of age she married a gentleman by the name of George Tyler and removed to Chicago where he died two years after of cholera. She then returned to Adrian where in the course of time she married Daniel Abbitt. This marriage did not prove a happy one and in a few years they separated. Most of the time for over twenty years she has been a resident of this place. Formerly she did cooking exclusively. In that capacity she was employed by some of the former proprietors of what is now the Central House, also cooked for S. Erskine, and the late Frank Silvers when they kept hotel in Clinton and for Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Eccles when they conducted a restaurant here. For the past eleven years she has done laundry work at the Lilley House.

In whatever capacity employed she was thorough and faithful, possessed of a tender heart and generous nature. Notwithstanding her secluded and busy life, she made many warm friends. One trait of character she possessed in a marked degree, that of seeing the good qualities of others instead of their faults, and if she could not speak well of a person she had nothing to say. She was ever ready to do an act of kindness to the sick and needy and many hearts have been warmed and homes brightened by her kind ministrations. During her sickness she had every care and attention.

The funeral was held in the lecture room of the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon and was attended by a large number of acquaintances and friends. There being no known living relatives, those connected with the Lilley House supplied their place. The floral tributes were fine and testified in strongest terms the esteem in which she was held. Rev. J. P. Varner officiated and his remarks were most appropriate and comforting.

One Fare for the Round Trip to Washington, D. C.

Account of the Presidential Inauguration ceremonies at Washington, D. C., March 4th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell round trip excursion tickets on March 1st, 2nd and 3rd, good returning not later than March 8th, at the rate of one lowest first class fare for the round trip.

Direct connections via Cincinnati and the C. & O. R'y. For time of trains, rates etc., call on C., J. & M. R'y agents.

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A new book, "Knitting and Crocheting," of 64 pages, over 50 original designs illustrated, beautiful lace patterns, shawls, hoods, jackets, etc., has been published by The Home, 141 Milk st., Boston, Mass., and will be sent with a subscription to that paper. The Home is a 20-page monthly filled with original stories, literary and domestic topics and fashions. Its department of Fancy Work is a special feature, new and original designs each issue. The price of subscription is 50 cents per year and will include one of these books. As a special inducement to trial subscribers, a copy of this book will be given with a 6 months' subscription. The price of book is 25 cents, but a 6 months' subscription and the book combined will be sent for only 15 cents. Their annual premium list for 1897 will be sent free on application.

Games For the Children.

Who obtain subscribers for THE POULTRY KEEPER, Box BB, Parkesburg, Pa., as well as other equally useful articles for a very little work. Two subscribers for six months at twenty-five cents each, secures many of them. Every poultry raiser must have the POULTRY KEEPER, the contents of which may save or make you hundreds of dollars, as this monthly leads the world in valuable information not to be had elsewhere for any money. "How to Make Money with Hens" is a secret with one or two, but the Poultry Keeper gives it away and shows how it is done. It is only fifty cents a year, and tells how to get nearly three dollars worth of poultry periodicals for one dollar, or for one dollar you can get with it the four Poultry Keeper Illustrators the most wonderful books published with information on every subject connected with the raising of poultry and containing information worth hundreds of dollars. Also other equally astonishing methods of saving money as well as securing it. Sample copy free.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss
Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 18th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the Estate of George E. Adamson, deceased

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Adamson, brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him Petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

MICHAEL B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

High School Happenings.

English II are studying Webster's orations, which they appear to enjoy hugely.

Tom Owens and Charlie Williamson made the A room quite a long call Friday afternoon.

Edward Hoag visited the A room in company with his brother, Harold, who is a student here, yesterday.

Mrs. Gerow and daughter, of Chicago, called on the grammar grade music classes yesterday afternoon.

Messrs McKinnon and Smith visited the grammar department of the High School Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Secor of the West Branch school was absent today to attend the county examination of teachers at Adrian.

Ollie Jones was summoned by telegram to her home at Ottawa Lake Monday morning. It is hoped she will be able to return soon.

The botany class numbers 38 this year. Germination of seeds and the study of buds are claiming the most of their attention at present.

The sophomore class organized Monday night after school with a membership of nearly forty. The officers elected were president, Frank Morgan; vice pres., Leon Rosacrans; sec., Anna McClure; treas., Florence Temple.

One of the window panes in the eighth grade room, got dirty last Wednesday—so dirty in fact that one of the boys felt that it was his duty to wash it. For lack of anything better he took a snowball. Chief result, a new window pane. There were several minor results unnecessary to mention.

The senior class held a business meeting last Friday night, at which it was decided to alter the usual program of the graduating exercises by having a speaker. This will lighten the work for both teachers and pupils, and causes much rejoicing. The speaker selected will probably be C. A. Fulton, of Detroit.

The Junior class drove over to the Raisin Valley Seminary in two loads Wednesday night to use the telescope and gaze on the heavenly bodies. Mr. Kellogg went along to keep every one straight. The journey there was shortened by the efforts of the gentlemen who composed rhymes for the edification of their fair partners, in which the words "moon" and "spoon" were most noticeable. They saw the stars, the moon and came pretty near seeing the sun too, but decided they had better not wait for that.

Wm. R. Hayes Writes

Payne, Ind., Feb. 1896

I have been using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin ever since the agency was established here four months ago. When I began taking it I weighed 150 pounds and now I weigh 177 pounds. Feel better than ever did in my life and must say it is an excellent remedy. In 10c size (10 doses 10 cts) regular sizes 50c and $1.00 at Orr & Temple's.

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For this occasion the Wabash Rail Road will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip, good going date of sale and returning Feb'y 24, inclusive.

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I have the book entitled "The Home Beyond" in my library. I regard it as a book full of instruction and worthy a place in every home.—J. P. Varner, pastor M. E church, Tecumseh.

The finest work ever written of the here and the hereafter.—Merton.

A companion piece for the Bible.—Ormsby.

Should be in every home.—Addison.

No library complete without it.—Blackwood

NOTICE.—While the regular price of the book is $2.50, arrangements have been made direct with the publishers to place 300 copies in Tecumseh at just the publisher's price—$1.00, and can be paid in four weekly installments of 25c each. This offer is made so that every family may own the book. Master Fred will call and show you the book and take your order for the same, to be delivered about April 1st. If he fails to call on any, a postal card directed to Fred Waring will bring him and the book for your inspection.

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Butter	10 11	14
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Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 60	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	10 4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 7	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	60	
Corn, shelled	30	30
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Oats		18
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FOR SALE CHEAP. A young Holstein Friesian Bull, pedigreed and handsomely marked. JOS. E. GRAY,

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WANTED—Some good cabbage at the Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co., south Lake Shore depot.

Richard Mead was in town Tuesday evening.

Alfred James made a business trip to Detroit yesterday.

Mrs. Robt. Owens has been on the sick list since Sunday.

A. M. Lamb was in Hudson on business the first of the week.

Miss Mertie McCollum is spending the week at James Urdyke's.

Postmaster Pierce, of Hudson, was calling on Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

R. A. Heesen left Tuesday for a two weeks business trip in the west and south.

Quite a company of the Adrian young people attended the hop at the armory Friday night.

If you wish to see a beautiful line of Gents' Tan Shoes in all the latest novelties, call and see the lot we just received. KARNER BROS.

Tom Holdway and family will soon occupy the house lately vacated by Robt. Moir.

Will Stevenson left Monday for Portland, where he will work for Bert Bice, in the bakery.

Miss Gertrude Bray, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. W. W. Whiting a portion of the week.

E. C. Williamson finished filling with ice his cold storage warehouse last Saturday. It required 1,000 tons.

Mr. Will Stultz and Miss Zelma Rankin, of Dundee, were guests of Miss Blanche Gage one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Comfort will leave Tuesday for a trip to California, where they will visit a brother of Mrs. Comfort.

Ed McKinney came over from Hudson and spent Sunday with his family. He reports prospects for business in his line bright.

A large number from the Baptist society spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Finch. Both dinner and tea were served.

Wednesday evening a party of young people took a sleighride, thinking it their last opportunity. About twenty participated.

To sell goods at cost means bargains for you. Get them while they last. KARNER BROS.

James Lowry will go as representative from here to the Grand Court of Forresters, to be held at Port Huron next week. He leaves Monday.

Dickinson Bros. rapidly increasing business compels them to enlarge their capacity, so they are building at their market a cooling room of generous proportions.

Five of Miss Ollie Jones' friends from Ottawa Lake drove over Saturday and remained her guests until Sunday afternoon, among them being her sister and brother Tom.

At the union county convention, held in Adrian last Saturday, delegates were selected to the state convention, and John Howell, of Macon, was nominated for county school commissioner.

There is a repopt going the rounds that Uncle Charley Spafford was "held up" on a railroad train the other day for ten dollars. For Uncle Charlie we denounce the whole report as an malicious lie. Uncle Charlie set the first stick of type ever put up for the HERALD over 40 years ago, and has not had ten dollars all at one time since.

The spacious home of J. D. Shull was filled last evening with a large company of the members of Beer's Post and the Relief Corps. It was in the nature of a surprise, and was successfully executed, Mr. Shull not having an inking of the affair, although his wife had been consulted. It was a social event, and fine refreshments were served.

Master Fred Waring is meeting with great success selling Bishop Fallow's great book "Home Beyond." Fred says every one who looks at the book gives him their order. See "ad" in this issue.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hicks was invaded Tuesday evening by a large company of members of the Eastern Star. Although their coming was unknown to the worthy couple they were none the less welcome, and the evening was delightfully spent. Refreshments, choice and dainty were served by the invaders. P. S. McKinnon, in behalf of the company, at an opportune moment, presented Mrs. Hicks with an elegant Eastern Star pin, as a slight token of their esteem. Mrs. Hicks left yesterday morning for an extended visit with Mrs. H. Snell in Washington, D. C.

Webb Anderson made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

Perry Hosmer and A. C. Paxson went to Piqua, Ohio, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ella Welch, of Clinton, spent Sunday with her friend Blanche Gage.

L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Monday.

Mrs. Asa Gage visited Manchester friends Thursday and Friday of last week.

Don't fail to see our New Spring Carpets. SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Ernest and Florence Montgomery were guests of Ridgeway friends over Sunday.

Robe Hosmer went to Piqua Ohio, Wednesday. He expects to remain some time.

John H. M. Campbell, who is now running the Clayton Record, was home over Sunday.

Fred Snow, of Adrian, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Snow, the last of the week.

Orr & Temple have just received a large stock of imported perfumes that are simply exquisite.

Mrs. Calvin Bovee, of Clayton, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, last week.

J. M. Bittman, of Saginaw, has been in town the past week on business connected with his interests here.

We will be with you but a short time. Use us while you can to supply your wants in Foot Wear. KARNER BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hoag entertained a company of invited guests at their home west of town Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Horatio Keyser, who has been having a serious time with the grip the past two weeks, is now slowly recovering.

Edgar Coddington and Levi P. Hayden returned home from Grand Rapids Monday and expect to remain some time.

A large load of young people drove up to the Williamson farm Monday evening and had an oyster supper at Joe White's. There was fun galore.

The brick work for the addition to the Jones block began Wednesday morning. Jerome Snow is laying the brick and will be assisted by his son Fred.

A. J. Monagin, who was visiting his people in Cambridge last week, spent Sunday with his sister Bertha and left for his home in El Paso, Texas, Monday morning.

The friends of Charles Teachout, who has been so seriously ill at his home in Brooklyn, will be pleased to learn that the crisis has passed and he is now recovering.

Ladies, don't pay 25c, 30c and 35c for Patterns when you can get the Latest Style Patterns for 10c and 15c at our store. HARRIS & HITESHU.

Morton Burlingame and Frank Chilson were the guests of Guy Davidson at his home in the country Tuesday for dinner. The folks being away, Guy was chief cook and bottle washer and the boys pronounce him a No. 1 caterer.

Howard Whelan came over from Detroit Thursday night intending to return Saturday morning but remained over Sunday and was accompanied home by his mother Monday, who will make her son John and family a visit.

The Misses Winnifred Ross and Margaret Knapp, of Adrian, who remained after the party, the former a guest of Viola Shull and the latter of Lena Hardenburg, returned home Sunday night, Hal Knapp and George Cochran driving over for them in the afternoon.

Rev. C. M. Brown and John J. Orr went over to hear Prof. DeMotte at Adrian Saturday night and the following went over Sunday afternoon to hear his address to the students:—J. H. Smith, John Anderson, Bert Day, Fred Hermann, J. J. Orr, Vern Smith, Ralph Orr, Fay and Albert Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jehiel Bramble, assisted by about thirty of their friends, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding at their home on west Chicago street, last Saturday. It was a happy occasion and it is hoped this worthy company may live to enjoy many more anniversaries of that happy event.

Fred Aldrich, wife and Wilson, went over to Brooklyn Friday for a visit with his father, P. W. Aldrich. Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jones and Leo, Mrs. George Teachout, E. L. Church and C. D. Keyes drove over and were the guests of Mr. Aldrich for dinner at the Cosmopolitan. The day was pleasantly passed and all returned home at night.

Friday evening about twenty gentlemen and ladies, friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Paxson, made them an impromptu visit, as Al was to leave the next day for Piqua, Ohio, where the family will soon join him and make that hustling city their home. Although Mrs. Paxson knew that some of Al's most intimate friends were coming, she supposed they were to be gentlemen only, so that when the company walked in, it proved a surprise to both of them. The evening passed only too quickly, and while all felt it a pleasure to be there, the occasion was one where pleasure and sadness were mingled equally.

John Hendershot returned the last of the week from Port Clinton, Ohio, where he was called by the critical condition of his son Serville, who, a short time before, had his hand hurt at the Electric Light Works, where he was employed, necessitating the amputation of one finger. Blood poison resulting, his case became serious, and it was thought necessary to amputate the hand in order to save his life. Mr. Hendershot reports an improvement in his son's condition and it is now thought the hand can be saved. Serville had a fine position and was doing nicely. His friends, while realizing his misfortune, rejoice that his hand will be saved.

The young ladies give a ball at the Armory this evening.

The National Democrats will meet in state convention at Grand Rapids March 3rd.

James H. Aten, who has been quite unwell the past week, is able to be out again.

Geo. Tiffany, Sr. went over to Chicago Wednesday night for the transaction of business.

Have you seen those lovely Spring Dress Goods just received at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. Will Sisson and children visited friends in Blissfield this week. They went Tuesday.

Dr. Beem has returned to the northern part of the state, and will not make Tecumseh his home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner returned from a short visit with friends in Toledo Wednesday.

Will. R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., was in town the first of the week. His many friends are always glad to see him.

Geo. L. Beecher and wife, of Detroit, came up between trains Wednesday and gave Dr. Lombard and wife a farewell call.

Mrs. B. J. Bidwell has been enjoying a visit from her brother, A. G. Cushing, and wife, of South Bend, Ind., this week.

There will be a social and donation for the benefit of Rev. E. C. Andrus at the Universalist church Feb. 26th. All are invited. Supper from 5 until 7 p. m.

Lamont Bidwell sold to Boston parties a short time since his fine, road mare, Alice Eddy, with a record of 2:25, the price received going up in the hundreds.

The "Gang" met with Mrs. J. D. Robbins last Monday evening. They were pleasantly entertained, "Hopity" being the feature of the evening.

Gus Weurthner, who has been quite ill at his parents' in Manchester, has so far recovered that he came down Monday and resumed his work in Arnold's bakery.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lanning Wednesday, Feb. 24. Meeting will begin promptly at 3 o'clock.

A patriotic concert will be given at the Universalist church next Sunday evening. An interesting program has been especially prepared, The G. A. R. and Company C will be in attendance. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the Y. P. C. U. In the morning a sermon on the New Testament miracles will be given.

At the meeting of the Research Circle Friday evening, Feb. 12th, Mrs. A. W. Slayton read a paper describing the Arab Conquest of Ezypt. Mrs. Fisher a paper about the Mamelukes and their oppression of the Egyptians. Mrs. Tiffany read a paper on "Sponges" and that beautiful species, "Venus' Flower Basket." Section II of the Circle are working up the review on Egyptian history.

Don't fail to see our New Black Dress Goods. SEATON W. ANDERSON.

There were three papers read at the Monday Club Feb. 15th on the subject of "Literature": Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons gave a history of Frederick the Great and his influence on literature. Mrs. A. Lewis furnished a character sketch regarding the German author Lessing and his writings. Mrs. Milburn Keyser closed the program by describing the "Origin and Rise of the Drama."

Bender, the magician and ventriloquist, occupied the boards at Sutton's opera house Monday and Tuesday evenings and delighted his audience with his marvelous acts. As a magician he is fully equal to the late Herrman and may rightly be termed "Wizard". In his musical specialties he proved himself master of the xylophone as well as the violin. On the latter his trick playing and imitations were fine and out of the ordinary style. As a ventriloquist he is undoubtedly without a rival and in this act held his audience spell bound. He demonstrated fully his capacity to entertain, unassisted, an audience a whole evening, a difficult thing to do.

The following interesting story from the Toledo Blade is made more interesting from the fact that after a long and tedious contest the suit was won by our townsman, F. B. Wood, as attorney:

Four important decisions were rendered yesterday afternoon by the circuit court. In the case of Wesley Thurstin, administrator, against the heirs of Frederick Bissell, deceased, the decision of the lower court is affirmed. This case is full of peculiarly interesting features. In 1870 Frederick Bissell, a well-known citizen of Toledo, died. Several months before his death, he made a will in which he directed that certain valuable farm property should be held in trust by a nephew, Edward Bissell, the executor of his estate. Edward was instructed to pay the income from the farm each year to Leverett Bissell, a brother of Frederick, during the life of Leverett. The will also gave Leverett power to bequeath the farm property to whomsoever he designated, at the time of his demise. But Frederick especially stipulated that no part of his estate whatever should go to the children of Sidney Bissell, another brother. Time passed on and Leverett died, leaving the property to his wife. In his will Leverett provided that the property should go, after his wife's death, to his heirs who were living at the time the will was made. A few years after her husband's death, the widow of Leverett passed away. As the couple had no children, among the heirs left was the child of Sidney. Sidney's child contended that Leverett, having full title to the property, could lawfully will it to him, regardless of Frederick's wishes in the matter. But the Common Pleas court held that they could not legally come in possession of the property and the Circuit court takes the same view of the case.

R. L. Jones, who with his family is stopping at the Central House, has been quite sick this week, but is now improving.

Will Mobbs is at the store again, coming down a part of each day. He is no more pleased to get out than his friends are to see him.

L. D. Dewey took in 15,000 pounds of live chickens last Tuesday, which is the greatest number of pounds yet taken in in one day at his establishment.

Special meeting of Loyal Orange lodge, No. 60, Tecumseh, on Monday evening, Feb. 22nd, 7:30 p. m. Work in Royal Arch degree. All members are hereby notified.—JOHN MURPHY, Sec.

Harris & Hiteshu have something of interest to say to the public this week about patterns. In fact the ad's of Harris & Hiteshu are always interesting. They always quote bargains and fulfill their advertising promises.

The regular night for roll call at the next meeting of the Farmers' Social Club, will be a quotation from some article on money, wealth or riches. It is hoped the members will go prepared to respond.

Little Regie Blachford had a narrow escape from serious injury last Friday. Mr. Blatchford had prepared a place for the children to slide down hill near the the house. One of Dr. Lombard's young sons was over playing with Regie, and they were coasting. A wagon loaded with coal, for the electric light plant, came along as Regie came down on his sled, the driver, not thinking the sled could reach the track, made no effort to turn aside and it resulted in one wheel passing over the boys left hand. Fortunately the snow was quite deep, otherwise the hand would have been crushed. The little fellow was plucky and never a cry escaped him, even when the hand was examined by the physican. Although badly bruised no bones were broken, and the hand will soon be all right.

Some of the lady friends of Miss Elvia Tallman, who formerly resided west of town but now lives south of Adrian, have for some time contemplated paying her a visit and at the same time enjoy a sleighride. Monday was the time settled upon and about 5:30 p. m., from the home of Fred Shepard where all congregated, a jolly company of eleven with well laden baskets started on their mission. Nothing occurred to mar their pleasure. A bountiful supper was served about 9 p. m. and they reached home in the wee small hours, having enjoyed themselves every moment of the time. The following were the participants: Mesdames Fred Shepard and Bert Waring and the Misses Lulu Jones, Margaret Haire, Anna Cutting, Grace Hillman, Florence Mize, Lillian Welliver, Emma Hall, Ida Rector and Lizzie Lowry.

A Sad Death.

Wm. Weld, who has been working for Asa Howe on the Aten farm northeast of here, met with a tragic death Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Howe was helping a neighbor and young Weld was cutting wood. After dinner he took his rifle with him to the woods. The Smith boys were hauling wood from the St. John farm near by, and towards night Weld went over where they were. As they all were starting for home Weld said "Wait till I get my gun." Reaching for it and drawing it toward him the hammer caught and the gun was discharged, the ball staiking his left breast and coming out above the right. He exclaimed, "Boys, I'm shot; goodbye," and fell on his face to the ground, dead. No inquest being deemed necessary, the body was brought to the home of his mother in Brownville where the funeral was held this afternoon, Rev. J. P. Varner officiating.

The death of this young man is peculiarly a sad one. The family, consisting of mother, two sons and a daughter, came to this place from Toledo late in the spring. Will, who was 21 years of age, was a dutiful son and the main support of the family who are in strightened circumstances and his untimely death falls with crushing force upon the mother, brother and sister. They have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

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—Those celebrated White Dinner Sets at Tansley's are the greatest bargains ever offered.

—If you want low prices on all kinds of China crockery and glassware, you can find them at Tansley's new store, Heesen Block.

—Harris & Hiteshu will give you more value in Dress Goods, ladies' and gents' Furnishings, Shoes, Walking Shoes and Slippers than any other house in Southern Michigan.

—Special bargains in Toilet and Dinner sets at Tansley's new store, Heesen block.

—Greater bargains than ever now at Mills block. It is the clean up—even the cost is not looked at.

Jersey Sweets Potatoes,

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A Secret Worth Knowing.

When one observes the ill-dressed women to be seen on the streets daily a person is led to think that their most common fault is carelessness in matching shades. Better take a contrast if you cannot get an exact match, but in London, at least, patience will always secure what is wanted; if one shop does not have it, another will. Harmonies in dress are more effective at all times and in better taste than contrasts; thus, if you have a pink evening dress try rather to get gloves of just the same pink than of white kid or of tan. Again, if you have a hat with a red or a blue flower, and are buying a dress that you are likely to wear with it, get something with a spray or line repeating that very tone of red or blue; this applies to every color. Strike a note in each costume, however, simple, and keep to it. The cheapest gown, if all the details are studied, will cost no more and will surpass in effect something at thrice the price. — Chicago Chronicle.

Apricot Toast.

A good way to make apricot toast is to slice down a milk roll about one-half inch thick, and fry these slices in butter till of a golden brown; meanwhile turn the liquor from a tin of canned apricots into a delicately clean pan, add one ounce of powdered sugar and a wineglassful of sherry or liquor, as you please. Place a half apricot on each slice of fried toast, cup side uppermost, place a kernel in each cup, pour the sirup, etc., which should have boiled up, over the apricots and toast, place a teaspoonful of thick cream into each apricot and serve hot.—St. Louis Republic.

One Objection.

Salesman (to prospective buyer)—Yes, madam, this carpet is fine goods and it can't be beat in this town.

Lady—Then I don't want it. We can't afford to send it out of town every time we wish it beaten.—Up-to-Date.

The average age of doctors is much higher than that of any other calling—it is no less than 56. Their great pull consists, no doubt, in their opportunities of observing what treatment is most efficacious with their patients. A certain physician is said by James Payn to have let this particular cat out of the bag to one to whom he was paying marked attention. "I am very much interested in your case," he said, "because I have the same complaint myself; and if this medicine really does you good I shall try it."

Montreal, Can., Feb. 8. — Thomas Doherty & Co., tea merchants, have assigned. Liabilities about $100,000.

A CLOSE CALL.

Michigan Was in Danger of Losing Her Electoral Vote.

Discovery of a Fatal Defect in the Election Law—Gov. Pingree Has More Trouble Over Appointments.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, Feb. 15.—One of the laws passed by the last legislature came near causing the loss of Michigan's vote in the electoral college. After the formal canvass and announcement of the vote in congress last week, it was made known that the vote of Michigan had been in great danger of being declared void. This state of affairs was due to the law passed at the last session which prescribed the duties of county canvassers, but makes no provision for canvassing the vote for presidential electors, although it repeals all other laws on the subject. The defect was noticed by a number of republican officials and party leaders, but the discovery remained a secret locked in their breasts. The question of legality was not raised, and it is apparent that the oversight in the law was not seen by the democratic state committee. The present legislature will amend the law.

It is intimated that some of the anti-Pingree men in the senate contemplate the introduction of a resolution for the appointment of a legislature committee to investigate municipal affairs of Detroit as conducted by Mayor Pingree during his various administrations. It is doubtful if such a plan could be pushed through the house, even though sanctioned by the senate.

Gov. Pingree's pet scheme, which involves the removal of the state capital to Detroit, is not seriously considered by the legislature. A joint resolution submitting to the people an amendment to the constitution increasing the salary of the attorney general from $800 to $2,500 per annum was before the house, it having previously passed the senate. The measure requires the attorney general to reside in Lansing. A motion was made to substitute the word Detroit for Lansing and another to insert "at the capital" in place of the word Lansing, but both were unanimously voted down.

The breach between the senate and the governor has been visibly widened by the feeling created in the upper house over the appointments of ex-Gov. Luce, of Coldwater, as a member of the board of control for the Ionia house of correction, Rev. Morgan Wood, of Detroit, as a member of the state board of charities and corrections, and Fred H. Case, of Three Rivers, as inspector general. The republican senators seem backward about confirming the appointments, inasmuch as Case was editor and proprietor of a free silver paper during the late political campaign, and Luce's stand on the money question was also distasteful to many. The nomination of Thomas F. Marston, of Bay City, as a member of the state board of agriculture, and of F. M. Stuart, of Hillsdale, a member of the board of control of the state public school at Coldwater, were confirmed.

A stringent anti-trust measure has been introduced in the house. It is intended to prevent monopolies in articles of general necessity. It declares illegal any contract or combination in the form of a trust whereby competition is destroyed in the supply or price of any article or commodity of common use for the support of life and health for the purpose of advancing prices. The penalty for conviction is a fine not to exceed $5,000 or imprisonment not longer than one year, or both.

A bill introduced by Representative Gustin, of Alpena, is one of the most radical measures ever presented. It takes the selection of the supreme justices from the hands of the people, and makes them appointees of the governor. They are to have one term of ten years, and cannot be reappointed. Gustin's plea is that the measure would remove the justices from the influence of politics. It will require a constitutional amendment to put the project into force.

Gov. Pingree has been honored by having a post office bear his name. An office has been established with this title in Sanilac county, five miles north west of Cass City, with Philip Mark as postmaster.

A straw which indicates an adverse wind for the equal suffrage bill was the recent action in the senate, when, by a vote of 25 to 4, further consideration of the bill providing for the appointment of two women on each of the boards of control of the state insane asylums, was indefinitely postponed. The bill passed the house unanimously at a recent session.

The economical streak in the house has lead to the introduction of a bill abolishing the state geological survey.

Bills appropriating $40,000 for the relief of the Ontonagon fire sufferers, permitting the sale of quail purchased in another state, providing for a reformatory for women, and making the education of the blind compulsory, were introduced in the house Monday.

A very important bill was noticed in the house Monday, intended to prevent a sacrifice in case of mortgage, sheriff's and chancery sales. It provides for the appointment of three disinterested persons as appraisers upon the property by the circuit judge for that county. It also provides that no such real estate or any interest thereon shall be sold for less than two-thirds of its appraised value.

Populist members of the house on Tuesday gave notice of bills declaring null and void all contracts calling for the payment of money in gold.

A joint resolution was introduced Tuesday providing for an amendment to the constitution prohibiting anyone not a taxpayer voting on propositions to raise money by taxation. The claim is made that in some portions of the state regularly organized companies of non-taxpayers force enormous taxes on property owners. It is also proposed to prevent assessors from overvaluing property so that large sums may be raised.

Bills were introduced Tuesday providing that female patients in asylums for the insane shall be treated by female physicians; requiring all hunters to pay an annual license fee of one dollar, and providing that a special record of all farm mortgages and discharges of mortgages on farm property be kept in each county.

Among the bills introduced and noticed in the legislature last week were the following:

To prohibit the use of any except the English language on bills of fare; compelling railroad companies to give first-class passengers seats in parlor cars when all seats are taken in regular coaches; to amend the tax law by exempting musical educational associations the same as library and charitable institutions; to repeal the law for the collection of social statistics; for a permanent forestry commission; to abolish days of grace; to prohibit manufacture and sale of cigarettes; appropriating $15,000 for removal of obstructions from Kalamazoo river; providing for establishment of a normal school for southwestern Michigan at Benton Harbor, and appropriating $25,000 therefor; to prohibit payment of money by a debtor to a laborer in any saloon or place where liquor is sold; for the incorporation of mutual integrity companies for the purpose of insuring to employers the integrity of their officers, agents and employes; appropriating $25,000 for the establishment of a homeopathic college at Detroit; for the election, by direct vote, of railroad commissioners; prohibiting the unlawful wearing of G. A. R. and Loyal Legion emblems; requiring life insurance companies doing business in Michigan to invest 40 per cent. of the gross premiums received in the state in real estate securities.

EMMETT.

TO FINISH ST. MARY'S CANAL.

Great Water-Power to Be Carried to Completion.

Detroit, Feb. 15.—Charles E. S. Osborne, of Sault Ste. Marie, state game and fish warden, has returned from Washington with the information that a company has been organized to complete the canal of the St. Mary's Falls Water Power company at an expense of nearly $3,000,000. Mr. Osborne says that there are interested in the new enterprise the great Cramps ship-building firm of Philadelphia, the Chicago Gas company and others, which are to locate the works on the new canal. The Cramps propose to establish a lake ship-building industry at the falls. There are interested in the project the Shipley Trust company and various Chicago and Philadelphia capitalists, who are now more or less concerned in the Lake Superior Power company on the Canadian side. The new syndicate is getting ready to let contracts this spring for the completion of the canal, with a 60,000-horse power capacity.

FOR A MANUFACTURING TOWN.

Chicago Capitalists Make Heavy Investments in Water Power.

Menominee, Feb. 17.—Wallis K. Cook, of Chicago, together with other capitalists, has secured 1,400 acres of land on either side of the Menominee river at White Rapids, 30 miles above this city, and now controls that water-power. The purchase of the last parcel of land was completed Tuesday. The land was purchased from a dozen or more parties, including some of the heavy lumber operators here and at Marinette. The consideration was in the neighborhood of $75,000. By harnessing the rapids, a 50-foot head can be secured, giving a 10,000 horse-power. Negotiations are now pending for the purchase of the site by a large paper mill syndicate and a town site will be platted at once. Work on the dam and log sluice way will begin this winter.

Sunday Closing at Saginaw.

Saginaw, Feb. 15.—The Anti-Saloon league inaugurated a crusade against the saloon men at this place Sunday. Every church in the city united in the formation of a local branch of the National Anti-Saloon league. "Spotters" watched the rear entrances of all saloons, but the liquor men had been warned to keep closed and not a back door was open. The authorities are in sympathy with the saloon element and will give the leaguers no assistance.

Want the Policeman Arrested.

Decatur, Feb. 13.—Petitions are being circulated in Allegan county asking the authorities to issue a warrant for the arrest of Joseph Lawyer, a policeman, on a charge of murder. Several days ago Joseph White, while resisting arrest, was shot and killed by the officer, who was exonerated by a coroner's jury. Lawyer has disappeared.

Will Assess Stockholders.

Lansing, Feb. 12.—Receiver Foster, of the People's savings bank, has petitioned the circuit court for permission to make an assessment of 100 per cent. on the stockholders. The petition will be granted and he will proceed at once to enforce payment. Even this, it is feared, will not suffice to pay the depositors in full.

Took Poison.

Traverse City, Feb. 15.—Henry Baldwin, aged 43, killed himself Saturday night by an overdose of opium. He stole quietly into the Cutler house unobserved and went to bed. His body was found at noon Sunday. He had considerable property and leaves a mother, brother and sister, who live in Wichita, Kan.

His Wish Gratified.

Zeeland, Feb. 11.—John Lamers, aged 80, had often expressed a wish that he and his wife, aged 82, might die together. He dropped dead of heart disease half an hour before her funeral Tuesday. They came from the Netherlands to the Dutch colony in 1847.

Orangemen to Meet.

Muskegon, Feb. 12.—The annual convention of the state organization of Orangemen is to be held in this city the second week in April, when it is expected that 100 delegates will be present.

Funeral of Dr. Berrick.

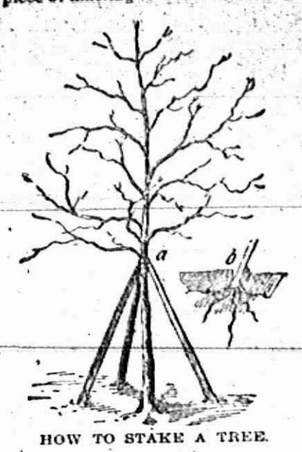
Niles, Feb. 13.—The funeral of Dr. F. H. Berrick, who on Tuesday last succumbed to a stroke of paralysis, was held in this city Friday under Masonic auspices.

HORTICULTURE.

BRACING FRUIT TREES.

An Explanation of the Tripod Method and Its Advantages.

In the accompanying sketch, which represents a newly planted tree, ten feet in height, there is shown one of the most effective braces that can be provided for a subject of this size. It consists of three light oak or other stakes, about five feet in length, driven into the soil, tripod-like, each two feet away from the tree, and with the right slant to just meet the trunk with the end, as at a in the engraving. Here a piece of matting is wound around the



HOW TO STAKE A TREE.

trunk to protect it from the ends of the several stakes, which are then secured to the trunk, and to one another by means of tarred cord or by wire. Such a tree is held perfectly secure. Surely it is giving the subject the rational care which is its due in the crisis of transplanting.

To make this lesson of the tree's security the more impressive, I show a side sketch at b which indicates the bad predicament into which newly planted trees not rarely get. When I say that I have seen unstaked fall planted trees literally blown from the ground before spring, this present sketch need not be looked upon as fanciful. It represents, in fact, quite a common state. Not only does the injury come from a general loosening up of the roots and their displacement, but an opening is made around the trunk which will fill with water, which may cause damage in one of two ways; first, water that follows readily down the root hastens the softening process of the soil, and further aids the loosening of the roots; second, to have water stand next to the bark, which in case of a sudden freeze up is turned to ice, may work serious harm to the bark throughout.

The advantages of this tripod method of staking trees over the single stake plan are several; first, the tree is held more firmly in place than is possible to be done with the use of but one stake; secondly, these stakes are not driven into fresh earth, but into that just outside of the hole that was excavated and filled in during the planting process.

This method of staking is suited to trees in almost any situation. In the street, for instance, by having two of the stakes enter the soil at the curb, and these spread a little farther apart than the distance to the other stake, the tree may be brought within a foot and a half of the curb (and it should never be closer). It is at once apparent how easily the tripod may be made to serve as a tree-guard against horses and dogs by running wire, held in place by staples, horizontally from stake to stake around the tree. The first wire may be a foot above the ground to admit of the lawn mower passing underneath; above this they might be three or four inches apart.

The plan here illustrated is best suited to trees ranging from six to twelve feet in height. In the case of transplanting larger trees (except in the street) the same plan may be modified by substituting the use of wire for the stakes. In that event the stays may be attached higher up in the tree than when stakes are used; even among the branches, say at two-thirds the height of the tree, provision being of course made for attaching the wires both in the tree and at the ground. In the tree two iron half-bands fitted with L ends and short bolts should be made to tightly encircle the trunk at the proper height. To this completed band the wire stays are attached, extending to the ground. Here they are made fast to three stout stakes driven into the ground at equal distance apart and some feet away from the tree. Ordinary fence wire will answer very well for the purpose. If the trees are quite large the wire may be doubled.

Some one may say that the stakes, wires and the work involve expense. This is true, but the outlay is a mere trifle as compared to the cost and value of the tree.—Elias A. Long, in American Gardening.

Care of Young Orchards.

Peach trees are not adverse to heavy soils, but they must be well drained. Many Colorado peach orchards flourish in adobe soils. All fruit trees feel the force of drought and other hard conditions, as do grains and vegetables, and require care accordingly. Intense cultivation of young orchards makes a vigorous growth of the lateral roots, sending them deeper into the ground, insuring a hardier life to the tree. After overhauling the old orchards it may be well to give them some of the same treatment.—Farmers' Union.

Poultry manure mixed with dry earth is a good top dressing for the lawn.

ART OF GETTING ON.

Have a Definite Knowledge of Some One Thing.

I recall with shame how earnestly and how vainly a well-wisher of mine, an eminent publisher, tried many years ago to impress this fact upon my mind: "You will succeed," he used to say, "as soon as you produce what somebody wants; but not so long as your merit is only that of a woman who is struggling." In common with a great many other women not brought up to work, I had a vague sort of idea that my misfortunes were a passport and would gain me an income, says a writer in Lippincott's. Let me assure every woman similarly placed that they never will. Sympathy is readily awakened, but it is in the nature of things short-lived. Respect for effort earnest and continued is a much better ally. In an experience ranging over many years, I must honestly say that every time I have failed it has been through my own ignorance and incompetency, and that my success has been built upon failures many and severe. The best equipment that either men or women could have is definite knowledge, if it be only of one thing. The first question I ask of those who come to me for advice is: "What can you do?" If the answer is, as it almost invariably proves to be: "Anything," my heart fills with despair for the applicant. In the money-making world "anything" means "nothing." It is overrun with a vast army of incapables ready to rush in and undertake "anything." What is needed is some one who can do something as opposed as to anyone who can do anything. Competency is the only equipment that is worth anything nowadays.

JOSEPH M'KENNA.

The California Judge Will Be the New Secretary of the Interior.

San Francisco, Feb. 3.—Judge Joseph McKenna, of Suisun, has been selected for secretary of the interior in President-elect McKinley's cabinet and he has accepted.

Joseph McKenna is a native of Pennsylvania, having been born in Philadelphia August 10, 1843, and in 1855 removed with his parents to Benicia, Cal. He received a good education in the public schools of Philadelphia and at the Benicia Collegiate Institute, now St. Augustine col-

Port Huron, Feb. 6.—Judge Beach has decided for the state against H. H. Warner, of Rochester, N. Y. The case involves the title to an island of 1,500 acres in Saginaw bay. It was first tried before Judge Swan, of the United States district court, who held in favor of Mr. Warner, but afterward sent back to the state court on the ground of jurisdiction. The case will now be taken to the United States supreme court. The verdict will affect the title of about 8,000 acres of land at St. Clair flats.

, Jennings, Kan., Feb. 9.—Ben Munson, married, and Bert, his 16-year-old brother, were drowned while skating near here.

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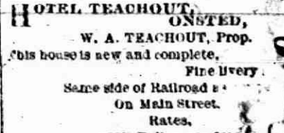

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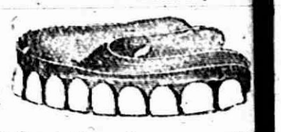

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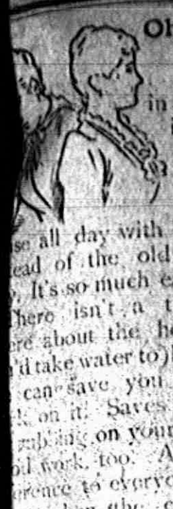

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FARM AND GARDEN.

DURABLE FARM GATE.

Can Be Put in Place for About Three or Four Dollars.

The gate depicted herewith is made wholly of wrought iron. It is 2 feet 11 inches wide, the two outside pickets are 3 feet 2 inches long, and the center is 3 feet 9 inches long. The two horizontal bars, the diagonal brace and pickets are of flat iron, ¾ of an inch wide and 3-16 inch thick. The horizontals are doubled together, an eye being formed at the doubled end and space left for the pickets. The latter are slipped in between the two thicknesses of the horizontals and riveted in

INEXPENSIVE IRON GATE.

place. The lower horizontal is 5 inches above the bottoms of the pickets, and the upper one is 2¼ feet higher. The rivets extend through all three thicknesses of iron, far enough to be headed down. The diagonal brace is also riveted to the pickets, as shown.

The spring latch is 18 inches long, of ¼ inch flat iron, 5-16 inch thick, bent and riveted at its lower end to one of the pickets, as shown in the engraving. The hinge bolts are of ⅝ inch round iron, with an eye turned at one end, and a thread cut the entire length. The length is governed by the thickness of the post, through which they should project something more than 1 inch. A nut is run up on each clear to the eye, the bolt is then slipped through the hole in the post and a second nut turned on snugly. A rod of round ⅜ inch iron is cut 3 feet long, an eye turned at one end, and the gate, having been placed in position, this rod is slipped through the eyes of gate and bolts, and the gate is duly hung. An iron catch on the opposite post completes the arrangement. The gate may be left to swing freely either way, or an iron stop may be screwed to the post beneath the catch as illustrated. The cost of such a gate is about $3.50. — Rev. W. Gossett, in Farm and Field.

COW PEA CULTURE.

Can Be Grown on Any Soil That Is Not Too Wet.

The bunch varieties are the ones which are best adapted to growing for hay or ensilage, while the runners and trailers are valuable for soiling purposes or for turning under as green manure. The length of season required for maturity also varies greatly, the bunch varieties, as a rule, requiring only a very short season. The feeding value of cow peas, either green fed as hay, or preserved as ensilage, is very high, being considerably above that of red clover. Cow peas require a deep, rich, sandy loam, although, because of their strong root system, they are adapted to grow upon almost any soil which is not too wet. The ground should be well prepared and the seed should not be sown until the soil is thoroughly warmed. Cow peas, by the means of the tubercles on the roots, gather large amounts of nitrogen from the air, and also pump up large amounts of valuable mineral fertilizers from the subsoil. When the stubble is plowed under after the crop has been removed, these valuable fertilizing elements—potash, nitrogen and phosphoric acid—are left in the surface soil for the use of succeeding crops. At the Rhode Island experiment station the total crop of green vines per acre was 35,000 pounds, containing 137 pounds of nitrogen, 109½ pounds of potash, and 31.2 pounds of phosphoric acid, and the additional quantity estimated to be contained in the roots was 17¾ pounds of nitrogen, 10 pounds of potash and 3.15 pounds phosphoric acid. — Jared G. Smith, in Farm News.

ELECTRIC PLOWING.

German Agriculturists Are Very Much Interested in It.

The Germans are very much in earnest about electric plowing. Their National Agricultural society has arranged a prize competition among power-driven plows, intended specially to encourage and develop the application of electric power to the working of plows and other agricultural implements. In the trials non-electrical plows will also be tested, so that a comparison may be made of the relative efficiency of the different systems. Only plows will be tested, as it is considered that the power could easily be applied to other implements with but slight alterations. Special attention will be paid to the conveyance of the outfits from field to field. One prize of 3,000 marks and another of 1,000 marks will be given for the best plow driven by any kind of power, and there will be a special prize for the best electrically driven plow. A piece of heavy and a piece of light land will be assigned for tilling to each competitor. Points will be given for (1) the time taken for the plowing; (2) the weight of earth moved; (3) the consumption of fuel by the motor; (4) the power consumed between the motor and the plow; (5) the cost of the plowing, including fuel, water, lubricants, attendance, repairs, interest and depreciation.

Look over the tools in good season and see that they are in a good condition for work.

OUR PROVISION TRADE.

Holland Gets the Largest Share of America's Surplus Products.

The exports of American hams amounted last year to 130,000,000 pounds, valued at $12,000,000, and 103,000,000 pounds of this total were sent to Great Britain. The other countries with which there was considerable trade in American hams were Canada, Cuba and Belgium. The exports of bacon to Europe last year amounted to 425,000,000 pounds, of the value of $33,000,000. More than three-quarters of the product was sent to the United Kingdom, and among other countries Brazil took an important place, with imports from this country of 20,000,000 pounds, Germany following with 8,000,000, Canada with 7,000,000, Cuba with 6,000,000 and France with 4,000,000.

The exportation of lard is still another important item of American commerce, amounting last year to 510,000,000 pounds, of the value of $34,000,000. In the consumption of this article of American export the supremacy of the United Kingdom is less marked than in ham and bacon, for, although 200,000 pounds, about 40 per cent. of the total, went to England, Germany was a consumer to the extent of 120,000,000, or nearly 25 per cent. of the total. France followed with 32,000,000, Cuba with 26,000,000 and Brazil with 13,000,000 pounds. In this particular item of exports, as in other items, Cuba as a market for American produce has lost its importance since the outbreak of the Cuban war, and furnishes each month a steadily diminished market.

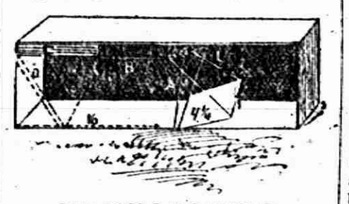
The exportation of fresh beef amounted last year to 225,000,000 pounds, of the value of $19,000,000, and substantially all of this, except an infinitesimal portion sent to the West Indies, was taken by Great Britain. In the exportation of salted beef from the United States to foreign countries one-half only was sent to the United Kingdom, the balance being distributed among West Indian islands, Germany, Canada and South American countries, the amount exported to Cuba amounting to less than $1,500 worth in a year.

A very large market for American tallow, the exportation of which increased enormously last year, was found in France, to which 8,600,000 pounds were sent. Germany took 6,700,000 pounds; the Central American states, 3,000,000, the West Indian islands, exclusive of Cuba, Porto Rico and Hayti, 1,250,000, and Mexico, 1,800,000. The United Kingdom, at the head of the list in tallow, as in other articles of produce in the provision trade, took 18,000,000 pounds, or about 40 per cent. of the total American exportation. More than two-thirds of the exports of American canned products of meats and provisions were taken by Great Britain—40,000,000 pounds of the 60,000,000 pounds exported. Germany took 7,500,000 pounds, France, 5,400,000, and Africa 1,500,000; 1,300,000 pounds were sent to Canada and 700,000 pounds to Asia and Oceanica, being the article of American commerce which, it would seem, is most widely diffused among the countries of the earth. There is, practically, no exportation of American mutton, and very little of fresh pork. The American exportation of canned salmon amounted last year to 21,000,000 pounds, and the American exportation of oysters amounts to about $600,000 a year.

BOSS RABBIT TRAP.

Sketch and Description of a Simple Yet Effective Device.

Use six-inch fencing boards or scraps of any inch lumber, but side pieces should be six inches wide. Cut four pieces six inches wide and 24 inches long; one piece six inches wide and four



THE BOSS RABBIT TRAP.

inches long for back end, making box 4x6x23 inches inside. Hang the door in front end, arrange treadle and trigger as shown, using a couple of tacks in bottom of trap for the treadle to rest against when tilted. The treadle can be taken out for repairs when needed. A and B are made of wire; door and treadle of half-inch lumber. Dotted line D shows position of door when down. E shows track of lower edge of door when lifting to position F. A couple of staples will hold wire B in position. When the rabbit steps on treadle T, it pulls the wire B out of C, letting door fall. For door hinges, use wire nails with heads cut off, and driven into edge of door. Holes made in sides with gimlet larger than nails, to work easily, and not bored quite through.—Ohio Farmer.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Charcoal is beneficial to hogs.

Care and fertilizers make the farm.

If there are any old ewes in the flock feed them ground feed.

Convert cheap grain into meat and send to market in that way.

A sheep well fed and cared for will shear more and better wool.

To make the most of it give the stock your personal attention.

Corn and oats mixed makes a better ration for sheep than corn alone.

During the winter is a good time to plan out the farm and the fencing.

Keep a watch on the stock and see that they do not become infested with lice.

Do what is necessary to be done, well, so that it will not be necessary to do over.

No animal should be kept that in some way will not pay for its food and give a profit.—Farmer's Union.

THAT LITTLE ROOM, TOP FLOOR.

Our dream came true, and we own—we two—
The beautiful home we planned
In the old glad times of the sweetest rhymes,
When I sought your fair, white hand—
When my heart's request was to build a nest,
"Next thing to Heaven!" I swore;
And it was, for oh, Love dwelt, you know,
In that little back room, top floor.

It seemeth well we here should dwell,
And settle us down and sup,
And sing our lays to the good old days
When we could not settle up.
"With thanks" came back my rhymes, alack!
And our hearts were sometimes sore
When the landlord sent for his past due rent
Of the little back room, top floor.

Like a fleeting year it seems, my dear,
But I know it was long ago,
For, your tresses now are no more fair
Than they were at the time—you know—
(The months my bride in a cold, deep pain,
I used to serve us more—
They were sold to stay the wolf away
From the little back room, top floor.

The gods have brought the gifts we sought,
For we own our vine and roof;
But my heart still strays to the strange, sweet days
When the Muses held aloof.
And my thought's fleet ship makes many a trip
To a far-off golden shore,
While I steal the themes for all my dreams
From that little back room, top floor.
—Nixon Waterman, in L. A. W. Bulletin.

SOCIETY AS IT IS.

Characters: Frank Blair, a husband; Mrs. Blair and Alan Kemble, friends; Laura Kemble, a wife.

Scene: Veranda at "Nolleys," Blair's country residence. Time: After lunch. Temperature 80 degrees in the shade. Mrs. Blair and Alan Kemble are discovered in wicker chairs.

Kemble (glancing at the tennis court)—What energy! but there, at 20, one is willing to play tennis under any conditions. Myself, I am—

Mrs. Blair (fanning herself)—I should say, 40, if you are a day.

Kemble (starting nervously, but recovering himself quickly)—I was not meditating any reference to my age, but for the sake of accuracy, if you will refer to your Browning Birthday Book, you will discover that I was 33 on the 1st of April last.

Mrs. Blair (doubtfully)—Thirty-five!

Kemble—The perfect age! In the full bloom of manly—of manhood!

Mrs. Blair—Thank you! If I desire an impression, I will consult Laura.

Kemble (hastily)—Do no such thing. No man is a hero to his—wife.

Mrs. Blair (laughing)—Look at those dear old sillies!

(Kemble looks. Sees his wife and Frank Blair through an open window; the two figures sitting at the further end of a dimly-lit room are just distinguishable. They are engaged in a game of chess.)

Mrs. Blair—I draw the line at playing chess with Blair.

Kemble—Chess is Laura's pet nuisance.

Mrs. Blair—Nuisance?

Kemble—Yes, it is a cultivated vice. I do not play myself, but being a perfect husband—

Mrs. Blair—A man who periodically realizes that a wife may possibly have a wish she would like gratified.

Kemble (treating the remark with the contempt he thinks it deserves)—But, being a perfect husband, I do not care that she shall pine away for want of her favorite recreation. This is the sole reason of my coming to the "Nolleys" so often.

Mrs. Blair—You mean it is why I tolerate the frequency of your visits. We are of mutual assistance to one another.

Kemble—Exactly.

Mrs. Blair—"A week's chess for Frank" scribbled on my mental diary completely subdues any feeling that he may have been hurt by my—

Kemble (murmuring)—Neglect.

Mrs. Blair (frowning)—Compulsory attendance to the demands of social life.

Kemble (enthusiastically)—And Laura, she is such a quiet little thing, with perfect simplicity of taste! She cares little for the glamor of a London season, much preferring her country home, and completely happy in the society of her—

Mrs. Blair (quickly)—Now, Frank, he would positively go nowhere unless I made—unless he thought it would give me pleasure.

Kemble (who wanted to have finished his sentence)—I wonder what a man of his disposition saw in you?

Mrs. Blair—Probably what a man generally sees in the woman he falls head over ears in love with.

Kemble—In that case, nothing; his powers of perception are temporarily removed.

Mrs. Blair (with a becoming blush)—You cannot expect me to fathom the mystery.

Kemble—I suppose not. Anyhow, you are fortunate; he is a good chess player.

Mrs. Blair—How should I know? I have only played a few games with him—soon after we met.

Kemble—Ah! I remember your infatuation for the game that week; the next you were engaged.

Mrs. Blair (thinking it is time to change the subject)—Frank thinks Laura a sensible woman.

Kemble—I have a fairly good opinion of her myself.

Mrs. Blair—And it is so convenient that they agree so well; the old dears are simply started with chess, a microscope or cribbage, and we are left entirely free to—

Kemble—Discuss politics.

Mrs. Blair—And the agricultural question. Not one little bit of anxiety. I can even have girls like Alma Stafford in the house.

Kemble—Yes. Laura and Blair give absurdly little trouble.

Mrs. Blair (thoughtfully)—They would not have been badly matched.

Kemble—Ridiculous! Married people should never be of a similar temperament. They would wish to be always together. When is a woman to know what perfect freedom is unless it is when she is married?

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 1st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rachel Gallatin administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the statute in such case made and provided, that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
A. E. Farnsworth, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886 Samuel Lauzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Adrian, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith C. Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 586.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($ 31 51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage the premises above and in said mortgage described, or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the east front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS Mortgagee.
G. R. GILLESPIE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Give young trees good protection and good cultivation.

The safest plan is to plant a few fruit trees every year.

When not mulched, the winter is a good time to manure all kinds of small fruits.

In the winter when the ground is frozen hard is the best time to transplant large trees.

Feed the trees and fruit plants with an application of manure or wood ashes scattered evenly.

The demand now is for quality rather than quantity in all kinds of farm products, especially fruits.

Use wood ashes in the orchard or coal ashes on heavy clay land. Both are too valuable to be allowed to go to waste.

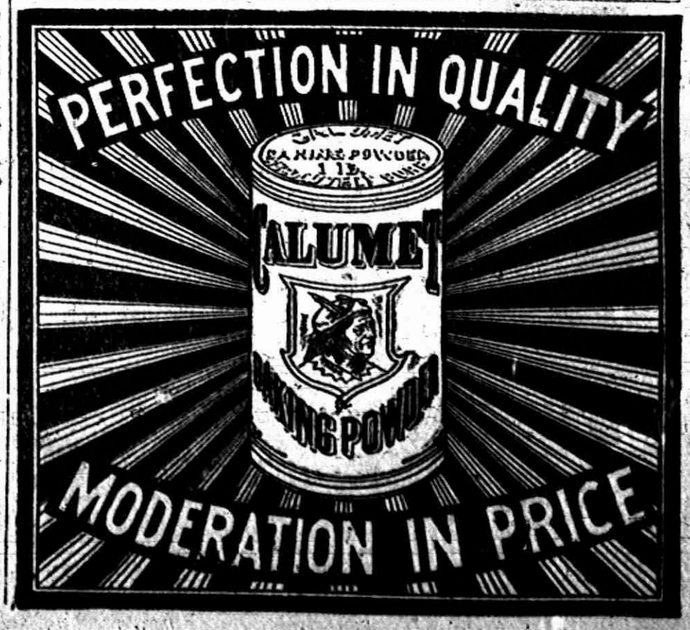
In pruning, cut close to the body of the tree, cut smoothly and then cover the wound with some kind of paint or varnish.

It is claimed that, as a rule, varieties of strawberries that have the most vigorous and healthy foliage are the least productive.

There are few if any kinds of fruit more easily raised or more highly prized than the different varieties of raspberries. By planting in rows sufficiently far apart to cultivate they can be grown with very little trouble.—St. Louis Republic.

Starting an Osage Hedge.

A hedge is both useful and ornamental, and also adds value to the farm. In starting a hedge, it should be protected by a fence until the plants have become of sufficient height to turn stock. Osage orange, with its prongs, can be made to keep the smallest animals out of a field if it is properly attended to during the first three years of its growth. The plants should be cut back severely, or partially cut, and the branches interwoven, a process which is tedious but necessary if a close hedge is desired. The only objection to hedges is the fact that they "draw" the land and require trimming every year, but they are cheaper than fences and will last for many years.



STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 1st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rachel Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rachel Gallatin administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the statute in such case made and provided, that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
A. E. Farnsworth, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William J. Arnold and Caroline Arnold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 21, 1891 and recorded on the 20th day of May, 1891, in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 99, of Mortgages on page 188—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty seven and 58-100 dollars ($ 1457 58) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum, the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county, Michigan, (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point to the south line of Chicago street, in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a lot formerly owned by T. F. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet, thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. F. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. F. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell, Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5 of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the Saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide both and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the Saline and Tecumseh road so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 18 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 5, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

Reserving all the growing wheat on all the lands above described with right to harvest and remove the same.

Dated January 8, 1897.

CLARIBEL PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee holden at the Probate office in the City of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David VanTyne deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lewis Price of VanTyne, a son of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, the executor named in said instrument or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
A. E. Farnsworth, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 31 1892, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 109 of Mortgages on page 312 on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 8-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

BEET-SUGAR INDUSTRY

Governor Pingree Thinks Michigan Should Try It.

WOULD MAKE MUCH MONEY BY IT.

What the Governor Said on the Subject a Few Days Ago to Our Lansing Correspondent—Barbers of the State Want Legislation—Lee's Bill for the Execution of Murderers by Electricity—Other News of Interest from Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 18.—Governor Pingree is very much interested in the bills providing a bounty for beet sugar of Michigan production. He believes that the bounty is the proper way of getting this industry started, and has no doubt whatever that it will be a great thing for Michigan. He is convinced that there is money in it, and says that the state that makes the start is the one that will reap the greatest benefit. He is not altogether sure that this sugar beet industry does not afford a solution for the much-vexed convict labor problem. In conversation with your correspondent a few days ago he said:

"Wouldn't it be a good thing for the state to set the ball rolling by establishing a beet sugar plant. Let it be located in the heart of that section of the state which needs developing and which promises the best returns in the way of sugar beets. The farmers would then have a sure market for their crops and would be encouraged to make their land yield the best possible returns. What if a beet sugar plant does cost several hundred thousand dollars? It would be a permanent and growing investment. Not only that, but it would pave the way for a permanent and growing industry which has never been tried by the farmers of Michigan, and would cause worthless lands to yield handsome returns. My experience has been that the people never kick on the outlay of money in the way of permanent investments which are sure to yield good returns. It is the frivolous and useless expenditures that they protest against.

The Purchase of Belle Isle.

"I have had nearly eight years' experience in Detroit, and make this statement advisedly. Take the purchase of Belle Isle, for instance. That cost us $381,191. That's a big sum of money, but the people of Detroit would not sell the island for $10,000,000. Even as times are now we could get $5,000,000 for it, enough to pay the entire bonded indebtedness of the city and leave us a balance of $1,500,000. Not a very bad investment was it? And yet some people howled when it was made. You don't hear any howl now, though. So it would be with the beet sugar factory, in my opinion. If the state established such a plant it would not only provide the convicts with work in which they would not compete greatly with free labor, but the farmers would be furnished with a market for their crops at a good price.

"I believe in the convict farm idea, too. That was mentioned in my message to the legislature. There is no reason why these convicts could not be set to work farming in stockades. Let them build the stockades out of logs or lumber just as the prison stockades were built during the war. I was in two of them for a long time and I know something about them. Then when it was not the proper season for farming, the convicts could replace the temporary stockades with overhanging brick walls, and we would have something permanent. We build at all seasons of the year now, winter as well as summer, and there is no reason why this building could not be done when it is too cold to farm.

Best Work for Convicts.

"The state has use for all the farm produce the convicts would raise, so that competition with the farmer would be reduced to a minimum. They might do a good deal of experimenting in the way of raising various crops not now raised in Michigan, and give the Michigan farmer the benefit of the experience thus gained. This would have a tendency to raise the standard of farming in Michigan, and with such a raise would come better prices for the better produce. People have always got to depend on the farms for what they put in their stomachs. There is nothing temporary about the farming industry, and for this reason it is one of the very best kinds of work the convicts can be put at."

Again, referring to the sugar beet industry, Governor Pingree mentioned the marvelous growth of the industry in Germany, France and other foreign countries where the annual production of beet sugar has assumed enormous proportions. He expressed himself in favor of paying a bounty of 1 cent per pound for all beet sugar manufactured in Michigan, such payment, however, to cease whenever the congress shall provide a bounty for the country generally. He also thought it might be well to fix in the bill the minimum price per ton Michigan farmers should be paid for their sugar beets.

The committee on state affairs in the house has reported a substitute for the Dudley beet sugar bill. The substitute provides a bounty of 1 cent per pound to manufacturers, $5,000 being appropriated for this purpose for each of the ensuing two years. The bill also provides a minimum price of $4 per ton to be paid to Michigan farmers for their beets.

Barbers Want Legislation.

The barbers of the state are after legislation this year. Two years ago a number of Detroit barbers came out here and secured the enactment of a law requiring that all barber shops be kept open on Sunday. Now the same fellows are sick of their bargain and want the law repealed. The indications are, however, that they will have to get along with the law as it is. Another tonsorial proposition calls for the creation of a state commission to be composed of three members to be appointed by the governor. This is to be known as the state tonsorial commission. The bill provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for any person to shave or cut hair for pay in Michigan who does not hold a certificate from the commission to the effect that he is qualified to do this work. The fee for a certificate is $5. By the terms of the bill the commission is to have sole power to determine the qualifications necessary, and may require the applicant for a license to undergo such an examination as it sees fit to prescribe. This bill was indorsed by the Michigan Federation of Labor at its annual meeting held here in December.

Execution by Electricity.

The fact that there are nearly 100 life convicts being supported by the taxpayers of Michigan led Representative Lee of Lapeer to give notice early in the session of a bill prescribing death by electricity for persons convicted of murder in the first degree. Mr. Lee has been ill at his home for the past fortnight and for this reason the bill has not yet been introduced. It doubtless will be, however, before the constitutional limit of fifty days provided for the introduction of bills expires on the 25th inst. There is no reason to believe that the bill will pass. Some ten years ago the late Congressman Ford of Grand Rapids, who was then a member of the legislature, succeeded in getting a hanging bill through the house, but it was killed in the senate. That is the nearest this state has ever come in over two score years to killing its citizens who are found guilty of murder in the first degree. Such a bill has been introduced at nearly every session since then, but the number of its supporters diminished rather than increased. Representative Chamberlain, who led the opposition to the bill two years ago, is of the same opinion still, and says that the Lee bill will be promptly killed. It will probably be news to most of the citizens of Michigan, as it was to me, that this state has never, by an act of the legislature, abolished capital punishment. The popular idea for years has been that this mode of punishment was abolished by law years ago, but such is not the case. The statute still provides that when a person is sentenced to death he shall be dispatched by hanging, and the death penalty is still provided for persons convicted of treason. It appears that the only abolishing that has been done is that the revision of the laws in 1846 simply left the provision that death should be by hanging, but neglected to provide that such penalty should be visited upon other than persons convicted of treason. Chief Clerk Miller, who has just completed the compilation of the laws of Michigan provided for by the last legislature is authority for the statement that Michigan has never repealed the death penalty.

All Kinds of Bills.

The constitutional limit within which bills may be introduced will expire on the 24th inst., and the indications are that the record of two years ago will be equalled if not surpassed. The bills thus far introduced cover pretty much everything imaginable, but there is yet plenty of time for the appearance of any number of measures which the ordinary individual has not yet even dreamed of.

It is a fact, too, that unless the legislators make a spurt the present session will last well along into the summer, for it must be admitted that no considerable amount of business has been accomplished thus far. The members generally concede that the record is not one which they can "point to with pride," and Uncle Ben Colvin, the white-haired member from Saginaw, very forcibly informed his fellow members in open session a few days since that if they continued to sit there and squander the people's money by doing nothing, it would not be very long "before one-half of us will be in jail and the balance in the poor house."

The Liquor Question.

Both sides propose to have an inning on the liquor question, but there is every reason for believing that the anti-saloon element will be able to carry whatever measures they determine to put through. A number of restrictive measures are in the course of preparation, but none have yet been introduced. One of these provides for a uniform tax of $750, which would be an increase of $500 over the present tax. Another will propose a tax ranging from $500 to $750 according to the population of the place in which the business is carried on, and the closing of saloons in all parts of the state at 9 o'clock at night. Then there will be the anti-saloon league bill to extend the provisions of the local option law to cities, townships and wards. On the other hand the saloon men have had notice of bills permitting them to secure bondsmen anywhere within the county, instead of being restricted to the city or township as by the present law; also to permit them to keep their places of business open on all except religious holidays. The days they most desire to do business are Fourth of July and Labor day. It hardly seems probable from the make up of the two houses, more especially the lower house, that the liquor men will be able to secure any concessions whatever.

Consternation Among Candidates.

The action of President Cleveland in signing the order abolishing the Detroit pension agency caused considerable consternation here where each of the numerous candidates for pension agent had friends working in his interests. These candidates were ex-Senator O. A. Janes of Hillsdale; Gad Smith of Marquette, George W. Crawford of Big Rapids, Colonel William A. Gavett of Detroit. Ex-Auditor General Stanley W. Turner was also frequently mentioned in connection with the office. Several of the candidates had friends among the legislators industriously securing signatures to a petition in their behalf, but this work ceased abruptly when the president's order was published. These candidates are now very much in the situation of the group of small boys who were watching a more fortunate youngster as he disposed of a very large apple. After they had begged for bites, without success, until all hope of securing them had vanished, they united in an appeal that they be given the core, but were waved aside by the young autocrat who gave them to distinctly understand that "there ain't going to be no core."

There is much speculation as to whether President McKinley will revoke his predecessor's order with reference to the pension agencies. Those who hope that he will point to the fact that President Harrison established a precedent by revoking Cleveland's order discontinuing the agency at Augusta, Me. The consensus of opinion, however, is that the present order will be permitted to stand, the plea that it is in the interest of economy being too strong to ignore under existing financial conditions.

JAMES V. BARRY.

BITS OF INFORMATION.

Interesting Gossip from All Sections of Michigan.

Hart sends out a report that peach buds of the early varieties have been killed in that vicinity.

Veen Marvin, a woodsman of McBain, was killed by a falling tree, leaving a widow and one child.

An insane patient at the Pontiac asylum, aged 42 years, committed suicide by hanging himself with a pair of suspenders.

Constable Lawyer, who shot and killed Farmer White, near Hopperton, Allegan county, was exonerated by the coroner's jury.

State Oil Inspector McMillan reports the net receipts of his office at $11,623.75. The inspection was 25,900 gallons less than in 1895.

Kalamazoo celery growers propose to form a combination to lessen competition by refusing to sell young plants to growers outside their district.

A seven-year-old son of Charles Grennell, a farmer of Pine Lake, Ingham county, died suddenly. There is suspicion of poison and the stomach has been sent to Ann Arbor for analysis.

The citizens of Grand Marais desire to form a new county to be named after Gov. Pingree. The proposed district would inclose Grand Marais, Seney, Germfask and Deere Park. It would have 3,500 people, and comprise portions of Alger, Luce and Schoolcraft counties.

Many Berrien county farmers and growers of small fruits are planning to engage in the extensive culture of melons for the city market this season. One grower last year raised 50 acres of Osage melons and shipped over 10,000 crates to Chicago at a higher profit than is made on many other kinds of fruit.

There is no cloud without its silver lining. The Grand river has been overflowing its banks and causing much anxiety to the citizens of Portland for some time past, but it has, in doing so, given the river front such a thorough cleaning as it has not had for many years, carrying away all kinds of rubbish which has been accumulating.

Hostile to Silver Democrats.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 16.—Chairman W. K. Shelby, of the sound money democratic state committee, issued a formal call for the state convention in this city March 3 Monday, and it is stated that all voters in sympathy with true democracy and the Indianapolis platform will be entitled to seats. It is expected the attendance will be large, and the national chairman, W. D. Bynum, will deliver an address. The call is thoroughly hostile to the silver democracy, and says: "In our ranks is the place for every man who wants to be considered a democrat; and does not not want to become a populist."

Well-Known Lady Dead.

Manistee, Feb. 11.—At 2:30 Wednesday afternoon Evelyn Peters, wife of Hon. Richard G. Peters, of this city, died after a sickness of several years. Mrs. Peters was 64 years old last summer. Her life was almost entirely devoted to benevolence and charity, her influence and work having been very powerful in the works of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, of which organization she was an active and honored member. Evelyn hall at Bay View and Union hall in this city are monuments of her generosity.

Queer Cave Discovered.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 12.—Harvey Wolf discovered a cave about ten miles southeast of here while hunting. It is eight feet square and five feet deep and contains evidences of having been used as the abode of men many years ago. In one corner fires had been built, there being an opening in one corner beside the nearly covered place of entrance. There were queer pottery and cans in the den. It had probably been the home of mound builders. A cherry tree had grown in the earth that covered the cave.

Appropriations for Michigan.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 12. — The house committee on appropriations has finished the sundry civil appropriation bill for the next fiscal year. Michigan appropriations are: Two thousand dollars for an additional Range light, Grand Marais harbor; completing two revenue steamers on the great lakes, $200,000; completing the improvement of the channel connecting the great lakes, $1,000,000; improving the waterways from Keweenaw bay to Lake Superior, $400,000.

Will Escape Trial.

Decatur, Feb. 13.—The case against ex-Cashier John L. Kleckner, of the broken Citizens' bank at Edwardsburg, for alleged embezzlement of $15,600, has been dropped by the directors on his bondsmen paying $7,000. The stockholders will be assessed $9,000 to pay depositors in full.

Congratulate Alger.

Detroit, Feb. 16.—Gen. and Mrs. R. A. Alger were tendered a reception at the Detroit club Monday evening in honor of the general's appointment as member of the cabinet. The leading people of the city joined in the congratulations offered.

Famous Infidel Dead.

Buchanan, Feb. 12.—Joseph Coveney, an old resident, aged 92, died Thursday. Coveney was famous as an infidel, having erected a $3,000 monument in the cemetery here covered with inscriptions that caused great excitement at the time.

Centenarian Frozen to Death.

Decatur, Feb. 15.—Mrs. James Nuby, 104 years old, was found frozen to death at her home in Arlington township, where she had lived alone for nearly 50 years. She was supposed to be the oldest person in southwestern Michigan.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 12. — L. W. Prague, of Greenville, has been brought out as a candidate for department commander of the G. A. R., and this boom will be actively pushed from now on.

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Miss Addie Smith says: I was sick for many years, my case was known for miles around, was helped to Doctor Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration.

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Mr. Wm. Redman says also, that he had been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catrrrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Mr. Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

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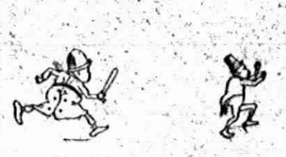

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FAVORS REFORM.

Bill to Adopt Civil Service Methods in This State.

A Synopsis of Its Provisions—Fight Between the Governor and Senate Continues—Pingree Will Not Withdraw Luce's Name.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, Feb. 22.—A civil service bill has been presented in the house. It will affect all cities of over 20,000 population and all counties of over 100,000 population. It provides for a nonpartisan state civil service commission to consist of three members, appointive by the governor and to be confirmed by the senate, each to draw a salary of $2,000 per year and expenses. The commission and governor are to draft rules for classifying the service, and it is made the duty of the commission to as rapidly as possible bring all offices, places and employments in the public service into the classified service. The bill exempts from the service elective officers, officers confirmed by the senate, the heads of any principal department and their deputies and secretary and stenographer of the governor and mayors. An appropriation of $10,000 is asked for the carrying out of the law.

Gov. Pingree has won the first round in his fight with the senate over his nominations, two of his appointees having been confirmed. The vote was far from unanimous and the discussion in executive session was heated and protracted. The nominations confirmed were Fred H. Case, of Three Rivers, as inspector-general, and A. C. Bird, of Oakland, as member of the state board of agriculture. Two more nominations are still hung up and Gov. Pingree in an open letter has refused to act on the suggestion that he withdraw the nomination of ex-Gov. Luce for a place on the prison board. He says Luce's exceptional qualifications are conceded and that they are in no wise impaired by his position on the silver question. He proposes to force the senate to act on the nomination.

The fight between the governor and the senate has been further intensified by the introduction of a bill requiring the executive to send in his nominations to fill vacancies during the legislative session. If such nominations are not made before the final adjournment of the legislature the incumbents are to continue in office until the next session. It is believed that Gov. Pingree has decided to wait until after the senate adjourns, and then to name Prof. Bemis, formerly of the University of Chicago, to be commissioner of labor.

A large number of new bills are directed at corporations. One of them seeks to repeal the special charters of the Michigan Central and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad companies, and another provides for the taxation of express companies, the rate being one dollar on each $100 of gross earnings in Michigan.

A special committee of five will be appointed by the house to investigate and report on complaints of violation of the law governing freight charges by railroad companies. Correspondence has been had with aggrieved shippers and the committee will go into the subject thoroughly.

Bills making sweeping reductions in official salaries have been noticed in the senate. They make a cut of $1,000 a year in the salaries of supreme justices, and from $300 to $500 in those of the heads of bureaus and deputy state officials. The maximum salary of department clerks is fixed at $720, a reduction of $280. A proportionate reduction is proposed in the pay of employes of the house and senate. A still further saving is sought to be made by a board which provides that during the next two years no state publications, except the laws of the present session and the red book, shall be printed.

A bill was introduced into the lower house of the legislature Friday morning by Representative Peters, of Ishpeming, which, if it passes, will enable the pugilists to pull off their mills in Michigan. It legalizes fighting with five-ounce gloves under the auspices of athletic clubs in buildings owned by the club, or which they have occupied for one year.

The latest freak bill to find its way before the legislature was introduced Tuesday night by Representative Donovan. It provides for a tax on bachelors, who are required to pay a tax of $25 a year for the ten years between the ages of 35 and 45.

A bill for the purpose of wiping out department stores has been introduced in the house. It classifies the lines of business which may be carried on in one establishment and groups certain classifications which may be included in department stores. These are to pay a license fee of $500 a year, and a heavy penalty is provided for violations of the law relative to the lines of goods that may be handled.

A proposition has been made to amend the constitution so as to make the regents of the university subject to legislative direction. At present the board cannot be coerced to act in any matter against its judgment.

Among the bills noticed or introduced in the legislature last week were the following:

Providing for a state board of health commission; providing a license fee for persons operating threshing machines; providing for examination of all corporations by the commissioner of banking; prohibiting killing deer in the lower peninsula; prohibiting pool selling; prohibiting the practice of vivisection; providing a bicycle corps of the Michigan national guard, to be armed with rifles; providing for the enactment of the Georgia anti-trust law; amending the liquor law so that saloons may be kept open on all holidays except Thanksgiving day and Christmas, and empowering councils of cities to fix the hours during which saloons may do business anywhere from four o'clock in the morning until 12:30 at night; amending liquor law, making retail license $750 and wholesale license $1,500, to provide that no person employed in a newspaper office shall be compelled to disclose source of information; to provide for the display of United States flags over school buildings; to prohibit the keeping open of photograph galleries on Sunday; to provide for the inspection of trees, shrubs, vines, etc., imported from other states; to prohibit the shooting or hunting of wild game on Sunday and providing for a penalty therefor.

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REPUBLICANS MEET.

The Convention at Detroit Nominates a Ticket.

Detroit, Feb. 24.—More than 1,000 delegates were present when Chairman Ferry rapped to order the state republican convention on Tuesday, called to nominate a justice of the supreme court and two regents of the university. Chairman Ferry introduced Gen. R. A. Alger as temporary chairman. The next secretary of war was greeted with great enthusiasm. He urged Michigan republicans to set the pace and make a mark in this state election for coming elections.

After adoption of the report of the committee on credentials Tuesday afternoon the resolutions committee reported briefly, congratulating the country on the victory of last November, reaffirming the last national platform and reasserting that the triumph of republican principles would restore the country to that condition of prosperity which it always enjoyed under republican supremacy. The resolutions also commended the present state administration.

Judge Long, of the supreme court, was renominated by acclamation, as was also W. J. Cocker, of Adrian, for regent of the University of Michigan.

The struggle of the day came on the nomination of a second regent of the university. There were several very warm nominating and seconding speeches. The advocates of the re-election of Regent Barbour, a gold democrat, argued that since their candidate last year sacrificed political preferment to follow the banner of McKinley, and since he had rendered distinguished service to the university, he should be the convention's choice. They asserted that the republican party, at this time especially, could afford to be generous to a gentleman of undoubted talent who was willing to run upon the St. Louis platform.

The other speakers declared that they were sent there as republicans to nominate republicans. They opposed fusion in any form and declared that if patriotism had, in the cases of some democrats, risen above partisanship it was commendable, but that such virtue should be its own reward. It was asserted that if the new congress did its duty such men would be opposed to its action and six months hence might be fighting the republicans.

The candidates named were: Levi L. Barbour, Detroit; E. D. Nelson, Ironwood; Joseph R. McLaughlin, Detroit; James M. Wilkinson, Marquette, and Charles D. Lawton, of Van Buren county.

The first vote by counties resulted: Barbour, 372; Nelson, 154; McLaughlin, 247; Wilkinson, 132; Lawton, 189; necessary to a choice, 548. The second ballot gave Barbour, 362; Nelson, 70; McLaughlin, 303; Wilkinson, 40; Lawton, 301. The third ballot narrowed the contest to Lawton and McLaughlin, but the former made such gains that all the delegates went over to him and Lawton was declared the unanimous nominee.

Before adjournment resolutions were enthusiastically adopted thanking President-elect McKinley for Gen. Alger's appointment to the cabinet.

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN.

Meeting of the State League of Republican Clubs.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 23.—The Michigan League of Republican clubs held its annual convention at the Cadillac hotel here Monday afternoon, about 300 delegates being present. The report of Secretary Meginnity showed that at the present time there were 349 clubs in the Michigan league, with a membership of 30,000. The following officers were elected: President, E. N. Dingley, of Kalamazoo; vice president, Grant Fellows, of Hudson; treasurer, Frank S. Waite, of Sturgis; secretary, Bingley R. Fales, of Detroit. Delegates to the National League of Republican clubs were also elected by districts.

Editors at a Banquet.

Detroit, Feb. 24.—Michigan editors were handsomely entertained Tuesday night by a banquet tendered them by the proprietors of the Hotel Cadillac. An exquisite menu was served. Over 500 members of the Michigan Press association and ladies, with many other Detroit newspaper men, enjoyed the dinner. Theodore E. Quinby, editor of the Free Press, was the toastmaster, and there was a long list of responses, including an impromptu response by Judge Albion W. Tourgee, of New York.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The sixth continental congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution met in this city yesterday with nearly 4,000 delegates present.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Closing Session of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Measures of Importance Presented in Both the Senate and House—A Daily Summary of the Proceedings.

Washington, Feb. 18.—The immigration bill now goes to the president, the last legislative step having been taken in the senate yesterday by an agreement to the conference report on the bill. It adds to the classes of excluded aliens all persons over 16 years of age who cannot read the English language or some other language—except that admissible immigrants may bring with them, or send for, illiterate parents or grandparents (over 50 years of age), wives and minor children. It also prohibits from employment on public works aliens who come regularly or habitually into the United States for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical trade or manual labor, and who have not made declaration of intention to become American citizens. A favorable report was made on the bill to prevent conspiracies to blacklist. The credentials of Senator Morrill (rep., Vt.) for his sixth senatorial term from the 4th of March next were placed on file.

Washington, Feb. 19.—In the senate yesterday the bill to extend the use of the mail service, providing for using a patent postal card and envelope with coupons attached, was passed, and the arbitration bill was further discussed. A motion to postpone further action until March 5 was offered by Senator Nelson, but no action was taken.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The open session of the senate yesterday lasted for only half an hour. Two conference reports on pension bills were agreed to—one giving $50 a month to the widow of Gen. Stoneman, and the other $75 a month to Gen. Julius H. Stahl. In executive session the arbitration treaty was discussed, but no result was accomplished beyond voting down a motion to postpone further consideration of the treaty until March 5.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The Indian appropriation bill was discussed in the senate on Saturday, but no action was taken. A resolution offered by Senator Cameron (rep., Pa.) extending sympathy to the government of Greece in its intervention to free the people of Crete "from the tyranny of foreign oppressors, and to restore peace, with the blessing of Christian civilization, to that distressed island," was unanimously adopted.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The annual senatorial observance of Washington's birthday by having his farewell address read took place yesterday in the presence of a large audience, Senator Daniel (Va.) being the reader. The remainder of the day was occupied in the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, which was not concluded at the time of adjournment.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The senate made slow progress yesterday on the appropriation bills, disposing of only one item of the Indian bill. A resolution was adopted asking the president for information as to the death of Dr. Ruiz at Guanabacoa, Cuba.

The House.

Washington, Feb. 18.—In the house yesterday the conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was adopted.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The general deficiency bill ($8,438,937) was reported in the house yesterday. In the case of Hopkins vs. Kendall, from the Tenth district of Kentucky, Hopkins, the republican contestant, was seated.

Washington, Feb. 20.—In the house yesterday the time was occupied in discussing the general deficiency bill. At the evening session private pension bills were considered.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The time was spent in the house on Saturday in discussion of the general deficiency bill, which was not finished. A favorable report was made on the senate bill for an international monetary conference.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The house passed the general deficiency appropriation bill yesterday and began the consideration of the last of the money bills, that providing for the naval establishment, 16 of the 48 pages being completed.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Most of the session of the house yesterday was spent in consideration of the naval appropriation bill. A bill was passed, after several members had declared the civil service law a humbug, giving the governors of territories the power to remove as well as to appoint certain territorial officers. A resolution was introduced directing the president to demand of the Spanish authorities in Cuba the immediate restoration to liberty of every American citizen, native born or naturalized, now imprisoned by them in the island of Cuba.

Independence Only.

New York, Feb. 24.—Salvator Cisneros, president of the provisional government of the Cubans, says that the war in Cuba can only be [illegible] the basis of independence of an independent [illegible] the "

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CLINTON.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Riley, a son, Monday night.

L. W. Kimball was on the sick list the first of the week.

Ralph Kishpaugh spent Sunday with his parents in Britton.

Mrs. M. C. Reeves was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday morning.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester over Sunday.

Miller & Melde, of Toledo, were in town Friday, on business.

J. B. Hause spent a few days in Jackson the last of the week.

Andrew McDermott, Jr., was a Detroit visitor Thursday of last week.

Sam Larzelere and wife drove to Grass Lake Friday for a few days' visit.

Fred Hall, of Manchester, was calling on Clinton friends Saturday afternoon.

Richmond, Gadd & Hogan made a large shipment of lambs and hogs Monday.

Miss Nellie Kishpaugh visited Dundee relatives from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. M. J. Cook and Mrs. L. Gray were Tecumseh visitors Monday afternoon.

Miss Lina Jones visited her parents at Manchester between trains last Thursday.

Chub Mensing, of Toledo, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lancaster.

Mrs. Alma Tate entertains another company of ladies at her home tonight with pedro.

Miss Bertie Johnston was the guest of Miss Maggie Riley, east of town, over Sunday.

Miss Sara Huntington, with a school friend from Adrian college, was home over Sunday.

C. S. Burroughs was in Clinton the first of the week and attended the party Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. F. Clark returned Friday night from a visit of three days with friends in Adrian.

George H. Remark and family have moved into the rooms over Smith, Richmond & Co's bank.

Mrs. W. E. Kimball went to Detroit Monday, expecting to remain several days for medical treatment.

Herman Bailey and wife and George Rogers and wife now occupy the Boyd house on Mill street, jointly.

Miss Alberta Bunnell attended the ball at Tecumseh Friday night and was the guest of Miss Viola Shull.

Don Taylor, who is a member for the Tate Flow Company, at Albion, came home Tuesday for a short visit.

Master Wallace Case, of Manchester, visited his sister, Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh, from Friday afternoon until Monday.

Winnie and Mae Waterhouse were home from Ypsilanti to spend Washington's anniversary with their parents.

The junior C. E. society will hold a social in the Congregational church parlors Friday evening, February 26th.

Mrs. J. W. Bradner entertained a company of lady friends with pedro at her cosy home on east Chicago street Friday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Holmes and Mrs. J. B. Hause went to Palmyra Friday, called there by the death of Mrs. Holmes' sister, Mrs. John Henry.

Ralph Halladay was given a pleasant surprise last Friday night when a number of his school friends gathered to spend the evening at his home.

F. D. Lancaster has been obliged to use a cane for the past ten days in consequence of a crick in the back, which has been a grevious trial to him.

Mesdames H. R. Hause, D. Monroe, E. S. Tate, Misses Eva Shimman, Floy Avery, Nellie Kishpaugh, and Messrs. F. E. and C. F. Kimball, attended by the Royal Bell ... evening.

Mrs. ...

Miss Minnie Humphrey came up from Toledo Tuesday to attend the closing hop and remained for a brief visit with friends.

Chauncey Ogden has at last been able to lay aside his cane and hopes to resume his place in the mill Monday. He has had a tedious time of it but will come out all right.

Orville Barnes, of Chicago, occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church Sunday, both morning and evening. He remained for a few days' visit with his parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Ames, of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ames, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank FitzGerald, of Brooklyn, were entertained by H. D. Niblack and wife from Saturday until Tuesday.

The remains of Mrs. John Henry who died at her home in Palmyra last Friday, were brought here Tuesday for interment. She was formerly Jane Lazell, born and raised just north of town, and for many years after her marriage this was her home. She had a large circle of warm friends who deeply sympathize with the husband and daughter in their bereavement. The funeral was held Sunday, at Palmyra. A large company of relatives and friends accompanied the remains and were met at the station by a throng of friends of long ago to pay the last token of respect to her whom they loved so well.

FRANKLIN.

Clarence Wisner returned to Jackson Monday.

Aunt Anna Allen was ninety seven years old on the 10th inst.

Aunt Emily Whelan has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fisk Beebe.

Mrs. L. Billington and Miss Nina Allen drove to Ypsilanti Friday.

Carl Wisner came home from Ann Arbor Thursday, returning Monday.

People afflicted with asthma have been having a particularly hard time for two weeks past.

The six members of the eighth grade class of the Center school will take the examination at Tecumseh Saturday.

Now is the time to look out for the adult carpet bug. You will find him where you found the carpet bug last summer; a tiny beetle scarce larger than the bug. You'll think he's a speck of dust; he is nearly round, the body being decidedly flat; in color, spotted, black, white and red. We know him, for we have had him under our eye from infancy to maturity. Yes, he can fly, having the true wings under the shelly wing cases of the beetle.

From the circular of the Michigan Mutual Tornado and Cyclone Insurance Co. we learn that their assessable capital is $14,977,250 09; that the amount of property at risk December 31st of the previous year was $9,515,761.00 and the amount added during present year $5,019,159.00. The company have paid during the past year $4,034 26 in losses, the heaviest one, $1,550 00, being paid to Theodore Cook, Calhoun county, for damage to house and barn.

EAST FRANKLIN.

The roads are slushy and rough by turns.

Wilber Denning and wife, of Adrian, visited at Clark Payne's last Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Taylor, who is working in Adrian, spent Sunday and Monday at home.

Quite a number of Franklin people went to Tecumseh Monday night to hear the Royal bell ringers.

A good time is reported by those present at the North Lyceum held at Geo. DePuy's last Friday night.

The T. and F. Farmers' Club held an interesting meeting at the home of Martin Updyke last Friday evening. The next meeting meeting will be at Mr. A. Haire's.

Not long ago Clark Payne took a bath. He went to the woods to clean the snow off the ice pond and did not notice that the snow covered up the space made by previous ice cutters, and thinking he was on safe ice, stepped off into about ... ee feet of water.

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A HOPELESS CASE.

BY CLARA MULHOLLAND.

"It will pinch me sore, Lydia," said Mr. Waddilove, sadly. "Things are in a bad way with me just now, and it will be a great expense."

"We must make sacrifices sometimes for the sake of our children, James," replied his wife, severely. "I wonder you could hesitate for a moment."

"Do you? Well, don't, and I can't see the necessity for such a move. Why shouldn't the girls be happy at home? Why should they require a season in London? What good will it do them?"

"Had I not spent those two months in town with Aunt Susan long ago, James, I'd never have met you."

"Humph," he granted, "how do you know? You were my fate. I'd have met you somehow."

Mrs. Waddilove shrugged her shoulders and smiled; then, folding her arms upon her lap, sighed heavily.

"I'm not a believer in fate. I put my faith on opportunity."

"Well, who knows, an opportunity may arise."

"Here? In this quiet country place, where no man comes from year end to year end? Impossible. Miriam and Selina are 23 and 22. They are pretty, fair, attractive girls, but their youth is passing, and if they go on as they are doing, they must live and die unknown and unsought. We shall have three old maids to provide for—"

"Poor little Madge, too. Well, you do look far ahead. The child is barely 18."

"O," with a quick decision, "she is a hopeless case. A plain girl like Madge is as well in the country as in town. Fate or opportunity would do little for her. But the others are different."

"Very," he said, grimly. "So you would not take Madge to London?"

"Of course not. She will keep house and look after you."

"Yet she would enjoy the theaters and the various sights. At 18—"

"It would be a waste of money to take Madge, and she is quite happy at home."

He smiled, and the expression of his face changed; his eyes grew soft and tender.

"Thank God, yes. And Madge and I will be very happy together."

"She was always your favorite; so it's a good thing you are not likely to lose her."

"Yes," thoughtfully, "and yet, if anyone came to know her and her sweet, bright nature, he—"

"Don't be afraid. Sweet natures don't count for much nowadays. Beauty or money is a necessity. As Madge has neither—"

"Poor little girl. Then the love of her old father must suffice. When do you think of going?"

"At once," Mrs. Waddilove cried, rejoiced to find him give in so easily. "Lady Grantley has a ball on Thursday, Mrs. Townley one on the following Monday, and more are sure to turn up. As soon as Miriam and Selina are seen invitations will pour in. They will both be engaged before the end of the season, of that I am certain."

II.

The Manor house was flooded with sunshine. Every window was wide open, and every room full of the scent of roses, the perfume of new mown hay.

Mrs. Waddilove and her two handsome daughters, Miriam and Selina, had been gone some six weeks, and as yet showed no signs of returning. Madge and her father had grown accustomed to their absence, and felt no very strong desire to see them come back. They were the best of friends, these two, and perfectly happy in each other's society.

In the presence of her mother and her good-looking sisters, Madge had been shy, quiet and reserved. But alone with her dear old father, whom she adored, the gayety of her heart asserted itself, her whole nature expanded, and she became what she had never been before—a merry, laughing, bewitching little maiden.

"With such a pair of dancing dark eyes, and such a bright, happy face, who could call my Madge plain?" thought her father one day as he watched her flit backwards and forwards among the roses. "But I'm glad she did not go to London. Somehow, the world might rub off the bloom—bring sorrow to her loving little heart—and I want her to be happy always."

Across the lawn came one of the gardeners in hot haste.

"If you please, sir," he said, pausing in front of his master, "there's been an accident, just at the gate—a gentleman thrown from his bicycle by a—"

"Dear me, dear me, is he hurt?" cried the old man, starting up.

"I'm afraid, sir, he's sprained his ankle. He seemed in pain."

"He must come in, Madge," he called. "Madge, get the vinegar, bandages; there has been an accident. I'm going to bring the man in. Get everything ready."

"Yes," answered Madge, and, laying aside her roses, she ran into the house.

III.

Three weeks later Madge strolled beneath the lime trees, a tall, fair man by her side.

"You are walking better to-day," she said. "I think your ankle is almost well."

He sighed and dug his stick into the sward.

"I fear so."

Madge laughed merrily. "How ungrateful! And surely a sprained ankle is not a pleasant thing?"

"It has been a piece of real good fortune to me," he replied, earnestly, "for through it I made the best friends I ever had—you and your father."

"I'm glad you think so, and I assure you," looking up with a bright, sweet glance, "father and I feel it was a lucky accident for us, Gilbert. We have had a pleasant time since you came to us."

"And I? O, Madge, if you could only realize what it has been for me! Since my father and mother died, when I was nine, 18 years ago, I have known little but loneliness; and I came down to the Warren for the first time since I came of age, never guessing the delightful neighbors I should find there. That evening I went out on my bicycle to while away an hour, when luck, in the shape of a clumsy van, bowled me over in front of your gate. But now the happy time is at an end, and I feel that I must go home."

"Yes," Madge sighed, "I suppose you must. And, you see, perhaps it is just as well. Mother and the girls are coming back, and then things will be different."

"But you will be the same?"

"I?" blushing and dimpling. "Not quite; everyone, even the dear old dad, changes when they are about. You see, our positions are not what they are when far away. We are no longer master and mistress. We go nowhere, see no one, speak when we're spoken to—"

"O, Madge!" He reddened and looked at her in dismay. "That's rather much. But I'll tell you what—you and your father must come and pay me a long visit. My home is charming. I've got servants and horses, and—and everything to make you happy, and we'll have all our nice time over again."

"It—it sounds delightful. But," her lips trembled, "mother would not allow me to go. You see, I am not out. I am the youngest. Miriam would go. She's the eldest, and very handsome, with a tall, slight figure, fair hair, blue—" Her eyes filled with tears. "O, you—you will surely like Miriam, and—and forget your poor Madge."

"You know I won't," he cried, vehemently. "And I don't want Miriam, and I don't care whether she's handsome or not. I want you. And, what's more, I'll insist upon your coming."

Madge gazed at him in open-eyed astonishment.

"You don't know mother, Gilbert," she said, solemnly. "Not one of us dare turn the word with her, and if she told me—"

"But if it—if it—if the Warren was to be one day your home," he stammered, catching her hand and drawing her towards him. "If—O, Madge; we have known each other three whole weeks. We have spent hours of the day together, we have talk over everything. You know me, all about me, bad and good, and I know you"—his voice shook with emotion—"and I love you."

"O, Gilbert," she gasped. "Gilbert."

"My darling, I have startled, alarmed you. But if you could love me—be my wife?"

"Poor, plain little me?" She raised her eyes, then turned them quickly away, her face crimson, her whole frame trembling, her heart full of a new-sweet joy.

"To me, as you stand thus and always, you are beautiful, for I love you above everything on earth. Madge, answer me."

"Yes," she whispered low; "yes"—then laid her face upon his breast.

The following afternoon, some three or four hours earlier than they were expected, Mrs. Waddilove, Miriam and Selina arrived at the Manor house.

As he stood watching his men stacking the hay, Mr. Waddilove was informed that his wife and daughters had come home, and, without an instant's delay, he hurried to greet them! The three ladies were tired after their journey, and answered his various inquiries with but scant courtesy. Then, as Madge did not appear to welcome her, her mother became extremely irate.

"My dear, she has gone for a walk," her husband said, soothingly. "She—she will not be long."

"A walk alone at this late hour? You are a strange person to have charge of a young girl, James. I suppose Madge has done exactly as she pleased while I was away? But that will soon be changed. Out for a walk alone—"

"She is not alone, dear," he began, knowing full well she was with Gilbert, and wondering how he should break the news of her engagement to her mother. "She's with—a friend."

"Well, this sort of thing must be put a stop to."

"Yes, yes, of course. But have you any news for me, Lydia?"

She glared at him. "None," she answered sharply.

"Then your time has been wasted. The opportunities were of no avail? Miriam and Selina have made no conquest."

"You are rude, Mr. Wadd—. And I am glad the poor girls have gone upstairs."

"I don't mean to be rude, dear. I am content to keep my daughters at home. I was only following up the conversation that led to your going to London. I believed in a sweet, bright nature, and fate. You put faith in what you called beauty—and opportunities. Without boasting or in any way annoying you, I wish to say, without taking any credit to myself, that my idea was the right one; that here, in our home, Madge and I have been more successful."

Mrs. Waddilove flounced over to the window.

"Pray explain—"

She stopped abruptly and put up her pince-nez, as a slim little girl in pink cotton walked across the lawn in close conversation with a fair, blue-eyed man.

"Madge?" she cried. "And who, pray, is her companion?"

"That," he said, hurrying to her side, "is Gilbert Hastings, the wealthy young owner of the Warren, and our Madge's affianced husband."

"Good heavens." She sank into a chair with a cry. "But—but be generous, James. Do not triumph over me too much."

He took her hand and pressed it to his lips.

"Nothing, my dear, is farther from my thoughts, and I am very glad that you have come home to rejoice with me at our child's great happiness."—London Sketch

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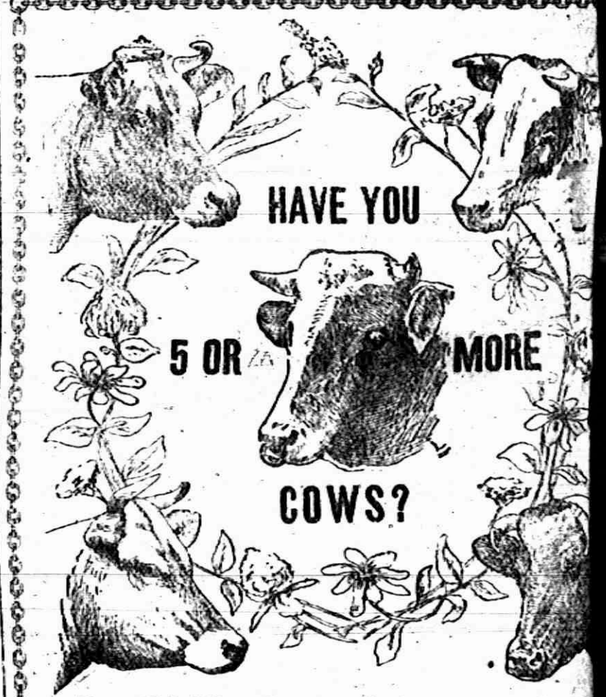

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Miss Nickerson spent Tuesday [illegible].

[illegible]orbes has been having tonsilitis [illegible] week.

[illegible] Goodrich made a business trip [illegible]do Monday.

Burton Nichols has been quite [illegible]ed this week.

Maude Lee was calling on Te[illegible] friends Tuesday.

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Samuel Underwood is visiting [illegible]es and friends at Jerome this [illegible]

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[illegible]t has become of those four [illegible]?" seems to be the query of [illegible]ere.

[illegible]mber from here attended the Bell Ringers at Tecumseh Mon[illegible]ening.

[illegible] Hughes was a Tecumseh visitor [illegible]. He had not been there before [illegible]e holidays.

[illegible] Underwood has been flirting [illegible] grip this week, thus far with[illegible]us results.

[illegible]by boy of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. [illegible]has been very sick with bron[illegible]e past week.

[illegible] Britton and Maude Lee were [illegible]ts of Tecumseh friends Thurs[illegible] Friday last.

[illegible]d Mrs. W. E Allen have been [illegible]ning Mrs. D. C. Morehouse, of [illegible]w, this week.

[illegible]y pleasant "spiderweb" party [illegible]ven by Miss Bertha Britton at [illegible]e last evening.

[illegible] VanNest is nursing a sore hand [illegible]esult of introducing cold steel [illegible]he last of the week.

Maynard reports the car inspec[illegible]eting at Montpelier, Ohio, Mon[illegible]y pleasant as well as instruc[illegible]

[illegible] Underwood and John Bachman [illegible]edo, are making their many [illegible]here happy this week by their [illegible]e.

[illegible] funeral of the mother of Mrs. [illegible]n was held at the house Tuesday [illegible]on. She had resided here but a [illegible]me.

[illegible]and family now occupy [illegible] home in the Hoagland [illegible] very complete in all its

[illegible]d Mrs. DeSpelder, of Tecum[illegible] Rev. Mr. Graves, of Holloway, [illegible] the donation last week Wed[illegible]evening.

[illegible] Hall, of Hudson, state Deputy [illegible]ancelor of the Knights of Py[illegible]s in town Tuesday in the [illegible] that order.

[illegible]ohn Cheever and Georgie re[illegible]om their visit with friends at [illegible]ll, last Thursday. They re[illegible]lightful time.

[illegible]ritton has contracted to Mr. [illegible]n, of Milan, twelve two-year[illegible]s he has been feeding. They [illegible] lot and very fat.

[illegible]eetings at the Free Methodist [illegible]hich have been in progress for [illegible]e, closed Tuesday evening. [illegible]ulted in 25 conversions

[illegible] company is being formed for [illegible]se of boring for oil in this vi[illegible]The project seems feasible and [illegible] seems to be selling rapidly.

[illegible]Christian church Sunday, Rev. [illegible]'s topics will be, morning "An [illegible]Movement;" evening, "An In[illegible]oung Man with a Character."

[illegible]rank Brown's committee will [illegible]at the next regular meeting of [illegible]' aid society in the parlors of [illegible]ian church Wednesday March [illegible]are invited.

[illegible]dgeway and Macon union Sun[illegible] association will be held in [illegible]el church at Macon, March [illegible]re will be three sessions. A [illegible]am has been arranged.

[illegible]atch, of Macon, Charlie Cul[illegible]d Tom Temple, of Ridgeway, [illegible]. Helm from here took the [illegible]or Detroit Tuesday morning [illegible]the Republican state conven[illegible]

[illegible]thur Hughes had the misfor[illegible]ch her finger in a door recent[illegible]g it badly. It has been very [illegible]at one time it was thought [illegible]ose the finger. It is now im[illegible]owly.

[illegible]e out announcing the mar[illegible]Will Larrabee and Tillie Mc[illegible]at the residence of Mr. and [illegible]e W. Smith, Tuesday even[illegible]ll, children, here's hoping [illegible]e long and prosper.

[illegible]n purchased a fine five-year[illegible]ad bay mare of Sam Under[illegible]tly, also a nice surrey of [illegible]glaud. When Willis Helm [illegible] harness, Will will have a [illegible]ood to none in the county.

[illegible]eting of the Linn families [illegible]lby hall last Saturday, the [illegible]epresentatives were present [illegible]: Wm. Ide and wife. Mrs. [illegible]n son Truman, of Tecum[illegible]Hayden, of Adrian, Henry [illegible] wife, of Dundee, and C. W. [illegible]Ypsilanti.

[illegible]ien for the benefit of Rev. [illegible]erson, held at Exelby hall [illegible]evening of last week, called [illegible]y 150 persons who were en[illegible]ith a fine literary program. [illegible] of G. Roscoe Swift, of Ad[illegible]largely to the enjoyment of [illegible]. Over $50.00 was realized.

RIDGEWAY.

Chauncey Graves was in Adrian Saturday.

J. W. Osborn made a business trip to Toledo, Wednesday.

Miss Erma Cheever spent Sunday with friends in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon went to Dundee Wednesday for a visit with friends.

Arthur Palmer, of Adrian, is spending the present week here with relatives.

Mrs. D. W. Loree returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Florence House, of Clinton, spent Saturday and Sunday with May Fletcher.

Rafe VanVleet and wife, from Kalamazoo, are visiting his brother, John VanVleet and family.

Mrs. W. H. Arner, who has been at Jackson for nearly three months, returned to her home Saturday.

C. W. Culbertson and T. H. Temple were in Detroit Tuesday to attend the Republican state convention.

Morgan and George Bice, from near Detroit, visited their aunt, Mrs. J. W. Sherman, from Saturday until Wednesday.

Attorney L. H. Saulsbery, of Adrian, was in the village Wednesday looking up evidence in the suit of Gifford and Read.

James Bice, after spending several weeks with his sister Mrs. J. W. Sherman, left for his home near Detroit Tuesday.

Maggie Cheever, who has been in Detroit for several months, arrived home Tuesday for an indefinate stay with her grandparents.

Albert Wend and wife and Earnest Casterline and wife, of Ann Arbor, were guests of their cousin, Mrs. James Curry and wife over Sunday.

There was a large delegation from here went to Tecumseh Monday night to hear the Royal hand bell ringers, and all speak of them in highest praise.

Hon. H. H. Pattengill, of Lansing, the fifth number of the lecture course, will be here Tuesday evening, March 9th. Subject: "Gumption with a big G."

Lafe Pocklington and wife were summoned to Ann Arbor Monday by the severe illness of her brother, Henry Luce. Mr. Luce made it his home with Lester Osgood for several years when a boy.

Mrs. Maggie Jones, who has made it her home with her sister, Mrs. Eliza Sanford for several years, died Wednesday night after a short illness. The funeral services were held at the house Friday afternoon, Rev. H. Cansfield, officiating.

Ridgeway and Macon union Sunday school association will be held at the D. R. church, Macon village, Wednesday of next week. Basket dinner and supper. The ladies of the church will furnish tea and coffee, free. A fine program has been prepared for the occasion.

There was a good attendance at the oyster supper given by the ladies of the L. C. S. at the home of B F. DePuy, Wednesday evening of last week, when an old-fashioned sociable time was enjoyed by all. The society wish to return a vote of thanks to Mr. DePuy for his valuable services in making it a success.

HOLLOWAY.

Charles Anthony has been about town for a few days.

C. Atwell as yet has no trace of his lost pocket book.

David Lane, of Saginaw county, visited his brother James Lane last week.

A. H. Kelley and F. O. Florance made a business trip to Toledo on the 17th.

Holloway tent K. O. T. M. will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clarissa Brown and two daughters are visiting friends in and about town.

H. Smith and daughter Bertha, of Adrian, were the guests of Mrs. Jane Kelley over Sunday.

Miss Eva Doty was very pleasantly surprised (?) by a number of her friends last Friday evening.

Mrs. Frances Macham Hunter, of Niles, has been visiting her brother A. D. Macham and family.

Mrs. May Anthony, who is in poor health, and her son Roger are boarding with Mrs. Jane Kelley for the present.

J. Clayton McIntyre has exchanged farms with his brother Ellis and will make his future home on the pararie.

A surprise was given Conrad Atwell on Saturday, by a number of his friends and relatives, the occasion being his 18th birthday.

Earl Macham and wife, of Deerfield, visited his brother A. D. Macham and family last week, also her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Baker.

Mas. Ida Spencer went to Detroit Monday morning to visit her husband, L. B Spencer, who is nicely located in the fire insurance business in that city.

The masquerade social at Maccabee hall Thursday evening of last week, given by the ladies of the Maccabees, was largely attended, one hundred or more being present. A very enjoyable evening was passed.

Mrs. John Messler, who had been ill for about three months, departed this life on the morning of the 20th inst. Although strangers in this vicinity, the family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Stead at the house Monday morning, after which the funeral was held at the M. E. church in Tecumseh, her pastor, Rev. J. P. Varnet officiating.

Glad Tidings to Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar gives quick and positive relief in all cases. Orr & Temple.

MACON.

Miss Libbie Walp is home from Britton.

Joe Howell was home from Ann Arbor over Sunday.

We are glad to report that all who were on the sick list are gaining.

Mrs. Jacob Harring had the misfortune to break a finger bone Saturday.

Misses Maude Howell and Grace Sage were home from Ypsilanti from Friday until Monday.

Misses Helen Camburn and Maggie Biddle were home from Ann Arbor a few days last week.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting Saturday of this week, at the home of Mrs. Calvin Davenport.

Miss Inez Langan, who has been visiting Macon friends for several weeks, returned to her home near Lapeer the first of the week.

Mrs Phoebe Langan, who was called here last week by the death of her sister, Mrs. Martha Camburn, returned to her home in Kent county Monday.

A sleigh load of young people drove to Clinton Tuesday evening and stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, where they spent a very enjoyable evening.

Remember the Sunday-school convention to be held in the D. R. church of this place Wednesday, March 3rd, beginning at 9:30 a. m. A basket dinner and supper to be served in the old church.

Alonzo Marshall, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marshall, a few days, returned to his home in South Bend, Ind., Monday. His neice, Miss Nellie Frost, accompanied him.

Word was received here last week of the death of Mrs. David Camburn, at Springport, Jackson county, and the burial took place the same day as that of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Martha Camburn, which was Wednesday Feb'y 17th.

CONE.

John Winsley and son Will, of Britton, were in town last Thursday.

Geary Gray visited his daughter in Toledo last Thursday and Friday.

Dr. Cassidy and wife, of Detroit, visited friends at Cone the first of the week.

Miss Edith Ray, of West Toledo, is spending a couple of weeks with her parents.

Dr. G. W. Richardson, of Sandusky, Ohio, was calling on friends here last Thursday.

Mrs. Nellie Knapp, of Blissfield, was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Cone several days last week.

Miss Nellie Silk, of Milwaukee, visited her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Auten, the first of the week.

Cornelius Dibble and wife, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Mrs. Nellie Caswell last Thursday.

Miss Ada Dennison, of Detroit, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dennison.

Miss Jennie Auten attended the eighth grade examination at Dundee, Saturday and Monday.

James Ray and Miss Anna Ross came out from Fleming Monday to spend a couple of weeks with friends here.

Mrs. Files and daughter Viola, of Adrian, were the guests of her brother, Oliver Logan, and family, over Sunday.

Jane Cone returned to her home near Milan, Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with her grandparents and other friends.

Mrs. Margaret Dennison was agreeably surprised on the 17th inst. by her children and grandchildren the occasion being her 81st birthday. The entire family were present except one grandson who lives at Niagara Falls. Four generations sat down to one table. There were present five sons and ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. There had been four deaths in the family.

LAKE RIDGE.

James Murphy spent the 22d at home.

Leslie Martin is visiting friends at Leslie this week.

The sheds are nearly completed at the Free Methodist church.

Edmund Smith and family were the guests of Joseph Harrington and family Sunday.

Old Mrs. Murphy, who fell and broke her hip, a short time ago, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Chas. Hendershott, who has been very sick, is improving under Dr. Hendershott's treatment.

The funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Theadore Karcher's baby, was held at the German church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Frayer and Grant Pennington were the guests of Ella Bailey Monday evening.

The social held at Sam Boyd's Friday evening was largely attended, and the receipts amounted to about $4.85.

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Further evidence of William Waldorf Astor's expatriation is shown in his election to the Carlton club, the ultra swell conservative club of London.

ONSTED.

Leonard Slee is the addition to our school.

Ed. Freer and family have moved back to Somerset.

Regular grange meeting next Saturday evening.

The masked ball last Thursday evening was largely attended.

Mrs. Libbie Hallett has been entertaining a sister from Toledo.

Will Spangle now does the pounding fete in Russell's blacksmith shop.

Mrs. Henry Pulver, who has been an invalid since last fall, is not so well.

Will Muck visited the masonic lodge at his home—Brooklyn—Monday evening of last week.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the farmers' institute at Brooklyn last week.

A troupe of Onsted amateurs are drilling and will soon appear in public with a first-class production.

Will Davison, of Woodstock, came down last week and purchased a load of tile of Howard & Hand.

"The Miner's Daughter" was played here by Rome Center talent on Wednesday evening of last week.

The masons held a special meeting on Wednesday of this week to confer the first degree on two candidates.

Is it "overwork" that has filled this country with nervous dyspeptics?—that takes the flesh off their bones, the vitality from their blood, and makes them feeble, emaciated and inefficient? No. It is bad cooking, overeating of indigestible stuff, and other health-destroying habits.

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After four hours of sharp and bitter debate, the woman suffrage bill was killed in the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature.

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How can that be? you ask. How can Dr. Hartman visit every family in the United States? This is the way: This little article goes into every home. Every one has the privilege of reading it. Through this article Dr. Hartman speaks to every family. He asks if any in this house is sick. If so, would you not like to consult me as to the nature of your disease and its treatment? If you would like me to do so, I will give your case careful attention. I have a large institution and many assistants and am in a position to detect the nature of diseases where they could not possibly be detected by the ordinary physician. If you want to consult me just write me and give a description of your case and I will answer you free of charge, giving you full directions for treatment. This is the way Dr. Hartman makes a free visit to every family in the United States. He has just called on you. Do you wish to consult him? Or you may send and get a question blank to fill out if you prefer. All letters received by him are strictly confidential. Have you catarrh of the head, throat, lungs, stomach or any other organ of the body? If so, write to him at once. He will send you directions for treatment without charge.

If you desire, you can send for a free copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book on catarrh and the other climatic diseases of winter—64 pages instructively illustrated. Sent free to any address by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

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Mercer Beasley, chief justice of the supreme court of New Jersey, is dead. He was 81 years old.

Statement of Mr. J. S. Creech, of Stephens, Ky: "I suffered with neuralgia and pains in my head and neck for several years. My gums seemed to come loose from my teeth, and at times I suffered almost death. My friends thought I would sometimes die with lockjaw. They applied Lightning Hot Drops to my neck and head and to their surprise it gave me great relief. Afterward, I applied it to my gums with like good results, and I am now entirely well." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Judge Augustus S. Seymour, of the United States district court for the Eastern district of North Carolina, died at New York City recently.

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Mrs. Maggie Myers,

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A recent improvement in monkey wrenches consists of a lever lying parallel with the handle to tighten the grip of the jaw.

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Cecil Rhodes, a hearty supporter of the Salvation Army, has made General Booth an offer of land in Rhodesia for the army's use.

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Mrs Mary Skelton, aged 43, committed suicide at the Hotel Melno, New York city, by taking carbolic acid.

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Queer Cave Discovered.

Kalamazoo, Feb. 12.—Harvey Wolf discovered a cave about ten miles southeast of here while hunting. It is eight feet square and five feet deep and contains evidences of having been used as the abode of men many years ago. In one corner fires had been built, there being an opening in one corner beside the nearly covered place of entrance. There were queer pottery and cans in the den. It had probably been the home of mound builders. A cherry tree had grown in the earth that covered the cave.

Appropriations for Michigan.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 12.—The house committee on appropriations has finished the sundry civil appropriation bill for the next fiscal year. Michigan appropriations are: Two thousand dollars for an additional Range light, Grand Marais harbor; completing two revenue steamers on the great lakes, $200,000; completing the improvement of the channel connecting the great lakes, $1,000,000; improving the waterways from Keweenaw bay to Lake Superior, $400,000.

Will Escape Trial.

Decatur, Feb. 13.—The case against ex-Cashier John L. Kleckner, of the broken Citizens' bank at Edwardsburg, for alleged embezzlement of $15,000, has been dropped by the directors on his bondsmen paying $7,000. The stockholders will be assessed $9,000 to pay depositors in full.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 26, 1897.

The time has now come when the people of Tecumseh must decide whether they wish the Lima Northern to come to Tecumseh or not. The surveyers are now at work in and about Adrian and grading will commence inside of two weeks. Even the iron has been purchased for the 68 miles between Adrian and Detroit. Now, as before stated, do the people of Tecumseh desire the road or not? The HERALD has heard rumors about the village that, as Adrian has secured her bonus and the promise of the road, it would come to Tecumseh anyway and on account of these rumors a representative of the HERALD has taken steps to find out if possible the exact state of affairs, and with authority, can state the case as follows: The extension of the Lima Northern will be built from Adrian to Detroit and at once. The route is being determined upon as fast as possible. Tecumseh must raise $8,000 or she will not get the road. A party of men, headed by E. R. Smith, of Clinton have said to the railroad men "Come with your road to Clinton and we will raise you $8,000." The company have given their proposition no consideration and will not do so until the people of Tecumseh decide they cannot raise the money and do not care for the road. The HERALD claims that Tecumseh needs the road. A direct line to Detroit should enable us to compete with Adrian, Hudson and Britton in paying prices for farm products which item alone will more than pay the bonus in one year. During the construction the merchants of Tecumseh should reap a good harvest and get back much of the money necessary for them to subscribe. The benefits of the road cannot be enumerated in this column. The damage it would do Tecumseh to cut us off and start a town west of us is too serious to even be considered. The committee is now at work and will, it is trusted, meet with a proper reception, that their work may be finished quickly as the matter must be settled within 10 days.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned session. February 15th, 1897. Present, the President, clerk, trustees Boyd, Heesen, Wright; absent, Lowry.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for year ending Feb. 15th, 1897, presented, showing 61 adult and 7 infant interments during year. Cash collected from interment fees and vault rent $264.00. 12 lots sold for $347.50; total $611.50. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Street Commissioner's report for year ending Feb. 15th, 1897, presented, showing village team labor 184 days 8 hours, hired teams 106 days, 8 hours, costing $267.00. Hand labor 175 days, costing $218.52. 58 Poll taxes worked. Total expenses $485.52. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Report of clerk of the water board for year ending Feb. 15th, 1897, presented, showing as follows:

Balance on hand from last report, $5.18; cash received from taps fees, $56.00; Plumber's licenses, $15.00; water rentals, $744.55; cash borrowed from bank, $300.00; total cash, $1,102.73.

EXPENSES.

Engineer, $540.00; labor, $184.00; coal, $81.83; freight, $141.96; various supplies, $154.58; total expenses, $1,102.37. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: I. B. Richart, saw filing and repairs, $3.74; J. H. Shults, election blanks, $1.55; F. O. Tefft, M. D., health physician, $18.00. Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills the clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

The council then appointed the following named persons as members of the Village Board of Election Commissioners for the coming annual village election: James A. Boyd, W. J. Ingersoll, and H. C. Conklin.

Council then adjourned.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

NOTICE OF VILLAGE ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual village election of the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, will be held at the Council Building, in said village, on Monday, the eighth (8th.) day of March, A. D. 1897, at which time the following officers are to be elected: viz: One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, Three Trustees for two years each, one Trustee for one year, one Village Assessor.

The Polls of said election will be opened at seven (7) o'clock in the forenoon and remain open until five (5) o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Dated February 24th., 1897.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Rigistration of the said Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, will be in session at the Council Building, in said village, on Saturday, the sixth (6) day of March, A. D. 1897, from nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon until eight (8) o'clock in the afternoon of the said day. At which time and place all duly qualified electors of said village, not duly registered, may register for the annual village election.

Dated February 24th., 1897.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

VILLAGE FINANCES.

Following is the statement of the finances of the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, for year ending Feb. 15th, 1897.

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand last report	$ 1,767 85
Village taxes for 1896	7,460 56
Received from liquor tax	1,237 50
Licenses	46 25
Old lamps, manure, iron and gravel	51 55
Rent council build. for town elections	10 00
Fines	3 00
Cash borrowed from Lilley State bank	700 00
Cash by overdraft Keepers & Thatcher	10 74
Total receipts	$11,287 25

DISBURSEMENTS.

No of Orders.			
12	Chase National Bank, interest on water bonds $1,706.76; 1 bond paid of $1,000	$ 2,706 76	
12	Tecumseh Electric Co., electric lights	2,602 64	
14	Keepers & Thatcher, Union Street Bridge (balance of contract price, $400 paid by order C. A. Wright)	2,073 74	
3	S. W. Bordine, chief fire department	75 00	
1	" delegate state fire. asso	15 50	
19	Albert Hyde, street commissioner	495 00	
19	L. B. Thompson, teamster	345 00	
1	" special police	19 00	
4	J. Davidson, assessor	49 75	
5	W. J. Ingersoll, clerk	135 00	
	" supplies and postage	11 15	
12	L. L. Bates, night watchman	183 33	
3	Chas Bidwell, marshal	101 00	
1	" to settle suit of Barlemant et al vs. Bidwell	25 00	
2	F. O. Tefft, Health physician	35 70	
1	James Elliott, blacksmithing	6 45	
2	J. A. Boyd, mem. bd. Rev. & Tele. pd	4 33	
3	H. Bice, meals election boards	3 50	
2	D. L. Whitenack & Co., hardware	42 88	
1	Wm Payne, assessment rolls	9 00	
1	Garlinghouse Bros., clipping team	2 00	
2	A. Richards, mem. bd. rev. & survey	5 50	
1	Wm Askin, cement crossalk	51 25	
2	H. Brewer & Co., supplies and work	52 31	
1	Satterthwaite Bros., hardware	46 17	
1	Thacker Coal Co., coal	15 60	
4	C. F. Field, printing	45 40	
1	E. W. Cairns, storing steamer	8 25	
2	Estate Wm Hayden, deceased, feed	8 62	
1	Detroit Free Press, notice	4 20	
1	Evening News, notice	4 90	
2	A. James, insurance	77 00	
1	C. J. & M. Ry Co., freight	40 93	
2	Temple, McClure & Co., lumber	59 64	
1	Thos Elliott, blacksmithing	52 75	
1	E. Putnam, tax refunded	1 00	
2	F. W. Samsen, printing	44 05	
1	F. B. Drake, receiver C. J. & M., rent	5 00	
		$3,472 00	

LABOR.

J. Hasty 3 52; Chas Orr 8 80; G. W. Bly 1 65; Wm Cassel 5 28; John Bennett 8 80; John Hoy 7 38; A. Waring 11 00; Floyd Waring 4 88; John Lucas 5 00; Wm Askin 5 00; C. Bronson 8 25; Jas O'Riley 8 25; O. E. Hodges 4 88; R. Hastings 1 25; Wm Fielder 8 50; 00; Chas Dixon 7 25; W. H. Bird 51 50; Dell Packard 137 52; A. Park 92 76; H. Heesen 3 00 ..... $569 07

G. S. Field, election board		$3 00	
I. A. Boyd		3 00	
J. H. Aten		3 00	
W. C. Smith		3 00	
John Werner		3 00	
H. Heesen	& registration	5 00	$25 00
D. T. Hall		3 00	
E. J. Packard, special police		4 00	
Wm Powell		3 00	
M. Gillieh		3 00	
C. Patterson		4 50	
J. McCaughn		2 00	
C. Avery		2 00	
J. H. Aten		2 00	
E. Wykoff		2 00	$25 00

C. A. Wright, purchasing agent salary $25; Lumber $180; oil 1 40; paper and paint 3 25; brooms 75c; harness soap 1 25; hay 63 05; axle grease 80c; straw 10 00; kalsomine 3 50; paint and oil 18 41; feed 44 22; T. P. Wood painting 25 00; C. A. Slayton supplies 8 64; scraper knives 16 00; carts 8 50; mower 5 00; Keepers & Thatcher cash advanced $125; sundries 13 13 $541 80

CEMENT WALKS.

G. W. Knapp $7; Geo Merrill 11 55; E. G. Cook 27 52; Mrs Morley 18 05; Thomas Elliott 11 23; Geo C. Martin 14 70; Jas H. Heck 10 08; A. D. Lawrence 10 50; Henry Bissell 21 31; Mrs P. J. Welling 19 85; W. A. Frost 8 33; Presbyterian church 30 97; Jacob Cheever 43 84; Henry Lovejoy 9 83; Mrs. A. Wheeler 9 82; Methodist Church 61 49; W. Marsh 31 77; Mrs Myron Conklin 13 86; Mrs L. B. Ayres 3 60; S. W. Anderson 19 99; B. P. Anderson 10 50; A. Anderson 15 82 ..... $428 19

Total number feet constructed 12,178.		
Total disbursements	$10,907 06	
Balance cash on hand	380 19	
	$11,287 25	

CEMETERY FUNDS.

Balance on hand from last report	$259 06
12 lots sold	308 75
Interment fees and vault rent	253 00
	$820 81

DISBURSEMENTS.

13 orders W. C. Jordan, sexton	$499 98	
2 " labor paid	25 00	
1 " D. L. Whitenack & Co., supplies	1 70	
	$526 68	

Balance on hand $294 13.

WATER WORKS FUNDS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at last report	$ 5 18
By loan from Lilley State Bank	300 00
Plumbers' licenses	15 00
Tap fees, 11 taps	56 00
Water rentals	744 65
	$1,120 83

DISBURSEMENTS.

C. J. & M. Ry Co., freight	$ 100 27
Michigan Telephone Co.	30 00
Standard Oil Co., oil	10 69
L. S. & M. S. Ry Co., freight	26
Satterthwaite Bros., hardware	54 08
M. Gillen, painting	69 00
Baker & Hall, paint	5 00
R. Orr, labor	5 00
C. A. Wright, supplies	35 69
C. A. Slayton, cement	12 35
G. Mattison, painting	13 00
D. L. Whitenack & Co., supplies	2 70
C. A. Hooden, engineer	540 00
A. Park, labor	43 00
Sales Bros., supplies	18 75
Thacker Coal Co., coal	35 54
A. Y. McDonald & Co., supplies	51 01
	$1,021 84

Balance on hand $98 99.

We do hereby certify that the above report is correct.

Dated February 15th, 1897.

ALFRED JAMES, President.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Clerk.

A LETTER FROM AFRICA.

Dr. W. N. Fowler Writes Interestingly About the Dark Continent.

Goree, Cape Verde, Africa.
Jan'y 14, 1897.

Thinking that perhaps some of my friends might be interested in my trip to Africa, I send you a letter that I hope will interest some of them. We will drop anchor in about an hour off Goree, the first place of stopping on the African coast. But to commence at the beginning. We took passage on the steamship Benguela on the 30th of December from Liverpool. The trip down the Irish Channel was smooth and full of interest. We had on board with us an Englishman and a Welchman who were thoroughly acquainted with the coast, and they pointed out to us the Great Orms head and other points with which we were historically acquainted and were glad to see. When we arrived at the mouth of the channel we found a storm raging outside, and the captain of the ship thought best to anchor in a little bay behind Holly Head. There we lay all night, losing eight hours of time. Next morning the storm was still on, but we weighed anchor and were off, and for the first four days we had a very rough voyage, and if any of your readers want any points on seasickness, I think I can give the desired points. Such misery; but now that I have recovered we will let it all pass.

The first four days were uneventful ones except for the pounding of the boat upon the sea, but on the morning of the fifth day out we ran into a Spanish sailing vessel loaded with pine from Brunswick, Ga., U. S. A., and although she was not injured any to speak of, her crew deserted her and set her on fire in order to get the insurance. Our captain was very much put out about it, but he took the crew to Funchol, the capital of Maderia Island, where they were ungrateful enough to try to arrest our ship for running into them, but we got away early in the day before any legal business could be done. Funchol is a Portugese town situated in a little bay at the base of a mountain 6,000 feet high. The town is quaint and old, the houses are built of stone and plastered over on the outside, the roofs are tiled, the streets are narrow and paved with cobblestone, there are no wheeled vehicles, but I rode from the quay to the hotel in an ox sled drawn by two oxen, a boy to lead and a man to urge the patient beasts along. I was surprised and delighted to find an English hotel very neat and clean and the people most accommodating. I was shown out to the garden and never before have I enjoyed God's blessings as I did after my eight days of sea voyage. We visited the cathedral, which was built in 1590, and took a ride upon the cogwheeled railway to the church of the Lady of the Mount and came down in the sleds which slide in a paved roadway making the three miles in about fifteen minutes. We also went to the market which is very interesting. Here the farmers bring in one little pig about one-third grown, leading or rather driving it with a string tied to its leg, they come in and sit and visit and if no one comes along who wants Mr. Pig they take it home and come again next day. No one hurries in this climate, nature provides abundantly for them in producing three crops a year of all kinds of grain and vegetables, and the climate is so mild that a very little expense provides them with clothing and cigarettes. There were strawberries in the market and roses, the most beautiful I ever saw, were everywhere.

Our next stopping place was at Santa Cruz, in the islands of Tenerif, one of the Canary group. This is a small town on the bay of Santa Cruz. The day was Sunday but the only way you would have known it was by keeping account of the days. On ship board and in these towns there is no Sunday; the religion is Catholic and they conform to the creeds of the church, and Sunday is the same as any other day. The ship was unloaded as soon as possible, and while the boat was discharging cargo we went ashore and took a look around town. We went to the old Spanish cathedral, where we saw two English flags that were taken from Lord Nelson at the time he tried, unsuccessfully, to take the island during the Spanish and English war. They are very proud of the capture, though the flags are only flags taken from one of the landing boats which had been deserted on the beach. It is amusing and often annoying to try to make yourself understood by these natives who cannot speak a word of English, but we generally manage to get what we want before we give up. There are no docks at these places and the landing of the cargo is done by what is called a lighter. A very large row boat, rowed by four natives, takes the freight from the boats, and if a passenger is to land he, with his baggage, is lowered into a boat and taken ashore where he is immediately taken in charge by a custom official.

I must not close without mentioning the ever present beggar and soldier. You do not get your feet on shore before a hand is thrust in your face asking for alms. Some bright little chap who understands a little English will hear you say, "I wonder where the postoffice is," and he steps up and answers your question and if you give him a few coppers he will be your interpreter all day. And the soldier with his red trousers, blue coat and green gloves, is everywhere. Our trip from Vera Cruz was pleasant and delightful. We divide the time between walking back and forth on the deck, pitching quoits, telling stories and writing letters, and taken all together the time passes very pleasantly. I have spent a large portion of my time in the study of Africa and find it very interesting.

We are going ashore this afternoon at Dakar, a Mohammedan town over on the mainland. The natives here show some Arab blood in their countenances but they are very black. This is the first place where we have seen the black man of Africa. From the boat I can see the long line of white sand which characterizes the African coast, also the line of scattering palm trees. Dakar, where we go ashore, is at Cape Verde, the most western point of land of the continent of Africa. It is under the control of the French government but the people are Mohammedan in faith. After discharging cargo there, we steam away again down the coast for Sierra Leone, from which place I may be able to send you another letter.

Respectfully yours,
W. N. FOWLER, M. D.

Monrovia, Liberia, Africa.

One Fare for the Round Trip to Washington, D. C.

Account of the Presidential Inrugu-ration ceremonies at Washington, D. C., March 4th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell round trip excursion tickets on March 1st, 2nd and 3rd, good returning not later than March 8th, at the rate of one lowest first class fare for the round trip.

Direct connections via Cincinnati and the C. & O. R'y. For time of trains, rates etc., call on C., J. & M. R'y agents.

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MADRI GRAS CARNIVAL

New Orleans, La., March 2nd, 1897

Account Madri Gras Carnival to be held at New Orleans, La., March 2nd, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets from all points on Feb'y 26, 27 and 28, and March 1st, limited good returning fifteen days from date of sale.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 15th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Adamson, brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to him Petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

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It is not generally known that more adults die of Kidney trouble than any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear no time should be lost in taking Foley's Kidney Cure, which is guaranteed or money refunded. Orr & Temple.

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The great success that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has reached in so short a time. Those who once give it a fair trial, then and there become walking and talking advertisers of this great remedy. Constipation, Indigestion and Sick Headache cured. Get a 10c trial size, larger sizes 50c and $1.00 of Orr & Temple.

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I have the book entitled "The Home Beyond" in my library. I regard it as a book full of instruction and worthy a place in every home.—J. P. Varner, pastor M. E. church, Tecumseh.

The finest work ever written of the here and the hereafter.—Merton.

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NOTICE.—While the regular price of the book is $2.50, arrangements have been made direct with the publishers to place 300 copies in Tecumseh at just the publisher's price—$1.00, and can be paid in four weekly installments of 25c each. This offer is made so that every family may own the book. Master Fred will call and show you the book and take your order for the same, to be delivered about April 1st. If he fails to call on any, a postal card directed to Fred Waring will bring him and the book for your inspection.

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We unhesitatingly recommend the free use of Lightning Hot Drops in all cases of sore throat. If directions are closely followed, the result must be a happy one; for Lightning Hot Drops has proven its curative energies in all diseases of throat. It is a superb remedy for asthma, bronchitis, tonsilitis, quinsy, croup, diphtheria and common sore throat. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.		Retail.
Butter	11	12	15
Eggs	12		14
Lard			8
Beans, per bushel	40	65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl			88
Cheese, per lb			14
Potatoes, per bushel	15		30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon			10
Smoked Ham			12
Smoked Shoulders			7½
Beef, by the side	5		7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 90		
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	to	4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb	7		
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	6	18 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7	
Turkeys	9	10	
Hides, Green	5		
Sheep Pelts	15	25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat		80 to	83
Corn, shelled	30		30
Corn in ear	10 to 12		15
Oats		14 to	16
Hay, timothy, per ton			7 00
Hay, clover, per ton			6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs			60
Middlings, per 100 lbs			60
Corn meal, per 100			80

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TECUMSEH, MICH., FEB. 26, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE

Mount Vernon—	$2.25 per Thousand
Haverland—	2.50 " "
Mitchell's Early—	2.00 " "
Warfield's—	2.00 " "
Crescent—	2.00 " "
Captain Jacks—	2.00 " "
Cyclone—	2.50 " "
Enhance—	2.75 " "
Lovett—	2.50 " "
Meek's Early—	3.00 " "
Princess—	2.75 " "
Beder Wood—	3.00 " "
James Vick's—	2.75 " "
Bubach—	3.00 " "
Parker Earl—	

Also a fine quality of Raspberries at 80 cents per hundred.
ROBERT SMITH,
Newburgh, Mich.

CITIZENS CAUCUS.—A caucus will be held at the Council Building Wednesday evening March 3rd at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing in nomination a People's ticket to be presented at the coming village election.

FOR SALE—A few China full-blood, well bred Brown Leghorn Cockerels. Inquire of
C. H IVES,

NOT BE! SASH CHEAP.—I have a quantity of 8x6 Cypress hot bed sash for sale. These sash are made with patent corners, well painted and glazed. Just the thing for hot bed cold frame, chicken house or sky light. Enquire at the Herald office or at my residence.
ABNER WILSON;

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 5-horse engine and 12-horse steam boiler. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young pure blood Jersey calves, both sexes, from cows making from 9 to 16 pounds of butter per week. Inquire or address at once,
W. T. ECCLES,
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FOR SALE—A good house and lot in the village of Tecumseh for $350.00. A rare chance for some one with small capital to secure a good home.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Small house and lot in good location. Price $400. Inquire of Frank R. Page, at U. S. Express office.

FOR SALE CHEAP. A young Holstein Friesian Bull, pedigreed and handsomely marked.
JOS. E. GRAY,

PLANTS FOR SALE. I have for sale 18 choice varieties of strawberry plants and many varieties of raspberries; also a few bushels of the following choice new varieties of seed potatoes: Early Michigan, Early Fortune, Carman No. 1, Carman No. 3, and Livingston's Banner. Have a few pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte Cockerels for sale, and eggs in season. For further particulars enquire of or address
C. W. MCNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

WANTED—Some good cabbage at the Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co., south Lake Shore depot.

Henry Smith is still on the sick list.

Jas. Lowry reports a fine time at Port Huron.

Ernest Elliott went to Detroit Thursday on business.

Mrs. Dr. Jones is suffering from the grippy this week.

Ed McKinney is in town this week. He reports good trade.

Sam Baird, who has been very ill, remains about the same.

The Misses Potter give a party at their home this evening.

The last of the series of dances will be held at the armory to-night.

John Gaston is not on the sick list as reported in the London Cyclone.

People is cutting his prices right in two for March.

Mrs. A. J. Jucket, of Homer, was the guest of Mrs. Alva Spayde yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Watson, of Clinton, are calling on relatives here yesterday.

Mr. Stephen Whittier has been confined to the house all the week by illness.

Go to Teeple's for your photoes and frames. Everything half price during March.

Seaton W. Anderson was transacting business in Cleveland, O. Tuesday and Wednesday.

O. B. Finch and wife leave in the morning for a visit with friends in Cleveland, O.

To sell goods at cost means bargains for you. Get them while they last.
KAHNER BROS.

Frank Crossman and wife and little daughter, of Jackson, visited Tecumseh relatives over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kennedy, of Kalamazoo, are visiting Fred's mother, Mrs. Mary Kennedy, this week.

Mrs. L. M. Kellogg entertained the members of the Research Circle at her home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Anna McClure entertained in a charming manner a company of young friends Wednesday evening.

At the closing hop of the series at the armory to-night refreshments will be served for 25 cents a couple.

Mrs. Frances Hunter, of Niles, has been the guest of her brother, David Cheatham and family this week.

Ladies, don't pay 25c, 30c and 35c for patterns when you can get the Latest Style Patterns for 10c and 15c at our store.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

Mrs. Jas. McKinney and sister, Miss Lydia Burton have returned from Grand Rapids, where they had been caring for a sick neice.

Prof. and Mrs. L. M. Kellogg, entertained a small company of friends in a delightful manner at their pleasant home Tuesday evening.

One-half dozen Browaies for 50 cents
TEEPLE'S.

A very pleasant informal dancing party was held at the Armory Monday night after the entertainment, in which many couples participated.

The Universalist church was filled to overflowing Sunday evening. Washington service being the special attraction. Company C and the G. A. R. were present. The services were very interesting.

Dr. C. S. Lombard and family bade adieu to Tecumseh friends and started, Tuesday morning, for Richland, Cal., where they expect to reside. May their fondest hopes be realized is the desire of their friends.

Dr. Tefft visited the county seat yesterday.

Mel Conklin takes to city life like a duck to water.

New stock carpets just opened at
ANDERSON & ROSACHAN'S.

Miss Christie Wilson has been visiting Ann Arbor friends this week.

Comrade Wm. Smith is just now very sick with grip that borders on typhoid.

See our window of gentlemen's fancy shirts.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Will Hicks was the guest of Benj. Strong at Adrian several days the past week.

M. E. Conklin and family are now nicely settled in the Dr. Woodward house.

Have you seen those lovely Spring Dress Goods just received at Harris & Hiteshu's

Tom McCann is making his parents at Bunker Hill a week's visit. He left yesterday.

The Misses Linna Hall and Grace Gillespie were home from Ypsilanti over Sunday.

A good attendance of Old Fellows desired at their meeting next Tuesday evening. Special work.

Mrs. Fannie J. Wann, of Detroit is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. James Vincent, this week.

Spring dress goods just what you want at ANDERSON & ROSACHAN'S.

Miss Mattie McConnell, of Adrian, was visiting among her old neighbors and friends the last of the week.

Miss Minnie Douglas, of Hudson, a former teacher in our schools, has been visiting among her friends this week.

Orr & Temple are now connected with the C. T. telephone line and we understand theirs will be the central office.

George Tiffany, Fay Anderson and Will Hicks represented Tecumseh at the military party given Monday evening at Adrian.

Mrs. G. H. Melody left Saturday for Bennington, Mich., to assist in caring for her aged parents who are both in feeble health.

The Kirchgessner stock is being invoiced this week. When completed it will be disposed of.

Both John J. Orr and F. J. Temple were sufferers yesterday, the former with neuralgia in the face and head and the latter with a severe pain in the side.

We will be with you but a short time. Use us while you can to supply your wants in Foot Wear. KAHNER BROS.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday: Morning, "Inspiration"; evening, "The State and the Church." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m.

Miss Ora Bowen left yesteray morning for a month's visit with her aunt, Mrs. H. E. Young at North Adams, Mich. Some of her young friends being aware of her departure gave her a delightful surprise Wednesday evening.

No wonder Charlie Robinson gave the school rooms an extra polishing Monday morning and wore a smile that "Pansy" declares covered his whole face. His wife presented him with a fine healthy daughter Sunday morning.

The funeral of Mrs. John Messler, a former resident here, but who died at Holloway after a brief illness, was held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. Her death was a surprise to the friends here, most of whom knew not of her illness.

Have you seen Teeple's work lately? If not, why not? Go and see it, it will pay you.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoy are in deep sorrow. Their infant daughter, Helen, sixteen months old, fell a victim to pneumonia, death claiming her early Wednesday morning. The funeral was held at the house yesterday afternoon. They have the sympathy of their friends.

On the 22nd of February as well as July 4th military companies are expected to observe in an appropriate manner, consequently Company C lead by the band made the circuit of the principal streets and gave drill exhibitions at different points. They made a fine appearance.

In giving the list of exhibitors at the late poultry exhibit the name of Andrew Wilson, of this place, was omitted. He exhibited some fine single comb white Leghorns. Among the Leghorn family they excell in size, are as good layers, and the eggs are larger than the others.

If you wish to see a beautiful line of Gents' Tan Shoes in all the latest novelties, call and see the lot we just received. KAHNER BROS.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burlingame on west Shawnee street contained a very happy company of little folks Tuesday evening. Twenty-five lads and lassies assembled to commemorate an important event—Fay's birth. He was thirteen that day. They made things lively and presented Fay with many beautiful souvenirs.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cook, a short time since went down to Cone for a visit with their son Will. Wednesday word came that Mr. Cook was taken seriously ill. Florence went to him at once and Bert went down yesterday. Mr. Cook has been very feeble for some time. His condition is very critical and it is doubtful if he recovers.

There will be a celebration of Communion in St. Peter's church on Ash Wednesday at 10 o'clock. An offertory will be taken at this service for the general fund for aged clergy and widows and orphans of deceased clergy. During the six weeks of Lent the services will be, on Tuesdays and Fridays, Evening Prayer at 7:15 p. m., Communion on Saints' and holy days at 8:15 a. m., daily services in Holy Week, the hours for which will be announced later. It is the rector's intention to preach on two Sunday afternoons in Lent to young men and young ladies alone.

Wm. Smith has been quite sick with the grip.

Chris Wallinger made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Al E. Karner visited friends at Toledo and Blissfield this week.

E. L. Church, jeweler at Adamson's, spent Sunday with Jackson friends.

Mrs. B. C. Ellis, who for th epast two weeks has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Miss Lucy Bliven, of Blissfield, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Sisson, over Sunday.

Mrs. Manwell, of Pittsford, was the guest of Mrs. John Anderson the first of the week.

John Barkwell has again sold out the laundry. He left Monday for St. Thomas, Canada.

B. L. Baxter left Tuesday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. James Winans, in Toledo.

Watch Seaton W. Anderson's show windows. They are worth looking at.

C. F. Field has been in Clinton this week forming what is termed The University League.

Miss Eva Shimman, of Clinton, was the guest of C. F. Field's family the first of the week.

Miss Mabel Clements returned Saturday night from a ten days' visit with Detroit friends.

Mrs. George Teachout and Mrs. Fred Aldrich were guests of Adrian friends Sunday and Monday.

Morris Hyde had a slight paralytic stroke Tuesday morning from which he is slowly recovering.

Harry Fee rode over from Adrian this mornrng on his wheel and reports the roads fairly good.

Mrs. H. J. Warren and daughter Edna, of Blissfield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sisson this week.

Bertha Kniffin and Maude Lee, of Britton, were visiting Tecumseh friends Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. James S. Wilson and daughter, Annie, of Detroit, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Sutton over Sunday.

Wm. J. Arnold was taken with a severe hemorrhage yesterday and now lies in a critical condition at his residence.

Mrs. J. Dakin, after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends, returned to her her home at Williamston, Monday.

Satterthwaite Bros. are greatly improving the interior of their hardware store, Blosing Bros. being the artists. It is wonderful what transformations follow the liberal use of paint.

Mrs. Wm. A. Burlingame and her committee will serve supper at the Baptist church next Thursday afternoon and evening. Supper from five until all are served. All are cordially invited.

F. J. Temple and Dr. Howell, in company with Dr. Morden of Macon and Camburn of Tipton, attended the Michigan club banquet at Detroit Monday night and the Republican state convention Tuesday.

Fred R. Wood has opened an office in the front room over the postoffice and will remain in Tecumseh. He has hosts of friends and acquaintances who will be very much pleased to learn that he will again make Tecumseh his home.

D. P. Westgate, late of Adrian, has purchased the steam laundry of John Barkwell and took possession Monday. When he gets everything arranged to his liking, he will be able to suit the most fastidious as his work will be up to date in every particular.

Milburn Keyser was over to Charlie McNeil's Wednesday. On going to his carriage at a rapid pace, he came in contact with a wire clothes line he failed to see, which caught him in the mouth. When he gathered himself together he was minus a tooth, others loosened and had a badly lacerated mouth.

At the village caucus held at the council building last evening, the following ticket was nominated:—

President—Alfred James.
Clerk—James H. Elliott.
Trustee, two years—Charles Eldridge, John Heesen, Henry Heesen.
Trustee, one year—J. J. Orr.
Assessor—James A. Boyd.

The election is Monday, March 8th.

There were two papers given this week at the meeting of the Research circle on the subject of Mohammedanism in Egypt. Mrs. Weller gave one, "Mahomet and his Religion," and Mrs. Wood discussed "The Influence of Mohammedanism. The miscellaneous topic for the evening was "Peculiar Traits in the Vegetable Kingdom," very ably given by Mrs. Avery. Both sections of the circle met with Mrs. Kellogg yesterday afternoon to enjoy a number of Egyptian photographs.

The largest house of the season greeted the Royal Hand Bell Ringers at the opera house Monday evening. As bell ringers the company was a grand success, the tone of their bells perfect and execution faultless. The vocal selections and readings were poor and the remarks of the conductor could have well been dispensed with. Still the musical part was good enough to overbalance these short-comings and kept the audience well pleased. The committee did not receive a sufficient number of applications for tickets to warrant them in securing Prof. DeMott.

The study of German literature was continued at the Monday Club February 22nd. Three papers were read on this subject: Mrs. Levi Hayden read a paper arranged by Miss Camilla Mead, regarding the German author, Herder, and the "'Sturm and Drang' ('Storm and Pressure') Movement in Literature"; Mrs. H. S. Waring gave the Faust legend; Mrs. Warner compiled a biography of that remarkable genius among writers, Goethe, also compared his Faust with those of Lessing and Christopher Marlow, the English composer of dramas.

There will be third degree work at Masonic Temple tonight.

Miss Gertrude Howell was home from the Normal conservatory over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Zellars and daughter, Myrtelle, of Jackson, visited Jerome Bowen's family from Friday until Monday.

The Monday Club is very pleasantly conducted by Mrs. Angie B Smith during the absence of their highly esteemed president, Mrs. C. A Wright.

Abner Wilson has accepted an offer from D. E. Smelzer & Co., the well-known commission house of Kansas City, and will start next Thursday for the Pacific coast to superintend their "Ocean View Celery Ranch" at Santa Anna, California. He leaves his celery business here in good hands—his brothers Henry and Andrew will hustle the business. Adam Mull, who has been with him for the past two years, will have charge of the home farm. Mr. Wilson, or "Ab" as he is familiarly called, has always been one of our enterprising farmers. About fifteen years ago he commenced market gardening on a small scale and soon increased his plant to one of the largest around here. Six years ago he formed a partnership with his brothers, Henry and Andrew, and bought a celery farm at Sand Lake crossing, which, by careful and efficient management and personal attention, they have developed from a wild state of nature to one of the finest celery farms in this section of the country. They shipped 34 cars of celery last year. Ab was in New York last winter for this same firm and this new engagement speaks volumes for his ability and fitness for the position, and D. E. Smelzer & Co. are fortunate indeed in securing his services.

High School Happenings.

Mrs. Wm. Jordan called on the seventh grade Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Alice Brown, of Homer, was the guest of Floy Spencer Thursday in the ninth grade.

Janitor Robinson is holding his head high as a result of the arrival of a young daughter at his home.

The pupils of the West Branch gave an interesting Washington birthday exercise Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Turner, of Hudson, who is visiting among her friends here, was a visitor in Miss Hartbeck's room Wednesday afternoon as the guest of Miss Ina Jackson.

An eighth grade examination for pupils of district schools will be held at the Central Building Saturday, Feb. 27, commencing at 9 o'clock. Miss Bullock will be in charge.

Miss Fannie Keavy, who went to her home in Detroit for over Sunday, made a miscalculation and got left Monday night. As a result she had to miss her forenoon music classes and it is doubtful who felt the worst about it—Miss Keavy or the unfortunate pupils.

Hearts.

The second of a series of six parties to be given by 14 ladies assisted by an equal number of gentlemen, was given by Mrs. L. P. Tribou and Miss Hartbeck at the home of the former last evening. The feature of the evening was hearts. Hearts were played, the souvenirs were hearts, partners were secured by means of "busted" hearts joined together once more. Hearts throbbed in the "Spoony" corner and every one was delighted with their hearty good time. Into what these entertainments will develope is quite a matter of speculation. Two ladies entertain and their program of entertainment is a secret until participated in by the company. One pleasant novelty followed after another last evening until the guests nearly forgot to go home, so charmed were they with their delightful entertainment.

Farmers' Union.

The Farmers' Union will meet at Leo McConnell's Friday evening, March 5th. Program as follows:—

Music—Mabel Hollister.
Dec.—Edward McConnell.
Reading—Mrs. Ellen Boyd.
Rec.—Frances Comfort.
Music—Mary McIntyre.
Chip Basket—Mrs. H. McLain.
Dec.—John McIntyre.
Dialogue—Lona Boyd and Mabel Hollister.
Rec.—Hazel Boyd.
Music.

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Wm. R. Hayes Writes

Payne, Ind., Feb. 1896

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FUSION EFFECTED.

Democratic, Populist and Silver Conventions at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 18. — The state convention of the silver democrats, silver republicans and populists was held Wednesday to select a candidate for justice of the supreme bench and a regent of the university. The middle-of-the-road populists under the lead of John O. Zabel, of Monroe, refused to fuse and held a convention and nominated John O. Zabel for justice of the supreme court and Robert McDougal, of Hillsdale, and M. O. Graves, of Petoskey, for regents.

The conference committee labored three hours before agreeing on terms, and finally reported that the democrats be given half a vote and the populists and free silver men each a quarter of a vote, and that the democrats have the justice and the others have the regents. The silver men, the democrats and some of the populists accepted this scheme.

The fusionists adopted resolutions which reaffirmed the Chicago platform; declared that the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of sixteen to one was the paramount issue and the only solution of the present business depression; opposed the retirement of the national paper money and replacing it with notes issued by banking corporations, and declared that W. J. Bryan was the greatest living exponent of Jeffersonian principles, the true friend of the people and the logical standard-bearer for democracy in 1900. The convention then took a recess till evening. At the evening session the following ticket was nominated: Justice of the supreme court, George L. Yaple, St. Joseph county; regents of the university, Stanley M. Parkhill, of Shiawassee, and Thorn Rupert, of Livingston.

Farmers Protest.

Battle Creek, Feb. 20.—The amendment to the state game law now before the legislature, which proposes to prohibit the killing of rabbits, has aroused the ire of the farmers in this county, and they are preparing petitions against it. The farmers say that the rabbit is the greatest pest of to-day, and if not killed with gun and ferret that they would destroy everything on their farms. They are particularly destructive to young fruit trees, one farmer having several hundred destroyed by the pest.

Must Be Citizens.

Jefferson, Mo., Feb. 23.—The legislature has enacted a law which prohibits persons performing the marriage ceremony in the state who are not citizens of the United States.

GALLERY GODDESSES.

A Class of Femininity Peculiar to the National Capital.

Girls Who Spend Most of Their Time Listening to Speeches While Congress Is in Session — Some Historic Flirtations.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Strangers in Washington study the statesmen in the senate and house of representatives. They like to hear speeches and argumentative dialogues. The capitol guides sit beside visitors in the galleries and tell them the names of the statesmen who are speaking.

Newspaper men and others who are daily at the capitol have more pleasure in studying the people in the galleries than in hero-worshiping the statesmen on the floor of either house of congress. It is strange that women, who are not supposed to know much about politics or statecraft, should come in such numbers to the capitol on all occasions.

Writers who delight in sarcasm, quips and jests, rather than in accurate portrayals, have said that women in Washington are attracted more by the brass buttons of the young officers of the army and navy than by anything else masculine in this city. There is an element of truth in the assertion, but our ladies have some higher ambitions than the slurring statement would indicate. Senators and members of the house of representatives come in for a large share of the attention of the fair sex. Three-fourths of the audiences of congress are made up of women and often there are few others in the galleries. Except a few strangers and a section of the colored population, who find the public galleries comfortable as a sleeping place, few men listen to the proceedings of the house and senate. For some reason the senate, while not entirely neglected, is not as popular with the gallery goddesses as is the house. It may be because the senators are older and less gallant, though there is surely gallantry enough in that decorous body of sages. But in the house there are a great many young men, and a few of the youngest and handsomest are unmarried. This may account for the preference that is shown that branch of congress. There are always women in the galleries known as the "speaker's gallery" and the "member's gallery," though often there is not a man to be seen anywhere above the floor of the house.

During the very cold weather many unemployed colored men go to the capitol, take seats in the warm galleries, and, having no appreciation of the forensic discussions, go to sleep and sometimes snore so that the watchmen or door-keepers awaken and eject them. But despite their indigence and bathless condition these poor fellows are American citizens, and they have as much right in the galleries of congress as

TAKING THINGS EASY.

any of our prosperous merchants, manufacturers or millionaires. No cards of admission are required to the "gentlemen's gallery" or the "ladies' gallery," as the signs over the doors read; but cards are required of those who would enter either of the galleries reserved for representatives and senators.

The southeast gallery of the house of representatives faces the entire membership on the floor. The congressmen have but to lift their eyes above the dead level of their desks, and their thoughts above the dead level of dreary legislation, to behold a vision of loveliness, and they often do lift both their eyes and thoughts. Even before the hour for the meeting of the house, the fair habitues of this gallery come tripping through the corridors, singly and in pairs and ride up in the elevator with the assembling statesmen, and then take their places in the gallery, smiling down on the most attractive branch of this great government. The women who have business with the statesmen, or make any pretense of having business with them, keep to the lower corridors or sit in the corner in statuary hall, which has been set aside and furnished as a waiting-room. Those who go to the gallery are there for entertainment or instruction.

They are usually there for entertainment, and many a serious flirtation has started between the girls in the galleries and the representatives on the floor. Several years ago a congressman from California exchanged glances, smiles and signals with a gallery goddess, and finally he went to the gallery, seated himself by the girl, was welcomed and became the most ardent, attentive and affectionate of lovers. Just before the close of the session of congress the statesman received a card from the brother of the lady and a lively meeting was held in the speaker's lobby. The brother gave the congressman 24 hours to marry the girl, under threat of death. The entrapped congressman left town that night, declined a renomination, retired to private life and has never since been in Washington. He was a brilliant fellow with intense ambition, but he fell away out of sight politically because of his flirtation with a gallery goddess.

In the galleries, however, there are many women who are diligent students of legislation and human nature, taking a broad and sweeping view from the gallery elevation. Some look upon the entire aggregation of talent on the floor with undivided admiration, but most of them are hero worshipers, each having one or more favorites whom she holds in esteem above all the rest. In this assemblage of goddesses who sit in judgment there are almost as many factions as there are goddesses, and it has come to be well understood among them that any thoughtless expression either of praise or of censure of any particular statesman, uttered above a whisper, is liable to fall upon offended ears and provoke a mild controversy or an avalanche of ugly looks of resentment.

There are many old women and children and strangers within Uncle Sam's gate in this gallery from time to time, but the preponderance is of mature youth, with beauty, style and gay and tasteful toilets. Occasionally a note finds its way from the gallery to the floor, or from the floor to the gallery,

A GALLERY GODDESS.

and now and then a statesman will sit in the gallery and instruct one of these fair students in the mysteries of statecraft. It is a fact of note among well-informed people that notes and signals once passed between a woman in the gallery and a statesman on the floor previous to 1880, the statesman being one of the leaders of the house of representatives, who subsequently attained a high and proud position; a man who to-day sleeps the sleep that knows no waking, and in history his name is pure and noble. Well, let it be so, for the sake of his children unto the third and fourth generation.

The designing girl of the gallery is a type unto herself. She is modest enough not to attract attention when she does not want to do so, and she is sufficiently independent to attract just as much attention as she wants. She smiles sweetly upon the elevator man and always has a pleasant word for the man who tends the gallery door. She knows nearly every member on the floor by name and is acquainted with his most marked characteristics. She is fully capable of discussing a knotty parliamentary problem, and knows each day what is expected to come up. It is very interesting sometimes to quietly sit in the gallery and hear the chatter of the girls. They talk in stage whispers about the appearance and characteristics of the men on the floor of the house and they pretend to know how each statesman will vote on any pending bill. They also affect to know which are the most cordial and gallant among the members and when they can best spare time to go to lunch. The gallery goddess may not be beautiful, but she is sure to be attractive, and, whether she dresses plainly or richly, you can depend upon it she is always stylish. She is a session girl. No one knows what becomes of her when the session closes, and when the new session begins she is as punctual and as numerous as the claimants who never die and never get old.

Strange as it may appear there are scores, if not hundreds, of new faces in the gallery this year; and they are drawn hither by the hope of office, in spite of the fact that the civil service law acts as a complete barrier to their ambitions. Wives and daughters have come with aspiring husbands and fathers. They frequent the galleries at the capitol. At first they are sedate, but soon they fall into the custom and habits of those around them; that is to say, a majority of them do. The office seekers who are already here are they who expect to receive distinguished recognition; but some of the seekers after chief clerkships are making their appearance, too. After inauguration day the class will be largely augmented; but the women folk cannot look down from the galleries upon the statesmen, because congress will not be in session after the 4th day of next March, unless the president should call an extra session.

If the mothers of Washington knew what pitfalls there are in the capitol building there would be fewer girls seen there. But everybody supposes that the capitol, where the laws of the nation are made, must be a safe place for man, woman or child. But it is not the best place for misses in their 'teens to go. There are women there in the marble corridors who would lead angels astray if opportunity were given them. Little girls learn of them the first lessons which lead them in later years to become gallery goddesses.

The truth is seldom written. This is the nearest approximation to the whole truth that has ever been printed. It is needless to further elaborate the situation.

SMITH D. FRY.

Not in Stock.

An English pitman was asked by a friend who was very bow-legged to buy, when next in town, a pair of stockings for him. On the following payday the pitman entered the shop of a well-known hosier to make the purchase. The shopman was most obliging, but having shown the intending purchaser nearly every pair in stock, he at last thought it time to ask for a more minute description of what was required. "I've shown you nearly all we have," said he, "and I'm sure our stock is second to none. As we've hitherto given satisfaction to all classes, it is strange that we can't suit you." "Well," said the pitman, "what I want is a pair of bowlegged ones."—Strand Magazine.

STRAWBERRY TESTS.

The Varieties Most Suitable for Profitable General Cultivation.

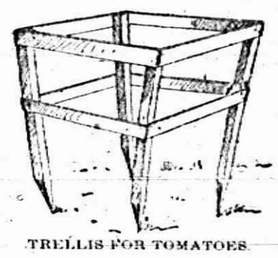
At the recent meeting of the Ontario Experimental union, held at the Agricultural college, Guelph, Ont. (Canada), Prof. H. L. Hutt, the experimenting horticulturist of the institution, gave a report on the results of the recent experiments with strawberries grown on the college grounds. He has observed an extra growth of plants as a result of the careful removal of the blossoms the first season. This only confirms our old experience, that in order to secure the heaviest crop the second year (which is the main and usually the only fruiting year, as strawberries are handled by good growers), we have to adopt the practice of preventing all fruit setting the same season that the bed is established. Then in order to have a full crop, we must have full matted rows. With varieties that are good plant-makers, like Wilson, Crescent, Haverland, Bubach, Warfield, etc., we have no difficulty in securing the full stand of plants, in an average fair season, even if in starting the bed we put the plants two feet apart. This is the distance which Prof. Hutt recommends for planting such sorts, while 18 inches is as much as poor plant-makers should be spread apart in the row at the start.

Next, for a heavy yield, we want the heavy yielders. Among them, Warfield was found to be at the head. Afton is much like it. Warfield has a good leaf and a very firm berry. Haverland is one of the best for home cultivation. Bubach was the 18th, and Crescent the 29th, in the order of best yielders. Haverland was found at the head in general health and power to resist rust. Among the perfect flowering sorts (those named all being pistillates), Saunders was found first in productiveness and vigor. Prof. Hutt prefers to grow the imperfect and perfect bloomers in alternate rows, in order to insure full fruit setting and therefore best yield. The question is what varieties to plant together. Haverland was the first to show bloom. Van Deman, a perfect-flowering sort, is also an early bloomer, and might be used to furnish pollen for the other. Lovett's Early and Gandy bloom soon after these, and, in a pinch, might be used for the same purpose. Haverland and Warfield are among the earliest to give ripe fruit. Rio stands second in the list, although it stands 43d in the order of yield. Michel's Early stands third for early, and gives a large yield for an early sort, but the fruit is small and soft. Warfield stands fourth for earliness, and is the great berry for the west, and for heavy land and plenty of moisture, but seems not so good for light, dry soils. Among the latest varieties, Prof. Hutt mentioned Edgar Queen, Equinox and Mrs. Cleveland. — T. Greiner, in American Gardening.

GOOD TOMATO TRELLIS.

Get a Good Supply Ready Now for Use Next Summer.

The sketch shows a trellis for tomatoes that completely "fills the bill." The double side pieces hold up both



TRELLIS FOR TOMATOES.

lower and upper branches, while the flaring form of the trellis accommodates the spreading top. A dozen of such trellises, strongly made, will prove exceedingly satisfactory in the garden, and will last many years if carefully used. Do not wait till they are wanted next summer, but get a sufficient number of them ready now, when other work is not pressing, and store them in a barn or under a shed. —Orange Judd Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Any soil that is too damp naturally to produce healthy trees should be avoided.

Vacant places in a young orchard can be filled with trees, but not so with an old one.

Early potatoes, pease, onions and lettuce are the first crops to be put into the ground.

If only well-rotted and thoroughly-fined manure is used the garden can hardly be made too rich.

Lime is one of the best materials to apply to get rid of the white grub in the strawberry beds.

Wood ashes and poultry manure make the best fertilizers for onions. They can both be used as top dressing.

It is a good plan as well as an interesting experiment to try a few new varieties every year on a small scale.

When onions are to be raised from seed all reasonable care should be taken to sow the seed at the first opportunity.

Strawberry plants that are well mulched are least affected by sudden change of weather. The mulch also prevents the plants from beginning to grow too early in the season and lessens the risk of their getting killed by late frosts.—St. Louis Republic.

Buy Only Reliable Makes.

Buy only reliable makes of fertilizers. Even in Connecticut, where fertilizer inspection has been carried to such a high degree of perfection, more than one-third of the nitrogenous superphosphates and guanos sold last year did not fulfill the manufacturers' guarantee. Nearly one-third of the special manures also proved to contain less than the amount of plant food guaranteed by the manufacturers. All this simply emphasizes the importance of buying from reliable dealers who are able and willing to back up their guarantees.—American Agriculturist.

HIS NAME REVERED.

The Country Appropriately Celebrates Washington's Birthday.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—The one hundred and sixty-fifth anniversary of the birth of George Washington was celebrated in this city yesterday. The Union League club had for its principal speaker Frederick R. Coudert, of New York, whose history is part of the history of the nation.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 23.—The feature of the celebration of Washington's birthday in this city was the banquet of the Michigan club, which was held at the Auditorium in the evening. Gen. Alger was toastmaster.

New York, Feb. 23.—The anniversary of Washington's birth was generally observed in this city.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 23. — Washington's birthday was fittingly celebrated here by all classes.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 23.—Tomlinson hall was packed with students of the University of Indianapolis yesterday afternoon when Gen. Harrison

made his appearance on the platform in answer to a request from the students to make the principal Washington birthday speech. During his remarks Gen. Harrison said:

"The strength of Washington, as of every great man, was in this—that he rose to an emergency."

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was celebrated under the auspices of Cornell university. The following letter from President-elect McKinley to Dr. Schurman, president of the university, was read:

"Next to the Declaration of Independence itself, Washington's farewell address is the richest heritage that has come down to us from the fathers of the republic. It is not only a perfect analysis of the spirit of the constitution, but it is a lofty appeal to true American patriotism, accompanied by words of solemn warning and advice, the wisdom of which has been increasingly demonstrated by added experience of each successive generation."

INFIRMARY BURNED.

County Institution in Ohio Destroyed —One Life Lost.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 22.—Fire, which started about midnight Sunday night, burned the Mahoning county infirmary, located near Canfield, ten miles west of here, and one insane patient named William Hartzell was cremated. There were 235 patients in the infirmary, a number of whom were helpless paralytics. There were also many insane patients, but all escaped except Hartzell.

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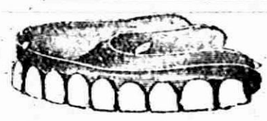

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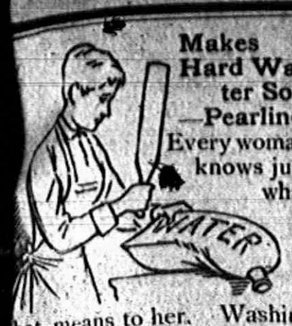

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

2 Atlantic Express	5:38 a. m.
20 New York and Boston Limited	7:47 a. m.
6 Detroit Accommodation	8:45 p. m
4 New York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

5 Pacific Express	1:11 a. m.
7 Athley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
9 Chicago Limited	3:15 p. m
3 St. Louis Express	6:15 p. m

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 313. Express.	No. 31 Accom
Napoleon Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 35 P M
Morrell	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Manchester	6 37 "	2 37 "	1 25 "
Clinton	6 48 "	2 45 "	.....
Tecumseh	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Adrian ..... Ar	7 18 "	3 18 "	2 08 "
Detroit Lv	7 45 "	3 45 "	8 3 "
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 8 8 Accom
Detroit Lv	.....	6 20 P.M.	.....
Toledo	7 49 A.M.	7 50 "	.....
Adrian	8 47 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 19 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
Morrell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
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Time Table in effect Dec. 27, 1896.

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EAST BOUND.

No. 21.	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
No. 23.	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25.	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 22.	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
No. 24.	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
No. 26.	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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EXPIRES ON MARCH 4.

Fifty-Fourth Congress Soon to Pass Into History.

In Future Years It Will Be Known as the Congress Which Has Not Accomplished Anything to Speak Of.

[Special Washington Letter.]

The Fifty-fourth congress has made its history, and is a thing of the past. By constitutional limitation it expires on the fourth day of March, when the new executive administration begins.

This fact is not generally known, and the people do not study political affairs as they ought to do. There are thousands of our people who do not know what the congress is, nor how it is composed. The young people who study the constitution in our schools know very well that the congress consists of a house of representatives, numbering 356 men, who are elected by a direct vote of the people; and a senate, composed of 90 members, who are elected by the legislatures of the various states. There are now 45 states in this union, and each state is entitled to two senators. Therefore there are 90 senators.

The congress is composed of two houses, or legislative assemblies, called the house of representatives and the senate. This fact ought to be known to every one; and yet I have shown intelligent people the senate chamber in the capitol building, and then shown them the house of representatives, and afterwards had them ask the startling question: "Now, where does congress meet?"

The fact that the general public does not take general interest in congressional proceedings was thrust upon me last summer, when one of my cousins came here from Pennsylvania and spent a few days in the national capital. He was riding along a prominent thoroughfare with me on an electric car, and I pointed out a large hotel, saying: "Tom Reed lives there."

"And who is Tom Reed?" inquired my cousin, and the inquiry almost took me off my feet.

We who live in Washington and know all of the public men of the land are prone to assume that everybody knows them, and understands them as we do; but in that we are mistaken. My cousin is a hard-working young man, and has a bank account. He does not drink nor use tobacco in any form. He reads the newspapers, and is generally well informed. And yet, he didn't know who Tom Reed is.

Under the circumstances it is only fair for me to assume that some of my readers do not know who Tom Reed is; and hence is it not improper to say something about him at this time.

Thomas Brackett Reed, of Portland, Me., is speaker of the national house of representatives. Out of the 356 representatives of the people of this great republic, he has been selected as the leader of the house of representatives, and has been elected to the position of presiding officer; and that position is known as the speakership. Contrary to general belief, the speaker does not make speeches. He seldom appears on the floor of the house of representatives, but usually comes into the large hall of the house just as the hour of 12, noon, approaches, and, taking the big gavel in his hand, strikes the desk in front of him with a heavy stroke which resounds throughout the large hall, and says: "The house will come to order. The chaplain will offer prayer."

Everybody arises and stands while the blind chaplain delivers an invocation. After that the journal of the preceding day's proceedings is read and approved, and then the usual daily business proceeds. But the speaker makes no speeches. He simply presides.

Everybody in Washington knows who Tom Reed is, and nearly everybody knows him by sight. He is fully six feet tall, broad shouldered, inclined to be fat, and has a very large head. For ten years he has been recognized as the leader of the republicans in the house of representatives. He was the speaker of the Fifty-first congress, but during the Fifty-second and Fifty-third congresses the democrats had control of the house of representatives, and Charles Frederick Crisp was speaker.

When the Fifty-fourth congress convened the republicans had a majority, and they elected Tom Reed without opposition in his own party. When the Fifty-fifth congress convenes in special session, on the 15th of March, the republicans will again elect Tom Reed, and he will have no opponent in his own party. The democrats, being in a minority, will nominate some man for the honor of the thing, but Tom Reed will be elected, because his party has a majority of the house.

But this letter is not to be about Tom Reed alone. What I want to talk about is the congress, the Fifty-fourth congress which is just passing into history. It is the least valuable of any congress which has come and gone during my many years of residence in the national capital. When it began, and Tom Reed was elected speaker, he made a few remarks to the representatives, saying: "The Fifty-first congress was noted for what it accomplished. This congress will be noted for what it does not accomplish."

That was a plain notification from Speaker Reed that he would not permit congress to do anything. The speaker has all power over the house of representatives. He appoints the committees, chairmen of the committees, and the other officials who have charge of legislation. No member of the house of representatives can make a speech or accomplish anything whatever without the consent of the presiding officer. He may shout "Mr. Speaker" until he gets hoarse or loses his voice, but he cannot make a speech, or call up a bill, or do anything legislative, unless the speaker chooses to grant him recognition. From this brief statement you will understand that the speaker has power but little less exalted than

NELSON DINGLEY, JR.
(Author of Dingley Tariff Bill.)

that which is placed in the hands of the president of the United States. He is practically the autocrat of legislation.

Knowing things as we understand them in Washington, you may well imagine that I was shocked when my cousin from Pennsylvania stated that he had never heard of Speaker Reed.

Well, speaking of the Fifty-fourth congress, which is expiring, it may be proper to state that it has done nothing worthy of mention. It has been a do-nothing congress, and when it has gone there will be no flowers of memory placed over its bier. The reason that nothing was accomplished by the congress is very plain. There were several candidates for the presidency in the congress, and all of them inclined to the belief that it would not be good politics to make too much of a record just before the meeting of the national convention.

Tom Reed, of Maine, aspired to the presidency. Senator Davis, of Minnesota, was a candidate, Senator Cullom, of Illinois, wanted the nomination. Senator Allison, of Iowa, was regarded as a likely candidate. Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, put up his lightning rod, hoping that presidential lightning might strike it. All of them are good men, and all of them patriotic citizens; and yet their combined judgment was that the Fifty-fourth congress ought to do nothing but pass appropriation bills.

Early in their first session President Cleveland startled these statesmen with a patriotic message on the Monroe doctrine, because of complications concerning the Venezuelan boundary question; and congress promptly appropriated $100,000 for the expenses of a commission to investigate that subject. The result has been an acknowledgment of the Monroe doctrine by Great Britain, and the peaceable solution of the Venezuelan boundary question. Beyond that one patriotic act the Fifty fourth congress has accomplished nothing of value to the country.

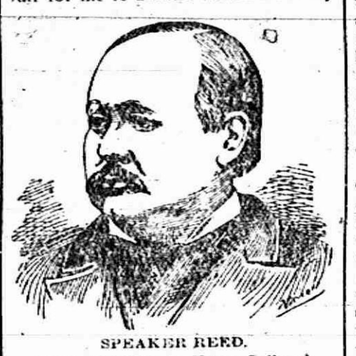
Of course you know that every congress exists for two years only. Since we have had 54 congresses, each being of two years' duration, we multiply 54 by two and ascertain that this republic is exactly 108 years old. It is just 108 years since George Washington became the first president of the United States. Inasmuch as the president serves four years, and each congress lasts but two years, every president must deal with two congresses. President Cleveland dealt with the Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth congresses; and President McKinley will deal with the Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth congresses.

The Fifty-fourth congress, which expires at noon on the fourth day of March, did nothing of practical value for the country, but much is expected of the Fifty-fifth congress, whose existence begins at noon on the fourth day of March. That congress is expected to enact a revenue bill, or a tariff bill, which will bring relief to our depleted national treasury. No congress within a generation has been confronted with such grave responsibility. Will they sow the wind and reap the whirlwind? Will they sow good seed on fertile soil? And in addition to questions of that character concerning the portents of the future everyone will be inclined to ask: "What shall the harvest be?"

Politicians of adverse beliefs and desires will hope for confusion to the incoming congress. Patriots, regardless of party affiliations, will pray that the incoming congress may be guided by wise and country-loving counsels, and bring about such legislation as will bring relief to our suffering people, even if prosperity shall not immediately dawn upon us.

Of only one thing can we be sure enough to make a prediction. There will be no general legislation during the extra session of congress. Speaker Reed has already announced that he will appoint no general committees; and nothing can be done without the regular committees to formulate the work. He says that the house shall do nothing but enact the Dingley tariff bill; and then sit here and await the action of the senate on that measure. That is the declared determination of Tom Reed; and he seems to be the boss of the situation. With these facts before you, everybody can guess the outcome of the present congress, as well as I can; and it is all guesswork anyway.

SMITH D. FRY.



SPEAKER REED.
(From Painting in House Gallery.)

HORTICULTURE.

ENTERING THE GARDEN.

Make It Easy for the Women and Children of the Family.

The garden gate is often neglected. Often it is a large gate to admit a double team with plow or wagon. More often it is a pair of bars that must be climbed over, let down or crowded through.

If the gate to your garden is like either of these described it would be a good idea to make a pair of steps as shown in the accompanying illustration. It can be easily made with a few inch boards and short bits of 2x4

BETTER THAN A POOR GATE.

scantling or stakes cut from the wood pile.

Many farmers have fields surrounded by wire fences. These fields are often crossed on foot, and many a step saved by avoiding the entrance gate; this is especially true in the winter time when the children are going to school. The wire fence is no respecter of clothes, and many a little girl is made sad by tearing her bright new gown while trying to get through one, and many a weary mother sighs as she takes up the rent trousers of the boy who was "getting over the fence and got caught." To save these tears, to save time, to save the strength of the fence, build a pair of steps as indicated by the illustration wherever a well-trodden path leads across (through) a wire fence.—Farm, Field and Fireside.

CHICORY IN INDIANA.

A Montgomery County Farmer Tells of His Experience with It.

Last spring I bought five cents' worth of chicory seed and planted it in my garden. This fall I dug four bushels of chicory roots. As I had never seen any of the stuff before, I did not know what to do with it, but hearing it was a substitute for coffee, concluded to try an experiment. I washed the roots carefully, sliced them into thin strips, took them to a heading mill and put them into a box used for drying heading timber. In three days they were as dry as powder. I ran them through a little hand bone mill, which took me about 15 minutes, and found I had over a bushel of chicory meal. This meal my wife roasts or browns in the stove, the same as green coffee, but it takes a much shorter time.

It is not a complete substitute for coffee, but if used with it cannot be detected from the pure article. We use two-thirds chicory and visitors declare they cannot tell it from pure coffee. I think it should be largely used, as coffee is not healthful, if medical authority is to be believed, but chicory never was known to have any bad effect unless used in excessive quantity, when it sometimes results in dysentery. Again coffee is expensive while chicory costs but very little. What I raised from five cents' worth of seed will last a large family five years. Let some of our wide-awake farmers in each community try it and it will not be long until a large coffee bill will be cut off from almost every family. The only trouble will be the drying of the roots, which must be done thoroughly, yet almost every town has some apparatus by which it can be done. It can be ground in an ordinary coffee mill.—Orange Judd Farmer.

How Plants Acquire Food.

The director of the New Jersey experiment station says: The legumes, a class of plants which includes the various clovers, peas, beans, vetches, etc., differ from other plants in being able, under proper conditions, to acquire their nitrogen from the air, and can, therefore, make perfect growth without depending upon soil nitrogen. On the other hand, the various grasses and grains are not only dependent upon soil nitrogen, but they must have an abundance during their most rapid period of growth in order to attain their maximum development. For the latter class of plants favorable results are secured from the proper use of nitrogenous manures, while for the former class the application of nitrogenous manures simply results in supplying an element which could have been secured quite as well by the plant itself, without expense.

How to Care for Plants.

To keep plants free from insects one of the best remedies is tobacco. Take a small package of strong tobacco and pour over it boiling water. When cool the plants should be set into the mixture and washed, leaves and all, besides being thoroughly soaked with it. Another remedy is a strong soapsuds made of carbolic soap and water. Plants must be kept clean if they are to be healthy. The leaves should be washed occasionally in order that the dust may be removed. The leaves are the lungs of the plants, and of course they cannot perform their work correctly if pores are obstructed by dust.—Farm and Home.

A Great Aid to Farmers.

A map of the farm, with each field numbered, and its size, quality of soil, etc., specified, will be a great aid in keeping track of the year's transactions. How few really know the expense of each grown crop the past year, what their cows, pigs, sheep and chickens have paid, etc.? This is an important matter and should not be neglected. It is a poor business man that does not know what he raises at a profit, and what at a loss.—Colman's Rural World.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on Monday the 1st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Charity Gallatin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Rachel Gallatin administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of Administration, thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to the statute in such case made and provided, that she may be discharged and her bond cancelled, and for such other order and decree as to this Court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 1st day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Paragar, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886 Samuel Lanzeters of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot of the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection herewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($ 34 51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee, (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

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LEE TO QUIT.

Cables to Secretary Olney That His Resignation Is on the Way.

New York, Feb. 24.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says: Fitzhugh Lee, consul general of the United States at Havana, has resigned, but has been requested to remain at his post for a time at least. A cablegram from Gen. Lee has been received at the state department announcing that he has forwarded his resignation by mail steamer. Secretary Olney replied to this almost immediately, urging Gen. Lee to withhold his resignation until something could be done, and declaring that his retirement at this time and in such a manner "would cause untold trouble."

A Severe Blizzard.

Houghton, Feb. 24.—A blizzard of unusual severity is being driven in from the northwest. Traffic is at a standstill on county roads and city streets are nearly impassable. Considerable snow is coming down and there is now six feet of snow on the level in parts of Houghton and Keweenaw counties.

Gladstone, Feb. 24.—A blizzard from the northwest is raging here and fears are entertained for the fishermen on the bay. Over 12 inches of snow has fallen in two hours.

Gave Himself Up.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 24.—Charles B. McCloy, wanted in Michigan for embezzling $8,000, surrendered to United States Marshal Baldwin Tuesday. He was assistant cashier in the Second national bank of Bay City, Mich. He fled from the town and has been traveling around the world since. The money has been spent.

Appointed to West Point.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 20. — Among cadet appointments to the military academy at West Point are the following: Edmund K. Sterling, Detroit, Mich.; Charles F. Delbridge (alternate), Detroit, Mich.

Michigan Republicans.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24.—The Michigan republicans in convention in this city renominated Charles D. Long for justice of the superior court and unseated W. J. Cocker and Charles D. Lawton for university regents.

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It is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

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Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

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Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.

Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made and executed by William T. Aspold and Caroline Aspold his wife, to Joseph Russell, dated April 21, 1891 and recorded on the 26th day of May, 189 in the Register of Deeds office for Lenawee County, Michigan in Liber 95, of Mortgages on page 188—upon which mortgage there remains unpaid of the principal and accrued interest at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred fifty-seven and 58-100 dollars ($ 1457 58) and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and the interest thereon hereafter to accrue at 7 per cent per annum the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage, I shall on the first day of March, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian Lenawee county Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the south line of Chicago street in said village of Tecumseh, such point of beginning being at the same time at the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by T. T. Kneeland and more recently occupied by M. P. Henry, thence running east on the south line of Chicago street forty-one feet and three inches to land owned by George Merritt; thence south on west line of said Merritt's land ninety feet, thence west at right angles with the first course forty-one feet and three inches to the east line of said T. T. Kneeland property; thence north on east line of said T. T. Kneeland property ninety feet to the place of beginning.

Dated December 4th, 1896.

Joseph Russell Mortgagee.

Charles Burridge Attorney for mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington late of Macon, Michigan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan, on the fifth day of December A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased situate on section 5 of the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 27th day of February, 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to all incumberences by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased and also subject to the right of dower and homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein) the following described real estate:

All those parcels of land in the township of Macon, Lenawee county, Michigan described as follows: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 6 east—excepting all that part thereof lying north of the center of the saline and Tecumseh road, so called, also further excepting a parcel of land thirty (30) rods wide north and south to be taken from off the south end thereof.

Also the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 6, east.

Also that part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, of town 5, south of range 6, east bounded by beginning at the intersection of the east line of said southwest quarter of said section with the east line of the saline and Tecumseh road so called, thence southwesterly along the center of said road to a point 20 rods north of the south line of said section; thence west parallel with the south line of said section to a point 8 rods east of the west line of said section; thence north sixteen rods; thence west twenty-four and two-thirds (24⅔) rods to land of John Jackson; thence north parallel with the west line of said section to the north line of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5; thence east to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said southwest quarter of said section 5, thence south to place of beginning.

Also to the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5 of town 5, south of range 6, east—excepting therefrom all those parcels thereof to be taken from off the south side thereof heretofore sold and conveyed to other parties.

Reserving all the growing wheat on all the lands above described with right to harvest and remove the same.

Dated January 8, 1897.

CLARIBEL PENNINGTON, Administratrix.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

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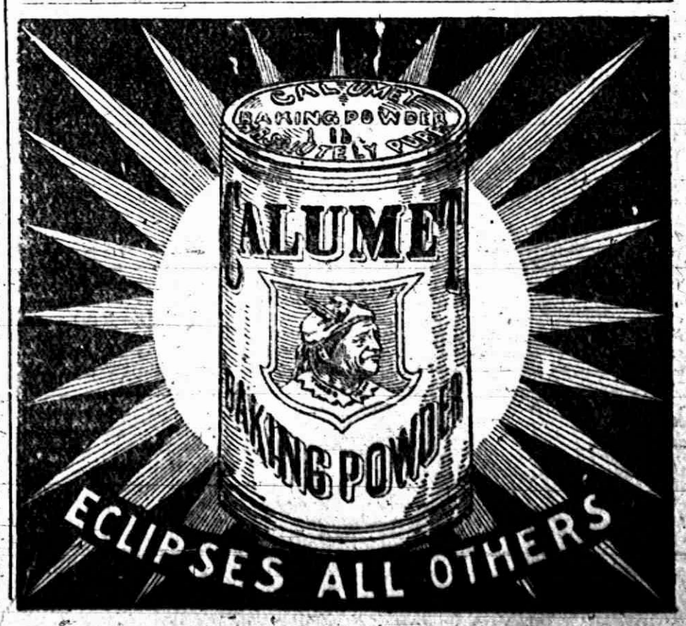

LETTER FROM LANSING

News Gathered from Among the State Lawmakers.

AMENDMENTS TO THE TAX LAW.

The General Committee on Taxation Fairly Swamped with Bills—The Detroit Single Tax Club Has a Bill Before the Legislature—Unexpected Streak of Economy Causes Fear and Trembling in Official Quarters—To Reduce Officials' Pay.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 23.—In his report to the joint prison boards at their meeting here last week, Warden Van Evera of the Marquette prison gave a very amusing account of his first year's experience as a farmer at the prison. Not being a practical farmer himself, the warden placed the garden in the hands of a farmer from the southern part of the state, who had been unfortunate enough to be convicted of the crime of setting fire to another man's barn. The convict was an intelligent fellow, and so the warden employed no superintendent of farming that year. His experience was extremely unfortunate. He could not understand why the cabbages did not grow nor why the other garden truck did not prosper, and the most thorough investigation failed to reveal the reason until about the time the farmer was disharged at the expiration of his sentence. Then it was that Warden Van Evera learned that his farmer convict entertained the idea that the state was perpetrating some sort of an injustice upon him, and in order to square the account to the satisfaction of his conscience he had pinched the tender cabbage plant just below the surface of the ground, and had practiced upon other portions of the crop other tricks known only to the practical farmer. Of course it took all summer to realize the results of this kind of farming and the effect was extremely depressing upon the warden, who frankly admits that farming at the prison that season may justly be put down as a failure.

Financial Result Unsatisfactory.

The next year panned out a little better, a fairly good crop being harvested. The crop, however, consisted mostly of potatoes, and as they were worth but 10 cents per bushel that fall the financial results, after the practical farmer in charge of the farm was paid, were not all that could be desired. Indeed the produce raised could have been bought that fall from the farmers for about one-half what the prison farmer's salary amounted to. Last year the net results were much better, the average earnings of the convicts employed on the farm being 11 cents per day, but the warden does not think that agriculture at the Marquette prison is either a practicable or desirable outlet for convict labor.

No bill thus far introduced has created more discussion than that of Representative Adams, of Kent, which proposes a most radical reform with reference to real estate offered at sheriff's sale to satisfy a mortgage. It is designed to save the mortgagor from losing his entire property, which may be mortgaged for only a small portion of its value, because of his inability to overbid the mortgagee who, of course, limits his bid to the amount of his claim. The measure provides that in all cases of mortgage sales, etc., the circuit court shall appoint three disinterested persons to appraise the property to be sold, and that in no instance shall it be sold at less than two-thirds of its appraised value. The objection to this bill is that the money loaner has some rights which cannot, it is contended, be thus legislated away. It will be readily seen that should his claim not amount to two-thirds of the appraised value and should no one see fit to bid that sum for the real estate, he would have no way of collecting the money due him and to which he is legally and morally entitled. Here would be a case of the state wiping out one's possessions with a vengeance.

Attempt to Pass a Single-Tax Bill.

Four attempts have been made to secure the passage of a single tax bill, but none of them has been successful. The first proposition to exempt the products of human labor from taxation was made by Representative Judson Grenell, of Detroit, in 1887, but the bill never left the hands of the judiciary committee of the house, although it was argued before that body. Two years later Representative Wettlaufer, of Detroit, introduced a similar bill, the application of which, however, was confined to the city of Detroit. This measure was reported out without recommendation, and in committee of the whole the introducer advocated it in a speech which attracted much attention. Four years ago a committee endeavored, without success, to induce the commission which drafted the blanket charter bills to incorporate in them a local option single tax provision. This year a bill drafted by the Detroit single tax club has been introduced by Representative Stoneman, of Wayne, but it is not believed that it will make much progress.

The general committee on taxation is fairly swamped with bills proposing an amendment to the tax laws. They propose all sorts of schemes, and most of them will never see the outside of the committee room. The state tax statistician truthfully says that whether taxes are high or low depends upon the people themselves. He furthermore says that while much complaint is made of the excessive state tax, yet it is exceedingly small when compared with what the people vote on themselves in the shape of county taxes. He believes in an inheritance tax and salaries tax law, citing numerous instances of state employes who draw comfortable salaries from the public treasury, but who do not pay one cent of taxes. They do not own a dollar's worth of real estate, and although they share in the benefits of taxation to the extent of their entire income, yet they pay nothing towards such benefits.

Would Tax the Professions.

The tax statistician also calls attention to the fact that 3,000 are annually educated at the university at a cost of $300,000 to the state, but nothing to themselves. He would remedy this state of affairs by taxing professions so every person who graduates in a profession should contribute to the expense of carrying on the educational system of the state.

This reference to the university suggests the fact that that institution will ask for appropriations in addition to the one-sixth mill tax, despite the fact that all the farmer organizations of the state have resolved that it should be restricted to the revenue from the latter source. It is asserted, and the assertion is susceptible of easy demonstration, that the quarters of the law department, which is more than self-sustaining, are wholly inadequate. The contemplated special appropriations include money for a new library, so that the present library can be transformed into recitation rooms, etc. An annex to the hospital is also needed, and it is desired, in the interests of economy and greater efficiency, to install an electric lighting plant. These improvements will cost, in the aggregate, about $100,000. It is extremely doubtful if they will be provided for. The senate might possibly consent to the additional appropriations, but it is not at all probable that the house would do so. The bill making these appropriations has been introduced by State Senator Mason.

Cuts in the Pay of Employes.

There is great trembling in official quarters over the unexpected streak of economy which the final rush of bills has demonstrated exists in the senate. The particular bill on which the officials and clerks are casting anxious eyes was introduced by State Senator Wagar. It is by far the most sweeping salary-reducing measure ever introduced in the Michigan legislature, beginning with the justices of the supreme court and going clear through the list, taking in every official whose salary is not fixed by the constitution. The bill proposes to cut the salary of the supreme court justices from $7,000 to $6,000, and fix that of circuit court judges, judges of the superior court of Grand Rapids and of the recorder's court of Detroit at $2,500. This would cut the salary of the last named official squarely in two. Instead of fees variously estimated at from $6,000 to $10,000 per year, the clerk of the supreme court is to have a salary of $2,000. The office of deputy commissioner of the state land office is abolished, and the salary of deputies to other elective state officials, except treasurer and superintendent of public instruction, is reduced from $1,800 to $1,500, as is that of the private secretary to the governor. The salary of railroad and banking commissioner is reduced from $2,500 to $2,000, and that of labor and insurance commissioner from $2,000 to $1,500. At present the maximum salary which can be paid the ordinary clerks in the various departments is $1,000, and most of these employes are paid the limit. The Wagar bill fixes this maximum at $720, the auditor general being allowed four chiefs of divisions at $1,000 each. At present these chief clerks in all departments receive either $1,100 or $1,200. The number of clerks to be employed in the several departments is materially reduced. Senator Wagar figures that his bill will effect an annual saving in excess of $50,000.

Pingree Nominations.

Although the senate confirmed the nominations of Colonel Fred H. Case of Three Rivers for inspector general, and A. C. Bird for member of the state board of agriculture, the fight between Governor Pingree and that body is as intense as ever. If there has been any change in the situation it has been for the worse. The nominations of ex-Governor Luce for member of the Ionia prison board, and of Rev. L. Morgan Wood of Detroit for member of the state board of correction and charities, are still hung up, and there is no telling when they will be disposed of. It is freely predicted, however, that when that time comes it will be found that Wood, at least, will not be confirmed.

The breach between the governor and the senate widened very perceptably last Friday when Senator Covell introduced a bill designed to defeat a purpose which has been attributed to the governor, and which it must be confessed, there is some reason for believing he entertained. Since Dec. 31 the terms of a number of members of various state boards have expired, and but few of the vacancies have been filled. The term of Labor Commissioner Morse will expire March 1, but thus far no one has been named to succeed him. The theory of the senators is that, because of the treatment which his nominations thus far made have received at their hands, the governor has decided to send in no more until after the final adjournment of the legislature. Then, under the present law, he can name whomsoever he pleases and the appointees can qualify at once and hold until the legislature meets in 1899.

Bill by Senator Covell.

In order to prevent this Senator Covell has introduced a bill providing that when vacancies occur on state boards or in state offices previous to or during the session of the legislature, nominations to fill such vacancies must be made before the session adjourns. If the governor fails to make such nominations within the prescribed time, then the hold-over officials are to continue in office until the next regular session of the legislature. It is not unlikely that this bill will pass the senate, but the chances are against its going through the house.

Great things are expected of the special committee of three appointed by the house last week to investigate the charges of violations of the law governing freight rates on the part of railroad companies. Complaints of discrimination have been received from all sections of the state, and for several weeks the farmers' organization of the legislature has been gathering evidence on this point. The special committee has been given power to subpoena witnesses, examine books, etc., and it proposes to go into the subject exhaustively. Inasmuch as a majority of the committee are recognized Pingree men, who are in accord with the governor's railroad programme, it may be expected to tear up the turf to a considerable extent. The vote of 47 to 36 by which the house refused to reconsider the vote by which it was decided to appoint this committee was especially pleasing to Governor Pingree. It showed that within four of a majority of the members of the house were in favor of advancing his project, and enough of his friends were absent when the vote was taken to make up the difference. The situation in the senate is different, however, and it is freely predicted that no anti-railroad legislation of any consequence will pass that body.

JAMES V. BARRY.

Major McKinley will, at the time of his inauguration, be 54 years of age. Nine presidents entered the White House at an earlier age—Grant at 47, Cleveland at 48, Garfield and Pierce at 49, Polk at 50, Fillmore at 50, Tyler and Arthur at 51, and Lincoln at 52.

MANY LIVES LOST.

Floods Continue Their Work of Ruin and Death.

Eighteen Persons Thus Far Drowned in Raging Waters—Many Towns Deluged—Property Damage Enormous.

Cincinnati, Feb. 24.—Following is the complete list, thus far reported, of those who have met death in the Ohio valley floods:

At Pineville, Ky.—Two mountaineers and a revenue man drowned; names not given.
At Grafton, W. Va.—William Tate, Baltimore & Ohio fireman; drowned.
At Middlesboro, Ky.—James Chaswell, wife and four children; drowned.
At Keystone, W. Va.—Young Wade, druggist, drowned.
At Sparta, Ky.—Charles Holton, bank clerk; drowned.
In Breathitt county, Ky.—Mrs. Hutzell's little daughter; drowned.
In Belle county, Ky.—Two men, unknown; drowned.
At Bluefield, W. Va.—Sylvester Waters, teamster; drowned in Clear creek.
At Portsmouth, O.—"Aunt Bibble," eccentric river character, missing and believed to be drowned.
At Donkeyville, Ky.—Jonas Tyree; drowned in Powell river.

Residents Moving Out.

Cincinnati, Feb. 24.—The Ohio is still rising at the rate of three inches an hour and has been since 11 a. m. Tuesday, before which four inches an hour had been the rate for several hours. At 11 p. m. 54 feet three inches was the stage. Reports from all up river points are that the heavy rains of the past 24 hours have left all tributaries at overflowing banks and sending vast volumes into the Ohio. Unless there is a sharp freeze to stiffen the water-soaked ground it is estimated by river men that a 60-foot stage is almost certain. The great tobacco warehouses on Front street, are full of water to the first floor, but the stock had all been safely removed. The wharf boats at the public landing are tied up almost at the Pan-Handle railroad tracks.

In Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24.—At Jackson, the Kentucky river broke three log booms, letting out 5,000 logs. Abe Reed, colored, was drowned while trying to save them.

The town of Farmer is under water. Fifty thousand logs have been lost in the Big Sandy valley. The mountain streams are full of wrecks of cabins and barns of the mountaineers. The Ohio is still rising, with 22 feet on the falls, but no serious danger is apprehended, owing to the cold wave which arrived Tuesday.

Two-thirds of the town of Corbin is under water. The damage is estimated at $25,000.

The damage from the flood in southeastern Kentucky is estimated at $200,000. The Kentucky river rose 40 feet in two hours and swept everything before it. The Cumberland river destroyed all property in the bottom lands of Harlan county. James Tyree was caught in Powell river and drowned.

Salyersville, East Point and Abideen are almost entirely submerged. The lower portion of Maysville is under water. At Bristol, Tenn., a flood poured down the valley, and but for the blowing of alarm whistles several families would have perished. Damage, $20,000.

Capitol Grounds Under Water.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 24.—There is fully six feet of water in the capitol yard. Every newspaper in town is submerged. The Gazette got out a small edition on a job press giving the stage of water. Electric light and gas plants are both under water. The only lights in use are oil lamps and candles. It is impossible to estimate the damage in the upper part of town. A bureau for the relief of the flood-sufferers has been opened. The water is falling, but a second rise is reported coming. Business is almost entirely suspended. Telephone connection is broken and scarcely a business house is open. The post office now occupies an island.

The village of Sinclairville, W. Va., opposite Cumberland, is under water. George Ashey and his team of horses were drowned near Westernport Monday afternoon. A number of cattle belonging to farmers above Cumberland have been drowned. Small houses are being anchored with ropes.

Great Distress.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 24.—The Ohio and Kanawha rivers at this point have reached an alarmingly high stage, and the gravest fears are entertained. The water is rushing over the rivers' banks, flooding the lowlands. Hundreds of families living on the river banks are homeless, seeking shelter and aid. The city relief committee is rendering what help is possible to prevent starvation. The severe cold weather adds to the distress of the unfortunate. The farm lands up the Kanawha river are completely flooded, and the destruction to farm property is appalling. Great suffering and distress exist among the farmers, who are left without any means of subsistence from the loss of their crops. Several persons are reported drowned.

The Floods in Pennsylvania.

McKeesport, Pa., Feb. 24.—Both the Monongahela and Youghiogheny rivers at this point have overflowed their banks and the streets and all the houses in the lower portion of the city are inundated. All the mills and factories in the flooded district are submerged and operations suspended. Several houses have been moved from their foundations and many stables and outbuildings have been carried away. No lives have been reported lost, but narrow escapes have been made by people who have been removed from second and third stories of their homes. The situation is serious and the loss in this city alone it is now believed will reach $200,000.

Wife Murderer Hanged.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Daniel McCarthy was hanged in the Cook county jail yesterday for the murder of his wife on May 12, 1896.

Died of His Injuries.

Akron, O., Feb 23.—Ex-Judge R. W. Sadler, aged 41, died of injuries received in a runaway. His skull was fractured

LITERARY NOTES.

The only complete and accurate account of the life of Lyman J. Gage, Maj. McKinley's choice for Secretary of the Treasury, has been written for the March Review of Reviews by Major Moses P. Handy, who describes the leading traits of Chicagos first citizen in a twelve page illustrated article, written in Major Handy's usually felicitous style.

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Ex-President Harrison has written of "A Day with the President at His Desk" for the March Ladies' Home Journal. The article is said to be singularly interesting in the detail with which it describes the wearisome routine of the President. A feature of the article that will have a timely interest to those ambitious to serve the country under the incoming administration, describes very fully how the President makes appointments to office. "A Day with the President at His Desk," is unique in being the first time that the daily life of the President has been described by one who has filled the exalted office.

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Prior to 1875 there were only half a dozen greenhouses in the country making a business of raising plants for the market, and most of these were devoted exclusively to flower-culture. The cut flower trade in New York began to assume considerable importance eight years ago, and to meet the ready demand for the flowers in the middle of winter, greenhouses quickly sprang up in the suburbs. The cost of construction decreased, and the expense of propagating the flowers was proportionately reduced, making the business very remunerative to the growers. A new era in flower culture was inaugurated. Enormous glass houses were erected in the country and where a few dozen men were formerly employed, thousands soon sought and obtained profitable work.—George E. Walsh, in March Lippincott's.

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The approaching end of the century is fitly commemorated in Harper's Magazine by a series of illustrated articles by Dr. H. S. Williams on the progress of science during the past hundred years. The March number treats the "Astronomical Progress of the Century," and deals with the advances made, owing to the perfection of the telescope and the marvelous application of the spectroscope, in our theories of the universe—the birth, death, and resurrection of worlds and of solar systems. Those critics who complain that the present age is lacking in imagination, and that the present decade is fin de siecle, would do well to consider what the end of the century has brought us in the way of science and philosophy. The theories of the latest astronomers unfold fields of imagination more wonderful than the cosmography of Dante or Milton, and the philosophy to which they inevitably give birth is profounder and more deeply significant than that of Thomas Aquinas of John Calvin.

Farmers' Social Club.

On Thursday evening March 11th the club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Benedict. The following program will be rendered:—

Roll Call—Current Events.
Music.
Paper—Board of Trade—J. F. N. Bowen.
Rec.—Ethel Hendershot.
Paper—Trusts and Combines—John Boyce.
Reading—Mrs. John Boyce.
Vocal Music—Mrs. George Benedict.
Historical Questions.
Question: Resolved, That there should be a law to prevent trusts and combinations. Led by O. P. Remington.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club.

The T. and F. Farmer's Club met at the home of Martin Updyke, Feb. 19th. A good program was carried out. The next meeting will be held at the home of Albert Haire. The following program will be given:

Reading—Mrs. Melody.
Rec.—Bertha VanValkenburg.
Dec.—Robbie Haire.
Rec.—Ella Munger.
Reading—May Aylesworth.
Chips—Mrs. VanValkenburg.
Charade—Mrs. Waldron.
Song—Gleene Shorts.
Dec.—Harry Abbott.
Rec.—Elsie Updyke.
Conumdrums—Mrs. Hoag.
Dec.—Eddie Hoag.
Rec.—Maud Abbott.
Charade—Mrs. Haire.
Something Funny—Mr. VanValkenburg.

Auction Sale.

My lease having expired, I will sell at public auction on the premises (Philip DePuy farm) one mile south and one mile west of Pennington's Corners, on Wednesday March 10th, 1897, at one o'clock sharp, the following property: Two good road mares, 6 and 8 years old, one sorrel horse 7 years old, one full blood Jersey cow, due to calf March 15, one part Jersey 3 years old coming in in May, one yearling heifer, Jersey full blood; one Jersey bull 4 months old, full blood; 14 pigs, four and five weeks old; 2 lumber wagons, set double harness, one single harness, double buggy, open buggy, Gale Plow, Scotch harrow, 2 set 3-horse whiffletrees, one set double whiffletrees, bob-sleigh, log chains, Champion mower, cultivators and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale: All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. Over $5.00, one year's time, on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

E. S. MILLYARD.
Frank Davidson, Auctioneer.

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Mr. Cleveland Retires and Mr. McKinley Becomes Our President.

Descriptive Account of the Inaugural Ceremonies---The Great Parade.

Full Text of President McKinley's Address—His Policy Is Clearly Outlined.

Must Stick to Gold Standard Until International Bimetallism Is Obtained.

Calls a Special Session of Congress to Meet March 15—Vice President Hobart's Address.

Washington, March 4.—The nation greets its new ruler, President William McKinley. The nation bids godspeed to its past ruler, Private Citizen Grover Cleveland, who for the second time has retired from its service as its chief executive and has again entered upon a private career. At noon to-day William McKinley, of Ohio, took the oath of office as president of the United States for the term of four years which is to come to an end March 4, 1901.

A few minutes before Mr. McKinley assumed the duties of his high office Garret A. Hobart, of New Jersey, in the presence of the senate and house, took the oath of office as vice president of the United States, becoming by virtue thereof ex-officio presiding officer of the senate. This function took place quietly in the senate chamber.

A Grand Spectacle.

The spectacular features attending the inauguration were, if anything, more imposing than any which have been witnessed at former like ceremonies. The inaugural parade was composed of between 40,000 and 50,000 men taken from the ranks of the military, naval and civic organizations. Fully 20,000 people were massed in front of the senate wing of the capitol and witnessed the administration of the oath to President McKinley and listened to his masterly inaugural address.

At night the gorgeous inaugural ball was given in the pension building, the immense promenade and dancing floor being packed with participants. At night also occurred the grand pyrotechnical display and illumination of the city.

Mr. Cleveland and Mr. McKinley rode side by side to and from the capitol. They had dined together at the white house on Tuesday evening and had lunched in each other's company on Wednesday.

The Decorations.

Most effective were the decorations in which the city had clothed itself in honor of the occasion. Public buildings, business blocks and private residences were gayly and attractively attired with the national colors entwined in almost every conceivable shape, while thousands of flags floated from every desirable point. The reviewing stand in front of the white house, from which President McKinley and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland and a host of distinguished personages witnessed the procession, was a handsome pavilion—an architectural creation in white and gold.

Down Pennsylvania Avenue.

No other boulevard in the world could have afforded so grand a thoroughfare for the passage of the parade than did Pennsylvania avenue. For fully a mile it presented an uninterrupted view from the white house to the capitol. At every available point along the avenue great stands had been erected, and these were occupied by the enthusiastic populace, whose cheers and other manifestations of applause were continuous. A force of mounted policemen kept clear the space allotted to the marching thousands and prevented injury to the more venturesome of the spectators. Every building on the line of march was draped in bunting of the national colors and every window and point of vantage was occupied. The beautiful stars and stripes were everywhere seen, with other appropriate banners and emblems. In addition to these festive decorations, 50,000 miniature United States flags had been gratuitously distributed by the committee of arrangements. These were exhibited at all available points and were waved with enthusiasm as the two presidents and other known public men rode by. At least 100,000 throats voiced a continuous welcome from the time the procession started until the capitol was reached, and these vociferations were still more enthusiastically echoed on the return trip.

McKinley Goes to the White House.

During the forenoon, escorted by the senate committee, President-elect McKinley drove from his temporary quarters at the Ebbitt house to the executive mansion to pay his respects to the retiring president. He was received and welcomed by President Cleveland and his cabinet in one of the handsome state apartments. Then the two distinguished men descended the white house steps and together entered a four-horse carriage, Mr. Cleveland sitting to the right, and, amid the booming of cannon, the clatter of cavalry, the deep, hoarse rumble of artillery, the measured tread of many columns of infantry and the blare of innumerable bands, the march to the capitol began. In another four-horse carriage following the president rode Vice President-elect Hobart and the senators deputed to escort him to the scene of his future duties. Then, in a long stream of carriages, came the distinguished guests. The president's personal escort was Troop A, of Cleveland, O., 80 cavalrymen mounted on coal black chargers and, still more interesting, a detachment of grizzled veterans from the Twenty-third Ohio volunteers, Maj. McKinley's old regiment.

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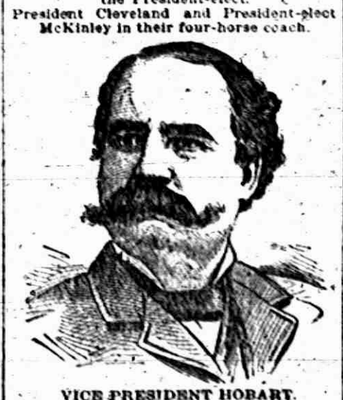
HOBART TAKES THE GAVEL.

THE PARADE.

Formation of the Escort to and from the Capitol.

The inaugural parade was given under the leadership of Gen. Horace F. Porter, who was the grand marshal, with a strong force of aids. A rough total of the number of regulars and militia soldiers and sailors in line shows an aggregate of 11,000 to 12,000. The escort of President McKinley numbered about 5,000. The civic organizations are estimated at about 12,000. The escort to the president from the executive mansion to the capitol was the first division of the parade forces. The escort from the capitol to the executive mansion was composed of one military and one civic grand division, subdivided into divisions and brigades. The final arrangement for the escort from the white house to the capitol provided for a parade in the following order:

Platoon of Mounted Police.
Governor's Island Band.
Grand Marshal Horace Porter, staff and aids.
Gen. Wesley Merritt, United States Army, Marshal of the First Brigade.
Battalion of United States Engineers.
Seventeenth Infantry.
United States Foot Artillery.
Regiment of Marines.
Battalion of Seamen.
Battery of Light Artillery.
Squadron of Artillery.
Troop A, of Cleveland, O., personal escort to the President-elect.
President Cleveland and President-elect McKinley in their four-horse coach.



VICE PRESIDENT HOBART.

Detachment of Veterans of the Twenty-third Ohio Volunteers.
Vice President-elect Hobart and the Senate Committee of Arrangement.
Members of the Cabinet.
The Senior Admiral of the Navy.
Col. Cecil Clay, Marshal of the Second Brigade.
District of Columbia National Guard.

Escort to the White House.

At the conclusion of the inaugural address by President McKinley the first division, which formed the escort to the capitol, marched north along the east front to the capitol, thence west to First street and out in Pennsylvania avenue past the white house, countermarching on K street to the place of dismissal at Fourteenth and K streets.

Immediately after the grand marshal and his staff came Troop A, then the president, the detachment of veterans of the Twenty-third Ohio volunteers, and the presidential party in carriages. The military grand division was composed first of the regulars under Col. John S. Poland, and there was a full representation of the artillery, marines, seamen, infantry, light artillery and regular artillery. The second brigade was made up of the District of Columbia national guard and the whole of the military division was under the command of Gen. Wesley Merritt.

The second grand division of the parade embraced militia from other states. It was under the command of Gov. Bushnell, of Ohio, and was subdivided into several brigades. The first in the order of their marching included Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maryland. In the second brigade New York, Virginia, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Vermont and Kentucky. The third brigade included Ohio, Illinois, Texas, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the colored troops of Washington city. The third division of the brigade was made up of veteran organizations, commanded by Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, United States army, retired. The first brigade included the department of the Potomac of the Grand Army of the Republic. In the second brigade were the Union Veteran legion, the Union Veteran club and other organizations of old soldiers. The civic grand division of the parade, which was one of the most striking features of the afternoon, was under command of B. H. Warner, of Washington city, with aids from each state of the union. It was divided into divisions, the

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first of which was commanded by D. D. Woodmansee, president of the National League of Republican clubs. This embraced political organizations from Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia and Maryland.

Commanded by Governors.

In the second division, commanded by J. Franklin Fort, of New Jersey, were more political clubs from Maryland and others from the District of Columbia, Virginia, New York, North Carolina and Kentucky. The third division of the civic parade had as its marshal Congressman J. A. T. Hull, of Iowa, and embraced the political clubs from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Florida and West Virginia. The military representatives of the different states were commanded by the governors, accompanied by their full staff. Gov. Tanner and his staff, with the Illinois military, was assigned to the third brigade of the second division. The Illinois political clubs marched in the first brigade, commanded by Warren P. Sutton, of Michigan, of the third division of the civic section of the parade.

Salvos of Artillery.

A national salute of 21 guns was fired when President Cleveland left the white house in company with Maj. McKinley for the capitol and another salute of 21 guns announced that they had entered the capitol. One gun was fired when Maj. McKinley took the oath of office and a national salute of 21 guns at the conclusion of the inaugural, when President McKinley and Mr. Cleveland began their return march to the white house, and the same number of guns when the tour was made.

HOBART INAUGURATED.

Vice President Takes the Oath in the Senate Chamber.

While the procession was wending its way to the capitol both houses of congress assembled in the senate chamber. The joint assembly was presided over by the retiring vice president, Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois. There were also present the eight justices of the United States supreme court and the diplomatic corps, headed by Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador. Promptly at noon President Cleveland and President-elect McKinley entered the chamber, the entire body rising and remaining in this position until they had

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been shown to the seats set apart for them. After a few words of farewell to his associates by Vice President Stevenson he pronounced the senate of the Fifty-fourth congress adjourned sine die. Then the extra session of the Fifty-fifth session, called by President Cleveland to meet at noon on March 4, commenced. The late vice president made way for his successor, Mr. Hobart, to whom the oath of office was administered, after which he made a brief address. He then proceeded in his turn to swear in such as were present of the 30 senators whose terms either of election or reelection began contemporaneously with that of the president.

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TAUGHT HER A LESSON.

She Probably Found a New Place for Hiding the Key.

The other day a very estimable lady came to town to do a little shopping, says the Atlanta Constitution. Of course the key was put under the doormat so that her son, whom she expected to return before her, could get in. In her absence a tramp, who had been hanging around the place a number of days and had caught on, boldly went into the house, got some of the choicest viands out of the pantry, put them on the table and pitched in. He also found a bottle of wine that revived his spirits. He did not expect anyone there for a number of hours and so he took it easy.

In the meantime the lady of the house having finished her shopping returned home and, seeing the front door unlocked, expected to find her son inside. Imagine her horror when she opened the dining-room door and saw sitting at her table the rustiest-looking tramp that ever vied with his companions in accumulating dirt on his epidermis. The lady was dumfounded. In the silence that followed the tramp coolly remarked: "Madam, I shall become scarce, now, ez I've eaten enuff. All I kin give yer back fer this good meal and wat I want ter say ter yer is that yer ought to find a new hidin' place fer yer key. I won't charge yer nothin' for this advice." With that the tramp departed.

HE SAID "POKE AND BEANS."

The Failure of a Georgia Man to Pass Himself Off as a Yankee.

Joe Cavan, who has had a whirlwind experience in the south and west, said to the crowd, in the presence of the New York Sun reporter, in the same old place, the uptown hotel:

"My advice to you all is, be natural. Do not try to deceive people with your affected talk or in your clothes. You will be certain to show the cloven foot somewhere. I was at a dinner once in St. Louis. It was given by Gov. Marmaduke. Before we had given our orders, for at a western dinner every man has the privilege of saying what he wants, the governor asked one of his guests where he hailed from. One was from Tennessee, one from Illinois, one from California. The east was not represented, so I handed in my card from Vermont. Just then the waiter passed the bill of fare, and my ruling passion asserted itself. 'Poke and beans,' said I, in my natural voice.

"'Cavan,' said the governor of Missouri, vehemently, 'you're from Georgy. No man from Vermont ever said "poke and beans," and your scheme of passing for a Yankee, sub, is reprehensible, and will cost you the wine.'

"I have sailed under my own colors ever since."

Defenses of Gibraltar.

Since the invention of long-range rifle guns the fortress of Gibraltar, in every sense of the word, controls the entrance to the Mediterranean, for at the narrowest part of the strait there are only 18 miles between Europe and Africa, and the guns of the fortress can deliver shots and sells if necessary on the African shore. The military authorities of Gibraltar, however, do not depend upon the guns of the fortifications for blocking the Mediterranean, for at Gibraltar there is always stationed a fleet of powerful ships which can be called into service to assist in defending the strait against the naval forces of a foreign power.

RECORD IS BROKEN.

Bills and Resolutions Introduced at Lansing.

PROSPECT OF A LONG SESSION.

Unless a Decided Improvement in Haste Is Made the Legislature May Drag Along Until August—Dudley Beet Sugar Bounty Bill Passed by the House—Bills Providing for Reduction of Salaries—Petrowski's Liquor Bill.

Lansing, Mich., March 3.—The present legislature has broken one record and, unless the statesmen comprising that body speedily acquire a hustle and work it vigorously they will make another, which will not be calculated to please their constituents. The first record relates to the number of bills introduced, and the prospective one to the length of the session. When the constitutional limit of fifty days during which bills could be introduced was reached last week, the files contained a total of 1,839 bills and joint resolutions, an excess of 133 over the number introduced two years ago when the high water mark was reached. Each house smashed the record, the totals for the senate being 540 bills and twenty joint resolutions, and for the house 1,232 bills and forty-seven joint resolutions.

An examination of the files by gentlemen who have been connected with the legislature for many years, warrants the statement that if there is any subject not treated or of any reform not provided for in the vast number of bills now awaiting consideration, no one has yet discovered what they are. Every good or cranky notion that ever entered any one's head has found expression in one bill or another.

Session May Last Till August.

The unusual number of bills introduced suggests the thought that the legislature has not been making remarkable haste in disposing of its work, and unless a decided improvement is shown in that regard, the session will drag along until the 1st of August. The danger of this is all the graver because so many of the bills are in the line of decided innovations and are likely to provoke prolonged discussion. The governor's reform bills alone are sufficiently numerous and important to furnish work for an ordinary session.

A very pleasant feature of the present session is the social side which is being cultivated to a greater extent than ever before. More than the usual number of legislators have their wives or daughters with them and are keeping house. They constitute quite a colony and are much given to social pleasures. Lieutenant Governor Dunstan and Speaker Gordon have each entertained at two very enjoyable card parties, and these, in addition to numerous informal gatherings, have served to make the winter pass very pleasantly.

The most important measure that has thus far passed either house received a majority vote in the lower house last Friday. This was the Dudley bill providing for the payment of a bounty for beet sugar of Michigan production, mention of which was made in these columns a fortnight ago. The unanimity of the vote in the house augurs well for the fate of the bill in the senate, although it is probable that it will meet with greater opposition there.

No Limit to the Aggregate Bounty.

The bill came up for final passage in the house late Friday afternoon when but 64 members were present. The vote stood 57 for the bill and 7 against it. As passed it provides for a bounty of 1 cent a pound, such bounty to be paid for seven years unless the federal government should offer a bounty, in which case Michigan is to cease paying one. There is no limit to the aggregate bounty to be paid in any one year, an amendment to make the limit $30,000 having been voted down. Some of those who opposed the bill thought that there was danger of the amount becoming so large as to become extremely burdensome, but the friends of the measure cited the experience of Nebraska and California, each of which pays a bounty, as proof that this need not be feared. If the bill passes the senate it will be promptly approved. Governor Pingree having long since declared himself to be in favor of it.

Homeopathic Department of University.

Although a bill to coerce the regents of the university into removing the homeopathic department of that institution to Detroit has been introduced in the senate, it is not unlikely that it will not be pushed to a vote. The bill was introduced at the request of the legislative council of the State Homeopathic Medical society, and it provides that the one-sixth mill tax for the support of the university shall not be available unless the removal is made. Some such coercive measure was necessary in view of the fact that the supreme court has declared that the law ordering removal, which was passed two years ago, cannot be enforced, the regents being a constitutional body whose discretion in conducting the affairs of the university cannot be supplanted by the discretion of the legislature or any other body. The council had the bill introduced on the understanding that 90 per cent. of the members of the homeopathic profession in the state favored removal. A few days ago, however, Professor Copeland of the homeopathic department, met the members of the council here and asserted that fully 75 per cent. of the profession were in favor of letting the matter rest this year. At his suggestion the council decided to make another canvass of the profession before deciding whether to push the bill to a vote. If Professor Copeland's claim is sustained the bill will be permitted to die in the committee.

Reduction of Salaries.

A number of bills on the files of each house provides for reducing the salaries of public officials, most all classes of public servants being included in their provisions. It is a noteworthy fact, however, that every reference to the salary of the attorney general is made with a purpose of increasing it, and both houses have very wisely voted to submit to the people at the election in April a proposition to amend the constitution so as to increase the salary of the attorney general from $800 to $3,500 per year, with the further provision that that official be required to reside in Lansing during his term of office. The fact that there was but one vote recorded against the submission of this proposition shows that those who have looked into the matter are convinced that the state will annually save a large sum of money by increasing the salary. The fact of the matter is that the attorney general cannot afford to abandon his practice entirely and take up his residence in Lansing and devote his entire time to the duties of his office for an annual stipend of $800. Furthermore, no one expects him to do so. The result is he is compelled in order that he may earn in private practice sufficient to support his family, to employ assistant counsel in many cases at the expense of the state. This counsel comes high, and the annual amount thus paid out amounts to several times more than the proposed increase. If the taxpayers of the state know when they are presented with an opportunity to do a good piece of business for themselves they will see to it that this proposition is ratified at the polls.

In the Interest of Good Butter.

A bill which has been defeated at several previous sessions of the legislature, although its passage was asked for by all the farmers of the state, bids fair to become a law this year, it having already passed the senate by a decisive vote, notwithstanding the fact that the upper house has been the rock upon which this class of bills has heretofore split. The bill in question prohibits the coloring of butter substitutes so as to make them resemble genuine butter. It is, of course, opposed by the manufacturers of oleomargarine, who were successful in killing it two years ago, although there was not a pound of oleomargarine manufactured in Michigan. The oleomargarine lobby, has, however, thus far signally failed this year, and with the great number of farmers in the house it is altogether probable that the action of the senate will be there concurred in. An effort was made in the senate to amend the bill to prohibit the coloring of inferior butter so as to resemble the better article, but only five votes were recorded in its favor. The farmers and creamery proprietors assert that the passage of this bill will materially increase the price of genuine butter in Michigan—a consummation the farmers have long been wishing for.

State Board of Health.

A bill was introduced in the upper house last week similar to the one defeated two years ago, which provides for the reconstruction of the board of health. The board is one of the most valuable institutions supported by the state, and it would be a calamity if it were either abolished or its functions curtailed. Its members are citizens who have made special study along lines with which the board has to deal, and they give a vast amount of their time to the duties without charge.

The pending bill provides for the repeal of the law of 1873 establishing the present board and substitutes therefor a state board of health commissioners, to be appointed by the governor within thirty days after the passage of the act, and to consist of seven persons, six of whom shall be physicians of at least five years' practice, and one of whom is to reside in the upper peninsula. A secretary at $2,000 and four clerks at from $800 to $1,200 per year are provided. Outside these salaries the annual appropriation for the support of the board is limited to $2,000.

As an entirely disinterested citizen, save only so far as the best interests of the state are concerned, and as one who has closely watched the work of the board and its results for the past decade, I venture the assertion that if the legislators consult their constituents' welfare they will kill this bill. The entire health board system might better be abolished and the whole amount it costs saved, for the bill provides a system which would be able to accomplish nothing of a practical nature. Further than this the legislature should not molest so important a department.

Regulation of Liquor Traffic.

Representative Belknap has some very radical ideas with reference to the regulation of the liquor traffic, and he has embodied these ideas in a bill. This measure provides that in incorporated villages of less than 1,000 inhabitants the license fee shall be $600; in cities of more than 1,000 inhabitants, $700; and in places of more than 10,000 inhabitants, $900. The fee for selling liquor at wholesale is fixed at $1,000, and for both wholesaling and retailing, $1,200. It takes away from city and village councils and township boards the right to permit saloons to be kept open later than 9 o'clock at night, and provides that they shall be closed promptly at that hour.

A liquor bill which was introduced by Representative Petrowski, who conducts a saloon in Detroit, provides that all druggists shall take out a retail liquor license. Mr. Petrowski maintains that many druggists sell more spirituous liquor as a beverage than the saloon keepers do, and he believes that they should be required to pay for the privilege. A third liquor bill increases the uniform tax to $750, and still another permits boards of supervisors, by a majority vote, to suspend the operation of the general liquor law in their respective counties so that local option may prevail, and provides for the holding of an election every two years on the local option proposition.

Discrimination in Freight Rates.

The committee appointed to make an investigation into the charges of discrimination in the matter of freight rates has selected John N. Foster of Ludington, clerk, and is already at work. The investigation will be exhaustive and will occupy the full thirty days alloted the committee by the house. It has been discovered that the special charter of the Michigan Central road provides that which gives that company the privilege of fixing its freight rates as high as those of certain New England roads, but no higher, and further provides that such rates shall be determined by a committee consisting of the secretary of state, auditor general and attorney general, either individually or collectively. Not withstanding this provision the officials named have never in the history of the state, so far as can be ascertained, taken any action in regard to these rates, and the present officials had no knowledge that this was a part of their duties. It is doubtful if any of their predecessors did, the requirement being buried up in the voluminous charter of the company. The latter has always been permitted to fix its rates unmolested by any state authority. A great many shippers who have or think they have grievances against the railway companies will be summoned to appear before the committee, and the companies will also be heard in their own behalf.

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NAMES WRIT ON WATER.

Evanescent Reputations of Persons Who Flitted on the Stage.

"Theatrical reputation is the most evanescent of all glories of life," sadly observed the old actor, drawing his last summer's overcoat around him a little tighter, according to the New York Herald.

"That's so," responded the agent, "and nothing reminds one of this more than an acquaintance with the bill-rooms of the old theaters about the country. You know they have a way of posting up bills and lithographs in the bill-rooms—that part of the theater in which the bills are laid out, and which is the lounging place of the traveling agents, the billposters, advertising men, etc., and preserving a sort of record of the celebrated actors, companies and scenes that have been at that particular house. Sometimes this is done systematically, with an idea for general pictorial effect, and then looks very pretty. But more often it is the freak of some billposter, who slaps up a full length figure, or a lithograph head, or something grotesque, the whole collection forming a curious and sometimes nightmarish jumble.

"In the older bill-rooms will be seen pictures of bygone favorites of the American stage—of many persons who were famous the other day and who today are quite forgotten. They are usually represented in their favorite costume and part. Some of these were the rage but a few years ago—drew big salaries and had everything their own way. There are women who actually queened it over the whole country—made thousands and drank champagne and wore a princess' diamonds. Why, their very names are forgotten! I am not an old-timer, though I'm familiar with the stage, and I tell you I've been actually startled suddenly to come across these pictures on the bill-room walls, and to be thus reminded what they had been, and to be set to thinking what had become of them!"

SHE WAS THRIFTY.

One Woman Made $2,200 with a Threshing Machine.

A woman thresher is a novelty—that is, outside of the schoolhouse or home. And the one in question is a genuine thresher of the golden grain of the northwest, says the Minneapolis Journal. She came into one of the Minneapolis farm machinery houses the other day to make her final payment on her machine. This was startling and marked her as a woman of business capacity; for the man who makes a full payment on a thresher this season is regarded as an exceptionally good man. That the lady in question had a business head is further evidenced by the fact that she succeeded in "working" the manager of the establishment for $2.50, the amount of her fare home.

She innocently told him that to pay her bill in full would take every cent she had and she must take out enough to get home. While the manager gently demurred at receipting the bill in full with this discount off, she ingeniously hinted that it would cost more than $2.50 to send a collector after the balance, and he tumbled to the situation as gracefully as possible. Mrs. Thrasher (or perhaps it is Miss) said that she had made $2,200 out of her machine and had 187 stacks of grain to finish this winter, which she proposed to do if the snow was hub deep. Considering the fact that many machines are being taken back on mortgages this year, no one can successfully maintain that a woman is not adapted to this new field for woman's activity.

TUPNS OUT BESSEMER STEEL.

Oxide Successfully Extracted from Rock by Edison with the Use of Electricity.

When Thomas Edison began experimenting with electricity as a means of extracting iron oxide from rock a shiver ran through the spinal columns of iron mine owners. Then the matter was forgotten and the public heard nothing more about magnetic separators until a few days ago, when the news came out that the method was not only perfected, but that by it 5,000 tons of bessemer steel were being turned out every day at Edison, N. J. Mr. Edison has been developing his newest discovery quietly, and now his smelting works and their appurtenant buildings cover many acres among the Jersey mountains. The rock is blasted out of open quarries, 5,000 tons at a time, and carried by enormous electric cranes to rollers which crush the largest bowlders as if they were lump sugar. After passing through a series of these rollers the fine rock falls past 700 magnets, which extract the ore, sending it along to the furnaces almost free from extraneous matter. From the furnaces the ore issues in nuggets of bessemer steel ready for the mills.

The Russians.

The Russians are believed to have originated from the Slavonian tribe called the Roxilani, about the Christian era. At a later date they were also called Muscovites, from Moscow, their leading city. The state was founded by Ruric, 862 A. D. Russia was a duchy until 1157, when it became the grand duchy of Wladimir, remaining such until 1328, when it was called the grand duchy of Moscow. The Russian rulers began to call themselves czars in 1462. Peter the Great assumed the title of emperor in 1689.

Curious Natives.

The Benozy, who occupy a densely wooded country among the hills of Bemaraha, jump from tree to tree just like monkeys, and are not easily followed, inasmuch as their territory is exceedingly rocky. They are very timid, and it is said that they die of fright when captured.

Consul to Sweden.

Bessemer, Feb. 26.—The report is current that through Senator Burrows K. D. Markstrum, of this city, will be offered the appointment of minister to Sweden.

GREASING THE ELEPHANTS.

The Park Rhinoceros, Too, Coated Twice a Year with Neatsfoot Oil.

Twice a year the elephants and the rhinoceros in the Central park menagerie get a coating of neatsfoot oil, which is thoroughly rubbed in with the palm of the hand. The oiling and the manipulation cleanse the skin, remove the dead skin, and open the pores, freshen the animals up, and improve their health, and they seem to like the process. The oiling is done only in the spring and summer; if done in the winter the animals would be likely to take cold from it.

The rhinoceros at the park is in good condition and lively, and rather frisky for so big a brute. Sometimes it steps about with a step that is very much like a dancing step, and likely to surprise one who sees it for the first time and has been accustomed to regard the rhinoceros as an animal always slow and lumbering in its movements. When the rhinoceros' cage is cleaned out, which is done daily, the keeper first attracts the great creature to one side with a tempting mess of food. Then he slips a noose of rope over the animal's horn and settles it down around the neck and makes the other end fast around a bar or two of the elephant's cage adjoining. This is done to keep the rhinoceros from pitching into the keeper if it should take a notice.

The same precaution is taken when the rhinoceros is oiled. The elephants, however, kneel at the word of command. It is not necessary to plant a ladder against them in order to reach the upper part of their sides in rubbing in the oil.

Sanity Proved by X Rays.

A Hamburg young man has just had his sanity proved by the Roentgen rays. He declared ten years ago that he had a bullet in his head, which he fired into it trying to commit suicide. He complained of pain, and, as he attacked his keepers and the doctors could find no trace of a wound, was locked up as a dangerous lunatic. The Roentgen rays have now shown the exact place of the bullet.

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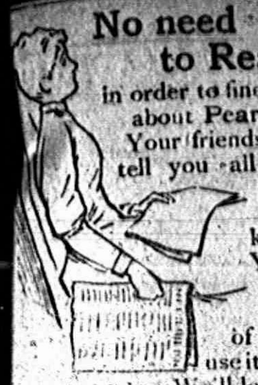

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

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6	Atlantic Express	8:38 a. m.
2	New York and Boston Limited	7:47 a. m.
36	Detroit Accommodation	3:45 p m
4	New York Express	9:36 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

35	Pacific Express	1:11 a. m.
37	Ashley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
19	Chicago Limited	3:45 p. m
3	St. Louis Express	5:15 p. m.

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Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P M
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Norvell	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 50 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 05 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	2 06 "
Adrian Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 3 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	....
Toledo	8 40 "	6 35 "	10 25

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 3 5 Accom
Detroit	7 40 A.M.	8 20 P.M	....
Toledo	8 40 "	7 50 "	....
Adrian	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 19 "	9 25 "	6 30 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	....
Norvell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
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No. 23,	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

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No. 32,	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
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AT THE CAPITAL.

President-Elect McKinley Arrives at Washington.

No Display Marks His Appearance—Farewell Address to His Neighbors at Canton—Scenes Along the Route.

Canton, O., March 2.—Maj. McKinley's home city gave him a grand ovation yesterday upon his departure for Washington, and he addressed them as follows after arriving at the depot:

"My Neighbors and Friends and Fellow-Citizens: On the eve of departure to the seat of government, soon to assume the duties of an arduous responsibility, as great as can devolve upon any man, nothing could give me greater pleasure than this farewell greeting—this evidence of your friendship and sympathy, your good will, and, I am sure, the prayers of all the people with whom I have lived so long, and whose confidence and esteem are dearer to me than any other earthly honors. To all of us the future is as a sealed book, but it be can, by official act, or administration, or utterance in any degree add to the prosperity of our beloved country, and the comfort and well-being of our splendid citizenship, I will devote the best and most unselfish efforts of my life. (Loud and continuous applause and cries of 'We know you will, major.') The assumption of the chief magistracy is of such grave importance that partisanship cannot blind the judgment or accept any other considerations, but for the public good of all, to every party and every section. With this thought uppermost in my mind, I reluctantly take leave of my friends and my neighbors, cherishing in my heart the sweetest memories and the tenderest thoughts of my old home—my home now, and I trust my home hereafter, so long as I live. I thank you, and bid you all good-by." (Tremendous applause).

Along the Route.

The whole country was ablaze from Canton to Washington, and there were hundreds of people at every station to see the train bearing the president-elect go by. At many places in Ohio huge bonfires were blazing and every factory near the railway was illuminated and sending forth a succession of blasts from its whistles. A flash of lights and the cheers of enthusiastic people were continuous. Western Pennsylvania was as wide awake as eastern Ohio.

Arrival in Washington.

Washington, March 3.—William McKinley entered Washington as a private citizen, and as quietly and unostentatiously as any private citizen could under similar circumstances. At the request of the president-elect there was no military or other display on his arrival. He walked through the crowd at the railroad station and, entering the carriage awaiting him, was driven to the Ebbitt house, the hotel at which he made his home in Washington while a member of congress. That was the entire programme attending his appearance in the capital city as the future president of the United States.

Flowers for the Engineer.

The procession proceeded very slowly and with dignity. Maj. McKinley had one hand thrust into the bosom of his long frock coat, while in the other he carried a large bunch of white carnations. Mrs. McKinley, looking somewhat tired and careworn, also carried carnations. Doffing his silk hat pleasantly to everybody who saluted him Maj. McKinley walked along toward the crowd outside the gates, eagerly awaiting him. He bowed to the train crew, the dining-car servants, the porters and others who were on the platforms and at the windows of the train. When the engine was reached the procession halted a moment while the president-elect handed the engineer the carnations he had been carrying. This made everybody in the vicinity look happy, but none so happy as the begrimed throttle handler, who fairly blushed through the soot on his face.

The gathering about the Ebbitt house was larger than at the station. Fourteenth street and F street, at the Ebbitt house corner, was thronged with the greatest assemblage about the ladies' door on Fourteenth street, where a squad of policemen gave the impression that the president-elect's entrance would be made there. But the carriage containing Maj. and Mrs. McKinley drove around the corner to the main door on F street. Cheer after cheer went up from the crowd from the time the president-elect was sighted until he disappeared inside the hotel. Mr. Hanna was there waiting for him. The greeting of the chairman of the national committee was brief, but hearty. He hurried Maj. and Mrs. McKinley through the lobby to an elevator, and, quicker than one can tell it, the new president and his wife had disappeared from public view.

Reaches the Capital.

Washington, March 3.—The special train bearing Vice President-elect Hobart and party arrived at the Baltimore & Ohio station about 3:25 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. There were no special demonstrations attending Mr. Hobart's reception. They were met by the district reception committee. The vice presidential party included Hon. Garrett A. Hobart, Mrs. Hobart and her son, Hon. John W. Griggs, governor, and Mrs. Griggs; Gen. William S. Stryker, adjutant general, and Mrs. Stryker, and other members of the governor's staff, several accompanied by the ladies of their families.

Report Denied.

London, March 2.—A dispatch to the Central News from Madrid says the report that Gen. Weyler has resigned the governorship of Cuba on account of the failure of the home government to consult him in the matter of the release of Julio Sanguilly is untrue.

More Moslems Slain.

London, March 1.—The Sunday Sun has a dispatch from Athens saying that 300 Moslems were killed in a battle that occurred Saturday near Retimo. The dispatch adds that the Moslems retreated, leaving the Christians masters of the field.

Internal Revenue.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The monthly statement of collection of internal revenue shows that during January the aggregate receipts were $11,142,442, a decrease of $245,073 from the collections for January, 1896.

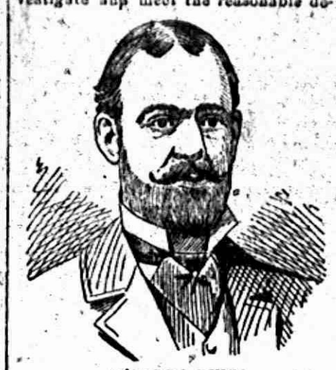
SPAIN DREADS A WAR.

Officials in Madrid Consent to Yield All Reasonable Demands.

Madrid, Feb. 27.—Extreme reserve is maintained in official circles, and much importance is attached to the secret conference between the premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo, and the ministers on the state of the war in Cuba.

The procedure of the United States consul-general Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, is regarded as being "intolerably high-handed."

The government is disposed to investigate and meet the reasonable de-



RICARDO RUIZ.

mands of the United States and claims of American citizens.

It is further determined to punish those who are found guilty of having inflicted any violence upon Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, the American citizen who is alleged to have been beaten to death in the prison at Guanabacoa.

MAY GO ABROAD.

Maj. McKinley Said to Have Selected Some Foreign Ministers.

New York, March 1.—A Washington dispatch to the New York Herald says that President-elect McKinley will probably make the following appointments:

Bellamy Storer, of Ohio, first assistant secretary of state.

John Hay, of Ohio, ambassador to Great Britain.

William F. Draper, of Massachusetts, or Horace Porter, of New York, ambassador to France.

Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, minister to Mexico.

John A. Roche, of Illinois, minister to Persia.

John Russell Young, of Pennsylvania, minister to China.

William McKinley Osborne, consul general to London.

Perry S. Heath, of Indiana, or Chairman Gowdy, of Indiana, consul general to Paris.

WILL COERCE GREECE.

Must Withdraw Her Troops Within Six Days.

London, March 3.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs that the diplomats on Tuesday presented an identical note to M. Skouzes, minister of foreign affairs, demanding the evacuation of Crete by the Greek forces within six days, under a threat of coercion. The note informs Greece that the powers are agreed upon two points, first, that they will not allow Crete to be annexed in any form at present, and, second, that they are prepared to endow Crete with a complete scheme of autonomy. The powers express the hope that Greece will respect their decision. The correspondent adds that he is assured by the highest authority that Greece will reject the ultimatum.

BASEBALL.

The National League Season to Begin April 22.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 27.—The National Baseball league season will open on the 22d of April except in Boston, where there will be one preliminary game April 19, which is a local holiday. The champions will have Boston as the attraction for the opening days; Brooklyn will play in Washington and New York in Philadelphia. In the west St. Louis will have the Pittsburgh team for the opening day; Louisville will have Cleveland and Cincinnati will entertain Chicago.

THE BICYCLE RACE.

Schinneer Wins at the Trial of Endurance at Chicago.

Chicago, March 1.—Fred Schinneer, the Bohemian, and a resident of this city, won the six days bicycle race at Tattersall's, which ended Saturday night at 10:05 o'clock. The final contestants and the distance they covered were as follows: Schinneer, 1,788 miles, 4 laps; Miller, of Chicago, 1,764 miles, 1 lap; Asbinger, 1,737 miles; Lawson, the "Terrible Swede," 1,707 miles, 1 lap; Hansen, 1,603 miles, 3 laps; Iliff, the legless rider, 461 miles.

Weyler's Latest Edict.

Havana, March 3.—Capt. Gen. Weyler has issued an edict bearing date of Sanctl Spiritus, February 25, authorizing the Spanish troops, local guerillas and citizens to capture all stray cattle roaming in the fields and then use them for the consumption of the troops and residents of the town.

Against the Cigarette.

Chicago, March 2.—The city council passed a law last night to take effect at once that dealers in cigarettes must pay an annual license of $100 to the city treasury, and that no cigarettes can be sold within 200 feet of a schoolhouse.

Refused to Interfere.

Washington, March 2. — President Cleveland has refused to interfere with the sentence of Joseph Dunlop, editor of the Chicago Dispatch, convicted of sending obscene literature through the mails.

Rockefeller's Generosity.

South Hadley, Mass., March 3.—The faculty of Mount Holyoke college announce the gift to the college of $40,000 for a dormitory by Hon. John D. Rockefeller, of New York.

Death of a Millionaire.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 1.—Sherman S. Jewett, well-known millionaire banker of this city, died Sunday evening. He leaves a fortune of $2,000,000.

Ex-Gov. Long Accepts.

Boston, March 3.—Ex-Gov. John D. Long announces that he has accepted the naval portfolio in President-elect McKinley's cabinet.

A RECORD BREAKER.

Resume of the Work of the Fifty-Fourth Congress.

Some of the Leading Measures Passed —No Public Building Bills—Appropriations Are in Excess of $1,000,000,000.

Washington, March 1.—The Fifty-fourth congress will be held remarkable, principally for what it has failed to accomplish. In one respect—in the number of bills and resolutions introduced—it was a record-breaker. In the house alone over 10,400 bills and 3,100 resolutions were introduced and referred to various committees. Only a fraction of these passed the house and fewer still became laws.

The principal business of the congress, aside from the passage of the appropriation bills, was limited to the first session, the net results of which were the enactment into law of the bills creating the commission to determine the true divisional line between Venezuela and British Guiana; prohibiting prize fighting in the territories; permitting appointments in the army and navy of former United States officers who served in the rebellion; making one year's residence in a territory necessary for a divorce; incorporating the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution; defining the penalty for interference with railway trains and persons riding thereon and substituting salaries for fees to United States marshals and district attorneys.

In another respect the Fifty-fourth congress was remarkable. This was its failure to pass a single bill providing for public buildings. The house calendar contained 100 bills of this class, including the senate bill for a custom house in New York city. Speaker Reed, however, in his determination to reduce the expenditures to the lowest limit consistent with the necessities of the government, set his face sternly against all legislation of this character.

Notwithstanding this circumstances the present congress is the third in American history in which the appropriations have exceeded $1,000,000,000. If, it is claimed, these appropriations be deducted from the sum total the aggregate for the past two years would be little in excess of $1,000,000,000.

No effort was made at the present session to call up the bills admitting Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma to statehood. The "sound money" men in the house were a practical unit against the admission of any territories which are likely to send advocates of free silver to the senate. Among the bills which passed the house but have not been acted upon in the senate are the Morse bill to prevent the selling of liquor in the capitol; the Brosius bill permitting the establishment of national banks with a capital of $20,000 in towns of 4,000 inhabitants, and the Loud bill to reclassify second-class mail matter.

The ways and means committee gave a series of hearings during the early weeks of the session, and remainder of the time was occupied by the republican members in formulating a new tariff bill. This will follow the general lines of the McKinley law of 1890 and will be reported to the house at the beginning of the extra session of the next congress.

Much of the time of the senate has been consumed in the discussion of questions relating to our foreign relations, and while no positive action of any kind has been taken, many columns of the Congressional Record have been filled with speeches on these topics. Cuban resolutions have been introduced and pressed for action by the score, but, beyond precipitating debate, nothing has been accomplished. A treaty with Japan has been ratified, putting into immediate operation the clause of the treaty of commerce and navigation negotiated two years ago. The general treaty of arbitration with Great Britain, after being fruitlessly considered for two weeks, went over until the next session. The Alaskan boundary treaty with Great Britain has not even been considered in committee. The Nicaraguan canal bill, which was debated for several weeks, was on the point of final passage with a comfortable majority in front of it when the protest of the minister representing the Greater Central American Republic was received.

Ohio Revenues Increase.

Columbus, O., March 3.—Returns received by Auditor of State Gilbert of all the counties in the state show that Ohio has 9,118 saloons, a decrease of 1,180 since last July. The total received by the state as its share of the tax for the first year of the new law, increasing the tax from $250 to $350, is $1,014,994.71.

The Debt Increased.

Washington, March 2.—The public debt statement issued yesterday shows that the debt increased $4,592,137 during the month of February. The cash balance in the treasury was $864,336,167. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $1,012,600,454.

The Government Deficit.

Washington, March 2.—The receipts and expenditures of the United States during February were: Receipts, $24,400,997; disbursements, $28,796,056, which leaves a deficit for the month of $4,395,059. Since July 1, 1896, the aggregate deficit is $48,135,441.

Abolish "Fast Days."

Concord, N. H., March 3.—The legislature has followed Massachusetts and passed a bill to abolish "fast day" and to make April 19 a legal holiday to be known as "patriots' day."

Big Clothing House Fails.

Chicago, March 1.—The clothing house of Willoughby, Hill & Co., one of the oldest in the city, went into the hands of the sheriff with liabilities of $198,859.

Prohibits Convict Labor.

Bismarck, N. D., March 2.—The house has passed senate bill No. 1, which prohibits convict labor in this state. The bill goes into effect at once.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February A. D. 1896 Samuel Larsclere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plat in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.50) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897

SARAH C. ROGERS Mortgagee.

G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of February in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David VanTyne deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Law ence M. VanTyne, a son of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, petitioner, the executor named in said instrument or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30 1893, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich. to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 139 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 6-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.

Brockwell J. Rector.

Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 18th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the Estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Thomas Adamson, brother of said deceased, praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him Petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 15th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

Michigan Baseball League.

Detroit, March 2.—A state baseball league was formed here Monday night, Owosso, Saginaw, Bay City, Port Huron, Kalamazoo and Jackson going in. The limit is $600 per month for each club, exclusive of manager's salary, with a $200 guarantee put up. W. H. Mumby, of Owosso, was elected president. Other towns want to come in and make an eight-club league.

Sues for a $40,000 Commission.

Grand Rapids, March 1. — Don J. Leathers began suit in the Kent circuit court against John Canfield, of Manistee, for $40,000. He claims to have negotiated the sale of Canfield's $1,000,000 tract of timber to the Thayer Lumber company in Missaukee county and the suit is to collect his commissions.

Two wealthy Hebrews of Bagdad now own all that remains of the ancient town of Babylon.

BITS OF INFORMATION.

An Interesting Budget of News from Many Localities.

Many horses in southern Cass county are affected with glanders.

Wages of Iron Mountain firemen and policemen have been reduced ten dollars per month.

Benzonia fruit growers deny the report that buds in that vicinity have been injured by the cold weather.

Chief of Police Hart, of Kalamazoo, has been suspended for allowing continual violations of the liquor laws.

Capt. Andrew Roddy, of Beaver Island, died at Charlevoix recently from a wound received in a church feud 20 years ago.

Citizens of Benton Harbor and St. Joseph are talking over the project of connecting the two cities with a $5,000 drawbridge.

Gratiot county grand army comrades have organized an association for the purpose of erecting a soldiers' monument at St. Louis.

South Haven is having a midwinter building boom, with the prospect of many new business structures to be erected in the early spring.

A new industry to give employment to about 25 men the year round, is one of the probabilities of Traverse City. It is a factory for making veneering.

A factofy will be established at Gaylord for the preparation for the market of flax fiber. The flax necessary will be raised by the farmers in the vicinity.

The upper peninsula of Michigan is hereafter to constitute a separate district of the Salvation Army with headquarters at Marquette. The first officer in charge of the new district is Adjt. Gully, of Chicago.

A receiver has been asked for the Consolidated Street Railroad company of Saginaw. The company, it is alleged, uses light rails instead of heavy ones to the injury of the pavement, and the city commenced suit for back taxes.

Steps are being taken to organize a theatrical circuit embracing Sault Ste. Marie, Marquette, Ishpeming, Marinette, Escanaba, Ironwood, Ashland, Houghton and Calumet. The manager of the Soo opera house will book the attractions.

Pupils in the St. Louis schools are prohibited from using tobacco in any form or cigarettes, or having either in their possession on the school grounds or elsewhere during school hours. The board of education will suspend any pupil who disobeys this edict.

SUSPECT A WIFE OF MURDER.

Detroit Police Believe Mrs. Schorn Is Responsible for Two Deaths.

Detroit, March 3.—Nicholas Schorn, formerly a saloonkeeper, and his stepson Matthew, aged ten, were found dead at noon Tuesday in their home on Brewster street. Mrs. Schorn asserted that the deaths were due to coal gas. The fact that Mrs. Schorn occupied the same room with her husband and that the son slept in another room at once caused doubt of the asphyxiation, and as the woman's story was otherwise contradictory she was arrested on suspicion of having caused the deaths. She states that she was unable to arouse her husband all the morning and that not until noon did she discover that both he and her son were dead. The police have taken charge of the premises.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS OLD.

A Michigan Man Who Has Reached a Ripe Age Celebrates.

Niles, March 1.—Dr. William B. Sprague, of Coldwater, this state, on Saturday celebrated his one hundredth birthday anniversary. Mr. Sprague is a native of New York, and his claim to distinction is that he has lived under the administration of every president of the United States. His nerves are quite steady, which is proven by the fact that he still shaves himself. He has not been out of the house since election day, when he was taken to the polls in a carriage.

Survives a Remarkable Accident.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 27. — William Findley has his spine cut in two and still lives. He was operating a portable sawmill a few miles north of town and, slipping, fell back down on the saw, which penetrated his vitals to half its diameter, severing the spine. A surgeon was hastily summoned, the wound was dressed and the victim was brought to town. The chances for his survival are considered about even.

Owosso, Feb. 27.—Hugh Campbell, a farm laborer, blew out the gas at the National hotel and was found dead in bed by Ben Slade, the hotel clerk. When taken to his room he was asked if he knew how to turn out the gas and said

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about the house that would be improved by being painted. Painting is not the hard work it used to be. You can get just the color you want, mixed, ready to use, and no matching of colors, no fussing, no trouble. Open the can, stir the paint, dip in the brush and go to painting. In the time it took to mix paints, by the old methods, you can now have the work well finished.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 5, 1897.

On the first and last pages of this issue of the HERALD will be found the full account of the inauguration of President McKinley at Washington yesterday. Also the complete text his address and portraits of his cabinet. The morning dailies of this date give no better report, and such accounts are made possible by the fact the HERALD is printed all at home. The "Patent inside" weekly subscribers, as usual, will wait till next week for their news.

Yesterday, Wm. McKinley was made President of the United States by the usual inaugural ceremony, and now the men who voted against him and worked to defeat him at the polls, will unite with his friends in proclaiming him "Our President." Such is the custom of this country and such the patriotic feeling, that should harm come to the chief executive his enimies at the polls would be among the first to fight for his safety and that of the country. The weather was all the participants could desire and the splendor and pomp of the whole undertaking, commencing with parades and exding with the ball, were the grandest ever witnessed at an inauguration. It is to be hoped that the president will at once call the long-talked-about extraordinary session of congress and that the matter of tariff will be settled for four years at least. The manufacturers of this country care little what the tariff legislation shall be, only that it shall be settled.

Last fall, before election, the HERALD was very positive in its statements concerning representatives in the Michigan Legislature who voted against the farmers and with the corporations on the bogus butter question. It is evident that Representatives Camburn and Edgar saw the "Handwriting on the Wall" for since the commencement of the present session no stone has been left unturned that this oleomargarine matter should be taken up. Senator Jibb has been interested and there is little doubt but that the proper legislation may now be enacted. A newspaper serves its subscribers and the public generally well only when telling the truth in a candid manner. The HERALD had nothing personal against Mr. Camburn, but did dislike his half and half ways about the oleomargarine question, told him the truth and the result is he is now working for instead of against his constituents.

NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Rigistration of the said Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, will be in session at the Council Building, in said village, on Saturday, the sixth (6) day of March, A. D. 1897, from nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon until eight (8) o'clock in the afternoon of the said day. At which time and place all duly qualified electors of said village, not duly registered, may register for the annual village election.

Dated February 24th., 1897.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

NOTICE OF VILLAGE ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual village election of the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, will be held at the Council Building, in said village, on Monday, the eighth (8th.) day of March, A. D. 1897, at which time the following officers are to be elected: viz: One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, Three Trustees for two years each, one Trustee for one year, one Village Assessor.

The Polls of said election will be opened at seven (7) o'clock in the forenoon and remain open until five (5) o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Dated February 24th., 1897.
W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular session of March 1st, 1897
Present, the President. Clerk, trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lowry and Wright.

Minutes of last regular and special meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for February presented, showing four adult and one infant interment; $18.00 interment fees collected and two lots sold for ten dollars cash; accepted and ordered placed on file.

Treasurer's yearly report presented, same accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mr. L. McConnell appeared before the council in behalf of Mrs. Snyder and Miss C. Colvin, both resident of the township of Raisin, and requested that the sum of $4.99 paid for village tax for 1897, on stock of Tecumseh State Savings Bank, be refunded, as tax was improperly assessed in the village. Moved and seconded that an order be drawn for above mentioned sum. Carried.

Moved and seconded that permision be hereby given the School Boards of district No. 7, to erect at their own expense a steel flag staff in Military Square. Carried.

The following bills were reported to the finance committee: Chas. Bidwell, marshall, balance, $50.00; Thacker Coal Co., coal, $16.10; C. J. & M. Ry. Co., freight and coal, $41.40; Tecumseh Electric Co., lights for February, $216.67; C. A. Wright, salary as purchasing agent, $35.00. Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

The Clerk, trustees Boyd and Heesen were appointed as the village Board of Registration of 1897.

The Clerk, trustees Wright and Lowry were appointed as members of Board of Election Inspectors for village election of 1897.

Council then adjourned until March 21st, 1897, at 7:30 P. M.

W. J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

The Wabash "California Flyer."

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Mrs. J. R. Gilson, 740 Crossman Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, says: My daughter had a severe toothache which kept her awake ot night, and the only thing that brought relief was Lightning Hot Drops. I have used the remedy for neuralgia also, and it gave quick relief. —For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Mar. 2, 1897:

J. L. Brown, Miss Ida Shay, Mr. Wm Lillie, Miss Mammie Stone.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

Auction Sale.

My lease having expired I will sell at public auction on the premises (Philip DePuy farm) one mile south and one mile west of Pennington's corners, on Wednesday March 10, 1897, at one o'clock sharp, the following property: Two good road mares, 6 and 8 years old, one sorrel horse 7 years old, one full blood Jersey cow, due to calf March 15, one part Jersey three years old coming in in May; one yearling heifer, Jersey full blood; one Jersey bull 4 months old, full blood; 14 pigs, 4 and 5 weeks old; 3 lumber wagons, set double harness, one single harness, double buggy, open buggy, Gale plow, Scotch harrow, 2 set 3-horse whiffletrees, one set double whiffletrees, bob sleigh, log chains, Champion mower, cultivators, and other things too numerous to mention. Usual terms of sale. E. S. MILLYARD.

Frank Davidson, Auctioneer.

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Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 90	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 00	
Veal, dressed, per lb	7	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 7	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	1½ 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	75 to 83	
Corn, shelled	30	30
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats		14 to 16
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		90
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Meek's Early—	3.00 " "
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One-half dozen Brownies for 50 cents at TEEPLE'S.

Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner has been in poor health this week.

Mrs. John M. Hendershot has been quite sick for the past week.

Clement H. Bramble came home and spent Sunday with his family.

W. E. Allen, the C. J. & M. agent at Clinton, was calling on friends Saturday.

Go to Teeple's for your photoes and frames. Everything half price during March.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawley, of Hillsdale, parents of Charles Dawley, are visiting here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallinger attended the funeral of Wm. J. Arnold, at Adrian, Wednesday.

Messrs. Wagner, Morden and Wheele, of Adrian, participated in the festivities at the armory Friday night.

During March the Sunday service at St. Peter's church will be in the evening and at Clinton in the morning.

Miss Ollie Jones has given up her school work on account of ill berith and returned to her home at Ottawa Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Creger are receiving over the advent of a young son which was born to them last Thursday.

Mrs. Peoebe Miller is at home again having returned from Adrian Saturday where she has been caring for the sick.

The Misses Theressa Sullivan and Margaret Collins, of Clinton, were guests of Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

Mrs. William Ward, of Windsor, Ont., who is visiting her sister Mrs. John Fuller, has been joined by her husband.

Mrs. C. E. Stubbs, of Boston, Mass., arrived Monday to care for her mother, Mrs. Theodore Lewis, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Henderson, wife and child, of Plain Valley, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordan, from Friday until Monday.

Miss Ethel Turner, of Hudson, was the guest of Ina Jackson several days last week. She attended the hop at the armory.

Mrs. H. S. Warren, Edna, and Miss Ethel Bliven, after a week's visit with friends, returned to their home in Hillsdale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoy wish publicly to express their gratitude for the sympathy and kind offices of friends in their recent bereavement.

Mrs. E. L. Sheldon and Mrs. Charles Sheil returned home yesterday from a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends in New York state.

H. Melody took a load from the Universalist society down to Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner, in Holloway, Wednesday evening. They had a delightful time.

J. Peters, a jeweler from Athens, Ohio, was here the last of the week with a view of locating. He was favorably impressed with the town and may decide to open a store here.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Sarah Montgomery during the month of March. Let the members bear in mind that the election of officers occurs the second Friday in the month.

Mrs. J. A. Ford, who has been spending the past three months among Tecumseh friends, leaves tomorrow for Duluth and expects to return to her home in Duluth the first of the week.

The Elves party given in Adrian Friday night, the following attended from here:—Mrs. W. W. Whiting, Miss Keeler, Miss Inez Thorpe, Charles Sheil, Harry Moore, Clyde Heck and Miss Tiffany.

Mr. Stanley Grimes, of Evanston, Ill., was in town yesterday. Mr. Grimes is over 90 years of age in May, and has been in the lecture field for over 60 years. He was in Tecumseh and lectured on phrenology in 1838. He is a wonderful man, mentally as well as physically, and is still giving scientific lectures. He went to Adrian on the afternoon train.

Mrs. Harry Bice has been very ill this last week.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman has returned from Elkhart.

Teeple is cutting his prices right in two for March.

Mrs. P. C. Snell was in Petersburg on business yesterday.

Mrs. C. A. Wright is expected home from the East tomorrow.

Lucius Lilley and Mrs. L. P. Tribou visited in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Abner Wilson and Miss Christie went to Ann Arbor yesterday.

Mrs. L. B. Schneider is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Abner Wilson left for California yesterday via the L. S. & M. S. and Santa Fe.

Mrs. Bell, nee Frasier, of Ely, Minn., is making her parents in Tecumseh a visit.

Have you seen Teeple's work lately? If not, why not? Go and see it, it will pay you.

Mrs. V. Woodward left yesterday for an indefinite stay with her son Put and family, in Detroit.

Mrs. Jane Waldron, mother of J. K. Waldron was treated to a surprise Saturday afternoon last.

Wm. Smith, who has been very sick with la grippe, is recovering and hopes to be out in a few days.

Mrs. A. C. Paxson left Wednesday afternoon to join her husband at Piqua, Ohio. The girls will go tomorrow.

Jos. H. Smith, Dr. O. Q. Jones, Fred. B. Wood and Thos. R. Kyle attended a special meeting of Adrian Commandery last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Newbern returned to Ohio Monday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robbins. Mrs. Newburn has been here several weeks.

The last of the club parties was given at the Armory last Friday evening. The series has been a grand success and enjoyed by all who attended.

The members of the program committee of the Monday Club are requested to meet with Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy at her residence tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock.

Married, at the bride's home in Saline township, Wednesday evening, by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, Andrew McHeney, of Bridgewater, and Miss Maggie Morton.

M. F. Stein, the Detroit oculist, who has had such good success for the past four years, will again be here on his regular trip next week, at the Lilley House.

The Tecumseh Coal & Lumber Co. now support a new grocery wagon which is fine in appearance and so light as to be especially desirable for this purpose.

A number of ladies drove to Adrian yesterday to listen to a lecture in the afternoon by Frederick Ward and attend his presentation of King Lear in the evening.

Samuel Baird, after an illness of several weeks, died this morning at 2 o'clock and will be buried Sunday at 2:30 from the home of his sister Mrs. Jas. Glasgow.

Charlie Williamson had a jolly crowd of young people out for a sleighride last evening. They kept within the corporation and made themselves heard in every quarter.

John Hazlett was in Chicago Monday and Tuesday and purchased a fine assortment of woolens for the spring and summer trade. These goods will be on exhibition at his store in a few days.

E. F. Kirchgessner has fitted up a room over the store formerly occupied by him and is now prepared to do watch, clock and jewelry repairing, also fitting glasses. All his old friends and patrons are invited to call.

E. Cora DePuy has an article in the February number of "The Household Realm," the high class monthly of Chicago, entitled "Rare Old Coins." Miss DePuy has been engaged as a regular contributor to the magazine.

Earl W. Lenardson came over from Blissfield Friday night. In the evening he rode the masonic goat with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of his brothers and returned home Saturday morning a full fledged mason.

There will be three meetings of the blue lodge at masonic temple next week as follows: Monday evening special for 2nd degree work; Wednesday evening, 3rd degree work, and the regular meeting Friday evening.

Charles Dawley and wife, who were summoned to Hillsdale last week by the serious illness of Mrs. Dawley's sister, reached there only to find her dead. The funeral occurred Saturday and they returned home yesterday.

The regular meeting of the W. F. M. S. will be held in room one of the M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon March 10, at 3 o'clock. Each member is requested to bring a name suitable for the orphan which the society is pledged to support.

Miss Lillian Hughes was arrested Tuesday morning on the charge of theft and taken to Adrian. It seems that while employed in the family of John Monaghan, at Sand Lake, a sum of money mysteriously disappeared and she was suspected of taking it. Upon being interviewed she confessed and her arrest followed. It is sad that a bright, pretty girl should wreck her life in this manner.

The program at the Monday club, March 1st, combined literature, music and art. Mrs. B. S. Hudson read about the poet Schiller; Mrs. Elmer Andrus turned our thoughts from prose and poetry to the "Evolution of Modern Music" confined to the "Bach and Wagner" period. Mrs. Annie Smith read a paper prepared by Mrs. George Merritt, giving us a glimpse of Paul Potter (that well known artist among the old Dutch artists) and his wonderful paintings and etchings which have delighted the art lover for the past two centuries.

Isabel Case is recovering from tonsilitis.

Jessie Mills has been quite ill this week.

Miss Lizzie Lowry is the guest of friends in Detroit.

Miss Hartbeck spent Sunday with Manchester friends.

Earl Updyke is in Jackson where he hopes to find a position.

Mrs. W. W. Whiting visited Miss Gertrude Bray at Adrian over Sunday.

Dr. Snyder is having his dental parlors renovated. They will be very fine.

Mrs. A. Hardenburg entertained her lady friends with 5 o'clock tea Tuesday.

Mrs. Mana Coder, of Norvell has been visiting Tecumseh relatives yesterday and today.

Orr and Temple have just put in stock a choice lot of toilet soaps at extremely low prices.

John Middlebrook left for Kinton the first of the week, having secured a position there.

John Freeman has greatly improved the exterior of his block by putting on a new cornice.

John Primrose and Vern Smith were sojourners in the University City Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Mertie Macham returned today from a visit of several weeks with relatives at Deerfield.

Come and see our new Carpets. Prices lower than ever, assortment large.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.

New goods arriving every day at Harris & Hitchu's. The styles and prices are wonders.

Miss Helen Conklin is very ill with pneumonia but is reported somewhat better this morning.

Cards are out announcing the marriage, next Thursday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, of Miss Gertrude Sweet and Mr. Fred Harrison.

Misses Gertrude Bray and Bessie Auchampaugh, of Adrian, were guests of Tecumseh friends the last of the week and attended the hop Friday night.

Usher Matthews, of Grand Rapids, was in Tecumseh Wednesday over two trains. He came to see his sister, Mrs. Paxon, before her removal to Piqua, O., but was one day too late.

Nelt Aten entertained about a dozen of his friends at his home on Kilbuck street Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served and all had a good time.

Subjects in the Universalist church Sunday: Morning, by request, "The Might-have-been of Human Life." Evening, "Virtue and Vice, a Comparative Study." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "Loyalty to Our Church."

The following embryotic operatic stars, Ben Pulver, Mert Burlingame, Ed Coddington, Will Elliott, Vern Smith, Raynor Brewer, Art Lee, Roy Hughes, Harry Moore, John Gaston, Geo. Tiffany, Jim Elliott and John Nyland, were out serenading last evening. They filled the air with music sweet. They were out for a good time and no doubt had it. They made Rome howl.

J. H. M. Campbell and Miss Maude B. Mitchell were married in Adrian last Monday, and the cards announcing this fact were received by many of their Tecumseh friends Wednesday morning. Both parties are highly respected young people, well known in Tecumseh, and the HERALD wishes them much joy. John is now proprietor of the Clayton Record and is making the paper a credit to the village.

It was with much regret that the HERALD chronicled some weeks since that Karner Bros. contemplated moving their shoe stock from Tecumseh to Blissfield, and with an equal amount of pleasure we are now permitted to say that the Blissfield deal is off and the firm and store will remain. Karner Bros. are good merchants, straight business men and every one is much pleased at their latest decision.

Mrs. Margaret Mudgett, of Franklin, who has been wasting away from consumption for the past two or three years, was released from her sufferings Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock, aged 66. She was a sister of James Shurtz and had resided many years on the farm where she died. Three sons survive her, Alonzo, Myron and Tobias. The funeral was held at the house at 2 p. m. today, attended by Rev. J. P. Varner, and her remains placed in the cemetery here.

The Wit and Wisdom club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Slayton at their pleasant home on Pottawatamie street Monday evening and, while it was a regular meeting with its customary program, there were additional features which made the session of more than ordinary interest. Many of the members appeared in the dress of colonial times and many of the costumes were unique and attractive. Mrs. C. M. Brown and C. F. Field presented choice papers, the former on Chicago's poet, Field, and the latter on Darwin. Light refreshments were served and the evening was one of rare social enjoyment.

The two sections of the Research Circle met at the pleasant home of Mrs. L. M. Kellogg, Thursday, Feb. 25, and spent the afternoon with photographs and descriptions of Egyptian scenes. Mrs. Kellogg's collection is well chosen and she entertained the ladies with carefully selected and aptly fitting readings concerning the sights represented by the photographs, between the Delta of the Nile and the second cataract. The Circle continued its study of Egyptian history at its last meeting with special reference to two of its great rulers. Mrs. Crosby read a paper written by Mrs. Burridge on "Mehemet Alee". Mrs. L. Barnes gave the "History of the First Khedive Ismail." The miscellaneous topic, "Lower Forms of Animal Life," was treated by Mary Louise Burridge and illustrated with blackboard sketches.

Citizens' Caucus.

At a caucus held at the council building Wednesday evening the following combination ticket was nominated:

For President—J. H. Smith.
" Clerk—Albert Conger.
" Treasurer—Geo. W. Knapp.
" Trustees—Samuel Catlin, Martin Zimmerman, Elijah Ames and Charles Smith.
For Assessor—Jehiel Davidson.

J. H. Smith and Geo. Knapp positively decline to run and it is probable some of the others named may also decline to allow their names to be used.

High School Happenings.

Luina Wiggins has returned to school after an absence of several weeks on account of illness.

Miss Ethel Turner, of Hudson, was an A room visitor Wednesday afternoon as the guest of Ina Jackson.

Ollie Jones returned Monday morning but only to get her books as she will not re-enter school before the opening of the spring term.

Lena Arnold's seat in the A room is vacant this week owing to the death of her father, W. J. Arnold. Lena has the deep sympathy of all her schoolmates.

Miss Nannie Kyle is confined to her home this week by a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Mrs. Ellsworth Cairns is filling her place in the grammar department.

Ella Paxson and Grace Austin visited among their friends in Miss Bullock's room Wednesday. It was Ella's farewell visit as she goes to her new home in Piqua in a few days.

The class in plane geometry took their final examination this forenoon and will commence solid geometry Monday. Needless to say the fourteen members comprising the class are going 'round with anxious hearts.

At Rest.

Wm. J. Arnold, who had a severe attack of hemorrhage last week Thursday, continued to grow weaker until 4:35 Monday morning when his life's work was brought to a close. His birthplace was Adrian. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Arnold and was born October 9, 1854. At the age of 29 he came to Tecumseh and in company with his brother Charles purchased the Frasier bakery to which they added a saloon. In 1880 they built a new store adjacent to the one they occupied to which they transferred their saloon fixtures. Something like nine years ago he purchased his brother's interest, since which time he continued to run them alone, occupying the rooms on the second floors for living apartments until two years ago when he built a fine home on Logan street. About twenty years ago he was married to Caroline Lehn, of Manchester, who has ever been a most devoted wife. To them was born one daughter, Lena, aged eighteen, who was his pride. Besides these, two sisters and the aged parents survive him. The funeral was held at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Adrian, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and remains placed in the Arnold family lot.

Mrs. Martha Camburn.

Mrs. Martha Camburn was born in Covert, Seneca county, N. Y., on the 26th of November, 1835, and died at her home in Macon, Mich., February 13, '97.

She came with her parents to this state in the spring of 1849. On the 6th of September, 1855 she was married to Spencer Camburn, with whom she journeyed until August 31, 1886, when death removed her beloved companion. She was left with three sons and two daughters, all of whom survive to mourn the loss of their mother.

For 37 years Mrs. Camburn has lived on the old farm where her death occurred. Prosperity rewarded the arduous labors of herself and her companion. Since his departure, she, aided by her children, has conducted the affairs of the place with marked success. She was a woman of strong intellect, moral sense and character. Her reading was well selected and of considerable breadth, and gave her food for mental and moral growth. For 45 years her religious affiliations were with the D. R. church. But in her heart there was always a very warm place for, and sympathy toward, Methodist doctrine and polity. Her death, so many years before the three score and ten line was reached, is exceedingly sad, and our reconcilliation is found only in the fact that the providence of God may all work for our good. The funeral services were conducted at the family residence by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, and were attended by a large concourse of neighbors and friends

Mortgagee's Sale.

Having taken possession of E. F. Kirchgessner's stock under a chattle mortgage claim, I will offer the same for sale at auction in lots to suit the purchaser, commencing March 9, 1897, at 2 p. m., and continuing every afternoon and evening from 2 to 4 and from 7:30 to 10 o'clock until claim is satisfied or stock and fixtures are sold. Every article will be guaranteed as represented and sold without reserve.

L. B. KRESS,
Mortgagee.

—Special bargains in Toilet and Dinner sets at Tansley's new store, Heesen block.

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Ten dollar Dinner sets, English ware, for $6.98 at Tansley's new store, Heesen block.

—Wood work. I am prepared to do wagon, carriage and furniture repairing and everything in the line of wood working. W. H. Smith, second door north of Thos. Elliott's blacksmith shop.

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also everything pertaining to Tin, Copper or Sheet Iron work and house heating,

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CLINTON.

S. W. Demuth was a Toledo visitor Friday.

Robert Cairnes, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Annie Grey visited Tecumseh friends Saturday.

Miss Lina Jones visited her people at Manchester Monday.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester over Sunday.

S. Tate went to Buffalo Saturday with two cars of sheep and hogs.

F. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Saturday on business.

Geo. H. Semark and family visited Norvell relatives over Sunday.

Will Waterhouse quit work for the Freese-Whittelsey Co. Monday.

E. J. Semark and wife had a dancing party at their house last Friday night.

Misses Mabel and Gertrude Clement, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at Dr J. L. Tuttle's.

Misses Lizzie and Emma Shurtz, of Toledo, visited at Henry Lancaster's over Sunday.

Miss Eva Shimman went to Jackson Wednesday for a day's visit with her mother and sister.

Clarence Hause was up from Britton the last of the week, visiting his brothers and sister.

E. H. Halladay, of Tecumseh, was visiting Clinton relatives a few days the first of the week.

Miss Bertha Shugar, of Onsted, has been visiting Clinton friends since Thursday of last week.

George VanGieson, who has been at Logansport, Ind., for the past four months, returned to Clinton Tuesday night.

Edward Maxwell and sister, Miss Belle, of Minneapolis, Minn., were guests of Mrs. Jennie Brown the first of the week.

Orville Barnes returned to Chicago Monday accompanied by Miss Clara Steffins, who will be the guest of himself and wife for a few days.

Miss Isabel Grey, who has been at the home of her uncle, Lewis Grey, for the past few weeks, returned to her home at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. French arrived Monday night from Baltimore, O., for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Fannie Huntoon and Mrs. Sam. Alexander.

The partnership of Clark & Shimman was dissolved on Tuesday, Miss Eva Shimman selling her interest in the millinery stock to Mrs. E. A. Clark, who will continue the business.

The Law and Order caucus Saturday night nominated the following ticket:

Pres.—Chas. E. Foster.
Trustees—W. S. Kimball, A. C. Huntington, Robt. Redick.
Clerk—C. D. Cutting.
Treas.—A. S. Marshall.
Assessor—John Hauge.

At the corporation caucus held Friday afternoon, the following nominations were made:

Pres.—W. C. Rogers.
Trustees—Geo. Calhoun, E. F. Muir, D. Woodward.
Clerk—
Treas.—C. H. Thompson.
Assessor—A. J. Kishpaugh.

Last Saturday night W. C. Rogers was invited over to D. Woodward's early in the evening. About 7 o'clock he was notified that his presence was required at home. On reaching there he was surprised to find 18 or 20 gentlemen friends gathered to pass the evening with him, the surprise being planned by his wife and daughter, Mrs. E. S. Tate.

Last Monday evening C. F. Field met with those who were interested in the work of the University association and a circle with about 20 members was organized. The following officers were elected:—

Pres.—W. S. Kimball.
V. Pres.—Nellie Kishpaugh.
Sec. and Treas.—Katherine VanTuyle
Leader—Rev. D. H. Ramsdell,
Local Organizer—Prof. F. E. Wilcox.

After committees were appointed, it was decided to meet on each alternate Monday night at the home of some member of the society, the first meeting to be held at Miss Alice Halladay's March 15th.

Mrs. Louis Grey went to Ypsilanti Saturday for a few days' visit with relatives.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 15c

MACON.

Lester Coller is in very poor health at this writing.

Elmer Hunter has been suffering an attack of tonsilitis.

Ham Niblack, of Clinton, called on Macon friends Sunday.

Miss Addie Crittenden returned to her work in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Chas. Wilkins left Monday for Ann Arbor where she has secured a position.

Geo. Harmon, of Bedford, has been spending a few days with Macon friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Tice moved their household goods to Ann Arbor this week.

Albert Collins has purchased Milan Sage's house and lot and will soon be a "city" resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Camburn attended a party at Mort Gooding's in Tecumseh Friday night.

The remains of Mrs. Samuel Booth, of Saline, were laid to rest in our village cemetery Saturday.

Topic for Epworth League meeting next Sunday evening: "The Call to the Work," Isa. 6;1-10. Leader, Miss Leeanna Morgan.

Misses Helen Camburn and Maggie Biddle, who have been working in Ann Arbor for some time, returned home the first of the week.

The S. S. convention held in the D. R. church Wednesday was largely attended and proved a complete success. We trust that much benefit may be derived from it and the good work may continue till our Sunday-schools be greatly improved.

Did you ever stop to think what indigestion really means? It means simply that your stomach is tired. If our legs are tired, we ride. The horse and the steam engine do the work. Why not give your stomach a ride, that is, let something else do its work. Foods can be digested outside of the body. All plants contain digestive principles which will do this. The Shaker Digestive Cordial contains digestive principles and is a preparaiton designed to rest the stomach. The Shakers themselves have such unbounded confidence in it that they have placed 10 cent sample bottles on the market, and it is said that even so small a quantity proves beneficial in a vast majority of cases. All druggists keep it

The warehouses and ice-houses of the Booth Packing & Fish Co. at Petoskey were burned Saturday. Loss $4,400.

Justly the Favorite.

Ninety-nine out of every 100 persons who give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin a fair trial pronounce it unexcelled as a cure for Constipation, Indigestion and Sickheadache. Ask your neighbor. Trial size 10c, also in 50c and $1 bottles. Orr & Temple.

The grocery store of James Tompson at Port Sanilac was burned Saturday. Loss $3,900.

"That Tired Feeling"

overcomes us when inferior preparations are recommended by unscrupulous dealers as "just as good as Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup," when we know the unequalled merits of this great medicine. Orr & Temple.

Traverse City has a new daily, the Morning Bulletin.

Mr. J. W. Martin, a prominent citizen of Cave Hill, Ky., states: "I suffered with neuralgia for about ten years. At times I was nearly dead; could not sit, lie nor stand; my teeth came loose, and I gave up all hopes of recovery. Doctors failed to benefit me. One bottle of Lightning Hot Drops effected a complete cure, and I have never had a touch of neuralgia since." For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Galesburg has a new paper, the Mirror, published by E. E. Thresher.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

New York wood carvers kick against the instruction of convicts in wood carving.

Mrs. J. B. Gilson, 740 Crossman Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, says: My daughter had a severe toothache which kept her awake ot night, and the only thing that brought relief was Lightning Hot Drops. I have used the remedy for neuralgia also, and it gave quick relief. —For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

The Durfee mills at Fall River, Mass have shut down for three weeks. The mills manufacture cotton goods.

To Consumptives.

As an honest remedy Foley's Honey and Tar does ont hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. Orr & Temple

Platteville, Wis., has passed an ordinance forbidding the sale of cigarettes within the city limits.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

Tillie Anderson, as usual, won the female bicycle race at Cleveland. Lizzie Glaw was second.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Orr & Temple.

CAPITAL REMOVAL.

Friends of the Plan Have Not Yet Given Up.

Gradually Moving Toward That End —Measure in Detroit's Interest Not Likely to Be Presented at This Session.

Lansing, March 3.—The total number of senate bills at this session is 540; house bills, 1,232. Last session senate bills numbered 316; house bills, 1,113. Among the entire lot presented it is surprising to most people that not one provides for submitting to the people the proposed amendment to the constitution providing for the removal of the capital of the state to Detroit. There has been so much talk of this matter, and the project having the backing of so long a list of Detroit business men, to say nothing of the fact that it was favored by Gov. Pingree, it is a matter of comment that no measure was introduced. However, this situation of affairs is not an indication of the death of the proposed scheme. The first step toward bringing the capital to Detroit is really contained in the amendment to the Detroit charter introduced by Col. John Atkinson, which contemplates raising the limit of bonded indebtedness for Detroit from two to five per cent. Col. Atkinson, in talking about his bill id: "We must first have something to offer the people in order to induce the moving of the capital. When we have provided a site in Detroit for the capitol building and made other arrangements we can come to some future legislature and ask them to submit to the people the proposition to make the metropolis the capital of the state."

The national building and loan associations are making a determined fight against the bill placing them under the supervision of the state banking department. Two years ago a law was passed requiring them to make reports to and be subject to examination by the secretary of state. Now they protest against the repeal of this law before even the first annual report required by it has been made. In the event of its repeal, however, the associations ask that a new department be created for their supervision, claiming that as they are rivals of banks, the banking department would be prejudiced against them. The indications are that the law requiring that real estate mortgages be taxed will be repealed, the senate committee having so recommended. It is claimed the law has not only driven a vast amount of capital out of the state since its enactment several years ago, but that in nearly every instance the mortgageor is required to pay the tax.

The proposal to annex Isle Royal to Keweenaw county would make the English syndicate owning it pay its just share of taxes. At present the vaulation is $100,000, when it is known to be very rich in copper. The island is 46 miles long and one of the largest in the lakes.

The most important measure thus far passed by either body is the bill offering a bounty of one cent per pound for beet sugar of Michigan production. An effort made in the house to amend the bill so as to make $50,000 the limit of bounty to be paid in any one year was unsuccessful. The bill requires that such bounty shall be paid for seven years from the time the act takes effect.

The manufacturers of oleomargarine and other substitutes for butter were given a hard blow when the senate passed the Jibb bill prohibiting the coloring of these products to resemble butter. The bill is now sure to become a law.

The house special committee on violations of the law on railroad freight charges has decided that a circular letter shall be sent to shippers in districts where it is supposed that discriminations have been made in rates, asking the shippers for information.

The house committee on state affairs has reported favorably the bill providing for women physicians and attendants for women patients in insane asylums.

A bill base been introduced in the house to make large department stores unlawful. It provides that all articles usually sold at retail shall be divided into 72 classes and the classes divided into 12 groups. A merchant can sell only the articles enumerated in a particular group.

Representative Bates has introduced a resolution in the house calling for a committee of five from the house to investigate and report upon the circumstances connected with the recent pardon of a convict named Wixom from Jackson prison. It is asserted that Gov. Pingree has had his confidence abused by those upon whom he had a right to rely, and that this investigation will develop certain unsavory facts.

The latest measure in which the governor is interested requires annual reports to be made by transportation companies of all kind, gas and electric lighting companies, covering their organization, capitalization, shareholders, volume of business, number of employes, earnings, expenses and every other item of business. These reports are to be made to the state bureau of statistics, which the bill creates. It is proposed to stop the practice of private individuals engaging in the banking business under a corporate title, and also to require all private bankers to submit to inspection and supervision by the state banking commissioner.

The first attempt by the legislature to pass a bill prescribing a penalty for women who wear large hats in places of entertainment was made Tuesday and failed. But 44 votes were cast for the bill, 51 being necessary to pass it. The vote was reconsidered and another attempt will be made when fewer members are absent.

The senate has decided to make an investigation of the soldiers' home in view of the numerous complaints by old soldiers who have lived there, and provided for the appointment of a special committee of three with full power to make the investigation exhaustive. The inquiry will cover the management, payment of salaries, plan of purchasing supplies, care of inmates and general discipline. Senator Jibb, who introduced the resolution, said he did so at the request of Gen. Shakespeare, commander of the grand army.

A bill to increase the revenues of the state increases by one per cent. the rate of taxation assessed against the gross Michigan earnings of all life and fire insurance companies transacting business in the state. This will increase the total revenue from this source 50 per cent.

EMMETT.

INHUMAN TREATMENT.

Charged Against Parents of an Adopted Girl.

Grand Rapids, March 3.—The examination of Henry Wilson and wife began in the police court Tuesday morning on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder. The victim is their little five-year-old adopted daughter, who is now at a hospital with little prospect of recovering from her injuries. The case is one of the most atrocious of the kind that has ever come to the surface here, and the interest in it was manifested by a crowd that could not get into the courtroom to hear the testimony at the examination. The child was taken to the hospital last week by a physician called in by the foster parents, who became alarmed when the little one did not revive from a faint. Her body was covered with bruises and scars.

The Wilsons admitted punishing the child, but attributed the injuries to a fall downstairs. The maximum penalty for the offense with which the prisoners is charged is life imprisonment. The crowd around the police court was not only large, but angry, and as the patrol wagon arrived from the jail with the prisoners there were demands that they be lynched. The prisoners cowered down into the wagon, pale and trembling, and the wagon was driven into the police station building with all speed and the doors closed to keep the crowd out. No testimony was taken Tuesday morning, but the examination will begin Friday. At the jail Wilson is kept separate from the other prisoners lest they do him violence.

THROWN OUT OF COURT.

Suit to Oust Pingree as Mayor Fails Because of a Technicality.

Detroit, March 1.—The suit brought by D. W. H. Moreland, a member of the board of public works, to oust Mayor Pingree from office was decided in favor of the governor-mayor Saturday by the circuit court on a technicality. Moreland's contention was that when Pingree became governor he vacated the office of mayor. The court did not touch upon this point, but held that Moreland, as a private citizen, had no right in court, and should have brought his suit in the name of the attorney-general. The case will be heard in the supreme court March 9.

Detroit, Mich., March 2.—Fred Baker, attorney for Mr. Moreland in the case against Mayor Pingree's claim of right to hold the office, sent quo warranto papers to Attorney-General Fred A. Maynard at Lansing Monday and also mandamus papers requiring the common council to order a special election for mayor. Mr. Maynard refused to sign them at once. He said that there were some legal matters to be cleared up first. He will hear arguments on those points.

Death of Prof. Swain.

Buchanan, March 2.—Prof. Arthur J. Swain, superintendent of public schools, died at five a. m. Monday. Prof. Swain was born at New Hampton, N. H., June 19, 1836. He prepared for college at the famous Exeter academy, and graduated from Hamilton college, N. Y. He was married at Exeter in 1866. For 11 years he held important positions in the schools of New Hampshire, later going to Albany, N. Y., and was afterward professor of Greek and Latin in Syracuse (N. Y.) university. He came to Michigan in 1882.

Miners Buried Alive.

Ironwood, Feb 27.—Two miners were buried in C shaft in the Newport mine at ten o'clock Friday night, the room in which they were working caving in and burying them under hundreds of tons of ore. Their names are Matt Matson and Dominick Reghatti. The body of the latter was soon recovered, but it will require several days' work to reach the place where Matson's body is supposed to be. Matson leaves a family, while Reghatti was a single man.

Receiver for a Church.

Bay City, Mich., March 2.—Judge Maxwell has issued an order appointing the sheriff receiver of St. Stanislaus Polish cathedral (Catholic) property. It is valued at $150,000. The sheriff is directed to take immediate charge in the name of the bishop and to arrest all persons who come upon the premises. The order is a knock-out blow for the rebellious faction of the church.

Plant to Make Bleaching Powder.

Decatur, March 2. — Michigan capitalists are planning to establish at Midland an extensive plant for the manufacture of bleaching powder by a newly discovered process. At present the market is controlled by a British syndicate and none is made in this country. The proposed plant is to cost $500,000 and the building will cover 13 acres.

Will Try Pingree's Plan.

Grand Rapids, Feb. 27.—The Anti-poverty League will try Mayor Pingree's potato patch scheme in this city. They have secured 40 vacant lots in the southern part of the city, and will secure as many more as possible and assign them to poor people to work. It will not be a municipal enterprise.

To Build a Smelting Plant.

Houghton, Feb. 26. — The Quincy Mining company intends to erect a smelting plant of its own on Portage lake to cost between $75,000 and $100,000. Work will begin next spring and the plant will be ready for operation in 1898.

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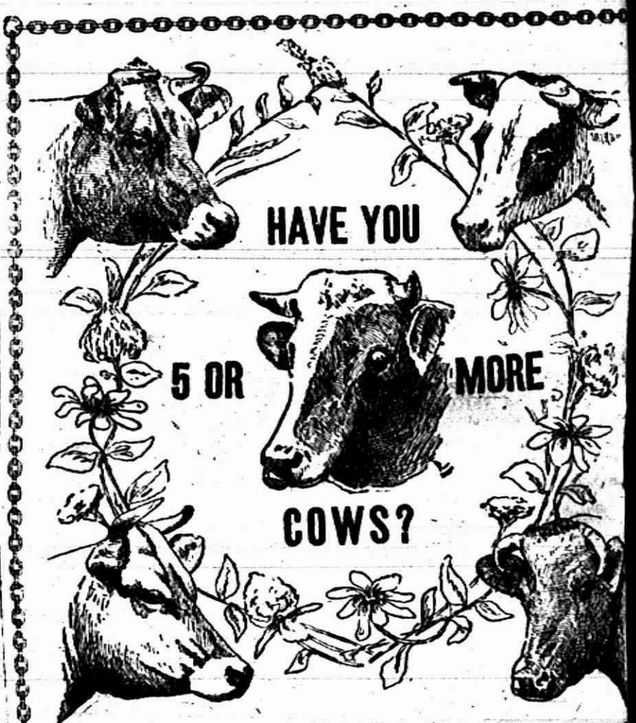

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...dew Dogline made Detroit a visit ...week.

...H. Temple received a car of ...rles last Friday.

...W. Curtiss had business that called ... to Adrian Monday.

...e services at the Christian church ...day will be as usual.

...ill Allen has a good hard coal stove ...ch he will sell cheap.

...M. Jones, of Tecumseh, was a ...er at Geo. W. Smith's Tuesday.

...H. Goodrich and Herbert Temple ...e calling on Tecumseh friends Sat... ...y.

...mmie Allen, of Adrian, came over ... spent Saturday with his cousin, ..., and family.

...iss Mame B. Nickerson attended ...senior class reception at Adrian col... Monday evening.

...e funeral of Mrs. Wm. S. Osborn ...held at the house Tuesday forenoon. ...od & Linn had charge of it.

...eph Smith, of Dundee, was in town ...day and Tuesday on business for ...Champion Harvester Company.

...s. M. Hiscock and the Misses ...le Allen and Ada Pocklington were ...s of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen last ...y.

... Hawks and family left Tuesday ...eir new home south of Tecumseh. ... will be greatly missed in this ...unity.

... families of Thomas and Albert ... exchanged quarters Monday. ... now occupies the house formerly ...pied by the other.

... H. Blakely shipped his household ...s and grocery stock Tuesday by rail ...Wayne, but he with his wife and ...e daughter drove through.

...os. V. Hoagland has returned to ...farm house to reside. He took a ... day to move. It was Tuesday. ... know how pleasant it was.

...dgar Wells, who for a long time has ...n in very poor health, had another ...spell Sunday. Although severe he ...owly recovering from its effects.

...iss Luella Haynes came over from ...ilanti Tuesday to attend the Larra...-McCutcheon wedding and will ...ain for a visit with her numerous ...nds.

...rs. James Haight was called to ...loway Saturday by the illness of ... sister, Mrs. A. H. Kelly. She re...ned home Tuesday accompanied by a ...ce, the young daughter of Mrs. ...ly.

...m. E. Nivison has executed a for... object lesson for use in Sunday... ...ol. It is termed "The Bridge of ...." It is not only ingenious but ...ructive and must be seen to be fully ...eciated.

...as. F. Nickerson is an adept at fin... furniture as an inspection of the ...ed room suite made by Ed Bach... ...when he is finishing will demon... ... We understand Chauncy Dibble ...have it.

... the Reformed church Sunday ...ning there will be baptism, public ...ption of members to the church and ...communion service. In the even... Rev. N. F. Nickerson will have for ...topic, "An Audience of One."

...rs. Stewart, mother of John, and ... whom she resided, who has been ...le for a long time, passed from ...ly scenes Monday night. The ...ral was held Wednesday at the ... Methodist church at 11 a. m., Rev. ...mmerhorn, the pastor, officiating.

...e spacious home of Geo. W. Smith ...filled with invited guests to witness ... marriage of Will Larrabee and ...e McCutcheon at high noon Wed... ...ay. It was a very pretty wedding ...he young couple were recipients ...any useful and valuable presents. ...nd Mrs. Larrabee will soon be at ... to their friends in a cosy house ...oagland's addition.

... the caucus held in Brown's store ...day evening, the following strong ... was placed in nomination for the ...ration election which occurs next ...day:

...esident—W. J. Clark.
...rk—W. R. Osgood.
...easurer—James DuBois.
...sessor—Walter Exelby.
...ustees, long term—J. W. Clement. ... Exelby, L. A. Babcock.
...ort term—Wm. Rinn, E. E. Hen...not, John Britton.

RIDGEWAY.

...rtrude Boyd closed her winter term ...hool in the Steel district, Macon, ...ay.

...e old as well as the young have ... enjoying the skating on Temple's ... during the past week.

...e nomination of Prof. J. C. Howell ... county commissioner of schools ...s with general satisfaction here.

... E. Pocklington and wife and C. B. ...le and wife were guests of Rev. E. ...r and family, at Napoleon, Thurs... ...nd Friday.

...n. H. R. Pattengill, the next on the ...re course here, will give his cele... ...d lecture "Gumption with a big G" ... Tuesday evening.

...auncey Graves, Gertrude Marvin, ... S. P. Smith, Ella and Gertrude ... and Horace Dibble attended the ...ers' association held in Adrian ... ...ay.

... between Tecumseh and this ...ge, a week ago Saturday, a pack... ...dress trimmings and finishings. ...nder will confer a kindness by ...g the same at S. W. Anderson's ...or at the drug store of this village.

...CARTS stimulate liver, kidneys ...bowels. Never sicken, weaken or

CONE.

Gideon Lewis is on the sick list.

George Packard, of West Dundee, was in town Monday.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Walter Caswell was home from Ann Arbor the first of the week.

Tom McCaughey, of Toledo, visited friends here the first of the week.

Orrie Dennison was in Auburndale Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raymond, Thursday February 25th, a daughter.

Miss Lulu Holmes, of South Raisin, was the guest of Miss Edith Ray the first of the week.

Mrs. Libbie Hatton, of Ypsilanti, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Caswell.

Sherman Richardson, of Sanborn, N. Y., was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Jacob Curry, last Thursday.

Miss Lizzie Houghton, of Detroit, came home last Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Houghton.

Died, Saturday February 28th, at the home of her sister, Miss Phoebe Munson, of paralysis, Mrs. Jane Osborne, aged about 70 years. She had been sick about eight months and confined to her bed the most of the time. The family have the sympathy of their neighbors in their bereavement.

John Loibstaff, a former resident of this place, was instantly killed at Auburndale last Thursday, while crossing a track with a milk wagon. The gate keeper had left the gates open to go after the switch light, and, supposing all was right, John undertook to cross the track when a box car struck the wagon, killing him and one horse and injuring the other so it had to be killed. Mr. Leibstaff leaves a wife and numerous friends.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Fannie Kelley has been stopping at Milan for a few days.

Mrs. Eugene Drouilliard has been suffering from an attack of the grip.

L. O. T. M. will meet at Maccabee hall tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

Miss E. H. Fish is visiting friends at Adrian, N. Morenci and Kunkle, Ohio.

Miss Abbie Ray visited her parents at North Morenci from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. James Haight, of Britton, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Kelley, who is quite ill.

Revival meetings commenced at the Free Methodist church last Sunday evening. The attendance was large.

Miss Florence Kishpaugh was very pleasantly surrised by a number of her friends on Thursday evening of last week.

L. Garlick, who has been acting as station agent here for some time, returned to his home at Fayette, Ohio, last week.

Orren Hoxie, who has been stopping with his sister Mrs. Jane Kelley for some time, returned to her home at Traverse city last week.

Delorma Brown and family, who went to Homer about a year ago, returned last week, and it is rumored will make their future home in Adrian.

LAKE RIDGE.

George Kemp has rented his farm to Frank Gilmore.

Lafe Gregory has rented his farm and will try city life.

Wm. Young is quite sick with grip and rheumatism.

Mrs. John Murphy, who fell and broke her hip, is doing nicely.

Hugh Craig acted as superintendent of the Sunday school last Sunday.

Miss Mary Murphy, of East Tecumseh, is helping care for her grandmother this week.

Twelve new sheds have been built at the East church and other improvements are in progress.

Alfred Lewis had the misfortune to fall off a load of hay onto the barn floor, and was unconscious 24 hours.

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My son was afflicted with catarah. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Eugene D. Mosher, of Jackson, has been appointed deputy warden of the branch state prison at Marquette.

That Tired Feeling.

About which newspaper jokers write so much is with most of us, at times an actual condition and not to be laughed at. It is the result of long neglect and misuse of the stomach and bowels. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin comes in and removes this feeling and life again seems worth living. Try a 10c bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple.

Minneapolis carpenters have been granted the nine hour day and twenty-five cents an hour.

Having used Lightning Hot Drops for rheumatism and found it an excellent remedy I can cheerfully recommend it.—Nora Woodruff, 523 First St., Louisville, Ky. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

The American Agents' association has issued a defense of the canvassing agent and calls on organized labor to look for the badge of the union agent.

LA GRIPPE.

Some Recent Reports Concerning the Ravages of this Prevalent Disease.

Dr. Hartman is constantly receiving letters from all parts of the United States from people who have suffered from la grippe or are suffering from it. The Doctor's remedy, Pe-ru-na, is found to be of great value in the treatment of this disease. N. N. Coons, Monmouth, Ill., writes: "Last fall I was taken with la grippe, and was unable to do my work. I consulted several of our best doctors but found very little relief. I saw one of your advertisements and concluded to give your Pe-ru-na a trial. I bought two bottles and was surprised at the good it did me. I used it all and bought six more bottles and was soon able to go back to my work. I think your Pe-ru-na is an excellent medicine and I have recommended it to others." Geo. W. Norman, 2531 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., was also cured of la grippe with Pe-ru-na.

Many cases of cures of la grippe are recorded in Dr. Hartman's latest book on chronic catarrh and catarrhal diseases. This book contains 64 pages, instructively illustrated. It will be sent free for a short time by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

A company is being organized to build an electric railroad between Houghton and Hancock.

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Rev. Dr. Campbell Fair, of Grand Rapids, has accepted a call to become dean of the Trinity cathedral at Omaha, Neb.

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Ottumwa, Iowa, people ask that the mayor be satisfied with $200 a year.

Beaver Dam, O., Aug. 27, '95.
My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. Today she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine. Respectfully
Mrs. J. M. Bailey, Orr & Temple.

President Crespo has sent to the Venezuelan congress a message favoring the boundary line treaty negotiated with Great Britian by the United States.

RIDICULOUS SECRECY.

Every New Administration Seems to Revel in It.

Office-Holders, When First Clothed with Authority, Forget That They Are the Servants of the People.

[Special Washington Letter.]

The new administration is like all new administrations. It is secretive. Administrations come and go, but they all begin in a maze of mystery. The political complexion of the administration makes no difference. The subordinate officials make fools of themselves with equal facility, whether they believe in free trade, free silver, high protection or yellow dollars.

Twelve years ago Postmaster General Vilas, Attorney-General Garland, and all the members of Cleveland's cabinet, gave orders to their messengers, chief clerks and civil service clerks to be careful to give out no information to newspaper men without first getting permission to do so. As a matter of fact, the clerks knew what should be given out as news and what withheld far better than the new cabinet ministers could possibly know; for the cabinet ministers had much to learn about executive affairs.

Eight years ago the cabinet ministers of the Harrison administration came into their places of dignity and power, and they at once ordered secrecy concerning administrative affairs. Legitimate items of news were hidden away, for no other reason than that the cabinet ministers did not know their own business, and were groping slowly into new channels.

Four years ago, when the second Cleveland administration began, the secretiveness of the officials was more than usually dense and exasperating. It was caused largely by holdover republican clerks who wanted to ingratiate themselves with the new bosses, by pretending to closely guard important executive secrets. Of course, after six months of experience in every administration, the cabinet ministers learn their business, and are more communicative with the newsgatherers. But, four years ago, there was a density of secrecy that was as maddening as it was unnecessary.

For example, there are approximately 4,000 presidential post offices, with salaries running from $1,000 to $8,000. The postmaster at each of these places holds a commission for four years; and at the expiration of four years a successor is appointed. The prominent

HON. JOHN SHERMAN,
(The New Secretary of State.)

democrats in every state wanted to know when these commissions would expire, in order that they might intelligently plan for their turn at office-holding. Acting under the advice of an old holdover republican employe, Postmaster-General Bissell declared that this information should not be given out. This angered the newspaper men, and they tried to get the information anyway. Each man had his own experience at that time. I can only narrate my own:

I was representing the Detroit Tribune, and sent to that paper a complete list of the presidential postmasters for Michigan with the date of the expiration of each commission and the salary attached to each office. As the representative of the St. Paul Dispatch I sent that paper a complete official list covering Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota. To the Des Moines Register I sent the complete list for Iowa and Nebraska.

When those newspapers arrived in Washington copies were laid before the postmaster-general, and he was very wroth. He was anxious to find the clerk in his department who had given out the forbidden lists. If he could only find out all the particulars he would make some discharges, and teach his clerks a practical lesson of subordination. But he could not find out how the information was obtained.

Having formerly been employed in the post office department, I was familiar with the working of the great postal machinery, the manner and method of appointments, the bookkeeping system, and all that sort of thing. I knew that the sixth auditor of the treasury kept duplicate accounts of all postmasters in the United States, and that the books of the auditor must always tally with the accounts kept by their third assistant postmaster general. The postmaster-general could suppress news in the post office department, but he had no control over the treasury department. The office of the sixth auditor of the treasury is purely a bookkeeping office, and nobody ever goes there for news. Consequently the sixth auditor had never been ordered to suppress news. Therefore, when I went to the books to get the names, salaries and dates of commissions of postmasters nobody interposed any objection. Thus the lists were obtained and printed in spite of the postmaster-general. He was afterwards told that this government has many ramifications, and that there are various ways of ascertaining facts.

Another news matter of considerable importance was harder to obtain, and it required considerable effort and some expense to circumvent the officials who refused to give information. For every post office there are always two or more candidates, and sometimes as many as 20 men aspire for a good office. All of the applications are kept in the office of the fourth assistant postmaster-general, and no clerk can give out the list of candidates for postmasterships without authority to do so; and there is no other office in which they can be found. Postmaster-General Bissell declared that the names of candidates should not be published, because it would create jealousies and rivalries in the various localities, and that many candidates did not want their candidacy known in their own home towns. Thus the channels of news seemed to be hermetically sealed.

With a sort of bullheaded determination to get the news anyway, somehow, that subject was uppermost in my mind

HON. JOHN D. LONG,
(The New Secretary of the Navy.)

for a week. Finally it was solved. I wrote letters to the editors of the newspapers in each town where post office appointments were pending, asking for the names of the men who were known to be seeking the appointment, and the politicians who were backing each candidate. It was just the thing to do. Every newspaper man saw at a glance that they were suppressing the news at Washington, and also sympathized with the correspondent who was trying to get the news. Inside of two weeks I had letters giving complete statements of the cases in a hundred towns. With this information in my possession, I could talk with post office officials here and glean additional facts. Finally, when these matters were published in prominent newspapers, Postmaster-General Bissell called up his clerks, assured them that nothing but rank treachery could have permitted these things to be made public, and discharges of clerks were about to be made. This rendered it necessary to expose the method of obtaining news, in order to save innocent clerks from being discharged. Then the postmaster-general threw up his hands, and stopped trying to run a bureau of secrecy.

The people have a right to know what their public servants are doing. They have a right to know what the books show is being done. It makes no difference what party is temporarily in power, the administration is the servant of the people. Men who get into high official positions usually suffer with cranial enlargement, and mistake the government for a personal possession. Clothed with a little brief authority, they strut like Muscovite ducks, and imagine their waddling to be the more graceful when it is the more grotesque. When a man becomes pompous, he ceases to be a gentleman. When one ceases to be a gentleman, he should cease to be a public servant.

The trouble with past administrations has been that advice has been too freely taken from self-seeking, holdover clerks who would magnify their own importance in order to retain their positions. The same trouble confronts the present administration at the outset. Without being a spoilsman, a man of experience in national affairs cannot but view with some disfavor that law which prevents a member of the cabinet from appointing his close personal friends to positions near him. Just as the tides agitate the ocean, as the waters flow in rivers, and as the blood courses through the veins, there should be rotation in public office, for the public health. The stagnation of men in public office, I think, is a detriment to 'good government.' There should be new men in public places, and they should throw open the books to the people whom they serve.

President Arthur gave this country an excellent administration. Within the memory of man there has been no more commendable administration. It was an open book, seen and read by all men. One of the maxims of that administration was the declaration of Mr. Arthur to the members of his cabinet: "Let the newspaper men know everything about our domestic affairs, and what we are doing. We are not permitted, however, to tell the public what is being done in foreign affairs, because the other nations may not desire publicity in certain matters of importance. But in all domestic affairs we are the servants of the people alone, and they have a right to know what is being done."

Of course, where Great Britain, or Russia, or some other great civilized power is concerned, this government would not be justified in letting the world know what the other nations might want kept as an international secret. But in all domestic affairs President Arthur was right in giving recognition to the sovereignty of the people. It is to be hoped that the new administration will soon learn to take a similar view of the situation.

SMITH D. FRY.

Art and Fashion.

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"What's the matter?"

"Styles in women's sleeves have changed again."—Chicago Record.

A Simple Answer.

Questioner—Is that clock right over there?

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"Oh, my; oh, my; do not say that," pleaded the blind man. "I'm poor; you'll admit that, won't you?"

"Yes; I think you are."

"And blind, too; isn't that so?"

"Yes, you are both poor and blind."

"Then hand over the money, please," demanded the man, "because under the law I come under both conditions."

But the clerk shook his head in the negative.

"You know well enough why you can't get the money," he said, "the report against you reads that you are not respectable."

"Now I know what you are driving at," sighed the blind man, "but what has that to do with it?"

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houses of congress proceeded to the eastern portico of the capitol, and in the presence of a tremendous throng of citizens the oath of office was administered to President McKinley by Chief Justice Fuller. President McKinley then delivered his inaugural address, which was a masterly effort, and in which he outlined the policy of his administration.

At its close, together with ex-President Cleveland, he entered the carriage and was driven to the white house, tumultuous cheers greeting him all along the route. After reviewing the gorgeous procession from the stand in front of the historical mansion, he formally entered upon his duties as the chief executive of a nation of 70,000,000 people. Grover Cleveland reentered the ranks of private citizens, and will retire to his new home at Princeton, N. J., to resume the practice of law.

THE INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

Full Text of the Remarks of President McKinley.

After having taken the obligation which made him the ruler over the destinies of the nation, President McKinley stepped to the front of the platform and in a clear, resonant voice spoke as follows:

"Fellow Citizens: In obedience to the will of the people, and in their presence, by the authority vested in me by this oath, I assume the arduous and responsible duties of president of the United States, relying on the support of my countrymen and invoking the guidance of Almighty God. Our faith teaches that there is no safer reliance than upon the God of our fathers, who has so singularly favored the American people in every national trial, and who will not forsake us so long as we obey His commandments and walk humbly in His footsteps.

Need of Currency Reform.

"The responsibilities of the high trust to which I have been called—always of grave importance—are augmented by the prevailing business conditions, entailing idleness upon willing labor and loss to useful enterprises. The country is suffering from

JOHN SHERMAN,
Secretary of State.

industrial disturbances from which speedy relief must be had. Our financial system needs some revision; our money is all good now, but its value must not further be threatened. It should all be put on an enduring basis, not subject to easy attack, nor its stability to doubt or dispute. Our currency should continue under the supervision of the government. The several forms of our paper money offer, in my judgment, a constant embarrassment to the government and a safe balance in the treasury. Therefore I believe it necessary to devise a system which, without diminishing the circulating medium, or offering a premium for its contraction, will present a remedy for those arrangements which, temporary in their nature, might well in the years of our prosperity have been displaced by wiser provisions. With adequate revenue secured, but not until then, we can enter upon such changes in our fiscal laws as will, while insuring safety and volume to our money, no longer impose upon the government the necessity of maintaining so large a gold reserve, with its attendant and inevitable temptations to speculation.

"Most of our financial laws are the outgrowth of experience and trial, and should not be amended without investigation and demonstration of the wisdom of the proposed changes. We must be both 'sure we are right' and 'make haste slowly.' If, therefore, congress in its wisdom shall deem it expedient to create a commission to take under early consideration the revision of our coinage, banking and currency laws, and give them that exhaustive, careful and dispassionate examination that their importance demands, I shall cordially concur in such action. If such power is vested in the president, it is my purpose to appoint a commission of prominent, well-informed citizens of different parties, who will command public confidence both on account of their ability and special fitness for the work. Business experience

LYMAN J. GAGE,
Secretary of the Treasury.

and public training may thus be combined, and the patriotic zeal of the friends of the country be so directed that such a report will be made as to receive the support of all parties, and our finances cease to be the subject of mere partisan contention. The experiment is, at all events, worth a trial, and in my opinion it can but prove beneficial to the entire country.

Favors International Bimetallism.

"The question of international bimetallism will have early and earnest attention. It will be my constant endeavor to secure it by cooperation with the other great commercial powers of the world. Until that condition is realized, when the parity between our gold and silver money springs from and is supported by the relative value of the two metals, the value of the silver already coined, and of that which may hereafter be coined, must be kept constantly at par with gold by every resource at our command. The credit of the government, the integrity of its currency and the inviolability of its obligations must be preserved. This was the commanding verdict of the people, and it will not be unheeded.

Must Be Economical.

"Economy is demanded in every branch

RUSSELL A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

of the government expenditures. Extravagance stopped wherever it is found, and prevented wherever in the future it may be developed. If the revenues are to remain as now, the only relief that can come must be from decreased expenditures. But the present must not become the permanent condition of the government. It has been our uniform practice to retire, not increase our outstanding obligations, and this policy must again be vigorously enforced. Our revenues should always be large enough to meet with ease and promptness not only our current needs and the principal and interest of the public debt, but to make proper and liberal provision for that most deserving body of public creditors, the soldiers and sailors and the widows and orphans who are the pensioners of the United States.

More Revenue Needed.

"The government should not be permitted to run behind, or increase its debt, in times like the present. Suitably to provide against this is the mandate of duty; the certain and easy remedy for most of our financial difficulties. A deficiency is inevitable so long as the expenditures of the government exceed its receipts. It can only be met by loans; or an increased revenue. While a large annual surplus of revenue may invite waste and extravagance, inadequate revenue creates distrust and undermines public and private credit. Neither should be encouraged. Between more loans and more revenue, there ought to be but one opinion. We should have more revenue, and that without delay, hindrance, or postponement. A surplus in the treasury created by loans, is not a permanent or safe reliance. It will suffice while it lasts, but it cannot last long while the outlays of the government are greater than its receipts, as has been the case during the past two years. Nor must it be forgotten however much such loans may temporarily relieve the situation the government is still indebted for the amount of the surplus thus accrued, which it must ultimately pay, while its ability to pay is not strengthened but weakened by a continued deficit. Loans are imperative in great emergencies to preserve the government or its credit, but a failure to supply needed revenue in time of peace for the maintenance of either has no justificatio

Protective Tariff Needed.

"The best way for the government to maintain its credit, is to pay as it goes—not by resorting to loans, but by keeping out of debt—through an adequate income secured by a system of taxation, external or internal, or both. It is the settled policy of the government, pursued from the beginning and practiced by all parties and administrations, to raise the bulk of our revenue from taxes upon foreign productions entering the United States for sale and consumption, and avoiding, for the most part, every form of direct taxation, except in time of war or other great necessity. This policy is clearly opposed to any needless additions to the subjects of internal taxation and is committed by its latest popular utterance to the system of tariff taxation. There can be no misunderstanding, either, about the principle upon which this tariff taxation shall be levied. Nothing has ever been made plainer at a general election than that the controlling principle in the raising of revenue from duties on imports is zealous care for American interests and American labor. The people have declared that such legislation should be had as will give ample protection and encouragement to the industries and the development of our country. It is, therefore, earnestly hoped and expected that congress will, at the earliest practical moment, enact revenue legislation that shall be fair, reasonable, conservative and just, and which, while supplying sufficient revenue

CORNELIUS N. BLISS,
Secretary of the Interior.

for public purposes, will still be signally beneficial and helpful to every section, and every enterprise of the people. To this policy we are all, of whatever party, firmly bound by the voice of the people—a power vastly more potential than the expression of any political platform. The paramount duty of congress is to stop deficiencies by the restoration of that protective legislation which has always been the firmest prop of the treasury. The passage of such a law or laws would strengthen the credit of the government both at home and abroad, and go far towards stopping the drain upon the gold held for the redemption of our currency, which has been heavy and well-nigh constant for several years.

Restoration of Reciprocity Laws.

"In the revision of the tariff, especial attention should be given to the reenactment and extension of the reciprocity principle of the law of 1890, under which so great a stimulus was given to our foreign trade in new and advantageous markets, for our surplus agricultural and manufactured products. The brief trial given this legislation amply justifies a further experiment and additional discretionary power in the making of commercial treaties, the end in view always to be the opening up of new markets for the products of our country, by granting concessions to the products of other lands that we need and cannot produce ourselves, and which do not involve the goods of labor to our own people, but tend to increase their employment.

Must Legislate for Business Revival.

"The depression of the past four years has fallen with especial severity upon the great body of toilers of the country and upon none more than the holders of small farms. Agriculture has languished and labor suffered. The revival of manufacturing will be a relief to both. No portion of our population is more devoted to the institutions of free government, nor more loyal to their support, while none bears more cheerfully or fully its proper share in the maintenance of the government, or is better entitled to its wise and liberal care and protection. Legislation helpful to producers is beneficial to all. The depressed condition of industry on the farm

JOHN D. LONG,
Secretary of the Navy.

and in the mine and factory has lessened the ability of the people to meet the demands upon them and they rightfully expect that not only a system of revenue shall be established that will secure the largest income with the least burden but that every means will be taken to decrease, rather than increase, our public expenditures. Business conditions are not the most promising. It will take time to restore the prosperity of former years. If we cannot promptly attain it, we can resolutely turn our faces in that direction and aid its return by friendly legislation. However troublesome the situation may appear, congress will not, I am sure, be found lacking in disposition or ability to relieve it, as far as legislation can do so. The restoration of confidence and the revival of business, which men of all parties so much desire, depend more largely upon the prompt, energetic and intelligent action of congress, than upon any other single agency affecting the situation.

Equality of Rights Must Prevail.

"It is inspiring, too, to remember that no great emergency in the 100 years of our eventful national life has ever arisen that has not been met with wisdom and courage by the American people, with fidelity to their best interests and highest destiny and to the honor of the American name. These years of glorious history have exalted mankind and advanced the cause of freedom throughout the world and immeasurably strengthened the precious free institutions which we enjoy. The people have and will sustain these institutions. The great essential to our happiness and prosperity is that we adhere to the principles on which the government was established and insist upon their faithful observance. Equality of rights must prevail and our laws be always and everywhere respected and obeyed. We may have failed in the discharge of our full duty as citizens of the great republic, but it is consoling and encouraging to realize that free speech, a free press, free thought, free schools, the free and unmolested right of religious liberty and worship, and free and fair elections are dearer and more universally enjoyed to-day than ever before. These guarantees must be sacredly preserved and wisely strengthened. The constituted authorities must be cheerfully and vigorously upheld. Lynchings must not be tolerated in a great and civilized country like the United States; courts—not mobs—must execute the penalties of the law. The preservation of public order, the right of discussion, the integrity of contracts and the orderly administration of justice must con-

declaration of the party now coming into power, has been in the past that of opposition to all combinations of capital organized in trusts or otherwise, to control arbitrarily the condition of trade among our citizens, and it has supported such legislation as will prevent the execution of all schemes to oppress the people by undue charges on their supplies, or by unjust rates for the transportation of their products to market. This purpose will be steadily pursued, both by the enforcement of the laws now in existence and the recommendation and support of such new statutes as may be necessary to carry it into effect.

Illiteracy Must Be Banished.

"Our naturalization and immigration laws should be further improved to the constant promotion of a safe and desirable citizenship. A grave peril to the republic would be a citizenship too ignorant to understand or too vicious to appreciate the great value and beneficence of our institutions and laws—and unfriendly alike to those who come here to make war upon them. Our motto must be 'Free schools and free men.' We must be unmindful of the needs of the government among our own citizens if we neglect with the zeal of our forefathers the common school and the intelligence and virtue of the future citizen. Illiteracy must be banished from the land if we shall attain that high destiny as the foremost of the enlightened nations of the world, which, under Providence, we ought to achieve.

Civil Service Reform.

"Reforms in the civil service must go on. But the changes should be real and genuine, not perfunctory, or prompted by a spirit in behalf of mere parties, simply because they happen to be in power. As a member of congress I voted and spoke in favor of the present law, and I shall attempt its enforcement in the spirit in which it was enacted. The purpose in view was to secure the most efficient service of the best men who would accept appointment under the government, retaining faithful and devoted

JOSEPH McKENNA,
Attorney-General.

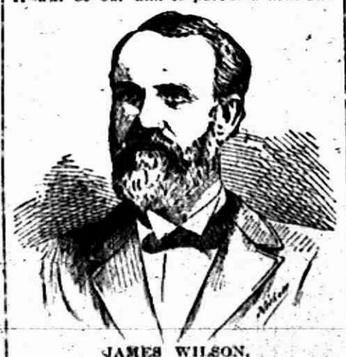
public servants in office, but shielding none, under the authority of any rule or custom, who are inefficient, incompetent or unworthy. The best interests of the country demand this, and the people heartily approve the law wherever and whenever it has been thus administered.

Our Merchant Marine.

"Congress should give prompt attention to the restoration of our American merchant marine, once the pride of the seas in all the great ocean highways of commerce. To my mind, few more important subjects so imperatively demand its intelligent consideration. The United States has progressed with marvelous rapidity in every field of enterprise and endeavor until we have become foremost in nearly all the great lines of inland trade, commerce and industry. Yet, while this is true, our American merchant marine has been steadily declining until it is now lower, both in percentage of tonnage and the number of vessels employed, than it was prior to the civil war. Commendable progress has been made of late years in the upbuilding of the American navy, but we must supplement these efforts by providing as a proper consort for it a merchant marine amply sufficient for our own carrying trade to foreign countries. The question is one that appeals both to our business necessities and the patriotic aspirations of a great people.

The Arbitration Treaty.

"It has been the policy of the United States since the foundation of the government to cultivate relations of peace and amity with all the nations of the world, and this accords with my conception of our duty now. We have cherished the policy of noninterference with the affairs of foreign governments, wisely inaugurated by Washington, keeping ourselves free from entanglements either as allies or foes, content to leave undisturbed with them the settlement of their own domestic concerns. It will be our aim to pursue a firm and



JAMES WILSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

dignified foreign policy, which shall be just, impartial, ever watchful of our national honor and always insisting upon the enforcement of the lawful rights of American citizens everywhere. We want no wars of conquest; we must avoid the temptation of territorial aggression. A war should never be entered upon until every agency of peace has failed; peace is preferable to war in almost every contingency. Arbitration is the true method of settlement of international as well as local or individual differences. It was recognized as the best means of adjustment of differences between employers and employes by the Forty-ninth congress, in 1886, and its application was extended to our diplomatic relations by the unanimous concurrence of the senate and house of the Fifty-first congress in 1890. The latter resolution was accepted as the basis of negotiation with us by the British house of commons in 1893, and upon our invitation a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain was signed at Washington and transmitted to the senate for its ratification in January last. Since this treaty is clearly the result of our own initiative; since it has been recognized as the leading feature of our foreign policy throughout our entire national history—the adjustment of

force of arms—and since it presents to the world the glorious example of reason and peace, not passion and war, controlling the relations between two of the greatest nations of the world, an example certain to be followed by others, I respectfully urge the early action of the senate thereon, not merely as a matter of policy, but as a duty to mankind. The importance and moral influence of the ratification of such a treaty can hardly be overestimated in the cause of advancing civilization. It may well engage the best thought of the statesmen and people of every country, and I cannot but consider it fortunate that it has been reserved to the United States to have the leadership in so grand a work.

Extra Session of Congress Called.

"It has been the uniform practice to avoid as far as possible the convening of congress in extraordinary session. It is an example which, under ordinary circumstances and when, in the absence of a public necessity, is to be condemned. But a failure to convene the representatives of the people in congress in extra session when it involves neglect of a plainly imperative duty places the responsibility of such neglect upon the executive himself. The condition of the public treasury, as has been indicated, demands the immediate consideration of congress. It alone has the power to provide revenue for the necessities of the government. To convene congress for any other purpose would in no other sense be agreeable to me than to perform a public duty. I do therefore hereby give notice that the congress of the United States will convene in extra session at the capitol on Monday, the fifteenth day of March, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, to which time all members are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly. The members are the agents of the people, and their presence at the seat of government is the execution of the mandate which they have received at the hands of their constituents. There could be no more fitting time than the present for the government upon the highest financial and economic basis that can be given. The people have only recently voted that this should be done, and pending its more binding action the affairs of their will that the obligations of immediate maturity. It has always seemed to me that the postponement of the meeting of congress until more than a year after it has been chosen deprives congress too much of the support of the people, on the popular will and the counsels of the corresponding senators.

To Meet March 15.

"It is evident, therefore, that to postpone action in the presence of so great a necessity until the regular session of congress would be unjust to the interests of the people. Our action will now be freer from mere partisan consideration than if the question of tariff revision was postponed until the regular session of congress. We are nearly two years from a congressional election, and politics cannot so directly influence us as if such contest were immediately pending. We can approach the problem calmly and patriotically, without fearing its effect upon an early election. Our fellow citizens who may disagree with us upon the character of this legislation prefer to have the question settled now, even against the preconceived views, and perhaps settled so reasonably as I trust and believe it will be, as to insure great permanency, than to have further uncertainty menacing the vast and varied business interests of the United States. Again whatever action congress may take will be given a fair opportunity for trial before the people are called to pass judgment upon it and this I consider a great essential to the rightful and lasting settlement of the question. In view of these considerations I shall deem it my duty to convene congress in extraordinary session on Monday, the 15th day of March, 1897.

Conclusion.

"In conclusion, I congratulate the country upon the fraternal spirit of the people and the manifestations of good will everywhere so apparent. The recent election not only most fortunately demonstrated the obliteration of sectional or geographical lines, but to some extent also the prejudices which for years have distracted our councils and marred our true greatness as a nation. The triumph of the people, whose verdict is carried into effect to-day is not the triumph of one section, nor wholly of one party, but of all sections and all the people. The north and the south no longer divide on the old lines, but upon principles and policies; and in this fact surely every lover of the country can find cause for true felicitation. Let us rejoice in and cultivate this spirit. It is ennobling and will be both a gain and blessing to our beloved country. It will be my constant aim to do nothing, and permit nothing to be done, that will arrest or disturb this growing sentiment of unity and cooperation, this revival of access and affiliation which now animates so many thousands in both the old antagonistic sections, but I shall cheerfully do everything possible to promote and increase it.

"Let me again repeat the words of the oath administered by the chief justice, which, in their respective spheres, so far as applicable, I would have all my countrymen observe: 'I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend the constitution of the United States.' This is the obligation I have reverently taken before the Lord Most High. To keep it will be my single purpose, my constant prayer—and I shall confidently rely upon the forbearance and assistance of all the people in the discharge of my solemn responsibilities."

VICE PRESIDENT HOBART.

Text of His Address Upon Taking His High Office.

Following is the full text of Vice President Hobart's address:

"Senators: To have been elected to preside over the senate of the United States is a distinction which any citizen would prize, and the manifestation of confidence which it implies is an honor which I sincerely appreciate. My gratitude and loyalty to the people of the country whom I owe this honor, and my duty to you as well, demand such a conservative, equitable and conscientious construction and enforcement of your rules as shall promote the well-being and prosperity of the people, and at the same time conserve the time-honored precedents and established traditions which have contributed to make this tribunal the most distinguished of the legislative bodies of the world.

"In entering upon the duties of the office to which I have been chosen I feel a peculiar delicacy, for I am aware that your body, with whom, for a time, I will be associated, has had but a small voice in the selection of its presiding officer, and that I am called upon to conduct your deliberations, while not perhaps your choice in point either of merit or fitness.

"It will be my constant effort to aid you, so far as I may, in all reasonable expedition of the business of the senate, and I may be permitted to express the belief that such expedition is the hope of the country. All the interests of good government and the advancement toward a higher and better condition of things, call for prompt and positive legislation at your hands. To obstruct the regular course of wise and prudent legislative action after the fullest and freest discussion, is neither consistent with true senatorial courtesy, conducive to the welfare of the people, nor in compliance with their just expectations. While assisting in the settlement of the grave questions which devolve upon the senate of the United States, it will be my endeavor to so guide its deliberations that its wisdom may be fruitful in works, whilst at the same time exercising such fairness and impartiality within the rules of the senate as shall deserve at least your good opinion for the sincerity of my effort. Unfamiliar with your rules and manner of procedure, I can only promise that I will bring all the ability I possess to the faithful discharge of every duty as it may devolve upon me, relying always upon your suggestions, your advice and your cooperation, and I should feel unequal to the task did I not trustfully anticipate that indulgent aid and consideration that you have at all times given to my predecessors and without which I could not hope to acquit myself to your satisfaction or with any degree of personal credit. It shall be my highest aim to justify the confidence the people have reposed in me by discharging my duties in such a manner as to lighten your labors, secure your appreciation of my honest effort to administer your rules with an eye single to the public good and promote the pleasant and efficient transaction of the public business. I trust that our official and personal relations may be alike agreeable, that the friendships we may form here may be genuine and lasting, and that the work of the senate may redound to the peace and honor of the country and the prosperity and happiness of all the people."

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DOWN TO DEATH.

Train in Indiana Goes Through a Trestle Into Deep Water.

Different Reports Place Loss of Life from Fifteen to Thirty-Five—Meager Details.

Vincennes, Ind., March 10.—A terrible wreck occurred on the Evansville & Terre Haute railroad. A south-bound passenger train went into White river between Decker and Hazelton. The entire train is reported to be in the river with only one end of the last coach sticking out. Of 35 passengers only two are said to have escaped. Conductor Sears and Fireman Bowman were among the lost. Wires are down and it is impossible to get the names of all the passengers. The train had passed over the bridge proper, and had reached a long, steep embankment and trestle. The swollen condition of the river spread it under that part of the track which went down. A relief crew and surgeons have gone to the scene of the disaster. There are many conflicting stories placing the loss of passengers at from 13 to 65.

Trestle Gives Way.

The wreck occurred at a point just south of the main span of the White river bridge where a trestle is built over a long fill-in. This fill has since the recent floods been surrounded by water from ten to fifteen feet deep. The soggy condition of the ground caused the trestle supports to spread and the entire train plunged into the water.

Difficulty in Getting News.

Immediately upon the receipt of the news a messenger was sent overland from here to the scene of the wreck and when last heard from he had abandoned his buggy on account of bridges washed away and had swam two streams on horseback. Communication is inaccessible and there is nothing to calm the grave apprehensions felt. The train in descending the embankment tore down the telegraph poles and all communication is cut off. The local offices have been able to learn that Engineer McCutcheon, Fireman Bohman, Brakeman Bawcisen, Conductor Sears and three passengers have been taken out dead so far.

Another Account.

At 1:35 the train left Vincennes, on time, and was running at the rate of 45 miles an hour when the bridge across the White river was approached. As the large engine reached the structure it tottered and fell. The engine and two cars of the heavy train followed and were precipitated into the deep stream. The six cars which made up the rest of the limited stopped and were torn loose from the front of the train. Engineer Sears had applied the air brakes when he felt the bridge giving way beneath him.

Passengers Horrified.

Passengers in the rear coaches and sleeping-cars, most of whom were asleep, were awakened by the shock. Great excitement was caused, and this was added to by the prevailing darkness. It was night, and the only way in which the horrified passengers and crew of the train could ascertain what had happened was by the light of their lanterns. After laboring an hour it was found that both engineer and fireman had been hurled into the river and that they lay under the locomotive which took them to death in the stream. The bodies of the other dead were also found.

A brakeman sent to Decker station gave the first notification of the disaster at the bridge to the people in this town. Immediately the station agents at Hazelton, a small town near here, and at Vincennes on the north and Princeton and Evansville on the south, were informed by telegraph of what had happened. Assistance was sent from these places as soon as possible.

Wrecking Trains at Work.

Wrecking trains from Evansville and Terre Haute arrived on the scene of the wreck early and are now at work clearing away the wreckage and trying to recover the bodies of the engineer and fireman. The hardest work will be to remove the engine. It and the baggage and smoking-cars, which fell into the river, are total wrecks. The bridge is also wrecked and it will require several days to make repairs so that trains may pass over the Evansville & Terre Haute line of the Eastern Illinois road.

At ten o'clock a passenger train was made up at Decker's station which is conveying passengers who were on the ill-fated train back to their homes. It will run to Chicago and arrive there late in the afternoon. Among the passengers who boarded the train at Chicago were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Cole, of Macomb, and Mrs. Monroe Heath, who were on the way to De Land, Fla., where Mrs. Heath has a winter home. None of them were hurt.

Fifteen Reported Killed.

Cincinnati, March 10.—A special to the Scripps-McRae league from Terre Haute says that 15 lives were lost in the Princeton wreck. The end of the rear car is sticking out of the water.

Louisville, Ky., March 10.—A noon dispatch from Princeton says 15 lives were lost in the Evansville & Terre Haute wreck, but gives no names.

Wreck on B. & O.

Walkerton, Ind., March 10.—Freight trains Nos. 95 and 96 on the Baltimore & Ohio were wrecked in a head-end collision at Teegarden, six miles east of here. Both engines were ruined and 37 cars ditched. The trainmen jumped and saved themselves. No one was killed, but a tramp had his leg mashed.

Fatal Wreck in Kentucky.

Wicklif, Ky., March 10.—The northbound Illinois Central St. Louis express collided with a freight train at East Cairo, Ky., at 1:20 o'clock in the morning, killing Fireman Walter Rogers (colored) and injuring Telegraph Operator Godwin Boaz, who was in the station, which was knocked over into the back water by the passenger engine, which left the track.

DISASTER IN MISSOURI.

Heavy Rains Cause Floods—Danger Past at Cincinnati.

St. Louis, March 10. — The recent heavy rains have swollen the small streams in the northeastern part of Missouri and the lowlands are submerged to a depth of from one to three feet. The loss in live stock and damage to farm buildings and crops is very heavy. The Missouri river is rising at an alarming rate, and if the spring rise comes on top of the present high water grave fears are entertained of a disastrous flood. The Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad is keeping a large force of men constantly at work riprapping the bank along the river near Charles City, Mo., and every effort is being made to prepare for the expected flood.

The Mississippi river at this city registers 22 feet, which is six feet below the danger line.

Cincinnati, March 10. — The Ohio river has passed the danger line again at night. This makes the fourth time inside of six weeks that the water has reached the danger stage. The steady rise Tuesday caused much fear among business men in the bottoms, who had just moved back into their houses, and many who did not care to take any chances of another flood began to look around for a safe place to store their merchandise. The scene is now more encouraging. The river is falling at nearly all points above Charleston, and the prospects are that it will be stationary here by evening.

Detroit, Mich., March 10.—A special to the Journal from Portland, Mich., says: Grand river is on the rampage again at this point. The water rose four feet at night and in the morning all factories along the river were closed down, the engine rooms being under water. The heavy rains of the past 48 hours have added to the volume of water, which was already large. It is reported that the great body of heavy ice began moving some miles up the river, but it became jammed just above the village. The water is slowly rising and the loose ice which is running under the solid ice is making a dam below the village, which is growing worse hourly. The outlook for serious consequences is much more favorable than a few weeks ago.

DO NOT EXPECT WAR.

Leading London Bankers Express Feeling of Confidence.

London, March 10.—The leading London bankers now express their belief that there will be no war in the east and a general feeling of confidence is returning.

Sir William Harcourt, the leader of the opposition in the house of commons, has moderated the pessimistic tone of his utterances, and it is supposed that his change of front is due to his having learned that negotiations between England and France in regard to Egypt are being continued.

Athens, March 10.—Advices received here from Crete say that the siege of Kandamo has been raised and the foreign warships have landed detachments of marines with Maxim guns to insure the safety of the Moslems who were besieged.

Prince George, commander of the Greek torpedo flotilla, has been ordered to leave Crete for the island of Skinthos in the Grecian archipelago.

The government contemplates the formation of a foreign legion of troops, comprising persons other than Greeks who desire to enter the military service of Greece.

Canea, March 10. — The Mussulmans who were besieged by the insurgents at Kandamo have arrived here on board an Italian warship. British and Italian transports with troops on board are lying off this place.

Cologne, March 10 — The Gazette publishes a special dispatch from Candia, Crete, under Tuesday's date, which says that fighting between a force of Bashi Bazouks and a band of insurgents has taken place before the gates of that town in which the Bashi Bazouks lost 60 of their number in killed and wounded. The firing continues and the exasperation on both sides increases. It is probable that the insurgents will set fire to the town if they are able to do so.

Democrats of Rhode Island.

Providence, R. I., March 10.—The democratic state convention was called to order at 12:30 o'clock and organized with George N. Green, of Woonsocket, as chairman. Nominations of state officers were then made as follows: Governor, Daniel T. Church; lieutenant governor, F. E. Bartlett; secretary of state, Miles A. McNamee; attorney general, George T. Brown; general treasurer, Edmund Walker. The platform

SENATE QUITS.

Special Session Called by Ex-President Cleveland Ends.

Foreign Relations Committee Agrees to Take Up Arbitration Treaty on Friday.

Washington, March 10.—There was an unusually large attendance of senators at the opening of Wednesday's session.

The credentials of Andrew T. Wood as senator from Kentucky by appointment of the governor were presented and referred without discussion to the committee on privileges and elections on motion of Senator Gorman (dem., Md.).

Senator Hoar gave notice of a motion to amend the rules in relation to calls of the senate, so that, if a suggestion be made of the absence of a quorum, the presiding officer (instead of instantly ordering a call to be made) shall determine the matter and report whether there is or is not a quorum present. If there is, the business shall proceed; and, if not, the roll is to be called.

The purpose of the change is stated to be "to prevent the interruption of business by unnecessary calling of the roll."

Senator Shoup (rep., Idaho), presented a memorial from the legislature of Idaho, asking for the annexation of a portion of Wyoming to that state.

Senator Warren, (rep., Wyo.) referred to the memorial as an attempt to have a portion of a good and fertile state added to a somewhat dry and barren one, and intimated that opposition to it would be made in proper time.

The senate then proceeded to legislative business, and at 12:40 adjourned without day.

To Take Up Treaty Friday.

Washington, March 10.—The senate committee on foreign relations did not take up the general treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain at its meeting Wednesday morning. The subject was not mentioned except in connection with a motion which was agreed to that a special meeting be held Friday for the purpose of considering that convention.

The Alaskan boundary treaty was, after a short discussion, ordered to be favorably reported.

Postmaster Nominated.

Washington, March 10.—The president nominated W. R. Jewel to be postmaster at Danville, Ill., to succeed John Beard, whose nomination was sent in during the previous administration and never confirmed. The nomination was confirmed in executive session.

Queen Starts for Cimiez.

London, March 10.—The queen, accompanied by Princess Henry of Battenburg (Princess Beatrice) and members of her majesty's court, started from Windsor at 10:30 o'clock in the morning by special train for Portsmouth on her way to Cimiez. At Portsmouth her majesty will embark on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, for Cherbourg, where she will take a special train for the Riviera. At Cimiez the queen will occupy the Regina hotel. She will return by the way of Germany at the end of April. The weather at the time of her departure from Windsor was bright and sunny, and a large crowd of people cheered the queen on her way from the castle to the station.

Brother of James G. Blaine Dead.

Washington, March 10.—Robert Gillespie Blaine, the last surviving brother of the late James G. Blaine, died at his residence in this city of paralysis after an illness of about a week. He was about 65 years of age and of late years after his hair and beard grew white, bore a somewhat striking resemblance to his distinguished brother. He inherited, however, none of his aggressive tendencies or striking mental qualities, but was content to occupy small official positions, practically sinecures, first in the agricultural department and afterwards in the congressional library. He leaves a widow, one son, a young man of 20, and five daughters, two of them married.

Banker Put in Penitentiary.

Columbus, O., March 10. — E. W. Agnew, president of the National bank of Ocala, Fla., was placed in the state prison here to serve a five years' sentence for violation of federal banking laws. Agnew was worth $1,000,000 three years ago. He had loaned all the money he could command on the orange crop, that was lost in the freeze of 1894-95, and this left him penniless. In this strait he violated the federal laws.

Monon Sold.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 10. — The Monon railroad was sold here under an order of the court at 11 a. m. by Commissioner VanBuren for $3,001,000. J. H. Jolinn did the bidding for Frederick Olcott, Henry W. Poor and Henry Rouse, a committee representing the bondholders of Louisville, New Albany and Chicago. He deposited $30,000 as a guarantee.

Rome, March 10. — Mgr. Merry Del Val, the newly appointed papal delegate to Canada, will sail for America on March 20.

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CURRENT EVENTS.

Interesting News from Many Michigan Localities.

Saginaw must borrow $22,000 to carry the city government until taxes are due in July.

Charles Teeters, an old resident of Milford, was kicked by a horse and instantly killed.

The maple sugar harvest has begun in Van Buren, and the first of the product is on the market.

Jackson will try the potato patch plan for the relief of the poor, during the coming season.

The First national bank of Flint has decided to reduce its capital stock from $200,000 to $150,000.

A new carpet sweeper company has been organized in Grand Rapids, with an authorized capital of $50,000.

Lowell peach growers say the buds are all right, and they expect to harvest their ninth consecutive crop this year.

Earl Nash, of Ann Arbor, was found guilty of burglary, and sentenced to three years' imprisonment in Jackson.

Durand business men have organized a stock company and will build one of the finest bicycle tracks in the state.

Peter Van Broeke fell on a sidewalk at Kalamazoo last July and broke his hip. Now he asks the city for $10,000 damages.

The Sutherland-Inness company, operating sawmills and tanneries at Munising, Alger county, has cut wages ten per cent.

Thomas Gifford, an old resident of Bunmer township, Gratiot county, blew out his brains with a shotgun. He was 73 years of age and his mind was unbalanced.

Receiver Weadock, of the First national bank of East Saginaw, is ready to pay a dividend of 40 per cent, and thinks the bank will pay in full eventually.

James Metcalf, of Adrian, died Wednesday morning of paralysis, aged 80 years. For a quarter of a century he had been in the dry goods business at Adrian.

It will take $4,500 to run the government fish commission plan: at Northville the present year. The station is expected to do the biggest business of its history.

Freeman Pray, of Dimondale, tried to remove his house across Grand river on the ice. When some distance from shore it broke through and lies in 20 feet of water.

Eastern horsebuyers in southwestern Michigan are picking up fancy drivers for the New York market at prices considerably higher than have prevailed in that region for several years.

A lot of boys were playing with a loaded gun a few miles from Paris village, when the weapon exploded, and a 12-year-old son of John Toner was instantly killed, the charge entering below the left ear.

The recent rise in the price of peppermint oil may result in the planting of an increased acreage of the herb in Van Buren and Allegan counties, where a large portion of the world's crop is grown. At the low prices received for the oil last fall the industry proved much more profitable than cereal farming.

Wages Cut Down.

Marquette, March 5. — The Sutherland-Inness company of Munising, Alger county, has cut the wages of its 200 employes ten per cent., the order taking effect March 1. The company operates several sawmills and a tannery.

GOSSIP OF WASHINGTON.

Aquatic Poachers Kill Fish with Stolen Dynamite.

The Treatment of Persons Having Private Claims Against Uncle Sam Reflects No Credit on Congress.

[Special Washington Letter.]

There is enough dynamite stored within a stone's throw of Georgetown to blow up half a dozen cities. This dangerous explosive is used in the blasting operations at the stone quarries which line the Virginia shore of the Potomac from near the Aqueduct bridge, and also for blasting into the solid masses of rock which form the site of the new union depot. The residents of the quiet west end are being treated to a series of detonating reports, much like the discharge of heavy artillery.

The dynamite used in the operations is stored in a number of squatty, one-story frame structures, which dot the picturesque shore below the precipitous Potomac palisades. These little buildings, like whitened sentinels, mark the location of the several quarry plants. They each contain from a few sticks to a ton of dynamite, enough, in the aggregate, should it explode, to disfigure the upper Potomac, and deluge Georgetown with masses of rock and debris. For blasting purposes, however, only a few ounces of dynamite are used at a time.

From these wooden magazines along the shores, wherein the awful explosives are stored, certain fishermen, who cannot under the law employ gill nets, have been stealing sticks of dynamite and fuses, and nearly every night they go out into the stream, and explode the stuff under the surface of the water, thus killing vast numbers of fish by concussion. The sticks are weighted, a lighted water-proof fuse applied, and they are sunk. The fishermen quickly row away from the spot. In a few moments there is a suppressed sound, like distant thunder, and a great billow of foaming water rises above the surface.

Then the aquatic poachers return to the center of the river and gather in the dead and dying fish, which float to the surface in large numbers.

"I have heard the yarn of the fellow who stole thunder and grabbed at lightning," said a Georgetown policeman, "but these fishermen who steal dynamite will compare with him in point of nerve." Commodore Sutton with the police steamer "Joe Blackburn" has been vainly trying to catch the fishermen who are depopulating the waters of the upper river of their game fish by means of stolen dynamite.

The men who work about dynamite houses are cautioned to use great care in handling the treacherous stuff. Several fatal explosions have already occurred, and a deep hole in the earth opposite the island called "Three Sisters" marks the spot where one of the superintendents of blasting lost his life last year. He was warming "chilled" dynamite at a bonfire, when a stick of the giant explosive ignited, blowing him skyward and lacerating him in a horrible manner.

The men engaged in blasting at the site of the Union depot in Georgetown are only allowed to bring dynamite from the Virginia side sufficient for one day's work. This is temporarily stored, until used, in the old Key mansion, on M street, near the Aqueduct bridge, the house formerly occupied by Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner." They used to have liberty to bring as much dynamite over to the Georgetown side of the river as the contractors desired. But not long ago there was a runaway team in Georgetown which scared all of the people almost out of their wits. The wagon was loaded with dynamite.

FISHING WITH DYNAMITE.

The street was paved with cobblestones. The horses ran furiously and it seemed miraculous that no explosion occurred. The driver jumped from the wagon and was badly hurt, but he was glad to get away from his dangerous load. The horses ran fully half a mile and stopped of their own volition on the Aqueduct bridge. As they ran around the angle from the street to the bridge the wagon bumped against the iron railing. An explosion at that point would have wrecked the bridge and killed many people.

There has probably never been a session of congress that has given greater emphasis to the assertion that it is impossible to collect even a just claim against the government than the one now approaching a close. A few pension bills have been smuggled through at odd times, and an extremely limited number of relief measures, each carrying a small sum of money, have been pushed along under protest, but all of those claims which might perceptibly increase the total appropriations for this congress have been persistently relegated to the rear.

To such an extent has this policy of ignoring the obligations of the government been carried that judgments of the court of claims are no longer paid.

That judicial adjunct of the government was created for the express purpose of ascertaining the merits of certain claims and to report to congress whether they should be paid or repudiated. But the policy of the managers of the house has been to minimize appropriations and make everything subservient to a record for economy. As a consequence those who are unfortunate enough to be creditors of the United States must either abandon their just claims or expect to begin a period of lobbying and waiting which may continue indefinitely.

Some congressmen have persistently called attention to the delinquency of the government, but the rank and file have been whipped into a blind and unquestioning following of leadership which shows to all claimants the futility of hoping for relief from congress.

On the day when the private calendar was taken up for consideration, Mr.

GATHERING THE DEAD FISH.

Walker, of Massachusetts, declared that a certain obnoxious bill for the promotion and retirement of a hospital steward as a second lieutenant of cavalry had been placed at the head of the calendar to prevent the consideration of meritorious bills. He said:

"This case is put here under the peculiar circumstances which exist in order that justice shall not be done to men who are robbed of their just claims by the government of the United States—their just claims have been reported favorably and unanimously by the committee to whom this duty is assigned. This bill was put here to be kept here, and to be discussed the day out, so that women may still continue to haunt the halls of congress in the hope that it will deal justly with their fathers' and husbands' private claims to money honestly due them. It is an outrage and a disgrace to this house and the leaders to put in such claims as this, to be discussed all day, so that these other claims shall not be considered."

Referring to Mr. Walker's remarks, Mr. Talbert, of South Carolina, said: "I am glad to see a revival going on among gentlemen on the other side of the house. I am glad to see that the scales have been stricken from their eyes, and that they have begun to see the outrages that are being perpetrated upon the taxpayers of this country."

Mr. Mahon, of Pennsylvania, said: "I want to say this about the court of claims: That this court holds claimants to a stricter accountability, a stricter compliance with the rules of evidence than any other court in the United States. I say, either you ought to stand by the court and pay the judgments which it renders, or should abolish your court. My experience is that the greatest robber in this country is the nation itself. Our government is continually robbing private citizens of their property and refusing to reimburse them. Now, I say that the time has come for this congress either to pay those findings of the court of claims or to abolish that court and let the people of this country know that congress does not propose to pay their claims whether they are found to be just or not.

"These bills that we now have in the committee on war claims, those findings of the court of claims and other claims, are about 1,200 in number. They do not accumulate. They come in congress after congress. The bills are printed, and the reports are printed, and if you go and investigate you will find that you have spent about $340,000 in this congress for printing for this and other committees. The congressional printing bills are enormous, and usually inexcusable."

Mr. McCall, of Tennessee, said: "Will this congress repudiate the obligations that this government owes to the union men in the south? These claimants are growing old and feeble. They are fast falling into the grave. For 30 years they have expected the government to pay those long expected claims; and I now ask this congress to pay its loyal citizens their just dues as the government requires each citizen to pay to it that which he owes."

And thus the discussion continued until the hour of adjournment, without a vote having been taken on a single bill. The dear people have no idea of the conditions existing in the senate and house of representatives, whereby the do-nothing policy is constantly promoted. As a matter of fact it may be truthfully said that a large majority of the statesmen who are honored by the people care for little other than their own advancement and aggrandizement; and they legislate from purely or impurely selfish motives in all cases. This is the naked truth, although it may not be palatable to the statesmen concerning whom it is told.

SMITH D. FRY.

Table for the Dressing Room.

Small round tables that look at first glance like those intended for smokers' use serve a valuable purpose in a lady's dressing-room. They have attached to their polished tops all paraphernalia needed to crimp the hair, including safety match boxes, alcohol lamp with longs standard, hairpin tray and bandoline jar. The tables are in oak or mahogany finish and the attachments in various metals, brass, nickel or silver.

VOTERS TO DECIDE.

Legislature Shifts Responsibility in a Contest Case.

Kerr's Seat in the House Declared Vacant—Special Election Ordered—Interesting Gossip from Lansing.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, March 10.—The Michigan legislature has violated a long-established precedent in disposing of the Baird-Kerr election contest. Heretofore, without exception, the contestant has been seated whenever his politics were in accord with the majority. In declaring neither party entitled to the seat and leaving the people to decide the question at the approaching election a novel way out of the difficulty has been discovered. Both Representative Baird and Contestant Kerr are allowed $200. The resolution declared that neither contestant was legally elected, owing to gross irregularities on the part of the election inspectors, and the house declared that a special election be held in the district April 5. Each of the contestants will be renominated by his party.

The senate as a committee of the whole discussed Mason's resolution providing that electors shall be citizens of the United States and also be able to read the constitution of Michigan and write his own name before he shall be allowed to vote. The resolution does not disfranchise anybody who could vote January 1, 1897, although he cannot read or write. The resolution failed of passage by two votes. Afterward the vote was reconsidered and the bill laid on the table.

The joint resolution providing for the submission to the people of a constitutional amendment providing for the establishment of the referendum was reported by the house judiciary committee without recommendation and laid upon the table. Gov. Pingree favored the plan in a modified form, and the measure is being urged by labor organizations. An effort will be made to take the resolution from the table. The proposed amendment provides that when five per cent. of the people petition for it a popular vote may be taken upon any measure passed by the legislature.

As a committee of the whole the senate agreed to the joint resolution fixing the salaries of the members of the legislature at $600 per year and cutting the mileage to five cents. The resolution further provides that the time for introducing bills shall be cut from 50 to 20 days. The section which provided that the members shall not receive free passes on the railroads was chopped off by the committee.

Interest in the beet sugar bounty bill has spread rapidly over the state among the farmers since Mr. Dudley's bill passed the house. The farmers are flooding the representatives and senators with letters and petitions asking for them to pass the bill.

The senate killed the bill to repeal the law providing for the taxation of real estate mortgages. The vote was close and the bill may pass later.

Among the bills reported favorably to the house was the one prohibiting Sunday photographing. Another bill reported favorably is one to place private banks under supervision of the banking commissioner.

The first single tax proposition which has popped up in the legislature got a very black eye. The bill was one prepared by Judson Grenell, of Detroit. It provided for the exemption of all buildings of less value than $5,000. The bill came up before the house committee on general taxation and was promptly put into a pigeon-hole. However, there is another bill before the same committee more radical than the one pigeon-holed. It provides that no building shall be taxed, but that all taxes shall be raised on land, franchises and inheritances. Local taxes are to be raised on land, and state taxes on inheritances and franchises.

The mandamus case brought to test the power of Gov. Pingree to hang on to the mayoralty of Detroit since becoming governor of the state was argued before the supreme court Tuesday. The arguments were chiefly directed to the contention that the duties of the two offices held by Pingree are incompatible, and that by accepting the office of governor he vacated the office of mayor.

The two houses have designated Tuesday, March 16, as Michigan day, it being the fiftieth anniversary of the location and establishment of the state capitol at Lansing. Joint committees have been appointed to arrange for the proper observance of the day.

The house has passed bills permitting fraternal beneficiary associations to deposit a guaranty fund with the state treasurer, requiring that all township officials be citizens of the United States; making women eligible to serve as school inspectors; requiring university professors to make analysis of water for municipalities without cost; amending the tax law so as to provide for the sale and homesteading of state tax lands after the state has bid them in for three successive years subsequent to 1893.

In the senate favorable reports have been made on the Wager bill providing for a permanent state forestry commission, and the Campbell bill, reducing the pay of legislative employes and requiring that all committee clerks shall be stenographers.

EMMETT.

Michigan Wheat All Right.

Lansing, March 9.—Reports to the secretary of state for the March crop indicate that wheat was not materially damaged during the trying weather of February. The returns indicate that 17 per cent. of the wheat crop of 1896 is in the farmers' hands.

Death of a Theatrical Manager.

Jackson, March 10.—Michael W. Tobin, a theatrical manager, died at his home here Tuesday, aged 45 years. He has been connected with the theatrical business 25 years.

BEVERIDGE GOES FREE.

He Is Finally Acquitted of the Charge of Wife Murder.

Bessemer, March 5. — Duncan Beveridge has been acquitted of the murder of his mistress, Mollie Beveridge. This ends the strangest case in the annals of criminal trials in this state. Duncan Beveridge and James Redpath, with two women, purchased a farm from a man named John McDonald, and McDonald lived with them. One night both the women were shot, the Beveridge woman being killed, and Beveridge himself was wounded. McDonald was convicted of the crime and served six years. He was pardoned on the strength of a letter from the Redpath woman, who attributed the shooting to Beveridge. Redpath was acquitted, and the acquittal of Beveridge closes the case, which must always remain a mystery.

Jailed for Contempt.

Bay City, March 4.—Another chapter was added to the St. Stanislaus church conflict when Judge Maxwell imposed a fine of $250 on Alderman W. G. Kabat for contempt of court, and sentenced him to five months imprisonment in the county jail. Bruno Chudzinski, another member of the committee, was discharged, and Ignats Buzalski's case was continued. Kabat is a leading democratic politician in the Eighth ward.

Luck of a Manistique Family.

Manistique, March 10.—News has been received here of the death in Elmira, N. Y., of an uncle of the Fuller family, several members of which reside here. He bequeathed an estate of $1,000,000 to the heirs of his three sisters. Archie MacLaurine, a merchant here, is married to one of the heirs, and expects his wife to receive several hundred thousand dollars as her share of the estate.

Sued for Heavy Damages.

Grand Rapids, March 5.—Robert Patterson, of Cascade, on Thursday began suit in the circuit court for $25,000 damages against Dr. Golden Hamilton, also of Cascade for alienating the affections of Mrs. Patterson.

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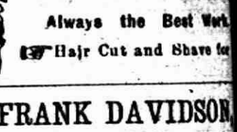
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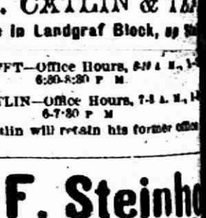
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To take Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	5:38 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:47 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	8:45 p. m.
New York Express	9:36 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	1:11 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:45 p. m.
St. Louis Express	6:15 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 585. Express.	No. 345 Accom
Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
Tecumseh	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Petrell	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 43 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 08 "
Ypsilanti Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 3 5 Accom
Detroit	7 40 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	7 50 "	.....
Ypsilanti	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 19 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 85 "	9 05 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
Petrell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Tecumseh	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
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Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

21.	Passenger	12:01 p. m.
33.	Passenger	5:50 p. m.
35.	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

32.	Passenger	8:45 a. m.
34.	Passenger	4:11 p. m.
36.	Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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Headache bad? Get Miles' Pain Pills.

HORTICULTURE.

PIAZZA GREENHOUSE.

How to Utilize Porches for Both Pleasure and Profit.

Thousands of farm houses have piazzas upon the sunny side that might be utilized for both pleasure and profit in the winter. Such utilization, moreover, would entail no great expense outside of the small amount of home carpentering that would be required. There are two or three points to be considered when making a plant room of a piazza. First, as to floors. The ordinary piazza has no tight underpinning to keep out the cold. Usually it has only lattice work, while the floor, also, is usually more or less open. It would be no great trouble to lay a new matched floor over the few feet of space to be occupied by the plant room. Then

A PIAZZA GREENHOUSE.

cover the lattice work around the base of the piazza with heavy, resin-sized, or tarred building paper, tacking it tightly and bank with evergreen brush. Now, as to the outer walls. The greater part must, of course, be of glass, but it is not advisable to have the sash extend to the floor. From the piazza rail down let the wall be of matched boarding. Along the front this should be screwed to the inside of the rail. Sash to fit any opening can now be bought very cheap. It is desirable that communication with this plant room be from a living room rather than by a hall door, so it may be found desirable to cut down a window and make a door of it. This will obviate the necessity of having a door in the outside, temporary petitions.

The heating of such a plant room can be done in a number of ways, but the simplest and most satisfactory for the average farmhouse will probably be by the use of an oil stove. These little sitting-room oil heaters have been so greatly improved and made so reasonable in price that they will be found wonderfully convenient for just such use as this. Care should be taken, however, to get a make in which the flame will not "crawl up" and smoke, if left by itself. The accompanying illustration gives a suggestion as to the making of a plant room upon a piazza. Of course, piazzas differ in shape, but the same principle of treatment will apply to nearly all cases. Make all as tight as possible, then an oil stove will give sufficient heat to keep the plants in health.—Orange Judd Farmer.

SMALL FRUIT CULTURE.

How to Secure an Ample Supply of Nice Berries for Home Use.

M. A. Thayer, of Sparta, Wis., writes the Western Plowman as follows: Mature plans for the season; select your plants; order them early; and let this be your first work in the spring. One-quarter acre of good land set with proper varieties and well cultivated, should produce from 20 to 40 bushels of nice berries every season. This would give an ordinary family fresh berries every day in the season and a liberal supply of canned, preserved or dried during the entire year. Plants for such a garden may be purchased direct from a reliable grower for $10 or $15, and should include the following varieties: 300 strawberry plants, early, medium and late; 100 blackberry plants, early and late; 50 black raspberry plants, early and late; 50 red raspberry plants, early and late; 75 currants, red and white, early and late; 25 gooseberry, early and late; 18 grapes, three varieties, early. Multiply this list by four for one acre, or by 20 for five acres, and you have the right proportion for a continuous supply of different varieties for market purposes. Good berries may be grown on any soil, sandy, clay, muck, loam, gravel, or a combination of each, provided the same be highly fertilized, well drained and thoroughly cultivated. Early fruits are usually most desirable, and light soils with southern exposure are best adapted for that purpose. Light soils, however, require heavy fertilizing, more mulch in summer, are more liable to injury by drought and produce lighter crops. Clay soil must be well drained, is more difficult to prepare, mature later crops and not so favorable for winter protection. The ideal berry ground should be (1) a rich sandy loam with clay subsoil; (2) a dark loam or gravelly loam mixed with clay, and a clay subsoil, all having a southerly or eastern slope. Any of these mixed soils will make good berry gardens by applying good barnyard manure, which contains all the essential elements required. When such manure cannot be obtained then commercial fertilizers rich in nitrogen and potash should be applied. Avoid low, flat land unless under drained, it is usually cold, late and more subject to frosts. Avoid steep hillsides as being more subject to drought and wash of soil by severe rains.

If barnyard manure were applied with land plaster to the grape vine the plaster in much greater quantities than usually employed—we would have a fertilizer specially adapted to the production of grapes. It is a mistake not to make greater use of stable manure in our vineyards.

ONIONS FROM SEED.

A Profitable Crop When Properly Planted and Cared For.

The largest and best onions are grown from seed. While they can hardly be considered a certain crop, yet when anything like a fair crop is secured they are a profitable crop to you. On account of the work and cost of keeping the crop clean it is quite an item to select a piece of clean land and for the same reason only well rotted and thoroughly fined manure should be used. To get the best results the land must be rich. It is almost a waste of seed to try to grow onions in anything but a rich soil.

Wood ashes, poultry manure, guano or thoroughly rotted stable manure can be used as fertilizers, taking pains to work it thoroughly in with the soil. There is little danger of getting the soil too rich.

It is important that the seed be sown early. Securing the seed and manuring of the land should be done in good season, so that at the first favorable opportunity in the spring the seed can be sown. Have the soil as fine as possible when the seed is sown in order to secure a good germination of the seed and a vigorous start of the plants to grow. Be sure that the seed is of good quality. If the seeding is to be done by hand, work out the rows about eight inches apart and make the drills about one inch deep. Sow the seeds as early as possible, two or three seeds to the inch. It is quite an item to get the seed distributed evenly in the drills. The advantage in using the drill is that the seed can be sown and covered more evenly with less work.

Some growers, in order to get the plants started earlier and to some extent at least lessen the work of keeping the crop clean at the start, sow the seed thickly in a bed or frame, and, after they are well up, transplant them into rows where they are to grow.

As when the seed is sown it is important to have the soil in a good tilth. Work out the rows and then lay the plants not over two inches apart. It is better to use plenty of plants and thin out than to have vacant places in the rows.

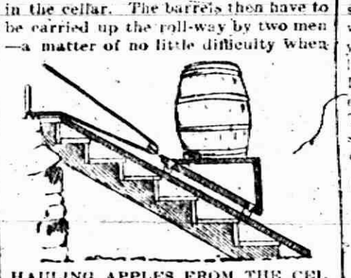
If the land is not so rich as it should be it will be a good plan to scatter a good dressing of wood ashes or commercial fertilizer over the surface. The onion feeds very near the surface, and the necessary cultivation will work the fertilizer sufficiently into the soil.

A fine, sharp-toothed steel rake is one of the best implements with which to begin the cultivation. Properly used it will thoroughly fine the surface and destroy the weeds. It is important to begin the cultivation as soon as possible, for in this way the weeds will be easier kept down. It will be an exceptional case, however, when hand weeding will not be necessary. But a careful use of the rake and cultivator in good season will greatly lessen the work of hand-weeding. With this, as with many other crops, it is best to commence in a small way, and increase the acreage after experience has been acquired.—St. Louis Republic.

HANDLING BARRELS.

An Excellent Device for Hauling Apples from the Cellar.

The usual storage place for apples is in the cellar. The barrels then have to be carried up the roll-way by two men—a matter of no little difficulty when



HAULING APPLES FROM THE CELLAR.

the roll-way is narrow as is usually the case. A plan is shown in the cut by which the barrels of apples are carried to the surface with but little lifting, and without jarring the fruit. The diagram tells its own story, except that the triangular truck that is mounted on two rollers is represented larger than need be, thus making it higher than is actually necessary. The rollers run on a wide plank that rests on the edge of the stair treads. The same arrangement will be found equally serviceable in putting apples into the cellar in the fall, and for use with vegetables, etc.—American Gardening.

Keeping Up Hedge Fences.

Hedges are useful or detrimental according to the way they are kept. A well-trimmed hedge is ornamental and becomes better every year, but if neglected and allowed to grow without attention it is very unsightly. The first year is the most important in managing a hedge, and in three years it should be in a condition to demand but little trimming. An osage orange hedge is better than a fence when once established, and can be so managed the first three years as to be impenetrable to small animals.

Popular Peach Variety.

The Elberta peach is now one of the favorites with fruit growers, and in some markets is taking the place so long occupied by the Crawford as the standard of excellence. The fruit is large and showy, and the tree, although of southern origin, has proved hardy. It has been extensively set of late and promises to continue in favor for some time. Unfortunately, it is easily affected by leaf blight. Were it not for this the variety would be hard to beat.—Farm and Home.

A garden, properly conducted, will furnish everything to sell every day in the year, and one need never go to town without taking something to barter for his groceries. This is not the result from the usual farm garden, however, for the soil is kept neither sufficiently rich, deep nor well drained.—Rural World.

GIGANTIC LUMBER DEAL.

Thayer Company Makes a Payment of $250,000 in One Check.

Grand Rapids, March 10.—The recent sale of 10,000 acres of pine lands in Missaukee and Kalkaska counties, with an estimated stumpage of $220,000,000 feet, for over $1,000,000, by the Canfield Salt & Lumber company of Manistee to the Thayer Lumber company of Muskegon, is the largest pine land deker in the history of western Michigan if not in the state.

Other large transactions have been the sale by Hannah, Lay & Co., of Traverse City, to John Torrent, of Muskegon, of several thousand acres of timber land in northern Michigan for $169,000, the purchase by Buckley & Douglass, of Manistee, of the tract of timber land near Long Lake, for $950,000, and the purchase by the same concern of the Swan, White & Smith mills, timber lands and equipments at Muskegon for $42,000 cash.

The recent sale of the Thayer company exceeds them all, and the payment in cash down was $250,000, which went through one of the banks in this city in a single check. The Thayer Lumber company will cut the timber and either drive or rail it to Muskegon to be cut into lumber, and it is estimated that the tract will last ten years. A spur of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad will be built to the tract from Lake City.

This tract of timber is the only large block of pine left in the lower peninsula, and long before it is gone pine lumbering will be a lost industry in Michigan. The Saginaw mills are practically cut out, with three or four exceptions; there is only one other sawmill left in Muskegon, and the Manistee, Ludington, Alpena and Cheboygan lumber men are rapidly getting at the end of their timber ropes. The hard wood resources, the development of which began within the last ten years, are sufficient to last a generation or more, even at the present rate of cutting, and will bring more wealth into the state than pine ever has.

PROMINENT MAN GONE.

Death of Hon. George Jerome, of Detriot—His Career.

Detroit, Mich., March 8.—Hon. George Jerome, one of the best-known capitalists and oldest residents of this city, and brother of the late Gov. David H. Jerome, died at his residence here. He was 75 years of age. Very few men in Michigan in the early days were more prominent than Mr. Jerome. In the summer of 1854, when the republican party was organized at Jackson, Mr. Jerome was one of the leading spirits. During the important career of Zach Chandler, he was one of his closest counselors. In national affairs Mr. Jerome became noted in his successful efforts to secure the withdrawal of John C. Fremont as a candidate for president against President Lincoln. Mr. Jerome served three terms in the state senate.

ADAM ARNOLD DIES.

Close of the Career of a Notorious Resident of Battle Creek.

Battle Creek, March 5.—Adam C. Arnold, who was convicted in December, 1895, of the murder of his son George, and has been out on bail pending appeal to the supreme court ever since, died at seven o'clock Thursday morning of valvular disease of the heart, aged 73 years. Arnold maintained to the last his innocence of the murder of his son. It is announced that Arnold has bequeathed all his property to the W. C. T. U. of Battle Creek. This has made a sensation, as he accumulated his property by liquor selling and crime.

KILLED AT A GRADE CROSSING.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKee, of Niles, Are Run Over by a Train.

Niles, March 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKee, who live four miles west of Marcellus, were instantly killed by a fast west-bound train on the Grand Trunk railroad there Thursday afternoon. They were on their way home with their team and their seven-year-old grandchild, when they were struck by the train on a crossing. Both of the old people were killed and also the team. The little child was thrown several feet, but escaped injury.

Peach Crop Is Safe.

Decatur, March 8.—Fruit growers in the Michigan peach belt have concluded their investigations of the damage done to peach prospects by the severe cold weather and find the harm caused to be much less than at first thought, the injury being mostly confined to the buds of the earlier and poorer varieties. In some districts away from the lake shore orchards suffered severely, but in the peach growing regions along the lake, where four-fifths of the crop of the state is produced, the prospects are excellent for a large yield of fruit.

Investigate a Pardon.

Jackson, March 6.—The legislative committee appointed to investigate the pardoning of Convict Dave Wixom by Gov. Pingree held sessions behind closed doors. Assistant Deputy Warden Wiserma, who, it is said, was promised $2,000 by Wixom, was subpoenaed, but refused to come. It is now known that Wixom ate soap to cause him to look like a consumptive. Warden Chamberlain testifies he knew nothing of the scheme.

Yaple Consents to Run.

Grand Rapids, March 6.—Judge George L. Yaple, of Mendon, nominated for justice of the supreme court by the fusionist convention, telegraphed to friends in this city that he would make the race. Robert McDougall, of Hillsdale, and M. O. Graves, of Petoskey, who were nominated for regents by the bolting populist convention, have both declined to run, and the straight populist ticket has not yet been filled.

Held on a Serious Charge.

Decatur, March 9.—Daniel Comstock, ex-president of the defunct Mecosta County savings bank at Big Rapids, has been arrested on a charge of misappropriating $9,000 of the bank's funds.

MORTGAGE SALES.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1894, Samuel Larzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and four and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1858, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 566.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place said building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS, Mortgagee.

G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate office in the city of Adrian, on Thursday, the 11th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David VanTyne deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Lawrence M. VanTyne, a son of said deceased praying for the probate of an instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil of said deceased and that administration of said estate may be granted to him, petitioner, the executor named in said instrument or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered That Monday, the 8th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for hearing of said petition

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ella Eldredge, an heir-at-law of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person as administrator de bonis non upon said estate.

It is Ordered, That Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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There are few men on earth who do not nurse a secret belief that they were intended for greater things than they possess.

GRÆCO-EGYPTIAN PAINTING.

Process by Which Very Remarkable Portraits Were Done.

The remarkable series of portraits found in Egypt are described in the Monthly Illustrator and the methods the old artists employed.

The methods of these ancient days were totally different from those of the present day and were evidently vastly more durable. Panels of wood were used to paint on—sycamore and cypress—also panels of papier mache, and occasionally they were formed by gluing three thicknesses of canvas together. These panels were usually about 16 inches long by 7 inches wide. The artist used liquid wax instead of oil to mix the colors, which were made not from vegetable, but from mineral substances, and were of marvelous brilliancy and permanence—blue powdered lapis lazuli, green malachite, red oxide of iron, etc. The colors were laid on in patches, somewhat after the fashion of a mosaic, and afterwards blended with an instrument called the cestrum, which appears to have been a lancet-shaped spatula, long-handled, with at one end a curved point, at the other a finely dentated edge. With the toothed edge the wax could be equalized and smoothed, while the point was used for placing high lights, marking lips, eyebrows, etc.

The final process, which gives the name encaustic to this kind of painting, was the burning in of the colors. This was done by the application of a heated surface to the panel, though Georg Ebers believes that in Egypt the heat of the sun was probably all that was needed to complete the artist's work.

HONORABLES IN MAINE.

Distinctions Made in Official Titles by Pine Tree State Etiquette.

There is a form of official etiquette in the correspondence which goes out from the secretary of state's office which is unlike that followed in any of the New England states. According to the rulings of the secretary—and he is simply carrying out the traditions of his predecessors since Maine became a state in 1820—the judges of the supreme and superior courts, the members of the governor's council, the senators, the heads of all the departments and the mayors of Maine's cities have their mail addressed to them with the word "Honorable" prefixed to the name in every case, while the members of the house of representatives, the judges of the municipal courts in the cities—whose salaries in some cases exceed that paid to the governor—and all minor officeholders must content themselves with the term "esquire" following their names. As for the governor, he is always addressed as "His Excellency."

Other New England states—Massachusetts and New Hampshire in particular—are more liberal in the distribution of titles, for they prefix "Honorable" to municipal judges, representatives and aldermen in the various cities. It is probable that Maine is the only state where a municipal judge can be addressed verbally as "Your Honor," but is not entitled to the prefix of "The Honorable."

HE WANTED STAMPS.

Country Merchant Knew How to Keep Up His Stock.

"I obtained a peculiar order from a Kentucky storekeeper," said a cigar salesman to a Washington Star reporter. "I left the railroad to work some interior towns, and stopped at the country stores en route. At one of these places I found a man whom the commercial agencies gave a good rating, and who acted as postmaster as well as storekeeper. I handed him my card, and he said:

"'Thar ain't but one thing that yo' kin sell me.'

"'What is that?' I inquired.

"'Yo' kin sell me 'bout $50 wuth o' stamps, envelopes an' postal kyards.'

"'Why, you can get them from the government.'

"'No, I kain't. Yo' see they won't credit me. I hev ter sell stamps an' put 'em on people's bills, but th' government won't let me hev none 'thout sendin' th' money. 'Tain't right, o' cose, fer I'm good, they orter know thet. But I ain't got a stamp nor a kyard in th' office an' no way ter git none. I'll hev to buy 'em somewhars.'

"After becoming convinced of the man's solvency, I sold him a line of stamps, stamped envelopes and postal cards, to be shipped with a bill of cigars."

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 10.—In the female six-day bicycle race here yesterday Tillie Anderson made 41 miles 10 laps in two hours, which is a new world's record.

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The Tecumseh News editorially states, in its last weeks issue, in speaking of the nomination, by the republicans, of Prof. M. W. Hensel for county school commissioner, that "We believe in matters pertaining to our public schools all political questions should be laid aside and only the qualifications of the man considered." In this instance the HERALD agrees with the News exactly. Politics should be laid aside and the qualifications of the man taken into consideration. Prof. Hensel is a German who received his education and whose home is in the state of Ohio. He came to Blissfield a few years ago, taught school there and near there in this state, and now asks Lenawee county to confer upon him the best paid and most important office connected in any way with the state educational system. This man really has no interest in Lenawee county except to earn his living and it is very questionable if his personal qualifications are in any way above the average. Prof. J. C. Howell, the democratic nominee for this same position, was born in the township of Macon, this county, educated in the public schools of that township and Tecumseh, is a graduate of the state Normal school, and has been a principal of schools in this county for a number of years. His home, his interests and qualifications are identical with the needs of a Lenaweee county commissioner of schools. In this case there should be no question of politics. Howell is the man and should be elected. Still it is amusing to hear a partisan newspaper advise the people to vote for the best man without regard to politics.

Under this new administration just coming into power with the promise to the people that the hard times shall cease, it is of interest to everybody to know what is going to be done with the trusts. This subject of trusts has puzzled the best authorities in every state in the union. Different laws had been passed in the different states concerning the railroads and other trusts until finally the interstate commerce committee was appointed, Uncle Sam making up his mind that something must be done. In 1870 was organized by four men what was known as the Standard Oil company. These four men had neither capital nor experience in the oil business. Not one of them had probably ever seen a barrel of oil manufactured, and yet in 25 years these same four men have amassed a fortune which now aggregates over $225,000,000. Today there is no such company as the Standard Oil company. In 1892 the trust was dissolved, and why? Simply because the investigation committees in the different states were about to ask the gentlemen who formed this gigantic monopoly some peculiar questions. In 1894, when one of the original quartette was being questioned by a member of the New York legislature in answer to the question "What is the name of this trust?" said, "The Lord only knows, I don't." In other words, the dissolution of the trust commenced in 1892 was for the simple purpose of avoiding state and national investigations. Now as these men in 1870 had neither capital nor business experience, how did they succeed? The answer is, simply by unjust concessions of the railroads. The Standard Oil company today does not pay one-half the freight charged to its competitors nor have they ever done so. The price of kerosene oil and gasoline has been kept down from the fact that the minute the price was raised to a seemingly high figure new wells would spring up and it would be necessary for this company to buy out the proprietors as fast as they got started. The Lord has saved this country from paying two prices for kerosene oil because there were so many places where oil could be found, but even the Lord has no control over the hard coal business for the trusts and the railroads own all the mines. It may be that the republican party is not the party of trusts and corporations but it has always had that reputation and the poor people of the country hope and pray that under this new administration something can be done to stop the grasp and progress of these terrible combinations of capital.

An important feature of forthcoming numbers of the Outlook will be articles on the new Congressional Library at Washington, the new Public Library of Chicago, and the new Consolidated Library of New York. The first has been written by Mr. F. Hopkinson Smith, the famous artist and story teller, who has also painted four pictures of the new Congressional Library for The Outlook. The other articles will be written respectively by Rabbi Emil Hirsch, of the Chicago University, and by Dr. John S Billings, who is to be president of the Greater New York Library. ($3 00 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.

Village Election.

Following is the result of the village election held Monday March 8:

President—	
Alfred James	154
C. E. Williamson	158—4
Clerk—	
James H. Elliott	190—71
Albert N. Conger	119
Treasurer—	
Frank D. Avery	194—82
C. F. Field	112
Trustee, two years—	
Hendrick Heesen	189—73
Samuel Catlin	116
Trustee, two years—	
John Heesen	185—73
M. A. Zimmerman	113
Trustee, two years—	
Charles Eldridge	183—50
Elijah Ames	124
Trustee, one year—	
John J. Orr	184—69
Charles Smith	115
Assessor—	
James A. Boyd	130
Jehiel Davidson	180—50

Anniversary.

A very pleasant family gathering was held Sunday at the residence of Charles McNeil, on Cummings street, in honor of his mother, Mrs. Archibald McNeil, who had reached 77 years. Four generations were present.

Mrs. McNeil is well preserved and generally enjoys good health. To her have been born eight children, all of whom were present, besides children and grandchildren as follows; Charles McNeil, wife and three children, George, Mary and Jennie, Adah, Lydia, Mr. and Mrs. George Hawks and Milbern, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wyrill and Lena, Friend McNeil, wife and Leon, Sarah, Tensie, Mr. and Mrs. John Linton and Florence, John Wyrill, wife and Glen. Besides these, Mrs. Elizabeth McNeil, Charles W. McNeil, wife and sons, Earl and Allen, of Newburgh, were also guests.

Mrs. Arethusa Hall

Died in Worthington, Minn., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert McCune, on the 5th day of March, 1897, aged 78 years and 3 days.

The deceased was a daughter of Rev. Alanson Darwin, one of the early pastors of the Presbyterian church in Tecumseh. His remains lie in the cemetery here, his death occurring when he was pastor. The deceased lady was married in 1838 to Mr. Hudson B. Hall who belonged to one of the pioneer families of this county. There were five children born to them, three of whom died in infancy, a fourth, Miss Helen S. Hall, died in 1895 in Dundee, leaving Mrs. Julia H. McCune the only survivor of the family. With her Mrs. Hall spent the last two years of her life. Her powers suddenly failed and after a few days of gradual decline, she entered upon the painless life.

Her remains were brought here by Rev. and Mrs. McCune on the morning of March 9th and laid to rest beside her husband and children in the Hall burial place. Mrs. H. will be remembered as an amiable and exemplary Christian lady by the few survivors of the pioneer days of this village and county.

Mrs. Matilda Darling.

Mrs. Matilda Darling, whose maiden name was Osborn, was born at Ovid, Seneca county, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1812. In 1836 she was married to Henry Darling, after which they settled in Perrysburg, Ohio, and remained there until 1843 when they moved to Michigan. They located on a farm at Lake Ridge, where they lived until Mr. Darling's death in 1878. Since then Mrs. Darling has lived with her children in Tecumseh, Duluth, Minn. and Syracuse, N. Y.

She was one of eleven children and sister of Wm. H. Osborn. Mr. Osborn is the only one of the family now living.

Mrs. Darling was brought up in a Christian home and in her youth became a member of the Methodist church where she remained, living a consistent Christian life until her death. She died March 3rd, 1897, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Haanel, at Syracuse, N. Y., and her remains were brought to Michigan and burried in their family lot at Macon.

Dressmaking.

Don't blame a dressmaker because your gown has a twisting, uneasy, horrid feeling, or because you have to put on your hat before your waist because you can't get your hands up to your head, or if your waist wants to twist around to one side. She has done the best she can do. She has done everything she can do to remedy that gown, and has, in all probability, cried over it but to no purpose. She never was taught the proper way of caring for trade or making gowns, never traveled and found anything to give her any advantages, always stayed at home and worked and so I claim she has done her best and should not be blamed. Only one thing to do. Take your work to one who has made dressmaking a study and has had all the advantages of learning all there was to learn about cutting and finishing, one who has expended hundreds of dollars to visit all our leading cities for the ideas of first class work, and enquire of your friends who have Deuel do work for them, and hear what they have to say and nine out of ten will tell you to go to him. Some people claim Deuel's prices are up in G. No, he makes you a first class wool suit for six dollars and an extra finish for seven dollars, silks for eight and nine dollars. The difference in price is in the finish of the skirt. No use of having any more gowns spoiled because some one else only charges two and one-half to four dollars, as you invariably have to have them made over and your gown is never as it would have been had it been made right at first. Will be pleased to have all intending customers come and talk with Mrs. Deuel who will give you prices and fit you "if you prefer," and you will surely call again.

F. A DEUEL.

Marvelous Cures!

—BY—

Dr. W. C. Walker

The Eminent Physician and Surgeon, of Detroit, Mich. formerly of N. Y., will make the following regular monthly visits:

Tecumseh, Lilley House,
Friday, March 26.

Adrian, Hotel Emery,
Thursday, March 25.

The most Successful Method of Treatment of all Diseases and Deformities known to the Latest Medical and Surgical Experience.

Consulations and Examinations Free to all.

Dr. Walker will not treat any unless there is a possibility of a cure, and will so inform you.

Examination by Reflection.

By the latest scientific researches both by improved instruments and methods, the doctor is enabled to discover the true nature of the disease and locate the organ or parts affected, and many diseases and complications which have heretofore proven most obstinate to the medical profession, yield like magic under his skill and systemic treatment. The doctor is endowed with the wonderful gift of being able to diagnose without questioning and will discribe with the greatest accuracy your aches and pains wherever located, tells better how a person feels than they can tell it themselves.

There is no need to live in constant misery. It costs nothing to see him. The fullest examinations are free and his prices for treatment are within the reach of all. He is a friend to the afflicted and will turn none away unaided. The merchant mingles with the artisan while seeking relief at his hands and hundreds are cured every year.

READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. "I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: I was sick for many years, my case was known for miles around, was helped to Doctor Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration.

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Mr. Wm. Redmond says also, that he had been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Mr. Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

I will give special attention to difficult cases and to cases other physicians have failed to cure.

Bank references.

Persons applying for treatment will please bring from two to three ounces of urine, first passed in the morning preferred, for analysis.

Question blanks sent on application. Enclose stamp for reply. Those unable to see the doctor can address

W. C. WALKER, M. D.,
Detroit, Mich.

Full Length Walls Matched With Border and Ceiling

3 cts. Per Roll.

Wall Paper

Gilt Paper
5 cts.
a Roll
and upwards.

C. A. Wright.

Dress-Making

Cloth.

Suits,	$6.00 and $7.00.
Waist,	$3.00 and up.
Skirt,	$3.00 and $400.
Sleeves,	$1, and up.
Collars,	25c and up.

Silks.

Suit,	$8.00 and $9.00.
Waist,	$4.00 and up.
Skirt,	$4.00 and up.
Sleeves,	$1.25 and up.
Collars,	25c and up.

Misses' work same prices. Old work prices advance according to time taken.

LADY FITTER.
F. A. DEUEL.

You
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Best Laundry Work
at the

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

All work called for and delivered.

D. M. BAKER,

Coal,

Lumber

and **Sewer Pipe.**

Specialties:

Red Cedar Posts.
Long Timbers.
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The Largest Stock.
Prices that are Right.

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Yards: Corner Church and Pearl Street,
ADRIAN, MICH.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon Painter

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

We Will Remain

After thoroughly reconsidering the idea of moving we have concluded to remain in Tecumseh, and we will be found at the old stand ready and willing to

Supply your wants in Footwear

It will be to our mutual benefit as we will conduct our business on the plan of

Quick Sales and Small Profits!

But in order to do this

We Must Have Your Trade

Our Removal sale was very satisfactory, and we thank the people of Tecumseh and vicinity for their liberal patronage. It was a loss to us in dollars and cents, but we have reduced our stock and made room for new goods, so we will be able to give you a selection from the most complete line of all the

Newest and Latest Novelties to be found in Spring and Summer Footwear.

We invite you to call on us at all times, and watch our advertisments, as we shall from time to time give you some . . . **Special Bargains**

For the coming Saturday and the following week we will offer the balance of our Best Boston Sock Overs (about 20 pair 6 and 7 and a few 10 and 11 in sizes) $1.50 Values at $1.00 per pair,

Tecumseh, Mich.

Karner Bros.

Repairing and custom work neatly and promptly done in rear of our store by a competent workman, who guarantees all his work. Give him a trial.

Pillsbury's Best Flour!

We sell the most of this flour in town consequently we sell it cheaper. We also keep the celebrated Minneapolis Buckwheat, by far the best sold in Tecumseh, and sold for the same as cheaper grades. It is an understood fact that when you want fresh butter and eggs we keep the best.

Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

South of Lake Shore Depot

Do You Need a New Spring Overcoat Or Suit?

If so, tis time to choose from the best stock and where you can get the best fit and perfect satisfaction. Our styles for spring are correct, selection of goods complete and prices right.

J. M. Jones.

e Tecumseh Herald.

MSEH, MICH., MARCH 12, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SWEET PEA PLANTS FOR SALE

...erson—	$2.25 per Thousand
...rid—	2.75 " "
...ell's Early—	2.50 " "
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...a fine quality of Raspberries at 50 cents ...ndred. ROBERT SMITH, Newburgh, Mich.

...SALE—A few choice full-blood, well ...ed Brown Leghorn Cockerels. Inquire of C. H IVES.

...T RED SASH CHEAP.—I have a quan...ity of 8x6 Cypress hot bed sash for sale. ...sash are made with patent corners, well ...and glazed. Just the thing for hot bed ...frame, chicken house or sky light. Enquire at the Herald office or at my residence. ABNER WILSON;

...SALE—A good house and lot in the vil...ge of Tecumseh for $350.00. A rare chance ...one with small capital to secure a good ...

...SALE OR RENT—Small house and ...in good location. Price $400. Inquire of ...R. Page, at U. S. Express office.

...NTS FOR SALE. I have for sale 18 ...ice varieties of strawberry plants and ...ties of raspberries; also a few bushels ...lowing choice new varieties of seed po... Early Michigan, Healy Fortune, Carman ...rman No. 3 and Livingston's Banner. ...w pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte ...for sale, and eggs in season. For fur...rticulars enquire of or address, C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich

...RGAIN—I have for sale a nice house ...ll known as the A. C. Paxson property ...rner of Maumee and Kilbuck streets. ...resident hence will sell to some one at ...n. Inquire of S. P. Hosmer, or address W. J. Clark, Cave City, Ky.

...NTED—To buy a small house and lot. ...ust be cheap and near business center. ...at the HERALD office.

...POTATOES—Pure seed of the Mag... Murphy and American Wonder varities ...cheap. Inquire of or drop postal to HOMER BICKFORD, Tecumseh.

...NSHIP CAUCUS— here will be a ...eting of the citizens of the Township of ...at the town house Friday March 19th, at ...for the purpose of placing in nomination ...tes for the several township offices, to be ...d at the annual township meeting, and ...act such other business as may come ...the meeting. All persons favoring the ...d unlimited coinage of both gold and ...at the present ratio as standard money, ...dially invited to attend.

...SALE—In the city of Ann Arbor, a large ...ree story modern house, centrally located ...ated by steam, and earning $5 a week ...om rent, $1,000 worth of furniture will ...wn in and long time given for payments. ...portunity of a life time. Address, E. C. D., ...2, Tecumseh, Mich.

...SALE—Farm of 83½ acres adjoining ...e corporation of Village of Tecumseh. ...bought for less than its value. E. Gaire F. B WOOD.

...RENT.—Two houses very cheap. Also ...sale, good potatoes, 10 cents per bushel. A. W. SLAYTON

...NTED—A few good men from this local ...y to go on the road with a good selling ...y. No books. Address, Box 501. Tecumseh, Mich.

...ge Merritt attended the cycle ...t Detroit.

...urn R. Keyser has been quite a ...r the past week.

...Tate, of Clinton, was calling on ...here yesterday.

...oaster Kyle will conduct the race ...gain this season.

...Sizer, of Adrian, is visiting her ...ter, Mrs. Arthur Harding.

...Arnold and daughter Lena re... from Adrian Wednesday.

...Pennock has packed up his nov...ock and moved it to Adrian.

...Cutting and family expect to ...their new home next week.

...C. A. Waldron is recovering ...severe attack of pneumonia.

...nd the Kirchgessner jewelry ...every afternoon and evening.

...Clara Welch came down from ...this morning for a short visit.

...Adkins, of Granville, Ohio, is ...friends in Tecumseh this week.

...Watson Johnson, of Adrian, is ...Mrs. A. B. Pennock this week.

...Sweet moved into Wm. Kyle's ...n South Pearl street yesterday.

...est of great bargains at the ...auction. Every afternoon and ...

...e is cutting his prices right in ...March.

...McCann is at home again, hav...turned from a visit with his ...Wednesday.

...Moore had quite a mishap yes...afternoon on the street. He can ...perhaps how it was done.

...Cutting left yesterday morning ...son where he has a position in ...Chamberlain Bicycle Works.

...ry nothing but the best. No ...of cheap stuff. We guarantee ...rticle you buy of us to be the ...de for the money.

WHEELER & SISSON.

...M. E. Conklin and daughters, ...nd Hattie, all of whom have ...y sick, are now convalescing.

...ce Conklin came home from ...turday and has been of great ...aring for the sick in the home.

...oods are going at any price at ...le mortgage jewelry auction. ...er it is every afternoon and ...till all are sold.

...McAdam, who with his family ...en in Manchester during the ...was in town yesterday looking ...se. He expects to return here

...d: Miss Jennie Oliver, of Frank...harles A. Wyman, of Wesion, ...sidence of H. C. Owen, in the ...of Clinton, March 10.

...Kirchgessner has fitted up a ...the store formerly occupied ...nd is now prepared to do watch, ...jewelry repairing; also fitting ...All his old friends and patrons ...d to call.

John Chamberlain, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Bert Day spent Sunday at his old home in Macon.

Mrs. Dora Clarke and daughter Hazel spent Sunday with friends in Jackson.

C. B. Pennock and C. W. Marvin spent Sunday at their homes in Adrian.

Miss Ella Primrose closes her winter term of school in the Hurry district today.

E. L. Church went up to Jackson Saturday night for a visit with friends over Sunday.

May Greenfield was granted a divorce from her husband, Frank Greenfield, at Adrian Saturday.

Our new styles in Furniture are arriving every day. Prices lower than ever. Call and see us. WHEELER & SISSON.

Messrs. Frank and George Heath, of Milan, were guests of M. Primrose's family over Sunday.

The Wit and Wisdom Club will convene Monday evening at P. S. McKinnon's on Logan street.

Ed. Baker, wife and sister, Miss Georgie, of Macon, spent Wednesday with Tecumseh relatives.

A full attendance is desired at the Royal Arcanum meeting next Monday night. Important business.

John Brunn, of Kendallville, Ind., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Bennett Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. H. Darling, of Duluth, Minn., who came with his mother's remains Monday, left Tuesday for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney, of North Farmington, Mich., were called here by the death of their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Creger.

Will H. Niblack, of Clinton, was in town Monday. He has been in poor health for some time past but is now improving slowly.

Go to Teeple's for your photoes and frames. Everything half price during March.

Fred VanDeMark came down from Clinton Monday to meet Eugene Smalley on his return from Addison so as to get him home in time to vote.

You can not afford to miss seeing our large stock of Furniture if you are going to buy. WHEELER & SISSON.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. VanCamp will be pained to learn that her death occurred in Detroit Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday with interment there.

Mrs. Wm. Ide and her committee will serve supper in the parlors of the M. E. church next Wednesday evening, to which the public generally is cordially invited. First tables will be ready at 5:30.

Mrs. R. L. Jones was summoned to Eaton Rapids Monday by a telegram saying Mr. Jones was there very sick with pneumonia. Word has been received that he is some better though not yet out of danger.

Mrs. Geo. Teachout and Mrs. Fred Aldrich drove to Onsted Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Put. Cole, a daughter of the former. Mrs. Aldrich returned home Sunday night, but Mrs. T. remained until Wednesday.

Harry Bailey, a postal clerk in the mail service with headquarters at Cleveland, was in town a part of the week. His coming served a double purpose, viz a pleasant visit with friends and a tussle with the Masonic goat.

Dr. B. F. Steinhoff came near having a conflagration in his office Monday morning in consequence of a defective alcohol lamp. By prompt and strenuous exertion on his part the flames were squelched before any serious damage was done.

Have you seen Teeple's work lately? If not, why not? Go and see it, it will pay you.

Judge V. H. Lane, of Adrian, will give the first lecture under the Christian Endeavor lecture course of Monroe Presbytery at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening. His topic will be "Presbyterian Polity," treating of the constitution and government of the Presbyterian church. All are invited.

At the Monday Club March 8th, three papers were read: Mrs. J. G. Huey described the old German city of Leipsic, with its many interesting features. Mrs. H. S. Lee read an article on "German Student Life." Miss Gertrude Hialey closed the program by giving several Legends of the Harz Mountains."

The Farmers' Union will meet at Horace Holdridge's Friday evening, March 19. Following is the program:—

Music—Mr. and Mrs. Wood.
Paper—Miss Colvin.
Rec.—Hazel Boyd.
Music—Seymour and Hazel Boyd.
Reading—Mrs. G. E. Holdridge.
Dec.—Henry Raymond.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Wood.

Friday evening, March 5th, the subject of "Egyptian Missions" was discussed in the Research Circle. The "Misson of Gen. Gordon and the Attack of the Mahdi" was given by Mrs. Crosby, "The Sudan Mission, or the Emin Pasha Relief Expedition" by Mrs. Freeman. Under the topic of current events, Mrs. Fowler presented "The Eastern Question and How to Get Rid of the Sick Man of Europe." Maps were made and used which rendered the subjects more easily understood. The evening proved very interesting and profitable.

Monday morning Misses Ella and Agnes Paxson started for their new home in Piqua, O. Although it was quite early in the morning for the lads and lasses to be out to bid their friends good bye, they did not mind it, especially two of the crowd, who were so overcome by the girls' departure that they forgot themselves and went a short distance with them. No doubt the girls would have been delighted with their company to the end of the journey. All wish them enjoyment in their new home and hope they will often visit among their schoolmates and friends here.

Ed Rogers is at home this week.

F. B. Wood was in Monroe Wednesday.

P. S. McKinnon was out of town over Sunday.

Chauncey Vedder is suffering with a lame back.

Mrs. C. A. Wright arrived home from the east Wednesday.

John Vedder has been quite ill with the grip the last week.

Will Mohbs was again taken sick Sunday but is reported better today.

C. H. Hopkins went to Battle Creek Wednesday and will remain some weeks.

Mr. Dodge, an attorney of Elkhart, Ind., was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

Elliot Gray boasts over the fact of having raised sixteen lambs from eight ewes.

The Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Company have a fine new gray team on their egg wagon.

Dolph Heesen returned home Saturday from his business trip in the west and southwest.

Minneapolis buckwheat, the best in the land, for sale at the Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

Stephen Whittier has been very sick this last week but it is hoped he is better this morning.

Mrs. Eugene Gamble and little daughter Marion, of Wheatland, are visiting Mrs. Gregg and Mrs. Gamble.

Miss Iva Elliott has been having a serious time with tonsilitis the past two weeks but is now recovering.

J. C. Hazlett, D. L. Whitenack & Co., C. A. Wright and J. M. Jones start new advertisements in this issue of the HERALD.

There will be a free elocutionary entainment given at Raisin Valley seminary, Friday evening March 19th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. James Elliott was summoned to Homer Wednesday morning by the critical illness of her mother, who had suffered a relapse.

John J. Orr drove over to Ann Arbor Saturday morning for a short visit with friends. He was at the store ready for business Monday morning.

It is a singular fact that not a person from Tecumseh attended the inauguration at Washington. A number thought of going but as near as can be found out not one succeeded in getting there.

The funeral of Samuel Baird, who died of consumption Friday morning, was held at the home of his sister, Mrs. James Glasgow, Sunday at 2:30 p. m., Rev. C. M. Brown officiating, and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends. Sam was a bright young man, and during his stay here made many warm friends.

One-half dozen Brownies for 50 cents at TEEPLE'S.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman, accompanied by Miss Lillian Welliver, one of her trimmers, was in Toledo this week inspecting the new styles and novelties in spring millinery. As Miss Lottie Bridges, her other trimmer whose home is in Detroit, saw all that city possessed in that line before returning here, Mrs. Freeman must be fully equipped to satisfy, as never before, all desiring goods in her line.

The death of Mrs. Charles Creger, which occurred at her home Friday morning at six o'clock, was a sad one in every respect. She was a young woman of robust health with every indication of a long life before her, and being thus stricken down was a shock to all her friends. Besides the husband, who is nearly craled with grief, two children are left motherless, one about two years old and the other a babe of but a few days. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating, and who in his remarks said: "We are met together today to pay the last earthly acts of christian kindness toward one who has lived but a short time among us and bury with christian ceremony the mortal remains of a christian sister. Mrs. Creger's maiden name was Louise Whiting. She was born in North Farmington, Mich., in 1873 being now 24 years of age. Three years ago last December she was married to Charles Creger, the husband who now mourns her decease. May the guiding hand of God direct him aright in the care and training of the two children now left to his sole care."

Word was received here Monday that Captain Charles F. Strong a former well known and popular resident for 32 years here, died at his home in Lawrence, Kansas, that morning, and his many old acquaintances in this vicinity will be interested in the following taken from the Lawrence Journal of that evening:

After an illness of two weeks that has caused many anxious inquiries from his hosts of friends throughout the city, the death of Capt. Charles F. Strong occured this morning at 8:30 o'clock. There has been a complication of diseases combined with the general breaking down of old age, that were the direct causes of his death. Capt. Strong was born in Williamsburg, Mass., June 18, 1813, and was consequently nearly 84 years old. When about 21 years old he left his Massachusetts home for Michigan and settled in Tecumseh, that state. He came to Kansas from Michigan in 1866, and in 1873 moved to Lawrence with his family, and has made the town and vicinity his home ever since. His family consisted of his wife, two sons, Charles B and Fred J., and two daughters, Mrs. Strickland, of this city, and Mrs. Prichard, of Tecumseh, Mich. Capt. Strong was one of Lawrence's most substantial and prosperous citizens. He has many business interests in the city and adjacent country, and has always held the highest esteem of neighbors and friends with whom he came in contact. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m, Wednesday from the family home and will be conducted by Rev. W. W. Ayers, of the Episcopal chur

The Bice bakery will soon be moved to their new store on the north side of Chicago street.

Mr. Delorma Brown and family, of Homer, were Tecumseh visitors last week. They will settle in Adrian where Mrs. Brown will conduct a millinery business.

John Gillespie had the misfortune yesterday to mutilate his left hand in some way whereby he loses a part of one finger. The particulars we have been unable to learn.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our brother, and to the Y. P. S. C. E. for the beautiful floral piece.

JACKSON BAIRD,
MRS. JAS. GLASGOW.

Don't forget to read Dr. Walker's announcement to visit Tecumseh again, at the Lilley House Friday, March 26th. The doctor will make regular monthly visits. The public press say Dr. Walker is one of the most able physicians and surgeons offering their services to the public.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday, March 14th: Morning, "Marvel not that I say unto you, ye must be born again"; evening, "Christianity and the World's People." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "Fasting in Secret."

Our prices on Furniture will be the lowest in the county.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. Geo. H. Allen, of Toledo, came up Tuesday, for a short visit with friends, also to be present at the sixtieth wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Zeluff. She returns home tomorrow accompanied by Miss Viola Zeluff who will remain a week or two.

John F. Temple, father of our townsman, Frank J. Temple, died at his home in Ridgeway yesterday afternoon between one and two o'clock, aged 76 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. He was an old resident and widely known. A further notice will be given.

Tipton, March 12th, via Commercial Telephone line.—The home of Albert Morseman, one mile north of here, was totally destroyed by fire this forenoon at ten o'clock. The loss on the house is complete but the furniture on the first floor was saved. The high wind made the work of the flames very rapid. It was insured in the Farmer's Mutual.

Mrs. Marcia Bennett, who has been sick in Chicago for some time, passed away Monday, aged 72 years. The funeral was held Wednesday. She was well known in this locality, having resided both here and at Clinton. She was of a retiring disposition but possessed sterling qualities that endeared her to all who knew her well. She was an aunt of Mrs. L. G. North.

Last evening a very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sweet in which their youngest daughter, Gertrude, became Mrs. Fred Harrison. There were about thirty guests present and the presents were both beautiful and useful. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. S. Hudson. The couple leave this afternoon for Milan to visit Mrs. Harrison's brother Earl.

Sixty years ago today David H. Zeluff and Louisa Russell became husband and wife and the event is being celebrated in a quiet and informal manner. It is seldom that people are permitted to travel the course of life so long together and time has dealt very kindly with this aged couple who are still hale and hearty. Their hosts of friends hope they may live to celebrate their diamond wedding.

Last evening as Charlie Everett was driving into town, when in front of Palmer's furniture store on Railroad street, the horse became unmanageable, wheeled into the alley back of Harris & Hiteshu's and turning struck the building occupied by L. D. Dewey. Charlie jumped out and tried to catch him but the horse was too spry and away he went around the Dewey building freeing himself from the buggy. He ran into Garlinghouse Bros'. barn. The harness and buggy were both badly wrecked.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Mar. 9, 1897:

J. L. Brown, Miss Ida Stay, Mr. Wm Lillie, John Bellmyre, Mary L. Loar, Mrs. Maggie E. Lewis, Miss Minnie Weaver.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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—Absolutely the finest line of Glassware in all the latest novelties can be seen in Tansley's show window. Prices are right.

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—Furniture refinished at Bert Grey's carriage shop. Fine work and low prices.

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CLINTON.

Jno. Koernig went to Jackson Monday.

Prof. Wilcox spent Sunday in Jackson.

Miss Rose Lane was in Tecumseh Sunday.

W. S. Kimball went to Chicago Monday evening.

Frank Parker was home from Albion over Sunday.

A. F. Kishpaugh was a Manchester visitor Tuesday

Miss Tessa Carrol is visiting her sister Alice in Detroit.

Mrs. Will Katner spent Sunday with Deerfield friends.

Jas. Hamilton was over from Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. W. H. Katner visited friends at Deerfield over Sunday.

There will be services in St. Dominic's church Friday evening

Eugene Smalley and George Waterhouse spent Sunday at Onsted.

A. J. Kishpaugh attended the bicycle exhibit at Detroit last Friday.

F. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town on business last Friday

Miss Eva Shimman went to Detroit Monday morning for a few days.

Miss Belle House went to Jackson last Friday for an indefinite stay.

Dr. and Mrs. Tuttle and daughter Ella were Detroit visitors Saturday.

Mrs. E. N. Conklin, of Manchester, spent Saturday at her father's, Mr. Burton's.

The next regular meeting of the C. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening March 17th.

Rev. Stevens returned Friday after having held a three weeks' revival in Creston, Iowa.

Miss Pauline Erlenbush is over from Ann Arbor for a few days' visit with Clinton friends.

Mrs. Eli. Breese and Mrs. Will Katner are in Detroit this week buying goods for the spring millinery.

Mrs. P. M. Bishop and little daughter Myrtle, of Detroit, have been visiting at Will Wood's since Saturday.

Jos. Grey left Monday for his home at Six Lakes, Montcalm county, after a week's visit with Clinton relatives.

F. E. Johnson went to Detroit Monday to spend a few days with relatives. He will also visit friends at Vassar before his return.

Clare Kimball went to Detroit Saturday morning, returning in the evening. His mother, who has been in the city some time returned with him.

The Lenten week-day evening service will be held on Thursday evening next week, at which time Rev. Vickburn, of Albion, will occupy the pulpit.

The Baptist social was to be held on Tuesday evening at J. C. Fisk's west of town, but as the night was so stormy it was postponed until next Tuesday night.

Miss Laura Haggart was home from Buchanan from Wednesday till Friday of last week, as her school was closed for a few days on account of the death of the principal.

The Rev. Mr. Blachford has announced that he will give an address next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. John's church to young ladies only, and the Sunday following to young men only. At these services all the young people of the town are invited.

They had an election here Monday and the corporation or high license ticket was elected entire, with a majority of 11 votes. There will be two saloons in the village next year, one by C. Schmitt and the other by Peter Jacob. The fight was hot from start to finish. It is claimed that some harsh language from the local pulpits did more harm than good to the temperance forces, and turned the tide against them. Following are the tickets and the vote, the first persons named being on the corporation ticket and the latter on the citizens' ticket:

President—Wm. C. Rogers, 144; Chas. E. Foster, 133.

Trustees—Geo. Calhoun, 148; Edward F. Muir, 143; David Woodward, 140; Wm. S. Kimball, 133; Albert C. Huntington, 131; Robert Redick, 137.

Clerk—Fred Koernig, 140; Chas. D. Cutting, 139.

Treasurer—Chas. H. Thompson, 140; Alonzo S. Marshall, 138.

Assessor—Ansel J. Kishpaugh, 146; John Hause, 130.

Fred Koernig and the Misses Tessie Sullivan and Ida Kirchgessner attended church at St. Mary's in Manchester Sunday.

Mrs. S. W. Chandler and the Misses Mattie McKinnon and Abbie Chandler, of Saline, drove over Saturday to visit at the home of Mrs. Kies. Mrs. Chandler and Miss McKinnon returned Sunday afternoon, but Miss Abbie remained to take charge of the millinery store of Mrs. E. A. Clark who went to Detroit Monday.

ONSTED.

Ed Freer and wife have moved back to Somerset.

School will begin this week after a week's vacation.

Frank Kinney visited the City of the Straits last week.

Mrs. Porter, of Chicago, is here caring for P. Maxwell who is ill.

W. Lapham and wife entertained friends from St. Johns recently.

The Missionary Society met yesterday at the residence of S. White.

F. W. Darling expects to work for the Champion Machinery Co. this season.

Bert Kimball will soon move to Adrian where he has found employment.

Peter Maxwell, who has been seriously ill for a long time, seems to be on the gain.

Chas. Jessup has moved his harness business into the brick store on South Main street.

A meeting of the Cambridge Farmers' Club was held at Mrs. Mary Marlatte's last Saturday.

A number from this vicinity attended the dedication of a Grange Hall at Lime Creek recently.

C. W. Billmeyer now occupies the house that Herbert Gallup vacated when he moved to Adrian.

J. O. Maxwell attended the inspection of the commandery at Adrian Wednesday of last week.

Our hair dresser has been laid up with the grip but S. J. Fish continued the business during the time.

The Hill Jubilee Specialty Co. struck town Saturday evening and gave a jangle of song, music and chorus.

Chas. Mack has moved from Brooklyn into the apartments over Mrs. Perkins' store and intends to assist C. A. Desermia in his store.

Tis rumored that Howard & Hand will erect a building in the spring which will be occupied by the Freedman Bros. as a dry goods and clothing store.

One of the earliest pioneers of this vicinity, Mrs. Sarah Potter, departed this life early Sunday morning. She was born in England and came to this country with her parents when but a child. She was the widow of the late James Potter.

FRANKLIN.

Wilford Allen has hired out to Ira VanTuyle.

Clyde Smith is home from Benton Harbor business college.

Nearly all of the sugar bushes in this section have been tapped.

Fishing through the ice has been indulged in and it is reported with good success.

George Stanley is moving back to Franklin and will occupy the brick house on Ben Reynold's farm.

Wheat, just out from its winter blanket, looks well; how it will look in a few week's time is of more importance.

A letter from Milford, Oakland county, announces the protracted illness of John H. Davis, formerly a resident here.

Mrs. Watson Hunt is in Iowa where she was called by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her mother. Mrs. Hunt has recently lost her only sister, who also left husband and child to mourn her loss.

TIPTON.

Hon. T. M. Camburn was home over Sunday.

Albert Camburn will move into his new home Monday.

M. S. Conner is talking of renting the George Camburn place.

A little daughter of W. J. Fridd is quite sick with lung trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Leech and children, of Lima, Ohio, are visiting at Bert Crittenden's.

The lady Maccabees gave a very pleasing entertainment and ten cent supper at their hall Saturday evening.

Spring Catarrh.

Again spring is here. The long, cold winter with its bluster and chill, has passed, and has left in its train innumerable victims of chronic catarrh. They have taken a great many remedies during the winter with perhaps temporary relief, but a fresh cold has brought on the old symptoms, and, heartsick and weary of trying, they have concluded that there can be no relief for them. This is a great mistake; and now is the time to rectify it.

The spring time is the most favorable time of the year to treat catarrh. There is so much less liability to take fresh cold that the treatment is unimpeded. All old cases of chronic catarrh should begin immediately a course of Pe-ru-na as directed in Dr. Hartman's books on this disease. There are so many different phases and stages of catarrh that one hardly knows when he has it. A great many people think they are suffering from something else and have tried many medicines in vain, when if they could realize that it is catarrh and take Pe-ru-na for it they would improve promptly and soon recover entirely.

All who desire to learn more of catarrh should send for a free copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book which will be sent free by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Photographic Times for March is as usual a model of typographic neatness and contains among other things a fine article illustrated in three and four color process.

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A thrilling chapter of secret war history will be related in McClure's Magazine for March by Gen. John M. Thayer, formerly United States Senator from Nebraska. It is an account of a night he passed alone with Secretary Stanton in the War Office when the latter was expecting that President Johnson would attempt to dispossess him of his office by force of arms.

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The North American Review for March contains a timely and elaborate paper on "The Famine in India" from the pen of Sir Edwin Arnold. The thorough and long familiarity of Sir Edwin with East Indian affairs and customs renders him a high authority upon this important subject, and its various aspects are described in a most graphic and sympathetic style.

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"Bread-winning Occupations for Women in Unfamiliar Lines" will be the subject of an article by Clare Bonce, in Harper's Bazar of February 27th. Other articles will include: "The Mothers' Congress in Washington," by Christine Terhune Herrick; "The Function of Flowers in Society," by Anna Wentworth Sears; and "Private Theatricals for Children," by Helen Jay.

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"Complexion Specialists and Their Methods" is a strong article in Demorest's Magazine for March, exposing the methods practised by so-called complexion specialists for beautifying the skin. The illustrations depict graphically the tortures to which the victims are subjected, and one shows the horrible results of the electric treatment. Every woman should read it and be warned.

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Harper's Weekly of February 27th will contain two notable features, in elaborate descriptions and illustrations of the Congressional Library at Washington, and in an article by Thomas Campbell Copeland (unavoidably postponed from the previous issue), giving a complete analysis of the vote by counties at the late presidential election, accompanied by a page of tables and a map graphically portraying the general results in each state, especially with reference to the Democratic anti-Bryan vote.

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The March Chautauquan is announced as a Homer number, and has for its special features exhaustive and attractive articles on various phases of Homeric art and literature. The masterly paper on "Homeric Art" by Prof. Alfred Emerson is accompanied by twelve illustrations of Greek art; the stories of the Iliad and Odyssey are skilfully told by Prof. William Hyde Appleton and Prof. Abby Leach, and Prof. Angie Clara Chapin treats in a pleasing manner of "The Women of Homer."

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Table Talk for March contains ten pages of answers to inquiries from housekeepers all over the country. This is a special feature of this unique little magazine, and is most ably handled by Miss Cornelia C. Bedford. It also gives daily menus for the month with evening dinners or with noon-day dinners, besides a number of interesting articles. To any of our readers who will send name and address, the Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, offer to mail a sample copy of their magazine free.

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John Fiske, the eminent historian, has prepared for the March number of the Atlantic Monthly the most notable contribution that has been made to the discussion of the Arbitration Treaty. He shows by a sweeping historical survey how the progress of industry and the relations between the United States and Great Britain make such a treaty a logical event; and he explains the incalculable benefits that are sure to come from it in the future. He points out how nearly all our disputes in the past could have been adjusted under such a treaty, and how the treaty is a natural ally of commerce and industrial advancement for the bringing of a new era in the history of government.

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The Forum for March contains a dozen timely and important articles among which the Arbitration Treaty is discussed by two competent authorities—the Hon. Frederic R. Coudert, the eminent international lawyer and ex-member of the Behring Sea Arbitration Commission, and Theodore S. Woolsey, professor of international law at Yale. In view of the present uprising of the Greeks in Crete, an article—the last from his pen—by the late Prof. John Stuart Blackie, the celebrated philologist and philhellenist, is very timely in that it gives an absorbingly interesting and eloquent account of the present political and economic position of Greece. The Forum, 111 Fifth Avenue, New York. $3.00 a year.

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There is nothing that Richard Harding Davis describes with more skill than a gorgeous pageant, and "The Banderium of Hungary," which leads the March Scribner's, is one of the brightest exhibitions of his pictorial ability. The celebration at Budapest, last June, of the thousandth year of the existence of Hungary as a Kingdom passed almost unnoticed, and this is the first magazine account of a unique spectacle. Eleven hundred nobles, richly clad in their traditional costumes and family jewels, passed before the king on a bright sunny day, and swore anew allegiance to the crown. The procession has not been excelled in this century in dramatic effect and wealth of color. The illustrations from photographs gives glimpses of its splendor.

CAMEL'S EXPERIENCE.

Sat Down So Much That His Hind Legs Became Useless.

A large camel which was landed at Hoboken a few days ago from the Bremen line steamer Dresden had an experience which probably never before fell to the lot of a "ship of the desert."

He made the voyage in a large box, and as there wasn't room enough in it for any self-respecting animal the camel sat down in sheer disgust. He sat that way for days and days while the ship rolled and made all sorts of heavy weather.

When the dejected animal was finally landed and tried to stand up, he couldn't use his rear props at all. They had become paralyzed with their long stay in a cramped position. The camel wasn't any good, it seemed, and, as a big price had been paid for him, there was a general lamentation. The camel was "in" on the lamentation. Such a picture of woe was never seen in Hoboken.

At last a genius suggested a radical cure. The camel, by his advice, was placed in a sling and hoisted up until only his toes touched the ground. He paddled the air for a spell with his forelegs, and finally the rear props came to life and joined in the exercise. They lowered him to the floor, and, after he had tested his rear legs somewhat gingerly, he was as good as new. But he doesn't sit down any more. Once was enough for him.

FAULTY FINANCIERING.

Failure of a Suddenly Devised Plan to Save Street Car Fare.

There is a man somewhere on the South side who knows more about the theory and practice of finance than he did a few days ago and all he did to gain the knowledge was to jump off a street car and pick up a nickel which he saw lying on the street, says the Chicago Tribune.

Relating the circumstances later to a friend he said:

"It's funny what fools some men are. I saw that nickel after I had paid my fare, and my first thought was that if I jumped off and picked it up it would make up for the nickel I had already given the conductor. Having plenty of time I did so. Of course I missed the car which I had originally boarded and paid my fare. When the conductor came around on the following car I surrendered my new-found nickel with a serene and satisfactory belief that my ride had not cost me anything, having paid for it with the nickel found in the street.

"Then I began to figure a little. The more I tried to solve the problem in mathematics the more deeply I became involved. As an actual fact I had to count my change before I discovered that I had not only saved a nickel, but that I had contributed ten cents to the company's coffer and was still a nickel out of pocket."

POOR BARONETS.

Some of Them Are Always Coming to Grief.

Mr. Labouchere's sarcastic reference to this lowest rank of the English hereditary titled order, "baronets and the criminal classes," seems so very, very apt, says a recent London letter in an exchange. Baronets insist upon going wrong all the time. There are at least a half-dozen absolutely disreputable baronets prowling about the Strand at this moment, cadging for shillings, free meals and free drinks. If they can manage to preserve a decent outward appearance existence is not so difficult. Their titles appeal to the man who has never been on familiar terms with anything in the shape of a title before. But the delight of knowing "a nobleman" soon passes when the succession of small loans and general sponging is realized. One of the worst of the disreputable baronet species now in evidence in London, and more or less in the gutter, is the same man who a few years ago was in the United States acting as advance agent or something similar for a theatrical company. Chicago, Philadelphia and other cities remember the gentleman. His various swindles are as remarkable as they are ingenious.

DRUNKEN BEES.

Bumblebees That Gave Evidence of Feeling Remorse.

T. L. Williams, in a note in the Journal of Botany, points out certain facts about bumblebees which will be of interest to some humans. He says that these insects often get drunk. Their intoxicating tipple is the honey produced by the crowded flowers of the capituiate heads of certain compositae and dipsaseteae. When the stage of intoxication is reached it is indicated by rolling on the back, striking the legs wildly in the air, and general helplessness.

The bees rapidly recovered from the effects, and in most cases were eager to repeat the debauch; but one individual which had been shut up in a vasculum with copious supplies of centaurea scabiosa manifested the next morning a praiseworthy remorse and disgust, raising its head and forelegs as high as it could above the plants, then hurrying away as soon as released. The most dissolute species is the neuter of bombus lapidarius. The remorse probably indicates the presence of the headache, which in the highest animal of all is so provocative of good resolutions.

Living Species of Animals.

The editors of the Zoological Record have drawn up a table that indicates approximately the number of the living species of animals. The following are the figures given: Mammals, 2,500; reptiles and batrachians, 4,460; tunicata, 900; brachiopods, 150; crustaceans, 20,000; myriapods, 3,000; echinoderms, 3,000; coelenterata, 2,000; protozoans, 6,100; birds, 12,500; fishes, 12,600; mollusks, 50,000; bryozoans, 1,500; arachnids, 10,000; insects, 230,000; vermes, 6,150; sponges, 1,500. General total, 366,000 distinct species.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...nie Lowe is a sufferer from rheu...

...s. Art. Hughes still remains on the ...list.

...d Rupp is another victim of the ...this week.

...rs. Samuel Kniffen has been quite ...he past week.

...J. Sims, the Wabash train master, ...in town Tuesday.

...rs. L. E. Hazes has been nursing a ...o ankle this week.

...ev. Mr. Deyo was at Oxford, Mich., ...latter part of the week.

...ss Zeluff and Art Curtiss were in ...an Tuesday on business.

...r. and Mrs. Will Larrabee were in ...umseh shopping Tuesday.

...rs. Norman Ackley is the guest of ...ds near Monroe this week.

...y. McKinney, of Tecumseh, was ...n on K. P. business Monday.

...will now be proper to speak of Will ...k as "His Honor, the Mayor."

...ey are holding a series of meetings ...e Christian church this week.

...R. Williams, of Dundee, was in ... Monday transacting business.

...iffen & Co. began cutting lumber ...ir brick and tile mill Monday.

...l Rinn visited the county seat ...ay but steered clear of the courts.

...rge Clark and Vern Gripton took ...e cycle show at Detroit last week.

...ole Henry Reynolds is slowly re...ring from his recent paralytic ...e.

...gar Exelby tapped his sugar bush ...day and is in the midst of sugar ...ing.

...W. Curtiss has sold his house and ...to Cass Zeluff. The transfer was ...e Saturday.

...usiness must be picking up on the ...L. & M. for Station Agent Allen has ...w arm chair.

...iss Mame B Nickerson attended ...physical culture class exhibition of ...Adrian College Monday evening.

...ev. N. F. Nickerson will give a ...lk talk Wednesday evening, March ...h, before the Lake Ridge Union Sun...-school.

...ittle Sena Kelly, after a few days ...at with her aunt, Mrs. James ...ght, returned to her home in Hollo... Saturday.

...am Underwood seems to bear up ...er the responsibility of being grand...her with Spartan-like courage and a ...rman's pride.

...he ladies of the Reformed church ...d a very pleasant missionary tea ...dnesday evening at the parsonage ...h Mrs. Nickerson.

...ohn Exelby was in Detroit last week. ...is return Saturday he was accom...ed by his bright little grand-daugh... Phonie, aged 5 years.

...an Britton and wife are preparing ...cupy their own home again. Before ... settle however they will visit ...r son, Morris, at Frankfort, Mich.

...he village election Monday was not ...iting, there being but one ticket ...tton now has a fine corps of officers, ... is right in line with her sister ...ns.

...oe Smith, of Dundee, came over ...nday and set up a Champion binder ... Francis Yates in the Brown store ...ch he will use for his agricultural ...plements.

...ulph Kishpaugh came home Friday. ...t took him to Clinton Sunday morn... On returning home at night he ... quite sick but is around again ...ugh not well.

...red E Morrell, who was called to ...lda county, N Y., by the death of a ...ther, was taken sick while there, ...reached home Monday morning but ... from being well

...t the Reformed church Sunday the ...ices will be: 10:30 a. m., "How to be ...ritually Healed"; 7:30 p. m., "A ...rd Picture of Saul, the Persecutor" ... S. C. E. at 6:30, led by Wm. E. ...rison.

...nvitations are out for a St. Patrick's ... party to be given at the K. O. T. M. ... March 17th by the young gentle...n. The invitations are unique and ...ty. Everything will be strictly ...h on this occasion.

...ev. C. I. Deyo has received the ...ry of Hon. Lob. B. Winsor, Grand ...ster of Michigan, F. & A. M., to ded...te the Masonic Hall at Ortonville, ...kland county, Mich., date not yet ...nitely determined.

...few days since Editor Goodrich ...t into the meat market for a roast ...ork. The butcher began to trim it ...the most approved style when the ...fasors pusher" innocently inquired if ...t was tallow. He was taken out ... draw the curtain on the scene.

RIDGEWAY.

...hina nest eggs at Ed. Smith's.

...amuel Barlow is under the doctor's ...e.

... S. Temple, of Tecumseh, was in the ...age Monday.

...ev. James Wright and John Boyd ...re in Adrian Monday, on business.

...veral from here attended the ...chers' Institute at Britton Saturday.

...rs. Louisa Arner, who was under ... doctor's care last week, is improv...

...arness Oil 90c a gallon at Ed Smith's.

...r. and Mrs. Fred L. Cook, of Lans... are spending the week with Mrs. ...k's parents.

...eorge Clark left Monday for a few ... visit with friends in Grand Rapids ... Big Rapids.

Lawrence Rappleye and Willie Fletcher visited relatives in Ypsilanti Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Wright, of Tecumseh, has spent the greater part of the week with friends in this village.

Monday and Tuesday bore the appearance of spring—showers, accompanied by thunder and lightning.

John F. Temple, who has been in poor health during the winter, is failing quite rapidly at this writing.

Ace Smith returned Monday from a few weeks' visit with his daughters at Grand Rapids and Grand Ledge.

Pure Maple Syrup 90c a gallon at Ed. Smith's.

R. S Houseman returned Friday from a two weeks' stay in Clinton and Ionia counties in the interest of the Page Wire Fence Co.

Beginning with Sunday evenig, a short series of special meetings will be held. Rev. C. W. Baldwin, of Addison, will assist the pastor, Rev. Cansfield.

Mrs. D. W. Loree and Mrs. C. C. Smith were called to Essex, Clinton county, Saturday, by the death of an infant child of their brother, John Houseman.

Cross-cut saws and axes below cost at Ed. Smith's.

Will McClimmon and wife, who were visiting relatives in Ypsilanti, were called here Monday by the critical condition of Mrs. McClimmon's father, J. F. Temple.

Mrs. Houseman and Gertrude Boyd drove over to Ypsilanti Friday. George Houseman and Lester Sherman came back with them and spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents.

Hon. H. R. Pattengill, of Lansing, the fifth on the lecture course gave his grand lecture, "Gumption with a big G," at the church Tuesday evening to a small but appreciative audience.

A change in the ringing of the bell for the morning church service will go into effect next Sunday. With the exception of the first Sunday of each month there will be no nine o'clock bell rung. The first will be tolled at 9:30, ringing at 10:00, tolling again at 10:30.

Go to Ed. Smith's for horse clippers. All kinds at low prices.

Prof. Graves and sisters, with the assistance of neighbors, arranged a tea party Friday evening in honor of their mother's 46th birthday When the hour arrived, about twenty ladies assembled and a very pleasant evening was spent. It was a success and and the surprise on Mrs. Graves was complete.

Friday a few of the young people spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Arner with their friend Lillian Dersham, who has been making it her home with Mrs. Arner for the past two and a half years, but with expects to return to her home near Lenawee junction soon. It was planned as a surprise and proved to be genuine before the hour of parting arrived.

CONE.

R. W. Ellis was a Toledo visitor Tuesday.

Quite a number here are sick with la grippe.

Miss Susie Reeves is visiting friends in Detroit this week.

Mr. Dodge, agent of Adrian college, preached here Sunday evening.

Miss Allie Rose, of West Dundee, visited friends here the first of the week.

Charles and Burton Caswell visited friends in Ann Arbor th first of the week.

Orrie Dennison has gone to Auburndale, O., where he expects to spend the summer.

Mrs. Martin Dennison is spending the week in Detroit with her husband who is at the Emergency hospital.

Leslie, a little son of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Auten, is very sick with pneumonia. He is attended by Dr. Emmet E Richardson, of Dundee

Miss Jessie Auten and Fred Rapp visited the latter's parents in Raisinville Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Carrie Rapp who will spend a few weeks with friends here.

MACON.

Miss Carrie Camburn visited Ypsilanti friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Calvin Davenport is under the doctor's care at this writing.

Joe Collins, son of Alvin Collins, of Jackson, is visiting Macon friends.

Mrs. Irwin Conklin spent the fore part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Howell, in Tecumseh,

Mrs. Baron Pennington and children visited her mother, Mrs Sarah Austin, in Tecumseh from Friday until Sunday.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening March 14th, is "The Blessedness of Missionaries." Isa. 52: 7 10. Leader, Lewis Skinner.

The ladies' aid society of the Reformed church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Morgan, Wednesday March 17th.

Miss Etta Augustus, who has been at the asylum in Kalamazoo for over a year, came home Saturday. Miss Ella Parker accompanied her.

To give you an opportunity of testing the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most reliable cure for catarrh and cold in the head, a generous 10 cent trial size can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50cts. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y City.

It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it.—B W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Gov. Leedy, of Kansas, has appointed the wife of ex-Gov. John P. St John a member of the board of regents of the state agricultural college.

$100 Reward, $100.

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James Powers, a Chicago backman, shot and killed his wife Mary. He then shot himself dying later.

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Of Tecumseh, Mich., write us on Jan'y 14, 1896, that their order of Nov. 11, 1895, consisting of 8 dozen in package and a quantity in bulk of your Syrup Pepsin is all sold. We find it one of the best sellers and gives the best satisfaction of any remedy ever sold over a counter. It is in 10, 50c and $1.00 sizes of Orr & Temple.

West Boylston, a suburb of Boston, is to be razed to make a site for a reservoir for Boston's new waterworks.

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The regular annual revolution is going on in Uruguay.

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We unhesitatingly recommend the free use of Lightning Hot Drops in all cases of sore throat. If directions are closely followed, the result must be a happy one; for Lightning Hot Drops has proven its curative energies in all diseases of throat. It is a superb remedy for asthma, bronchitis, tonsilitis, quinsy, croup, diphtheria and common sore throat. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Gov. Stephens of Missouri, has vetoed a bill requiring the execution of all murderers in the state penitentiary at Jefferson City.

Beaver Dam, O., Aug 27, '95.

My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. Today she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine. Respectfully Mrs. J. M. Bailey. Orr & Temple.

A system of free mail delivery will be in operation in Kenosha, Wis., by June 1st.

That Tired Feeling.

About which newspaper jokers write so much is with most of us, at times an actual condition and not to be laughed at. It is the result of long neglect and misuse of the stomach and bowels. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin comes in and removes this feeling and life again seems worth living. Try a 10c bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple.

A heavily-loaded barn floor gave way and fell upon Henry Noll, near Ramsey, Ills., crushing him to death.

Having used Lightning Hot Drops for rheumatism and found it an excellent remedy I can cheerfully recommend it.—Nora Woodruff, 523 First St., Louisville, Ky. For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Gen. E S. Bragg fell in a bathtub while bathing in his home at Fond du Lac, Wis., and fractured a rib

If we could trace Dyspepsia to its source, it would lead back to our kitchens In fact, the secret of good health is good cooking If well cooked, foods are partially digested; if poorly cooked, they are less digestible than in their raw state. If you are a victim of faulty cooking, that is, if you suffer from Dyspepsia, the rational cure must be looked for in an artificially digested food, and a food which will at the same time aid the digestion of other foods. Such a preparation virtually rests the tired digestive organs, thereby restoring them to their natural strength.

The Digestive Cordial, as prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, is just such a preparation, and a single 10 cent bottle will convince you of its value If your druggist doesn't keep it, he will be glad to get it through his wholesale house.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c

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Fire in the large dry goods emporium of W. A. Murray & Co. at Toronto did damage to the extent of nearly $100,000.

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As an honest remedy Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. Orr & Temple.

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If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Orr & Temple.

Erie, Pa., unionists want a board of public works established.

"That Tired Feeling"

overcomes us when inferior preparations are recommended by unscrupulous dealers as "just as good as Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup," when we know the unequalled merits of this great medicine. Orr & Temple.

The New York board of estimates has appropriated the sum of $50,000 for the transfer ceremonies of the Grant monument on April 27 next.

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A bill fixing the minimum rate of compensation for labor on public works at two dollars per day was passed by the California legislature.

Mr. J. W. Martin, a prominent citizen of Cave Hill, Ky., states: "I suffered with neuralgia for about ten years. At times I was nearly dead; could not sit, lie nor stand; my teeth came loose, and I gave up all hopes of recovery. Doctors failed to benefit me. One bottle of Lightning Hot Drops effected a complete cure, and I have never had a touch of neuralgia since." For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Some men are born tired, and others get run down by bicycles.

The pugilist may get himself arrested but it is a hard matter to shut him up.

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At a dance given at Victoria, Mex., ten persons were killed and fifteen others seriously wounded.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

ANTARCTIC ICEBERGS.

Some of Them Are Fully Two Miles Square.

The snowfall of each year adds a new stratum to this ice cap, which is as distinguishable to the eye as is the annual accretion of a forest tree, says the Ladies' Home Journal. Thus in centuries have accumulated on Antarctica these snows, which, by processes of pressure, thawing and regelation, have formed an ice cap that in places exceeds 3,000 feet in thickness. Through the action of various forces—that of contraction and expansion by changing temperature being, perhaps, the most potent—this ice cap creeps steadily seaward and projects into the ocean a perpendicular front from 1,000 to 2,000 feet in height. The temperature of the sea water being about 29 degrees, the fresh-water ice remains unwasted, and the ice-barrier plows the ocean bed until through floating in deep water disruption occurs, and the tabular berg is formed. These bergs are of a size that long taxed the belief of men, but it is now well established that bergs two miles square and 1,000 feet in thickness are not rare; others are as large as 30 miles in length and some nearly 3,000 feet in thickness, their perpendicular, sun-wasted sides rising from 200 to 400 feet above the sea.

Where Water Was Wanted.

In the "Life and Correspondence of William Connor Magee, archbishop of York," the following relative to Spanish manners may be read: "Time is the only thing that a Spaniard will waste. Money and soap and water and other things of that class he is extremely parsimonious about. Apropos of soap, I was horrified the other day at being told that a pretty young Rondaccan whose complexion I had been admiring owed this beauty to the constant use of white of eggs instead of water at her morning toilet, and I am told that this custom is very common among Spanish ladies."

Pension Agent at Detroit.

Washington, March 9.—The president nominated and the senate has confirmed Oscar A. Janes, of Michigan, to be pension agent at Detroit, Mich. The reason for the early nomination of the pension agent at Detroit was that owing to a vacancy in the office many pension payments were held up, and it was desirable that the place be filled at once.

The famous Mastral, who lived in the First century B. C., speaks of a Russian dentist, Calcellius, as "in the habit of fastening as well as extracting teeth."

INTELLECT AND NERVES.

The Strain of Mental Work Increases Nervous Disturbances.

At a recent sitting of the Academy of Medicine M. Magnan analyzed the paper of Dr. Toulouse, constituting an inquiry into the connection between intellectual superiority and neuropathy, says a Paris correspondent of the London Standard. That inquiry must, says M. Magnan, be made on the most eminent men in science, art and literature, and M. Zola was selected for the first observations. Some time ago the novelist explained in a letter made public why he lent himself willingly to the inquiry. As early as 1843, Reveille Parise, in his physiology of men occupied in intellectual work, discovered in the nervous disorders frequently noted among them the consequences of the too great activity of the brain. But subsequently Moreau, of Tours, going further, declared that a genius was but a man suffering from neurosis; and, lastly, Lombroso declared genius to be epilepsy. Those conclusions were, said M. Magnan, far from being founded on really scientific bases. Dr Toulouse, thinking that the solution of the question demanded direct observations, has proved by long and minute observations that M. Zola is neither suffering from epilepsy nor from hysteria, and that he is not a madman; but that the numerous nervous disturbances he experiences denote a certain want of equilibrium in the nervous system, such as is noted in superior degenerated persons. The intellectual strain increases the nervous disturbances inherent in their nature.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

Papa Vainly Tried to Explain It to His Inquiring Son.

"Papa," said Bobby, according to the New York Journal, "what is natural philosophy?"

"My son," began papa, as he leaned back in his chair and looked wise, "I am glad to hear you ask such sensible questions. Natural philosophy is the science of cause and reason. You see this little stick? Well, I will toss it up and there, down it comes. Now you know that it ascended in the air and dropped to the floor, but you don't know why it—"

"Did natural philosophy cause it to drop?"

"No, er—n-not exactly. It is the law of gravitation that causes all bodies to—"

"Did natural philosophy make it go up?"

"No; n-not exactly. That was force transmitted to it by my hand, and—"

"Did natural philosophy cause it to bounce when it struck the floor?"

"No, n-not exactly. That was the elasticity of the wood which—"

"Did natural philosophy cause it to make a noise when it struck the floor?"

"N-not exactly. That was the vibration of the—"

"Papa, what is natural philosophy?"

"Bobby, don't bother me with your silly questions. If I hear another word out of you I'll give you some of it with my slipper."

Such is life.

A Matter of Courtesy.

An irascible man entered the substation exactly at four o'clock and, approaching the money order desk, politely requested the presiding genius to issue him an order for $50, says the New York Advertiser. "Too late," said the damsel, curtly, pointing with an inkstained finger to the clock. The indignant man stormed, raved and finally challenged the correctness of the timepiece. The imperturbable lady smiled. The following afternoon, two minutes before the closing hour, he again presented himself, and calmly asked:

"Am I too late?"

"Only just in time," remarked the damsel, crossly.

"Thank you. Now, miss, I must trouble you to issue me 50 orders for one dollar each."

"F-i-f-t-y!" gasped the horror-stricken woman. Her tea had just arrived and was standing on a table behind the screen. "Surely you are joking?"

"Madam," said the man, raising his hat politely, "courtesy begets courtesy."

A Yale Story.

The Hartford Courant tells a story of Yale in the old days. The boys used to bribe the printers' "devils" to get proofs of the examination papers for them. When the college authorities put a stop to this practice a bright idea seized one fellow, and he saved the whole suffering party. He hired one of the printers (it was summer) to wear a pair of white trousers to the office, and at noon to sit down on the "form" in which were locked the precious questions. The inky seat of that pair of trousers sold for a deal more than the clothes were worth in their original spotlessness, and relief was secured.

The Boston Music Hall Organ.

The great music hall organ, once the pride of Boston, which has been stored in a shed for the last ten years, is to be sold. It cost more than $60,000 and weighed nearly 70 tons. It was finished on October 31, 1863, and the public was invited to hear it on November 2. An ode was written by Mrs. James T. Fields and was recited by Miss Charlotte Cushman. Although it was looked upon almost as a sacred thing and referred to as "the hope of art in future years," it was kicked out in 1884 because more room for the permanent orchestra was needed.

Her Faith Gone.

The London Telegraph tells a story about a young curate of evangelical views, who recently committed the indiscretion of smoking in the street. A woman, one of his parishioners, who saw him, was so shocked that she immediately renounced her belief in the thirty-nine articles.

Glass Water Pipes.

Some of the towns of Germany have their water pipes made of glass, protected with an asphalt covering to prevent fracture.

Experience of a Novice with the First Salmon.

One's first salmon is an event. I got mine all alone, says a writer in Scribner's Magazine. It was on the Dunga...rven, on my way into the more remote interior. In a clear pool we could see the green backs of the fish, big and little, but they were not after our flies. The others went up the stream a considerable distance and I remained by the pool. It needs two men to land a salmon. Presently I began idly casting, just to try my new 18-foot rod, and the first thing I knew a fish was hooked. He galloped around that pool, jumping out, darting back and forth, and I waded right in. After awhile I got him pretty tired.

I had no landing net or gaff, but there was a smooth gravel bar 40 rods below. Then I towed the unfortunate fish down there, got him headed for shore and ran straight back on the bar. Out he came, flopping somersaults on the gravel. The gut leader broke, but I threw myself on top of that salmon and clasped my arms around him. He was slippery and strong and I could not hold him. Finally I got my fingers in his gills, reached for a stone and gave him three or four merciless whacks over the head. Then I had him. I was a sight to behold, wet and bespattered with mud and slime, but I was too proud as well as too nearly out of breath for words.

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LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP.

Interesting Letter from Our Lansing Correspondent.

LITTLE PROGRESS IN LAWMAKING.

Public Business Neglected Towards the End of the Week—Speaker Gordon on the Absentees—Investigation of the Pardon of Convict Wixom—Taxation of Telephone Companies—Amendments to the State Constitution.

Lansing, March 9.—It looks as if nothing of any particular account is to escape investigation at the hands of the present legislature. Already special committees have been appointed to investigate the railroads, the management of the soldiers' home, the manner in which David Wixom, the soap-eating convict, obtained his pardon, the merits of numerous voting machines, and plans for improving the acoustic properties and lighting of Representative hall. None of these committees have thus far done any considerable work, and as investigations always take much time, aside from delaying business because of the absence of the members composing them, it makes a taxpayer shudder when he contemplates the probable length of the session. It is an open secret that in spite of the constant efforts on the part of the presiding officers to push business, very little progress has thus far been made, although the legislature has been in session sixty days. In conversation with Speaker Gordon the other day he deplored the fact that there is invariably but a bare quorum present at Friday sessions. He said that the only way to remedy this evil is for the house to refuse requests for leave of absence, and it is not improbable that this may be resorted to. He admitted that the situation toward the latter part of the week under existing circumstances is that forty men neglect the public business that they may look after their private business, while sixty men neglect their private business in order that they may perform the duties for which they were elected.

Thorough Investigation.

There are those who believe that the investigation of the pardoning of Convict Wixom will develope some sensational details which will not be particularly to the credit of some persons who have been much in the public eye in the state of late. The fact Governor Pingree was given to understand that the pardon was urged by the prison physician on the ground that Wixom had but a few days to live, whereas that official as well as Warden Chamberlain, knowing of the application until after the pardon was received at the prison is pretty conclusive proof that the governor was sorely deceived by whoever laid the alleged facts before him.

The committee proposes to get to the bottom of the matter and place the blame where it belongs. Although there was a rumor no money in the deal, the fact remains that Wixom made Count Wixom, although he negotiated, believe that there was $2,000 in it for him. The committee purposes to learn if possible, if Wixom secured services of others by promising to divide with them.

At a secret meeting of the Farmers' club of the legislature, an organization which numbers nearly fifty legislators who are farmers in its membership, the subject of the taxation of telephone companies was briefly discussed. Representative Atkinson stated that the supreme court of the United States had just sustained the Ohio law providing for the taxation of these companies, and that he would procure a copy of the opinion of the court and see what could be done in this regard in Michigan. The impression has obtained from this circumstance, and has become general, that the property of telephone companies is not taxed in Michigan. The fact is, however, that Act No. 168, of the public acts of 1881, covers this matter most effectually. It provides that the officers of telephone companies shall annually make a sworn statement covering all their property of every name and nature, and constitutes the auditor general, land commissioner and state treasurer a special board to assess such property. The rate of taxation is the average rate of state and county taxation in the state, so that those companies pay as much as any individual property owner. Last year the Michigan Telephone company paid the state taxes aggregating $25,573.66. This will probably be news to many legislators who evidently are not posted on the subject, as well as to a greater portion of the citizens of the state.

Poor Comfort for Kerr.

Ex-Representative James Kerr of the Second Saginaw district, whose seat was last week declared vacant by a strict party vote, probably can now fully appreciate the feelings of the dead man whose erstwhile friends meet together and pass resolutions of condolence. After having fired him out on his head, the majority of the house very graciously gave him a certificate of character by adopting resolutions declaring him a good fellow and that he was not responsible for any of the frauds and irregularities alleged to have been committed at the election. Some people hereabouts believe that it would have been much more neatly for the majority to have come out boldly and declared that either Kerr or Baird was elected, instead of splitting the difference and holding that neither received a majority of the vote cast, thus depriving the district of representation until after the special election to be held April 5. Many believe, too, that the giving of $225 to Baird, the contestant, may prove to be an incentive for defeated candidates to hereafter make contests simply for the purpose of securing a rake-off from the legislature.

There has been some fault found with the senate joint resolution providing that when amendments to the constitution are presented to the people for their ratification or rejection they be printed under each ticket on the official ballot, and that if an elector places a cross in the space over his party ticket it shall count a vote in favor of the proposed amendment unless he otherwise designates in the space provided for that purpose opposite the statement of the amendment.

Alleged Scheme to Get Votes.

Some senators charged when the matter was up for discussion the other day that it was a scheme to get votes for the amendment to increase the salary of the attorney general to be submitted this spring. Be that as it may, the proposition in the abstract is a good one. There is no reason why each elector should not vote for or against these proposed amendments as well as for or against any candidate on the ballot. No one complains because it is provided that if a person makes a cross above his party ticket and does not designate otherwise, it shall be considered a vote for every candidate on that ticket. The fact is that, with very few exceptions, there has never been secured anything like a fair expression of the opinion of the electors of the state on any constitutional amendment thus far submitted in the history of the state, but a small proportion of the electors voting either for or against the proposition. It is but a very short time ago that a proposition for a general revision of the constitution was submitted. It carried by several thousand majority, but no revision was ever made, for the reason that the state officials refused to take any action in the premises in view of the fact that not to exceed one-twentieth of the electors who voted for governor at that election voted on the question of revision. A reform in this regard should be aided rather than hindered.

Kimmis Bill Agreed To.

The Kimmis bill providing for the payment of salaries to all county officers and requiring them to cover all fees received into the county treasury has been agreed to by the house committee and bids fair to become a law. There is more in the bill than has been generally understood. Under the present system county officers have a habit of paving the way to a renomination or other political honors by graciously performing the work required by the statute in the way of issuing certificates, etc., and remitting the fees, thus placing their constituents under obligations to them. The bill makes it mandatory that these officials shall collect each and every fee named in the statute and pay the full amount into the county treasury. Representative Kimmis, who introduced the bill, made the statement when the measure was being considered in committee meeting that, notwithstanding the growing cust of remitting fees, there is still a large sum collected annually, and that if county officials are required to collect and pay over all fees mentioned in the various laws, the revenue will come very near paying all county expenses. This is one of the laws demanded by both the State Association of Farmers' clubs and the State Grange at their annual meetings here last December. The farmers throughout the state have sent in hundreds of petitions for the passage of the bill. The introducer says that it is simply an issue between the county officials and the people, and the legislators will have to decide whose support they prefer.

Clearance Sale of Lands.

One of the important bills pending provides for an annual clearance sale of lands returned delinquent for taxes. A similar bill passed both houses of the legislature two years ago, but it was vetoed by Governor Rich who, without doubt, did an excellent job for the state when he withheld from it his approval. A law of this nature was in vogue for some years previous to 1895, when the present general tax law was enacted, and under it the large property owners, especially the owners of vast tracts of timber lands, made a practice of permitting their property to be returned for taxes, and would then wait patiently for the clearance sale when they would bid them in for an average of about 5 per cent of the amount of the tax—a very good investment for them, but a trifle hard on the balance of the taxpayers who paid their taxes promptly. How such a bill came to pass is a mystery inasmuch as it could not possibly benefit the state, but on the contrary, a positive menace to it. In his report issued last week ex-Auditor General Turner, after commending Governor Rich for his veto, says: "Under the general tax law of 1895 more than $105,000 of back taxes have been collected during the past year, while only $61,000 was realized from seven previous annual clearance sales held by the state. As soon as it is understood that, after a term of years, lands returned to the state delinquent for taxes cannot be bid off at a clearance sale at from 1 to 5 cents a description, land owners will be more prompt about paying their taxes, because they will know that the legislature will grant no such unreasonable relief. Such measures are suicidal state policy, and unjust to the prompt taxpayers. All should pay their just proportion of the necessary revenue, and no law should be passed that unduly favors the delinquents. The policy of the law should be justice to all and special privileges to none. Although the heavy land owners are putting up the fight for the clearance sale bill, there is small reason to believe that they will be successful."

Medical Registration Bill.

The medical registration bill, which Governor Rich also vetoed two years ago, and over which the doctors of the state have been quarreling for some months, having had a fierce encounter over it in the senate chamber at a committee meeting a couple of weeks ago, has been considered by the committee. The result is that a substitute has been reported by the committee. The substitute provides for the appointment by the governor of a board of examiners to consist of six members, four to constitute a quorum, and not more than three to be members of the same school of medicine. The board is to be non-sectarian. In all other respects the bill is the same as the one prepared by the medical league, save that it permits both three year courses of study of eight months each, and four year courses of six months each, instead of the latter only.

After considerable discussion the house, in committee of the whole, has agreed to Representative Lusk's municipal home rule bill. This measure provides that before municipal charter bills are considered by the legislature they must be brought to the attention of the people of the interested municipality by the mayors thereof, and a public hearing had on the proposed amendments or revision. The common council of the city is to pass upon the proposed legislation, and its action certified to the legislature. It is urged that such a law would not only lessen the work of the legislature, but also make municipalities more directly responsible for their own management and regulation.

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E. J. WHELAN.

IN EXTRA SESSION.

The Fifty-Fifth Congress Meets in Washington.

Thomas B. Reed Is Again Honored by Election as the Presiding Officer —Vice President Hobart Convenes the Senate.

Washington, March 16.—The senate met in special session at noon yesterday in compliance with the order of President McKinley. Vice President Hobart presided and business was confined to the reading of the president's

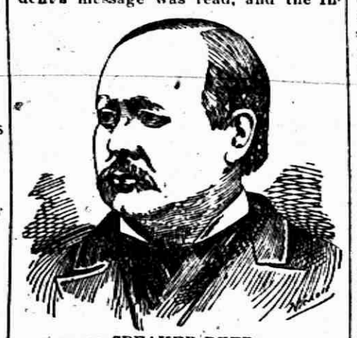
VICE PRESIDENT HOBART PRESIDING.

message and the seating of the new senator from Kansas, Mr. Harris.

Washington, March 17.—In the senate yesterday one pension bill was passed and 438 bills, public and private, were introduced and referred. There was hardly one of them which had not been on the calendar or on committee files in the last congress. The first bill introduced was by Senator Elkins (rep., W. Va.) and provides for a discriminating duty of ten per cent. on all goods imported into this country in vessels other than those of the United States. It also provides for the same duty on the importation of such goods by land means of transportation.

The House.

Washington, March 16.—The clerk, Maj. McDowell, of Pennsylvania, called the house to order at noon yesterday. After the roll had been called nominations were made for speaker. The result was the reelection of Thomas B. Reed (rep., Me.), who had as his opponent Joseph W. Bailey (dem., Tex.). The organization was completed by the election of the remainder of the officers who officiated in the preceding congress. Speaker Reed appointed the ways and means committee, a complete tariff bill was introduced, the president's message was read, and the Indian, sundry, civil, deficiency and agricultural appropriation bills, which failed to receive President Cleveland's signature, were reintroduced and referred to the proper committee. The ways and means committee secured leave to sit during the sessions of the house, after which, at four o'clock, the house, on Mr. Dingley's motion, adjourned until Thursday.



SPEAKER REED.

The membership of the house consists of 206 republicans, 122 democrats and 29 fusion silver and populist representatives. The percentage of new members is unusually large. There are 148 new men. Of these 132 have never served in congress before.

No Insurance for Suicides.

Washington, March 17.—In the equity court, involving the question whether the heirs of a suicide could collect his insurance from the Knights Templar and Masons Indemnity company, of Chicago, Judge McComas decided in favor of the company. The case in which the decision was rendered was that of the estate of Frank Schwartz, who was insured for $5,000 in the company named.

Blew Up a Train.

New York, March 17.—A Havana special to the World says that a train carrying Spanish troops was blown up by dynamite while passing over a deep gorge south of Candelaria, Pinar del Rio province, and that nearly 250 soldiers were killed or injured. The locomotive and six cars were demolished.

Have Power to Tax.

Washington, March 16.—The United States supreme court says that states have power to tax the franchises of corporations, such as express, telegraph and railroad companies.

Columbus, O., March 15.—A Toledo & Ohio Central engine Saturday, near Marysville, struck and killed Miss Laura Andrews and Mrs. O. W. Wells while they were riding in a buggy.

HOPEFUL FEATURES.

But Lasting Improvement in Trade Comes Slowly.

New York, March 13.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"It is a curious illustration of human nature, this continued discouragement even while the increase of productive industries and of legitimate business steadily grows. No genuine or lasting improvement could come otherwise than slowly and step by step, after such a depression as the past four years have witnessed, and the most hopeful feature of the situation is that the gain is so nearly devoid of elements which involve unsoundness and probable reaction. The money markets continue especially favorable to industrial recovery, and there is no such speculative epidemic as to lock up an excessive share of available capital.

"The volume of business shown by clearings is but 1.8 per cent. smaller than last year. Failures for the past week have been 256 in the United States, against 300 last year, and 61 in Canada, against 60 last year."

WILL NOT YIELD.

Greece Shows No Disposition to Give Up to the Powers.

Athens, March 17.—A prolonged meeting of the cabinet was held Tuesday. The ministers discussed at great length the attitude to be taken in the event of the powers attempting to coerce Greece into compliance with their demands. It is stated that no disposition was shown to accede to the demands, and that it was finally decided to take active measures as the only possible solution of the difficulty. It is thought that by active measures it meant a declaration of war against Turkey, which in its effect would be to give the right to Greece to maintain her army in Crete and deprive the powers of any right of interference.

A SAD STORY.

Successive Death of Her Children Causes a Mother's Suicide.

Cleveland, O., March 15.—Mrs. J. St. Clair Bradford, of 75 Vienna street, in the fashionable East end, was found in a dying condition Sunday morning, and she admitted that she had swallowed a dose of laudanum and aconite. Everything possible was done to save her life, but she died in a few minutes. Mrs. Bradford, who was 29 years old, suffered from melancholy because of the death of her three children, one after the other. Her mother lived with her after the last child died, and Saturday she was compelled to leave her daughter. This preyed upon her mind so that suicide followed.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Sad Fate of a Young Lady in Chicago —Residence Partly Destroyed.

Chicago, March 16.—Fire Monday night almost destroyed the residence of William Spiers at 3643 Vernon avenue. Barbara Newman and Rose Mayfield, nieces of Mr. Spiers were sleeping in a bedroom on the second floor. Miss Newman was burned to death but her cousin escaped by leaping from the window to the stone sidewalk. She is so badly injured that it is feared she may die. The fire started in the second story of the residence and it is supposed Miss Newman had perished before the firemen arrived.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS.

An Army of Flood Refugees Being Cared For at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., March 17.—Nearly 2,000 homeless and half-starved persons rescued from the overflowed districts of eastern Arkansas are being cared for in this city. Steamers from above brought tidings of desolation and distress all along the river for 100 miles or more. The latter's officers declared that there were certainly hundreds of people for whom there was no prospect of relief. Every piece of ground along the river above water was crowded with people and live stock.

WAS A LAND KING.

William Drury, Owner of Hundreds of Thousands of Acres, Dies.

Keithsburg, Ill., March 15.—William Drury, known as the millionaire land owner, died at his country place north of this city Saturday night. He was the largest individual land owner in this country, having hundreds of thousands of acres in Colorado, Nebraska, Texas and Kansas, besides 6,000 acres of the richest farming land in this county. Mr. Drury was 87 years old and came to this country in 1831. His investments were made in farm land alone, and he added every year to his possessions.

A Destructive Fire.

Elkins, W. Va., March 15.—A devastating fire broke out here Sunday and before its progress could be checked it had destroyed 12 stores, the opera house, a hotel, barber shop, several law offices, a printing office and three dwellings. Several families lived in the apartments above the stores and lost their goods. The loss is heavy, but cannot now be estimated. It was the most destructive fire that ever occurred here.

Another American Freed.

Washington, March 15. — The state department is informed that Frank J. Larrieu, a native of Cuba, but a naturalized American citizen, who was arrested at Cardenas May 15, 1896, upon charges that were not made known, has been set free.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 13. — In a sparring match between Privates O'Shay and Gollie, of the Eighth United States infantry, Gollie was struck a blow that killed him instantly.

Lexington, Ky., March 16.—Seven tollgates were destroyed in Mercer county Sunday night. One house was burned, another fired and the keeper badly shot.

HIS FIRST MESSAGE.

President McKinley Refers to the Deficit Exclusively.

He Urges the Enactment of a Tariff Bill to Increase the Revenue—Declare This the Imperative Demand of the Hour.

Washington, March 16.—The president Monday sent the following message to congress:

"To the Congress of the United States:

"Regretting the necessity which has required me to call you together, I feel that your assembling in extraordinary session is indispensable because of the condition in which we find the revenues of the government. It is conceded that its current expenditures are greater than its receipts, and that such a condition has existed for now more than three years. With unlimited means at our command, we are presenting the remarkable spectacle of increasing our public debt by borrowing money to meet the ordinary outlays incident upon even an economical and prudent administration of the government. An examination of the subject discloses this fact in every detail and leads inevitably to the conclusion that the condition of the revenue which allows it is unjustifiable and should be corrected.

"We find by the reports of the secretary of the treasury that the revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892, from all sources, were $425,868,260.22, and the expenditures for all purposes were $415,953,806.56, leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of $9,914,453.66. During that fiscal year $40,570,467.98 were paid upon the public debt, which had been reduced since March 1, 1889, $259,076,880, and the annual interest charge decreased $11,634,576 60. The receipts of the government from all sources during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, amounted to $461,716,661.94, and its expenditures to $459,374,857.65, showing an excess of receipts over expenditures of $2,341,674.29.

"Since that time the receipts of no fiscal year, and with but few exceptions of no month of any fiscal year, have exceeded the expenditures. The receipts of the government, from all sources, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, were $372,502,468.29, and its expenditures $442,605,758.87, leaving a deficit, the first since the resumption of specie payments, of $69,803,240.53. Notwithstanding there was a decrease of $16,769,128.78 in the ordinary expenses of the government, as compared with the previous fiscal year, its income was still not sufficient to provide for its daily necessities, and the gold reserve in the treasury for the redemption of greenbacks was drawn upon to meet them. But this did not suffice, and the government then resorted to loans to replenish the reserve.

"In February, 1894, $50,000,000 in bonds were issued, and in November following a second issue of $50,000,000 was deemed necessary. The sum of $117,171,795 was realized by the sale of these bonds, but the reserve was steadily decreased until, on February 8, 1895, a third sale of $62,315,400 in bonds for $65,116,244 was announced to congress.

The Yearly Deficits.

"The receipts of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, were $390,373,203.30, and the expenditures $433,178,426.43, showing a deficit of $42,805,223.13. A further loan of $100,000,000 was negotiated by the government in February, 1896, the sale netting $111,166,240, and swelling the aggregate of bonds issued within three years to $262,315,400. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, the revenues of the government from all sources amounted to $409,475,408.78, while its expenditures were $434,678,554.48, or an excess of expenditures over receipts of $25,203,145.70. In other words, the total receipts for the three fiscal years ending June 30, 1896, were insufficient by $137,811,729.46 to meet the total expenditures.

"Nor has this condition since improved. For the first half of the present fiscal year the receipts of the government, exclusive of postal revenues, were $157,507,603.76, and its expenditures, exclusive of postal service, $195,410,000.22, or an excess of expenditures over receipts of $37,902,396.46. In January of this year the receipts exclusive of postal revenues were $24,316,994.05, and the expenditures exclusive of postal service $30,269,389.29, a deficit of $5,952,395.24 for the month.

The Total Deficit.

In February of this year the receipts, exclusive of postal revenue, were $24,400,997.38, and expenditures exclusive of postal service $25,796,056.66, a deficit of $1,395,059.28; or a total deficiency of $186,061,580.44 for the three years and eight months ending March 1, 1897. Not only are we without a surplus in the treasury, but with an increase in the public debt there has been a corresponding increase in the annual interest charge from $22,383,383.20 in 1892, the lowest of any year since 1862, to $34,387,287.60 in 1896, or an increase of $11,493,414.40.

"It may be urged that even if the revenues of the government had been sufficient to meet all its ordinary expenses during the past three years, the gold reserve would still have been insufficient to meet the demands upon it, and that bonds would necessarily have been issued for its repletion. Be this as it may, it is clearly manifest, without denying or affirming the correctness of such a conclusion, that the debt would have been decreased in at least the amount of the deficiency, and business confidence immeasurably strengthened throughout the country.

Should Be Promptly Corrected.

"Congress should promptly correct the existing condition. Ample revenues must be supplied not only for the ordinary expenses of the government, but for the prompt payment of liberal pensions and the liquidation of the principal and interest of the public debt. In raising revenues duties should be so levied upon foreign products as to preserve the home market, so far as possible, to our own producers; to revive and increase manufactures; to relieve and encourage agriculture; to increase our domestic and foreign commerce; to aid and develop mining and building, and to render to labor in every field of useful occupation the liberal wages and adequate rewards to which skill and industry are justly entitled. The necessity of the passage of a tariff law which shall provide ample revenue need not be further urged. The imperative demand of the hour is the prompt enactment of such a measure, and to this object I earnestly recommend that congress shall make every endeavor. Before other business is transacted, let us first provide sufficient revenue to faithfully administer the government without the contracting of further debt, or the continued disturbance of our finances. (Signed)

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

Executive Mansion, March 15, 1897.

Legislators Sworn In.

Frankfort, Ky., March 17. — The five new state senators, four republicans and one democrat, were sworn in Tuesday morning. The Blackburn senators attempted to refer the credentials, but they were outvoted. This means that the republicans will certainly be able to elect a United States senator at this session.

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CLINTON.

C. S. Burroughs returned to Detroit Monday

Miss Minnie McAdam spent Saturday at home.

George Burroughs, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Ralph Kishpaugh spent Sunday with Manchester friends.

Miss Alice Perry has been home from Chicago for the past few days.

Miss Isabel Davis went to Detroit Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Fred Kroenig spent Wednesday and Thursday in Toledo, visiting friends.

Patrick and Frank Agen, of Cambridge, spent Sunday at James Kehoe's

Eugene Fowler and family are moving back to his farm near Saline this week.

Miss Eva Shimman left Monday morning for Toledo, where she expects to locate.

Clarence Hause and Lavern Yates, of Britton, visited Clinton friends over Sunday.

Mrs N F Allen was taken seriously ill last Friday but is improving at this writing.

John Cotton, of Macon, spent the latter part of last week with Clinton friends.

D. W. Love, superintendent of the county farm at Adrian, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Cora Nase went to Palmyra Wednesday to visit her sister and brothers.

Miss Tessie Sullivan and Fred Koernig spent St. Patrick's day with friends in Toledo.

C F Field came up Monday evening to attend the first meeting of the University Club.

G. R. Wolf and wife were made happy Monday by the advent of a little son into their home.

Mrs. E A Clark returned from Detroit Friday night with a full line of millinery goods.

Mrs. P. Kishpaugh went to Dundee Monday for a few days' visit with her mother and sister.

Miss Ella Tuttle spent Saturday and Sunday in Tecumseh with her friend Miss Mabel Clements.

Miss Belle Gordanier, of Manchester, has been the guest of Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh since Wednesday.

The first meeting of the University Club was held Monday evening at the home of Miss Alice Halladay.

Whitney Watkins, of Manchester, spent Monday and Tuesday with his cousin, Mrs. Alex Kennedy.

Mrs. Benj Feldcamp returned Monday from a short visit with her brother, Clinton B Fisk, at Jackson.

Miss Kathleen Hogan went to Toledo Tuesday afternoon to spend a week with her friend Miss Mame Brown.

Mrs J. S. Clark and daughter, Miss Laura, spent Wednesday with Mrs. C's sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook, at Tecumseh.

Miss Tessie Sullivan went to Toledo Wednesday morning to visit her friend Miss Minnie Humphrey for a few days.

Mrs. John Hause has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Bradley of Battle Creek, since Thursday of last week.

Miss M. A. Tompkins, who has been visiting friends in Clinton and vicinity for the past few weeks, left Thursday for Napoleon.

A public meeting of anti-saloon league was held Wednesday evening at the M. E church, for the purpose of getting new members.

W. H Sweet and family have moved onto the Halladay farm just north of town, which was recently vacated by J. F. Rentschler.

E. M. Collier and Sam McClure were up from Tecumseh Monday to remove the piano from the hall over Sherwood & Foster's store.

Tate & Stoner made another shipment of cattle and hogs Monday, two decks of each. Charles Stoner went to Buffalo with them.

Mr. Neable and family moved into Fred Allen's tenant house the latter part of last week. He expects to help Fred this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wolf had the misfortune to lose their baby. It died Wednesday morning and was taken to Deerefild for burial.

A number of our young people attended the literary held at Mr. Halladay's, about two miles west of town. An enjoyable evening was reported.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from Friday morning until Monday.

Rev. P. J. Ternes, of Marine City, spent a few hours with Clinton friends, arriving Tuesday night and remaining until the ten o'clock Tuesday.

George Cannon, who has been working for Fred Allen for the past three years, left Tuesday morning for Mississippi, where he expects to locate.

Frank Shafer talks of building a house on Tyrrell street this spring, on a lot recently purchased of C. F. Clark. This looks rather suspicious, Frank.

Next Sunday at three o'clock Mr. Blachford gives a sermon to young men alone, in St. John's church. All the unmarried men of the village are invited.

Mrs. Milton Lutz and child arrived Saturday from Jackson and joined her husband, who had their home partially in readiness for living. They occupy one of the Price houses on W. Church street.

Monday evening March 15th, the subject of "Egyptian History" was discussed at "The University Association Center." "The Classification of the Races" was taken up by Prof. F. E. Wilcox, who, with the aid of a map, gave a very valuable talk; "Physical Features of Egypt," by Clare Kimball; "Pyramids" by Lottie Blanchard; "Religion of the Egyptians," by C. F. Field; "The Rosetta Stone," by A. C. Huntington; "Ruins of Thebes," by Fred VanDeMark. The discussions were interesting and profitable and the meeting was well attended. The next meeting will be at the home of Nellie Kishpaugh Monday evening March 30th.

EAST FRANKLIN

The mercury reached sixty degrees Tuesday.

Most of the farmers have their sugar bushes tapped and have begun boiling.

The rain has descended, the floods have come, and the roads are submerged.

Ed Pawson, of Evans Lake, called on his mother, Mrs. Mary Pawson, Tuesday evening.

The ladies of the Tipton L. O. T. M. gave a program at their hall Saturday evening after which refreshments were served.

The T. and F. Farmers' club held a pleasant meeting at the home of Albert Haire, last Friday evening. It was rather a bad night but a good number were present and a good program was given.

Mrs. Bunting and Miss Melissa Pawson went to Cambridge Monday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Potter. The deceased sister, Mrs. Robinson, was burried two weeks ago Thursday.

Word has been received from Mrs Lottie Hunt, who went to Iowa a couple of weeks ago, that her father is very sick with little hope of recovery. Her sister died a couple of weeks before she went out there.

FRANKLIN.

Jesse Deming has put a coat of Portland cement on his sap cistern.

Andrew Hunter, formerly a widely known respected citizen of Franklin, was buried at Tipton Monday.

Last Friday morning the house occupied by Al. Morseman and family was burned to the ground. The fire originated in the upper story and nothing was saved from that part of the house or from the cellar, though most of the things on the ground floor were saved. Mr. Updyke was buzzing wood at the house at the time, and while it would seem that the engine was the cause of the fire, there are circumstances which make it appear doubtful if it was so. The upper inside of the house was all on fire when only a small spot appeared on the outside. The family lost many valuable things including a silk dress and other clothing and have the sympathy of all. The house was an old land mark having been built many years ago.

March, April, May.

Almost every one has come to believe that March, April and May is a season that brings derangements of the body dependent on blood impurities. This belief is an old one, is nearly universal, and has arisen, not as the result of the teachings of the medical fraternity, but has been learned in the bitter school of experience. Depression of the nervous system at the approach of spring is a fertile source of blood impurities,—general lassitude, dull, heavy sensations, continual tired feelings, with irregular appetite, and sometimes loss of sleep.

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HEARD IN WASHINGTON.

Good Stories Told by Statesmen and Newspaper Men.

Ex-Senator Blair Tells How a Philadelphia Spinster Outwitted Some Cruel Children—The Philosopher and a Bird Peddler.

(Special Washington Letter.)

Ex-Senator Blair, of New Hampshire, says that when he was a boy the New England farmers raised all their own wheat and had their flour ground at home mills, but that now agriculture is a reminiscence in that section of the republic.

"New England is the national health resort," said he. "Our people in the hill country are preserving the forests, beautifying their homes, and making every prospect pleasing to the summer visitors, for they pay good prices for their entertainment.

"The incidents of a summer in the mountains would fill many a large readable volume, if the city folks would go there would tell their experiences. For example, at a summer boarding house up Lake Winnipissaugee, an old maid from Philadelphia located herself and her three cats for the season. The children in the house, from the youngest to the oldest, led the cats such a dance that the felines were justified in wishing, during their waking moments, that they were dead.

"It had kept the old lady on the jump to keep her cats out of the children's hands during the day, and to protect them at night they had to be locked up in her room. Thus stood affairs until the old lady happened to think of a scheme whereby her own and her pets' troubles would be ended. She organized a juvenile society for the prevention of cruelty to animals.

"It was a thought that entered her head at one o'clock in the morning as she lay awake trying to devise a method to relieve the cats of trouble. The next morning every child in the boarding house was corralled in the old lady's room, and then she instilled into the young hearts love for everything that walked, flew or crawled, including babies.

"The children, little comprehending, the sport they were sacrificing, or the deep motives of the old lady, all took a pledge to live up to her teachings, and not only this, but to get every new boarder's children to join the society, too. For fear the novelty would wear off and the children would forget their pledge, the old lady sent to the city and obtained badges for the children to wear.

"The result was that all the children in the house strutted about like miniature policeman, the cats recovered their composure, besides patches of new fur, and the old lady could do her knitting without fear of being disturbed to rescue her pets from all but sudden death."

Sandy Pinn, the New York reporter who has long been such an intimate personal friend of George Francis Train, says that early one morning a tall lank fellow walked across Madison square greeting everybody with the query: "Want to buy a mocking bird?" He carried a flat, pasteboard box about eight inches square in his hand. Inside fluttered a bird, which apparently did not relish its confinement at all. Small holes punctured in the sides of this improvised cage gave the songster a chance to breathe. George Francis Train was occupying his usual bench. As the vender approached he asked him to let him view the mocking bird. "How much do you want for him?" inquired the philosopher. "It's worth one dollar," said the man, to whom it would appear such a sum was something as large as the side of a house. "Can he fly?" queried the philosopher. The man

THE BIRD FLEW OUT LIKE A SHOT.

nodded his head. "My little boy ketched him in a trap," he said. "Will your little boy get the dollar?" went on Mr. Train. "His mother will," answered the man. "Well," returned George Francis, "if this bird had been in 75 jails, the way I have, he will appreciate getting out;" and, fishing one dollar out of his white coat pocket, the sage handed it to the man. Then, untying the string, he lifted the cover off the box. There was a whirr as the bird flew out like a shot. The vender, who didn't appear to be a particularly industrious soul, looked at Train with an expression of distrust. "You're a chump," he said. "You're another," returned the citizen. "Why don't you go to work instead of peddling your little boy's pets?" The man muttered something and slunk off, as the bird, evidently weary with his cramped wings, sat on a neighboring branch and began to make his toilet, meanwhile thanking his liberator in a chirp or two. "That give me more real pleasure than a pint of peanuts," said Mr. Train, and the mocking bird doubtless thought the same.

"Old Hoss" Hoey, whose name is familiar to city theater-goers, tells a good story about the absent-mindedness of people who go to the ticket office to secure their seats. Without naming the city in which the incident occurred, he says that there was a long line of people in front of the ticket office, and the young man inside, whose name was Sheehan, was handling tickets and money like hot cakes, when up came a perspiring young man who presented a "lithograph pass" for two. It was duly punched by Mr. Sheehan, who handed it back along with two seat checks. The perspiring young man seized the checks, leaving his "lithograph pass" on the ledge in front of the window. He was evidently greatly flustered and in a hurry to get back to his girl, who was impatiently awaiting him. Mr. Sheehan called him back and directed his attention to the pass. "You cannot get by the door without

"AY GASS ET EES TWO HORSES ON ME."

that, my friend," he said, and the young man blushed profusely and took the cardboard with a muttered apology.

This proceeding had evidently greatly amused a flaxen-haired little man, no doubt a native of Sweden, who had been patiently waiting to buy two seats. He laughed all over at the other's confusion, and then planked down two silver dollars with the air of a veteran theater-goer.

"Ay gass Ay haf 'bout two saanty-fave sant seats," he said, shoving his silver toward Mr. Sheehan, and as the young treasurer deftly selected the pasteboards and handed them out to him, together with 50 cents in change, he said:

"Ay bate you haf many of dose foolish fellers come hare."

And as Sheehan smiled and nodded assent the jovial little gentleman from Sweden picked up his 50 cents and passed on, leaving his two "saanty-fave sant seats" on the exact spot where the "foolish faller" had left his "lithograph pass" not a moment before. Sheehan called him back and merely pointed at the tickets, and the little Swede simply picked them up and said:

"Ay gaas et ees two horses on me."

Jolly Tim Campbell, of New York, one of the best congressmen ever sent here by Tammany, albeit Tim is a little short on education, always likes to tell stories illustrating the superiority of the Irishman, in every particular. His noddle is full of stories concerning Emmet, Shamus O'Brien, Parnell and the other heroes of the race of peculiar people who dwell on the Emerald Isle, when they are not fighting the battles of England, or filling the ranks of the American police force. He told one to-day concerning O'Connell, and it is a good one, too.

It seems that the London Times once declared that it would never allow the great Irish agitator's name to appear in its columns. When O'Connell next arose to speak in parliament the Times reporters threw down their pencils and, leaning back in their chairs, assumed the role of spectators. A friend of O'Connell, feeling the slight, called the speaker's attention to the rule that "strangers" must be expelled from the gallery, and as the Times men were not at work they were instantly conducted out. The next day the Times had no report of parliament and received hundreds of letters asking an explanation. Soon after "Bull Run" Russell called on Mr. O'Connell on behalf of the Times, and, deprecating past ill-feeling, said The Thunderer would like to report his speech next day. Mr. O'Connell received Mr. Russell with much courtesy and invited him to ride in his carriage to the scene where the enthusiastic Irish were to gather. A good chair and table were prepared for Mr. Russell, who was dumfounded, however, when Mr. O'Connell, with a satirical smile, began his remarks in Celtic and continued to use that eloquent but to Russell unknown tongue all through a masterly oration, which the spectators, who did understand it, said the great Celt had never surpassed.

SMITH D. FRY.

Costs Nothing to Die.

There is at least one country in the world where it costs nothing to die. In some of the cantons of Switzerland all the dead, rich as well as poor, are buried at the public expense. Coffins and all other necessary articles are furnished on application to certain undertakers designated by the government. Everything connected with the interment is absolutely gratuitous.

The Eddystone Lighthouse.

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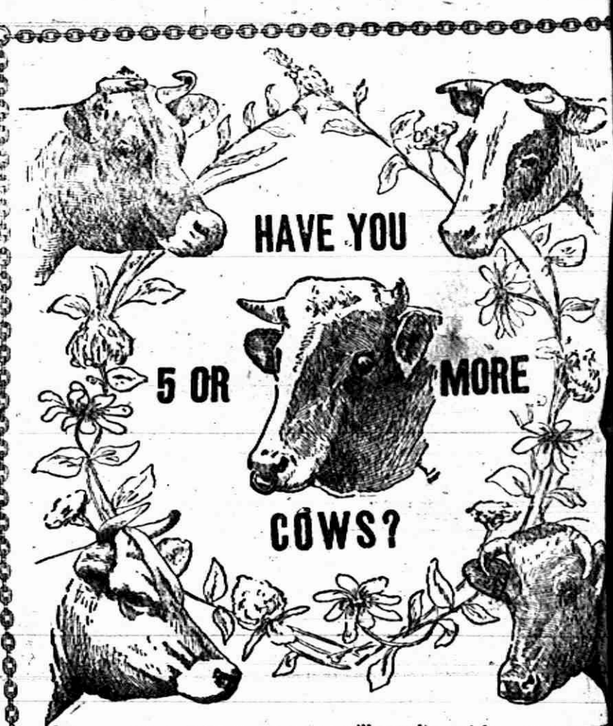

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...as been vacation in the schools ...s week.

...rs. Friedenstein is numbered among ...e sick this week.

...Andrew Gogline made a business trip ...Toledo Tuesday.

...M. Lewis, a Tecumseh lumberman, ...s on our streets Monday.

...Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wells were guests ...Ridgeway friends Monday.

...Weisinger & Munger, of Deerfield, ...de a business call here Monday.

...another wedding among the popular ...ng people here in the near future.

...The meetings still continue at the ...istian church with increasing inter-

...Mrs. W. J. Clark, who has been ill ... the past week, is able to be out ...in.

...Mr. and Mrs. Chas. DuBois are spend... the week among their Hillsdale ...nds.

...Uncle Henry Reynolds left yesterday ...a visit with friends in Oakland ...ty.

...Arthur W. Curtiss has rented the Chet ...ell house and will occupy it soon ...April 1st.

...E. Morrell does not gain as rapidly ...is friends would like still he is ...y improving.

...Bachman has taken the contract ...uilding a house for James McIn... at Holloway.

...Smith, of Dundee, was in town ...day on business connected with the ...mpion Harvester.

...John Wiggins and Will Rinn were in ...umseh Friday on business pertain... to the John Cheever estate.

...Will R. Osgood's family have been ...ying a visit this week with his ...in, C. F. Smith, of Lodi, N. Y.

...Art Lee, "Shorty," came down from ...umseh Saturday and remained over ...day among his relatives and friends.

...Tim Uuderwood has purchased of C. ...Exelby the house and two acres of ...just west of the Wabash crossing.

...Mr. Pierce, route agent for the Amer... Express, whose home is in Jackson, ...e this place a business call Monday.

...Art Curtiss went to Adrian Wednes... to set up his first binder for the ...mpion Co. You bet he did a slick

...Henry Hall, of Hudson, and James ...Kinney, of Tecumseh, were in town ...sday on Knights of Pythias busi...

...The band boys were out serenading ...day evening. All the business men ...the occupants of the Exelby House ...favored.

...Quite a number of Masons here will ...p Tecumseh this evening to see ...Rinn in his first encounter with ...asonic goat.

...Claude Lowe is recovering from his ...k of rheumatism though one knee ...ill quite stiff. He will forego ...ting for a time yet.

...B. Lenardson is painting the inte... of his west store this week which ...tly improves the looks. The goods ...look brighter and fresher for it.

...Will Larrabee and wife began house... ing Monday in the house lately ...ed by Thomas Hoagland. They ...ow at home to their many friends.

...Clarence Hause spent Sunday with ...on relatives and was accompanied ...Monday by his sister Emma for a ...days' visit beneath the parental

...Rev. Deyo goes to dedicate the Ma... Hall at Ortonville, Oakland ...y, March 25th. He will also give ...dress on "Masonry as a Construct... force."

...Monday while Wm. Rinn was holding ...ce of iron with one hand and drill... with the other, it slipped striking ...nd in such a manner as to make ...ly wound.

...The Christian church Sunday Rev. ...Deyo will have the following ...: Morning, "A Divine Christian... evening, "A Lesson on Divine and ...an Forgiveness.

...George Clark, brother of Will J., re... ...d Tuesday from a visit with ...ds at Big Rapids and other north... towns. He expects soon to return ...home in Dakota.

...R. Exelby is building a store house ...e use of James Haight & Co. in ...ar of their store. It will be ap... ...ted by them for they have needed ...place for some time.

...Miss Maybee, who was called to ...last week by the death of her ...attended also the funeral of her ...r-in-law who died soon after her ...She reached home Monday.

...The Christian Endeavor meeting of ...eformed church Sunday evening ...Wm. Nivison was chosen a dele... to the state convention to be held ...son March 30 and 31 and April 1.

...Pocklington, a section hand on ...abash, while assisting in unload... ...rom a car Thursday of last ...was unfortunate enough to have ...t caught under it as it fell, bruis... ...badly and has been obliged to ...with crutches ever since.

RIDGEWAY.

...ol closed Friday for a week's va...

...Samuel Helm visited relatives ...an Tuesday.

...played havoc with Charles ...flock of sheep one night last

...Gertrude Marvin went to Amalia ...night to spend her vacation with ...her.

Township election two weeks from Monday next.

Prof. C. Graves and mother were Palmyra visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wells, of Britton, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barlow.

Rev. C. W. Baldwin, of Addison, is assisting Rev. Cansfield in special meetings this week.

B. L. Baxter, James Boyd and J. J. Orr were in attendance at the funeral of J. F. Temple Saturday.

Relatives from Raisin and Britton were called here Saturday to attend the funeral of J. F. Temple.

Mrs. S. V. Dibble was called to Mt. Victor, Ohio, by the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. S. M. Pennock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dibble, of North Adrian, visited relatives in and about the village the first of the week.

Mrs. Foster and daughter Helen and Mr. R. DeMuth, of Toledo, spent Saturday at the home of A. J. Sutton.

Claude Allison, who has been attending school here the past term, returned to his home at Stony Creek Sunday.

Montie Florance, who has been under the doctor's care for several weeks, does not improve as rapidly as was hoped.

Rollo Kirk Bryan, the chalktalker, of Lansing, the sixth on the lecture course, will be here on the 30th inst.

Theodore Allison, besides doing general wagon and buggy repairing, fills in his time filing saws and honing razors.

Over twenty of the schoolmates and friends of Lawrence Rappleye spent a pleasant evening with him at his home Friday.

Dr. Howell, of Tecumseh, was called Sunday to counsel in the case of Samuel Barlow, who has been troubled with his stomach for some time.

A silver caucus will be held in Exelby hall, Britton, Saturday of next week, at one o'clock standard time, for the purpose of nominating township officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCollum celebrated their fiftieth marriage anniversary last week Thursday. They came to Michigan from Seneca county, N. Y., in 1855, settling in Macon township where they have since resided.

John F. Temple, whose illness was mentioned in last week's issue of the Herald, passed away Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, being 76 years of age. Mr. Temple was born in Cliburn, West Moreland county, England, March 9th, 1821, and came to America with his parents in 1833. For three years they lived at Albany, N. Y., where he attended school. In 1837 they moved to Michigan, settling in Raisin township, being among Lenawee county's early pioneers. In the early 40's he came to Ridgeway, teaching school and holding the office of township clerk for several years with credit to himself and honor to his party. For a good many years he was afflicted with deafness which unfitted him him for public service, since which he has dealt in real estate, loaning money and farming, occupying his leisure time as an aparian, with success and profit. He was a great reader and well posted on the events of the day; a highly respected citizen and thorough financier. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn the loss of a kind and loving father. They have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends in the village in their affliction. The funeral was held at the house Saturday afternoon, Rev. H. Cansfield, assisted by Rev. James Wright, officiating, and the interment took place in Evergreen cemetery.

LAKE RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller are visiting in York.

Dick Easlick has had a tussle with the measles.

Mrs. J. W. Osborne is visiting in Tecumseh a few days.

Frank Lowry has commenced work for the summer for Thomas Murphy.

Alonzo Sisson has rented Thomas Lee's farm and will move thereon soon.

Walter Norris, of Tecumseh, closed his winter term of school in the Henry district Friday.

The friends of our worthy townsman, Alfred Lewis, will be glad to learn he is slowly improving.

The Rev. Baker, wife and little son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hendershot Monday.

Mrs. Vance Goheen, of East Tecumseh, is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. John Murphy.

Mick St. George, who has been confined to the house for some time by sickness, is able to be about.

Rev. Nickerson, of Britton, will give a "chalk talk" Wednesday evening before the Lake Ridge Sunday-school.

Notwithstanding the blizzard Sunday, Rev. Baker filled his pulpit in the east church, driving a distance of fourteen miles.

There will be no preaching in the F. M. church next Sunday on account of the four days' district meeting which is to be held in Milan.

There will be a Sunday-school organized in the east church one week from next Sunday at two o'clock. All interested are cordially invited.

There will be a bee in the near future to draw gravel to fill in and improve the grounds around the F. M. church. Let there be a good turnout.

A goodly number of the old friends and neighbors of Mrs. Henry Darling attended her burial which took place last Monday at South Macon cemetery.

Our Lake Ridge merchant has met with quite a heavy loss by some one breaking into the store and stealing all of the tobacco. The detectives are at work.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

CONE.

Miss Meda Auten visited friends in Britton last Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Cone is slowly recovering from her late illness.

Miss Bertha Jourdan is home from Detroit for a few weeks.

Lafe Gregory is quite sick with inflammation of the lungs.

J. M. Auten went to Ashley the first of the week on business.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit from Friday till Monday.

J. P. Richardson, of Milan, visited his niece, Mrs. Jacob Curry, the first of the week.

Mrs. Henry VanDeventer visited friends in Detroit several days last week.

Jane Auten returned home last Thursday from Toledo where she had been visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Underwood and children, of Britton, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Owen Curry, the first of the week.

MACON.

Mrs. Calvin Davenport is reported as gaining.

Lester Coller is nearly helpless with rheumatism.

Nelt Davenport has purchased the Berger farm.

Seville Hendershott and family, of Ohio, are visiting Macon friends.

W. H. Crittenden and Chas. Morgan made a business trip to Ann Arbor last Friday.

Sumner Collins and wife, of Tecumseh, visited at the home of Edwin Howell this week.

Topic for E. L. meeting next Sunday evening: "The Extent of the Kingdom." Leader, the president.

Vern and Mark Randall, joined the Maccabees last Saturday evening. Consequently they enjoyed a ride on the goat.

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The American Woman Suffrage association has established its headquarters at New York in charge of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt.

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Mahlon S. Frost the leading promoter of water gas in this country, died in a hospital at Chicago Saturday.

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"That Tired Feeling"

overcomes us when inferior preparations are recommended by unscrupulous dealers as "just as good as Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup," when we know the unequalled merits of this great medicine. Orr & Temple.

That Tired Feeling.

About which newspaper jokers write so much is with most of us, at times an actual condition and not to be laughed at. It is the result of long neglect and misuse of the stomach and bowels. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin comes in and removes this feeling and life again seems worth living. Try a 10c bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple.

The upper house of the Arizona legislature has passed a bill making legislative sessions hereafter to be at ten-year intervals.

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Now they are out with a method of curing dyspepsia by resting the stomach. Their remedy is known as the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It supplies food in an artificially digested form and at the same time aids the digestion of other foods in the stomach. In other words, by the use of the Shaker Digestive Cordial, a dyspeptic virtually gets along without the use of his stomach until it is restored to its natural strength and vigor. A single 10-cent bottle will oft-times give marked relief. Get a bottle from your druggist and try it.

Godfrey Hunter has been nominated for United States senator in the Kentucky Republican legislative caucus.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c

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Beaver Dam, O., Aug. 27, '95.

My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. Today she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine. Respectfully Mrs. J. M. Bailey. Orr & Temple.

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Cascarets stimulate liver, kidney and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

While a little learning is a dangerous thing, it sometimes makes one happier than a good deal.

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Mr. J. W. Martin, a prominent citizen of Cave Hill, Ky., states: "I suffered with neuralgia for about ten years. At times I was nearly dead; could not sit, lie nor stand; my teeth came loose, and I gave up all hopes of recovery. Doctors failed to benefit me. One bottle of Lightning Hot Drops effected a complete cure, and I have never had a touch of neuralgia since." For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

In the last 25 years the average life of woman has increased from 42 to 46 years.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

Near Lakewood, N. J., there is a ferret farm, where last year 2,000 ferrets were raised.

Mrs. J. B. Gilson, 740 Crossman Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, says: My daughter had a severe toothache which kept her awake ot night, and the only thing that brought relief was Lightning Hot Drops. I have used the remedy for neuralgia also, and it gave quick relief. —For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

A citizen of Suffolk, Va., has offered a factory site free to anyone who will establish a manufacturing industry there.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

Farms in England are selling at a ruinous reduction of their former value, and in many cases cannot be sold at all.

AN AMERICAN LUXURY.

One Shivers Abroad Because Coal Is So Dear.

"The thing I especially enjoyed after a somewhat lengthy sojourn on the other side was a real genuine American grate fire," commented the traveler to the Detroit Free Press man. "In London I felt as if I was burning something very precious with the landlady charging sixpence a scuttle for coal. I remember sitting around a stove in an English hotel. The weather was cold and the coal in the stove bunched together. I took a poker and stirred it up.

"'That makes it burn faster,' commented the landlord, gravely.

"'That's just what I want,' I replied.

"A red-faced, hearty Englishman broke in: 'You Americans are deuced-ly thin-blooded, don't you know?'

"'Then in Italy you shiver about all winter and in Germany those big, high crockery stoves never seem to thaw you out. So when I arrived in America in midwinter I had a jolly, big fire in the room at my hotel and I piled on the coal, knowing that it would not break my bank, in spite of the prices of the big, abominable coal trust. But after one has paid sixpence a scuttle for a mighty little scuttle of coal he does not feel disposed to criticise the trust. I felt like a lord, 'thin-blooded American,' though I might be, and was just in the mood to read and appreciate that agreeable little volume, 'The Reveries of a Bachelor.' Those reveries would not seem half so pleasing when read before the smudge of a peat-fire in Germany or before the little skimpy grate fire of a few pine cones in Italy—not the Italy of sunshine, but the Italy of the cold, disagreeable, wet days."

SCOTCH STRATEGY.

The Bearers of Government Papers Confronted by a Bull.

Here is an adventure that some members of an English ordnance survey met with while touring in the south of Scotland, told in Harper's Round Table. In the prosecution of their calling they entered a field belonging to a crusty old farmer. Seeing the strangers looking about in a way he could not understand, the farmer approached.

"What are ye loitering in the field for?"

"Oh, we have a right to go anywhere," returned one of the company. "We are surveying, and here are our government papers."

"Paper here or paper there," returned the farmer, "oot ye gang, oot o' my field."

"No, we shan't," returned the man, "and you are rendering yourself liable to prosecution for interrupting us."

The farmer said no more, but went over to his shed, which opened into the field, and let out a vicious bull. The bull no sooner saw the redcoats than he went for them in full career. The surveyors snatched up their theodolite and flew for their lives, while the old farmer, in great glee, yelled after them:

"What are ye running for? Can ye no show the bull yer government papers?"

AN UNEXPECTED HORROR.

Why the Strong Young Englishman Was Laid Low.

The well-known Englishman walked down the landing stage from the steamer on to the dock with a firm and steady step, says the New York World.

He was in the very flush of health. He was in the pink of condition. He had always been eager to visit America. They had told him at home—his traveled friends—how interesting everything was ovah here, don't you know. So he had come.

He had not been in the least seasick, for he was far too healthy. Onlookers said, as soon as they saw him, what a sample of splendid physical manhood he was. So he was.

He was taken to a hotel.

The next morning he was a wreck.

A frightful change had taken place in him. Oh, it was terrible.

Could this shaking paretic be the same fine-looking man of but yesterday?

Yes, it was too true.

He had just been through the American newspapers and had seen the eight different pictures of himself therein.

It had been too, too much!

Immigrants in the Cities.

The general impression is that the great bulk of immigrants to the United States find homes "in the great west," notably those from England, Wales, Germany and the Scandinavian countries. The contrary, however, is shown by recent figures to be the case. The states into which immigrants go by preference are those on the Atlantic seaboard. Of 343,000 immigrants who landed in this country during the last fiscal year covered by the treasury report, 127,000 meant to remain in New York state. Some 61,000 others had Pennsylvania for their destination and 36,000 Massachusetts; so that these three states absorbed about two-thirds of the whole immigration to the United States.

His Worldly Effects.

A New York firm applied to Abraham Lincoln some years before he became president for information as to the financial standing of one of his neighbors. Mr. Lincoln replied: "Yours of the 10th received. I am well acquainted with Mr. ——, and know his circumstances. First of all, he has a wife and baby; together they ought to be worth $50,000 to any man. Secondly, he has an office in which there is a table worth $1.50 and three chairs worth, say, one dollar. Last of all, there is in one corner a large rat hole, which will bear looking into. Respectfully,

"A. LINCOLN."

Oregon's Deep Lake.

Crater lake, a small body of water as far as the surface area goes, situated in the Cascade mountains of Oregon, is 2,000 feet deep.

Joy Causes Death.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 17.—Charles F. Kusterer became blind three years ago as a result of locomotor ataxia. He recovered his sight three days ago, and his joy was so great that his death came Monday night. The excitement and delight he experienced at seeing his wife and children once more were too much for his strength. Mr. Kusterer was president of the brewing company bearing his name.

Snow Blockade.

Houghton, March 14. — The snow blockade on upper peninsula railways has been partially raised. At Fulton, Keweenaw county, there is seven or eight feet of snow on the level and five to six feet throughout the upper district. In the villages street fences are in many cases covered by solidly packed snow over which pedestrians freely pass.

A Monster Octopus.

An aquatic creature, supposed at first to be a whale, 22 feet long, 8 feet wide and 6 feet high, was lately found partly buried in the sand at Anastasia Beach, Fla., by a couple of St. Augustine cyclists and was pronounced by the president of the local scientific society to be an octopus. The missing tentacles might have been worn away by the sand and waves or eaten by sharks.

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Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michigan, as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MARCH 19, 1897.

The Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight is over. Fitzsimmons is now the heavy weight champion of the world. The regret is that either of them lived to tell the story.

Monday March 15th the fifty-fifth congress assembled in extraordinary session. With a republican house and the republicans enjoying a good fighting chance in the senate, there is no reason why the president should not soon be able to sign some sort of a measure which might be called a tariff bill. If more tariff is what the country needs, the long hoped for "confidence" should be restored. The manufacturers of the country desire that the tariff question should be settled, and this speedily.

High School Happenings.

Physics class are interested in heat.

Kenneth Holloway has left school to begin farm work.

Ina Jackson was absent from the A room Thursday owing to sickness.

Mr. Bacon, of Chicago, was looking over our high school work Tuesday.

Mrs C. A. Slayton called on the eighth grade room Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Amy Kingan was looking over the work in the ninth grade Tuesday.

Miss Kyle is again in her place after ten days of enforced absence caused by sickness.

English II will finish Webster's Orations next week and then take up some other classic.

Anna Wilson and Luella Powell are absent from the B room this week on account of sickness.

Mr. Kellogg entertained the members of the Junior and Senior classes at his home last Friday evening.

The Sophomore class held a social at the home of Miss Nellie Lewis on Kilbuck street Wednesday evening.

Miss Conklin is absent from the West branch school because of illness and Miss Jennie Nyland is filling her place.

Miss Nellie Loudan, of Springville, a member of the class of '96, has been visiting the high school for two or three days this week.

Have you seen the broad grins and happy faces of the anxious fourteen? Cause? Why, every last one passed in geometry and one little maiden in particular holds her head high over an examination standing of 96. Is there anything about plane geometry you don't understand? Apply to the brilliant fourteen.

Vick's Floral Guide, 1897.

For nearly half a century this catalogue of flower and vegetable seeds, plants, bulbs, roses, grains, potatoes, etc., has come as regularly as spring time. Here it is again to remind us that it's time to think about our gardens. This issue contains half a dozen full page half tone illustrations of roses, asters, gold flowers, carnations and tomatoes. It seems full of the necessary information for either amateur or professional. Send 15 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for a packet of either Vick's Branching Aster, New Japan Morning Glory or extra choice Pansy and a copy of Vick's Floral Guide. If you state where you saw this notice you will receive a package of flower seeds free.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The Britton Citizen was one year old last Friday and is as bright and cheerful a "yearling" as may be found in any community.

Miss Mina S. Olmsted, a portrait artist from Tecumseh, has decided to locate in Hudson and will occupy rooms in the Nix building, opposite the Comstock House.—Hudson Gazette.

Lillian Hughes, of Tecumseh, arrested for stealing $25 from Mrs. John Monaghan, of Sand Lake, was before Justice Westerman Saturday afternoon. She paid back the money, and was released on suspended sentence.—Adrian Telegram.

There was a wreck on the Lima Northern at Ottawa, last week. It is rumored that one of the officials was on board, with a document from Adrian regarding the amount of aid that city proposed to give for the extension. That in some way he dropped the document from the platform, and its contents were so slippery that the wheels were thrown from the track when they touched the paper. The damage of $2,000 from the wreck should be added to the amount of aid required from the city of Adrian.—Hudson Post.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned, having sold her farm in the township of Macon, 2 1-2 miles east and 1-2 mile north of Macon village and 1 1-2 miles west and 1-2 mile north of Lake Ridge hotel, will sell at public auction on the premises on Thursday, March 25, 1897, at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property:

1 standard bred Bulletin driving mare, 3 large work horses, 1 ladies' driving pony, 1 French coach colt, 1 Jersey cow, 1 Jersey heifer, 1 Jersey calf, 16 shoats, 1 Chester white breeding sow, 70 Minorca hens, 2 farm wagons, 1 buggy, 1 swell body cutter, 1 pair bobs, 1 steel pulverizer, 1 iron drag, 1 corn sheller, 1 fanning mill, potato digger, 1 hay tedder, 1 hay and stock rack, 2 Planet cultivators, 1 plow, 3 heavy harnesses, 2 single harnesses, 1 hay fork, 87 ft. of rope and pulleys, several tons of fine timothy hay, a quantity of potatoes and corn, 1 wardrobe, 1 hall tree, 5 bedsteads, bureaus, pictures, chairs, 4 stands, 2 dining tables, 1 couch, 1 Singer sewing machine, 2 kitchen sinks, cook stove, 1 heating stove, 1 3-burner gasoline stove, milk safe, churns, milk pans and pails, 10 pail brass kettle, 30 gallon crock, 50 yards rag carpet, 40 yards ingrain carpet, book case, tubs, wringer and a quantity of household articles.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $5.00 or under, cash; over $5.00, 12 months time on approved notes at 7 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

MRS. FRED BURGER.

BEN REYNOLDS, Auctioneer.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Mar. 16, 1897:

John Bellmyre, Miss Mary L. Loar, Mrs. Maggie E. Lewis, Mrs. Wm. Taylor.

Persons calling for letters the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

A Change of Date.

A change has been made in the date of the next entertainment on the Star Course. The committee received notice that the Boston Ideal Club would not leave the east until March 29, too late for the date here, and after considerable correspondence with the Lyceum Bureau, trying to secure some other attraction without success, the committee have accepted date for Boston Ideals of April 24, which was the only acceptable date they could get. In addition to the regular company, the Lyceum Bureau have promised to furnish Chas. T. Grilley, a reader of special merit. We trust this change will be acceptable to the patrons of the Course.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Low Rates to Cincinnati.

For the Grand Operatic Festival at Cincinnati, during the week commencing Monday, March 29th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will make special low round-trip rates from all stations. Tickets will be on sale March 29, 30 and 31, and April 1, 2 and 3, and will be good for return within three days from date of sale, but not later than for train leaving Cincinnati at 8:20 p. m., Sunday, April 4th.

For rates and time of trains, please see bills or inquire of C., J. & M. R'y agents.

T. C. M. Schindler,
Gen'l Pass. Agt.

Farmers' Social Club.

The Farmers' Social club will meet with with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rector, Tuesday evening, March 23rd, when the following program will be rendered:—

Inst. Music—Edith Rector.
Song—Mrs. Geo. Benedict.
Inst. Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Paper—Music and Musical Composers—Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse,
Inst. Music—Hazel Roberts.
Song—Mr. and Mrs. Boyce.
Inst. Music—Ora Gillespie and Bertha Roberts.
Reading—Emma Eames' Story—Ida Rector,
Inst. Music—Ethel Garlinghouse.
" " —Bertha Roberts.
Music—Bowen Family.
Inst. Music—Ora Gillespie and Delmar Finch.

It is hoped that all members will attend as this will be the last meeting of the season. Meeting opens at 7:30.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned having rented his farm will sell on the premises one-half mile west of Tipton, on Saturday, March 27th, at one o'clock sharp, the ollowing property:—

Four work horses, 16 shoats, 25 hens, one fat cow, one Milwaukee binder, one Milwaukee mower, one wheel rake, one one-horse wheat drill, one spring-tooth harrow, corn sheller, wheelbarrow seeder, swell box cutter, wide tire wagon and rack, sulky plow, one three-horse handle plow, fanning mill, pair platform scales, 2 scoop shovels, one pair bobs, 2 one-horse cultivators, 2 land rollers, 2 pairs double harness one pair light harness, one grindstone, 2 log chains, one big kettle, 2 cross-cut saws, one gasoline stove.

Terms of Sale:—All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. Over $5.00, nine months time, on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises

B. F. NORCROSS.

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Dr. W. C. Walker

The Eminent Physician and Surgeon, of Detroit, Mich. formerly of N. Y., will make the following regular monthly visits:

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Friday, March 26.

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Thursday, March 25.

The most Successful Method of Treatment of all Diseases and Deformities known to the Latest Medical and Surgical Experience.

Consulations and Examinations Free to all.

Dr. Walker will not treat any unless there is a possibility of a cure, and will so inform you.

Examination by Reflection.

By the latest scientific researches' both by improved instruments and methods, the doctor is enabled to discover the true nature of the disease and locate the organ or parts affected, and many diseases and complications which have heretofore proven most obstinate to the medical profession, yield like magic under his skill and systemic treatment. The doctor is endowed with the wonderful gift of being able to diagnose without questioning and will discribe with the greatest accuracy your aches and pains wherever located, tells better how a person feels than they can tell it themselves.

There is no need to live in constant misery. It costs nothing to see him. The fullest examinations are free and his prices for treatment are within the reach of all. He is a friend to the afflicted and will turn none away unaided. The merchant mingles with the artisan while seeking relief at his hands and hundreds are cured every year.

READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: I was sick for many years, my case was known for miles around, was helped to Doctor Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration.

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Mr. Wm. Redmond says also, that he had been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Mr. Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

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Question blanks sent on application. Enclose stamp for reply. Those unable to see the doctor can address

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After thoroughly reconsidering the idea of moving we have concluded to remain in Tecumseh, and we will be found at the old stand ready and willing to

Supply your wants in **Footwear**

It will be to our mutual benefit as we will conduct our business on the plan of

Quick Sales and Small Profits!

But in order to do this

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Our Removal sale was very satisfactory, and we thank the people of Tecumseh and vicinity for their liberal patronage. It was a loss to us in dollars and cents, but we have reduced our stock and made room for new goods, so we will be able to give you a selection from the most complete line of all the

Newest and Latest Novelties to be found in Spring and Summer Footwear.

We invite you to call on us at all times, and watch our advertisements, as we shall from time to time give you some . . . **Special Bargains**

For the coming Saturday and the following week we will offer the balance of our Best Boston Sock Overs (about 20 pair 6 and 7 and a few 10 and 11 in sizes) $1.50 Values at $1.00 per pair.

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SEED POTATOES—Pure seed of the Maggie Murphy and American Wonder varities for sale cheap. Inquire of or drop postal to
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FOR SALE—In the city of Ann Arbor, a large three story modern house, centrally located and heated by steam, and earning $25 a week from room rent, $1,000 worth of furniture will be thrown in and long time given for payments. An opportunity of a life time. Address, E. C. D., box 272, Tecumseh, Mich.

FOR SALE—Farm of 82½ acres adjoining the corporation of Village of Tecumseh. Can be bought for less than its value. Enquire
F. B. WOOD.

UNION SILVER CAUCUS—Will be held at the town hall in the township of Macon Saturday, March 27th, at 2 p. m. All in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 are invited to attend.
BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE—I have some of the most productive varieties grown, with long, strong, healthy roots, grown in rich, sandy soil. C. F. MORLEY, Macon.
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ABNER WILSON.

Mrs. C. F. Patterson has been ill.

C. F. Field was in Hudson this week.

P. S. McKinnon was out of town rain last Sunday.

Bert Tribou, of Detroit, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

C. H. Bramble came home and spent Sunday with his family.

Did Ben Pulver want to hire a boy? No, he was only fooling.

Do not forget the Universalist social next week Friday. Maple syrup.

Mrs. P. W. Fitzsimmons is much better of her attack of neuralgia.

Miss Emma Brooks, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Cassel.

Tom Owens and L. B. Samsen made a business trip to Blissfield Tuesday.

See our new Black Dress Goods.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

John Orr had business at the county seat Wednesday so went and transacted it.

Miss Cora Cowell, of Dundee, visited H. E. Fink's Tuesday and Wednesday.

Adamson has put in a fine case for optical goods. Tom is up-to-date in everything.

Alva Spayde has been confined to the house this week with an acute attack of rheumatism.

Whitney Watkins, of Manchester, was at Wednesday among his many Tecumseh friends.

Geo. Tansley says every article in his store is a bargain. Call and see him.

Harry Bice's wife and little daughter both seem to be a little better though far from being well.

Miss Jennie Root has so far recovered from her late indisposition as to resume her accustomed duties.

You can not afford to miss seeing our large stock of Furniture if you are going to buy. WHEELER & SISSON.

The Misses Ella and Florence Primmer attended the wedding of a friend near Addison Wednesday.

Royal Satsuma tea is the best value in town for 50c per pound.
R. S. MOORE, Grocer.

Mat. L. Root returned from a business trip the last of the week and spent a few days among his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Bidwell attended the funeral of the late Andrew J. Hunt at Tipton Monday afternoon.

Ben. J. Pulver's smiling countenance was seen Tuesday evening behind the counter at the auction sale of jewelry.

Mrs. John F. Hicks returned from her visit at Washington, D. C., Saturday and reports a delightful time at the national capitol.

The auction sale of the Kirchgessner stock was brought to an abrupt close Wednesday by Miss Libbie Kress purchasing the remainder of the stock and all the fixtures.

New Spring Capes just opened.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Martin Crossman and family returned Wednesday from a pleasant visit of a week's duration with the family of Alford Buckley, in Raisin.

April Delineator now ready.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

Next Friday the ladies' social at the Universalist church. Maple syrup.

Co. "C" benefit entertainment at the opera house next Thursday evening.

Special meeting of the blue lodge at masonic temple this evening for work in the first degree.

Remember the Co. "C" benefit entertainment at the opera house next Thursday evening.

Miss Lynne Daly is entertaining this week Mrs. George Elliston and daughter Eva, of Vassar, Mich.

Rev. Mr. Blachford was called to Hudson Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robinson, one of his former parishioners.

Our new styles in Furniture are arriving every day. Prices lower than ever. Call and see us. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. H. Hanford has removed to the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Mosher and invites the ladies to call and see the spring novelties in the millinery line.

Geo. H. Tansley has the finest selected stock of Crockery, China and Glassware ever seen in our city. It will do your eyes good to see them at his new store.

L. H. Gregory, of Lake Ridge, will become a citizen of Tecumseh. He having rented his farm, will move his family here about April 1st and occupy the Gage house.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Stella Anthony to John Calhoun at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Anthony Wednesday evening, March 24th.

Mrs. Asa Draper, a sister, Mrs. Mapes, a niece, of Ousted, and Geo. W. Teachout, a brother, of Rome, were guests of Mrs. Geo. Teachout, of the Central House, over Sunday.

Married, Saturday evening March 13, at the home of the bride's parents in the west end of town, by the Rev. J. P. Varner, Mr. Francis C. Wriker, of Adrian, and Miss Lillian Bracey.

April Fashion Sheet now ready. Come and get one.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

At the Presbyterian church Sunday evening P. S. McKinnon will give the second lecture in the Christian Endeavor course. Subject, "John Knox, or Presbyterianism in Scotland."

Paul Mull has been quite sick the past week with kidney trouble. Sunday his suffering was intense and his physician summoned twice before he was relieved. He is improving slowly.

Will Caldwell, who is keeping books for a dry goods firm on Summit street, Toledo, likes his position very much and his friends here feel that the firm was fortunate in securing his services.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church will give a 10c supper at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson on Logan street next Wednesday from 5 to 6 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

E. D. Peters, of Atens, Mich., has rented C. F. Patterson's store next the post office and will soon fill it with a stock of jewelry, watches, clocks, etc. Mr. Peters will come to Tecumseh well recommended and will no doubt succeed well.

The new Carpets are handsome and cheap. Come and See them.
SEATON W. ANDERSON.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church will hold a social at the home of their pastor, Rev. B. S. Hudson. An interesting Eugene Field program has been arranged. You are most cordially invited to be there. The date has been changed to Thursday, March 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wightman were summoned to Adrian Saturday by the illness of Mrs. W.'s sister, Mrs. Jane Bowen. Mr. W. returned home Monday but his wife remained. Mrs. Bowen died Tuesday morning. The disease was pneumonia. The funeral was held yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Bice has moved her bakery to the room on the north side of Chicago street lately vacated by Harry Tansley. The new quarters are light, airy and commodious. With a new bake shop in the rear she will be able to serve her customers even better than heretofore.

Saturday evening, March 13th, Rev. J. P. Varner performed the ceremony which united in marriage two well known and popular young people of this community, the contracting parties being none other than George S., the eldest son of our popular auctioneer, Frank Davidson, and Blanche, the youngest daughter of Asa Gage. The young people have a large of acquaintances who wish them a long and happy married life.

The successful comedy drama, "Caprice," will be produced at Sutton's opera house, on Thursday evening next, by a clever company of local talent under the direction of Mae Cody Reynolds. Incidental to the production, several dancing and singing specialties will be introduced, and the Co. C glee club will be another strong feature. Miss Reynolds has had nearly fourteen years' experience in this line of work, having produced the play with great success in Chicago, Detroit, Toledo and other large cities.

Mrs. Florence S. Babbitt, of Ypsilanti, wife of Judge Babbitt, for eight years probate judge of Washtenaw county, was here Monday and Tuesday and while in town was the guest of Mrs. Thos. Hanley. She is an earnest worker in the Women's Relief Corps and is department chaplin. Her mission was to investigate the causes leading to the dissolution and suspension of the order here, as well as to inspire renewed zeal and activity in those who were members that it might be revived and become once more a working body. Her visit was timely and her efforts were apparently fruitful as every indication now points to a speedy resuscitation of the Corps in Tecumseh.

Will O. Osborn expects to go to Detroit very soon.

J. H. Elliott is assisting Fred Wood in his law office.

Thos. Elliott has been in Adrian a portion of the week.

Mrs. Arthur Hall, of Toledo, visited at her home this week.

A. C. Bryan is spending a couple of weeks with Jackson friends.

Geo. Fischer and Thos. Joslin, of Adrian, were in town yesterday.

Go to the opera house next Thursday evening and hear Company C's Glee Club.

Mrs. Don Bowen is looking for novelties in the millinery line in Toledo and Detroit.

Our prices on Furniture will be the lowest in the county.
WHEELER & SISSON.

John L. Mansfield, of Clinton, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Leon McNeil left, last evening for Keyser, W. Va., where his wife has been spending the winter.

Seryille E. Hendershot, who came so near losing his hand from blood poisoning, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hendershot.

Mrs. Mary Skinner is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. John Cameron, and little son, of Indianapolis, Ind. They will remain over Sunday.

The Lima Northern surveyors are nearing Tecumseh and will be into town by this evening. Really it looks as if Tecumseh would get the road.

Mrs. Geo. S. Wilson, of Mecosta, arrived in town Monday for an extended visit with relatives and friends. She will be with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crosby most of the time.

Mrs. Clark Beebe and two children, of Alma, Mich., arrived the first of the week to make an extended visit with Mrs. B's mother, Mrs. Theodore Lewis, who is dangerously ill.

Wade Waring, formerly with Avery & Co., who has been in Toledo the past year, is now traveling for Davis & Co. He has a good position and his friends rejoice in his promotion.

J. S. Gilman, our veteran harness maker, was 87 years old last week Friday. He celebrated the event by working at the bench all day and many a younger man would not have done more.

Subjects in the Universalist church next Sunday: Morning, "Religious Conviction"; evening, "Art." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "Treasures in Heaven."

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Last Saturday evening about fifteen young ladies perpetrated a surprise on Miss Lena Hardenburg. They enjoyed every minute of the evening but are still unable to decide whether it was a Hardenburg or Chilson surprise.

A goodly company of old veterans assisted Miles Baldwin in properly observing the 74th anniversary of his birth Thursday evening of last week at his home. It was an evening of rare social enjoyment and a bountiful repast was served. To have seen Miles a stranger would have thought him still in his teens.

Our two popular merchant tailors, James M. Jones and John Hazlett, have formed a copartnership and will occupy the store where John has been so long. They each have a large circle of friends, are expert cutters and are up-to-date in every respect. The firm will be known as Jones & Hazlett and is a strong one.

The remains of Miss Olive Jackson, who resided in Owosso but whose death occurred at St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, arrived here last evening via the C. J. & M. from Jackson, were taken to the cemetery and placed in the vault. The burial occurred this morning. She was a daughter of James Jackson and a sister of Alfred and was known to many here. Her death resulted from the effects of an operation she underwent.

F. P. Kennedy has rented the window at O. B. McBride's U. S. express office and will be prepared on Monday next to do all kinds of watch, clock and jewelry repairing. Mr. Kennedy was a former Tecumseh boy and comes well recommended. He has served an apprenticeship of four years under I. Gillett at Lansing and continued with Mr. Gillett for three years following, also worked two years for Pyl & Wykkel at Kalamazoo. The public is kindly invited to give him a trial. All work fully guaranteed.

Mrs. L. K. Mead recently received a very interesting letter from Mrs. Sparks, now of Lower California. Among other things she reminded her that when they were living neighbors in Tecumseh nine years ago and Mr. and Mrs. Mead were preparing to move to Cleveland, she gave Mrs. Sparks an amaryllas, thinking it too much trouble to move the plant to Cleveland. Mrs. Sparks has always kept the plant with her although she has traveled thousands of miles and last year it produced seventeen beautiful flowers. She prizes it as one of her mementoes of Tecumseh. Mrs. Sparks also states that they shipped fifty tons of fruit from their farm last season.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church celebrated its 25th anniversary last evening. A history of the society was read of the society was read by Mrs. E. B. Wood, the pesident, showing that 25 of the original members have been call-home; between 40 and 50 remain. During the 25 years over $1,000 have been gathered and distributed for missions. After the program had been completed a delightful lunch was served and some specially good music was rendered by Messrs. Strong and Conkling, and Mesdames Bidwell, Morely and Kellogg.

Mr. S. Whittier has not been so well the past two days and his friends are quite anxious about him.

Mrs. Hope, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Freeman, has been quite ill this week with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Satterthwaite's little daughter Beth gave a birthday party to a number of her playmates last Monday.

The papers given at the Monday club March 15th were of more than usual merit. A very pleasing sketch of the talented artist Peter Paul Rubens was read by Mrs. H. S. Lee. The city of Cologne with that grand specimen of gothic architecture, "The Cathedral," was described by Mrs. R. S. Moore. We were given a glimpse of "The Art Galleries" at Munich and Berlin, by Mrs. James McCann. The "Club" were delighted to have their president, Mrs. C. A. Wright, with them once more, after an absence of several weeks.

THE LIMA NORTHETN.

A Very Enthusiastic Meeting at the Opera House last Monday Evening.

Last Monday evening a meeting of the citizens was called at the opera house to consider the final call for the Lima Northern railroad, and it was the most enthusiastic meeting held in Tecumseh in behalf of the project. Mr. Lilley gave a history of the proceedure from the first, after which enthusiastic speeches were made by John F. Hicks, F. B. Wood, Ben Garlinghouse, A. W. Mills and others.

By arrangement perfected by Messrs. Hicks, Garlinghouse and Mills, who have done the most of the soliciting, $2,000 have been deducted from the amount required and now $6.000 and the right of way one and one half miles south of Tecumseh will secure the road. The citizens instructed the soliciting committee to go on with the work and they would stand by them. Every day the work of soliciting has gone on, still, at this writing, quite a sum is yet to be raised to complete the amount, and it will be necessary for our citizens to give liberally and the committee to do some tall hustling tomorrow, which is the last day. It is the unanimous opinion of all that Tecumseh must secure this road and every man should be willing to give what he can afford. Give and give quickly; tomorrow night the matter must be settled.

St. Patrick.

The third of the series of parties given by the fourteen ladies was conducted by Mrs. Garlinghouse, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. Whiting and Miss Meade at the residence of the first named lady Wednesday evening. This was a St. Patrick's party and could the old saint himself have participated he certainly would have been delighted with the entertainment. The decorations entire were green. Green draperies, green mottoes, score favors painted green and tied with green ribbons and banks of green foliage formed background to the tasteful arrangements. The novel features of the evening were the "Blarney" stone, which every one was required to kiss before entering the parlors, and snakes.

Snakes above, snakes below,
Snakes wherever one might go.

Yes, snakes everywhere. At the banquet table the prevailing color still reigned supreme even to the use of green china and crystal. After refreshments toast responses were given by Will Hicks, L. P. Tribou, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and Geo. N. Stacy. The novelty of the entertainment, charming attentions of the hostesses, and hospitality of the Garlinghouse home, combined to make the evening delightful in every particular.

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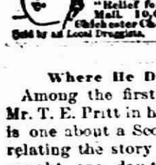

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Where He Drew the Line.

Among the first stories recorded by Mr. T. E. Pritt in his "Anglers' Basket," is one about a Scottish laird who was relating the story of a fine fish he had caught one day to his friends at the dinner table. "Donald," said he to the servant behind his chair—an old man, but a new servant—"how heavy was the fish I took yesterday?" Donald neither spoke nor moved. The laird repeated the question. "Weel," replied Donald, 'it was twal' pund at breakfast, it had gotten to achteen at dinner-time, and it was sax-and-twenty when ye sat dawn to supper wi' the captain." Then after a pause he added: "I've been tellin' lees a' my life to please the shooters, but I'll be blowed if I'm going to tell lees noo, through my old age, to please the fushers."

A HAUNTED TREE.

The Coon Dog Turned Tail When They Struck It.

Last fall a party of coon hunters from this city were in the woods in this vicinity and the dogs hunted splendidly until they struck this old tree, says the Danville (Ky.) Advocate. There they tucked their tails between their legs and simply flew. They whined and gave other evidences of fear and could not be coaxed into hunting any more that night. Finally the hunters themselves became scared. One of them declared he heard the sound of a voice as if from some soul in deep distress. This settled it. Every man in the crowd suddenly remembered that he had business in town and townward the whole layout proceeded without further parleying or loss of time. The next day an old gentleman residing in Danville was told of the occurrence and he recalled the fact that he had been one of the party which had a similar experience near this old tree three years ago and he said that the spot had been haunted for many years. A long time ago an old gentleman by the name of Louis Streat was murdered for his money and the murderer had dragged the body to the foot of this tree and covered it with dry leaves. The murderer was never punished by law. A young man named Henderson was arrested charged with the crime and at his examining trial was liberated on $5,000 bail. He jumped his bond and disappeared some time afterward.

ALWAYS PLAY FOR MONEY.

Englishmen and Even Clergymen Bet on a Game of Cards.

"England is termed Puritanical," said a New Yorker who has been in London a good deal, "but English people who consider themselves very proper do things sometimes which would shock people of a similar sort in this country. For instance, even clergymen often play cards for money, and women do so as a matter of course. I never played a game at an English house at which there was not a stake.

"The stake was small if women were among the players, and possibly only a few shillings changed hands, but it never seemed to occur to any English people I ever met to play for fun. The people were of the middle class, which is anything but fast.

"Fancy an American clergyman playing cards for money! He would be considered a bad lot by many if he played cards even for fun. And certainly a young woman who arose from a card table with a dollar, more or less, of a man's money in her possession would be considered fast, to say the least."

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Residents of Bangor are trying to raise $2,500 to establish a fruit packing factory.

The new soldiers' monument at Owosso will be dedicated on Decoration day.

The washing machine factory in Muir resumed work Monday after being shut down five months.

The Michigan Woman's Press association will become auxiliary to the National Woman's Press association.

Arenac county will vote at the spring elections on a proposition to issue bonds to pay county indebtedness amounting to about $7,000.

Miss Alice Snyder has been appointed assistant to Dr. Mosher, the new dean of the woman's department of the University of Michigan.

The body of the man found frozen in the ice at Monroe has been identified as that of John Hoffman, of Carleton, who had been missing for three months.

The wheat crop and clover in Calhoun county is reported to have survived the winter in splendid condition, the fields appearing as green as they usually do in April.

Dr. Wallace, a pharmacist at Fowlerville, fell from a step-ladder, Wednesday, striking upon his head. He died Thursday morning. His home was in Detroit.

The common council of Bay City will move into its new city hall on March 22. The hall is one of the finest buildings of its kind in the state and cost about $250,000.

Grand army men say that Col. A. T. Bliss will be department commander for the next year if he cares to accept. The state encampment occurs at Greenville April 6-8.

An independent telephone line is to be established from Cassopolis to Dailey, with a prospect that a circuit will be formed to include a number of Cass county villages.

Test wells are being driven at Camden to find out whether there is any oil or gas underlying the land in that vicinity. The Standard Oil company is behind the experiments.

Fairfax has gone wild over the discovery of coal and natural gas in the county. The citizens held a big mass meeting, and it was determined that the valuable land shall not be tied up by Chicago capitalists.

PINGREE LOSES A POINT.

Supreme Court Overrules Attorney General Maynard.

Lansing, March 13.—The supreme court has denied the contention of Attorney-General Maynard that he should not be required to petition for a mandamus directing the Detroit council to call a special election for mayor. The court directed him to permit the use of his name as petitioner, but relieved him from any further responsibility in the matter. The council was ordered to show cause why the mandamus should not issue, and, although he appears as the nominal petitioner, Attorney-General Maynard will make an argument in support of his contention that no vacancy exists in the office of mayor of Detroit by reason of Pingree's qualifying as governor, and that no special election should be held.

THE DEADLY CROSSING.

Two Men Killed by the Cars Near Zeeland.

Holland, March 14.—Martin Behaan, Simon Boertke and Henry Driesenga were victims of a horrible accident near Zeeland at 12 o'clock Saturday while crossing the Chicago & West Michigan railroad tracks in a wagon. They were struck by an express train. Behaan and Boertke were killed instantly and Driesenga cannot possibly recover. Behaan leaves a widow and two children. The other two were single. A strange circumstance was the horses were thrown 30 feet and were uninjured.

Peach Crop Damaged.

Niles, March 16.—Many prominent fruit growers residing in southwestern Michigan give their opinion that the extreme cold of the past winter has seriously affected the fruit crop to such an extent that the peach crop will not be one-half what it was last year. Smaller fruit, they also declare, has been badly injured. The damage to the fruit crop will be a great financial loss to the fruit growers.

Judge Grove Resigns.

Grand Rapids, March 16.—Judge William E. Grove, of the Kent circuit court, will send his resignation to Gov. Pingree to take effect May 1. The vacancy will be filled by gubernatorial appointment and J. M. Jamieson is the leading candidate. The resignation is due to the fact that the supervisors made a cut of $1,000 in Judge Grove's salary.

Mother and Son Drowned.

Richmond, March 13.—A vehicle containing Fred Harrington and his aged mother was precipitated into the river while the two were driving along the shore. Both were drowned. The body of Mrs. Harrington was recovered. Recent rains had flooded the roadbed.

To Reduce Its Capital Stock.

Grand Rapids, March 12.—The state bank of Michigan has decided to reduce its capital from $200,000 to $150,000 to enable it to write off doubtful papers and to make its solidity beyond doubt. The bank will then have a surplus of $30,000.

Grand River Overflows.

Ionia, March 15.—The old reliable Grand river is once more on the rampage, the flats and fair grounds here being covered with water. The overflow has reached its highest point since the high water four or five years ago. The wagon works have been shut down.

Live Stock Burned.

Coldwater, March 14.—The barn of F. B. Kennedy, near here, was burned, with 9 cattle, 2 horses, 100 hens, besides farm tools and hay, etc. Mr. Kennedy was severely burned while endeavoring to save the stock.

HOW POLLY PROPOSED.

"Hi! Hi! All right! All right! Now we sha'n't be long!" said the gray parrot.

I regret to say that the irrepressible young man that brings the daily milk is the tutor of my parrot in the latest up-to-date slang of the day.

I am an old sea-captain-at least, not old, perhaps the word slipped out unawares. I am the right side of 50, anyhow; but being in receipt of a pension and a small private income to boot, I have cast anchor in my present abode in the expectation of weathering many a winter's storm yet.

Being without a known relation in the world, I willingly fell in with the suggestion that I should pick up my moorings alongside my old friend and messmate, Capt. Travers, late R. N., who, having left one of his legs on the west coast of Africa while capturing a slaver, was pensioned off at an even earlier age than myself, and now lived with his sister — a most comfortable party, fat, fair and 40 or thereabouts—in the adjoining house to mine in the neighborhood of London. We had always got on well together, our tastes and dispositions were similar, and we had often met during our naval careers. His sister I had not previously been acquainted with, but, being in many respects like her brother, we were soon firm friends.

Capt. Travers and myself had each a favorite parrot—his the common African gray, with a red-tipped tail, and mine the purer variety, without a trace of color, but otherwise similar.

I had not long settled down in my new quarters, and got everything shipshape, or what seemed so to me—a very important difference, as I know to-day—when, almost unconsciously at first, I began to feel what a lonely old bachelor I was, and what a set-off to all my other belongings the figure of Miss Rachel Travers would be by my fireside. But just here the curse of my life began to make itself felt. Inherent shyness in the presence of the opposite sex has dogged my footsteps from my earliest recollections. Give me a gale of wind in the Bay of Biscay, a tornado in the tropics, or 20 hours' duty on deck, wet through to the skin, and Capt. Manley, late of the P. and O. service, will thank you for it, and consider life well worth living; but as dispenser of delicate attentions to the fair sex, intensely as he inwardly admires their pretty ways, Capt. Manley does not, no, he certainly does not, show up to advantage.

Although fond of pets generally, I have an antipathy to cats, especially at night. I am not aware that our neighborhood was particularly beneficial in its aspect or other qualifications to feline constitution, but I know that until I was inhuman enough to start an air-gun cannonade on my numerous nocturnal visitors, I was frequently unable to get a respectable night's rest. One infernal black and white Tom defied my finest efforts. If average cats have nine lives, I am sure this one must have had 19, and I began to wonder what sort of uncanny being this was that had no objection to letting my bullets pass apparently through its body without suffering any inconvenience. But after all it must have been my bad marksmanship, for one afternoon I saw my enemy quietly walking up the low fence that divided my back garden from Capt. Travers'.

The opportunity was too good to be lost, and quietly getting my air-gun, I took a steady aim and fired. There was no mistake this time, and without a sound poor puss dropped on to my flower-bed as dead as the proverbial door nail.

My exultation, however, was of short duration, for to my horror and dismay, on proceeding to pick up his unfortunate carcass and give it decent burial, I saw that my shot had passed right through the unlucky animal and killed my neighbor's parrot, which had been put out to sun itself in a little summer-house that stood at the bottom of the garden.

I was staggered at my position; I knew the parrot was a supreme favorite with Miss Travers, and how I could ever explain my carelessness I could not imagine. Suddenly a way out of my dilemma presented itself to my mind, and I hastened to put it into execution. I knew that the Travers were out, and would not be back for some little time, so hurrying indoors and taking my own parrot from its cage, I carefully painted the end of its tail with red ink in imitation of its deceased comrade, and finding no one was about, I stepped lightly over the fence and substituted the living for the dead bird, which I buried, together with the cat, in my own garden. I knew that my parrot would not readily talk before strangers, and I hoped that by the time it had got used to its new surroundings, it would have forgotten its former accomplishments; at any rate, I must risk it.

Alas! "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown," sang some poet, who, I expect, never wore anything harder than a nightcap, but, true as it may be, compared to the torture of my mind, now launched on a course of duplicity, it would be a bed of roses.

It was towards the end of the following week that I happened to be out in the garden and saw my old friend come stumping down the path of his own garden in his dot-and-carry-one style, and, seeing me on the fence, he cried:

"Hollos! Captain, you're quite a stranger! What's been up? Rachel has been talking about coming in to inquire about your health, as she was afraid something must be wrong."

"Yes, I have been a bit poorly," said I. Oh! how easily the words slipped out, although I had been as right as ninepence—why that particular sum should be endued with more rectitude than its fellows I have never been able to discover—this by the way.

"A bit of cold, perhaps," said Capt. Travers. "Well, come over the fence and have a dish of tea in the summer-house, and Rachel shall come in afterwards and make you a good glass of something stiff for a night-cap."

Punctually at five o'clock I donned my sprucest attire, and with a smart flower in my button-hole—gay dog that I was—slipped over the fence. Miss Rachel was there, looking as fresh as a spring cabbage with the dew on it, which I consider a very pretty simile, and she bade me welcome with one of her beaming smiles. There, too, was the unlucky parrot in its cage, and standing just outside the summer-house. I had noticed that it had been set out to sun itself as usual on all fine days, and as far as I could see nothing had transpired to make me think they had any cause to suspect my imposition.

I purposely sat with my back to it, and avoided taking notice of it in any way whatever.

Tea went off all right; my old friend was very cheery and Miss Rachel showed me great attention. I could hear Polly rubbing her beak up and down the wires of the cage, and swinging backwards and forwards in the metal ring.

After the meal Capt. Travers went indoors to get his supply of necessaries for the evening, and, turning to me, Miss Travers commenced:

"By-the-by, Capt. Manley, how is your parrot? I have not seen it out in the garden lately."

I felt my heart beating a bit faster, but with every semblance of outward calm, I said:

"No—the fact is, it's not been at all well; in fact, it's dead."

"Dead!" she exclaimed. "Well, I never. What did it die of?"

"I really don't know," I replied. "It died quite suddenly about a week ago."

"I hope our Polly isn't going to follow suit," she continued. "She has been very dull and quiet the last few days, but seems a bit more lively this evening. I don't think she has spoken a word all the week."

"Thank goodness!" I inwardly ejaculated.

Things were beginning to look a bit awkward, and I cast about for something to change the course of conversation. I am not a quick thinker, however, and before I could collect my wits, Miss Travers continued:

"Dear, dear, to think your poor Polly's dead! Well, I am sorry! I could be sorry to lose you, Polly dear," she said, addressing the parrot. "But really, Capt. Manley," looking me straight in the face, "I can't make our Pollyout. Sometimes I could almost believe she was a different bird. She hasn't once seemed pleased to see me all the week."

I felt the blood rapidly rising to my cheeks and forehead, but I trusted to my tanned complexion for it not to show. I feebly replied: "Perhaps she's moulting."

It was an unlucky slip. "Well, now I come to think," said Miss Travers, "I noticed that its tail looked much paler after its bath the other morning, and the water was quite red. Is that a sign of moulting?"

"Yes, I often used to notice it about my own parrot."

"But I thought your bird had no red about it," she pursued.

"Confound the woman's persistence," I thought, but I stammered: "I mean—that is to say—you see—I've noticed it in all red parrots I have ever come across. They shouldn't be bathed at all, it injures their constitution."

"Oh! I thought you recommended it," she said.

So I had, dozens of times. "Only for the gray ones," I said, forming a convenient distinction on the spur of the moment.

Miss Travers did not seem inclined to pursue the subject further, much to my satisfaction, and then there was a dead pause.

During the whole of our conversation the subject of it had not ceased to continue its antics in the wire cage. Whether it was the sound of my voice that caused it to be thus excited I do not know, but at this opportunity it burst in with "Hi, hi!"

I was getting desperate, and could think of nothing to change the subject; and yet if I didn't say something I was terribly afraid the parrot would.

A bicycle bell sounded down the road.

"Are you thinking of getting a bicycle, Miss Travers?" I said.

"No, certainly not," she replied; "how can you ask such a question?"

Another awful pause, during which I mopped the perspiration from my brow.

"Ra—Ra—Rachel, I love you!" came in clear tones from behind my back. The wretched bird had caught the exact tone of my voice.

"Capt. Manley! Sir!" said Miss Travers, raising herself to her full five feet one and one-half inches. "Did you address that remark to me, sir?"

I had, however, utterly collapsed, and burying my head in my hands, I leaned down on the little round table. Whether the sight of the poor old ship in distress touched her tender heart I don't know, but she added, in softer tones:

"This is very unexpected, Capt. Manley."

I could hold out no longer.

"Miss Rachel," I cried, "I'm a thundering old hypocrite. My parrot isn't dead at all; there it is in that cage; it's yours that's dead; I shot it. I didn't mean to. Can you forgive me for all the lies I told you?"

"All right! All right!" said the solemn voice of the parrot behind me.

"It was Polly that made that remark just now, not I; but, believe me, she speaks the truth, if I don't. Rachel, I do really love you."

I ventured to look up. Tears were standing in her eyes, and the expression on her face made me hope that I did not look quite such a big booby in her eyes as I felt I did in my own.

Moving nearer, I clasped her hand, and as it was not withdrawn, I put one arm gently round her ample waist.

"Now we shan't be long," said the gray parrot.—Tit-Bits.

THE GRIZZLY EATS PEANUTS.

Comments on the Bear's Apparent Fondness for Them.

A man who stood in front of the bear pit at the menagerie in Central park was greatly interested in observing just how the big grizzly bear took the peanuts that one of the visitors was handing to him, says the New York Sun. The bear stood up at an angle of about 45 degrees, hind feet on the floor of the pit, one fore foot resting on the stone ledge in which the bars of the cage are imbedded, the other extended through the bars to take the peanuts. He did not clutch them under his claws and then turn the claws inward upon the ball of his foot, but when he reached out through the bars he spread his claws apart sideways, as one might spread the fingers of his hand apart. The visitors would place a peanut between two of the claws, and then the bear would close the claws together, as one would close the fingers of his outstretched hand. He would hold the peanut between two claws in the same manner that a man sometimes holds a cigar between two fingers. Holding it thus the bear would carry the peanut to his mouth; then thrusting his paw out between the bars again he would open his claw out sideways as before, waiting for another.

"I suppose it must be an acquired taste," said a solemn-faced bystander, referring to the bear's apparent fondness for peanuts.

"I don't know," said another man. "I'm not so sure but what there are some places where grizzlies live that peanuts grow."

"That may be," said the solemn-faced man, "but I'm sure there's no place where they grow baked."

Nerves and Teeth.

Bad nerves and bad teeth will be found to go together in an extraordinary number of cases. The hustle and bustle of our modern life, which is so trying to the nerves, has an equally detrimental effect upon the teeth.

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Clarklake	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Munith	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 58 "
Manchester	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Clinton	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 06 "
Tecumseh	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 37 "
Ar Adrian	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Ar Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 8-5 Accom.
Lv Toledo		6 20 P.M	.....
Adrian	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	.....
Tecumseh	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Clinton	9 15 "	9 25 "	6 00 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
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FARM & GARDEN.

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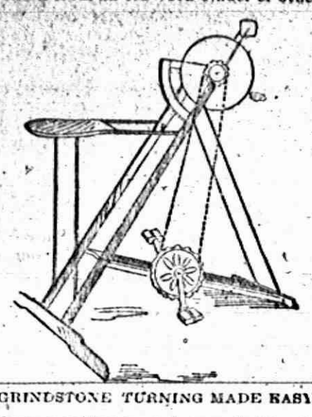
A correspondent of the Rural New Yorker has devised a contrivance for turning a grindstone, by means of which one can both turn and grind at the same time with comparative ease. The inventor gives the following instructions for constructing the device, which is shown in the accompanying cut:

Take the small sprocket wheels and chain from an old worn binder or other



GRINDSTONE TURNING MADE EASY.

farm machinery, and gear it two to one; that is, the lower or crank shaft wheel must have twice as many cogs as the one on the stone shaft. Use a stone 20 or more inches in diameter, and be sure to get a good one. An Amherst is better than a Berea, for all purposes. If geared higher than two to one, it will turn hard, and if much lower it will not turn fast enough. It is the fast motion that cuts. One may find an excellent pair of cranks from some old bicycle; a friend gave me mine.

BOYS ON THE FARM.

They Should Be Taught Self-Reliance from Infancy On.

I am acquainted with an instance where a certain farmer brought his boy up just as you would train a colt. He was never allowed to exercise the least amount of judgment in anything pertaining to farm matters. In fact, he was a mere machine. When the boy was 18 his father was stricken down with a lingering disease, but still the latter persisted in pursuing the course of training his boy. He planned everything until three weeks before his death. To-day his boy knows but little more than an infant about laying out his work.

As soon as the boy is 12 years old his training should begin. Show him that he is of more consequence than a machine, that he is put here to think, plan and carry out work. Give him a piece of ground and teach him the first rudiments of farming, letting him see all the while that he is working for himself. As he grows old, give him a colt or a cow, and let him raise stock for himself. Then take him into confidence as to the buying and selling of farm produce, and occasionally let him manage the farm for a day or so. Above all, be patient with him. Nothing discourages the average boy more than fault-finding, which makes him gradually lose all confidence in his ability to work. Good judgment, patience and self-control will train your boy so that, when at last you are unable to run the old farm, you will have some one who can easily assume the entire management in everything and do credit to his parent's early training.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Application of Manure.

Some farmers make the mistake of putting coarse, straw manure into wet, heavy soil, thinking that it will have a beneficial effect by making such soil loose and dry and consequently warmer; also that the moisture in the soil will cause the straw to decay more readily than it would in dry land. There are conditions in this reasoning that cannot be brought together. The lumps of wet soil will not mingle with the straw and are held apart so that they dry out and become hard and the manure is not converted into plant food. Put coarse manure on dry soil and it will be mixed and incorporated more readily. Plow it into dry land five or six inches deep and after the seed is covered put a heavy roller over it and the roots will find the manure.—Journal of Agriculture.

For Land or For Crop.

The old question whether it is better to manure for land or for crop is not much asked nowadays. The loss of original fertility of soil and the narrowing profits on crops require that farmers in these times should get as nearly full returns as possible from all the manure they apply. If they manure at all for the future it is by seeding with clover when they apply the fertilizer, so that part of its benefit shall remain in the clover roots. Besides this, seeded ground does not waste fertility, either by washing or blowing away, as that left naked in winter is sure to do.

Seeding Clover in Knolls.

It is often hard work to get a clover seeding on the dry, elevated knolls in grain fields. Lack of moisture is usually the cause. But the evil may be remedied by drawing a few loads of stable manure and spreading over the knolls. The manure not only protects the young clover plants, but it also holds the moisture in the soil by checking evaporation. This will soon make them as rich as any part of the field. It is usually the lack of clover seeding on such places that keeps them poor.—Rural World.

SUCCESSFUL FARMING.

Impossible Where Judgment Is Not Cast Along Intelligent Lines.

If every farmer were as enthusiastic on the subject of good methods on the farm as he is about having good and favorable seasons, there would be a great deal less misery in the world. One of the phases of practicing better methods that very few farmers seem to really understand is that of making all operations and transactions of the farm work together to the one end of producing big crops regularly, just as a piece of complicated machinery has all its parts working in harmony, that the machine may do its work effectively. Any crop a farmer may cultivate, or any kind of live stock he undertakes to keep upon the farm, has its relation to other crops or kinds of stock to be cultivated or raised, and this very relation is the thing that should determine the extent to which the farmer is to go with his various operations.

The man with one idea or a sort of hobby, on a farm, generally has a hard road to travel. He works without any of the advantages that flow from smaller economies. It is one thing to make the ends meet, but it is another and better thing to make them lap over. This is what the up-to-date, all around farmer should be constantly doing. He should strive as far as lies in his power to make of the farm a complete home. He must vary his methods, too, to suit the occasion. And this is where the well-informed farmer always has the advantage of those who know little or nothing as to what is passing in the world outside their own immediate neighborhood. It requires knowledge and the exercise of judgment along all these lines for [illegible] ow with anything like prec[illegible]her it is best to extend or c[illegible]is operations along certain lines of crop production for any particular year. Jumping at conclusions, or following along in an old rut, is a style of farming that ought not to be permitted in this day and age.

If there is any one expression that describes the successful farmer of to-day, it is that of being up to the times. Other things being equal, this farmer is found in the lead every day and everywhere. Some farmers are always waiting for an opportunity, but there are others who make a business of creating opportunities. A good and favorable season for crop growing is not the only thing that pushes prosperity into a farmer's doorway. Let the farmer follow his best judgment with a look-out for the main chance always, and he is certain to succeed, provided his judgment is cast along intelligent lines.—Dakota Field and Farm.

HANDY PUSH CART.

Anyone Having the Tools Can Easily Make One.

The accompanying illustration shows a push cart that will be found of service in a score of ways about the place. It is a common handcart, with sides and ends of slats so arranged that all may be used, forming an inclosed rack,

A HOMEMADE HANDCART.

or the two sides only, when it will be found especially convenient for drawing in green cornstalks from the field, or garden, where one keeps but a cow or two. It is a handy cart for the village resident who has to depend on a wheelbarrow, or some such arrangement as this to move his small crops and other stores. The sides and ends fit tightly into iron sockets, and for stability lock together at the corners when in place, as shown in the portrayal. Anyone handy with tools can construct a very serviceable rig of this sort, the only necessary adjuncts being a pair of wheels, which are often at hand, from some broken or worn-out wagon, sulky or other light vehicle.—Farm and Home.

HINTS FOR FARMERS.

Bounce the lazy hired man.

Everybody be kind to everybody else.

Keep the animals warm. It saves feed.

Continuous cultivation will kill almost any weed.

Feed plenty of carrots to all stock if you have the carrots.

Bounce the hired man who is not willing to feed the stock on Sunday.

Push every acre for all it is worth. That is one way to discount low prices.

Kill the hens that lay no eggs. That is, have nothing on the farm that does not pay.

Economize labor on the farm. Lots of money goes to waste by the hired man loafing in the shade in summer.

Keep an account with each field on the farm, charging it and crediting it. It will be the best thing you ever did.

You can cut off the combs of fowls if you prefer. Use a sharp knife; cut off both combs and wattles. To prevent bleeding, first wash the head with strong alum water and then sprinkle with powdered ammonia.—Western Plowman.

Good Blue Grass Pasture.

Where you have what we call a good, solid, well-matted blue grass pasture, that same land will produce at least twice the amount of feed, for the reason that it catches the snow, holds the rain much better, and not half the rain runs off that does from our short pastures. It holds a greater amount of moisture, because the grass is a mulch for the soil, and it will keep growing for weeks in a dry season, after it has ceased to on other land that is grazed to death.—Western Plowman.

FINDING FAULT.

Absence of Gov. Pingree from Lansing Causes Complaint.

The Beet Sugar Bounty Bill Ready for His Signature — Lawmakers Observe Sixtieth Anniversary of Statehood.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, March 17. — Complaints are being made that bills requiring immediate attention are hung up because of Gov. Pingree's absence. He has been at the capitol only two days this month, and is now in the east to remain several days.

The failure of the Corliss immigration bill to pass congress over Cleveland's veto has caused a lively interest to be taken in Senator Lawrence's bill providing that no alien shall be employed in the public service of the state, nor by any private citizen, nor may he enter into a contract to work for either until he has signified his intention to become a citizen of this country. Stiff fights will be put up by both friends and opponents of the bill.

The beet sugar bill as amended by the senate passed the house Tuesday and will be approved by Gov. Pingree, who recommended its passage in his inaugural message. It provides for the payment of a bounty of one cent per pound on beet sugar of Michigan production.

A radical bill passed by the senate provides that the railroad commissioner shall be elected by the people instead of appointed by the governor, as has always been done heretofore.

In joint convention Tuesday night the legislature observed the sixtieth anniversary of the admission of Michigan into the union and the semicentennial of the selection of Lansing as the location of the state capital. Many historical addresses were made.

The senators had a spirited engagement Thursday over a bill providing that in case vacancies in appointive offices are not filled by the governor during the legislative session the officials whose terms have expired shall hold over until the next senate convenes. The object of the bill is to head off Gov. Pingree's plan to make Prof. Bemis, of Chicago, state labor commissioner. The bill was taken from a committee composed wholly of Pingree men, despite their emphatic protests, and placed on the general order. The Pingree men denounced the action on the floor of the senate as a studied insult to the governor.

The governor sent to the senate Thursday the nomination of Milo D Campbell, of Coldwater, formerly private secretary to Gov. Luce, for commissioner of insurance, vice Theron F. Giddings, whose term will expire July 1.

The senate had a protracted fight over the bill repealing the law for the taxation of real estate mortgages. The plea that under the existing law the borrower, instead of the loaner, as intended, pays the tax, succeeded in winning a victory for the bill in spite of determined opposition. The measure makes seven per cent. the maximum interest that may be contracted in real estate mortgages, and restricts the exemption to mortgages on Michigan real estate. The bill has been reported favorably to the house, and a careful canvass shows that it will pass, and as it was recommended by Gov. Pingree in his inaugural message it will become a law.

The house committee on public health has agreed to favorably report a most sweeping anti-cigarette bill. The measure provides a penalty not only for the manufacture or sale of cigarettes in the state, but also for their use. They cannot, under this bill, be brought into the state.

The house passed a bill fixing extra compensation of members from the upper peninsula at two dollars per day in addition to three dollars under the constitutional provision, but it met with strong opposition and was pulled through by a mere scratch.

The senate after considerable discussion finally passed a bill providing the office of state statistician shall be abolished after July 1, 1897.

Gov. Pingree has issued a proclamation urging the voters of the state to vote for the constitutional amendment increasing the salary of the attorney-general from $800 to $3,500. He says it costs the state now more than the latter sum for legal assistance.

The governor has ordered the secretary of the state to call a special election in the second district in Saginaw county to fill the vacancy made by the unseating of Kerr as representative. The election will occur April 5.

The messengers of the senate and house have organized a legislature of their own and hold mock sessions in the senate chamber every Friday evening. They held their second meeting last Friday night, the feature of which was the receiving of a message from Gov. Pingree, whom they selected as their governor and adviser. In the message his excellency gave the senate an unmerciful scoring for executive sessions. "An executive session to-day," said he, "is a relic of the English age when the race was emerging from a half barbarism." Some statements even more tart follow on the same subject. Taking up the matter of holding two offices the governor justifies his action in ingenious logic. "A man cannot hold two offices," said he, "unless the majority of the people wish that he should. When the people elect him to two different offices they are responsible for the election, and he is responsible to them for the manner in which he performs the double official duties."

The house judiciary committee will recommend for repeal all laws which have outlived their usefulness so that the statutes may be cleared of a lot of refuse matter that does nobody any good.

EMMETT.

Dividend for Depositors.

Big Rapids, March 11.—The receiver has announced a division of 25 per cent. from the assets of the Mecosta county savings bank.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1893, Samuel Lansdere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number Five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1893, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty-four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and notes the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8 A. D. 1897
SARAH C. ROGERS. Mortgagee.
G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated December 30 1893, executed by John McLain and Jennie McLain, his wife, of Macon, Mich., to Brockwell J. Rector, of Tecumseh, Mich which mortgage was recorded in Liber 189 of Mortgages on page 332 on the 7th day of July, A. D 1894, and whereas the amount claimed to be unpaid upon said mortgage at the date hereof is the sum of Four thousand three hundred and eighty-seven and 5-100 dollars damages and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to secure the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the City of Adrian in said county of Lenawee on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1897, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Situated in the township of Tecumseh Lenawee County, Michigan, and described as the south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three of town five south of range four east, containing eighty acres of land more or less.

Dated December 16, 1896.
Brockwell J. Rector.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on the 8th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ella Eldredge, an heir-at-law of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person as administrator de bonis non upon said estate.

It is Ordered, That Tuesday the 6th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Bresle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William R. Bresle, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered that Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Thomas R Kyle, administrator upon said estate alleging among other things that he has paid the preferred claims against said estate and is now prepared to pay the whole or such proportion of the other claims against said estate as may be ordered by this court and render his final account and praying that said account may be allowed.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

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There are few men on earth who do not nurse a secret belief that they were intended for greater things than they possess.

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Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Rose Abbot deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles F. Patterson alleging that he is a principal creditor of said deceased and praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him said Charles F. Patterson or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

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MAY BE PROSECUTED.

Officers of a Broken Michigan Bank Accused of Mismanagement.

Lansing, March 12.—The schedule of assets of the Whitehall savings bank, which closed a few weeks ago, filed by the Michigan Trust company, of Grand Rapids, as receiver, with the state bank commissioner in this city shows what caused the trouble. I. M. Weston, formerly president of the bank and a brother of Charles E. Weston, of Milwaukee, a director, is a debtor to the amount of $15,000; H. L. Delano, of Muskegon, a director, owes $14,000; L. G. Mason, of Muskegon, an ex-director, is down for $13,500, and Cashier and Director S. H. Lasley owes $7,000. The capital stock is only $25,000, and these four men have borrowed a total of $49,500, nearly twice the amount of the entire capital, and besides the direct liabilities are further liable to a considerable amount as indorses. The deposits amount to about $85,000, and the receiver estimates that it will be possible to pay less than 20 per cent. on the claims, even with the best of management. The depositors are mostly poor Swedes, who put money in the bank on wages of $1 to $1.25 a day. Two hundred of them met Monday night to take steps to prosecute criminally the management of the institution. As a preliminary they will petition Gov. Pingree to remove Cashier Lasley from the office of registrar of deeds of Muskegon county, to which he was elected last fall for a second term.

WANT HIGH TARIFF ON LUMBER

Shingle Mill Owners Address a Memorial to Senator Morrill.

Grand Rapids, March 17.—Representatives of 50 or 60 lumber and shingle mills in western and northern Michigan, claiming to cut 870,000,000 feet of lumber and 800,000,000 shingles and to employ 1,350 men, met here Tuesday and adopted a memorial, addressed to Senator Morrill, urging a high tariff on lumber. The memorial demands a duty on rough lumber of at least $2 per 1,000 and on shingles of 35 cents. It is claimed that this is of vital importance to the lumber interests, and that the statistics of business failures the last three years will prove it. The chief opposition to this tariff is from lumbermen who own Canadian timber. The memorial will be sent to all the Michigan representatives in congress and will be supplemented by numerous personal letters, and an assessment of $1 per 1,000,000 feet of lumber cut was levied on members to defray expenses.

A Deal in Oil.

Lansing, March 17. — The new American Oil company, of Mansfield, O., has purchased the business of Wells & Clear, leading wholesale oil dealers in Michigan, with headquarters in this city and a branch at Saginaw. The new American company has been cutting the corners of the Standard Oil company in Ohio, and by the purchase of Wells & Clear's extensive business will obtain a strong foothold in this state.

Famous Elephant Strangled.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 17.—Tip, a monster elephant which has been shown throughout the country for many years past, was put to death by strangulation. He was too sagacious to eat poisoned apples.

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AT CROSS PURPOSES.

Governor Pingree and the Senate of Michigan.

DISLIKE IS FULLY RECIPROCATED.

Two Nominations Made by the Executive Turned Down and the Amendment to the Beet Sugar Bounty Bill Defeated—Grangers Win a Victory in Both Houses—Bill for the Taxation of Real Estate Mortgages—Fishermen's Fears.

Lansing, Mich., March 16.—Last week was an eventful one in the legislature. Several things of an interesting nature happened, and that is more than can be said of many a week in the earlier part of the session. Several of these things combined tended to show very conclusively that the governor's dislike for the senate, which he has taken no trouble to conceal, is reciprocated fully. The turning down of ex-Governor Luce for a place on the Ionia prison board, and of Rev. Morgan Wook of Detroit for a place on the state board of corrections and charities, the practical abolishment of the office of state statistician to which Governor Pingree proposed to appoint ex-Mayor Cox of Battle Creek, the refusal to adopt State Senator Moore's amendment to the beet sugar bounty bill so as to place the appointing of weighmasters and inspectors in the hands of the governor, and the taking from the state affairs committee, made up wholly of Pingree men, of the bill providing that all vacancies taking place before or during the legislature session shall be filled before adjournment so that the senate may pass upon the nominations, are samples of the treatment accorded the chief executive by the upper house. These incidents simply go to confirm the opinion expressed several weeks ago that it will be far easier for the biblical camel to go through the eye of a needle than for any of the so-called Pingree measures to go through the senate. Plenty of them may pass the house, but that is as far as they will get on their way to become laws in this year of grace.

A Bishop in the Senate.

It is a singular fact that not more than one or two persons have discovered that the senate numbers among its members a genuine bishop. In its efforts to secure some one to open the daily sessions with religious exercises the senate has run the gantlet of about all the Protestant clergymen of the city, has frequently pressed into service Rev. C. C. Miller, one of the assistant sergeants-at-arms, and, at times, has called upon State Senator Mudge, who is a clergyman, and State Senator Campbell, who is not, but has never learned that all this while a bishop has sat in the chamber unsuspected. The person referred to is State Senator Blakeslee of Berrien, who is one of the three ruling bishops of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Bishop Blakeslee is not gifted as a speaker, although he has no difficulty in stating clearly and forcibly what he may have on his mind, and for this reason he has been assigned the duty of handling the financial affairs of the church, a duty which he performs with signal ability. He confines his church work to this feature, although having full authority to perform all of the functions of an elder in the church.

Victory for the Grangers.

The grangers won a decided victory in both houses last week. This was in connection with the bill making an appropriation for the traveling library. Five thousand dollars was asked for this purpose for the ensuing two years, but the senate cut this to $3,500. The bill hung fire in the house for two or three weeks, the disposition of the committee on ways and means being to cut the appropriation still further. About this time petitions for the passage of the bill as originally drafted began to come in from the granges all over the state. These petitions stated that the farming community received the greatest benefit from the traveling libraries and the grangers earnestly protested against the cut. The result was that the original amount was restored, and when the bill was restored to the senate that body went back on its former action by an almost unanimous vote. Had it not been for the grange petitions it is extremely doubtful if the appropriation would have exceeded $2,500.

There is little doubt that the bill to repeal the law providing for the taxation of real estate mortgages will become a law. It passed the senate several days ago by a decisive vote, although the senators engaged in quite a lively scrap before the vote was taken. It has already been favorably reported to the house, and a careful canvass shows that a majority of the representatives are in favor of its passage. As amended in the senate the bill restricts the exemption to mortgages on Michigan real estate, and limits the rate of interest that can be contracted in such mortgages to 7 per cent. The arguments used in favor of the bill are that, while the mortgage tax law was designed to reduce the rate of interest, its practical effect has been to increase it, the borrower, in nearly every instance, being required to pay the tax. It was furthermore urged that another effect of the law was to drive Michigan capital to other states.

Foreigners on Public Work.

State Senator Lawrence's bill requiring that foreign-born persons shall become citizens of this country before entitled to work on public improvements, etc., called out much discussion in the senate last week, and was finally referred to the judiciary committee for an opinion as to its constitutionality. It was discovered that it not only prevents the employment of non-citizens on public works, but any other line of work, and State Senator Youmans declared that if it became a law he would be compelled to discharge his hired man or be liable to the penalty provided for a violation of the law.

It is hardly probable that the bill will pass in its present form.

It looks very much as if machine voting is sure to come. The idea is steadily growing in favor year by year. This spring the cities of Adrian, Hudson and Lansing will use the Abbott voting machine at their municipal elections. This machine was used at Hudson, where the inventor, who was several terms a member of the Michigan legislature, resides, and gave the utmost satisfaction. It worked with absolute accuracy, and the result in the entire city was known within fifteen minutes after the polls closed.

The Molster bill abolishing convict labor and providing for farming out convicts in blocks of twenty to the various counties for work on the highways, has been favorably reported by the house committee on labor interests. There is not much reason for believing that it will pass, however, the prospect being that the present system of employing the convicts will not be disturbed. President Barter [illegible] tary Crewe of the State F[illegible] Labor have been here consi[illegible] the beginning of the sessi[illegible] for the abolishment of the cort[illegible] tem. While they have made [illegible] verts, it is not believed that a sufficient number have been secured to pass the bill.

Will Ruin Fishermen's Business.

A hearing will be given by the house committee on fisheries tomorrow night on the bill requiring the use of nets with larger meshes than those now in use by commercial fishermen. It is proposed to increase the size of the mesh from 2½ to 3 inches. The fishermen say that if this is done their business will be ruined, as a mesh of the size proposed will permit the passage of almost every food fish found in the waters of the great lakes. This same fight has been waged every session for the past ten or fifteen years, the contestants being the commercial fishermen on the one side, and the state fish commission on the other. Thus far the former have invariably scored a victory, and it is not improbable that they will do so again. A memorial recently read in the house against the passage of this bill shows that the annual catch of fish in the great lakes averages as follows: Lake herring, 35,740,960 pounds; other white fish, 10,327,098 pounds; pike and pike perch, 14,934,948 pounds; yellow perch, 8,642,311 pounds; lake trout, 16,279,973 pounds; catfish, 1,053,134 pounds; sturgeon, 1,426,584 pounds; total, 96,619,671 pounds. It will be seen from these figures that the commercial fishing industry is one of much importance and is entitled to due consideration at the hands of the legislature. The value of the annual catch exceeds $1,000,000, the capital invested in the industry equals that figure, and the industry gives employment to about 5,000 men.

The members of the house committee on towns and counties are in Lake county this week looking over the situation so that they may act intelligently on Representative Fleschauer's bill providing for the disorganization of that county, and the annexation of the territory to the county of Osceola. The claim is made that about six townships in the eastern part of Lake county bear substantially the entire burden of taxation, the pine having been removed from the other townships which have thus been rendered practically valueless.

Money for State Prisons.

It appears from a report made by Auditor General Dix, in response to a resolution of the house, that, since Michigan became a state just sixty years ago, there has been appropriated a total of $3,296,884.99 for the support of the prisons of the state. This total has been divided as follows: State prison at Jackson, $1,454,657.65; state house of correction at Ionia, $1,336,969.53; branch prison at Marquette, $489,057.09; Detroit house of correction for caring for female prisoners, $13,800.85.

Senator Mason has a liquor law which is considered a most drastic measure by saloonkeepers. It provides that licenses shall be issued by the circuit court instead of by the county treasurer, and then only after the would-be saloonkeeper has filed his application therefor setting forth his present and past occupation, and the fact that he is not the proprietor of any other saloon in the same county. This application is to be published, so as to afford the general public an opportunity to offer whatever objection they may have to his being given a license. The bill is designed to break up the practice some men have of running a series of saloons in the same city or county.

Another Job for Clerk Miller.

Chief Clerk Miller of the lower house, who, during the past two years, has made a new compilation of the statutes of Michigan, has been given another job by the present legislature. This is to include in the compilation the laws of 1897. Mr. Miller will receive $2,500 for his work under this bill, his compensation under the first bill having been $6,000. Those who have examined the manuscript say that the work has been exceptionally well done, and the compiler has been highly complimented by the commissioners appointed by Governor Rich to examine the compilation on behalf of the state. It has been a most laborious and responsible task. The legislature has also made provision for printing, binding and distributing the new compilation. The work is to be done by the state printer, and 20,000 volumes will be printed. The total cost of the work is estimated at $50,000.

To Expedite Work.

The necessity for doing something to expedite the work in order to reach final adjournment in any kind of season has led Speaker Gordon to hold a conference with the chairmen of the various standing committees of the house. The result of the conference was the appointment of a steering committee whose duty it will be to sift the pending bills, weeding out the worthless ones, combining those relating to the same subject or seeking to accomplish the same object, and pushing the most meritorious to the front. This committee will be the sole witness of the demise of the pet measures of many of the legislators. The treatment provided for is heroic, but the occasion demands it.

The senate has agreed to the Dudley bill providing a bounty of 1 cent per pound for beet sugar of Michigan production. The bill was slightly amended in the senate, but the chances are that the amendments will be concurred in. The changes made by the senate are that the weigh masters and inspectors shall be appointed by and under the supervision of the commissioner of the state land office, instead of the secretary of state, and that the bounty shall be paid whether the United States offers a bounty or not. As it passed the house the bill provided that the state bounty shall cease whenever the general government offers one, the desire being to not pay two bounties.

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Jackson and Walling, Pearl Bryan's Slayers, Are Hanged.

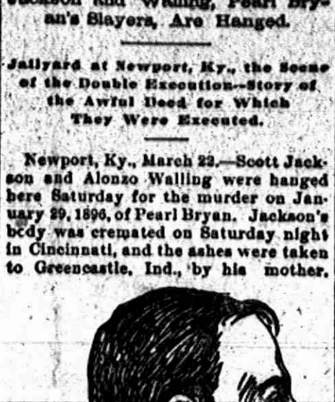
Jailyard at Newport, Ky., the Scene of the Double Execution—Story of the Awful Deed for Which They Were Executed.

Newport, Ky., March 22.—Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling were hanged here Saturday for the murder on January 29, 1896, of Pearl Bryan. Jackson's body was cremated on Saturday night in Cincinnati, and the ashes were taken to Greencastle, Ind., by his mother.

SCOTT JACKSON.

Walling will be buried at Hamilton, O., where his mother lives.

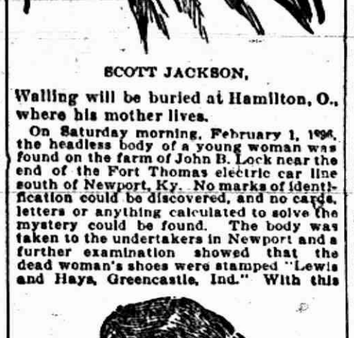
On Saturday morning, February 1, 1896, the headless body of a young woman was found on the farm of John R. Lock near the end of the Fort Thomas electric car line south of Newport, Ky. No marks of identification could be discovered, and no cards, letters or anything calculated to solve the mystery could be found. The body was taken to the undertakers in Newport and a further examination showed that the dead woman's shoes were stamped "Lewis and Hays, Greencastle, Ind." With this



ALONZO WALLING.

clew the detectives went to work with the result that the corpse was identified as Miss Pearl Bryan, aged 22, daughter of Alexander Bryan, a well-to-do farmer living half a mile south of Greencastle.

On January 27 Pearl Bryan left her home ostensibly to visit friends in Indianapolis, but instead came direct to this city to meet Scott Jackson, a student at the Ohio College of Dental Surgery. Jackson failed to keep his appointment with the girl, and after wandering about the city she went to the Indiana house and registered under an assumed name. The next day Jackson called at the hotel to see her. On Wednesday, January 29, she left the Indiana house with Jackson and a fellow student named Alonzo Walling, and from that day until her body



PEARL BRYAN.

was found at Fort Thomas, nothing is positively known as to the movements of the trio.

A post mortem examination of the corpse revealed the fact that the dead girl was about to become a mother.

Jackson and Walling were arrested at their boarding house on West Ninth street and charged with the murder. At the preliminary examination of the prisoners each accused the other of having killed the girl. Jackson admitted that he was acquainted with the girl, but denied any knowledge of the murder. Walling said he did not know her.

Not once in all the hundred severe examinations to which Jackson and Walling have been subjected have they blundered or revealed anything. They have been self-possessed, keenly intelligent and cold-blooded through it all.

Scott Jackson was 27 years old, the only son of Mrs. John Jackson, a highly respected widow, of Greencastle, Ind. His sister is married to Dr. Edwin Post, professor of Latin in Depauw university, Indiana.

Alonzo Walling was 20 years old, son of Mrs. Sarah Walling, of Oxford, O.

Cleveland, O., March 24.—The Bessemer Iron association, known as the iron ore pool, met here Tuesday and after fruitless efforts to reach an agreement the association was formally dissolved.

Chicago, March 22. — The boiler of a Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway engine exploded in this city, killing Alexander Frank, engineer, and Edward B. Smith, fireman.

ENTER A PROTEST.

Minority Report Presented on the Dingley Tariff Measure.

Washington, March 23.—The views of the minority of the committee on ways and means upon the tariff bill were presented to the house Monday evening by Representative Bailey (dem., Tex.), the leader of the democracy. It read as follows:

"This bill was framed with the avowed purpose of protecting the manufacturers of the United States against foreign competition, and it is perfectly obvious that if it accomplishes that purpose it must result in compelling the consumers of this country to pay more for their manufactured goods, and for this reason we think it should not pass. We rest our opposition upon the broad principle that congress was invested with the power of taxation as a means of collecting from each citizen his fair proportion toward the support of the government, and that it is a gross perversion of that sovereign power to employ it as a means of enabling favored classes to levy unjust charges upon the great body of the people.

"If government has a right to levy taxes upon the people for the purpose of inducing men to establish unprofitable industries, or industries which can only be made profitable by compelling the consumers of the United States to pay exorbitant prices for their products, then the bounty system is a more direct and less complex way of attaining that end, and at least has the advantage of directness and simplicity.

"It follows as a matter of course that a bill based upon a vicious principle must be injurious in its effects, and perhaps no effect could be more pernicious than the extravagance which the bill encourages. The tabulated statement embraced in the committee report shows that the bill is expected to raise $113,000,000 more revenue than was collected in customs during the last fiscal year; and yet, as is shown by the same report, the difference between the government receipts and disbursements during that year was only $25,000,000. It is well known that the importations of last year were smaller than usual, owing to the general depression that existed in all circles; but even supposing that importations hereafter can be kept at a level with the importations of 1896, the bill will collect from the people more than $90,000,000 annually above the requirements of our present extravagant and wasteful appropriations.

"If the system of unnecessary taxation is indefensible because of the extravagance which it encourages, it is still more so on account of the trusts which it fosters and promotes. It is not more certain that protection encourages extravagance than it is that it breeds unlawful combinations of capital. Indeed, protection is justified upon the avowed theory that competition should be restricted. True enough, it assumes the patriotic pretense that foreign competition ought not to be permitted against our home industries, but they little understand the selfishness of human nature, and especially they little understand the selfishness of that human nature which relies upon the favoritism of the law to increase its fortune, who suppose that these men, having secured themselves against foreign competition by the favor of congress, will fail to secure themselves against domestic competition by voluntary combinations among themselves.

"It is an old adage, and it is as true as it is old, that 'competition is the life of trade,' and whatever tends to restrict competition must tend to restrict trade. The majority of the committee seem to think it an easy matter for us to build a tariff wall about our borders and thus prevent the foreigners from trading with us, but they forget that the same wall which shuts the foreigner out shuts us in, and that regulations to prevent the foreigner from trading with us must at the same time prevent us trading with the foreigner. We believe in the principles of competition, and we believe the people of the United States can successfully compete against all other people of the world, and we denounce as a crime against the best interests of our people any law which leaves the consumers of this land subject to the exactions of reckless and corrupt combinations formed to destroy competition and control prices.

"We are unable to offer a substitute for the pending bill, because we have not been allowed a reasonable time to prepare one. Congress convened in extraordinary session on Monday, the 15th day of March, and this bill was introduced the same day and referred to the committee on ways and means, which met the next morning, and on Thursday it was ordered to be reported to the house. The majority of the committee had spent the three months of the last session of the last congress in the preparation of their bill, and yet they refused to allow the minority three weeks in which to prepare a substitute. We are unwilling to propose a measure that has not been carefully matured, and we must therefore content ourselves with protesting against the passage of the committee's bill."

Will Quit.

Chicago, March 24.—Within a week it is expected by high railroad officials that not one of the organizations having jurisdiction over passenger and freight rates will be in existence in this country, as a result of the plain decision of the United States supreme court that all associations which have for their purpose the maintenance of agreed rates and the division of traffic are illegal. The oldest organizations of this character must go to pieces. There is no loophole for escape.

Life Sentence for Wife Murderer.

Chicago, March 24.—Michael J. O'Brien, the politician and West side saloon keeper who shot and killed his wife about two years ago, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life by Judge Ball. O'Brien plead guilty with the hope of securing leniency. In a former trial the jury disagreed.

Blow at Pugilism.

Chicago, March 23.—National officers of the Woman's Christian Temperance union have forwarded an appeal to President McKinley asking him to secure the aid of congress and that of the governors and legislatures of every state to prohibit pugilism and the exhibition of pugilistic pictures.

"Vic" Is a Widow.

London, March 22.—John Biddulph Martin, the well-known banker of this city, who married Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull, died from pneumonia Saturday at Las Palmas, Grand Canary.

Found Dead.

Springfield, Ill., March 23.—William M. Glenn was found dead in bed. For several sessions of the legislature Mr. Glenn had been in charge of the Associated Press bureau at the capital.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Fifty-Fifth Congress Meets in Extra Session.

Matters of Importance Brought Before the Senate and House—Brief Summary of the Daily Proceedings.

Washington, March 19. — In the United States senate yesterday the constitutional amendment for the popular election of United States senators was reintroduced and a resolution was agreed to instructing the committee on foreign relations to inquire whether the islands of St. Croix, St. John's and St. Thomas of the West Indian group could be purchased by the United States. In executive session the arbitration treaty was favorably reported.

Washington, March 20.—The senate open session lasted 50 minutes yesterday and was given almost entirely to the introduction of bills. In executive session the arbitration treaty was discussed. A bill to permit the acquisition of free homes under the homestead law on land ceded by Indians just as on any other part of the public domain was favorably reported, and the nomination of Charles U. Gordon as postmaster at Chicago was confirmed.

Washington, March 23.—The Anglo-American arbitration treaty was advanced considerably toward final ratification by the senate yesterday. Bills were reported for free homes on public lands and for restricting immigration by an educational qualification. The nomination of Binger Hermann, of Oregon, to be commissioner of the general land office, was received from the president. A resolution was agreed to calling upon the president for the correspondence between this government and Spain and between Consul-General Lee in regard to the arrest, imprisonment and death at Guanabacoa, Cuba, of Dr. Ruiz.

Washington, March 24.—A motion by Senator Allen (pop., Neb.) to instruct the committee on civil service to inquire and report whether the civil service law should be continued, amended or repealed, was adopted, and the bill repealing the timber culture laws was passed in the senate yesterday. Senator Turpie (dem., Ind.) spoke at considerable length in advocacy of the election of United States senators by the popular vote.

The House.

Washington, March 19.—In the house yesterday Mr. Jenkins (Wis.) introduced a bill amending the civil service laws so as to provide that a civil service employe's term of service shall expire at the end of five years.

Washington, March 20.—The sundry civil bill ($53,147,351) and the general deficiency bill ($8,116,214) were passed in the house yesterday. Mr. Dingley reported the tariff bill and it was decided to vote on the measure on the 31st inst.

Washington, March 22.—In the house on Saturday the two remaining "left over" appropriation bills, the agricultural bill carrying $3,182,902 and the Indian carrying $7,670,220, were passed. Mr. Maxwell (Neb.) introduced a bill to encourage the erection of mills for the manufacture of sugar and sirup from beets.

Washington, March 23. — The time was occupied in the house yesterday in discussing the tariff bill, Mr. Dingley speaking in favor and Mr. Wheeler (Ala.) in opposition.

Washington, March 24.—A bill was introduced in the house yesterday by Mr. Howe (N. Y.) which provides that any person in the employ of the government who shall utter words that reflect or cast reproach on the American flag shall be immediately dismissed from the service. Speeches for and against the tariff bill were delivered.

SUICIDE OF A SHERIFF.

Jacob Malmgren Found Dead in a Car at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—The dead body of Sheriff Jacob Malmgren, of Saline county, Kan., was found in an empty box car in the bottoms here Tuesday. He had shot himself in the head with a revolver and left a note stating that he was tired of life. He mysteriously disappeared from Salina last Friday, when it became known he was short over $1,000 in his accounts with the county. When found he had apparently been dead only a few hours.

Bad Fire in Wisconsin.

Boscobel, Wis., March 24.—The prosperous little village of Bloomington, Grant county, was almost swept off the earth by fire early Tuesday morning. Fire started in a saloon building at one a. m., and, with a high northeast wind, swept through 19 business buildings in a short time. The village has no fire protection and the fire had its own sway. The total loss will reach $50,000, with an insurance of only $3,000.

Train Goes Through a Bridge.

Murphysboro, Ill., March 24.—The engine and four cars of the north-bound local on the Chicago & Texas railway went down with the bridge across the Big Muddy river at Aldridge station, south of Grand Tower. Engineer Joe Forester and Fireman James Anderson were drowned.

Perfume in the Air.

On some parts of the coast of France, when the wind is in the east, the mist that appears bears with it a very noticeable perfume.

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CLINTON.

Miss Kit Ebbitt was in Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Maggie Collins was a Tecumseh visitor Saturday.

Miss Eva Shimman was home from Toledo over Sunday.

See Varo, the wonderful shot and slack wire performer

Mrs. D. E. Haggart has been quite ill for the past few days.

Miss Ella Tuttle has a new Columbia bicycle. Came Saturday.

E. D. St. John, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Clinton relatives.

Miss Jennie VanTuyle was a Manchester visitor last Friday.

Mrs. E. E. Fowler has been on the sick list the past few days.

A. C. Huntington and Sadie were Tecumseh visitors last Friday.

The magniscope is ahead of the brograph and similar inventions.

New Amet Magniscope at town hall three nights commencing Monday next.

Miss Isabel Davis returned Saturday from a week's visit with Detroit friends.

L. A. Dudley, of Battle Creek, arrived Wednesday for a visit at W. S. Whittelsey's.

Miss Alice Perry returned to Chicago Saturday after a short visit at her old home.

Fred Weaver came down from Manchester Friday night, to attend Masonic lodge

Miss Minnie McAdam came home from Manchester Saturday for a week's vacation

Sidney Case and Charlie Younghans, of Manchester, spent Sunday with Clinton friends

Sanford C. Rose, who has been attending college at Lansing, returned home last Thursday

Leon Clark came home from Albion Wednesday morning, to spend his Easter vacation

Chas. Bostedor, Sr., visited friends at Grass Lake and Napoleon the latter part of last week.

Miss Mae Fletcher, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Florence House the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks returned home Monday after a few days' visit with friends at Jackson

Miss Kate Ebbitt, of Chicago, has been visiting Clinton friends since Thursday of last week.

Gust Lundquist, who has been spending the winter at Ravenna, O., returned to Clinton Wednesday.

Mrs. Fannie Rundell and Miss Abbie Chase, of Manchester, were calling on Clinton friends last Friday

Mrs. A. F. Tuttle spent a few days the first of the week in Tecumseh with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook.

E. F. Morey and wife, of Detroit, have been guests at D. Woodward's since Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bailey have been entertaining Miss Elizabeth Sutton, of Sutton, during the past week.

Miss Sara Huntington has been on the sick list. She will not be able to return to her studies this term.

Mrs. J. D. Cameron, nee Laura Shuler, returned to her home at Indianapolis, Ind., Monday, after quite an extended visit with Clinton relatives.

As spring approaches people begin to think and talk about base ball and the inquiry is often heard, "Are we to have a team this year?" Thinking it may be of interest to the readers of the HERALD, we have secured a complete record of the work done by the team of 1896, showing the number of games played by each member, as well as the batting and fielding average.

BATTING.

Players	G	TB	BH	R	2BH	3BH	HR	SB	SO	Ave
Harris	9	47	22	14	4	1	0	5	2	.468
Edd	7	21	9	6	5	0	0	1	5	.391
Hawe	15	70	27	25	3	0	0	13	2	.385
Hollenbeck	6	4	3	4	2	0	1	0	4	.357
Gillen	11	47	16	15	5	2	1	4	6	.340
Cotton	17	57	19	21	6	1	1	7	4	.334
Huntington	13	50	14	12	2	0	0	9	6	.288
Fox	4	15	4	5	2	0	0	0	2	.266
Parker	9	32	8	11	1	0	0	9	4	.250
Rogers	14	32	8	9	1	0	0	9	4	.253
Kennedy	10	27	7	3	2	0	0	0	8	.259
Lancaster	14	40	10	9	2	0	0	3	8	.304
Martin	10	27	1	3	0	0	0	0	8	.000

FIELDING.

Players	G	PO	A	E	Ave.
Harris, pc	9	88	13	0	1.000
Fox, c	4	9	1	0	1.000
Eddy, cf	7	9	1	0	1.000
Parker, 1b	9	77	10	1	.973
Gillen, c	11	61	7	2	.970
Hollenbeck, 1b 3b	6	14	7	1	.954
Hawe, 1b	15	91	6	6	.940
Martin, p	10	1	13	3	.817
Rogers, lf	14	18	4	2	.909
Kennedy, p 3b	10	4	3	2	.777
Lancaster, 2b cf	14	10	10	7	.714
Cotton, ss	17	12	18	9	.731
Huntington, rf	13	3	2	2	.710

Mrs. Thos. Kirk entertained her sister, Mrs. A. VanWinkle, of Tecumseh, the latter part of last week.

Miss Blanche DePuy, who has been with friends at Grass Lake for several weeks, returned home last Friday.

Miss Anna Kirchgessner, who has been at Jackson for the past few months, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Thos. Feather, of Jackson, was the guest of Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Henry Mahrle and Miss Bertha Samark were married Sunday afternoon at Geo. Sanford's. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. C. Stevenson.

W. H. Dorr, A. F. Kishpaugh, Geo. Runyan, Geo. DePuy, E. Stansfield, Harry Davis, C. C. Rowland, H. B. Starrett, A. L. Smith, F. C. Martiny, E. VanDeMark, Dr. J. E. White and Chas. Fabrique attended the school of instruction for Chapter Masons at Tecumseh Monday.

Lindsley and Kishpaugh have rented the livery barn and all of the outbuildings of E. A. Clark and will use them in connection with their hardware and implement business, making a showroom for farm implements of the large carriage room in the main building. The others will be used for storage.

The New Amet Magniscope Co., under the management of J. H. Gullford, will entertain the people of Clinton for three nights at town hall commencing next Monday night. In connection with the magniscope will be one of Edison's latest and largest concert bell phonographs. Admission, adults, 25c.; children, 15c. Reserved seats at Lancaster's store.

The following township officers were nominated at the "silver" caucus Wednesday afternoon:

Supt.—B. G. Woodard.
Clerk—G. R. Gillespie.
Treas.—A. S. Marshall.
J. K.—Chas. McNeil.
Board of Review—Geo. Calhoun.
Highway Com.—Jno. Mansfield.
School Inspector—Miss Carrie Alvord.
Constables—George Sherwood. Wm. Norcross, Chas. Smith.

ONSTED.

J. Anderson is working for Wal Lapham.

John Kane was at Mt. Clemens last week for medical treasment.

S. H. Baker, our barber, has moved his shop one door south of his old place.

John Shekell, assistant attorney of Jackson county, was in town recently.

Walt Lapham visited Jackson recently and brought a span of horses back with him.

Persons who have maple trees enough for a good sized bush, have them in running order.

Bert Karr has purchased two lots of Mr. Elwards and will erect a house early in the season.

The next meeting of the Cambridge Farmers' club will be held at John Dewey's, April 3rd.

C. Jossup now holds forth at the brick store, selling and mending harnesses and repairing shoes.

J. F. Hallett has the frame of his house up and it will be enclosed as fast as the weather will permit.

Mr. Bell, the jeweler, has moved his household effects into a part of the old Greenleaf house and will occupy it as a home for the present.

P. O. Maxwell, after an illness of a number of weeks, passed away Monday of last week. The funeral was held the following Thursday. We shall miss his familiar figure and merry laugh, but his memory will remain with us.

A Mr. Losey and son, of Adrian, have located here and have leased the wood work and blacksmith business of Mr. Russell. The elder gentleman, with his family, will live in the Stoddard house and the son will occupy the rooms over the brick store.

A Good Thing.

The publishers of the World Famous Twice-A-Week Detroit Free Press desire to introduce their paper to new readers, and are making the following very liberal offer: They will send the paper twice each week for ten weeks for the small sum of TEN CENTS. Just think of it. Twenty papers for only ten cents. One-half cent a copy. Do not fail to take advantage of this wonderful offer. The Free Press needs no recommendation. Send 10c in stamps or silver to The Detroit Free Press, Detroit, Mich

Michigan to Texas.

That Pe-ru-na is unequaled as a spring medicine is tested by a great many people every spring. When one is run down, listless and tired, depressed with that peculiarly distressing trouble popularly known as Spring Fever, Pe-ru-na should always be taken, as it is sure to give prompt and permanent relief.

Lena L. Stoll, Adrian, Mich., writes as follows: "It affords me great pleasure to testify to the merits of your Pe-ru-na. I can speak in the highest terms it, having used it for five years as a spring medicine with great benefit to myself and I recommend it to my friends with like results." J. R. Stuart, Eastland, Tex., the opposite end of the continent, corroborates her statements as follows: "I purchased a bottle of Pe-ru-na and it was used by myself and wife as a spring medicine. I consider it the best dollar's worth I ever bought. My wife has used your remedies with gratifying results.

One of Dr. Hartman's latest books, treating on the catarahal diseases peculiar to spring, will be sent free to any address by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

Coffee derives its name from Kaffa, East Africa, where the berry was first raised.

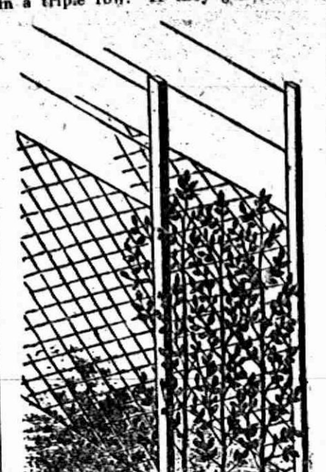
Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

HORTICULTURE.

EXCELLENT TRELLIS.

Things to Be Considered in a Support for Sweet Peas.

Grow them at their best and provide for both height and strength. Then allow for their loose branching habit, and give them width enough to ramble. While a six-foot single trellis of poultry-wire running between the double rows is passably good, it cramps the vines, and I would prefer to plant the seed in a triple row. If they grow above



TRELLIS FOR SWEET PEAS.

that, a few strands of wire will give the top something to cling to. The illustration shows a trellis of this kind. If you still prefer to use a single support of six-foot poultry wire, frame it up well, and tack on the posts short crosspieces, from the ends of which stretch wires to hold the vines well up to the poultry-wire. In regard to amount of seed to be sown, an ounce to every ten feet of trellis would be about right. I have an idea that a trellis such as here illustrated could also be used to show off a row of tomatoes to best advantage.—T. Greiner, in Farm and Fireside.

PLANTING SUGAR BEETS.

Hints from a Circular Issued by a Sugar Factory.

Plant a space 66 feet square—one tenth of an acre.

Keep all stock off the land after the rains begin.

Plow deep, break up thoroughly, pulverize the soil before planting.

Sow when the soil is warm, after the rains, say in April or May.

One pound of seed will seed one-tenth of an acre.

Sow in rows 18 or 21 inches apart.

Sow with a drill, forced feed; sow shallow, just deep enough to be covered.

Seed should come up in seven to twenty-one days.

Thin the beets as soon as they develop four leaves.

Thin out from six to ten inches, according to richness of soil.

Leave only one beet in one place, and that the most vigorous one.

Keep weeds out entirely.

Do not allow the crust to form on the top of the land after seeding or while beets are growing.

Continue to keep the soil loose by drawing a cultivator between the rows until the tops cover the ground.

Beets should ripen in from 120 to 160 days from the time of seeding.

When the outer leaves turn yellow and die down, it is an indication that the beets are ripening or ripe.

To get a proper sample, dig two or three rows in different parts of the field. Sort them into three sizes—large, medium and small—and take every 20th beet at random from the three piles.

Sample should contain 25 to 30 beets.

Do not cut the tops off with a knife, but twist the leaves off.

Ship in sacks as soon as possible after digging.

Mark each sack plainly with name and address of raiser. Send duplicate shipping receipt and letter containing full particulars, by mail, stating yield in pounds of the tenth acre seeded.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES.

Green potatoes are not profitable to the grower, the buyer nor the consumer.

One of the prime needs of agriculture to-day is more brains and less muscle.

Temperature for all vegetables should be 32 to 35 degrees. Keep a thermometer in your root house.

Dig when ripe, and not until ripe. Potatoes are not ripe or fit for market when the skin will rough in handling.

Teach your boy that it is just as honorable to haul manure, plow corn or dig potatoes as it is to stand behind the counter.

Never buy trees and plants at any price that have been unduly mutilated at the root, and the roots being fairly supplied, never cut away more of the top than just sufficient to bring the tree into as symmetrical shape as possible. —Western Plowman.

How to Cultivate Beets.

Beets thrive best in soils that are rather light and well enriched. The seed should be sown in drills one foot or fifteen inches apart and one inch deep, as early as the ground can be worked. When the plants are large enough thin out to stand six inches apart in rows, and keep the patch well cultivated. An ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet of drill, and it takes from five to six pounds to the acre.—Dakota Field and Farm.

ORCHARD PARASITES.

Valuable Discovery to Fruit Growers Reported from Missouri.

The Missouri experiment station has made extensive experiments with different methods of killing the woolly aphis or apple root plant louse, regarded as one of the worst, if not the worst, enemy to the apple orchards of the southern half of Missouri.

The following is a brief summary of the discoveries made:

The limb form of this insect can be readily killed by one or two thorough sprayings with strong kerosene emulsion. Apple seedlings, buds, and grafts should be planted in a small trench filled with finely-powdered tobacco or tobacco dust and lightly covered with earth. This will keep the woolly aphis away. Apple nursery stock should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to the roots every spring, in order to kill the woolly aphis and prevent it from establishing itself there. It should be applied by removing some of the earth from around the roots, filling the excavation with tobacco dust, and lightly covering it with earth. Newly cleared timber land should be cultivated in corn or other crop for two years before the apple trees are set out, in order to kill the woolly aphis that may be on the roots of the wild crab and allied trees. Apple nursery stock should have the roots cleaned and dipped for a minute in strong kerosene emulsion, in order to kill the woolly aphis that may be there. In planting apple trees tobacco dust should be freely used among and over all the roots, and close around the trunk, in order to kill and prevent the woolly aphis from establishing itself there. Every spring, as soon as settled warm weather appears, each tree should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to its roots by removing the earth from around the trunk for a distance of two feet and four inches in depth, evenly filling this with the tobacco dust and covering it with earth. The root form of the woolly aphis may be cheaply and easily killed and kept away from an apple tree by the liberal use of tobacco dust. About five or six pounds of this substance should be applied as above directed to the roots of every infested tree, and one-half this amount should be applied in a similar manner each succeeding spring, costing approximately two cents per tree per year.

RAISING ASPARAGUS.

Some Varieties Which Have Given General Satisfaction.

A conveniently-sized bed is about six feet wide with a path two feet wide on each side. This will require six rows one foot apart and a bed of that width 50 feet long will be ample for an ordinary family, requiring about one pound of seed. It will require about three years from the time of sowing until the bed is in full bearing, but once established is good for 20 years. It should be sown in drills one foot apart and, when the plants are four or five inches high they should be thinned out so that the plants will be nine inches apart from each other in all the rows. Great care must be taken for the first year to keep down all weeds as soon as they appear, else they will choke up and destroy the young seedling asparagus.

THE PALMETTO ASPARAGUS.

The deeper the soil and the greater abundance of manure that is used the greater will be the crop. Until the Palmetto was brought out, Conover's Colossal was the leading sort, and justly so; but Palmetto is not only much earlier, but is also a better yielder and is more even and regular in its growth, and must eventually supplant the old favorite. Average bunches, containing 15 shoots, measure 13 inches round and weigh about two pounds. The Palmetto has now been planted in all parts of the country and appears to be equally adapted to all sections.—Farm and Home.

Valuable Food Plant.

A new and valuable plant known as the Chinese artichoke, introduced from Japan, is claimed to be fully equal to the potato as food and yields twice as many bushels per acre. Unlike the tall artichoke so well known, this grows to the height of about 12 inches, the tubers being formed like four or five round radishes growing together. Chemical analyses show them to be more nitrogenous than the potato; they require no peeling, as the skin is very thin, and they also keep well in winter. It is said that a single plant has been known to produce 200 tubers, and the crop yields 500 bushels per acre. Its botanical name is "Stachys Tuberifera," and it will be more closely investigated this year. It can be cooked in as many ways as the potato.

Care of Rhubarb Roots.

If your pie-plant roots have ceased to yield those large, tender stalks that are so desirable, there is some reason for it. Perhaps they were allowed to go to seed, or were deprived of too many leaves, or manure was withheld, or the roots of other plants or trees have encroached and robbed them of food and water. Possibly they have stood too long in one place and have developed too many eyes. If the roots are old the crowns may be uncovered and all the weaker eyes cut out. Then put on plenty of manure.

The Homocopathic Recorder,

July, 1896, says:

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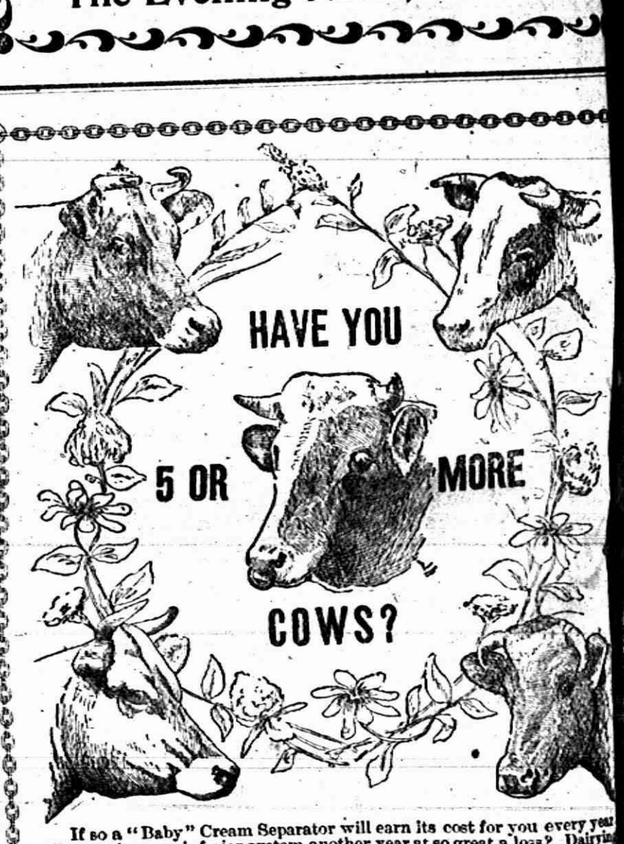

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Mrs. Will Nivison was quite ill the first of the week.

A large number of Brittonites were in Tecumseh Monday.

Alexander Champlain has been wrestling with the grip this week.

Daniel Allen, of Ridgeway, visited his son, Will, and family Sunday.

We haven't heard of Charlie Maycee's pumping water into the hotel tank lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. DuBois returned from their visit to Hillsdale county Saturday. They had a delightful time.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson assisted in the revival meeting at Ridgeway Monday evening and expects to again this evening.

A spider web social will be given this evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. DuBois by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church.

Uncle Henry Reynolds did not go to Oakland county last Thursday as he expected for a nephew came the day before for a visit. He did go, however, Monday.

Andrew Wood has been unable to perform his duties as section foreman this week on account of a lame back which has been painful as well as annoying.

George Clark, who for the past two months has been visiting relatives and old friends at Ridgeway and here, left Tuesday morning for his home at Steele, Dakota.

Willis J. Helm and family, accompanied by Mrs. Helm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamkin, of Franklin, visited Milan friends from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Will Rin kept bachelor's hall the first half of the week, his wife being gone. Not wishing her to find any dirty dishes on her return, he spent nearly half a day tidying up, so to speak.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will hold its next regular meeting in the church parlors next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Edgar Exiby's committee will serve tea to which the public generally are invited.

Our friend, Rin, the blacksmith, was laid up for repairs Saturday. The disappointment, occasioned by the inclement weather Friday last making it impossible for him to go to Tecumseh to ride the goat, was too much for him.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Grisier, of Dundee, arrived here Monday with their household goods and a large stock of groceries. Mr. G. has rented Frank Brown's store, fixed it up and now has a neat a grocery store and as fine a stock of goods as can be found in the county.

Clifford Underwood, Saturday night while doing the chores, had occasion to get on a stack. He jumped off, having a fork in his hand. On alighting he found the fork through his foot. How it was done is a mystery to him. Clif. thinks some of taking the road as a magician.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wiggins was filled with a large company of relatives and intimate friends Wednesday afternoon to witness the marriage of their only child, Fannie, to Clarence Exelby. It was a very pretty house wedding and the young couple, both of whom are very popular, have a bright future before them.

A large audience was present at the Reformed church last Sunday evening to listen to the pastor's discourse on the text, "Am I my brother's keeper." A life-size picture of a Chicago ward politician hung back of the speaker and was used by him to illustrate in the most forcible manner the vileness of much of the so-called "saloon caucus system" in cities.

Next Sunday at the Reformed church Rev. N. F. Nickerson will speak on the following topics: Morning, "The Harmony of Divine Attributes," and in the evening will illustrate his sermon on "Lot's Wife" with a painting showing the destruction of Sodom by a volcano as well as the turning of Lot's wife into a pillar of salt. A cordial invitation to the public is extended.

The party given by the young men at K. O. T. M. hall on the evening of St. Patrick's day was a grand success. The hall was beautifully decorated in green and the national colors. Refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream, sandwiches, cake and coffee, the sandwiches being daintily tied with ribbon emblematic of the occasion. Guests were present from Adrian, Blissfield, Tecumseh, Holloway and Macon.

Sam Underwood, Geo. Oliver, J. W. Clement, James Haight, Will Britton and Web Underwood attended the chapter school of instruction at Masonic Temple, Tecumseh, Monday. They went up on the train. The two former remained over night while the others walked home after the evening session. There being four of them, the distance was greatly reduced (their way of reckoning). They had great sport counting the ties.

The funeral of Lafayette Gregory, who died last Friday after an illness of only three days, was held Tuesday afternoon at his late residence and, notwithstanding the bad roads and inclement weather, was largely attended, Rev. James Wright being the minister. Mr. Gregory was a man highly respected by all who knew him, and his death coming unexpectedly to his friends, was a shock that time only can overcome. Lindershot Tent, K. O. T. M., of which K. G. was a valued member, attended in a body and the beautiful burial ritual of the order was used for the first time in the six years the tent has been organized.

RIDGEWAY.

Harness oil in bulk or cans at Ed Smith's.

School commenced Monday with a good attendance.

Mabel Graves is spending her vacation at home this week.

Lou Arner, of Tecumseh, enjoyed Sunday with her mother.

May Fletcher visited friends at Clinton Saturday and Sunday.

Editor Goodrich, of the Britton Citizen, was in the village Monday.

Rev. C. W. Baldwin, of Addison, is still assisting in special meetings.

Ed Smith and family spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Toledo.

Potatoes only 20 cents a bushel at Ed Smith's.

We are pleased to quote the condition of Samuel Barlow much improved.

May Jones visited at the home of Dick Gillespie, near Clinton, a portion of last week.

The death of Lafe Gregory, which occurred Friday of last week, was a shock to his many friends here.

Mrs. Lowe, mother of Supervisor Lowe, who was very sick last week, is some better at this writing.

Miss Addie Sherman who has been very sick with quinsy for the past two weeks, is able to be out again.

Horse clippers, all kinds at bottom prices at Ed Smith's.

Lulu and Lawrence Rappleye, visited the former's grandmother, Mrs. Stowell, at Dundee, Thursday of last week.

Ella Boyd and Lura Palmer went to Adrian Tuesday. They will attend the teachers' examination before returning.

Now is the time to feed Pratt's stock and poultry food. Buy it at Ed Smith's.

George Clark, who has been spending several weeks with his sister, Mrs. R. S. Houseman, left for his home at Steel, Dakota, Tuesday morning.

Now is the time for the citizens of Macon to exert every effort and secure the Lima Northern and have railroad privileges and accommodations.

Lulu Rappleye, who is teaching school near Hudson, spent her vacation with relatives and friends here, also attending the teachers' examination at Adrian this week.

Sheep shearing has began. Go to Ed Smith's for your wool twine.

Rollo Kirk Bryan, chalktalker, of Lansing, will be at the church next Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the high school and Epworth League. General admission 20; school children 10 cents.

Lawrence Rappleye started Wednesday for Onida, South Dakota, where he expects to spend the summer with his uncle, Gilbert Burch. He has the best wishes of his friends for a successful and enjoyable time.

The following is taken from the Ohio State Journal, of Columbus, Ohio: Mr. C. O. Hiscock, of this city, has invented a filing case which will be a valuable aid in classifying and preserving notes, clippings, legal documents and other written or printed matter. It is so arranged that the contents of each portfolio may be examined without taking the papers from their receptacles. Being thoroughly systematic and dust and moisture proof, it affords the best possible means of keeping for ready reference the valuable things which are so often lost. It ought to come into universal use.

The office of county commissioner of schools should not be a political one, for if one commissioner can lose a renomination by refusing special certificates, etc., another candidate can gain a nomination, perhaps, by promising to remember his "friends" when elected. There should be no room for charges of partiality and favoritism against a candidate for this office. If the teachers and the friends of teachers in this section desire a commissioner whose fairness and impartiality is unquestioned, they will do well to remember our former principal, J. C. Howell, who was the unanimous choice of the convention which nominated him.

Wednesday morning the patrons of the creamery were surprised when they went with their milk, to learn that Anton Christensen, who has been running the creamery for the past two years, had skipped. The last time he was seen was Tuesday morning, when he took the train for Tecumseh. For several days there had been evidence that led to the belief that all was not straight in his dealings with the patrons, and Monday action was taken by some of them which resulted in his sudden exit. For the past two years he has had entire charge of the business, making the butter, selling and shipping it, receiving the money and paying the patrons, on a commission of four cents per pound, the last shipment being to parties in New York City with instructions to pay him, in the place of a draft payable at the bank at Tecumseh, as was their custom. As near as can be ascertained, he has got nearly a thousand dollars the better of his patrons in the confidence that has been bestowed upon him. Mr. C. is a Dane by birth, having come from Denmark to this country over five years ago. He was a quiet, industrious citizen and a No. 1 butter maker. The supposition is that he went to New York and will sail for Denmark. The matter has been placed in the hands of the sheriff.

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CONE.

Wm. Ayers, of Adrian, was in town Monday.

Horace Logan was in town last Saturday, on business.

Miss Mertie Auten is visiting friends near Toledo this week.

Dr. Howell, of Detroit, was in town last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Clara Leibstaff was up from Auburndale several days last week.

George Schack has moved into M. Auten's tenant house in the village.

Mrs. Jane Auten has moved back to the village and Bert Gould has rented her farm for a year.

Oliver Curry, Ben Auten, Myron Ray, and Aaron Auten have gone to Adrian to work on the railroad.

Miss Nellie Dennison has gone to Milan to stay a few weeks with her cousin, at the Alderman house.

Alfred Ballou has gone to Auburndale to spend the summer. He will work on Fred Auten's dairy farm.

Miss Anna Goodridge came home from Ann Arbor last Saturday for a few weeks' stay with her parents.

J. C. Dennison went to Detroit Sunday to see his son, Martin, who is still at Emergency hospital, his right leg having been amputated above the knee.

Mrs. Mabel Laskey and two little sons, Grant and Lynn, of Toledo, and Miss Gertie Laskey, of Temperance, visited friends here the first of the week.

Lafayette Gregory, who lived two miles west of this village, died Friday, March 19th, of inflammation of the lungs, aged about 35 years. He was a prominent Maccabee, being a member of the Britton lodge and was buried with Maccabee rites of honor. He is the third member of the family that has died within thirteen months, and his little son, George, is very sick at this writing. Mr. Gregory leaves a wife, one son and six sisters to mourn his loss. He will be greatly missed by his neighbors and friends and the family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

HOLLOWAY.

August Filter's little girl is quite sick.

The new organ at Maccabee hall is pronounced a fine instrument.

New spring millinery goods are being received at the rooms of E. H. Fish.

Mr. Bert Staup, of Ogden, visited Edward Isley and family over Sunday.

A sugar social will be held at Maccabee hall, Friday evening April 2nd. All are invited.

Charles Anthony was home over Sunday and accompanied his family to Tecumseh Tuesday.

Mrs. Miranda Ivison, of Palmyra, was a guest of Charles Pfund and family a few days this week.

Sheds were erected at the creamery Saturday, to accommodate teams coming from a distance.

No Sunday-school will be held at the F. M. church next Sunday, on account of the meeting at Wellsville.

Rumor has it that sheds will be erected here in the near future, to take the place of those burned last spring.

The Clover Leaf creamery is doing a flourishing business, from 1,100 to 1,200 of milk being brought in every alternate day.

Loren Pardee is home for a few days from his canvassing business in Ohio. He is one of the successful kitchen cabinet agents.

Miss Addie Vandercook was a caller in town Saturday. She was on the way to her school near Blissfield, which began Monday.

LAKE RIDGE.

Alfred Lewis is able to be around again.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Rob McCarigby a daughter, March 18th.

Miss Lila Hendershot is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. Osgood, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Allison, of Ridgeway, visited at Frank Southard's over Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Nickeson did not give us the "chalk talk" as was expected, owing to the rain and bad roads.

Mr. Barnes, the mail carrier, is not in love with the country around Britton at the present time.

Lizzie and Florence Murphy, after a week's vacation, have resumed their duties in the Ridgeway high school.

Mrs. Martin Miller, who has been visiting at W. Miller's for the past two months, has returned to Gratiot county.

Joseph Hunter will soon occupy A. Harrington's tenant house and will give his time fully to the mercantile business.

This neighborhood was shocked Saturday to hear of the death of Lafe Gregory, after an illness of only a few days' duration. The deceased was a man of about 35 years of age and had always lived on the farm where his death occurred. He leaves a wife, one child and several sisters and was well and favorly known to the community at large.

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MACON.

Mrs. Ezra Gleason is very low with little hope of recovery, at this writing.

The Day house is being repaired preparatory to being occupied by John Sherman.

Elmer Britton, of Belleville, Mich., visited his aunt, Mrs. Milton Davenport, a number of days last week.

Topic for E. L. meeting next Sunday evening is "Prayers for Missionaries," Isa. 62:6-7. Leader, Sumner Cotton.

Gamaliel McKenzie, who has been visiting Macon friends for a number of weeks, returned to his home in Chicago Thursday.

Sumner Collins and wife, who have been spending a week with Macon friends, returned to their home in Tecumseh Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Irwin Conklin Wednesday, April 7th.

The many friends of Lafe Gregory were pained to learn of his death Friday of last week. The wife and friends have the sympathy of this community in this hour of sad bereavement.

If asked the question "Have you got a stomach?" it would be safe, on general principles, to answer "Yes." But if you are SURE of it, that is, if you ever feel any distress after eating or any pains of whatever description in the region of the stomach, you have got something more than an ordinary stomach; in other words, you have got a diseased stomach. The stomach is a powerful muscle, and the proper remedy for a tired muscle is rest. Try the Shaker Digestive Cordial, for this product not only contains digestive food, which will nourish the system without any work on the part of the diseased organs, but it aids the digestion of the other foods as well. You can test its value in your case for the trifling sum of ten cents. Sample bottles at this price are carried by all druggists.

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In the last issue of the TECUMSEH HERALD, the democratic editor of that paper undertakes to point out several alleged reasons why the democratic candidate for county school commissioner should be elected in preference to the republican. The News repeats what it has candidly said before that in matters pretaining to our schools, political questions should be laid aside and only qualifications consid red. If this is done at the election this spring, Mr. Hensel, the republican candidate, will be elected unanimously. Our democratic friend up the street, in his zeal for party advantage, utters several misstatements, when he might just as easily have stated the truth. The News is also reliably informed that Mr. Howell, the democratic nominee, is not a graduate of the Normal school full course, amd holds only a five-years' certificate. It is an open question, whether, under the school law, he is eligible to the office at all. The News will be perfectly content to let the people decide the merits of the two gentlemen, believing that many will do so unbiased by political reasons or personal prejudice.—Tecumseh News.

THE HERALD is under obligations to its down-the-street neighbor for not mentioning those "misstatements" which were so uselessly used in place of truth regarding Mr. Hensel. No doubt that part of the article which contained these aforesaid untruths was not quoted for the same kindly reasons. The editor of the HERALD is also staggered with the force of the News argument that Mr. Hensel should be elected because he should be elected. Mr. Hensel is no doubt, personally, a fine man, his qualifications as an educator may be the best, but of one thing the voters of Lenawee county may be certain, John Howell is in every way competent to fill the position of county commissioner of schools, this is a conceded fact by republicans and democrats alike. He is a Lenawee county man, educated in Michigan and his home and interests are identical with those of old Lenawee. Mr. Hensel is an Ohio man and his interests are in that state, not in Michigan. The HERALD would not for a minute think that the editor of the News would, even under the most trying circumstances, print anything in his paper that would even tend to mislead, much less tell an untruth, but he evidently chooses poor advisers as the following statement of fact plainly shows:—With reference to the eligibility of Prof. John C. Howell to hold the office of county commissioner of schools fer which he was nominated by the recent democratic county convention, attention is called to Act No. 66, Sec. 3, Public Acts of 1895, which is the last Act of our legislature relative to the question. The section referred to provides as follows:—"Persons eligible to hold the office of commissioner of schools must possess, besides an experience of twelve months as teacher in the public schools of the state, one of the following qualifications:—Must be a graduate of the literary department of some reputable college, university or state normal school, having a course of at least three years, or hold a state teacher's certificate, or be the holder of a first grade certificate." Now, Mr. Howell is a graduate of the Michigan State Normal School, having pursued the full literary course of study there, and holds his diploma attesting the fact from such institution. Such being the fact, his eligibility to the office is unquestionable and undeniable.

THE ROAD WILL COME.

Arrangements Perfected so that Tecumseh will Secure the Lima Northern R. R.

The HERALD of last week stated that the Lima Northern people must have an answer from the citizens of Tecumseh by Saturday of last week whether the bonus could be raised or not. Saturday came and the committee was so confident that the full amount could be raised that a telegram was sent appointing a meeting with Messrs. Townsend and Brailey for Tuesday evening, the 23rd. All day Monday and Tuesday the business men were out hustling and when the time came for the meeting Tuesday evening $7000 were raised. The railroad representives were not certain that the amount over $6000 would be sufficient to secure the right-of-way, hence the committee have agreed that all assistance necessary shall be given when the time comes to map out the route.

This railroad should give a new lease of life to Tecumseh, cheaper fuel will give the factories now here an opportunity to better compete, and should any new ones desire to locate, Tecumseh will have the necessary facilities to make it possible for them to come, remain and prosper.

This road should bring to our town a market which cannot be surpassed in the county for any and every kind of produce. With these facilities, together with the increased advantages in passenger service in enabling us to get in and out of Tecumseh, we should be satisfied.

The soliciting committee, which consisted of Messrs. Garlinghouse, Hicks and Mills, has done noble work, but at the last it seemed as if every man in Tecumseh became interested and to every man who signed his name for any amount should be given a share of the credit of securing the road. The railroad managers tell the HERALD that cars should be running into Tecumseh by June 15th, and that by early fall we can patronize the new route into Detroit. Neither Tecumseh as a town nor one of her citizens has the least feeling in any way toward Clinton on account of this railroad matter. Tecumseh wanted the road, has secured it, and would now hold up both hands in approval could it go to both Clinton and Macon. But let us rejoice. Verily, the toot of the Lima Northern will soon be in the land.

LITERARY NOTES.

The secret of Mark Twain's remarkable popularity will be explained in the April number of the Atlantic Monthly in a novel and instructive fashion by Mr. Charles Miner Thompson. He points out that in great measure the most successful books of the humorist are essentially autobiographical, and that the great personality that dominates them is in all essential respects a typical American. In this way there is a strange kinship between Abraham Lincoln and Mark Twain.

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LIFE.

On the wide waste one tree stands [forth
In whose green bloom
The snow bird nestles when the North
Blows down with death and doom.

Huge forces, wind and snow and [storm,
Here meet and part;
In the white chaos safe and warm
There beats one tiny heart.

Frederick Peterson, in April LIPPINCOTT'S.

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Evangelist Ira D. Sankey, the singer and composer, has written a new sacred song for the April Ladies' Home Journal. He has given it the title of "The Beautiful Hills," and considers it superior to his famous "Ninety and Nine." Mr. Sankey wrote it with the especial view of its appropriateness for outdoor choral singing—for campmeetings and other religious and semi-religious gatherings.

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The growing taste in the United States for decorative painting, as shown in the costly decoration of many recent structures, public and private, gives special timeliness and interest to a paper by Mr. Will H. Low in McClure's Magazine for April. Mr. Low, by his well-known ceiling in the Waldorf Hotel and other work of this kind, is himself closely identified with the new movement; and in this paper he touches upon the origin and extent of it, and then considers, biographically and critically, the three greatest masters of decorative painting, in recent times.

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The question of why plants are green does not, at first sight, seem very profound; but like many such questions, it is of great moment in the world of science. In Harper's Magazine for April, D. T. McDougal explains how the green pigment called chlorophyl enables the sun's rays to transform the crude materials of plant life into organic structures. If plants should suddenly cease to be green, the food-supply would be cut off from every living creature.

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A suggestive article on "Southern Women in the Last Decade" will be contributed by Maude Andrews Ohl to Harper's Bazar of March 27th. Southern women have changed their point of view in the last quarter century, and they are coming to the front in many ways. Their energy, pluck, and rare ability are well shown in this paper by Mrs. Ohl, who belongs herself to the South.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned session of March 11th, '97.

Present, the president, clerk, trustees Boyd, Heesen, Lowry and Wright.

Certificate of the board of election inspectors of the annual village election of the village of Tecumseh, held Monday, March 8th, 1897, presented. Said certificate showed that for the various village offices the following named persons received the number of votes set opposite their respective names:

For President—Alfred James 154; Charles E. Williamson 158.

For Clerk—James H. Elliott 190; Albert N. Conger 119.

For Treasurer—Frank D. Avery 194; Charles F. Field 119.

For Trustees, two years—Hendrick Heesen 189; John Heesen 185; Charles Eldridge 183; Samuel Catlin 116; Martin A. Zimmerman 112; Elijah Ames 124.

For Trustee, one year—John J. Orr 189; Charles Smith 115.

For Assessor—James A. Boyd 130; Jehiel Davidson 180.

The following named persons having received the largest number of votes, are hereby declared elected to the several village offices for the ensuing year:

President—Charles E. Williamson.
Clerk—James H. Elliott.
Treasurer—Frank D. Avery.
Trustees for two years—Hendrick Heesen, John Heesen, Charles Eldridge.
Trustee for one year—John J. Orr.
Assessor—Jehiel Davidson.

The following bills were presented and referred to the finance committee: W. J. Ingersoll, clerk, $65.85. Board of registration—Henry Heesen $3; James A. Boyd, $3. Election board—Geo. W. Frasier, A. S. VanWinkle, Cleo Hall, John Werner, Wm. Smith, W J. Ingersoll, each $3; Henry Bice, meals for boards, $3. Committee reporting favorably on all of the above bills, clerk was instructed to draw his orders on the village treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

Council then adjourned.

W J. INGERSOLL, Village Clerk.

Vick's Floral Guide, 1897.

For nearly half a century this catalogue of flower and vegetable seeds, plants, bulbs, roses, grains, potatoes, etc., has come as regularly as spring time. Here it is again to remind us that it's time to think about our gardens. This issue contains half a dozen full page half tone illustrations of roses, asters, gold flowers, carnations and tomatoes. It seems full of the necessary information for either amateur or professional. Send 15 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for a packet of either Vick's Branching Aster, New Japan Morning Glory or extra choice Pansy and a copy of Vick's Floral Guide. If you state where you saw this notice you will receive a package of flower seeds free.

That Tired Feeling.

About which newspaper jokers write so much is with most of us, at times an actual condition and not to be laughed at. It is the result of long neglect and misuse of the stomach and bowels. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin comes in and removes this feeling and life again seems worth living. Try a 10c bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple.

It is very probable that the north California division of the League of American Wheelmen will go out of existence.

Low Rates to Cincinnati.

For the Grand Operatic Festival at Cincinnati, during the week commencing Monday, March 29th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will make special low round trip rates from all stations. Tickets will be on sale March 29, 30 and 31, and April 1, 2 and 3, and will be good for return within three days from date of sale, but not later than for train leaving Cincinnati at 8:20 p. m., Sunday, April 4th.

For rates and time of trains, please see bills or inquire of C., J. & M. R'y agents.

T. C. M. Schindler,
Gen'l Pass. Agt.

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It costs no more to sow good seeds than it does to sow old and worthless stock. How foolish is the person who fails to get the best to start with. No doubt you have often thought of this, when your garden has not done very well. Will you jog along in the same way this year, or use a little forethought and send to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for their catalogue which contains a list of all that's new and good? Their seeds are always reliable—sure to grow and never disappoint. Send 10 cents for catalogue and deduct this amount from first order. Really costs nothing.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Butter	13	16
Eggs		10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 50	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 50	
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6 10 12	
Chickens, per lb	6 7	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	80 to 85	
Corn, shelled	20	25
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats		14 to 16
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 50
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Suit, $8.00 and $9.00.
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The Tecumseh Herald.

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GS FOR SALE.—Pure blood White Plymouth Rock Eggs, 25 cents per 13. Inquire address MRS. W. J. WALDRON, Tecumseh, Mich.

NION SILVER CAUCUS.—All those interested in the Free Coinage of Silver at ratio of 16 to 1 are requested to meet in ms at the office of Walter C. Burridge, on day evening, March 29, 1897, at 7 o'clock, for purpose of placing in nomination a Union et Ticket for the ensuing township election ated March 23, 1897.
BY ORDER OF COM.

Vincent Wood is home from the West.

Mrs. John Curry has been very ill this ek.

Mrs. Silas Smith continues in a critical condition.

Mrs. Levi Hayden has been quite ill h the grip.

Miss Katherine Anderson returned n the East last Monday.

A fresh lot of San Marto coffee just in. a pound. R. S. MOORE, Grocer.

w is the time to get photographs e is cutting the prices right in

u can not afford to miss seeing our e stock of Furniture if you are g to buy. WHEELER & SISSON.

nd still they are selling those fine s of carpets at Seaton W. Anders.

A. Slayton is buying wheat, oats, and corn, and paying highest market price.

rs. W. J. Waldron and her son, Wil-, have both been sick, but are now roving.

J. Freeman moved his cigar factory he second story of his own building erday.

here will be a regular meeting of K. P. lodge next Thursday evening :30 sharp.

M. Lamb, of Clayton, was the guest is nephew, H. R. Lamb, and family Sunday.

avid Mull has hired out with Chas. rn for the season, commencing k April 1st.

enn Jackson, of Ypsilanti, spent a ple of days with his parents the last he week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClure are reing over a young 8 lb. son recently n to them.

Miss Minnie Reeves, who has been ting her friends here since Tuesday, l return to Ypsilanti Monday.

ev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown entered the session of the Presbyterian rch at their home last evening for

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r. Bralley, of the Lima Northern, is own today and desires, if possible, rrange matters so as to commence next Monday, near Tecumseh.

fair audience was present at the a house last evening to witness the entation of the comedy drama, price," for the benefit of Company local talent under the direction of C Reynolds, and all were de-ed with the performance as the acters were sustained in a manner itable to professionals. John P. ett and Miss Reynolds took the ing roles and won additional honors heir already enviable reputations the local talent surprised their ds by their good work. Those nt were given a delightful surprise n DeVaro, who may be seen tonight tomorrow night, appeared and gave wonderful exhibitions of shooting the slack wire and his silent h and other acts called forth vociferous applause.

One half dozen Brownie photographs at Teeple's.

C. F. Field and wife are sbending a few days in Hudson.

Did you see those new capes and suits just opened at Seaton W. Anderson's?

Take your watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles to Fred P. Kennedy's for repairs.

Miss Edith Gamble is enjoying a few days' visit from Miss Julia Gilmore, of Lake Ridge.

Be sure you are at the opera house tonight and tomorrow night as you will be delighted.

Mrs. Charles Burridge and daughter Mary attended the funeral of Mrs. Gus. Cowley, in Hudson, Monday.

Mrs. Henry McClure, of Toledo, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George VanTyne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wightman were called to Palmyra Wednesday, by the serious illness of Mrs. W's neice.

Don't fail no see DeVero in his wire walking and fancy shooting tonight and tomorrow night. He is a wonder.

Miss Alice Temple is home from Albion to spend the Easter vacation. She is accompanied by a Miss Wood, of Saginaw.

The Amet magniscope is the latest of Edison's wonderful inventions and shows living pictures in a marvelous manner.

Too much gasoline—stove on fire—at W. A. Burlingames's—Thursday morning—fire put out—Alf James came—paid up loss—$3.99—Mrs. B. got money—all happy.

A nice letter was received recently from Al Paxson. Among other things he says the people there have removed their plants to their gardens and lawns in which they take great pride.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hunter, in Franklin, yesterday at one o'clock, their son Linford and Miss Maude Hodges, of this place, were married. They will reside on a farm near Adrian.

The literary exercises at the Monday club March 22nd were very interesting. Mrs. J. D. Shull gave the pathetic story of the "Golden Legend." Mesdames Shull, Howland, Lewis, Smith, Wright and Lee read "selections" from Longfellow's exquisite poem "The Golden Legend" founded on that old time story. The paper by Mrs. J. F. Hicks was about Philip Wonyerman and his paintings. Mrs. W. A. Orr described the artist Frans Hals, also included a sketch of Adrian Ostade.

Early Ohio patatoes for seed. Potatoes for eating, 25 cents. C. A. Slayton.

A deaf mute named Charles Poucher, who has worked around here for some time and borne a good reputation, was working for George Wilson, of Raisin, recently and while the family were away decamped with some jewelry and other things of value. He was caught at Clinton and taken before Justice Frasier yesterday. On account of his infirmity and it being the first offence he was given a light sentence, he having confessed to the theft. It is hoped that it will be a lesson to him.

The Farmers' Social club closed the series of winter meetings with a musical entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rector, Tuesday, March 23rd. The violin, piano and mandolin were the instruments used, and the appreciation of the listeners was proved by the hearty applause each player received. Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse read a paper on the early history of music, and told of those who had acquired fame in the various musical departments of the present century. A sketch of the the life of Emma Eames Story was read by Miss Rector. The club stands adjourned until May.

Friday and Saturday of this week the original Magniscope company will occupy Sutton's opera house, presenting Edison's animated pictures. They have the only original machine for exhibiting these pictures, and by witnessing one of their entertainments one can readily believe this. In connection with their magniscope they have a number of specialties, including the only De Varo, champion rifle shot of the world, on a slack wire. This part of the entertainment alone is worth the price of admission. In order that all may be able to witness these realistic pictures and attend one of the best exhibitions of the kind that has ever visited our city, the price of admission has been reduced to 15 and 25 cents.

Geo. Tansley says every article in his store is a bargain. Call and see him.

It is doubtful if ever a wedding occurred that was such a complete surprise to this community as was that of Wolcott W. Marsh and Mrs. B. L. Wetmore, which took place at the Emery House, Adrian, Tuesday afternoon, at 3:30, Rev. Mr. Spencer of that city officiating. The lady, whose home was Union City, Mich., has been stopping at the Central House the past eight weeks and the two so arranged their affairs that no one knew that they were even acquainted, although they had been for a year or more. They each kept their own counsel, making no confidants, and when Mr. Marsh called at the hotel Tuesday morning and informed the Teachouts that they were to be married that day, they were dumbfounded, but rallied sufficienty to give them a joyful send-off deluging them with rice as they drove away, for the lady, though apparently shrouded in mystery, had, by her quiet and ladylike deportment, won the respect of all the members of the household. The courtship was romantic in the extreme. Wednesday evening the band favored them with a fine serenade and were royally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Marsh; in fact "Wolt" has not been at all partial in his favors but treated all his friends with generous hospitality. The newly wedded couple leave in the morning for Union City, where a surprise will be given the bride's family, as they, even, were not in the secret. They will return Monday when they will be at home to their friends.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teeple's

Mrs. S. Catlin was quite ill the first of the week.

Prof. Fred Osborn, of Ann Arbor, is spending his vacation here.

Roy DeWolf came home and spent Sunday with his mother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Muck, of Onsted, visited A. M. Lamb and wife over Sunday.

The most beautiful and complete line of shirt waists just opened at Seaton W. Anderson's.

Bert Baker came up from Toledo Tuesday for a short visit with his father and brother Will.

Clarence Church, of Alma, is here and will spend some time with his Uncle O. P. Bills and family.

Mrs. Jerome Bowen picked a full blown pansy from an out door bed on Saturday, March 20th.

Teeple's photographic work is first class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

Lamont Bidwell went to South Bend, Ind., Monday, for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cushing.

Mrs. Henrietta Keyser, who has been spending some time with Ypsilanti friends, will return home Monday next.

Mrs. John Hoy died yesterday morning of pneumonia. The funeral will occur Sunday at 2:30 p. m., at the house.

Word has been received that to Mr. and Mrs. Put Woodard, of Detroit, a nine pound daughter was born last Saturday.

George Cole, of Onsted, was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teachout, from Saturday until yesterday.

Jay Morse, who has a position with an organ factory, at Ann Arbor, writes that he is well pleased with the work and his surroundings.

Lawrence VanTyne has given to St. Peter's church a chair made by his father over 20 years ago. The chair is of ecclesiaitical style.

Mrs. Belle Probert, of Portland, Mich., arrived Monday afternoon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Jones, and other relatives and friends.

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Geo. H. Tansley has the finest selected stock of Crockery, China and Glassware ever seen in our city. It will do your eyes good to see them at his new store.

James Reynolds, father of Mrs. F. J. Temple, died at his home in LaSalle, Monroe county, yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

FOR SALE.—A patent, automatic, self running, bang-up steam piano. For full particulars, price, and an opportunity to hear the instrument, call on Burt Garlinghouse.

The largest political caucus ever held in the township of Raisin was that of the silver party held last week, 87 voters being present. Levi B. Chase was nominated for supervisor.

We regret to learn that Company C did not realize much of a benefit from their play farther than the satisfaction of knowing that they furnished one of the finest entertainments of the season.

Cleo Hall has accepted a position with the Stimpson Scale Co., of Elkhart, Ind. We regret to see so many of our sterling young men go from us, but if it is so to be, can only wish them abundant success in their new homes.

Mrs. Joseph H. Smith, who, with Mrs. Bert Waring was called to Cambridge by the serious illness of their father, Ira Rogers, returned home yesterday, he being much better. Mrs. Waring will return the first of the week.

The young ladies of the Junior Auxiliary societies of St. Peter's church and St. John's, Clinton, are this week sending a box of clothing to Mrs. Buford, of Lawrenceville, Va., for use in her orphanage and hospital for colored people.

The HERALD is informed that C. A. Slayton is buying all the good wheat brought to his warehouse, at highest market price. He also buys oats and almost anything the farmer has to sell and will continue to do so. It must not be said that Tecumseh has no grain market.

A telegram was received Saturday announcing the death of Mrs. Calib Satterthwaite, at DesMoines, Iowa. The particulars have as yet not been received here. Mrs. Satterthwaite was well known in Tecumseh, having spent her girlhood days here. She was a cousin of the Garlinghouse Bros. A husband and two small children survive her.

The controversy over the chattle mortgages on the Baker & Hall stock is now settled, the judge having decided that the claims of Williams, Davis, Brooks & Co. were first. W. C. Burridge was attorney for the latter firm which now owns the stock. It is understood that a Mr. Parish, of Detroit, will soon purchase it and open the store, after first adding books, stationary and wall paper.

Last evening at seven o'clock death claimed Mrs. Ernest VanWinkle and left nothing but sorrow in the home of husband and father. Anna E. VanWinkle was born in the township of Raisin 25 years ago and her whole life has been spent in this community. She was a loving wife, dutiful daughter and woman of sterling qualities in every way. It is indeed hard to become reconciled to the taking away of one so worthy in the prime of womanhood. Beside her husband, she leaves her father, Charles Everett, and two brothers. The funeral will be held from the family residence near the Raisin mills Saturday at 1:30 o'clock.

Photographic buttons, the latest novelty, at Teeple's.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Comfort arrived home Tuesday from their California trip.

Mrs Mary Walker arrived home Wednesday from Elgin, where she has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Beardsley.

Our prices on Furniture will be the lowest in the county.
WHEELER & SISSON.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, Rev. C. M. Brown will the third lecture in the Christian Endeavor lecture course. Topic, "Presbyterianism in the United States."

George S. Wilson, of Macosta, joined his wife here Saturday and spent a few days among his old friends and neighbors. He returned home Wednesday morning.

Miss Ora Bowen, who has been visiting friends at North Adams, curtailed her stay and returned home to attend the wedding of Miss Stella Anthony, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Blatchford announces that he will give a sermon to young ladies alone next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in St. Peter's church. All the young ladies of Tecumseh are invited to be present.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday, morning, "Infidelity of Activities;" evening, "Art," Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "Straight is the Gate."

Fred Packard left Saturday afternoon for Elkhart, Ind., having accepted a position with the Stimpson Scale company. While Fred's friends regret to have him go from us, they nevertheless rejoice that he has secured so good a situation.

Jones & Hazlett, the merchant tailors, have things nicely arranged at their store and are ready to attend to the wants of their customers. Their stock of cloths, suitings, etc., is large, varied and complete and a large force of skilled workmen are employed. The workroom is light, airy, and arranged to accommodate the occupants who are as follows: Albert Wallace, Wm. Hazlett, Wm. Hughes, Edward Porter, Louie Jones, James Eccles. Mesdames Cynthia Hoag, Ellen Gray and the Misses Carrie Cranshaw, Sarah McNeil and Carrie Smalledge. Our veteran friend David Jones has a central position for his own use where he does repair work. They are a jolly crew and while there is no room to spare, everything moves on smoothly and they are as snug as bugs in rugs.

The Masonic School of Instruction held at the temple here Monday afternoon and evening, called a large number of Royal Arch masons from the surrounding towns, there being representatives present from Hudson, Adrian, Palmyra, Blissfield, Holloway, Onsted, Britton, Clinton and Manchester. In the afternoon the officers of the Hudson chapter exemplified the work in the Mark Master's degree, in a manner highly creditable to themselves, and in the evening the Royal Arch degree was conferred by the officers of the Tecumseh chapter, fully 175 being present. Grand Lecturer Goodrich, who was known to but few personally, made a favorable impression. He is a genial gentleman, thoroughly qualified for the high and responsible position he occupies. The companions of the Tecumseh chapter were unremitting in their attentions to their visitors, making it an occasion long to be remembered by those present.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Anthony on West Chicago street contained about sixty relatives and immediate friends Wednesday evening, to witness the marriage of their daughter, J. Estella, and John L. Calhoun, one of Raisin's most popular young men. It was a charming wedding in all respects. The parlors, though not elaborately decorated, were very tasty. At 7 o'clock standard time the contracting parties, unattended, took their positions before Rev. C. M. Brown who, using a beautiful service of his own arrangement made them man and wife. The young couple made a charming picture. After congratulations the guests were conducted to the dining room which was a bower of beauty. The ceiling hid with a canopy of white twined with smilax above the tables lighted with fancy candles in pretty candelabras which were daintily dressed, was most attractive. Mrs. Nixon, the bride's sister, assisted by Lina Boyd, Ella Potter and Ora Bowen, served delicate refreshments in the most approved manner. The gifts were numerous, choice and practical. The band surprised them with a fine serenade and were invited in and hospitably entertained. The young coupe will go to housekeeping at once on what is known as the Satterthwaite farm not far from Holloway and in sight of the former homes of both.

It is always easy to find reasons why somebody else should be liberal.

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HER TREASURE.

A Georgia Woman Who Has a Sock Full of Gold.

Mary Odom, a sexagenarian, residing somewhere in the neighborhood of Auraria, is the happy owner of a sockful of gold, says a southern exchange. When a girl of 16 she adopted a profession, gold-panning about in the branches during her leisure hours, and she became so well acquainted and infatuated with the king metal that she finally adopted the panning business altogether, and has kept it up ever since, always being as assiduous to business as a judge of the supreme court. When she made gold panning a profession she found the lovely metal wherever she scooped her shovel under the gravel of the branches. At times innumerable this woman has made four and five pennyweights per week, making it a rule in every instance to hoard away one-half the amount of gold made. For instance when she panned out 50 cents' worth of gold and needed $1 in goods from the store, she would pay the merchant 25 cents and have the balance entered upon his books against her until she struck a richer streak. By this method of doing business the woman has kept out of debt, made a good support, and now has a sockful of shining gold to dream over at night. And now, after the age of 60, she stills pans about in the branches, and saves half the gold she makes for her heirs to scramble over after she has crossed in her batteau the wide river on the other side. There has been a great deal of mining in this country and articles not herein numbered written on the subject, but Mary Odom's historical career in the gold mining business surpasses anything we have ever become aware of in this line.

SHE NEVER KISSED.

The Old Man Was Certain About His Daughter.

"I reckon if I wus to ketch my daughter kissin' of a man I'd just natchelly cut him into mincemeat ground fine," said the old man from the swamps of the Bracken hills, according to the Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Then your daughter won't kies the boys?" ventured a Dover youth with spectacles.

"Yell, I reckon not, young man," and the old man gave him a look that dazzled his specs.

"But—ah, you know, some girls—who are engaged—you know—sometimes kiss their—their—boys—you know—and—it's right and proper—and—"

The old man looked at him real hard, and, after watching the youth wilt like a tobacco leaf in an August sun, thundered out: "Well, my daughter never kissed a livin' man, not even her pap—ner a poodle dog, ner a cat, ner nothin'."

"But there's no harm—and why—er—why—er?" stammered the brave youth.

"Well, I reckon the most principalest reason why my daughter never kissed nothin' is that I never had any daughter."

And the thoughtful silence of the young man was so dense that you could hear the price of farm lands drop quietly, drop by drop, while the farm products hanging in the tobacco shed tier by tier.

To Connect Two Seas.

A project for connecting the Baltic and Black seas by a waterway extending from Riga along the rivers Dwina, Beresina and Dnieper to Kherson has for some time been occupying the attention of the Russian press.

EXTRA SESSION.

State Legislature May Meet Again Next Fall.

Fear That Its Work Cannot Be Completed in June—Home Rule Constitutional Amendment Beaten in the House.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, Mich., March 24.—There will be a special session of the legislature some time next fall. The only alternative is a continuation of the regular session into July. Gov. Pingree and his advisers are convinced that none of the railroad legislation on which they have set their hearts can be passed this session. Their plan now is to get all railroad measures reported out of the committees and ready for discussion before legislative bodies, and then sidetrack them. The legislature will adjourn without enacting any of the reform laws advocated by Gov. Pingree, and this will give him an opportunity and sufficient excuse for calling a special session to be devoted exclusively to railroad bills. Owing to the fact that there are far more than the usual number of bills on the files and that business has progressed with unwonted slowness, each house has appointed a steering committee to bring to the front the more important bills and retire the unimportant ones.

One of the most important measures which is before the present legislature was defeated in the house Thursday by a vote of 47 to 39. It was a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution which would practically do away with all municipal and charter legislation and be as nearly a home rule bill as could with safety be framed. The attention of the legislature is occupied for a large portion of the session in considering and passing upon municipal charter bills, about which it has very little information, and action is based almost entirely upon the assurances of the local members. The defeated resolution provides that cities can govern themselves by a vote of the majority of the electors, except upon measures of indebtedness, enlarging the city's limits, taxation or measures that would injure the rights of counties or townships. The vote by which the bill was lost was reconsidered and the measure laid upon the table for a more opportune time to place it again upon its passage, but it is not likely to go through, as it requires a two-thirds majority to submit a constitutional amendment.

The fight between the commercial fishermen and the state fish commission over bills to increase the size of the meshes of the various kinds of nets used by the former and requiring them to take out a license each year is being waged vigorously. The fishermen say that to increase the size of the mesh would practically ruin their business, in which they have more than $1,000,000 invested, and that imposition of the proposed tax would be a greater burden than they can bear. On the other hand, the commissioners say that unless the mesh is increased the best of the good fish in the great lakes will have disappeared within three years. The fishermen appear to have the whip hand thus far.

The action of the senate in virtually voting to abolish the office of state tax statistician in July and leave no substitute for the office is not meeting with much favor from the farmers of the state, judging from the manifold and lengthy petitions that are daily lumbering the senate and house journals protesting against the abolition of the office. The opinion seems to be that some such office is necessary in order to secure anything like justice in the equalization of taxes in the state. Most of the petitions and protests are coming from the granges of the state, and represent, of course, the farmer element.

The $40,000 appropriation asked for by the fire sufferers at Ontonagon was cut by the senate finance and appropriations committee to $25,000. It passed the senate.

Milo D. Campbell, of Coldwater, who was private secretary to Gov. Luce, was unanimously confirmed as insurance commissioner, to date from July 1.

Gov. Pingree's determination to continue as chief executive rather than stand for mayor was a surprise to the members of the legislature, practically all of whom were of the opinion that he would resign. There is no doubt that his decision will result in putting him in better standing with the legislators who were quite generally criticising him for spending so little time at the capital.

The house passed a bill amending the truancy law, which now requires children between the ages of 7 and 16 years to attend school at least four months each year, so that on the recommendation of the truant officer or superintendent of schools children may be exempt during the last two years, if their labor is necessary for the support of the family.

A gigantic petition was received by the legislature Tuesday asking for the passage of the Moister bill, which provides for the employment of convicts upon the highways of the state instead of at productive labor in the prisons. The bill is befriended by the labor organizations. The petition was about 60 feet in length and contained the names of nearly 1,000 persons. The friends of the bill strung up the petition to the ceiling, from whence it reached to the speaker's desk. The bill was under consideration by the house and was finally made a special order for March 31.

Two years ago the general government ceded to the state all its interests in Mackinac island on condition that it be maintained as a state park. Tuesday the senate passed a bill retransferring that portion known as Fort Mackinac on condition that it be regarrisoned. The senate also passed a bill making an appropriation of $5,000 for the improvement of the park and another bill transferring to the general fund of the state the $60,000 remaining in the St. Mary's fall ship canal fund. The passage of the last named bill disposes of the movement to appropriate the balance mentioned for the erection of a marine hospital at Sault Ste. Marie.

The house has slaughtered the bill for the suppression of mob violence, which makes counties liable to persons injured by assaults committed within their borders.

EMMETT.

PINGREE DEFEATED.

Supreme Court Decides That He Cannot Be Governor and Mayor.

Lansing, March 20.—Gov. Pingree will no more appear before the public in his dual capacity, the supreme court Friday afternoon in a unanimous opinion having decided that when he accepted and entered upon the duties of the office of governor he vacated the office of mayor of the city of Detroit. He is not given the opportunity of choosing between the two offices, although he prefers to be mayor. There was a vexatious delay in getting the case into court on account of the unwillingness of the attorney general to proceed against the governor, but it was finally submitted on Wednesday. The opinion of the court, which was written by Justice Hooker, commands the common council of the city of Detroit to call a special election on April 5, that being the date of the regular spring election, for the purpose of choosing a mayor of the city. Whether the acts of Mayor Pingree from the time of his acceptance of the office of governor up to the present time are legal is not decided.

THE ELECTIONS.

No Political Principle Involved in the Coming Event.

Lansing, March 23.—The spring election will be held Monday, April 5. The election is of a justice of the supreme court and of two regents of the state university. The justice elected will serve ten years at a salary of $7,000 a year, while the regents will be elected for six years, with a per diem and expenses compensation. Neither office carries with it any patronage or distribution among the faithful, and in the election no principle of national politics is involved. At the same time of the state election will be held the township elections for the choice of supervisors and other local officers and also most of the municipal elections. In each county a school commissioner will be elected, and in some of the judicial districts judges of the circuit courts are to be chosen.

PROSECUTE LANSING BANKERS.

Gen. Ainger Indorses White Hall Savings Bank Depositors' Petition.

Lansing, March 24.—The petition of the depositors of the White Hall state savings bank, which was closed by Bank Commissioner Ainger in December last, requesting that the attorney-general be directed to criminally prosecute the officers of the bank for violating the banking law, has been indorsed by Gen. Ainger and referred to Gov. Pingree, who will doubtless order that proceedings be instituted. It is alleged that the bank officials were guilty of the most flagrant violations, having themselves borrowed practically all of the assets of the bank on worthless securities and then made false reports to the banking department.

VALUES SHRINK.

Detroit Banks Thereby Forced to Reduce Capital Stock.

Detroit, March 21.—The directors of the City Savings bank of this city have decided to reduce its capital stock from $250,000 to $150,000. The reduction of the capital stock of the Preston national bank from $1,000,000 to $700,000 was authorized by a special meeting of shareholders, at which $900,000 worth of stock was represented. The assets of the banks have depreciated during the last four years through the shrinkage in values, and this step is deemed advisable to put them on a firmer basis.

NAMED BY PINGREE.

Michigan's Governor Nominates Candidate for Mayor of Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., March 23.—The republican city convention nominated Capt. A. E. Stewart for mayor on the first ballot. Gov. Pingree made the nominating speech, and it was through his personal efforts that Stewart received the nomination. The opposition put up a strong fight with President of the Council Richert as their candidate. Pingree, however, swung the delegates into line and the vote resulted: Stewart, 76; Richert, 32.

Michigan Baseball League.

Saginaw, March 24.—Representatives of the Michigan State Baseball league met here to form an organization. The following towns will support teams: Lansing, Saginaw, Port Huron, Bay City, Jackson and Kalamazoo. Guaranty money has been paid in, and practice with them all will commence April 1. The schedule committee met and adjourned for one week. President, Secretary and Treasurer Mumby's bonds were approved.

Death of Col. Hodge.

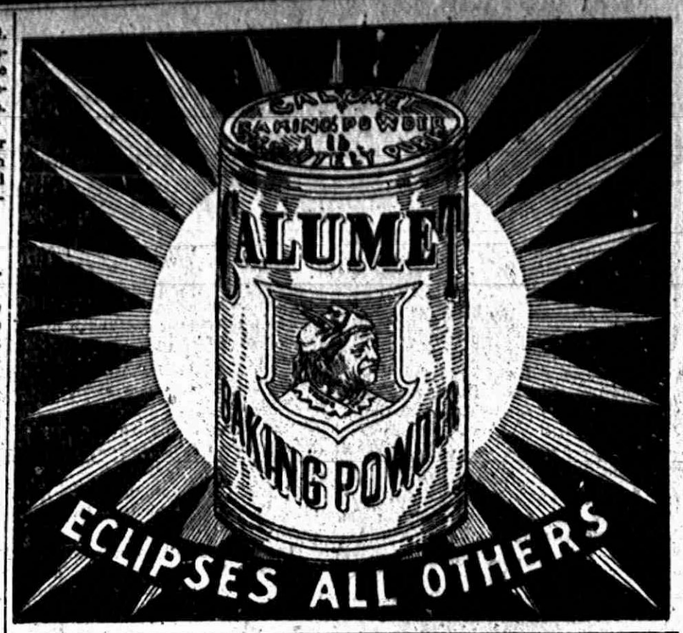
Concord, March 21.—Col. Hiram C. Hodge, a well-known pioneer of central Michigan, died at the home of his son in this place Saturday, aged 77 years. He was a brilliant writer on politics and economics, and since the loss of his sight a few years ago was frequently called "the blind sage of Concord." He had served in both houses of the state legislature.

Michigan Alumni in Leipsic.

Ann Arbor, March 23.—C. O. Townsend, who graduated here in 1888 and who is at present studying in Leipsic, Germany, has sent word that a University of Michigan alumni association has been organized in that city. The plan and aim of the new body is to give information to students on their arrival in Leipsic.

Two Men Drowned.

Traverse City, Mich., March 24.—Two unidentified men broke through the ice in the bay off Bowers' harbor. Both were drowned.



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Mr. J. W. Martin, a prominent citizen of Cave Hill, Ky., states: "I suffered with neuralgia for about ten years. At times I was nearly dead; could not sit, lie nor stand; my teeth came loose, and I gave up all hopes of recovery. Doctors failed to benefit me. One bottle of Lightning Hot Drops effected a complete cure, and I have never had a touch of neuralgia since." For sale by Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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Ex-President Harrison lectured at university hall, Ann Arbor, Tuesday evening, on "Some hindrances of law reform."

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Dover, N. H. Oct. 31, 1896.

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How Animals Dispose of Injured Companions.

A. C. Heflinger tells in the American Field how an old fox hound was done to death by the pack of which it was a member. The hound was called Clay, and was owned by N. O. Pope, who kept it in the White Oak Hill kennel at Poland, Me. The dog was a prize taker, and always got a place when it ran in the annual trials of the Brunswick Fur club. After the annual hunt at Brunswick, Me., in which Clay proved better than all the younger hounds, the dog was taken back to Poland and put in the yard with the rest of the pack. McGregor, keeper of the hounds, heard a row in the yard, and coming down, found that the pack had pitched upon the champion hound and killed it by chewing its throat and chest. Wolves have been known to kill their fellows in a similar manner. A wolf showing signs of pain is set upon and killed by its comrades. A male fox, when it finds a female fox in a trap, attacks and kills it. A cow bellowing with pain is set upon by the herd and gored to death. Whether the attacks are to aid the one in pain or not is not known by students of natural history.

An exceedingly handsome and costly diamond badge has been made by Roehm & Son, jewelers of Detroit, to be presented by Postmaster-General Wilson to President-elect McKinley on the evening of March 2, on behalf of the Sigma Alpa Epsilon fraternity, of which Mr. McKinley is an active member. It is the regulation badge of the fraternity surrounded by 16 specially selected large blue white diamonds. The convention of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity which was held in St. Louis Christmas week, decided to present Mr. McKinley with the fraternity badge, and a special committee was appointed to look after the matter. A delegation of the fraternity will attend the inauguration when President McKinley will wear the gift of the fraternity.

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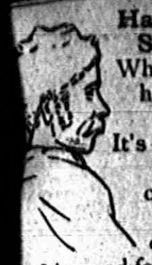

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LEGAL OLLA-PODRIDA.

Funny State of Affairs in the District of Columbia.

What Is an Offense on One Side of Rock Creek Is Perfectly Legitimate on the Other Side.

[Special Washington Letter.]

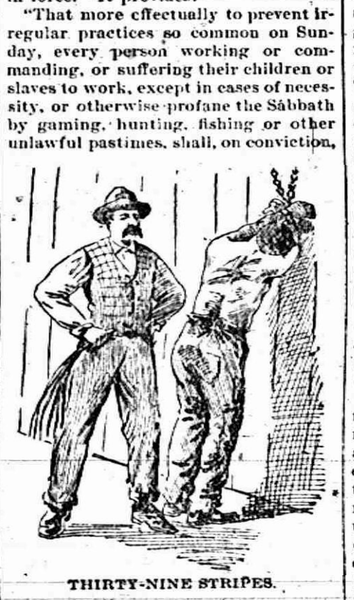
The laws which are enforced in the District of Columbia are peculiar. Many of the old laws of Maryland, which were made before this land was ceded to the federal government, are still in force. Then there are federal laws which were enacted before the creation of the territorial form of government: laws enacted by the territorial legislature, and laws enacted by congress since the present form of government was created in 1872.

The ancient city of Georgetown was an independent corporation until recently, but it is now West Washington. It is separated from the national capital by Rock creek, and the laws there are in many instances different from the laws on the east side of Rock creek.

Many acts punishable as offenses in that section do not constitute offenses under the laws governing the rest of the district. Many of these old laws, though they may never have been repealed, are seldom enforced, and then only when many complaints are made about a certain thing, and the old law books are overhauled. Now and then one of these old law books is resurrected, and for awhile persons have to obey it, but it soon becomes a dead letter again, and the law is violated with impunity for another score or more of years. Every few years the question of observing the Sabbath is agitated. Some of the old laws are found to meet the case. It is a violation of one of the old Georgetown corporation laws to sell on Sunday any article except medicines, fresh fish, milk and other perishable goods which cannot be kept over night with safety, but this law is seldom enforced, and then only when complaint is made, or after a general order has been issued notifying storekeepers to close their places on Sunday. This law, like many others, has been contested in the courts and found to be valid.

Then there is another law which prohibits any manual labor on the Sabbath. This law, like the preceding one, has been contested and held to be still in force. It provides:

"That more effectually to prevent irregular practices so common on Sunday, every person working or commanding, or suffering their children or slaves to work, except in cases of necessity, or otherwise profane the Sabbath by gaming, hunting, fishing or other unlawful pastimes, shall, on conviction,



THIRTY-NINE STRIPES.

forfeit a sum not exceeding five dollars." The second section provides that "if the offender be a minor and the fine is not paid by himself, parent, guardian or master, he shall be forthwith committed to the penitentiary for a time not exceeding five days, or if he be a slave he shall be publicly whipped, not exceeding 39 stripes."

At the West Washington station-house the police have an old law book, printed in 1821, which furnishes them the text of the old laws covering certain offenses. There are but few of these books in existence, so far as is known, and when a case other than assault and battery or disorderly conduct is made the officer making the arrest usually has to take this book to court to show his ground for action. The police doing duty west of Rock creek have not only to be able-bodied men, strong and plucky enough to handle ruffians and smart enough to capture thieves, but they have to be versed in all the ancient laws of Georgetown. Most of them can stand for hours and discuss the legal status of their section.

Reported in the book is a law passed August 4, 1795, which is intended to prevent accidents arising from galloping horses through streets. The act provides "That any person, within the jurisdiction of this corporation, who shall by galloping or otherwise force at an improper speed any horse, mare or gelding through any of the streets, lanes or alleys, shall, if a free man, forfeit and pay for every such offense the sum of 15 shillings, current money, to the use of this corporation, to be recovered either before any one aldermen or by indictment or confession in the mayor's court; and if an apprentice, indentured servant or slave, the mistress or master of such apprentice, servant or slave shall forfeit and pay the sum of seven shillings and six pence, current money, to be recovered as aforesaid."

An act of October 10, 1796, sets forth that "the respectable inhabitants have suffered great inconvenience from the vast concourse of idle white and black persons who frequently assemble and engage in cock fights, at which times they drink to excess, became riotous, and prevent the quiet and repose of good citizens." The first section of the act, and the second section, related to slaves, who were subject to 39 stripes on the bare back in a public place. The firing of guns or other firearms was made punishable under an act of October 24, 1801. The penalty prescribed was five dollars, one-half of which went to the informer. If the person violating the law was a slave or indentured servant the penalty was ten lashes, unless two dollars was paid by his or her master or mistress.

An act to prevent goats from running at large was passed in 1796, giving persons power to kill all goats found running at large, and to sell the same at the market-house to the best advantage, the person doing so to retain one-half the money received and the corporation to receive the other half. September 4, 1804, an act was passed to keep dogs out of the market-house, where it appeared they went to get meat and other vege-

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tables from the stands. A tax of one dollar was assessed on dealers whose dogs were found within the walls of the market, but country dogs were not troubled, provided they were kept a respectable distance from the stands. A penalty of $20 was provided under act of March, 1806, for the keeping of any public gaming table, whether "A, B, C," "L, S, D," "E, O," or other game. A subsequent act, entitled an "Ordinance to restrain vice," included "rooley pooley," or faro bank, faro table and hazard, and prescribed the same penalty.

An act approved April 30, 1808, regulated and fixed the size of loaves of bread offered for sale. The loaves were to be made in size according to the quality of the flour used and were to sell at the same price per loaf. The vagrancy act under which vagrants are now prosecuted fixes the term of imprisonment at not more than 20 days. The act also provides that if he fails to pay the jailer's fees he shall, with consent of the mayor, be sold at vendue to serve and labor for any time not exceeding four months. There are other acts of the old corporation regulating commerce and protecting the river and various business interests. The chimney sweep is required, under penalty, to faithfully perform his duties, and to his advantage a penalty is prescribed for placing a stove-pipe through the exterior wall of any frame building or through the roof of any house, so that stove pipes, under the law, are not permitted to pass through the frame partitions of summer-kitchens.

"It would be almost impossible to enforce many of these laws," said a policeman, "yet when complaints are made, and the law is found, there is nothing else to do, and, until congress acts in the matter, West Washington will remain under the old laws. We work under too many laws," continued the officer. "Inside the city limits we have one set of laws and in the county we have an entirely different set. What is an offense in one place is permitted in another. Within the limits of West Washington a man may strip off his clothing and walk the streets in defence of the officers because there is no law to punish him, but if he does the same thing on the river shore and goes in bathing before nine o'clock in the evening he may be arrested for unlawful bathing. On the eastern side of Rock creek the same state of affairs exists.

"Persons can do an act not in violation of the law on one side of Boundary street, but if they repeat it on the other side they soon find themselves in the hands of the law. Then, again, there are some offenses punishable by a heavy fine in one section, while the penalty in another section is not half so heavy. Such a state of affairs makes it very hard for a policeman to know whether he is doing his duty properly or not."

While all Georgetown policemen are required to know something of law, and intricate law at that, the policemen in Washington study only the police regulations, and very few of them seem to have brains enough to master even that much literature. At any rate, they are a careless lot of peace guardians, and knowingly wink at vice.

Just across the river from Georgetown, on the Virginia shore of the Potomac, there are numerous gambling houses and vile liquor saloons, the very lowest of the low. The governor of Virginia claims that he has no legal power to control the lawless or to arrest the vicious. The sheriff of the county does not call on the governor for aid, and the governor says that he cannot invade the county without the authority of the sheriff. While the lawless can capture the sheriff they can continue to defy the law. SMITH D. FRY.

Cheek Bone Most Sensitive.

It is a mistake to suppose that the tip of the tongue is the most sensitive part of the body. Those engaged in polishing billiard balls or any other substance that requires a high degree of smoothness, invariably use the cheek bone as their touchstone for detecting any roughness.

Social Equity.

"Mrs. Jones seems to be a woman with a rigid sense of justice."

"Yes; she never entertains a soul who hasn't entertained her."—Chicago Record.

STATE NEWS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Midland county has lost much lumber recently in the floods.

The Pingree rifles is the name adopted by the St. Joseph military company.

The nine-year-old son of Peter Olsen, of Grand Rapids, was drowned Sunday.

Rev. E. E. Kirkland, a pioneer settler, died at Benzonia Wednesday, aged 85 years.

The Diamond Match company's plant will be moved from Ontonagon to Green Bay, Wis.

Timothy Barritt, who settled near Walled Lake in the 30's, is dead. His age was 96.

Depositors in the Citizens' bank of Edwardsburg are receiving a dividend of 20 per cent.

Grand Ledge soft coal miners have formed a combine and will demand higher wages.

Twenty-two thousand barrels of salt were shipped to Chicago from Benton Harbor recently.

A colony of Hollanders from Chicago is being located on farming lands around Gobleville.

Brakeman Ted Jennings fell under the wheels while switching at Cadillac and was instantly killed.

Willie Coleman, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman, of Detroit, was killed by a street car.

Farmers have made contracts to raise 100,000 bushels of cucumbers for the pickle factory at Bangor.

Mrs. Esther Kinney, living near Laingsburg, celebrated her one hundred and first birthday Friday.

The Bell Telephone company says it will spend a million dollars if necessary to fight the new company in Grand Rapids.

A large planing mill, with a capacity of 10,000 feet per hour, will be put into operation at Manistee, and will employ 40 men.

One hundred and fifty men will be put to work at the Scofield quarries April 1. The company has large contracts on hand.

The northern Michigan Poland China Swine Breeders' association has been organized at Reed City by breeders in that section.

Mrs. Hannah D. Palmer, residing near Hillsdale, died aged 88 years. Mrs. Palmer had lived on the farm where she died 55 years.

St. Patrick's day celebrations were held at Pontiac, Ypsilanti, Grand Rapids, Otsego, Jackson, Saginaw, Port Huron and Battle Creek.

Prosperity has struck Woodland hard enough to start up the flouring mills and the sawmills in the village, which had both been idle for some time past.

Jacke Wiersma, a farmer three miles from Holland, was crushed under a house he was moving and died soon after he was released in great agony. Every rib in his body was broken.

The Kimberly-Clark Co., of Chicago, owns 1,400 acres of land and water power, at White Rapids, near Menominee, and a pulp and paper mill will be established. A town will be platted.

A fine programme has been arranged for the annual convention of the Northern Indiana and Southern Michigan Teachers' association that will be held at Elkhart, Ind., April 1, and continue three days.

Judge W. E. Grove, of Grand Rapids, has forwarded his resignation to Gov. Pingree, to take effect May 1. He announced his intention to resign several weeks ago when the supervisors cut his salary.

Mrs. Mary A. Murphy, of Grand Rapids, administratrix of the estate of Agnes Murphy, killed by a Michigan Central train at Lawton, has obtained a judgment of $8,000, which will go to the dead woman's two daughters.

Joshua Sellman, aged 87, died Tuesday at his home in Pinckney. Deceased was born in New York state in 1810, came to Michigan in 1832, and settled in Pinckney 51 years ago. He lived 49 years in the house in which he died.

Hughes, Atley & Co., lumber dealers of Chicago, have purchased the entire season's cut of the Sagola Lumber company, of Sagola, Mich. The cut amounts to about 25,000,000 and will be shipped to the company's yards in Chicago.

Found Guilty.

Decatur, March 26.—Thomas Stevens and James Lawson were convicted at Caro for the murder of James Brown. The two men, with a negro named Hawley, attempted to rob Brown, who resisted them, and was shot and killed. Hawley turned state's evidence.

Met an Awful Fate.

Watervliet, Mich., March 23.—M. A. Pelton, a machinist at the paper mill at this place, was caught on a shaft between two beaters Monday afternoon and literally torn to pieces. His head and arms were torn off, and he was otherwise horribly mangled.

Declare Richert Mayor.

Detroit, March 23.—At a special session of the common council Monday the order of the supreme court declaring the office of mayor vacant was received, and a resolution offered and adopted declaring President of the Council William Richert mayor.

Called to an Eastern Church.

Fall River, Mass., March 23. — A meeting of the Central Congregational church decided unanimously to call Rev. A. M. Hyde, of Greenville, Mich., to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation, last summer, of Rev. W. W. Jubb.

Choice of Detroit Democrats.

Detroit, March 24.—William C. Maxbury, a well-known attorney, was nominated for mayor Tuesday by the democratic city convention. He will run against Capt. Stewart, the Pingree candidate.

Took His Own Life.

Niles, March 23.—Mrs. L. N. Winchell, of Dowagiac, committed suicide by cutting her throat. She was 63 years of age.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1886, Samuel Larrabee of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 566.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS, Mortgagee.

G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 8th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ella Eldredge, an heir-at-law of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person as administrator de bonis non upon said estate.

It is Ordered, That Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Bresle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William R. Bresle, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered that Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 15th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the Estate of Rose Abbot deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles F. Patterson alleging that he is a principal creditor of said deceased and praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him said Charles F. Patterson or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Thomas R Kyle, administrator upon said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the preferred claims against said estate and is now prepared to pay the whole or such proportion of the other claims against said estate as may be ordered by this court and render his final account and praying that said account may be allowed.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

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Orr & Temple

Of Tecumseh, Mich., write us on Jan'y 14, 1896, that their order of Nov. 11, 1895, consisting of 8 dozen in package and a quantity in bulk of your Syrup Pepsin is all sold. We find it one of the best sellers and gives the best satisfaction of any remedy ever sold over a counter. It is in 10, 50c and $1.00 sizes of Orr & Temple.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 8th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 5th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,

(A True Copy.) Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

NOT AN INTERPRETER.

Testimony That Was Too Much for the Lawyers.

In a dispute between the Indians and the cannery men, according to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, a Mr. March was called as a witness, and the way in which he gave his testimony proved puzzling to the lawyers.

"How long have you been in this part of the country, Mr. March?"

"Forty, forty-five, fifty, fifty-five years."

"Fifty-five years," said the lawyer, and then, as if he were addressing Christopher Columbus, he asked:

"And what did you discover, Mr. March?"

"A dark-visaged savage."

"Dark-visaged savage, eh? Yes, and what did you say to him?"

"I said it was a fine day."

"Fine day? Yes, and what did he say to you?"

Mr. March rattled off a whole yarn in Chinook, and kept on, to the mirth of the whole courtroom, until peremptorily cut off by the gavel of the judge.

"I asked you what reply the savage made to you, Mr. March. Please answer the question," said the irate cross-examiner.

"I was answering."

"Tell us what the savage said."

"That was what he said."

"Then tell it to us in English."

"Not unless I am commissioned by the court to act as an interpreter and paid the customary fee."

The lawyer thought a moment, looked at the judge, who could not resist a smile, and said, severely: "Mr. March, you may stand down."

JAPPED ENGLISH.

Remarkable Inscriptions on Articles of Commerce.

Rev. Masazao Kagaren brought me a present of a tin of native preserved apricots put up at Nagano, bearing the inscription: "This apricots is very sweetest," says Rev. Walter Weston, in "Mountaineering in the Japanese Alps." Another tin—I think it was a sort of Japanese beef extract—was still more remarkably inscribed. "All the medicines of our company used to sell are not only manufactured of the pure and good materials, but also, unless the article are inspected by the superintendent, they not sealed. It is true that their quality is best. If there was suspection about it, trust an official examination. If even in the slightest neglect the result is not good our company should be responsible for it. Beware the trade-mark sealing wax and wrapper of our company." In this connection I may remark on the curious signs in English(?) composed in cheerful independence of outside help. I have seen the equivalent of the English "Managing dune here" rendered "The machine for smoothing the wrinkles in the trousers" and "Washman, ladies only;" "Clothing of women tailor, ladies furnished in the upper story;" "Instructed by the French horse-leech" (this adorns the door of a veterinary surgeon and referred to the tuition under which the gentleman was trained).

"Saint George" a War Cry.

"Saint George for Merry Abyssinia" will take the place of the older war cry. A Russian painter has just completed for Negus Menelek a picture of the battle of Adowah, in which Saint George on a white charger is represented to help the Abyssinians to rout the Italians. The story of the saint's appearance has arisen from the fact that the Italians turned a church dedicated to him near the town into a cavalry stable.

Given the Queen's Photograph.

An old bellringer at Fressingfield, England, has just received from Queen Victoria her portrait for having rung the bells on every anniversary of her birth since she ascended to the throne.

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CURFEW IN MICHIGAN.

Representative Donovan's Bill Receives Favorable Report.

MEASURE VERY LIKELY TO PASS.

Kimmis' Bill Concerning Treatment of Insane Females Strikes a Snag in the Senate—The Appropriation for the Feeble-Minded at Lapeer—Home Rule for Cities—Mortgage Tax Repeal Bill—Governor Pingree and the Beet Sugar Bounty Bill.

Lansing, Mich., March 23.—It looks as if children under 16 years of age will have to keep clear of the streets of cities and villages after 9 o'clock in summer and 8 o'clock in winter, Representative Donovan's curfew bill embodying this provision having received a favorable report from the judiciary committee of the house. The sentiment in both houses is in favor of the passage of the bill.

There were but eight adverse votes cast in the house on the Kimmis bill providing that female patients in asylums for the insane shall be treated by female physicians. The bill has, however, encountered a snag in the senate, where it is in danger of either being killed or amended so as to require the employment of a single female physician on the staff of each asylum. The asylum authorities say that by the terms of the bill the female patients would be deprived of the benefit of the skill of the leading male specialists in female diseases who are on the consulting staff of the asylums, although not directly connected with the institutions. It is also claimed that the bill would render the medical superintendent of the asylums liable to the penalty prescribed if he should even visit the female wards.

The house very sensibly made sweeping amendments to the bill relative to the correspondence of inmates of the asylums for the insane. As introduced the bill was vicious and dangerous in the extreme. It provided that all letters written by inmates should be forwarded by the asylum officials without inspection, and that all mail address to patients should be delivered to them unopened. A moment's reflection would seem to convince most any one that these provisions were improper, yet there were some objectors to the amendment made. Many of the patients imagine themselves the husbands, wives children or other relatives of this, that or the other prominent person, and are constantly writing them letters. Many of the letters written by patients are obscene to the last degree. The folly of forwarding all these is obvious. But the most vicious provision of the bill was that requiring that all mail addressed to patients should be delivered to them unopened.

Some Patients Are Foxy.

The fact is that some patients are so foxy that they have to be examined several times a day to keep them from concealing articles which they could use to the injury of their attendants or fellow-patients, while it is quite necessary to search nearly all of them when they come in from taking exercise. If the officials were to be required to hand them unopened all the mail matter sent them many would soon be armed to the teeth. This provision was even made to apply to the inmates of the asylum for the criminal insane, the inmates of which, being criminals, have pals on the outside who would like nothing better than an opportunity to send them weapons, tools, or poisons in mail matter. Fortunately the asylum authorities succeeded in convincing a majority of the members of the houses of the danger lurking in the bill, and it was shorn of its fangs. The asylum for criminal insane was exempted from its operations, the section requiring mail addressed to patients to be delivered unopened was stricken out, and that relative to forwarding letters without inspection amended so as to apply only to near relatives, guardians, etc. This bill is noticed at this length for the purpose of giving an idea of the ill-advised measures which find their way on to the files.

May Fall into Error.

In its desire to be economical the legislature is in danger of falling into a grave error with reference to the appropriation for the home for the feeble-minded at Lapeer. At this institution it is absolutely necessary, for obvious reasons, to keep the sexes separate. Consequently in providing for the care of patients it is necessary to construct cottages in pairs. The time has come when something should be done for the epileptics, as there are now on file at the home applications for the admission of 234 of this class of unfortunates. This does not take into consideration the numerous epileptics in the several asylums for the insane, where they are a constant menace to the other patients. It will readily be seen that it must have a bad effect on a convalescent patient to have an epileptic fall down in a fit in his presence several times a day, but this is constantly the experience, for the reason that there are no separate accommodations for them at the asylums. The law provides that epileptics shall be treated at the "home for the feeble-minded and epileptic," and yet the legislature has thus far persistently refused to make provision for their accommodation there. The pending appropriation bill calls for appropriations for three cottages for epileptics, there being one cottage that can be used for this purpose, thus making two for boys and two for girls. The disposition on the part of the legislature is to materially cut this appropriation and that asked for additional cottages for other classes of patients. There are now on file, all told, a total of nearly 700 applications for admission, none of which can be granted, owing to lack of accommodations. The total number of inmates is 200, and the institution is full to overflowing. The most crying need is for cottages for epileptics, there being no place for them in other state institutions, while it is estimated that there are fully 1,000 of them in the state.

Cared for at Home.

Scores of instances are known where they are being cared for at home, to the very grave and constant danger of the other children of the families, and instances have been known where mothers have become insane through constantly caring for their unfortunate offspring. The need for an accommodation for epileptics is imperative, and, in view of the number of applications for admission on file, it would seem that the legislators will not be doing their duty to the state if they fail to make the necessary appropriation.

The so-called Lusk resolution providing for the submission to the people of a constitutional amendment conferring home rule upon cities was defeated in the house a few days ago, but another attempt to pass it will be made. This is one of the most important bills of legislation that will be considered this session. It was, in fact, conceived and put in form by Speaker Gordon who gave it to Representative Lusk to introduce. In substance it confers upon cities the power, by popular vote, to amend their own charters rather than to come to the legislature to have this work done. It was urged in favor of the resolution that the plan proposed placed in the hands of the people the power to legislate as to matters concerning themselves, and furthermore, that its adoption would shorten the biennial sessions of the legislature to sixty days, whereas the minimum has been five months for a number of years past. It is a fact that fully one-half of the time of the legislature is taken up with the tinkering of charters. On the other hand the undesirability of breaking away from the established order of things was urged against the measure. Inasmuch as it takes a two-thirds vote to submit a constitutional amendment, it is not likely that the resolution will pass this session. The vote was 47 for to 33 against, fourteen members being either absent or not voting. It is not deemed probable that twenty more votes can be secured by the friends of the project. However, the vote by which it failed to pass was reconsidered and the resolution tabled with a view to making another effort to pass it.

Mortgage Tax Repeal Bill.

The prospects of passing the mortgage tax repeal bill through the house, which were generally conceded to be very bright one week ago, have grown decidedly slimmer during the past few days. The returns from the country districts had not been received before the senate passed the bill. Their tenor led to a change in sentiment, and this was so marked that a Republican caucus decided that the bill should not be considered until after the spring election, at least. The bill has been referred to the committee on general taxation which will coddle it for several weeks.

The insurance committee of the house will give a hearing on all pending insurance bills on April 7. Some of the bills propose very radical changes in existing laws. The revenue of the state from these companies now amounts to about $140,000 annually, but it is proposed to increase the rate of taxation 1 per cent. on the gross earnings in Michigan. This would make the rate for fire companies 4 per cent., and that of life companies 3 per cent. In opposition to this increase the argument is made that the assured would, in fact, be compelled to pay the increase, the rate for insurance being based upon the expense of doing business in the state. Other bills provide for a local tax of 2 per cent. for the maintenance of fire departments, and provides that, in case of total loss, the full face value of the policy must be paid regardless of what the property destroyed may actually have been worth.

Soldiers' Home Investigation.

Another matter which will not be taken up until after the spring election is the investigation of the management, discipline, etc., of the soldiers' home, which was authorized by the senate, and which will be made by the regular senate committee of that body. Chairman Jibb promises that the investigation shall be thorough, the purpose being to either establish the charges or restore confidence in the institution. Members of the board of managers have heretofore resigned to accept official positions at the home. A bill now pending prohibits any member from becoming an official until two years after the expiration of his term as manager. The impression prevails that there will be some changes as the result of the investigation.

The Widoe railroad investigation committee has about consumed the thirty days allotted to it for its work, and so far as others than members of the committee know, not a great deal of progress has been made, it being understood that complaints of discrimination in freight rates, etc., have not come in as extensively as was anticipated. No witnesses have yet been examined by the committee as contemplated, and the committee has asked for an extension of time until April 7, in which to complete its work. There appears to have been much more smoke than fire about this affair.

Beet Sugar Bounty Law.

Although Governor Pingree recommended the enactment of a beet sugar bounty law in his inaugural message, it is not improbable that he will either veto or send back for re-enactment the Dudley bill providing a bounty of 1 cent per pound, which has passed both houses and is now in his hands. What makes this probable is the fact that he has been advised by Representative John Atkinson, in whose legal ability he has the utmost confidence, that the offering of a bounty is an appropriation of public money for private purposes, and consequently the bill should have, under the constitution, received a two-thirds vote in each house. In fact, however, it received a majority vote only. Movements are on foot to organize heavily capitalized corporations at Saginaw and Port Huron for the purpose of erecting beet sugar refineries. It is stated that the sugar trust is paid $250,000 annually by the dealers of the Saginaw valley alone, and it is hoped to keep a large share of this amount at home under the operations of the new law.

The most impassioned and eloquent speech yet made this session, was the impromptu effort made a few days ago by Representative Dickinson, the colored member from Detroit, in support of his bill to suppress mob violence. This bill, as agreed to, provides that any person suffering injury by mob violence, may collect $500, or if the injury be serious, $1,000, or if permanent, $5,000, from the county in which the assault is committed. In case of death the legal representatives of the deceased may collect $5,000. In turn the county is to have redress against any known members of the mob, and if a mob comes from one county into another and commits an assault there, the latter county may recover from the former the amount paid by it.

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THE LEVEES BREAK.

Mighty Floods Sweeping in the State of Mississippi.

Many Towns in Danger and Many Lives in Peril—Historic Spots Are Doomed—Thousands Are Homeless.

Jackson, Miss., March 31.—From the great Yazoo-Mississippi delta comes a wail of distress and the cry "The levees have broken," is heard throughout the valley. Three fresh breaks have been reported through which immense volumes of water carrying death and destruction to thousands of happy homes and devastating as fertile a territory as is to be found on the globe. So far no loss of life except to domestic animals has been reported, but may be soon, as the great mound of earth which protects the flourishing cities of Greenville, Rosedale, Stoneville, Arcola, Friar's Point, Rolling Fork and others are water soaked, mushy and liable to give way at any moment. The four breaks that have occurred have flooded and will flood before reaching the most of the Yazoo, perhaps a week hence, the counties of Bolivar, Washington, Sharkey, Issaquena, Yazoo and portions of others in which are comprised the finest cotton farms in the world. In this overflowed district the state has leased eight plantations and upon which, with her able-bodied convicts, she was preparing to make another crop of cotton and corn, the latter being in fine condition. The greatest concern is for the city of Greenville which, situated as she is in the hollow of a crescent formed by the bend of the river and surrounded by it on two sides, would be wiped out of existence should a break occur in the immediate vicinity.

The Peril Is Great.

The streets of the city are 12 feet below the summit of the level, so that a break once formed there would be no way of stopping the Ningara and every house in the place would be swept from its foundations and the remaining inhabitants it is feared hurled into eternity. Fearing such a catastrophe those who could have migrated to the hills, but thousands still remain.

Harvey Klemmer and two sons, who attempted to save some stock, had their boat overturned and were drowned. It is also reported that Mrs. John Marshall and a son, who were alone in a little hut two miles from the break, were unable to escape and were drowned.

Historic Spot Doomed.

The historic and famous plantations of Jefferson Davis and his brother, Joseph Davis, six miles below Vicksburg, are doomed to become a sea of water and destruction.

Sixty-two miles below Vicksburg is the historic plantation of Gen. Zachoria Taylor. With the threatened rise of three more feet it will be a total ruin. The household goods are being removed and the stock driven to places of safety. The little church upon the plantation in which Jeff Davis was married to Gen. Taylor's daughter is threatened with destruction. The water has surrounded it to a depth of two feet.

TOWN WIPED OUT.

Cyclone Sweeps Away the Village of Chandler in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, O. T., March 31.—A tornado at Chandler, 40 miles east of here, at dusk Tuesday night, destroyed three-fourths of the town of 1,500 people and the latest news is that 200 are badly hurt and 45 persons killed. The ruins took fire and many were burned to death. It is reported that only two buildings were left standing—the Mitchell hotel and the Grand Island grocery store.

Six people in one building were pinned down and met slow death by fire. Twenty dead bodies have been taken out thus far, among them being: Two unknown women, both with babies; three unknown children, Mrs. Phillip Johnson, F. DeMoff, Emma Dressinger, D. C. Johnson, Mrs. Dr. Lee and A. W. Keller and wife. The fatally injured removed from the wreck include Andrew Asher and wife, George Henry, Mrs. J. L. Lumley, Charles Reeves, Arch Shepperd, Arthur Jewett, Frank Johnson, Mrs. Frank McCall, D. C. Gooding, Aleck Bishop.

A Costly Blaze.

Norfolk, Va., March 29.—Portsmouth was visited early Sunday morning by a disastrous fire, which destroyed property valued at between $150,000 and $200,000, consisting of a Catholic church, two public halls and twenty-seven dwellings. Most of the latter were frame structures. As a result of the conflagration 200 persons are homeless.

Earns a Big Bonus.

New London, Conn., March 30.—The gunboat Helena returned from her trial trip on Long Island sound at 2:50 o'clock in the afternoon. The gunboat ran over the 27-mile course and developed a speed of 15 8-10 knots. Her builders, the Newport News Ship-Building company, will earn a bonus of $55,000.

Six Children Drowned.

Seneca, Kan., March 30.—Six children of John McGrath, a farmer residing in the northwestern part of Nemaha county, were drowned near their home on Sunday evening while attempting to ford Pole creek, which is running bankful.

World's Wheat Crop.

Washington, March 29.—The secretary of agriculture says that the world's wheat crop for 1896 is 2,428,393,000 bushels, against 2,546,404,000 in 1895.

VERY GRAVE.

The Greek Situation Apparently Extremely Critical.

London, March 29.—The Graphic gives prominence to a statement which it claims to have received from an unquestionable source, to the effect that the Greek situation is extremely grave. It says that with the departure of Crown Prince Constantine from Athens to take command of the troops in Thessaly, the die seems to have been cast. War would be inevitable if Greece recalled her army. It would march to Athens and dethrone the king.

The most serious element of the situation is the undoubted fact, despite denials, that the concert of the powers is no longer solid. There has not been an actual rupture, but the members have come to the conclusion that concerted action is a failure. If the so-called concert continues for a week it cannot continue longer. The statement ascribes the position to the impatience of the powers with Greece's reckless conduct and Great Britain's reluctance to coerce her. The powers will not accept Lord Salisbury's proposal for the establishment of a neutral zone.

It is said that Col. Vassos, the commander of the Greek army of occupation in Crete, has practically declared war against the powers.

Vienna, March 30.—The Austrian reichsrath was opened yesterday by Emperor Francis Joseph in person, who said in his address that he believed the action of the powers in Greece had a tendency toward peace, but that they did not mean to encourage Turkey in resisting reforms.

London, March 31.—It is said that King George has sent a message to the czar of Russia saying that it is impossible for Greece to yield to the powers regarding Crete. It is also said that the admirals in command of the foreign fleets in Cretan waters are of the opinion that now that Greece has virtually completed her war preparations on the frontier of Thessaly a blockade of the principal Greek ports would be useless.

EVANS IS CHOSEN.

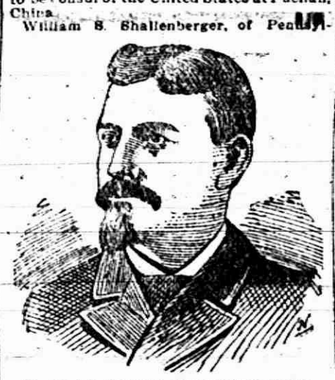
The Tennessean Made Commissioner of Pensions—Other Appointments.

Washington, March 30.—The president Monday sent to the senate the following nominations:

Charlemagne Tower, of Pennsylvania, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Austria-Hungary.

Anson Burlingame Johnson, of Colorado, to be consul of the United States at Fuchan, China.

William B. Shallenberger, of Pennsylvania, to be second assistant postmaster-general.



H. CLAY EVANS, OF TENNESSEE.
[Nominated for Commissioner of Pensions.]

James D. Gill, of Massachusetts, to be collector of internal revenue for the Third district of Massachusetts.

Thomas Ryan, of Kansas, to be first assistant secretary of the interior.

Henry Clay Evans, of Tennessee, to be commissioner of pensions.

ANGUS CAMERON DEAD.

Ex-United States Senator from Wisconsin Breathes His Last.

Milwaukee, March 31.—Ex-United States Senator Angus Cameron died here Tuesday night at the Wauwatosa sanitarium. He had been at the sanitarium only a few days, and was very low when brought here from LaCrosse, his home. He had been an invalid for several years, and when taken to the sanitarium his mind was almost a blank and he was very weak physically.

Thawed Out the Powder.

Webb City, Mo., March 31.—An accident occurred at Dermott & Gunning's mine at Oronogo, three miles north of here, during the afternoon, which cost Ben Brewer and Lon Gunning their lives, both being literally blown to pieces. They were miners, and while thawing out a box of powder it exploded. Each leaves a widow and several children.

Ohio Murderer Must Die.

Columbus, O., March 30.—The state board of pardons at Lancaster unanimously rejected the application for clemency for William Haas, a Cincinnati murderer, who is to be executed on April 8. Haas will be the first person in this state to be electrocuted. Haas killed Mrs. William Brader in Cincinnati on the night of July 3, 1896.

Ready to Admit Women.

Beloit, Kan., March 29.—The northwest Kansas Methodist conference has decided, without a dissenting vote, in favor of the admission of women to the general conference.

Iowa Railways.

Des Moines, Ia., March 29.—The state executive council has completed the assessment of Iowa railways. There are shown to be 8,500 miles of road in the state; they are assessed at $44,456,197, an increase of $74,986.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Fifty-Fifth Congress Meets in Extra Session.

Matters of Importance Brought Before the Senate and House—Brief Summary of the Daily Proceedings.

Washington, March 25.—The session of the senate lasted only half an hour yesterday and no business was done beyond the introduction of bills. Among these was one by Mr. Allen (pop., Neb.) to repeal the civil service laws and to do away with educational tests as a preliminary to entering the public service, and another by Senator Hoar (rep., Mass.) prohibiting the exhibition in the District of Columbia of kinetoscope illustrations of prize fights and prohibiting the transportation of materials therefor through the mails or otherwise.

Washington, March 26.—In the senate yesterday the credentials of John W. Henderson, appointed by the governor of Florida to the seat vacated by Mr. Call, were presented and referred. The arbitration treaty was discussed and the bankruptcy bill was read at length.

Washington March 27. — A resolution was adopted in the senate yesterday asking the president for information as to the death of two American sailors at Santiago de Cuba and a memorial from the Michigan legislature was presented protesting against the executive order at the close of the last administration consolidating pension agencies, and, in effect, abolishing the agency at Detroit. In executive session the arbitration treaty was further discussed. Adjourned to the 29th.

Washington, March 30.—A bill to prohibit the exhibition of prize fight pictures by means of the kinetoscope and kindred devices was reported favorably in the senate yesterday, and the arbitration treaty was further discussed. A bill appropriating $250,000 for the flood-stricken districts in the south was passed.

Washington, March 31.—Senator Allen (pop.), of Nebraska, made a long speech in the senate yesterday on the unconstitutionality of tariff taxes beyond those requisite for revenue. The arbitration treaty was further discussed. Senator Morgan offered a resolution calling for further Cuban information. The nomination of Frank W. Palmer, of Illinois, to be public printer was received from the president.

The House.

Washington, March 25.—In the house yesterday the debate on the tariff bill occupied nearly the entire day. A bill was introduced to establish a department of commerce, labor and manufactures, its head to be a cabinet officer.

Washington, March 26.—The four days' general debate on the Dingley tariff bill closed in the house yesterday and the measure is now open for amendment under the five-minute rule until next Wednesday, when the vote will be taken.

Washington, March 27. — In the house yesterday the tariff bill was thrown open for amendment under the five-minute rule and nine of the 162 pages of the bill were disposed of. Mr. Griggs (Ga.) introduced a resolution providing that measures be taken to have the constitution so amended as to give congress the power to impose and collect an income tax.

Washington, March 29.— Bills were introduced in the house on Saturday to modify the national banking laws so as to provide the people with a safe, ample, elastic and cheap currency, and to call in and cancel the paper money now in circulation. Five more of the 162 pages of the tariff bill were disposed of.

Washington, March 30.—In the house yesterday Mr. Spaulding (Mich.) introduced a joint resolution providing for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States. The tariff bill was discussed.

Washington, March 31.—Mr. Heatwole (Minn.) introduced a resolution in the house yesterday for a banking and currency commission which is in line with the recommendation of President McKinley's inaugural address. The tariff bill was further considered.

Fine Home Burned.

New London, Conn., March 29.—"The Elms," the magnificent residence of Col. A. C. Tyler, in Pequot avenue, with all its elaborate furnishings, valuable paintings, bric-a-brac, musical instruments and silver, was totally destroyed by fire early Sunday morning, causing a loss of over $300,000; insurance, $75,000. Thirty thousand dollars' worth of jewelry also was destroyed.

Victims of Dynamite.

Plainfield, N. J., March 31.—By the explosion of a can of dynamite, stored in the barn of John Cook, at Scotch Plains, three miles from this city, Rittle Stetter was killed and Conrad Paltz was injured so badly that he lies in a precarious condition. Both men are carpenters and were engaged in setting posts near the building where the explosive was stored.

Des Moines Has a Curfew Law.

Des Moines, Ia., March 29.—Saturday morning Mayor MacVicker signed the curfew ordinance, and it went into effect at night. It specifies that boys and girls under 15 years shall not be on the streets at night after nine o'clock in summer and eight o'clock in winter. Chief Marshal Johnson has instructed his policemen to enforce it to the letter.

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CLINTON.

Lyman Hause was up from Britton Tuesday.

Miss Tessa Carroli was a Tecumseh visitor Friday.

O L. Stitt was on the sick list the first of the week.

P. Kishpaugh made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh spent Tuesday with Clinton friends.

Jas. Hamilton was over from Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. Price left Monday afternoon for a visit with Adrian friends.

John Tuttle was home from Ann Arbor Friday and Saturday.

Frank Wallinger and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Monday in Clinton.

Joe Alexander and family moved into the Terryberry house Thursday.

The woolen mill was shut down yesterday for the annual inventory.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox went to Addison Friday afternoon to spend his vacation.

Mrs. J. K. Waldron, of Tecumseh, was in Clinton last Friday, calling on friends.

Leon Grey, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Clinton relatives the first of the week.

Miss Lotta Blanchard has been spending the past week with her parents near Adrian.

G. R. Wolfe's father, who resides at or near Morenci, suffered a paratytic stroke Sunday.

Miss Allie Temple, of Tecumseh, and Miss Woods, of Saginaw, were Clinton visitors Monday.

S. Tate went to Buffalo Saturday with another shipment of stock and returned Tuesday.

Leon Clark's tandem wheel is enjoyed by many of our wheelmen as most of them have tried it.

H. D. Sheckle went to Battle Creek last Friday to visit his parents, returning Tuesday morning.

Those of our young people who are attending school away are spending vacation week at home.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, is spending her week of vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

Miss Nellie Hunter, of Battle Creek, was the guest of her aunt, Miss Lina Jones, Monday and part of Tuesday.

Ralph Kishpaugh went to Britton Monday, to assist his father. He may not return for the spring term of school.

Mrs. E. A. Clark went to Jackson Tuesday morning to attend the spring millinery opening, returning Wednesday.

Will Waterhouse clerked Saturday and Monday in the Freese-Whittlesey Co. store while Miss Lina Jones was absent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittlesey attended the funeral of the little daughter of his brother, Fred W., at Toledo Saturday.

Mrs. Stevenson and children, accompanied by Miss Emilia Tag, went to Toledo Monday afternoon, to visit Mrs. S.'s parents.

Miss Lina Jones was called to Manchester Friday by the death of her brother George. She remained until after the funeral.

Arthur Blatchford, of Dakota, was the guest of his brother, Dr. Geo. Blatchford, from Thursday until the evening train Saturday.

Miss Kate McNalley was called to Jackson Saturday by the death of her brother. He had been very low with consumption for some time.

On election day the Maccabee ladies will serve dinner in their hall. Their dinners are great. All may be assured of a bountiful supply of good things.

George Starrett did not make a long visit but the time was fully occupied. George has a fine position in the grocery department of Siegel, Cooper & Co.'s immense establishment in Chicago, has been in their employ nearly three years and likely to be for years to come. City life has done great things for George and he enjoys it. He returned Tuesday night.

Last Tuesday afternoon a barn belonging to Columbus Aulls, in Bridgewater township, was burned to the ground with all its contents, including a machine for threshing corn which belonged to Clarence Aulls and Fred Crosby. The origin of the fire was unknown but it appeared to start in a straw stack near by. The barn was insured in the Farmers' Mutual of Southern Washtenaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Wallinger, of Tecumseh, were Clinton visitors Wednesday.

C. F. Field came up Monday evening to attend the University Club, he leading the meeting as the club has been unable to get a permanent leader.

Mr. McClintock, of Saginaw, roommate of Leon Clark's at Albion, who is spending the week with him, is making many friends and seems to be enjoying himself.

It is reported that Leon Clark and Frank Parker contemplate competing in the college tandem races this season. They ride well and their friends expect they will make a good record for themselves.

Will Egan, who is in poor health, came down from Grand Rapids and is at his uncle's, M. Keusch's, hoping the change of air and scene may be beneficial. His sister, Celia, is also quite indisposed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainsworth, of Ypsilanti, Mrs. L. A. Dudley, of Battle Creek, Mrs. Lottie Tyler, of Hillsdale, and Stella Whittlesey, of Toledo, were guests of W. S. Whittlesey and family the first of the week.

Miss Eva VanTyle, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Woodward, in Hudson, for the past four weeks, returned Tuesday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Woodward and daughter, Donna, who will make a short visit with relatives and friends.

Jno. Bush had an accident Tuesday that came near proving quite serious. While standing with one foot on a step-ladder and the other on a barrel, taking paper off the ceiling at his home, the ladder and barrel separated, throwing him to the floor, painfully spraining both wrists beside throwing one finger out of joint.

There is great rejoicing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. VanDeMark over the advent of a 10 lb. boy which was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shoemaker Sunday afternoon. Louise is very proud of her first born and justly so for he is a fine lusty fellow and looks like a child of several weeks. As for Ed and Emma, this is the first grandchild and they feel the importance of their position.

Last week we gave the result of the "silver" caucus held Wednesday afternoon and now give the ticket presented by the republicans at their caucus Saturday evening:

Supervisor—Geo. C. Lindsley.
Clerk—Chas. D. Cutting.
Treas.—Addison H. St. John.
Justice of Peace—John Burroughs.
Highway Com.—Oscar Halladay.
School Inspector—Mrs. Jennie Clark.
Board of Review—J. C. Hendershot.
Constables—Chas. R. Barnsdale, Geo. R. Belding, Fred Sheldon, Will Sherwood.

Mrs. Louisa Allen, who has for several years been in poor health, passed quietly away Sunday afternoon. The funeral was held at the house Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Allen was one of the old residents of this community. Though quiet and retiring in manner and a great homebody, she was a charming lady, highly esteemed by all who knew her. She was born July 10th, 1815, and when but 4 or 5 years of age was adopted by Captain and Mrs. James Parks. She was married to W. F. Allen March 13th, 1845. For many years she has been a faithful member of St. John's Episcopal church and until failing health prevented, was active in church work. Four sons survive her, Emmet, Frank, George and Fred. One by one the pioneers are passing away. A few suns more and they will all be gone.

At the University Extension Circle last Monday evening, the study of the Ancient Eastern Nations, covering the history of Egypt, Chaldea, Babylonia, Japan and China, was finished. Mrs. J. L. Tuttle read a paper on the City of Babylon. Among its pleasing features were descriptions of the Temple of Baal or the Tower of Babel and the "Hanging Gardens of Semiramus," one of the seven wonders of the world. W. S. Kimball told of the splendors of King Solomon's reign and his wonderful work in erecting the Grand Temple to Jehovah. Miss Kittie Biggins described the commerce of Phoenicia. Miss Celia Brewster gave a very interesting selection on the "Wall of China," giving an outline of its colossal structure. Those appointed to act on the program committee for the ensuing month are as follows: Mrs. J. L. Tuttle, A. C. Huntington and Clare Kimball.

FRANKLIN.

Word has been received that Cecil Billington is sick in Detroit.

Cecil Billington has accepted a position in the office of the Evening News.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Billington drove to Ypsilanti Saturday returning Sunday.

E. J. Whelan had his telephone line completed by putting in an instrument last week.

Miss Irene Allen attended the teachers' examination at Adrian Thursday and Friday.

Miss Alma Whelan was the guest of her uncle, Frank Billington, and family, of Adrian, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. J. A. J. Simpson, of Glen Forks, Ky., states: "I was afflicted with palsy and whenever I would recover from an attack of it a severe cough would set in, almost taking my breath away. This coughing would last hours, and nothing seemed to relieve me until I tried Lightning Cough Drops, which gave me immediate relief. I used two bottles of it and have never been troubled with a cough since." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Andrew Wood made a business trip to Sand Creek Tuesday.

Dr. Wood was in Sand Creek Tuesday, calling on old friends.

James Hillock is building a wood-house for Geo. W. Smith.

Haynes, the organ man, was looking after prospects here Tuesday.

Geo. Exelby has been full of business this week, shipping his hay, etc.

Joseph Smith, of Dundee, was in town on business the last of the week.

Ralph Kishpaugh came home from Clinton Monday to assist his father.

C. R. Maybee and mother now occupy the Hawks house. Moved this week.

Miss Pagle, of Adrian, is a guest of O. O. Maynard and family this week.

Fred E. Morrell was taken worse Friday and since then has been confined to his bed.

Rev. Deyo reports a delightful time at the Masonic dedication at Oxford last week.

Geiser & Co. opened up their grocery store Saturday. They have a neat store well stocked.

Will Rix and John Cheever were in Adrian Tuesday, having business in the circuit court.

Mont Hoagland has painted a new sign for O. B. Lenardson that shows up in great shape.

John Britton and wife are once more settled in their own home, having moved Tuesday.

The "fellowship meeting of the Christian church will tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Chet Caswell and family moved to the country Tuesday. They will keep house for Sam Patterson.

Andrew Wood is right in line. Has built a nice fence around his lot and a substantial walk in front.

A. W. Curtiss goes to Jackson in the morning, to attend a meeting of the Champion Harvester Company.

John Stewart and family moved here from Wyandotte this week. Mrs. S. is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Ousterhout.

Mrs. Vreeland, of St. John's, is here caring for her sister, Mrs. Chas. Kniffen, whose condition remains much the same.

Wm. Nivison represented the Reformed church Christian Endeavor society at the state convention at Jackson last week.

Simply by the use of two words, "nic stick," Will Swick nearly got himself into trouble Tuesday. It was a narrow escape for him.

Chas. Gorham and wife are now residents of Toledo. Their household goods went Tuesday and Mrs. G. followed them Wednesday.

Editor Goodrich's father and mother, who have been visiting friends in this city for some weeks, returned to their home at Harvey, Ill., Tuesday.

C. R. Wiggins, who came up from Toledo to attend the Wiggins-Exelby wedding and remained for a short visit with friends, returned to his home Friday last.

Ernest DuBois and Ed Gripton went to Jackson Tuesday as delegates from the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church to the state convention held there this week.

Quincey Dibble, having received an appointment in the Ionia prison, left last of the week to assume his duties. His friends rejoice in the comfort to him.

John Britton is having his building done up very nicely. It will be occupied by our popular milliner, Mrs. E. Britton, with a fine stock of goods. Watch for her opening.

The interior of the Exelby House has been renovated and from top to bottom has been painted and papered. Geo. Exelby does nothing by halves so the exterior of the house will next engage his attention.

The friends of Thomas Prest will be pleased to know that he has completed his visit with friends across the water and sailed from Liverpool Saturday, March 27th, homeward bound. He may be here tomorrow.

Those wanting wall paper this spring should not go away from home for it. A cursory glance at Lenardson's stock will convince you that he can suit the most fastidious and his prices bring the styles within the reach of all.

Britton is fast becoming metropolitan. At last, she is forging to the front. Like other towns from time to time the people being held up on the streets by highwaymen. Here recently two young gentlemen encountered the female highwaymen who evidently understood their business for they relieved them up in the most approved manner.

The "silver" caucus Saturday afternoon the following ticket was placed in nomination:

Supervisor—Conrad L. Lowe.
Clerk—Geo. L. Oliver.
Treas.—Cass. Zeluff.
Justice of the Peace—Eldridge Lowe.
Highway Com.—Geo. Allen.
Member of Review—Lewis Swick.
School Inspector—Chas. Nickerson.
Constables—Chas. Covell, Albert Frank Barrett, one to fill.

At the same hour the republicans nominated the following ticket:

Supervisor—Chas. Foote.
Clerk—J. L. Kishpaugh.
Treas.—David Gibson.
Justice of Peace—Thos. H. Temple.
Highway Com.—Chas. Gove.
Member of Review—Wm. Wilson.
School Inspector—Dr. E. Hendershot.
Constables—Grant Ousterhout, Adelmer, Wm. Ousterhout, Harry

At the Christian church Sunday Rev C. L. Deyo will have the following topics: Morning, "The Divine Fullness in Jesus, the Christ." evening, "How Shall the Church Attract the Masses to its Services and Win Them to its Membership."

Editor Goodrich appeared on the streets Sunday togged out to beat the band. From the crown of his head to the soles of his feet he was clad in new apparel. The long expected wave of prosperity must have struck the Citizen office violently. He had an air of nobility about him.

RIDGEWAY.

Go to Ed. Smith's for wool twine.

W. L. Jones started the plow Monday.

Mabel Graves visited friends at Dundee Monday and Tuesday.

Those who have wheels are enjoying them during this fine weather.

A new line of garden seeds at Ed. Smith's.

Arthur Palmer, of Adrian is with his uncles, Henry and Ed. Palmer, this week.

Road Dist. No. 5 ran their road machine, the Western Reversible, Monday, for the first time.

All but one of the graduating class of '97 attended the teachers' examination at Adrian last week.

New Maple Syrup, strictly pure, at Ed. Smith's.

Ray Gould, who has been attending college at Albion, came home last week for the spring vacation.

Prof. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson.

Dr. Stevenson, of Adrian, was called here Saturday as counsel in the cases of Samuel Barlow and Montie Florance.

The latest news of Anton Christensen the creamery man who skipped last week, is of his arrest in New York City.

C. L. Lowe and Charles Foote are the nominees for supervisor and a close and hard run is the anticipation of their friends.

Prof. J. C. Howell, silver nominee for school commissioner, was in the village Tuesday, looking after his own in the political contest.

Clip your horses now. Use good clippers. Buy them at Ed. Smith's.

Cass Zeluff and David Gibson were in the village Tuesday looking after the gaps in the political fences, as they are the nominees for township treasurer.

Rev. Joshua Stansfield, of Port Huron, the last on the lecture course, will be here next week Wednesday evening, April 7th. Subject, "Hero of Babylon."

Rev. N. F. Nickerson, of Britton filled the sacred desk Friday eveping assisting the pastor in the special meetings. Rev. Baldwin while with us has won a friendly place in the hearts of many, leaving truths that will go with them through life.

Rollo Kirk Bryan, chalktalker, of Lansing, the sixth on the lecture course, gave one of his celebrated chalk talks at the church Tuesday evening, to a good sized audience. Mr. Bryan's revolving or "white blackboard" consists of about one hundred square feet of blank surface. On this he paints so-called performing pictures, while addressing his audience, illustrating the subject under discussion. He applies chalk, in colors, with both hands, while talking, thus bringing out telling humorous and pathetic surprises, the rolling, rocking easel giving to his picture a life-like motion. He is certainly a marvel. His adeptness as an artist and his command of language, seemingly without limit, form a combination that is new, novel and entertaining.

Died, at her home in Macon, March 26, 1897, Fannie, wife of Samuel Weeks, aged 42 years. Fannie Reynolds was born in Wellington, Prince Edward county, Ont., March 27th, 1855, and was united in marriage to Samuel Weeks in 1872. In their home in Canada were born four children, Milton S., Alfred E., Lulu M. and Arthur S. In 1882 they moved to Michigan and have since resided in or near Macon. For the past fifteen years Mrs. Weeks has been in poor health, but during the last year she has gradually failed until her spirit took its flight on Friday last. She was a great sufferer but with trust in her Saviour she bore these sufferings with christian grace. On Friday morning she called her loved ones around her asking each to so live that they might be a united family in the home above. Her mind was clear and strong to the last, and her faith kept her in perfect peace. The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. Cansfield officiating.

Darling mother she has left us,
We shall hear her voice no more,
She has gone to meet her Saviour,
On that bright and golden shore.

Through our life our cares she's lightened,
Helped to bear each ache and pain.
Her whole life was for her loved ones,
All for us who now remain.

Still, beside that western window,
Stands our dear one's vacant chair;
In our hearts what pain is felt,
Not to see her sitting there.

Yes, she's gone, loved wife and mother,
She has heard her Master say,
"Enter, good and faithful servant,
Into the realms of endless day."

And to us our own dear Saviour,
Says in words both sweet and clear,
"Peace to you" and "Be ye ready,
When I call to meet her here."

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors who showed so much kindness and sympathy in our great bereavement.

SAMUEL WEEKS AND FAMILY,
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MACON.

Rolfe Mills was home from Detroit last week.

Ansel Pratt, of Toledo, is visiting relatives in the village.

Mrs. Sarah Biddle, of Saline, is visiting at Lester Coller's.

Mrs. Charles Morgan entertained a niece from Iowa this week.

George Reudel attended teachers' examination at Adrian Thursday.

Misses Clara and Ida Hendershot visited relatives in Detroit this week.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hatch has been quite sick the past week.

Mike Cauanaugh, of London, was shaking hands with Macon friends last week.

John Frost left Monday for South Bend, Ind. He has gone in search of work.

Miss Blanche Mills is home from Blissfield this week, it being spring vacation.

Mrs. Sarah Hough and daughter, Tillie, of Tecumseh, spent Tuesday with Macon friends.

The M. E. Sunday school will elect officers next Sunday. A good attendance is desired.

John Sherman moved his family and household goods into the Day house the first of the week.

Master Ernest Burdett, who has been under the doctor's care for the past week, is on the gain.

The next M. E. aid society will be held Wednesday April 7th, at the home of Mrs. Viva Conklin.

Misses Helen Camburn, and Maggie Biddle and Ross Biddle visited Saline relatives Sunday and Monday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting Saturday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. Frank Odell.

Topic for the E. L. meeting next Sunday night is "Wisdom and Folly Personified." Prov. 9: 1-6-13-18. Leader, Miss Helen Camburn.

The Epworth League will hold a business meeting Friday evening April 2nd, at the home of Miss Minta Jackson. All members are requested to be present.

Albert Collins is moving into the house recently purchased of Milan Sage.

Christian Coller and wife, of Tecumseh, visited Lester Coller and family Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Weeks, who has been a great sufferer for a long time, of consumption, passed into the world beyond last week Friday. The funeral was held Sunday.

Mrs. Ezra Gleason, who has been in poor health and nearly helpless for several years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alonzo Kuder, Thursday morning. The funeral was held in the D. R. church of this place Saturday afternoon, Rev. J. A. DeSpelder officiating.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin is on the sick list.

K. O. T. M. meeting next Tuesday evening.

Charles Pfund went to Toledo Saturday evening.

Miss E. H. Fish was in Adrian a few days last week.

J. L. Richard's pupils are enjoying a vacation this week.

Quite a number attended the meeting at Wellerville, Sunday.

Miss Abbie Ray returned Monday to resume her school duties.

Osgood Hive No. 236 will meet Saturday (tomorrow) afternoon.

Communion services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calhoun were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Nixon over Sunday.

An adjourned grange meeting was held Saturday evening at Maccabee hall.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin and daughter Ruby have returned from a visit with Mrs. C's sister, at Wayne.

Mrs. Camburn, of Adrian, was a caller in town Saturday, on her way to visit her brother, Horace Holdridge.

Sunday-school officers for the ensuing year will be elected at the Free Methodist church next Sunday morning.

Miss Jennie Gillespie, of Tecumseh, was a guest of Miss Florence Spencer and the Misses Bertha and Blanche Macham from Thursday until Monday.

Elver G. Miller surprised the people by his marriage on the 24th ult. to Miss Effie M. Sampson, of West Sumpter. The young couple will reside near this place, as he is to work his father's farm.

At the Presbyterian church at Raisin, on Sunday, the following Sunday-school officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Supt.—R. M. Boyd.
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Mary Benedict.
Sec.—Florence Spencer.
Treas.—Kenneth Holloway.
Organist—Bertha Macham.

CONE.

Dr. Howell was a Lansing visitor the first of the week.

Walter Cone visited his family in Detroit last Wednesday.

Mrs. D. Calkins, of West Dundee, is visiting friends here this week.

Ray Gould, of Albion college, is spending his vacation with his father.

Walter Goodall, of Tecumseh, visited friends here the first of the week.

Miss Grace Ellis, who has been quite sick the past few days, is so as to be out again.

Miss Edith Dumphy commenced her fourth term of school last Monday in the Cone district, where she gives good satisfaction.

Miss Edith Ray has gone to Tecumseh, where she expects to spend the summer.

Mrs. Jennie Kent, of Toledo, visited her mother, Mrs. Jane Auten, several days last week.

Mrs. Martha Landt attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. D. T. Hazen, at Azalia, last Friday.

Mrs. Libbie Hatton, of Ypsilanti, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Caswell.

Edward Allshouse has built a new stoop in front of his store—a much needed improvement.

Mrs. Ida Mills, of Macon, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Norman Auten, last Thursday.

Mrs. Jane Auten is having her house painted and papered. Dewitt Squires, of Dundee, is doing the work.

School commenced in the Caswell district last Monday with quite a large attendance. Miss Grace Barr is teacher.

LAKE RIDGE.

Frank Smith is moving onto the Wilkins farm.

Misses Gertrude and Etta Boyd, of Ridgeway, spent Monday with their brother, Thomas Boyd.

Miss Etta Anderson, of Tecumseh, visited her sister, Mrs. T. Murphy, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Charles Cramer, who has lived among us for the past year, has moved his family north, where he has purchased a farm.

Thomas Murphy and wife went to Ypsilanti Sunday to see their son James, whom they found quite ill with the mumps.

Frank Southard and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Samuel Weeks, which was held at the residence in South Macon, Sunday afternoon.

A Sunday-school was organized in the F. M. church last Sunday, by the pastor, Rev. F. Baker, with the following officers:—

Supt.—Miss Etta McMullen.
Asst. Supt.—George East.
Sec.—Mack McMullen.

A good attendance is desired.

EAST FRANKLIN.

The best of the sweet season is over.

Spring weather and wet roads go hand in hand this year.

Misses Sadie Taylor and Irene Allen spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Adrian.

Rev. and Mrs. Wellwood and Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander visited at A. D. Hunt's last Wednesday.

Cecil Billington is reported as being sick with measles in Detroit where he has just secured a position.

Some of the older people say that they haven't seen the roads so bad for twenty-five years as they have been the past two weeks.

Mrs. A. D. Hunt received a letter from her brother, Ransom Remington, of Meadow Creek, Montana, recently. He says that snow is from four to eight feet deep in the gullies. He is drawing hay to market with a four horse team over three long hills one of which is three miles long. He reports plenty of work and good pay.

Friends of Mrs. John Babcock, formerly of this place but now of Mt. View, Mo., received a letter from her not long ago. She says times are very hard there and they are having a very wet time. We will quote from her letter dated March 20th; "I went down in the valley where a creek runs in a wet time this afternoon about 2 o'clock and crossed the creek bed where there was no water. Now at 7:30 p. m. it is 30 ft. wide and a roaring river. It is still raining and the water is still rising. I don't know what it will be by morning."

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Of the W. F. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church—History by Mrs. E. B Wood.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Missionary Circle, celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary March 18th, 1897. The lecture room of the church had been transformed by skillful hands into a parlor and about 75 ladies were present. Mrs. Brown gave an exposition of the grand Messianic psalm, the 72nd. Mrs. Helm read a brief poem founded on this psalm. Miss McConnell and Mrs. Henry Conkling read their reports. The history of the twenty-five years was given: a beautiful poem written by Mrs. J. W. Falley, of Hillsdale, was read by Mrs. Kemp; and these things mingled with prayer and song made a most interesting meeting. A delightful lunch was served and the evening was made glad with singing by Messrs. Conkling and Strong and Mesdames Bidwell, Morley, Kellogg and John Orr, with Miss Root at the organ.

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1872—1897.

MRS. E. B. WOOD.

Dear Friends:—We ask you to rejoice with us, for we have reached our twenty-fifth anniversary, our "Silver Year," today. We look forward, the path winds before us in sunlight and shadow, clothed in mystery, for none of us know how long our day may be, nor the strength of it; yet we are not dismayed, for we look backward, also, through the long aisles of the vanished years and we see everywhere the tokens of our Father's love, the fulfilling of his promises. Each one of these years with its dealings of Providence, its ministeries of grace, went slowly by; Sabbath after Sabbath, throwing a bar of celestial light on the common ground of daily life, brightened and faded; year after year gathering up the weeks and the Sabbaths left a deeper mark on life, and, giving us their messages of joy or sorrow, passed on forever, and so we make this something of a memorial service. We bring you some items of our history, familiar to ourselves, but perhaps interesting to a larger audience.

In 1872, two foreign missionaries were sent to Tecumseh by our general assembly then meeting in Detroit, commissioned to organize for us a Woman's Foreign Missionary society. Dr. Nassau had spent years under the burning skies of Africa and Mr. Walsh in India, in sight of the grand Himalaya mountains. They told us the things they had seen, and as we listened to their earnest appeals in behalf of the women and children in the sorrowful lands where Christ is not known, our hearts were deeply stirred, and sixty ladies of our church pledged ourselves to give of our means to help send the gospel to those Christless lands. We saw clearly that intelligent christian women are called of God to enter those barred zenanas, those awful households from which men are so rigidly excluded, and where women can enter at all times and tell of Christ who came to be the hope of glory for their souls." We saw that only the gospel could heal their leprosy of sin and make those degraded and miserable women as daughters of our King, clothed in robes of fine linen, pure and white, the robes of royalty. We knew they would be the same women, and yet not the same. They would see better things—they would hear divine melodies and would be brought by the power of the Spirit into the purity and moral beauty of the redeemed. So we were gladly organized as an auxiliary society to help support these teachers and thus share their work of bringing these perishing ones to a saving knowledge of the truth.

Our pastor's wife, Mrs. Stoutenburgh, was our first president, followed by Mrs. Drew, Mrs. Deacon Conkling, Mrs. Bills, Mrs. Webb Anderson, Mrs. Wim- Mrs. E. B. Wood, and four even out of that brief list are now walking the streets of gold.

At our organization we pledged $40 a year to Mrs. McKee, at Ning Po, China. —she was Miss Ketcham in those first years.—$10 a year to Miss Patton, at Panhala in S. W. India, and $10 a year to Miss Noble in Utah. Afterwards Miss Patton was entirely supported by a church in Detroit, Miss Noble was transferred to the Home Mission board and Mrs. McKee, bereaved of her husband, has returned with her little children to America, and we will give toward the salary of Miss Hunting, in Tripoli, Syria. Our treasurer, Miss McConnell, finds that we have given in twenty-five years the grand sum of $1667.36; to this we add our memorial offering, $24.00, making a grand total of $1711.36. This includes a legacy of $50 from Mrs. Bacon and one of $25 from Mrs. Robert Boyd. These dear friends crossed the bridgeless river and left this in memory of their love for missions. It also includes $8.30 given us by the missionary circle—being one-half of the money raised at a praise meeting last November—and $10 given us by Mrs. E. C. Baird.

We are reminded by our lists that we are a divided company. Some who gave gladly with us for a long time, have made homes in other places. You remember them well—Mrs. Stoutenburgh, Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Hiram Raymond, Mrs. John Conkling, Mrs. Phoebe Hunt, Mrs. Babbitt, Mrs. Mather, Mrs. Meeker and Mrs. Augusta Hall Waldron, so long our secretary. Mrs. B. J. Bidwell and Mrs. J. S. Strong have been members of our society during all the twenty-five years. They have long been prevented from meeting with us by ill health, but they have an unfailing desire for our prosperity. And our secretary, Mrs. Henry Conkling, has given you the long list of our beloved dead—Mrs. Minda Ketcham, Mrs. Deacon Conkling, Mrs. Drew, Mrs. John McKinney, Mrs. Bates Chatterdon, Mrs. Webb Anderson, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. James McNair, Mrs. Charles Stocking, Mrs. Colonel McNair, Mrs. S. Crane, Mrs. John McConnell, Mrs. Wm. Richards, Miss Addie Wimple, Miss Anna Brewer, Mrs. Enoch Tindall, Mrs. Bacon, Mrs. Robert Boyd, Mrs. Nichols, Mrs. James Boyd, Mrs. Horace Brewer, Mrs. Kneeland, Mrs. LeBaron, Mrs. Newton Bryan, Mrs. A. D. Hall, Mrs. John Orr, Mrs. Ellen Sherrard, Mrs. Noah Burroughs, Mrs. J. P. Slayton, Mrs. W. R. Dingman, Mrs. John Tallman, Mrs. P. Bills, Mrs. Villa Sherrard, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. A. L. Lawrence, Mrs. P. S. McKinnon, Miss Sarah Rosebrough, Mrs. Bronson Knapp, Mrs. B. L. Baxter and Miss Harriet Carpenter,—these were all so tenderly loved and have left such precious memories with us. We speak of them reverently because to each of them has been given the white stone with the new name written which no one knoweth saving they that receive it—a secret between them and God. We remember their daily lives among us, their calm, sweet faith that never asked for surer word than just His own—He saith. They have gone through the shadowed valley and are inhabitants of that city "that shines from out the sacred page aglow with solemn splendor," and this seems like holy ground to us for if God had not called them to serve Him nearer His throne they would be here with us, their well-remembered voices joining with ours in thanksgiving and praise.

We look sorrowfully backward at their dear faces and as we stand together at this closing door of four quarter of a century, we know that we cannot step again within its boundaries—we cannot retravel the old familiar paths or retrieve the lost opportunities. The hand of our Father will lock it and keep the key, teaching us that with time there is no turning back,—we must act in the living present, like servants who watch for the coming of their Lord. "So shall our grief for friends be changed to songs of joy and we be given to follow Christ, as they did, till death, and then through death to Heaven."

But Longfellow says, Look not back sorrowfully upon the past; and so we lift our eyes from our losses, and take a wider outlook over the world's golden harvest fields, and we can say with full hearts, Hitherto hath the Lord helped us. The service to which we were called has increased our faith, has given us more fervent zeal, has made our love for the King in His beauty stronger and more abiding. These years, while taking away so many of our friends, have brought large measures of success to our beloved missionaries; have seen the organizing of many a christian church in the Orient, presided over by educated and intelligent native pastors. The hermit nations are hermits no longer, but Japan and Corea, with many other lands that were savage or exclusive a few years since, are now welcoming our teachers. Glorious modern discoveries and inventions are now combining to make the highway in which the ransomed of the Lord shall walk. Prejudice, fanaticism, and even the iron walls of caste are melting away,—religious liberty, the christian home, the girl-babies even, becoming objects of love and pride in many redeemed households, have made gladness in heathen lands. "The rough places," as in grand old Isaiah's vision "are becoming smooth and the crooked places straight," the Christmas chimes are beginning to make themselves heard around the world.

Everywhere, in isolated places, the people are beginning to hear the triumphs of His beloved name. "The Immanuel of prophetic vision —Christ the Lord," of the angels' song "Christ crucified" the battle cry of the apostles. The commands, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel," "Take up thy cross and follow me," have grown broader and more beautiful to us in these passing years as we have seen them transmuted into the lives of our missionaries, and we have learned that God is testing our love for Him, not as in the long gone centuries by the fires of martyrdom, but by the presence of thousands of women and children in heathen lands dependent, because of the harmonious division of the heathen world among the various denominations, dependent entirely on Presbyterian women to tell them of the risen Christ. Shall we not stand His test and prove our sincerity? We should look faithfully into all the errands life lays before us, for they are working out God's purposes. We have heard somewhere of a statue with the bowed face hidden in the streaming hair and wings on the flying feet. They have named it Opportunity, because we so seldom see the hidden face when it presents itself, and wings are on the feet because it is so speedily gone. Let us be quick during the time that is left us, to grasp each opportunity for doing the Lord's work, and so turn our sorrow for the past into bright promises for the future; and although the work each one begins may be left unfinished, we know that it will be carried forward by other hands of God's appointing toward a more glorious completion. We are reminded today of Joshua's command to the children of Israel, to take twelve stones from the Jordan and build an altar, as a memorial of God's care over them during their pilgrimage, and of this extract from Sangster's beautiful poem:—

Bravely in that far distant day of an elder time,
Their wilderness waiting over, they marched with faith sublime;
And still we catch that vision, the fair, sweet fields of grain,
The laughing April harvest, covering hill and plain,
The light on shore and river, the cities walled and high,
And the long procession winding on beneath the Captain's eye.

We, too, are pilgrims, seeking our Canaan under our glorious Leader, and this anniversary is like a memorial alter of the journey on which the Lord hath thus far brought us, And when the mile-stones have all been counted, and labor shall merge into rest, may we, joining the dear friends already gone, receive an abundant entrance into our promised land—our home.

Mrs. P. A. Cowley.

The hand of Death was heavily laid upon the family of P. A. Cowley, of Hudson, in the claiming for its own his loved and honored wife, Mary Jane Cowley, who parted this life on the 19th inst.

Mrs. Cowley had lived in our village and vicinity since her ninth year, and was much loved by all who knew her. As a teacher marked success crowned her efforts. She established the first primary Sunday-school work in the M. E. church here. She was married to P. A. Cowley on Nov. 26, 1865, and after some time moved to Hudson where she has since resided. Although she had been ill for a long time, her death came suddenly, at the age of 51 years. She leaves a bereaved husband and two daughters to mourn her loss. Her funeral was attended by a large concourse of loving friends, among them being people from Grand Rapids, Jackson, Adrian and other places.

A Preacher

Of Waterloo, Ind., Rev. S. P. Klotz, writes: "I have been afflicted over 20 years with dyspepsia or sour stomach. Have tried different remedies without much benefit. A 10c bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gave me great benefit. Have taken nearly one large bottle, and feel like a different person. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 31st day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bumbolt Pennington deceased

On reading and filing the petition of Claribel Pennington, administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to law and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	13	16
Eggs	7	9
Lard		08
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		84
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	15	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 50	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75 to 4 50	
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 7	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	78	to 83
Corn, shelled	20	25
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats		14 to 10
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 50
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		70
Corn meal, per 100		70

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Waist, $4.00 and up.
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things are many of the groceries put on the market these days, but what you want is a place to buy groceries where the reputation of the store is staked upon what is sold. Our store is one of this kind, we stake our reputation upon what we sell. We will give you the best goods at lowest prices, promptly delivered.

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Tecumseh Herald.

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LOAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Ad- ress Lock Box 196, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

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OR SALE.—Choice Strawberry Plants 1½ miles north of Tecumseh on the Newburg 2wk JOHN F. SCHREDER.

. D. Avery was a Clinton visitor dnesday.

er. C. M. Brown was in Jackson two s this week.

Miss Sena Hosmer has been spending week at home.

Miss Munn, of Toledo, is visiting atives here this week.

New Capes and Dress Goods to please Anderson & Rosacrans.'

Miss Perkins, of Hudson, is the guest Miss Hattie Osborn this week.

Miss Grace Hillman attended the C. convention at Jackson this week.

Frank Bryan has been busy this week ving his household goods to his own me.

Miss Blanch Bigelow, of Flint, Mich., visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. N. ey.

ay Anderson, who was under the tor's care for several days, is now to be out.

Vincent Bryan, who has been visiting Michigan friends, has returned to home in Kansas.

Mrs. Ed. Root and Mrs. E. M. nklin, of Manchester, were Tecumseh sitors this morning.

Mrs. C. H. Bartholomew, who has en ill a number of weeks with neural- a, is now improving daily.

Frank Kingan, who has been spend- g the past ten days with his people, turns to Coldwater Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Fitzsimmons, of California, visiting her son, P. W. A. Fitzsim- ons, and will remain several weeks.

The regular monthly meeting of the . F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be ld in Room No. 1 next Wednesday at p. m.—Sec.

If you have an idea of buying a wheel is season, consult L. C. Hayden. He s the agency for National, Clipper d Belle wheels.

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Have you seen those beautiful Spring hoes just received? All the new hoes and best makes at prices so low very one can have them. HARRIS & HITESHU.

The Springfield Music Co., Spring- field, Mass., offers cash prizes for short oems, comic or sentimental, suitable for songs. Such verses they will set to music, publish and allow writers prizes nd royalties. Rules, etc., with copy f their latest 40c. copyright music for- arded upon receipt of twenty cents.

E. B. Strickland, of Lawrence, Kan. who will be remembered as one of the rm of Ward & Strickland in Tecumseh ome twenty-eight years ago, and who ow is traveling salesman for the firm f Clement Bane & Co., an extensive lothing house in Chicago, recently aid Tecumseh a flying visit, the guest f his brother-in-law, Ed. Prichard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mills entertained t their home last evening the old embers of the Presbyterian choir, as ollows: Stoughton Strong, Henry Wil- on, Mrs. Belle Probert, Mrs. George S. Wilson and Mrs. L. I. Bidwell. The vening was delightfully spent. Miss Alice Wimple, Mrs. Ellsworth Cairns nd Mrs. Henry Conkling were also resent.

The annual Thankoffering service of he W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church ill be held next Sunday evening in lace of the regular service. Rev. J. P. arner will give the address. All in- erested in missionary work are earnest- y requested to be present. A special nvitation is extended to the Home issionary society and the missionary ocieties of other churches.

Choice field oats for seed at Mobbs & Co's.

Mrs. E. C. Coryell, of Deerfield, is spending the week in town.

Miss Hettie Waldron has been seriously ill with pneumonia the past week.

Miss Mame Staninger, of Morenci, was the guest of Miss Anna Gaston, Saturday.

Bicycle riders will now be obliged to keep "in the middle of the road" till November 1st.

There will be a meeting of the K. P. lodge next Thursday evening for work. All turn out.

Take your watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles to Fred P. Kennedy's for repairs.

Mrs. Sumner Collins is making her parents at Montpelier, Indiana, a visit of several weeks.

Messrs. Barrett and Richards, who assisted in presenting Caprice, returned to Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Henriette Keysor returned Monday from a visit of several weeks with friends at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman and Miss Bridges were in Detroit last week looking up new styles in millinery.

A new invoice of Dress Goods, Ready Made Skirts, Spring Capes, etc., cheaper than ever, at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Our new styles in Furniture are arriving every day. Prices lower than ever. Call and see us. WHEELER & SISSON.

You can get first-class watch, clock and jewelry repairing done at Fred P. Kennedy's jewelry store, U. S. express office.

Miss Christine Wilson entertained about thirty of her young friends very handsomely at her home last Friday evening.

When you are looking for genuine bargains in Crockery, China and Glassware, be sure and call at Tansley's new store, Heesen Block.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. J. P. Varner during the month of April. Meetings will begin at three o'clock sharp.—Sec.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman will be pleased to show all the new styles in spring millinery next week Friday and Saturday, April 9 and 10.

The plate front in C. F. Patterson's store building, next the postoffice, was broken last Monday and no one seems to know how it happened.

Rev. W. K. Spencer, of Adrian, and Rev. C. M. Brown, of Tecumseh, will exchange pulpits Sunday evening. Mr. Spencer's subject will be "The Cardinal Points in Presbyterianism."

Harris & Hiteshu are getting ready for Easter and have a most complete line of everything in the line of novelties. You will be surprised at the variety of stock and lowness of prices.

The members of the Monday club presented to their president, Mrs. C. A. Wright, this week, a beautiful book, as a small token of their regard and appreciation of her work and assistance in the class.

The members of the Monday club were delightfully entertained at the home of the president, Mrs. C. A. Wright, last evening. A feast of photographs and other entertaining features was in store for them.

As I have rented the whole store of which I have only had a part for the past seven years, I will, by the 10th of April, be able to display a more complete line of musical instruments and sewing machines. Please call and see me if you want anything in the music line. E. M. COLLER.

Teeple's photographic work is first-class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

Subjects in the Universalist church Sunday: Morning, "What is the Gospel?"; evening, "Prisons and their Influence," by request. Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m.; topic, "Missions: The Command and the Promise." Evening services begin now at 7:30 instead of 7:00 as heretofore. Everyone welcome to all services.

On the last page of this issue of the HERALD may be seen an announcement of the opening on Saturday, April 10, of the new drug store in the old Baker & Hall location, by S. E. Parrish, of Detroit. Mr. Parrish intends to get acquainted with the people of Tecumseh in short order and on the opening day will give each lady visitor a souvenir and each gentleman a cigar. Everyone is invited to call on the opening day.

You can not afford to miss seeing our large stock of Furniture if you are going to buy. WHEELER & SISSON.

The last regular meeting of the Monday Club for the present year occurred March 29th. The program for the afternoon was enjoyable though confined to the study of artists and their paintings. Miss Jennie Root told us about Jacob Ruysdael and his pictures. Miss Alice Rice gave a sketch of the artist, Albert Cuyp, mentioning his paintings. Miss Louise Phelps closed the program with a description of David Teniers, Jr., and his art works.

Sunday about 10:30 a. m., James Cook, who lives in the Thorp house, accompanied by his brother Dolph, went into John Boland's part of the house, and while John was lying on the couch, Cook assaulted him and a bloody encounter followed, causing great excitement in the neighborhood; children screamed, and men and women came from all directions. A Mrs. Freer, visiting the Cooks, who is subject to fits, had a terrible one. The men were finally separated and quiet restored. The Cooks were soon after taken by an officer and put in the lock-up, but James was released soon after. Monday morning they were taken before Squire Wightman, who was extremely lenient, fining them $5.00 and $10.00 with costs respectively. James paid fine, but Dolph failing was taken to Adrian. Liquor was the cause of the trouble.

Don't fail to ask John Curry "what she weighs."

C. A. Slayton made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

There will be second degree work at Masonic temple this evening.

Leon Teachout, of Onsted, visited Fred Teachout and wife this week.

Mrs. Angeline Helts, of Ridgeway, was calling on her Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

Miss Lucy Bliven, of Blissfield, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sisson, this week.

Frank Rising and Florence Maynard visited friends at Dundee Wednesday and yesterday.

Carpets—New Patterns and Right Prices at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

Mrs. Frank Beamer and son, Ed, of Hastings, are guests this week of Dr. Steinhoff's family.

Mrs. Mollie Vanderpool, of Onsted, is with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Teachout.

Fred Chase has moved from Tipton to Tecumseh and will work for John Hicks this season.

Our prices on Furniture will be the lowest in the county. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. Frank Avery and daughter, who have been visiting Onsted friends, will return home tomorrow.

Rev. James Hageman and wife, of Dundee, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mead, this week.

Mrs. Sarah Lowry has moved into rooms over the Central market formerly occupied by Mrs. Rose Abbott.

Little Blanche Keysor, after four weeks' stay with Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keysor, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. D. A. Hodges and child, of Jackson, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson.

Mrs. Fred Teachout and children, of Blissfield, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Jones, a few days the past week.

Miss Anna Williamson has been spending the week with Hattie Hurry, at Ann Arbor, and Rose Wilson, at Ypsilanti.

Photographic buttons, the latest novelty at Teeple's.

Miss Mae Cody Reynolds, who charmed every one by her dramatic powers and made many warm friends socially, left for Chicago Tuesday, to meet an engagement.

Rev. Mr. Hachford gives an address next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, in St. Peter's church, to unmarried men alone. All the young men of Tecumseh are invited.

Clarence Jakson, who has been spending vacation week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson, returns to Jackson, where he is attending school, tomorrow.

Geo. H. Tansey has the finest and only exclusive Crockery and China store in Southern Michigan. He has all the latest novelties, both foreign and domestic, and certainly can give you the lowest prices. Call and see him.

Much of the right-of-way for the Lima Northern, on the route between Tecumseh and Adrian, has been secured. Work on the Adrian end is being pushed rapidly and next week teams will be employed near this place.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teeple's

"Caprice" was again presented Monday evening to a good audience, with new specialties, and moved off smoother than before as the local performers were more at home. They all did so well that personal mention seem superfluous.

Samuel D. Moore, one of the pioneers of Lenawee county, died Monday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law, Robert Westgate, in Raisin, aged 85. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday, with interment at Raisin Valley.

Notice appears in the Detroit papers of the death of Mr. David Galatian, son of Dr. Galatian, who first held Episcopal church services in Tecumseh. Mr. David Galatian attended the anniversary services held in St. Peter's church two years ago. His death occurred in St. Luke's church home, on Tuesday of this week. Burial at Hamburg, Mich.

The managemens of the New Croswell opera house, at Adrian, announces "My Friend from India" as the attraction for April 7th. The piece is a screaming farce and is the reinging success in New York at the present moment. The company to appear at Adrian is the original one—the same players being in the cast that made fame and fortune for the piece and its owners, Messrs. Smyth and Rice. Since this company was sent out another one has been organized and the play is now running at Hoyt theatre in New York. Manager Hardy was only able to secure this attraction through the burning of the opera house at Jackson.

Thomas Hand, of Grand Rapids, who worked for Arthur Rice two years ago, came down recently to again enter Mr. Rice's employ. He stopped at the Central House and had not been there long before he began to act strangely. On most subjects he seemed all right, but imagined he had all manner of physical infirmities. One moment his heart was thumping and the look of suffering on his face was pitiful to behold; the next his muscles were swelling to an alarming extent and he knew his limbs and arms would burst. His hallucinations were varied and strange. It was a sad case as his sufferings were intense though wholly imaginary. He was in no condition to work and so was persuaded to return to Grand Rapids where he makes his home with a sister. Mr. Rice's people say he was faithful and trusty and thought themselves fortunate in again securing him. They, as well as the people at the hotel, were very kind to the unfortunate man while he was here.

NOTICE:—All accounts of Anderson & Co. have been placed in my hands for collection, and all indebted to the old firm are requested to call at once at the office of J. W. Wightman and settle. CHAS. BIDWELL, Deputy Sheriff.

A history of the W. F. M. society of the Presbyterian church, written by Mrs. E. B. Wood, appears in this issue of the HERALD, on the fourth page. Extra copies of the HERALD may be obtained at the counting room.

Anton Christensen, the Ridgeway butter maker who skipped to New York with his patrons' money, is quite a prominent character just at present. He was arrested in New York, agreed to give back the money, was released, but through some blunder the matter was not legally adjusted and now one of Lenawee county's officers is under arrest in New York city and they are looking for the sheriff.

The Research circle have finished the year's course of study and closed their meetings with last Friday evening. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Howell and both sections of the club attended. The program consisted of a little talk by Miss Burridge on the Preraphaelite movement in English art illustrated by about forty photographs, the originals of most of which may be found in different noted galleries—a few belonging to private collections. This was very much enjoyed by all, having been instructively and ably conducted. After a business meeting, the session closed.

Nominations.

The following tickets were put in nomination last Monday evening:

DEMOCRATIC.

Supervisor—Jas. A. Boyd.
Clerk—Don Bowen.
Treasurer—Joe Robbins.
Highway Com.—J. T. Boyce.
School Inspector—E. C. Andrus.
Member Board Review—P. H. Keyser.
Justice of Peace—G. W. Frazer.
Constables—M. Gillen, Jas. Aten, Joe Hanford, Jno. McCaughn.
Whole number of votes cast, 65.

REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—B. C. Conkling.
Clerk—Frank B. Bauer.
Treasurer—Chas. McNeil.
Highway Com.—Chas. Matthews.
Justice of Peace—Elmer Hause.
School Inspector—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Member Board Review—H. Weller.
Constables—J. C. Hastings, T. P. Wood, Levi Thompson, Chas. Stevenson.
Whole number of votes cast, 101.

Mary Ross Hoy,

Whose funeral was held at the house Sunday afternoon, was born in Antrim County, Ireland, August 27th, 1831. She was married to John Hoy Dec. 22, 1856, at Balamena, County Antrim, Ireland, and came to Tecumseh in the spring of 1861, since which time this has been her home. Of the six children born three sons survive her, Robert, William and John.

Mrs. Hoy was a most devoted wife and mother. Her home was her realm where she reigned supreme, love being her sceptre. Besides the husband, sons and relatives a large circle of friends mourn her loss.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Mar. 16, 1897:
Milo Davis, Miss Becca Bollinger, Messrs. Bronson & Coombs, Mrs Sarah Livingston.
Persons calling for letters the above list will please say "Advertised."
T R. KYLE. P. M.

Prompt Settlement.

Toledo, O., March 29th, 1897.
Mr. Guy J. Davidson, Gen. Agent.,
Room 3, McGraw Bldg., Detroit, Mich.
DEAR SIR:

I am today in receipt of the company's draft for $1071.54, payment in full for Policy No. 96881 on the life of my late husband, John Libstaff. The promptness with which the claim was settled is very commendable to the Manhattan, as the proofs were sent to you on the 4th of March, and the company's draft bears date March 19th.

My husband was insured two years ago the 15th of February, and not being able to meet the payment the second year, the company were liberal enough to accept part payment with notes for the balance. The third year he had just completed arrangements for the third payment in the same way and he was suddenly killed by being run over by a L. S. & M. S. engine.

I cannot say enough for the Manhattan, and especially its representatives who were so kind in helping me to complete the proof.

Yours very truly,
(signed) MRS. CLARA LIBSTAFF.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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If you are CONSUMPTIVE or have indigestion, Painful fits or debility of any kind use PARKER'S GINGER TONIC. Many who were hopeless and discouraged have regained health by its use.

LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

The Carnegie Steel company has opened branch offices in London and Liverpool.

A Word to Physicians.

Do you know that many broad minded physicians are using Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup in their practice? They have found no remedy that gave as satisfactory results for all throat and lung complaints as this great cough medicine. Orr & Temple

Peter Herman, of Chicago, flagman for the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, was killed by a freight train at that city.

Stomach Not Just Right?

Here's what will cure it. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a palatable, certain remedy for Constipation, Indigestion, Chronic Sick Headache, Summer Complaint, or any trouble of the stomach or bowels. For sale in 10-cent bottles (10 doses 10 cents) and in 50c. and $1 sizes by Orr & Temple, Tecumsen, and Ridgeway.

Thomas M. Bloom, the oldest man in Chester county, died at his home in Cedar Hollow, near Phoenixville, Pt., aged 104 years.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Orr & Temple.

The joint ballot for United States senator in the Kentucky legislature gave Hunter (rep.) 67 votes, two less than was necessary.

The grocery store of John. Rose, of Fisher avenue, Bay City, was destroyed by firs; loss $1,200.

CASCARETS stimulate liver, kidney and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

The northernmost postoffice of the world has just been established by Norway on Spitzbergen island.

Stop drugging yourself with quack nostrums or "cures." Get a well-known pharmaceutical remedy that will do the work. Catarrh and Cold in the head will not cause suffering if Ely's Cream Balm is used. Druggist will supply 10c. trial size or 50c. full size. We mail it. ELY BROS, 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Montana, recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

The Rock Island road has served notices of withdrawal from all the traffic associations, passenger and freight, of which it has been a member.

Mr. John Mahony, Day Clerk, Park Hotel, Youngstown, O., says: "Lightning Blood Elixir is a good tonic. It makes new blood and builds one up when run down. Hereafter I shall substitute Lightning Blood Elixir for beef, iron and wine as my regular spring tonic."

A Life for 50c.

Many people have been cured of Kidney diseases by taking a 50c. bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure. Orr & Temple.

Ambassador Hay has arranged to leave for England by steamer from New York on Wednesday April 14.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

Any man able to eat pie need not worry about his health.

The bill adopting the gold standard has passed the house of peers of Japan and only awaits the signature of the emperor to become a law.

THE VETO POWER.

Gov. Pingree Uses It in the Interest of Veterans.

The Beet Sugar Bounty Bill Becomes a Law—Statistics of State Employes and Salaries—Other Gossip.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, March 31.—The bill recently passed by both branches of the legislature making it a misdemeanor for any person to unlawfullly use or wear a badge of the Grand Army or Loyal Legion has been vetoed by Gov. Pingree, this being his first veto. The bill is objected to by the governor because it reaches every member of the order who may, for the time being, be in arrears for dues, and therefore not in good standing.

In a special message Gov. Pingree endeavored to induce the house to reconsider the vote by which it defeated the appropriation for a state exhibit at the Nashville exposition. The effort was futile.

The railroads were given a hearing in the state legislature Tuesday night upon the bills inimical to their interests in which there are a large number of very radical ones, which Gov. Pingree and his followers are vigorously pushing. The most important provides for a reduction of passenger rates in the lower peninsula to two cents a mile and in the upper peninsula three cents a mile.

The action of the state live stock sanitary commission last year in slaughtering cattle suspected of being afflicted with tuberculosis resulted in a proceeding being commenced by Maxwell M. Fisher, of Detroit, to test the right of the commission to take such action. The matter has been dragging along in the courts until Gov. Pingree, upon the recommendation of the commission, has instructed the attorney-general to have the question at issue decided.

Mr. Goodell, of Wayne, introduced a resolution in the house recently calling for a committee to investigate and report to the house the number of persons in the employ of the state, not including the heads of departments, who were receiving $800 or more for their services. It was adopted, and a report has been made. The report shows that there are employed by the state 365 persons, not including heads of departments, who receive $800 or more per year. The 365 receive as a whole $564,204.51 per year or an average salary of $1,544.56, or over $5.14 per day.

Gov. Pingree has fixed his official signature to the bill providing a bounty of one cent per pound on beet sugar. The law will go into effect 60 days after adjournment of the legislature. Commissioner of the Land Office French, who will enforce the provisions of the bill, has ordered 1,000 pounds of beet seed from the department of agriculture. Already there are two projected plants and companies being organized in this state for sugar manufacture.

The long fight between the state fish commission and the commercial fishermen over pending legislation ended Thursday, when a compromise bill was agreed upon. This bill provides a license fee of $75 per year for tugs with steam hoists, ten dollars for pound or trap nets, five dollars for seines and gobble nets and for small boats. No white fish or trout weighing less than two pounds are to be taken, and the close season is to be from November 1 to December 1, except in Lake Erie, where it is to begin and end two weeks later. All meshes are to be 4½ inches, but this provision is not to take effect until 1900, in order to give present operators an opportunity to change their outfits without serious loss.

Michigan will be a back-number state in the Tennessee exposition this year. The house sealed the fate of the senate bill appropriating $7,500 for a state exhibit by voting it down, the vote being 48 to 41. The higher figure favored the appropriation, but a majority vote of 51 was essential to passage of the bill. The debate on the question was lively. Economy was the keynote of the opposition and the insinuation that the exhibition of the state would inure to the benefit of wealthy miners and manufacturers had its effect in the onslaught upon the bill.

The state oil inspector's office has turned into the state treasury $11,625 as the net earnings of the office for 1896. The total receipts for inspection were $36,320 and the expenses $24,695. The number of gallons of oil inspected during the year was 18,164,575, of which only 2,897 gallons were rejected.

In committee of the whole the house passed the bill of Representative Williams placing persons conducting private banks, or receiving deposits, under the supervision of the bank commissioners. It also provides for inspection by the commissioner.

The senate has passed the bill fixing the legal rate of interest at five per cent. instead of six per cent. as at present. The contract rate remains at eight per cent. and banks are not allowed to pay more than four per cent. interest on funds. An endeavor was made to have the fund interest reduced to three per cent. on the grounds that more money would be in circulation instead of being left in the banks.

Mr. Dickinson's bill to prevent mob violence, which was defeated by one vote in the house, Tuesday, was passed Thursday, the vote of the previous day having been reconsidered. The final vote was 86 to 26.

There were arguments in the house for several days over the bill amending the law so that the placing of flags on school buildings shall be compulsory on the part of the school officials. The bill was passed, there being only seven votes in the negative.

The bill of Senator Robinson, providing for relief to the extent of $25,000 for the fire-stricken town of Ontonagon, met opposition when it came up on order of third reading, and now lies on the house table.

The bill for the use of the $68,000 in the Soo canal fund to build a marine hospital at the Soo went to defeat in the senate. The committee on finance and appropriations reported adversely and a motion to indefinitely postpone consideration was passed.

The house joint resolution appropriating $3,000 for Mrs. Margaret Heimes, on account of the accidental death of her son while on military duty at Ishpeming, passed by the senate after a sharp debate.

The house in committee of the whole agreed to a bill prohibiting the shooting of prairie chickens, quail and partridge for a period of five years.

The bill of Representative Molster providing for the stamping of boots and shoes composed wholly or partly of an imitation leather passed the house easily.

The house antagonized the baking powder manufacturers Monday by agreeing in committee of the whole to the Goodell bill, which divides baking powder into three classes, cream of tartar, phosphate and alum, and provides that packages shall be so labeled as well as marked conspicuously with the name of the manufacturer. No variety is to contain more than 20 per cent. of starch.

The house in committee of the whole agreed to the Hammond bill, which is a substitute adopted by the insurance committee absolutely prohibiting fire and marine insurance companies, either home or foreign, to enter into any combination with reference to fixing rates to prevent free and open competition. It provides a penalty for agents violating of not less than $50 nor more than $100, with imprisonment for default. Companies not complying with the law will have their licenses revoked.

EMMETT.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

William Holz, Accused by His Wife, Is Arrested at Detroit.

Detroit, March 29.—William Holz, Jr., aged 21, was slain Saturday evening by his father at their home on Catherine street. Father and son quarreled and Holz ordered the boy out of the house. The latter refused and the old man, it is said, seized a rifle and fired several shots. One bullet pierced young Holz's brain. He lived but a few moments. Mrs. Holz, who witnessed the tragedy, is prostrated. Holz is under arrest. He is a cabinet-maker, 54 years of age, and the father of seven children.

COFFINS FROM A FAVORITE TREE

James Swan and Wife, of Decatur, Prepare Their Caskets.

Decatur, March 31.—James Swan and wife, an aged and wealthy couple living on a farm in Engham county, 50 years ago planted in their dooryard a cherry tree, of which they became very proud because it grew so straight and to such a great size. After talking it over several years the pair concluded to be buried in coffins made from their favorite tree, so several days ago the tree was felled and a mammoth log taken to Mason, from which the burial caskets will be manufactured.

Left to the New Pension Chief.

Washington, D. C., March 29.—The pension case of Chief Justice Charles D. Long, of Michigan, which has been before the departments and the courts several years, will remain undisposed of until the republican appointee as commissioner of pensions takes charge. It is known that the board has made a favorable report, practically sustaining the claim of Judge Long to a $72 rating. But Commissioner Murphy and some of the officials do not agree with the board's view, and accordingly the case will not be acted upon by the present officers of the bureau.

Caught in New York.

New York, March 26.—Anton Christensen, of Michigan, was arrested here Thursday charged with having swindled the Ridgeway (Mich.) Creamery company out of $40,000. When arrested he was negotiating for the disposal of 40 kegs of butter, which he had consigned to himself in this city. He admitted that he was the man they were after, but denied his stealings amounted to anything like the amount claimed. He was about to sail for Denmark.

Aged Lady's Terrible Fate.

Niles, March 26.—The residence of John Cutting, on the outskirts of Niles, burned Thursday morning. Mrs. Cutting, aged 69, was alone in the house and in attempting to save some goods her clothing took fire. She was found lying a few feet outside of the house, where she had attempted to extinguish the flames by rolling in the snow. She lived but a few hours. The house was destroyed with all the household goods. Loss about $4,000.

Pardoned.

Lansing, March 26.—Gov. Pingree has pardoned ex-Coroners Bettinger and Butler, of Wayne county, and their clerks, Bird and Benzing, who are serving 18 months each in the Detroit house of correction for collecting jury and witness fees for inquests never held.

Michigan Merchant Suicides.

Charlotte, Mich., March 29.—Scott Seavolt, a prominent commission merchant of this city, shot and killed himself in the woodshed of his residence at noon. No cause is known for the suicide. He leaves a widow and two children.

Acquitted.

Muskegon, March 26.—Patrolman Partick Fitzsimmons, after a trial lasting nearly three weeks, was acquitted of the charge of murdering Sidney Pearson, a fireman, last season on the Chicago tug Welcome.

Straits Still Closed.

Mackinaw, March 29.—The prospect is that there will be no navigation earlier than April 10. The temperature was at freezing point during the past five or six days. The straits are still solid.

Insane Over Her Husband's Death.

Niles, March 30.—Mrs. Mertie McCoy has become insane over the murder of her husband four years ago during a democratic rally. He was killed in a saloon in this city by two negroes.

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Hereafter I shall never be without Lightning Blood Elixir, for I find it most efficacious in the cure of blood and skin diseases. It is an ideal spring tonic.—Bernar E. Noble, 30 Scott St., Youngstown, O. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you wan to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pouns in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. By No-To-Bac from your own druggist who will guarantee a cure, Bookl and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Does Your Head Ache?

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A terrible storm lashed Puget Sound recently. Buildings were blown down and a scor of persons injured, but none fatall

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Nineteen business buildings in the village of Bloomington, Wis., were burned to the ground. Loss $50,000; insurance light.

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The New Jersey Methodist conference has voted against the admission of women as delegates to the general conference.

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Wabash Line.

On and after Sunday, Nov. 29, 1896, trains will leave ADRIAN as follows:

EAST BOUND.

Express	5:58 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:47 a. m.
Accommodation	8:46 p. m.
New York Express	9:36 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Express	1:11 a. m.
Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
Limited	3:45 p. m.
Express	5:15 p. m.

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STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 845. Accom'n
Detroit.....Lv	8 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M.
Ecorse	8 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Wyandotte	8 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Trenton	8 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Gibraltar	8 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Flat Rock	7*06 "	3 08 "	3 08 "
Monroe.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Monroe.....Lv	19 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 05 "

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 846. Accom
Chicago		8 20 P.M.	.....
Toledo	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	.....
Monroe	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Flat Rock	9 04 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Gibraltar	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Trenton	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
Wyandotte	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Ecorse	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
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Time Table in effect Dec. 27, 1896.

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Passenger	12:01 p. m.
Passenger	5:50 p. m.
Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:45 a. m.
Passenger	4:11 p. m.
Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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INTERESTING FACTS.

Bits of Information from Many Localities in Michigan.

Family troubles caused Mrs. John F. Otto, a young married woman, of Grand Rapids, to take a dose of carbolic acid and death resulted.

Hartford citizens have organized an improvement association, the principal object of which is to secure the location there of desirable manufacturing institutions.

The cheese factory at Millington has been purchased by a stock company organized by the business men and farmers of the vicinity, who will operate it hereafter.

At the conclusion of his examination Chester W. Comstock, manager of the broken bank at Big Rapids, was held for trial on the charge of violating the state banking laws.

A Chicago manufacturer of canning machinery is making preparations for starting a canning factory at Niles. He expects to have the factory running full blast next fall.

Mrs. H. P. Sherman, who had lived on her farm in Ross township, Kalamazoo county, for over 60 years, died recently, aged 92 years. Her second husband, aged 87, survives her.

Michael Morris, a convict sentenced to life imprisonment for murder from Huron county, died at the Jackson prison a few days ago. He was 36 years old and had been in prison since 1886.

It is reported that a large amount of counterfeit silver coin is in circulation at Wayland, Allegan county, and the local officers are inclined to think the bogus money is of home production.

The name of Pine Plains township, in Allegan county, will be changed to Valley, a bill to that effect having been passed by the legislature at the request of the residents of the township.

Correspondents at the Detroit Free Press state that throughout the middle and southern part of Michigan the roads are in such a condition as to make them practically useless. Nothing but mud.

The Lima, Northern & Detroit rail road will strike Tecumseh, the committee representing the road having accepted the bonus of $6,000, and agreed to have trains running into Tecumseh before the first of September.

Orman Sullenbarger, aged six years, was kicked in the head by a horse which he was driving to pasture on his grandfather's farm in Orange township, Ionia county. Congestion of the brain set in, and death resulted.

Three years ago several Berrien county farmers near Baroda engaged in litigation over a drain. The case has been in the courts ever since at an expense of over $3,000 to the contestants, and it is now likely that it will be taken to the supreme court.

A recent census of the school population of Calumet shows that out of 2,721 school children, but 201 are Americans. The nationalities which are represented in the other twelve-thirteenths of the total are English, Finnish, German, Swedish, Norwegian, Italian, Scotch, Austrian, Irish, Polish and French.

Some of the largest growers in the lake shore fruit belt assert that in many places the freezing of the peach buds during the cold weather was a positive benefit to orchards, as the number of buds killed was about the proportion which would have to be thinned out by hand when half grown in order that the remainder might mature.

Houghton Merchant Fails.

Houghton, March 31. — Richard M. Hoar, mayor of Houghton and a leading merchant, assigned to William A. Dunn, trustee. Mr. Hoar has been in the general mercantile business in this city for the past 25 years, and owing to inability to collect outstanding accounts was compelled to make the assignment. His principal creditors are in Chicago, Milwaukee and Detroit, besides a few large ones in Houghton. Liabilities, $59,000; assets, about one-half that amount.

The League Completed.

Lansing, March 30.—The formation of the Michigan Baseball league was completed here Monday. The cities of Saginaw, Bay City, Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo and Port Huron comprise the circuit. A schedule was adopted providing for a season opening April 28 and closing September 12. The salary limit is $600 and the number of miles to be traveled by each team is less than 2,500.

Fire at Frankfort.

Frankfort, March 26.—What might have been the most disastrous fire to the business portion of this village in four years, broke out at one o'clock Thursday morning in the Bank block, which was seriously damaged; also the stores and their contents on each side. One family who occupied the second floor escaped in their nightclothes. The loss is from $9,000 to $10,000.

State Christian Endeavor Society.

Jackson, March 31.—The annual convention of the State Christian Endeavor society opened here Tuesday with a large attendance. Representative divines and laymen from all over the state will take part in the proceedings. Delegates will be selected to the national convention to be held in San Francisco next July.

Resigns to Restore Peace.

Bay City, Mich., March 30.—Rev. Father Bogacki, priest of St. Stanislau's church parish, which has been the scene of so many Polish riots during the past year, has sent his resignation to Bishop Richter at Grand Rapids. It is believed that his retirement will bring peace to the parish.

Injuries Cause His Death.

Holland, March 27.—Benjamin Dewit, a prominent young farmer, residing four miles southeast from here, died Thursday, as the result of being kicked in the head by a horse five months ago.

A Fatal Kick.

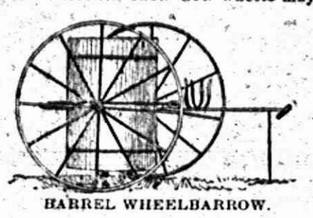
Bancroft, March 26.—A. G. Stevens, a farmer living west of the fair grounds, was kicked by a horse the other evening and died in 20 minutes.

FARM AND GARDEN.

FARM CONVENIENCES.

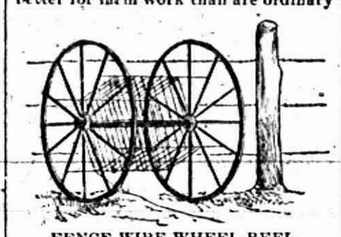
How Excellent Use May Be Made of Old Wheels.

Don't throw away any old wheels; they can be put to as good use, sometimes, as they were on the vehicles on which they were bought. The illustrations herewith show how wheels may



BARREL WHEELBARROW.

be made serviceable by constructing a barrel wheelbarrow and a reel for fence wire. Fig. 1, the barrel wheelbarrow, is simply a barrel on wheels, balanced so that it will tip easily. The hooks in front are for a shovel and hoe to hang on. For many purposes this is better for farm work than are ordinary



FENCE WIRE WHEEL-REEL.

wheelbarrows. A heavier load can be carried. Fig. 2, the wheel reel for fence wire, is made by taking two wheels of a light wagon attached to their axle. Place four pieces of board through the wheels at regular intervals and wire to the felloes. It makes a large and convenient wire or cordage reel. These conveniences can be made during early spring so as to be ready for the first outdoor work.—Farm and Home.

TILLAGE OF CROPS.

Deep Working Is Said to Serve No Good Purpose Whatever.

All tillage of crops should be shallow. The time to go deep is when the ground is plowed in the fall. Deep tillage of a growing crop serves no good purpose whatever, while it is very injurious to the plants. It is folly to move the soil in which the roots of a plant are growing unless it is desired to check the growth of the plant. What is needed is intelligent shallow tillage. After every rain the crust that forms on the surface must be broken up, and any implement that runs one or two inches deep will accomplish that purpose. During a drought the surface of the soil gradually packs and forms a crust, and hence surface or shallow cultivation is as necessary as after a shower. Shallow cultivation will destroy weeds quite as effectively as deep, while it can be done with less than a fourth of the labor. The time to destroy weeds is just when they appear above the surface. Thorough tillage includes the destruction of all weeds as soon as they appear. Neither weeds nor grass of any sort should be allowed to rob the soil of one atom of its fertility. This involves watchfulness and labor, but not hard labor if the right kind of tools are used and used in time.

Thorough is simply intelligent tillage. A man must know his soil and then till it in the manner that experience and common sense show is best.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

RURAL MISCELLANY.

Plan to grow more grass and clover.

Study the requirements of the soil as well as of the market.

Select the crops with respect to their adaptability to the farm.

It is not only an item to increase quantity but to improve the quality of the crops.

Colts should be trained to walk fast before attempting to improve them in any other gait.

On the farm, as in any other line of business, it is an item to save labor and economize time.

Manure adds to the productiveness of land as soon as it is applied, but all of the substances will not be used up in one season.

The farm products should be put in the form in which they will bring the most money and yet leave the farm in the most productive condition.

While the farm may not always show large returns in the way of cash, yet with good management the farmer may be reasonably sure of a good living.

Continuous cropping without making an adequate return to the soil impoverishes the land and in the end will leave an unproductive farm on which to make a living.—Farmers' Union.

Balance for Grindstones.

One of the most satisfactory little improvements I have lately made is a balance on my grindstone. I turn with a treadle, operated by my foot, and this balance not only makes the stone turn easier, but also makes it run much steadier. To make the balance, I got a piece of iron about five-eighths of an inch thick, 3½ inches wide and 10 inches long. Had blacksmith punch a hole in iron 2½ inches from one end, of size to fit on grindstone shaft, on end opposite treadle. It should be put on so that long end of iron would be opposite the little crank that treadle is fastened to, so that when treadle is being pressed down by the foot the long end of iron will be going up and when the treadle is going up the weight of iron will be going down and help raise treadle, thus forming a balance.—Farmers' Union.

CORN A CHEAP FUEL.

It Pays to Burn It in Western States in These Times.

The existing plethora of corn, resulting in fabulously low prices, has occasioned much speculation as to its fuel value. There is such a diversity of opinion and so little actual knowledge regarding the profitableness of burning corn instead of coal that it seemed desirable to conduct a comparative test that would show the relative heating power of the two materials. The interests of the large number of people living in the region of cheap corn led to the determination of its most profitable use after it is upon the market by the authorities of the Nebraska agricultural college.

To make the test, a good grade of yellow dent corn, on the ear, of last year's crop, and not thoroughly dry, was burned under the boiler used to supply power for the department of practical mechanics, and the amount of water evaporated by the burning of a known quantity of corn was noted. The test lasted 9½ hours, and 5,232 pounds of corn and cob were consumed. The next day the same boiler was heated with screened Rock Springs nut coal, and the amount of water evaporated was recorded.

The data thus obtained show that one pound of coal evaporated 1.9 times as much water as one pound of corn. In other words, 1.9 times as much heat was liberated in burning one pound of coal as in burning one pound of corn. Several calorimeter tests were made which agreed very closely with these results.

The coal used cost at Lincoln $6.65 per ton. With coal selling at this price, and worth 1.9 times as much for fuel as an equal weight of corn, the fuel value of the latter would be $3.50 per ton, or 12.25 cents per bushel. The following table shows how much coal is worth per ton when its heating power is the same as that used in the experiment, and when corn is selling at a certain price per bushel:

Corn per bu.	Coal per ton
9 cents	$4 87
10 cents	5 41
11 cents	5 95
12 cents	6 49
13 cents	7 11
14 cents	7 57
15 cents	8 11

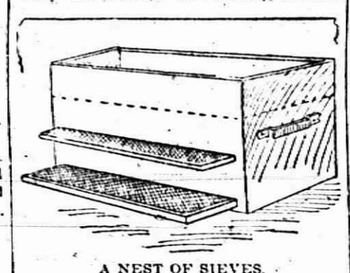
It will thus be seen that if this quality of coal were selling at less than $6.50 and corn were bringing 12 cents, it would not pay to burn corn, while coal must sell as low as $5.41 per ton to be as cheap fuel as corn at ten cents per bushel.

A very complete and thorough investigation of this subject is being conducted at the university. It was thought desirable, however, to publish the results already obtained, although they were based upon the performance of but one quality of coal. This coal is well known, and largely used in the state.

SIEVES ON THE FARM.

Useful in Sorting and "Sizing" Beans, Peas and Grain.

Few farms are fitted out with a proper assortment of sieves. When at hand they come into use almost every day in the year, and the owner wonders how he ever got along without them. They will sort and "size" various articles, beans, peas, grain, etc., and will clean the dirt out of many farm products. They will take out the coarsely-cracked



A NEST OF SIEVES.

corn for the older fowls, and separate the finer parts for the chicks, and so one might go on enumerating their conveniences.

Sieves are easily made. Get wire-cloth with mesh running from coarse to fine, and saw sections from grocery boxes for frames, on which to tack the wirecloth. Nail a small strip of wood over the edges and the sieve is complete. The cut shows a deep sieve with an arrangement for "sizing" an article into three or more grades. The sieve in the position indicated by the dotted lines is permanently fastened in place, and is very coarse in mesh. Below are two sliding frames with meshes finer and still finer. Thus with one shaking three, or even four, assortments can be made.—N. Y. Tribune.

Plowing Prevents Drought.

It will be found that where the soil is kept loose by plowing and cultivation its capacity for absorbing and holding water is much greater than where it is neglected. Thus every weed and surplus growth must be scrupulously kept down, as everything that grows is constantly drawing moisture from the soil. If we can get the upper and lower moisture in the soil to meet the battle is won, for the cultivation is favorable to the capillary action of the soil in drawing moisture from below, and cultivation will prevent its evaporation from the surface. If, however, there is a dry streak of soil a foot or more below the surface, vegetation will suffer accordingly.—Rural World.

Have Everything Bright.

Many farmers, when their fences have gone down, buildings need repairing, and everything on the place looks like a wreck, become disgusted and offer their farms for sale. Of course, such a place is not attractive, and if it finds a buyer will be sold at a discount. A few dollars expended for paint, whitewash, lumber and nails would add hundreds to its value, and, many times, after such a place is fixed up, courage returns to the would-be seller and he finds his farm a pleasant enough place for him to stay.—Rural World.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1888, Samuel Larzelere of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan, executed a mortgage to Sarah O. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plot in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1888, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty-four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. '97, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH O. ROGERS, Mortgagee.
G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office in the City of Adrian, on the 8th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Totten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Ella Eldredge, an heir-at-law of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person as administrator de bonis non upon said estate.

It is Ordered, That Tuesday, the 6th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Bresle, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William R. Bresle, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered that Monday, the 19th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 13th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Rose Abbot deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles F. Patterson alleging that he is a principal creditor of said deceased and praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him said Charles F. Patterson or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Thomas R Kyle, administrator upon said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the preferred claims against said estate and is now prepared to pay the whole or such proportion of the other claims against said estate as may be ordered by this court and render his final account and praying that said account may be allowed.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Orr & Temple

Of Tecumseh, Mich., write us on Jan'y 14, 1896, that their order of Nov. 11, 1895, consisting of 8 dozen in package and a quantity in bulk of your Syrup Pepsin is all sold. We find it one of the best sellers and gives the best satisfaction of any remedy ever sold over a counter. It is in 10, 50c and $1.00 sizes of Orr & Temple.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 18th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Knapp, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 19th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order to be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

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SIGNALING FROM MARS.

Possibility of Communications from the Planet.

Any citizen who is tired of mundane concerns, and wants to fix his mind on something higher, is invited to consider the allegation of Sir Francis Galton, made in the London Fortnightly Review, that some one on Mars is signaling to earth. The information seems not as yet to be very generally confirmed by astronomical observers, but Sir Francis is quoted as authority for the report that in one of the European observatories an apparatus has been devised for recording the Martian flashes, and that the record shows that three signals and no more are made, and that they differ, as all flash-light signals do, in the length of the flashes and of the intervals between, so that if we had the key they might read like telegraphic messages.

Of course this is not a yarn to be swallowed whole, but the association of the name of Sir Francis Galton with it is enough to entitle it to consideration. There seems to be no intrinsic impossibility of our having relations with people in Mars. It sounds preposterous, of course, but, like other marvels, it seems preposterous chiefly because it is unusual. We have to nudge ourselves from time to time in this age of swift surprises, and remind ourselves that nothing that is new to us can possibly be more marvelous than many things that have grown familiar.

LI'S AUTOGRAPH.

It Was About to Be Used as a Prescription for Grip.

A Coventry young lady who collects autographs is the envy of her feminine acquaintances, says an exchange. She has secured the signature of the famous Li Hung Chang. The quaint inscription might be anything else, so far as the impression which it conveys to the Anglo-Saxon eye is concerned, but its authenticity is indisputable.

She had been suffering from influenza and the physician had left her a prescription. Her mother, after the doctor's departure, picked up a piece of paper and was almost out of the room when a cry of anguish arrested her.

"Be careful!" pleaded the daughter. "What are you going to do with that?"

"Are you delirious?" was the response.

"No; don't you see what you are handling in that careless way? It's Li Hung Chang's autograph."

Her mother looked at it carefully, laid it down and with a grave countenance said:

"My dear girl, you don't know what a narrow escape you have had. There is no telling what combination of drugs might have been doing deadly work if you had not spoken. I didn't notice the writing on the autograph carefully, or I might not have made the mistake; but I was just about to send it to the chemist to have it made up."

A Curious Compliment.

Recently the attorney-general of Belgium, in the course of an eloquent speech, paid the folowing curious compliment to the soporific power of the Belgian press: "In the evening, when sleep flies from our agitated eyelids, deaf to all our appeals, refractory to our wishes, what immense assistance we derive from the attentive reading of some grave and deep leading article, such as many a high-toned journal enriches its columns with. Under its soothing influence a salutary repose closes in upon us, and the enchanted cup of the queen of night pours down upon us its treasures, in obedience to the mysterious power of the press."

Emin Pasha's Will.

Emin Pasha's will, leaving his property to a daughter by his Abyssinian wife, has been declared valid by the supreme court of Berlin. It was contested by a woman who had bought up the rights of a Turkish woman claiming to be Emin's first and only legitimate wife.

A LITTLE PAINT

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NUMEROUS PETITIONS.

They Reach the Michigan Legislature in a Flood.

MANY DUMMY BILLS INTRODUCED

They Are Presented by Solons in Most Instances to Accommodate Some Friend—Increase in the Proportion of Old Soldiers as Janitors at the Capitol—The Michigan Mining School—County Salary Bill—Other Legislative News.

Lansing, Mich., March 30.—The casual observer or reader of legislative proceedings is invariably struck by the apparent spontaniety with which the people of the state petition for or remonstrate against a pending measure. This feature of legislationis remarked upon more than any other. A visitor to the lower house at the commencement of the daily sessions, who listens to the perfect flood of petitions which pour in from all sections of the state on this, that or the other subject, would be justified in concluding that the taxpayers of the state were sitting up nights to sign petitions. For the past few days many of these petitions have called for the enactment of the Wagar bill providing for the reduction of official salaries, and while it may be true that the people of the state are greatly interested in the passage of this bill, I am violating no confidence when I mention the fact that these petitions are the result of the work of a single individual, and that they but illustrate the method employed for working up an apparent showing of public sentiment for or against pending legislation. In substantiation of this assertion I need simply to affix a copy of a letter which was sent out over the state by the person referred to. It is as follows:

Office of State Tax Statistician, C. V. DeLand, Statistician.

Lansing, March 5, 1897.

Mr. ——

I send you today at the request of Senator Wagar a few petitions, which he wants put into the hands of friends to circulate. Will you please do this? His bill cuts down some of the big salaries as follows: Railroad commissioner to $2,000; bank commissioner to $2,000; the others and deputies to $1,500. Outside of these it is about 10 per cent. cut. The total salaries last year were $402,650, and a 10 per cent. cut will save the people about $40,000. It is good politics, in my opinion, to push it. Yours, etc.,

C. V. DELAND.

Not Just What They Seem.

Accompanying the letter were the petitions and circular letter covering the subject. This incident simply serves to show that all matters of legislation are not just exactly what they seem, and that one cannot tell from the number of petitions how many are really interested in a given subject.

One result of this particular bit of activity was the killing of the bill providing for the continuance of the office of state tax statistician, a fact which shows that it is not always safe to monkey with the buzz saw.

"Did you ever notice the numerous dummy bills that are introduced at every session of the legislature?" said a well-informed gentleman to me recently. "While they are, of course, introduced by legislators, these officials, in most instances, have no interest in them, but introduce them to accommodate some friend whose motives are not altogether what they should be. Possibly I can best convey the idea I have in mind by relating a story recently told me. At a recent session a gentleman requested a friend of mine, who was a member of the legislature, to introduce a certain bill in which the latter had no interest whatever, in fact it was a skelton bill with a proper enough appearing title. This much accomplished the party of the first part hied himself to a neighboring city and sought out the president of the corporation whose interests the bill was designed to disastrously affect, and called his attention to the bill. The result was that he was employed to lobby against the bill and kill it if possible. The latter was not a very difficult task. The legislator who introduced the bill had no desire to push it, so nothing was done concerning it, and along toward the end of the session the gentleman at whose request it was offered, informed the law-maker that the circumstances had so changed that there was no need for such a law as was proposed, consequently he did not care to have him do anything further in the matter, and the bill was never heard of again that session.

Joy Turned into Mourning.

"But there was a very amusing phase to the case," continued my friend. "Both the interested citizen and the bill bobbed up again at the next session, and the same programme was carried out, another legislator being prevailed upon to introduce the bill. Then the citizen made another journey to the place of residence of the corporation president, and informed him that that pesky bill had again been introduced. The visitor was greatly pleased when the president told him that he had read about the bill in the newspapers and was considerably worried over the situation. His joy was turned into mourning, however, when the president remarked that a number of years before he had been given to understand by one in whose judgment he had the utmost confidence, that a man who would permit himself to be kicked twice in the same place by the same mule was good for nothing else, and that he had, therefore, decided to employ some one else to kill the bill that year. And he did so."

Early in the present administration the board of state auditors created a grat deal of feeling in certain circles by laying down the rule that janitors, etc. about the capitol should be limited to a service of four years. They also made a cut in the wages of this class of employes. Considerable adverse comment was made on the fact that so many old soldiers were removed as the result of this order, and the board now takes much pleasure in stating that under the readjustment just completed, although the total number of this class of employes has been materially decreased, the proportion of old soldiers has been increased.

Much has been said since the commencement of the legislative session concerning the Michigan mining school, and the committees on that institution have made a careful investigation of its affairs. Chairman Kimmis, of the house committee, has prepared a report in which the institution is generally commended, although decided grounds are taken in favor of keeping it within the scope of the law creating it. That law provided for a mining school pure and simple, but its managers, it appears, have branched off in various directions with a view, apparently, to establishing a great university. The committee favors no further appropriations for other purposes than the teaching of mining engineering and protests emphatically against any further attempt to make this institution anything more than a school of mines. It is in favor of an appropriation for an assay building detached from the main building, and advocates the charging of a tuition fee to be graded so that the least amount shall be paid by pupils from this state, the next greater by pupils from other states, and the greatest amount by pupils from foreign countries. The board of managers have been somewhat harshly criticised for educating residents from other states and countries at the expense of the taxpayers of Michigan. There is no doubt that there will be a change in this regard.

The Kimmis county salary bill is still on the hooks, and from the fight that is being put up against it by county officials and their friends, it is evident that it is going to have harder sledding than was anticipated.

More Tasks for Maynard.

Two very important tasks have been put upon Attorney General Maynard during the past few days. He has been ordered to make a thorough investigaton of the affairs of the defunct Whitehall State Savings bank, of Whitehall, and the People's Savings bank, of Lansing. In the former case the depositors charged that the bank had been looted by its officials, who, it was alleged, loaned themselves on worthless securities or no security at all, practically all the funds of the bank. They also demanded that some one be punished for this wrongdoing, and the investigation is preliminary to the commencement of criminal proceedings against some of the officials. No such petition was made in the case of the Lansing bank, but Banking Commissioner Ainger was of the opinion that it was so much worse than the other, that he could not consistently recommend an investigation in one and not in the other. It is not believed that the depositors of either institution will realize to exceed 10 cents on the dollar of their claims, and Commissioner Ainger says that it is time that that the remaining bank officials of the state were given an object lesson that will impress upon them the fact that the laws on this subject were enacted with the intention that they should be obeyed, and that they cannot rob the people with impunity. It is alleged that, in both instances, the shortcomings included the making of false reports to the commissioner.

Amendments to Banking Law.

Commissioner Ainger has had introduced several bills amending the banking law in important particulars with a view to making the supervision of banks more thorough, thus insuring greater safety to depositors. Three of these measures have already passed one branch of the legislature, and both will become laws. One places all private banks or places where deposits are received under the supervision of the department. Another requires directors to make a sworn statement annually setting forth the face and actual value of every piece of paper or other asset of the bank. This will enable the commissioner to judge of the shrinkage of the value of the assets from time to time. A third amendment will permit the commissioner to examine a bank as many times each year as he sees fit. The present law calls for an annual examination. This will be amended so that these examinations shall be made at least once each year. Special examinations can now be made at any time, but as the law provides for but one regular examination, the suspicions of the public are always aroused when more than one is made, and this sometimes works injury to a perfectly sound bank. The amendment will obviate this difficulty.

Commissioner Just, who will take his office Thursday, will increase the number of state bank examiners and make much more frequent examinations than heretofore. General Ainger has been at the head of the department but four months, but he has made a most enviable record.

Public Health Legislation.

None of the bills affecting public health legislation have yet been acted upon by either house. The public health committee of the lower branch held a meeting a night or two ago for the purpose of considering bills of this nature in its posesssion, but no reports have yet been formulated. One bill agreed to, however, will define what shall be deemed communicable diseases dangerous to the public health, concerning which there has been considerable controversy between physicians and health authorities. It is proposed to have this question definitely settled so that all cases of these diseases may be reported and isolated.

Representative Anderson's bill is similar to one introduced in the senate two years ago. It provides that the secretary shall not be a member of the state board of health as has been the case since the board was established a quarter of a century ago. The bill was introduced by request, and having no interest in it Representative Anderson had its consideration postponed. Unless some one who is interested appears soonto urge its passage it will probably not be heard of again.

Wants More Money.

The state board has asked for an increased appropriation in order that it may perform additional work put upon it by recent legislatures. Two years ago a law was passed requiring the board to furnish data, instructions, pamphlets, etc., so that children in the public shools might be instructed in the modes of spreading disease and the best methods for stamping it out and restricting it. The board went ahead and did the work, supposing that the state board of auditors would pay the expense of printing, etc., but in this it was mistaken. Now it has reached a point where it will be unable to further comply with the law unless an appropriation for so doing is made. The work done in this direction last year has proved to be very valuable, both teachers and pupils entering into it with zest.

The bill to abolish the state board of health and substitute therefor a state health commission with restricted powers and duties, which came so near passing the house two years ago, has been introduced in the senate this year, but its chances of passing are slim.

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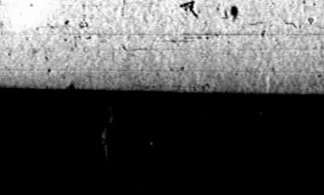

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MAYBURY WINS.

Democratic Candidate for Mayor Elected in Detroit.

Defeat of Stewart, Pingree's Candidate—Judge Long and Rest of Republican State Ticket Are Successful.

Detroit, Mich., April 6.—William C. Maybury, democrat, was elected mayor Monday by about 550 majority over Capt. Albert E. Stewart, republican. In view of Mr. Maybury's victory it is considered surprising that Judge John Miller, democratic candidate for police justice, was defeated by Judge Albert E. Sellers, republican, who was reelected by 1,000 majority. Maybury's election is looked upon as a decided defeat for Gov. Pingree, who practically named Capt. Stewart as his successor as mayor after the courts had overruled the governor's contention that he could hold both the offices of governor and mayor.

Returns received by the republican state central committee indicated that Charles D. Long, for justice of the supreme court, will have a plurality approximating 50,000. The republican candidates for regents of the university will fall a few thousand behind this figure. Judge Long's lead is attributed to the fact that Gov. Pingree persistently attacked the court for deciding against him in the mayoralty case, accusing the court of being bribed by the corporations, etc. In Detroit Judge Long led the Pingree candidate for mayor by 11,000.

Free Silver Sentiment Strong.

The vote was light and the free silver sentiment was shown in several of the cities more strongly than in the November election. This appears to have been especially true in the southern tier of counties. In a few cases on the votes for city officers republican majorities of last fall were turned into fusion victories. As usual the results as to local officers is considerably split up politically.

Out of 60 cities in which mayors were elected, the silver party carried 28, and the republicans 27. In five party lines were not drawn.

The returns on the proposition to increase the salary of the attorney general are meager, but indicate that the amendment has carried, the cities and upper peninsula being responsible for this probable result, the county districts voting against the increase.

Some Results.

Lansing—Davis (rep.) was elected mayor by 71 majority; a loss of 80 from 1896. The silverites gain three aldermen and clerk. The republican state ticket has a plurality of 119.

Bay City—McEwen (rep.), for mayor, elected with entire city ticket. Justice Long's majority, about 1,200.

Jackson—The city and county went heavily for silver. Loennecker, silverite, was elected mayor by 724. The fusionists get six out of eight aldermen.

Grand Rapids—Democrats claim to have carried the city for Judge Yaple by 350 majority. The city ticket is divided, the democrats gaining five aldermen, which gives them control of the common council.

Benton Harbor—The city republican ticket was elected. The state ticket has a heavy republican majority.

Saginaw—Fourteen of 15 city wards and nine of twenty-seven townships give the republican state ticket 3,550; democratic-silver ticket, 3,396. The fusion majority in the county will not exceed 400 to 500. Kerr (dem.), whose seat in the legislature had been declared vacant, was elected.

Marquette—J. K. Sherman, nominee for mayor of Marquette on the citizens' ticket, was elected by 175 votes over Dr. Alfred Desjardins, on the people's ticket. The issue was on the men. A fair vote was polled. In Ishpeming there were three tickets, republican, citizens' and labor tickets. Capt. James Trebilcock, the republican nominee, was elected by a plurality of 108. His hardest fight was against the labor ticket. In Negaunee there were two tickets, C. B. Kirkwood, running on the citizens' ticket, defeated the labor candidate by 65 votes. In all three cities the republican state ticket was victorious by a handsome majority.

Petoskey—Petoskey republicans elected M. F. Quaintance mayor and a majority of city officers. The net republican loss is 100 since November.

St. Joseph—The silver city ticket, with exception of treasurer, is elected by 37. The state republican ticket leads by 300.

Manistee—By nearly 300 majority Smurthwaite (dem.) is elected mayor, together with other city officers. The council will be republican. Manistee county went democratic on state ticket.

Muskegon—Muskegon elects A. F. Temple (rep.) mayor by 248; Pyke (dem.) treasurer, Sterenberg (rep.) justice by 275. The city was republican last fall by 700.

Battle Creek—The silver men elected Dr. Metcalf mayor by 509 majority, and carried the city ticket. Yaple has 400 majority. Last fall McKinley carried this city by 252 majority.

Niles—F. W. Richter (dem.) is reelected mayor. The republicans elect clerk, treasurer and one alderman. Democrats elect three aldermen. Yaple has big majority for supreme justice.

Menominee—The following city ticket was elected: William Holmes (rep.), mayor; Franklin H. Brown (dem.), treasurer; Thomas Breen (dem.), justice of the peace. The republicans elected four out of seven aldermen, and five out of seven supervisors. The state republican ticket was elected by 500 majority.

Sault Ste. Marie—Republicans elect mayor, treasurer, police justice, three aldermen; democrats, one alderman. Democrats make gains of over 300 from last fall on state ticket.

Adrian—Republicans elect entire city ticket except clerk. J. Will Kirk is elected mayor by 53 majority. John Mawdsley, silver democrat, elected clerk by 238 majority. Republican majority on Long for justice 332. Vote light.

Ann Arbor—Charles Hiscock was elected mayor. He was the republican nominee, but received the indorsement of the democratic party also, and so had no opposition.

Coldwater—The republicans elected their entire ticket with three exceptions. Sherman, silver candidate for mayor, has 91 majority. Silverites elect one alderman and one supervisor. Judge of Supreme Court Long carried the city by 65.

Escanaba—George Gallup defeated John O'Meara for mayor by 116 votes. Two democratic aldermen were elected. The state republican ticket was carried by a large majority. Amendment increasing the attorney-general's salary carried.

Marshall—Marshall elects the entire silver ticket, excepting two supervisors. State and county ticket about 100 majority.

Pontiac—The entire democratic ticket, headed by Kelly for mayor, is elected. The republicans elect four of five aldermen. The city gives a small republican plurality on the state ticket.

Ypsilanti—Democrats carry the city, electing Harding mayor by 194 majority and reversing the large republican majority of last year. Democrats elect three out of five aldermen, a gain of one. Republicans gain one supervisor.

SHERIFF IN TROUBLE.

Charged with Aiding a Prisoner to Escape.

Albany, N. Y., April 3.—Gov. Black has made a requisition upon Gov. Pingree, of Michigan, for the custody of Edwin S. Furgeson, the sheriff of Lenawee county, Mich., who is charged with permitting Anton Christensen, arrested in New York city on the charge of embezzlement, committed in Michigan, to escape from custody after he had been turned over to the Michigan authorities by the police of New York city. It is charged that the sheriff was bribed to permit the prisoner to escape. Christensen is now held in New York as a witness. District Attorney Sampson, of Adrian, is also under the New York laws, amenable, his offense being the liberation of Christensen after the latter had been delivered into his custody by the police of New York city without returning him to Michigan to stand trial for alleged embezzlement.

New York, April 3.—District Attorney Olcott has practically decided to discharge Antony Christensen, the Dane who is wanted in Michigan for embezzlement, as both he and Gov. Black agree that the Michigan authorities, having voluntarily released him, cannot extradite him, as he is not now a fugitive from justice. Assistant Prosecutor Sampson, of Lenawee county, Mich., will be put on trial under the indictment charging him with aiding in the escape of a prisoner. Gov. Pingree, of Michigan, and Gov. Black have had an extended correspondence concerning the merits of the case. The Michigan governor is satisfied that the New York authorities could not legally turn Christensen over to the Michigan police. He believes that a serious error has been committed by Prosecutor Bird, of Lenawee county, in this case, and has ordered an investigation.

Lansing, April 4.—Attorney-General Maynard has not yet advised Gov. Pingree what he should do about granting the requisiton of the governor of New York for the person of Sheriff Ferguson, of Lenawee county, who is wanted in New York for aiding a prisoner charged with a felony to escape. The prisoner is Anton Christensen, who was wanted for embezzlement. The attorney-general conferred with District Attorney Olcott, of New York, over the long-distance telephone Saturday, explaining that the Michigan authorities were as anxious as those of New York to have the criminal laws enforced. He said that Sheriff Ferguson was a good officer, who, although he did wrong, acted under instructions, and that it would be unjust to take him back as a criminal. Then he said that the state of Michigan apologized to the state of New York for the ill-advised and improper conduct of the officials of Lenawee county in releasing Christensen, and declared that the state of Michigan repudiated it.

Mr. Olcott asked on his part what the Michigan people were going to do about the requisition of Sheriff Ferguson, who allowed Christensen to escape. The attorney-general said if Mr. Olcott would not turn over Christensen he was afraid they would have to keep Ferguson. Mr. Olcott asked the attorney-general to take no action in the matter until a letter which he proposed sending him today, fully setting forth his views, could reach Lansing. Mr. Olcott said he did not want to punish Ferguson severely, but would, if he was returned here for trial, ask the court to impose a nominal fine. What he wanted to do was to establish a precedent.

AFTER THE MONEY.

Topinabee Indians Want the Pottawatomies to Divide.

Petoskey, April 4.—William Jones Petoskey, chief of the Topinabee band of Indians living east of here, is pushing his claim to a share of the $200,000 to be distributed among the Pottawatomies. He claims that he and his followers, are straight Pottawats and that they were frozen out half a generation ago and forced to emigrate. The Pottawatomies, on the other hand, claim that the Topinabee band are mixed Miamis and Chippewas. The band numbers 68 and would be entitled to about one-fourth of the division if their claim is established. Local business men are much interested in the outcome, for $50,000 or $60,000 in the hands of such people means a rush of business.

Large Sale of Lumber.

Menominee, April 2. — The largest lumber sale of the season has just been closed. The Northern Supply company, which is auxiliary to the Wisconsin & Michigan Railroad company, has sold 18,000,000 feet of logs to the Kirk-Christy Lumber company, of Cleveland, O. The lumber is to be manufactured at the first named company's mill at Fisher. The sale includes the lumber in stock at present and the rest of the year's cut.

College Safe Robbed.

Lansing, April 7. — At 12 o'clock Tuesday night the safe in the office of Secretary Butterfield, at the Agricultural college, was blown open. The burglars got away with about $2,000.

ANOTHER SETBACK.

Pingree's Pet Railroad Measure Antagonized.

Adverse Reports on the Lower Fare and Taxation Bills—They Will Be Taken Up for Consideration by the House April 13.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, April 5.—Adverse reports were made in the lower house of the Michigan legislature upon the Pingree bills which have been making life uncomfortable for railroad men ever since the legislature convened. The action of the committee is quite a setback to the Pingree plans. One of the bills reported adversely provides for a reduction of passenger fares to two cents per mile in the lower peninsula and three cents in upper Michigan. Another provides for the taxation for local purposes of the right of way and buildings of railway companies. April 13 has been set for the consideration of the measures and the most interesting discussion of the session is anticipated. It is doubtful if either bill becomes a law, although both may possibly pass the house.

The house railroad committee reported favorably on the bicycle bill of Representative Anderson with an amendment. It provides that each passenger shall be entitled to one bicycle to be included in the term personal baggage and compels the railroads to provide suitable racks for the wheels in the baggage cars, beyond which they shall not be liable for any damages to the wheels that may arise.

The senate has passed a bill repealing a law providing for the sale of admission tickets by prison authorities. The senators were unanimous in voting that prisoners should not be regarded as a prize lot of curios for exhibition purposes.

A substitute has been reported to the house for what is known as the W. C. T. U. anti-cigarette bill, about which there is some doubt as to constitutionality. It provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for the minor under 17 years purchasing cigarettes or tobacco, as well as the seller, and provides a graded scale of monetary penalties for the first, second and third offenses, after which they shall be deemed incorrigibles and sentenced to jail or the industrial home for boys.

A substitute has been reported to the house for the Chamberlain anti-prize fight bill, which prohibits the reproduction of any prize fight or fistic encounter by means of a biograph, vitascope, kinetoscope or any such device, and provides a penalty for violation of not less than $500 nor more than $5,000 fine, or imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than two years, at the discretion of the court.

Gustin's bill for the appointment of guardians over habitual drunkards and persons using narcotics, with power to have them confined in the proper asylums, passed the house committee of the whole, as did Representative Graham's bill providing for the appointment of a state inspector of nurseries and orchards to prevent the introduction and spread of the San Jose scale.

Representative Donovan's curfew bill passed the house committee of the whole without opposition. It provides that children between eight and sixteen years of age must not be allowed on the streets between 9:30 p. m. and 5:30 a. m. from April to November and from eight p. m. to 6:30 a. m. from November to April. Violations of the law are punishable by a fine of two dollars, or the violators may be treated as disorderly persons.

The senate is against postal savings banks and refused to pass Senator Hostwick's joint resolution calling upon Michigan's congressional delegation to favor a law establishing such a system.

The oleomargarine bill was passed by the house by a vote of 50 to 19.

EMMETT.

Sawmills Begin Operations.

Menominee, April 7.—Two mills of the Kirby Carpenter company began sawing Tuesday morning. Over 400 men are employed. The two mills have a daily capacity of about 325,000 feet of lumber. Two more of the river mills will start up to-day. Reports from Fisher are to the effect that the big log jam at that place is broke, and that logs are on the move at a lively rate, with good head of water behind them.

Hoar's Liabilites Grow.

Houghton, Mich., April 5. — The liabilities of Richard M. Hoar, who assigned Tuesday, continue to grow and may reach $125,000. The prospects are not favorable for the creditors to realize more than 50 cents on the dollar. Mr. Hoar has tendered his resignation as mayor to the common council, which tabled the document and will meet later to consider the matter.

Baseball Season Opens May 1.

Lansing, April 5.—The directors of the Michigan State League of Baseball clubs, who have been in session at Lansing trying to arrange a schedule, have at last completed their work. Under the schedule adopted Kalamazoo will play 14 Sunday games, Lansing 15, Jackson 14, Bay City 15 and Saginaw 19. The season opens May 1.

To Be Held at Island Lake.

Lansing, April 5.—The state military board has practically decided to hold this year's encampment of the national guard at Island lake.

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CLINTON.

Chas. DuBois drove up from Britton Saturday.

F. M. Freeman, of Manchester, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. E. S. Tate was on the sick list the first of the week.

Miss Laura Sherwood visited Manchester friends Saturday.

The next Eastern Star regular. Wednesday evening, April 14th.

Howard Hause and wife ride a new Phœnix tandem. It's a beauty.

Clarence Hause, of Britton, visited Clinton relatives the last of the week.

Miss Sara Huntington returned to Adrian Tuesday to resume her studies.

Miss Martha Minor has rented the rooms over Jacob Nase's carpenter shop.

Burt Jones went to Alliance, O., Monday where he expects to work in a mill.

E. A. Clark is going to run a livery at Sand Lake this summer for Kennedy Bros.

Miss Mabel Clements, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Ella Tuttle Saturday.

Mrs. D. J. Redding, of Toledo, has been visiting at F. Kirchgessner's the past week.

Frank McClure was called to Delta, O., Saturday, on account of the illness of his father.

Miss Eva VanTuyle has been suffering from an attack of tonsilitis during the past week.

Edgar Larzelere, of Detroit, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Chas. Corwin, since Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Osborne, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Saturday afternoon.

Frankie Burroughs spent Thursday and Friday with his aunt, Mrs. Kate Conklin, of Manchester.

Miss Emma Sturm, Willis Barnes and Elmer Carney attended the C. E. convention at Jackson last week.

Mrs. Wm. Burtless and Mrs. T. J. Thorn, of Manchester, were guests at Mrs. E. S. Tate's last Friday.

Frank Parker and Arthur McClintock returned to Albion Monday morning after a ten days' stay in Clinton.

Miss Mary Murphy went to Kalamazoo Saturday, having been called there by the severe illness of her mother.

Mrs. Sarah Wastell has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Louise Bigelow, of Jackson, since Tuesday.

N. H. Wells and wife came down from Manchester Saturday, to attend the anniversary surprise at Mr. Estabrook's.

Miss Mary Riley returned to Tecumseh Saturday after quite an extended visit with her brother James and wife.

Mrs. Geo. Wiltse returned Monday to her home at Ann Arbor after visiting Clinton friends since Thursday of last week.

Chas. Corwin and daughter Grace drove over to Grass Lake last week and visited relatives from Wednesday until Sunday.

Henry Owen, who has for many years lived near Clinton, having rented his farm, has moved this week to Mason, Ingham county.

Mrs. Harriet Halpin is very happy this week, as she has her grandchildren, Mabel and Dewey Halpin, of Ishpeming, with her.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Estabrook last Saturday forenoon, when a few of their relatives and friends gathered to help them celebrate the 55rd anniversary af their marriage.

Following is the result of the Clinton township election, held last Monday, in which the first named are republicans and the second, free silverites:—

Supervisor—Geo. C. Lindsley, 226; Benj G. Woodard, 157.

Clerk—Chas. D. Cutting, 216; Garland R. Gillespie, 162.

Treasurer—Addison H. St. John, 156; Alonzo S. Marshall, 220.

Justice of Peace, full term—John Burroughs, 257; Chas. W. McNeil, 147.

Highway Com.—Oscar H. Halladay, 226; John L. Mansfield, 157.

School Inspector—Jane E. Clark, 229; Carrie A. Alvord, 149.

Member Board Review, two years—J. Cyrus Hendershot, 213; Geo. Calhoun, 163.

Constables—Chas. R. Barnsdale, 207; Geo. Sherwood, 160; Fred S. Sheldon, 215; Wm. Noroross, 155; Geo. R. Belding, 219; Chas. Smith, 155; Wm. E. Sherwood, 201; Philip M. V. Keusch, 164.

G. R. Wolf spent Sunday with his parents at Morenci. His father, who had about a week before suffered a paralytic stroke which left him completely helpless, was no better.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Luts was sick last week with scarlet fever, but is much better at present. Mrs. Morris Kimball, mother of Mrs. Luts, has been with them since last Thursday.

MACON.

Miss Emma Cotton rides a new wheel.

John Frost returned from South Bend, Ind., Thursday.

Miss Minta Jackson began school in the Merritt district Monday.

Fred Easterly, of Milan, visited Jesse Coller and family over Sunday.

Miss Bertha O'Hara, of Clinton, spent Sunday at the home of Joe Sage.

Joe Howell was home from Ann Arbor from Saturday until Monday.

Mel Cotton, of Clinton, visited his brother Will and family last week.

Mrs. Jane Chambers, of Vassar, visited her son Will and family this week.

George Rendel has rented Miss Eliza Hendershot's house and will move soon.

Miss Libbie Walp rode her wheel up from Britton Saturday and visited her parents over Sunday.

All the members are requested to assist in the election of officers at the D. R. Sunday-school next Sunday.

Topic for E. L. meeting, Sunday evening April 11th, is "The Sluggard's Vineyard." Prov. 24: 30-34. Leader, Lewis Coller.

On account of the small attendance at the M. E. Sunday-school last Sunday, the election of officers was postponed until next Sunday.

In place of the regular services at the D. R. church next Sunday, the delegate to the C. E. convention at Jackson will give a full report of the convention.

Mr. Charles Nobles and Miss Emma Hendershot were married at the M. E. parsonage, in Clinton, by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, Wednesday evening, March 31st, 1897.

Garret Harring, an old resident of this place, died at his home east of the village, Friday morning, of neuralgia of the heart. The funeral was held at his late residence Sunday at two o'clock, Rev. J. A. DeSpelder conducting the services.

LAKE RIDGE.

Miss Julia Gilmore has commenced her spring term of school in the Darling district.

Grandma East has sustained a severe shock of paralysis with little hope of recovery.

Miss Mary Murphy, of East Tecumseh, is visiting friends on the Ridge for a few days.

Mrs. Johnson, of South Macon, went to Ypsilanti Sunday, to care for her son who is very sick.

Misses Josie Hand and Bessie Young were the guests of Miss Nettie Hendershot over Sunday.

Rev. F. Baker and wife, of Milan, took dinner at C. Hendershot's Friday on their way to Adrian.

Mrs. Thos. Murphy was summoned to Ypsilanti Tuesday by the illness of her son, James, who at present is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Greene, of Ann Arbor, who visited at H. Hand's and Chas. Hendershot's last week, returned home Saturday.

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It is a singular coincidence that Jas. Wilson, the new secretary of agriculture, is father of the position having first introduced the bill creating it.

Mr. John Mahony, Day Clerk, Park Hotel, Youngstown, O., says: "Lightning Blood Elixir is a good tonic. It makes new blood and builds one up when run down. Hereafter I shall substitute Lightning Blood Elixir for beef, iron and wine as my regular spring tonic."

George Morgan, 21 years old, was instantly killed at Calamus, Ia., while trying to board a moving train.

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How Animals Dispose of Injured Companions.

A. C. Heflinger tells in the American Field how an old fox hound was done to death by the pack of which it was a member. The hound was called Clay, and was owned by N. O. Pope, who kept it in the White Oak Hill kennel at Poland, Me. The dog was a prize taker, and always got a place when it ran in the annual trials of the Brunswick Fur club. After the annual hunt at Brunswick, Me., in which Clay proved better than all the younger hounds, the dog was taken back to Poland and put in the yard with the rest of the pack. McGregor, keeper of the hounds, heard a row in the yard, and coming down, found that the pack had pitched upon the champion hound and killed it by chewing its throat and chest. Wolves have been known to kill their fellows in a similar manner. A wolf showing signs of pain is set upon and killed by its comrades. A male fox, when it finds a female fox in a trap, attacks and kills it. A cow bellowing with pain is set upon by the herd and gored to death. Whether the attacks are to aid the one in pain or not is not known by students of natural history.

An exceedingly handsome and costly diamond badge has been made by Roehm & Son, jewelers of Detroit, to be presented by Postmaster-General Wilson to President-elect McKinley on the evening of March 3, on behalf of the Sigma Alpa Epsilon fraternity, of which Mr. McKinley is an active member. It is the regulation badge of the fraternity surrounded by 16 specially selected large blue white diamonds. The convention of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity which was held in St. Louis Christmas week, decided to present Mr. McKinley with the fraternity badge, and a special committee was appointed to look after the matter. A delegation of the fraternity will attend the inauguration when President McKinley will wear the gift of the fraternity.

An Old Loaf.

The Soar family, of Ambaston, Derbyshire, England, have a curious heirloom in the shape of a loaf of bread that is now over 600 years old. The founders of the family, it appears, were great friends of King John. When that monarch died he made several land grants to the Soars. One of these tracts, it appears, had always been conveyed with a loaf of bread along with the "writings," and the deed and the loaf are both kept to this day as sacred relics.

To Connect Two Seas.

A project for connecting the Baltic and Black seas by a waterway extending from Riga along the rivers Dwina, Berezina and Dnieper to Kherson has for some time been occupying the attention of the Russian press.

Big Failure in England.

London, March 31.—A long-established house at Weymouth, one of the oldest financial institutions in Dorsetshire, has suspended payment, with liabilities amounting to $2,500,000.

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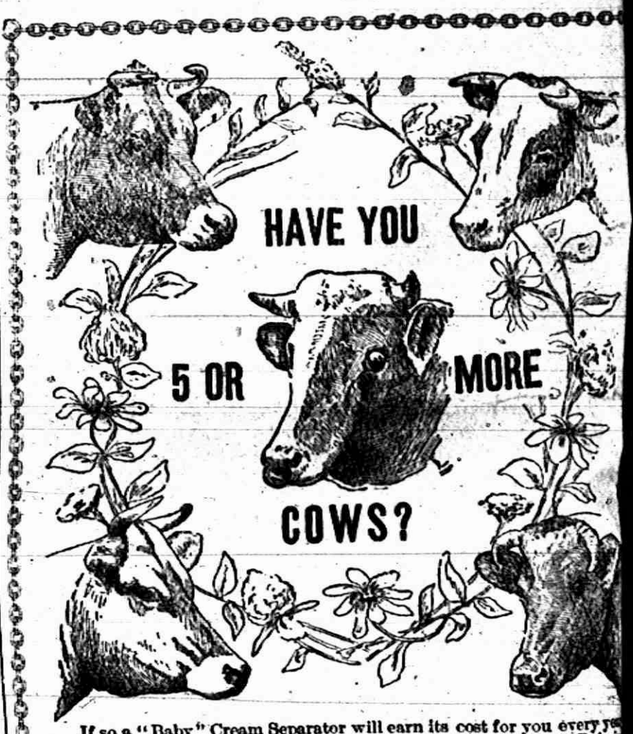

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

E Hause and Clarence visited friends Saturday.

Zeluff is having trouble with eyes—granulated lids.

red E. Morrell is again able to be He has had a long seige with the

Will Hause and wife, of Clinton, were ling on Britton friends Saturday and nday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Yates were sts of John Britton and wife for rday dinner.

Amos Underwood now rides a fine eel, the "Reliable," purchased of mes Haight & Co.

Phonie, John Exelby's happy little ddaughter, returned to her home Detroit Saturday.

erda, the bright little daughter of and Mrs. Burt Allen, was quite the first of the week.

Miss Luina Wiggins, of Tecumseh the welcome guest of friends here Thursday until Sunday.

rs. M. Hiscock and son Charlie, of eway, were guests of W. E. Allen family the last of the week.

the election, Monday, the entire or silver ticket was elected by rities ranging from 15 to 45.

the next meeting of Ivy Leaf Hive, T. M., something of unusual in- t to all the members will be pre- d.

orge Clark and Miss Libbie Walp e a trip on their wheels to Macon last of the week and called on nds.

om Prest arrived home from his ign visit Sunday afternoon. Al- ugh enjoying it hugely, he is glad e home again.

rs. C. W. Gardner, who has been ting her daughter, Mrs. Deyo, for rly three months, returned to her ne at Lawton last Tuesday.

oerge Clark doesn't much care ether the roads dry up or not as he constructed a home trainer and can dulge his love of bicycle riding under er.

d Bachman, while running his small cular saw one day last week, had the misfortune to have one hand badly lac- ted, which will lay him up for some eks.

On account of moving to Toledo, Mrs. arles Gorham resigned her position finance keeper, of the Hive and Mrs. J. Clark succeeds to that responsi- position.

t the DeSpelder church, Sunday, at p. m., Rev. N. F. Nickerson will, request, repeat his sermon, "Am I Brother's Keeper?" illustrated with rge painting.

Mrs. E. F. Sink had her formal open- of millinery goods at the Britton lding Wednesday. The display was y, of great variety, and was admired great number of ladies.

the Reformed church, Sunday, the ces will be appropriate to the n season. Topic in the morning, the Garden of Gethsemane:" even- "Christ's Finished Work."

Dr. Wood has had some trying expe- nces with mud around through the ntry, east and south, on his long es. So far as going is concerned, he strong believer in Sand (Creek).

Thursday evening Rev. Deyo was en completely by surprise by the mbers of his Bible class walking in ened with baskets. The evening ed only too quickly so enjoyable a e they had.

Friday of last week one of our re- cted citizens received an unexpected t from two friends from the coal s. He was so delighted with their ety that before nightfall the exu- ance of his joy overpowered him pletely.

t the Christian chuach, Sunday, C. I. Deyo will speak on the fol- ing topics: morning" Uuity of prin- e with diversity of operations.' ning, "External manifestations of rnal sources," including some ghts on the temperance problem.

Wm. T. Fiester, of Jonesville, made omas Hoagland a visit Monday and sday. They were in the same regi- t during the civil war and the ndship there formed has continued bated during the years since, and se occasional meetings are highly oyed by both.

There has been considerrble moving s week. Monday Delbert Beevers ved to Harry Montgomery's farm on ridge and Wayne Johnson moved m the Kishpaugh place to Thomas gland's house. Tuesday A. W. Cur- moved to the Caswell house, Cass uff to the Curtiss house he recently chased and J. L. Kishpaugh from s. Jas. Underwood's house to his own.

RIDGEWAY.

W. Culbertson was in Adrian on iness Tuesday.

W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was in village on business last week.

rank Gilmore, Jr., moved into the yell house, north of the village, last k.

atrick and Mrs. Curry were called Milan Tuesday by the death of a e.

ames Riley, of Kalamazoo, visited brother Charles from Saturday until sday.

he silver ticket made a clean sweep his township, with majorities from to 45.

O. Hiscock, who has been at Col- bus, Ohio, for the past year, is visit- his mother. He expects to locate Albion in a short time and branch into business on his own responsi- y.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. John Arner, on Friday afternoon of next week when the annual election of officers will take place.

Every road district possessing a road machine used it to good advantage last week.

Bertha Love, of Adrian, spent a portion of last week as the guest of May Culbertson.

Maggie Cheever, after a stay of several weeks with her sister, returned to Detroit Monday.

Jennie Allen is the happy possessor of a new gold watch, a birthday gift from her father.

Lester Sherman, who has been attending Cleary college, at Ypsilanti, returned home Friday.

Dr. R. A. Nelson, of Hudson, was calling on old friends in the village Wednesday afternoon.

Edith Collins, of Blissfield was in the village Monday. She came after the remainder of her millinery stock.

Wm. Riggs has had his confidence restored, been hit with a wave of prosperity, and is building a horse barn on his lot.

Prof. and Mrs. L. M. Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, attended the Stansfield lecture Wednesday evening.

I. T. Bush, wife and daughter, and Mary Osgood, of Brooklyn, arrived Friday for an indefinite stay rt the home of Mrs. Bush's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barlow. Mr. Bush left Saturday for Colorado, on a business trip.

The petition to the house of representatives being circulated here relative to House Bill No. 4004, introduced by Hon. Buskirk, to amend the present local option law so as to provide for biennial non-partisan vote without petition, is meeting with good results.

Mrs. Justice Lowe, who has been in very poor health for the past year, began failing Thursday of last week and passed away Wednesday morning. The funeral services were held at the church Thursday afternoon, Rev. H. Cansfield officiating and the remains were placed in the family lot in Evergreen cemetery.

The entertainment and lecture course under the auspices of the High School and Epworth League closed Wednesday evening with a lecture by Rev. J. Stansfield, of Port Huron, in his grandly interesting and instructive lecture, "The Hero of Babylon." The evening's study took us back twenty-six centuries to one of the greatest battlefields of the ages, the scene of great moral conquest, forson the battlefield of Babylon was fought the battle between Theism and Polytheism The city of Babylon was detailed in a graphic manner in its situation and history in brief. The truth running through the history of "The Hero of Babylon" is this—character insures conquest. The committee in charge of the course desire to extend to the public their appreciation of the support they have given during the progress of the course. It is gratifying to state that the committee are able to report a balance in the treasury after paying all expenses.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Della Kerr is spending her vacation at home.

Mrs. Miranda Iveson is visiting her sister at Hudson.

Miss Maggie Moore is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Adams, of Toledo, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Eva Granger.

Thomas Islay, of Blissfield, called on his son Edward last Friday.

Miss Maude Minch is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from school duties.

Miss Fannie Kelley attended the C. E. convention at Jackson last week.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin, who has been ill with lung trouble, is slowly convalescing.

Charles Pfund went to Toledo Friday where he is employed in the fishery business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clayton McIntyre are now settled in their new home on the prairie.

Mrs. Lowe and child, of Adrian, were the guests of F. G. Florance and wife the 28th ult.

Thomas Islay, of Blissfield, and Mrs. Rev. Hillis, of Wellsville, were callers in town Saturday.

John Rothfuss and wife, of Blissfield, were the guests of Charles Rothfuss and family over Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Macham and daughter visited at R. B. Gillespie's, near Tecumseh, Saturday and Sunday.

The sugar social at Maccabee hall Friday evening was well attended and a fine literary program was rendered.

Mr. Tompson, wife and daughter Nannie, of Blissfield, visited C. H. Rothfuss and wife Saturday and Sunday.

The people here are pleased to know that Mrs. Mary Mitchel and family, of Raisin Valley, have again become residents of this place.

A lecture on Foreign missions, by Miss Celia J. Ferris, who has been in India five years, will be given at the F. M. church this (Friday) evening.

New and stylish millinery goods are being received at the rooms of E. H. Fish and the trimmer has just returned from the city with latest styles from the east.

James Lane family have moved into the rooms formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Starks; Charles Fowler and family into Mr. Lane's rooms; Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Granger into the Fowler house, which they have purchased; and James Moore and family into the Iveson house.

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CONE.

S. Gould was in Monroe on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Cone has moved back from Detroit.

Cannie Auten arrived home from Ashley last Thursday.

George Auten and wife were Detroit visitors last Thursday.

Bank Auten has moved his family into J. M. Auten's tenant house.

Mrs. Michael Welch, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends here this week.

Oliver Logan was the first one in this vicinity to sow oats, he sowing March 31.

Miss Mary Myers, of Adrian, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Will Caswell.

Nate Dibble has moved to Macon and Theodore Kemp will move into the house vacated by him.

G. W. Auten was up from Auburndale, O., last week and purchased a team to drive on his milk wagon.

Mrs. James Tierney died very suddenly at her home, two and one-half miles north of Cone, Saturday morning. The funeral was held at the Catholic church Tuesday at 10 a. m., Fr. Kennedy officiating.

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Mrs. Margaret J. Preston, the well-known writer of southern war poetry, died at Baltimore.

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Work of Our Lawmakers in the Extra Session.

Matters of Importance Brought Before the Senate and House—Brief Summary of the Daily Proceedings.

Washington, April 1.—The senate began voting yesterday upon the miscellaneous amendments to the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. An amendment was adopted providing that all questions of national policy, the Monroe doctrine, etc., shall be eliminated from the treaty, and all subjects proposed to be submitted to arbitration shall be first submitted to the senate, and be agreed to by a two-thirds vote of that body.

Washington, April 2.—The tariff bill passed by the house was received by the senate yesterday and referred to the finance committee. A resolution was introduced declaring that the United States should accord both parties to the conflict in Cuba full recognition as belligerents. The arbitration treaty was further discussed. Adjourned to the 5th.

Washington, April 6.—The senate yesterday by unanimous vote adopted a resolution reciting the reports that Gen. Rivera, the Cuban commander, is about to be tried by drum-head court-martial and shot, and declaring that, if these reports are true, the president of the United States should protest to the Spanish government against such a violation of the rules of civilized warfare. The bankruptcy bill was further discussed.

Washington, April 7. — The sundry civil and Indian appropriation bills were reported to the senate yesterday. The resolution of Senator Morgan (Ala.) declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba and recognizing both parties as belligerents, was discussed and the bankruptcy bill was further considered.

The House.

Washington, April 1.—The object for which President McKinley called the Fifty-fifth congress to meet in extraordinary session a fortnight ago, was accomplished yesterday, so far as the house is concerned, when the vote on the Dingley tariff bill was announced by Speaker Reed—yeas, 205; nays, 121; answering present and not voting, 21. The affirmative vote was composed of 199 republicans, 5 democrats and 1 populist, and the negative vote comprised 117 democrats and 4 populists and fusionists. An amendment was also adopted giving immediate effect to the law.

Washington, April 2.—In the house yesterday no business was transacted.

Washington, April 3.—There was a brief session of the house Saturday, followed by an adjournment to next Wednesday. The only business transacted was the adoption of the senate resolution providing for chattering a vessel to carry donations of food to the famine sufferers of India. Representative Corliss (Mich.) introduced a joint resolution to revoke all the orders extending the application of the civil service laws which were made by President Cleveland during his last administration. Mr. Corliss thinks that the power to revoke the presidential orders rests with congress or the president, but says that President McKinley should not be called upon to rescind the acts of his predecessor.

An Old Soldier Dead.

Watertown, N. Y., April 7.—Paul Raymond Kendall is dead at Canton, St. Lawrence county, aged 75 years. He was the first president of the Lombard university at Galesburg, Ill. At the outbreak of the civil war he raised several regiments in Illinois. He served as quartermaster of the One Hundred and Twentieth Missouri cavalry under Gen. Hatch. For a year after the war he was stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. He was at one time principal of the Clinton Liberal institute at Clinton, N. Y.

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The HERALD is always pleased to print communications signed by the parties who write them, and this week presents the following interesting articles all bearing on an editorial in this paper issue of March 12.

Detroit, April 2nd, 1897.

TO THE EDITOR:—

Under date of March 12, you referred in an editorial to the oil and coal trusts, together with an inquiry as to what the new administration was going to do with the trusts. They probably will do as in the past, allow them the same special privileges as heretofore and assess them for campaign expenses and receive their support at election.

You say truly that the only thing that saves us from paying two prices for kerosene and gasoline, was that the Lord provided such an abundance, new wells being constantly discovered, and that even the Lord cannot save us from the coal trust as the coal barons and railroads own all the mines.

In this above reference you have hit upon the origin and terribly destructive power of trusts, i. e., the private monopoly of natural resources. Under our present system, a syndicate bores wells and drills for oil. When they have done this, they then see it to their advantage to control the supply of oil by buying up all the oil fields attainable, thus as effectually shutting out competition as if the industry was a patented secret. The land, the source of all wealth from which all must come in the hands of such corporations, gives them the power they have.

Now, Mr. Editor, supposing we tax those lands upon which these wells are to their full value, what would be the result? Would it not become unprofitable to buy up and hold out of use such lands? Who would be so foolish? As a result, competitions would be open and the price of oil would be regulated by natural means.

We assert that the land is the gift of the Creator to all his children, that each must have this equal right to the use of the earth or our boasted freedom is but a hollow mockery. We assert that what is created by the individual belongs to the individual, and what the community creates belongs to the community.

Now it is evident that the value of land, expressed in its rental or selling value, depends upon the presence of society, increases as society increases in numbers, improvements and material progress.

We propose to take this unearned increment for the benefit of the whole people and thus establish a reign of justice and prevent the formation of the above referred to trusts.

This is the single tax system.

Respectfully,
JOHN SHILLODY.

129 15th St.

Detroit, March 31, 1897.

EDITOR HERALD:—

I read in your paper of March 12th, an editorial commenting on trusts and monopolies. You state that the Lord has saved this country and its people from paying two prices for kerosene oil. Now do you not think since the Lord has shown such wisdom in providing such an abundance of oil, coal and other things upon which mankind depends for his existence, that man should begin to play his part? If the Lord has not made any provision by which he could keep standard oil trusts from buying up all the oil lands in this country, has he not bestowed upon mankind a means by which they can destroy such trusts? I answer, yes, and that is the single tax applied to land values.

Single tax will save this country and its people from kerosene oil trusts, coal trusts, iron trusts or any other kind of trusts, and single tax alone will do it. Single tax, applied to land values will make it unprofitable for these great combinations to buy up all the oil, coal and iron lands, and hold them out of use, thereby restricting competition.

I am glad to see that your paper is fearless enough to speak of such subjects. I hope, sir, you will let the good work go on, that you will seek a remedy, and, as I believe the single tax is the remedy, I hope I have not been too bold in advising you of such.

I am, sir,

Very truly, JOE. BARROW.

302 Lieb St.

Johnson, Neb., Mch. 29, '97.

EDITOR HERALD:—

How shall we destroy trusts? is a question which the thinking men and women desire answered. That the monopoly of certain industries has led to prices beyond those made by free competition, is clearly seen.

The Lord has given men all the bounties of nature, coal mines and oil wells, and He has given us laws of nature which, if we follow, will not promote trusts, but give to each equal access to his storehouse. As population increases, land values go up, and by land is meant the raw material which was put here for the use of all, whether it be the land without the mineral resources or with them, and if we take the value created by the community for it instead of allowing it to go to private individuals, no one could monopolize the coal bed or oil well.

We can do this by a tax on land values making it unprofitable to withhold from use any of these natural opportunities to labor. In an open market, competition will bring the price of products now governed by trusts within the reach of all.

Are we so blind to nature's laws we cannot see how much superior they are to the existing man-made laws? Why not discover these truths instead of trying to invent some of our own?

Every insect and bird is happy in his home and nest, but man, whom God created in His own image, endowed with intelligence and given the command over these inferior animals, is suffering amidst plenty and sinks into the lowest depths of immorality and servitude. Will he let these conditions continue, or will he arise and demand his rights, the right to the use of the land? The single tax will give him his natural rights. Under it, industry will be promoted and trusts will die a natural death.

Yours for humanity,
MAMIE BOECK.

Burlington, Iowa.

TO THE EDITOR:—

The HERALD of March 12 contains an editorial on the trusts, stating among other truths the following: "The Lord has saved this country from paying two prices for kerosene oil, because there were so many places where oil could be found, but even the Lord has no control over the hard coal business, for the trusts and the railroads own all the mines."

I beg space to inform your readers that there is one practical, just and effectual way to deal with the trusts and other monopolies, by which we can make it impossible for them to own or control more mines, wells or other natural opportunities than they can use for the benefit of all the people.

The way is through a tax upon land values, irrespective of improvements, to the exclusion of every other tax, direct and crooked. That value which attaches to land because of the growth and improvement of the community, should be taken for the use of the government,—local, state and national,—taken in accordance with the letter and spirit of the constitution of the United States, Art. 1, Sec. 2,—taken in the way in which Lincoln gathered the "quotas" of men for the Union armies, in a simple and inexpensive manner. The value of land and the necessity for government are both the result of population and the revenue of ground rent from the one should pay the cost of the other.

If in force in Tecumseh, the single tax would lower rent, raise wages, encourage industries, equalize opportunities, and thereby benefit all (except land speculators, as such). It would compel investments in improvements; for every individual controlling natural opportunities would have to either utilize land by the employment of labor, or abandon it to others. It would thus provide work for all, and secure to each the full reward of his labor. It would, as a result, abolish involuntary poverty and the greed, intemperance and vice that spring from poverty and the fear of it. It would return all future rise in land values into the public treasury, where it justly belongs, instead of as at present into the hands of land speculators.

Of this great moral reform with a fiscal name, the London Times said, "It must be either accepted or refuted." It is being rapidly accepted in Glasgow, Manchester Toronto, Victoria, B. C. and is in partial operation in New Zealand, where labor is less subjected to oppression than anywhere else within the influence of our so-called civilization. The single tax is direct, honest, equitable; the McKinley plan is sneaking, crooked, unjust—plucking the goose in such ways as to "get the maximum of feathers with the minimum of squawking."

The people surely have intelligence sufficient to direct them in the proper way to freedom and prosperity.

J. HAGERTY.

Springvalley, Ill., April '97.

EDITOR HERALD:—

My attention has been called to an editorial in your paper, in which you make the remark that it is of interest to everybody what the new administration is going to do with the trusts. It goes without saying that a party which has been put into power through the influence of the great corporations and trusts, is not going to enact any laws which would be detrimental to the interests of those who placed them there.

In regard to the Lord keeping down the price of kerosene and gasoline, if you would read a book entitled "Wealth Against Commonwealth," by Henry Loydd, of Chicago, I am under the impression that you would very materially alter your opinion about the part He has had in the business. There is no doubt but that the Lord has the power if he chooses to exercise it, to control all the trusts and combines in the country, but the Bible never relates any instance of the Lord doing anything for man that he was able to do for himself. When the angel went into the prison and woke Peter by striking the chains from his hands, he did nothing more but told him to rise up quickly and gird himself and bind his sandals on his feet. So in like manner the power to control all the trusts, by whatever name they may be called, is in the hands of the people if they only know how to use it.

The Declaration of Independance says that "all men are created equal and endowed with certain inalienable rights, among which is the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Now it is a self evident fact that the right to life carries also with it the right to the free and equal use of that source by which life is sustained, viz., the land, but which, by our laws, has been reduced to private ownership, which is a direct contradiction to the law of God, as no man or set of men has any right morally either to give or sell anything which cannot be produced by man's labor. You know that land, (meaning by that term every natural opportunity for the production of wealth) is created by God for the equal use of all His creatures, but as it has been nearly all appropriated by a few, it now has become a necessity to devise some plan whereby the people can get back their lost heritage. For that purpose the single tax has been devised, which means that all taxes shall be taken off the products of labor and placed instead on the value of the land; then no one, be they trust or individual, could hold land out of use, as they would have to pay the full rental value of the land whether they used it or not, consequently they would either have to use it or give it up to those who would, and the result would be that there would be abundant opportunities for labor to exert itself to procure all the wealth it desired and would receive all it produced. I would advise you to study the single tax by reading "Progress and Poverty," by Henry George, of New York; likewise his "Condition of Labor," and then you will see that the remedy for hard times, though simple, is quite effectual. Yours for equity.

WM. COULSON.

LITERARY NOTES.

An interesting feature of Harper's Weekly of April 3rd was a double-page illustration of the new Chicago lake front, now in course of construction, together with a view of the present lake front, and an authoritative article describing the progress and scope of the work.

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Spring is the time for photography and the April number of the Photographic Times is even more interesting than ustal. It contains articles concerning "Night Photography" "Inexpensive Enlarging," "Color Photography" and many other things, all of interest to photographic people.

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Among other interesting and striking features, the April number of The Forum will contain "Has the Senate Degenerated?" by Senator George F. Hoar; "Arbitration the only Solution of the Financial Problem," by Allen Ripley Foote; "Retrenchment—or Ruin?" by Hon. J. Sterling Morton, Ex-Secretary of Agriculture; "The United States and Cuba," by Henri Rochefort, and "The Futility of the Spelling Grind," by Dr. J. M. Rice.

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The April number of The Arena is fully up to the average. In the opening article Governor Pingree, Mayor of Detroit, continues the discussion of Municipal Reform begun in the March number by Mayor Quincy, of Boston. Mayor Pingree, in his breezy paper, affirms that "contracts are the center and almost the entire circumference of municipal government," and that "almost all the bribes of serious influence in municipalities are given for contracts." His remedy is the letting of contracts referendum, or direct popular vote.

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"Does Modern College Education Educate, in the Broadest and most Liberal Sense of the Term?" is one of the most important inquiries that could be set on foot. This discussion which is to be taken part in by the presidents of Jonns Hopkins, Yale, Cornell and other leading colleges, Bishop Potter and others of the most distinguished men of both the United States and Europe: is begun in the April Cosmopolitan by a radical inquiry into the educational problem along the lines of Herbert Spenser. President Gilman, of Johns Hopkins, will follow in a direction almost equally searching.

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In "London Parks," as described in Scribner's, Gibson finds a most congenial theme for pictures and text. The church parade, the park orators, sidewalk artists and out-door players give him just the range of types best suited to his pencil Every article deepens the impression that Gibson knows how to write tersely and picturesquely, suggesting in few words the atmosphere of his pictures.

Mrs. Minerva Westcott

Was born Dec. 23rd, 1822, at Romulus, N. Y. When five years old she came with her parents to Coldwater, Mich. From there she came to this place, her people settling on the place west of town known as the Stitt farm. Her father was a blacksmith, starting the first shop in this place. In 1842 she married Hiram Westcott. To this union were born six children, all of whom grew to manhood and womanhood. Five of them are left to mourn her loss.

Hers was a long life, a life of patient and earnest labor for others. Her face has made more endurable many a sick room. Her circle of friends is as large as her acquaintance. On the passing of such a one we can but say, "May the memory of her goodness brighten as the years go by, brighten as her peacefulness and trust deepened with advancing age."

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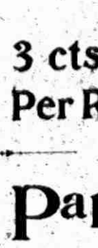

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Mrs. Milbern R. Keyser is on the sick list this week.

John Keyser visited among his Adrian friends this week.

Will Hoy is moving into his father's house in Brownville.

Take your watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles to Fred P. Kennedy's for repairs.

The township clerk's office will remain at the store of R. S. Moore.

Will McConnell was over from Adrian yesterday, calling on friends.

Mrs. A. Zimmerman left today for a week's visit in Detroit and Toledo.

Look to see our Ladies' Hose at 15 and 25c. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Mrs. Lafe Gregory and family are moving from Lake Ridge into the Gage house.

Miss Sena Drew is confined to her home this week by a severe attack of the grip.

C. H. Tansley has the finest and most exclusive Crockery and China store in southern Michigan. He has all the latest novelties, both foreign and domestic, and certainly can give you the low prices. Call and see him.

Miss. George Tiffany gave a very enjoyable dancing party to her pupils Friday evening.

James Potter, Sr., and wife have returned from Chester, Mich., where they have been the past three months.

Misses Mary Blesing and her sister, Mrs. Caldwell, who have been ill with pneumonia, are both convalescing.

Tom Adamson has a fine picture of himself in a prominent position in the gallery. The work was done by Teeple.

Mrs. Clarence Gilmore, of Lake Ridge, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gilman, for two or three weeks.

The infant son of J. A. Burtch has been very ill with inflammation of the lungs but is somewhat improved at this writing.

Photographic buttons, the latest novelty at Teeple's.

Miss Grace, Geroe, who for several weeks has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Conkling, returned to her home in Chicago Saturday.

The pastor having been suddenly called away last week, the subjects at the Universalist church next Sunday will be the same as announced for last Sunday.

Bartlet's bicycle rooms in the Mills building are now opened and are attractive. Mr. Stevens will have charge of the repair work and bicycle riding will be right.

The Waldron brothers, Lewis, Charles and William, all of whom, together with other members of their families, have been having aggravated attacks of the grip, are now recovering.

Low prices on Furniture will be the rule in the county.

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The fourth of a series of parties to be given by fourteen ladies, was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy on Friday evening and was a doll party, the feature being the electric dolls. The entertainers were Mrs. O. P. Bills and J. Freeman, Miss Harriet Whitney and Mrs. Stacy.

Will Keyser and family have moved onto the farm.

Harry Moore handles the "Patee" wheel. It is a winner.

Miss Florence Brewer is home from Detroit to spend this week.

Abner Wilson reports everything fine in his new Californian home.

Mrs. David Lewis has been having an attack of tonsilitis this week.

Miss Lynne Daly and mother were the guests of Clinton friends over Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Temple and little daughter have been victims of tonsilitis the past week.

Teeple's photographic work is first-class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

F. J. Landgraff, of Toledo, was shaking hands with old Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

One of the prettiest '97 wheels is being ridden by Rich. Mead. Purchased from Harry Moore.

Miss Christine Wilson left Friday for Helena, Ohio, where she has been engaged to teach.

Miss Lizzie Beamish clerked at S. W. Anderson's while Mrs. Hendershot was moving and settling.

Robert S. Moore and brother Harry are staying at John Heck's during the illness of Clyde Heck.

Miss Florence Avery, of Adrian, is visiting her sister, Miss Lillian Avery, a few days this week.

Miss Inez Thorpe left for Detroit Tuesday where she has secured a position in a bicycle store.

Ed. H. Porter, formerly with J. M. Jones, has secured a position at Ionia and left Monday morning.

Clyde T. Heck is quite sick with scarlet fever and Tom Owens is filling his place at Rob. Moore's store.

C. F. Field, during the illness of Miss Gallatin, supplied her place in the C room of the Central building.

You can get first-class watch, clock and jewelry repairing done at Fred P. Kennedy's jewelry store, U. S. express office.

Rice Hendershot and family moved from the DeMott house to that of I. P. Keyser's the first of the week.

Miss Merl Munn, who has been visiting relatives here the past week, returned home to Toledo Monday.

Rev. C. M. Brown will deliver his lecture, "The Presbyterian Church in America," at Clayton this evening.

Miss Mae DeWolf left Monday for a visit with Detroit friends. Quite a number were at the train to see her off.

Another "olive branch" arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Satterthwaite Tuesday in the shape of a fine boy.

When you are looking for genuine bargains in Crockery, China and Glassware, be sure and call at Tansley's new store, Heesen Block.

About twenty Tecumseh people went over to Adrian Wednesday evening to see the play, "My Friend from India."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daly, who have been residents here the past two years, returned to Adrian, their former home, this week.

Ed. McClure, who has a position with the Gendron Bicycle Co. at Toledo, visited his people and other friends the past week.

Mrs. Robert S. Moore entertained a company of young people Friday evening in honor of her neice, Miss Merl Munn, very handsomely.

Ed. F. Kirchgessner has moved to Adrian where he will engage in business. His friends wish him abundant success in his new home.

Geo. Chidester, of Lansing, came down Saturday and remained over Sunday. It seemed quite like old times to see George on our streets.

Mrs. Allan D. Bell, after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Frasier, and other friends, has gone to join her husband at Bonne Terre, Missouri.

Harris & Hiteshu are getting ready for Easter and have a most complete line of everything in the line of novelties. You will be surprised at the variety of stock and lowness of prices.

E. L. Jones, who was so seriously ill at Eaton Rapids with pneumonia, returned to Tecumseh Wednesday morning, accompanied by his wife and son Leon and they are again quartered at Central House.

Quite a number from the Presbyterian society here will attend the meeting of the Monroe Presbytery at Blissfield Tuesday next. At the same time and place the Ladies Missionary Society of same Presbytery will convene.

Rev. Walter S. Aldrich, of Adrian, is occupying the pulpit of the Friends' church during the temporary absence of David J. Lewis. Next Sabbath evening he will preach on "The Unpardonable Sin." A full attendance is invited.

Saturday last Miss Jennie Middlebrook was the victim of a painful accident. While carrying a dish of hot syrup she came in contact with a chair with sufficient force to throw the boiling syrup over her hand and arm, burning them severely.

Ed Everett had a miraculous escape from serious injury if not death Tuesday. He was cleaning away from under a flour bolt when the left sleeve of his jacket was caught in the rollers and his arm drawn in. Fortunately the belt was a little loose and his jacket of strong material so that it stopped the machinery for a second, time enough for him with his right hand to catch a wheel and turn the rollers back and extricate the arm, and then the machinery worked as usual. Had it not been for the looseness of the belt he would have lost an arm at least. As it was it is badly bruised but Ed rejoices that no permanent injury was done.

Dr. L. G. North made Jackson a visit yesterday.

Will Mobbs spent several days in Detroit the past week.

Walter C. Burridge was in Lansing the first of the week.

Will J. Ingersoll was a member of the invalid corps Wednesday.

John B. Smith mourns the loss of his pet bull dog—strayed or stolen.

J. H. Smith and A. W. Slayton visited Detroit Tuesday and Wednesday.

Bargains in Lace Curtains.

ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. DeSpelder left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Iowa.

Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse and Miss Hartbeck were calling on Detroit friends Saturday.

You can not afford to miss seeing our large stock of Furniture if you are going to buy. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. Dr. Haynes and daughter, Clara, of Dundee, were guests of Mesdames Ide and Crossman over Sunday.

The ground surrounding the M. E. parsonage is being filled in and graded, making a marked improvement.

The first accident from ball playing reported this spring was that of Fred Waring, who had a wrist broken.

Miss Franc Snell entertained the Epworth League at her home Wednesday evening. It was a happy company.

The wedding of Miss Etta Coddington and Mr. McDermid, of London, Ont., is announced for Wednesday, April 21st.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson has had the misfortune to break her arm, while playing recently.

Miss Delia Waller has returned from Detroit, where for over a year she has been connected with the children's home.

Gus Wuerthner came down from Manchester and spent yesterday among his friends. He leaves Saturday for Buffalo, N. Y.

There will be work in the 1st and 2nd degrees at the K. of P. lodge next week Thursday evening, commencing promptly at 7:30

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Russell have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their infant child, which was buried Saturday.

Mrs. George Beneway was given a surprise Wednesday, it being the anniversary of her birth. Her children were the instigators.

We carry nothing but the best. No shoddy or cheap stuff. We guarantee every article you buy of us to be the best made for the money.

WHEELER & SISSON.

All are invited to attend Mrs. H. Hanford's Easter millinery opening, Wednesday and Thursday, April 14th and 15th. The display of bonnets, hats, and Easter novelties, will be finer than ever before.

Mrs. H. Hanford is now nicely settled in her new quarters and her millinery store is very attractive. She and her assistants are very busy preparing for the opening next week, which will undoubtedly eclipse all former ones.

E. J. Peters, the jeweler, is rapidly arranging his goods for business and will open tomorrow, although his formal grand opening, which will be quite elaborate with a souvenir for every one, will occur later, a notice of which will be given next week. Watch out for it.

A large force of workmen, horses, mules and equipments arrived from Pennsylvania Wednesday, to work on the new railroad. They are stopping at the Central House and will commence operations as soon as all details are arranged.

Have you seen those beautiful Spring Shoes just received? All the new Shoes and best makes at prices so low every one can have them.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Miss Gaddis, superintendent of the Deaconess Home, Detroit, has been secured by the W. H. M. S. to give an address in the Methodist church, Sunday evening, April 11th. The public are very cordially invited and especially those of other churches who are interested in missionary work.

Rev. W. K. Spencer, of Adrian, and Rev. Charles M. Brown will exchange pulpits next Sunday evening. Rev. Spencer will deliver his lecture, "The Cardinal Belief of the Presbyterian Church," here, and Rev. Brown will deliver his lecture, "The Presbyterian Church in The United States," in Adrian.

The following from away attended the funeral of Mrs. Minerva Westcott yesterday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, of Petersburgh, Mrs. Lois Fowler and son, Truman, of Somerset Center, Mrs. A. J. Whiting, of Williamston, the ladies being daughters of the deceased, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marrion, Mrs. E. J. Semark and Mrs. Jennie Wadsworth, of Clinton.

A new invoice of Dress Goods, Ready Made Skirts, Spring Capes, etc., cheaper than ever, at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Last Friday afternoon, at Adrian, Lester Westcott, of Tecumseh, and Miss Lewis, of North Adrian, were married. Monday evening a company of young people in the neighborhood assembled in front of the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. L. Lewis, and favored the newly wedded couple with a serenade. It was both original and varied, and the participants enjoyed it even if their auditors did not.

The last entertainment on the star course will be the Boston Ideal Club at the opera house Saturday evening, April 24. In consequence of the change of date of this entertainment and their failure to carry out their contract on dates, the lyceum bureau have agreed to furnish in addition to the Boston Ideal Club, Charles T. Grilley, reciter, humorist and dialect reader. This will be one of the finest entertainments given by the star course.

Choice field oats for seed at Mobbs & Co's.

Mrs. J. W. Hiser, of Port Huron, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beebe.

The Misses Edith Gordon and Hattie Osborn were guests of Adrian friends over Sunday.

S. E. Parrish is refitting the rear of his drug store and will soon have things in perfect condition to carry on his business.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Merrifield, of Manchester, are visiting Tecumseh friends at present.

Our new styles in Furniture are arriving every day. Prices lower than ever. Call and see us. WHEELER & SISSON.

The Freese Whittelsey Co., Clinton, have just received a case of 44 inch, all-wool serges which they offer to close out at 33c. Regular price 40c. All colors. They won't last long.

Mrs. Arthur Dance, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Benedict. She came to assist them in celebrating their fiftieth anniversary, which occurs next Wednesday.

S. E. Parrish is making great improvements in the store formerly occupied by Baker & Hall. They are rushing things that everything may be ready for the opening tomorrow.

Mesdames Crossman and Ford have severed their business relations. The former now occupies the DeMott house while the latter remains at the old stand and will continue the business alone.

It is reported that the Lima Northern has completed traffic arrangements with the Wabash to use the latter line from Britton to Detroit. If such is the case the road will not be built north of Tecumseh.

The following ride bicycles recently purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.:—Harry Langton, Fred Hindes, Robbie McCoy, Leigh Pennington, O. B. Finch and Misses Ella Chilson, Emma Cotton and Edith Shull.

The funeral of Mrs. Westcott, who died at the home of her son, Horace, Tuesday morning of heart failure, aged 74, was held at the Universalist church yesterday at 4 p. m., attended by Revs. E. C. Andrus and J. Merrifield.

Mrs. Margaret Dawley, who for the past four months has been at her grandson's, Chas. Dawley's, housed up in consequence of a broken hip, was taken to her home in Hillsdale Tuesday. Word has been received that she stood the journey well.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teeple's

The alarm of fire Saturday was occasioned by the old house used as a storehouse by Heesen & Co. taking fire. By the time the hose cart was on the ground the fire was well started and many thought the old building doomed, but after connections were made and water turned on, it did not take long to extinguish the flames and what might have been a disastrous conflagration averted, again demonstrating the efficiency of our system.

Mr. Comfort Chase and Miss Lydia Keck surprised their large circle of friends Wednesday evening by quietly going to the Baptist parsonage, accompanied only by Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowen, and, with the assistance of Rev. B. S. Hudson, taking upon themselves the marriage vows. Miss Keck has been one of Miss Hough's most popular assistants and Comfort is one of Tecumseh's sterling young men. Congratulations are now in order.

High School Happenings.

Miss Lizzie Russell visited the high school Tuesday forenoon.

Ed. McClure, class of '93, called on his friends and acquaintances in the high school yesterday.

Miss Ora Bowen dropped in a short time Wednesday forenoon for an informal visit with her friends in the A room.

Tommie Arbion and Edith Chase have been enrolled as members of the seventh grade, and V. H. Stevens and Martha McClean as members of the eighth grade.

Miss Gallatin, our ninth grade teacher, is confined to her home by a severe attack of quinsy this week and C. F. Field is taking her place.

The class in German II have ordered Gerstacker's "Ihrfahrten" for reading this term as there is not time enough this year to finish another classic.

The members of the sophomore class were entertained at the home of Miss Florence Temple Tuesday evening. It surely speaks well for the sophomore parties that one of the junior boys has gone back on his vows to that class and joined the sophomores.

NOTICE:—All accounts of Anderson & Co. have been placed in my hands for collection, and all indebted to the old firm are requested to call at once at the office of J. W. Wightman and settle.

CHAS. BIDWELL, Deputy Sheriff.

—Furniture refinished at Bert Grey's carriage shop. Fine work and low prices.

—Get your carriage varnished or repainted at Bert Grey's shop in the old Cummins building.

"King George I. of Greece," who is of present universal interest, is the subject of an entertaining article which William E. Waters, president of Wells College, writes for the April Chautauquan.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., April 6, 1897:

Clarence Welch, Thurston McGill,
H. Killinger, C. Hummel,
A. L. Fanshane, Mrs. Joseph Cooper,
Milo Davis, Mrs. M. E. Matthews,
Messrs. Bronson & Coombs,

Persons calling for letters in the above list please say "Advertised."

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Apple Blossom Sweet Peas,
Tall mixed Nasturtium,
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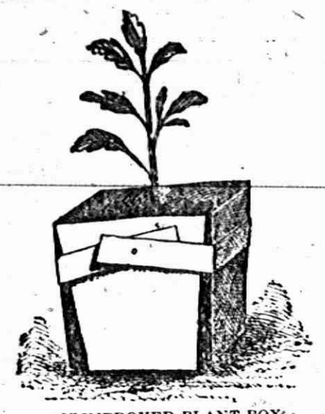
HORTICULTURE.

A NEW PLANT BOX.

Just the Thing for Transplanting All Kinds of Vegetables.

The new style of box shown herewith I have been using for a number of years and find it just the thing to transplant tomatoes, peppers or, in fact, any vegetable plant that is desired to put on the market early and get an extra price for. I use the boxes principally for early tomatoes, transplanting into them about ten days before I wish to market the plants. Tomatoes, peppers, asters and phloxes are transplanted for the third time into these boxes, and I get from three to five cents apiece for them, whereas if I sold them out of flats I would only get 15 cents per dozen. As to the cost of this box: The material is such as is used in making the common market basket. Have it



AN IMPROVED PLANT BOX.

cut 2½ inches in width and 6½ inches in length, tapering on the sides from each end for 2½ inches, thus leaving the center 1½ inches square. Now score them for folding. To put all together take a three by three-quartering, any length you wish, tapering the end to correspond with the taper of the box. Fasten a plate of iron on the top so that the tacks will clinch. Make a hoop of wire to slip over the end to hold the splints while the hoop is wrapped and nailed. The hoops should be three-eighths of an inch wide and ten inches long.

Made in this way the boxes will nest together, and can be made at any time for future use. The cost will not exceed 25 cents per 100 boxes. Material can be had at any basket factory.

Such a box can be used for layering strawberry plants. It makes a cheap, neat package, and people like to buy plants put up in this shape. They can be then transplanted into the garden without a setback. I put up thousands of tomato plants in boxes, each holding half a dozen or a dozen, and also do up single plants to put on the market. Vegetables grown in pots are too expensive to the grower. This box is also a package that your customer can take home easily, and he does not have to set it out until his soil is in fit condition. There is no patent on this—I give it for the good of the plant culturist. As shown in the sketch the plant is small for the size of the box.—E. W. Turner, in American Gardening.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

The garden must be mellow, rich and kept clean.

Sawdust is good mulch for all kinds of small fruits.

If done early, spring is the best time to set out trees and plants.

Strawberries, if well mulched, are less affected by change of weather.

After the orchard is in bearing it does not pay to continue to crop it.

All pruning and transplanting should be done before the leaves start out well.

"Poultry for the plum trees and swine for the apple orchard" is a good rule.

A safe rule with flower seed is to plant them about five times their diameters.

Tobacco water is one of the best remedies to destroy bugs and worms on rose bushes.

Resin and tallow in equal parts make a good covering for wounds made in pruning fruit trees.

Starvation and neglect are the great causes of unfruitfulness with many unprofitable orchards.

One advantage in using commercial fertilizers in the garden is their freedom from weed seeds.

Small fruit growing may not pay the farmer away from market, but he can grow fruit for his own use.

Only well rotted manure should be used in the potato patch, and it should be well worked in with the soil.

Keep all dead and faulty limbs cut off of fruit trees as a protection against further decay.—St. Louis Republic.

The Cultivation of Sage.

Sage will bear transplanting, and can be thickly sown in boxes and transferred afterward to the open ground as a second crop after peas or spinach. By this method the loss by poor seed is avoided, for sometimes the seed will not come up well. If sowed in drills, the labor of caring for the young plants till full grown is considerable. The plants should stand in rows one foot apart and six inches between the plants in the rows. The plant can be cut down near the roots and spread out to dry; or if raised for the market, the leaves should be picked off and dried. Sage is good for several years if protected from the cold in winter by a light covering. The seeds are produced the second year and each year thereafter.—Dakota Field and Farm.

THE FARM GARDEN.

How to Keep the Ground Occupied from Spring to Fall.

The garden is the most productive acre of the farm. If it is not, it should be made so. It is the most indispensable part of farm life. Half of our living should come from our garden in summer. Not one-half the country people make an effort to have a garden. There are some that start out well in the spring, sow an abundance of seed and never look at the garden again until they think it is time they should have results. They take a look and cannot find any for the weeds have covered the little plants. Then they come to the conclusion that the seed did not grow. They say all sorts of things about the seedsmen, and mow off the weeds and wait until another spring, when they go through the same process. Now this is all wrong. To keep the garden clean we should begin early and continue the cultivation until fall. It is impossible to destroy all the weeds while we are cultivating the early vegetables. Little patches of weeds around the garden will produce seed enough to seed the whole garden next year. We should try to plan so as to keep all the ground occupied in the garden. It will require but little more labor to cultivate a cabbage or turnip in a vacant place than simply to cultivate to keep down the weeds. You can sow lettuce in July and it will be nice in the fall. Cabbage and turnip can be transplanted into the ground where the early peas and potatoes have grown; or you can set celery and beets for winter use. Keep all the ground occupied. If clean cultivation is given, as should be done, the weeds will be killed out and at the same time a good crop secured. Thinning out plants is an important matter in gardening; beets and carrots will not grow to any size if left too thick. No vegetable but the onion will stand crowding. If the soil is rich enough onions will grow to a good size when five or six stand together; they will crowd each other out of the ground all but the roots and will bottom nicely. The onion maggot destroys onions badly; a good remedy is to take the soil away from the bulbs no matter if the little onions tip over; so long as the roots are in the ground they are all right. By doing this the fly has no chance to put its eggs on the stalks and then there are no maggots in the bulbs.—Mrs. J. W. Ferres, in Farm and Home.

CULTURE OF MELONS.

Their Successful Growth Requires Lots of Plant Food.

Watermelons are excessive feeders, and many fail in attempting to grow them because they do not furnish sufficient plant food to supply the necessary strength for vigorous vine and fine fruit. Not infrequently watermelon vines turn yellow and die when they should be just in their prime, simply from plant starvation.

I prepare the ground as for corn. Lay off in rows 12 feet apart each way. I dig a hole about 1½ feet deep and perhaps three feet in diameter. In the bottom of this I put a peck or more of good stable manure, tramping it lightly. Next put in a layer of soil, and follow with a layer made up of equal parts of soil and fine rich manure thoroughly mixed, and lastly, where the seeds are to be placed, another layer of pure soil. Sow seeds thickly and cover about one inch. When the second or third leaf shows, thin out two or three plants in the hill. If exceptionally large melons, regular "prize takers," are desired, thin to but one plant in the hill. I cultivate about as I do corn, hoeing each hill after an entire patch is plowed. If very dry, cultivate often, particularly about the hills. It is some trouble to thus prepare the ground, but it more than pays in the size, number and quality of melons produced, also in the increased length of time that the vines are in bearing, as they remain green and in good condition until killed by frost. —Orange Judd Farmer.

WATERING THAT PAYS.

Simple System of Sub-Irrigation for Flower Beds.

The experiments that have been tried in introducing water freely below beds of growing plants have proved conclusively the value of this kind of watering. The cross section given herewith shows how one may readily try this

WATERING PLANT BEDS.

experiment for himself this spring. Select the spot where a small bed is to be devoted to foliage or other plants, and sink an empty keg in the center just below the position of the coming roots. Fit an old piece of tin pipe, as suggested in the sketch, and your "irrigating plant" is ready for business! Not only can water be thus freely applied, but liquid manure also. The keg, it should be said, should not be one that will "hold water."—Orange Judd Farmer.

A Profitable Garden Crop.

Spinach is an important crop in our market gardens and one of the most easily managed of vegetables, requiring but little culture, and may be had fit for use the entire season. The main crop is sown in August or September for spring use, and, although extremely hard, requires to be protected by a light covering of hay or straw during the winter. For summer use it may be sown at intervals of two or three weeks, from April to August. Spinach is best developed and most tender and succulent when grown in a rich soil.

Currants and gooseberries need an annual pruning to remove useless wood.

POSTS OF HONOR.

President McKinley Makes Several Important Appointments.

Washington, April 6.—The president Monday sent to the senate the following nominations:

State—Alfred E. Buck, of Georgia, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Japan; James Boyle, of Ohio, consul of the United States at Liverpool, England; S. S. Day, of Connecticut, consul of the United States at Bradford, England; Fenton R. McCreary, of Michigan, secretary of the legation of the United States at City of Mexico.

War—Brig. Gen. Frank Wheaton, to be major general.

[Alfred E. Buck, the new minister to Japan, has been for some time the recognized head of the republican party in the state of Georgia. He supported Mr. McKinley for the presidential nomination, and by hard work won over the Georgia delegates to his way of thinking, a number of them being inclined towards Mr Reed. Mr. Buck went south from Maine shortly after the war, and during reconstruction days represented the Mobile (Ala.) district in congress. He subsequently went to Georgia, and was clerk of the United States circuit and district courts for the northern district of Georgia until 1889. In that year he was appointed United States marshal for the northern district of Georgia by President Harrison. He held this position four years.]

Washington, April 7.—The president Tuesday sent to the senate the following nominations:

Treasury—Alonzo J. Tyler, of Tennessee, to be collector of internal revenue for the Second district of Tennessee; Park Agnew, of Virginia, to be collector of internal revenue for the Sixth district of Virginia.

Navy—Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, to be assistant secretary of the navy; Capt. A. S. Crowninshield, United States navy, to be chief of the bureau of navigation in the department of the navy; Rev. William G. Cassard, of Maryland, to be chaplain in the navy.

NOTED FORGER CAUGHT.

Z. T. Lewis, Captured in Michigan, Taken to Urbana, O.

Urbana, O., April 7.—Z. T. Lewis, who became a fugitive from justice two years ago after committing a series of the most daring forgeries ever attempted in this state, was brought back to Urbana Tuesday night from Ypsilanti, Mich., where he was arrested Monday night. Lewis is a physical wreck. Constant worry has undermined his constitution and he is suffering severely from nervous prostration and rheumatism. Lewis, who had been counted a shrewd financier, confined his forgeries to county and school district bonds. The forgeries amounted to about $300,000 and the securities he forged were represented to have been issued in five different Ohio counties. He imposed upon some of the most cautious bankers and brokers in this section of the country, as well as many in the bond markets of the east. Four hundred indictments are now pending in various Ohio courts against Lewis, although his arrest was made on a warrant charging but one forgery. The National Bank of Redemption of Boston will back the prosecution of the prisoner at the trial, which is to be begun as soon as possible. When arrested at Ypsilanti Lewis was living with his family under the name of James Leache. He consented to return to Ohio without a requesition.

TO BRING TURKS TO TERMS.

The President Evolves a Scheme to Collect Pending Claims.

Washington, April 7.—The adoption of a vigorous policy to secure from the Turkish government a settlement of the claims preferred by the United States on account of the destruction of American missionary property and outrages to American missionaries committed during the uprising against the Armenians in the fall of 1895 is being considered by the new administration, and probably will be put into operation soon. President McKinley's programme contemplates the sending to Constantinople of John W. Foster, former secretary of state, as a special envoy, with the rank of ambassador, to secure from the sultan the payment of the claims, which have been filed, and the speedy trial of those American citizens against whom charges have been made by Turkish officials. The president probably will send to congress a message recommending that authority be given him to commission a special ambassador to Turkey for this purpose.

Took His Own Life.

Chicago, April 5.—Dr. J. H. Walton, a well-known physician of Dubuque, Ia., committed suicide in Lincoln park Sunday afternoon, cutting his throat with a razor. The act was done before the eyes of hundreds of wheelmen and pedestrians on the Lake Shore drive. Walton is believed to have been temporarily insane, the result of a recent illness.

Has Retired.

Atlanta, Ga., April 6.—Capt. Evan P. Newell, for years the head of the Atlanta Constitution, retired from the management of the paper at the meeting of its directors Monday, and is succeeded as editor in chief by his son, Clark Howell. W. A. Hemphill was elected president of the company. There will be no change in the policy of the paper.

Hangs Himself in Jail.

Stockton, Cal., April 7.—C. F. Kleupfer, who killed C. R. Dodge and Alexander Borland at New Hope six weeks ago, and who has since been in the county jail here, hanged himself in his cell Tuesday morning with a handkerchief tied to the grating of the window. He was dead when found.

Wants to Be Relieved.

Canea, April 7.—Admiral Canevaro has asked the Italian government to relieve him of his command, and Marquis Di Rudini has replied that in the event of a blockade of the Greek ports the admiral's request will be granted.

Fatal Game of Marbles.

Rockport, Ind., April 7.—Henry Lee was shot and killed by Bob Cheatham. A quarrel arose over a game of marbles, when Cheatham shot Lee in the head and fled, but was captured. Both are colored.

Pier Collapses at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., April 7.—The pier of the Consolidated Coal company at Locust Point collapsed and 15 coal cars were precipitated into the harbor. No one was hurt.

You Are Anxious

....for the Health of Your Family.

Each sale of the high price much advertised baking powder to you is a covert attack upon the health of your family and a menace to general health. Grocers are not generally aware that bread baked with the high price powders is more than 70 per cent rochelle salts, all of which you consume in your bread, or they would not offer them to you.

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For insomnia try rubbing the flesh, at night, briskly with a flesh brush.

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Ambassador Hay has arranged to leave for England by steamer from New York on Wednesday, April 14.

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Robert H. Vicker, 67 years old a lawyer at Chicago, was found dead in his office, having committed suicide.

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Johannes Brahama, of Vienna, the well-known musical composer, is dead.

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Of course the steamer, the greatest speed of which was eight knots an hour—arrived in England weeks after the others, and the captain lost his money; but he made nearly $15,000 profit all the same.

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

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Mail Express	5:38 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:47 a. m.
Day Accommodation	3:46 p. m.
New York Express	9:26 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Mail Express	1:11 a. m.
Day Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
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Tecumseh.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
Clinton	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Manitou Junction	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Blissfield	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 56 "
Deerfield	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Petersburgh	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 06 "
Toledo.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Chicago	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 348 Accom.
Chicago	.....	6 20 P.M	.....
Detroit	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	.....
Toledo	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Petersburgh	9 09 "	9 25 "	8 02 "
Deerfield	9 17 "	9 35 "	8 06 "
Blissfield	9 32 "	9 50 "	.....
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Passenger	4:11 p. m.
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SWEPT BY FLOODS.

Fifty Towns Inundated in the Mississippi Valley.

A Statement of the Situation Prepared for the President—The Latter Taking Steps to Secure Government Aid.

Washington, April 7.—R. C. Graves and J. S. Menken, representing the citizens' relief committee of Memphis, Tenn., organized for the purpose of relieving the people of the flooded country tributary to that city, have arrived in the city. They have prepared the following statement, which they will submit to the president:

"From Marion, Ark., north of Memphis, to Greenville, Miss., there are now at least 60 towns and villages under water, and a territory extending from 100 miles north of Memphis to 200 miles south, and five to forty miles wide, is submerged and devastated by the flood. Hundreds of thousands of acres of cultivated soil, with growing crops, are included in this submerged territory, and there are from 50,000 to 60,000 people whose property has been destroyed and whose business has been suspended thereby. The amount of damage to property is incalculable. In addition to the growing crops which have been destroyed, thousands of head of working stock and of cattle have been drowned and starved. The great majority of the sufferers are small farmers, mostly negroes, who, with the present crop destroyed and their working stock and farm tools swept away, are left utterly destitute and unprepared to begin work again, even after the floods have subsided.

"The extent of the suffering has grown beyond the capacity of the local authorities and of private local charities to relieve. The citizens' relief committee of Memphis is now caring for from 6,000 to 7,000 refugees from the flooded district, and they are still arriving by boatloads every day. In addition to this, large supplies of provisions are being sent to various points in Arkansas and Mississippi, where it is possible for the refugees to be cared for on higher ground and in relief barges. The utmost that can be done by these efforts is to measurably and temporarily relieve the present suffering. The committee have found it very difficult and very costly to reach a great portion of the sufferers living in the interior, who can only be reached by skiffs operating with light-draft steamers that can leave the main river. Memphis being the only point on high ground for about 200 miles north and south, it necessarily has become the place of refuge for all seeking to escape the flood in that locality.

Greatest Flood Known.

"This flood is the greatest and most destructive that has ever devastated the Mississippi valley, the water being 4½ feet higher than the highest stage it has ever reached before. The relief committee is thoroughly organized for the purpose of distributing supplies to the people of the tributary territory, and is willing to do everything in its power to that end, but it has now almost reached the end of its resources, and reluctantly confesses its inability to cope with the situation without obtaining relief from the government."

May Send No Message.

Washington, April 7.—President McKinley may abandon his idea of sending a special message to congress today asking for legislation for the relief of the Mississippi flood sufferers. Such action, it is thought, is rendered unnecessary by the passage by the senate of the Bate resolution diverting for the relief of the flood sufferers the unexpended balance of the appropriation made from time to time to meet contingencies in connection with cholera and other epidemics. Mr. McKinley sent for Secretary Alger late Tuesday afternoon and had a consultation with him on the subject. Since the senate had already initiated such legislation as he would propose in his message the question was as to whether action by him was not rendered unnecessary. All the data in connection with the amount of money the passage of the Bate resolution would place at the disposal of the surgeon-general for distribution was not before him Tuesday afternoon and no final decision was reached as to the message. Should he send in a message it is probable that he will recommend a specific appropriation of either $150,000 or $200,000, and it is possible, in the event he does not send to congress a formal message, that he will transmit the information in his possession.

Father and Son Drowned.

Redfield, S. D., April 7.—Henry Struive and two sons were drowned Monday on Gus Bull's farm, six miles south of Frankfort, in this county. This makes six deaths from drowning within two weeks. A farmer north of here named Lundstrom lost a dozen cattle and seven head of horses. The floods exceed anything ever witnessed in this county. The water in the rivers is eight feet higher than the highest water mark heretofore.

Asks for $100,000.

Jackson, Miss., April 7.—The governor has telegraphed Secretary Alger asking for an appropriation of $100,000 from congress, which he says will close the crevasses in this state, give employment to all the needy and allow people to work land in 30 days.

Water Passes Former Limits.

Memphis, Tenn., April 7.—The feature of the flood in the Mississippi delta is the gradual spread of water over an area that hitherto was never overflowed. The upper crevasse in Tunica county is 2,000 feet wide, and so great is the outpour that water from below the break is being drawn up to and hurled out over the fertile valley through the crevasse. All of the country east of the main line of the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley road is flooded, and in many places the water has gone over the tracks, filling the Yazoo river.

The supreme question is the duration of the flood. If the lower levees along Louisiana and southeastern Arkansas should hold, which it is believed they will not do, the emptying of the delta and St. Francis basin will be slow. If they break and the river continues to fall at Cairo, the upper St. Francis basin and the delta will be clear of water by May 5. If this should prove true, there will be no difficulty in growing cotton. But breaks in Louisiana and southeast Arkansas will hold water in that territory until the middle of May, far after the usual time for planting cotton in that territory.

Chicago's New Mayor.

Chicago, April 7.—Carter H. Harrison (dem.) was elected mayor yesterday by a plurality approximating 75,000. In the Illinois township elections the republicans were generally successful.

OUR NATIONAL LIBRARY.

Its Establishment Was Due Primarily to Thomas Jefferson.

Condensed History of the Great Collection's Origin and Growth—The New Library Building and Its Architect.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Statistical letters are generally conceded to be less interesting than narrations of current or past events; nevertheless, statistical statements are sometimes regarded as of exceptional value by the average reader throughout the country.

Statistical letters usually refer both to facts and figures, but are generally overburdened with more figures than facts. This letter, concerning the origin, growth and development of the celebrated congressional library, will contain facts which many readers will want, to keep in their scrap books, and it is hoped that the narration will at the same time prove to be somewhat interesting.

The United States is a beneficent government, particularly so in the matter of literature. "The glory of a country is its authors," and, in the matter of authors, America bids fair to rival the world if she continues as she has begun. Irving, Cooper, Bancroft, Prescott, Longfellow, Whittier, Bryant, Poe, Lowell and hosts of others have placed our literature high in the rank of the world's productions. If we have not as yet produced an author whose works equal those of Homer, Shakespeare or Milton, we have at least our Longfellow, the quality of whose works will fall not far behind that of the masters.

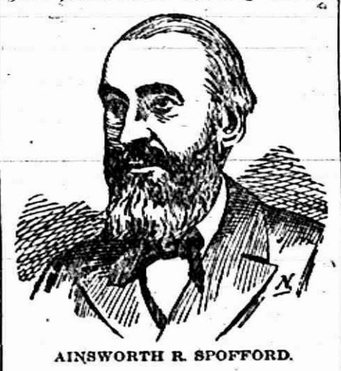
In the year 1800 the United States government was as yet in its infancy. Congress then convened in Philadelphia, but the corner stone of the new capitol at Washington had been laid, the north wing finished; and at its first session the propriety of holding the next session there was decided upon by the members of the Sixth congress. At this session a provisionary appropriation of $500 was made, which appropriation was to be used in the purchase of books to form the nucleus of a library at Washington, which should perhaps one day not only be the first in our country, but be second to none in the world. The collection thus formed was placed in a room assigned for the purpose in the capitol building at Washington.

The establishment of the library was notably due to Thomas Jefferson; and, having been so favorably started, congress made appropriations from time to time for its increase and maintenance until the British entered Washington in 1814 and destroyed the whole. To make good this loss congress in the year 1815 appropriated $25,000 for the purchase of the Jefferson collection of 6,700 volumes. George Watterson was appointed librarian at a salary of $1,000 and the library again begun.

On the 3d day of December, 1818, congress made an appropriation of $2,000 for the purchase of books for the new library, and from 1820 to 1823 $6,000 were appropriated.

Again, on the 26th day of May, 1824, congress made a similar appropriation of $5,000, and an additional one of $1,546 for furniture to be used in the library room.

On the 11th of February, 1825, congress passed an act directing that the



AINSWORTH R. SPOFFORD.

secretary of the treasury should remit all duties on such books, maps and charts "as have been during the present year or may hereafter be imported into the United States by the authority of the joint committee of congress for the use of the library of congress."

On the 25th of February, 1825, another act was passed appropriating $5,000 for books for the congressional library, and from that time until the fire of 1851 congress made annual appropriations for the increase of the library, as follows:

On March 3, 1825, $5,000 for the purchase of books and $925 for coal and stoves.

On March 2, 1827, $3,000 for books and $400 for the employment of an assistant.

On May 24, 1828, $5,000 were added for the purchase of books and the librarian authorized to employ an assistant at a salary of $800 per annum.

A resolution passed May 24, 1828, provided that "duplicates, imperfect, damaged or other works not wanted may be removed from the library."

On the 28th of May, 1829, Andrew Jackson appointed John S. Meehan, of Washington, librarian of congress. He continued in office until the accession of Lincoln, and died at the advanced age of 72, having continued in office 32 years.

Heretofore the library had been for the exclusive use of senators and representatives, and a few other privileged characters; but on the 30th day of January, 1830, congress passed a resolution granting the privileges of the library to the following officials:

The secretary of state, the secretary of the treasury, the secretary of war, the secretary of the navy, the postmaster-general, the secretary of the senate, the clerk of the house of representatives, the chaplain of congress and any individual in the district who may have been president of the United States.

The usual annual appropriations for many years after the accession of Jackson were $5,000, exclusive of expenditures for the law library and contingent expenses—for a law library had grown in connection with the regular one, since which time, having received an annual appropriation of about $1,000, it has come to be one of the best equipped law libraries in the country.

The regular library again received an appropriation in 1832 of $3,000, for furniture and repairs.

In 1848 the new library received a bonus of $2,412 for its enlargement; and in 1850 the usual appropriation of $1,000 for the same was increased to $2,000 by act of congress.

By 1851 the library of congress had become the pride of the nation, having increased to 55,000 volumes; but again sustained a check by the fire of December 24 of that year, when 35,000 volumes were destroyed.

Congress immediately made an appropriation of $10,000 to replace this loss, and again, in 1852, another appropriation of $72,000 for the repairs of the library room, and $75,000 for the purchase of books to make good the loss of those destroyed by the fire.

John J. Stephenson was appointed librarian of congress in 1861 by Abraham Lincoln. He only remained in office three years, when, upon his resignation, A. R. Spofford, the present incumbent, was appointed.

It is needless to recite the various acts of congress whereby additions of

NATIONAL LIBRARY.
("America," Decoration for Dome, by E. H. Blashfield.)

books have been made to the library; the most notable one being the Smithsonian collection (then numbering 4,000 volumes, but now 300,000, or almost one-half of the stock of the whole national library), whereby the most valuable collection of scientific books extant has been added to the national library; for, by the Smithsonian system of exchange, whereby copies of their publications are exchanged with every scientific society on the face of the globe, they have obtained practically a complete library of all scientific works.

The library at this date contains upwards of 755,000 books, 250,000 pamphlets, 500,000 sheets of music, 25,000 maps and 26,000 engravings, photographs, lithographs, etchings, photogravures and pictorial illustrations in general. By this it will be seen that the library has outgrown its accommodations, for its room at the capitol only gives shelf space for 350,000. Because of the marvelous growth and development of the library, Librarian Spofford, in 1872, recognized the necessity for the rental, purchase or erection of a new building. He was diligently engaged for 14 years in the effort before a decisive act of congress permitted the corner stone of the present beautiful library building to be laid. A description of this architectural conception cannot be given in limited space; it stands preeminent over all public buildings, and is, without doubt or qualification, the greatest and most beautiful building in the world.

The work of removing the books from the present library room in the capitol will begin shortly, the transfer to be made by wagons and not by the small underground tunnel, as is currently believed. Shelves in the new library are now being correctly numbered in accordance with those in the capitol room, so as to prevent confusion.

The present librarian has been in charge of this great collection of literary treasure for 33 years. Under the eyes of Ainsworth R. Spofford the library has grown from infancy to vigorous virility. Mr. Spofford was appointed by Abraham Lincoln in 1864, and has held his position without interruption or political intervention from that date until the present.

The new congressional library building, which is now being celebrated both in song and story, is the result of the continuous and persistent efforts on the part of Mr. Spofford to induce congress to make proper provision for the rapidly accumulating wealth of learning.

Col. John L. Smithmeyer, of Austrian birth, came to this country in 1847, a well-equipped civil engineer, with considerable learning in architecture. To him was committed the task of preparing plans for the new library building which was authorized by congress. He did the work with exceptional skill, and everybody who has seen the work declares that the library is the most beautiful building on earth, not excepting Taj Mahal, the famous building of beauty on the upper Ganges, in India. Col. Smithmeyer never received pay from the government for his work, and now has a claim pending before congress for compensation for his intellectual labor. His claim will probably be like all other claims of that character. The government is not honest. It is not likely that Col. Smithmeyer will ever receive the compensation due him for his magnificent work.

SMITH D. FRY.

MORTGAGE SALE.

On the sixteenth day of February A. D. 1888 Samuel Lapham of the village of Clinton county of Lenawee, Michigan executed a mortgage to Sarah C. Rogers, of the village of Clinton, county of Lenawee, Michigan, on all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the village of Clinton, Lenawee county, Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

Being lot number five (5) on the plat in the village of Clinton as surveyed by Smith & Lapham for John Clark proprietor and now of record in the Registers office in and for the county of Lenawee in the state of Michigan. Said lot being eighty-four (84) feet front and rear and one hundred fifteen feet on its east and west lines.

That said mortgage was upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1888, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Lenawee in Liber 114 of Mortgages on page 556.

Default has been made in the conditions of this mortgage and the note running in connection therewith, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and upon the same there is claimed to be due and unpaid at this date the sum of one hundred thirty four dollars and fifty one cents ($134.51) in addition to all other costs provided by law and in said mortgage for the foreclosure and no proceedings at law or in equity having been had or taken to recover the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, the premises above and in said mortgage described or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder upon the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county of Lenawee (that being the place and building for holding the circuit court of said county) to satisfy the amount then due upon said mortgage and note, the legal cost of foreclosure and the sale thereof.

Dated January 8, A. D. 1897.

SARAH C. ROGERS, Mortgagee.
G. R. Gillespie, Attorney for Mortgagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 4th day of May, A. D 1897, and on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of March, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

MERRIT E. CONKLIN,
JAMES A. BOYD,
Commissioners.

Dated, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Bresie, deceased,

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William R. Bresie, administrator of said estate, alleging among other things that he is now ready to render his final account and praying for the allowance of said account.

It is ordered that Monday, the 19th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
(A True Copy.) Judge of Probate.
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 15th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate

In the matter of the Estate of Rose Abbot deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles F. Patterson alleging that he is a principal creditor of said deceased and praying that administration of said Estate may be granted to him said Charles F. Patterson or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 19th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on Monday, the 15th day of March in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Anderson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Thomas H. Kyle, administrator upon said estate, alleging among other things that he has paid the preferred claims against said estate and is now prepared to pay the whole or such proportion of the other claims against said estate as may be ordered by this court and render his final account and praying that said account may be allowed.

It is ordered, That Monday, the 12th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further ordered That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Of Tecumseh, Mich., write us on Jan'y 14, 1896, that their order of Nov. 11, 1895, consisting of 8 dozen in package and a quantity in bulk of your Syrup Pepsin is all sold. We find it one of the best sellers and gives the best satisfaction of any remedy ever sold over a counter. It is in 10, 50c and $1.00 sizes of Orr & Temple.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 31st day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rumbell Pennington deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Claribel Pennington, administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to law and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court is all seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

NO USE FOR UNDERTAKERS.

Expected Corpse Traveled in the Same Train with His Coffin.

Robert Richmond, a young man from St. Louis, was taken sick at Marfa, a small town 400 miles west of here on the Southern Pacific railroad, says a San Antonio correspondent of the Philadelphia Record. He grew rapidly worse and became unconscious, and his attending physician telegraphed the patient's parents in St. Louis that their son was dying.

The parents wired instructions for the body to be embalmed and shipped to St. Louis. There is no embalmer and undertaker nearer than San Antonio and a telegram was sent there for one. The young man was still alive, but his physician was positive that he would be dead in a few hours.

The San Antonio undertaker arrived at Marfa next morning and found the young man still alive. He waited 36 hours and Richmond showed signs of improvement.

The undertaker left with the coffin for San Antonio and Richmond was brought there on the same train, arriving at night. The trip did so much good that he will leave the hospital in a few days a well man.

Kept Quiet Ever After.

It has been stated that a bank burglar can so heat the walls of a safe with an electric current as to be able to get inside without waiting more than a few minutes. Certain laboratory experiments lend some sanction to such a notion, but electrical journals pooh-pooh it. It is much easier to talk about stealing electricity from live trolley and lighting wires than it is to do it—that is, with safety. The Electrical Engineer, after pointing out some other difficulties in the way of such operations, remarks that "men can take and have taken the current from supply mains, even more than is required for melting through safes, though in numerous instances the parties maintained perfect silence about it ever afterward."

Big Auditorium Destroyed.

Newark, N. J., April 6.—A fire early in the morning destroyed the buildings in Caledonian park, on Springfield avenue, this city, and did damage to the amount of $50,000. The main building was a frame structure and seated 13,000. Caledonian park is the place where all the big celebrations have occurred in this vicinity for years past.

Great Carpet House Burned.

Cincinnati, April 5.—The George G. Otte company's carpet store on the south side of Fourth street, one door west of Race street, with a stock valued at $300,000 and insured for $150,000, was destroyed by fire in less than two hours Sunday morning. The total loss to building and stock will be $400,000.

Died in Texas.

Marshalltown, Ia., April 5.—A. B. Cox, proprietor of the Tremont house for the past 16 years and one of the most widely-known hotel men and masons in Iowa, died Saturday night at La Porte, Tex., whither he went recently for the benefit of his health.

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THE RAILROAD BILLS.

An Interesting Fight to Take Place in the House.

REPORT ON PINGREE MEASURES.

House Committee Recommends That They Do Not Pass, but the Fight on the Floor Promises To Be Unusually Sharp and Interesting—The Widoe Special Investigation a Gigantic Failure—The Bicycle Baggage Bill—Other Legislative Matters.

Lansing, Mich., April 6.—The opposing factions are now squaring away for the fight to take place in the house one week from today over the several railroad bills. After two protracted hearings, which were participated in by the representatives of the various roads, who argued against the measures, and by Colonel Atkinson and Railroad Commissioner Wesselius, who upheld them, the committee has reported out the most important of the Pingree measures with the recommendation that they do not pass. These bills provide for the local taxation of railroad property instead of requiring the companies to pay a special tax as now, and for a flat 2-cent passenger fare, and prohibit discrimination in freight rates by providing that if a company grants any person, firm or corporation a special rate, any other shipper can demand a similar rate. The members of the committee were unanimous in reporting the bills adversely, but, notwithstanding this fact, the fight on the floor is sure to be unusually sharp and interesting. It is believed that the two hearings referred to made many votes against the bills, the converted members saying that the cold hard facts and figures submitted by the railroad officials were met by the opposition only with sarcasm, ridicule or statements of a general nature did not tend to controvert the showing made in behalf of the roads. Be this as it may, there is no doubt that a number of members, who before the hearings were inclined to favor the bills, will now vote against them.

Has Been a Failure.

The facts that the Widoe special investigating committee has confessedly found but very few well-founded complaints of discrimination in freight rates, has also had a tendency to put the companies in much better odor with the members than when the session commenced. The opinion is general that so far as making a case against the railroads is concerned, the Widoe investigation has been a gigantic failure. The result of all this is that, although it was thought a couple of months ago that some of the so-called Pingree legislation would pass the house but be killed in the senate, the concensus of opinion now is that it will never reach the senate.

The bicycle baggage bill will become a law, the committee having reported it out favorably after amending it so as to relieve the companies from liability in case they provide hooks or other suitable device for holding wheels during transportation. Under this bill no charge will be made for carring the bicycle of a passenger. In this connection it may be interesting to note that a Michigan Central official informed me a few days ago that his company has a contract with a Toledo bicycle concern to repair all wheels damaged on that road, and that the company's repair bill amounts to a very large sum annually. This official said it is really astounding what people will do to spite or injure a railroad company. He declared that this was especially noticeable in connection with the transportation of bicycles belonging to passengers, numerous instances having been noted where an evil-minded person would deliberately kick a bicycle that happened to be standing at a station, knowing that the expense of repairing it would have to be borne by the company.

An Important Matter.

Another matter of very general interest has been made the special order for next week, which, by the way, promises to be one of the most interesting and important of the session. This is the Kimmis bill providing that each county officer shall be paid a salary to be fixed by the supervisors within certain limits, and that all fees be paid into the general fund of the county. The consideration of this bill has been made the special order for next week Thursday, and an interesting debate is anticipated. It is believed that the influence of the state grange and state association of farmers' clubs, both of which are a unit in favor of its passage, will be sufficient to land it a winner, despite the fact that it is being fiercely antagonized by every county officer in the state.

Representative Wetherbee's civil service bill affecting all counties having a population of 100,000 and upwards, and all cities having a population of 20,000 is an interesting document, and but little has been said about it. It provides for a non-partisan state civil service commission of three members to be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate, each commissioner to have a salary of $2,000 per year and expenses. The classification of the service is the principal feature of the bill. The only officials not included in the classified service are elective officers, officers whose appointment is confirmed by the senate, the heads of the principal departments of state or municipal government, and their deputies. The governor and mayor are each permitted to select their own secretary and stenographer, but all the other appointees are to be within the classified service. The bill further provides for a municipal civil service commission to be appointed by the mayor, the members of which are to receive from $3 to $5 per day for actual service.

The State Is a Gainer.

During the last two years the supreme court has not been permitting technicalities to interfere with the collection of taxes and the enforcement of the tax law. The result has been that large property owners, who previously permitted their lands to be returned delinquent, now pay their taxes promptly and the state has been the decided gainer. Occasionally this strict holding has worked a hardship, but on the whole it has been a great boon to the state. There has been some complaint that property has been sold through the neglect of agents who were commissioned to pay the taxes in the absence of the owners, who were out of the country, etc., and, therefore, had no notice of sale. To avoid a petition of these hardships, the senate has passed a bill providing that no tax deed be issued until personal notice of sale has been served on the property owner. At present notice by publication is all that is required.

One of the most spirited contests of the session, that with reference to the bills advocated by the state fish commission, has been settled, the commission and commercial fishermen agreeing upon a compromise measure. By the terms of this bill the size of the mesh is to be increased to two and one-half inches as used in the water, instead of that size before tarring, which shrinks it one-half. No whitefish weighing less than two pounds in the round are to be taken, and the month of November is to be a close season.

The License Fee

The license fee is to be $50 for steam tugs, $10 for pound nets, $5 for seines and $5 for sailboats used in the business. In order to give commercial fishermen a chance to readjust their nets, etc., without serious loss it is provided that the law shall not take effect until April 1, 1900.

A vicious custom, which has come to be extensively followed in the legislature of this state, is that which enables a member to secure the passage of a so-called local bill on his assurance that it is all right. A great majority of these local bills are given no adequate consideration. When they are reached on the calendar the member representing the territory or constituency affected by the measure simply assures his colleagues that the bill is purely local and of no interest outside of his district. He, therefore, moves that the reading of the bill be dispensed with, the rules suspended, and the bill placed upon its immediate passage. No one asks a question about the bill, and no one, save the introducer, knows anything about it. It is not infrequently the case that the bill contains provisions suspending, so far as that municipality is concerned, the operation of important provisions of general laws. In other cases city and village charters are thus rushed through before the citizens who have been governed by them have any knowledge of their provisions, or, in fact, that any such bills have even been introduced. It was only a month or so ago that a charter for the city of Grand Rapids was railroaded through the lower house in this manner. It proved to be a worthless and vicious measure which was subsequently disowned even by the person who prepared it. A new charter was prepared and, after one of the most persistent fights of the session, the latter became a law.

An Interesting Personage.

The reformer in the legislature is an interesting personage. He is here in quite liberal proportions this year, and, although he is always energetic, he does not always care to be informed. I have in mind a case where a committee was recently disposed to cut a $5,000 appropriation for one of the most important departments of state government. Some of the members of the committee who were thus inclined, could not be induced to even inspect the needs of the department which the proposed reduction would seriously cripple, although it was within a stone's throw of the door of the committee room. One of the gentlemen frankly admitted that as he was not gifted as a speechmaker, his only chance of making a reputation was in the committee, and he proposed to do it by cutting every appropriation bill that came into his hands. This would be all right if his investigation showed that such cut would be judicious, but his idea was to refuse to investigate for fear he would be convinced that it would be injudicious.

A few weeks ago I was in the house when the agricultural college appropriation bill was under consideration. All went well until the item of $5,000 for student labor was reached. At this juncture a man who is serving his second term in that body, arose and in thunderous tones demanded that some friend of the bill inform the house what that meant. "I'd like to know," he shouted, "if the time has come when we have to pay students for attending our colleges."

A Trifle Chagrined.

This gentleman was just a trifle chagrined when "some friend of the bill" explained the purpose of the item, student labor being the practical foundation-stone of the entire system at the college and one made necessary by the congressional grant of aid to that institution, and informed him that two years ago he had voted in favor of an appropriation of $8,000 for this same purpose. This instance simply serves to show how little some legislators know about questions submitted for their consideration and how long it takes some of them to develope into the most approved type of reform statesmen.

Early in the present year considerable was said about the location of this year's encampment of the Michigan National Guard, Governor Pingree very emphatically intimating that it would not be held at Island Lake. The military authorities have evidently thought better of the matter, however, for unless some locality sees fit to furnish as good a location free and put up about $8,000 to make the state good for abandoning the buildings it has on the present grounds and for moving the camp equipage it has stored there, the troops will again find themselves at Island Lake along in August. The state military board has practically foreclosed the case of other applicants, who, by the way, made no tangible proposition, by authorizing the Detroit, Grand Rapids and Western Railroad company to make a lease of the grounds for another year. The company furnishes the state the grounds free of charge, and it is not probable that the board would consent to its obligating itself for $500, the rental of the tract for a year, unless it intended to have the troops there again this year. It may be said that this is the best place, all things considered, that the encampment has ever been held.

Oleomargarine Law.

For several sessions of the legislature an attempt has been made to secure the enactment of a law prohibiting the offering for sale in this state of oleomargarine colored so as to resemble genuine butter. It has been noted as a singular, not to say significant fact that, although there is not a single oleomargarine factory in Michigan to be affected by such a law, all attempts to enact it have thus far been futile. The battle has been half won this year, however, the house having passed the bill a few days since after a very sharp skirmish.

JAMES V. BARRY.

Dynamite Kills Two.

Calumet, Mich., April 5. — Two miners, Eric Neimi and John Taloinsari, were blown to pieces in the Calumet mine by a premature explosion of dynamite. They were preparing to blast 3,000 feet beneath the surface in No. 4 shaft when the dynamite exploded. No one knows how the accident happened. Only small pieces of the remains of the men have so far been found.

Warehouse Burned.

Bay City, April 1.—One of the large warehouses at Bousfield & Co.'s wooden ware works was destroyed by fire Wednesday noon. Loss, $55,000; covered by insurance. A strong north wind was blowing and the fire was not under control for nearly two hours.

Methodists in Session.

Annapolis, Md., March 10. — The thirty-fourth annual session of the Washington conference, Methodist Episcopal church, was called to order by Bishop J. P. Newman, of San Francisco, who will preside over the sessions which will continue for nearly a week. The conference will, during its sessions, vote on the questions of lay representation and women delegates.

Her Engines Disabled.

Washington, March 10.—The navy department has received a dispatch from Commanding Officer Bartlett, of the disabled monitor Puritan, dated Hatteras Cove, N. C., saying the Puritan's engines are disabled, but that he has a convoy ready for towing. He says the monitor weathered the gale admirably.

SIGNALING FROM MARS.

Possibility of Communications from the Planet.

Any citizen who is tired of mundane concerns, and wants to fix his mind on something higher, is invited to consider the allegation of Sir Francis Galton, made in the London Fortnightly Review, that some one on Mars is signalling to earth. The information seems not as yet to be very genertlly confirmed by astronomical observers, but Sir Francis is quoted as authority for the report that in one of the European observatories an apparatus has been devised for recording the Martian flashes, and that the record shows that three signals and no more are made, and that they differ, as all flash-light signals do, in the length of the flashes and of the intervals between, so that if we had the key they might read like telegraphic messages.

Of course this is not a yarn to be swallowed whole, but the association of the name of Sir Francis Galton with it is enough to entitle it to consideration. There seems to be no intrinsic impossibility of our having relations with people in Mars. It sounds preposterous, of course, but, like other marvels, it seems preposterous chiefly because it is unusual. We have to nudge ourselves from time to time in this age of swift surprises, and remind ourselves that nothing that is new to us can possibly be more marvellous than many things that have grown familiar.

LI'S AUTOGRAPH.

It Was About to Be Used as a Prescription for Grip.

A Coventry young lady who collects autographs is the envy of her feminine acquaintances, says an exchange. She has secured the signature of the famous Li Hung Chang. The quaint inscription might be anything else, so far as the impression which it conveys to the Anglo-Saxon eye is concerned, but its authenticity is indisputable.

She had been suffering from influenza and the physician had left her a prescription. Her mother, after the doctor's departure, picked up a piece of paper and was almost out of the room when a cry of anguish arrested her.

"Be careful!" pleaded the daughter. "What are you going to do with that?"

"Are you delirious?" was the response.

"No; don't you see what you are handling in that careless way? It's Li Hung Chang's autograph."

Her mother looked at it carefully, laid it down and with a grave countenance said:

"My dear girl, you don't know what a narrow escape you have had. There is no telling what combination of drugs might have been doing deadly work if you had not spoken. I didn't notice the writing on the autograph carefully, or I might not have made the mistake; but I was just about to send it to the chemist to have it made up."

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Election.

The election Monday proved a regular surprise as the most visionary could not hope for such a revolution from the fall election. Here as elsewhere generally on the state ticket, many undoubtedly who intended to vote for the union candidates were deceived by the prominent heading of the so-called democratic ticket and placed their cross there, thus increasing the majority for the republican candidates. For township officers there was a tie on highway commissioner and one constable which was decided by lot in both cases in favor of the union silver candidates. Consequently, with the exception of clerk, school inspector and three constables, the union silver ticket was victorious. The vote was as follows, names of republicans being first:

Justice of the supreme court—	
Chas. D. Long,	302—78
Geo. L. Yaple,	234
Dan P. Foote, dem.,	45
Noah W. Cheever, pro.,	10
John O. Zabel, pop.,	9
Regents of the University—	
William J. Cooker,	299
Chas. D. Lawton,	297
Stanley E. Parkill,	219
Thorne Rubert,	220
County school commissioner—	
M. W. Hensel,	295—65
John C. Howell,	230
Attorney-general salary amendment —Yes, 68; no, 85.	
Supervisor—	
H. C. Conkling,	269
James A. Boyd,	328—59
Township clerk—	
Frank Bauer,	301— 7
Don H. C. Bowen,	294
Treasurer—	
Chas. A. McNeil,	255
Joseph Robbins,	333—78
School inspector—	
P. W. A. Fitzsimmons,	294— 2
Elmer C. Andrus,	292
Highway commissioner—	
Chas. A. Matthews,	294
John T. Boyce,	294
Justice of the peace—	
Elmer E. Hause,	280
Geo. W. Frazer,	314—34
Member Board Review—	
Horace Weiler,	305—11
Henry B. Keyser,	293
Constables—	
William J. C. Hastings,	293
Levi B. Thompson,	294
Theodore P. Wood,	301
Charles Stevenson,	297
Michael L. Gillen,	291
James H. Aten,	298
Joseph Hanford,	289
John McCaughn,	285

Fourteen township and twenty-three state ballots were thrown out.

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Cheese, per lb			14
Potatoes, per bushel	25		30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon			10
Smoked Ham			12
Smoked shoulders			7½
Beef, by the side	5		6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 50		
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	10	4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	6		
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7	
Turkeys	9	10	
Hides, Green	5		
Sheep Pelts	15	25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat		70	to 80
Corn, shelled	20		25
Corn in ear	10	to 12	15
Oats		16	to 20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7	50
Hay, clover, per ton		6	00
Bran, per 100 lbs			65
Middlings, per 100 lbs			70
Corn meal, per 100			70

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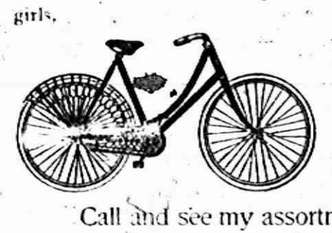

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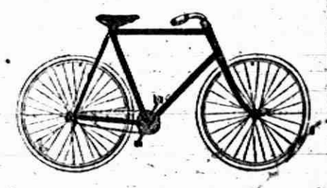

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FAILED TO PASS.

The House Kills the Molster Convict Labor Measure.

Report of the House Special Railway Committee—Speaker Gordon Predicts Adjournment About May 31.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, April 12.—The house, after a lengthy debate, killed the Molster bill referring to the employment of convict labor by striking out all after the enacting clause. The vote was 49 to 29. The measure provided for an entire revolution in the system of management of the state penal institutions. Its most conspicuous provisions were for the employment of convicts in squads of 20 in the several counties of the state upon the highways, and prohibited contract labor in prisons and the use of machinery, except such as could be operated by hand and foot power. The labor members will now try to draft a satisfactory measure by eliminating the chain-gang feature of the bill.

The house committee of the whole passed the bill providing for a tax of five per cent. on all inheritances or transfers made in contemplation of death, whether of real or personal property or whether made by residents or nonresidents. Inheritances of $5,000 or less are exempted, as is property willed to a father, mother, husband, wife, child, brother, sister, wife or widow of a son, or husband of a daughter. It is understood this bill overcomes the objections to a previous law which the supreme court declared unconstitutional.

Speaker Gordon gives it as his opinion that final adjournment will be reached by May 31. This would make the present session a few hours shorter than that of 1893, as it began four days later than did the legislature of that year.

Senator Savidge's committee on labor has recommended the passage of the bill of Senator Covell providing for the election of a labor commissioner by the people. The bill has in view the lopping off of Pingree perquisites.

The bill prohibiting the coloring of oleomargarine so as to resemble butter, which recently passed both houses after an effort extending over six years, has been hung up in the senate, and the indications are that the farmers will lose this battle after all.

The senate passed a bill fixing the tuition of students at the Michigan mining school at ten dollars per year for Michigan students and $25 per year for nonresidents. It also changed the name of the Michigan mining school to the Michigan college of mines.

The report of the house special railroad investigating committee is completed, and after a lengthy discussion upon its discoveries makes substantially the following recommendations for enactment into laws: A special committee of arbitration upon all grievances between railroads; all freight tariffs under jurisdiction of state; obliging railroads to furnish cars to shippers upon written notice, and the shipper be entitled to one dollar per day for delay after 48 hours; railroads to be required to furnish storage room for perishable goods; receiving roads to be liable for all damages; the incorporation of all fast freight lines in this state; a uniform freight bill; amendment of present law preventing discrimination, to make it more definite; prohibiting charging more for a part of a car load proportionately than a full car load; establishing at an early day a state railroad commission of three members, who shall be charged with the general supervision of the railroads operating in Michigan, and whose duty it shall be to fix the maximum freight and passenger rates, prepare classifications hear and adjust grievances and enforce existing laws.

Gov. Pingree has made the following appointments: Thomas R. Smith, of Lawton, state inspector of oils; Herschell Whitaker, of Detroit, member of the state fish commission; James H. Pound, member of Detroit board of health; Frank North, of Vassar, member of the board of managers of the state school for the deaf and dumb; Albert L. Stephens, of Detroit, member of the board of managers of the home for the feeble-minded; J. S. Stearns, of Ludington, member of the state railroad and street crossing board.

The house passed the bill providing that after January 1, 1899, all county officers, save sheriff, shall be paid a salary fixed by the supervisors, and that all fees provided by the statute be covered into the county treasury.

James Kerr of the Second district of Saginaw county, is again a member of the Michigan legislature. It will be remembered that the first day of the session when he was sworn in his seat was protested by John Baird, the republican candidate who was defeated, and that Kerr was subsequently unseated after about $2,500 was spent in making an investigation. At the election last week Baird and Kerr were again candidates. Kerr received 1,403 votes and Baird 1,101. Thursday morning Kerr arrived with his papers. Midst applause and cheers from the members of the house he was escorted to the clerk's desk by Representatives Chamberlain and Scully, and the oath of office was administered by Speaker Gordon.

The annual meeting of the state board of health was held here last Friday. President Franklin Wells made his annual address. He was reelected president.

EMMETT.

MICHIGAN VETERANS MEET.

Col. A. T. Bliss Elected Commander of the G. A. R.

Greenville, April 9.—The Michigan G. A. R. encampment has concluded its session. From the annual report of Gen. William Shakespeare, department commander, it appears that the total membership of the G. A. R. of Michigan is 19,082, being 1,217 less than last year's report; 343 died during the year. There are 382 posts, an increase of nine over last year. The finances are in excellent condition. The commander recommended that the G. A. R. of Michigan express its dissatisfaction with the order removing the pension agency from Detroit, and recommending its reinstatement. Patriotic and military instruction was recommended for a course in the public schools. Permanent headquarters have been established in Lansing. The Women's Relief corps reports 248 corps in the state, with 7,700 members.

Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, was elected department commander, A. T. Patrick, of Detroit, the other candidate, withdrew his name. L. Wells Sprague, of Greenville, was chosen senior vice commander. "Ren" Barker, of Reed City, was elected junior vice commander. Other officers chosen were as follows: Medical director, Dr. J. R. Stephenson, Grand Rapids; department chaplain, Rev. William Judd, Howard City; council of administration, E. H. Davis, of Detroit; C. E. Foot, of Kalamazoo; James Greene, of Bay City; Frank Whipple, of Port Huron, and Thomas Keyes, of Ionia. Delegates were elected to the national encampment at Buffalo next August. Col. C. V. R. Pond was appointed by the department commander assistant adjutant and quartermaster general, these two offices being combined into one. It was then voted that the encampment be held about the 15th to 20th of June, instead of in April. The next meeting will be held in Port Huron in June, 1898.

SON AVENGES HIS MOTHER.

Stabs His Father Because of Fancied Wrongs Done in the Past.

Grand Rapids, April 12.—John Allison, aged about 20 years, heard a few days ago that his mother, who died when he was a boy, had been abused by his father, who is living with his second wife on the shores of Lime lake, in Tyron township. Saturday he purchased a butcher knife and sharpened it to a razor edge. Early Sunday morning he went to his father's house to find out of the story was true. The man was in bed, but when the son asked him to step outside to talk over family matters, he arose and was putting on his clothing when the son stabbed him twice in the left side. The son is in jail and the man is dead.

HORSESHOERS MEET.

Officers Chosen by Their State Association.

Lansing, April 9.—The Michigan Protective Horseshoers' association concluded an important two days' meeting here Thursday afternoon with the election of the following officers: President, Dr. M. J. Dunn, Detroit; vice presidents, H. B. Valheim, Benton Harbor, and Charles Schmidt, Saginaw; secretary and treasurer, Angus McCall, Traverse City; state organizer, Joseph Carr, Saginaw. The next meeting of the state association will be held at Bay City in April, 1898. The order now has 960 members with diplomas as scientific farriers, and there are 28 local associations in the state.

BULLET ENDS HONEYMOON.

Michigan Veteran Kills His Wife and Fatally Wounds Himself.

South Haven, April 9.—Word was received Thursday morning that a veteran named Dickerson, living about three miles out in the country, shot and killed his wife and then shot himself, inflicting probably fatal injuries. Dickerson is known to be a man of ungovernable temper and had driven his first wife from his home with unbearable abuse. He married the woman he killed about three months ago.

Defeated Candidate Will Contest.

Marquette, April 9.—The election of James E. Sherman for mayor of Marquette will be contested by Alfred Des-Jardins, the defeated candidate, who alleges violation of law in the certification of the new nomination to the election commissioners, a disregard of law on the part of commissioners themseleves and charges of bribery at the polls. Proceedings will begin at once by a writ of quo warranto in the supreme court to test the title of the office.

Won't Give Him Up.

New York, April 9.—Gov. Pingree, of Michigan, has decided not to surrender Prosecutor Sampson, of Lenawee county, and has telegraphed his decision to Capt. O'Brien, of the detective office. Sampson is wanted here in connection with the case of Anthony Christensen, the alleged embezzler.

Lightly Punished.

Allegan, April 9.—Joseph S. H. Holmes, the man who killed Bert Johnson at Grand Rapids, pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter and was fined $1,000 in the circuit court here.

Shot at Cabanas Fortress.

Havana, April 13.—Jose Gonzelas Carlos, charged as an insurgent incendiary, was shot at Cabanas fortress.

IN CONGRESS.

Work of Our Lawmakers in the Extra Session.

Matters of Importance Brought Before the Senate and House—Brief Summary of the Daily Proceedings.

Washington, April 8.—The senate yesterday passed a joint resolution appropriating $200,000 to be immediately available for the flood sufferers. Senator Morgan spoke further in support of the resolution declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba, and recognizing both parties as belligerents.

Washington, April 9.—The senate yesterday heard Senator Morgan (Ala.) for the third successive day on his resolution declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba. The bankruptcy bill was further considered. The nomination of Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, to be assistant secretary of the navy, was confirmed.

Washington, April 13.—The senate met at noon yesterday, but adjourned immediately as a mark of respect to the late Senator Voorhees, and that many of the senators might attend the funeral.

Washington, April 14.—Senator Morgan (Ala.) concluded his long speech in the senate yesterday on the resolution declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba, but no action was taken. Senator Pettigrew (S. D.) introduced a bill providing for the creation of 40 new executive departments of the government. The bankruptcy bill was further discussed. Senator Chandler (N. H.) introduced bills empowering the secretary of the navy to take possession of the armor plants of the Bethlehem and the Carnegie companies.

The House.

Washington, April 8.—The house yesterday passed a joint resolution appropriating $200,000 for the relief of the flood sufferers of the Mississippi valley.

Mr. Simpson (Kan.) in a speech denounced Speaker Reed because he had not appointed the committees. Mr. Reed replied that he had enforced what he supposed to be the policy desired by the majority and that the house had power to command the speaker if it disapproved of his course.

Washington, April 12.—In the house on Saturday a short political debate took place over the rules, after which adjournment was taken until the 14th.

CHANGE PLACES.

Hundreds of Convicts in Indiana Prisons Are Transferred.

Michigan City, Ind., April 13.—Probably the largest transfer of prison convicts that ever took place in this country was successfully carried out yesterday. Two hundred and ninety-one prisoners from Michigan City prison were put on a special Monon train and taken to Jeffersonville, while from the latter place 356 prisoners were sent here.

The trains started at nine o'clock. The Monon officials had taken every precaution to insure the safety of the trains. Every foot of track was inspected 15 minutes before the trains passed, and every bridge was carefully examined. Even the switches were spiked, and the trains were given the right of way over everything. No stops were made for crossings, Gov. Mount having given permission for this violation of the state law, and no stops were made except for the purpose of changing engines or taking water.

FIVE LIVES LOST.

Disastrous Result of a Collision at Sea.

Savannah, Ga., April 12.—The Plant steamship La Grande Duchesse, which arrived Saturday night from New York, collided Friday morning at three o'clock with the American barkentine Nellie Smith, bound from Cuba to New York, cutting the barkentine in two. The barkentine sank in five minutes. Capt. Dodge, the first and second mates, and two of the crew of the Nellie Smith were lost. Laurence Haarsen, lookout; Frank Conway, helmsman, and the steward were rescued by boats from the steamer.

National Fisheries Congress.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 14.—Gov. Bloxham has issued a call for a national fisheries congress to assemble at Tampa, Fla., on the 19th day of January, 1898. The national fishery commission of the United States will take a prominent part in the proceedings of this assembly. The governors of the various states of the union and the fishery commissioners of same are requested to appoint delegates to this congress.

A Disastrous Storm.

Hamburg, Ark., April 13.—A tornado struck ten miles west of here Monday, doing great damage on Richardson's plantation. Three houses were blown down and a negro woman fatally injured. Five cows were killed by flying timbers. Miles of fencing were carried away. The wind leveled a vast amount of pine timber along the Ouachita river.

Cannon for Pacific Coast.

Denver, Col., April 13.—A News special from Cheyenne, Wyo., says: Two ten-inch, 110-ton cannons passed through Cheyenne en route for San Francisco, where they will be used to strengthen the coast defenses. The big guns were each mounted on an eight truck steel car and were sent over the Derman hill.

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CLINTON

Leon Clark returned to Albion Monday.

Will Holmes, of Manchester, was in town Monday.

Mrs. E. S. Tate is the possessor of a '97 "Rambler."

Mrs. F. W. Davis was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

Miss Lizzie Sullivan was a Tecumseh visitor Monday.

A. B. VanDeMark was in Adrian on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Platt has been on the sick list for over a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fabrique were Toledo visitor Saturday.

Mrs. James Walker, of Jackson, is visiting Clinton relatives.

W. A. Gosmer was home from Battle Creek the last of the week.

Mrs. J. S. Kies was under the doctor's care the first of the week.

Mr. Reeding, of Toledo, is visiting Frank Kirchgessner and family.

Miss Abbie Chandler was on the sick list the latter part of last week.

Miss Emma Sturm visited Manchester relatives from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. E. S. Tate, Saturday.

Clarence Hause was up from Britton a few days the latter part of last week.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from her school duties at Adrian over Sunday.

Miss Minnie McAdam came home from Manchester Saturday to spend the day.

Mrs. S. Parker went to Hillsdale Tuesday to visit her son Charles and family.

E. G. Cook and Frank Wallinger, of Tecumseh, were in town Saturday afternoon.

Lavern Davis came home from Ypsilanti last Thursday, to spend the Easter vacation.

The new village council Monday night reduced the liquor bonds from $6,000 to $3,000.

G. C. Lowe returned to Hudson last Friday, after spending a few days with Clinton friends.

O. L. Stitt went to Ypsilanti Tuesday, called there by the severe illness of his brother, Mertillo.

Miss Lovina Schreder, of Tecumseh, spent the latter part of last week with Miss Abbie Chandler.

The ladies of St. John's church will hold an Easter supper at town hall next Tuesday, April 20th.

Mrs. Louise Clark was quite seriously ill the latter part of last week, but is now improving rapidly.

There will be 8 o'clock communion service at St. John's church, Sunday, and regular evening service.

Mrs. Orr Kemp came up from Tecumseh Monday for a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Cooley.

W. H. Niblack and family returned from Macon Saturday. Will appears to be quite improved in health.

Edgar Lazerlere returned to his home in Detroit Wednesday morning, after a ten days' visit with Clinton relatives.

George VanGieson went to Jackson Monday expecting to assist relatives there and at Albion also before his return.

The annual parish meeting of St. John's church will be held next Tuesday evening, after a short service at 7:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Carrie Wilson, who has been visiting friends at Greenville and vicinity for the past five weeks, returned home Monday.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Flora Every and Fred Randall, on Wednesday, April 21st, at 7:30 p. m., at the home of the bride's parents, in Bridgewater township.

Dr. E. Newcomb, who for the past few months has been teaching in Oberlin college, arrived in Clinton Monday night, expecting to remain with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark, until the first of May, when she is to return to Tewksbury, Conn., to resume the practice of medicine.

We have to announce the sad death of Mrs. George VanTuyle, which occurred Monday, at 5 p. m., after an illness of only one week. Peritonitis was the cause of her death. She leaves one son, and a husband who is doubly bereaved as they buried their only daughter about six months ago. Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m., at the M. E. church.

Vern Davis and the Misses Minnie and Mae Waterhouse came home from Ypsilanti Thursday night, for a ten days' vacation.

James Egan spent a few days the latter part of last week with Clinton friends. On Monday he took his sister, Cecelia, who has been in poor health for a short time, to Grand Rapids, for medical treatment, hoping she might receive benefit.

F. Walker, formerly employed in the office of the Clinton Local, has opened up a job printing office in connection with L. Gray's barber shop, in the Smith & Huntington block. He is a good, practical man and has many friends who wish him success.

The study of "The Greek Period" was taken up by the University Extention circle Monday evening. Miss Kittie VanTuyle prepared a paper on the "Position and Geography of Greece" which was read by Mrs. J. L. Tuttle. Rev. D. H. Ramsdell compared the ancient religion of Greece with religions of the present age. A. M. Kennedy read an essay on "Olympian Games," stating the peculiar manner in which they were conducted; also their importance in unifying the Greeks. Mrs. L. W. Kimball sang a solo, which was rendered in her usual pleasing way. Miss Nellie Kishpaugh described the ancient "City of Athens," explaining its mode of government and many other interesting facts connected with it. L. W. Kimball gave the history of "Demosthenes;" how he acquired his fame and became the most eloquent and powerful orator in the world. The program committee appointed for the third month's work is as follows: Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, L. W. Kimball and A. M. Kennedy. Critic, Miss Lottie Blanchard.

ONSTED.

Rev. Joy and wife moved to Hillsdale last week.

Bert Kimball, of Adrian, was in town last Friday.

A brand-new 4 pound girl at Chas. Billmeyer's.

Literary exercises at the school house this afternoon.

Quite a call for milch cows around here this spring.

The next township meeting will be held at this place.

F. L. Aldrich spent Sunday with Springville friends.

Mr. Evans has moved onto Mrs. Libbie Taylor's farm.

Mrs. Ed Baker has gone to Ann Arbor for medical treatment.

J. W. Russell is local agent for the Champion Machinery Co.

Martin Milton is employed on the new railroad near Adrian.

J. F. Hallett has his house all inclosed and the interior is being finished.

Mr. Carpenter and mother will work the A. Tavior farm, south of town, this season.

Regular Grange meeting last Saturday evening where the goat was well groomed.

The Women's Missionary social was held at Mrs. S. Morey's on Thursday of last week.

Herman Onsted went to Adrian the other day to seek employment on the Lima Northern.

Last Saturday a bee was held to erect suitable hitching places for teams around the new church.

The Maccabees initiated two candidates at their last meeting and the goat behaved very nicely under the new form.

FRANKLIN.

C. L. Wisner came home from Jackson last week.

A large number of people are down with hard colds.

The sap buckets were taken up before our new winter began.

Mrs. Milton Burns, who has been sojourning in Chicago for a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Gibbs, returned to Tipton last week, accompanied by Mrs. G. who has been very sick.

Cecil Billington, who was home for a few days, after an attack of measles, received orders to report at the office of Evening News last week Wednesday. Although scarcely fit for duty, he went at once.

Mrs. Len Billington has received a letter from her cousin, Mark Joslin, whom old residents of Franklin will remember. He is now in the mountains of northern California prospecting for gold and writes that he has plenty of bear meat in his larder and that deer come to his cabin daily.

In speaking of irrigation, Mr. Wisner, of Nebraska, says: "The people are practicing irrigation largely, but as yet they do not make much more money than other people do, because their expenses are so much heavier; but I never saw such large corn as some of them raised last season, and I also saw hundreds of acres of alfafa off which they cut four crops during the season.

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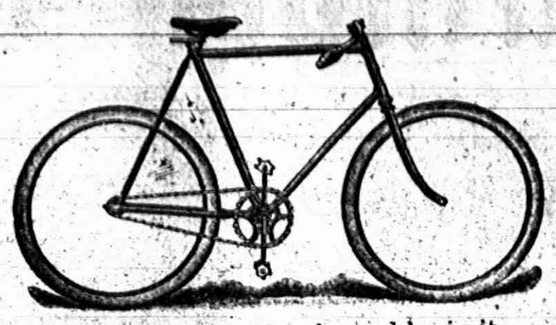

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...de Kniffen may now be found at ...rdson's, having accepted a position ...e for the spring and summer ...ons. The girls will, no doubt, ...re their mothers from much of the ...ping hereafter.

...cle Henry Reynolds had an ex- ...ely bad spell Monday evening and ... it difficult to move about as his ...s are nearly useless. Will Nivison ... him some crutches Tuesday, ...ng they might be of service to him.

...e services Sunday at the Reformed ...ch will be of a joyous nature. Rev. ...Nickerson's sermon in the morn- ...ill be appropriate to Easter. In ...vening a cantata will be given by ...lder members of the Sunday- ...

...Waterman attended the late ...ers' examination at Adrian though ...cessary as his certificate holds good ...wo years yet, but he is progressive ...up-to-date, and if there is anything ... he wants it. He found no diffi- ...y in securing a first grade certificate.

...forts are being put forth for the ...ation of a telephone company to ...ect with the C. T. line at Tecum- ... Considerable interest is manifest- ...nd no doubt it will be a success. ...ainly it would be of great practical ...ft and prove a paying investment.

...ere is an old saying, "Three times ...out." T is, no doubt, will apply to ...on's municipal affairs, as another ...ion is booked for May 3rd. It is ...estly hoped the august body of ...visers have everything arranged ...ding to Hoyle or law and that it ...stand fire, hail and water.

...s rumored that two of our enter- ...ng young townsmen recently made ...p out in the suburbs where land ...d be found suitable for the produc- ... of onions. We understand that ... are seriously contemplating the ...uction of this savory vegetable on ...rge scale. Parties interested in ... enterprise will do well to confer ... Claude or Cyrus as they are well ...ed in their line.

...ursday of last week fifteen or ...nty of the Maccabee ladies, provided ... all things necessary for a grand ...er, called on Mrs. Richard Milson ...xpectedly and a most delightful ...l time followed. When dinner was ...y it required the combined persua- ...powers of all the ladies to secure ...'s presence at the table. Perhaps ... did not make it lively for him. ... think of it! One lone man a target ...wenty women.

... the Christian church next Sunday ...ter services will be held. The pas- ...Rev. C. I. Deyo, will preach morn- ...and evening. Morning topic: "The ...n Christ." The sermon will em- ...e some ideas also on the "Resurrec- ... of Man." Evening topic: "Roll- ...away the Stone," including some ...tical thoughts intended to jostle ... audience out of this monotonous ... The male quartette, composed of ...Dripton, Ernest DuBois, Judd and ...e Kniffen, will sing at the evening ...ice.

RIDGEWAY.

...y Gould, after a two weeks' vaca- ... returned to his college studies, at ...on.

...ss Ella Boyd began her first term ...hool in the Henry district, Macon, ...day.

...tio Woodward, of Lenawee Junc- ...called on Mrs. Graves and family ...day.

...J. and Mrs. Sutton visited S. A. ...r and family, at Toledo, Friday of ...week.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Schroeder, of Clinton, visited his sister, Mrs. W. H. Arner, Saturday.

Glen Underwood has become a citizen of the village, having moved into R. S. Houseman's house.

Dispatcher Frank Allen and family, of Toledo, visited with his parents from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pennington, of Macon, were welcome guests of Daniel Allen and wife, Sunday.

The third quarterly meeting service for the present conference year will be held next Sunday morning.

Mrs. A. Lake and daughter Bessie left Wednesday for an indefinite stay with relatives at Cincinnati.

Mrs. Fredrick Gofton and son, Wendel, of Ypsilanti, are spending the week at her father's, Lester Osgood's.

Cleaning house has been the occupation of industrious and up-to-date housekeepers during the past week.

George Houseman, who is attending Cleary college, at Ypsilanti, came home Friday and is having a tussle with the measles.

Mrs. C. A. Linn, Mrs Burton Nichols and Mrs. George Exelby, of Britton, visited friends in this village Thursday of last week.

Mrs. L. L. McRoberts and son John, of Lansing, arrived Friday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pocklington.

Sunday evening services will begin a half hour later, commencing with next Sunday. Epworth League will meet at 6:30 followed by preaching at 7:30.

Lafe Pocklington and wife were called to Ann Arbor Srturday by the death of Mrs. P's brother, Henry Luce, who has been a great sufferer for several weeks.

A. J. Sutton is agent for the Falcon wheel, manufactured by the Yost company. A sample of both ladies' and gents' wheels can be found at his residence.

Addie Sherman, who has been very sick with rheumatism for the past two weeks, has recovered so she began her spring term of school in the Witt district, Monday.

The Easter exercises have been postponed one week and will be held one week from next Sunday evening. An appropriate program is being prepared for the occasion.

The last number on the star course—the Boston Ideal Club—will be at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, next week Saturday evening. Single admission 50 cents; reserved seats without extra cost.

Rev. and Mrs. Cansfield, son and daughter, and Rev. and Mrs. Stansfield were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Baldwin, at Addison, Thursday and Friday of last week. Rev. Stansfield gave his grand lecture "The Hero of Babylon" in the M. E. church at Addison Thursday evening.

Lillian M. Dersham, who has been been conducting a dressmaking department at the home of Mrs. W. H. Arner for the past two and a half years, closed her engagements here last week and returned to her home at Lenawee Junction Thursday. Miss Dersham during her stay here has won a large circle of friends, who, while they deeply regret to have her leave, feel that her christian character and ladylike manners have left an influence that will accompany them through life. Only words of commendation are heard on every side, while "welcome" will be the greeting that will meet her whenever she returns to visit her friends.

Miss Mary Lamburson was born at Camillus, N. Y., December 28, 1820. She lived with her aunt, Catherine Stephens until fourteen years of age when she came to Tecumseh. After moving to Ridgeway, she lived with her father until her marriage to Justice Lowe, July 16, 1837, Rev. Cole, of the Episcopal church, Tecumseh, performing the ceremony. To them were born nine children, four of whom, with their father, having crossed the stream of death:—J. W. Lowe died in 1866 in the West Indies; Mrs. Ella C. Henry in Lowville, N. Y., March 3rd, 1881; Miss Amy Lowe at her father's home March 23rd, 1881; and Jay Lowe at his home in Ridgeway May 8th, 1881. Justice Lowe died at his home in the English settlement January 5th, 1895. Those left to mourn the loss of a mother, are C. L. Lowe of this village; Mrs. Della McIntyre, of Holloway; Mrs. May Bell DePuy of Saline; Logier Lowe, of West Plains, Mo.; and E. L. Lowe, who resides on the old homestead. In 1839, Mrs. Lowe with fifteen others of the English settlement joined the M. E. church at Ridgeway and she is the last one of the class to be called to join those gone before.

Card of Thanks.

We desire through the HERALD to express our gratitude to our neighbors and friends who lent such valuable assistance during the sickness and death of our dear mother; also to the choir for their appropriate selections at the funeral services.

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HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. A. H. Kelley is reported no better at this writing.

Miss Fannie Kelley spent a few days at Adrian last week.

Osgood Hive, No. 285, will meet tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

Mrs. George McClenathan spent last week with her sister, near Fairfield.

Aunt Harriet Adams, of Detroit, is the guest of Conrad Atwell and family.

Miss Maude Munch resumed her school duties in Ridgeway township Monday.

Miss Jane Farlin, whose home was about three miles southwest of this place, died the 5th inst. and was buried the 7th.

Miss Maggie Moore is still seriously ill.

Mrs. Charles Rothfuss and children visited her parents at Blissfield over Sunday.

Miss Hollie Benedict, of Detroit, has been visiting her cousins, Raynor and Leon Benedict.

A. D. Macham and family attended the funeral of Thomas Macham's little girl, at Deerfield, Saturday.

Mrs. D. P. Anthony, of Tecumseh, spent a couple of days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Nixon.

Mrs. Milo West and daughter Ethel, of Grand Rapids, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Islay a few days this week.

The sad intelligence was received Monday of the critical condition of George Kelley, at Duluth. His father, A. H. Kelley, started for that place Monday.

We were disappointed Friday evening when Miss Ferries did not come to lecture, but Rev. B. Winget, of Chicago, delivered a very able missionary lecture, which was listened to with great interest.

The ladies are respectfully invited to call at the rooms of E. H. Fish on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 22nd, 23rd and 24th insts., to see a full line of stylish millinery. Orders promptly trimmed.

MACON.

Lester Coller is no better at this writing.

Otto Burleson returned from Detroit Monday.

Miss Maude Howell is home from Ypsilanti.

Mrs William Harring spent last week with Ann Arbor friends.

The furniture belonging to the Baptist church was sold at auction Saturday.

Milton Augustus and family, of Ypsilanti, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Irene Avery, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of Miss Maude Howell over Sunday.

George Harmon, of Bedford, was in Macon on business a number of days last week.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening. April 18th, is "The Adder and the Cup." Leader, Mabel Pennington.

John Frost and wife have moved to the "corners" and will live with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marshall.

Married, Wendesday evening, April 7th, 1897, at the M. E. parsonage, in Clinton, by Rev. D. H. Ramsdell, Mr. James Burdett and Miss Sadie Jackson.

CONE.

Miss Tressie Caswell is on the sick list.

Michael St. George moved his family to Tecumseh this week.

J. C. Cone was in Toledo last Thursday and Friday on business.

Fred and Lant Auten were Toledo visitors the first of the week.

Elwood Dennison visited his father in Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Logan spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends at Deerfield.

David Howell, of Lansing, was the guest of his son, Dr. M. Howell, Monday.

Miss Susie Reeves went to Detroit last Saturday for an indefinite stay with friends.

Miss Anna Curry is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. James Kinck, at Britton.

Schuyler McFall, of Whittaker, visited his daughter, Mrs. Harry Wilcox, several days last week.

Mrs. Laura Auten and daughter, Elva, of Auburndale, O., is visiting friends here this week.

Walter Caswell and Miss Grace Barr visited the latter's parents in Raisinville Saturday and Sunday.

About forty young people of this place surprised Charlie Dennison last Thursday evening, it being his 23rd birthday. A good time is reported by all.

LAKE RIDGE.

Fred Lewis, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with his parents.

Will East, of Tuscola county, is visiting his mother and brothers.

Mrs. East, who was reported very ill last week, remains about the same.

Arthur Martin, of Leslie, has returned home to assist his father on the farm.

Miss Ella Boyd, of Ridgeway, has commenced the spring term of school in the Henry district.

James Murphy, of Cleary's College, is home to spend the week and recruit from his recent sickness.

Rev. Nickerson, of Britton, will give a "chalk talk" Saturday evening, assisted by the Lake Ridge Sunday-school.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Elm buds are just beginning to show.

Cecil Billington returned to Detroit last Thursday.

Mrs. Stevens is on the sick list, being afflicted with rheumatism.

Lovisa Fisher came home from Ypsilanti last Friday to spend the spring vacation.

Mrs. Bunting returned home Tuesday from a two weeks' visit with her son, Fred, and other relatives in Shiawassee county.

Mrs. Pawson had a letter from her son Wesley a few days ago. He has bought a farm near Rose City, Ogemaw county, and says they are well and doing well considering the times.

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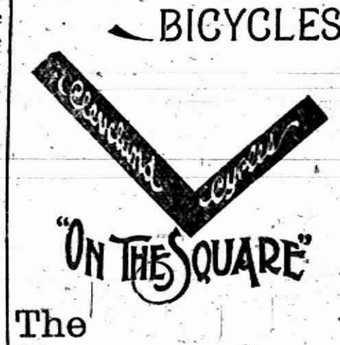

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 16, 1897.

The Anderson Bicycle bill passed the lower house of the state legislature Wednesday, but with the clause attached that railroad companies should not be responsible for damages to wheels except through carelessness of employees. The amendment will amount to nothing, as the supreme court will decide, in this case as in many others, that a railroad company is liable for the safe delivery of whatever it carries. It is to be hoped that the bill will soon become a law; in fact it will be only a matter of a few months when all the state legislatures will take action in this matter.

Tecumseh Star Course.

The last entertainment of the season will be The Boston Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club, and Charles T. Grilley, the celebrated reciter, at Sutton's opera house, Saturday evening, April 24th.

A special effort is made by lecture course committees to secure the best and highest priced concert companies for opening each course. It has been so in Tecumseh, and the committee have endeavored to have all entertainments of the best offered. And this season they have also secured for the closing entertainment, a company of artists superior in recommendation to any stringed instrument company that has appeared here. In addition to their instrumental work, their quartette singing with accompaniment by banjos and guitars is a special feature of their entertainment. Mr. Grilley, who is to appear with the company, is an exceptionally clever artist.

Remember the day and date and don't fail to secure tickets for this entertainment. Ticket holders are requested to be in their seats not later than 7:45 as the concert will commence at 8 o'clock sharp, city time.

THE HUMAN FORM.

How to Preserve its Symmetry--Plenty of Exercise of the Right Kind.

New York Ledger.

There are a number of disadvantages which befall her who loses in middle life the lithe, agile, symmetrical figure of early womanhood. One of these is very patent to the eye of the observer, who sees a curve in the wrong place as the eye follows what should be a straight line from the bust to the floor. But greater than the consciousness of visible loss in symmetry is the growing sense of clumsiness and helplessness that creeps over one as the accumulation of adispose instead of being uniformly distributed over the body, piles up in the abdomen. The center of gravity is thrown from its normal position. Lightness on the feet becomes a thing of the past, and an inertness and disinclination to moving about increases constantly, and makes the trouble grow by what it feeds upon. The remedy for this state of things is within the reach of every one who has time and resolution to spend ten or fifteen minutes every day in certain exercises which will be given in detail, and which require absolutely nothing else but time and persistence.

The best time for taking these exercises is in the morning, immediately after leaving one's bed, and before any garments that compress the figure in any way are put on. The air of the room should be pure and sweet, so that the lungs may be benefited no less than the abdominal muscles and the blood be purified.

1. Draw in the abdomen as far as possible, fill the lungs with air, and then raise the arms above the head till the hands meet, without moving or bending the knees; bend the body as far back as possible, and then, allowing the air to escape from the lungs gradually, bend the body as far forward as possible until the hands approach the floor. Repeat this ten times, following exactly the directions for breathing.

2. Place the hands upon the hips, akimbo, draw air into the lungs as before, and bend forward, first to the right as far as possible, allowing the air to escape from the lungs, and then, after filling the lungs again, to the left. Repeat this exercise ten times.

3. Place the hands lightly on the breast, draw in the abdomen, fill the lungs, and turn the head and body without moving the knees or feet, as far, first to the right, and, after filling the lungs again, to the left, as possible. Repeat this ten times.

4. With the arms at the side, draw in the abdomen, fill the lungs with air and raise the arms to their height above the head, keeping the lungs fully expanded, then, breathing out, allow the arms to fall slowly to the side again. Repeat this ten times.

These exercises strengthen all the muscles of the abdomen and cause them a gradual contraction, which, as it increases, restores symmetry of form, restores the center of gravity to its proper position and gives the exerciser a command of herself in movement that is very delightful.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL ROOM, April 12th, 1897.

Present—The President, Clerk, trustees Lowry, Wright, Heesen, Orr, Eldridge and Heesen.

Minutes of last session read and approved.

REPORT OF OFFICERS.

Sexton's report for March presented; same showed 7 adult and 1 infant interment. Collected as interment fee and two lots sold for $35 and produced treasurer's receipt for same. Approved and ordered placed on file.

Street commissioner's report from March 30 to April 5: Village team labor 6 days, hired team labor 6 days; poll tax worked $1.35. Approved and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Moved that trustee Wright be elected President of council pro tem for ensuing year. Carried.

The bond of Frank D. Avery as village treasurer for ensuing year, in the penal sum of $8,000, with Lucius Lilley, J. S. Strong, A. L. Brewer and L. I. Bidwell as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond be accepted and placed on file and sureties approved. Carried.

The bond of James H. Elliott as village clerk in the sum of $1,000, with James Lowry and Thomas Elliott as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond be accepted and placed on file and sureties approved. Carried.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to finance committee: Alva Waring, team labor, $15; F. W. Samsen, publishing council proceedings and village election tickets, $23.75; J. Davidson, assessor, $17.25; Tecumseh Electric Co., $216.67. Water works—C. A. Slayton $15.10; A. Parks $4.80. Finance committee reported favorably on all above bills. Clerk was instructed to draw his order on the treasurer for the same.

Moved that the penalty of the bonds of saloonists be the same as last year—$3,500. Carried.

Moved that the penalty of the bonds of druggists be $2,000 for ensuing year. Carried.

Thereupon the President appointed Geo. Heesen and Geo. W. Frazer members board of review for 1897.

The following committees were then appointed by the President for year ending March 9, 1898:

Finance—Wright, Lowry, Orr.
Streets—Heesen, Orr, Eldridge.
Public Bldgs—Lowry, Orr, J. Heesen
Fire and Fire Limits—J. Heesen, Lowry, Eldridge.
Public Health— Wright, J. Heesen, Orr.
Ordinances—Elliott, Wright, Heesen.

Moved that S. P. Hosmer be appointed member board water commissioners for three years. Carried.

The President thereupon made the following appointments for the ensuing year:

Marshal—H. W. Stevens.
Street Commissioner—Albert Hyde.
Sexton—W. C. Jordan.
Teamster—Levi B. Thompson.

Moved that the appointment of Henry W. Stevens as marshal be confirmed. The motion was put to a yea and nay vote, which resulted in a tie, Marshal Bidwell to hold over until his successor be elected.

Moved that the appointment of Albert Hyde as street commissioner be confirmed. Carried.

Moved that the appointment of W. C. Jordan as sexton be confirmed. Carried

Moved that the appointment of Levi B. Thompson as teamster be confirmed. Carried.

Moved that a committee be appointed with the President as chairman, to be known as committee on Electric Lighting. Carried.

The President named as said members, James Lowry and John J. Orr.

F. O. Tefft was elected health physician and C. A. Wright purchasing agent for ensuing year.

Moved that the salary of village marshal be placed at the sum of $150, which shall be in full payment for all services performed by him. Carried.

Moved that teamster's salary for ensuing year be $30 per month. Carried.

Moved that sexton's salary for ensuing year be $300. Carried.

Moved that the sum of $200 be appropriated to pay the village portion of salary of night watchman for ensuing year. Carried.

Moved that health officer's salary for ensuing year be $35. Carried.

Moved and supported that an ordinance be drawn relative to births and deaths. Carried.

Village treasurer reported that the funds of the village were nearly exhausted, there being only $174.26 on hand.

Moved that a committee, consisting of the President and chairman of financial committee negotiate a loan of $880, to be distributed to the various funds of the village to defray expenses until collection of village taxes for 1897: Yeas: Wright, Lowry, Heesen, Orr, Eldridge, Heesen; nays, none.

Moved that Chas. Eldredge be appointed a member of board of cemetery trustees for one year. Carried.

Moved that Henry Heesen be appointed a member of board of cemetery trustees for three years to fill vacancy made by removal of Dan. T. Hall from village of Tecumseh. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

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GOLDEN WEDDING.

Fifty Years of Wedded Life.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Benedict, corner Pearl and Logan streets, contained a large number of invited guests Wednesday, April 14th, to assist them in celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage which took place in Steuben county, New York, April 14th, 1847. They came to Michigan five years later and settled on a farm in Raisin where they resided twelve years, and then moved into the township of Tecumseh where they remained until they came into town a few years since.

The invitations bearing a monogram of the letters B and W (her maiden name being Wolcott), were printed in gold and read, "From 2 to 5 or 7 to 9 p. m."

One hundred and fifty were present during the afternoon and evening, all of whom signed the "roll of honor." Among those present were three who witnessed their marriage, viz., Isaac Wolcott and Mrs. D. B. Garlinghouse, brother and sister of the bride, and Mrs. John Garlinghouse, the only sister of the groom. Four children were born to them, three sons and a daughter, all of whom were present with their families as follows. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Benedict, Tecumseh; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Benedict and sons, Raynor and Leon, Holloway; Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Benedict and daughter Hollie, Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Dance, Detroit.

Time has dealt very leniently with Mr. and Mrs. Benedict for they are a youthful looking couple for their years, and, save an infant grandson, death has not invaded the family circle in all these years.

The guests were nearly all old neighbors and friends as but two from away were present: Miss S. Ethelwyn Dance, Detroit; and Miss Olive Benedict, Ypsilanti; although they received many regrets and congratulations from Eastern friends.

The rooms were tastefully decorated, the parlor in white and green and dining room in yellow, white and green. The southeast corner of the parlor, where Mr. and Mrs. Benedict, supported by Mr. and Mrs. Jebiel Bramble (the ladies having been close friends since childhood), received their guests, was adorned with Easter lillies and smilax. Over the sofa was suspended by a lover's knot a picture of the family taken when the children were small.

Notwithstanding the invitations said, "No presents," they were recipients of many pieces of delicate china as well as gold spoons and other tokens of esteem. The children's gift to their mother was a brooch, to their father a fine charm, (a locket,) monogramed and containing pictures of father and mother. Great quantities of beautiful roses, Easter lillies, narcissus and other flowers came from abroad.

The dinner was a duplicate as near as possible of that of fifty years ago and in the evening delicate refreshments were served, Mrs. F. H. Benedict, Mrs. Dance and Miss Dance serving them. The lights were candles made by Mrs. John Garlinghouse for the occasion in old-fashioned candle sticks. The souvenirs to the guests were heart-shaped, hand painted in gold, containing bust photographs of the venerable couple. Everything was arranged with skill and taste and the occasion will be treasured in the memory of all who were present.

Wednesday forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Benedict with their children and grandchildren, thirteen in all, were photographed by Teeple.

High School Happenings.

C. F. Field called on several of the high school rooms Tuesday.

Florence Jenkins and Helen Temple were absent Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Gallatin is back in her place this week after a two weeks' siege with quinsy.

English IV have finished their year's work and will take their final examination Monday.

Miss Blanche Roberts, of Clinton, visited the ninth grade Thursday, the guest of her sister, Bertha.

Quite a number of the boys were sporting fans yesterday. We are glad to observe that spring weather is appreciated at last.

The ladies of the Research Circle, who have secured Leigh Lynch for an illustrated lecture, will furnish the high school scholars with admission tickets for 10 cents.

Mr. Kellogg called a meeting of the Seniors in the office Monday and informed that delighted body of students that after that day they could have their afternoons, which means that two or three will have the last three class hours while most of them will remain till 3:15.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Rose Abbot, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Alva Spayde in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1897, and on the 15th day of November, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 12th day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 13th, 1897.

B. T. GARLINGHOUSE,
ALVA SPAYDE,
Commissioners.

When . .

you have a watch, clock, piece of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

Fred P. Kennedy's

jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Offie, and get a first class job done. My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised

Full Length Well Matched With Border and Ceiling

3 cts. Per Roll.

Wall Paper

Gilt Paper 5 cts. a Roll and upwards.

C. A. Wright.

Thos. Adamson.

is in Chicago buying novelties for the spring trade

Watch for a new display next week.

You

can now get the **Best Laundry Work** at the

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

All work called for and delivered.

The New Jewelry Store of E. J. Peters,

is now open to the public. A portion of the stock is in place. New goods are arriving daily and the

Formal Opening.

will occur

Saturday, April 24,

on which occasion every lady visitor will receive a souvenir.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring.

I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair.

Quicker and Cheaper,

than anybody.

Call and see me.

Will Grey.

4 blocks west Co. C. Armory

The Lima Northern R. R.

is coming to Tecumseh and we are here with the finest of Mens' Boys' and Childrens' clothing ever shown Tecumseh.

PLAIDS AND INVISIBLE PLAIDS, ARE THE PROPER THINGS,

and we have them.

All Wool Mens' Suits $6.00 Up.

All Wool 18 oz. Clay Worsted suits $ Up.

The very latest things in

Hats
Caps
Ties
Negligee and Fancy Shirts.

on display. Remember our prices are the lowest in Lenawee County. Very respectfully,

McCANN BROS

The One Price Clothiers.

It will be to the advantage of **FARMERS**

to do business with our grocery wagon which is on the r daily filled with the best and freshest of everything usu kept in a first-class grocery store. To a limit cash will paid wholly for produce. We will buy butter eggs and g eral produce,

Pay The Highest Market Price,

and will sell groceries as cheap as any store in this pa the country.

Everything Sold is Guaranteed.

to be as represented. Our rig is a covered wagon drawn a grey team.

Licensed Wagon. **Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co**

We have a very large stock of

CELEBRATED JEWEL GASOLINE STOVES

All with Blue Flame Lighting Attacthment. Call and see them.

D. L. Whitenack & C

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 16, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE

Mount Vernon—	$2.25 per Thousand
Haverland—	2.75 " "
Mitchell's Early—	2.50 " "
Warfield's—	2.00 " "
Crescent—	2.00 " "
Captain Jacks—	2.25 " "
Cyclone—	2.50 " "
Kansas—	2.50 " "
Lovett—	2.75 " "
Meek's Early—	2.50 " "
Princess—	3.00 " "
Beder Wood—	2.75 " "
James Vick's—	3.00 " "
Bubach—	2.75 " "
Parker Earl—	3.00 " "

Also a fine quality of Raspberries at 50 cents per hundred.

ROBERT SMITH,
Newburgh, Mich.

PLANTS FOR SALE. I have for sale 18 choice varieties of strawberry plants and 11 varieties of raspberries; also a few bushels of the following choice new varieties of seed potatoes: Early Michigan, Early Fortune, Carman No. 1, Carman No. 3 and Livingston's Banner. No. 1. I have a few pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte Cockerels for sale, and eggs in season. For further particulars enquire at or address

O. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich.

WANTED—To buy a small house and lot. Must be cheap and near business center. Inquire at the HERALD office.

CHOICE SEED POTATOES.—For sale cheap, Early Ohio, Early Rose, Beauties of Hebron, Early Everitt, Early Norther, Maggie Murphy, and Sir William. These potatoes are grown expressly for seed, are very smooth and have been kept in special storage free from scab. Call and see them before planting. A quantity of 7x9 and 8x10 sash for sale cheap.

ABNER WILSON.

TO LOAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Address Lock Box 188, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

EGGS FOR SALE.—Pure blood White Plymouth Rock Eggs, 25 cents per 13. Inquire or address MRS. W. J. WALDRON,
Tecumseh, Mich.
1mo

FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done at G. W. Bly's, second house west of Abner Wilson's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

FOR SALE.—Choice Strawberry Plants. 1½ miles north of Tecumseh on the Newburg road. 2wk JOHN P. SCHREDER.

AMBOIS, JR.,—Foaled July 5, 1884; got by Ambois, dapple grey, foaled 1876, imported 1881, recorded 1282-B29; dam got by Durand, 2nd dam by Bashaw. Young Ambois was raised by S. L. Wheeler, of York. He is ¾ Percheron, light grey, white mane and tail, stands 16 hands high, weight 1456. He is of heavy limb and bone and is a horse of extra action in every respect. $8 a living colt or no pay. Owned by

CHESTER BROUNSON,
Three blocks north of Steam Mills.

FOUND.—Friday last, a pair of spectacles. Owner can have the same by calling at S. W. Anderson's store, proving property and paying for this notice.

FOR SALE.—One yearling Jersey bull. Price reasonable. F. N. BOWEN.

WANTED.—Washing and ironing to do at home. MRS. BARTHOLOMEW.
Near the Creamery.

FOR RENT.—House with well, cistern, cellar, wood-house and garden, $1.00 per week; also one large sign for sale cheap.

A. W. SLAYTON.

Horatio Keyser was calling on Clinton friends.

Parrish wants to see you at Baker & Hall's old stand.

Miss Adah Ames was the guest of Clinton friends Wednesday.

Mrs. H. M. Moore, of Adrian, visited R. G. Gee's family over Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Everett, of Chicago, is visiting Mrs. Ives Kennedy this week.

For good Carpets cheap call on us.

ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

We understand there will be a large amount of cement walk laid here this season.

Take your watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles to Fred P. Kennedy's for repairs.

Teeple's photographic work is first-class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

Fay Anderson is recovering from rheumatism and was out for the first time yesterday.

A. M. Lamb and family now occupy one section of the Branagan house on Cummins street.

Geo. Burroughs and wife have moved from the VanTyne house to Wm. Gray's on Logan street.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman McKinney, of Detroit, are guests of relatives in Tecumseh this week.

Paints, oils, wall paper, school books, stationary, perfume, window shades—full line at Parrish's.

Mrs. H. M. Ide and daughter, of Detroit, have visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ide this last week,

C. E. Burns and family now occupy the brick house owned by P. Keyser, corner of Logan street and Maiden Lane.

D. F. Westgate and family have moved from Harvey Wood's house on Railroad street to rooms over the laundry.

E. J. Peter's family and household goods have arrived from Athens and soon will be nicely settled in Lawrence VanTyne's house on Shawnee street.

B. J. Abbott, of Weston, Mich., is now employed by Dickinson Bros. Mr. Abbott fully understands the meat business and is a valuable addition to their force.

The Misses Linda Hall, Gertrude Howell and Grace Gillespie, students of the Normal, are spending the week at home, the school having closed for one week's vacation.

S. W. Anderson's residence on Chicago street has been newly decorated, the hot water apparatus repaired and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will soon occupy their own home again,

At the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Adelia Jones.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. A. B. Smith.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Robbins.
3rd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Coddington.
4th Vice Pres.—Mrs. M. C. Wood.
Recording Sec.—Mrs. G. W. Jackson.
Corresponding Sec.—Mrs. Hamilton.
Superintendents of departments—Evangelistic, Miss Alvira Taylor; franchise, Mrs. N. Fowler; social purity, Mrs. Jones; scientific temperance instruction, Mrs. A. B. Smith; flower mission, Mrs. Sutton; railroad, Mrs. Robbins.

Photographic buttons, the latest novelty at Teeple's.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends at Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. W. H. Wiggins and daughter, of Adrian, spent yesterday with her father, A. D. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Kent rejoice in a young daughter born to them Friday night last.

There will be a children's Easter service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30.

Karner Bros. have something important to say about plow shoes in their "ad" on the first page.

Wm. Askin and assistants expect to begin laying cement walks next week, if the weather will permit.

A special meeting of the Monday club is called for Wednesday April 21st, at 2:30, at Mrs. C. A. Wright's.

You can get first-class watch, clock and jewelry repairing done at Fred P. Kennedy's jewelry store, U. S. express office.

At F. J. Temple's, Harry and the baby have scarlet fever but in a mild form. They are doing nicely.

Miss Anna Bauer returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit with J. K. Waldron's family, north of town.

Will J. Ingersoll, who has been quite sick the past week, is slowly improving and able to be up part of the time.

A new stock of Wall Paper at the old drug store of Baker & Hall, now running and fully equipped by S. E. Parrish.

Mrs. Thomas Hanly returned yesterday from Greenville, where she had been attending a very enthusiastic W. R. C. convention.

When you are looking for genuine bargains in Crockery, China and Glassware, be sure and call at Tansley's new store, Heesen Block.

Miss Luella Powell officiated as bridesmaid at the wedding of her cousin, Miss May E. Jones, at Adrian, Wednesday, at 10:30 a. m.

Fay Anderson has a fine Ben Hur bike and Mrs. John Vedder and Perry VanValkenburg Westminsters, purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

The Easter supper to be given by the ladies of St. John's church, Clinton, will be Wednesday evening instead of Tuesday, as was first announced.

McNeil & Packard are prepared to do the best work in the line of papering and painting. Prices very reasonable. Leave orders at Montague's novelty store.

Harris & Hiteshu are getting ready for Easter and have a most complete line of everything in the line of novelties. You will be surprised at the variety of stock and lowness of prices.

Something new.—Don't fail to see the great picture—twenty feet square—gathered from the four corners of the earth by the noted traveler, Leigh Lynch.

L. M. Lovett, who from 1871 to 1874 inclusive was clerk for Moses Wright, was renewing old acquaintances yesterday. He resides at Oak Park, Ill., and travels for a drug house.

John D. Shull has received the appointment of postmaster at Tecumseh and will take possession of the office as soon as Postmaster Kyle's time expires. Than John D. Shull no man in Tecumseh would make a better postmaster and the HERALD congratulates both Mr. Shull and the people.

"Doc" Smith has received the appointment of postmaster for the city of Adrian. This is one instance where politics rewarded the right man. He has worked all his life for the republican party in Lenawee county and deserves the appointment; besides "Doc" is a good fellow and will make a good public servant.

G. W. Deaton, of Jackson, a representative of the Deering harvester, who has been stopping at the Central House this week, secured the silver water pitcher given by the Indian Medicine company Wednesday night, as a ticket bearing his signiture was the one drawn by Leo Jones, who was blindfolded.

The "bicycle livery" is the style of flam which occupies the west store of the Mills block. E. M. Stoffiet, the proprietor, informs the HERALD that he proposes to rent bicycles, do a general repairing business, and keep a full line of bicycle supplies and sundries. Such an establishment should receive good patronage in Tecumseh.

The ladies of the Research Circle are pleased to announce to the public that a fine and instructive lecture will be given sometime during the latter part of April, by Mr. Leigh Lynch, whose extended opportunities have enabled him to bring to you many sights from distant lands. It is said that "it is a liberal education in geography just to hear him tell of his travels." Look out for the date and particulars next week.

Monday morning, Mr. J. R. Wood, with a large force of men, began work on the grade for the new railroad. They began operations on George Tilton's land and fifteen teams with about as many extra men have done great excavating for the time occupied. The scene has been visited daily by many of our citizens eager to see the modus operandi and note the many improvements in tools used and methods employed.

Services in St. Peter's church on Good Friday and Easter Sunday will be as follows:—Good Friday, 10 a. m.; Easter Sunday, morning prayer at 6 a. m.; Holy Eucharist at 10:30 a. m. and childrens service at 3:30 p. m. The offertory on Good Friday will be given for christian work among the Jews. A large Easter offertory is asked, that the balance of the mission pledge may be paid after the lenten expenses are settled. The children will bring their mite boxes to the afternoon meeting. The annual parish meeting will be held on Easter Monday evening at 8 evening prayer at 7 o'clock.

Clyde Heck is reported much better this morning.

Window Curtains at Parrish's drug store, Baker & Hall's old stand.

Russell & Garlinghouse Bros. shipped a double deck of hogs yesterday.

Muslin and Summer Underwear to fit and please all. Anderson & Rosacrans.

D. T. Hall will serve on the jury at Adrian for the April term of circuit court.

Miss Gertrude Bray, of Adrian, was the guest of Mrs. W. W. Whiting, Wednesday.

Milborn Keyser is selling quantities of artichokes, a rare vegetable in this section.

Charlie Cummins, of Detroit, was shaking hands with old friends here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shurtz are entertaining Mrs. Jennie Lynn and son Carl, of Rea, this week.

J. H. Smith returned from Detroit yesterday. He has been there on business for several days.

Special Easter music at the Baptist church next Sunday. "Resurrection" thoughts by the pastor.

David Patterson, who worked in this office for quite a time, died in Mt. Pleasant last week Monday.

Choice field oats for seed at Mobbs & Co's.

B. Hurry and family are expected over from Ann Arbor tomorrow, to spend Easter with friends here.

"Vet" Erskine's little daughters, Gracie and Lotie, are happy over the possession of a new Sterling piano.

Mobbs & Co. have a slick delivery team, having traded their gray with L. E. Hause, of Britton, for the span.

Miss Mary Lowry entertained in a delightful manner about fifteen of her young friends at her home Tuesday evening.

Special musical service Sunday morning at 10:30 in the Universalist church. Young people's Easter concert Sunday evening.

Mrs. Henry Halleck, who is a victim of dropsy, was very low Wednesday night. There is but little hope of her recovery.

If you have an idea of buying a wheel this season, consult L. C. Hayden. He has the agency for National, Clipper and Belle wheels.

Mr. Balus, of the Blissfield elevator firm, was in Tecumseh Wednesday, and has quite an idea of forming a company to build an elevator here.

A new invoice of Dress Goods, Ready Made Skirts, Spring Capes, etc., cheaper than ever, at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. Bice and her committee will serve supper in the parlors of the M. E. church Wednesday Apail 21st, from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

A Post-Lenten hop will be given at the armory next Wednesday evening. Good music and a good time. Probably this will be the last dance of the season.

John C. Schreder had the misfortune to in some way drive a drag tooth into his thigh yesterday, making an ugly wound which it is hoped may not prove serious.

Mrs. Nesmith, of Boston, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fred Burger. Mrs. Burger recently sold her farm in Macon and now resides in the Morse house, in Tecumseh.

Reduced rate excursion tickets to New York City and return over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. April 23 to 26 inclusive; good until May 4 to leave that city.

By turning to the council proceedings in another column you will find the appointments and different committees presented to the council Monday evening by President Williamson.

Leigh Lynch, who lectures here with his stereopticon in the latter part of April, has crossed the Pacific Ocean fourteen times and the Atlantic twice. He shows 75 views, each 20 feet square, of the strange sights among the Pacific islands.

The Freese Whittlesey Co., Clinton, have just received a case of 44 inch, all-wool serges which they offer to close out at 33c. Regular price 40c. All colors. They won't last long.

Married, last evening at 8:30 Mr. Geo. Rubadeau and Miss Nettie Cannon. The friends of the contracting parties have the heartiest congratulations for their happiness and feel they are well suited each to the other. Both of them during their residence here have made a large circle of warm friends.

The ladies of the "Research Circle" are about to bring to Tecumseh a stereopticon lecture by the noted traveler, Leigh Lynch, who was special commissioner for the World's Fair to hunt freaks for the Midway. He will lecture on the story of his search. The ladies especially compliment every student in the high school with a ticket at ten cents, that all may accept the chance of hearing this educational lecture.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
A large polished Stand, 1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
A polished oak Dinner Set, 7.00
A Sewing Rocker, 1.00
A large Arm Rocker, 2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker, 3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk, 2.50
Our Couches are beauties at 10.00
A large line of Window shades at 25c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.

WHEELER & SISSON.

"Knights of Columbus" march two-step, by Geo. H. Fischer, is an excellent piece for the pianoforte. It is written in six-eight time, and contains a melody that is attractive and pleasing to the ear. It has also the right swing for the two-step dance. Published by J. Fischer & Bro., No. 7 Bible House, New York. Price, 50 cents.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teenle's

Saturday, Easter cards free at Parrish's new drug store.

Chas. M. Cone, of Adrian, was a Tecumseh visitor yesterday.

Clem Hardenburgh and Harry Chilson were in Toledo Monday and Tuesday.

Frank Wallinger made a trip to Lima, O., Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Mrs. H. E. Stout and Charlie went to Battle Creek Wednesday for a two week's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Weeden.

There will be a "Sunrise" service at the Methodist church next Sunday morning, conducted by the Epworth League.

John Middlebrook, who has been working at Kenton, O., came home the last of the week for a short visit with friends here.

Mrs. S. E. Pulver, of Ypsilanti, made her son Ben a flying visit this week. She came Tuesday morning and left Wednesday morning.

Thos. McCann underwent the operation of having a tumor removed from his arm this week. Drs. Tefft and Catlin performing the operation.

Ora McBride and family have changed locations and may now be found nicely quartered in Mrs. Coryell's house, corner Pearl and Kilbuck streets.

Have you seen those beautiful Spring Shoes just received? All the new Shoes and best makes at prices so low every one can have them.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Dr. O. Q. Jones has returned from Brooklyn, Mich., where he has been since March 23, attending his father who has been ill with pneumonia.

The Detroit occulist, M. F. Stein, will be at the Lilley House, Monday, April 19, and continue during the week. Read his announcement on another page.

Mrs. George Melody, who has been caring for her aged parents at Burlington, Mich., for several weeks, returned home last week, they having improved very materially in health.

W. W. Whiting will move into the Patterson house, occupying the rooms formerly used by Thomas Adamson. Mr. Adamson will occupy rooms over his store on Chicago street.

Rev. Walter S. Aldrich announces the subject of his discourse at the Friends' church next Sunday evening to be "Social Amusements." All invited to attend, especially young people.

Geo. H. Tansley has the finest and only exclusive Crockery and China store in Southern Michigan. He has all the latest novelties, both foreign and domestic, and certainly can give you the lowest prices. Call and see him.

Mrs. James Glasgow met with a most unfortunate accident Wednesday that will confine her to the bed for weeks at least. She was arranging a clothes line preparatory to hanging out clothes and while standing in a chair the rope slipped off a nail causing her to lose her balance and she fell to the ground, breaking her hip. Dr. North, assisted by Dr. Howell made her as comfortable as possible. She has the sympathy of the entire community.

Mrs. Agnes Montgomery and daughter, Florence, left for Denver, Colorado, Monday morning. They go in quest of improved health for Miss Florence, the physicians thinking the change of climate necessary. For some time, at least, their home will be in the West and although their going causes only regret from the many friends of both mother and daughter, God-speed precedes them on their journey and the good wishes of all go with them.

Monday afternoon as Mrs. Samuel Haight and daughter Mame were returning home from town, as they turned into the driveway, the horse increased his pace and, in checking him, he turned so short that the carriage upset and they were thrown to the ground, sustaining, however, no serious injury aside from severe bruises and a general shaking up in which Miss Mame was by far the greatest sufferer. The horse ran around the barn, doing little or no damage. It was a fortunate escape for them.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., April 6, 1897:

Miss A. Halley, care Jacob Warner,	G. W. Mann,
Allsen Bros. Co.,	Clarence Welch,
Thurston McGill,	A. Pierce,
A. L. Fanshane,	C. Hummel,
	Mrs. Joseph Cooper,
	Mrs. M. E. Matthews.

Persons calling for letters in the above list please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

—Base Ball and all athletic goods at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

It is Death to Carpet Bugs.

Otto's Perfect Insect Destroyer is guaranteed to do the work or money refunded. Highly recommended by all who use it. Agents will call on you next Saturday. Sub agents wanted.

C. J. POTTS,
General Agent for Lenawee Co.

—Headquarters for Fishing Tackle at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

NOTICE:—All accounts of Anderson & Co. have been placed in my hands for collection, and all indebted to the old firm are requested to call at once at the office of J. W. Wightman and settle.

CHAS. RUSSELL, Deputy Sheriff.

—When you want a Bicycle consult your own interest. Call at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—Furniture refinished at Bert Grey's carriage shop. Fine work and low prices.

—A complete line of Screen Doors and Windows at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—Get your carriage varnished or repainted at Bert Grey's shop in the old Cummins building.

—When you get ready, see our line of Lawn Mowers. SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

Blood Naval Oranges
and
Tangerines.

Anderson Bros.,
Grocers.

Our stock of spring suits is not the

Largest in the World,

but very complete for Tecumseh, the

QUALITIES ARE GUARANTEED.

and prices low enough to satisfy everybody. Call and see the latest styles.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

We believe that

CHASE & SANBORN'S

Sun Cured Seal Brand Tea.

is better than any bulk tea we or any other dealer sells for the price. Till May 1st.

We Will Give a Present.

worth more than our profit

With Every 1-2 lb. Package.

that we sell. Put up exactly 1-2 lb. in tight packages and sells for 25c per package.

AVERY & CO.

BLUE FLAME
OIL STOVES.

New Process Gasoline Stoves.

Single Generator Cabinet Ranges.

all of which are the best of their class that can be produced. An elegant line of bicycles at reasonable prices. Fishing tackle in full assortment.

Satterthwaite Bros.

CROP OUTLOOK.

Neither Grain Nor Fruit Suffered Much During the Winter.

Lansing, April 9. — According to the official crop report, the weather during the winter was not especially unfavorable, and, while in individual fields and localities wheat may have been more or less damaged, there has been no general or severe winter-killing throughout the state. The average condition in the state April 1 was 87; one year ago it was 86; in 1895, 85, and in 1894, 90. The average condition of clover meadows and pastures is 90. Live stock is in good condition, the average ranging from 95 to 98 per cent. The outlook for apples seems to be favorable. Correspondents, however, are of the opinion that the heavy crop of last year is likely to be followed by a light one this year. Peach buds have been generally and severely injured. Other fruits promise well.

THINK CURTIS WAS MURDERED.

Body of a Man, Missing Seven Weeks, Found in St. Joseph River.

Niles, April 8. — Seven weeks ago Lee G. Curtis, a prominent citizen of St. Joseph county, mysteriously disappeared, and, though a rigid search was made for him, no trace of his whereabouts could be secured. When he disappeared he had considerable money on his person. Wednesday the boys found the body of Mr. Curtis floating in the St. Joseph river, near Constantine. On the head and body were found some terrible cuts and bruises, which strongly indicate foul play. His money also was missing. That he was murdered there is no doubt and the officers are engaged in looking for the perpetrators of the deed. Curtis leaves a large family.

GROOM 87, BRIDE 17.

Fred Isenhart, a Farmer, Elopes With and Weds Katie Kauff.

Niles, April 9. — Fred Isenhart, aged 87, a wealthy farmer, of Royalton township, and Miss Katie Kauff, aged 17, were married Wednesday. The parties eloped to be wedded, as Isenhart's relatives threatened when the engagement was announced to file a petition in the probate court declaring him to be incompetent and for the purpose of having a guardian appointed to take charge of him. Mr. Isenhart declared that his relatives were anxious to have a guardian appointed in order to get possession of his property, and he determined to thwart them.

COWARDLY HUSBAND.

Forces His Young Wife to Become a Firebug.

Ann Arbor, April 9.—Charles Estelman, a well-known German farmer aged 33, living about nine miles south of here, is in jail, together with his 18-year-old wife, charged with arson. Both have confessed. Mrs Estelman, after repeated urging from her husband, consented to set their house on fire during his absence at a neighbor's. The plan succeeded in all particulars, except in fooling the insurance company and collecting $1,600.

Was Bound to Die.

Coopersville, April 9. — Mrs. Frank Peck, a farmer's wife living four miles southeast of here, took a dose of paris green with suicidal intent. Her husband caught her by the throat and forced the woman to spit it out and rinse her mouth out with water. She then went to the house of a neighbor. He followed her to Little Deer creek by her footprints. He concluded that she had drowned herself and went for help. The creek was dragged and her lifeless body fished up.

A Veteran Dead.

Hillsdale, April 8.—The funeral of George W. Loote, of this city, was held Wednesday afternoon. He was assistant sergeant-at-arms of the Michigan house of representatives in 1889. He was a soldier in an Ohio regiment during the war, and had his right arm so badly shattered by a bullet in the battle of Chancellorsville that the bone from the elbow to the shoulder had to be removed. He was buried by the G. A. R.

Dr. Draper to Be Orator.

Ann Arbor, April 9.—It is announced by the university authorities that Dr. Andrew Sloane Draper, president of the University of Illinois, has been chosen by the university senate to deliver the annual commencement oration at the university Thursday, July 1. His subject has not yet been given out.

Will Meet in Detroit.

St. Paul, Minn., April 9.—Secretary M. J. Dowling, of the Republican National league, announces the date of the next convention, which is to be held in Detroit, Mich., for July 13, 14 and 15. At least 3,000 delegates are expected to be in attendance, and the usual reduced rates will probably be secured.

Seeks Heavy Damages.

Bay City, April 14.—E. T. Bennett, the former secretary of the Tribune Publishing company, has begun suit for $25,000 against John F. Eddy, E. A. Cooley and E. T. Carrington, stockholders in the concern, for false imprisonment.

Poisoned by Parsnips.

Decatur, April 12.—Mrs. Myrtle Grover's two children and a young daughter of William McFall were fatally poisoned at Howell by eating parsnips which had been left in the ground two seasons and started to grow.

Congregationalists to Meet.

Jackson, April 10.—The annual convention of the Congregational church of Michigan will be held at the church of that denomination in this city beginning May 13.

Excessive Cycling Causes Death.

Buchanan, April 8.—Excessive bicycle riding is given as the cause of the death of Miss May Brewer, a teacher in the high school here.

A Big Saving.

Lansing, April 14.—It is claimed that in this city the voting machines saved 40 per cent. of the usual election expenses this spring.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to know that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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The President Returns.

Washington, April 13.—President McKinley and party returned to Washington on board the dispatch boat Dolphin, which at noon passed up the river on the way to the navy yard, where carriages were taken for the white house, where the president and party arrived in good health and apparently refreshed by the trip.

Taken to Indiana.

Jamestown, N. Y., April 13.—Forger H. J. Sanford, who was arrested here Friday, was taken to Fort Wayne, Ind., Monday, for trial. He is also wanted at Bloomington, Ill., and in other towns. He said his right name was C. F. Moore, and that his home is in Cleveland, O.

Victim of a Glove Contest.

Little Rock, Ark., April 13.—A youth named Harrison was killed in a glove contest with a boy named Tobin, at Hampton Sunday. Harrison's neck was broken by a blow from Tobin in the first round and death was instantaneous.

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One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

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CORLISS' RESOLUTION

To Revoke Civil Service Orders of Cleveland.

HAS TOUCHED A POPULAR CHORD.

Apparently All the Members of the Republican Party in Congress Are Ready to Vote for Any Resolution Which Would Give the Offices to Republicans—Professor Angell for Minister to Turkey—The Tariff on Lumber.

Washington, April 13.—Congressman Corliss of Detroit has introduced a joint resolution which has elicited numerous encomiums from his colleagues on the Republican side of the house of representatives. The resolution proposes to revoke the civil service orders of President Cleveland. The intention of the resolution is to open the gates, so that all Republican aspirants for federal position may line up to the pie counter and secure their pastry without the intervening barrier of civil service examinations.

Congressman Corliss has touched a popular chord, and has made as much of a partisan kind as though he had played on a harp of a thousand strings. Just at this juncture it seems that all of the members of the Republican party in congress are ready to vote for a repeal of the civil service law, or for any resolution which has for its purport the annihilation of the system which prevents the realization of the dream of Secretary Marcy, that "to the victors belong the spoils."

Linton's Name Frequently Mentioned.

Ex-Congressman Linton has called upon the president a number of times recently, but nobody knows what office he now seeks. His name has been mentioned for a number of choice plums, and has been constantly withdrawn. It is unfortunate for Mr. Linton at the present time that he was in congress an A. P. A. leader. His Republicanism is without blemish, but he took up that particular religiousism and made a hobby of it, so that, if the president would select him for any prominent position now, his appointment would be generally regarded by a large class of influential religionists as a blow or slap at them. Therefore, Mr. Linton's prospects do not seem to be very bright.

Congressman William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids has formally presented to the president the protest of the Michigan congressional delegation against the removal of the pension agency from Detroit to Indianapolis, as proposed in President Cleveland's celebrated order. The Michigan and Iowa delegations are working together in this matter, because the people of Iowa do not want the Des Moines pension agency removed to St. Louis. President McKinley is giving time and thought to the consideration of this subject, but has not yet indicated what he will do in the matter.

King Wants to Go to Athens.

Bank Commissioner Ainger is here in the interests of Professor Hamilton King of Olivet college who is a candidate for the position of minister, envoy and consul general to Athens, Greece.

Hon. A. O. Wheeler of Manistee, and J. S. Sterns of Bennett Lake are here in the interests of the lumber tariff of $2. Mr. Sterns is the largest manufacturer of lumber in the state of Michigan.

President McKinley wants to appoint, and probably will appoint, Professor James B. Angell to the important position of minister to Turkey. This inclination on the part of the president came as a great surprise to the Michigan delegation only a few days ago. Senator Burrows was talking with the president about other appointments, and the name of Professor Angell was not mentioned, nor had it ever been considered by Senator Burrows or any of the Michigan delegation. It was the president's own suggestion that Professor Angell would be a splendid man for that position, and he said that he would like to have the Michigan delegation indorse him. Whether that will be done or not remains to be seen.

John J. Coon of Flint is here and is a candidate for the position of consul general to Mexico.

The recent appointment of Fenton R. McCreery to be secretary of the legation at Mexico renders it somewhat improbable that Mr. Coon will be sent from the same state to the same mission.

Spaulding Takes Possession.

O. Palmer has been appointed and confirmed as register; and Jay Allen has been confirmed as receiver; of the land office at Grayling.

General O. L. Spaulding has taken possession of the office of assistant secretary of the treasury, to which position he was nominated and promptly confirmed by the senate.

Henry A. Haigh is here on a visit to Senator McMillan. It is understood that Mr. Haigh wants to be collector of customs for the port of Detroit.

The Michigan delegation recently called upon the president in a body and recommended the appointment of Ex-Congressman Linton to the commissioner of Indian affairs. The president informed the delegation that that particular position has already been promised to another.

Captain John Langley of St. Joseph has been appointed local supervising inspector of hulls for the port of Grand Haven. He is 53 years of age, and therefore eligible. All of the other candidates were more than 55 years of age, and were, therefore, ineligible. Captain Langley is one of the oldest and most successful river and lake men in the entire northwest.

In regard to the lumber tariff men who are here in the interest western Michigan say that there a man from Mackinac straits to M igan City, in any manner engage manufacture or sale of lumber, tha vors anything less than a $2 duty lumber.

What Henry M. Loud Says.

Mr. Henry M. Loud of Au Sable says "Out of 23,000 mills, less than forty are clamoring for the $1-rate. Hundreds of mills have gone out of commission, after sawing the lumber for which they were constructed. Their closure involves no hardship. Out of eight mills at Au Sable one has been removed; four are out of commission and idle; one has been burned, and two are in commission. This history is like that of every lumbering city on the eastern shore of Lake Michigan. Those who are clamoring for a $1-rate of duty are sawing Canadian logs and thereby gaining into competition with our own people."

Senator Burrows says that he will support a $2-rate of duty on lumber, and insist upon having it. Senator McMillan is somewhat non-committal, but has said that he will favor nothing less than a $1.50 duty. Senator Burrows says: "I have not changed my mind in the least degree concerning the necessity for complete protection for the interests of this country. I spoke on the Wilson bill two years ago in the house of representatives, and then denounced the outrage proposed to be committed upon the material interests of Michigan, both as to lumbering and mining. My views have undergone no change, and I shall not only support the $2 tariff rate, but shall support it vigorously, and insist upon that rate before the committee on finance as well as upon the floor of the senate."

In a Helpless Condition.

Never before in the history of the congress was either the senate or the house in such a disorganized condition because of the determination of the Republican senators to have all or nothing, they are doing nothing. Consequently, two-thirds of the standing committees of the senate are in a helpless condition, and unable to proceed properly with their legislative functions.

At the other end of the Capitol Speaker Reed stolidly and indifferently receives daily visits from members of congress and informs them that no matter what influences they may choose to bring to bear, he will not appoint the committees of the house of representatives. He is as autocratic as the czar, and seems to enjoy the discomfiture of the 355 representatives of the people, who are mere legislative puppets before him.

Hallet Kilbourn says: "It is humiliating to me, and I should think it would be humiliating to every free man in this republic, to gaze upon the scene on Capitol hill. We elect members of congress to represent us, and when they assemble they bow and 'crook the pregnant hinges of the knee' to one man and permit him to dominate them completely. There is no longer any freedom of thought or freedom of speech in the house of representatives. It is no longer the popular branch of congress. The real bulwark of the liberties of the people of today is the United States senate, where there is no limit to discussion and deliberation. The senate sometimes makes the mistake of permitting debate to run too long; but, in the end, the senate comes nearer doing that which the people desire than that branch which was prepared by the framers of the constitution for the purpose of maintaining in close touch with the people."

Working for Harmony.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, and others of like political sagacity in the Republican party, are endeavoring to bring about a condition of harmony between the regular and the silver Republicans. It is known that the men of the northwest who are fighting for the white metal are now inclined to receive propositions, if they come to them in a genuine spirit of harmony. The Republicans have more than a majority of the senate, and can reorganize all of the offices and all of the committees and pass a tariff bill without difficulty if an arrangement can be made whereby the silver Republicans will not be ignored. Senator Gallinger says that these men ought not to be driven clear out of the party simply because they are wedded to one particular idea which their people demand shall be kept to the front. It seems to him, and to a few other able Republican senators, like there ought to be some way of getting together so that the Republican family shall not be hopelessly and forever divided against itself. Whether this can be accomplished or not remains to be seen. During the past week a number of conferences have been held between Senator Allison of Iowa, who is the recognized leader of his party in the senate, and Senator Teller of Colorado, who is the recognized leader of all the silver forces. They are both broad-gauged men, and both inclined to secure harmony if possible, in order that revenue legislation may be enacted.

Quotation from McKinley's Speech.

In view of the fact that the Dingley tariff bill provides that its legislation shall be retroactive, it is timely to make the following quotation from the speech of William McKinley in the house of representatives April 15, 1878:

"If a change is necessary in the present tariff system, or in some cases a reduction is demanded for the general good, then I answer that such reduction or change should be the work of time, and not hastily or inconsiderately done. Any change, however seemingly trifling, will seriously operate upon the business interests of this country, will unsettle trade and disturb values. Even a discussion of the question is a terror to the commercial classes; and we have discovered, since the report of the subcommittee to the ways and means committee was given to the house, and to the country, a marked disturbance in every avenue of trade and labor.

"There can be no justification for an immediate change of the present system. If a new policy is to be inaugurated, or departures are to be made from the old, then they should have reference to a period of time in the future sufficiently remote from the present to enable business men and trades people to prepare for the new order of things and adjust their trade comfortably to it. We want in this country no sudden shock to further paralyze business. A law passed now, to go into effect at once as proposed by this bill, or in the near future, would be without justification on the part of this house, and, I may say, would be an act of criminality."

Are Making a Tariff Bill.

"We are making a tariff bill," said Senator Allison of Iowa this morning, in reply to an inquiry concerning his constant work at the Arlington hotel. His declaration concerning himself and other Republican members of the committee on finance that they are "making a tariff bill" sustains the judgment of the experienced statesmen and politicians. There will be nothing left of the Dingley bill but its name. It will be buried out of sight in the pigeonholes of the committee on finance, and will never be heard of again except as a reminiscence. The Republican senators propose to act as they have always done in such cases and originate a bill of that kind. They are practically ignoring the fact that the house of representatives exists at all, and they have paid no attention to the work of the past six months. The members of the committee on ways and means have aired so much [illegible] in the newspapers.

DUNBAR.

BUSINESS METHODS.

Why Farmers Should Look After Their Insurance Policies.

Farmers sometimes forfeit their insurance by neglect. While the mutual companies do not, as we understand it, hold farmers to the strict letter of the law, as do the stock companies, but go more on the equities of the case in their settlements than on strictly legal points, nevertheless it is wise to have everything straight at the start and keep it straight. For example, many farmers during the year make additions to their buildings. The company should be informed of this fact and additional insurance, whether against fire, lightning or tornado, should be taken out to cover the increased value. Many farmers sell or trade properties during the year and this vitiates their policy unless an assignment is made, returned to the company, and a new policy issued. Where farmers do not sell outright they frequently deed portions of their property to their wives or members of their families, thus making a change of title and in each case the policy should state the facts.

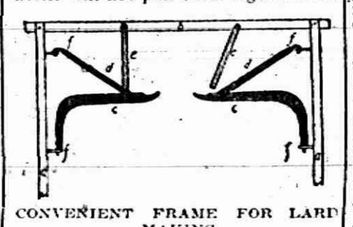
Another matter. In making out a policy always see that the property that you wish to protect is specifically mentioned in the policy and that it is so mentioned that there can be no dispute about it. For example, we heard of a case lately that is likely to lead to litigation in a stock company. The farmer so insured carried so much insurance on grains. A fire occurred and in addition to the grains a lot of clover seed was burned. The question came up at once, is clover seed a grain? It will be very difficult to prove that it is. Therefore the policy should read grain and clover seed, or any other kind of seed.

Another matter. Always keep your policy where you will know where to get it should it be needed for any purpose and if possible keep it in a fireproof safe. Bankers usually take care of papers of this kind and it would be a good thing to leave your policies together with your banker, or in some other place where they are as safe as possible from fire.—Wallace's Farmer.

RENDERING LARD.

Simple and Handy Device Which Makes the Task Easy.

The illustration portrays a simple and handy device for heating water and rendering lard in kettles. I made the pieces, c c, out of the iron gangs of an old cultivator; any kind of light iron will do for balance. Set two parts, a a, (common fence posts) in the ground. Cut a mortise in top for crosspiece b and pin them so the weight of the kettle will not pull them together. Get



CONVENIENT FRAME FOR LARD MAKING.

two eyes, f f, for bottom (gate eyes will answer). To make them stronger, the two top eyes, f f, should be fitted with nuts. Make bottom of beams, c c, so they will go in bottom eyes and make the other end with a small crook for kettle to hang in. Take two pieces of iron, d d, and rivet them on each side of beams, c c; rivet a hook in the other end to hook in top eyes. Bolt the piece of iron, e e, to crosspiece b, so they will drop down between pieces d d, and lock beams so that they cannot swing from over the fire. To remove the kettle from the fire, remove lock e and the beam can be swung either way. I find it a very convenient way for rendering lard. If lard is foaming or getting too hot, it can easily be swung from over the fire until danger is over and when done, the kettle need not be removed from the beams until the lard is taken out.—H. M. Hodson, in Farm and Home.

OILING THE HARNESS.

If Undertaken at All, This Work Should Be Done Well.

Harness will last much longer and look much better if kept well oiled, and will not get so stiff after being exposed to a day's rain. During the spring it is difficult to keep harness from getting wet, and it will pay well before the season's work begins to see that it is thoroughly oiled. In doing the work, the harness should be taken apart and washed clean, using warm water and castile soap, and then wiped dry, when the oil should be applied. If so clean that washing is not needed, it will be better to wipe off with a wet rag as the oiling can be done better. It is best to take harness all apart, in order to get at all of the parts and oil thoroughly. Good harness oil can be purchased all ready for use, or neatsfoot oil, with a little lamp black, will be found good. If the harness has not been oiled for some time and is hard and dry, it will be best to go over them twice, finishing all up, and then commencing with the first piece and going over again. After every part has been thoroughly oiled, it should all be hung up over a frame of some kind and allowed to dry. It should not be hung in the sun or where the wind strikes, as it will dry too rapidly. The oil should have plenty of time to soak in. Like most other work on the farm, if undertaken it will pay to do well.—Journal of Agriculture.

Separate the Flocks.

The first thing to do with flocks that are kept on farms rather than on ranches is to separate the flock into a number of small ones, each composed of one kind, and having a regard to sex, age and general condition. The weak ones should not be placed with the strong. The weather or stock flock should be in one flock, the breeding ewes in another, and the lambs in another, if the best results are to be secured.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on the 31st day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard R. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Humbolt Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Clarissa Pennington, administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to law and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD R. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barnes, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1897, and on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of March, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

MERRIT E. CONKLIN,
JAMES A. BOYD,
Commissioners.

Dated, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1897.

FURTHER DELAY.

Little Farm Work Done Owing to Unfavorable Conditions.

Chicago, April 14.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Illinois—Condition practically unchanged; week cooler and cloudy, with large excess of moisture over southern portion and sharp frosts on 10th and 11th, and snow on 10th. The work has been further delayed, oats and spring wheat seeding continue in east and northeast counties; elsewhere little has been done; a few gardens made and potatoes planted. Sunshine and dryness urgently needed.

Wisconsin—The snow has nearly all disappeared and the frost is coming out rapidly. Very little farm work done yet as the soil is too wet for plowing. Seeding has commenced in the southern section. Winter wheat is generally reported to be badly injured, except in a few localities. Rye is in fair condition.

Minnesota—Cloudy weather, cool nights and scattered showers have delayed drying the soil. Flood conditions improving, but soil too wet for working except in light hillside where a little wheat is sown, but seeding will not be general before 15th or 20th. Winter wheat and rye reported badly killed in portions of east.

Iowa—Week unseasonably cool with excessive cloudiness, closing showery. Seeding begun with soil generally too moist for best results. Delay likely to lessen prospective acreage for spring wheat.

Indiana—Cloudy weather, little sunshine, frequent rains, heavy snow, followed by heavy frost, were not favorable to growing crops, and plowing and seeding were delayed. Wheat improved slowly, much is being plowed up. Rye in good condition. Tobacco plant coming up. Clover, timothy and grass look well.

Ohio—Frost and ice of the 10th and 12th hurt gardens and small fruits, but to what extent is not yet known. From one to three inches of snow in western half on 9th and 10. Frequent and heavy rains brought plowing, oats sowing, potato planting and garden making to a standstill, but rather favored growth of wheat, grasses, clover, oats and timothy. Peach and plum trees blooming in southern portion. Tobacco seed mostly sown.

Michigan—Wet, cool weather has held back plowing and seeding, and very little such work has been done during the week. In extreme southern counties some oats and clover sown, and plowing for corn just begun. Conditions favorable for winter wheat, rye and meadows.

PENSION AGENCIES.

The Order for Their Consolidation May Be Revoked.

Washington, April 15.—The sweeping orders of President Cleveland effecting a consolidation of the pension agencies will be revoked by President McKinley, if present plans are carried out. Though it is stated that no conclusion has been reached on the matter, the president has had time to inquire into it and to hear protests of congressional delegations, and it is learned that practically he has become convinced that it should never be allowed to become operative.

The order is to take effect September 1 but doubtless will be rescinded long before then. Commissioner of Pensions Evans shares this opinion and he has forwarded for the consideration of the president and Secretary Bliss a report setting out that instead of making a saving of considerably over $100,000 in the way of clerk hire, etc., it would increase the expenditures by $200,000.

FLOOD STATISTICS.

An Alarming Condition of Affairs in the South.

Statement Showing Value of Property Under Water—Many Lives Lost—Another Levee Gives Way in Louisiana.

Washington, April 12.—A statement relative to the agricultural interests of the submerged districts of the Mississippi valley south of Cairo, Ill., has been issued by the department of agriculture. It is based upon a chart prepared under the direction of the chief of the weather bureau showing the extent of the flood on April 6. It says:

The total area under water on April 6 was about 15,500 square miles, of which 7,500 square miles was in Mississippi, 4,500 square miles in Arkansas, 1,750 square miles in Missouri, 1,200 in Tennessee, and 450 in Louisiana. This region contained in 1890, so far as can be determined in view of the indefinite boundary lines of the flood, a population of 379,685, of which 186,489, or about one-half, was in Mississippi, 100,235 in Arkansas, and the remainder almost equally divided between Missouri and Tennessee.

The flooded districts contain, it is estimated, about 29,500 farms, of which about 15,500 are in Mississippi, nearly 10,000 in Arkansas, and a like number about equally divided between Missouri and Tennessee. These farms contain a total area of about 2,900,000 acres, one-half of which is in Mississippi and rather over one-fourth in Arkansas, the proportions in Missouri and Tennessee being about the same as in the case of the number of farms. The total value of these farms, with their improvements, farm implements, etc., is close upon $65,000,000, and here also the proportions in the different states are about the same as above noted.

What effect the floods will have upon the crops of the present season depends upon the length of its continuance, and the practicability of wheat planting after the subsidence of the flood. The entire region under water on April 6 produced last year about 750,000 bales of cotton, valued at close on $12,000,000; over 11,000,000 bushels of corn, worth about $3,400,000, and wheat, oats, potatoes and hay, worth over $800,000.

People in the Trees.

East Grand Forks, Minn., April 12.—Reports have come in from along the Red river that people are waiting in the tree tops and on roofs of their houses for rescue. It is said that many lives have been lost down the river, but there is no possible chance of verifying the statement. Hundreds of farmers along the Red river near here have been drowned out and are waiting for aid in order to get on high ground. In the principal business street stores are flooded seven or eight feet deep. There is no possible way of estimating loss of life and property from this point. Cattle and horses by the thousands are in danger in this immediate neighborhood, only a few inches of dry land separating them from death, and their owners are in the same fix.

Illinois Farms Under Water.

Alton, Ill., April 12.—Many farmers who rested in fancied security found their homes Sunday morning surrounded by water, and were forced to move in a hurry. Every farm in the lower portion of St. Charles county is under water, and only those within the last main levee are still dry. In the American bottom the condition is even worse. Hundreds of acres of the best and most promising wheat land in the state has been claimed by the waters.

River Falling.

Memphis, Tenn., April 12.—The water in the Mississippi delta is slowly receding. Reports received here from the overflowed country are most encouraging. The day has been an ideal one and every planter in the delta is in better spirits. It is now believed the water will disappear by May 1 and if this proves true a fair crop can be made. The overflow will leave a sediment or deposit which generally enriches the soil and the planters may be yet able to balance their big account with the Father of Waters.

Situation at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., April 14.—East Omaha and North Omaha are flooded by the waters that are rushing from the Missouri river and the residents have fled for their lives, leaving their possessions behind. All the people were forced to abandon their homes in haste, some of them with only their nightclothes on. Many narrow escapes from drowning are recounted, but so far as is known no lives were lost.

Great Want and Suffering Said to Exist in China.

San Francisco, April 13.—According to advices brought by the steamship Gaelic the natives in the vicinity of Ichang, China, are dying by hundreds of starvation. The officials are making efforts to provide for the starving people by sending in rice, but owing to the difficulty in transporting the food in the famine districts only those living along the waterways are aided. No estimate of the loss of life is given, but it is reported to be heavy.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line.

To take Effect Nov. 29, 1896.
Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows
EAST BOUND.
Atlantic Express ..... 5:38 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited ..... 7:47 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation ..... 8:45 p. m.
New York Express ..... 9:36 p. m.
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Express ..... 1:11 a. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 849 Accom
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LABOR OF CONVICTS.

It Will Not Be Employed Upon Public Highways.

THE PROBLEM IS A SERIOUS ONE.

Chain Gang Provision in the Molster Bill Not Received with Favor—Last Week the Liveliest One of This Session of the Legislature—Bill of Interest to Fraternal Benefit Organizations — Governor Pingree and His Scrap Books.

Lansing, Mich., April 13.—It may be put down as a safe proposition that it will be many a year before the state of Michigan will set its convicts at work on the public highways. This fact was very thoroughly demonstrated last week when the Molster anti-convict labor bill was discussed in the house. It was quite generally conceded that had it not been for the chain gang provision of the measure it would have received more than 29 votes, although there was no reasonable hope of its passing in any form. This is the smallest vote that has been cast for similar bills for a number of sessions, the reason being that former bills did not employ the provision for parceling out the convicts to the various counties for work on the highways. This was looked upon by a large majority of the members as a step in the direction of a return to barbarism, and the opponents of the bill drew most unattractive pictures of the effect that the spectacle of convicts, adorned with ball and chain, would have on the morals of the youth of the state who would be forced to gaze upon them. It is evident that the convict labor problem is a serious one, and also that the labor men will have to present some feasible plan of employing the prisoners to advantage before they will be able to secure a departure from the present mode of working them at whatever can be found for them to do.

Robbing Peter to Pay Paul.

The idea has become pretty well grounded in the minds of most citizens that, even under the most favorable circumstances, the convict is bound to compete with his free fellow citizen, and that it would be simply robbing Peter to pay Paul to abandon present industries only to engage in others where the competition would be felt more keenly by some other branch of labor than under existing circumstances. It has come to be pretty generally understood, too, that even though maintained in absolute idleness the burden of maintaining convicts would fall as heavily upon free labor as it does now.

In its last report to the legislature the state board of corrections and charities recommended that greater discrimination be exercised in the matter of opening the prisons of the state to visitors, it not being creditable to the state that she should make an exhibition, for gain, of her wards. The fee of 25 cents charged for admission was declared to be poor compensation for the injury done. In accordance with this recommendation, the senate has passed a bill providing that general visitors shall not be admitted to any of the prisons of the state, and the matter is now pending in the house. Warden Chamberlain, of the state prison at Jackson, is opposing the passage of the bill. He says that no harm has come from the system so far as his observation goes. The small admission fee charged, he says, brought quite a revenue to the state without harm to the prison, and with great convenience to the public. Of the money received from this source, $500 is annually used for extending the prison library, and thus does good work.

Demoralizing to the Prisoners.

The board of corrections, however, makes strenuous objection to the admission of women and children particularly, and in support of their proposition, point to the fact that at a recent meeting of the Wardens' Association of the United States and Canada, a resolution denouncing the practice as demoralizing to the prisoners and without benefit to the public was passed, the only negative vote being cast by Warden Chamberlain and the warden of an Ohio prison.

Whether the result of election, or the fact that such a thing is the past, has anything to do with the situation is not known, but the fact is, as every one here has noticed, that matters have taken on a very lively turn during the past week. Last week was altogether the liveliest of the session, with the possible exception of the first week of the year when the new state officials took possession of their offices and a goodly share of their constituents came here to strike them for jobs. The lobby which had previously been conspicuous by its absence, put in an appearance with the election returns, and legislative matters generally took on much of the old-time appearance. The hotelkeepers are beginning to reap the harvest for which they have long been waiting, and everybody is jollying up along the line. Up to the 1st of April the session was duller than any that can be recalled by the present generation of Lansing citizens. The signs for the balance of the session are hopeful inasmuch as all of the important matters are yet to be considered, the beet sugar and convict labor bills being about the only legislation, other than that of a purely local nature that has thus far been disposed of. The result of the election, especially in Detroit, has changed the situation not a little, and it is evident that the so-called Pingree bills stand a much poorer show of becoming laws than was the case before a Democrat was elected mayor of Detroit.

To Increase Salaries.

For the thirteenth time since 1870 propositions to increase salaries of state officials have been submitted to the people of Michigan, and unless the official returns shall prove that the amendment to raise the salary of the attorney general from $800 to $3,500, which was voted upon last Monday, has carried, the people have indorsed the proposition on but three occasions, and this in spite of the fact that it is notorious that, even with the increases referred to, Michigan pays the most miserable salaries of any state in the Union. There is no reason for believing that the attorney general amendment has carried, but the exact vote cast for and against it as well as for justice of the supreme court will not be known until after the returns to be received from the county canvassers this week are compiled. Some one was complaining a few weeks ago of the slowness with which election returns are received, the approximate vote cast last week for supreme justice and regents not being learned for twenty-four hours after the polls closed. This complaint led an upper peninsula legislator who heard it to remark that Buchannan was inaugurated president of the United States before the result of the election was known in the Lake Superior country.

The house will hold an important session Thursday evening of this week, the outcome of which will be of much interest to every member of a fraternal benefit organization in Michigan. At that time there will come up on special order a bill to permit an appeal to be taken to the courts from the decision of these associations relative to the payment of death claims. Under the present law the decision of the arbitrators or committee chosen by the members of the association is final.

United in Opposition.

The various benefit associations are united in their opposition to the bill, and it is understood that during the consideration of the special order, a recess will be taken to permit addresses to be made on the subject by members of the several orders. It is claimed that it occurs but once or twice in the history of these associations that they refuse to make payment, it being necessary that the circumstances which call for such refusal must be most conclusive, inasmuch as refusal to pay, except for the most potent reason, would be the death of the order. It is alleged that one of the members who is pushing the bill very hard has an interest in the certificate issued by the Maccabees on the life of Dr. H. H. Pope of Detroit, who was murdered by his wife, who was his beneficiary under the certificate. The order held that as inasmuch as Mrs. Pope was convicted of murdering her husband for the purpose of obtaining the insurance on his life, the amount of the certificate should not be paid. Mrs. Pope, who is now serving a life sentence for this crime, has, it is understood, asigned this certificate to her attorneys for their services in defending her at her trial. It is rather a significant fact that most of the lawyers in the house favor the bill, possibly because it may turn out some time that they may acquire an interest in a certificate in a similar manner.

There is a disposition among many legislators to make brewers pay a heavier tax. Under the present law the man who manufactures beer is required to pay a tax of but $65, while the individual who sells it by the glass is assessed $500.

Say It Is Unfair.

Those who favor a change insist that this arrangement is decidedly unfair, and it is not improbable that when the legislature turns its attention to the various liquor bills on the files of both houses, the brewers will be asked to put up a larger amount of the coin of the realm for the privilege of doing business in Michigan. It looks more and more every day as if the liquor laws will be made more exacting both as to the amount of the license fee and the restrictions placed about the business.

The indications are that, now that Governor Pingree has been relieved of his municipal responsibilities, he will spend much more time in Lansing than heretofore. One of the indications is the removal from Detroit to this city of his scrap-book industry. The governor not only has all the newspapers of Michigan carefully scanned for references to him, but he is a subscriber to several of the leading newspaper clipping agencies. The result is that he secures daily enough clippings to keep one man busy much of the time aranging and pasting them. Governor Pingree already has between 500 and 600 volumes of clippings, and he is piling them up at a great rate daily. He has a most careful system of arranging the clippings, and whatever he wants can be found at a moment's notice. He makes no distinction between the complimentary and uncomplimentary notices of his sayings and doings, references of every name and nature being carefully preserved and indexed.

From the manner in which applications for sugar beet seed are pouring in upon Land Commissioner French it is evident that a vast amount of Michigan farmers are intending to experiment in the way of raising sugar beets during the coming season. Unfortunately, Commissioner French has no seed for distribution, but the impression that he has or is to have has gone out, and much of his correspondence these days relates to this subject.

Portrait of Ex-Governor Rich.

A number of intimate friends of ex-Governor Rich have quietly arranged to pay him a pleasing and fitting compliment by arranging to have painted his portrait for presentation to the state, the object being to have it placed in the executive parlors where pictures of the other ex-governors of Michigan are hung. Arrangements have been made with Percy Ives, the Detroit artist, to paint a life-size portrait in oil to cost $1,000. Friends of ex-Governor Winans did a similar act, the presentation speech being made by the Hon. William C. Maybury, mayor of Detroit, while Governor Rich accepted it in behalf of the people of the state. It will be a number of months before the Rich portrait will be completed.

The senate suddenly changed front last Friday on three bills conferring upon numerous township and village boards in Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac St. Clair and Bay counties the right to permit the construction of electric railroads through their jurisdictions. The projectors of the scheme contemplate the building of an electric line from Bay City to Port Huron and northward. The bills had passed both houses, but the senate suddenly reconsidered its vote on the plea that no provision had been made to require the companies to pay any tax, neither did the bills make the companies operating the projected lines subject to supervision by the commissioner of railroads or any other authority. On the other hand the friends of the bill claim that the change was due to the opposition of the steam road companies who do not relish the competition which the electric lines would precipitate. The bills were sent back to the senate committee on railroads, and it is predicted that they will be permitted to slumber there for all time—at least so far as this session of the legislature is concerned.

JAMES V. BARRY.

John H. Farley, ex-chairman of the Democratic state central committee of Ohio, who has for years been the political manager for ex-Senator Calvin S. Brice in northern Ohio, says that Brice is absolutely out of politics.

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LITERARY NOTES.

The editor of the Review of Reviews passes suggestive comment on the latest phases of the Grecio Turkish question. He holds that the only reasonable solution of the Cretan difficulty is to place Crete definitely in the keeping of Greece. His theory is that Russia is playing a waiting game, and that the other great powers are playing into her hands. The Review reproduces a portion of the Athens "Ephmeris" of recent date, containing war news and comment printed in modern Greek, together with several striking cartoons showing the Hellenic point of view.

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Table Talk for April is a "red-letter" number inside as well as outside. Among the notable articles is the first of a series of three on "Garnishes" by Mary Ronald,—this one taking up those most attractive and appropriate for use with hot meats: Mrs. M. C. Myer, a delegate to the Mother's Congress held at Washington, D. C., gives a digest of the most helpful and instructive points touched upon during the sessions.

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Ian McClaren's recent visit to the United States, excited extraordinary interest throughout the country. His "impressions of America," cannot fail to be read with almost equal interest. The author of "Beside the Bonnie Brier-Bush," has written two papers under the above title which will appear exclusively in The Outlook. The first is published in the issue of that journal of March 27.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale	Retail
Butter	15	16
Eggs	7½	8
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	25	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 75	6 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	70	80 83
Corn, shelled	20	25
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats	14	16 20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 50
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		70
Cornmeal, per 100		70

Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec 19, '96.

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MANY ARE DESTITUTE.

Situation in the South and West Practically Unchanged.

Thousands of Acres Are Flooded—Much Suffering is Reported—Hundreds of Persons Are in Need of Assistance.

Washington, April 17.—It is suggested that a ten days' supply of rations be sent at the earliest practicable moment to supply 1,000 destitute persons and 100 head of stock in Quitman county, Miss., in which 13 townships are inundated; also for 5,000 destitute persons and 500 head of stock in Coahoma county, where 12 townships are flooded; for 8,000 destitute persons and 200 live stock in Bolivar county, where nine townships are inundated. On the Arkansas side it is reported there are 6,000 destitute and 400 live stock in Phillips and Monroe counties requiring assistance. Thirty to 40 days is the estimated period of time before laborers can go to work in the inundated area.

River Eight Miles Wide.

Burlington, Ia., April 19.—The river at Burlington is now eight miles wide and extends over the lowlands at Gladstone, Ill., 12 miles from Burlington. The roadbed of the Burlington system has the appearance of a dike, running for miles through a lake which extends to the Illinois bluffs in the distance.

Situation Grows Worse.

Memphis, Tenn., April 20.—The situation at Biggs, where the water is running through the crevasse in torrents, is growing worse. Madison parish is fast becoming inundated and the water will extend to other parishes, destroying thousands of acres of newly-planted crops. Vicksburg, Natchez and other river points are crowded with refugees and everything possible is being done to alleviate the suffering of the poorer classes. Calls for aid have been sent out from sections of the overflowed Mississippi delta, and, while the waters are slowly receding, the suffering and destitution increases.

Damage in Oregon.

Baker City, Ore., April 20.—Powder river is higher than ever known, and is doing great damage. Only one bridge remains in this city and if the warm weather continues it will go out. The Sumpter Valley railroad is flooded for miles and trains will not be running for weeks. The northern residence portion of the city is inundated.

More Lives Lost.

Natchez, Miss., April 21.—A terrible tale of woe comes from Bayou Videl, in the lower portion of Madison parish. The water from the Biggs crevasse caught the people there unprepared and unaware of danger. Word was sent out from that locality requesting that boats be sent there at once, as the people were drowning. How many were actually drowned is unknown, but Thomas Blackman, his wife and infant are known to have been drowned, and Mr. T. P. Kells came near losing his life in attempting to save them. It is believed others have perished. Boats have been sent to the fated locality.

River Falling.

Memphis, Tenn., April 21.—The river at Vicksburg, Helena, Natchez and all along from St. Joseph, La., to Bayou Sara, La., is reported either stationary or falling. This condition is the result of the vast amount of water passing through the crevasses at Biggs and Reed's levees, above Nachez and at Hancock's, below.

PRICE OF WHEAT RISES.

War News Creates Much Excitement in the Market.

Chicago, April 20.—At least three men are credited with having made more than $100,000 each in wheat Monday. The war news created great excitement on change. May wheat opened at 74½. Cent after cent was added to the ruling price. The scene in the wheat pit on the board of trade was as wild as it has been in years. The highest point for the day was 78 for May, July and September; lowest, May, 74¾; July, 73½; September, 71¼. The closing price for May was 75 cents.

A Cold Wave.

Chicago, April 20.—Dispatches from points in Iowa, Michigan and Wisconsin tell remarkable stories of drops in temperature, caused by the cold wave which swept over these states. At Sioux City and Clinton, Ia., ice half an inch thick was formed, and at the former place the mercury dropped 35 degrees during the night. At Plainfield, Wis., the thermometer registered 12 degrees below freezing, and at Lansing, Mich., heavy frost was reported.

Rusie Signs.

New York, April 20.—The Journal says that Amos Rusie, the great baseball pitcher, has signed a contract for the season of 1897, tendered him by the New York Baseball club, and will report to the team for duty forthwith. The Journal is able to make this announcement on unquestionable authority. Rusie's contract calls for a salary of $2,400 for the season.

Crushed to Death.

Chicago, April 20.—While engaged in gathering kindling from an old frame building, which was being torn down by Alexander Fisher, Mrs. Mary Haas, 25 years old, of 64 Cherry street, was crushed to death, the walls falling upon her.

Georgetown, Del., April 19. — James M. Gordy, who was convicted on Thursday of the murder of Mrs. Mary Lewis was sentenced to be hanged on June 11 next.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Mrs. T. W. Palmer will give the city of Detroit a $10,000 drinking fountain.

The Michigan Central will soon begin laying new steel rails west of Three Oaks.

The Michigan Salt association has advanced the price of salt five cents a barrel.

Dowagiac is now connected with Cassopolis and La Grange, Ind., by telephone.

Michigan troops will not attend the dedication of the Grant monument April 27.

A tannery plant to cost about $12,000 is one of the latest industries proposed for Menominee.

Farmers around Otsego have contracted to furnish milk from 350 cows, and a cheese factory will be built in the village.

Children built a bonfire near the barn of A. W. Larzeler at Dowagiac, and the barn and two horses were burned, causing a loss of $1,200.

A Chicago manufacturer of canning machines is making preparations for starting a canning factory at Niles. He expects to have the factory running full blast next fall.

The sawmill of the Sands & Maxwell Lumber company, of Pentwater, is in operation, employing a crew of 35 men. The daily cut is about 40,000 feet of hardwood lumber.

Mrs. S. B. Seely, of South Haven, has just been awarded $5,000 against the Chicago City Railway company for injuries received in a cable car accident in that city a few months ago.

It is stated that trains on the new St. Joseph Valley railroad in Berrien county will be running between Benton Harbor and Buchanan by July 1. A large force of men is at work on the construction of the roadbed.

Mrs. Louise Robbins, of Adrian, has been chosen a delegate from the National Council of Women of the United States to a meeting of the executive committee of the International Council of Women, which convenes next July in London.

ANGELL'S SUCCESSOR.

Professors D'Ooge and Hutchins Mentioned for the Place.

Ann Arbor, April 19.—Dean M. L. D'Ooge, of the literary department, and Dean H. B. Hutchins, of the law department, are most frequently mentioned as liable to be appointed acting president to serve while President Angell is away as minister to Turkey. Both Prof. D'Ooge and Prof. Hutchins are thoroughly familiar with the methods by which the university has been conducted and either would fill the place most creditably. Regent Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit, Prof. S. A. Pattengill and F. W. Kelsey have also been talked of as possible successors to Dr. Angell. The regents will meet April 28, when the matter will be acted upon.

Detroit, April 21.—Levi L. Barbour, one of the regents of the University of Michigan, said Tuesday that if President Angell goes to Turkey as United States minister for the full term of four years it is doubtful whether he will ask for leave of absence from the university. The regents, therefore, anticipate that if Dr. Angell accepts a four years' appointment his resignation as president will follow. If however, he accepts the Turkish mission for only a year he will doubtless ask for and be granted leave of absence.

SLAIN BY A BURGLAR.

Business Man of Adrian the Victim of a Housebreaker.

Adrian, April 18.—Lafayette Ladd, formerly member of the city council and a prominent business man, was shot and killed in his bedroom by a burglar early Saturday morning. The burglar effected entrance through a bay window, which he had pried up with a "jimmy," and had already secured Mr. Ladd's watch, pocketbook and $60 in cash. He escaped through the window and, though Mrs. Ladd immediately telephoned the officers, no trace of him could be discovered. Mr. Ladd was proprietor of Ladd's canning factory. He was well known among turfmen as a breeder of fine horses, being the owner of Alcanwood, a fine stallion. The residence of W. T. Lawrence, on the southern city limits, was also raided about two o'clock. The marauder left no clew at either place.

Pleuro-Pneumonia in Milk.

Menominee, April 17.—The pleuro-pneumonia scare continues, and citizens are becoming more alarmed every day over the milk supply. Out of 200 cans examined 20 were found to be afflicted with tuberculosis. Two children have died this month of tuberculosis attributed to drinking milk from afflicted cows. The health department is taking the greatest precautions and is examining and testing cows owned by private individuals as well as the dairy herds.

Iowa Burglars Use a Wagon.

Dedham, Ia., April 19.—The department store of Hardie & Ayerhart was robbed Sunday morning of $1,000 worth of dry goods, clothing, fine shoes, hats and hardware. The thieves carried the goods away in a two-horse wagon.

—The Hindoo-Koosh, 20,000 feet, is reported to be the highest in Afghanistan.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of the Proceedings in Congress.

Matters of Importance That Occupy the Time in the Senate—No Business Being Done in the House.

Washington, April 15. — A test vote on the tariff question in the senate yesterday showed a majority of one in its favor. The Indian appropriation bill was discussed. A message was received from the president urging that suitable provision be made for adequate representation of the United States at the Paris exposition in 1900.

Washington, April 16. — The senate spent the time yesterday considering the Indian appropriation bill, but did not complete it. Senator Davis endeavored to secure unanimous agreement upon a time to take a vote upon the Anglo-American arbitration treaty, but failed. Senator Hansbrough introduced a bill authorizing the appointment of a commission to introduce and popularize the bread foods of the United States among the peoples of the orient.

Washington, April 20.—The senate passed the Indian appropriation bill yesterday. It is substantially the same as it passed the house. It was decided to vote on the arbitration bill May 5. Senator Butler (N. C.) introduced a bill to give the government control of the Union and Central Pacific railroads. Resolutions of inquiry were agreed to asking the secretary of state as to the operation of the reciprocity treaties made under the McKinley act. After the executive session the senate adjourned as a mark of respect to Representative Milliken, deceased.

Washington, April 21.—Senator Morgan's resolution declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba was discussed briefly in the senate yesterday and then went over for a week. The agricultural appropriation bill was passed and the bankruptcy bill was discussed. Senator Mason (Ill.) introduced a resolution looking to the adoption of some plan by which debate can be controlled. The nominations of William A. Jones, of Wisconsin, to be commissioner of Indian affairs, and Cornelius Van Cott to be postmaster at New York city, were received from the president.

The House.

Washington, April 15. — In the house yesterday Mr. Ridgely (pop., Kan.) introduced a bill "to enable the unemployed to earn a living, to utilize industry and produce general prosperity." It authorizes each state, territory, county, city, town, township or school district to raise money for giving employment on public works by issuing non-interest bearing bonds of 25 years, payable only to the United States, not to exceed half the assessed value of the property of the state or municipality. In return for the bonds the United States treasury is to issue treasury notes. Mr. Brownlow (rep., Tenn.) introduced a joint resolution for the reinstatement in the civil service of persons separated therefrom without cause. Mr. Shannon (N. Y.) introduced a bill to amend the anti-trust law so that it will not prevent railroad traffic agreements. Adjourned to the 17th.

Washington, April 19.—A house bill was introduced in the house on Saturday by Mr. Lewis (dem., Wash.) providing for the repeal of the act for an international monetary conference. Mr. Grosvenor (rep., O.) introduced a bill to declare the true intent and scope of the civil service act. Adjourned to the 21st.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

Arrangements for His Coming Journey to New York Completed.

Washington, April 19.—The arrangements for President McKinley's journey to New York to attend the Grant memorial exercises have been completed. The president will leave here at 10:33 o'clock Monday morning, April 26, over the Pennsylvania road. He will occupy the private car of President Thompson, and probably will be accompanied by Mrs. McKinley. In the party will be the members of the cabinet and their families and the foreign ambassadors. In New York the president will stop at the Fifth Avenue or the Windsor hotel. The next day he will review the parade and make an address. In the evening he will attend a reception at the Union League club. He will return to Washington on Wednesday. A second train will follow that of the president. It will carry the vice president, Speaker Reed and the members of the senate and house.

Horses Killed by Buffalo Gnats.

Jackson, Tenn., April 20.—Buffalo gnats are causing great loss to stock owners. Horses and mules are dying throughout West Tennessee. In a radius of 50 miles around this city more than 500 have died in the last three days. The farmers have had no experience with the gnats and are at a loss to know what to do. There seems to be no way to protect the animals.

Tortured by Robbers.

Decatur, Ill., April 20.—Mrs. Anna Beaman, aged 75 years, who lives alone at her home on a large tract of land east of Decatur, was visited by robbers and relieved of about $700 in money after being treated in most brutal manner. She was badly clubbed.

Burned to Death.

[illegible] years old, of Glenwood, was burned to death while attempting to put wood in a stove.

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CLINTON

Mrs. Alexander is reported very sick.

Lavern Davis returned to Ypsilanti Monday.

G. C. Lindsley was called to Adrian on business Monday.

Guy Collins, of Macon, is clerking in the Exchange bank.

Tate & Stoner made another shipment of stock last Saturday.

There will be quarterly meeting next Sunday at the M. E. church.

There will be service at St. Dominic's church next Sunday morning.

Miss Florence Davis and John Tuttle now ride the "Stearns" wheel.

Misses Winnie and Mae Waterhouse returned to Ypsilanti Monday.

Chas. S. Burroughs spent Saturday and Sunday with Clinton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wallinger, of Tecumseh, were Clinton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Parker returned last Thursday from a few days' visit at Hillsdale.

E. L. Parker is moving this week into Jas. Priest's house on Washington street.

Mrs. Adams had a small birthday party of eight or nine ladies Wednesday afternoon.

A. M. Kennedy spent a few days the latter part of last week with relatives at Detroit.

Henry Calhoun and Jno. L. Tuttle, Jr., have been home from Ann Arbor since Saturday.

Earl Conklin and wife, of Albion, have been visiting Clinton relatives since Saturday.

Miss Carrie Fisher arrived Saturday from Ann Arbor for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Jas. Alexander, who has been spending the winter in Canada, returned to Clinton last Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. W. Clark was stricken with apoplexy last Saturday and still lies in a very critical condition.

Miss Libbie Priest went to Toledo Saturday for a few days' visit with her brother, James, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith went to Ann Arbor Monday, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rural Mills and Mrs. Haywood.

The proceeds of the Easter supper given by the ladies of St. John's church Wednesday evening were about $23.00.

O. L. Stitt returned from Ypsilanti last Friday and reported his brother, who had been dangerously ill, as on the gain.

Mrs. Chas. Miller and little son, of Albion, came Tuesday afternoon to make Frank Lancaster and family a short visit.

Miss Grace M. Davis arrived from Detroit Monday night, expecting to make a two weeks' visit at her old home west of town.

Mrs. D. J. Redding, who has been a guest for the past few weeks at F. Kirchgessner's, returned Saturday to her home at Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks, Mrs. C. F. Field and Mrs. Corey, of Tecumseh, attended the Easter supper held at the Hall Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. L. Woodward came over from Hudson last Thursday, to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. VanTuyle, and returned home Friday.

Ida, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hudson, died last Friday after a lingering illness which finally terminated in spinal disease. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at their home west of town. The parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their great bereavement.

At the annual parish meeting of St. John's church Tuesday evening the following vestrymen were elected: F. D. Lancaster, B. F. Thompson, W. S. Whittelsey, A. B. VanDeMark, A. J. Kishpaugh, J. E. Anthony and A. F. Kishpaugh.

Senior Warden—W. S. Whittelsey.
Junior " —A. J. Kishpaugh.
Treas.—A. F. Kishpaugh.
Clerk—F. D. Lancaster.

MANCHESTER.

Mrs. E. M. Tracy is quite sick.

J. D. Bauer is in very poor health.

Clyde Case, of Pittsford, is visiting relatives in town.

Easter exercises by the Sunday-school were held in the M. E. church Sunday evening. A large congregation was in attendance.

Asa Gage, wife and daughter spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Miss Osta Hall, who is attending the University, was home over Sunday.

John Martin and son William went to Rochester, N. Y., Monday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goodyear and two daughters spent Easter Sunday in Brooklyn.

The Misses Julia Conklin and Julia Martin spent a few days of their vacation at home, returning to Ypsilanti Monday.

A daughter of Joseph Hudson, who lives in the south-east part of the township, was buried in Oak Grove cemetery Sunday afternoon.

MACON.

Lester Collier is failing.

Scarlet fever at Erwin Conklin's.

Milan Sage visited the county seat Saturday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bracey has the measles.

Acel Smith and wife, of Ridgeway, spent Sunday with Macon friends

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Pratt returned to their home in Toledo the first of the week.

A little daughter came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. George Bendel last week.

Quite a number from here attended the G. A. R. entertainment in Tecumseh Monday night.

The W. C. T. U. will hol[d] [a] meeting in the old D. R. c[hurch] day afternoon of this week. [pur]pose of electing officers.

The M. E. Sunday-school elected the following officers last Sunday:

Supt.—Erwin Conklin.
Asst. Supt.—Edward Miller.
Sec. and Treas.—Mabel Pennington.
Choirster—Isaiah Hendershot.
Organist—Bertha Allen.

FRANKLIN.

George Semark is laying tile for O. W. Allen.

Carl Wisner came home from Ann Arbor last week Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Seth Simmons, a boy. Mother and child doing well.

Cecil Billington writes from Detroit that he is well and has suffered no relapse from going to work before full recovery from measles.

$100 Reward, $100.

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To all such women, the word that Peru-na will absolutely cure catarrh, will therefore be good news. Pe-ru-na, by removing the catarrh, sweetens the breath and causes healthy secretions to take the place of the irritating ones which have been the cause of so much discomfort. The teeth are easily cleaned and the effects of a brisk brushing remain. The tongue resumes its natural color and the unhealthy coating disappears. Catarrh of the stomach also is often the cause of foul breath. Peru-na cures catarrh wherever located.

A book of 64 instructively illustrated pages on catarrh, of which Dr. Hartman is the author, will be sent free to any address for a short time by The Peru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

The young men of Larned, Kansas, have banded together under a solemn oath not to marry until they are 30.

Mr. J. A. J. Simpson, of Glen Forks, Ky., states: "I was afflicted with palsy and whenever I would recover from an attack of it a severe cough would set in, almost taking my breath away. This coughing would last hours, and nothing seemed to relieve me until I tried Lightning Cough Drops, which gave me immediate relief. I used two bottles of it and have never been troubled with a cough since." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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VOICES OF CONGRESSMEN.

Many Representatives Have Won Celebrity by Lung Power.

There is always some one member of the house who possesses a voice far superior in depth and volume to that of any of the other members, which in itself serves to give the member possessing it a certain reputation. In the present house, says the Washington Post, this voice is possessed by Marriott Brosius, of the Tenth Pennsylvania district. Mr. Brosius has a faculty of talking so loud at times that the people in the galleries cannot distinguish what he says. Another Pennsylvanian who possessed a similarly powerful voice was the late W. D. Kelley, commonly known as "Pig Iron" Kelley. In his day he held the voice record against all comers until Charles H. Van Wyck, of New York, who was afterward a senator from Nebraska, appeared on the scene. His voice was even greater than that of Mr. Kelley. Back in the old days the greatest voice known to congress was that of the late William Allen, of Ohio, whose statue now stands in Statuary hall at the capitol. It is told of Mr. Allen, when he was in the house, before the days of railroads, that one of his colleagues left for his home in Ohio. The day after he was gone, Allen lamented the fact that he had taken his departure so soon, as he wanted to consult him about some measure which had come up suddenly. "That needn't trouble you, Allen," said a fellow-member. "He hasn't got across the Alleghenies yet. Just go out on the balcony and call him back."

DIDN'T WORK WITH A SKUNK.

Hose Method of Hunting Seems to Be for Rabbits Only.

The Sun recently told of a man who hunted rabbits with a hose, and got them. The Sportsmen's Review tells how other men tried the same scheme in a Chicago suburb, and why one of them wishes he hadn't. The way to hunt rabbits with a hose is to push the hose down into the rabbit hole, and have men guard all the exits, while somebody yells into the hose.

A man named Cutler doubted the efficiency of the method, according to the Review, but a man named Von Lengorke said it would work, and he would prove it. A party of hunters set forth after the rabbits, and came to a rabbit hole. Cutler guarded an entrance, while Abe Kleinman did the yelling.

The rabbit went out of the hole over Cutler's head, and away out of sight. Cutler admitted that he had been in the wrong, but he wanted to try to catch a rabbit, and, pointing to a hole, said it looked likely.

As before, Kleinman yelled into the hole. Cutler got close to the hole, so that he would be sure of the rabbit this time. He saw a beast coming, and with both arms clasped it tightly when it struck his breast.

The onlookers heard a muffled yell, such as a half-choked man might utter, and saw Cutler roll over backward, throwing the beast from him. Instead of a rabbit the beast was a scared skunk.

THE CELANDINE.

An Ancient Remedy for Cancer Now Almost Forgotten.

In a recent Science Echo attention was called to the use of Chelidonium sap in the treatment of cancer successfully practiced by a St. Petersburg doctor. Mr. Leeson Prince writes to the current number of Nature giving quotations from ancient writers showing that this plant was highly valued by them for medicinal purposes. Thus in a Latin work published in 1491 at Mayence, in speaking of the plant Chelidonium majus, we read: "And for cancer of the mouth the powder of the root is compounded with the powder of roses and boiled with vinegar."

Again, in a Dutch edition published in 1644, of a work of Theophrastus, after describing a method of preparing a decoction of the plant, the writer goes on to say: "The use of this liquid is esteemed, which taken into the body corrects and dispells all corrupt pernicious humors." Great botanists like Linnaeus, Murray and others have, it seems, expressed in their writings astonishment at the oblivion into which a plant so energetic as the Celandine has fallen, while the ancients knew how to appreciate its qualities. After all, then, Wordsworth may be forgiven for writing two odes to the greater and lesser Celandine, respectively, and the scathing sarcasm bestowed upon him for so doing by Byron was scarcely merited.

GORGEOUS MALE SERVANTS.

Lord Mayor's Gentlemen's Uniforms to Clothe Dusky Monarchs.

I was told some amusing facts the other day about the lord mayor's men servants. It seems, says a writer in the Collector, that the present lord mayor has 15, eight of whom are over six feet in height. Their livery is sapphire blue velvet, with heavy gold lace. These uniforms are only worn during the year of office, after which they become the property of the servants, who sell them to the firm which supplied them.

This is an ancient house, having the monopoly of supplying uniforms to the servants of city grandees. And what do you suppose becomes of these clothes eventually? They are sent out to African kings for wear on state occasions, at least the majority are, though a few are retained for the theaters.

But the most comical part of the whole affair is that the firm of clothiers is sometimes asked to send out a throne or a crown of gold to the dusky potentates with the garments. "And they do it, too: a city merchant will supply anything under the sun.

Ornaments Exchanged for Food.

During the Indian famine of 1879-1880 the mint at Bombay received $12,000,000 worth of gold and silver ornaments, sold by the natives for food.

More Railroad Talk.

St. Louis, Mich., April 17.—A representative of a company styling itself the Central Michigan Railroad company, with headquarters at Marshall, is in this city looking after the interests of that organization. The contemplated line leaves the old Coldwater Mackinaw line at Carson City, taking a northeasterly course to St. Louis and Midland, thence north through the hardwood belt to either Alpena or Cheboygan. The project meets with favor here and help will be given.

To Keep Up a Sound Money Campaign.

Grand Rapids, April 17.—The "sound money" democratic state central committee has decided to keep up its organization and work. Clerks will continue in charge of headquarters to superintend the organization of the counties and to distribute the literature. Reports were received showing the total vote cast in the recent election to be 25,000, with 15 counties yet to hear from.

It Is Bankrupt.

Detroit, April 17.—There is a strong probability that the plan of holding the state fair at Detroit will be abandoned. At least $50,000 is needed and only $5,000 has been raised. This sum was subscribed by the hotels. If the fair is held in Detroit a stock company will be organized for ten years. If not held in Detroit, there will be no state fair until 1898. Meanwhile the State Agricultural society is bankrupt.

Lake Barge Sinks.

Ludington, Mich., April 19.—Tow barge Charles N. Ryan went to the bottom a quarter of a mile off this port in 25 feet of water Sunday. In trying to make the harbor the current carried her onto the north pier, breaking a hole in her bow. Her crew reached land in safety.

Big Debate to Take Place April 29.

Ann Arbor, April 17.—After considerable correspondence the date for the Michigan-Chicago debate has been set for April 29. As this is after the spring vacation a large delegation of Michigan students cannot accompany their debaters to Chicago as has been expected.

Michigan Baseball League.

Lansing, April 20. — The Michigan Baseball league, comprising the cities of Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Saginaw, Bay City and Port Huron, will open the season next week. Strong teams have been put in the field in each of the league cities.

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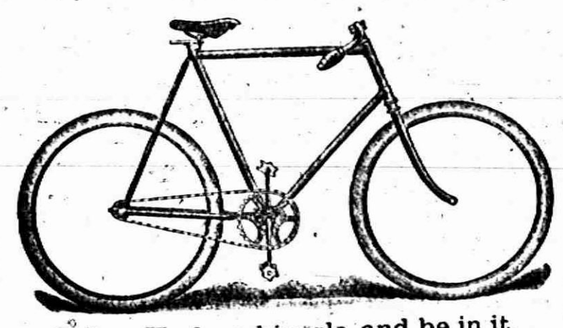

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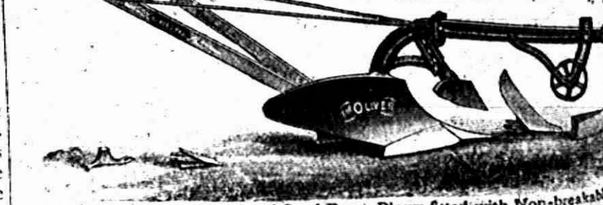

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

George Exelby has been "gripping it" this week.

John Ed Keyes, of Clinton, was in town Tuesday.

Village caucus has been called for next Monday the 26th.

Rev. C. I. Deyo visited friends in Kalamazoo county this week.

Fred Nobles is working on the C. J. & M. section and will continue for a time.

Mrs. James DuBois has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism this week.

Burton Nichols and wife were guests of Clinton friends from Friday until Sunday.

Vern Yates is now indulging in midday naps. He does not sit up with the sick, either.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson attended what is termed in the Reformed church "The Classes" at Muskegon this week.

Frank Heath, of Milan, and Miss Lena Swick, of Tecumseh, were guests of Miss Bertha Britton over Sunday.

C. R. Maybee had an important call to make in Adrian Sunday so went over Saturday night to be on hand to the minute.

Sam Underwood, Eb Price, James Wright and John and Will Britton attended the funeral of Mr. Ladd at Adrian Tuesday.

C. H. Goodrich and Geo. Clark were visiting in Detroit Monday. What escaped their notice was not worth mentioning.

Will Allen and family enjoyed a visit from Mrs. A's brother, C. O. Hiscock, and wife, of Albion, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. C. Exelby will lead the C. E. service at the Reformed church Sunday. The topic will be, "True Liberty, and How it is Won."

Rev. N. F. Nickerson accepted an invitation to deliver his illustrated lecture on "Lot's Wife" before a Muskegon audience last evening.

J. L. Kishpaugh and Ralph drove up to Clinton Sunday. Ralph remained to take his school examination and returned home yesterday.

Will Osgood went to Morenci Friday, where his wife and boy have been for some time, and visited friends until Tuesday when they all returned home.

Grisier & Co. did not continue in the grocery business long, they having sold their stock to O. B. Lenardson last Thursday and Harland left here for Fayette Friday.

Talk about taking Time by the forelock! Britton can go one better. Just think of it! Andrew Gogline is in April doing a rushing business, making cider from green apples.

At the Reformed church Sunday morning the pastor will discourse on the topic, "What is the Matter with Our Faith?" and in the evening on "The Duty of Happiness."

Just ten days after the proofs of the death of Lafayette Gregory were sent in to the Great Tent, K. O. T. M., the amount, $2,000, was received by Commander Clark and paid to the widow.

The room which for some time past has been occupied by the band boys for rehearsals being rented by Mr. Berry for a bakery, they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Gripton Monday evening, and not only had a fine rehearsal but enjoyed a musicale as well.

Claude Lowe, Will Swick and George Clark went up to Tecumseh Saturday morning, expecting to return on the noon train. For some reason they failed to connect and not desiring to wait for the 5:50 train and having no destination to walk home, began looking around for some way out of their dilemma. Seeing Franc Yates' rig on the street, they simply took it and drove home, leaving him to get home as best he could which proved to be by walking to Ridgeway and there he got a ride into Britton. Franc appreciates the joke.

At the meeting of Ivy Leaf Hive, L. O. T. M., last Friday evening, the committee on entertainment, consisting of Mesdames Eb. Price, Vern Ousterhout, Jay Lee and O. B. Lenardson, sprung a surprise upon the members which proved most enjoyable to all present. They invited the husbands of all the married members to present themselves at given hour and had prepared choice refreshments for all. They kept the whole matter a profound secret and the surprise was complete. Several gentlemen were greatly favored by receiving initiation into degrees prepared for the occasion and it is said that Doc Henderson even now can show indisputable proof that he rode the goat.

Last Saturday evening at the residence of Chas. DuBois, an egg-eating contest took place, the losers to pay all the expense. They were to go in pairs. It was expected there would be quite a number to compete, but several who were to take a hand failed to materialize so Ed Gripton, Ralph Kishpaugh, Chas Smith and Ernest DuBois had to finish all the fun for the onlookers. Mr. DuBois and Mrs. Kishpaugh were to prepare the eggs in any style desired by the consumer and while the contest lasted they were kept busy. It proved a victory for Gripton and Kishpaugh as both showed the white feather before the third egg was consumed. DuBois did marvelous execution and for a time looked as if he would be able single handed to win the victory, but even his ability had a limit and he finally succumbed. The following shows the score:—Kishpaugh, 16 1-2, Gripton, 18—34; Smith, 6 1-2, DuBois, 26—28 1-2. Now would you like to board Ernest Clark? he had his appetite with him? Oh, there was fun galore.

A. Gogoline was in Tecumseh on business Tuesday.

Every seat was filled and many remained standing throughout the entire Easter service at the Reformed church last Sunday evening. The display of potted flowers was not extensive but they were artistically arranged. The young people deserve credit for their performance in the cantata.

RIDGEWAY.

Lena Stewart rides a Pelham wheel.

T. H. Temple made a business trip to Adrian Monday.

Three tons of milk were received at the creamery Monday.

Wm. Riggs and family visited Saline relatives Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Addie Boardman, of Springville, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Green, of Raisin, visited her daughter, Mrs. Graves, this week.

Lank Smith and wife, of Macon, visited his brother, Ace Smith, Tuesday.

C. O. and Mrs. Hiscock are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Guy Pocklington spent Sunday with friends in Jackson, returning Monday.

Thomas Toby, of Adrian, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. M. M. Florance.

Philip Sisson moved back onto his farm in Macon township the first of the week.

Ed Gould, the west side grocery merchant, started his wagon on the road Friday.

Next Sunday evening the Easter services will be carried out as announced last week.

Mrs. Wm. Barrett returned Saturday from a two weeks' stay with her daughter in Jackson.

The remains of Mrs. Hinckley, of Dundee, were brought here for burial Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Julia Robison Wilson, of Mecosta, visited her cousin, W. R. Wilson, and family, Friday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lafayette Rappleye and Mrs. Frank Clarkson spent Easter Sunday with Toledo relatives, returning Tuesday.

Ed Smith, our hustling hardware and grocery merchant, has a new device for exhibining goods at his place of business.

Beginning with Monday May 1st, the library will only be open to the public evenings from six to nine o'clock, until Oct. 1st.

Clarence Squires, of Ann Arbor, came over on his wheel Tuesday to spend a portion of his vacation with relatives and friends.

James Murphy, of the class of '96, who is attending Cleary's business college at Ypsilanti, visited the school here Monday.

Floyd Smith, who has behn enjoying a couple of months with his sister, Mrs. C. E. Staats, at Chatham, N. Y., arrived home Friday.

Remember the last entertainment of the Tecumseh star course, the Boston Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar club, will be given at Sutton's opera house Saturday evening of this week.

Leigh Lynch, special commissioner for the world's fair to hunt freaks for midway, will give his stereoptican lecture at Sutton's opera house, Tecumseh, next week Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Research circle. The entertainment will be interesting, instructive and educational. Tickets may be had of J. D. Arner. Single admission 25 cents.

LAKE RIDGE.

Will and George East were Toledo visitors from Friday until Monday.

The Lake Ridge Sunday-school will give an entertainment Saturday evening of this week in the Henry school house.

The funeral of Mrs. James East was held at the F. M. church, Friday, conducted by her pastor, Rev. F. Baker, and attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends. The interment took place at Mooreville.

Died, at her home in Macon, Saturday April 17th, Sarah, eldest daughter of Mrs. Wm. Young, and wife of Mr. McCole. She leaves three small children, besides a mother, step-father, four brothers and four sisters. The funeral was held at the house Monday, conducted by Rev. F. Baker. The interment took place at Holloway. The husband and family have the sympathy of the entire community. The children will be cared for by the grandparents.

From Another Correspondent.

School began Monday.

James Langthorn is very sick.

Mrs. George Wilkins is very low.

J. F. Gilmore is building a woodhouse.

Mrs. James East died Tuesday of palsy, aged 86.

Rob Mills is now connected with the union telegraph line.

Mrs. Charles Barrett is quite sick with grip and rheumatism.

F. S. Stimpson, of Milan, made a business trip to Adrian Monday.

J. E. Baker, who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is convalescing.

F. N. Miller and M. J. Harrington will be cut on the U. T. line this week.

Thurlow McMullen, of Milan, brother of Mrs. Thomas Butler, died Friday of pneumonia, aged 15.

The directors of the Union Telegraph company have appointed Fred N. Miller treasurer and manager of said company, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of L. H. Gregory. The line is working nicely and doing lots of local and outside work.

Mrs. Irve Wilkins of Ithaca, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Tunison, of Calhoun county, visited at W. D. Eastlick's last week. They had not met since the close of the war in 1865.

The patrons of the Ridgeway creamery met Friday and received payment for March delivery of milk through the hustle of D. W. Loree in overhauling Christensen and stopping payment on N. Y. draft for sale of March butter. Doc made a home run if he did ditch the Adrian contingent.

We are well supplied with voting machines but are greatly in need of improved canvassing machinery. It is quite a task to do it by hand and took our election board until three o'clock in the morning to canvass 300 votes and there is no certainty now of its being correctly done. But one thing is sure, in drawing cuts silver candidates invariably win.

CONE.

E. Allshouse has returned home from Pentecost.

Mrs. Jacob Curry visited friends in Britton Tuesday.

Elmer Smith and family spent Sunday at Oliver Logan's.

Walter Caswell was in Sandusky, O., several days last week.

Carl Curry is able to walk around with the aid of crutches.

John Curry, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday buying eggs.

Ed. St. George and sister Mabel, of Tecumseh, visited friends here Sunday.

Pat Curry, Aaron and Ben Auten came home from Adrian to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Lyra Auten was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Packard, at West Dundee, Sunday.

Horace Logan and family spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Logan Valley.

A number of young people attended Easter services at the Despelder church Sunday afternoon.

George Caswell preached at the church Sunday evening in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Kinney.

J. M. Auten had the misfortune to lose about $50 worth of wood by fire at his coal kilns near Rea Monday morning.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Maggie Moore is reported better.

H. H. Atwell and daughter visited at Conrad Atwell's Sunday.

Chandler Knapp, of Sand Creek, was the guest of Edward Islay over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calhoun now reside in the house formerly occupied by Thos. Hartman.

Frank Benedict and family, of Adrian, were guests of Chas. Benedict and family over Sunday.

New and stylish millinery to be shown at the rooms of E. H. Fish this week. Every one invited.

Mrs. Miranda Iveson has returned from Hudson and Palmyra and is stopping with her granddaughter, Mrs. Chas. Pfund for an indefinite time.

Officers of the Free Methodist Sunday-school were elected Sunday as follows:

Supt.—Ellen Atwell, re-elected.
Ass't Supt.—Hattie Dawson.
Sec. and Treas.—Albert Miller.

For more than a hundred years the Shakers have been studying the remedial properties of plants. They have made many discoveries, but their greatest achievement was made last year. It is a cordial that contains already digested food and is a digester of food. It is effective in removing distress after eating, and creates an appetite for more food so that eating becomes a pleasure. Pale, thin people become plump and healthy under its use. It arrests the wasting of consumption.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 23, 1897.

The shooting of Lafayette Ladd, one of Adrian's foremost citizens, by a burglar last Friday night, was a terrible affair; indeed the loss of such a man is a public calamity. Adrian is overrun with tramps and toughs of all kinds, and now that one of Lenawee's best men has been foully murdered, the county officers will no doubt think it time something was done and arrest these prowlers, as should have been done some time ago.

Cape Palmas, Liberia, Africa.
March 6, 1897.

EDITOR HERALD:—

If any of your readers are hankering after a new and exciting experience, let him come to Africa and have an attack of the African fever. It will hunt out parts of his anatomy that he never knew existed, and wake up boyish memories of sound thrashings in school and bring aches and pains beyond description. I can speak with authority, for I have just been through the fire.

Thinking that the readers of the HERALD will be interested in hearing from a Tecumseh boy in Africa, I again address your paper, having seen and learned many interesting things relating to the natives, in Africa, picking up these bits of information during my trips into the country where I went among the natives, into their homes and among their kings and medicine men, learning much of their superstitions and beliefs.

I will commence with a description of the St. Paul river. It flows into the bay at Morovia, is about one mile wide at its mouth but narrows rapidly to about a quarter of a mile at White Plains. 25 miles back from the coast. The banks are very low at first, but soon rise as the rolling country is reached. The banks near the mouth of the river are covered with great Mangrove swamps, which are very peculiar in that the roots of the tree are above the ground but are covered with water at high tide. Nature has provided for the support of these trees by sending out creepers, which start out from the branches and drop 30 or 40 feet to the ground, taking root and so furnishing a strong support for the tree. These swamps are so dense that it is impossible for any but a native to penetrate them.

As you go up the river and the banks become higher, the vegetation changes. The bamboo, which is a species of fern, begins to appear, and I have counted as many as six varieties at one time. One, a very interesting kind, grows like a vine, and at each joint it is provided with little hooks which catch anything they come in contact with and so aid the vine in climbing, and you will see this vine climbing out at the tops of the tallest trees and waving around in the air as though it were reaching for the heavens. The natives call it a "wait-a-bit" for it is always catching their clothing and stopping them. The banks of the river keep getting higher and higher and the palms begins to appear. There is a large variety of palms, including the cocoanut palm, the oil palm and many others.

The palm oil tree is of the greatest interest because of the many valuable articles obtained from it, being almost indispensible to the native. The fruit is a nut, which grows in a bunch at the top of the tree, only one bunch on each tree but about a peck of nuts in each bunch; the nut is about the size of a butternut, but flat on the side like an almond, and is covered with a fibery shuck which is bright red in color and full of oil. When the nuts are ripe the bunch is cut out and taken home, the nuts are taken out and boiled or roasted and the fiber-like shuck is eaten as an article of food, half a dozen palm nuts being a morning meal for a native. After the shuck is eaten off, the nuts are dried and cracked and the kernel, which, with the exception of coffee, is the principle export, is saved. From this part of the coast another article, made from the shuck of the palm nut is palm butter, no cows butter being obtainable in this section. I made several attempts to fathom the mysteries of making this article, but "No saby" was all the satisfaction I could get; but as I have tasted it and still live, I think it cannot be very deadly.

The palm nut tree also furnishes the thatch with which the native covers the roof of his humble dwelling, also the fiber forms the partition to his house and the mats on his floor. Another article is palm wine, also make from the same tree. The tree is cut down, the top cut off, and the sap runs out of the top for weeks after the tree is cut; gallons of the sap being thus obtained and allowed to ferment. The natives get into a beastly state of intoxication on this wine.

The only food products cultivated by the natives are rice and kasada. When the planting time approaches—which is just before the rainy season commences—each head man of the towns goes out and selects his farm for that season; no farm is planted two seasons in succession, because the second season the weeds commence to grow. The native never works the farm; after it is planted is is left to itself until the crop is ready to harvest. The farm that he selects is covered with brush six or seven years old, and in Africa the brush grows so dense that you cannot get through it only as you cut your way, and the trees in a brush six years old will be six inches in diameter.

The native begins his farming with a great feast and dance; then comes the clearing and burning of the land. The work is all done with a cutlass—an old sword blade fastened into a handle—but the fellow works with a will and soon has his farm cleared, generally about four acres. The burning over of the ground kills the weeds for that season.

The women do the planting amid drinking and feasting. One odd feature of the planting, and one that they appear to enjoy, is that as each row is finished they spend about ten minutes in a general hugging bee, and it does not seem to matter whether a man hugs his own or some other man's wife, but they all have a good time. By the end of the rainy season the crop is matured and is harvested by the women amid feasting and dancing; the heads of the rice are cut off, tied in little bundles and put in large, drumlike boxes, fastened to the rafters of the houses where it is dried, and it is to be beaten out in large wooden morters as it is wanted for food.

The kasada grows very much like the American artichoke; in planting, the native simply takes a stalk and cuts it into lengths of about three feet laying them on the ground and scraping a little dirt over them. Each joint sprouts and grows a hill of kasada much as a hill of potatoes grows.

Nature provides most abundantly for these simple people for with very little labor they are able to provide an abundance of food and bananas, planting, pineapples, cocoanuts breadfruit, pears, plums and many other varieties of fruit.

They make cloth from native cotton and almost everything from the grass which grows very rank.

Respectfully yours,
W. N. FOWLER, M. D.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL ROOM, April 19th, 1897.

Present—The President, Clerk, Trustees Heesen, Eldridge, Lowry, Wright, Heesen: absent, Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street commissioner's report for period from April 5 to April 19 presented, showing village team labor 4½ days, hired team labor 2 days; hand labor 3 days and poll tax worked $3.18.

Chairman finance committee reported that finance committee had borrowed $880 from the Lilley State bank for three months with interest at 5 per ct.

NEW BUSINESS.

The druggist bond of Orr & Temple, in the penal sum of $2,000, with Geo. W. Knapp and James A. Boyd as sureties, which bond was executed in due and regular form, was presented for approval. Moved and supported that the bond of Orr & Temple, with sureties named be approved. Carried.

Druggist bond of Charles A. Wright in the penal sum of $2,000, executed in due and regular form, with Lucius Lilley and J. S. Strong as sureties, was presented for approval. Moved that the bond of Chas. A. Wright, with sureties named, be approved. Carried.

The liquor bond of Jacob Cheever, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500, with Eugene Service and I. P. Keyser as sureties, presented for approval. Moved and supported that said bond be laid on the table, for purpose of allowing principal in bond to make showing as to responsibility of sureties. Carried.

The liquor bond of Kennedy & Kolkleusch, duly executed in the penal sum of $3,500, with George Teachout and A. J. Usborne as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond with sureties named, be approved. Carried.

The liquor bond of I. P. Keyser July executed, in the penal sum of $3,500, with George Merrett and Jacob Cheever as sureties, presented for approval. Moved and supported that said bond with sureties named be approved. Carried.

The liquor bond of Eugene Service, duly executed in the penal sum of $3,500, with Jacob Cheever and Albert J. Usborne as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that said bond, with sureties named, be approved. Carried.

The following bills were presented and referred to finance committee: D. Packard $3.75; Alva Waring $5. Finance committee reported favorably on all of above bills, and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the same.

Thereupon the President appointed Charles Bidwell as Marshal.

Moved that the appointment of Chas. Bidwell as marshal be confirmed. Carried.

Moved that salary of Marshal remain the same as last year, $150. Carried.

Moved that salary of deputy marshal be fixed at $25 for ensuing year. Carried.

Thereupon the President instructed the marshal to see that all sidewalks needing repairs be repaired at once.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

High Noon Wedding.

At 12 o'clock on Wednesday, April 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington occurred the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Etta, to Mr. Edward McDermid, of London, Ont. The Lohengrin wedding march was played by Miss Ella Chilson. The first to enter were Misses Harriet Bates and Mary Osborn carrying the ribbons. They were met at the improvised altar by Rev. Frank Lyon, of Cleveland, Rev. B. S. Hudson, Mr. Edgar Coddington as best man, and the groom. Then came Miss Minnie Wheeler, of Detroit, as maid of honor bearing the ring upon the tray, followed by Miss Etta, leaning upon the arm of her father. Rev. Frank Lyon spoke a few impressive and appropriate words and then the marriage vows were taken, Rev. B. S. Hudson pronouncing them man and wife.

After prayer Mr. Lyon introduced Mr. and Mrs. McDermid and they then received the congratulations of their friends. The large number of useful and valuable gifts attest the esteem in which the bride is held. Many remembrances await them at their new home.

The guests from abroad were Mrs. M. McDermid, London, Ont., mother of the groom; Mrs. J. K. McDermid, London, Ont., sister-in-law of the groom; Miss Tena McDermid, Petrolia, Ont., sister of the groom; Rev. Frank Lyon, Cleveland, O.; Mr. Geo. Bennett, Mrs. Emma Whitmore, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Clanharty, Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Teeter, Bert and Alma Teeter, Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lester, Miss Minnie Wheeler, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, Weston; Miss Lue Hendryx, Coldwater.

Mr. and Mrs. McDermid left in the evening for their home in London, Ont., followed by the best wishes of their many friends. She will be greatly missed in her home and in the church in which she was an active worker.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., April 20, 1897:

Tom Fifield, Howard L. Davis,
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April 23 to 26 inclusive, 1897, the Lake Shore & Michigan, Southern R'y will sell excursion tickets to New York and return at reduced rates, account Grant Monument Ceremonial, good to return, leaving New York until May 4th. Inquire of ticket agents.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Rose Abbot, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Alva Spayde in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 17th day of May, 1897, and on the 18th day of November, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 18th day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 18th, 1897.

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Bice's Bakery as now Located in the Jones Block on the North Side of Chicago Street.

Four years ago the 18th day of last December Mrs. M. E. Bice started in the bakery and confectionary business in the VanTyne block. At that time it was quite an experiment whether the undertaking would be a success or not, but on account of strict attention to the business and the act of studying the wants of customers, the trade soon began to grow. For many months it has been evident the VanTyne store was not large enough to accommodate the business and new quarters were looked for.

After a time arrangements were perfected for a five years' lease of the present three-story building onto which was built an addition of twenty-two feet. The main floor is used as a show room, located in front, back of which is a lunch counter, opposite of which will be the ice cream parlor and in the rear is located the bakery. The second floor is used as living apartments and the third floor will be the confectionery. So complete are all the appointments of the establishment that it is no doubt better fitted than that of any other like business in the county.

Latterly, aside from the regular bakery and confectionery business, has been added catering, and all orders in this line are given prompt and careful attention.

The success of this business is due to the untiring energy and prompt business methods of Mrs. Bice who with her corps of assistants will continue to please the patrons of the store in every way possible.

Thursday, April 29th.

The noted traveler, Leigh Lynch, special commissioner for the World's Fair, will visit Tecumseh with his illustrated lecture, "Hunting Freaks for the Midway," on the evening of the 29th of April. All who would like to take a year's tour in a couple of hours at the small expense of 25 cts. should improve the rare opportunity.

The countries visited are Hawaii, Molokai, the Leper island, Honolulu, with pictures of the palace, the queen, government house, diamond head, the royal palace, avenues, etc., then to Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Straits of Malacca, Johore, Siam, Borneo, Java, Thursday Island, Queensland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Samoa and home.

At Johore Mr. Lynch was the guest of the Sultan. In Siam he had interviews with King Chulalon Korn, and in Samoa he was the guest of Robert Louis Stevenson.

A trip almost around the world with a courier like this breezy racounteur, is an opportunity that should be embraced by every man, woman and child in Tecumseh.

Mr. Lynch has a pleasing personality and describes delightfully the peculiar experiences of his wonderful trip, which with the numerous pictures of strange scenes and people encountered makes the evening an enjoyable and instructive one. "Hunting Freaks for Midway" was the bit of the course of entertainments in Jackson this year.—ERASTUS PECK, Circuit Judge, Detroit Tribune.

"Hunting Freaks" was so much enjoyed by the people of Jackson that Mr. Lynch was invited to repeat it and then was called to fill still another date at that city.—Detroit Free Press.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 23, 1897.

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Also a fine quality of Raspberries at 50 cents per hundred. ROBERT SMITH, Newburgh, Mich.

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TO LOAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Address Lock Box 128, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

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Ben Ellis was home over Sunday.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teeple's

J. H. Tribou, of Detroit, spent Sunday at home.

Best field pea seed can be found at Mobbs & Co's.

The Boston Ideal Club close the Star Course tomorrow night.

J. H. M. Campbell and wife, of Clayton, spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Harris & Hiteshu have a store full of beautiful dress goods and trimmings.

The ladies of the Universalist church give a supper next Friday. Everyone welcome.

Tickets for the concert tomorrow night are on sale at E. J. Peter's jewelry store.

Fred Clark and wife, of Adrian, spent Sunday with Mrs. C's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Snow.

Peter Aldrich, of Brooklyn, was the guest of his son, Fred, and wife from Saturday until Tuesday.

Misses Lucy Bliven and Elna Warren of Blissfield, came over to spend Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Sisson.

Ed. Porter, formerly with J. M. Jones, is now working in Adrian for Lindoall, the merchant tailor.

Walter C. Burridge left Tuesday for Kansas City, Mo., on legal business. He will return Saturday morning.

Albert Wallace, who for a long time was Jones' pant maker, is now at Findlay, O. His family are still here.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Gage and Myrtie, of Manchester, visited their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Davidson Saturday and Sunday.

If you have an idea of buying a wheel this season, consult L. C. Hayden. He has the agency for National, Clipper and Belle wheels.

Put Cole, wife and grandson, after a few days' visit with Geo. Teachout and family, returned to their home in Onsted the last of the week.

One of the most important features of the performance by the Boston Ideal is the quartet singing, with accompaniment by banjos and guitars.

We have just received some very late patterns in Crape Paper. Call and see them. Lovers of the beautiful will be paid for calling. S. E. PARRISH.

Mrs. A. E. Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Brown, left for her home at the Winona Assembly Ground, Eagle Lake, Ind., Monday last.

Mrs. Norman Matteson was called to Indiana Monday on account of the severe illness of her father, Wm. Mixer. Mr. Mixer resided in Tecumseh some 20 years ago.

Richard Hudson, professor of history in the University of Michigan, visited the Tecumseh schools Wednesday. He was very much pleased with the work done here.

Dan Hubbard arrived in town from Toledo Wednesday and will take a chair in Vet Erskine's barber shop. Dan has many friends in Tecumseh who are glad to see him come back.

Mrs. John H. Mills, who is perfectly helpless, had the misfortune Sunday to get a piece of potato lodged in her throat. She had several severe choking spells. All efforts of the physician failed to dislodge it and she suffered until Monday morning when they succeeded in removing it and she was relieved.

Geo. H. Tansley has the finest and only exclusive Crockery and China store in Southern Michigan. He has all the latest novelties, both foreign and domestic, and certainly can give you the lowest prices. Call and see him.

Do not forget the Universalist social next Friday.

Charles Everett made a business trip to Toledo Monday.

Jacob Cheever was in Dundee Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edyth Gordon visited Adrian friends one day this week.

Mrs. Levi Hayden and Miss Camilla Meade were in Toledo Monday.

Mrs. Mary Tuttle now occupies the Mooney house, on Pearl street.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton went to Detroit Wednesday for a visit with her daughters.

Frank Breen is now in Cleveland. He expects to sail on the lakes again this season.

Miss Jennie Root was summoned to Painesville, Ohio, by the severe illness of an aunt.

Teeple's photographic work is first class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

Will Elliott expects to leave the postoffice in a week or so. At least he has ven notice.

Mrs. Sarah Shaw, of Adrian, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Aldrich and neice Mrs. Mollie Vanderpool, were calling on Adrian friends Tuesday.

John Karner visited friends at his old home near Blissfield from Saturday until Tuesday night.

Mrs. R F. Reynolds was called to Detroit Wednesday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Stevens.

Frank Bice, who for some time has been in Buffalo, N. Y., arrived Friday and is making his parents a visit.

You can buy the best Plow Shoe for the least money at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Miss Marguerite Simons arrived from Athens Tuesday evening. She will assist E. J. Peters in the jewelry store.

Frank E. Crossman, wife and little daughter, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. E. R. Crossman.

Harry Dunn arrived in town yesterday morning for a little visit, and his many friends are delighted to see him.

Thomas Adams, Jr., who lives nearly to Dundee, lost a child the last of the week and came to Tecumseh for a casket.

At the council meeting Monday evening, by vote of the members, Charles Bidwell was appointed marshal of the village.

Mrs. C. J. Robinson, of Manchester, came down yesterday to see her little neice, Judith Crane, who was injured yesterday.

You can get first-class watch, clock and jewelry repairing done at Fred P. Kennedy's jewelry store, U. S. express office.

Get your bicycles, lawn mowers, etc., repaired and put in first-class shape at Cutting's machine shop in the Cummins building on Railroad street.

Will Chamberlain, of Cleveland, is again stopping at the Central House, having joined his friend E. L. Jones a short time since.

Mrs. R. C. VanAntwerp has been visiting Tecumseh friends since Thursday of last week. She will remain a short time longer.

Mrs. Clarence Gilmore, after a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gilman, returned to her home at Lake Ridge today.

When you are looking for genuine bargains in Crockery, China and Glassware, be sure and call at Tansley's new store, Heesen Block.

Mrs. Josie Blanchard and daughter Edna, who were the guests of Mrs. A. J. North for a few days, returned to their home in Candor, N. Y., Tuesday.

Martin Zimmerman took his departure for Grand Rapids Tuesday, whither he was called on business. He will remain a short time with his parents there.

Tom Breen received a letter Wednesday from his brother Fred written at Genoa, Alaska, also photos in character costumes and a fine specimen of gold quartz.

McNeil & Packard are prepared to do the best work in the line of papering and painting. Prices very reasonable. Leave orders at Montague's novelty store.

On returning from Detroit Tuesday afternoon, S. E. Parrish, while waiting for the train at Britton, fell asleep, and had it not been for a good samaritan, he would have missed the train.

S. E. Parrish spent Sunday with his family in Detroit. They will soon come here to live and will occupy the house on the corner of Logan and Oneida streets where Mike Eckert has lived so long.

John J. Orr received a box yesterday from Dr. Walter Fowler containing a number of weapons carried by the natives which he gathered in the interior of Africa. They are now exhibited in Orr & Temple's window and are really curiosities.

Subjects in the Universalist church sunday:—"Is it lawful on the Sabbath day to do good or to do harm? to save a life or to kill?" Evening "Insanity and the state." Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Who is the true Christian?"

Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Eloise Waring and Miss Jackson, of Manchester, went to Detroit Tuesday to attend some musical entertainments to be held there. Miss Bullock went last night to attend the Corrinni concert, expecting to return today.

Mike Eckart has purchased the Frank Wheeler place, at the west end of Pottawatamie street, and is making extensive repairs thereby not only improving the looks but making it more convenient. When completed he will occupy it and have a cosy home.

Photographic buttons, the latest novelty at Teeple's.

Rev. B. S. Hudson paid Detroit a visit Monday.

Ed Williamson was a Toledo visitor yesterday.

Get your Carriage of Bert Gray. His line is up-to-date.

Lowry, Farley—tandem—Stoffet's livery—too much speed meant loss of skin from Farley's nose.

Jennie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harris, who has been quite ill, is recovering nicely.

Fred B. Wood and family now occupy their own home in Brownville recently purchased of Nathaniel Doke.

Dr. Walter N. Fowler arrived in town from Africa this morning and will spend a few days with his people.

We are sorry to say that Thos. Elliott is still having serious stomach trouble that seems to defy all medical skill.

Mrs. Sumner Collins is home from a prolonged visit with her parents at Montpelier, Ind. She returned Monday.

Bert Cutting does repair work on all kinds, bicycles, lawn mowers, etc., in the Cummins building, Railroad street.

Mrs. Abner Wilson drove to Ann Arbor Saturday after her daughter who will spend the vacation week at home.

Bert Gray will Japan your bicycle frames and ornament them in neat style.

Rev. H. P. Vicborn, of Albion, came down yesterday for a brief visit with Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford. He returns tomorrow.

Mrs. Geo. S. Wilson, who has been spending a few weeks among her Tecumseh friends expects to return to her home in Mecosta Monday.

The Eastern Star chapters of Manchester and Clinton have been invited to visit the Tecumseh Chapter May 13th. An enjoyable time is anticipated.

Reduced rate excursion tickets to New York City and return over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y April 23 to 26 inclusive; good until May 4 to leave that city.

Harris & Hiteshu are showing very fine lines of Spring Wraps for ladies and children and you will be surprised at the prices quoted. Read their "ad" then call and see the realities.

The Six-Nation Medicine Co. have engaged Ed and Marvin Gray for the season to play in a band they are organizing as until fall they will show under canvas. The boys are fine musicians and the company is fortunate in securing their services.

See those Blue Ribbon Buggies at Gray's carriage repository on Railroad street.

An Easter dinner was served at the Lilley house last Sunday which was a great credit to Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and a delight to the guests. The menu cards were decorated in water colors, potted plants and cut flowers decorated the tables and the menu served in courses was indeed fine.

At the parish meeting of St. Peter's church Monday evening the following vestrymen were elected: J. F. Hicks, C. F. Field, L. P. Tribou, Joseph Crosby, L. C. Hayden, T. C. Harris, B. P. Anderson, S. Haight and H. E. Stout. The vestry will meet next Monday evening for the purpose of organizing.

The people of Tecumseh will soon have an opportunity of hearing Bishop G. Mott Williams, of the Diocese of Marquette, as he has kindly consented to fill some of Bishop Davies appointments that he may be able to sail June 15th for Lambeth, England, where he goes to attend the Pan Anglican Synod to be held in July. Bishop Williams was reared in Detroit and has several friends and acquaintances here.

John A. Merritt, of Lockport, N. Y., is an old Tecumseh boy, a brother of Geo. Merritt. He was born here and even when a young man was eager to engage in politics. President McKinley has tendered him the office of third assistant postmaster general and he will no doubt accept. For many years Mr. Merritt has been a prominent Lockport politician and in every way successful. The HERALD adds its mite to the congratulations.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains,	$16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand,	2.00
A large polished Stand,	1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs,	6.00
A polished oak Dinner Set,	7.00
A Sewing Rocker,	1.00
A large Arm Rocker,	2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker,	3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk,	2.50
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A large line of Window shades at 25c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods. WHEELER & SISSON.

On Monday evening, April 25th, the Wagner Quartette and Maus Entertainers will give a concert under the auspices of C. E. society of the Presbyterian church, at the opera house. Mr. and Mrs. Maus have appeared before a Tecumseh audience before most satisfactorily and need no comment. The Wagner Quartette come very highly recommended by the press and a very pleasing programme is looked forward to. Admission at 15 and 25c is within reach of everybody.

Mr. Orville Kemp and family have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in the deep sorrow that overcomes them in the almost tragic death of Ernest, the son and brother, in Colorado, by a snow slide in Eagle River Canon, where he and his cousin, Frank Larzalere, were working in the Highland Mary mine. They, with others, were buried beneath an avalanche of snow, and at last reports theirs were the only bodies recovered. The remains will be brought here for interment. Ernest was an exemplary young man and well known here, having worked for Avery & Co. and Mobbs & Co. in their stores.

Rev. David Lewis returned home from Philadelphia Tuesday evening, owing to the illness of their baby, which is now, under the careful skill of Dr. Howell, nicely convalescing.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will give an entertainment followed by refreshments in the church parlors Thursday evening, April 29th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Warm maple syrup will be served. All are invited.

S. S. Walker, commencing last Monday, took the afternoon run as railway postal clerk on the Jackson branch. This was a great surprise to his many friends and indeed a deserved promotion. His home will be in Jackson and although his time in Tecumseh each day will be very short, lady friends may view his perennial smile as the train goes by.

Chas. T. Grilley, who assists the Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club tomorrow night, is a reciter of superior talents, judging from the many encomiums with which the press has favored him. No doubt his readings or impersonations will form an attractive addition to the musical program.

The highest compliment that can be paid the Boston Ideal Club, which entertained a crowded house in Association Hall last evening, is that its series of numbers are as enjoyable at the end as at the beginning. The Boston Ideals will always meet with a hearty welcome at Toronto.—The Globe, Toronto, Ont.

A local circle of the University Association was organized at the high school building Monday afternoon with the following officers:—

President—Miss Phebe Bullock.
Vice Pres.—Miss J. Gallatin.
Sec.—Miss Alice W. Wimple.
Treas.—Miss Flora Hartbeck.
Leader—C. F. Field.

The circle starts out with about a dozen members. It will take up the course in Universal History for the first year's work.

Word has just been received announcing the immediate return to America of Dr. W. N. Fowler, who went to Africa last fall with Bishop Hartzell in the interest of the missionary society of the M. E. church. The doctor has been very ill with the African fever and there has developed a serious organic heart trouble so that the physicians who attended him send him home at once to recover his health, as the enervating condition of the climate there causes all forms of heart trouble to become speedily fatal. The many friends of the doctor will be sorry to hear of his illness but will be glad to see him and hope he will soon recover his health.

Wednesday evening a little after five o'clock as Mobbs & Co's delivery man was making a trip, in turning from Ottawa street east on Logan, Judith, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Crane, in crossing the street, not seeing the team nor the driver seeing her, the curtain on that side of the wagon being down, ran against the horses hind legs and was thrown to the ground, the horse stepping on her. Fortunately the horse did not kick and, although the child was seriously hurt, having a rib and collar bone broken, it was almost miraculous that she was not killed. While no blame is attached to the driver it was most unfortunate. Thus far the little one has been doing nicely and it is hoped will make a speedy recovery.

The Indian Show company gave their last entertainment Saturday night. A committee consisting of Messrs. Stevens, Doolittle and Earl Updyke considered Miss Iva Elliott the handsomest lady in the room, consequently she received the prise—a nice album containing photos of the entire company. Failing to find three ladies with nerve enough to scrutinize the masculine portion of the audience for the homliest man, that portion of the program was of necessity omitted. Tom Holdway's was the first name drawn out of the box for the pig but he refused to go to the stage for it so another name was drawn and Ray Brownson drew the pig. He was not slow in securing it and holding it in his arms took his seat. Mr. Pig resented his change of quarters so forcibly that the little pen was sent down to him and after that he did not so much as grunt. The company are at Clinton this week.

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vistage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

Mrs. W. M.——, after being barren for ten years, says, "He cured me. We now have two little children. Suffice to say our home is a happy one.

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Miss Ella Crane cured of bronchial trouble and lung disease.

Miss B. H. cured of female weakness after being treated by many noted physicians.

Dr. Walker's specialities are diseases of Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs and all chronic, private and nervous diseases and deformities, as Granulated Lids, Cross Eyes, Deafness, Discharge of the Ears, Bronchitis, Chronic Cough, Goitre (big neck) Fever Sores and Ulcers, Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Heart, Stomach and Nervous Diseases; Chorea (St. Vitus Dance), Epilepsy (fits), General Debility, Scrofula, Skin Diseases and all diseases due to bad blood; also rectal diseases.

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Bank references.

Persons applying for treatment will please bring from two to three ounces of urine, first passed in the morning preferred, for analysis.

Question blanks sent on application. Enclose stamp for reply. Those unable to see the doctor can address

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KITCHEN GARDEN PLANTING TABLE.

Guide to the Proper Times for Sowing of Various Seeds in Order to Obtain Continuous Succession of Crops.

VEGETABLES in the KITCHEN GARDEN.	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Artichoke, Fr. Globe	4	..	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asparagus	..	..	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Beans, Broad	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
" Bush	6	6	6	●	2	2	2	●	..	..	..	..
" Pole Lima	..	..	..	..	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Beets	..	6	4	4	●	●	●	●	..	..	..	..
Borecole or Kale	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	7	..	..	..
Broccoli	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brussels Sprouts	..	..	..	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cabbage, all sorts	..	4	4	1	1	1	●	..	7	..	..	..
Cardoon	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carrot	6	6	5	●	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..
Cauliflower	6	4	4	1	1	1	●	..	..	..	..	..
Celeriac	..	4	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Celery	..	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chicory, Whitloof	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Corn, Field	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
" Sweet	..	..	..	2	2	2	●	..	..	..	..	..
" Pop	..	..	..	..	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
" Salad	..	..	..	●	●	●	●	●	..	..	..	..
Cress	12	12	12	12	3	3	3	3	3	12	12	12
Cucumber	6	6	4	4	●	●	..	6	6	..	..	..
Egg Plant	..	6	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Endive	..	..	..	●	1	●	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kohlrabi	6	6	4	●	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..
Leek	..	..	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lettuce	6	4	4	1	3	●	2	●	7	9	..	..
Melon	6	6	6	4	●	●	●	9	6	6	..	..
Mushroom	10	10	10	10	10	..	..	..	10	10	10	10
Nasturtium	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Okra	..	..	11	11	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Onions	..	4	4	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Parsnips	..	..	5	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Parsley	6	6	4	●	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..
Peas	..	..	5	2	2	2	..	●	..	..	..	..
Pepper	..	..	4	4	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Potatoes	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pumpkin	..	..	..	4	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Radish	12	12	12	12	3	3	..	2	9	9	..	..
Rutabaga	..	..	..	..	..	..	●	●	●	..	..	..
Rhubarb	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salsify	..	..	5	●	●	..	8	8	..	..	..	..
Seakale	..	..	5	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Spinach, Ordinary	..	6	5	2	2	..	..	2	2	8	..	..
" New Zealand	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Squash	..	..	4	4	●	●	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tomato	6	6	4	4	1	..	..	6	6	6	..	..
Turnips	..	..	5	5	●	..	●	●	●	..	..	..

Explanation of Signs Used in the Table.

● To be sown in open ground without transplanting. Plants to be thinned out to proper distances apart.

1. Sow on seed bed in garden and transplant into permanent place.

2. Make two sowings to open ground during the month.

3. Make three sowings in open ground during the month.

4. Sow in greenhouse or hotbed, and plant out as soon as the weather is favorable and ground dry

5. Sow in open ground as soon as it can be worked

6. To be grown only in hotbed or greenhouse.

7. Sow in cold frame. Keep plants there over winter with protection Plant out as soon as weather is favorable.

8. To be grown in open ground and protected with litter during winter

9. Plant in frame, when cold weather sets in, cover with sash mats and shutters, admit fresh air whenever weather with permit.

10. Plant in cellars, barns or under greenhouse benches that are free from draughts, with equable temperature.

11. Few may be started in pots for early and transplanted as soon as ground is warm

12. Sow every week to greenhouse or frame for constant supply

NOTES.

Egg plant, tomatoes, peppers to early spring should have sufficient heat to grow without check, and grown separate from other and hardier varieties, as cabbages.

For last planting of beans, sweet corn, peas, lettuce select earliest varieties as for first early plantings

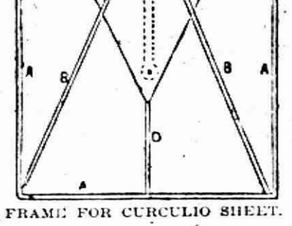
Salsify and parsnips may remain undisturbed over winter and will be in prime condition, if sufficient protection of litter be given to facilitate digging during severe weather

—From American Gardening.

CURCULIO SHEET.

Catching the Pest and Crushing It Is the Only Sure Cure.

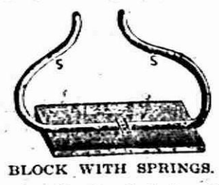
All the spraying mixtures have been tried on plum trees to destroy the curculio, but with little success. Dusting with various mixtures and fumigating with smoke of hay, straw, rotten wood, corn cobs, tar compounds, etc., have served only as a temporary relief—driving them away it may be for a little



FRAME FOR CURCULIO SHEET.

time. It seems that catching the "little turk" and destroying him (or her) bodily is the only "sure cure."

To do this, take a sheet of any thin, cheap stuff—as cheese cloth—of suitable size, say three yards square—secure it over a frame of light slats made as indicated in the cut, Fig. 1. The three sides AAA, are full length; the other side has an opening to allow the device to be placed under the tree. To secure rigidity, add two slats as braces, shown at BB. Cords are secured to the outer slats at CC; passing back they unite at D, the purpose being to enable one per-



BLOCK WITH SPRINGS.

son to handle the device readily by grasping the slat A with one hand and the united cords D with the other hand. The dotted lines O indicate the opening in the sheet which allows the same to be projected under the tree. The space between the dotted lines may be covered when the sheet is placed upon the ground by means of a flap.

Fig. 2 represents a wooden block, H, with springs attached in such manner as that it may be readily and securely attached to any part of the body of the tree to be jarred. The block H should be padded so as to prevent injury to the tree when it is struck with maul. The operator supplied with such an outfit as indicated may go rapidly over the plum orchard of cool mornings when the curculio are dormant. Jar them down upon the sheet and destroy them. —G. W. Waters, in Ohio Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Keep suckers from growing around the base of the trees.

There is no necessity for any kind of shade in the garden.

The time to shape the heads of the trees is when they are young.

In selecting trees take those with a smooth, healthy-looking bark, with small fibrous roots.

If trees are planted for a wind-break care should be taken to have them of a close-growing habit.

If the trees are washed in the spring with strong soapsuds or lye, many insect pests will be destroyed.

With seeds that are slow to germinate in the garden it will often be a good plan to sow a few radish seed.

One advantage in having fruits growing on well-drained land is that the fruits will come to a maturity earlier.

To prevent rot in grapes commence spraying early, using the Bordeaux mixture, so as to kill the disease before warm weather sets in.—St. Louis Republic.

SOIL FOR RASPBERRIES.

Different Varieties Demand Entirely Different Ground.

As to soil for raspberries different varieties demand different soil in order to do their best. The red and white kinds require a deep, rich moist soil and one that is rather compact. Generally they do poorly on sandy soil, though in the extreme north they may show an exception to the rule. The black raspberry will do well in either light or heavy soil, but they will do best on soil that is light. In the selection of plants we will remember that no variety of the raspberry is other than biennial. That is to say, one year they produce wood, the next year fruit, and that is the end of them. We need not look, therefore, for two or three-year-old plants. It is best to get one-year-old plants for transplanting always. But while the wood is short lived the roots are long lived, often being several years old. Before planting the raspberry, in any way, thoroughly prepare the soil. In selecting plants get those with plenty of small fibrous roots, and set no deeper than they originally were. If the ground is poor manure in the hill, at the time of planting, and afterwards on the surface, working it with plow or cultivator. Keep the soil as level as possible, and free from weeds. The raspberry receives very little pruning. In field culture none is given, except to cut off the old wood after fruiting. It would often prove beneficial, however, to prune more.—Western Plowman.

Purifying Beet Sugar.

M. Baudry, the manager of a Russian sugar factory, proposes to purify beet sugar by single electrolysis. He has been so successful that he has discarded all other methods. He finds that the electrolytic method gives a reduction of 50 per cent. in the amount of lime used, elimination of salts of lime; reduction from one hour to 35 minutes in time required for carbonation; more rapid evaporation and increase of from 20 to 25 per cent. of daily work of factory; reduction of coloration of juice from 100 to 23, and complete suppression of fat in carbonation. The filter press which formerly was too weak is now too powerful. The process is simple. Lime is added to juice after diffusion. It is then filtered and electrolyzed. The consumption of zinc is 30 kilograms per day for 500 tons of beets.

Experiments with Cabbages.

From the Maine station come notes on experiments in cabbage culture. Three varieties were compared to test the effect of size of seed on the heads. In two varieties the larger seed was found to produce much heavier heads. Tying up the outer leaves was found to have no influence upon the maturity of the head, as is popularly supposed, while it caused a marked decrease in size, and the moisture collecting within the leaves almost invariably caused the heads to decay. Mulching the plants with swale hay produced heads slightly larger than were borne by unmulched plants used as checks. But little effect on the size of the heads was produced by deep cultivation, but plants so treated appeared to mature more uniformly than when shallow cultivation was given.

Hint for Apple Growers.

Valuable lessons may be learned from the experience of apple growers the past season. One is that fruit packed and placed in cold storage in too ripe condition will not turn out satisfactorily in the spring. Large quantities put away last fall as fine, and counted as long keepers, are turning out poorly. Such fruit as was stored in best condition is now selling at top prices of the season. If the rule holds that a year of great abundance and over-bearing is followed by a moderate yield the next season, the apple crop of 1897 will prove much more manageable. Spray your trees intelligently and thoroughly, that profits accruing from the sale of choice fruit next fall may make up for losses the past season.—Orange Judd Farmer.

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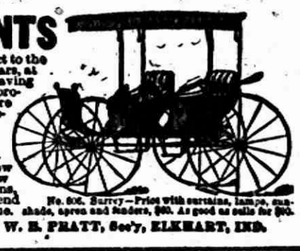

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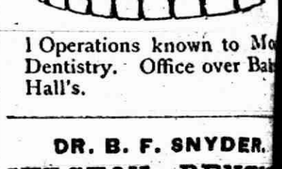

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Lv	6 00 A.M.	3 00 P.M.	11 30 P.M
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No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

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Passengor	5:50 p. m.
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OTHER CANDIDATES IN THE RACE.

If Burrows Does Succeed Himself It will Be Only After a Sharp Contest—Ex-Governor Rich in Washington in the Interest of Dollar Lumber—Secretary of War in Favor of the Mackinac Island Scheme—Fourth-Class Postmasters.

Washington, April 20.—"It is almost too early to talk about the senatorial succession," says Senator Burrows. He added: "And my successor will not be elected until the legislature meets in 1899, and that is twenty months in the future. Many things may happen in that length of time. I do not mind saying, however, that it is my present intention to be a candidate to succeed myself, if I live."

It has been understood for some time that Senator Burrows will be a candidate before the next legislature, and it is also known that his election can be achieved only after a sharp contest, because there are other candidates.

Ex-Senator John Patton, of Grand Rapids, who was appointed by Governor Rich to succeed Senator Stockbridge and who served in the senate for six months, was a member of that august body long enough to become enamored of that branch of public life; and he will undoubtedly endeavor to secure his election to succeed Senator Burrows. It is known, however, that ex-Congressman William Alden Smith, of Grand Rapids, is not inclined to support Senator Patton. Personally, they are very warm friends, but Congressman Smith realizes that, if ex-Senator Patton should be elected to the senate, that fact will render nugatory all of the senatorial aspirations which Mr. Smith may entertain for the future. Therefore it may be difficult for ex-Senator Patton to secure the solid Kent county delegation.

Olds May Be a Candidate.

Schuyler S. Olds, of Lansing, who for many years was the political manager of Senator Stockbridge and whose political sagacity is well known to all the Republican leaders, was a formidable candidate before the legislature at the time of the election of Senator Burrows, and it is most likely that he will be a candidate before the next legislature. Some of his friends in Washington say that he is at work even now in planning for the future, with the senatorial toga in view.

Ex-Governor John T. Rich, and Messrs. Churchill, of Alpena, and Mould, of Sheboygan, are in the city again in the interests of dollar lumber.

Senator Burrows has been to see the secretary of war about re-ceding Mackinac island to the general government. It is the desire of the people of Michigan to have the historic fort regarrisoned, and it believed by them that it is a matter of such international interest that it should certainly be made a matter of national interest. The secretary of war assured Senator Burrows that he is heartily in favor of the project.

Phil T. Colgrove and Marshal L. Cook, of Hastings, have been here in the interests of Judge Clement Smith, who wants to be United States judge for the Sixth federal district. This office cannot be created until next winter.

E. W. Sparrow, of Lansing; A. O. Wheeler, of Maninstee, and J. S. Stearns, of Ludington, have been working during the past week with the members of the senate committee on finance in favor of a $2 schedule for lumber.

Less Protection No Protection.

Henry M. Loud, of Au Sable, was here during the past week working most industriously in favor of the $2 schedule. He says that less protection than that would be no protection at all.

The appointment of Henry M. Duffield to be historian of the Chickamauga Park association, was made by the president, principally because of the urgent recommendation of Secretary Alger.

Gil R. Lovejoy, of Lennox, has been in Washington during the past week urging the senators to personally present his papers to the president and request his appointment as the collector of the port at Port Huron.

William Jones, a prominent furniture dealer of Grand Rapids, has been here for a few days with his son. They have started on their return journey home.

There are only five Michigan congressional representatives in the city, all of the others having gone home. Those who remain here on duty are Congressmen S. M. Smith, Crump, Spaulding, Hamilton and Mesick. It is generally believed that the house will soon order the return of all absentees.

Boards of pension examining surgeons within the civil service classification are those at Detroit, Grand Rapids, East Saginaw, Lansing, Ionia, Kalamazoo, White Cloud, Flint and Owosso. All other examining boards are out of the classification, and appointments can be made without reference to the civil service commission.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.

It is well for all aspirants to know that the president has decided that no removals of fourth-class postmasters shall be made until the present incumbents shall have served four years. Of course, when cause is shown, removals will be made; but the postoffice department will not consider trumped-up charges merely for the sake of making removals.

Willard F. Keeny, of Grand Rapids, has been in Washington several days on private business in the executive departments. S. B. Harris and wife, of Hancock, have been Capitol callers for several days. Hon. D. A. Blodgett is on his way back from his Florida trip, and will pass through Washington during the coming week.

"Uncle James Monroe" and Theron Giddings, of Kalamazoo, will be in Washington during the coming week. "Uncle James" has long been the trusted friend and political manager of the campaigns of Julius Caesar Burrows, and the junior senator holds him in high esteeem.

John J. Coon, of Flint, has made a second visit to Washington to see the president and urge his appointment to the position of consul general to Mexico. The Michigan senators have recommended this appointment verbally and in writing. The president, however, has given no indication of his intentions in this case.

Among the new applicants of the week came Ransom C. Johnson, of Flint, who filed a large number of indorsements with the secretary of state. He wants to be appointed consul general to Melbourne, Australia. There are many other Michigan men who want consulates, but the civil service orders of President Cleveland have limited the number of available places, and there will be many disappointments.

During the past week H. Call Joiner, of Hillsdale, and Eber Ward, of Detroit, have filed their applications for the position of appraiser of the port at Detriot; and there are others.

C. F. Kimball, of Pontiac, who was formerly appraiser, is regarded as a very formidable candidate in this instance.

Andrew Fyfe, of Grand Rapids, a prominent gold Democrat, who has been surveyor of custom, has filed an application for appointment to that position. A vancancy will occur on the 11th of May.

Tax Should Be Fair to All.

Senator Allison of Iowa, who is in charge of the bill now being formulated by the senate committee on finance, says that by whatever name a tax may be called, it can have no excuse for its being if it is not a fair one—fair to all. A tax which is imposed upon one class of producers and which is not levied upon another class equally obliged to help to support the state and able to pay its quota of taxation, is an unfair and an unjustifiable tax. In the making of a tariff the question of fairness and impartiality should be the crucial one.

There are in the United States so many persons engaged in the sheep-raising industry; there are so many persons engaged in the cattle-raising industry. The former have demanded and received from the ways and means committee higher duties on some grades of wool than have ever been conceived by any tariff. In order to make it possible for those manufacturers, whose raw material is wool, to continue in business, correspondingly high, or so-called "compensatory" duties, are to be levied upon their manufactures.

Is Perfectly Fair.

This balancing of duties, as between the growers and manufacturers of wool, is perfectly fair and in strict accordance with the primal principle of taxation, which declares that taxes shall be uniform and equitable. The tax on wool and woolens is not less fair in the abstract, because it will increase at least 25 per cent. the prices to the millions of consumers of every article of their clothing, their bedding, their carpets, their furnishing, made wholly or partly of wool. This is a necessity of protection, or, at least, the ways and means committee believe it to be so; neither is it less fair because the Dingley tariff, in its present form, is not, except incidentally, a revenue, but a protective tariff. If it were the former instead of the latter, it would tax, or tax more heavily, those things which are universally recognized as being the most appropriately subject to taxation for revenue—such things, for instance, as tea and coffee, which are on the free list; spirituous and malt liquors, tobacco, raw and manufactured, which are already taxed to some degree. Sugar being taxed, so should tea and coffee be, upon which so low a duty could be put that while it would scarcely effect the cost of these table necessaries to consumers, it would yield a desirable amount of revenue.

Pernicious Luxuries.

An additional tax on those pernicious luxuries—spirits, beer and tobacco—would yield a much larger amount of revenue and materially assist in placing the government's finances upon a wholly satisfactory foundation.

The Dingley tariff, however, is directly a protective and only indirectly a revenue measure, precisely as it appears to be indirectly a trust-promoting measure. Such being the case, why should not imported hides and skins, as well as imported wool, be made to pay a fair protective duty?

Senator Mantle of Montana, representing the sheep-raisers of the west, has prepared an amendment to the Dingley wool schedule which is practically prohibitory of certain grades of foreign wool; and as the votes of the western senators will be needed to pass the bill, Mr. Mantle's amendment will probably be adopted. The hides and skins product of this country is a more valuable one than the wool clip, and is certainly as fully entitled to protection. The farms of A. and B. are divided by a wire fence. A. raises cattle, B. sheep. Why should B.'s product be protected by high or prohibitory duties and A.'s be denied any protection by being put on the free list? A. and B. should be dealt with alike.

Some Angry Protests.

The New England and New York dealers in hides and skins and the manufacturers of leather goods are angrily protesting against the proposal to place hides and skins on the dutiable list. And unless "compensatory" duties are given the manufacturers of leather goods, their protest should have weight. But, having the same right to "compensatory" duties as the manufacturers of wool, they should, and no doubt will, be given the full measure of protection which such duties afford. A large part of our enormous export trade in leather goods will probably be lost to us, but that is also a necessity of the situation. Besides, what are foreign markets to our manufacturers? What they demand is the "home market," and if the Dingley bill passes as it left the house, they are likely to get the home market and no other.

Time Ripe for Action.

With the credit of the government established, with the assurance of ample revenue to meet all the demands of the treasury, and with the tariff policy of the nation absolutely settled for at least four years to come, there is no reason why men of energy and credit should not take advantage of the cheap money markets of the country and enlarge our industrial operations whenever there is a promise of fair returns. We have the chief elements to give success to industrial advancement. We have general confidence throughout business circles in the stability of our productive industries; we have established credit; we have a protective tariff policy assured, and there is no reason why there should not be an early and very large employment of the idle capital of the country in channels which would give increased demands for labor and greatly quicken our movement toward substantial prosperity. DUNBAR.

RAILROAD BILLS.

The House Takes Action on Several of Them.

Two-Cent Fare Measure Not Yet Finally Acted Upon—Flint Charter Bill Passed Over the Governor's Veto—Other Capital News.

Lansing, April 19.—There was, as expected, a very warm battle in the house over the railroad bills. The more radical of these were introduced by Col. Atkinson, understood to be the personal representative and close adviser of Gov. Pingree, and place additional burdens upon railroads, both in freight and passenger traffic. Bills were agreed to, to which there was practically no opposition, compelling railroads to accept bicycles as baggage under certain provisions, and a bill providing for a system of automatic bell signals at highway crossings in the discretion of the railroad commissioner. The tug of war was upon one of the Pingree bills which prohibited discrimination in freight and passenger traffic. After a discussion occupying nearly the entire session the bill was amended so that it should not apply to passenger traffic by a vote of 47 to 34. Further consideration of the railroad bills in the house which were not acted upon under the special order of Wednesday was, on motion of Mr. Atkinson, the promoter of the measure, postponed until April 27.

By a unanimous vote, joined in by 23 senators, the Flint charter bill was passed over the veto of the governor in the senate. Senator Moore made a protest against passing the bill over the governor's veto, but it had no effect, and the vote was 28 to 0 against the veto.

The Lusk-Gordon resolution, which contemplated an amendment to the constitution providing home rule in cities without coming to the legislature for charters or amendments thereto, was resuscitated in the house after its defeat of two weeks ago and barely escaped a second defeat by being referred to the committee on judiciary.

Favorable reports were made in the senate on bills providing for uniform text books, prohibiting sparring matches and creating the county of Lincoln from the south half of Ontonagon county. The latter measure the senate refused to pass.

The policy of placing women upon the boards of trustees of insane asylums has been inaugurated by Gov. Pingree by the appointment of Mrs. Jane M. Kinney, of Port Huron, to the board of the eastern asylum for the insane at Pontiac. She will succeed Judge W. W. Stickney, of Lapeer. The wife of Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, was also reappointed upon the board of managers of the industrial home for girls at Adrian.

The Donovan bill providing for the ringing of the curfew bell in cities and villages as a signal for children under 15 years of age to seek their homes after eight o'clock in the evening has passed the senate and has gone to the governor for his signature.

The Michigan legislature will in a few days receive a request from the legislature of Wisconsin asking for the appointment of a commission to work jointly with a commission appointed by the legislatures of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Illinois to devise uniform game and fish laws for the four states mentioned. The commission will comprise five members of the senate and house, and the work provided for will be done after the close of the present session and before the opening of the legislature of 1899.

Hereafter every package containing fruit sold in or shipped from this state will be branded so as to show the quantity of its contents. This branding will show either weight or measure down to half pints, the object being to prevent short weights and measures.

The Bates bill, which provided that it should be unlawful for fraternal insurance societies to incorporate in their contracts of membership any provision which should prohibit beneficiaries from resorting to the courts to secure the allowance of death claims, was killed in the lower house.

The right of the state sanitary live stock commission to slaughter cattle suspected of having tuberculosis without compensating the owner for the full market value of the animals will be tested in the supreme court in an important action commenced Saturday O. W. Shipman, of Detroit, was the owner of a large herd of valuable Jerseys. The state live stock commission applied the tuberculosis test and found that 28 of the best looking animals in the herd were afflicted with tuberculosis. The animals were slaughtered and Shipman was tendered one dollar each for the animals, which he refused. He demanded their market value, which was $3,000. He also claimed that the remainder of the herd was so reduced in value that, although they were worth $3,000, he was compelled to sell them for $500. The proceeding brought Saturday is an application for mandamus to compel the state to pay the market value of the animals. Some of the questions at issue are whether tuberculosis is a dangerous, infectious and contagious disease. The constitutionality of the law is also assailed.

Gov. Pingree's attempt to give women representation on asylum boards of control bids fair to fail, the senate having held up the nomination of Mrs. Jane M. Kinney, of Port Huron, a trustee of the Pontiac asylum. All other nominations made last week were confirmed.

A bill passed the house prohibiting shooting of prairie chickens for the period of five years.

Senator Merriman, of Hartford, has prepared a bill providing for an increase of one per cent. on the specific taxes of railroads. He has gathered a mass of statistics and will present his conclusions to the railroad committee before long. EMMETT.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the probate office, in the City of Adrian, on the 31st day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Bumbett Pennington, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Claribel Pennington, administratrix upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and that she is now ready to close said estate and to render her final administration account, and praying that said account may be allowed, and that the residue of said estate may be assigned and distributed according to law and that she may be discharged and her bond canceled, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is Ordered, That Monday, the 26th day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is Further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published in THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee; for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy.)
A. E. Barragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1897, and on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of March, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

MERRIT E. CONKLIN,
JAMES A. BOYD,
Commissioners.

Dated, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1897.

PROGRESSING SLOWLY.

Conditions Do Not Prove Favorable to Advancement of Farm Work.

Chicago, April 21. — The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Cool, cloudy and rainy weather retarded plowing and planting. Wheat, rye, meadows and pastures made some progress, but other vegetation is backward. Some oats rotting. Clover and timothy looking well. Gardens are slow. None of the fruit thought to have been seriously affected by the low temperature that prevailed.

Michigan—Wet weather has caused continued delay in plowing and seeding and very little such work accomplished. Few oats sown and some plowing for corn started. Winter wheat and rye and meadows continue to improve and look generally good. All fruit buds except peaches look promising.

Indiana—Cool, cloudy, wet weather and occasional frost delayed plowing, seeding and gardening. Wheat and grass improved little and slowly. Rye, clover and timothy in good condition. Fruit apparently still safe.

Illinois—Cool cloudy week with less rainfall than previous week; land drying slowly; plowing more general; oats and spring wheat seeding continues, also gardening and potato planting. Early sown oats are rotting in few cases: winter wheat unimproved and few fields will remain; grasses advancing; roadways gradually improving. Fruits are in blossom in southern section.

Wisconsin—Week very unfavorable for farm work. Frequent rains during early part of week and heavy snowstorm on Thursday and Friday. Vegetation made little progress. Warm dry weather needed. Little seeding done. No improvement in winter wheat; rye generally fair; clover badly winter killed.

Iowa—Temperature unseasonably low, but since 15th drying winds and sunshine greatly improved condition of soil and good progress made with seeding. Farm operations now rapidly pushed in all districts. No damage reported from freezing.

Minnesota — Snow on 12th and generally cool weather most of week delayed seeding, but drying condition in latter half improved prospects of seeding becoming general by 20th. Considerable wheat sown and owing to lateness of season much of it in wet soil, but large areas still too wet. Flood in Red River valley receding in upper half. Winter grains not wintered well in southeast.

A Judge Resigns.

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—George W. Brown, of Wheaton, has forwarded to Gov. Tanner his resignation of the office of county judge of DuPage county, and the county clerk has asked the governor to order the issue of a writ for a special election to fill the vacancy.

Guerrillas Burned.

Havana, April 20.—A band of 55 Spanish guerrillas that had murdered 40 insurgents was entrapped by the Cubans at a small town near Palacos and burned to death.

Death of the "Lone Fisherman."

Baltimore, Md., April 17.—James S. Moffit, the original Lone Fisherman in "Evangeline," died here Friday at the Johns Hopkins hospital after an illness of four weeks.

Benton Harbor, April 20.—The temperature has dropped ten degrees below the freezing point and will kill all the earlier blackberries. Peach buds are not far enough advanced to be seriously injured.

ELECTIONS.

Illinois Cities and Towns Choose Municipal Officers.

Chicago, April 21.—Cities and towns in Illinois on Tuesday elected municipal officers. Dispatches announce republican victories at the following points:

Centralia, Bloomington, Pontiac, Joliet, Decatur, Elgin, Braidwood, Carlyle, Carmi, Cerro Gordo, Charleston, Clinton, Havana, Kewanee, Newman, Ottawa, Streator, Tuscola, Carthage.

Democrats were successful in the following cities:

Freeport, Kankakee, Litchfield, Peoria, Jacksonville, Anna, Carlinville, Carrollton, Edwardsville, Geneva, Hillsboro, Jerseyville, Jonesboro, Kansas, Lacon, Lincoln, Matteon, Mendota, Minonk, Nashville, Shelbyville, Vandalia, Watseka, Petersburg.

In the following towns license went Watseka, Warren, El Paso, Tolono, Marcs, Yorkville, Monticello, Morrison, Crystal Lake, Nunda, Farmer City, Flora, Marshall, Hillsboro, Tiskilwa, Jonesboro, Pittsfield, Salem, Piano, St. Charles, Benton, Mount Sterling, Shelbyville, Princeton, Carbondale, Cambridge, Fairbury, Bement, Exeter, De Kalb, Carmi, Lawrenceville, Petersburg, Mowequa.

In the following towns no license won:

Gibson, Milford, Carrollton, Kirkwood, Dwight, Martinsville, McLeansboro, Newman, Urbana, Assumption, Galva, Monmouth, Roseville, Louisville, Lexington, Sorrento, Winchester, Bluffs, Naples, Glasgow, Greenville, Paxton, Toledo, Eureka, Pawnee, Robinson, Ashley, Ramsay.

IN LABOR'S BEHALF.

American Federation Leaders Confer with the President.

Washington, April 20.—An important meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor is being held in this city at federation headquarters. The books are reported in excellent condition and the finances and membership of the association flourishing. By previous arrangement, the executive council called upon President McKinley at the white house, where a conference was held lasting an hour. Various propositions of interest to labor and legislation in the interest of the wage-earners were discussed.

The most important subject to be considered at present is the agitation in favor of an eight-hour working day. The plan agreed upon contemplates simultaneous mass meetings throughout the country May 1 to discuss and agitate the question, and the selection of a member from each of the national unions of the country in affiliation with the federation to act as an advisory board.

Tortured by Masked Men.

Findlay, O., April 19. — The famous Blakeslee family of misers and owners of valuable oil lands were robbed of large sums of money. Twelve masked robbers broke into the house, bound two men and women, and burned their feet and tortured them until they revealed the hiding place of the money. Nearly $1,000 was secured.

His Life Spared.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 21.—The board of pardons recommended commutation of the death sentence imposed upon James B. Gentry for the murder of Actress Madge Yorke to imprisonment for life. Gov. Hastings approved the recommendation. Gentry was to have been hanged next Thursday.

DAM BREAKS.

Much Damage by Collapse of a Reservoir at Pinckney.

Pinckney, April 20.—The mill dam broke away at four o'clock Monday morning. A torrent of water poured through the gap, carrying away the large bridge south of the reservoir and the new bridge on South Howell street. The bridge on the Dexter road was demolished and the other five bridges between here and Portage lake were carried away. Fences, trees and buildings along the course were torn down and carried away. The principal losers are: Thomas Birkett, loss on mill property, $20,000; town, on bridges, $15,000; K. H. Crane, on buildings, $1,000; Senator G. W. Temple, buildings, $1,000; Teeple & Cadwell, $500.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Young Man and Woman Killed Near South Lyon.

South Lyon, Mich., April 20.—A train on the Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western railway at the first main highway crossing west of South Lyon depot struck a vehicle, instantly killing Harry Clark, son of Rev. E. P. Clark, Presbyterian minister of this city, and Miss Sarah Fisher, of Ypsilanti, who was visiting friends here. Miss Ethel Just, daughter of the banker of this place, was injured, one foot being badly crushed. The body of Miss Fisher was terribly mutilated, both legs being cut off. Clark was a student at Ann Arbor and Miss Fisher attended the state normal at Ypsilanti.

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LETTER FROM LANSING

Legislative News Gathered by Our Correspondent.

THE PINGREE RAILWAY BILLS.

Three of Them Were Considered Last Week and Two Passed, but Not Until Amended So as To Be Mutually Satisfactory—Michigan's New Deputy Attorney General—Move for Uniform Game Laws—Legislative Inconsistency.

Lansing, Mich., April 20.—The prediction made last week that there was little, if any, show for the passage of the so-called railroad bills has been more than verified by the proceedings of the past few days. During last week three of these railroad bills were considered and two were passed, but not until they had been amended so as to be mutually satisfactory. One of these bills, which was given immediate effect, requires that bicycles be carried free as baggage, but it limits the company's liability to damages resulting from actual carelessness, the company being exempt in all cases where hooks or other proper devices for holding the wheels en route are supplied. The second bill passed originally sought to make it obligatory upon all railroad companies to maintain a warning bell at all crossings, both in and out of municipalities. This would have entailed an expense of several million dollars. Before being passed the bill was amended so that the bell system must be petitioned for by twenty-five taxpayers, and then need be put in and maintained only in case the railroad commissioner decides that the crossing is a dangerous one and so orders.

Bill Made Quite Harmless.

The anti-railroaders showed their hand most effectively when the Atkinson anti-discrimination bill came up. This bill provides that there should be no discrimination in either freight and passenger rates. Inasmuch as discrimination in freight rates is already prohibited by law, this feature of the bill was not antagonized. The other provision rendered it unlawful for the company to give to one person a rate between two points that it would not give all other persons. The effect of such a law would be to do away with the sale of mileage books and also excursion rates, and it was argued that, instead of lowering the passenger fares, the bill would do away with special rates and make a flat 3-cent fare. The result of the discussion was that the passenger fare provision was stricken out by a vote of 47 to 34, thus making the bill quite harmless from a railroad point of view. In this discussion the members went over the flat 2-cent fare question, and the vote above noted quite conclusively seals the fate of the 2-cent fare bill when it is reached on the calendar. There still remain nine railroad bills to be considered. They will be taken up on the 28th inst., to which time the special order has been postponed. This bill has not come up for final passage.

Vote On Constitutional Amendments.

The result of the vote on the two constitutional amendments, which were submitted to the people this spring, very effectually disposes of the proposition to amend the constitution so as to provide for the initiative and referendum. One of the amendments voted on this spring was a purely local measure for Kent county, permitting that county to have a board of county auditors. It could not possibly have the slightest effect on any other section of the state yet county after county rolled up a big majority against it and it was buried out of sight. It is safe to say that not one person in fifty who voted against the proposition had the slightest reason for doing so. The result demonstrated conclusively that the people cannot be depended upon to inform themselves as to the merits of these propositions, and for this reason whatever hope their was for the submission of the referendum scheme has gone glimmering.

The manner in which the people insisted on voting no on the Kent county amendment brings to mind the case of the two members of the legislature of 1883 who religiously voted no on every bill in which they detected anything savoring of a dollar mark, so intent were they on establishing a reputation for economy.

Demonstrated Their Sincerity.

It will be remembered that the year previous there had been a special session of the legislature for the purpose of making an appropriation for the fire sufferers up in the Huron and Sanilac county region. It happened that, after the relief committee concluded its labors there was still a balance in this fund, and the money having been appropriated for a special purpose, it could never be used until covered back into the general fund of the state. Accordingly a bill was introduced making the transfer, but the two gentlemen mentioned above demonstrated their sincerity of purpose by voting against it.

Since last Friday Michigan has had a new official. This is a deputy attorney general, the bill creating this office with a salary of $2,000 per annum having been approved by Governor Pingree on the day named. Heretofore the legislature has allowed the attorney general $3,000 per year out of which he was obliged to pay his assistant and the several clerks needed for the proper transaction of the business of the office. The law did not recognize any such officer as assistant or deputy attorney general, but the new statute does. Attorney General Maynard has appointed Henry E. Chase of Van Buren county his deputy. Mr. Chase has been his able assistant for the past two years.

Farmers Finally Triumph.

A bill which the farmers of the state have been bravely battling for for the past six or eight years has finally become a law. In their efforts to secure this enactment the farmers have always encountered the determined opposition of a powerful lobby, the law in question prohibiting the coloring of oleomargarine or other butter substitute so as to resemble genuine butter. A queer feature of the contest has been that the bill was defeated at several previous sessions although there was not a single oleomargarine factory in Michigan.

The movement inaugurated last fall by the game wardens of Michigan, Illinois, Minnesota and Wisconsin to secure uniform game and fish laws appears to be about to bear fruit. It has been announced that the legislature of this state will shortly receive a request from the legislature of Wisconsin that a commission be appointed to work in conjunction with commissions to be appointed by the other states named to prepare uniform laws on these subjects. It is proposed that the commission from each state be composed of five members of the legislature, and that the work proposed be done after the close of the present legislative session and before the legislature of 1899 convenes.

House Severely Criticised.

The Bates bill providing that an appeal to the courts may be taken from the decision of the arbitrators provided by fraternal benefit associations of death claims, met with a sudden and emphatic end in the house last Friday, being killed by a vote of 62 to 22. The house is being severely criticised for the course taken with reference to this bill. On Thuraday eevning it was considered in committee of the whole, and the house took a recess for an hour or more while outsiders interested in the bill spoke for and against its passage. While avoiding the technical charge of giving lobbyists the privileges of the floor during a session by taking a recess, it is claimed that the rule on this subject was violated in spirit if not in the letter, and many members feel greatly chagrined because of the action taken.

The action of the senate in refusing to pass the joint resolution submitting to the people a constitutional amendment making the regents of the university subject to the direction of the legislature in their management of the university, is taking to mean the defeat of the bill providing for the removal of the homeopathic department of the university to Detroit. It is sought to coerce the regents into making the change by attaching to the bill a rider providing that the one-sixth mill tax for the support of the university shall not be available unless the college is removed. A majority of the senators believe that if the regents were made subject to the direction of the legislature, they would have to adopt an entirely new plan every two years, and that there would be nothing like stability in either the courses or management of the university.

May Not Get Fees.

If the senate indorses the action taken by the house last week the county officials with the exception of sheriff, who are inducted into office Jan. 1, 1899, will have to get along without fees. Although obliged to collect every fee prescribed by the statute, and thus deprived of the chance to make themselves solid by remitting fees as is now extensively done, all this money must be paid into the county treasury. The only change made in the bill as introduced by Representative Kimmis was to exempt all sheriffs in the state and all the officers of Kent and Wayne counties, and cut out the maximum salary that the supervisors may pay the various officials. A minimum salary is fixed in each instance, the counties being grouped according to population, but the supervisors may put the stipend as high as they see fit. The history of boards of supervisors warrants the prediction that the salaries will hover very near the minimum figure fixed in the bill.

Legislative Inconsistency.

A very striking example of legislative inconsistency has been furnished the people of Michigan during the past ten days, and so far as any expression of opinion is concerned, none of the legislators themselves appear to have noticed the matter. The Meister anti-convict contract labor bill occupied the attention of the house for several hours a few days ago, precipitating the most earnest and long drawn out debate of the session. The result was that the proposition to abolish contract labor in the prisons, or, in fact, any save labor on state account, was defeated by a vote of two to one. The consideration involved in the defeat of this measure was that the prisons should be made as nearly self-supporting as possible, and in order to accomplish this, the convicts should be worked to the best possible advantage. Having by such an emphatic vote made this decision it is a trifle astonishing that the same legislators should, but five days later, have by a practically unanimous vote and after very little discussion passed a bill requiring that all prison or convict made goods offered for sale or manufactured in this state be branded or labeled so as to reveal their place of manufacture. The only possible purpose of such branding is, of course, to deter people from purchasing this class of goods. Here then we have the refreshing spectacle of a body of legislators saying one day that it is absolutely essential to the welfare of the state and the prisoner as well, that the latter be kept constantly at work at some productive industry, and on the next endeavoring to destroy that industry by persuading the public not to purchase any articles the convicts make. By destroying the demand for prison-made goods the legislators will simply render it impossible for prison managers to sell the labor of the prisoners, and thus will one law nullify the other. Truly the ways of the average legislator are past finding out.

Shades Not Pulled Down.

The senators seem to think they have a good one on Governor Pingree. For several weeks during the early part of the session, when the governor and senators were having such lively times about the confirmation of the former's appointments, Governor Pingree had a great deal to say about executive sessions, and he rang the changes quite constantly about pulling down the shades at the senate chamber windows, etc. Of course the shades were not pulled down, although the floors and galleries were cleared of all visitors and the doors locked before the senate went into executive session. The senators' glee just at present is due to the fact that thick heavy shades have appeared on the inside of the glass section of the door leading from the corridor into the governor's general office, and also before the two decorated windows which grace that section of the capitol. These are not outside windows, neither are they windows at all, for all are of frosted glass through which it is impossible to detect more than the bare outline of a person or object under the most favorable circumstances. The curtains are drawn about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and they stay down until morning. The senators are extracting a great deal of satisfaction from the situation.

JAMES V. BARRY.

Arthur Bean, residing at Wautoma, near Plainfield, Wis., reports a stray carrier pigeon which has a metal band around one of its legs bearing the inscription: "M. D., 1896."

Jacksonian Relics Burned.

Cincinnati, April 13.—Fire on Monday greatly damaged the dwelling in Clifton occupied by James Jackson, a relative of President Andrew Jackson, and an inheriter of relics of the deceased president. Among them was Gen. Jackson's carriage, the wheels of which were made of timber taken from the old war frigate Constitution. This carriage was stored in the garret and was nearly destroyed, along with some other relics in the shape of furniture. The entire lot of relics was valued at $30,000, but a portion had been recently shipped to Washington, thus escaping damage or destruction.

Quarantine Against Texas Fever.

Springfield, Ill., April 13.—Gov. Tanner has issued a proclamation upon the recommendation of the state live stock commission, scheduling the territory described by the secretary of agriculture of the United States against Texas or splenic fever, and prohibiting cattle therefrom shipped into this state between February 15 and December 1, of each year, in accordance with the regulations of the state live stock commission. The regulations and territory prescribed are about the same as published for 1896.

A Valuable Gift.

Winona, Minn., April 12.—Ellen Windom, widow of Secretary William Windom, has written a letter from Washington to the Winona free library directors, presenting the new Winona Laird library with several hundred volumes, formerly the private library of her husband, who for many years was a resident of this city.

Would Not Recognize Requisition.

St. Paul, Minn., April 13.—Frank Hense was in charge of the sheriff Monday, charged with the embezzlement of $1,690.12 from Mary A. Borst McKee, of Lewis county, Wash. A requisition from the governor of Washington was presented to Gov. Clough, who declined to recognize the document.

Condition of Winter Wheat.

Washington, April 12.—The report of the department of agriculture for April makes the average condition of winter wheat 81.4, against 99.5 on December 1; 77.1 last April and 81.4 at the same date in 1895.

His Farewell Sermon.

"Brethren, in partin' frae ye I must in a' truth say I'm no' sorry. Ye're neist pastor (if ye can get ane) will be an extraordinar' man if he can bring ye tae hear the word o' God. Ye dinna lo'e ane anither, because since my administration nane o' ye hae askit me tae pit ye into the holy state o' matrimony. God canna lo'e ye, for the reasons that he has ne'er ta'en ony o' ye until Himsel'. Ye dinna lo'e me because ye haena paid my stipend. Weel, I hae been appointed chaplin i' the jail i' the neeborhood, and will noo proceed tae preach my farewell sermon frae ane o' the best texts in Holy Writ—'I go to prepare a place for you.'"

High School Happenings.

Bliss Hand returned to school Monday after an absence of two weeks.

The members of the arithmetic class are studying interest this week.

Prof. Hudson, of the University, inspected the high school Wednesday.

Lester Heesen was absent from his place in the A room Wednesday afternoon.

The members of the geometry class are deep in the mysteries of cones and pyramids.

Dr. North, S. W. Anderson, Misses Bessie Spayde and Hattie Hurry were A room visitors Tuesday.

Another member has been added to the ranks of the senior class, Miss Lillian Waring having joined last week.

Two or three of the teachers were absent part of the day Wednesday, attending the Coddington—McDermid wedding.

Miss Hattie Hurry, formerly a pupil here, has been home from Ann Arbor for the past week and has been visiting the pupils of the A room.

The sophomore class held their business meeting and were entertained at the home of Prof. and Mrs. L. M. Kellogg Wednesday evening.

High school students, don't forget Leigh Lynch and the steriopticon. Tickwill be on sale at the opera house for ten cents to students only.

Miss Bullock went to Detroit yesterday afternoon to attend a concert given by Madam Corrinne. C. F. Field taught the B room during her absence.

Henry Calhoun and Frank Stead, both members of the class of '93, were visitors in the A room Wednesday. Charlie Hurry, class of '96, also dropped in for a short call.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	13	16
Eggs	7	9
Lard		6
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		85
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	25	30

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	10 4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	70	to 85
Corn, shelled	20	25
Corn in ear	10 to 12	
Oats	17	15 16 20
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 50
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100		70

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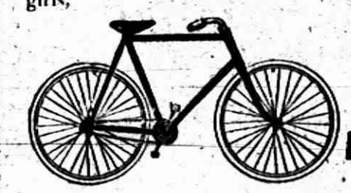

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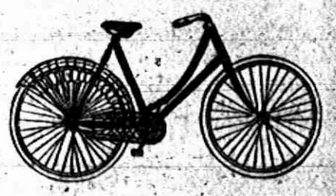

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AT GRANT'S SHRINE.

Columbia Dedicates the Tomb of Her Soldier Hero.

President McKinley and Gen. Porter Address the Vast Multitude—Sixty Thousand Persons Take Part in the Parade.

New York, April 28.—When the sun rose over fair Manhattan on the day of days in her history of patriotic pegeants he found a cloudless dome awaiting him. Flags there were by the hundreds of thousands, from the huge emblem with its 50 feet of fly and 90 of hoist to the tiny emblem which decorated the collars of the truck horses; flags in the great thoroughfares and in the narrowest alleys; from tenement windows and on the staffs of public buildings; from the stalls of street venders and the facades of mighty hos-

GEN. ULYSSES S. GRANT.

telries and the loftier office buildings; from the spars of merchant ships and from the bows of the humblest canal boats.

The ceremonies proper began at sunrise, when from the tall flagpole near the tomb was flung the immense American flag furnished by the Daughters of the Revolution. There it will fly night and day in fair weather and foul until the winds have worn it away and the sun has faded its colors. At the same time the marines on the war ships were piped to quarters and landed on shore to stand and receive the head of the land column.

The initial step in the parade was made almost on schedule time, and by 9:40 o'clock the presidential procession was on the move.

The order of this procession was:

1.—Squadron "A."

2.—President McKinley, Vice President Hobart, Mayor Strong and Gen. Porter.

3.—Mrs. Julia Dent Grant, Col. Frederick D. Grant, Mrs. Frederick D. Grant, Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris.

4.—Mrs. Jesse Grant, Miss Nellie Grant, Master Chapman Grant.

5.—Five carriages bearing the rest of the Grant family.

6.—Ex-President Cleveland and Richard Watson Gilder.

7.—Maj. Gen. W. S. Rosecrans, Maj. Gen. C. C. Augur, Maj. Gen. B. G. Wright, Maj. Gen. J. C. Parke.

Cheers greeted the distinguished party as it moved through the decorated streets, the enthusiasm being so noteworthy that President McKinley's face was joyous and his hat was in a state of constant salute. Mrs. Grant and her family to the third generation were objects of special attention and the widow of the hero was visibly affected at the great popular demonstration.

The visitors got a chance to see a million people. The unbroken wall of humanity six miles long was an inspiring sight.

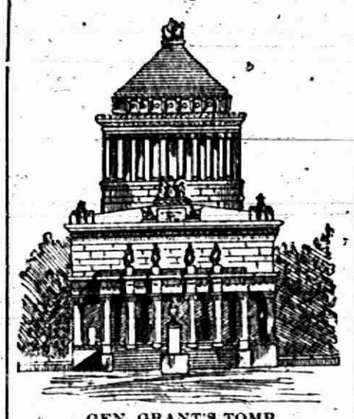
THE DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

Positions Which They Occupied in the Grand Stand.

It was precisely 10:30 o'clock when the carriage bearing the president and vice president and the members of Grant's family and the foreign representatives arrived at the grand stand. The president and vice president were under the escort of squadron A, N. G. S., N. Y., while the family of the dead heroes were escorted by mounted companies of the Army of the Tennessee, New York commanders of the military order of the Loyal Legion with four comrades of George G. Meade Post No. 1 G. A. R., department of Pennsylvania, in carriages.

The order in which the various dignitaries took their seats in the stand was: President McKinley to the right of the speaker's platform, where he was soon joined by Speaker Thomas B. Reed, who remained in animated conversation with the chief magistrate for some time; ex-President Cleveland and Mayor Strong conversed together to their left.

The first row immediately back of the platform was occupied by the Grant party, Col. Fred Grant being on the end, escorting his mother. Immediately back of the Grant family were seated the members of the president's family, including Mrs. McKinley, Mr. and Mrs. Abner McKinley and Miss Maud McKinley.



GEN. GRANT'S TOMB.

The third row was occupied by the ladies of the cabinet, many members of their families and their friends in general.

THE EXERCISES.

"America" Is Sung and President McKinley Speaks.

The exercises commenced with the singing of "America."

A solemn silence then fell on the dense crowd as the venerable Bishop John P. Newman invoked the blessing of Heaven on the ceremonies. Many of the people joined in the "Our Father," which concluded the bishop's prayer.

As soon as the prelate had taken his seat the hymn of thanks, "Old Netherland Folksong," was sung by the choristers.

Another mighty cheer arose as President McKinley, after the singing of the hymn, moved to the railing of the speaker's stand to deliver his address. He was introduced by Mayor Strong.

President McKinley said, in part:

"A great life never dies. Great deeds are imperishable; great names immortal. Gen. Grant's services and character will continue undiminished in influence and advance in the estimation of mankind so long as liberty remains the corner-stone of free government and integrity of life the guaranty of good citizenship. Faithful and fearless as a volunteer soldier, intrepid and invincible as commander in chief of the armies of the union, calm and confident as president of a reunited and strengthened nation, which his genius had been instrumental in achieving, he has our homage and that of the world.

"But brilliant as was his public character, we love him all the more for his home life and homely virtues. His individuality, his bearing and speech, his simple ways, had a flavor of rare and unique distinction, and his Americanism was so true and uncompromising that his name will stand for all time as the embodiment of liberty, loyalty and national unity.

"Victorious in the work which under Divine Providence he was called upon to do, clothed with almost limitless power, he was yet one of the people—patient, patriotic and just. Success did not disturb the even balance of his mind, while fame was powerless to swerve him from the path of duty. Great as he was in war, he loved peace, and told the world that honorable arbitration of differences was the best hope of civilization.

"With Washington and Lincoln, Grant has an exalted place in history and the affection of the people. To-day his memory is held in equal esteem by those whom he led to victory and those who accepted his generous terms of peace. The veteran leaders of the blue and the gray here meet not only to honor the name of the departed Grant, but to testify to the living reality of a fraternal national spirit which has triumphed over the differences of the past and transcended the limitations of sectional lines. Its completion, which we pray God to speed, will be the nation's greatest glory.

"It is right, then, that Gen. Grant should have a memorial commensurate with his greatness and that his last resting-place should be in the city of his choice, to which he was so attached in life and of whose ties he was not forgetful even in death. Fitting, too, is it that the great soldier should sleep beside the native river on whose banks he first learned the art of war and of which he became master and leader without a rival.

"But let us not forget the glorious distinction with which the metropolis among the fair sisterhood of American cities has honored his life and memory. With all that riches and sculpture can do to render the edifice worthy of the man, upon a site unsurpassed for magnificence, has this monument been reared by New York as a perpetual record of his illustrious deeds, in the certainty that as time passes around it will assemble with gratitude and reverence and veneration men of all climes, races and nationalities. New York holds in her keeping the precious dust of the silent soldier; but his achievements—what he and his brave comrades wrought for mankind—are in keeping of 70,000,000 of American citizens, who will guard the sacred heritage forever and forevermore."

The vast crowd listened with keen attention to the president's words, and at intervals broke into cheers when some incident in the dead soldier's career was alluded to by the distinguished speaker. Even those who were too far removed from the speaker to hear a word seemed to be as much interested as those who were within earshot.

At the conclusion of the president's address Col. Fred Grant advanced and shook him warmly by the hand. The two men stood in the foreground of the wonderful picture the spectators applauded.

The Orator of the Day.

"The Star Spangled Banner" was played by the band, after which Gen. Horace Porter was introduced by the mayor. The orator of the day was accorded a warm reception. More discreet than the president, Gen. Porter kept his hat on while speaking. He read his address from typewritten manuscript.

Gen. Porter spoke at length on the personality of Gen. Grant, his career as a soldier, and his great service to the country as president, graphically contrasting the condition of the government at the time of his first inauguration with that at the completion of his second term, and reciting the obstacles which he overcame.

In closing his address Gen. Porter said:

"He reached the highest pinnacle of human distinction. Men have dwelt upon his achievements till they know all by heart. The record of his deeds rises to the sublimity of an epoch. The story of his life is worth the contemplation of ages. He needs no eulogists; his services attest his greatness; he did his duty and trusted to history for his meed of praise. The more history discusses him, the more brilliant becomes the luster of his name. He was a natural leader; he was born to command. No one can rob him of a single laurel. No one can lessen the measure of his renown. He honored the age in which we live, and future generations will be illumined by the brightness of his fame.

"His countrymen have paid him a tribute of grateful hearts, that have reared in monumental rock, a sepulcher for his ashes, a temple to his fame. The fact that it has been built by the voluntary contributions of the people will give our citizens an individual interest in preserving it, honoring it; it will stand throughout the ages upon its conspicuous promontory, this ideal site.

"They have reared his monument to a majestic height; but if it towered above the eagle's flight it would not reach as high as the summit of his fame. Its flawless granite is typical of the spotless character of his reputation. Its delicate lines and massive proportions will remind us of the childlike simplicity which was mingled with the majestic grandeur of his nature. The hallowed memories clustering about it will recall the heroic age of the republic. Its mute eloquence will plead for equal sacrifice should war ever again threaten the nation's life. In this tomb which generosity has created and which his services have sanctified, his ashes will henceforth rest, but his true sepulcher will be in the hearts of his countrymen."

The Hallelujah chorus from Handel's Messiah and the doxology were sung, and this concluded the ceremonies at the speaker's stand. The president and other officials and the distinguished guests then retired to the tent in the rear of the tomb, where an elaborate luncheon was served.

THE MILITARY PARADE.

Magnificent Pageant That Traverses New York Streets.

With military promptitude and perfect discipline the land parade started from Twenty-fourth street and Madison avenue on the minute—at 10:30 o'clock. Maj. Gen. Granville M. Dodge, followed by a staff of celebrated soldiers, led the column, the military band from Governor's island coming next.

The veteran Gen. Merritt, one of the world's famous leaders of cavalry, commanding the division of the Atlantic, the first division and the natty West Pointers, called for salvos of cheers as they followed. Engineers, artillery, cavalry, infantry, in picturesque but orderly variety, tramped by, each brigade headed by a veteran of note. Not least among the honored troops were the tars of Uncle Sam's navy. Besides these regulars there were the citizen soldiery and the naval militia.

But enthusiasm reached its climax when the division led by Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard marched into view. The old veterans were given the greatest honor of all the marchers. As a relief from the constant blue came the independent companies, the gray-clad cadets, the Italenia-covered banners,

GEN. HORACE PORTER.

lent, religious and temperance orders.

The Sons of Confederate Veterans, who were to arrive at the tomb at 3:30 o'clock and place a floral wreath with crossed swords on the sarcophagus, were an hour late in reaching the scene. They were headed by James R. Branch, commander in chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

The tokens were reverently laid on the sarcophagus by Gen. John B. Gordon, while his comrades stood by with uncovered heads.

Detachments of the national guard, or governors and their staffs from the following states marched in the parade in the following order: Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Hampshire, Virginia, Rhode Island, Vermont, Ohio, Illinois, District of Columbia.

About 60,000 Men in Line.

According to careful estimates, made some time after the parade had started for review, there were between 58,000 and 60,000 men in line. Of this aggregate United States regular land and naval forces numbered 4,000; national guard of New York, 12,000, and national guard of other states, 12,850. The G. A. R. veterans in line were computed at 10,000.

THE NAVAL DISPLAY.

Big War Ships Gay with Colors Attract Much Attention.

The war ships which lay at anchor in the river in sight of the tomb claimed the attention of the crowd before the arrival of the dignitaries and the commencement of the services of dedication. At six o'clock orders flashed from the flag ship for the fleet to dress for the day's festivities. A few moments later a rainbow of colors began going up from the bow of the New York. Immediately every vessel in the fleet followed suit.

The big ships made a magnificent showing in their gala attire, with rainbows of bunting from bow to stern. The naval grand division was under the command of Rear Admiral Francis H. Bunce, U. S. N.

The marine division, which was scheduled to leave the lower bay at two o'clock, was divided into four divisions, each commanded by a commodore.

The moment the president boarded the lighthouse boat Daisy the police boat Patrol, assisted by several launches from the war ships, began to force the tugs and steamers back, and a fairly clear space was visible when the Daisy reached the starboard side of the Dispatch, and the presidential flag broke from the mainmast. The president set foot on the deck of the Dolphin, the presidential salute of 21 guns was fired, and the fleet of steamers blew whistles until the sound of the firing was scarcely audible.

At 5:30 o'clock the Dolphin started down the river, followed by the immense fleet of steamers, which had awaited the arrival of the president. The New York was the first vessel passed by the Dolphin, and President McKinley doffed his silk hat and bowed as the first gun of her salute boomed across the waters. Next came the Indiana, and then the guns of the British cruiser Talbot welcomed the president. The Texas was the next to greet him, and the two Spanish ships, the Maria Teresa and the Infanta Isabella, the French corvette Fulton, the Italian cruiser Dogali, and the Raleigh, Columbus, Amphitrite and Terror, of the White Squadron, saluted in quick succession as the Dolphin steamed by.

Close of the Great Day.

When night fell, and the greatest of military, naval and civic parades ever seen here was at an end, the city assumed a gala aspect. The streets were full of bright uniforms of all nations, while a sightseer from every part wandered from place to place and discussed the wonders of the day. Once in the history before has such a ceremony been enacted over the reinterment of a great man, this only other instance being when the body of Napoleon was brought back to Paris from St. Helena. The scenes of the day recalled those in Paris, when royalists and republicans alike joined in one great triumphal pageant. At midnight all was quiet. The war ships' lights were no longer reflected by the placid Hudson, and the gray tomb on the eminence above stood out boldly against the black sky, at last a fitting monument, erected by a grateful nation to the soldier-president, who, through victories and war brought peace, and with peace brought honor.

It Is Bankrupt.

Detroit, April 17.—There is a strong probability that the plan of holding the state fair at Detroit will be abandoned. At least $50,000 is needed and only $5,000 has been raised. This sum was subscribed by the hotels. If the fair is held in Detroit a stock company will be organized for ten years. If not held in Detroit there will be no state fair until 1898. Meanwhile the State Agricultural society is bankrupt.

Lake Barge Sinks.

Ludington, Mich., April 19.—Tow barge Charles N. Ryan went to the bottom a quarter of a mile off this port in 25 feet of water Sunday. In trying to make the harbor the current carried her onto the north pier, breaking a hole in her bow. Her crew reached land in safety.

Killed While Resisting Arrest.

Ironwood, April 27.—Gust Rom, a Finlander, was shot and instantly killed by Gust Miller, the village marshal at Wakefield, a small mining town near here. The marshal was trying to arrest Rom when he resisted.

HIS ABSENCE BRINGS WOE.

Financial Disasters at Loda, Ill., Due to a Banker's Disappearance.

Loda, Ill., April 28.—The disappearance and supposed suicide in Chicago of John S. Sheldon, banker and capitalist, has brought disaster and financial ruin on this town. Nearly one-half of Loda is in the hands of receivers. What remains of the town is temporarily paralyzed by the shock consequent upon the failure and the mysterious disappearance of the banker. Nine assignments were entered in the Iroquois county court Tuesday, as the result of Sheldon's disappearance. The number of farmers and others in this community who will be seriously affected by the sudden and unexpected collapse of Sheldon's bank is estimated at 400. The deposits in the bank at the time it closed are roughly estimated at $75,000. The amount of the bank's assets is only vaguely guessed at.

A Worthy Object.

Chicago, April 27.—The Forward Movement, a beneficent organization in this city, is arranging to take 1,000 boys and girls to the country this summer for a two weeks' vacation. Any person who will receive one or more of these children may address Mrs. W. M. Green, secretary, 1015 Forest avenue.

Bankers Fail.

Norfolk, Va., April 28.—N. Burruss, Son & Co., one of the most prominent and widely known banking firms in the south, failed for $350,000.

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CLINTON

Mrs. Ella Rose was on the sick list the first of the week.

Eugene Fowler, of Saline, was greeting his Clinton friends Monday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox visited his people at Addison from Friday till Monday.

James Hamilton of Detroit, made a visit to the woolen mill Friday last.

Miss Margaret O'Rielly, began clerking for the Freese Whittelsey Co. last Friday.

Mrs. E. R Smith returned Friday from a short visit with Ann Arbor friends.

Miss Bertha Shugar, of Onsted, is spending the week among her Clinton friends.

E. D. Newcomb, and wife of Brooklyn, visited his mother and sisters over Sunday.

C. C. Fouch, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of James Halladay's family the last of the week.

Miss Floy Avery, and Mr. and Mrs H. R. Hause were Tecumseh visitors Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ora Bowen, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Miss Grace Corwin last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Sadie Huntington, accompanied by a college friend, was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Manchester, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Johnston, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogers went out to their farm Thursday, expecting to remain for the summer.

Mrs. E. A. Martin entertained a sister, Mrs. Shaw, of Saline, a few days the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Huntington, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. L. W. Kimball and Ruth made a visit to Jackson last Thursday.

Mrs. Chester Parsons, of Saline, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Jas. Clark and children, of Tecumseh, visited her mother, Mrs. M. B. House the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Tate went to Coopersville, Mich., Monday, called there by the death of her brother, Harmon Lutkin.

T. F. Whittlesey came up from Toledo and spent Sunday with his family, who are visiting his brother, W. S. and family.

We are glad to welcome Chris and Lizzie Wallinger back from Tecumseh, and pleased, that they will remain residents of Clinton.

M. F. McClure, wife and Harry, drove to Delta, Ohio, Sunday, called there by the death of his mother. The funeral was held Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hubbard, of Tecumseh were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Middlebrook, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. P. M. Bishop and little daughter who have been at Will Wood's for the past few months, returned to their home at Detroit Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Rhodes, who has made her home for a year or more with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Davis, left Tuesday for her old home in Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bostedor are very happy over a 7 lb. baby girl, born to them last Saturday night. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hause visited friends at Britton last Sunday and her mother, Mrs. Jas. DuBois, returned with them remaining until Wednesday.

Frank Schmitt and family are again residents of Clinton, having moved back from Adrian Monday. They have the north part of the house occupied by Ansel Kishpaugh.

Dr. E. Newcomb, after a pleasant visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. John T. Clark, left for Tewksbury, Mass., the first of the week to resume her professional work.

Two of the proudest girls in this community at the present time are Sabella Lancaster and Marion Grey. Saturday they each were presented with a nice bicycle and two happier girls it would be difficult to find.

The Wagner Concert Co, presented a delightful program to an appreciative audience, Tuesday, evening. Each member received a hearty encore, to which, they good naturedly responded. Receipts about $30. 00.

Percy VanTuyle was the lucky one drawing the silver water pitcher, given by the Medicine Co., last Saturday night. At the contest in the afternoon the doll was given to May Davis, and the boy's prize, a ball and bat, to a Tecumseh boy.

Clarence Mills was brought home from Ridgeway the last of the week, where he will remain, until he recovers from the injuries, received from being caught by a belt, and whirled arouud shafting in the creamery. He had a narrow escape from death, and may well consider himself fortunate that his injuries were no more serious.

Mrs. Sarah Dewey, of Orion, Mrs. Angie Wood, of Norvell, Mrs. Florence Conklin and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gadd, of Ionia, arrived Tuesday, called by the sickness of their mother, Mrs. Chas. Gadd, Sr., who died Tuesday night at 10:30, at the age of 67 years. The funeral will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at their home in Bridgewater township.

Frank D. Lancaster now drives one of the closest matched and finest driving spans of pacers in Southern Michigan. He purchased of J. E. Woodward the last of the week, Mollie W. the speedy little pacer, and she resembles the one he had so closely, that it is difficult to distinguish them. Frank loves good horses, and gives them the best of care.

Judging from the number of bicycles received here daily, one would think, Clinton a distributing point for a large territory. However such is not the case but the community is experiencing a bicycle craze such for the past two or three weeks, it has bothered the dealers, to supply the demand. We should not be surprised to see Uncle Roswell Randell catch the fever. Pleasant evenings, the streets are filled with wheels, propelled by men, women, and children, and foot passengers are scarce.

ONSTED.

A dance at the hall Friday night.

The measles are quite prevalent in this vicinity.

Mr. Townsend, of Rollin, was in town last week Wednesday.

L. Austin is nicely settled on the Daniels farm, west of town.

E. A. Taylor and wife visited friends in Battle Creek over Sunday.

Another large quantity of hogs was shipped from this station Monday.

The regular review of the K. O. T. M. will be held on Tuesday evening of next week.

Mrs. M. Long was called to Springport recently to attend the funeral of a sister.

F. W. Darling, who is working for the Champion company, was home over Sunday.

Oats are all sown in spite of the bad weather and the farmers are plowing their ground for corn.

A ten-cent chicken pie supper will be held at the People's church on Friday afternoon of this week.

An Adrian nursery company delivered goods here Thursday and a Monroe company on Friday of last week.

The Easter supper at the last regular meeting of the Eastern Star was a very nice affair and wound up the winter's series of star suppers.

Since his return here Frank Brooks has opened a repair shop for watches, clocks and bicycles in the building just north of Baker's barber shop.

The people of this community are preparing to meet the agent of prosperity when he comes, by putting out a large number of fruit trees this spring.

The home of Wm. Smith, southwest of town, burned to the ground Wednesday afternoon of last week. A chimney burning out was the cause. No insurance.

CAMBRIDGE.

Farmers are busy putting in their spring crops.

George Nearing, who has been sick for the past three months, died Thursday morning last, of consumption.

A carload of corn is being made up to send to the famine stricken people of India. Let all who can, contribute.

C. H. Dewey, who has been sick since the first of January, is still on the invalid list with a very lame arm and swollen hand.

J. B. Keeney, a former resident of this place died of old age at the home of his son, A. M. Keeney, in Adrian, and was buried in Cambridge cemetery Saturday, April 24th.

Your correspondent at this place has been remiss in her duty for the past three or four months on account of sickness and absence from home. Will do better in the future.

Mrs. Edwin Baker, who for more than a year has been afflicted with a tumor, went to Ann Arbor recently and had it removed. The tumor weighed thirty-five pounds. She survived the operation only eight days.

FRANKLIN.

Carl Wisner returned to his duties at the University Monday.

C. L. Wisner drove to Ann Arbor Monday returning the same day.

The Thomas saw mill is now located in E. J. Whelan's woods and is busily converting the rough logs into material for the new house.

The Misses Estelle and Emily Wisner, of McPherson county, Neb., arrived at their sister's, Mrs. Fred Stout's, last Tuesday and will visit their relatives and many old friends here.

In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief.

WAS OFFERED MONEY.

Legislator Claims to Have Been Tendered $25 for His Vote.

Thorough Investigation to Be Made of the Charge — Anti-Cigarette Measure Passed—Other Interesting Legislative Proceedings.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, April 28.—Although the legislature has been in session nearly four months, there has been no hint of corruption until now, when a charge has been made by a member that he has been offered a bribe of $25 to secure his aid in passing a bill which is now before the public health committee. The member has made an affidavit to this effect, and steps will be taken at once to investigate the matter. In his affidavit he affirms that he was approached by a lobbyist, whose name is withheld from the public, and was offered the sum named above if he would promise to support and vote for the bill in question. He refused to consider the proposition and proceeded at once to inform the public health committee of the fact. It is said that when the name of the alleged bribe giver is made known it will cause a sensation.

The house agreed to the bill prescribing a severe penalty for the sale of cigarettes to persons, under 21 years of age, or of tobacco in any form to persons less than 17 years of age, and also providing for the punishment of persons of these classes who purchase the prohibited articles.

The long fight over bills permitting townships on the east shore to grant franchises for a railroad and permitting suburban electric lines to transport farm produce and other light freight ended Thursday with the passage of all the bills, which have been held up in the senate for the past week, all having already passed the house. The bills were amended so as to give the railroad commissioner supervision over these roads, but the proposition to substitute specific for local taxation was abandoned.

A movement on the part of surety companies to engage at wholesale in the business of furnishing bonds for liquor dealers who will be required to furnish new bonds May 1 was nipped in the bud by the passage by both houses of a bill rendering such bonds illegal for this purpose.

If a bill which the house agreed to Friday becomes a law the practice of paying employes in store orders, checks, etc., which has obtained to a great extent, will cease in Michigan. The bill makes it unlawful to pay employes in this manner unless they so request.

The house received a remonstrance extensively signed by railroad employes against the passage of the bill providing a flat two-cent railroad fare. The petitioners said that the passage of the bill would mean reduced wages for them.

The house has been considering appropriation bills for several days, and action thus far taken indicates that all bills appropriating money for whatever purpose will be cut to the quick.

The indications are now that before the legislature adjourns it will have made arrangements to furnish the capitol, also all the state institutions in Lansing, with heat, light and power without patronizing the city or any private corporation. Early in the session bills were introduced for appropriations for the construction of electric light plants at the various institutions and the capitol. Now there is talk of one large plant.

In the future the house will have a session every morning, commencing at ten o'clock, instead of two o'clock in the afternoon. There will also be a session in the afternoon, and committee meetings must be held during the evening. This was a necessary move, if the members expect to get half through before time comes to adjourn.

The house liquor traffic committee has reported a bill providing a stamp tax of 64 cents upon barrels of beer, 32 cents upon half barrels, 16 cents upon quarters and 8 cents upon eighths, 1 cent upon quarts and one-half cent upon pints of ale or porter manufactured or sold in the state. It is estimated that the bill will yield an additional revenue in excess of $1,000,000.

The Buskirk bill has been finally agreed to by the committee and reported out. It provides that the local option feature shall be submitted at every state election when petitioned by 25 per cent. of the electors. This is the only liquor measure that has received any consideration during the session, and the amendment to compel petitions is considered as a victory by the saloon men.

The house passed several appropriation bills Thursday. The state soldiers' home was given $176,000; the home for the feeble-minded at Lapeer, $76,788. The bill appropriating $5,000 for a park at Mackinaw island was killed. The next bill to come up was one appropriating $2,500 to allow the state board of health to do the work of educating school children as to dangerous diseases. The amount was allowed with but little discussion. There was no appropriation for this purpose two years ago. For the state industrial school for girls there was allowed $91,968.80, which is $8,251.40 less than two years ago.

Gov. Pingree has signed the osteopathy bill and it is now a law. He had spoken favorably of such a bill before the legislature convened.

A senate caucus has decided that there shall be no increase in the present uniform liquor tax of $500.

The house on Tuesday defeated the Oberdorfer bill, appropriating $6,000 for an agricultural and horticultural station in the upper peninsula. Bills were passed by the house prohibiting fire insurance companies from making any combination, preventing open and free competition in the matter of rates; prohibiting fishing with nets in the Lea Cheneaux channel, except to take minnows for bait; prohibiting the shooting of prairie chickens for a period of five years.

Bills were passed by the senate Tuesday requiring railroads to carry bicycles as baggage; designating the apple blossom as the state flower; authorizing the incorporation of the Finnish Temperance Friends Association of America; authorizing the incorporation of companies to insure against burglary and the loss of securities or money in transit by registered mail. The house anti-cigarette bill was amended in committee, confining the prohibition of sale of tobacco and cigarettes to minors under 17 years, instead of 21, as it passed the house. There is likely to be a deadlock upon this measure, resulting in no legislation looking to the prohibition of the use of cigarettes.

EMMETT.

CYCLONE AT OMER.

Buildings Demolished and Several Persons Injured.

Saginaw, April 25.—A special to the Courier-Herald from Omer, Aranac county, says that a cyclone struck that town at 5:30 Saturday evening, completely demolishing the general store of W. R. Clouston, whose residence was also torn down and his shingle mill wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Hagley were blown 60 feet into the air and both were fatally hurt. Mr. Clouston received a serious scalp wound and is thought to be fatally injured. Mrs. John T. Balkie and her brother, John Cannally, of Port Huron, were in the upper portion of the store building when it collapsed. They were buried under the debris, but escaped serious injury. John Campbell's building, under course of construction, was blown down and completely wrecked. The Hagley residence was blown to pieces and not a board can be found within 200 feet of its former location. Mr. Clouston's loss is $1,200 on buildings and $3,000 on stock. The Presbyterian church was damaged to the extent of $500. The cyclone lasted but a moment and was followed by a terrific rain. The cloud was funnel-shaped and took a northeasterly direction. When it reached the woods trees were uprooted and carried into the air.

Swept by Fire.

Kalamazoo, April 22.—Fire broke out in Charles E. Gibson's bakery at Bloomingdale on the South Haven railroad, leaving but two business places standing. There was no fire protection except buckets and it was with great effort that any of the business places were left standing. The loss is about $20,000 with small insurance.

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BRITTON.

Will Clark and wife visited Detroit ...day.

...yman Hause made a trip to Milan ...esday.

Willis Helm made Tecumseh a visit ...rday.

George C. Randall, of Adrian, was in ...n Tuesday.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson was an Adrian ...tor Tuesday.

...alph Kishpaugh was in Clinton yes...day and today.

E. Hause visited his children at ...ton over Sunday.

...ll Hause and wife, of Clinton, spent ...day with Britton friends.

L. Baxter, of Tecumseh, was the ...t of W. J. Helm over Sunday.

...ny from here attended the funeral ...orge Kelly, at Holloway, Tuesday.

...ll Larrabee and wife have both ...quite sick but are now improving ...y.

...n Yates was the guest of Mr. and ...rve Hause, at Clinton, Saturday ...unday.

...e a number from here attended ...ster exercises at Ridgeway Sun...evening.

E. B. Borden left Friday for an ...ded visit with a daughter (Mrs. ...at Clio.

...e & Curtiss have already sold a ...number of the Champion binders ...arvesters.

...e high school seniors are very ...ely preparing for their commence... exercises.

...eph Dakin is shaping affairs that ...ay go to Florida. He hopes to ...in the near future.

...nk Brown has the agency for and ...w selling the New York Champion ...el wheel hay rake.

...and Mrs. James DuBois enjoyed a ...the last of the week from a nephew ...lives at Hanover, Mich.

...l Nivison is improving his resi... by adding a woodshed and cellar, ...being necessary adjuncts.

...l Rin and John Wiggins went to ...n Monday to make their final set...nt in the John Cheever estate.

...uncey Andress, of Lyons, Ohio, ...town the last of the week greet...ld friends and fixing up his prop...ere.

...ry McDougall completed the re... on Alexander Peters' buildings ...y. Mr. Peters has now a very at...e place.

James DuBois has recovered ...er rheumatic attack and went to ...n Sunday to assist her daughter ... housecleaning.

...ward Ballou, of Macon, has pur...d of Thomas Lee the house occu... by himself and family. He will ...ke possession before fall.

...er, the little son of Fred Rupp, ...s been so ill with malarial fever, ...alescing and went home with his ...Mrs. Arthur Smith, Tuesday.

...K. O. T. M's were so delighted ...the surprise given them at their ...review, by the L. O. T. M's, that ...are in hopes they may do so again.

...e Christian Endeavor society of ...Macon visited the society of the ...med church Sunday evening. The ...ring was not only pleasant but ...ally beneficial.

...ve—well I should think so. One ...young men exhibited enough of ...nday evening to borrow a young ...rig to take her to Ridgeway to ...d the Easter service.

...n. to Prof. and Mrs. O. A. Water... Saturday night, a fine seven ... boy. No wonder the professor ...s such an open countenance this ...and is so light of foot.

...or C. H. Goodrich and family ...guests of Dundee friends from ...day until Tuesday. He played ...he Dundee band at the I. O. O. F. ...ation at Maybee Monday.

...re were two caucuses Monday ... At one the old ticket was re...ated with W. J. Clark at the head; ...e other the ticket was headed by ...Britton. In view of this, there ...ndoubtedly be many more votes ... Monday than at the other elec...

RIDGEWAY.

...den tools of all kinds at Ed. ...'s.

...uel Barlow is failing very fast ...no hope of recovery.

...ttle Florance is very low at this ...g and his death is expected at any ...nt.

...rge Wilcox, of Raisinville, visited ...Daniel Linn and family Monday ...uesday.

...do Birch plows and extras at Ed. ...'s.

...rude Boyd, who has been under ...octor's care the past week with ...easles, is able to be out again.

... in mind that the library will ...e open evenings, from six until ...o'clock, commencing Monday next.

... Lindsley and Mr. and Mrs. ..., of Saline, visited Wm. Riggs ...mily from Friday until Monday.

...R. and Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. ... Arner attended the funeral of ... Kelly, held at the home of Allen ...near Holloway, Tuesday.

... H. Cansfield went to Scofield, ...sday, as delegate to the district ...tion of the Woman's Home Mis... society held there this week.

... and Mrs. Hiscock, who have ...iting relatives and friends here ...eral days, left for Albion Mon... where they will make it their ...

Go to Ed. Smith's for barrel salt, lime and cement.

Those who heard the Boston Ideal club, the last entertainment on the Tecumseh star course, at Sutton's opera house, Saturday evening, were highly pleased with it.

The Sunday school held their Easter exercises Sunday evening. There was a large attendance and the exercises passed off successfully, the missionary collection amounting to $23.

All kinds of garden seeds in bulk and package, at Ed. Smith's.

Lawrence Rappleye, who went to Oneida, South Dakota, a few weeks ago to spend the summer with his uncle, writes that he is plowing for oats with a four-horse team with the wind blowing at a high rate of speed.

The relatives of Mrs. James A. Jackson attended her 81st birthday anniversary at the home of her son, G. W. Jackson, at Tecumseh, Tuesday afternoon. Death has called a son and a grandson within the past year.

Charles Underwood and R. S. Houseman went to Blissfield Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Blacker, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maggie Corwin, on Thursday, from the effects of being burned some two weeks ago. Mrs. Blacker formerly lived here and was well known by the older citizens.

Go to Ed. Smith's for fence wire, staples, stretchers and tightners.

Clarence Mills, of Clinton, who has been running the creamery for the past month, was caught in the belt of the butter worker Thursday afternoon in such a manner as to be carried to the ceiling and drawn between the ceiling and shaft several times before his cry for help was heard. Fortunately he was more frightened than hurt as he escaped with only slight scalp wounds. The wonder is that he was not seriously hurt if not killed.

Mrs. George A. Wilkins, who has been in poor health for several months, died at her home in Macon Thursday morning of last week. She was 85 years of age the 20th of this present month. The funeral service was held at the home Saturday afternoon, Rev. James Wright officiating. Miss Hannah Winters was born in Delaware, Pennsylvania, April 20th, 1812, and came to Michigan with her parents in 1833 and settled in Franklin township, this county. She was married to George A. Wilkins, July 5th, 1835, and began pioneer life in Macon on the farm where they have since lived. She leaves an aged husband to mourn her departure.

CONE.

Mrs. Henry Tee is quite sick.

Miss Edith Ray was home from Tecumseh over Sunday.

Mrs. George Auten spent Sunday with her father, in Detroit.

Miss Lizzie Goodridge has gone to Ann Arbor to spend the summer.

Aaron Auten was up from Auburndale, Ohio, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bell, of Toledo, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Cone, last week.

The receipts of the aid society held at Mrs. Jane Auten's last Wednesday were $6 35.

Mrs. Nettie Gregory and little son George, of Tecumseh, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

A few friends of Miss Gertie Crittenden gave her a very pleasant surprise at J. M. Auten's Monday evening. A good time is reported by all present.

Mrs. Martin Donnison returned home from Detroit Thursday, where she had been caring for her husband the past seven weeks. He is slowly improving.

Mrs. Emogene Holcomb died at her home two miles north of here, Monday evening. She had been sick for some time. Deceased leaves three sons and one daughter to mourn her death.

MACON.

Ervin Conklin is the latest victim of scarlet fever.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunter April 20th.

Andrew Murphy and family, of Clinton, Sundayed at Robert Bard's.

Mrs. Milton Augustus returned to her home in Ypsilanti, Saturday.

M. V. Sickley has been entertaining his brother Arch, from Woodstock, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lank Smith visited Ridgeway friends a couple of days last week.

Mr. Thompson and two daughters, of Deerfield, visited at Arthur Pratt's over Sunday.

Topic for E. L. Meeting, Sunday evening, May 2nd: "A Soft Answer, Prov. 15-1. Leader, Mrs. Nettie Miller.

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It is true, we sometimes see our young women in such a state of health in the springtime; but it is the exception. Depression and languor are generally in evidence and the drooping, listless figure of the schoolgirl, the dragging step of the housewife, are seen in nearly every home. Perfect health is rare at any season, but this is especially so in the spring. The great majority of the people need a tonic in the spring. There are a great many tonics and they are all taken by the people to a greater of less extent. But the one that seems most popular at this time of the year is Pe-ru-na. It strengthens the weary body, invigorates the nerves and clears the mind. It leaves no bad effect upon the system when it is discontinued. The fact of the efficacy of Pe-ru-na as a spring tonic is becoming more widely known every spring. More Pe-ru-na is being taken this spring than ever before. The people have learned that it is unfailing, and so do not experiment, but immediately buy Pe-ru-na when the old listlessness of "spring fever" overtakes them.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 30, 1897.

The Anderson bicycle bill has passed both houses of the legislature and with the signature of the governor will become a law. It takes effect immediately and the provisions allow bicycles to go free under the same conditions as baggage except that the railroad company is not liable for damage or loss of machine except through proven carelessness of employees. The bill is all right and every state should follow suit.

In Adrian there is a regular old-fashioned "Reign of Terror." For several weeks tramps have infested the city and since the murder of Lafayette Ladd nearly every man, woman and child within the city limits carries a revolver. Reputable citizens spend their leisure moments shooting at a mark and it is understood that Ex-Mayor Hunt is about to organize a rifle club which will patrol the streets from sun down to sun up. That such a state of affairs should exist in our neighboring city is much to be regretted, but of course the force of the officers of prosecution for Lenawee county is limited, and it will be remembered that not long since a large portion of the force was unavoidably detained in New York City for several days, and perhaps in a measure Tecumseh is to blame. Last week it was rumored that boys were shooting our window panes with air guns in this village and again the attention of the prosecuting force was distracted from the capture of Adrian murderers to this more important affair in Tecumseh. 'Twas ever thus. "It never rains but it pours."

The Criminal and the Prison.

The treatment of the criminal has always been, and promises yet to be for some time, a question upon which good men may honestly differ. Human progress is not rapid nor of sudden developement in the direction of social perfection. Such progress as is achieved comes as the reward of serious and often times expensive experience. The present system of prisons and penal servitude, while protecting the community from the influence of many of the really dangerous class, serves only to emphasize the disgrace of misdoing, leaving the criminal unpunished, except as disgrace is a punishment, and making him, so far as possible, unpunishable. That the criminal is made in the prison, is a fact voiced almost daily in conversation. The really innocent person, being once sentenced to and confined in prison, becomes, almost universally, a hardened criminal. Those who are so held because of even the most trivial offences, nearly always become haters of the state and all connected with it. In hardly any instance, whether of reform school, house of correction or state prison, does the wrong doer come from confinement or servitude with any greater regard for order or good behavior for the sake of the virtue which lies in the right observance of these. He comes rather to in the quickest way possible work vengeance on those who caused him to suffer shame. Shame he most certainly should suffer, but not the scoffing and almost hatred of his fellow beings. The criminal, of all men, deserves pity and kindness. Cruelty only serves to make him more a criminal, without correcting his errors. The man sentenced to prison for a crime, usually looks about him and finds worse criminals than himself going free, petted and lauded by society. The criminal is weakened, incomplete, unhealthy, otherwise he would not have done a wrong. No person in his normal and healthy mind would commit a wrong against any one, much less a criminal act. But it is one of the diseases of society in this day, that men are subject to anger. Such a liability always betrays a weakness, an inebriety. There is a difference between anger and a righteous indignation as there is a difference between vengeance and kindly correcting. Those who are subject to anger are the dangerous class. They are weak morally; they may seem strong physically, but almost universally a close examination betrays a weakness there as well. Society demands, and most rightly, a protection against these moral dyspeptics. In no case would one possessed of sense open the prison doors and turn the inmates loose upon unprotected society. But the criminal is a human being, possessed of human instincts and deserving of human compassion, not hate. The love and compassion which the good Nazarene always displayed, even in his indignation, works more cures in the morally diseased, than the harshness of prisons ever can. Beyond protection from his misdeeds, the state has no claim against the criminal. This protection the state claims and must have, as much from the criminal as from the insane or the idiotic, but it seems to me, no more. As it is no part of an individual's right to work a work of vengeance, so neither is it a part of the rights of the state. The parent owes to the erring child a correcting and reproving love, but a love for all its correction and reproof. A like debt the state owes to each of its erring children, but it owes them no vengeance. It seems to me that the great wrong seen in our treatment of this unfortunate class, is that as a rule we send them to punishment as the angry driver flogs his horse. We need to let kindness rule in our treatment of these unfortunates as the treatment of the insane of today is kinder than the treatment of that class in the middle ages. ELMER C. ANDRUS.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

We have just received some very late patterns in Crape Paper. Call and see them. Lovers of the beautiful will be paid for calling. S. E. PARRISH.

Dr. Walker, the specialist, who comes to the Lilley House each month, is having great success in the treatment of chronic diseases, at least a number of his patients are improving right along.

The pupils, teachers, school board and community at large are all much pleased that Prof. Kellogg has been engaged to remain in Tecumseh another year.

The maple syrup social and entertainment which was to have been given last evening at the Presbyterian church parlors occurs tonight instead. Admission 10c.

There will be no services at the Friends' church next Sunday on account of quarterly meeting which will be held in Ypsilanti township near Willis station on the Wabash railway.

The May committee of the W. F. M S. will serve tea in the M. E. church parlors Wednesday, May 5th, from 6 o'clock until all are served. All are invited. Business meeting at 3:30.

Miss Clarinda Walker left Wednesday for Adrian township where she will make her brother, James Walker, and family an extended visit. She was accompanied by Mrs. M. M. Stacy and Loana, who remained a couple of days.

At a meeting Monday night of the vestry of St. Peter's church the following officers were elected:—
Senior Warden—John F. Hicks.
Junior " —Chas. F. Field.
Treas.—Lester P. Tribou.
Sec.—C. F. Field.
Delegates to the convention—T. C. Harris and H. E. Stout.
Alternates—C. F. Field and Joe Crosby.

Mr. Thomas Breen and Miss Minnie McKeehan were married by the Rev. W. R. Blachford Wednesday evening in the presence of about thirty relatives and intimate friends at their own home on Oneida street which the thoughtful groom had ready for them. It was a very pleasant occasion and the young couple have the best wishes of all for future happiness. They received many fine presents.

To the ladies of the Research circle are the citizens of Tecumseh indebted for one of the most enjoyable entertainments of the season and no doubt the large and appreciative audience last evening fully recompensed them for their efforts as well as being complimentary to the lecturer. Leigh Lynch is a man of generous proportions, imposing appearance and a pleasing speaker. His lecture "Hunting Freaks" was interesting and very instructive as his description of the countries and inhabitants was made most forcible by stereoptican views of great merit. The ladies netted thirty dollars.

Mother Goose Party.

The last of the series of parties given by the fourteen ladies was last Friday evening, and the entertainers were Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Miss Minnie Corey and Miss Katherine Anderson, at the residence of A. L. Brewer. The party was "Mother Goose" from start to finish, each guest representing some character from the well known fables. A feature of the evening was an hour spent in the mysteries of legerdemain by E. C. Adams, a guest from South Bend, Indiana. Mr. Adams' tricks would rival those of the most clever professional and were enjoyed to the extreme by the whole company. This, the last of a most unique and entertaining series of parties, was full of enjoyment to every one and reflected much credit upon the hostesses for the novel and delightful manner in which the guests were entertained.

A Life for 50c.

Many people have been cured of Kidney diseases by taking a 50c. bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure. Orr & Temple.

Ernest Kemp.

The funeral of Ernest Kemp, whose remains reached here Monday night, was held Wednesday at 10 a. m. in the Methodist church, and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends. The floral tributes were beautiful beyond description. The occasion was an extremely sad one, death coming in the way it did—so unexpectedly, so far from home and friends, and just in the prime of young manhood. Ernest was a bright, exemplary young man, 23 years of age and the only son. The parents and sisters have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in their sorrow, which time alone can mitigate.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the Epworth League and to our neighbors and friends who gave us their sympathy and aid in our great sorrow. MR. AND MRS. O. KEMP, AND FAMILY.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., April 27, 1897.

Tom Fifield, Howard L. Davis,
Henry Glove, Esden, Dennis,
B. Neal.

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

A LIVELY RUNAWAY.

Frank Bauer, Will Ingersoll and L. B. Samsen Thrown from a Carriage and Severely Injured.

L. B. Samsen is a son of F. W. Samsen, proprietor of the Tecumseh News, on which account the HERALD is pleased to quote from the News the account of the accident, supplementing only the fact that this (Friday) morning the three young men are all doing nicely and will be among us in a day or two, and to congratulate the participants that they escaped so luckily.

"While out riding last evening, the horse driven by L. B. Samsen became unmanageable and he, with the other occupants of the buggy, Will Ingersoll and Frank Bauer, were thrown out at the corner of Kilbuck and Pearl streets. All three were more or less hurt. Frank Bauer and L. B. Samsen were picked up in an unconscious state and carried into Mrs. Montgomery's. Bauer sustained some painful injuries to his face and remained in a dazed condition before being able to realize his situation. Samsen received a deep cut on the top of his head that penetrated to the skull, besides several other cuts about the head and body. Will Ingersoll was severely shocked and, as he had but a few days before come from a sick bed, the accident may cause him to suffer further trouble. The young men are today resting more comfortably, Samsen suffering from slight concussion of the brain and a fever, and Mr. Ingersoll some internal pains. While serious the accident might have terminated worse. The horse is not a vicious one, but became nervous at the playing of the band. As he started to run, the driver partially slipped from the seat, and Mr. Ingersoll also grasping the lines, the horse swerved to one side of the street, the buggy colliding with a large stone. Mrs. Bailey and Miss Hattie Montgomery rendered every assistance possible and kindly furnished material for the use of the Doctors—Jenkins and Catlin.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart 10 cents.

Greece has a population of 2,187,208. It is called "Hellas" by the people.

Have You Had the Grip?

If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Orr & Temple.

Low Rates to New York City and Return.

April 23 to 26 inclusive, 1897, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y will sell excursion tickets to New York and return at reduced rates, account Grant Monument Ceremonial, good to return, leaving New York until May 4th. Inquire of ticket agents.

Lake Shore Ry. Excursions to New York

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THE GREATEST COUNTRY ON EARTH.

The Land of Promise is down South in the eight Great Southern States penetrated by the Southern Railway. One way settler's tickets and round trip excursion tickets are sold by lines leading south in connection with the Southern Railway to give people a chance to see that Great Country.

The Southern Railway runs to Ashville and Hot Springs, N. C., "The Land of the Sky," America's Great Resort of Health and Pleasure.

Through vestibule trains from Cincinnati and Louisville. Through Pullman Sleepers from St. Louis via the Southern Railway. J. C. Beam, Jr. N. W. P. A., 111 Adams St., Chicago. Wm. H. Tayloe, A. G. P. A., Louisville, Ky.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

	Wholesale.	Retail.
PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	13	16
Eggs	7	9
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		88
Cheese, per lb		14
Potatoes, per bushel	25	30
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	to 4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	70	to 85
Corn, shelled	80	85
Corn in ear	10 to 12	15
Oats		15 17
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 50
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Cornmeal, per 100		70

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you have a watch, clock, piece of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

Fred P. Kennedy's

jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Offie, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

Full Length Well Matched With Border and Ceiling

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New Jewelry Store.

is now open and ready for business with a complete and valuable stock of everything in the

Watch, Clock and Jewelry line.

Call and See.

Repairing of all kinds promptly attended to.

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D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring. I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

Quicker and Cheaper,

than anybody. Call and see me.

Will Grey.

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Coal,

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Specialties:

Red Cedar Posts,
Long Timbers,
Akron Sewer Pipe.
The Largest Stock.
Prices that are Right.

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The Lima Northern R. R.

is coming to Tecumseh and we are here with the finest line of Mens' Boys' and Childrens' clothing ever shown in Tecumseh.

PLAIDS AND INVISIBLE PLAIDS, ARE THE PROPER THINGS,

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All Wool Mens' Suits $6.00 Up.
All Wool 18 oz. Clay Worsted suits $9 Up.

The very latest things in

Hats
Caps
Ties
Negligee and Fancy Shirts.

on display. Remember our prices are the lowest in Lenawee County. Very respectfully,

McCANN BROS
The One Price Clothiers

It will be to the advantage of **FARMERS**

to do business with our grocery wagon which is on the road daily filled with the best and freshest of everything usually kept in a first-class grocery store. To a limit cash will be paid wholly for produce. We will buy butter eggs and general produce,

Pay The Highest Market Price,

and will sell groceries as cheap as any store in this part of the country.

Everything Sold is Guaranteed.

to be as represented. Our rig is a covered wagon drawn by a grey team.

Licensed Wagon. **Tecumseh Coal and Lumber C**

Do you need a

Lawn Mower
Ice Cream Freeze
Poultry Netting
Refrigerator.

or anything in the hardware line. We can suit and please you, both as to variety and price.

D. L. Whitenack & C

N. B. Best line of bicycles and Sundr

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., APRIL 30, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE

Mount Vernon—	$2.25 per Thousand
Haverland—	2.75 " "
Mitchell's Early—	2.50 " "
Gwarfield's—	2.50 " "
Crescent—	2.00 " "
Captain Jacks—	2.25 " "
Cyclone—	2.50 " "
Enhance—	2.75 " "
Lovett—	2.50 " "
Meek's Early—	2.50 " "
Pilansee—	3.00 " "
Bedey Wood—	2.75 " "
James Vick's—	3.00 " "
Bubach—	2.75 " "
Parker Earl—	3.00 " "

Also a fine quality of Raspberries at 50 cents per hundred. ROSSEY SAHYL, Newburgh, Mich.

PLANTS FOR SALE. I have for sale 19 choice varieties of strawberry plants and 12 varieties of raspberries; also a few bushels of the following choice new varieties of seed potatoes: Early Michigan, Healy Fortune, Carman No. 1, Carman No. 3, and Livingston's Banner. I have a few pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte Cockerels for sale, and eggs in season. For further particulars enquire of or address C. W. MCNEIL, Newburgh, Mich

TO LOAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Address Lock Box 126, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

EGGS FOR SALE.—Pure blood White Plymouth Rock Eggs, 25 cents per 13. Inquire of or address MRS. W. J. WALDRON, fmo Tecumseh, Mich.

FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done at G. W. Slye's, second house west of Abner Wilson's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

FOR SALE.—Choice Strawberry Plants. 1½ miles north of Tecumseh on the Newburg road. 2wk JOHN F. SCHREDER.

AMBOIS, JR.—Foaled July 5, 1884; got by Ambois, dapple grey, foaled 1876, imported 1881, recorded 1283-830; dam got by Durand, 2nd dam by Bashaw. Young Ambois was raised by S. L. Wheeler, of York. He is ¾ Percheron, light grey, white mane and tail, stands 16 hands high, weight 1476. He is of heavy limb and bone and is a horse of extra action in every respect. $8 a living colt or no pay. Owned by CHESTER W. BROUNSON, Three blocks north of Steam Mills.

FOR SALE.—One yearling Jersey bull. Price reasonable. J. F. N. BOWEN.

WANTED.—Washing and ironing to do at home. MRS. ADA BARTHOLOMEW. Near the Creamery.

FOR RENT.—House with well, cistern, cellar, wood-house and garden, $1.00 per week; also one large sign for sale cheap. A. W. SLAYTON.

Bobbie Parrish.

John Rose is in town this week buying horses.

Thos. Elliott is a little better the last two or three days.

A. C. Bryan spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Jackson.

Will Whiting will move into the Patterson about May 1.

Somebody said that "Cam" lost his eyesight looking for work.

See those new Lowell Carpets just opened at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

John Fowler came up from Toledo and spent Sunday with his family.

James Lowry has a nobby sign painted on the side of his delivery wagon.

Mobbs & Co. are selling San Marto coffee in one pound packages for 25c.

Mrs. Sarah Lowrie has been very ill for the past three weeks at her father's.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher returned from her visit with Cleveland friends Tuesday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter N. Fowler returned to their home in Ann Arbor Monday.

Just examine my prices and my goods and the rest I will leave with you. G. H. TANSLEY.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

Several of our society young men attended the Elves party at Adrian Friday night.

Alfred James and wife entertained Mr. Rapp and Ed Widney, of Adrian, over Sunday.

Clyde Heck, who has been sick for the past three weeks with scarlet fever is again able to be around.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser left Monday morning for Athens where they expect to remain some time.

Mrs. P. J. Farley, of Jackson, is visiting her son Richard and other relatives and friends here and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Teeple rejoice in a young son born to them early Saturday morning.

Mrs. Amy Jones, who was with Mrs. Lewis while David was away, returned to her home in Wheatland Saturday.

An entire new stock of LOWELL Carpets at ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

After being quarantined for two weeks, F. J. Temple is again seen in his accustomed place at the drug store.

Frank and John Breen, who came to attend the wedding of their brother Thomas, returned to Detroit this morning.

See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold. G. H. TANSLEY.

Leon McNeil is now located at Carey, O., where he has charge of a newspaper office. He has a good position and likes the town.

G. H. Tansley has purchased the lot south of R. L. Baxter's on Maiden Lane and will, it is understood, soon build a home there.

Will Fanning's pleasant countenance is with us again. He arrived from Albion Monday and resumed work at W. W. Whiting's.

Bert Gray will Japan your bicycle frames and ornament them in neat style.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mull had a young son born to them last week. For several days the mother was very ill. In fact her condition was critical but at present she is improving and it is hoped will recover.

Third degree at masonic temple tonight.

How is this? San Marto coffee in one pound packages for 25c at Mobbs & Co's.

Frank Bice is now employed in Toledo and we understand has a good situation.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. A. B. Smith during the month of May. —Sec.

New Drapery Curtains and Lowell Carpets just received at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

Garlinghouse Bros. & Russell shipped several carloads of sheep and cattle Wednesday.

Miss Abbie Matthews is now numbered among the compositors in the HERALD office.

P. C. Snell is building a cement walk in front of three residences on north Pearl street.

Down goes the price of San Marto coffee to 25c a lb. at Mobbs & Co's.

L. A. Wilcox, wife and daughter, of Milan, visited at John Curry's Saturday and Sunday.

S. E. Parrish is in Detroit this week arranging his household goods for transportation.

Geo. S. Tiffany, who has been ill for several weeks, is now able to be about the street again.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCann are in Ingham county visiting friends this week. They drove over.

D. L. Whitenack & Co. sold a fine wheel, the Lakeside, to Mr. Hubbard, of Springville, Wednesday.

New styles frame moldings at E. L. Teeple's

M. F. Stein, the oculist, will be at the Lilley House next week. Read his announcement on another page.

See! see! those new LOWELL Extra carpets. Just opened at ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Miss Blanche Bigelow returned to Flint last Saturday, after a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy.

Mrs. H. E. Stout arrived home from Battle Creek Wednesday, after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Wooden.

Miss Helen Conklin has recovered from her recent illness sufficiently to be in her place at S. W. Anderson's store again.

Best field pea seed can be found at Mobbs & Co's.

Frank J. Hough, of Adrian, passed through Tecumseh yesterday on a bright green wheel. The older the man the brighter the "bike."

Dan Hubbard will remain in Tecumseh permanently having a chair in Vet Erskine's barber shop. Dan is a good workman and has many friends who will patronize him.

Housecleaning time is now with us and there is no time better than this to put on some of Hause's patent window fasteners. Orders left with G. W. Jackson will receive prompt attention.

I. P. Keyser will engage in the saloon business again in Tecumseh May 1st occupying his own building on railroad street. Frank Wallinger will not engage in business at once after the first of May, not having fully decided as to location.

Harris & Hiteshu have a store full of beautiful dress goods and trimmings.

We have discarded the use of cottolene in our bakery and now propose using nothing but pure lard and fresh butter and our variety of baked goods is increasing all the time. M. E. BICE.

Mrs. DeSpelder arrived home from Orange City, Iowa, Tuesday, and the Reverend, who went on to Holland to see his parents, is expected tonight. While in Iowa he had the misfortune to cut his hand severely with a piece of glass.

If you have an idea of buying a wheel this season, consult L. C. Hayden. He has the agency for National, Clipper and Belle wheels.

The Burnett house, in Toledo, has been refitted throughout this spring and many of the rooms refurnished, and during 1897, as heretofore, will be the Toledo headquarters for the travelling people who desire best accommodations and hospitable treatment.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains,	$16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand,	2.00
A large polished Stand,	1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs,	6.00
A polished oak Dinner Set,	7.00
A Sewing Rocker,	1.00
A large Arm Rocker,	2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker,	3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk,	2.50
Our Couches are beauties at	10.00

A large line of Window shades at 25c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods. WHEELER & SISSON.

About a year ago a Clinton lady lost her dog down in Tecumseh. On Wednesday she found the dog but the lady who had kept this same dog for a year, claimed ownership, on the ground that possession is nine points of the law. A coolness sprang up between the two women, the dog barked, the reporter politely stepped around the corner. The dog now wears a stump tail and will not own either woman as his mistress.

Teeple's photographic work is first class in every particular. Call and see the new ideas.

The last entertainment of the star course, given by the Boston Ideals, last Saturday evening was up to the standard and completed one of the best courses ever given in Tecumseh. It is understood that the committee will be out some money, how much is at present not known. This is much to be regretted, as without the efforts of the star course committee Tecumseh would fair very poorly for entertainments durgin the winter season.

James Cummins was in town Thursday.

C. F. Field, spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Dr. J. L. Tuttle, of Clinton, was in town today.

Mrs. Will Hughes is nursing a badly sprained ankle.

Fred Hermann is strictly in it having purchased a wheel.

John J. Orr, made a business trip to Detroit, yesterday.

C. F. Field made a business trip to Detroit Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Marsh called on Toledo friends yesterday.

James McCann and wife returned from Bunker Hill last night.

Bicycle supper at the Baptist church next Thursday evening, May 6.

Bargains in lawn mowers. C. A. SLAYTON.

James E. Pittman, of Detroit, visited his sister, Mrs. Tribou, over Sunday.

M. E. Tucker of Adrian, has been entertained by Elbridge Hyde this week.

E. M. Lewis, contemplates removing his saw mill to the vicinity of Onsted.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parker, of Clinton, were calling on friends here yesterday.

Levi Hayden, Charlie Williamson and the Karner brothers have purchased a Clipper tandem.

Chris Wallinger and wife, moved back to Clinton this week, where they expect to reside.

Health officer Tefft has had several cases of measles reported and the houses have been placarded.

Lawrence VanTyne is making extensive improvements on his Chicago street store property.

Karner Bros. speak to the ladies about summer foot wear in their ad. this week Read it on the first page.

Perry Hosmer, left Wednesday for Lansing, expecting his business there, would keep him about three days.

Theo. C. Harris will, after May 1st, occupy the "Curtis" house, corner Pottawatamie street and Maiden Lane.

The opening of the new jewelry store last Saturday, was a grand success Many Tecumseh people, calling to get acquainted with M. Peters.

Dickinson Brothers, have been painting, cleaning, and decorating the interior of their market on Rail Road Street, making it fully as attractive as any City Market.

James M. Jones was taken Monday with severe cramping, and for a time, his suffering was intense. He is better, but looks, as if he had passed through a long illness.

Dr. O. Q. Jones was again summoned to Brooklyn Saturday, by sickness in his fathers family. He returned Tuesday night, leaving his sister, whom he found critically ill, much better.

Mrs. F. Gamble was in Scofield Wednesday and yesterday in attendance at a home missionary convention.

John Hanley, while splitting wood at M. Smeltzer's yesterday, had the misfortune to cut his right foot severely as well as lose a toe. He was brought to town and had the foot dressed properly.

The following persons now ride new bicycles purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.:—Miss Lena Hardenburg, Mrs. C. F. Patterson, A. W. Mills, Bert Miller, Macon, and Alex Sweet, Holloway.

See the lawn swing. New thing. Lots of comfort. C. A. SLAYTON.

Vic Spafford and George Hastings were arrested Wednesday for breaking out window lights. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Sampsen gave the boys a good talking to and 'Squire Wightman suspended sentence on them for thirty days.

Montie Florance, who has been sick a long time with consumption, died last evening at the home of his father, Morgan Florance, in Raisin. Funeral at the house Sunday at one p. m. Interment at Ridgeway.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Keenan, on waking this morning were shocked to find their two-months'-old baby dead. A few hours before the mother fed the baby and it seemed all right then. The cause of its death is unknown.

Will. H. Hayden, and mother, are expected home from the South to morrow. the train they were on, was ditched, about thirteen miles from Houstan, Texas, but fortunately they escaped injury, so stated the dispatch, received by L. C. Hayden.

Tomorrow will be Will Elliott's last day in the postoffice. He has something in his mind's eye but thus far keeps his own counsel. Will has made many friends by his efficiency and uniform courtesy and will be missed by patrons of the office.

It was "Ladies night" at the Tecumseh Club last evening, and the ladies in attendence, were delighted with the homelike fitting of the apartments, and their hospitable greeting. This will prove, to be a very popular feature of the club

Mrs. Wm. Chamberlain, of Cleveland, joined her husband here Monday night, and Tuesday morning, they, with E. L. Jones, wife and son Leo, left for Duluth Minn. During their soujourn here, Mr. C. and the Joneses, made many warm friends, who hope to see them back in the fall.

If ever there was a disgusted and crestfallen company, it was the eight couples who attended the McDermid-Coddington wedding and, supposing the bridal pair was going via Jackson to Detroit, drove to Clinton in the evening stocked with rice, etc., intending to board the train and give them a surprise. So far so good. They were at the station in the height of expectation. The train came, they boarded it, entering the train with a rush, but to their surprise the looked for couple were conspicuously absent, they having driven to Britton and taken the Wabash. The joke was on them and it will be a long time ere they hear the last of it.

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Bert Cutting does repair work of all kinds, bicycles, lawn mowers, etc., in the Cummins building, Railroad street.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a bicycle supper Thursday evening May 6. Bicycles checked free. Supper ten cents.

Get your bicycles, lawn mowers, etc., repaired and put in first-class shape at Cutting's machine shop in the Cummins building on Railroad street.

McNeil & Packard are prepared to do the best work in the line of papering and painting. Prices very reasonable. Leave orders at Montague's novelty store.

Reduced rate excursion tickets to New York City and return over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y April 23 to 26 inclusive; good until May 4 to leave that city.

Harris & Hiteshu are showing very fine lines of Spring Wraps for ladies and children and you will be surprised at the prices quoted. Read their "ad" then call and see the realities.

A pile of basswood took fire this morning near the saw mill of E. M. Lewis, in the southeast part of town which required heroic work to subdue. It caught from the engine and had a good start before it was discovered. Had it occurred at night considerable damage would have resulted.

Word was received in Tecumseh Monday of the death of Eb. Vencelius, in Chicago. Mr. Vencelius was for many years a resident of Tecumseh and Macon and was a brother of Mrs. John Campbell, of Tecumseh, and Row Vencelius, of Milan. For the last several years he has lived with his children in Chicago.

Tuesday, the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Jackson, on Logan, was the scene of a pleasant gathering of relatives, and friends from Ridgeway, Macon and other points, summoned by the good host and hostess, to assist in celebrating the 81st anniversary, of the elder, Mrs. Jacksons birthday. It was a surprise to the venerable lady, but none the less, enjoyable on that account.

The Wagner Quartette Concert company and Maus entertainers gave a very enjoyable entertainment at the opera house Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Maus are both well known in Tecumseh and their entertainment was appreciated by all in attendance. The Wagner quartette was fine indeed. In all it was one of the most enjoyable entertainments which has appeared in the opera house this season.

Merton S. Burlingame has been appointed county agent, for the National Bicycle and Protection Association. This is a caution every person, who owns a wheel, should take. Thousands of wheels are being stolen every year. For $3.00 a year, with this company, you can protect your wheel, and if lost by theft, another wheel exactly like the one which you lose, will be sent to you by the company, free of charge.

A large number of masons attended the funeral of George L. Kelly, at the residence of his father, Alfred Kelly, in Raisin, Tuesday, he having taken his degrees here. He died of typhoid fever at Duluth, Minn., last Saturday. He was 28 years of age, and a bright lawyer who was rapidly gaining prominence in his profession and his untimely death was a crushing blow to his parents and friends. His was a verification of the saying "Death loves a shining mark."

The workmen are doing great execution in preparing the road bed for the Lima Nothern. The big cut is nearly finished, as is the long stretch on Geo. Tiltons, which required to be filled in. Billington & Wood understand their business thoroughly, but are handicapped by the reluctance, with which property owners are giving right-of-way. N. M. Sutton came to an agreement with the company yesterday morning, and no doubt in a few days, the grade across the old Patterson farm, will be completed, which will bring it to the village.

During the winter of 1896-7 the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle held their regular semi-monthly meetings at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Conkling, Prof. Kellogg being President. Their last meeting for the season, a social, was held at the residence of their charming hostes, Mrs. A. Hardenburg on Union St. Tuesday evening, April 27th. Refreshments were served early in the evening, and the remaining time was delightfully spent by the Circle and their guests, in modeling animal and marine objects and in guessing portraits of distinguished persons. At the last regular meeting the Circle adjourned, to meet at Mrs. Wm. Orr's, Mouday, Aug. 30th. 1897. at 7. 30 P. M.

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OUR LADY READERS ESPECIALLY INTERESTED.

General Invitation From L. B. King & Co., China Merchants, Detroit.

In none of the many magnificent and beautifully arranged business emporiums which make Detroit famous, can the visitor derive more pleasure, than in the establishment of L. B. King & Co., the wholesale and retail dealers in china, glass and crockery ware, 103 Woodward avenue, that city. The house is one of the oldest in Michigan and the West. Half a century ago, as R. W. King & Co., it was the base of supplies to the then sparsely settled region which now numbers millions of residents. It has the trade of the grandfathers of the present generation, as it had that of their fathers, and it keeps the confidence of the present descendants of the pioneers. These facts are of easy explanation.

One of the chief reasons why this establishment has been able to hold its trade and to extend it, in the face of active competition, is the absolute reliability of its goods. From the beginning of its efforts and all along in its career to this day, the goods sold by this firm could always be depended upon. In these days of imitations, more numerous and deceptive than of old, it is a comfort and a satisfaction to know where one can procure the finest and best of those delicate goods, with the assurance that they are exactly as represented. Very few people outside the trade, and not all in the trade, are fully competent to judge correctly in this matter. They would like to be sure of possessing the genuine article. It is only required that it be procured at "King's," to guarantee this.

The immense and carefully selected stock of this house comprises everything in china, cut glass, queensware, and kindred articles. Every novelty and everything of beauty in these lines may be seen there. Retail dealers in Michigan and the West will learn what is new and popular by visiting "King's." They will find such a visit highly profitable, be their requirements much or little.

Young housekeepers (and old ones as well) will derive much pleasure and satisfaction from an inspection of the many beautiful articles displayed in this veritable palace of art. We live in an age of culture and taste, and all who can possibly afford it wish to fit up their homes with elegance, and according to the prevailing styles. Our readers who desire to have their pantries, sideboards and dining tables furnished as they should be, should call at "King's" and look around. They are invited to ask questions, and they will have all information given them by persons whose business it is to know, and whose success in business is a proof that they know.

Scattered all over Michigan and States adjoining, in the homes of the wealthy and humble alike, are souvenirs and heirlooms bought at "King's" in Detroit. These articles of use and beauty have endured because they were "good," outlasting much that was only supposed to be.

The season of spring replenishing is at hand. The long-established character of this house, and its well-known facilities, make it the mart for spring buyers of china, glassware and crockery. The firm extends a personal invitation to every reader of these lines to call at 103 Woodward avenue, when in Detroit.

FRUIT LOOKS WELL.

Excellent Prospect for a Larger Crop Than Ever.

St. Joseph, April 26.—The present indications are that there will be a larger crop of all kinds of fruit in this section of country than last season, which was the largest crop of fruit ever gathered in the fruit belt. It was reported that the entire crop of peaches was killed last winter, but many farmers have examined their trees and find that two-thirds of the buds are alive and this is more than the trees can hold. Many farmers are glad that part of the crop was killed because last season many trees broke down with the weight of the crop and the farmers had to hire help to pick off the peaches when they were green and small.

Another reason why the crop will be larger than last year is because many acres of young orchards will bear for the first time. The berry crop will, according to present indications, be larger than last year, as many acres were destroyed by the dry weather of last season. Last season the pear crop was short in this locality, but this year the yield will be greater than any other year in the history of the fruit belt.

BOTH TELL OF JOY.

Two Young People Miraculously Regain the Power of Speech.

Perrington, April 26.—Addie Altenberg, the 14-year-old daughter of W. J. Altenberg, of this place, is the happiest girl in the state. Seven months ago she suffered a complete paralysis of the vocal organs, caused by diphtheria, and has not spoken a word since until Sunday evening, when her voice returned instantly. She went nearly wild with joy.

Hudson, April 26. — Fred Markey lost his voice when he was a little boy. One day last week, while plowing, he struck a snag and got a poke in the ribs that made him yell with pain. This surprised him greatly and he yelled for joy, forgetting all about his lacerated rib. Since then he has used his voice with telling effect.

Furniture Plant Sold.

Hastings, April 26. — The furniture factory in this city, which has long stood idle and which cost $60,000, has been sold to the Cedarine Manufacturing company, an incorporated concern in the east, and will immediately start up with a force of 100 men.

FARM & GARDEN.

FINE SOD CUTTER.

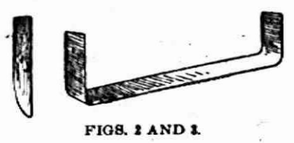
Can Be Made by Anyone Having a Little Ingenuity.

In reply to a request for directions for making a sod cutter, I offer the following, which is very easy to construct by anyone having ordinary ability in the use of tools and who may have use for such an article as a sod cutter. It is for use with a horse, and will cut sod at a very rapid rate, and will cut of a uniform thickness and width. By using a spade that is sharp to follow and cut out the lengths, it is easy to get any sized piece that may be desirable to handle.

To construct it, procure a piece of pine or oak two inches thick by six

FIG. 1.

inches wide and seven feet long. Cut in the center and shape one end of each piece like Fig. 1. For the top use a piece of pine two inches thick, 14 inches wide and three feet long. Spike or fasten the top board firmly to the side pieces or runners as though making a sled, as in Fig. 4. It will require two steel cutters about eight inches long and firm enough to be substantial, like Fig. 2. One steel cutter (3), the bottom to be flat and about 1½ inches wide, the length of which must be width of sled, but which must be fastened to the sled



FIGS. 2 AND 3.

on an angle so that the knife or cutter which is fastened upright in front will be in advance of the other. This cutter must be well made of good steel, with good stout upright ends and well bolted to the sides so it will project below the bottom of the runners about 2½ inches, or whatever thickness is deemed best to cut the sod. Have it well sharpened across the width. Place the two upright knives, well sharpened, just in advance of the uprights of the

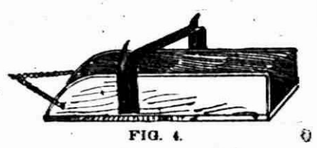


FIG. 4.

just in advance of the uprights of the knife or cutter, allowing their points to project half an inch below the cutter bar. Fig. 4 shows the cutter complete with the bottom up. Rings can be put in front and a short chain attached to hitch the horse to.

In cutting, drive straight and stand on the cutter over the knife. It is best to cut crosswise at each end of the strips and remove it, and there will be less trouble to start it each time. The whole expense of such a cutter ought not to exceed a dollar, and if well made will last a lifetime and be very easy to lend, but harder to keep trace of.—S. L. Harper, in Ohio Farmer.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

No other instrument is so well adapted to pulverizing small clods as the plank drag.

A great man once said that the most important secret of success with crops is to remember to stir the soil.

Even half a dozen sheep are better than none, as they will keep down the weeds and prevent the farm from being seeded with such pests.

Feed up the corn fodder, millet and other cheap forage as closely as may be and save the timothy hay, which is a cash article, while the others are not.

Not only must the soil contain food elements, but they must be thoroughly mixed and incorporated in the soil to become available as plant food. Therefore, let the ground be heavily manured and every square inch for a foot in depth well pulverized.

Farmers who sowed crimson clover last fall will have an excellent fertilizing material for plowing under. No nitrogenous fertilizers will be required where crimson clover has grown, but application of phosphates and potash will be beneficial. They cost but a small sum, however, compared with the substances containing nitrogen.

It is seldom that a farmer can accumulate a sufficient amount of wood ashes for a large field, but on farms where wood is used there is a limited supply, which can be put to good use on the garden or on the young clover. Ashes are excellent also on all grass lands and in orchards. They are applied broadcast, in any quantity desired, as many as 100 bushels per acre having been used on certain soils.—Prairie Farmer.

The Curse of Farming.

The first great lesson that we must learn to avoid waste. That has been the curse of farming. We pay taxes on land that we do not farm; we only half cultivate our fields, and so waste both land and labor; we have a large percentage of a crop in a field; we waste time and capital raising inferior animals; we waste money in buying what we should raise ourselves; we waste energy in trying to do more than any one man can do right; we waste opportunities to improve our condition by staying away from institutes and by neglecting to read papers; we waste—in a thousand and one ways we waste, and then we are ready to say that "farming doesn't pay."—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

PLANTING THE CORN.

Have the Soil Mellow and Fine and Stirred Deep.

If a good stand of corn is secured, care must be taken first to have good seed and then to plant under such conditions as will bring a quick germination of the seed and a thrifty start to grow. Plants, like animals, are easily stunted when young, and no after treatment will wholly overcome the effects of stunting.

While it is best to plant reasonably early, it is of no advantage to plant when the soil is wet or cold, or before it has been carefully prepared. Better delay the planting rather than to plant under unfavorable conditions. Corn is a crop that should germinate in a short time after the seed is planted, and the plants should make a steady growth to maturity.

Plow deep and thorough. If the ground has been plowed during the fall or winter go over it with a disk or spading harrow. It is an item to have the soil mellow and fine and stirred reasonably deep.

Taking one year with another, deep plowing or stirring of the soil before planting should be the rule, with shallow, thorough cultivation afterwards. It is only occasionally that it will be best to plow or cultivate deep after the plants are up. Generally thorough stirring of the soil keeping down the weeds, and the soil fine and mellow, will give better results than to plow or cultivate deep.

Rather more and better corn can be grown by planting in drills than in hills, but it is nearly always done at an increased cost. In nearly all cases it will cost more to give clean cultivation with drill-planting than with hill. But where the land is free from weeds, so that the cost of cultivating is not increased too much, drill planting will give the best growth and yield.

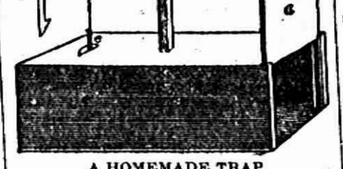
But in an average soil, it is usually more economical to plant in hills far enough apart each way, so that cultivation can be given both ways. One advantage in using only good seed and planting under the most favorable conditions is that just the number of plants wanted in each hill, that many kernels of corn can be dropped.

While it is better to thin out than to replant, both of these may usually be avoided by using good seed and taking care in planting. When the soil is warm and dry deep covering will be best. If the soil is rather wet or cold, it will be best to cover shallow. The fertility of the soil must determine the number of stalks in each hill. It is better to have one or two strong, vigorous plants than three or four small, unthrifty ones. It is better to thin out than to let the plants stand so thick as to stunt their growth.—St. Louis Republic.

TRAP FOR SMALL GAME.

It Is Just as Good as the Most Expensive Contrivances.

This trap can be made by any farmer's boy; a is a trap door held up by two cords attached to lever b, which rests on fulcrum c; e, a trigger, is a short stick made as illustrated, and is attached to the end of lever by a short cord. The trigger passes through a small hole in the top of the trap, and



A HOMEMADE TRAP.

catches on the front edge. The sketch shows the trap set. Grain is used for bait, but carrots or cabbage are much liked by rabbits. Place the bait in the further end of the trap so that it cannot be taken out without touching the trigger, which flies up and down drops the door, caging the game. — G. L. Kuney, in Farm and Home.

Early Potato Blight.

The early blight of potatoes does not cause the tubers to rot. A more or less rapid drying and curling of the leaves and stems marks the presence of the disease. The edges of the leaves are first visibly affected; the color changes to a yellowish brown, while the central parts of the leaflets gradually become lighter green, or even yellow, and more or less spotted. The early blight of potatoes may be treated with partial success by means of the Bordeaux mixture. The vines should be sprayed when about two-thirds grown, and the application should be repeated as often as necessary, the foliage at all times being well covered with the mixture.—Western Plowman.

Clover Pasture Is Best.

The best pasture for colts, calves, lambs and pigs is clover, but it is still better to have a variety of pasturage plants, such as blue grass, orchard grass, red top, timothy and red clover. Let these seeds be well mixed and carefully sown and those best adapted to the soil will soon assert themselves and give largest and best growth of pasturage. Now is the time to scatter the seed. Plow well, harrow finely, sow the seed, let it become well established and you will have pastures that you will be proud of.—Rural World.

This Is Worth Remembering.

A wagon box ten feet long, three feet wide and 25 inches deep will hold 27.8 bushels of ear corn and 50.2 bushels of shelled corn. A crib ten feet wide, ten feet high and 16 feet long will hold 711 bushels of ear corn. Of ear corn, one bushel is contained in 2¼ cubic feet. In figuring shelled corn or grain, the same space will hold 1 4-5 times as much grain as it will of ear corn. A crib that will hold 800 bushels of corn will hold of shelled corn or of other grain 1,440 bushels.

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has turned the tables on high price baking powders. The directions on High Price cans are the same as on *Calumet* cans, viz.: 2 teaspoonfuls to a quart of flour, but they say that one can of High Price will go three times as far as any other. Can any claim be more ridiculous? The frantic cry of adulteration, danger and poison made by the high price baking powder people is a blind to intimidate the public and induce them to pay fancy prices for their goods—also to divert attention from this defect in their own goods.

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Mr. J. A. J. Simpson, of Glen Forks, Ky., states: "I was afflicted with palsy and whenever I would recover from an attack of it a severe cough would set in, almost taking my breath away. This coughing would last hours, and nothing seemed to relieve me until I tried Lightning Cough Drops, which gave me immediate relief. I used two bottles of it and have never been troubled with a cough since." Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

Fears of a flood at Kansas City, Mo., have now been dissipated.

For biliousness nothing can equal Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills. They afford me instant relief.—L. A. Reese, Youngstown, O. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

The Michigan state fair will not be held in Detroit in 1897 owing to financial difficulties.

Orr & Temple

Of Tecumseh, Mich., write us on Jan'y 14, 1896, that their order of Nov. 11, 1895, consisting of 8 dozen in package and a quantity in bulk of your Syrup Pepsin is all sold. We find it one of the best sellers and gives the best satisfaction of any remedy ever sold over a counter. It is in 10, 50c and $1.00 sizes of Orr & Temple.

Lee Corns, of Toledo, chief engineer on the tug Blazer, was drowned during a blow on Lake St. Clair.

WE WANT TO TELL YOU

Why Your Back Is Lame—Why It Aches and Pains, and How to Cure It.

Do you know what it is to have a back that is never free from aches and constant pain, a lame back, a sore back, an aching back, in fact, a back that makes your life a burden? What have you done for it? And does it still keep you from the happiness that perfect health brings to all? We know full well if such is your condition a cure for it will be a blessing you no doubt desire. Plasters won't do it, but may assist in bringing strength. Liniment won't do it; for, while it may give temporary relief, it does not reach the cause. The cause, there's the point; there's where to make the attack. Most backaches come from disordered kidneys, therefore you must correct their action if you would be cured. Read the following from D. D. Cook, whose address is No. 18 Michigan Street, Grand Rapids. He says:—

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and wish to say it is a truly great medicine. Thirty years ago I had nervous prostration while in the army, where I served for over four years. I think it was during this service that the seeds were sown which have caused all my trouble. Severe bilious attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well? I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

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South of Council Bluffs, Ia., the water has inundated farms for a distance of three or four miles and much stock has been drowned.

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At Tuscola, Ills., Fred Switzer committed suicide with strychnine.

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HONOR FOR MICHIGAN.

Senator Burrows Made Chairman of Finance Committee.

THE BEST MAN FOR THE POSITION.

His Long Service in the House as a Leading Member of the Ways and Means Committee Gave Him Practical Experience on Financial Matters—Dissatisfied Michigan Wool Growers Sending Petitions to Congress.

Washington, April 27.—The entire state of Michigan has been honored by the honor which has been conferred upon our junior senator, Julius Caesar Burrows. After more than a month of diligent effort on the part of the steering committee of the senate an agreement has finally been reached and the committees reorganized, so that the senate can proceed to do business.

The most important stumbling block in the pathway of success in the formation of committees was the selection of a man to serve on the committee on finance in the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Sherman of Ohio, who became secretary of state. Senator Sherman has been regarded as an authority on financial and revenue matters for more than half a generation, and he had been a member of the senate for thirty years. A number of the older senators were ambitious to succeed to the vacancy on that important committee, but, after due deliberation, by unanimous consent of the entire senate, it was agreed that Senator Burrows is the best equipped man for the position. His long service in the house of representatives as a leading member of the committee on ways and means gave him practical experience on financial and revenue matters, so that he is exceptionally well qualified on the tariff and kindred questions, and, therefore, best fitted of all the members of the senate for membership of that committee, which now has charge of a revenue measure.

Petitions to Congress.

The city and county officials of Midland recently prepared a petition to the congress requesting that a duty of 1 cent per pound on chloride of lime, or bleaching powder, be imposed in the pending tariff bill. They also sent a written argument in favor of the proposition. Both of these documents were presented to the senate in due course of time by Senator McMillan, and referred to the committee on finance, where they will receive consideration. Sundry lumber companies, doing business at Manistique, and a number of citizens of Sherman City, have requested the Michigan senators to secure the adoption of the lumber schedule as it passed the house of representatives. They also remonstrate against any rebate on lumber coming from Canada. Senator McMillan presented these documents to the senate, and had them referred to the committee on finance.

The cigarmakers of this country are opposing any increase of the duty on imported tobacco, classed as wrappers and fillers. Petitions and memorials have come from every section of the state of Michigan and from all over the country, and only a few days ago a petition came from seventy-two cigarmakers of Lansing alone, and Senator Burrows presented many of these documents to the senate and had them referred to the committee on finance; and, inasmuch as the senator is a member of that committee, he will be able to see to it that the matter receives proper consideration.

Dissatisfied Wool Growers.

All of the Michigan representatives and both of the senators from our state are receiving letters and petitions from wool growers who are dissatisfied with the proposed wool schedule of the new tariff bill. They asked legislation which will give protection to sheep husbandry and specified textile fibres. These Michigan men who are interested in sheep husbandry have the co-operation of the National Wool Growers' association, which represents about 1,000,000 people. The wool growers of the country are an isolated class. They have no official organ, and no trained, well-paid lobby, as the wool manufacturers have. Heretofore they have had no special friend upon the committee on finance to look after their interests, but they may all be now assured that Senator Burrows will see to it that their rights are protected.

Bert W. Kennedy of Grand Ledge is one of the conspicuous figures upon the floor of the house of representatives daily. He was born at Grand Ledge in March, 1873, and is yet a young man, looking younger than he is, for he has a very boyish face. He lived on a farm until eight years of age, and attended the Grand Ledge public schools until he was appointed page in the Michigan legislature in 1887, and served in that position during the sessions of 1887 and 1889. He came to Washington upon the recommendation of all of the Michigan state officers and members of the Michigan house of representatives and senate, and was appointed to a place as page boy in the national house of representatives of the Fifty-first congress.

Made Assistant Doorkeeper.

During the Fifty-second and Fifty-third congresses, when the Democrats had a majority of the house, a position was created for him at the request of the Republican minority, and he was retained there until the Republicans took possession of the house in the Fifty-fourth congress, when he was unanimously chosen by the Republican members of the house for the position of assistant doorkeeper. He was reappointed to that position recently for the Fifty-fifth congress, and fills it in a manner acceptable to the house of representatives. The Michigan members are all proud of him. The salary of the position which this young Michigan man has attained is $2,000 per annum. Upon the strength of this advancement in position and salary, he felt warranted in taking unto himself a helpmeet, and recently married one of the best girls in the Third district of Michigan, who is here now with him, trying to aid him in his ambition for further political preferment.

Senators Burrows and McMillan are receiving many letters of commendation for supporting the president in his selection of President Angell for the mission to Constantinople. The senators are particularly commended by the university men.

Uncle James Monroe has returned to his home, and is now in Kalamazoo. He spent a delightful week in Washington, and on the day of his leaving the city he was accompanied to the White House by Senator Burrows and had a pleasant interview with President McKinley. While here Uncle James went over the list of postoffices in Kalamazoo county and made recommendations for the appointments of proper postmasters. It is believed that his recommendations will be followed.

A great many officeseekers are exhibiting impatience with the senators because they do not more promptly decide pending cases. There are numbers of applicants for each office, and the senators propose to take time to deliberate and reach proper conclusions before making recommendations in any case for the action of the president.

The Dingley bill places a duty of 11 cents per pound on skirted wool. Two pounds of the skirted fleece imported would pay 22 cents duty; but the two pounds would be equivalent to three pounds of the American product. Therefore, the Dingley bill duty would in reality be only 7 1-3 cents a pound. Senator Burrows appeared before the committee on finance and explained this matter so clearly that the senators will grant adequate protection to the American product by raising the duty at least 16 cents per pound on skirted wool.

McKinley as a Politician.

"Those men in public life who do not realize the fact that William McKinley is a politician, know very little of the man," says Congressman McMillin of Tennessee. "I had known McKinley for a number of years in the house of representatives, and had no occasion to take notice of him as a politician until last year, when I was designated to prepare the Democratic campaign book. I personally went over all his record, and, with the assistance of others, ferreted out and read all of his speeches, long and short, in the Congressional Record. I tried to prove that he was a gold man, and succeeded in that; but, in every speech that was made by him I also found that he was a silver man, and that that fact could be demonstrated.

"When I began to read and analyze his public utterances I discovered at once that he had been looking for the presidency all his life, and had carefully guarded every public utterance on every public question except the tariff. Upon the subject of a protective tariff he was outspoken on all occasions, and his record was perfectly clear. Upon all other questions I discovered that his record was blurred by all sorts of paronomasia and dialectic tricks. His speeches indicated that he was on all sides of the financial question; on all sides of the Behring sea dispute; on all sides of the subject of arbitration, and on all sides of the subject of appropriations. Not a thing could be found in his record which could be used in the campaign against him.

"Of course, I excerpted from his speeches those paragraphs which indicated that he believed in the gold standard; but the makers of the Republican campaign book were perfectly able to take from the same speeches which McKinley had made paragraphs showing a friendly disposition towards silver. He is one of the shrewdest politicians this country has ever produced, and those who think otherwise are very greatly mistaken."

Sure of His Appointment.

Within half an hour after the conversation with Mr. McMillin, in which he made this statement, I met a gentleman who is a candidate for a prominent diplomatic position, and he said:

"I have been looking over the situation very carefully, and have come to the conclusion that McKinley is a great politician.

"I know that he is going to appoint me, and am confident that there is no reason to doubt that the appointment will be made. But it is a singular fact that McKinley has required both of my senators and all of the representatives from my state, and several gentlemen of prominence from other states, to call upon him and personally urge my appointment. I know that twenty-four leading Republicans have called upon him in my behalf, and to each of them he has made the statement that if it was a matter of personal desire on the part of his caller, he would consider the matter favorably. I have heard from all of these friends of mine, and my conclusion is that he intends to tell each one of my senators and each of my particular friends that when he makes my appointment he does it as a personal favor to each one of them. Thus, when my nomination is sent to the senate, there will be at least twenty-four leading Republicans who are under personal obligations to President McKinley for that particular favor. When they come to him for other favors he will remind each of them of the fact that he has done a special favor in making my appointment. It will thus appear that four prominent appointments will put about 100 leading Republicans under obligations to the president."

If that is not shrewd politics, then I do not know the meaning of the word.

How to Treat the Mississippi.

The weather bureau officials say that the present remarkable flood in the Mississippi will settle the policy of the government in the future for the control or direction of the river. If the levees stand the strain of this phenomenal flood, the levee system will be continued. If the levees give way, then the levee system is likely to be abandoned.

Existing conditions remind the writer of a conversation held a number of years ago with Professor Edward Fontains. The learned and experienced scientist said that he had for many years traveled on horseback and afoot over the Yazoo basin of Mississippi, and over the greater part of the state of Louisiana. He said that the old Indians, centuries ago, discovered how to treat the Mississippi river, just as the Egyptians, many centuries ago, learned how to use the Nile. The Egyptians until this day dig canals and take advantage of the great downpour of waters each year by diverting those waters over vast areas, thereby rendering fertile and productive what would otherwise be a barren region. Centuries ago the Indian residents of the Mississippi valley digged canals, and there are many canals yet traceable over that entire section. Instead of trying to control the vast bodies of water which nature provides for irrigation purposes; instead of endeavoring to force those waters out into the sea, the Indians diverted them, as the Egyptians have always done the waters of the Nile, and thereby made fertile a vast tract of country. DUNBAR.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Michigan Localities.

Escanaba city council has cut its salaries, saving $2,700 to the city.

Fruit growers at Shelby will go into the sugar beet raising business.

An independent telephone line has been completed between Cassopolis and Dowagiac.

Volinia township, Cass county, will pay a bounty the coming year of 20 cents for dead owls.

As a result of the advance in the price of wheat, 2,000 bushels were purchased from farmers' wagons at Galesburg.

Nels Nelson, of Pentwater, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while returning from duck hunting.

Prominent fruit growers of Oceana county say they will go into the sugar beet industry very extensively this season.

Ground was broken at Holland for the new pickle factory which is to furnish an important addition to the industries of that city.

Fishermen are reminded that the law forbids the spearing of fish in inland lakes during the months of March, April, May and June.

Allegan county, especially through the sandy part of it, has splendid gravel roads, made so by the road work of the farmers along the line.

Albion is to have a grand musical festival during the month of May. It was so decided at a mass meeting of the representative business men.

Buds in the fruit belt in Oceana county were not far enough advanced to be injured by the recent frosts. Prospects are good for a large crop.

The farmers of Portsmouth township, Bay county, have their granaries full of wheat, and say they are going to keep it there until the dollar mark is touched.

The annual session of the Michigan district of the Missouri synod of the German Lutheran church will be held in Saginaw beginning Wednesday, April 28, and continuing until May 4.

James Brooks has been appointed receiver of the St. Joseph & Lake Shore Street railway upon application of the Royal Trust company of Chicago, which holds a mortgage of $30,000 on the road.

Maj. Arthur P. Loomis, formerly private secretary to ex-Gov. Rich, will become deputy land commissioner, when Burton Parker, the present deputy, secures his appointment as special treasury agent.

The Chicago police have arrested Arthur Mullen on suspicion of being one of the men who robbed the Agricultural college vault of $2,000. Mullen has done five years in Illinois for robbing a Chicago bank cashier.

BEHEADS HER VICTIM.

Michigan Woman While Insane Kills the Mother of Her Husband.

Lansing, April 24.—When Alfred Haney, a young laborer residing in the village of Williamston, 16 miles east of this city, went home to dinner Friday he was horrified to find the bloody head of his aged mother, Maria Haney, on a platter on the dining table, while her mutilated body lay on the floor, while he was summoning help neighbors detected fire in the house and found that the body had been saturated with kerosene oil and set on fire. The flames were extinguished before the body was burned to any extent. Investigation established the fact that the deed was committed by young Mrs. Haney, who has given evidence of a deranged mind for some time. Application had been made for her commitment to an asylum and her case was to be acted upon by the authorities today. She admits the killing, but gives no reason for it. She killed the old woman, who was 80 years of age, with an ax and chopped her head off. The murderess is 32 years old.

DECIDES IN FAVOR OF PINGREE

Supreme Court Reverses the Decision in the Tryon Damage Case.

Lansing, April 28.—The case of ex-Secretary Tryon, of the Detroit fire commission, against Gov. Pingree for malicious prosecution will have to be tried over again, the supreme court having, in a unanimous opinion, reversed the judgment of the lower court in favor of Pingree and ordered a new trial. The case grows out of the sensational attempt made by Mayor Pingree in 1894 to get possession of the books of the fire commission. He was put out of the office by Tryon, whom he had arrested and locked up. Tryon sues for $25,000.

Made His Tenants His Heirs.

Menominee, April 24.—A. M. Nestor, who had worked in the Menominee sawmills for the last 30 years, died Wednesday. After the funeral a will was found among his effects which bequeathed to Axel Johnson and his wife, who lived in a house belonging to Mr. Nestor, and who had cared for him in his declining years, the property, and $3,000 in money, which he had in a local bank.

George Gillette Killed.

Menominee, April 24.—George Gillette, manager of the Gillette Curtain Roller Manufacturing company, fell a distance of 20 feet and died from internal injuries one hour later. Deceased was 31 years of age, and came here from Oswego, N. Y., with his wife about a year and a half ago. The remains will be sent to his former home for interment.

Married Eighteen Times.

Bessemer, April 26. — The funeral of Christina Bounnekessel was held here Friday. She was 99 years old and was married 18 times, the last time only a few months ago to a young man. She was quite well off, but did a man's work, such as chopping wood and similar manual labor.

Dropped Dead.

La Porte, Ind., April 28. — Calvin A. Wright, of Burr Oak, Mich., dropped dead of heart disease, aged 83 years. He was here on a visit.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1897, and on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of March, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

MERRIT E. CONKLIN,
JAMES A. BOYD,
Commissioners.

Dated, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Rose Abbot, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Alva Spayde in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, 1897, and on the 15th day of November, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 15th day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 15th, 1897.

B. T. GARLINGHOUSE,
ALVA SPAYDE,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 25th day of May, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
GEO. B. GRAY,
Commissioners.

Dated, April 24th, 1897.

Grasshoppers Appear.

Highland Station, April 24.—With the coming of spring the grasshopper pest has made its appearance, in some places literally covering the ground. In the thick woods under the old leaves they can be seen in great quantities. Farmers are at a loss to know whether to sow more clover seed this year, fearing that will be all eaten up by the pest.

Killed While Resisting Arrest.

Ironwood, April 27.—Gust Rom, a Finlander, was shot and instantly killed by Gust Miller, the village marshal at Wakefield, a small mining town near here. The marshal was trying to arrest Rom when he resisted.

New Hotel for Lansing.

Lansing, April 24. — Frank Wentworth, a well-known hotel man of this city, has broken ground for the construction of a handsome hotel building upon one of the most sightly corners in the city.

Died of His Injuries.

Menominee, April 28. — Peter Stovek died of injuries received by colliding with a trolley car while driving home from market.

PROGRESSING SLOWLY.

Conditions Do Not Prove Favorable to Advancement of Farm Work.

Chicago, April 21. — The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Cool, cloudy and rainy weather retarded plowing and planting. Wheat, rye, meadows and pastures made some progress, but other vegetation is backward. Some oats rotting. Clover and timothy looking well. Gardens are slow. None of the fruit thought to have been seriously affected by the low temperature that prevailed.

Michigan—Wet weather has caused continued delay in plowing and seeding and very little such work accomplished. Few oats sown and some plowing for corn started. Winter wheat and rye and meadows continue to improve and look generally good. All fruit buds except peaches look promising.

Indiana—Cool, cloudy, wet weather and occasional frost delayed plowing, seeding and gardening. Wheat and grass improved little and slowly. Rye, clover and timothy in good condition. Fruit apparently still safe.

Illinois—Cool cloudy week with less rainfall than previous week; land drying slowly; plowing more general; oats and spring wheat seeding continues, also gardening and potato planting. Early sown oats are rotting in few cases; winter wheat unimproved and few fields will remain; grasses advancing; roadways gradually improving. Fruits are in blossom in southern section.

Wisconsin—Week very unfavorable for farm work. Frequent rains during early part of week and heavy snowstorm on Thursday and Friday. Vegetation made some progress. Warm and freshet overflow. Little seeding done. No improvement in winter wheat; rye generally fair; clover badly winter killed.

Iowa—Temperature unseasonably low, but since 18th drying winds and sunshine greatly improved condition of soil and good progress made with seeding. Farm operations now rapidly pushed in all districts. No damage reported from freezing.

Minnesota — Snow on 18th and generally cool weather most of week delayed seeding, but drying condition in latter half improved prospects of seeding becoming general by 20th. Considerable wheat sown and owing to lateness of season much of it in wet soil, but large areas still too wet. Flood in Red River valley receding in upper half. Winter grains not wintered well in southeast.

HER TREASURE.

A Georgia Woman Who Has a Sock Full of Gold.

Mary Odom, a sexagenarian, residing somewhere in the neighborhood of Auraria, is the happy owner of a sockful of gold, says a southern exchange. When a girl of 16 she adopted a profession, gold-panning about in the branches during her leisure hours, and she became so well acquainted and infatuated with the king metal that she finally adopted the panning business altogether, and has kept it up ever since, always being as assiduous to business as a judge of the supreme court. When she made gold panning a profession she found the lovely metal wherever she scooped her shovel under the gravel of the branches. At times innumerable this woman has made four and five pennyweights a week, making it a rule in every instance to hoard away one-half the amount of gold made. For instance when she panned out 50 cents' worth of gold and needed $1 in goods from the store, she would pay the merchant 25 cents and have the balance entered upon his books against her until she struck a richer streak. By this method of doing business the woman has kept out of debt, made a good support, and now has a sockful of shining gold to dream over at night. And now, after the age of 60, she stills pans about in the branches, and saves half the gold she makes for her heirs to scramble over after she has crossed in her batteau the wide river on the other side. There has been a great deal of mining in this country and articles not herein numbered written on the subject, but Mary Odom's historical career in the gold mining business surpasses anything we have ever become aware of in this line.

SHE NEVER KISSED.

The Old Man Was Certain About His Daughter.

"I reckon if I wus to ketch my daughter kissin' of a man I'd just natchelly cut him into mincemeat ground fine," said the old man from the swamps of the Bracken hills, according to the Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Then your daughter won't kiss the boys?" ventured a Dover youth with spectacles.

"Yell; I reckon not, young man," and the old man gave him a look that dazzled his specs.

"But—ah, you know, some girls—who are engaged—you know—sometimes kiss their—their—boys—you know—and—it's right and proper—and—"

The old man looked at him real hard, and, after watching the youth wilt like a tobacco leaf in an August sun, thundered out: "Well, my daughter never kissed a livin' man, not even her pap—ner a poodle dog, ner a cat, ner nothin'."

"But there's no harm—and why—er—why—er?" stammered the brave youth.

"Well, I reckon the most principalest reason why my daughter never kissed nothin' is that I never had any daughter."

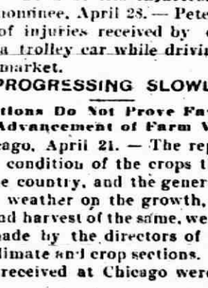
And the thoughtful silence of the young man was so dense that you could hear the price of farm lands drop quietly, drop by drop, while the farm products hanging in the tobacco shed tier by tier.

It Is Bankrupt.

Detroit, April 17.—There is a strong probability that the plan of holding the state fair at Detroit will be abandoned. At least $50,000 is needed and only $5,000 has been raised. This sum was subscribed by the hotels. If the fair is held in Detroit a stock company will be organized for ten years. If not held in Detroit there will be no state fair until 1898. Meanwhile the State Agricultural society is bankrupt.

Lake Barge Sinks.

Ludington, Mich., April 19.—Tow barge Charles N. Ryan went to the bottom a quarter of a mile off this port in 25 feet of water Sunday. In trying to make the harbor the current carried her onto the north pier, breaking a hole in her bow. Her crew reached land in safety.



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MICHIGAN'S TAX LAW.

It Causes Professional Delinquents to Hunt Cover.

WHAT AUDITOR GENERAL DIX SAYS

If the Present Legislature Does Not Interfere with the Delinquent Tax Feature of the Law the State Will Be the Gainer by $1,500,000—Thomas R. Smith the Busiest Man in Michigan—Trolley Line Bills Disposed of by the Legislature.

Lansing, Mich., April 27.—"I have no doubt," said Auditor General Dix a day or two ago, "that if it could be assured that this legislature will not interfere with the delinquent tax feature of the present general tax law, there would at once be set in motion operations which would insure to the state the receipt, within the next year or two, of fully $1,500,000 of taxes which now stand delinquent upon our books. We now have the best tax law that was ever upon the books of this state, and coupled with the decisions of the supreme court to the effect that it behooves a man to pay his taxes if he does not want some one else to get his property by virtue of a stat- leed, this law has had the effect to cause the professional delinquents to run to cover and pay their taxes. They had been waiting for the legislature to enact a clearance sale law so that they might buy the state's interests in these lands, which they had been permitted to become delinquent for this very purpose, for an average of one-twentieth of what their taxes amounted to. One effect of the strict interpretation of the law made by the supreme court has been to increase the correspondence of this office to such an extent that we have already this year received many more letters than came to us during the entire year 1896, and all our correspondents desire to pay taxes.

Connor's Clearance Bill.

"If the so-called Connor's sele arance bill is not passed, syndicates, which are now forming, will purchase from the state its entire interests in most of these delinquent lands, some of them standing ready to purchase entire counties, taking the good with the bad. They will, of course, pay the state the entire tax due as well as all interest and costs, and the sum mentioned by me will be poured into the state treasury before the next session of the legislature convenes. Our present law provides that lands delinquent for taxes for three successive years shall, upon petition of the township boards in which they are located, be subject to homestead entry, the homesteader to pay 10 cents per acre for them, and have five years in which to settle with the state. The plan contemplated by the Connor's bill to transfer to the land office all lands on our books which have been delinquent for three years subsequent to 1890 would take two years' time and involve an added expense to the state of $75,000. After all this were done, the professional delinquents could purchase back such description as they desired, leaving the worthless ones for the state to carry for a mere tithe of the taxes assessed against them.

"If the legislature desires to advance the interests of the state," concluded the auditor general, "it will not pass the Connor's bill, but will leave the present law undisturbed."

Thomas R. Smith a Busy Man.

The busiest man in Michigan at the present writing is Thomas R. Smith of Lawton, who will succeed State Oil Inspector Neal McMillan of Rockford July 1. Mr. Smith has a force of twenty-two deputy inspectors to appoint and he is finding the task both difficult and unpleasant. He spent a couple of days here last week in consultation with Governor Pingree whose wishes will, of course, be potent in this connection. There are an average of no less than thirty candidates for each place at Mr. Smith's disposal, and he was well-nigh distracted when he left for home after looking over the heap of applications and indorsements which he and the governor had received. This office, with its long list of deputies, furnishes an excellent opportunity for building up a powerful political machine, and great care is always taken to see that all appointments are made to insure the best possible results of a political nature. In this case, as in all others, it has been found that in not a few instances ante-convention promises sadly conflict, and how to straighten out these knots without leaving sore spots that will assert themselves hereafter is a problem that is giving both the governor and Mr. Smith no little concern.

Trolley Line Bills.

The so-called trolley line bills, which were hung up in the senate for a number of days, have finally been disposed of and are now in the hands of the governor awaiting his approval. Those permitting townships in St. Clair, Sanilac, Tuscola, Huron and Bay counties to grant the right of way for the construction and maintenance of these roads, were amended so as to eliminate steam as a motive power and bring the roads under the supervision of the commissioner of railroads. The plan to require them to pay a specific tax was abandoned and they will be taxed locally. The Lusk bill providing that all suburban electric roads may carry farm produce and other light freights has also been passed by both houses, after being amended so as to give the railroad commissioner supervision over all of this class of roads. It is believed that this provision will prove a great boon to farmers and gardeners along the line, as it will enable them to get their produce to market in the larger cities in time for the early morning shoppers and get back home without the loss of much time.

House Inaugurates a Change.

Until last week the house and senate had been meeting but once a day, the mornings being given over to committee work. A few days ago, however, the house inaugurated a change, and hereafter both morning and afternoon sessions will be held, except on Monday, when no morning session will be attempted. The folly of holding Friday afternoon sessions has been demonstrated again and again, but for some reason they are still held. They are, in fact, worse than foolish, for the reason that after the first few minutes of the session less than a quorum of the house is present. Last Friday afternoon the house, in committee of the whole, agreed to a number of important bills when every one knew that but thirty-five members were in the hall. It will thus be seen that when the other sixty-five members come to vote on these bills on their final passage they will know very little concerning them.

Edgar Bill Favorably Reported.

The Edgar bill designed to prevent epileptics, idiots and certain classes of criminals from reproducing their kind has been favorably reported, and is causing considerable discussion. It provides that the classes of unfortunates mentioned, who are inmates of our state institutions, especially the home for the feeble-minded, shall, after their mental decay has been established by a board of competent medical examiners, be unsexed. It is possible that this provision of the bill may be upheld, but it is contended by some very well informed persons that the other provision is unconstitutional. This provision is that persons convicted a second time of a felony or of ravishing females under certain conditions shall be similarly treated. Those who believe that this provision is invalid point to the provision of the constitution of the United States which, in substance, is that no state shall inflict inhuman or unusual punishment on criminals. The punishment provided by the bill is by these persons denounced as both inhuman and unusual.

Dissatisfied with the Price.

It looks as if the state was about to execute a long-threatened plan in connection with furnishing the state house and other state buildings in this city with light and water. For several years the board of state auditors has been dissatisfied with the price charged by the city for water and electric light, and by the local company for gas. This year the house committee on public buildings and grounds was induced to investigate the matter. As a result the committee secured an amendment to the charter of the city of Lansing giving the state the right to lay water mains and erect poles in the street, and now the committee on ways and means has favorably reported a bill appropriating $2[illegible] for the purpose of supplying both of these commodities. All of which demonstrates that even a worm will turn eventually.

Uniform Text-Book System.

Much interest centers in the fate of the bills providing for a uniform text-book system, one of which is now pending in each house. That in the senate is the further advanced, having been discussed for a couple of hours in committee of the whole, after being favorably reported by a majority of the committee on education. Inasmuch as it carried an appropriation of $1,000 it was, under the rules, sent to the appropriations and finance committee where it still is. The house measure is a substitute bill reported jointly by the state affairs and education committee. It exempts all districts where the free text-book system prevails, and there are some 1,200 of these in the state. The senate bill provides for the appointment of three county school commissioners to act with the state board of education in selecting the uniform system, and for letting the job of furnishing the books to the lowest bidder.

In discussing this question with your correspondent, Hon. David A. Hammond of Ann Arbor, for six years a member of the state board of education and for many years a superintendent of school in this state, said: "What we are eventually coming to in this and other states is an absolutely free text-book system. This is the ideal system, and not until we establish it will the public school system be free as it should be. Now we furnish free tuition only.

Shall Be Supplied Free.

"In Michigan we have a local option free text-book law. It has been adopted at a large number of places throughout the state and has worked admirably wherever tried. Our law also provides that all pupils whose parents are unable to purchase books therefrom shall be supplied free by the district. This applies to the entire state, but you will notice that it requires parents to first make an affirmative showing of poverty before the books can be furnished their children. American people are proud, and the very ones who should be benefited by the free-text book plan are the last to become mendicants. If the law were such as to provide that free books should be furnished every child who attends our public schools all would be put on an equal footing, and this very substantial objection to the present system would be overcome. The trend of public opinion is noticeably in favor of absolutely free text-books in our public schools and it will not be long before this system will generally prevail."

The legislators from the rural districts are expected to put up a rather stiff fight against a bill which received a favorable report a few days ago. This bill provides that all the stock of a bank shall be assessed in the place where the bank is located, instead of the place where the owner resides at present. Under the present system the township assessors occasionally get a whack at bank stock owned by parties residing in their townships, and it is not believed they will take kindly to the change, which will deprive the townships of the tax and send it all to the cities. The objection to the present system is that many non-resident owners of bank stock escape taxation thereon altogether.

Buskirk Local Option Measure.

The liquor committees have been moving very slowly, but that in the house has finally made a report on the Buskirk local option measure. This provides that this question shall be voted upon at general instead of special elections, as now, thus insuring a much larger attendance at the polls. It also puts greater restrictions on the sale of druggists in local option counties, by requiring that sales shall be made by them only on physicians' prescriptions, that a record be kept of each sale with the quantity and name of the purchaser, and that a transcript of this record be sent each week to the prosecuting attorney of the county by whom it shall be preserved. It is promised that other stringent liquor bills will be forthcoming. It is understood, however, that at a caucus of senators a few evenings since it was agreed that the present uniform retail tax of $500 should not be increased. The other provisions of the law, especially that relating to sales by druggists, it was agreed needed strengthening, and it is not improbable that the manufacturers' license fee may be readjusted. At present a manufacturer who turns out 2,000 barrels of beer a month pays an annual tax of $65, which is the same amount required of those whose output is but twenty barrels per month. This seeming injustice may be remedied by a tax of so much per barrel.

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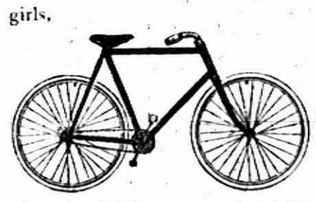

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THE TARIFF BILL.

The Finance Committee Reports the Measure to the Senate.

Great Changes Are Made from the House Bill—A Synopsis of Some of the Most Important Features.

Washington, May 5.—The tariff bill was reported to the senate yesterday and Senator Aldrich announced that he would call up the measure Tuesday May 18. The time for the bill to take effect is made July 1, 1897. The important portions of the measure are:

Sugar not above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, tank bottoms, strups of cane juice and beet juice melada, concentrated melada, concrete and concentrated molasses testing by the polariscope not more than 87 degrees, 75 per cent. ad valorem. Molasses, testing above 40 and not more than 56 degrees, four cents per gallon, testing 56 degrees, and not above 70 degrees, eight cents per gallon.

Maple sugar and maple strup, four cents per pound; glucose or grape sugar, 1½ cents per pound; sugar cane in its natural state of manufacture, ten per cent. ad valorem; saccharine, one dollar per pound and ten per cent. ad valorem. Sugar candy and all confectionery valued at 15 cents per pound or less, four cents per pound and 15 per cent. ad valorem.

A duty is levied on tea at the rate of ten cents per pound until January 1, 1900; after 1900 it is admitted free of duty.

The following is the provision in regard to hides, which are transferred from the free list:

Hides of cattle, raw or uncured, whether dry, salted or pickled, 1½ cents per pound; provided that upon all leather exported made from imported hides there shall be allowed a drawback equal to the amount of duty paid on such hides.

In the coal and shale schedule the word bituminous is stricken out, and all coal made dutiable at 75 cents per ton.

Duty on Beer Increased.

The senate has increased the internal revenue duty on beer by changing section 3,339 of the revised statutes to read as follows:

Until January 1, 1900, there shall be paid on all beer, lager beer, ale, porter and other similar fermented liquors, brewed or manufactured and sold, or removed for consumption or sale within the United States, by whatever name such liquors may be called, a tax of $1.44 for every barrel containing not more than 31 gallons, and after January 1, 1900, there shall be paid a tax of one dollar per barrel on every barrel of such beer, lager beer, ale, porter and other similar fermented liquors. (The present rate is one dollar.)

Retaliation for Reciprocity.

The entire house provision relating to reciprocity has been stricken out and the following section substituted:

That whenever any country, dependency or colony shall pay or bestow, directly or indirectly, any bounty or grant upon the exportation of any article of merchandise from such country, dependency or colony, and such article or merchandise is dutiable under the provisions of this act, then upon the importation of any such article or merchandise into the United States, whether the same shall be imported directly from the country of production or otherwise, and whether such article or merchandise is imported in the same condition as when exported from the country of production or has been changed in condition by manufacture or otherwise, there shall be levied and paid in all such cases, in addition to the duties otherwise imposed by this act, an additional duty equal to the net amount of such bounty or grant, however the same be paid or bestowed. The net amount of all such bounties or grants shall be from time to time ascertained, determined and declared by the secretary of the treasury, who shall make all needful regulations for the identification of such articles and merchandise and for the assessment and collection of such additional duties.

Lumber Schedule.

The lumber schedule is changed by adding after the word timber the words "hewn, sided, squared and round timber," and the duty fixed at the rate of one cent per cubic foot, as in the house bill.

The rate of two dollars per ton on all sawed boards, etc., is retained, but when planed on one side the additional rate is made 35 instead of 50 cents per 1,000 feet board measure, when planed, tongued and grooved, the additional rate is made 70 cents per 1,000 feet board measure, instead of one dollar; if planed on both sides and tongued and grooved, $1.00 per 1,000 instead of $1.50.

Woolen Schedule.

Many and important changes were made by the senate tariff subcommittee in the wool and woolen schedule as passed by the house. First-class wools were reduced from 11 cents per pound, as provided in the house bill, to eight cents per pound, and second-class wools from 12 to nine cents, whereas the duties on wools of the third class were raised. The dividing line in this latter class was placed at ten cents value, wools under that value being made dutiable at the rate of four cents per pound, instead of 32 per cent. ad valorem, as in the house bill. Wools valued at more than ten cents per pound were placed at seven cents per pound, instead of 50 per cent. ad valorem. The wool growers failed to secure all the changes they desired in classification, but it is understood that the rates fixed on the wools themselves are satisfactory to them.

The duty on oranges, lemons and citrus fruits is raised from three-quarters to one cent per pound, and reduced on prunes, raisins, plums and dried grapes from two and one-half to two cents. Cattle valued at less than ten dollars a head are dutiable at four dollars a head, and over ten dollars at six dollars.

The addition of hides to the dutiable list, made necessary various changes in the bill concerning leather and articles made therefrom. A substitute paragraph was prepared in regard to belting leather, the provisions of which are as follows: Band or belting leather and sole leather, 20 per cent. ad valorem; calf skins, tanned, dressed upper leather, including patent, enamel, etc., chamois skins and other skins not specially enumerated, 20 per cent. ad valorem; book binders' calf skins, kangaroo, sheep and goat skins, including lamb and kid skins, dressed and finished, 20 per cent ad valorem; skins from morocco, tanned but unfinished, ten per cent. ad valorem; pianoforte leather, 20 per cent. ad valorem; boot and shoes made leather, 25 per cent. ad valorem; provided that leather cut into shoe uppers or vamps shall be classified as manufactures of leather and pay a duty accordingly.

Agricultural Products.

The rate on cattle importations is changed so as to provide for a duty of four dollars per head on cattle not valued at more than ten dollars, and six dollars per head where the value is greater. The house bill made a uniform rate of six dollars.

The rates on rice were generally reduced, putting cleaned rice at 1¼ cents per pound instead of two cents; uncleaned rice at eight-tenths of a cent instead of 1¼ cents; rice flour, one-fourth instead of one-half cent per pound.

Beans are reduced from 40 to 40 cents per bushel; hay from four dollars to $2.50 per ton; hops from 15 to 12 cents per pound; dried peas changed from one cent per pound to 20 cents per bushel.

Potatoes are reduced from 25 to 10 cents per bushel; flaxseed or linseed from 30 to 25 per bushel, and seed of all kinds not specifically provided for from 40 to 25 per cent. ad valorem.

Free List.

The following additions are made to the house free list: Benzole, carbolic, oxalic, salicylic and valerianic acids; all fast-black coal-tar dyes, argots or crude tartars and lees crystals, crude beauxite, manilla twine measuring 600 feet to the pound, bolting cloths composed of silk imported expressly for milling purposes; books, maps, music, engravings, photographs, etching and charts, printed more than 20 years before the date of importation; all hydrographic charts and scientific books devoted to original scientific research and publications issued for their subscribers by scientific and literary associations, or publications of individuals for gratuitous private circulation and public documents issued by foreign governments; books printed exclusively in foreign languages or for the blind; books, maps, etc., especially imported, not more than two copies in any one invoice, for the use of any society or institution established solely for religious, philosophical, educational, scientific or literary purposes, or for the encouragement of the fine arts, or for the use of any college, school or public library and not for sale; brass or Dutch metal; bromine, crude liquid camphor, charcoal, underground chickory root, copper not manufactured and not specially provided for, farina, fashion plates, fish, except salmon, caught in the great lakes or other fresh waters, by or for citizens of the United States; berries, fruit in brine, tropical fruit plants for propagation, white glass, enamel for watch dials, hones and whetstones, lemon, lime and orange juices; loadstones, orange and lemon peels not preserved, paintings, original drawings and sketches, engravings and statuary, not otherwise provided for; paraffine, philosophical and scientific apparatus for schools, libraries and societies; professional books, implements and instruments and tools of trade or occupation in the actual possession at the time of persons arriving in the United States, regalia and gems, statues, casts of marble, bronze alabaster, where specially imported in good faith for the use of any society, school or library; salop, sauerkraut, beet, canary, cauliflower, coriander, mangel-wurser, radish and spinach seeds and bulbs, not edible; skins of all kinds, raw, not specifically provided for; tapioca, poplar and other pulp woods, heating bolts, stave bolts, railroad ties.

WAR HERO GONE.

Admiral Meade, Retired, Passes Away at Washington.

Washington, May 5.—Admiral Meade (retired), United States navy, who has been ill at Washington for three weeks past, died at Dr. Johnston's private sanitarium. There were present Drs.

REAR ADMIRAL R. W. MEADE.

Johnston and Wales, Mrs. Meade and Miss Patterson, at whose house Admiral Meade was taken sick with the grip which was afterward aggravated by appendicitis. An operation had to be performed, but from its effects the admiral failed to rally.

Admiral Meade was one of the best known officers of the modern navy, saw hard service before, during and after the civil war and served in all parts of the world on important naval and diplomatic missions.

DEATH OF EX-GOV. PORTER.

The Distinguished Statesman Passes Away at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 4.—Albert G. Porter, ex-governor of Indiana, and minister to Italy under Gen. Harrison's administration, died at his home in this city Monday morning, aged 74 years.

Gov. Porter has been confined to his room almost constantly for two years. The immediate cause of his death was paresis.

[Albert G. Porter was a native Indianian, having been born at Lawrenceburg April 20, 1824. He completed his education at Asbury (now De Pauw) university, and after graduation he entered upon the study of law. In 1855 he was elected supreme court reporter by the democrats. At the birth of the republican party in 1856 he cast his fortunes with that organization, and was elected to congress in 1858. Two years later he was elected for another term, but after this service declined renomination and resumed the practice of law in Indianapolis, and for several years was a member of the firm of Harrison, Porter & Fishback, Gen. Harrison being the senior member. Soon after the election of Mr. Hayes as president, Secretary Sherman called Mr. Porter to the position of first comptroller of the treasury, which he held until elected governor by the republicans in 1880. Retiring from the office in 1884, he devoted himself to writing a history of Indiana, but in 1889 laid aside this work to accept the Italian mission, remaining abroad four years. Upon his return to Indianapolis he resumed his labor on his history, but his health was so shattered that he made but little progress with it, and it is now unfinished.]

Victims of a Fiend.

Larimore, N. D., May 3.—August Norman cut the throats of four children of Knute Hillstead, a farmer near here, who was away from home, assaulted Mrs. Hillstead and escaped.

Fire at Caldwell.

Columbus, O., May 5.—Fire at Caldwell, Noble county, destroyed $60,000 worth of property in the center of the business portion of the town. Insurance about $40,000.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Finance Committee Reports the Tariff Bill—Work in the House at a Standstill—Other Washington News.

Washington, April 30.—Senator Allen introduced a proposed amendment to the tariff bill in the senate yesterday providing for the abrogation of the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty on July 1, 1898. A resolution was offered by Senator Morgan and adopted requesting the president, if not incompatible with public interests, to transmit to the senate all correspondence with the consul general and consuls in Cuba since the beginning of the war not heretofore published. Adjourned until Monday.

Washington, May 4.—In the United States senate yesterday Senator Chandler (N. H.) introduced a bill for the issue of certificates of indebtedness up to $50,000,000 to meet deficiencies in the revenues. The free homestead bill was considered, and in executive session the Anglo-American arbitration treaty was discussed. The nominations of William R. Day, of Ohio, as assistant secretary of state, and William A. Jones, of Wisconsin, as commissioner of Indian affairs, were confirmed.

Washington, May 5.—The senate finance committee reported the tariff bill to the senate yesterday. The new bill is radically different from the Dingley bill, practically amounting almost to another measure. The bill to provide free homes on the public lands for actual and bona fide settlers known as the free homestead bill was passed. The Morgan Cuban resolution again went over. The sundry civil bill was considered, but was not completed.

The House.

Washington, April 30. — No business was transacted in the house yesterday, and an adjournment was taken to Monday.

Washington, May 4.—In the house yesterday by a two-thirds vote, Speaker Reed was sustained in his attitude in declining to appoint committees during the pendency of the tariff bill. A senate resolution appropriating $50,000 for the congress of the Universal Postal union was adopted, and Mr. Showalter, the republican chosen at a special election to represent the Twenty-fifth Pennsylvania district, was sworn in.

Coinage in April.

Washington, May 3 — During the month of April the total coinage at the United States mints was $10,410,080. Of this amount $8,800,400 was in gold, $1,535,000 in silver and $74,680 in minor coins.

Government Receipts.

Washington, May 3.—The government receipts during April were $37,812,135 and the expenditures $32,072,097, leaving the surplus for the month $5,740,038, against a deficit for April, 1896, of $4,704,488.

The Public Debt.

Washington, May 3.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business April 30 the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $998,244,132, a decrease for the month of $5,718,068.

CONFLICTING REPORTS.

The News Regarding the War in Europe Leaves One in the Dark.

London, May 5.—The Athens correspondent of the Times says: The cabinet sat till daybreak (Tuesday) hearing the reports of the ministers from the front, and finally resolved to continue the war. The decision of the government is momentous, but it is difficult to say whether it is absolutely final.

London, May 5.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Mail says the ministers of war and of the interior have returned from Pharsalos and made their report to the cabinet. It is understood that as the result of their inquiry the war will be discontinued.

London, May 5.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says that the foreign ministers have tendered the intervention of the powers to Greece, but the government has reserved its reply. A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Pharsalos, dated Monday, says it is rumored in the Greek camp that peace will shortly be proclaimed.

To Be Called In.

Washington, May 1.—The Carlisle notes—the new one, two and five-dollar silver certificates issued last year—are to be withdrawn from circulation as rapidly as possible and destroyed. So much complaint has been made against them by bankers and others who are compelled to count them rapidly and in large quantities that Secretary Gage has ordered new designs made. Although complaints about them come from all quarters, the merchants and bankers of New York and Chicago were the most vigorous in demanding that they be withdrawn.

New York, May 4.—A. E. French, who is accused of having on February 1 last, at Williamsport, Pa., established a private express for the conveyance of letters and packages over post routes in violation of the revised statutes, was arrested by United States Deputy Marshal McCarty at Newburg, N. Y. The complaint upon which the arrest was made was sworn out by Hugh J. Gorman, post office inspector at Philadelphia. French's hiding place was discovered by the postmaster at Newburg. The prisoner was brought to this city for examination.

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CLINTON

Mrs. Bell Mills is very sick.

Clarence Mills returned to Ridgeway Monday.

John Hause was a Toledo visitor last Friday.

Jim Noone has gone to Napoleon, O., to work.

J. L. Kishpaugh was up from Britton Tuesday.

C. F. Field was in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alonzo Clark returned Friday night from California.

Miss Minnie Humphrey was home from Toledo over Sunday.

Chas. Corwin and Mrs. Brooks went to Grass Lake Wednesday.

G. C. Lindsley has purchased a driving horse of R. B. Gillespie.

Mrs. W. S. Kimball went to Detroit Monday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Leaman Bailey is visiting relatives at Azalia, Monroe county.

Miss Ella Bull, of Cleveland, O., was a guest at E. VanDeMark's over Sunday.

C. R. DuBois, of Britton, was shipping baled hay from here the first of the week.

Mrs G. R. Wolf and brother, Ralph Piper, were Deerfield visitors last Saturday.

Miss Polly Erlenbush came home from Ann Arbor Monday, to spend the summer.

Miss Sadie Taylor returned Thursday from a short visit with relatives at Jackson.

Miss Lizzie Field, of Tecumseh, was visiting Clinton friends the latter part of last week.

Miss Grace Davis returned to Detroit Monday, after a two weeks' visit with Clinton friends.

Mrs. Fred Palmer is enjoying a visit from her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Culver, of Jonesville.

Miss Kate Cotton went to Adrian Friday, expecting to make a three weeks' visit with friends.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh returned Wednesday afternoon from a two-days' visit with Manchester friends

The next regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., No. 85, will be held Wednesday evening, May 12th.

Miss Eva Shimman came up from Toledo Monday night for a short visit with Clinton friends and returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hollenbeck left Thursday for Columbiaville where they will remain for a short time. He expects soon to go to Lacon, Ill.

The woolen mill began running on a change of time May 1st. During the summer months the working hours will be from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. every day except Saturday when they will shut down at 11:30 a. m. This is for the purpose of giving the hands a half holiday each week.

Dr. H. H. Brown arrived here Saturday morning and joined his wife and daughter who had been spending the past few days with Clinton relatives. They drove to Adrian Sunday afternoon expecting to take the night train for their home in Chicago.

Will Martiny and Miss Clara Steffins, accompanied by Paul Steffins and Miss Mary Martiny, drove to Adrian Wednesday afternoon and were married. Their home was all ready and their friends will find them at Mrs. English's house on Franklin street.

In the Washtenaw circuit court at Ann Arbor Wednesday Robert McCart was sentenced to Jackson prison for life Clarence Brooks for fifteen years and Fred Fountain to Ionia for one year for assaulting Mrs. Conrad Berg and daughter east of town in March.

The University Extensioners held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. J. L. Tuttle. The study of the Greek period was completed and the evening's entertainment was as follows: Instrumental solo, Miss Ella Tuttle. Mrs. A. M. Kennedy read the history of Pericles' life, stating many valuable facts in regard to his brilliant career as an Athenian statesman. Mrs. L. W. Kimball explained that the greatest contribution of Greece to the modern world's civilization was in art and letters. Mrs. G. W. Freese read a selection on "Modern Greece," bringing up many interesting ideas as to their mode of living and different forms of government. The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Freese May 10.

Mrs. Rual Freeman, of Ogden, and Miss Maud McAdam, of Jasper, were guests at Bernard McAdam's from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. I. N. Miller and little son, Rowland, returned to their home at Albion Friday, after a visit of nearly two weeks with Clinton relatives.

Chas. Davis, living about three miles west of town, one day last week had quite a lively time with snakes. He went over to the north part of his farm among the hills and while there killed six large blue racers. He was almost afraid his wife might think he had been drinking when he told her his experience.

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THE SECRET.

How Doctors Protect Themselves From Contagious Diseases.

Doctors rarely catch contagious diseases. Almost everybody knows this, but few know how they escape. Many believe that the doctor has some charm or antiseptic which protects him. Dr. Hartman lately made the truth of this matter public, that all might realize its benefit.

Contagious diseases are conveyed by minute organisms known as disease germs. These germs find their entrance into the system through the mucous membrane. If the mucous membrane is healthy, they can not get into the system. If the mucous membrane is affected by catarrh the germs find easy access. Catarrhal secretions furnish exactly the material upon which they thrive and multipiy. To get rid of the catarrh, and thus preserve the mucous membrane healthy, is the only way to be safe from contagious diseases. This explains why it is that some people catch diseases easier than others. Every one is exposed just the same. Not every one, however, falls a victim to contagious diseases. A disease germ can not enter the system through a perfectly healthy mucous membrane. Doctors know this, and therefore guard against it. This is all the secret there is about it.

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Scotch residents of Barre, Vt., are making efforts to have a monument in memory of Robert Burns erected there.

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LITERARY NOTES.

Theatory of the pursuit, capture and death of J. Wilkes Booth, the assassin of Lincoln, has been told a number of times and in several ways; but McClure's Magazine for May will give a version of it which promises to be the first really full and accurate one. It is written by a relative of Col. Baker and Lieut. Baker, the detectives who organized and led the pursuit, effected the capture, and disposed of Booth's body after his death; and it embodies their account, never before published, of all these transactions. The article will be fully illustrated.

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The czar-like rule exercised by Speaker Reed has been the occasion of much comment and criticism of late. Endowed with a plentitude of power beside which the President of the United States seems mean and insignificant, Mr. Reed is today the autocrat of Congress. The threatening danger of this one-man power is clearly and forcibly indicated in and article which will appear in the May Forum from the pen of Mr. Henry Lichfield West, an authority on national politics.

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Octave Thanet, Paul Dunbar, Charles Wagner, Justin McCarthy, Charles H. Crandall and other well-known writers contribute to the Outlook's May Magazine number. The reproduction of Watts' painting of Gladstone is the finest single picture of the more than fifty illustrations contained in this issue. $3.00 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.

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The literary and artistic balance of the May Atlantic is maintained not only by interesting installments of Charles Egbert Craddock's novel of the Tennessee mountains and of Paul Leichester Ford's "Story of an Untold Love," but also by a study of Great Diaries by Miss Repplier, a review of recent books of fiction including the writings of Barrie and Crockett and an interesting group of literary papers under Men and Letters by John Burroughs, H. C. Merwin, and Kenyon West.

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In the year 1862 Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables" was published simultaneously in Paris, Berlin, London, St. Petersburg, Milan, Madrid, New York and others of the leading capitals of Europe and America. Few books of the nineteenth century have had such immediate and universal success. It was eggerly read all over the civilized world, by rich and poor, high and low, learned and unlearned.—Prof. L. Oscar Kuhns, M. A., in The Chautauquan for May.

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In the academic department of Harvard there are nowadays nearly eighteen hundred young men. Rather more than half of them come from places so near Cambridge that they can spend their Sundays at home. Pretty nearly half come from Boston and the towns and cities immediately tributary to it. Six or seven hundred come from outside of New England, and of these about one hundred and fifty or seventy-five come from New York and its suburbs. New England, outside of eastern Massachusetts, sends the rest.—From "Undergraduate Life at Harvard," by Edward S. Martin in the May Scribner.

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In solving "Problems of Young Men" Edward W. Bok, in the May Ladies' Home Journal, to an inquirer contends that opportunities for promotion (in business) are more numerous in large cities than in smaller communities, but they are not better. "To my way of thinking, a moderate business success in a small community means more to a man in point of living and absolute satisfaction, than a greater success in a larger city."

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Harper's Bazar for May 1st will contain a department devoted to "The Outdoor Woman," which will in future be a regular feature of the paper and an illustrated article in the department of "Club Women and Club Work," begun a few weeks ago by Mrs. Margaret H. Welch, and already notably successful in awakening interest among women's clubs all over the country. Among the other contributions there will be a charming story by Helen Evertson Smith, entitled "The Widow of Pierre."

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All who remember Mr. Stephen Bonsal's brilliant services last winter as Cuban war correspondent of the New York Herald will be interested in his statement of "The Real Condition of Cuba To-Day," which appears in the May Review of Reviews. This is the latest authentic summing-up of the Cuban situation that has been given to the press, and it should be read by all who care to know the facts—horrible as many of them are—connected with the heroic struggle for liberty which Gomez and his brave compatriots are making. Mr. Bonsal's article gives us a realizing sense of the truth that we have an Armenia at our very doors.

Harper's Weekly of May 1st promises to be of really historical interest. It will be devoted largely to an elaborately illustrated article on the dedication of the Grant monument, and to a review of General Grant's career. The number will contain also fiction by Mary E. Wilkinn and by other popular writers.

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The outbreak of hostilities between Greece and Turkey renders extremely mely the paper "The Modern Greek as a Fighting Man," by Professor Benjamin Ide Wheeler, of Cornell University, in the May number of the North American Review. "The Greek" says Professor Wheeler, "is no doubt lacking in adaptation to the finer tactical discipline, is impulsive, unduly excitable, and somewhat given to bluster and vanity, but no one who has read the story of the Greek revolution can deny him the right to be called a brisk, brave, and savage fighter."

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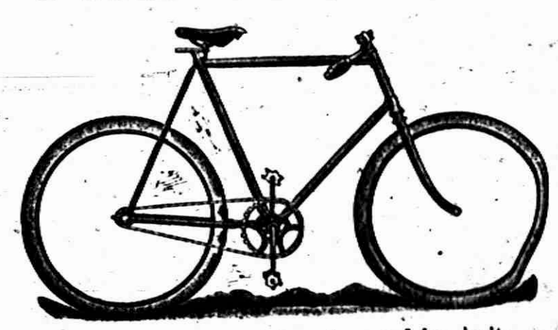

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Mrs. Waterman is enjoying a visit from her mother.

Al Lee has moved into the James Underwood house.

J. L. Kishpaugh was calling on Clinton friends Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Sink, and Mrs. Maybee, were in Tecumseh Tuesday.

David Gibson, who is in Ohio, for the Page Fence Co. was home over Sunday.

Miss Georgia Cheever, visited her uncle, David Coryell's family at Newburgh last week.

Simon Linn has purchased the Daykin lot west of James Haights, and will erect a residence thereon.

Mrs. Rollin Clement of Blissfield, is visiting the families of Lamont C. Hosgland, and J. W. Clement.

The exterior of the Exelby house, is receiving a fresh coat of paint, which will brighten it up in great style.

Ralph Kishbangh went to Clinton today, to attend the dancing party given by the gentlemen as a return party this evening.

L. E. Hause and wife, went to Clinton Tuesday. He returned Wednesday, but she remained for a longer visit with her daughter Emma.

Charles Savage, who lives on the prairie and keeps bachelor hall, while Beasley's bakery Monday, had quite a severe fit, and frightened those present.

Mrs. George Rubadeau nee Nettie Cannon of Tecumseh, has been spending the week with Britton relatives. Her husband is expected to be here over Sunday.

It is reborted, that Ezra Coryell, formerly of Tecumseh but of late, a resident of Deerfield, has purchased Thomas Lee's house, and will become a citizen of Britton.

At the meeting of Hendershot Tent K. O. T. M. Tuesday evening, two candidates were initiated, and Seven petitions received for endowment membership. This order is flourshing in Britton.

Rev. C. I. Deco, and Rev. and Mrs. Nickerson, was in attendence Tuesday, at a meeting in Tecumseh, to arrange for a convention of all the young peoples societies of this section, to be held in June.

Fred Taylor, while drawing a large load of baled hay Monday, to car it, as he turned from the street to pull up to the car, over it went. Fred would have been better pleased, had it dumped into the car.

O. B. Lenardson, is the possessor of nine high bred St. Bernard puppies, a few days old. There were eleven of them but two succumbed, the mother laying on them. Art Hughes is giving the dog family the best of care.

George B. Horton of Fruit Ridge, Master of the State Grange, will endeavor to interest the people of this section, in the matter of establishing a grange. The meeting will be at G. A. R. Hall next Tuesday, May 11th. All are invited to attend.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson, will give his illustrated lecture on "Lots Wife" at South Macon, Monday eve. and at the Lake Ridge school house, Tuesday eve. Wednesday evening, and the other evenings of next week, with the assistance of the evangalist, there will be special services at the DeSpelder Church, to which all are invited.

The singing evangalist F. Ferwerda of Grand Rapids, is making another visit to Britton. He will assist Rev. N. F. Nickerson for the coming week at least. The services at the Reformed Church Sunday, will be at the usual hours. At the morning service, Mr. Ferwerda, will sing a solo. In the afternoon and evening, Mr. Ferwerda will sing at the DeSpelder Church in Macon, and conduct the services.

A large number of carrier pigeons, received from Detroit Sunday, were given their freedom and while most of them started directly for home, some seemed to loose their reckoning, and hovered over the town. Word was received, to shoot, but not to kill, and see if they would not strike out for the city. The boys did so, but their aim was either too true, or the shot scattered, for most of them dropped, and were eventually served up in pies.

Last Friday, Franc Yates and Art Curtis, started East in a buggy, drawn by the formers span of cleveland bay colts. All went well until a mile had been traversed, when the colts to relieve the monotony, took it into their heads to cut cross lots, and they did it so quickly and rapidly, that Art was thrown into the ditch, and shortly after, Franc struck the soft earth in none so graceful manner. The buggy was a wreck, and the boys looked as though they had taken a mud bath. They say Art was so excited, that he struck out for Dundee, taking the ditch for it.

At the Village election, Monday, there were 85 votes cast ont of 103 voters in the corporation. Nearly all those chosen at the first election, were again successful. There was a tie between W. R. Osgood and A. W. Curtiss for clerk. The maiden officers of the newly incorporated village are as follows:

Pres.—W. J. Clark.
Clerk—
Treas.—James DuBois.
Assessor—Wm. Britton.
Trustees, long term—J. W. Clement, A. A. Babcock, C. B. Exelby.
Trustees, short term—E. E. Hendershot, Wm. Rinn, John Britton.

RIDGEWAY.

Measles are reported at the home of Chas. Lowe.

Gertrude Boyd began her school in the Steel district, Macon, Monday.

The rains of the past few days have greatly delayed the farmers with their work.

Mrs. R. S. and George Houseman were at Ypsilanti Tuesday.

J. J. Orr, of Tecumseh, was in the village Tuesday on business.

Plain geometry examination occurred Monday in the advanced room.

R. S. Houseman was in Milan Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Richard Cadmus, of Harvey, Ill., is here, looking after his farm interests.

Rev. H. Cansfield and Prof. C. A. Graves ride Falcon wheels purchased of A. J. Sutton.

Attorney Salsbury, of Adrian, was in the village Monday in the interest of the defense of the Gifford-Read damage suit.

Hattie Montgomery, of the HERALD force, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of her uncle, T. H. Montgomery, who is very poorly.

The remains of Mrs. Thos. Blacker, who died at the home of her daughter in Blissfield a few weeks ago, were brought here for burial Wednesday.

John Anderson, of the firm of Anderson & Rosacrans, Tecumseh, was here Tuesday fitting the new carpet the ladies purchased of them for the church.

Relatives and friends from Adrian and Tecumseh attended the funeral of Montie Florance Sunday afternoon. There was also a large attendance of neighbors and friends.

CARD OF THANKS.—I desire to express my heartfelt appreciation to the neighbors and friends for kind and valuable assistance rendefed during the sickness and death of my wife.

GEORGE A. WILKINS.

Lucy F. Morehouse, of Big Rapids, superintendent of school of methods of Michigan W. C. T. U., will give a lecture at the M. E. church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. on Friday evening of next week. She will meet with the members of the union Saturday for union work and instruction. All are invited. A collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Samuel Barlow, who has been in poor health from stomach trouble for several months, passed away a little before noon Sunday. At the funeral services, held at the home Wednesday afternoon, a large gathering of neighbors and friends were present to pay their respects to a highly esteemed citizen and neighbor. Rev. H. Cansfield officiated. At the head of the casket a large bank of flowers and potted plants was very tastefully arranged and the casket was covered with smilax, palms and flowers. The remains were laid to rest in "Evergreen" cemetery. Samuel Barlow was born May 18th, 1818, at Cheshire, England, and united in marriagb to Miss Sarah C. Forest, April 22nd, 1850. They immediately came to America, arriving in Adrian June 8th, 1850. For a few years they lived in Raisin and Tecumseh townships, finally settling in Ridgeway township on a farm in the "English" settlement where they lived until the spring of 1883 when he purchased the farm of J. C. Freer. Living there until the spring of 1888, he bought the village property of E. C. VanVleet where they have since resided. Four children blessed their home: One son dying in infancy, Mrs. Ella Gripton, living near Britton; James, on the farm near the village; and Mrs Belle B. Bush, at Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Barlow was the last of a family of fourteen children.

Montie Florance, who has been sick for the past eight months with consumption, fell asleep Thursday evening just as the sun was setting. Although for some time his sufferings had been intense, the end came peacefully, and he fell asleep leaving the assurance that all was well, as he had expressed perfect submission to his Father's will.

At two o'clock Sunday afternoon, many who had known and esteemed Montie in life gathered at the stricken home to mingle their tears with those bereft, and gave evidence of regard for the departed and sympathy for the living. Beautiful floral tributes of cut roses, carnations and other flowers voiced, as words could not, the love of many friends. Simple services were conducted by Rev. H. Cansfield, who spoke words of comfort and assurance to the afflicted family and sorrowing friends, and appropriate selections were rendered by a male trio. At Evergreen cemetery the mortal remains were consigned to their last resting place by the side of a brother in the family lot, there to await the Resurection morning.

Montgomery E. Florance was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Florence. He was born May 10th, 1871, and lived with his parents until of age, since which time he has worked in Adrian at different times and spent a part of one season on the lakes with Captain Chilson, always making it his home with his parents on the old farm where his boyhood days were spent. His genial ways made him many friends and won for him the place of a favorite among his young associates.

CARD OF THANKS.—Words but feebly express our heartfelt appreciation of the kindness of our neighbors and friends who rendered such valuable assistance during the illness and death and at the funeral services of our beloved son and brother; also for the beautiful floral gifts and to the youug men for their appropriate music.

MR. and MRS. M. M. FLORANCE AND FAMILY

HOLLOWAY.

K. O. T. M. meeting next Tuesday night.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin is said to be convalescing slowly.

Master John Lambis, of Adrian, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Nixon visited her sister in Adrian last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Ada Burdick, of Detroit, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. James Lane, and other friends.

Mrs. A. H. Kelley and Miss Maggie Moore are reported somewhat better.

Mrs. L. C. Winchip and daughter Carrie visited at Fairfield last week.

Mrs. Conrad Atwell entertained a number of ladies at tea Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane and Mrs. Ada Burdick visited friends in Adrian last week Wednesday.

Report has it that a burglar entered the home of Wm. Cox Friday night, but after a prolonged stay no harm was done.

Mrs. Vina Barrett-Beach and children, of Nebraska, arrived last Friday and are visiting her sister, Mrs. David Fetzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey Kelley rejoice over the arrival of a 9 1-2 lb. little stranger girl at their home who intends boarding with them for some time.

E. L. Bradley, the gentleman who accompanied the remains of Geo. L. Kelley from Duluth to this place won many friends during his short sojourn here.

A large number from here attended the funeral of Montie Florance near Ridgeway Sunday. Very truly it hath been said, "Death loves a shining mark." The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kelley and family desire to express their heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends who so kindly aided them in their recent sad bereavement, also to the fraternal brethren who accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

The funeral of George Kelley, of Duluth, held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kelley, on Tuesday of last week, was largely attended. His sudden death cast a gloom over the entire community and deep sympathy is expressed for the family.

CONE.

John and Charlie Dennison spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Myron Ray visited friends in Adrian last week.

J. C. Dennison is visiting friends in Adrian this week.

Orrie Dennison was home from Auburndale, O., over Sunday.

Ethel, the little daughter of Ben Auten, is very sick with pneumonia.

J. C. Cone visited his daughter, Mrs. Philip Smith, at Ashley, the first of the week.

A number of cars of baled hay are being shipped from Cone this week.

Quarterly meeting will be held at Cone church, Saturday and Sunday, May 8th and 9th.

Fred Rapp and Miss Jessie Auten spent Sunday with the former's parents at Raisinville.

Mrs. Wagner, of Wellsville, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edith Rendal, last week.

Dr. M. Howell has purchased the building of Jacob Dennison, west of his store, and is fitting it up for an office.

MACON.

Lester Coller is reported better at this writing.

Guy Collins was home from Clinton over Sunday.

W. H. Crittenden has been dangerously ill the past week of heart trouble.

Miss Alice Winchill and daughter, of Leslie, visited Macon friends last week.

Frank Bracey moved his family and household goods to Tecumseh the first of the week.

David Camburn, of Springport, is spending a few days with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Jerome Travis, of Ypsilanti, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Travis, from Friday until Tuesday.

Epworth League meeting next Sunday evening will be led by Frank Day. Topic, "A Wise Son." Prov. 10:1 ; 30:17.

We would like to look into the pleasant face of some one who has never had any derangement of the digestive organs. We see the drawn and unhappy faces of dyspeptics in every walk of life. It is our national disease, and nearly all complaints spring from this source. Remove the stomach difficulty and the work is done.

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FOR over a year I suffered with complete nervous prostration as the result of La Grippe, writes Mr. Ball of Lake Placid, N. Y. Doctors did all they could but their efforts were without results, and I grew worse. My trouble affected my mind, but kind nature came to my relief by helping me to think, 'If I only had a helping hand to aid nature to build me up slowly and surely.' The result was I refused all other medicine and my wife procured a bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine which I took faithfully and am fully retored to health. I write this hoping it may help others, for Dr. Miles' Remedies surely cure.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 7, 1897.

Same old Dingley bill, same old senate, same old speeches, same old nonsense. It is really wonderful that those old chumps would not do something. To be sure this Dingley bill amounts to but very little so far as relieving the financial distress of the country is concerned, but anything that will settle the question of tariff for four years will help. The manufacturers in this country will soon adapt themselves to circumstances and business will go on if the senate will only "saw off."

LETTER FROM LEIPZIG.

Interesting European Letter from Claude VanTyne.

Leipzig, Germany, Apr. 11, '97.

DEAR MR. EDITOR;—

We have changed our local habitation, perhaps you and Tecumseh people would like to know how we migrated from the sunny south to the chilly plains of North Germany. Having sent our trunks ahead by freight, we just loafed along and zigzagged from point to point from Heidelberg to Leipzig. The old castle, the old fass and the old fossils, who spend their lives bragging about it, are a memory, half fond, half humorous. We bid them goodbye tearlessly, almost exultingly, and were dragged slowly up the Neckar valley by a "blitz"-train or lightning express(?) as the Germans are pleased to call the train of little horse-cars drawn by an infant engine which can whistle about as loud as a small boy signaling his chum. One feels as if the engine were running in its stocking feet, it goes so noislessly compared with our great puffing monsters which hurl trains across the continent at a speed that "fires the brain."

We rubbed the steam from our apartment windows, chatted about the beauties of the Neckar. Suddenly we were whirled madly(?) across the stream and looking out to see why, we saw across the river the great dome of the Delsberg, upon whose windy summit is the little walled town of that name. Its old castle was once a prison for refractory Heidelberg students. You may judge what the horrors of its stern dungeons were by the story about some travelers who visited the ancient castle and asked to be shown the dungeons. The castellan expressed his regret at his inability to gratify their request saying that the students were in the forest hunting and had the keys with them.

The next moment we rushed to the opposite window to get a glimpse of the four Steinach castles whose ancient owners were called "The Scourges of the Land." Those old rascals would build their great fortressed homes in the heart of a paradise and then suck the life blood of the people and exhaust the very riches of nature. Their portraits which one may see in their great halls are proof of their gluttony and arrogance. Sneering, bloated faces and forms more than portly reveal the brutal spirit which animated them. As we ascended the valley, castle after castle came to view with the ever present humble village nestling at the base of the proud rock which bears the tyrant's home.

At last we left the Neckar valley, turning at right angle into the "Mossback" valley, as my wife chose to pronounce the German name, simply because it made the valley seem more like home. When we reached Osterburker, I grew pedantic and explained to my awed life-partner that we were upon the site of an old Roman camp where the soldiers were stationed who guarded the great boundary wall which ran from the Danube to the Rhine and kept the barbarian Germans out of Gaul and the Agri Decumatae, as the land about Heidelberg was then called. I am supposed to know all human history so this condescension was humbly noted and the train moved on.

The country was rolling and monotonous and we saw little except a church which contains some tombstones of famous old Knights of Rosenberg. These are said to have been good knights, at least they are now, for they are dead if a tombstone is any reliable sign, and a "dead Injun is a good Injun." I should have gone to sleep if Belle had not asked me why they had those soda water fountains in front of every station. I looked and saw a switch arrangement with a system of levers so built that a very young innocent might think of soda water, but my wife!—I couldn't sleep any more.

However, as a historical crank, I was glad to be awake when we passed the scene of Gotz von Berlichingen's brave defense against the Swabian league in 1519, and the picturesque village of Konigshofen where the insurgent peasants were defeated in 1525. One may see the hillside where they struggled with their pitchforks and clubs and that curious weapon like a flail with spikes in the business end. Poor fellows, they were beaten down by their oppressors then and the effect of their subjection lives today in the wretched life of their descendants. Even Luther said at the time that they were only beasts and must be pounded into obedience. Such sentiments from the great reformer, what must we think of the hard landowners who fought these struggling wretches!

We were tugged along up the wooded and grassy valley of Greenbrook, as it would be in English, past the handsome castle of Reichenburg and after a few miles of monotonous hills reached Wurzburg. This is a very pious city, always was pious since its earliest youth way back in 741 when it was baptised by Bishop Burkardus who had been consecrated and sent here to start a church. Burkardus was popular and knew how to get his salary. He and his successors were very devout and grew very rich incidentally. About 1120 they had money enough to go out of the bishop business and become Dukes of Franconia. Frederick, the Red Bearded, needed their money and influence, therefore confirmed their title in 1168. They ruled until 1803 when Napoleon began operating with the European chess-board and he gave the city to Bavaria just to get its good will. In 1805 when Napoleon built his Rhinish Confederation, Wurzburg was made the capitol of a grand duchy. Its vicissitudes ended in 1813 when it became the capitol of Lower Franconia. This venerable city in the vine clad valley of the Main must furnish us amusement for 24 hours. We strolled down to the Luitpold fountain as a starting point. Franconia, a large sized girl and fairly handsome for a German stands on a pedestal and at her feet sit Walter von der Vogelweide, the greatest of Germany's early poets, (died 1320) and two other men not so well known. We thought she had attention enough and passed on to the vast pile called the Palace.

Concluded next week.

Railroad Wreck.

Houston, Texas, April 27, 1897.

EDITOR HERALD:

Mother, Mabel and myself left Austin at 8 p. m. the 26th inst. via the Houston & Texas Central R. R. We were due here (Houston) at 5:10 this morning. The train was running on at the rate of 20 miles an hour. When 13 miles from Houston at just 4:30 a. m. the train was ditched. Fortunately the sleepers became detached as soon as they tipped over and consequently stopped. The engine and two baggage cars did not leave the track. The smoker and day coaches were dragged two or three blocks before the train could be stopped. They are completely wrecked.

We all escaped without a scratch although mother is considerably shaken up and is taking needed rest at this good hotel. The sleeper passengers all escaped from the wreck, but the unfortunate occupants of the forward coaches suffered injury. Although these coaches were fairly well filled and the coaches badly wrecked, there was but one man killed. His name is H. S. Goldberg. He was in the smoker and thrown into forward, downward corner of the car. As the car dashed over the ties the end was smashed in and he thrown under the coach. When I reached him he was conscious, telling me his name, etc. He lived about twenty minutes. His wife, a Paris, France, educated musician, was on the train. She received bad cuts on her legs which prevented her being at the side of her husband when he died. She is a musician of very high order. They had given a concert at Brenham that evening. Had only been on the train two hours.

The accident was caused by some vandal removing the nut from the switch connecting rod. As I lay in my berth at Hamestead I heard two men talking below the window. One man said, "This ——— coach will not run but a ——— short distance." I am convinced that I heard these words but the officials think it imagination.

A Mr. McCarty, of Wilbur, Texas, suffered a broken leg and ankle. Considering the rate of speed and weight of the train, it is a wonderful escape. Had the accident happened an hour earlier there would have been more injured, as they could not avoid being hurt by being thrown from their berths.

WILL H. HAYDEN.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned meeting of April 26, '97.

Present, the entire council with the exception of trustee Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The druggist bond of Stephen E. Parrish in the penal sum of $2,000, with Charles Patterson and Lucius Lilley as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that above bond with sureties named, be approved. Carried.

Moved that the liquor bond of Jacob Cheever be approved.

The chief of fire department presented notice of meeting of State firemen's association at Detroit, and requested that himself and three other members of the fire department be sent as delegates and that appropriation be made to cover expenses.

Moved that the above be placed on table until next meeting. Carried.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Regular session of May 3, '97.

Present, the entire council, with the exception of trustee Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of street commissioner for month of April presented, showing fire team labor 16 days and 3 hours; hand labor 13 days 1 hour; poll tax worked $7.88.

Sexton's report for April presented, showing three adult and 2 infant interments, one lot sold for $30 and $12 vault rent and interment fees collected, showing receipts for same. Accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported by clerk and referred to finance committee: Alva Waring, team labor $20.38; Dell Packard, hand labor, $3.50; Tecumseh Electric Co., $210.07; J. Davidson, assessor, $12.00; J. H. Elliott, clerk, $25.00, postage 32c. Waterworks—Michigan Telephone Co., $7.50. Committee reported favorably on all of the above bills and Clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts thereof.

The following ordinance was presented:

An Ordinance requiring physicians or other persons in attendance to report births and deaths to health physician

Sec. 1. The village of Tecumseh ordains: That in the case of the death of any person in said village, every physician, or person acting as such, who has charge, or was in attendance upon such person at the time of death, shall forthwith file with the health physician a certificate stating to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, the name, age, sex, nativity, occupation or profession of the deceased. Every physician or other person attending at the birth of any child to file in the office of health physician a statement or certificate of birth of such child and of its sex, place of birth, names and color of its parents, together with such other information as the board of health may from time to time require. And said health physician shall keep a record of matters required by this ordinance, which shall at all times be open to the inspection of the council or any of its members.

Sec. 2. Any person violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof before any Justice of the Peace of the township of Tecumseh, pay a fine not exceeding $5.00 and costs of his prosecution, or in default thereof to be imprisoned in the county jail of Lenawee county for a period not exceeding ten days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect May 25th, 1897.

Passed May 3d, 1897.

C. E. WILLIAMSON, Pres.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Clerk.

Moved and supported that above ordinance be adopted and passed. Yeas: Heesen, Wright, Lowry, Eldridge, Heesen—5; nays, none.

The clerk was instructed to purchase suitable books and blanks to enable health officer to keep record of deaths and births.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

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Capt. Hayden has been identified with Co. C for a number of years and as captain has been the means of making the company one of the best in the state and that his work and efforts have been fully appreciated is evidenced not only by the good cheer with which he was welcomed home from his winter's sojourn in Texas, but by the regular attendance at drills and interest taken on every occasion by every member.

On the evening in question the boys had spread the tables and placed the plates for 50. After music by the band, guests and members of the company took their places, fully enjoying the banquet which consisted of a nicely served menu of three courses. Gen. F. B. Wood, as toastmaster, made the address of welcome to Capt. Hayden who responded with brief but well chosen remarks. This was the beginning of a general good time of speech making and toasts were responded to by Walter C. Burridge, Lieutenants Farley and Kies, Rev. E. C. Andrus, Dr. F. O. Tefft, Col. Kyle and others. Truly a royal good time in honor of a royal good fellow.

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JONES & HAZLETT'S.

A. W. Slayton was in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Orr & Temple have been taking an inventory this week.

D. L. Whitenack and L. D. Dewey are indulging in cement sidewalks.

Geo. Tansley, of Addison, made a flying visit to Tecumseh last Monday.

J. M. Jones took a business trip to Blissfield yesterday. He drove over.

Fine line of Stationery at Parrish's.

William Nottingham and Mrs. Fred Aldrich, were in Adrian yesterday.

Rev. R. S. Hudson left yesterday morning for Chicago, to remain a week or so.

Mrs. B. F. Reynolds is home from Detroit and reports her daughter much better.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

Dan Hubbard, who was ill last week, is again at his work in Vet Erskins' barber shop.

Mr. Wilbur Taylor of Toledo, was the guest of his cousin, Ben Garlinghouse Monday.

Dr. Walker, the specialist, will be in Tecumseh for his next regular visit Friday May 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kimball, of Clinton, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Blachford yesterday.

Dye stuff at Parrish's.

Michael Eckert has been moving into his new home today and S. E. Parrish into the one he vacates.

Lost—A Knight Templar charm. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same with James Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaton W. Anderson drove to Dundee yesterday to attend the Reynolds—Wright wedding.

E. J. Peter's show window with the 100-candle power incandescent lamp and ornaments attracts much attention.

Buy your Lead and Oil at Parrish's.

Howard Norcross, of Tipton. and Lewis Sheldon, of Newburgh, now ride new bicycles purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

Do you want a pair of Trousers? A large line to select from. Prices, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00. JONES & HASLETT.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Sutton have been enjoying a visit the past week, from two little grand daughters, the Wilson children, from Detroit.

Mrs. Will Sisson and family returned yesterday from a week's visit with her Blissfield friends and her mother, Mrs. Bliven, came with them.

Rev. J. P. Varner has under contemplation a trip to the Pacific coast. He expects to start in about two weeks and be gone about two weeks.

The Misses VanValkenburg and Welch will open dressmaking parlors in the rooms over the Tecumseh State Bank the first of the week.

Burglars broke into the Lake Shore freight house Wednesday night, but secured nothing. After smashing the money draw they discovered not a cent.

Marvin Hayden, who came down from Grand Rapids to meet his mother, Will and Mabel on their return from the South, returned to his home Tuesday.

Next Thursday evening, the Eastern Star Chapters of Clinton and Manchester, are expected to visit Tecumseh's Chapter, a grand social time is anticipated.

Doctor Flavius J. Knight of Charlotte, who has been visiting his parents in Bridgewater, visited his Uncle, Dr. George Howell and family Saturday.

Will Campbell, of Cheshire, Mass, on his way home from the West, where he had been, stopped here Wednesday for a visit with his cousins, the Govés, and his brother in Macon.

J. D. Shull, P. S. McKinnon, R. A. Heesen, and D. P. Anthony, attended the Masonic School of Instruction at Adrian, Tuesday, and report a full attendence and pleasant time.

Harris & Hiteshu are showing very fine lines of Spring Wraps for ladies and children and you will be surprised at the prices quoted. Read their "ad" then call and see the realities.

We have discarded the use of cottoleno in our bakery and now propose using nothing but pure lard and fresh butter and our variety of baked goods is increasing all the time.
M. E. BICE.

Capt. W. H. Hayden, mother and sister Mabel arrived from the South as expected Saturday evening, and are pleased to be home again, but no more so than their hosts of home friends.

Lulu, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook, who had been ill for a long time, died Wednesday afternoon at 4. 30. The funeral was held at the home in Brownville at 9.00 oclock today. Rev. J. P. Varner officiating. Burial at Azalia.

Will VanAntwerp and Al Hand went up to Jerome. Trout fishing the first of the week, and in a short time, secured 58 of the speckled beauties, that averaged the largest ever seen in this section. The boys have been the envy of all the local fishermen ever since.

Housecleaning time is now with us and there is no time better than this to put on some of Hause's patent window fasteners. Orders left with G. W. Jackson will receive prompt attention.

Bert Gray will enamel your bicycle frames and ornament them in neat style.

Garlinghouse Bros. have purchased several new carriages of John Hisley. There is no need of going away from Tecumseh to get the best carriage made and Garlinghouse Bros. fully appreciate this fact.

Read our locals. PARRISH.

How is this? San Marto coffee in one pound packages for 25c at Moubs & Co's.

If you wish to hear a thrilling and blood curdling narrative, ask El Gray how he came by those bruises on his face. Seriously, he had a narrow escape.

See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold. G. H. TANSLEY.

O. A. Chapman, of Battle Creek, was visiting friends in town yesterday. He was a shipmate of Perry Hosmer's on the old battleship "Milwaukee" during the war.

A few clothes uncalled for will be sold cheap. Call and see them if you want a bargain. JONES & HAZLETT.

The Farmers' Social Club will hold its annual May meeting at Mrs. F. C. Rector's about the 27th of the month. Exact date and program will be given later.—L. GILLESPIE, Sec.

Try our new Perfumes. PARRISH.

A receiver will soon be appointed to wind up the affairs of the Tecumseh Table Co. This course has been made necessary by interest in the company held by the Hayden estate.

Mrs. H. C. Matthews went to Manchester Wednesday for a day's visit with her sister, Mrs. E. D. Fenn, and yesterday went on to Grand Rapids, where she will spend the summer with her son, Usher, and family.

Frank Bauer and Will Ingersoll have so far recovered from their recent shaking up as to be on the streets but Lawrence Samsen is still confined to the house though doing nicely.

See the lawn swing. New thing. Lots of comfort. C. A. SLAYTON.

Heesen Bros. & Co. have just completed a storage shed 16x80 feet. This improvement was made necessary by the accumulation of patterns and their constantly increasing business.

Rev. C. M. Brown went to Temperance, Mich., yesterday, where he was to make two addresses today before the Monroe County Convention of Sunday Schools. He will return tonight.

You are invited to come in and look at the new line of Wall Paper at Parrish's.

On the fourth page will be found the first installment of a letter from Claude VanTyne, who is now located in Leipzig. It will be completed next week. The HERALD readers enjoy these letters very much and it is to be hoped more will follow.

Avery and Co. were selling strawberries yesterday. In fact this firm keeps every thing best in the grocery line, and attempts to be first to secure the delicacies. This week they call especial attention to something new "Bromangelon".

Word has been received that Samuel Wilson, who lives in the township of Franklin about four miles west and south of Tecumseh, died this morning of heart failure, being sick only about one hour. Mr. Wilson was over 80 years of age and well known all over this section.

Sunday evening in the Universalist church, "What to Read on Leaving School." by request. In the morning a sermon on the birds. Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "The Effect of Hope." I. John 3-3. Romans 5 5.

The Wit and Wisdom club met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown, Monday evening, where a very interesting evening was passed. The following were chosen officers for the coming year:—

Pres.—Mrs. Fred Rosacrans.
Vice Pres.—C. F. Field.
Sec'y—Miss Jennie Gallatin.
Treas.—J. H. Smith.

At the meeting of the Southern Convocation of this Episcopal Diocese, held in St. Luke's Church, Ypsilanti, last Thursday. Rev. Mr. Tatlock, of Ann Arbor, after serving faithfully for three years as Dean of the Convocation, tendered his resignation, which with great reluctance, Bishop Davis accepted, and thereupon appointed Rev. C. H. I. Channer, of Adrian, Dean. A high compliment worthily bestowed.

In the Cummins building, on Rail Road Street, a business is being conducted by Bert Gray' the extent of which is known as yet but to a few. He is doing fine work, enameling, and decorating bicycles. He is an artist in painting, and renewing all kinds of carriages and buggies, and keeps on sale some of the finest, easies t and best built and trimmed conveyances in the market. A visit to his establishment will not only convince the most critical, but be a delight. His business is rapidly increasing.

Monday night Ben Glassford, while under the influence of something stronger than pop created a disturbance on Chicago street by assaulting Arch Beebe. On the approach of Officer Thompson he fled and Levi, seeing some one coming up the street, called out "Catch him." It was Don Bowen who is quite fleet and the young man was soon caught but released on promising to go home and in future behave himself. Soon after Don missed his watch and chain which critical search failed to discover, but Wednesday on renewing it, the lost was found none the worse for the usage.

The following taken from Monday's Free Press will be of special interest to our citizens and they will rejoice in and appreciate the compliment paid to one of our town boys. Harry is well known having been reared here and has hosts of friends. He is a fine young man, self-made and ambitious.

Laporte, Ind., May 2.—(Special)—H. H. McClure, of Tecumseh, Mich., has been selected by the faculty of Wabash College, at Crawfordsville, to represent the Wolverine state in the interstate oratorical contest which will be held commencement week. McClure is said to possess wonderful power as an orator.

Buy your Buggy Paint at Parrish's.

Albert Hyde is doing great work these days with his street jack-knife. It may be truly said that there are no better streets in the country than in Tecumseh.

Bargains in lawn mowers.
C. A. SLAYTON.

Rev. and Mrs David Lewis, have the deepest sympathy of the entire community, in the loss of their infant daughter Inez, whose death occurred yesterday morning, about five oclock. The funeral will take place at the home tomorrow afternoon at two oclock. She was six months old.

Pure linseed oil at Parrish's.

About the first of June, Rev. Mr. Blachford expects to start for British Columbia for a five or six months stay. He feels the experience there received will be of great value to him in his future work. Bishop Davis and his two parishes, have given their consent to his going. Mrs. Blachford and the children. will spend the time he is away with friends in Canada.

Look at the window shades at Parrish's.

A man by the name of Will Buck, working for N. M. Sutton, was the cause of no little excitement and some fright in the Sutton household Monday evening. It seems Mr. S. had in the tank house a barrel of cider for vinegar which Mr. Buck had been imbibing to such an extent that his powers of locomotion and speech were so effected that the feminine portion were greatly exercised thinking him crazy. Officer Thompson went up and got him, gave him a night's lodging and in the morning he was taken before Squire Frasier who fined him $5.00 and costs. He sobered up.

Harris & Hiteshu have a store full of beautiful dress goods and trimmings.

Saturday afternoon, while in the South part of town, we chanced into the Tiffany Iron Works building, where we were permitted to see the Lamb Bros. Wire Fence in process of weaving and it did not take long to satisfy us that they are manufactoring one of the strongest, as well as durable fences on the market. It is rapidly growing in favor wherever known, and their trade is rapidly increasing. Orders are coming in thick and fast, and the firm are making arrangements to greatly increase their capacity. Certainly Tecumseh has an industry, which she can point with pride, one that will ultimately do for this town what the Page Fence has done, for Adrian. These worthy gentlemen should receive the most hearty encouragement and cooperation of all public spirited citizens.

A Question.

The Lamb Bros.' fence which is now being manufactured in the Tiffany Iron Works is acknowledged to be equal to any fence made and there is a great question if it is not far superior to any other fence now manufactured. The machines invented and patented by the Lamb Bros. are no longer in an experimental state, but weave the fence perfectly and with all the speed necessary to make the manufacture a commercial success. A number of Tecumseh's best financiers have interested themselves in the enterprise with a view of organizing a stock company with $50,000 capital. It would seem that, in view of the great success of the fence business in Adrian, the investment, with proper management of the enterprise, would be a good one and it only depends on the organization of this company or not whether Tecumseh retains or loses the factory.

Opening of Lake Erie Park and Casino at Toledo.

Account of the opening of the Lake Erie Park and Casino, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return, May 16th. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10.17 a. m; fare $0.80 for the round trip. Tickets good going and returning May 16th only. Special train returning will leave Toledo at 7.00p.m. For further particulars see large hand bills or call on C. J. & M Agent. T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich.; May 4, 1897:

Geo. Avery, E. W. Baxter, Henry Glove, Goodman Bros., A. B. Lewis, Princess Lighthall, Mrs. Mary Smith, B. Neal.

Persons calling for letters in the above list, will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

—Base Ball and all athletic goods at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

Miss Mabel Hayden and Her Summer School.

—As I have come home earlier this season than usual, I will be glad to begin at once with a limited number of pupils in voice, violin, elocution and Delsarte philosophy of expression. Training of children in violin, physical culture and elocution, a specialty. Success in previous experiences makes me take great interest in the little ones.

For summer rates, both for class and private lessons, address me Tecumseh P. O. or call at residence of Mrs. Wm. Hayden. MISS MABEL HAYDEN.

—Headquarters for Fishing Tackle at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—When you want a Bicycle consult your own interest. Call at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—Furniture refinished at Bert Grey's carriage shop. Fine work and low prices.

—A complete line of Screen Doors and Windows at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—Get your carriage varnished or repainted at Bert Grey's shop in the old Cummins building.

—When you get ready, see our line of Lawn Mowers.
SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

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of

HEINZ'S BAKED BEANS
WITH TOMATO CATSUP.

No Baked Beans just as good as Heinz's.

We give you a sample can if you call soon.

Anderson Bros.,
Grocers.

A Specialty

is an appropriate name for our stock of

Shoes for Misses and Children.

Never before have we taken such pains in the selection, or purchased so complete a stock. We are justly proud of the selection and

We Invite Inspection,

as to quality, style and prices.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

Bromangelon

Try a Package.

It is Fine.

AVERY & CO.
GROCERS.

BLUE FLAME OIL STOVES.

New Process Gasoline Stoves.

Single Generator Cabinet Ranges.

all of which are the best of their class that can be produced. An elegant line of bicycles at reasonable prices. Fishing tackle in full assortment.

Satterthwaite Bros.

THE SOUND OF LITTLE FEET.

I listened in the morning
For the sound of the little feet
That patter'd along in the sunshine
Over the quiet street;
For the tones of the sweet voice singing
Some quaint lov'd strain of old,
As I saw the wee hands full of flowers,
And the sunny head crown'd with gold.

I watch'd when the noon was over,
And the clock in the tow'r struck four,
As the children came slowly homeward,
The hours of school time o'er;
And I heard 'mid the ripple of voices
The one that my heart lov'd best,
And I saw a smile like a sunbeam
Stray'd out of the glowing west.

And now, in the hush of gloaming,
I watch and I list again;
But the little feet come no longer,
No more do I hear that strain;
For the flow'rs and the tir'd little child-heart
Are hush'd into slumber sweet,
Tho' I know that in Heaven the angels
Hear the sound of the little feet.
—Augusta Hancock, in Lady.

ADVENTURE IN A CAB.

I will wager my chances for the throne of France against a box of cigars that there never was a marquis so diffident, so timid, so irresponsible, as Marquis Suetone Amentor de Longuerne. My hero possesses a heroine, that is to say, a legitimate heroine, a 24-year-old heroine, as beautiful as you might wish and as unmusical as you can imagine. From the rising of the sun till the last flicker of the nightlamp, she was constantly at the piano. She strummed with such untiring zeal that it was impossible to keep servants in the house. There were times when the marquis, surfeited with Schumann, tortured by Mendelssohn, and dead weary of Saint-Saens, even envied the good fortune of his servants, who could escape the instrument of torture.

"Will the marquis please settle my account?"

"Are you going to leave us?"

"Yes, sir, on account of—"

"The piano? I know—you have had enough of it."

"If it were only enough, I could stand it, but it's too much; it is driving me crazy."

"I understand."

"You are not angry, then?"

"The deuce, no! but how can I replace you?"

"I know a man who would suit the place—he is quite deaf."

"Lucky dog!"

Even the neighbors were driven to rebellion. Petitions and threatening letters poured in daily, until at last the poor marquis determined to move to some isolated quarter near the barracks, where the cornetists and drummers were sent to practice scales.

It is scarcely to be credited, but the marquis deeply deplored the absence of a better rival to his wife's affection than the piano. He hated it with a deadly hatred, and it is not surprising that he seized the opportunity to escape when the misguided virtuosa said to him:

"Can I count upon your escort Monday evening, dear? I have promised to play a fantasia from 'Henry VIII.' at Mme. la Marechale's. Are you fond of 'Henry VIII.?'"

"Yes—since I've learned to feel for him."

The intended sarcasm passed unnoticed his wife thought he alluded to the bold harmonies of the modern school.

The marchioness, however, was obliged to go unattended to Mme. la Marechale's. Monday evening at ten o'clock, she dropped her husband at his club, and, extending the soft little hand that was so soon to torture poor "Henry VIII.," she said to him:

"Will you call for me? I play at half past 11. No applause would give me so much pleasure as yours."

The marquis bent his head over the extended hand, and disappeared without a word.

He played at the club and lost, so heavily, in fact, that he soon found himself wishing he had gone to the reception, thinking that even "Henry VIII." would be preferable to this. From "Henry VIII." to thinking of his wife was but a short step, and he determined to go after her. For you will remember that Elizabeth Alida Marcelline de Longuerne, away from a piano, was a very charming little woman.

Hardly conscious of what he was doing, the marquis allowed himself to be driven to the house of Mme. la Marechale. Not caring to enter at once, he remained outside, listening to the hideous fantasie being performed by his wife. "It is half past eleven," he thought to himself. "It is she playing—those discords are unmistakable. Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard are at last avenged. Henry the Eighth, go thou to thine execution!"

The noise of a passing cab momentarily drowned the sound of the piano, and the marquis forgot his wife's musical shortcomings in mental contemplation of her shoulder, her arms, her eyes, her luxuriant hair, and her other perfections. This vision appealed to his aesthetic side. He felt that he had been too exacting in the face of so many alluring charms.

"By Apollo! if a piece of ill-luck should come my way, I'd get no more than I richly deserve. What if her heart is wrapped up in those little black hieroglyphics with the long necks! She loves me with a constancy that is really touching. I can put up with a little music; at any rate, I shall not care the less for her on account of it. Poor woman, how abominably she plays! But they applaud her. And I—I have played the coward. I will wait outside here for her, if it takes an hour, to make up for it."

But his ardor was doomed to be dampened by a fine, cold rain that now began to fall. Suetone Amentor grew impatient and was conscious that he was getting tired. He had waited a full half-hour. Just then he noticed a coupe come out of the courtyard and draw up near the kerb behind a line of carriages. "This rain will not last long," he said to himself; "in all probability, the last guest to arrive will be the last one to go. I shall wait in her coupe and rest."

Taking advantage of the absence of the coachman, who had sought shelter in a neighboring doorway, he entered the coupe. It was a bijou little conveyance, upholstered in blue silk and exhaling an aroma of youth and elegance. The marquis settled back in the corner, which was still warm, and availed himself of a wrap that had been left behind, and in that blissful state of comfort he soon fell asleep. How long he slumbered I cannot say, but he suddenly awoke as the coupe drew up in Mme. la Marechale's courtyard.

The door was thrown open and a young woman of extraordinary beauty approached. When she saw that the coupe was not empty, she suppressed an exclamation, and, hastily divesting herself of her wrap, threw it in upon the astonished occupant.

"Are you mad, to throw off your cloak here in the court!" exclaimed the young man, who had escorted her to the carriage. "The air is freezing."

"I am suffocating," she replied; and, stepping hastily into the coupe, she closed the door with a bang.

"If you care to drop in at mother's, I will go with you."

"No, no; I have changed my mind. I am tired. Goodnight. I am going directly home."

The coupe rolled rapidly away. The marquis did not stir. Not a word was spoken until they reached a dark street, when the lady withdrew her mantle.

"Gaston!" she exclaimed, "what recklessness! You might have been my ruin!"

As the marquis was about to reply, she laid a little hand on his lips.

"No—not a word. I know what foolish excuses you will make. I will not, I dare not listen. My mind is made up. He is breaking my heart, but what is the difference? First take back this ring. I have no right to keep it."

The marquis was conscious that a ring was being slipped on his finger.

"And now kiss me, sweetheart—you deserve that much for your silence and devotion."

The marquis spent five ecstatic minutes, which, however, neither you nor I need dwell upon.

"And now leave me. In another moment I shall be home. Make haste—make haste!"

She let down the right-hand window and addressed a few words to the coachman, to divert his attention from the supposed Gaston, who alighted on the other side and disappeared, filled with regrets that he had not been able to follow up to the end this unexpected and delightful adventure.

The coupe drove off straight ahead, and was soon lost in the darkness.

A clock was striking two as our hero reached home. The marchioness was just alighting at the door. The marquis passed her without seeing her.

"Why, my dear, have you been asleep in the vestibule? You must help me upstairs whether you want to or not. They improvised a cotillion, and I'm simply exhausted."

As he offered her his arm she noticed the ring he had forgotten to remove from his finger.

"What a beautiful ring!" she cried. "Is it for me? I'm sure it was meant for a surprise."

The confusion of the marquis was only equaled by his wife's delight.

"Yes, it is a—a surprise. I shall tell you about it in the morning."

For the next three days the young wife was in the most affable of moods in expectation of the diamond. She didn't open the piano once.

While the jeweler was making a facsimile of the ring, the marquis endeavored to find his charming unknown.

"I'm a thief," he said to himself. "I'm a thief, and here's the ring to prove it. What will Gaston—the real Gaston—say to her? Poor thing, what a beautiful trinket she lost. Poor fellow, what kisses he lost. The recollection of them makes my head swim."

This little adventure cost my friend just 8,000 francs, and to help him out of his embarrassment, I am sending the following notice to the newspapers:

Lost, Monday, 8th, in a coupe with blue livery, a diamond ring worth 8,000 francs. A liberal reward offered to the owner.

—Translated for the San Francisco Argonaut by Grace Thorne.

What's in a Name.

A Sussex doctor writes to the London Standard to say that the common people in the rural districts in his neighborhood give their children such names as Gladys Irene Florence, Doris Alma May, Hilda Evelina Clementina, Ealeen Oenide, Dora Vinita, Winifred Emily, Olive Ruby, Margarette Lavinia, Gladys Elsie, etc.; Norman Archibald, Archibald Gordon Richmond, Cyril Granville, Douglas Dennis Richmond, Stanley Vernon, Albert Victor, Cecil Claude, Cyril Dudley, etc. He opines that those toplofty names will sound very funny "in our future scullery and other maids, grooms, gardeners, coachmen and so forth." What of it? Why should not a waiting maid or footman be just as good a servant if her name be Gladys or Cyril? Here in democratic America it is not uncommon to find an Earl Jones, a Baron Smith or a Duke Robinson, whose fond parents invested them at baptism with these resounding forenames, and James G. Blaine used to tell with glee of a Boston mother who christened her son out of a fashionable novel V. de C. Brown, the initials standing for Valet de Chambre, which surely looks mightily aristocratic. — Boston Pilot.

Good Living.

A Swansea gaol-warder used to tell the following story:

There is, or was, a bacon-and-beans dinner given periodically to the prisoners. One day an old gaol-bird, after gazing pensively on the moderate allowance of bacon compared with the beans on his plate, shouted to the warder:

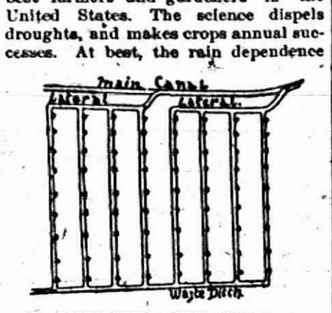
"Hey! I've got no bacon!" As the warder turned, the prisoner corrected himself hastily. "Oh, yes! I beg pardon. It's got under one of the beans!" —Chicago Post.

HORTICULTURE.

GARDEN IRRIGATION.

A Science That Is Not as Well Understood as It Should Be.

Irrigation is being adopted by the successful gardeners and small-fruit growers throughout the world. The fact that water can be applied to fruits and vegetables at any time required is enough argument to convince anyone of the value of irrigation. Thorough tests in the rain belt regions have demonstrated that irrigation makes better-flavored products and more than doubles the yield. In this sense the application of moisture by the hand of man has become a science. Although practiced for the past 6,000 years, and a necessity in the production of crops in two-thirds of the world, irrigation is but little understood by many of the best farmers and gardeners in the United States. The science dispels droughts, and makes crops annual successes. At best, the rain dependence



SCIENTIFIC IRRIGATION.

is only an uncertain substitute for independent soil moisture by irrigation.

The sources of artificial water supply are so numerous that there is no necessity for any section of the country suffering from a lack of rainfall. Running streams can be tapped by constructing gravity canals; springs may be easily developed, and their waters utilized; wells and cisterns can be pumped of their supply by windmills and other lifting devices. When once acquired, a water-right is worth more than the land it irrigates, even in the sections where rainfall moisture is depended upon for soil food. Gardens and small-fruit orchards and vineyards are especially benefited by irrigation, even though there is an abundance of rain for general field crops. The scientific application of water at the exact time needed solves the long-mooted problem of whether or not the garden pays for any except the professional market feeder. Many abandoned farms in the east could be reclaimed and made to pay as well as desert lands are redeemed in the west and converted into earthly homes of paradise.

Several systems of irrigation are practiced, but probably the most general method is the furrow plan. This consists in a main canal, which carries the water to the head, or highest point of the land, where it is divided into smaller laterals and conveyed by them to the furrows. These small furrows lead the water along near the roots of the trees or plants, and after passing through the entire lot, empties into a waste ditch, which carries it into a creek or other stream, to be used again by the farmers below. The time occupied in irrigating a given era depends upon the kind of crop and nature of the soil. In ordinary garden soil containing much manure and little clay a small stream may run from one hour to three times that long on a row eight to twelve rods in length. In most sections it is advisable to make irrigating furrows not more than 20 rods in length, as the ends next the ditch, or main canal, get too much water from soaking while the stream is finding its way to the lower end of the furrows.—Joel Shomaker, in Farm and Fireside.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

New land is best adapted to the growth of berries.

Fruit trees or plants will not take care of themselves.

Annual pruning largely avoids the necessity for removing large limbs.

Grapes thrive best in well-cultivated and well-drained land.

No fruit repays judicious pruning and trimming better than the pear.

Make quality rather than quantity the principal aim.

Having the orchard trimmed up keeps the trees bearing well.

Cherry trees must be grafted early if good results are expected.

Choose young, thrifty trees, with good roots and straight, clean tops.

All trees that have roots or tops bruised or mangled should be discarded.

In setting out a tree, save some of the top soil, especially to put around the roots.

It is not a bad plan to plant trees along the roadside the whole length of the farm.

By stirring the soil after every rain the weeds will be more easily destroyed.

The peach and plum are nearly enough related to be budded or grafted on each other.

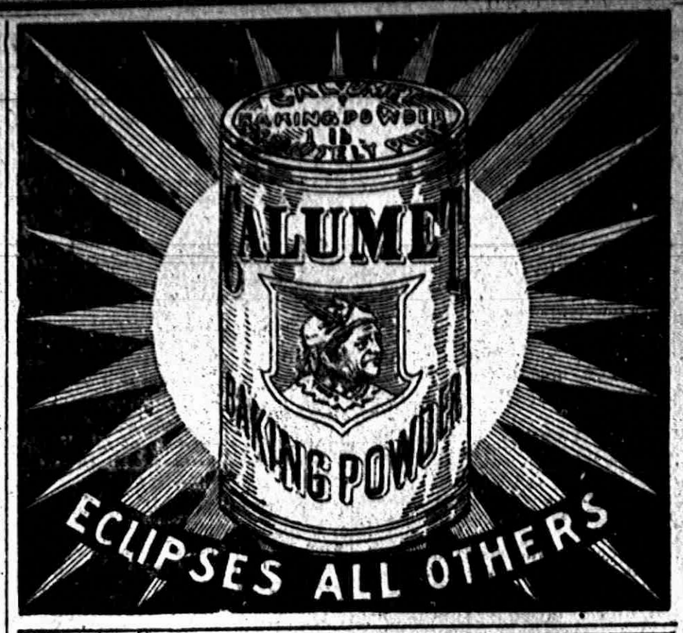
In the spring is the best time to prune the peach. Cut back one-half of the new growth of wood.

Mulching prevents the early flow of sap by preventing the ground from warming up too soon.

Nectarines and apricots can be grown anywhere that the peach or prune will thrive well.

Either red clover alone or clover and orchard grass is best to be used in seeding down the orchard.

It is better for the trees while they are growing to raise hoed crops among them, so the trees will get the benefit of the cultivation.—St. Louis Republic.



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Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

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SOMETHING ABOUT MR. THURBER.

He Entered Washington as a Country Boy from Michigan and Left with the Good Wishes and Respect of All Who Became Acquainted with Him—Professor Harrington an Applicant for Reinstatement—Jobs for Michigan People.

Washington, May 4.—General O. L. Spaulding, assistant secretary of the treasury, is one of the most popular Wolverines in the national capital. During the past week, while the secretary of the treasury was in New York, General Spaulding has been acting secretary of the treasury. His experience in the position of assistant secretary during the Harrison administration made him perfectly familiar with the departmental work. He is as competent to act as secretary of the treasury as the man upon whom has been conferred the cabinet position. Secretary Gage has wealth and a political pull, but General Spaulding was appointed primarily because of his ability and experience.

John Addison Porter, secretary to the president, although a new man in the business of dealing with public men and affairs, is filling his high office in a creditable manner. Because he is a newspaper man, he has been very well treated by the newspaper men of Washington. He is doing no better, however, than Henry T. Thurber did at the beginning of the second Cleveland administration.

Country Boy from Michigan.

Mr. Thurber was raised in the little town of Monroe, and, barring his few years' experience at Detroit, was provincial in his political knowledge. He came to Washington, practically, as a country boy from Michigan. Several smart newspaper correspondents proceeded to make fun of him. He endured their gibes and quips without a tremor. When he left Washington last March he carried with him the good wishes and respect of all who had become acquainted with him; because they had learned to appreciate the high purpose and noble qualities of the Michigan man who had successfully and honorably filled a confidential position close to the president of the United States for four years without making a single mistake of moment, and without betraying a single trust. This little tribute to Thurber, who is a Democrat, comes from a writer who, for several years, represented the Detroit Tribune in Washington, before that paper became a political traitor to the party which created and nurtured it.

Applicant for Reinstatement.

Professor Mark W. Harrington, a good man who was dismissed from the chiefship of the weather bureau twenty months ago because he was charged with having failed to discharge his duties properly, is an applicant for reinstatement. After being removed from the weather bureau Professor Harrington was appointed professor in charge of the University of Washington at Seattle. Two weeks ago he resigned that position and is now in Washington to make an effort to succeed Professor Willis L. Moore, the present chief of the weather bureau.

Harrington's friends are on the ground and are quietly working in his interest. Mrs. Harrington arrived in Washington two weeks ago, and has been an active worker in her husband's behalf. She has, it is said, seen various senators and representatives, and has also paid a personal visit to Secretary Wilson of the agricultural department, with whom she earnestly pleaded in her husband's behalf. Secretary Wilson is favorable to the retention of Professor Willis Moore.

Thomas L. Wallin, of the Wallin Leather company, and wife are here on their return from Thomasville, Ga., and Pensacola, Fla.

Will Please Cigarmakers.

The cigarmakers and manufacturers of Michigan who have been petitioning the senators to have Havana fillers and Sumatra wrappers placed upon the free list in the pending tariff bill will be pleased to learn that Senator Burrows has become a warm champion of their interests. He has already appeared before the senate committee on finance and made an argument in behalf of this large class of union workmen in the state.

The Michigan representatives in congress are being flooded with requests for sugar beet seed. A gentleman from the southern portion of the state writes his representative that he has found at least forty farmers that are anxious to experiment with sugar beet, and has requested the congressman to send him seed enough from the agricultural department to plant at least one acre of ground for each farmer. The agricultural department has exhausted its small supply, and the members of the Michigan delegation are obliged to inform their constituents that they cannot meet their requests.

A new document has been published by the agricultural department known as the Farmers' Bulletin No. 52. It gives facts and figures concerning the culture, seed development, manufacture and statistics of the sugar beet. This can be had on application to any member of congress from Michigan.

Secretary of War and Mrs. Alger, Senator Burrows, and Congressman Crump and wife were among the Michigan people who went to New York to attend the Grant dedication exercises. Senator Burrows was a member of the senate committee of fifteen appointed by that body to represent the legislative branch of the government in the ceremonies.

Good Things for Michigan People.

Some of the good things that have fallen to Michigan people during the past week are the following: Burton Parker of Monroe has been named for his old position as special agent for the treasury department. James Wheeler of Detroit has been reinstated in his old position of secret agent for the treasury department. M. A. Watson of Flint, an old sailor who was discharged from the pension office under the last administration, has been reinstated. E. O. Shaw of Newago has been appointed postmaster of that city. M. M. Callahan was appointed postmaster at Reed City; Miss Jennie Andrews of Kalamazoo was promoted to the $1,200 class in the office of the secretary of war, and John Shaw of Big Rapids was appointed assistant in the office of General A. W. Greely, librarian of the war department.

Congressmen Hamilton, Samuel Smith and Crump are the only members of the Michigan delegation now in the city. The others are expected to return and place their names on record when the Dingley bill goes back to the house.

Among the Michigan visitors in Washington during the past week were Colonel John J. Sumner of the Orchard Lake Military academy; Colonel Frank J. Hecker and James C. Wheeler of Detroit; E. L. Walters of Ann Arbor; H. C. Howard of Kalamazoo; M. L. Fitch of Grand Rapids; Hon. Mark Brewer of Pontiac; Hon. A. O. Wheeler of Manistee; George W. Robinson, and F. H. Harvey of Detroit, and Hon. Henry M. Lour of Au Sable.

A new postoffice has been established at Tokio, Calhoun county, and Miss Carrie I. Otts is the first postmistress.

Ohio Colony To Be Increased.

There are two more Ohio men slated for good positions here in Washington. There are a good many candidates for solicitor general, but the place has been offered to ex-Attorney General Richards of Ohio, who is an intimate friend of the president.

The position of solicitor for the state department has also been promised to an Ohio man. This lucky Buckeye is Harry McDaugherty of Washington Court House. Mr. Daugherty is one of the Ohio Republicans who have managed to keep on excellent terms with both factions in Ohio. He was an enthusiastic McKinley man in the campaign of 1891, when the major was first elected governor, and was a member of the legislature elected that year.

In the contest between Sherman and Foraker for the senate Mr. Daugherty's support was sought for by both sides, and there was much speculation as to which camp would enroll him. On the test vote for speaker he voted with the Foraker men, and was set down as favorable to Foraker's election to the senate, but in the senatorial caucus he voted for Sherman.

He has since been looked upon as a follower of Sherman and Hanna, and is to be solicitor for the state department if he cares to leave his law practice in Ohio and join the Ohio colony in Washington.

Delay on the Tariff Bill.

There is little prospect for the presentation of the tariff bill in the senate for some days yet. The members of the finance committee held a lengthy session and talked over the proposition of the Republicans that the bill be permitted to go into the senate at once. It is understood that they got very little encouragement from the Democratic members of the committee.

It is not surprising that this was the fact, if the reports of what occurred inside the committee room are accurate. It is stated that the Republicans were almost as reticent with the Democratic members of the committee about the work they had done and the changes made in the bill as they have been with the other members of the senate, or with the public generally.

In view of this the Democratic members quite naturally declined the proposition to permit the bill to be reported to the senate at once. They indicated, on the contrary, that they desired to pretty thoroughly examine it not only themselves, but with the aid of experts, and that they should insist upon all the time that they might feel they ought to have, whether this should be one week or three.

This evidently means that the bill will not get into the senate before the end of the first week in May, or perhaps the middle of the month.

Ohio Senatorial Situation.

The present condition of the senate adds greatly to the interest felt in the coming election of a legislature in Ohio, which legislature is to elect a senator to fill the seat now held by appointment by Mr. Hanna.

Should the senate remain evenly divided, as it now is, the result in Ohio would determine whether or not the Republican president, chosen from that state, is to have a Republican or a Democratic senate to uphold or oppose him.

This renders the situation there an extremely interesting one.

In case of the election of a Democratic legislature and a Democratic senator to succeed Mr. Hanna, nothing could prevent the senate being Democratic, or at least anti-Republican, for the next two years, while with a Republican in that seat the members of that party might expect to control that body.

The election of Senator Deboe and his prospective assignment to committee duty will not make any change in the slate made up by the caucus committees on the assignment of committee places.

They had calculated upon a Republican senator from Kentucky and reserved certain of the committee positions to which he could be assigned if the result which has been attained should be realized.

Nelson's Bankruptcy Bill.

The success of Senator Knute Nelson in substituting his bankruptcy bill for the one before the senate and then securing its passage was a feature of the legislation of the present session. It was a decided victory for the Scandinavian senator, and as unexpected as it was thorough and complete. During the long discussion of the bankruptcy measure Senator Nelson has grown visibly in the estimation of his colleagues as a sound lawyer and strong fighter. The whole question of the bankruptcy legislation has been an apparently interminable and insoluble controversy for several years. Judge Torrey has given the subject of bankruptcy the most careful attention, and has for several years devoted himself ardently to the effort to pass a complete bill on the subject drafted by himself and advocated with great persistence. The Torrey bill was an involuntary bankruptcy measure. The Nelson substitute, which now goes to the house, provides instead for voluntary bankruptcy, the only exceptions being in cases where fraudulent transfers of property have been made by debtors. The house having already in a previous congress passed an involuntry bankruptcy law, it seems proper that the Nelson bill, or a reasonable modification of it which preserves the voluntary features, can become a law at the present congress. This is a consummation that is earnestly wished by many commercial institutions and business houses throughout the country. In the east a strongly involuntary law would have been more acceptable to creditors, while in the western states the Nelson bill will be more generally satisfactory. DUNBAR

GROWING OF BERRIES.

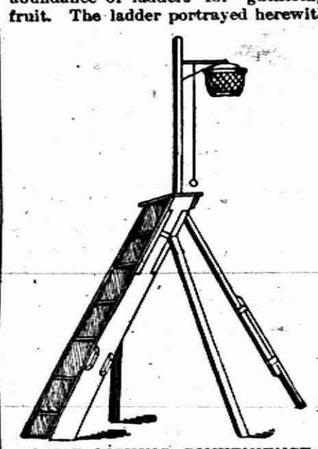
Eternal Vigilance and Work Is the Price of Success.

The growing of a berry calls into action some of the most wonderful laws of nature. In the growth of plants we find these laws in perfection. We also find in various forms a complete supply of every element required for the full development of both plant and fruit. Nature gives all these products without stint. She simply asks in return that we assist her in some of the smaller details of the work. She asks that the soil be made rich and well prepared; that the plants be of good quality and carefully set out; that frequent hoeing and cultivation be given; that plants be protected from winter frosts and summer drought; that no insect pest or fungus disease find an abiding place with them; that you treat them as a friend and love them as a brother. Both pleasure and profit come in greatest measure from closest attention to all these details. Nature furnishes almost every good with a prodigal hand, but she is a niggard to him who will not work in her ways. You cannot cheat her in farm or garden. You cannot get something for nothing. These are days of progress. Every line of business must advance with the times, or drop to the rear. The farmer has been the laggard. The safest, the surest, the most ancient and the most honorable business on earth should be in the most progressive ranks. An army of best newspapers are stationed all along the agricultural highway, to guard us from error and direct us to success. We cannot afford to be without them. Read them! Study them! Experiment in a moderate way, give extra preparation and cultivation to certain tracts, and mark results, as compared with ordinary tillage. Observe results of similar experiments on your neighbors' farms. Compare notes with them and reason together. Extend like experiments to the seeds you sow, the stock you grow, and trees, plants and shrubs you set. Such experiments are almost sure to lead to more careful selection of seed, stock and plants, and to a more thorough cultivation of the soil and better results every way from farm, fruit and garden.—M. A. Thayer, in Prairie Farmer.

CONVENIENT LADDER.

A Simple Contrivance Which Makes Fruit Picking Easy.

A little forethought during the leisure hours of the winter season will provide many a useful implement for the farmer and gardener. During fruit season it is almost impossible to have a superabundance of ladders for gathering fruit. The ladder portrayed herewith



FRUIT PICKING CONVENIENCE.

rests on five bearings, three of them adjustable as to length and position, and easily adapted to all inequalities of surface, perfectly secure and portable. A six-foot ladder weighs about 40 pounds. The crane, or basket and hook holder, rotates, or may be shifted to either side of the operator; will support 30 pounds of fruit in a basket with ease, and the legs all fold in when required. The object is to provide a safe stand, and at the same time increase the facilities of the operator in picking fruit, pruning trees, etc., giving him the full use of both hands and placing the basket within easy reach of the same, thereby saving time in transporting the fruit from the tree to the basket. The fruit can also be handled with less damage from bruising, and it will therefore bring more money.—Farm and Home.

Trimming Peach Trees.

I find it just as easy to raise good-sized peaches as small ones. We depend largely on pruning and try not to leave too many fruit buds or too much wood. As peaches only grow on the new wood it is necessary to prune heavily, especially on old trees, to stimulate growth of new wood. My trees are five years old. They yielded about eight tons per acre last year and six tons the year before. Last winter I cut them heavily. I cut out many limbs from two to three inches in diameter, besides thinning out the laterals and cutting back heavily all that I left. As a result I am forcing out new growths in the body of the tree, low down where I want it, which will bear fruit next year.—Farmers Union.

Taking Care of Fruit Trees.

The peach is propagated by budding on seedling peach trees. Generally the seed is planted in the spring and the plant budded in August. In pruning the peach, from one-third to one-half of the new wood should be cut off each year. This should be done in the spring before growth starts. By this treatment the fruit buds are thinned out and the tree takes on a compact form and does not easily break down. Cherry and plum trees may have light pruning done early in the spring. They no not need much pruning, but a little looking over each year to take out interlocking branches and shorten branches that grow too strongly.—Farm and Home.

Do the grafting before the buds swell. The stock and scion must unite before the buds need the stored-up nourishment.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of George E. Adamson, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1897, and on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 30th day of March, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

MERRETT E. CONKLIN,
JAMES A. BOYD,
Commissioners.

Dated, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Rose Abbot, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Alva Spayde in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 17th day of May, 1897, and on the 15th day of November, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 13th day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 15th, 1897.

B. T. GARLINGHOUSE,
ALVA SPAYDE,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
GEO. B. GRAY,
Commissioners.

Dated, April 24th, 1897.

[illegible] block was destroyed by fire Thursday night. Loss, about $20,000, with little insurance. The principal losers are: John McNair, $1,000; Fred Voise, $1,500; Peter Degan, $1,200; Isaac Shulman, $3,500; Darley Leach, $2,000; Charles Voise, $3,000.

Gold Democrats Issue an Address.

Grand Rapids, April 30.—The sound money democratic state central committee has issued an address to the democrats of Michigan, reviewing the recent spring election, and urging the brethren to line up for the future.

Bank President Dead.

Kalamazoo, May 1. — Henry Brees, president of the Kalamazoo savings bank, died Friday evening, aged 89 years. He had lived here nearly 35 years and was reputed to be the wealthiest man in the city.

To Succeed President Angell.

Ann Arbor, May 1.—The regents have tendered Harry L. Hutchins, dean of the law department, the presidency of the Michigan university during the period of Dr. Angell's absence as minister to Turkey.

FATAL FLAMES.

Two Lives Lost in a Recent Fire in Detroit.

Detroit, May 3.—Two persons were burned to death and two others very seriously burned in a comparatively small fire at five o'clock Saturday evening. The burned structure was a two-story frame building in Chene street, near Canfield avenue, occupied by E. H. Heidel's bakery. In the upper story lived the family of Nicholas Sinig, four members of which were quickly surrounded by the flames. Of these Lena Sinig, aged 17, and Nicholas, aged 9, were badly burned in getting downstairs and out of the building. Mrs. Sinig escaped by a ladder without injury. Lizzie Sinig, aged 20, and her brother Anthony, aged five, were caught in a back room, whence they could not reach any means of egress, and before help arrived they had been burned to death. A man living across the street heard the victims screaming, but before he could aid them the burning roof had fallen in upon them. From appearance of the bodies death was caused by suffocation before the flames had reached them. They had been supposed to be in the front part of the building, but in reality did not get out of the back room.

GOLD MINE AT ANN ARBOR.

Laborers, While Boring a Well, Discover a Vein of Yellow Metal.

Ann Arbor, May 1.—There is considerable excitement in this city over the discovery of an alleged gold mine. Laborers have been working for the past few days on the farm of Dr. Willard B. Smith, just outside the city, boring a well. Recently a quantity of yellow metal was thrown up which had the appearance of gold. Dr. Smith has taken several specimens to the university and has also sent some to the United States mint at Philadelphia. Several mining experts were on the ground and claim that the source of this metal is a vein, it being at first expected that perhaps it was only a pocket. The metal does not have the amount of sulphur and iron which is usual with ore of similar assay, if it were not gold.

Two Men Drowned.

Eagle River, May 2.—Frederick Nelson, Oliver Bearreault and Webster Beauchamp left Eagle Harbor in a sail boat for their home at Copper Harper on Wednesday night. Nelson reached there in an exhausted condition on Thursday night and reported that the boat with his two companions was lost in the storm. Beauchamp leaves a widow and family.

Will Accommodate Wheelmen.

Grand Rapids, May 1. — The Fountain street Baptist church realizes that the bicycle has come to stay. A neat brick shed is being built adjacent to the church for the accommodation of wheels and a watchman will be employed to guard them from being stolen or damaged during church hours.

Died of His Injuries.

Menominee, April 28. — Peter Stovek died of injuries received by colliding with a trolley car while driving home from market.

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MATTER OF FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

It Is No Nearer a Settlement Now Than It Was Last Week—Vote on the Robinson Bill a Surprise—Senate to Act on One of the Most Important of the Railway Bills This Week—New Scheme to Pay Accounts.

Lansing, Mich., May 4.—The matter of final adjournment is no nearer a settlement now than it was last week. The house finally passed a resolution calling for a cessation of business, other than the engrossing of bills, etc., on Saturday, May 29, and for final adjournment at noon on the 31st inst. The senate, however, sent this resolution to the table, some of the senators being of the opinion that it was yet too early to set a date with any degree of accuracy or definiteness, while others do not believe that there will be time between the 29th and 31st for the engrossing clerks to dispose of the great number of bills that are always passed during the last hours of the session. It is probable that the two houses will get together on this question during the present week.

The vote last Thursday on the Robinson bill reducing the passenger rate on upper peninsula railroads from 4 to 3 cents per mile, was somewhat of a surprise to both the friends and opponents of the measure, neither believing that it would receive the number of votes that were recorded in its favor. It received 14 votes, while 15 were cast against it and three senators were not present when the roll was called. An attempt to bury the bill beyond resurrection by moving to table a motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill failed to pass, was not carried, and another attempt will be made to pass the bill.

Speculation Indulged In.

Much speculation is now being indulged in as to whether this vote is an index of the probable action of the senate on other railroad and corporation bills now pending. If it is, this class of bills will come much nearer passing than has been expected by any one previous to the vote on the Robinson bill. It is evident that the railroad people are much more nervous just at present than at any time since the session commenced.

This week the senate will take action on one of the most important of the pending railroad bills. This is the Merriam bill providing for an increase of 1 per cent in the specific tax paid by railroad companies, which has been made the special order for tomorrow. There has been a feeling for some time that this bill might pass, thereby increasing the revenue of the state from this source by some $200,000 annually. The passage of this bill might have the effect of defeating other so-called anti-railroad bills, the argument being that this would be all the increased burden that should be heaped upon the companies at this time. Taking this view of the matter it would not be surprising if the companies turned in and advocated the passage of the Merriam bill in the hope of ending the matter there.

Two anti-express bills have been reported out favorably by the house committee on private corporations, but have not yet been acted upon by the house. One of these prohibits companies from making any extra charge for delivering packages anywhere within the limits of a city or village; and the other prohibits charging a greater rate for carrying packages which have to go over two lines than is charged for carrying a like package the same distance over a single line.

The farmers of the house scored a point the other day when the Graham game bill was under consideration. They succeeded in having it amended so as to prohibit the hunting of quail with dogs. It was conceded that the tendency of this provision would be to decrease the number of hunters and thus reduce the amount of trespassing on farm lands which has been the trial of the farmers for years.

New Scheme to Pay Accounts.

A new scheme for paying accounts contracted by state institutions has been advanced by State Treasurer Steel. It cropped out in the report of the committee on the Soldiers' home a few days ago, and may be made to apply to all other state institutions. Under the system which has been in vogue for years the resident of each board of control of a state institution has been the treasurer of the board. These treasurers draw from the state treasury such sums as they see fit, place the money in a local bank and check against it as the occasion requires. It is now proposed to do away with this plan so far as the Soldiers' home is concerned at least, the report referred to recommending that hereafter the board of control audit the accounts as usual, but, after they are audited, send them to the auditor general for payment by the state treasurer on the former's warrant. This plan will keep the money in the state treasury or its designated depositories, assuring to the state much more interest than is now received on daily balances, nothing being realized on the large sums of money which are lying around in banks selected by the treasurers of the several boards. It is not improbable that the change will be made to apply to all state institutions.

Case of a Monroe Man.

Much interest centers in the forthcoming decision of the supreme court in the case of a Monroe man who was convicted of a violation of the pure food law. His defense was, and the fact was conceded by the prosecution, that he supposed that the goods were pure when he purchased them and that he sold them in good faith. The trial judge was not disposed to find him guilty under these circumstances, but did so under protest in order that a case might be got before the supreme court. If the court holds that guilty knowledge is a necessary element of guilt under this law, even the friends of the law admit that it cannot be enforced as every person accused of violating it would plead good faith and there would be no way of proving to the contrary.

It is generally conceded that Governor Pingree disposed of the Professor Bemis bugaboo, which has been bothering a number of good people sorely for a number of months, most happily when he appointed ex-Mayor Joseph L. Cox, of Battle Creek, commissioner of labor, to succeed Professor Bemis. Mr. Cox is one of the most popular men in the state, a fact that was fully demonstrated when the senate confirmed the nomination by a unanimous vote the moment it was received, while all other nominations were sent to a committee.

Bill to Curtail State Reports.

Two years ago Representative Perry of Manistee, was a member of the Linderman committee which framed a bill designed to materially curtail the number and variety of state reports and documents issued. The committee put a great amount of work into the investigation which preceded the preparation of the bill, but it sought to accomplish too much and the measure was killed. This year Mr. Perry is at the head of a similar committee which has prepared a bill on this subject. The bill he has drawn is in the main meritorious, but he has embodied in it one provision which should be eliminated. This seeks to limit the number of pages which certain reports shall contain. For instance, it is provided that the report of the state board of health shall not exceed 300 pages. In the very nature of things this committee can have no adequate idea of what subjects should be treated of in a report of this kind or of how extensively they should be handled. The reports of the Michigan state board of health on the causation of sickness and other subjects are authority throughout the world, and will be just as valuable fifty years hence as they are now. The subject which the board proposes to treat in its next report relates to consumption and its causation and treatment.

Statistics Gathered for Years.

Statistics and other material for this report have been gathered for a long series of years in order that the deductions and results announced may be accurate and of value in the treatment of this disease, which causes far more deaths in Michigan annually than any other. If the Perry bill passes all this work will be rendered absolutely valueless and the board will be compelled to put out a report which will be worse than useless and a disgrace to the state. The folly of a committee of laymen saying what and how much or how little persons engaged to make special investigation shall publish in their reports is apparent. Not being informed on the subject it is impossible for them to intelligently deal with this branch of the subject, so whatever they might provide would be clearly arbitrary.

Another noticeable provision of the bill is one requiring that the proceedings of the numerous farmers' institutes held throughout the state shall be printed in sufficient quantities so that each member of each local institute shall have a copy. This would require the printing of a great many thousand copies, and while it would be clearly class legislation, farmers alone profiting by it, there can be no question as to its value. The inconsistency of the committee, however, is shown by its refusal to provide for the publication of but 2,000 copies of the proceedings of state sanitary conventions, which have to do with the lives and health of the people, and are of vital concern to all the people of the state.

If it is desired to do the greatest good to the greatest number of citizens of Michigan this bill will be radically amended before it becomes a law.

State Appropriation Bills.

It is doubtful if the senate committee on appropriations and finance will hear any objections to its announcement that it will be able to so scale the appropriation bills as to reduce the state tax levy for the years 1897 and 1898 at least $500,000 from that of the two years last past. The levy for the past two years was $5,082,458.14, and the committee proposes to keep that for the ensuing biennial period down to $4,500,000, and there is a chance of its going slightly below that figure. All appropriation bills have been carefully scrutinized and every dollar that could possibly be pruned from them was eliminated. Every institution has or will come in for a pruning at the hands of this committee, but those which will be cut the most are the upper peninsula hospital at Newberry, the Home for the Feeble Minded at Lapeer, and the state fish commission. The two institutions named are asking for very large appropriations for new buildings, and these will be badly slashed. The fish commission is asking for a much larger sum than in former years, but the members can congratulate themselves if they get as much as two years ago, to say nothing of any advance.

The passage finally of the resolution appropriating $7,500 for a Michigan exhibit at the Tennessee centennial exposition was a great surprise. The house has several times voted adversely on the measure, and even on the morning of its passage had refused, by a decisive vote, to take it from the table. The commissioners appointed by Governor Rich can be depended upon to get the best possible results for the state, but there are many who doubt the expediency of making such an exhibit.

Determined Warfare.

It has developed within the past few days that a determined warfare is to be made on express and telephone companies. One bill pending in the senate provides for the increase of the specific tax paid by express companies to 2 per cent. of the gross business in the state, and another increases it to 4 per cent. There is little doubt that the present revenue of the state from this source will be greatly increased. Senator Warner recently introduced a resolution instructing the attorney general to proceed against express companies to collect taxes, which it is claimed they have been avoiding for some years. This claim grows out of the fact that the companies have been paying on the gross collections within Michigan, instead of on their gross business in the state, all interstate business being excluded. The present rate is 1 per cent., and the amount paid has been about $3,000 per year. According to Senator Warner's resolution the revenue from this source should have been between $15,000 and $20,000, and it is this difference that he wants the attorney general to proceed to collect. His resolution went to a committee which is looking into the matter.

Representatives Molster and Elkhoff, the labor leaders in the house, will make another attempt to enact an anti-contracts convict labor law. They have revamped the bill defeated a few weeks ago, by striking out the provision that convicts shall be loaned to counties in blocks of twenty and employed with ball and chain at road-making. The new bill provides that all articles used in state institutions shall be made by convicts by hand, nothing more than hand or foot machinery to be used.

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known, for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

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Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vistage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

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Miss Elizabeth Ball writes, after being a great sufferer for a number of years with neuralgia in the head and stomach: I am cured. I feel as though I have got into a new world. I cannot praise the doctor enough for his skill in my case.

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RESOLUTIONS

Passed by the Duluth Bar Association on the Death of George L. Kelley.

The ranks of the Duluth Bar have again been broken. This time by the death of our younger brother, George. We should be able to express the hope that there will be a closer union of those who remain. Our profession is not one which is naturally calculated to encourage the highest fraternal feeling. Our daily work is most likely to be antagonistic to some one. A case presumes a contest. Success of one means the defeat of another, and in many cases the demolition of his work.

This is not so in any other peaceful occubation. And if we are not actually engaged in legal conflict with a brother we are at least preoccupied with matters intersting only to ourselves and our clients, and have no oportunity to know the man with whom we do not come in contact. For these reasons the best side of a lawyers character is frequently not brought to the view of many of his fellow attorneys, and his worth not appreciated.

We believe this was so with Mr. Kelley. Few members of this bar knew him so well as this committee. Two years of life with him in the University of Michigan, which two of us enjoyed, and five years of intimate acquaintance at the bar of Duluth, have given us a knowledge of the man of whom we speak.

He was a self made man and had attained his position as a lawyer by a struggle which would have discouraged a weaker character. He was the son of a Michigan pioneer farmer and alternately worked to earn money and then to spend it in acquiring useful knowledge. He was a man of high aspirations; full of hope and ambition to attain an honorable place in his profession and with every prospect and promise of a happy realization thereof when his young life was suddenly snuffed out. He was upright and honest with high ideals in his personal and professional life, and we may truthfully pronounce on him an encomium, than which no higher will ever be spoken of any member of this bar. We can testify that whatever he did was worth doing and he always did his best.

Pursuant, therefore to the order of the Court, your committe have the honor to propose the following resolution

Resolved: That the bar of Duluth and of St. Louis County, deeply sorrow at the untimely death of our brother George L. Kelley who was one of the most promising of the younger members of our profession.

That we commend to all and will ourselves emulate his steadiness of purpose, integrity and nobility of character.

That we extend to his stricken parents and friends our sincere sympathy and assure them that in our memory of the departed we have only grateful recollections of a worthy life, a pleasant acquaintance and an exemplary young man.

That these resolutions be recorded in the minutes of the court and a copy be sent to his parents

Dated at Duluth, Minn, May 1st A. D. 1897.

(So Ordered.)

J. H. WHITELY,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
W. J. STEVENSON,
Committee

THE CROPS.

Condition in the State as Shown by the May Report.

Lansing, May 8.—The Michigan crop report for May gives the condition of wheat in the state at 82 per cent. The average for the state in 1896 was 92; in 1895, 80, and 90 in 1894. The condition in the southern counties, where most of the wheat is grown, is 84 per cent., or 7 per cent. lower than one year ago. Very little wheat will be plowed up in the southern and northern counties because winter-killed or otherwise destroyed. The proportion in the central counties is reported at 11 per cent. The amount of wheat reported marketed by farmers in April is 829,458 bushels, as compared with 468,634 bushels in April, 1896, and 810,226 bushels in April, 1895, and the amount in the nine months, August to April, is 8,364,329 bushels, as compared with 7,781,870 bushels in the same months last year.

The wet weather has been favorable for grass, and the area that will be plowed up because winter-killed or otherwise destroyed is estimated at only 7 per cent. of the total area in the state.

Apples promise less than two-thirds, and peaches less than one-half of an average crop.

One year ago apples promised 96 per cent. and peaches 84 per cent, of an average crop.

Accused of Fraudulent Banking.

Saginaw, May 6.—The people of this city were taken by surprise by the return of seven indictments against Clarence L. Judd by the federal grand jury at Bay City for criminal acts in connection with the failure of the defunct First national bank of East Saginaw. He is charged in general with making false returns to the comptroller of the currency and with fraudulent work. He gave bail in the sum of $3,000, and his case was set for the October term.

Begins His Work.

Washington, May 12.—Judge Day, of Ohio, has qualified and assumed his office as assistant secretary of state.

NO BIBLE READING.

Practice in Schools is Declared Illegal.

Detroit, May 9. — There will be no more "Bible readings" in the public schools of Detroit unless the supreme court shall reverse a decision made Saturday by Judge Carpenter in the Wayne county circuit court. The suit was brought by Conrad Pfeifer to compel the board of education to abandon the "readings." The "readings" were compiled in Chicago and were said to be non-sectarian in the sense that no particular form of religion is favored. Its advocates claim it is merely a text book on morality. Acting Mayor George Beck vetoed a resolution of the board to purchase 4,000 of the "readings" but the veto was not sustained and the books are now in use. Counsel for the board contended that it was the duty of every school board to teach the Christian religion. Judge Carpenter held that if that contention were sound, not only should the Bible be taught, but all other forms of religious instruction should be given in the schools. The judge quoted the sections of the state constitution that were relied on to support the board's position, and after an exhaustive analysis of them concluded that they did not bear out the counsel's contention. The judge summarized his conclusions as follows:

"Our constitutional provisions respecting religious liberty mean precisely what they declare. They forbid any legislative authority compelling a person to pay taxes for the support of a teacher of religion or diminishing or enlarging the civil rights of any person on account of his religious belief. Respondent's proposed use of "readings from the Bible" in the public schools is in direct conflict with these constitutional provisions, and the relator, whose constitutional rights are thereby violated, has a right to redress. A writ of mandamus should issue according to the prayer of the relator."

PRESIDENT FISKE RESIGNS.

Leaves Albion College After Twenty Years of Service.

Albion, May 7.—Lewis Ransom Fiske, for 20 years president of Albion college, has offered his resignation, to take effect when a suitable successor can be secured. At a meeting of the college board of trustees the resignation was accepted, with the request by the board that Dr. Fiske cooperate with them in the selection of the right man to assume the responsibility. Dr. Fiske's term of office of 20 years has been a period of marked prosperity for the college, and he has been universally loved by the students. Nothing can be said at present as to who will be his successor. President Fiske is 71 years old. He resigns because he is physically unable to continue his labors. The growth of the college under his administration has been wonderful.

RECEIVER WANTED.

National Dotaire, Fraternal Insurance Concern, in Trouble.

Grand Rapids, May 11.—Isaac Robbins and Joseph Rollinson filed a petition in the circuit court asking that a receiver be appointed for the Superior Assembly of the National Dotaire, and that President Andrew Harshaw, Manager and Trustee Alfred Terry, Secretary W. E. Beal, Treasurer F. B. Harper and Trustee Ebel L. Parker be enjoined from further disposing of the assets of the concern or interference with its concerns. The petitioners claim the concern is insolvent; that its liabilities are $90,000 and its assets less than $5,000; that $50,000 in policies have matured in the last 60 days, with no funds to meet them. A temporary injunction was granted and the appointment of a receiver taken under a consideration.

Farmers to Grow Beets.

Benton Harbor, May 10.—Considerable interest is being manifested in the beet sugar industry in this city this spring. A number of farmers will plant small patches to ascertain if the beets can be grown at a profit in this soil. They are taking advantage of the offer of Armour & Co., of Chicago, to furnish free of charge to all who apply sufficient seed for an acre of ground, and to give the use of their laboratory without expense to determine whether the beets contain a sufficient amount of sugar to make the growing of them profitable.

Malthouse in Ashes.

Detroit, May 10.—Fire destroyed the elevator and dry kiln of the H. W. Rickel & Son Malting company at the corner of Gratiot and Duquindre streets. The elevator and dry kiln contained in the neighborhood of 200,000 bushels of barley and malt. The loss is estimated at $60,000, fully covered by insurance. The company had a second plant on Hastings street, and there will be scarcely any stoppage to its business.

Bronze Statue for Marquette.

Marquette, May 9.—Through the enterprise of Peter White this city now possesses an exact copy in bronze of Trutanove's statue of Father Marquette, the original of which created a sensation when placed in statuary hall at the national capitol as the gift of Wisconsin. The bronze replica arrived here Saturday, and will be erected in one of the public parks.

Washington, D. C., May 9.—Henry A. Robinson, of Michigan, statistician of the agricultural department, has tendered his resignation to Secretary Wilson. Mr. Robinson is an ardent free silver man, and said he deemed it only right that the administration should have the office at its disposal. The office pays $3,000 a year, and is protected by the civil service law.

THE END IN SIGHT.

Terms Proposed for Mediation Accepted by Greece.

War Indemnity of $25,000,000 to Be Paid to Turkey—Greek Troops Already Leaving the Island of Crete.

Athens, May 12. — The diplomatic pour parlers, which have been proceeding all the morning, have been brought to a definite conclusion. Greece has formally adhered to the preliminaries of peace as agreed upon between the powers and the heads of the different legations have received positive assurances investing them with authority to treat with Turkey. The negotiations at Athens are regarded as concluded.

The Note of the Powers.

The following is the text of the note of the powers:

"The representatives of France, Italy, Great Britain, Germany and Austria, charge M. Onou, the representative of Russia, and the dean of the diplomatic corps, to declare in the name of their respective governments that the powers are ready to offer mediation with the view to obtain an armistice and smooth the difficulties actually existing between Greece and Turkey on condition that the Hellenic government declares that it will proceed to recall its troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and to accept unreservedly the counsels which the powers may give in the interest of peace."

Active measures, it is further stated, were taken at Constantinople Tuesday to stop further advance of the Turkish troops under the command of Edhem Pasha.

Greece Readily Consents.

The reply of the Greek government was as follows:

"The royal government in taking the note and declaration of the Russian representative, acting in the name of the ministers of the powers, declares that it will proceed to recall the royal troops from Crete, adheres formally to autonomy for Crete, and confides the interests of Greece to the hands of the powers."

Ask for an Armistice.

As soon as the reply of Greece to the note of the powers was handed to the representatives of the powers the latter telegraphed the Greek decision to the representatives of the powers at Constantinople with the request that they obtain an armistice with the view of arranging for permanent peace.

There is a sense of relief in Athens at the prospect of an immediate end to the calamitous war. There is no excitement, and no popular demonstration is anticipated. The government has notified the Greek army of the mediation of the powers.

Will Pay War Indemnity.

Constantinople, May 12. — The expenses of the war with Greece are estimated at 5,000,000 pounds ($25,000,000), which Greece will pay as an indemnity, in annual installments, guaranteed by the Thessalian revenues.

Greeks Leaving Crete.

Canea, May 12.—The Greek troops are already leaving Crete on board three Greek steamers.

The Greek commissariat has collapsed. The only rations now received by the soldiers are bread and cheese. Not even coffee is procurable.

Rumors of Turkish Atrocities.

Athens, May 12.—M. Ralli, the premier, has dispatches and reports from Col. Manos and various civil authorities in Epirus stating that 14 villages between Toulour and Kastrosykia have been burned by the Turks, after all the women and children had been massacred, except a few who hid in the fastnesses of Mount Zalongos, famous during the war of independence, and a few more who concealed themselves in the marshes along the shore and managed finally to get aboard the Greek ships, half dead with hunger and fear. Not a stone of the village of Kamarina is left standing. The men fought like lions in defense of the women, who sought refuge in the woods and caves of Mount Zalongos, and when chased by the Turks jumped from precipices to avoid capture and dishonor.

Thousands Are Homeless.

London, May 12.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Lamia, dated Sunday, says that 80,000 Thessalians are herded there and in the neighboring villages after the successive flights from Tyrnavos, Larissa, Pharsalos and Domokos. The most pitiful scenes are witnessed on every hand. Thousands of women and children are lying exposed to the continuous heavy rains. Most of their carts and horses have been requisitioned by the military. Fires are of nightly occurrence and villages are burned wherever the Turks are to be seen. The Greek authorities have endeavored to supply bread to thousands of the homeless, but their efforts are almost unavailing.

Overcome by Gas.

Redfield, S. D., May 11. Frank Barz, his two sons and his mother, Chris Barz, prosperous German farmers here, were asphyxiated in a well on their farm near Grobe, this county, Monday morning. Each was overcome by gas as they descended into the well to rescue the others.

Disaster in a Mine.

London, May 11.—A terrible explosion has taken place on the Isle of Man in the Snaefell lead mine. A large number of miners were entombed and it now seems certain that at least 17 have been killed.

Shot by Her Lover.

Leadville, Col., May 8. — Miss Belle Walker was shot and instantly killed by her lover, George Ratliffe, after a quarrel. The assassin then took his own life.

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Wm. Holmes, of Manchester, was in town Friday.

L. M. Baldwin, of Iron Creek, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Mills has been quite ill for the past ten days.

Miss Minnie McAdam spent Saturday with Clinton friends.

Miss Sara L. Huntington was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Fred Tag Jr., was home from Adrian from Friday until Monday.

Steve Huntington went to Chicago Tuesday, to spend a few days.

Mrs. E. M. Cooley and children spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Jas. M. Blanchard, of Adrian, visited his son and family over Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Brewster has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Milton Lutz is visiting her parents at Leoni, Jackson county.

Mrs. Geo. H. Semark visited her parents at Norvell the first of the week.

Miss Mae Fletcher, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Miss Florence House over Sunday.

Misses Alice Halladay and Florence House spent Friday with friends at Ridgeway.

Miss Florence Shugar, of Onsted, has been visiting Miss Ollie Mills for the past few days.

Mrs. A. F. Freeman and Mrs. E. M. Conklin drove down from Manchester Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shaw, of Saline, were guests of her brother, E. A. Martin and family, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Shurtz, of Toledo, were guests of James Kebde and family the first part of the week.

W. D. St. John, of Chicago, came the last of the week and will remain while his father is away on his eastern trip.

Mrs. L. W. Kimball went to Ann Arbor Monday for a few days' visit with friends and to attend the May Festival.

D. St. John and wife are contemplating a trip through the New England states for a visit with old friends. They expect to start next week.

Mrs. Jennie Brown went to Jackson Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives. She will also visit her mother at Leslie before her return.

Our staunch friend, Patrick Murphy, is struggling with an attack of rheumatism. As thus far he has overcome all physical foes, his friends trust he will be able to conquer this.

Miss Kate McDermott, who has been in Illinois for many months, surprised her mother and other friends by dropping in among them one morning the last of the week. She will remain for some time before returning west.

F. D. Lancaster is now executing a long planned addition to his house which when completed will add greatly to the external appearance as well as to the internal convenience whereby the dining room and one upper chamber will be enlarged. He builds to the north and in both lower and upper rooms large plate windows will be placed. Frank never does things by halves.

A late issue of the Western Trade Journal contains the following relating to the business of a former Clinton boy that will give pleasure to his home friends that by natural aptitude and perseverance he has in the face of strong competition and single handed established a business worthy of such commendation:

"A correspondent of The Western Trade Journal asks us to give him the name and the address of some manufacturer making the best and most modern rubber stamp goods. As it has always been the policy of this paper to give attention to inquiries of its readers, and to answer through the columns of the paper what the result of our investigation may be in the line indicated, we devoted some time to an investigation of the various establishments in this city making a specialty of rubber stamp goods, and are now prepared to answer our correspondent and to make a recommendation. There is no house which is better able to supply the wants of the public in this respect than that of E. T. VanDeMark, located at No. 157 LaSalle street, Chicago. It would be almost absurd to say anything in eulogy of this establishment in Chicago, for it is as well known as the goods it specializes. It is known, too, as a house which has always kept abreast of the times, and on no occasion has it failed to come forward when it was expected to with rubber stamp goods that were up-to-date, and that met every requirement of modern conditions."

At a meeting of the Cemetery Association Tuesday night the following officers were elected:

President—Geo. Runyan.
Sec. and Treas.—A. B. VanDeMark.
Sexton—F. D. Lancaster.

A resolution was passed prohibiting bicyclists riding in the cemetery.

Miss Mary Murphy, who was for five weeks caring for her mother who was seriously ill at her home in Kalamazoo, returned last Thursday, bringing her mother with her. Mrs. M., who is convalescing slowly, will remain until she recovers her usual health and strength.

The University Extension Circle held the last meeting of the season Monday evening. The program consisted chiefly of music and general discussions on the different nations studied. The Circle will convene again the first Monday in October, with J. B. Wells as leader.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Farmers are planting corn this week.

Rodman Taylor took his wool to Adrian Monday.

Mrs. S. N. Munger, was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Hollis Taylor went to Jackson Sunday on his wheel, returning Monday.

Messrs. Kimball and Toby, of Adrian, were in the vicinity Saturday, buying wool.

Mabel Redick, of Clinton, was the guest of Sadie Taylor Saturday and Sunday.

MACON.

Sumner Cotton was home from Saline Sunday.

Miss Maud Howell returned from Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Maurice Howell of Cone, called on Macon friends the first of the week.

Geo. Frost and Mart Sickly have had lightning rods put on their houses.

Rev. Deyo of Britton, will make the Decoration day address at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richart, visited Ann Arbor relatives Sunday and Monday.

Miss Nellie Gooding, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday with Macon friends.

S. L. Travis and family entertained friends from Petersburg and Ridgeway last week Friday.

Mrs Cummings of Tecumseh, vis ted her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Sherman, the fore part of the week.

As next Sunday will be anniversary Sunday, the Epworth League are preparing exercises for the evening.

The Aid Society of the Reformed church, was held at the home of Mrs. Tom Boyce this week Wednesday.

William Chambers is moving back into Mrs. Clara Pennington's house. Cary Clymer will move into the Harmon house.

Miss Eliza Hendershot's house is going through a series of repairs, preparatory to being occupied by Prof. George Rendel.

John Jackson and wife, Milon Sage, and Jerry Burleson attended the funeral of Jehiel Davidson in Tecumseh, Monday p. m.

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Toledo Painters' and Decorators' union has trebled its membership within a year.

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The Journeymen Bakers' International union will hold its annual convention at Cleveland, O., in May.

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A law protecting union labels has been adopted by the legislature of Tennessee.

Some people are so polite that they are dishonest.

OUTSIDE AND INSIDE WEATHER.

In the morning, when our eyes pop open early, very early,
And we creep and peep to watch the sun arise;
If he's hiding, and a cloudy sky a-glowering, grim and surly,
Has no streaming golden beaming for our eyes—
Why, then, lightly as a feather,
Must our spirits dance together,
And our faces must be sunny all day long;
For as fresh as highland heather
We can make the inside weather
When the outside seems to be so very wrong.

But if with the outdoor sunshine all the happy birds are singing,
And the trees are budding in the glad, warm light;
And the arbutus is peeping from its brown leaves' tender keeping,
And the face of day is fresh and sweet and bright—
Why, then, why not all together
Make our faces match the weather?
Fresh and sweet and bright and sunny all day long!
For as fragrant as the heather
Is the charming outside weather,
And the inside cannot be so very wrong.
—Jessie Macmillan Anderson, in St. Nicholas.

NERVE THAT HELD FAST.

Two Specimens in an Old Poker Player's Experience.

A Kentucky Colonel's Lucky Wagers of $5,000 on a Pair of Sixes—Four Jacks Against Four Kings in a Burning Building.

"There were some pretty stiff poker players around Trenton in the early days," said an old settler the other day in a discussion of the merits and demerits of the great American game. "A fellow could get about any kind of game that he wanted in those days, from a dollar limit up to the extent of his pile, and he didn't have to look very long for it.

"One of the nervy est players that ever put his legs under a poker table was Watt Williams, of Cape May county. Watt was interested in the oyster business and always carried a roll of bills in his inside pocket as big as your arm, and he didn't keep it idle, either. He would make it fly when he got started, and for that reason fellows who didn't have much money to travel on hung pretty close to Watt whenever he showed up in Trenton, which was as regular as the legislature sat.

"He would come up the second week of the session and never leave till the legislators went home. It was his annual picnic, and he enjoyed it from start to finish. As I was saying, Watt was a poker player, and when he got into a game he had it understood before the cards were dealt that there was to be no limit to stand in the way of a man's winning something worth talking about when he had the cards to do it with.

"When a fellow struck town that wanted to get into a good, stiff game, he began to inquire for Watt, and he was pretty easily located as a general thing. I remember that Watt once ran up against a man who had just as much nerve as he had. That man was Thompson, Col. Thompson. He hailed from Kentucky, seemed to have all the money that he wanted and was a pretty good fellow. He was here when the legislature sat, and had made a good many friends among the Trenton fellows who found out his mettle at the card table, and concluded to introduce him to Watt Williams just as soon as Watt showed up.

"The second week Watt came up, and in less than five hours he had met Col. Thompson. The two men didn't get together over the cards for a week. One night they came together in a North Warren street restaurant and, while eating, got to discussing cards and one thing and another. After awhile somebody suggested that the party go to a hotel and have a hand at poker. It was agreed, and in a short time there was a game going at full blast and Watt Williams and Col. Thompson were in it up to their eyes. Thompson was having a big run of luck. He was tapping everybody's pile right along, and Watt showed that he wasn't enjoying the way the cards were running worth a cent. After awhile everybody dropped out of a certain hand except Watt and the colonel. Watt drew two cards and the colonel took three.

"'I reckon,' said the colonel, after looking his cards over, 'that I can risk $500 on that hand,' and he shoved the chips into the center of the table.

"'I'll raise that $500,' says Watt, as he dropped chips and money worth $1,000 on the pile in the center of the table.

"'I'm in now and I reckon I'll have to stay,' said the colonel. 'I'll see your $500 and raise it $1,000.' He counted out $1,500 and tossed the bills on the pile before him.

"The men who were looking over the players' shoulders began to get interested, but they were mighty careful to make no break that would give the hands of the players away. But the raise of $1,000 didn't feaze Watt. He laid his cards down on the table and reached into his pocket for his roll. He counted the bills over and says:

"'I've got just $1,800 here. I'll play it.'

"He threw the bills down, and Thompson twisted his mustache, looked from his cards to the pile of money and then at Watt, who sat tilted back in his chair, with his thumbs in the armholes of his vest and his eyes fixed on the ceiling.

"'It'll cost me $2,800 to play, won't it?' says Thompson.

"'That'll call me,' replied Watt.

"'Will you take a check for that amount?' asked the colonel, eying Watt as a cat watches a mouse.

"'I'd rather not,' says Watt, leaning on the table with a peculiar look on his face. 'I don't want you to think, colonel, that I have any doubt about your check being good, but I've always made it a rule never to take checks when playing poker. I'd rather have the cash.'

"'I guess I've got it,' says Thompson, pulling a roll of bills out of his pocket. 'I'll call you.'

"He laid $2,800 on the table. Watt spread his cards out and he had a pair of fours. 'I've only got sixes,' says the colonel, throwing down his cards, 'but they're as good as gold. I wouldn't ha' called you, Williams, if you hadn't refused to take a check. You knew that my check was as good as cash, and I concluded you were bluffing, and wanted to force me out of the game in that way. I made up my mind I wouldn't be forced that way.'

"That pot cleared the colonel about $5,000, and if you ever saw champagne run in streams in your life you can imagine how things looked in that room an hour after the colonel laid down his pair of sixes.

"That was one kind of nerve," said the old settler, biting off the end of a fresh cigar, "but it wasn't the kind that I saw shown once away back in the winter of 1855. In those days there was a fellow who lived down in Atlantic county, John Staples. He was all the time trying to get into a poker game, and he never had much trouble finding somebody to accommodate him, because he always played in hard luck and, as the boys said, 'gave up his money easy.' He was a careful player and never insisted on playing big stakes, but somehow he couldn't get hold of the money. If he had a full hand some other person would hold four of a kind, and if he held four of a kind, some other fellow would hold four higher. And so it went, Staples always getting the worst of it.

"One night after the legislature had adjourned Staples ran across Jake Hibbs, who was about as unlucky about cards as himself. Hibbs told Staples that he had been in a game the night before and dropped about $500, which he would like to get back if he could. Staples felt inclined to play, and together they began to hunt for others. They struck a couple of fellows and went to a room over a cafe on Front street. There's a brick building there now, but then there were only frame buildings. It was a terribly cold night, and everybody snuggled up to a hot stove wherever he could get one. It got noised around about midnight that there was a pretty good game going on over the Front street cafe, and I went down there to look on awhile before going to bed. As usual, Staples was losing. Hibbs was doing better, but the money was gradually drifting over to the other two players, who had already scooped in a hundred or more each.

"I remember it was along about half-past two in the morning. The room was crowded, and everybody hated to think about going to his hotel, it was so cold. Hot applejack was the order of the hour, and everybody was filled up to the top notch. Suddenly a jack pot blossomed out on the table, and the cards were thrown around three or four times before anybody caught openers. Then Staples opened the pot for $50. Nobody came in excepting Hibbs.

"'I'm going to stay with you, old boy,' he said, and throwing down his hand, called for five cards.

"'Give me three,' said Staples, who looked at his hand and shoved up $100.

"'That don't scare me,' said Hibbs, 'I'll see that hundred and bet you another.'

"Staples fingered his cards for a minute or two, as if studying them to find out whether they would win or not. Then he said he guessed he'd better not lay them down, and raised Hibbs $200. Hibbs was in the act of pulling a roll of bills out of his pocket, when somebody in the street yelled fire. The next minute a fellow came running up the stairs and said that the back of the building we were in was burning. There was a general rush for the stairs, and by the time we had got out in the street the blaze was under full headway. Trenton didn't have the fire department in those days she's got now, and before the firemen got there we knew that the building was a goner. The bucket brigade got to work and the chemical engine did all it could, but the fire couldn't be stopped.

"The whole building seemed to be afire, when somebody hollered out that Staples and Hibbs were inside. There was great excitement then, and everybody began to look around for a ladder. Smoke was beginning to come out of the windows of the room over the cafe pretty lively when Staples and Hibbs stuck their heads out and yelled for a ladder. A ladder was put up to the window and the two men came down. They were all right, barring a little smoke in the lungs and eyes.

"Well, we had all gone to warm quarters at the hotel, Staples said:

"'That fire was the luckiest thing that has happened to me in a long time, because it has broken up the game. I'd been betting Hibbs now, if it hadn't been for the fire. You know we were up against a jack pot that I had opened on a pair of jacks, and I drew two more. Hibbs made a five-card draw, and I naturally thought that he was my meat, and I was tickled about to death when I found him willing to bet all kinds of money. We kept it going till the room got so full of smoke that we could hardly see the cards, when Hibbs called me as he said, to wind up the game. Think of that, being called with four jacks; why, I'd 'r played all night back of that hand, but I had to lay them down, and Hibbs laid down four kings and took the money. That fire saved me money, because I never would have stopped betting the jacks. But what's the use of going up against a man that can draw four kings in a five-card draw, anyhow?"—N. Y. Sun.

Not News.

"We heard some of the strangest, most outlandish things last night," began the woman who gossips.

"Yes," replied the woman who doesn't, "so a friend attending your musicale was telling me."—Detroit Free Press.

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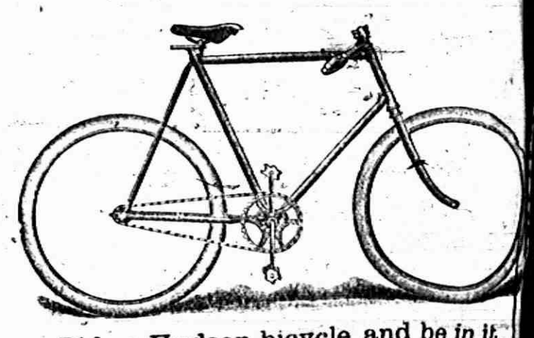

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Wood made a flying trip to Monday. He took the flyer.

Hause and wife of Clinton, were on Britton friends Sunday.

L. E. Hause returned from a with children at Clinton Friday.

ard R. Hause and wife, wheeled rom Clinton on their tandem Sat-

Lulu Weeks, of Macon, visited n friends from Wednesday until y.

Ed Gripton about his late trip. s many amusing experiences to

Jennie Allen, of Ridgeway, visit- brother Will and family last

e is great rejoicing in Wesley 's household over a 9 lb. boy born morning.

contemplate taking in the ex- to Toledo Sunday, it being the the season.

wish to see what a transform- aint will produce, just notice sterhouts house.

e Cheever has got the craze, l build a new barn. Art Lee the contract for building it.

Kishpaugh came down from riday, and with his son Bert, turday with Dundee friends.

DuBois has his addition to early completed. It will not to its looks but convenience.

mber of our wheelmen were away from home by the rain and were unable to return that

Wiggins and assistants broke so to speak for Edmund Smith's his farm one half mile south

xterior of Hotel Exelby is be- tly improved by a fresh coat of John Exelby is the artist that the brush.

Brown has been making some rked changes in the interior of idence. In fact it does not look same house.

W. J. Helm has been enjoying pany of her sisters, Bertha and and brother, Ira Lamkin, of n, this week.

Dero has made some very essen- provements, in connection with enage of the Christian Church are still needed.

number from here, attended ral of Jehiel Davidson at Te- Monday, Norman Ackley and Hause, acting as bearers.

band boys will give the first concert of the season in front lby Hall Saturday evening, g the weather is favorable.

nce Hause and Ralph Kish- attended the May party at Clin- day night. They report a de- time and large attendance.

Nivison will be leader of the E. service at the Reformed Sunday evening at 7:00 The topic is, "Something ing for."

Beever has had so many runa- ely, that he is really lonesome passes without one. So far he unately escaped injury or much to vehicles.

adies are making preparations rating the anniversary of Ivy ve L. O. T. M. which occurs er next. Further particulars, iven in next issue.

e quantity of hay is being ship- this point daily. Where it all om is a mystery to many, for has been going on since hay- year. The supply seems table.

eters, who two years ago was on at AnnArbor for a diseased ast Saturday again operated Hal Wyman before the class and a large quantity of dis- e removed. At last reports, ing nicely.

t we have the town incorpor- uly officered, it is hoped that tion of the walks about town ct the notice and engage the ention of the city fathers. them are in horrible condition nace to the safety of pedes-

sized audience was ered in the con Reformed ch on Mon- ng and listened ith evident o the Rev. Nic on's lecture s Wife." Ferwerda's e also highly aised. Miss assisted in the horus of the

Reformed Church on Sunday, will deliver sermons, morn- evening. Mr. Ferwerda will he morning service. There be afternoon and evening the DeSpelder Church, and he meetings will be continu- the week.

aybee, our genial druggist, is ar in his visits to the county spends nearly every Sunday e excuse given for the trip as to see how the grade for Northern was progressing. ung man begins explaining its a certain locality matters ng quite serious. We speak vation only.

Hoagland, Samuel Kniffen, shott and O. B. Lenardson nroe one day the last of the usiness of great political They had George Smith's canopy topped surrey, and eir des ination all right. rred there to increase their is not clearly known, but jag was too much for the it coll lapsed as they were nd was taken to the dry airs.

Rev. C. I. Deyo will speak on the following topics at the Christian Church next Sunday: Morning, "The law of the vine and its branches;" evening, "Making and cultivating the garden."

RIDGEWAY.

Toledo Burch plows and extras at Ed. Smith's.

Wm. F. Pocklington is very sick at this writing.

Ace Smith is attending circuit court as juror this week.

A. R. Arner and wife arrived Monday for an indefinite stay.

Buy screen doors and wire cloth at Ed. Smith's.

Mrs. M. D. Britton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Smith.

Guy Pocklington attended the show at Holloway Saturday evening.

R. S. Houseman made a trip to Saline Monday in the interest of the Page Fence company.

The friends of Jehiel Davidson were grieved to learn of his sudden death which occurred Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. L. Lowe and Mrs. C. C. Smith attended the district W. C. T. U. convention at Petersburg Wednesday

Go to Ed. Smith's for wheelbarrows and all kinds of garden tools.

A number from here attended the Gifford—Read damage suit at Adrian Monday and Tuesday as witnesses.

E. W. and Mrs. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, called on friends here Sunday. They attended the funeral of Jehiel Davidson Monday.

All kinds of garden and flower seeds at Ed. Smith's.

Beevers & Cox unloaded a new compound 16-horse power Huber engine, also a Huber separator from the cars Tuesday.

W. L. Jones, wife and daughter attended the wedding of their cousin, Miss Jennie Reynolds, to Fred Wright, at the home of the bride's parents, near Dundee, Thursday afternoon of last week.

If you want a high grade lawn mower at a moderate price go to Ed. Smith's.

I. T. Bush, who has been spending several weeks at Central City, Colorado, arrived here Sunday evening and left for his home at Brooklyn, N. Y., Thursday, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Bernice, and Mrs. Bush's mother, Mrs. Barlow.

CONE.

Miss Veda Cone is recovering slowly from her recent illness.

Mrs. Belle Kellogg, of Ashley, visited friends here last week.

Quite a number of children in this vicinity have the whooping cough.

J. P. Richardson, of Milan, was the guest of Jacob Curry and family last week.

Dick Johnson, of Milan, did the mason work on Dr. Howell's office last week.

Mrs. Jane Auten and Mrs. Libbie Ray visited the former's sister at Dundee Monday.

Mrs. Lizzie Olds, who has been very sick for the past week, is some better at this writing.

Miss Jessie Auten and Mrs. Diana Calkins visited the former's sister at Toledo last week.

Martin Dennison came home last Thursday from Detroit, where he has been in the hospital for the past ten weeks.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Lorain Vandeventer on Wednesday May 19th. All are cordially invited.

"I have used Burdock Blood Bitters in my family for two years. It is the best medicine I ever used. It cured me of erysipelas in very short time; also cured my son of scrofula after the doctors had failed." Louie S. Woodward, Laurel Hill, Fayette county, Pa.

Work will begin soon on the new $20,000 high school at Kalamazoo, to replace the one recently burned.

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The little pamphlets which the Shakers have sent druggists for free distribution, contains much interesting information on the subject of dyspepsia.

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Lightning Hot Drops is one of the finest family medicines on the market. It is about as near perfection as a general pain destroyer as science has yet gotten. For stomach and bowel irregularities we find it acts just as advertised. It is also pleasant to take.—H. A. Drayer, Springfield, O. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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A new "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is the startling bill at a theater in New York city. James W. Harkins, Jr., and Edwin Barbour are responsible for it.

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In the house of commons the miners' eight-hour bill introduced by William Allen was rejected by a vote of 227 to 186.

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Judge J. E. Thompson, of Danville, Ills., is said to be slated for appointment as assistant attorney general of the United States.

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The Chicago city council has passed an ordinance closing the city hall offices Saturday afternoons from now until Oct. 2.

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LITERARY NOTES.

The May number of Harper's Magazine will consist of a variety of interesting contributions. Geo. W. Smalley, who for so many years acted as London correspondent for the New York Tribune, and has an intimate acquaintance with English society, will contribute a paper on "English Country-House Life." Dr. Henry Smith Williams will discuss the "Geological Progress of the Century;" and in "The Hundred Years' Campaign" Professor Francis N. Thorpe will present a study of American political history. The new instalment of "The Martian," by George du Maurier, will be accompanied by characteristic illustrations by the author.

Demorest's Magazine for May contains nearly 200 graphic illustrations, and there is not a dull page in it. "McKinley's Administration Told by the Cameras," is alone well worth the price of the Magazine, the photographs vividly depicting the whole pageant, and needing no verbal description.

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The complete novel in the May number of Lippincott's, is "Jason Hildreth's Identity." It is a story of unusual originality and power, turning on an incident which has had precidents in real life, the loss of memory and personal identity; but the plot is so deeply and skillfully laid that the last pages will come as a surprise to almost every reader.

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"Table Talk" for May sustains it reputation of being the "Ideal Housekeeping Magazine" Among the many articles that will delight the housewife is the second of a series of articles, the "Garnishing" of dishes, with several illustrations, showing how attractive they may be made. These articles alone, as well as others not mentioned, make this issue worth securing. Price 10 cents. Free copies, however, of numbers will be sent to any of our readers by sending their name and address to Table Talk Publishing Co. Philadelphia.

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The only flying-machine that has ever actually flown—that is maintained and moved itself in the air by energy generated in its own mechanism—is one lately constructed, after years of laborious and disappointing experiment, by Prof. S. P. Langley, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution. The first full and the only authorative account of this epoch-making invention will appear in McClures Magazine for June, in a paper written by Prof. Langley himself, and illustrated with diagrams and pictures made under his direction. This is probably the most important magazine paper ever published in this country.

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A very interesting paper on ex-Queen Liliuokalani, of Hawaii, has been written by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, and will be published in Harpers Bazar of May 15, together with striking portraits of the Queen, and of her beautiful niece, Princess Kaiulani. Other entertaining features will be a familiar talk on "Picturesque Dress for Elderly Ladies," by Ella Rodman Church; "Our London Letter," in which is described a brilliant reception given by the Japanese Minister and his wife on the Japanese man-of-war Fuji, at Tribury Docks; and a peculiarly interesting instalment of club gossip and news in the already very popular department of Club Women and Club Work.

Albion College Professor Resigns.

Albion, May 9.—Another member of the Albion college faculty has resigned. Prof. Samuel D. Barr, of the department of mathematics, sent his resignation to the board of trustees. Prof. Barr has been here 14 years. He, as well as Prof. Fiske, resigned on account of advanced age.

Michigan Offices Filled.

Washington, May 11.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate: George A. Farr, collector of customs, district of Michigan; James A. Coye, to be surveyor of customs for the port of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Electric Road for Holland.

Holland, May 6.—The common council of this city granted a 30-year franchise to Charles M. Humphrey for a city electric railway to be finished during this year. It will be extended to Saugatuck and Douglas.

Safe Blowers Secure $2,000.

Decatur, May 12.—Burglars, supposed to be from Chicago, blew open the safe of Edward Cleveland at Addison Tuesday morning, and secured $2,000 in money and jewelry.

Port Huron, May 10.—The Dutch Farm, a roadhouse near this city, was burned, together with the contents and a barn containing three horses. Loss, $5,000, partly insured.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 14, 1897.

The following from the Sunday Detroit Free Press, would strike the people of Tecumseh peculiarly unless it is the intention of the Lima Northern people to run their through train via Adrian and Britton until the road from Adrian to Tecumseh is completed:

The Lima & Northern is no more, and in its place is a larger railroad with a larger name. The old line ran from Lima to Adrian. A company was formed to build the connecting links to let the road have a Detroit terminal, and this company bought out the Lima & Northern, made arraogements for the Detroit connection and called the road the Detroit & Lima Northern. It will enter Detroit over the Wabash tract from Britton, and will use the Fort Street Union depot. Although traines will not run on the new line before May 16, the work of fitting up extensive offices here in progress, and already General Freight and Passenger Agent C. A. Chambers has a staff of clerks, including Chief Clerk Fred H. Turpen, at work at No. 120 Griswold street. A city ticket office is being fitted up, and a city ticket agent will be appointed some time this week. On May 16, the first passenger train will leave the Fort Street Union depot for Lima and on the following day the first freight train will begin the same journey. This gives Detroit a new road to the coal and oil fields of Ohio. Rates will probably not be affected, but the new road will increase facilities in that direction and freight will be more promptly forwarded than at present, because it will not be subjected to the delay of shunting at Toledo. Next spring the new road will be of great service to Detroit in bringing here more promptly than is now possible the early fruits and vegetables from Virginia. At present, such truck comes by way of Cincinnati, which makes the journey one hundred miles longer than the new route will be.

The headquarters of the Detroit & Lima Northern will remain for the present at Lima, but will probably follow the general freight and passenger agent to this city soon.

Jehiel Davidson.

Last Friday afternoon the people of Tecumseh were shocked to hear that Jehiel Davidson was dead. No one could believe the story true, but it was true, too true. He was about town all day till in the afternoon, started for home with a slight complaint of not feeling first rate. At home he grew worse, the doctor was summoned, came and left him easier, but the neuralgic condition of the heart caused quick relapse and ere help could be summoned he was gone.

Yes, good natured Jehiel Davidson is gone, and it can truly be said no man could be missed more than he will be. Always on hand to help with every public undertaking, always ready to assist anyone who needed assistance, his very presence was an assistance, for with it came good nature and quaint humor. Jehiel Davidson was a part of our village, he was a life long democrat and had held many offices of public trust. Many will easily be able to do his work but no one can fill the place in the community which he had moulded for himself. On the funeral day the church would not hold the people who desired to pay their last respects to this man, and as the procession passed through town on its way to the Ridgeway cemetery the remark was heard, "There goes Jehiel and his flag. 'Tis hard to see him go." Fifty-three members of the G. A. R. beside Co. C and members of the K. of P. attended the funeral and surviving members of his old Co. F carried him away, a true citizen, a good soldier, an honest man. Following are the statements of fact concerning his life:

Jehiel Davidson was born in Macon, Mich., May 19, 1836. He died at his home in Tecumseh May 7, 1897, aged 61 years, lacking 12 days. He was one of five children. Two brothers, Miner and Frank, still live. He was married Sept. 23, 1857, to Miss Sylvia DePuy, daughter of Samuel DePuy. In August, 1862, he enlisted in Co, F. 26th Michigan Infantry, and remained in the service till the close of the war. Three years ago he connected himself with the Methodist church and has lived a consistent Christian life. The funeral service was held in the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner, assisted by Rev. H. Cansfield. The remains were buried in the cemetery at Ridgeway.

In my late affliction many friends have shown great kindness and sympathy, for which I am very thankful.
MRS. SYLVIA DAVIDSON.

ORDER EASTERN STAR.

Grand Meeting—Many Guests—Fine Banquet.

Among the many pleasant occasions of this popular Order, the meeting of last evening might well be called the banner one. The afternoon train brought fine representations from the chapters invited, viz. Manchester and Clinton, thirty one from the former and twenty from the latter who were entertained by members of Tecumseh Chapter at the Temple. Supper was served from 5 to 7 and was "par excellant," nearly 250 partaking. At 7:30 the chapter opened and the degrees of the Order conferred upon the following candidates: Rev. W. R. Blachford, Samuel Shuft, Mrs. W. B. Keyser and Miss Minnie Corey, after which the time was passed socially until the train came that would take the guests.

Not being able to obtain a full list of the visitors, we will not attempt to particularize and will only say that from Manchester M. D. Blosser, Geo. Hanessler and Mark Wallace were the only gentlemen present and, although Clinton did not send a single male member, she was represented by one sister in her 90th year, viz. Mrs. E. P. Felton, who undoubtedly is the oldest in any chapter in the state. This occasion will long be remembered by those who participated in its enjoyment

Mrs. Mary E. Meeker.

Mary E. Meeker died in Chicago, at the residence of her son, W. D. Meeker, Monday, May 3, aged 75 years. Mrs. Meeker was the widow of the late Dr. David D. Meeker and her home was in Tecumseh from 1866 till the death of her husband six years ago when she disposed of her interests here and has since lived with Dr. Louis Meeker in Brooklyn and W. D. in Chicago.

She is remembered by her many friends in Tecumseh as a woman of sterling Christian qualities and retiring disposition, loved by and a dear friend to all. Her death casts a gloom over two households which can never be fully lifted. The remains were brought to Tecumseh and interred in the cemetery on Saturday, May 8.

Change in Firm.

The firm of Orr & Temple has been changed by the retirement of F. J. Temple, which took place yesterday morning. The business will be continued by the senior member, John J. Orr, at the old stand. The Ridgeway branch store has been sold to Charles Culbertson, who has had the management of it. While this announcement may be a surprise to many, and losing Mr. Temple from the ranks of business men deeply regretted by all, it has been under contemplation for some time, owing to the fact that he is unable to stand the confinement necessary to such a business. We are happy to state however, that we are not to lose him from the community, as he will continue his residence here.

Geo. W. Stacy.

Wednesday morning the community was shocked by the second sudden death within a week. Tuesday afternoon Geo. W. Stacy, of Newburg, was in town transacting business and anticipated starting on a trip to Buffalo the next day. In the early evening he, in company with a little three year old grandson, went with horse and buggy to the field to attend to the stock. Their remaining longer than usual alarmed the family and Mrs. Alphonzo Stacy went to search for them. The old family horse had stopped at the foot of the hill and Mr. Stacy was stricken with apoplexy. Medical aid was of no avail and at five o'clock Wednesday morning, May 12, life passed away.

Geo. W. Stacy was born in Madison county, N. Y., Sept. 24, 1831, and came with his mother to Michigan when 10 years of age. In 1849 he married Angeline Keyser and to them were born 10 children, six of whom beside Mrs. Stacy survive him: Mrs. Ben Dove, of Newburg; Mrs. Harry Frasher, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. Walker, of Churchhill, N. Y.; Alphonzo Stacy, of Newburg; and Rufus and Geo. H., of Buffalo, N. Y.

With the death of Geo. W. Stacy is ended the immediate family of Dr. Consider H. Stacy, the oldest son of this family being the late Judge C. A. Stacy.

Mr. Stacy's younger days were spent on the farm. Twenty-two years ago he went to Buffalo and engaged in the stock business, continuing there until last spring, when he retired from business and came back to end his days on the farm.

"Uncle George" as he was always called by a host of nephews and neices, was a favorite with them all. He leaves besides them, a number of grandchildren and numerous friends and acquaintances who will never forget his many kindnesses nor cease to mourn his loss.

The funeral will be held from the family residence in Newburg this afternoon at two o'clock.

Alfred D. Hall.

Hon. A. D. Hall died at his home northeast of the village, Saturday morning, May 8th, after a long and lingering illness. Before old age crept upon him Mr. Hall was a prominent and active man in the locality; indeed he was known all over this county, as well as the state. While his death is much to be regretted, yet he leaves behind him a record that will linger long in the minds of the people of today.

Alfred D. Hall was born in Byron, Genessee county, N. Y., Jan. 6, 1824. His father, Stephen P. Hall, moved to Michigan in the spring of 1845, settling near Albion, where he died in 1861. Of his eight children the subject of this sketch was the oldest. He lived with his father till he was 21, receiving a good, common school education. For seven years he taught a district school and in the fall of 1845, he purchased a farm in Calhoun county, Mich., where he lived until 1853, when he purchased a farm in Tecumseh known as the Judge Hoag farm. In April 1862 he was elected president and treasurer of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company of Lenawee county, holding the position for twelve years. He was president of the County Agricultural society for five years, member of the board of supervisors for six years and chairman of the board for the year 1876 In the fall of 1876 he was elected a representative of the legislature and re-elected in 1878, receiving honors in that body. He was married to Miss Emily A. Todd, of Byron, N. Y; in this union, Daniel T. of Tecumseh, and Sarah A. now the wife of W. H. Wiggins of Adrian. His first wife died in 1862, and in 1865 he married Miss Englina Heesen, of Cleveland, Ohio, to whom five children were born. She died in 1891. During his entire residence here he was actively connected with the Presbyrterian church and served for thirty-five years as an elder.

The funeral of Mr. Hall was held at the Presbyrterian church Tuesday, at 10:30 a. m; Rev. Mr. Brown officiating, and was largely attended, a long procession of carriages following the remains to their last earthly resting place.

Halleck.

The funeral of Mrs. Ann L. Halleck was held at her late residence in Brownville, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, Rev. W. R. Blachford officiating. There was a large attendance of friends and neighbors. We can learn but little of her early history, as she and her aged companion have resided here only two years, coming from near Wheatland, Hillsdale county. Most of the time her health has not been good owing to her disease (cancerous condition of the spleen). Mrs. Halleck was possessed of many virtues and made strong friends of all who came in contact with her. She was 77 years of age and had no children. The remains were taken to Wheatland Monday morning for interment.

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The Land of Promise is down South in the eight Great Southern States penetrated by the Southern Railway. One way settler's tickets and round trip excursion tickets are sold by lines leading south in connection with the Southern Railway to give people a chance to see that Great Country.

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Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

Do you Want to Save Money.

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Wall Paper, Paints and Oils, Window Shades and Drugs

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Come and see sample cards.

New Shades and Colors.

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DID YOU SEE OUR

Beautiful line of china Clocks?

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Late Novelties in Sterling Silver.

Call and we will surprise you.

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Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring.

I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

Quicker and Cheaper,

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Call and see me.

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Coal,
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Specialties:
Red Cedar Posts.
Long Timbers.
Akron Sewer Pipe.
The Largest Stock.
Prices that are Right.

COR. MICHIGAN AND DIVISION STS
Yards: Corner Church and Pearl Street,

ADRIAN, MICH.

Straw Hats.

The straw hat season is now here to stay. We have just received a large invoice of straw hats direct from Boston comprising the

Latest Novelties and Finest Straws in the Market.

Just received a lot more of those

18 oz. all wool clay worsted $9.00 suits

These are the best suits ever shown for the money. We are headquarters for

Bicycle Suits, Sweaters in Green, Maroon, and all colors, and Stockings to match.

Call and look at our many bargains.

Resp'y,

McCANN BROS.

The One Price Clothiers.

Notice folks how fair are we
Ar'nt our faces nice to see?
Don't our clothes look clean and neat
As we go dancing down the street?
Our Ma's know what soap to use
And every other kind refuse
Every one from near and far
Call for good "American Star"
Down at Temples it is found
By the cake or by the pound
Then for soap let each one go
To the Tecumseh (Stove) Coal Co.

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Do you need a

Lawn Mower
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or anything in the hardware line. We can suit and p you, both as to variety and price

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N. B. Best line of bicycles and Sundr

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 14, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

PLANTS FOR SALE. I have for sale 18 choice varieties of strawberry plants and 7 varities of raspberries; also a few bushels of the following choice new varieties of seed potatoes: Early Michigan, Eesly Fortune, Carman No. 1, Carman No. 3, and Livingston's Banner. I have a few pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte cockerels for sale, and eggs in season. For further particulars enquire of or address.
C. W. McNEIL, Newburgh, Mich

TO LOAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Address Lock Box 126, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done at G. W. Bly's, second house west of Abner Wilson's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

FOR RENT.—House with well, cistern, cellar, wood-house and garden, $1.00 per week; also one large sign for sale cheap.
A. W. SLAYTON.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Three second hand buggies at Garlinghouse Bros.' Livery.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Five acres of land, good house and barn, ½ mile south of Ridgeway village. For particulars inquire of
MRS. L. WIGGINS,
Box 636. Tecumseh, Mich

Bargains in lawn mowers.
C. A. SLAYTON.

A. D. Gilmore of Blissfield made Tecumseh a visit Wednesday.

Albert Conger was in Milan Tuesday and Wednesday on legal business.

Harris & Hiteshu have a store full of beautiful dress goods and trimmings.

S. W. Clarkson and family of Ann Arbor, visited his father John Clarkson Sunday.

May Gage visited her father, Asa Gage and other relatives at Manchester from Tuesday until Saturday.

Miss Grace Hillman will start for San Francisco June 20, to attend the general convention of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Mrs. George Teachout, with Mrs. Mollie Vanderpool, visited her daughter Mrs. Put Cole at Onsted yesterday and to day.

Remnants for Dress Patterns and Skirt Patterns Friday and Saturday.
ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Alfred Hoag, the porter at the Lilley House held the lucky number and drew the bicycle raffled by James Lowry Tuesday evening.

I. R. Garlinghouse of Monroe county, was the guest of his brother D. B. over Sunday, and Monday, went to see his mother at Napoleon.

Robert Moir, who now is a resident of Hudson, was shaking hands with old friends here Wednesday. It seemed good to see his smiling countenace once more.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meeker, of Chicago, and Dr. Louis Meeker, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were in Tecumseh last Saturday to attend the burial services of their mother, Mrs. Mary E. Meeker.

Dr. D. W. Loree, of Ridgeway, made a business visit to the Maple city to-day. The doctor says they received full restitution in the Christensen creamery matter, and he feels very well satisfied.—Telegram.

We have discarded the use of cottolene in our bakery and now propose using nothing but pure lard and fresh butter and our variety of baked goods is increasing all the time.
M. E. BICE.

While from letters received from Al Paxon and family, it is apparent they are well pleased with their new home and surroundings at Piqua Ohio. It is also evident that in their hearts they retain a fond regard for Tecumseh and old time friends.

Wednesday, while workmen were excavating for the Lima Northern in the swamp on the Cornelius farm, they unearthed the head of a bison which contractor Saunders brought to town, how it came there and how long buried, will probably never be known. It excited great interest and numberless speculations.

Gov. Pingree was in the city this morning, but this governor happened to be the handsome dog belonging to Will W. Whiting, of Tecumseh, and which canine is wearing a handsome collar presented to him by the real governor, after his election last fall. He followed Walter C. Burridge over from Tecumseh.—Telegram.

The Tecumseh Fire Department held a meeting Wednesday evening at the Council building. G. Harry Tansley was elected Secy. to succeed D. T. Hall who has removed from town. George Smith and Joe Hanford were received as members. Chief. S. W. Bordine, R. J. Garlinghouse, H. W. Stevens and Will Hayden were appointed delegates to the State Firemans Association at Detroit May 19th.

Tuesday afternoon John Peotter, who draws straw for Henry Smith, while unloading at the paper mill cut his hand severely on a straw knife that was attached to the load. Dr. Tefft dressed the wound and while it might have been much worse, it will, nevertheless, lay him up for some time. Fortunately for him he had that day taken out a policy in the U. S. Accident Association of Detroit. whose state agent and local agent, from Adrian, had been working the town, so that he will realize a compensation during the time he is unable to work.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
A large polished Stand, 1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
A polished oak Dinner Set, 7.00
A Sewing Rocker, 1.00
A large Arm Rocker, 2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker, 3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk, 2.50
Our Couches are beauties at 10.00
A large line of Window shades at 25c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.
WHEELER & SISSON.

A nice summer suit for $15 50 at
JONES & HAZLETT'S.

John Karner took a spin to Blissfield Wednesday.

Will Caldwell came up from Toledo to spend Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Woodward, of Detroit, is in town this week.

Satterthwaite Bros. carry a full line of base ball goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Collins are in Detroit to stay over Sunday.

Odd and End Sale Friday and Saturday at Anderson and Rosacrans.'

Judge Robbins, of Adrian, made the HERALD office a call last Saturday.

C. E. Williamson now owns the David McNair property, on Kilbuck street.

Miss Emma Glassford, of Leslie, is now assisting Mrs. Bice in the bakery.

Thos. Adamson is in Detroit this week as delegate to the K. P. Grand Lodge.

The township board of review will meet at the council building May 18, 19 and 24.

Mrs. Judith Ellis, of Adrian, has been visiting her brother, P. C. Snell, the past week.

Mrs. Sarah Lowrie, who has been very sick for five weeks, is slowly recovering.

Harry Temple, who has been dangerously ill for several days, is reported some better today.

Rev. E. C. Andrus was called to Fayette, O., Wednesday to attend the funeral of a lady there.

E. Brown, who is afflicted with paralysis, is reported much worse this week. It is hoped, however, that he will soon regain strength again.

David J. Lewis will conduct the services at the Friends' church morning and evening of next Sunday and will continue as pastor for a time.

Sant Cutting, who has for some time been working in the Bicycle Works at Hudson, returned home Tuesday and may spend the summer here.

"Ever fresh and green" are the vegetables now-a-days at Mobbs & Co's. They have a tap from the city waterworks which keeps them in fine condition all the time.

There will be a public meeting at G. A. R. hall on Friday evening at 7:30, to complete arrangements for Memorial Day. Let everybody come.
BY ORDER OF COM.

The Union Memorial service will be held in the Presbyterian church on the evening of the 23rd instead of the 30th. Rev. J. P. Varner will preach the sermon.

Harris & Hiteshu are showing very fine lines of Spring Wraps for ladies and children and you will be surprised at the prices quoted. Read their "ad" then call and see the realities.

We desire to express our appreciation and gratitude to the many dear friends and neighbors who so kindly tendered their sympathy and rendered their service in our recent bereavement occasioned by the death of our babe.
D. and E. LEWIS.

Frank H. Hall, of Greene, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Hall, of Covington, Ky., James W. Hall, of Milford, Mich., Mrs. J. F. Dean, of Reed City, Mich., Dr. and Mrs. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cochran, of Adrian, attended the funeral of Hon. A. D. Hall, Tuesday.

This year, for the first time, Co. C intends to decorate the graves of their dead comrades who are buried outside of the Tecumseh cemetery. Any person knowing the burial place of any ex-member of Co. C will confer a favor on the company by reporting the same to Rev. Elmer C. Andrus.

C. A. Slayton reports having made a good number of sales lately from his very nice assortment of bicycles which he carries in stock. Some who bought are: Miss Florence Jenkins, Al. Macham, Miss Macham, Miss Stewart, Miss Hathaway, Floyd Waring, Walter Cornelius, Miss Vernie Askin, Chas. Cone.

Bert Gray will enamel your bicycle frames and ornament them in neat style.

The Epworth League will observe Anniversary Day next Sunday. There will be a "Sunrise" service at 6 o'clock, led by Miss Mary Eaton. Rev. J. P. Varner will preach to the young people in the morning. Young people's meeting in the evening as usual. Topic:—"A Good Name." Led by the president. The evening program will consist of papers, recitations and music.

See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold.
G. H. TANSLEY.

At a meeting of the Bicycle Association held last Tuesday evening, it was decided to hold another "meet" this summer if the citizens of Tecumseh desire it. A committee, who has the matter in charge, will soon be around to find out the disposition of the people. Tecumseh has secured a great reputation for her "race meets" and these events are of incalculable value to the town.

Do you want a pair of Trousers? A large line to select from. Prices $4.00, $4.50 and $5 00.

Marie and Donald, children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallinger, were taken violently ill Wednesday evening, every symptom indicating poison. Physicians were quickly summoned who by prompt efforts and skillful treatment relieved their sufferings in a short time and their convalescence is assured. It was a close call for little Donald who evidently suffered more than Marie. In the afternoon they with their father went fishing. At one of the stores Frank got some cheese and cookies for a lunch of which all partook later. While he experienced no inconvenience from it the children were not so fortunate. It is another of those inexplainable cases which so frequently occur.

Get your Carriage of Bert Gray. His line is up-to-date.

Mrs. John Heck is visiting in Ohio.

Will Caldwell was home from Toledo over Sunday.

Mrs. James Potter was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

You can buy the best Plow Shoe for the least money at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Frank Chilson has gone to join his father on the lakes.

Miss Mae DeWolf is home from Detroit, after a month's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall are home for a few days from Toledo.

Ed. W. Comfort left Monday morning for a visit with friends in Chicago.

Look for the Butterfly social at the Universalist church the last week in this month.

Mrs. Moir returned to Hudson yesterday after a three weeks' visit with friends here.

Bargain Sale Friday and Saturday at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Don't miss the Low Bargains at Anderson & Rosacrans' Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Phelps, of Marquette, are visiting at the Phelps home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Miller, of Adrian, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wheeler over Sunday and Monday.

See the lawn swing. New thing. Lots of comfort.
C. A. SLAYTON.

Mrs. Margaret Sweet, of Adrian, visited her sister, Mrs. G. W. Frasier, from Saturday until Wednesday.

See those Blue Ribbon Buggies at Gray's carriage repository on Railroad street.

Mrs. DeWolf has been up to Sand lake this week, putting her cottage in order for the coming season.

Miss L. Gertrude Whitney is visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. C. Andrus. She expects to remain about a week.

J. E. Murray, of Charlotte, a cousin of Mrs. Abbie Fisher, is transacting business in Tecumseh this week.

John Hazlett smashed his toe with a red-hot tailor's goose Monday evening, and the tailors say he is not done "hollering" yet.

DRESSMAKING.—Capes, jackets and all family sewing. Cutting and fitting given special attention.
MRS. L. WIGGINS.

First house east of L. Lilley's.

The trouble between Thomas Marks and the Lima Northern people has been settled, W. C. Burridge having in charge the matter for Mr. Marks.

Ernest Coller and Sam McClure left Sunday morning on their wheels for Detroit. After doing that city, they wheeled to Toledo and then home.

Mrs. Blymer and daughter, Mrs. Glover, of Coshocton, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Beamish and Miss Lizzie. They arrived in Tecumseh Tuesday evening.

Regular meeting of Tecumseh lodge F. & A. M. at Masonic temple tonight after which the second degree will be conferred. Five candidates are expected.

Rev. E. C. Andrus was called to Fayette, Ohio, Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Hoffman of that place. He returned yesterday.

Just examine my prices and my goods and the rest I will leave with you.
G. H. TANSLEY.

Satterthwaite Brothers have found it necessary to increase their help and have secured Clement Hardenburg, who is no novice having been in their employ once before.

F. W. Samsen, editor of the News, is attending a meeting of the Wolverine Press Association in Tennessee this week. A. J. Kempton, of the Addison Courier, is president of the association.

A very pleasant family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Riley Sunday. Mrs. Ellen Moffat, of Adrian, James Riley, wife and sister Anna, of Clinton, being present, the family group was complete.

Remnant Sale Friday and Saturday at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

During the past week Satterthwaite Bros. have sold wheels to the following persons:—Arthur Weeks, Macon: Miss Irene Young, Saline; Thurlow Pentecost and Mrs. Lora Hoenes, Franklin; also a Crescent combination tandem to Warren L. Jones, Ridgeway.

Subjects at the Universalist church Sunday; morning "Christian Humility:" evening, "Grant's Tomb." Sunday-school after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "The Evils of Covetousness." Isa. 5:8; Prov. 15:27; I Tim. 6:6-12.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

Perry Hosmer has in his possession, for a few days only, a newspaper which is indeed a great "curio." It is called The MONITOR, and is dated Thursday, March 23, 1865. This paper was published on board the "Monitor" at the date mentioned, by the sailors who "chipped in" and purchased the type and press, and is filled with news and "take off" advertisements of interest to the boys. The paper is the property of O. A. Chapman, of Battle Creek, who was a gunner in the same mess with Perry Hosmer on the Monitor.

A few clothes uncalled for will be sold cheap. Call and see them if you want a bargain. JONES & HAZLETT.

—Well there is the Columbus bicycle. A $75.00 wheel for $50.00, and sundries any thing from a lock to a bicycle trunk. Get prices of Bert Day or Harry Pattison.

—A complete line of Screen Doors and Windows at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

Notice of Meeting of Board of Review.

To all persons liable for assessment of taxes in the Village of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, for the year of 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said Village of Tecumseh for the year 1897, has been completed and that the Board of Review of said village will be in session at the council building in said village on Thursday, May 20th, 1897, and Friday, May 21st, 1897, from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m., of each of the said days, at which time and place the aforesaid assessment roll will be subject to review and correction, and all persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by any valuation of property as now set forth in said assessment roll, or who may have knowledge of any error contained in said roll, or omissions from the same, or who may have reasons to suppose that such error exists, will then and there be heard by said Board of Review, and all errors found to exist in said assessment roll will be duly corrected, and all property subject to taxation within said village, found to have been omitted from said assessment roll will be placed thereon by the said Board of Review. And such assessment roll, as corrected and approved by the Common Council of said village, shall be the assessment roll of said village for the year 1897.

Given under my hand, at the Village of Tecumseh aforesaid, this third day of May, 1897.

JEHIEL DAVIDSON,
Assessor of the Village of Tecumseh

—If you want to be a second Sid Black! Buy a Cleveland bicycle of either Bert Day special agent or H. J. Pattison Tecumseh agent.

—If you desire made to order garments which really fit and are made in first class workmenlike manner and trimmed with the best trimmings, call on J. C. Eccles over U. S. Express office He will give you choice of 300 samples of goods to select from and guarantee low price and perfect fit.

—Headquarters for Fishing Tackle at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

—C. P. Stevens, bicycle instructor, who has met with great success in our city, has purchased a fine home trainer, machine which enables new beginners to learn easy with no risk whatever. Mr. Stevens furnishes a wheel and guarantees to teach this month for $1.50.

—When you want a Bicycle consult your own interest. Call at
SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

Farmers' Reunion.

There never was a minute
When we wasn't in it.

Height 4 to 5 feet. On posts set ready for use we will furnish and build:

Top bar of No. 7, bottom bar of No. 9, 10 bars of No. 11, with 16 stays of No. 11 per rod,					$0 45
12 bars	No. 9	with stays of	No.	14,	45
12 "	" 11	" "	"	14,	45
10 "	" 9	" "	"	11,	40
10 "	" 11	" "	"	14,	40
8 "	" 9	" "	"	11,	37
8 "	" 9	" "	"	14,	37
8 "	" 11	" "	"	11,	35
8 "	" 11	" "	"	14,	35

Built to fit the ground over hills and hollows. Same tention upon each wire. Impossible for stays to slip or slide. Made all of best hard steel galvanized wire. Guarantee satisfaction. Special inducements on large orders or will furnish machine and tools as fencing outfit that you can build over 200 different styles of any fence made by hand or factory. Price $5.75 to $8.50. Warranted. Agents wanted. Call on or address
G. W. MEAD FENCE CO.
Tecumseh, Mich.

—Furniture refinished at Bert Grey's carriage shop. Fine work and low prices.

—Next best to the Cleveland, is the Westfield bicycle, made by the Co: You can save money by consulting them. Who! Why either Bert Day or Harry Pattison.

Opening of Lake Erie Park and Casino at Toledo.

Account of the opening of the Lake Erie Park and Casino, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return, May 16th. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10.17 a. m; fare $0.75 for the round trip. Tickets good going and returning May 16th only. Special train returning will leave Toledo at 7.00p.m. For further particulars see large hand bills or call on C. J. & M Agent.
T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

—Base Ball and all athletic goods at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

Miss Mabel Hayden and Her Summer School.

—As I have come home earlier this season than usual, I will be glad to begin at once with a limited number of pupils in voice, violin, elocution and Delsarto philosophy of expression. Training of children in violin, physical culture and elocution, a specialty. Success in previous experiences makes me take great interest in the little ones.

For summer rates, both for class and private lessons, address me Tecumseh P. O. or call at residence of Mrs. Wm. Hayden.
MISS MABEL HAYDEN.

—Get your carriage varnished or repainted at Bert Grey's shop in the old Cummins building.

—When you get ready, see our line of Lawn Mowers.
SATTERTHWAITE BROS.'

SUNDAY SERVICE.

On Sunday, May 16th, the C. J. & M. will inaugurate daily train service between Tecumseh and Sand Lake, Devils Lake, Clarks Lake and Jackson Train leaves Tecumseh at 8:49 A. M Usual low rates to the popular Michigan Resorts. May 16th is the first Sunday train.

No Dust! No Dirt!

Everything kept inside, the freshest of

Vegetables Received Every Day.

The finest of fruits.

Strawberries are now cheap.

and we shall receive them daily.

Anderson Bros.,
Grocers.

A Specialty

is an appropriate name for our stock of

Shoes for Misses and Children.

Never before have we taken such pains in the selection, or purchased so complete a stock. We are justly proud of the selection and

We Invite Inspection,

as to quality, style and prices.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

Bromangelon

Try a Package.

It is Fine.

AVERY & CO.
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BLUE FLAME
OIL STOVES.

New Process Gasoline Stoves.

Single Generator Cabinet Ranges.

all of which are the best of their class that can be produed. An elegant line of bicycles at reasonable prices. Fishing tackle in full assortment.

Satterthwaite Bros.

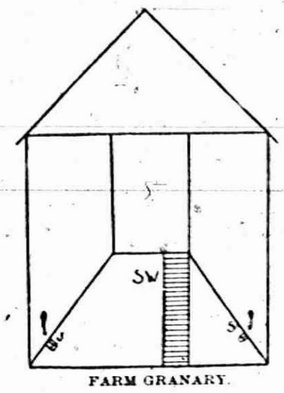
FARM & GARDEN.

CONVENIENT GRANARY.

Lumber and Other Material Required Will Cost $88.

This building is 14 by 20 feet, and 14 feet high to the eaves. The lower part is 7½ feet high. The bins are slanting as shown. Grain is put in above and drawn out at S S. The steps of stairway S W, are seven inches high, so that it is easy to carry grain up and empty it into the bins in each side. To get the grain out is always hardest, but in this granary it is the easiest work, as all you have to do is hold the bag under the spout (S), turn the shut-off, and the grain does the rest. It is only play to sack a load of grain. One man can do it as fast as two with a half-bushel.

There are three bins on each side in my granary, each of 200 bushels capacity. The space on upper floor between



FARM GRANARY.

bins, back of the stairway, is five by eleven feet, and high enough for any man to walk and work in. Lower floor mostly used for storing seed and grain in sacks, such as flaxseed, clover, timothy, etc. They are packed under the slant of the bins, out of the way. The middle space is used for cleaning grain, and a good fanning mill is always in readiness, and good platform scales upon which everything is weighed.

The carpenter says this style of bin is easier on the building, as most of the pressure is on the inside, drawing the frame together instead of pressing it out. The weight is carried direct to the sills, resting on good stone foundation. The rough lumber and flooring were got out of our own woods; siding—cucumber and white wood—cost ten dollars per 1,000 feet on the stump, and is of better quality than I could have got for double the money in the lumber yards. Here is the bill of lumber needed:

Two pieces 8x8, 20 feet long.
Three pieces 8x8, 14 feet long.
Twenty-six studding 2x8, 14 feet long.
Four corner posts 8x8, 14 feet long.
Nine joists 2x8, 14 feet long.
Twelve joists 2x8, 10 feet long.
Twenty-four in studding 2x4, 8 feet long.
Twenty-two rafters 2x8, 10 feet long.
Fifteen girts 1¼ x4, 14 feet long.
One hundred ribs 1x3, 12 feet long.
Five hundred feet flooring.
Eighteen hundred feet siding and for bins inside.

The cash cost, beside my labor, is as follows, in round numbers:

Carpenter	$25
Saw bill	12
Siding	15
Stone and cement	
Shingles	13
Window sash and glass	7
Nails, track and rollers for door	5
Paint, oil and brush	4
Planing and matching	4
Total	$88

Siding runs up and down, as it is better that way. At the gable ends the siding is scalloped, which adds but a few cents to the cost. This granary suits me perfectly. Paint it nicely, and it will be an ornament to the farm.—A. A. Singler, in Ohio Farmer.

SOME HELPFUL HINTS.

Scatter manure as fast as it is hauled out.

Get all of the manure out possible before planting.

Breeding from immature stock has a strong tendency to degenerate the offspring.

One object in pruning is to lessen the amount of fruit and increase its quality.

Feed the growing pigs a good ration of ship-stuff wet up with skim-milk twice daily.

Clean, well-fitting harness for the work teams will often save having sore shoulders.

In order that the horses may get the full benefit of their rest at noon, always remove the harness.

With pigs it is always best to push the growth and sell young, and in that way lessen the risk of loss.

Slops made of bran and middlings with skim-milk makes one of the very best foods for suckling sows.

The aim in breeding should be to build up vitality, standing and capability for rapid development.

Commence cultivating as soon as possible after planting. This is the easiest way of keeping in a good condition.—Farmers' Union.

For a Permanent Pasture.

When practicable a permanent pasture is desirable. Fields that are adapted to the production of tilled crops that are under a close rotation cannot be pastured with profit. If a crop of clover or timothy is removed in the rotation there is nothing gained by grazing the young grass nor the growth after the crop is removed. The soil needs more of this organic matter than it gets at the best, and this aftermath is worth more as food to the soil than to stock. The skinning of the tilled fields by stock and the tramping when the land is wet are responsible for many failures to get profitable crops. If less desirable land can be laid down to permanent grasses and stock be confined to this land, the plowed land of the farm has a better chance.

LIME ON THE FARM.

Its Effect on the Soil Should Be Studied More Closely.

Lime is a much used, and very often at the same time, a much abused material on the farm. It has a very important role to play, and, if handled in the proper manner, is a valuable aid to the farmer. There are many who use this material again and again with a mistaken notion as to its true functions in the soil. In time, however, their experience teaches them the true place of lime in agriculture, but often their lands have been almost exhausted before they gain their wisdom. While lime has a value as a plant food, yet its greatest worth on the farm is due to its physical effect on the soil itself. It is very seldom that a soil does not contain a sufficient quantity of lime to furnish this ingredient as plant food pure and simple.

Briefly described, the actions of lime are as follows: If applied on a sandy soil it fills up the openings, makes the particles adhere closer, causes them to retain moisture better, to absorb less heat during the day and to retain more at night. On clay soils it separates the particles, making the soil more porous, thus easier of the passage of water and air, and therefore makes the soil warmer and easier to work. Lime also hastens the decay of vegetable matter in the soil, which of course renders the nitrogen more available. If a soil is sour, an application of lime will sweeten it. If a green crop is plowed under, an application of lime will prevent the soil from becoming acid. There is one effect of lime that has no doubt frequently been noticed, although wrong conclusions have been drawn from it. It has often been experienced that an application of lime proves very beneficial to clovers of all kinds. It was formerly thought that the lime itself was the only fertilizer needed for the clover; it is now known, however, that the beneficial action of the lime upon clover is due to the fact that the lime liberates other plant-food in the soil, notably potash, which is of so much importance in successful clover culture. It will be seen, however, that the continued application of lime along would soon cause the soil to become exhausted of its natural supply, not only of potash, but also of phosphoric acid, and in time the land would become clover sick, which is a condition often met with.—Farmers' Review.

SCATTERING CLOUDS.

American Rainmakers' Plan Used to Prevent Storms.

Possibly it was from noticing the unsuccessful attempts made by the would-be rainmakers in the United States to bring down showers when wanted that an ingenious Austrian grape grower was induced to exactly reverse the American practice. An account of his experiment is reported by United States Consul Stephan at Annaberg. The Austrian owned extensive vineyards situated on the southern slopes of the mountains, in a locality often visited by destructive hailstorms. At first he tried galvanized wire, and he decided to install a battery and test the plan of causing explosions to drive off the hailstorms. He erected six stations on prominent mountain summits commanding a territory about two miles in extent. Each station sheltered ten mortars and a corps of volunteers handled them. The practical test is thus described:

Threatening black clouds made their appearance on the summits of the Bacher mountains. At a given signal all the mortars were fired off and the continuous detonations in a few moments caused a sudden reaction in the movements of the clouds. The cloud wall opened up funnel-like; the mouth of the funnel began to rise in the form of consecutive rings, expanding gradually until all the clouds scattered and entirely disappeared. No hail nor sudden downpour of rain fell. The same experience was gone through six times last summer, and without a single exception proved a successful preventive.

DURABLE FARM GATE.

It Gives a Substantial Air to All of Its Surroundings.

The illustration shows a farm gate that cannot sag, cannot "leave its moorings," and gives, moreover, a substantial and finished air to the surroundings. It is useless to make a gate that

GATE THAT CANNOT SAG.

will not sag, and then hang it to supports that soon bend under the weight pulling upon them, or lose their footing and slide out of place. The gate and gateway here figured are braced from every point, as can be seen, and so must always remain firmly in position. It takes more time and lumber to build such a gate, but it is time and lumber profitably spent.—American Agriculturist.

Small Farms Pay Best.

Large farms are not the ones that pay best. A farm of 25 acres that produces 60 bushels of corn per acre will give a profit, when a farm of 50 acres, producing only 30 bushels per acre, is operated at a loss; yet the total quantity of corn is the same for both farms. The reason the smaller farm may pay is that less labor in proportion to yield is required. The larger farm will demand twice as much plowing, cultivating and harrowing as the smaller one, and the expense of hauling and spreading the manure, harvesting the crop, etc., is much greater.

HOPEFUL SIGNS.

Dun & Co. Find Cause for Congratulation in Trade Outlook.

New York, May 8.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"Nearly all will be astonished to learn that actual sales in April by leading houses in each line of business in the principal cities east of the Rocky mountains average only about 10 per cent. less than in April, 1892, the year of the largest business hitherto, and were 6 per cent. more than in the same month last year. Yet this is the summary of 337 reports, each covering actual sales of leading merchants in a line of business in one of 14 cities. They are especially encouraging in view of the great fall of prices within the five years and with exceptional floods and other retarding influences this year. While speculative business in nearly all lines is small, and does not swell clearing house returns, as in previous years, the volume of legitimate trade shows no corresponding decrease, and the fact is one of the highest importance in all business calculations. Moreover, returns of failures for April by branches of business, given only by the mercantile agency, show decrease in number, amount and average of liabilities in almost every branch of trade and in nearly all branches of manufacture except cotton, although failures of five New Bedford mills for $1,999,734 make the total defaulted liabilities for the month 40 per cent. larger than last year, 60 per cent. larger than in 1895 and 32 per cent. larger than 1894. The value of reports tracing failures to particular lines of business is impressively illustrated.

"Failures for the week have been 221 in the United States, against 238 last year, and 26 in Canada, against 26 last year."

Bradstreet's says:

"Favorable business features this week include the continued decline of water in flooded districts of the Mississippi river valley, in a portion of which planting has begun; better demand for staples at Baltimore, St. Louis, Omaha, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Sioux Falls; larger sales of iron ore to western furnaces, and a revival of activity among country merchants in some central western states.

GOMEZ STRIKES A BLOW.

Inflicts Severe Defeat Upon the Spaniards in Havana Province.

Key West, Fla., May 11.—There is rumor of an engagement near Guines, Havana province, between Gen. Gomez and the Spanish troops, in which the Spaniards were severely defeated. One hundred and fifty were killed and 90 wounded, who were taken to Havana. The town of Canai, in Pinar del Rio province, has been raided again. The insurgents, after cutting the wire fences, entered the town, passing before several of the forts without resistance from the garrison. The stores were sacked and 20 houses burned.

The Murcia battalion encountered the insurgents at Bamburanao, and after three hours of hard fighting the Spanish were defeated, losing 17 killed and 26 wounded. The insurgents attacked the garrison of the sugar plantation of Pastore, in Santa Clara province, killing several soldiers and the captain and capturing considerable merchandise, arms and ammunition. Gen. Gomez has captured the guerrilla forces of Vieja and Bermeja, Havana province, composed of 42 men, among whom were 32 Cubans, who were immediately executed. The rest, the Spaniards, were set at liberty.

SIXTEEN LIVES LOST.

Terrible Result of a Fire on the Ocean Steamer Leona.

New York, May 10.—The Mallory line steamer Leona, which left her pier on Saturday, bound for Galveston, took fire at sea, put back and arrived in port Sunday night with 26 corpses on board. The dead were 13 steerage passengers and three members of the crew, who succumbed to a terrible fire which occurred off the Delaware capes at an early hour Sunday morning.

The horror of the story can hardly be told. Those who are dead were penned up below decks, and although frantic efforts were made by the officers of the vessel to save them, the fire had gained such terrible headway before the danger was discovered that all escape was cut off.

Cotton Crop Estimate.

Washington, May 11. — The agricultural department cotton crop report shows: General average 105.4 per cent. Already planted first day of May 81.9 against 87.9 per cent. last year. The general average of 105.4 per cent. report represents the opinion of the agricultural department correspondents' estimates of the breadth that will be planted this year as compared with last year.

Forged Stock Certificates.

Canton, O., May 11.—It developed Monday that Dominick Tyler, formerly for many years secretary and treasurer of the Diebold Safe & Lock company, was arrested and placed under bond on February 8 last on the charge of having counterfeited stock certificates of the company and forging thereto the signatures of the officers.

Disastrous Fire.

Quincy, Ill., May 11.—Fire broke out at midnight in the big plant of the J. R. Dayton Tablet company in a four-story block in the business district. The firms burned out besides the tablet company are: Volk, Jones & McMein's printing house, and Brumbaugh's book store. The loss will exceed $100,000.

Centenarian Dead.

Troy, N. Y., May 11.—Capt. Joseph King, who claimed that he was 106 years old last Wednesday, died at his home in Lansingburgh. He claimed to be of Indian descent. Capt. King was the father of Stephen and Mart King, who were among the pioneers of baseball in this country.

Fate of a Woman Smoker.

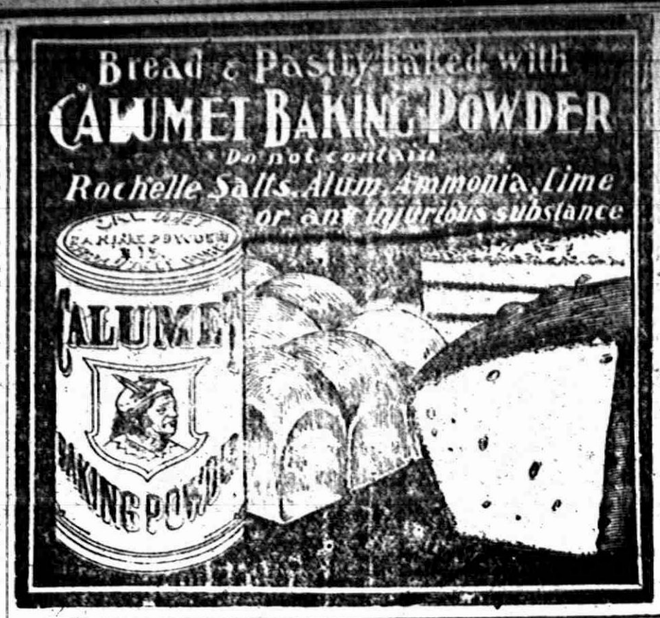
Waukegan, Ill., May 10.—Mrs. Joseph Green, 70 years old, addicted to smoking a pipe, met a terrible death as a result of the habit. With her lived Mrs. Hazzard, who found Mrs. Green in a room with her clothing afire. The fire was quickly extinguished, but the old lady was dead.

A Schooner Founders.

Boston, May 10.—The schooner Annie E. Rudolph, from Camden, N. J., for this city, was sunk off Nauset and Capt. Gardiner, Mate Snell and a seaman were drowned.

Woman Pardoned.

Anamosa, Ia., May 12.—Gov. Drake has pardoned Miss Amelia Evans. She killed the man whose meddlesome letters almost estranged her and her husband.



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*4 New York Express	9:36 p. m.

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*5 Pacific Express	1:11 a. m.
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....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P M
Napoleon	6 20 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Sorrell	6 37 "	2 37 "	1 25 "
Manchester	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Clinton	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 08 "
Adrian....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	....
Toledo	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 348 Accom
Detroit		6 20 P.M.	..
Toledo	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	..
Adrian	8 49 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 05 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	..
Sorrell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
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No. 25,	Local Freight	1:04 p. m.

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HIS DAILY LIFE IN WASHINGTON.

The Most Systematic Business Man of the Present Administration—A Newspaper Heading That Almost Caused Senator Burrows to Faint—President McKinley Giving Recognition to Wolverine Republicans—Other Interesting News.

Washington, May 11.—Secretary of War Alger is one of the busiest men in Washington. He works as hard in the office of the secretary of war as he ever did in his own affairs at Detroit or when he was governor of the state of Michigan. Although the executive departments in Washington do not open until 9 o'clock, it is the custom of Secretary of War Alger to reach his office not later than half-past 8 o'clock, and he is sometimes there even earlier than that.

The first thing that he does is to have his morning's mail opened and laid before him. Then as he reads the letters he rapidly dictates answers until the entire batch of mail has been attended to. This consumes at least an hour of time, and sometimes an hour and a half of the early morning is devoted to his correspondence. He not only has a great deal of mail from friends and business men, but a great deal of official mail is attended to. Having been a soldier and being familiar with the war department before he came to Washington, the new secretary is able to transact official business with a great deal of rapidity. When matters are laid before him requiring decision concerning army affairs, he immediately refers the letters to army headquarters or to the general in command of the bureau to be affected by the official inquiry; and upon each letter he places an indorsement requesting immediate action. That request is always complied with, so that a letter received one morning can be answered officially that afternoon, or certainly not later than the following morning.

Most Systematic Business Man.

As a matter of fact Secretary Alger is the most systematic business man of the present administration. The secretary of state, the secretary of the navy, the postmaster general, the attorney general, are not business men in the sense here intended; because they do not have such exact and systematic business methods of attending to affairs. The secretary of the treasury, Mr. Gage, is one of the most successful business men in the country, and so is the secretary of the interior, Mr. Bliss. Nevertheless these gentlemen have not taken hold of their high offices with the vigor and virility which has characterized the official conduct of Secretary Alger up to date.

It is strange how sensitive public men are concerning newspaper publications. Week before last it became apparent that Senator Burrows would become a member of the important committee on finance. It was so announced in this correspondence. The editor, however, put on a head line saying that Burrows was to be chairman of the committee; and when the senator saw that he almost fainted with astonishment and regret. It will take a great many years of constant service on the finance committee before Senator Burrows or any other of the younger senators can reach the chairmanship of that committee.

President McKinley has been giving recognition to the Wolverine Republicans during the past week. George A. Farr has been recommended and appointed collector of customs at the port of Grand Haven. James A. Coye has been appointed surveyor of customs at Grand Rapids. Both of these appointments were secured by the influence of Congressman William Alden Smith, who came here for the purpose of producing the result.

Producer of Great Men.

Bertram Parker of Monroe is again a special agent of the treasury department. He occupied a similar position during the Harrison administration and made a good record. Being an old soldier, he is eligible for reinstatement, in spite of the civil service law, and he is now "strictly in it."

By the way, that town of Monroe is a producer of great men. The late second assistant postmaster general, William B. Thompson, came from Monroe. The present chief clerk of the railway mail service, Alex Grant, came from Monroe. And then, last, but not least, was Henry T. Thurber, for four years the alter ego of the puissant and dominant personality of the chief executive of the republic. He was private secretary to President Cleveland; a man of wonderful and picturesque mold. Monroe is a great town. May be there are little presidents and boy orators running around the streets of Monroe today. Who can tell?

Senator Burrows has received a handsome sample case of Michigan wool, from the fleeces of Wolverine sheep. The sample will enable the senator to demonstrate to the senate the process of "skirting" fleece, in the speech which he is now preparing to deliver to the senate. Senator Burrows will also make an argument before the finance committee in favor of the wool growers. He is thoroughly in earnest about this matter.

By the way, there is a scandal brewing about the finance committee. Three years ago the Democratic majority was involved in a sugar trust scandal; and now the Republican majority finds itself environed with a woolen manufacturers' trust scandal.

Causes Criticism.

It seems that the engagement of S. N. D. North, secretary of the Woolen Manufacturers' association, by the committee, has caused a great deal of Democratic criticism. I don't care for either political party in my straight news work; but I happen to know that Mr. North is an honest man, and that he has been honestly employed. Therefore, you need not pay any attention to newspaper scandals in this particular.

Hon. P. J. O'Brien of Grand Rapids, who was recommended for appointment on the United States supreme court by the Michigan bar in February, 1889, is here for a few days. He is as tall and as distinguished looking as ever.

A. O. Wheeler of Manistee and Arthur Hill of Saginaw have been here for several days. Mr. Wheeler represents the $2 rate lumbermen, and is doing good work for his people. Mr. Hill represents the $1 lumbermen and is a busy worker in that Canadian cause.

Congressmen Corliss of Detroit and William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids, after drawing their salaries for April, took trains for their respective homes.

Congressman Samuel Smith is still here and he is the only Michigan statesman of the house of representatives now in the city.

Prominent Michigan men who were here during the past week were H. H. Everard and Dr. McNair of Kalamazoo, Frank Mellis of Mount Clemens, A. T. Kaiser and J. T. Weeks of Macomb county. Mr. Everard is looking for an appointment in the consular service.

A Great Gambling Place.

The national capital is a great gambling place, and poker is poked at everybody in every hotel and boarding house. One of the old men about town, formerly a leader in society, in politics, and in church, as well as a popular member of several clubs, says: "I have lived in nearly every large city of the east, but I really think that Washington is the greatest poker place I was ever in. They play at the clubs—that is to be expected—they play it in the rear of many barrooms and cigar stores, and they play it on the quiet in many home salons of our best people. Ladies there join and bet two pairs with as much pluck as though born gamblers. But probably the worst evil in this direction is in the club rooms—incorporated as literary and social clubs, but really for the purpose of gambling. I can point you out five on Pennsylvania avenue from Ninth to Fortieth street, where a man's money is only safe as long as he can outwit the cheaters. The commissioners, I understand, are powerless to remedy this thing as the law now stands, but it is certainly a great pity, for many of our brightest young men are wrecking their fortunes in these dives."

Peculiar in Many Ways.

That is very true. Washington life is peculiar in many ways, and its bright avenues and homes are strewn with as many social wrecks as a storm-ridden coast. A venerable looking gentleman, whose garb had the unmistakable stamp of shabby genteel, approached a group standing in front of Willard's this morning, and, calling one of them aside, poured into his ear a pitiful story of want and suffering. He stated that he had not tasted food for two days, except what little he could get at the free-lunch counters of restaurants. Scarcely eighteen months ago this same man was a $1,000 clerk in the treasury department, while in dress he was the picture of neatness and good taste. Those who knew him always looked upon him as a man of good habits, and the knowledge that he is in want of the necessaries of life, after having been in government service for nearly a score of years, is a marvel to most of them. He did not drink and gambling, in some form or other, probably used up the substance of the money which came easy and went easier.

Three Card Monte in Europe.

The devices of crooks are no longer used in Washington, or any eastern cities by gamblers, except away down in the basements of intelligence where newspaper light cannot penetrate. But three card monte went to Europe with Buffalo Bill, and prospered there. Of course, Buffalo Bill had no more to do with taking "monte" to Europe with him than he had with taking with him the Indian-loving vermin. But the game went along just the same. The British monte sharps have plied their trade on all the great lines running out of London, usually selecting Americans as their victims. A well-dressed, military-looking man enters a first-class carriage, takes no notice of his fellow passengers, and is absorbed in reviews and periodicals. At some station on the line there enter two other military-looking gentlemen, who fall to discussing army estimates and dynamite guns. The conversation turns at last upon a trick that one of them had seen played at the wild west show. Had any one in the carriage any cards? No, but the taciturn gentleman had three photographs in his pocket, including one of the Prince of Wales. Would they do? Certainly. Then in a bungling way the sharper proceeded to explain the trick, asking the others to follow the Prince of Wales.

Won from His Friend.

As he pretended to become more expert he won from his friend, who laughed heartily at the conceit. The Americans present, though, had seen the trick so often that they could follow the prince's photograph every time. At last they are led into the game, with the usual results. A United States army officer, who is one of the cleverest fellows I ever knew, told me he was "roped" in like this the other day on his way to Liverpool and lost $120 before he had the faintest idea that he was in the hands of sharpers. "And deuced agreeable fellows there were, too," he added sadly.

Room for Gambling.

To say that every hotel in Washington has a gambling hall would make every hotelkeeper angry, and it might be a slight exaggeration. Nevertheless, it is true that in almost every leading hotel and apartment house there is a room set apart for the men who gamble; and the majority, of them are men of national prominence and fame. There is a sable waiter at the door who permits no one to enter except the regular players. He brings the bottles for them, lights their cigars, and attends to all of their desires. Every night, or before daybreak, that black man gets a coin or a bill from each player, and during the last winter season he made between $150 and $200 a month out of the generosity of the gentlemen. Nobody could induce that old black fellow to give the name of a member of the poker club. He was raised in Louisiana, his master was a steamboat gambler, and the black man is himself an expert with cards. Early in the evenings, before he goes to wait on his "quality folks," he can be found down in the basement near the elevator shaft, gambling with hotel servants, and robbing them of their salaries. He can do fantastic tricks with cards that would make Herman and Heller howl with envy. Then, as a crap-shooter, he is the pride of negro society. He is worthy of a sketch concerning himself alone, and he shall have it one of these days.

DUNBAR.

Forest fires are raging in the mountains of eastern Kentucky and West Virginia, and are devastating a wide stretch of country. At least four farm houses are reported to have been burned on the Virginia side before the farmers could check the advance. A mountaineer died while fighting the fire with a flail.

THE DAY FIXED.

Legislature Decides to End Its Session on May 31.

The House, in Committee of the Whole, Agrees to Measures Increasing Taxes of Railroad Companies—Other Gossip.

[Special Correspondence.]

Lansing, May 12.—Both houses of the legislature have agreed to adjourn May 31.

Railroad legislation occupied the attention of the lower house of the state legislature Tuesday, with scarcely an intermission. The bill providing for the local taxation of railroad property in lieu of specific taxation by the state was discussed at length in committee of the whole, and was finally agreed to. The bill reducing passenger fares in the lower peninsula to two cents a mile was under discussion for several hours in committee of the whole. Col. John Atkinson led the anti-railroad forces and many arguments were made on both sides. The bill was finally agreed to without amendment, the vote being 37 to 33. It will, of course, require 51 votes in order to pass the bill on third reading, and this number, it is believed, cannot be obtained. Gov. Pingree is strongly in favor of the bills agreed to Tuesday, and strongly opposed to the Merriam bill, which increases the specific taxes of Michigan railroads about $200,000. If this bill is passed the governor says he will veto it.

Gov. Pingree has vetoed the bill to prohibit the sale of tobacco and cigarettes to persons under 17 years of age. Besides providing for the punishment of persons who should sell tobacco to children the bill contained a clause providing a fine and imprisonment for children below the age of 17 years who should be found guilty of using the weed. The governor does not believe in laws that will cause the arrest of children. He declares the habits of children to be a matter for parental correction and not the concern of the state. The governor would favor a high-license bill or one that would impose a heavy fine upon dealers convicted of selling tobacco to children.

The work on all of the appropriation bills for this session has progressed far enough to approximately estimate what the size of the budget will be. Two years ago the budget was $3,071,000. This year it will be at least $300,000 less and probably $500,000 less. Two years ago there was a large deficiency to meet which does not exist this year.

Chairman Baker, of the silver democratic state committee, sent to the legislature a communication in which he denounced the present election law as a law to "encourage fraud and deception at the polls," and claimed that the increase in the gold democratic vote this spring was due to errors in voting. He demanded a radical change in the law, and threatened, if this were not made, to contest the election of all republican congressmen chosen at the next election on the ground that the existing law prevents a free expression of the popular will.

Three important life insurance bills were put to death through the agency of adverse committee reports in the senate. One required every company doing business in Michigan to have a resident director. Another required that at least 40 per cent. of the gross premiums collected in Michigan be invested in this state, and the third required that two per cent. of the guarantee fund be deposited with the treasurer of this state as a guarantee for policyholders.

There was an interesting fight in the house between the Bell and Independent Telephone companies. The latter had a bill providing for a maximum rental of telephones which practically cut the prevailing Bell rate in half. Representative Billings, the author of the bill, offered a resolution taking it from the committee, where it was opposed by a majority, and placing it on the general order. There was a sharp conflict, but the Independent people were victorious, and the bill was taken from the committee by a vote of 37 to 32. It fixes the maximum rate in cities of 130,000 population or upward at $45 for the business 'phones, and $30 for residence 'phones; less than 150,000 and exceeding 50,000, $36 and $24; and in cities below 50,000, $30 and $20, with an additional allowance of two dollars per quarter for service outside a one-mile radius from telephone headquarters.

The liquor committee has reported a bill to give saloonists the right to sell liquor on New Year's, Fourth of July and Labor day. Chairman Moore and I. D. Dickinson, of the committee, threaten to make a minority report.

Gov. Pingree sent the following appointments to the senate, and they were confirmed: Charles R. Miller, of Adrian, member board of managers of Mackinaw Island park; A. B. Darragh, of St. Louis, member of board of trustees of Michigan asylum for dangerous and criminal insane at Ionia; Edward H. Doyle, of Wyandotte, and Otto F. Schmidt, of Detroit, jury commissioners for Wayne county.

EMMETT.

Thousands for Michigan Schools.

Lansing, May 9.—The semiannual distribution of primary school interest money, to be made by Superintendent of Public Instruction Hammond to-day, will dispose of $376,733.16 among the several counties of the state. There are 697,654 children of school age in the state and the distribution is on a basis of 54 cents per capita.

Menominee, May 12.—In the circuit court William Cordes secured a verdict of $1,000 damages against W. O. and W. S. Carpenter. The action was brought to recover damages to crops and orchards done by fire running from the Carpenter farm on the plaintiff's land. The case will be carried to the supreme court.

J. B. Mass, one of the oldest and best known mining men on the Marquette range, died suddenly of paralysis at his home at Negaunee.

The employees of the Akron, Bedford and Cleveland railway in Ohio have been notified that their wages would be increased from date from 17 to 20 cents per hour.

Emil Oelbermann, president of the German American insurance company, died suddenly at his residence in Cologne, Germany.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 11th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David D. Meeker, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William D. Meeker, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate may be granted to Fred'k B. Wood or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Rose Abbot, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the store of Alva Spayde in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 17th day of May, 1897, and on the 17th day of November, 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 17th day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, April 15th, 1897.

B. T. GARLINGHOUSE,
ALVA SPAYDE,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
GEO. B. GRAY,
Commissioners.

Dated, April 24th, 1897.

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LAST WEEK AT LANSING

It was as the Most Important of the Legislative Session.

PINGREE'S MESSAGE ON TAXATION.

It Was Replete with Facts and Statistics Culled from the Reports of This and Other States—Memorial from the Campaign Committee of the Silver Democratic Party—Another Setback for Corporations.

Lansing, Mich., May 11.—Last week was in many respects the most important of the legislative session. In the house the greater part of the week was devoted to considering important bills which came up on special order. Some of these measures were disposed of so far as the house is concerned, but have yet to be considered in the senate and may bear an altogether different appearance when the upper house has finished with them than they do at present.

Two unusual documents which were sent to the legislature helped make the week a notable one. The most important of these, of course, was Governor Pingree's special message on the subject of taxation, a very carefully prepared and exhaustive document. It was replete with facts and statistics, culled from the reports of this and other states, in favor of his proposition that the roads should be taxed on their capitalized value rather than on their earnings, as at present. Comparisons were made with the methods of dealing with railroads in the matter of taxation in Ohio, Indiana and Michigan, to the great disparagement of this state, so far as the revenue derived from this source is concerned. The governor showed that while Michigan receives but an average of $750,000 annually from railroad taxation, Indiana, with over 1,300 less miles of road, receives $2,225,000.

The Governor's Contention.

He contended that the roads were not bearing within 60 per cent. of their just share of taxation in this state as compared with the rate paid by the individual property owners, and insisted that the fact that the roads were earning little or nothing just at present was no argument in favor of reducing or not increasing their tax rate. In support of this contention he cited the potent fact that there was no reduction in the tax assessed against store buildings or dwelling houses because they are without tenants. It was noticeable that the governor said little about his heretofore pet theory of the local taxation of railroads, but rather insisted that the lion's share of the taxes derived from this source should go to the support of the primary schools. Telephone, telegraph and other quasi-public corporations were included in the list of those whose taxes should be materially increased in justice to the balance of the taxpayers of the state.

The other document to which reference was made was in the form of a memorial presented by Fred A. Baker and Frank L. Dodge, respectively chairman of the state central committee and chairman of the campaign committee of the silver Democratic party. They denounced the existing election law as an act "to encourage fraud and deception at the polls," and were especially bitter in their criticism of the so-called anti-fusion law. The claim was made that under the provision of the law relative to vignettes over the party tickets thousands of silver men were this spring unwittingly led to vote the gold Democratic ticket.

Demanded Radical Changes.

The gentlemen mentioned demanded that radical changes be made in this law, threatening, if this were not done, to contest the election of every Republican returned to congress from this state at the next general election on the ground that the law is a "contrivance to defeat the free expression of the popular will." The memorial attracted attention because of its unusual nature, but it was referred to a committee and will probably never be heard of again.

Last week was not a good one for the corporations, although subsequent developments may prove that they were not so hard hit as present indications would warrant one in believing, they were. The most staggering blow they received was the action of the senate in passing the Merriam bill increasing the rate of specific tax paid by railroad companies by an average of nearly 1 per cent. The companies pay taxes on their gross earning, and on the basis of the earning of last year the increase provided by this bill will increase the revenue of the state from railroads by nearly $200,000 annually. There is no doubt whatever that the bill will pass the house, if indeed that body does not take a notion to make the increase greater than that fixed by the senate. The fact that all the railroad sympathizers in the senate voted for the Merriam bill, not a vote being recorded against it in the upper house is regarded by some of the opposition with suspicion. They profess to believe that it was given a unanimous vote in the hope that its passage would serve to kill off all the other so-called anti-railroad bills, the final consideration of which in the house is the special order for tomorrow. Time alone will tell if this suspicion is well-founded.

Setback for Corporations.

The corporations received another setback last Friday when the house took from the committee on private corporations the bill fixing a maximum rate for telephone service. This was a struggle between the independent and Bell telephone companies and, so far as this round counts, the former won, the committee having, by a majority vote, decided to pigeon-hole the bill. It may prove a barren victory, however, for there is grave doubt of the measure passing the house. It fixes a maximum rate graded on the population of the city, the rate in each case being nearly 50 per cent. below what the Bell company has been in the habit of charging. It was not such a bill as the independent companies most desired, however. The measure which they strenuously advocated fixed a minimum instead of a maximum rate. In other words it provided that if the Bell company, in order to freeze out an adversary, dropped to a nominal rate in any city, that rate should govern in all cities of the same class throughout the state, the cities being classified in the bill on the basis of population. The committee was unanimously of the opinion that his bill was clearly unconstitutional inasmuch as it would wholly eliminate competition. The Bell people are equally as confident that the maximum bill is constitutional.

Uniform System of Text Books.

Another bill of great public importance which went through the house last week and is now pending in the senate was the Graham-Forsyth bill to establish a uniform system of text books in Michigan. It is claimed that the bill will effect a saving of 50 per cent. in the cost of school text books. It is a significant fact, however, that the educators of the state are a unit in opposition to the bill. Last week the annual meeting of the state association of city school superintendents was held here and resolutions condemning the bill were adopted by a unanimous rising vote right on the heels of an hour's speech by Senator Forsyth in its favor. The resolutions says that such a law "would cause an expenditure by the parents of the state of over $500,000 with no material benefit; that it would not bring about any of the fancied blessings of state uniformity; that it would not materially cheapen text books; that it would open the way for vastly inferior books; that it would centralize too greatly the power of text book adoption; that it would stand in the way of a compulsory free text book law which would secure all the advantages claimed for this bill and avoid its serious and calamitous provisions." The association concluded by appealing to the senate to kill the bill and "save the state from the impending disaster attendant upon its passage." The impression prevails that the bill stands an excellent show of passing the senate in spite of the vigorous opposition that is being made.

Killed in the Senate.

A bill fathered by the state fish commission and designed to yield the state an annual revenue of about $25,000, was killed by the house a few days ago. This bill sought to inflict an annual license fee on commercial fishermen, the theory of the commission being that as these operators are the ones who get the benefit of the work of the state in stocking the great lakes with fry they should stand a portion of the expense of carrying on the work. A majority of the house could not see the matter in that light, however. The other commission bill passed the house. This makes the closed season for trout and white fish during November and December, and increases the size of the mesh in the various kinds of nets used by commercial fishermen, thus increasing the size of the fish that may be legally taken. In order that the fishermen may not suffer the loss of nets now in stock the bill provides that these may be used until 1900, but that all nets purchased after that date must be of the mesh designated therein. The provisions as to meshes are as follows: An increase of ½ inch in the mesh of a pound net, making 4½ inches as used, not as purchased; an increase of ¼ inch in the mesh of a gill net, making it 4¾ inches as used; prohibiting the catching of white fish that weigh less than two pounds in the round, providing, however, that white fish weighing less than two pounds which are caught in gill nets may be marketed; prohibiting the catching of sturgeon or rock sturgeon weighing less than fifteen pounds in the round. The commission is empowered to grant permits for the use of smaller meshes for bringing fishing. There appears to be a growing antagonism among the legislators to the bill making an appropriation for the fish commission, and the indications that it will be badly slashed are daily becoming more apparent.

Liquor Bill Acted Upon.

Two important bills have been acted upon by the house liquor committee lately. One of these sought to permit the use of screens to obstruct the view of bars from the street on Sunday and during other prohibition hours. The claim was made that the provision of the present law requiring an unobstructed view of the bar had worked gross injustice in several instances, saloonkeepers being heavily fined for keeping their saloons open during prohibited hours, when, in fact, they were in their saloons for purely innocent purposes. The committee decided to report the bill unfavorably notwithstanding this claim. A majority of the committee have decided to make a favorable report on the bill permitting saloons to keep open on New Year's Day, Fourth of July and Labor Day. Two members of the committee will make an adverse report and the bill will doubtless be defeated, the disposition of the members being to not lessen the restrictions placed about the liquor traffic.

Both houses have finally agreed on May 31 as the time for adjournment, although they are apart as to the day when all business except the enrollment of bills, etc., shall cease. This difference being but one day will doubtless be adjusted during the present week. It is evident that if the legislature is to finally adjourn on the day named a large number of important bills will remain unacted upon. Just what they will be cannot, of course, be known at this time, but it is a fact that there are at present a sufficient number of important bills, including appropriation bills, on the general order of the house alone to occupy every moment of the time of that body up to the last day of the month if they are to be given anything like the consideration which their importance demands. Aside from these there are several hundred bills still in the hands of the various committees. In view of this fact the slaughter to ensue if the legislature vanishes with the month is something frightful to contemplate.

To Prevent Diseases.

Both houses have now passed the bill appropriating $2,500 annually for carrying out the provisions of the law requiring that there be taught in the public schools of the state the best methods of preventing and restricting dangerous communicable diseases. This fund is handled by the state board of health, upon which devolves the duty of furnishing the teachers throughout the state with the required data. This information is compiled in pamphlet form and is corrected from time to time as conditions change so that it is always up to date. A canvass of the fifty or more superintendents of schools who attended the annual meeting of the city superintendents' association last week shows that both teachers and pupils have entered most heartily into this work, and that the results are, without exception, most gratifying in all the schools. It is looked upon as one of the most important features of the work.

JAMES V. BARRY.

A. E. Stevenson, ex-vice president of the United States; Senator Wolcott and General Paine, who comprise the commission appointed by President McKinley to visit Europe in the interests of bimetallism, started for the Old World Saturday.

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One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration.".

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vistage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

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Mrs. C. M. Stutzman cured of blood and skin disease of twelve years standing.

Mrs. L. E. Lambert cured of varicose ulcers on limb.

Miss Ella Crane cured of bronchial trouble and lung disease.

Miss B. H. cured of female weakness after being treated by many noted physicians.

Mrs. W. W. Bennett says also that she had lost her sense of smell and became partially deaf by catarrh in the head and could not sleep for constant coughing and pain through the lungs, also had female trouble. She says she will testify to anyone that Dr. Walker saved her life. She has gained thirty pounds and is well.

Miss Elizabeth Ball writes, after being a great sufferer for a number of years with neuralgia in the head and stomach: I am cured. I feel as though I have got into a new world. I cannot praise the doctor enough for his skill in my case.

Dr. Walker's specialties are diseases of Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs and all chronic, private and nervous diseases and deformities, as Granulated Lids, Cross Eyes, Deafness, Discharge of the Ears, Bronchitis, Chronic Cough, Goitre (big neck) Fever Sores and Ulcers, Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Heart, Stomach and Nervous Diseases; Chorea (St. Vitus Dance), Epilepsy (fits), General Debility, Scrofula, Skin Diseases and all diseases due to bad blood; also rectal diseases.

I will give special attention to difficult cases and to cases other physicians have failed to cure.

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Question blanks sent on application. Enclose stamp for reply. Those unable to see the doctor can address

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Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

Attention Farmers!

Tipton, March, 7, '97.

Messrs. Orr & Temple.,

I purchased a bottle of Texas De Horner last spring and used it on two calves.

It stopped the growth of horn and did not inconvenience the calves at all. They are now eleven months old and no signs of any horns.

I would recommend it in preference to any other way of Dehorning. Your truly,

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Java and Mocha coffee,	30c lb.
San Marto Blend coffee,	25c lb.
Rio and Java coffee,	20c lb.
Choice Rio Coffee,	15c lb.

We are giving one box of toilet soap free with every pound of our 50c

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P. S. Highest price paid for Butter and eggs.

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Report of the Condition of

TECUMSEH

State Savings Bank,

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, May 14, 1897.

Resources.	Dollars.
Loans and discounts	$44730 51
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	10520 00
Overdrafts	2 92
Banking house	3991 00
Furniture and fixtures	1398 65
Due from banks in reserve cities	13376 81
Checks and cash items	148 79
Nickels and cents	39 47
Gold coin	2519 40
Silver coin	700 10
U. S. and National Bank Notes	8847 00
Total	86157 65

Liabilities.	Dollars.
Capital stock paid in	$20000 00
Surplus fund	1000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	310 14
Dividends unpaid	24 00
Commercial deposits subject to check	23334 16
Commercial certificates of deposit	24800 45
Saving Deposits	10488 90
Total	86157 65

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF LENAWEE, ss.

I, J. H. Smith, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1897. GEO. W. KNAPP, Notary Public.

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TOO COOL FOR CROPS.

Poor Growing Weather Hinders the Farmers in Most States.

Chicago, May 19. — The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Light frosts did no damage, farm work hindered by excessive rain. But little corn planted, ground too wet to plow. Oats mostly sown, some coming up and turning yellow on low land. Wheat, rye, barley and grass prospered; tobacco thriving. Peaches practically a failure; apples and cherries promising; other fruits fair. Raspberries and strawberries light in sections, but other berries show well.

Michigan—Field work progressed favorably during early part of week, but delayed by showers since Thursday. Much ground too wet for plowing and proper germination of oats. Corn and potato planting quite generally begun. Weather very favorable for winter wheat and rye and meadows and new clover and they are mostly in very good condition.

Indiana—Cool wet weather still delayed plowing and planting corn. Wheat improved, is jointing. Rye heading, clover blooming, oats growing slowly, fruit full of bloom except peaches.

Illinois—Week generally favorable for work, but too cold for good growth; corn planting continues slowly as soil requires much working; about one-third of the crop to plant yet; the early planted is coming up with good stand. Oats, spring wheat and grasses excellent; rye and little remaining winter wheat fair, both heading generally; chinch bugs developing. Gardens and early potatoes making slow growth; fruits very promising except peaches.

Iowa.—Cool winds and cloudy weather checked crop growth. Fair progress made in planting corn and bulk of acreage will be planted by the 22d. Fruit apparently unharmed by frosts.

Wisconsin—Week cool with light frosts Friday and Saturday, but no damage. Some corn planted, but farmers generally waiting for warmer weather. Frequent light showers, but warm rain needed. Oats, spring wheat and rye doing well. Fruit prospects only fair.

WASHINGTON'S MONUMENT.

Philadelphia's Tribute to the Father of His Country Unveiled.

Philadelphia, May 17.—Here in the city which first placed on his brow the laurel crown of achievement, the memory of George Washington, the soldier, the statesman, and the man, was honored in monumental bronze Saturday.

It was a notable gathering, and representative of the country, including the president, the vice president and the cabinet officers; its defenders in the officers and privates of the army and navy, and its best blood, in the direct descendants of the molders and makers of the nation. Maj. William Wayne, president of the Cincinnati, who formally presented the monument to the city, traces his lineage straight to Mad Anthony; and William W. Porter, the orator of the day, is a grandson of David Rittenhouse Porter, twice governor of Pennsylvania, and a great-grandson of Gen. Andrew Porter, who was on Washington's staff in the revolution. Thus no historic interest was wanting to stimulate enthusiasm.

The actual unveiling ceremony was impressively simple. Bishop Whitaker opened with prayer, and Maj. Wayne followed with an appropriate address. Then came the unveiling by President McKinley and the resultant clamor augmented by the national salute of 21 guns by the artillery and by the foreign and American war vessels in the Delaware. This concluded, President McKinley spoke briefly. The oration was then delivered by Mr. Porter. The formal presentation of the memorial by the society to the city was made by Maj. Wayne to Mayor Warwick, with short addresses by both, and then the mayor transferred it to the Fairmount park commission, which body exercises jurisdiction over the great pleasure ground.

PERISHED IN THEIR HOME.

Forest Fires Burn Three Children of a Wisconsin Farmer.

Milwaukee, May 18.—A special to the Wisconsin from Shawano says Martin Wicks and wife, who live near Gresham, this county, left their home Monday morning to look after some stock that had strayed away. During their absence forest fires spread over the farm and destroyed the house. Three small children who had been left alone perished.

Cost His Fortune.

St. Louis, May 19.—Something of the legal expenses of a fight for life were exhibited when an inventory of the estate of Arthur Duestrow was filed Tuesday. Duestrow was hanged some months ago for the murder of his wife and child. At the time of his death he was accredited a millionaire. According to the inventory there is only $8,742 and a handful of cents left of that goodly sum.

Tortured for His Money.

Dayton, O., May 18.—Sunday morning four men tortured James Dunlop until he told where his money was hid and then secured $1,000 and escaped. They bound him on the bed and burned his feet with a candle. When the pain became unbearable he told the robbers that the money was concealed in an old clock. The robbers took it and fled.

Dubuque, Ia., May 18.—Joseph A. Rhomberg, proprietor of the Dubuque street railway, died of paralysis while on the street in his carriage. He was one of the oldest and most noted residents of this city.

Entire Family Murdered.

Helena, Mont., May 19.—William H. Hamilton, a contractor, his wife, his son Lee, aged 19, and his daughter Elizabeth, aged 18, were murdered in a small village near here and robbed of $500.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

Senators Discuss the Cuban Question—Americans Need Aid—The House Also Called to Act—Other Capital News.

Washington, May 13.—The Morgan Cuban resolution went over in the senate yesterday for a day to permit the committee on foreign relations to present a statement. Senator Gallinger (N. H.) presented an amendment which he proposes to offer to the tariff bill against goods which are the product of convict labor. Bills were passed as follows: For the relief of certain citizens of Montana claiming the benefits of the homestead laws; granting to Montana 50,000 acres of land in aid of an asylum for the blind; appropriating $174,000 to Charles P. Chouteau for extra work on the ironclad Etlah. The immigration and the kinetoscope bills were reached, but went over on objection.

Washington, May 14.—Senator Gallinger introduced a resolution in the senate yesterday for an appropriation of $50,000 to relieve the Americans in distress in Cuba. The sugar investigation and the tariff bill caused some agitation. The committee on finance announced that action on the tariff measure would begin on the 24th inst. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, May 18.—In the senate yesterday a special message was received from President McKinley reciting that great suffering existed among American subjects in Cuba and asking for an appropriation of $50,000 for their relief. The request was granted unanimously. Senator McEnery (La.) gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the tariff bill striking out the senate amendment in the sugar schedule and reinserting the house provisions in regard to sugar. The nominations of Frank A. Vanderlip, of Illinois, to be assistant secretary of the treasury and Brig. Gen. Zenas R. Bliss to be major general were received from the president.

Washington, May 19.—Senator Stewart (Nev.) gave notice in the senate yesterday of an amendment which he would offer to the tariff bill providing that there shall be, at all times, a reserve fund in the treasury of $50,000,000. Senator Mason (Ill.) spoke in favor of recognizing Cuban belligerency and Senator Hoar (Mass.) spoke against it.

The House.

Washington, May 14.—In the house yesterday the Indian appropriation bill was disposed of. Mr. Castle (Cal.) introduced a joint resolution for the recognition of the belligerent rights of the Cubans. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, May 18.—In the house yesterday Mr. Hitt (Ill.) asked for the immediate consideration of a bill to appropriate $50,000 for the relief of destitute Americans in Cuba, but Mr. Bailey (Tex.) objected, and action went over. Before adjourning until Thursday Mr. Cochran (Mo.) introduced a resolution for submitting to the legislatures of the states an amendment to the constitution, which follows:

"An income tax shall not be construed as a direct tax within the meaning of Section 2 and Section 9 of Article 1 of the constitution; but the congress shall have power to levy and collect a tax on incomes derived from any source whatever without regard to apportionment or enumeration."

Exports and Imports.

Washington, May 15.—For the ten months of the present fiscal year the exports of domestic merchandise exceeded those of the same period of 1896 by over $151,000,000. The imports were $66,000,000 less than for the same period last year. During the last ten months the excess of gold imports over exports was $58,482,106, and the exports of silver exceeded the imports by $42,313,692.

Immigration.

Washington, May 15.—The number of immigrant arrivals in this country during the nine months ended March 31 was 142,941, against 209,630 for the same period in 1896, a decrease of 66,689.

Population of Washington.

Washington, May 17.—A police census of Washington, which has just been taken, shows that the population of the capital is 277,483. Of this number 87,653 are negroes. No other city in the United States has so many.

Creditors to Receive Dividends.

Washington, May 18. — The comptroller of the currency has declared dividends in favor of the creditors of insolvent national banks as follows: Ten per cent., the Keystone national bank of Superior, West Superior, Wis.; ten per cent., the First national bank of East Saginaw, Mich.; five per cent., the National Bank of Illinois, Chicago.

Washington, May 18.—Elverton P. Chapman, the recalcitrant sugar trust witness who refused to answer a senate committee's questions as to whether he had acted as a broker for any senators in speculations in sugar trust, occupies a cell at the District jail, and will continue therein for 25 days. Chapman surrendered himself to United States Marshal Wilson at four o'clock Monday, in accordance with an understanding previously reached.

New Orleans, May 15.—While the river is still stationary, the dangers from its fall are already becoming apparent. The banks in the Fifth district are beginning to crumble as the waters recede. The alarm has been sounded and watchfulness will be exercised on all the levee lines.

A SPECIAL MESSAGE.

President Urges Congress to Aid Americans in Cuba.

The Senate Promptly Passes a Resolution Appropriating $50,000—Delay in the House—Calhoun Makes a Report.

Washington, May 17.—W. J. Calhoun, special commissioner to Cuba, has sent in his first report, not on the Ruiz case, which it was said would occupy his whole attention, but on affairs of the island. Mr. Calhoun says:

"I, of course, have not had time to make a thorough investigation, but the information I have obtained warrants me in saying that affairs on the island are in a deplorable state and that the reports you have received regarding the destitute condition of American citizens are by no means exaggerated. But I am not at this time prepared to advise immediate relief, as the means of successful distribution are doubtful. Will communicate later."

The President's Message.

Washington, May 18.—The president on Monday sent a message to congress urging that $50,000 be appropriated, to be immediately available under the direction of the secretary of state, for the relief of destitute American citizens in Cuba. Prompt action was taken by the senate, which passed without division a resolution in accordance with the recommendation of the president.

Mr. Hitt (Ill.) introduced a similar resolution in the house, but immediate consideration was blocked by Mr. Bailey (Tex.), who insisted that an amendment be added embodying Senator Morgan's resolution for the recognition of the Cuban insurgents. Mr. Dingley (Me.) objected to the amendment, whereupon Mr. Bailey objected to the resolution and the whole matter was sidetracked.

Following is the message of the president as read in the senate:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States: Official information from our consuls in Cuba establishes the fact that a large number of American citizens in the island are in a state of destitution, suffering for want of food and medicines. This applies particularly to the rural districts of the central and eastern parts.

"The agricultural classes have been forced from their farms into the nearest towns where they are without work or money.

"The local authorities of the several towns, however kindly disposed, are unable to relieve the needs of their own people and are altogether powerless to help our citizens.

"The latest report of Consul General Lee estimates 600 to 800 Americans are without means of support. I have assured him that provision would be made at once to relieve them. To that end I recommend that congress make an appropriation of not less than $50,000 to be immediately available for use under the direction of the secretary of state.

"It is desirable that a part of the sum which may be appropriated by congress should, in the discretion of the secretary of state also be used for the transportation of American citizens who desiring to return to the United States are without means to do so.

"(Signed) WILLIAM M'KINLEY.
"Executive Mansion, May 17, 1897."

Memorial in Behalf of Cuba.

New York, May 18.—Firms and individuals in this city who are interested in trade with Cuba and who desire peace in the island as soon as possible have sent to the secretary of state a memorial setting forth how their business interests are suffering and giving facts about the struggle in Cuba, in the hope that measures may be devised to terminate the war in the island.

MURDER CHARGED.

A Rich Sausage Maker in Chicago Accused of Killing His Wife.

Chicago, May 18.—Adolph L. Luetgert, a rich sausage maker, is a prisoner in the East Chicago avenue police station on the charge of strangling his wife, boiling her body in a vat of diabolical fluid and then throwing the few remaining bones upon the red-hot steam pipes of his big factory smokehouse. This is the story of the police. Luetgert maintains a stolid indifference, and says he is innocent, but the police have woven around him a chain of circumstantial evidence which they claim will convince any jury of his guilt.

Three Drowned.

Philadelphia, May 17.—By the overturning of a small pleasure boat Saturday afternoon on the Schuylkill river three persons lost their lives. They were Mrs. James Ewen and Misses Eleanore and Jessie Davis, aged respectively ten and eight years. The 12 other occupants of the boat were also thrown into the river, but were rescued by men who put out from shore in rowboats. The husband of the drowned woman was among those rescued, as was also the mother of the two unfortunate little girls.

Defiance, O., May 15.—Godfrey Ake, aged 34, made a small cannon out of a gas pipe and loaded it with nails and scrap iron. After fastening it to a bench he seated himself in a chair with his breast against the muzzle and with a heated wire ignited the powder.

Had Money to Burn.

Carthage, Ill., May 18.—Mr. Bissell, a farmer living east of here, had faith neither in his family nor in banks. He hid his money up a flue and the next day his wife put up a stove and started a fire, burning up $3,000 in bank notes and melting $500 in gold.

A Fast Gunboat.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 15. — The United States gunboat Nashville covered the 60-mile course on Long Island sound on her official trip in 3:35:29, averaging 16.7 knots, and making her the fastest vessel of her class in the world.

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CLINTON

Mrs. Bell Mills is still quite sick.

Miss Emma Sturm has a new wheel.

A great number of cases of measles in town.

W. R. Amspoker, of Ann Arbor, was in town Monday.

A. F. Kishpaugh was a Britton visitor Monday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Rose visited friends at Tecumseh Sunday.

Steve Huntington returned from Chicago Monday morning.

The work of repairing the M. E church was begun Monday.

Guy Belding and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Wm. Waterhouse visited her daughters at Ypsilanti over Sunday.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife were up from Britton Sunday, calling on friends.

H. Osborne and wife, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Tuesday.

Frank Wallinger and family, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton relatives Sunday.

H. G. Shekell took advantage of the excursion and visited Toledo last Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Montgomery, of Tecumseh, was a Sunday guest at E. VanDeMark's.

Miss Sara Huntington was home over Sunday accompanied by an Adrian friend.

Mrs. Chas Becker, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting Clinton friends since Tuesday.

Misses Lotta Blanchard and Celia Brewster were Tecumseh visitors last Saturday.

Gern Lowe, of Hudson, spent from Saturday till Tuesday with Miss Eva VanTuyle.

Frank Parker and Leon Clark came home on Leon's tandem Monday returning Tuesday.

W. H. Niblack moved his family and household goods to Macon the latter part of last week.

Elwin Stansfield returned Thursday night of last week, from a visit of a few days at South Bend, Ind.

Misses Lovina Schreder and Iva Elliott, of Tecumseh, visited Miss Abbie Chandler Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lindsley drove to Ann Arbor Wednesday, expecting to remain the rest of the week.

Mrs. H. R. Halladay, who has been spending the winter with a son at Bedford, O., returned home Wednesday.

Roy Hughes, Earl Updyke and Merton Burlingame came up from Tecumseh Saturday to see the ball game.

Miss Alice McAdam and Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh went to Adrian Friday afternoon for a two days' visit with relatives.

At a meeting of the Alumni last Tuesday evening, it was decided to have both the banquet and program private this year.

At St. John's Episcopal church Sunday morning the rector, W. R. Blachford, will preach to the members of the Grand Army.

L. W. Kimball drove to Ann Arbor Saturday after his wife who had been spending the past week there. They returned Sunday.

Lyman Hause came up from Britton Saturday and his daughter, Mrs. H. R. Hause, returned with him, expecting to remain several days.

S. F. Marsteller was called on Thursday of last week to Fairmont, W. Va., by a telegram stating that his sister was very dangerously ill.

E. W. Shoemaker arrived here Saturday night from Cincinnati and returned Monday, accompanied by his wife and son. They will make their home at Covington, Ky.

The Adrian College team came here Saturday afternoon determined to do up our local team, but were doomed to disappointment. Harris pitched 5 innings and the college boys secured only 4 hits and 4 runs off from him. Then to even up the game Clinton's 16-year-old pitcher was put in the box and was hit freely by the visitors. The score was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Adrian College	0	1	2	0	1	3	1	5	3	16	14	7
Clinton	7	4	2	1	1	1	2	0	*	18	20	6

Batteries—Adrian, Steele and Hammond; Clinton, Harris, Martin and Gillen. Struck out—Harris 11, Martin 3, Steele 6.

MACON.

Mrs. Calvin Davenport is quite sick at this writing.

Frank Thomas made a business trip to Battle Creek, the first of the week.

Miss Blanch Mills and John Howell were home from Blissfield over Sunday.

Maynard Hatch came home from Addison Saturday and remained over Supday.

Memorial services will be held at the M. E church next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. Lester Coller, and Mrs. Robert Bard have been under the doctors care, the past week.

Topic for E. L. meeting for May 23rd is, "The Path of the Just:" Prov. 4 18. Leader, Isaiah Hendershot.

William Niblack is moving his family and household goods from Clinton, and will occupy a part of his house.

On Wednesday evening, May 26th, an entertainment will be given at the Reformed Church under the anspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. Mr. Moss of Ann Arbor, lecturer and entertainer, has been secured to give a number of readings. Music will be furnished by a male quartette of Britton, also by Mrs. Florence Harrington and Miss Jennie Mills, guitar and mandolin. All are cordially invited, as we feel sure you will be amply repaid. Admission 10c.

The following program will be rendered at the cemetery, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Music, "American Liberty"—Male Quartette.
Prayer.
Recitation—Ella Burleson.
Reading, "Lincoln's Speech at Getysburg"—George Rendel.
Music—Mixed Quartette.
Recitation, —Minnie Higdon.
Cornet Solo,—Clare Camburn.
Address—Rev. C. J. Deyo.
Roll Call of Deceased Soldiers.
Song, "They sleep in their Country's blue"—Male Quartette.
Decorating Graves
Music,—Mixed Quartette.
G. A. R. Memorial Services at the monument
Music, America—All.
Benediction.

CONE.

B. W. Ellis was in Toledo Wednesday.

Dr. Howell and John Reeves were Tecumseh visitors Monday.

Mrs. Reuben Howard, of Ashley, called on Cone friends Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Libstaff, of Toledo, is visiting friends here for a few days.

A new bell has been placed on the schoolhouse in the Cone district.

Bertie Silk, of Milwaukee, visited his aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Auten, the first of the week.

Alfred Ballou and Aaron Auten, of Auburndale, O., visited friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Allan Corbett and Miss Grace Barr visited the latter's parents in Raisinville Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Maria Dubois and Mrs. Carrie Hillack and daughter Vivia, of Britton, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Margaret Dennison, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cochran and daughters, Alma and Margie, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Caswell Saturday and Sunday.

LITERARY NOTES.

HARPER'S WEEKLY of May 15, will contain an article on the bi-centennial of Trinity Church, New York City, with a drawing by A. I. Keller of the interior of the church on the occasion of the special services in celebration of the event, and with a portrait of the pastor, Dr. Morgan Dix. The Centennial Expostion in Nashville, Tenn: will be devoted to the big trees of California with a plan for their preservation.

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A very intersting paper on ex-Queen Liliuokalani, of Hawaii, has been written by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, and will be published in HARPER'S BAZAR of May 15, together with striking portraits of the Queen, and of her beautiful neice, Princess Kalulani. Other entertaining features will be a familar talk on "Picturesque Dress for Elderly Ladies," by Ella Rodman Church; "Our London Letter," in which is described a brilliant reception given by the Japanese Minister and his wife on the Japanese man-of-war Fuji, at Tilbury Docks; and a peculiarly interesting instalment of club gossip and news in the already very popular department of "Club Women and Club Work."

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When, more than a year ago, a short story, entitled "Bobbo," was first published in HARPER'S MAGAZINE, its originality and spirit won for it immediate favor, and its author, Thomas Wharton, received several offers for permission to dramatize it. It practically established Mr. Wharton as a writer, though he had previously published two clever novels, and had long been a contributor to the periodical and the daily press. His death, shortly afterwards at the age of thirty-seven, lends a peculiar interest and sentiment to the collection of some of his stories and verses, entitled "Bobbo, and Other Fancies," which the Harpers are soon to publish, with an introduction by his friend, Owen Wister. Mr. Wharton was a Philadelphian, a graduate of Harvard, and for several years before his death he was the managing editor of the Philadelphia Sunday Times.

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THE RAILROADS.

Still Occupy the Attention of the Legislature.

Apparent Deadlock Between the House and Senate—Provisions of the Graham Game Law—Other Lansing Gossip.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, May 19. — On Friday the senate killed the Merriam bill as amended by the house. The bill, as originally passed by the senate, increased the taxes upon railroad earnings by about $180,000. The house amended it so as to raise these taxes to upward of $700,000, and then passed the bill. Friday by a vote of nineteen to five the senate refused to concur in the house amendments. The author of the bill says that the bill as amended distributes the tax too unevenly to be equitable.

The senate has hung up the bills repealing the Michigan Central's special charter and increasing the specific taxes of railroad companies nearly two-fold, the former having been sent to the railroad committee, which is hostile to it to a man, and the latter being tabled. The increase made in the specific tax rate by the house is so much more than that fixed by the senate that there is grave danger of the bill dying between the houses.

Gov. Pingree has come to the aid of the house amendments increasing the raise made by the senate in railroad taxes by announcing that special appropriation bills for the relief of the Ontonagon fire sufferers and for improvements at Mackinaw island state park, which will reach him early this week, will be held up pending the settlement of the differences between the two houses.

Gov. Pingree is mailing hundreds of copies of his message on railroad taxation all over the state with a request that the person receiving it shall return his opinion upon it.

Telegraph companies came in for attention in the house Thursday, a favorable report being made on the bill requiring them to exchange business in Michigan. The companies have made a stiff fight against this bill, but it will probably pass.

The house agreed to them and tabled the insolvency bill. It provides for voluntary and involuntary assignments for the benefit of creditors without preferences, and has a bankruptcy clause releasing the debtor when he turns over his assets without fraud.

The senate passed the Mason tax lien bill, as perfected by Senator Hadsall. It provides that tax purchasers must give notice by registered letter to all persons having an interest in the lands on which they have purchased tax titles, and give the owner six months' time after the serving of such notice in which to redeem his property. In case the owner lives in the same county where the tax title was purchased, he must be given personal notice by the tax buyer.

The senate passed the Graham game bill. The bill needs now only Gov. Pingree's signature to make it a law. The measure covers the entire hunting field. The provisions of the bill, as it now stands, with a few trifling amendments, are as follows:

No deer or elk are to be hunted until November 10, 1899, anywhere in Michigan, and in the counties of Alcona, Lapeer, Huron, Sanilac, Tuscola, Macomb, Allegan, Ottawa and St. Clair counties, no deer are to be molested until January 1, 1903. When deer killing is to be resumed no more than five of the antlered animals are to be killed by any one person in any one year, and the only season for hunting them is to be from November 8 to November 30, inclusive. Deer in the red coat, or fawn in the spotted coat, are not to be molested, and any person having the skin of any such animal in his keeping is to be presumed guilty of illegal killing.

Deer are not to be killed in any of the waters of the state, and no pit, pitfall, dead-fall, trap, scaffold, snare, net, or similar device is to be used, or any chemicals, poisons or explosives. No artificial light is to be used in deer hunting, and any person having a light on his head is to be presumed guilty. Dogs are not to be used in deer hunting, and dogs pursuing deer are to be considered nuisances and killed.

The season for squirrel hunting is to be from October 15 to December 31, inclusive, and no ferrets are to be used in squirrel hunting.

No wild turkey is to be killed until 1905, and then only between November 1 and November 30, inclusive.

The season for partridges, grouse, colin and quail, prairie chicken and spruce hen is to be from October 1 to December 1, inclusive.

The season for wild duck and other wild water fowl is September 1 to January 31, from half an hour before sunrise to half an hour after sunset. In the upper peninsula the season is to be from September 1 to January 15.

Wild pigeon are not to be killed until 1905.

Wild fowl are not to be hunted with swivel or punt guns, batteries or mines, nor by pneumatic boats.

No cages, snares, traps, nets, explosives chemicals or similar devices are to be used in hunting any kind of wild fowl, though cages, snares and nets may be used to capture quail in order to keep them alive through the winter, and these are to be liberated in spring.

Robbing birds' nests is forbidden. Singing and insectivorous birds, such as robin, nighthawk, whip-poor-will, finch, thrush, lark, swallow, yellow bird, blue bird, brown thrasher, cat bird, wren, martin, oriole, sea gulls, woodpeckers and bobolinks, are protected. English sparrows and butcher birds are fair game.

No person is to have in his possession the body of an animal or bird mentioned more than five days after the close of the season for hunting the same, except it be for scientific purposes or home consumption. In trials for violation for this provision the burden of proof must rest on the defendant.

Permits to hunt game for scientific or propagatory purposes may be issued by the game warden.

Prosecuting attorneys are to prosecute offenders against the provisions of the bill and sheriffs and constables are to assist. Convictions are to carry with them a fine of from $10 to $125, or from 20 days to six months in jail or both fine and imprisonment. Prosecutions are to be begun within one year from the time the offense was committed.

Whatever agreement may be reached by the two houses of the legislature with reference to the increase in the specific taxes paid by railroad companies, the bill to be passed will not affect the aggregate of taxes which will be due July 1. The taxes to be paid at that date will be on the earnings of the last calendar year, the rates as fixed by the present law to govern. ...ania rate is 3 per cent on earnings of $2,000 or less per mile, 2½ per cent. on earnings of between $2,000 and $4,000, 3 per cent. between $4,000 and $6,000, 3½ per cent. between $6,000 and $8,000, 4 per cent. on all over $8,000. This tax was assessed by Railroad Commissioner Wesselius. It aggregates $740,898.78, the decrease from the total of last year being $509.99. The total earnings last year were $28,614,946.29, or $596,068.19 less than for 1895. Taking last year's earnings as a basis Commissioner Wesselius states that the specific tax bill passed by the house would increase the aggregate tax by $521,170.93 over the total to be paid this year.

Two important railroad bills were passed by the house Tuesday. One is to compel railroads to sell 500-mile mileage books at two cents a mile, these books to be good for any member of a firm or copartnership. The other is Donovan's bill, providing for the sale of an interchangeable and redeemable system of mileage books by all companies or corporations operating steam railroads in the state. The coupons of the interchangeable mileage books must be accepted for fare for any and all members of the owner's family or firm, and when they become invalid at the expiration of a year the unused part must be renewed for another year if presented at the issuing office. The railroad companies must file a bond with the state treasurer to guarantee the redemption of books issued.

The house also passed an insolvency bill, which renders invalid the preferring of creditors, a bill reducing from eight to seven per cent. the rate of interest that may be contracted, and the bill providing that where the violation of a condition of a fire insurance policy does not prejudice the company it shall not work a forfeiture of the policy.

A strong anti-liquor sentiment manifested itself in the house, that body defeating the bill eliminating New Year's day, Labor day and Fourth of July from the holidays on which saloons are required to be kept closed.

The commercial fishermen won a decisive victory over the state fish commission in the senate, securing the adoption of amendments to the fish bill so as to increase the size of the mesh of nets.

EMMETT.

KNIGHTS Ttemplar.

Conclave in Session at Detroit—Presentation to Hugh McCurdy.

Detroit, May 19.—About 200 masons of high degree are in Detroit attending the conclave of the Michigan commandry Knights Templars and the council of the deliberation of the Scottish Rites. The meetings are held in the new temple, which was erected and equipped at a cost of $360,000. Tuesday evening a reception for members of the grand commandry was held, followed by a banquet served to over 500 persons. A feature of the evening was the presentation to Commander in Chief Hugh McCurdy of a fine marble bust of himself by the grand commandery of the United States. The presentation address was made by Gen. John C. Smith, of Illinois, who is grand sovereign of the Knights of Roman Constantine and an exalted member of other divisions of masonry.

WON'T GO TO DETROIT.

State Medical Society Refuses to Make That City Headquarters.

Grand Rapids, May 14.—The thirty-second annual meeting of the Michigan State Medical society opened Thursday morning. Mr. McLean, of Detroit, desired that the society should make Detroit the permanent meeting place, but this was defeated. A resolution by Dr. Leonard, Detroit, that physicians convicted of criminal practice should be forever debarred from practicing in the state was referred to the legislative committee, and another resolution by Dr. Stockwell, of Port Huron, that the clergy be no longer given the benefits of free medical service was tabled.

Heavy Failure.

Detroit, May 15.—John B. Dyar gave bills of sale transferring over $200,000 worth of property and securities to a trustee for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. Dyar has been prominently connected with several large local enterprises. For the past year he has been securing franchises and arranging to build an electric railroad from Detroit to Port Huron. The latter enterprise is what is believed to have caused his embarrassment.

Heirs to Kalamazoo Estate.

Modesto, Cal., May 19.—Two happy farmers have left this city for Kalamazoo, Mich., there to claim fortunes left by a deceased stepfather. Henry Breese, banker of Kalamazoo, died April 30, leaving Vital E. Bangs, ex-assemblyman from this county, and Romolo E. Bangs, two farmers near Modesto, each a fifth interest in his estate.

A Youthful Justice.

Lagrange, Ind., May 18.—The city of Dowagiac, Mich., claims the distinction of having the youngest judge in the United States. Clyde Ketchum, who is not yet 21 years of age, has been elected a justice of the peace and will enter upon his duties July 1. He was elected over a democratic justice who had held the office for a term of years.

Woman Charged With Bigamy.

Benton Harbor, May 19.—Mrs. Cora Daggot Brant is in jail charged with bigamy. She is said to have several husbands in Indiana and elsewhere. She married Thomas Brant, of this place, three weeks ago. William Daggot, of Elkhart, caused her arrest and she will be tried in the circuit court.

Forest Fires.

Houghton, May 19.—Forest fires are burning at many points in the upper peninsula that may speedily become serious. Unless heavy rainfalls come soon serious losses in logs and standing timber, as well as the wiping out of settlements, may result.

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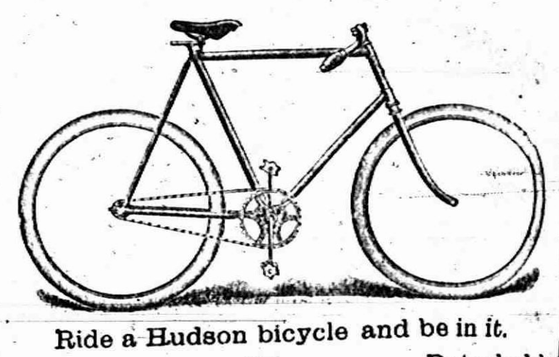

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Lamont C. Hoagland was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

A. E. Voaburg of Battle Creek, visited J. L. Kishpaugh Tuesday.

Mrs. Angeline Helm of Ridgeway, was calling on friends Tueaday.

Willis Helm and family, visited Franklin relatives over Sunday.

A new time card on the Wabash R. R. goes into effect next Sunday, May 23rd.

Will R. Osgood is enjoying a visit with his parents from Monroe this week.

The Wabash pay car made its monthly visit today, and the employes made happy.

See our streets put into a condition worthy of our importance as a trading center.

Postmaster A. F. Kishpaugh of Clinton, visited his brother Bert and family Monday.

Eight tickets were all that were sold from this station for the excursion to Toledo Sunday.

Lavern Yates, and Ralph Kishpaugh, wheeled to Ypsilanti and back Sunday. They enjoyed the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells are laying out fine garden on their vacant lot, adjoining the Reformed parsonage.

Mrs. Will E. Allen, and Mrs. D. C. Morehouse, are spending the week with Toledo relatives and friends.

Uncle Henry Reynolds left Tuesday morning for a few days visit with friends at Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor.

The Reformed Sunday School are preparing an elaborate childrens day service to be given the second Sunday in June.

Tuesday evening at 7:14, the first Detroit and Lima Northern train passed through Britton over the Wabash track for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor were called to Detroit Monday, by the serious illness of their son Will, Fred accompanied them.

O. B. Lenardson and assistants gave his double store a thorough scrubbing out Tuesday morning, consequently every thing is in apple pie order.

At the meeting of the Council Monday evening, Dr. E. E. Hendershot received the appointment as health officer. A most worthy appointment.

Miss Nickerson, will lead the Y. P. S. C. E. service at the Reformed Church on Sunday evening, and the topic is, "Peace, when to seek it and how".

Mr. Joe Thakery is somewhat better at present. Dr. Wood has given him indefatiable care and attention. He is however in a very critical condition still.

Monday evening while engaged in a friendly scuffle in front of the meat market, Lewis Wood pushed Will Winsley through the window. That explains why it is boarded up.

Norris Britton who is stationed at North Star, Mich., made his parents a flying visit Sunday, coming in the morning and returning in the evening. He came on his wheel from Dundee.

Mr. Geo. Exelby has been appointed by the village council street commissioner and evidently is the right man in the right place. He has always shown his interest in village improvments.

Rev. C. I. Deyo will speak on the following topics at the Christian Church next Sunday: Morning, "The Divine Treasure illustrated in Material Symbols." evening, "Some Lessons from Nature's Sweet Restorer, Sleep."

The Wells property, purchased by Rev. Nickerson last fall, has been transferred by him to the Reformed Church for a permanent parsonage. He has made many improvements which add very materially to the appearance of the place.

Mr. H. H. Temple received the appointment of Marshall, an important post to fill, and in which he is well adapted to succeed. Unruly boys may now look out for the Curfew bell to skedaddle homeward, and drunken men give our burg a wide berth.

The special meetings at the DeSpelder Church have been well attended. On Sunday evening the church was filled to its seating capacity. Mr. Ferwerda conducted a young peoples service and Rev. Graves preached. The meetings will close on Sunday evening next with a consecration and farewell service, conducted by Mr. Ferwerda.

At the Reformed Church Sunday morning, the pastor will discourse about "Strange fire on God's alter," and in the afternoon and evening, will preach in the DeSpelder Church. The Rev. Mr. Graves of Lenawee Junction, will preach in the Reformed Church at Britton in the evening. Mr. Ferwerda will sing at all of the pastor's services.

Tomorrow evening, the lady Maccabees in commemoration of the third anniversary of the Hives organization, will celebrate the event in a befitting manner. From 5 to 7, supper will be served to the public generally in Brown's vacant store, after which at the Hall a literary program will be rendered for the benefit of the Maccabees and their families, the evening exercises to conclude with an intricate drill by the bloomer brigade.

The first open air concert given Saturday evening by our band boys was a success in every respect. The evening was fine, crowd large, and the boys occupying the balcony of the Exelby house, acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner. That their efforts were appreciated it is only necessary to state that, early Monday morning, several of our prominent citizens, headed by that indefatigable worker, George Exelby, were stirring themselves in the matter of erecting a stand for the exclusive use of the band boys for their concerts. We trust it will be built at once.

Our streets presented a deserted appearance Tuesday, as nearly every able bodied man, attended the barn raising on Edmund Smiths farm south of town.

Eb Price and James Haight, attended the Grand Commandery meeting at Detroit this week. They went over Tuesday.

When speaking of Charlie Maybees trip to Adrian, we little thought matters would culminate so soon, in fact his marriage which occured at Adrian last week Wednesday evening, was a complete surprise to every one as only his mother was aware it was to take place. The fair bride was formerly Miss Belle Gimbert, a compositor on the Messenger. Rev. Dr. Melloy spoke the words that joined them. The wedding was a quiet one, only relatives and a few intimate friends being present. They came to Britton that same evening, and are now ready to receive their friends.

RIDGEWAY.

Guy Pocklington is quite sick with the measles.

David Boyd, of Greely, Colorado, is visiting his brother, John Boyd.

Miss Gertrude Marvin spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, near Azalia.

Apple and cherry trees are well loaded with blossoms but no peach blossoms are seen.

Farmers are busy plowing and preparing ground for corn, and some are planting.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton went to Lansing Tuesday for a few weeks' stay with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Cook.

Rev. H. Cansfield will preach a memorial day sermon in the M. E. church Sunday morning May 30th.

Rev. H. Cansfield attended the Adrian district Sunday-school convention at Milan, Tuesday and Wednesday

Rev. H. Cansfield will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class, Sunday evening, May 30th.

The Rebecca Johnson and Linn association will hold a meeting at Exelby's hall June 1st, at one o'clock sharp.

Fred McQuary has become a citizen of Ridgeway, having rented the house formerly occupied by T. H. Temple.

The first excursion train of the season over the C. J. & M., from Allegan to Toledo, passed through here Sunday.

C. A. Graves has received notice that his first-grade certificate will be endorsed by the state superintendent of of public instruction.

Special Sunday train service between Toledo and Jackson began last Sunday. The train is due here from Toledo at 8:46 a. m., and from Jackson at 6 p. m.

T. H. Temple and C. W. Culbertson ride "Relays," purchased of F. G. Florance; Willie Fletcher and Frank Lanning each ride a "Falcon," purchased of A. J. Sutton.

James Osgood, of St. Johns; John Osgood and family and Mrs. Tunice Miller and family, of Toledo; and Mrs. Fred Gorton and son, Wendel, of Ypsilanti, attended the Martha Osgood birthday reunion held at W. W. Osgood's Monday.

Mrs. Martha Osgood celebrated her 90th birthday at the home of her son, Wm. W. Osgood, in Macon, Monday. The Martha Osgood society held their 52nd annual reunion at the same time. Grandma Osgood is well and hearty for one of her age, and still resides with her son on the farm where she settled when she came from New York state, in the fall of 1845.

HOLLOWAY.

Larry Brown is seriously ill and no hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Mrs. R. Gillespie and daughter Grace were the guests of Mrs. A. D. Macham Tuesday.

Dr. Sharpsteen's medicine company left town Monday and are in Deerfield this week.

James Fowler, of Hanover, is visiting his neice and nephew, Mrs. Merritt Granger and Charles Fowler..

New and stylish millinery goods are still being received at the rooms of E. H. Fish. Call and get prices before purchasing.

Mrs. A. L. Lewis was called to Naples, N. Y., Tuesday, by the illness of her son, Charles Bartholomew, who is very low with fever.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be held next week Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lane. Everyone invited.

The families of Morgan and Thomas Florance and Charles Culbertson were at the home of F. G. Florance Sunday, the occasion being his birthday and Monday his wife's birthday.

Anyone in need of a wheel will do well to call on or address F. G. Florance, of this place, who sells the "Relay," the standard bicycle. Two parties from Ridgeway purchased wheels of him last week and they prove perfectly satisfactory.

Miss Abbie Ray was summoned to the bedside of her mother Saturday morning, but the dear mother's spirit had passed away before she reached home. The funeral services were held at the home in North Morenci, Sunday, and on Monday the remains were taken to Ashland, Ohio, for interment. Miss Ray has the sympathy of her many friends in this vicinity.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 21, 1897.

It has been rumored about the streets that the C. J. & M. were contemplating the construction of a spur from Pentacost to Sand lake. It is not probable that this will be done but the contractors will soon begin work on a spur from Holland to Ottawa Beach, a distance of seven miles, which only leaves the link of 23 miles from Allegan to Holland to complete the line to the lake. This will either be leased or purchased of the C. & W. M. The first train on the Lima Northern to Detroit was run via Adrian and Britton Tuesday night, arriving in Detroit at 7 p. m. and returning at 11 p. m., and has made regular trips since. The road is graded, iron laid and work trains are now running as far north of Adrian as the Quaker meeting house, and it will not be many weeks before the trains will be running from Lima to Detroit via Adrian, Tecumseh and Britton. May 29th, the deal for the consolidation of the Michigan division of the Lima Northern and Michigan division of the C. J. & M. will be completed.

Ann Arbor, May 10, 1897.

EDITOR HERALD:

Some weeks ago there appeared in the HERALD an editorial relating to "trusts and combines." The editorial called forth letters from several correspondents from different parts of the country who all advocated "single tax" as a remedy for what was considered an unmixed evil. It seemed to me that the worthy correspondents had mistaken one of the prime causes of industrial progress for an evil, and were attempting to find a remedy for what was an absolutely necessary law of progress. Men of all political faiths have agreed in denouncing combinations in restraint of trade, or for the centralization of control of the productive and distributive forces without, seemingly, considering the causes of their growth or their probable ultimate effects on our industrial life. The part that organizing and centralizing the forces of capital and labor has played, and is playing, in the economic world has been forgotten, and men have condemned as an evil that which is one of the most characteristic features of our modern industrial life—the centralizing and unifying the control of the forces of production and distribution, the bringing into play to a greater and greater extent the advantages of co-operation and combination in similar lines of industry and the placing in the hands of men of ability and long business training the control of great masses of capital and labor. The industrial development of the past thirty-five years revolutionized business methods. The early part of this period was characterized by a competition so keen as to threaten bankruptcy to large numbers of the competitors. The refuge was combination, and the trust became a recognized factor in our industrial life. The possibilities of combination increased with every stage of progress. Its advantages were obvious: It enabled the members to turn capital that was formerly employed in overcoming a rival to devising new and better methods and new and better machinery, and enabled them to regulate their output so as not to overstock the market. Combination and organization have extended to almost all lines of industry and business enterprises have grown up which in their scope are not limited by national boundaries. It has come to be a recognized principle that competition carried beyond a certain point ceases to be beneficial and if carried too far all progress must cease and retrogression begin. The trust is the protest against the refuge from the evils of unrestricted competition. "Law or no law," says Pres. E. B. Andrews of Cornell University, "The day of old time competition has set. Capital will henceforth march in solid phalanxes," and he might have added that all industrial forces must henceforth so march.

For combination—the trust is not confined in its operation to organizations in which capital is the chief party. It has permeated the whole structure of society. In every line of industry, in every profession and in almost every walk of life, it is taking the place of unrestricted competition. Despite the frequent assertion that trusts force up prices and levy a heavy tax upon the consumer, it would be hard to point out a single line of industry in which these combinations have existed for any considerable time, in which the cost of the article produced has not been constantly cheapening, and a vastly greater degree of perfection in the article itself reached. This taken with the fact that the value of the average wage has been constantly increasing, would not indicate the evil results claimed. Whenever a trust attempts to force up prices so as to gain a profit disproportionate to that gained by capital in other industries, capital seeks investment in this industry, competition is stimulated and the trust is destroyed or compelled to reduce its prices to the region of fair profits. The industrial history of the last two decades is crowded full of attempts of this kind and the combination trying to force artificial values has universally met with defeat and usually with destruction. It has invited the competition of the whole mass of capital, not only in America but the free capital of Europe, that is engaged in less profitable employment. It must inevitably be beaten. The trust, under those circumstances, has done more than violate the Inter State Commerce Act or the state anti-trust laws; it has violated a fundamental economic law, which does not need to be enforced by courts. "The really successful trust," says E. von Halle in Trusts and Industrial Combines, "Is one that attempts to gain profits by lessening the cost of production, by the invention of new machinery and new processes, thoroughly organizing the forces under its control and restricting production so as to avoid an overcrowded market." When the trust seeks to go beyond this it is inviting its own ruin. Capital ever seeking more profitable employment will turn to the industry offering greatest returns and the trust will have invited the very competition which it attempted to restrict.

The prime object of the trust then and the only one consistent with its long continued existence is to increase profits by lessening the cost of production and distribution, by centralizing and combining the forces controlled, introducing new machinery and better and more economical methods, and improving the character of the product. Whenever the trust has by this process rendered the profits disproportionate to those which capital receives in other lines of industry, capital is attracted to this industry and competition is again introduced to force down prices to the region of fair profits. The trust may withstand this force for a time but its coming is inevitable. The gains, then, made by the superior organization of the trust, its better methods and more useful machinery are brought ultimately to the consumer, to the public at large. Political economists speak glibly of the increment of capital: we may call these gains the increment of industrial progress. They form a permanent fund from which all mankind may draw, which is constantly being increased and which cannot be lost. The mission of the trust, then, is to work out along lines that tend to the material betterment of all classes a necessary law of industrial progress—that combination and competition mutually acting and reacting against each other are the prime movers of industrial advancement. The trust gains its power not by the control of natural or quasi-natural advantages but by controlling the best and most economical means of production and distribution. By far the largest part of the trusts and combines in the United States are organized in industries in which it would be impossible to control the production of raw material. Many have been the attempts to form combinations among the so-called monopolizers of natural advantages, but with very little success. The Standard Oil Co. gained power not by controlling the output of crude petroleum—it could never do that—but by its control of refineries, its admirable means of transportation and its ability to turn so much of the waste into by-products. Scarcely a single trust could be mentioned which gains its power primarily from the control of "natural advantages." The sugar trust, the steel trust in all its forms, the whisky trust, the Standard oil trust, the great packing houses that control the meat products of United States, the cotton seed oil trust, and hundreds of others that exist today could not be greatly effected by the "single tax of land values." The trust, then, let us repeat, does not, cannot gain power primarily by controlling raw material or so-called natural advantages. It must gain power, if at all, by controlling manufacturing and distributive forces. The regime of the trust, either of capital or of labor, of the corporation as representing the combination of individuals, of centralized and unified industry, of great masses of capital and labor alternately combining and competing so as to bring out the largest possible efficiency of the productive forces and the highest possible degree of perfection with the least ultimate labor cost, is here. We believe it is here for good and that its coming is a cause for rejoicing not for lamentation and pessimistic prediction of disaster and "coming slavery."

CARL V. WISNER.

In Memory of Lulu Cook.

The following verses were written in memory of Lulu Cook, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook, whose death occurred May 5th:—

Our darling little one has gone,
And our hearts are sad tonight:
She has gone to dwell in the beautiful (home
With angels so pure and so bright.

A tender flower so much we loved,
Our little Lulu dear;
But God has called her home above,
Where no winter winds nor winter
Our little plant can sear. (blast
We'll fold the little garments up
And lay them away with care;
With tearful eyes, and aching heart,
We'll put by the empty chair.

We'll set away the little crib;
She will need it not again;
For our loved and darling precious
Will suffer no more pain. (one

Thus God, we know, doth all things
To us a promise he's given; (right,
Jesus said, Suffer the little ones to (come,
For of such is the kingdom of (Heaven.

A Warm Friend.

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Junior Reception.

It has long been a custom here for the Juniors, some time during the last term of school, to give a class reception for the Senior's and High School teachers. So invitations were issued for last Friday evening at the pleasant residence of Miss Viola Shull one of the Juniors. The decoration committe consisting of Lester Heesen, Viola Shull and Edith Grey, had rendered the four reception rooms a bower of beauty, presenting a decided contrast to the scene without. Invitations were issued to the number of nearly sixty, a few of the former members of the classes being invited. Games and conversation were the program of the evening until supper, which was served at 10:30, small tables having been scattered about the rooms to accomodate the guests. This intersting occupation completed, a short musical program was announced which was opened by a piano selection by Miss Bullock, after which came vocal solos by Mrs. L. M. Kellogg. Miss Keavy and Miss Eva Camburn and a selection on the violin by Miss Jennie Gillespie, whose piano accompaniment was played by Miss Viola Shull. But there was a surprise in store, as the pretty waiters were taking their turn at the refreshment tables, a sound of sweet music was heard out side The serenaders on closer inspection, proved to be Mr. and Miss De Wolf, who yielding to the entreaties of the company, entertained them with a rendition of "Kentucky Babe," nor could they be pursuaded farther, but fled amidst the plaudits of the delighted company.

Special Low Rate Excursion To Toledo Via C. J. & M. R'y.

On Sunday, May 23rd, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10.16 a. m; fare $0.75 for the round trip. Tickets good going and returning only on special trains of May 23rd. Special attractions at Lake Erie Park & Casino. Don't miss it. For full information see hand bills or call on C. J & M. Agent.

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Mrs. Bailey is making her daughter in Onsted a visit.

Lucius Lilley, and Mrs. Tribou were in Detroit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bliven, of Blissfield will remain guests of W. F. Sisson over Sunday.

John Heck is no longer a widower. Mrs. Heck returned from her visit yesterday.

New printed organdies, beautiful pattern, 10 and 12 1-2 cts. at Anderson & Rosacrans.

Mrs. J. C. VanDoren, in the township of Franklin, gives a tea party to friends this afternoon.

Mrs. Forsyth, of Chicago, is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eccles. She will remain several days.

The following bought bicycles last week of Satterthwaite Bros.: Miss Maggie Craig, Walter Fuller, Rev. E. C. Andrus.

Insect Powder at Parrish's.

Mrs. J. D. Shull and Mrs. Root have been visiting friends in Painesville and Cleveland since Monday. They expect to reach home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stacy, Geo. H. Stacy and Mrs. Walker, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mrs. Frasher, of Rochester, N. Y., attended the funeral of Geo. W. Stacy last Friday.

Fred Aldrich and C. D Keyes received some fine brook trout this morning. They came from Kalkaska Mich, and were sent by Mr. E. L. Jones who is fishing at that section.

Harris & Hiteshu make special announcement this week of goods suitable for commencement season. Their stock is complete in every department and prices low enough to suit everybody.

The exhibition of Hypnotism given at Suttons Opera House last evening by Prof. Griffith was to those who never witnessed any thing of the kind marvelous. The entertainment was chaste, varied and pleasing. Mr. Griffeth demonstrated himself an accomplished hypnotist. The ease and rapidity with which he brought his subjects under his control was a wondor to all. Before the entertainment closed a young gentleman from Blissfield named Ballis was put to sleep, taken on a cot bed to the store of Jones & Hazlet and placed in the window where he will remain until tomorrow evening when he will be taken to the Opera House where he will be wakened before the audience. There will be new features presented tonight and tomorrow night that will surprise and interest all.

A Narrow Escape.

Isaac Wolcott came as near meeting a tragic death Monday forenoon and miss it as falls to the lot of man. As the 9.09 a.m. train left Chicago street for the station, Mr. Wolcott who was driving from the west on Shawnee Street, turned the Satterthwaite corner on the west side of the tract, intending to drive into the Central House yard. The horse seeing the approaching train before Mr. Wolcott, wheeled suddenly, throwing him violently to the ground, he striking on his head between the rails and stunning him for the moment, but for the presence of mind of engineer Dilla his prompt action and quick handling of the air break, he certainly would have been cut in two, as when the train stopped, the cow catcher was upon him. To much praise cannot be rendered for Dilla's heroic work. It was a close call and Mr. Wolcott realizes it. Although badly bruised, he feels thankful it was no worse. Little or no damage was done to horse or buggy.

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WANTED—Agent to take territory in this county for the best selling specialty in the market. Address WILL S. BOYD, Adrian, Mich.

WANTED—Anyone having accounts against the late Jehiel Davidson are requested to present the same to me. MRS. SYLVIA DAVIDSON.

A nice summer suit for $18.50 at JONES & HAZLETT'S.

Sunday dinners at Mrs. Crossman's 25 cents.

Harry Moore Sundayed with his people at Dundee.

Glen Jackson and Alfred Wilson were over from Ypsilanti Sunday.

Editor Samsen and wife returned from their trip Wednesday evening.

A new broom sweeps clean. Try Parrish.

Mrs. C. S. Crane, of St. Louis, Mo., visited relatives in Tecumseh last week.

Miss Lou Arner enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Arner, of Ionia, the first of the week.

Mrs. Geo. Adamson expects to leave next week after next for Wisconsin where her parents reside.

Will Cutter, wife and little daughter, of Adrian, were calling on Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

Martin Crossman has secured a position in a bakery in the Central City (Jackson) and is at work.

B. H. Jansen, of New York City, arrived Tuesday and is visiting his father-in-law, Webb Anderson.

AGENTS WANTED.—Ladies and gentlemen. Good profitable business. Call on E. B. Creighton, Central Hotel.

Ray Brazee expects to sail on the lakes this season and left Monday to join Capt. Chilson at Buffalo, N. Y.

Little Brownie Rogers will no more be seen among us having gone to dog paradise by the "dog button" route.

Just examine my prices and my goods and the rest I will leave with you.
G. H. TANSLEY.

Miss Gertrude Whitney, after a week's visit with her cousin, Mrs. Perrus, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. I. P. Keyser will live on the farm in Macon this season. It is understood she is much interested in poultry raising.

John Loomis has moved his harness shop from the Dewey building to the Dewey Wood building on North Railroad street.

Why pine away and die when Spring chickens are so cheap at Parrish's.

Miss Bertha Smeltzer has returned from an extended visit with friends at Reading and Grand Rapids and reports a delightful time.

Postmaster Kyle is having the postoffice freshened by a coat of paint and Palmer Bros. are doing the same thing for their shoe store.

Miss Louise Phelps entertained a few friends at duplicate whist last evening, the honor of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Phelps, of Marquette, Mich.

Judging from the exhibitions of fancy bicycle riding given evenings on the street by the Mills block, one need not go abroad for trick riders.

Anyone interested in securing a good business engagement should call at the Central Hotel and examine the merits of Apple's Stock Food Cooker.

Mrs. James S. Wilson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Patton, goes to her Detroit home today but will soon return to complete her visit.

Mrs. Abbie Linn, of Ridgeway, visited Mrs. Crossman over Sunday. Mrs. Linn is now 90 years of age but is able to much work and enjoy herself every day.

Mr. Askin and force are kept busy laying cement walk and curbing. Let the good work go on. He thoroughly understands his business and his terms are reasonable.

We have discarded the use of Cleno in our bakery and now produce using nothing but pure lard and creamery butter and our variety of baked goods is increasing all the time.
M. E. BICE.

Among those who have purchased lots of Albert R. Lowry, are James Athy, Alfred Hoag, Ernie Elliott, Albert Lowry, Ezra Day, Matt. Root, Clarence Marsh and Mesdames L. M. Hogg, J. J. Freeman and E. C. Rose.

Among the bicycle clubs now formed one composed of twelve of the little ones by no means of least importance. It is called the "Dirty Dozen" and whose formation Lena Smith and Bessie Bates were the moving spirits.

Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00 Quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00 Cane polished Stand, 1.50 Set strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00 Polished oak Dinner Set, 7.00 Rocking Rocker, 1.00 Cane Arm Rocker, 2.50 Cane-seat oak Rocker, 3.00 Large iron-bound Trunk, 2.50 Couches are beauties at 10.00 Full line of Window shades at 25c. Our large store is full of all of the best styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. George W. Knapp returned from her long sojourn in Florida, Wednesday night.

Miss Anna Gaston went to Blissfield yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.

John D. Shull is now village assessor, appointed last Monday evening by the Council.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Witherell were guests of Jackson friends the last of the week.

John Fowler came up from Toledo Wednesday and staid over night with his family.

J. M. Bittman of Saginaw is in Tecumseh this week.

Remember our new line of Wall Paper. S. E. PARRISH.

Mrs. Maria Tate, after a pleasant visit with Tecumseh friends, returned to her home in Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Next Thursday evening will be "Ladies Night" at the Tecumseh Club.

C. A. Slayton has been quite ill for everal days. but is better this morning.

At Masonic hall this evening the third degree will be conferred. Two will tackle the goat.

Mrs. E. B. Wood is enjoying a months visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Baird in Dayton Ohio.

Charles Burridge, Roy Hughes, Will Hicks, Earl Updyke and others, attended the ball game at Clinton Saturday.

C. E. Beers of Adrian, was a Tecumseh visitor Monday. He and his mother anticipate moving back to Tecumseh soon.

Mrs. Levi Hayden and Miss Camilla Meade visited Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti friends the first of the week. They drove over.

Mrs. Perry Hosmer entertained a small company of lady friends at her pleasant home on Kilbuck street, Saturday afternoon.

Henry Conkling returned from his Washington, D. C., visit Saturday morning. His general appearance denotes that he fared well.

Since the affair on Chicago street last Tuesday afternoon, it is now thoroughly understood that H. H. Keyser's sorrel horse is a "star gazer."

Store opened at 6 a. m., closed at 9:30 p. m. Sundays or nights call at the Lilley house or my house and will willingly go to the store. S. E. PARRISH.

Frank Chilson left last Thursday for Ogdensburg, N. Y., to begin his labors for the season on the boat, which has been harbored there during the winter.

Mrs. W. C. Fitzsimmons left Monday for Trenton, this state, and after a ten day's visit there, will proceed to Cleveland. She is expected to come again to Tecumseh before going back to California.

J. S. Strong visited his nephew, T. D. Strong, and family, at Pomberville, Ohio. While there he visited the oil fields, came to Toledo Monday and visited friends, reaching home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. H. Hoag, who has been visiting friends here, left Tuesday for Eagle Lake, Indiana, where she represents the Woman's Home Mission Board for the state of Kansas at the General Assembly.

John Primrose has again been fishing. John is an ardent fisherman and it may be truthfully said, that he is the only lover of this sport in Tecumseh, who absolutely refuses to tell any sort or kind of fish stories.

Call at Mrs. Freeman's and see the latest novelties in summer millinery; also the Cresco corset, warrented not to break at the waist line. Orders taken for hair goods, if nothing in stock to please. Call and examine the same.

In tomorrow's ball game the home team will occupy the following positions:—Harris, pitcher; Gillen, catcher; Kennedy, 1st base; Hicks, 2nd base; Spaulding, 3rd base; Lee, short stop; Hughes, left field; Heesen, center field; Parrish, right field.

Fine Stationary at Parrish's,

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will join the ladies' society in giving a Butterfly social on Friday evening of next week. Supper will be served fron five till seven o'clock. There will be some music and a general good time is anticipated. Every one will be heartily welcome. Watch for the bulletin Friday morning.

Guy, the five year old son of Francis L. Yates, of Britton, while playing in the yard Wednesday, attempted to scale a wire fence, and in some way got hung by the ear and face in the wires, and had he not possessed good lung power and had free use of the same, he would soon have been overcome, as he was suspended and not able to touch his feet to the ground or extricate himself from his perilous situation. Fortunately his cries were heard and assistance speedily rendered. He escaped with a few cuts.

The following clipping from the Detroit Free Press may be taken for what it is worth. The Herald has all regard for the word of Minor Davidson, but the Free Press man or hen might have lied, who knows!

"Minor Davidson, of Ridgeway, is the owner of a hen who built her nest up in the crotch of an apple tree, seven feet from the ground has laid a dozen eggs there and has them nearly hatched. This is the second year she has hatched a setting of eggs in the same manner."

Tuesday evening, one of our society young men was calling on a young lady, and while they were chatting on the porch a number of gentlemen friends came along and seating themselves on the lawn under a tree, were having a social time among themselves. The aforesaid young gentleman, imagining this was done for his special benefit, first became nervous, then angry. Finally he asked the young lady to step into the house and as she did so he stepped out to the young men and gave them a great song and dance, threatening to chastise the whole company.

Joshua Simkin's company, June 9th.

Some new patterns of Wall Paper at Parrish's, arrived this week.

Miss Edith Gordon spent Sunday with her people at Holloway.

C. A. Slayton has been confined to the house two or three days with grip.

Frank Bice came up from Toledo Sunday for a day's visit with his parents.

Mrs. H W. Stevens visited her mother, Mrs. Adam, in Clinton, Wednesday.

Miss Hanlon of Milan, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Susie Southwick this week.

Rev. W. R. Blachford preaches to the Grand Army members, at Clinton, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Litchard of Mooreville, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Minnie Aldrich Monday.

Miss Loana Stacy visited her cousin, Mrs. Mana Coder, at Norvell, the past three days.

Paints and Oils are cheap at Parrish's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich were guests of Will Cutter and family at Adrian over Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Babbitt will preach both morning and evening in the Presbyterian church May 30.

Mrs. C. A. Slayton has had the porch of her Sand Lake cottage extended around the entire east side.

Dick Anderson came up from Bowling Green Ohio Sunday morning and returned in the evening, truly a flying visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kirchgessner came over from Adrian Saturday night and spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Horatio Keyser, who came home to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, George W. Stacy, returned to Athens Monday morning.

Dr. B. F. Snyder enjoyed a visit Sunday with his brothers, John C. of Hillsdale and M. H. of Adrian. All three of them are up to date dentists.

Sam T. McClure, son of Wilson McClure whose headquarters are in Chicago, visited among home friends from Friday until Monday morning.

Dr. Bonnett of Detroit, was here Sunday in attendance upon several of his patients. We understand he intends in the future, to make regular visits here.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welch, Tuesday night, a daughter. Congratulations are now in order. They say Mrs. Welling is very proud of this, her first grandchild.

White Hellebore at Parrish's.

Wm. Nottingham, who has been spending the winter here, went to Cleveland Ohio Saturday, to attend to some business matters. He may return again soon.

Mrs. George Adamson offers at private sale, furniture and other household effects. They may be seen for a few days at her residence, first door north of the Central House.

S. W. Bordine, Fred Rosacrans, Joe Crosby and H. W. Stevens were in attendance at the Firemen's convention at Detroit Wednesday and yesterday. They represented our department.

Arthur Hall, who with his wife has been visiting at Henry Heesen's the past two weeks, is recovering from his fourth attack of the grip and they now expect to return to Toledo Monday.

The Detroit and Lima Northern are now running trains from Adrian to Detroit over the Wabash track. The first train left Adrian Tuesday evening, passing through Britton at 7:14.

The W. H. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Remington on Wednesday, May 26, at 3 p. m. It is hoped the members will try and be present as the report of the convention will be given.

Will Stevenson who work's for Bert Bice in the bakery at Portland, Mich, arrived Wednesday for a visit with his parents and other friends. He seems well pleased with the town, and his position.

Robert S. Moore furnished the delicious pine apple glaze for the Eastern Star banquet last week Thursday evening, and we understand he is prepared to furnish cream and all choice ices for parties and other gatherings.

Next week Rev. J. P. Varner will go west to be gone a month. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied as follows: May 30, Rev. Howard A. Field; June 6, Rev. C. E. Marvin; June 13, Rev. F. O. Jones; June 20, Rev. C. W. Baldwin.

Miss Florence Burlingame came down from Cadillac to attend the May Festival at Ann Arbor last week and arrived here Monday morning. She will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burlingame on Shawnee St.

Doctors L. G. North and George Howell attended the State Medical association meeting at Grand Rapids last week. The former returned home Saturday but the latter, who was accompanied by his wife, stopped at intermediate points for short visits with friends, and reached home yesterday.

Bishop Williams of Marquette, who is filling some of Bishop Davies appointments, will be here next Thursday evening May 27th at St. Peters Episcopal Church. He will preach and administer the rite of Confirmation Friday evening the 28th he will be at St. Johns Church Clinton.

L. I. Bidwell has secured the services of an experienced handler and trainer of horses, Mr. Frank McCoy, who will educate his fine string of promising youngsters from that grand old sire, John L. Mr. McCoy has been connected with such stock farms as Leland Stanford's California. Hammond's Semi-Colon stock farm near Ypsilanti, and others. He evidently thoroughly understands the horse and is kind, careful and judicious in his treatment of these intelligent animals and they respond cheerfully to his commands.

Probably more Paris Green in this store than any other store in town.
S. E. PARRISH.

Between thirty and forty from here and vicinity, took in the excursion to Toledo Sunday and it is reported that on the return trip some of the young gentlemen enjoyed themselves very freely.

The HERALD regrets to learn that Mr and Mrs. Sumner Collins are soon to remove to Detroit. They have many friends in Tecumseh who will regret their departure, yet wish them all success in their new home.

Rev. C. M. Brown left Tuesday as a delegate to the 109th General Assembly of the Presbyterian church which is now in session at Eagle Point, Ind. He will be gone over Sunday. It is expected that Rev. A. F. Bruske, late of Saginaw, will fill his pulpit both morning and evening.

Great bargains in Lace Curtain just opened at ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.'

Yesterday's Free Press contains a cut of S. W. Bordine, Tecumseh's popular and efficient chief of fire department. While the initials are wrong one glance at the cut demonstrates that it is none other than our own "Wes." It is a striking likeness and shows his raven tresses to advantage. One would recognize it anywhere.

The eighth annual meeting of the Detroit Conference Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will be held at Adrian May 25, 26 and 27. Mrs. A. J. Bigelow, of Flint, Mich., is president of the association. A number from Tecumseh will no doubt attend.

Goods promptly delivered to any part of town. S. E. PARRISH.

The following have recently purchased bicycles of Bert C. Day, most of them the Cleveland wheel: Anna Williamson, Mary Mills, Ella Primrose, Nettie Southworth, Lavern Smith, Fred Herman, Leon Burlingame and W. S. Morden, of Macon, a juvenile one.

Wm. Gaston no longer waits on customers at Marsh's meat market. Harry Marsh takes his place and Mr. Fincham, of Union City, the place of Harry. Mr. Gaston was a faithful employee and will be missed by all who traded with him.

A special meeting of the council was held Wednesday evening to consider the claims of John Lowry against the Lima Northern Co. Mr. Lowry claims the road was to run to close to his land. The matter was settled by referring to a jury of three persons, both parties agreeing to abide by the result.

Walter C. Burridge scored great success with the railroad suits this week. He was attorney for C. A. Wright, Harry Lee and Catharine Lovett in the injunction cases and secured all his client demanded for his land in each case. The money is all paid over and harmony now prevails.

The friends of Al C. Paxon will be pained to hear that he was injured quite severely, while endeavoring to put on a belt in the mill last Friday. It was one of those cases that to explain how it was done is impossible. He was alone down stairs in the mill when it occured, and the first Robe Hosmer and others knew any thing was wrong, was when he appeared the blood flowing profusely from a bad scalp wound. A physician was summoned who fixed him up in good shape and Al is congratulating himself that it was no more serious.

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See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold. G. H. TANSLEY.

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New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

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A few clothes uncalled for will be sold cheap. Call and see them if you want a bargain. JONES & HAZLETT.

See those Blue Ribbon Buggies at Gray's carriage repository on Railroad street.

—If you desire made to order garments which really fit and are made in first class workmenlike manner and trimmed with the best trimmings, call on J. C. Eccles over U. S. Express office He will give you choice of 300 samples of goods to select from and guarantee low price and perfect fit.

—C. P. Stevens, bicycle instructor, who has met with great success in our city, has purchased a fine home trainer, machine which enables new beginners to learn easy with no risk whatever. Mr. Stevens furnishes a wheel and guarantees to teach this month for $1.50.

Miss Mabel Hayden and Her Summer School.

—As I have come home earlier this season than usual, I will be glad to begin at once with a limited number of pupils in voice, violin, elocution and Delsarte philosophy of expression. Training of children in violin, physical culture and elocution, a specialty. Success in previous experiences makes me take great interest in the little ones.

For summer rates, both for class and private lessons, address me Tecumseh P. O. or call at residence of Mrs. Wm. Hayden. MISS MABEL HAYDEN.

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RUN BY ARMY OFFICERS

General Alger Is Not a Real Secretary of War.

ONLY AN OFFICIAL FIGUREHEAD.

An Employe of the War Department Says Army Officers Advise the Secretary What to Do and He Does It—No Secretary of War Since the Days of Edwin M. Stanton—Army Officers Experts at Deceit—Senator McMillan Goes Home.

Washington, May 18.—"There has been no secretary of war since the days of Edwin M. Stanton," says an old employe of the war department. He continued: "The army officers have absolute control of the department, and they simply run the secretaries of war as they would fly kites. That is what they are going to do with General Alger. They have already got him in their meshes. No man can come into the war department and be a real secretary of war as things now exist."

"But General Alger is a business man and knows how to run business. He will be secretary of war."

"Not on your life. Alger is not in it. The fact that he is a good business man makes it worse for him. He has been accustomed to fair dealing and prompt methods. He knows only superficially the intricacies of the war department. He depends upon the army officers about him and takes the word of each officer on all subjects. They tell him certain things and he acts according to the information which they give him. They are playing into each others' hands as they have always done. General Alger is simply acting as their official figurehead. He is doing what they advise him to do. That is what all secretaries of war do, and what they will continue to do until the army officers are sent to their posts on the frontier and civilians officials are put in their places as they are placed at the heads of the various bureaus of the other executive departments of the government."

Under Domination of Army Officers.

"But the chief clerk of the department is a civilian."

"Yes, but he has been chief clerk for many years, and he knows that the army officers run the department, so that he will do as they bid him to do, or off goes his head. He and the assistant secretary of war are civilians, but they are under the domination of the army officers, and they will continue to be under such domination. General Alger cannot be secretary of war as long as he is surrounded and misdirected by the army officers. That tells the whole story."

It is a singular fact that General Alger, although nominally secretary of war, and perfectly capable of managing that department, is practically bucked and gagged by the army officers. They fawn and flatter. They are experts in deceit. They are trained to crook the pregnant hinges of the knee, that thrift may follow fawning." That is a part of their life and purpose. That man is lucky who can be secretary of war and go forth from the position without snarching.

There never was a better man in that high office than William W. Belknap of Iowa, who was secretary of war during President Grant's administration. He had been a gallant major general in the volunteer army. But he went forth from the war department with a cloud upon his record which was only dispelled when death placed upon his suffering brow the wreath of oblivion and the old soldier was buried in Arlington National cemetery.

A Keen Business Man.

General Alger is a keen business man, but he never before dealt with sharpers on their native heath. The war department man who told me the above story has been in the department for fully thirty years and he knows all about the department from cellar to attic roof. The army officers are running the place, and the great man from Michigan is simply following their lead by giving approval to routine business as it is laid before him by the army officers. He cannot do otherwise. No secretary of war could do otherwise. But if General Alger has his eyes opened, and can realize his environment, he will work a lasting reform by inducing the president to send the army officers to their regiments in the field, and in their places have civilians appointed to perform the clerical and executive duties.

Keep this item in your scrapbook and have it on hand for future reference, and you will find in a year or two that the statements herein made will be fully verified by forthcoming occurrences at Washington, for unless General Alger can get rid of the army officers who dominate the war department he will be only a figurehead secretary of war—and I, that tell you, am counted among his personal friends.

George Farr of Grand Haven has been appointed collector of customs for the Michigan district and James A. Coye of Grand Rapids has been made surveyor of the port at Grand Rapids. Thus the president has taken satisfactory action for the western part of the state so far as customs are concerned.

Vacancies at Port Huron and Marquette.

There will be a vacancy at the port of Port Huron Aug. 25 and at Marquette Sept. 28, but nobody has any idea who will pick the plums for these places. The senators are already being besieged and the officeseekers each believe that they must have success or make trouble.

Senator McMillan has done what the big man from Iowa, Senator Allison, has done. He has left the cares of legislation behind him and gone home for a season of rest. There has been a lull for a week, but the tariff battle will begin at once and it will wage and rage all summer. Hence, a timely little rest is a good thing for the statesmen. My individual opinion is that the congress will adjourn about Aug. 15, and no tariff bill will be passed. Now put that prediction in your pipe and smoke it. Of course, you don't believe it, and think I'm awfully mistaken. Well, I've been here long enough to get partially baldheaded. You watch the outcome and then give me a medal as a political prophet.

Resignation of "Hank" Robinson.

Congressman Crump is the only Wolverine statesman of the house of representatives who has been in Washington during the past week. He is working on the lumber schedule of the tariff bill.

"Hank" Robinson of Detroit has resigned his office as statistician of the department of agriculture. There is no politics in the office, but there is considerable politics under "Hank" Robinson's hat. He is a Democrat, a rantankerous Democrat. He wouldn't draw salary under a Republican administration. He gave up a place which pays $2,500 per annum. That took a good deal of political nerve. May be "Hank" will run for congress again.

Senator Burrows is now a full-fledged member of the committee on finance and is constantly engaged in studying the Dingley bill. He will be expected to make the principal speech for the Republicans in the senate when the bill is under final discussion. We Michigan men all know Burrows will acquit himself with credit to the state, for there is no better orator in either party now in public life than Senator Burrows.

The War in Cuba.

President McKinley is determined to know the truth regarding the Cuban war. The reports from Consul General Lee and other American consuls in Cuba, which were laid before the subcommittee of the senate foreign relations committee, while withheld from the public, are admitted to present such a shocking picture of Spanish cruelty and suffering among the native and resident Americans that the president has been urged to take some decided action at once. But the president wants to know the whole truth and there have been messages sent to the consul general at Havana and to Consul Brice at Matanzas and other consuls, to at once forward by cable additional reports, which will lay before the president and the senate committee such information as will enable them to take definite action. The consuls will send their supplemental reports, answering definitely certain inquiries wired to them in cipher, and the state department expects to have this additional information very soon, that it may be presented to the foreign relations committee to govern its actions on the Morgan resolution in favor of granting belligerent rights to the Cubans.

Reports Were Startling.

It was, no doubt, the president's intention to have the Cuban question rest until Mr. Calhoun should return and report to him on the state of affairs in Cuba. But the recent reports from the official representatives of the government were so startling that when they were laid before the sub-committee of the senate they created a sensation which threatened to put the Morgan resolution through the senate without serious opposition. The president might have followed the policy of the Cleveland administration and held back these reports until ready to use them, but the condition of hundreds of American citizens in Cuba, who have been forced by General Weyler to leave their plantations and gather in the towns where they have absolutely no means of support and are without food and starving in the streets, presented the situation in a new light, calling for immediate action. It is this condition which has impelled the president to call for supplemental reports by cable, that the United States government may care for its own citizens in a foreign land, and whatever the situation as between the Spanish and Cuban forces, the president will first look after the starving Americans.

Engaged on a Message.

It is reported on good authority that the president is already engaged on a message, calling the attention of congress to this condition and urging some plan of relief. Such a message will, in all probability, be sent to congress, and there is little question about immediate action.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a resolution for an appropriation of $50,000 to relieve the Americans in distress in Cuba, and the senate will pass such a resolution when the facts are laid before it, as will also the house. The question as to how food shall be sent to these Americans has been discussed. One of the prominent members of the foreign relations committee said that, if necessary, the government would send a war vessel to Havana to enforce its right to relieve the Americans who have been cooped up in the towns to starve by order of General Weyler. He further added that if the Spanish authorities interposed any objections to such a plan of relief there would be war between Spain and this country, but he did not believe there would be any difficulty about relieving these Americans.

Have American Names.

There is said to be no doubt about the identity of these Americans. They have American names, and the reports give their former residence place in this country. One family of seven, by the name of Payne, were formerly residents of Illinois. The reports go into details in these particulars, so that the senators who read them have no question about the fact that there are several hundred Americans suffering for the necessaries of life and actually starving, because they have been driven from their farms and plantations, and compelled to take up their residence in towns, where they are under the surveillance of the Spanish troops, but are not granted any support.

While the president will only call attention to this suffering, and the necessity for relieving it, it is the general opinion that the presentation of these facts will add momentum to the Morgan resolution, and that before many days the senate will pass that resolution in favor of recognizing the Cubans as belligerents. The situation is regarded as very serious, and pushing to a crisis in the Cuban affairs.

Indian Warehouse at Omaha.

Despite the combined opposition of the Illinois members, supported by the chairman of the Indian affairs committee, the proposition for the establishment of an Indian warehouse at Omaha has been carried through the house. The question came up on the consideration of the report of the conference committee on the Indian appropriation bill. The amendment to the bill requiring the secretary of the interior to establish an Indian warehouse at Omaha was, it will be remembered, adopted in the senate originally, rejected by the house and sent to the conference committee, which reported in favor of retaining it in the bill. The last struggle in the house was on a motion to concur in the recommendation of the conference committee and pass the bill, as amended by the senate. On this the vote stood, yeas, 54; nays, 47, and the house thus concurred in the senate amendment. This settles it that Omaha is to have an Indian warehouse. DUNBAR.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Gossip Gathered from Many Sources.

Mrs. Sylvia Duram, of Muskegon, is 100 years and 5 months old.

The Michigan grand lodge Knights of Pythias decided to meet in Port Huron next year.

The annual celebration of the Independent Order of Foresters Anniversary association will be held at Frankfort May 26 this year.

Two bus lines are now running between Ithaca, Alma and St. Louis, Gratiot county, the towns named having only one railroad each.

Lucy Hogle, cook in the family of Dr. Eugene Grigon, was found dead in her bed at Menominee. Death is attributed to neuralgia of the heart.

A combination band and firemen's tournament will be held at Caro June 17 and 18, and the business men of the town have subscribed $300 to make it a success.

Twenty grand army posts will attend the unveiling of the soldier's monument May 31 in Oak Hill cemetery, Owosso. James O'Donnell, of Jackson, will deliver the address.

Louis Halliday and his stepson's wife were arrested at Jackson. It is alleged that they eloped together in April. He is in jail, and Mrs. Halliday says she will prosecute both of them.

The new directory at Grand Rapids indicates a population of nearly 99,000 for the second city. This figure is thought by many estimaters to be about 10,000 too small.

Martin Townsend, superintendent of the public schools at Marshall, has been offered the superintendency of the Manistee public schools at a salary of $1,600. This is the culmination of a bitter school fight.

MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY.

N. B. Clark, of Grand Rapids, Is Found Dead at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 16.—The lifeless body of N. B. Clark, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who is well known in many cities of the northwest as the "tanbark king of Michigan," was found Saturday morning on Ivanhoe place, in the northern part of the city, under circumstances which indicate murder or suicide. There were two bullet wounds in his body, one near his heart and the other in the abdomen, and a revolver containing three empty cartridges was found on the ground near by.

The diamonds and jewelry worn by Clark were found intact, but there was only 25 cents in his clothing. The belief of Clark's friends that he met with foul play was strengthened when the revolver he usually carried was found in his valise at the Kirby house. The police, however, believe it is a case of suicide, as the bullets apparently did not penetrate either the spring overcoat or the undercoat worn by Clark at the time. The police think had he been shot by an assassin the murderer would not have had the forethought to throw aside the coats.

Grand Rapids, May 16.—N. B. Clark, president of the Michigan Bank and Lumber company of this city, whose dead body was found in a Milwaukee street Saturday morning, sustained a sunstroke several years ago, which affected his mind and from which he never fully recovered. His family, wife and three children, believe that he committed suicide, and the shock upon his wife is so serious that it is feared she will not survive. W. D. Sutton, of Milwaukee, who brought home the remains, is positive the dead man was murdered.

COULD DODGE THE TAX.

Authorities Not in Position to Compel Railroads to Pay.

Grand Rapids, May 18.—State Railroad Commissioner Wesselius holds that all taxes paid on earnings by foreign railroad companies doing business in this state are illegal and unconstitutional under a decision of the United States supreme court in the case of Fargo against the state of Michigan. Wesselius holds that the present tax on railroads is illegal, and that the railroads could at any time refuse to pay, and that they would refuse if the tax were increased as a bill now pending in the legislature proposes. The roads have paid in the past because the tax burdens have been very light, and they would rather pay than to have a new law which might hit them much harder. He says that if the bill now pending should be passed by the legislature Gov. Pingree would veto it on constitutional grounds.

Wintry Weather.

Kalamazoo, May 16.—A severe hail, rain and snowstorm prevailed for two hours here Saturday. In portions of the city there was snow on the ground an inch deep. There was a heavy frost Friday night, but it is believed peaches and small fruit escaped injury.

Holland, May 16.—Heavy frost fell here Friday night, making ice. Early garden vegetables badly nipped.

Sentenced for Directory Frauds.

Muskegon, May 14.—Max Smith, alias Swan, E. Louis Goodhart and H. J. Parker, have been sentenced, the first two for ten years at hard labor and the third for seven, for directory frauds. Parker has appealed his case on the claim that the forged orders with which they worked were not within the statutes. Hartsig, recently convicted in Chicago, forged the orders used here.

Dropped Dead.

Detroit, May 18.—Louis Goldstein, aged 35, dropped dead at 160 Gratiot avenue Monday morning. Goldstein weighed over 200 pounds and had been suffering from heart disease. He was taken to Marshall's morgue. Goldstein leaves a widow and five babies in Chicago. He was a commission agent for a Boston house.

To Lead the Pythians.

Detroit, May 16.—Dan P. McMullen has been unanimously elected grand chancellor of Michigan Knights of Pythias.

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Detroit printers will vote on whether fifty hours shall constitute a week's work in machine shops.

Kidney Diseases

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A pessimist is an invalid who considers happiness a disease.

Duluth Federation Trades forced local officials to re-employ men it dropped in order to reduce expenses.

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A gentleman from Farmer City, Ill., writes: "I have used your remedy, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and find it an excellent medicine. My whole family use it. Our baby is only six months old and takes it freely. I would not be without it if the 10c. size cost me $1.00. —Lincoln S. Payne. In 10c. 50c. and $1 00 sizes at Orr & Temple's.

The man who goes to sleep smoking is likely to wake up blazing.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 15c

A creamatory costing $15,000 will be built at Grand Rapids.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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Jackson.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P M
Napoleon	6 29 "	2 20 "	1 10 "
Tecumseh	6 27 "	2 27 "	1 25 "
Clinton	6 43 "	2 45 "	1 55 "
Manchester	6 58 "	2 59 "	2 35 "
Norvell	7 08 "	3 08 "	3 08 "
Ann Arbor.....Ar	7 45 "	3 45 "	4 31 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 30 "	
Chicago	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 25 "

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316 Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 348 Accom
Chicago		6 20 P.M.	
Detroit	7 40 A.M.	7 50 "	
Ann Arbor	8 40 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Norvell	9 05 "	9 25 "	8 00 "
Manchester	9 17 "	9 35 "	9 05 "
Clinton	9 32 "	9 50 "	
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Passenger	5:50 p. m.
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Passenger	4:11 p. m.
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Concluded from May 7th.

This was the home of the long devout line of bishops, who sacrificed their lives to preach the gospel to the ignorant peasants—for a consideration. For such a humble life of devotion they only needed 283 rooms, a chapel and a theatre. The elegance of the theatre far surpasses the chapel, probably so that the good bishops might not be attracted from their duties by the beauties of the chapel. An extremely imposing staircase and a mirror saloon help to make the place inhabitable. In the huge cellars, the largest in Germany, are 200 casks of Franconian wine. The bishops need this supply to drown the sorrows of their ascetic life. We went out feeling sorrow for the bishops and viewed the superb garden where we suppose they used to hoe potatoes and weed onions. Then we visited the old Romanesque basilica, the cathedral, where they toiled to save the poor sinners who lived in huts and wretched tenements in the town. As we entered the ancient building (begun in 862) we saw one of the sinners, an aged woman, with huge loaded basket on her back, standing bent and trembling before a confessional. From our point of view we could see the priest whose elbow leaned lazily on a ledge and who regarded us with ill-concealed curiosity. He was screened from her and supposed to be tendealy hearing her woes. From the cathedral we crossed the street to the Neumunster church where we saw the burial spot and tablet to Walter von der Vogelweide. Crowning his tomb is a vase. The poet left money to be used in purchasing seed to be placed in this vase to feed the birds. The canons themselves have long since appropriated the money to their own use.

The gothic Mary's chapel with perforated spire; the Franciscan church and monastery; the Hofspital church and the St. Burkard church with Romanesque exterior built in 1168, whose gray towers point to the Marien chapel, a pilgrimage church high upon the Nicholas mountain; all these notable churches and a bridge actually lined with statues of saints, assure the traveler that he is in a very sanctimonious vicinity. There is a saint on every corner and a virgin or a saint over every doorway. I never was so sainted in my life. But grim War has his altar even in this sanctified city. Over the river on a bold hill sets the fortress Marienburg (1016 feet high.) From that lofty seat old Time tells his awe-inspiring history, how a Roman fort once held this site, decayed and gave place to a bishops' castle (for bishops must have grim battlements and walls for their work of peace). In 1525 the peasants failed to take the castle and sixty of the ringleaders were executed in the market place at the command of the kind hearted bishop. In 1631, Gustavus Adolphus captured the castle. Wurzburg has other war-like records. Archduke Charles defeated Jourdan here in 1796 just before Napoleon's course of victory began, and in 1866 the campaign of the Prussian army of the Main terminated here with the bombardments of the fortress. Yes, among all those saints and virgins we saw soldiers walking about with queer steel attachments at their heels, which we, at first, thought were to keep them from jumping fences but later discovered that they were cavalry men on foot. We staid over night in a hotel with a saint over its door, but nevertheless the landlord did not try to cheat us in the morning. We left Wurzburg with a sigh of relief, glad to get out into the wicked world again. The first town was Kitzingen famous for its beer. Once more the horrors of the Peasant War were impressed upon us, for it was here that the Margrave Casimer of Ansbach ordered seven citizens executed and many blinded for taking part in this lamentable war. Towns with walls and towers, furth with manufacture of goldleaf, mirrors and toys, and the Alte-Veste or Old Fort interested us. The latter was attached by Gustavus Adolphus in 1632, while Wallenstein was within. Six times the sturdy Swedes advanced upon it while their famous leader sat at the inn at the Green-Tree and issued orders, but at last he and his army had to retreat baffled. The train dragged us out of sight of the old ruin and running for a few miles parallel with the oldest railroad in Germany, drew us into the Nuremberg depot. Nuremberg, like Wurzburg, got its first start in life by its piety. When St. Sebaldus died, he left the little village his bones and a few other trinkets, and the inhabitants, not knowing anything better to do with the bequest, began doing miracles with the relics. That proved a drawing card and lured people from distant cities. When the people came to see the show, they brought things to sell and Nuremberg became a market. That was about 1050. Then the Emperors began to visit the city and as they could stop at a common hotel they had a castle built on a hill west of the town. During the Hohenstaufen dynasty the town grew apace and Conrad III and Frederic Barbarossa lived in the castle and priveleged the city. It was ruled at first by the swell families but about 1349 when the trades people grew powerful they drove out the Four Hundred and ruled for a time themselves. But the blue-bloods regained their prestige and used to elect one of their number as Burgrave. It was in this office that the Hohenzollern family got a start. Fred. I, who died 1218, had this office. They soon became princes and when in 1415 Emperor Sigismund gave Fred. III the mark Brandenburg, Frederick gave the city his castle. After this the city quarreled with the Margraves, but in general were very dignified as became citizens of a free Hanseatic town. When the Renaissance came along they wanted to trim up and look as handsome as the rest of the world, so Viet Stoss, a good woodcarver, Kraft, a stone-carver, Vischer, a first-class brass-founder, and Wohlgemut, who taught Albrecht Durer to paint, set about putting up images and painting up the churches until you wouldn't have known the old town. The old houses with high peaked gothic gables were prisked up with Renaissance facades, and then to keep out envious foreigners they built a great rampart about this odd town with huge round towers which look like coffee-pots with the handles knocked off. Outside of that they dug a moat 35 yards wide and 33 feet deep. This is the most picturesque city wall in Germany.

In this most medieval and artistic town in the Empire, we just settled down for a week and "did" it. Everyone has read Hans Sachs stories and we too; so we went to see his house. It is a meat market now and was a shoe shop. The old house is using up all the products of the cow in course of its history. Near by is a statue to the old poet. It represents him cobbling and thinking up spring poetry. Not far away was Peter Vischer's house. Peter is the man who took thirteen years with his sons' aid to make that unforgivable monument to St. Sebaldus over which the art critics go into hyperboles and to see which we squandered eight and one-half cents to enter St. Sebaldus church. Twelve apostles stand about the sarcophagus, on shelves, while twelve church fathers and prophets stand in equally precarious places keeping company with 70 genii mermaids and animals. Personally I prefer a prohibition paper's thrilling picture of the dreams of a delerium tremens patient.

We escaped and looked at the outside of the church, which was Romanesque in the 10th century, Transition in the 13th and Gothic finally in the 14th, running the whole scale of architectual freaks except the Renaissance. Turning our backs on the fickle church we surveyed the fine Renaissance Council House and ventured inside to see the Great Hall with a timber roof and a famous painting of Emp. Maximilian's triumph. Below are the dungeons with the subterranean passage leading away one-fourth of a mile to the deep well in the castle. Another time we walked down the river Pegnetz along whose edge the houses are built so close that the stream resembles a canal in Venice, and across which the old "Meat Bridge" was built to be like the Rialto. A suspension bridge, first in Germany; the Hangman's bridge and Chas. VI's bridge aid the good citizens to cross this wonderfully picturesque water course. On the latter bridge are two obolisks upon the tops of which sit an eagle and a dove with an olive branch. One's lip curls a little sarcastically at sight of this dove, symbolic of the "Peace Bringer," as Chas. VI was called, when the obolisk was erected. A few years afterwards his pragmatic sanction plunged all Europe into a terrible war. The evil he did lived after him.

There are several world-renowned fountains in Weremberg. One, the "Virtue Fountain" belies its name; another, the "Beautiful Fountain" is a Gothic pyramid 63 feet high and stands before the house where Pirkheimer, the great humorist lived before 1530. Most delighting of all is the "Little Goose Man" fountain. The quaint little peasant man holds a goose under each arm and looks at you half amused as you watch the water flow from the mouths of the geese.

While we were looking at the Gothic Mary's church, built in 1355 on the site of a synagogue, which the trades-people in their jealousy of the Jews had destroyed in 1349, we saw some children playing on the steps and asked them if they lived there. They looked at each other, their cheeks began to puff up and then with shrieks of laughter they all ran out of sight behind one of the great buttresses and had their laugh out. I consoled myself by looking at the "Little Men that Run" clock on the church front. Moving figures of seven German electors make their appearance at noon. Durer's house, whose chief attraction is the price of admission, and his monument, which is even finer than the soldiers' monument in the park at home, are two attractions as is also the dwelling of John Palm, "Victim of Napoleon's Tyranny," as the Germans are pleased to label him. In 1805 he rashly wrote an incendiary pamphlet against Napoleon's administration and was condemned as a treason-monger. The justice or injustice depends upon one's sympathies. Perhaps you are getting tired of famous houses; well so did we, but you will have to come along and see the house with the Golden Shield where, in 1356, Chas. IV drew up the first 23 articles of the Golden Bull, one clause providing that the emperors hold their first diet in Nuremberg. Now just come over and see the house where Gustavus Adolphus staid over night, and this fine old mediaeval house with St. Georg and the Dragon carved on the front by Kraft and—just one more— this line of houses with Lions, Unicorns, Bacchuses, Horses and Cows, fastened over their doors. Now this queer Italian Baroque structure, with a massive half sphere for a dom, isn't a house; it's a sort of Masonic lodge and is called the Deutschhaus, so you will pardon me if we just run over to this old gray Dominican Monastery while we look through the archives at the manuscripts written by Melachthon and Luther and a queer old letter written by Huss. I thought I had dragged you through all the churches but there is the Gothic St. Catharine where the Meistersingers had their school for many decades, and the fine new synagogue in Moorish style.

If I talk of graveyards I fear you will stop reading, but the old St. Rochus cemetery is really worth looking at. The tombstones are recumbent, which fact we explain by the proposition that the cemetery is so old that the tombstones got tired standing around waiting and watching for Judgement Day so they laid down. They look lots more comfortable. It is a shame to keep a tombstone standing nobody knows how long. I prefer one couchant.

Just take a little walk with me up to the castle where we can get a fine view of the city and I will let you go. It is a hard climb up this castle hill along the "Way to Heaven," as the road is called. There is the Mt. of Olives on the left and the old five cornered tower on the right is the Walpurgis Chapel, under which the Hohenzollern Burgraves had their torture chamber. Perhaps you think that it was unpleasant to be saying prayers and hear some poor wretch's shrieks of agony from the cellar. Yes, but you arn't used to such things, and Mr. Hohenzollern was. "Iron Virgin," as the hollow figure filled with spikes is called, has received many a victim to its terrible embrace. Here in the castle wall are two hoof prints of the horse which leaped with a captive robber knight over two hundred feet of moat to the earth one hundred feet below. You can use your own common sense about that story, I used mine. Let's look down the mysterious "Deep Well" and get a view from the tower of the history-haunted castle, looking perhaps from the very window from which Frederick Barbarossa gazed 800 years ago, and there in the distance is the Germanic Museum, the greatest attraction in Nuremberg. Yes, we will have to visit that, in spite of my promise. It was once (1400) a Carthusian monastery with "long drawn aisles and fretted vaults, but now makes an ideal museum for the treasurers of Germanic history. In a hundred artistic rooms are the relics of the life of the Middle Ages, a large Gothic bedstead in ebony a Mediaeval kitchen, which sent my wife into raptures, scientific apparatus used by the old alchemists, weaving, embroidery and musical instruments hundreds of years old, the earliest attempts at bookbinding, and even the treasures of Athanarich, the Visigoth, have been imitated and are exhibited. There is also a complete collection of instruments of torture and some ancient church pictures which are fully as painful. I wont ask you to come to the train with us for you must be very tired. I will promise a shorter installment next time. C. H. VANTYNE.

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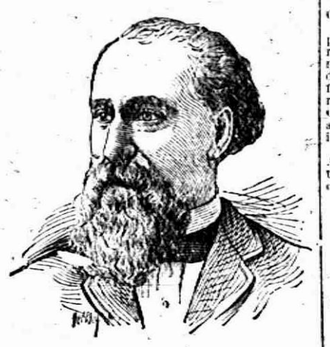

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The horror of the story can hardly be told. Those who are dead were penned up below decks, and although frantic efforts were made by the officers of the vessel to save them, the fire had gained such terrible headway before the danger was discovered that all escape was cut off.

Anamosa, Ia., May 12.—Gov. Drake has pardoned Miss Amelia Evans. She killed the man whose meddlesome letters almost estranged her and her husband.

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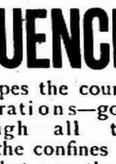

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 11th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David D. Meeker, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William D. Meeker, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate may be granted to Fred'k B. Wood or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
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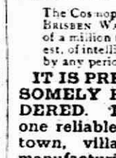

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Important Developments in the State Legislature During the Past Week—Another Stroke of Railroad Business Done by the House—Governor Pingree and the Merriam Bill — Another Appointee Turned Down by the Senate.

Lansing, Mich., May 18.—The chances for a deadlock between the senate and house and a row with the governor in consequence are most promising. It is all due to the important developments of the past week in the line of legislation increasing the taxes paid by railroads. In my last letter I referred to the passage by the senate of the Merriam bill increasing the specific tax rate so as to make an aggregate annual increase of about $180,000 in the taxes paid by the railroad companies operating in this state, and at the same time stated that the house would probably see the senate and go it considerably better. The house did just this thing, and did it with a vengeance, too. The contest was a most exciting one and showed good generalship both on the part of the Pingree forces and the railroad people.

The battle opened up with the consideration of the Stoneman bill providing that railroad property shall be taxed locally just as other property is taxed. After amending this bill by taking the power of assessing railroad property from the supervisors and requiring that all of it shall be done by the board of state auditors, who shall apportion the assessment among the various townships and cities in which the property is located, and further providing that all the revenue derived therefrom shall be used for the support of the public schools just as the revenue from specific taxation is now used, the bill was agreed to in committee of the whole. This done, the Pingree leader, Colonel Atkinson, called up his bill providing for a flat 2-cent passenger rate on all roads in the state and succeeded in having that agreed to also.

Merriam Specific Tax Bill.

While all this was going on the Merriam specific tax bill, which had passed the senate as above noted, was in the hands of the railroad committee of the house, which had set a hearing on it for several days hence. The railroad men rallied over night after the action on the local taxation and 2-cent fare bills, and succeeded in having the hearing abandoned and the bill reported out bright and early the next morning and placed at the head of the special order so that it would be the first measure considered. Their object was to rush it through ahead of the other two bills, which they feared more than this one, and thus kill them off, for it was not possible that all would pass. On the other hand, the Pingree forces used the action on the two bills as a club with which to force an increase in the rates of specific taxation made by the senate. It was a case of dog eat dog and both sides claim to have secured an ample mouthful.

The present rates of taxation are as follows: On earnings of $2,000 per mile or less, 2 per cent.; $2,000 to $4,000, 2½ per per cent.; from $4,000 to $6,000, 3 per cent.; from $6,000 to $8,000, 3½ per cent.; over $8,000, 4 per cent. As fixed by the house the rates are as follows: On earnings of $2,000 or less, 2½ per cent.; from $2,000 to $4,000, 4 per cent.; from $4,000 to $6,000, 6 per cent.; over $6,000, 10 per cent. A careful computation of the amount of revenue the state would receive under the Merriam bill as it passed the house shows that it would be $1,246,193 annually, the computation being on the earnings of last year. This is an increase of $504,784.34 over the revenue received last year, as against the increase of $180,000 provided by the senate.

Senator Changed His Mind.

When the bill was sent back to the senate it was laid on the table without discussion, it being the purpose of Senator Merriam not to call it up until this week. The senator changed his mind, however, and on Friday morning had the bill taken from the table. On his motion the house amendments were not concurred in, but five votes being cast in favor of concurrence, while nineteen were cast against the motion. This decisive vote renders it practically certain that the senate will never agree to the increase made by the house. It is possible that a compromise figure may be agreed to, but the indications are that it must hover very close to the raise made by the senate if this is done. When the report of the senate was announced in the house, Representative Chamberlain moved that a committee of five on the part of the house be appointed to concur with a like committee from the senate with a view to adjusting the differences between the two houses. The motion was authorized and the houses will appoint them this week. All of their deliberations will be watched with interest.

Pingree leaders were somewhat divided in their advocacy of the Merriam bill and 2-cent fare bill, so that they did not hope to pass both and merely used the latter as a club with which to force the former. The tax rates became a law as the Merriam bill passed the house. Colonel Atkinson at once had the local taxation bill sent to the committee on judiciary, although there was nothing to send it there for. Later in the day the 2-cent fare bill came up on third reading and was defeated by a vote of 54 to 39. No attempt was made at that time to reconsider the bill and save it for another trial, but after the senate tabled the Merriam bill this was done, so that there will still be plenty of material with which to make trouble for the railroads should the senate prove to be a block in the way of the increase of taxes.

The Vote Was Forthcoming.

The house did another stroke of railroad business when it passed the bill repealing the special charter under which the Michigan Central railroad has been doing business for the past forty or more years. It required a two-thirds vote to pass this bill, but it was forthcoming, seventy votes being cast in its favor. The senate sat on this bill also as soon as it got its hands on it. It was promptly sent to the railroad committee, every member of which is bitterly opposed to its passage. An ox team will be necessary to get it away from the committee, or to be more exact, it will not to be yielded up unless a majority of the senate so orders.

Governor Pingree stands ready to sign the Merriam bill as it passed the house, but can be depended upon to veto it if the increase in taxes is made any less than fixed by that body. In speaking of the matter he said: "Of course, these companies ought to pay $3,000,000 or $4,000,000 in taxes annually, but these are pretty hard times and $500,000 would go a good ways. We might accept the bill and then go in two years from now and make the companies pay what they ought to pay. I would not approve the bill, though, if I felt that it would be a bar to our getting more tax legislation at the next session." When apprised of the action of the senate in refusing to concur in the house amendments, Governor Pingree remarked that no special appropriation bills would be approved just at present. He proposes to hold these bills up as a means of forcing votes for the Merriam bill. These special appropriations include $25,000 for the Ontonagon fire sufferers, and $5,000 for improvements at Macknac Ilsand park, with some to follow for improvements at various state institutions.

Merriam's Objection.

Senator Merriam's objection to the house amendments is that they are inequitable. He says that they make the main line of the Michigan Central pay an increase of $181,200, while the increase for all the other roads operating in the state would be but $292,685. With a deadlock between the two houses, and the governor threatening to hold up other important legislation until he gets what he wants in the way of increased railroad taxation, the prospects for an interesting and exciting week are the most promising, while those for the adjournment on May 21, as agreed upon, are just the reverse.

Another of Governor Pingree's appointees has been turned down by the senate. This time the victim is ex-Mayor Thaddeus C. Brooks of Jaskson, whom the governor nominated for a place on the board of control of the state prison to succeed Albert Stiles, also of Jackson. Just what the objection to Brooks was is not clear. Some think it was a desire on the part of the senators to block the scheme credited to the governor to remove Warden Chamberlain and give his place to Sheriff Judson of Ann Arbor. Then, again, it is asserted that Brooks' penchant for kicking on pretty much everything in sight compassed his defeat. Be that as it may, his chances for getting a place on the board while the present senate is in session are dead beyond resurrection.

Governor Pingree has already filed three vetoes, and promises another this week. The bill to which he objects this time is the Holmes lien law. He says that it is a clever scheme to prevent mechanics from getting a lien for their wages on new buildings. His other vetoes were of the Flint charter, curfew and anti-cigarette bills. The first named was passed over his veto, and an attempt may be made to pass the cigarette bill. The curfew bill is dead, its introducer making no attempt to secure its passage over the veto.

The Michigan Manual.

The Michigan Manual, that much sought after publication, which has usually been ready for distribution along in April, will not be completed until August this year. This delay is due to no fault of the state printer and binder, however. It is simply a monument to the penchant of the two houses for disagreeing. For several sessions the state printer has been in the habit of getting out an issue of the Manual as soon after the legislature convened as possible, and then after the April election, the legislators would discover that the statistics of that contest and other valuable information not available earlier in the year should be set forth in the volume, and so they would order a second edition printed. In order to save this extra expense the legislature directed the state printer not to proceed with the printing this year until it was definitely decided how many copies were to be printed, and also directing the publication held until after the April election so that there need be but one edition. This order was not made, however, until after 400 pages had been printed, most of which had to be printed over again. Then the two houses scrapped for a couple of months over the distribution of the volumes between them and the result is that work on the publication was resumed only last week. The people entitled to these valuable books will have howled themselves hoarse long before they are ready for distribution, but the solons alone are to blame for the delay.

Victory for Farmer Members.

The farmer members of the legislature have apparently won a decisive victory in connection with the bill to repeal the law taxing real estate mortgages. Early in the session a powerful lobby of Detroit real estate men showed up and succeeded in getting the bill through the senate and there was every prospect that the house would follow suit. Just then remonstrances began to be received from farmers' clubs throughout the state. These poured in so fast and numerously that the legislative farmers' club held a meeting and marked the bill for slaughter. It has since been on the table. A few days ago Representative Stoneman made a last rally in its behalf, but he was unable to pump any life into it, and the decisive adverse vote on that occasion indicates that it will be heard from no more this year.

The farmers, however, lost a point in connection with the game bill. Those in the house having in view the trespass and damage committed by hunters who roam over their farms had incorporated in this law a provision prohibiting the hunting of quail with dogs. This would have quite effectually disposed of any quail hunting whatever, but the senate struck out this provision and in order to save the other provisions the farmers of the house were forced to consent to the change.

At present all corporations organizing in Michigan are required to pay to the secretary of state a franchise fee of one-quarter of 1 per cent. on each dollar of their authorized capital stock, no fee to be less than $5. The revenue from this source amounts to a number of thousands of dollars annually. It is proposed however, to materially increase it, and to this end the house committee on private corporations has recommended a bill, which will doubtless pass, increasing the fee to 1½ cents on each dollar of authorized capital, no fee to be less than $20.

JAMES V. BARRY.

High School Happenings.

Miss Gambell and Miss Monagin gave a very pretty little May-day exercise today (Friday) to which parents and friends of the children received neat little invitations.

The junior reception held at the home of Miss Viola Shull last Friday evening, was very much enjoyed by all those invited.

The Sophmore class held their last meeting Tuesday evening, at the home of Miss Ella Shurtz.

Miss Adah Erskine was an A room visitor last Friday afternoon.

Political economy class took final examination Monday afternoon.

C. F. Field and Miss Mamie Osborne called at the office Monday.

George Bond, class of '94, and Mrs. Garlinghouse called on the A room Monday.

Prof. Kellogg received an appointment from Lansing Monday to direct the Lenawee county summer school for teachers.

The senior reception will be held next week Friday evening at the home of Miss Agnes Eaton.

Mrs. Theodore Lewis.

Again we are called on to chronicle the death of one of our well known citizens, Mrs. Theodore Lewis who fought valiantly the battle of life, but after months of intense suffering yielded to the unevitable and passed away surrounded by her loved ones Wednesday morning at 7:30. Hers was an extreme case and excited the deepest sympathy of all in attendance. She bore pain with great fortitude but longed for the silent messenger. Death to her was welcome. The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church at 10:30, Rev. J. B. Varner officiating.

MENELIK GOING TO EUROPE.

Abyssinian Potentate and Wife to Visit Several Countries.

Among the items of information brought by the members of the Russian sanitary expedition to Abyssinia, who are now back none the worse for their journey, that which treats of the negus' intended foreign trips is among the most interesting, says a London exchange. Heretofore his martial majesty has not gone tripping aboard. Domestic wars with turbulent and ambitious Ras took up most of his time when he was not busy giving battle to the Italians. Now that military enterprise has become somewhat slack, the negus has conceived the plan of traveling and seeing the world for himself. He loves France and Russia, he is said to have declared, not merely at first sight, but before first sight. He has been cordially invited thither, and he and his consort have accepted the invitation. Negus Menelik and "Empress" Taitou will first honor Russia with their presence, coming to Odessa, and thence by rail to St. Petersburg. They will proceed to Paris to the exhibition (1900), and finally will call on the king of Italy and the pope.

A Wandering Lake.

The Swedish explorer of Central Asia, Sven Hedin, gives the latest information concerning the "wandering" of Lake Nor in the Gobi desert, a phenomena about which contradictory views have been entertained. He says that Tarim river, entering the lake from the west, brings down, during the period of high water late in summer, a great quantity of silt, which has the effect of driving the lake, lying on the level floor of the desert, toward the southeast. But the summer wind, drifting the surface sand and darkening the heavens with dust, blows generally from the northeast and it, too, tends to drive the lake before it. The combined effect of the urging by the wind and the river is to force the lake southward. Yet Sven Hedin thinks the migration of the lake is not constant in direction, but it shifts back and forth intermittently, according as the circumstances change.

Anatomy.

Hippocrates is looked upon by anatomists as the father of science. He died in 370 B. C. The modern science began in Italy in the thirteenth century. The first anatomical plates, designed to show the size and relative position of the bodily organs, were prepared and colored by Titian. All the great painters and sculptors have been careful students of anatomy. Michael Angelo, Raphael and Leonardo da Vinci were noted for their anatomical researches.

Lying on his chest along the boat's deck, the sponge fisher, with his water-glass—a pane set in a box fitted with handles—looks down 40 feet into the clear depths. With one hand he grasps and sinks a slender pole, sometimes 50 feet in length, fitted at the end with a double hook. The sponge once discovered, the hook is deftly inserted at the rock base, and by a sudden jerk is detached.

This curt description of what seems the simple work of sponge fishing gives no idea of the real skill and exertion needed. The eye of the fisher has to be trained by long experience to peer into the sea and tell the commercially valuable sponges from those that are worthless. He must have a deft hand to detach the sponge without a tear.

Above all, while doing this with one hand, he must manipulate with the other the water-glass, as the waves sway it sideways and up and down. The strain on eyes and body is most intense, to say nothing of the cramped position and exposure to wind and wet, which, first and last, make almost every sponge fisher a victim of acute rheumatism. Yet, with all his arduous toil, an expert sponge fisher earns not more than $15 a month, besides his "keep" on the boat, which barely deserves the name of existence.

Regular session of May 17th, 1897.

Present—The President, Clerk, Trustees Heesen, Eldridge, Wright, Heesen, Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street commissioner's report from May 3 to May 17, '97, presented showing: fire team labor 10 days, Alva Waring, team labor 8½ days, $21.25; Dell Packard, hand labor, 9 days, $11.25; Jno. McWilliams, 4 days poll tax worked, $5.00. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were reported and referred to finance committee: A. Waring, team labor, $21.25; Dell Packard, labor, $11.25; C. E. Williamson, clipping team, $2.50. Waterworks—A. Park's labor, $2.40. Finance committee reported favorably on all of above bills and the clerk instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts.

J. D. Shull was appointed to the office of assessor to fill vacancy in said office, caused by the death of Jehiel Davidson.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Farmers' Social Club.

The Farmers' Social Club will meet at the home of Mrs. F. C. Rector Thursday afternoon, May 27. Program as follows:

Roll call, quotations appropriate to the season, on flowers or Decoration Day.

Poem—Mrs. O. P. Remington.

Select Reading—Mrs. Jerome Bowen.

In Memoriam—Leva Gillespie.

Vocal Music—Mrs. Geo. Benedict.

Members having any plans or suggestions to offer in regard to the work of the club for the coming year will please go to this meeting prepared to give their views.

Base Ball.

We are pleased to announce that through the generous and substantial assistance of our business men and others a sufficient sum has been raised to guarantee the maintenance of a strong ball team for the season which will be under the management of Chas. Burridge and Will W. Hicks. It is their intention to have at least one game each week. The first game will be played tomorrow afternoon when the Adrian College nine will cross bats with the home team. Harris and Gillen will compose Tecumseh's battery. In this connection it might with propriety be said regarding batteries that some dark horses are being considered by the management although no definite arrangements have as yet been made. We trust our citizens generally will attend this game and encourage these worthy young men who are laboring so zealously to furnish our people fine exhibitions of the national game.

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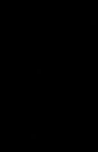

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THE TARIFF BILL.

Debate of the Measure Is Commenced in the Senate.

Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, Explains the Features of the Bill —Senator Vest, of Missouri, Replies.

Washington, May 26.—Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, went over the entire tariff ground in his exposition of the features of the senate bill yesterday. He said in part:

"Mr. President, the business of the entire country is in a state of suspension awaiting the action of the senate upon the bill under consideration. I believe that the anxiety to secure action upon this important measure at the earliest possible day is shared by every member of the senate. It is my purpose to keep the bill continuously before the senate, to the exclusion of all other legislative business, until it is finally disposed of, and in this I shall expect the hearty cooperation of senators on both sides of the chamber. In the discussion of the bill the members of the majority committee will confine themselves with such brief explanations as may be found necessary of the various paragraphs as they are reached."

Proceeding to give the views of the republican majority of the committee which framed the bill, the senator said:

"The rates suggested by the committee's amendments are considerably below those imposed by the house bill, and in most instances below those contained in the act of 1890. In suggesting these reductions the members reaffirm and emphasize their position as friends of the protective policy. Industrial conditions in this country, with very few exceptions, do not demand a return to the rates imposed by the act of 1890. Without relinquishing one particle of our devotion to the cause of protection, we feel that we have a right to ask that the cause shall not be burdened by the imposition of duties which are unnecessary and excessive."

House Estimates Erroneous.

"The framers of the house bill estimate a total revenue from the bill of $269,105,710 in normal years. This would be the largest revenue received from customs duties and an increase of $113,479,793 over the customs revenue of 1896 and of $70,732,264 over that of 1893."

After giving in detail the house estimates of revenue Senator Aldrich proceeded:

"It will be apparent from a critical examination of the provisions of the house bill that the estimate of $4,000,000 increase of revenue, if the bill should become a law by the 1st of July was excessive. To indicate the grounds upon which this judgment is based we may take the wool and woolen schedule, from which $24,000,000 out of $76,000,000 increase is expected. The fact is well known that there have been unusual importations of wool in anticipation of the reimposition of a duty—enough, according to the trade reports, to supply all the foreign wool needed by the domestic manufacturers for more than a year. This estimate of $14,000,000 increase from woolen goods is equally erroneous.

"The same condition exists, in lesser degree perhaps, with reference to other schedules. Instead of an increased revenue from tobacco, we may more safely count upon a decrease in the first year; the increase from sugar will be much less than the ways and means committee's estimate, owing to the fact that one quarter of the year's supplies of raw sugar will probably be imported before any new rates of duty can be applied to them.

"The secretary of the treasury estimates the expenditures for all purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, at $466,946,047.28. The finance committee estimates the revenue to be derived in the same fiscal year from customs, if the provisions of this bill should be enacted into law, at $182,744,000. This includes an estimated revenue from the temporary duty on tea of $8,000,000. The committee estimates the receipts from internal revenue for the same period at $170,709,000. If we add to this the treasury estimate for miscellaneous receipts, $20,000,000, and the receipts on account of the post office, $96,227,076, we have a total estimated receipts for the fiscal year 1898 of $469,671,076, or an estimated excess of receipts over expenditures for that year of $2,725,028. If the estimated revenue from the duty on tea and the additional internal revenue taxes should be omitted from the committee's estimates of receipts, there would be an estimated deficiency of $29,175,000, instead of a surplus of $2,725,028.

Must Prevent Deficiency.

"The committee believes it to be the imperative duty of congress to provide in the measure under consideration for a revenue which will certainly meet the requirements of the government for the next fiscal year. The adoption of a revenue bill which should fail in this purpose, and which should create an additional deficiency in the immediate future, and which would require a further issue of bonds to meet current expenditures, would certainly be fatal to the hopes of future success of any political party responsible for such legislation.

"Assuming that the necessity for additional revenue exists, and of this we believe there can be no question, there is no economic reason, and certainly none that affects the public interests, why beer and tobacco should not bear their share of additional taxation. The committee believes that the duty proposed on tea will not prove a serious burden upon the consumers of that article."

The Hawaiian Treaty.

The senator then took up the Hawaiian treaty and said: "The committee will also prepare and present an amendment to the house provisions in regard to the Hawaiian treaty. The existing commercial treaty between the United States and the government of these islands provides for the free admission of raw sugars, the product of the islands, into the United States. If this treaty should remain in force it would result in giving a bounty to the Hawaiian sugar producers amounting to more than $8,000,000 per annum. It was not contemplated when the original treaty was made, or when it was extended, that any possible advantage of this kind could ever result from its terms to the people of the Sandwich Islands. The effect of this bounty would undoubtedly be to stimulate the production of sugar in the Hawaiian islands. While we cannot fairly abrogate a treaty of this kind with a friendly country without notice, we believe that negotiations should at once be entered into looking to such a modification of the treaty as will reduce the bounty to be paid Hawaiian sugar producers to a reasonable sum, and the committee will present an amendment looking in this direction at an early day. There should be no difficulty in securing through the treaty-making power such modifications of the treaty as will be satisfactory to both countries without injury to either. It certainly cannot be expected that the United States will continue for any length of time to pay a bonus of $7,000,000 or $8,000,000 per annum as an inducement to any foreign country to trade with us. I assume there will be no difficulty in securing proper modifications of the treaty so that it will not be necessary for the government of the United States to give the one year's notice of its abrogation, as provided for by its terms."

Senator Aldrich Concludes.

In conclusion Senator Aldrich said: "The industrial system of the United States is growing more and more complex every year. It is becoming more difficult every year to satisfy, in a tariff revision, conflicting claims of sections, or to so adjust rates as to do no injustice to any of the varied interests of this great country. The revision of paragraphs and rates recommended by the committee are undoubtedly far from satisfactory in many cases to interested parties. The amendments recorded represent the consensus of opinion of a majority of the members of the committee. We have no pride of opinion or authorship in regard to any of the provisions reported. We have given careful consideration to the numerous important questions involved in the various schedules. We present to the senate the result of our labors, and shall cheerfully accept your judgment as to the wisdom of our conclusions."

Senator Aldrich, on behalf of the republican members of the senate committee on finance, gave notice of 32 additional amendments to the tariff bill, which will be offered as the bill progresses.

Vest's Reply.

Senator Vest (dem., Mo.) followed Senator Aldrich in a vigorous speech against the republican tariff policy. Senator Vest inquired why, if there was now sufficient revenue for the expenses of the government, the republican party should adopt the policy of its opponent and put a tax on tea. He argued that there was in the treasury more money than when President Harrison turned it over to Grover Cleveland. The policy of issuing gold certificates when there was more than $100,000,000 of reserve, Senator Vest asserted, had been abandoned by Secretary Carlisle and Secretary Gage. Every dollar hoarded was a crime against the people. He criticised Senator Aldrich for failing to give a statement of the revenue that would be yielded by the bill and for failing to present estimates that had been prepared by the chief of the bureau of statistics.

In reply, Senator Aldrich said the estimates contained merely an opinion that neither the Dingley bill nor the senate bill could supply sufficient revenue for the government in its first year. The bill would produce $50,000,000 more than the Wilson bill, he said.

WEYLER IS ANGRY.

He Accuses the United States of Impertinence and Hypocrisy.

New York, May 24.—A dispatch to the Journal from Cienfuegos, Cuba, says: In an interview Capt. Gen. Weyler, upon his arrival here from Placetas, in reference to Senator Morgan's Cuban resolution said:

"I am not surprised at the action thus far taken, nor shall I be if the house concurs in the senate resolution and sends it to the president. Your jingoes are in the saddle and evidently bent upon forcing the country in some foreign complications in order to distract attention from the fast approaching internal crisis.

"The few scattering bands of Cuban dynamiters, railroad wreckers, horse and cattle thieves, plantation burners and highwaymen now in the field here, who hold no port and possess no seat of civil government, have no right to expect recognition. Such distinction at President McKinley's hands, issued in the face of my own proclamation officially declaring the greater part of the island to be already pacified, would hold the Washington executive up to the ridicule of European powers and prompt a healthy outburst of sympathy for the Spanish cause, especially from neighboring old world governments also possessing colonies in the West Indies.

"Personally, I shall be glad. If recognition comes, our position will then be more clearly defined. It will work a virtual abrogation of our special treaty with the United States, place Yankees residing in Cuba in an identical position before the courts with other foreign residents, and I shall be troubled less by the constant complaints and often ridiculous demands from American consuls.

"For one I shall heartily rejoice that the emptiness and hypocrisy of the United States government's reiterated professions of friendship shall be finally unmasked. I have always had little confidence in the sincerity of its assertions. Each new declaration from Washington calculated to throw our marine officials engaged in patroling the Cuban coast off their guard, has invariably been followed by the departure of some new Cuban filibuster from an American port with arms and munitions for our enemy."

PLEA FOR ARBITRATION.

National Committee Urges United Work in the Treaty.

Washington, May 26.—The national arbitration committee has issued the following:

"The rejection by our national senate of the treaty initiated in accordance with the joint resolution of congress passed in 1890 and concluded by the representatives of the United States and Great Britain January 11, 1897, we believe to have been against the highest interests not only of the two nations immediately concerned, but also of the world. To our fellow citizens, accordingly, we make renewed and confident appeal. The wise advocacy of the great cause should be everywhere maintained. It remains, therefore, for patriotic citizens unitedly to labor until, with the sanction of our national senate, the intelligent will of the people shall be embodied in a just and comprehensive treaty for the accomplishment of that end."

SENT TO LONDON.

Gen. Miles Ordered to Take Part in Queen's Jubilee Ceremonies.

Washington, May 24.—By direction of the president, Secretary Alger sent a cable message to Maj. Gen. Miles, commanding the army, who is now at Constantinople, instructing him to be in London not later than June 15, to represent the United States army at the ceremonies in honor of the sixtieth anniversary of Queen Victoria's accession to the British throne. As has been stated, the United States navy will be represented at the queen's jubilee by Admiral Miller on the armored cruiser Brooklyn.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 24.—The strike of the American flint glass workers' union, which was inaugurated four years ago, has been declared off. The strike cost the union over $1,000,000, and during four years 400 strikers died.

A Banker in Jail.

Logansport, Ind., May 24.—President Johnson, of the bankrupt State national bank of this city and the State bank at Monticello, confessed to the wrongful appropriation of over $300,000 and was placed in jail at Indianapolis.

OUR LAWMAKERS.

The Work Being Done in Both Branches of Congress.

The Senate Passes a Resolution to Recognize Cuban Insurgents—House Adopts a Relief Measure—Other News.

Washington, May 20.—Another stirring debate on Cuba occurred in the senate yesterday. Senator Foraker (O.) declared his purpose of supporting the resolution recognizing Cuban belligerency when it should be reported by the committee. It was developed in the course of a colloquy between Senators Foraker, Morgan and Vest that the state department had withheld the names of United States consuls reporting on the serious condition of affairs in Cuba, because it might lead to their massacre. Senator Vest declared that this presented the most serious phase of the subject, as it was time to protect our officials with war ships if their personal safety was threatened for making reports to their government. Senator Hoar replied, contending that the senate should have authoritative fact set forth like a judicial finding of a court in an official report. The practical thing was to propose mediation, and if that was rejected to have the facts presented to the senate and take the action the facts warranted. No action was taken on the resolution. A bill was passed regulating the pay of noncommissioned officers of the army after July 1, 1898, as follows: Sergeant major, quartermaster sergeant and first sergeant, $30 each per month; sergeant, $23; corporal, $17.

Washington, May 21.—The long and exciting debate on the joint resolution recognizing the existence of a state of war in Cuba and declaring that strict neutrality shall be maintained by the United States passed the senate yesterday by the decisive vote of 41 to 14. The resolution as passed is as follows:

"Resolved, That a condition of public war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms by the people of Cuba, and that the United States of America shall maintain a strict neutrality between the contending parties, according to each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States."

The senate then adjourned until Monday.

Washington, May 25.—In the senate yesterday Senator Tillman made the formal announcement of the death of Senator Earle, of South Carolina, and as a mark of respect the senate adjourned.

Washington, May 26.—Senator Aldrich opened the tariff debate in the senate yesterday, making an exhaustive exposition of the bill. Senator Cullom introduced by request a bill which provides for a complete revision of the interstate commerce law. The nomination of Edwin H. Conger, of Iowa, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Brazil, and of Brig. Gen. John R. Brooke to be major general were received from the president.

The House.

Washington, May 21.—Cuban affairs furnished the house with a day of bitter partisan debate yesterday. The resolution appropriating $50,000 for the relief of American citizens was adopted without a dissenting vote, but the democrats endeavored to force consideration also of the Morgan resolution for recognition of belligerency of the insurgents. They accused the republicans of endeavoring to evade this issue, but the dominant party, through its spokesman, Mr. Hitt (Ill.) made the important statement that the republicans desired not to embarrass negotiations which were being projected by President McKinley to secure the independence of Cuba.

Washington, May 25.—In the house yesterday Mr. McMillin (Tenn.) introduced a resolution providing for the consideration of a senate resolution recognizing the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents "from day to day until disposed of." The resolution was referred to the committee on rules.

Supreme Court Adjourns.

Washington, May 25.—After rendering final decisions in 36 cases and giving attention to other business incident to the last sitting of the term, the United States supreme court adjourned Monday until next October. When the court cryer announced the final adjournment for the term, there were apparently 380 cases on the docket undisposed of, but there were actually 359 cases, 21 having already been argued and submitted. This is a smaller number than the records of the court have shown for 30 years.

Benefits the Roads.

Washington, May 25.—The supreme court has by a decision rendered Monday knocked from under the interstate commerce act one of its strongest supports. It removed the power to fix railroad rates. The Sherman anti-trust law is about all that stands now between the people and the railroads. Without this law the shippers would be practically unprotected, for it is admitted that the interstate commerce act has lost its life.

May Be Sent by Mail.

Washington, May 26.—The committee on international mails of the postal congress has decided that natural history specimens and articles for scientific collections may be admitted to the mails as samples, but voted against extending the privilege to keys and like articles.

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CLINTON

Miss Lina Jones now rides a Stearns.

Mrs. M. E. Carr left Saturday for Lansngi.

Ara Palmer, of Brooklyn, was in town Wednesday.

M. D. Alexander, of Tipton, was in town Monday.

W. D. VanTuyle made a bicycle trip to Adrian Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Tate spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Tecumseh.

Miss Minnie McAdam was home from Manchester over Sunday.

James Hamilton, of Detroit, was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. C. E. House spent Monday with her daughter at Tecumseh.

E. M. Coller and Sam McClure were up from Tecumseh Wednesday.

Miss Sara Huntington was home from Adrian from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh, of Britton, was calling on Clinton friends Tuesday.

Timothy Halladay, of Norvell, visited Clinton friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. B. P. Anderson and Mrs. C. F. Field, of Tecumseh, were Clinton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Schoen, of Bridgewater station, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tag, Saturday.

George Jacobs left Monday morning for Chicago, where he was to have a good position in a bakery.

Mrs. E. A. Klingensmith left Monday for a visit of a month or so at her old home in Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Florence Greene arrived home Saturday from Bay City, where she had been attending a convention.

The Griffith Hyponotical company, after a three days' stay in Clinton, left Thursday morning for Adrian.

Peter Jacob was taken seriously ill last Friday morning and was thought for a short time to be dying, but is now better.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh and Ralph drove to Manchester Monday night, to attend the Episcopal service conducted by Rev. Blachford.

Will Hause and wife drove to Britton Saturday and her mother, Mrs. James DuBois, returned with them Sunday, remaining until Tuesday.

Mrs. A. F. Barker, who has been with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Huntington, for several months, left Wednesday morning for her home at Middlebury, Vt.

Mrs. Oscar Halladay has been teaching for the past week in the first primary room, while Miss Floy Avery was at home wrestling with the measles.

Mr. Wallinger went to Detroit Monday morning to have an operation performed on his eyes. His son Frank, of Tecumseh, went with him and his wife went Wednesday afternoon. At present reports he is doing nicely.

Mr. Frank Kirchgessner met with a serious accident Tuesday afternoon that will undoubtedly lay him up for some time. He was up in the loft of his barn and stepped on some loose boards which giving way, he fell to the floor below, dislocating his shoulder and fracturing the bones. To replace the shoulder and reduce the fracture, was both tedious and painful.

MANCHESTER.

Mrs. Sophia Case is quite ill at this writing.

Charles Atkinson, of Norvell, was in town Wednesday.

S. H. Perkins visited in Toledo from Friday until Monday.

The Norvell Farmers' club will meet at L. D. Watkins', Saturday May 29th.

Rev. D. H. Yokom and wife attended the S. S. institute held at Milan last week.

Mrs. H. C. Calhoun returned Saturday from Kansas, where she had spent three weeks.

Almeron Case, of Pittsford, is here this week visiting his mother and other relatives.

There will be a week of special services at the M. E. church, beginning May 30th.

Rev. Mr. Blachford, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Case, Monday.

Mrs. C. S. Allen and daughter, of Detroit, are guests of her father, E. E. Root. They leave June 1st for their summer home at Port Huron.

Albert English is building a new barn on his farm at Iron Creek.

Mrs. A. W. Spencer and daughter Ella are spending the week with friends in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh and nephew, Ralph, attended Episcopal services here Monday evening.

S. H. Perkins, of San Francisco, visited his grandfather Monday. He left for Adrian in the afternoon.

The Ladies' aid society of the M. E. held an experience social at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon!

The remains of a Mr. Burkhart, aged 91, were brought here on Monday for burial in Oak Grove cemetery.

The memorial sermon is to be preached by Rev. Fr. O'Riley, of Adrian, in St. Mary's church, Sunday May 30th.

The last meeting of the Shakesperian club (until the first Monday in October) was held at the home of Mrs. Goodyear, Monday afternoon. An excellent program consisting of music, recitations and readings was carried out. The hostess had prepared an elaborate tea to conclude the afternoon's entertainment. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:—

President—Mrs. Joseph A. Goodyear.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. S. M. Case.
Secretary—Miss Annetta English.

MACON.

Walter Morden rides a new wheel, purchased of B. C. Day.

Frank Thomas and family entertained friends from Tecumseh, over Sunday.

Sylvester Thomas and daughter, Mrs. G. D. Ellis, visited Ypsilanti friends Saturday and Sunday.

Sumner Collins and wife of Tecumseh, have been spending a few days at the home of Edwin Howell.

William T. Grootenhuis, of Tecumseh, was in the village the fore part of the week, taking orders for fruit trees.

We are glad to report Mrs. Calvin Davenport improving, also Lester Coller much better, and gaining right along.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. William Morgan, Saturday afternoon of this week.

The Decoration exercises will be held at the cemetery Sunday afternoon, if the weather is favorable, if not in the D. B. church.

Miss Ella Parker has quit work at the Kalamazoo Asylum and will spend a couple of months with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Topic for Epworth League meeting Sunday evening, May 30th is "A Hint to the Social Department." Prov. 21:17. Leader, Mrs. Bert Osborn.

Mr. Lewis Coller and Miss Lee Anna Morgan were married Thursday evening May 20th at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morgan, by the Rev. D. H. Ramsdell. Only a few near relatives were present.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Seth Simmons had a sick cow Sunday.

Miss Bertha Taylor returned to Adrian Mon.

A. D. Hunt had a fine young horse cut on a barbed wire last week.

Miss Ethel Gripton, of Britton, visited at Benj. Lambkins the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. C. VanDoren gave a tea party to about a dozen of her young lady friends last Friday afternoon.

Miss Lambkin of Whitaker, and Miss Cheever of Britton, were guests at their uncle, Benj. Lambkin, last week.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have recently perfected an ingenious cure for dyspepsia. Their Digestive Cordial consists of a food already digested and a digester of foods happily combined. The importance of this invention will be appreciated when we realize what a proportion of the community are victims of some form of stomach troubles. Thousands of pale thin people have little inclination to eat, and what they do eat causes them pain and distress. This Digestive Cordial of the Shakers corrects any stomach derangement at once. It makes thin people plump. Every one will be greatly intersted to read the little book which has been placed in the hands of druggists for free distribution.

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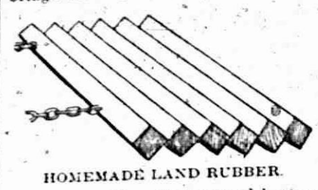

HOMEMADE LAND RUBBER.

together, making the top and bottom present corrugated surfaces. Three bolts are used to fasten the pieces together, which are made of five-eighths inch round iron. One bolt is placed in the center and the others one foot from either end. The outside bolts have an eye instead of plain head, by means of which a forked chain is attached for drawing the implement. The front cutting edges of the implement are protected and their efficiency aided by having them bound with flat iron two inches wide and one-quarter of an inch thick. This size rubber is found to be heavy enough and well adapted for ordinary work when constructed of oak wood, but if made of pine or any light wood it will require weighting.—Director R. M. Miller, Bulletin 46, Md. Exp. Sta.

GROWING SUGAR BEETS.

It Is Now Being Tried in Nearly All Sections of the Country.

One of the most promising signs of the times from the standpoint of agriculture is the awakening interest of the farmers of the country in improved methods of production, in diversified farming and in seeking out new fields for endeavor. In no other direction, perhaps, is there such marked evidence of the last-named tendency as in the growing sentiment favorable to the cultivation of the sugar beet, which seems to be in every mind, and which is likely to be tried this season in nearly every section of the country where it is believed the saccharine vegetable may succeed.

In no other direction is there such opportunity, at least so far as crop cultivation is concerned, for the demand awaits every pound of sugar which can be produced, while there is no danger that there will be too much of it for the next half-century. The figures are interesting. It is estimated that by all the beet-sugar factories of this country there were produced last year but 40,000 tons. The annual consumption of sugar in this country is 2,110,000 tons, and this amount will of course increase with growth in population. It is estimated that the average acre of sugar beets will yield one ton of pure sugar, or, in other words, that it will require more than 2,000,000 acres of the vegetable to supply the home demand!—Farmers Voice.

PIGS ALONG SHORE.

They Are Fed on Fresh Fish to a Considerable Extent.

Pigs like fish, and pigs raised along shore owned by fishermen get plenty of fish to eat. Sometimes fish is fed to the fish to clear them of scurvy. Horseshoe crabs are often fed to pigs, the crabs being cut clear of the shells so that the pigs can get at them easily; the pigs like horseshoes.

Often around salt water creeks minnows are caught and dumped into pig pens by the bushel. Many fish have hard, sharp, projecting spines that might stick in the pig's throat. When fish of this sort are fed the spines are first cut off, and only the bodies and tails fed. One of the names of the American sole is hog choker.

Other food is fed along with fish, and fish is never fed to the pigs before killing time; it would make the pork taste fishy. Pigs will eat soft clams. Down Bay of Fundy way pigs go out at low tide and root up mussels. There, where the tide rises 40 or 50 feet, and comes in with great suddenness, it is necessary for the pigs to be on the alert, and they are. They hear the first sound of the coming tide wave and turn and scamper for the shore, and even then they get there none too soon, occasionally.—N. Y. Sun.

AGRICULTURAL HINTS.

It might be well for you to change the variety of your corn. Think of it.

Broadcast sowing of ashes on plowed ground, before planting, is a good way of application.

Peas make an excellent green manure, but we would advise growing peas for the food they furnish.

In the new west, plant fruit trees and shade trees, even if you fail to grow them. It is worth the trial.

An advertiser who will cheat a newspaper on his advertising will cheat the customer on the goods sold him.

Perhaps there is, under ordinary circumstances, nothing better for pasture than clover, red clover, timothy and blue grass.

If you have a good farm and a good son, let him do the farming while you rest. A man who has developed both a good farm and a good son deserves rest.

Don't be afraid to buy a poor farm. If you cannot buy a good one. Brains, manure and management will make a worn-out farm good.—Western Plowman.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

Its General Introduction Is a Matter of National Importance.

The national importance of the question of growing our own sugar supply is fast being realized, both by the farmers who will most directly benefit by its realization, and by the general public who are beginning to discern the extensive ramifications of an industry which will keep an immense amount of money at home which has hitherto been sent abroad. It is a feature—perhaps the principal one—in a large scheme for such a widening of our agricultural operations as will embrace the production of many articles now imported and which can be profitable and successfully raised at home. To-day we are importing large quantities of tobacco which might as well be grown here, where our varied climatic conditions are favorable for the many varieties of the fragrant weed. There are also several vegetable fibers adapted for home growth, but for which large sums are annually sent to other countries—such as hemp, flax, jute, etc. That the home growth of tobacco is capable of large extension is evinced by the fact that, for the year ending June last, over $18,500,000 was paid for foreign grown and manufactured tobacco. To import cotton, seems very like the proverbial "sending coals to Newcastle," but $7,000,000 worth were received during the same period; while of vegetable fibres, such as hemp, flax, jute, manila hemp, etc., close on $40,000,000 worth were imported, including both raw and manufactured material. Here are over $65,000,000 paid out for purely agricultural products which, with our almost unlimited natural resources, can be raised by our farmers. There may be some deductions on account of brands of foreign-grown tobacco necessary for certain uses, and also for some descriptions of cotton; but the bulk of the large sum mentioned could certainly be retained at home, and will be when our farmers are more alive to their necessities. Corn and cotton are both important factors in our agricultural economics, but it is possible and advisable to have more than one or two crops to rely on; and the more diversified the farmer's operations, the less is he likely to suffer from an over-abundance of either cotton or corn.—Journal of Agriculture.

NEAT SAFETY DEVICE.

No Farmer Should Dig a Well Without Constructing One.

It is often necessary to dig a well upon the farm, or make some other form of excavation in the ground. There is always serious danger to the man who is at the bottom digging. The rope may break, the hook may slip, the bail of the bucket may break or slip out, or some of the stones in the bucket

TO MAKE WELL-DIGGING SAFE.

may be spilled. The man below ought to have some safety device like that shown in the cut, to stand beneath as soon as the bucket begins its ascent. A few moment's labor will make it, and a life may be saved by its use.—N. Y. Tribune.

Some Causes of Failure.

One of the most important things about good farming that most of us have to learn is to avoid waste. We pay taxes on land that we do not farm; we only half cultivate our fields, and so waste both land and labor; we leave a large percentage of the crop in the field; we waste time and capital raising inferior animals; we waste money in buying what we should raise ourselves; we waste energy in trying to do more than any one man can do right; we waste opportunities to improve our condition by staying away from institutes and neglecting to read papers; we waste—in a thousand and one ways, and then we are ready to say that "farming don't pay." And it is no wonder.—Rural World.

Bamboos in the South.

Experiments in Florida and Louisiana have shown that bamboo will grow in those states almost as well as in the hottest countries. Around Fort Myers there are bamboos that have attained to a height of 50 or 60 feet. They are of a variety which usually grows to about 70 feet in India. In Orange county there is one clump of bamboos, said to be only ten years old, in which the stalks have attained to the height of 65 feet, the stalks averaging 13 inches in circumference. There are eighty stalks in the clump. This particular clump is of a variety from Bengal, where the wood is used for building purposes and for light spars for vessels.

Care of Farm Machinery.

More harvesting machinery is destroyed by the hot sun of midsummer than by actual cost. The wood work of machinery lasts much longer if it is given a coat of linseed oil once a year. Some idle day go over the running gears of the wagon and give the cultivators, harrows, hay rakes and other machines a coat of the same. Anyone can do this, as there is no danger of geting too much oil on the wood, and it will not hurt the metal parts in any way.

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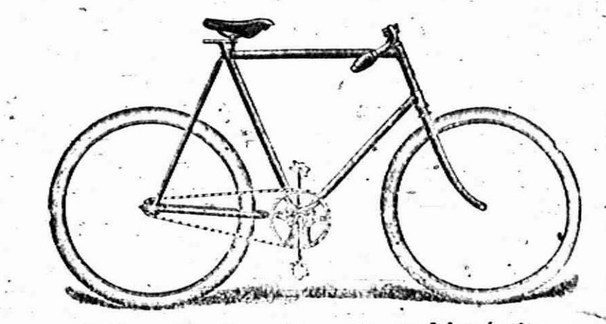

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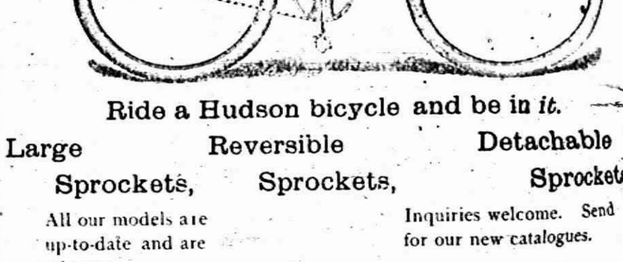

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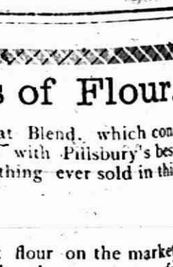

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

F. J. Temple of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Art J. Lee came down from Tecumseh Tuesday afternoon.

Four persons united with the DeSpelder church last Sunday evening.

Will Osgood has a new scheme for washing his buggy, ask him about it.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hause, of Clinton, were guests of Britton friends Saturday and Sunday.

Franc Yates has been quite indisposed this week, not able to do much, an attact of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Osgood and their guests, spent Monday visiting with Deerfield friends.

Mrs. Jolly, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown Saturday and Sunday.

Hendershot Tent K. O. T. M. visited Morden Tent at Macon Tuesday night, and its officers conferred the degrees.

Six Detroit and Lima Northern trains pass through Britton daily, two passengers and one freight each way.

The meat market has again changed hands, Cheever buying Woods interest. He has engaged Will Winsley to assist him.

A nine picked from our base ball players go to Tecumseh to-morrow to play the team there at Bills driving park.

Rev. C. I. Deyo was called to Conneat, Ohio, Tuesday, by a telegram, saying that a brother was not expected to live.

The Maccabees are preparing to observe the anniversary of the reorganization of that order by an old time picnic June 11th.

The saw mill is busily engaged in turning out lumber for the new Linn mansion soon to be built adjoining the G. A. R. hall.

George Exelby is full of business these days transacting his own business and attending to the duties of street commissioner.

We regret to learn that Edgar G. Wells has had another partial stroke of paralysis by which his limbs on one side are rendered helpless.

The smiling countenance of Earl Lenardson, of Blissfield, was seen on our streets last Friday. He was on his way to attend lodge at Tecumseh.

Ralph Kishpaugh went to Clinton Monday to remain until school closes, which will be four weeks. He wishes to have the benefit of the review work.

James Osgood and wife, of St. John's Mich, after a few days visit with W. R. Osgood and family, left Tuesday for a visit with Toledo friends before returning home.

Prof. Waterman and wife went to Hudson last Friday for a visit with relatives and friends. The professor returned Saturday but Mrs. Waterman remained for an indefinite stay.

Walter H. Barry left Monday for Vassar, Mich, where his grand father and other relatives reside. He went principally for a visit with his grand father who is poorly, yet he may decide to remain.

The Rev. N. F. Nickerson will preach the memorial sermon in the Reformed church Sunday morning. There will be union services with the Christian church in the evening, when Rev. C. I. Deyo will make the memorial address.

The "bike" owners in this village and Ridgeway are putting their heads together over the feasibility of a 4-foot cinder and gravel track between the two villages We understand that an offer has been received to construct it at a very low rate. Let it be done by all means.

At the Council meeting Monday evening, much business, though of a preliminary character, was transacted and the promptness exhibited by the village officers in performing their duties demoustrates that their election was most judicious and that all municipal affairs will be attended to with promptness and dispatch.

The entertainment given Saturday evening by the lady Maccabees in honor of their 3rd anniversary, was all that the most visionary could desire. The supper from 5 to 7 was such as the Britton ladies are noted for serving. The literary program was choice, and the drill beautiful and finely executed, after which light refreshments were served. Then followed a general social time. It was an evening of rare enjoyment and fully 200 persons were present. The bloomers were the beautiful flowers which adorned those who took part in the drill.

RIDGEWAY.

Carroll Culbertson is tussling with the measles.

Harry Smith was in Adrian, Monday, on business.

The first hail storm of the season occurred Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Toledo, was in the village Tuesday.

Bertie Smith rides a "Falcon" purchased of A. J. Sutton.

Mrs. A. R. Arner went to Allegan Monday, to visit her parents.

Safe Pocklington is putting quite extensive repairs on his horse barn.

Bertie Ford, of Tecumseh, was the guest of her cousin over Sunday.

Herbert Temple, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his cousin, Fred Temple.

Charles Lowe and family are spending the week with relatives at Angolia, Ind.

Sunday morning Rev. Cansfield will give a discouse appropriate to memorial day.

Arthur Clark, of Saline, inventor of the Climax windmill regulator, was in the village Friday.

Remember the baccalaureate sermon to be given by Rev. H. Cansfield in the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Monday there were 9,000 lbs. of milk taken in at the creamery. The daily average being about 7,000 lbs.

Clarence Squires and E. I. Beistele, U. of M. students, came over on their wheels and called on lady friends, returning Sunday.

We learn from a recent Detroit Journal that C. W. Culbertson has been recommended by Rep. Spalding as postmaster of Ridgeway.

School closes next week with commencement exercises to be held at the church. The class consists of two gentlemen and two ladies.

John B. Pattison, having rented the house on North street owned by Mrs. Andrews, has moved his household effects into his new home.

The members of the alumni will hold their first meeting at the home of Miss B. Fern DePuy on Saturday evening, June 5th. We are informed that it will be strictly private.

Carroll Culbertson, who with other wheelmen was trying his speed one evening last week, collided with a pile of lumber and knocked his Hickory out in the first round so that it is laid up for repairs.

That hen of Minor Davidson's that had her nest in an apple tree which the HERALD made mention of in a donbtful way last week, has hatched a brood of elevn chickens, this being the second year she has hatched a setting of eggs in like manner.

Miss Nettie Dibble, who has a position as teacher in the Industrial School for girls, at Milwaukee, Wis., has been spending a week with friends in the village and vicinity. She formerly had a similar position in the Industrial School at Adrian.

CONE.

B. W. Ellis is papering his Store.

Ed Allshouse is reshingling his house.

B. Ellis was a Monroe visitor last Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Cone of Milan, visited friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. Eva Cone of Milan, was the guest of Mrs. Estelle Smith last Tuesday.

Mrs. Clement of Pentecost, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marrietta Allshouse this week.

Dr. M. Howell has moved into his office and he is now ready to respond to all calls.

Mrs. Jane Austen and Mrs. Clara Libstaff, visited friends in west Dundee last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Logan visited friends in Bowling Green, Ohio, from Saturday until Monday.

Rev. David Howell of Lansing, called on his son Dr. Maurice Howell last Saturday, while on his way to Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cone and daughter Veda, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tea and daughter Fern, were Milan visitors last Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. Kinch and daughters, Marian dan Virgie, returned last Friday to Britton after a three weeks stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Curry.

The second Bible class, S. Gould teacher, held their reunion at the home of Miss Bertha Jourdan last Tuesday evening. Ice cream and cake were served and all report a good time.

HOLLOWAY.

There was a good attendance at the Grange meeting Tuesday night.

Osgood Hive, No. 285, will hold its next meeting, Saturday, June 5th.

Children's Day will be observed at the Presbyterian church June 4th.

Quite a number from here attended the Sunday school convention at Wellsville last Saturday.

The many friends of Mrs. A. H. Kelley, will be pleased to know that she is some what better.

Mrs. L. C. Winchif has been at Fairfield several days caring for her daughter who is ill with measles.

Miss E. H. Fish will be at her millinery rooms every day in the week hereafter, as she has ceased to take trimmed goods away.

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Fire at Jersey City burned all night and rendered sixty families homeless.

Lightning Hot Drops is one of the finest family medicines on the market. It is about as near perfection as a general pain destroyer as science has yet gotten. For stomach and bowel irregularities we find it acts just as advertised. It is also pleasant to take.—H. A. DRAYER, Springfield, O. Orr & Temple, Tecumseh and Ridgeway.

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The board of health of Philadelphia has made a unanimous protest against an enactment to repeal the law requiring vaccinnation.

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The town of Talibina, I. T., with the exception of the stores of Miller and Thomas Bros., was destroyed by fire.

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Oscar Wilde was released from prison at London yesterday after serving two years for unmentionable practices, as alleged.

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METHODS HERE AND ABROAD.

Ways of Steering Boats in England, France and Germany.

A comparison of the different methods of doing what is practically the same thing in various parts of the world is both interesting and amusing to the thoughtful observer, says Cassier's Magazine. On American ferryboats the import is well known of the "ting-ting" or "jingle-jingle" of the bell by which the man in the wheelhouse communicates with his fellow mortal in the engine room. On the Thames, however, it would be considered practically impossible to convey information in this manner, and the captains of the small paddle steamers on that stream stand on the paddle boxes and sing out: "Ease 'er!" "Back 'er!" etc., apparently to nobody in particular, while these interesting remarks are promptly repeated in shrill tones by a small boy into a speaking tube which communicates with the lower regions. On the Seine, in France, this process is simplified and a large trumpet-shaped mouthpiece flares out in front of the man at the wheel, and he yells his commands into this funnel, the other end of which is supposed to reach the engineer. The large steamers on the Rhine, in Germany, are controlled, not by the usual wheel placed in the wheelhouse forward, but by a very large wheel on a vertical axis, placed right amidships upon an elevated platform or bridge, and several men pass the handles from right to left, or upon occasion trot round in a circle, and it would doubtless be considered a serious temptation of Providence, or at least a reflection upon the fatherland, if anyone were to attempt to construct a Rhine steamer with the ordinary form of steering gear.

Boston, May 10.—The schooner Annie E. Rudolph, from Camden, N. J., for this city, was sunk off Nauset and Capt. Gardiner, Mate Snell and a seaman were drowned.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., MAY 28, 1897.

The sale of the Adrian street railway did not take place Tuesday, simply because no one cared to make a bid. Now what will be done with the thing, no one seems to know. Will it run, or will it quit?

Our sister village, Clinton, has risen up in her wrath and said to both male and female, who dare the "bike" to stride, "Ride not at all upon the sidewalk either in daylight or in darkness. Push not the wheel without a tinkling symbol that thy coming may always be heralded for the protection of all animals both biped and quadruped who might by chance get in the way. Put not thy light under a bushel, but dare not appear on the street after sunset without a $4.00 'bike' lamp which shall be lighted and shining brightly. Neither shall any rider go faster than a walk through the principle streets and if he cannot ride at this slow pace a leader must be secured who will hold him up till over the paved district. For the violation of any provisions of this ordinance severe penalty is imposed. the extreme limit of which is to take away the sinner's wheel and compel him to stay in Clinton for a month. Since this action of our sister village, many people in Tecumseh have suggested that our city fathers take a like step. There are two sides to this bicycle question. There is no doubt that when the roads are good wheels should keep in the roads and off the sidewalks; but with the small amount of travel in either Clinton or Tecumseh, with proper regulation as to speed, the wheel should be allowed the use of the walks in daylight from October 1st until May 1st, and even during the summer when the roads are unfit for use. A bell should be attached to every wheel to give warning when safety demands its use; but in villages well lighted with electricity, there is no more use for a lantern on a wheel than that every pedestrian should wear one in his hat. On the streets of Tecumseh may now be seen three bicycles to one vehicle of any other kind and yet the village law makers would legislate to the annoyance of wheel owners simply for the sake of making laws. In Tecumseh there are now 400 wheels and certainly the owners of these machines should be allowed some rights the same as people who ride after horses or depend entirely on the pedal extremities for means of locomotion. Quite a number of these wheel owners also have the privilege of voting.

A Good Thing.

The Cook Twin Sisters Big Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., at Tecumseh, under canvas, June 1st, is actually a $20,000 production of this grand old historical play—a magnificent scenic production. It requires a whole train of three sixty-foot palace cars to transport this mammoth spectacle; fifty people; twenty ponies, donkeys and burros, eight original jubilee singers; a pack of seven man-eating Siberian and Cuban bloodhounds; Eva's golden chariot, a "thing of beauty," costing over $3000; one big band of music; Uncle Tom and his typical Southern ox-cart. The grand free street parade is the finest ever witnessed. The sight of a lifetime.

COMIC OPERA.

New Croswell Opera House, Adrian—Week of June 14.

The Mac Kay Comic Opera Co. will occupy the boards of the New Croswell Opera House, Adrian, during the week of June 14th. The troupe numbers 25 people and will give a week of comic opera at popular prices—10, 20, 30 and 50 cents. All the standard comic opera successes are sung by this organization. They are appearing before crowded houses this week at Bay City. It is the intention of the management to run one or two excursions on the Detroit and Lima Northern for this event. We trust that sufficient interest may be developed in Tecumseh to make the special trains an assured fact.

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MEASURING THE EARTH.

The Mountains and Stars Are Both Called Into Use by Astronomers.

The longest distance ever encompassed by the human vision, so far as the records go, is 183 miles, between the Uncompahgre peak in Colorado, and Mount Ellen, in Utah. This feat was accomplished by the surveyors of the United States coast and geodetic survey, who are now engaged, in conjunction with representatives of other nations, in making a new measurement of the earth, says the Philadelphia Record.

The observers on the Pacific coast have been able to signal from Mount Shasta to Mount Helena, a distance of 190 miles, but have never been able to get a response. Between the two other peaks communication has been continuous for an hour or more on several occasions.

The Uncompahgre is 14,300 feet in height, while Mount Ellen is 13,400.

The longest distance that the human eye ever reached until this record was made was between Algiers and Spain, 168 miles.

The measuring of the earth, which is now going on, is no simple task. The width of the ocean can only be ascertained by astronomical observations. The observers at Greenwich and at Washington note each night the exact moment of the rising of certain stars, and then, by mathematical calculations, turn the difference in time into distance. This is corrected and corroborated by other observations upon other stars, and by a series of experiments, which furnish an average that is approximately accurate.

The difference is seldom more than a small fraction of a second, and is attributed to atmospheric phenomena.

The Pacific ocean is measured in a similar manner by joint observations with the Lick telescope, in California, and that of the Imperial university of Japan, at Tokio.

A MAN OF PRUDENCE.

Why He Didn't Kill the Barkeep at That Time.

The cowboy was sitting in his chair tilted back against the shady side of the saloon, taking it easy, when one of his friends came by, says the Detroit Free Press.

"Hello, Dick!" he said. "What's this story about the barkeep over the way callin' you a liar yesterday and bullyraggin' you around fer an hour or more?"

"That's what he done," admitted Dick, boldly.

"What did you let him do it fer?"

"I had my reasons."

"'Fraid of him?"

Dick jumped up.

"Hold on, there, pard," he said. "You ain't in the same fix that the barkeep was, and it ain't safe."

"Don't you worry about me. What about the barkeep?"

"Well, it was this way," explained Dick. "The barkeep was negotiatin' fer a policy on his life fer $10,000 in favor of his widder. The business wasn't settled till this mornin'. Now it's in workin' order, an' I'm goin' over after awhile and give him a chance to bullyrag me some more. Then I'll go round and have a little talk with the widder. You must think I'm a chump that can't see past the end of my nose."

Turtle as a Fox Trap.

C. R. Perry, of Herrick, Pa., has been fattening a 20-pound snapping turtle all winter. One Sunday his turtleship was taken out of the barrel and allowed to wander about the yard. Early one morning recently Perry was aroused by the noise of a scuffle in the yard. Repairing there, he found the turtle hanging to the nose of a big fox, which had been stealing from the henneries in the vicinity for a month. Br'er Fox was near the fence endeavoring to get over, but his efforts were blocked by the turtle. Eventually the fox reached the next yard, but Farmer Perry followed and shot him dead. The turtle all the time retained his hold and refused to let go until the fox's nose was cut off. Then it crawled back to its home, carrying the nose with it as a trophy.

Base Ball Excursion To Defiance, O. Sunday, May 30th, Via Detroit and Lima Northern Ry.

The famous Page Fence Giants will play the Defiance Greys at Defiance, O. Sunday May 30th. For the benefit of those who wish to see the game and to give the people of Tecumseh and vicinity an opportunity to make a trip over the new Detroit & Lima Northean Ry. An excursion will be run at the exceptionally low rate of $1.00 for the round trip. A special train will leave Tecumseh at 7:30 A. M. and will run through to Defiance without change. Ample accommodations will be provided for all who may desire to come. An enjoyable time is assured.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS IN MANCHESTER.

Mack & Co's entire stock of dry goods, clothing, shoes and groceries to be sold at retail or in bulk at less than 3-4 makers' prices. The enlarging and remodeling of our store in Ann Arbor by which its size will be increased to 2 1-2 times its present size, makes it impossible to give the attention to our business in Manchester its importance requires and compels us to dispose of it either in bulk or at retail, with the least possible delay. Having this purpose in view we begin Saturday, this week, May 29th a great closing out sale selling every article now in our store at less than manufactures' or jobbers' wholesale price. All kinds of notions, hosiery, underwear, domestics, ribbons, gloves, etc., divided into great lots. See what you'll find in lot 1, lot 2, lot 3 and lot 4. Be the first to get your pick from these great lots, Saturday, May 29th.

BASE BALL.

But Two Hits Made Off Harris—Strikes Out Twelve Men.

The base ball season opened at the driving park Saturday afternoon, with a hot game between the Adrian college team and the home club and proved to be as fine an exhibition as is often seen. If this is the kind of games we are to have, there will be no need of our cranks going from home to see base ball. Considering its being the first game for our boys, they played great ball; although there were errors, many of them were excusible on account of the strong wind prevailing. After the first inning, Harris settled down to business and had the batters at his mercy.

In this inning, Steele, the first man at bat, made a hit—Waters got his base on balls, and Munden his by being hit by a ball resulting in two score. This would have ended their runs but for Spalding's error in the 3rd, which let in Steele. Umpire Lowe was prompt in his decisions, and impartial. Not a kick from either side was made and in this respect it was a model game. Although our boys hit Steele freely, they were of little avail until the 7th inning, when hits by Heesen, Parrish, Spalding and Harris, coupled with errors by Waters, Steele and Hammond, five runs were scored. It was the first appearance on the diamond here of Bowerman and Parrish and they demonstrated their ability to hit the ball and fielded their positions well.

ADRIAN	Pos.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.
Steele	P	4	2	2	1	9		
Walters	3 B	3	1	0	3	1		
Dodds	S S	4	1	0	0	1		
Munden	1 B	3	0	0	13	0		
Hammond	2 B	4	0	0	4	1		
Carlton	C	3	0	0	2	2		
Sinsel	L F	4	2	0	1	0		
Lucas	C F	4	0	0	1	0		
Dewey	R F	3	0	0	2	0		
		32	3	2	27	17		

TECUMSEH								
Hicks	2 B	5	1	0	1	0		
Heesen	C F	5	1	1	0	4		
Lee	S S	5	1	1	1	4		
Parrish	R F	5	0	2	0	0		
Kennedy	1 B	5	0	1	9	0		
Spalding	3 B	5	1	1	13	1		
Gillen	C	4	2	1	3	0		
Harris	P	4	1	3	2	3		
Bowerman	L F	4	0	0	1	0		
		42	7	10	27	12		

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Adrian College	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Tecumseh	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	0	—7

Errors—Adrian College 9; Tecumseh, 6. Earned runs—Tecumseh 3. Double plays—Lee to Hicks. First base on balls—by Harris, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Munden. Struck out—by Steele 2; by Harris, 12. Left on bases—Adrian College, 4; Tecumseh, 7. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Lowe.

Special Excursion To Toledo.

On Monday May 31st, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Ry. will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Dont fail to see the parade and drill of the Toledo Cadets and Orchard Lake Cadets, Decoration Day being observed on Monday. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 8:42 A. M. fare $0.75 for the round trip. Tickets good going and returning only on special trains of May 31st. See hand bills or call on C. J. & M. Agents.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l. Passenger Agent.

Through Sleeping Car Line Between Detroit And Louisville.

On May 30, 1897, the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Pennsylvania Lines, will reopen the line of through Sleeping Cars inaugurated last season between Detroit and Louisville via Logansport, leaving Detroit daily at 3:20 P. M., and Louisville at 9:05 P. M. Direct connections are made at Louisville for all points south, and at Detroit with lake and rail lines for the summer resorts of the North.

High School Happenings.

County School Commissioner Keeler visited the high school rooms on Thursday.

Miss Kyle was home yesterday and today suffering from an attack of pleurisy. Mrs. E. W. Cairns taught in her place.

George Schreder has been busy this week taking pictures of all the pupils in the Tecumseh schools.

Mr. Kellogg received a very complementary letter the first of the week from the University, placing the Tecumseh school again on the University list. The writer suggested the advisability of building an addition to the Union building to accomodate a Labortory. We are very sure that no one can feel the need of such an addition more than the teachers and students themselves.

The invitations for Commencement exercises were delivered to the Senior Class yesterday. The class is as follows; Mary Mills, Anna Williamson, Naomi North, Grace Hillman, Winnifred Richard, Cora Austin, Agnes Eaton Lillian Waring, May Lowry, Sam McClure, Leigh Pennington, Harry Osgood, Will Hicks, and Calvin Snell.

Lawrence Boyd was a C room visitor Monday, the guest of Arthur Spencer.

The Senior Class convened at the home of Winnifred Richard Monday, for the purpose of having a class picture taken. E. L. Teeple did the work.

Minnie Russell called on the A room yesterday afternoon.

Did you see the

New Wheels?

PIERCE AND U. S.

at

E. M. Stofflets'

Bicycle Livery.

MAKE A SPECIALTY OF ALL KINDS OF

Watch and Jewelry Repairing.

THE WORK AND PRICES WILL PLEASE YOU.

E. J. Peters.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest
and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring.

I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

Quicker and Cheaper,

than anybody.
Call and see me.

Will Grey.

4 blocks west Co. C. Armory

COMPLETE LINE OF

Paints

and

Oils.

Come and see sample cards.

New Shades and Colors.

C. A. Wright.

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A. S. Clark's
CENTRAL MARKET

You can find the best of everything in the meat line. Choice cuts from fat cattle.

Price always the lowest.

Warm Weather

Goods now in order. We are showing a very nice line of Balbrigan and Jean

Underwear at 25c and 50c.

Colored, Negligee and Fancy bosomed shirts on display.

A full line of bicycle suits, sweaters, stockings and belts very cheap.

A large supply of straw hats.

We will be pleased to show you goods.

Respectfully,

McCANN BROS.

The One Price Clothiers.

NOW IS THE TIME,

When Raisins, Currents and Prunes touch the spot.

We have the best and sell cheap.

Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

Do you need a

Lawn Mower
Ice Cream Freezer,
Poultry Netting,
Refrigerator.

or anything in the hardware line. We can suit and please you, both as to variety and price.

D. L. Whitenack & Co.

N. B. Best line of bicycles and Sundries.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OAN.—Money to loan at low rate. Address Lock Box 136, Tecumseh, Mich. tf

HERS RENOVATED.—Get your hers Renovated and Upholstering done Bly's, second house west of Abner , Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work eed. 2wk

RY FARMS—In Pasco and DeLoto nties, Florida; also farms and lands in all r sale and exchange. Write to JOSEPH POLLARD, Jr., Washington, Iowa.

TED—Agent to take territory in ounty for the best selling specialty in the Address WILL S. BOYD, Adrian, Mich.

TED—Washing and ironing to do at me; also family sewing. MRS. BELLE REESE. Cowen house on Pottawatamie street.

RENT—An office in James block. In re of Alfred James.

Base Ball!

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ills' Driving Park, To-morrow.

ne called at 2:30 p. m, sun time sharp.

ission 15 cents, Grand Stand 10c.

adies to grand stand free.

ce summer suit for $18.50 at JONES & HAZLETT'S.

orrow afternoon attend the ball

mber Si Plunkard at Suttons House June 9th.

J. P. Varner started Monday on to the Pacific coast.

new patterns of Wall Paper at s, arrived this week.

ritton boys are going to win to- game if possible.

eorge Mize is critically ill, but ed better this morning.

n Whittier is no better and his fear that he will never recover.

Raymond was in Tecumseh ay and will remain a few days.

Russell, of Jackson, came down ay to see his mother, who is ill.

. F. society will meet in 1 of the M. E. church Wednes- 2nd, at 3 o'clock.

is no favorable change in Mrs. ussell's condition and but little ntertained for her recovery.

nna Gaston returned from her d visit Wednesday, accompa- her friend Miss Edna Warren.

nd see our new line of sailor s received from Cleveland. MRS. M. A. FREEMAN.

Wallenger, who accompanied r to Detroit for an operation on returned home Wednesday aving him very comfortable.

anks my prices and my goods rest I will leave with you. G. H. TANSLEY.

Moore was in attendance at the County Baptist association and was elected a member of d of managers for the coming

attie Barnes, Mrs. Cushman Wm. Ide attended the Detroit e meeting of the Woman's Missionary society at Adrian k.

hing indicates a hot game of orrow.

d, at Christ church, Adrian, on May 24th, by the Rev. C. H. Mr. Eugene F. Harris, of o Miss Melle A. Gray, of Rais- an Telegram

ave discarded the use of in our bakery and now pro- g nothing but pure lard and ter and our variety of baked increasing all the time. M. E. BICE.

waite Bros. have sold bicycles llowing persons this week:— nie Gillespie, Rev. J. A. De- and Clem Hardenburg, Tecum- Miss Lizzie Stelzer, Ridgeway.

eting of the K. of P. has been until one week from next evening, on account of the g exercises. There will be e first degree with three can-

romptly delivered to any part S. E. PARRISH.

Mrs. W. S. Kellogg of Taco- were entertained Saturday y by Mr. and Mrs. James Mr. Kellogg is a newspaper is seeking to buy a plant in

Blue Rock shoot Wednesday at Bills' driving park, some shots indulged their passion port. Harry Richter carried nors with Irve Clark a close here will be another one next and we understand they tinued from week to week

Pure Drugs at Parrish's.

Jim Cummins was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Rufus Stacy, returned to Buffalo yesterday.

Prepare to laugh, when Si Plunkard comes June 9th.

A new broom sweeps clean. Try Parrish.

Sam Shutt is building a new porch on the Crosby residence in Brownville.

See the novelties in millinery just received at Mrs. M. A. FREEMAN'S.

Until July 1st, you can obtain Mantello size photo's for 99cts. per dozen at Miss Daly's.

Mrs. James Elliott is visiting friends at Homer, she expects to be gone some weeks.

Mrs. T. R. Kyle started for Hillsdale this morning, and will visit in that city a few days.

George McKee, a popular driver from Jackson is now handling Bidwells string of horses.

Will Stevenson will not return to Portland as he intended, but will remain here for some time.

Do you want a pair of Trousers? A large line to select from. Prices $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00. JONES & HAZLETT.

Rev. W. H. Babbit of Cleveland, is in town, and will preach in the Presbyterian church both morning and evening.

It has been rumored about our village that P. W. A. Fitzsimmons is an expert in the manipulation of rag dolls.

The graduating exercises of the Britton High School will take place in Exelby Hall next Thursday evening, June 3rd.

Lafe Stevenson came over from Hudson and spent Sunday with his people. He is working for Robert Moir, making cigars.

A few clothes uncalled for will be sold cheap. Call and see them if you want a bargain. JONES & HAZLETT.

T. C. Harris is supposed to be the best natured man in Tecumseh, but watch out for him this week, His family is moving.

Frank McCoy, the colored driver, did not remain here long. He left Monday saying, there were not enough colored people for him.

After seven weeks enforced absence from the store, caused by illness, Clyde Heck resumed his position at Robert S. Moores store Monday.

Walter F. Stimson has been in town this week, exhibiting his latest patent an automatic brick cutter. He has been working it at Brewers Foundry.

Store opened at 6 a. m., closed at 9:30 p. m. Sundays or nights call at the Lilley house or my house and will willingly go to the store. S. E. PARRISH.

The Epworth League will give an ice cream social at the church parlors next Wednesday evening. A musical program has also been prepared. Ice cream and cake 10 cents.

Beers Post G. A. R. would consider it a great favor if the ladies who can furnish flowers for their use, would send them to G. A. R. Hall tomorrow, Saturday, any hour will answer.

Cement walks have been laid in front of Anderson Bro's and Mobb's & Co. stores, and Askin is now at work on the south side of the street. All the old flag stones will be replaced with cement.

Call at Mrs. Freeman's and see the latest novelties in summer millinery; also the Cresco corset, warrented not to break at the waist line. Orders taken for hair goods, if nothing in stock to please. Call and examine the same.

The Rector of St. Peters church has received word from Bishop Davies that he can come for confirmation service on Monday May 31st. As there is time but for one service, it has been decided to hold that in St. John's church, Clinton, at 7:30 p.m. The class of four in Tecumseh will drive up there.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wheeler, attended the funeral of Mr. Wheeler's father, B. H. Wheeler in Adrian Wednesday. Mr. Wheeler was 71 years of age at the time of his death, and had lived in Adrian 20 years, coming there from Royal Oak. He leaves a widow and two sons, D. P. Wheeler of Tecumseh, and Miles A. Wheeler of Lansing.

Wm. Askin without a word from anyone interested, took up some of the walk in front of the Presbyterian church, which was checked and put down new. The society appreciate his act all the more, its coming unsolicted. What checked it no one is able to state, though some think lighting was the direct cause. While he was in no wise to blame, his replacing it will do him no harm.

An address will be given by David Tatum of Denver Colorado, Friday evening, May 28th at the Friend's church of this place, on the Providence of God in Divine Guidance, and answers to prayer, including incidents in the speakers own experience. Brother Tatum is an approved minister of the Friend's church, and well known by many of the friends in this vicinity. A collection will be taken at the close of the meeting.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains,	$16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand,	2.00
A large polished Stand,	1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs,	6.00
A polished oak Dining Set,	7.00
A Sewing Rocker,	1.00
A large Arm Recker,	2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker,	3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk,	2.50
Our Couches are beauties at	10.00

A large line of Window shades at 20c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods. WHEELER & SISSON.

Fine Stationary at Parrish's.

Britton vs. Tecumseh tomorrow.

Ball game at 2:30 tomorrow p. m.

Ben Ellis spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

L. C. Bidwell visited Toledo Tuesday.

Bert Day is riding a new Cleveland bike.

Ed Morgan was over from Adrian Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mead spent Sunday in Dundee.

Mrs. F. P. Coder, of Norvell, was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

Paints and Oils are cheap at Parrish's.

Judd DePuy, of Detroit, is home this week assisting on the farm.

Every thing new in the millinery line at Mrs. FREEMAN,S.

Mrs. Edith Gordon and Miss Jessie Bangs spent Sunday in Adrian.

Alex. M. Kennedy, of Clinton, was calling on friends here Sunday.

Remember our new line of Wall Paper. S. E. PARRISH.

Mrs. J. D. Shull returned from her visit with Ohio friends Monday night.

J. W. Gibbs, of Chicago, was the guest of his brother-in-law, C. E. Burns, Monday.

Mrs. Will Bennett was called to Osseo Wednesday by the death of her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Toledo, visited Henry Smith Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Miller is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Ward, at Fruit Ridge, for a few days.

Rev. C. E. Conley, of Detroit, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson, Tuesday night.

Health officer Tefft reports measles thicker than ever, but nearly all the cases are light.

Miss Gertrude Haynes, of Dundee, visited Mrs. Ide and Mrs. Crossman the first of the week.

The senior reception occurs this evening at the spacious home of Horace B. Eaton, east of town.

Will H. Spalding and wife came up from Toledo Sunday and spent the day among their old friends.

Mrs. Fred Deuel and L. C. Bidwell now ride Clipper bicyles recently purchased of Levi C. Hayden.

The ladies of the Baptist society will serve supper at the church parlors, Thursday afternoon, June 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Haines, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting his mother, Mrs. H. A. Haines, and family.

Jim Stevens, of Adrian, was in town Monday. He is manager of the Page Fence Giants again this season.

Albert Boyce, of Detroit, was in town the first of the week, transacting business and shaking hands with friends. He was kept busy.

Miss Adeline Tilton, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Hyde, has returned to her own home on Cummins street.

Fred Todd, of the drug house of Stevens & Todd, Detroit, stopped off here Tuesday on his way from Lansing to visit his parents at Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whittier, of Grand Rapids, arrived in Tecumseh Wednesday on account of the serious illness of Stephen Whittier.

The ball boys now have their headquarters over McCann Bros.' store. The room is well adapted for their use and has been fitted up for their convenience.

Tonight at Masonic temple the third degree work will be conferred on two candidates and Tuesday evening, June 1st, there will be work in the first degree.

Wm. Powell and wife were called to Adrian Monday, on business. He returned that night but Mrs. P. remained until the next night for a visit with friends.

Ira Lambkin and sisters, Bertha and Addie, attendants at the Kalamazoo asylum, whose parents live in Franklin, have been spending the past week among Tecumseh friends.

Wm. R. Brasie, of Decatur, Ill., and C. E. Johnson, of Indianapolis, Ind., were in town the first of the week. The former brought his mother who will remain through the summer.

Harris & Hiteshu make special announcement this week of goods suitable for commencement season. Their stock is complete in every department and prices low enough to suit everybody.

At Allegan Tuesday evening the Royal Arch degree was conferred upon three brothers, James W., Wm. H. and Charles McVea. Masonic tradition in the United States could not perhaps furnish a parallel case.

At most any hour these days you can see in front of James Elliott's shop a game of quoits in progress. Jim and his assistants have this popular game down pat, and when not busy and suckers scarce they play among themselves.

The statement of the Tecumseh State Savings Bank, published in last week's HERALD, showed the bank in fine condition. The amount of cash on hand and in reserve banks is nearly double what the law requires, and the volume of business is nearly doubled during the last year.

For about thirty-six hours this community was completely stirred up over the alleged shooting of Bert Bresie, which occurred Tuesday night shortly after ten o'clock near James Updyke's residence, corner Adrian and Chicago streets. From the start an air of mystery seemed to envelope the whole affair, Bresie's stories conflicting greatly, and steps were taken to sift matters. Sheriff Furgeson was summoned by the deputy here who was satisfied that the young man himself did the deed. Yesterday morning Bresie made a clean breast of the matter to the officers and admitted doing the shooting himself.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rude made a trip to Clayton yesterday on their wheels, returning this morning accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. M. Campbelle.

Insect Powder at Parrish's.

The following from here went as delegates to the Lenawee County Baptist association held at the second Rome church Wednesday and yesterday:—Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. James Heck, Dr. and Mrs. L. G. North, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan and Miss Lou Hendryx.

See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold. G. H. TANSLEY.

W. F. Stimpson has brought out a new invention, an automatic brick cutter which he started at Brewer & Co's factory this week. The simplicity in construction, together with the perfect work done by this cutter, make it not only a success mechanically but commercially as well. We understand that Mr. Stimpson's intentions are to have his new cutter perfected in every detail and ready for the market by next season.

Why pine away and die when Spring Tonics are so cheap at Parrish's.

Sunday afternoon, while Will Bennett who had a cousin and John J. Orr in the buggy with him, was coming down Pottawatamee street when near C. A. Slayton's a party on a bike sailed by, causing one of the horses to jump. Will took him up quick when the strap or band which holds the pole broke, then matters became interesting, the pole dropping down, was very erratic, could'nt tell where it would go and the horses became excited. They started across the street for Wes Bordines, the pole ran under the walk up to the whiffletrees and the occupants of the carriage went out without ceremony. Affairs for a few moments were exciting and decidedly mixed. After righting matters, aside from broken whiffletrees and neck yoke, no damage was done to the carriage and save a general shaking up and some bruises, the occupants escaped. It was a fortunate termination of what might have been a serious affair.

Probably more Paris Green in this store than any other store in town. S. E. PARRISH.

Toot! Toot! Toot!

THE LIMA NORTHERN IS IN TECUMSEH—TRACK REACHED THE CORPORATION LINE LAST NIGHT AT 8:20.

All the week delegations of Tecumseh people have been watching the progress of the contractors with their work on the Detroit and Lima Northern, and when at 8:20 last evening the construction train reached the corporation line, several hundred people were on hand to see the gang at work and make sure make sure that the end of the road did not get away. Tonight the "frog" and switch to the C. J. & M. will be in. Sunday the excursion train will start from Tecumseh as advertised. Monday a vestibuled train will be run from Lima to Detroit, and early next week the accommodation train service between Tecumseh and Lima will be established. The management also states that within two weeks all the trains will be running through Tecumseh and the use of the Wabash between Adrian and Britton will be abandoned.

White Hellebore at Parrish's.

Day.

Although this year Beers Post G. A. R. will not have elaborate exercises or parade, still the day will be observed by them. The graves of deceased comrades, visited and decorated. Suitable exercises held and an address given, all of which the public, generally, are invited to attend. The program is as follows; At one o'clock P. M. sharp Sunday, the Post and Company C. will go to the cemetery and decorate the graves of their former comrades, immediately after which, the Post will have their exercises at their lot in the cemetery. At 3 P.M. at Suttons Opera House, the address will be given by Hon. D. B. Morgan.

—If you desire made to order garments which really fit and are made in first class workmenlike manner and trimmed with the best trimmings, call on J. C. Eccles over U. S. Express office He will give you choice of 300 samples of goods to select from and guarantee low price and perfect fit.

—C. P. Stevens, bicycle instructor, who has met with great success in our city, has purchased a fine home trainer, machine which enables new beginners to learn easy with no risk whatever. Mr. Stevens furnishes a wheel and guarantees to teach this month for $1.50.

Miss Mabel Hayden and Her Summer School.

—As I have come home earlier this season than usual, I will be glad to begin at once with a limited number of pupils in voice, violin, elocution and Delsarte philosophy of expression. Training of children in violin, physical culture and elocution, a specialty. Success in previous experiences makes me take great interest in the little ones.

For summer rates, both for class and private lessons, address me Tecumseh P. O. or call at residence of Mrs. Wm. Hayden. MISS MABEL HAYDEN.

The commercial situation in Argentine is an extremely difficult one. Failures are reported daily and the locusts are ravaging the interior provinces.

It costs about $100,000 to run the white house exclusive of the president's salary of $50,000.

The prospect of an abundant crop of all kinds of fruit in Oregon is excellent

One Taste OF THAT Swiss Cheese

And you will want more.

We have all kinds of cheese.

Anderson Bros., Grocers.

Our new line of - - -

Walking Shoes and Chocolate Shoes

will be a surprise to you both in assortment and price.

We are making a specialty of

Bicycle Suits and Sweaters

Just right and "Up to Date."

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

JUST REC'D

fresh lot of

Sear's & Co's Sweet Goods and Crackers.

We guarantee these goods equal to any in the market.

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BLUE FLAME OIL STOVES.

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Single Generator Cabinet Ranges.

all of which are the best of their class that can be produed. An elegant line of bicycles at reasonable prices. Fishing tackle in full assortment.

Satterthwaite Bros.

INVALUABLE TO ALGER

Confidential Clerk Mason Is a Good Man.

GETTING POPULAR IN WASHINGTON

He Welcomes Every Michigan Visitor to the War Department with a Glad Hand —Garbled Facts Concerning Some Recent Appointments — Ex-Governor Rich at the National Capital to Demand a Higher Duty on Wool.

Washington, May 25.—There is a disposition on the part of some correspondents, and on the part of some editors, to garble facts and mistate news occurrences. Last week a Washington correspondent sent out word that George Farr had been appointed collector of customs at Grand Haven, and that James A. Coye had been appointed surveyor of customs at Grand Rapids. That was a mere statement of fact. One of the editors in western Michigan, however, added to the news matter, the assertion that both of those appointments had been secured solely through the influence of Congressman William Alden Smith. The object of the assertion was, of course, to keep up a political wrangle and row; but it is just as well to remember that the Michigan senators are somewhat influential in Washington, and the president always consults them before making appointments. It is all right for an ambitious congressman to keep himself before the people, and advertise himself, but there is such a thing as overdoing it; and the man who claims all, or whose friends claim all for him, ignoring all others in the political world, will ultimately have more enemies than he can handle.

Growing in Popularity.

Confidential Clerk Mason is growing in popularity here. He is closer to Secretary of War Alger than any other man in the war department. He is a good business man and meets with many people who transact business with him; thereby saving a great deal of time for Secretary Alger. Nobody knows what a bore it is to a secretary to be obliged to listen to tales of woe, and listen patiently, when there is a great deal of public business to be transacted. In such cases a good private secretary is a jewel. Mr. Mason understands the current business of the war department, and knows just who should and who should not have access to the private offices of the secretary. He welcomes every Wolverine visitor to the war department with a warm heart, gay face and glad hand. He knows all of the friends of General Alger, not only his Michigan friends, but from every state in the republic; and hence he is an invaluable aid to the secretary.

Not Bothered by Officeseekers.

Congressman Brucker of the Saginaw district is the only member of the Michigan delegation in the national house of representatives who has been here during the past week. He is a silver Democrat, and has no influence with the present administration; so he is not bothered by constituents who seek office. The other congressmen are at their homes, looking after business matters, and listening to the stories of the hungry and thirsty who feel that their lives will be forever miserable, unless they can make connection with the pay roll of the government.

Dr. William M. Edwards, superintendent of the Kalamazoo insane asylum, has been attending the convention of superintendents of asylums in our neighboring city of Baltimore. He spent several days in Washington before leaving for home. He called upon Senator Burrows and Senator McMillan, and occupied a seat in the gallery during the debates on the Cuban question.

Ex-Governor Rich, accompanied by several parties interested in the wool schedules of the tariff bill, were here last week demanding a higher duty on wool. The gentlemen brought with them a sample case of skirted and unskirted wool, which they exhibited with pardonable pride to many senators. The case is a large canvas covered box, and opens like a book, and the samples of wools were marked, so that their value might be readily understood. The wool was grown by Payne K. Leech of Utica, Mich., and was shorn in April.

May Have a Hearing.

Senator Burrows has undertaken to secure a hearing for the gentlemen before the full committee on finance; but that is a difficult matter, because the committee has not been disposed to give hearings concerning the schedules in the bill.

Senator Burrows, although a member of the committee on finance, is a new member, and too much must not be expected of him in special matters. While it is true that he is one of the most experienced men in public life and one of the best informed upon all phases of the subjects of finance and revenue, the people must understand that the senate is a very conservative body, and no one man can achieve too many special favors in the formation of a tariff bill. All measures of that character are compromise measures; and every senator is obliged to concede much to his colleagues. Nevertheless, his membership of the committee on finance will enable Senator Burrows to do much more than could be accomplished by him if he had not attained that important position. The interests of Michigan will be protected by him to the best of his ability, and he will have the hearty co-operation of Senator McMillan.

Continued Service Gives Power.

By the way, continued service in the senate gives power and strength to the men who have back of them the united support of great commonwealths. By reason of his continued service in that body, Senator McMillan has attained the chairmanship of the committee on the District of Columbia. That is a very important position, and Senator McMillan is so highly respected that he can accomplish much for Michigan by making personal appeals to senators; and often in the senate personal requests are more potential than forensic efforts. That is what is meant by the common expression "senatorial courtesy."

Ex-Congressman Linton has given up quest for office, if indeed, he ever seriously hoped for high federal preferment. The appointment of a cabinet officer and an assistant secretary of the treasury from Michigan decreased the chances of all others for big positions. Moreover, the appointment of President Angell to that foreign mission, gave Michigan a pretty full quota of fine plums; albeit Angell was not officially charged to the state, but was a personal appointment of the president.

There is considerable misunderstanding among candidates for presidential postoffices. It is not only necessary to have the indorsement of your congressman, but also the indorsement of both senators. Furthermore, it must be understood that in the Third and Eighth congressional districts, which are represented by Democrats, all successful applicants must have the indorsement of both senators. In no other way can these offices be obtained.

Prominent Ohio Men.

"The fecundity of Ohio is simply phenomenal," says ex-Senator Sanders of Montana. "Ohio gave to this country General Grant, General Sherman, General Sheridan, Senator Sherman, President Hayes, General Rosecrans, President Garfield, Chief Justice Chase, Associate Justice Stanley Matthews, and President McKinley. Moreover, Ohio gave us Senators Allison of Iowa, Manderson of Nebraska, Sanders of Montana, Squire of Washington, and many others whose names would fill a volume."

Senator Sanders is one of the most remarkable of men; able, brilliant, and eloquent. Not the most sensational hero of dime fiction ever approached the wildness of his adventures, particularly during his leadership of the vigilantes. Sanders' queer experiences date back to his very young manhood. In 1861, when Andrew Johnson was still in the senate, and the senators of the southern Confederate states had left that body, there was a late night session drawing near to the close of congress. There was so much noise that Charles Sumner demanded that the galleries should be cleared. Senator Johnson objected, but the galleries were cleared.

No Lack of Cheek.

Ex-Senator Charles F. Manderson and ex-Senator Sanders, at that time young lawyers from Canton, O., were in the galleries, and of course they went out with the crowd. Later on the galleries were reopened, but Sanders said he didn't care to go back there—he meant to go on the floor of the senate. Manderson marveled at his cheek, and contented himself with a seat in the gallery, while Sanders announced to the senate doorkeeper that he was "a senator of the southern Confederacy," and as such entitled to admittance to the floor. The doorkeeper was so dumfounded that he let Sanders pass and he seated himself coolly under the eye of his friend Manderson in the gallery. At the close of the session he beckoned Manderson to come down, but that individual did not respond, so that at length Sanders went up to the gallery to see what the matter was.

Boots with French Heels.

Now, it so happened that Manderson had on a pair of the $7 boots with French heels which were at that time the joy of every unmitigated swell. They were awfully tight, of course, and he had taken them off to ease his feet while he sat in the gallery and watched with admiring eyes his cheeky friend Sanders on the floor. He put his feet on the rail of the gallery in delicious comfort, while they swelled and swelled until, when Sanders came up to wake him, he could not get the boots on again at all. And it is an actual fact that he was obliged to walk down Capitol hill and along Pennsylvania avenue to the Metropolitan hotel, where and Sanders were stopping, in his stocking feet. The most interesting point about this story is found in the circumstance that both of these poor Canton lawyers, thirty years afterwards became members of the United States senate.

Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota tells a good story concerning the administration of justice on the frontier. He says that when he went from Wisconsin to Dakota territory twenty-nine years ago a tenderfoot judge was holding court at the extreme frontier in a town on the banks of the Missouri river, where it chanced that an indictment for murder was brought against three men who had hanged a horsethief to a telegraph pole.

Motion Promptly Granted.

The accused were released on their own bonds, and when the day came for their trial they came into court, unaccompanied by an attorney, and advanced toward the judge, each one of them with his hand on a brace of 44-caliber revolvers, and moved that the case be adjourned for a year, during which they should be released as before on their own personal bonds. The judge promptly granted the motion, remarking subsequently that the argument in its behalf was the most powerful he had ever heard in a court of law.

When the year was gone by no further action was instituted, until it happened that one of the three men was elected to the legislature. His seat was contested and the contestant, wishing to throw odium upon his adversary, had him arrested upon the old indictment for murder and confined in jail, which was immediately beneath the room in the court house where the legislature met. The county was not willing to pay for the prisoner's board, nor would the town or territorial authorities, and so the contestant paid it. But he lost his case and thereupon announced that he would not pay for his opponent's support any longer. So, inasmuch as no one else would become responsible for it, the man was liberated, walked upstairs, and took his seat in due form in the legislative body.

A Story of Dubois.

"When Senator Dubois was a candidate for congress in the territory of Idaho," says George Biglow, "his opponent was old John Hailey. Old John used to say to the fellows at the mining camps: 'This man Dubois always wears biled shirts, and he drinks tea for his breakfast.'"

This was a clinching argument against Dubois until it was heard by a man in the mines who had been at Yale college with Dubois. He immediately took the stump and addressed the crowds as follows:

"Gentlemen: Fred Dubois is no dude, but a man of the people. I went to college with him. He used to swear, and fight and drink, and raise the devil all the time. He can drink a pint of whisky before breakfast, and he never tasted tea in his life."

Dubois was elected to congress three times, and then elected to the senate.

DUNBAR.

A statue of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, "the commodore," was unveiled on the campus of Vanderbilt university at Nashville, Tenn., of which institution he was the founder.

A COMPROMISE.

Merriman Railroad Tax Measure Passes the House.

Gov. Pingree's Followers Acquiesce After Strongly Denouncing the Concessions Made to the Roads —Gossip from Lansing.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, May 26. — The Merriman bill, which increases the specific taxes of Michigan railroads about $200,000 annually, was passed by the lower house of the state legislature Tuesday afternoon at the close of the warmest scene of the session. The bill as passed is the result of a compromise between the house and the senate, the former body having voted to raise the taxes about $500,000, while the senate agreed to a bill providing for an increase of $170,000. The Pingree men of the house wished to double the railroad taxes, and Col. Atkinson, of Detroit, who is admittedly the governor's representative on the floor of the house, bitterly denounced the concessions which were made. F. C. Chamberlain spoke for the bill as passed, declaring it better to increase the taxes $200,000 than to obtain nothing at all, as it was either the compromise bill or nothing. Col. Atkinson's acquiescence in the action of the house is construed as an indication that Gov. Pingree will sign the bill, although he has stated repeatedly that he would do no such thing, but would convene the legislature in special session until the railroads should be made to bear their share of taxation. The Merriman bill as passed by both houses provides a tax upon the gross earnings of railroads of 2½ per cent., where the earnings are less than $2,000 per mile, 3¼ per cent. where the earnings are from $2,000 to $4,000, 4 per cent. where the earnings are from $4,000 to $6,000, 4½ per cent. where the earnings are from $6,000 to $8,000 and 5 per cent. where the earnings exceed $8,000 per mile.

The house Monday in committee of the whole agreed to an anti-trust bill which prohibits any combination to increase or decrease the price of commodities and provides a penalty for violation of not less than $500 nor more than $2,000. The bill was hotly attacked on constitutional grounds, and is not believed by lawyers to be able to stand the scrutiny of the courts. A bill was also agreed to increasing the franchise fee of corporations from one-half mill to 1½ mills upon each dollar of capital stock. It also increased the minimum fee from five dollars to $20.

The legislative committee which investigated the pardon by Gov. Pingree of Convict Wixom, an inmate of the Jackson state prison, reported Monday night that the pardon was irregular, and intimated that Sybrant Wesslius, state railroad commissioner, was responsible for it. The committee reported testimony to the effect that Wesslius was to have gotten $500 for his influence in securing the pardon, and charges that the railroad commissioner is guilty of contempt in having failed to respond to a subpoena summoning him before the committee. The committee reports that Deputy Warden Wiesman, who is a friend of Wesslius, interested himself in getting Wixom pardoned out, on the supposition that he would receive $2,000 for it, and that Wesslius was in all probability instrumental in obtaining the pardon.

The senators have decided not to act upon the bill repealing the Michigan Central special charter, the Widoe 500-mile ticket bill or the Donovan interchangeable mileage book bill until some agreement is reached on the specific tax bill.

Gov. Pingree has vetoed the following bills: Appropriating $5,000 for construction of a driveway at the Mackinac Island State park; appropriating $3,000 for the support of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society, giving his reasons as economy and the lack of necessity. He also vetoed a bill increasing the salaries of police justices of the city of Detroit.

The Bell Telephone company won a victory Wednesday, when the house defeated the maximum rate bill, which provided that where rates were reduced to shut out competition the lowest rate should govern in all cities of like population.

On Friday the senate passed the uniform text-book bill, which the house passed a fortnight ago. The bill is not all the friends of the system desired, as it exempts all districts adopting the free text-book system prior to January 1, 1899, and also permits districts to vote themselves from under its provisions if they see fit to do so.

A bill agreed to by the house in committee of the whole provides a tax of one cent per gallon on all beer sold in the state.

The senate refused to pass the bill removing the homeopath college from the state university at Ann Arbor to Detroit by a vote of ten yeas to fifteen nays.

July 13, 1898, the state board of health of Michigan will have been in existence 25 years, and the board want to arrange a celebration of the event. On behalf of the board, a concurrent resolution was introduced in the house that when the national convention of boards of health occurs at Nashville, the governor send an invitation for the next convention to be held in Michigan. Also, that the various health authorities of the United States be brought here and that all the distinguished visitors be shown the beauties of Michigan as a health resort state.

The governor has signed the bill giving hotel keepers and boarding house keepers the right to hold and sell property of guests for the payment of board due. He has also approved the Holmes mechanics' lien bill, giving to men who furnish material for buildings a lien equal with a labor lien.

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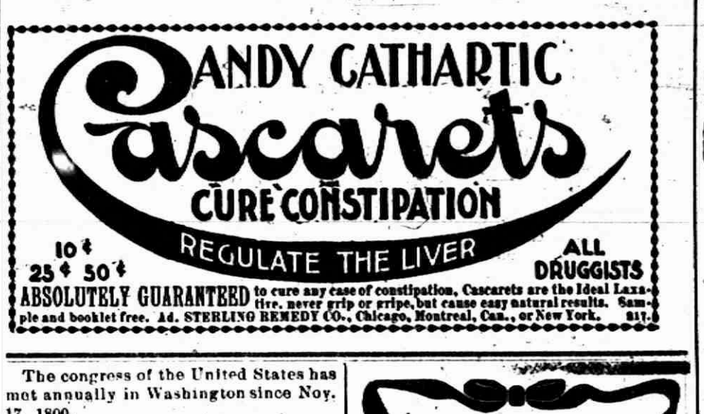

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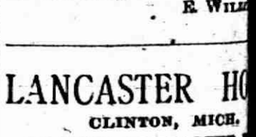
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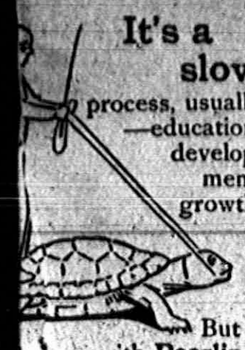

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A Budget of Interesting Information from Michigan Towns.

Hillsdale's electric light and water plant netted the city a profit of $7,503.16 last year.

The Western Gas association decided to meet next year at Mount Clemens, May 19, 20 and 21.

A Saginaw man wants to build a $10,000 flax mill in Flint, providing he can interest local capital.

The survivors of company A, of the Fifth Michigan cavalry, will hold their annual reunion at Romeo on June 10.

A Saranac correspondent says that there will be a good crop of fruit of all kinds in that vicinity this year.

Charles Colbath, of Saginaw, was struck by a Michigan Central train near Michigan City, Ind., and was cut to pieces.

Carload shipments of potatoes are still being made from Cadillac, the farmers receiving seven to nine cents per bushel.

Michigan post offices discontinued: Interior, Ontonagon county, mail will go to Barclay; Pines, Mackinac county, mail will go to Ozark.

The Women's Relief Corps of Hillsdale is raising a fund for the purpose of placing a monument on the soldiers' lot in the cemetery at that place.

The numbering of houses at Dowagiac has begun in order to secure the free mail delivery service, which it is expected will be in operation by July 1.

The annual meeting of the Shiawassee Baptist association, which had been set for Webberville, will be held at Williamston instead on June 1 and 2.

One of the oldest landmarks at Davis, Macomb county, a building which was erected for a match factory and used for that purpose some 40 years ago, has been torn down.

Miss May Brewer, a teacher in the Buchanan high school, died from excessive bicycle riding at night, the cool, damp air affecting her lungs, causing congestion.

Twenty-four persons have been arrested so far this season for fishing in Pleasant lake, in Jackson county, in violation of the law. Each of the 24 has pleaded guilty and paid $10.60 in fine and costs.

Annie McDonald, aged 11 years, was crushed to death between two cars in the freight yard at Ludington while picking up wood. The yardman backed a freight car through the yard and did not see her in time to stop.

Senator Burrows has introduced a bill to raise the pension of Gen. B. R. Pierce, of Grand Rapids, from $75 to $100. Gen. Pierce was the only Michigan volunteer to earn his way to the title of major general during the war.

FORT MACKINAC.

Park Board Anxious to Have Uncle Sam Again Take Possession.

Detroit, May 24.—Peter White, of Marquette, was in the city Sunday en route to Washington, where he will endeavor to persuade the government again to take possession of Fort Mackinac, which had been deeded to Michigan, and to make it a properly garrisoned army post. Mr. White has been authorized by the Mackinac park board, of which he is chairman, to deed the fort back to the United States, together with as much contingent land as is necessary for garrison purposes. The legislative authority for this was granted last winter. The board believes that continued maintenance of a fort on the island is a necessity and incidentally a decided advantage to the island.

DIED AT SEA.

Millionaire Tanner of Detroit Dies on an Ocean Steamship.

Detroit, May 21.—When the steamship Trave arrived in New York Thursday it was announced that Trangott Schmidt, of this city, had died during the voyage from cancer of the stomach. He was returning home from a visit to Germany, where he went in quest of health. He was one of the wealthiest Germans in Michigan. He represented the twelfth generation of tanners in his family and had been in the tanning business in Detroit since 1850. All these years he had been an extensive wool dealer and leather manufacturer. He was 67 years of age and leaves a widow and five children. A conservative estimate places his wealth at $2,500,000.

Accused of Robbery.

Jackson, May 24. — Chief of Police Boyle Sunday afternoon arrested George P. Thompson, wanted at Detroit for the larceny of $2,400 worth of diamond jewelry from Carrie Brown of that city. Thompson, who came of a good family, was cast off by his people. The Brown woman cared for him, and when she was away from home he looted the place and fled. This was a year ago. Thompson was passing under the name of Harry Russell, and six months ago married a young girl here. He has been fully identified.

New Clew in the Clark Case.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 23.—The police have found a clew now that gives every indication of leading to the solution of the Clark murder mystery. It involves a woman, and the man in the case is also under surveillance. Everything done on this particular line of investigation has pointed to the conclusion that Clark was taken by surprise when he was murdered, and the discoveries already made seem to fit this new theory.

Address to Populists.

Grand Rapids, May 22. — Secretary James E. McBride, of the middle-of-the-road populist party, has issued an address to the populists of the state calling attention to the national conference to be held in Nashville on July 4, and urging all true believers in the Omaha platform to forsake their fusion allegiance and again take up the fight for principle.

Call on State Banks.

Lansing, May 22. — Bank Commissioner Just has issued a call on state banks for a report at the close of business May 14.

ADVENTISTS SUED.

Mr. Henry Claims His Reputation Has Suffered and Demands $50,000.

Battle Creek, May 22.—Archibald R. Henry, of this city, is suing to recover from the General Conference association of the Seventh Day Adventists damages of $50,000 for disseminating articles detrimental to his character and lowering him in the estimation of the people of that denomination. Mr. Henry has been prominent in almost every board of the many institutions of the Adventist denomination, treasurer of the college and treasurer of the publishing company. He was relieved from the latter position about four months ago, and he attributes his loss of prestige in the denomination to the dissemination of several articles, visions or so-called inspired writings by Mrs. Ellen G. White, charging him with worldliness and with being possessed by satanic impulses and influences. Mr. Henry attributes in part Mrs. White's attacks on him to his being instrumental in having the amount of royalties on her publications cut down. Mrs. White is now in Australia, where she has been for several years, and despite her advanced years is one of the most active and influential members of the denomination.

MONEY FOR THE SUFFERERS.

Big Sum to Be Distributed Among Ontonagon People.

Ontonagan, May 21.—The legislature has at last passed the bill appropriating $25,000 for the fire sufferers of this place, and the money will be distributed by a commission to be appointed by the governor. The appropriation bill specifically provides that none of the money shall go toward paying any of the bonded indebtedness of the village, which amounts to $75,000. The improvements for which the indebtedness was incurred were completely wiped out by the destructive fire of last August. Although the Diamond Match company has permanently abandoned the town and is closing out its interests here as rapidly as possible, nearly half of the taxable property is owned by that concern, and as the local feeling toward the big corporation is none of the best, the assessor will probably see to it that the Diamond Match property is appraised at its full value, and the company will have to pay its full share of the bonded debt.

BUYS ASSEMBLY GROUNDS.

A Chicagoan in Control of the Hackley Park Property at Lake Harbor.

Muskegon, May 24.—Thomas Thorkildsen, of Chicago, has bought the Hackley park assembly grounds at Lake Harbor from Albert Dodge, of Grand Rapids, who obtained title from the association when it failed to make the assembly idea pay. A committee of the Good Templars also sold to the same person the state building known as the Temple. Lathrop hall, the state W. C. T. U. building, is not affected, as the women have absolute title. Mr. Dodge's deal was complicated by a suit in ejectment began against him by Edward F. Swett, late of Chicago and owner of the Lake Harbor hotel, who claims to own lands from the Lake Harbor company, which gave them to the association for assembly purposes. Dodge filed receipts showing he had paid the association's debts. Thorkildsen must run some kind of an assembly.

PINGREE'S OFFER.

The Governor Will Give Prizes to Ambitious Students.

Lansing, May 22.—Gov. Pingree has issued the following:

"To the student of any college in Michigan preparing an historical paper tracing the most accurate parallel in ancient or modern history with the present social and political conditions in the United States, and giving the causes of this parallel condition, I hereby offer a prize of $25 cash. To the second best paper, a prize of $15 cash, and to the third best paper $10 cash. Papers must be prepared and mailed to the executive office at Lansing not later than September 1, 1897. Judges will be announced later. H. S. PINGREE, "Governor."

Michigan Congregationalists.

Saginaw, May 21.—At the meeting of the State Congregational association in this city Dr. Hermau P. DeForest, of Detroit, was chosen moderator. Rev. John P. Sanderson presented a report on the churches of the state. It shows the number of churches to be 350 and the membership 31,622, against 30,600 at the last meeting. The Sunday schools have a membership of 42,117 and have gained 477 during the year. The enrollment of the Y. P. S. C. E. is 14,602, an increase of 1,000. The home expenditures during the year were $170,714, a decrease of $32,000, and the benevolences were $61,989.95, a decrease of $8,000.

Ironworkers Agree on a Scale.

Detroit, Mich., May 24.—With the exception of the sheet-iron and tinplate items, the general wage scale of the Amalgamated Association of Iron Steel and Tinworkers has practically been settled so far as the association is concerned. The entire scale has been revised and the rates of wages on a few kinds of work have been slightly increased, while on others there have been reductions.

A Young Receiver.

Saginaw, Mich., May 24. — Homer Loring, of Newton, Mass., has been appointed receiver of the Union and Consolidated street railways of this city. He is very young for the position—21 years old. He is a son of S. D. Loring, a wealthy broker, of Boston, Mass., who represents the interests of the bondholders. The bond as receiver is fixed at $75,000.

Mint Crop Damaged by Frost.

Decatur, May 26. — The Michigan peppermint crop was seriously damaged Monday night by severe frost. Growers estimate the injury to the old mint in some localities to be over one-half.

Fell Down Stairs.

Decatur, May 26. — Mrs. Martha Buchanan, of Allegan, aged 63 years, was killed by falling downstairs.

A PLUCKY LITTLE PIGEON.

Nansen Owns and Cherishes One of the Wonders of the World.

One day a wonderful bird tapped at the window of Mrs. Nansen's home at Christiania. Instantly the window was opened and the wife of the famous Arctic explorer in another moment covered the little messenger with kisses and caresses. The carrier pigeon had been away from the cottage 30 long months, but it had not forgotten the way home. It brought a note from Nansen stating that all was going well with him and his expedition in the polar regions.

Nansen had fastened a message to a carrier pigeon and turned the bird loose. The frail courier darted out into the blizzardy air. It flew like an arrow over a thousand miles of frozen waste, and then sped forward over another thousand miles of ocean and plains and forests, and one morning entered the window of the waiting mistress and delivered the message which she had been awaiting so anxiously.

We boast of human pluck, says the New York Mail and Express, sagacity and endurance, but this loving little carrier pigeon, in its homeward flight after an absence of 30 months, accomplished a feat so wonderful that we can only give ourselves up to the amazement and admiration which must overwhelm everyone when the marvelous story is told. Mrs. Nansen's pigeon is one of the wonders of the world.

EASTER BREAD AND CHEESE.

Origin of a Custom Still Maintained in a Quiet English Village.

An old ceremony which links the present with an epoch as nearly distant as the Norman conquest has been duly observed in the quiet village of Biddenden, in Kent, near Ashford, England. Easter was celebrated by the distributing by the vicar and church wardens of cakes of gingerbread among visitors to the place, while the residents were regaled with hunks of bread and cheese. For nearly 900 years these doles or gifts have been dispensed, although now all idea of charity has practically disappeared, and the distribution is used more for an occasion of conviviality and ale drinking than for the pious commemoration of the two maids of Biddenden who founded the feast. These ladies were Eliza and Mary Chulkhurst, who lived at the beginning of the twelfth century and were joined together like the Siamese twins. One died a day after the other, and they left a bit of land, of which the rental is about $200 a year, to perpetuate a fund for the distribution of bread and cheese at Easter. The doles are all stamped with a likeness of the two maids, with their names and the dates of their birth and demise. Many people go to Biddenden for the express purpose of getting a cake and preserving it as a curiosity.

A Dog-Hunting Fox.

A. R. Dodge, of Dexter, Me., tells this one: "The other day, coming down Maple street, I saw a dog strike cross lots from Park street. Some animal was in pursuit. At first I thought it was another dog; then it looked like a large cat; ultimately I saw that it was a fox. The dog was putting in his best licks, yelping like mad, and the fox was hot on his trail. With a final long-drawn howl the dog reached the piazza of his master's house and from that vantage ground sat down to watch his pursuer. The fox stationed himself about six or eight feet away, and the two sat eying each other for some time. Finally the door opened and the dog slipped inside. Then the shed door was cautiously opened, and by the aid of the neighbors the fox was driven into the shed and is now a captive."

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 11th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David D. Meeker, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William D. Meeker, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate may be granted to Fred'k B. Wood or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered. That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
GEO. B. GRAY,
Commissioners.

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LAST WEEK OF SESSION.

Michigan Lawmakers Winding Up Their Work.

BILL INCREASING RAILWAY TAXES.

Every Prospect of a Disagreement Between the Two Houses Over the Measure—Element of Uncertainty as to the Action of Governor Pingree—Mileage Book Bills Advanced—Uniform Text Book Bill Passes Both Houses—Prizes for Essays.

Lansing, Mich., May 25.—The last week of the legislative session opens with a vast amount of work on the calendar of each house, and with every prospect of a disagreement between the two houses over the bill to increase railroad taxes. The conference committees appointed, as mentioned last week, to consider the differences on this subject as they then existed finally reached an agreement which proved to be satisfactory to the senate, but the indications are that the house will refuse to adopt them. This important matter is to be considered today. The taxes paid last year by the railroads operating in this state aggregated $471,408. As passed by the senate the bill provided for an annual revenue of $914,750, while the house made the aggregate $1,246,193. By the terms agreed upon by the conference committee the annual revenue would be $947,414. In other words the senate provided for an increase of $173,342, the house for an increase of $504,785, while the conference report makes the increase $306,006. The rates of taxation as reported by the conference committee are as follows: On earnings of $3,000 or under per mile, 2½ per cent.; from $3,000 to $4,000, 3¼ per cent.; from $4,000 to $6,000, 4 per cent.; from $6,000 to $8,000, 4½ per cent.; over $8,000, 5 per cent.; on gross earnings of union depot companies with incomes in excess of $20,000 per mile, 10 per cent.

Merriman Commended It.

As son as the conference report was submitted the senate proceeded to consider it. Chairman Merriman commended it as just between the people and the railroad companies, and urged that it be adopted. Senator Thompson made a carefully prepared speech in reply to the special message of Governor Pingree on this subject. He referred to the threat made by the latter that unless the legislature passed such railroad taxation bills as he desired he would refuse to approve appropriation bills and would also keep the legislators here all summer. The senator created quite a sensation by denouncing the governor's threat as a bluff. He expressed the hope that the legislators would not be influenced by either the govenror's bluff or his blandishments in the way of promises of state patronage, but urged them to vote their convictions, leaving the governor to carry out his threats if he wished to do so, and declaring that, in that event, impeachment would stare him in the face. The special message was denounced as a tissue of deliberate fabrications intended to deceive the people, and the senator went into a long dessertation in support of this proposition. At the conclusion of the speech a vote was taken and the conference report was adopted without a dissenting vote. However, Senators Hughes, Bostawick, Moore and Mudge refrained from voting on the question.

It was expected that the house would dispose of this matter before adjourning last week, but the attendance was so small on Friday that both sides consented to let it go over until today. The contest bids fair to be long and acrimonious, and it will certainly interfere sadly with other important matters, including numerous appropriation bills, which must be attended to before adjournment next Friday.

A Little Problematical.

Just what Governor Pingree will do should the two houses happen to agree on the rates recommended by the committee is a little problematical. As stated last week he has emphatically declared that nothing short of an increase of $1,000,000 will receive his approval. The element of uncertainty as to his action now prevails is due to the fact that when asked if he would approve based on the conference committee report he said it would be time enough to declare himself after some sort of a bill had been passed. Those who are near to him, however, are all inclined to the opinion that such a bill as the report contemplates will be promptly vetoed. Many legislators who think the railroads should be required to pay a greater sum than the report provides are, however, free to say that they consider half a loaf better than no bread, and they will vote for the compromise for this reason. At the present writing it looks as if it will be this increase or none for the next two years. Should the bill be passed and vetoed, there is no reason for believing that the governor could get anything better by calling an extra session, while the cost of such a session would be very large.

Other important railroad legislation has been considered during the past week. An attempt was made in the house to pass a bill permitting steam and electric railroad companies to lease each other's lines. The Pingree men arrayed themselves against the bill on the ground that it would permit a road to get possession of a competing line, and eventually lead to the organization of a gigantic combine which would wipe out all competition. They succeeded in killing the bill.

The latest railroad measure to be reported out by the house railroad committee is one which permits the main line of the Grand Trunk road to go back to 3-cent fares, the rate having been reduced to 2 cents four years ago. The reason given for such a bill is that there is no prospect of passing a bill for the general reduction of railroad fares, and that it would simply be just to place the Grand Trunk on the same footing with other roads in this regard. It is safe to say that notwithstanding this plea the bill will not become a law.

Two mileage book bills have been advanced through the house and are now in the possession of the senate railroad committee. One of these is the Widoe bill, which requires roads to sell 500-mile books good for any member of a family or firm. It also provides that new mileage shall be issued for the unused portion of the books at the end of the year. The other is the somewhat famous Donovan interchangeable mileage book bill, which was vetoed by Governor Rich on the ground that insolvent roads would flood the state with mileage books which they could never hope to redeem, thus leaving the solvent roads to carry out the contracts with no chance to get any pay for doing so. Manager Heald, of the Detroit, Grand Rapids and Western road, has promised to secure from the solvent roads of the state an agreement to carry out the object sought to be obtained by this bill, and this may end the matter.

Burdening the Senate.

The bill repealing the special charter of the Michigan Central road, which passed the house much to the surprise of every one, is also in the hands of the senate committee and no one need be surprised if it stays there. There are some reasons for believing that some of these bills were passed by members of the house for the purpose of making a point with their constituents and throwing the burden of defeating them on the senate. Just how much of this burden the senate will stand is one of the problems which enter into the question of just what railroad legislation will be eventually passed. The uniform text book bill has passed both houses and is in the hands of the governor. It exempts all districts that now have free text books or which shall adopt the system previous to Jan. 1, 1900. It is also a local option measure in that any district that does not want to come under its provisions may avoid doing so by a vote of its qualified electors to this effect.

Governor Pingree apparently meant just what he said when he remarked a few days ago that the chances were against any special appropriation bills becoming laws this year, and his lieutenant in the house, Colonel Atkinson, was equally as well informed when he declared that while all state institutions would be maintained, no improvements would be made at any of them. The significance of these remarks became apparent to every one late last week when the governor sent to the legislature three messages vetoing as many bills for purely economical reasons. The bills selected for the slaughter on this occasion were those appropriating $6,000 for the construction and maintainance of roadways and other improvements on Mackinac Island State park, and $1,500 for each of the ensuing two years for publishing the historical collections of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society; also increasing $500 per year the salaries of the two police justices of the city of Detroit.

Unjust to Taxpayers.

In each of the messages vetoing the appropriation bills the governor said: "In times of prosperity it would be proper enough to indulge in expenditures of this kind, but in the present depressed state of the times, when the taxpayers of the state are groaning under their burdens, I feel that it would be unjust to them to make appropriations which can be dispensed with." These two vetoes are taken as a sure indication that other special appropriation bills, such as those providing for electric light plants at the university and other state institutions, will experience a blow from the veto ax. The senate made an attempt to pass the pioneer bill over the veto, but it failed, three less than the necessary twenty-two votes being recorded in favor of such action.

In disposing of the police justice bill, Governor Pingree took occasion to call attention to the great increase of the number of judges of various kinds and the vast increase in the expense of maintaining the judiciary of the state since the present system was adopted. In the first place he mentioned the fact that 25,000 laboring men are out of work in the city of Detroit, and said that the situation called for a reduction rather than an increase of salaries. The cost of mantaining the judiciary, he said, has increased from $14,900 in 1855 to $146,184 in 1896, while the number of circuit judges have increased from ten to forty-one, and the number of circuits from ten to thirty-five. He suggested that the legislature carefully consider the question of reorganizing the circuits, and ventured the statement that they could be increased fully one-half without any detriment to the service. In support of this statement he cited the fact that many of the judges are not occupied more than half the time, some being able to spend months in other circuits for which service they receive extra pay.

Cash Prizes for Essays.

The governor's reference to the depressed condition of the times suggests the fact that he has offered cash prizes for essays on this subject. To the student of any college in Michigan preparing the best historical paper tracing the most accurate parallel in ancient or modern history with the present social and political conditions in the United States, and giving the causes of this parallel, he offers a prize of $25. For the second best essay he will pay $15, and for the third best $10. Papers must be prepared and mailed to the executive office in this city not later than Sept. 1. They will be examined and the award made by judges.

The senate committee on appropriations and finance has unmercifully slashed every appropriation bill that has come before it. This does not mean that the slashing has been done without judgment. On the contrary the committee has been very painstaking in its investigations and has sought to hold the institutions down to actual needs. Owing to this fact, which has come to be recognized at both ends of the capitol, much surprise has been expressed at the action of the house in cutting $35,000 from the appropriation made by the senate for the Michigan College of Mines at Houghton. The senate allowed the college $115,000, but the house reduced it to $80,000. Two attempts were made by the friends of the bill to save the bill as it left the senate, but without avail. This action of the house foretells the probable fate of the numerous appropriation bills which are yet to be acted upon during this, the last week, of the session.

In view of this action it seems a trifle strange that both houses should have voted an increase in the appropriation for the state dairy and food department. The increase, however, will enable Commissioner Grosvenor to put a larger number of inspectors in the field than at present and thus more effectually enforce the laws. Heretofore this department has been allowed but $10,000. This legislature has given it $18,000 and no veto has been filed by the governor. Some of the latter's enemies are predicting that this increased appropriation will not be molested for the reason that the governor dictates the appointment of all inspectors and that this department is one of the most effective political machines in the state. Its inspectors being constantly in the field and covering the entire state, they can "saw wood" in behalf of their creator with surprisingly gratifying results.

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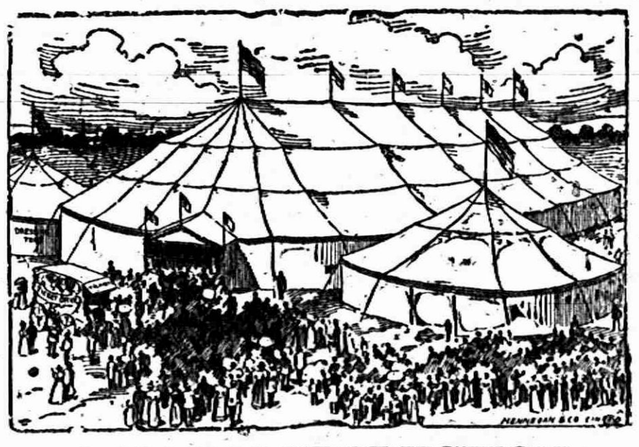

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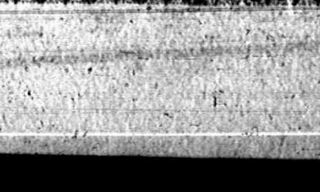

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MEMORIAL DAY.

It Is Generally Observed Throughout the Country.

Imposing Ceremonies at the National Cemetery at Arlington—At Lincoln's and Grant's Tombs—The Day Elsewhere.

Washington, June 1.—Memorial day was generally observed in Washington. The senate adjourned over for the day and the house held only a 15-minute session. All the departments and business houses were closed, and the day was given up to patriotic observance and tributes to the heroic dead. At ten o'clock there was an impressive parade of the G. A. R. and other patriotic organizations, which broke up at 11 o'clock, the several posts holding memorial exercises in the various cemeteries.

The Day at Arlington.

most imposing ceremonies were t the national cemetery at Arlon, on the Virginia side of the Potomac, which was before the war the magnificent estate of Robert E. Lee, the confederate chieftain. Here bivouac almost 35,000 of the nation's dead, 2,000 whose identity will never be known being buried in a single grave. Among the most famous of the heroes buried beneath the spreading oaks and elms are Gen. Sheridan, the great cavalry leader; Admiral Porter, the hero of Mobile; Brig. Gen. Harney and Gen. Ricketts.

In Chicago.

Chicago, June 1.—Memorial day was fittingly observed. A parade was given by old veterans, regular troops from Fort Sheridan, militia and civic organizations. Decoration day exercises were held at Forest Home, Waldheim and Concordia and other cemeteries.

At Lincoln's Tomb.

Springfield, Ill., June 1.—Decoration day was observed here with great interest. Federal, state and city and many business places were closed during the day. The exercises at Oak Ridge cemetery and the tomb of Lincoln were interesting and attended by thousands. The parade was long. Hundreds of the grand army and sons of veterans were in line. Military exercises were held over graves of dead soldiers.

Grant's Tomb Decorated.

New York, June 1.—A rainy forenoon interfered greatly with the observance of Memorial day in New York and its vicinity. There were, however, committees of the veterans of the union army at all the cemeteries in and about New York to decorate the graves of those of their comrades who have found burial there. The tomb of Gen. Grant, in Riverside park, was well remembered, for, besides the tributes from local posts of the grand army, there was received a box of choice flowers from the white house conservatory in Washington.

At St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 1.—Decoration day here this year received practically a double celebration. The memorial sermons and other exercises of literary character were mostly held on Sunday. Monday, being the legal holiday, was reserved for the grand army parade and the decoration services proper. The latter included the grand army demonstrations at the cemeteries and at Jefferson Barracks, and appropriate ceremonies by the regular army troops in connection with the veterans at the national cemeteries.

At Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, June 1.—Monday's demonstration presented the greatest seen here. It took an hour in passing. On both sides of Fourth street the girls of the schools were ranged to witness the parade. They were all provided with small flags. The passing of the gray-haired and tottering veterans, bearing with stern pride their cherished battle flags, was to these children a lesson in patriotism not soon to be forgotten. Following them came the battalions of boys, with boys' drum bands and flags without number.

At Boston.

Boston, June 1.—Decoration day of this year was of particular significance on account of the unveiling and dedication of the elaborate memorial structure on Boston common, erected in honor of Col. John Robert Gould Shaw, of the Fifty-fourth Massachusetts regiment, and the brave black men who comprised his followers and who fell with their colonel in the assault upon Fort Wagner, S. C., July 18, 1863.

In the South.

Jackson, Miss., June 1.—A special from Vicksburg, Miss., says: An immense assembly joined in the ceremonies of Decoration day at the national cemetery Monday. In accordance with a custom of years a delegation of confederate veterans took offerings of flowers to the cemetery in the afternoon and scattered them over the graves.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 1. — The graves of the 14,000 union soldiers buried in the national cemetery at this place were decorated Monday with elaborate ceremonies. Capt. J. H. MacGowan, of Washington, delivered the annual oration. An immense throng of people was present.

Monument Unveiled

West Point, N. Y., June 1.—In the presence of 5,000 people, the secretary of war and many high officials of the army the battle monument erected by their comrades in honor of the officers and soldiers of the regular army who fell in battle in the civil war was dedicated Monday. Among those who occupied seats on the speakers' stand were Secretary Alger, Gen. Merritt, Gen. Ruggles, Gen. Franklin, Gen. Butterfield, Gen. Stanton, Paymaster General Viele, Gen. Saxton and Gen. James Longstreet. The exercises opened with an invocation by Chaplain Shipman, which he prefaced with the recitation of the Lord's Prayer, those in the pavilion joining. Then followed the presentation of the monument to the United States army by Brig. Gen. John M. Wilson, chief of engineers, U. S. A.

Mrs. Maria Pruett (colored) died at Chillicothe, O., aged 104 years.

WORDS OF CHEER.

Secretary Gage Believes Industrial Revival Will Soon Come.

Cincinnati, May 29. — The crowning event of the annual meeting of the commercial clubs was the banquet last night, at which Secretary of the Treasury Gage spoke in part as follows:

"I have thought that on this occasion I could do no better service than to give you needed reassurance and hope. As to the great fabric now before congress, known as the tariff bill, I have nothing to say in detail. I want to bear testimony, however, to the zeal and good faith of those in both houses who have that measure in charge. They are fully conscious of their great responsibilities, and are working faithfully to discharge them. Nor do I think that the opponents of these measures are likely to oppose with willful and unjust obstructions the course of legislation. Protest, there will be more or less; fencing for position must be expected, but having now come into contact with many of the representatives of the people in both houses of congress, I deem it my duty to bear witness, so far as it may have value, to the honorable and patriotic motives that inspire the minds of the great majority, whether upon one side of the house or the other, and I prophesy an early result in the national councils to which this great commercial question is now committed.

"I make these remarks not to defend a body for whom I hold no commission to speak, but to correct, in one direction if I may, the operation of an injurious sentiment—a sentiment which is sowing evil seeds in many directions. It is dividing classes, destroying unity and breeding hatred. The one word for that sentiment is 'distrust.' Faith and courage lead to conquest and victory. Distrust paralyzes and destroys.

"As to the financial question to which I have already referred, I want to content myself with few words. I am glad that they may be words of assurance. If any of you harbor the suspicion that the administration, but just now installed into the responsibilities of high office, has forgotten, or is likely to forget, the mandate of the people, whose voice in behalf of honest money and sound finances rang out loud and clear in November last, put that suspicion aside. It is unjust and unfounded. In good time and in proper order the affirmative evidences of my declaration will appear. In the meantime, my friends, do your part to help those charged with legislative and administrative duties. Do not let the inertia engendered by fear and distrust creep over you.

"We have been passing through a period of great trial, and nobly have we endured the strain. The future is not dark with forebodings. It is illuminated with rational hope. The revival of industry is near, and with the establishment of a revenue law sufficient to bring into the treasury an amount adequate to meet the reasonable needs of our government, and with the establishment of our finances on a sound and enduring basis, nothing now foreseen can delay the recovery of past losses and the inauguration of a new forward movement along the lines of material advancement and social progress, which we may humbly trust is in the benevolent mind of God to bestow upon the American people."

WINTRY WEATHER.

Frost Damages Fruit and Crops in Northwest—Snow in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, June 1.—Heavy frosts occurred Monday morning over the entire state of Wisconsin, and considerable damage was probably done to vegetation and fruit, although the chilled and backward condition of almost everything doubtless saved much of it from being ruined. Strawberries in many sections are thought to be almost a total loss by reason of the recent frosts. Hurley reports a regular blizzard. It snowed all Sunday night and Monday morning, the ground being covered. All garden stuff must be replanted.

Marshalltown, Ia., June 1.—There was a severe frost here and considerable ice formed. Reports from the country indicate material damage to corn, early potatoes, tender vegetables and fruits.

St. Paul, Minn., June 1.—Frost is generally reported throughout the northwest, with scattered reports of snow and a hard freeze. Considerable damage to vegetables and small fruits is feared.

Rockford, Ill., June 1.—There was severe frost Sunday night. Ice formed in many small bodies of water. Corn which was up was cut to the ground. Tobacco has also been severely injured in the region north of here and potatoes and vegetables are killed. There will be very severe damage to the fruit crop, which promised a heavy yield.

Tributes to Flood Victims.

Johnstown, Pa., June 1.—The eighth anniversary of the Johnstown flood was appropriately observed in this city Monday, when thousands of people, many of them having lost relatives and near friends in the most appalling disaster of recent times, visited the beautiful cemetery of Grand View. The plot that contains the unidentified bodies of over 800 victims of the disaster was literally covered with flowers, contributed mostly by persons who lost dear ones in the flood and whose bodies were never recovered.

To Meet in Detroit.

Cincinnati, June 1.—President D. D. Woodmansee and Secretary M. J. Dowling have issued a call for the tenth annual convention of the National Republican league at Detroit, July 13. Each state and territorial league is entitled to four delegates from each congressional district and six delegates at large.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, May 27.—Good progress was made in the senate yesterday in the consideration of the tariff bill by schedules, and on a test vote over a motion to reduce the duty on a certain article the friends of the measure were sustained by a vote of 34 to 20. Several paragraphs of the bill were considered during the day, the committee being sustained in each instance.

Washington, May 28.—The final conference report on the sundry civil bill was agreed to in the senate yesterday. This involves the suspension until March 1 next of the forest reserve proclamation. Ten pages of the tariff bill were disposed of. Several votes were taken, the finance committee being sustained in each case.

Washington, May 29. — Considerable progress was made on the tariff bill in the senate yesterday, 15 pages being covered. Several votes were taken during the day, but the finance committee had a liberal majority in every instance. Senator Tillman (S. C.) presented a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of five senators to investigate charges of speculation by senators while the tariff bill was before the finance committee. It was referred to the committee on contingent expenses.

Washington, May 31.—In the senate on Saturday progress on the tariff bill was checked, the plate paragraphs proving a source of controversy lasting throughout the day. As a result little more than a page of the bill was disposed of.

Washington, June 1.—A short session of the senate was held yesterday, but no business was transacted.

Washington, June 2.—Senator Pettigrew introduced a bill in the senate yesterday to provide for the submission to a popular vote at the congressional election of 1898 of the questions whether congress shall enact a law providing for the immediate free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of sixteen to one, and to amend the constitution so as to provide for the election of United States senators and of the president and vice president by direct vote of the people. The tariff bill was further discussed.

The House.

Washington, May 28.—Bills were introduced in the house yesterday to exclude from the mails all matter emanating from commercial agencies which publish business ratings and carry on collections, and to tax business corporations such as oil companies, iron and steel railways and street railways, banks, stock exchanges and glass, wool, silk, paper, leather and sugar manufacturing. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 1.—The house yesterday met and immediately adjourned.

Washington, June 2.—In the house yesterday the senate bills making a special appropriation for the government printing office and for granting the secretary of the navy authority to contract with any two vessels to carry contributed supplies to India were passed.

Must Pay Letter Rates.

Washington, June 1.—From the large number of inquiries now being received by the post office department there seems to be a general belief that congress has authorized the issue and use of private postal cards, mailable at one cent rate of postage. This belief is unfounded. The department has called the attention of all postmasters to this fact and has notified them that no law has been enacted on the subject, so that private mailing cards, bearing written messages, when deposited in the mails are still subject to postage at the letter rate.

The Cuban Question.

Washington, June 1.—From now until June 10, when he will start on his trip to attend the Nashville exposition, President McKinley's attention will be devoted almost exclusively to the Cuban question. Important developments may be looked for within that period. A new minister to Spain and probably a new consul-general to Havana will be appointed, the report of Special Commissioner Calhoun considered, and a formal note to Spain drafted and placed in the hands of the new minister for delivery upon his arrival in Madrid.

Shows a Surplus.

Washington, June 2.—The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures during May shows that the total receipts were $29,797,390 and the expenditures $29,109,259, leaving the surplus for the month $688,131. The statement for May, 1896, showed a deficit of $3,782,875.

Mint Coinage.

Washington, June 2.—Mr. Preston, the director of the mint, says the production of gold in 1896 was $53,000,000, an increase of over $6,250,000 as compared with 1895. The production of silver was 57,700,000 fine ounces, an increase of 1,900,000 over 1895.

Tom Reed Threatened.

Washington, June 2.—Thomas B. Reed, speaker of the house, received a letter warning him that unless certain specified legislation was promptly expedited he would be assassinated.

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CLINTON

Fred Tag was home from Adrian over Sunday.

The Catholic choir sang at Cambridge Sunday.

C. H. Miller, of Wolf Creek, was in town Friday.

Mrs. Wm. C. Rogers was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

Ira VanGelson was a Battle Creek visitor over Sunday.

George A. Kies and Charlie Clark spent Monday in Adrian.

Fred Keornig spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Toledo.

Willoughby Nase went to Palmyra last Thursday for a few days' visit

Mrs. B. P. Anderson, of Tecumseh, spent Monday with Mrs E. R. Smith.

Miss Mabel Clements, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Ella Tuttle Tuesday.

George Bower, of Hudson, rode over on his wheel last Thursday afternoon.

H. O. Shekell visited his home at Battle Creek from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston and daughter Alberta were Tecumseh visitors Saturday.

Eugene Fowler and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irve Hause over Sunday.

The next regular meeting of the O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening June 9th.

Mrs Charles Pawson, of Tipton, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, Tuesday.

Miss Edith Amsnoker, of Manchester, visited Clinton friends the latter part of last week.

Miss Louise Clark gave a delightful party to her friends at her home last Friday night.

About thirty Clinton Maccabees attended the funeral of George Stautz Tuesday afternoon.

George Van Gieson returned last Thursday from a two months' visit with Jackson relatives.

Mrs. Charles Kemp and sister, Miss Bullock, of Tecumseh, called on Mrs. E. M. Cooley Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. W. Chandler, Mrs. S. T. Fairbanks and little daughter, Esther, visited at Mrs. J. S. Kies' last Thursday.

Wallace Case came down from Manchester last Friday and visited his sister, Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh until Monday.

Hobart Corwin, of Pontiac, a student at the University, was the guest of his cousin, Miss Grace Cowin, over Sunday.

The Manchester base ball team failed to materialize Saturday afternoon, consequently there was no game as advertised.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife came up from Britton Monday night to attend the confirmation services at St. John's church.

Mrs. Samuel Larzelere entertained over Sunday her brother, Levi Watkins, and a friend, Frank Dwella, both of Grass Lake.

Jimmie Galstin, of Detroit, went through here Saturday on his way to Sand Lake to visit his uncles, the Kennedy brothers.

Services at St John's church will be in the evening during June. C. F. Field who has been licensed "Lay Reader," will conduct the services during the Rectors absence.

Peter Bauer, one of the pioneers of Bridgewater township, and who has been an invalid for several years, died Wednesday of last week at the age of 70 years. The funeral was held at the home.

Mrs. Fannie Huntoon, who lives with her sister Mrs. Samuel Alexander, for the past two years, left Saturday for her home in Chicago. During her stay in Clinton she made many warm friends who were sorry to see her go.

Monday evening St. John's Episcopal church was filled to overflowing, the occasion being the visitation of Bishop Davies for Confirmation. The whole service was inspiring and beautiful, the responces hearty, music spirited, and the Bishop's sermon received the closest attention from the large audience. It was scholarly yet simple replete with encouragement to those endeavoring to lead religious lives, as well as giving convincing reasons for all to follow the gentle Nazarene. His address to the class was fatherly and full of tender sympathy. The class numbered fourteen, four of them from St. Peters parish Tecumseh.

Miss Helen Millspaugh, a teacher in the schools of Columbia City, Ind has been the guests of her aunts' the Misses Mary and Martha Millspaugh, since Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. F. Hicks and daughter Julia, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Howe, Miss Etta Thorp, Mrs. B. P. Anderson, C. D. Keyes, C. F. Field, Mr. Montgomery and friend, Mrs. Fote Montgomery, and the Misses Daly, Bridges, and Spenser of Tecumseh, attended confirmation service Monday evening, the last four being members of the class.

MACON.

Rolfe Mills was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Della Kuder is among Portland friends this week.

Mrs. Jerry Burleson has been quite sick the past week.

Miss Addie Crittenden came home from Detroit Saturday.

Macon was well represented at the show in Tecumseh Tuesday night.

Miss Minta Jackson closes her school in the Merritt disttict Friday of this week.

Miss Cora Austin, of Tecumseh, and Carl Chambers, of Adrian, called on Macan friends the first of the week.

Miss Mary Newcomb, who spent the winter in Florida, returned to her Macon friends this week.

Mrs. Lavina Jackson, who has been visiting Tecumseh friends for the past six weeks, returned home Saturday.

Misses Libbie Walp and Viva Ellis rode their wheel to Ann Arbor Sunday, to visit friends and attend decoration.

Topic for the E L. meeting next Sunday evening, is "Plain Words to Everybody." Prov. 21:17 Leader, Carrie Camburn.

On account of Rev. J. A. DeSpelder's absence attending the general synod at Asbury Park, N. J., there will be no preaching next Sunday in the Reformed churches at Macon and South Macon.

HOLLOWAY.

Trimmed hats from 50c. up, at the millinery rooms of E. H. Fish.

Mrs Charles Rothfuss and children were at Blissfield a few days last week.

S. M. Dole and wife, of Adrian, were guests at Dr. Nixon's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Deama Cary, of Coldwater, was the guest of Mrs. August Greenwald the 30th.

Miss Maggie Thompson, of Adrian, has been visiting Mrs James Lane for a few days.

Mrs. A. H. Kelley and Miss Maggie Moore are both reported as slowly convalesing.

A large number from here attended "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at Tecumseh, Tuesday evening.

Miss May Lillibridge of Detroit, was the guest of Conrad Axtell's family the 23rd or 24th ult

Miss Esther Fish visited her friend, Miss Abbie Ray at North Morenci Thursday of last week.

Miss Lola Brown, of Adrian, visited friends, the Misses Lena Clark and Blanche Macham a few days last week.

Children's day will be observed at the Presbyterian church June 13th instead of the 4th as announced last week.

The topic for C. E. meeting next Sunday evening is, "The tongue as a Christian's tool." Leader: Mrs. L. B Spencer.

Mr. Elias Brown, who resided about two miles north of town, died Friday night. The funeral was held at his late residence Sunday, Rev. E. C. Andrus, of Tecumseh, officiating.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Miss Cora Bunting returned to her work in the mill Monday.

The drain commissioner is reparing the bridges in this vicinity.

Earl and Maxson Munger, are entertaining the measles this week.

Mr. Robert Woods, of Hillsdale, visited his many friends here last week.

Misses Bertha and Addie Lambkin and Ira Lambkin returned to their work in Kalamazoo Tuesday.

Hollis, George, Sadie, and Ruth Taylor, went to Jackson Sunday to attend the funeral of their cousin Miss Susie Taylor youngest daughter of Levi Trylor.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

The plant of the Utica Packing and Provision Co. in Deerfield, N. Y., was destroyed by fire recently. Loss $100,000.

What use is there in eating when food does you no good—in fact when it does you more harm than good, for such is the case if it is not digested? If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested, when an appetite will come and with a relish for food. The tired languid feeling will give place to vigor and energy; then you will put flesh on your bones and become strong. The Shaker Digestive Cordial as made by the Mount Lebanon Shakers contains food already digested and is a digester of foods as well. Its action is prompt and its effects permanent.

HORTICULTURE.

A MARKETING WAGON.

Good Thing for Farmers Who Sell Their Own Produce.

Many gardeners and farmers have discovered that much more money is made by selling their produce at first hands from door to door than by selling to merchants or commission men. A convenient wagon is of the greatest importance if one is thus to market his produce. Such a wagon is shown in the cut given herewith. It is "low-hung," and has its lower part boxed in and floored over. Access is had to this inclosed space by raising the driver's seat in front, by a door on each side in

MARKETING WAGON.

the middle, and by two doors in the rear. At one side two drawers are shown. One of these is most convenient for carrying the flat parchment covered prints of butter to market, carrying the drawer to the customer's door to avoid handling. The other can be used for eggs, using the ordinary pasteboard fillers placed one upon another. The rear can have drawers or not, according to the nature of the produce to be carried. Above the rear doors are two metal "open work" doors, that hold in the vegetables or other articles that are piled in loosely in the wagon's top. The center of this top space is easily reached from the canvas door in either side. The top is, of course, covered with canvas, and should have the name of the farm painted upon each side, with the nature of the goods carried. This will advertise and enlarge one's trade.—American Gardening.

PLANTING FORESTS.

Hundred Men Can Plant 1,000 Acres in About 30 Days.

Robert Douglas, the pioneer nurseryman of Waukegan, Ill., has shown by his own experience that it is not only easy to plant a forest of 100 or 1,000 acres in a season, but that it is also possible to make it pay—for the planter—that is. It pays richly for the owner later. He is not inclined to glorify the European forestry, as some of our Americans do. If the Europeans had the task of setting out forests upon our treeless western prairies, they would find it harder than maintaining a standing army.

Americans can, however, manage the task, because they do things by the large. They cultivate by horse and steam power instead of by hand power. The forest trees should be planted in rows and tended like orchard trees. In selecting trees to plant those native to the locality, if there are any, should have first consideration, as these will surely thrive best. Many growths that do well in the east are not suitable for the west. "Western trees for western planting" is the motto, because western trees are the surest. The green ash, for instance, makes a fine and vigorous growth in the west, while in the east the white ash is far superior to it. The chestnut has been thoroughly tried in the west, and has been found wanting. The pines and other conifers of the Pacific slope will not grow at all in the prairie belt, although the conifers of the Rocky mountains will.

Mr. Douglas finds that 100 men can plant 1,000 acres of forest in 30 days. The ground should, however, have been previously prepared. Either autumn or spring will do for the planting. In spring the seeds of the trees should be sown so soon as frost is out of the ground. By fall they will have made a growth sufficient for transplanting to the forest that is to be. Forty acres will grow seedlings enough to plant 1,000 acres.

The farmers of Kansas have set out in the past few years 147,340 acres of forest. Among them are 11,500 acres of black walnut, 12,486 acres of maple, 2,637 acres of honey locust and 55,553 acres of cottonwood. The cottonwood grows the quickest and makes fuel for the farmer sooner than any of the others, hence his preference for it. Land prepared as for corn planting will grow the seedlings.—Norwich (N. Y.) Sun.

Calendar for Fruit Growers.

W. N. Mitchell, commercial freight agent of the B. & O. R. R. in Atlanta, has just issued a very unique calendar for the fruit and vegetable growers of the southern states. It is one of the cleverest methods of advertising that has been put out in the south. It is full of attractive illustrations, and also contains a complete almanac and pictures of the watermelons sent by Mr. Mitchell to presidential candidates McKinley, Bryan and Levering. The B. & O. has become a large factor in the handling of southern produce and fruits for the eastern market.

Hint for Orchard Planters.

Inexperienced orchard planters usually manifest an inclination to plant large trees; whereas an old and successful planter would probably select one or two-year-old trees. The latter are, we think, more certain to grow, and often make the more symmetrical appearance, for the orchardist can begin their training at an earlier age. Large trees lose more of their fibrous roots when moved than do smaller ones, therefore do not take hold upon the soil so readily nor grow off so vigorously.—Agricultural Epitomist.

ABOUT TRANSPLANTING.

Some of the Important Points Which Must Not Be Neglected.

There are three essential items to be looked after in transplanting. They are puddling, compacting and protecting. A failure to give either properly will affect the growth of the plants. When properly done puddling is preferable to watering. The soil used in puddling should be a rich loam. If in addition one-third of it is well-rotted and fined cow manure or good commercial fertilizer all the better. Dip only a few plants at a time, so that the roots of each plant can be well covered with the rich mud. Make the hole large enough and deep enough to take in the plant without bending or twisting the roots. The depth that the plant should be set will depend upon the way it has grown; generally it will be safe to set the plant down to the first leaf. When grown thick in a close bed the plants often make a long, spindling growth, and if not set deep a good percentage of them will die.

Compact the soil close around the roots. The roots must come in close contact with the soil or the plant will die. It is too often the case in transplanting that a hole is made with a sharpened stick, the roots of the plants are dropped in, the soil is pressed around the stem of the plant with the point of the stick, while the roots barely touch the soil, if they touch it at all, and the plants die.

When the weather is warm and the soil rather dry, in many cases it will be a help if the plant bed is thoroughly watered two or three hours before taking up the plants.

It will be best to take up the plants and set them out late in the evening. This will give them all night to recuperate from the change.

When the plants have been growing in a close, protected bed it is quite a change to set them out all alone and often a little protection will be of material help. This may be given either by drawing a little mound of earth around the plant with the hand when the transplanting is done or by covering with a large leaf of some kind for a day or two.

When the weather is hot and the soil is dry it will be best to water for two or three nights after setting out. Always use water that has had the chill taken off and thoroughly wet the soil around the roots.—St. Louis Republic.

PLANTING TOMATOES.

The Right Way to Set Out Weak and Spindling Plants.

Young tomato plants, when growing up thickly in hotbeds or flats, will invariably become spindling and weak. If planted out in the usual way they have either to be inserted so deep that the roots will come in direct contact with the poorer subsoil, or the stems bend over and the tops fall upon the

HOW TO PLANT TOMATOES.

surface of the ground and will never make strong healthy plants. Of course strong, short, stocky plants are the best to set out, but if these cannot be had spindling plants may be made just as serviceable if planted as shown in our illustration. By this method the fine roots are nearer to the surface and the part of the stem underground will soon strike additional roots, thus giving the plant still more sustenance and nourishment.—Orange Judd Farmer.

ORCHARD PICKINGS.

A uniform production of fruit cannot be received from wet, heavy ground.

With strawberries, flavor, color and firmness are of more importance than size.

Profit in fruit culture has its beginning in the careful selection of the very best varieties.

In planting strawberries for market select varieties that will give a long season of ripening.

On the farm the first object in planting fruit should be to furnish the family with a good supply.

The tree that bears a great crop of small fruit exhausts itself by having to produce an undue proportion of seeds.

Young trees will start into vigorous growth after transplanting with less check than older ones would experience.

A trellis made with three strands of wire, bracing the end posts thoroughly, is the best for grape vines.—Western Plowman.

Soot as a Fertilizer.

Soot is a great fertilizer, as it contains ammonia salts, and a liberal dressing may be given and forked in while dry. Soot and sulphate of iron have been used as a means of producing higher color in apples, and with apparently good results. Where tanks exist for catching the drainage from farmyards, stables and houses, the liquid forms a valuable aid to fruit culture. Fruit trees and brush fruits standing in need of a stimulant may be watered with the liquid until the soil is saturated. Raspberry plantations always appreciate attention in this direction and never fail to give a good account of themselves afterwards. If it is not needed in the garden it may be given to the orchard trees, pouring it on the surface of the grass round the trees and as far as the branches extend. If there are any doubts as to the liquid being too strong it can be diluted with water.—Western Plowman.

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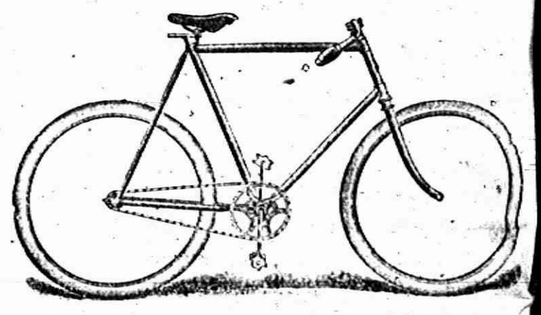

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BRITTON.

Bachman of Toledo visited rel- and friends here Sunday.

Wabsh station Agt., W. J. Clark d in a nice new uniform June 1st.

Chas. Maybee is enjoying the of her sister from Adrian this

mber of the old veterans attend- decoration services at Dundee y.

Edwards of Dundee, was enter- by Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Good- unday.

. Helm and family attended the n family picnic at Sand Lake turday.

Pocklington of Hotel Pocking- ndee, was greeting old friends Tuesday.

Gardner of Lawton, was the f his daughter, Mrs. Deyo and the first of the week.

Thackray and daughters are rateful for the kind offices of in their hours of need.

Kishpaugh and wife attended ation service at St. John's Epis- hurch, Clinton, Monday evening.

les H. Goodrich, and G. Lavern assisted the Dundee band at oration day exercises there y.

Deyo preaches the Baccalaurate n before the graduating class at reet school house Sunday even- ne 13th.

Y. P. S. C. E. service at the Re- d church Sunday evening, will be Miss Minnie Francis. Topic, e as a Christian's tool.

and Mrs. Daniel Allen and daugh- nnie of Ridgeway, and Mr. and ern Allen of Toledo, were guests l Allen and family Saturday.

Maybee and wife, while riding new tandem Sunday afternoon, header on the Exelby House ls, they escaped without injury

ay at the Christian church, Rev. eyo will preach on the following Morning, "Formal Christianty its impared life." evening, ou or the professional gossip."

n Ousterhout made a flying Whiteford Center Monday after- his wheel. He covered the 22 less than two hours which over s as they are now, was making me.

was a meeting of the Johnson t Exelby Hall Tuesday after- hich called quite a company he surrounding towns. Adrian, e, Ypsilanti, and Tecumseh were ented.

cked nine from our ball players the Tecumseh aggregation on rounds Saturday afternoon and erally played alive, they were from first to last, if they had elt it has vanished.

Haight and Co. have sold a of wheels recently. Among hasers were Amos and Clifford ool, Walter Exelby, Maynard and Lyman Ousterhout. They d tandems to George Clark and aybee.

lay, Ezra Sink's faithful and horse thought to change the y of every day life and succeed- a went to back her at the barn a ladder, when she quickly n on the cross bar and the con- was badly wrecked.

tion day, in spite of its unpro- howry dawning, was duly cele- and. with a few slight excep- cording to the program as ly announced. The rain—or understanding—dampened the the band so that no brazen (no meant on the style of that usic, but simply reference to uments) music was heard. At . the Eaton Post and the Re- s formed in line at the G. A. R. rters and marched to the Re- church, where they listened to g address by Pastor Nickerson, e scripture passage "For God n us a banner to be displayed of the truth." Following the divisions of the text, he dis on. 1st, the significance of the . "God has given us." There ning in the slightest thing that that renders it important and t necessary for us to search it cond, The purpose of the gift— o be displayed." This means y parade, but fighting and fol- e banner on to complete vic- ird, The occasion of the gift— cause of the truth." Christ is and it is into his battle that you now; veterans honorably d from your country's service sted in a warfare from cording to Solomon, there is rge but death. The chancel church was handsomely fully decorated with the flags est and Relief Corp, crossed, ulpit was also enveloped in a copy of old glory. To these nd their national significance reference was made by the The church well filled rnest, attentive audience, the church choir furnished excel- ctions and Mr. Ferwerda, the vangelist, a thrilling solo. In oon, the Post and many other roceeded to the cemetery and the soldiers' graves with na- utiful floral emblems. In the large audience filled every pace in the audience room of lan church and listened to a nd patriotic address by Rev. The address was somewhat beaten track followed on such was original in its concep- full of valtable thoughts. erson and Wright also par- n the service and the Britton ette furnished music for the

Will Helm is treating his house to a fresh coat of paint.

At the Reformed church next Sunday morning the pastor will administer the Lord's supper, and in the evening will preach on the topic, "The way of the transgressors is hard." Preaching at DeSpelder church at 2:30 p. m.

White Frank Yates was out with his fine span of cleveland bay colts Tuesday they became frightened by C. J. & M. train west of town and ran furiously through town, and before he could control them they ran fully 1 1-2 miles. No damage was done.

The graduating exercises of the Britton High School Class for 1897 was held at Exelby Hall last evening and were very pleasant. While the class was small, numbering but three, it was purely masculine, something very unusual. Clarence Hause, Lafayette Segar, and Clarence Boyd, received their diplomas, Rev. Deyo made the address, which was listened to attentively by the large company present and was replete with encouragement for higher education.

The familiar face of Joseph Thackray will no more be seen among us, he having joined the great majority. He was an old resident, this having been his home for forty years. The past year he has been poorly and had several very sick spells the end came Monday shortly after noon and was peaceful. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. James Wright conducting the services. The bearers were members of his old company, Co. F. Eaton post G. A. R. attended in a body and at the cemetery used their burial ritual. The widow and two daughters Mrs. Wm. Nivison and Wesley Lester survive him.

RIDGEWAY.

B. F. DePuy made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday of last week.

The church and library are receiving a thorough renovating this week.

Supervisor C. L. Lowe was at the county seat Tuesday, on business.

L. H. Barrett is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowe.

S. J. Gould, wife and neice, Miss Bertha Richard, ride "Crown Queens."

Arthur Palmer, of Adrian, spent a few days with his uncles last week.

Maggie Cheever, of Detroit, is spending the week with her sister Emma.

Willie Fletcher and Mrs. C. A. Pocklington are very sick with the measles.

W. F. Clack, of Clinton, came over on his wheel Sunday, and called on friends.

Mrs. David Allison and Claude, of Stony Creek, visited friends here Tuesday.

Miss Mary Conlin, of Adrian, visited her uncle, Harry Smith, during the past week.

Lafe Rinebold and son, Russell, of Toledo, called on friends the first of the week.

Lizzie Steltzer rides a "Crescent" purchased of Satterthwaite Bros., Tecumseh.

Several from here attended the memorial exercises at Tecumseh Sunday aftereoon.

Miss Maggie Barnes, of Milan, visited her friend Mrs. Elmer Linn last week Thursday.

General Freight Agent Cook, of the C. J. & M., was up from Toledo last week Thursday.

The first D. & L. N. passenger train passed through the village Monday, bound for Detroit.

Elmer Smith, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks with tonsilitis, is able to be out again.

There was a large attendance at the church to hear Rev. Cansfield's address to the graduating class of '97.

Harry Smith and Cyrus Underwood, wife and daughter, went to Toledo on the excursion Monday.

Arthur Mapes and Estella Barnes drove to Geneva Saturday to see Mr. Barnes' mother, who is very sick.

Undertaker S. P. Smith had charge of the funeral of Elias Brown at his home in Raisin, Sunday afternoon.

Marvin Pattison, who is staying on the farm, is putting needed repairs on the house. Looks a little suspicious.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman visited her brothers, Charles Clark at Legoneer and A. B. Clark of Elkhart, Ind., last week.

James Murphy, class of '96, with his friend Eugene Guinan, of Manchester, called on former schoolmates Monday.

Rev. E. B. Bancroft, agent for Albion college, will speak on "Christian Education" at the church next Sunday evening.

Lulu Rappleye visited her uncle, Lafayette Rappleye, Thursday of last week, on her way from Hudson to her home at Ypsilanti.

Emma Birdsall rides a wheel which she procured of the W. C. Baker Spice Company, of Springfield, Mass., for selling groceries and spices.

The village schools close this week Friday with exercises at the school house in the afternoon and commencement exercises at the church in the evening.

The members of the farmers' club will hold their annual picnic in Minor Davidson's grove about the middle of June, when a very interesting program will be presented.

Children's day will be observed one week from Sunday. The pastor will give an appropriate address in the morning and in the evening a program will be rendered by the members of the Sunday-school.

Charles Foote and his family left Tuesday for Genesee county, N. Y., to spend a month with relatives. Mr. Foote will attend the Dutch Reformed general Synod, held at Asbury Park, N. J., during his absence.

The commencement cards for the graduating class are beauties. The class motto is "We've reached the bay in safety, the ocean lies in view." Class colors, white and blue; The class consists of two gentlemen and two ladies.

CONE.

Miss Elith Ray is home from Tecumseh for a few weeks.

Martin Dennison was a Detroit visitor last wednesday.

J. C. Cone was in Ann Arbor last Saturday on business.

Miss Tina Ellis visited friends at Pentecost over Sunday.

Joshua Kent and wife of Rea, visited at Mr. J. C. Cone's last Friday.

Willie, the youngest son of J. M. Auten is quite sick with bilious fever.

Miss Ellen Richardson visited her cousin, Mrs. Emma Curry last Tuesday.

Mr. J. D. Smith and family of Dundee, visited Thomas Caswell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auten visited friends in Tecumseh last Saturday and Sunday.

Eddie St. George of Tecumseh, visited his sisters Mrs. Kate Ball and Mrs Minnie Early last week.

The ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Stella Smith, Wednesday, June 16th, all are cordialy invited to attend.

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LITERARY NOTES.

June is the month for Photography and as an aid to interest it is well to read the Photographic Times for this month. Timely topics there are in great abundance and the Photogravure "Chums" is a wonder.

The American Journal of Photography is always a welcome guest to the photographer and the June number is no exception. Full of good things.

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Woman stands as the sacred guardian of future homes and our nation's prosperity, and to her must we look for true reforms. To her standard must society come. Let her be sure to place it high and keep it pure, and make it apply impartially to all people. Let her keep out those whom she knows fall short of her standard, and never condone in the stronger sex what she condemns in the weaker. Let her think not to elevate society by hiding or condoning the evils which surround her on every side, but only by shutting out those whom she has found it impossible to raise to her standard. Then future generations will arise who will bless her for their heritage, instead of cursing her for their misery.—DWIGHT L. MOODY in June Ladies Home Journal.

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The June number of the North American Review contains a remarkably clever article on "Popular Errors in Living," by Dr. Charles W. Purdy, who maintains that it is high time more widespread and efficient measures were adopted for the purpose of educating the general public in those physiological laws, the observance of which most surely conserve the bodily health, erect the strongest barriers against the encroachments of disease, and thus conduce to the attainment of long life.

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To those now planning their summer vacations, the "Recreation Number" of The Outlook (its Magazine number for June) offers special attractions, and is full of useful hints. Delightfully illustrated articles on possible vacations, lists of coming summer schools and meetings, remarkably full information about summer resorts and routes of travel everywhere—all this and much more is included in the nearly or quite 200 pages. This is the eighth—and best—of The Outlook's popular summer Recreation Numbers. $3.00 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.

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Albert Shaw, author of "Municipal Government in United States," writes of the new Greater New York Charter in the June Atlantic. He makes an interesting comparative study of municipal government in different countries, and comes to the conclusion that the government of American cities is much more complicated than it need be, and that one of the greatest weaknesses of the new New York Charter is its complexity and the likelihood that it will be interfered with by continued legislative action.

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For significance, variety and interest of matter, and beauty of illustration, there rarely issues a magazine equal to the June number of McCLURE'S. Professor Langley's account of his ten years of hard study and experiment in the construction of flying machines, crowned at last with a machine that actually solves the problem and proves "mechanical flight" to be both possible and practicable, is a positive contribution to science; but it is at the same time a most interesting story of heroic patience and effort directed to a noble end. The paper is illustrated with pictures of Professor Langley's own machine (the only flying-machine that has ever flown) made under his direction.

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The Arena for June is not prehaps quite so varied in its contents as usual, but it probably more than makes up for this feature by an unusually full and thorough discussion of several important topics. The number leads off with a paper by the Hon. James D. Phelan, Mayor of San Francisco, on "Municipal Conditions in California," in which he makes a strong plea for the exercise of more rigid control over private corporate monopolies, such as those which control the street-car service, lighting, water supply, etc. This paper concludes the valuable series of articles on Municipal Reform, written by various city mayors, which have been appearing in The Arena during the past few months.

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The more London entertains, the bigger and happier it grows, and the better the entertainers are liked. Since the days of Robin Hood, Englishmen have appeared best at table. There are banqueting halls of all ages and sizes in every part of London. The proper place for a boar's head or an enemy's flag was always in the dining-hall. No better use could possibly be made of a captured vessel than to turn the best part of it into a dining table, and probably the most that is left of the Spanish Fleet now ornaments the main hall in the Inner Temple.—From "London Salons," by C. D. Gibson, in the June Scribner's.

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The June Chautauquan is a veritable storehouse of interesting reading. Among the articles contributed are "Paris the Magnificent," profusely illustrated, and "Historic Concord," in which Bishop John F. Hurst gives pleasing recollections of his visit to the homes of Emerson, Thoreau, and Hawthorne and other interesting spots, also portrayed by excellent half-tone reproductions. In the Woman's Council Table Eben E. Rexford's seasonable paper on "Annual Flowers and their Culture" and Mrs. L. Vance-Phillips, "China Painting in America" are of especial interest to women. The entire number will be read with profit by old and young.

Much has been said of late about the prevalence of eye disorders among American children, but very little has been done in the direction of pratical reform. One of the few hopeful movements on this line is that recently organized in the Minneapolis public schools under the direction of Dr. Frank Allport, who contributes to the June Review of Revie ws a valuable and suggestive account of what has been accomplished there.

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There are no particular changes to chronicle in the shapes of parasols, but they are made of all possible fabrics, and the styles of trimming them are legion. The only dressy ones that are untrimmed are coaching parasols, all the pretty taffetas are used for these,—figured, changeable, and checked, but the handsomest are of moire velours and satin, in all the brightest hues of the rainbow. Even artificial flowers are heaped upon these with only a less lavish hand than upon hats, and ribbons also are an important feature. Transparent fabrics and thin silks are also made in the new sun-plaitings, which radiate from the center, and are named "Sunburst Parasols."—From Demorest's Magazine for June.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY,—ss.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY

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Wherever it has been introduced, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin leads all other remedies in curing Constipation, Indigestion and Sickheadache. It only costs 10 cents for trial size (9 doses for 10 cents). Large sizes 50c. and $1.00. Orr & Temple.

The postoffice at Harperville, Marquette county, Mich., has been discontinued. Mail will go to Ispheming

Itching Piles, night's horrid plague, is instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment. Your dealer ought to keep it.

COMIC OPERA.

New Croswell Opera House, Adrian—Week of June 14.

The Mac Kay Comic Opera Co. will occupy the boards of the New Croswell Opera House, Adrian, during the week of June 14th. The troupe numbers 25 people and will give a week of comic opera at popular prices—10, 20, 30 and 50 cents. All the standard comic opera successes are sung by this organization. They are appearing before crowded houses this week at Bay City. It is the intention of the management to run one or two excursions on the Detroit and Lima Northern for this event. We trust that sufficient interest may be developed in Tecumseh to make the special trains an assured fact.

Even chronic diarrhoea succumbs to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, nature's own specific for all bowel complaints.

It Is A Curse.

Constipation is a curse, and afflicts too great a proportion of the American people. It robs men of their energy, women of their beauty, children of their life and playfulness. Do you want relief? Then try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin—as pleasant to take as pure maple syrup and pleasing in its action. Ten doses, 10c, (large sizes 50c and $1) of J. J. Orr, druggist, Tecumseh.

A killing frost visited the vicinity of Waukegan, Ill., Tuesday night, doing much damage to early fruits and vegetables.

The Greatest Country On Earth.

The Land of Promise is down South in the eight great Southern States penetrated by the Southern Railway. One way settler's tickets and round trip excursion tickets are sold by lines leading south in connection with the Southern Railway to give people a chance to see that Great Country. The Southern Railway runs to Ashville and Hot Springs, N. C., "The Land of the Sky," America's Great Resort of Health and Pleasure. Through vestibule trains from Cincinnati and Louisville via Queen & Cresent Route to Knoxville, Ashville Columbia Savannah and Jacksonville.

At a mass meeting at Willow, Mich., 400 bushels of corn were contributed for the starving people in India.

Have you earache, toothache, sore throat, pains or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will bring relief almost instantly.

Through Sleeping Car Line Between Detroit And Louisville.

On May 30, 1897, the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Pennsylvania Lines, will reopen the line of through Sleeping Cars inaugurated last season between Detroit and Louisville via Logansport, leaving Detroit daily at 3:20 P. M., and Louisville at 9:05 P. M. Direct connections are made at Louisville for all points south, and at Detroit with lake and rail lines for the summer resorts of the North.

A marble column surmounted by a statute of Lincoln stands in front of the district courthouse at Washington.

Penny Wise and Pound Foolish

are they who have not Foley's Colic Cure as a safeguard in the family. John J. Orr.

The firm that compiles the Chicago Directory says it indicates a population of 1,800,000 this year.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 2nd day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Hayden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the Real Estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of June 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks, and hope kindness and generosity may be bestowed upon all our neighbors and friends with as liberal a hand as it has been bestowed upon us through the sickness and death of our husband and father.

MRS. E. BROWN,
AND FAMILY.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, special session of May 31, 1897.

Present, the entire council, with exception of H. Heesen.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The druggist bond of John J. Orr, duly executed, in the penal sum of $2,000, with James A. Boyd and George W. Knapp as sureties, approved.

The liquor dealer's bond of Frank Wallinger, duly executed, in the penal sum of $3,500, with M. E. Conklin and E. G. Cook as sureties, presented for approval. Moved that the bond of Frank Wallinger, with sureties named, be approved. Carried.

The assessment roll of the village for 1897, duly certified by board of review, was presented for approval. Said roll showed a property valuation of $1,264,375. Moved that said roll be approved. Carried.

Moved that the sum of $8,218.43, which is 6½ mills on the dollar valuation, be raised for general funds of the village for the year 1897, and that the President and clerk certify the said assessment roll to the village assessor to spread said amount on the roll. Carried—Yeas, trustees Lowry, Wright, Orr, Eldridge, J. Heesen. Nays, none.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Tried to Kill His Family.

Grand Rapids, May 29.—Jacob Walsh went home at eight o'clock Friday night shot his wife in the head, chased his daughter out of doors, and then returning, found his wife still alive. He lifted her from the floor and shot her again and went downstairs, where he was arrested an hour later drunk. He is a stationary engineer, about 50 years old. The wife will die.

Faith Cure Fails to Work.

Benton Harbor, May 27.—Miss Ruth Moore died of brain trouble. She had been ill for two weeks, but the parents have been trying to cure her by the faith treatment, and would not allow a physician to administer medicine. This is the second case which has occurred here recently, and much indignation is felt.

Some Other Season.

Kalamazoo, May 27.—Now that the Battle Creek, Kalamazoo & Gull Lake electric road is not to be built this season, owing to scarcity of money, railroad men are said to be planning to unite several Michigan cities by electric lines, including Jackson, Battle Creek, Lansing and Kalamazoo.

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You can find the best of everything in the meat line. Choice cuts from fat cattle.

Price always the lowest

Many beautiful - -

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Best repairing a specialty.

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All work called for and delivered.

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Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring. I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

Quicker and Cheaper,

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Call and see me.

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C. A. Wright.

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Goods now in order. We are showing a very nice line Balbrigan and Jean

Underwear at 25c and 50

Colored, Negligee and Fa bosomed shirts on display

A full line of bicycle suit sweaters, stockings and bel very cheap.

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FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done at G. W. Bly's, second house west of Abner Wilson's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

CELERY FARMS—In Pasco and DeLoto counties, Florida; also farms and lands in all states for sale and exchange. Write to JOSEPH POLLARD, Jr., Washington, Iowa.

WANTED—Washing and ironing to do at home; also family sewing. MRS. BELLE REESE. In McCowen house on Pottawatamie street.

FOR RENT—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

FOR SALE—A brood sow with seven pigs at my farm in Franklin. LEVI L. BOWEN.

Base Ball!

The Atlantis base ball club of

Ypsilanti,

vs.

Tecumseh.

At Bills' Driving Park, Tecumseh,

Saturday, June 5

Game called at 3:00 p. m,

Admission 15 cents,

Grand Stand 10c.

Ladies to grand stand free.

J. J. Freeman went to Detroit Wednesday for a few days.

Mrs. O. P. Bills is spending the week with friends in Detroit.

The Si Plunkard company will be at Sutton's opera house June 9th.

Walter Burridge had legal business that called him to Adrian Wednesday.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Tansley's.

Mrs. S. E. Austin is building a greenhouse at her residence on Shawnee street.

Mrs. George Mize, who has been seriously ill for the past three weeks, is reported as improving.

Ellsworth Rexom, who is attending school at Flint, returned home Wednesday for the summer vacation.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday evening by Rev. C. M. Brown at the Presbyterian church.

A rare treat is in store for all lovers of fun next Wednesday night, at the Opera house Si Plunkard will be there.

Until July 1st, you can obtain Mantello size photo's for 99cts. per dozen at Miss Daly's.

The Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., which attempted to play under canvas Tuesday evening, was rank in every particular.

Frank Wallenger has worked a great transformation in what was known as the Lon Henry house, opposite the HERALD office.

Mrs. Mary J. Garlinghouse, Bert and G. H. Garlinghouse and O. B. Finch attended the funeral of David Garlinghouse at Napoleon today.

The annual inspection of Company C, occurred at the Armory Wednesday evening, a detailed account of which will appear in the HERALD of next week.

Just examine my prices and my goods and the rest I will leave with you.
G. H. TANSLEY.

There will be an excursion to Detroit Sunday, via the D. & L. N. It leaves leaves here at 12:40 p. m., and returning leaves Detroit at 6 p. m. Fare $1.25 for the round trip.

Mr. Bowerman, who lives on the Bramble farm, was the victim of a runaway Monday evening. His horse was frightened by a bicycle and made things interesting for a short time. Broken harness was the total damage.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
A large polished Stand, 1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
A polished oak Dining Set, 7.00
A Sewing Rocker, 1.00
A large Arm Rocker, 2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker, 3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk, 2.50
Our Couches are beauties at 10.00
A large line of Window shades at 30c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.
WHEELER & SISSON.

The annual meeting of the Alumni will be held at the Armory Friday evening, June 11th. The officers and appointments for the year are as follows:—

Pres.—Abner Wilson.
1st Vice Pres.—Maggie Haire.
2nd " " —Minnie Russell
Sec'y—Edith Ingersoll.
Treas.—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Orator—Garland Gillespie.
Alternate—Clarence Hurry.
Poet—Mrs. C. A. Wright.
Alternate—A. O. Howard.
Historian—Loana M. Davidson.
Alternate—Anna May Bailey.
Toastmaster—L. G. North.
Alternate—F. B. Wood.
Executive Com.—R. S. Moore, Lavern Smith, L. P. Tribou.

Landlord Patterson was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Will Mobbs was in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. D. P. Wheeler is spending the week at Blissfield.

Avery & Co. have a new Stimpson scale, the latest pattern.

Newest styles new millinery at Mrs. Freeman's. Call and see.

Rev. Fr. Kennedy plays with the Ypsilanti boys here tomorrow.

Mrs. John Freeman went to Elkhart Monday for a few days' visit.

Will Caldwell came up from Toledo to spend Sunday with his people.

Ernest M. Coller was a passenger to Detroit on the D. & L. N. Monday.

Mrs. Charles Cummins, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hettie Brewer.

Come in and get a free sample of lemon and vanilla extract at Parrish's.

Henry Haines, of Buffalo, N. Y., has been visiting in Tecumseh for several days.

James Wilson joined his family, who are visiting at N. M. Sutton's, Monday for a short visit.

Battery for Ypsilanti tomorrow afternoon, Haight and Dewey: Tecumseh, Harris and Gillen.

Miss Franc Snell, who has been quite ill, is better, and will soon be at her place in the HERALD office.

During Mr. Blachford's absence Revs. Channer, of Adrian, and Albion, of will attend to any special work of St. Peter's parish.

Mae Cody Reynolds, who put on the play "Caprice" in March, was married to Mr. Harry Langdon, at Three Rivers, April 15th last.

Subjects at the Baptist church, Sunday June 6th: morning, "Some Things Hard to Swallow;" evening, "Coincidence of Providence."

Rev. David Lewis has gone to Chicago for a few days and his pulpit will be filled Sunday morning by Rev. George Westgate, of Raisin Center.

John Hanley, who was so severely cut with an ax some little time ago, is now fully recovered and on the road again attending to business.

Savings depositors in the Tecumseh States Savings Bank are requested to bring their bank books to the bank, and interest due June 1st will be credited to accounts.

Miss Loana Davidson, who for the past year has been teaching at Niles, has been engaged for another year. Before going to Niles she taught at Traverse city for five years.

Notwithstanding the excursion train Monday was several hours late, quite a number from here went to Detroit on it, and every train from there Tuesday brought home some of the sightseers.

Owing to the baccalaureate address Sunday evening, the announcement for the friends church is cancelled. The Alexander quartette will be announced later for some future Sabbath evening.

Harris & Hiteshu make special announcement this week of goods suitable for commencement season. Their stock is complete in every department and prices low enough to suit everybody.

Rev. W. R. Blachford and family left Tuesday morning for Canada. Mrs. B. and the children will spend the summer with her parents at Hamilton. Mr. Blachford's address for two months will be Edmonton Alberta, Canada.

John Gaston, who in company with some others took in the excursion to Detroit Monday, in some way got lost in the shuffle there, and had he not been properly labeled no knowing when he would have reached home.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. A. B. Smith's during the month of June. All who feel an interest in flower mission work and can contribute flowers for the day will kindly leave them at Mrs. Smith's on Tuesday June 8th.

See my special bargains in crockery, china and glassware. They must be sold. G. H. TANSLEY.

Dr. W. C. Walker, of Detroit, will again be at the Lilley House, Friday June 18th. The doctor has visited Tecumseh for some time and the good he is doing is really astonishing. All those suffering from any chronic trouble should call and see him. Remember the date.

Stephen Whittier died at his home in this village Wednesday at 5 p. m., of consumption, aged 65 years. The funeral was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, from the residence. Mr. Whittier has lived in Tecumseh 50 years and was widely known and respected. A suitable sketch of his life will appear in this paper next week.

The base ball management have expressed themselves as being much disappointed with the result of the game with Britton last Saturday, saying they world much preferred to have lost a good game. We are assured, however, that tomorrow's game will be a good one as the Ypsilanti boys have the reputation of being good ball players, and will probably make the home team hustle. The cost of bringing the Ypsilanti team here is considerable, and a large attedance is needed to pay expenses. Turn out and see a good game.

Elias Brown an old resident of Raisin, died last Friday. Mr. Brown was born March 11th, 1832, in Lodi, Seneca county, N. Y. The funeral was held at the home in Raisin Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. C. Andrus officiating. Mr. Brown was a plain man and won many friends by his honest, sincere ways. He leaves a widow and six children, three sons and three daughters, all grown to manhood and womanhood. For many years the family have have been connected with the Universalist church of this place, being of its first supporters. They have the sympathy of a large circle of friends, who show by deeds, as well as words, their sympathy.

Bug Finish, 2 cents a pound, at Parrish's.

Mrs. Joe VanNess has been, and is still very ill.

Next week the Masonic bodies hold their regular meetings.

At Masonic temple this evening, there will be 3rd degree work.

Dr. Stevenson of Adrian was calling on patients in Tecumseh Monday.

James Dunseath of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday with his people.

L. A. Babcock, Britton's efficient Post master, was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Bert Tribou was over from Detroit from Saturday until Tuesday with his people.

William Smith has received an increase in pension from $17.00 to $24.00 per month.

Mrs. E. R. Crossman, and Mrs. Wm. Ide were called to Britton, Tuesday on business.

The Commencement exercises will be held at the Opera house Thursday evening, June 10th.

Remember that Mrs. M. A. Freeman is agent for the Cresco corset, the best fitting garment made.

Mrs. Martha Stowill of Dundee, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rising this week.

Adamson Bro's will receive the Detroit Sunday paper Sunday morning. Leave your order.

Mrs. Will Cutter and young daughter of Adrian has been visiting Mrs. Fred Aldrich this week.

Messers Park, Hart, and Shaw, came over from Adrian Tuesday to visit the Lamb Bro's plant here.

Gus Rowland and family came up from Toledo Saturday and spent a few days among Tecumseh friends.

J. S. Brailey was in town Wednesday collecting subscriptions to the Lima Northern. He will return soon.

Harry Pattison went up to Napoleon Saturday, to arrange and decorate the Pulver lot in the cemetery there.

Mrs. E. B. Wood returned home Monday from a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Ed Baird and Julia at Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. A. J. Bigelow, and her mother, Mrs. S. A. Powers of Flint, Mich, have been the guests of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Baker of Adrian, and Dr. and Mrs. Hewitt of Watertown N. Y. were visitors at the residence of D. L. Rogers Sunday.

The Blue Rock Shoot at Bills track Wednesday after noon, called out a large number of sportsmen and quite a croud of spectators.

The last to buy wheels of Albert N. Lowry are, Vern Russell, W. F. Pocklington, Raynor Brewer, John Ellison, Tho's Lowry, and W. Chiverall.

Ex-Mayor Hunt of Adrian, chief engineer, L. C. Snell, and S. M. Brice of Lima Ohio, were here yesterday on business of the Lima Northern road.

The worthy matron desires the members of the Eastern Star Chapter to be at Masonic Hall promptly at 7 o'clock next Thursday evening, June 10th.

M. F. Stein, the optician, will return to Tecumseh next week and be at the Lilley House the 9th, 10th and 11th. It was impossible for him to accomplish all his work here this week.

David Garlinghouse, father of our townsman, D. B. and uncle of the Garlinghouse brothers, died at his home in Napoleon, Mich, Wednesday morning at the advanced age of 92 years. The funeral was held to day.

Lima Northern train leave Tecumseh station as follows;—Going North, 9: 58 a. m. 2: 50 p. m. 9: 15 p. m. Going South, 5: 50 a: m: 12: 25 p: m: 6: 22 p: m. Sunday train North, 11: 10 a: m. South, 7: 30 p:m.

The committee appointed to decorate the graves of deceased members of the Farmers Social Club, decided to defer doing the work until a later date. When flowers are more plentiful, the work can be done more satisfactory to the committee in charge.

At St. Peters Episcopal church, the services for June will be in the morning. Sunday School following. Bishop Davies has lisenced C. F. Field Lay Reader, and he will conduct services both here and at Clinton, during the absence of the Rector, W. R. Blachford.

The Jewel Carpet Renovator will take all dust and dirt out of carpets and rugs, take out all grease spots, fruit stains and coal soot, destroy moths and thoroughly disinfect carpets raise nap and restore colors, make old carpets and rugs as clean and bright as new, without injury to fabric or color and without taking carpets from the floor. Sold by J. J. ORR, TECUMSEH.

About sixty persons attended the May meeting of the F. S. club at Mrs. F. C. Rectors on the afternoon of May 27th. A short program was given but the usual discussion was omitted and the time spent in social intercourse. Refreshments were served at the close of the program, and every one put in the time until dusk in hearty visiting. The next gathering will be at Sand Lake on some date in June. A com. will look after the arrangements and give notice through the paper in due time.

Monday four ladies took a trip to the woods east of town, in search of flowers. two of them thought they would cross the C. J. & M. R.R. bridge. As they were about midway, along came a train what to do, they hardly knew, but decide they must, and that quickly. They could not reach land on either side so but one alternative presented itself, to get down and hang on till the train passed over, but it came to a stop, the engineer having seen them. The feelings of the ladies, as well as their companions on the bank, can be imagined but not described. Certain it is that none of them care to pass through a like experience.

Ralph Gillespie, son of R. B. Gillespie, was quite badly hurt yesterday morning in a runaway accident, it is hoped not seriously.—LATER: Ralph died at noon today.

Tuesday forenoon, while Matthew Boyd was loading gravel at the pit, the bank caved in, knocking him down and frightning the team. Just as he secured the reins, the hind wheel struck him and he went to the ground the second time, the wheal passing over him. Before he recovered from the shock, the team were going over the Bly bridge at a furious rate with a partial load of gravel. They would no donbt, if let alone, have brought up all right where the gravel was to go for cement walks, but they were stopped before reaching the place. Nothing pertaining to barness, wagon or team was injured. Boyd, though not seriously hurt, received several cuts and bruises on the head.

It has been the custom since the organization of the Wit and Wisdom club, at the end of the year's work to have a banquet, and Tuesday evening the third annual banquet was held at the pleasant home of Dr. and Mrs. Frost, on Logan street. The club numbers forty, no more, no less, and all were present with a very few others. It was an evening of rare social enjoyment and the hours sped as if by magic. As the company feasted on the delicacies prepared for them, sallies of wit were mingled with sayings of deep wisdom, demonstrating that the club was properly named. George W. Knapp and daughter furnished some fine music, Mrs. L. M. Kellogg favored them with some choice vocal selections, and the following responded to toasts: Prof. L. M. Kellogg, Dr. George Howell, C. F. Field and Mesdames C. A. Slayton, G. W. Knapp and Miss Mabel Wylie.

Ten cents worth of axle oil at Parrish's will go farther than 20 cents worth of axle grease. Try it.

The program for decoration day was carried out Sunday as given in last issue of the Herald. At 1 p.m. Beers Post and Company C marched to the cemetery and decorated the graves of their deceased comrades in the accustomed manner with the usual ceremonies, after which they repaired to the Opera house where the memorial services were held. Commander George Schwartz acted as chairman, chaplain Lemon Barnes, conducted the devotional part. A choir consisting of Messers Conklin, Strong, Tansley, and Mrs. Kellogg furnished music. The address by Hon. D. B. Morgan, claimed the closest attention of the audience which filled the house and was equal to any that has been delivered here. Although every thing was done quietly and without disblay, nothing was neglected and memorial day for 97 was properly and satisfactorly observed.

High School Happenings.

Final examinations began Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Turner of Hudson, visited Miss Ina Jackson at the High School Wednesday.

Miss Georgie Howe visited her old schoolmates in the Seventh and Eighth grades last Tuesday.

Tuesday, Miss Minnie Day of visited the A room, while Miss Edith Cotton was the guest of Leigh Pennington.

Twenty four boys and girls from the High School will drive over to Sand Lake to spend the day Saturday, that is if it dont rain.

We are sorry to learn that some of our teachers will leave us at the close of the year. Miss Monigan contemplated making her departure yesterday, but decided to remain another week, to the great joy of her small pupils.

The Senior Reception.

Friday, May 28th, was the evening of the Senior Reception, held at the home of Miss Agnes Eaton about two miles east of Tecumseh. The evening as usual was cold and threatened rain but every body turned out just the same, regardless of the weather. Japanese lanterns without and light and flowers within, formed a very pleasant welcome to the class of '98 after their cold, disagreeable drive. Nearly all having arrived, the gentlemen present, were consigned to a room by themselves and being choice asticles, were locked in. Early in the evening Will Hicks, acting as auctioneer, they were auctioned off to the highest bidders, and then chewing gum, cards and slips of paper with names of various animals on them. The chewing of the gum and manufacture of the animals from gum, occupied about an hour and strange indeed were some of the animals formed This interesting occupation was brought to a close by the announcement of the supper hour and the tables having been brought in light refreshments were served to the forty five guests. This having been satisfactorly accomplished, two of our talented Seniors gave a hypnotic exhibition to the admiring audience. Then twelve o'clock having struck some time since, a general rush for the dressing rooms was made with a hasty farewell, and many thanks to their entertainers for a royal good time.

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HIS MISSION WILL PROBABLY FAIL.

Senator McMillan Does Not Favor the Scheme—How Money Might Be Realized from the Island—Lively Michigan Postoffice Fight—Prominent Wolverines Who Were at the National Capital During the Past Week.

Washington, June 1.—Hon. Peter White of Marquette has been here for several days urging the Michigan senators and representatives to undertake congressional action looking to the re-establishment of Fort Mackinac, which has been deeded to the United States for garrison purposes. Authority for this was granted by the legislature last winter.

Peter White is one of the most honorable and respected citizens of Michigan and came here by authority of the Mackinac park board. He has been exceedingly diplomatic but urgent, and undoubtedly believes, as the park board believes, that the continuance of a fort on the island is a necessity.

The army appropriation bill of the Fifty-third congress made over Fort Mackinac to the state of Michigan about three years ago. At that time a syndicate was formed in Buffalo for the purpose of purchasing the island for private purposes. The Michigan senators, however, intervened and secured the park for the state, and so worded the law that no private syndicate should obtain possession.

No Strategic Necessity.

As a matter of fact there is no strategic necessity for the fort on the historic island. The army posts at Chicago, Detroit, and St. Marie have recently been enlarged, and consequently the government decided to abandon Fort Mackinac and the island.

The railroad and steamboat companies want the fort re-established because its existence would have a tendency to increase the number of summer visitors who use the transportation routes. It happens that Senator McMillan is president of a steamboat company, but that fact will not influence him in the matter. He will not favor the re-establishment of a fort on the island, and consequently it is likely that the mission of Peter White will result in failure.

Of course, Senator McMillan will have the settlement of the matter, because he is the senator from the eastern part of the state and Senator Burrows will not interfere. It is believed that Senator McMillan has in view an object which will ultimately result in the permanent beautification of the island and the maintenance of its parks and roadways by the national government.

The Purchase of Mackinac.

By act of congress the battlefields of Gettysburg and Chickamauga have been purchased and are to be permanently maintained. A bill is now pending to purchase the battlefields about Vicksburg. The condition of the treasury is such, however, that this bill is not likely to be passed at the present time. Senator McMillan has an idea that when the condition of the treasury is such as to warrant it something should be done to purchase one of the historic battlefields of the war of 1812, and when that time arrives the purchase of Mackinac will be considered, and will probably be carried through.

In the meantime the ground rents on Mackinac island can be increased in a legitimate manner and the park and roadway be maintained by the state of Michigan. Some of the cottages on the villa sites there are worth from $15,000 to $20,000, and instead of paying a ground rent of $20 to $25 per annum each of them should bring a rent of about $100 per year. With proper management it is believed that from $15,000 to $20,000 per annum might be realized from ground rents and the park be thus maintained.

Useful as Well as Interesting.

The post and barracks might be made useful as well as interesting by having the state militia regiments sent there, one after another, during the summer season to remain two or three weeks at a time; and that will probably be the ultimate outcome of the disposition of Mackinac island, posts, barracks, and park.

One of the liveliest postoffice fights that has agitated the postoffice department for some time is being waged in Maysville. There are seven candidates and each one of them is trying to demonstrate to the postmaster general that the other six candidates are incompetent. The term of the present incumbent will expire June 28, and in the meantime it will devolve upon Senator McMillan to name the man who shall be appointed. It is a pretty contest and the senator is as yet unable to decide who should receive his recommendation.

Michigan Visitors at Washington.

Among the Michigan visitors here during the past week were Alex. R. Avery of Port Huron, who confidently expects to be appointed collector of customs for the Huron district; E. P. Waldon of St. Johns, who is interested in the postoffice appointments of Clinton county, and who was successful in securing the lease for the St. Johns postoffice; W. H. Boyet and William K. Alden of Grand Rapids; S. D. McIntyre of Lansing, C. T. Burkhart of Adrain, A. A. Raymond of Detroit, the editor of the Mt. Pleasant Enterprise, and Professor Spenser of the Indian school at Mt. Pleasant. Charles Wright of Detroit, who is a prominent candidate for collector of internal revenue, was also here and had a short conference with Senator McMillan.

Henry R. Huntington of Benton Harbor, Edgar O. Shaw of Newaygo, and Ramsey Arthur of Schoolcraft were among the presidential postmasters appointed during the week.

Mrs. R. A. Alger has returned to Detroit for a short visit. Assistant Secretary Spaulding has been in New York for few days on business of the treasury department.

On Decoration Day at West Point General Alger, in his capacity as secretary of war, accepted the battle monument on behalf of the government and then gave it in the keeping of the authorities of the military academy.

Benjamin A. Harlan, one time probate judge of Kent county, has been appointed chief of the financial division of the pension office, with a salary of $2,000. He is secretary of the Michigan association, and has done a great deal to keep the Michigan people together in the national capital.

Across the river from the national capital, beneath the shade of trees, panoplied by the invisible but tangible perfume of millions of flowers, shepherded by the vigils of angels, in their last earthly bivouac, 20,000 soldiers of the republic sleep forever in Arlington cemetery. Not only on the beautiful May day do loving hearts and willing hands cover their graves with garlands, but upon every day of the year their eternal camping ground is visited, and skilled landscape gardeners make beautiful the mounds in which they lie. Some of them in life hungered and thirsted in Andersonville and Libbey; hungered and thirsted not alone for the bread of life and the pure waters of the wells, brooks and rivulets of their childhood, but hungered and thirsted for the love of the dear ones at home. Now that they are beyond all human help and sympathy, they have the love of a nation and the gratitude of all who worship heroism.

Today they have high honor; the hillside for their pall.
They lie in state, while angels wait, with stars for tapers tall.
The oaks and pines, like tossing plumes, over their mounds do wave.
And the sunlight of God, with love, kisses the sod, which grows green over each grave.
They were as noble soldiers as ever buckled sword.
They had as brave commanders as ever uttered word;
And never earth's philosopher traced with golden pen,
Upon the deathless page, truths half so sage, as they fought out for men.

It has been more than a quarter of a century since the inauguration of the custom of decorating the graves of the dead soldiers annually; and it is to be hoped that the custom may be continued forever. The passing of the years, however, makes a great change in the way people look at things. Decoration day is a legal holiday which has been uniformly observed by the veterans and by the people. But the manner of decorating the graves of the soldiers differs very materially from the first Decoration day, and the people have changed in their habits more than they would be willing to admit.

First Observance of the Day.

Many of us can remember the fact that when Decoration day was first observed, the poignant grief of the survivors of the war was an emotion to which all other feelings were subordinated. In those days the sight of the graves of the dead soldiers caused the grief of the people, the widows and orphans, and their friends, to break out afresh; and by reason of the fact that a majority of the women were clothed in black, the scenes on the grounds were usually exceedingly solemn. In those days young girls, dressed in white, distributed the flowers, this ceremonial making the contrast sharper, and bringing out in a stronger light the deep emotion of the mourning crowds that came together on those occasions.

Colonel Urell, past commander of the department of the Potomac, says: "I remember that in those days romantic things were constantly happening. Many persons who had been enemies in the years before the war, would be suddenly revealed to each other by some little act of common sympathy or impulse beside the grave of some friend, and their friendship would be renewed. I remember one case in particular where there had long been an alienation between two families caused by an elopement and ill-considered marriage. A young man who had married the daughter of a neighbor, against the will of his father, volunteered when the war broke out, went into the army without a word or good-by to his parents and was shot dead at Resaca. Through the efforts of the family of his widow his remains were brought home and interred in the old cemetery.

The Reconciliation.

"His grave was beautified by the hands of a loving woman, and when the first formal Decoration day observances came around, the soldiers who came to that spot laden with flowers, found it already so beautiful and impressive in its decorations that they did not add a single bud. After the ground had almost been deserted, late in the afternoon of that fair May day, a little woman, clad in black, and deeply veiled came with her little boy to kneel at the grave, rearrange the flowers, and moisten them with the dewdrops of grief. Very shortly afterwards and while she was kneeling there, there came to the other side a trembling, feeble, shattered old man, supported by an elderly lady, with snow-white hair, vieing with her own forehead in whiteness, and strongly contrasting with her crape bonnet. As the kneeling widow raised her eyes, the old man dropped his cane, extended his arms, saying nothing; the little widow arose, went to him, kissed him, and laid her head upon his shoulder and the reconciliation was complete. He was the father of her husband; and she was the widow of his dead boy. It was very affecting, indeed."

Such scenes in these later days are very rare, and Decoration day is rather an occasion of rejoicing and congratulations upon the work and good deeds done by the dead than of grief for their loss on the field of battle.

While we weep for the fallen and mourn for the loved and lost; while the nation scatters flowers over the silent soldiers of the republic whose martial tread once shook the world; we should have a share of sympathy and a goodly store of kindness for the living remnants of the great volunteer armies. Tens of thousands of them are marching grimly into the jaws of death, bravely and unflinchingly; but there is no excitement, no huzza, no comradeship in facing death by disease and old age.

What a pity it was that the boys who fell in battle, or died in hospitals during the war could not have looked into the eyes of loving friends at home and heard the words of cheer which might have fallen from the lips of mother, wife, sister, or sweetheart. It was added pang to them all to die alone without a ray of the light of sympathy or love. If we now appreciate their services, their heroism, their patriotism, their sufferings, in defense of the national life and honor; we will, on each Decoration day, mingle words of cheer for the living, with our tears for the dead. DUNBAR.

F. W. Ayer of Bangor, Me., has a collection of postage stamps which ranks third in the world. He recently returned from London, where he was lionized by the philatelists (including the Duke of York), and it is reported that he sold a single stamp of the Hawaiian issue of 1851 for nearly $3,500.

AT AN END.

The Michigan State Legislature Adjourns Sine Die.

Scenes of Revelry at the Closing Session—Special Message of Gov. Pingree Ignored—He Seeks Advice on Validity of Merriman Law.

Lansing, June 1.—The legislature adjourned sine die shortly after midnight Friday. The members kept up until a late hour their revelry incident to the closing of the session. During the celebration a valuable portrait of Gen. La Fayette which hung on the senate walls was badly damaged, a couple of hooks having been thrown against the canvas, tearing it in two places. The elegant glass doors of the senate chamber were broken and the walnut desks were defaced with a carpenter's hammer. Although it is customary for the members to hold a jubilee at the close of the legislative session, the exhibition is without a precedent. Confusion reigned in the legislature Friday, and as usual upon the final day of the session business was subordinated to the hustle attendant upon the breaking up process.

Gov. Pingree had his final say at the evening session. It was in the shape of a special message on the railroad tax question, in which he maintained that the Merriman bill increasing the specific tax rate would yield an annual increase of but $155,000, or over $50,000 less than its advocates claim. He also submitted that the law is clearly unconstitutional, in that it usurps the functions of the interstate commerce commission. Both of these assertions were backed up by figures and a legal opinion prepared by Railroad Commissioner Wesselius, which the governor said was coincided in by a number of eminent lawyers. He urged that the session be continued until this fatal defect could be remedied. Prominent senators and Attorney General Maynard upheld the constitutionality of the laws. Neither house did more than direct that the message be printed in the journal. The session came to an end at midnight.

The refusal of the senate Thursday to take from the railway committee three important bills, that a vote might be had on them, has practically decided Gov. Pingree to call a special session of the legislature, although he says he does not know just when he will do so. The bills sought to require the sale of interchangeable mileage and 500-mile books, and repeal the Michigan Central's special charter. The governor's determination is intensified by the fact that the senate also refused to concur in the action of the house in adopting his suggestion and voting to extend the present session until June 14. The senate, in fact, even declined the request of the house that a conference committee be appointed to consider the subject. The governor was still further snubbed by the upper house by the passage over his veto of the bills making an appropriation for the Mackinac Island state park.

Gov. Pingree has requested an opinion from Dean Hutchinson, of the law department of the Michigan university, as to the constitutionality of the Merriman bill to increase taxes upon railroad earnings. The governor must sign or reject the bill by June 5, and is undecided what to do about it. Its chief alleged defect is that it is in conflict with the interstate commerce law.

The general appropriation budget for the expenses of the state government outside of special appropriations came from the ways and means committee. It calls for $2,551,451 for the years 1897 and 1898, or $561,040 less than appropriated by the last legislature. The committee estimates the total saving effected this year at $948,000.

A state board of arbitration and mediation has been appointed by Gov. Pingree. It consists of Carl Schmidt, of Detroit; Jerome W. Roberts, of Pontiac, and Thomas Roberts, of Negaunee.

EMMETT.

Chasing a Phantom.

Laporte, Ind., May 27.—It is stated that the association of Roger families in Indiana and Michigan will make an effort to retain ex-President Harrison to conduct the proceedings in the Missouri courts, whereby heirship will be sought to be established to the Jacques Roger estate, which is valued at $60,000,000, and in the division of which claimants in Michigan and Indiana are interested.

Killed for Refusing Work.

Marquette, May 31.—Richard Palmer applied to Alexander Boulton, an aged citizen of Newberry, Luce county, for employment, and, being refused, drew a dirk and stabbed Boulton, who died shortly after. Palmer had a hard reputation and recently served a jail term for wife beating.

Merit Recognized.

Ann Arbor, June 2. — Duane R. Stuart, '96, of Detroit, was awarded the Elisha Jones classical fellowship here Tuesday. This is the greatest classical honor in the gift of the university and the fellowship enables the student to have two years study abroad.

Banks Refuse Credit.

St. Joseph, May 28.—St. Joseph is financially embarrassed, and the banks have refused to extend further credit. It has been decided to issue city orders drawing six per cent., to be tendered to the laborers who have accounts against the city.

First Train on New Road.

Decatur, May 31. — The Lima Northern railway has completed its connections with the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railroad at Tecumseh, and the first passenger train on the new line ran out of that city Saturday.

Will Drive to Virginia.

Silverwood, May 28. — Two families living near here have started to drive through to Virginia. They expect to reach their destination within six weeks.

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The Illinois woman suffragists are holding their annual meeting at Waukegan.

A GRAND TRIUMPH.

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(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts in detail: Mr. J. H. White of No. 25 Haifley Place, has been an instructor in penmanship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last October I was suddenly taken ill. I consulted a physician, who said the pain was from 'gravel' stones; gradually grew worse; the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed blood, and when the pain was at its worst I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine to give me relief, but further than that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was literally cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turpentine, hot cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given up by the doctor, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and really I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some 'gravel' stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took in all six boxes, and I feel to-day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. I feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to mankind.

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	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
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	7 28 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
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	16 45 "	8 20 "	
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TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 336 Express.	No. 3 Accom
	8 00 A.M.	6 30 P.M	
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	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
	9 09 "	9 59 "	7 38 "
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	9 38 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
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5,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.

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ARMORY DEDICATED.

Notable Military Event at Grand Rapids—Gov. Pingree Present.

Grand Rapids, May 29.—The armory fitted up for the three companies of the Michigan national guard, constituting the Grand Rapids battalion, was formally dedicated Wednesday night. Gov. Pingree, accompanied by his wife and daughter, the members of the military staff, most of the regimental officers of the state and many company officers, attended. Gov. Pingree and party arrived at one o'clock, and were greeted by music and the booming of cannon. After lunch an informal reception was held. At night the cannon boomed another salute, and the festivities of the armory were opened. There were addresses by the governor and by Mayor Stow, followed by dancing. The armory is the largest and handsomest in the state, with a drillroom 67 by 100 feet, an equipment-room the same size, with company offices and lockers and spacious quarters for a military club. In the afternoon the Second regiment elected Charles S. Stewart, of Kalamazoo, as lieutenant colonel to fill a vacancy, and Capt. John Mitchell, of Ionia, major.

TROTTING AT DETROIT.

Driving Club to Hold a Meeting Beginning July 10.

Detroit, May 31. — The Detroit Driving club announces an extensive programme for its annual blue ribbon meeting, which begins July 10. This year the meeting will be extended to ten days. The prizes offered amount to a total of $56,000, and the more important events, in which the entries are closed, show exceptionally fine lists. The events will include the $10,000 merchants' and manufacturers' trotting stake, which will be run on the opening day, the chamber of commerce $5,000 stake for pacers, with several free-for-all trotting and pacing events Nearly all the purses are $1,500 and upward.

GERMAN PYTHIANS UPHELD.

Michigan Supreme Court Decides a Case in Their Favor.

Lansing, May 29.—The supreme lodge Knights of Pythias met a setback in the supreme court Friday afternoon in the attempt to restrain the Improved Order of Knights of Pythias from using the jewels and ritual of the order. The defendants were German members of the Knights of Pythias, who withdrew from the order and established a lodge of their own, in which the German language was used. The supreme court affirms the decision of the lower court in dismissing the bill of the complainant.

George M. Dewey Dead.

Owosso, May 28. — George M. Dewey, the veteran editor and campaign speaker, died Wednesday morning. He was one of the organizers of the republican party, was past supreme commander of the Royal Templars of Temperance, past grand master of the Odd Fellows, state senator and ex-deputy superintendent of public instruction. Mr. Dewey had campaigned in nearly every northern state in presidential elections for 40 years, and was widely known as an orator on political and fraternal subjects. His widow and five children survive him.

Fight with a Porcupine.

Niles, May 28.—Nolan H. Breece and A. M. Perry, residing near this city, had a desperate fight with a porcupine which they finally killed, and they now have the carcass on exhibition. The animal has been annoying farmers hereabouts for over a year and many attempts were made to kill or capture it. Breece and Perry came on the porcupine accidentally and the animal gave them a great fight, inflicting severe wounds on both men. No one knows where the porcupine came from.

Recovers His Voice.

Lagrange, Ind., May 28. — Frederick Markley, living near Church, Mich., lost his voice when a boy. He spent a fortune in an effort to regain speech, finally abandoning medical science and trusting wholly to the efficacy of prayer. Recently a miracle was apparently wrought. The power of speech returned to Markley as mysteriously as it left him nearly half a century ago. Markley attributes the recovery of his voice to divine interposition.

Fell from a Train.

Kansas City, Mo., May 29.—Mrs. Harriet Higgins, of Wakelee, Mich., fell from the west-bound "Maple Leaf" passenger train Thursday night, and later her body was found in the railroad yards in this city. The car wheels had cut off her head. The woman was on her way to live with her son at Columbus, Kan. Her age was 50 years.

Started Out as Tramps.

Davidson, May 28.—Kenneth Clark and George Henderson, two Davidson 12-year-olds, left their fond parents last week and started out as "hobos," but Henderson, becoming tired of irregular meals, left his chum in Clifford and went home. Clark's father located him in jail at Imlay City and took him home.

Died from Her Injuries.

Jackson, May 27.—Mrs. Nancy Stevens, who was run over by a street car Monday, breaking one ankle and crushing the other so badly that amputation was necessary, died this evening. She was 71 years old. Two remaining members of her family are invalids.

Damaged by Frost.

Lapeer, May 27.—A hard frost visited this section, doing considerable damage to all kinds of fruits and especially grapes. It is said that the potato crop will be almost entirely a failure owing to the frost.

Oldest Practicing Attorney.

Port Huron, May 28.—Judge William T. Mitchell, the oldest practicing attorney in this city, and perhaps in the state of Michigan, celebrated his eightieth birthday anniversary at his home in this city.

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS E J B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vistage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $3,000.

Mrs. W. M.——, after being barren for ten years, says, "He cured me. We now have two little children. Suffice to say our home is a happy one.

Epilepsy (or fits) positively cured by a recent scientific discovery.

One of the most respected young men of Grand Rapids, Mr. C. H. Banks, has doctored with all the best physicians he could hear of and was finally given two weeks to live. Consulted Dr. Walker, took his treatment and is now a well man. He had chronic stomach trouble, weak lungs and constant cough, rheumatism and Bright's disease. He has gained 35 pounds and works every day. He advises all who are sick to see Dr. Walker.

Mrs. C. M. Stutzman cured of blood and skin disease of twelve years standing.

Mrs. L. E. Lambert cured of varicose ulcers on limb.

Miss Ella Crane cured of bronchial trouble and lung disease.

Miss B. H. cured of female weakness after being treated by many noted physicians.

Mrs. W. W. Bennett says also that she had lost her sense of smell and became partially deaf by catarrh in the head and could not sleep for constant coughing and pain through the lungs, also had female trouble. She says she will testify to anyone that Dr. Walker saved her life. She has gained thirty pounds and is well.

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WILL ACCEPT ANGELL.

Sultan Withdraws Objections to the New American Minister.

Washington, June 2.—Sultan Abdul Hamid has changed his mind and James B. Angell will go to Turkey as United States minister. The information reached here Tuesday that the sultan had withdrawn his objections to President Angell, principally through the efforts of Minister Terrell, who from the first has made strong efforts to disabuse the minds of the Turkish authorities of prejudice against Dr. Angell. It is learned that the principal complaint of the porte against Dr. Angell was based on an erroneous idea of the Congregational church, of which the porte understood Dr. Angell was a member.

The representations made to the Turkish government were that the Congregationalists were a politico-religious body, likened by the Turks to the Jesuits, and had designs on the welfare of the sultan's empire.

The sultan was therefore advised to object to receiving as the representative of a friendly foreign power a man who was a member of and in sympathy with, if not actually concerned in, a body that was working against his interests. This and the other objections were explained away by Dr. Angell, and Turkey is now willing to welcome him as Turkish minister.

SEEN IN NEW YORK.

Charles H. Smith, a Legally Dead Man, Is Alive.

Detroit, June 1.— Charles H. Smith has returned to this country. On May 14, 1890, Mr. Smith, then a prominent business man of Detroit, mysteriously disappeared. His estate was probated June 19, 1890, and he was declared legally dead. Six months ago his closest friend, James Vernon, heard from him, and yesterday Mr. Vernon returned from New York, where he had met him. Financial reverses drove Mr. Smith away and he says he will never come back to Detroit. Mr. Smith was formerly a member of the firm of Pingree & Smith. He left Detroit one night on a sailing vessel. He has visited South America and China, and until now his family was kept in ignorance of his whereabouts.

Man with a History.

Lansing, May 27.—Rev. George Taylor died this morning at the age of 87 years. He was a man with a history, one of the pioneer Methodist ministers of the state, and he was largely instrumental in raising the funds with which the soldiers' monument in Detroit was erected. In 1849 he came to Michigan and occupied a pulpit in Detroit for several years. He had also preached at Pontiac, Romeo, Flint, Howell and other interior towns. He was chaplain of the Eighth Michigan infantry during the civil war.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 11th day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David D. Meeker, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William D. Meeker, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate may be granted to Fred'k B. Wood or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON, GEO. B. GRAY, Commissioners.

Dated, April 24th, 1897.

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Pingree May Call the Lawmakers Together Again.

LAST WEEK OF THE LEGISLATURE.

As Usual in Such Cases It Was a Busy One—Considerable Important Legislation Affecting the Manufacture of Liquors Put to Death—Governor Pingree's Final Message to the Legislature Suggesting the Continuation of the Session.

Lansing, Mich., June 1.—The first session of the legislature of 1897 is at an end. I say the first session for the reason that the chances are much more than even that the present legislature will be called in special session before the terms of its members expire. At this writing about the only problematical thing in this connection is the time when such session will be held. All of the governor's utterances and intimations tend to show his determination to make the railroad bills, which were turned down in one end or the other of the capitol during the past fortnight, the subjects for consideration by the present body of lawmakers, not that he expects to have any of them passed any more than they have been during the session just closed, but in order to equip himself with a most excellent talking point for the next campaign. There is no reason to believe that the majority of senators who voted to put these bills to sleep last week will vote any differently if called together again during the next few months, but the exigencies of an approaching political campaign sometimes call for the resort to heroic measures, even though the poor taxpayers, about whom so many plaintive appeals are heard, are called upon to pay the freight.

Belittling the Legislature.

It has come to be the custom during the past few years to belittle the standing of the legislature, certain people delighting to convey the impression that the legislature is made up of a lot of men who are inferior intellectually and who are inclined to yield to improper influences. As one who has been a close observer of the successive legislatures which have convened in Michigan during the past two decades, I desire to venture the opinion that this class of charges which are so frequently heard and made have no foundation in fact. The present legislature compares favorably with any of its predecessors during the period mentioned at least. Its members all come from the people—the common people, if you please—and they are no better and no worse than the class from which they come, the members of which are for the most part honest and intelligent. The members of the present legislature are just as honest and just as intelligent as were those of the legislatures which convened in the "good old days" when it was not considered the proper thing for the newspapers to vie with each other in endeavoring to impress the people with the idea that all their representatives in lawmaking bodies are corrupt. The sooner the people get this false idea out of their heads the better will it be for both them and their representatives, who are simply those whom they select from among their own number to represent them, and who reflect truthfully the honesty and intelligence of their makers.

Last Week a Busy One.

The last week of the legislature was, as usual, a busy one, everyone's feet being constantly off the ground, as it were. Not the least exciting feature was the governor's special message calling upon the two houses to rescind the resolution fixing final adjournment for May 31, and to extend the session at least two weeks. The governor's reason for asking this extension was that numerous important bills had not been disposed of and sufficient time did not remain to give them intelligent consideration. In this connection he cited the bills requiring the railroads to sell interchangeable mileage books and also 500-mile books for $10; the bill to repeal the special charter of the Michigan Central Railway company; the bill to prevent discrimination in the matter of freight rates; and measures to provide for a state bureau of accounts for the purpose of requiring a uniform system of accounts to be kept by all corporations which pay specific taxes so that the state may be sure that it is getting honest statements of earnings on which to base its assessments. He also called attention to the pending bills to increase the taxes paid by telephone, telegraph and express companies, and expressed the opinion that the numerous important appropriation bills could not be given adequate attention in the time remaining before the session was scheduled to end.

The effect of this message on the house was instantaneous and decisive. A concurrent resolution was immediately adopted extending the session until June 14, but as the senate as promptly refused to concur in this action, the extension was not made. The senate further wiped aside the governor's suggestions by refusing to take from the railroad committee the three railroad bills mentioned, all of which were smothered without coming to a vote, although the vote on the question of taking them from the committee was a sufficient test of the attitude of the senate concerning them. Not one of them would have passed that body, notwithstanding all had been passed by the house.

Extra Session May Be Called.

It is this hostile attitude of the senate which warrants the belief that an extra session of the legislature will be called, although it may not be held until next winter. Just what can be gained in a practical way by calling such special session is not readily understood by the ordinary citizen. The conditions with reference to the wisdom or justice of passing these railroad measures or of still further increasing the taxes to be paid by the companies will not have altered between now and the time the session may be called, either is there any reason for believing that there will be any change in the attitude of a majority of the senators. The outcome of the session so far as the fate of these bills is concerned is, therefore, easy to predict.

One of the bills passed by the two houses during the closing hours of the session was inspired by the labor unions of the state, the members of which hope for great things from its practical operations. It provides for an exchange of products between state institutions, and it is hoped that the several institutions of the state may be able to supply the needs of each other to a large extent under its practical workings. The labor men who urged its passage hope that it will, in a measure, solve the convict labor problem by keeping the convicts at work, as far as may be possible, on products that will be used at other state institutions, and to this extent do away with their labor competing with free labor in the markets.

Legislation Put to Death.

Considerable important legislation affecting the manufacture and sale of malt and spirituous liquors, which looked hopeful during the early days of the session, was put to death during the closing hours. One of these bills was the Colman bill, which, as its author stated, was designed to make druggists go out of the saloon business. It aimed to accomplish this by hedging about in every way possible the sale of liquors by druggists. Another was the bill providing for a stamp tax of 1 cent, per gallon, or 32 cents per barrel, on all beer manufactured or sold in Michigan. Senator Flood, who introduced this bill, figured that it would yield the state an annual revenue of between $300,000 and $400,000, while it would increase the price of beer but one-sixteenth of a cent per glass. He made a vigorous fight for the bill, but it was lost in the senate by a close vote. The third bill of this class which suffered defeat was one asked for by the saloonkeepers. As introduced it amended the present law so as to permit saloons to be kept open on New Year's Day, Fourth of July and Labor Day. After two trials had demonstrated the fact that the bill could not be passed as introduced, its friends cut out two of the days and sought to have it apply to the nation's birthday only. They came very near scoring a point here, for, as thus amended, it came within a single vote of passing the house, fifty votes being recorded in its favor. The result of the legislative labors on this subject is that the liquor laws remain just as they were before the legislature convened.

Pingree's Final Message.

Governor Pingree has always been famous for his fighting qualities, and he lost none of his reputation thus gained by his controversy over the specific railroad tax matter. His final communication to the legislature was on this subject. It was sent to both houses late Friday night, after all the members had packed all their desk effects in big pine boxes, nailed down the covers, and were prepared to depart for their homes.

The message again suggested the advisability of extending the session, although the Merriman bill was the only matter of legislation mentioned. Accompanying the message, Governor Pingree transmitted a statement prepared by Railroad Commissioner Wesselins in which it was declared that the annual increase in railroad taxes based on last year's earnings, which the Merriman bill would yield, was only $155,000, instead of 205,000, as has been computed by the friends of the bill. There was also transmitted an exhaustive brief prepared by Commissioner Wesselins on the question of the validity of the scheme of taxation provided by the Merriman bill. The commissioner maintained that the bill was in direct contravention of the interstate commerce law, and hence unconstitutional and void. Governor Pingree stated that he had submitted this opinion to several lawyers eminent in their profession, and they indorsed the commissioner's contention as to the unconstitutionality of the law.

Senator Merriman made a long speech and cited numerous authorities in opposition to Wesselin's claim, and on his motion the message was ordered printed in the journal. This was all the attention it received in the senate, no one making any motion to act on the suggestion that the session be extended.

Showing of Economy.

Notwithstanding all of its shortcomings the present legislature prides itself on the showing of economy it can make as compared with the record of two years ago. It points to the fact that the bill providing for the general expenses of the state government two years ago called for a levy of $3,071,000, while the special appropriations aggregated $2,508,941. This year the amount included in the general purpose bill is $2,011,457, a decrease of $562,059, while the special appropriations aggregate $1,568,457, a decrease of $143,000. The total decrease in these two items is $705,059, to which must be added the increase of $205,000 made in railroad taxes, thus making a total saving to the taxpayers of $910,059. The state tax rate for 1895 and 1896 was 4¼ mills on the dollar of valuation, or a rate per year of 2⅛ mills. On the basis of the above appropriations it will be for ensuing two years 3 9-10th mills on the dollar, or a trifle less than 2 mills per year.

If the Perry bill reducing the number of state reports and other documents to be printed and distributed is not vetoed by the governor a further saving of $10,000 a year will be effected. The governor is inclined to veto this bill for the reason that it arbitrarily says how many pages certain state officials may include in their reports, and deprives the chief executive of the privilege of having thousands of messages printed and sent broadcast at the expense of the people, bearing his compliments in bold type. He thinks that the men who prepare the reports are the best judges of what and how much material they should contain, and in this contention he is correct. This limit should not be fixed arbitrarily by people who know nothing about the subject matter.

Important Bills Passed.

Two very important bills were passed on the last day of the session. One of them provides methods by which the property of persons dying without wills and without heirs, may be escheated to the state. It also provides for the taking by the state and turning into the general fund all deposits in state banks which have been unclaimed for a period of seven years. Deputy Attorney General Chase is authority for the statement that this bill will yield the state fully $100,000 in the immediate future.

The other bill referred to is one which makes directors of corporations which fail to make annual reports liable to the extent of $5 each for each day that such neglect continues.

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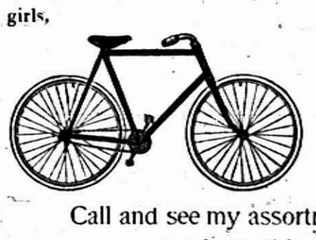

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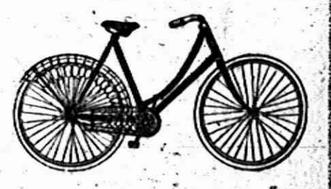

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BACK FROM CUBA.

William J. Calhoun, Special Commissioner, Home Again.

He Will Not Talk of His Mission—Says, However, Testimony Was Hard to Get—Cuba Is Practically Devastated.

New York, June 8.—William J. Calhoun, who was sent to Cuba as a special commissioner to investigate the circumstances of the death in the prison of Dr. Ruiz, an American citizen, reached this city on his return yesterday.

Hard to Get Testimony.

"At the session of the commission," Mr. Calhoun said, in response to a reporter's questioning, "we examined several witnesses, but when you ask me if they were plentiful, I can only say that they did not run after us, and we had to use no force to keep them away. They were composed of Spaniards and Cubans. The Spanish witnesses, and, in fact, all of those who testified, were so surrounded with safeguards that it was impossible to get at the naked truth. One person whom we would have liked to hear could not be found. This was Fondsvella, who commanded the Spanish in the Guahabacoa territory. He disappeared, and it was impossible to find him. Capt. Gen. Weyler did not put in an appearance at the investigation. We inspected the jail at Guanabacoa, and when we were there it was suspiciously clean."

Ruiz' Death a Mystery.

"We learned that Dr. Ruiz was arrested on February 4 charged with having some connection with an assault which took place in a railroad train between Guanabacoa and Havana. He was placed in solitary confinement, or, as it is known there, he was incommunicado. Thirteen days later he was taken out of his cell on account of his mental and physical condition. It was then found that he was suffering from a severe wound on the head, and he died two hours after his release from the cell in which the secret of his injury is buried. The question of the deceased doctor's American citizenship was never denied. The autopsy showed that he died from congestion of the brain. His remains were interred at Guanabacoa. We had no positive or direct proof of any assault whatever, and the conclusion arrived at must be based on the detailed evidence in the report of Consul-General Lee, which is now on its way to Washington. I, myself, will make no report, and I prefer not to say anything as to my idea of the affair until the report is made public by the proper authorities at Washington."

Cuba Devastated.

In a later conversation, Mr. Calhoun said: "The island of Cuba is rapidly being devastated by a relentless, cruel and bitter civil war, so that in a short time it will not be worth anything to anyone. It is difficult to get at the exact situation there. In the first place, there is a severe censorship of the press, and those who are naturally friendly to the Cubans hardly dare to express their views and opinions. Furthermore, the adherents of both sides are exceedingly intense. They tell their stories just as they want you to believe them. From the Spanish point of view, the island is practically pacified, and from that of the Cubans the insurgents never were in such excellent shape as they now are."

"What is the condition of the country?"

"It seems to be entirely depopulated, and there are no signs of any buildings standing except at the railroad stations. These by the way, are practically forts. I was generally informed that the same condition of affairs exists throughout the Cuban island from Havana to Pinar del Rio, except in the extreme eastern end. There is where the Cubans get their supplies and their cattle. They control that section. It was the portion of the island which held out ten years in the last war. Cuba is undoubtedly a magnificent country. It is rich and beautiful, and the soil responds bountifully to the seed.

"While I am not called upon to make any formal report to the president, because I acted merely as counsel to Gen. Lee, in the Ruiz case, still I may be asked to tell Mr McKinley and the secretary of state of the things which I have seen and heard in my brief trip to the island of Cuba. In that case, I readily will do so."

Talks with the President.

Washington, June 9.—W. J. Calhoun, of Danville, Ill., the president's special commissioner to Cuba, returned to Washington Tuesday afternoon. He went first to the state department to see Assistant Secretary Day. Judge Day and Mr. Calhoun went thence to the white house, where for an hour Mr. Calhoun related his experiences in Cuba to the president. Mr. Calhoun said that his conversation with the president and Judge Day was an official one, and that he could not repeat what had passed between them. He said the conversation was general on the affairs in Cuba, and that he had related some of his impressions and conclusions, but that the president desired to ask him some questions and go into a more detailed discussion of the subject. Mr. Calhoun will make no written report.

LOSS TO IOWA FARMERS.

Ravages of Hog Cholera Last Year Cost Over $22,000,000.

Des Moines, Ia., June 8.—Reports from 61 counties show that in these counties 1,344,158 hogs died of cholera last year. These reports are from returns by township assessors, tabulated by the county auditors and returned to the auditor of state for the state weather and crop service. The returns are reliable, and will show that about 2,225,000 hogs died of cholera in the state last year. A fair average price of a hog is ten dollars, so the loss will be over $22,000,000.

To Visit American Cities.

Philadelphia, June 8.—The South American delegates who attended the formal opening in this city of the Philadelphia Commercial museum bade farewell to Philadelphia Monday, when they started on a tour of the industrial centers of this country. The trip was planned for the purpose of enabling the delegates to get an idea of the vast diversity of this country's manufacturing interests.

Chicago, June 8.—C. D. Mosher, a prominent photographer, dropped dead of heart disease in a restaurant Monday.

CHILLY FOR CROPS.

Farmers' Interests Suffer from Cold and Frosts.

Chicago, June 9.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—Warm days, cool nights, severe frost, showers local, sunshine deficient. Too cool for all crops; frosts not serious. Wheat, pastures, timothy, clover, rye, barley, potatoes and tobacco made slight growth, and look fairly well, but corn slow and poor and much being replanted. Wheat heading, some complaints of insects and rust. Gardens variable; meadows weedy; some millet sown; tobacco not all planted; strawberries and cherries ripe; locusts becoming numerous.

Michigan—Good week for field work, but continued cold has held back growth, being especially detrimental to oats and early corn, which look yellow and poor. Cold ground causes much seed corn to rot, necessitating much replanting. Rye, grass and meadows in generally good condition. Wheat beginning to head. Corn cultivation and late potato planting begun. Snow and freezing temperatures did much damage in upper peninsula.

Indiana—Weather too cool for corn, which comes up yellow. Wheat, oats and other crops improved. The hay crop will be heavy. Tobacco plants ready to sod out.

Illinois—Week too cold for corn and garden growth, but favorable for wheat, rye, oats and grasses. Corn cultivation general, considerable replanting done owing to cut worms, moles, poor seed and frost damage. Winter wheat heading and blooming and cutting will begin in extreme south counties next week. Clover cutting progressing. Strawberries and cherries being marketed in large quantities.

Iowa—Another cold, dry week, following freezing temperature, has retarded all crop growth. Gardens, vegetables and grapes in northern districts were much hurt by frost, but field crop not badly injured. Corn cultivation and replanting in progress.

Wisconsin—Liberal rain during week, but too cold for rapid growth. Frost on 1st damaged corn, potatoes, gardens and fruits in central and western counties. Winter wheat, winter rye and barley slightly injured. Much corn will be replanted. Oats, spring wheat, spring rye and meadows fair.

A MOB'S VENGEANCE.

A Negro Lynched in Ohio—Two Men Killed by the Militia.

Urbana, O., June 5. — Charles Mitchell (colored) was taken from the jail here by a mob, kicked and cuffed down the stairs and out of doors to the nearest tree, and, more dead than alive, was strung up over the heads of the enraged people. For an hour his lifeless body was left suspended, and then, by order of the mayor, was cut down and placed in a wooden box.

Mitchell's crime was an assault committed on Mrs. Eliza Gaumer, widow of the late publisher of the Urbana Democrat. Mitchell had been sentenced to serve 20 years in the penitentiary—the extreme penalty prescribed by the Ohio law—for his crime.

News of the intended attack on the prisoner reached the officers of the court in the afternoon, and they called on the governor for militia to protect Mitchell. Troops were ordered out and when the mob attacked the jail they fired, killing Harvey Bell and Upton Baker, fatally wounding Wesley Brown and Zach Wank, and injuring seven others.

The feeling is intense against the sheriff for allowing the national guards to fire on the people, and there is a very general approval of the work of the mob.

The sheriff denies responsibility for the shooting, and so does the captain. On the other hand, the citizens assert that the sheriff himself fired the first shot.

Cincinnati, June 8. — Gov. Bushnell in a letter to the Commercial-Tribune, says:

"The members of the national guard at Urbana did their duty and are entitled to the support of the state. Lamentable as the results were, their efforts were to maintain the majesty of the law, and they should be upheld by all the people."

FIREWORKS EXPLODE.

A Woman Killed, Many Persons Hurt and Buildings Wrecked.

Chicago, June 9.—Exploding fireworks wrought havoc in the immediate vicinity of Halsted and Van Buren streets at precisely 5:55 o'clock Tuesday evening. As the result of the swift accident one person was killed and 46 hurt, some of them seriously, $50,000 worth of property was destroyed and a commotion was precipitated such as the West division has seldom witnessed. The name of the dead person is Mrs. Maggie Kenney. She was struck by a runaway horse, bruised and cut, and died at midnight in the county hospital.

Woman Confesses a Murder.

Kenosha, Wis., June 7.—Mrs. Marie Pleva, who is accused of murdering her husband, and was arrested Tuesday, has made a full confession. She says she procured a large amount of poison and placed it in his coffee. The reason she gives for doing it was that she had a great deal of trouble with him and wanted to get him out of the way. She says that nobody else was connected in any way with the murder.

Lawyer Kills an Editor.

Ardmore, I. T., June 8.—James Williams, editor of the Chronicle, was shot and killed here Monday by Clarence B. Douglass, of this city, an attorney and prominent republican. Both men were of high standing and widely known. The killing is the result of an attack made on Douglass through the columns of the Chronicle. Douglass is now in jail.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, June 3. — The senate made greater progress yesterday on the tariff bill than on any day since the debate opened, completing more than half of the important metal schedule.

Washington, June 4. — The senate again made good progress on the tariff bill yesterday, covering about ten pages of the metals schedule.

Washington, June 5. — The senate had a period of speechmaking yesterday, and as a result little progress was made on the tariff bill. The advance covered about two pages, and brought the work up to the wood schedule, the first item of which was considered, but not completed. The nomination of Ellis H. Roberts, of New York, to be treasurer of the United States, was received from the president.

Washington, June 7.—When the senate laid aside the tariff bill Saturday night it had reached the sugar schedule, which has been the subject of so much interest and conflict.

Washington, June 8.—The senate on Monday disposed of the lumber paragraph, which has been more stubbornly contested than any feature of the bill thus far, by defeating the motion of Senator Vest to place white pine on the free list; yeas, 20; nays, 38. The contest was mainly significant in breaking party lines which have been maintained with few exceptions during the early stages of the debate.

Washington, June 9.—By a decisive vote of 42 to 19 the senate yesterday adopted an amendment to the tariff bill placing raw cotton on the dutiable list of 20 per cent. ad valorem. The sugar schedule was passed over, and the agricultural schedule taken up and nearly disposed of. The republican senators held a caucus and adopted a new sugar schedule for the tariff bill.

The House.

Washington, June 4.—In the house yesterday the conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was adopted. Mr. Terry (Ark.) endeavored to bring up Cuban affairs as a privileged question, but was defeated. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 8. — The house Monday passed the senate bills to amend the act to authorize the construction of a steel bridge across the St. Louis river and to authorize the construction of a bridge across Pearl river, Miss. By a vote of 91 to 79 it then adjourned until Thursday, the democrats opposing an adjournment in the interest of the Cuban and bankruptcy questions.

Forestry Order Revoked.

Washington, June 5.—The president signed the sundry civil bill Friday which contains the compromise amendment concerning the forestry reservations. The amendment suspends the proclamation of President Cleveland dated February 22 last, under which 21,000,000 acres were set aside from the public domain as forestry reservations until the first of next March. These reservations are in the states of Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Washington, Idaho and South Dakota. The lands embraced within them are until that date subject to sale and entry, under the laws, like any other public lands in the United States.

Many Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, June 8.—The effect of the recent ruling of the post office department to consider as vacant all offices which are due to expire between now and July 15 was apparent Monday when 153 fourth-class postmasters were appointed. This is the record for one day in this administration. Seventy-two of the vacancies were caused by removals.

CANOVAS WILL STAY.

An Unexpected Termination of the Spanish Ministerial Crisis.

Madrid, June 7.—The queen regent has confirmed Senor Canovas, the premier, in his ministerial powers, and the cabinet will remain in office with personnel and policy unchanged. All the leading members of the senate and of the chamber of deputies who were consulted by her majesty, as well as three marshals, have advised the recall of Capt. Gen. Weyler from Cuba.

At a cabinet council held Sunday afternoon at his residence Senor Canovas, the premier, announced that the queen regent had renewed his powers and those of the cabinet in terms most flattering to him and all his colleagues. It is understood that the government does not contemplate any immediate change in the supreme command in Cuba. The surprise and displeasure of the various sections of the opposition are not easy to describe.

A Sad Affair.

Salem, W. Va., June 7.—John Nicholson and Ida Sutlan, members of prominent families, were married, and boodluma who went to their home to hold a charivari fired a gun and the bride was killed.

Tragedy in Cairo.

Cairo, Ill., June 7.—Richard Caldwell (colored) killed Mary Jenkins (colored) without provocation, and was himself shot dead by Deputy Sheriff Moore while resisting arrest.

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F. M. Freeman was down from Manchester Tuesday.

C. F. Field, wife and daughter visited in town Tuesday.

C. S. Burroughs was home from Friday until Monday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and F. E. Brown drove to Adrian Saturday.

Alfred Gray, of Ann Arbor, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary Pomeroy, of Ypsilanti, visited here the latter part of the week.

E. R. Smith started for New York on a business trip last week Thursday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith has been spending the past week with friends in Detroit.

Roy Codling spent Sunday with his brother Robert, and family at Tecumseh.

Leon Gray, of Tecumseh, visited Clinton relatives from Saturday until Tuesday.

Carl Keyser was with relatives at Tecumseh last week and a portion of this.

The front of Bostedor's meat market has been improved by a fresh coat of paint.

Rev. A. J Hutchins preached Sunday afternoon at the Manchester Baptist church.

Prof. Hopkins was selling his celebrated bitters on our streets Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Silvers has been visiting relatives at Detroit since Thursday of last week.

John Alexander left Wednesday afternoon and rumor says he will not return alone.

Mrs. P. S. Knight went to Charlotte Saturday for a short visit with her son, Dr. F. J. Knight.

Mrs. S. W. Nase and little daughters, of Palmyra, spent Sunday with Clinton relatives.

Archer Hixon has secured work at Grand Rapids and left for that city Tuesday morning.

H. E. Lindsley and wife returned Friday from a two days' visit with relatives at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. U. D. Van Tuyle, and Mrs. Geo. Hall visited Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh at Brooklyn last Saturday.

Mrs. Will Blakely and little son, of Toledo, have been guests at Henry Lancaster's since Tuesday.

Mrs. Alma Tate left Tuesday for a week's visit with her friend Mrs. Crowell, at Cleveland Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Tracy, of Manchester, were guests of A. F. Kishpaugh and wife Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. P. M. Newcomb has been visiting at the home of her son George in Blissfield for the past few days.

Mrs. S. Parker went to Albion Monday for a visit with her son Frank, also to attend the June festival.

Willoughby Nase, who is assisting his son Sylvester in the planing mill at Palmyra, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sturm and daughter Emma visited relatives at Bridgewater Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mabel Barnsdale and brother Fred made a bicycle trip to Adrian Saturday and visited friends until Tuesday.

Chas. E. Judge started Wednesday afternoon for Clayville, N. Y., where he will visit his parents for a week or ten days.

The Children's Day exercises will be conducted by the Congregational Sunday-school at the church Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Zimmerman, of Grand Rapids, have been visiting Mrs. Z's mother, Mrs. C. T. Crane, for the past few days.

David D. Halpin, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother here, he came on his wheel, but returned Monday afternoon by rail.

Charles W. Johnston, of Detroit, came over on his wheel Saturday and remained until Tuesday with his parents and other Clinton relatives.

Mrs. E. Van De Mark expects to leave the first of the week for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. Shoemaker, at Covington, Ky.

Miss Olive B. Mills, who has been teaching in the Dillingham district, closed her school last Thursday and on Friday afternoon held a picnic in the Bartlett grove west of town. She has been engaged to teach the fall term in the same place.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be a game between the Adrian city team and the home club with the following batteries: For Adrian, Berry Tracy and Carlton; Clinton, Martin and Mellon. Game called at 3 p. m. sharp.

The M. E Church which has been undergoing a thorough renovating, will be ready for use Sunday, and the exercises promise to be very interesting. The interior of the audience room will be very fine, new carpets, pews, chancil rail pulpit, and choir seats all in oak and electrolfers. The ceiling and side walls, elegantly papered with oak wainscoting. Dr. Davis, P. E., will preach at 10:30 a. m., Rev. Eugene Coffin, of Salem, will address the young people at 4 p. m. and Dr. C. T. Allen, of Detroit, will preach at 7:30 in the evening.

The game of ball Saturday between Lake Ridge and the home team was interesting and quite exciting notwithstanding the score ran high. With the grounds as they are, long and narrow, unless it is purely a pitcher's game, the scores must necessarily be much larger than if they were broader. For the first four innings it looked as if Lake Ridge had a dead cinch on the game, the score being 11 to 2 in their favor. After that our boys gathered themselves together and in the next four innings made 20 runs while Lake Ridge in five only made 4. There were some very pretty plays made by both teams. Mallon, our new catcher, is a "dandy" and in many respects resembles that prince of catchers, Charlie Bennett, Detroit's old favorite. He threw three men out at second in fine style and batted well. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R
Lake Ridge	1	0	6	4	0	0	0	4	0	15
Clinton	0	0	0	2	4	1	9	6	*	22

Earned runs—Lake Ridge 9, Clinton 11. Bases on balls—Lake Ridge 2, Clinton 8. Base hits—Lake Ridge 16, Clinton 18. 2-base hits—Phillips, Cotton, Wade, Rogers, Mallon, Kennedy. Stolen bases—Lake Ridge 0, Clinton 10. Struck out—Eastlick 5. Uphouse 12. Errors—Lake Ridge 9, Clinton 4.

ONSTED

The measles are still in this vicinity.

Henry Gillett, of Indiana, recently visited friends here.

The Masonic memorial services will be conducted here June 27th.

The Cambridge Farmers' Club convened Saturday at W. Reed's.

Mrs. Lucy Beecher, from Hillsdale county, is visiting Onsted relatives.

J. B. Maxwell has had a monument erected upon his lot in the cemetery

The corn around here looks rather sickly on account of the cold weather.

Hay balers are still at work in this locality and hay is being shipped almost daily.

Miss Winnie Townsend, of Rollin, visited at her uncle's in this vicinity last week.

A fair crowd attended the first matinee of the season of the Onsted Association last Saturday.

Our neat little cemetery has again been beautified by a graveled driveway and grading of the roadside in front.

A few from here took in the Uncle Tom's Cabin show at Brooklyn Friday evening and pronounced it very good.

The ladies of the People's church sold ice cream at the races last Saturday afternoon and at the church in the evening.

School closed last Friday and in the evening the scholars and teachers gave an entertainment, netting $24.30 which goes toward buying an organ for the school house.

The Memorial services were held here last week Monday and Rev. Baldwin delivered one of his best talks at the church after which the audience marched to the cemetery where Memory's tokens were tenderly placed upon the graves of departed soldiers. Nearly every grave in the yard was decorated by some kind friend.

FRANKLIN.

The highways have been receiving needed attention this week.

E. J. Whelan has finished the cellar of his house and is ready for the carpenter.

There will be eighth grade graduating exercises at the Center school house June 18.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner were guests of George Knight and mother in Adrian Saturday.

Miss Irene Allen closes her school in the Center district today and Miss Barnsdale finished the term in the Stone district last week.

P. J. Beebe and Mrs. Stocking were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner Monday. Mrs. Stocking and babe expect soon to return to their home in Peoria, Ill.

Many farmers are clearing the rye out of their wheat. The task is not so herculean as it would seem to be. An energetic man with a sharp corn knife will get over a good deal of ground in a day, and it ought, by all means, to be done if Michigan would retain her reputation for fine quality of wheat. Mixed wheat means low priced wheat.

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Of Greenville, Ill., Mr. C. E. Cook, writes, "I have been troubled with biliousness, sick headache, sour stomach, constipation, etc., for several years. I sought long and tried many remedies, but was disappointed until I tried your Syrup Pepsin. I can cheerfully recommend it to any suffering from above complaints." J. J. Orr, Druggist, Tecumseh.

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Hindsight is sometimes better than foresight, but it is not always well to see a thing before it comes in sight

Penny Wise and Pound Foolish

are they who have not Foley's Colic Cure as a safeguard in the family. John J. Orr.

Mrs. J. C. Shaffer, of Evanston, Ill., is to present a marble bust of Miss Frances Willard to Northwestern University.

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Reports from Mason and Carson valleys, Nev., are to the effect that the late frosts have killed most of the fruit crops in those places.

FARM & GARDEN.

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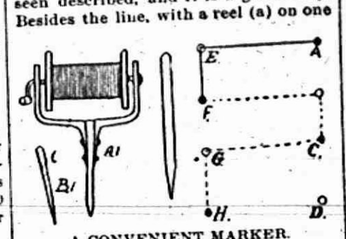
A seed drill with a marker is very desirable, but where only small quantities are planted, a stake and line must be depended upon. The great trouble with a line is that after having marked a row by it and shifted the last end for the next row, you must walk back, doing nothing the whole length of the row, whether long or short, to shift the first end. This year I hit on the following contrivance, which I have never seen described, and it is a great help. Besides the line, with a reel (a) on one



A CONVENIENT MARKER.

end and a stick (b) on the other, have two smooth sticks (c), with rounded tops, like the upper part of a broom handle. Drive in the end stake very firmly at a, the second end of the first row. Walk across, unreeling the cord, to e. Put in one of the extra sticks lightly and pass the cord around it. Put the reel in very firmly at f. The cord is now as shown by the continuous line. Mark or plant from e to a. Put in the other new stick at b lightly. Take up the end stick at a and pull so hard on the line that the stick at e leans over and the cord slips off. Stretch the cord tight around the stick b and drive the other end of stick firmly at c. The cord now appears as the dotted line, and it will have been shifted for the second row without loss of time or unnecessary walking. You are always working toward the one stick and away from the two sticks. In this way you can plant an indefinite number of rows and only cross the ground without planting or marking when you set the line and when you reel it up.—Orange Judd Farmer.

ALL AROUND THE FARM.

In a sandy soil deep planting is best for potatoes.

If the hay is dusty, dampen it for feeding to horses.

Pull the collars away from the horses' shoulders while they are resting.

Ashes may be considered as a special fertilizer for potatoes, improving the yield and quality.

Generally with flower seed, large or coarse seed should be planted much deeper than fine seed.

The most successful work of the farm is done according to the season, rather than by any other set rule.

It will be an exceptional case when some soiling crop cannot be used to a good advantage during the summer.

When the cabbage, tomatoes or sweet potato plants have grown long and spindling set them deeper into the soil; down to the first leaf is usually a good plan.

If the full number of stock is kept that the pastures will carry during the best part of the growing season, some soiling crop must be grown to help out when the pastures fail.

One advantage with all farm products and stocks is that if prices fall it is certain that the lower quality drops first and most, and usually is most difficult to sell. There is always a sale for the products of a better quality.—Farmers' Union.

This Is a Peculiar World.

One is struggling for justice, and another is fleeing from it. One man is saving to build a house, and another is trying to sell his for less than cost, to get rid of it. One man is spending all the money he can make in taking a girl to the theater and sending her flowers, with the hope of making her his wife, while his neighbor is spending what gold he has in getting a divorce. One man escapes all the diseases that flesh is heir to and gets killed on the railroad. Another escapes with a scratch and dies with the whooping cough. One man stands off his creditors and goes traveling, while another pays his debts and stays at home.—Corman's Rural World.

Burn All Diseased Plants.

Diseased plants should never be added to the manure heap, as they contaminate the whole mass. It is possible to spread plant diseases over the entire farm through the agency of manure, and no farm will get rid of any disease that attacks plants until all refuse is burnt. Onion smut, potato scab and sweet potato rot are spread when the tops are thrown on the manure. Every tree or plant that is brought on the farm from other places becomes a medium for communicating disease and should be carefully examined on arrival, as the nurseryman may not be aware of the fact that a plant is not healthy. It is cheaper to keep disease away than to combat it after it becomes established.

Bean Straw for Sheep.

It has been well attested that bean straw is a valuable feed for sheep, and that they are fond of it. The bean, like clover is a leguminous plant, and many farmers say that the straw, though coarse and harsh, has nearly as much nutrition as clover hay. It makes a very rich manure when fed to either sheep or cows. That is shown by its rotting very fast when piled and giving off the strong smell of ammonia which comes from feeding any manure rich in nitrogenous nutrition.—Dakota Field and Farm.

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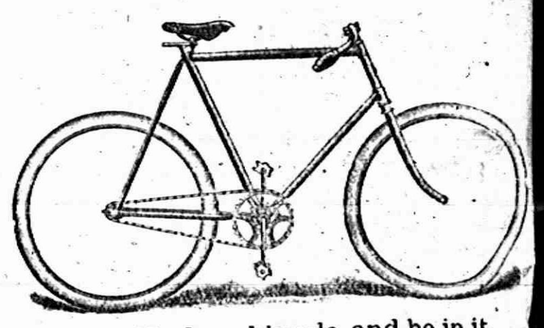

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Robert Hastings was down from Tecumseh Tuesday.

Will Hause and wife of Clinton, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Gorham of Don, Ohio, is visiting her Britton friends this week.

Mrs. Will Allen enjoyed a visit from her brother, C. O. Hiscock of Albion last Friday.

The Maccabees celebrate the anniversary of the order tomorrow, with a picnic in Hoagland's grove.

Mrs. J. C. Maybee is visiting her son James, at Rockwood, and expects to remain a week or so longer.

Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh enjoyed a visit Saturday, from Mesdames George M. Ward and W. D. Van Tuyle of Clinton.

Geo. Clark and a friend, went over to Adrian Saturday by rail, and returned in his tandem, they had a delightful time.

Henry Jones, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday. It was the first visit in five years. Don't let it occur again, Henry.

The bicycle path to Tecumseh is a fine thing; $95.00 of the necessary amount is already subscribed, and the balance is in sight.

Rev. Deyo preaches a baccalaureate sermon before the Graduating class of the Sweet School house, at the M. P. church in Rea next Sunday evening.

Our admirers of base ball, anticipate attending the game at Tecumseh tomorrow afternoon, they expect Lakeridge and Tecumseh will put up a hot game.

Will Britton and family attended Ascension day services at the M. P. Church at Adrian last Sunday, The Adrian Commandery attended in a body.

A number of the Royal Arch Masons from here expect to attend the conferring of the 8th degree in the Dundee chapter this evening. They anticipate a royal time.

Geo. Peters colt while hitched on the street Saturday, slipped its bridle and made things lively for a while, it was not secured until the cart was thoroughly demorlized.

Will Taylor, who is slowly convalescing from his illness' came over from Detroit, accompanied by his wife for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor.

Irve and Howard Hause and wives of Clinton, were present at the graduating exercises last week Thursday evening, their brother Clarence being one of the graduates.

Road-Commissioner Geo. Exelby is doing a fine job at the South street R. R. crossing by improving the drain tiles and the Wabash will fill in the hollows with cinders.

Ernest Oliver who was weakened from a run of pilious fever, was taken Saturday with bleeding at the nose, and for a while, his condition was critical, but he is now slowly improving.

James Haight has been repairing his side walk in front of his residence and made other improvements, thereby setting an example worthy imitation. It is hoped others will do likewise.

George Exelby is having his residence nicely painted. Our citizens realize nothing returns a better dividend than to keep buildings well painted and others intend following his example.

Children's day services at the Reformed church on Sunday morning at 10:30. The children will be dressed to represent the hours. The parents and friends are invited to be present. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting in the Reformed chapel at 7 p. m., led by Mrs. M. H. Borden.

The Christian Church will observe Children's Day next Sunday, from the evening song in the morning, to the benediction in the evening. In the morning, the Pastor will preach a sermon on "A New Suit of Clothes." In the evening an elaborate program has been prepared, consisting of music, recitations, etc.

RIDGEWAY.

Mae Fletcher is having her trial with the measles at present.

Rob Bailey of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with friends here.

C. O. Hiscock of Albion, visited his mother from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Samuel Helm was called to Adrian Tuesday, by the illness of her sister.

Charles Vanduzer, Maud Helm, and Lizzie Horton, of Milan, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fetzer of Holloway, spent Sunday with her father, Jacob Barret.

Miss Gertrude Marvin left for her home near Azalia, Monday, where she will spend the vacation.

Quite a goodly number from here attended Commencement exercises at Britton, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson of Tecumseh, attended the Commencement exercises Friday evening.

C. A. Graves, the Principal of our school, has been elected to succeed Mr. Benzel on the board of examiners.

W. L. Jones, wife, and daughter May, attended the funeral of Ralph Gillespie, near Tecumseh, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Edward Palmer of Rochester, Mich, road out here on his wheel in eight hours, a distance of 50 miles, Friday.

Prof. L. M. Palmer and family of Jackson, came down to attend Commencement. Mrs. Palmer is visiting a few days with her father, Dr. D. W. Free.

Mabel Graves, with her friend Miss Wood, of Raisin, enjoyed Saturday and Sunday at the home of the formers mothers.

Some of the young people attended the Baccalurate service at Tecumseh, Sunday evening, conducted by Rev. C. M. Brown.

The committee who are canvasing to raise means to build a bicycle track from this village to Britton, are meeting with good success.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pocklington returned from Lansing Tuesday, where they had been visiting their granddaughter, Mrs. Leon McRoberts.

Quite a number of the friends of the graduating class from Holloway and Macon, were present at the Commencement exercises Friday evening.

May Jones went to Hudson Wednesday to visit her friend, Mary Nelson, and to attend Commencement exercises, James Nelson being one of the class.

Rev. E. B. Bancroft, agent for Albion College, gave a very insteresting and earnest appeal for Christian Education in behalf of Albion College and Methodism, Sunday evening.

The village school closed last Friday with exercises at the schoolhouse in the afternoon by the intermediate pupils, and commencement exercises at the church in the evening.

Childrens Day will be observed Sunday by an appropriate sermon by the pastor in the morning, and in the evening the Sabbath school will present an exercise prepared for the occasion.

The members of the village school Alumni, held their first meeting and banquet at the home of Miss B. Fern De Puy's on Saturday evening, where a very pleasing programme was carried out.

Miss Anna Osborn, who has been at Memphis, Tenn, for the past nine months, having a position as instrumental instructor of the Ladies Seminary, returned to her home Monday, very much impoved in health.

A. E. Palmer of the Palmer Furniture works, of Adrian, with his wife and son, were the first passengers to get off a Detroit and Lima Northern train in this village. They came over to attend the commencement exercises as their niece Lura Palmer was among the graduates.

The third annual commencement exercises of the Ridgeway school, were held Friday evening in the church. The auditorium was filled with the friends and relatives of the graduates. The class of '97 numbers four—Elmer T. Pocklington, Ora Freer, Lura E. Palmer and F. May Culbertson. The production given by each member was both interesting and instructive and rendered in a pleasing manner. The Adrian College Male Quartette furnished the musical part of the program. P. S. McKinnon gave the address in his usual pleasing manner No person has a warmer place in the hearts of the citizens of our village than does Mr. McKinnon. The audience room was very tastily decorated with flowers, potted plants, ferns and evergreen; the class colors, white and blue, added very much to the appearance, and in all it was a success throughout. The graduates were the recipients of numerous beautiful gifts.

MACON.

Cool nights!

School closed Friday of last week for the summer vacation.

Sheep shearing and fishing seems to be the order of the day.

We are glad to report, Mrs. Jerry Burleson able to be out again.

A number of the small children, are victims of the whooping cough.

Children's Day will be observed at the Reformed church June 20th.

A number Maconites attended the ball game in Clinton, Saturday P. M. Clinton & Lake Ridge.

Vern Randall and Miss Minta Jackson, Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Exelby, in Britton.

Miss Lela Hendershot celebrated her 11th birthday last Saturday, by giving an ice cream party to a number of her little friends.

The Ladies Aid society of the Reformed church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Davenport, Wednesday afternoon, June 16th.

Mrs. Edwin Howell entertained about a dozen of the old ladies of this place at her home Tuesday afternoon of this week. All report an enjoyable time.

Topic for Epworth League meeting Sunday evening, June 13th is "Reflections for the Department of finance." Prov. 16. 8:28 8:22. Leader, Mrs. Irwin Conklin.

There will be no services in the M. E. church next Sunday on account of the reopening of the Clinton church, the people of Macon having been invited to attend.

Spencer Morgan, Ezra Day, Vern Randall, Edward Miller, Fred Ganoung, and James, David and Elmer Camburn, spent Friday and Saturday of last week fishing at Wampler's lake. They had the best of luck, for they brought home more fish than they could use.

Mrs. Rachel Howell on Tuesday afternoon entertained eleven of her elderly lady friends. These ladies could maintain the claim that the sum of their ages would be greater than that of any other eleven ladies in the place, this sum being 819 yrs. The guests were Mrs. Julia Hendershot, Mrs. Hand, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Burdette, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Elizabeth Camburn, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Travis, and Mrs. Ann Hendershot.

The only remedy in the world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body, that is absolutely safe and never failing, is Doan's Ointment. Get it of your dealer.

CONE.

Miss Bessie Buck, of Pentecost, is visiting friends here.

Dr. Howell visited over Sunday with his parents at Lansing.

Miss Gertie Crittenden is visiting her uncle near Adrian this week.

Bert Boice is drawing milk to the Ridgeway creamery this summer.

Mrs. Jane Aiten and granddaughter, Pearl Kent, are visiting in Toledo.

Children's day services will be observed here Sunday morning June 20th.

Miss Rose Vandeventer is spending the week with friends in Tecumseh.

Rev. Ross, of Fleming, preached at the church here last Thursday evening.

Charlie Dennison spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Joseph, near Stony Creek.

Jesse Exelby and wife, from near Deerfield, were guests at E. Allshouse's last Wednesday.

Benj. Austin and wife, of Azalia, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Austin.

B. W. Ellis attended the funeral of Joe Thackery, a G. A. R. comrade, at Britton, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Reuben Howard, and son, Arthur, of Ashley, are spending a couple of weeks with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mull, of Tecumseh, visited over Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Joseph Rockwood.

Rev. Crandall, of Columbiaville, stopped here Tuesday evening while on his way to attend the C. E. convention at Adrian this week.

Miss Edith Dumphy closed a successful term of school in the Cone district district last Friday with appropriate exercises by the little folks.

Miss Grace Barr closed her school in the Caswell district with an exhibition Saturday evening. There was one graduate, Miss Jessie Auten. Her recitation was entitled, "Only Darkness Brings out the Stars." The scholors presented their teacher with a nice toilet case as a token of their esteem.

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The angry feelings against Americans in Cuba is increasing and is shown by the heated utterances of some of the Havana newspapers.

Lightning Hot Drops is the best remedy I ever knew for cramp colic, and I believe it saved my life. Lightning Hot Drops will certainly do all that is claimed for it.—R. G. Gammon, Caney Branch, Tenn. J. J. Orr, Druggist, Tecumseh.

Final consideration of the railroad booling bill has been again postponed by the senate committee on inter-state commerce.

A Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today: 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

The Sisters of Charity of Cincinnati, have purchased the old city hospital at Lansing, and will reopen it.

A Beautiful Girl Barely Escapes a Life-long Calamity.

It happened in this way. The young daughter of Mrs. E. S. Gibson, Greelyville, South Carolina, was slowly but surely becoming a hopeless invalid. Her mother became anxious and haggard in her frantic efforts to save her daughter. None of her attempts to find a cure seemed of any avail. As stated in her own words: "My daughter was taken sick some time ago and I tried many medicines in vain. She was very weak, appetite poor, bowels costive, and night sweats. She appeared to be cold all the time, being taken with violent chills at times. Her nerves were in a very bad condition. At last I happened to see one of your little books and wrote you. You recommended Peruna. I gave it to her and she has now completely recovered. I owe all that I am worth in this world to you for saving my daughter's life. I shall always keep a supply of your medicines on hand. May you live long to help those suffering as my daughter was." Peruna always cures such cases. Send for free book, written for women only. Address The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, ohio.

Lady Henry Somerset has been re-elected president of the British Women's Temperance association for the eighth time.

There is a Class of People

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 11, 1897.

A. C. Huntington, superintendent of the Clinton Woolen Mills, was in Tecumseh yesterday and made the statement that the Mills could be removed to Tecumseh if this place desired to raise sufficient amount of money so the company could afford to make the move. The company employs 180 people, pays a pay-roll of $2000 per week or nearly $100,000 per year and is prosperous in every particular. Arrangements are now under way for future meetings of the parties interested and Tecumseh stands ready to secure the factory if obtainable.

A Sad Death.

It was a sad accident that befell Ralph Gillespie Thursday of last week; Doubly so as it resulted in his death Saturday evening. Death is always sad, but when it comes to one so young and in perfect health, the pang has a specially keen edge. After breakfast last Thursday morning, Ralph went out to turn the cattle into the pasture. Seeing the men hauling gravel for the road, he got upon a load, and when it was dumped started to turn the team around. How it happened no one will ever know, but the team ran away, he was thrown from the wagon, the wheel striking him on the back of the head. He was gathered up unconscious and never fully regained it. Everything was done that loving and skilled hands could do but with no avail, and he fell asleep with the setting sun Saturday evening.

Ralph was thirteen years of age, a boy of special promise a friend to everybody and everybody's friend. To know him was to love him for his bright, cheerful nature commanded love. The fact of his popularity was demonstrated by the large concourse of friends who completely filled the house and yard at the funeral Tuesday. Rev. C. M. Brown conducted the service, assisted by the Presbyterian choir. Ralph's Sunday-school class were in attendance, part of them acting as pall bearers.

Over a hundred carriages followed the remains to their last resting place and the occupants of every carriage carried hearts of sorrow. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their deep affliction.

Stephen Whittier

Was born in the state of New York, January 14, 1832, and died at his residence in Tecumseh, Mich., June 2, 1897, aged 65 years. About the year 1835 he came to Michigan with his parents and Tecumseh has been his home since. Fifty years ago he united with the M. E. church and has been always a consistent member. Was for 20 years and at the time of his death a member of the official board and superintendent of the Sunday-school 10 years. In 1854 he married Harriet E. Austin, who beside two children, Harriet V., of Tecumseh, and Chas. S., of Grand Rapids, survives him.

Mr. Whittier was a contractor and builder and had lived in 28 different houses in Tecumseh, most of which number he built and sold after occupancy. To him more than to any other man can be given the credit of building up Tecumseh with medium priced neat houses for which the village is noted and it seems almost incredible that one man could live in, build and build ove 28 houses in 40 years.

Although his death has been anticipated by his friends for many weeks, still it was a shock to the whole community, for in Tecumseh no man was better known or more respected than Stephen Whittier. His faithful labors were appreciated by almost every person in town who ever employed a carpenter. He was always cheerful of disposition and painstaking to a fault, a kind father and husband, a good Christian, an honest man. His place in home and church and community cannot be filled. In this case genuine sympathy goes out to the widow and children and the community is truly sad. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Barnes and burial was in charge of the Masons of which order he was a member.

Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions were passed by the Bible Class of the Presbyterian church, Raisin, on the death of the teacher, Nathan Spencer, who died June 2nd, 1897, aged 73 years:

As we meet today in our accustomed places we miss the familiar face of our beloved teacher whose tenement house the Owner did not see fit to repair, and whereas, he has moved to a mansion not made by hands, be it

RESOLVED, that in his removal we have lost a faithful and exemplary teacher and friend who will be sorely missed, and while we grieve we shall see his face no more, we rejoice he is forever free from care and anxiety and at rest in the arms of his Savior.

RESOLVED, the Church and Sabbath-school has lost an earnest Christian helper, the community, a kind and sympathetic friend, and the family, a kind, loving father and grandfather.

RESOLVED, we extend to the family our sympathy and a copy of these be printed in the TECUMSEH HERALD.

MR. AND MRS. W. E. DOTY,
Committee.

Memorial Resolutions on the Death of Jehiel Davidson.

The last roll-call has been answered, the bugle has sounded, "Lights out" and our comrade has gone to his eternal rest, called away while yet in active service to His final reward.

We, the members of Beers' Post, No. 140, by his death have lost a loyal member and a tried patriot for he loved his country in the hour of her peril. How much greater the sorrow to his companion who is left to mourn his departure, but there is no death to the Christian.

"The stars go down
To rise upon some fairer shore.
And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown
They shine forevermore."

Therefore RESOLVED, that as a last tribute of respect to his memory, we have laid the laurel wreath upon his grave remembering his spirit dwells with the great Commander on High, and that his chair and the chart of this post be draped in his memory for thirty days.

H. W. STEVENS,
LEMON BARNES,
WM. B. SMALLIDGE,
Committee.

Ball Game.

The game last Saturday, between the Atlantis, of Ypsilanti, and the home team was a great improvement over the one of the preceding week, and although somewhat one sided, abounded in snappy playing, particularly by the home team. Harris as usual pitched great ball, striking out nine men and holding the visitors down to four singles, in as many innings, but for Gillens passed ball, and Hicks error in the first inning, the visitors would have been shut out. With the exception of Hicks, Spalding, and Gillen, our boys played a gilt edge ball, and batted well. Kennedy leading, having four hits to his credit. Hughes next with two. All the rest save Hicks, made a hit. In the 7th inning Kennedy redeemed himself for his error where by reached first, by putting Wilson out at first and throwing Holly out at 2nd, making a pretty double play. Our boys stole bases on Holly at will having 12 to their credit, while the Atlantis had but 3, for the visitors Meyers, carried off the honors. He played the finest short-stop seen on the grounds, and by his work, saved many runs. Father Kennedy at 2nd fielded his position well, and is a good ball player.

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Atlantis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Tecumseh	0	4	0	1	0	2	2	0	4	—4

Earned runs—Tecumseh 2. 2 Base hits—Kennedy. Lee, Hughes 2. Bases on balls—Stoll, Moore, Kennedy, Spalding Gillen, Harris. Hit by pitched ball—McCarty, Harris. Struck out—By Holly 6, byHarris 9. Double plays—Kennedy to Hicks. Errors—Atlantis 6, Tecumseh 6. Wild throws—M Kirk 2, Gillen 1. Passed balls—M Kirk-1 Gillen 1. Time 1:40.

4th July Excursions.

On July 3, 4, and 5 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell tickets at half rates at all its stations to points within 200 miles of selling station, good returning until July 6th inclusive.

Half Rates—Fourth July.

Excursion tickets at half rates will be sold by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. at all stations on July 3 4 and 5 to points within 200 miles of selling point, good returning until July 6th inclusive.

Milwaukee and Return—Low Rates.

On July 3, 4, and 5, account National Educational Association meeting, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Milwaukee, Wis., and return at half fare, plus $2.00. Tickets good for return, leaving Millwaukee until August 31st. Apply to ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, Ohio., for pamphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions.

Regular Session of June 7, 1897.

Present—The President, Clerk, Trustees J. Heesen, Eldridge, Wright, Lowry.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street Commissioner's report for month of May presented, showing fire team labor 21 days and 2 hours, hired team labor 18 days and 3 hours; hand labor 31 days and 3 hours. Poll tax worked $15.63. 100 loads gravel sold for cement walk, $8. Lumber sold for culvert, $1.63.

Sexton's report for May showing 4 adult and 3 infant interments during month. 2 lots sold for $45 and $16 fees collected.

NEW BUSINESS.

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to finance committee: A. Waring, team labor $32; Dell Packard, hand labor $17.75; Chas. Aten, hand labor $2.75; Philip Hornbeher 50c; A. Richards, surveying, $2; Geo. Heesen, board of review, $4; Geo. Fraser, board of review $4.

Finance committee made a favorable report on all of above bills as read and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Less Than Half Rates to San Francisco.

On June 28, 29, and 30 and July 1, 2 and 3 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco and return at less than half rates. Tickets will be good to return to leave San Francisco until August 9th. Stop over privileges apply at certain points in the west both going and returning. For full information call on ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland O., for pamphlet of information.

Commencement.

The thirtieth commencement exercises of the Tecumseh high school as furnished last evening at the opera house by the class of 1897, though of a different character from that usually followed were most entertaining and reflected great credit to the graduates. The stage was artistically though simply arranged, the only decorations being palms and ferns. Over and following the arch were the class motto, "Facto non verba," and the class colors, blue and yellow. The opera house was filled with friends and invited guests of the class.

Promptly on time the class took their positions and as they came forth from the flys on either side, the ladies in robes of fleecy white and the gentlemen dressed neatly in black. They made a pleasing picture.

Samuel W. McClure, president of the class, then announced the first number of the program, "Dancing o'er the Waves," by the male quartette, composed of Messrs. Coddington, Pulver, Hayden and Elliott, which was generally applauded.

Then came the invocation by Rev. David Lewis, after which Miss Julia Lowry gave a piano solo, charming all by her delicate and skillful touch and fine expression.

The address by Donald D. MacLaurin, D. D., of Detroit, was next on the program. Subject, "Otherism—or Right Conceptions." The reverend gentleman held his listeners spellbound by his masterly address. He is a magnetic as well as dramatic speaker and his manner was easy yet forcible. The class did well in securing his services.

The cornet solo by Geo. W. Knapp with his daughter as accompanist was finely executed and he was forced to respond to the encore.

Leigh H. Pennington then delivered the valedictory which we give in full. Mrs. Kellogg gave a beautiful vocal solo and then Dr. L. G. North after a few appropriate remarks presented the diplomas. The male quartette followed with another selection and as an encore gave a catchy little piece. Rev. David Lewis then pronounced the benediction and the exercises were over.

The class numbering fifteen was composed of the following: Florence L. Huey, Mary A. Mills, Naomi S. North, Cora E. Austin, Agnes L. Eaton, L. May Lowry, Harry C. Osgood, Leigh H. Pennington, Anna L. Williamson, M. Winnifred Richard, William W. Hicks, Grace Hillman, Samuel W. McClure, Calvin W. Snell and Lillian A. Waring. Each member was generously remembered with beautiful flowers and gifts and after receiving the congratulations of their friends, the class repaired to the Masonic temple upon invitation of the officers of the Eastern Star where a fine banquet was served.

VALEDICTORY.

It is fitting on an occasion like this that a recognition of the favors of our friends should be made and to me, at the request of my classmates has the duty been assigned.

Small events in our short lives have shown us that passing opportunities were not always appreciated as they came and went. Four years of high school life closes tonight, and I venture the statement that few of us fully comprehend what they should mean to us. To be sure we are now made to feel that our course here is finished and that, hereafter, yonder brick edifice where we have spent the best part of four years will know us no more. If we wander back there sometime in the future we shall find our old places filled by strangers. There will be no room for us there. Then perhaps more than now we shall realize that great law. We must progress if we would keep out of the way of those following and keep up with those with us.

Year after year we have seen other graduating classes stand here and heard them express their feelings and expectations, yet how lightly we esteemed their words. "Just a little emotional feeling, quite appropriate to the occasion and well adapted for pleasing their friends."

How seldom did we ever give a passing thought to the dignified board which was constantly planning and scheming for our benefit. Indeed I doubt if some of us would have known anything of their diligence had we not been reminded occasionally that our tuition was due.

Then there were our teachers. Some may say they were paid for instructing us. Be it so; when we stop to think we cannot count all the favors shown us by them. These favors are the landmarks along our way, and we shall keep them in memory after all other affairs are forgotten. Perhaps we did not show our appreciation as much as we might, nevertheless we did appreciate all.

As graduates of the high school considerable is expected of us, and that is as it should be for after having such opportunities as we have had, we certainly ought to be capable of usefulness.

Do not think because we have not all come forward and carried out the program as on former commencement occasions that we feel we are not capable of doing so. It makes but little difference what we say here, but what we shall do in the future is the all-important question. Deeds and not words are what count. And we feel that you have been much better entertained by the excellent address to which you have listened than you would have been by us.

In conclusion, in behalf of our class, I wish to thank the board, friends and teachers for the interest and favors of the past. We hope we may in turn be able in future years to help our successors as much as you have helped us.

Minneapolis and return at half Rates.

Account of the meeting of the B. P. O. E. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Minneapolis and return at half rates, plus 50 cents, on July 3, and 4 tickets good returning to leave Minneapolis until July 31st. Write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland, O., for pamphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions, or apply to ticket agents.

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Ladies to grand stand free.

Paris Green at Parrish's.

Miss Ida Jacobs, of Clinton, visited friends here Wednesday.

Did you ever try any of Mobbs & Co's 25c coffee?

Roy Codling, of Clinton, spent Sunday with his brother Robert and family.

Dr. W. D. Reed attended the State Dental Association at Battle Creek this week.

Mrs. D. P. Wheeler returned Tuesday from a pleasant visit with Blissfield friends.

New dinner and toilet sets cheaper than you ever saw them sold before, at Ansley's.

Mrs. and Miss Stacy visited J. D. Walker's family near Adrian three days this week.

Howard Whelan came over from Detroit and visited his mother from Friday until Monday.

Frictionless axle oil at Parrish's.

Match your hat and dress with a pair of green shoes. You can get them at Warner Bros.'

The Misses Minnie Jacobs and Josephine Rogers, of Clinton, were calling on friends Saturday.

Special sale of rugs Saturday at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

Helen Garlinghouse and Joseph Smith attended the K. T. parade in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday.

[illegible] Beck, of Adrian, was shaking hands with friends here Tuesday. He is on the road and not married.

[illegible] Belding and wife and Charles Smith and family spend Sunday with friends on the north shore of Sand lake.

Adrian Bandmen's Association will meet in Adrian Sunday, June 13th, at 2:30 p. m. About 70 "tooters" are expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith attended the funeral of Philip DeSerma at Onsted yesterday. Mr. DeSerma was Mrs. Smith's uncle.

You get a ticket with every cigar at Parrish's.

Prof. E. A. Wilson and wife, on their return from Benton Harbor to Ridgeway Island, called on a few Tecumseh friends yesterday.

Up to this time over $4200 of the Cuban Northern subscription money has been collected. Tecumseh people are, as a class, very prompt payers.

Cuban Northern train leave Tecumseh station as follows;—Going North, 8 a. m. 2: 50 p. m. 9: 15 p. m. Going South, 5: 50 a: m: 12: 25 p: m: 6: 22 p: m. Day train North, 11: 10½: m. South, 4: p:m.

Word has been received of the death of E. B. Ward at Lawrence, Kansas. Mr. Ward was for many years a resident of Tecumseh and a suitable sketch of his life will appear in the HERALD of next week.

Extract, lemon and vanilla, the best at Parrish's.

Mr. Kelly, son of Washington Kelly, who was a former resident of Tecumseh, died at Bay City Saturday last. He was employed by the Street Railway Co. and considered one of their most trustworthy men.

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G. H. TANSLEY.

Wall paper at Parrish's.

Brant Roberts was in Detroit Wednesday.

Miss Hall and Miss Brewer are home for the vacation.

J. W. Wightman was in Lansing a part of the week.

Why don't you try Mobbs & Co's 25c coffee? It is fine.

Toilet soaps and perfumery at Parrish's.

Stop at Karner Bros.' show window and see the latest thing in green shoes.

Mrs. James McCann is entertaining her sister, Miss Bates, of Burker Hill.

J. R. Fowler was home over yesterday, returned to Toledo this morning.

Miss Sena Hosmer is home from her school duties at Toledo for the summer vacation.

Until July 1st, you can obtain Mantello size photo's for 99cts. per dozen at Miss Daly's.

Pepsin cherry phosphate, the finest hot weather drink, at Mrs. M. E. Bice's.

Fred B. Wood attended the Mystic Shriners meeting at Detroit a couple of days this week.

Mrs. E. M. Banister, mother of Mrs. M. E. Bice, who has been quite ill, is slowly improving.

Carriage sponges at Parrish's.

Mrs. A. E. Hamilton is visiting a brother at Ambrose, Ohio, and will remain a week or two.

Children's day at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Services as usual in the evening.

Mrs. C. W. Kimball and Mrs. E. Francis Stone have been guests of Mrs. Lilley and Mrs. Tribou for a few days.

E. C. Adams at the opera house June 16th in a varied and marvelous exhibition of the latest in magic, assisted by some of the best home talent. See program later.

Al E. Karner went to Toledo on his wheel, Sunday to be ready for business Monday. On account of the rain, he concluded to return by rail which he did Tuesday.

Household ammonia at Parrish's.

Mrs. P. J. Farley of Jackson, who came down to attend the funeral of her nephew, Ralph Gillespie, remained over for a few days visit with her son, Richard and family.

I have some bargains to offer in second-hand mowers and binders. Low prices on hay rakes, tedders, loaders, racks, rope and binding twine.

C. A. SLAYTON.

The annual meeting of the Tecumseh High School Alumni will be held in the Armory this evening, commencing at 8:30 sharp. The invitation to attend is extended to all friends of the association. A program of unusual interest has been prepared and the meeting will be one of the social events of the season.

We understand the council contemplate passing an ordinance restricting the speed of bicyclists within the corporation and that the ordinance against driving faster than six miles an hour will be rigidly enforced. It will therefore stand our wheelmen as well as drivers in band to "look a little out" or they may be marched up to the captain's office and required to fork over good money.

Beeswax wanted at Parrish's.

The bicyclists in all the towns around us are not only agitating bicycle paths but raising money for that purpose. Why are not our wheelmen doing the same thing? They do not want to be behind their neighbors in this almost imperative necessity. Cinder paths are the thing and ought to be built between towns. When this is done the condition of the wagon roads will not effect the use of wheels but they can be used nearly the year round.

Mrs. E. L. Russell after a short but painful illness wherein all medical skill and the tenderest care seemed futile, surrounded by loved ones, passed away Saturday morning at 5 o'clock, being one of the pioneers, and possessing qualities that made all friends who came in contact with her. Her funeral which was held at the M. E. Church Tuesday after-noon was attended by a great concourse of friends. Rev. J. P. Varner being away, Rev. O. J. Perrin of Dundee, a former pastor, attended.

From time to time as the years go by many pleasant memories long forgotten are revived by some circumstance and become deeply interesting to people of today. Decoration day, perhaps, leads all others in bringing to light incidents that otherwise would remain unknown to the present age. Among those gleaned this year from our exchanges is the following from the South Bend Saturday Tribune of May 22nd, which we think will be interesting to our readers as the parties honored in the first case are closely related to the chief executive of our country and the others to our fellow townsmen, James, John and Charles Heck. The historic spot mentioned is where the battle of Gettysburg was fought:—

"Our city cemetery is the resting place of the bodies of the grandparents of President William McKinley, commander-in-chief of our army and navy, and that we may help to honor this spot we invite Masters Edwin Nicar, jr., Walter Schamel and Fred B. King, Misses Helen G. Roth, Addie Creed and Hazel M. Harlin, sons and daughters of veterans, to decorate the McKinley lot; again, Daniel Heck, a soldier of the war of 1812 and once owner of the historic ground known as 'Little Round Top,' and his son, our comrade, William C. Heck who in childhood's happy days whiled away many pleasant hours on and around this now familiar spot, are buried side by side in our beautiful cemetery. I make a special detail of Comrades Jonathan P. Creed, Julius Waldschmidt, Rudolph W. Donmoyer and other veterans of our city who participated in the battle of Gettysburg, to decorate these two graves."

Window shades at Parrish's.

Try the coffee buns at the City Bakery.

Mrs. O. P. Bills is home from her visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse were in Detroit Sunday.

Buy your drugs of the new firm, S. E. Parrish.

Shirt waists right in style and price at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

See if there is anything green in Karner Bros'. ad. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver T. Rose are up from Toledo for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Abbie Kimball, of Adrian, visited Mrs. Judge Stacy this week.

Mr. Hascall, superintendent of the D. & L. N., was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

W. C. Burridge has been in Lansing and Detroit this week on legal business.

Rev. John Farris, of Pittsburgh, was the guest of Rev. C. M. Brown Monday.

Henry Lovejoy, of Adrian, was calling on friends yesterday.

Carriage paints at Parrish's.

Mr. Nopper, administrator of the estate of Will Arnold, was in town Tuesday.

Leave your orders at Adamson Bros.' for Sunday papers. They will be delivered at your door.

Miss Bertha Smeltzer is assisting at Adamson's during the rush of commencement business.

If you have any good potatoes to sell, C. A. Slayton will pay you top price now as he is loading a car.

Mr. & Mrs. L. B. Stevens and children, of Detroit, are spending a few days' vacation in Tecumseh.

Miss Helen Anderson graduated at Vassar Wednesday and is expected home the first of next week.

The Farmers' Social Club will hold the annual picnic at Putnam's landing, Sand Lake, Saturday, June 19th.

Just examine my prices and my goods and the rest I will leave with you.

G. H. TANSLEY.

A. C. Aylesworth brought the first home-grown strawberries to market last Friday. Mobbs & Co. handle them.

Mrs. Sam James and son arrived in Tecumseh Saturday from Texas. They will remain here during the summer.

Bug poison 2c a pound at Parrish's.

A. E. Kniffen, of Britton, own a three-year-old steer which weighs 2100 pounds and is the wonder of all that country.

Gen. F. B. Wood, Col. Kyle, Dr. Steinhoff. Dr. Jones and Joseph Smith attended decoration services of the K. T. in Adrian Sunday.

Miss Jennie McCowen and her neice, Miss Alice McCowen, leave the first of the week for quite an extended visit at Three Rivers, Mich.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers Club will hold its annual picnic at Putnam's landing, Sand Lake, June 23rd. Basket dinner.

David Lewis will deliver an address Sunday evening on the miracle-worker of Chicago, Dr. Dawie. Fred Buck, of Adrian, will conduct the singing.

"Senator" Brailey, of the D. & L. N., is working among his "constituents" this week and among other things distributed two boxes of cigars to our townsman, Burt Garlinghouse.

Sunday morning in the Universalist church: "What are we here for?" Everyone interested in the welfare of the Universalist church or of the liberal faith in this community is requested to be present.

The pupils of Mary Anderson gave a recital at her residence last Friday evening. These recitals are a source of much benefit to the pupils as well as enjoyment to a number of guests invited by the pupils.

Wednesday afternoon the teachers and pupils at the West Branch school had a picnic tea in the pleasant grove surrounding the building and was a success in every respect. While the festivities were at their zenith Miss Hattie Conklin, teacher of the 3rd and 4th grades, was presented with an elegant rocker by the pupils which dazed the young lady, for it had been so cleverly arranged by the juveniles that she was completely taken by surprise.

The annual inspection of Company C occurred at the Armory Wednesday evening of last week. Inspector-General Fred H. Case, of Three Rivers, assisted by Capt. Gardner, of the 19th U. S. Infl., who has been detailed by the Secretary of War as instructor of the M. N. G., inspected the armory, clothing and accoutrements. Mayor Howell and Capt. Holloway, of Adrian, were also present. In the evening the company were drilled in the manuals of arms, firings and foot movements, and found to be proficient. It has been the usual custom of the inspector at the conclusion of the inspection to state in what condition he finds the men as a company; but Gen. Case and Capt. Gardner refrained from making any remarks whateves, Capt. Gardner stating that a written report would be forwarded to Capt. Hayden at an early date, and until the arrival of such report nothing definite will be known. The inspection of '97 shows a general, all-around marked improvement over the one of '96, and much credit is due Capt. Hayden and the Lieutenants for the efforts they have made to bring Company C up to the standard of a fine military organization. Tecumseh is the second smallest town in the state that can boast of being a military station, and it is with only the hardest kind of work that the enlistment roll is kept up to the requisite number. The slight interest and appreciation which some of our citizens display, make it very discouraging for the officers and members of the company who are trying hard to keep the organization to the front and it is hoped that much more appreciation will be shown by outsiders, that we are homeward with this fine body of soldiers.

Dont fail to see the ball game tomorrow. Lake Ridge Farmers vs Tecumseh.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Mrs. Lizzie Ware, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. M. Hayden, and other friends.

Mrs. H. A. Warren and daughhter, drove over from Blissfield and are the guests of Mrs. Will SIsson.

The Arnold saloon, which has been thoroughly renovated and newly papered and painted, has been opened by Frank Wallinger who will run it in fine style. The bakery will soon be opened by parties from away.

The large crop of grass and wheat to be harvested will require many new machines, and to meet the demand C. A. Slayton is getting in a car of McCormick mowers and binders. When you get a McCormick you have the best the market offers.

Burt Garlinghouse has sold his steam piano. The sale was brought about through an advertisement which appeared in the HERALD some weeks since. It is thought that the D. & L. N. secured the instrument and will start a Casino over in Detroit.

Word was received Monday of the death of Mrs. Dr. Fulton at Norwich, N. Y. Mrs. Fulton was a sister of the late Dr. Fisher, and Mrs. Horace Baker and of Mrs. A. L. Millis and mother of Rev. C. A. Fulton, pastor of the First Baptist church of Detroit, lived in Tecumseh many years and was loved and respected by all who knew her.

The Farmers' Union Club will hold their annual picnic in Minor Davidson's grove June 17th, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. Picnic dinner. At 2 o'clock p. m. the following program will be carried out:

Music—Ridgeway Glee Club.
Prayer—Rev. Cansfield.
Recitation—Leora Boyd.
Paper—Fern DePuy.
Music—Glee Club.
Recitation—Bertha Smeltzer.
Paper—E. Lowe.
Music—Glee Club.
Address—Hon. Grant Fellows, Hudson.

It is also expected that Hon. Geo. B. Horton will be present on that occasion.

David Garlinghouse.

Died, at Napoleon, Jackson county, Mich., on Wednesday, June 2nd, 1897, David Garlinghouse, aged 92 years.

The deceased was born in New Jersey March 10th, 1805, and was the eldest of a large family, all of whom, save one, have gone before him to the other world. In young manhood he removed with his parents to Steuben county, N. Y., where in 1831 he was united in marriage to Miss Jane Coryell. In 1836 he came with his family to what was then the Territory of Michigan. In October, 1862, his wife died, leaving three sons and one daughter, another daughter having died in childhood. In October, 1867, he was again married.

For nearly thirty-five years Lenawee county was his home. In the spring of 1871 he sold his farm in Macon and went with his son, John, to a farm west of Napoleon, where he has since lived. On March 11th, 1896, Death again claimed his companion.

He was in the best sense of the word a good man, a man who would scorn to do a dishonorable deed. Wealth never came to him nor did he crave position or power, yet life for him was not a failure and he was held in high esteem by all who knew him for his sterling worth, honor and honesty. As age came on those who were younger liked to listen to his stories of olden times told in his quaint way. We shall all miss "Uncle David." For many years and especially since the death of his wife, he had been wont to say, "Well, I don't know as I shall be here a great while longer, but I have no reason to complain. I have had a long life and pretty good health and am ready to go when called."

His last illness was short and not accompanied by much suffering. There was just a failure of the vital forces and the worn-out body was at rest. The daughter, Mrs. Lettie Cogswell, died in 1892. The three sons, Ira, John and Daniel, were present at the funeral which was held at his late home. The services were conducted by Rev. Brundage, pastor of the Napoleon Baptist church, and were attended by a large number of neighbors and friends. He was buried beside his wife in the Napoleon cemetery.

Those who loved him best could not wish it otherwise, feeling that his life's work was done and resting in the full belief that he had the assurance of a reunion with the loved ones gone before to the Better Land.

Grand Cheap Excursion to Toledo via C. J. & M. R'y.

On Sunday, June 13th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo. Tickets good returning on special train same day and on regular trains the following day. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:12 a. m. Fare, 75 cts. for the round trip. Entire new list of attractions at the Casino. Boats are making regular trips to Presque Isle. Don't fail to go.

For further information see hand bills or call on C. J. & M. agent.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., June 8 1897:

P. S. Root, M. D. Miss Lena Spiegel, John Steeve, Miss Bertha Zilke.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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THE CHAPLAIN'S STORY.

Jim Bourn and I were boys together at Westminster; we went to Oxford together—to Balliol; we took our degrees together in the classical (honors) school, and were ordained together by the bishop of L——, as curates for his diocese. Here our paths separated for some years, and when next we renewed our old friendship I was the vicar of the town. Still single at 34, and Jim was the chaplain of the famous jail in the same town, and married.

We were talking in my study as in olden times. Somehow the conversation drifted to the subject of a recent newspaper article: "Ought Married People to Have Any Secrets from Each Other?" I said "No," Jim said "Yes." We both smilingly stuck to our text.

"Why, Jim," said I, "you would have been the last person I should have expected to take that line, for I am sure, from what I have seen, that if ever two folks were happy and loving, they are Ella and yourself. I can't conceive of your having any secret which you would not want Ella to know."

"Ah," retorted he, with a peculiar smile, "that's just it. Well, Howson, I'll tell you one, if you like, though," he added, "it must remain a secret between us two. I have never spoken of it to anyone in the world, and never shall, except to yourself."

"Thanks, Jim, you need not fear me, as you know. I am only desirous to know the case," and I assumed an attitude of eager attention to Jim's story.

"I was the chaplain at Lowmarket, as you are well aware, before I came here. It is a pretty place, and one wonders whatever made the government build a jail there. However, there it is, and there was I. The amount of society that one got in Lowmarket was perfectly astonishing. Had I had the time and inclination for it, I might have turned out a regular 'society' clergyman. As it was, I had a full amount of lectures, soirees, parties and entertainments. Among the people I got in with one were nicer than the Yorks. Miss York, a maiden lady of 50, lived in a large and beautifully furnished house called 'The Cedars,' in the best part of the town. She was known all over the district for her charity, kindness of heart and pure life. Everybody had a good word for her. Nor was her niece, Miss York, any less popular. People in Lowmarket fairly worshiped both of them.

"I was 28 when I first saw Ella York, and at once succumbed to her charms. For weeks her praises had been in my ears, and now, on acquaintance, I found her beauty, her manners, her kindness of heart, not one whit less than report stated. I loved her. Of course, I could not say so at once; and whether, after two or three meetings in the course of my work—for Miss York the elder took great interest in our sphere of labor—she guessed my love, and reciprocated it, I could not then say. I found, upon judicious inquiries, that Miss York—Ella—lived with her aunt from childhood; that she was now 24; that her mother was dead, and her father lived on the continent for his health; also that she was her aunt's sole heiress. These facts were of course only learned by degrees, as one cannot go to the ountain head for such information.

"After much heart-searching and debating within myself, I thought I saw that Ella York was not wholly indifferent to me, and I resolved to ask her to be my wife. I need not go into details as to how I did it, beyond saying that it was one summer morning rather more than five years ago, when, having gone to see her aunt, who was out, I met Ella in the grounds; and after talking as we walked along on various subjects, somehow it came out unexpectedly, and almost before I could comprehend what it all meant, Ella York had promised to be my wife, subject to her aunt's consent.

"But her aunt didn't consent. I received a dainty note that night—how tenderly I regarded it, Howson!—from Ella, saying that she had spoken of my visit to her aunt, and had told her I was coming to-morrow for her approval; Miss York had been very kind, but acted rather strangely, and said she would see me, but she could not consent, as she did not wish to lose Ella. My dear girl went on to say that she had in vain tried to get from her any more than this.

"I was in a curious state of mind as I went next morning to see Miss York. What could her objection really be? Surely not to me! My position, my family, my life here were, I hoped, beyond reproach. Even were it a question of money, I had enough private means, as you know. As for Miss York, well, of course, it would be lonely without Ella at first, after so many years' companionship, but surely she didn't expect her never to get married! It was preposterous.

"I was destined to know her objection. As I approached the lodge the porteress met me.

"'Oh, Mr. Bourn, this is shocking!'

"I was more puzzled than ever! Why my engagement to Ella should be 'shocking' I couldn't see; and I no doubt expressed it in my looks.

"'So sudden, too, sir!' said the woman. 'Nobody expected it.'

"'Whatever's the matter?' said I.

"'Why haven't you heard that Miss York is dead? No! Oh, dear! Poor thing; had a fit in the night, doctor says; was quite unconscious when Miss Ella got there, and died at nine o'clock this morning.'

"My heart sank; I felt faint and giddy; it was some minutes before I could move. You will never know how it feels, Howson, unless you should have such a blow, which I hope you never will. But I am bound to say that my one thought was: 'My poor, lonely darling, Ella!'

"There were no more details to be learned about Miss York's death. She was buried in Lowmarket churchyard. Ella was ill for weeks, and could not see even me. When she was well enough to attend to business, it was found that she inherited all her aunt's money; and as she had already accepted me, we were married a twelvemonth afterward. She had been awfully lonely, she said, since Miss York's death; but no couple had ever lived happier and been nearer and dearer to each other than Ella and I. May God bless her!"

"Amen!" said I, solemnly and reverently.

"Ella and I," pursued Jim, "could never give the remotest guess as to her aunt's objection to our engagement, and it would probably have remained a mystery to me, as it has to Ella even now, had it not been for the following circumstances: Some time ago I was sent for at the prison to see a rather desperate character, whose end was very near. He had been sent to seven years' penal servitude some three years before for forgery, and after serving two years at Portland had been transferred to Lowmarket. His appearance was superior to that of the ordinary convict, even when a forger. Although I had seen him several times and certainly been struck with his face and appearance, we could not be said to be friendly, as he had been indifferent to all my advances.

"I found him lying in the hospital, and I soon saw that he would not live very long.

"'You seem pleased to see me?' I said.

"'Yes, sir,' replied No. 152. 'I am glad you've come; I hardly expected you would, considering how standoffish I've been. But I wanted to see you, as the doctor says I'm not likely to last much longer—perhaps not until to-morrow.'

"'There, well, never mind. Keep your courage up, and you'll probably deceive the doctor.'

"I talked to him about his soul and spiritual things. That we may pass by, Howson; I believe he was thoroughly penitent. I asked him if there was anything I could do for him.

"'Yes, sir, there is one thing, if you will. It's such a curious one I hardly like to ask you.' His eyes looked eagerly at me.

"'Go on,' said I; 'I'll do it if possible.'

"'I've had a queer life, sir,' said the convict. 'I might have been somebody and done some good; but I got led astray after marriage and broke the heart of my wife, who died soon afterward. Yes, I've led a bad life, and it's precious few friends I've had lately, anyhow. But I hope I may be forgiven, as you say God will pardon even the worst of us. And if you'll promise me to do one thing when I'm dead, I shall die happy.'

"'I'll promise it as far as I can,' said I. 'What is it?'

"'It's to take care of your wife,' answered No. 152. 'Ah,' said he, smiling, 'I thought that would astonish you.'

"'Take care of my wife!' I gazed at him in amazement. 'Why, of course I shall! But what is that to you?'

"'A great deal,' said he.

"'Why?'

"'Because she's—my daughter!'

"I looked at him in terror and astonishment, and was about to send for the nurse and for the doctor, feeling sure he was rambling, when he said, slowly:

"'Sit down, sir, please; I can't talk much longer. You need not send for Dr. Darton; I'm all right. I feared it would give you a shock, sir, as it gave me one the first time I saw her here with you. Ella York—you see, I know her name all right—was taken when quite a child by her aunt, who disowned me, and never told the child what her father was. In that she was quite right. She changed her name from Wilson to her mother's name of York and completed the disguise. Whenever I desired—and, oh, sir, I did often desire—to see Ella, my darling, Miss York has always threatened me with the police, and I knew better than to have them on my track if I could help it. Yes, sir, I see you can't realize it yet, but you'll find Ella Wilson's birth and baptism in the registers of Northfield, and I give you my word it's true.'

"I sat in dumb silence. What could I say? Ella, my Ella, a convict's daughter!

"'Please, sir, don't tell her,' said he. 'She has never known; don't let her know. But I felt I must tell you, sir, and you'll not think any worse of her?' and his eyes looked pleadingly and wistfully at me.

"My senses had somewhat returned.

"'No,' said I, 'of course not. I am half dazed, but I feel what you say is true. But Ella is my own now, and always shall be while I live. I wish I had not heard this, but it cannot alter my love for Ella.'

"'Thank God!' he said. 'And, sir, there's one thing more. The doctor says I shall sleep myself away. Do you think it could be managed for my darling to give me one kiss ere I die—just one?'

"'I'll try. Yes,' said I, 'she shall, if you'll leave it to me.'

"'I will! God bless you, Mr. Bourn.'

"I left him. When I got home Ella thought I was ill, and indeed I was. Overwork, I pleaded. In another hour they came to tell me he was asleep, and would not wake in this world.

"I took Ella with me to the hospital. 'Ella,' said I, 'a prisoner who is dying, and who has no—few—friends, told me to-day how he had seen you and would like you to kiss him ere he died, as his own daughter would have done. Will you?'

"'Certainly, my darling.'

"And with eyes full of tears she did. The unconscious form rose, the eyelids half opened, the face smiled. She didn't know; did he?

"I led her away, weeping, my own heart full. I afterward verified his story. But Ella has never known any more, Howson, and never will. There is sometimes a secret which should not be shared between husband and wife, Howson, isn't there?"

"You're right, dear old Jim," said I, as he grasped my hand in silence, but with tear-dimmed eyes. "You're right, old fellow, and God bless you both!"—Birmingham Weekly News.

IN NEED OF AID.

Poles Out of Work Are in a Very Destitute Condition.

Bay City, June 7.—It is reported from the eighth ward that many of the Polish families there are in a destitute condition, owing to the impossibility of securing employment. The Poles do all of the manual labor in the saw mills, with the exception of a few positions, having driven out other nationalities that formerly manufactured the lumber, and they now find that there are not places for even the Poles. This is largely due to the fact that just as soon as a Polish boy reaches the age of 16 he is put into the mills and factories to take a man's place, and the adults are crowded out. A meeting was held in the ward to devise means for taking care of the destitute families.

SIGNS RAILWAY TAX BILL.

Gov. Pingree Puts His Favorite Measure on the Statute Books.

Lansing, June 5.—The bill which the Pingree forces fought the hardest in the legislature was the Merriman bill, increasing the specific tax rates paid by railroad companies, and the last act of the governor before adjournment was to send a special message to the legislature asking that the session be extended until the bill could be perfected, he having been advised by the law faculty of Michigan university that there is a grave question as to its unconstitutionality. Gov. Pingree Friday night signed the bill. Sixty-five other bills were also signed Friday.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED.

Highwaymen Beat and Plunder Edward Anneck Near Sodus.

Niles, June 8.—Edward Anneck, a wealthy farmer of this county, residing near Sodus, was terribly assaulted by two unknown highwaymen Sunday night near Indian lake. He was returning home from the lake when he was attacked. He was terribly battered and his face disfigured. His body was dragged into an adjoining wood, where it was found late Monday. A small sum of money and his gold watch were taken. His wounds will probably be fatal.

Musical Festival at Albion.

Albion, June 8.—The musical festival began Monday before a large and enthusiastic audience. Mr. McKinley, the tenor, was enthusiastically encored. His rendition of Gluck's "Our Hearts in Childhood's Hour Intertwining" and Beethoven's "Adelaide" called forth hearty applause. Nor did Mr. McKinley receive the only honors. His wife, who played his accompaniment, was on the programme for a piano solo. She played Rubenstein's "Etude" in C major and was heartily encored.

Must Make Reports.

Lansing, June 5.—The last legislature amended the law requiring corporations to file an annual report with the secretary of state. As it now stands the secretary of state must send notice to delinquent corporations and to provide, if the neglect continues 30 days after this notice, that it shall be deemed willful. The old law was inoperative, as Attorney-General Maynard discovered. It is in such a condition now, however, that it can be enforced.

Damage Completed.

Marquette, June 5.—Upper peninsula farmers will suffer severely by the general drop in temperature to freezing accompanied at the higher altitudes by heavy snow fall. Crops and all vegetables had already suffered heavily by backwardness of season, but Friday night's freeze will complete the damage.

Elopers Are Happy.

Muskegon, June 7. — The Michigan Trust company sent Ralph Stone here to take charge of the property of its ward, Warren T. Martin, an incompetent, who ran away to Milwaukee to marry. Martin and his bride have moved into their new home and are happy.

New Professors for Ann Arbor.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 7.—Instructor W. B. Pillsbury will leave Cornell university to accept a position in the department of psychology in the University of Michigan. W. W. Flores, also of Cornell, will likewise go to the Michigan university as professor of German.

New Cheese Factory.

Saginaw, June 7. — A cheese factory is about to be started just south of the city in which L. A. Clark, of Saginaw, and a number of farmers are interested. It will utilize the milk of 400 cows and the buildings will be erected within a month on Mr. Clark's farm.

Wheel Ran Away with Him.

Cheboygan, June 7.—A young man named Button while riding his bicycle near the bridge lost control of it and ran off the docks into deep water. He went down for the third time when Ernest Grisbrook jumped into the water and saved him.

Tramps Sent to Jail.

Corunna, June 7. — The ten tramps held of the 13 arrested in Durand were brought before Justice Peacock and pleaded guilty to the charge of vagrancy and were given 30 days each in the county jail.

A Damaging Frost.

Decatur, June 9.—The most severe June frost for years visited this region Monday night, seriously damaging the Michigan peppermint crop. Potatoes and corn also received severe injury.

Snow at Negaunee.

Negaunee, June 5.—A sudden change in the weather caused a drop of over 30 degrees in the thermometer Friday afternoon, and at six o'clock snow began to fall.

Children Taken from Factories.

Muskegon, June 6. — Deputy Factory Inspector Addison has ordered out of factories here and sent back to school between 75 and 100 children under school age.

Blew Off His Head.

Holland, June 8.—James Smalley, aged 15, went hunting. His gun exploded, blowing off his head.

Calumet Baking Powder

has turned the tables on high price baking powders. The directions on High Price cans are the same as on *Calumet* cans, viz: 2 teaspoonfuls to a quart of flour, but they say that one can of High Price will go three times as far as any other. Can any claim be more ridiculous? The frantic cry of adulteration, danger and poison made by the high price baking powder people is a blind to intimidate the public and induce them to pay fancy prices for their goods—also to divert attention from this defect in their own goods.

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Napoleon	6 58 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Carleton	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Manchester	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 66 "
Clinton	7 28 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 38 "	3 05 "	2 05 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 15 "	3 45 "	4 3 "
Detroit	10 45 "	6 20 "	9 00 "
Toledo	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 2.

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 3 00 p. m.
" " 335 " " " 11:35 "

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STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 3-8 Accom
Detroit	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Toledo	7 45 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 05 A.M
Tecumseh	9 05 "	9 19 "	7 38 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 19 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
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No. 23,	Passenger	6:02 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
No. 31,	Passenger	6:46 a. m.

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No. 22,	Passenger	8:42 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:07 p. m.
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"I declare you're the most punctual girl alive, Maggie, and how sweet you look!"

Lady Carew surveyed her cousin's figure approvingly, as Mrs. Fawcett's maid put the last touches to her toilet.

"Do you really like me?" and Maggie Fawcett turned slowly round that no item of her dainty ball gown might be lost.

"My dear, you'll be the success of the evening; and, O, what an exquisite bangle that is!" and, with an exclamation of delight, Lady Carew caught her cousin's wrist, on which glittered a magnificent bracelet set with diamonds and emeralds. "Surely that's new, isn't it? It wasn't a wedding present, was it?"

Mrs. Fawcett flushed nervously. "No; you haven't seen it before—I only had it yesterday."

"You lucky creature, to get promiscuous presents like that! Who gave it to you?"

The flush on Maggie's cheek deepened.

"Eric, of course," she replied, with a laugh. "He spoils me dreadfully, you know."

Lady Carew's lips quivered into an indefinable expression.

"My dear," she answered, smiling, "beware of a husband's unprovoked presents."

"What do you mean?" asked Maggie, quickly.

"Only that their source is more often a guilty conscience than an overflowing affection."

"Laura, why will you say such things? Come, the carriage is ready."

"So am I; but isn't Eric coming?"

"Not with us; he was lunching with the Delawares and sent over for his things. He will go with them, and he goes back there to sleep."

The two women then took their places in the snug brougham. It was a fairly long drive to Treloar hall, where the Darshire hunt ball was to take place, but there was absolute silence in the carriage, partly because, as cousins and intimate friends, there was no necessity for conversation between its occupants, and also because Maggie Fawcett knew of old that Lady Carew hated to tire herself out with talking before the serious business of the flirting and waltzing began.

Maggie Fawcett's appearance at the hunt ball was something of an event. She was the bride of the occasion. Early in the spring she had married Eric Fawcett, and this was the first winter she had spent on his estate in Darshire.

Now and then Lady Carew glanced at her cousin. Maggie leaned back in her corner, the white fur of her wrap nestling around her throat and her head resting against the cushions of the carriage. It struck her companion that the young wife's face was a little pale, and that it wore a look of suppressed excitement, mingled with something which seemed almost like anxiety. "What can be the matter with the girl?" murmured Lady Carew to herself. "She is evidently disturbed about something. How she plays with that bracelet. I wonder—but, no! Maggie is the best little soul alive; and, besides, there isn't an eligible man within a dozen miles. Still, I never should have expected Eric Fawcett to have turned out a model husband;" and she laughed softly to herself.

Laura Carew was a good six years older than her cousin, and she remembered very distinctly that at the same ball last year, before Maggie had flashed upon his firmament, Eric Fawcett had been her very devoted slave, and naturally she smiled at the recollection—a little pityingly, perhaps, for Lady Carew could not quite understand an admirer deserting her for Maggie, and, though she was fond of her cousin, she was rather sorry for Eric. Women generally are sorry for the men who marry some one else.

But, in spite of Lady Carew's moderate estimate of Maggie's powers of attraction, her card was full before she had been in the room ten minutes—as full, that is, as she would allow it to be; for she valiantly resisted all efforts to fill up two spaces which she insisted on preserving.

She was standing by her husband in the midst of a group of people. She put her hand gently on his arm.

"Eric," she whispered, "I've kept you two waltzes."

"Two!" and he laughed as he looked down at her. "Why, little woman, we can't dance together twice—it would be ridiculous! Here, I'll take this one. I don't suppose you'll have any difficulty in filling the other; you're looking very pretty to-night. I must go, dear; this is my dance with Laura."

Maggie Fawcett bit her lips. She wouldn't have minded people seeing that she was in love with her husband and that she thought him the handsomest man in the room, but men were different — very different — and her heart swelled as a rush of memories came upon her. She answered her partner's not very abstruse remarks mechanically. It was doubtless bad form, but her eyes sought her husband's figure; he was waltzing with Laura—it seemed to her that he was always waltzing with Laura. But, then, perhaps Eric might be thinking the same thing of her, for she had certainly danced a great many times with this Mr. Dobson—Dodson—she was not at all sure of his name, and she really did not care at all who was her partner. The Darshire hunt ball was not amusing, she thought, and it was a little embarrassing that so many people noticed and admired her bangle; she touched it doubtfully, twisting it on her arm so that the diamond flashed in her eyes. It was very pretty, but—

"Maggie seems to be putting in a very good time to-night," observed Lady Carew, as she strolled into the conservatory with Eric Fawcett; "she appears to be enjoying herself tremendously."

"Not half so much as I am," replied Eric, with a laugh. "It is quite like old times, isn't it?" he added, drawing a low seat forward for his companion.

"O, my dear Eric, don't try to be sentimental! But, really, I begin to think my warning to Maggie was not uncalled—"

"Eh! What warning?"

"Well, it rather seems to me that the Old Adam is returning, my friend; that domestic joys are palling, and forbidden fruit is becoming terribly attractive."

"Is that a challenge?"

"Not at all; besides, Maggie is my cousin and my friend, and I think it is right to warn her."

"Are you in fun or in earnest? What do you mean by warning her?"

Lady Carew broke into a laugh.

"Only that I told her to beware of a husband's presents—that a magnificent diamond and emerald bracelet often meant more than met the eye when it was bestowed apprpos de bottes."

"Really, I haven't the slightest idea of what you mean."

"Mean? Why, the lovely bangle you gave her yesterday."

"I gave Maggie a bangle yesterday?"

"Certainly. She is wearing it to-night."

"You must be dreaming."

Lady Carew looked at her companion's face with frank astonishment.

"I am very sorry," she said, quietly. "I am afraid I have been indiscreet; but how was I to guess? O, what are you going to do?"

For at that moment Mrs. Fawcett entered the conservatory on the arm of her partner, and Eric immediately arose to his feet. Laura caught his arm.

"Eric, don't be ridiculous, it is some absurd mistake! I'll take that man away. Speak to Maggie, but for heaven's sake don't look like that."

But, in spite of Lady Carew's efforts, it was not an easy thing to "take that man away;" and while the futile, frivolous conversation rippled on, Eric stood by, bewildered and stunned. Maggie, the soul of truth and simplicity, had told a lie. There was not the faintest doubt that Laura had spoken the truth, and spoken it without arriere-pensee. The stones of the mysterious bracelet glittered maliciously before his eyes, and yet, had not his attention been drawn to it, most probably he would not have noticed it. The details of any other woman's dress were always more obvious to Eric than those of his wife's, and Maggie might have presumed on that.

But Maggie! He was very much in love with her when he married her, but he was uncomfortably conscious that he had paid very little attention to her of late. But then Maggie—who would have dreamed—

At last the music struck up, and Lady Carew led off the intruder, having succeeded in persuading him that his calculations were out, and that it was precisely this dance she had given him.

Maggie rose too, but her husband laid his hand on her arm.

"No, stay here. I want to speak to you."

"But—"

"I can't help engagements or anything else. I must speak to you now."

"What is it?" asked Maggie, looking up at him. "Why, Eric, what is the matter?"

"I wish to know who gave you this bangle?"

The color flew over Maggie's throat and face, and her lips trembled.

"I—I can't tell you."

"So I suppose, or you wouldn't have lied to Laura Carew about it."

"Eric!"

There was something so pathetic about the girl's expression as his name burst from her lips—she looked so childish, so helpless, and so miserable—that the anger in Eric's heart died suddenly. A whole world of thoughts surged up in his mind. Why had he left this child so lonely? The fault was his. "Maggie, dear," he said, gently, "I know I've not been as I ought to the best little wife in the world. I've set you a bad example, and you are so young you don't understand things—you don't know what men are; you've been a little foolish, perhaps, but that's all, I 'm sure—do you, hear, dear?—I'm quite sure of that. But you must tell me the story of that bangle."

"T— O, Eric, I'm ashamed!" and she turned her face away.

"Tell me, dear."

There was a moment's pause.

"Well, I bought it myself."

"Maggie!"

"Yes. O, don't think I want to blame you, Eric, but the other women I know were always having presents from their husbands—flowers and sweets and trinkets—and so as you—as you did not think of them, I bought them myself, and said you'd given them to me—"

Eric held her at arm's length. She raised her face suddenly and looked at him.

"I wanted people to think you spoiled me—that you were in love with me still."

Eric Fawcett did not return to the Delawares, and a couple of days later the diamond-and-emerald bangle had a companion, which was clasped on Maggie's arm by her husband himself. —London World.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 2nd day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Hayden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the Real Estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of June 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Lafayette H. Gregory, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the residence of Abram Harrington in the township of Macon in Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1897, and on the 21st day of October, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of April A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

ABRAM HARRINGTON,
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Commissioners.

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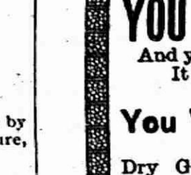

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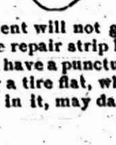

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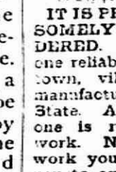

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FOOTPRINTS IN THE STONE.

Discovery in a Los Angeles Park of Great Interest to Archaeologists.

Scientifically-inclined persons in southern California are pondering deeply over the discovery, in Elysian park here, of a distinct imprint in solid stone of a shoe worn by a human being, says the Los Angeles Herald. This discovery is certain to excite no little comment, for there appears to be no authentic record of a fossilized footprint of a human being of ordinary size having been found heretofore. The peculiar feature of this find is that the owner of the foot wore a shoe of antique Mexican fashion, with high, narrow heel and broad, flat sole. The imprint is perfectly clear and looks as though the owner had unwittingly put his right foot into soft mud but a day or two ago and left his mark, to be dried by the sun and preserved for future generations.

The fossil imprint was discovered by laborers who were making a deep cut for the new wagon road northwest of the park. It was cut out of solid rock, four feet or thereabouts below the surface soil, and from a point on the hillside at least 70 feet above the bottom of the little canyon at the hill's base. The stone is a fine-grained shale, impregnated with lime. An interesting fact in connection with the find is this: Several other excellently preserved and clearly defined organic remains, such as ferns, leaves and twigs, have been found in the same deposit, and, stranger still, but a few days ago the complete outline of a fish was taken from the same stratum of stone not many feet distant from this last find. The fish's remains were 20 feet below the surface.

THE POPULAR IDEA.

But They Are Not All Innocent Men Who Go to Siberia.

There is a popular idea that the wastes of Siberia are peopled with men who have been unjustly exiled from Russia, and that the criminal is really as difficult to find as the traditional needle in the bunch of hay, says Tit-Bits. Facts, however, do not substantiate this theory any more than they do the large majority of popular impressions.

A great sensation was created two or three years ago by the finding of seven Russian exiles or prisoners, who had made their escape from Siberia. They were in an open boat in the Pacific, and were taken to San Francisco, where they became the objects of popular commiseration, as well as the text for the denouncing of the Russian methods of dealing with political offenders.

The Californians, ever ready with sympathy, gave them clothes and found them work to do. It now appears that during the interval that has elapsed between their arrival in San Francisco and now every one of them has been punished by the law of the land. The last of the party has just been sentenced to 21 years' imprisonment for burglary, while one of his comrades only a short time ago was hanged for two murders which he had committed.

Investigations which have been made show that every one of these men had been sent to Siberia for reasons which would have earned him a corresponding period of exile from the haunts of his fellowmen if not absolute deportation from the country in any other part of the world.

LOVES HIS TRIBE.

Romantic History of Chief Quanah Parker, of the Comanches.

Chief Quanah Parker, the Comanche Indian of Oklahoma, has a romantic history.

His mother was a white woman who was captured by the Comanches when a small girl and grew up among the Indians, forgetting her own tongue. When Gen. McKenzie raided the Comanches and captured the tribe in 1874 Quanah Parker's mother, who had been taken as wife of the chief, was among the number.

All that she could remember to identify herself was her name—Cynthia Ann Parker.

She was finally located as being from Jackson county, Tex., where she was joyously received by her family, after having been looked upon as dead for many years.

She took her son, now Chief Quanah Parker, with her, and had him educated. Later he returned to his tribe. He is a tall, fine-looking Indian, but he shows no trace of his white blood.

The favorite of his five wives always accompanies him on his journeys, as does his young son, both of whom are now in this city.

Chief Quanah Parker is quite rich in cattle and money, and is looked upon as one of the most intelligent of the Indian chiefs.

FEW AMERICANS AMONG THEM.

Hawaii's Population Made Up Largely of Japs and Chinese.

A census of the Hawaiian islands has been taken recently and the result just been received by the department at Washington. The figures, says the Manchester (N. H.) Union, are most interesting in view of the renewed movement for their direct annexation to this government, which the present administration is said to be very desirous of bringing about. The total Americans constitute less than three per cent. of the whole and but a little over two per cent. of the male population. They are, however, in full possession of the government, having thus been since Queen Liliuokalani was deposed. Considering these facts, it is not strange that they should be fearful lest such power should be wrested from them or at least be considerably more limited than at present. Except for the peculiar conditions that were undoubtedly made the most of at the time, this absolute power could not have been seized by such a small minority, as it was, and it is remarkable that it has been so long maintained.

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

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Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast. She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $—.

Mrs. W. M. ——, after being barren for ten years, says, "He cured me. We now have two little children. Suffice to say our home is a happy one.

Epilepsy (or fits) positively cured by a recent scientific discovery.

One of the most respected young men of Grand Rapids, Mr. C. H. Banks, has declared that the best physicians he could hear of had given up finally given two weeks to live, consulted Dr. Walker, took his treatment and is now as well man. He had chronic stomach trouble, weak lungs and constant cough, nervousness and Bright's disease. He has gained ... and works every day. He advises all who are sick to see Dr. Walker.

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Must Pay a Tax.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 9.—The senate has passed finally the bill which has already gone through the house, taxing each unnaturalized adult male employed in the state two cents a day.

Catholic Priests Roasted.

London, June 8.—Dispatches say that in the Philippine islands the Spanish government captured 25 Roman Catholic priests supposed to be in sympathy with the rebels and roasted them.

Floods in Cuba.

Havana, June 7.—Heavy rains have fallen in the provinces of Santiago de Cuba and Pinar del Rio, and many of the rivers have overflowed their banks.

Successful so far.

A post office has been established at Mulberry, Lenawee county, seven miles northeast of Blissfield, with George A.

CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.

Liver of the Dog Said to Be an Infallible Remedy for Its Bite.

A French missionary in China witnessed recently how two of his carriers were bitten by a rabid dog, and was very much worried about it, says Medicine Moderne. Several Chinese who happened to be there told him that his worry was absolutely uncalled for, since they had an undoubtedly safe preventive against the poison of a rabid dog taking effect, and to prove the assertion five Chinamen who had been bitten in March of last year by a mad dog were presented to the missionary. He found that Chinamen eat of the raw liver of a mad dog after being bitten, and if they partake of this within a given time after the accident it is said they will not be subject to hydrophobia. It is curious that Plinius in his "Natural History" recommends eating the liver of a mad dog, if bitten, as raw as possible, and they who could not swallow the liver raw should have it cooked and drink the broth therefrom. It is not positively known whether this remedy is efficacious, but it appears to be worthy of investigation, particularly since this seems to be the actual beginning of the isopathic treatment since perfected by Pasteur and Koch.

A GOOD SUIT OF CLOTHES.

No Man Can Afford to Wear Shabby Garments.

A Barnesville lawyer appeared before his friends in a new and costly suit of clothes recently, says the Atlanta Constitution. When he named the price a bystander exclaimed:

"Whew! I haven't had that much cash in a month of Sundays."

"Cash!" exclaimed the lawyer. "Why, I got it on credit and I shan't lose any sleep if I never pay for it. I think turn about's fair play and the other fellow can afford to do without it." And, lifting himself to his full height and buttoning his coat across his chest, he continued: "No, gentlemen, I never intend to wear a shabby suit. A man just can't afford to do it. Nobody has any respect for shabbiness. Why, I couldn't win a case if I wore shabby clothes if I had the eloquence of a Demosthenes or Cicero, not if all the law and the prophets were on my side. A jury just wouldn't respect me enough to listen to me and the judge himself would give his decision according to my outward appearance. No, sir, a man can't afford to wear shabby clothes."

The People of New York City.

It is said that more than 76 per cent. of those who people New York city today were born of foreign mothers, while more than 40 per cent. were themselves born on foreign soil. Peter Stuyvesant ruled in his day over 1,400 New Yorkers, who conversed in 18 different tongues.

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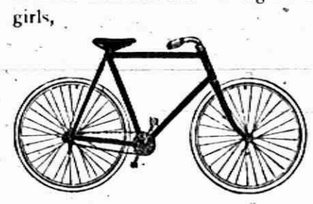

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, June 10.—The senate had a period of tariff speeches yesterday and, as a result, little progress was made on the bill. The following nominations were received from the president: To be envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary of the United States, Henry L. Wilson, of Washington, to Chili; William F. Powell, of New Jersey, to Hayti, and John G. A. Leishman, of Pennsylvania, to Switzerland.

Washington, June 11.—In the senate yesterday the agricultural schedule of the tariff bill was laid aside and the sugar schedule was taken up, but no final action was taken.

Washington, June 12.—The first test vote on the sugar schedule was taken in the senate yesterday, resulting in the adoption of the republican caucus amendment increasing the duty on refined sugar from 1.675 to 1.95 cents per pound. The vote was taken after a day spent in speeches on the effect of the sugar schedule. The main speech of the day came from Senator Allison, in charge of the bill, and was in the nature of an answer to the charges made against the sugar schedule as a whole, and a defense of it.

Washington, June 14.—The sugar schedule was again the subject of democratic assaults in the senate Saturday and practically no progress was made. Only one amendment was voted upon and that was defeated. When the senate adjourned the amendment of Senator Lindsay (Ky.) to strike out the differential on refined sugar was pending.

Washington, June 15.—The debate on the sugar schedule of the tariff bill continued in the United States senate yesterday. Only one roll call occurred, on Senator Lindsay's amendment to place all sugar on the same basis. This was rejected.

Washington, June 16.—The sugar schedule of the tariff bill was completed and adopted in the senate yesterday. Senator Tillman gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the tariff bill providing for a head tax of $100 on all immigrants to the United States. The bill granting pensions to the survivors of the Indian wars of 1832 to 1842 was favorably reported. The nomination of John G. Brady, of Alaska, to be governor of the district of Alaska, was received from the president.

The House.

Washington, June 11.—In the house yesterday James T. Lloyd, elected to succeed the late Representative Giles, of the First Missouri district, took the oath. The house then adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 15.—In the house yesterday a monster petition, said to contain 6,000,000 signatures, appealing to congress to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents, was presented by Mr. Sulzer, of New York. It had been in circulation throughout the United States for about six months. Adjourned to Thursday.

Postal Receipts.

Washington, June 12. — During the month of May last the postal receipts throughout the country amounted to $2,685,708, an increase of $21,563 over the receipts of May, 1896.

Gold Exports.

Washington, June 12. — The exports of gold since April 1 last up to date amount to $17,384,728.

Treaties Exchanged.

Washington, June 15. — The final ratification of the boundary treaty between Great Britain and Venezuela was exchanged at the state department at three o'clock Monday afternoon.

Exports and Imports.

Washington, June 15. — Treasury department figures show that the exports of domestic merchandise during May amounted to $76,372,082, against $64,587,491 for May of last year. The imports amounted to $79,321,827. The exports of gold amounted to $9,466,711, against $19,103,913 for May, 1896, and the silver exports amounted to $4,337,342.

In No Danger of Being Shot.

Washington, June 15.—The Spanish minister has received an official communication stating that the report coming from Havana, via Key West, that the insurgent leaders Rivera and Bacallao are in danger of being shot is false, for not a single insurgent leader is under the death sentence.

Will Accept Angell.

Washington, June 16.—A cablegram received at the state department from the United States charge d'affaires at Constantinople Tuesday afternoon states that the sultan has issued an irade announcing the acceptance of Dr. Angell as minister from the United States, and Mr. Terrell has accordingly started for home.

Bathers Drowned.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., June 14.—While picnicking Sunday along the Cedar river, near Linn Junction, John Vahl, a well-to-do farmer residing near Marion, was drowned. Earl West, a young man of Mount Vernon, was also drowned while bathing in the Cedar river near his home.

BARNATO'S FATE.

Famous South African Speculator Drowned in the Atlantic.

London, June 16.—The officials of the Union Steamship Company, to whom the steamer Scot belongs, confirm the announcement made in a special dispatch from Funchal, Island of Madeira, that Barney Barnato, the South African "diamond king," committed suicide by jumping overboard while the vessel was on her way from Cape Town, which port she left on June 2, for Southampton via Funchal.

The Pall Mall Gazette, commenting on the death of Barney Barnato, says he had been mentally unwell for about

BARNEY BARNATO.

three months past, and that he had been under constant surveillance.

Mrs. Barnato and her children were also on board the Scot.

Barney Barnato was in many respects the most remarkable speculator of the century. Of all the Englishmen who have taken part in the development of South Africa two only have secured a world-wide reputation. These have been Cecil Rhodes and Barnett Isaacs, more often and less respectfully styled "Barney." Barnato was an assumed name, a sort of stage name, for he began his life in South Africa by exhibiting a trick donkey some 25 years ago. He was then about 20 years of age. Barnato was an English Jew and illustrated in an extraordinary way the financial genius of his race. Up to the point where his fortunes began to decline he made money by leaps and bounds, and in 1895, when his good fortune was at its zenith, it was estimated that he controlled interests worth in the neighborhood of £100,000,000. It was the fashion to call him the richest man in the world.

At that time he was virtually the king of the London money market. In the autumn of 1895, when the boom in Kaffirs, the shares of the comparatively new gold mines of the Transvaal, South Africa, was at its height, every man, woman and child in London with money to invest invested it in "kaffirs." The craze was the last of those financial fevers which periodically attack conservative England, the "South sea bubble" being the first. For months it was the controlling passion in London, and it was scarcely less rampant in Paris and Berlin. The shares went to unheard-of figures and fortunes were made in a day. The center of this tremendous financial outburst was Barney Barnato, and he was conservatively estimated at that time as worth between £100,000,000 and £150,000,000. Among his assets was a bank originally capitalized at $12,500,000. In a few months its capital stock rose in value to $45,000,000.

About a month ago it was rumored that his health was suffering from the severe tension of speculation, and in the latter part of May it was reported from Capetown that he was suffering from nervous prostration and had been placed by his friends under restraint. This was subsequently denied by his London representative, who said that Barnato was suffering from a slight attack of cape fever, not likely to prove serious.

NEWS FROM CUBA.

Rivera Sentenced to Die—Brave Surgeon Killed—Many Deaths Daily.

Havana, June 14.—The secret court-martial of Gen. Ruis Rivera and Col. Bacallao, the insurgent chiefs captured in Pinar del Rio, was closed at Cabana Friday. The sentences were death in both cases.

Havana, via Key West, June 14.—Capt. Foster R. Winn, M. D., of St. Louis, a volunteer surgeon with the Cuban insurgent hospital corps in the field, is reported to have been killed in an attack by government troops upon an insurgent hospital near Quivican, province of Havana.

Key West, Fla., June 14. — Advices from Havana say that more than 1,000 persons die every day in Cuba as a result of the famine and disease due to Gen. Weyler's enforced reconcentration of pacificos.

Freedom for the Youngers.

St. Paul, Minn., June 15.—Powerful friends are working for the pardon of the Younger brothers, once the terror of the Mississippi valley. Bob, the youngest, died in the state prison at Stillwater some time ago, but Cole and Jim are still living. Cole is now 53 and Jim 47. It is said that Gov. Clough has lent willing ear to their pardon. He is not pledged, as former governors were, not to liberate these men.

Big Industry Killed.

Chicago, June 16.—The manufacture of butterine as an industry will virtually cease in Illinois July 1, now that Gov. Tanner has signed the bill preventing the coloring of that article. Uncle Sam will lose $600,000 a year in internal revenue taxes. Thirty million pounds of butterine is made in Chicago a year, on every pound of which the manufacturer pays a two-cent tax to the government.

Ball Player Drops Dead.

Fond du Lac, Wis., June 14.—August, the 20-year-old son of Bates Bechaud, the wealthy brewer, dropped dead Sunday morning at Athletic park while playing ball. He was running from first to second base.

Aid for Mark Twain.

New York, June 14.—The Herald has started a fund for Mark Twain, the celebrated American humorist, opening the list with a subscription of $1,000.

THE GUEST OF HONOR.

Tennessee's Day at the Exposition Welcomes President McKinley.

A Hearty Greeting to the Chief Magistrate and Mrs. McKinley—Text of the Felicitous Address of the President.

Nashville, Tenn., June 12. — At eight o'clock yesterday morning the presidential tour merged into the centennial celebration of the admission of Tennessee into the union. The presidential party, on its arrival, was driven speedily to the Maxwell house and there provided with accommodations and breakfast. As soon as breakfast was over the presidential party was ushered into carriages. As a guard of honor to the president a mounted detachment of ex-confederates commanded by Capt. George F. Hager ranged themselves immediately in front of his carriage. They wore the old-time gray, but the buckles of their belts bore the insignia, "United States."

At the Grounds.

As the head of the procession turned into the main entrance of the exposition grounds a battery of artillery boomed forth the national salute of 25 guns. It was within the grounds and led by the centennial chimes which rang forth from the top of the Administration building that the enthusiasm reached its climax.

In the Auditorium.

Exactly at noon President McKinley walked down the main aisle, on his arm the stately Mrs. Van Leer Kirkman, president of the woman's board. The president was greeted with hearty cheers, and so were Secretaries Sherman, Alger, Gary, Wilson and the other distinguished guests and their accompanying ladies. Mrs. McKinley, much to the regret of everyone, did not feel equal to the heat and stress and remained in her room at the hotel.

The President's Speech.

The president spoke in part as follows:

"Officers of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition Ladies and Gentlemen: American nationality, compared with that of Europe and the east, is still very young, and yet already we are beginning to have age enough for centennial anniversaries in states other than the original 13. Such occasions are always interesting, and when celebrated in a practical way are useful and instructive. Combining retrospect and review, they recall what has been done by state and nation and point out what yet remains for both to accomplish in order to fulfill their highest destiny.

"This celebration is of general interest to the whole country and of special significance to people of the south and west. It marks the end of the first century of the state of Tennessee and the close of the first year of its second century. One hundred and one years ago this state was admitted into the union as the sixteenth member in the great family of American commonwealths. It was a welcome addition to the national household—a community young, strong and sturdy, with an honored and heroic ancestry, with fond anticipations not only of its founders but faith in its success on the part of far-seeing and sagacious statesmen in all parts of the country.

Praise for Tennesseeans.

"Tennesseeans have ever been volunteer, not drafted, patriots. In 1815 when 2,400 soldiers were called for, 30,000 loyal Tennesseeans offered their services; and amid the trials and terrors of the great civil war, under conditions of peculiar distress and embarrassment, her people divided on contending sides. But upon whichever side found, they fought fearlessly to death and gallant sacrifice. Now, happily, there are no contending sides in this glorious commonwealth or in any part of our common country. The men who opposed each other in dreadful battle a third of a century ago are once more and forever united together under one flag in a never-to-be-broken union.

"The glory of Tennessee is not only alone in the brilliant names it has contributed to history or the heroic patriotism displayed by the people in so many crises of our national life, but its material and industrial wealth, social advancement and population are striking and significant in their growth and development. Thirty-five thousand settlers in this state in 1790 had increased to 1,109,000 in 1860, and today it has a population closely approximating 2,000,000. Its manufactures, which in 1860 were small and unimportant, in 1890 had reached $72,000,000 in value, while its farm products now aggregate more than $62,000,000 annually. Its river commerce on three great international waterways, its splendid railways operating nearly 3,000 miles of roads, its mineral wealth of incalculable value, form a splendid augury for the future. I am sure no better workmen could be found than the people of Tennessee to turn these confident promises into grand realities.

Exposition an Object Lesson.

"Your exposition shows better than any words of mine can tell, the details of your wealth of resources and power of production. You have done wisely in exhibiting these to your own people and to your sister states, and at no time could the display be more effective than now, when what the country needs more than all else is restored confidence in itself. This exposition demonstrates directly your faith and purpose, and signifies in the widest sense your true and unfailing belief in the irrepressible pluck of the American people, and is a promising indication of the return of American prosperity.

"The knowledge which this beautiful and novel exposition gives will surely stimulate competition, develop your trade, increase your output, enlarge your fields of employment, extend your markets, and so eventually pay for all it cost, as well as justify local sentiment and encourage state pride.

"Men and women I see about me from all parts of the country, and thousands more will assemble here before the exposition is closed. Let ourselves and let them always remember that whatever differences about politics may have existed, or still exist, we are all Americans before we are partisans, and value the welfare of all the people above party or section. Citizens of different states, we yet love all the states. The lesson of the hour, then, is this—that whatever adverse conditions may temporarily impede the pathway of our national progress, nothing can permanently defeat it."

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CLINTON

Alonzo Clark returned home Saturday night.

Fred Mallou visited at Grass Lake over Sunday.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox left Friday for his home at Addison.

A. W. Muir and family spent Sunday with Saline friends.

Mrs. E. A. Clark went to Chicago Saturday, for a short visit.

W. W. Hess arrived home from Tennessee Tuesday night.

Miss Edith Kirk spent last Saturday with friends in Manchester.

Mrs. T. C. Adam was on the sick list the latter part of last week.

Geo. P. Wright and wife drove down from Manchester last Friday.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh visited her parents at Manchester Saturday.

Mrs. E P. Felton visited friends in Detroit from Saturday until Wednesday.

Lewis Grey and family visited relatives at Ypsilanti from Saturday until Tuesday.

Albert Carruth has moved into the Freese house, recently vacated by Geo. Sanford.

E. A. Martin and family moved Saturday into the Demuth house north of town hall.

Mrs. E. M. Cooley went to North Adams Tuesday to attend the wedding of a cousin.

Clarence Berger, of Manchester, came down last Thursday, to attend commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lindsley visited friends in Saline from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Mary R. Dorr went to Detroit Saturday for a few weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Fisk.

D. St. John and wife returned Saturday night from their eastern trip and report a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Fred Wainwright came over from Fowlerville to attend commencement and the alumni meeting.

Miss Lillian Avery, a Tecumseh [illegible] was the guest of Miss Lotta [illegible]rd last week Thursday.

[illegible]nce Hause and Lavern Yates [illegible]e up from Britton to attend commencement last Thursday night.

Miss Jeanette Goodrich of Deerfield, was the guest of her friend Mrs. W. H. Katner, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. DuBois, of Britton, visited their daughter, Mrs. Will Hause, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Hutchins left Monday for Kalamazoo to attend the college commencement exercises. They expect to return tomorrow.

Marvin and Clarence Cooley went to Tecumseh Monday expecting to spend the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Kemp.

Mrs. E. VanDeMark left Saturday morning for Covington, Ky., where she expects to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Shoemaker.

Mrs. E. A. Klingensmith, who has been visiting her old home at Indianapolis, Ind., for the past few weeks, returned home Saturday night.

Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Iddings and little son, of Manchester, were in town Tuesday afternoon, calling on Mrs. C. F. Clark and Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh.

Mrs. C C Fisk and little son arrived from Detroit Wednesday night, expecting to make quite an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nase.

Miss Laura Haggart arrived Friday from Buchanan where she has been teaching for the past two years. She will spend the summer months with her brother, Dave, and family.

Miss Grace Collins, of Macon, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Welch, the latter part of last week. She attended the graduating exercises, also the alumni Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAdam drove here from Addison last Sunday, and were guests of A. J. Kishpaugh and wife until Monday afternoon, when they went to Detroit, their future home.

Clinton beat the Adrian team in a rather one-sided game last Saturday, the score being as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	B	E
Adrian	1	0	6	4	0	0	0	4	0	5	7	6
Clinton	0	0	7	0	1	1	2	0	0	*20	18	6

Batteries—Adrian, Clapp and Dodds; Clinton, Martin and Mallon. Strike outs—Clapp 4, Martin 7.

The members of Clinton Lodge, No. 175, joined by Golden Rod Chapter members, will meet at Masonic hall Sunday at 3 p. m. and proceed to Riverside cemetery, for the purpose of decorating the graves of their departed brothers and sisters.

Members of the alumni and visitors, all numbering about 70, met at the town hall last Friday evening. After the banquet, served by M. F. McClure, some time was spent in reading of essays, a poem by Mrs. Fred Wainwright, of Fowlerville, which was beautifully written, and letters from some of absent members, Miss Ella Swift, now a teacher in the schools of Butte, Mont., Will Eagan, who is in Texas, and Geo. McIlwain, whose friends were much surprised to hear that he is pastor of the First Universalist church, at New Britian, Conn. The remainder of the etening was passed with music and dancing. The whole affair was very informal and much enjoyed by all present.

MACON.

Elmer Hunter made a business trip to Detroit last Saturday.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mert Nobles last Friday.

Remember the Children's Day exercises at the D. R. church next Sunday.

A new bridge is being built over the Macon river just south of John Mooney's residence.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening: "The Folly of Pride," Prov. 16:18; 29:23. Leader, Maud Howell.

A number of Macon people drove to Clinton Sunday evening to hear the Rev. Chas. T. Allen, of Detroit.

Mrs. Parker Allen and Mrs. Geo. Reidel visited Geo. Harmon and wife and other Bedford friends from Friday till Monday.

Willie, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burleson, was badly bitten by a dog last week. The wound seems to be doing nicely at this writing and it is hoped there will be no serious results. The dog is no more.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Jehiel Wisner of La., arrived at Mr. E. C. Wisners Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freel Davenport drove to North Adams Saturday, returning Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hutchins of Clinton, called on Miss Mullin Wisner last week Thursday.

The graduating exercises of the eighth grade classes of three schools, will take place at the Congregational church, Tipton, June 25th. Class of the Center School—Miss Ethel Hampton, Egerton Wellwood, Wilford Allen, Willard Hunt, Lawrence Dibble. Paragon School—Miss Veda Pentecost. German School—Wynonia Peters.

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Six persons were fatally burned and a seventh trampled to death during a fire panic in a circus at Lynn, Mass.

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SCIENCE OF THE ANCIENTS.

Tools Found in Pompeii Facsimiles of Modern Instruments.

Prof. Goodman says the thing that most impressed him, when visiting Pompeii, was the resemblance between many of the implements of 1800 years ago and those of to-day. On looking at the iron tools grouped together in an old factory there he could almost imagine he was gazing into a modern tool shop, except for the fact that there was a heavy coating of rust on the iron, says Glass and Pottery Magazine.

Sickles, billhooks, rakes, forks, axes, spades, blacksmith's tongs, hammers, soldering irons, planes, shovels, etc., are much like those used to-day, but the most marvelous instruments found are those for surgery, beautifully executed and of design exactly similar to some recently patented and reinvented. Incredible as it may appear, Pompeiians had wire ropes of perfect construction. Their bronzes reveal great skill and artistic talent. The bronze brazier and kitchener had boilers at the side and taps for running off the water.

Ewers and urns have been discovered with interior tubes and furnaces precisely like the arrangement now in vogue in steam boilers. Metal safes had substantial locks. Many of the locks and keys are most ingenious and some very complex. The water supply of Pompeii was distributed by means of lead pipes laid under the streets. There were many public drinking fountains, and most of the large houses were provided with fountains, many of them being of very beautiful design.

HE WANTED TO START RIGHT.

Fees the Conductor to Insure the Comforts of the Road.

On one of the South Halsted street cars, when it left the neighborhood of the stock yards the other morning, was a man with a brand new valise that had splashes of mud on it and gave other evidence of having just arrived in Chicago, says the Tribune.

The man wore a black felt hat and a large checked suit, and there was mud enough on his heavy boots to show he had just traversed a portion of the stock yards. He boarded the car at Thirty-ninth street, put his valise on the seat beside him, and when the conductor stopped to take his fare he pulled out a roll of bills.

The conductor extracted a nickel from a one dollar bill and handed over the change. The man with the valise extracted a silver quarter dollar from the change and handed it back to the conductor.

"Here," he said, so loudly that everyone in the car looked to see what was going on, "here's a quarter for yourself."

"I've taken out a nickel," said the conductor. "I don't want any more."

"Now, don't say another word, friend," replied the passenger. "My wife told me before I left Kansas City I'd get along a good deal better in Chicago if I tipped everybody, and I'm going to start with you. You take that quarter like a little man and do the best you can by me on this trip and don't say anything more or I'll make it a half."

A COLLEGE FOR LOVERS.

Such an Institution Is Needed for Training Men in Love Making.

Miss Lillian Bell, who has won fame as an authoress, her last book being "A Little Sister of the Wilderness," is of the opinion that some one should found a college for training men in love-making. This is how she expressed herself in a recent interview:

"I suggested once a kindergarten for the training of husbands. Now I want to change that and have a college for lovers, with a post-graduate course for husbands. As it is now—well, almost any girl can do almost anything with a man. You know how easily one girl can rob another girl of her lover. He, poor, blind being, never suspects it. A girl would know in a minute if another man was trying to win her from her lover. She has intuitions like antennae which tell her the very nature of every approach. But with a man it is different. He sees only 'a sympathetic soul' in the girl who leads him away by all the deliberate arts of which she is mistress. But there! one can go on all day talking about these things. Everybody likes to talk about love. People ask me if I am rosy [illegible] I possess. I have had, but I tell them it was not any great inspiration on my part. When I began to talk of love I had the ear of the world."

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POSTAL CHANGES.

Classification and Readjustment of Offices and Salaries in Michigan.

Washington, D. C., June 15.—The first assistant postmaster general has announced the fourteenth annual readjustment of salaries of all the postmasters in the United States appointed by the president. That number includes all the first, second and third-class offices. This readjustment is based on the receipts of the various offices for the four quarters ending March 31, and the changes in salaries here given become effective July 1 next. The changes for Michigan are as follows:

The offices at Au Sable, Lake City and Milan are relegated from third to fourth class.

INCREASES—Blissfield, $1,200 to $1,300; Imlay City, $1,200 to $1,300; Martine City, $1,400 to $1,500; Newberry, $1,000 to $1,100; Rochester, $1,000 to $1,100; South Haven, $1,700 to $1,800; Cadillac, $2,000 to $2,100; Jackson, $3,000 to $3,100; Midland, $1,400 to $1,500; Norway, $1,500 to $1,600; St. Joseph, $2,000 to $2,100; Three Oaks, $1,200 to $1,500; Durand, $1,100 to $1,200; Mancelona, $1,200 to $1,300; Newaygo, $1,000 to $1,100; Portland, $1,500 to $1,600; Sault Ste. Marie, $2,300 to $2,400; West Bay City, $2,000 to $2,100.

DECREASES—Buchanan, $1,700 to $1,500; Clare, $1,300 to $1,100; Flushing, $1,200 to $1,100; Homer, $1,400 to $1,200; Ithaca, $1,600 to $1,500; Ludington, $2,200 to $2,000; Monroe, $2,200 to $2,100; Ontonagon, $1,300 to $1,100; Traverse City, $2,400 to $2,300; Cassopolis, $1,400 to $1,300; Crystal Falls, $1,100 to $1,000; Grayling, $1,300 to $1,200; Houghton, $1,900 to $1,800; Lake View, $1,100 to $1,000; Marlette, $1,200 to $1,100; Mount Pleasant, $1,800 to $1,600; Schoolcraft, $1,100 to $1,000; West Branch, $1,100 to $1,000; Cedar Springs, $1,100 to $1,000; Dowagiac, $2,200 to $2,100; Holly, $1,700 to $1,600; Ionia, $2,400 to $2,300; Lowell, $1,500 to $1,400; Mendon, $1,300 to $1,200; Negaunee, $1,800 to $1,700; Stanton, $1,200 to $1,100; White Hall, $1,300 to $1,100.

NOBILITY WEDS RICHES.

Marriage of Miss Walker and Count Manfred at Detroit.

Detroit, June 16.—At noon Tuesday the civil marriage of Count Manfred von Matuschka, of Germany, and Miss Ella Holbrook Walker, youngest daughter of Hiram Walker, a distiller, took place at the residence of the bride's father on Jefferson avenue. At 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon Bishop Foley arrived and the rites of the Roman Catholic church were performed. Miss Walker is several times a millionaire in her own right, and the count is of a fine family. At night a reception was held from six to eight o'clock, at which society was present. The house was decorated with roses. The dishes were of solid gold and silver.

It was the greatest wedding that ever took place in the city. The cost is estimated at $50,000, yet everything was quiet and there was no outward display. Thousands stood in the streets about the residence hoping to see the count and countess. The presents were numerous, but the bride gave orders that not one package should be opened until she reached her new home across the sea. They left Tuesday night at 11:25 o'clock over the Michigan Central for New York to sail by the first steamer for the count's estates. It is said that until Miss Walker met Count Manfred a year ago while abroad she was determined never to marry. It was a case of love at first sight.

Flag Day at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 15.—A feature of flag day in Detroit was the raising of the big flag and union jack presented to the city of Detroit by the crew of the United States cruiser Detroit. The banners were hoisted from the ground in front of the city hall to the flagstaff on top of the building shortly after noon by some United States marines amid cheers of the crowd. Mayor Maybury and others made short appropriate addresses and the bright new emblems of patriotism fluttered finely in the fresh breeze.

Accused of Swindling.

Charlotte, June 14.—Martin Gibbs, a well-to-do farmer of Eaton, was arrested Saturday night on a charge of forgery. He is street commissioner of the town and employs considerable labor. He is alleged to have defrauded the town out of a large sum of money by issuing fraudulent orders on the treasurer for fictitious names, and, as a "matter of accommodation to the workmen," drawing the money and retaining it.

Fenton Bank Closed.

Niles, June 15.—The State bank of Fenton was closed Monday morning by order of the bank commissioner. No estimate can be obtained of the bank's financial standing. Its capital stock was $50,000, and it is said $85,000 was due depositors. It is claimed the embarrassment is only temporary.

More Mines to Open.

Ironwood, June 12.—The company controlling the Norrie group of mines has effected a sale of 100,000 tons of ore, which will clean up the large surplus and necessitate the reopening of the mines, thus giving employment to at least 500 men. A great revival of business is sure to follow.

Bicycle Thief Sentenced.

Grand Rapids, June 14.—Judge Burlingame, of the superior court, imposed a severe sentence upon a self-confessed bicycle thief. When George Moffat acknowledged that he had stolen Wallace Amsden's wheel, the court promptly sentenced him to Ionia for three years.

Electric Line Running.

Pontiac, June 12.—The Detroit Pontias Electric Railway company has been so far completed as to allow traffic between the two cities. The line inside the Pontiac city limits is not yet finished, because of injunction troubles, and the cars now start at the city limits.

The Biennial Tax Levy.

Lansing, June 14.—Auditor-General Dix has determined that the state tax levy for the present year will be $2,397,907 and $2,012,227 for 1898. The state taxes for the biennial period will be $690,000 less than for 1895 and 1896.

Decatur, June 14.—Irving Bates fell from a dam at Grand Lodge and was drowned.

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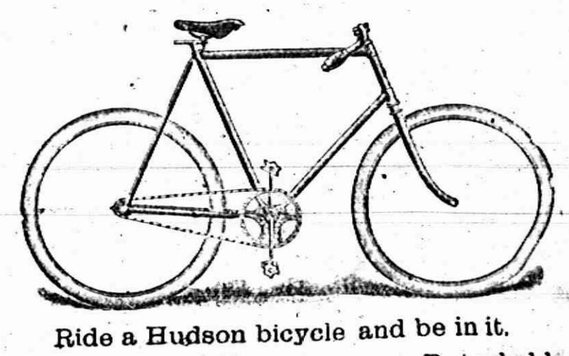

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

There will be a council meeting Monday night

Rev. C. I. Deyo visited the county seat Monday.

Thomas Lee is building a tasty barn on his place in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Maybee spent Sunday with Adrian friends.

Howard Hause and wife of Clinton, was at L. E. Hauses over Monday night.

Little Ofal Rinn was taken with inflamatory rheumatism the first of the week.

H. H. Temple is doing a rushing lumber business these days, Tuesday he had four cars of lumber on track.

Ralph Kishpaugh returned home from Clinton Saturday evening and brought a clear case of the measles with him.

Our Masonic brothers did not go to Dundee Friday night after all, though every preparation for doing so was completed.

Delos Vreland and wife of St. Johns who visited among their Britton friends for a week or more, returned to their home Wednesday.

The young people of the DeSpelder Reformed church spent a very pleasant evening with their pastor, Rev. N. F. Nickerson, Tuesday.

Monday afternoon there was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gogline a fine healthy daughter, consequently there is great rejoicing in that household.

John Beasley sold one of his houses to Will Osgood and was to deliver it on his property west of the mill, it crossed the railroad track Tuesday in good shape.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will hold their next regular meeting Wednesday, June 23, Mrs. Morrell's committee to serve tea. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Maynard went to Toledo, Saturday, for a visit with their son Ernest and family, he returned Monday morning, but Mrs. Maynard remained.

At the Reformed church, Sunday:—Morning, "The Leadings of Divine Providence"; evening, "The Boa-constrictor Scourge of Society," illustrated with crayon.

Ernest Oliver does not improve as his friends would like, his sickness has developed into typhoid fever and while he is having the best of medical skill he is seriously ill.

Our wheelmen say Tecumseh bicycleists better get a hustle on themselves or they will have their portion of the path completed before they make a start on their part.

A bicycle club was formed Saturday night, officered as follows:
Captain—L. A. Brown.
Sec'y—Ed. Gripton.
Treas.—Warren Jones.
Name, The Union Bicycle Club.

The Wabash excursion Sunday to Detroit will draw many from here, the rate for round trip being $1.00, and the D. J. & M. excursion to Toledo will have a good representation from this point.

The Maccabee picnic Saturday was very enjoyable. On account of the farmers being so hurried many were unable to attend, but there were 150 present and they had a delightful time. The Band furnished fine music, and the supper was great.

During the storm early Sunday morning, the lighting struck a large elm tree in the school yard, while not destroying it, it worked peculiarly a wire that was attached to a knot and at one time supported a telephone poll divided the currant, and undoubtedly saved the tree.

They began work on the bicycle path Monday morning, commencing at Ridgeway and working this way A large force are at work and it will not take long to complete it this way, after which they will start at Ridgeway, go to the Frank Davidson corners when it is expected it will meet a path from Tecumseh.

Children's Day was observed in the Reformed church Sunday at 10 a. m. An exercise entitled "Childrens' Day Chaplets" was performed by the Sunday-school in a most correct and praiseworthy manner. The musical parts were especially well rendered and reflected much credit on the training the school has had. The children, dressed in various colored costumes, with floral surroundings, added much to the scenic effect.

On the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, June 22nd, the ladies of the Reformed church will furnish to the public quite a novelty in the way of entertainment. They will hold a bicycle meet on the church lawn, serve refreshments to order at 5 p. m. and hold a prize bicycle contest from 6 to 7. Prizes will be awarded for the best decorated wheel and the best fancy riding. All are invited to attend.

RIDGEWAY.

C. A. Graves is in Lansing this week.

Dora Pocklington is a victim of the measles.

Miss Bessie Barrett returned from Jackson last week.

Mabel Graves is the last to purchase a "Falcon" of A. J. Sutton.

Will Campbell, of Chesshire, Mass., is visiting his brother, Walter.

Mrs. Sarah Rappleye assisted on the program of Co. F. reunion near Dundee Friday.

Glenn Smith, Mae Fletcher and Ella Larkin have recovered from the measles.

Morris Kelly and wife drove to Dundee Saturday to see their cousin, Mrs. Frank Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barneby, of Addison, visited relatives here last week.

Frank Henry, wife and daughter returned Saturday from a week's visit at Angola, Ind.

Minnie Wagner visited her sister, Bertha, at the home of Dr. Loree, Saturday and Sunday.

The Children's Day exercises given by the Sabbath-school Sunday evening passed off very nicely.

F. J. Temple and family, of Tecumseh, spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. John F. Temple.

Overseer Ace Smith made a bee Saturday and graveled a portion of the deep sand near the cemetery.

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson, of Benton Harbor, are at the home of Mr. Wilson's parents for their vacation.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton returned Thursday from a three weeks' stay at Lansing with her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Cook.

Ada Dibble, of North Adrian, spent Saturday and Sunday here, being accompanied home by Daisy Riggs and Vina Pilbeam.

In our article last week in regard to the graduates we notice the name of Cyrus Palmer was omitted. It should have been in the list.

The many friends of Lulu Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, are sorry to learn of her painful accident. Two weeks ago she stepped on a radish peeling and slipped falling in such a manner as to put a hip out of joint and break one of the small joint bones.

Ground was broken Monday for the bicycle path from here to Britton and Tuesday a force of teams from both places drew gravel. They will push it to completion so that when the Tecumseh end of the enterprise get woke up they will be ready to do the right thing.

The members of the alumni held their first reunion at the home of B. F. DePuy Saturday evening, June 5th. There were thirteen members present and they had a most enjoyable time. The dining room was decorated with the colors of the class of '95, red, white and blue, the library, colors of class of '96, pink and green, and the parlor colors of class of '97, white and blue. Refreshments were served and a pleasing program was presented. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows:
Pres.—Floyd Smith, class of '94.
Vice Pres.—Lura Palmer, class of '97.
Sec.—Fern DePuy, class of '95.
Treas.—Gertrude Boyd, class of '95.
Toast Master—Guy Pocklington, class of '95.
The organization has a membership of sixteen in the following order:—C. O. Hiscock, Albion, class of '90; Fannie Miller, Woodville, '93; Floyd Smith, Ridgeway, '94; Gertrude Boyd, Ridgeway, B. Fern DePuy, Macon, Guy Pocklington, Ridgeway, '95; Ella Boyd, Ridgeway, S. Raymond Gould, Cone, Benjamin Johnson, Macon, Carroll Culbertson, Ridgeway, James Murphy, Macon, '96; May Culbertson, Elmer T. Pocklington, Oral Freer, Cyrus A. Palmer, Lura E. Palmer, Ridgeway, '97.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Mary Hanchett returned from her school duties last week.

The patrons and wives of the creamery, passed a pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Clark on Monday.

The Clover Leaf creamery is doing a flourishing business, having 125 patrons bringing in about 12,000 lbs of milk daily.

The Misses Fannie Kelley, Mattie Wilson, and Etta Carpenter, attended the C. E. convention at Adrian a part of last week.

The funeral of little Mabel Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore was held at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. G. Florance returned from Bay City Thursday of last week, where she had been in attendance at the funeral of her brother.

The Misses Florence and Anna Tompson and Kittie Ingold of Blissfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rothfuss Saturday and Sunday.

Children's day was observed at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, the children did very nicely and a large audience were in attendance.

The ladies social of the first Presbyterian church of Raisin, will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Clark Thursday June 24th, every one cordially invited.

Osgood Hive No. 285 L. O. T. M. will hold its regular review Saturday (tomorrow) afternoon, all the ladies are requested to be present as soon as 2.30 o'clock, bring flowers.

LAKE RIDGE.

Martin Miller visited his parents over Sunday.

Ben Johnson, of Ypsilanti, was here Sunday.

The Lake Ridge Sunday-school is growing in interest and attendance.

Miss Anna Barnes, who has been quite sick for a few weeks, is improving.

C. Hendershot and daughter attended the Children's Day exercises at Britton.

Miss Bessie Edwards, of Milan, was the guest of A. Easlick's family a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beneway wheeled down from Tecumseh Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon. Sisson.

Lew Martin is drawing lumber from Milan to erect a granary. The work will be done by W. Eastlick and son.

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CONE.

J.C. Cone was in Toledo the first of the week.

Norman and J. M. Austen were Adrian visitors Monday.

Miss Anna Goodridge visited friends in Ann Arbor last week.

Mrs. J. C. Cone visited her sister at Rea Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Oliver Logan spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Deerfield.

Mrs. Ann Austen and grandson Clarence, are spending a couple of weeks at Ashley.

Miss Lizzie Houghton is visiting friends in Adrian and Tecumseh for a few weeks.

Rose and Clara Early of Milan, spent Saturday and Sunday at their uncle's John Johnsons.

The scholars in Wright district held a picnic in Rob Prestons woods Saturday afternoon. A short program was rendered by them.

Frank Buck and wife and Miss Zada Calkins, attended the reunion of 26th Mich. Inft. at Mr. Brewer's in West Dundee last Friday.

Misses Rose Vandeventer and Bertha Jorden went to Adrian Saturday as delegates to the C. E. Convention. Fred Rapp and Misses Jessie and Mertie Auten attended also.

There is a Class of People

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The town of Foyil, I. T., was destroyed by a cyclone and one person was killed.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and pemanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

Jesse Way was sentenced at Indianapolis to seven years in the Indiana state prison for counterfeiting. He is 80 years old and has spent 45 years of his life in prison.

"I was troubled with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a most wonderful medicine." JOSEPH HERRICK, LINWOOD, ONT.

The entire plant of Jones & Laughlin, at Pittsburg, Pa., was closed down on account of a strike and 3,500 men were idle.

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It is reported that the council will pass a new bicycle ordinance at the meeting next week, and that the provisions will be satisfactory to bicycle riders, pedestrians and drivers.

Poor old Blissfield—The latest is that a nest of blue racers occupy the opera house, at least some children, who have of late been using the building as a playhouse, complain of being driven out by the snakes. Grass does not grow on the steps but for no other excuse than want of water.—Poor old Blissfield.

The bicycle riders of Britton and Ridgeway are constructing and have nearly completed a bicycle path from Britton to Frank Davidson's corner. A subscription paper is being circulated about Tecumseh to raise funds that the path may be continued to this village and, no doubt the work will be accomplished. This will be the first bicycle path into Tecumseh and more will soon follow. If Adrian would build a path as far north as the Quaker meeting house, the riders from that section would not be obliged to come over here on the cars when they wished to ride on really good roads.

It is not the purpose of any committee of Tecumseh citizens to urge the management of the Clinton Woolen Mill Co. to remove their plant to Tecumseh, nor to make propositions to them to compel Clinton village to do as the factory people would desire. Such action would not be right toward our sister village; but if the management of the Clinton Woolen Mills have decided that they are intending to move their plant and will make a proposition to Tecumseh, the citizens will in very short order, decide whether the proposition can be accepted or not. The visit of the Hamiltons and Supt. Huntington to Tecumseh this week, to look over the water power, would indicate that a move of some sort was in mind.

An Interesting Letter Received from Rev. W. H. Babbitt.

Few towns of 2500 inhabitants, in the state of Michigan, or any other state of our union, have enjoyed the reputation which Tecumseh has always had for intelligence and public spirit. A recent visit to this place, made by a former resident, has proved to him that it still deserves this reputation. The town never before presented so attractive an appearance. Hard times have not dampened the ardor for improvement. Churches and schools still keep up their standard of excellence. A public library has been established. A new railroad has begun to run its vestibuled trains thro' the place and facilitate intercourse with the outer world; tho' we are sorry to see that God's law of the Sabbath was violated by the running of a Sunday excursion, as the first act of its opening. The true prosperity of a place depends so much on the morality of its inhabitants that every violation of the perfect code of the ten commandments should be frowned upon. The world has made great progress in recent years. But it has not yet discovered a code of law, strict compliance with whose tenets would be followed by as many benefits, temporal and spiritual, as this. How slow it is, in all its advancement, to learn this simple, all-important truth.

At the hour of penning this letter the members of the graduating class of the high school are getting very nervous and excited over the near approach of their commencement exercises. It would have been a pleasure to be able to accept the kind invitations of several members of this class to attend these exercises. Will those who gave them accept these publicly expressed regrets at being constrained to decline them. And at the same time will all the class accept best wishes for long lives of usefulness and happiness, in spite of every obstacle and temptation they may encounter?

One of the most interesting events of every year is the recurrence in early summer of these school and college closing exercises, at which diplomas are given to certify the completion of a liberal course of study. Our country's welfare depends very largely on the kind of character which these youthful graduates develop, or rather which they maintain, for it has already been pretty fully developed, and the principles which are to guide them are already pretty firmly established. Education is many sided and there is perpetual danger that some one of the many phases of a full and perfect education will be overlooked. There was a time when athletics were neglected. But that time has passed if we may judge from the interest taken in out-of-door games and exercises. Still the training of a base ball or a foot ball team or of a rowing club cannot take the place of the good wholesome, scientific training of all our young people in muscular development, and occasional games of a difficult and even dangerous kind cannot take the place of regular exercise of a kind adapted to each one's capacity and needs. It is clear that this craze of athletics needs a little reason infused into it and that the temperate use of the wheel, which may safely be encouraged and commended, is in danger of degenerating into an abuse and an evil. One of the phases of education which has been neglected in the past is "manual training," or the bringing out of the constructive skill that lies hidden in the human hand. A manual training school is in successful operation in Cleveland in connection with the Central High School. An exhibition was recently given of work done by its pupils. In the basements 24 forges were shown with the boys at work and samples of work done in forging iron were exhibited. On the first floor a machine shop was in full blast and also a wood turning shop with 25 lathes running. On the second floor carpentering and joining work were displayed, also cabinet making and pattern making. In another room four years' work in drawing was shown. Fine examples of linear, perspective, projective, geometrical, architectural drawing were shown, also tinting, shades and shadows, etc. In another room drawings by the girls were exhibited which the boys frankly confess were better than their own. This manual training school proposes to establish a girl's class in domestic economy. A sewing machine firm has donated six of its best machines, a range company has donated a range, and donations of a helpful kind have been received from other firms. Is it hard to see a shield from temptation and a benefit in other directions also in this manual training movement?

It would make this letter too long, and too much like a sermon, to take up the question of the education of the young in the moral and religious departments of our nature. This question is coming to the front in connection with the stubborn banishment, not only of the Bible as a whole, but of all portions of the Bible from our public schools. Crime appears to be rather on the increase than the decrease, and there is a growing disposition to trace one cause of this to the absence of moral training and the non-recognition of God in the schools where so many of the children of our republic get all the mental and moral training that they have.

The HERALD continues to make welcome weekly visits to us, giving us items of interest and keeping us in touch with a community to which we shall ever be warmly attached. Please accept our thanks for these visits and for many a favor in the past.

W. H. B.

Mrs. Hulda M. Russell.

On the morning of June 5, 1897, at 5:30, while surrounded by her daughters, Mary and Almeida, her husband, Mrs. Gray and her constant attendant, Mrs. Harris, a dear companion and a loving and beloved mother departed this life after four weeks of severe suffering during which all her family and friends were remembered with a care for their welfare and happiness. Ten days before, when the attendant physicians called the family out and stated to them her condition with little or no hopes of her recovery, it was like a lightning stroke from a clear sky. Although August 31st she would have been 63 years of age, yet it seemed she was but in the prime of life, having most of the time enjoyed good health and having inherited a good constitution.

Hulda M. Russell was the daughter of Alanson and Mary Bangs, was born in Raisin, Mich., August 31, 1834, in the same house where she died, where she was married May 31, 1859, to Edward L. Russell and where she has lived these 38 years of her married life, with the exception of the first four years when her residence was near Centralia, Ill.

A brother, Alanson Burr Bangs, of Raisin, and a sister, Betsy Jane Haight, of Jackson, survive her. She was the mother of two sons and three daughters, Ellsworth E., of Jackson; Frank E., of Tecumseh; Mrs. Mary Scofield and Mrs. Ida Mosely, of Owosso; and Miss Almeida, of Raisin.

Heavy rains and dark clouds ushered in the day of her marriage, but the day closed with a bright rainbow and a beautiful sunset. Thus it was with her life; labors and cares were constant and her last suffering severe, but she died saying, "God is good;" to her husband, "I have loved you every moment, every moment"; to the daughter left at home, "It will be hard for you, but harder for pa." She had a deep affection for her parents and relatives and never tired of doing for them, her cares and labors never pressing upon her so heavily but she could administer to their comfort and happiness, her heart never so full but she had a place for friends and neighbors. She was willing to sacrifice her own comfort and happiness for that of her family.

I remember her as a rosey cheeked, healthy miss of 17, tripping down the street to meet and welcome me to her father's home as my boarding place. She had then given her heart to God and His spirit shone forth in her looks, actions and words. She had united with the M. E. church of Tecumseh. The letter she received from this church she never presented in Illinois, nor yet sought her old home in the church here until five years ago when her husband and others of the family were ready to go with her under the guidance of Rev. O. J. Perrin, Ph. D., who also so kindly officiated at the funeral which was held at the M. E. church on Tuesday, June 8th.

Could we have but one faint glimpse into that spirit world and see her happily surrounded by kindred spirits, it would afford comfort and encouragement. But her life's work was well done and we trust God's word and remember that he will fulfill all his promises

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Ball Game.

The game Saturday afternoon between the Lake Ridge Farmers and the home team, was a commingling of brilliant plays with rank errors, forming a combination rarely seen. It was largely a pitcher's battle, both doing good work. Harris had this advantage over Uphouse—his catcher was used to him while Lewis had never before caught Uphouse and found it difficult to hold him. Our team was not as strong as usual; Lee was unable to play, Spalding was not present, and Kennedy had a bad hand and was otherwise maimed, which made batting out of the question. Parrish was put on 3rd, but after the 2nd inning, when in his wild throw to first let in two runs, he went back to his old position right field and Bowerman held down 3rd. Heesen played a very good shot. Our boys played a dandy game until the ninth inning, when they all endeavored to mount the band wagon at the same time, and five of their six errors were made, which let in five runs, and but for a faulty decision of the umpire, would have tied the score. During this comedy of errors, the wildest excitement prevailed. All were intensely interested, some fearing it would lose the game for our boys, while others hoped they would have to play their half of the ninth inning. Taken as a whole, it was the most exciting game of the season.

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Errors—L. R. Farmers 7, Tecumseh 6 Earned runs—none. Hits—L. R. Farmers 3, Tecumseh 6. 2 Base hits—Hughes. Sacrifice hits—Hicks, Kennedy. Stolen bases—Vescelius, Johnson, Kennedy, Heesen-2, Hicks-3, Gillen, Hughes, Bowerman-2, Pennington. First base on balls off Harris, one. Off Uphouse, one. First base on errors—L. R. Farmers-5, Tecumseh-5. Left on bases—L. R. Farmers-3, Tecumseh-2. Struck out—By Uphouse 14, by Harris 14. Double play—Heesen to Kennedy. Time 1:45. Umpire, Easlick.

Allen B. Ward

Died May 29 at his residence near Lawrence, Kan., aged 88 years. He first commenced business at this place with J. S. Stacy in 1846. The next year he married Elizabeth DeMott, located at Dundee, Mich., and for some two years was a merchant there. He returned to this place about 1849 and conducted the same business successfully, first with R. C. More and with other persons, closing out his business to E. B. Strickland & Co. about the year 1869. He afterwards entered business with Alonzo Tribou which continued a few years when he moved to Dundee to conduct the extensive lumber, stave and heading mill business of Hall, Ward & Co. Closing out this business, it not being profitable, he settled on a farm near Lawrence, Kan., following his friend, Chas. Strong, whom he survived a few months.

He first occupied the Guion residence here, bought the Backus house which he occupied a few years and sold to the late Wm. Hayden and then bought and rebuilt the Guion house now occupied by Wm. DeMott which was his home for many years. His first wife died about the year 1863. He married for his second wife, Mrs. Jane Breckbell, who mourns his loss and with whom we sympathize, knowing his exemplary character and sterling worth. By her he has one serviving child, Charlie, who is just entering manhood. We would wish to pay this tribute to his memory, that by the writer he was esteemed highest as a friend and brother and to him he always appeared as having very many of the virtues and none of the faults and failings common to mortals.

W. D. M.

Minneapolis and return at half Rates.

Account of the meeting of the B. P. O. E. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Minneapolis and return at half rates, plus 50 cents, on July 3, and 4 tickets good returning to leave Minneapolis until July 31st. Write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland, O., for panphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions, or apply to ticket agents.

4th July Excursions.

On July 3, 4, and 5 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell tickets at half rates at all its stations to points within 200 miles of selling station, good returning until July 6th inclusive.

Milwaukee and Return—Low Rates.

On July 3, 4, and 5, account National Educational Association meeting, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Milwaukee, Wis., and return at half fare, plus $2.00. Tickets good for return, leaving Milwaukee until August 31st. Apply to ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, Ohio., for pamphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions.

Half Rates—Fourth July.

Excursion tickets at half rates will be sold by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. at all stations on July 3 4 and 5 to points within 200 miles of selling point, good returning until July 6th inclusive.

All the Way from the Missouri River to Buffalo the Wabash Railroad Operates Trains over its own Tracks.

Having leased the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway between Detroit and Suspension Bridge, and those of the Erie R. R. from Suspension Bridge to Buffalo, the Wabash R. R. will run its own trains from Kansas City, Omaha, Des Moines, St. Louis, Quincy, Hannibal, Keokuk and Chicago to Buffalo, being the only road from Missouri and Mississippi River points having its own line and trains running into Buffalo. Through cars from Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago to Buffalo without change.

A full line of spectacles at

E. J. Peters.

and

Eyes Tested Free.

Remember this is the place to get best repairing of watches clocks or jewelery.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

BURT GREY,

Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring. I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

Quicker and Cheaper,

than anybody. Call and see me.

Will Grey.

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COMPLETE LINE OF

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Come and see sample cards.

New Shades and Colors.

C. A. Wright.

The Picnic Season is at hand and the place to get the

Best Boiled Ham

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A. S. Clark's
Meat Market.

Armour's Best Sugar Cured Hams.

Warm Weather

Goods now in order. We are showing a very nice line of Balbrigan and Jean

Underwear at 25c and 50c.

Colored, Negligee and Fancy bosomed shirts on display.

A full line of bicycle suits, sweaters, stockings and belts very cheap.

A large supply of straw hats.

We will be pleased to show you goods.

Respectfully,

McCANN BROS.
The One Price Clothiers.

Butter! Butter!

The warm weather will soon be here and you will want something besides soft butter.
It can be found in two and five pound crocks at our store. Always fresh and firm right off the ice.

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We Sell Binder **Twine.**

Hay rope and everything in the line of

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Also repairs for Walter A. Wood machines.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done by W. Bly's, second house west of Abner Owen's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

FOR RENT—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

Base Ball!

Clinton
vs.
Tecumseh.

Bills' Driving Park,
Tecumseh,

SATURDAY, JUNE 26.

Game called at 3:00 p. m.,

Admission 15 cents,
Grand Stand 10c.

Ladies to grand stand free.

Special sale of dress goods Saturday Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whittier returned Grand Rapids last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Frost spent Friday and Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Clement Bramble was home over Sunday and returned to Columbus, O. Monday.

When you buy a wheel and cannot consult Harry Pattison, riding instructor.

Mrs. Frank Dickie, of Marshall, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Newton Satterthwaite.

Frank J. Temple received notice of his appointment as deputy oil inspector Wednesday.

Bill Elliott says John Schreder has had his barn painted and that it is the best job in the country.

Mrs. S. J. Helm and Mrs. S. W. Cipple visited the family of M. P. Owen in Adrian Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Clough left yesterday morning for a two weeks' visit with friends at Coldwater and Quincy.

Wm. H. Smith, the Pearl street wagon maker, is now working for a manufacturing establishment in Toledo.

Married at the Presbyterian parsonage Monday, by Rev. C. M. Brown, Mr. E. E. Powell and Miss Francis B. Hall.

Geo. W. Armstrong, of McConnell's dry goods store, Adrian, and a lady friend came over Monday evening on their wheels.

And still the good work goes on. Another fine stretch of cement walk is being laid on the north side of East Chicago street.

Cards are out announcing the marriage next Wednesday evening, of Mr. Irvin Pattison, of Ridgeway, and Miss Lina Boyd, of Tecumseh.

Henry Smith recently purchased two new boilers in Adrian. One of them was hauled over with a four-horse team and placed in position last Saturday.

Rev. C. W. Baldwin, of Addison, will preach in the M. E church next Sunday morning and evening. In the evening he will speak on "Home Missions."

We have some bargains to offer in second-hand mowers and binders. Low prices on hay rakes, tedders, loaders, forks, rope and binding twine.

C. A. SLAYTON.

Bill Hicks will play ball today as usual and it is doubtful if he leaves Tecumseh at all this season, not being able to trust Burridge to manage the business alone.

The G. A. R. ball next Monday evening. Beers' Post will hold a memorial service for deceased members, to which the relatives of departed comrades and other families are invited. Rev. Elmer Andrus will make the address.

Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
Quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
Large polished Stand, 1.50
Set of strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
Polished oak Dining Set, 7.00
Sewing Rocker, 1.00
Large Arm Rocker, 2.50
Cobler-seat oak Rocker, 3.00
Large iron-bound Trunk, 2.50
Couches are beauties at 10.00
Large line of Window shades at 20c.
Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.

WHEELER & SISSON.

The following from the American Gardener is of interest to many readers of the HERALD:

Perhaps the largest celery plant bed in the United States, if not in the world, is that of Messrs. D. E. Smeltzer & Co., of Santa Ana, Cal. The beds are under the personal supervision of Mr. Homer Wilson, of the firm of Wilson Bros., celery growers, of Tecumseh, Mich. They are laid out in sections sixty feet wide, with ditches between them for irrigating, as it does not rain there at this time of the year. The beds have to be kept quite wet, while the plants are small, as the hot sun and wind in the soil would otherwise kill the young plants. Forty pounds of seed were sowed. The firm expects this season to plant six million plants.

Try the coffee buns at the City Bakery.

Miss Nora Charles is home for the summer.

Bargain day—every day in the week at S. W. Anderson's.

Miss Christine Wilson, who is teaching at Helena, Ohio, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Knapp, are visiting friends in Jackson Co. for a few days.

Miss Mabel Smith has recently finished her second term of teaching in East Franklin.

Until July 1st, you can obtain Mantello size photo's for 99cts. per dozen at Miss Daly's.

Mrs. F. M. Scott of Ithaca, Mich, was the guest of S. E. Parrish and family over Sunday.

Miss Anna Gaston returned yesterday from a visit of over two weeks with Morenci friends.

Richard Anderson came up from Bowling Green, Ohio, and spent Sunday with his father.

John Karner has been visiting his parents near Blissfield this week. He is expected home tonight

Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse is spending the week in Detroit and B. J. is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Fryor, of Charlotte, are visiting Mr. and Mrs Frank Rising. Mrs. Fryor is Mr. Rising's sister.

The D. & L. N. train which leaves Tecumseh for Detroit at 2.50 p. m. carries a chair car each day, giving passengers the best service of any road running into Detroit.

Mrs. L. M. Bidwell, who went to Wisconsin to attend the closing exercises of St. John's Military school at Delafield where her son is a student, returned home Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by Ralph who will spend the vacation here.

The Woman's Home Missionary society will serve their next quarterly tea at the home of Mrs. Remington, corner of Pearl and Shawnee streets, next Wednesday, June 23rd, from 5:30 to 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

In all probability Jud Manley will keep sober for 60 days at least. Marshall Bidwell escorted him to Detroit last Tuesday for a 60 days' vacation at the House of Correction. Had the sentence been 60 years it would have been more appropriate.

Cards have been received announcing the approaching marriage of Mr. George P. Pardington, a former resident here, to Miss Anna L. Davies, of Cleveland, O., June 30th. After October 15th they will be at home to their friends at South Nyack on the Hudson, N. Y.

Joseph Russell now owns the "Knifin" 2120 pound steer. This is perhaps the best three-year-old steer ever raised in the county. Mr. Russell proposes keeping him till holiday time then will ship him to the old country, showing those chaps over there what kind of stock can be produced in Michigan.

From the depth of grief-stricken hearts, we wish to express our thanks for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy shown us in this time of sorrow. For the many beautiful flowers in which our dear one was laid to rest we are especially grateful.

R. B. GILLESPIE AND FAMILY.

Prof. and Mrs. Kellogg and Rev. and Mrs. Andrus, are becoming long distance bicycle riders. Last week the quartette visited Adrian and returned in one afternoon and this week, journed to Ann Arbor, from which place, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg, accompanied by Miss Knapp, will go to Lansing and other points.

G. W. Marsden is now agent for the National Express Co. which controls the business on the D. & L. N. This gives to Tecumseh three express companies. Mr. Marsden will do the work for the National in connection with that for the American and Tecumseh people are all glad that he has received the appointment.

Next Sunday is Children's day at the Universaliat church at this place. A special program has been prepared and a very entertaining and instructive service is anticipated. Everyone welcome. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Lost Souls." A parish meeting is announced for Sunday June 27th, after morning service. Everyone interested in the welfare of the Universalest church, is earnestly requested to be present.

We understand that many of our dealers in bicycles, as well as those riding them, said to Ridgeway and Britton people, who were anxious for a bicycle path, that they would meet them half way. If this be true, they want to get a move on them for Tuesday between Ridgeway and Britton they had a large force at work and ten teams drawing gravel, and by the middle of the week, if the weather permits, they expect to have their half done, that is from Britton to Frank Davidson's corner. Certainly Tecumseh will not be outdone in this matter by Ridgeway and Britton, and we expect to see our people act quickly.

Comfort Chase and Charles Moyer have been going fishing all the spring, and two more patient or persistent fishermen would be hard to find. Nothing seemed to dampen their ardor for the sport for week after week past, and only a few blue gills or bullheads could they show as trophies. They tried first one pond; then another, but the result was the same. Monday afternoon, however, their luck turned. They were on the Red mill pond and were about pulling to shore discouraged, when Comfort felt something at the end of the line, and after skillful engineering he landed a fine pickerel, weighing, he thought, fully six pounds, but by the time they reached a pair of scales it had shrunken to four pounds. Never was a boy prouder of his first pair of boots than Comfort with his fish. Tomorrow the boys go fishing again.

H. R. Lamb is in Pittsburg this week.

Bargains in wash goods Saturday at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Mrs. George Merritt is at Fulton, N. Y., caring for a sister who is ill.

Glen Jackson came over from Ypsilanti and spent Sunday with his people.

J. B. Townsend, of Lima, Ohio, was registered at the Lilley house Monday.

Every day is a "bargain day" at this store. S. W. ANDERSON.

Dr. Walter N. Fowler of Ann Arbor visited Tecumseh friends over Sunday.

Gen. B. B. Wood is in Detroit on legal business, will be at home this evening.

Capt. Holloway of Adrian was entertained in Tecumseh by Capt. Hayden Monday.

Donald H. C. Bowen is now soliciting business for the United States Accident Insurance Co.

This afternoon the Imperials of Jackson, are playing our ball team at the driving park.

Cleo Hall came down from Elkhart Saturday for a little vacation. He returned today.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

W. J. Cooker, A. Bennett and A. C. Sword, of Adrian, visited Tecumseh on their wheels Tuesday.

Miss Julia Wood is expected home from Dayton, Ohio, to spend the summer vacation, this evening.

Mrs. C. A. Payne, nee. Waldron, of Watkins, N. Y. is at the old home and will visit here several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Love of Naubenway, upper peninsula, is visiting his father, Delos Love, and family.

Mrs. Dan'l McCaughn fell down the cellar stairs yesterday and was quite seriously hurt. Medical aid was summoned and she is resting easily today.

Several young gentlemen in the village, say that their young lady friends are wondering why the city council has so long delayed replacing the seats in the park.

Next week Saturday, June 26th, the Clinton team cross bats with our boys and as they are a strong team and heavy batters, it promises to be an exciting game.

FOR SALE—Two new $75 wheels at $35 cash, one new $85 wheel at $40 cash and one second-hand ladies' wheel at $20 cash. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office.

The Alexander Quartette of Clinton will be at the Friends Church Sunday, June 20th. Children's day will be observed by the Sunday School during Sunday School hour.

I. P. Keyser has recently put in stock a large assortment of California wines, these goods are put up in bottles, convenient for medical use, and are not only reasonable in price but guaranteed pure.

Ben Pulver went to Ypsilanti to day to attend the wedding reception of his friend, John W. Comstock which occurs at the home of his parents this evening. He was married at St. Clair, Wednesday, to Miss Latona A. Burtless.

John Peotter, an employer of Henry Smith, who was seriously cut with a straw knife some weeks since, received the full payment of his claim from the United States Accident Association of Detroit this week without delay.

J. M. Ingersoll put up last week for I. P. Keyser awnings in front of his place on Railroad street. These awnings were manufactured by him right here in Tecumseh, and at a much less figure than outsiders charge for the same work.

Renney Dewey, who spent the fall and winter through the west and south, Iowa the limit west, and Tennesee South, returned home a week ago, making the trip with horse and buggy. He had great opportunities to see the country and people, and reports a delightful time and good business.

Satterthwaite Bros. have recently completed the purchase of the Kirchgessner store from the Adams estate, and have taken immediate possession. Their stock will fill the basements and first and second stories of the present store and new one and without doubt, is the largest stock in this line in the county. When the moving is completed, the Herald will give a detailed description of the establishment complete.

We would call attention to an announcement in another column for the coming Blue Ribbon meeting at Detroit, commencing July 13th and continuing ten days. These meetings are the most popular in the country and the management are bound this shall eclipse all former ones. The grounds, track, and buildings are the finest in the land, and all the flyers will be there to compete for the liberal money hung up. It is expected all previous records will be beaten.

The entertainment given at the Opera house Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Foresters, was very enjoyable and netted the order a neat little sum. Mr. E. C. Adams as a magician is very clever and his feats of magic were varied and wonderful for an amateur and received great applause. Mr. Adams is far ahead of many so called professionals. The local talent acquitted themselves with credit, and the singing of Mamie and Nettie Keyser of Clinton pleased every body.

James Bloomer, the farmer who lives on Henry Keyser's farm, owns a valuable horse that has been recently cured of lockjaw by the use of anti-toxine. Some weeks ago the horse was noticeably sick, Dr. C. A. Waldron was summoned and detected symtoms of lockjaw, occasioned by a scratch on the ankle. The animal was kept quiet, anti-toxine administered, and is now in perfect health. Dr. Waldron keeps up with the times in every particular, which is no doubt one reason for his success.

Robert Lockhart, of Jackson, spent Sunday with John Orr and family.

W. C. Burridge is in Adrian today engaged as attorney for Henry Smith in his suit with the Hobart Electric Co.

Miss Pearl Glassbrook, who has been with Mrs. M. E. Bice, was called to Leslie Monday, by the illness of her parents.

Mrs. Anna Jones, of Hastings, and Mrs. E. Trusk, of Grand Rapids, have come to spend the summer with Mrs. S. J. Helme.

The society of King's Daughters gave an out-door ice cream social at Mrs. E. B. Wood's last evening which was well attended.

B. J. Garlinghouse now has power of attorney to receive collections for the D. & L. N. company so that any who desires, can pay at any time.

Prof. D. A. Hammond of Ann Arbor, was in Tecumseh Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. He is now placing text books for E. H. Butler & Co.

Miss Leone Hall, of Chicago, after a pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Hall, left yesterday morning for a visit with friends at Buffalo N. Y.

Alumni Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Tecumseh High School Alumni Association was celebrated at the armory last Friday evening. One hundred guests were at table and the following program was listened to with close attention and manifest interest:

Music—Knapp's orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. B. S. Hudson.
Address of Welcome—W. H. Hayden.
Response—Samuel W. McClure.
Music—Knapp's orchestra.
Oration—Clarence B. Hurry.
Poem—Mrs. H. S. Lee.
History—Mrs. Milburn R. Keyser.
Music—Knapp's orchestra.

After the menu, under the direction of Dr. L. G. North as toast master, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons talked about vegetable juices, Frank P. Keeney told how the public schools could be improved, Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse spoke about the most troublesome pupil, William W. Hicks toasted the D. & L. N., Don. C. Bowen complimented the teachers past and present, Prof. Kellogg demonstrated the necessity of more apparatus for the teaching of chemistry in the public schools, and Geo. N. Stacy attempted to tell when we should know whether marriage is a failure.

Under the direction of Robert S. Moore, chairman of the executive committee, the details of the affair were perfect, the guests delightfully served with a fine menu, which together with the excellence of the program, made this one of the best of the Tecumseh alumni reunion.

For years this has been made one of the social events of the summer in Tecumseh. The older ladies, stimulated by the example of the young lady graduates, appear in gowns both light and white. Indeed, it is a custom to be encouraged as an aid to the graduates in starting on the right social track and to keep the older ones young. Following is the list of officers elected to serve next year:

President—S. W. Anderson.
1st Vice Pres.—Mary Mills.
2nd Vice Pres.—Flora Hartbeck.
Sec.—Agnes Stevens.
Treas.—Will Hicks.
Orator—Garland Gillespie.
Alternate—Chas. Hurry.
Poet—S. Mabel Hayden.
Alternate—Will H. Hayden.
Historian—Mamie Osborn.
Alternate—Claude VanTyne.
Toast Master—G. N. Stacy.
Alternate—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons.
Executive Com.—Frank P. Keeney, Guy J. Davidson, Albert O. Howard.

Blue Ribbon Meeting of Detroit Driving Club.

The Blue Ribbon harness meeting of The Detroit Driving Club begins this year on Tuesday, July 13th, and continues for ten days, ending Friday, July 23rd. While there is great interest in the merchants' and manufacturers' $10,000 stake for 2:24 trotters, on the opening day and the Chamber of Commerce $5,000 stake for 2:24 pacers, on Tuesday, July 20th, each of which have twenty-three nominations, there are other events each day which will prove equally exciting and afford fully as much amusement. The program has been so arranged as to give three contests each day.

The champions of the trotting world will meet in the free-for-all Wednesday, July 14th, in which have been nominated, Alix, the queen, 2:03 3-4, Azote, the king, 2:04 3-4, Fantasy, the coming champion, 2:06, Ottinger, 2:09 3-4, and Pilot Boy, 2:10 1-2, the latter being by that grand old Michigan sire, Pilot Medium.

Annual Meeting National Educational Association, Milwaukee, Wis., July 6 to 9, 1897.

For this occasion the Wabash railroad will sell tickets to Milwaukee and return at one fare for the round trip, plus $2.00. For particulars, call on or write to any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

At Arlington and other portions of Texas many houses were destroyed and crops ruined by a tornado.

National Convention Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, San Francisco, July 7 to 12, 1897.

The Wabash railroad has made a very low rate from all stations to San Francisco and return for this occasion. For particulars, call on any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

—If you desire made to order garments which really fit and are made in first-class, workmanlike manner, and trimmed with the best trimmings, call on J. C. Eccles, over U. S. express office. He will give you choice of 300 samples of goods to select from and guarantee low price and perfect fit.

Strawberries

We are handling berries this season for several of the largest growers. We will not be undersold and will make a very low price in quantities. No peaches this season and strawberries, sugar, and fruit jars are cheap.

Anderson Bros.,
Grocers.

Crash!

Crash! Crash!

Our Assortment of Crash **Suits,**

is so complete that we can not only fit you, but please you.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

Buy Your Fruits and Vegetables of AVERY & CO.

Assortment, - - - The largest.
Quality, - - - The best.
Prices, - - - - The lowest.

Do not look for them out in the street. You will find them in the store away from the dust and sun.

AVERY & CO.

Iron age Cultivators, . .

Wheel hoes and Garden Tools,

We have a complete line of

Gasoline and Blue Flame Summer Stoves.

Consult us for anything in the line of

Steel or wood track, hay cars, hay rope, slings, harpoon forks, etc. Also binder twine,

Binder and Stack Covers,

Thresher Belts, Mower and Reaper Sections.

Satterthwaite Bros.

HOW THE WORLD JUDGES.

BY ANNA SHIELDS.

The world in this case was represented by the sewing circle of Abington, which met once a week at the various houses of the ladies of the congregation of the church which it represented. There were matrons and maidens, young and old, and among the latter, notice, if you will, Alice Spencer, neither young nor old, but a maiden whose story all Abington knows. Ten years ago Dr. Greyson and Alice Spencer "kept company." There was a quarrel, growing from a trifle, until it ended in a separation, and Dr. Greyson married Maude Hepburn, heiress of the richest man in Abington.

Alice "wore the willow" gracefully enough, neither going into brain fever nor rushing about seeking a mission as a properly conducted maiden in her plight should have done. She is not beautiful, but, in her soft, gray merino, with snowy lace ruffles and a trifle of blue here and there, her sweet, fair face is very pleasant to see. She is gentle and placid, doing her duty well, and always cheerful, yet there comes a frown of pain across her low, white forehead, as the stream of censure flows around her.

"I had it from Martha, Mrs. Greyson's cook," Mrs. Lee said, emphatically, "that Agnes and Lottie Greyson were sent to boarding school against their own mother's will. It is downright cruelty! Why, Agnes is not eight years old, and Lottie just passed six. Mere babies!"

"They say their mother took on dreadfully," said fat, comfortable Mrs. Agnew, looking up from a perplexing gusset; "screamed and cried and clung to the poor little things, as if she couldn't let them go. That, hateful Miss Greyson took them away."

"Miss Greyson interferes in everything," said another voice; "for my part, if my husband brought a prim old maid sister into my house, I'd just put her in her place! But, they do say that half the time poor Mrs. Greyson isn't allowed to order her own dinner."

"I never thought much of Dr. Greyson after he gave up practice and went to live on his wife's money," said Mrs. Agnew. "Such a splendid doctor as he was, and doing so much good, had no business to fold his hands and live in idleness, before he was 30 years old."

And so on, and on, and on, till a monster in human form and a suffering, martyred angel were evolved from the Greyson household, and held up to scorn. Even Mrs. Greyson herself had a side slap or two, as being "poor-spirited" and one who took too meekly to being "put upon" by her tyrant of a husband and sister.

Alice Spencer bent her head lower and lower over her sewing, hearing all, but saying no word of defense or blame. Her heart was very sore when these stories, that were not new in Abington, but merely were revised, improved and enlarged whenever the gossips met, were told. She was of a large-hearted nature, forgiving and tender, and when her lover deserted her she sent no ill will after him. She had hoped he would return to her, and she suffered intensely, if silently, when he nursed his wrath so long and then married. But she lived her sorrow down, and wished Dr. Greyson every happiness.

Often, in the delicious days of courtship, Dr. Greyson had told Alice of his sister Margaret, the older sister, who had taken his mother's place when he was a child of three years. She had, from his loving descriptions, learned to think of Margaret Greyson as one of those noble, self-sacrificing women who make the home a dwelling place of all peace and happiness. It had been one of their favorite dreams of the future to think of Margaret in their home, a ministering angel, and to repay her by their devotion for her long sisterly care.

And now, another of her idols was torn down and smirched by evil tongues, and Alice heard of Miss Greyson as a sort of assistant domestic demon, to carry out her brother's wickedness.

She had no power to contradict any of these reports, for Maude Greyson had exhibited the most savage jealousy of her husband's first love, and her manner to Alice was positively insulting.

Pondering on all these things, Alice walked from the sewing circle to her own modest cottage, where she had lived alone since her father's death, five years before. He had been the pastor of the church, and had, by close economy, saved enough to leave his only child a modest competency. There were no money cares to trouble Alice, although she was far from wealthy, and her income was generously shared with the poor of the village.

Followed by her servant, she was entering the gateway of her garden, when a dark figure came from the porch, down the cottage steps, and she started and trembled, as she recognized Dr. Greyson. What could he want with her at that hour?

"Alice," he said, making no formal greeting, "I have forfeited the right to ask a kindness at your hands, and yet I have come to you in a sore strait, for help."

"I will give it gladly," she faltered, all her accustomed quiet calm broken into a strange tumult of feeling.

"Will you come with me to Highbanks?"

"Now?"

"Yes, now. My carriage is here—indeed, I have but just arrived, and must have hastened back alone, if you had not come."

"But Mrs. Greyson—she does not wish to see me—I—"

"Mrs. Greyson is ill! Alice, I cannot wait. Can you not trust me?"

She gave a few words of direction to the servant and followed him. He gave her no explanation as they drove rapidly towards his home, his whole attention being given to hastening without danger over the road in the night gloom. But at the door he said:

"You had strong nerves, once. Are you as good now? Can you bear the sight of blood—of a wound?"

"If I can be of use."

"You are the same Alice," he said, sighing, and then led the way to a bedchamber, where, still dressed and evidently suffering greatly, Margaret Greyson was extended upon a bed. From some neighboring room came the sound of a screaming voice, uttering appalling oaths, using language that sent sick shudders through Alice Spencer's frame.

Not until then did Dr. Greyson speak.

"Alice," he said, hoarsely, "I have tried to keep my painful secret from all, but it must soon be known. You hear Maude's voice, you see my dear sister lying dangerously wounded by Maude's hands. She has been insane for four years, and Margaret has tried to help me in guarding her from harm, and yet keeping her sad state a secret. Yesterday she broke into acute mania. I sent my little girls away hurriedly and Harry is with his nurse in another part of the house. We thought the worst of the attack was over, when she suddenly ran downstairs to the kitchen, and, seizing a knife, stabbed my sister. The servants are all occupied—one with Harry and two with my wife. Somewhere I had to look for help, and I went to you."

"Thank you for that," she answered, gently. "Tell me now what I must do."

Deftly she helped him to care for Margaret, whose wound had been dressed, but who sorely needed a woman's nursing. When he had done all required of a physician, she said:

"Now leave me and send one of the women here," and she heard him in the next room vainly trying to quiet the raving woman, whose shrieks were unlike any human sound Alice had ever heard.

It was a long, painful task to make the unconscious, moaning woman comfortable in her bed, but the maid was strong and willing, and Alice tender and accustomed to sickness. As they worked, the other side of the story the world judged so harshly came out.

"You see, miss, I was the only one of the servants that knew Mrs. Greyson was queer like. She was about the house, but the doctor, he watched her constant, night and day, and a bitter time he had, miss, for she took that hatred to him that I think she would have killed him if she could. It was only when she was asleep and I a-watching of her that he dared to rest. And there was the children, and Harry not five years old, miss, and he looking after them like a woman, or there's no knowing what she might 'a' done to them. It's been better since Miss Margaret came, and if there ever was an angel on the earth she's one, miss—that patient with the poor, daft lady, and that good to the children as you never see. It was easy to hide it from the servants sometimes, but if they had not been dumb some other times it seems to me they must 'a' knowed the poor lady wasn't right in her mind. I hope she'll not have to go to a 'sylum, miss."

"I hope not," Alice said.

"Only the master's about worn out! If he didn't know about giving her doctors' stuff when she's worst, we'd 'a' had to have help long ago."

"Harry!" Margaret called feebly, and Alice was instantly beside her.

"I am Alice," she said, gently, knowing her name must be familiar to Harry's sister. "Your brother asked me to nurse you. What can I do now to help you?"

"Alice!" Margaret said, "oh, my dear, how I have longed to see you! And to meet in this way!"

"No, you must not cry," Alice said, kissing her tenderly; "you are badly hurt and must keep very quiet, but you are willing to trust me to nurse you, are you not?"

"Yes, dear; yes, I am glad to have you here. You know—"

"Yes, I know. Heaven help him," said Alice, choking back a sob; "it is very bitter!"

While Margaret was still too ill to leave her room, Maude Greyson died, raving day and night through weeks of madness. All Abington by that time knew the sad story, for servants will gossip, when ladies stoop to question, and Highbanks was the theme of every tongue.

As soon as his sister was able to be moved, Dr. Greyson took her to the seashore, with his boy and nurse, leaving the little girls still at school, where they were happier than they had ever been under their mother's capricious control. It was not far from Abington, and Alice visited them frequently, carrying the toys and dainties dear to children's hearts.

From their seaside trip Dr. Greyson and his sister returned to Highbanks, and Margaret took the little girls home and kept the house, while the doctor went abroad. He dared not trust himself near Alice, for all the old love was springing up again in a heart he had thought dead to emotion. His bitter experience had not hardened him, nor the fact that Maude's property was willed to her children, though under his guardianship.

For three years Margaret and Alice were like dear sisters, sharing the love of the children, and Alice learning much of the martyrdom of the life of Dr. Greyson and Margaret during the four last years of Maude's life.

He came home at last and resumed his professional duties, having spent most of his time abroad in the great hospitals in Europe. It was long before he spoke to Alice, but she understood, and when he asked her to be his wife, she knew that the love she had crushed down for years had come back, true and strong, in her heart.

Of course the world, as represented by the Abington sewing circle, had plenty of hard judgment ready for both, but they never heard it, nor would they have heeded it if they had.—N. Y. Ledger.

WRECKED VESSEL LOCATED.

The Pewabic, Lost 32 Years Ago in Thunder Bay, Found.

Alpena, June 12.—After a 32 years' search the copper-laden steamer Pewabic, which collided with a sister ship, the Meteor, off Thunder Bay island, has been discovered by the steamer Root wrecking expedition, lying on the bottom seven miles east in Thunder bay. A diver in a patent diving bell found the Pewable lying upright on her bottom in 169 feet of water. Her head was pointing out. Capt. Smith says the work of getting out the cargo will be begun at once.

There is great excitement here over the discovery, as there is not only 267 tons of copper, which constituted part of her cargo, in the hold, but considerable coin. The copper is at present valued at about $80,000. Arrangements with the Home and Aetna companies, which held the insurance, assure the wreckers of 60 per cent. of all property recovered.

Scores of wrecking expeditions have been formed at various times in the past to search for her, and thousands of dollars have been spent in both dragging the bottom where she was supposed to have gone down, and in diving.

The Pewabic was a fine passenger steamer, bound from Lake Superior, with about 150 souls on board, including the crew. She sank in a few minutes after colliding, carrying down 125 passengers. The night was clear and the surface of the lake like glass. Passengers were enjoying dancing and card playing, assisted by some of the officers of the boat, and the boat went down so quickly that few had time to save themselves. At the time it was said the collision was due to carelessness. The night was so beautiful it was thought no harm would come to run close and exchange mail with the Meteor. Accordingly the boats steered close together and were drawn together by suction. The coin on board was in gold in the purser's safe, but the exact amount was never known. It is said by some to have amounted to $60,000. The copper cargo is worth $80,000 and the Pewabic cost $200,000.

AN ELECTRICAL MARVEL.

Man Has an Invention Ten Years Old Which Will Startle Scientists.

Marquette, June 12.—R. A. Wilson, superintendent of the electric light plant in this city, is said to have made a find which is apt to cause an upheaval in the electrical world. Mr. Wilson, it is alleged, has discovered a complete model of an electric lighting plant, made by an eccentric inventor, John Ingalls, which has lain in disuse since 1887, and has just been unearthed in perfect working order. By it a light similar to the incandescent bulb is said to be obtained without the use of a filament, the light being caused by waves of electrical energy forced through a vacuum on "high frequency."

Ann Arbor's Lighting Plans.

Ann Arbor, June 12.—Plans are about completed for expending the $20,000 appropriation recently made by the legislature to the Michigan university for an electric light plant. The money will be used for two 60-kilo Watts dynamos for lighting purposes and one 500-volt dynamo for power purposes. This latter will displace three engines now in use in the laboratories. A small plant at the hospital will also be provided for, one of the engines displaced by electricity in the physical laboratory being used to run it. The campus will be lighted with arc lights and the building with incandescent lamps. The new plant will be of inestimable value to the instructors in the engineering courses.

Nailed Up Church Doors.

Niles, June 12.—The congregation of the Methodist church at Nuncia is divided against the pastor, William Lawton, who has of late censured his townspeople in his sermons. Some of his enemies at a recent service cursed the pastor in the church and nailed up the doors with the congregation inside. One member of the congregation broke a window, climbed out and opened the doors. Six of the disturbers have been arrested.

Graves Despoiled.

Cheboygan, June 14.—For the past few nights sneak thieves have been stealing valuable plants and flowers off the graves in the cemeteries here. The entire G. A. R. Decoration day tribute was stolen off the graves of the veterans. Many private graves have also been despoiled. The plants have been taken to surrounding towns and disposed of.

Death of a Midget.

Kansas City, Mo., June 11.—C. W. Sparling, a midget, died here of throat trouble. He was 34 years old and was only 42 inches in height and weighed 53 pounds. Sparing was a traveling agent for a Dowagiac (Mich.) firm, and had been in the city for a year. His remains were sent to Dowagiac, where he was born, and where relatives survive him.

Sudden Death of a Sheriff.

Mancelona, June 10.—S. M. Chaffee, sheriff of Antrim county, died very suddenly at eight o'clock Wednesday morning, at Bellaire. He was apparently as well as ever, and was taken with a violent headache and died at once. Sheriff Chaffee was a favorite of all. He was serving his second term, and was universally respected.

Took Strychnine.

Marshall, June 14.—Abram Hinman committed suicide here by taking five grains of strychnine. He was jilted a few months ago by a young lady, and this is supposed to be the cause of his self-destruction.

Crushed to Death.

Flint, June 13.—A. E. Atherton, proprietor of the Atlas flouring mills, was crushed to death at Atlas by being thrown under the wheels of a wagon to which a team of fractious colts was attached.

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ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

The Trials and Tribulations of a Battle Creek Citizen—How He Comes to Tell This Story.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

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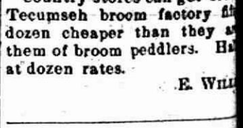
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HORTICULTURE.

DWARF PEAR TREES.

They Produce Excellent Crops Within a Very Few Years.

Farmers and others do not sufficiently appreciate the value of the dwarf pears. With these the setting out of fruit trees is certainly not "planting for posterity," whatever may be the case with standard trees.

Dwarf pear trees are formed by grafting pear cions upon quince roots. The result is the making of a bush out of the pear stock. Another result is the very early bearing of the dwarf. A few planted about one's garden and grounds make ornamental shrubbery,

DWARF PEAR TREE.

and in a very few years are producing excellent crops.

Purchased by the hundred dwarf pear trees are inexpensive—from six to eleven dollars being charged at the nurseries for two-year-old trees from three to four feet in height. Care should be taken in setting the trees to put the point where the pear and quince stock joins two inches at least below the surface of the ground. Dwarf pear trees, being small, can be set out in places where larger trees could not well grow. A very excellent arrangement is to set them in a hedge-row along the sides of one's orchard or garden. They can be set as closely as 4½ feet apart, provided they have plenty of space on either side to let in sunshine and air. A row of these little trees in full bloom is a sight to be remembered.

Not all varieties of pears are suited to the dwarf habit of growth. Those that do well as standards will not always give satisfaction as dwarfs, but it is fortunate that some of the very finest of the standard varieties, as dwarfs, do as well as the standards, if not better. Thus among the summer varieties that give excellent results is the dwarf form one may mention the Bartlett and Clapp's Favorite; among autumn varieties the Seckel and Duchesse, and among winter varieties that "noblest Roman of them all," the Anjou, and the Lawrence.

There are other good pears that do well as dwarfs, but this gives a good selection for home use. Every spring before the leaves start let a third of last season's growth be cut away, as severe pruning is essential for heavy fruiting.

In localities where the winters are severe, a little mulching, at least for the first season, should be put about the trees in winter, and remember that pear trees, as well as all fruit trees, for that matter, are greatly benefited by a liberal application of wood ashes to the soil. Give them other fertilizers, too, but don't neglect to supply plenty of potash.

Set out a few dwarf pear trees, and the chances are that you will like them so well that you will set out as many more a year from this spring.—N. Y. Tribune.

VEGETABLE HOSPITAL.

Established by the United States Department of Agriculture.

A hospital under the care of Prof. B. T. Galloway, chief of the division of vegetable pathology, has been established by the department of agriculture of the United States government for the treatement of sick plants. Diseases affecting plants and vegetables, as well as remedies, are investigated. The work will not only benefit farmers, but all lovers of flowers. A violet plant was placed under a glass jar, where it was provided with only poor ventilation. Germs of a disease known to be injurious to the plant were mixed with water and sprayed upon it. Soon large yellow spots appeared upon the leaves. After the jar was removed the patient rapidly recovered, showing that the germs would have had no effect had the air in which the plant grew been fresh. The plants in a row of young corn are given water in different quantities, mixed with certain proportions of salts, as found in natural soil. When certain strengths of salt are added the little mouths of the hairlike tubes of the roots through which the plants drink become so badly puckered that the plants starve. Plants growing in salt marshes and by the seaside are supplied with larger mouths. By testing the amount of salt in his soil the farmer can ascertain how healthy his corn is likely to be. Prof. Galloway is awaiting results from some very interesting experiments with the germs of wheat "rust."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Ripening of Fruit.

Experiments made in England to retard the ripening of fruit by keeping it at a steady low temperature have succeeded well with apples, but not with plums or with vegetables.

MARKETING FRUITS.

Have Each Package as Uniform in Quality as Possible.

Upon the condition that the fruit is in when it is offered for sale largely depends on the price it will fetch. It is essential, therefore, that good care be taken to pick, sort and pack it so that when opened in market the fruit will present an attractive appearance. A few unripe or a few overripe specimens in a box or basket will damage the sale.

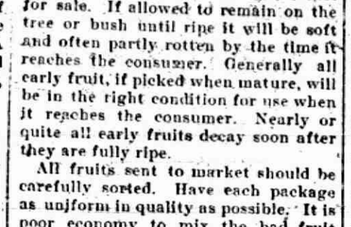
With all fruit maturity is a distinct stage, and ripeness or mellowness another. For marketing fruit should be fully matured—that is, full grown—but it should not be so ripe as to be mellow. The stage of ripeness at which fruit should be picked depends upon the time and distance it must be sent for sale. If allowed to remain on the tree or bush until ripe it will be soft and often partly rotten by the time it reaches the consumer. Generally all early fruit, if picked when mature, will be in the right condition for use when it reaches the consumer. Nearly or quite all early fruits decay soon after they are fully ripe.

All fruits sent to market should be carefully sorted. Have each package as uniform in quality as possible. It is poor economy to mix the bad fruit among the best, hoping in this way to sell the poor at a better price; the reverse always happens. Have the packages neat, attractive and convenient. In many cases the difference in price between carefully sorted, neatly packed fruit and that of a poor quality determines the question of profit or loss. The best always sells at a fair price, while often when the market is overstocked poor grades are not saleable at any price.—St. Louis Republic.

A GARDEN LEVELER.

In Irrigated Sections Every Farmer Should Have One of Them.

In irrigated sections is where horticulturists are thoughtful to use tried methods and devise new ones to get the soil in proper condition to receive the seed. For a cheap arrangement I have not found a better implement to level and smooth the soil, when it is loose, as well as to mash the lumps, than the portrayal below. It consists of a plank (a) 8 feet long, 12 inches wide and two inches thick, with a strap of iron (b) spiked to the front square edge, with half hook, half eye pieces (c) bolted on top sides of plank 1 foot from each end, 2 inches back from the edge, angling somewhat toward each other at front edge of the plank. I used inch rope with a loop knot in the center for clavis and knots in each end to prevent it from drawing through the "loop eye." To



IRRIGATOR'S GARDEN LEVELER.

complete the arrangement, a short board (e) is nailed across the center, top side of plank, extending back of plank 6 inches, the board being leveled so as to tilt back end up 2 inches. The plank is used flatwise with strap iron edge ahead. To scrape heavy ride on front center edge; and to dump, step one foot back on end of short cross board. A little experience will enable one to do good work. Lie down and look in all directions to see where more soil needs to be taken away, and where more needs to be dumped. If the land is to be flooded make the ditches and borders to give each "land" a finishing touch with the leveler.—J. Wesley Eastwood, in Farm and Home.

GARDEN AND ORCHARD.

Dusting with white ellebore is a good remedy for currant worms.

Air-slaked lime dusted on rose bushes when the dew is on will kill insect pests.

In planting for home use, select only well known standard varieties.

So much fruit that the limbs are liable to break down should not be left on the trees.

Salsify and parsnips are two root crops that can be left in the ground until they are wanted to use.

Fresh cow manure diluted with water to the consistency of cream is a good remedy for squash bugs.

Coal ashes can be used to good advantage in mulching the currants; they will keep down the weeds.

A stout stake set by a slender tree and the tree tied to it will help materially to secure a straight growth.

If desirable to use liquid manure, the better plan is to apply it weak and frequently. Do not put it on the foliage.

Pear blight, quince blight and apple twig blight are best cured by cutting all affected limbs and burning them.

Protecting the birds is one cheap way of fighting the insect pests in the garden. Don't allow boys to kill the birds or rob the nests.

Set thin pasteboard or strips of tin bent round over the early-set cabbage and tomato plants to protect them from cut worms.

A liberal application of wood ashes on the surface thoroughly stirred into the surface with a rake is a good remedy for cut worms.

The greater portion of the roots of the grapevine grow near the surface. The cultivation should always be shallow.—St. Louis Republic.

Bore Fruit Ninety Years.

On the farm of Enoch McCall, near Wrightsville, O., stands an apple tree that has been bearing fruit for 90 years. It is a yellow bellflower, and was planted when this whole region was almost a solid forest. Five feet from the ground it measures nine feet six inches in circumference, and it would take a basket 48 feet wide to set under the tree to catch every apple that falls. The tree shows some signs of decay now, but it is thought the year 1900 will find it producing.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Interesting News from Many Localities in Michigan.

There are 10,000 Canadians in Sanilac county.

It costs $500,000 annually to take care of Michigan's insane.

The Michigan Arbeiter Bund will meet in Saginaw next year.

The post office at Croswell will be raised to the presidential class July 1.

Willie Norman, aged six, was drowned at Stronach while playing on the logs in the river.

The Lake Shore railroad filed a mortgage for $50,000,000 in the register's office at Adrian.

Modern Woodmen at Three Oaks have commenced the construction of a large hall to be used by the local camp.

Johnnie Sheehan, aged 14, fell head first into a pool of water at Calumet and was drowned. He was subject to fits.

The tenth anniversary of the foundation of the Lutheran seminary, at Saginaw, will be appropriately celebrated June 27.

Nearly 100 Oakland county teachers will participate in the summer normal that will be held at Pontiac, commencing July 1.

The assessed valuation of Schoolcraft village property is $326,095; of this amount $186,295 is real estate and $139,000 personal property.

The Albion musical festival was a success both from an artistic and financial standpoint, and will be made a permanent feature of Albion life.

Many cornfields in southwestern Michigan have been entirely replanted, owing to the havoc caused by the cutworm in a number of localities.

Tash Wealch, of Torch River, recently captured three of the largest muskallonge ever caught there. The first one weighed 67 pounds and the others 45 and 51 pounds each.

An iron spike pierced the head of William Finch, aged 17, of Port Huron, and instantly killed him. He was helping raise a Bell telephone pole, which fell, the spike transfixing him.

The Brighton Market Fair association has decided upon a baseball tournament during the three days of its fair, October 13, 14 and 15, and a purse of $140 will be hung up as an attraction for teams to compete.

J. Francis Campbell, Will Wurzburg and two other Grand Rapids men have secured the state rights for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight pictures for $9,500. The pictures will probably arrive in Michigan the latter part of this month.

Alfred Finch, a veteran of the late war, aged 78, went fishing at Otsego. As he did not return, search was instituted, which resulted in the finding of his corpse, standing bolt upright in the water. He was subject to heart disease.

FIVE YEARS IN IONIA PRISON.

Ex-Comptroller of Port Huron Is Sentenced for Embezzlement.

Port Huron, June 14.—Judge Vance sentenced ex-Comptroller Waite, of this city, to five years at the Ionia prison. Waite was well known in this vicinity and was well liked. He took $600 and went to Chicago. After spending the money he returned home and gave himself up. At one time he could have taken $60,000, and it was but a short time ago that his books were straightened up. When he returned home there was $500 reward for him, and it was a great surprise when he walked into the police office and surrendered himself.

Crop Conditions.

Washington, D. C., June 16. — The weekly report of the weather bureau has the following with reference to crop conditions in Michigan: First of week cold, with frosts, which checked growth and did slight damage, but latter part warm and very favorable for all crops. Corn and oats improved. Potato planting nearly completed, and bean planting well advanced. Wheat heading fast, but rather short. Rye, meadows and clover generally very promising. Strawberries ripening fast.

Frosts Hurt Peppermint Crop.

Decatur, June 16.—Reports from all parts of the Michigan peppermint district indicate that the recent severe frosts will cause a decrease of 25 per cent. in the estimated yield of oil. Nearly one-half of the peppermint crop of the United States is grown in southwestern Michigan.

Anti-Saloon League.

Lansing, June 14.—The state superintendent of the Michigan Anti-Saloon league, Rev. John F. Brant, with headquarters at Lansing, is planning a lively summer campaign of agitation and organization.

Rev. McLaurain Honored.

Kalamazoo, June 16.—The Kalamazoo college trustees conferred the degree of D. D. on Rev. D. D. McLaurain, pastor of the Woodward Avenue Baptist church of Detroit, Tuesday.

Diphtheria at Galien.

Galien, June 12. — Diphtheria has broken out again in this vicinity and two deaths have occurred. Several houses in the county have been placarded.

Hanged Himself.

Decatur, June 15.—Frederick Binkert, aged 58 years, a Macomb county farmer, hanged himself because of financial troubles.

Blew Off His Head.

Niles, June 15.—Daniel Parshall, a Pipestone township farmer, committed suicide by blowing off his head with a shotgun.

Cat's Bite Causes Hydrophobia.

Decatur, June 14.—A child of Aaron Scheffer, at Cheboygan, was bitten by a pet cat, which resulted in hydrophobia.

Fatally Kicked by a Horse.

Niles, June 15.—Earl Carlton, a Royalton township farmer, was kicked by a horse and died.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1897, and on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 30th day of May, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

DAN'L T. HALL,
FRED'K B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

Dated, May 30th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 2nd day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Hayden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the Real Estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of June 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered. That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

MOTHER! There is no word so full of meaning and about which such tender and holy recollections cluster as that of "MOTHER"—she who watched over our helpless infancy and guided our first, tottering step. Yet the life of every Expectant Mother is beset with danger and all effort should be made to avoid it.

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the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

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INFALLIBLE SCIENCE.

Figures for Once This Professor Had to Admit Were Wrong.

Occasionally science must admit failure. One night a young man in Divinity hall at Yale undertook with a toy rifle to hit a lamp. But his aim was poor and the ball passed through the window of an eminent and venerable professor of science and embedded itself in the wall.

This was the opportunity for the professor and for science, says the Hartford Courant. He set to work and computed the curve, and with the exact skill of infallible figures he traced the ball right back to the room of an innocent colleague who didn't even know the rifle had been fired.

The unfledged minister flatly denied all knowledge of the affair. But men, even ministers, have been known to make denials in self-defense, and the professor had the proof with him. There was the bullet, there were the marks of its course, and there was the computation worked out. It looked as if a pulpit career was to be nipped in the bud.

But the guilty student heard what was going on. He called on the professor, confessed the offense, pointed out that the man of science was 200 feet out in his computation, and advised that the matter be dropped right where it was.

And that was done.

CRITICAL AGE FOR GENIUS.

Host of Eminent Men Who Have Died at the Age of Fifty-Six.

Fifty-six years seems to be a fatal age for people of genius. Among those who have died at that age may be mentioned Dante, the Italian poet; Hugh Capet, king of France; Henry VIII., king of England; Henry IV., emperor of Germany; Paganini, Italian violinist; Alexander Pope, English poet; George Sala, English orientalist; Marcus Aurelius, emperor of Rome; Frederick I., king of Prussia; John Hancock, American statesman; Marie Louise, empress of France; Philip Massenger, English dramatist; Saladin, the great sultan of Egypt; Robert Stephenson, English engineer; Scipio Africanus, Roman general; Helvetius, French philosopher and author; Henry II., the first of the Plantagenet line; the elder Pliny, Roman naturalist and author; Julius Cæsar; Charles Kingsley, English author; Juan Prim, Spanish general and statesman; Henry Knox, American revolutionary general; Thomas Mullin, American patriot; Marryat, the novelist; George Whitefield, English founder of Calvinistic Methodism; Robert Dudley, earl of Leicester, favorite of Queen Elizabeth; Johann Caspar Spurzheim, German physician and phrenologist, and Frederick II., emperor of Germany.

Long-Distance Riding.

For riding long distances, the great secret is—keep an even, steady pace, and cut down the stops. Order your meals to be ready beforehand, if possible, and avoid strictly any unnecessary delays on the way, such as stops for altering the position of saddle or handles, which should be placed absolutely right before starting, dismounting to ask the way—which ought to have been made perfectly familiar by previous riding over the whole course, a part at a time—or pauses to extract small eatables, etc., from a bag—all things that may be wanted should be carried in a light basket fixed upright [illegible] carrier, and easily unfastened with [illegible] hand while riding, says the Irish [illegible]. The comfort and ease of a long [illegible] depends immensely on the proper [illegible] arrangement of such small details as [illegible]

A Champion Game Slayer.

Carl de Gray holds the championship among the world's hunters for the quantity of game killed by one man. He is now 35 years old, and during the past 20 years has averaged 25,000 head of game each year. On one occasion he shot at 50 pheasants in three minutes and killed all but one of them. He has killed 11 tigers, a number of elephants and rhinoceros, bears and lions.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Bliss [illegible] and [illegible] the coming [illegible] ourin."

Addison is all shut up. Everybody has the measles.

Adrian is quiet as usual, only excitement being comic opera this week

Morenci people are all excited over the prospect of striking oil in their midst.

Hudson sees the prospect of selling a voting machine to every precinct in California.

The Petersburg ladies are all learning to ride the "bike," an instructor having captured the town.

Tecumseh enthusiasts of this section gathered at the vacant store of Frank Brown last Saturday evening, to discuss and devise some plan of establishing a gravel path between this place and Ridgeway. There was a large turnout. A committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions and we learn that nearly a hundred dollars has been subscribed in cash and work. Another meeting will be held tomorrow night at same place and further arangements made.—Britton Citizen.

W. D. Pudney, of Cleveland, Ohio, a Lake Shore road attorney, was here yesterday and to-day, leaving with the register of deeds a copy of a mortgage, in the small sum of fifty million dollars, running to the United States Trust Co., of New York city, John T. Dye, trustee. The mortgage copy makes 76 printed pages. It is payable June 1, 1997, and draws interest at 3 1-2 per cent., payable semi-annually, in gold at the present standard. A copy of the mortgage will be filed in 37 counties in New York, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Michigan, where the road owns property.—Adrian Telegram.

The new law makers of Britton are having great times building sidewalk ordinances, and if given time, will regulate the speed of bicycles, horses and railway trains.

We understand the board of review for the village have added $80,000 valuation to the Clinton Woolen Manufacturing Co., making a total of $200,000 for them to pay taxes on. Can it be possible that our council want to drive away this industry that is the very life of the town? a few more such moves will surely do it, and we hope they will see the matter in the right light before it is to late. We cannot afford such a set back.—Clinton Local.

The Telegram suggests an electric light in the vicinity of the Lima Northern depot We second the motion and offer an amendment that the city be to the expense of clearing up the river bank and approaches to the depot, so that it present a more inviting appearance. Burdocks, thistles, and other weeds, with brush and rubbish do not show enterprise.—Adrian Press

Another "coolness" has sprung up in Adrian between the Times, and Press. The following taken from a Press editorial is self explanatory:

If we couldn't run a paper without stealing and lying, we would go out of the business and run a job office." The Times draws no line in its thefts, and there's nothing in a paper it won't steal except the ads. Editorial matter, state news, telegraph dispatches or local, it's all the same. The scissors flip in with readiness and ease, and the item is "scribbed," without even so much as a "thank you." We do not expect to reform the practices of the sheet, but we want to try and so word it, that those who conduct it may know that we know what they are doing. If there appears in that paper a whack at the PRESS, or at its proprietor, you can set it down as about the only original article in the paper.

Less Than Half Rates to San Francisco.

On June 28, 29, and 30 and July 1, 2 and 3 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco and return at less than half rates. Tickets will be good to return to leave San Francisco until August 9th. Stop over privileges apply at certain points in the west both going and returning. For full information call on ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland O., for pamphlet of information.

Tourists Sleeping Cars to San Francisco via Wabash.

On June 29th and July 1st next the Wabash, in connection with the A. T. & S. F. and Sou. Pacific Rys., will run tourist sleeping cars from St. Louis to San Francisco without change for the accommodation of members of the Christian Endeavor Society and their friends en route to San Francisco. Sleepers will leave St. Louis at 9 p. m. For particulars call on or address any agent of the Wabash R. R. or connecting lines.

A Few of the Many Thousand Useful Things Worth Knowing.

TAKEN FROM DR. CHASE'S BOOK.

Sciatica, toothache and neuralgia can be cured by the application of a hot flat-iron and vinegar.

Borax and brown sugar is one of the best remedies for catarrh.

Strong lemon splash taken at bed time, is one of the best things in the world for colds.

"Dr. Chase" says a dose of quinine will cure the colic or cramps every time.

A roasted onion poultice on the throat and chest is a sure cure for croup or bronchitis in children.

"Dr. Chase" gives certain and positive cures for that dreadful disease diptheria.

The common black (dark green) field thistle will cure neuralgia when all other remedies fail.

A syrup made from the prickly pear is one of the best cough syrups known, and has no equal for whooping cough.

Common baking soda applied to burns and scalds gives instantaneous relief.

Sulphur is one of the greatest remedies for diphtheria.

An eminent physician cures every case of scarlet fever with nothing else but warm lemonade, and gum arabic.

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Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

Special Low Rate Excursion to Toledo June 20th

On Sunday, June 20th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:16 a. m. Fare 75c for the round trip. Tickets good returning Monday, the 21st.

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Popular Excursion to Detroit, Sunday June 20th.

The Wabash R. R. will run a special train excursion to Detroit as above, leaving Adrian at 8:07 a. m., arriving at Detroit at 10 a. m. Returning train will leave Detroit at 7 p. m., thus giving passengers ample time to view the city, Belle Isle and Windsor and arrive home at a seasonable hour. Round trip rate $1.00 from Adrian. No reduction for children. Tickets good on excursion train only.

Third International Conference Epworth League at Toronto, Ont., July 15 to 18, 1897.

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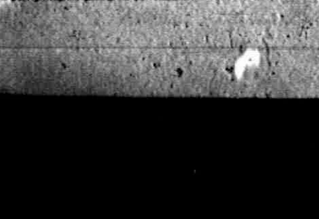

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QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

Celebration in London of Victoria's Sixty Years' Reign.

The Ceremonies Begin with Church Services—Reception in Buckingham Palace to Envoys—President McKinley's Letter.

London, June 21.—Queen Victoria began the celebration of her jubilee Sunday, as was befitting her entire career, before the altar of her faith. Throughout London, the United Kingdom and the empire, in every cathedral, church or chapel of the established church of England was held services similar to those at St. George's chapel, Windsor, where her majesty paid her devotions and offered solemn thanks to God.

Special dispatches from Paris, Berlin, Vienna, St. Petersburg and nearly

QUEEN VICTORIA

every large city in Europe, show that thanksgiving services were held in the local English churches, numerously attended. The newspapers in many cities, especially Vienna and St. Petersburg, published long eulogistic articles upon the Victorian reign.

The Queen in London.

London, June 22. — Queen Victoria left Windsor castle at noon yesterday for Buckingham palace, and all along the route loyal subjects greeted her enthusiastically. All the houses were freely decorated with flags, flowers, banners and festoons and endless mottoes on the order of the day: "God Save the Queen."

Receives the Envoys.

In the afternoon at four o'clock her majesty received the imperial and royal envoys, United States Special Envoy Hon. Whitelaw Reid, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., Rear-Admiral J. N. Miller, U. S. N., and the members of the

HON. WHITELAW REID.

United States special embassy were presented, and Mr. Reid was received in the most cordial manner possible. Her majesty expressed her sincere thanks to President McKinley and to "the great nation of our kinsmen."

A Royal Banquet.

The queen at 8:45 in the evening entertained at dinner 90 of her most distinguished guests in the state supper-room at Buckingham palace. Among those present were the prince and princess of Wales, with all the members of the royal family, the royal guests, the envoys of states with the rank of ambassador and the great officers of the household. Mesdames Whitelaw Reid, Nelson A. Miles and Ogden Mills were presented by the queen's special command.

PRESIDENT TO QUEEN.

Text of Mr. McKinley's Letter of Congratulation to Her Majesty.

London, June 22.—President McKinley has sent the following personal letter to Queen Victoria, which was de-

GEN. NELSON A. MILES.

livered to her by Mr. Whitelaw Reid, special envoy:

"To Her Majesty Victoria, Queen of Great Britain and Ireland and Empress of India —Great and Good Friend: In the name and on behalf of the people of the United States I present their sincere felicitations upon the sixtieth anniversary of your majesty's accession to the crown of Great Britain.

"I express the sentiments of my fellow citizens in wishing for your people the prolongation of a reign illustrious and marked by advance in science, arts and popular well-being. On behalf of my countrymen I wish particularly to recognize your friendship for the United States and your love of peace, exemplified upon important occasions.

"It is pleasing to acknowledge the debt of gratitude and respect due to your personal virtues. May your life be prolonged and peace, honor and prosperity bless the people over whom you have been called to rule. May liberty flourish throughout your empire under just and equal laws and your government continue strong in the affections of all who live under it. And I pray God to have your majesty in his holy keeping.

"Done at Washington this 28th day of May, 1897. Your Good Friend,

"WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

"By the President:
"JOHN SHERMAN Secretary of State."

Diamond Jubilee Pageant.

London, June 23.—Probably 5,000,000 people saw the great pageant yesterday celebrating Queen Victoria's jubilee. In all history no such vast mass of humanity has gathered to witness a similar spectacle. The cavalcade of princes riding ahead of the queen's carriage included relatives or a representative of every notable sovereign in the world. When the queen reached St. Paul's cathedral the ecclesiastics came out and held a simple service. The bishop of London then read a short collect, after which, as her majesty sat with bowed head, the archbishop of Canterbury announced the benediction. Then, amid the ringing of bells, the national anthem was sung, and the queen drove on into other scenes, and at a little after one o'clock returned to her palace.

In the British Colonies.

London, June 23.—Dispatches received here from all the British colonies announce the holding of jubilee reviews, official receptions, the giving of dinners to the poor and the illumination of cities throughout the British empire. In addition nearly all the foreign cities had fetes, decorations and illuminations in honor of the jubilee of Queen Victoria.

Black Flags in Ireland.

London, June 23.—The jubilee was celebrated in almost all parts of Ireland with enthusiasm by public officials, fetes, decorations, illuminations and bonfires. The Parnellites, however, were very busy with counter demonstrations. In Dublin a procession went through the streets carrying a black flag and a robin bird, "The British Empire." At Cork the National society hung out black flags and attempted to hoist one on the principal flagstaff, but the police interfered. At Limerick the police removed black flags from the town hall and from a number of public monuments.

REFUSE TO QUIT GREECE.

Ten Thousand Albanians Decline to Give Up Thessaly.

Constantinople, June 21. — Edhem Pasha telegraphs that 10,000 Albanians, regular and irregular soldiers, refuse to lay down their arms and declare they will not leave Thessaly before the land is Turkish property. Otherwise they will fight till death. This shows the way the wind is blowing.

Constantinople, June 21.—The draft of the treaty of peace between Greece and Turkey is likely to be submitted to the powers this week. The amount of the indemnity which Greece will pay, it is believed, will be 5,000,000 Turkish pounds ($23,000,000), the largest amount the Greeks could pay. It has also been generally conceded for some time past that the Turkish government has given up the idea of the retention of Thessaly, and it is understood that the changes in the frontier line will be slight.

FOUR BOYS KILLED.

Terrible Result of a Tornado in Logan County, Ill.

Lincoln, Ill., June 19.—A tornado passed over the central and southern part of Logan county at 3:45 p. m. Friday. The state institution for the feeble-minded was damaged. A barn on the institution farm collapsed. Twenty-six persons were gathered there for shelter. Four were taken out dead: Sylvester Baker, James O'Brien, Neal McKenzie and Castle Le Baron, all boy pupils from Chicago. Farm Superintendent Jacob Wilmot was fatally hurt. Lemuel Gleason, an attendant, was severely injured. Pupils Henry Berger, William Withem and Willie Fisher were hurt. Much damage was done to property in the city and country.

LIGHTNING'S WORK.

Set Fire to Library Building of Iowa State University.

Iowa City, Ia., June 21.—The library building of the state university was struck by lightning at four o'clock Saturday morning, and was destroyed by fire. The two-story brick structure, with the library on the second floor, and the physical laboratory on the first, represents a loss of $100,000. The libraries of political science and economy, history, German, French, Greek, Latin, English, and a part of that of chemistry were destroyed. These can be replaced when the state legislature meets in July. Fireman L. M. Leek was caught in the building under a falling roof and burned to death before he could be rescued.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 22.—Christian K. Ross, the father of Charlie Ross, whose abduction on July 1, 1874, from his parents' home in Germantown, was one of the most mysterious and sensational crimes ever committed, and which up to the present has never been cleared up, died early Monday morning, at his home in East Washington street, Germantown. He was 74 years old.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, June 17.—The senate made rapid work on the tariff bill yesterday. Thirteen pages were disposed of, carrying the debate through the agricultural schedule and up to schedule H, relating to spirits, wines, etc. The Hawaiian annexation treaty, signed by President McKinley, Secretary Sherman and Minister Hatch, of Hawaii, was received, as was also the nomination of Stewart L. Woodford, of New York, to be minister to Spain.

Washington, June 18. — The senate made greater progress yesterday on the tariff bill than any day since the debate opened. Two entire schedules, covering 20 pages, were completed, namely, schedule H, on spirits, wines and beverages, and schedule I, on manufactured cotton goods. This brings the senate to the flax schedule, with the important wool schedule standing next.

Washington, June 19.—In the senate yesterday bills were passed for public buildings at Cleveland, O., to cost $2,700,000, and McKeesport, Pa., to cost $200,000.

The tariff bill came to a halt, less than one page of the flax schedule being disposed of. The debate drifted into political channels. Senator Teller introduced a bill providing that all bank notes shall be redeemed in coin, and another that all national banking associations shall keep their reserves in their own vaults.

Washington, June 21.—The tariff bill was further considered in the senate on Saturday and a motion to place floor mattings, plain jute ingrains, burlap and cotton bagging on the free list was successful.

Washington, June 22.—The senate made good headway with the tariff bill yesterday. The last two schedules of the dutiable list were completed and the free list was also disposed of.

Washington, June 23.—An exciting debate marked the consideration of the wool schedule which began in the senate yesterday. It developed the first serious disagreement on the republican side of the chamber and led to a warm encounter between Senators Carter (Mont.) and Teraker (O.) on one side, and Senator Allison (Ia.), in charge of the bill, on the other. Fair progress, however, was made on the schedule.

The House.

Washington, June 18. — The house was in session an hour and a half yesterday, most of the time being taken up with roll calls. Mr. Sulzer (dem., N. Y.) succeeded in injecting into the proceedings a brief speech in favor of Cuba, in which he denounced Weyler as a "thief" and "murderer." Adjourned till Monday.

Washington, June 22. — A joint resolution was favorably reported in the house yesterday permitting foreign exhibitors at the Omaha exhibition under stringent provisions to bring laborers into the United States to take charge of exhibits. Adjourned to Thursday.

Revenue Receipts.

Washington, June 19.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows that the total receipts during May were $10,816,892, a net decrease as compared with May, 1896, of $647,598. For the 11 months ended May 31, 1897, the total receipts were $133,176,200; increase, $51,389.

New Peace Treaty.

Washington, June 21.—President McKinley has determined to revive the abandoned treaty of general arbitration between the United States and Great Britain. He has already turned his attention to the subject, and under the direction of Secretary Sherman the matter has progressed to the extent that a new treaty already has been drafted to serve as the basis of negotiations expected to result in the submission of a convention to the senate to replace that which was negotiated by Secretary Olney, only to fail in the early hours of the present session.

Offices Filled.

Washington, June 23.—The president has appointed to the offices in the southern district of Illinois the candidates heretofore agreed upon. J. Otis Humphrey was nominated for United States attorney, and Charles P. Hitch for United States marshal, while Richard Yates was named as collector of internal revenue for the Eighth Illinois district.

Bar Iron Prices Advance.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 22.—An advance of five cents per hundred on bar iron was announced in iron and steel circles Monday morning. This is the first tendency toward recuperation that bar iron has shown for months. During the past few weeks prices reached almost the lowest level known in the history of the industry.

Thousands Killed.

Simla, June 21. — It was announced Saturday that over 6,000 lives have been lost by the earthquake disturbances which have recently visited the province of Assam.

Fire in Brooklyn Navy Yard.

New York, June 22.—Fire broke out in the Brooklyn navy yard shortly before ten o'clock Monday night and did damage to the extent of about $100,000.

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CLINTON

A. C. Huntington is on the sick list.

Lavern Davis returned from Ypsilanti Friday.

Jno. L. Tuttle, Jr., came home from Ann Arbor last Thursday.

Guy Belding and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his parents.

Robert Codling and family were up from Tecumseh Sunday afternoon.

Geo. Freese and wife made a bicycle trip to Adrian and return Tuesday.

Miss Eva Davis has been spending the past week with friends at Tecumseh.

Mrs. E. M. Cooley returned Saturday morning from her visit at North Adams.

Chas. A. Haggart, of Hudson, visited Clinton relatives the first of the week.

Miss Lina Jones has been spending the week with her parents at Manchester.

Rev. C. I. Deyo, of Britton, will preach to the Maccabees Sunday afternoon.

Frank Hogan returned to Chicago Wednesday, after visiting at home since Friday.

Mrs. H. E. Robins, of Wayland, N. Y., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Fred Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh and Ralph spent Sunday with Clinton friends.

John Bigham and wife, of Angus, O., are visiting at Ansel Witherell's, west of town.

Mrs. Charlotte Silvers returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with Detroit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, of Manchester, were guests of A. F. Kishpaugh and wife last Sunday.

Chas. E. Judge returned Saturday from a ten days' visit with his parents at Clayville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Niblack returned Monday night from a five days' outing at Wampler's lake.

Mrs. H. H. Eddy and son, of Lake [illegible], La., arrived Monday for a visit with Clinton relatives.

E. A. Clark returned Monday from her Chicago visit and reports a delightful time.

Mrs. A. J. Hutchins has been visiting friends at Augusta, Kalamazoo county, for the past few days.

E. R. Smith and wife drove to Saline last Thursday to attend the funeral of their friend, Mrs. Mills.

Dr. J. E. White and H. G. Shekell were Adrian visitors Tuesday afternoon, making the trip by wheel.

Mrs. P. Kishpaugh and A. F. Kishpaugh and wife attended commencement at Dundee this week.

Miss Celia Brewster made a bicycle trip to Tipton Saturday morning and visited friends until Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Tuttle and Ella returned Friday from a two days' visit with friends at Hanover, Jackson county.

Mrs. M. A. Ewing has been at Eaton Rapids for the past few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bostedor.

Chas. Marr, who is now practising law at Wyandotte, has been visiting friends in Clinton and vicinity for the past few days.

Guy Katner attended commencement at Ann Arbor this week, his cousin, Jay Fox, being one of the graduates of the high school.

Mrs. Wm. Blakely and little son, who had been visiting at Henry Lancaster's for the past two weeks, returned to Toledo Saturday.

Dr. Geo. Blatchford and family enjoyed a visit over Sunday with Rev. W. J. Maybee, of Syracuse, N. Y., a brother of Mrs. Blatchford.

Mrs. E. S. Tate returned Thursday night of last week from Cleveland, O., where she had been visiting friends for the past ten days.

Mrs. Nettie Milbourn, of Columbus, O., with her little son, spent the greater part of last week at the home of her uncle, Jno. Amspoker.

Dr. E. M. Conklin and Chas. Robinson, with their families, came down from Manchester Sunday to attend the Masonic memorial service.

Misses Belle Gordanier and Maud Goodell came down from Manchester on their wheels Wednesday morning and spent the day, the former as Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh's guest and the latter with Miss Alberta Johnston.

Miss Katherine VanTuyle went to Hudson Tuesday, to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Woodward.

The Misses Nellie Martin and Louise Clark started Tuesday on a bicycle trip to Brooklyn. Miss Martin expected to visit Jackson, also, before returning.

A large delegation from here will accompany the ball team to Tecumseh tomorrow to see them administer the first defeat to our sister town's strong team.

Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell went to Hudson last Saturday to spend a few days with relatives. They expected to visit friends at Jackson also, before their return.

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Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

There is a church in Kansas City, the Calvary Baptist, which was erected at a total cost of $168,000 and was dedicated without a dollar of debt on it.

Mr. Louis Borger, a popular groceryman of Springfield, Ohio, states: Lightning Hot Drops is my family medicine. It is especially fine for stomach and bowel troubles, such as colic, cholera morbus, cramps, diarrhœa and flux and for aches and pains, wounds, burns and bruises. I keep it constantly on hand for ready use. J. J. Orr, Tecumseh.

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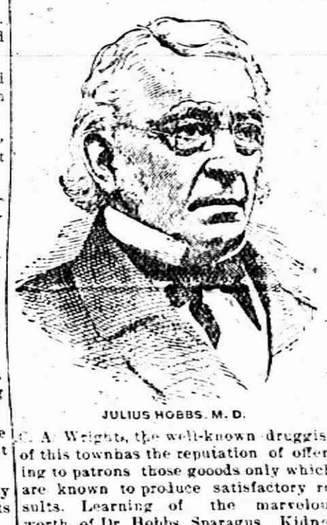

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C. A. Wright, the well-known druggist of this town has the reputation of offering to patrons those goods only which are known to produce satisfactory results. Learning of the marvelous worth of Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills, as evidenced by the endorsement of cured patients and druggists, C. A. made arrangements with the Hobbs Remedy Co., to give absolutely free of charge, to every person in this vicinity who may be interested, an opportunity to test the value of these Pills as an agent for the speedy cure of all forms of kidney disease and allied troubles.

Dr. Hobbs asserts that he has discovered a remedy in his Sparagus Kidney Pills that will postively cure that most insidious and common of all complaints which is wrecking men and women by the score daily, viz: Kidney disease, ex[illegible] their influence and diseases [illegible] formed, requiring surgical operation. For one week from the date of this publication, C. A. Wright will give away

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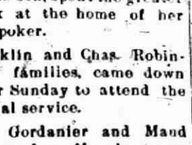

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RAILROAD MEN GATHER.

Chief Arthur Speaks for Arbitration at a Saginaw Rally.

Saginaw, June 21.—Sunday was railroad day in Saginaw, over 2,000 state members of the various orders accepting an invitation from the Saginaw lodges to the lodges of the state. Delegations were present from Bay City, Detroit, Battle Creek, Jackson, Port Huron, Grand Rapids, Toledo, Ionia and other places. The various orders held meetings in the morning to transact routine business, and in the afternoon a public meeting was held at Masonic Temple. After an address of welcome by Mayor Baum, representatives of the grand lodges of the orders spoke. The first of these was Grand Chief Engineer P. M. Arthur, of Cleveland. He spoke on the relations of the employer to the employe and vice versa, and dwelt at length on the advantages of arbitration in the settlement of disputes. Charles H. Wilkins, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., assistant grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors; J. W. Arnold, grand secretary of the Firemen's Brotherhood; T. R. Dodge, of Peoria, Ill., grand vice master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and other speakers, among them some railway officials, counseled unity, good feeling and fair treatment between employers and employed.

ALLEGED SHORTAGES.

Unbalanced Books Left by Ex-Treasurers of Montmorency County.

Lewiston, June 23.—J. H. Dresser, an expert accountant from Detroit, who has been examining the Montmorency county treasurer's records, reported to the board of supervisors shortages during the terms of four ex-county treasurers as follows: C. H. Myers, two terms, from 1887 to 1890, $250.88; C. H. Wiltse, 1891 to 1892, $4,107.59; E. H. Putnam, 1893 to 1894, $5,154.60; J. L. Johnson, 1895 to 1896, $1,478.76, which, including the balance of $2,790.91, shown by the county clerk and supervisors' record as due the county at the last settlement in January, and not yet paid, amounting to $4,269.17, makes a total due the county of $13,842.40. The report was accepted by the board, which will probably instruct the prosecuting attorney to begin proceedings against the ex-treasurers at once.

COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT.

Three Men, Molds and Bogus Coin Captured at Vicksburg.

Kalamazoo, June 18.—Marshal Platt, of Vicksburg, received a tip at ten o'clock Wednesday night that there was a gang of counterfeiters coining "green" dollars, and Sheriff Snow and deputies have arrested Jerome W. Tompkins, Don Halliday and Charles Lyons. Tompkins was arrested first and he "squealed" on his partners and the layouts consisting of molds and money, was obtained. They intended to have all evidence of their having made the money destroyed Thursday and expected to circulate the spurious coin at Vicksburg July 5, when a large crowd is expected in that village. Tompkins made the money at his house and Lyons furnished money to buy the material.

Boom in Shingles.

Grand Rapids, June 21. — There is great hustling just now among the shingle manufacturers and dealers. For several years California red cedar shingles have been shipped into the eastern and central territory in such quantities and at such prices that they controlled the market and practically shut out the Michigan product. Now the California manufacturers have formed a combine to regulate the output. The shortage in the red cedars as a result has created a lively demand for Michigan shingles.

The Crops.

Washington, D. C., June 23.—The crop bureau's weekly report as to Michigan says: Warm showery weather greatly improved all crops. Corn and oats have much better color and growth. Winter wheat uneven, but improved and fairly promising. Rye pastures and new grass in fine condition. Beans and potato planting nearly finished while corn and early potatoes are being cultivated. Haying just begun. Old meadows rather poor, but new ones very heavy.

[illegible] Reuben [illegible] his garden at 5:30 Thursday night J. B. Sly dropped dead of heart disease at his home on Sisson street.

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INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in the State.

The Hessian fly is doing damage to Michigan wheat.

Grand Ledge will have a band tournament August 25.

Oakland county farmers are complaining that the potato bugs are thicker this year than ever before known.

Several farmers in the vicinity of Portland have harrowed up the corn planted three or four weeks ago and replanted it.

In many parts of southwestern Michigan the cold, wet weather in the late spring has resulted in a large shortage in the crop of timothy hay.

A new village is being platted in Ronald township, Ionia county, and it will be called Johnstown. An effort will be made to have the government establish a post office there.

During the month of May not a foot of lumber was shipped from the port of Saginaw by water. This is the first instance of the kind in 34 years.

The Cheboygan telephone company has just completed setting the line of poles from the city of Onaway. Arrangements are being completed to continue the line to Alpena.

Sil Lettala, a miner in the Cleveland Lake mine at Ishpeming, touched an uninsulated electric wire belonging to the electric hauling system in the mine and was killed by the current.

Everything is being got in shape on the spiritualists campground on the banks of Island lake for the annual meeting of the Island Lake Spiritualists' association which will begin in July.

Diamond Lake will be the scene of a series of yacht, sailing, rowing and canoe races July 5. The arrangements are in the hands of enthusiastic lovers of water sports, and they are working hard to make the affair a great success.

Mrs. Hannah Torrens, mother of the late Mary T. Lathrop, of Jackson, the well-known temperance worker, on Tuesday celebrated her one hundredth birthday anniversary at the home of her relatives living in Toledo.

Letters have been received at the executive office in Lansing from Budapest, Hungary and Nottingham, England, inquiring about the potato patch scheme for the poor, and requesting the governor to forward his message on the subject while mayor, which will be done.

NEW RAILWAY LINE.

Toledo & Milwaukee Railroad Company Files Articles at Lansing.

Lansing, June 23.—Articles of association of the Toledo & Milwaukee Railroad company, capitalized at $1,500,000, have been filed with the secretary of state. The incorporators are the projectors of the Detroit & Lima Northern, and the new road is to furnish the latter an outlet to Lake Michigan. The article provides for building 170 miles of road from a point where the Ann Arbor line crosses the Michigan state line, through Monroe, Lenawee, Hillsdale, Jackson, Barry and Allegan counties to Lake Michigan, at or near Holland.

Flax Culture a Success.

Saginaw, June 20. — The promoters of the Saginaw Flax Fiber company have been inspecting the crop of flax planted by the farmers in Saginaw county. The condition of the crop is highly gratifying, and unless unforeseen climatic influences are brought to bear a splendid yield is expected. A factory for its manufacture will be built before fall, and next year this industry will be largely a feature of Saginaw county agriculture.

Was a Pioneer Postmaster.

Grand Ledge, June 18. — Hon. William F. Jenison, of the adjoining township of Eagle, Clinton county, was buried Wednesday. He was 85 years of age, and located on the farm where he died in 1838, soon after Michigan was admitted as a state. He was one of the first postmasters of the county, when the United States mails were carried through the woods on horseback and the postage on a letter was 25 cents.

Found Pure Galena Ore.

Buchanan, June 20.—While plowing on the farm of John Searls, about three miles north of this place, a farm hand unearthed a specimen of pure galena ore weighing nearly three-quarters of a pound. The find has created quite a bit of interest among local mineral experts, who will endeavor to locate the vein with the hope of finding a silver-bearing lode.

Well-Known Journalist Dead.

Holahid, June 18.—Henry P. Scott, oldest son of the late Dr. Charles Scott, president of Hope college, died Wednesday night at his brother's home in Colorado Springs, Col. He was 43 years old. He was a prominent news correspondent for the New York World and other eastern papers, having spent some years in Washington, D. C., as correspondent for prominent western papers.

Canadian Logs Coming.

Saginaw, June 19.—A Saginaw lumberman has received word that a raft containing 3,000,000 feet of logs left Georgian bay for Saginaw valley parties. No opposition to the departure of the raft was made by the Canadian authorities, but Saginaw owners of logs in that section believe that the Canadians will place an export duty on logs about July 1.

Fighting the Bell Company.

Grand Rapids, June 18.—The annual meeting of the Citizens' Telephone company was held Wednesday. The reports rendered show the progress made in the fight against the Bell telephone in this city. The receipts for telephone rentals were $43,502, the expenses of operating aggregated $30,400, leaving a surplus of $13,101.

Hanged Herself.

Decatur, June 22.—Mrs. Roxanna Townsend, aged 57 years, hanged herself from her bedpost with a ribbon at Pentwater.

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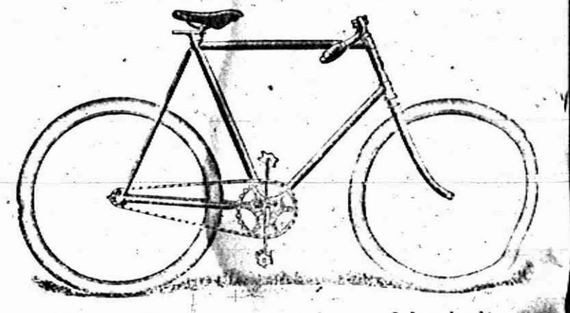

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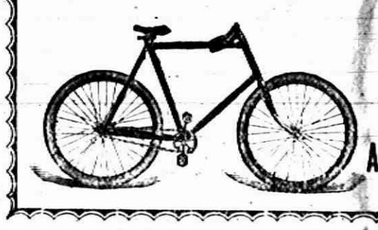

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Eugene Cheever has the piers laid for his new barn.

Mrs. Will J. Clark and Mrs. Ward visited Tecumseh Tuesday.

Don H. C. Bowen, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday, working Accident Insurance.

Ralph Kishpaugh has recovered from the measles and took a run over to Clinton Monday.

Ernest DuBois has a new Stormer tandem. It arrived Monday night. He is now right in line.

Walter Exelby and family expect to leave for a trip to the Pacific Slope. They go on the excursion.

Clyde Kniffen is no longer at O. B. Lenardson's, he having severed his relations there last Saturday night.

Prof. E. A. Wilson of Paw Paw, who is visiting his old home at Ridgeway, was calling on Britton friends Tuesday.

Henry Taylor and family have been enjoying a visit this week from his brother, of Leslie, who arrived Tuesday noon.

Will Clark has enclosed his grounds with a neat new fence, and in front placed a new walk, improving the looks greatly.

A 4-foot ticket window has been placed in the station which is a great improvement and looks much more like doing business.

Mary Drew, of Dundee is now a resident here, having accepted a position with O. B. Lenardson and began his work Wednesday.

Masons from Adrian Tecumseh and other adjacent towns are expected to attend St. John's day services at the Christian church Sunday.

The Maccabee team from here went to Milan Wednesday evening to exemplify the work. They were elegantly entertained by the tent there.

Ernest O'Iver, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is convalescing slowly and will soon be around if nothing unfavorable comes up.

They are making satisfactory progress on the bicycle path, all things considered. A nice stretch is completed and the balance is being put in shape.

Jason Peters, who has been in Detroit under medical treament, has been home for a week. He is much better but returns in a day or two for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs John Britton left Monday evening for Dundee to join a company of friends for an outing of a week more at their Lake Erie cottage, Monroe.

Mr. Beasley expects to star in at least two for England to look after an interest in property that comes to him by the death of his mother, which occurred recently.

M. Lewis, of Tecumseh, moved his portable saw mill from that place to the Bacon farm, southeast of here, where he purchased a tract of timber. It passed through town Tuesday.

Kinne & Co. of Adrian, were in town Monday at the Frank Britton store. The streets were filled with teams waiting to unload. Where the load came from is a mystery.

Rev. C. J. Deyo will preach at Clinton at 2:30 p. m. under the auspices of the C. T. M. Topic: "Maccabees—Welfome Protector and Fraternal Guardian of Our Modern Civilization."

All cranks will all be at Tecumseh grow afternoon to see the game between Clinton and Tecumseh. They say it will be a hot game from start to finish as they are both strong teams and in for the county championship.

The Reformed church on Sunday Rev. Nickerson will preach morning and evening. The Sunday-school meets at 12 m. The C. E. meeting will be led by Mrs. C. Exelby at 7 p. m. Topic, "How to get patience."

The house sold by Beasley to Britton is ready to be taken from the ground. Eugene Cheever came along and purchased it of Osgood, so it was only across the street to Cheever's lot. Osgood is now looking for another.

Rev. C. J. Deyo, past grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. of Michigan in accord with the Festival appointed by the Baptist, will preach a sermon in the Christian church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., on "The Divine Origin of Masonry." The members of the fraternity will attend service in a body.

The Britonites who went in excursion Sunday on the excursion, rode and took their wheels to travel on. Lawrence Brown, O. B. Lenardson, Lavern Gripton, Clarence Underwood, Vern Yates, Ed. Hall and Ben Haight. C. R. Kniffen and wife, George Clark and wife, Mills of Macon, had tandems.

The people meet on the Reformed church on Tuesday evening was called a large number of speca- tors and one or more of cyclists were present from Macon, Ridgeway, Tecumseh and Britton. The prize for the most finally decorated wheel was won by Willie Exelby. There were other prizes for the fancy riding contests Williamson, of Tecumseh, and Miss Ess of Britton. Both were liberally applauded and were nearly equal that it was difficult for the judges to decide. The prize went to the Tecumseh cyclist who did a number of most difficult feats.

Before postmaster Babcock, Mr. Reed, and Dr. Hendershot, refreshment tables were liberally patronized by the assembly. After the first experiment to get bicycles in our village proved a success.

Walter Exelby and Vern Gripton have laid walks in front of their residences.

Last Sunday evening the sermon by Rev. Nickerson at the Reformed church was listened to by the large congregation with closest attention. The subject was "The Boa Constrictor of Society. He had a forcible illustration done in crayon on canvas which aided him materially in demonstrating clearly the manner in which people fall prey to his wiles.

RIDGEWAY.

Farmers have begun haying.

Ace Smith is at Adrian this week as juror.

Sheriff Ferguson was in the village Monday.

Little Sylvia Andrews has the whooping cough.

Ray Gould arrived home Monday from Albion.

Mrs. Wm. Barrett visited friends in Clinton Friday.

Loana Davidson arrived home from Niles Saturday.

Five cars of bailed hay were shipped from here Tuesday.

Mrs. M. D. Britton left for her home at North Star Tuesday.

Kittie Clark went to Ypsilanti Monday for a few days' stay.

I. S. Osborn, of Eddy, N. M., was in the village Wednesday.

Mary Anderson, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with friends here.

Addie Sherman closed her school in the Witt district Wednesday.

Detroit evening papers reach here by the D. & L. N. train at 6 p. m.

Mrs. W. J. Arner returned Friday from a week's stay in Tecumseh.

Lulu Palmer attended the teachers' examination at Adrian last week.

One mile each way from the postoffice there are 33 bicycles and one tandem.

Loren Allen has become quite feeble and has gone to live with his son David.

Mae Fletcher rides a Derby, Glenn Smith a Record and Ray Henry a Crown.

Several of our wheelmen attended the bicycle meet at Britton Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Thos. Curry, of Topeka, Ka., visited Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Curry last week.

Mrs. Holloway, of Franklin, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Helm.

Several from here attended the Free Methodist camp meeting near Blissfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lake took in the excursion over the Wabash to Detroit Sunday.

Mary Osgood is in Ypsilanti this week attending the Normal commencement exercises.

Lester Osgood is shipping his crop of strawberries to Detroit by the D. & L. N. express.

Maud Munch closed her school in District No. 3 Friday with a picnic in C. L. Lowe's grove.

The bicycle path west of the village was begun Thursday and the Britton division is still growing.

Mrs. Nelson and son James, of Hudson, visited friends in about the village Wednesday and Thursday.

Floyd Smith and Mae Fletcher attended the Pattison-Boyd wedding at Tecumseh Wednesday evening.

The members of the Farmers' Union held their fourth annual picnic in Minor Davidson's grove Thursday of last week. There was a good attendance. At two o'clock a literary program was furnished by the society. At the close Hon. Grant Fellows, of Hudson, made the address of the afternoon, followed by a few remarks by Mr. Weedamyre, of Lansing. The Ridgeway Male Quartette furnished the singing. It was one of the most enjoyable gatherings the society has ever held.

CONE.

Homer Sherwood has a nephew visiting him this week.

Mr. Will Sanford, of Mooreville, was in town last Saturday.

Charlie Caswell has gone to Toledo to work for the summer.

Receipts of Aid Society, held at Mrs. Stella Smith's were $3.20.

Oliver Logan was in Toledo on business the first of the week.

Mrs. G. W. Richardson of Toledo, is visiting friends here this week.

Fred Ellis of Toledo, visited his father from Saturday until Tuesday.

Archie Allshouse returned last Friday from a weeks visit wtth friends at Pentecost.

Misses Ada Dennison and Fannie Curtis came out from Detroit for a few days visit with friends.

Childrens day was observed here last Sunday. The programme was good, and there was a large crowd.

Mrs. Amy Cassidy of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vandeventer for a few days.

Orrie Dennison of Toledo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dennison from Saturday until Tuesday.

The second Bible Class, Simon Gould teacher, all went to Tecumseh Monday and had their pictures taken in a group, there were 17.

G. W. Auton and wife and daughter Elva, visited friends here last week. Mrs. Acker returned home with her for a few weeks stay.

I was subject to frequent spells of diarrhœa. I took a few doses of Lightning Hot Drops and I have not been troubled since.—Rev. H. E. Friend, Hannahsville, W. Va. J. J. Orr, Druggist, Tecumseh.

MACON.

Miss Bessie Camburn has the measles.

Rolfe A. Mills was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Jesse Coller made a business trip to Ypsilanti Monday.

Children's Day exercises at the M. E. church next Sunday.

Mr. Bainbridge, of Clinton, Sundayed with friends in Macon.

Mrs. Lavina Jackson has been spending the week with Tecumseh friends.

Lester Coller is not so well at this writing and his recovery seems doubtful.

Miss Blanche Mills and John Howell are home from Blissfield for the summer vacation.

Topic for Epworth League meeting Sunday evening: "Danger in Delay," Prov. 27:1. Leader, John Howell.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Rebecca J. Thomas.

Carpenters began last week to erect a new barn for Thomas Jacobus. Mr. Jacobus has lost two barns by fire.

Ezra Day, Vern Randall and Misses Florence, Ella and Carrie Camburn rode their wheels to Ypsilanti Sunday morning.

Mrs. Ivy Price and daughters, Nina and Reta, drove over from Britton Sunday. The girls will remain a week with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Liddell.

Mrs. Sam Ellison was severely burned last Monday. While making soap her clothes caught fire and she would have soon been burned to death, but Frank Merritt happened to be near by and put her into a trough of water. Dr. Morden is attending her.

HOLLOWAY.

Aunt Lydia Kelley is seriously ill.

Miss Mary Hanchett was in Jackson from Wednesday until Monday.

Miss Lillie Carnahan, of Adrian, visited her mother, Mrs. J. Billmeyer over Sunday.

Misses Grace and Louisa Erskine, of Tecumseh, are guests of Mrs. F. G. Florance.

Esther H. Fish attended commencement at Adrian College Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Abbie Ray, of North Morenci, was a guest of friends from Friday until Sunday evening.

No services were held at the F. M. church Sunday on account of the camp meeting at Blissfield.

Grandma Campbell, of Maple Rapids, is making an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mitchell and son and Mrs. Renney and son took in the Detroit excursion Sunday.

Maccabee memorial services were well attended at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Rev. Stead delivered a very able sermon. Graves were decorated at Raisin, the Friends' cemetery and Tecumseh.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 25, 1897.

Adrian is just now organizing a Bicycle Association, the object of which is to promote the building of paths and the maintaining of good roads. Trust their first job will be to make a way north to the Quaker meeting house.

The man who talks to himself is usually well entertained, and Tecumseh citizens never tire talking about the beauties of Tecumseh. The frequent rains this spring have given the foliage the most beautiful deep green color, the lawns about the village are kept in the finest condition and just now, with a wreath of roses and summer flowers, old Tecumseh as a whole is a veritable park.

Nearly every week when the exchanges come to the HERALD, some editor feels badly and howls and kicks up a row because some subscriber tells him how to conduct his paper. How must the farmer feel, at this season of the year, when the country editor tells him when to plant corn, how to cultivate potatoes, how and when to cut the rye from his wheat, whether or not to set a hen in the full-of-the-moon, and hundreds of other things which ten to one the editor knows less about than the farmer would know about nonpariel. The average country editor is a great man but shouldn't know beans about any business but his own.

Some action should be taken by our authorities to stop the hypnotic performances being indulged in by the boys about the city. A Telegram man noticed last night several disgusting exhibitions by young boys who seem to have the power in their make-up to force other boys to do their will. It is becoming positively dangerous, and the effect upon young girls, who seem to be afraid of meeting these young men on the streets, is something alarming. We understand that the marshal has an eye on these boys, and if caught in the act they will hear something drop.—Adrian Telegram.

This man Griffith seemed to stir up Adrian in a wonderful way. The Times printed an average of a column a day about him during his stay in the Maple City and many prominent citizens seemed interested in his performances. As a matter of fact Griffith, at the time of his visit to Tecumseh possessed hypnotic power only in a moderate degree, being unable to control any one, unless by their consent. A large number of his subjects in Tecumseh were country boys who performed as told without the use of hypnotic influence and it has been much of a question whether the boy who slept in the window was under hypnotic influence or drugged. No matter what the condition it is altogether wrong to deprive any man of 48 hours of life, simply as an advertising dodge. In Tecumseh the authorities put a stop to it and compelled the manager to wake the chap up. And now in Adrian they advocate the prosecution of boys for following the example of their parents.

The Criminal Again.

Mr. Andrus' article in the HERALD of April 30 should be of interest to all whether as property owners, philanthropists or scientists. From the earliest dawn of history and all through the succeeding ages up to the present moment we have had crime and the criminal with us. What splendid progress the race has made socially, financially, intellectually since the long-ago days of the "cave man," and still we have the criminal classes and crime can scarcely be on the decrease. Have we been too busy planning for the comfort and convenience of the race socially and financially to devote time to ethical questions or pruning away abnormal growths, or must the tares forever grow beside the wheat?

Long ago criminals were drawn and quartered, scourged, transported, beheaded, hung, often for the most trifling offences. No man was ever reformed by unkindness: that is a truth. Now if we could say with equal truth that all men are reformed by kindness, this vexed question would have been settled ages ago. But alas! instead, it is a matter of record that convicts, who have been treated with marked kindness and liberality, have betrayed their benefactors even to the taking of their benefactors' lives, and have taken great credit to themselves for their superior sharpness. These people with the tiger cat natures, who will fawn and purr under your hand only to indulge in their thirst for evil at the first opportunity, constitute the unsolvable part of this hard problem. There are probably comparitively few of these natures but one such will make us suspicious of all criminals, greatly to the disadvantage of those with whom they are confined some of whom may be guiltless of crime.

In this sea of uncertainty it is a relief to think there is one thing that we can do for the benefit of all criminal classes and that is to give them work or rather, let me say, not to take their work away from them. Those so-called labor leaders, who have been recently defeated in their efforts to abolish convict labor, have not given up their object by any means, but public sentiment should give them their quietus. Abolishing the convict labor system practically means that the greater number of convicts would be idle the greater part of the time. The criminal should not be over-worked; he should have sufficient hours of rest and recreation, also holidays.

To the mind burdened by affliction and sorrow work comes as our best relief. The remorse, the anguish, the savage thoughts of vengence which courses through the brain of an idle man, who can tell? whether the man be a guilty man or laboring under a sense of cruel injustice. Give the convict work and give him work that he loves to do; encourage him to do that work well by paying him just what he earns; make him support himself while in prison and give him the balance when he is set free so that he may have the means to live until he can establish himself in some occupation and the state should keep a watchful eye on him until so established. Do you say this would be impractical, or if practical, too costly an experiment? The expense would be a feather-weight to the present cost of prosecutions, criminal trials, loss of property and life.

A. B. WISNER.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The millers and wheat buyers are trying hard to impress upon the farmers the importance of cutting the rye out of their wheat. It is very thick in many fields and if allowed to go in the measure will lessen the market price several cents.—Saline Observer.

Congressman Spaulding has appointed our genial townsman, Dr. E. E. Hendershot for a member of the board of pension examiners for this county. The selection was undoubtedly wisely chosen, and the Citizen extends a congratulating hand.—Britton Citizen.

The building of numerous cycle paths in the country is opening up a new industry for farmers and their families who live along the line of these paths. This is the business of furnishing light refreshments for hungry and thirsty wheelmen who pass along the paths.—Morenci Observer.

The Clinton juvenile ball team will please let out its suspenders and try again. It has been defeated in three straights by the Manchester infants. Are the proud colors of Lenawee to trail in the dust at the feet of the cabbage raisers over the border? Awake, you little Lenawee scamps!—Adrian Press.

At the council meeting last evening Ham Kingsley wanted to know why they cut his bills for electric lighting, and the councilmen told him it was because he did not furnish the lights the contract calls for. We learn that some of the councilmen are in favor of purchasing the plant if it can be bought at a reasonable price.—Manchester Enterprise.

The work of constructing a bicycle path between Britton and Ridgeway is being pushed in earnest this week. The ground is being plowed, dragged and rolled thoroughly, and then covered with gravel several inches thick, then rolled again. The distance is about half covered now. About a dozen teams were hauling gravel yesterday, and today, anybody that can handle a shovel is cordially invited to come to the field of labor and use it.—Britton Citizen.

The puissant Adrian Press is twenty-five years old and with one exception, which modesty prevents us mentioning, there isn't a better paper in Michigan. The Press carries a club at its saddle-bow, and with crushing whacks is sure to crack the caput of wrong wherever found. We knew Stearns in Ohio when he was a little ragged bare-footed urchin and wiped his nose on his sleeve. But he braced up at fourteen, went through school like a meteor, and finally entered the journalistic race and ever since has kept ahead of the hounds. Willard is bang up good timber for governor, brethren!—Grass Lake News.

Wm. Witmar, a former resident of this township, who some years ago moved to Dakota, is dead at Broadland, his end coming quite suddenly. On the 9th inst. he went out to do some herding, his little grandson being with him, and he was so overcome by the heat that he fell from his cart. He managed to tell his grandson to notify Mrs. Witmar of what had happened to him, and as the boy had to go more than two miles, several hours elapsed ere Mrs. Witmar arrived where her stricken husband laid on the prairie. He was then unconscious and his death occurred the next day. He was buried on Saturday afternoon and the G. A. R. post of Huron attended the funeral.—Morenci Observer.

LITERARY NOTES.

For June the American Journal of Photography is full of interest, the "Reproduction of Negatives" being an article of special value. This number gives beside, a number of other good things.

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The July number of the Photographic Times can properly be called the Midsummer number and contains articles appropriate to the season. Every month the letter press work and contributions to this magazine seem to improve. It should be in the hands of every photographer.

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The return of Julian Hawthorn, the special commissioner sent out by The Cosmopolitan to investigate the famine and plague in India, confirms the worst fears. British officials in India were not anxious to have Mr. Hawthorne risk his life by a close inspection of the horrors of plague and famine, but he is a typical American, and having undertaken to see the real conditions, was deterred by no dangers. Eight and a half millions of people have already perished, and the reading of Mr. Hawthorn's description will open the eyes of the world to a condition of affairs that is almost inconceivable in this year of jubilee

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning All Roads Running Through Tecumseh.

Supt. Blodgett of the L. S. & M. S. arrived in Tecumseh last Monday on a tour of inspection. The special train also brought Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Osporn of Eddy N. M., who will make quite an extended visit here.

The matter of John Lowry vs. the D. & L. N. was settled last night by arbitration. It was left to A. W. Mills and Thos. Elliott who allowed Mr. Lowry $300 damages. The case was in charge of Walter C. Burridge.

A slight change of time will take place on the D. & L. N. next Sunday. Going south No. 45 will leave Tecumseh at 4:30 instead of 5:30 a. m. No. 43, 10:25 a. m. instead of 12:25 p. m. Going north No. 42 leaves at 2:43 instead of 2:50.

Toledo Blade: The trip of President Magrew and directors of the Detroit & Lima Northern over the Michigan division of the C. J. & M., spoken of in Saturday's Blade, was continued to Lake Michigan over the Chicago & West Michigan Monday. The plans of Cal. Brice for a trans-lake line like the Ann Arbor and F. & P. M., seem to be on a fair way to materialize. The scheme includes the lease of the tracks of the Chicago & West Michigan from Allegan the terminus of the C. J. & M., to Holland on the lake. There is a good harbor at Holland, and it is said the Brice people have already purchased docks at Milwaukee.

Marshall, Mich., June 21.—The Lima Northern Railroad officials passed westward over their new acquisition, the Michigan division of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw, this morning. While here they made a thorough examination of the shops and other property. The principal object of this trip of inspection is that of securing an outlet to Lake Michigan at St. Joseph or other equally important point. It is stated now, on what is said to be good authority, that such arrangement has been made to reach the lake by way of the West Michigan. The company evidently means to push this project at once so as to secure this season's business over this new and important route.

Lansing, Mich., June 22.—The Toledo & Milwaukee Railroad Co., with a capital stock of $1,500,000, filed its articles of association with the secretary of state today. Among the incorporators are the projectors of the Detroit & Lima Northern Railroad, and the company proposes to build 170 miles of new road from a point where the Ann Arbor road crosses the Michigan-Ohio state line, through the counties of Monroe, Lenawee, Hillsdale, Jackson, Barry, Allegan and Ottawa to Holland, on the shore of Lake Michigan.—Free Press.

This means that the C. J. & M. line from Dundee to Allegan will be used and sufficient mileage to complete the line through to the lake. Coal and passenger boats will then connect with Milwaukee, same as the F. & P. M. connects from Luddington to Milwaukee.

The following from the Monday's Detroit Free Press will be of interest to all interested in the new D. & L. N.:

There was a distinguished party of New York and Ohio railroad men at the Cadillac last night. They are interested in the new Detroit & Lima Northern railroad line, which has recently begun to run trains to this city on the Wabash tracks, and in the Ohio Southern railroad property. The following formed the party: Hon. C. N. Haskell, of Ottawa, O.; Hon. J. B. Townsend, of Lima; Col. W. C. Brown, of Fostoria; Judge M. Donnelly, of Napoleon; J. R. McGrue, of Cincinnati; C. H. Roper and W. B. Richie, of Lima; Gen. Burnett, Col. Broadhead, Col. Jones and Mr. Oppenhelm, of New York; Hon. Henry C. Smith and Mayor Hunt, of Adrian, Mich. The party inspected the Ohio Southern property from Wellston to Lima, O., and the Detroit & Lima Northern line from Lima to this city. They were a tired, soot-covered, hungry lot of men when they reached the Cadillac last evening. W. B. Richie, of Lima, was delegated by Hon. C. M. Haskell, of Ottawa, who had charge of the party, to give out the following statement of the results of the tour of inspection: "Most of the members of our party are stockholders in either the Detroit & Lima Northern or the Ohio Southern, or both, and all are interested in the enterprises. All of the members express themselves as having been most favorably impressed with the condition of the properties. We found everything most satisfactory. We are inspecting the properties with a view of improving and developing them, particularly the Detroit & Lima Northern. We are considering various ways in which the line may be developed, but no definite plans have been agreed upon. This will be done later. We are all agreed that both roads will pay and pay well. The Detroit & Lima Northern is a new enterprise of active people, who wish to make it a paying investment, as well as to afford advantageous means of transportation to business men and citizens of Detroit generally. We do not intend to interfere with existing freight rates, but we know that Detroit people have an advantage in patronizing the Detroit & Lima Northern, because they thereby avoid extra switching charges at Toledo."

4th July Excursions.

On July 3, 4, and 5 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell tickets at half rates at all its stations to points within 200 miles of selling station, good returning until July 6th inclusive.

A full line of spectacles at

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and

Eyes Tested Free.

Remember this is the place to get best repairing of watches clocks or jewelery.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

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Carriage and Wagon **Painter**

Shop in the old Cummins Building, Railroad Street.

Prices Lowest and all work Guaranteed

Now is the time.

to get your wheel ready for spring. I make cups, cones and put your wheel in repair

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Will Grey.

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Carriage Paint,

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Full line at new prices.

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The Picnic Season is at hand and the place to get the

Best Boiled Ham

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A. S. Clark's
Meat Market.

Armour's Best Sugar Cured Hams.

Hot Weather

We have cool goods for warm weather.

Just received a lot of soft percale shirts, also fancy bosom and cuffs with white body. Very fine Balbrigan and Jean underwear.

Straw and Crash Hats and Caps,

linen dusters, childrens percale linen suits, alapaca and fine surge coats and vests for young and old.

All sizes knee pants pants from 3 to 15 years for 25c.

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Butter! Butter!

The warm weather will soon be here and you will want something besides soft butter. It can be found in two and five pound crocks at our store. Always fresh and firm right off the ice.

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We Sell Binder **Twine.**

Hay rope and everything in the line of

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Also repairs for Walter A. Wood machines

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JUNE 25, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FEATHERS RENOVATED.—Get your Feathers Renovated and Upholstering done at G. W. Bly's, second house west of Abner Wilson's, Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work guaranteed. 2wk

FOR RENT.—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A cottage at Sand Lake. Enquire of S. P. HOSMER.

Base Ball!

Clinton vs. Tecumseh.

At Bills' Driving Park, Tecumseh,

SATURDAY, JUNE 26.

Game called at 3:00 p. m.,

Admission 15 cents,

Grand Stand 10c.

Ladies to grand stand free.

Buy machine oil of Parrish.

25 sticks of candy for 5c at Mobbs'.

Sam James spent Sunday in Tecumseh.

Geo. A. Kies was down from Clinton Monday.

Miss Naomi North is spending a week in Ann Arbor.

Ben. J. Garlinghouse was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Millinery at reduced prices at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's.

Miss Gertrude Howell is home from the Normal for the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peters are entertaining Miss Thornton, of Ypsilanti.

Eugene Service, Walter Lowry and E. Holdway were in Detroit Monday.

Don't fail to see the bicycle and foot races Saturday, July 3rd, on Bills' Park.

Ernest Coller and Sam McClure were in Ypsilanti Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Will J. Clark, of Britton, were calling on friends Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Best, of Lexington, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John A. Heck.

Mrs. Kate Moshier and Miss Daniels, of Onsted, were Tecumseh visitors Wednesday.

Mr. Irving Finch and Frank Barnum of Adrian came over Monday on their wheels.

Mrs. James Elliot is entertaining her sister, Mrs. T. H. Cook, of Quincy, for a few days.

Bert Baker, accompanied by a friend, came up from Toledo and spent Sunday at his father's.

John Wissim of Newburg grows the kind of strawberries, 20 of which fill a quart measure.

It will only cost you 65c to give your old buggy a new appearance at Parrish's. It will pay.

Miss Conover wheeled over from Ann Arbor yesterday to visit her classmate, Miss Mary Burridge.

John Osborn reached home Saturday to spend the heated term beneath his own "vine and fig tree."

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Draper, of Cambridge, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teachout Wednesday.

Mrs. Bailey has returned from her visit with Onsted and Cambridge friends and reports a delightful time.

If you wish your work to flourish
And the potato bug to perish,
Buy Paris green of Parrish.

Harry Fuller, the blind lecturer, who spoke at the Baptist church Sunday evening, is a graduate of Hillsdale College. The church was well filled and all were delighted with his address.

W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, was entertained at M. Smeltzer's over Sunday last. Mr. Wedemeyer is deputy state railroad commissioner and combined business with pleasure on his trip to Tecumseh.

We have been informed that a lady living just west of Tipton recently found a pig drowned in one of the milk cans and then took advantage of the situation by drowning a litter of four kittens. She has an eye for business and proposes to make things count.

Rose Sunday was observed at the Universalist Church last Sabbath. The services were appropriate and floral decorations fine. In the afternoon the flowers were used to decorate the graves of Universalist Sunday School pupils, who are burried in our cemetery.

Our Bed Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
A quarter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
A large polished Stand, 1.50
A set of strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
A polished oak Dining Set, 7.00
A Sewing Rocker, 1.00
A large Arm Rocker, 2.50
A cobler-seat oak Rocker, 3.00
A large iron-bound Trunk, 3.50
Our Couches are beauties at 10.00
A large line of Window shades at 20c. each. Our large store is full of all of the latest styles and best makes. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods.

WHEELER & BISSON.

Matinee, Saturday, July 3rd.

C. H. Bramble is at home this week.

Harry Goff of Ann Arbor was in town over night Monday.

Grand celebration Saturday, July 3rd, on Bills' Driving Park.

Why don't you try Mobbs & Co's 25c a lb. San Marto coffee.

Mrs. Mary Bresie was quite ill last week, but is much better now.

You will be out of sight if you buy your window shades of Parrish.

Miss Etta Baker of Detroit is visiting her sister Mrs. W. W. Whiting.

Mrs. Beckel is visiting friends in Toledo. She went down Tuesday.

Wade Jones is a very proud youth, being the possessor of a fine wheel.

Ed and Edith Corey are expected home from Providence R. I. to day.

We are still selling wall paper and will give you a bargain at Parrish's.

Mrs. Kate Cleveland and husband are spending a little time in Tecumseh.

Alba Heywood and fine company, at the Opera house, Saturday evening, July 3rd.

John J. Freeman is improving the fronts of his blocks by having them painted.

Miss Mamie Staniger of Morenci, has been the guest of Anna Gaston the past week.

It only costs 25c to see the grand celebration Saturday, July 3rd, at Bills' Driving Park.

Special meeting of the Blue Lodge this eve at Masonic Temple for work in the 2nd degree.

John Schreder was nursing an ulcerated tooth the first of the week. His amiable disposition was sorely tried.

E. M. Lewis has moved his portable saw mill from near the C. J. & M. depot to the Fuller farm southeast of Britton.

Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff and children left Tuesday afternoon for a visit with friends at Stanton, Hastings and Grand Rapids.

B. J. Garlinghouse, Mrs. J. D. Garlinghouse, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stretch and F. D. Hillman were Detroit visitors Monday.

Parrish says he will buy some more of that perfume such as he had last as it is a seller. Ask for crab apple blossom and red rose.

There was a large delegation down from Clinton Saturday to see the ball game. Tomorrow nearly the whole town will be on the grounds to see the sport.

FOR SALE.—Two new $75 wheels at $35 cash, one new $85 wheel at $40 cash and one second-hand ladies' wheel at $20 cash. For particulars inquire at the HERALD office.

Word has been received from Miss Florence Montgomery at Denver, Col., that she is greatly improved in health and she trusts by continued residence in that climate to fully recover.

Harry Rosacrans, who has been in Chicago the past school year, returned home Wednesday morning. He has become quite robust and the change of air has been beneficial to his health.

I have some bargains to offer in second-hand mowers and binders. Low prices on hay rakes, tedders, loaders, racks, rope and binding twine.

C. A. SLAYTON.

The Masons in and around Britton will observe St. Johns day with a service at the Christian Church Sunday at 0:30 a. m. Rev. C. I. Deyo the pastor, will preach. Quite a number of the fraternity here will attend.

The regular monthly meeting of the Research Circle will be held at the residence of Mrs. Robbins next Wednesday afternoon between the hours of two and five o'clock. All members are requested to be prompt in attendance. Business meeting at three o'clock.

Scarlet fever is about over for Tecumseh. Miss Jessie Bangs will soon be out and there are no new cases. The cases of measles are also growing less, but only because the subjects are growing scarce. It is reported that one of the most severe cases was that of Helen Bills' doll.

John J. Orr received word from Cap. Chilson Wednesday to be in Detroit at 9 p. m. same day and accompany him to Duluth and back. Being alone in the store and the time so short that he could not secure any one to stay in the store, he was forced to forego this desirable trip, it was a disappointment to him.

Nathan S. Crane, a former resident of Adrian, who was recently killed in a mine accident in Colorado, was a brother of Mrs. Richard Harkness of this place. The remains were brought to Adrian, and the funeral was held yesterday. Among those from here who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harkness, and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wood.

Alba Heywood, supported by a fine company, is coming. This means fun by the ton, laughs galore, beautiful music and a delightful evening all around. The press comments tell us that Heywood is funnier than ever, that his work is fresh and new and his company strong and well balanced. It is with pleasure we await the appearance of this company, for with Heywood's name there always goes a guarantee of something good. He will be seen here on the evening of Saturdry, July 3rd, at the opera house.

Comfort Chase and Chas. Moyer are assuming aldermanic proportions rapidly. In fact, their clothes are too small for them, all on account of a few fish. Tuesday afternoon they were out again on the Red Mill pond and each got a pickerel, Comfort's weighing 4 lbs. and Charlie's 1 3-4 lbs. Wednesday Comfort invited Charlie to a fish dinner and the rapidity with which the fish disappeared was proof positive that they both had their appetites with them. Will Fanning and Bert Lawrence are having the fever bad as well as others.

Opera house July 3rd.

John Anderson is in Detroit today.

Try the coffee buns at the City Bakery.

Frank M. Bryan lost a fine cow this morning.

Three good horse races Saturday, July 3rd, at Bills' Park.

Wm. Lehr of Manchester was calling on friends here yesterday.

Best bargains of the season in millinery at Mrs. M. A. Freeman's.

Miss Hattie Montgomery is at home this week, ill with the measles.

The Fourth of July attraction for Tecumseh will be Alba Heywood.

Miss Florence Burlingame was a Detroit visitor the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell have moved from the village to his fathers farm.

Until July 1st, you can obtain Mantello size photo's for 99cts. per dozen at Miss Daly's.

Mrs. Chilson, Miss Chilson, and Miss Hardenburg, returned from their lake trip Sunday.

Miss Luella Williamson entertained at her home last evening the Juvenile Bicycle Club.

Mrs. F. W. Dickie returned to Marshall Wednesday. Allie Satterthwaite accompanied her.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Miss Julia Wood arrived home Saturday night and will spend the summer with her mother.

Batteries for to-morrows game, Clinton—Uphaus and Mallon. Tecumseh—Harris and Gillen.

Captain W. H. Hayden attended the inspection of the Ypsilanti Company Monday evening.

Miss Mabel Clements was the guest of Mrs. James Hagerman of Dundee three days this week.

Mrs. Susie Bennett who is at Osseo, caring for her grandmother who is ill, was in town yesterday.

Fred Rector, Mrs. Will VanAntwerp, and Wade Jones, ride Clipper wheels purchased of Levi C. Hayden.

Mrs. Phoebe Miller went to Adrian Monday for a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kelley.

M. L. Root bought and shipped 4000 bushels of wheat here this week. The price ranging from 76 to 80 cents.

Prof Howell of Blissfield, while on his way to his fathers in Macon, tarried here Saturday to call on friends.

Miss Jessamine Case is now a member of the Macay Opera Company, having joined it at Adrian last Saturday.

At the Baptist Church, Sunday, June 27th. Subject, "An indisputable fact;" evening, "The Candle of the Lord."

Martin Crossman left Wednesday morning for Big Rapids where he has secured a permanent position in a bakery.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman left yesterday morning for a few days visit with her daughter Mrs. T. D. McKinney in Detroit.

Come in and ask to see the axle oil. It is so different from what you have been used to using, we want you to see it at Parrish's.

Mrs. DeWitt Martin and Mrs. James Cadmus picked for C. F. Morley 150 qts. of strawberries each on Monday. Who can beat that?

Mrs. Harry Bice has a fine sentinel wheel and Mrs. Frank Purdy received a wheel as a birthday present from her father, George Beneway.

Miss Louchelle Hinsdell of Elgin Ill. and Roy Hinsdale of Chicago, will be the guest of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy next week, arriving Monday.

Ralph Webb is here from the West to take care of his father who is seriously ill with dropsy at the residence of Mrs. Ketcham, his sister.

The following have recently purchased wheels of Bert Day. Pearl Kempt, Percy White, Mabel Smith, Anna Craig and Mate Herman of Manchester.

R. J. Wheeler, of Toledo, Ohio, will officiate as starter at the Matinee, July 3rd. "Jef" as he is called, is one of the best starting judge in the country.

Clarence Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hodges and son of Jackson, are with their parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson. Clarence will remain until fall.

H. D. Cutting returned home the last of the week from Ann Arbor where he had an opperation performed on his eyes by Dr. Carrow, he is recovering nicely.

Miss Flora Hartbeck left Tuesday for Dayton Ohio, after a few days with her people, she joins her sister at Indianopolis, and together they go to California for the summer.

John Wyrill has purchased of Mrs. J. D. Shull a lot on east Chicago street just west of George Tiffany's upon which he contemplates to build a house sometime in the near future.

Chas. P. Stevens, the bicycle instructor, has returned and will secure pupils the three last days of each week. His headquarters are at C. A. Slaytons, and he uses new Hudson wheels.

The Britton correspondence in this issue contains a report of how "Dan" Williamson won the prize for fancy bicycle riding in that town last Tuesday. The young man is very expert.

W. L. Perrin and C. N. Disosway are here advertising R. V. Pierces popular remedies. Hands ice house and other buildings have been artistically decorated, they are very fine workmen.

Prof. and Mrs. Kellogg arrived home from their bicycle trip last evening only to receive the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. Thoms, Mrs. Kellogg's father. They returned to Williamston last evening on the 9 o'clock Lake Shore.

The first of the matinees to be given at Bills' driving park, occurs a week from tomorrow, July 3rd, and promises to be interesting. All the local flyers will contest and many from away. There will also be bicycle and foot races. Be sure that you are present.

Married Thursday evening at 6:30 at Mr. Jacob Rentschlres, two and one half miles north east of town, Miss Myrtle Gallup, sister of Mrs. Rentschlers to Mr. Dwight Oliver, a young business man of Pontiac. Rev. B. S. Hudson officiated. The young couple start out with bright prospects.

The conditions surrounding the game tomorrow would lead one to believe it will be the closest of contests, both teams having yet to lose a game. Adrian College and Lake Ridge teams having been defeated by both teams at scores which make it difficult to say which is the stronger team.

The childrens day exercises at the Friends church, were largely attended and the little ones did splendidly. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and potted plants. In the evening a large congregation was present, a male quartette from Clinton, consisting of Samuel, Joseph, and George Alexander and J. C. Fisk pleased all with their selections which were rendered with fine effect.

Pattison-Boyd.

A most enjoyable company gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Boyd Wednesday evening to witness the marriage of their niece, Miss Lina Boyd, to Mr. Marvin Pattison, of Ridgeway. Skilled hands had decorated the house with a wealth of roses, making it look most beautiful. At the appointed hour the bride and groom, preceded by Rev. C. M. Brown and little Miss Belle Wood, niece of the groom, entered the room. Little Belle Wood carried a silver tray upon which was the wedding ring. The couple took their stand in the bay window of the back parlor, where Mr. Brown said the words that made them husband and wife, using the beautiful ring ceremony. After the couple received the congratulations of their friends all repaired to the dining room where a most delightful lunch was served. After the guests had taken their departure Mr. and Mrs. Pattison drove to his farm near Ridgeway, where everything had been prepared and awaited their reception. The HERALD, with the hosts of their friends, extends congratulations and wishes them a long life of peace and prosperity.

Ball Game.

Those who were present at the ball game Friday, when our boys met the Imperials of Jackson, must have been satisfied with the work of the home team for individually and collectively they played gilt edge ball from start to finish. In the first inning Hicks made one of the finest pick-ups of a hot grounder ever seen on the diamond. It was the first appearance of Rixom in a game here and he covered third base in a manner which showed conclusively that he was a ball player. Parrish had on his batting clothes as usual, as did Harris which, in connection with his elegant work in the box, added to his already flattering reputation as an all-around player. Although Kennedy had recovered from his injuries sufficiently to cover 1st base in fine style, he was not able to do his usual amount of batting. Had the Imperials played anything like the game their reputation warranted, it would indeed have been an ideal game. Avery, the first man in the box, was easy prey for the home team, 13 runs being made in the three innings he pitched. Hall relieved him in the 4th and held the boys down to 3 singles in 5 innings. The support given him was far superior to that accorded Avery. The Imperials are gentlemanly fellows and, no doubt, can play good ball, and we hope to see them here again when they are at themselves.

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Imperials	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	—4
Tecumseh	5	1	7	0	0	2	0	0	*	—15

Errors—Imperials 10, Tecumseh 4. Earned runs—Tecumseh 1. 2-base hits—Taylor, Harris-2. Stolen bases—Heller, Hicks, Lee, Gillen, Harris-2, Rixom, Parrish. Bases on balls—Avery 7, Hall 2, Harris 3. Struck out—Hall 6, Harris 11. Passed balls—Freitag 5, Gillen 3. Time 1:50. Umpire—Kennedy, of Clinton.

Fourth of July Excursion Rates via Detroit & Lima Northern Ry.

Ticket agents of the Detroit & Lima Northern Railway will sell low rate excursion tickets July 3d, 4th and 5th, good returning until July 6th to any point within a radius of 200 miles from selling station. See D. & L. N. ticket agents for further particulars.

Annual Meeting National Educational Association, Milwaukee, Wis., July 6 to 9, 1897.

For this occasion the Wabash railroad will sell tickets to Milwaukee and return at one fare for the round trip, plus $2.00. For particulars, call on or write to any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

National Convention Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, San Francisco, July 7 to 12, 1897.

The Wabash railroad has made a very low rate from all stations to San Francisco and return for this occasion. For particulars, call on any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

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GOOD CORN MARKER.

It Has Given Satisfaction to All Who Have Used It.

I made a corn marker like the diagram herewith, about eight years ago. It has done faithful service annually for myself and neighbors ever since, but now I find it worn and disjointed almost beyond repair. In planning to make another, because of its admirable adaptation to its special use, the great satisfaction it gives to those who use it, and the ease with which any farmer handy with tools can make it, I am prompted to send a description and drawing for the benefit of other readers.

The runners are preferably made of hard wood sawed 2 by 10 inches; the outside ones 2½ feet long on top and the two middle ones 4 feet long. For my use they are fixed 3½ feet apart. The transverse strips which secure them may be of 1½ by 2-inch stuff, excepting front piece in center to which tongue is attached, which should be 2 by 4 for greater strength. The cross

GOOD CORN MARKER.

strips connecting the two longer runners should be two feet apart, to which the tongue should be attached in the center with one-half-inch bolts, and forward of the front strip 15 inches should be bored a hole for attaching doubletree and one 9 feet forward of that for the neck-yoke spud. A deep slot should be cut in rear end of tongue where attached and a shallow one in front, so as to raise front end the right height for neck-yoke on team, so that the runners may stand level, thereby preventing unnatural wear on rear end of runners by being tilted up in front.

The boards marked S are 1 by 6 and firmly nailed in place as shown, giving great strength to implement.

The outer runners or wings are bolted near the central ones with one-half-inch bolts, so as to move up and down freely. After cutting shallow slots near the ends of the transverse connections, fit them in deeper slots cut in runners as seen at M, then nail the lath firmly across them.

Modus Operandi.—Run the rows by stakes. Use but three and cut them 2½ times as long as your rows are wide, i. e., for a 3½-foot marker make the stakes 8 feet 9 inches long and sharpen large end. In commencing a field set stakes right distance from one side for first through (you can guess at this) four or five rods from end set the first, the second in the middle, and the third four or five rods from opposite end, get your team with marker in range with the stakes (which of course were set in line) and the driver standing on marker with one foot near inside of each center runner advances to first stake, stop, and removing stake, bumps the top end against outside of outside runner and raising same forces it into the ground as a guide for the next through; he then remounts and proceeds likewise with the middle stake, but upon reaching the end stake drives over same and stopping at the end throws up both outside wings, turns and drives up until in range with the two stakes now standing, drops the wings and advances until opposite the stake just driven over when he stops and sets the same as before, and thus continues until the field is completed.

By exercising a little care a skillful man can run "air lines" just as far as the stakes are visible.—L. M. Kraner, in Ohio Farmer.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

The board of trade is a buzz saw. Don't monkey with it.

Clover improves the soil and makes the best "hay" in the world.

No soil was ever so rich that it could not profitably utilize the manure made on the farm.

If you can do twice the work with a new machine than you can with your old one, buy a new one.

Patronize your home people. Sell your grain to the local buyer unless you know he is swindling you.

We take little stock in the direct shipment of grain to cities. As a rule it does not pay, in our judgment.

Look before you leap, and if you do you will not get swindled by slick-tongued imposters from the city.

The horse should be put to hard work in the spring gradually. The animal is not in the best condition in early spring.

Try peas for stock. Sow broadcast or drill. They are at the top as green forage for hogs, cows or any other stock.

Sit down and cultivate a bitter enmity to every weed that grows this season. Try to feel toward it as a dog does toward a cat.—Western Plowman.

Irrigation on the Farm.

In laying out a system of ditches for irrigation purposes good care and time should be observed. Ditch lines should be run as much as possible on the high parts of the farm, and the grade should be light, about four feet to the mile being about what ordinary soils will best stand. The ditch should always be larger than is apparently necessary. Both ditch and bank should be built broad, and particular care given to prevent the liability of a little stream of water starting out from the side somewhere and cutting away both ditch and bank and inundating the field.—Dakota Field and Farm.

MUD DIET OF LONDON.

A Scientific Person Publishes Some Astounding Statistics.

There is nothing like dealing with large figures and no doubt the statement by a scientific person that Londoners drink in the course of a year 1,000 tons of mud will appear to many to disclose a terrible and most dangerous state of things, says the London Standard. Nothing could be further from the truth. A thousand tons of mud would mean, perhaps, about half a pound of mud to each person. It will be certainly not too much to assume that each half pound of mud does not contain more than two ounces of solid matter, probably much less. Now it is certain that in the course of three or four windy days in March each person in the air all day will draw in fully an ounce of dust, as much as he will swallow in water during six months. A railway traveler who takes a few hours' journey in dry weather has but to look at the state of his coat and of the carriage seat to form an idea of the amount of dust that must have entered his mouth, the majority of which on touching the palate and tongue is converted into mud and swallowed. Thus, then, it will be seen at once how many infinitesimally small and how absolutely innocuous is the daily portion of this 1,000 tons of mud swallowed by Londoners and how little cause there is for alarm in the array of figures piled up by the scientific investigator, who may frighten weak-minded people but does not in the slightest degree affect the ordinary man or excite in him any feeling whatever save indifference.

HUGE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT.

Harp Made in an Open Lot—Why It Was Constructed.

The most gigantic harp ever constructed, as far as the record goes, was that made by Veritan, the provost of Burkli, near Basel, Switzerland, in 1787, says the St. Louis Republic. That was a long while ago, but the fame of M. Veritan's gigantic harp was such that it is still occasionally mentioned by writers on the rare and the wonderful, just as the sea serpent, bloody rain, live mastodon, etc., are. M. Veritan's colossal musical instrument was 320 feet in length, and, on that account, was constructed in an open lot instead of in a harp factory. It was most simple in construction, consisting of 15 wires strung tightly between two poles. These wires were of different sizes, the largest being one-sixth of an inch in diameter and the smallest one-twelfth of an inch. They were stretched north and south and inclined in such a manner as to form an angle of from 20 to 30 degrees with the horizon. This queer instrument was not intended as an exaggerated toy, but was constructed for the express purpose of foretelling changes in the weather, which were calculated by Prof. Veritan according to the different tones the instrument made when the wind was blowing through it.

WORLD'S BEST THIN ARMOR.

Remarkable Plates at Indian Head That Shot Could Not Crack.

The navy department is securing a constant improvement in the quality of its armor plate, says the Washington Post. A test made at Indian Head the other day demonstrated that it now possesses the best thin armor, at least, in the whole world. A four-inch plate representing some of the side armor of the battle ship Kearsarge, that was well up on the bows, was fired at with a five-inch gun. Not long ago a shot was calculated as able completely to penetrate an armor plate of one and one-half times as thick as its caliber. In other words, a five-inch shot would penetrate a plate seven and one-half inches thick.

This four-inch plate, however, not only kept the shot out, but it smashed it up, and the only mark left on the plate was slight dishing in the center, not more than half an inch deep. This passed the plate. Then another shot was taken at it to ascertain the power required to perforate the plate. This was accomplished only by giving the shot the high velocity of 1,985 feet per second and even then the plate was not cracked.

CALIFORNIA POWER SCHEME.

To Transmit Electricity Over Seventy-Five Miles.

A corporation to be known as the Southern California Power company has been organized with a capital stock of $1,000,000. The principal stockholders are Henry Fisher, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and H. H. Sinclair, president and manager of the Redlands Electric Light & Power company. The purpose of the company is to develop power from the Santa Ana river by taking water at the junction of Bear creek and Santa Ana river and carrying it in a cement ditch and tunnels about four miles, thus securing a fall of 1,000 to 1,100 feet. The power will be transmitted by pole line 75 miles long to Los Angeles. It will be the longest line and the highest voltage (30,000 volts) in use in the world. The line will run through San Bernardino, Pomona, Ontario and Pasadena, and will be able to supply all power needed in these towns. It is proposed to deliver power into Los Angeles by January 1, 1898.

Commemorating Verlaine's Death.

A queer Parisian commemoration is that of the anniversary of Paul Verlaine's death by a mass in the most aristocratic church of the Faubourg St. Germain Sainte Clotide. There is nothing in common in the place and the works of the wretched life of the Bohemian poet.

Austrian Life Insurance.

In Austria the man who loses both his hands in an accident can claim the whole of his life insurance money on the ground that he has lost the means of maintaining himself. Loss of the right hand reduces the claim from 70 to 60 per cent. of the total.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY,—ss.

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Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, has prepared an anti-trust amendment which he will offer to the tariff bill.

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If all the sick mothers, invalid daughters and diseased sisters in this broad land would write to Dr. Hartman when failing to find relief elsewhere, no pen could describe the benefit that would follow. There are so many women, especially married women, who drag themselves wearily around from year to year without any particular disease, and yet miserable beyond description. They ache and tremble, and throb, growing more nervous, tired and debilitated every day. For this class of sufferers Pe-ru-na is the most perfect remedy in existence. It relieves, it soothes, it quiets, it strengthens, and no tired, over worked woman in the land should be without Pe-ru-na in the house for a single day. Those wishing a complete description of female diseases, their causes and cures, should send their address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of "Facts and Faces," a book showing what Dr. Hartman's free treatment has done for a multitude of invalid women.

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Mark Hanna has the Brice habit. He wears a carnation every day.

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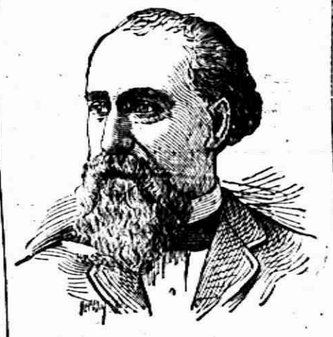

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Mr. G. A. Stillson, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes, August 10th, 1891: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face today is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such. I had suffered 27 years with the disease, and today I feel ten years younger than I did one year ago. I can obtain some wonderful certificates of its medical qualities. John J. Orr.

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.....	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
.....	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
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No. 315 arrives in Chicago at			3 00 p. m.
" 331 " " "			11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 5-6 Accom.
.....	8 09 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	.....
.....	7 45 "	7 50 "	.....
.....	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
.....	9 09 "	9 22 "	7 38 "
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.....	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
.....	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
.....	9 58 "	10 15 "	10 16 "
.....	10 15 "	10 35 "	11 00 "

Trains run on New Standard of 90th Meridian Time.

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Time Table in effect May 23, 1897.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

Passenger	11:59 p. m.
Passenger	6:02 p. m.
Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
Passenger	6:46 a. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:42 a. m.
Passenger	4:07 p. m.
Local Freight	10:02 a. m.

The train going west leaves Tecumseh at 8:42 a. m. returning at 6:46 p. m.

Trains run daily, No. 31 Sunday only, No. 32 daily except Sunday.

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Detroit & Lima Northern.

Time North, South, East and West.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45.
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Lv.	‡ 6 00	‡ 4 50	† 10 55	
	7 30	6 22	12 23	5 40
	7 52	6 45	12 46	5 45
	10 30	9 25	3 25	8 40
Lv.			3 30	8 40
Ar.			6 15	10 45
			11 15	3 50
			P. M.	P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 20		† 12 40
	9 58	2 50	† 9 15	11 10
	9 32	2 25	8 47	10 48
Lv.	6 40	11 45	6 00	8 10
				A.M.
Ar.		11 25	5 05	
		9 25	4 00	
Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

‡ Daily except Sunday. † Daily except Sunday.

Trains 41 are solid vestibule trains, with parlor cars run through to Ohio Southern without change.

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At this season of the year we look around to see if we have all the tools necessary to do a successful job of harvesting the hay and grape crops.

Some of us will find ourselves with a broken half dilapidated hay rack almost if not altogether beyond repair. Of course, this calls for a new hayrack, which is almost a total necessity on the farm, and you will never regret it if you build a good one while about it.

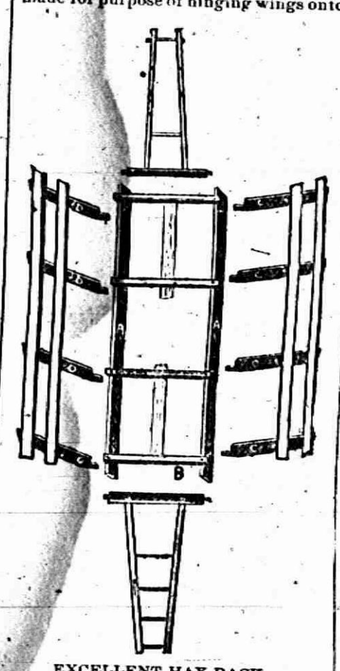
I have had one in use for the past four years, which I find very handy and which has given good satisfaction, and I might say it is in as good condition as when made.

In the illustration the sills A A are 2x7 and 15 feet in length. Cross benches B B on sills are 2x4 and 3 feet 5 inches long, or to suit width of your wagon. These are bolted onto sills as in engraving, using 10-inch bolts, putting them in from under side of sill with nut on top of cross bench. These bolts you will find are an inch too short to reach through, but are countersunk, an inch, beneath and a small nail driven through the hole crosswise to prevent loss of bolts should a nut work off, as they are apt to do. The nuts are on top where they can be seen. The corresponding cross-benches C C on wings are 3 feet 6 inches in length and made by 2x4 stuff. These are cut as shown in engraving to slide on over sills and fit under the boards on center of rack. These boards are 1x6 and cut right length to reach as shown in cut of rack.

The side boards or wings are the same length as the sills and 1x6 stuff. These are bolted and nailed to benches C C.

The end ladders can readily be made after the rack is ready to fasten together. Will say that ladders on my rack are 5 feet high and back ladder is arranged with a loose iron pin to boom the load on at any desired height.

The holes of D D inside wings are made for purpose of hinging wings onto



EXCELLENT HAY RACK.

main frame of rack, and correspond with holes in cross-benches B B, where a one-half-inch bolt 5 inches in length fastens them together and is itself held in place with a key through it. This makes a combination rack which, by attaching endgates and tight board floor, can be used to haul hogs, tile, pumpkins, etc., and by placing a few boards on side wings a large load of corn in the ear can be handled. As I have always hauled a great deal of feed each winter I detach the sides, place it on a sled and make a very good feed rack of it, upon which to haul feed from the field to the barn.

My rack is all made of red elm and painted with two coats of oil and Venetian red, which makes quite a durable paint for farm tools, and better by adding a few pounds of white lead. A rack of this kind will be found very convenient upon the farm, and I assure you I would not trade it and go back to the old platform rack.—George W. Brown, in Ohio Farmer.

ALL AROUND THE FARM.

There is little danger in cultivating corn too much.

Mulching with straw is a good way to manage late potatoes.

Cultivate the strawberries as soon as they are done fruiting.

If good care is given the horses hard work will not hurt them.

The temperature of the water for the horses is not so important as the purity of it.

Before the weeds and briars get too good a start clean out the fence rows.

During the summer at least the work teams should not be compelled to rest with their harness on at noon.—Farmer's Union.

New Potato Industry.

The opening up of a demand for potatoes peeled, sliced and dried like apples promises to give a fresh impetus to potato cultivation, as decay will be prevented and freight cost lessened. The potatoes are peeled and sliced by machinery, soaked two minutes in strong brine, drained and dried at a temperature of about 194 degrees. Before using the slices are soaked from 12 to 15 hours, and then have all the freshness and flavor of new potatoes.

HE SWORE AT THE MULES.

And the Bishop Forthwith Dismissed the Driver.

A bishop's coachman must not swear, especially when he is on the box and the bishop inside, says the Pall Mall Gazette. There is a certain place in Spain called Corrales and it is in the province and diocese of Zamora, and the bishop of Zamora recently went in his coach and four (but they were mules) to hold a confirmation at Corrales. When the children of the diocese were duly confirmed the mules, being confirmed already in stubbornness and original sin, refused to start and backed the carriage, with the bishop inside it, against the churchyard gate, thereby making a breach in the sanctuary of the churchyard wall. At this point the coachman is reported to have uttered one of those thunderous Spanish curses in which the language of Spain is so infinitely superior to the language of France, and which even a bishop must feel has the dignity of power. Unfortunately for himself the mayor of Corrales, Sig. Tome, had just taken leave of the bishop and was standing by the carriage when the word reached him. He sprang forward and fined the coachman four pesetas on the spot for blasphemy and profanation, for in Spain the mayor carries the court with him wherever he goes. The bishop also got out and dismissed the blasphemer on the spot; then the mayor got on the box and himself drove monsiegneur back to his episcopal residence. The confirmation has ever since been known by a title which may be freely translated the blue blazes confirmation of Corrales.

A BORING ALLIGATOR.

Said to Have Made a Hole in a New Orleans Levee.

The high wind that prevailed did considerable damage to the levees along the Algiers shore, says the New Orleans Times-Democrat of late date. The wind after sunset blew especially hard against that side of the river. The waves were blown over the revetment and in some places did much damage to the earthwork. The guards were very active. They reported promptly all washings, and where the occasion demanded it the damage was promptly repaired.

One of the curiosities of the flood in this section developed at the Morgan railroad wharf early one morning. There had been trouble there for some days with seepage, and a force of men had been employed closing the crevices and cracks through which the water percolated. There was an unusual quantity at one place one night, and the foreman of the gang, going over to the spot the other morning to ascertain the reason, announced the hole had been caused by an alligator, which had burrowed through from under the wharf. His trail could be plainly seen in the mud, and the workmen, in speaking of it to Sergt. Cologne, commanding the Algiers station, said that they judged that he must have been at least four feet long. They think the water covered all the resting places that he might have had under the wharf, and he decided to bore a hole through the bank, and thus mix his time between dry land and water.

HIS NARROW ESCAPE.

Bagley's Boy Was Too Good a Guesser and Hence He's Been Banished.

The Bagleys have a small boy, and they are bringing him up on the theory that the boy is father to the man, and that his most irrelevant questions should be as carefully considered and answered as those of grown-up people, says the Chicago Times-Herald.

At least, that was their theory up to last week, when they had company to dinner, and a story-telling contest afterward in which young Master Bagley—albeit, he is of tender age—was allowed to participate.

Bagley senior opened the conversational bout by remarking in that slightly vague style of his that the narrowest escape he ever had from being instantly killed had happened a year or, two previous. His audience listened eagerly, for he is a good story-teller, but unfortunately he saw the interest which he had aroused reflected in the shining eyes of Bagley, Jr., and he broke off to say:

"You couldn't guess, now, could you, Johnnie, how papa happened to nearly get killed?"

"Yethir, I can," answered Johnnie, promptly.

"Bless the boy. How was it? Tell the company, my son."

"You had a scrap 'ith ma," answered the youngster, and now Bagley's boy doesn't sit up to show off for company.

Curious Dinner at Jericho.

An American traveling in Palestine describes in the Hartford Courant an interesting dinner he ate recently at a hotel in Jericho. "We sat on the porch of the hotel at Jericho," he wrote, "after dinner at which we were served with butter from Norway, cheese from Switzerland, marmalade from London, wine from Jerusalem diluted with water from the well of Elisha, raisins from Ramoth Gilead, oranges from Jericho (in no respect inferior to those from Jaffa or the Indian river, Florida), and almonds from the east of the Jordan, smoking Turkish tobacco, which, like the Turkish empire, is inferior to its reputation, and a cup of coffee from the corner grocery of Jericho."

Cartridge in a Tobacco Pipe.

A fatal accident of an extraordinary character has occurred at Mantes, near Paris. A hotel proprietor, who formed one of a party of sportsmen, had his tobacco loose in a pocket of his hunting jacket, and in the same pocket had placed his cartridges. In some way the powder escaped from a cartridge and got mixed with the tobacco. Unconscious of this, he filled his pipe and lit it. A moment later the pipe exploded and a fragment was blown into his eye with such force that it pierced the brain and killed the poor man.

BANKS MAKE MONEY.

Interesting Statement Is Issued by the State Commissioner.

Lansing, Mich., June 19. — Between December 17, 1896, and May 14 the state banks of Michigan had a most prosperous season; in fact, the most prosperous in at least four years. This fact is deduced from the official statement issued by Banking Commissioner Just, and is the statement shows marked increases in both commercial and savings deposits and in loans it demonstrates to a certainty that prosperity and confidence are returning. The increases shown by the statement are as follows: Aggregate deposits, $2,606,324.64; savings deposits, $2,385,871.68; commercial deposits, $220,452.96; loans, $895,121.63.

Filed a Trust Mortgage.

Grand Rapids, June 22.—The Hamilton-Kenwood Cycle company filed a trust mortgage to J. Frederick Baars Monday to secure creditors to the amount of $67,000. The National City bank, Grand Rapids, $30,000, and Morgan & Wright, Chicago, $10,059, are the heaviest creditors. Charles R. Sligh, president of the company, was the fusion silver candidate for governor last fall.

To Sail Round the Globe.

Port Huron, June 21.—The yacht Ramona, 20 feet on the water line and drawing five feet of water, will clear from this port some day this week for a voyage around the world, so says the owner, Capt. Charles Holmes. The captain claims to have taken a filibustering schooner to Cuba recently.

Bankers to Meet in Detroit.

Detroit, June 21.—The American Bankers' association will be in session in the city August 17 to 19 next, and it has been decided that Gov. Pingree is to address the convention, delivering an address of welcome. Mayor Maybury will deliver the official welcome on behalf of the city.

Hydrophobia from a Coon Bite.

Niles, June 22.—John Gallinger, of Royalton township, was bitten on the finger by a coon a year ago. A few days ago hydrophobia set in and his condition is so serious that at times five strong men are required to hold him. He may not recover.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1896, and on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 28th day of May, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

DAN'L T. HALL,
FRED'K B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

Dated, May 28th, 1896.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 2nd day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Hayden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator upon said estate, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the Real Estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of June 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. B. Baragar, Probate Register.

MANY THINK!

when the Creator said to woman, "In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children," that a curse was pronounced against the human race, but the joy felt by every Mother when she first presses to her heart her babe, proves the contrary.

Danger and suffering lurk in the pathway of the Expectant Mother, and should be avoided, that she may reach the hour when the hope of her heart is to be realized, in full vigor and strength.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

so relaxes the system and assists Nature, that the necessary change takes place without Nausea, Headache, Nervous or Gloomy Forebodings of danger, and the trying hour is robbed of its pain and suffering, as so many happy mothers have experienced. Nothing but "Mother's Friend" does this. Don't be deceived or persuaded to use anything else.

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Punctures in the well known Morgan & Wright tire are mended about as easily as a man would close a hole in his finger with a bit of court plaster. Inside of the inner tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber, like this:

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

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No greater aid to the shopping community has ever been devised than the Mail Order System. Ladies living at a distance and occupied with the various duties of life cannot always find time to visit the city to purchase the various articles they may desire. To them the system is invaluable. They may be a thousand miles away, but still can purchase their goods as easily and satisfactorily as if they were to visit our store in person. A postal card directed to us will bring you a price list of goods or any samples you may desire to see. You can then sit quietly at home and make your selections without the bother of going to market, and thus escape all the crowding and jostling that is incidental to the large dry goods establishments. Our Mail Order Department is well equipped. Two most experienced salespeople attend to your wants. They are alive to the ever-changing fashions; their experience in the business teaches them which are the most serviceable and stylish goods. The customer at a distance has sometimes a decided advantage over those who purchase in person. When we receive an order it is placed in the hands of a salesman who knows all about the goods to be selected. He will not make any mistake, and he selects articles that he knows will give the best satisfaction; whereas there are cases when you would not make such judicious purchases yourself.

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FAVORABLE TO HEALTH.

Athletic Sports Indulged In to a Reasonable Extent.

Many of the athletic sports, if pursued for sport or as a recreation, are valuable remedial helps and aid toward physical improvement, says the North American Review. Unfortunately, the spirit of emulation in athletics, which in some communities has grown into intense rivalry, is likely to lead to excesses in training and practice for contests, which unless checked and brought down to a rational basis may do more harm than good. Many young men seem to think that because the practice of athletics is favorable to health the more they can get of this practice the better. This is an erroneous impression, for it is as possible to overwork in athletics as it is in business and a great many young people do themselves injury by their excessive zeal in the practice of competitive exercise.

In this line of physical activity, as in any other, there is a limit to human capability and it is possible to develop the muscular and nervous systems to the detriment of the heart and lungs or of the digestive system. But the conditions under which athletics are usually practiced are so favorable to the maintenance of health and vigor that few persons who were sound at the time of commencing their athletic efforts have injured themselves by the practice of these vigorous exercises. It is true that a certain number of young men who were distinguished for their supremacy in certain athletic events have died young. But the number of young men who are now practicing athletic exercises in this country and appearing in public contests is very large, as many as 600 or 700 entries being recorded in some of the great city meetings.

ESSAY OF AN INDIAN BOY.

Original Ideas Advanced by an Intelligent Savage of Tender Years.

There is nothing more original than the early composition of an Indian boy. The following example is still preserved as an instance in which its savage author epitomized in unconscious parable and with excellent humor the relations of the red man and his white brother, says the New York Mail and Express. It is entitled: "Story of Good Bird and Bad Cat." The essay follows:

"One day, bright day, a little bird happy and stood on a log and sang all day long. That bird doesn't know anything about cat. She thinks nobody is near to her. But behind the near log old sly cat is watching. She wait to eat for supper, and she thinks about stealing all the time. The old cat came very slowly, and by and by she go after the little bird, but she does not see bird and sang loud again. She sang loud like this: 'I am always try to do what is right; wen I ever die I go to Heaven.' That bird said these all words, and I shall not forget the little bird what it said, and these all words it said and after two or three minutes go died; the cat jumped and catch and kill, eat all up except little things from bird, wings, legs or skin, and that bird is glad die because she is very good bird. The little bird has last time sang and very happy was the little bird after that. I think the old cat have good dinner and happy just the same as the bird was at first time."

CHAIN OF HUMAN BONES.

e in Libby Prison by a Member of a New York Regiment.

[illegible] O. Thornton, a farmer living a [illegible]les out of Bolivar, Mass., has [illegible]atch chain. It is made of hu[illegible]s. The chain consists of eight [illegible] each a trifle more than an inch [illegible]g, connected with plated rings. The chain is about ten inches long and has been highly polished by years of wear and glistens like ivory, says the Fall River News.

Thornton secured the chain at Petersburg, Va., in 1864. He was a member of company E, Fiftieth New York engineers. A member of the Twenty-first New York infantry made two chains while confined in Libby prison, and on his release met Thornton and sold him one chain for $5o in greenbacks. Thornton has forgotten the maker's name. The bones were taken from an [illegible]d a[illegible]s [illegible]ng it required 18 months' time to carve out the chains. For many years after he came home from the war Thornton wore the chain every day, but for several years he has worn it only on Memorial day and at grand army reunions. Some of his neighbors laughed at the idea of the bones being taken from human bodies, and he sent the chain to a surgeon, who examined it and pronounced it to be of human bones.

No Lavatory for Leedy.

It is a statehouse story at Topeka that Gov. Leedy, who, when he came into office last January, declared that he would not use the porcelain bathtub which he inherited from his republican predecessor, now refuses to use the porcelain lavatory. It is equipped with a supply appliance, which the governor has not been able to "get the hang of," and one day when he was unable to shut it off the water overflowed and deluged the floor. Gov. Leed's private secretary rescued his chief, and as the latter emerged from the bathroom drying his hands and face, he decided that a requisition be made for a tin wash bowl. "I am used to a tin bowl," he said. "It will not run over and drown me every time I want to wash my face." The bowl was bought, and to-day it adorns a soap box in the bathroom.

A Dictionary Index.

A man from Canada called at a drug and book store in Richford, Vt., the other day and inquired if the dealer had any indexes for Webster's unabridged dictionary. His wife, he said, gave him one for a Christmas present, but it was tarnal slow work hunting up words, and he thought if he could get an index it would help him.

Minneapolis and return at half Rates.

Account of the meeting of the B. P. O. E. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Minneapolis and return at half rates, plus 50 cents, on July 3, and 4 tickets good returning to leave Minneapolis until July 31st. Write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland, O., for panphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions, or apply to ticket agents.

Milwaukee and Return—Low Rates.

On July 3, 4, and 5, account National Educational Association meeting, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets at all its stations to Milwaukee, Wis., and return at half fare, plus $2.00 Tickets good for return, leaviug Millwaukee until August 31st. Apply to ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, Ohio., for pamphlet of information about this and other cheap excursions.

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Excursion Rates Account 4th of July.

Account 4th of July holiday the Cincinnati Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will sell special low rate excursion tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip, between all stations. Tickets on sale July 3rd, 4th and 5th, good returning up to and including July 6th. Through tickets will also be sold to points on connecting roads at the same rates and limits. For additional information see bills or call on C. J. & M. agents.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER, G. P. A.,
Toledo, O.

Grand Special Excursion to Toledo, O.

On Sunday, June 27th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:12 a. m. Fare 75c. for the round trip. Tickets good returning Monday, June 28th. Base ball game. Toledo vs. Springfield. Entire new list of attractions at the Casino. Elegant steamers to Presque Isle. See handbills or call on agents for further information.

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Scheme to Connect Manistique and Munising by Rail and Car Ferry.

Menominee, June 22.—From Manistique to within six miles of the town of Munising on Lake Superior, a distance of 35 miles, is a railroad which was built by the Chicago Lumber company. This road has been purchased by the Ann Arbor Railroad company, which will put in a car ferry slip at Manistique. The same company will complete the line to Munising, and also build an air line to Negaunee, on the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic and the Chicago & Northwestern roads from a point ten miles south of Munising, the whole line to be 63 miles long. Work will begin at once. Boats will run all winter to Manistique instead of to Gladstone, and a special boat will be built to navigate Green bay in the winter, and will be run here continuously. The object of the extension is to secure the flour trade of the west via the South Shore and the Northern Pacific, and also to open up a rich timber country between Manistique and the Marquette iron range. The new road may also touch the city of Marquette. This is the most important railroad deal of many years, and means much for the advancement of the upper peninsula's industrial interests.

MINE OWNER KILLED.

Nathan Crane of Michigan Meets Death at Dumont, Col.

Idaho Springs, Col., June 20.—In a cave-in at the Way to Wealth mine at Dumont Saturday Nathan Crane, the owner, was instantly killed by the falling rock. He was an aged person and was well known in Colorado, having devoted most of his time to mining the past 20 years. He had a home in Adrian, Mich., and leaves a widow in that city. His son is practicing medicine in Kalamazoo, Mich. He was also a brother-in-law of the late Senator Jerome B. Chaffee. The body will probably be taken to Adrian for burial. Parties in charge are awaiting instructions.

Adrian, June 21.—Nathan Crane, who was killed Saturday at Lawson, Col., in a mine, resided here many years, formerly conducting a boot and shoe store. His widow is the youngest sister of Senator Jerome Chaffee, and is now visiting here, her home being in Kalamazoo. Crane first crossed the plains in 1861, and had been engaged in mining principally for 18 years, with varying success. He left about a year ago to close out his mine interests, intending to return and live here.

Through Sleeping Car Line Between Detroit And Louisville.

On May 30, 1897, the Wabash Railroad in connection with the Pennsylvania Lines, will reopen the line of through Sleeping Cars inaugurated last season between Detroit and Louisville via Logansport, leaving Detroit daily at 3:20 P. M., and Louisville at 9:05 P. M. Direct connections are made at Louisville for all points south, and at Detroit with lake and rail lines for the summer resorts of the North.

$1,00 TO DETROIT AND RETURN Via D. & L. N. Ry., Sunday, June 27.

Agents of the Detroit & Lima Northern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Detroit and return for regular morning train Sunday June 27th, at the exceedingly low rate of $1.00 for the round trip. Returning train leaves Detroit at 6 P. m., giving excursionists six hours in Detroit. This is an exceptionally good opportunity to enjoy a day's outing at a small expense. Visit beautiful Belle Isle, Grand Circus Park. Take a bicycle ride over the elegant boulevards. Make a trip across the Detroit River to Canada or enjoy a steamer ride on the river. For full particulars see agents D. & L. N. Ry.

Henry White, aged 20, was hanged at Columbus, Ga., for his share in the slaughter of three policemen on the 14th of last October.

Tourists Sleeping Cars to San Francisco via Wabash.

On June 29th and July 1st next the Wabash, in connection with the A. T. & S. F. and Sou. Pacific Rys., will run tourist sleeping cars from St. Louis to San Francisco without change for the accommodation of members of the Christian Endeavor Society and their friends en route to San Francisco. Sleepers will leave St. Louis at 9 p. m. For particulars call on or address any agent of the Wabash R. R. or connecting lines.

Less Than Half Rates to San Francisco.

On June 28, 29, and 30 and July 1, 2 and 3 the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco and return at less than half rates. Tickets will be good to return to leave San Francisco until Angust 9th. Stop over privileges apply at certain points in the west both going and returning. For full information call on ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A. Cleveland O., for pamphlet of information.

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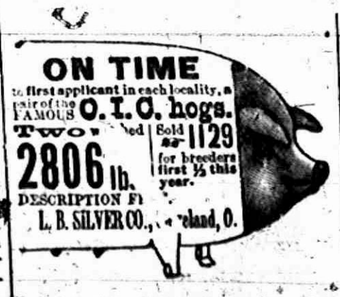

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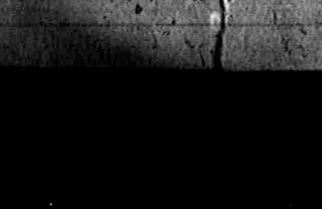

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, June 24.—After a contest lasting throughout the day the senate yesterday completed the paragraphs of the wool schedule relating to raw wool and advanced into the features relating to manufactured woolen goods. The time was devoted largely to discussion of the effect of tariff rates in the price of wool, and the speeches were on technical lines in the main. Senator Morgan introduced a bill for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands as a territory of the United States in accordance with the terms of the recently negotiated treaty.

Washington, June 25.—A stubborn contest over the duties on manufactured woolen goods occupied the attention of the senate yesterday. It was a day of constant roll calls and crossfire debate. Many amendments were proposed to reduce rates, but these were rejected by decisive majorities. Less than five pages were disposed of during the day.

Washington, June 26.—The senate yesterday completed the wool schedule, the silk schedule and the tobacco schedule of the tariff bil, and, with this accomplished, all the schedules of the bill and the free list had been gone over once. There now remains only to go through the bill a second time, passing on the items passed over. Senator Hale introduced a resolution restricting the privileges of ex-senators on the floor of the senate to those not interested in legislation and claims, and it was referred to the committee on rules.

Washington, June 28. — The senate started on Saturday on its second consideration of the tariff bill, the purpose being to dispose of all items previously passed over. The paragraphs discussed were in the chemical and earthenware schedules, and failed to elicit more than technical debate. Senator Pettigrew (S. D.) was stricken with paralysis of his vocal chords while making a vehemeat speech. He was taken to his hotel, and has partially recovered his speech.

Washington, June 29.—The senate made good progress on the tariff bill yesterday, disposing of the paragraphs relating to hides, gloves, live animals, iron ore and stained glass windows. A resolution authorizing the president to invite foreign governments to participate in the trans-Mississippi exposition at Omaha was agreed to.

Washington, June 30.—In the senate yesterday the lead ore and other paragraphs of the tariff bill were disposed of, and the session wound up with a half hour colloquy between Senators Tillman (S. C.) and Chandler (N. H.) upon an amendment proposed by the former to the tariff bill providing a $100 per head tax on immigrants, and a restriction against all those not coming to the United States to become citizens. The proposition was defeated.

The House.

Washington, June 26.—In the house yesterday Mr. Foss, of Illinois, on behalf of his delegation, announced the death of his colleague, Mr. Cooke, and a committee was appointed to attend the funeral in Chicago. Adjourned to Monday.

Washington, June 29.—In the house yesterday Mr. Crumpacker (Ind.) introduced a resolution for a constitutional amendment providing that hereafter no contiguous territory shall be annexed to the United States, except in pursuance of a treaty negotiated by the president, concurred in by two-thirds of each house of congress and ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states. Adjourned to July 1.

House Committees.

Washington, June 26.—Speaker Reed will name his committees the day the present session closes. The chairmen of the most important are given below:

Chairmen selected: Accounts, P. B. Odell, New York; agriculture, J. W. Wadsworth, New York; appropriations, J. G. Cannon, Illinois; banking and currency, J. H. Walker, Massachusetss; claims, C. N. Brumm, Pennsylvania; coinage, weights and measures, C. W. Stone, Pennsylvania; District of Columbia, J. W. Babcock, Wisconsin; education, G. A. Grow, Pennsylvania; elections No. 1, L. W. Royce, Indiana; elections No. 2, G. W. Prince, Illinois; election of president, vice president and representatives, W. C. Arnold, Pennsylvania; enrolled bills, Alva L. Hagar, Iowa; foreign affairs, R. R. Hitt, Illinois; immigration and naturalization, R. Barthold, Missouri; Indian affairs, J. S. Sherman, New York; interstate and foreign commerce, William P. Hepburn, Iowa; invalid pensions, Winfield S. Kerr, Ohio; irrigation arid lands, William R. Ellis, Oregon; judiciary, D. B. Henderson, Iowa; labor, J. J. Gardner, New Jersey; manufactures, George W. Faris, Indiana; merchant marine and fisheries, Serene E. Payne, New York; military, J. A. T. Hull, Iowa; militia, B. F. Marsh, Illinois; mines and mining, R. G. Cousins, Iowa; naval affairs, C. A. Boutelle, Maine; Pacific railroads, H. H. Powers, Vermont; patents, Josiah D. Hicks, Pennsylvania; pensions, B. C. Loudenslager, New Jersey; post offices and post roads, Eugene F. Loud, California; public buildings and grounds, David H. Mercer, Nebraska; public lands, John F. Lacey, Iowa; railways and canals, C. A. Chickering, New York; river and harbors, W. B. Hooker, New York; territories, William S. Knox, Massachusetts; war claims, E. M. Mahon, Pennsylvania.

Must Obey Orders.

Washington, June 30.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has decided that officials of the government must obey the orders of courts whether they are cheaged when summoned or not.

FARMERS MAKE HAY.

Weather Generally Favorable to Cultivation and Growth of Crops.

Chicago, June 30.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Michigan—Splendid weather for work and fair for growth. Corn and oats have good color, are much improved but backward. Wheat continues promising, and is just beginning to turn. Beans made good stand. Corn and early potatoes about all cultivated. Clover haying well started, and is heavy crop, but cures slowly. Scarcely any damage from Monday's frost.

Indiana—Weather favorable but cool. The wheat, rye and barley harvest and haying have begun. The hay crop is heavy. Tobacco grows nicely. The pea crop is immense.

Illinois—Very heavy local showers, but week generally favorable to crops; corn making rapid growth and being laid by in early fields. Oats continue short but improving. Winter wheat and rye cutting continues in south half, wheat giving fine berry and full heads although few fields left; clover cutting general, but delayed by rains, crop fair; gardens, potatoes, meadows and pastures doing well; berries very plentiful.

Iowa—Temperature and sunshine below normal, with heavy local showers in central and southern districts, retarding haying and corn cultivation. Corn making fair growth, but condition and stand unusually variable. Wheat and barley are most promising cereals, with material increase in acreage.

Wisconsin—Week very favorable to growing crops, corn especially. Oats and barley heading well. Spring wheat and rye good. Clover cutting begun, crop light.

TRAINS COLLIDE.

Endeavor Excursionists in a Wreck—Four Killed.

Chicago, June 30.—Two sections of a Christian Endeavor excursion train on the Northwestern road collided at West Chicago, 30 miles from this city, in Du Page county, at 12:45 this morning. Three passengers and a tramp riding on the buffers were killed. None has been identified. Fifteen others were injured. The sections were Nos. 4 and 5 of train No. 3, and left the Wells street depot at 11 and 11:15 o'clock, respectively. Section 4 stopped at the West Chicago water tank and was struck by section No. 5, following it closely and making rapid time. Each section consisted of a baggage car, day coach and seven sleepers. Four hundred passengers were carried in each section. Most of them were asleep when the collision came. Charles Courtney, the engineer of No. 5, who lives at Belvidere, was caught in the wreck and seriously injured. Charles Woodworth, conductor of No. 4, and A. Fish, conductor of No. 5, escaped without serious injury, although jarred and bruised by the shock.

SHERMAN ARRAIGNS TRUSTS.

Question of Monopolies the Most Important of the Day.

New York, June 29.—John Sherman, secretary of state, came over from Washington Sunday night and stopped at the Fifth Avenue hotel. Secretary Sherman spoke on topics of national and international interest. He declared his belief that the United States will have no controversy with Japan over the annexation of Hawaii, and that the trust question is the most important subject for settlement in this country. He declared that he was firmly opposed to combinations of capital which interfere with competition.

Through a Trestle.

Missouri City, Mo., June 28.—A passenger train on the Wabash railway went through a trestle near here and seven persons were killed and 19 others were badly injured. The killed are: W. S. Mills, O. M. Smith, Gustave A. Smith, Charles Winters and F. W. Brink, all postal clerks; Edward Grindroo, baggagemaster, and Charles P. Greasley, brakeman. All were residents of St. Louis.

Dauntless Crew Freed.

Key West, Fla., June 26.—The crew and the Cubans who were on board the Dauntless and who were arrested were discharged by United States Commissioner Julius Otto, on the ground that there was no evidence to show that they were a military organization or intending to commit acts hostile to Spain.

Famous Pacer Breaks His Neck.

Napoleon, O., June 28.—Johnnie, the world's famous and only lone pacer, broke his neck Sunday. He was turned loose to graze, and while running caught in a wire fence and was thrown on his head, breaking his neck. He was valued at $15,000, and was owned by W. H. Barnes, of Sioux City, Ia.

Lightning Kills Convicts.

Dakota, Ga., June 29.—Lightning struck the convict camp at the lumber mills of Greer Bros, near here, Sunday night. Two convicts, both negroes, were instantly killed; two others, white, died shortly after, and ten others were severely injured, some of whom will die.

Race Riot in Florida.

Key West, Fla., June 26.—To prevent the lynching of Sylvanus Jackson (colored) negroes took possession of the jail and armory here, and in an attempt to secure arms for the militia a fusillade of shots was exchanged, one white man and several negroes being killed.

Soon to Start Up.

Muskegon, June 19.—The Consolidated Rail Joint company of Chicago has purchased the Muskegon Iron and Steel company's rolling mill, and will start the plant in a few weeks, employing 125 men. The mill has been idle more than two years.

AN OCEAN HORROR.

Wreck of Steamer Aden Off the Coast of Africa.

Of Those on Board the Drowned and Missing Number 87—The Latter Includes a Boat Load Unheard of Since Leaving Wreck.

Aden, June 30.—The Indian government steamer Mayo, sent out in search of the missing steamer Aden, from Yokohama on April 28, via Colombo and Aden, for London, which was last heard of when leaving Colombo on June 1 for this port, has returned here and reports that the Aden was totally lost off the island of Socotra, at the eastern extremity of Africa, on the morning of June 9.

The Aden carried 24 passengers from China and Japan.

The captain of the wrecked steamer, some of her officers and crew and seven white passengers were swept overboard and drowned very soon after she ran ashore. Eight lady passengers, nine children, two officers and a few of the Aden's crew succeeded in getting away from the wreck in a boat, but they have not been heard of since, and little hope, owing to the bad weather which has since prevailed, is entertained of their safety.

The Mayo saved nine of the Aden's passengers and three of the whites an 83 natives of the steamer's crew. All of these persons were rescued just as the Aden was breaking up. The survivors of the wrecked steamer were brought to this port by the Mayo and are being cared for by the local authorities.

In all, the drowned and missing include 25 passengers, 20 European officers and 33 natives of the Aden's crew.

London, June 30.—A special dispatch from Aden, Arabia, gives details of the loss of the steamer Aden, as follows:

BAD WRECK REPORTED.

Trains on the Vandalia Road Come Together with Fatal Results.

Terre Haute, Ind., June 30.—It is reported that a bad wreck took place late Tuesday night near Vandalia, Ill., on the Vandalia road. Information reached this city that a section of a regular passenger train, carrying a party of Christian Endeavorers, collided with an east-bound train which left St. Louis at 8:20 o'clock. It is reported that R. T. Sherman, of Indianapolis, mail clerk on the St. Louis train, is killed; also W. P. Coon, of Indianapolis, baggage master of train No. 11, westbound. Sam Parkinson, mail clerk, of Columbus, and Frank Owens, fireman, of Terre Haute, are fatally injured. J. J. Turner, general manager of the Vandalia railroad, says no one is injured, with the exception of three postal clerks, and that their injuries are not serious.

LYNCHED.

Mississippi Mob Hangs a Colored Murderer at Crystal Springs.

Crystal Springs, Miss., June 26.—The negro, John Moses, who murdered an old man named Strong near this place a few days ago and who has been confined in the local jail with a strong guard since Thursday, confessed to the killing Friday morning, and shortly after the guard was overpowered by a mob of 200 or 300 men, mostly farmers, and Moses taken from the jail and, with a rope around his neck, was dragged through the streets to a tree near the railway and hanged. He was dead or nearly so when they reached the place of hanging.

Pan-American Exposition.

Albany, N. Y., June 26.—Articles of incorporation of the Pan-American Exposition company were filed here and in Buffalo Friday. It has been decided to hold this exposition in 1899, commencing May 1 and running for six months, and the site selected is at La Salle, on the Niagara river, a few minutes' ride from Buffalo as well as Niagara Falls.

Victim of Apoplexy.

New York, June 29.—Rev. Frank M. Ellis, aged 49, pastor of the Washington Avenue Baptist church, Brooklyn, died suddenly of apoplexy at the Brooklyn Tabernacle Baptist church, where he was attending the ordination services of Rev. James Bristow, who is about to become pastor of the Rosedale church at Camden, N. J.

Two Men Drowned.

Milwaukee, June 26.—A special to the Wisconsin from Rhinelander, Wis., says: George Bronka, of Tomahawk, and Ed Johnson, of Merrill, log drivers, were drowned by the capsizing of a boat near the city bridge Friday afternoon. They were single men, and had worked on the river for years.

Cloudburst in Wisconsin.

Waupaca, Wis., June 30. — A severe downpour, amounting almost to a cloudburst, carried away many bridges and in some cases wiped out roads. The three mill dams at Amherst were carried away, and a washout near that place delayed trains on the Wisconsin Central road.

Southampton, June 30.—The steamer St. Louis broke the ocean record between New York and this port, her time being 6 days 10 hours and 48 minutes.

Nine Children Killed.

Madrid, June 29.—Nine children have been killed and many others injured by the collapse of a church wall at Solana, in the province of Ciudad Real.

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CLINTON

F.L. Parker returned from Alpion Saturday.

C. S. Burton has beeu visiting his old home since Friday.

Ed Kehoe and A. J. Kishpaugh were Adrian visitors Saturday,

Mr. and Mrs. Webb DePuy, of Saline, Sundayed with Macon friends.

Miss Abbie Chandler returned to her home at Saline last Thursday.

A. F. Kishpaugh made a business trip to Tecumseh Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. R. Amspoker and Edith, of Manchester, visited in town Sunday.

Miss Isabel Davis went to Tecumseh Saturday to spend a week with friends.

Miss Sara Huntington came home from Adrian, Friday, to spend the summer.

Miss Eva M. Davis returned Saturday from a week's visit with Tecumseh friends.

Miss Mary Morden cut her foot quite badly on her bicycle, six stitches were taken in it.

Willis R. Barnes who has been at Toledo for the past few months, returned home Saturday.

Charley and Jay Grannell, of Detroit, came over on a tandem and spent Sunday at F. E. Johnson's.

Mrs. A. J. Hutchins returned Saturday from a visit of two weeks with friends in Kalamazoo Co.

Rha Conklin and wife of Lansing, have been visiting Clinton relatives, since Thursday of last week.

Mrs. P. Kishpaugh returned Saturday from a two days' visit with her mother and sister at Dundee.

Miss Mary Soles of Farmington Oakland Co. was the guest of Mrs. H. R. Hause, the latter part of last week.

C. W. Johnston, of Detroit, came over Sunday, and W. D. VanTuyle returned with him Monday for a two days' visit.

Byron Hall, of Manchester, has bought out Lewis Gray's laundry business and will take possession in a few days.

The Episcopal society picnicked at Wampler's lake Wednesday. The day was perfect and all had a delightful time.

Dewey Halpin, who has been with his grandmother, Mrs. H. M. Halpin, since April, left Saturday for his home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Leonardson and Mr and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh of Britton, were guests at P. Kishpaugh's last Sunday.

Leon Clark returned from Albion Thursday of last week and left Saturday night for Chicago, where he had secured a good position.

Mrs. C. W. Johnston and children came over from Detroit Friday and will spend a few weeks at the home of her father, E. F. Muir.

Miss Mame Bradner arrived home last Saturday after an absence of about ten months. For the past few months, she has been at Owosso.

Mrs. H. H. Eddy and son Clarence, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, who had been visiting Clinton relatives for a week, eft Monday for Vinton, Iowa.

The Maccabee memorial service last Sunday afternoon, was very well attended, and the address by Rev. Deyo, of Britton, much enjoyed by all.

Miss Louise Clark returned Saturday from a few day's visit with relatives at Brooklyn. She was accompanied home by Miss Mae Morey, who is now a guest at Dr. J. L. Tuttle's.

Mrs. P. M. Newcomb who has been spending the past few weeks at the home of her son in Blissfield, returned home Monday, accompanied by her little grand-daughter Lydia Newcomb.

A subordinate lodge of the Columbian league was organized here on Monday night last, by H. Warne Wilson, Supreme Commander of Michigan. The name of "Pinzon Lodge No. 15, Columbian League of Michigan" was chosen, and the following officers elected:—

Commander—A. F. Kishpaugh.
Provost—W. F. Clack.
Warden—J. S. Higgins.
Chaplain—Guy C. Collins.
Notary—E. C. Breese.
Treasurer—Roy Codling.
Messenger—M. W. Sutfin.
Inside Guardian—E. C. Codling.
Outside " —C. P. Lane.
Trustee, 3 years—S. W. Demuth.
" 2 " —G. Blatchford.
" 1 " —Geo. M. Hard.

The meetings of the order will be held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month.

The annual festival given by the Masons on the evening of St. John's day, was a pleasant affair, but the attendance was not large on account of it being such a busy time with the farmers.

FRANKLIN.

Strawberries are abundant and cheap.

Aunt Anna Allen has a severe cold and cough.

E. J. Whelans new house is progressing rapidly.

Franklin is producing a large quantity of poultry this season.

Mrs. Jehiel Wisner of La. visited with relatives near Tipton last week.

Arthur Bradley is in Ypsilanti, where he has a position as mailing clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Deming near Saline, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marten Whelan over Sunday.

The entertainment given by the classes of the Center and Paragon schools, graduating in the eighth grade at the Congregational church, Tipton, Friday evening, was fine and listened to by a full house.

There is a Class of People

Who are Injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

There are 99,200 teachers in the Austro Hungarian empire.

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The congregational church has the largest number of theological students proportioned to membership, 12.2 to 10,000 members.

Wonderful! Marvelous!

are expressions frequently heard about cures effected by Foley's Kidney Cure. Do not fail to try this great remedy for any kidney trouble.

The electic medical schools of the United States have an attendance of women equaling 10.7 per cent. of the whole.

Attention, Old Soldiers!

The manufacturers have instructed J. J. Orr to give a bottle of 25c. size of Foley's Colic Cure free to the first soldier of the civil war that applies for same. It is the great remedy for Chronic Diarrhoea, Cramp Colic and all Bowel complaints.

The Disciples of Christ and Christians have 500 students in their theological seminaries.

Don't Stop Him!

He has a bad attack of colic and is making for Orr's drug store after a bottle of Foley's Diarrhoea and Colic Cure. 25c. and 50c.

In the regular medical schools of this country 5.1 per cent of the students are women.

When You Take Your Vacation

the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. It is an absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it.

There are 18,941 teachers in the Dominion of Canada.

Quick Relief for Asthma.

Foley's Honey and Tar is guaranteed to give prompt relief in all cases of Asthma. Do not class this with other medicines that have failed to give relief. Give it a trial.

ABOUT KAFFIR CORN.

Experience Fails to Sustain Many of the Claims Made for It.

Some enthusiasts declare that Kaffir corn is destined to supersede both wheat and Indian corn in Kansas, but the Kansas authorities and the department of agriculture do not sustain this claim.

Kaffir corn, an Egyptian millet, is a sorghum, and as a crop possesses these advantages: The yield is larger by from 20 to 50 per cent. than Indian corn; it will grow and yield a crop—not a large one—on very poor soil; it is injured much less than Indian corn by drought, and even when withered by the hot, dry winds of the prairies, it will recover under moisture.

It forms an excellent food for cattle and pigs. All the experiments of which many have been made by scientific agriculturists, show that it is inferior in fattening power to either wheat or corn. Nevertheless, as a surer and larger crop than corn, it promises most important results for regions like Kansas and Nebraska, where scorching winds frequently wither the corn and destroy the crop.

As food for man, it is nourishing, wholesome and palatable. But the latest conclusions of the national department of agriculture are that its use will probably be somewhat like that of buckwheat—it will form an occasional rather than a staple article of diet. In nourishing power it stands at 27, where bolted cornmeal stands at 37, wheat flour at 45 and oatmeal at 62.

Heretofore it has been difficult to grind this corn fine enough for use as human food. It is said that this difficulty has been overcome lately. If so, there will soon be an opportunity to test its food value on an extensive scale. —Farmers' Voice.

Candidate for Senator in 1898.

Decatur, June 22.—Ex-Congressman Samuel Stephenson, of Negnunee, announces that he will be a candidate for United States senator in 1898.

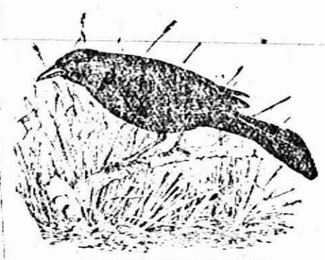
HORTICULTURE.

INSECT-EATING BIRDS.

Some Facts Which Farmers Should Always Bear in Mind.

Probably few farmers have any idea of the assistance which they receive from friends who ask no reward, except now and then a little fruit, or a few seeds of grain. A recent number of the National Stockman gives a mass of testimony as to the noble work done by the birds in the destruction of grasshoppers and other insects. The experiments were made by Prof. Aughey, of the University of Nebrask. Tabulated results show conclusively that birds of all kinds were doing their best to reduce the number of locusts. The birds of the thrush family were examined first. The stomachs of six robins contained the remains of 265 locusts; three wood thrushes had 68 locusts; one hermit thrush contained 19 locusts; two olive backed thrushes had gathered in 55 locusts; two Wilson's thrushes absorbed 73 of the pests, while five cat birds had "called" 152 of the insects. Three blue birds yielded 677 of the "hoppers," and one little ruby crowned kinglet showed up 29 as the result of its industry. But four tufted titmice contained no less than 250 specimens, and nine long-tailed chickadees had secured by hard work 481 of these enemies of agriculture. Four slender-billed nuthatches had the remains of 93 locusts. But the little warblers also insisted in "taking a hand" in the general massacre, for seven golden warblers turned in 77 locusts and 176 other insects. Five black-throated green warblers had secured 116 of the hoppers and 104 other insects. Four black poll warblers gathered 123 locusts and 47 other insects. Eight prairie warblers showed the remains of 116 locusts and a still larger number of other insects. Seven barn swallows called in 139 locusts; eight cave swallows exhibited 326 of the pests; five bank swallows contained 104, and ten purple martins had sacrificed 265 of these insects. Many of these birds were seen to feed the inmates of their nests with young locusts.

But the roll call does not stop here, even if our space should; and we would gladly give the complete record—for the roll of honor includes the yellow-headed blackbird, the vireas, shrikes, the bobolinks, Baltimore orioles, Brewer's blackbirds, purple grackle and others which ate locusts almost without limit. Not only these birds did their full duty, but even the ravens, the crows, the magpies and the bluejays followed up the good work and consumed vast numbers of the pests. The flycatchers and pewees were not far behind, while 345 "hoppers" were taken from the stomachs of seven night hawks. The humming



A CROW BLACKBIRD.

birds are generally regarded as simply ornamental, but Prof. Aughey states that his cat caught a specimen of the ruby-throated humming bird, whose stomach contained the bodies of four locusts. Ten specimens of the yellow-billed cuckoos yielded 416 locusts and 152 other insects. But the woodpeckers were evidently bent on business, and did not confine themselves to a single article of diet, for 20 woodpeckers contained 853 locusts and 725 insects of various sorts. Even the birds of prey seemed to have joined in the good work, for 18 owls examined displayed the remains of almost 600 locusts and other insects. Not to be outdone by the owls, the two hawks which were taken gave up 378 locusts. In the same line followed the wild turkeys, grouse, prairie hens and quail. Emulating the above good examples a large variety of shore birds did almost equally good work, considering that their natural food is largely found in the water.

In view of the above, can any farmer have a shadow of doubt as to the inestimable value of the birds as aids in protecting his crops? If a few birds furnished such results for a single day's work, what would be the result were a calculation to be made of the work of all the birds for an entire season? All sorts of birds were examined, from the pelican, with its mammoth form, to the gem-like humming bird, and all proved to be the friends of the farmer in protecting his crops from the ruthless invader. How foolish is he who allows these his allies to be hunted as if they were robbers and enemies, and especially where he allows them to be slaughtered for no good purpose. Would space permit we could refer to hundreds of cases, in many of which the evidence is even stronger than any given above, and all of such unquestioned truthfulness as to leave no doubt as to the facts in the matter. A word to the wise is sufficient.

H. H. WATERS.

Why He Is Poor.

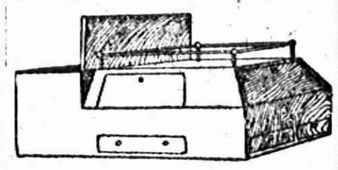
The farmer's overalls are worn,
His back with toil is bent;
His faded coat is old and torn,
He can't lay up a cent.
He markets half a load of grain,
For mud his farm enthralls,
And so the extra trips explain
The farmer's overhauls.

—Good Roads

HANDY ARRANGEMENT.

Wagon Box for Farmers Who Sell Their Own Produce.

The accompanying illustration shows a box for a farm wagon excellently adapted to the requirements of those who practice selling their farm products from house to house in village or city. There are four large compartments, easily accessible, one in front, whose cover forms the seat of the driver; one on each side, and one in the rear. Different sorts of bulky articles can be carried in these, while in hot weather one compartment can be fitted to contain ice, for the well being of the butter and dressed poultry that is being marketed. In fact, there are many products of the farm that are benefited by going to market iced in the hottest of summer weather, such as early vege-



BOX FOR FARM WAGON.

tables, strawberries, cream, etc. The drawers at the bottom of the box will be found convenient for eggs in two or three tiers of pasteboard egg fillers, or in the patent wire fillers, while the railed space on top will hold any articles that may be carried in bags or boxes.

Many farmers have a strong prejudice against "peddling" their produce, as they call the house-to-house sale of it. This is an unfortunate prejudice, for selling directly to the consumer is one of the most profitable methods of disposing of farm crops. Nor need it be at all disagreeable, if rightly managed. Have nothing but the best upon your cart; have regular routes and regular customers, and they will watch for your coming and make your trading agreeable. Selling at first hand means a steady cash income, and prices much higher than would be received from dealers. Then, too, it often means the sale of produce when the dealers are overstocked, and not willing to purchase at any price.

A valuable point to be borne in mind by those who thus sell their farm wares is not only to have choice articles for sale, but to carry them to the customers in attractive shape. Let the wagon look neat, being well painted and having the name of the farm painted in bright letters upon the sides. Then let the driver be neatly dressed, pleasant and gentlemanly in his address, and the work will prosper. These little matters are of far more importance in the success ful selling of farm products than many would believe. Attractive appearance from beginning to end sells goods. Don't try to build up such a trade by using an old ramshackle wagon, with the articles for sale dumped indiscriminately on the bottom; such a plan doesn't attract purchasers.—N. Y. Tribune.

WILL FIGHT LOCUSTS.

Nebraska Entomologist's Queer Mission to South America.

Millions of bushels of corn are annually exported from Buenos Ayres, but Argentine has so suffered from a plague of locusts that the entire crop has been destroyed, and not a shipload has been shipped this season. The chamber of commerce has engaged Prof. Lawrence Bruner, entomologist for the agricultural experimental station of the University of Nebraska, to investigate the locust migration. He is now at Buenos Ayres, and if he succeeds in exterminating locusts and grasshoppers will receive a handsome bonus. He believes that methods employed in Nebraska will be efficacious in South America. During the plague in Nebraska he developed some wonderful results. Farmers who desired aid sent in some healthy insects provided with sufficient food to last to their journey's end. In return they received "sick" bugs in packages, with directions for using. The professor began by securing some dead insects, killed by the fungus sporotrichum globuliferum. They were placed in cages with healthy grasshoppers, kept in a high temperature, and the healthy insects were soon inoculated. The disease is a dry rot, which causes the bodies of the locusts to decay. The spread is rapid, and result fatal. It somewhat resemble leprosy in the human family. The disease begins to show from the second to the fourth day after the infection has been placed in the field. The bugs leave their food plant and keep moving rapidly. The next day they are sluggish and seek protection from the sun. From the sixth to the eighth day the first dead bugs are found wrapped in a fungus resembling cotton. The insects do not have sense enough to seek a field not infected, but remain in the locality where they are inoculated. — Chicago Inter Ocean.

Proper Handling of Grapes.

Grapes, like other fruits, need to be carefully handled to bring the best prices. The vines need to be gone over frequently during the ripening season, gathering only those with full color, because grapes do not, like other fruits, color after being gathered. The bunches should be cut off with a pair of scissors, and so handled as not to disturb the bloom. Ordinary varieties may be at once packed from the vines into the basket that is intended for sale. Choice varieties should be gathered into shallow trays or baskets, in which they should stand a day or two on shelves in the fruit house, and then repacked. By this treatment the stems will wilt, and the bunches will then keep without molding and pack more closely than when green.

Words of a Wise Man.

Good roads throughout this commonwealth are absolutely necessary. I am for the good roads bill and all that it means, and will be until it becomes a law.—Representative Ebenezer Adams, of Pennsylvania.

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It is easier to operate, feeds hotter water, works with lower and higher steam than any other automatic injector. If your dealer does not keep it make him order it for you, or write to

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

D. L. Whitenack, of Tecumseh, was town Tuesday.

Bert Kishpaugh made a business trip Milan Tuesday.

Miss Rosa VanDeventer is visiting linton friends this week.

Laverne Gripton and wife called on ecumseh friends Tuesday.

Will J. Ingersoll, of Tecumseh, visit- Britton friends Tuesday.

Mesdames Hause and Kishpaugh ent Wednesday in Clinton.

Miss Lulu Weeks, of Macon, was the est of friends over Sunday.

A. O. Maynard and family entertained r. Sly, of Detroit, over Sunday.

J. W. Clement's father and mother om Blissfield spent Sunday with him.

George Clark, Clif Underwood and lph Kishpaugh wheeled to Clinton nday.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson attended the unty C. E. convention at Addison esday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Britton returned om their outing at Lake Erie the last the week.

The fellowship meeting of the Chris- n church will be held next Saturday 2:30 p. m.

Miss Mary Soules and nephew, Perry r, returned Monday from a week's it with Clinton friends.

Clarence Hause will work for James ules, of Holloway, during harvest, e begins work next Monday.

Uncle Henry Reynolds enjoyed a visit om his niece, Miss Eliza Telling, of rop, from Friday until Wednesday.

At the Reformed church Sunday the stor will preach at 10:30 a. m, and 8 m. The C. E. service will be held as ual at 7 p. m.

See O. B. Lenardson and let him give u a description of the way his clerk, ew, stuck to the saddle of Dr. Wood's cking broncho.

O. B. Lenardson and wife and J. L. shpaugh and wife attended the Macca- e services at Clinton Sunday. Rev. I. Deyo gave the address.

Vern Yates, Roy Britton, Lyman Ousthout, Walter Pocklington and Clar- e Zibble made quite a tour on their eels Sunday, visiting Adrian and nton.

Will Nivison and son Reed were taken te sick Saturday with what they ught to be cholera morbus. Will's ack was very severe and he was very ak for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Exelby started esday on their Californian trip. They xpect to be gone several weeks and hile there will attend the great Chris- an Endeavor meeting.

Herbert Cranshaw, after residing in ritton ten years, went to Tecumseh onday to work in the barn at the Cen- l Hotel. Herbert has hosts of friends e to trust the change may be to vantage.

ev. C. I. Deyo will deliver an address t Sunday morning in the Christian urch appropriate to the day. Subject, hat the Declaration of Independence nds for." In the evening his subject l be "Christianity and National ength."

. B. Lenardson's store was burglar- l Monday night, both stores being te thoroughly overhauled. A hat, e cigars and a few other things are sing. Entrance was gained through indow in the rear of the store. A ple of tramps are supposed to be the ty parties.

r. and Mrs. Andrew Wood and ghter Murl returned home Saturday. Wood has been at a hospital at u. Ind. Mrs. W. and Murl spent time with friends at Sand Creek. Wood has nearly recovered his lth and hopes to resume his accus- ed duties the first of the month.

riday while Walter Exelby, wife child were riding by James ght's, Mrs. E. raised her parasol ch startled the horse. It jumped ran up on the walk in front of the kin block and threw them out. y were not injured and but little nage was done to the conveyance.

larence Exelby underwent a severe ital as well as physical strain last ay. While cultivating corn he sed his pocketbook containing $10, supposing he must have lost it, nt nearly half a day searching for it. going home at night he found he had it on a table. Perhaps he wasn't rusted with himself.

any here are having the fishing er. Milo and Will Ousterhout and k Stewart were up to the lakes the of the week. L. E. Hause, Will ood, Lawrence Brown and Clarence e went up Monday, all but Will re- ning a few days. John Britton, n Zeluff and Vern Ousterhout start- ut Tuesday afternoon to try their .

he Christian church was filled to its ost capacity Sunday morning by an ntive audience to hear Rev. C. I. o's sermon to the Masonic fraterni- Representatives were present from following lodges: Blissfield, Adri- Tecumseh, Clinton, Manchester, d Rapids, Deerfield, Milan and roe. The edifice was profusely and efully decorated with flowers and he walls back of the desk wore Ma- c emblems. Mr. Deyo's sermon was larly, practical and effectively n. It was full of instruction to the iliated as well as those who were bers of the order and was calculat- incite all to a higher plane of liv- nd will linger in the minds of those were permitted to hear it for years me.

the pharmaceutical schools 27 per of the students, or nearly one- are every year given diplomas.

RIDGEWAY.

Mrs. Geo. Gifford is quite sick.

Carrie Shaler, of Detroit, visited friends here last week.

Measles still hold their own, two more cases being reported.

Gertrude Boyd closed her spring term of school in the Steel district, Macon, Friday.

Nathan Smith, of St. John, is the guest of his uncle, S. P. Smith, and family.

Mrs. Elmer Linn went to Dundee Sunday, to spend the week with sick relatives.

Mrs. Ernest Palmer is in Ypsilanti this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wadner.

Geo. Graves is moving into the Coryell house, north of the village, which he recently purchased.

Some from here attended the Children's Day exercises at the Macon M. E. church Sunday afternoon.

S. P. Smith and son Glenn and C. W. Culbertson and son Carroll and A. Lake spent Friday at Evans lake.

Frank Gilmore, Jr., has moved onto his farm which was the property of Uncle Geo. Wilkins, in Macon.

Mrs. J. L. Remington, of Tecumseh, visited her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Temple, the first of the week.

Mrs. Lewis Waldron and daughter, of Tecumseh, spent last week Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Arner.

Several from here attended the school reunion and alumni at the Valley Seminery Friday afternoon and evening.

Clarence Montgomery was made happy Tuesday by receiving a Hawthorn bicycle, a birthday gift from his mother.

The lady, who left a pair of kid gloves at the church commencement night, can have them by calling at the library.

A number of the members of the W. C. T. U. spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Pocklington Friday.

Mrs. E. J. Gould and sister, Miss Bertha Richart, were called to Bowen Falls Monday by the serious illness of a sister with blood poison.

C. L. Lowe, Alf Linn and Frank Henry, with their wives enjoyed a day at Wampler's lake last week, bringing home nearly a bushel of fish.

Saturday being Bernice Dibble's 19th birthday, his parents gave him a surprise by inviting in a number of young people. Light refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent.

CONE.

E. Allshouse is building a new cellar.

Walter Caswell wheeled to Ann Arbor Wednesday.

Martin Dennison was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Philip Smith of Ashley, called on friends last Tuesday.

Born Friday, June 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Caswell a son.

Wm. Hendershot and wife of Macon, visited friends here Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Olds came out on her wheel from Ypsilanti last week.

Mrs. Clara Libstaff of Toledo, visited friends here the first of the week.

Willie McCormick of Toledo, is the guest of his sister Mrs. Bert Caswell.

Mrs. E. E. Richardson of Dundee, was the guest of Mrs. Thomas Caswell, Friday.

Chris Rapp of Raisinville was the guest of his brother Fred Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Sherwood is spending a couple of weeks with her sister at Ashley.

Gideon Olds and Mrs. Gertie Comfort were married in Monroe, Saturday June 19.

Miss Grace Barr and brother Harry of Raisinville, called on friends here Monday.

J. C. Cone and wife attended the Commencement exercises at Dundee last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Swarthout and children, and Miss Bertha Cone of Milan visited friends here last week.

The receipts of the ice cream and strawberry festival held at J. M. Autens last Thursday evening were $12.20.

Ray Gould is home from Albion College for the summer vacation. He preached at the church Sunday evening in the absence of the pastor.

HOLLOWAY.

Aunt Lydia Kelley is somewhat better.

Miss Maud Munch is visiting friends at Fremont, O.

Miss Nettie Simmons, of Saline, is visiting Mrs. Levi Coffin.

Mrs. Wm. Brainard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Getchell, of Marshall.

Closing out sale of this season's millinery goods at the rooms of E. H. Fish.

Communion services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

A large number from here attended the Grange social at the home of James Ash Saturday evening.

Mesdames A. H. Kelley and Hattie Coffin and Miss Maggie Moore are reported as convalescing.

Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss and Miss Hattie Dawson attended commencement exercises at Blissfield last week Thursday.

The Ladies' social held at Mrs. Mary Clark's last week Thursday was well attended and the afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

The medical schools every year graduate 24 per cent of their students, or about one-fourth.

MACON.

Al Cavanaugh, of London is the guest of Miss Carrie Camburn.

Joe Howell is home from Ann Arbor for the summer vacation.

The D. R. church is to have a new pastor, in the near future.

Miss Mabel Pennington, is attending the summer school at Adrian.

Mrs. John Sherman and children spent Monday with Clinton friends.

Will Cummins of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Sherman.

Will Wood and wife of Clinton, were shaking hands with Macon friends Sunday.

Mark Randall and Mills Hatch rode their wheels to Detroit Saturday and returned Sunday.

Miss Franc Richarts returned from Republic, Tuesday, her sister Elva will remain in Chicago for a time.

Mrs. Roxie Brazee, and daughter of Tecumseh, visited at the home of Mrs. Edwin Howell Saturday last week.

David Camburn, Will Morgan, and Bradley Scudder, have been taking an outing at the lakes a few days this week.

A picnic will be held on the school grounds Saturday evening of this week, every body desiring a good time should attend.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church was held at the home of Mrs. Hebron Camburn Wednesday afternoon this week.

The children's exercises at the M. E. church last Sunday were largely attended, and a fine program was rendered, the little people are certainly worthy of much praise.

Dr. John Chambers and a young gentleman friend, who have been visiting relatives and old acquaintances in Macon the past week, left for their home in Fort Wayne, Ind. Tuesday.

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Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

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Mrs. Potts—I see your husband has bought a bicycle suit. I thought he was determined never to wear one.

Mrs. Watts—I got him to get it by telling him he was to old to wear anything of that kind.—Indianopolis Journal.

You Can Consult a Renowned Physician.

In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease, and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as make application to him during the summer months, without charge. The treatment will be conducted by correspondence. The doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygenic and dietary regulations necessary to complete a cure. The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores. This offer will hold good only during the summer months. Any woman can become a regular patient by sending a written statement of her age, condition of life, history and symptoms of derangements. All corespondence will be held strictly confidential. No testimonials of cures will be given to the public except by the express wish of the patient. The principal remedy he relies upon in such cases is Pe-ru-na which every woman should have who has any affection of this kind. Those wishing to become patients should address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio. The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio, are sending free to any person writing for it, a neat little pamphlet devoted exclusively to the treatment of female diseases, written by Dr. Hartman.

The bigger the woman and the smaller the husband the more she leans confidingly against the poor little thing when they walk up the street.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

The older a man gets, the more of a fool he thinks a boy is.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 2, 1897.

Letter from Canada.

Edmonton, Alberta, Can., June 14, '97.
EDITOR HERALD:

I am now settled in this parish for two or three months, to take the work while the rector, Rev. H. A. Gray, goes to England in capacity of chaplain to Bishop Pinkham who attends the Lambeth conference. The work will be very pleasant as the congregation is made up of intelligent people.

The town and country are beautifully situated on the banks of the Saskatchewan river. South Edmonton is a very new place, built up within the last four years, since the terminus of the C. P. R. was put there. Edmonton, on the north side where I am, is a very old place, being one of the sites of the old Hudson Bay Company's forts. The fort is still here but changed of course. This spot has been inhabited by white men for over one hundred years. The country round about is fertile and woody, though the trees are small, a more agreeable spot to live in than on the broad prairies I have passed through.

Some gold mining is done here on the Placer mining system. Heretofore the washing has been done by hand, but now several Americans and some Englishmen are building screens to do the work by machinery. The scheme is watched with interest. So far an average of $50,000 worth of gold has been taken out of the river yearly.

The government keeps large forces of mounted police in these northwest territories. In the large towns from 40 to 100 are stationed, and, then at every small station on the line, no matter how small, two or four or six are seen. About 750 men, besides officers, are kept in the territories all the time. The object in having so many small detachments scattered over the country is to secure quick reports at head quarters when any uprising occurs. In a very short time 100 men can be sent to the scene of trouble.

I have been asked to preach to the Masons on the 27th, and, of course, I did not refuse.

Yours very truly,
W. R. BLACHFORD.

Mrs. Jane Lowry.

Died, of old age, at her home 1 1-2 miles northeast of Tecumseh, on Monday, June 28, Mrs. Jane Lowry, widow of James Lowry, aged 98 years. Mrs. Lowry came to Tecumseh in 1855 and has lived on the same farm all these years, surviving her husband just eleven years to a day. Three sons, William, Thomas and Robert survive her. Funeral conducted by Rev. C. M. Brown Wednesday afternoon.

BALL GAME.

Pitchers' Battle—Exciting Game.

A large crowd was present at the driving park Saturday afternoon to see the most closely contested game of the season. More than ordinary interest was taken in the game from the fact that the teams were separated by a distance of only five miles, neither team having lost a game this season, being of about equal strength, and further both being candidates for the championship of Lenawee county. In a base ball sense there has always been a pleasant rivalry between Clinton and Tecumseh. It proved to be, as generally expected, a pitchers' battle and as such honors were about even, Uphaus pitched a very steady game while Harris as usual did not warm up to his work until after the first inning, Clinton making 2 of her 6 hits and one man reaching first on balls in that inning. After that he pitched remarkable ball. But few phenomenal plays were made as but little oppotunity was given. Uphaus' one-handed catch of Harris' pop fly and Cotton's catch of Lee's hot liner called forth liberal applause as did Lee's exhibition of acrobatic feats.

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Clinton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	—3
Tecumseh	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	*	—5

Earned runs—Clinton 2, Tecumseh 1. 2-base hits—Hause, Harris 2. Home runs—Wade. Stolen bases—Gillen. Bases on balls—By Harris 3, Uphaus 0. Hit by pitched ball—Parker, Uphaus. Struck out—By Harris 12, by Uphaus 9. First base on errors—Clinton 1, Tecumseh 5. Left on bases—Clinton 10, Tecumseh 3. Time 1:45. Umpire, Frink, of Ionia.

Chattanooga and Return, Half Rates.

For the meeting of the B. Y. P. U. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell tickets to Chattanooga and return at less than half rates on July 13 14 and 15, good to return until August 15th. For particulars apply to ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for pamphlet about this and other cheap excursions.

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We have cool goods for warm weather.

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Straw and Crash Hats and Caps,

linen dusters, childrens percale linen suits, alapaca and fine surge coats and vests for young and old.

All sizes knee pants pants from 3 to 15 years for 25c.

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and will meet this competition with square, honest footwear at prices which are *real* bargains, and we invite the people of Tecumseh and vicinity to come in and get our prices on strictly new

Not Smoky But Up-to-Date Footwear.

and be convinced that we mean what we say. We shall begin on

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1897.

By selling one lot of $2.50 shoes at $1.95.
" " " 3.00 " " 2.10.
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The balance of our elegant line of colored and low shoes will all go at 20 per cent discount We bid you welcome to come and get them while they last.

Always at your service,

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Tecumseh Herald.

MSEH. MICH., JULY 2, 1897.

PECIAL NOTICES.

HERS RENOVATED.—Get your hers Renovated and Upholstering done Bly's, second house west of Abner Chicago street, Tecumseh. All work ed. 2wk

RENT.—An office in James block. In e of Alfred James.

SALE OR RENT.—A cottage at Sand e. Enquire of S. P. HOSMER.

YED OR STOLEN.—From my farm, miles south of Addison, a bay mare with rehead; about 15½ hands high; shod all with bar shoes in front; age about 9 years. returning this mare to the owner, or formation of her whereabouts, will be rewarded. JOHN W. CRANDALL, P. O. Addison, Mich.

icks of candy for 5c at Mobbs'.

Linna Hall is home from school.

Conover returned to Ann Arbor y.

Wilson, of Owosso, was in town ay.

C. Ellis has been spending the s home.

Parrish and Ben Pulver visited nty seat yesterday.

Julia Hicks attended commence- xercises at Ypsilanti.

Walker will discontinue his visits nish until September.

mber the matinee tomorrow on at Bills' Driving Park.

Hillman and daughter Grace the Pacific coast Tuesday.

and Mrs. B. H. Jansen, of New have lost their little child.

t Spaulding went to Toledo yes- having secured a position there.

H. H. Bratton, of Cleveland, O., ting her cousin, Mrs. Dora

Graves and Miss Harriet Bidel- Adrian, were calling on friends y.

Marvin Pattison nee Boyd who ite sick the first of the week, oving nicely.

nd Mrs. Irve Kennedy go to er today to spend a few days r. and Mrs. Charles Burlingame.

Johnson of Logansport Ind., R. Bresie of Decatur Ill, were on friends the first of the week.

e Reese has severed his con- with the Central House, and as not decided what he will do.

Hattie Thornton who was visit- J. Peters and wife last week, re- to her home in Ypsilanti Mon-

nd Mrs. James Elliott had as over Sunday, her father Mr. Rainey and Mrs. Tho's Rainey Jr. mer.

Carrie Clowes, of Vicksburg, week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Jackson, returned to her home day.

Thomas Miller and son, of Wash- D. C. arrived Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and C. Tefft.

al line of fire-works at R. S. As the store will close Mon- one p. m., all are requested to heir supply at once.

n Burlingame has given up the for the National Bicycle Pro- Association and it has been red to Marshall Doolittle.

Carrie Millspaugh a former here but now of Chicago, arriv- rday and will spend the sum- h her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Hamilton.

Hawk, propietor of the Chinese , is now nicely settled in the owned by Thomas Elliott on reet, which some years ago he d.

SALE.—Two new $75 wheels at , one new $85 wheel at $40 cash second-hand ladies' wheel at . For particulars inquire at the office.

village board of health and ll Bidwell made a tour of in- through the business portion n yesterday and a thorough g of alleys and out buildings

P. R. Leek, of Somerset, visited ther, Frank Rising, from Friday Monday. Her arrival completed ily group. It was the first time ty years the sisters and brother n together.

Mabel Clements gave a charming k party at the home of Mr. and M. Sutton, Tuesday evening, at bout thirty were present. The were artistically illuminated de a lovely picture.

d Room Suits are bargains, $16.00
ter oak and polished Stand, 2.00
polished Stand, 1.50
strong oak Dining Chairs, 6.00
hed oak Dining Set, 7.00
ng Rocker, 1.00
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ollowing letter from Thomas B. is very interesting to the pub- f the HERALD, if to no one else: sed please find postoffice order for HERALD. Never stop the long as I live. It comes to me any letters from home and when I quit everything and read s from home and friends. We well and doing nicely; crops are good and fruit will be plenty. t Lake Ridge stop writing, as s our old home. May success perity go with the HERALD. as ever, Thos. B. Gould, East Jordan, Mich.

Co. "C" goes to Jackson tomorrow.

Alba Heywood tomorrow night, fun galore.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton was in Saline Saturday.

Read Karner Bros. war cry on the 4th page this week.

Why don't you try Mobbs & Co's 25c a lb. San Marto coffee.

Trunks and valises, just what you need, at Anderson & Rosacrans.'

John J. Orr has some of those noted Virginia cheroots or stogies 3 for 5 cts.

The bicycle and foot races tomorrow at the matinee will be close and exciting.

This month services at St. Peters Episcopal Church will be in the evening.

Mrs. Frank Russell and children left today for a visit with friends in Jackson.

Will Mobbs returned from Detroit Wednesday evening after a stay of several days.

The weather is no hotter than the bargains at Harris & Hiteshu's in summer goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Pittman, of Detroit, will occupy the DeWolf residence during the summer.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf, Misses Mae and Winnifred and Mrs. James are at their Sand Lake cottage.

There will be a meeting of the Blue lodge Wednesday evening July 7th, for third degree work.

Children's exercises at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Patriotic sermon in the morning.

Mrs. Carl Schnippie and daughter, of Battle Creek, are visiting her mother, Mrs. George Melody.

Miss Grace Gillespie has returned from Ypsilanti and will remain at home during the summer.

Miss Hazel Hoyt, of Battle Creek, is visiting grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross, this week.

Harry Pattison is having fine success as a bicycle instructor and is receiving new pupils every day.

Mrs. W. R. Wooden and daughter, Dorathea, are visiting relatives in Tecumseh for several days.

Miss Rose VanDeventer, of Cone, was the guest of her friend Miss Mary Lowry a few days this week.

Mrs. Fisher, nee Daglish of Brooklyn N. Y. is visiting at O. B. Finches and will remain some weeks.

W. C. Burridge, F. B. Wood, Lucius Lilley, Delos Whitenack and Mrs. Bordine, were in Adrian Monday.

Dr. R. I. Snell, of Detroit, and Mrs. J. A. Ellis of Petersburg, visited their brother, P. C. Snell, Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Aldrich and son Wilson left yesterday for a few days' visit with Will Spaulding and wife, at Toledo.

We are after smoked shoe sales. Notice the slashing in our "ad."
KARNER BROS.

I will be at the Lilley State Bank to collect corporation taxes every Friday in July. F. D. AVERY, Treas.

During the heated time beginning with next Sunday, the Episcopal Sunday School will be held at 9.30. A. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham Patterson entertained their son, James, and Miss Jennie Campbell, of Detroit, over Sunday.

Miss Louise Phelps and Miss Jennie Root attended the Michigan Music teachers Association at Detroit this week.

Tomorrow the children of the Reynolds and Anthony families will hold a reunion at the residence of B. F. Reynolds.

There will be no ball game tomorrow on account of the mattinee, and next Saturday our team go to Clinton for a game.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ide and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ide and families are spending the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. William Ide.

C. A. Slayton has received notice of an advance of 25c per ton on hard coal but he will supply some at present at six dollars.

Elliott Gray spent last Sunday in Coldwater, visiting Dr. and Mrs. Gamble. He reports a good time and that the doctor is prospering finely.

No. Art Harding's dray is not new but it has been in the hands of that celebrated artist, Bert Gray, and it looks better than when it was new.

Mrs. S. E. Parrish went to Lowell Wednesday for a visit with friends and to attend the wedding of her brother, Dr. R. R. Eaton, and Miss Margaret Tate, which occurs July 7.

We learn that the Clinton base ball management have arranged for two games tomorrow between a club from Jackson and the home team and two Monday with an Adrian team.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hodges and their son, who visited a few days at the home of their parents, took the D. & L. N. train Monday morning for Detroit, and from there will go by boat to Rochester, N. Y., where they will spend a month visiting relatives and friends.

Our stores will be closed Monday July 5, 1897, after one o'clock p. m. Please order your supplies early in the morning.

R. S. Moore	Anderson Bros,
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Mrs. Orphy Parkhurst, of Middleville, Mich., and her daughter, who is a teacher in the Detroit high school, visited at the home of the former's niece, Mrs. G. W. Jackson, for a few days and left Monday morning to visit at the home of their childhood, that of the late James Simonds, in Raisin township.

Bert Baker will be home over Sunday.

Mr. George Rubadou spent Sunday in Toledo with friends.

Walter Burnett and Miss Alice Temple are home from Albion.

Otto Bach and Ernest Mize have purchased wheels of Albert Lowry.

Miss Loana Davidson will spend the summer beneath the parental roof.

Mrs. Henry L. Crane of Indianapolis, is visiting Theodore Crane and family.

Grace Heesen has returned from Negaunee to spend the summer vacation.

Quite a number from here attended a service at Lake Ridge Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Blood of Toledo, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyde.

The races tomorrow afternoon will be hot. Some of the green ones will surprise you.

The Karner brothers went down home on their tamdem Sunday and back Monday.

Prof. I. D. Lofee and wife of Lawrence, VanBuren county, are guests of Mrs. Abbie Fisher.

Tickets for Alba Heywood Co. may be had at E. J. Peters', first door east of postoffice, 25 and 35 cts.

Miss Maggie Bauer of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peters from Saturday until Monday.

Comfort Chase and wife leave to-morrow for a few days visit with friends at Manchester and Iron Creek.

Frank J. Temple began his official duties as oil inspector, and yesterday he was called to Erie, Monroe county.

Will H. Millspaugh, who accompanied his sister and aunt, Mrs. Hamilton, here Saturday, returned home Monday.

Get a pair of those fine $3.00 shoes for $2.10, Saturday July 3rd, at
KARNER BROS.

Charles Snell was never so proud over winning a closely contested horse race, as he is over the arrival of a little daughter Monday evening.

Will J. Ingersoll is attending the Michigan State Bar meeting at Port Huron this week, he went Tuesday and expects to return to night.

The annual union C. E. Convention Lenawee county met at Addison Tuesday. Miss Alice Cutting, Tom Lowry and Rev. C. M. Brown attended from Tecumseh.

Al. J. Heesen, who, with his wife and child, came up last week for a visit with his people, returned to his home in Toledo Wednesday morning, leaving them for a longer stay.

F. J. Temple starts for Traverse City to-morrow morning to attend a meeting of the deputy oil inspectors which occurs Monday. The State inspector will be present.

Herbert Cranshaw who has been at the Exelby House barn, Britton for the past 10 years, is now working at the Central House barn, he began his duties Monday afternoon.

George S. Field and Lawrence Samsen, leave Monday morning for a southern trip. They will visit the Nashville Exposition and other points of interest, and be away about 10 days.

Remember the boys bicycle meet Wednesday afternoon July 7th at Bill's driving park at 2.30 p.m. The boys have arranged quite a program and the events will be interesting. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. Coller says close prices will persuade them to buy. In a week he closed sales on 5 sewing machines, 3 organs, 1 piano and 1 wheel. The names of the parties can be had by calling at the music store.

Sunday in the Universalist church. Morning: "A Nation's Independence." Sunday school at 12 M. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting at 6.30 P.M. Topic, "Upon what does the Future Glory of the Republic Depend."

Floyd Heesen's injuries from being ditched one evening while on his bike, were more serious than at first considered. These were aggravated by an attact of measles, and even now he is obliged to use a crutch.

Rev. J. P. Varner returned home Monday delighted with his trip to the pacific coast. He will preach next Sunday. At the close of the Conference year, the probabilities are that he will go to Laramie Wyoming.

Robert Elliott sold his fine trotting horse Startler to Robert Winch of Medina, Ohio, Tuesday for $300.00. Startler is a promising horse, and with proper handleing, will make some of the speedy ones hustle before the season ends.

S. E. Parrish has put out through the country a number of fine advertising signs. These signs have all been placed with permissfon, but some maliciously disposed persons have seen fit to destroy a number of them. The penalty for such work is severe.

Mrs. Maria Hixson of Clinton, was 97 years old Saturday and as has been the usual custom, the relatives here of this venerable lady went up and assisted her in celebrating the anniversary. They were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gamble and daughter Edith, Mrs. Rose of Addison, Albert Brewer, M. and Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Mrs. Thomas Cummins, Mrs. Hettie Brewer and son Raynor, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson, Mrs. Carrie Patterson, and Mrs. C. F. Patterson. It was a happy company, and the afternoon was one of great enjoyment. Mrs. Hixon whose mental faculties are as keen as ever, was in the best of spirits and entertained the company with songs and reminiscences and expressed a desire for a horse to ride, but the friends fearing it might exhaust her, prevailed on her to defer it for another year. The Clinton people spent an afternoon with this pioneer lady the first of the week and All hope she will live to pass the century mark.

Relay wheel, 1896 pattern, for sale cheap. LEON F. ROSACRANS.

Mrs. John A. Hughes is spending the week with Ann Arbor friends.

Will Baker was behind the counters at Parrish's drug store yesterday.

Mrs. Will Sisson and daughters are expected home from Blissfield tonight.

Ed Bliven of Blissfield has been helping Will Sisson keep bachelors hall this week.

Richard Cupples of Hamilton Ontario, is visiting among his old Tecumseh relatives and friends.

Roy Hughes has a position with the Home Insurance Co. of Detroit and left for there this morning.

Miss "Dot" Wooden of Battle Creek, Miss Lou Walker of Adrian, Roy Hinsdell of Elgin, and Lester Heesen, with Miss Loana Stacy as chaperon, are at Sand Lake to day.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Flick, of Bedford, Ohio, are guests of H. W. Stevens and family. Mrs. Flick, nee Fannie Arnold, was raised here and will spend some time among old friends.

The meeting of bicycle riders at Military square last evening was well attended by those who desired to ride, but few came back to perfect an organization. It is understood a meeting will be held next Thursday evening at the armory at 8 o'clock.

For many years scientists have endeavored to discover a process for the successful photography of natural colors, and it is really too bad that thus far all the experiments have been failures. A picture that would truthfully portray the different colors of P. W. A. Fitzsimmon's "bike" suit, red hat and all, would be a curiosity worth saving.

Saturday, while some of the lads were at Bill's track, training for the coming boys bicycle meet, Floyd Elliott while turning the track at full speed came in contact with some wire and was thrown to the ground, striking on his shoulder. When he gathered himself up, one shoulder was found to be dislocated, medical attendance was secured, the shoulder replaced and he is doing nicely.

The Blue Ribbon races, at Detroit, beginning July 13th, are exciting greater interest as the time approaches. The M & M and Chamber of Commerce stakes—24 entries in each—will be hotly contested. Among the many flyers to be there are the five horses that last year started out as green ones, and before the close of the season had records better than 2-10, one trotter and four pacers; Page 2.09 3-4, Brightlight 2.08 1-4, Heir at Law 2.07 1-2, Miss Jennings 2.08 1-4, and Planet 2.09 1-2. In the M & M stake there will be Anne Allerton by Allerton, Red Star by Red Wilkes, Starmont by Earlmont, Vida by Pilot Medium, Hazel McKinney by McKinney, and others equally as good. With the track better than ever before, sensational records are looked for in all events and each day has its special features.

CALL.

All persons interested in bicycle riding and good roads are requested to meet at the armory Thursday evening, July 8, for the purpose of perfecting an organization. Signed
ALFRED JAMES, S. W. ANDERSON,
C. A. SLAYTON, C. A. WRIGHT,
J. L. ANDERSON, GEO. HOWELL,
T. C. HARRIS, E. N. SATTERTHWAITE,
F. W. SAMSEN, P. W. A. FITZSIMMONS,
J. H. SMITH, C. E. WILLIAMSON,
ALVA SPAYDE, AUG. E. KARNER,
JAMES LOWRY.

Prizes for Boys' Bicycle Meet.

At the boys' bicycle meet next Wednesday afternoon the following prizes will be given:

One-half mile novice—1st, sweater, 2nd, catchers' mitt; 3rd, grips.

One mile open—1st, umbrella; 2nd, bicycle hose; 3rd, neck tie; 4th, bottle perfume.

Two mile handicap—1st, pair shoes; 2nd, bicycle hose; 3rd, bicycle pin.

Quarter mile dash—1st, sweater; 2nd, neck tie; 3rd, cement.

Half mile open—1st, lantern; 2nd, box candy; 3rd, bottle oil.

Two mile road race—Time prize, a wheel enameled and cleaned; 1st, wood handle bars; 2nd, bell; 3rd, toe clips; 4th lubricant.

The half mile novice, one mile open, two mile handicap and road race are for boys under 16 years, the others for those under 15 years.

Fourth of July Excursion Rates via Detroit & Lima Northern Ry.

Ticket agents of the Detroit & Lima Northern Railway will sell low rate excursion tickets July 3d, 4th and 5th, good returning until July 6th to any point within a radius of 200 miles from selling station. See D. & L. N. ticket agents for further particulars.

Annual Meeting National Educational Association, Milwaukee, Wis., July 6 to 9, 1897.

For this occasion the Wabash railroad will sell tickets to Milwaukee and return at one fare for the round trip, plus $2.00. For particulars, call on or write to any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

National Convention Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, San Francisco, July 7 to 12, 1897.

The Wabash railroad has made a very low rate from all stations to San Francisco and return for this occasion. For particulars, call on any agent of the Wabash or connecting lines.

—If you desire made to order garments which really fit and are made in first-class, workmanlike manner, and trimmed with the best tirmmings, call on J. C. Eccles, over U.S. express office. He will give you choice of 300 samples of goods to select from and guarantee low price and perfect fit.

The 4th of July,

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MICHIGAN CLASS DAY.

Exercises Are Held Under the Historic Tappan Oak.

Ann Arbor, June 30.—The students of the literary department of the University of Michigan held possession of the campus and the town all day. The class-day exercises Tuesday morning were held, according to custom, under the "Tappan oak." They began with the address of President Shirley Wheeler Smith, of Hastings. The oration was by Bayard Hoyt Ames, of Denver. Mr. Ames has achieved considerable prominence by winning the contest of the Northern Oratorical league for Michigan against Chicago, Northwestern, Wisconsin, Illinois and Oberlin. He chose for his subject "The College Man in Politics," and urged practical action by entering the primaries and taking up details of politics, instead of discussing the theories. Following this came the class poem, on "Temptation," by Arthur Maurice Smith, of Ionia. Then came the prophecy, by Miss Inez Christabel Perrin, of Detroit. The exercises closed with the presentation of the class memorial to the university by Irving Charles Woodward, of Iron Mountain. The class leaves a scholarship fund behind as its memorial.

Martin L. Dooge, who has held the position of dean of the literary department in the University of Michigan for almost a dozen years, resigned. The regents appointed Prof. Richard Hudson, of the chair of history, to succeed him. Prof. Dooge will continue in the chair of Greek language and literature, and only gives up the position of dean to lighten his work. The regents also made a change in the medical faculty by abolishing the assistant professorship of anatomy and appointing Dr. Yutsey as demonstrator of anatomy.

HORSE CLIMBS INTO A LOFT.

An Adrian Animal Has to Be Chloroformed to Get Down Again.

Adrian, June 28.—Mrs. Fannie P. Hill, of Merrick street, is the proud owner of a handsome bay horse. Mrs. Hill generally feeds the animal herself. When she went to the stable Sunday morning the horse was gone. A search of the barn revealed the presence of the equine in the loft. During the night the horse was seized with the pangs of hunger, and, breaking his halter, ascended a flight of ordinary narrow barn stairs to the hay loft, where he feasted to his heart's content. Mrs. Hill could not get the steed downstairs. So she sent for a veterinary. He administered a big dose of chloroform and the beast was then given a ride to the ground floor on a plank.

BANKER CONVICTED.

Jury at Ludington Finds Chester W. Comstock Guilty.

Ludington, June 26. — A verdict of guilty was reached here Friday night in the Chester W. Comstock embezzlement case which was transferred from Big Rapids here. This case is the first of three against the manager and president of the defunct Mecosta County savings bank. Comstock was accused of violating the state banking law by borrowing himself a large amount of the funds belonging to the bank; also loaning money indiscriminately to the directors and stockholders. He is a well-known lumber man.

Minnie Heidt Acquitted.

Mount Clemens, June 25. — The case of Minnie Heidt, who shot and killed her father near this city three weeks ago, came to a dramatic finish in the circuit court Thursday, when the prosecuting attorney arose and stated upon conclusion of the testimony that in his judgment the girl was clearly irresponsible and should be discharged from custody. The judge thereupon directed a verdict of acquittal, and the large audience broke into vigorous applause.

The Crops.

Washington, D. C., June 30. — The weekly crop bulletin says of the situation in Michigan: Splendid weather for work and fair for growth; corn and oats have good color, are much improved but backward. Wheat continues promising and is just beginning to turn; beans made good stand; corn and early potatoes about all cultivated. Clover haying well started and is heavy crop, but cures slowly; scarcely any damage from Monday's frost.

Killed by Lightning.

Cadillac, June 30.—Between two and three o'clock Tuesday morning the house of George Copeland was struck by lightning and his wife and sister and little child were instantly killed.

Howard City, June 30. — Lightning struck the house of J. Bandine at Stanwood at three o'clock Tuesday morning, burning it to the ground, killing one child ten years old and badly burning Mrs. Bandine and another child four years old.

Gifts to Hope College.

Holland, Mich., June 25. — One hundred thousand dollars, payable July 1, was raised by President Kollen for Hope college on a recent short eastern trip. The fact was kept secret until the closing moments of the graduating exercises Wednesday night. Helen M. Gould contributed $4,000, P. A. Voorheis $30,000, M. R. O'Neil $20,000 and Miss Graham $4,000.

Pioneers to Meet.

Angola, Ind., June 29.—Arrangements have been completed for a monster reunion of the pioneer settlers of southern Michigan and northern Indiana, at this place August 12. The speakers engaged are: Ex-Gov. Claud Matthews and Hon. John Morris, of Indiana, and ex-Gov. Cyrus G. Luce, and Hon. O. A. Janes, of Michigan.

Two Boys Drowned.

Ironwood, June 22.—Frank Hodge, aged 14, and Albert Peters, aged 11, both of this city, were drowned in Montreal river, west of Hurley.

Killed by the Cars.

Niles, June 21.—George E. Baird, of New Buffalo, was instantly killed by [illegible]

ROBBED A SAFE.

Students at Michigan Agricultural College Confess a Crime.

Lansing, Mich., June 29.—Post Office Inspector Larimour and Deputy United States Marshal Abels have been successful in unraveling the mystery surrounding the blowing open of the vault at the Michigan agricultural college April 6, when $2,300 in cash was stolen. The crime has been fixed on two students, members of prominent families. The government officials were brought into the case for the reason that Secretary Butterfield, in whose office the vault was located, was postmaster at the college, and a part of the plunder was post office money. The young men arrested are Clinton D. Butterfield, son of the college secretary, and G. Devere Miller, son of Dr. Carroll E. Miller, of Cadillac. Upon being arrested Miller promptly weakened and made a full confession. Butterfield admitted the truth of Miller's story.

It appears from the confession that the scheme was concocted previous to the spring vacation, and when returning from home after vacation Miller stopped at Grand Rapids and purchased dynamite and a fuse. Young Butterfield knew the combination to the vault, and, being familiar with his father's business, knew also that large sums of money were paid in by students at the commencement of the spring term. He waited until the largest sum in years was in the vault and then the job was done. Butterfield unlocked the vault and aided in taking the money. After he had departed to his room with the cash Miller placed the dynamite and lighted the fuse, which was so long that both boys had time to get to bed before the explosion took place.

Butterfield is but 19 and Miller 20 years of age, and neither had ever before been guilty of any serious wrongdoing. The young men have been held in bonds of $2,500 to the United States court for trial. Butterfield gave up $700 which he had secreted in a vacant room in the college dormitory and Miller handed the officers $860 which he had buried in the cellar of his home in Cadillac. The deficit will be made good by the boys' fathers.

STATE TROOPS.

Will Hold an Encampment at Port Huron July 4 and 5.

Port Huron, June 29.—The annual encampment of the state troops at Island Lake in August will be preceded by an encampment of about 13 companies in this city July 4 and 5. Company F members in this city are making extensive preparations for the gathering of the boys in blue, and incidental to the encampment there will be a big military parade on Monday, July 5. Companies will be here from Saginaw, Flint, Bay City, Alpena, Cheboygan, Owosso, of the Third regiment, and the Detroit light infantry, of the Fourth regiment. Also the Naval Reserves, of Detroit and Saginaw, and the Woodmen light infantry of this city. The camp will probably be named after this city's mayor, Maj. Boynton, and will be of great benefit to the boys in the way of preparation for the regular encampment of the brigade.

Big Lumber Shipment.

Muskegon, June 27.—The propeller Mary A. McGregor finished unloading 650,000 feet of lumber at the Chicago & West Michigan dock Friday, the first shipment of 7,000,000 feet to be brought from Duluth to this city and from here shipped to Rowson Bros. & Clark, of Grand Rapids. The shipment made 40 car loads and it was sent to the Grand Rapids firm in lots of ten cars. It will require several months to bring all of the lumber down and its transfer here will give regular employment to a large number of men. The shipment is the most important one here in years.

Killed by a Random Shot.

South Haven, Mich., June 29.—Samuel Ketchum, of Kalamazoo, was shot Sunday night by his nephew, Bertie Haynes. The bullet struck him in the shoulder, cutting an artery, and before help could be secured he bled to death. He was with some friends in a summer cottage, and some one was throwing water into the house. Haynes was on guard with a gun and shot without meaning to hit anyone. He was exonerated.

Delegates Named.

Lansing, June 26. — Gov. Pingree has appointed the following delegates to the annual meeting of the national conference of corrections and charities, to be held at Toronto, commencing July 7: Milo D. Campbell, Coldwater; G. W. Bement, Lansing; Rabbi Grossman, E. W. Gibson, Mrs. Agnes L. d'Arcambal and Mrs. Stephen Baldwin, Detroit; Harvey J. Hollister, Grand Rapids.

Shocking Accident.

Saginaw, June 25.—A shocking accident occurred at Zilwaukee Thursday afternoon. Little four-year-old Elmer Sager, who lived with his grandfather, Joseph Spatler, on a farm near that village, fell on a scythe blade, and his body was nearly severed from the hips. The child died in a few minutes from loss of blood.

Old Soldier Dead.

Kalamazoo, June 26. — Gen. George W. Harrington died Thursday, aged 60. He was born in Waterloo, N. Y. He fought in the civil war, was a Libby prisoner and was made general after the battle of Gettysburg. Gen. Harrington was prominent in G. A. R. circles; was once exalted ruler and treasurer of the Elks.

To Be Paid in Full.

Edwardsburg, June 29.—The depositors of the defunct Citizens' bank, of this place, will be paid the balance due them at once, to prevent suits being brought against the stockholders, to force the liquidation of the claims of the depositors. The bank was wrecked by the absconding of Cashier Kleckner.

Banker Passes Away.

Constantine, June 18. — Charles W. Cond, aged 74, Constantine's wealthiest citizen, died here Wednesday night. He was president of the Farmers' national bank and had been in business here since 1857.

CYCLISTS AND COLD BATHS.

A Physician's View as to the Proper Time to Indulge.

A physician, who is himself a wheelman of several years' experience and who has also devoted great attention to other athletics, lays down this general proposition: "Never take a cold bath when you are tired." He points out that the greater the exercise the more poisonous waste material is created, and that a cold bath does not assist the skin in getting rid of this product, whereas a warm bath does. The doctor adds:

"When you take a cold bath you depend upon the heart to bring about reaction. If this heart be already tired by the long ride it may not be strong enough to bring about reaction, and the blood and its waste material may not be brought to the surface. Internal congestions may follow, and, as I have seen in two cases, death may ensue. It matters not how hot you may be, how much you may be perspiring, the cold bath is harmless provided always the heart be not tired. A simple rule for the bicyclist, whereby he may know whether the heart be tired is simply to count the pulse, having in a previous quiescent state ascertained what his individual pulse rate per minute is. When, after a long ride, his pulse rate is normal he may with safety use the cold bath. He should, therefore, rest after a tiresome journey until the pulse is normal or thereabouts, say even ten beats per minute faster than normal, or what is far better, get into a tepid bath, one neither very hot nor very cold. When he has remained in the warm water long enough for the pulse rate to be about normal, he can then, with perfect safety, plunge into cold water, and these two procedures form the ideal way of using water on the surface after fatigue."

MUSCLE-MAKING FADS.

Exercises That Keep Athletic Girls Abreast of Their Brothers.

The fad for fencing at home has led many a girl to set up in the privacy of her father's residence a private gymnasium, or, as she prefers to dub it, an "armory," where she practices with the aid of an instructor and in company with a few of her intimate friends, says an eastern exchange.

Many a girl can do her trick on the flying rings or the parallel bar in a manner that makes her college-bred brother hustle for his laurels. And he'll have to hustle still more when the glorious May days come and she can show the result of her secret training on the golf links and the tennis court.

The Vassar girls and students at other of the famous women colleges and co-educational institutions have established gymnasium classes and are hard at work preparing for the coming summer. The Wellesley girls train with a special view of developing the muscles, necessary to become expert at the oars, and their famous fours and eights are expected to beat all records this season.

Bowling has its devotees, and many of the fair sex have proved themselves experts on the alleys.

The most usual place for practicing bowling is at some of the large athletic clubs, which generally have one day in the week, known as "ladies' day."

BURMESE GIRLS.

Gossiping and Flirting as They Fill Their Jars at the Well.

In every household the daughter has her appointed work. In all but the richest merchants' houses the daughter's duty is to bring the water from the well evening and morning, says Blackwood's Magazine. It is the gossiping place of the village, this well, and as the sun sets there come running down all the girls of the village. As they fill their jars they lean over the curb and talk, and it is here that are told the latest news, the latest flirtation, the latest marriage, the little scandal of the place. Very few men come. Water carrying is not their duty, and there is a proper time and place for flirtation. So the girls have the well almost to themselves.

Almost every girl will weave. In every house there will be a loom, where the girls weave their dresses and those of their parents. And very many girls will have stalls in the bazar. Other duties are the husking of the rice and the making of cheroots. Of course, in the richer households there will be servants to do all this, but even in them the daughter will frequently weave, either for herself or for her parents. Almost every girl will do something, if it be only to pass the time.

HE HAD NERVE.

The Average Drummer Wouldn't Be in It with This Young Man.

"Talk about the drummer having gall," said the man who had paid for the last round, reports the Pittsburgh News, "the worst case I ever heard of was in a plain, everyday country boy. He was wild, and got into so many scrapes at home that his folks sent him out west. He disappeared for a year or two, and in the meantime got married. My wife and I went west for our honeymoon, and on a train about 100 miles from Tacoma I found this country boy in the car sitting beside a big, stout, coarse man. Bill, the boy, had the other fellow shackled to him. He recognized me, and began inquiring after the folks at his home. After awhile he said:

"'I'm getting along all right. Folks up here, where I am, think so well of me they made me sheriff. I'm just taking this chap down to the pen. Oh, yes; I've reformed, and you can tell the folks so when you get back. I don't have time to write them.'

"When my wife went ahead into the sleeping car the coarse, stout man turned to me, asked if I knew Bill's folks, and when I said I did, he replied: 'Wall, tell them what you please, but I'm the sheriff.'"

CHINESE OBSTACLES.

Evil Spirits Which Must Be Driven Out.

If a house is to be repaired wonderful forethought is necessary. The evil spirits which are supposed to occupy each dwelling that mortals have inhabited cause the carpenter no end of trouble and no trifling expense, says Lippincott's. First, an astrologer must be consulted with regard to the most lucky day for beginning the work; then a square suspended from the ridge-beam is a notification to the spirits of darkness that their dwelling-place is to be disturbed, wherefore the square thing for them to do is to move out quietly and peacefully. Next the carpenters make offerings to these unseen residents. These gifts seem to say: "If you please, spirits of darkness, accept this bribe and speedily take your flight."

Next the neighbors must be warned that these evil influences are about to be turned loose, perhaps to seek shelter under a neighboring roof. Every house on that street receives a notice that upon a certain day and hour repairs are to begin on the dwelling of Ah Sin. Each household can then pay the imps not to enter their doorway, but to go to the next neighbor.

Even the farmer cannot begin his work in the spring until after the national festivals are celebrated in honor of the special gods who are supposed to make it their particular business to look after the welfare of those who till the soil. In a land where more than 100,000,000 people are supported by agriculture, where many farms have been in cultivation for three or even four milleniums, we naturally expect to find skill in that line of work. In this we are not disappointed, for Chinese farming is scientific handwork.

MATRIMONY AND MENNONITES.

The Minister Does the Proposing for the Girl's Hand.

When a Mennonite young man desires to marry a Mennonite young woman, instead of telling her about it he confides in the minister. If the latter thinks well of the proposed match he informs the young woman and generally devotes considerable time to pleading the case of the lovesick swain, since it is considered somewhat indelicate for the woman to yield too easily. Even after their engagement the minister conducts most of the negotiations leading up to the marriage ceremony.

This always takes place in a church, to which everybody is entitled to admission on the wedding day without invitation. Two weeks before the wedding the "banns" are called from the pulpit and during that fortnight the bride and groom are allowed to meet without the presence of a third party. The first portion of the ceremony consists of a sermon, generally on some such subject as the duties of husband and wife. One such sermon preached at a wedding last summer lasted about two hours, although the minister announced in the beginning that because of the hot weather he would "be brief." At the close of the sermon the contracting parties, who had been seated on opposite sides of the church, walked to the altar, where they answered affirmatively a series of questions and were pronounced man and wife. Then they returned to their seats on opposite sides of the auditorium and the regular services of the day were resumed.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SWING BRIDGE

Curious Engineering Structure at the Mouth of the River Nervion.

At the mouth of the river Nervion, which flows into the Bay of Biscay between Portugalete and Las Arenas, a curious engineering structure has been erected within the last few years to transport passengers, cattle and vehicles without interfering with the river traffic. It consists, says the Manchester Guardian, of a couple of towers 200 feet high, one on each bank; from these a bridge is suspended by chains at a height sufficient to clear the masts of vessels—that is, nearly 150 feet above the water level of the spring tides. This bridge carries a line of rails on which a trolley is pulled to and fro by an engine on the Las Arenas or northern side. With it goes a car, hung by steel cables, in which the passengers take their seats. This is not wound up to the top, but stays at the level of the quays. Thus the transit is effected quickly and regularly, without the delay inseparable from a swing bridge. A similar "pont transbordeur" is to be set up over the Seine near Rouen by a French company. In general appearance it will resemble the Spanish one, and if equally successful will probably lead to the application of the principle elsewhere. It seems odd that for such a simple and useful device engineers should have to go to Spain.

One Way to Cure Green Reporters.

The Albany Journal tells a story of two green reporters, Englishmen, who were sent by the city editor of a certain newspaper to a suburban town to write up the burning of an orphan asylum. Late that night when the news editor was wondering why no "copy" about the fire was coming by wire, a telegraph messenger rushed in and handed him a dispatch. He opened it and read:

"Dear sir—We are here. What shall we do?"

It was signed with the names of the two men sent to "write up" the fire.

The news editor made a few remarks, which, while they were appropriate to the occasion, would not look well in print; then he wrote on a telegraph blank this brief message:

"Find out where the fire is hottest, and jump in."

A Russian Joke.

One reads in a Russian periodical which has a corner devoted to the "comic," this pleasantry: "What, Vanyousha, drunk again? I thought you only got drunk on the great holidays?" "To-day is a great holiday; my mother-in-law has gone away."

TOWN TALK.

The Public Aroused During the Past Week.

Crowds of People Called at C. A. Wright's Drug Store, to Get Free Samples of

DR. HOBBS SPARAGUS KIDNEY PILLS.

Hundreds Now Testing the Remedy in this Vicinity.

NOW FOR RESULTS.

An intense interest was created in this vicinity by the announcement in last week's issue, that a free package of Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills would be given away to any person who would call and ask for it at C. A. Wright's Drug Store.

This interest was shown by the unexpectedly numerous calls made at the above store. Many of the callers, who are sufferers from kidney complaints, expressed their astonishment at the offer to make no charge for the samples. Heretofore, the practice of medicine proprietors is to require pay in advance, and let the afflicted take the chance of cure.

The proprietors of Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills are reversing this practice, preferring to exercise the golden rule of "doing to others as they would be done by."

They believe, because it has been demonstrated in every instance, that if those affected with kidney troubles once try these pills, they will be convinced of their great merit, and get well by their use.

For this reason they made arrangements with Mr. Wright to freely distribute as many sample boxes as should be called for, during the last seven days. Everyone who asked for a box was given it free of charge.

Some of those calling for packages, have expressed themselves as follows: "The science of medicine has certainly advanced when the proprietors of a remedy can stake so much upon a free and universal test of its merits." "The honest and straightforward manner in which the medicine is offered for trial, gives me confidence to use it. I hope it will prove helpful." "Dr. Hobbs' announcement that he has made a great discovery which will cure and build up the kidneys, and his offer to prove it free of charge is a novel proposition, and gives me great hope of relief." "This is certainly a fair proposition. I have everything to win and nothing to lose."

Many will be curious to know what are the results of the tests of these pills now going on in the neighborhood. It is a little too soon to look for results, probably another week will make them known. If those getting the samples have faithfully followed the directions, they will be encouraged to persevere in their use.

It is gratifying to learn that wherever similar distributions have taken place, there has followed a large sale of the remedy, and many letters of gratitude have been written by those who have regained lost health.

Every person who knows or suspects that his kidneys or urinary passages are affected; every person who has any of the following symptoms, should make a test of these pills without delay, viz:—Pains in the Back or Sides, Headache, Nervousness, Frequent Thirst, Shortness of Breath, Puffiness of the Eyelids, Swelling of the Feet and Ankles, Dark Colored or Scanty Urine, with albuminous or other deposits in the urine, or too frequent urination.

For the benefit of interested persons, living out of town who, from any reason, failed to get a sample Dr. Hobbs authorizes us to say, if you will cut out the coupon below and mail it to the Hobbs Remedy Co., Chicago, Ill., with your name and address, a sample box of these pills will be sent you by mail, postpaid, and free of expense.

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Chicago, Ill.

Freight for B. & O.

Lansing, June 19.—The Baltimore & Ohio railroad is about to obtain a valuable feeder from the peach belt of Michigan. The St. Joseph Valley and the Benton Harbor and Southeastern railroads have been consolidated and their articles filed with the railroad commissioner set forth a contemplated extension of the road from Benton Harbor to Napanee, Ind., where it will form a junction with the Baltimore & Ohio.

Copper from the Pewabic.

Alpena, June 20.—The steamer Root arrived here Saturday with a barrel of copper from the wreck of the lost Pewabic. This is conclusive proof that the long lost ship has been found. The copper is in nuggets and weighs 150 pounds. The diver says the hull of the Pewabic is broken up and that for a radius of 15 feet around the boat the copper and iron of her cargo can be seen in large quantities.

Rev. Barnum Dead.

Decatur, June 21.—Rev. Theodore P. Barnum, one of the best known Methodist pastors in central Michigan and prominent in state odd fellow circles, is dead at Perry, Shiawassee county.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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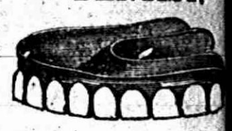

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Wabash Line.

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

...tic Express	6:13 a. m.
...York and Boston Limited	7:32 a. m.
...ot Accommodation	4:06 p. m.
...York Express	9:00 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

...e Express	12:47 a. m.
...y Accommodation	10:10 a. m.
...go Limited	3:44 p. m.
...is Express	5:15 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 341 Accom.
...Lv	6 55 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	10 20 P.M.
	6 53 "	2 13 "	1 10 "
	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 58 "
	7 28 "	3 53 "	2 35 "
	7 38 "	3 15 "	2 05 "
Ar	8 15 "	3 45 "	3 30 "
	16 45 "	6 20 "	.....
	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 25

...315 arrives in Chicago at 3 00 p. m.
...335 " " 11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 342 Accom.
.....	8 09 A.M.	5 20 P.M.	.....
.....	7 45 "	7 50 "	.....
.....	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
.....	9 05 "	9 19 "	7 38 "
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Passenger	11:59 p. m.
Passenger	6:02 p. m.
Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
Passenger	6:46 a. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:42 a. m.
Passenger	4:07 p. m.
Local Freight	10:02 a. m.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45.
	P. M.	P.M.	A.M.	A. M.
...Lv.	† 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
...h	1 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
	1 13	6 45	10 48	5 03
	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
...R. Ry.				
...Lv.			2 30	8 20
			4 50	10 30
...Ar.			9 30	3 40
			P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
...Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 30		† 12 40
...h	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
	9 32	2 20	8 47	10 48
...Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
...R. Ry.				A.M.
...Ar.		11 30	5 15	
...Lv.		9 25	3 00	
		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

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G. R. HASKELL,
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...periments with Potatoes.

...riments conducted on Long Island ...the New York station for the ...of comparing the relative profit ...using 1,000 pounds and 2,000 ...of commercial fertilizer per ...potatoes showed the smaller ...y to be the more profitable and ...the single application of 2,000 ...per acre, 25 per cent. more ..., 65 per cent. more potash and ...ive times as much phosphoric ...re added to the soil, as were ...in two crops. This indicates ...heavy applications of improper ...xed fertilizers may result in ...loss on Long Island and elsewhere.—Agricultural Epitomist.

The Width of Rows.

...nting corn, cotton, potatoes, ...fact, all horse-hoed crops, the ...uld be placed far enough apart ...it the free use of improved ...ols, and close enough to enable ...ls to thoroughly work the entire ...ce between rows without an ...sage to "cut out the middles." ...ed crops a little drawing to ...f the rows and a corresponding ...ning of spaces between plants ...n give a more equal distribution ...s a better chance to do best ...h the cultivator.—Agricultural ...t.

FULL OF INTEREST.

Much Information to Be Found in the Paragraphs Below.

A box factory employing 100 hands will be located at Thompsonville within 60 days.

Farmers around Glendora, Berrien county, have completed a cooperative creamery.

The Maccabees of Van Buren county will hold their annual picnic at South Haven, August 11.

The population of Jackson prison is now 844, the largest since the removal of convicts to Ionia and Marquette.

Frost ruined many patches of potatoes and beans on low grounds in the vicinity of Davison.

Ann Arbor's mayor has vetoed the bonds of the new State Telephone company, and its work is temporarily checked in that city.

The spiritualists of southern Michigan will hold their annual camp meeting at Manitou station, Devil's lake, July 10 to 26 inclusive.

Receiver Weadock, of the First national bank of East Saginaw, says that further dividends are in sight for the creditors of that institution.

Inspector-General Case says that all of the military companies he has inspected so far in the lower peninsula show signs of improvement.

Forty thousand pounds of wool has been marketed at Decatur this season, a considerably less amount than shipped from there in former years.

Growers of peppermint around Bangor estimate that the late severe frosts will result in a decrease of one-third in the expected yield of oil in that vicinity.

Haying has begun in the southern part of the state and in another week will be in full blast. The crop will be a large one this year on account of the plenteous rainfall.

Convict Blackman, who killed his mother and sister at Pontiac 20 years ago, and who four years ago killed Contractor Cuddy, has been sent to the asylum for the criminally insane at Ionia.

Another election will be held at Grand Haven July 10 to vote on the question of bonding the town for $10,000 for the erection of a new school building. The proposition was defeated at an election held a short time ago.

Strawberries are in great abundance in Dimondale, Eaton county, and are selling at three to four cents a box, and the season has just commenced. There seem to be very few apples and cherries through the country.

TRAMPS TERRORIZE A TOWN.

Knights of the Road Run Things to Suit Themselves in Stevensville.

Benton Harbor, June, 29.—Stevensville, a small town near here, is terrorized by a gang of 200 tramps. One of the party was arrested and the others broke into the jail and released him. Soon after another man was captured and his friends attempted to release him, but were held at bay by the marshal, village president and citizens with revolvers until he could be transferred to the county jail. The men steal chickens, pigs and calves and commit other depredations, so that citizens are afraid to be out after dark. Numerous holdups and burglaries in the vicinity are credited to the tramps.

Made Good Scores.

Detroit, June 30.—At the opening of the Michigan Trap Shooters' league at the Rush House grounds Tuesday ten events were shot off. The team race for Michigan men was won by the River Rouge Gun club, making the second time this club has won the match. In the "E. C." handicap W. M. Thompson, of Jackson, with an allowance of three birds, made a score of 48 and won. In the 15-bird sweepstakes Graham, Waruf, Snow, Renick, Merrill and Thompson made straight scores once or more, and Parker Walton, Bush, Brady, Spross, Widdecomb, Wood, Marks Bousfield and Davis, with the above, in one or more events, missed but one bird.

Aged Lawyer Dead.

Kalamazoo, June 26.—J. M. Edwards, the oldest living attorney in this city, and a law partner of Hon. N. H. Stewart, died Thursday night. He was at one time a law partner of United States Senator Charles E. Stuart, Gen. Dwight May and State Supreme Judge Sherwood. He became famous 30 years ago when, as justice of the peace, he incurred the enmity of the saloon element during a heated whisky war in this city. His house was set on fire, and other depredations committed on his property, and his life threatened several times.

In a Receiver's Hands.

Jackson, June 27. — The Jackson Street railway was placed in the hands of W. A. Foote as receiver Saturday night. The road has been in a dilapidated condition for some time and negotiations for its sale have been in progress, but they have fallen through. Saturday afternoon the Fidelity Loan and Trust company commenced foreclosure proceedings to protect bonds of the road held by the company amounting to $15,000, on which interest amounting to $4,000 is due and unpaid.

Pipe Clogged with Fish.

Muskegon, June 25.—For two years the city pumping station at North Muskegon has run without interruption or accident. A few days ago, however, the pumps refused to work and an examination of the intake pipe was made. It was found clogged with fish, including several mammoth catfish, besides perch, bass and others. It required two days and nights for a force of men to clean it out. The intake pipe extended into Bear lake.

To Wed on the Street.

Benton Harbor, June 29.—A young couple from Stevensville have consented to be publicly married on the streets of this city on July 3 as one of the features of the celebration. A $50 range, five gallons of ice cream, two paid-up insurance policies, and numerous minor articles will be bestowed upon them.

HAY STACK COVER.

It Keep the Hay Bright Clear Up to the Boards.

Herewith is presented a sketch of a stack cover which we saw a neighbor using and afterwards used ourselves with very satisfactory results, for upon removing the cover the hay is found nice and bright clear up to the boards. There is usually a little damaged hay at lower edges of cover, but the loss here is slight.

The stack is made in the form of a rick of any desired length, as several lengths of boards may be used. It should be well balanced; the hay should, if possible, be pitched on to stack from both sides. In topping out, bring up to sharp ridge and tramp well along center. In good weather it is

COVER FOR HAY STACK.

best to let stand a few days, then retop and cover. Cover is made of boards one by twelve inches, ours were 14 feet long. Bevel the edge of one board and nail it and another together in the form of a well-spread triangle, using ten-penny nails. If not spread sufficiently, nail well and jump up and down on top of it. Have an attendant take one end, you take the other, carry up on ladders and lay on center of stack. Carry another board up in the same manner; or, better, have some one pass it up to you, slip edge under first board, lapping two inches or less, and nail. Now move around to opposite side of stack, put one up there, and so on till roof is wide as you want it. Pass wires over top and weight down heavily with rocks. Don't leave it any time without weighting, for the wind can remove a roof of this kind in much less time than it took to put it on. Watch the stack closely and don't let it get started tipping, for if it does the weight on top will pull it over rapidly. —George T. Pettit, in Agricultural Epitomist.

WOMEN ON FARMS.

Extent of the Help Which New England Wives Give.

The women are true helpmeets. Not only do they do their own work, but they are able and willing to milk the cows and assist with the hay-getting and in other ways lend a hand out of doors in emergencies. Some of them even eke out the family income by little ventures of their own, such as raising hens and bees and gathering and marketing spruce gum, beechnuts and blueberries. There is no servant girl problem, because there are no servants. When sickness or some other real disability necessitates female help in the household a neighbor's daughter is called in. She is, of course, regarded, and in every minutest particular treated, as a member of the family; it could not be otherwise. The children are trained to bear their share of the family burden, so far as it can be done without interfering with their schooling, and the very school terms are arranged with a view to conflicting as little as possible with farm work. When the children grow up many of them go out into the world to seek their fortunes (that, within reasonable limits, is a law of nature), but there is nothing like an exodus of the rising generation, no approach to a depletion. Plenty of ambitious, vigorous young men stay behind to arrange themselves in life as their fathers did before them, chopping in the woods winters and tilling the few acres they have been able to purchase with their winters' savings summers. Furthermore, there are plenty of desirable young women happy and proud to cast their lots in with the young men and do their share of the drudgery necessary to establishing a home. Thus new farms are cleared out of the woodland and the old farms are kept up.—Atlantic.

Fatally Burned.

Decatur, June 8.—James Wood was fatally burned and Mrs. Thomas Bloomfield seriously injured at Deerfield by a gasoline explosion.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1897, and on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 29th day of May, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

DAN'L T. HALL,
FRED'K B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

Dated, May 24th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 28th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Coryell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Addison Coryell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and praying that his final account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 66 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 50 links (7.50) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 6 chains and 13 links (6.13) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson; then between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 89 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 18 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 25-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said northline of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1853 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 360 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1853; thence east along said Hillman's south line 333 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southwesterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence nor h along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bee to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said nor h line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a par. of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 21 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 83-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line nor h 86¾ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48¾ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 3 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of nor heast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 38 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 18-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER,
Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.

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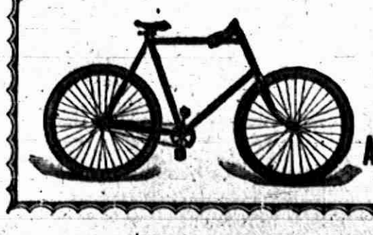

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GRANT AS A BOY.

He Was Unusually Determined, Resourceful and Resolute.

Some of the good people of Georgetown, Ripley and Batavia go far in their attempt to show how very ordinary Ulysses Grant was, says Hamlin Garland in McClure's. A boy of 13 who could drive a team 600 miles across country and arrive safely; who could load a wagon with heavy logs by his own mechanical ingenuity; who insisted on solving all mathematical problems himself; who never whispered or lied or swore or quarreled; who could train a horse to pace or trot at will; who stood squarely upon his own knowledge of things without resorting to trick or mere verbal memory—such a boy, at this distance, does not appear "ordinary," stupid, dull or commonplace. That he was not showy or easily valued was true. His unusualness was in the balance of his character, in his pose, in his native judgment and in his knowledge of things at first hand.

Even at 16 years of age he had a superstition that to retreat was fatal. When he set hand to any plan or started upon any journey he felt the necessity of going to the turn of the lane or to the end of the furrow. He was resolute and unafraid always—a boy to be trusted and counted upon—sturdy, capable of hard knocks. What he was in speech he was in grain. If he said: "I can do that," he not merely meant that he would try to do it, but also that he had thought his way to the successful end of the undertaking. He was, in fact, an unusually determined and resourceful boy.

Weight of Men and Women.

The average weight of 20,000 Boston men was 142 pounds; women, 125 pounds. At Cincinnati the average of the same number of men was 154 pounds; women, 131.

Manufacture of Explosives.

More than 10,000 persons are engaged in the manufacture of explosives in Great Britain. Last year 40 persons in the business were killed and 167 injured by accidents.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning All Roads Running Through Tecumseh.

Conductor Patterson is off for a week's vacation.

A gang of painters is at work painting the railroad bridge at Sutton's.

Freight business on the L. S. & M. S. is booming. Special every night.

A special train will leave Jackson over the L. S. & M. S. Monday evening, July 5.

A union S. S. excursion from Leipsic, O., to Devil's Lake passed through Tecumseh Wednesday. Sixteen coaches, all crowded.

All this week a large force of workmen and two gravel trains have been at work filling the sink hole back of the Prairie Side celery farm on the D. & L. N. On Tuesday all traffic over the line from Tecumseh to Adrian was suspended, but since then the trains have been running regularly. This morning the report is that the dirt has stopped sinking.

All the Way from the Missouri River to Buffalo the Wabash Railroad Operates Trains over its own Tracks.

Having leased the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway between Detroit and Suspension Bridge, and those of the Erie R. R from Suspension Bridge to Buffalo, the Wabash R. R. will run its own trains from Kansas City, Omaha, Des Moines, St. Louis, Quincy, Hannibal, Keokuk and Chicago to Buffalo, being the only road from Missouri and Mississippi River points having its own line and trains running into Buffalo. Through cars from Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago to Buffalo without change.

SPEND THE GLORIOUS 4th OF JULY ON THE WABASH.

Low Rate Round-Trip Tickets will be sold between all stations on the Wabash Line, within 200 miles, July 3, 4 and 5, 1897, good returning July 6, 1897. Particulars can be had of any Ticket Agent.

For Your Vacation

Buy one of the cheap excursion tickets to Chautauqua Lake sold by agents of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. on July 2nd and August 2nd. Inquire of ticket agents.

Tecumseh Price Current.

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail
Butter	9	11
Eggs	7	10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 60
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Potatoes, per bushel		25
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 75	00 4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6 8	
Turkeys	9 10	
Hides, Green	5	
Sheep Pelts	15 25	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	60	to 70
Corn, shelled	23	23
Corn in ear	13	18
Oats	17	19
Hay, timothy, per ton		7 00
Hay, clover, per ton		6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100		70

LITERARY NOTES.

Demorest's Magazine for July is a Victorian Diamond Jubilee number, and besides numerous portraits of the queen, representing her at different ages, it contains an interesting biography of Her Majesty which is very valuable.

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Harper's Bazar of July 3d will contain the first of an interesting series on "Colonial Homes and Life," by Helen Evertson Smith, entitled "A Pioneer Home in Connecticut;" an article on "Patriotism and Manners," by Viola Roseboro'; and "The Trials of a City-Bred Young Married Couple," by Anna Wentworth Sears.

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Walter Crane has given a charming quality to his article on "William Morris," in July Scribner's, because of a fine artistic sympathy with Morris's aims, and through personal friendship, which began in 1870. It is the best interpretation of Morris that has appeared. The illustrations give some entirely new specimens of Morris's designs—several of them unfinished when he died.

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The Midsummer number of The Chautauquan appears in one of the most attractive and appropriate covers seen among the magazines this season. The artistic adornment is a picturesque scene on Chautauqua Lake, surrounded by graceful and suggestive emblems of the C. L. S. C.'s fair birthplace, all in shades of cool, delicate green and brown which complete the effect of daintiness and finish.

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Mr. Edward Cary, of the New York Times, contributes to the American Monthly Review of Reviews for July a character sketch of President Seth Low, a former mayor of Brooklyn, and now the most prominent candidate for the mayorship of the Greater New York. Portraits and other illustrations accompany Mr. Cary's article, which is the most complete account of Mr. Low's career that has ever appeared.

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Alvan F. Sanborn, who has made a study of the social conditions of rural New England, writes, in the July Atlantic on The Future of Rural New England. He describes a community which has been drained by emigration to the cities and which is dead. He discusses the possibility of reclaiming such communities by the reflex movement from the city to the country and by the incoming of cheaply living immigrants.

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The leading article in the July Harper's is "Sheridan's Ride," by Gen. Geo. A. Forsyth, U. S. A., who was one of Sheridan's two aides, and is the only survivor. Among other important bits of historical fact, General Forsyth relates that though he was constantly with his chief, he failed to hear that terrible oath which in prose and verse has always been attributed to him. Nevertheless it is safe to predict that hero-worshipping humanity will cherish its belief in the "touch of nature," in spite of the hard facts of history.

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The magazine women need is Table Talk, the acknowledged American authority upon culinary and household topics. The July issue contains a description of "Some Pretty Luncheons," by Mrs. Burton Kingsland; gives "Seasonable Canning and Preserving," as well as other recipes and menus by leading authorities. It also contains an article on "Summer Vegetables," by Miss Cornelia C. Bedford. Send for a sample copy of this unique housekeepers guide, which is offered free, to any of our readers who send their name and address to Table Talk Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Harper's Weekly of July 3 will contain the first instalment of E. F. Benson's novel of the Greek war of independence, "The Vintage," which is said to be not only timely in theme, but in spirit and in episodes curiously like the experiences of the Greeks in their recent war with the Turks. Among the pictorial features in the same number of the Weekly there will be a double-page drawing, by Zogbaum, of the reading of the Declaration of Independence to the American troops on the New York Common, July 19, 1779, and an illustration of the celebration of "Veterans' Day" at the Tennessee Centennial Exhibition.

The Detroit & Lima Northern Railway Co.—The New Short Line.

Making direct connections between Detroit and Lima and all important points, north, south, east and west and Canada, running elegant vestibule trains with observation parlor cars between Detroit and Jackson, O. For full information regarding tickets, etc., apply to any D. & L. N. ticket office or write C. A. Chambers, G. P. A., 126 Griswold St., Detroit, Mich.

Chautauqua Lake Excursions.

On July 2nd and August 2nd, 1897, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Chautauqua and return at about half rates. Those sold on former date will be good to return until August 2nd and the latter until August 31st. A beautiful illustrated descriptive book about Lake Chautauqua sent on receipt of 4 cents to cover mailing, by A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

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DAMAGED!

By Smoke Only.

The Cincinnati Shoe Manufacturing Company, and the Queen City Clothing Co. (adjoining buildings,) were damaged to the extent of $175,000. Part of this mammoth stock has been shipped to

TECUMSEH, MICH.,

and placed in the large store room known as the Mills' Block on Chicago street opposite Williamson's grocery store, and will be sold to the people of Lenawee Co. and vicinity as directed by the Insurance Company, at less than appraised value. This great sale of

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SHOES

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and will continue until Wednesday, July 7th, 1897, making this the greatest 4 days sale ever inaugurated in Tecumseh. Among the many bargains you will find.

Shoe Bargains.

Ladies' and Gents' House slippers,	worth $100 at 45c
Gent's dress shoes "	$1.75 at 78c
Gents' heavy working shoes	worth $1.25 at 78c
Ladies' dress shoes, lace and button	worth 1 50 at 98c
Ladies' and Gents' Dress Shoes	worth 2 50 at 1 24
Ladies' and Gents' fine shoes	worth 3 50 at 1.48
Ladies' and Gents' custom made	shoes worth 4 50 at 1.98
Ladies' and Gents hand sewed	shoes worth 6 00 at 2 48
Children's school shoes sizes 8 to 11	worth 1 25 at 74c
Misses' and Youths' school shoes	worth 1.50 at 98c
Ladies walking shoes,	1 00 at 54c
We also have a full line of Ladies' Oxford ties	

Clothing Bargains.

Men's pants	worth $1.25 at 68c
Men's working pants	1.00 at 48c
Men's business pants	2.00 at 98
Men's fine pants	3 00 at 1.24
Men's tailor made suits,	5.00 at 2.48
Boys' long pants	1 50 at 78c
Men's Suits	8 00 at 2.98
Men's cassimere suits	12.00 at 4.75
Men's fine cassimere suits	worth 15.00 at 6 78
Men's fine custom made suits	worth 18 00 at 8 68
Men's fine tailor made suits	worth 22.00 at 9.43
Childrens' suits	worth 2.00 at 74c
Children's fine suits	2.50 at 1.24
Children's dress suits	5 00 at 2.48
Children's knee pants	35c at 12c

And so on through the line you will find bargain after bargain; nothing reserved as everything must be sold in 4 days. Positively no goods before Saturday July 3.

Remember Saturday, July 3rd, 1897, is the day.

and is 4 days only, come early and avoid the rush. Look for the great fire sale sign.

Merchants desiring to fill up will find this a good opportunity.

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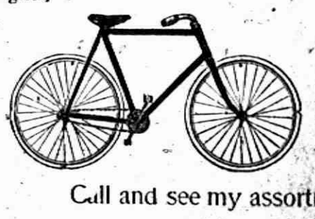

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SWEPT BY STORMS.

Great Damage Done by Rain in Minnesota and Indiana.

The City of Duluth a Heavy Loser—Cloudburst in the Hoosier State—Big Snowstorm in Colorado.

Duluth, Minn., July 5.—A terrific rainstorm visited Duluth Friday night, breaking all records. The rain fell in blinding sheets. It seemed as though the bottom had dropped out of the heavens. It was a cloudburst. Never during the 26 years the weather bureau has been established in Duluth was there such a fall of rain in such a short space of time, and the streams and creeks all swollen to such enormous size. The damage done by the storm in Duluth and surrounding towns will amount to over $200,000. Streets are litterly torn out in many places, pavements all over the city are rooted up, parks sadly damaged, and the loss to the city alone will be tremendous. The private losses also will run very high. Houses have been loosened from their foundations, especially at the west end, cellars all over the city were filled, basements of stores were flooded, horses and cows were drowned, and an endless amount smaller damage was done. Fortunately, so far as known, there was no loss of life in the city.

In Indiana.

Evansville, Ind., July 5. — Reports from Henderson county say the damage caused by the cloudburst Friday morning is of a much more serious nature than was given Saturday evening. The damage to crops alone is estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000. Thousands of acres of wheat were carried away by the flood, while immense crops of corn and tobacco in all portions of the county were completely destroyed.

Snow in Colorado.

Denver, Col., July 5.—There was something not on the programmes for the delectation of the Endeavor excursionists who passed through Colorado on their way to the coast. Saturday morning at Leadville all trains stopped long enough for the passengers to indulge in a snowballing match, but after the novel pleasure the coolness of the atmosphere did not present the same attractions for the travelers, who were illy clad to cope with the sudden drop in temperature. Fires had to be lighted in the coaches where the train hands could get a supply of fuel.

A Cyclone's Work.

Duluth, Minn., July 7.—Dispatches received here at railroad offices say that a cyclone has obliterated the town of Lowry, Minn., and that seven people were killed and several injured. Lowry is situated on the Soo line, seven miles from Glenwood, on the Northern Pacific railroad. Particulars are meager, but it is learned that the cyclone traveled from southwest to northeast and that the little town of Lowry was in the track of the cloud.

From Lowry the storm continued in a northeasterly direction to the farm of Robert Peacock, where it made a clean sweep of all the buildings. Mrs. Peacock, her daughter Nettie and a boy named Robert MacGowan were injured, but will probably recover. Thomas Andrews' house and his farm buildings are a total wreck.

From here the cyclone moved about due east from Sam Morrow's, where it left death in its path. Sam Morrow died within an hour after the catastrophe, being horribly bruised and mangled, and a nine-year-old daughter, Annie, was found dead by the rescuing party. Five others of the family are badly injured.

Science to Aid Labor.

Oakland, Cal., July 5.—The food of San Francisco laborers is to be analyzed by the professors at the state university. Prof. M. E. Jaffa, the head of the dietetic department, has just decided that elaborate investigation shall be undertaken. Several hundred families of the wage-earning class will be called up to take part. When the statistics have been all collected and tabulated it is expected poor families will be able to live much less expensively than they do now, and at the same time on a more healthful diet.

Will Quit Business.

Toronto, Can., July 6.—McLean & Ockley, one of the largest bicycle firms in Canada have decided to close out their business for the reason that breaks in the price of high-grade of United States wheels will prevent their firm from continuing manufacturing at a profit. It is said that several other Canadian firms will follow their example.

Broke Her Own Record.

Medford, Mass., July 7.—At Combination park Tuesday afternoon Marion Mills, the wonderful guideless pacer, lowered her record of 2:07¼, made last year, to 2:05¾. The little mare bowled round the track without driver or sulky, and few who saw her realized that she was making such good time.

Hit by a Rocket.

Hedrick, Ia., July 5.—By a premature explosion of fireworks at the celebration here two people were killed and several wounded. A spark in the fireworks caused the accident.

Four Persons Drowned.

Little Rock, Ark., July 6.—By the upsetting of a boat Joseph and Jacob Dante and Miss Mary Arbor and Miss Josie Sanders were drowned.

THE BIG STRIKE.

The Wage Struggle of the Coal Miners Is Inaugurated.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 7.—The strike order of the national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America was obeyed by from 10,000 to 15,000 of the 21,000 miners in the Pittsburgh district Tuesday. The great struggle is now on in earnest and the developments of the next few days will determine the success or failure of the fight for a uniform mining rate. Pittsburgh is the pivotal point in the five states engaged in the contest and the success of the local officials in their efforts to secure a general suspension in this district will have an important bearing on the outcome of the movement. While it is estimated that at least two-thirds of the miners have thrown down their picks, enough men are still at work, however, to seriously impair their chances unless they can ultimately be brought out. This, President Dolan confidently claims, can be done. The operators, on the other hand, are in no wise disconcerted and assert that the strike cannot succeed. The first break in the operators' ranks was made Tuesday afternoon by J. W. Steen, of the O. I. C. mines at Rossville. The diggers refused to work and the mine was closed down, but a notice was posted that after to-day the 69 cent rate would be paid. It is not likely that the officials will allow the men to work until a majority of operators have agreed to the miners' demands.

According to the estimates of the miners' officials 62 railroad mines are idle and 26 are still in operation. They reported that in a number of cases they had heard no news from certain mines, and take it for granted in many cases that they are in operation.

THE POPULISTS.

Conference at Nashville Issues an Address.

Nashville, Tenn., July 7.—The afternoon session of the national conference of the people's party was devoted to the discussion of an address to the people, which was adopted. The address is lengthy and scores both the republican and democratic parties, declares against fusion, says free silver will not bring relief until trusts, combines and rings are abolished, reaffirms the platform of the party, especially as to the initiative and referendum, and calls upon all to join in the contest it is waging. A plan for reorganization and building up the party was adopted. It provides for the appointment of a committee on organization composed of three from each state, the chairman to be elected by the conference. It also provides for an executive committee of five to cooperate with the national executive committee when that committee acts upon the line of populist principles. This committee will act until the next national convention. The report declares in favor of thorough reorganization and education, even by civil districts if necessary. The national organization committee chosen by this conference is given full power and authority to call a national convention of the party or to submit any question to the voters of the party on the referendum plan whenever they may determine that the best interests of the party require the same.

NINE MEN KILLED.

Terrible Result of a Boiler Explosion in Tennessee.

Hartsville, Tenn., July 7.—A frightful boiler explosion occurred on the farm of W. A. Allen, in the Tenth district of this county, Tuesday afternoon, by which nine people were instantly killed and five badly injured. The dead are: W. A. Allen, James Allen, Lindsey Allen, Mock Tunstill, Asa Barr, Porter Averitt, —— Bolton, Len Barksdale and Will Allen. The latter two were negroes.

Fault of the Turk.

London, July 7.—In the house of lords the marquis of Salisbury, replying to Lord Connemara, said the delay in the settlement of the peace terms between Turkey and Greece was entirely the fault of the former power. There was no delay so far as the concerted powers were concerned, but Turkey had carried deliberation and circumspection to such an excess that the delay was not without danger, though the danger was not immediate. They were apparently at present no nearer to a solution of the question than at the beginning.

Killed with an Ax.

Waukesha, Wis., July 7.—James Butler, a farmer of Lisbon, went home drunk Monday evening and in a quarrel with is wife he seized an ax and almost hacked her to pieces. Shortly after the quarrel Mrs. Butler was discovered by two of her children and died soon after their arrival. Butler escaped and is still at large, but his capture is looked for soon.

More Deaths from Heat.

Cincinnati, July 7.—The mercury's highest point on Tuesday was 91 degrees. Five deaths due to heat occurred during the day, making a total of 36 deaths from that cause during the past four days. There were 25 persons prostrated Tuesday, aside from those who died.

Attendance at the Exposition.

Nashville, Tenn., July 3.—The department of admission has made a report of the number of paid admissions to the exposition during May and June. The total is 507,793. During May total admissions were 205,351; during June, 302,442.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in Senate and House.

The Tariff Bill Occupies the Entire Time in the Senate—No Business Done in the House—Other News.

Washington, July 1. — Two of the most important provisions of the tariff bill—those relating to the Hawaiian treaty of reciprocity and the duty on coal—were perfected in the senate yesterday, while another source of much conflict, the reciprocity section, was matured by the finance committee and presented. Senator Turpie (Ind.) spoke in support of the amendment for a two per cent. tax on inheritances.

Washington, July 2. — In the tariff bill revision in the senate yesterday cotton bagging and cotton ties were placed on the free list and the duty on white pine lumber was reduced from two dollars to one dollar per thousand. The bill was completed with the exceptions of the reciprocity section and some comparatively minor paragraphs.

Washington, July 3.—Reciprocity and retaliation were the two phases of the tariff bill to occupy the attention of the senate yesterday to the exclusion of all other subjects. Both provisions were agreed to. Senator Thurston introduced an amendment to the bill to prohibit trusts. The nomination of William W. Rockhill, of the district of Columbia, to be envoy extraordinary, minister plenipotentiary and consul general to Greece, Roumania and Servia, was received from the president.

Washington, July 6.—Senator Allison, in charge of the tariff bill, announced shortly before the adjournment of the senate Monday night that as no agreement had been reached for a final vote on the tariff bill he would ask the senate to remain in session to-night at least until the bill was reported from the committee of the whole to the senate. This promises a test of endurance unless the opposition to the bill gives way. Senator Allison's statement was made after another futile effort to have a time fixed for the vote.

Washington, July 7.—The final vote on the tariff bill was taken in the senate before adjournment to-day, a definite agreement, assented to by all parties, having been reached at the close of the debate yesterday. During the day the anti-trust amendment was defeated, as was also an amendment for a one-fourth cent bounty on beet sugar.

The House.

Washington, July 2. — In the house yesterday Mr. Settle (dem., Ky.) denied the right to adjourn for three days at a time and arraigned the republicans for not acting on the bankruptcy and Cuban questions. Adjourned to the 5th.

Washington, July 6.—The house yesterday without transacting any business took a recess until Wednesday, to be ready for the tariff bill if completed before then by the senate.

The Public Debt.

Washington, July 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows at the close of business June 30 the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $936,636,086, a decrease for the month of $10,027,966, which is accounted for by a corresponding increase in the amount of cash on hand. The debt, independent of the cash, was reduced $4,152.

A Currency Commission.

Washington, July 3. — It was semi-officially announced that the president will send a special message to congress recommending the creation of a currency commission to consider a revision of the monetary system of the United States.

Home Again.

Washington, July 7.—President McKinley and his party returned yesterday from their visit to Canton, O.

Speech Gave Offense.

London, July 7.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Cape Town says that Hon. W. P. Schreiner, in a speech at the American banquet in celebration of Independence day, extolled the United States as "the one spot on God's earth where freedom finds its highest realization." This has given great offense in some quarters because it seems to imply a slur upon Great Britain.

Disastrous Fire in Spain.

London, July 3.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Madrid says that a huge fire has been raging in the mountains of the province of Tucharia, in southeastern Spain, since Wednesday. The flames have extended over an area of 20 miles, destroying villages, cattle and other property. It is feared that there has been considerable loss of life.

Result of Floods in France.

Paris, July 7.—Advices from the south of France show that the destruction by the floods there was greater than earlier reports indicated. The losses are estimated at 20,000,000 francs in the aggregate. Hardly a village has escaped damage and the number of persons drowned is quite 300.

Intense Heat.

Geneseo, N. Y., July 7.—The heat in the Genesee valley has been intense for the last three days, the temperature ranging from 100 to 106.

Famous Diver Killed.

London, July 7.—"Tommy" Burns, the well-known diver, was killed Tuesday while diving from Khyl pier.

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CLINTON

Geo. Sanford and wife visited friends at Detroit over Sunday.

C. W. Parker visited with his family in Clinton over Sunday.

Henry Mabrie and wife visited relatives at Norvell over Sunday.

Dr. G. W. Kishpaugh of Forester, has been visiting in Clinton since Tuesday.

Miss Eva Shimman was home from Toledo from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Kishpaugh of Lansing, was a guest at P. Kishpaugh's over Sunday.

A new cement cross-walk has been laid at the north end of Tecumseh street.

J. Y. Wadsworth came over from Hudson to spend the Fourth with his family.

H. G. Shekell visited his parents at Battle Creek from Friday until Wednesday.

Misses Emeline Tag, and Emma Sturm spent Monday with friends at Jackson.

Miss Grace Neil has been visiting at her old home in Canada, for the past few days.

Mrs. Thos. Kirk and little daughter Maud, spent Monday with friends at Manchester.

Neil Williams of Bay City, visited many Clinton friends from Friday until Thursday.

Mrs. T. C. Adam's was on the sick-list the latter part of last week, but is now on the gain.

Peter Jacob was prostrated with the heat last Monday, and was quite ill for a couple of days.

C. C. Fisk came over from Detroit to spend the fourth with his family, who are at Jacob Nase's.

Master Frank Wilson of Hanover, has been visiting at Dr. J. L. Tuttle's during the past week.

W. W. Hess has greatly improved his residence by building porches at the south and west sides.

D. M. Bainbridge went to Muskegon Saturday for a three day's visit with his niece, Mrs. Magoon.

S. Burroughs was in town from Saturday until Thursday, when he started on a trip to Lake Superior.

Misses Nellie and Grace Whittelsey went to Elkhart Ind. Tuesday for a three weeks visit with friends.

Mrs. M. A. Ewing and granddaughter, Leola Ordway, returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit at Eaton Rapids.

F. L. Woodward and family, and Miss Irene Thompson of Hudson, has been visiting at D. Woodwards since Saturday.

E. C. Breese went to Napoleon Friday night to take charge of the station during the temporary absence of the agent.

F. E. Downs D. D. S. of Chicago, arrived last Friday for a three weeks visit with his parents, Mr and Mrs. H. P. Downs.

G. C. Lindsley and wife, and H. E. Lindsley wife and child, drove to Saline Saturday morning, and spent the day with relatives.

Miss Helen Millspaugh started last Thursday for Penn Yan N. Y. expecting to spend about six weeks with relatives at that place.

Mrs. Mary Dorr returned Friday from a three weeks visit with her daughter at Detroit. Her grand-daughter, Miss Isabele Fisk came home with her, and will remain several weeks.

Miss May Morey returned to Brooklyn Monday after a weeks visit with Clinton friends. She expects to spend the remainder of her vacation with her mother and sister at Baraboo, Wis.

Miss Grace Davis came home from Detroit last Friday for a two month's visit. Her cousin, Miss Amy Calkins came with her, and will visit relatives here and at Tecumseh during the summer.

Mrs. Katherine VanTuyle returned Saturday from a two week's visit at Hudson. She was accompanied home by a friend, Mrs. Geo. Rogers, who remained as her guest until Tuesday afternoon.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

FORT MACKINAC.

Army Officer Inspects the Old Post with a View to Its Reoccupancy.

Mackinac Island, July 4. — Col. Snyder, Nineteenth United States infantry, stationed at Detroit, has been here for a couple of days, under orders from the war department, inspecting the historic Fort Mackinac and making an estimate of what it will cost to renovate the fort and buildings to fit them for occupancy again by troops. This is a primary step looking toward the reestablishment of the fort by the United States government, in accordance with an offer of the legislature to return to the fort for this purpose. The war department has the matter under consideration, and it cannot act until Col. Snyder's report is received, as the first requisite for such action is an appropriation by congress.

ANN ARBOR SUMMER SCHOOL.

University of Michigan Resumes Work in Two Departments.

Ann Arbor, July 7.—The summer school of the University of Michigan opened Monday in the department of law, and Tuesday in the literary department. Last year the attendance was 200, but that will be increased this year by about 50, which is largely due to the extra number in the law department. The corps of instructors has also been increased to 35, and the courses are better arranged and more of them. The attendance is largely made up of teachers and those who have back work to make up in the university.

SIGN OF BETTER TIMES.

Furniture Buyers Are Crowding Into Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, July 7.—More than 60 buyers are already here for the opening of the furniture season, and this unprecedented rush is hustling the manufacturers to get their samples ready. Reduced rates to the retailers' national convention next week will bring the crowds. Among the early arrivals are several buyers from the west, which will be well represented for the first time in five years. The buyers talk favorably of business, and will place good orders.

New Ferry Service.

Detroit, July 7.—Within a few days a contract will be signed between the Moreton Truck & Storage company of Detroit and the receivers of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company for a car ferry service between Detroit, Windsor and Sandusky. At Detroit and Windsor the ferry line will connect with the Grand Trunk and through that line with the Wabash, Detroit, Lansing & Northern, Flint & Pere Marquette and other railroads leading from Detroit and Windsor. Two car ferries, with a capacity of 28 cars each, will be placed in service at once.

Cruise of Naval Brigade.

Lansing, July 7. The state military department issued orders Tuesday for the cruise of the Michigan naval brigade. The men will leave Detroit July 11 on a practice cruise to Mackinac island, where the brigade will be inspected by Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy. The United States steamer Michigan has been placed at the disposal of the brigade by the secretary of the navy.

Iron Mines Reopen.

Negaunee, July 2.—After an idleness of nearly two months' operations at the Queen iron mines were resumed Thursday morning with a force of about 275 men. As soon as more room can be made the force will be increased. Arrangements have been perfected for the operation of the mine in the future without interruption.

Aragon Mine Sold.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 1.—The Aragon iron ore mine, largely a Bessemer producer, located at Norway, Mich., was sold by August Smith, of this city, to the Commonwealth Iron company, of Cleveland, which company takes possession July 1, and the mine will then resume full time. The price paid was under $200,000.

Killed in Chicago.

Niles, July 1. — John Hand, aged 24, of this city, went to Chicago last week to look for work. He fell in with evil companions, who lured the man into a resort. He was beaten so badly that he died the next day in the city hospital. The remains will probably be interred here. No clew to his assailants.

Postal Thief Sentenced.

Detroit, July 1. — Glenn A. Trowbridge, a clerk in the post office at Ann Arbor, who has employed part of his time in opening letters that appeared to contain money, pleaded guilty in the United States court before Judge Swan and was sentenced to the house of correction for the term of one year.

Alleged Counterfeiter Arrested.

Orion, July 2.—Dr. Edward M. Bell was arrested at Berville, St. Clair county, by Deputy O. H. P. Green, of this village, on the charge of counterfeiting. Bell recently removed from Lakeville to Berville. Molds and tools found at Lakeville after his departure led to the arrest.

Grasshoppers Appear.

Decatur, July 7.—In many parts of southern Michigan timothy hay is being cut two weeks ahead of time to save it from damage by grasshoppers. The pests are now doing injury to oats and serious damage to the crop is reported from many localities.

Berries Going to Waste.

Benton Harbor, July 2.—Strawberries are so abundant and the market price so low that growers have deserted many of their patches, allowing hundreds of acres to go to waste. From 25,000 to 30,000 cases are shipped from here daily.

Excessive Grief Causes Death.

Lapeer, July 2.—Mrs. C. L. Geer, a well-known resident of this city, died Wednesday morning. Death resulted from grieving over the loss of her daughter, a charming young woman who died about a year ago.

HORTICULTURE.

MOVABLE BERRY SHANTY.

It Saves Lots of Time and Labor and Is Easily Made.

I send you a sketch of my movable berry shanty, which is much liked by those who have seen it. My berry patch is 80 rods long and 40 rods wide, with a road running lengthwise through the center 9 feet wide, hence my object in making a movable shanty. My first step was to go in the woods and cut two straight poles 12 feet long and 6 inches through, and a number of small poles 2 inches in diameter. Then I went at it as though I was about to make a large wood rack, using a 1¼-inch auger. I first bored the holes for the cross pieces and fitted them in, using the 2-inch poles. I then bored

MOVABLE BERRY SHANTY.

the holes for the stakes (using the same auger), putting one on a side, 7 feet high on one side and 5 feet on the other, in order to give it sufficient pitch. For stays to nail around the top of the stakes I used 1x4 pine, which I procured by ripping an old board fence in two, putting a sufficient number on top to support the canvas. For $1.50 I bought enough old sailcloth to cover the entire shanty. The bottom of the sills on each end should be beveled, so as to prevent dirt from clogging in front while it is being drawn. If properly made the entire weight should not exceed 250 pounds. One horse easily draws mine back and forth through my patch. I hitch to either end, using a log chain attached to the corners. If the cheap canvas is not easily procurable, half-inch siding could be used for the roof and old blankets for sides. The entire cost is small, and it is much more convenient than one made of old boards and stationary. Much time is saved in carrying berries. I often move mine twice a day, keeping it directly opposite the pickers.—Rural New Yorker.

GOOD INSECTICIDE.

Gasoline, It Is Claimed, Will Accomplish Wonders.

A most excellent insectitide is gasoline. The housewife can easily rid her carpets of moths and fleas by its use. For such purpose take a common watering pot with a fine rose, and having raised the windows and opened the doors of the room so the fumes may readily pass out, for they are explosive, sprinkle copiously around the margin of the carpets and then more lightly over the whole. Every insect and every egg of an insect that is touched will be destroyed as if by fire.

In the garden it is no less useful. Perhaps the best way to apply to plants standing in the ground is with a brush, an old paint brush answers the purpose well. Take any convenient dish or pot and fill two-thirds with water and the balance with gasoline. The water will retard evaporation and assist in spreading the gasoline to every infected portion when the brush is applied. Most kinds of scale are killed effectually with one application.

For ridding plants in pots of insects, fill a tub or other deep vessel nearly full of water and pour a little gasoline on surface, then dip the plant top downwards, and at once withdraw. Every portion will be touched with the gasoline, and it will do its perfect work. I have not tried it on tender plants, and should hesitate to do so till a trial should be first made on a leaf or two, as a test.

I save my seed peas from the weevil by first letting them get dry, when they are put into a convenient dish, covered with water into which has been poured a little gasoline, say a cupful to half a peck. The peas are then thoroughly stirred for some minutes, when they are drained off and put away. A second application is rarely necessary. In this case the gasoline has to penetrate the peas and kill the eggs of the weevil, and it does it most effectually.—American Gardening.

Nature's Wonderful Laws.

The growing of a berry calls into action some of the most wonderful laws of nature. In the growth of plants we find these laws in perfection. We also find in various forms a complete supply of every element required for the full development of both plant and fruit. Nature gives us all these products without stint. She simply asks, in return that we assist her in some of the smaller details of the work. She asks that the soil be made rich and well prepared. That the plants be of good quality and carefully set out. That frequent hoeing and cultivation be given. That plants be protected from winter frosts and summer drought. That no insect pest or fungus disease find an abiding place with them.—M. A. Thayer.

Regular Supply of Lettuce.

For a regular supply of lettuce during the hot months, sow thinly where they are to remain, in drills 12 to 14 inches apart, plants to be gradually thinned out to six or eight inches apart. This method allows the tap root to penetrate undisturbed into the soil, thus securing moisture and coolness, and does not induce surface roots, and also lessens their tendency to bolt to seed in hot dry weather—an advantage worth securing. Golden Queen, Big Boston and Trianou Cos are excellent varieties for general use.—American Gardening.

THE WOOLLY-APHIS.

Different Modes of Killing This Very Destructive Insect.

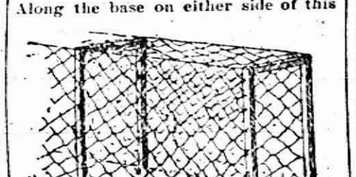
The Missouri experiment station has made extensive experiments with different methods of killing the woolly-aphis or apple-root plant louse. Following is a summary of the discoveries made:

The limb form of this insect can be readily killed by one or two thorough sprayings with strong kerosene emulsion. Apple seedlings, buds and grafts should be planted in a small trench filled with finely powdered tobacco or tobacco dust and lightly covered with earth. This will keep the woolly-aphis away. Apple nursery stock should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to the roots every spring in order to kill the woolly-aphis and prevent it from establishing itself there. It should be applied by removing some of the earth from around the roots, filling the excavation with tobacco dust, and lightly covering it with earth. Newly cleared timber land should be cultivated in corn or other crop for two years before the apple trees are set out, in order to kill the woolly-aphis that may be on the roots of the wild crab and allied trees. Apple nursery stock should have the roots cleaned and dipped for a minute in strong kerosene emulsion, in order to kill the woolly-aphis that may be there. In planting apple trees tobacco dust should be freely used among and over all the roots, and close around the trunk, in order to kill and prevent the woolly-aphis from establishing itself there. Every spring, as soon as settled warm weather appears, each tree should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to its roots by removing the earth from around the trunk for a distance of two feet and four inches in depth, evenly filling this with the tobacco dust and covering it with earth. The root form of the woolly-aphis may be cheaply and easily killed and kept away from an apple tree by the liberal use of tobacco dust. About five or six pounds of this substance should be applied as above directed to the roots of every infested tree, and half this amount should be applied in a similar manner each succeeding spring, costing approximately two cents per tree per year. This insect may also be killed by injecting one fluid ounce of carbon bisulphide two feet away from the trunk on two sides of the tree, but the use of this substance is not advised except in extreme cases, since a little carelessness may injure the tree, and it is always necessary immediately to treat the trees with tobacco dust in order to keep the insect away.—Country Gentleman.

QUICKLY-MADE HEDGE.

Woodbine Grown Over a Frame Gives Satisfactory Results.

Making a hedge with ordinary hedge plants requires a good many years of waiting before the full realization of one's anticipations. Many are deterred from starting hedges because of this long period of waiting. The accompanying illustration shows a "short cut" to a remarkably handsome hedge. A "form" is made of wire netting, the sides and top also being covered. Along the base on either side of this



TO MAKE A HEDGE QUICKLY.

quickly-growing vines are planted, which soon cover the wire with a mass of green that becomes more and more dense and beautiful each succeeding year if the proper sort of vines is used. The "proper sort," in the writer's estimation, would include our common woodbine. It is a quick grower and its foliage is remarkably handsome, both in the green state and when touched by autumn frosts. There are many other vines, however, that would answer admirably for this purpose, so that all tastes can be suited. Such a hedge needs only such annual clippings as will suffice to keep the vines growing evenly all over the wire—as thickly in one place as in another. Cedar stakes should be used and carefully set in making such a hedge, since once made and covered with a black growth of vines, it will be inconvenient to make inferior repairs, though stakes can, of course, be driven down through the netting if necessary.—Webb Donnell, in American Gardening.

GARDEN AND ORCHARD.

A low, spreading tree is least affected by the winds.

The kind of soil has much to do with the quality of fruit.

Always remove dead or decaying wood from growing trees.

It is not too late yet to fill vacant places in the orchard.

A fast-growing tree is not apt to produce very much fruit.

All superfluous branches are a needless drain upon the resources of the tree.

In pruning the grapes it is a good plan to allow five canes to each post, cutting back yearly.

Red clover is one of the best plants for orchards, it keeps the ground loose and enriches the soil.

Pruning is done for two reasons: To make symmetrical, long-lived trees and to cause fruitfulness.

The most important thing in pear culture is good, well-drained soil. Train the trees carefully while young.

When trees are badly infested with bark lice, one of the best remedies is to wash them with a strong solution of tobacco, to which is added the same quantity of soap suds.—St. Louis Republic.

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ighborhood News.

BRITTON.

VanNess had a large elegant lebrating Monday.

James Haight was overcome by at Monday and Tuesday.

Kishpaugh, of Clinton, was the f his brother Bert, Tuesday.

s J. Helm alternated between n and Clark's Lake Monday.

t Oliver suffered a slight relapse ek, but is now improving nicely.

n Van Ness and family and nniffen spent Monday at Clark's

Nickerson arrived from Dakota y and will make his parents a

Thos. Hoagland and Mrs. La- Hoagland were Detroit visitors

has been received that Walter and wife spent Sunday at Salt ty.

Hause and Will Winsley go to ake for baths. Ask Lawrence bout it.

do you think! Uncle Henry s was caught trying to mount a one day last week.

d Mrs. John Sage, of Branch were guests of Wm. Nivison iday until Tuesday.

Bachman has given up his posi- section laborer and will turn his n to the tilling of the soil.

C. I. Deyo addressed the Macon es last Saturday evening at e cream festival at the Corners.

Thackray and daughters, Mes- Nivison and Lester, were in Ad- day, having business in the pro- rt.

ndershot, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. and Geo. Clark took dinner s. J. C. Mills and family at Ma- day.

l of our wheelmen made the Vampler's Lake and back Sun- withstanding the mercury was e nineties.

Chas. Kniffen, who for a long s been seriously ill, was able en to George Smith's Sunday e spent the day.

vening service at the Christian Sunday was held in the open pastor occupying the platform congregation the lawn.

Lady Maccabees went fishing y on their own account. Not a allowed. Perhaps they didn't igh old time on cold tea.

ight operator at Milan, E. Piere nd Miss Clara Hall, of the same ere married by Rev. C. I. Deyo arsonage last week Wednesday.

Yates went up to Adrian Tues- h his badly dilapidated wheel to ould be repaired. Vern has smash ups and each one ttractive to the wheel than ceeding it.

ount of the torrid atmosphere ncil meeting Monday evening d on John Britton's lawn and ge from the council chamber elightful that the session came ting all night.

mith met with a painful acci- nday. He was running the hay while unloading got his fingers such a manner that the ends gers were left on the field of He is improving.

. F. Nickerson, of the Britton d church, will exchange with Cansfield Sunday evening and tion of the stewards will de- sermon with crayon illustra- the Boa-constrictor Scourge of

. I. Deyo will preach on the fol- opics at the Christian church Morning, "Moral Cowardice Courage"; evening, "The Uni- of the Gospel." The evening ill be held on the church lawn ather is pleasant.

rsonage of the Reformed church d much the appearance of a lt the first of the week in con- of trying to find colors in ich would suit all parties in- Almost every shade was used there about the building. s finally restored by the artist, ckerson, and all seem to be sat-

. Allen and family went to To- urday to attend the wedding ary of his brother Frank. Al- having been married twelve e event has not been observed latives before in this manner. very pleasant occasion. Those besides Will and family, were ansom and Miss Jennie Allen, y; Mrs. Geo. Church, son and Tecumseh; Mr. and Mrs. Vern oledo.

RIDGEWAY.

Stoltzer is the last victim of es.

ndred was what the thermom tered Sunday.

ove, of North Adrian, visited Chas. Gove, Saturday.

J. Temple and children, of , visited relatives here Tues-

ie Consaul, of Adrian, spent with her niece, Mrs. C. M.

Graves has been appointed the Detroit Evening News at

ggie McCusker, of Cleveland, ting her cousin, C. M. Gove, y.

emple, C. W. Culbertson and es went to Adrian Friday on ls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houseman spent Sunday in Clinton with their uncle, Alonzo Clark.

E. J. Gould will not make his usua trips on the road with his wagon while his wife is away.

Mrs. Frank Allen and children, of Toledo, made her parents a flying visit last week Thursday.

Firm Hendershot and Florence House, of Clinton, were guests of Mae Fletcher Sunday and Monday.

W. J. Andrews fell from a load of hay onto a fork one day last week, running two tines in his hip.

Alfred Lucking and family, of Detroit, spent the fourth at Mrs L's father's, Dr. Loree's.

E. L. Lowe and family spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Ed. DePuy, near Saline.

Prof. L. M. Palmer and family, of Jackson, came Saturday for an indefinite stay with relatives.

Glenn Smith accompanied Arthur Palmer to his home in Adrian Saturday, remaining until Tuesday.

Prof. I. D. Loree and wife, of Lawrence, are at their father's; Dr. D. W. Loree's, for their vacation.

Albert VanRiper and wife, of St. Louis, Mich., visited at their aunt's, Mrs. John Arner's, last week.

Stephen Plews has the agency for the Tecumseh steam laundry and will give prompt attention to all orders.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson, of the Britton D. R. church, will exchange pulpits Sunday evening with Rev. Cansfield.

Chas. Foote and family, who have been spending a month in Seneca county, N. Y., came home last week Thursday.

We are informed that all D. & L. N. passenger trains stop at this station for passengers for all points beyond Tecumseh and Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, and Mrs. W's parents, of Poultney, Vt., visited Dr. Loree and family last week Thursday.

Monday evening Dr. Loree's family celebrated the fourth by a fine display of fireworks which was enjoyed by the friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cook, of Lansing, arrived Saturday. Fred returned Tuesday but Mrs. Cook will spend several days with her parents.

Great care should be taken by persons driving, on wheels or on foot, in crossing the railroad in the village as the D. & L. N. trains pass the station at a high rate of speed.

Rev. Cansfield held a twilight service Sunday evening in front of the church. He will hold another a week from Sunday evening if the weather will permit.

Ella Boyd closed her first term of school in the Henry district, Macon, Friday with rhetorical exercises. The parents of the pupils surprised them with a picnic of light refreshments and ice cream.

MACON.

Rolfe Mills is home from Detroit for a few weeks.

John Cotton, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Frank Parker, of Clinton, occupied the M. E. pulpit Sunday P. M.

Miss Maud Howell rides a bicycle, purchased of Miss Minta Jackson.

Miss Bessie Camburn entertained a lady friend from Tecumseh, over the fourth.

Miss Addie Crittenden came home from Detroit Saturday and returned Monday.

Will Carter and family of Milan, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Edward Carter.

Misses Libbie Walp and Viva Ellis rode their wheels to Ann Arbor Friday and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Philip Hornbaker and daughter Emma, of Tecumseh, have been visiting relatives and friends in the vicinity.

Emmet Crittenden and wife and Mrs. Patridge of Adrian, visited at the home of W. H. Crittenden Saturday and Sunday.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening July 11th is "His relation to Industry". Acts 18. 2, 3; 20. 33, 34. Leader, Cora Day.

Misses Abbie, Hettie, and Edna McClue, of Charlotte, are visiting among their many relatives and friends of this place.

Mrs. W. F. Betser has been seriously ill the past week of heart trouble, but we are glad to report her some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrit Tice have moved their household goods back from Ann-Arbor and will again make their home with Mrs. T's father, Tom Jacobus.

The social on the school grounds Saturday evening for the benefit of the Maccabee's, was largely attended, and the proceeds amounted to abont $30.

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CONE.

Dr. Howell was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Fred Ellis has returned home for the summer.

J. C. Cone was in Toledo the first of the week.

Mrs. S A. Pilbeam is visiting at Hamilton, O.

J. P. Richardson, of Milan, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Mertie Auten is visiting her sister in Toledo.

Geo. Haren, of Toledo, was here the first of the week.

J. C. Cone and wife spent the fourth at Dundee and Rea.

Frank Smith went to Ashley Saturday, to visit his parents.

Miss Nellie Dennison has gone to Delray for an indefinite stay.

Horace Logan and family were in Deerfield Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Auten returned Thursday from a four weeks' visit in Toledo.

Fred Auten and wife and Frank Raymond and family visited in Toledo from Friday until Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Joseph Rockwood next Wednesday. All are invited.

Misses Alma and Margie Corbett, of Ann Arbor, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Caswell.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. Chas. Wildey is still sick.

Mary Hanchett went to Brooklyn Friday for a short visit.

Great bargains in millinery goods at the rooms of E. H. Fish.

Miss Bernice Isley is visiting her grandparents at Blissfield.

Miss Jennie Lewis is the guest of Blanche Holt at Kimble, O.

Joseph Billimeyer and wife, of Belleville, O., visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Tompson and daughter Nannie, of Blissfield, are visiting Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss.

Mrs. Zora Hollister and children, of Adrian, were guests of Mrs. Jane Kelley Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. Holt and children, of Kimble, O., visited here from Thursday until Sunday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Hoxie and children, of Adrian, have been visiting Mrs. Jane Kelley and Mrs. Mary Clark.

Mrs. Elnora Loper and son Henry and Wm Brown and family spent Sunday at their mother's near Alvordton.

A very quiet wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kelley last Friday evening when Miss Allie Hines and Mr. Will Miller were united in marriage by Rev. A. J. Stead.

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Great Britain has one-fourth of the wealth of Europe, although possessing only one-ninth of the population.

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It is said that the introduction of frogs in Iceland has very much diminished the number of mosquitoes.

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He has a bad attact of colic and is making for Orr's drug store after a bottle of Foley's Diarrhoea and Colic Cure. 25c. and 50c.

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Agrowsmith, Ill., Jan 21, 1897.

Dear Sirs:—I have been bothered for 15 years with constipation and I have tried many preparations during that time. I commenced using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the fall of 1895 and unhesitatingly say it is the best remedy I have ever found for my trouble. No griping or pains after taking. Yours, etc., WM HUNT.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 9, 1897.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The city council Monday evening instructed the mayor and city clerk to make a proposition to Mr. Abbott, who recently came here to explain his voting machine, to have him place four of the voting machines here before March 1, 1898, and to Oct. 15, 1898, at $200 each. The question whether the city shall purchase the machines is to be left to the voters of the city to decide.—Coldwater Courier.

Mrs. Philo Hall, of Detroit, had a narrow escape from death by lightning Tuesday morning. She was standing on the back porch when a bolt struck the roof of the house, tearing off shingles and parting the frame work of the building, after which it passed down and struck the knife she held in her hand and completely encircled her. This is Mrs. Hall's second similiar experience within a month.—Morenci Observer.

A farmer and his family, consisting of a wife and small boy, passed through here last night, on his way from Schoolcraft, this state, to some point in New York state. He drove a good team, with a lumber wagon and buggy dragging behind. The wagon was made of lapped siding, Queen Anne style and truss roof, open at the ends and formed one of the most complete houses on wheels we have seen in some time. They seemed to be enjoying life. They stopped but a few moments in Adrian.—Messenger.

The Dundee canning factory began operations canning peas Wednesday, and is working part of each day this week. Next week it is expected that the work will be much larger, with a large yield of peas. About half a dozen men and some 40 ladies are employed at present, and it is desired to increase the number of ladies to 100 for next week. Manager Barrett requires the most scrupulous cleanliness in the performance of all parts of the work and stock to be canned. The goods are put up under the name of Pure Food Canning Co. of Dundee. The canning of string beans will follow peas.—Dundee Reporter.

Hudson, July 3.—A severe electrical storm passed over this city last evening. All the numbers in the telephone office were burned out, and Miss Hattie Eaton, the operator, was severely shocked. At the same time Mrs. S. B. Preston's barn, on Elm street, was struck and burned to the ground. The household goods of Rev. Smith, Free Methodist minister, stored there, were destroyed. During a storm Thursday noon, James Donnelly, an implement dealer, of this place, took refuge in a barn, near Bear Lake. The building was struck by lightning, and Mr. Donnelly and his team knocked senseless. They recovered all right, however.—Adrian Times.

The law making the duty of judges of probate to issue marriage licences and perform ceremonies of marriage in certain cases will take effect August 29, and the secretary of state has issued a circular calling the attention of the probate judges to the law. The statute is intended for the protection of the reputation of certain females. Special attention is called to the provision of the law requiring strict secrecy to be observed concerning marriages of this class. They are not to be talked about by the judges, their deputies or assistants, or by the physician indorsing the application. A penalty is provided for the publishers of newspapers who give publicity to such marriages.—Dundee Reporter.

An unfeeling exchange has discovered that when the question is popped to an Adrian girl she blushes and trembles a little and says she will give the matter careful consideration. The Hillsdale girl looks surprised and sits with lips parted for five or six moments, and then says it came sooner than she expected, but it's all right. The Addison girl drops her eyes resignedly, pats the carpet with a neat boot and responds: "The Lord's will be done!" The Hudson girl grins very sweetly and says: "Wouldn't that kill me!" and then lays her head on his shoulder to think it over. The Clayton girl looks him squarely in the eyes and says: "Why, cert. Do you reckon I've been letting you hug me around here for two months just for recreation?"—Adrian Messenger. The Tecumseh girls are obliged for the above pointers.

Lansing Republican, 1: In view of the numerous warnings to farmers this year from wheat buyers to cut the rye out of their wheat, with the alternative of accepting a much lower price for the latter crop, the following, related by an Ingham county farmer, will be of interest: "In the good old days of dollar wheat I solved this rye question. I heeded the injunction of holy writ and let the wheat and tares grow together until the harvest time, but followed it no further, but bound the grain all together in bundles. Then at thrashing time I had two extra men with broadax and block, who cut off the heads of the rye, which always extend a foot or two above the wheat, before thrashing. I thus saved rye enough to pay for the extra men, and had an article of wheat so nearly free of rye as to sell for the highest price."—Adrian Times.

The weak spot in the public school system in Ann Arbor is in the ward schools. The high school is the best in the state and in congratulating ourselves on this fact we are apt to transfer the reputation of the high school to the ward schools, and this transfer is hardly warranted by the facts. The main trouble in the ward schools lies in the fact that the city has some inefficient teachers there, who weigh down the work of the good teachers which the city also has. A bad system of employing only Ann Arbor high school graduates keeps out any fresh blood and unfortunately too many of the teachers hold only the lowest grade of diplomas granted by the high school. There is not a proper system of visitation in vogue in the ward schools, so that the board is not enabled to weed out the inefficient in teachers. The good hard working teachers fare no better than the poorer teachers and some of the incentive for hard work is thus taken away. There is great need of a shaking up of our ward schools.—Ann Arbor Argus.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of July 5, 1897.

Present, the entire council.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street commissioners report for month of June presented, showing fire team labor 21 1-2 days; A. Waring, team labor, 12 1-4 days; hand labor, 38 days, 6 hours; poll tax worked, 16 days, 7 1-2 hours; hay sold in Military Square, $2.50.

Sexton's report for month of June presented, showing 3 adult and 2 infant interments, two lots sold for $66.00 cash.

Reports accepted and placed on file.

The following bills were reported by clerk and referred to finance committee: A. Waring, team labor, $23.13; Dell Packard, hand labor, $20.94; E. Ames, hand labor, $5.44; Mrs. Crossman, 50c; F. W. Samsen, printing, $36.65; Water works: Hunter W. Finch & Co., coal, $24.61; Mich. Tel. Co., $7.50; A. Parks, labor, $1.65.

Finance committee reported favorably on all of above bills and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts.

The following ordinance was presented:

An ordinance regulating rate of speed of bicyclists upon all streets within corporate lines of village of Tecumseh.

Sec. I. The village of Tecumseh ordains: That no person or persons shall ride any bicycle or velocipede or any other vehicle propelled by pedals upon any of the public streets within the corporate lines of said village of Tecumseh at a greater rate of speed than eight (8) miles an hour.

Sec. II. That bicyclists while using the streets of the village shall observe the usual laws of the road; in meeting other vehicles shall turn to the right, and in passing other vehicles going in same direction shall pass them on the left.

Sec. III. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than one or more than five dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than five or more than ten days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the descretion of the court, together with costs of prosecution.

Sec. IV. This ordinance shall take effect July 28, 1897. Passed July 7 1897.

Moved and supported that the above ordinance be adopted and passed.

Yeas, Wright, Heesen, Lowry, Orr, Eldridge, J. Heesen. Nays, none.

Ordinance declared passed.

Gen. E. B. Wood was before the council asking for a telephone franchise for J. S. Brailey and his assigns. The matter after some discussion was laid over until next regular or special meeting of council.

Finance committee was instructed to make contract for printing council proceedings for ensuing year.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT,
Village Clerk.

Special Excursion to Toledo via C. J. & M. Ry.

On Sunday, July 11th, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:12 a. m. Fare 75c for the round trip. Tickets good returning on special the same day and on regular trains on Monday, the day following. Splendid new list of attractions at the Casino. Base ball game, Toledo vs Mansfield. For additional information see bills or call on C. J. & M. agents.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER, G. P. A.
Toledo, O.

Chattanooga and Return, Half Rates.

For the meeting of the B. Y. P. U. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell tickets to Chattanooga and return at less than half rates on July 13 14 and 15, good to return until August 15th. For particulars apply to ticket agents or write to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O., for pamphlet about this and other cheap excursions.

For Your Vacation

Buy one of the cheap excursion tickets to Chautauqua Lake sold by agents of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. on July 2nd and August 2nd. Inquire of ticket agents.

THE KAISER AND MR. FRITH.

Small Prince's First Attempt at Painting Was Disastrous.

Although Prof. Knackfuss is usually credited with assisting the kaiser in the production of his surprising pictures, the German monarch owes his earliest introduction to the mysteries of art to an English painter, says the London Chronicle. The first time the kaiser handled a brush was at Windsor, when Mr. Frith was painting the picture of the prince of Wales' marriage for the queen. All the royal personages gave sittings to the artist and the kaiser, then a little four-year-old prince, spent several mornings in the room where the picture was being painted. To keep the child quiet Mr. Frith gave him some paints and brushes and allowed him to dabble on one of the unfinished corners of the canvas.

As a natural result of this very injudicious proceeding the prince's face was in a very few minutes covered with streaks of green, blue and vermilion. The sight of his smeared face terrified his governess, who begged the artist to remove the colors; and Mr. Frith, armed with rags and turpentine, had nearly completed his task when the pungent spirit found its way into a scratch upon the child's cheek. The future kaiser screamed with pain, assaulted the eminent painter with his fists and hid himself under a large table, where he yelled until he was tired. Mr. Frith declares in his "Reminiscences" that the little prince showed a most unforgiving spirit and revenged himself afterward by sitting so badly that the painter failed altogether to produce a satisfactory likeness.

SURE OF A FINE FUNERAL.

Men of Lubec, Me., Provide for Mortuary Emergencies.

The town of Lubec, Me., is one of the go-ahead villages of the Pine Tree state, and the one thing wanting to enable it to keep up with the procession is a hearse. The citizens investigated the condition of surrounding towns, and learned that every one of them had a hearse, and they considered it a burning and municipal shame that Lubec should be so far behind the times. Therefore, it was resolved to have one, although, according to the rates of longevity in Lubec, it was not considered likely there would be much use for it, says the Lewiston Journal.

A mass meeting of the citizens was called to discuss the grave subject. The enthusiasm was unbounded, and it was at once decided to purchase the vehicle by voluntary subscriptions, making a sort of joint stock concern or hearse corporation. Each subscriber chipped in one dollar, but the wary and thrifty Lubecker insisted upon a proviso whereby he is enabled to get a show for his white ally. It was unanimously agreed that if any stockholder had use for the hearse within a certain number of years from the date of his subscription, he, the said subscriber, should be entitled to a rebate of the sum paid in.

Now the Lubecker awaits the approach of the grim destroyer without emotion. In the event of his death, he is assured of a first-class funeral, with plumes and all the outward trappings of woe, and he gets his money back besides.

According to the Baltimore News the farmers of Maryland are becoming interested in the movement for a general cultivation of tobacco and for the introduction of the raising of rice. In earlier days tobacco was grown throughout the state, but for the last half century it has been confined to the counties of southern Maryland. Rice has never been grown in the state, but the recent success with this crop in lower New Jersey has led man to think that it can be profitably taken up in Delaware and Maryland. The yield of rice is from 35 to 60 bushels an acre, and the net profit is said to be from $25 to $45 an acre.

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On July 2nd and August 2nd, 1897, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Chautauqua and return at about half rates. Those sold on former date will be good to return until August 2nd and the latter until August 31st. A beautiful illustrated descriptive book about Lake Chautauqua sent on receipt of 4 cents to cover mailing, by A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

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W. Anderson visited Detroit Tues-

Irs. O. P. Bills left for Detroit Sat-ay.

ohn Hisley was a Detroit visitor day.

rank Bice made his parents a flying t Tuesday.

harlie Bidwell came home to spend nations holiday.

rl Updike helped swell the crowd at kson Sunday and Monday.

ill Hicks left for Texas Monday. ill be away several days.

Irs. Jennie Thorp leaves tomorrow Ft. Wayne, Ind. for a visit.

iss Bessie Pulver of Ypsilanti, vis-her brother Ben over Sunday.

eorge Jacobs and wife, of Clinton, calling on friends Wednesday.

iss Helen Anderson has accepted a ition in the schools at Mt. Clemens.

ames Blanchard of Adrian township, greeting friends here Wednesday.

adies, you can buy an elegant sum-corset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

rank A. Osborn came over from De-t and spent the fourth with friends.

r. and Mrs. P. C. Snell and family e seeing the sights in Detroit Sat-ay.

uring July, Miss Daly will make rre" photographs for 63 cents per en.

rs. Fred Aldrich and son returned sday from a weeks visit with friends oledo.

ur ball team go to Clinton tomorrow rnoon for another game with that ng club.

ev. John Farris of Blissfield, was guest of Rev. C. M. Brown Monday Tuesday.

ill VanAntwerp and Fred Aldrich e at Devils lake fishing three days past week.

harles Beebe and family of Adrian, e been visiting Tecumseh relatives past week.

obe Hosmer came up from Piqua, io, and remained over the fourth th his people.

John Temple, Leon Temple, Frank auer, and Sam Helm, were Detroit vis-ors over the fourth.

Carl Burton attended the races in umseh Saturday. He is spending vacation in Clinton.

bert Anderson returned Monday from a visit of several days with hews at Devils Lake.

Miss Julia Hicks left Monday for lwaukee. She will accompany ends to Mackinac from there.

Lavern Smith, Fay Anderson, and on Burlingame were in Detroit and veland Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser return-home Wednesday from an extended it at Athens and Eaton Rapids.

. W. Mills, wife and two youngest ldren, were guests of his brother oy at Adrian over the Fourth.

large number from here will ac-pany the ball team to Clinton to-rrow. The contest will be hot.

ents, you can buy a pair of $3.50 tan x blood shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan for $2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

ost. Somewhere on Chicago, street, old thimble, finder will be rewarded leaving same at John Orr's drug re.

Mrs. M. E. Bice made and sold 90 gal-s of ice cream from Friday until nday night, and then the supply fell rt of the demand.

d Reese came home from Elkhart . and spent a few day's with his ther. Ed has a position with the mpson Scale Co. and likes it.

Twenty per cent. discount on our en-e stock and fifty per cent. off on odds ends until Aug. 1st at

KARNER BROS.

Mrs. Gray accompanied by her daugh-. Mrs. C. E. Burns and children, left dnesday night for a months visit h friends in Chicago and Dixon Ill.

Mrs. M. H. Taylor has returned home m her classes in Canada. While re she met with quite a serious ac-ent, while at one of her pupils home, stepped into an open register.

hester Haynes and family of Adrian, n Haynes and family of Dundee, and Mrs. H. Stewart of Dundee, Frank Crossman of Jackson, at-ded a reunion at Wm. Ides, July rth.

rank Deuel and John Primrose re-ned from Jerome Monday night with elegant lot of black bass, caught on se lake. One weighed 5 lbs 6 oz, another 4 1-2 lbs. They contem-te returning later for a longer stay, camp out.

n a recent trip to devils lake, we k dinner at the pleasant grove se, Allen and Green proprietors. e house which is light, cheerful and y, is beautifully situated and the nts of the guest are promptly and ply supplied Mr. Green is evidently right man in the right place, and nremitting in his attention to his sts. A most genial gentleman he is his corps of assistants are obliging competent. It is indeed an ideal ort and to those who visit devils e we would say by all means stop h Allen and Green.

N. M. Sutton is quite ill.

Bicycle instruction at C. A. Slayton's.

Mrs. E. B. Wood is in Ann Arbor.

Mary and Mabel Mills are at home again.

Dick Andersen was home over the fourth.

Regular meeting of the Blue Lodge tonight.

Miss Bertha Mead of Ypsilanti, is at home for the vacation.

Miss Margaret Knapp, of Adrian, rode over to Tecumseh Wednesday.

Miss Alice Wimple and mother are home from a weeks stay in Clinton.

Mrs. Clara Grand, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., has visited Miss Etta Thorp for several days.

George Teachout is making great improvements in the Central House barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Phipps of South Bend, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Heesen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson of Chicago, are visiting at Mrs. Phoebe Miller's.

Mrs. G. W. Mead and children are spending a few days with friends in Brooklyn.

Inquiry every hour in Tecumseh for men to work in the hay field and at good wages.

Miss Bertha Williams, of Britton, was the guest of Miss Iva Hanna the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. LeBaron, of Toledo, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Waring.

Special sale 1000 yards organdies worth 10, 12 1-2 and 15 cents a yard for 7 cents at S. W. ANDERSONS.

Our crusade against smoked shoe sales is still on. Get the real bargains at KARNER BROS'.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Mrs. Henry Taylor, of Wexford county, is visiting her son, George Beneway, and other friends here this week.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Union service at the Baptist Church Sunday evening. It is proposed to hold union meetings frequently during the summer.

Mrs. John Orr and children, Mrs. John Anderson and children, and Miss Mary Anderson, rusticated Monday in Blood's grove.

Harris & Hiteshu's midsummer clearing sale will be, as every summer, a hustler. Bottom knocked out of every price. Read all about it.

The friends of Charles Teachout here have received word that he lies in a critical condition at his home in Brooklyn with little or no hope of recovery.

Sherman B. Terry died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. J. Welling, Sunday, aged 81 years. He had been an invalid and great sufferer for many years.

The meeting for the organization of a bicycle association at the armory last evening was a failure, no one but Levi Hayden being present. The weather is too hot to organize anything.

R. J. Wheeler of Toledo, who acted as starter at the matinee Saturday, is one of the best in the country, and is in great demand. He is at Albion this week, but we hope to see him here again.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bell, of Jackson, have taken a permanent boarder, Miss Esther Bell. The young lady arrived a few days ago and, although a great delight to father and mother, she, at present, absolutely refuses to pay or tell the reason why.

I will be at the Lilley State Bank to collect corporation taxes every Friday in July. F. D. AVERY, Treas.

The Dan Stuart Veriscope, showing the Corbet-Fitzsimmons combat will be at the Adrian opera house Wednesday evening, July 14. It is stated by Manager Hardy that the night train on the D. & L. N. will be held to accommodate the Tecumseh people.

Bert Day, Floyd Williamson, and Clare Bresie, left Tuesday noon on their wheels for Detroit where they will join a large company of Epworth Leaguers, and proceed to Toronto, Canada, where the convention is held. They will be gone some time and visit different points.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy is entertaining a house party, the guests are: Misses Louchelle Hinsdell, Lou VanGorder, and Edith Evans, of Elgin Ill. Misses Blanche Bigelow, and Emily Palmer of Flint, Mich. Will Reed of Elgin, Ill. Frank Turner of Flint, Mich, Dan Weldon of Lapeer, Mich, and Roy Hinsdell of Chicago.

Racing matinees are of great benefit to those breeding roadsters, their horses are brought to the notice of the public in this way and many good sales are made as a result of matinees. The one held here Saturday occasioned the sale of Clara Wilkes, owned by N. Bailey, of Adrian, and several letters of inquiry have been received regarding Veto Jr. and no doubt others will be purchased by parties away, all brought about by their work Saturday. Another matinee will be given soon, the date not yet settled on.

Negotiations are pending relative to the starting of an independent telephone line in Tecumseh same as in Adrian. The rates for residences will be $1.00 and business houses $2.00 per month. It is very likely the effort will be successful. The corporation is to be known as the Tecumseh Telephone Co. and will be composed largely of resident stockholders. At the same time it is backed by wealthy Ohio capitalists and will be one of many similar exchanges with state connections. The apparatus will be the latest and affairs managed by Tecumseh people.

Co. "C" report a good time at Jackson last Saturday.

C. E. Williamson leaves for New York Monday.

Miss Daly entertained her brother from Detroit, the fourth.

Dr. Fletcher of Cadillac is spending a few days with Tecumseh friends.

All summer goods at less than manufacturers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Miss Anna McClure returned Wednesday from a few days visit in Toledo.

C. A. Slayton sold wagons and machinery that went to New Mexico this week.

Attend the grand special sale of organdies at S. W. ANDERSONS.

Ed W. Comfort of Chicago, arrived Saturday night for a visit with old time friends.

Miss Abbie Matthews and Charles Spencer saw the sights of Detroit and Windsor Saturday.

Mrs. Chapin, of Duluth, has joined the party at O. B. Finch's and will remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClure of Alton, Ill. arrived Tuesday night for a week's sojourn with relatives here.

Frank H. Hall was taken to the Kalamazoo asylum yesterday. The case is extremely sad. Last spring he passed the civil service examination which gave him promotion to the experimental station at Geneva, N. Y., and over-work caused mental collapse. Speedy recovery is sincerely hoped for.

Last evening Elmer Stoffiet and C. P. Stevens between whom there is no great affection, met in front of Adamson's and a few words passed between them, when quick as thought, Stoffiet gave him a biff that laid him out completely. Many thought him in an hypnotic state, he was so rigid. He was carried to the Lilley house, a physician summoned, and ere long he came to himself.

BOYS' BICYCLE MEET.

Good Weather—Fine Races.

The boys' bicycle meet Wednesday passed off pleasantly and was a success financially although the attendance would have been much larger had the meet been properly advertised. In the road race, 2 mile handicap, which came off at 10:30 a. m. there were seven starters and the finish was very exciting. Knapp, of Adrian, won the time prize in 6.12; Fred Waring, 1st; Donald Wright, 2nd; John Calhoun, Clinton, 3rd; Harry Rosacrans, 4th; Eddie Schmitt, Clinton, 5th.

The other events took place in the afternoon at Bills' Driving Park and resulted as follows:

One-half mile novice—1st, Charles Waring, 1.31 2-5; 2nd, Donald Wright; 3rd, Fred Waring.

One mile open, best 2 in 3—1st Knapp; 2nd, Vern Pattison; 3rd, Ed. Schmitt. Time, 2.57 1-5, 2.59 4-5.

Quarter mile dash—1st Donald Wright 2nd, Wade Jones; 3rd, Bert Gillem. Time, 40 2-5.

Two mile handicap—50, Fred Waring, 1st, 6.18; scr., Knapp, 2nd, 5.29; 35, E. Schmitt, 3rd, 5.47; 25, V. Pattison, 4th, 6.04.

Half mile open—1st Donald Wright; 2nd, Harry Rosacrans; 3rd, Chas. Waring. Time, 1.21 1-5.

Leon Rosacrans gave an exhibition, going a quarter in 28 4-5 seconds.

The Blue Ribbon races, at Detroit, beginning July 13th, are exciting greater interest as the time approaches. The M & M and Chamber of Commerce stakes—24 entries in each—will be hotly contested. Among the many flyers to be there are the five horses that last year started out as green ones, and before the close of the season had records better than 2-10, one trotter and four pacers; Page 2.09 3-4, Brightlight 2.08 1-4, Heir-at Law 2.07 1-2, Miss Jennings 2.08 1-4, and Planet 2.09 1-2. In the M & M stake there will be Anne Allerton by Allerton, Red Star by Red Wilkes, Starmont by Earlmont, Vida by Pilot Medium, Hazel McKinney by McKinney, and others equally as good. With the track better than ever before, sensational records are looked for in all events and each day has its special features.

THE HAYDEN MUSICAL.

A Musical Program, a Delighted Audience, Followed by a Pretty Dancing Party.

One hundred and seventy-five guests responded to the invitations of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hayden and Miss Mead to attend a musical at the armory, given in honor of Miss Mabel Hayden, Wednesday evening. The armory was tastefully decorated with palms and other plants. The musical program rendered, especially the selections by Miss Hayden, gave much pleasure to the guests, and together with the dance at the close, made one of the best social evenings ever enjoyed in Tecumseh. The idea of entertaining outside of one's home is new for Tecumseh, but nevertheless delightful, especially in the entertainment of a large company.

Among those present from out of town were Misses Margaret Knapp of Adrian, Etta Baker, Detroit, Emily Palmer and Blanche Bigelow, of Flint, Edith Evans, Louchelle Hinsdell and Lou VanGorder, of Elgin; Messrs. and and Mesdames Loree, of Lawrence, and L. W. Kimball, of Clinton; Mesdames Albert Boyce, of Detroit, and Clara Grand, of Ft. Wayne; and Messrs. Frank Fletcher, of Ann Arbor, Carl Burton, of New York City, Will Reid and Roy Hinsdell, of Elgin, Dan Weldon, Lapeer, and Frank Turner, Flint.

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Racing Matinee.

The matinee at Bills' Driving Park Saturday afternoon drew out a large attendance and was one of the most interesting given on the track. A fine string of horses were on the ground and each race was exciting and closely contested and but one race was finished in straight heats and that was the named race.

In green race No. 1 three started—Lady Vedder, b m owned by C. Vedder; May Day, c m Bidwell Bros.; Gibson Boy, g g Will Gibson, Macon. Great interest was taken by the locals in this race as the horses were well known and evenly matched. In the second heat from start to finish May Day and Gibson Boy were neck and neck and down the stretch McKee made one of the finest drives seen on the track. Lady Vedder after the first heat was unsteady (something new for her) consequently the race was between the other two and a pretty one it was but May Day proved to have the most speed.

May Day	3	1	1	1
Lady Vedder	1	3	3	3
Gibson Boy	2	2	2	2

Time, 1.32, 1.31 1-2, 1.30, 1.31.

Green race No. 2, four contested. This was a pretty race and better time was made. Grosslet, a chestnut roan gelding owned by Wm. Lapham, Onsted; Calanda c g L. Knowlds, Wolf Creek; Lady Beard ch m, P. Cole, Onsted, and C. J. V., g g, VanDoren, Adrian, were all good ones. Calanda though speedy was flighty and, while scoring for the 4th heat, collided with Lady Beard resulting in a broken wheel and was drawn. Lady Beard is a promising pacer. She is a pretty animal and moves well. With proper handling she will pace fast.

Grosslet	1	3	1	1
C. J. V.	3	1	2	2
Lady Beard	2	2	3	3
Calanda	4	4	4	Dr

Time, 1.18 3-4, 1.25 3-4, 1.20 1-4, 1.24 1-2.

The named race had seven starters and although won by Veto, Jr., in straight heats was no walk away. In the 1st heat Prairie Lil was a close second and in the other two heats Corktown hustled him.

Veto Jr. b g. Jas. Segar, Rome	1	1	1
Corktown b g, E Andrews, Adrian	3	2	2
Prairie Lil bk m Wm Cadmus, Tec.	2	3	5
Hamilton Girl gm E Simmons, Tip.	4	4	3
Clara Wilkes bm N Bailey Adrian	5	5	4
Minnie Aragon bm Roberts, L June.	6	6	6
Leopard Rose spot m Prichard Tec.	7	7	7

Time, 1.17, 1.14-2, 1.15-2.

But two started in the 2.40 trot or pace, Central Boy, Geo. Teachout's gamey little pacer, and Frank B., owned by Jas. Vesceilus, of Milan. This race was a hot one as the time will show. Frank B. was steady as a clock and won the second heat in 1.14 but Central Boy was too fast for him and in the fourth heat showed he had any amount of speed. While making the great time of 1.10, could have done much better had it been necessary.

Central Boy, b g	1	2	1	1
Frank B. g g	2	1	2	2

Time, 1.17, 1.14, 1.12, 1.10

In the bicycle race (half mile dash-best 3 in 5) there were three contestants. It was an easy victory for Rosacrans.

Leon Rosacrans, Tecumseh,	1	1	1
C. H. Hay, Brooklyn,	2	2	2
Wm. Wallace, Tecumseh,	3	3	3

Time, 1.17. 1.32. 1.14.

The 100 yard foot race was very close and was won by Guy J. Davidson in 11 1-4 seconds, R. Mead a close second and Lavern Smith 3rd.

Starter—R. J. Wheeler, Toledo, O.

Timers—P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and J. A. Boyd.

Judge—Frank Davidson.

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Mrs. Henry Brown

Died, at the home of her son, on the morning of July 2nd, of consumption. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. O. L. Everhart, of Clinton, and son, Chas. Brown, of this place, also four grandchildren and four brothers, one of whom attended the funeral.

Agnes Brown was born at Syracuse, N. Y., July 1st, 1842. When but a small child she moved with her parents to Michigan where she has since lived. She was an ever faithful and loving mother.

Card of Thanks

We desire to tender our thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted in our recent sad affliction and to those for their floral offering.

MR. AND MRS. O. L. EVERHART,
MR. AND MRS. CHAS. BROWN.

The July number of The Forum contains an exceptionally interesting set of articles. The list of subjects includes just those topics, general and local, which every one is discussing—from the Græco-Turkish War to Mayor Strong's experiment in non-partisan municipal government in New York.

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In the North American Review for July under the caption of "General Grant's Letters to a Friend" is presented the first portion of a number of extremely interesting letters written by the illustrious soldier to his intimate friend, the Hon. Elihu B. Washburne. These letters cover a period of some eighteen years, and now appear in print for the first time. They are accompanied with an introduction and notes by General James Grant Wilson.

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Through the courtesy of the Yarmouth Steamship Company, the Dominion Atlantic Railway, and the Intercolonial Railway, The Arena has despatched a special contributor to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to prepare an article for its August number on "Social and Industrial Conditions in the Canadian Peninsulas." Our contributor will make his studies from Yarmouth to Annapolis and Halifax, and thence by way of Moncton to St. John. The contribution will be of special interest to our readers in the Maritime Provinces of the Dominion, and of general interest to the American public.

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DOWN IN A COAL MINE.

BY R. T. MINTURN.

John Barton and Hiram Adams lived in the small village of Kingston. They were inseparable friends, having been schoolmates together for some years, and when, a few months before my story opens, they were both made orphans on the same day by a terrible accident in the mines, each found a family depending on him for support.

Neither shirked this burden of responsibility. Manfully and well, during the long summer months, they worked side by side in the gloomy caverns of the earth.

One bright day in the latter part of April, an incident occurred which neither of the two friends will be likely to forget, though they live to be centenarians.

A new shaft, some 70 feet in depth, had been sunk during the preceding summer, and a great many miners—John Barton and Hiram Adams among the number—were still employed in making excavations.

Blasting by powder is by no means unusual in mines; or, in fact, in any work requiring the speedy removal of masses of earth and rock.

On this particular occasion a blast of more than ordinary proportions had been prepared, only a few yards from the bottom of the shaft.

To the barrels of powder was attached a fuse, by means of which it would be fired when the proper time arrived.

The miners in the groups were drawn up to the sunlight above, until only a few remained in the dusky, half-illumined recesses underground.

John Barton had been the first to volunteer, and, therefore, was appointed as the person whose duty it would be to ignite the slow match.

"Let me take your place," Hiram pleaded. "Think of your mother and sister, if any accident should happen, John, you know it is dangerous."

"Yes; and I think that a very good reason why I should not let you take my place."

"Then let me stay with you," Hiram urged, an expression of anxiety on his countenance, as he thought of his friend's peril.

"A very sensible idea!" John exclaimed, laughingly. "If you stay with me, the danger will be increased, because the bucket will go up more slowly with two than with one. Now, no more arguments. You know how obstinate I am, and— Hello! That's the signal! Good-by, old fellow! I'll be with you up above in a few moments."

"Remember, John; be careful," were Hiram's last words, as he and the few remaining miners ascended in the bucket, leaving John Barton far below, every instant growing more indistinct, until only the light in his hat could be distinguished glimmering faintly in the darkness.

Soon even that disappeared, and Hiram Adams, looking very anxious and discontented, found himself in the glaring sunshine, and stepped out of the bucket on terra firma.

He was bewildered by the sudden transition from gloom to light. Then his eyes rested on the pale, agitated face of pretty Annie Barton, who had brought her brother's midday lunch, as usual.

He went over to her and spoke reassuringly, and tried to convince her that there was no cause for alarm.

"They have lowered the bucket," he said, presently. "Watch, and you will see the rope jerk twice, the signal from John that it is ready to be drawn up."

The girl endeavored to be calm, but she trembled violently.

An indefinite fear, a strange feeling of apprehension, weighed on Hiram's heart.

The group of swarthy-visaged miners, who were chatting with wives and sweethearts around the opening of the shaft, suddenly grew silent.

It was a moment of suspense, for the boy in the gloomy caverns, 70 feet under ground, was then engaged in lighting the slow match.

The men who were to turn the crank grasped the handles firmly, and no one spoke.

"Ah!"

It was with a sigh of relief that Annie Barton, Hiram Adams and every person in the crowd saw the rope jerked twice.

The match had been applied. John would be with them in a few moments, and all would hear the muffled, rumbling sound of the great explosion in the depths of the earth.

A flush of color rose to Annie Barton's cheek and Hiram Adams felt his heart beating rapidly and his breath coming in short gasps.

The men at the crank worked with a will, when they heard a dull, muffled sound, the rope slackened, and—

"Oh, heavens!"

Annie Barton started forward, her face blanched and a look of horror glazing her wide-open eyes.

Hiram Adams staggered as though shot. Then a man spoke:

"The bucket has capsized—struck the partition. The boy has fallen out!"

Women fainted, strong men grew weak and shuddered, as they thought of the explosion that was now expected every moment.

The suspense was terrible. A boy, perhaps mangled and helpless, was lying at the bottom of the shaft, and the fuse was burning slowly toward the mass of powder.

"Courage, Annie! I'll save him!"

It was Hiram Adams who spoke. In a second he had regained his presence of mind, and now, running his arm through the loop of a lantern, he leaped over the box which surrounded the opening of the shaft, crying to the terror-stricken miners:

"Hold tight till I reach the bucket, then lower me like lightning to the bottom!"

He grasped the rope, twined his legs around it, then slid downward. The rough rope cut his hands, but he did not feel the pain.

Down, down, like a flash he descended through the darkness—down to his helpless friend and to the match which was slowly but surely burning its way toward the powder.

Thank heaven! He has reached the bucket! Another instant he has reached the bottom of the shaft! Is he too late? It is time for the explosion—hush!

A cold perspiration broke out on every brow. There was an awful silence down below and silence up above. Annie Barton tried to pray.

The agony of suspense was terrible. Men could hear each other's hearts beat in the awful stillness. Would the end never come?

How was it with Hiram Adams?

As he reached the bottom, one glance told him all. His friend was stunned and senseless.

He leaped from the bucket, and the light of the lantern showed him the place where the fusee had been laid.

The glimmering little line of fire was within an inch of the train of powder!

Another second and there would be a flash, an explosion louder than thunder, and then the walls round about would be shattered into a thousand fragments.

One little inch of the fusee stood between two human beings and a frightful death.

With a cry the boy sprang forward. He pressed his smarting hands upon the last particle of the burning match, and he lay there for a moment with clenched teeth and suspended breath. Then he arose.

Huzza! The fusee was extinguished, anud he and his friend were safe.

He lifted the insensible form of John Barton into the bucket and gave the signal to be drawn up.

What a thrill of joy ran through every heart when the watchers in the sunlight saw that welcome sign. How the men worked at the crank! How long the seconds seemed, while the buckets ascended up, up, up! until a cheer such as men never before uttered burst from the assembled miners, when they saw, rising out of the earth, the figure of Hiram Adams supporting his insensible friend.

"He is not dead—only stunned," were the young hero's first words, when gentle hands relieved him of his burden and men crowded around him with loud congratulations and women kissed him in the exuberance of their joy.

But when Hiram saw the glad light leap into Annie Barton's eyes, and the warm, red flush suffuse her cheeks—when he marked the silent look of speechless gratitude she gave him—he felt more than rewarded for his act of heroism in rescuing a friend from death.

The sequel to my story is a simple one.

Besides a broken arm and a few ugly bruises, John Barton sustained no serious injuries, and in a few days he was once more himself.

Both he and his friend received lucrative clerkships in the office of the company, and a few years later, pretty Annie Barton became the wife of Hiram Adams, the preserver of her brother's life.

And so it happened that neither of the two friends had reason to regret the fearful peril they encountered when, on one memorable April day, they were brought face to face with death down in a coal mine.—Golden Days

THE METRIC SYSTEM.

Its Introduction Would Simplify All Farm Transactions.

A time-honored absurdity is found in the British corn (grain) markets, says Texas Farm and Ranch. All kinds of grain are sold in quarters. If the quarter meant any particular quantity, the same at all times and with all substances, we could learn to realize what the term meant. But the weight of the quarter depends upon what kind of grain is intended. If it is of wheat from California 500 pounds is one quarter; if the wheat is English grown 504 pounds make a quarter; if it should be Russian barley, 420 pounds are one quarter; Russian oats are sold in quarters of 594 pounds. Oats from elsewhere, 320 pounds make one quarter; English and Scotch oats go 330 pounds per quarter. Schoolboys are taught that 112 pounds make one hundredweight, 20 hundredweight one ton, and that four quarters equal one ton. Hence the quarter should be 560 pounds. Much confusion results in this country from reading the English corn markets, and no wonder. And yet we have a similar custom: For instance, a bushel of corn is 56 pounds, a bushel of oats is 32 pounds and a bushel of wheat is 60. The English paradox is easily explained on the same principle; the quarter varies with the specific gravity of the substance weighed. Let us get the beam out of our own eyes before we make too much ado about the mote in that of our neighbor, John Bull.

Cheap Railroading.

It is quite true, says the Engineering and Mining Journal, that the kingdom of Denmark does not possess a very extended area, but the government, by building railroads and buying those built by private enterprise has now succeeded in giving to its inhabitants a very cheap means of locomotion, and at the same time owns a valuable asset for a large amount of its national debt. The freight rates are already the lowest known. A bill introduced by the government proposes to abolish return tickets and only to issue direct tickets between all stations. One will be able to travel the whole length and breadth of Denmark third-class for a sum not exceeding $1.50, and the distance covered is about 300 by 200 miles. This is a reduction of 50 per cent.

Preserve Their Color.

Roses discovered in tombs containing Egyptian mummies often have their colors perfect, even though some of those found must be over 3,000 years old.

Lennox Marvin.

BY JENNY [illegible]EN.

"A CHARMING tableau—do I interrupt?" questioned Lennox Marvin, as he stopped for a moment on the threshold of the pretty morning room, where two girls sat sewing. The picture thus presented to him was indeed one no artist eye could idly scan. The sun shed its rays here, not with its usual dazzling brilliance, but through cunning device of blind and curtain, with a shaded softness, playing at light and shadow with the tinted wall and the moss-green carpet. Birds in gilded cages caroled sweetly, here and there hung some gem of art, flowers, color everywhere, but color so exquisitely blended that it seemed one perfect whole. And fitting the setting were those within. To Lennox Marvin's question both heads were raised. Over the fair, sweet cheek of one crept a rosy flush; the little hands which held the work trembled, then the blond head bent lower, and the long lashes, with their dark fringe in such contrast to the pure skin, hid the violet eyes from intrusive gaze. One swift glance of the man rested on that bowed head, then he advanced to take the hand the other extended him.

"What welcome shall we offer to reward you for showing us the light of your countenance at this hour? I thought you eschewed early rising."

"On the contrary, I am fond of it, but I did not dream Miss Merle ever favored those who presented themselves before her at so unseasonable a time. What say you, Miss Gore? Can you not put to blush this slur upon my habits?"

"I am too much in ignorance of Mr. Marvin's habits to venture an opinion."

A quick shade of annoyance crossed the handsome face, as Lennox turned to devote himself with all the empressement he could so well assume to his fair hostess, and in a moment a light footfall announced that Helen Gore had left the room. Alone, his manner changed; the empressement fled, and an indifference barely veiled by politeness took its place

"How long has Miss Gore been with you?" he questioned.

"Three years. You know she lost her parents in the same year my father died? I had known her since we were children, and when she was left dependent I offered her a home with me as a companion. I have never had reason to repent the offer. Had you ever met her before this winter, Mr. Marvin?"

"Some four years ago, during the summer, we spent several weeks together at a fashionable watering place. She was very young then, an idol with both father and mother, and as joyous-hearted as the birds. It must have been a sad blow to her, stricken of parents and fortune at one fell swoop."

The next afternoon Helen Gore, slowly sauntering up the broad avenue leading to Miss Merle's spacious grounds, heard a quick step behind her. As it came nearer and nearer, and finally side by side fell in with her own slow tread, the same scarlet flush mantled her cheek, but she took no other notice.

"Miss Helen, why so cruel?" Lennox Marvin earnestly asked. "Are you never going to give me one word of welcome?"

"Never!" broke from the girl's lips. "For you I have no welcome."

"And why not for me? Why do you single me out? Have you so entirely forgotten the past?"

"Pardon me, Mr. Marvin. When you asked me if I had no welcome for you, I forgot you were no longer addressing Miss Gore, who leaned upon a father's arm for protection, who sobbed her grief away upon a mother's tender bosom, whose wealth brought friends and lovers to her feet—but only Miss Gore, the dependent, who has none to shield her from whatever cruel winds fate ordains should blow upon her. A different thing, is it not? With that past time she has naught to do. It has gone out of her life. Allow me, then, to bid you welcome," and one white hand was extended under the shade of the elms.

The man waved it back. "Not thus can I take it. True, you have lost your fortune and parents. Take care lest with them you have lost your own generous heart. Is it possible the girl who has just said such bitter words is she who, under the pale light of a young moon, looked into my eyes with trust and confidence only four years ago? Can time have wrought such change? Helen, I suffered then!"

"You suffered!" the girl interrupted, her seeming calm all gone. "What do you know of suffering? It is an idle word—an empty breath—to such as you. I am contented in my new life, Lennox Marvin. Leave me in peace. Miss Merle, the heiress, awaits your coming."

And, with flying feet, she sped past him, eluding his detaining grasp, into the friendly shelter of the house. He followed slowly and reluctantly, with a face white as her own, on which was written a vague wonderment as to what it all could mean.

In vain Miss Merle lavished her sweetest smiles that night. True, Lennox Marvin was beside her, and she it was whom he addressed, but his eyes ever wandered to the slender little figure on the other side of the room, of which he could see nothing but the glimmer of the golden hair and the little hand as it rose and fell with each stitch she placed in her embroidery. But of all this, Helen knew nothing. She caught only the tender murmur of the tones, heard the low, rippling laugh in answer, and on her work there fell one large, scalding tear, which blurred the present from her sight, but brought into vivid reality the past. She saw it all herself as she stood one night upon the piazza, with Lennox Marvin by her side. He was going away the next morning. She was not to see him again until their return home, but as he said good-by and whispered: "When we meet again, Helen, I shall have a story to tell you," she had looked her willingness to listen when he should be ready to tell, and gone to her rest with the wild, sweet dreams of him. Then came the sudden crash in the commercial world, followed by the loss of both parents, and when, alone and unprotected, she turned to look for the strong arm which should be her shield, it had failed her. One cousin, adopted by her father and almost a brother to her, had been her only stay, and he was powerless to aid her; and so, with her young heart full of desolate bitterness, she turned to face the world. Then came Lina Merle's offer, gladly, eagerly accepted, and in the quiet of her life she was learning to forget, until he crossed her path again, when there swept over her the humiliating conviction that, spite of treachery and deceit, she loved him still, and that she must leave this house ere her secret broke its bounds, ere he reaped his last full triumph.

In vain when she told Miss Merle of her resolution, for which she would assign no reason, did she seek to alter it. "I must go," had been her answer. "I have so much to be thankful for. Do not ask me to lessen the obligation by trying to oppose me."

When from Miss Merle's lips the following morning Lennox Marvin heard this decision, he turned to her with fierce inquiry:

"How happens it that young and beautiful Miss Gore stands thus alone? Let me tell you a story, Miss Merle, and ask your womanly sympathy. Four years ago I loved this girl madly, desperately. Heaven help me, I love her yet." In his eagerness the speaker failed to note how deathly white his listener's face had grown at these words from the lips of the man who once had said he hoped she might be spared the knowledge suffering brings; had fallen the cruel truth which had taught her sorrow's first lesson, but, with woman's pride and the strength given in her need, she gave no further sign, as he continued: "One night, the last time I saw her ere we met under your roof, I had almost told my secret. I thought my face had left me naught to put in words. I thought she had been glad to read therein the story. After she left me and I still paced up and down, thinking of the eyes which had last looked into mine, and whose wonderful violet depths I dreamed I had penetrated, her father joined me. Whether he, too, had read my secret and wished to spare me further I know not, but he told me his daughter's hand was promised to her cousin; that the dearest wish of his life was to see them united. I asked him if it were with her consent. 'She is but a child,' he answered, 'but she has always loved him, and has never opposed my desire.' The next week I sailed for Europe. Of all that followed I heard nothing for months. Of her absolute marriage I dreaded to learn the certainty, but you may imagine my surprise when I found her under your roof on my return—found her regarding me with aversion and hatred—even driven from the home she had found with you, because at times desecrated by my presence. Tell her from me it shall not be so, but that once again the wide sea shall roll between us, if she will but remain under your protection. Good-by, Miss Merle. Heaven bless you. I leave her in your care."

Ere she could find words to answer he had gone out into the clear, fresh air with hasty strides; he put, as he hoped, the past forever behind him, until a sound reached his ear—a sound which made him stop as if turned to stone. Only a horse's hoofs, dashing madly down the avenue! Only a riderless horse flying past him! Miss Merle had told him Helen had gone to ride. He had determined never to look on the face which had caused him such agony again, yet, with a great anguish at his heart, he now hastened onward, praying only that once more he might behold her, free from scar or stain. On and on, until by the roadside his quick eye noted a something which made him, strong man though he was, reel as if intoxicated—a form which lay as it had been thrown, in a disordered heap. Gently, tenderly he lifted it in his arms and looked at the fair, sweet face, with its perfect beauty unmarred, but the eyes veiled by lids which quivered not, the mouth half apart, from which issued no breath. A great dread rose in Lennox Marvin's heart. True, he clasped the one woman he had loved to his breast, but it was only her lifeless form. He rained mad kisses upon cheek, lip and brow, called her the thousand names his heart had so often silently uttered, implored for but one little sign in answer, chafed the cold hands, breathed his breath into the parted mouth, until at last a fluttering sigh escaped the lips; the eyes, looking like violets wet with dew, opened softly and met the gaze of the man who held her. "Yes, Helen, you are lying powerless in his arms whom you so hate. Spurn me, scorn me if you will; only let me feel you live; only let me know your sweet form is somewhere on this wide earth, and I will not grieve you by my presence. Why, oh, my darling—why could you not love me?—I, who have loved you all these years—who would so willingly lay down my life to win one answering word of love."

The words burst from the man's white lips almost unconsciously. Was she dreaming? Was it death's waking? In the eyes which met hers she read only truth, and when stronger she heard all the explanation of the past, the mistake of a father who had not known his child's heart, and her own after error. She looked into Lennox Marvin's face with the sweet confidence of a child shining through unbidden tears, and the next moment her head was drawn down to the heart which was to be her shelter forevermore.

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An odd sight is to be witnessed daily on the Consolidated exchange. Visitors for some time have noted a little group of women who stand all day long in the gallery at the Broadway end of the building, says the New York Mail and Express. They also notice one particular broker on the floor who is continually craning his neck and glancing at one of the women in that group. Every once in awhile, after a glance, he jumps into the wheat pit, which is just under the edge of the gallery, and makes a transaction.

Only the observing will notice, however, any connection between his operations and the woman whom he watches. From 10:30 o'clock till three o'clock she stands there, with one hand resting over the railing. With slight movements of this hand she gives orders to buy and sell wheat to the broker. The number of fingers extended indicates the number of thousands of bushels to be done, and a twist up or down of the whole hand tells the broker whether to buy or sell.

But that is not the queer part of it. A stranger asked one of the brokers, a friend of his, who the woman was.

"Why," was the reply, "that's the clairvoyant operator. She's a real clairvoyant all right and she reads the future turns in the market and buys or sells accordingly. Or at least she thinks she reads the future, and maybe she does, for she has lasted longer than the ordinary woman speculator. She has been at it for months."

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The little baskets in which strawberries are sold by the quart cost at the factory about .35 of a cent each. Barnesville, O., is a great manufacturing point for these goods. The baskets are shipped by thousands direct to the big berry fields, or sent out through the commission houses, that sell them at .425 of a cent each.

Order to New Recruits.

Lansing, July 1. — Orders have been issued by Adjt. Gen. Irish to the effect that at the coming encampment, soldiers will not be mustered for camp duty whose enlistment is later than July 1. Enlistment rolls must reach him before July 6 in order to have such men available for muster.

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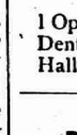

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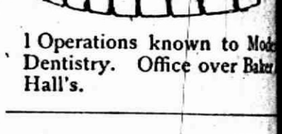

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Wabash Line

To take Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:13 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:22 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:55 p. m.
New York Express	8:30 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	12:01 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:44 p. m.
St. Louis Express	8:15 p. m.

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Jackson Branch. In Effect May 30, 1897

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 349 Accom.
....LV.	6 55 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 50 P.M.
Coleon	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Dwell	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Chester	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 45 "
Stop	7 26 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Marsh	7 36 "	3 15 "	6 05 "
Milan	8 15 "	3 45 "	4 3 "
Dwell	16 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Jackson	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 00 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 3 00 p. m.
" " 231 " " " 11:55 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318 Express.	No. 348 Accom.
Mail	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	.....
Milan	7 45 "	7 50 "	.....
Marsh	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Plumsh	9 05 "	9 19 "	7 38 "
Stop	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 10 "
Chester	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Dwell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Coleon	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
Jackson	10 15 "	10 35 "	11 00 "

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Time Table in effect May 23, 1897.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

21,	Passenger	11:59 p. m.
23,	Passenger	6:02 p. m.
25,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
31,	Passenger	6:46 a. m.

WEST BOUND.

22,	Passenger	8:42 a. m.
24,	Passenger	4:07 p. m.
26,	Local Freight	10:02 a. m.

Sunday train going west leaves Tecumseh at 8:42 a. m. returning at 6:46 p. m.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	‡ 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 5	
Plymouth	7 30	6 22	10 2	4 30
Milan	7 53	6 45	10 1	5 00
Tecumseh	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
O. S. Ry.				
Tecumseh.....Lv.			2 30	8 20
Dingfield			4 50	10 30
Jackson.....Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P.M.	† P.M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Detroit.....Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 26		‡ 12 40
Plymouth	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Milan	9 32	2 23	8 47	10 48
Tecumseh.....Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
O. S. Ry.				A.M.
Tecumseh.....Ar.		11 30	5 15	
Dingfield		9 25	3 00	
Jackson.....Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

‡ Sundays only. † Daily except Sunday.

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LORD SALISBURY'S ROUTINE.

In Spite of His Arduous Work He Keeps in Good Health.

It is a marvel that one who does so much mental work and takes so little exercise as Lord Salisbury should be so seldom ill, says the London Sketch. "I never meet a well-known blue brougham," remarked Earl Granville some ten years ago, "but I say: 'See, he has got time to walk even from Arlington street to Downing street.'" The blue brougham was Lord Salisbury's. It has been steadily in use this year. Lord Salisbury enjoys a saunter in St. James' Park or along the embankment, but for pleasures of this sort he has not had much time during the Cretan crisis. Nor at any time does he care for sport or sports. To these he is as indifferent as Mr. Chamberlain. He has played a few strokes at golf to humor Mr. Balfour, but if he entered the parliamentary tournament he would require a specially high handicap. It is only in his chemical laboratory that he finds any congenial recreation. During his visit to the south of France the prime minister will fortunately escape the domestic worries of Downing street, but the burden of foreign affairs will always be with him at such a critical time as the present.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Michigan Localities.

Carl Proto was killed by the kick of a horse at Vicksburg.

There is not a single desirable store vacant at Coldwater.

The Bay City council has refused to pass an ordinance to tax bicycles.

The whortleberry crop in the vicinity of Fife lake will be the largest in years.

Joseph Yonkey was seized with a cramp while bathing and was drowned at Warren.

Clarence Phillips, of Covert, was drowned in the river at South Haven while bathing.

The hay crop of Lenawee, Branch and Hillsdale counties will be the largest ever known.

While despondent from ill-health John Koonsman committed suicide at Freemont by hanging.

Delevan Tiffiny, of Big Rapids, has been appointed deputy factory inspector for the Fifth district.

Hon. J. B. Jewell, a former member of the state legislature, is dead at Fremont, aged 71 years.

Farmer Wiedoff, living near Pittsfield, fell in front of a mower and had both legs cut off below the knees.

The three-year-old son of Peter Coakley, of Burnt Island, near Detour, fell into the water and was drowned.

Quite a large number of black bear have been seen north of Alger in the vicinity of the huckleberry marshes.

Because of disappointment in love Miss Lucy Barnes, aged 18, committed suicide at North Star, Gratiot county.

Gov. Pingree has appointed C. W. Young, of Paw Paw, a delegate-at-large to the national farmers' congress at St. Paul.

The three-year-old child of Graham Watson, of Manton, fell under a wagon, the wheels of which passed over the child's head, inflicting fatal injuries.

A splendid specimen of oil rock has been found near Roscommon, which strengthens the belief of residents there that the town is the center of an oil belt.

Howard City sportsmen will stock the woods in the vicinity of that town with Mongolian pheasants. They expect to enjoy some fine sport in a year or two.

Milo Rich was struck by an eastbound passenger train on the Lake Shore Railway just east of Coldwater, and crushed so terribly that death ensued in a few minutes.

Wool buyers at Quincy have purchased 40,000 pounds of wool so far this season. Farmers are realizing considerably more for their wool this year than for several years past.

The Oakland Electric Railway company has completed its lines to within a block of the business portion of Pontiac, and now makes regular trips between Detroit and Pontiac.

If the potato bugs this year are as bad as all reports would indicate, the outlook for a crop of the tubers of anything like the size of those of the past two years is rather small.

The annual rally of the Sunday schools of Ingham county will be held on the grounds of the Agricultural college, near Lansing, on August 18, and extensive preparations for the event are being made.

As a result of the meeting of citizens with Dr. A. W. Smith, of Adrian, president of the Tri-State Band association, at the Hibbard house, Jackson secured the reunion of musicians of the states of Ohio, Indiana and Michigan this year.

Brewery Syndicate Planned.

Detroit, July 7—Proprietors of the 26 breweries in Detroit are planning to sell out to a syndicate composed chiefly of English capitalists. The considerations are to be cash and stock and bonds of the new corporation. Nearly all the breweries have signed an agreement for the above purpose. A result of the consolidation will be a rise in the price of beer from four and five dollars per barrels to six dollars.

New Fruit Pest.

Galesburg, July 3. — A pest, new to this locality, is attacking fruit trees in this vicinity. The damage is inflicted by a small worm, representing one stage in its development. Young pear trees seem to have a peculiar attraction for it, although it is to be found on all fruit producing vegetation. Unless speedily checked the potato bug will be harmless in comparison.

Babe Crushed to Death.

Fife Lake, July 1. — While Graham Watson and family were driving from Manton to attend a Free Methodist camp meeting at South Boardman, his three-year-old baby fell from the wagon. Two wheels passed over its head, inflicting fatal injuries.

For a Through Telephone Line.

Holland, July 2.—Plans are being completed for the connection of the independent telephone exchanges between Watervleit and Holland, which will make a through line, independent of the Bell, between Benton Harbor and Grand Rapids.

May Levy an Assessment.

Lansing, July 2.—Receiver May, of the Ingham County savings bank, has been empowered by the circuit court to levy an assessment upon the stockholders of the bank for the benefit of depositors.

Will Row at Detroit.

Detroit, July 3.—Representatives of the directory of the Northwestern Rowing association decided that the annual regatta will be held on the Belle Isle course, Detroit river, August 2 and 3.

Pioneer Dead.

Decatur, July 3. — R. J. King, an early pioneer of western Michigan and one of the most widely known residents in that region, is dead at Sodus, aged 87 years.

Decatur, June 14.—Irving Bates fell from a dam at Grand Lodge and was drowned.

A LONG LIST.

Many Accidents Resulting in Death Throughout the State.

Detroit, July 6. — A remarkable number of fatal accidents have been reported from various cities of this state. The most prominent ones are as follows:

Detroit—The list of persons who died in this city from sunstroke and heat prostration Monday was swelled Tuesday to 13. One boy was killed in a runaway caused by firecrackers, and a little girl was fatally burned. Fifteen others were injured by fireworks accidents.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Jane Hilderds, aged 60, a widow, died from sunstroke.

Grand Rapids—Henry W. Wierenga, a farmer, aged 60, fell at the roadside from a sunstroke and died before help reached him.

Grand Marias—Lewis Petrotti and James Youngs were drowned 25 miles south of here. Petrotti fell from a raft and Youngs tried to rescue him.

Muskegon—A 13-year-old son of Antone Pfenning was drowned while playing in a boat on Ruddiam's creek.

Averill—Leonard Fawling, aged 22, and Al Christie, 20, were drowned while swimming Saturday night. Christie tried to save Fawling.

St. Clair—Near Stag island Eddie Kelly, of this city, aged 13, was knocked overboard by the boom of a sailboat and drowned.

Grand Haven—A lad named Goldberg was drowned while bathing four miles up the river.

Port Huron—E. F. Hamilton, of Mayville, in charge of a stock car, on its way to Buffalo, fell from the top of the train in the P. & P. M. yards, breaking his neck.

Lansing—Joseph Dale, a molder, aged 40, jumped from a D., G. R. & W. train and was fatally crushed.

Onekama—Mrs. Lewis Jones, an old lady, was burned to death.

Pontiac—Charles Doyle, while working in a hay field, dropped from sunstroke and died in one hour.

NEARLY 600 GRADUATES.

Big Lot of Diplomas Given Out at Ann Arbor.

Ann Arbor, July 2.—The fifty-third annual graduating exercises of the University of Michigan were held Thursday morning. Five hundred and seventy-one degrees in course and eight honorary degrees were bestowed. The honorary degrees are as follows:

Master of pharmacy, Morrice A. Miner, of Chicago; master of science, Eben S. Wheeler, of Sault Ste. Marie; master of arts, Lawrence C. Hull, of Lawrenceville, N. J.; doctor of science, Charles L. Doolittle, professor of astronomy in the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; doctor of laws, Daniel Putnam, principal of the Michigan state normal at Ypsilanti; Edward Wolfin, of the University of Munich; Henry F. Severance, United States judge of the Western district of Michigan, and Very Rev. Robert H. Story, of the University of Glasgow.

Great interest attached itself to the annual commencement oration by President Andrew S. Draper, of the University of Illinois, and it was everywhere conceded to be one of the ablest delivered here in many years. Dr. Draper was introduced by President Angell in a highly complimentary manner. The subject of President Draper's address was "The Recovery of the Law."

WIPED OUT BY FIRE.

Flames Destroy the Best Part of the Village of Lake Ann.

Manistee, July 4. — Lake Ann, a village of nearly 1,000 inhabitants, is almost desolate, as the result of a disastrous fire that swept through the town. The fire started in Habbler's stave mill, swept across the track to the south, taking the depot and hotel. The business portion suffered, and most of the residences are destroyed. The heat was terrible and the inhabitants had to flee for their lives. Thirty-one families are utterly destitute and in need of food and clothing. The loss of property is estimated at $75,000.

Death of Mrs. Austin Blair.

Jackson, July 5. — Mrs. Austin Blair, widow of Michigan's "war governor," is dead from nervous prostration, aged 63. During 1861 and 1862 Mrs. Blair visited the soldiers of the Twentieth and Twenty-sixth regiments encamped here and gave them a mother's attention. Her death was sudden. The governor died three years ago.

Wins Shooter's Medal.

Detroit, July 1.—Thomas H. Graham, of Sault Ste. Marie won the championship medal for experts at the second and last day's shoot of the Michigan Trap Shooters' league. Parker, of Detroit, won the second prize for average shooting, with a percentage of .875, and Waruf, of Kalamazoo, third, with a percentage of .853.

Chicago, —C. D. Mosher, a prominent photographer, dropped dead of heart disease in a restaurant Monday.

Hotel Normandie, Detroit, Reduces Rates.

Determined to continue catering to the popular demand for good hotel accommodations at low prices, we have decided to reduce the rates on fifty (50) rooms from $2 50 to $2 00 per day, and rooms with bath from $3 50 to $3 per day.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1897, and on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 20th day of May, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

DAN'L T. HALL,
FRED'K B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

Dated, May 20th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 27th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Coryell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Addison Coryell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred have been fully paid, and praying that his final account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 90 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northerly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 10 links (3.13) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 6 chains and 93 links (6.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 25, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gosling; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 25, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 24, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Knickland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. 4 chains to an iron stake; thence south 3d degrees west 5 chains and 33 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 38-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 80 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 10 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandotte St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 25, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 25, 306 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 253 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 10 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the report of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 16-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence north along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Rice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 21 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 82-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line of north ½ 80¼ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 74 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 75½ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 38 degrees east 8 chains and 25 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of north east ¼ of section 27, 6 chains and 96 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 17-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER,
Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

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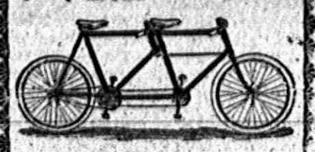

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LOVE'S SHELTERING WAY.

BY MATTY C. NASH.

MARY WINSLOW hurried a little as she climbed into the ten-thirty accommodation train from New Rochelle to New York. The accommodation trains were always crowded; and she wanted very much to get a seat on the side of the car from which she could catch a glimpse of her house, where her babies were. She had almost missed the train lingering over good-by kisses and baby love-making.

She was doing a very bold thing. For the first time in the four years of her married life, she was undertaking something without consulting her husband about it. But it was for his sake—to save him from terrible anxiety; and to do that she would dare anything.

The tears stood in her eyes at the thought of his shoulders, already stooped under their burden of care, and his face so crossed with lines that told as plainly as did the scantily covered crown from which the curly, boyish crop of brown hair had slipped how hard had been, and was, his fight up the stream of fortune.

And his shabby coat and frayed linen! David rarely got any new clothes, and when he did he went to a cheap tailor who did not fit him very well. He was a little man. Mary used to think if he had been a few inches taller he would have cared more for dress. But she was wrong about that. He was very modest and not vainly clever; but he knew it was to be a coat as beautiful as tailor's skill could make it to make him more respected at his office or more loved at home. All beyond those two places was nothing to him.

But Mary loved him. She more than loved him. She put him on a pedestal and crowned him with glory and honor. She broke the alabaster box of her whole being's adoration at his feet; and she would have died for him gladly.

Mary was a large, fair woman, who, richly and fashionably dressed, would have looked like a duchess. As it was, in her simple, home-made gowns and modest bonnet, she only looked like a very beautiful mother, which is more than some duchesses do.

A conventional looking young curate and a handsome, large-featured man of 50, with a deep mourning band on his hat, sat in the seat directly in front of Mary. The elder man had his little daughter, dressed in mourning, on his knee, and he and the curate laughed and chatted with the little girl to amuse her.

"There is a newly made widower," thought Mary; "and he doesn't seem to mind much. I wonder if David would (she had almost said "will") care so little."

Suddenly the older man turned to the curate, and Mary saw his face drawn in an agony of grief.

"Did you ever bury anyone you loved desperately?" he asked.

The curate answered with appropriate courtesy: "No, I have been very fortunate. I have always thought, however, that the only wise way to face such a grief would be philosophically, knowing it was God's will that it should come to all."

"You have never buried anyone you loved desperately. When you come to it I trust that you will not be thinking of philosophy," said the other.

Then they spoke of other things. Mary pulled down her vail to hide her wet cheeks.

"Poor David! He will mind; he will not forget right away," she thought.

A half-hour later, Mary stood in a clean, bare little room high up on the top floor of a quiet boarding-house on a side street. A young doctor with wide-awake, intelligent face was talking to her.

"Yes, Mrs. Robinson," he said, gravely, "the operation is imperative; it is the only way to save your life. If it succeeds, you will become a perfectly strong woman; if it fails, you'll be spared the pain of a lingering death, for you'll not survive the operation more than a half hour at the most. I put the case plainly to you. You must know all the circumstances, all the risks, that you may decide wisely."

"I have decided," she answered, steadily.

"Very well, I will have the nurses here in a little while, and the other doctors will meet me here at a quarter before two. I have spoken to them about it. I was only waiting for a final word from you to complete all the arrangements."

He bade Mary "Good morning," and left her alone.

Mary was naturally rather a coward, especially about little things. Spiders, worms and snakes, even very small ones, made her almost faint; and she was afraid to travel alone, or to sleep in a room by herself. But her pulse was very steady now. It seemed to her to say "David, David, David," as it beat.

She walked over to the window and looked down at the people coming and going in the street. It seemed to her that she had entirely lost her personality. She had really become this Mrs. Robinson she had told the doctor and the boarding-house keeper she was. She was of vital importance to nobody about her. To the doctor and nurses she was a "case," and there were many "cases" like her in the city. The hospitals were full of people who were going to die soon, were dying even now. As she thought of it the black pall of death seemed to settle over her and all she saw, and smother her.

"My husband—my husband!" she gasped; "can I bear it without you?"

Presently she sat down at a little table, and wrote a letter to him. She put his full address with careful clearness on the envelope. Then she wrote a note to the doctor, inclosing her husband's letter in it.

She had never thought of dying

In the fleeting thoughts she had had of death, David had always been there to hold her hand. But now she was liable, even likely, to die alone. Poor Mary! "Alone" meant to her "without David."

"Mrs. Robinson," said Dr. Ellis, when the assistant surgeons and nurses had come, "I feel it due to myself to ask that you repeat before these gentlemen what you said in regard to your understanding of the risk you run in undergoing this operation."

"I know that I may die, but I wish to undergo the operation."

She spoke slowly, with quiet dignity.

"There is no one whom you wish to see, no one who should be consulted?"

"No one."

She drew from under her pillow the letter she had written, and handed it to Dr. Ellis. "When the issue of the operation is quite clear, I wish you to open and read this," she said.

She lay quietly while they put the ether mask over her white face, not struggling against it as some people do. Only once she sat up suddenly and looked about her with wide open eyes, stretching out her arms and saying:

"Oh, if you will only let me lie in my husband's arms I will bear anything!" And then she lost consciousness.

It was half-past three when a breathless messenger, rushing into Mr. Winslow's down-town office, handed him a note from Dr. Ellis:

"Dear Sir: Your wife has just undergone an operation. I have every reason to hope it will be a successful one. The inclosed note from Mrs. Winslow will explain to you why I have but now made you aware of what has been done. Very sincerely yours, J. HOWE ELLIS."

The other note read thus:

"Dear Dr. Ellis: I have not told you my real name, for I did not wish my husband to have the pain and anxiety of anticipating this operation nor the suffering of seeing me suffer it; and I thought that if you knew I had a husband you would be likely to object to taking so much responsibility without having him to share it. If all goes well you need only send him the inclosed note. If I should die—tell him gently. MARY WINSLOW."

"My Darling Husband: You have been so good, so tender, so true to me, and you have made me so happy always, that I have wanted some way to show you how grateful I am. There has never been any way before, but now there is a way. Thank the dear Father you have taught me to love and have helped me to try to serve, I have been strong enough to save you a great deal of pain.

"When you get this, my love, my heart's dear, dear love, I shall be quite through with a very bad operation, which has been hanging over me for months. I knew I must undergo it or die, and yet it was so sweet at home I could not come in here before; but the doctor said I could not wait any longer, so I came in to-day.

"Jane is a good nurse, she will take care of the children while I am away. Aren't they beautiful?

"God bless you, my husband, my love.

"MARY."

The three doctors stood wiping their gleaming instruments, talking in half-whispers of the operation. A white-capped nurse was unpinning the sheets and padding from the operating table.

At the side of the bed where Mary lay, another doctor and another white-capped nurse stood watching for the first signs of her returning consciousness. She lay heavily and with muscles relaxed, with closed eyes, breathing laboriously, and white as the linen on her bed.

David pushed open the door with unsteady hand, and came across the room to the bed. Without a word he dropped on his knees in a grief-stricken heap at the bedside.

Dr. Ellis put his hand on his shoulder, and he looked up, with anguish-laden eyes, that pitifully pleaded for a word of hope.

"She will do well," said the doctor, in a cheery whisper. "The operation was a success far beyond our expectations. But it is important for her to come out of the ether quietly. Don't you think, Mr. Winslow, it would be a good plan for you to stand here at the foot of the bed, where she can see you when she first opens her eyes? Then she will forget entirely all the pain of her separation from you, and everything will be quite nice and comfortable."

David rose, dumbly obedient, and stood where the doctor directed, devouring with his eyes the pale, beautiful face lying amid the thick brown braids.

"Now, Mrs. Winslow, is the pillow right?" asked Dr. Ellis, trying to rouse her. "Won't you let me try to raise you up a little?"

It seemed hours to David before Mary, with a deep sigh, lifted her heavy white lids. A moment her half-conscious eyes rested on the doctor, who was speaking to her, and then she looked at David. She tried to make the nerveless lips move—failed once, and then slowly, painfully, she said: "Darling, I love you!"

"She's all right now," said Dr. Ellis, in a tone of relief.

In a few moments all the doctors had gone, leaving David and a nurse to watch Mary.

"She's doing splendidly now, sir," said the nurse, moved by the trouble in David's face to speak to him. "There is not a bit more danger."

But David did not believe that. The shadow of the terrible possibility of his wife's dying had fallen across his heart, and it would take more than words to lift it.

As the doctors went down the steps of the boarding house one said:

"And yet we are taught that women are not brave."

"Oh, yes, they are brave, or the world would soon be depopulated," said the newly-fledged doctor who had administered the ether. "But—er—Dr. Ellis, now what do you think of that scheme of mine for removing the vermiform appendix in infants, and doing away forever with chances of appendicitis?"

"A great scheme and a great schemer, doctor," answered Ellis, laughing good-naturedly. "When you find a mother with a subject to try, consider me at your service gratis for the operation."

And the doctors went their several ways.—N. Y. Independent.

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Governor of Missouri Remembers the Man Who Once Saved His Life.

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Following the usual course of human events, the ways of the two boys diverged. One prospered in business and politics, the other became a citizen of Springfield, where he, too, was fairly prosperous. When the time came that there was a vacancy in the office to which he was recently appointed, Barman applied for it, and the governor without hesitation gave it to him.

"It is the only thing that he has ever asked at my hands," said the governor, "and he is in every way worthy of it."

HUSBAND AND WIFE IN RUSSIA.

Their Relations Marked by Every Evidence of Mutual Courtesy.

"This is a curious custom you Americans have of referring to your wives by their husbands' names," observed Glanvock Kaplon, an intelligent Russian traveler, says the St. Louis Republic. "I suppose the American holds his wife in as high esteem as the Russian holds his, but if at home I should speak of my better half as Mrs. Kaplon my friends would at once conclude that my domestic relations were not as pleasant as they should be, and that I was thinking of a legal separation. When I first heard an American speak of his wife as Mrs. Jones, for example, I felt almost like presuming on my acquaintance by intruding into his private affairs and asking him what the trouble was at home. Yet I soon learned that the custom was universal over here, but still I cannot get used to it. 'My wife' is the plain, blunt way I speak in Russia of the lady who, I suppose, I would have to call Mrs. Kaplon in polite society in America. In some of the more fashionable circles of St. Petersburg this American social custom has been adopted, though I was told by a prominent government official not long ago that the czar disapproved of it."

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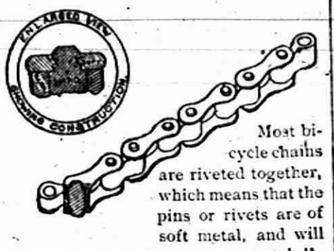

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NEW TARIFF BILL.

It Passes the Senate by a Vote of 38 to 28.

The Main Points of Difference with the House Measure—Goes to Conference—Other Washington News.

Washington, July 8. — By the decisive vote of 38 to 28 the tariff bill was passed in the senate yesterday. A resolution was agreed to asking the house for a conference, and Senators Allison, Aldrich, Platt (Conn.), Burrows, Jones (Nev.), Vest, Jones (Ark.) and White were named as conferees on the part of the senate. The bill as it goes back to the house reenacts the anti-trust section of the Wilson act, while the reciprocity and retaliatory provisions are substituted for those of the house. One of the most important new provisions added by the senate is that placing a stamp tax on bonds, debentures and certificates of stock. Aside from these more important changes, the bill as it goes back to the house has 874 amendments, of various degrees of importance, which must be reconciled between the two branches of congress.

Washington, July 9.—The session of the senate yesterday was devoted to considering the deficiency appropriation bill.

Washington, July 10. — In the senate yesterday the death of Senator Harris, of Tennessee, was announced, and as a mark of respect an adjournment was taken.

Washington, July 12.—No work was done in the senate on Saturday, the senators adjourning to attend the funeral of the late Senator Harris, of Tennessee.

Washington, July 13.—The deficiency appropriation bill occupied the time of the senate yesterday, but was not completed.

Washington, July 14.—The general deficiency appropriation bill was passed in the senate yesterday after an amendment had been adopted limiting the price to be paid for armor plate to $300 per ton and providing for the establishment of a government plant for the manufacture of armor plate in the event of failure to obtain bids within the limit fixed.

The House.

Washington, July 8. — In the house yesterday no business was transacted.

Washington, July 9. — In the house yesterday a message was received from the senate announcing the passage of the tariff bill and requesting a conference. The house adopted a special order sending the tariff bill to conference at once.

Washington, July 10. — In the house yesterday no business was transacted.

Washington, July 12.—The house was not in session on Saturday.

Washington, July 13.—On account of the death of Senator Harris, as soon as the journal had been read yesterday the house, on motion of Mr. Moon (dem., Tenn.), as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased senator, adjourned.

Washington, July 14.—In the house yesterday a bill was introduced making the salary of the postmaster at Chicago $8,000 a year after July 1, 1898.

May Be Reinstated.

Washington, July 10.—The commissioner of pensions has before him the cases of about 100 veterans dismissed from the pension office during the last administration and who seek reinstatement. They are being carefully considered.

President's Vacation.

Washington, July 10.—President McKinley will spend most of his summer vacation on the shores of Lake Champlain. He will leave Washington on August 1 and go direct to Lake Champlain. Plattsburg, N. Y., will be his nearest town.

Will Be Revoked.

Washington, July 12.—The order of President Cleveland, issued last February, and which has not gone into effect, reducing the number of pension agencies in the United States from 18 to nine, will be revoked by President McKinley within a few days.

A Grip on Hawaii.

Washington, July 13.—The administration has taken steps to keep its grip on Hawaii. Any aggressive interference on the part of Japan will result in the landing of marines and the hoisting of the American flag, with or without the ratification of the pending annexation treaty.

Coinage of Silver Dollars.

Washington, July 14.—A statement prepared at the mint bureau shows the number of silver dollars coined at the United States mints during the last fiscal year was 21,203,701 on which the seigniorage or profits to the government amounted to $6,336,104. The profits have been turned into the treasury from time to time as the coinage progressed.

Dropped Dead at Play.

Rockford, Ill., July 14.—While at play in the yard in front of her home in Rockton, near this city, the little three-year-old daughter of Harry Douglas dropped dead. Her mother saw her fall, but the child had ceased to breathe when the mother reached her.

Frozen to Death.

Port Townsend, Wash., July 14.—Word received here says that three men named Blackstone, Bottcher and Mollique were frozen to death in Alaska while endeavoring to carry mail from Sunrise City across the glacier to Prince William Sound.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

National League Holds Its Convention in Detroit.

Detroit, July 14.—The National Republican league convention opened Tuesday with a fair attendance of delegates for an "off year" in politics. Nearly all the states are represented, although the quotas of delegates are small in several instances. It was 10:30 o'clock when President Woodmansee rapped for order. Rev. Dr. Service, of the Trumbull Avenue Presbyterian church, offered prayer. President Woodmansee then introduced Gov. Pingree, who delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the state of Michigan. Col. Henry M. Duffield, of this city, welcomed the delegates on behalf of Detroit. E. N. Dingley, Jr., of Kalamazoo, was the next speaker. As president of the Michigan League of Republican Clubs he welcomed the visiting delegates. The president of the National league, D. D. Woodmansee, of Cincinnati, then delivered his annual address. A resolution was adopted directing that a telegram of greeting be sent President McKinley, congratulating him upon the success of the republican administration, and asserting that the promised era of prosperity is now near of fulfillment. Later a reply was received from the president expressing best wishes for the increased usefulness and prosperity of the organization. No announcement of the list of committees was made, as many states had not settled upon their selection. All resolutions were referred to the committee on resolutions, which met at night. The convention then adjourned until ten o'clock Wednesday morning. In the afternoon a trolley ride about the city was taken by the delegates, 30 cars being employed. At night a mass meeting was held in the convention hall. The speakers were Charles Emory Smith, of Philadelphia; Webster Davis, of Kansas City, and ex-United States Senator Brown, of Utah.

CANNOT COLLECT TOLLS.

Important Case Decided by the Michigan Supreme Court.

Lansing, July 14.—A decision of interest to wheelmen was made by the supreme court Tuesday. James O Murfin recovered damages against the Detroit & Erie Plank Road company for preventing him from riding a bicycle upon its road without the payment of toll. The supreme court holds that there is nothing in the statute to authorize the company to charge toll against pedestrians, or persons propelling wheelbarrows, carts or baby carriages. The court thinks that a distinction may be made between vehicles propelled by men and those depending upon animals or motor power for propulsion. The former class, it is held, cannot be required to pay toll upon plank and toll roads of this state.

The Crops.

Chicago, Ill., July 14.—The weekly report of the weather and crop bureau has the following with reference to Michigan: Good weather for hay harvest, corn and ripening of wheat, but too dry for oats, potatoes, beans, berries and pastures. Wheat in good condition; has filled well and harvest begun. Oats of good color, heading fast, but rather short. Rye fine and being out. Corn made great progress, looks good and beginning to tassel.

Peppermint Crop Short.

Decatur, July 14.—The cutting of the Michigan peppermint crop has begun in some localities, and the mint harvest will be well under way next week. The yield of oil per acre will be considerably less than last season, but the total output of the district will nearly reach last year's figures by reason of the largely increased acreage devoted to the culture of the herb.

Money for the Militia.

Washington, D. C., July 9.—The secretary of war has approved the apportionment of $400,000 appropriated in the last sundry civil bill to provide arms and equipment for the militia of the various states. The sum named is divided on the basis of each state's total representation in both branches of congress. The Michigan militia has been allowed $12,076.

Will Make Strawberry Wine.

Galesburg, July 11.—A strawberry surplus, which has been a matter of solicitude upon the part of growers, bids fair to be utilized. J. E. Gault, one of the most extensive growers of them near here, is turning them into wine and the results promise to be such as to make a future "glut" of the fruit an impossibility.

Novel Experience of Two Women.

Alpena, July 14.—Capt. and Mrs. Persons, of Thunder Bay Island, and Mr. and Mrs. Case, of Alpena, went down to the Pewabic wreck in the Smith diving bell, remaining an hour and a half. These are probably the only two women who ever went down in 160 feet of water and came up alive.

Aged Lady's Fatal Draught.

Decatur, July 14.—Mrs. Margaret Guy, of Ionia, aged 99 years, died Tuesday from drinking carbolic acid by mistake. She leaves 31 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Killed by an Unknown Person.

Decatur, July 13. — B. C. Wright was shot and killed at Coleman by some person unknown.

THE MINERS' STRIKE.

Forces Engaged in the Struggle Determined as Ever.

Efforts Made to Secure Arbitration—Coal Advances in Price—Ironclad Contracts Quickly Swept Away.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 12.—The week closed with the forces engaged in the miners' strike determined as ever and on the alert to secure the slightest advantage. No openly aggressive work was done Saturday by either side, but the miners' officials held a secret meeting at which it is believed a vigorous campaign against the New York and Cleveland gas coal miners to be inaugurated at once was decided upon. The operators apparently are doing little and are saying less. However, their confidence in defeating the miners has not abated in the least. The expected trouble in the Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio did not come to the surface Saturday. The miners were paid off as announced, but no trouble whatever followed.

Efforts for Arbitration.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 13.—The miners' strike is causing the price of coal to still advance and it is selling at $1.80, an increase of 150 per cent. since the commencement of the struggle. The feature Monday in matters pertaining to the strike was the presence in the city of the joint arbitration board, who are endeavoring by every means possible to bring to a peaceable conclusion the strife now in progress. The board held informal sessions and in the intervals interviewed quite a number of operators, the big majority of whom are in favor of arbitration, provided all of the operators will abide by the decision rendered. One of the dissenters is W. P. Dearmit, president of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company. He declares he has nothing to arbitrate and says the strike is the result of the machinations of politicians.

Ironclad Contracts Swept Away.

Beyond the strengthening of the miners along the rivers there was little change in the strike situation Monday. The ironclad contracts which were in force at several mines in the Monongahela valley were swept out of existence and the strike was made general in the fourth pool. The Chamouni, Apollo, Jack Jones and O'Neil's Fayette City mines, which had been running with a light force of men and under ironclads, are idle. The men at the Chamouni mine were the last to lay down their tools. The miners along the river are rejoicing over this victory. The only mine reported in operation in the region is the Quitable, at Webster. The men in the Stickel Hollow mines of the Washington Coal company also came out Monday, making the suspension complete in this district except at the mines of the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal company, where about 1,200 men are working.

Situation in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., July 13.—President J. M. Carson, of the Illinois United Mine Workers, arrived here Monday night from Danville. The 1,500 miners in the Vermillion field, he stated, were out and the miners in every shaft in Illinois north of and including Pana were out or had voted to come out. In the Springfield district every shaft will be idle after to-night. "By Saturday," President Carson stated, "every miner in Illinois, we believe, will have joined the strike." President Carson stated that if left to Illinois and Indiana operators a settlement would be effected with the men at once. He predicts that a general settlement will be brought about within the next two weeks.

Rioting Begins.

Danville, Ill., July 14.—Strife between the miners commenced in this district Tuesday night. About 400 or 500 Belgian strikers and other foreigners gathered at the Pawnee mine, and when a cage full of colored miners who had been at work reached the top of the shaft they were assaulted with different kinds of weapons, some using knives and others staves. Reed, one of the colored miners, secured a bar of iron and a revolver and defended his life. Shots were fired, wounding several strikers. This infuriated the striking miners and they retaliated by an exchange of shots, at the same time retreating to the woods. The strikers plied ties on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois tracks, also tried to break a switch and so wreck the train carrying the working miners to the city. They demolished the car windows with rocks and bricks. Then the miners inside the coaches opened fire on them. About 50 shots were exchanged. It is reported that one miner was killed.

Death of a Prominent Chicagoan.

Chicago, July 13.—Columbus R. Cummings, one of the most prominent capitalists of Chicago, died at his residence, 1641 Indiana avenue, at nine o'clock Monday evening, after a lingering illness which had incapacitated him for business for many years. He was 63 years of age and leaves an estate approximated at $10,000,000, mostly in gas, bank and street railway securities.

New York, July 12.—The First Methodist church at New Rochelle was destroyed by fire Sunday night. It was more than 100 years old and the oldest church in Westchester county.

Lodi, Wis., July 12.—Albert Lamont, a farmer and noted horseman, died from injuries received by his team running away.

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CLINTON

B. J. Bond, of Lake Ridge, was in town Tuesday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife spent Sunday at Manchester.

Fred Hall, of Manchester, was in town Monday afternoon.

J. W. Bradner, Jr., of Angola, Ind., is visiting Clinton relatives.

Guy Belding and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with his parents.

John B. Alexander and bride arrived from Massachusetts Tuesday night.

A. B. Ward and wife returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Chelsea.

Miss Cleora Watkins, of Grass Lake, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Larzelere.

S. O. VanDeMark, of Detroit, visited Clinton relatives the latter part of last week.

F. L. Parker has opened ice cream rooms in the front part of the Edrose house.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corwin Sunday. Weight, 8 pounds.

Miss Cora Higgins is visiting at the home of her uncle, Bert Moulton, in Norvell.

Mrs. Mary Lewis is enjoying a visit with a sister from the east, Mrs. Hoyt Borland.

W. R. Amspoker and family, of Manchester, were guests at Jas. Hogan's over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Martin returned last Thursday from a two weeks' visit with Jackson friends.

Mertillo Stitt and family, of Ypsilanti, visited Clinton friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. W. C. Stevenson has been entertaining a brother and sister from Toledo during the past week.

The Misses Emma and Edyth Cotton and Jennie Mills, of Macon, were in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLaughlin and son, of Petersburg, were guests of G. R. Wolf and wife over Sunday.

Miss Edith Miller, of Brooklyn, has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Geo. Sanford, during the past week.

Marvin Pardee returned Monday night from a two weeks' vacation spent in his old home at Webberville.

Miss Irene Thompson, of Hudson, who had been a guest at D. Woodward's the past week, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Sturm has been entertaining two nieces, Misses Ella and Lydia Braun, of Manchester the past few days.

Miss Frances Matthews returned Saturday from Milwaukee, Wis., where she has been teaching for the past two years.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell went to Detroit Wednesday, to attend the funeral of Rev. L. P. Davis, presiding elder of Adrian district.

Miss Linda Nase started Wednesday afternoon for Tewksbury, Mass., where she expects to take a course in a nurses' training school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster and grandson, Frank Burroughs, returned Monday from a week's visit with Albion relatives.

Mrs. G. L. Milbourne and little son, who have been guests for the past few weeks at J. V. Amspoker's, returned Saturday to their home at Columbus, O.

Paul John, a Persian student of Kalamazoo college, gave a lecture Wednesday night at the Baptist church on the geography, government, habits, costumes, education and religion of the people of his native land.

John Calhoun met with quite a serious accident last Saturday while returning from Bridgewater. As he was descending a hill one of the forks to his wheel broke, throwing him forward to the ground and breaking a collar bone.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Farmers have begun harvesting.

A fine rain came to gladden the hearts of the farmers Tuesday afternoon.

Geo. W. Knapp and family, of Tecumseh, visited at S. N. Munger's Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Joseph and children visited her sister, Miss Sadie Taylor, Tuesday.

Monday Fred Davenport received word of the death of his grandfather, Frederick Valentine, in Manchester.

Hollis Whelan was overcome by the heat last Friday while in the hay field with Fred Davenport. The doctor said it was almost a sunstroke.

THE CROP REPORT.

Rye and Barley Harvesting Begun—Corn Growing Rapidly.

Chicago, July 14.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Michigan—Good weather for hay harvest, corn and ripening of wheat but too dry for oats, potatoes, beans, berries and pastures. Wheat in good condition, has filled well and harvest begun. Oats of good color, heading fast, but rather short. Rye fine and being cut. Corn made great progress, looks good and beginning to tassel.

Indiana—Very hot until Saturday and Sunday when heavy local rains fell with much lower temperature. Corn grew rapidly and is laid by. Good crops of rye and barley being threshed. Wheat threshing commenced. Crop better than expected. Oats ripening fast; a very heavy hay crop secured.

Illinois—Week of excessive heat, many horses and some men overcome in fields; corn continues rapid growth and tasselling in early fields; oats cutting well begun south half, fair yield, short straw; winter wheat generally in shock, some threshing done, good yield, fine berry. Rye and barley cutting under way in northern section; spring wheat mostly plowed up; timothy haying general with fair yield.

Iowa—Five days excessively hot followed by well distributed showers. Corn growing vigorously and mostly laid by in variable condition. Spring wheat and oats doing fairly well with some reports of damage by rust. Good progress harvesting barley, rye and clover.

Wisconsin—Continued warm weather and good local rains made fine growing weather for all crops. Corn strong, of good color and improving rapidly; considerable laid by. Spring wheat in excellent condition. Oats and barley well filled, but straw short. Rye fair crop, harvest begun. Haying well under way, crop fair.

TWO CITIES UNITED.

The Big Bridge Between Superior and Duluth Is Opened.

West Superior, Wis., July 14.—The Superior-Duluth drawbridge, which is the only structure for general use between the two cities, was formally opened for traffic Tuesday with appropriate ceremonies. Representatives from both cities and from St. Paul joined to make the exercises complete. Addresses were made by Mayor Truelson, of Duluth, Mayor Starkweather, of Superior, and ex-Gov. W. R. Merriam, of St. Paul.

The dimensions of the structure are such as to make it rank among the foremost in the country. The big center draw span is 491 feet long and weighs 2,200 tons, and is so delicately balanced upon its pivot that three men can turn it by hand. The bridge is operated by electricity. The draw of this bridge is exceeded by but three others in the country. The location is over "the Narrows," the narrowest part of the bay. It was designed by Alfred P. Boller, of New York. The cost of the bridge complete is about $1,000,000. It is built for foot passengers, vehicles and street cars.

TEACHERS IN SESSION.

Annual Meeting of the National Educational Association.

Milwaukee, July 10.—The National Educational association closed its meeting yesterday after electing James M. Greenwood, of Kansas City, Mo., president, and adopting the following resolutions:

It proclaims the unswerving allegiance of the association to the highest ideals of our public educational system; stands for sound training, thorough discipline and good citizenship. It emphasizes in particular at this time the duty of the school to the community that it represents; demands that school administration in all its departments shall be wholly free from political influence and dictation of every sort; appeals to educated public opinion and to the press of the country to enforce this demand. It believes that the public schools are increasing in efficiency as the tenure of teachers is made longer and more secure; believes it to be the duty, as well as the opportunity of the American college to open its doors to the largest number of students possible. The report urges more attention to the study of the history and principles of education in colleges and universities; asks the attention of the executive and legislative departments of the government to the valuable work of the bureau of education and to the pressing need of adequate appropriations for its support.

Death of an Iowa Pioneer.

Clinton, Ia., July 13.—Clinton's pioneer lumberman, Chancy Lamb, died Monday, aged 81, surviving his wife by four months. He leaves two sons, Artemus and Lafayette, and two daughters, Mrs. W. E. Young and Mrs. Augusta Ware. He was born in Ticonderoga, N. Y., and located in Clinton in 1857, when he engaged in the manufacture of lumber. He leaves an immense fortune.

Women Must Break Stone.

Kansas City, Mo., July 13.—The police department will begin Tuesday morning working women prisoners at breaking stone, the same as the male prisoners. The police commissioners have adopted the rule upon recommendation of Chief Quarles, who argued that women prisoners kept in idleness were not sufficiently punished.

Drowned in Eagle Lake.

Eagle Lake, Ind., July 13.—Georgia Coulter, aged 15, and Bertha Yarnell, aged 16, were drowned in Eagle lake yesterday by the capsizing of a yacht. The first named was the daughter of Prof. Coulter, of Chicago university, and the second was the daughter of Edward Yarnell, of Fort Wayne, Ind.

"Kid" Baldwin Dead.

Cincinnati, July 12.—Word has just been received from Longview insane asylum of the death at that institution of Kid Baldwin, the once famous catcher of the Cincinnati Red Stockings. About three weeks ago he was sent from the hospital here to the asylum.

Thirteen Killed by Hail.

Berlin, July 10.—A Stuttgart dispatch tells of a destructive hailstorm which raged for hours in southern Wurtemberg, causing the death of 13 persons and damage to crops amounting to more than $1,000,000. Thousands of cattle were killed.

Big Mills Burned.

Berlin, N. H., July 12.—Fire early Sunday morning destroyed a large saw and grist mill and their contents, connected with the plant of the Berlin Mills company, entailing a loss of $100,000. Five hundred men are thrown out of

HORTICULTURE

A PERMANENT ARBOR.

How to Build One That Will Easily Last a Lifetime.

The lumber required for the construction of the arbor shown in the accompanying sketch consists of posts 4x4 inches and 8 feet long; 2x4-inch scantling 16 feet long, to be cut into 8-foot length for top crosspieces, and into lengths of about 4 feet for the braces at the upper corners, and strips 1x2½ inches, also 16 feet long. All the lumber used should be dressed, for the structure, to be durable, must be painted, and undressed lumber requires more than double the amount of paint and twice the labor to apply it.

Make a mortise in each post with the lower edge about one foot from the end, of such dimensions as to receive the scantling snugly. Dome this end of each post by sawing off the corners, as shown in the illustration. This will leave about eight inches to extend above the arbor. About 20 inches below the lower edge of the first mortise and on the opposite side, make a second mortise, running diagonally across the post at an angle of 45 degrees, and of such width and depth as to receive the scantling snugly and flush with the post. This diagonal mortise must be cut in the opposite direction in half of the posts, as will be seen by observing the position of the braces. Into the lower end of each post bore a hole five inches deep of proper diameter to receive a piece of three-quarters-inch gaspipe so that it fits tightly when hammered in. The piece of pipe should be about a foot long, thus leaving about 7 inches to extend from the post.

Now procure tiling or sewer pipe in two-foot lengths and three inches in interior diameter. Set these eight feet

FRAME FOR ARBOR.

apart each way, measuring from the center of the tiles in the direction of the arbor, and from their outer edges across the arbor, if structure is to be eight feet wide, as it should be. Place them in perfect line, with their tops about four inches above ground, and tamp in the earth firmly about them. Then saw the scantling into eight-foot lengths for the top crosspieces, and make the braces, cutting these at an angle of 45 degrees. Lay two of the posts parallel on level ground and nail the top crosspieces in place, keeping all parts square. Then fasten a temporary strip across the lower ends of the posts and nail the upper corner braces in place.

When all the posts have thus been fastened together in pairs, mix up thoroughly one-part of Portland cement with two and-one-half parts of good sharp sand and moisten with just sufficient water to make a stiff mortar, avoiding an excess of water. Having filled two of the opposite tiles with the cement, erect one of the sections and allow the irons at the base of the post to settle into the cement until the posts rest upon the tiles. Get the section plumb and brace firmly in that position. This is important, for the cement will begin to set almost immediately and it is well to have as little motion of the irons as possible after they are once in the tiles. The first section can be easily braced to posts or stakes driven in the ground and the others, which are to be erected in a like manner, can then be braced to this. It is well not to moisten more than enough of the mixed cement at one time than will fill two of the tiles, as it sets so readily. When all the sections are up, nail on the narrow strips which are to support the vines. Finally, apply three good coats of paint, and you will have an arbor that will never rot off at the base and one which the wind can never overturn so long as it leaves anything else standing.—Orange Judd Farmer.

A List of State Flowers.

The following "state flowers" have been adopted by public school vote in the respective states: Alabama, Nebraska and Oregon, golden rod; Colorado, the columbine; Delaware, the peach blossom; Idaho, the syringa; Iowa and New York, the rose; Maine, the pine cone and tassel; Minnesota, the cypripodium or moccasin flower; Montana, the bitter root; North Dakota, the wild rose; Utah, the sago lily; Vermont, the red clover. In addition Rhode Island and Wisconsin have adopted a state tree, the maple being selected by both.

Gooseberries on the Farm.

The gooseberry deserves more general cultivation than it has received, and should find a place in every farmer's garden. It will grow well on a great variety of soils and in climates too severe and seasons too short for grapes; it has no enemies that cannot be easily avoided or combated; many varieties give excellent yields, and the fruit can be used or marketed either green or ripe, is easily handled and is of a characteristic, pleasant tartness which makes it, green, ripe or preserved, a very desirable addition to the housewife's list of relishes.

FAILURE TO FRUIT.

It Is an Indication That a Tree Is Not in Good Health.

The fruiting of an orchard is the end of its culture, and everything should tend to this end. A failure to fruit at proper age and in the right season is a sure indication that something is wrong and that something ought to be done. There are a number of causes for a full-grown tree not fruiting, and it will be a good plan to investigate, ascertain the cause, if possible, and apply the remedy.

In some cases trees may have too much head and will exhaust themselves, nourishing their foliage at the expense of the first buds, but this is the exception. Generally a tree lacks plant food rather than an over-supply, and the application of well-rotted manure will remedy this. Sometimes there is a lack of lime or potash in the soil. Bone dust or wood ashes make a good fertilizer when mineral elements are lacking, as there may be an excess of moisture in the soil and drainage may be the necessary remedy. Pruning and thinning out may be necessary when there is an excessive growth of top. The soil may have become packed and hard, so that the tree cannot make as thrifty a growth as it should, and cultivating or digging about the roots may be necessary. With proper care the tree can be made to bear good fruit, quality being of more importance than quantity, and if, after proper remedies have been tried, the trees fail to yield good fruit, the quicker it is cut down and another one is planted in its place the better. Allowing a tree to overbear one year will be the cause of its not bearing the next. The tree so exhausts itself in maturing the excessive yield that a rest is required in which to recuperate. Thinning in good season is the remedy for this, while a better grade of fruit is secured.—N. J. Shepherd, in Farmers' Voice.

ABOUT EARTHWORMS.

How they Maintain the Living Layer of Vegetable Mold.

A discussion on the subject of earthworms and vegetable mold appeared in a recent issue of Longman's Magazine. The writer, Grant Allen, states that it was Gilbert White, of Selborne, who first of all pointed out the importance of earthworms as producers and maintainers of living layers of vegetable mold. It was the patient investigations of Darwin, however, which fully established the fact, and raised it to the rank of a scientific discovery, his first writing on the subject appearing in the Gardeners' Chronicle. Later he issued an entire book on this interesting matter. Darwin showed that earthworms act upon the soil in three ways. In the first place they open up and loosen the ground for the roots to penetrate, more perfect aeration of the soil being thus obtained. The acids they secrete also act chemically upon the layer of rocks beneath in a way that assists the disintegration of the latter. In the second place they crush in their gizzards small fragments of stone and liberate their component elements. In the third place they drag down into their burrows countless numbers of leaves, which they eat, and carry up the refuse to the surface. It is computed that no fewer than 53,000 worms inhabit an acre of garden soil. These worms pass through their bodies ten tons of material in a year, and throw it up as mold at the rate of one inch in depth every five years. The greater part of the mold is composed of a refuse of vegetable matter, and is teeming with myriads of bacteria. Even after allowing for other cooperating causes, earthworms are responsible for the formation and renewal of this layer of vegetable mold.

GARDEN TOOLCHEST.

It Saves Hundreds of Steps in Doing the Work.

Where it is possible a little garden house, to hold tools, wheelbarrow, fertilizer, etc., should be built on the edge of the garden, to save steps in hunting

HANDY TOOL CHEST.

for tools. But many think this out of the question. In such a case the garden tool chest may prove serviceable. It is made to stand the weather, and long enough to hold any garden tool that is ordinarily used, such as rakes, hoes, forks, shovels, etc. It will also hold the garden seeds at planting time. Everything is thus right at hand, and hundreds of steps are saved in doing the work. The same chest will also prove serviceable to take to the field in case of the general farmer, thus saving long trips back to the farm buildings for some tool or other. Such devices are in the line of economy of labor, and it is often economy of labor that makes the balance come on the right side of the ledger in these days of low prices.—N. Y. Tribune.

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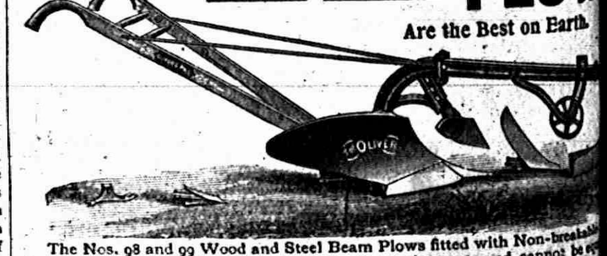

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

arry Drew spent Sunday at his old
e, Dundee.
be services at the Christian church
be as usual.
rs. Howard Hause of Clinton, is
ting her parents this week.
ra Sink has a new walk in front
is residence on West Main street.
t Osgood, of St. John's, has been
ding the week with his cousin Will.
egular meeting of Hendershot tent
. T. M. next Tuesday eve July 20th.
. Bachman and assistants are
ting a barn for Mr. Jacobus in Ma-
B. Lenardson, wife and Faunty
e to Blissfield Sunday to visit rel-
s.
s. Will Allen was the guest of
mother Mrs. Hiscock at Ridgeway,
day.
s. Willmina Osterhout spent Tues-
with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Osgood
dgeway.
rris Harrington has built a walk
nt of his lot just west of the Re-
ed church.
ree cars of grain were shipped
the elevator to Detroit and To-
his week.
rence Brown, Will and Ed Os-
were at the lakes fishing Tuesday
Wednesday.
s. E. Hendershot is still sojourn-
n Ohio, and Doc's chin is drooping
and lower.
ter Kishpaugh, of Clinton, called on
on Bert Monday and Ralph accom-
d him home.
Ferwerda was the guest of Mrs.
Exelby Monday night. He was on
ay to Macon.
n Gripton and wife, Ernest Du-
and Jennie Saxton took in the
last Sunday.
ie Wood. Vern Osterhout and Art
es attended the Blue Ribbon races
troit yesterday.
e of the walks being built in the
e do not conform to the ordinance.
is this allowed?
l Taylor and wife, after a month's
with his parents, returned to De-
he last of the week.
Reformed church Sunday School
laced a new organ in the room
ied by the infant class.
l Nivison has taken the contract
e foundation walls to be placed
r the dwelling house lately moved
ugene Cheever's lot.
e undertaking rooms are now over
n's harness shop and Kishpaugh's
iage rooms, the old G. A. R. hall
ng been remodeled for that purpose.
rt Hughes bought, handled and
ped from the different points 3800
ot hay from Sept. 1, 1896, to July
. Fully half of it was sent from

nesday, July 28th, there will be
n picnic of the Britton and De-
er Reformed church Sunday-
ls in Hoagland's grove. A fine
am will be given.
y say that Monday when Doc.
rshot saw the threatening clouds
out his case of surgical instru-
and put them in order for immed-
e. He wanted to be prepared for
ergency.
H. Cansfield had a fair audience
Reformed church last Sunday
g, and Rev. Mr. Nickerson a
and appreciative one at Ridge-
E. church, the reverend gentle-
ving exchanged pulpits.
he Reformed church Sunday
g the pastor will preach on
ing the Scriptures Daily," and
m. the topic will be "Hast thou
" The Y. P. S. C. E. service at 7
ill be conducted by Miss M. B.
son; topic. "Believe in Christ."
ay afternoon the peculiar ap-
ce of the clouds caused great
among our citizens, and after
n L. C. Hoagland and J. W.
t started out to learn where the
spout bursted and the extent of
mage done. They returned at
none the wiser for their travel.
e and John Exelby were greatly
ed over Monday's storm and
to learn where the damage was
st severe and who were victims,
ting in the buggy what they
were bee hives but which, to
looked very much like two cases,
ft in search of the sufferers, to
beer—no, honey—into their
. They evidently found them
heir return they were minus the
no, hives.
Stewart's barn was struck by
ng Saturday night, but fortu-
little damage was done. It is a
building and was full of hay.
taken fire the loss would have
vere. The bolt struck the ridge
s divided, going to the earth on
ide. A cow, calf and some pigs,
re between the currents, were
ed. The claim for damage to
n was adjusted by the insurance
y Monday.

RIDGEWAY.

Lowe is the last victim of

rner, of Tecumseh, spent Sun-
h her mother.
orley, of Winchester, Kan., vis-
the village last week.
Gould and Stephen Plews will
cream for sale Saturday even-

R. Arner came down from Al-
unday and is spending the week

Toby and family, of Toledo,
s at their uncle's, M. M. Flor-
day.

Wheat never was more free from foul stuff than this year and farmers are harvesting a fine crop.

Rev. H. Cansfield went to Detroit Wednesday to attend the funeral of Presiding Elder Davis.

Fred Gorton left for Toronto Wednesday to attend the Epworth League International convention.

Sunday evening Rev. N. F. Nickerson, of Britton, gave a temperance address with illustrations.

C. O. Hiscock, of Albion, is in the village in the interest of his filing cabinet which is a fine invention.

Prof. H. C Wilson, wife and son, of Paw Paw, are visiting the professor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson.

Mrs. E. J. Gould returned Saturday from Brown Falls where she was called by the sickness and death of a sister.

Fred Gorton, wife and son, Weidel, of Ypsilanti, are spending a portion of their vacation with Mrs. G's father, Lester Osgood.

The many friends of Rev. Jessie Kilpatrick, a former pastor here, regret to learn of the death of his only son, Rev. J. Earl Kilpatrick, which occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. Robert Bird, near Birmingham. For the past two years he has been stationed at Hillsbore, New Mexico, as pastor of an English mission and did a good work until failing health made it necessary for him to give it up. He leaves a wife and two sons.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Jennie Lewis returned from Kimble, Ohio, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. August Greenwald visited his parents near Adrian over Sunday.

The Misses Jennie and Ora Gillespie, were at Mrs. A. D. Macham's on Monday.

Mrs. Ada Hall-Burdick, of Detroit, is the guest of her cousin Mrs. Jane Lane.

Ice cream is served at the hall in Holloway every Saturday evening by the C. E.'s

Mr. L. C. Winchip, our newly appointed P. M. will soon assume the duties of that office.

Several from here intend taking advantage of the low rate excursion on the Wabash to Niagara Falls, the 29th.

Miss Helen McCabe, assisted by W. C. Snellenberger, both from the school for the blind at Columbus, O., will give a musical entertainment—vocal and instrumental—at Holloway hall Thursday evening, July 22nd. They have made music a special study, are worthy people, and by giving entertainments seek to earn a livelihood. Give them a full house and, while helping them, enjoy yourselves for an evening.

CONR.

Oliver Logan was in Toledo Monday and Tuesday on business.

John St. George of west Dundee, called on friends here last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Kempf on Monday July 12th, a son.

Joseph Wright went to Ann Arbor last Wednesday, for medical treatment.

Oliver Logan and family, visited friends at Deerfield last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Dennison visited his niece, Mrs. Maria Dubois at Britton the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Packard was the guest of the latter's mother, Mrs. Jane Auten, last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Jourdan and cousins Cora and Grace Austin, returned from their Tolodo visit Tuesday.

Mrs. Diana Calkins west Dundee, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Caroline Auten last Sunday.

Charles Caswell has moved his family to Toledo this week, where he expects to make it his home for the future.

Mrs. Addie Wilcox and daughter Edna of Milan, were the guests of their aunt Mrs. Margaret Dennison last Thursday.

Died at his home, two miles north of this place of inflammation of the bowels, Perry Hall aged about 52 years. Mrs. Hall's mother and brother of Battle Creek, and sister of Chicago, attended the funeral.

MACON.

Jess Frost sold his horse to Mr. Hicks of Tecumseh.

Merritt Tice made a business trip to Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Stella McKenzie, of Chicago, is spending her vacation here.

Mrs. Chas. Howell, of Ann Arbor, visited Macon relatives last week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cole was buried last week. Death was caused by tumor.

Miss Ella Parker started this week for Petosky, where she will work in a No. 1 hotel during the busy season.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Kuder fell from a two story window Monday. She escaped with but few bruises.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening, July 18th, is "As a Preacher," Gal. 1:1, 2 Cor. 11:23, Acts 17:22, Acts 20: 27. Leader, Perly Skinner.

The G. A. R.'s and families of Tecumseh, Clinton, Franklin, and Macon will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Camburn next Monday afternoon and evening, July 19th, for a good social time

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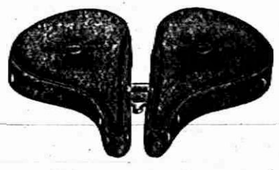

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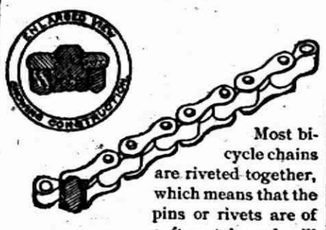

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Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.
July 7, '97.

EDITOR HERALD:

Perhaps it will be interesting to your readers if I give a short account of the country through which I have passed so far on my journey to the coast. The western country is so entirely different from anything we see in the east, and the scenery so varied, that one cannot but be pleased with a visit be it short or long.

After visiting Toronto and Hamilton, I came by way of Owen Sound on Lake Huron to Fort William on Lake Superior. The two days' trip by water was enjoyable except for a few hours the second night when the rough sea made everyone keep the security of the cabin, or wish one had never left home at all. Passing through the Canadian canal at the Sault gave one a chance of seeing what magnificent mason work can be accomplished, and how natural difficulties of land and water can be overcome. The canals on both sides of the river seem to be used as convenience permits. There being five boats in line ready to pass through the U. S. locks, we went over to the other side. I timed the emptying and filling of the lock and found it takes only 5 1-2 minutes to empty and 7 minutes to fill, a wonderfully short time considering the vast quantity of water capable of floating two or three large lake boats. This lock appears to have a false bottom with valves by which the water enters as well as through the small gates at the base of the large ones.

We left Ft. William at night so I cannot say what kind of country there is in that part, but near the Lake of the Woods, the largest body of water between Superior and the coast, the scenery is grand. This lake contains 14,000 islands, some of them not more than two or three yards square, yet large enough to show shallow water and numerous enough to make a veritable range. At Portage la Prairie I remained one day to visit Mrs. Blachford's sister. This is a very pretty little place, and reminds me very much of a Southern Michigan town. It is well kept, nicely laid out, and contains plenty of trees, not large but pretty. At Regina I made another day's stop, while here it rained a little, just sufficient to show me the sticking quality of the fearful mud. In one minutes walk a person's feet are heavily weighted with mud that requires a good knife to cut off. The country from Regina to Calgary, nineteen hours ride on the railway, is where one gets the first idea of what the real prairie is like. Absolutely nothing is seen as far as the horizon on all sides. Broad expanse with hardly any grass meets the eye in every direction, and this for hundreds of miles. Our eastern idea of long waving grass covering the vast prairies, proves a disappointment out here, for the grass grows abundantly only in wet and marshy places. Occasionally in our journey across this country, the train would stop at one house, you would wonder why, for there seems no sign of life. Upon inquiry you learn the railway section men live here. A sight of these desolate and solitary looking habitations miles apart, with no duplicates near by, a person easily gives credit to the western story that a woman living on a prairie ranch, soon becomes a subject for the insane asylum.

Calgary is a nice little town west of the country just described, from which a two hundred mile branch railway runs north to Edmonton. At this place I got my first view of the gigantic rocky mountains. They loom up in the distance a rugged whiteness, being at this season of the year covered with snow. One would think an early morning's walk before breakfast would afford a visit to these mountains, yet they are sixty miles away, to the top the nearest point. Calgary is in the prairie district, consequently it is difficult to grow trees. The town people are trying hard to produce pretty shade, and will succeed I think, but at present I am about as tall as half the trees.

Edmonton is a town of about 1800 inhabitants and is very prettily situated on the high banks of the Saskatcheman river. The country is well wooded, not with large trees but with the small poplar kind. In fact the town is amidst a poplar grove. South Edmonton is a new town across the river and is reached by a primitive kind of ferry run by the natural force of the river's current. Edmonton is the site of one of the old Hudson Bay Company's forts. In the early days it was strongly protected against the Indians. Two of the old cannon and the powder magazine are still here. At present the buildings are used for receiving and packing furs which come in large quantities from the north during the winter. There are thousands of dollars worth of furs shipped by the company every year to England. I have seen even at this time of the year about 50 bales of small skins, containing 1200 apiece. The old boat, the Northwest, which did such good service during the Louis Reil rebellion in 1885, belongs to the H. B. Company and makes two or three trips each summer down the river from here. I had a ride on her July 1st when the Presbyterians chartered her for an excursion. Strange as it may seem this boat can only run in the spring of the year and during the hot weather for in the autumn the water is very low. The river is fed almost entirely from the mountains where the snow melts in spring and summer. The snow being gone by the end of July or the 15th of August, there is not sufficient water to float a large boat. This year the floods on the river have been somewhat destructive, carrying away houses, gold scows, etc., the floods being caused by torrents of rain in the mountains. No damage has been done here because the water would have to rise 100 feet higher still to reach us.

A great interest is now had in the gold mining at Edmonton. Up to the present year the gold has been obtained by the slow process of the hard grizleys, but this spring several scows have been built with machinery and steam shovels. Several Americans are engaged in this work, as well as Canadians. The gold is taken from the river bed and washed from the sand. A material called black-sand is also obtained and this has been found to contain gold, but it is necessary to send it to a smelter to make the separation. Specimens of the gold and black sand I am taking home with me. Later I will send you a description of how the fine particles of this precious metal are taken from the large quantities of sand and gravel containing it.

I am quite happy in my temporary work here, taking the duties of All Saints parish while the rector, Rev. H. B. Gray, is spending three months in England. The congregation is a little larger than St. Peter's, for which I have two services every Sunday and one on Wednesday evenings. On the 27th I had the pleasure of preaching to the Masonic lodge which came to church 60 strong, headed by the Edmonton band. I have not yet visited the lodge but will do so at the next meeting.

I send my best greetings to the editor of the HERALD and all my friends and parishioners in Tecumseh and Clinton and wish to say to them that after my work here and visit farther west, I will be quite ready to take up my work amongst them again.

Yours very sincerely,
W. R. BLACHFORD.

Rev. L. P. Davis.

The daily papers of Tuesday announced the death of Mr. Davis and caused a pang of regret in the heart of every communicant of the M. E. church in this vicinity where he was well known and beloved by all. Following is a very good sketch of his life:

Rev. Lewis P. Davis, 70 Hendrie avenue, Detroit, presiding elder of the Adrian district of Detroit conference, M. E. church, died suddenly at 4:40 o'clock Monday morning in Bay View, where he had been conducting a camp meeting. The cause of his death is supposed to be from apoplexy, he having suffered a slight stroke at Sault St. Marie some weeks ago. He recovered from this, and was in very good health up to Sunday night. The remains were taken to Detroit for interment Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Davis was well known all over the district, and in Detroit, where he had lived for the past 10 years. He was pastor of the Lincoln avenue M. E church for five years, and held the position of presiding elder of the Adrian district for the last five years. He was born in Macomb county, December 31, 1839, and was a graduate of the Northwestern university and the Garret Biblical institute, of Chicago.

Mr. Davis had been preaching for 25 years, and all his work had been in this state. Before coming to Detroit, he was pastor of churches in West Bay City, Dexter and Plymouth, and was also presiding elder of the Alpena district. Mr. Davis was in the United States army three years during the civil war, entering as a private and leaving as lieutenant of the 22d Michigan volunteer infantry. He leaves a wife and two grown children.

The deepest regrets are felt here over Mr. Davis' demise, and his family will have the sympathy of all friends in and out of the M. E. church.

Lines Written on the Death of Little Mabel Moore.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon His love had given,
And, though the body moulders here,
The soul is safe in Heaven.

Jesus, while our hearts are bleeding
O'er the spoils that Death has won,
We would, at this solemn meeting,
Calmly say, "Thy will be done."

Call not back the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border land we left them
Soon to meet and part no more.

When we leave this world of changes,
When we leave the world of care,
We shall find our missing loved ones
In our Father's mansion fair.

A. M. FULLER, Ridgeway.

"Two Privileges of Summer Travel."

A beautiful illustrated and descriptive booklet, telling about stopover at Niagara Falls and a trip on the Hudson river, two privileges secured to passengers via the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Ry. without extra expense. This handsome book sent free by applying to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, O.

Ball Game.

The second game of the series between Clinton and Tecumseh, played at Clinton last Saturday, was a disappointment to all friends of our team for, instead of continuing their good work, they, with few exceptions, played loose ball. Notwithstanding several of the regular players were absent, had those who were there played as did Lowe and Rixom, it would have been more to their credit. Harris' work in the box was the poorest of the season. Fully half of the hits Clinton made off him were apparently presented to them. It is a wonder, all things considered, that Clinton did not make more runs and they would had their playing been what it might have been. Clinton had Jacobs, of Albion, in the box. His work, as compared with Uphaus, was not any marked improvement.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Clinton	1	0	3	1	4	0	0	1	*	10
Tecumseh	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	7

Errors—Clinton 6, Tecumseh 6. Earned runs—Clinton 5, Tecumseh 0. 2-base hits—Cotton, Mallou, Gillen, Lowe, Pinard. Home runs—Wade 2. 1st base on balls—By Harris 1, Jacobs 2. Hit by pitched balls—Hause, Rogers. 1st base on errors—Clinton 6, Tecumseh 6. Left on bases—Clinton 7, Tecumseh 6. Stolen bases—Hause, Rixom 2, Parrish 2. Struck out—By Jacobs 9, by Harris 5. Passed balls—Gillen 1, Mallou 6. Time 1:50. Umpire—Brailey, of Wauseon.

Unveiling of Logan Monument Chicago, July 22nd.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets to Chicago, good on any train going July 21st and good returning July 25th, at one fare for the round trip.

For Your Vacation

Buy one of the cheap excursion tickets to Chautauqua Lake sold by agents of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. on July 2nd and August 2nd. Inquire of ticket agents.

Twelve Reasons Why.

The St. Louis Republic gives a dozen good reasons why newspaper readers should read this paper. Here they are:

1. The Republic is the greatest newspaper published.
2. It has a cable news service over the entire civilized world, which no other St. Louis paper can secure.
3. Special correspondents in all the large cities and capitols of Europe.
4. News Bureau in New York City and Washington, D. C.
5. Special correspondents in every city and town in the Western United States.
6. Member of the Associated Press, the greatest news gatherer in the world.
7. Publishes daily the market reports of the world.
8. Issues a magnificent colored magazine cover with the Sunday paper.
9. More noted writers and artists contribute to The Republic than any other paper.
10. Issues an unequaled four-page comic weekly with each Sunday paper free.
11. Publishes pages of interest and value to womankind.
12. Its 10c Dress Pattern Department is the most popular feature ever introduced by a newspaper. Thousands patronize it.

The daily and Sunday St. Louis Republic is $6 a year, $3 for six months and $1.50 for three months. The Twice-a-Week Republic is $1 a year—104 papers, two each week.

"Summer Tours, 1897,"

Is the title of an unique book issued by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. The book is made in the shape of a government mail pouch, is handsomely illustrated and contains descriptive matter of large list of summer tours. Sent free on application to A. J. Smith, G. P. and T. A., Cleveland, O.

The Cincinnati members of the Society of Western Artists have found a local chapter.

The woman's exposition of the Carolinas now in progress at Charlotte, N. C., is drawing visitors from all over the south.

Every Japanese barrack has a gymnasium and the Japanese soldiers rank among the best gymnasts in the world.

Captain Francis Martin, of Detroit, who has just celebrated his ninety-seventh birthday, was present at the funeral of Napoleon.

Yachting gloves are the latest fad. They are worn chiefly by people who cant afford to keep a yacht.

It doesn't take long for the world to discover that a fellow has changed his residence from Hard-luck alley to Prosperity avenue, or vice versa.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING.

PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	9	12
Eggs	8	10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	60 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Old Potatoes, per bushel		40
New Potatoes		1 00
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	8
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	60	70
Corn, shelled	25	30
Corn, in ear	18	18
Oats	17	19
Hay, timothy, per ton	5 00	7 00
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100		70

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D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

Armour's

Pork Loin,

Armour's Best Sugar Cured Hams.

and everything best in the meat line at

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A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.
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When . .

you have a watch, clock, pieces of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

Fred P. Kennedy's

Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

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Carriage Paint,

is the best made.

Full line at new prices.

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Grand display at

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N. B. Best place for fine repairing

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which comparatively few people have either the means or the time to enjoy, but every man, woman and child can enjoy and find comfort in

KARNER BROS'. SHOES,

now that they can be bought at such greatly reduced prices. They are not a high priced luxury but they

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to everyone who has feet. Therefore we are making such large reductions during the month of July (from 20 per cent on any style or color to 50 per cent on odds and ends.) Come in and get the great bargains and your feet glad.

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Reason Why Farmers Should Trade with Us.

I We are off from the Main street, no noise or disturbance.

II A cool and dry place to drive your horse in hot or rainy weather.

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Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co.

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New crop of

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....GARMENT CUTTING....

and Dress Making School,

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Teaches Prof. Work's Garment Cutter, of St. Louis, M

We have decided to organize and teach a class in this town where ladies, old and young, can learn to cut, fit and make any garment worn by the human We are prepared to teach you this valuable trade as it should be taught. teachers are all expert dress makers; the system is the same as is used by tailors; actual measure. The fashions are published, giving complete instruc and diagrams for drafting every garment worn by ladies, gentlemen and child We will make you a first class ladies' tailor. The trade will be valuable to as long as you live. Call at the school and see the system.

The following ladies are now taking lessons over the above mentioned and others are coming into our school daily: Misses Lena Titus, Amanda beam, Lillie Cook, Anna Gaston, Mary Lahn, Lena Hardenburg, Carrie Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. Henry Heesen, Mrs. L. C. Hayden and Mrs. A Ware, all of whom live in Tecumseh. Our terms are easy and prices liberal.

This school is located in the Tindall property, corner of Ottawa and Pot amie streets, Tecumseh, Mich., under the management of Mrs. E. E. Kin Adrian, Mich. School hours are from 8 to 11 a. m. and from 1.30 to 5 p. m.

e Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., JULY 16, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ASE BALL

Clinton

vs.

Tecumseh.

Bills' Driving Park, Tecumseh,

ATURDAY, JULY 17.

Game called at 3:00 p. m.,

mission 15 cents,

Grand Stand 10c

R RENT.—An office in James block. In quire of Alfred James.

R SALE OR RENT.—A cottage at Sand ake. Enquire of S. P. HOSMER.

R RENT.—A house with good well and istern and large garden for 75 cents per Inquire of A. W. SLAYTON.

e best quality of fruit cans at sley's.

. Loree was up from Ridgeway, nesday.

ev. J. P. Varner visited Detroit nesday.

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ohn Osborn returned from a short ness trip Tuesday.

rs. George Hines, of Onsted, was ting here Wednesday.

ont fail to see the ball game to-row, it will be a dandy.

harles O. Hiscock of Albion, was ing on friends Tuesday.

ill Baker and I. D. Loree were at lakes fishing yesterday.

rs. Miner, of Battle Creek, is visit Tecumseh friends this week.

el Moulton and wife of Clinton, re calling on friends Tuesday.

Bert Waring burchased a fine Kroe-r piano of E. M. Coller Monday.

Mrs. Put Woodward and children of etroit, are visiting relatives here.

Will Osborn arrived home Tuesday ight from Detroit for a short stay.

All summer goods at less than manu-turers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

The most exciting game of ball will omorrow, Clinton and Tecumseh.

Mrs. B. F. Stienhoff and children, re-ned yesterday from a two week's p.

During July, Miss Daly will make arre" photographs for 63 cents per zen.

Miss Etta Thorp left yesterday for troit where she will visit several eks.

Rev. J. P. Varner attended the funer-of Rev. L. P. Davis, in Detroit Wed-sday.

Mrs. Cynthia Hoag is visiting her n George and wife at South Haven, ichigan.

Miss Christine Wilson arrived home m Ohio Saturday, and will spend the mmer here.

Mrs. George Rubadeau left this orning for a short stay with her moth-r in Britton.

Miss Tensie Mc Niel while picking erries, fell and hurt herself, not ser-usly however.

Mrs. Richard Farley and daughter ve returned home from a visit with ckson friends.

The next matinee at Bill's driving rk will be held one week from to-orrow, July 24th.

Mesdames Theodore and Henry Crane, isited their sister, Mrs. Robinson in anchester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Smeltzer had as uest over Sunday, Depty State R. R. om. Wedemeyer, of Lansing.

Mallon, Clinton's genial little catch-r, and Geo. Jacobs, were calling a-ound among the folks yesterday.

Will Mobbs and Miss May Ayles-worth, witnessed the ladies ten mile icycle race at Toledo, Wednesday.

One lot of gents' $5.00 shoes at $3.50. ome and get them while they last.

KARNER BROS.

J. F. Miller, manager for Grinnell Bros. of Adrian, has an announcement bout pianos and organs in this issue.

There was great rejoicing at the post ffice shortly after dinner yesterday. he lost was found, ask Tom about it.

Mrs. Andrew J. Whiting and Grace, f Williamston, have been visiting a-ong Tecumseh friends since Saturday.

S. E. Parrish drove to Dundee yester-ay to meet his wife on her return from two weeks' visit with friends at owell.

Ben. J. Garlinghouse, Thos. Kyle, Martin Zimmerman and Chas. F. Pat-rson and wife visited Detroit Tues-ay. The first three attended the ces.

E. Baers and mother, who have living at Adrian some time, have ed to Tecumseh and will occupy Forrestall's house on east Potta-nie street.

Go to Tansley's for your fruit cans.

Earl Slayton returned from Detroit Saturday.

Theodore Lewis is giving a felon his individual attention.

The Misses Nettie and Ella Fowler went to Saline Tuesday.

Fred Eccles, of Chicago, is visiting his parents and brothers.

Mrs. John F. Hicks has been visiting Ypsilanti friends the past week.

Will Mobbs and Miss May Aylesworth were Detroit visitors Wednesday.

A new kiln of tile just opened at Comfort's yard. All sizes now in stock.

A. A. COMFORT.

Gus Cummins is home for a month's vacation.

Mrs. E. S. Tate, of Clinton, was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Shull the first of the week.

George Bangs has been laid up for awhile and even now has to use crutches.

C. B. Pennock and G. W. Marvin, the inseparable, were over from Adrian Wednesday.

Geo. Field is home from the South and reports a good time. His rest was well earned.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Walter Heck was visiting relatives in Tecumseh over Sunday and returned to South Bend Tuesday.

E. F. Kirchgessner, of Adrian, was shaking hands with friends here Wednesday. He was kept busy.

Gents, you can buy a pair of $3.50 tan or ox blood shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan pair for $2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Wm. J. Stitt, who lives near Wampler's lake, was in town Wednesday. "Uncle Billy" has hosts of friends.

Only w pair left, gents' fine black calf $4.00 shoes at $2.85.

KARNER BROS.

Teeple makes the cheapest photos in the county, only 25c for six and you can sit six times and have a photo for each.

D. W. Grandon, of the Adrian Telegram, was at Devil's lake Monday, arranging to send his family there for the summer.

Pedro Pizze, formerly a coat maker for James M. Jones, but now a resident of Ann Arbor, was greeting his friends here Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. S. W. Anderson and Helen, Mrs. B. B. Anderson and Lona and Miss Fannie Smith were guests of Mrs. E. R. Smith, Clinton, Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Ross, of Chicago, formerly of Tecumseh, and Mr. A. W. VanBuren, of Chicago, were married July 5th at high noon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Essly, 1217 Fremont street, Chicago.

Among those from here who saw the great M. and M. race at Detroit Tuesday were Wm. Gaston, wife and daughters, L. I. Bidwell and Ralph, Tom McCann, Jas. H. Elliott, Harry Moore, Jas. A. Boyd, Newbold Satterthwaite, Truman Crossman, John Middlebrook, O. Q. Jones and S. E. Parrish.

Walter C. Burridge entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy and their house party guests at the Burridge cottage, Devil's Lake, Monday and Tuesday. He was assisted in the entertainment of the party by Messrs. Byron Schermerhorn and Gilbert Seewald, of Hudson. The whole affair was as enjoyable as one could imagine.

Bert J. Abbott, who for some time past, has been working for Dickinson Bros., married Miss Flora A. Pattison, of Weston, at Adrian Wednesday, July 7th. They will occupy one of P. C. Snell's houses on Pearl street and will be at home to their friends after Oct. 1st. Mr. Abbott has made many friends who will extend to his bride a most cordial welcome.

Elmer Stoffiet, who runs a bicycle repair shop in Tecumseh, was brought here yesterday afternoon by Turnkey Haviland, charged with assault and battery on Chas. Stevens, the teacher in riding wheels. Mention was made of Mr. Stevens troubles yesterday. Stoffiet pleaded guilty before Justice Miller and paid a fine of $1 and costs.—Adrian Telegram. Mean trick to take Stoffiet over to Adrian, he might as well have been fined here and was, no doubt, pleased to put up this small amount for the pleasure of knocking out Stevens.

W. H. Dix, son of Auditor General Dix, and Miss Gertrude Haynes, of Dundee, were quietly married at Mason, after a ten days' acquaintance. The bride has numerous friends in Adrian. The young man's father remarked very philosophically that, while he would have been better pleased had he been given a few moments' notice, yet he knew of no law prohibiting young people of lawful age from getting married, if they wished to. The bride is a daughter of Dr. Haynes, of Monroe county. The case was one of love at first sight.—Adrian Times. Miss Haynes is very well known in Tecumseh and congratulations are in order, still it is said that the affair causes one of Tecumseh's society young men to be very "tired".

Mrs. O. P. Bills, of Tecumseh, has filed an application with the management of Adrian college for the position of assistant professor of music, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Octa E. Wise before her marriage. Mrs. Bills spent 10 years in Germany securing a thorough musical education, and is considered one of the most competent musicians in southern Michigan. She is a teacher also of French and German. Of late she has been teaching music in some of the leading families in Toledo. —Adrian Telegram. Mrs. Bills is one of the most accomplished musicians in Michigan and has been offered a number of fine positions, none of which she could accept on account of her family and home in Tecumseh. Adrian college would be fortunate indeed should she conclude to take this position.

Fruit cans cheap at Tansley's.

Round trip to Detroit Sunday, July 18th, $1.00, D. & L. N.

Miss Floy Freeman visits Miss Adam's, in Ann Arbor.

Geo. VanTyne is taking his vacation as is also Harry Moore.

Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson are visiting friends at Grass Lake and Jackson.

Charlie Bidwell is home and will remain till about September 1st.

Geo. Bowen, of Iowa, was visiting Tecumseh friends Saturday and Sunday.

Ladies, you can buy an elegant summer corset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

Miss Helen Anderson, leaves today for a visit at Detroit, Orchard Lake, and Pontiac.

All persons owing Mrs. M. A. Freeman are requested to call and settle as soon as possible.

Married, at Adrian, Saturday, by Rev. J. B. Banker, Miss Libbie Handy and Bert A. Packard.

The Misses McClue, of Charlotte, are spending part of their vacation in Tecumseh and Macon.

W. H. Bliss, of Aurora, Ill., will conduct the services at St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday evening.

D. St. John, of Clinton, on his way home from Detroit yesterday, spent several hours with friends here.

Dont miss Anderson & Rosacrans' sale on shirt waists and organdies. They are going cheap just now.

Don't forget that sweet, firm butter sold only by

TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER CO.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. J. F. Jenkins left Wednesday morning for Chicago, to make her daughter, Mrs. Young, an extended visit.

Jones & Hazlett, the tailors, announce a clearing sale for one week only. Now is the time to get a bargain in the suit line.

Harris & Hiteshu's midsummer clearing sale will be, as every summer, a hustler. Bottom knocked out of every price. Read all about it.

Dr. J. B. Haynes, and family of Dundee, and Mr. and Mrs. Winn Dix, of Lansing, were the guests Thursday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ide.

Superintendent of Schools Haight and son "Ned," of Alton, Ill., are visiting his cousin, Mrs. C. A. Slayton. Prof. Haight has been superintendent of schools in Alton for 22 years.

Attorney Walter C. Burridge, secured for Mrs. Belle Reese, a divorce in Judge Lanes Court, last week. There seemed to be a difference of opinion as to who should furnish the bread and who bring the water.

We still have a few more of those ladies' fine $3 00 shoes at $2.10.

KARNER BROS.

Special excursion to Niagara Falls and Thousand Islands via Wabash July 29th, 1897. Special train will leave Adrian, Mich., at 9:20 p. m., July 29, arriving at Niagara Falls at 6:20 next morning. Only $4.75 for the round trip from Adrian.

Parties who frequent the Cemetery evenings, especially on Sunday, and hold impromptu concerts want to look a little out or they will be brought up standing. Complaint has been made and Marshal Bidwell will see that a stop is put to it.

John Cook, who for the past two years has been gradually failing, and the last few months, been a great care, passed away Tuesday night at 11:30, aged 70 years. The funeral was held at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. David Lewis, officiating.

Adamson Bros. announces a 25 per cent reduction sale for one week only, commencing yesterday. This stock of watches, clocks, and jewelry, is complete in every particular, and this will be a grand opportunity to put in a stock of stationery, and buy books or jewelry.

Does it pay to advertise? Ask Seaton W. Anderson. Last week he announced through the HERALD that 1000 yards of organdies, would be sold at 7 cents a yard. 600 yards were sold in two day's, and it was necessary to order more stock to continue the sale. The HERALD reaches 1250 homes in the vicinity of Tecumseh, and circulates amongst a class of people who have money with which to buy.

The next matinee which will be held the 24th, will be a corker. People are becoming greatly interested. There will be large entries, horses coming from towns all around. Manager Kyle has decided on the events as follows: 3:00 trot or pace, 2:40 trot or pace, and free-for-all. Should there be a large field in the three minutes race which appears certain, it will be divided into two sections, this making four races. There will also be a foot race, bicycle race, and a tandem race.

Tuesday at high twelve there was considerable excitement on Union street caused by Rich. Mead's colt running away. The colt, which is a fine and spirited animal, was hitched in front of John Heesen's and Richard was talking with the Heesen boys. A bicyclist passing frightened the colt which made a lunge, breaking the bridle and away he went. After crossing Chicago street he made for the trees on the west side of the street. In and out among them he went until he got in front of J. H. Smith's residence where the carriage was turned bottom side up and the colt freed himself from it, but was caught by Joe. The animal was not materially injured though badly frightened but the carriage was a wreck. The whip even was broken. Pedestrians and those in conveyances scattered in every direction and the frightened steed had everything its own way till caught by Smith.

I will be at the Lilley State Bank to collect corporation taxes every Friday in July. F. D. AVERY, Treas.

The union meeting, Sunday the 18th, will be held in the Friend's church. The Alexander Quartet of Clinton, will have charge of the singing. All are invited.

Rolf A. Mills, of Macon, left Monday for Byron City, N. C. where he will engage in the practice of law. Mr. Mills is a thorough student, and will no doubt gain deserved success.

Orders sent by children have the most careful attention and each child will receive candy for bringing the order.

TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER CO.

Yee Hawk, our oriental laundry man has a friend with him. His name is Lee, and comes from Michigan seat of learning, Ann Arbor. He arrived Tuesday, and will remain some time assisting Yee.

John J. Orr is having the barn on the premises occupied by Andrew Wilson, artistically decorated with notices of his proprietory remedies. A gentleman named Wolf and an assistant are doing the work.

Both communities, Clinton and Tecumseh, are becoming interested in the series of games now in progress between their respective ball teams. The next game comes off here tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Wightman is entertaining her sister, Mrs. M. E. Bliss, of Aurora Ill., and her nephew, Wm. H. Bliss, a late graduate of Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., who this fall enters a divinity school to prepare for the Episcopal ministry.

The Tecumseh Telephone Co.

Last Saturday night the council gave to Jas. S. Brailey, R. W. A. Fitzsimmons and Fred B. Wood the franchise to organize and maintain a local telephone exchange in this village, and these gentlemen have gone diligently about the matter, having already secured over thirty subscribers for telephones. As soon as enough interest has been awakened to insure success (and that is now apparent) our citizens will have an opportunity to take some of the stock and the company will then be chartered and known as the Tecumseh Telephone Company and will be a home institution from the start. The switch board, 'phones and equipments will all be of the latest improvements, long distance 'phones and line, and we believe will be heartily welcomed by our citizens.

The Bell people have pursued a policy which, while undoubtedly good business policy from their standpoint, has not been such as to encourage the people in giving their home circle the benefit of this later day device. The new company put their improved instruments in residences at one dollar per month which will be more than saved in the shoe leather of the good wife heretofore lost between home and down town, to say nothing of the emancipation of those thoughtful gentlemen who have had to wear a string on their finger for, lo, these many years, only to wonder in the end what that other thing was that the wife had told them to send home. Now if the Telephone Co. will get up a device to make the husband remember to deliver his wife's letters, it will indeed become a public benefactor, but if Col. Kyle will put a 'phone in the postoffice much may be accomplished yet.

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Excursion to Detroit.

Agents of the D. & L. N. will sell excursion tickets to Detroit and return, good going on train No. 40 Thursday, 22nd, and good returning on any regular train July 22nd and 23d, at $1 for the round trip. The Detroit News bicycle carnival and parade on the afternoon of July 22nd is to be the largest event of the kind ever undertaken. There will be from 10,000 to 20,000 wheelmen and wheelwomen in the line of march and 100 descriptive floats.

Chautauqua Lake Excursions.

On July 2nd and August 2nd, 1897, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Chautauqua and return at about half rates. Those sold on former date will be good to return until August 2nd and the latter until August 31st. A beautiful illustrated descriptive book about Lake Chautauqua sent on receipt of 4 cents to cover mailing, by A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

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CAP'N DICKEY'S CAPTIVES.

How His Crew of Cripples Recovered in a Night.

One Day Late the Schooner Hester Sailed Into Bristol Harbor with Rum, Molasses, Sundries and "Cinq Hommes."

The only words that Capt. John Dickey, of the Bristol schooner Hester, had understood were "cinq hommes."

"Five on 'em," he muttered. "That's odds for the frog-eaters."

And in the depths of his gloom he fell to cutting off a pipeful of tobacco.

Truly, Capt. John couldn't be very sanguine. He had sailed from Boston several days before, bound for Bristol town, or ancient Pemaquid, with a general cargo for the storekeepers of the settlement, and alas! a French privateersman had overhauled him away off the mouth of the Kennebec. The Hester had fled, but her flight was about as nimble as the scuttling away of an old hen floundering through a barnyard to escape a tormenting dog. The Hester was all right for conveying rum, molasses, and other necessaries—broad of beam and tight of seam. But she couldn't run away. Her blunt nose bumped against the waves, her heavy sides smashed clumsily down upon the brimming swell. The tough old bird spread all sail and bowled along, like a Brahma scudding before the wind with tail spread, but up came the privateersman, his frisky nose dipping, his clean sides flashing back the glint of the wave, and the spume whizzing through the lee braces.

"Schoonaire, ahoi!" shouted a little man from over the taffrail, his knurly, red nose gleaming from under his cap. The purser had edged up on the Hester's quarter, and Capt. Dickey and his men were surlily eying the small craft.

"What do you want?" roared back the captain, hoarsely, just as though he didn't know all too well.

The man with the knurly red nose screamed back:

"Heaf' to; stand by for bot'!"

Capt. Dickey didn't haul around at once, however. He turned to Mate Constant Judkins.

"S'pose we've got to, Jud?" he remarked, gloomily. "Course you know what it means. We're gobbled."

"Yes, and it's jest as well to be gobbled whole as piecemeal," remarked Mate Judkins, carefully throwing his quid to lee.

This was wisdom. So in a moment or so the Hester came slapping and clanging and foaming around into the wind. Not a moment too soon, for the privateersman's long Tom had taken a rather determined squint at the mainmast of the schooner.

Then Capt. Dickey, listening attentively and with saturnine face, heard a gobble of French, in which he distinguished "cinq hommes," and that alone, for he wasn't a linguist.

"Sank 'om," he growled; "wal, come along and sank 'om more if you want to."

Constant Judkins listened to the soliloquy with puzzled face.

"If I may be so questioniferous, cap'n," he asked, "who's this 'ere Sank Orm who is coming aboard?"

The captain didn't smile. "I heard 'em say in We-we lingo," he explained, "that they're going to put five prize men aboard us, and the Lord only knows where they'll take us!"

The crew of the Hester were four—the skipper, the mate—Ozarias Hodson, A. B., able-bodied seaman, and Berual Joquith, cook and before the mast.

Now, as the captain strode forward front of the house to see about throwing over the stern ladder, he saw Ozarias Hodson sitting on a rope coil in the waist, with head tied up.

"What ails you?" snapped the skipper.

"Toot'ache, sir, and dum'd bad, too!"

Ozarias evidently was more distracted by toothache than by a privateersman. Berual Joquith, who had had the lively suspicion that the privateersman would pop a few shots at them by way of exercise and practice, dodged out of sight into his sanctuary.

Just as Capt. Dickey threw over the stern ladder a thought struck him.

"By ginger!" said he, and he jumped as though he had suddenly taken in a mouthful of that condiment.

He threw a hasty look over the side. The privateersman was just getting its long boat in the water with the "sank'oms" and their sea chests.

"Jud," he called back to the mate, "make fast the wheel and dodge down here into the waist under the lee of the bulwark."

Judkins looked surprised, but he did so.

"Come along below," commanded the skipper, and both men followed him Down in his bunk they found the cook.

"Boys," said the captain, "there ain't time to go into long explanations, but I want you to know right now that you're all in awful bad shape, and I'm the only man about ship who can keep on his pegs."

The amazement on the faces of the three gradually grew into shrewd intelligence as they stared into the twinkling eyes of the "old man."

"Tell us what the trouble is with us," requested Berual, "and we'll be the sickest fellows you ever seed in about two flips of the flyin' jib."

"Wall," said the captain, "I ain't as good a liar as I wish I was, but I guess it'll be likely enough if a truck fell and smashed your jaw, Ozarias, fractured your collar-bone and broke Berual's leg, eh?" And the skipper extended a grin from his wrinkles.

"Hain't that putting consid'able responsibility on one truck, cap'n?"

"Thet ain't no telling what a truck will do on a rampage," cheerfully replied the captain.

Forthwith he bundled the toothachy Ozarias into his bunk and made him wrap more elaborate bandages about his head and shoulders.

Then he obliged Berual to remove his trousers, and hastily but neatly he strapped a bit of board upon the cook's leg, bandaging it with strips from his dishcloths.

"I'd kind of like to know the nature of my complaint," broke in Constant Judkins, "so that I can be practicin'."

The captain pondered. "I suppose I might have your arm broken," he said, dubiously. "But one block couldn't very well knock out the whole crew. We've got to have a little variety, for them frog-eaters are suspicious cusses. Ever have yaller janders?" he asked of Judkins.

"No."

"Well, all you've got to do is to lay still and haul your mouth down. I'll daub on a little slush," and the captain skillfully rubbed some of the yellow oil over the mate's face.

"Now look sick, all of you," said the captain as he prepared to go on deck and receive the prize crew. "It'll help you to look sicker if you recollect that the frog eaters have a way of slitting wizens when they suspicion shenanigan."

And he left.

Of the Frenchmen who came over the rail none could talk English, and the captain couldn't talk French. Yes, he could—he could say "Bong shur," but he loftily forebore.

However, when the new arrivals looked around suspiciously for the crew, and unslung their carbines and appeared to apprehend ambush, the captain, with many waves of his hands and much "we-ing," led two of the five below with an air like a rooster gallantly conducting pullets to a worm banquet. In pantomime he explained the sad plight he was in, and his crew groaned dolefully at the proper times. He tried to explain to the Frenchmen how glad he was they had come and taken the Hester at this time of danger. The men didn't seem to grasp that part of the story, however. But the captain didn't care. The prize men were evidently thoroughly convinced that below decks was just the hospital it claimed to be, and after much ineffectual jargon and much gesturing they made the captain understand that he was to stay down and nurse his men. The captain was a good nurse. He must have worked the faith cure on his devoted crew, for in the deep gloom of the dog watch three very determined-looking convalescents sneaked barefooted at his heels as he wormed aft in the shadow of the Hester's bulwark.

The night was made for the enterprise. 'Twas clouded, and from the murk of the west a humming breeze sung in the shrouds and murmured down out of the hollows of the sails. One Frenchman was at the wheel and one pendulumed back and forward at the head of the companionway. Another was doubled up on a coil of rope in the lee of the house and the other two were presumably below. All the men on deck were unarmed, for it wasn't to be supposed that they would lug about an arsenal to protect themselves against a nautical invalids' home. So Capt. Dickey's miraculously healed bodyguard had little trouble in downing and tying all three before their surprise was over.

The only casualty was when a squirming Frenchman trod upon Bernal's bare foot. In his anguish the cook let out a howl that started the two men below on a rush for the deck. They bobbed out of the companion-hatch like two jacks-in-the-box, saw the situation and as quickly jerked themselves back.

They stayed barricaded in the cabin till the schooner came up into Bristol harbor, 24 hours later, with a bone in her mouth and the foam bells tinkling off her rudder. Capt. Dickey would, in the kindness of his heart, have fed the garrison in his cabin on plum duff and salt horse; but every time he tried to explain his wishes through the cabin window they poked their gunbarrels at him. The poor chaps evidently thought their companions had been made way with, and that the bluff-faced old skipper was cajoling them to a similar fate.

"What's your cargo, John, this trip?" roared Job Brismon, from the wharf as he waited to catch the line and fling it over a spliing.

"Rum, molasses, sundries, and Frenchmen," shouted back the captain; "and if you'll bear a hand with a plank we'll unload the Frenchmen fust."

And all Bristol flocked down to fling a sarcastic "polly voo" at Capt. John Dickey's unhappy captives.—Lewiston Journal.

Makes Queen Shed Tears.

According to an "absolutely unimpeachable authority," a writer in the Westminster Gazette relates how the Irish song: "The Wearing of the Green" was recently sung in Windsor castle. The queen, it appears, requested a young Irish lady who was visiting the castle to sing an Irish song. She went to the piano and sang "The Wearing of the Green" and, according to the story told, her majesty was touched by the pathos of the song and burst into tears. The writer continues: "'Ah!' said my eminent informant, 'you little know the depth of the queen's sympathy for the Irish and the tenderness of her heart.'"

Nice Girls.

Of Matthew Arnold as a school-examiner the author of "Pages from a Private Diary" has this to say: "Arnold's reports are very good reading, but his methods of examination were sometimes highly poetical. I remember a tale told by a fellow-inspector of a class of girl-pupil teachers that he asked Arnold to examine for him. Arnold gave them all the 'excellent' mark. 'But,' said the other inspector, 'surely they are not all as good as they can be; some must be better than others.' 'Perhaps that is so,' replied Arnold, 'but then, you see, they are all such very nice girls.'"

CHASED BY A COUGAR.

The only indigenous, long-tailed cat in America, north of the thirtieth parallel of latitude, is the cougar. The wildcats, so-called, are lynxes with short tails, and of these there are three distinct species. But there is only one true representative of the genus Felis; and that is the animal first above mentioned. It has received many trivial appellations. Among the early American trappers and hunters east of the Mississippi river, it is called the panther, or, in their patois, "painter;" in the Rocky mountains and California, the "California lion."

There are few wild animals, says the St. Louis Republic, so regular in their color as the cougar; very little variety has been observed among many specimens. The cougar of mature age is of a tawny red color, almost uniform over the whole body, although somewhat paler about the face and the parts underneath. Though considered the representative of the lion in America, his resemblance to the royal beast is but slight. His color alone entitles him to such an honor.

He is a tree climber. He can mount a tree with the agility of a cat, and, although so large an animal, he climbs by means of his claws—not by hugging, after the manner of bears and opossums.

While climbing a tree his claws can be heard cracking along the bark as he mounts upward. He sometimes lies squat along a horizontal branch—a lower one—for the purpose of springing upon a deer, or such other animal as he wishes to feed upon. The ledge of a cliff is also a favorite haunt, and such are known among old hunters as "panther ledges."

The Cascade range, and every tributary chain of mountains on the vast Pacific slope, was the habitat of the cougar, or mountain lion, as everybody out there called the ferocious beast. The cougar rarely ventured out of the great forests, however, the deer and mountain sheep furnishing them their general food.

In 1867 I was stationed at Fort Sincoe, in the valley of the same name, in Washington territory, as it was then called. One afternoon in June of the year mentioned, I started for Fort Dallas, 65 miles from Fort Sincoe, on the Columbia river.

There were no wagon roads in those early days. Everything had to be carried on pack mules, because of the rough, rocky and precipitous character of the country. The majority of the mule trails were what are called "zigzags;" that is, angling from right to left up the steep sides of the mountains, it being impossible to make the ascent by going straight up their scarped faces.

I mounted my beautiful coal-black mare, Petaluma, one of those strong Indian ponies famous for their endurance and ability to climb the fearful, narrow pathways, only by which communication between points was made possible.

I left the post without carrying any arms—not even a revolver—a careless habit of mine, for which I was reprimanded more than once by my commanding officer; but one becomes indifferent to constant danger in a wild country, and I was never cured of the fault. I reached the foot of the first "zig-zag," at the west side of the valley, where it juts against the range of mountains about sundown, and, before essaying the ascent, dismounted and cinched my saddle.

In a little more than three hours I reached the summit, making frequent halts to wind my animal, for she had labored heavily in struggling up the grade.

When I started on again, after resting 20 or 30 minutes, the moon, which was at its full, now appeared at the verge of the horizon, way below me at the lower end of the valley, and began to light up the trail on the summit of the range, so that in the clear, cloudless sky objects were as distinctly visible as at noonday, though the atmosphere and all nature seemed tinged with a silver sheen.

The trail on the summit of the range ran over a narrow tableland for several miles, and then entered the deep pine and cedar forest at the other extremity of the chain of great hills over which I was going. A ride of 12 miles further and I arrived at a lonely spot, entirely denuded of timber excepting a group of blasted cedars about an acre in extent.

I reached the place just as my watch indicated midnight. Seating myself on one of the granite bowlders scattered over the ground, I lighted my pipe and was about to enjoy the delicious fragrance of some tobacco which had been given me the day before by an officer lately arrived from the states, when my mare, which I was holding by the rein, gave a convulsive shudder and nearly broke away from me. I could not for a moment divine what had caused her trepidation, for when with me, although a most highly-mettled animal, she was usually as docile as a kitten.

The moon was nearly over my head, and I gazed around in wonder for some minutes to learn the cause of my pet animal's strange action. Presently, on looking at the very center of the cluster of blasted cedars, I saw two great green eyes staring at me with a steadiness that was appalling. For a moment I was seemingly fascinated by the uncanny vision, but in another instant all sense of possible superstition vanished, as I saw the bushes move and heard dead twigs lying on the ground crack as if under the foot of some heavy animal treading on them. With bated breath, I saw a monstrous cougar stealthily crawl out of the tangled mass of brushwood in a crouching attitude, its tail slowly oscillating, as does that of the domestic cat when watching a mousehole.

The beast evidently then saw me for the first time, and, as is natural with the species, instinctively drew back, as if to fly from the presence of man. It was my handsome mare the cougar coveted, but, seeing me, it deferred the fatal spring it had contemplated at the moment its eyes first met mine.

I soothed Petaluma as best I could, but her trembling was not in the least abated, though she rubbed her nose against my coat sleeve, as was her wont when I caressed her. She seemed a little more passive—that is, she did not attempt those frantic jumps in her efforts to get away that at first characterized her terrible fright when she smelled the cougar, or by some instinct became aware of its proximity.

What I had to do, and do quickly, was to get away from there as soon as possible, for I did not know how soon the ferocious brute, nearly famished with hunger, maybe, might make an effort to fasten its horrid claws into the flanks of my mare, ignoring my presence entirely. So I hurriedly knocked the tobacco from my pipe, and, stroking Petaluma on the shoulder, mounted her as rapidly as I ever had before in my life, and was no sooner seated firmly in my saddle than, without a word or other impulse from me, she made a bolt down the trail that nearly threw me over her head, at the same instant seeming to shrink convulsively in a frantic effort to look behind her.

I sympathetically turned my head around and gazed at the bare hilltop this side of the blasted cedars, and, to my horror, saw those great green eyes but a few rods behind me, following my trail with a sort of crouching, crawling motion, all ready, evidently, to spring the moment it had covered the right distance.

When I noticed that the cougar was crawling in its crouching attitude behind me I had presence of mind enough to think that if I reined my horse and made her walk, it would impress the cougar with the fact that I was there as well as the animal it wanted to devour for its late supper. I could thwart its designs, as I felt confident that where I had first seen the cougar, in a narrow valley, surrounded by lofty mountains, heavily timbered, the government had erected a blockhouse and a corral, in which were herded a number of horses and mules, to be used as relays between the military posts.

I hoped that I should be able to make that point in about two hours from the cluster of cedars, but now that the cougar had entered as a factor in my calculations, I did not know whether I should reach the blockhouse at all, or maybe only on foot, with my beautiful mare's bones left on the trail, picked clean by the vicious beast that was following me.

True to its instincts, it was really afraid of me. I succeeded with great difficulty, however, in coaxing my mare into a slow walk, the effect of which resulted as I surmised it would. The cougar ceased, at once its fearful bounds, and settled down into a shambling sort of gait, dropping further behind me at the moment.

Desirous of knowing for a certainty whether my tactics were the sudden cause of the creature's abrupt change of movement, I allowed Petaluma to break into a quick lope, and the instant the huge cat noticed the mare's renewed effort to get away, it commenced its former action. I then slackened my gait, and to my intense satisfaction the cougar once more lagged behind, renewing its slow movements, and seemed to be now watching the rider closer than it did the mare.

I did not again dare to let Petaluma go any faster than a walk, and during the whole 12 miles to the blockhouse, as long as I maintained that slow gait, the cougar did not try to spring toward us.

After continuing in that tiresome manner for about four hours, I at last entered the little valley, and just as I rode out of the heavy timber into the bright moonlight, the terrible beast gave one awful roar and turned back into the forest, a sad and disappointed cougar.

I changed animals at the blockhouse and rode on to the river without further adventure, happy in having saved my beautiful Petaluma, and possibly myself, from the jaws of the hungry beast, which had been my unwelcome companion for so many weary miles.

A SHOT AT THE SENATE.

A Kentucky Orator Who Found the Senate Too Deliberative.

A lot of Kentuckians were talking the other evening about the great men of their state, says the Washington Star.

"One of the finest old gentlemen on earth," said a distinguished man in the group, "is Gen. John S. Williams, or 'Cerro Gordo,' as he is popularly known, and when I was in the senate gallery the other day, listening to the solemnity of things, I was reminded of the time when Gen. Williams was a Kentucky representative in that distinguished body. The general, as we all know in Kentucky, is a spellbinder, and when he turns his voice and his brilliant oratory loose on the blue grass air it stirs things up 40 feet below the ground and clean up to the canopy of the heavens.

"When the general came to the senate he had an idea that what was good in Kentucky was good anywhere, so he was ready at any time to let loose any quantity of eloquence. He had opportunity in plenty, as it happened, but the result of his efforts was not satisfactory. He kept on trying, but still it wouldn't work, and one day the general gave way in the cloakroom before a dozen or more listeners.

"'Be gad, suh,' he said, hotly, 'I think it is a shame, suh, that the galleries of this senate chamber are not allowed to applaud, suh. Why, suh, when I make a speech in Kentucky, suh, the applause is such, suh, that if the same privileges were allowed in these galleries, suh, I would be able, suh, to lift the roof right off of this magnificent marble structure, suh. But as it is, suh, the stupidity, the dignity and the frigidity of this senate absolutely paralyzes my intellect, suh.'"

A COUNTRY OF SURPRISES.

Coal, Lead, Silver and Tin in South Africa.

While there is little doubt that with proper development of its agricultural and pastoral resources South Africa could be made practically self-supporting, the successful development of these industries depends nevertheless upon the creation of local markets through the stimulus given by mining operations, says the North American Review.

With the exception of mining of gold, diamonds and coal there have been no considerable exploitations of its mineral resources. Coal fortunately exists in many parts of the country, and it has been estimated that the known coal fields represent an area of 56,000 square miles, which is equal in extent to the state of Iowa. There exist in some parts of the country large deposits of iron contiguous to the coal fields. But as yet the economic conditions have not favored the development of that industry. Lead, silver, cinnabar, tin and other metals are also found in many parts of the country, but have not been remuneratively worked. Among the mining countries of South Africa the Transvaal is facile princeps, and is in all probability destined to maintain its paramount position, though, as is well known, South Africa is "a country of surprises," and it is possible, of course, though not probable, that within its great extent other equally important districts may be discovered.

BLAINE'S GENEROSITY.

How the Plumed Knight Aided President Taylor's Daughter.

A good story of James G. Blaine is told by a writer in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The incident related was a magnanimous and clever act of the Maine statesman, when, as speaker of the house, he got through a resolution appropriating $12,000 to the needy widowed daughter of President Zachary Taylor. This lady got as far as Washington on her way to Paris to see a sick daughter, and, being destitute of money, appealed to her only friend at the capital, Gen. Sherman. His purse was always open to the distressed, but he had no funds at all adequate to relieve her necessities. In this emergency he thought of Blaine. The man from Maine entered into the spirit of the occasion as soon as he heard Gen. Sherman's statement. He called another to the chair, made a five-minutes' speech that fairly electrified the house, which passed the resolution which Blaine had penned only a moment before. He took the resolution in person to the senate, where it was also immediately passed, had the president to sign it the next day, and on the following day the beneficiary got the money. Gen. Sherman always insisted that Blaine would have made the grandest actor that ever lived, and in adapting his career to politics, he robbed the stage of a born star.

The Sand-Ladened Missouri.

Mr. Frank H. Spearman writes in St. Nicholas of the freaks of the Missouri river, his article being entitled "A Shifting Boundary." Mr. Spearman says: You must know that the real business of the Missouri is to carry the mountain waters east and south into the Gulf of Mexico. But in bounding from side to side of its valley through the tedious centuries, it has twisted and turned so many times that no doubt its head is confused. Carrying the quantity of mud it does, you would hardly expect it to be clear-headed. There is actually so much sand in the water that the fish all have sore eyes; some are totally blind—the saddest-looking creatures you ever caught. A really fastidious trout or bass dropped into the Missouri would hang himself in despair—on a fishhook.

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Mail & Accommodation ..... 4:06 p. m.
New York Express ..... 9:20 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express ..... 12:37 a. m.
Day Accommodation ..... 10:19 a. m.
Chicago Limited ..... 3:44 p. m.
Toledo Express ..... 8:15 p. m.

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Time Table in Effect May 30, 1897

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 341 Accom'dation
Detroit.....Lv.	6 35 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	10 30 P M
Trenton.....	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Flat Rock.....	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Petersburg.....	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 55 "
Raisinville.....	7 28 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Monroe.....	7 38 "	3 05 "	3 06 "
Dundee.....Ar.	8 15 "	3 45 "	4 3 "
" .....Lv.	16 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Adrian.....	9 00 "	4 40 "	5 25 "

No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 3:30 p. m.
" 835 " " " 11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818 Express.	No. 3-6 Accom.
Adrian.....Lv.	8 00 A.M.	6 30 P.M.	.....
Dundee.....	7 45 "	7 50 "	.....
Monroe.....	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Raisinville.....	9 06 "	9 29 "	7 38 "
Petersburg.....	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 10 "
Flat Rock.....	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Trenton.....	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Detroit.....Ar.	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
" .....Lv.	10 15 "	10 35 "	11 00 "

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Passenger	11:59 a. m.
Passenger	6:02 p. m.
Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
Passenger	6:46 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:42 a. m.
Passenger	4:07 p. m.
Local Freight	9:58 a. m.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	40.	41.	43.	45
	P. M.	P.M.	A.M.	A. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	‡ 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
Tecumseh.....	7 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
Clinton.....	7 53	6 45	10 45	5 00
Wabash R. R. Ry.	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
Toledo.....Lv.			2 30	8 20
Delta.....			4 50	10 30
Lima.....Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lima.....Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 20		‡ 12 40
Delta.....	9 38	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Toledo.....Lv.	9 32	2 23	8 47	10 48
Wabash R. R. Ry.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
				A.M.
Detroit.....Ar.		11 30	5 15	
Milford.....		9 25	3 00	
Detroit.....Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

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TO THE POINT.

Boss's Remark After the Accident Had Happened.

One of the men employed in a certain Yorkshire stone quarry is a man of few words. Indeed, his popularity with his mates has been attributed to the fact that Dick could never spare enough words to get up a decent quarrel with anyone, says Clips.

The other day a huge block of stone, weighing several tons, was being raised by the chains of a steam crane. When near the top the chain suddenly gave way. Dick was at work 60 feet below when the accident occurred. Fortunately he realized his danger, though only just in time, and sprang from the ledge on which he stood to another at some distance.

A second later and the huge block was thrown into a thousand pieces on the bare bed of stone.

Trembling in every limb, the owner of the quarry, who had witnessed the scene, hurried to where Dick was standing and seized him by the hand.

"Whatever would have happened if you had delayed your leap a second, Dick?" he gasped.

The workman glanced back at the mass of debris on the ledge.

"It 'ud 'a' been a funeral," he replied, coolly, seizing his pick and preparing to resume work.

WHILE YOU WAIT.

Some Minor Indications of the Hustling Spirit of the Age.

"Block your hat while you wait," was the first of the "while you wait" signs; it was once familiar, it is now not so often seen. Then came the sign "Your shoes repaired while you wait." The first of these signs, says the New York Sun, appeared in the Bowery. Two expert workmen sat in the window of the shoemaker's shop, working busily. More men at work were seen inside. There were comfortable chairs for waiting customers, and newspapers for them to read. The shop filled a long-felt want. There is now a considerable number of places in the city where shoes are mended while you wait. On the signs of some of them a schedule of time required is given; so many minutes for heeling and so many for soling.

In some tailor shops nowadays clothes are pressed while you wait, and there are dentists' offices in which you may have your artificial teeth repaired while you wait.

In summer there are to be found nowadays establishments where they clean and press your straw hat while you wait. They are usually set up in some vacant store on a busy street.

In some of these places one may see half a dozen men sitting hatless, waiting, reading newspapers or looking on at the men at work, who have, in the different stages, three hats in hand at once.

The modern "while you wait" signs show enterprise that is all the time on the lookout for new ways of making money, and they show also the modern tendency to do things and get them out of the way.

WORE HIS ARMY CLOTHES.

Angelica's Small Brother Suffered Because of an Extra Syllable.

Angelica invited her young man to the evening meal, states New York Chips. Everything passed off harmoniously until Angelica's seven-year-old brother broke the blissful silence by exclaiming:

"Oh, ma, yer oughter seen Mr. Lighted the other night, when he called to take Angelica to the drill. He looked so nice, sittin' 'long side of her with his arm—"

"Fred!" screamed the maiden, whose face began to assume the color of a well-done crab, quickly placing her hand over the boy's mouth.

"Yer oughter seen him," continued the persistent informant, after gaining his breath and the embarrassed girl's hand was removed; "he had his arm—"

"Freddie!" shouted the mother, as, in her frantic attempt to reach the boy's auricular appendage, she upset the contents of the teapot in Mr. Lighted's lap, making numerous Prussian war maps over his new lavender trousers.

"I was just going to say," the half-frightened boy pleaded, between a cry and an injured whine, "he had his arm—"

"You boy!" thundered the father, "get out!"

And the boy did so, exclaiming as he waltzed: "I was only going to say Mr. Lighted had his army clothes on; and I leave it to him if he didn't."

COUNTESS VON LINDEN.

The Only Woman Lecturer at the German Universities.

While the battle for the social and political position of woman is still raging and remains undecided theoretically, women have practically approached their goal during the last decade in several points, particularly by invading the field of science, which formerly was looked upon as a privilege of man only, says an exchange. The number of female students at the universities of Germany as well as elsewhere is steadily increasing. Women in the study of literary and medical branches are numerous, but the natural sciences, mathematics and astronomy were not looked upon with favor by the weaker sex. The first woman in Germany to devote herself to natural sciences is Countess Maria von Linden. Born July 18, 1869, she received an excellent education at Stuttgart, and graduating from the high school in 1891 she entered the Tubingen university, where she devoted herself to the study of natural sciences, graduating with the highest honors in the fall of 1895. She was then promoted to the degree of doctor rerum naturalibus and was the pioneer of her sex in this branch. She is now teaching zoology in the University of Halle with much success, and is the only woman allowed to lecture at any German university.

Cannibalism in Africa.

It appears from an account of his observations by Capt. Sidney Hinde in the Congo Free State that the cannibalistic practices of the natives throughout that region are not fairly understood by the civilized world. Capt. Hinde went to Africa in 1891 in the service of the king of Belgium. He had no conception before going there of the extent to which human flesh is used for food by the natives. It seems that a considerable portion of the slave traffic is to provide meat for those who purchase the prisoners. Every battle is followed by a horrible feast, and the parts unconsumed are smoked and salted for future use. Even in times of peace the practice is observed, and Capt. Hinde says it was not unusual for prisoners or slaves to come to him and beg the privilege of slaughtering some companion to be used for food.

Grasses.

According to Dr. W. J. Peal, the native grasses of North America number about 1,275 species, included in about 140 genera; while in Europe there are only 47 genera and 570 species.

Agriculture in Paraguay.

Agriculture has been about the sole industry of Paraguay since the establishment of the Jesuit missions in 1557. All the field work is done by women.

THIRTY-TWO CHILDREN.

A Vienna Woman Holds the Maternity Record for Austria.

If any woman ever deserved well of her country, the lady in question is a Viennese who has just been described by Dr. Alois Valenta in the Wiener Medicinische Wochenscrift. Her merits consist in having given many more subjects and soldiers to the emperor than any of his female subjects. Of course she is poor. As a matter of fact, she is the wife of a needy linen weaver of Neuerchenfeld, in Vienna, and, if she did not give her husband a big marriage portion, she presented him with no less than 32 children, and she is still comparatively young, being only in her fortieth year. She has been the mother of 26 boys and 6 girls.

The birth of the 32 children occurred in this wise, and in the following order: At the first birth were born four; at the second, three; at the third, four; at the fourth, two; at the fifth, three; at the sixth, two; at the seventh, three; at the eighth, three; at the ninth, two; at the tenth, three, and at the eleventh three. The mother nursed all her children herself. Another strange feature of the case is that the mother suffered from her fifteenth year weekly, and sometimes daily, from epileptic fits, which so far have not been inherited by the children. She herself was one of four at a birth, and her mategnal parent in her time succeeded in presenting her spouse with no less than 38 children.

A FISH'S MEMORY.

German Professor Wants Information on the Subject.

We have to live such busy, cyclopaedic lives nowadays that it is very delightful sometimes to turn aside into some quiet corner and watch a specialist at work, says the Westminster Gazette. It may be only the eye of a fly or the digestive apparatus of a caterpillar, but he devotes his life to it and thinks nothing of all the noise and human struggles going on outside. A German professor, Ludwig Edinger, is absorbed at present in the question: "Have fish a memory?" and he has written to the Lancet to invite information on the subject. It may seem a trivial question and the brain of a fish may be a very small quantity, but a great many little thing in nature are worth studying, and even if the problem cannot be solved it will give a good opening for fish stories. Every disciple of Izaak Walton will have something to say and anecdotes to tell to back his opinions. There are no fish in the neighborhood of Fleet street, and, therefore, we cannot try experiments, and the only contribution we can make to the discussion is to ask why anglers have to be so particular about the make and color of their artificial flies if fish have no memory. If fish have vision without a sense of memory surely they would never discriminate between a May fly and a red spinner and anglers would be saved a lot of trouble.

ON THE WANE.

Bull Fighting No Longer Popular Among the Spaniards.

Bull fighting is on the wane in Spain, and its popularity is rapidly declining. This, says the New York Tribune, is shown by the fact that the Madrid chamber of commerce has just presented a petition based on the unanimous vote of its members to the governor of Madrid, requesting him to put a stop to week-day corridos, save on exceptional occasions. It is urged therein that bull fights on working days injure trade and industry, are detrimental to the dispatch of business in the government offices and favor idleness with all its accompanying evils. The governor has promised to accede to the petition, and his decision is approved by a large and influential portion of the public, while the remainder of the people view the matter with indifference. Yet 20 years ago the bare idea of any restriction of the number of bull fights by the authorities would have raised a storm of indignation, possibly developing into a revolution. The altered condition of public sentiment with regard to this national sport is mainly attributable to the excellent influence of the queen regent, who has always set her face against bull fighting, resolutely declining to countenance the corridos by her presence.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Jeremiah Root, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Fred'k B. Wood in the village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1897, and on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 26th day of May, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

DAN'L T. HALL,
FRED'K B. WOOD,
Commissioners.

Dated, May 26th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 28th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Coryell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Addison Coryell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and praying that his final account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 96 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along fine between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 59 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 26-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 20 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill land; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 566 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 333 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning. Reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence northerly along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 21 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence, west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 82-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line north 86¾ degrees west 11 chains 8 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 88¾ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 38 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to south west corner of E. ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of north east ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 11 chains 38 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 13-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER,
Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

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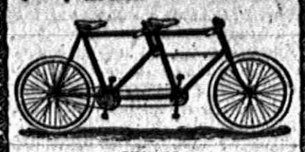

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Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

June 26, L. Whitney Watkins, acting under instructions for the state game and fish warden, went to Bridgewater and served warrants on Wm. Westphal, jr., Gottlob Benzler, Henry Brass, Adam Hoerning and Insego Arnold for illegal fishing. They will be examined in Justice Pond's court in this city on Wednesday, July 28.—Ann Arbor Argus.

Mrs. J. W. Showalter, sister of J. W. Marshal, salesman for H. Lang, is conceded to be the best lady chess player in the world. She is at present taking part in an international chess tournament at London in which lady chess players of all the world are contestants. Her husband, J. W. Showalter, was defeated for the world's chess championship contest by H. M. Pillsbury. Mrs. Showalter is as shrewd a player as her husband.

One day last week three men from abroad invaded Reading, and carried off three of the best young ladies of the village, all of them being school teachers. Of course it was necessary to fee the preachers who were parties in the deal, but as they needed the money, there is no adverse criticism. Two of the newly made husbands are also teachers, so that the affairs might well be called a wholesale uniting of educational interests.—Hudson Post.

Rev. C. I. Deyo, of Britton, Lenawee county, delivered a sermon to the Masons in which he said: "I have been told that the Masons killed Morgan. I don't believe it, but will give you the benefit of the doubt. The Catholics and Protestants have killed thousands, while the whole Masonic fraternity is accused of killing one man." There are a great many others who think as Mr. Deyo does. The sermon has caused considerable discussion.—Ann Arbor Argus.

There was quite a young cyclone at Wamplers Lake last Friday afternoon. It tore up several of the largest oak and elm trees by the roots, drove the boats up in a pile on the shore and blew a large pane of glass out of a window in one of the Fitzgerald cottages. The occupants of the cottages think that it was as close to a cyclone as they wish to get. Miss Alice Ladd took some kodak views of the scene after the storm to remind her of how close she came to blowing away.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Some parties living in Clinton have a sail boat called the little Devil, on Sand Lake, which on account of its name is very popular with Adrian people. Last Sunday some from the county seat were sailing, when the boat capsized, and one gentleman lost $40 in money that was in a pocket book. Had the country been on either a gold or silver basis exclusively, he would have been compelled to dive for it, but the good old paper money floated at par, and was rescued without any trouble.—Hudson Post.

Two young men from Blissfield who were rusticating at Devil's lake Wednesday, rented bathing suits with a view of taking a bath, but it seems they did not confine their "taxing" to the bath alone, but carried off the suits. They came to Hudson on their wheels and Marshal Richards was notified, who succeeded in recovering the stolen property. The young men said they paid 25c apiece to the man who gave them the suits and thought of course they had purchased the abbreviated garments.—Hudson Gazette.

Prof. Carlos, who says he is an Egyptian hypnotist, proposes to give some exhibitions in the store under Workingmen's hall. Among the things he proposes to do is the Hindoo burial test, putting a man under ground for 24 or 36 hours. He wants a local subject. Mayor Kirk states that if he attempts anything of this kind a stop will be put to it immediately, and Marshal Honig has been notified to watch the professor. Mayor Kirk says if he knew before Griffith came here, what he knows now about hypnotists, he would have put a stop to his window performance.

Deputy sheriff Shipman last Monday received word from the sheriff of Shiawassee county to detain one Harry Chapman, a boy 13 years of age, who had ran away from his home at Corunna, and supposed to be in this vicinity. The boy was found, at his aunt's home, Mrs. El. Miller, where he had been clothed and taken care of. He said he left home on account of ill-treatment received from his step-mother. Mr. Shipman telegraphed for instructions but received no answer and left the lad with his aunt who is pleased to keep and take care of him.—Dundee Reporter.

The Adrian Press says: "The TELEGRAM shies its castor into the ring to fight Capt. Miller's appointment as judge." But there is where our neighbor is off. This paper hasn't said a word against Capt. Miller. It simply called attention to a beautiful little trap the old Republican machine had set for Ping, and it pointed out that Ping would be more of a fool than even Sterns thinks he is, if he walks into the trap and appoints Miller. This paper is not fighting the appointment of anybody nor advocating the appointment of anybody. It is simply recording history as it is.

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Much of a Newsy Nature to Be Found in Paragraphs Below.

Over 600 crates of strawberries were shipped from Elsie last week.

Roy McDonald, a sailor, was killed by a Grand Trunk train at Sarnia.

Johnnie Rowe, an 18-year-old boy, was drowned in a mill pond at Calumet.

Coloma and Benton Harbor are to be connected by an independent telephone line.

Clayton Cooley, aged 26 years, living near Weidman, was run over by a lumber wagon and killed.

George Baker, an old soldier living at Grand Rapids, was kicked by a horse and died from the effects of his injuries.

George Funk, an aged farmer, fell in front of his mower while cutting wheat on his farm near Niles and was nearly cut to pieces.

Comptroller Eckels has issued his certificate extending the corporate existence of the First national bank of Eaton Rapids to July 3, 1917.

Ambrose Keating, a poultry breeder of Adrian, reports the loss of 1,200 fowls by some mysterious disease, and other breeders report similar trouble.

J. D. Watson, of Colon, found a solid gold ring in a potato hill on grounds where a house stood 50 years ago. The ring was encircled with a deep coat of rust.

New G. A. R. posts have been organized and mustered in at Summit City, Grand Traverse county; West Sumpter, Wayne county, and New Troy, Berrien county.

John Koonsman, a popular young farmer living near Fremont, committed suicide by hanging. Ill-health and despondency was the cause of the self-murder.

Rev. J. G. Rodger has resigned his position as president of the Benzonia college, and it is probable that George R. Catton will be the next incumbent of the office.

Grasshoppers are doing much damage among oat fields in Berrien county, and the timothy is being cut a couple of weeks ahead of time to save it from the hoppers.

The woodenware plant of Bechtold & Richards at Bellaire burned. Loss, $15,000; partially covered by insurance. Seventy men are thrown out of work temporarily. The works will be rebuilt.

Andrew Kent, of Omer, has purchased 5,000 acres of land in Presque Isle county, on which there is an immense amount of pine and hardwood timber, which will probably be cut up at his mill at Omer.

The roller mill elevator at Dryden was destroyed by fire together with three small buildings in the vicinity. The depot was in the path of the flames, but was saved by hard work. The loss is estimated at $12,000.

Rev. Lewis P. Davis Dead.

Bayview, July 13. — Rev. Lewis P. Davis, D. D., presiding elder of Adrian district in the Detroit annual conference, Methodist Episcopal church, died suddenly at the Bayview house Monday of acute indigestion. He arrived here Saturday from his home in Detroit to conduct the Bayview camp meeting, which begins to-day. He was 55 years old and an able preacher. His death has caused profound sorrow. The remains were shipped to Detroit for interment.

Named His Assistant.

Lansing, July 9.—Labor Commissioner Cox has appointed George E. Gunn, of Charlotte, factory inspector for the Third district, and has named Fred Redner, of Battle Creek, as his assistant. S. L. Russell, of Van Buren county, has been reappointed chief clerk. The commissioner has appointed John S. Whitten, of Hillsdale, statistical reporter to scan about 200 newspapers and clip any article bearing on any phase of the labor problem.

Janitor Kills Himself.

Ludington, July 9. — Charles Tolles, janitor of the high school building, shot himself Monday night. After eating supper he went to the school building, and entered the basement, locking the doors, and sent a pistol bullet into his right temple. He left a letter stating that he had been informed that his salary for the summer months had been cut from forty to ten dollars a month.

Gold Miners Strike.

Ishpeming, July 13.—The miners at Ropes' gold mine, 40 in number, have struck for back wages. Clarence R. Ely, secretary of the company, disappeared mysteriously two months ago, and though his accounts are correct the men grew suspicious of the ability of the company to pay. The mine has been running continuously for 13 years, and has produced nearly $1,000,000 in bullion.

New Lake Ferry to Start.

Benton Harbor, July 11. — The new ferry line between this city and Manitowoc will be opened July 20 with one tug and two ferries, and others will be added as business demands. The tug Fisher, one of the most powerful on the lakes, will do the towing. The ferries will accommodate 30 loaded freight cars each, and the round trip will be made in about 30 hours.

To Distribute Relief.

Lansing, July 12.— Gov. Pingree has appointed Frank Pemberthy, of Menominee, James Russell, of Marquette, and James Mercer, of Ontonagon, members of the commission to distribute the $25,000 relief fund for sufferers from the Ontonagon fire of 1896, appropriated by the last legislature.

Wants $5,000 Damages.

Kalamazoo, July 9. — Mrs. Elizabeth White, of Richland, has brought suit for $5,000 against the city for injuries received by falling through a grating in the rear of the Israel block.

Drank Kerosene.

Niles, July 13.—A daugter of Peter Leech drank some kerosene and died in great agony.

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The problem is easily solved
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And go about to find the ifs and ands.
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And will tell the family,
We will point you out the place to go,
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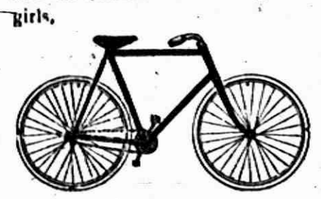

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A TERRIBLE WRECK.

Two Trains Crash Together Near Logan, Ia.

Thirty-One Persons Are Killed—The Injured Number Thirty-Nine—Engineer's Mistake of Orders the Cause—Wreck Near Chicago.

Omaha, Neb., July 13.—An appalling accident to an excursion train occurred early Saturday evening at Logan, Ia., 35 miles east of this city, on the line of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, in which 31 persons living in this city, Council Bluffs, Missouri Valley and intervening points, were killed and 39 injured. Many of the injured will, in all probability, die.

A Fatal Error.

The wreck occurred as a result of Engineer Montgomery, of the excursion train, mistaking orders. He was ordered to wait at Logan until the fast mail and the east-bound passenger train had passed. He waited for the passenger and then started out, having forgotten about the mail. The trains were going 50 miles an hour, when they met three miles west of Logan.

An Awful Scene.

The scene which followed the crash is indescribable. Both engines and the first passenger coach were demolished. The shrieks of women, the yells of men and the wails of the injured and dying in the gathering gloom rose above the crash of the heavy machinery and the screeching of steam escaping from the wrecked locomotives.

The Union Pacific Pioneer's association is composed of the employes of the Union Pacific system. The larger portion of them work in Union Pacific shops in this city, and as rule have large families dependent on them.

The Dead.

A complete list of the dead is as follows:

A. M. Gerard, 1839 Seventh avenue, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Owen Cavanaugh, Eighteenth and Charles streets, Omaha, aged 18; Willie Cosgrove, 1622 Nicholas street, Omaha; E. G. Winegar, a brakeman, Boone, Ia.; Fred Neilson, Omaha; Lawrence Peterson, engineer waterworks, Council Bluffs; Mrs. Carroll, 1219 North Seventeenth street, Omaha; infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll; Mrs. Bradley, wife of moulder, Union Pacific shops, Omaha; infant of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley; Dudson, son of Sam Dudson, Omaha; William Rummit, Missouri Valley; Mrs Neilson, 22 North Thirty-third street, Omaha; John Perkins, 1442 North Nineteenth street; Pierson, son of Andrew Pierson, machinist, 13 years old; John Larson, 16 years old, 1118 North Eighteenth street, World-Herald carrier; Patrick Scully, stationary engineer, Union Pacific shops, 2524 Center street; Miss Maggie Cosgrove, Eighteenth and Nicholas streets, Omaha; Charles Helman, Missouri Valley, Ia.; William Wilson, Ninth avenue and Fifteenth street, Council Bluffs; Claire, son of Robert Claire, boilermaker, Omaha, head off and body identified by shoes; John Cosgrove, Eighteenth and Nicholas streets, Omaha; James E. Cosgrove, Omaha, head torn off from mouth up, identified only by laundry mark, George A. Lawrence, tinsmith, Omaha; Walter Jennings, Missouri Valley, Ia.; John McDermott, machinist, 1612 Nicholas street, Omaha; Mary Tracy, 1107 North Eighteenth street; Mrs. John Kahler, identified in Council Bluffs, where she lived; infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Kahler, three months old; Phillip Carroll, boy, 1425 North Seventeenth street, Omaha; John Kinzle, Forty-sixth and Cuming streets, Omaha.

DISASTER NEAR CHICAGO.

Picnic Train Wrecked and Five Persons Are Killed.

Chicago, July 13.—An excursion train on the Wisconsin Central ran into an open switch at Altenheim, a suburb ten miles west of this city, Sunday evening, killing five people and injuring about 20. The names of the dead are: Charles Samuels, Chicago; Frederick Keitel, Chicago, Fred Koch, Chicago; Miss Mary Arnold and Miss Mary Hubert.

It is not known who is guilty of leaving the switch open, but pending an investigation the police arrested Conductor Heater, James Grant and William Dolan, the crew of the excursion train, and the crew of the side-tracked passenger train.

HE CONFESSES.

Chicago's Famous "Short" Man Acknowledges His Crimes.

Chicago, July 14.—William, alias "Red," Sullivan, the "short man" in the robbery of the New York Biscuit company, has confessed. He sat silent for more than 17 hours in the "sweat box" with Chief Badenoch and other police officials interrogating him, but at last the strain was too much for him and he broke down. Not only has he confessed to participation in the New York Biscuit company hold-up, but he also admits that he was the "short man" who figured in 15 or 16 other robberies.

Says He Stole $36,000.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 14.—Maj. W. C. Moreland, ex-city attorney, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of embezzlement of $36,000 of city funds. His assistant, W. H. House, pleaded not guilty and was placed on trial. The auditor's report last week shows a discrepancy of $300,000 in the accounts of Morgland and House.

Three Drowned.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 13.—A sail boat containing three young men capsized on the Niagara river near the foot of Austin street Sunday afternoon. The current in the river at this point is very strong and before assistance could reach them they were drowned.

Baltimore, Md., July 13.—Mrs. Thomas Woolford, aged 64, and her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Siemaker, aged 65, were burned to death by the explosion of a lamp at their home in this city.

THE CROP REPORT.

Influence of the Weather of Past Week on Growing Grains.

Chicago, July 15.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Ohio—The stormy weather of the 8th and 9th blew down some corn, oats and wheat in shock. The 9th was cool, and the week closed very warm. Wheat is being threshed in southern section, yield poor. Oats are being cut in southern half, prospects good, yield excellent in quality. Haying and harvest retarded slightly by showers, hay fair. Tobacco is clean and is being topped. Gardens are fine, fruit is promising, pastures are good; corn is growing finely, but hurt some by chinch bugs.

Michigan—Weather very favorable for wheat and rye harvest and haying, which are nearing completion. Threshing has commenced. Oats are in fine condition, are ripening, and in a few cases cutting has begun. Corn continues in excellent condition and is beginning to tassel. Potatoes, beans and garden truck are doing well. Everything needs more rain, especially pasturage, which is brown and short.

Indiana—Excellent weather prevailed for harvesting and growing crops. Corn is in silk and tassels; potatoes, tomatoes, melons and vegetables in good condition; tobacco looks well; wheat and rye threshing most done; oats harvest commenced; haying continues.

Illinois—Favorable week for work, which has been pushed; oats harvest and haying practically finished, timothy saved in fine condition. Some threshing of oats, rye and wheat done; wheat is poor to fair, rye and oats fair to good; oats somewhat damaged by rust. Corn growing finely, early earing well and late being laid by.

Iowa—Ideal harvest weather, bright, cool and generally rainless. Harvest of oats and spring wheat in progress, and both crops much hurt by rust. Oats have suffered more from rust than wheat. Corn has made good advancement. Rain is needed for immature crops.

Wisconsin—Week very warm with practically no rain, except light showers in northern section. Haying is about completed, with a fair crop of good quality. Rye mostly cut in southern and middle counties, excellent crops. Oats very heavy and beginning to ripen. Corn and pasture badly in need of rain.

Minnesota—Week dry and hot; the droughty conditions rapidly spreading and intensifying. Wheat in north short, thin and late, in south better, but below average; other crops doing fairly well; fair crop of rye harvested; large amount of hay well secured.

M'KINLEY'S CAMPAIGN.

Mark Hanna Chooses a Force of Assistant Managers.

Cleveland, O., July 14.—After weighing in the balance the names of 20 prominent republicans for a month, Chairman M. A. Hanna has named the executive committee who will be his coinborers and advisers in managing McKinley's campaign. The list of executive committeemen was furnished to the press Monday morning. The official list contains the names of M. A. Hanna, of Ohio, chairman; M. S. Quay, of Pennsylvania; Joseph H. Manley, of Maine; H. C. Payne, of Wisconsin; Cyrus Leland, of Kansas; Powell Clayton, of Arkansas; C. G. Dawes, of Illinois; W. T. Durbin, of Indiana, and N. B. Scott, of West Virginia. The republican executive committee will meet in this city Wednesday. W. M. Osborne, of Boston, is made secretary of the committee and J. A. Dick, of this city, assistant secretary.

HEAVY ROBBERY.

Money and Jewels Amounting to $30,000 Stolen at a Hospital.

Philadelphia, July 15.—An extensive robbery was reported to the police late Tuesday afternoon. At the St. Joseph's hospital Tuesday $30,000 in money and jewels were stolen from Mr. and Mrs. Moore, patients at the institution. The valuables were taken from a trunk. William H. Thompson, a professional nurse at the hospital, is suspected as the robber. He has disappeared and the police are looking for him.

MURDERER CONFESSES.

Slayer of Minnie Keil Implicates Her Brother in the Crime.

Bellevue, Ia., July 13.—Christian Eckelebe, who was arrested on suspicion for the murder of Minnie Keil on July 4, and now confined at Andrew awaiting his preliminary examination, has made a confession implicating a brother of the murdered girl as his companion and the instigator of the crime. Miss Keil was shortly intending having a final settlement of her father's estate, whereby the farm would be divided.

Fell Dead.

Kokomo, Ind., July 11.—John Wallace, wealthy farmer near town, fell dead from his horse while out riding. The faithful horse, one he had been riding for 20 years, was standing guard over his master's body when found. Wallace was 60 years old.

Was Fatally Injured.

Wichita, Kan., July 11.—"Oklahoma" Harry Hill, a well-known frontiersman whose life has been a romance interwoven with the early history of Kansas and Oklahoma, died in this city from the effects of being thrown from a buggy in a runaway.

Refuse the Money.

Havana, July 15.—The merchants of this city have refused the last issue of paper money. A decree has been issued by Gen. Weyler obliging all foreigners to inscribe their nationality on a special register to be reported by the general government.

Ducat & Grantham's livery barn at St. Joseph, Mo., was burned, and 60 horses, many of them valuable blooded animals, were cremated.

A MIGHTY HOST.

The Christian Endeavor Convention Is Largely Attended.

The Capital City Resounds with Songs of Praise—A Remarkable Demonstration—The Closing Day.

Washington, July 11.—The one topic in the four great meetings of the Christian Endeavor convention yesterday was "saved to serve," and attention was devoted to the junior workers' societies.

One of the features of the meeting was the unrolling of the missionary roll of honor, being lists of names on continuous sheets of paper rolled up on hose reels after the manner of petitions, etc., when prepared for impressive effect. Upon it were the names of 5,660 young people's societies, 2,331 junior societies, representing 35 states, seven territories, seven provinces and four foreign lands, and showing contributions of $154,022.68 to home and foreign mission boards, and $206,150.21 to other denominational uses, a total of $360,172.89. Of this the Clarendon street Baptist society, Boston, and the Calvary Presbyterian society, Buffalo, each gave in excess of $1,000.

The Third Day.

Washington, July 13.—The most remarkable religious demonstration ever concentrated at one spot and probably the greatest this country has ever seen was that of the open-air patriotic song service at the east front of the United States capitol Saturday evening, which has proved a popular public feature of the big Christian Endeavor convention. Fully 25,000 people were within the shadow of the great dome of the capitol to listen to the great 4,000-voice chorus, and the sight was more inspiring than the inauguration ceremonies.

The Fourth Day.

Washington, July 13.—A list of 30 meetings arranged to be held in the tents and churches yesterday afternoon offered varying attractions to the 40,000 Christian Endeavor delegates in attendance upon the fifteenth international convention. These were mostly denominational rallies, and they drew crowds according to the numerical strength of each particular denomination.

The Last Day.

Washington, July 14.—The last day's session of the fifteenth international Christian Endeavor convention yesterday was reserved for missionaries, and Margaret W. Leitch, of Ceylon, and Rebecca Kirkorian, of Turkey, just returned from the scene of the atrocities, spoke to an immense crowd. The appearance of Miss Kirkorian, in Armenian costume, her sad face and her broken and pathetic story of her people's woes moved the great audience to frequent and audible expressions of sympathy and sorrow.

Evangelist Mills took up the appeal and assailed the governments of Europe, England and the United States for their indifference toward the Armenian slaughter. In conclusion he said: "Our government has stirred the passions of the American people to anger against England on one-thousandth part of the pretext that would have sufficed for a destructive war with Turkey. The administration officers have turned a deaf and almost scornful ear to the entreaties and representations of some of our best citizens, missionaries, churches and moral societies, and I denounce their conduct as unpatriotic, uncivil, undemocratic, unrepublican, un-American, un-Christian, selfish, weak, barbaric and criminal in the eyes of the American people, and of God and all men."

A Remarkable Demonstration.

Every word almost of these last sentences of Mr. Mills was greeted by loud cheers. Men and women on the platform behind him and in the benches before him rose and shouted their hearty approval of denunciation of President Cleveland. In the midst of the solemn charge of cowardice and disloyalty leveled at the chief executive, the secretary of state and the American minister, the whole audience arose spontaneously, waving flags and banners and crying aloud their approval.

End of the Convention.

The convention closed its sessions Monday night. There were meetings in the three tents, in the Calvary, First Congregational, Foundry and New York Avenue churches and in Central hall. Today will be devoted to sight seeing and to-night there will be a bicycle parade in honor of the Endeavorers.

Indorse the Gold Standard.

Dover, Del., July 15.—The republicans, under the leadership of J. Edward Addicks, met in convention here yesterday and nominated a state ticket headed by John H. Hoffeker, of Smyrna, for governor. Jonathan S. Willis was named for congressman. The platform indorses McKinley and Hobart and the maintenance of the gold standard.

Wheat and Corn.

Washington, July 11.—The government report makes the winter wheat condition 75.6, indicating a yield of 270,564,000 bushels, and the spring wheat condition 93.3, indicating a yield of 173,294,000 bushels—a total spring and winter wheat yield of 443,858,000 bushels. The average condition of corn is 92.4, against 99.3 in July last year.

To Protect the Birds.

Washington, July 14.—An appeal for the observance of a "bird day" in the schools throughout the country, to protect them from wanton destruction, has been made by the agricultural department.

Clinton Column.

Off for Milwaukee—Change of Residence—Etc.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Ed. Clark expects to buy apples this fall.

Guy Carr left for Bowling Green, O., Monday.

Chas. Parker spent Sunday with his family here.

C. H. Millen, of Wolf Lake, was in town Monday.

Niel Williams is visiting among his old friends here.

Robert Cairns, of Tecumseh, was in town last Friday.

Mr. Thomas, late of Lake City, Minn., was in town Saturday.

Bradley G. Swift returned to Greenville last Friday night.

Steadman, the baker has received his wagon and it is a dandy.

Mrs. J. E. White and Mary were Tecumseh visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies visited her daughter Mrs. C. F. Field Monday.

Miss Melissa Hull, of Saline, is the guest of Mrs. C. F. Clark.

Isabel Davis returned Friday from a few day's visit in Tecumseh.

Claude Lane and wife spent Sunday with their friends near Norvell.

Mrs. Lucretia Amspoker and Eva Shimman visited Tecumseh, Monday.

Henry Heying has moved his family to Stockbridge, his goods going Monday.

Sunday there was a great crowd at Wampler's lake, over fifty being from here.

Mrs. Eva Cooley spent Sunday in Macon as the guest of Chas. Burleson and family.

The regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter O. E. S. occurs next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. G. Cook, of Tecumseh, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Laura Tuttle, Saturday.

Geo. Chandler and sister, Abbie, of Saline, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Kies.

Arthur Kinney and wife, of Norvell, visited his mother, Mrs. Josephine Kinney, over Sunday.

Floy Avery went to Ypsilanti Saturday to attend the summer normal, at Cleary's College.

Amy Calkins, of Detroit, came over last Friday for a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Davis.

The Misses Nellie and Grace Whittlesey returned last Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. George Pulver and little daughter Ruth, of Dundee, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Peter Kishpaugh.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife have moved into the Parsons house. Albert says no more living up stairs for him.

Isabel Fisk, of Detroit, has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Dorr, since Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coller, of Tecumseh, and L. C. Coller, wife and son Fred of Coldwater were guests of Peter Kishpaugh last Friday.

Percy VanTuyle, a few days since, received a postal from Mrs. Joe St. John who is spending the year in Germany. He was a pleased kid.

C. F. Clark is out looking for locations to place the peach crop of J. T's and his own. They each will have an immense fruit crop and that very choice.

Mrs. C. B. McMaster made Clinton friends a flying visit last Saturday. She came from Norvell on the morning train and returned at one o'clock.

Mrs. James Halladay, Alice and Ralph went to Cambridge Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Arnold Graves, who died very suddenly Saturday night.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston, Alberta, Fred, Will Burton and Christine are camping out in Moore's grove at the lake. They are with a company from Manchester.

Will Clack and family, Henry Brewster and daughters, Celia and Lizzie are at Wampler's lake. They are nicely settled in one of Fitzgerald's cottages.

Miss Alice McAdam gave a pleasant card party Monday evening in honor of her guests, Prof. Moran and sister, of Manchester, who visited her several days.

John Alexander left yesterday morning for St. Thomas, Canada. Monday he will go to Hamilton, where he will join Rev. Mr. Smith, the gospel temperance worker.

Rev. Mr. Hutchins and Miss Minnie Alexander are in Milwaukee attending the B. Y. P. convention. Mr. H. went Monday, via. Kalamazoo, and Minnie went in company with Carrie Millspaugh, of Tecumseh.

E. R. Smith is just now connecting the eave troughs of the M. E. church with his sewer for flushing purposes. He will soon make connections with several business blocks on the south side of Chicago street.

Mrs. Abbie Fisher, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. Alma Tate the last of the week. Saturday they drove to Ypsilanti returning home Sunday night. Mrs. Tate left for Ypsilanti Wednesday expecting to remain several weeks.

The following company are occupying the Kimball cottage at Wampler's lake. Mr. Howard Hause and wife, Florence Green, Jean Hause, Edith and Emma Cotton, Geo. Davis, Clare Kimball, Prof. Wilcox, and Neil Williams and Dwight Hause is there frequently. It does not take long for the spirit to move them to speak.

Mrs. Arnold Graves, who died so suddenly at her home in Cambridge last Saturday night, was well known to many of our people. Before her marriage she was often here, her father, Otis Richmond, living near Reynolds Corners. The family have the sympathy of all.

Mrs. A. C. Huntington started for Bay View Wednesday noon.

Mrs. E. R. Smith and guests and Mrs. F. D. Lancaster are home from the lake.

J. R. Hause and son attended the funeral of Harrison Daniels at Cambridge, Sunday.

Miss Tracy Ternes, of Marine City, was the guest of Miss Minnie McAdam the first of the week.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell occupied the pulpit of the Central M. E. church, Detroit Sunday morning.

Miss Wilma Corwin, of Grass Lake, has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Bessie Corwin, since Tuesday.

Mrs. Pierce Haughn died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her father D. S. Alvord. Funeral was held Thursday at the house.

Frank D. Lancaster sold his fine driving horse Wednesday, to an eastern buyer, and delivered it at Adrian the same evening.

Lewis Brooks, of Vermontville, and Mrs. Laura VanDeMark arrived Tuesday night from Detroit, for a few days visit with relatives.

Chas. Lewis' family are now, or soon will be, residents of Brooklyn. They have moved their household effects. Charles will still work in the mill but when he is out of work will be in B., where he can look after his business interests.

The game of base ball Saturday between the Lake Ridge and the home team resulted in a victory for our boys by a score of 14 to 13. There was a large crowd present and the game was very interesting. Although there was some rank plays made there were many brilliant ones.

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MACON.

Patent Medicine Man Still Here—Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Edwin Howell is still on the sick list.

The Rev. Mr. Warner filled the M. E. pulpit Sunday.

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The patent medicine man still continues to draw crowds.

A number of our people have done successful work in the huckle-berry marshes.

The W. C. T. U. meeting announced for this week will be held next week at the home of Mrs. Angie Mills.

A bay horse, owned by Chas. Howell, and pastured for some time past on the Dr. Howell farm, was taken to Ann Arbor last week Tuesday; the next day it broke away and has not yet been found.

James Haight & Co. have just received a new and choice lot of fly nets.

Died, July 12, Lynn Hendershot the 7-year-old son of Robert and Mary Hendershot. Four weeks ago the child stepped on something, which made a slight cut in his foot; the wound never really healed, and severe bleeding spells followed. Last Saturday the little fellow was taken much worse and continued to suffer more and more until Sunday night, when death ended the pain. Their friends extend the family their warmest sympathy in this great bereavement.

OBITUARY.

Sarah J. Langan, who has been failing in health for some time, passed away June 24th, aged 57 years. The funeral was conducted Friday by Rev. DeSpelder, at the Reformed church, of which she was a consistent member. Death had no terrors, no sting to her, she was ready for her departure. Thoughts of her will ever be pleasant, but tinged by sadness as her death comes to mind. Remembrance of her life and words will ever cheer and inspire, though such remembrance may cause tears to flow and cast a shadow of pensiveness and gloom around us. Her literary tastes were more than ordinary, being well read and well informed on the subjects of today. Four brothers and one sister are left to mourn her loss.

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"In the early autumn, when the chestnut leaves are beginning to turn a golden color, parties are organized who go to wherever they can get a good supply of these leaves, which are then put on long wires and immersed in this filth, for either a long or short time, according to the requirements of a strong or mild cigar. These leaves are then rolled into English cigars."

The above correspondent's statement tallies, says the London Standard, with an incident which occurred some years ago, when a certain person was charged with illegally manufacturing cigars. His defense was that the cigars he manufactured did not contain a particle of tobacco. And, what is more, he proved his case. His cigars were made of brown paper, embossed to look like leaves, and steeped in tobacco juice.

ONE MAN'S SUFFERING.

The Trials and Tribulations of a Battle Creek Citizen—How He Comes to Tell This Story

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes the statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary relief they brought me. Whenever I caught the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got some. I have taken in all four boxes of them, and I now feel as active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing pains are gone, and the former traces of kidney disorders found in my urine have disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were troubled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap to me at almost any price."

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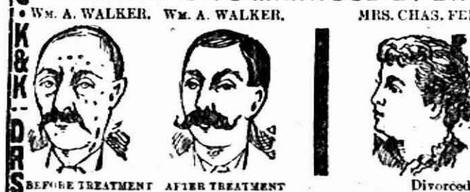

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Mother and Daughter Murdered.

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 7.—A horrible double murder has been committed here. The bodies of Mrs. H. Richardson, aged 60, and her daughter Ethel, were found Monday morning. The woman had been stabbed and beaten with a club.

Paw Paw, Ill., July 6.—Ernest Knauer, a young man aged 30, who lived at Compton, five miles west of here, was killed Saturday morning. He was attempting to shoot a cannon when it exploded, blowing his eyes out and fracturing his skull. He lived only a few hours.

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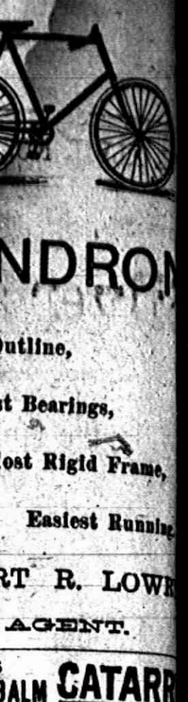

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BRITTON.

t a Cyclone—Ice Cream Social —Ins and Outs.

e Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thurs- July 23.

H. Temple received a big invoice iglics Monday.

ke Bannister has recovered from te indisposition.

s. Gorham and wife were Deer- visitors Tuesday.

s. Eb. Slayton, of Dundee, called itton friends Wednesday.

n. Nivison, we are happy to say, is gain and feels like a new man.

sday evening next is regular re- of Hendershot Tent, K. O. T. M.

Lamb, a lumber dealer of Sagi- was in town Wednesday on busi-

drew Gogoline is shipping lumber troit via the C., J. & M. Ry. this

Hiscock, of Toledo, has been the of W. E. Allen and family this

a Yates, Ed Gripton, Tom Prest Ben Haight took a spin to Dundee ay.

J. Helm, wife and daughters were of friends at Whittkaer over ay.

. Swick has received two cars of for the new bridge. Work will at once.

. Nancy Titsworth was the guest rs. Betty Moody, of Tecumseh, ast week.

r Osgood, of Morenci, and Elmer, ledo, father and brother of Will, with him Sunday.

Grossman, of New York City, was uest of his cousin, Mrs. George on, several days the past week.

o & Brown are contracting rye all over the country. They pay a price for it and will get most of it.

the base ball cranks witnessed ame at Adrian Wednesday, be- the Page Giants and Flint team.

uacey Andrews is nicely settled new quarters over in Canada and osy as a bug in a rug. Look in m.

Curtis, Mont Hoagland, Charles ee and Joe Wiggins made Adrian it Wednesday. They went in style.

C. Vanocker, of Petersburg, was n on business Wednesday. He n his way to Jackson to the Con- ional Convention.

rn Gripton and Ella Exelby called drian friends Sunday. They en- d the trip. You know how pleasant little journeys are.

L. Kishpaugh was completely ed Wednesday. The day before he on. Ralph, were unloading coal he fell bushed the old gent.

Osgood's condition remains the same. Although very weak mperature is gradually subsiding l symptoms seem favorable to his ery.

fly nets and save twice the cost airing broken straps, harnesses rriages caused from fighting flies. Haight & Co. have just what ant.

Swank, son of Rev. N. L. Swank, rmerly preached here and died his incumbency, was calling on nds the first of the week. The now reside at Pittsford.

N. F. Nickerson, of South Dako- expected tomorrow. He will the pulpit at the Reform church . It is expected he will accept as pastor of that society.

army worm is working great to crops in this vicinity. Whole f oats being ruined completely. armers have cut their oats green to save anything from them.

C. I. Deyo, of the Christian will hold regular services next . Morning text: Matt.: 23-27. g topic: "Always Ready. A from an oriental marriage feast."

ris Britton, who is ticket agent at uis, Mich., for the Toledo & Ann road, is visiting his parents, Mr. rs. John Britton. Morris, like a n, likes coming home to' roost.

Lee is nursing Will Osgood nights nsequently turns day into night eping. The horrible sounds that frequently heard are simply good y snores from Art, as he is pound- s ear.

ot forget the ice cream social to- w evening for the benefit of the boys. They will discourse sweet as well as dispense fine cream oice cakes. The boys never do by halves.

re was considerable kicking done it was discovered that Ridgeway hip was to be represented by a nt of Tecumseh at the Congres- Convention at Jackson Wednes- The query was often heard: t does this mean, and why was one?"

rence Brown, John Zeluff, O. W. dson, Frank Brown and Clarence nearly depleted the lake of fish st of the week. The open coun- es of O. W., Clarence and Law- when reflected on the water, act- a loadstone and the fish fairly ver each other in trying to take ooks.

s community barely escaped a e Monday afternoon; as it was, damage was done, especially to ng crops. The clouds, by their larhue, first attracted the people's tion. Next a sound similar to the of an approaching train was heard came the wind, which struck the east end of the village, uprooting trees, demolishing out-buildings, scattering wheat in shocks all over the fields and laying flat oats and corn. After a course covering a mile or more in extent, it seemed to rise and no further damage was done in this vicinity. Our people do not care for any more of it. Large, sound and perfect trees were twisted off like straws and apple trees were either uprooted or shorn of their fruit.

There are no flies on James Haight & Co., of Britton, but their fly nets, every one who has horses needs and must have.

Saturday being pleasant the trip contemplated by Will Clark and party, consisting of two sisters with their husbands besides his wife, to Monroe Co., was made, and it proved not only enjoyable but of special interest to them. They called at, and went over, the house in Raisinville, where they were born, visited many places made dear to them by early associations, met many friends and acquaintances of long ago and stood by the graves of loved ones long departed. The two day thus spent will ever remain bright spots in their memories.

RIDGEWAY.

Medicine Show Coming — Grist of Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thurs- day, July 23.

Prof. E. A. Wilson returned from Chicago Saturday.

Maud Cleveland, of Addison, is in the village canvassing.

W. D. Stearns, of Toledo, spent Sunday with A. J. Sutton.

Buy your fruit jars of Ed Smith.

Rutherford Yokom, of Manchester, is here this week canvassing.

Alf James, of Tecumseh, was in the village Monday on business.

Ross DeMuth, of Toledo, was the guest of Leila Sutton Saturday.

Wm. DeMott, of Tecumseh, called on friends in the village Tuesday.

Clarence Jackson, of Tecumseh, visited friends here part of last week.

For jelly tumblers go to Ed Smith.

Rev. Hoag and wife, of AuSable, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ed Palmer.

M. D. Britton, of St. Louis, Mich., is enjoying his vacation with relatives here.

James O'Hara, of Cincinnati, spent part of last week with his sister, Mrs. A. Lake, and family.

Although we have the second large stock of fly nets this season, they are going rapidly. Get yours at once.

JAS. HAIGHT & CO., Britton.

Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, was in attendance at the funeral services of of Mrs. Loree, Friday.

Nina Lowe left Monday night for Stoughton, Wis., for a few week's visit with her grand-parents.

Remember Ed Smith sells none but the best grades of machine oil.

Mrs. Mary Squires and son, Clarence, of Ann Arbor, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Montgomery.

Maggie Cheever went to Detroit last week to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lewis Priest.

Rev. J. P. Varner, of the M. E. church, Tecumseh, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Loree, held last Friday.

Supt. Romine Miller and wife and R. S. Houseman and wife rode to Raisinville on their wheels Saturday.

A. L. Arner, of Iowa City, Iowa, arrived Wednesday for a few day's visit with his mother, Mrs. Louise Arner.

Frank Lanning and Addie Sherman rode over to Ada Dibble's, near Adrian, Sunday, on their wheels, and spent the day.

A large stock of screen doors, window screens and wire cloth at lowest prices at Ed Smith's.

David Gibson, who is with the Giants this season, as advertising medium for the Page Fence Company, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon of Luther, arrived Wednesday for a few week's stay with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Temple.

The advance agent for Col. W. F. Cody's Wild West show was in the village Tuesday billing the town for their exhibition at Adrian, August 4.

The Wonder Workers will hold forth in their pavilion on the plat near the depot for one week, beginning Monday evening, with a change of program each night.

Benjamin Loree and Mrs. Frank Shutt of Fenwick, and John Loree, of Ionia, were called here last week by the death of their mother, Mrs. Rhoda Loree.

Ed Smith has just received a car load of fancy Michigan salt. Parties wanting to buy salt will do well to see this before buying elsewhere.

Prof. H. C. Wilson, wife and son, Robert, of Paw Paw, arrived Wednesday evening for a visit with the professor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. have secured Rev. J. E. Williams, of the Friends church, Tecumseh, for the morning hour, and Rev. Marvin, of the Baptist church, Saline, for the evening service, next Sunday.

In the Britton column of last week's issue the scrib may not have been aware that Ed Smith, the hardware merchant here, did the ordering for that car load of salt, and owns half interest in the car lot with Mr. DuBois. Undoubtedly it would take a car load for the village down the creek, as they are rather fresh. The facts of the case are all we are after.

OBITUARY.

Rhoda Williams was born at Allenburgh, Ont., Nov. 29, 1814. She was married to Robt. Loree Nov. 11, 1830. Six children were born to them, three sons and three daughters, of whom the two eldest daughters died in early womanhood. Robert Loree and wife with the youngest son and daughter came to Michigan in 1865, and settled on a farm in Raisin, Lenawee, Co., and two years after removed to Fenwick, Montcalm Co., where the father died in the spring of 1875. Since that time the mother has had her home alternately at Fenwick and Ridgeway. She died on the 7th inst., leaving to mourn her departure, three sons, one daughter, fourteen grand-children and nine great grand-children. She was a good and loving mother, a devoted friend, a member of the Great Household of Faith and of the Methodist church from very early in life. The funeral was held at her late home, D. W. Loree's in Ridgeway, Friday, July 10, and her body laid to rest in Ridgeway cemetery to await the resurrection morning.

CARD OF THANKS.

We extend heartfelt thanks to all the friends for expressions of sympathy and for kindly helping hands at the obsequies of our mother.

D. W. AND A. E. LOREE.

HOLLOWAY.

A Presbyterian Picnic—Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thurs- day, July 23.

Miss Fannie Kelly is able to be out again.

Everyone present enjoyed the social at Mrs. Geo. Holloway's.

The Presbyterian society enjoyed a picnic at the river on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Thompson, of Adrian, visited Mrs. James Lane last week.

Osgood Hive L. O. T. M. will hold its regular review tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Hiser, from Indiana, takes the place of W. C. Holt as station agent.

Mr. A. and Robert Boyd and families are having a weeks outing at Sand Lake.

Quite a number here attended the Republican convention at Adrian on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Glay and daughter, of Homer, are visiting Levi Coffin, and Mrs. Glay's mother, Mrs. West.

Mrs. W. C. Holt and children left for Kunkle, O., Saturday, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Zora Hollister and son Harry went to Adrian on Monday, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Mary Clark very pleasantly entertained the stockholders of the creamery and their wives on Saturday evening.

Mr. Nutting, the new workman in the creamery, started for Watertown N. Y. Sunday. Mr. Islay, of Homer, takes his place.

No Sunday school was held at the Free Methodist Church Sunday on account of the funeral of Aunt Zelpha Bowerman at the Friend's church.

CONE.

Medicine Show Coming--Many Personals.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thurs- day, July 23.

Mrs. Aaron Auten is quite sick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Allhouse spent Saturday in Detroit.

Army worms have made their appearance in this vicinity.

The Logan brothers began work in their saw mill this week.

Goldie Buck returned home Saturday from a four weeks' visit in Toledo.

Jessie Avery, of Tecumseh, is visiting her cousins, Grace and Anna Ellis.

Mrs. Anna Auten and Mrs. Martha Sherwood are visiting relatives at Ashley.

Mrs. Miller, of Britton, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Aaron Auten.

Rose Vandeventer is spending a few days in Detroit, the guest of her cousin Mrs. Amy Cassidy.

August Albright moved into Mrs. Acker's house last Thursday and will work in Logan's saw mill.

Mrs. Frank Drury, of Ypsilanti, was called here last Friday on account of the severe illness of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Caswell.

The Choctaw Indians will give a concert here every evening next week, beginning Monday, July 20, to advertise their medicine. They will pitch their tent in Henry Smith's vacant lot, west of Jacob Dennisen's store.

There is no other remedy on earth so simple, so effectual, so natural; in the cure of summer complaint in all its forms, as Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry.

Supt. Wilson Cox, of Kennedy's saw mill, at Rardon, O., influenced by a premonition, remained away from the mill and thereby escaped death by an explosion.

For earache put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough isn't it?

Daniel Defoe, a young English soldier who claims to be a lineal descendant of Daniel Defoe, author of "Robinson Crusoe," died of consumption in San Francisco recently.

Eczema in any part of the body is instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment, the sovereign remedy for all itchiness of the skin.

Syrup of Figs

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

Mrs. Henry Ingham, of Laporte, Ind., has passed the 140th day of her long fast and has entered upon a prolonged sleep.

Female Loveliness

May be obtained by intelligent women. A well regulated system must of necessity show its fruit in the face. To regulate the system and keep it in perfect condition there is nothing so good as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin—Constipation and indigestion absolutely cured. 10 doses 10c. Large size 50c and $1, at Orr & Temple's. july

Archibald Bary, a missing bank cashier, of Raleigh, N. C., has been located in a hospital at Chicago, Ill.

A True Saying.

It has been said that habitual constipation is the cause of fully one-half the diseases that flesh is heir to. Keep your bowels regulated by Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and your system will be in proper condition to keep off diseases of all kinds. Get a sample bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of Orr & Temple, and you will bless the day you did. july

Peter McRae and his wife and son were drowned from a capsized boat in Aylmer Lake, Quebec.

The strength which comes to us from eating nourishing food is better than stimulation, because it is new strength. The health which belongs to a strong body, well nourished by proper food (properly digested), is the only health that is lasting.

The difference between Shaker Digestive Cordial and other medicines is simply that it helps nature to make strength. It does not profess to cure sickness, except as that sickness is a result of weakness caused by food not properly digested.

Shaker Digestive Cordial will relieve the pangs of indigestion, and make thin, sick, weak people as well as if their stomachs had never been out o order.

It is a gentle aid to the digestion of nature's strength-maker, food.

At druggists. Trial bottle, 10c. 1w

Fate Brooks, of Liberty, Ky., killed a man last Tuesday, was arrested the next day and on Friday was sentenced to be hanged.

Mrs. J. F. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes *"I was troubled with heart disease* for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. *They said there was no help for me,* that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of *Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,* which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and *It completely cured me. I sleep* well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure
Restores Health

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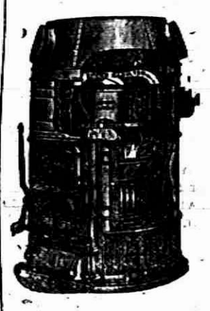

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Perhaps you havn't been to the New Store yet, and don't know of the good things there for you. We have the Newest and Best stock of the things you would expect to find in a first-class Dry Goods Store, and added to the charm of newness there are the wonderfully low prices.

Frequent visits to our store will prove very profitable.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 17, 1896.

"Even exchange is no robbery." Free Press is now for single standard, hence aiding McKinley, and the Tribune for Bryan and free silver, out and out.

The Herald made a prediction four weeks since that if the other candidates did not watch out Pingree would receive the republican nomination for Governor. And the carrying of the Lenawee County convention last Saturday for him shows that his strength cannot be over-estimated.

The Tecumseh Herald of last week was the first newspaper to announce the nomination of Bryan at the Chicago convention, received here, and contained a full account of the convention from the opening. The Herald prints the gist of all the news each week and has the reputation of being the best local and county paper in Lenawee.

The nomination at Chicago last week of Wm. Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, for President and Arthur Sewall, of Maine, for Vice President, was taking all things into consideration, a novel proceeding. Bryan is a clean, trustworthy young man, in theory fully in accord with the platform of the convention, having been a free silver and free trade advocate since his public career began. He is clean morally and mentally and is indeed quite the proper opponent for McKinley on the issues of this campaign. Sewall is a Maine shipbuilder and if past record counts for anything, is entirely out of place standing on such a platform. He is a monopolist, railroad magnate and bank president, is president of the tariff league of New England and has been sent to Washington time and time again as special representative to raise the tariff on everything that would assist shipbuilders or the carrying trade. He is worth six millions and it takes money to run a campaign. To sum up the situation the candidates are well enough, but honest men will take much thought before following in the footsteps of such men as Altgeld and Tillman, than whom there are not more dangerous persons on earth. The free and unlimited coinage of silver is an honest issue and they who desire have perfect right to the thought that the enaction of such an issue would help out the present depression, but neither Altgeld or Tillman care a rap for free silver or any other theory aside from their own advancement. Both evil by nature, both able in their way, both ambitious to lead and both covetous of notoriety, their methods are only regulated by the necessities to obtain desired results. Without the leadership of these two anarchists the last democratic convention could have been termed a democratic convention indeed, for with the issues at stake, the coming fight would be democracy vs plutocracy. The platform needs no criticism for it contains nothing of any account but free silver 16 to 1. The other clauses sound more like the idle ravings of Anarchist Altgeld or the petty petulances of Pitchfork Tillman. The results of the two conventions are as they should be. The issue is free silver or single gold standard and the personal of the two tickets such that the fight must be for principle not men.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Quart can 10c.

Supt. Wilson Cox, of Kennedy's saw mill, at Rardon, O., influenced by a premonition, remained away from the mill and thereby escaped death by an explosion.

Mrs. I. P. Keyser and Adah Erskine joined Pat at Jackson recently and will remain until the celery season is over.

THIRD MATINEE

Good Weather—Fair Attendance—Interesting Races.

The Matinee Wednesday afternoon, at Bills Driving Park, the third in the series, proved a success. Had it not been for the heavy rain the night before and uncertain weather in the forenoon the attendance would have been much larger and many more horses would have been on the grounds. As it was the 2:40 and free-for-all, trot or pace had but three starters each. Central Boy, the promising young pacer, whom many hoped to see, was at Dundee, but on account of the roads was unable to get here. The weather proved to be fine, the track in good shape and the races, though of the one, two, three order, proved interesting. Some close and exciting finishes were made as well as fast time. Prairie Lill proved she was a stayer, being in both the 3:00 and 2:40 classes. She trotted six consecutive heats without being unharnessed or taken from the sulky. Frank B being in the 2:40 class and free-for-all (the latter mile heats) had plenty of work but it did not worry him in the least. Molly W, the pacer owned by J. E. Woodward, of Clinton, is a gamy side wheeler and with proper handling would score a low mark. Startle again demonstrated himself a race horse and turned the track in 1:12. Robert Elliott should place him in the hands of a good driver for development. Green Goods did well also, Clinton Girl and Leopard Rose did not work as well as usual. In the free-for-all, Frankie B R hustled the gamy Ohio Stallion, Red Flame, Jr., and in the last heat made him tie his record 2:23 3-4.

The bicycle race was exciting, Rosacrans crowding Davidson closer than he has been accustomed to be.

SUMMARY.

3:00 MINUTE TROT 1-2 MILE HEATS.

Startle	1	1	1
Green Goods	2	2	2
Prairie Lill	3	3	5
Clinton Girl	4	5	3
Leopard Rose	5	4	4

Time 1:16 1-2, 1:15 1-3, 1:12.

2:40 TROT OR PACE, 1-2 MILE HEATS.

Frank B	1	1	1
Mollie W	2	2	2
Prairie Lil	3	3	2

Time 1:18, 1:17 1-2, 1:16 1-3.

BICYCLE RACE 1-2 MILE 2 IN 3.

Guy Davidson	1	1
Leon Rosacrans	2	2
Robert Crosby	3	3

Time 1:12, 1-16.

FREE-FOR-ALL TROT OR PACE MILE HEATS.

Red Flame, Jr.	1	1	1
Frankie B R	2	2	2
Frank B	3	3	3

Time 2:25, 2:25, 2:23 3-4.

The next matinee will come off Saturday, Aug. 15.

A Child Enjoys

The pleasant flavor, gentle action, and soothing effect of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

Grand C., J. & M. R'y Excursion to Toledo.

On Sunday, July 26, the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw R'y will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return.

Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:17 a. m., fare 75c for the round trip. A rare opportunity to visit Toledo at a popular price. Speciel attractions at the Casino.

For further information see large bills or apply to nearest C., J. & M. agent.

T. C. M. SCHINDLER,
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Unfounded rumors led to a run on the First National Bank of Kenosha, Wis., but the prompt payment of $300,000 restored confidence.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Baker & Hall druggists.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Didcovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Baker & Hall's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. 1

Peter McRae and his wife and son were drowned from a capsized boat in Aylmer Lake, Quebec.

Rumor Says

MONEY IS TIGHT!

But we are not. We were never more clear headed in our lives, and our new and life-like

Argentic Portrait is All Right.

Still, if rumor is correct, and money really is tight, you must take advantage of the predicament and get the best you possibly can for your money. We therefore take great pleasure in calling your especial attention to the Argentic Portrait. The poet says:

"When times are close,
The man who is wise,
Will not neglect to advertise."

And we intend to use this fine portrait to bring us in close touch with our customers

For a short time only we wil give away free with every order for one dozen Cabinet Photographs, either mat or gloss finish at $3 per dozen, one Argentic Portrait. They are made on highly enameled paper, finished with a beautiful gloss, made from original negatives, will never fade and the likeness perfect.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 17, 1896.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE Straw. Inquire of Abner Wilson.

FOR SALE—House and lot, 8-room house, good well and cistern, nice barn, corner lot, very cheap. Inquire of James Mitchell, corner Union and Kilbuck streets.

FOR SALE—Comet—Only one dollar camera in the world. Takes pictures equal to any $5 priced camera. D. H. C. Bowen.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Thos. Parker, of Hillsdale, was in town yesterday.

Lucius Lilley left yesterday for a day's visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCann visited Stampler's lake Thursday.

Clifford Cook, of Richmond, Ind., is visiting friends here today.

The Herald is under obligations to "Buttermilk Bill" for favors received.

Mrs. Will Clark and friend, Mrs. Reed, were up from Britton yesterday.

Jimmy Brighton, of Raisin, now rides a new "bike," purchased of Satterthwaite Bros.

Mrs. I. T. Bush, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending the summer at the old home in Ridgeway.

Rev. D. P. Spaulding and granddaughter, Miss Hebe, departed for Milwaukee Wednesday.

Mrs. Alex. Peebles, of Cleveland, O., is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ed Snedicor.

Mrs. Kate Conklin and Miss Julia Conklin, of Manchester, were greeting friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Ed. VanDeMark and Mrs. Chas. Clark, of Clinton, were calling on Tecumseh friends Tuesday.

The Royal Arcanum have changed their evening of meeting to the first and third evenings of each month.

Jason Wyrill is moving over Teeple's photograph gallery and Bert Mize into the house formerly occupied by him.

Reed, Will Hicks, Leon Burlingame, Roy DeWolf, Will Elliott, Edgar Covington were at Sand Lake Sunday.

Fred Smith, John Anderson, Albert Hall and Harry Patterson attended the bicycle meet at Battle Creek Monday.

All the masonic bodies, the Chapter Order of the Star and Blue Lodge, hold their regular meetings at the Temple this week.

Albert and Grace Burnett took the train Monday morning enroute for Canada, where they will for three weeks visit friends.

Mrs. Wm. Kirchgessner and baby, of Grand Rapids, visited her sister, Mrs. C. F. Kirchgessner, the first three days of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd, Mrs. R. B. Boyd, Misses. and Mesdames Dolph Boyd, Robert Boyd and Archie Boyd spent at Sand Lake.

Mrs. C. F. Lamont arrived from Honeoye Falls, N. Y., yesterday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Jane Snedicor and her brother, Robert.

Mrs. Wilber Jacobs, nee Kate Yawger, a former resident here but now residing in Boston, Mass., is making her friends a short visit, during her stay will be the guest of Mrs. John Snedicor and Mrs. Horatio Keyser.

Now Karner Bros. come to the front with a grand shoe sale. You cannot avoid seeing the "ad" if you look on the back page of this paper and if you carefully read it, will not care to do anything to look their stock over.

Cook is home, being out on bail, to plead guilty at his examination and will receive his sentence at the next term of court. Amsden plead guilty and his trial comes off at the same term, meanwhile his liberty is considerably restricted.

Among the Clintonites seen on our streets yesterday we noticed A. C. Hunter, L. W. Kimball and wife, G. M. Dull, E. White, M. D., Fred VanDeMark, Will Kimball, Clarence Mills, Frank Crosby, Ed Winder, Clarence Hall and Eugene Smalley.

Wightman, H. W. Stevens, D. D. S., F. J. Temple, Dr. Geo. Howell, Amsden and B. I. Laing, of Raisin, delegates to the Congressional convention at Jackson, Wednesday, on the special, called the General Alger train, on the Lake Shore, which arrived at 9:30 a. m., everything went off smooth and dried, before hand, the intention proved a genuine love feast. Paulding was nominated by acclamation, theSt. Louis platform endorsed, the general gave them an hours talk and the convention was over.

The new Great Syndicate Shows and Hippodrome which exhibits in Jackson, Saturday, July 25, is beyond doubt one of the very best as well as largest traveling. In referring to the show the Salt Lake News has the following to say: "The gigantic tent Saturday Park could not contain half the people who sought admittance to the Great Syndicate Shows last night. Hundreds thousands were turned away. The streets were packed with people. Everywhere were the sidewalks crowded, the roadway was almost impassable and the street cars had difficulty in forcing a passage. It did not require hard times to see the struggling crowds scrambling for the ticket office when the bell finally rang announcing the entrance of the equestrian tournament. There was tier upon tier of spectators, each as many more satisfied with the room. The spectators were constantly entertained from the beginning to the end of the programme. Everyone wore a broad grin for two hours and then went home still smiling.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kimball and daughter drove over from Adrian Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John McCaughn Thursday night of last week, a healthy son.

Toosy Elliott is enjoying a two weeks' visit with her friend, Florence Kayner, at Adrian.

C. F. Field enjoyed a visit from his mother, of Manchester, several days the past week.

John Cupples, of Montpelier, O., is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cupples.

Miss May Wilkin, of Erie, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Slayton for three or four weeks.

Mrs. Betty Moody entertained her cousin, Mrs. Nancy Titsworth, of Britton, the past week.

Ed Kirchgessner and bride returned from their trip Saturday night, and are now at home to their friends.

The bloomer girl will sally forth in all her glory on that day of days, Derby Day, Thursday, the 23rd of July.

The C. E. society of the Presbyterian church will serve ice cream and lunch in the Heesen building, July 23.

B. L. Baxter left Wednesday morning for Deerfield and Petersburg, on business, to be absent the next three days.

Leroy Blood and wife, of Lansing, have been the guests of Mrs. B.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Conklin, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Black, of Detroit, are spending their vacation at their uncle's, S. McClure's, in hopes the change will benefit Mr. Black's health.

The itinerant sign writers with their decrepit father and portable house, turned their backs, so to speak, on Tecumseh Wednesday. They journeyed eastward.

Mrs. Dr. Jones left Wednesday morning for Clark's Lake, to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Delamater. She will visit friends in Brooklyn before returning.

Miss Carrie Millspaugh is attending the National Baptist Young People's convention at Milwaukee this week. She reads a paper on one of the most important subjects.

Bernhard's gone and got married since he last raced here, and though a man ought to settle down after so momentous an event they say that "Berney" is faster than ever.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hause, at St. Paul, Minn., was made complete, July 10, by the advent of an 8 1-2 lb. daughter. Their friends rejoice in their good fortune.

The disappointment of "Farmer" Bland in not receiving the Democratic nomination, will not compare with your discontent if you fail to take in everything on Derby Day, next week Thursday.

Mrs. John Hughes has been in Ypsilanti this week caring for her son, Roy, who was taken seriously ill Sunday night, with some heart trouble. We are pleased to say he is now considered out of danger.

Joseph Wilson and grandson, Fred, of Owosso, who had been visiting in Toledo, stopped over here Wednesday and Thursday on their return home. The time, though limited, was utilized to the best advantage.

Don't forget that half mile which Sid Black will ride backwards in less than two minutes. If you think it an easy trick, try it yourself and take two weeks instead of two minutes to complete the circuit of the track.

Forewarned is forearmed. When you see "Forty Rods" and his posse of doughty policemen, next Thursday, prepare to stand back, lest one of "Fortie's" straight grained axe helves descends upon your devoted cranium and produces apoplexy.

Ever since the erection of the new judge's stand at the track, Beech Garlinghouse (the off twin) has camped in the upper story. Some say it is to protect the structure from the ever present vandal, but others hint that Beech climbs out on the roof every morning so that he may see the sun rise safely over Blissfield.

Does it pay to advertise? A. W. Slayton has been sending his lumber circulars to all of the saw mill men in Wisconsin, Michigan and Ontario. It took 6,500 circulars, they weighed 203 lbs, and would reach placed end to end 2 2-3 miles, and cost $65,000 to stamp them, yet A. W. says it pays to send them. He will send this amount twice this year.

Alex. Richard was over to Adrian Saturday and happened in on the republican county convention then in session. This week the story is floating around that many democrats were in the "suburbs" helping out the "Pingree Movement." When asked about these reports Alex. said, "Just as I expected, a man who keeps bad company deserves to be talked about."

Mrs. George Baltzer visited Mrs. W. B. Darling, at Tecumseh, from Wednesday of last week until Monday. Mr. Baltzer went down on his wheel Sunday and spent the day. Miss Bertha Monigan, of Tecumseh, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Reed for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Benaway, of Tecumseh, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Frank Purdie.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Remember the Blue Ribbon Meeting at Detroit opens tomorrow. All the best horses from Maine to California will be there. The contest for the great M. & M. stakes will come off next Tuesday. On this day the railroads will carry passengers for one fare the round trip. Other days at one and one third, within 150 miles from Detroit. Fully 600 of the flyers will participate in the races and those who attend will see some phenominal time made. Great surprises are in store for the spectators.

The Bicycle Derby, Tecumseh, Thursday, July 23.

D. L. Whitsack sold Lawrence Samsen a fine bicycle last evening.

Earl Sheldon started on his his return trip to Washington Wednesday.

E. P. Munn, of Toledo, spent Sunday with his family at James Heck's.

At St. Peter's church next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated.

Thede Harris is very happy these days. Cause why? His mother, Mrs. T. H. Wilson is visiting him.

Sam Shutt went to Toledo Monday morning in search of work, and found it right away. Good for you Sam. It is better to be born lucky than rich.

There will be no services at the M. E. church Sunday or the Sunday following. After that Walter Burnett will occupy the pulpit Sunday mornings untill Rev. J. P. Varner returns from his outing.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Varner and children started Monday for his outing in Northern Michigan. It is stated that there is no more skillful man with the fishing rod in Lenawee county than he.

John Temple is quite uneasy and abstracted at the present time. He will not acknowledge that he is lonesome, but that is the size of it. Mrs. Temple and Florence are visiting friends at St. Johns and will be absent some time.

David Burger and daughter, Miss Carrie, are visiting their Tecumseh friends. Mr. Burger is nicely located in Elgin, Ill. He has all the work possible for him to do and the only regret is he cannot longer remain to visit Michigan friends.

At St. John's Episcopal church, Clinton, last Sunday after the morning service the impressive and beautiful rite of infant baptism was celebrated on three and they were infants, indeed the eldest being only three months old. Arthur Schmidt, Winifred Mae Gibson and Gladys Mary Hardiman.

Company C will go into camp next month in fine shape. At their meeting last Tuesday evening they elected their former captain, Will H. Hayden, to that position again and Harry U. Kies, a late graduate from Orchard Lake, orderly sergeant. With these skilled and popular officers added to their other faithful ones they will make rapid advancement in all that goes to make up an efficient company.

Last Monday Elliott Gray was assisting to unload hay being on the load to handle the horse fork. After the fork was hitched the team started suddenly and Mr. Gray had either to grab the block or be thrown to the ground. He choose the former, lost the fore-finger of the left hand and injured all the others. With his usual good nature he is now kicking more about not being able to drive his Banker filly with his new buggy and harness than anything else.

Tuesday, Geo. and Elmer Blessing and Alva Spayde went to Hoxsie's lake fishing. They got a great catch, in fact so great that, while the boat did not sink, one wheel of their conveyance did —collapsed completely. The boys took an inventory of their stock of wheels (in their heads) which were varied and by no means limited in number, but none would fill the bill, so they had to apply to some farmer to help them out. They reached home about midnight. All they had to steady their nerves was cold coffee bottled.

There was considerable excitement on the streets last evening, caused by the report being circulated that Mrs. Wm. Fielder had been run into, over in Brownville by some Clinton wheelmen and seriously injured. Upon investigation it was found the report was far from true, as she was not badly hurt, and while the boys had no business on the walk, she was not wholly blameless. What the outcome will be remains to be seen. Most of the riders are in the habit of taking the walk in that part of town as the hill is so full of small stone, but the limits extend nearly to the Macon road and consequently covered by the ordinance and, riders are expected to keep in the road or they will be liable to get pulled.

The Jackson Wheelman Meet.

Great interest is being manifested in the coming bicycle meet which the Jackson Wheelmen's Club give Tuesday, July 21st. Entries are coming in fast from all parts of the state, and this race meet will positively be the largest ever held in central Michigan. The track is being put in the best possible condition, the recent rains helping materially. A force of workmen are busy scraping, rolling, and when ready to turn over to the committee it will be as hard as a board. At 10 o'clock in the morning the big road race will be run. $500 in prizes will be given to the fellows in the lead, headed by three $100 bicycles—Rambler, Ben Hur and Derby racers. There will be nine track events in the afternoon, and there will be tandems and triplets for pace-making. Fast time is looked for and records broken. F. W. Holmes, of Kalamazoo, will try and lower the state half-mile record which he now holds. Michigan's best trick rider, F. R. Giddings, of Kalamazoo, will be at this meet. In the evening a grand band concert will be given by Boos' First Infantry band of 22 pieces. Everything is being done by the race meet promoters for the comfort of riders and spectators at Jackson July 21st.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors and especially the Masonic fraternity, for the kindness shown us during the suffering and death of our husband and father, H. P. Stringham.

MRS. IDA STRINGHAM and daughter

—For rent, one house cheap; for sale, one house and lot on time.

A. W. SLAYTON.

—A grand clean up of tan and oxford shoes. Price no object. Every pair must go. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

BICYCLE DERBY DAY.

Thursday, July 23, 1896—Derby Day at Tecumseh.

The preparations are rapidly drawing to a close which will make Tecumseh's Derby Day of 1896, not only the best of three, but the best in southern Michigan of the season. Enthusiasm is, as the day draws near, running high and it is now a certainty that the crowd will be the largest ever seen in our town, so far as events are concerned, the committee has been working night and day for the past weeks getting arrangements perfected and the public may be assured nothing will be lacking.

PROGRAM.

10 a. m.—Ten mile road race.

Exhibition by Sid Black on Chicago street.

Commencing at 2 p. m. at Bills' Driving park.

1. One mile novice, amateur.
2. One mile open, amateur.
3. One mile county champ. amateur.
4. One mile open, professional.
5. Three mile lap, amateur.
6. Five mile handicap, professional.
7. Half mile open, amateur.
8. One mile tandem, professional.
9. Exhibitions of fancy riding by Sid Black and attempt to lower his record of riding ½ mile backwards.

The manufacturers, knowing the success of Tecumseh's former meets, have been very liberal in contributing toward the list of prizes as the following shows:

Tally Ho tandem, Tally Ho Tandem Co. and T. B. Asso. Toledo, O.

Quick Repair Road Tires (order) Morgan & Wright, Chicago.

Cyclometer, Trenton Watch Co., Trenton, N. J.

Cyclometer and lamp bracket, U. S. Mfg. Co., Fond du Lac, Wis.

Saddle, Gilliam Mfg. Co., Akron, O.

Globe vapor lamp, Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co., Chicago.

Automatic bicycle balance, Bicycle Chain Lightning Co., New York City.

Straus hosepipe tires, The Newton Rubber Works, Newton Upper Falls Mass.

Bicycle sled, Christiansen & Burns, Leavenworth, Kan.

Search light lantern, Bridgeport Brass Co., Bridgeport, Conn.

Palmer pneumatic tires (order) The Palmer Pneumatic Tire Co., Chicago.

Gold plated bicycle bell, The New Departure Bell Co., Bristol, Conn.

Gold plated bicycle bell, P. & F. Corbin, New Britian, Conn.

Saddle, Hunt Mfg. Co., Westboro, Mass.

Standard foot brake, coasters and lamp bracket combined, Richards Mfg. Co., Chicago.

Goodrich tires (order) The B. F. Goodrich Co., Akron, Ohio.

Vim tires (order) Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., Boston, Mass.

League tires, New York Belting & Packing Co, 25 Park Place, New York.

Globe vapor lamp, Satterthwaite Bros.

The entry list is filling up beyond all expectations. W. F. Holmes, of Kalamazoo, who holds the state record for one-third, one-half and mile, will attempt to not only beat his record but also lower the Tecumseh half-mile track record. Space will not permit a full list of the entries already on the book and each mail brings many more. The surrounding towns and country will all come and Tecumseh people to a person should attend. Although the prizes and attractions cost large sums of money, the management has insisted that admission to the driving park should only be 25 cents.

It is now thought likely that all the business houses will close up in the afternoon and indeed Tecumseh will enjoy a grand holiday.

—You can get more dry goods, boots and shoes or other goods for your money at Harris & Hiteshu's than at any other store in the county.

—Will not pack a dollar's worth of crockery or glassware at any price.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Those new white dinner sets at Tansley's are selling fast, the low prices make it.

—Carpet sweepers go at $1.50, only a few left. MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—All clothes wringers $1.50 now, at Mills Block, Tecumseh.

—Don't fail to call on Harris & Hiteshu and save money at their great sale.

—Crockery, china and glassware always new, always the best and cheapest at Tansley's.

—Hundreds of 25c articles now go on 5c counter. You see we are after the 5c and we are going to have it.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—When you want something good and useful for a present see what Tansley has got.

—14 quart pressed dish pans 10c 2 quart dippers 5c, 4 quart pans 5c, 2 quart coffee pot 10c.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Three 5c cakes castile soap for 5c. 25c dust pans 5c. Brooms 10c. Curtain poles 19c. Window shades 17c.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—300,000 SHINGLES AT COST—

—I am going to sell off my Shingles at Cost for Cash. Never such prices heard of here. White Cedar, Pine and Red Cedar, all will be sold. I hope to close them all out in 30 days. tf

A. W. SLAYTON.

—We want $1,000. We have 1,000 pairs of shoes to spare. We are going to have it. "See?"

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—See the dollar shoe table.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—All shirt waists go at any price.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh.

—Now comes the grand slaughter. Hundreds of pairs of shoes, mens womens, childrens, $1 per pair. To see them is to buy them.

MILLS BLOCK, Tecumseh

TEA!

We have just received our

New Crop Japan Teas,

Sun Dried and Pan Fired.

The quality is finer this year than ever. Call and get a free sample of the

Finest 50c Tea on Earth.

ANDERSON BROS.
GROCERS.

Special Cash Shoe Sale.

Until Saturday night, Aug. 1st, for SPOT CASH, I will give

Twenty Per Cent Off on All Leather Goods.

Remember the date. Don't miss the opportunity to get one dollar's worth of goods for eighty cents.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

P. S.—Positively no goods charged at this reduction sale.

For a Short Time and For Cash

we will give a bar of

Octagon Soap

and one-half pound of either

Chase & Sanborn's Red Brand or No. 4 Tea.

at the price of the tea alone.

Best 50 cent Tea and Best 5 cent Soap on the market.

AVERY & CO.

NEW PROCESS, BLUE FLAME OIL STOVE.

A Coal Oil Stove that gives a Powerful Blue Flame and operates without smoke or odor. It gives you all the desirable features of a gasoline stove with

One Third

less fuel. It is the perfected "Ideal" summer stove.

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

BIG DAY AT DETROIT.

Evacuation of the City by the British Celebrated in Stirring Fashion.

Detroit, July 13.—Evacuation day was celebrated here Saturday with a burst of patriotism that is seldom witnessed on any national occasion It was the hundredth anniversary of the evacuation of Detroit and of the United States after the war of the American revolution. Detroit was the last city held at the close of the war, and it was not evacuated at once, although the treaty of peace was concluded in 1783. For 13 years Great Britain held Detroit as an outpost, keeping her regular militia in old Fort Lernoult. It was a happy coincidence that the celebration of Saturday was held on the very spot whence the British regulars marched out of America forever, on July 11, 1796. It is the site of the new Detroit post office and federal building and the old site of Fort Lernoult, later named Fort Shelby.

The exercises began with a public mass-meeting at 10.30 o'clock in the new federal building, which is still incomplete. It was packed to the doors and windows with an eager people, while the platform was filled with patriotic societies, such as the Loyal Legion, the G. A. R., Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the American Revolution, at whose suggestion the celebration of the day took place. Distinguished guests from throughout the state, and several from other states occupied places of prominence on the platform. Gen. R. A. Alger presided as chairman, and delivered an address fervid with patriotic sentiments. He was applauded at every sentence.

The orator of the day was Senator Julius Caesar Burrows, of Michigan, who spoke on the significance of the occasion and of the celebration. He paid his respects to the British people and said they left Detroit 100 years ago never to return as rulers of the nation.

Col. Henry M. Duffield, of this city, gave a historical address on the facts relative to the evacuation of Detroit. At the close of the programme President Angell, of the University of Michigan, was called upon for a speech, and he spoke eloquently. Dr. Angell picked up and held to view the old spyglass of Commodore Perry, the hero of the Lake Erie naval engagement, and declared that as a native of Rhode Island, the state which Perry hailed from, he could not refuse to add tribute to the American heroes of those early days. He alluded to the slowness which England had shown in recognizing American independence and the institutions of the republic, but referred also to the several institutions, legal and otherwise, which the United States had inherited from the mother country and which did not leave us when the British evacuated Detroit.

During the exercises a brass tablet erected on one side of the entrance of the federal building was unveiled by Gen. Alger before thousands of people while a new American flag was unfurled to the breeze and the revenue cutter Fessenden fired a salute of 20 guns from its place on the Detroit river.

The feature of the afternoon was a gigantic military parade, such as the city has rarely seen. It was participated in by United States regulars, by a regiment of state troops, several cadet companies and other organizations. It took two hours for the vast procession to complete its comparatively short line of march and required 45 minutes to pass the reviewing stand, where sat Gen. Alger and the high functionaries Gov. Rich and his military staff participated in the parade.

The parade drew out a vast concourse of people; 20,000 were packed in front of the city hall when the parade moved by, and the crowd was so dense that street car traffic was blockaded and the parade stopped for several minutes. It was a patriotic crowd, and as the procession passed cheer after cheer rent the air, and the national colors were waved aloft by people on the roofs of buildings.

The programme of the day concluded at night with fireworks and illuminations from the municipal buildings, while several private receptions were being held in honor of the distinguished guests. Gov. O'Ferrall, of Virginia, was to have been orator of the day, but was unavoidably detained.

FAMOUS UNION SPY DEAD.

James H. Sherman, One of McDowell's Guides, Passes Away.

Charlotte, July 15.—James Hervey Sherman, who was a spy in the union army, died at his home in this city several days ago. He was a New Yorker by birth, but, attaining manhood, he removed to Virginia, where he accumulated a large fortune, which was afterwards entirely swept away by the war. Mr. Sherman was loyal to the union cause, and on account of his accurate knowledge of the country he became a guide to McDowell's division of the Army of the Potomac, and afterward entered the secret service under Gen. Baker, of whom he was a trusted lieutenant in many expeditions and became his friend. During one of these trips near his old home his presence was betrayed by an old neighbor, and Sherman was captured by Mosby's men and was reported hanged Instead of being executed he was taken to Richmond. He was confined ten months in Castle Thunder, and after 11 months more at the Salisbury (N. C.) prison he effected his escape and reported to his chief for duty, continuing in that service until the close of the war. He was 76 years old, and leaves a widow and four children.

President Angell's Grandson Drowned.

Traverse City, July 15.—The 11 year-old grandson of President Angell, of Ann Arbor university, whose home is at Detroit, was drowned Tuesday while swimming at Edgewood, a summer resort near this city.

Young Man Killed.

Menominee, July 15.—Albert Thurban, aged 24, an employe of the Menominee River Brewing company, was thrown from a wagon here and almost instantly killed

BRIEFLY STATED.

Interesting News from Various Michigan Localities.

Several hundred boys and girls find employment in the berry patches in the vicinity of Spring Lake.

The tournament of the Upper Peninsula Firemen's association will be held at Sault Ste. Marie August 4, 5 and 6.

John W. Higgs, who published the Lansing Democrat from 1862 to 1866, died at his home in Lansing Tuesday, aged 58 years.

Albion men are mowing the weeds that grow in the bed of the Kalamazoo river above the city. The object is to prevent contamination of the water supply.

The Flint, Fenton and Owosso commanderies of the Knights Templar will hold a week's encampment at Long Lake, Genesee county, beginning August 10.

Heirs will contest a deed by which Edward S. Peddiford, just before his death at Battle Creek sanitarium, transferred his farm, worth $12,000, to the trustees of that institution.

A Dowagiac man has invented a garbage burner which, it is claimed, solves the sewage problem in country towns, and a stock company may be formed at that place to engage in its manufacture.

Farm thieves in Berrien county steal grain from barns by the wagon load, enter cellars and carry off barrels of pork, and kill and dress cattle in the fields, leaving the hides, horns and hoofs as evidence of their visits.

The fourth annual Methodist camp meeting of the Ionia district will be held at Long lake, Ionia county, beginning Thursday, August 6. Bishop Ninde, of Detroit, and Evangelists Comally and McLachlin are advertised as special attractions.

THE CROPS.

Encouraging Reports of Their Condition in This State.

Lansing, July 10.—Wheat, according to the Michigan crop report issued by the secretary of state Wednesday, shows a marked increase both in acreage and condition over a year ago. The average yield per acre is estimated at 12.44 bushels, an increase of 2.56 bushels. The increased acreage is nearly 15 per cent. Corn is estimated to yield 98 per cent. of an average crop, oats 100 per cent. and potatoes 94 per cent. Compared with average years, the area planted to beans is 94 per cent. The condition of meadows and pastures ranges from 75 to 80 per cent. of the average. Apples promise slightly more and peaches slightly less than an average crop.

Decatur, July 10.—The threshing of the wheat crop of southern Michigan is now well under way, and some of the new grain is coming into market. The berry is plump and hard, and averages nearly 61 pounds to the measured bushel. The damage done by rust is fully as much as first estimated, the yield of heavy soil suffering the larger percentage of loss. In many localities grasshoppers caused considerable injury, but the best wheat-growing districts were little affected. Threshers report they yield from 12 to 16 bushels per acre, the latter figure being slightly exceeded in some instances.

Niles, July 10.—Farmers throughout southwestern Michigan have about completed threshing their wheat. This work is at least two weeks ahead of time. The crop is only about one-seventh what it should have been. Many fields of wheat that usually averaged 30 to 35 bushels to the acre this year only yielded five to six bushels. Many shocks of wheat were unfit to thresh.

LANSING BANK FAILS.

After a Long Run the People's Savings Concern Closes Its Doors.

Lansing, July 14.—The closing of the People's savings bank Monday marks the second bank failure in this city since the beginning of 1893. To the general public the failure of the bank to open its doors Monday morning was a great surprise, but to business men who had been aware of the condition of the institution for some months the result was not unexpected. Application was at once made for the appointment of a receiver, and Seymour Foster, of this city, was selected by Judge Person. The failure of the Barns institution and the Central Michigan savings bank in 1893 weakened the People's bank and left it an easy prey to its creditors, who have steadily been making heavy demands upon it for nearly a year. It has been the depository of the city's funds and subject to large drafts recently upon that account. The total amount due depositors has dwindled to less than $130,000 and less than $40,000 of this amount are savings deposits. The bank's liabilities and assets have not been determined by the state banking commissioner, but as the capital stock of the institution is $150,000 and the stockholders are personally responsible to that amount it is thought that the depositors will realize the full amount of their certificates.

Big Sale of Scrap Iron.

Houghton, July 13.—The Calumet & Hecla mine has sold its accumulation of scrap iron, weighing over 20,000 tons, for about $100,000. The lot includes much valuable machinery, costing upwards of $1,000,000 when new, and considerable of which has never been used at all. The lot will fill ten large lake vessels when sent to Buffalo.

Quits the Party.

Detroit, July 13.—The Detroit Free Press, which has always been a stalwart, leading journal of the democracy, has bolted the Chicago convention's platform and candidates and declares independence of all party organizations, although it will in the future give preference to candidates of democratic antecedents and democratic views.

Fate of Two Women.

Traverse City, July 15.—Mrs. William Foster and Mrs. George Thompson, prominent residents of Manton, were thrown from a carriage and instantly killed in a runaway Tuesday.

GOOD RACES.

Events Witnessed by Big Crowds at the Battle Creek Bicycle Meet.

Battle Creek, July 14.—The particular feature of Monday's national circuit bicycle racing meeting was the coming together of Eddie Bald and Tom Cooper, the Michigan favorite. Cooper was badly beaten by Bald. There were three trial heats, and the following qualified: Cooper, Scherin, Ernie Johnson, Bald, Longhead. The candidates were Conn Baker, Bliss, Lutie Johnson and Sanger, the "big un." Bald and Cooper rode well in the bunch until the stretch was reached, when both sprinted. Bald passed Cooper like a shot and won by four open lengths. Bliss was third. The attendance was nearly 10,000. Summaries:

One mile, novice, amateur: Frank Ruray, Goshen, won; Hal Legg, Coldwater, second; A. C. Thorpe, Kalamazoo, third. Time—2:35 2-5.

One-half mile, open, professionals: E. C. Bald, Buffalo, won; Tom Cooper, Detroit, second; J. P. Bliss, third. Time—1:04.

One mile, open, amateur: Harry B. Marsh, Dowagiac, won; John Wilder, Battle Creek, second; Glenn P. Thayer, Grand Rapids, third. Time—2:18 1-5.

Two-mile handicap, professional: A. C. Martins, Minneapolis (80 yards), won; Conn Baker, Columbus, O., (100 yards), second; A. D. Kennedy (100 yards), third; Harry Clark, Denver, Col., (120 yards), fourth. Time—4 35 4-5.

Battle Creek, July 15.—Tuesday was Tom Cooper's day, and he again demonstrated that he is entitled to the title "Monarch" by beating Eddie Bald in the mile open, in a hot finish and fast time considering the dirt track on which the race was run. The one mile professional race was, of course, the feature of the day. On account of the large field of entries there were three preliminary heats with seven men to qualify for the final. Cooper, Con Baker, Kennedy, Bald, Loughead, Eaton and Bliss qualified, Sanger being shut out of the final, which was paced by Dr. Parker. The men kept in a bunch until the stretch, when Cooper, Bald and Loughead lit out and they finished in the order given with Bliss in fourth position. The attendance was a very large one, about 12,000 people paying admission at the gate. Loughead, the Canadian champion, went a half for a state professional record, making the distance in 57 seconds. The summaries:

One-half mile, open, amateur—Harry Marsh, Ann Arbor, won; John Wilder, Battle Creek, second; Sleepy Burhans, Ionia, third. Time, 1:02 4-5.

One mile, open, professional—Tom Cooper, Detroit, won; Ed Bald, Buffalo, second; Fred Loughead, Sarnia, Ont., third Time, 2:13 4-5.

One mile handicap, amateur—Goldberg, Kalamazoo (110 yards), won; Swenderman, Battle Creek (50 yards), second; John Wilder, Battle Creek (40 yards), third. Time, 2:22 4-5.

One-half mile handicap, amateur—H. S. Legg, Coldwater (65 yards), won; Brown, Coldwater (65 yards), second; Mylard, Kalamazoo (70 yards), third. Time, 1:01.

One mile handicap, professional—Fred Loughead, Sarnia (60 yards), won; Con Baker, Columbus (50 yards), second; Kimball, Indianapolis (50 yards), third; Clark, Denver (65 yards), fourth. Time, 2:09 2-5.

Five mile handicap, amateur—Fletcher, Kalamazoo (360 yards), won; Goldberg, Kalamazoo (460 yards), second; Van Male, Kalamazoo (300 yards), third; Diehl, Jackson (380 yards), fourth. Time, 12:15 3-5.

BUYS A 3-CENT LINE.

R. T. Wilson, of New York, Purchases Detroit Street Car Property.

Detroit, July 14.—The original three-cent street car line in this city, the one which Mayor Pingree fought for so long, has been sold to R. T. Wilson, of New York, who owns the major portion of the stock in the Citizens' line. H. A. Everett, of Cleveland, vice president and general manager of the Detroit railway, the three-cent line, admitted that Mr. Wilson had bought the major portion of the stock in the new line, and that the old board of directors would retire, although they held and would hold the bonds of the company. General Manager Everett, who intends to take a two years' rest from active work, said the sale could not affect the three-cent fares, as that was a portion of the franchise, and that it was probable that Wilson would continue the three-cent fare on his Citizens' lines, and give universal transfers. This will give Wilson and his coadjutors a monopoly on Detroit's car business, except the Fort Wayne & Elmwood line, and this line has already accepted a franchise for three-cent fares during the day, and universal transfers.

STORM AT GRAND HAVEN.

Great Damage Is Done by Wind and Flood in the Town.

Grand Haven, July 15.—A storm that struck this city Tuesday night was by far the worst ever known in this section. In this city alone it did $25,000 damage. The storm came up from the northwest, gradually veered around to the west, and then swooped over the city with terrific force. The wind blew 90 miles an hour. The big glass beveling plant of the American Mirror and Glass Beveling company was partly wrecked. The roof of the city waterworks was carried off a distance of 100 feet. In the fishing district thousands of dollars' worth of nets and reels were blown into the river. The river rose three feet in half an hour and carried away several fishing shanties. The upper floor of the electric plant was blown completely out of sheer. The government warehouse on the pier was badly damaged. Kilbourn's factory suffered the loss of roof, and several freight cars were blown off the tracks.

Detroit, July 13.—The Grand Rapids Democrat, the leading democratic newspaper of western Michigan, which favored gold before the convention, declares that the Chicago platform is the accepted creed of the party for this campaign, and says democrats who don't like it can find comfort and company on the republican side of the fence.

Dynamite in the Grain.

Decatur, July 15.—When Henry Glass, of Pipestone, Berrien county, was about to commence threshing his grain he discovered three sticks of dynamite in one of the bundles. Had the presence of the dynamite escaped observation, all the men around the machine would have been killed or injured.

Weak

Worn out, nervous women, receive criticism where they should have sympathy. They cannot help being nervous, if their blood is impure.

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Nervous

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Tired

languid, all-gone feeling and suffered awful distress in my stomach. I had given up all hopes of ever being well, when my mother wished me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I consented, to please her, and before I had taken the whole of one bottle I could see I was improving, and soon was indeed very much better. Its effects have been truly wonderful and I hope this letter may be the means of helping other suffering men and

Women

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The teachers to attend the convention of the National Education Association in Buffalo, N. Y., are arriving there by the trainload.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Ezra Day and Hannah Day, his wife, to Jacob L. Day, bearing date November 29th, A. D., 1858, and recorded in the Register's office for Lenawee Co, Mich., in Liber 117, of mortages, on page 414, on the 30th day of November, 1858, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest, the sum of $1,461.20 and no proceedings at law or in equity have been taken for the collection for the same or any part thereof

Notice therefore is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum, to accrue thereon the costs of this foreclosure and sale including the Attorney fee in said mortgage provided I shall on the 11th day of September, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co., Mich., that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Tecumseh in the county of Lenawee, and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: all that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven (27) of town three ( ) south of range four (4) east bounded as follows: beginning on the north-west corner of said east half of said north-west quarter of said section twenty seven (27) running thence north eighty-eight degrees and forty-seven minutes (88° 47') east along the section line eleven (11) chains and fourteen (14) links; thence south one degree and nineteen minutes east parallel with the line between the east and west halves of said quarter section thirteen (13) chains and fifty and one-half links; thence west parallel with the first course eleven chains and nineteen links to the west line of said east half of said quarter section; thence north one degree and nineteen minutes west along said west line of said east half of said quarter section thirteen chains and fifty and one half links to place of beginning; containing fifteen acres of land.

Dated June 19th 1896.

JACOB L. DAY, Mortagee.
CHARLES BURRIDGE, Attorney for Mortagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Bronson C. Knapp deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the Office of Charles Burridge, in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of August, 1896, and on the 15th day of January, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 15th day of July, A. D. 1896, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, July 17, 1896

CHARLES BURRIDGE.
ALVINZA WHELAN.
Commissioners.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT of payment having been made of a mortgage made by Franklin H. Conger to Lydia M. Coryell dated the twentieth day of February A. D., 1892, and recorded in office of the Register of Deeds for Lenawee County, Michigan on the 21st day of April, 1892, in liber 89 of mortgages on page 389, on which mortgage there remains due and unpaid at the date of this notice of the principal and accrued interest the sum of two hundred and forty-four dollars and eighty-four cents, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been taken for the collection of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the moneys above mentioned and interest thereon at seven per cent per annum hereafter to accrue thereon, the cost of this foreclosure and sale including the attorney fee provided for in said mortgage. I shall on the 28th day of September 1896 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan, (that being the place in which the circuit court for said county of Lenawee is holden) all those parcels of land situate and being in the township of Tecumseh, in the county of Lenawee and state of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the east line of the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one of town five south of range four east seventy-one and one-half rods south of the north-east corner of the west half of said quarter section running thence south on that line fifteen rods; thence west twenty and one-third rods to the center of the highway leading across said eighty acre lot; thence north-west along the center of said highway to the south west corner of land allotted to George S. Conger by commissioners in partition whose reports of record in office of Register of Deeds for Lenawee county Michigan in liber 127 of deeds on pages 40, etc.; thence east on south line of land so allotted to said George S. Conger as aforesaid thirty rods to the place of beginning containing two and one quarter acres of land.

Also all that other tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan described as that part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one of town five south of range four east lying west of the River Raisin and bounded on the north by land now or formerly owned by George Griswold, and on the south by land deeded by Abbie Ainsworth to Stephen D. Conger and which was formerly part of the George Griswold farm, containing twenty-five acres of land.

Dated, July 3, 1896.

Lydia M. Coryell, Mortgagee.
Charles Burridge, Attorney for Mortgagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Aaron K. Waldron, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court of said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the law office of Wm J. Ingersoll in the Village of Tecumseh, Lenawee county, Michigan, on the 12th day of August, 1896 and on the 29th day of December, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. And that six months from the 29th day of June A. D. 1896, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated July 6, 1896.

B. HURRY
M. SMELTZER.
Commissioners.

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Commencing Monday, July 6th, the Wabash Line will place in service between Chicago and Detroit through day trains leaving Chicago 9:50 a. m. daily except Sunday, arriving Detroit 6:30 p. m. and leaving Detroit 8:20 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving Chicago 5:10 p. m. These trains will be equipped with Wabash Standard Day Coaches and Free Reclining Chair Cars running through without change between Chicago and Detroit. 7-3

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Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows:

EAST BOUND.

tic Express	5:24 a. m.
York and Boston Limited	7:24 a. m.
t Accommodation	4:48 p. m.
York Express	9:38 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

e Express	1:10 a. m.
Accommodation	10:11 a. m.
o Limited	3:43 p. m.
is Express	6:15 p. m.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

TIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 333. Express.	No. 341. Ac'om.
.....Lv	6 00 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.
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.....	8 40 "	4 35 "	10 55 "

o: 315 arrives in Chicago at 2:40 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

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.....Lv	9 15 A.M.	6 15 P.M.	.....
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Passenger	12:01 p. m.
Passenger	5:32 p. m.
Pass'gr Sunday only,	6:40 p. m.
Local Freight	1:03 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passenger	8:42 a. m.
Passenger	4:13 p. m.
Pass'gr Sunday only	9:18 a. m.
Local Freight	10:54 a. m.

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I will try to illustrate my way of bracing an end post, that holds them perfectly solid. The plan is original with me, and I am glad to say that there is no patent on it. The end post should not be less than six inches square, and

HOW TO BRACE A FENCE.

eight feet long, four feet in the ground. About six inches from the end that goes into the ground, cut two notches, two by four inches, on opposite sides of the post; spike into these notches two two by four pieces, about six or seven feet long, and let about six inches project past on one side, the remainder on the other side. Dig the hole four feet deep, and long enough (parallel with the fence) to admit of the scantling, with the long ends of the scantings from the fence. Get a large bowlder, the larger the better, and place on these scantlings, fill up with dirt, and tamp well. I also put in a brace parallel from the first to the second post.

The cut will show what I mean: a designates the scantling, b the bowlder, c the brace, d the ratchets on the post to hold the wires. End posts braced in this manner cannot give the least bit.—Rural New Yorker.

INTELLIGENT EFFORT.

Upon It Depends the Success of Every Farmer in America.

A farmer's success surely depends upon effort, but in reckoning the value of his effort, the quality is of greater importance than the other amount. A little intelligent effort goes much farther than a great deal of misdirected effort. There are here and there rugged sons of toil who, having wrested wealth from the forest and field by the might of their brawny arms, are inclined to belittle other methods than those which they employed, and to pooh-pooh at what they call "new-fangled notions," but times and conditions change, and we must change with them. The lawyer, the doctor, the preacher, the mechanic in every line, if he would achieve the greatest success, studies constantly and never fails to adopt every good new thing he finds; would the farmer belittle his vocation by saying it is so purely the work of drudgery that there can be no improvement? Certainly not; in hardly any other occupation of man is there such a broad field for the application of scientific knowledge, such great opportunities for constant and important improvements, and it is upon his ability to make these improvements his own, that the farmer's success depends.—Farm News.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

To a very considerable extent people make for themselves the conditions of life.

Even with the most carefully prepared food the greater portion digested goes to supply heat and energy.

Because poor sheep have light fleeces is not proof that fat sheep have heavy ones.

Good stock, crops, fertility and industry are essential items in good farming.

When animals are allowed to run down there is a weakening of vitality, and especially of the digestive organs.

As an animal grows fat it consumes less in proportion to size, digests less that is consumed and gives a less return.

Confining any farm animal in dark quarters is injurious to it and, therefore, more or less damaging to the owner.

One of the reasons why many fail to make farming as profitable as they might is because of lack of attention to details.

In nearly all cases it is unwise to discard all of the old sows at one time and supply their places with young untried ones.

The cow which will profitably convert the largest amount of food into rich milk or cream is the most profitable to keep.—Farmers' Union.

Keep the Straw on the Farm.

A traveling man recently stated in our presence that he once heard a farmer say he would as soon think of selling the corner stone of his barn as to sell a load of straw. The corner stone of the barn supports the barn; the straw is the supporter of the fertility of the farm, from which arises the force of comparison. In the part of the state where the man heard this, he failed to see a straw stack. All of it had been put into large barns and carefully preserved. The same farmer justly remarked that a cold bed of ice was not conducive to the happiness of a calf.—Dakota Field and Farm.

EUPHONIOUS NAMES.

Every Well-Kept Farm Should Have an Appropriate Title.

One of the evidences of enterprise and improved methods among farmers is the fact that many of them are giving beautiful and significant names to their farms, and then seeking by increased efforts to make the farm worthy of its name, and one of which the proprietor may be justly proud.

In front of every farmhouse there should be an artistically painted board bearing the name of the farm, also the name of its proprietor, or manager. It might also point the direction, and give the distance, of the proprietor's post office town, and other near-by towns, if desired, and thus become, also, a "friendly guide-post" to strangers in the vicinity.

Thousands of pretty names, from which any farmer may select an appropriate one for his own home, may be formed by a combination of words. If located in a timbered country, the name may be based on a favorite kind of tree, or the kind prevailing in the locality, as Oakdale farm, Elmgrove, Cedardale, etc. Or the name may be selected with regard to the location of the farm relative to some near-by object. If near a river, lake, mountain, etc., as Riverside farm, River View, Mountain View, Lake View, Hillside, Hilltop, etc. Or the name may be based on the proprietor's favorite plant, or the one principally grown on his farm; as Cloverdale farm, Clover Leaf, Blue Grass, etc. Beautiful and suggestive farm names may be selected from a thousand words or from a combination of words, and each one can select one to his own liking.

The farmer who puts up his name and that of his farm in front of his home proclaims thereby that he is not ashamed of the farm of which he is proprietor. It is a guarantee that his efforts shall be so directed that the appearance of his home shall, as rapidly as he can do it, be made to consist with its beautiful name.

In addition to naming the farm, the residence, out buildings, lawns, etc., should be put into repair, if needed, and a good photograph of the home taken. Letter heads bearing the name of the farm, and also a cut of the house, should be printed, and used by members of the household in writing to friends, or on business. All these things would stimulate a pride of home and farm, and would surely result in an improvement of farm methods, and in an increase of farm pleasures.—Journal of Agriculture.

FARM FLOOD GATE.

It Is Simple and Serviceable and Does Not Cost Much.

The best and cheapest flood gate I have ever used or seen is represented in the illustration. It is my own invention and is constructed as follows: Twist four, six or eight strands of good,

SIMPLE, BUT SERVICEABLE FLOOD GATE.

smooth No. 12 wire together to form a cable, the size of the cable depending upon the width of the stream or ditch, and fasten the ends securely at each side, the last post of the fence answering very well if properly braced at top and bottom. Then take branches of osage orange or other hard wood and tie on the cable, using a sufficient number to make a good fence. As the water rises the branches will float, and when it goes down they will return to their proper place. If hedge is not available, bore holes in any kind of poles and string them to the wire cable. If heavy material is carried down by the flood, light poles or boards are liable to be broken, but hedge poles will stand almost any treatment and are consequently the best.—A. A. Berry, in Orange Judd Farmer.

Buckwheat as a Catch Crop.

Buckwheat is not raised extensively in many sections. It can, however, be successfully grown as a catch crop. Sow in June or July at the rate of two to five pecks per acre broadcast. It will grow on very poor soil. If wheat ripens early this year, which is probable, buckwheat can be sown on the wheat field. It is cut with a self binder and shocked and thrashed like other small grains. If bees are kept, the buckwheat blossoms furnish excellent honey, and by sowing at several different dates quite an extended honey period is obtained. During seasons when clovers, etc., are not abundant, buckwheat as a bee pasture is important.—New England Homestead.

Economy That Doesn't Pay.

Use plenty of seed for farm and garden crops. It is not safe to be too economical with seed unless there are indications at the time of planting which insure germination. The loss of one or two weeks' time early in the spring, by being compelled to replant, is not only an expenditure of labor, but is also costing time that cannot be regained. Some crops require a long season during which to mature, and the best growth is made early in the year. When a large portion of the seed fails to germinate the crop may be either a total loss or fail to pay its cost.

Save Every Ounce of Fertility.

Do not let an ounce of fertility on the farm go to waste. Utilize everything that has in it any elements that will enrich the soil, and take such care of your manures that the best part of them is not lost before they reach your fields. Every farm should have a compost heap, where all sorts of refuse from the house, barn and yards can be thrown. A good many tons of the most valuable fertilizers can be saved in this manner, fertilizers that now go you know not where.—Rural World.

Increase in Shipbuilding.

Washington, July 15.—The report of the navigation bureau shows that during the year ended June 30, 1896, 700 vessels of 204,000 gross tons were built in the United States, against 682 vessels of 133,000 tons for last year.

Flood in Kentucky.

Augusta, Ky., July 13.—Hundreds of acres of corn and tobacco have been destroyed by a flood near here, barns, outhouses and fences have been carried away and Mrs. Henry Insko was drowned.

Fourth Murder This Year.

Danville, Ill., July 15.—The Grape Creek mines report the fourth murder for this year. Andrew Kane shot and killed John Burton.

New Directory for Chicago.

Chicago, July 15.—The new city directory was distributed to subscribers Tuesday. It is a book of more than 2,500 pages and it is said to be the largest directory published in the United States. It contains 100,000 more names than last year's book and shows the population to be 1,752,000.

Death of Luther W. Mason.

Buckfield, Me., July 15.—Luther Whiting Mason died here Tuesday. Mr. Mason was famous the world over as the author of the chart system of teaching music in public schools.

Newspapers Revolt.

Chicago, July 14.—The Tribune publishes a list of 87 democratic newspapers which refuse to support the Chicago platform and ticket. Of these 18 are published in New England, 24 in the middle states; 14 in western states and 31 in the south.

Death of Frank Hurd.

Toledo, O., July 11.—Frank H. Hurd, one of the most prominent democrats in Ohio, and a member of congress in 1874, 1878 and 1882, died at his home in this city yesterday, aged 56 years.

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ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

It is stated that a hole was nearly worn through a door in the rear of one of the Hudson saloons by the persistent knocking of thirsty mortals, who "wanted in" on the fourth. The curtain in every saloon in the city were pinned back, permitting a full and unobstructable view of the interior. The frantic efforts of the celebrators to obtain internal exhileration were pitiful in the extreme.—Hudson Gazette.

One of the cows at the State school in Coldwater showed signs of decline, and gradually grew weaker and weaker till death came. A post mortem showed heart disease. A big darning needle was found in her heart. An old maid in charge of one of the cottages has been missing for some time, and it is now surmised that the cow gobbled her while she was mending stockings, and swallowed the whole outfit. Too darned bad.—Adrian Times.

A new candidate for probate judge has shied his castor in the Republican ring, and with numerous friends will put up a plucky battle for the nomination. The gentleman is Geo. W. Ayers, always a loyal republican, but never a bitter unreasonable partisan. George is widely and favorably known, is a young man of integrity and ability, and will rank well with the other Republican aspirants for the place.—Adrian Telegram.

The fiend who throws tacks on the pavements has not yet visited Monroe, but a person more contemptible is here doing business. Saturday Leo Abraham left his bicycle in front of Sloan's cigar store, and while he was inside making some purchases a passer-by deliberately stuck a knife into the tire of his wheel and cut a gash into it about an inch long. A good reward is offered for the person who did it, and should he be found he should be severely dealt with.—Monroe Democrat.

There came very near being a serious fire yesterday at the home of Festus R. Metcalf on West Maumee street. Mr. Metcalf was sitting in a bay window when the curtains caught fire presumably from the explosion of a parlor match. The blaze was communicated to the carpet and woodwork and before it was extinguished considerable damage was done. While attempting to pull down the curtains Mr. Metcalf's left hand was severely burned. The loss is insured in J. R. Gilkey's agency.—Adrian Telegram.

There is one blemish on "beautiful Brooklyn," and that is its third of July celebration. For years now it has been the custom to pass a subscription paper to get money to buy powder etc. for the occasion. This paper is always liberally subscribed to. It is not the powder but the etc. that is the objectionable feature. The etc. is whiskey and beer and much more of the money raised is devoted to that than powder. The abominable stuff is hid in alleys and behind warehouses and is free to all. Little boys from ten years up were in a bad state of intoxication, as also were some of the men participating in the proceedings. This thing has been going on for years and grows worse each year. It is time a halt was called. There is no patriotism about it and the drunken maudlin crowd on the public square between one and two o'clock was a disgrace to Brooklyn. If there must be a celebration let it be conducted in some kind of decency and confined to proper hours.—Brooklyn Exponent.

No one as yet seems to know where the Lima Northern railroad is going. The track is laid to the Wabash one and one-half miles east of Seneca and a frog has been placed in the swail there, but no arrangement has been made, so far as known to run cars over the Wabash. It is also stated that no arrangement of this kind can be made with the Wabash. The gangs of men have been given a vacation of 60 days while the surveyors complete their work, until the right of way is secured to some point. Of course it is not a sure guess, but it is said the road will now either go to Hudson, Adrian or Addison with inclinations favoring the latter place, where terminal facilities can be had with the C., J. & M. One of the stockholders of the road recently went over the new route to Seneca and expressed himself as greatly displeased that no towns had been touched since leaving Wauseon. Time only can tell anything definite about where the Lima Northern is going—it is going somewhere, however, for it keeps angling along.—Adrian Telegram.

It begins to look as if a Republican who desires to secure the recognition of his party in this county had best be antagonized by the Adrian Times and the other republican papers. The day before the spring county convention, when the members of the county committee were selected, the Times came out strong in favor of the re-election of Harry L. Larwill for chairman. But Mr. Larwill was not elected. Indeed the new committee was antagonistic to him from the day it was named. Then there is the Pingree movement. The Times was virulent in its attacks on Pingree. It was aided and abetted by the Hudson Republican, and indeed all the papers in the county with Republican tendencies. The McMillan machine was solid against Pingree. The republican leaders, the men who have carried things their own way for years, were solid against Pingree. The Pingree forces were marshalled in this county largely by T. M. Joslin, who has been laughed at, sneered at, called a novice in politics and a blankety blanked fool of the first water, times without number. Some of the older heads in the party have even gone to him and advised him that he should desist his efforts against the will of the party machine. He would kill himself without accomplishing anything. But results are what tell the story. Joslin and his followers may be novices but they played a deep game all the while, and judging from the overwhelming victory they won Saturday over the machine forces in this county, what will the old line fellows do when they get to be grown up politicians? The novices turned them horsdecombat, and they are standing around today trying to find out where that Pingree club has been hidden the last two months.' The Times' opposition made Pingree friends.—Adrian Telegram.

The fun has begun. The national nominations are made and now the Adrian papers will spend the rest of the season throwing mud at each other.

The following "Early recollections of Ypsilanti" is also of interest in Lenawee County: On Sunday the 3rd of July 1831, being then a boy on my way to Tecumseh from Detroit, with my father's family, I first saw and stopped over at Ypsilanti.

I do not remember much of the place, nor if there were many houses in it, but was told when taking tea with Mrs. Mary Jansen, at the old Buckbee residence, last Saturday evening, that I was in one of the first two frame houses ever raised in Ypsilanti.

The Rev. Ira M. Weed, brother of Miss Julia Weed, now stopping at the old Buckbee residence, was the minister or pastor of the Embryo Presbyterian church, and I well remember how that when the time of service came, on that pleasant Sabbath morning, men, women and children came in on foot, horse-back or on lumber wagons drawn by oxen, through the woods and bushes all around until quite a respectable little audience was gathered together to sing and pray and listen to the expounding of the inspired Word by that then youthful preacher, which greatly pleased my mother, who being the grandchild of a minister and daughter of a deacon and herself a goodly women, had greatly feared that in coming to Michigan, she was depriving herself of these regularly adminstered means of grace. But to her dismay about 200 Indians, then on their way to Malden, Canada, to receive their annual British pensions, proved too much for the educated reverance for the Sabbath of her boys, who in the afternoon, mingled freely with the Indian men and women, girls and boys, clad, or rather unclad in their peculiar garb, and busied themselves in keeping the young Indians knocking pennies out of split sticks with their rude bows and arrows.

We finally arrived at our Tecumseh home on July 4, 1831. I could easily relate many amusing incidents on our way from Detroit to Tecumseh, but time and space will not permit.

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THE MARKETS.

New York, July 15.

LIVE STOCK—Steers	$4 10	@	4 50
Sheep	4 00	@	4 50
Hogs	3 50	@	3 90
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents	3 15	@	3 75
Minnesota Bakers'	3 40	@	3 80
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	63½	@	63½
No. 1 Hard	66½	@	66½
CORN—No 2	32½	@	32½
September	32½	@	32½
OATS—Western	25½	@	25½
PORK—Mess, Old	8 50	@	8 75
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	11½	@	15
EGGS	11	@	13

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Beeves	$3 40	@	4 40
Stockers and Feeders	2 40	@	3 75
Cows and Bulls	1 15	@	3 50
Texas Steers	2 50	@	3 75
HOGS—Light	3 20	@	3 55
Rough Packing	2 90	@	3 05
SHEEP	2 00	@	4 00
BUTTER—Western Cr'm'y	10	@	14½
Dairy	9	@	12
EGGS—Fresh	9	@	9½
POTATOES—New (per brl.)	60	@	1 00
PORK—Mess	6 60	@	6 65
LARD—Steam	3 60	@	3 62½
FLOUR—Winter	2 60	@	3 60
Spring	2 60	@	3 75
GRAIN—Wheat, July	54½	@	54½
Corn, No. 2	26½	@	27½
Oats, No. 2 Cash	16½	@	17
Rye, No. 2	81	@	81½
Barley, Good to Fancy	24	@	32

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring	$ 54½	@	55½
Corn, No. 3	26	@	26½
Oats, No. 2 White	18½	@	18½
Rye, No. 1	32	@	32½
Barley, No. 2	30	@	30½
PORK—Mess	6 50	@	6 55
LARD	3 60	@	3 65

DETROIT.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red	$ 59	@	59½
Corn, No. 2	28	@	28½
Oats, No. 2 White	20	@	20½
Rye, No. 2	31½	@	31½

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Native Steers	$3 70	@	4 30
Texas	3 00	@	3 75
HOGS	3 50	@	3 65
SHEEP	3 25	@	4 00

OMAHA.

CATTLE—Steers	$3 35	@	4 10
Cows	1 50	@	3 45
Feeders	2 75	@	3 55
HOGS	3 00	@	3 12½
SHEEP	3 15	@	3 40

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PROVISION MARKET.

	Wholesale.	Retail.
Butter	11	13
Eggs, per doz	9	11
Lard, per lb		10
Potatoes, old per bushel	15	25
Beans, per bushel	75	1 20
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		10
Potatoes, new per bushel	25 to 50	

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		11
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 25 to	
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs	4 25	8 10
Veal, dressed, per lb	6	
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5	6 10 12
Chickens per lb	to 6	10
Turkeys		
Hides, green	4	
Sheep Pelts	25 to 35	

GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.

Wheat	51
Corn, shelled	29 to 35
Corn in ear	15 to 20
Oats	16 to 20
Hay, timothy, per ton	7 00 to 8 00
Hay, clover, per ton	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs	60
Middlings, per 100 lbs	65
Corn meal, per 100 lbs	60
Straw	$3.00

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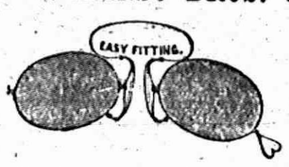

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BEGIN HARVESTING.

Farmers Cutting and Threshing Their Winter Wheat.

Chicago, July 21.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Michigan—Wheat harvest progressing rapidly under generally favorable weather conditions and threshers beginning work report yield of good quality. Much rye cut and that cut standing is in fine condition. Corn making splendid growth. Oats heading fast, but thin and short. Showers very beneficial, but unevenly distributed. Northern section still too dry for oats, potatoes and pastures.

Indiana—Cooler weather with local showers was favorable for crops and farm work. Corn grew very rapidly and is tasseling. Wheat, rye and barley all in shock. Threshing progresses. The oats harvest begun and the haying continued. Tobacco in good condition.

Illinois—Cool week, very favorable for farm work. Oats harvest well along with fair yield generally. Haying mostly done with fair to good crop well saved. Rye and barley in the stack. Winter wheat being threshed with good yield. Corn continues rapid growth and is tasseling and silking in early fields. Fruits very plentiful.

Iowa — Cooler and dryer than usual, checking damage by rust and favoring normal ripening of spring wheat. Harvest of hay, rye and barley about completed under excellent conditions and oats harvest fairly begun. Corn making substantial growth where it had been well cultivated. Rain generally needed for all unmatured crops.

Wisconsin—Fine weather with local rains caused material development of all crops. Corn tasseling, but weedy and good crop. Rye harvest begun with good yield. Oats ripening fast and indicate good yield. Barley nearly ripened with crop slightly below average. Spring wheat strong and well filled with some rust, but crop promises well. Haying about completed with crop better than expected.

JEAN INGELOW DEAD.

Distinguished Poet and Novelist Expired at London.

London, July 21.—Jean Ingelow, the distinguished poet and novelist, died in London Monday night. She was in her seventy-seventh year.

[Jean Ingelow was the daughter of William Ingelow, and was born at Boston, Lincolnshire, England, in 1830. Her father was a banker, and her mother was of Covenanter descent. She was 33 years old before her first book appeared, and it made such an impression that she was hailed as one of the greatest poets of the country. The Ingelow home at Boston was quiet, unemotional and well disciplined, although there were 11 children. Jean was the last child, and a brother a year older was her chum. He remained a bachelor, and they lived to-

JEAN INGELOW.

gether in a quaint little cottage in Kensington. She was surrounded by birds and flowers. The poet was not precocious as a child, but she had a retentive memory. She was timid and would retire to corners to write down her fancies and treasure them in a box. She spent many lonely hours on the beach watching the billows of the sea and the passing of the ships. There is a sad note in many of her songs, and it has been surmised she was disappointed in love in her youth, but the world has never learned whether she was ever in love. When her first book came out it was thought she was writing under a pen name. She was ranked as the peer of Mrs. Browning, and it is difficult for the present generation to realize that she created so great a furore in her early career.]

PEARY IS OFF.

Arctic Explorer Leaves to Prepare for His Journey to the Pole.

Boston, July 20.—The steamer sealing bark Hope, with Lieut. R. E. Peary and party on board, bound for northern Greenland, left this port at 9 a. m. on Monday, fully equipped for the voyage. The work of provisioning the vessel was completed only a short time before she sailed.

The object of the voyage is to establish a settlement at a remote northern point in Greenland, which shall be used as a base of supplies for an expedition in search of the north pole under Lieut. Peary in 1898. To this end a party of Esquimaux will be established at the new settlement and will, during the next year, be engaged in making preparations for Lieut. Peary's expedition.

Will Reign While She Lives.

London, July 19.—The queen's message to her people from Windsor castle, published in the Gazette, in which she says that she intends to reign as long as life lasts, effectually disposes of the stale old story published in the United States asserting that she contemplates abdication in favor of the prince of Wales.

Heavy Snowstorm.

Denver, Col., July 20.—A severe snowstorm is reported from all the higher portions in the mountain district. Three inches of snow is reported at Cripple Creek, Aspen and other points, and one inch at Leadville. The weather is uncomfortably cool even in Denver.

New York, July 12.—The First Methodist church at New Rochelle was destroyed by fire Sunday night. It was more than 100 years old and the oldest church in Westchester county.

MINERS STILL IDLE.

Prospect of a Settlement of the Great Wage Struggle.

The Situation as Reviewed by Labor Leaders—Efforts of the Arbitration Commissioners Will Probably Succeed.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 17.—True uniformity may eventually win in the Pittsburgh mining district through the efforts of the peace commissioners, but it will take time.

It is expected that it will require several weeks, perhaps a month, to secure the signatures of the operators to the proposition, and Gen. Little has advised that no time limit be put on the movement, as at the former attempt. In the meantime the miners' officials say no efforts will be spared to force the strike to a successful issue. The lines along which the arbitrators expect to work is to get the 13 lake shippers interested first. These will be banded together to force the smaller operators into line by well-known business methods. Every wire will be pulled to bring firms and men into line.

Holds the Key.

Fairmont, W. Va., July 19.—West Virginia holds the key to the great coal strike, and the next 48 hours will show its attitude. It is freely predicted that the miners will throw down their picks en masse, with the exception of a few isolated cases. Leaders of the strike are confident that this will be done, and say the result cannot be otherwise than beneficial to their cause. In the Norfolk and Western region Sunday the strikers made gains in some sections and losses in others. Big mass meetings were held in Flat Top, and it looks as if four more of the largest mines would be idle this morning, though the men dislike to give up the good pay they are now making, and are vacillating between desire and what they feel to be a duty.

President Ratchford Talks.

Columbus, O., July 19.—President Ratchford sums up the strike situation in an interview to the State Journal as follows:

"The manner in which the miners are conducting themselves commends itself to the country and gives their officers renewed encouragement, and strengthens the belief that victory will ultimately crown their efforts. We have started into this movement realizing fully the importance of the work before us and the responsibility resting upon us, and after two weeks of suspension, involving more than 150,000 miners, we are well satisfied with the results. Only those who are best acquainted with the condition of the miners have any idea of the extent of this suspension and its paralyzing effects upon the labor and business of the country. It has not yet reached its full proportions. The coming week will add 20,000 men to the idle column. The week following will bring greater accessions to our ranks. The movement will continue to grow, not only from the point of number involved, but public opinion will become crystallized more fully and through the press of the country will demand a solution of this great difficulty. The organized trades of the country are to-day in closer touch than ever before. Never in the history of labor troubles have they been found so closely allied. Our demand for living wages and the determination of our miners to secure it have brought expressions of sympathy and moral and material support from almost every branch of organized labor, whose efforts in our behalf will endear them to all lovers of fairness and establish for the miners, with their own efforts, a living rate of wages."

Meet with Little Success.

Elkhorn, W. Va., July 21.—Of the 700 miners in the Flat Top field who were out Monday about one-fourth of this number returned to work Tuesday morning. The meetings of agitation availed naught for their cause, and the indications are that unless something very extraordinary develops the agitators will leave the field in this section this morning.

Go Back to Work.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 21.—The attention of the miners of the Pittsburgh district is now riveted on the Allison, Boone and Enterprise mines, near Canonsburg. The Boone and Allison mines, which were closed Monday by the owners to prevent trouble between their men and the marching strikers, resumed Tuesday with nearly a full force.

NEW ELDORADO.

Great Gold Discoveries Said to Have Been Made in Alaska.

Seattle, Wash., July 19.—The reports of great gold discoveries in Alaska have caused intense excitement here. Policemen are resigning from the force; every street car man that can raise a stake has given notice to his company. In fact, all classes of society are represented in the feverish rush to get north. Men neglect their business and congregate in groups on the streets in excited discussions. People are telegraphing friends and relatives in the east to come and join them in the new Eldorado.

Ten Eyck Wins.

Henley-on-Thames, July 17.—E. H. Ten Eyck, the American oarsman, won the finals in the great diamond sculls Friday. His opponent was R. T. Blackstaff, of the Vesta Rowing club. The Englishman had previously won his semi-final heat in record time from Dr. McDowell, the Delaware Boat club man. Ten Eyck represents the Wauchusetts club, of Massachusetts.

Epworth League Convention Ends.

Toronto, Ont., July 19.—Five monster farewell rallies Sunday night closed the greatest convention the Epworth league has ever held. All five meetings were marked by great outbursts of religious fervor, and the delegates separated with many solemn vows to remain steadfast and devote their lives to the service of Christ.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Work of Our Lawmakers in the Fifty-Fifth Congress.

Daily Summary of Proceedings in the Senate and House — Other News from the Nation's Capital.

Washington, July 15.—A resolution was reported in the senate yesterday for the ratification of the Hawaiian annexation treaty and another asking the president to interfere in the case of the schooner Competitor prisoners who are imprisoned in Cuba. A resolution to prevent the disposal of the government lien on the Union Pacific railway under the terms of an alleged agreement caused a long discussion.

Washington, July 16. — Pacific railway affairs occupied the attention of the senate yesterday. A joint resolution was passed accepting the invitation of France to participate in the Paris exposition of 1900.

Washington, July 17.—The session of the senate yesterday was brief and uneventful. A bill was passed to give the consent of congress to a compact entered into between South Dakota and Nebraska respecting the boundary between said states.

Washington, July 19.—Senator Morgan (Ala.) occupied most of the time in the senate on Saturday in support of a resolution relating to the Union Pacific railway. In executive session a number of nominations were confirmed and the nomination of Terrence V. Powderly, of Pennsylvania, to be commissioner-general of immigration was received from the president.

Washington, July 20.—Union Pacific railway affairs occupied the time in the senate yesterday.

The tariff conference report was presented to the United States senate on the 20th, but little progress was made on it beyond the formal reading of about two-thirds of the report. There were indications the final report vote would be reached in a short time. A joint resolution empowering the president to take steps for the release of Ona Melton and other Competitor prisoners held by Spain was passed.

The House.

Washington, July 15.—The house yesterday nonconcurred in the senate amendment to the general deficiency bill, and conferees were appointed. Mr. Simpson (Kan.) introduced a resolution directing the speaker to appoint a committee of five to investigate the sugar trust.

Washington, July 16.—In the house yesterday Mr. Lorimer (Ill.) introduced a bill to appropriate $500,000 for a monument to Lincoln in the city of Washington.

Washington, July 17. — The house yesterday agreed to the partial conference report on the general deficiency bill and concurred in the senate amendment fixing the limit of cost for armor plate at $300 per ton.

Washington, July 19.—In the house on Saturday no business was transacted.

Washington, July 20.—In the house yesterday the conference report on the tariff bill was adopted by a vote of 183 to 118, five democrats voting in favor of the measure. The house took a recess until Wednesday.

Export Records Broken.

Washington, July 16.—The monthly statement of the exports and imports of the United States, issued by the bureau of statistics, makes the remarkable showing that never before in the history of the country have the exports of merchandise, which include practically all the exports except gold and silver, reached so high a figure as during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1897, nor has the excess of exports over imports ever been so large. The only time these figures were approached was in 1892, when the United States was making heavy shipments of grain to feed Europe after a series of deficient harvests. The statement for 1897, with comparisons, is as follows:

Exports of domestic merchandise, $1,032,998,880; increase over 1896, about $170,000,000; total exports of domestic and foreign merchandise, $1,051,687.91, as compared with $882,606,938 for 1896. The total imports of merchandise during the fiscal year just closed amounted to $764,373,906, of which $381,932,606 was free of duty. The total imports were about $15,350,000 less than last year, and the excess of exports over imports for the year was $287,613,186. This is an excess of about $185,000,000 over last year and an excess of about $23,000,000 over any previous year.

Don't Believe It.

Washington, July 17.—At the Japanese legation here no credence is given to the report that the Spanish and Japanese governments have entered into an alliance against the United States.

The Currency Message.

Washington, July 21. — It is announced that President McKinley will withhold his currency message until after the conference report on the tariff bill has been adopted by the senate.

England's Gravest Question.

London, July 20.—In the house of commons in the course of the debate on the foreign office vote, Sir Charles Dilke, radical, said: "The gravest foreign question at the present moment grows out of our relations with the United States and if the matter is not dwelt upon it is because the government is conscious that in these difficult matters it cannot count upon the support of the entire house."

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CLINTON

T. A. Lowry, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

C. W. Parker spent Sunday in Clinton with his family.

G. R. Wolf visited his parents at Morenci, over Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. White has been on the sick list for the last ten days.

Miss Lina Jones visited Miss Eva Shimman at Toledo over Sunday.

Cora Higgins returned Saturday afternoon from a four days' visit at Norvell.

Mrs. W. S. Kimball and Beth have been visiting at Detroit since Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Silvers spent several days last week, with friends at Norvell and Manchester.

H. E. Lindsley and family went to Saline Wednesday, to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs W. D. VanTuyle and Percy have been visiting relatives at Detroit since Tuesday.

Henry Oaen returned to Munson Monday, after spending a few days on his farm west of town.

Mrs E. S. Tate went to Detroit, Tuesday expecting to visit Cleveland, also, before her return.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Osborne, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Moseley, of Ann Arbor, has been the guest of Mrs. Will Matthews, since Monday.

Mrs. Helen Boyrie, of Augusta, Kalamazoo county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Hutchins.

Dr. G. W. Kishpaugh returned Tuesday to Forester, Sanilac county, after a two weeks' visit at Clinton.

W. H. Katner was able to resume work at his shop Friday afternoon, after an illness of two days.

Miss Lulu Wiltse, of Ann Arbor, came over Saturday, to spend a few weeks with her Clinton friends.

Will Wood and wife returned home last Saturday after enjoying a week at their Wampler's lake cottage.

Mrs Hattie Johnston visited her sister, Mrs. E. M. Conklin, at Manchester, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rha Conklin went to Adrian last Friday, for a ten days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Myra Aldrich.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sherwood went to Fowlerville last Thursday, being called there by the severe illness of his mother.

Mrs. C. W. Johnston and children returned to their home at Detroit last Friday, after a visit of several weeks in Clinton.

Mrs. Frank Mitchell, of Kansas City, Mo., arrived Saturday for a month's visit with her husband's mother, Mrs. M. F. McClure.

Mrs. F. L. Woodard and Donna returned to their home at Hudson Monday, after a visit of two weeks with Clinton friends.

Miss Lydia Braun returned to her home at Manchester last Friday, after a week's visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Sturm.

Master Frank Wilson, who has been visiting at Dr. J. L. Tuttle's for the past three weeks, returned to his home at Hanover Saturday.

Hiram Wiltse and wife, who have been visiting friends at Frankfort, Benzie county, for the past few weeks, arrived home Sunday morning.

Mrs Lewis Grey has been visiting her parents at Ypsilanti since Monday. Mr. Grey and Marian drove to Saline with her and remained until Tuesday.

Mrs. P. M. Newcomb went to Brooklyn Monday, having received word that her son Ned, was quite seriously hurt last Saturday by a horse kicking him.

Miss Maggie O'Rielly has given up her position as clerk with the Freese-Whittelsey Co. and expects to start in about a week for an extended visit with her aunt at Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. Levi Maybee and daughters, Phrone and Victoria, of Port Hope, Ont., who have been guests at Dr. Blatchford's for the past few weeks, started on their homeward trip, Thursday morning.

G. T. Katner, H. G. Shekell, Fred Van DeMark, and Claud Hause made a bicycle trip to Battle Creek, starting about 10:30 Saturday night, and returning Wednesday, except Katner, who reached home Thursday.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell and wife went to Pontiac Wednesday, expecting to remain until Monday. Rev. Cansfield, of Ridgeway, will preach at the Macon church Sunday afternoon and at the union service here in the evening.

A ball game will be played on the Clinton grounds tomorrow afternoon between the Clinton club and the "Delmels" of the Detroit City League, who are making their annual tour through the state. Their standing in the City League leaves their ability to play ball unquestioned. Game called at 3 p. m. This will be one of the games of the season.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

A HOTEL IN TWO TOWNS.

If One Town Goes Dry the Bar Can Be Moved Into the Other Town.

In selecting the site for the Grand hotel in the Catskills, on the top of Pine Hill mountain, the owners evidently had in mind the vagaries of the excise vote. It is not generally known that the Grand hotel stands on the boundary line of Ulster and Delaware counties, the boundary line passing almost through the middle of the hotel building. The hotel therefore is in the township of Shandaken, Ulster county, and in the township of Middletown, Delaware county. Should Shandaken go dry, the hotel bar could be moved to Middletown, and vice versa. Advantage has been taken of this fact by the hotel owners to keep down the assessment, says the New York Sun.

The assessors of Shandaken placed a valuation on the property of $50,000, but agreed to assess it for only $25,000 if the hotel would remain in that township. This year they have raised the hotel assessment to $30,000, and the owners have notified them that they intend to remove the hotel to Delaware county, where the assessment will be made much lower by the town of Middletown. The assessors of Shandaken township are going to try to have a bill passed by the next legislature creating this hotel property into a special district, and giving to the stockholders the privilege of voting as to where they shall be assessed or whether they shall be assessed at all.

SUBMARINE RIVERS.

That Strangely Break Through the Ocean's Bottom.

A break in the cable laid between the Senegal coast of Africa and Pernambuco, in Brazil, five years ago, has led to an extraordinary discovery, related recently by Mr. Benest to the Institution of Electrical Engineers. The cable was as fine a one as modern methods could devise, yet after three months it broke about 150 miles from the African coast; it was repaired and broke again. It was then found that at the place where the break occurred there was a great deal of vegetable growth resembling river weed; that the color of the sea was a dirty brownish green, indicating the presence of fresh water, and birds' feathers, pieces of orange peel, scraps of carpet and bits of driftwood were taken from the bottom of the ocean. The phenomenon was purely local, as the nearest river was 75 miles away, and discharged its waters in a different direction. It was surmised that it meant the sudden breaking through of a submarine river, and the cable was moved to a distance; after two years it broke again, and was moved once more, and engineers are waiting to see what will happen. Submarine rivers are known to exist in other parts of the ocean, off the mouth of the Congo and in the Gulf of Carpentaria, for instance. This explanation, however, does not account for the carpet and orange peel.

FINAL "A" BAD FOR SHIPS.

Some Recent Wrecks Were Guilty of That Lack of Foresight.

Insurance underwriters look askance at vessels which have a final "a" in their names. The first letter of the alphabet is considered a hoodoo when it ends the name of a deep sea ship. Many of the most serious wrecks of the last year have been of vessels carrying the hoodoo letter.

One day lately, says the San Francisco Examiner, the telegraph announced that the British ship Androsa, from that port for Liverpool with one of the most valuable cargoes that was ever carried out of that harbor, was lost within a few leagues of her destination. The next day word was received that the Orealla, bound from Victoria for Liverpool, had been swept by heavy seas and badly damaged. Her mate and one sailor were drowned. The wires told on the same day of the total loss of the British ship Villanta and the drowning of her master near Freemantle, and a few days later the papers gave the news of the loss of the steamer Wallapa and of the beaching of the Dora in Alaska waters.

During the last two or three years the most serious wrecks on the coast were of vessels whose names ended with the hoodoo letter. The wreck of the Colima was the most horrifying of all. Then came the loss of the steamer Columbia, and a few weeks later the passenger steamer Umatilla ran ashore and narrowly escaped destruction.

Another Champion.

"Who is that lank party with the medals?" asked the drummer.

"That is our town champion," the rural grocer explained. "He has got his picture in the papers more times fer bein' cured of more different diseases than any man in the United States."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A MIDNIGHT SURPRISE.

By Elvira Floyd Frocnecke.

LIFE in our family has always been agitated by unexpected happenings. Proper, well-regulated superstitions have a way of reversing results which is humiliating and depressing. When Algernon bought a new tan-colored coat under the impression that it would please his sweetheart and give him a smart, fashionable air he found that tan was unbecoming, that his sweetheart preferred gray and that the latest hue for spring coats was a striking shade of plum.

Clarisse, too, had the same well-developed propensity; for on presenting a young lawyer (of tender heart and intellectual tendencies) with a book by Mr. Hall Caine she found that he had read all that gifted man's works and was eager to learn something of the brighter light, Zangwill.

Poor Aunt Polly fell ill with grippe. She suffered long and recovered slowly. It left a legacy in the shape of a nasty cough that refused to be quieted. One fine day she took courage and went to call upon some dear friends. The old ladies were in. They were delighted to see her, but were very much distressed about her cold. During the shifting conversation, which covered the broad field that lay between oratorios and home soapmaking, they recommended numberless cures. Towards five o'clock Aunt Polly rose to go. There was a flashing eye signal between the kind old hostess and importunate "Oh, don't go's!" from both.

Aunt Polly sank gracefully in her chair as one of the ladies disappeared. Throughout the period of waiting most pleasant thoughts were borne in her mind. How kind they were! How delightful to again visit old friends! What would the coming refection be? Probably tea; maybe coffee. No! More likely cocoa, and possibly elderberry wine or bouillon. She finally arranged the probabilities between elderberry wine and cocoa, while apparently deeply engaged in conversation with her entertainer.

A slight bustle at the door. A click of a spoon. She turned her head to see the apparition of a female figure advancing, which held in one hand a large bottle of cod liver oil, in the other the hugest silver tablespoon ever made.

A spoonful was poured out slowly and handed to the unfortunate guest. She gulped down the dreadful dose and hastily made her escape. Aunt Polly is a Christian, and nothing transpired that was disastrous to friendship or good breeding. But, oh, how she did think!

We were all a bit chary of superstitions, because of our peculiar experiences. There is that one of a black cat bringing good luck; but when Eloise scratched her dainty hand on wearing a black-cat pin for the first time, and when Cousin Belle's story was sent flying back as "unavailable" by the editor of the Black Cat magazine, we were not eager to welcome the tremendous black-coated, yellow-eyed pussy, that Gerald assured us would make happiness for all the family.

Still she was a lady, and had some pretensions to beauty, so we adopted her, and baptized her "Devil." She certainly acted as if about to change conditions, for nothing serious occurred, and beyond a propensity for lying on the most comfortable bed she could find, or dipping her dainty paw in an ink bottle—imitating the writer—she was most exemplary.

Sometimes it annoyed us that we had not a good terrier in Devil's place. She could kill rats, of course, but could give no alarm in case thieves entered the house. We tried adding a bright little black-and-tan terrier to our family. This would not do at all. Devil must reign supreme, and the dog was banished.

Burglaries began to be frequent in the neighborhood. The pater and mater were going abroad, and we home guard were on our mettle. We were taught and retaught pistol practice until we were sure of our man, did he dare offer his body as target.

The gunsmith had never sold so many pistols, nor such quantities of ammunition, since he had taken his shop. He was a queer little man with a bent back and a deep-set eye. His grimy hands, greasy knee-caps and odor of gunpowder were his trademarks. He looked as harmless as a pearl-handled revolver; but the way his prices rose to meet this demand, and the fables he concocted about his antique stock, showed his capability for improving opportunities.

Still with paternal solicitude the household head was loth to leave us without further precautions for our safety.

A burglar alarm was added to the household attachments. It was of an electric construction; and there were numerous dynamos and endless electric wires flying around the house for a week or more.

Finally all was complete. Each bed had a formidable row of wires and batteries; while within easy touch of the hand was a small crank that set bells ringing in furious clamor.

We were alone at last. Each morning Charles Augustus, the colored gentleman who arranges our destinies and receives our guests, set the alarms, to which all the bells responded merrily. Each night Algernon and I examined our weapons and laid plans to meet the marauder.

After several nights of broken slumber, when each heard noises and met in corridor, pistol laden and in light attire, we concluded that it was absurd to meet trouble two-thirds of the way. So we settled down to peaceful sleep and long nights of rest.

We had had a delightful holiday. For two days friends had visited us. We had been in town, sight-seeing and wonder-gazing, ending with a dance one night, a trip to the theater the next. Again we had settled down to get rid of our Saturday night's tire with really pleasant anticipation.

I dreamed of Christmas; then, that we were waiting to see the old year out, when I awakened, and the bells were all ringing! Every electric alarm twanging a mighty burr-r-r-r, added to which were the gongs of the front and back doors, while sounds of voices from excited men outside added to the noisy blare.

I rushed to the hall, forgetting my pistol, and met Algernon, clad in pistols and night shirt, hurrying to the front door.

"Have you killed him?" I cried, supposing at least one burly corpse must be lying somewhere near.

"Killed her, you mean," sneered Algernon, rushing downstairs. "No! I haven't, but, by Jove I will."

I thought he had gone mad and was almost frantic with terror. Still I did lean over the baluster and saw the captain of police, the sergeant, six big policemen and eight sympathizing neighbors forming a line that was like an interrogation point.

Algernon looked dignified, though the circumstances were trying. He kept the throng quiet and explained quickly, answering the shower of questions that assailed him with:

"I am very sorry, gentlemen. Our alarm was set and we were sleeping soundly. The bells were set in motion by our cat who took a notion to play with the crank."

Not a smile came to those expectant faces. Poor men! It was a cold morning—two a. m.—and they intended to capture at least one man after their trying ordeal. Slowly they filed out and Algernon reclimbed the stairs. Disgust and gloom were written over his dejected face and manner. I looked up to say: "Oh, Algernon! I am mortified to death."

Suddenly the lad burst into an uncontrollable fit of laughter. "Not a burglar! Confound the alarm! I believe there never was one that went off at the right time. And where is that cat! She must be abolished. This is not the first time the devil raised a neighborhood, but it will be the last time here;" and he went in search of the imp, whose sagacity saved her neck, as she had broken our peace.—New England Grocer.

TOOK THEIR ADVICE.

Lieut. Tyler Took a Ferry, But It Did Not Take Him to Capt. Sicard.

When Rear Admiral Sicard, who took command of the North Atlantic squadron the other day, was a captain he was stationed for a time on the old receiving ship Vermont in the Brooklyn navy yard. To him Lieut. Hanson R. Tyler, now retired, was ordered to report for duty on the Vermont.

Tyler was a big, round, good-natured Vermonter, with a long, nasal, down-east drawl, and all the navy had nicknamed him "Horse." It happened this time that "Horse" reported four days late, and Capt. Sicard was annoyed. The captain was not a martinet, but he was a believer in strict discipline and in the fullest performance of duty. When he was in command of a vessel it was always shipshape. When he was in command of a navy yard things moved off as it was intended they should move. So, when Tyler came aboard the Vermont Capt. Sicard was displeased because of his tardiness.

"Good morning, Capt. Sicard," drawled Tyler. "I am ordered to the Vermont, and I am here to report to you for duty."

"Good morning, Mr. Tyler," answered Capt. Sicard. "Will you have the goodness to explain why you are four days late?"

"Certainly, captain," said Tyler, with just the suspicion of a grin and an extra attenuation in his drawl. "You see, my orders were to report aboard the Vermont at Boston. I went to Boston and found that the Vermont was at Brooklyn. I didn't know whether to bring Boston down to the Vermont or the Vermont up to Boston. While I was debating the matter I got a telegram from the department (he pulled it out and showed it to Capt. (Sicard) that said 'For Boston. In your orders read Brooklyn,' so I came down to New York yesterday. I'd never been in Brooklyn, so I asked a man how to get the Brooklyn navy yard, and he said I'd better take a ferry, so I took a ferry, and when I got off I asked a man how to get to the Brooklyn navy yard, and he said: 'Take a ferry.' I asked him what that place was, and he said: 'Staten Island.' So I took a ferry, and when it stopped it was in a place a man said was Communipaw. I asked him how to get to the Brooklyn navy yard, and he said: 'Take a ferry.' I thought it wasn't a good place for me to be around loose in at night, so I got a hotel and went to bed, and this morning I hired a boy for 50 cents to pilot me to the Brooklyn navy yard; and, by the way, captain, have you got that sum in your clothes?"

And they say "Horse" Tyler got off.—N. Y. Sun.

Dancing in Paraguay.

The women of Paraguay have but one pastime, that of dancing. They wear white robes, but leave their shapely shoulders and tapering arms all bare. A gold comb of enormous size is the only ornament. Parties are gotten up on the slightest pretext. The dances are in quaint, original figures, but nearly always very graceful. Sometimes the festivities will be kept up through the entire night, after which the participants will gayly return to their occupations of whatever nature, always contented, always happy. Sometimes there will be a grand contribution picnic at some distant point, where the dancing will be kept up through the round of a whole 24 hours. For these people live to be happy through the livelong day.—

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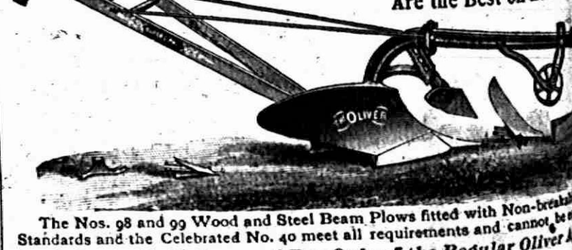

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Elmer Hause, of Tecumseh, was in our village Tuesday on business.

Village Treasurer Jas. DuBois is now ready to receive your taxes.

Jesse Potter, of Chicago, called on his old Britton friends Monday.

Frank Day, of Macon, spent Sunday with Dr. Hendershot in the village.

Miss Georgia Cheever, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is better.

Frank Osgood, of Toledo, is the guest of his uncle, W. R. Osgood, and family.

John Royal, of Milan, has charge of the Britton section of the Wabash tracks.

Chas. Maybee and wife and Geo. Clark were wheeling about Macon Sunday evening.

Mrs. Samuel Kniffen, with her sister, Jessie Bowerman, have been spending the week at Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Geo. Exelby, and Mrs. Wm. Underwood, spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Detroit.

Little Floyd Allen has been the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. M. Hiscock, of Ridgeway, for the past week.

Mrs. Dr. Hendershot and children, returned Wednesday from their six weeks visit at Dunkirk, Ohio.

Mrs. Elmer Osgood and daughter, Myrtle, of Toledo, were the guest of W. R. Osgood part of last week.

Don't forget the cheap excursion to Toledo next Sunday over the T. & M. R'y., formerly the C. J. & M. Ry.

Our council held their meeting in front of the hotel Monday night on account of the extreme hot weather.

At the DeSpelder church at 2:30 p. m. Rev Nickerson will deliver his picture illustrated sermon on "Lot's Wife."

Mrs. Campbell and daughter, of Detroit, are in town visiting Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Exelby.

Sharpsteen's Medicine Co. arrived Monday for a two week's stay here, so any of you have any ailments you could get relief before they leave.

Clarence Hause entertained a nice party of young friends at his home Monday night, it being his 18th birthday, the evening was passed very pleasantly.

A. A. Brown, and J. L. Kishpaugh, have invented a scraper for bicycle paths and were testing its merits the other day. They say it works to perfection.

One of our citizens, who felt interested, tallied the trains in and out of the village last Thursday, and was surprised at the result, fifty one trains in the 24 hours.

S. H. Linn has commenced work on a new house. He has bought the old building, and contemplates moving it back. This would greatly improve his building site.

The Wabash will run an excursion to Niagara Falls, on Thursday, July 29th. Rate from Britton to Niagara Falls and return, $4 75. Train leaves at 9:38 p. m. Tickets limited five days from day of sale.

That John Beasley went to England on government business is evidenced by the present turbulent state of the Irish question, and if John cant keep the bear off that lion's tail, we will see that he is recalled.

Did you read Mr. Gogolin's Manifesto Pistiffico in last week's Citizen? He has taken council in the matter. Shillikins! Wonder if that council will take something too? Be sure of your draw, old man, before you open your pot.

"Baul at Mars Hill" will be the topic of the pastor's morning sermon at the Methodist church. At 8 p. m., the weather permitting, the service will be held in the tent on the school grounds. Rev. Nickerson will discourse about "The Bed too Short and the Coverlid too Narrow." If stormy, the service will be transferred to the church.

Parson Lambast, who was chasing the very end of that water spout in the western part of the township, has returned and is now devoting his spare moments to framing an ordinance to chase poets in the village of Britton. Ride it high, parson. If poetical license means all that eminate from the 8th, it must derive a revenue worth having.

RIDGEWAY.

Ivy Jones is entertaining the measles.

Stephen Plews was in Adrian Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Baxter, of Tecumseh, is visiting Ridgeway friends.

Mrs. Y. Potter and wife, of Chicago, called on friends Saturday.

Gertrude Marvin, of Azalia, spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Miss Lawrence Jackson, of Tecumseh, is spending the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Gould and a lady friend, of Cone, attended church here Sunday evening.

Mr. C. W. Baldwin, of Addison, called on Rev. Cansfield and family last week.

The wheat harvest is a thing of the past in this section and haying is nearly ended.

Mrs. A. J. Sutton and Mrs. F. L. Cook and Toledo friends last Thursday Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Knight, of Clinton, visited Mrs. Knight's sister, Mrs. Temple, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Putman, of Ann Arbor, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Arner, Sunday. Mrs. P. remained until Tuesday morning.

Mr. Cook, of Lansing, came down Saturday and returned Tuesday, accompanied by his wife and May Fletcher will spend several days with them.

MACON.

Mark Mills was home from the county seat Sunday.

Dr. Hendershot, of Britton, was in town Monday.

Willie Pratt and wife, of Toledo, were here Sunday.

Miss Jennie Dutcher, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting here.

The Misses Wells, of Marshall, are guests of Miss Grace Sage.

Clarence Sherman is visiting his grandparents at Ridgeway.

Mrs. Chas. Wilkins returned to her work at Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Gooding and daughters, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday here.

Wesley Betser and son went to Chelsea Friday and returned Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Hough and daughter Tillie, of Tecumseh, visited at Jesse Coller's Saturday.

Mrs. Baron Pennington and children spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Austin, in Tecumseh.

Rev. Hartley Cansfield, of Ridgeway, will occupy the M. E pulpit next Sabbath, Rev. Ramsdell having gone to Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Camburn, of Franklin, visited at the home of Hebron Camburn the fore part of the week.

Topic for E. L meeting Sunday evening: "The Prisoner of Jesus Christ," Eph. 3:1, Acts 16:23, 24:25-27, 28:16. Leader, Florence Camburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harmon came up from Bedford Monday, to attend the G. A. R. gathering at Elwin Camburn's. They returned home Tuesday.

One hundred and fifteen took supper at the G. A. R. gathering at the home of Elwin Camburn Monday afternoon and evening. A very fine and interesting program was rendered and everybody enjoyed themselves hugely.

Vern Thomas was kicked in the face by a horse Saturday night. He had taken it to the pasture lot and as soon as he removed the halter it turned on its heels and struck him in the face. Luckily he escaped with a few small cuts and bruises.

HOLLOWAY.

Master Forrest Macham, of Tecumseh, is at A. D. Macham's.

The C. E. society serves ice cream every Saturday evening.

Mrs. Love and children, of Adrian, are visiting at F. G. Florance's this week.

Mrs. Miranda Ivison, of Palmyra, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Pfund.

Miss Linda Hall, of Tecumseh, was a guest of Esther Fish from Thursday until Sunday.

Master Harry Fabrique, of Clinton, is visiting at his grandfather's, Orlando Carpenter's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane and Mrs. Ada Burdick were in Franklin Tuesday and Wednesday.

Geo. Stevenson, of Fowlerville, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Levi Coffin, the first of the week.

The Grange held a large meeting on Tuesday evening of last week. Nine candidates were initiated.

Mrs. Caroline Humphrey, of Adrian, addressed the people Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church. Subject: "Sundays in Europe," as seen by her. It was listened to with great interest and highly appreciated.

During the absence of the family Sunday tramps, it is said, entered the home of Wm. Binn's, breaking through the kitchen window. They took the change that was in the children's banks and helped themselves to eatables.

CONE.

Mrs. James Reeves spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Alice Rose, of Rea, visited Sarah Sherwood over Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Dennison is visiting friends in Ashley and St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Allshouse visited their old home in Pentecost last week.

Mrs. Geo. Gurnea and children, of Flint, are visiting at Ben Caswell's.

Hiram Hopper and son, of Howell, visited at Thos. Munson's last week.

Miss Susie Robinson, of Detroit, is visiting her friend, Adah Dennison.

Mrs. Joe Wright visited her husband at the hospital in Ann Arbor last Thursday.

John Wilson and wife and Miss May Vincent, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday at Geo. Gray's.

The tenth Sunday-school rally of Milan, London and Exeter will be held at the M. P. church July 30.

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JURORS MAY ATTEND CHURCH.

Religious Observances No Disqualification in Murder Trials.

The court of appeals, in its recent decision affirming judgment convicting Giuseppe Constantine of murder in the first degree in killing Pietro Galiotti at Utica, held, among other things, that the fact that during the trial the jury, in charge of officers, attended church, where the sermon was upon the prevalence of crime, was insufficient to justify a new trial, when it was shown that the officers, as soon as they discovered that anything might be said which could prejudice the jury, at once left the church with them, and that the trial judge thereupon stated to the jury, and at the close of the trial charged them, that no opinion uttered by the preacher should have the slightest weight upon their minds in forming their verdict. The evidence, says the New York Times, showed that the murder was committed in an affray, and that there was an interval of from half a minute to two minutes for deliberation while the defendant was threatening the fatal act. The court held it was not an error for the judge, in charging the jury upon the question whether there was sufficient time for such a degree of deliberation and premeditation as would constitute the crime, to illustrate a minute of time by his watch. The power conferred on the court of appeals by sections 528 and 542 of the code of criminal procedure to order a new trial in capital cases was not to be exercised upon the mere appearance of some error to which no exception was taken, unless the substantial rights of the accused could be seen to have been affected by it.

THE CLAIRVOYANT OPERATOR.

She Buys or Sells Wheat with a Twist of the Wrist.

An odd sight is to be witnessed daily on the Consolidated exchange. Visitors for some time have noted a little group of women who stand all day long in the gallery at the Broadway end of the building, says the New York Mail and Express. They also notice one particular broker on the floor who is continually craning his neck and glancing at one of the women in that group. Every once in awhile, after a glance, he jumps into the wheat pit, which is just under the edge of the gallery, and makes a transaction.

Only the observing will notice, however, any connection between his operations and the woman whom he watches. From 10:30 o'clock till three o'clock she stands there, with one hand resting over the railing. With slight movements of this hand she gives orders to buy and sell wheat to the broker. The number of fingers extended indicates the number of thousands of bushels to be done, and a twist up or down of the whole hand tells the broker whether to buy or sell.

But that is not the queer part of it. A stranger asked one of the brokers, a friend of his, who the woman was.

"Why," was the reply, "that's the clairvoyant operator. She's a real clairvoyant all right and she reads the future turns in the market and buys or sells accordingly. Or at least she thinks she reads the future, and maybe she does, for she has lasted longer than the ordinary woman speculator. She has been at it for months."

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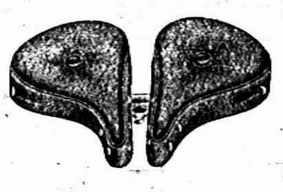

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 23, 1897.

The HERALD is under obligations to its many patrons who pay so promptly, but at this season of the year printer's ink evaporates so quickly that it requires constant replenishing to keep any color on the paper. All the prompt subscribers have long since paid, and if all who have not paid would pay right now the ink would flow better and the "Ghost" would walk with more becoming regularity. If something does not happen soon half the paper may come blank some week simply for want of cash to buy the ink to make the type show up. To sum the matter up, all who owe for the HERALD will confer the greatest favor by paying at once. The amount is small to the subscriber, but is needed very much by the publisher.

How easily and quickly people forget! In 1888, '89 and '90 the treasury of the U. S. was jammed so full of dollars that many would roll out, the rich men were growing richer and poor men poorer and there was a great clamor for a relief from this awful burden of taxation. Wm. McKinley stepped up and said, "I will stop this trouble. We will put a tariff on foreign goods so high that none will come in. This will help our laborers who manufacture American goods, raise their wages and give them a chance to catch up with the rich fellows, and with this prohibitory tariff the gold in Uncle Sam's vaults will decrease till the people will stop bowling about so much surplus." The "Dingley" bill is even more protective than was the McKinley act and yet it was framed with the especial idea of raising more revenue. The "McKinley" bill defeated the republican party because it was too radical and, although it will be a great relief to the country to have the tariff settled for four years, still the final effect will be the same and the result of high protection will make the rich man richer and the poor man poorer. It seems a pity some non-political measure could not have been passed that would stand the test of years and benefit all classes of people alike.

For a number of years village readers of the NEWS have had the privilege of reading the council proceedings in its columns, the sum of $75 per annum being divided between the two village newspapers. On last Monday evening the council decided to have the proceedings printed in but one paper. There was no kick coming from the taxpayers over the amount paid for printing, and while "economy" should be the watchword of our village fathers, it is also a fact that many taxpayers will be deprived of the privilege of knowing what the council is doing because they cannot read the report in the NEWS. We believe the board will think as we do and order the proceedings also published in these columns. The small sum additional for that purpose will make but a trifle difference in the aggregate.—TECUMSEH NEWS.

For several years the NEWS has received $40.00 and the HERALD $35.00 for printing the proceedings, the NEWS setting the type, as that paper is printed first in the week, and turning it over to the HERALD next day. The editor of the NEWS is alone to blame that the old contract was not renewed as, without conference in the matter, he choose to put in a separate bid much in excess of what either paper received last year and as the bid of the HERALD was same as last year, the council very properly thought to serve the larger number of people for the least price and patronize the HERALD. Still the old way was much more satisfactory to all parties and it is a pity the editor of the NEWS would not have thought best to continue.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Many proprietors of grain threshing machines have fixed the price per bushel at two cents this year. When prices of grain were high many received four and five cents per bushel for threshing it.—Addison Courier.

The funeral of Mr. Charles M. Tobias was largely attended by friends and neighbors Friday afternoon, at his home in Cadmus. Rev. Mr. McAllister paid a tribute to the worth and integrity of the man who for twenty-nine years had lived in that neighborhood and in the same house in which he died. He spoke of the help and encouragement he had been to both old and young, and that his presence would be sadly missed in the church to which he was ever faithful. Mr. Tobias was born in Danby, Tompkins county, N. Y., in 1827. He came to Michigan in 1851, being 24 years of age. For twenty years he was engaged in railroad business, after which he took up farming, which he continued till his death. His three sons and a brother acted as pall-bearers. The interment was in the Dover cemetery.—Adrian Times.

It is understood there is a movement on foot to build a bicycle path from Tecumseh to Tipton, and that farmers have promised to continue the path from Tipton to Sand lake. If this is done Adrian cyclists could get a path to the lake by building from here to Tipton. President E. N. Smith, of the Adrian bicycle club, will call a meeting of the directors to consider the matter.—Adrian Times.

Editors Stacy, of Tecumseh, Grandon, of Adrian, and Schermerhorn, of Hudson, each left the devil in charge last Monday and fled away to Devils Lake for a few hours of uninterrupted comfort—not a horrid Republican in the galaxy. A royal good time is reported but it was hard on the fish, and the wampum gatherers of the resort of the evil name say the times are just as hard as ever.—Addison Courier.

Hudson, Mich., July 14. The Vibrator has, after a number of sensational maneuvers been consigned to the journalistic cemetery. Friday George F. Parish made a formal surrender of his ownership and interest in the concern to the former owner of the plant, Dr. Eaton, and the genial doctor will not thank anybody for singing in his presence, "The cat came back." The office will be continued as a job office by Mr. McDonald, the foreman, but no paper will be issued.—Adrian Telegram.

During the recent hot spell a Hudson lady, according to the Post, told her husband how she had read that if a tub of cold water were placed in a sleeping room it would cool the air. He did not believe it, but as neither could sleep on account of the heat, he finally arose and procured the water, but placed the tub where it would be convenient for a bath when his wife arose. In a little while she wanted to raise a window, but as she left the bed she stepped backward and went into the tub with a vim. The man was awakened by a series of screams, and went to her relief, but he says if one wants a better performance than a circus, try the experiment of cooling off the room with a tub of water.—Adrian Times.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Special session of July 10, 1897.

A special meeting of council was called upon due and sufficient notice.

Present, the president, Trustees Wright, Lowry, Heesen, Eldridge and J. Heesen. Absent, Orr.

Moved and supported that the following ordinance be adopted and passed:

AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO TELEPHONE FRANCHISE.

The village of Tecumseh ordains:

Sec. I. That James S. Brailey, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons and Fred'k B. Wood and their assigns be hereby granted the right, privilege and authority to operate and maintain a telephone exchange in the village of Tecumseh, Michigan, and to erect and maintain by use of poles and wire such telephone lines in the public streets and alleys of said village as may be necessary to give sufficient and satisfactory service to the subscribers of said exchange and to make connections with other places and exchanges and with state lines, the street committee to co-operate with said above named parties in erection of said poles, and poles put up in principal streets shall be shaved and painted. Upon condition that a telephone will be put in at the waterworks power house. (to be connected with the Lilley House at night if night service is not given at the central office) and to furnish one extension bell at residence of the engineer and furnish another extension bell at residence of chief of fire department so long as the same can be done without too much expense, said exchange to be completed within six months from date this ordinance goes into effect.

Sec. II. This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

Trustees Wright yea, Lowry yea, Heesen, yea, Eldridge yea, J. Heesen yea. Declared adopted and passed.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT,
Village Clerk.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of July 19, 1897.

Present, Trustees Wright, Lowry, Heesen, Eldridge, John Heesen and the clerk. Absent, President Williamson and Trustee Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street commissioner's report from July 5 to July 19 presented, showing fire team labor, 11 days, 7 hours; Dell Packard, hand labor, 11 days, 7 hours; E. Prichard, hand labor, 11 days, 2 hours; O. Hodges, hand labor, 10 days, 7 hours; 1 poll tax worked.

Chairman finance committee presented the following proposals for Tecumseh HERALD and NEWS for printing council proceedings, ordinances, etc., for year ending July 1, 1898: HERALD agreeing to publish all council proceedings and ordinances one year for $40, NEWS agreeing to publish proceedings of council, including all notices and annual statement, for $35, ordinances at legal rate, 70 cents per folio.

Moved and supported that proposal of HERALD be accepted. Carried

The following bills were reported by the clerk and referred to the finance committee: O. Hodges, hand labor, $13.38; E. Prichard, hand labor, $14.00; Dell Packard, hand labor, $14.63; Chas. Bidwell, marshal, $25.00; Tecumseh Electric Co., $433.84; J. D. Shull, assessor, $19.00; J. A. Boyd, 1 day board of review, $2.00. Cement sidewalk: J. Lowry, $10.95; Co. C, M. N. G., $10.92; Jacob Cheever, $8.49; Raisin Valley Seminary, $7.71; Satterthwaite Bros., $8.04; Sam'l McClure, $5.76; D. L. Whitenack, $5.76; Lawrence VanTyne, $5.28; L. D. Dewey, $11.16; A. Richards, $12.03; Wm. Askin, $4.60; J. J. Freeman, $10.24; C. A. Wright, $8.04; H. D. Edwards & Co., hose, $250.00. Water works: A. Parks, labor, $4.20.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT,
Village Clerk.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning All Roads Running Through Tecumseh.

The Michigan division of the C. J. & M. was taken out of the hands of the court Tuesday and formally turned over to the new company. There was no change in the officers, but Receiver F. B. Drake became general manager of the Toledo & Milwaukee railroad. The Ohio division of the C. J. & M. has not been reorganized yet. It will be operated by a separate company and will be probably known as the Cincinnati Northern. Both companies will have the same officers but their accounts will be kept separate. The real purpose of separating the divisions, it is thought, is to put the Michigan division into condition to be annexed to the Detroit & Lima Northern. This seems to be the most natural way of executing the deal.

The Cincinnati express bound north on L. S. & M. S., and due at Monroe at 5:54 a. m., struck and instantly killed two men Saturday morning who were walking on the track about two miles south of Monroe. Papers found by Coroner Mulholland on the person of one of the men identified him as one John Kilday, of Chicago, Ill., a cigar-maker by trade and a deaf mute. The other man had nothing on his person by which he could be identified. They were perhaps 25 years old. Both were horribly mangled.

A new order on the Michigan Central road compels all baggagemen to wait until the passengers have alighted before loading baggage, and then approach from the direction from which the train has arrived, thus avoiding all accidents and reducing the danger of being run down by trucks.

C. F. Patterson is now up-town agent for the D. & L. N. as well as the T. & M. R. R. (formerly C. J. & M.) and the office is at the Lilley House. This is a great convenience to all who patronize the road.

Several gangs of men are at work ballasting the D. & L. N. track between Tecumseh and Adrian, and it will only be a question of a short time when the road bed will be in fine condition.

During the summer season the D. & L. N. will make a rate of one dollar for the round trip from Tecumseh to Detroit every Sunday. Tickets good on date of sale only.

The latest in the line of R. R. gossip is that the D. & L. N. will build from Dundee into Detroit, but have not as yet decided what road will be used as a terminal.

D. W. Caldwell, president of the Lake Shore Railroad, died at his home in Cleveland, Ohio, Tuesday afternoon of rheumatic gout, after a week's illness.

Conductor Wm. Lockard, of the D. & L. N. local freight, has rented a part of P. J. Welling's residence on Chicago street and will move his family here.

The through freights with their 90-ton engines are again running over the D. & L. N. between Tecumseh and Adrian. Sink hole is all right.

W. A. Peters, traveling passenger agent of the Ohio Central, who resides in Detroit, visited his brother, E. J. Peters, yesterday.

The Lima Northern sink hole has sunk out of sight, it is hoped for all time to come, and trains are running regularly.

D. & L. N. train No. 40 stopped at Ridgeway Thursday to take on two excursionists who were determined to go to Detroit.

Superintendent G. R. Haskell and Travelling Freight Agent Ollie Hunt were in Tecumseh Wednesday.

E. W. Hines, of the freight department of the D. & L. N., was in town on business Wednesday.

Section Boss Haley is moving his family to Tecumseh from Oak Shade, O.

The C. J. & M. is no more. Toledo & Milwaukee is now the name.

Will Tecumseh Bite?

White House, Lucas county, O.

EDITOR HERALD:

Christian Greetings!

I have something in my possession which should belong to your town and you wonder, no doubt, what it is. It is the powder horn of old Chief Tecumseh. It came into the hands of Asa Benton in 1776; Christopher Woodbridge, 1830; Abraham C. Benton, 1833; Stephen Oldst, 1853; Elias Losecor, 1862; into my possession, 1886.

If the town of Tecumseh will pay me what it is worth, I will sell it as a relic into your museum.

Hope to hear from you.

Yours etc.,
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Eggs	8	10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Old Potatoes, per bushel		40
New Potatoes		1 00
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	to 4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	5	6
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	66	72
Corn, shelled	25	35
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	17	19
Hay, timothy, per ton	5 00	7 00
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		65
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal, per 100		70

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The following ladies are now taking lessons over the above mentioned system and others are coming into our school daily: Misses Lena Titus, Amanda Pitbeam, Lillie Cook, Anna Gaston, Mary Lahn, Lena Hardenburg, Carrie Sawyer, Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. Henry Heesen, Mrs. L. C. Hayden and Mrs. A. J. Ware, all of whom live in Tecumseh. Our terms are easy and prices liberal.

This school is located in the Tindall property, corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets, Tecumseh, Mich., under the management of Mrs. E. E. Kinney, of Adrian, Mich. School hours are from 8 to 11 a. m. and from 1.30 to 5 p. m.

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SEH, MICH., JULY 23, 1897.

PECIAL NOTICES.

ENT.—An office in James block. In of Alfred James.

ALE OR RENT.—A cottage at Sand Enquire of S. P. HOSMER.

ENT.—A house with good well and rn and large garden for 75 cents per quire of A. W. SLAYTON.

Tansley's for your fruit cans.

tes with Parrish's insect pow-

& Co. pays cash for butter and

. W. Walker, of Adrian, was Wednesday.

d Rogers and Robbie, visited friends this week.

Emma Deterle, of Jackson, is Mrs. Comfort Chase.

Walker, of Elgin, Ill., visited in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Blanche Bigelow returned to e in Flint, Wednesday.

nd Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse, troit visitors the first of the

d Mrs. Ide, parents of Mrs. mple, arrived yesterday for a

July, Miss Daly will make photographs for 63 cents per

nd Mrs. Larry Herbison have and niece visiting them from

Sheldon has been in Detroit a day, and has enjoyed every the time.

Will Gray to have locks and ed and clothes wringers and repaired.

Williamson returned yesterday eastern trip. He visited the New England cities.

you can buy a pair of $3.50 tan od shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan 2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

e at the Lilley State Bank to rporation taxes every Friday F. D. AVERY, Treas.

makes the cheapest photos in y, only 25c for six and you can mes and have a photo for each.

McClure, of Toledo, joined his here Saturday, and has been the week among his friends.

et piano, drawn by a pony and lated by an Italian, was grind- music on the streets yesterday.

union service Sunday evening, held in the Opera House. Rev. udson will preach, special mus- be rendered.

& Hiteshu's midsummer clear- be, as every summer, a om knocked out of every ead all about it.

ox of nice toilet soap, 3 cakes t Parrish's.

t Chase, family and guests, and Lake Saturday, and re- three days. Result 21 bass, ich weighed over four pounds.

Mrs. Fred Aldrich and son in the families of Will Cut- d Henderson, of Adrian, Sun- vils Lake, for a week's out-

are expected tomorrow from Adrian, Lenawee Junction, nsted, Wolf Creek, Cambridge, Clinton, Milan, Dundee and

inel's, the ball team of De- h played our boys this after their date for yesterday can- came directly here. They ppearing young men, and eir stay here, made many ho will be pleased to have e again.

, tomorrow, from three to , the ladies will have an y to buy Onyx fast black cents per pair. Remember , as not a pair will be sold rice at any other time. Sea- iderson always fulfills every nent to the letter, and al- his seems a ridiculously low hese goods, the people may e genuineness of this sale.

th Cairns has severed his re- th Harris and Hiteshu, where een for years, and goes to t, where in connection with lson, a merchant with an estab- de, will embark in business. and household goods went His wife will go later. eir large circle of friends are ave them go, the best wishes their prosperity accompany

ue Ribbon meeting, at De- h closes today, has been the sstul ever held by this asso- A representative of the HER- resent Monday and Tuesday, strong desire to remain un- lose. The races have been resting, the horses evenly a large field of starters in ts, and low time made. No will prove the banner meet- season.

as M. Smith, one of Tecum- l known residents, who for ree or four years has been health, lay down life's bur- nesday morning, July 21st. orn at Hanover, Chautauqua Y., October 31st, 1838 and ied to Mr. Smith Dec. 25th, r children were born to them om are living. Mrs. S. W. t this place, and William A. She was a valuable mem- Methodist church. The fun- held at the home at 3 p. m. to J. P. Varner officiating.

Fruit cans cheap at Tansley's.

Will Gaston was in Detroit Tuesday.

Prescriptions a specialty at S. E. Parrish's.

Mobbs & Co. sells the best 25c coffee in town.

Eleanor Goff is spending the week at Holloway.

Rev. and Mrs. Hudson returned home from Jackson Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Paxon is expected from Piqua, Ohio, next Monday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Beamish has gone to Albion for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, of Deerfield, are in Tecumseh today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith are entertaining friends from abroad.

Miss Emily Guiwits, of Ypsilanti, is visiting at Mrs. Abbie Fisher's.

Edna and Vesta Kies, of Elkhart, Ind., are visiting Tecumseh relatives.

Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff and children, returned from the North Thursday.

Miss Lizzie Russell left yesterday for Cheboygan to spend the summer.

Chas. Doty, of Detroit, is visiting relatives in Tecumseh and Franklin.

Good oak wood $1.25 a cord.
TECUMSEH COAL & LUMBER CO.

Walter Burnett returned yesterday from a week's outing at Wolff's Lake.

Ladies, you can buy an elegant summer corset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Floy Freeman is home from a two weeks' visit with friends at Ann Arbor.

Miss Hattie McDougal and Mrs. Frank Brown, of Clinton, were in town yesterday.

S. W. Temple, who has been quite ill, is able to be at his place of business again.

Chas. Heck and wife, entertained Will Hulburt and wife of Adrian Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Sisson, of Battle Creek, was the guest of Miss Eva Elliott, Tuesday.

The families of Henry, Abner and Andrew Wilson are picnicing at Sand lake today.

Mrs. Nellie Snedicor and son Fred, of Ypsilanti, are visiting her mother, Mrs. John Werner.

P. V. Woodward, of Detroit, has joined his family here and will visit among friends.

All persons owing Mrs. M. A. Freeman are requested to call and settle as soon as possible.

Miss Hattie Hurry arrived from Ann Arbor Tuesday for a visit with her young lady friends.

Mrs. John S. Campbell has returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Gray.

The Misses Kirchgessner, of Clinton, are spending a few days at Mrs. Arnold's, on Logan street.

Mrs. H. T. Martin, of Chicago, arrived in Tecumseh yesterday, and will visit relatives here and in Clinton.

Miss Whitenack had a night blooming cerus unfold last evening, which was greatly admired by those who saw it.

Mesdames M. A. and John Freeman, Mrs. Prince and Edna and Vesta Kies rusticated at Sand Lake Wednesday.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Misses Iva and Vena Elliot, left for Homer and Quincy, to spend the summer visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Louchelle Hinsdell, who has been the guest of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy, returns to her home in Elgin tomorrow.

Sticky and poison fly paper at S. E. Parrish's.

John Swarts, who visited his uncle John Mahany, returned to his home in Worster, Ohio, the last of the week.

The Detroit races have set people wild for this kind of sport and a large crowd will see the races here tomorrow.

Mesdames E. R. Smith, J. B. Wells and L. W. Kimball, of Clinton, were guests of Mrs. B. P. Anderson Wednesday.

Miss Lena Baker, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Whiting. Miss Etta Baker returned to Detroit last week.

Aunt Laura Haviland, as she is commonly called, visited her niece, Mrs. D. P. Anthony, and other friends the last of the week.

Dr. Jennings, of Ann Arbor, has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Burridge for several days. He is en route home from Europe.

Dr. and Mrs. Nixon, of Holloway, Milo Dole and family, of Adrian, and R. J. W. Bowen and family were at D. P. Anthony's Wednesday.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. B. Smith next Wednesday at 3 p. m. sharp.—Sec.

We have received a new lot of baby-carriages, and are going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Ralph Samsen wheeled over to Ypsilanti Wednesday, to meet Floyd Williamson on his return from Canada, but missed him, he coming via Manchester.

The Baptist young people gave a lawn party at the residence of Mrs. Fisher last evening. The place was beautifully decorated with Chinese lanterns and many colored lights.

John Gillen, of Saline, who once lived here and has hosts of friends, was in town last Saturday and again yesterday. He was accompanied by Martin Reynolds of Ann Arbor.

The fire department was called out yesterday morning in response to an alarm, caused by a fire in N. M. Sutton's hay field, directly south of town. Little damage was done, only a few cocks of hay being consumed.

Fine stationary at Parrish's.

Mrs. A. Case is at Clinton, nursing.

Why not try Mobbs' 50c tea. It is fine.

Harry Marsh—little boy—happy man—all well.

The best quality of fruit cans at Tansley's.

Mrs. J. Mahaney is visiting friends at Worster, O.

Mrs. E. B. Wood returned from Ann Arbor Monday.

Tom McCann was the guest of Jackson friends over Surday.

Mrs. J. A. Flick, of Ravana, O., is visiting at H. W. Steven's.

Lamont C. Bidwell attended the Detroit races Monday and Tuesday.

Ed. McClure, of Toledo, has been spending the week with his people.

Try some of our new perfumes.
S. E. PARRISH.

Miss Maggie Osborne, of Saginaw, is visiting her cousins, Carrie and Mame.

All summer goods at less than manufacturers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Geo. Chidester, of Lansing, was calling among his friends here over Sunday.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

M. L. Root started Tuesday for Jackson and will make a trip through the East.

There will be rare sport at the matinee tomorrow. Be there to enjoy it yourself.

Marshall Doolittle will sing a baritone solo at the Episcopal church Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. W. Slayton and Ethel left yesterday for a ten days' visit with Jackson friends.

Mrs. J. E. Newbern arrived Saturday and will remain several weeks with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Robbins.

Remember, Parrish gives a ticket with each cigar and when you get six tickets he gives you a cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. McClure left Tuesday to visit Toledo, Detroit and Niagara Falls on their way home.

The Tecumseh Coal and Lumber Co. quote some remarkably low prices on standard goods in their this week's ad.

W. H. Bliss and mother, who have been visiting Tecumseh relatives, left Wednesday for their home in Aurora, Ill.

The Lenawee County Soldiers' and Sailors' Association will meet this year in Blissfield Tuesday, August 10th, at 10 a. m.

Miss Mattie McClure returned from Toledo yesterday, accompanied by her friend, Miss Ruth Geddes, who will make a two weeks' visit.

Mesdames S. Howell, H. Taylor and E. J. Shepard, of Adrian, were guests of Mrs. F. B. Wood Tuesday. They came over on their wheels.

Rev. C. M. Brown, S. E. Parrish, Alva Spayde, E. L. Waldo, Al VanWinkle, Will Osborn and the Blesing Bros. spent Tuesday at the lakes fishing.

Miss Maggie Ebbitt, of Clinton, was the guest of Mrs. James McCann Saturday and Wednesday morning she and Mrs. E. M. Cooley came down on their wheels reaching here at 6 a. m.

Robbie Black, little son of Mary and the late Patrick Black and nephew of Mrs. Sam'l McClure of this place, died of congestion of the spine July 15th, at his home on Abbott street, Detroit.

On the sixth page of this issue of the HERALD, will be found the full text of the new tariff bill as agreed upon by the conference committee and passed by the house. It will no doubt become a law before another week.

Mrs. J. D. Shull, accompanied by her daughters, Viola and Edyth, and Mrs. E. S. Tate, of Clinton, started Wednesday for a little trip. They went to Detroit where they were joined by Winnifred DeWolf and from there by boat to Cleveland. They expect to return the first of the week.

It has been reported that Walter L. Heck has rented the "Arnold" bakery and would start business August 1st. Inquiry reveals the fact that no arrangements have as yet been made and that there is nothing certain about Mr. Heck coming back to Tecumseh.

The HERALD is informed that one of the most successful grain buyers in Michigan will commence taking in grain at Tecumseh within a week, and that shipping arrangements have been perfected, so that there will be no better grain market, than in Tecumseh.

The racing matinee tomorrow will be a "cracker jack." Already in the tandem bicycle race there are five entries. The 3:00 and 2:40 classes will have many starters and the free-for-all trot or pace will be hotly contested, while the foot race and bicycle races will be more interesting than ever.

Bert Day, Floyd Williamson and Clare Brazee, who attended the Epworth League convention at Toronto, Canada, are home again. Clare returned by rail Tuesday night and the others Wednesday on their wheels. They while gone visited Buffalo and Niagara Falls and report a delightful trip.

We are glad to note that the State Agricultural Society, which has been reported as being too much embarrassed with indebtedness to be able to hold a Fair in 1897, has emerged from its cloud and has made such settlement with its creditors as to put it on its feet again. The society has held forty-seven annual fairs, and has been of great service to the state in agricultural and industrial lines. Its exhibitions have always been creditable and full of interest. The Fair goes to Grand Rapids this year, where there are fine grounds, good transportation and an attractive city with plenty of accommodations for exhibitors and visitors. Our readers should remember the date, Sept. 6th to 11th, and make a point to attend and help sustain this very useful society.

Wilbur Taylor, of Toledo, is a guest of his cousins, the Garlinghouse Bros.

Will Caldwell, who has been spending his vacation at home, returns to Toledo Monday.

Squire Wightman has been incapacitated for work this week, owing to being knocked down Friday by Earl Burtless and his bike. He has had but little use of one arm and was badly shaken up. Bicyclists should be careful how and where they ride. In this instance there was no excuse for the collision.

Seventy-five tickets were sold here—33 at the Lilley House and 42 at the station—for the Detroit & Lima Northern excursion yesterday. Among those going were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Heesen and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Phipps, Joseph Russell, wife and Lizzie, C. A. Slayton and family, A. W. Slayton, A. W. Mills and wife, Elbridge Hyde, Irve Kennedy, Mrs. Wm. Ide, Mrs. M. A. Crossman, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Zimmerman, daughters and Mrs. Sprague, Joseph Osborn and daughter Anna, Chas. A. Heck, wife and Willie, Gus Cummins, James Clark and family, A. Robt. Boyd, Geo. McGee, Daniel Frost, Don H. C. Bowen, Robt. Parrish, Frank Page and wife, Alfred James, P. S. McKinnon, Webb Anderson, Will J. Ingersoll, Harry Munger, Harvey Doty, Harry Richter, Rob. Lowry, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, Dr. W. A. Frost and family, Tom Adamson, wife and George, John Anderson, Mrs. L. I. Bidwell, Minnie and Edith Corey, Mrs. Hettie Brewer, and Florence, Mrs. C. Vedder, Newbold Satterthwaite, Robt. Orr, M. D. Green, Harlow Smith, Ralph Bidwell, Tecumseh; Florence House, W. D. VanTyle, Geo. W. Freese, Geo. Alexander, Geo. Tag, Clinton; Floyd Florance and Dr. Nixon, Holloway.

John W. Cook, Sr.,

Who for a long time has been a resident of Tecumseh, died at his home July 13th. He was born in Buffalo N. Y., May 22, 1827. When quite a young man, he like many others, thought to try his future in the west, came to Palmyra, Lenawee county. Here he first met Miss Jane Morseman, who afterwards became his wife. She, with four sons and three daughters, remain to mourn his departure. For many years he has been a familiar form upon our streets and in our vicinity. The work of his hands may be seen in many of the homes and public buildings of this and adjacent towns. But the hands once so busy, now silently rest. He united with the Baptist church in this place ten years ago last winter, and he was a regular attendant until failing health compelled his absence. He served his country in two wars, first the Mexican, and then in the rebellion. From wounds received in this service, he was ever after a sufferer, and as age advanced and strength failed his suffering at times became intense. He was a member of Beers Post, and by his comrades he was borne to his last resting place. He has fought his last battle, and rests in the eternal camping ground of earth's soldiers. His life work done, he lays his armour by, to await the last bugle call.

CARD OF THANKS.—We desire to express our appreciation and gratitude to the many friends and neighbors, who so kindly tendered their sympathy and rendered their service in our recent bereavement, occasioned by the death of husband and father.
MRS. J. W. COOK AND FAMILY.

BALL GAME.

A Close and Exciting Game.

The third game in the series for the county championship between Clinton and Tecumseh drew the largest attendance of the season and a prettier or more interesting game was never seen on the grounds. Both teams played gilt edged ball from first to last and the battery work of each club was on a par with the National League. Each team having a game to their credit, great interest centered in this particular one. Each club wanted it and did their utmost to win it. Each man kept his eye on the ball and fielded his position well while there were no phenominal plays. It was a clean and steady exhibition of playing that was most satisfactory to the friends of both teams. Although the home team were the victors, they had nothing to crow over and the Clinton team have no reason to feel sore. As far as ball playing is concerned the teams are evenly matched and this, like the former game, was lost to Clinton simply by their becoming rattled, not by superior playing.

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Clinton	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	5	1
Tecumseh	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	*	5	7	5

Left on bases—Clinton 5, Tecumseh 4. 2-base hits—Harmon, Lowe. Stolen bases—Harmon, Lowe, Rixom. Struck out—By Hines 9, Harris 12. Bases on balls—By Hines 3, Harris 2. Hit by pitched ball—Lowe. Passed balls—Gillen 2. Battery—Hines and Mallon, Harris and Gillen. Time 1:45. Umpire—Frink, of Ionia.

—Ladies the finest thing for tan or eruptions of the face, is Lemon Cream sold only by John J. Orr.

To the Farmers:

—I wish to say in reply to Mr. Mead's article of last week that I have never taken orders for fence for Mr. Mead, but sold machines for him on percentage so it is not necessary for Mr. Mead to become responsible for any of my business. I am prepared to furnish you either machines or fence at the lowest possible price and Mr. Mead need not become responsible for anything I do.
JOHN F. SOUTHWICK,
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Satterthwaite Bros.

NEW TARIFF BILL

Changes That Have Been Agreed Upon by Conference Committee.

The Differences Between the House and Senate Are Very Clearly Explained.

Mr. Dingley States the Amount of Revenue That Is Expected to Be Realized.

The Conference Bill as Passed by the House and Sent to the Senate.

Full Text of the Sugar Schedule—Analysis of the Whole Bill as Finally Agreed Upon.

Washington, July 20.—The tariff bill was pushed through the conference stage yesterday after two hours' discussion before the full conference committee—democrats and republicans. The democratic conferees offered amendments to the report, but were met with the statement that it would merely consume time to urge amendments, as they would be rejected.

Mr. Wheeler (dem., Ala.) offered amendments placing cotton bagging and cotton ties on the free list; also a substitute proposition for rebates on these articles. These and other amendments were withdrawn, however, as there was no prospect of favorable action on them.

Revenue Expected.

As to the question of revenue to be raised by the bill, Mr. Dingley, in his speech, pointed out the difficulty resulting from the large anticipatory importations. The bill next year, he calculated, would raise $225,000,000, $75,000,000 more than the present law. Over $40,000,000 had been lost in this year's revenues by the importations of wool and sugar and other things, the duty on which was raised in the bill, so that he calculated that the bill this year would raise $185,000,000.

New Sugar Schedule.

The full text of the sugar schedule as finally agreed upon by the house and senate conferees is as follows:

"Sugars not above No. 16 Dutch standard in color tank bottoms, strups of cane juice, melada, concentrated melada, concrete, and concentrated molasses, testing by the polariscope not above 75 degrees, .95 per pound, and for every additional degree shown by the polariscope test .035 of one cent per pound additional, and fractions of a degree in proportion; and on sugar above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, and on all sugar which has gone through a process of refining, 1.95 cents per pound; molasses testing above 40 degrees, and not above 56 degrees, 3 cents per gallon; testing 56 degrees and above, 6 cents per gallon; sugar drainings and sugar sweepings shall be subject to duty as molasses or sugar, as the case may be, according to polariscopic test. Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to abrogate or in any manner impair or affect the provisions of the treaty of commercial reciprocity concluded between the United States and the king of the Hawaiian islands on January 30, 1875, or the provisions of any act of congress heretofore passed for the execution of the same."

Duty on Sugar Cane.

The conference restored the house rate of 10 per cent. on sugar cane. Saccharine is made $1.50 per pound and 10 per cent. ad valorem.

The confectionery paragraph is changed to read as follows:

"Sugar candy and all confectionery not specially provided for in this act, valued at 15 cents per pound or less, and on sugars after being refined when tinctured, colored, or in any way adulterated, 4 cents per pound and 15 per cent. ad valorem; valued at more than 15 cents per pound, 50 per cent. ad valorem. The weight and the value of the immediate coverings, other than the outer packing case or other covering, shall be included in the dutiable weight and the value of the merchandise."

The republican conferees also made public a statement concerning the conference report in which it reviewed the changes made. Of sugar the statement says:

"The house differential between raw and refined sugars and the general features of the house schedule are preserved, and the senate amendments increasing the differential to one-fifth and providing for a reduction of one-tenth of the duty on raw sugars not above 87 degrees, which would have given a duty of 1.39 on 88 degree sugar and only 1.26 on 87 degree sugar, are not adopted.

Beet Sugar.

"In deference to the wishes of those interested in beet sugar production, that the senate rate of 1.95 cents on refined sugar might be retained as an increased encouragement to this industry, the duty on raw sugars is increased .07½ cents, so as to make the increase on them the same as the increase on refined sugar, and thus leave the differential between raw sugar and refined the same as in the house bill. And to meet the objection which has been urged that the house rates on low grade raw sugar show a higher ad valorem than those on the higher grades the duty on 73 degree sugar is reduced .05 cent and then the duty per degree increased regularly from .03 cent (as proposed in the house bill) to .03½ cent, in order to raise the duty on raw sugars the same as on refined.

"By this arrangement the duty on raw sugars of 100 degrees purity is raised from 1.75 cents (as proposed originally by the house) to 1.82½ cents, and the duty on refined sugar is raised from 1.87½ cents (as proposed originally by the house) to 1.95 cents, thus giving the same differential of .12½ cent between raw and refined sugar at this point as was originally given by the house.

"As this arrangement will increase the revenue over $2,000,000 and at the same time give additional encouragement to the production of sugar in this country, it is thought to be a desirable consummation."

Wool.

The changes in the wool schedule made in conference leave the duties on disputed items as follows:

Paragraph 354—The duty on wools of the first class, which shall be imported washed, shall be twice the amount of the duty to which they would be subjected imported unwashed; and the duty on wools of the first and second classes which shall be imported scoured shall be three times the duty to which they would be subjected if imported unwashed. The duty on wools of the third class, if imported in condition for use in carding or spinning into yarns, or which shall not contain more than eight per cent. of dirt or other foreign substance, shall be three times the duty to which they would otherwise be subjected. The conference restored the house rates on first and second class wool.

Paragraph 358—On wools of the third-class and on camel's hair of the third class, the value whereof shall be 12 cents or less per pound, the duty shall be four cents per pound.

Paragraph 359—On wools of the third class and on camel's hair of the third class the value whereof shall exceed 12 cents per pound the duty shall be seven cents per pound.

Paragraph 362—Shoddy, 25 cents per pound: on oils, wool extract, yarn waste, thread waste, and all other wastes, composed wholly or in part of wool, and not specially provided for in this act, 20 cents per pound.

Paragraph 365—On yarns made wholly or in part of wool valued at not more than 30 cents per pound the duty per pound shall be 2½ times the duty imposed by this act on one pound of unwashed wool of the first class; valued at more than 30 cents per pound, the duty shall be 3½ times the duty imposed by this act on one pound of unwashed wool of the first class; and in addition thereto, upon all the foregoing, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 367—On blankets and flannels for underwear, composed wholly or in part of wool valued at no more than 40 cents per pound the duty per pound shall be the same as the duty imposed by this act on two pounds of unwashed wool of the first class and in addition thereto 30 per cent. ad valorem; valued at more than 40 cents and not more than 50 cents per pound, the duty per pound shall be three times the duty imposed by this act on one pound of unwashed wool of the first class and in addition thereto 35 per cent. ad valorem.

On blankets composed wholly or in part of wool valued at more than 50 cents per pound the duty per pound shall be three times the duty imposed by this act on one pound of unwashed wool of the first class and in addition thereto 40 per cent ad valorem. Flannels, composed wholly or in part of wool valued at above 50 cents per pound shall be classified and pay the same duty as women's and children's dress goods, coat linings, Italian cloths, and goods of similar character and description provided by this act; provided, that on blankets over three yards in length the same duties shall be paid as on cloths.

Paragraph 370—On clothing, ready made, and articles of wearing apparel of every description, including shawls, whether knitted or woven, and knitted articles of every description made up or manufactured wholly or in part, felts not woven and not specially provided for in this act, composed wholly or in part of wool, the duty per pound shall be four times the duty imposed by this act on one pound of unwashed wool of the first class and in addition thereto 60 per cent. ad valorem.

Schedule on Carpets.

Paragraph 372 — Aubusson, Axminster, Moquette and Chenille carpets, figured or plain, and all carpets or carpeting of like character or description, 60 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 373—Saxony, Wilton and Tournay velvet carpets, figured or plain, and all carpets or carpeting of like character or description, 60 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 374—Brussels carpets, figured or plain, and all carpets or carpeting of like character or description, 44 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 375—Velvet and tapestry velvet carpets, figured or plain, printed on the warp or otherwise, and all carpets or carpeting of like character or description, 40 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 376—Tapestry Brussels carpet, figured or plain, and all carpets or carpetings of like character or description printed on the warp or otherwise, 28 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 377—Treble ingrain, three ply, and all chain Venetian carpets, 22 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 378—Dutch wool and two-ply carpets, 18 cents per square yard, and, in addition thereto, 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Wood.

The following was substituted for the paragraph on hewn timber:

"Timber hewn, sided, or squared (not less than 8 inches square), and round timber used for spars or in building wharves, one cent per cubic foot."

The paragraph relating to sawed boards and planks was amended by striking out the words "white pine" at $1 per 1,000 feet and by restoring the house rate on all the other items of the schedule, making the rates 50 cents per 1,000 feet for each side planed or finished, $1 for tongued or grooved, and $1.50 if planed on two sides and tongued and grooved. The legislative proviso to this paragraph inserted by the senate was changed so as to read as follows: "That if any country or any dependency shall impose an export duty upon saw logs, round manufactured timber, stave bolts, shingle bolts, or heading bolts, exported in the United States, or a discriminating charge upon boomsticks or chains used by American citizens in towing logs, the amount of such export duty, tax, or other charge, as the case may be, shall be added as an additional duty to the duties imposed upon the articles mentioned in this paragraph when imported from such country or dependency."

Fence posts are reduced from 20 to 10 per cent. ad valorem. The house rate of 30 per cent. ad valorem is restored on casks and barrels, sugar box shooks, etc.

The house rate of two cents per thousand and 15 per cent. ad valorem is restored on toothpicks, as is the house rate of 40 cents per thousand upon butchers' skewers.

Tobacco.

The conference accepted the senate rate and language on wrapper and filler tobacco, except that the rate on wrapper tobacco was made $1.85 per pound instead of $1.75. The house rate on imported cigars, cigarettes, etc., of $4.50 per pound and 25 per cent. ad valorem was restored.

The senate made the rate $4 per pound and 25 per cent. ad valorem. There were no other changes in the schedule on imported tobacco.

Silk.

The conference accepted paragraph 386 as amended by the senate with the addition of the words "or plush" before ribbons in the first line, making plush ribbons dutiable at $1.50 per pound, and 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Paragraph 387, relating to woven silk fabrics, was accepted as amended by the senate, except that the rate on cloth other than black dyed in the thread or yarn and weighted in the dyeing so as to exceed the original weight of the raw silk was changed from $2.25 per pound to $2.50 per pound, and that on cloth dyed or printed in the piece from $3.25 to $3.50.

Cotton.

Paragraph 391, relating to manufactures of silk, is changed so as to modify the description of jacquard figured goods by providing that they shall be "made on looms," and that they should be "dyed in the yarn and contain two or more colors in the filling." The rate is left at 50 per cent ad valorem.

Paragraph 302, in relation to cotton thread and carded yarn, was amended by the conference so as to provide that thread colored, bleached, combed, etc., so as to be advanced beyond the condition of singles by grouping or twisting of two or more single yarns, on all numbers exceeding 20, and up to 80, are made dutiable at one-quarter of a cent per number per pound, and on threads of the same class numbering 80 and above, three-tenths of a cent per pound per number. In the original house bill there was no division as to numbers, all being made dutiable at the rate of three-tenths of a cent per number per pound. The senate left the house rate of three-tenths of a cent on the first division, and provided an ad valorem of 50 per cent. on the second.

A portion of that part of paragraph 315 relating to plushes, velvets, etc., which was stricken out by the senate, was inserted, though in changed form. The insertion is a proviso to the effect "that corduroys composed of cotton or other vegetable fiber weighing seven ounces or over per square yard shall pay a duty of 18 cents per square yard and 25 per cent. ad valorem."

In paragraph 320 the senate amendments are all accepted, except that reducing the rate on cotton suspenders and braces from 45 to 40 per cent. ad valorem. The paragraph inserted by the senate (251½) providing for an additional duty of 10 per cent. ad valorem on all cotton yarns finer than No. 10 single and on all manufactures made of such yarns, was stricken out by the conference.

Agricultural.

Raw cotton, which the senate made dutiable at the rate of 20 per cent. ad valorem, was restored to the free list.

Paragraph 218, relating to cattle, as it passed the senate, was changed somewhat as to rates, $3.75 being fixed as the rate on cattle valued at not more than $14 per head, instead of $3.50, while a rate of 27½ per cent. ad valorem was fixed on cattle of a greater value, instead of 25 per cent. in the senate amendment.

The difference between the two houses on beans was compromised, being made 45 cents per bushel.

The duty on seeds not specially provided for was made 30 per cent., the senate rate being 25 and the house rate 40 per cent.

The paragraph in regard to packed fish was amended as fixed by the senate, so as to be made to apply specially to fish in packages.

Paragraph 261 was amended so as to specifically provide that fresh mackerel, halibut or salmon should be dutiable at the rate of one cent per pound, as well as the pickled or salted article.

Dried Fruits.

Paragraph 262 in regard to apples, etc., was amended so as to omit currants, and the house rate of 2 cents per pound on such dried fruits as apples, peaches, pears, and berries prepared in any manner was restored.

The grape paragraph was altered so as to require the payment of 29 cents per cubic foot "of the capacity of the barrels or packages."

Orange and lemon peels preserved and cocoanut meat, etc., were restored to the house rate of 2 cents per pound.

On pineapples the senate rate was retained.

On unshelled filberts and walnuts the house rate of 3 cents per pound prevailed, while on shelled filberts and walnuts the senate rate of 5 cents per pound was sustained.

The conference struck out the senate amendment providing for a duty of 2 cents per pound on dead game and game meats.

Paragraph 282, relating to cocoa, was amended by leaving out cocoanut oil.

Spirits and Wines.

The conference made but one change in the schedule relating to spirits, wines, etc., proper.

The senate rate of 30 cents per gallon on still wines containing less than 14 per cent. of absolute alcohol in packages was changed to 40 cents per gallon. The house rate was 60 cents.

The rates on mineral waters were compromised, being made 20 cents per dozen on pint bottles, 30 cents per dozen on quart bottles. House rate of 40 cents and the senate rate of 24 cents.

Chemicals.

The conference struck out the senate rate paragraph relating to tartrate of soda and potash and partly refined argols and restored the house paragraph.

There was a compromise on white lead at 2¾ cents per pound.

The house paragraph in regard to oxide of zinc and white paint was restored.

There was a general change of rates on lead, white acetate of lead being fixed at 3½ cents per pound, brown, gray, or yellow at 2¼ cents, nitrate at 2½, and litharge at 2¾ cents per pound. These were generally compromises between the rates of the two houses.

Phosphorus was compromised at 15 cents per pound.

The house rate on sulphur was restored. The senate made an amendment to the sulphur paragraph allowing crude brimstone to come in at 50 cents per ton, but the conference struck this out, including this article in the $8 rate, as originally fixed by the house.

Paper.

On mechanically ground wood pulp the house rate of one-twelfth of one cent per pound, dry weight, was restored.

The paragraph in regard to printing paper was entirely rewritten. As amended it is as follows:

"Printing paper, unsized, sized, or glued, suitable for books and newspapers, valued at not above two cents per pound, three-tenths of a cent per pound; valued above two cents and not above two and a half cents per pound, four-tenths of one cent per pound; valued between two and a half and three cents per pound, five-tenths of a cent; valued between three and four cents, six-tenths of a cent; valued between four and five cents, eight-tenths of a cent; valued above five cents, 15 per cent. ad valorem."

There is also a proviso exacting an additional duty of one-tenth of a cent per pound for each dollar of export duty per cord imposed by any country exporting wood pulp to the United States.

Lithographic Prints.

There are numerous changes in the paragraph relating to lithographic prints. The rates on such prints on paper not exceeding 8-1,000 of an inch in thickness is reduced from the senate rate of 25 cents per pound to 20 cents.

The next classification covers paper ranging from 35 to 400 square inches, fixing the rate at 8 cents per pound. For paper exceeding 400 square inches a rate of 55 per cent. ad valorem is fixed. The senate rate on prints is reduced from 10 to 8 cents and on lithographic from 9 to 6 cents.

"Books for children's use containing illuminated lithographic prints not exceeding in weight 24 ounces each, and all booklets and fashion magazines or periodicals, printed in whole or in part by lithographic process or decorated by hand, 8 cents per pound."

The senate rate of 20 cents per pack and 20 per cent. ad valorem fixed on playing cards was reduced to 10 cents per pack and 20 per cent. ad valorem.

Internal Revenue.

The internal revenue tax amendment relating to cigars and cigarettes made by the senate was changed to read as follows:

"On cigars of all descriptions weighing more than three pounds per 1,000, $3 per 1,000; on cigars made of tobacco or any substitute weighing not more than three pounds per 1,000, $1 per 1,000; on cigarettes made of tobacco or any substitute weighing more than three pounds per 1,000, $3 per 1,000; on cigarettes weighing not more than three pounds per 1,000, $1 per thousand."

The senate amendment providing for a tax on stocks and bonds was stricken out.

Metals.

The house rate of 8-10th of a cent per pound was restored on round iron of less than 7-16 of an inch in dismeter and bars or shapes of rolled or hammered iron not specially provided for.

The house rate on iron in slabs, blooms, etc., less finished than iron in bars and more advanced than pig iron was also restored.

The rate on iron bars, billets, etc., in the manufacture of which charcoal is used as fuel, was made specifically at $12 per ton.

In paragraph 127 the senate rate of 1 2-10 cents per pound on iron or steel anchors was increased to 1½ cents per pound, the house rate. The other amendments to the paragraph made by the senate were accepted.

Paragraph 129 reads as follows:

"Hoop or band iron, or hoop or band steel, cut to lengths or wholly or partly manufactured into hoops or ties, coated or not coated with paint or any other preparation, with or without buckles or fastenings, for baling cotton or any other commodity, 8-10 of a cent per pound."

Steel Rails.

On railway bars, T rails, and punched iron or steel flat rails the conference restored the house rate of 7-20 of a cent. On railway fishplates the senate rate of 4-10 of one cent per pound stands.

Paragraph 132 providing for an extra duty of 2-10 of a cent per pound on iron and steel sheets or plates, galvanized or coated, was allowed to stand, but was made to apply only to "zinc spelter or other metals, or any alloy of these metals."

The house rate of 2 cents per pound was restored on polished or planished sheets of iron or steel. On taggers' iron or steel, tinplates and terne plates the house rate of 1½ cents per pound was restored. The house receded from its proviso that the benefit of the drawback provision in section 24 shall not apply to articles manufactured in this country from imported tinplates, etc.

The conference amended the proviso to paragraph 136 relating to wire rods so as to make it read as follows:

"That all wire or steel rods which have been tempered or treated in any manner or partly manufactured shall pay an additional duty of one-half of one cent per pound."

There were several changes in the paragraph relating to iron and steel wire.

Changes in Cutlery.

In the paragraph relating to cutlery there was but one change from the senate schedule.

The conference made material changes from both the senate and house rates on shotguns, both in classification and rates of duty.

On wheels for railway purposes a compromise makes the duty 1½ cents per pound and 1¼ cents on ingots, blooms, etc. Aluminum, in crude form, was made dutiable at 8 cents and in plates at 13 cents per pound.

The rate on Dutch metal was made 6 cents per package of 160 loaves.

The language and rates of the senate amendments of the paragraph in relation to lead ore were accepted without change, but lead in pigs was made dutiable at 2¼ cents per pound, instead of 2 cents, as fixed by the house, and 2¼ cents as fixed by the senate.

The senate rates on mica were advanced, those on the unmanufactured article being fixed at 6 cents per pound and 20 per cent. ad valorem, those on cut mica at 12 cents per pound and 20 per cent. ad valorem.

The rate of 6 cents a pound on nickel, as provided by the house, was restored.

Earthenware.

The senate language in paragraph 88, relating to tiles, is retained, except that the requirements that the tiles shall be for floors and walls is stricken out. The house rates were restored on Portland, Roman and other cements.

Paragraph 91, relating to gypsum, was amended so as to read as follows:

"Plaster rock or gypsum, crude, 50 cents per ton; if ground or calcined, $2.50 per ton; pearl hardening for papermakers' use 20 per cent. ad valorem."

The paragraph relating to pumice stone was totally changed, the rate being made $8 per ton on the manufactured article and 25 per centum ad valorem on the unmanufactured.

The house paragraph relating to clays and earths was adopted, and the house rates on dried asphaltum and bitumen. On fuller's earth the rate was fixed at $1.50 per ton on the unmanufactured article and $3 per ton on that which has been manufactured.

The house rate on undecorated rockingham earthenware, paragraph 94, was restored.

In the next paragraph, relating to china, the house provision including clock cases, with or without movements, was restored, making the duty 60 per centum ad valorem.

The senate receded from its amendments to the rates on plain bottles, jars, etc.

Glass.

The paragraph (100) in regard to cut or ornamented glass bottles was not changed as to rates.

The conference restored the house rates and language on unpolished cylinder, crown and common window glass, but retained the senate rates and language on polished cylinder and crown glass.

In the paragraph (103) relating to fluted, rolled, ribbed, or rough plate glass the senate rates and language were retained except the house proviso to the effect "that all the above plate glass when ground, smoothed, or otherwise obscured shall be subjected to the same rate of duty as cast polished plate glass unsilvered."

The senate rates were retained on cast polished plate glass, both unfinished and silvered, as provided in paragraphs 104 and 105.

The house rate of 10 per cent. ad valorem, in addition to other rates chargeable on window, crown, cylinder, or plate glasses where those glasses are bent, ground, frosted, etc., is reduced to 5 per cent.

The conference adopted the senate amendments in paragraph 108 relating to spectacles, eyeglasses, etc., with one exception.

Paragraph 112, relating to stained or painted glass windows, remains practically as left by the senate.

The two houses compromised the rate on freestone, granite, sandstone, unmanufactured or undressed, making it 12 cents per cubic foot.

Flax.

The thread paragraph (330) is a compromise between the two houses, making a duty of 13 cents per pound on threads made from yarn not finer than five lea or nummer, and three-fourths cent per pound additional for each lea or number in excess of five made from yarn finer than five lea or number.

There is also a change in the next paragraph, relating to single yarns in the gray, reducing the senate rate on yarns not finer than 80 lea or number to 40 per cent. ad valorem, which is a compromise between the two houses.

Floor mattings, which are taken from the free list, where they were placed by the senate, are made dutiable at 3 cents per square yard where their value does not exceed 10 cents per square yard, and at 7 cents per square yard and 25 per cent. ad valorem where their value exceeds 10 cents per square yard.

Bags or sacks made from plain woven fabrics and bagging for cotton, gunny cloth and similar fabrics were taken from the free list and the language of the house practically restored in both instances. On bags the rate was made seven-eighths cent per pound and 15 per cent. ad valorem.

The senate rate on handkerchiefs was accepted.

Sundries.

There were comparatively few changes in the sundries schedule. The senate amendment on bituminous coals fixing the rate of 67 cents per ton was accepted without change.

The house rate of one cent per thousand on loose matches was restored.

The house rates on haircloth were restored.

The senate rates on jewelry were retained.

The house provision in regard to diamonds and other precious stones was restored.

Paintings, drawings and statuary were again made dutiable at 20 per cent. ad valorem.

Free List.

The following changes were made in the free list:

The provision allowing cattle, horses, sheep, or other domestic animals, straying or driven across the boundary line of another country for pasturage purposes, to be brought back free of duty is modified so as to continue this privilege for the specified time of six months.

The conference restored to the free list the house paragraph on books and engravings imported by authority of the United States for the library of congress.

The paragraph relating to the free introduction of books, libraries and reasonable furniture of persons from foreign countries was altered so as to provide that where they were not introduced for sale they were to be allowed free entrance where they had not been so used for less than one year.

The conference restored the house provision on camphor.

The following is the paragraph agreed upon on anthracite coal in the free list:

Anthracite Coal.

"Coal, anthracite, now especially provided for in this act, and coal stores of American vessels, but none shall be unloaded."

Following is the paragraph agreed upon on coal tar in the free list:

"Coal tar, crude pitch of coal tar, and products of coal tar known as dead or creosote oil, benzol, etc."

The conference restored raw cotton to the free list.

The paragraph in regard to the free admission of fish caught by American fishermen was amended so as to include salmon on the free list, which were especially excepted by the senate bill, and as agreed upon reads as follows:

"Fresh fish, frozen or packed in ice, caught in the great lakes or other fresh waters by citizens of the United States."

On hide cuttings the house paragraph was restored.

Manganese ore was restored to the free list, as was cocoanut oil.

The house phraseology of the paragraph in regard to ores of gold, silver, etc., was restored, which has the effect of making free nickel and nickel matte.

The senate amendment making free paintings, drawings and statuary was also stricken out.

Reciprocity.

The reciprocity provision, as agreed to by the conference, contains some of the features of both the senate and the house bills on this subject.

It also contains some retaliatory measures. It sets forth its purpose to be that of "equalizing the trade of the United States with foreign countries exporting to this country the following articles:

"Argols, or crude tartars, or wine lees crude; brandies or other spirits manufactured or distilled from grain or other materials; champagne or all other sparkling wines; still wines and vermuth; paintings and statuary."

The president is authorized to enter into negotiations or commercial agreements in which reciprocal concessions may be secured in favor of the products of the United States. He is empowered to suspend by proclamation the duties upon these articles whenever equivalent concessions may be obtained, as follows:

"Argols, 5 per cent. ad valorem."

Brandies or other grain spirits, $1.75 per gallon.

Champagne in bottles containing one quart, $5 per dozen; containing one pint, $3 per dozen; containing one-half pint, $1.50 per dozen; containing more than one quart, in addition to the $6 rate, $1.90 per gallon.

Still wines and vermouth, 35 cents per gallon, and other rates in proportion where the goods are bottled.

Paintings, etc., 15 per cent. ad valorem.

The president is empowered to revoke the concession when satisfied that the agreement is not adhered to in good faith by any other country with which an agreement shall have been made.

Retaliatory Clause.

What may be termed the retaliatory clause of the provision is that which empowers the president to suspend by proclamation the provisions of this act providing for the free introduction of coffee, tea, Tonquin, or tonka beans, and vanilla beans coming from any country which imposes duties upon products of the United States he may deem to be reciprocally unequal and unreasonable. The rates which he is thus empowered to fix are:

On coffee, 3 cents per pound; on tea, 10 cents per pound; on tonka beans, 50 cents per pound; on vanilla beans, $2 per pound; on cuts, $1.

The president is required to act within two years in securing these reciprocal trade treaties, and they are to be submitted to the senate for its ratification. Articles are to be reduced to the extent of 20 per cent. in these treaties, and the president is specifically authorized to enter into negotiations which will place certain articles upon the free list for a specified period of five years.

WAS A "LEEMISH" CAR.

The Owl-Car Passengers Finally Found Out.

He seemed painfully conscious of the ludicrous figure he cut as he burst through the wildly flapping curtains of a north-bound, all-night car and scraped himself into a seat which had been neglected by the other occupants on account of the sea of moisture which it contained. His face was belligerently red and his widely-staring eyes, anticipating with maniacal vigilance any tendency to laughter which his appearance might provoke, blazed forth a challenge to the entire car and successfully dispelled the rising spirit of jocundity.

The night was the most tempestuous of the present season, and in order to escape the gusts of wind and water that assailed the car from every direction some of the "owls" had gathered in the aisle, while others had perched upon the backs of seats, and some had opened up their umbrellas. The conductor, with an air of intrepidity born of a familiarity with situations of the kind, passed to and fro among the passengers collecting nickels. He was an ideal "owl" conductor, bristling with a sense of his importance, and ostentatiously indifferent to the comfort and convenience of his guests.

"Ez ish leemish ghar?" asked the late wild-eyed arrival as the despot jolted past.

The unintelligible gibberish met with no response. Another block was passed before the street car magnate came forward.

"Ez ish leemish ghar?" was repeated somewhat petulantly by the Swede—for he was now discovered.

Everyone but the autocrat seemed buried in an effort to translate the jargon, and some even ventured so far as to turn an inquiring eye upon the speaker. But the glances were quickly withdrawn, for the glitter of implacable hostility in those wild eyes had become intensified. Several more blocks elapsed.

"Ez ish leemish ghar?"

And this time the potentate had stopped close by to take a fare.

"What?" snarled the latter, with scornful intonation.

"Ez ish leemish ghar?"

For a moment there was a reflective pause—his majesty was thinking.

"Limits car? Yes."

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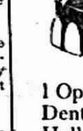

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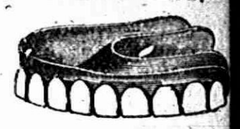

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Clinton	7 22 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 35 "	3 05 "	3 05 "
Ar	8 15 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Lv	15 45 "	6 20 "	
Ar	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 25 "

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Lv	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Clinton	7 45 "	7 50 "	
Manchester	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Farwell	9 00 "	9 29 "	7 38 "
Macon	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 10 "
Tecumseh	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
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" 5,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
" 1,	Passenger	6:46 p. m.

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	No. 40.	No. 41.	No. 43.	No. 45.
	P. M.	P.M.	A.M.	A. M.
Lv.	† 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
Tecumseh	† 7 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
Clinton	† 7 55	6 45	10 48	5 00
Adrian	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
T. S. & M. S. Ry.				
Lv.			2 30	8 30
Tecumseh			4 50	10 30
Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P.M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	No. 40.	No. 42.	No. 44.	No. 48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 35		† 12 40
Tecumseh	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
T. S. & M. S. Ry.				A.M.
Ar.		11 30	5 15	
Tecumseh		9 25	3 00	
Lv.		5 10	10 30	
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Spiders as Pets.

Ladies are not generally popular spiders with either sex. Yet a lady writer affirms that they can be made the most little pets in the world." She says how she collected a common garden spider and kept the sweet lady in a glass tumbler for three weeks. She watched her "building her house of fine silk" and raising a family, and, finally, the writer, "she soon learned to take flies from my hand and drink water from a leaf which I gave her fresh every day." There are, indeed, according to this lady, few things so agreeable as a spider, whether regarded as an object, a thing of beauty, a slayer of flies or a household pet.

Salaries of Rulers.

The "divine right of kings" does not prevent them from asking and obtaining good salary for the work they do. The king has to eat, and in order to eat he must have money. Usually they get enough salary to make life secure. The czar gets $25,000 every year, the sultan $18,000, the emperor of Austria only $10,000, and Emperor William $2,000 less. Queen Victoria has $35,000 to spend every week, while her son spends as much, although his income is less than half that sum.

MEDITERRANEAN HOUSE RENTS.

Highest at Gibraltar and Lowest on the Island of Malta.

In no place on the surface of the globe is rent so high as at Gibraltar, the reason being, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, that the geographical position of the town precludes the possibility of its being extended in any direction. A long, narrow strip of what was once sea beach is alone available for building purposes. All the rest is precipitous rock.

Upon this narrow parapet, in some cases less than 100 yards in width, are crowded the homes of 25,000 people. As much as ten dollars a week is asked and obtained for the use of one small room, and this, too, in a place where the normal rate of wages is quite ten per cent. less than in America. Naturally, the overcrowding is fearful, and, the water supply being scarce and intermittent, cleanliness of living, as we understand it, is almost impossible.

No wonder that in the old days the plague and the cholera ravaged the "rock" with a virulence unknown in the filthy and pestilential cities of the far east.

In Malta, on the other hand, house rent is ridiculously cheap. Anywhere outside of Valetta an excellent seven-room house can be had for $15 a year, while rates and taxes are unknown. The houses are built entirely of the cream-colored stone of which the island is composed, and which is so soft that it can be cut with a saw into blocks or slabs of any desired size or shape. So, while the Maltese builder is digging up his foundation, he is, at the same time getting out the material for his walls, his flooring and his roof.

WORKED AN OLD TRICK.

The Deaf and Dumb Man Had to Speak.

"In my time," said a broker to his friends at Delmonico's the other day, according to the New York Times, "I have observed many sad and touching scenes, but never one which affected me as much as the one I witnessed last week.

"Passing along a busy thoroughfare, I paused for an instant in order to read and reflect upon the miseries of a man who bore the legend 'Deaf and Dumb,' picturing to myself my own condition under like circumstances, when the following remark somewhat startled me:

"'Say, Jimmie, here's a poor deaf and dumb man. Father gave me five cents to spend, but I think I'd rather give it to him. He needs it more than I do.'

"This was followed by the chink of a coin in the tin cup.

"Instinctively I turned to the boy who had made this remark to his companion and said:

"'Noble boy, I overheard your generous words. You shall not want for the money. Here is a dime.'

"With a curtsey and 'Thank you, sir,' he fled.

"I turned to the deaf and dumb man. The muscles of his face seemed to be working to a degree rarely seen on a man bereft of those important senses. Unable to contain himself longer, he blurted out:

"'Say, you're dopey. That kid has worked that racket before. That fi-pence is made of lead!'

"I went home and communed with myself."

CUPID IN JAIL.

A Reminiscence of a Sly Courtship Years Ago.

"Cupid is no respector of persons or places," says a member of a well-known Washington family, according to the Star, "for while 'love laughs at locksmiths,' Cupid, to my knowledge, has made himself felt behind prison bars. Do you remember the old Washington infirmary, which stood behind the courthouse? Well, that was the jail in old times—from 1804 to 1838. In those days there was imprisonment for debt, and quite a handsome young man, unable to meet his obligations, became a prisoner. The jailer lived in part of the building, and his family included a pretty daughter. Cupid set to work, and the bars were no obstacle. In a little while looks betrayed Cupid's conquest. One day, while on the street—debtors being allowed to go outside, but not beyond the prison bounds—they met, had a talk which ended in the procurement of a marriage license, engagement of a minister and the marriage. They returned to the jail, and telling what they had done, the father gave the son-in-law a job as assistant jailer, thus enabling him to pay the debt, and when he died the son succeeded him."

LAUNDRESS TOOK THE HINT.

Made a Buttonhole Large Enough for the Soldier's Improvised Button.

The private soldiers' washing at a home station is usually done by the married soldiers' wives, who are expected to sew on missing buttons and do general repairs. Patrick McGinnis, says the Troy Times, had a good deal of trouble with his laundress. Sunday after Sunday had his shirt come back with the collar button off or else hanging by a thread. He had spoken to her on the subject, and she had promised to see to it, but still the buttons were always missing. One Sunday he got out of patience when a missing button had made him late for church parade. "Bad luck to the woman!" he exclaimed. "Begorra, I'll give her a hint this time, anyhow!" He then took the lid of a tin blacking box about three inches in diameter, drilled two holes in it with a fork and sewed it on the shirt, which he sent to be washed. When his washing came back he found his laundress had taken the hint. She had made a buttonhole to fit it!

Belgium's Forests.

Little Belgium has several first-class fortresses; Antwerp, and the fortified towns of Dendermonde and Diest, on the Meuse, Liege, Huy and Namur, and on the French frontier, Mons, Tournay and Ypres.

WOMEN LIVE LONGER.

More Centenarians Among Women Than Among Men—Why Is It So?

A report from the office of the registrar-general of England shows that there are more female than male centenarians, says the Baltimore Sun. Out of 1,000,000 people 225 women reach the age of 100 years, while only 82 men round out the century. Now, the great conundrum which is proposed is: Why is this so? According to the popular superstition, it takes much longer for a woman to reach even the age of 50 than it takes for a man to reach that age. If this is true, it makes the showing all the more remarkable. It has even been asserted that association with women makes a man live longer, as shown by the fact that the average life of the married man is longer than the average life of a single man. The fact, however, is denied by the endmen at the minstrels, who says that the life of the married man is not really longer, but only seems so.

So far there is no satisfactory explanation of the original proposition why more women live to be 100. Some say it is because women are less addicted to tobacco and strong drink, others say that it is because it is more healthy to spend money than it is to earn it, and so on. It may be many of the men who would live to be 100 are killed at an early age in casualties to which women are not exposed. It may be that tight lacing is a life preserver, and it may be not a fact, after all. Possibly the English registrar-general may be mistaken. The situation is replete with possibilities.

FAR-SEEING FATHERS.

Planned the Capital at Washington for the Nation's Future Greatness.

Our great-grandfathers had some idea of the future grandeur of this country when they planned the great capitol building at Washington, for, although this magnificent structure is one of the noblest public buildings in the world, there is reason to believe that its plan is, in the main, what was projected by Washington and his coadjutors, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The old north wing was founded by Washington in 1793 and finished in 1800; the old south wing was founded in 1511 and very soon after completion both were burned by Ross and the British troops. Between 1817 and 1827 the edifice was rebuilt, and the new extensions, forming the present chamber of the house of representatives and of the senate, were begun in 1851, the house moving into its new quarters in 1857 and the senate not until 1859. The dome was erected between 1856 and 1865. The length of the capitol building is 751 feet and 4 inches, its breadth from 121 to 324 feet, it covers 153,112 square feet; from the base line to the top of the statue its height is 287 feet and 11 inches. It cost over $13,000,000.

MINED DURING HARD TIMES.

Total Value of Minerals Dug Out in This Country During 1896.

The annual supplement of the Engineering and Mining Journal shows that the total amount of the mineral and metal production of the United States in 1896 was $751,732,782, an increase over 1895 of $18,791,264.

In gold the total production was $58,660,637, or $11,830,437 more than 1895.

The production of silver was 56,222,322 fine ounces or 9,891,087 ounces more than the previous year.

The pig iron production was 8,623,127 long tons, a decrease of 821,801 tons.

Coal production amounted to 187,373,477 tons, being 1,922,167 tons less than 1895.

The production of copper was the largest ever reported, being 467,822,973 pounds, or 81,350,000 pounds increase.

The production of lead was 174,792 tons; of spelter, 77,637 tons; of quicksilver, 833,480 flasks: of alum, 77,700 tons; of cement, 8,487,265 barrels, and of salt, 13,354,573 barrels.

The production of gold, silver, copper and pig iron is greater than that of any other country in the world, and that of coal is exceeded only by Great Britain.

An Important Omission.

At a prayer meeting recently held in one of the churches not a thousand miles from Utica there was manifested a desire on the part of some of the participants to praise themselves. One man, says the Utica Observer, even went back to the days of his boyhood to show how good he had been even at that time. He said that one day, while walking along a country road, he suddenly discovered in one of his pockets a dollar belonging to his employer, which he had neglected to turn over to the latter. With crushing force the thought came to him that his employer would miss the dollar and believe him to be dishonest. Overcome by that thought he sat down by the roadside and wept. There the story ended. Those who heard the pathetic narrative were deeply moved, and one of the women present subsequently told her young son about it, probably with the intention to produce a good effect upon the youthful mind. But the youthful mind didn't seem to be impressed. The thoughtful boy remained silent for a few moments, and then he burst out with: "Say, ma, did the man tell whether he ever gave the dollar back?"

The Press in Japan.

Japanese journalism, says a missionary's wife, is a singular profession in many of its features. There is practically no such thing as freedom of the press in Japan. Whenever a newspaper publishes something unfriendly to the government it is suppressed, and the editor is sent to prison. The real editor is never imprisoned, though. Every newspaper has what the Japanese call a "dummy editor," and his sole duty is to go to jail every time the paper is suppressed for offending the mikado. Then the real editor changes the name of the paper, and keeps on publishing it. Dummy editors spend most of their time in prison.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 26th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Coryell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Addison Coryell, executor of the last will and testament and upon the estate of said deceased, alleging that the funeral expenses and debts of said deceased and the expenses of administration thus far incurred, have been fully paid, and praying that his final account may be allowed, and for such other order and decree as to this court shall seem proper.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss:

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 24th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 93 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links (7.70) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links (9.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 59 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 36-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 566 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 853 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence north along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 82-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line north 86¾ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48½ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 3 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of nor heast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 13-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 8th, A. D. 1897.

Odd Varieties of Matches.

Among the odd varieties of matches now in vogue are the "vestas," of which the splint is a waxed cord; "fusees" for lighting in a wind, with a short, thick stick tipped with a large mass of chlorate of potash composition, and "natural gas" matches, with a very long splint for lighting natural gas fires. In former days the manufacture of phosphorus matches was attended with great danger to the workmen from the fumes, which caused a decay of the bones of the jaw. Many persons were poisoned from carelessness in handling them, and numerous conflagrations occurred on account of the ease with which they were ignited. The "parlor match" had its origin with the manufacture, in 1848, of Schrotter's amorphous phosphorous. This product has neither odor nor taste, is not poisonous and does not take fire at ordinary temperatures.

—The completed mileage of railways in India, according to recent returns, is 19,724, and there are 3,600 miles under construction.

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Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

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HELPING HIM OUT.

How a Wife Ruined Her Husband's Story.

Crawley and his wife were at a dinner party the other night, observes the New York World, and Crawley, who had been waiting three-quarters of an hour for the opportunity, suddenly burst out with:

"That reminds me of a little story. I heard the other day about an absent-minded man who was going to take a bath one Saturday night and—"

"You are mistaken, my dear," said the wife of Crawley's bosom across the table in her calm yet firm voice. "It was not Saturday night, it was on Wednesday night. You always get it wrong when you try to tell the story; and I think that even a simple little story should be told correctly if at all, and you are so apt to get muddled on the main points of a story that I'd better help you out by telling the main points myself, which were that the man was very absent-minded and one night when he had filled his bath tub full of water preparatory to taking a bath, his head was so full of other things that what did he do but plunge right in without taking off any of his clothes! Those are the main points, and now you may go on with the story, Mr. Crawley."

And Crawley laughed lightly as he said: "I guess there is nothing left to tell; my dear," but the thoughts and strong desires that were hidden away in the secret recesses of his heart only Mr. Crawley knew as they went on their homeward way.

TWO WIVES.

One Given by the Church and One by the State.

Italy enjoys at the present moment the distinction of being the only civilized country in Europe where it is possible to commit bigamy without exposing one's self to any danger of punishment, says the New York Tribune. Since the constitution of the kingdom in 1870 the authorities have insisted that only a civil marriage is legally binding. On the other hand, the church refuses to recognize this form of matrimonial union as valid, and requires the faithful to go through the religious service, venting its displeasure on those who seek any civil sanction to their alliance. The government has repeatedly tried to secure the enactment of a law providing for the punishment of any priest who should have performed the religious marriage service without the latter having been preceded by a civil ceremony. But the vast body of the people in Italy are Catholic to the core, and would not tolerate any measure which had the appearance of encroaching on the rights of the church. The result is that to-day large numbers of unscrupulous people take advantage of the condition of affairs to have two wives, one in the eyes of the church and the other in the eyes of the civil authorities. And they can do this without the slightest danger of being called to account or of being punished.

Russia Threatens Turkey.

Berlin, July 20.—With the consent of the powers Emperor Nicholas telegraphed the sultan demanding immediate evacuation of Thessaly and threatening that otherwise Russian troops will cross the Turkish frontier.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., July 20 1897:

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On Sunday, July 25th, the Toledo & Milwaukee R. R. (C. J. & M. R'y) will run a special low rate excursion to Toledo and return. Special train will leave Tecumseh at 10:12 a. m. Fare 75c for the round trip. Tickets good returning on Monday, July 26th. New list of attractions at the Casino. For further information refer to hand bills or apply to agents.

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BUTCHER GOWNS.

And Gowns, Dusters, Coats and Sleeves in Various Occupations.

Butchers' gowns, which are made of cotton and linen, come often in all white, sometimes in blue check, often in material that is plaided off with lines on white ground. Sometimes the lines are all of the same color; sometimes lines of two or three different colors are woven into the fabric. There are many tasteful designs in the materials used for butcher gowns. Beef handlers wear usually a gown or duster made of a dark blue material, says the New York Sun.

Fish dealers wear a duster or gown of blue check. Grocer's dusters are made most commonly of blue linen, as are the dusters worn by druggists; they are sometimes made of a striped cotton material. The bartender wears a white duck coat, and there are white duck coats made for barbers.

There are aprons made in various styles, for butchers, bartenders, and others. Aprons are almost always white. Sleeves are sold for butchers made of white material, and also of material to match the gown. Straw cuffs are worn by many. Winter ulsters are made for butchers and others whose business or occupation may make them desirable.

There are tailors who confine their attention to the making and selling of butcher and other gowns, dusters and coats, and the aprons, sleeves and cuffs commonly worn with them.

"TEAR PITS" OF THE DEER.

Grounds for the Poets' Claims That a Stag Weeps.

Both the poets and the prose writers of imaginative or contemplative turn of mind have often alluded to the tears shed by stags and other wounded creatures of the deer family, says the St. Louis Republic. Shakespeare put it in this way in describing the injured stag:

The big round tears
Coursed one another down his innocent nose
In piteous chase.

There is, of course, more poetry than truth in these references to the actual shedding of tears by members of the deer family, yet it is a fact that such animals are provided with a curious set of organs, the action of which has given rise to the tear shedding belief. The organ in question is the lachrymal sinus or "tear pit," which is situated just below each eye. It is a kind of closed cavity, capable of being opened at the pleasure of its owner and which secretes a greasy, waxy fluid. When creatures provided with this curious organ get hurt or become enraged it has the effect of softening the waxy substance in the "tear pit." When so softened, it escapes as tears would and flows down over the nose and face.

The uses of this queer set of so-called lachrymal organs are not clearly understood by the zoologists.

AGREEABLY DISAPPOINTED.

He Thought She Was Begging, But She Merely Wanted the Mustard.

One of the richest men living, whose immense wealth makes him a target for poor people, has recently been in Paris and the way in which he repelled one of the applicants for his generosity is related like this, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch: On the opposite side of the hotel table sat a woman who had once been rich.

"Monsieur, you Englishmen are so chivalrous—so ready to assist those in distress."

"Yes," said the man of wealth, hesitating. He had heard that before and thought he knew what was coming next.

"Would you, with your usual generisity, do me a favor and a great kindness?"

"Yes, madam—that is, it depends somewhat—"

"Think well, monsieur, before you promise, for it is a great kindness."

It was the same old plea that he had heard many times before from people who wanted a loan.

"I am afraid, madam, that I shall have to—but what is it you wish?"

"Only that you would be kind enough, monsieur, to pass me the mustard. You have everything on your side of the table."

TWO TYPES OF THE SOUTH.

Early Settlers from England Leave Their Traces to This Day.

The two leading types of southern population are plainly the Virginian and the South Carolinian of the tidewater. For this fact there are both historical and physiographic reasons, declares the Atlantic. Virginia was the first and South Carolina the second southern colony to be settled by well-to-do Englishmen who desired to found permanent homes. The introduction of slavery and its application to staple crops speedily gave an aristocratic tone to society in both provinces, but between them, in North Carolina, and to the south of them, in Georgia, there were fewer wealthy settlers and no staple crops to speak of, so that from the first society in these provinces was more or less democratic in spite of slavery. Before, however, the gentry of the coast could expand and occupy the country lying between the Blue Ridge and the Alleghanies and beyond the latter range of mountains a very different sort of people had moved in and taken possession. Among these people, owing to their habits and the nature of their soil, slavery could take no strong hold, hence they remained democratic and distinct from their tidewater neighbors, as, indeed, they are to this day.

How Snakes Climb Trees.

A snake does not always climb a tree by winding around it. The smaller serpents use the ventral plates as hooks.

Dead Children in Spain.

The receptacles for dead children in Spain are coffins of pink, blue or gray tint, which are carried open to the grave.

A BUNCH OF LILACS.

BY CAROLINE LEROW.

ARTHUR NORTHRIDGE was discouraged. Sitting on the top of a broken-down stone wall, he looked over the rough pasture land to the little, weather-beaten house beyond, and decided that he had never been quite so much discouraged in all his life.

It had not been a very long life, it is true—only 14 years—but he felt that morning as if he had lived a great while and to very little purpose. He wanted so many things, and had so few! More than all else, he longed for an education, or, concluding that that word expressed too much for him, for a few books, at least. He could read, and think over what he read even, without a teacher; but he certainly could not read without books. As for buying any, that was an absurd idea, under present circumstances.

Arthur and his mother could hardly buy enough to eat, and had to pay interest, too, on the mortgage placed on the little house—a poor piece of property, but all Mr. Northridge had left when he died, six months before. Mrs. Northridge took in sewing for awhile, but the rheumatism in her hands was growing worse every day.

Arthur had worked at very small wages nearly all winter for a machinist in the village; but the machine shop had burned down and the machinist had moved away. To tell the truth, Arthur could not feel sorry about either of those occurrences, even though he tried from a sense of duty.

He positively loathed machinery. He loved birds and flowers as much as he hated wheels and lathes and gearing. Still, when the machinery stopped the money stopped also—that was the worst of it—and apparently no way in which he could earn more. He wished the words from one of the pieces in his old reading book would not keep going through his head in that monotonous manner:

"I'll find a way or make it!
I'll find a way or make it!"

He could do neither, he was sure. And so, what was to become of him and his mother?

"Oh, Morton! Morton! Look at that!"

Arthur gave a start, coming back in an instant from a visit to the great trees of California, and saw a carriage rolling by, which, in accordance with the wish of the lady who occupied it, drove to the stone wall.

She was not looking at Arthur, though her eyes were shining, and her lips parted in a sort of delight. Something on the ground had attracted her attention. Arthur looked in the same direction. A bunch of lilacs, which he had been holding in his hands during his long reverie, had fallen unawares, and the lady had seen it. He sprang down, picked it up and offered it to her.

"They're a good deal wilted," he said. "If you'll wait a minute I'll run home and get some fresh ones."

"No, indeed!" the lady replied, quickly.

She pressed the withered flowers against her cheek. There were tears in her eyes, though only a moment before she had certainly been smiling. Her husband was smiling then as he looked at her, seeming to understand her mood. He put his hand into his pocket, looked more closely at Arthur, hesitated, and withdrew it.

"My wife is not well," he explained, "and the lilacs remind her of her old home. She is very fond of them, and they'll help her more than medicine. It's the first time she's been able to drive out from the city. We are very much obliged to you."

Arthur only bowed. He was a little overcome by such a display of emotion over a simple bunch of lilacs—half-wilted, too—and watched the carriage with interest as it drove away.

A moment later a sudden idea occurred to him, in so perfect and practicable a shape that he did not even stop to consider it. He started off on a run to a house which stood near by, in a turn of the road.

Farmer Sanford was busy building a strip of fence.

"Will you please lend me your old Kate and the red wagon for the rest of the day, Mr. Sanford?"

"What?"

The old man could hardly believe his ears, which, perhaps, was not so strange after all, considering that he was gradually growing deaf.

"I'd like to hire it if I had any money," he went on boldly. "I'm going to try to make some, and if I do I'll pay you as soon as I get back. If not, I'll work it out on the fence. Will that do?"

Farmer Sanford heard plainly enough this time.

"That sounds more like business," he said, in his peculiar rasping voice. "I don't keep horses to lend, and old Kate isn't so young as she once was. Mind that when you're a-drivin' her."

Arthur's next trip was to his own home, a little further on.

"Mother, I've borrowed Mr. Sanford's horse and wagon, and I'm going to take a load of lilacs up to the city and try to sell them."

And while he spoke he cut away large clusters of them, putting them into a couple of pails of water he had placed in the wagon.

"Why, that's a crazy idea, Arthur!" his mother replied. "Paying money for lilacs! What made you think of such a thing?"

"I'll tell you when I get home, mother—after you've helped me count the money I'm going to bring with me."

And he laughed for the first time that day. He was too busy and too excited to explain just then.

Arthur's eagerness, combined with old Kate's infirmities, made the trip seem long to him; but he at last reached that part of the city where he had mentally decided to go into business.

Kate halted in a dejected attitude at the corner of one of the principal business streets. It was a street in which nothing was bought or sold but money. Great crowds of men surged in all directions over the sidewalks. Wagons and cabs filled up the space between. It was all roar and rush and rattle.

In the heart of it stood Arthur Northridge, in the old wagon with the lilacs.

"Holloa! My wife would like some of those. How much, youngster?"

And a hurrying man stopped short and handed Arthur a two-dollar bill.

"That's a whiff from my mother's front yard," exclaimed another man before Arthur had time to reply to the first one. "Give us a bunch, boy. I can't wait for the change."

And, flinging down a quarter, he seized a cluster of the flowers and rushed on again.

"I'm in a hurry, too," the first customer explained. "Don't keep me waiting."

And he held out his hand impatiently.

"But I can't change it, sir," Arthur replied. "I've just gone into business. Plenty of stock, but no ready money."

The gentleman laughed at the words, and looked at Arthur appreciatively.

"And I have nothing in the world but this one bill," he said, in his turn. "Plenty of money once. Made it all—easy—on this street. Lost it all—easy, too—in the same place. Keep out of it, boy, unless you come on this sort of business. But my wife shall have some lilacs, anyway."

He fumbled in his pockets, found a ten-cent piece, gave it to Arthur, and passed on.

By this time quite a group surrounded the wagon.

"Lilacs, five and ten cents!" This was the formula which Arthur had thought out for himself as he drove old Kate along, wondering if it could possibly be considered extortion to charge so much for what was to him so valueless. But he did not need to adopt this plan of calling attention to his wares. The sight of them was enough—so suggestive of the solitude and sweetness of the country—in the crowded, dusty, wearying city street.

When the last flower had been disposed of and old Kate was heading for home, Arthur had ample leisure in which to reckon up his profits—three dollars and fifty-five cents.

He could hardly believe it, and counted the money again and again till he proved the accuracy of the calculation.

"What am I to pay you for the horse and wagon?" was his first salutation to Farmer Sanford, as he drove into the yard. "I haven't fed her, for I had no chance."

"Had any dinner yourself?"

"Not a mouthful. I've been too busy."

Nothing could have so inspired old Farmer Sanford with respect and admiration for the lad as his willingness to go hungry for the sake of making a little money. In his vernacular, that was "su'thin' like."

"Well, considerin' as old Kate wouldn't have been doin' nothin' today, I suppose 50 cents would cover the damages."

Without volunteering any explanation, Arthur engaged the horse and wagon for the next day, and went home. He had a long story to tell his mother that night; and the next morning, taking all the lilacs that were on the place, he started off on his second trip to the city, selecting another corner this time, but on an equally busy street.

Fortune seemed as ready to favor him as on the preceding day, and sales were brisk for half an hour. At the end of that time, Arthur felt a hand on his shoulder, and looked up to see the gentleman who had met him by the roadside two days before.

"Gone into business, have you, my boy? How did this happen?"

He asked the question with great interest.

"Oh, sir!" Arthur answered, with animation, "it all came from the bunch of lilacs. I thought if the lady cared so much, other city folks might care, too, a little. At any rate, I thought I'd try and see what came of it."

"Was it necessary—that is, did you—did you—"

"We are very poor, my mother and I," Arthur replied, without waiting for the completion of the question. "I don't know what will become of us when the lilac money is all gone, for I can't get anything to do. If we lived in the city it might be different, but—"

Arthur was obliged to turn his attention to a customer.

"Come around to my office before you go home to-night."

And the gentleman, handing him a card, walked away down the street.

Arthur Northbridge was happier when he went home that night than he had been since his father died. He had another long story to tell his mother, and even more interesting than the first one.

"It seems that Mr. Emery's son, his only child, died six months ago. It almost killed Mrs. Emery, so they gave up their home in the country and went to the city to live. Their front yard was full of lilacs, just as ours is. Their boy was very fond of them. He was about my size, and when she saw me sitting on the wall, and saw the lilacs, too—well, you see, it sort of upset her. Mr. Emery says they keep two servants, and if you go there to keep house for them you'll only have to oversee things. I know I shall like to work in his office, it's so pleasant. Mrs. Emery is coming to see you to-morrow. Isn't it strange what great things have happened just from a bunch of lilacs—and half-wilted ones at that? I sent Mrs. Emery a lot of fresh ones—the last I had left. I'm never going to worry again, mother, as long as I live!"—

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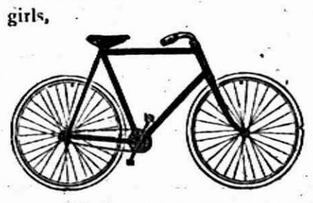

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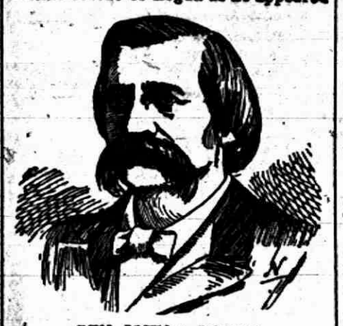
A HERO HONORED.

Statue of Gen. John A. Logan Unveiled in Chicago.

Thousands Pay Tribute to His Memory—Imposing Military and Civic Pageant—Mrs. Logan Gives a Reception.

Chicago, July 23.—Thursday the center of the west was a little mound in Lake Front park. Past its base for hour after hour swept rank after rank of men who had been defenders of their country throughout days which are at once the brightest and the darkest in its history—rank after rank of fighting men of to-day—and rank after rank of boys who are to be the soldiers of the future. From three o'clock until six, the broad expanse of Michigan avenue was swept from curb to curb by a marching host. From end to end it was a glittering vision of weapons of war, tossing plumes and standards, and throughout its length a vast concourse of people packed sidewalks, filled windows, and scaled roofs to see as the soldiers marched how Illinois kept faith with the memory of John A. Logan.

In front of the little hillock upon whose summit stands the inspiring and lifelike statue of Logan as he appeared



GEN. JOHN A. LOGAN.

while rallying the broken ranks of the Army of the Tennessee, 33 years ago Thursday, was erected a large stand and upon it was seated his wife, his children, his grandchildren and his brothers. In the absence of President McKinley, who was unavoidably detained in Washington, Secretary of War Alger, represented the government. Old friends and comrades of Logan were there in profusion. Members of his old regiment, members of the grand army, and members of the Loyal Legion, all gathered in great numbers to do him honor.

The Statue Presented.

Henry W. Blodgett, president of the board of commissioners appointed by the state to erect the statue, was applauded vigorously when he arose to deliver his address, in which he presented the memorial work of bronze to the state of Illinois. The address detailed the appointment of the commission, its work, and the speaker related how Logan came to offer his services to President Lincoln.

Gov. Tanner Accepts.

Gov. John R. Tanner, in accepting the gift to the state, said, in part:

"Most gladly do I, as the humble representative of this commonwealth, accept, in behalf of the people, this monument to the memory of one of Illinois' most beloved and gifted sons. And, in accepting this memorial for the great state that Logan so truly loved and so long served, I shall make my few words accord so far as I can with the historical lessons which the life and career of John A. Logan so pointedly teach to the rising generation of Americans."

George R. Peck's Oration.

The oration of the day was delivered by George R. Peck. Mr. Peck followed Gov. Tanner and said in part:

"Illinois is proud and happy. Waiting patiently for a fitting time, she opens all her welcoming gates and bids the world take note what breed of men she rears. Here is the product of her soil, and here she brings a mother's exultant heart to be enshrined. This great city, the lake with all its breadth of waters, the prairies stretching outward to the west, and the sky mingling light and cloud in an ever-changing picture, are resplendent witnesses of the scene. The event, the hour and the men are historic.

"Once, upon a day like this, the pulse of summer was beating hot and fierce, when a great leader fell, as leaders must fall, if it be so appointed. Some are here to whom it seems but yesterday. They remember the clustering pines, the thickets dark with the foliage of July, the spires of Atlanta wooing them forward yet a little farther, and they remember, too, as they will remember always, the message,

LOGAN MONUMENT.

speeding like an arrow in its flight, that told how McPherson lay dead in his harness, ere yet his fame had passed its dawn. Surely I am not wrong in saying that never was this nation in more deadly peril than when the army of the Tennessee was left, like some great rudderless ship, in the grasp of the storm.

"'Of what avail are men,' says Carlyle, 'when we must needs have a man?' But the man came: nay, he was already there,

naming, as was his wont, in that imperious way which scorns to parley with fate but subdues it with a glance. On that day—July 2, 1864—John A. Logan was born to immortality.

"Here we place his image for all generations. Here we salute the soldier, the statesman and the man, in memory of that sublime moment when he took into his keeping the flag, the issue and the cause.

"Our days are like the weaver's shuttle. We are hastening to the end. Is it not something to remember, something to be proud of forever, that, in this great ceremony, those who followed another flag than his have come to pay their tribute to the great citizen-soldier? Men of the south, the grand army welcomes you and the nation greets you with an open hand. Brave men cannot hate forever. If we conquered you once you have, in a beautiful sense, conquered us to-day when you mingle your love with ours for the heroic, for the patriotic and—surely I may say it—for the flag which has been saved for us all.

"Here we make a sacred place. Here we consecrate a name already consecrated in our bravest annals. We give the statue to the world, in the presence of the wife he loved and honored and whom we love and honor. His children and his children's children are here to learn how great a name they bear.

"He is not ours alone; but yet we claim him. In coming years the throngs that crowd the avenue will see a silent figure always on duty. They will know—all the world will know—it is Logan. Illinois has kept her trust."

The Salutes Fired.

A feature of great interest in the celebration was the firing of salutes. At the moment when little John A. Logan, grandson of the general, pulled the line which threw aside the draped flags, a salute of 13 guns was fired, the army leading with a boom of cannon, the revenue cutter Gresham following, and shore batteries then alternating with government boats till the significant 13 had been counted. The second salute came as Gen. Brooke gave the command to march and the great parade started north in Michigan avenue.

The Parade.

The programme at the monument was completed shortly after three o'clock. The parade and review followed. Troopers falling in line in Twelfth street at the command of Grand Marshal Gen. Brooke, department of the Missouri, marched north on Michigan avenue past the reviewing stand. Over 20,000 men were in line, headed by a squad of police on foot. Survivors of Gen. Logan's old regiment, Thirty-first Illinois volunteers, led the van, proudly bearing the old regimental flags, tattered and torn by 200 confederate bullets.

Naval Review

The pageant on land was supplemented by the finest marine display ever seen on Lake Michigan. Grouped around revenue cutters Gresham, Fessenden and Calumet, which anchored just off the monument, were nearly 200 vessels, of the merchant marine and private yachts, all gayly decorated for the occasion.

At Night.

Shortly after eight o'clock Mrs. Logan and her party left the Auditorium annex for the Coliseum. An immense throng had gathered to witness the Coliseum garden's fireworks, which were on a par with the lavish and beautiful display shown at intervals during the world's fair. At the conclusion of the spectacle the crowd turned into the Coliseum, where, for over an hour, Mrs. Logan, Secretary and Mrs. Alger and Sculptor Saint Gaudens received the thousands who pressed into the building.

DEATH OF J. R. DOOLITTLE.

The Ex-Senator Passes Away at the Home of His Daughter.

Providence, R. I., July 28.—Ex-United States Senator Doolittle, of Wisconsin, died at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of his daughter, at Edgewood.

EX-SENATOR DOOLITTLE.

near this city. Bright's disease was the cause of death. He was 83 years of age.

[James R. Doolittle was born on a farm in the town of Hampton, in the neighborhood of Lake Champlain, and not far from the Vermont line, on January 3, 1815. Judge Doolittle was the sixth in line of descent from Abraham Doolittle, who was sheriff of New Haven county, Conn., in 1648.

The repeal of the Missouri compromise, which followed Pierce's election, and the position assumed by Stephen A. Douglas toward the admission of Kansas and Nebraska operated to drive anti-slavery democrats out of the party. Thus Judge Doolittle became one of the founders of the republican party. He was elected to the United States senate as a republican from Wisconsin, January 22, 1857. Judge Doolittle was a great friend of Abraham Lincoln, and he was in sympathy with Lincoln's administration. In 1863 he was again reelected to the United States senate from Wisconsin.

Of late years Judge Doolittle practiced law in Chicago, and resided most of the time with his daughter, Mrs. Frindell, of Racine. A year ago he was stricken with la grippe and never fully recovered.]

The Date Fixed.

Washington, July 27.—The secretary of the treasury holds that the new tariff act was in effect at the beginning of the day on which it received the approval of the president, and therefore became operative after midnight on Friday, July 23.

THE MONEY QUESTION.

Message from President McKinley on Currency Reform.

The House Took Action Before Adjournment, But the Senate Sent the Document to the Finance Committee—Text of Message.

Washington, July 26.—Before the adjournment of congress on Saturday President McKinley sent to both houses the following message:

"To the Congress of the United States: In my message convening the congress in extraordinary session I called attention to a single subject—that of providing revenue adequate to meet the reasonable and proper expenses of the government. I believed that to be the most pressing subject for settlement then. A bill to provide the necessary revenues for the government has already passed the house of representatives and the senate and awaits executive action.

"Another question of very great importance is that of the establishment of our currency and banking system on a better basis, which I commented upon in my inaugural address in the following words:

"'Our financial system needs some revision; our money is all good, but its value must not further be threatened. It should all be put upon an enduring basis, not subject to easy attack, nor its stability to doubt or dispute. The several forms of our paper money offer, in my judgment, a constant embarrassment to the government and imperil a safe balance in the treasury.'

"Nothing was settled more clearly at the late national election than the determination upon the part of the people to keep their currency stable in value and equal to that of the most advanced nations of the world.

"The soundness of our currency is not where questioned. No loss can occur to its holders. It is the system which should be simplified and strengthened, keeping our money just as good as it is now, with less expense to the government and the people.

"The sentiment of the country is strongly in favor of early action by congress in this direction, to revise our curency laws and remove them from partisan contention. A notable assembly of business men with delegates from 29 states and territories was held at Indianapolis in January of this year. The financial situation commanded their earnest attention, and after a 'two-days' session the convention recommended to congress the appointment of a monetary commission.

"I commend this report to the consideration of congress. The authors of the report recommend a commission 'to make a thorough investigation of the monetary affairs and needs of this country in all relations and aspects and to make proper suggestions as to any evils found to exist and the remedies therefor.'

"This subject should receive the attention of congress at the special session. It ought not to be postponed until the regular session.

"I therefore urgently recommend that a special commission be created, non-partisan in its character, to be composed of well-informed citizens of different parties, who will command the confidence of congress and the country, because of their special fitness for the work, whose duty it shall be to make recommendations of whatever changes in our present banking and currency laws may be found necessary and expedient, and to report their conclusions on or before the 1st day of November next, in order that the same may be transmitted by me to congress for its consideration at its first regular session.

"It is to be hoped that the report thus made will be so comprehensive and sound as to receive the support of all parties and the favorable action of congress. At all events such a report cannot fail to be of value to the executive branch of the government as well as to those charged with public legislation, and to greatly assist in the establishment of an improved system of finance.

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

"Executive Mansion, July 24, 1897."

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of Baseball Clubs for the Week Ended July 27.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league:

	Won.	Lost.	Perct.
Boston	53	24	.688
Cincinnati	48	26	.649
Baltimore	45	28	.616
New York	45	30	.600
Cleveland	42	34	.553
Philadelphia	38	42	.475
Pittsburgh	35	40	.467
Chicago	36	44	.450
Louisville	35	45	.438
Brooklyn	33	45	.423
Washington	29	46	.387
St. Louis	19	60	.241

Western league:

Indianapolis	52	36	.571
Columbus	53	37	.563
St. Paul	54	42	.535
Milwaukee	53	41	.631
Detroit	49	44	.527
Grand Rapids	39	44	.470
Minneapolis	37	37	.321
Kansas City	25	60	.294

Western association:

St. Joseph	51	32	.599
Cedar Rapids	46	32	.589
Des Moines	40	32	.556
Rockford	34	38	.472
Dubuque	32	39	.451
Quincy	30	42	.417
Burlington	29	43	.403
Peoria	24	48	.333

Star Pointer Wins.

Chicago, July 26.—At Washington park on Saturday the free-for-all pace between Star Pointer, Joe Patchen and Frank Agan resolved itself into a match race between the first two, as Agan was distanced in the first heat. Purse, $5,000. Star Pointer won three straight heats, Joe Patchen taking second each time. Best time, 2:03, made in first heat.

Will Raise Wages.

New York, July 27.—The Algonquin Woolen Mills company, of Passaic, N. J., have given notice that on and after August 1 wages in their large mills will be increased from ten to fifteen per cent.

Low Price of Silver.

New York, July 27.—Government assay bars were quoted at 59 cents in this city yesterday, which made the silver in a standard silver dollar worth 45.62 cents.

Made a New Record.

Toledo, O., July 21.—Lizzie Glaw, the German bicycle champion, has made a new out-door world's record for women riders. In one hour at the Casino track, she rode 27 miles and 4½ laps, 14 laps to the mile.

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CLINTON

A. C. Huntington visited Detroit Saturday.

Miss Eva Davis is visiting relatives at Grass Lake.

Mrs. Geo. B. Smark is visiting her parents at Norvell.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle visited Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

T. B. Bailey and wife, of Manchester, were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam Larzelere is visiting her old home at Grass Lake.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife visited Manchester friends Sunday.

G. T. Katner made a bicycle trip to Detroit and return Tuesday.

Guy Belding and wife, of Tecumseh, spent with his Sunday parents.

Jas. Hamilton, of Detroit, was in town the fore part of the week.

Mrs. C. F. Clark and Miss Laura Clark were in Tecumseh Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Codling and daughter, of Tecumseh, visited here Wednesday.

Mrs. E. M. English is enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Jennie Hall, of Detroit.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell and wife returned Monday from a few days' visit at Pontiac.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife were up from Britton Sunday afternoon, calling on friends.

Ice cream social at the town hall Saturday night for the benefit of St. Dominic's church.

H. R. Hause and wife made a tandem trip to Britton last Friday and returned Saturday morning.

Mrs. W. C. Stevenson entertained her mother, Mrs. Walker, of Toledo, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Mazzie O'Reilly started Thursday for Trenton N. J., where she is to make an extended visit.

Miss Augusta Kirchgessner returned Friday night from a two days' visit with her brother at Adrian.

Mrs. Louise Clark and Laura went to Sand Lake Wednesday, expecting to spend a week at the Kies cottage.

Mrs. E. P. Johnson, of Fremont Ind., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Morlan, for the past few days.

The home of E. L. Parker and wife was made happy last Friday morning by the arrival of a nine pound daughter.

Mrs. Willoughby Nase, who has been visiting her children at Palmyra for the past few days, returned home Tuesday.

C. S. Borroughs returned Tuesday night from a three weeks' trip around the great lakes and reports a delightful time.

Messrs. M. D. Case, T. B. Bailey and F. H. Blosser came down from Manchester Saturday to witness the ball game.

Mrs. J. H. Newman, of Baraboo, Wis., with her two children, has been visiting at her sister's, Mrs. C. L. Lewis,' since Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith and Miss Minnie Jacob went to Wampler's lake Thursday night and remained until Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Roff arrived Tuesday night from Washington, D. C., for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Hause.

The Misses Severance, west of town, have been entertaining cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Rhodes, of Hinckley, Ill., since Tuesday.

The Misses Nellie and Grace Whittelsey who had been visiting friends at Lafayette, Ind., and Hillsdale for the past three weeks, returned home Saturday night.

This community was shocked Monday when the news came of the terrible tragedy enacted between 5 and 6 o'clock that morning at the residence of Chas. Gadd northeast of town, whereby N. N. James' was killed and Miss Martha Minor lying at the point of death. Many theories and speculations have been circulated as to the cause of the horrible deed. The inquest developed nothing definite as to how the deed was done or by whom. The theory accepted was that James shot the girl and then himself. James' remains were taken to St. John's undertaking rooms, his relatives in Ohio notified and, after hearing from them, they were buried in the cemetery here Wednesday afternoon. Wednesday the ball was extracted from Miss Miner's head and, though she still lives, little hopes for her recovery are entertained. The mystery enveloping this sad affair will probably never be solved.

A. G. Morlan has moved into the Arnold house near the old cemetery.

L. J. Leek left Friday morning for Cleveland, having secured a job as guard at the work-house, a position he held several years ago.

C. H. Fisk, of Detroit, came over Tuesday night to spend a few days with his wife and daughter, who are visiting at W. H. Dorr's, west of town.

ONSTED

The farmers are cutting their oats.

Matinee here next Saturday afternoon.

E. McGee was in town the first of the week.

E. A. Taylor visited the county seat last Friday.

Albert Townsand, of Rollin, was in town last week.

The potato crop of this locality will not be very large.

Dr. Ross attended the medical convention at Detroit.

Huckleberries are more plentiful than was at first expected.

Mrs. C. W. Faling is visiting at her brother's, M. O. Aldrich's.

M. Aldrich and sister visited Rollin friends one day last week.

Mrs. Emma Walker will soon move to the central part of the state.

Mrs. Chas. Desermia has been quite sick but is much better now.

Fred Glenn, of Chicago, has been visiting former neighbors here.

E. C. Halsted, of East Rome, Sundayed with friends near here.

Onsted is located on the Toledo & Milwaukee R'y instead of the C. J. & M.

Bessie Pentecost is canvassing this vicinity in the interest of a baking powder company.

Some threshing is being done in this vicinity, the grain being drawn direct from the shock to the thresher.

Ed Gibbs went fishing Saturday and the stories he tells of the finny tribe makes one's mouth water, but he does not tell who used the cork screw.

FRANKLIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have been made happy by the advent of a bouncing boy.

Cecil Billington came home from Detroit Saturday evening and returned Sunday morning.

Farm hands are scarce and the haying and harvest still hanging heavily on the farmers' hands.

Hudson Davenport came Friday to visit his old home. He has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Fisher, of Mercellus.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner and Mrs. Jehiel Wisner went to Toledo Sunday to visit Edward Wisner. Mrs. J. Wisner will spend several weeks with her son and then visit friends in Calhoun and Kalamazoo counties.

Miss Irene Allen and her cousin, Wilford, are visiting in Hillsdale county, the former being the guest of Mrs. Wm. Dobson and her schoolmate, Miss Orcutt, and the latter the guest of his grandmother and other relatives.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Geo. Freese, of Clinton, was in Franklin Tuesday.

Thos. Conlin was hurt about the head Saturday while driving his separator into a barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robbins and little son and Bertha Taylor, of Adrian, visited Sadie Taylor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Love, who are spending the summer in Tecumseh, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Pawson, Sunday.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

London has forty restaurants in which only one vegetable food is served.

Don't think because you are sick and nothing seems to give you relief that you can't be cured. There must be a cure for you somewhere. If your doctor can't cure you, perhaps he has mistaken the cause. Anybody is liable to make a mistake sometimes. One in three of us suffer from indigestion, and one out of three dyspeptics doesn't know it. That is, he may know he is sick, but he blames it to something else. Indigestion is the cause of half of our dangerous diseases. Shaker Digestive Cordial, made from tonic medicinal roots and herbs, is the most natural cure for indigestion. It relieves the symtoms and cures the disease gently, naturally, efficiently, giving fresh life, strength and health to sick dyspeptics. At druggists. A trial bottle for 10 cents.

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THE WRONG HOUSE.

But a Man in the Same Condition Was Evidently Expected.

The member of congress from—I won't say where, says a writer in the Washington Post—is the kindest-hearted fellow alive. He was going home very late a few nights ago, he says, when he met a young man whom he knows. The young man was hopelessly drunk. The congressman happened to know where he lived, and kindly guided him home. A light was burning in an upper window of the house, and the congressman had no sooner pulled the bell than the door was flung open and a tall and vigorous woman appeared. She said not a word, but she grabbed the intoxicated young man by the collar and gave him a shaking that fairly loosened his teeth in their sockets. Into the hall she shook him and slammed the door. The congressman was descending the steps when the door opened again and his friend flew out as if flung from a catapult. He landed at the foot of the stairs and the congressman picked him up. He was very much frightened and he was almost sober. He managed to gasp out:

"We don't live here. We—we moved last week."

That's all the congressman's story, but I think the really interesting thing would be to know what happened to the man who does live there.

TO A GOOD OLD AGE.

Many of the Dwellers in the Caucasus Live to Be Centenarians.

Last year an old peasant named Ivan Kouzmin was reported to have traveled from Moscow to Kief at the age of 140. He was said to be in good health, says London Lancet. He had formerly been coachman to Count Sheremetief, but in 1840 was sent to Siberia, where he spent 54 years, returning in 1894. His is not the only instance in which a Siberian exile has survived to extreme old age. Two years ago there was said to have died in Samara one Lavarentil Efimoff, who had attained the age of 150. According to the newspaper reports of him he took part as a boy in the famous Pugatchef rebellion in the reign of Catherine the Great, and for his share in that brief but sanguinary outbreak spent 30 years of his life in Siberia. Recently there was said to be living in the village of Vank (Saratof government) an Armenian aged 110, the proud ancestor of 91 descendants, of whom 71 were still living. His name was David Kazarian. Another Armenian, a priest named Ter-Mikaeliantz, was reported not long ago to be living at Gori, in the Caucasus, at the age of 108. He was still able to walk to church and once a year performed the liturgy. If recent history in the Turkish empire continues to repeat itself such instances of longevity among Armenians seem likely to become rare.

SCOTCH SINECURE.

That May Be Obviated After Running Six Hundred Years.

It is proposed by the lord of the treasury to commute the payment of £242 15s, which is annually paid to the holder of the ancient office of heritable usher of Scotland.

The office, says the London Mail, was originally conferred on Alexander Cockburn, of London, and his heirs, by an act of parliament in Scotland in 1393, and the original grant was confirmed by subsequent acts of the Scottish parliament in 1681 and 1686, the latter act attaching a salary of £250 a year to the office, but certain statutory deductions have reduced the amount now payable to £242 15s.

In 1805 the office, with the salary, being a heritable subject capable of being assigned away, was acquired by Sir Patrick Walker for £7,600, a sum equivalent to 31¼ years' purchase of the salary. In 1890, the question whether the grant was permanently binding was submitted to the law officers of the crown in Scotland, who stated that in their opinion it was legally binding, as resting on a series of acts of the Scots parliament.

No duties of an onerous kind are or have been required for a long time from the holder of the office, and it is now proposed to commute the payment at 27 years' purchase.

Get Trusted for Their Fares.

It is perhaps not generally known, says the New York Sun, even in Brooklyn, that persons of respectable appearance may travel on the street cars of that city when they have no money. A woman who has left her purse at home, or a man who has spent all his change speculating in stocks, if ordinarily well dressed, has only to tell the conductor the condition of affairs, on boarding a car, to get carried to any desired point. The conductor gives the penniless passenger an envelope addressed to the office of the company in which to forward later the lacking nickel. This is done as a matter of course, and only a passenger who looks disreputable meets with refusal. This system has been in operation some time, which is apparent proof that the passengers who thus get trusted for their fares use the envelopes given them for the purpose for which they are intended.

The Door Bell in Massachusetts.

The story is going the rounds now of a young man who visited the Tapley school one day to see a teacher. He got hold of the fire alarm, thinking it to be a door bell, and gave it a good ring. In a few seconds the school children came rushing by him, and it was not many seconds before the building was being rapidly emptied. The man stood by in a dazed sort of way and watched them go by and could not imagine what all the fuss was about.

New Bale Tie.

In a newly patented bale tie one end of the wire is formed into a metallic button, over which the loop in the opposite end of the wire is slipped by the binder.

GOOD SHOOTING UPTOWN.

It Was Years Aback and the Spot Was the Treasury Building.

"Some years ago," says an old gunner, "according to the Washington Star, "I had fine sport in pigeon shooting on Fifteenth and F streets, northwest. I do not wonder you look surprised. I was employed in the treasury at the time—a little before the war—and the pigeons that roosted on the cornice and about the capitals of the colonnade had multiplied, and they were so numerous as to inconvenience the employes. To those particularly who were in the upper stories of the building they were an intolerable nuisance. The superintendent of the building secured from the mayor a suspension of the law prohibiting the use of firearms within the city limits so as to allow gunning about the building before seven o'clock in the morning by such persons as he should designate. I having had the reputation of being a good shot and with a mouth set for a pigeon pie dinner secured permission to shoot. One morning's shooting was enough for me so far as the bird pie dinner was concerned, for some of the birds were so aged and tough that hide and feathers were too much for the lead; and many of those killed who found their way to kitchens were too much for the teeth. The sport was kept up for several days, more to the benefit of the department in contracting the circulation of the birds than for the pleasure of eating the game secured, and thousands were slain.

THE CHINESE IN NEW YORK.

Industrious, Temperate, Peaceful and Charitable to One Another.

There is a Chinese population of nearly 10,000 in New York city, but it is a rare sight to see any Chinaman applying for help at any of the public charitable institutions of that city, says a Gotham exchange. The Chinese are always ready to assist each other in all the emergencies of life. Most of them belong to societies of mutual assistance on the Chinese plan. When one of them is penniless he can borrow money. When one is ill nurses furnish the needed service and if he dies the expenses of the burial are always easily obtained. Several hundreds of them have become well off through the business of their washhouses. There are no loafers among them; they are all noted for their industrious lives. Few of them are addicted to the opium habit, though many of them occasionally indulge in the fumes of the drug. It is mainly the wealthy men among them who enjoy the luxury of Chinese wives, but others who desire to form white matches find no difficulty in doing so, as far as obtaining mates is concerned. As a rule the children born of these unions adopt the American style of life. The Chinese of New York boast that they produce proportionally fewer criminals than any other element of the population.

TOMMY WAS A STRATEGIST.

How He Recovered His Drumstick from the Bottom of the Well.

A little boy dropped his drumstick into a well. In vain he entreated his parents, the gardener, the footman, the coachman, the cook, the housemaids to go down into the well to recover his drumstick. In his distress, says the London Telegraph, a brilliant expedient occurred to Master Tommy—he secretly carried off all the plate from the sideboard and threw it into the well. Great was the consternation when the plate was missed, and an active search for the robbers took place. In the midst of the alarm and the confusion Master Tommy ran with the news that he had found the plate. "Where?" was the cry. "Down the well," replied Tommy. "I saw it quite plain shining at the bottom—spoons, ladles, bread-baskets, salvers and all." The housemaid hurried to the well, at the bottom of which, sure enough, the plate was seen. A ladder was procured, a servant descended and the plate was brought up. Just before the last article was fished up Master Tommy whispered to him: "John, please bring up my drumstick when you go down for the soup ladle."

Capt. Jas. A. Duffey,

OF TOLEDO, OHIO.

The Great Railway Detective Tells What Dr Miles' Remedies Have Done For Himself and Wife.

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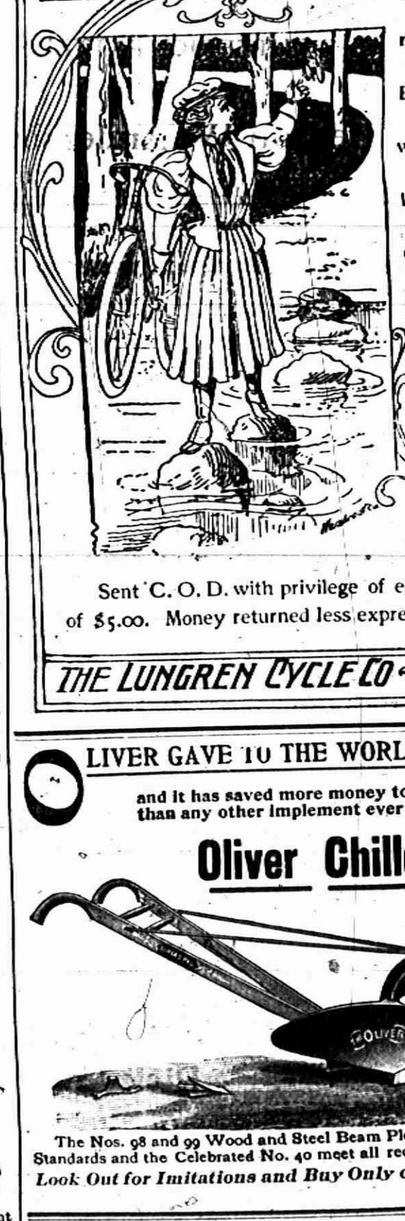

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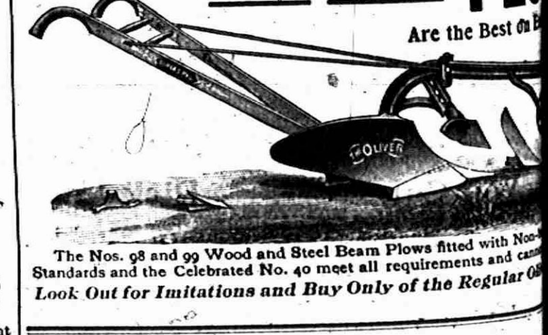

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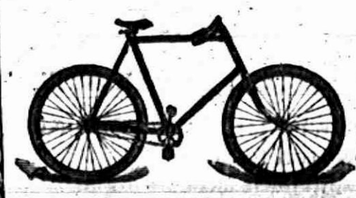

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ighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Charles Maybee has a sister visr this week.

en from here took in the excurToledo Sunday.

Graves, of Wellsville, attended here Sunday evening.

Osgood, of Toledo, Ohio, visitn relatives last week.

Brown and John Zeluff, were pler's lake fishing the last of k.

pporation have invested in a l scraper. No excuse for poor w.

rshot Tent No. 467 K. O. T. M., regular review next Tuesday Aug. 3rd.

L. Yates is enjoying a visit cousin, Joseph Watherston, city, Mich.

nderwood, who was under the s care for several days, is improving.

r. L. W. Graves, of Lenawee assisted in the tent services y evening.

about is fair play. James as haying last week and Vern harvesting this.

P. Underwood was the first to heat in this section He got ls from 3 3-4 acres.

Ed and Mike Bachman with milies, spent Sunday with her George at Toledo.

C. Hoagland is entertaining n. Mrs. Henry Mickle and of Reading, this week.

al returned Tuesday from fishing excursions to Devil's as usual left all his fish be-

uff. Will Britton, Will Rinn families, went to Wampler's they will take life easy for

ocklington began laying the walls Tuesday, for Simon residence which Ed Bachbuild.

man has the contract for a nce to be built for Mrs. Edon West Main street, between s and Dr. Wood's.

kerson, of Dakota, who has ng his parents, left yesterday with eastern friends. He roy and Albany N. Y.

Nickerson will preach in the church on Sunday, at 10:30 c—"The Costly Pearl.," and P. M. on "The Cords and

n Gripton has been making a oaster for C. R. Maybee, alot so fanciful as some, it gets he boys say and does its work ove.

Pyo, of the Christian preach on the followjng day: Morning—"A threeship religion." evening, sense religion."

bcock, wife and son, were mer Osgood's family at TolSunday. Myrtle who had g the week there, returnh them Monday.

ns of Alonzo Robinson, an han, father of Bert, a formf this vicinity, whose death Cambria, New York, Sunn accident, arrived here ning, and were placed in o: in the Ridgeway cemeo

on arranged a car with ments to run on wire for use schools on the day of the nday took it to Hoaglands t. The wire was fastenof a high tree and thence e distance much lower. worked like a charm, unont took a twist at it. He right with great speed stretched and the front r struck a rise of ground uddenly but Will did not, the general verdict was left his feet at home he made the trip all right, e was not injured. It has t sport for Will's cronies, some time before they

he heat was intense on ng, a large audience gathnt on the school grounds, se attention to the disNickerson on "The bed the coverlid to narrow." began with a description pforts of a bed to short. could have used a figure e of discomfort, said the not know of such". Imyourselves a six footer, to stretch himself full e foot bed, and franticat the coverlid to make it a preface description of of the Jews which gave t in the mind of the proIe proceeded to give a y striking illustrations who are making for ds to short. The busigambles in stocks or aking advantage of the starvation wages, who s in purchase of political d equalizes by clipping is workmen. The man ver spoon in his mouth ere is no occasion for ose highest ambition is eighbor nabob with the s private uniform and world in his yacht, who e that he is God's favorexpected to be almonring part of humanity. builds the frame work rds, sports, races, Sunames, and excursions. o are more anxious in the training of their daughters to make brilliant, rather than true marriages, cheerfully seeing them marrying libertines if thereby securing position in society. The young women who are given to vanities and go mincing about the streets in flirtation folly while the mater is at home with hands in wash tub, cleansing their finery; the blatant blasphemers of God: all of these were graphically pictured at some length by the speaker as examples of those who though they may find ample winding sheets, will have scant shriving for their souls when stripped of their "Refuge of lies," covering in the final reckoning. The tent service will be repeated next Sunday evening if the weather proves sultry.

RIDGEWAY.

Orange blossoms are reported in the village soon.

The latest victim of the measles is Ella Montgomery.

Brewster Clark, of Elkhart, visited relatives here last week.

E. T. Smith and family took in the excursion to Toledo Sunday.

Bertha Love, of Adrian, is the guest of May Culbertson this week.

Edith Schwab visited friends in the village a portion of last week.

Ellis VanDeventer, of Ithaca, is spending a few days with relatives.

Alonzo Webster, of Pittsford, visited relatives here from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Henry and daughter attended the bicycle carnival at Detroit last week.

James Hastings and family, of Tecumseh, visited here Wednesday and Thursday.

Hattie Montgomery, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at her uncle's, T. H. Montgomery's.

The hum of the threshing machine is heard once more. Wheat is yielding unusually well.

Samuel Stall and wife, of Charlotte, visited their brother, Ace Smith, the first of the week.

The members of the W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Deborah Dibble Friday afternoon of next week.

Ella M. Hall, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived Friday for her annual visit at her old home, the "Villa."

A. R. Arner and wife visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs W. E. Barrett, of Toledo. Sunday and Monday.

Rev. H. Cansfield filled the M. E. pulpits at Macon and Clinton Sunday in the absence of Rev. D. H. Ramsdell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith, Mrs. D. W. Loree and Bertha Wagner visited Detroit friends Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Katner and Mrs. Ed. Breese, of Clinton, came over on their wheels last week Thursday and spent the day at W. L. Jones'.

Rev. H. Cansfield officiated at the Perkins-Osborn wedding at high noon Wednesday. The newly married couple left for their new home at Hudson on the afternoon train. The many friends of the bride extend congratulations.

The pastor will begin a week of special meetings next Sunday. In the morning a Pentecostal service will be conducted by the pastor. An open air service will be held if the weather will perm it. There will be services each evening in the lecture room.

MACON.

Rolfe A. Mills is quite sick.

Little Howard Miller has the whooping cough.

Miss Geoheen, of Mason, is visiting Macon friends.

Miss Elva Richart returned home from Chicago last week.

Geo. Clark and Ernest DuBois, of Britton, were here Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Edwin Howell's tomorrow afternoon.

Mary Morgan spent a couple of days this week at J. A. DeSpelder's in Tecumseh.

Lank Smith and wife visited his brother Acel and family at Ridgeway Monday.

Minnie Higdon fell out of a tree Tuesday and fractured one of the bones in the lower arm.

Mrs. Henry Heesen and daughter Grace, of Tecumseh, visited Mrs. Mancy Osborne Saturday.

Ed Osgood and family and Mrs. Mary Camburn went to Douglas Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Topic for League meeting Sunday evening: "The Prayer at Conversion," Acts 9:6, 11. Leader, Minnie Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Stall, of Charlotte, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lank Smith from Saturday till Monday.

The E. L. society will give a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Baron Pennington Tuesday evening, August 3rd. Ice cream and cake will be served.

CONE.

Dr Nowell visited Detroit Sunday.

J. C. Cone was an Ann Arbor visitor Thursday.

Miss Edith Ray has returned from Tecumseh.

Adah and Eugene Dennison wheeled to Milan Saturday.

Orrie Dennison, of Toledo, called on friends here Sunday.

Walter Cone and wife visited friends in Toledo over Sunday.

James Craig and wife of Toledo, visited at Geo. Gray's Sunday.

M. Wallace, of Clinton, was the guest of Miss Lizzie Noughton Sunday.

Misses Amelia and Carrie Cullen, of Tecumseh, called at John Dennison's Friday.

HOLLOWAY.

Mr. Ed Dawson, of Ottoway Lake, was in town Sunday.

The Presbyterian Sunday School has a picnic to day at the river.

The creamery is being run by wood power on account of the coal famine.

Dr. Nixon and Floyd Florence witnessed the bicycle parade in Detroit last Thursday.

The sound of the threshing machine is heard. A. D. Macham's wheat yielded forty bushels to the acre.

Miss Esther Fish is away on a two week's visit with friends in the southern part of the state and Ohio.

Mrs. Burdict, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. James Lane, returned home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Coffin, south of town, who has been ill so long, visited at the home of E. W. Isley the past week.

Kenneth Holloway rejoices in the possession of a new carriage. What young lady will be made happy first?

Several of our wheelmen took a ride out in the direction of Lake Ridge Sunday. We hope the ball play was not the attraction.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheny & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheny & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c, per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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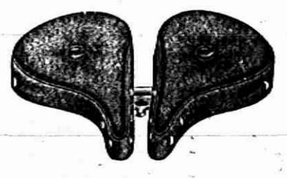

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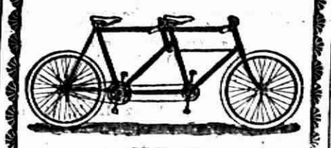

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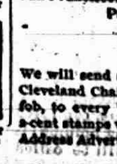

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TECUMSEH, MICH., JULY 30, 1897.

FINANCIAL LETTER.

Chicago, July 29, '97.

The past week has been one of continued advancement from a financial and industrial standpoint. The reports of the commercial agencies show that trade is steadily increasing in all legitimate channels. The cheapness of money continues, and this is an important factor in many operations of a far-reaching character, the ultimate benefits of which will be large. With the passage of the tariff bill comes a certainty that for the next four years at least it will be possible for prudent men to formulate and execute plans of great magnitude in manufacturing and other industrial enterprises.

The New York stock market, which is of necessity an unfailing index of the light in which aggregated capital regards the situation, is most encouraging in its recent substantial rise and present firmness. A marked instance of the changed feeling now obtaining in regard to securities is the advance of about 35 points in sugar, which is now being bought on an investment basis and put away in strong boxes by men who have only its earning power in view. The stocks of the crop-carrying railroads are another instance of the confidence of the public in the fixity of the present improved conditions. It is a known fact that our grain yield this year will be large. The better foreign demand is a demonstrated fact, and with such immense quantities of freight to be moved between now and the holidays the earnings of the granger roads cannot but be most gratifying. That the benefits to be derived from this increased business have to some extent already been discounted is shown by the fact that the advance in these stocks has been most marked during the last 30 days, as witness the following table of prices of granger stocks at the opening this week and a month ago:

	June 26.	July 26.
C. B. & Q.	84 5-8	88
St. Paul	81 3-4	88 1-4
Rock Island	73 7-8	81 1-4
C. & N. W.	117	118

This is a magnificent showing for the properties whose prosperity is directly dependent upon good crops and good prices for the same throughout the Northwest and therefore the figures are of value as well as interest to every farmer, merchant and mechanic in those states. In such parts of the west as do not produce largely of grain there are equally important facts pointing to prosperity of a permanent nature. Prices for live stock are much more satisfactory than for years past, and the production of precious metals and those largely used in commerce is large. Gold, silver, copper and lead to the value of hundreds of millions of dollars will be taken from the ground this year in Colorado, Idaho, Wyoming, Montana and California.

It is for this reason—the visible increase of real national wealth as evidenced by our grain fields and mining industries—that the New York stock market is high and firm and that it will continue to advance until a much higher plane of values is reached is the belief of many.

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RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning All Roads Running Through Tecumseh.

Conductor Wm. Lockard moved into the Welling house this week.

Perhaps Adrian has not heard that the general offices of the road are to be at Tecumseh.

The Presbyterian Sunday School contemplates an excursion to Devil's lake in the near future.

E. W. Hiner and Ollie Hunt of the D. & L. N. Made a flying trip to Tecumseh yesterday.

Art Lee was at Addison Jun. tion Wednesday night, taking the place of Night Operator Hopper, who was sick.

A. L. Richmond, auditor of the D. T. & M., and D. & L. N. roads, has rented Dr. Reed's house on Logan street, and will occupy it at once.

E. B. Hathaway, Ass't Supt. has rented, a part of Mrs. Hall's residence on Chicago street and will move his family here this week.

W. H. Harper Jr. of Ottawa O. purchased, this week, 15 acres of gravel on the line of the D. & L. N. from Geo. Tilton and will ship it to Ohio.

It is reported now that the vacancy in the presidency of the Lake Shore will not be filled until some time this fall. In the meantime General Manager Caniff is virtually acting president, although the title has not been conferred upon him. The prevailing opinion is still that S. R. Callaway will be called to fill the position.

Supt. G. R. Haskell has rented the residence that H. L. Jones is building on Kilbuck street, and will take possession as soon as it is completed.

C. H. Roser was here from Detroit Tuesday, and rented Mrs. Kingston's residence to be used for a time for general railroad offices of the D. & L. N. and D. T. & M. Railroads.

J. R. Megrue, president, C. A. Chambers Gen. P. and F. Agent, E. W. Hiner A. G. P. A., G. R. Haskell Gen. Supt., E. B. Hathaway Ass't. Supt., C. H. Roser, chief engineer, L. C. Snell, J. B. Flanders, J. S. Brailey and A. J. Richter were over the road from Toledo to Allegan on a tour of inspection Tuesday and stopped at Tecumseh enroute both ways.

Several of the officials of the C. J. & M. will in all probability go with the new Milwaukee, Detroit & Toledo railroad. Fred C. Whipple, chief clerk of the C. J. & M., has tendered his resignation to accept the position of assistant general freight agent of the M. D. & T. railroad, with headquarters at Detroit. J. B. Flanders has also been offered a position on the new road. Just what Mr. Flanders' title would be or whether he will accept or not is not known. He would probably be in active management of the property with the title of superintendant or general superintendent.—Blade

Among the changes that are taking place on the Detroit & Lima Northern railroad is the establishment of the train dispatcher at Tecumseh. Telegraph line men were busy putting in wires yesterday and to-day, and the village to the north of us will have the advantage of that office for the present. It means three operators and their families. When the new depot is finished in Adrian, which will probably be commenced soon, it is thought offices will be established in the second story for the trian dispatcher. The D. & L. N. company has been doing some heavy ballasting lately and the road is rapidly being placed in shape.—Adrian Telegram.

At last the fate of the Michigan division of the C. J. & M. has been officially and definitely settled. It will be operated in connection with the Detroit & Lima Northern. The road will not be owned by the D. & L. N., but will be controlled by the same general officers. Joseph R. Megrue, who has been elected president of both companies, was in that city to-day and made this official announcement to the Blade. He said that the name of the road had not definitely been decided, but it would probably be the Milwaukee, Detroit & Toledo, as announced in yesterday's Blade. President Megrue said that the car ferry to Milwaukee was an assured fact, and that it would be running in the near future. This will give Toledo another trans-lake line, one that will make some very important new connections for the Northwest. General Freight Agent Chambers, of the road, was in the city to-day, getting in touch with the southern connection at Toledo. He assured the representatives of Toledo lines that the new road would be in the field for business in a few days.—Blade.

Bulletin No. 1. of the D. T. & M. R. R. issued from the office of J. R. Megrue vice-presdient, and dated July 29th is as follows:

Having purchased the Michigan Division of the former C. J. & M. Ry. extending from Toledo, Ohio, to Allegan, Mich., will assume control and operation thereof, August 1st, 1897. Effective August 1st, 1897, the following appointments are made:

C. H. Roser, Chief Engineer and Purchasing Agent, located at Tecumseh, Mich.

G. R. Haskell, Superintendent, located at Tecumseh, Mich.

A. L. Richmond, Auditor, located at Tecumseh, Mich.

G. C. Shiffer, Car Accountant, located at Tecumseh, Mich.

C. A. Chambers, Gen. Freight & Pass. Agent, located at Detroit, Mich.

F. C. Whipple, A. G. F. Agent, located at Detroit, Mich.

R. St. Sohn, General Agent, located at Toledo, Ohio.

J. R. MEGRUE,
Vice-President.

The office will be moved to Tecumseh in time for business Monday Aug. 1 and aside from the persons mentioned in the above the train dispatcher and and his assistants will also be located at Tecumseh. On and after Aug. 1 the D. & L. N. and D. T. & M. will be managed and operated by one crops of officers.

In securing the D. & L. N. R. R. Tecumseh has received much more than she bargained for. Already many families have moved in and this bringing of the general offices to Tecumseh will be of untold benefit to the town. Aside from the prominence it gives the place in railroad circles the coming of new people adds thrift and life to the community.

The verdict of every resident of Tecumseh is that they fully appreciate the town's good fortune in being geographicaly located so as to be the headquarters for the roads, also that every thing shall be done to retain the offices here and to make the new comers welcome and contented in their new home.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., July 27 1897:

Mrs. Mary E. Allen, A. L. Fanshane, D. U. Fortney, G. W. Mann, Mrs. Adda Rathbun.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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G. A. R.—Attention.

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Condition of the Tecumseh State Savings Bank

At the close of business, July 23, 1897.

Assetts.	Dollars.	
Loans and discounts	$6240 00	
Bank building and furniture	5279 65	
Overdrafts	47 36	
Cash in bank	7455 49	
Checks and cash items	228 64	
Due from reserve banks	12888 30	20572 92
		$88901 54

Liabilities.	Dollars.
Capital stock	$80000 00
Surplus	1000 00
Undivided profits	607 21 42
Deposits	$88901 54

In submitting the above statement the stockholders of the Tecumseh State Savings Bank ask the consideration of its depositors and patrons, and solicit patronage and guarantee liberal terms and courteous treatment. Since the organization of the bank, its business has grown steadily as will be seen from a comparison of its statements made to the commissioner of banking, until it now has a business of nearly $90,000.00. The bank does a commercial and savings bank business, pays 3 per cent. interest on savings deposits and on certificates of deposit if remaining three months. Any business intrusted to its care will receive careful attention.

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A. M. Stephenson, Emilie Hall,

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING.

PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	10	15
Eggs	8	10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Old Potatoes, per bushel		40
New Potatoes		1 00
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	5	8
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	65	70
Corn, shelled	25	35
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	17	19
Hay, timothy, per ton	5 00	7 50
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		59
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100		70

Much Alive. The State Fair.

The Michigan State Agricultural Society has been reported as dead. This is not true. It is full alive to the Industrial intrests of Michigan, and will hold one of its Old Time State Fairs at

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lorence and Ernest Mize visited at ndee over Sunday.

iss Ethel Sweet is visiting her ther Earl in Milan.

iss Halladay left for a visit to tle Creek Wednesday.

rs. J. C. Schreder visited her daughMrs. Sidney Cadmus, of Raisin, t week.

m. H. Osborn, Jr., of Milwaukee, ended the Perkins-Osborn wedding dnesday.

o to Will Gray to have locks and ys fitted and clothes wringers and cycles repaired.

Every body come to see the game Friay next Tecumseh vs D. A. C's of Detroit. It will be a corker.

The condition of Mrs. David Zeluff remains much the same. Her friends are very anxious concerning her.

Gents, you can buy a pair of $3.50 tan ox blood shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan for $2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

here will be no ball game tomorrow t next Friday Aug 6th the Detroit thletic Club will play our boys here.

Teeple makes the cheapest photos in e county, only 25c for six and you can t six times and have a photo for each.

Manager Burridge has secured at conderable expense the D. A. C's of etroit for next Friday's game. Encourhim by turning out enmasse.

Owing to the pastor, Rev. E. C. Anus, being away on his vacation, there ll be no services at the Universalist urch Sunday. At 4 p. m. the Sundayhool will convene and at 5 o'clock the oung people's society.

The "Hogan Alley" missionary society enjoyed a picnic supper and ball me in Adams' woods last evening. o one hurt except C. F. Patterson who ceived a slight scalp wound at the nds of Fitzsimmons.

The quarterly tea meeting of the W. M. S. of the M. E. church will be eld at Mrs. Helen Griswold's next Wednesday. Meeting called at 3 p. ., tea served at 6. As it is the silver nniversary of this auxiliary, a short istory of the 25 years' work will be iven. All holding mite boxes are requested to hand them in. All invited.

Yesterday afternoon four men from below Britton were in town and filled up on whiskey—it worked nicely. They wanted a scrap, had a longing for one so to speak. About 7 p. m. on Railroad street one strayed from the others, followed a man, pounced upon him and in short order was a badly whipped individual. It drew the usual crowd of spectators.

Miss Hattie Osborn, of Macon, was married to Mr. Harry Perkins, of Hudson, at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Osborn, Wednesday, July 28, Rev. Mr. Cansfield officiating. The wedding was a happy affair, beside the relatives, many school-mates and friends of the young people being in attendance. Mrs. Perkins was educated in Tecumseh and has hosts of friends here who wish her God-speed and happiness through life.

James Elliott, the village clerk, is usually a very quiet, well behaved young man, but when he goes fishing no one can tell a thing about him. Last Friday Jim went fishing, came home early, changed to his best attire and, laden with a light heart and box of chocolates called on his best girl. Meantime his friends secured the fishing outfit with which was constructed a "dummy" which except the facial expression resembled Jimmy very much. Said "dummy" was placed in Jim's chair and leaned over the table in a very "sick" position and Doctors North and Tefft sent for to prescribe for that tired feeling. Both medical gentlemen "bit" as did about a score of other victims. But the meanest part of the joke was when a friend notified Jim at the home of the young lady that a license was wanted down town and during his absence proceeded to take his place with the lady and eat the chocolates.

Fruit cans cheap at Tansley's.

Miss Harriet Conklin is in Charlotte.

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Burt Garlinghouse was in Cleveland Wednesday.

Don't miss low bargains at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

F. P. Deuel has been appointed county game warden.

Perry Hosmer is buying wheat at the old Globe mill.

Garlinghouse Bros. shipped a car load of stock this week.

Attorney Grant Fellows, of Hudson, was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sisson, of Adrian, visited relatives here over Sunday.

Henry Burnett and family, of Ottawa, Canada, are at home for a vacation.

Mrs. C. M. Woodward and daughter Edith were here over Monday night.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Tilton's during the month of August.

Ladies, you can buy an elegant summer corset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowden, of Ely, Minn, are expected in Tecumseh next week.

Miss Edna Burnham, of Detroit, is visiting her cousins, the Smalledge sisters.

Mrs. Field, of Manchester, has been visiting her sons, C. F. and George, the past week.

Rev. R. S. Pardington will occupy the Methodist pulpit Sunday both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy rejoice in a fine little daughter, born to them Friday night.

All persons owing Mrs. M. A. Freeman are requested to call and settle as soon as possible.

Mrs. M. J. Cummins and son Frank, of Jackson, are visiting friends in Tecumseh this week.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Dr. Alice P. Howes, of Detroit, will visit Tecumseh Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week. Rooms at the Patterson house.

Messrs. Miller, of Union City, Fargo and Pratt, of Battle Creek, came up on the excursion last Sunday and visited at G. H. Melody's.

Harris & Hiteshu's midsummer clearing sale will be, as every summer, a hustler. Bottom knocked out of every price. Read all about it.

Past Grand Master J. Q. Look, late of Sault St. Marie, has been spending the week with S. E. Parrish and family, Mrs. P. being his niece.

Mrs. Carlton Morton, Mrs. Furgeson and Miss Conkling rode over from Adrian on their wheels Saturday and took tea with Mrs. John Linton.

We have received a new lot of baby-carriages, and are going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice.
WHEELER & SISSON.

The Epworth League of Tecumseh extend a cordial invitation to all societies to attend the meetings of the coming convention, August 10th and 11th.

Mrs. Vedder and Mrs. Perkins, of Hudson, were in attendance at the Perkins-Osborn wedding and visited friends in Tecumseh Tuesday and Wednesday.

Aug. 12, '97, the D. & L. N. will run an excursion to Niagara Falls for $4.75 round trip from Tecumseh via Detroit and Grand Trunk Ry. Keep your eye on the bills.

Rev. W. H. Shier has been appointed P. E. of this district to fill the place left vacant by the death of Rev. L. P. Davis. He presided over this district ten years ago.

Miss Mabel Hayden will sing Lindsay's "Come unto Me" Sunday morning at St. Peter's church. Levi Hayden will sing Mietzke's "Callest Thou thus O Master," with violin obligato.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, of Chicago, who have been visiting here, have gone to Adrian, accompanied by Mrs. W.'s mother, Mrs. Phoebe Miller, to visit her sister, Mrs. A. E. Kelley.

C. A. Slayton reports the new wheat coming in of excellent quality. He is loading cars on track from farmers' wagons and when the wheat is properly screened by the thresher it goes all right.

Everybody is talking about Ringling Bros.' famous big circus, which is to exhibit at Adrian Saturday, August 7. Several big excursions will go from this vicinity and the popularity of the show will insure an enormous crowd. In this gorgeous display are shown over 100 beautiful dens and cages of wild animals, 400 horses, 25 elephants and nearly a thousand people, and the costumes throughout are of the finest silks, satins, velvet and cloth of gold. The performance that follows is the most magnificent arenic display ever presented by any circus in America. Train on D. & L. N. will be held till after evening performance.

Last week two of our ardent fishermen went to Devil's lake with a fine lot of minnows which required time and labor to secure. Reaching the lake they proceeded at once to indulge their passion for the sport. After baiting their hooks, they fastened the minnow pail to the boat and put it in the water. Fish were biting and soon they each had one. On going for more bait, to their astonishment there was no bait. The pail was gone. To shore they went and after hard work secured some worms which they left on the dock while doing something else. Some ducks came along while they were absent and gobbled up the worms. You may know what followed. The only consolation they received was tendered by Jerry Harkness who advised them in the future to put their bait in a tree. Even fishermen have some unpleasant experiences.

Why not try Mobbs' 50c tea. It is fine

The best quality of fruit cans at Tansley's.

Arthur Howell, of Detroit, was here Saturday.

All summer goods at less than manufacturers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Miss Lucy Bliven, of Blissfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Sisson.

Clyde Heck is taking a vacation this week.

Clean up sale for next week at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Hutchins, of Clinton, were down yesterday.

T. R. Kyle attended the racing matinee at Blissfield yesterday.

Dr. C. W. Mixer, of Hastings, was calling on friends yesterday.

Ralph Orr is visiting his uncle Albert Orr and family at Ashley Ind.

Mrs. Hattie Whiting and Grace, returned to Williamston yesterday.

J. Marvin Hayden, of Grand Rapids, is visiting his old Tecumseh home.

"Put" V. Woodward and family, returned to their home in Detroit, Sunday.

Mrs. Adam, of Clinton, visited her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Stevens, this week.

John Gaston left last evening for a trip to Niagara falls, and other eastern points.

Tomorrow will be the last day to pay village taxes and save the extra percent.

Dr. M. C. Reeves, and L. A. Sutfin, of Clinton, were over yesterday on business.

Mrs. Charles Avery, of Jackson, was the guest of Mrs. John Orr, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Laura Tuttle, of Clinton, visited her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cook Wednesday and yesterday.

Mrs. Ed Rogers and Robbie, returned Wednesday, from a week's visit with Detroit friends.

L. C. Glover, of Coshocton, Ohio, was visiting Tecumseh friends yesterday and the day before.

Dr. and Mrs. Nixon, of Holloway, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCann are visiting their old home friends at Bunker Hill. They went Monday.

The 8th annual convention of the Adrian District Epworth League will be held at Tecumseh, August 10 and 11.

A complete line of ladies' shirt waists. The price to close will be less than manufacturer's cost. HARRIS & HITESHU.

The families of George Heesen, Henry Nyland, Henry Heesen, and Thos. Adamson, picniced at Sand Lake, Tuesday.

Master Lyman Root arrived from New York last Friday night, and will spend some time with his grand mother, Mrs. J. Root.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Phipps, who have been guests of R. A. Heesen and wife, left yesterday for their home in South Bend Ind.

J. Q. Look, of the "Soo," an uncle of Mrs. Parrish, and Mrs. Adzett, of Grand Rapids, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parrish this week.

A large delegation from here attended the ball game at Lake Ridge Sunday. It is strange that so many just happened down that way.

Mrs. Hannah Meyers, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heesen, returned to her home in Nashville, IN., yesterday.

Henry Calhoun, a student at the University, who is spending his vacation at his fathers in Clinton, was shaking hands with old friends here yesterday.

Adamson Bros. have attached to their suspended clock over the walk a pair of eyes in frames which can be illumated by electricty, just notice them.

Mrs. I. D. Wilbur, of Petersburg, was called here last week by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Eugene B. Pattison who now is convalescing slowly.

News from Clinton this forenoon states that Miss Miner is improving and there are strong hopes of her recovery. A concise report of this sad affair will be found in the Clinton department of this issue.

George Tiffany left Wednesday for Hudson, where he has secured a position as stenographer with the grain firm of L. Frensdorf and Son. George will be greatly missed by his host of friends, yet they rejoice in his finding so good a position.

Remington Brothers, of 309 Broadway, New York, have opened a Western office in the Chamber of Commerce Building, Chicago, for the better handling of their increasing Western business, their Eastern office remaining, as heretofore, at 309 Broadway. The firm will continue at both offices with their specialty of county-seat dailies and weeklies.—Extract from THE NEWSPAPER MAKER, July 1, 1887.

It is probable that the Lamb Bros.' fence plant will move to Adrian. While Tecumseh regrets to lose any kind of an industry, still it is but natural that, as the stockholders are all Adrian men, the works should be moved to that city. When the stock was first put on the market Tecumseh capitalists did not buy because they thought Lamb Bros. had nothing to sell. The patent was on a machine to weave wire fence and even now it is far from doing perfect work. The HERALD wishes Lamb Bros. and their company all success and regrets to lose the gentlemen and their enterprize from this community.

The D. & L. N. evening train will be held in Adrian until after Ringling Bros. circus Saturday, Aug. 7th, so that all who desire, may leave Tecumseh at 6:25, see the circus and return the same evening.

The East Raisin Presbyterian Sunday school held a picnic Wednesday in T. I. Sutton's grove, and a delightful time resulted. After dinner, both old and young went in bathing. Miss Loana Stacy, Mrs. Dr. Miller, and son Tommie, from here attended.

R. S. Moore and wife, entertained a bike party, given in honor of their niece, Miss Merl Munn's birthday, Wednesday evening. After making the run to Clinton and back, delicate refreshments were served on the lawn which was beautifully illuminated

Yesterday a company, consisting of Robert Russell, wife and Earl, James Lowry, wife and Eddie, Thos. Elliott, wife and Tommie, Chas. Heck, wife and Willie, and Will Orr, wife and some kid, passed the day at Sand Lake. The query is, whose child Will Orr's folks have, as each family was to be represented by the youngest child. Being destitute, they must have borrowed one.

Mrs. L. O. Jackson, wife of Rev. A. C. Jackson, and sister of Mrs. Jennie Emerson, of this place, died at her home in Mancelona, Saturday, July 17th, after a long illness. The funeral services were held Monday, July 19th, in the radical United Brethern church, and were very impressive. Mrs. Jackson was possessed of sterling qualities that endeared her to those with whom she came in contact, and her death is a severe blow to a large circle of friends, who extend deepest sympathy to the family and relatives in their sad bereavement.

Ball Game.

The game between the Diemels, of Detroit, and the home team last Friday, while not being what might be called an exciting one, still had some very interesting points. Harris, Tecumseh's pitcher, was in the best of form and very few of the visitors reached first, and those few were, by clever fielding, retired before completing their circuit to the home plate. Girardin, for the Deimels, was not able to hold the Tecumseh hitters down and, after 7 hits had been made in three innings, he was retired from the box in favor of Kuhnline whose work was less effectual. Heesen did a clever bit of fielding in the sixth and Lowe played his usual excellent game at second. Kelly, Tecumseh's new fielder, did well with the stick, but had no chance to show himself in the field. It must have been an off day for the Detroit boys for they handled the ball like children, but much credit must go to Harris for his admirable work in the box.

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Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Tecumseh	0	4	5	1	0	2	8	0	*	20	18	5

Earned runs—Tecumseh 5. 2-base hits—Lowe 2, Heesen. Stolen bases—Connors, Harris. Bases on balls—Mack, Gillen, Rixom, Kennedy. Passed balls—Fuchs 1, Gillen 0. Struck out by Girardin 2, Kuhnline 2, Harris 18. Time—1 hr., 45 min. Umpire—Easlick, of Lake Ridge.

G. A. R. Encampment—Buffalo.

On the occasion of the 31st National Encampment the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets, August 21, 22 and 23, to Buffalo at one cent per mile, good returning until September 20th. The arrangements are such as to cause this encampment to be the largest, grandest and most successful ever held. Every member of the G. A. R. organizations, their relatives and friends should not fail to attend. The rates are low and the service of the fast trains over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will enable you to make the trip cheaply, quickly and comfortably, both going and returning.

A handsomely illustrated, descriptive book about Buffalo, the encampment, route, and containing map of the city, and program has been prepared and will be sent free to any member of the G. A. R. on application to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

—Have you ever used Lemon Cream for the face? If not go to John J. Orr's and procure it at once.

—Have you seen the Comet? The only one dollar camera in the world. Takes snap shot photographs equal to those of high-priced cameras. For sale by George Schreder. Agents wanted.

—Ladies the finest thing for tan or eruptions of the face, is Lemon Cream sold only by John J. Orr.

—Go to John J. Orr's for Lemon Cream, the finest preparation for the skin yet discovered.

Report of the Condition
—of the—
Lilley State Bank

At Tecumseh, Michigan, at the close of business, July 23, 1897.

Resources.	Dollars.
Loans and discounts	$93648 39
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	29471 58
Overdrafts	167 24
Furniture and fixtures	1650 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	18939 84
Checks and cash items	675 50
Nickels and cents	19 66
Gold coin	15111 80
Silver coin	150 00
U. S. and National Bank Notes	6305 00
Total	196089 41

Liabilities.	Dollars.
Capital stock paid in	$40000 00
Surplus fund	800 00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1558 44
Commercial deposits subject to check	101934 36
Commercial certificates of deposit	43336 61
Total	196089 41

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF LENAWEE, SS.
I, Lester P. Tribou, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
LESTER P. TRIBOU, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1897. FRANK B. BAUER, Notary Public.
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LUCIUS LILLEY,
ALBERT L. BREWER } Directors.
JNO. S. STRONG

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Steel or wood track, hay cars, hay rope, slings, harpoon forks, etc. Also binder twine,

Binder and Stack Covers,

Thresher Belts, Mower and Reaper Sections.

Satterthwaite Bros.

A Midnight Encounter.

VERNAL CHOICE was a pretty and commodious villa, and Dovecottam a select and salubrious suburb. To the happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Green—lately made almost complete by the arrival of the veriest cherub that ever came down from Heaven—there were but two drawbacks. The first was of Maurice's making. He had a ridiculous fad about gas fittings. He believed them to be in a chronic state of leakiness. He told his long-suffering wife almost daily that more gas escaped through unsuspected cracks and defective joints than served to illuminate the cozy rooms of Vernal Choice.

Mrs. Maurice Green's bugbear was burglars. Nothing could shake her conviction that when a burglar took his "dark suburban way" his objective would be by decree of fate, Vernal Choice. Thus it came to pass, that, nightly, while Maurice was turning off the gas at the meter—he would on no account allow anyone else to do it, as "gas is such a fickle thing"—his little wife was on her knees in the bedroom, not, as might be supposed, saying her prayers—though she made the same kneeling serve both purposes—but timidly peering under the flowered terra cotta valances for the burglar that never came.

Sometimes it would happen that the gas popped out just as she was in the act of raising the curtain that might reveal the tragedy of her life, and then, with a little scream, she would seek the matches—she never could put her hand readily on the matches—and light the delicately shaded candle on the dressing table, ere proceeding with her search and her devotions. At such times, when Maurice ascended from the underground regions, where the gas meter meted out its dole, to the company of his wife above stairs, she would rate him, right soundly for so gentle a little body, for what she styled his "absurd fad" about turning the gas off.

"What do a few extra feet of gas signify, when three precious lives might some night be sacrificed for lack of a light?" she would exclaim, with as much dramatic fervor as if she had been before a row of footlights and a crowded pit, instead of a blue-tinted corrugated candle and a mildly scornful husband.

When Maurice wished to be withering, he was always studiously alliterative in his choice of words. He never failed to pooh pooh the burglar notion. He said it was "the merest moonshine," and that there were "crowds of costlier cribs to crack than Vernal Choice, you bet!"

Mrs. Green, as a rule, deigned no answer. She hated slang, and wondered how a man of Maurice's sense—except upon the meter question—could stoop to its use. She generally refrained from saying so, however, like the sensible little woman she was, and, resignedly filling the baby's feeding bottle, and tucking the little cherub with sundry croonings in its bedside cot retired for the night, leaving Maurice to blow out the corrugated candle.

It was winter, and it was midnight. Maurice had a cold, and so had the baby. The "little cherub," in fact, had a "touch of bronchitis," and his hard breathing as he slumbered restlessly in his little cot, plainly testified the fact through the darkness.

"I wonder," murmured Mrs. Green, as she lay listening to the troubled breathing of the child on the one hand, and the influenza snore of her husband on the other—"I wonder if the little pet is warm enough. I'm anxious about his little chest, bless him! I'd take him into my bed, only Maurice doesn't like it. The little fellow kicks the clothes off so! What could I do to prevent him from taking cold afresh? Happy thought!—there's that little woolen wrap in the spare bedroom. It's either in the middle drawer of the dressing-table or in the wardrobe, I know.

"Poor Maurice! he would willingly go and find it for me, but I wouldn't disturb him to-night for the world. I'm glad I succeeded in persuading him to sleep in his dressing jacket. Those nasty influenza colds need care, and I'm so apt to uncover him in reaching over to baby. I'll slip into the next room myself."

Thus soliloquizing she quietly got out of bed—for where baby came in fear flew out—pushed the turned back bedclothes gently against her husband's back so that he would not miss her, and proceeded to feel for the matches. The little receptacle at the bed head was empty. Not a match! "Oh, dear, dear, why will Maurice insist upon turning the gas off at the meter, especially when the baby is unwell?" she sighed, as she slipped into her dressing gown, which fortunately was hanging on the brass knob at the foot of the bed.

Slippers she could not find. Nil desperandum! She knew to a foot where the wrap was, or at least she thought she did, and she would know it the moment she laid a finger on it. The little cherub in the cot coughed in a choking manner. Light or no light, the wrap must be found, and, without further delay, the little mother walked gingerly into the next room.

No one could fail to find the wardrobe, as it was the first article of furniture encountered on entering the room. When its door opened it was possible to view one's self from the bedroom door, for it consisted of a three-quarter length mirror in which Mrs. Green was wont to inspect the "hang" of her latest costume.

"I'm almost sure it's in the dressing table drawer," mused Mrs. Green, growing accustomed to the darkness, and assisted by a suspicion of moonlight that shed a pale, uncertain light both through the skylight on the landing and the window opposite the wardrobe. Acting upon this, though she ignored the wardrobe for the present, she crossed the room to the dressing table, and, after sundry clickings of little brass handles, and tentative pulls at wrong drawers, at last opened the right one, but failed to feel the wrap.

"It must be in the wardrobe after all," she thought, and, accordingly, closed the drawer with some noise, tripped across the dark room, opened the wardrobe door with some difficulty, and buried herself in its spacious recesses.

Maurice was a heavy sleeper, and, consequently, apt to be a bit bemuddled on first awakening—more especially in the dark. On this particular night, after apparently dreaming for a full fortnight of "excursions and alarums," he awoke with a violent start. The room, to him, was pitch dark. There was not even the suspicion of moonlight on this side of the house. Besides, the blinds were down. He sat up, every nerve and sinew taut now. He was fully awake.

"By jingo," he breathed, and he felt the cold sweat start to his brow, "she was right. They've come!" He put out his hand to wake his wife. He felt her form under the bulging bed clothes at his side. He could hear the baby breathing huskily. There was only one other person in that house unaccounted for. That was the little servant maid. But why should she be trying drawers in the spare bedroom? No, they had come after all. Mrs. Green was right. It was burglars.

Maurice withdrew his hand, which rested on the hillock by his side, with the thought: "I'll not waken her, poor soul. She'd be scared to death. I'll know the worst first." So thinking, and with a sort of infatuation—which was perhaps bravery—to get a glimpse of the marauder, he stole out of bed, buttoned up his dressing-jacket, took the little bedside chair by the back, and, thus armed, his heart beating like a muffled drum, stealthily turned the corner between the two rooms.

A faint light came through the landing skylight. Heavens! the villain was at the other end of the room, right opposite the door. What he was doing he could not make out, for he looked like a man seen through a mist. The wretch! Just then the draught along the landing took Maurice shrewdly on the bare legs. The influenza asserted itself. He fought against it desperately for a moment. It but augmented the force of the explosion. Like a thunderclap he sneezed.

There was a muffled exclamation in the room. Maurice rushed forward with uplifted chair. The burglar, too, had a chair, and was making at him with equal fury. Crash! The house seemed to have fallen. There was a fearful clatter of falling glass, a piercing shriek, the sound of a body falling on the floor, and all was still, but for the wail of the frightened babe in the room he had left.

What had he done? He kneeled down, careless of the broken glass, and his hand rested on a bare foot. Sick with apprehension, he groped elsewhere, and encountered a plaited head and a few curling pins. "A match! a match! My kingdom for a match!" he would doubtless have said, had he not been so terribly upset.

Just then a rectangle of light appeared and increased until, pale and trembling, stood the little maid in the doorway, a farthing dip in her hand, amazed to see the following tableau vivant: A wardrobe door, swinging upon its hinges, with its long mirror smashed to fragments; a chair, with a broken leg, lying close by; a horrid man in a night shirt and dressing jacket, kneeling at the feet of a prostrate woman in a dead faint, a dressing gown and plaits, who was none other than the horrified man's wife.

Maurice Green never turns the gas off at the meter now, except when he takes his wife and family away for the summer holiday. Mrs. Green still looks under the bed for possible burglars before retiring for the night, but Maurice has never dared to chaff her since he mistook his own faint reflection in the wardrobe mirror for a desperate burglar.—Tit-Bits.

He Was Alive.

The grenadiers of the famous "Old Guard" will never be forgotten, in France as long as the memory of brave men shall live in the national heart. But some of them, at least, were as bright as they were brave, as the following trustworthy anecdote bears witness:

One fine morning, after peace had been concluded between France and Russia, the two emperors, Napoleon and Alexander, were taking a short walk, arm in arm, around the palace park at Erfurt. As they approached the sentinel, who stood at the foot of the grand staircase, the man, who was a grenadier of the guard, presented arms. The emperor of France turned, and pointing with pride to a great scar that divided the grenadier's face, said:

"What do you think, my brother, of soldiers who can survive such wounds as that?"

"And you," answered Alexander, "what do you think of soldiers who can inflict them?"

Without stirring an inch from his position, or changing the expression of his face in the least, the stern old grenadier himself replied, gravely:

"The man who did it is dead."—Youth's Companion.

A Spur.

"Bailiff," said a western judge one day to an officer in charge of the jury, "will you please inform the jury there will be a horse race in Merrick's field at three o'clock?"

The jury had been out for 48 hours, but in less than 30 minutes they came into court with a verdict.—Tit-Bits.

Delicate Proposal.

She—Perfectly lovely club; isn't it?

He—Are you a member?

"No; only married women are eligible."

"Ah! Would you allow me to—make you eligible to membership?"—

GUESTS FLEE FROM FIRE.

Jennison Park Hotel, Near Holland, Burns at Night.

Holland, July 25.—The big Jennison Park hotel, at Jennison Park, on Black lake, near here, was destroyed at four o'clock Saturday morning by a fire that reduced it to a pile of ashes in less than 45 minutes. There was an unusual gathering of guests at the hotel because of a "grand opening" ball given the night before by Manager J. B. Bryant. The fire followed within an hour of the closing of the dining-room, but even from the tired sleep of that hour the 120 guests and 30 employes were awakened in time to escape with their lives from the very rapid spread of the flames. Several persons were hurt, none seriously, however. The cause of the fire was an explosion of a gasoline burner on the ground floor near the kitchen of the hotel. It was used for heating water, and a watchman lit it about 3:30 o'clock and went to another part of the building. Five minutes later that portion of the building was filled with flames, and within an hour the main building and the detached annex were in ruins. The loss is about $30,000. Some 80 of the guests and most of the servants, all sleeping in the main building, escaped in their night robes and several lost heavily in valuable clothing and jewelry. Mrs. Muhlhauser and her daughter lost diamonds worth $2,000.

TAKE THEIR OWN LIVES.

One Woman and Two Men Commit Suicide in Detroit.

Detroit, July 27.—Three persons committed suicide in Detroit Monday—Mrs. Frances Schischke, aged 45; Charles Weitzke, a tailor, aged 58, and an unknown man who jumped off the ferryboat into the river.

Luis, the 15-year-old son of Mrs. Schischke, went into his mother's bedroom to call her at six o'clock Monday morning. He found her sitting in a rocking chair dead. She had shot herself in the forehead. She and her husband separated three years ago, and since then she had been the only support of her six children.

Charles Weitzke sent his family, consisting of a wife and five children, to look at the circus parade Monday morning, and in their absence committed suicide by hanging himself to a crossbeam in the garret.

The unknown man who jumped into the river cried: "Here goes nothing," as he made the leap. The passengers threw life-preservers to him, but he refused to cling to them.

BOOM IN FURNITURE.

Big Factories at Grand Rapids Are Crowded with Orders.

Grand Rapids, July 24.—The fall furniture season "opening" is drawing to a close, and in figuring up the results the manufacturers find that it has been the most satisfactory opening they have had since the spring of 1892. The number of buyers in the market was 369, and the arrivals next week will swell the total for the month to 400 or more. Conservative estimates place the increase of the business this season over that of July, 1896, at 25 per cent. or better. Some of the manufacturers report orders booked already to an aggregate larger than the entire sales of last fall, and there are none that do not report an encouraging increase. All the factories here are running full time, and most of them with full forces of men.

Big Sawmill Burned.

Menominee, July 23.—The sawmill plant of Donovan & O'Connor in this city was burned a short time after starting the machinery. The fire started under the band mill, and in a few seconds the entire structure was in flames. Nothing but the surrounding lumber could be saved. Nelson Kennedy, the band-mill filer, was badly burned about the head, neck, hands and arms. The owners of the mill had made contracts recently for sawing from 6,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet of logs. The loss on the mill is $25,000; insurance, $10,000.

The Blueberry Crop.

Negaunee, July 24.—The blueberry crop promises to be an excellent one this season, and the first berries are already in the market. The season will be at its height in about two weeks, and from now until then the number of pickers engaged in gathering the berries in Marquette, Delta, Alger and Luce counties will increase daily until perhaps 2,000 persons will be engaged in the work. The blueberry crop of Marquette and adjacent counties will be worth $60,000 to $75,000 this year.

Saginaw Street Cars Running.

Saginaw, July 27.—The street cars were started up here Monday night, after being shut down for a week. The receivers took hold without any resistance from the old management and paid the $18,000 due the city. The stockholders of the company still say they will push the case in the United States court.

New Insect Attacks Peaches.

Decatur, July 26.—Fruitgrowers in the northern part of the Michigan peach belt report that a new insect pest has destroyed nearly all the peaches in the larger orchards along the lake shore, in Oceana county. The pest has not as yet made its appearance in other parts of the fruit region.

Death of J. A. Morton.

Decatur, July 24.—J. A. Morton, ex-governor of North Carolina, was buried at Hart, Oceana county, with military honors. He was acting governor during the civil war, and in 1865 came north to Michigan.

Blow Broke His Neck.

Port Huron, July 27.—Kilbourne Seeback, aged 17, was felled to the ground Sunday night by a blow that broke his neck and caused instant death. Owen McArron, another boy, is in jail, on suspicion.

Crushed to Death.

Decatur, July 23.—Otto Werner was crushed to death under a farmer's wagon at Jackson while trying to climb upon a wheel.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information Gathered by Mail and Telegraph.

Holland has been awarded free mail delivery.

The indications are that the state fair in Grand Rapids will be a success.

Alma will have electric lights. Work had been begun on a 350-horse power plant.

Girl pall bearers officiated at the funeral of Miss Blanche Schofield, Muskegon, Wednesday.

John Osler, aged 80 years, committed suicide at Belleville by hanging. Temporary insanity.

A scheme for an electric railway from Grand Rapids to Grand Haven is being vigorously pushed.

The private bank of C. W. Jones, of Marcellus, will be reorganized as a state bank with a capital of $40,000.

The scheme of building an electric railroad from Battle Creek to Kalamazoo, via Gull lake, has been revived.

The Mecosta County Savings bank receiver has announced a second dividend of 12½ per cent., making 37½ per cent. in all.

Quail and partridge are said to be unusually thick throughout the state this year, and sportsmen are looking forward to plenty of sport this fall.

Thomas Dilling, aged 82 years, dropped dead in his wheat field near Charlotte Wednesday. He was the first settler in Carmel and leaves a rich estate.

Huckleberrying is the order of the day now around Standish, hundreds of bushels being brought in each day from all directions. Raspberries also are coming in freely.

Men employed in the Collins and other brickyards, numbering 100 or more, went out on strike at Grand Rapids. They claim they were promised an increase of wages they did not get.

Mrs. Blanche H. Mason, of Lansing, has been appointed a deputy factory inspector by Labor Commissioner Cox. She will inspect the sanitary arrangements in factories where females are employed.

The new wheat being marketed in southwestern Michigan is of plump, hard berry and remarkably free from rye. The cautionary circulars sent out before harvest by the grain dealers of that region induced hundreds of farmers to go through their wheat and cut out the growing rye by hand.

RAISES THE ASSESSMENT.

Old Members of the Knights of Maccabees Must Pay Higher Rates.

Port Huron, July 24.—The supreme tent, Knights of the Maccabees, after a long discussion over the question of raising the assessment rates of old members 50 per cent.; to the standard by which new members are assessed, adopted a compromise. It provides for two extra assessments each year upon all members admitted prior to July 1, 1895, allowing such members, however, the privilege of surrendering their membership certificates and obtaining another, upon which the assessments will be the same as those upon members who have joined since July, 1895.

Double Tragedy.

Ann Arbor, Mich., July 28. — Nathan James, a farm hand, on Tuesday shot and fatally wounded Martha Miner, a domestic, and then killed himself. A lovers' quarrel is supposed to have been the cause. The tragedy was enacted at the home of James' employer, Charles Gadds, in Bridgewater township. James, who is about 50 years old, is said to have kept Miss Miner secreted in Gadds' house for several days. The girl is dying. James killed himself instantly.

New Car Ferry Line.

Benton Harbor, July 27.—Two car ferry boats will be put on the route between this port and the west shore, connecting the Big Four system at this point with the Wisconsin Central road at West Shore, and making a direct route to the eastern seaboard. This will greatly shorten the time of through freights that are required to pass through the Chicago yards.

New Wheat at Ionia.

Ionia, July 23.—The first load of '97 wheat which has found its way to this market was sold to W. C. Page & Co. Tuesday by J. Sturtevant, of Ionia township. It is "No 2 Michigan Red," of the Rudy variety, and the price paid was 70 cents. The quality is excellent. The berry is large and plump, and it is as good wheat as has ever been brought into the Ionia market.

Ann Arbor Opera House Sold.

Ann Arbor, July 26.—The Grand opera house was sold to Louis J. Liesemer, editor and proprietor of the Washtenaw Daily Times and Hausfruend Post. The consideration was $30,000. About $3,000 will be spent in remodeling the interior of the house. The Chi Psi fraternity has purchased the Whitman residence for a future chapter house, consideration $12,000.

In Session Nearly Two Years.

Lansing, July 24.—In response to an inquiry from an attorney, Deputy County Clerk Lazelle looked through the docket of the circuit court to ascertain when the last sine die adjournment of the court was taken. He found that it was on September 7, 1895, since which time the court has been continually in session so far as an adjournment is concerned.

Decrease in Railroad Earnings.

Lansing, July 24.—Railroad Commissioner Wesselius reports that the Michigan earnings of railroad companies for the first five months of 1897 show a decrease of 10.6 per cent. from those for the same period of 1896, when the aggregate was $11,293,700. The earnings for May, this year, were $2,107,139, $380,289 less than for May, 1896.

—The completed mileage of railways in India, according to recent returns, is 19,724, and there are 3,600 miles under construction.

YOUNG WOMAN KILLED.

Cruel Murder in the Woods near Crystal Falls.

Crystal Falls, July 26.—Within a mile of this place Saturday evening Miss Pearl Morrison, one of the city's most highly esteemed young women, was foully murdered. Miss Morrison had spent the afternoon visiting friends at Great Western mine location and left the residence of the Misses Brooks at about five o'clock to return home. She never reached there, and her father went in search of her Sunday morning, but could find no trace of her. Three large parties started out to make a systematic search of the woods on the east side of the river. They had hardly entered upon their work when they were met by Miss Brooks, who reported that a tramp whom she had given supper to the evening before had returned to her house shortly after dinner Sunday and said that he had found a dead girl in the woods and guided her to the spot where the dead girl lay, and whom she found to be her friend and guest of the day before, Pearl Morrison. Miss Brooks took the party to the place where the object of their search lay. The girl's face was badly battered and her throat showed the finger marks of the man who had strangled her. There was ample evidence that the murderer had satisfied his bellish lust after killing the poor girl. The spot where the murder took place is about a quarter of a mile from the main road, leading to the mine and about 30 feet from the Blaney creek road. The brush was trampled down for several feet around where the girl lay, showing that she had made a desperate fight before she gave up her life. Several circumstances connected with the finding of the body by the tramp who gave his name as Peter Bunce, and claims to hail from nowhere in particular, are very suspicious and point strongly to him as the murderer. He is under arrest.

A paper bag, containing a lunch given to Bunce by Mrs. Harris and found near the spot where Pearl Morrison was murdered Friday night, is regarded here as strong evidence against Bunce. Several other circumstances help to build a strong chain of circumstantial evidence around him, and one of the strongest is the fact of him reporting the finding of the body. It is now thought that his object in doing so was the hope of receiving a reward. He can give no satisfactory account of his whereabouts from 3:30 o'clock until six o'clock, between which hours it is known the murder was committed.

MAY REDUCE ITS CAPITAL.

Business of Michigan-Peninsular Car Company Has Decreased.

Detroit, July 28.—Holders of preferred stock in the Michigan-Peninsular Car company are anxious on account of a threatened reduction of the capital stock of the big car building concern. The corporation, which was formed in 1892 by the consolidation of five car building and iron working concerns, has been doing little business the past three years in proportion to its capital, which consists of $3,000,000 common and $5,000,000 preferred stock. The latter guarantees dividends, but has no voting power. Senator McMillan and associates are heavy holders of the preferred securities. Col. F. J. Hecker and Charles L. Freer are said to have gained a controlling interest in the common stock and in the $2,000,000 of bonds issued by the company. The plant is said to inventory about $3,000,000.

Peppermint Oil Crop Injured.

Decatur, July 28.—The distilling of peppermint oil has begun in the mint fields of this region, where two-thirds of the crop of the United States is produced. Late frosts and grasshoppers worked considerable injury in some parts of the district, while in other portions the first fields cut are producing much less oil an acre than last season. Conservative growers estimate that the yield of oil will be nearly up to that of last season by reason of the largely increased acreage devoted to the culture of peppermint this year.

Pingree to Fight Burrows.

Lansing, July 28.—Gov. Pingree on Wednesday emphasized his intention to back Col. John Atkinson for the United States senatorship to succeed Julius C. Burrows, whom the governor does not like for the important part he took in securing the passage of the Dingley bill. The new tariff law does not suit the governor because he says it puts too much tariff on hides, an article which he uses extensively in his business.

Well-Known Publisher Dead.

Hudson, July 23.—Orlin A. Read, publisher of the Pittsford Tribune, died at the home of his wife's mother in this city of consumption, aged 31. He formerly printed the Benzie Banner and served four years on the Muskegon Times.

Isle Royale Mines Reopened.

Houghton, July 27.—Actual work was resumed Monday morning, after many years of idleness, at Isle Royale mines, when men were set at work on the surface preparatory to unwatering and vigorously operating the property.

Bad Fire at Ashley.

Owosso, July 27.—The village of Ashley, 20 miles north of this city, was visited by a disastrous fire Monday which destroyed one-half the business portion of the town. The loss will reach $50,000, with less than $10,000 insurance.

Fine Remitted.

Washington, D. C., July 27.—The president has remitted the fine in the case of Addie B. Holland, sentenced in Michigan November, 1893, to two years' imprisonment and $250 fine for embezzling post office funds.

Three Drowned.

Salem, O., July [illegible].—Josie Phillips, aged 20; Mary Phillips, her sister, aged 16, of Salem, and Isaac Master, of Winona, were drowned at Shelton Grove, a pleasure resort.

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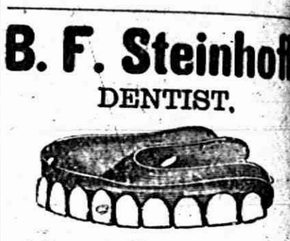

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EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:13 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:32 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:56 p. m.
New York Express	9:20 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	12:47 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 815. Mail.	No. 835. Express.	No. 845. Accom.
Kalamazoo.....Lv	6 35 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 50 P.M.
Spoleon	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Farwell	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Manchester	7 18 "	2 39 "	1 55 "
Clinton	7 28 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 38 "	3 05 "	3 05 "
Adrian.....Ar	8 15 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Farwell	10 45 "	6 20 "	.....
Spoleon	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 45 "
Jackson	Main No. 815 arrives in Chicago at 3:40 p. m		
" " 835	" " "	11:35 "	

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 846. Accom.
Farwell	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Spoleon	7 45 "	2 50 "	6 00 A.M.
Adrian	8 42 "	3 50 "	7 35 "
Tecumseh	9 09 "	9 29 "	8 10 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 37 "	9 00 "
Manchester	9 33 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Farwell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Spoleon	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
Jackson	10 15 "	10 35 "	11 00 "

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Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

No. 21,	Passenger	11:59 a. m.
No. 23,	Passenger	6:02 p. m.
No. 25,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
No. 31,	Passenger	6:46 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 22,	Passenger	8:42 a. m.
No. 24,	Passenger	4:07 p. m.
No. 26,	Local Freight	9:58 a. m.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45.
	P. M.	P.M.	A.M.	A. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	‡ 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
Tecumseh	7 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
Adrian	7 53	6 45	10 48	5 00
Toledo	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
O. S. Ry.				
Lima.....Lv.			2 30	8 30
Springfield			4 50	10 30
Jackson.....Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P.M.	† P.M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Detroit.....Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 26		‡ 12 40
Tecumseh	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Adrian	9 32	2 23	8 47	10 48
Lima.....Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
O. S. Ry.				A.M.
Lima.....Ar.		11 30	5 15	
Springfield		9 25	3 00	
Jackson.....Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

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An idea of the vast extent of the electrical industries can be formed when it is stated that careful investigation reveals the fact that the capital invested in various electrical arts is not less than $1,500,000,000, says the Boston Herald. The very magnitude of this vast capital indicates the enormous extent to which electricity now lends its aid to the other natural forces previously brought under human control. One can scarcely enter an industrial establishment of any importance, a public building or a private residence having any pretense of comfort or luxury, without meeting with familiar or unfamiliar electric appliances. Not only are electric motors to be seen everywhere, but the electric current is made to regulate the operation of steam throttle valves, clocks and many other appliances of machinery. It is not easy to guess where all this will stop. No doubt electricity will continue to invade fields wherein mechanical construction has heretofore been wholly relied upon and other mechanical movements will, in their turn, be supplanted.

FARM & GARDEN.

THE HANDY MECHANIC.

How He Can Handle a Bulky Fodder Crop with Ease.

In cutting ensilage or fodder, a little work transferred from hand to horse power often goes a great way to lessen expense. A simple method is shown below of unloading fodder or hay. Two ropes about 50 feet long, depending on the length of the rack and height of load to be drawn, are used, one end of each being fastened to the hind axle of the wagon. They are then passed back and over the top of the rack between the two outside boards on either side. While loading, the ropes may be brought back under the outside of the rack and fastened almost any place on the rear part. When the load is completed the ropes are drawn over the fodder and tied to the back of the rack,

UNLOADING FODDER MADE EASY.

acting in the capacity of a binding pole. To unload, fasten the ropes to a beam, and with the team draw the wagon slowly out from under the load. The first time may not always prove successful, but with a little practice the wagon may be unloaded in a few minutes.

The ropes should be so laid that they will not catch to anything. The fodder must be placed evenly on either side and the distance apart of the ropes is to be determined by practice. In unloading, if the fodder is heavy, the front end of the rack must be tied to the wagon or the hind end placed almost directly over the hind wheels, as the weight of the fodder is liable to tip up the rack. In tying the ropes to the beam or post, do it high enough to prevent the drawing downward upon the fodder. They should be of equal length, which may be regulated by one man drawing down on one or the other while unloading, as he finds it necessary. The team must be driven slowly. It is best to practice a few times on quite small loads and notice the effect upon different ways of loading and the place the fodder is to drop, by loosening or tightening the rope.—Farm and Home.

STORAGE OF GRAIN.

Care Must Be Taken to Insure Its Keeping in Good Condition.

On the average farm it is nearly always necessary to store more or less grain. Oats for seed and feeding, wheat for seed and exchange at the mill for flour, as well as to market. Wheat is a cash crop and can be turned into money at any time; it is often as good a plan to store the wheat in the granary and sell as the money is needed as to sell direct from the machine, when the threshing is done, and then put the money in the bank.

But it is essential when grain of any kind is to be stored away that pains be taken to store in such a way as will insure its keeping in a good condition. This granary should be clean, well-ventilated and as nearly vermin-proof as possible. A separate building will generally supply these conditions more fully than any other.

If a new granary is to be built, the work should be done in good season, so as to be sure to have it ready when the threshing is done, as there is always more or less loss every time that small grain is handled, and it is quite an item to handle it as little as possible.

The granary should be built with the floor well up from the ground, set on pillars; put inverted pans or sheets of iron over each post to keep out rats and mice; have a good, solid floor and be sure that it is tight. Have good ventilation at the top. The size must, of course, depend on the quantity of grain to be stored, but it is best to have plenty of room, so that in case it is necessary to store damp grain there will be room to stir it about.

With an old granary a thorough cleaning out should be given, and it will be better if the inside is thoroughly whitewashed, using a good lime wash into which a small quantity of carbolic acid or copperas has been stirred.

It is hardly good economy to start a crop in such a way or under such conditions that it will not be reasonably sure of keeping in good condition. There is always some loss in storing grain; it is quite an item to make this as small as possible.—St. Louis Republic.

How Manure Is Wasted.

There are two ways in which stable manure is most likely to be wasted. One, the most obvious, is the wasting by rains, which will wash away all that is soluble in it. But the other, less thought of, is even more dangerous though unseen. That is the wasting by the passing away as ammonia of all the nitrogenous parts of manure. The ammonia is very volatile. Pour some into a saucer and leave it exposed to the air, and most of its strength will disappear after a few hours. If some potash is put with it that will absorb a part of it, turning it. If the potash be caustic, into saltpetre. But the far greater part of the ammonia is given off by decomposing manure heaps and escapes into the air, where it becomes useless as a fertilizer.

Harness that is crusted with sweat and dirt should be cleaned.

PASTURES NEED CARE.

The Future of Hay Farming in the United States.

The desire to cultivate as much land as possible in order to get the most possible from it has led to general neglect of meadow and pasture lands. Only when it is found that the soil had lost so much fertility that it would not pay for cultivating was it seeded down or left to grow up with such herbage, both weeds and grass, as nature provided. The result is that most of the land now in grass is by that very fact discredited as being presumably fit for nothing else. Yet there is in all grass land a constant tendency to increase in fertility. It is so even when the land is left to grow up with the weeds and bushes. These shelter the surface, hold the leaves that fall on the land from being blown away. The decomposition of these leaves gradually builds up the soil, and to this must be added the excrement from animals fed on the herbage which the soil is still able to grow.

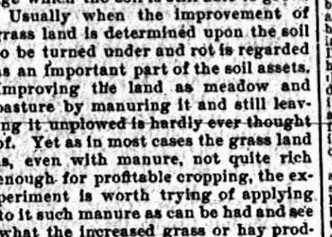
Usually when the improvement of grass land is determined upon the soil to be turned under and rot is regarded as an important part of the soil assets. Improving the land as meadow and pasture by manuring it and still leaving it unplowed is hardly ever thought of. Yet as in most cases the grass land is, even with manure, not quite rich enough for profitable cropping, the experiment is worth trying of applying to it such manure as can be had and see what the increased grass or hay product will be worth. This is done successfully in England. Why may it not in the older parts of this country? The demand for hay is generally good in all eastern cities. Will it pay to fertilize grass lands so as to make the growing of hay profitable? If it will not pay to maintain fertility in grass land, the logical sequence is that all hay or grass taken from it helps to reduce fertility so that the soil will be worth nothing for the production of any kind of crop.

If is likely that in the future, as in the past, most of the hay crop in this country will be produced in the years when the rotation between cultivated crops and grass requires that the land be seeded. Our climate is not moist like that of England. Hence it cannot keep a good sod so many years without plowing and reseeding. This also is so much the best for cultivated land that there need be no fear that the profits of cultivated crops will so lessen the amount of land in grass that there will not be hay enough to feed with grain and coarser fodder, nor that it will fail to be supplied at reasonable prices.—Cultivator.

CORNFODDER BARROW.

It Will Pay for Itself in a Surprisingly Short Time.

The two side pieces (A) are six feet long and one and one-half inches by three inches. The uprights (B) are two feet long and two inches by one and one-half inches. The cross pieces are



BARROW FOR HAULING FODDER.

two feet long, and two feet apart and three inches wide by one and one-half inches.

The straps (D) are old pieces of carriage tire bent as shown. The legs are fastened on with a single bolt and the uprights by a long screw. The braces for the uprights are notched in and nailed. When it is desired to use the barrow for grass put in a floor of half-inch white pine; also nail half-inch boards from B 1 to B 2 and fit in side boards from B 2 to B 2 and from B 1 to B 1.

White pine or cypress will be strong enough for the dimensions given. If heavier wood is used use smaller size.—National Stockman.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

A good male animal will improve a whole herd.

All heavy crops are grown in a rich soil thoroughly cultivated.

Change the bill of fare frequently if you want the teams to do well.

Good management with stock is that which insures a steady growth.

Market all the poor sheep as soon as fat; there is no money in keeping them.

Early maturity is one of the best methods of lessening the cost of early maturity.

By keeping stock growing and gaining they will be making something every day.

The keeping of good sheep is as profitable as the keeping of any other kind of stock.

One advantage with both sheep and hogs is the quick returns it is possible to receive.

Good land, good seed, good tillage, good manure are four essentials of good farming.

Hogs require salt the same as other stock. Keep a supply where they can help themselves.—Farmers Union.

Some Effects of Weeds.

Weeds not only impoverish the soil, but they shade and occupy the ground to the detriment of other plants. We are all familiar with the serious effects of spring weeds on the growth of nearly all kinds of crops produced in market gardening. How, if care is not exercised, they choke the slender onions, just from the seed, and cause the young beets and parsnips to become pale and worthless. Weeds are hardy plants, and in their struggle for existence, unless checked, force to the wall the more tender plants which it is man's province to grow and cultivate.—Rural World.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 26th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elias Brown, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Esther M. Brown, widow of said deceased, praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas H. Brown or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 23d day of August nex , at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the u dersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and in erest of said Wm. Hayden in and to he following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 26 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links (7.70) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 38 links (9.38) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 59 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 26-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at a point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 11 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 556 ft. to the south line of Hilliman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hilliman's south line 553 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and paralel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence nor h along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south paralel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said nor h line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 2., township of Tecumseh; thence porth 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 82-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line nor h 86¼ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48¼ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 3 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 2.; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of nor heast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 15-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.

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(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

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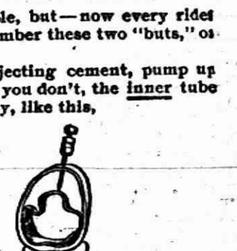

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LITERARY NOTES.

Brimming with interesting facts and bright allusions is Ned Arden Flood's paper, "Street Life in London," contributed to The Chautauquan for August. It is finely illustrated with interesting scenes from the great metropolis.

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Helen Watterson Moody begins in the August number of Scribner's some satirical and humorous discussions of the problems that are agitating women. The series is called "The Unquiet Sex," and the first type discussed is "The Woman Collegian."

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Harper's Bazar of July 31 will contain a practical and useful article of particular interest to students of music, on "The Pianist's Left Hand," by Aubertine Woodward Moore, and a clever sketch by Marion Harland, entitled "The Feathered Ishmaelite."

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The tenth installment of "White Man's Africa," by Poultney Bigelow, in the midsummer's Harper's, contrasts British and Boer government, with special reference to the Jameson Raid and the present troubles in the Transvaal. The illustrations are by R. Caton Woodville.

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The complete novel in the August issue of Lippincott's is "Two Daughters of One Race," by Edgar Fawcett. It is a domestic tale of love and blindness, with a single hero, and two heroines whose characters are in marked contrast. Its well-known author has done no better work.

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Here's a last word of advice to the athletic "summer girl" of '97: "Pack your common sense with your sporting goods and carve your motto, 'Go slow,' on the handlebars of your wheel, on the handle of your racquet, the pommel of your saddle, on your fishing-rod and rifle, on your oars, and, last of all, on your conscience;" for it is every woman's duty to keep well and strong during her vacation, for the happiness of her friends as well as of herself.—From "Home Remedies for Over-Exertion," in Demorest's Magazine for August.

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The suggestive question "How it feels to be a problem?" is discussed in the August Atlantic by W. E. B. DuBois. This article, entitled "The Strivings of the Negro People," is particularly interesting owing to the fact that the author himself is a negro, a recent graduate of Harvard University, and a man of broad cultivation. In this paper he makes a striking statement of the disadvantages under which his race struggles, and gives the reader the benefit of his own reflections on the cultivated negro's anomalous position in America.

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McClure's Magazine for August will be a special midsummer number, with a frontispiece drawn expressly for it by Boutet de Monvel, the eminent French illustrator. Among the contributors will be Rudyard Kipling, Cy Warman, A. Conan Doyle, Anthony Hope, Robert Barr, James Whitcomb Riley, William Canton, Madam Blanc (of the French "Revue des Deux Mondes"), Hamlin Garland, Robert Louis Stevenson, John Kendrick Bangs and Albert Bigelow Paine. It will have a special cover, and most of the contributions will be fully illustrated.

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Harper's Weekly of July 31 will contain several features of particular interest and timeliness, among them illustrated articles on the "Recent Mining Congress in Denver," and on the "New Niagara Bridges." Rev. F. E. Clark, president of the Society of Christian Endeavor, will write of the recent convention in San Francisco, Henry James will contribute a letter from London, and there will be a capital golf story, entitled "Colonel Bogie," by Gustave Kobbe, with three illustrations by W. T. Smedley. The number will also contain illustrated descriptive articles on Hawaii, and on the Scandinavian Exhibition in Stockholm, the latter by W. S. Harwood, the Weekly's special correspondent.

Truths Told in a Few Words.

A child's respect for its parent is not secured by over-leniency any more than by over-severity.

A daughter should never seek nor be allowed to "outdress" her mother. In every family the mother should be the best-dressed member.

The discarded finery of a daughter should never constitute a mother's wardrobe. No one feels especially dignified in the presence of one whose old clothes she is wearing, and a mother should at all times preserve her dignity before her children. The mother who never loses her queenliness will never lose her crown.

Preventable misfortunes consist, chiefly, of manifold things, little to do, but immense things to have done.

The man who earns one dollar and spends two, and the man who earns two and spends one, stands on either side of the hair-line between heedlessness and discretion, between ruin and safety.

Parents generally receive that measure of filial respect they deserve—not always, perhaps, but very generally.

When a mother allows her daughter to appropriate her wraps, gloves, veils, or other articles of personal attire, she begins a policy of familiarity which, sooner or later, breeds contempt. A respect for one's belongings engenders a respect for their possessor.—August Ladies' Home Journal.

Between 1878 and 1881, in a single Roman village district, 707 heads of families in a population of 1,200 families were flogged for not paying their taxes.

Sensitiveness is a natural quality. We cannot destroy it if we would, and we would not if we could.

MATINEE.

The second racing matinee was held at Bill's driving park Saturday afternoon. The track was in fine shape, events interesting and good time made. Owing to a tire giving out on Lapham's bike sulky, which had to be taken uptown for repair, it was late before the racing began. The 3:00 trot or pace was the first race called with the following staters in order given: Leopard Rose, spot. m., E. Prichard, Tecumseh, having the pole; Minnie Aragon, bm, W. S. Roberts, Lenawee Junction; W L., ch r g, Wm. Lapham, Onsted; C. J. V., g g, C. J. VanDoren, Adrian; and Laura Keene, b m, A. Rundel, Adrian. The struggle was principally between Laura Keene and Wm. L., but the mare had the most speed and won. In the 3rd heat Laura Keene acted badly and finished 4th. In this heat Leopard Rose made a great burst of speed at the head of the stretch and came in a close second.

Laura Keene	1	1	4	1
W. L.	2	2	1	2
Leopard Rose	3	4	2	3
C. J. V.	4	3	3	5
Minnie Aragon	5	5	5	4

Time, 1:17-3, 1:14-2, 1:19-2, 1:19-2.

The named race had three starters: Lady Vedder, bm, C. Vedder; Calando, ch g, L. Knowles, Wolf Creek; and Elsie O., g m, F. Davidson. Although it was Elsie O.'s first race, she won handily in straight heats.

Elsie O.	1	1	1
Calando	3	2	2
Lady Vedder	2	3	3

Time, 1:20-2, 1:22-2, 1:17-3.

In the 2:40 trot or pace three horses faced the wire in the following order: Prairie Lil, blk m, Wm. Cadmus, Macon; Frank B., g g, J. Vescielus, Lake Ridge; Minnaloid, bm, Wm. Gauntlet, Milan. Although Minnaloid is very speedy, she is willful and erratic and as bad a starter as can be found, and Frank B. would have won easily in straight heats but for a bad start in the 2nd heat. When Starter Kyle sent them off with Minnaloid several lengths ahead of Frank B., this was done owing to the mare's acting so in starting and Kyle thought F. B. would beat her down the stretch. This was the only heat, however, in which she kept her feet, and Frank B. could not overcome the lead though he made a gallant struggle. He is a steady trotter and lowered his record for a half mile.

Frank B.	1	2	1	1
Minnaloid	3	1	2	3
Prairie Lil	2	3	3	2

Time, 1:19, 1:14, 1:13-2, 1:13.

The tandem bicycle race created the most interest, owing perhaps to being more of a novelty. There were three starters. Could suitable tandems have been procured, there would have been more.

Banfield and Butler, Ann Arbor,	1 1 1
Davidson and Stoffiet, Tecumseh,	2 2 2
Chambers and Blair, Adrian,	3 3 3

Time, 1:06 3-5, 1:06 4-5, 1:08 2-5.

Guy J. Davinson, who holds the half-mile county championship, gave an exhibition half paced by Banfield and Butler on a tandem and turned the track in 1:07 1-4, lowering his record which was 1:11.

John Gregory, of Adrian, and John R. Healy acted as judges, Jas. A. Boyd and P. W. A. Fitzsimmons timers and T. R. Kyle starter.

E. D. Newcomb was quite seriously injured last Friday afternoon by being kicked in the forehead by a horse. He was in a field at work when a storm came up and he took shelter under the wagon having a blanket fastened around him. After the rain was over he went to crawl out from under the front end of the wagon when the horse kicked him. He was unconscious for some time.—Brooklyn Exponent.

Postmaster O. R. Pierce and Ed Garrison were canvassing the business men of free silver complexion Wednesday, soliciting co-operation in an effort to form a stock company to purchase the plant of the defunct Vibrator, and continue the publication of the paper. A meeting of those who expressed a willingness to go into the enterprise was held in the third story of the Maxson building Wednesday evening, and we understand a committee was appointed to negotiate with Dr. Eaton, the present owner, with a view of purchasing the plant. The new company will be capitalized for $1,000, and stock will be sold in blocks of from $10 to $25. An effort will be made to secure the services of a Mr. McDonald, who is at present conducting a newspaper at Ligonier, Ind., who will assume editoral management. Dr. Eaton will return from Port Huron to-day, and it is expected the deal will be consummated so that the first issue will appear next week.—Hudson Gazette.

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VICTORIA AS A GIRL.

Childhood Days of the Queen Who Has Now Reigned Sixty Years.

There stands in one of the rooms of Kensington palace, London, an old faded doll house, a headless horse and a model of a ship. They are the toys with which Queen Victoria used to play when she was a little girl, about 75 years ago. In another room, not far away, is a bronze plate showing where the queen of England was born. Although Victoria was to become one of the greatest monarchs of her age and to reign longer than any other English sovereign, she spent a rather dull time as a little girl. There were no companions with whom she could play, so her mother bought her a great

QUEEN VICTORIA AT FOUR.

many dolls, until she had a family of 132 of them. The name of each she entered in a book and wrote out its entire history, where it came from, how it lost its nose, how its dress was torn, and finally, how its sawdust blood ran out and left it only a bunch of rags. With these dolls the little princess performed many ceremonies of state. Their feet were so fixed in the long board that they could stand upstraight and she marched them around in many wonderful ways.

One of her other sports was riding out on her white donkey, whose head was adorned with blue ribbons. An old soldier led it by the bridle. Sometimes she took a drive in a small pony chaise, led by a page. One day a dog ran between the pony's legs; it swerved and upset the little carriage. The princess would surely have been injured or killed, if a soldier who was passing had not caught her in his arms. His name was Maloney, and he was warmly thanked and generously rewarded by the duchess of Kent, her mother.

Victoria had to study much harder than many little girls, for she was to be fitted for a most important work. She began to learn from books when she was five years old. Later she was trained to speak French and German, as well as English, and, by the time she had reached her eleventh year, Italian, Latin, Greek, mathematics, music and drawing were added to her studies. The princess was very fond of drawings, and early began to sketch from nature. She was much interested in natural history and was delighted with her first visit to the British museum, and asked that she might often be taken there. She also took much pleasure in learning simple botany, which she studied with her uncle Leopold in the woods.

Another pastime she found in visiting her "Uncle King," as she called George IV., then king of England.

At 18 years of age, before she was really grown to womanhood, she was crowned queen of England. When it was time for her to marry she didn't have to wait until some nice young man asked her. She had to do the asking herself, because the queen of England is so great that no one she could marry could presume to ask her. She confessed to her dearest friend that proposing to Prince Albert was the "most trying ordeal" she had ever experienced.—Chicago Record.

BEST DISINFECTANT.

Pure Air Is More Efficacious Than the Most Costly Drugs.

After all that is said of disinfectants in the drug line, the best is pure air and in large volume. At least all other disinfectants are very inefficient, unless plenty of pure air accompanies them.

All rooms that are to be disinfected should have plenty of air admitted to them as the first requisite of beginning operations. Often it will be found quite sufficient in itself to disarm mild contagion.

The majority of people are too sensitive on the subject of letting pure air into sick-rooms, where an abundance of it will prove not only of immense benefit to the sick one, but be the safeguard of the whole household. Direct drafts of air upon the patient are always to be avoided, unless, perchance, it is a case of suffocation, when air in quite vigorous motion about the patient is what he most needs. But there are ways to keep the best of air in a sick-room without putting the patient in any peril, and ways that will prove the means of getting him out of peril from confined, unaerated contagion. Certainly if the rest of the house is filled with good air, it may enter from this source and do much to purify and disinfect the sick-room, a point never to be neglected.

As for the sick-room itself, and I hope it has more than one window, I would advise that a board the exact length of the width of the window be placed under the lower sash. This board should be about six or eight inches wide, and be a good fit. After two windows are raised upon such boards, you will have a good supply of air coming constantly into the room—a fine interchange—never striking the patient direct.

Fires may be run and regulated so that the patient undergoes no risk of getting cold, and a room is warmed easier when it contains a goodly portion of oxygen within its limits.—

THRILLING LOVE TALE.

Sioux Maiden Wooed and Won by a Cultured Foreigner.

Recently there was a wedding ceremony at Bismarck, N. D., that was the culmination of an extraordinarily strange love romance. Thomas Dulaine Cronan married Picture Eyes. Cronan is a young Irishman of fine family and excellent connections in Ireland and England. Picture Eyes is the daughter of John Moose, a full-blooded Sioux Indian.

Picture Eyes is a very pretty Indian maiden. She is now well educated and her tastes, inclinations and surroundings are cultured. She is 25 years old, and as pretty, well-dressed and well-groomed a girl as is to be seen shopping in Bismarck.

The story of the love that won her and changed her condition of life, mental and material, is as melodramatic as a tale of Ouida's. Seven years ago there came to this section of the country Thomas Dulaine Cronan, a young Irishman, a stalwart chap, good-looking, well-dressed, well-educated, and with the manners of a man of the world. He came over to look after the interests of an English syndicate with large holdings near Bismarck.

His ponsor was Moreton Frewen, the noted English advocate of bimetallism, who visited the United States last fall to write of the strenuous campaign of the free silver men for the London Times. Cronan one night rode into Medora, the town established by Marquis de Mores, when that young French nobleman embarked on his fantastic enterprise of raising cattle for the world's markets, and at the same time ruining the beef monopoly established and maintained by Chicago's "Big Four," and found a mob surrounding the jail.

The mob was clamoring for the life of an Indian who was a prisoner in the jail charged with horse stealing. A plucky little deputy sheriff was on the steps of the jail "standing off" the mob by his pistols. Cronan leaped from his horse, and actuated by a curiosity to see such a wild western scene as a lynching, shouldered his way into the mob. While listening to

WOOED IN THE SIGN LANGUAGE.

the imploring speeches of the deputy sheriff and the threats and curses of the crowd of lynchers, he saw an Indian girl, blanketed and moccasined, darting hither and thither among the clamorous throng, frantically and tearfully making a plea in Sioux, a tongue unknown to the tenderfoot from Ireland.

Cronan quickly learned that she was the daughter of the accused Indian, for whose life the mob was clamoring. Struck by her beauty and helplessness, Cronan forced his way through the throng, and, leaping up on the steps beside the little deputy sheriff, drew his weapons and added his voice to the pleadings of the deputy sheriff. Cronan's eloquence, added to the officer's, was effective, and the mob dispersed.

The next day the Indian proved an alibi and was released. Cronan sought out the Indian girl, the life of whose father he had been instrumental in saving. He found her in a miserable unclean tepee in the Indan camp on the outskirts of the town. He fell in love with her. His love making was all in the sign language, for Cronan could not speak a word of Sioux, and Picture Eye was equally ignorant of English.

Cronan again returned to England, but not until he had made arrangements for Picture Eye's education. When he saw his bride next he found her a demure, pretty, well-dressed, well-educated girl, thoroughly well able to hold her place in any society.—N. Y. World.

DRESSING FOR SALAD.

Mrs. Rorer Gives Receipes for the French and Mayonnaise.

To make French dressing, put a half teacupful of salt and a quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper into a bowl; add gradually six tablespoonfuls of olive oil. Rub until the salt is dissolved, and then add one tablespoonful of vinegar or lemon juice. Beat well for a moment and it is ready to use. It is much better if used at once. Cream dressing is made by heating a gill of good cream. Moisten a tablespoonful of corn starch with a little milk; add it to the hot cream, cook a moment, then stir in the well-beaten yolks of two eggs. Take from the fire; add a half teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper and a tablespoonful of vinegar or lemon juice.

Put the uncooked yolks of two eggs into a clean, cold soup dish, then add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of cayenne pepper; work these well together, and then add, drop by drop, half a pint or more of olive oil. You must stir rapidly and steadily while adding together. After adding one gill of oil, alternate occasionally with a few drops of lemon juice or vinegar. The more oil you use the thicker the dressing. If too thick add a half teaspoonful or more of vinegar until the proper consistency. More or less oil may be added, according to the quantity of dressing desired.—

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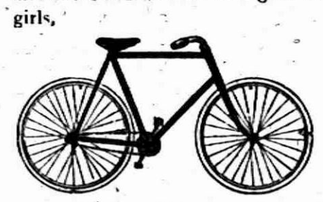

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MOLTEN STREAMS.

They Cause Great Loss of Life in the Philippine Islands.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 4.—Five hundred reported killed up to July 1 is the record of the terrible outbreak of the great volcano of Mayon, on the island of Luzon, one of the Philippine group. All night of June 26 this volcano began throwing up ashes and lava in immense quantities and flames were thrown upward considerably over 100 feet above the crater. The next day 56 bodies were recovered at a considerable distance and the most recent dispatches to Hong Kong up to July 8 stated that not less than 500 were known to be killed.

It was probable, said the dispatches, that the loss of life would reach into the thousands, depending on the length of eruption. On that date lava streams and ashes had reached the cities of Bacacay, Malipot and Liboy, and their destruction was certain. Fifteen smaller towns between these and the volcano had been destroyed and scores of the agricultural population had been overwhelmed while attempting to escape.

FELL FROM A GREAT HEIGHT.

Terrible Fate of a Trick Bicycle Rider at a Brooklyn Park.

New York, Aug. 2.—A man known as Prof. Arion, but whose real name is supposed to be McDonald, was killed at Ridgewood park, Brooklyn, Sunday night. As a part of the entertainment which was being given during a Hessian festival the professor was advertised to ride a bicycle on a wire strung about 75 feet from the ground. When half way across the wire the professor lost one of his pedals, causing the bicycle to topple over. The bicyclist fell to the ground, bringing with him an electric wire which he carried with him for the purpose of giving an electrical display. In the fall he fractured several ribs and sustained internal injuries. He died soon after his removal to a hospital.

BLEW UP THREE CHILDREN.

Sad Result of Fiendish Attempt to Destroy a Residence.

Butte, Mont, Aug. 4.—What was evidently a fiendish attempt to blow up the house of John O'Meara, superintendent of the Moonlight mine, near here, resulted in the death of three children. What appeared to be a roman candle was found near O'Meara's residence by Mamie Benson and two little girls.

While playing with it one of the children struck it with a piece of iron. It exploded and the O'Meara child was literally peppered with fragments of brass, lead and glass. The other two children were terribly cut. A hole torn in the ground showed that the bomb was charged with dynamite.

WIND AND HAIL.

They Do Great Damage to Crops in Iowa and Minnesota.

Sioux City, Ia., July 31.—Hail severely injured crops in this region late Thursday night. From Rock Rapids and Sioux Center it is reported 50 to 75 per cent. of the small grain was ruined and that some fields were utterly destroyed.

Luverne, Minn., July 31.—The crops in a strip five miles wide and 30 miles long in this county were entirely destroyed by hail Thursday night. The storm extended through five townships and the loss is total where it struck.

TREASURY REPORTS.

Receipts, Coinage and Circulation of National Bank Notes.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The government receipts during July were $39,027,364 and the disbursements $50,100,908, leaving the excess of expenditures over receipts $11,073,544.

During July the coinage executed at the United States mints amounted to $670,850, as follows: Gold, $377,000; silver, $260,000; minor coins, $33,850.

The total circulation of national bank notes on July 31 was $230,758,936, an increase as compared with July 31, 1896, of $1,816,431.

Made a Great Throw.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 4.—John Flanagan, the champion hammer thrower, surpassed all records Tuesday by throwing the 16-pound hammer 157 feet 4 inches. He was giving an exhibition at the athletic meet of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and this record will not stand as the world's record. On his second throw he beat his world's record of 150 feet 8 inches by one inch.

Chinese Insure Their Lives.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Advices received at the state department from China are to the effect that the higher classes of Chinese are taking very kindly to American plans of life insurance. Even in Tien Tsin American agents are already doing a profitable business. Chang Mow, managing director of the Chinese Mining company, was among the first to insure.

Killed by an Insane Daughter.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Peter Hauptman, 60 years old and feeble, wife of a wholesale cigar merchant, was murdured Tuesday afternoon by her insane daughter, Louise, who cut her parent's throat with a butcher knife.

Negroes Poisoned.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 3.—Hardin Johnson, his wife and daughter and Dan Hazelwood, all colored, were fatally poisoned by laudanum placed in their food. The crime is charged upon a neighbor.

THE GROWING CROPS.

A Scorching Sun and Lack of Rain Cause Alarm.

Heavy Loss to Corn Has Already Resulted—Extreme Heat at Many Points—Wind, Rain and Hail Cause Ruin.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 2.—Reports as to damage to the corn crop in Kansas, Oklahoma and the Cherokee strip as a result of drought and the prevailing hot winds are pouring into headquarters here of the Santa Fe and Rock Island roads, whose lines practically cover the state. A summary of these reports indicates the conditions to be as follows: In Oklahoma it is estimated that the damage will amount to 20 per cent. The damage in southern Kansas east of Winfield is slight, upland fields being the only ones hurt. West of Winfield the damage is estimated at 50 per cent. Along the Santa Fe for 100 miles west of Emporia, on the main line, a 60 per cent. damage has been sustained. The Hutchinson branch reports 50 per cent. gone. From McPherson to the Nebraska line and in eastern and northeastern Kansas the railroad reports state that the crop has not been seriously injured. It is estimated that the damage to the crop generally throughout Kansas, Oklahoma and the Cherokee strip is about 40 per cent. Railroad officials here state if the hot winds continue two days longer the damage will amount to 60 or 70 per cent.

All the Country Was Hot.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Extreme heat prevailed Sunday throughout the country. Rain in the Rocky mountain region and showers in Springfield and Cincinnati reduced the temperature in those places somewhat. The temperature in different parts of the country ranged from 64 degrees at San Francisco to 102 degrees at Kansas City. For three days Kansas City has sweltered with thermometers at 102 degrees. Throughout Kansas intense heat has prevailed, and reports as to the condition of the corn crop are gloomy. Hot winds have swept across the state, and in the southern and western parts, where rain has been needed for many days, farmers are losing hope. In addition to the damage from the heat, chinch bugs have made their appearance and threaten the crop.

St. Louis, Aug. 2.—Ninety-eight degrees in the shade was registered by the weather bureau at four o'clock Sunday afternoon. This was the maximum temperature for the day. On the streets where the full force of the sun was felt the thermometer showed 100 and over. There were several prostrations, the most serious being Herman Moss, aged 23, and Arthur Gumness, aged 43.

Furious Storms.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—A gale of 56 miles an hour, carrying with it a terrific thunderstorm and some hail, swept across from Lake Michigan to the Mississippi valley early Sunday morning damaging crops, wrecking buildings and causing loss of life. It was followed later by extreme heat, which resulted in many prostrations. The storm extended only from the eastern border of Lake Michigan through the lower part of Minnesota.

Telegraphic reports show the storm to have been unusually severe at several points. At Baraboo, Wis., wheat and corn fields were laid low and washouts occurred on railroads. The residences of William Marriott and William Wallace were considerably damaged by lightning. At Butler, Ind., the steady downpour saved the crops, which were suffering from drought. At Valparaiso, Ind., residents claimed that never before had there been so severe a storm. In the city 500 trees and telephone poles were blown down. Many head of live stock were killed by lightning and the crops suffered greatly.

Loss of Revenue.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The bureau of statistics, treasury department, has prepared a statement showing the estimated loss of revenue to the government on account of increased imports during the months of March, April, May and June, 1897, in anticipation of the increased duties imposed by the new tariff act. The aggregate net loss is estimated at $32,666,427.

Wonderful New Gun.

New York, Aug. 2.—The national government is building a new ten-inch wire gun for coast defense that will astonish the world. It will weigh 30 tons and hurl a 600-pound shell with a muzzle velocity of 2,985 feet per second. It will be wrapped with 75 miles of wire weighing 30,948 pounds.

No More Room for Recruits.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The army of the United States is now filled to the enlisted strength allowed by law, and further enlistments will be made only with the view of replacing deserters and men whose enlistments expire.

A Leader Shot.

Scottdale, Pa., Aug. 2.—William Cummings, the leader of the nonunion miners at this place, was shot dead in a quarrel with union men. W. C. Hubbs was arrested for the crime.

Killed by Lightning.

Webster City, Ia., Aug. 3.—Lightning struck in 20 places inside the city limits Monday morning during a severe storm. Two children of John Luppus, south of town, were instantly killed.

A FATAL CYCLONE.

Seven Persons Killed in Their Home in Illinois.

Strange Freak of the Twister Saved the Town of San Jose from Destruction—A Number of People Injured.

San Jose, Ill., July 31.—Death and desolation followed rapidly in the wake of a cyclone which swept across this section of the country at seven o'clock Friday night. Seven persons were killed outright and three seriously injured. The house and barn of Dr. A. C. McDowell on the outskirts of the town were demolished by the fury of the wind. The town itself escaped only because the cyclone rose about 2½ miles north and passed over too high to cause any further serious damage. It is probable that more deaths may be reported later from the outlying districts. The dead are: A. C. McDowell, Mrs. Samuel Brownlee and three children, Jessie Groves, and a grandson of McDowell. The injured are Mrs. McDowell, a son and a daughter.

House Blown to Fragments.

The McDowell homestead was torn into fragments from its foundation to the roof. The barn met the same fate, and with its contents was swept out of sight. Inside the house the family of Dr. McDowell, consisting of five members, had taken refuge together with Mrs. Samuel Brownlee and her three children, and Jessie Groves, the daughter of a neighbor, who had come to the McDowells' to spend the evening. When the cyclone struck the house everything it contained was swept in every direction. Not a stick of timber nor a whole piece of furniture was left intact, and buried beneath the ruins were all of the occupants of the house. Following the cyclone came a deluge of water resembling a cloudburst. This, however, did not deter neighbors who witnessed the destructive work of the cyclone from hurrying to the rescue of the McDowells. Those who were alive beneath the ruins were taken out as soon as possible and carried to neighboring farmhouses, where their injuries were given medical attention.

GROWS DEFIANT.

The Sultan Sends War Ships Into Cretan Waters.

Constantinople, Aug. 4.—A dispatch from the Dardanelles late Tuesday announces that the second naval division of the Turkish fleet, consisting of seven war ships, commanded by Hari Pasha, has sailed for the Island of Crete.

Fears are expressed here that the departure of the Turkish naval division may lead to a collision with the international fleet in Cretan waters, in view of the announcement of the foreign admirals that they have decided to oppose by force the landing of Turkish reenforcements in the Island of Crete.

DETERMINED TO DIE.

Desperate Attempt at Suicide of a Cleveland Man.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 2.—Thomas Cushing, a molder, aged 33 years, Sunday afternoon stood before the mirror in his room at a boarding house and cut his throat with a razor. When taken to the operating room on the third floor of a hospital, he made a rush for a window and threw himself out, falling 50 feet to the roof of the engine-room. His body crashed through the skylight, struck an iron bar in its descent and rolled to the floor of the engine-room. Cushing is still alive but it is believed he will die.

A SAD FATE.

Two Indianians, with Their Wives, Drowned at Carlisle.

Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 2.—Carlisle, a town about 30 miles south of here, is in mourning. It was a tragic Sabbath for the quiet place, four of its inhabitants meeting death by drowning. The dead are Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Abner Morris. The Hammond and Morris people were seen to go in bathing, and later their clothing was found on the river bank. It is believed one of the women was seized with cramps, and the others were drowned in trying to rescue her.

Hail Stops a Train.

Ottumwa, Ia., Aug. 4.—This city was the center of terrific thunder and hailstorms Tuesday night. The Rock Island passenger train, Chicago bound, was stopped by the storm. Hailstones of such quantities and size rolled on the track in the cuts that the train was brought to a stop. Every window in the train was broken. Crops were cut to pieces.

Four Boys Drowned.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 2.—Four small boys were drowned here Sunday while swimming. Willie and George Young, brothers, aged 16 and 18, were drowned in Brush creek. Henry Hall, aged 11, perished in the Kaw river, and Fred Bridgeford, aged 14, was drowned in a little creek emptying into the Missouri.

Tesla's Latest Discovery.

New York, Aug. 4.—Nicola Tesla announces the completion of his latest discovery—the simultaneous transmission of messages by means of the earth's electrical currents to as many scattered points on the earth's surface of the globe as may be desired.

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H. G. Shekell spent Sunday in Jackson.

S. W. Demuth was an Adrian visitor Tuesday.

Sanford Cutting, of Tecumseh, was in town Friday.

Fred Koirning visited friends at Toledo over Sunday.

Miss E. Cora DePuy, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday

Miss Lina Jones was on the sick list the fore part of the week.

Jas. Hamilton, of Detroit, was in town the first of the week.

Miss Lizzie Dillingham visited relatives at Tecumseh over Sunday.

E. F. Muir has been visiting friends at Eaton Rapids for the past week.

Mrs. H. D. Niblack has been visiting her parents at Ypsilanti since Saturday.

F. E. Downs returned to Chicago Saturday, after a month's visit with his parents.

Misses Annie Grey and Anna McCook were Tecumseh visitors Saturday afternoon.

G. Y. Raymond, of Mason, was the guest of his cousin, Miss Grace Corwin last Thursday.

Miss Mabel Hayden, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. L. W. Kimball last Saturday.

Tom McGuire returned to Toledo, Saturday, after a few day's visit with Clinton friends.

C. H. Fisk returned to Detroit Monday, after spending a few days with Clinton relatives.

C. L. Kimball returned Friday night from his trip to San Francisco, and reports a grand time.

Miss Kittie Plumb, of Grand Rapids, has been the guest of Miss Mamie Bradner since Monday.

Clarence A. Cotton wife and daughter, of Detroit, visited his aunt, Miss Kate Cotton and other friends Wednesday.

Miss Lizbeth Beash, of Adrian, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Della Benham since last Friday.

Henry Owen and family have returned from Mason and are again living on their farm west of town.

The Clinton ball team will cross bats with the D. A. C.s. of Detroit, Saturday afternoon on the Clinton grounds.

Mrs. A. J. Wilkerson, of Dundee, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. Kishpaugh, from Thursday until Monday.

Miss Kittie Plumb, of Grand Rapids arrived Monday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Bradner, and family.

Misses Blanche and Grace De Puy have been visiting relatives at Belmont, Kent county, for the past few days.

J. B. Wells moved the first of the week from the Episcopal rectory into Alonzo Clark's new house on Jackson street.

Martha Minor died last Friday at 6 P. M., and her funeral was held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Charles Gadd's.

Mrs. J. A. Goodyear, of Manchester, and Miss Blanche Coulson, of Brooklyn, were calling on Clinton friends last Friday.

Mrs Jas. DuBois, and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh drove up from Britton last Thursday, and spent the day with friends.

L. W. Huntington, of Detroit, returned home last Thursday after quite an extended visit with his brother, A. L. Huntington.

Mrs. D. Monroe started Thursday for Lacon, Ill., expecting to spend a month at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hulet.

There will be work at the next regular meeting of Golden Rod Chapter O. E. S. No 85, to be held Wednesday evening, Aug. 11th.

W. S. Whittelsey visited his sister, Mrs. L. A. Dudley, at Battle Creek, from Thursday until Tuesday, making the trip both ways by wheel.

W. H. Katner and wife returned home Friday night from a two days' visit with friends at Deerfield. They made the trip on their wheels.

Mrs. Sarah Wastell, Mrs John VanTuyle, and Geo. VanTuyle, returned home Monday, after visiting Jackson friends since Wednesday of last week.

Lewis Grey with his family, left Tuesday for Saline, where he will run a barber shop and laundry in partnership with J. W. Brower, also from Clinton.

Eugene Fowler and family of Salipe, were visiting Clinton friends Saturday.

Dr. Elliott H. Sherman, of Grand Rapids, formerly a Tecumseh boy, will be in Clinton, Aug. 11th and 12th at the hotel for executing all kinds of dental work, modern and up-to-date. Those having badly fitting plates will do well to investigate his method as he has something new in producing proper suction. Teeth extracted by painless process, no gas or sleep. Crown and bridge work a specialty.

FRANKLIN.

Wilford Allen came back from his outing last week.

Born, Aug. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ara VanTuyle, a son. Mother and child doing well.

Mrs. Fred Davenport has gone to Marcellus to visit her daughtes. Mrs. John Fisher.

Wm. Bradley was partially overcome by the heat last week while working in the hay field. At last accounts he was doing well.

Threshing is in progress and the reports of the quality and quantity of the grain is very encouraging. One field is reported to have yielded 40 bushels per acre.

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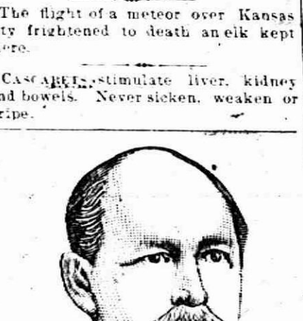

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TOWERS FOR LIGHTS.

Electric Lamps at a Great Height Have Not Proved Successful.

When arc lights were first introduced for street lighting there was a very exaggerated idea of their lighting power, says the Engineering News. A light of 1,000-candle power seemed such a powerful illuminator that the idea was very naturally conceived of placing lamps on the top of tall towers and lighting the whole area of a city. Several municipalities adopted this tower system of lighting, of which the best known example is doubtless Detroit. It was at once found, however, that a cluster of arc lamps 150 feet or more from the ground might be an excellent plan for lighting the whole of a large area, but was a very poor plan for lighting city streets. In the average American city, with long blocks, the streets comprise not more than one-third of the area. Hence with the tower system of lighting 66 per cent. or more of the illuminating power is wasted in lighting up house roofs, back yards and vacant lots.

Nearly every city of which we have information that originally adopted the tower system of lighting has abandoned it. It is therefore quite surprising to learn that Des Moines, Ia., proposes to put in a municipal street-lighting plant and to use the tower system. What consideration influenced the city authorities to adopt this system we do not know, but we would strongly urge them to investigate the experience of Detroit and other cities with the tower system of lighting before they construct such a plant in their own city.

TROLLEY WITHOUT WIRES.

Paris to Have an Electric System That Is Robbed of Many Dangers.

The electric trolley system to be introduced in Paris in time for the international exposition of 1900 is vastly different from that commonly employed in the United States, inasmuch as the dangerous overhead wires are absolutely done away with. The new system, says the Philadelphia Record, is the invention of the French engineer Bochet, and, while rather simple, it steers clear of the objection on account of unsightly obstruction, which is usually raised when overhead wires have to go up. Bochet establishes overhead contacts from electric lamp posts belonging to the city. The distance between posts being somewhat smaller than the length of the electric train, consisting of two or three cars, so that contact is always assured at one point at least. Through flexible points of contact suspended from each electric light post along the proposed line the current will be taken up by means of a copper rail fastened along the edge of the roof of the car not less than 14 or 15 feet from the ground. The contact point will slide along that copper rail, and there is not the slightest difficulty in establishing a continuous current if the points of contact are made sufficiently elastic. The current is allowed to return to the power station through the track of the line, as usual. This system offers all the benefits of the overhead, as well as of the underground systems, without any of their shortcomings.

BELL WEIGHING 98 TONS.

Over Twelve Feet High and Raised So That It May Be Rung.

For some time past there has been a sort of deadheat between the two biggest bells in the world, the one at the catehdral in Moscow and the other in the unfinished pagoda of Mengoon, a little north of Mandalay, across the river. If the former was the bigger of the two, says the New York Journal, is was cracked, and, therefore, useless as a bell, while the latter, though whole, had dragged its supports down till it rested on the ground, and would not emit any sound. Now, however, it has been reswung, and can claim attention as the biggest bell, in working order, in the world. It averages over a foot in thickness. The bell itself is over 12 feet high, and the shackle, which was intended for logs of timber, about 12 feet. The pin in the shackle has a diameter of 16 inches. The bell was cast about the beginning of the century by King Bodaw-paya as an accompaniment to the huge brick padoga which he never finished. It is said to have been cast on an island and rafted across. No proper means yet exist for striking the bell, but when hit with a heavy piece of wood it gives a deep, vibrating boom.

Ancient Thermopylae.

An officer of the English intelligence department reports that in spite of the fact, which is well known, that the sea has receded since ancient times, the strategical position of this ancient pass is still immensely strong. The alternative route by Beleghi, which crosses the hills 1½ miles north of the springs by well-engineered zigzags, is equally capable of defense, and leads into a country of a most difficult character. Either pass might be held indefinitely by 5,000 men. The coast road is absolutely commanded from the heights so that a comparatively small force would render it impassable, while the flat lowland lying near the sea is marshy and intersected by dykes.

To Preserve Elephants.

An adequate effort is at last to be made to prevent the extinction of the elephant. The government of India has adopted a regulation preventing the killing of these animals in a reserve which extends from Sheikh pass to the Afghanistan frontier. The area is approximately 200 miles by 50. The herds of elephants which remain in this reserve are at present confined to a much smaller area of about 40 miles square in the Gadabarai mountains.

Three Drowned.

Salem, O., July .—Josie Phillips, aged 20; Mary Phillips, her sister, aged 16, of Salem, and Isaac Master, of Winona, were drowned at Shelton Grove, a pleasure resort.

CALF WRECKED THE BICYCLE.

Wheelman-Farmer's Disastrous Experience on Pneumatic Tires.

Grant Adams, a farmer who lives not far from Kingston, N. Y., wears golf stockings and rides a bicycle. There is a story, too, that he has a bicycle plow. He drives cows to pasture mounted on his wheel, and the other day he started to lead a calf to an adjoining farm.

The calf, says the New York Herald, was of the good old-fashioned kind which resent new-fanged ideas. He came of a race which had been led around by bare-footed boys, with tattered trousers and many freckles.

The calf looked at the two runaway wagon wheels in front of him and grew rebellious. He pulled at the rope, which was tied around Adam's waist. Then he determined upon a plan of action. That calf put his best feet foremost, and a moment later he was running down a hill, with a bicycle coasting behind.

Adam had no brake, and back pedaled with all his might. The calf drew the machine and rider after him. The animal made a quick detour to the right, Adams, in trying to avoid the calf, ran into a rock.

There was a confused jumble of bent spokes and punctured tires. Adams clung to his bicycle, and the calf dragged bicyclist and the almost disintegrated machine over the rough country road.

A farmer saw this trio approach and headed them off. The machine and Adams were a wreck, and the calf was triumphant.

QUEER BIRD NOW EXTINCT.

Discovered and Studied Only by Its Oddly Constructed Skeleton.

A nauralist has lately brought to England the bones of an extinct bird new to science, which has received the name of Genyornis. He exhibited these very interesting specimens at the last meeting of the Zoological society, and made a few remarks concerning the finding of them in Lake Callanbolla, formerly known as Lake Mulligan, in South Australia, says the Westminster Gazette. He explained that the lakes which one sees so abundantly marked in the map are nothing more or less than dry clay and salt pans, evidently very uncomfortable to camp near. The bones of this extinct species are found there in great numbers, but owing to the action of salt and water, which is found a very little way below the surface, the remains are very brittle and difficult to deal with. The circumstance of so many being found in this one lake bed is probably due to the birds having been driven there en masse in a time of great drought in search of water, for on the surface there could be traced the outlines of skeletons lying as they died, probably bogged and too weak to struggle further in search of water. The feature that strikes the ornithologist in these bones is the shortness of the phalanges, clearly showing that the suggestion which has been made as to the Genyornis being a marsh bird is untenable, for such a heavy bird would have needed very long toes to tread on marshy ground.

Sharp Scotchman.

The Scottish American tells a story of a cobbler who was sentenced by a Scottish magistrate to pay a fine of half a crown, or, in default, 24 hours' hard labor. If he chose the latter he would be taken to the jail at Perth. "Then I'll go to Perth," he said, "for I have some business there." An official conveyed him to Perth, but when the cobbler reached the jail he said he would pay the fine. The governor found he would have to take it. "And now," said the cobbler, "I want my fare home." The governor demurred, but discovered there was no alternative; the prisoner must be sent at the public expense to the place he had been brought from.

A Fatal Fall.

Decatur, July 28.—William Bumford, aged 75 years, a Mecosta county farmer, fell from a load of grain at Stanwood and broke his neck.

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ghborhood News.

BRITTON.

C. I. Deyo visited Detroit the the week.

nce Hause wheeled to Toledo for a visit with friends.

Samuel Kniffen had two sisters her during the week from Bliss-

nk has added to the convenience ome by erecting a wood shed ar.

al cars of grain have been ship- n here the past week to Detroit oledo.

A. O. Maynard is enjoying a vis- her cousin, Mrs. Mary Cutler, dale this week.

Sink and family were the guests rother in law, Mark Soules, at t over Sunday.

Dusterhout went over to Hills- ednesday for a ten days' visit ends in that vicinity.

Albert Wilkerson, of Dundee, guest of her nephew, J. L. gh, and wife Monday.

C. R. Maybee entertained her Mrs. J. A. Hughes, of Tecum- uesday and yesterday.

C. I. Deyo and son Kirk, left morning for an indefinite visit mother at Lawton, Mich.

nd Mrs. N. F. Nickerson and May visited the McCaughn Macon township Tuesday.

oseph Thackery and daughters, e's Nivison and Lester, were in Monday on business in the pro- rt.

formed church is to receive of $100.00 from the estate of a New Jersey. The society can good advantage.

Exelby and wife returned Fri- n their Californian trip and ot only a pleasant trip, but a l time all through.

Gibson and neice, Mary Gib- alifornia, arrived Friday for a h his parents, Mr. and Mrs. ibson, and other friends.

F. Nickerson will preach in med church Sunday morning Great Need of the World," and vening on "The Second Ad-

Drewyear, of Monroe, on her from a visit with her sister. nk E. Snedicor, of Tecumseh, unday with John Zeluff and

Hause went over to Ypsilanti sday, to see about moving over or the fall term of school. Clar- tends taking a four years' course Normal.

Price and George Exelby, each r of wheat at the station, elling to C. A. Slayton, of , and the latter to Dale Mun- erfield.

two week's stay, the Sharp- dicine Company, folded their eft for pastures new and green st, Milan being the objective turday night they had a tent ple.

erwood and Exelby second ily reunion occurs next week t Samuel Underwood's. The these two prolific families forward with high expecta- day that will bring them .

kerson, who recently came Dakota on a visit to his nt with the Niagara excur- week and will visit Albany ork city before returning. was to cycle it from Ni- y stages.

sday afternoon there will ball in Will Britton's field fit of the bicycle path. It be rich, rare and racey. de of Main street will face de. The batteries will be Palmer for the former and easley for the latter. Turn dy, and not only help this object, but enjoy yourself

ic last week in Hoagland's attended by fully 200, and d by all. A fine program of music, recitations, and was given. Both old and down the wire toboggan. bast however did not put rance until they were just t, but he made up for lost as a stower away of choice e has no equal.

y consisting of John Zeluff as. DuBois and wife, J. L. nd wife, Chas. Gripton and xelby and wife, David Boyd . B. Lenardson, wife and sgood, wife and son and p, wife and three sons went s Lake Wednesday to camp alance of the week. Being they will have a high old change of scene, diet, etc., ficial to all.

RIDGEWAY.

d dusty.

s is in full blast.

tson has the measles.

Frank Allen, of Tecum- e Monday.

pf, of Niles, was a guest idson's Sunday.

e has been very sick for but is better now.

d, of St. John, is visiting , Lester Osgood's.

ries, of Tecumseh, spent ith Mable Graves.

le and C. A. Graves left ake county, to enjoy a few tion.

Ada Dibble, of North Adrian, is spending the week here with friends.

Oil Inspector F. J. Temple, of Tecumseh, Sundayed with his brother here.

Bertha Cornelius, of Grand Rapids, visited her cousin, Mrs. Graves, Sunday.

Sherley Smith and Guy Pocklington were passengers on the Niagara Falls excursion last Thursday.

Lillian Dersham, from near Lenawee Junction, visited with her many friends here from Saturday until Tuesday night.

James Gibson, who has been in San Francisco for the past two years, arrived home Friday night and was in the village Sunday.

W. L. Jones, wife and daughter May and Ella Hall attended the marriage of their cousin, Miss Reynolds, near Dundee, last week Thursday.

Acel Smith took the excursion to Niagara Falls Thursday night of last week. He will spend nearly a month with relatives in New York and Canada.

A week from Sunday will occur the last quarterly meeting of the present conference year. During the following week the pastor will hold special meetings.

Jacob Barrett was in Ypsilanti one day last week. He says there have been many changes since he attended school at the Normal in the early sixties.

Dr. E. H. Sherman, of Grand Rapids, will be in Ridgeway Friday and Saturday, Aug. 13th and 14th, for the purpose of executing all kinds of dental work. Modern and up-to-date. Those having badly fitting plates will do well to investigate his method as he has something new in producing proper suction. Teeth extracted by painless process, no gas or sleep. Crown and bridge work a speciality.

Morgan M. Florance, living two miles south of the village, met with a painful accident Monday morning. He stepped out in the standing grain in front of his binder to urge up the horse next the grain and in so doing was knocked down by the reel of the binder as the team started. He caught his right ankle in the cycles and cut the foot nearly off. Drs. Loree and Catlin amputated the foot and Mr. Florance is doing as well as can be expected. He has the sincere sympathy of all.

CONE.

Willie Crowe, of Dundee, was in town last Monday.

J. P. Richardson, of Milan, visited friends here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Allhouse entertained company from abroad last week.

Miss Lena Hoag, of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Landt, last week.

Mrs. Fannie Remaley, of Eureka, visited friends here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cone and daughter Veda, visited friends at Macon last Sunday.

Lavern Biggs, of Britton, visited his cousin, Walter Caswell, last Saturday and Sunday.

The young people of this place attended the dance at William Curry's last Friday night.

George Dibble went to Niagara Falls last Thursday on an excursion, returning Monday evening.

Miss Annie Johnson returned last week from an eight month's stay with friends at Jackson.

The receipts of the social held at Mr. Homer Sherwood's last Tuesday evening, were $16.71.

Eugene Dennison cut his foot quite badly Tuesday evening, while cutting ice to make ice cream.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. J. C. Cone, Wednesday the 11th, all are cordially invited.

Quite a number from here attended the baptismal service at Mooreville, held by the Free Methodist denomination last Sunday.

MACON.

Mrs L. R. Hatch is visiting her brother at Manchester.

We are glad to report Rolfe Mills gaining at this writing.

Clyde Knight, of Clinton, was the guest of Guy Collins over Sunday.

Miss Minta Jackson went to Leslie, Wednesday for a two week's visit.

Quarterly meeting services at the M. E. church next Sabbath evening.

Miss Nellie Avery, of Tecumseh, is visiting her little friends here this week.

The League social Tuesday evening was well attended and a good time reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cone and daughter, spent Sunday with Mrs. Baron Pennington.

Dr. Maurice Howell, and Miss Bertha Jordan, of Cone, Sundayed with relatives and friends in the vicinity.

Topic for Epworth League next Sunday evening is "The Prayer at Miletus and Tyre." Acts: 20: 36. 21:5. Leader Maude Howell.

Mrs. Reed who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Hatch, for a number of years, left Monday for East Chicago, where she will now make her home with another daughter.

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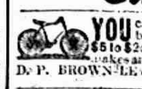

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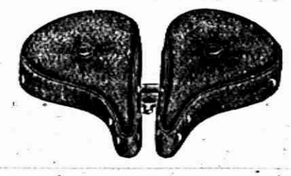

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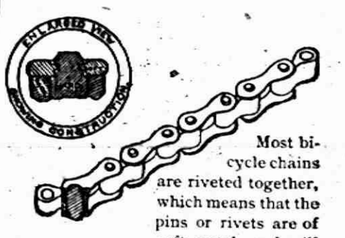

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One year, cash in advance.....$1 00

BEYOND LENAWEE COUNTY.
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Business locals, five cents a line for each insertion.
Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.
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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUGUST 6, 1897.

Geld Mining on the Saskatchewan River.

The gold obtained from the sand bars of this river seems to be washed down from the rocky mountains by the strong currents of water in the spring and summer. After heavy rains and floods like those of June in this year the find is much greater than when the river has not risen so high. The largest and best paying quantities are found on the sand bars although one can go any place in the river and pan out a little.

The process is as follows: The gravel is thrown into a slanting trough about four feet long by one foot wide. Water is then poured over it, carrying it down to a second trough about the same size, but at the upper end of which is a grizzley. The grizzley is an arrangement made of iron rods about the size of a lead pencil placed a little apart and arranged to slant over the two sides of the second trough, so that when the gravel comes down upon it only the dirt and finer portions pass through while the pebbles and stones fall off to the ground. This second trough has upon the floor of it a strip of blanket, and as the fine dirt washes over this the gold and black sand stick, being the heaviest, while the dirt passes on. At the end of the day's work the blanket is taken out of the trough and rinsed gently with clean water in a tub to remove the gold and black sand. Then while both lie at the bottom of the tub in the water, a quantity of quicksilver is poured in and washed around. The silver collects the gold but does not touch the black sand. The quicksilver containing the gold is then poured into a piece of buckskin and the silver squeezed out, leaving the gold behind. The gold is now called a gold sponge and contains a little quicksilver with it, to separate which the sponge is burnt by placing it in a hot pan. This leaves a lump of the metal in its pure state.

If the gold is collected as it is found on the blanket, it is seen to be in very fine flakes. I have seen seven dollars worth in a phial of a beautiful sample and so fine and flaky is it that if the finger is placed over the open phial while it is tipped up, the little adhereing to the finger cannot be replaced in the phial. Rubbing it with another finger seems to flatten and crush it to nothing and yet being gold and heavier than sand it falls and sticks to the blanket while the sand is being washed off and a quarter inch stream of water is pouring over it for hours in the day.

The black sand contains gold and in paying quantities, but no process is convenient to this place by which a separation can be made. It is kept by the miners and will probably bring a profit before long.

The foregoing system of mining is the common hand mode in use here for some time. There are miners who contrive means of their own by which pumps and horse power make the labor lighter and more expeditious, and this year scows for steam machinery have been built, upon each one of which three men and three boys are employed, but the principle is all the same—the troughs, grizzley and blanket do the work. The newly invented conveniences make it possible to handle a greater number of tons of gravel a day, and the result of this is some of the scows are producing $35 of gold per day.

W. R. BLACHFORD.

RAILROAD NEWS.

At the south end of Maiden Lane, in the village of Tecumseh, may now be found the busiest lot of men in the county. Here is situated a solid stone (colored) building used as the general offices of the D. & L. N. and D., T. & M. railroads. General Manager Roser and Supts. Haskell and Hathaway representing the managing department, and Auditor Richmond and his assistants attending to the accounting work, together with Train Dispatcher Allen and his "tickers," make this part of town busy indeed. The grasshoppers and crickets on the old "Patterson" farm are astounded at the growth of the south end and their songs are drowned by the noise of the telegraph key. As yet there is no sign carved in the front of the building but the workers are a happy, busy, good natured set of men who are posted in the methods of railroads and satisfied with their quarters till better are provided.

There were about one hundred passengers from this station on the Detroit & Lima Northern excursion to Detroit on Sunday. The train that passed through here was composed of eight coaches, and carried excursionists bound for Detroit from as far south as Springfield, O.—Adrian Times.

J. S. Brailey was here yesterday. He brought with him a contractor to figure in the moving of the station and freight house.

The D. & L. N. people have purchased the Moshier property corner of Railroad and Cummins streets, and will at once move the present C. J. & M. station and freight depot there. The location of the station at the crossing of the L. S. & M. S. saves one stop for every train. For the Tecumseh people this will be a most convenient location. A number of different contractors figured on the moving of the buildings yesterday, and the work will be commenced at once. It is probable that a separate building will be built for the offices.

The L. S. & M. S. will carry Co. C to camp in a car attached to the regular train next Tuesday morning. The baggage precedes the company, going Sunday. Adrian and Coldwater companies meet Co. C at Lenawee Junction and all go via Dundee.

The Lima Northern has completed a sidetrack into the Industrial home grounds, and is now constructing one to old floral hall, on Lawrence park, which will be used for a warehouse by Clark, Mason & Co.—Adrian Times.

A dispatch from Columbus says that the Cincinnati Northern is to be annexed to the Lake Erie & Western. From the same source comes the announcement that Frank B. Drake is to be general manager of both lines.

Twenty five cars in two sections fetching the retail grocers and their families from Jackson to the Casino at Toledo, passed over the D. T. & M. yesterday morning. A happy and well taken care of crowd.

The D. & L. N. has made the following week end excursion rates to Detroit: Going Saturday, return Monday, $1.50 round trip; going Sunday, return Monday $1.00; going and return Sunday, 75 cents.

New York dispatches dated yesterday state that S. R. Calloway will be appointed president of the L. S. & M. S. and that W. H. Canniff will take his place as president of the Nickel Plate.

Two new comers in railroad circles arrived yesterday. A. C. Stutsman, chief clerk in the accounting department and H. J. Dunbar who is also in the auditor's office.

A change of time will go into effect on the D., T. & M. about the middle of next week. D. & L. N. trains will not be effected.

Rentable houses are very scarce. Four different parties were at Fred Chiverall's to rent his place Saturday evening.

Lake Shore train will be held at Adrian Saturday night until close of evening performance of Ringling Bros.' circus.

The road force is getting the track between here and Adrian in better shape every day.

D. & L. N. trains will be held till after the circus tomorrow evening.

Electric light wires are being placed in the railroad offices.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

District Convention, M. E. Church, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 10th and 11th.

PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY, 2 P. M.

Song and prayer service.
Address of welcome—Rev. J. P. Varner.
Fraternal greetings.
Response—Rev. Cansfield, Ridgeway.
President's annual address.
Address, "The Proper Relation the League should bear to the Cause of Missions"—Miss Franc Baker, Morenci.
Address, "How to make the League Effectual in Revival"—Rev. Balmer, Morenci.

TUESDAY EVENING.

Song and prayer.
Address—W. Scott Jones, state secretary, of Detroit.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Song and prayer.
Reports of Junior superintendent, recording secretary, corresponding secretary and treasurer.
"Toronto Echoes"—B. C. Day.
Spiritual department—Rev. H. B. Marsh, Tipton.
Mercy and Help dept.—Miss Bertha McMath, Clayton.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Junior hour.
Report from Toronto—Miss Florence Sutton, Clayton.
Paper, "The Junior from a Boy's Standpoint"—Clare Brazee, Tecumseh.
Recitation—Glen Lanning, Tecumseh.

Stop Business

And take a few days relaxation from its cares by going on the Niagara Falls and Alexandria Bay low rate, special train excursion over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. August 12th.

G. A. R.—Attention.

For the National Encampment at Buffalo you can purchase tickets over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. August 21, 22 and 23 at one cent a mile, good returning until September 20th. No line affords such extensive train service or a more comfortable and interesting route to and from Buffalo.

Send to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O., for copy of finely illustrated and descriptive book about the route, trains, Buffalo and the encampment.

It pleases a woman to be called a sensible little woman.

Right In It.

That's where Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is. The greatest remedy for the stomach that was ever put together. Absolutely vegetable with the exception of the Pepsin. Are you constipated? Then try Syrup Pepsin. Have you indigestion or sick headache? Then use Syrup Pepsin. Spend 10c for a trial bottle and you will be convinced. Large sizes 50c and $1.00. A true family remedy. At John J. Orr., Druggist.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of Aug. 2, 1897.

Present, the president, Trustees Wright, H. Heesen, Orr, Eldridge and the clerk. Absent, Trustees Lowry and John Heesen.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Street commissioner's report for month of July presented, showing five team labor 23 days and 4 hours, hand labor 68 days and 2 hours and 3 poll taxes worked.

Sexton's report for month of July presented, showing 5 adult and 1 infant interments and one lot sold for $16.00 cash.

Clerk reported that note due Lilley State Bank for $887 had been paid in full.

The village treasurer reported $6085.59 village tax collected and remaining on hand $2075.06 and asked extension of warrant.

Moved that president and clerk be, and they hereby are, instructed to extend the warrant of the village treasurer for the year 1897 until Monday, Sept. 6, 1897. Supported. Carried.

Street lights being out two nights, it was moved and supported that bill of Tecumseh Electric Co. be cut $7.00. Carried.

The following bills were referred to finance committee: Dell Packard, hand labor, $13.63; E. Prichard, hand labor, $13.38; A. Titus, hand labor, 50c; W. C. Jordan, sexton, $5.00; P. C. Snell, cement walk, $21.84; Tecumseh Electric Co., $209.67; Thos. Elliott, blacksmithing, $48.40; C. A. Wright, purchasing agent, $270.49. Water works: John Lucas, 85c.

Finance committee made favorable report and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts.

Moved and supported that president and clerk take up unpaid note now due Lilley State Bank of $1000.00 Carried.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT,
Village Clerk.

Excursion to Thousand Islands

And Niagara Falls August 12th over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. Special train, very low rates.

Teachers' Examination.

The regular teachers' examination for Lenawee county will be held in Whitney's opera house, Adrian, Thursday and Friday, Aug 19 and 20. All applicants should be provided with paper, pen and ink. The examination will begin promptly at nine o'clock.

M. W. HENSEL,
Commissioner.

Niagara Falls Excursion, August 12th via Detroit & Lima Northern and Grand Trunk Railways,

At the very low rate of $4.50 from Adrian, Raisin Valley and Tecumseh. Tickets good to return August 16th on any regular train. No change of cars. This will be the last chance to visit Niagara Falls this season at such a low rate. Passengers can return by the wonderful St. Clair tunnel if they desire. For time of trains, etc., call on any D. & L. N. ticket agent.

Tecumseh Price Current.

CORRECTED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING.

PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	10	13
Eggs	8	10
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Old Potatoes, per bushel		40
New Potatoes		1 00
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	4 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	5	8
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		73
Corn, shelled	27	35
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	17	19
Hay, timothy, per ton	6 00	7 50
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		65
Corn meal, per 100		70

Why be without an instrument in your house when you can buy an

Organ or Piano

on easy monthly payments of

Grinnell Bros,

Adrian, Mich,

J. F. MILLER, Manager.
Detroit store, 219, 221, and 223 Woodward Avenue. Write for Catalogue and particulars.

Did you see the

New Wheels?

PIERCE AND U. S

at

E. M. Stofflets'

Bicycle Livery.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

Armour's

Pork Loin,

Armour's Delicious Mild Cured

Boiled Ham.

and everything best in the meat line at

A. S. Clark's
Meat Market.

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has added

A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.
(With U. S express office.)

When . .

you have a watch, clock, pieces of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

Fred P. Kennedy's

Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

The Sherwin-Williams Co.

Carriage

Paint,

is the best made.

Full line at new prices.

C. A. Wright.

Plenty of Tick,

See the display of clocks

-at-

E. J. Peters.

Best repairing of all kinds.

15 Cents

to 35 Cents,

Is the Price for Our Coffee's

And each pound is the best value for the money you can find in Tecumseh,

Try and find out.

Mobbs & Co.,

- - - GREETING. - - -

To the Citizens of Tecumseh add Vicinity:

It having become the "correct thing" for ladies of all classes to become proficient in the art of dressing becomingly, we come to you with one of the best systems of Tailoring for ladies now in use, known as "Works' Garment Cutter," of St. Louis Mo., This system is now used successfully in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and many other leading cities of this country and Europe. By it, any garment worn by ladies, children and men, may be safely produced. It will enable mothers, wives and daughters to save many times its cost each year. Any lady intending to follow dress making as a business, will find it practical, reliable and easy to learn.

It is throughly a "Tailors' System." We use no models, but make use of the square, tape and scales. The garment is cut by actual measurement and proven by balance measures. We believe we are justified in asking fathers and mothers if it is not reasonable to teach your daughters an art that will enable them to dress becomingly at a greatly reduced cost.

This art, thoroughly learned, will prove of great benefit during life and should adversity take from them their available means of living, this knowledge will prove a great boon. Any bright girl of 15 can learn the art and become as proficient as her elders, and the practice in construction will develop her as she becomes older thus rendering her independent. We invite all ladies of the city and vicinity to call at any time, and, except during school hours, our teachers will be pleased to explain the method in detail. We cordially invite all dress makers to call, trusting they will be the gainer and not the loser thereby.

The lessons will be of two hours duration at each session, beginning at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. daily, and 7 p. m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Students from a distance may have free use of the school room for practice during their stay. The school will be graded and students graduated with a diploma. There will be a primary, intermediate and senior class, thus enabling students to commence at any time. The length of time required to complete the course will depend upon the aptitude of the student.

This school is located in the Tindall property on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets, Tecumseh, Mich., under the management of Mrs. E. E. Kinney, of Adrian, Mich.

Having had 28 years' experience in dress making, I am pleased to refer to my friends and neighbors that I have examined the system being taught in the school at my home, and am willing to acknowledge that it far surpasses any system that I have ever examined. Chief among the many features are its measurements. These are simple, and the balance measures employed prove unerringly the correctness of the original measures. I believe the statements made in this letter can and will be fully carried out, and that any person availing themselves of this opportunity will have no cause to regret it.

MRS. JAMES HIMMELRIGHT.

e Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., AUGUST 6, 1897

SPECIAL NOTICES.

RENT—An office in James block. Inuire of Alfred James.

to Tansley's for your fruit cans.

J. A. Hughes now rides a new iron".

ts' hose awful cheap at Anderson acrans.'

ry Shurtz is having quite a time an abscess.

e cents buys sticky or poison fly at Parrish's.

t Garlinghouse took a run down maria, Tuesday.

R. Bresie, of Decatur, Ill., spent y with his mother.

R. Kyle attended the races at Jackednesday and yesterday.

ight is the "Regular" in the Blue , Masons take due notice.

na Anderson is spending a couple eks with friends in Adrian.

k Crowell, of Glenville, Ohio, is ng his old friends this week.

. Parrish, and J. Q. Look, spent l days this week at Sand Lake.

s Florence Huey will leave Wedy for a visit with Adrian friends.

e cents worth of medicine has been n to cure. It's bought at Parrish's.

s. Leon McNeil, of Carey, Ohio, iting Mr. and Mrs. Friend McNeil.

dies, you can buy an elegant sumorset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

s Hattie Conklin returned Monfrom her visit with Charlotte ds.

d Chiverall has been home from art all the week. He returns tomorrow.

n Haight arrived the last of the for a visit with his people and iends.

s Anna McClure is entertaining riend Miss Florence Neeley, of klyn.

e cents buys a nice tablet suitable riting with pen and ink, at sh's.

e HERALD is indebted to Fred le for a bunch of celery, the finest e land.

to Will Gray to have locks and fitted and clothes wringers and les repaired.

e regular meeting of the O. E. S., be held at Masonic hall next rsday evening.

George W. Burnham, of Jackson, s rented Elbridge Hyde's house on ttawatamie street.

new line of fresh roasted coffees Stephen's & Widlar's famous coffee at R. S. Moore's.

Lowell Waring, of Kalamazoo, iting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, of Brownville.

P. Anthony and John Gaston, rned home Tuesday eve from a trip uffalo and Niagara Falls.

and Mrs. Charles Katz and son nie, of Adrian, were guests of Mr. Mrs. P. C. Snell Sunday.

n Mahany joined his wife at ter, Ohio, yesterday for a visit his sister and other relatives.

ts, you can buy a pair of $3.50 tan blood shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan or $2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

ple makes the cheapest photos in unty, only 25c for six and you can times and have a photo for each.

ton Burlingame left Saturday ng for Elkhart, Ind., to accept a on with the Stimpson Scale Com-

W. H. Baun, of Chicago, and A. D. Macham, of Holloway, were s of Mr. and Mrs. David Macham, esday.

J. Ware, who is taking a special e at Ann Arbor, came over and Sunday with his family at Mrs. Hayden's.

s. Horatio Keyser, accompanied by nce and Blanche Keyser, left day afternoon for a visit with Miss Jones at Ottawa Lake.

v. David Lewis, at his residence rday evening, united in marriage Thomas L. Maynard, and Miss ha E. Weld of this place.

ring this month (August), the only ces at the Universalist church will unday school at 4 P. M., followed e young peoples meeting.

v. C. M. Brown and family, Mr. Mrs. S. E. Parrish and guests, Mrs. tt and J. Q. Look, rusticated at Lake the last of the week.

rence A. Cotton, formerly a Teeh boy, and now of Detroit, with ife and little daughter, were calon friends a couple of days this

g. 12, '97, the D. & L. N. will run xcursion to Niagara Falls for $4.75 d trip from Tecumseh via Detroit Grand Trunk Ry. Keep your eye e bills.

s. Mollie Vanderpool who has with her grand-parents, Mr. and George Teachout for several ths, returned to her home near ed, Saturday.

W. Howard, formerly of Constanis opening an art store and stock all paper in the VanTyne building erly occupied by Mrs. M. E. Bice. family will live over the store.

e committee in the Baptist church, he care of the sick and needy, will supper and ice cream on Heck's fronting on Chicago street, opposhe Presbyterian church next Tues evening. Supper 10 cents, ice m 10 cents.

R. E. Anderson was home over Sunday.

The best quality of fruit cans at Tansley's

Ice cream on Heck's lawn Tuesday evening.

Lamont Bidwell and George McGee went to Jackson this morning.

Tribou LeBaron is spending his vacation in and about old Tecumseh.

Geo. Rubadeau has rented S. M. Smith's house on North Pearl street.

Mack Robinson and son Charles, of Manchester, were down Wednesday.

Five cents is a small amount of money but goes a long way at Parrish's.

Harry T. Dunn, of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting his old Tecumseh friends.

Justin Kempf, of Niles, was the guest of Miss Loana Davidson over Sunday.

Ladies' cambric wrappers 69 and 89 cents Saturday at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Mrs. John A. Hughes visited Mrs. C. R. Maybee at Britton a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Temple were in Tecumseh two days this week, visiting his father.

Epworth League district convention at the M. E. church next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss L. Naomi Gamble and little sister Marion, of Wheatland, are visiting Grandma Gregg.

Lysander Fisher, of Toledo, has rented the Hayden cottage at Sand Lake for the balance of the season.

Five cents buys a cake of toilet soap, larger and better than anything you have seen lately, at Parrish's.

I. Frensdorff & Sons, of Hudson, are now buying wheat in Tecumseh. The grain is taken in at the Globe Mills.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Hewitt, of Buffalo, spent part of Saturday and Sunday in Tecumseh with their aunt, Miss A. M. Hewitt.

Finest quality of syrup, best ice cream and a perfect working fountain will insure you the finest drink of ice cream soda at R. S. Moore's.

S. M. Smith desires to thank his neighbors and friends for their kindnesses during the sickness and at the time of the death of his wife.

Satterthwaite Bros. have recently received a special wheel, 18-inch frame, for "Nutt" Pawson, of Franklin. The make is "Envoy" and it is a beauty.

We have received a new lot of babycarriages, and are going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Rev E. L. Hurd, D. D., of Tuscola, Ill., father of Mrs. C. M. Brown, will preach in the morning and at the union service in the evening at the Presbyterian church.

The latest souvenir spoon of Tecumseh is an idea of E. J. Peters and appropriate in every way. The bowl contains a vignette of old Tecumseh very nicely executed and the spoon is in every way a beauty.

Miss Lillian Keyes, of Grand Rapids, is making her annual visit with Tecumseh relatives. She came Monday and is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook, corner of Union and Pottawatamie streets.

There will be no services at the Friends church next Sunday on account of quarterly meeting Saturday and Sunday at Raisin Valley. Rev. J. P. Varner, of this place, will give a temperance address at the Valley church at 2 p. m. Sunday.

Harris & Hiteshu's midsummer clearing sale will be, as every summer, a hustler. Bottom knocked out of every price. Read all about it.

E. W. Howard, who will occupy L. M. VanTyne's store, is decorating the place in beautiful style and will be ready to open some time next week with a complete stock of wall paper stationery and picture frames. Mr. Howard is a practical man and will no doubt succeed in this line.

Manager Mills, of the Tecumseh Electric Co., has trouble of his own these days. The dynamo which furnishes light for the streets burned out. Seven new rings has been put in and still the thing dont work. After the pitch darkness of the last few nights, we can now fully appreciate how well Tecumseh is usually lighted.

The 30th annual reunion of the 18th Mich. Vol. Infantry will be held at Pleasant Grove, on the shore of Devil's Lake, Mich., Thursday, Aug. 19, 1897. The date has been changed from Aug. 26th to Aug. 19th, by the officers of the Association at the request of numerous comrades so as not to conflict with the National G. A. R. Encampment at Buffalo. Any point on the C. J. & M. Ry. sell tickets to Manitou Beach, one fare for the round trip, good to return through the season. Five cents takes you from Manitou Beach to Pleasant Grove on the steamer Fuller.

Yours fraternally,
GEN. C. C. DOOLITTLE, Pres.
D. H. WARREN, Sec.

For some time past, the young America's of Tecumseh, have had a great longing for mercantile pursuits, consequently on almost every resident street one or more stores have appeared close to the walk from which all kinds of confectionary, nuts and soft drinks have been dispensed. John Munn, who is visiting here, with an eye to business, at once provided himself with a drummers outfit and each morning with his case of samples nicely arranged, made the rounds, supplying the embryo merchants with their days stock. For several days he did a thriving business, but owing to several of the houses becoming insolvent and closing up shop, his trade has fallen off to considerable extent.

Harry Martin is home from Chicago.

Fruit cans cheap at Tansley's.

C.E. Williamson was in Detroit Monday.

Ernest Mize left yesterday for a weeks vacation.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton went to Detroit yesterday.

Harry Tansley's father visited him this week.

John Primrose and Frank Deuel have gone fishing.

Robert S. Moore and wife were at the lake yesterday.

Miss Lynn Daly visited Adrian friends yesterday.

Five cents buys 6 rubber tipped lead pencils, quality A1, at Parrish's.

L. G. North was called to Chicago Tuesday by the death of an uncle.

Dr. Stein, the oculist, will be at the Lilley house four days next week.

Ralph Orr returned Wednesday from his two weeks visit at Ashley Ind.

Garlinghouse Bros. shipped another car of stock to Cleveland this week.

Mrs. Ford, Gertrude and Earl Uplike are spending a few days at the lakes.

All summer goods at less than manufacturers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

J. D. Strong visited his nephew at West Unity, Ohio, the first of the week.

Miss Anna Williamson is enjoying a visit from Miss Lida Crebbin of Dundee.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

Miss Martin, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. Charles Ives, and Mrs. Eugene Harris.

James Henderson is riding around these days taking great pleasure on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jones and Wm. Jordan visited the Jackson races yesterday.

Andrew Ayers and wife of Cambridge visited their daughter Mrs. Charles D. Smith this week.

Miss Root gives a musical recital this evening at the residence of A. W. Slayton on Pearl Street.

Miss Edith Case of Manchester, who has been spending several days here, returned home this morning.

Frank E. Crossman, wife and child who have been visiting here returned to their home in Jackson Monday.

A complete line of ladies' shirt waists. The price to close will be less than manufacturer's cost. HARRIS & HITESHU.

Company C. M. N. G. leave Tuesday noon for Island Lake for the Annual Encampment. They go via Dundee.

Mrs. Steere of Raisin Valley and son Judge Steere of Marquette were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred James yesterday.

Rev. C. M. Brown left this afternoon on a few days' trip to Hillsboro, Ill., to see his father who is over 80 years of age.

James Eccles and family leave in the morning for Sand Lake, where they have taken a cottage for a few weeks.

D. W. Grandon of The Messinger was in town Wednesday en route to Devils Lake for a little outing, his family being there.

Tom Owens, Rob Parrish and Will Elliott will take in one of the excursion to Niagara Falls Aug. 12th, and be gone two weeks.

Will Mobbs purchased the 'Al Paxon property, now occupied by George Church. You can imagine what he will do next.

The remaining members of the "Wee Nine" and Miss Merl Munn are sojourning at the Arnold Cottage Sand Lake with Mrs. Arnold as Chaperon.

Wm. Jordan, wife and son Claude went to Brooklyn early Tuesday morning. From there Wm. went to Jackson with the Teachouts to attend the races.

All summer goods will be sold at less than manufactures cost price. Bargains all over the house. Come see, and save money.
HARRIS & HITESHU.

Arthur Pocklington, who came home from Hudson, expecting to remain until fall, was summoned back by telephone the other day to resume his labors.

Mrs. Ben. J. Garlinghouse and Miss Camilla Meade left yesterday afternoon for a visit with friends at St. Catherines, Canada. They took their wheels with them.

Henry Burnett and family who have been visiting his people left Monday for the Thousand Islands, after a few days there they will return to their home in Peterboro Ontario.

Mrs. Sarah Lowry who has been so seriously ill is not making a rapid recovery and it is thought an operation will be necesary before a permanent change for the better can be expected.

Frank Hall son of the late A. D. Hall who was taken to the Asylum at Kalamazoo a short time ago is reported as rapidly improving, this will be good news to his long circle of friends and acquaintances.

Editor Samsen has been seen on a "bike." It is reported that E. J. Smith, of the Adrian Press, is very jealous, thinking that Samsen may prove a more graceful rider than he, but then Smith always wanted the earth and is selfish about everything.

It has been reported that T. R. Kyle was not going to have any more racing matinees. This is not true for the third one of the season will come off two weeks from tomorrow, Aug. 21st, and will eclipse all former ones. Our horsemen are just begining to realize the importance of these events and as many of the green horses are showing up well, there will be quite a number of new ones at the coming matinee as well as speedy ones from away that are strangers to the tract.

Five cents buys a bunch of envelopes, colored or white, at Parrish's.

Supper! Where, across from Presbyterian church, Tuesday evening.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Lincoln Stevens of Waverly N. Y. who visited his sister Mrs. L. G. North a few days the past week returned home Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. North who will make her Eastern friends a visit.

Charles Sones, of Macon, was run in Saturday night for being drunk and disorderly. He occupied the cooler until Monday morning, then he was taken before Squire Wightman, who fined him $3.00 and costs.

Mrs. M. A. Freeman and mother, Mrs. Hope, went over to Ypsilanti yesterday. From there Mrs. Freeman goes to Detroit for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. McKinney. She will be away about two weeks.

Mrs. Cornwell and three children, from Adrian, have been visiting the McDaniels family. Tuesday night the youngest child an infant six months old died. The funeral was held at the house yesterday at 3 P. M., Rev. J. P. Varner attending.

The Tecumseh wheat market is booming. I. Frensdorff & Son are buying at the Globe Mills and C. A. Slayton up town. A farmer had a sample graded at Britton and Tecumseh last week and received two cents a bushel more in Tecumseh. The farmers can now be assured of the highest price for everything in the produce line at Tecumseh.

Dr. Elliott H. Sherman, of Grand Rapids, formerly a Tecumseh boy, will be in Clinton, Aug. 11th and 12th at the hotel for executing all kinds of dental work, modern and up-to-date. Those having badly fitting plates will do well to investigate his method as he has something new in producing proper suction. Teeth extracted by painless process, no gas or sleep. Crown and bridge work a specialty.

Harry Bice's three year old daughter Marion who has been a great sufferer for nearly two years from what was supposed lung or broughial trouble, Abseses forming at different times, the other day had as she was wont to do a severe coughing and vomiting attack and all at once exclaimed, "Ma there's the book." It seems that when about a year old she put a common dress hook in her mouth and as they supposed swallowed it, for after a spell of severe strangling she seemed to be all right. It now appears that she inhaled it and it must have lodged in one of the bronchial tubes. It was badly corroded being black and flesh was attached to it, they now think she will become strong and healthy. It is certainly a strange csse.

James Kingan, who lives on the Bresie place in Brownville and who is in feeble health, met with a serious accident Monday evening that may lay him up some time. It was after dark when he and his daughter, who had been over to town, drove up before the house. As he got out of the buggy he was run into by Jack O'Hara, living between Clinton and Macon, who had been here to mill and was returning home. Mr. Kingan was carried some distance before he fell to the ground when the wagon ran over him. What O'Hara was doing driving out of the road, as he was close to the fence, is not known. Mr. K. did not think at first that he was hurt and as O'Hara failed to stop when called to, he got in the buggy and drove after him, overtaking him at "Kissing Hollow," where some conversation ensued, giving him an opportunity of satisfying himself as to who the party really was. On asking O'Hara what he proposed doing for running over him, Jack whipped up his horse and away he went. On returning home Mr. Kingan began to feel that he was hurt. A physician was called who found that besides severe bruises, one or more ribs were broken. O'Hara had a one horse wagon and evidently was under the influence of liquor or the accident could not have occurred. Although Mr. K's injuries are not as serious as reported in the Adrian papers, they are severe enough. As yet no legal steps have been taken in the matter.

G. A. R. Encampment—Buffalo.

On the occasion of the 31st National Encampment the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets, August 21, 22 and 23, to Buffalo at one cent per mile, good returning until September 20th. The arrangements are such as to cause this encampment to be the largest, grandest and most successful ever held. Every member of the G. A. R. organizations, their relatives and friends should not fail to attend. The rates are low and the service of the fast trains over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will enable you to make the trip cheaply, quickly and comfortably, both going and returning.

A handsomely illustrated, descriptive book about Buffalo, the encampment, route, and containing map of the city, and program has been prepared and will be sent free to any member of the G. A. R. on application to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

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THE DECISIVE HOUR.

You stand to-day at an angle
Where divergent pathways meet,
And one looks rugged and toilsome,
And one seems smooth to the feet;
But the rough road leadeth upward
To the hills of truth and light,
The other ever downward
Unto the vales of night;
And a voice crieth:
"Choose ye! Choose ye!"

One road is strewn with flowers,
And sweet with rare perfumes;
But noxious are the odors
Of those deceitful blooms;
And many are the pitfalls
That lie the path along;
Though mirthful the wayfarer,
Soon hushed is his gay song;
While stays the moment—
"Choose ye! Choose ye!"

Who takes the upward pathway
Must tread the briars among,
Yet mounting up, triumphant
Shall voice the victor's song.
The heights he gains are vocal
With anthems from on high;
The fragrant winds that fan him
Seem bringing Heaven nigh.
Oh, heed the warning:
"Choose ye! Choose ye!"

—Meta E. B. Thorne, in Banner of Gold.

"IN MOURNING."

BY MARION HARLAND.

SHE had called "strictly on business." The fact was made known to me in a variety of ways. Before the tall figure, draped in sable, entered the library where I sat, I heard her impress upon the maid who answered her ring at the door, that she "would detain me for a very few minutes, having come on business. She would not send in her card but that she feared there might be some mistake as to her name."

The card preceded her on the maid's tray. A wide desert of inky bordering encircled a timid oasis of white in the middle of which I read her name. There was no room for the address. The owner of card and name alluded to the omission, when the business had been attended to.

"I should be glad to have you look in upon me sometime," she was good enough to say. "We are still living at 71 West —th street. My address is not on my card because I am not 'receiving' this season, being in such deep mourning."

She had begun the conversation by apologizing for setting foot within my doors.

"You must think it strange that I have called even on business. But my errand is one I could not intrust to a servant, or explain by letter. Otherwise I should not be here. I have gone nowhere except once a Sunday to church since my mother's death six months ago. Sometimes I have no heart even for church service. They recall too many harrowing associations."

In nearing the subject she drew out a pocket handkerchief edged with two griefful inches of black, as a precautionary measure. She could not have stanched a dozen tears with the sheer linen cambric center.

Yet she was not a fool, or even foolish, upon other subjects. The business that had brought her to me had to do with a benevolent enterprise. It was so full of excellent sense, and she stated it so clearly, that I exclaimed in honest admiration as she concluded. I represented, furthermore, that she was the fittest person to lay it before the board of directors to which both of us belonged. She shuddered, as at a breath of icy wind.

"Oh, I could not think of that! I will write out my ideas on the subject and send them to the secretary, to be read at their next meeting, provided, of course, that my name is not mentioned in connection with them. When I begin to go out again, one of the first places at which I shall be seen will be the board meeting. I seldom missed one before my affliction."

I "hoped," by and by, "that she was taking advantage of the fine weather to walk and drive in Central Park and in the country."

She sighed deeply, her smileless face taking on a darker shadow.

"I drive out every day—with the windows closed, of course, until we are out of town, and then I choose the loneliest country roads. But Nature seen through a crepe veil isn't quite herself."

"I should think not, indeed!" ejaculated I, involuntarily. "Is it just to yourself and kind to your friends to seclude yourself so rigorously? Do not your health and spirits suffer in consequence?"

A deeper sigh and a gentle flutter of the sable-rimmed scrap of cambric.

"I could not reconcile any other course with my sense of what is due to her who has gone. She deserves any and every mark of respect I can show her, and there is so little I can do for her now."

I prudently refrained from suggesting a doubt as to the benefit derived by the departed relative from her daughter's dutiful depths of sustained misery. Nor did I ring for the tea equipage while she stayed. The sight of the social teapot and hissing kettle would, I felt, jar upon her finest sensibilities. Her presence grew oppressive. Her gloomy swathings were voluminous and aggressive. A crepe veil depended from a crepe bonnet; a monstrous crepe butterfly started up from the back of her neck; her light cloth mantle was weighted with crepe trimming; the waist of her gown was of crepe, and the skirt of some fashionable, crapy stuff with a foot trimming of English crepe. She and her appointments—I could not dissociate her from them—sucked up the sun rays pouring through the window behind her, and exhaled in return a steam of black dye that poisoned the air. Not a line of white relieved the picture, and the lifeless tones of her voice, the dull misery of eyes and expression, were in keeping with the dense shadows.

When she had gone, I rushed to the windows, threw them open and gasped for breath. A fold of her crepe seemed to have fallen between me and the gladsome earth, and to dim the blue of the summer heavens. Had the visit lasted five minutes more, I must have burst into tears and grown hysterical.

Happily for myself and for the guests who are almost sure to take their tone from the hostess' spirits, the second comer of the afternoon was Miss Barbara Robb. She brought me a big bunch of nasturtiums from her own garden. Such nasturtiums as flower for no other amateur horticulturist whom I know. Maroon, and pale brown, and buff and blood-red, with leaves as large as the palm of my hand. I snatched at them and buried my face in the honeyed bitter of their wholesome hearts.

"Oh!" in one long inhalation of spiciness and gratitude. "Thank you! they take away the crepy smell and the horrors."

While the story, from which the mourner's name was scrupulously withheld, was in telling, four other women dropped in. Miss Barbara, as the only one who had heard it all, led off in the discussion:

"The poor soul believes her sorrow to be sincere, and it is, to some extent. Presumably she loved her mother, and she misses her sadly. Nevertheless, the emotion which she now nurses and parades is conventional sentimentality. At the bottom of her heart she is afraid that she will not seem sorry enough to satisfy the expectations of her critics, and may fall short of the standard she has set up for herself as 'the proper thing in the circumstances.' She watches her spirits as a trained nurse watches a patient's temperature. Settled sadness is normal. A rise towards natural cheerfulness is repressed as an indignity to the dead. In another year, dull jet will be indicated by Mrs. Grundy, and lusterless silks will be the indices of mitigated grief. In three years' time the gloom of bereavement will shade off through gray and lavender into white, and so be decorously dismissed with a return to colors. The proprieties will have been fully conserved, and the daughter's conscience be void of offense. She and her guild are unconscious poseuses, as truly the bond slaves of a senseless and cruel custom as the Hindoo woman who is 'suttee.' I should have less patience with the custom if so many who follow it blindly were not good, sensible women."

"There is a comical side to it sometimes," Mrs. Fay's jolly little laugh is peculiarly infectious. I think this is because the happiness it expresses is utterly free from guile. "I was at the Adirondack hotel some years ago, when three pretty sisters, who were the belles of the house, heard of their cousin's death in New Orleans. The news reached them by the afternoon mail. They promptly retired to their bedroom, and the places and the beaux they had brightened for a week past, knew them no more for 24 hours. Then they appeared upon the verandas, all three of them in white gowns with black sashes and black neck and wrist ribbons. They promenaded and chatted gayly, first with one then with another admirer and friend, until ten o'clock, when they discreetly retired. On the third evening after the blow fell upon their cousinly hearts, the black ribbons were exchanged for lavender, and they sat as wallflowers in the ballroom, refusing to take the floor. 'You know we have just lost a friend,' answered each invitation to dance. They did not go upstairs, however, until 12 o'clock.

"On the following night—I assure you that every word of this is true!—the trio were arrayed in virgin white, and further, as Miss Robb would say, conserved the proprieties by figuring in none but square dances. The fifth evening beheld them resplendent in full dress, and engaged for every waltz within ten minutes after they entered the ballroom. The gradations were artistic, and edifying to the uninitiated. To me the whole proceeding was irristibly funny."

I had marveled with secret amusement, that Mrs. Blunt had held her peace, even from good, all this while. She made up for lost time now:

"I call it a traversty of the most sacred feelings of the human heart! Yet it is all of a piece with the barbarous unchristian custom of putting our bodies into mourning for the affliction of our spirits and souls. At the very best—when, according to Miss Robb's charitable judgment, those who shroud themselves in unwholesome crepe and hideous bombazine are honestly grieving, and under the fond delusion that they are honoring the dead by risking health and sacrificing becomingness—the practice is ridiculous. When the etiquette of woe is prescribed by the same arbiters of fashion who regulate the pitch of our bonnets, the length of our skirts and the width of our boot toes—the thing is degrading. The old Hebrew laws, which declared one unclean for a given period after he had touched a dead body, were more tolerable, and were based upon sanitary principles. There is no sense in the dictum that one must not cross her neighbor's threshold for so many years after she has closed her husband's eyes; so many months after she has mourned a parent; so many weeks if an aunt has been taken; and, as with Mrs. Fay's chime of belles, may tone down—or up—from sorrowful seclusion to social gayety in five days after a cousin's death."

Being mortal, she had got her breath back, and Mrs. Fay's contagious laugh rippled across the compulsory pause.

"I met a friend yesterday, dressed in new and deep black, although not in crepe, and asked: 'Are you in mourning, my dear? I had not heard that you have lost a friend.'

"'I haven't,' she said, airily. 'Only my husband's brother whom I have never seen. He died in Algiers ten days ago. So, I only black. I don't mourn.'"

The positive woman was not to be diverted from the chase.

"I for one, refuse to gauge my sorrows by the enactments of the Grundyan congress. Such mourning as is adjudged to be decent in this day entails expense, labor and thought, at a time when other and unavoidable expenses press heavily upon people of moderate means, and when attention to such affairs as shopping, fitting and making up black is an agony. When, as Mrs. Fay's witty friend put it, the blacking is not mourning, the obligation becomes despicable. From my point of view the practice is worse than useless and silly. It is, in five cases out of ten, a vulgar and vile sham that disgraces Christian civilization."

I had had time to think of many things while she, whom Barbara long ago nicknamed "the positive case," discoursed. Uppermost in my mind were two queries: What gives the reformer the patent right to assail intemperately what he chooses to brand as dogma and prejudice? And why do we conservatives submit meekly to such onslaughts? Because belief in the Bible as the revealed Word of God is almost 2,000 years old, the skeptic's fulmination against "bigotry and superstition" is heard respectfully. The disciple of a new school of medicines has free course for his denunciation of the regular practitioner as "poisoner" and "butcher," and should the old-school doctor recriminate he is branded as narrow and discourteous to a seeker after truth. Is the American Athenian so wedded in turn to each new thing as to take for granted, at the first blush of opposition, that the wrong must be with that which is established and conventional?

In the present instance, neither of the two women present who were wearing mourning garments retorted upon Mrs. Blunt in kind. Perhaps the tender thoughts of those who were gone, that came to each with the daily putting on of the memorial raiment, were too sacred to be tossed from tongue to tongue.

So, it was Dr. Wynne, in a love of a gray-and-pink costume, whose calmly-judicial accents poulticed the pained silence succeeding the epithets "vulgar and vile."

"The custom of wearing mourning has the recommendation of convenience, at least. It prevents many mortifying blunders. If my acquaintance, Mrs. John Smith, whom I encountered at a a drygoods counter this morning, had worn the conventional weeds, I should not have hoped audibly that Mr. Smith should not suffer from the heat this summer as he did last year when I met him at the seashore. And—" after waiting for the general laugh to subside—"you would have discerned nothing amusing in the death of a husband and father. I had never heard of his demise, for, if I had, I had forgotten it. Mrs. Smith would have spared herself exquisite pain and me a bad quarter of an hour, by signifying in her apparel the change in her condition."

"I had a still more disagreeable experience lately," chimed in Miss Robb. "An old schoolfellow who lives in Cincinnati called to see me in passing through the city. She was handsomely dressed, but not in black, and I did not at once notice that she was paler and more quiet than she used to be. So when she said, regretfully: 'You may have heard that I lost both my daughters last year—one in May, the other in September,' I answered, gayly enough; 'You couldn't have expected to keep such pretty girls long. Who were the fortunate men?'

"She threw out her hand in a gesture I cannot describe, it was so eloquent of grief and horror.

"'Don't, Barbara! I mean that both of them died!'

"A mourning gown would have been a protection to her, and also to her friends."

Mrs. Williams spoke now for the first time. She buried her husband six years ago, and has never laid aside her mourning.

"You have used the right word, Miss Robb. The dress which tells that a great storm had swept over one's life averts careless remarks that would be cruel, and is a lien upon the sympathy of the veriest stranger who has known sorrow for himself. And what is called the sentimental side of the question is not without weight. When I was a girl of 14, I saw my sister die. It happened that, as we stood about her bed, I was the only person present who had not on a black or dark gown. I wore a pink lawn. The incongruity of the bright color with the somber cast of my emotions and the awful scene left an impression upon my mind that was conviction. In sorrow, one shrinks as instinctively from brilliant colors and ornaments as from gay society. They jar upon the aching heart. The wounded creature longs to hide its hurt in a dark, quiet corner, until time and divine grace bring healing or strength to endure and to live."

Another and a longer break in the talk followed. Mrs. Blunt rallied for a new, but gentler, attack.

"There may be—there must be—something that appeals to human nature and the finer affections in what strikes me as heathenish, or so great a multitude would not adopt the custom. But what must be said of such slavish subservience to times and seasons, such scrupulous observance of measurements and shades as we have heard described here to-day?"

Mrs. Williams made answer:

"That there is a difference between genuine mourning and being merely 'in mourning.'"—The House Wife.

—There is a very remarkable tree in Mrs. Elizabeth Porter's front yard at her home in the suburban part of Glasgow, Ky. It is an old locust tree, and in the dryest of weather a continued shower of mist or vapor can be seen coming from its branches. A shower bath can be had beneath its foliage at any hour, day or night.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

A Budget of News from Many Parts of the State.

Oliver Petterson, a traveling man, was found dead in bed at Saginaw.

Mayor Maybury is an aspirant for governor on the democratic ticket.

William J. Gregg, of Marshall, says he is not and will not be a candidate for congress.

Port Huron saloon keepers are being prosecuted for violating the Sunday closing laws.

It cost $32,000 to maintain the poor of St. Clair county for the fiscal year ended June 30.

The will of the late Michael Winkler, of Saginaw, bequeaths his estate, valued at $100,000, to his widow and children.

The thirteenth annual fair of the Plymouth Fair association will be held at Plymouth September 14, 15, 16 and 17.

While Valerian Palmer was chopping trees in the woods near Petoskey he was caught by a falling tree and seriously injured.

Peaches around New Hudson are a total failure. Orchards that produced 800 bushels last year will have none this year. There will be no apples to sell.

The cherry crop of Oakland county has been something enormous. The market is flooded with the fruit and thousands of bushels yet hang on the trees.

Hastings will be the scene of a grand horse and baseball tourney August 17, 18 and 19. Cash prizes to the value of $1,500 are offered. Entries close August 16, with W. A. Seidmore secretary, Hastings.

Lansing workmen while excavating for a sewer at the Lesher place school dug up five coffins containing remnants of human skeletons. The place was once the potters' field of the old cemetery.

George Z. Smith, of Saginaw, has received his commission from Grand Master Workman J. R. Sovereign, of the Knights of Labor of the United States, appointing him organizer for Michigan. Mr. Smith will appoint deputy organizers for the work throughout the state.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Holland immigration and colonization to this country will be celebrated on a fitting scale in Holland commencing Wednesday, August 25. The celebration will cover at least two days and will be participated in by Hollanders from several adjoining states.

Will Cost Too Much.

Fort Brady, July 30.—It is understood that Fort Mackinac will not be reoccupied by troops for some time to come. Col. Simon Snyder, Nineteenth infantry, who was ordered by the war department to inspect and make an estimate of the cost of renovating the fort and building to fit them for troops again, reports that it will cost between $3,000 and $4,000 to put the building in repair to accommodate one company.

Taxes on Michigan Roads.

Lansing, Aug. 1.—Saturday was the last day for the payment of railroad taxes assessed for the year 1896 without payment of the seven per cent. penalty. The total taxes assessed against the companies was $740,998.75, and of this sum $107,148.36 remains unpaid. The amount of delinquent taxes is smaller than for several years. The Michigan Central Railroad company paid its taxes, which aggregated $228,587, Saturday.

Ate Up the Estate.

Muskegon, Aug. 1.—Saturday the hospital was sold to John C. Bail at administrator's sale for $210. The building alone cost $5,000. The property was the residence of Mrs. Rebecca Ingram. When she died she willed all her property to the hospital. Mayor Ansell F. Temple contested the will, and lengthy litigation followed, which ate up the estate. The matter was in court 30 times.

Doing Good Work.

Ishpeming, July 30.—Hon. O. E. Grosvenor, state dairy and food commissioner, is making a visit in the upper peninsula, and is doing excellent service in the interest of the state. He is putting forth strong efforts to make the office of value to the people, and is accomplishing much in that direction. Willard K. Bush is accompanying him.

Pays for His Bride.

Howell, July 31.—William Johns and Mrs. Wesley Worters, under the name of Jessie Barton, were married at Fowlerville Thursday afternoon. The woman filed a divorce suit July 12. Before the marriage Johns, who is young and good looking, deeded 30 acres of land to Worters on condition that he should not interfere with them.

Enormous Profit.

Houghton, July 30.—The Native Copper Times estimates the net profits of the Calumet & Hecla for the calendar year of 1896 at $4,717,368.04, and actual cost of copper to produce it, at 7.21 cents per pound, as against 5.33 cents in 1895, and 6.03 cents in 1894. The net cost of the copper was not quite one-half the net selling price.

Long Journey Ended.

Bronson, July 30.—J. W. Clark, of Boston, Mass., who started from this place July 28, 1896, to travel 60,000 miles in a year without begging or beating his way and was required to show receipts that he had paid for fare, arrived here two days ahead of time and shows receipts which are sworn to for 60,207 miles.

Chosen President.

Port Huron, July 30.—The fourth annual convention of the Michigan Association of Sheriffs and Chiefs of Police was held here, 40 delegates being present. No formal papers were read. At the election of officers ex-Sheriff C. P. Collins, of Detroit, was honored with the presidency.

Receiver Named.

Ishpeming, July 29.—B. W. Wright, ex-county treasurer, has been appointed receiver for the Ropes Gold and Silver company. The company's liabilities are yet unknown, but are estimated at various amounts from $50,000 to $100,-

SETTLERS CLAIM A VICTORY.

New Development in a Contest Over Land in Michigan.

Marquette, Aug. 2.—Land Commissioner Hermann has sent back to the Marquette land office the contest between the Michigan Land and Iron company and the settlers. This will cause an open contest for 50,000 acres of land, and may jeopard the title to nearly ten times that much. The land claimed by the Michigan Land and Iron company is the old Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon railroad grant, which was given to aid the construction of a line from Marquette to Ontonagon in 1851. It consists of 460,000 acres. Since passing to the new corporation its title has been in dispute, and settlers have squatted on 50,000 acres of the best homesteads. The company filed an application for patents covering swamp, timber and mineral lands. The commissioner's action in granting an open hearing in the land office requires all the settlers to be notified, and the company will have to prove in open court that it comes under the railroad grant confirmatory act passed in 1887. The settlers say it will be impossible to do this, and are rejoicing in their victory.

CRIMINALS BREAK JAIL.

Prisoners at St. Joseph Cut Bars of Their Cell and Escape.

St. Joseph, Aug. 3.—Four prisoners escaped from the county jail Monday morning by sawing the bars from their cell and the outer corridor. The men were Alexander McDonald, who attempted to murder Brakeman Jennings; Louis Ake, of South Bend, a bicycle thief; Otis Bentley, of Hersey, and Frank Roby, of Rochester, Ind., burglars. The men were all awaiting trial. The sheriff has offered a reward of $125 for their capture and has gone to Chicago, where he thinks one of them has fled.

Badly Injured.

Adrian, July 30.—Frank McPhail, a farmer of Madison township, while taking gravel out of a pit a few miles south of the city, was caught under a land slide and buried beneath nine feet of earth. His head was doubled up between his legs, and rested there until his fellow workmen dug him out. It took three men to lift a piece of clay off his back, that had dropped from the top. Dr. Kirkpatrick fears that his back is broken. The flesh is fearfully torn and bruised.

A Profitable Bureau.

Lansing, July 30.—Ex-State Oil Inspector McMillan made his final settlement with the board of state auditors Thursday, and turned into the state treasury a balance of $5,212.56, which represents the net earnings of the inspection system for the first six months of this year. The total receipts for that period were $17,987.40, and the disbursements $12,774.84. Of the latter $10,154.87 represents the aggregate salaries paid the state oil inspector and his 22 deputies.

Drowned in Diamond Lake.

Niles, July 30.—At Diamond lake Wednesday afternoon four society girls, two from near Cassopolis and two from Vandalia, were taking a cruise around the lake when a sudden gust of wind capsized their yacht. Dora O'Dell was drowned, but Mary Skinner, Clara Whitehead and Etta Train were rescued after a hard struggle by a young man whose name could not be learned.

Increased Wheat Crop.

Detroit, Aug. 3.—Gillet & Hall, the veteran grain dealers, in speaking of the new crop, said: "It is coming in slowly, because it is about three weeks late, but is of a very fine quality. The crop will be 25,000,000 bushels, as against 15,000,000 last year. Sixty cars of new wheat came in Monday, making 150 on the crop. Preparations are now making for a free movement."

Death of a Pioneer.

Pinckney, July 30. — Thompson Grimes died at his home in this village of paralysis. Mr. Grimes was born in Cortland county, N. Y., November 10, 1824. In 1846 he moved to Michigan, locating in the village of Pinckney, and had been a resident of the village ever since. He did much to help the building up of the town.

Peculiar Fate of a Child.

Lansing, July 29.—The two-year-old child of a farmer named Johnson, south of this city, was drowned in a peculiar manner. The little one stood on a chair, and fell across a barrel of water. It balanced on the edge of the barrel so that it could move neither way, and its face only was submerged, causing suffocation.

Bad for the Wheat.

Muir, July 30.—The almost daily rains of the past week have proved a serious drawback to the harvesting of the wheat crop, and much of it is growing in the shocks. The yield is the best for many years, some fields yielding as high as 40 bushels an acre.

Case Ended by Death.

Deerfield, July 30.—John Diver, one of Deerfield's oldest citizens, is dead. He had gained quite a little notoriety from the law suit which had been brought to determine his mental condition, and which was ended while he was at death's door.

Held for Murder.

Crystal Falls, July 30.—The coroner's jury in the Pearl Morrison murder case ended its investigation Thursday afternoon and recommended the holding of Peter Bons for the murder. The evidence against him is purely circumstantial, and very weak.

Rev. Dr. Mulhern Dead.

Grand Rapids, July 31.—Rev. Dr. D. Mulhern, one of the oldest Baptist pastors in Michigan, is dead. He was 87 years old and had been 65 years in the pulpit, beginning in England. Two sons and three daughters survive him.

Crushed to Death.

Decatur, July 23.—Otto Werner was crushed to death under a farmer's wagon at Jackson while trying to climb upon a wheel.

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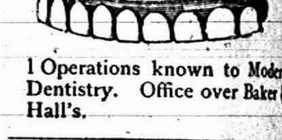
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Totake Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:13 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:32 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:35 p. m.
New York Express	9:30 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	10:47 a. m.
Jackson Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
Chicago Limited	5:44 p. m.
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 833. Express.	No. 849 Accom
Chicago Lv	6 35 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P M
Hanson	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Wauseon	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Lyons	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 56 "
Morenci	7 33 "	2 55 "	2 35 "
Clayton	7 52 "	3 05 "	3 05 "
Tecumseh ..... Ar	8 15 "	3 48 "	4 3 "
Jackson	10 45 "	6 20 "	
	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 35

No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 3 00 p. m
" 833 " " " 11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 818. Express.	No. 846 Accom.
Jackson	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Chelsea	7 45 "	7 50 "	
Dexter	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Ann Arbor	9 06 "	9 29 "	7 38 "
Ypsilanti	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 10 "
Wayne	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Detroit	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
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Passengor	11:59 a. m.
Passengor	6:02 p. m.
Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
Passengor	6:46 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Passengor	8:42 a. m.
Passengor	4:07 p. m.
Local Freight	9:58 a. m.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45
	P. M.	P	A.M.	A. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	‡ 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
Plymouth.....	7 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
Ypsilanti.....	7 58	6 45	10 48	5 00
Ann Arbor.....	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
Toledo & Ohio Central Ry.				
Toledo.....Lv.			2 30	8 30
Adrian.....			4 50	10 30
Tecumseh.....Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Tecumseh.....Ar.	†11 30	† 4 26		‡ 12 40
Adrian.....	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Toledo.....	9 32	2 23	8 47	10 48
Toledo & Ohio Central Ry.	6 25	†1 33	5 30	8 00
Toledo.....Ar.		11 30	5 15	A.M.
Adrian.....		9 25	3 00	
Tecumseh.....Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A.M.	A.M.	

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Only Royal Balloonist.

The sovereign in the world has been up in a balloon. This event occurred some five years ago, when the regent Christina of Spain happened to drive near a field where some experiments in aerial navigation were being made and immediately stopped her carriage and asked to be permitted to make an ascent.

Another Champion.

"That lank party with the medal is the drummer.

"He is our town champion," the barber explained. "He has got his name in the papers more times and cured of more different diseases than any man in the United States."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Belgium's Forests.

Belgium has several first-class forts—Antwerp, and the fortified towns of Dendermonde and Diest, on the Meuse, Liege, Huy and Namur, and a number on each frontier, Mons, Tournay and Ath.

Financial Outlook Good.

Chicago, July 28.—In an interview Controller Eckels said he regarded the financial outlook as being of the most encouraging nature.

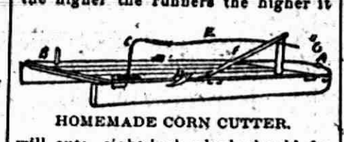
FARM & GARDEN.

THE CORN HARVEST.

Labor-Saving Devices Have Made Its Gathering Easy.

Harvesting the corn crop is being made easier every year by improvements in labor-saving machinery and devices. Large commercial crops are cut, tied and left in straight rows by the improved corn harvester, while the bundles placed in shocks or stooks of 12 to 20 bundles to cure are then drawn to the barn and run through the shredder. Farmers who cannot afford the latest and improved machinery, or who have small areas of corn, cut by sled as illustrated below, or by hand cutter. The armfuls thus cut have to be tied in bundles, various materials being used for this purpose, some using two or three cornstalks, others a small handful of long, strong straw, swamp grass or willows. But whether cut by improved machinery or by hand cutter, the large bundles, shocks or stooks have to be securely fastened to withstand the fall wind and storms.

To make a corn cutter, as portrayed herewith, make a platform with runners six feet long and two inches thick; the higher the runners the higher it



HOMEMADE CORN CUTTER.

will cut; eight-inch plank should do. Mortise three crosspieces of two by four into top of runners. Nail boards on cross ties to make a platform 30 inches wide and nearly six feet long. Get a good steel knife and make it very sharp, say 22 inches long and five inches wide. Bevel the edge from the bottom or underside. Have a rod made with an eye in the center and curved, in order to fasten either end to a runner and hitch a horse in the center. This rod should be of one-half inch round iron, and long enough to work nicely, as shown at a. Bore a hole in platform or runner, and put in a stake about six inches high (b) even across with the base of rod (c). Another stake of the same size, but 20 inches high, on the right side of platform near the edge, and 21 inches from the front of platform (d). Take a rod of five-eighth-inch iron 67 inches long and weld a piece of flat iron one-half inch thick and eight inches long to the end of it, bolt the flat piece to platform (13 inches from center to back of platform), and bend the rod forward 17 inches above the platform, as in e. Bend the rod so as to have it extend out over the edge of the platform, over and back of the knife (b), then bend the rod in so as to extend about two inches over the platform at the center two by four cross brace (f). From there bend the rod out to g. Be sure to have it carry the same height all the time.

The bends in the rod are made in order to bring in the corn and lay it across the platform without the help of a man. In this way the danger of standing over the knife is averted. Nail a small stick something like a lath from top of stake d to the outside runner a few inches ahead of the knife. Bolt the knife to platform about 26 inches from back part of platform with two bolts, and have the knife slant back considerably. I put a scrap piece of two-inch plank under the platform at c and h, to make the platform more solid where the large rod and knife were bolted fast. The large rod from g to e should be with bends 50 inches long. Directly across it is 48 inches, thus using two inches for bends. The large rod is outside of stake d about five inches. Hitch on a quiet horse, hang the lines on d and ride on rear of platform, and when a large pile of corn is cut and laid across the sled, stop and shock it up.—Farm and Home.

WOMEN AS FARMERS.

Peculiar Scheme to Be Inaugurated by a Nebraska Woman.

Mrs. Hattie N. Bemis, of Arabia, Neb., does not see why women should not be successful as farmers, and announces that she is going to try the experiment if she can get a dozen women to assist her. She owns a large tract of land in northwestern Nebraska which she says she intends to give to 12 deserving widows of northwestern farmers. In return she will require them to cultivate it without man's assistance. She says she will start them out with all the machinery they need, a sufficient supply of cattle, horses, swine and poultry to serve as a nest egg, and money to last them until the first harvest can be disposed of. She admits that the climate is dry, but proposes to instruct her wards in the operation of a system of soil culture by which method experiments have proved the rainfall of the section is sufficient to insure bountiful crops. The nearest the women will be allowed to come to dealings with men is to sell the crops to them. If Mrs. Bemis ever learns that a man has been employed about the premises the farms will revert to her. Any member of the community who marries will also forfeit her title to a share in the property.—Chicago Chronicle.

Success Depends on Thought.

Many a farmer goes plodding along, earning but a scant living, with no rest in sight this side of the grave, who might by a little reasoning, and the adaptation of circumstances surrounding him to the idea in view, making a specialty of some one line of farming, and make a paying business of it. But this takes energy, both physical and mental—and he drifts on in blissfull ignorance of the chances and opportunities surrounding him, by which he might have gained a comfortable competence for his old age.—Rural World.

ABOUT LIGHTNING RODS.

Farmers Should Avail Themselves of the Teachings of Science.

Any man who will travel through the country with his eyes open will notice a great many lightning rods on buildings which instead of being a benefit are a positive injury. For example, they will be found lying down on the barn or the house, or broken off, or cracked perhaps near the ground. Rods of this kind are of no use whatever and an injury rather than a benefit. We see no benefit in having glass insulators but regard them rather as an injury. It is, therefore, well the first wet day to look after these disabled rods. As we have frequently stated, the lightning rod requires first good ground connection, by which we mean that it should be imbedded far enough in the ground to reach permanent moisture. Next, it should have close metallic connection with the buildings, and finally it should reach several feet above the comb, be well supported and drawn to a fine point, and if this is galvanized the better. It may be made out of round iron or twisted smooth wire, or copper ribbon. All good rods cover the three or four points above mentioned. A man my spend quite a little money in lightning rods, or he may put them up cheaply, according as his purse or fancy dictates. A man may take a spool of good barb wire, give it good ground connection, nail it to the building, run it over the comb along the roof, over the comb again, and back to the place of beginning and connect it at the four corners of this quadrangle at the ground by another piece of barb or smooth wire, or by two or three strands of smooth wire twisted together, and give it good connection and he will have a very good lightning rod. A man who will plat three or four smooth wires together, give them good ground connection, staple them to the building, support them three or four feet above the comb by a stay, separate the points and sharpen them at the upper end, will have a fairly good lightning rod.

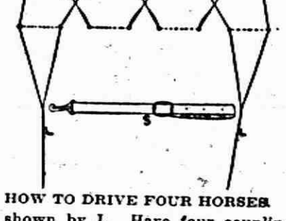
What we are insisting on is that farmers should avail themselves of the teachings of science on this question and protect their lives and property as cheaply as they can and still secure effective protection.—Wallace's Farmer.

FOUR-HORSE LINES.

An Arrangement Excellently Adapted for Field Work.

"Can you tell me how to drive four horses abreast with two lines, and without jockey sticks?" was recently asked us.

For field work the arrangement shown in the sketch presented herewith is perhaps as good as any. Put the ordinary check lines on outside horses



HOW TO DRIVE FOUR HORSES

as shown by L. Have four coupling straps made with snap on one end and an adjustable loop on the other end, by means of which its length can be readily adjusted. Separate cut (S) shows how straps are made. The loop works in hame ring, while the snap fastens to bit (B). Snaps may be used on both ends.

Another arrangement is to use lines on outside horses, same as here shown, and instead of the four coupling straps, use but three, and with these couple the horses heads together right through.—George T. Pettit, in Agricultural Epitomist.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

Attack a ringbone just as soon as it makes its appearance.

If the dog is heavily coated mercifully shear him this hot weather.

A contemporary does not like hog wallows. We do. A hog was never injured by a good wallow.

The merciful man will have shade for the stock. So will the man who works for the greatest profit.

Every farmer should own a breast strap for use on horses that show symptoms of sore shoulders.

The stallion ought to be driven fast enough to cover him with lather. Then rubbed down thoroughly.

Rotten swill and hot weather are bad mixtures for the hog. Pure water is much better than such swill.

As a rule farm work does not require a big, heavy horse. A lighter horse is better.—Western Plowman.

Clearing Fence Corners.

Nothing more clearly shows the painstaking and careful farmer than to have fence corners between fields or along the roadside kept free from weeds, grass or shrubs. As a rule all the old-time fence corners were kept scrupulously clean. A good deal of valuable hay was made from what the scythe reached in and cut there. But when the horse mower and the self-binding reaper came into use, it every year became harder to find anybody who could be hired to clear out the fence corners. The result was that the ax rather than the scythe was required, and the growth, instead of being restricted to fence corners, encroached each year more on the cultivated fields.

Get the Land in Condition.

Prof. Bailey says that the first step in the enrichment of unproductive land is to improve its physical condition by means of careful and thorough tillage, by the addition of humus, and perhaps by underdrainage. It must first be put in such condition that plants can grow in it. After that the addition of chemical fertilizers may pay by giving additional or redundant growth.—Farm News.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Adrian, on the 9th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Elias Brown, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Esther M. Brown, widow of said deceased praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas H. Brown or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 23d day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden, by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate, in and for said county, on the 25th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 96 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 10 links (7.10) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links (9.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on saidline to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 59 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 36-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 3 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 5.66 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 353 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and paralel therewith to the place of beginning. reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence north along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 33-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line north 86½ degrees west 11 chains 56 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48½ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 38 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of north east ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 13-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.

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AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.

(From Detroit News.)

Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:

"The accident of my 'war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honeycombed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like 'a new man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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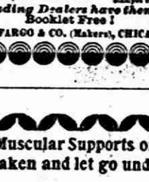

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LITERARY NOTES.

The American Monthly Review of Reviews for August devotes itself with accustomed thoroughness to the new tariff. The editor, in "The Progress of the World," discusses the subject in its general bearings, while Mr. Charles A. Conant, of the New York Journal of Commerce, reviews the salient features of the new law in an impartial and luminous article.

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The Arena for August offers a long and varied list of contents. The opening article, "Evolution: What it is and What it is not," is by Dr. David Starr Jordan, president of the Leland Stanford Junior University, of whom an excellent portrait appears as a frontispiece. The article gives a lucid exposition of the latest ideas regarding evolution in its various aspects, and corrects sundry popular misapprehensions concerning it.

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In the North American Review for August Prof. Abram S. Isaacs thoughtfully discusses the question, "Has Judaism a Future?" Professor Isaacs admits that the ultimate phase of Judaism baffles inquiry as much as the ultimate phase of human progress, but that the tendency in all modern faiths is toward unity, simplicity and purification, and that when the nations shall have reached the heights of perfect brotherhood Judaism's future will have dawned.

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The Forum for August fully maintains the high standard of that magazine, both as regards the general excellence of its articles and the care evidenced in their selection. Senator Hoar, whose contributions are always interesting and forceful, gives his views upon the conditions of "Statesmanship in England and in the United States." He is of the opinion that, as compared with their English prototypes, American statesmen are placed at a great disadvantage by reason of the shortness of their terms of office.

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The August issue of Table Talk, outside of its usual useful and entertaining departments, such as "The New Bill of Fare," "Housekeepers' Inquiries," "Seasonable Menus and Recipes" and "Fashion Notes," assumes quite the air of camping life, giving an article on "Cooking in Camp" by Cornelia C. Bedford, and a sketch entitled "Memory of Camp Life on the Plains" by Mrs. Grinnell. It also contains the story of "Strange Plants and Fruits as Food" by Ethel Ramsey, and other seasonable and interesting matter. A sample copy will be forwarded free to any of our readers who send their name and address to Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Excursion to Niagara Falls.

At extremely low rates over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. August 12th. See bills or ask ticket agent.

WABASH LINE,

Best Route to G. A. R. 31st Annual Encampment, Buffalo, N. Y., August 23-28, 1897.

For this occasion the Wabash Line has made a rate of $6.20 for the round trip from Adrian to Buffalo and return. Tickets good going Aug 21 to 23; good returning until September 20, 1897.

Niagara Falls and Thousand Islands Excursion.

A very low rate, special train excursion to Niagara Falls and Alexandria Bay (Thousand Islands of the St. Lawrence River) will be run over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry., Aug. 12th. Passengers from points on Jackson branch will use regular train leaving Tecumseh at 3:05 p. m., connecting at Toledo with special train which runs through to the Falls without change. Fare for the round trip, to Niagara Falls, $4 50; to Alexandria Bay, $10.00. Tickets will be good to return on all regular trains except "The Lake Shore Limited," No. 19, and as follows: Niagara Falls, five days; Alexandria Bay, eight days, including date of sale.

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Somehow in this weather the search for the north pole doesn't seem so ridiculous.

Dover, N. H., Oct 31, 1896.

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STORY OF A COLOR FAD.

How the Craze for Lilac Had Its Birth in Vienna.

Many years ago, in the days of her radiant beauty, her imperial majesty, Empress Elizabeth, of Austria, sat for her portrait to Schrotzberg, a fashionable Viennese artist. The picture, says Munseys, was painted at the request of the empress' royal cousin, Ludwig II. of Bavaria, and was destined to grace the walls of his gallery of beautiful women in Munich. The artist recognized the importance of his commission, and gave to the canvas all the skill of his genius, which, in the matter of color, had no equal in Germany. The robe of the empress was of imperial purple, of so marvelous a tint and so wonderfully painted that it dimmed even the charm of the sovereign lady's matchless beauty. Artists tried in vain to imitate it, pens to describe it, and in time it came to be known as the "historical lilac."

In the ballrooms of Vienna a tint bearing the name of Kaiserilla is in vogue, which is as near the shade of purple in which Schrotzberg clothed his beautiful empress as looms and pigments can make it. In this country lilac has long been considered a color for the middle-aged women, but now young girls are taking a great fancy to it, and the coming summer we are told will see it a reigning tint. Max Nordeau may be right in the theory that devotion to violet is one of the surest signs of degeneracy, but the stylish woman of today would much prefer to be called "degenerate" than "unstylish."

JUST LIKE WINGS.

A Frenchman Who Is Endeavoring to Fly Against the Wind.

Louis Pierre Mouillard, a French resident of Cairo, has, says the Philadelphia Record, invented a flying machine, comprising an aeroplane of concave surfaces, attached to the body of the aviator and arranged to permit movement of the planes in a horizontal direction only with reference to the body of the aviator, the apparatus depending solely for support upon wind pressure, and not upon any downward thrust upon the air, either by flapping wings or revolving propeller wheels. To a breastplate, provided with an artificial sternum, are hinged wings, each on a vertical axis, so as to be capable of forward or backward motion, the wing frames of aluminum tubing being covered with silk or other suitable fabric. When the planes are thrust forward the aerodrome rises; when they are pulled back it descends. The wings are controlled by a spring, upon which, the inventor says, "the life of the aviator depends," and which must be strong enough to hold the two wings with their edges on a straight line at a speed of 22 miles an hour. The aeroplane can glide upon the air by a fall from a height sufficient to procure a speed which shall cause the air to support the apparatus, or, by a skillful utilization of the force of the wind, which must blow at least ten miles an hour. The weight of the apparatus should not exceed 55 pounds, and it is intended to sail with winds varying between ten and twenty-five miles an hour.

It Does Sound Fishy.

A man who resides on the East side relates an incident which may be true, but it sounds fishy. His boy caught a large sucker a couple of years ago, and since that time he has been experimenting with his finny pet somewhat. The fish, says the Punxsutawney Spirit, has been kept out of the water so much that it generally became accustomed to it, and frequently flopped out of the water itself and followed the boy around. Finally the boy placed it in a pen and gradually reduced its bathing periods until it became acclimatized, abandoning entirely its native element. It would follow the boy around like a dog, and one day he started over to town across the swinging bridge with the pet fish flopping along after him. But alas for boyish hopes! The fish made a slight miscue and flopped overboard into the creek and drowned before the boy could rescue him.

Russian Criminals.

One of the most curious results of the investigations made by doctors in the Russian jails is the statement that each group of criminals has its own peculiar color of the eye. A legal journal at Odessa states that it has been found that thieves and murderers usually possess "chestnut brown" eyes. Robbers—that is to say, thieves in a large and violent line of business—have slate-colored eyes, and the same is stated of criminals convicted of swindling. The vagabond classes have eyes of azure blue tint. The color most observed among minor criminals and those convicted of slight offenses is "chestnut brown green."

Indiana Crop Reports.

Reports on the Indian wheat crop are beginning to come in. From the central provinces we learn that the area of wheat is only 1,898,022 acres, as compared with 2,714,454 acres for 1896, and a ten years' average area exceeding 4,000,000 acres. The estimated out-turn is 324,475 tons, against 368,338 for 1896, and 784,802 as the ten-years' average.

A Woman's Feat.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—Mrs. Margaret Lelong arrived at her home in this city from Chicago on a bicycle, being the first woman to ride a wheel from Chicago to the Pacific ocean.

Is a Success.

Boston, Aug. 3.—A sextuplex telegraph wire was successfully operated between here and New Haven, 200 miles, three messages being sent over the wire simultaneously.

Racine Shows Growth.

Racine, Wis., Aug. 2.—In 1895 the population of Racine was 24,900. It is estimated from the school census just taken that there is now a population of 29,000 people.

THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

A Brief Consideration of Matches from His Point of View.

"There is this to be said in favor of the sulphur match," said the retired burglar, reports the New York Sun, "that it is noiseless when struck; but its odor is decidedly against it. More than once, when I have struck a sulphur match in the hall, I have heard some light sleeper, when the pungent fumes of the sulphur permeated the atmosphere, turn in bed in the adjacent room.

"I stuck to sulphur matches for a long time—naturally enough, I suppose—but finally I came to use parlor matches altogether. They are noisy, but odorless, and it may be possible to scratch them when teams are passing, or when the wind is blowing, or there is some other noise abroad. At any rate I came to prefer, from experience, the noisy, odorless match to the silent sulphur.

"O course the ideal match for anybody in my business would be one that should be both silent and odorless. It is a wonder to me that nobody has invented such a match; it is greatly needed, and I should say that it would be comparatively easy of invention. Now that I have retired, maybe I will devote myself to the invention of such a match and to do something to promote the interests of an arduous and none too remunerative calling."

THE STREET CAR CONDUCTOR.

Not the Least of His Trials Is the Wear and Tear Upon His Hands.

That the lot of the summer car conductor is not an enviable one can readily be seen from the following story of one who has charge of an open car on one of the Traction company's lines in this city, says the Philadelphia Record: "Just look at these hands," he said, exhibiting a pair of palms that were chapped, hardened and covered with a yellowish substance. "Anyone looking at them would naturally suppose that it has been a long while since soap has been used on them, and yet I washed them thoroughly before leaving the depot for this trip. This yellow color is caused by the bars, which I handle going from one step to another to collect the fares. The handle bars are of brass, and, as this metal is very sensitive and subject to weather changes, which affect it in the form of a layer of rust, I, using the bars as a support, get the same on my hands. While this polishes the brass, it makes my hands coarse and hardened, and this also accounts for their yellow appearance. It is very bad for the hands, especially if you happen to have a flesh wound or a sore, which, coming in contact with the rusty bars, is liable to poison your blood, but what is to be done? You can't wear gloves, as it is hard to handle cash with the mittens on."

VENDISH WORDS REMAIN.

Germany Is Full of Places Bearing the Old-Time Names.

Consul General De Kay writes for the Century a paper on the Serbian swamp Vendland, under the title of "An Inland Venice." Mr. De Kay says: "These people speak German to the lordings as we pass Vendish to our boatman, but the Vendish is disappearing because, for the sake of the army, its teaching is discouraged. Throughout all this district, far over into Saxony, only a few churches still offer sermons in the old tongue. Yet if the Vendish tongue disappears the names of places will tell the tale, even as such names as Brandenburg and Saxony still do. Dresden, Leipsic, these are Vendish words—or call them Slavic, with the broader term that now means the race. And hereabout are Cottbus, Vetschau, Muschen, Brahmow, Babow, Dlugy, Raddush, Leipe, Lehde, Byhleguhre, Straupitz and Lubben. And the filesses that wind or shoot straight in and out of forest and cleared fields retain Vendish names: Mutniza, Blushnitza, Rogazo, Zschapigk, Polenzo, Groblitzo and Nabasatz. Efforts have been made to give German names to many of them, but country people everywhere are great holders to precedent, and the people who stick so tightly to their old costume are not going to give up their place names without a struggle."

HISTORIC MARRIAGES.

One Union Which Paved the Way to Christianity in England.

The marriage of Ethelbert, king of Kent, with Bertha, the Christian daughter of Charibert, king of Paris, paved the way to Christianity in England. The marriage of Henry VIII. with Anne Boleyn was one of the principal factors leading to the reformation. Etheldred the Unready's marriage with Emma of Normandy gave the conqueror an excuse for asserting his claim to the English throne. The marriage of Henry I. with Matilda of Scotland reconciled the people to the conquest by restoring the line of Cerdic. Henry II.'s marriage with Eleanor of Aquitaine made England the first continental power in western Europe. The marriage of Henry VII. with Elizabeth of York closed the bloody Wars of the Roses. The marriage of Margaret, daughter of Henry VII., with James IV. of Scotland ultimately led to the union of England and Scotland. Finally the marriage of Sophia with the elector of Hanover put a line of German princes on the English throne.

Wrestling Match Ends Fatally.

Little Rock, Ark., July 31.—In a wrestling match at Marvinville between Gus Nelms, a professional, and Farris Farmer, an amateur, the latter burst a blood vessel and died.

Statue of Colfax.

South Bend, Ind., Aug. 4.—A statue of the late Vice President Schuyler Colfax is to be erected in this city.

Intoxicating Tree Saps.

Intoxicating liquors have been made from the sap of the birch, the willow, the elder and the sycamore.

CHIEF POKAGON IS ILL.

Aged Indian Believes He Is Going to the Happy Hunting Grounds.

Niles, Aug. 3.—Chief Simon Pokagon, of the Pottawatomie Indians, is dangerously ill at his home in Lee, Van Buren county. The old man expresses a belief that he is going to leave for the happy hunting grounds. He is 80 years old, and is the author of "The Redman's Greeting," a booklet printed on the bark of the white birch tree, and was prominent in the exercises of Chicago day at the world's fair. His father, Leopold Pokagon, sold the land on which Chicago is situated to the whites in 1833 for three cents per acre, and the claim, amounting to some $200,000, is still in litigation. His followers now consist of a band of 180. They occupy a narrow strip in the northern part of Van Buren and Berrien counties.

HIGH PRICE FOR POTATOES.

They Sell for $1.40 Per Bushel at Negaunee.

Negaunee, July 31.—There was an advance of 25 cents per bushel in the retail price of potatoes here Thursday, and they are now held at $1.40. A year ago the farmers here had their potatoes on the market at from 65 to 80 cents per bushel. All the potatoes sold here at present are from below, as none of the farmers have yet commenced to dig their crops. It will be fully three weeks before homegrown potatoes are on the market, and the price of new potatoes will rule high until then. Old potatoes are very scarce, consequently the new stock is in big demand. There promises to be a very large yield in this vicinity this year. The farmers here think their crops will be larger this year than for several years past.

Crop Conditions.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—The weekly crop bulletin has the following on the situation in Michigan: "Excessive rainfall in a few central counties delayed harvest, but did no material damage; generally weather conditions were favorable for harvest and growth and timely, but uneven showers improved garden truck, beans, pastures and late potatoes; oats have short straw, fairly well filled heads, are ripening fast, being cut and finely secured; corn made splendid growth, and is beginning to ear heavily."

Object to Wage Scale.

Battle Creek, July 30.—Laidlaw Bros., of Detroit, who received the contract to do $18,000 worth of paving in this city, only offer laboring men one dollar per day, and $2.50 per day for teams. Laborers heretofore have been paid $1.50 per day. The contractors threaten to bring in outside labor, and the local men say there will be trouble if they do. The paving contract calls for the giving of preference to Battle Creek workmen, but does not stipulate the rate of wages.

Drowned at Holland.

Holland, Aug. 4.—Miss Clara Hall, aged 18, a daughter of Sherwood Hall, a prominent carriage manufacturer of Grand Rapids, and Miss Ethel Herrick, aged 18, a daughter of George G. Herrick, proprietor of a grocery store at Ottawa Beach, while bathing Tuesday afternoon were washed off a springboard into 14 feet of water and drowned. The bodies have not been recovered.

Found in a Cistern.

Port Huron, July 30.—The body of Franz Klumpp, a middle-aged German, who owned a large stock farm near the city, was found in his cistern. He evidently attempted suicide by cutting the arteries in his arms, but finding this means of death slow he jumped into the cistern. Klumpp had been divorced from his wife, but no special reason for the suicide is known.

Tramps Charged with Murder.

Niles, Mich., Aug. 2.—Two tramps who refuse to give their names were arrested here Friday midnight, charged with having murdered a tramp at Kensington, Ill. The dead man was shot during a quarrel, and the other two tramps boarded a Michigan Central train. They were discovered when the train arrived here and were taken back to Kensington.

Death Comes Suddenly.

Grand Rapids, July 30.—George Spicer, a well-known Kent county farmer, was found dead in a hayfield Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. He was 40 years of age and single. He was apparently well when he left the house. A boy, who went to take water to him, found him dead. Heart disease was the probable cause of death.

Village Band Shut Out.

Niles, Aug. 3.—The village council of Mecosta has set a new precedent for like legislative bodies. It has no ear for music and, therefore, has passed an ordinance declaring that any person found or caught practicing with a band instrument within the limits of the village shall be fined.

Fatally Burned.

Grand Rapids, July 31.—Mrs. Wallace J. Scoby was fatally burned Friday night and her little son, 17 months old, suffocated. Two daughters, older, escaped. The mother dropped a lighted lamp and her clothing caught fire. Her husband is on his way to Mexico on a business trip.

Blew Out His Brains.

Ludington, July 30.—James Christensen, a heavy stockholder in the B. J. Goodsell Hardware Co., committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a revolver. It is said that Christensen had been drinking and was despondent.

Veterans to Meet.

Allegan, Aug. 3.—The seventeenth annual reunion of the Allegan County Soldiers' and Sailors' association will be held on the fair grounds at Allegan on the 17th, 18th and 19th of next month.

Fatal Runaway.

Niles, Aug. 3.—Mrs. George Schrbach, of Montrose, was killed in a runaway accident. Her three children were badly injured.

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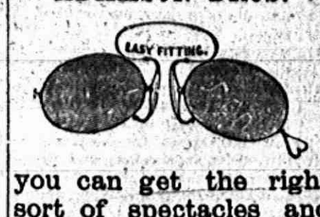

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BIG GAIN IN EXPORTS.

Gratifying Showing with Reference to the Balance of Trade.

The Past Year's Experience Very Satisfactory, and for the Coming Season Greater Advances Are Looked For.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The revised statistics of imports and exports for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1897, show a large increase in the exports over the previous year and a large increase in the balance of trade in favor of this country, notwithstanding the heavy importations in anticipation of the enactment of the Dingley law. The exports for the year amounted to the enormous sum of $1,030,001,300, against $863,200,487 for the year ended June 30, 1896. The imports amounted to $754,717,609, against $779,724,674 for 1896, and the balance of trade in favor of the United States was $275,283,691, against $85,476,213 for 1896.

It is expected that the figures for the present year will show a balance for the United States even greater than the last year, for the reason that the heavy importations made before the Dingley law went into effect will tend to reduce imports for some months to come, and at the same time exports of farm products promise to be large and at higher prices than last year.

The heaviest anticipatory importations were of wool and of sugar—the imports of sugar being 1,010,894,798 pounds more than for 1896. This represents very nearly the amount of sugar on which the refiners will make an added profit equal to the increase of duty in the Dingley law over that in the Wilson law. The sugar imports from Germany alone last year amounted to over 1,500,000,000 pounds.

An official of the treasury department, referring to these figures, said that on account of the duty imposed by the Dingley law the sugar refiners had additional protection to the amount of $2,500,000 on each 1,000,000,000 pounds of sugar imported from Germany. He declared that Germany ought not to object to the new law, because she is now the great beet-producing country of the world, and the United States has to take her sugar.

GRIFFITH WINS.

Elected to Succeed Late Congressman Holman, of Indiana.

Greensburg, Ind., Aug. 11.—The special election held Tuesday in this (the Fourth) congressional district to select a successor to the late William S. Holman, the "watchdog of the treasury," resulted in a democratic victory by an increased majority over that given Mr Holman last November. Francis Marion Griffith, the democratic nominee, secured a plurality which will probably exceed 1,200. Mr. Griffith is a resident of

CONGRESSMAN-ELECT GRIFFITH.

Switzerland county. He was a state senator for two terms, and while in the legislature he gave evidence of good statesmanship. He is a fine orator and an able man. He is a descendant of Gen. Francis Marion, the revolutionary hero, and it is for him that the candidate was named.

Awful Atrocities.

Constantinople, Aug. 10.—An official dispatch received here says several thousand Armenian agitators from Persia invaded Turkey last Friday. They killed 200 of the Migriki tribe, including women and children. The wife of the chief was put to death with the most cruel torture, and several other victims had their noses and ears cut off. The authorities have taken measures to capture the marauders and to provide for eventualities in the Vileyat of Van.

Caused Heavy Loss.

Viroqua, Wis., Aug. 10.—A wind, rain and hailstorm, which passed over this part of the county Monday, did more than $100,000 damage to the tobacco farmers on Coon Prairie, the heart of the growing section of the county. Fully four-fifths of the crop is destroyed. Tobacco had never given such a promising outlook and was nearly ready for cutting.

Accepts the Nomination.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 10.—S. P. Leland has accepted Dr. E. L. Eaton's place on the prohibition ticket, and will cancel all the dates for his lectures after August 30, and will stump the state during September and October.

Passed Away.

Quincy, Ill., Aug. 10.—Marcus B. Merriman, of St. Joseph, paymaster of all the Burlington lines in Missouri, died Monday morning at Blessing hospital of Bright's disease, aged 48.

ing nothing about his death, and concluding with the statement that if the outrage be of anarchist origin, it has no political complications, with the additional assertion that the whole of Spain is tranquil and that there is not the least symptom of any alteration in the state of public affairs. This dispatch says the assassin is apparently an Italian.

For these reasons the Spanish ambassador, Count de Casa Velencia, in the course of an interview, said: "The belief that the crime is not political, but the work of a fanatical anarchist, is borne out by the fact the criminal is an Italian. We all know that of recent years Italian anarchists have been very active. Witness the assassination of President Carnot and the attempts on King Humbert and other similar crimes. They were all committed by Italians."

THE NEWS IN WASHINGTON.

Secretary Sherman Forwards a Message of Condolence.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Official notice of the killing of the Spanish premier reached the state department Monday morning in a telegram from Minister Taylor, in which he stated that he had expressed profound sympathy with the government. The secretary of state immediately caused to be drafted the following message of condolence, which was forwarded to Minister Taylor, after having been submitted by telegraph to President McKinley:

"Taylor, American Minister, San Sebastian, Spain: Your action approved. Renew in name of the president his expression of deep sorrow and sympathy for the loss borne by Spain in the death of Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister of Spain, one of the most eminent of the statesmen of our time, and convey condolence to family of the deceased.

"(Sig.) SHERMAN."

Secretary of State Sherman received the first news of the affair through press bulletins. He expressed deep interest in the details. He said that the deplorable event would have some effect on the political affairs of Spain, but to what extent he could not say. As to the consequences on the conflict in Cuba he did not care to talk.

Senator Morgan, of Alabama, a member of the foreign affairs committee of the senate and the champion of Cuba in that body, predicted in an interview that the assassination might be the forerunner of a complete change of government, a republic replacing the monarchy.

This, he thought, was the present tendency and the sad event he regarded as an evidence of the disintegration of the Spanish government.

WILL HELP CUBA'S CAUSE.

Sympathizers Think Insurgents Have Cause to Rejoice.

New York, Aug. 9.—Emilio Agramonte, president of the Jose Marti revolutionary club and the Marti Charity organization, of this city, heard the news of the killing of Premier Canovas at his home. He thought Sagasta would be the successor of Canovas. He thought the death of Canovas could not but help the cause of Cuba.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Col. A. A. Auguira, who is stopping in Washington, said: "The assassination of Canovas will result in the dethronment of the Spanish monarchy and the freedom of Cuba. I am certain that Canovas will be succeeded by Sagasta, his political rival and the leader of the liberal party. Sagasta will undoubtedly take immediate steps to conciliate the Cubans by granting them reforms, but it will be too late. I expect to see Cuba free within 90 days and the republic of Spain established soon afterwards."

EXCITEMENT IN HAVANA.

Enormous Crowds Gather to Learn All the Cable News.

Key West, Fla., Aug. 9.—Intense excitement prevails in Havana over the news of Premier Canovas' assassination. Enormous crowds assembled before all the newspaper offices to read bulletins about the murder of the prime minister. Among the Spanish of all classes most profound sorrow was expressed. It was everywhere pronounced to be a calamity of too great magnitude to be estimated at this time. All recognize that its bearing on affairs in Cuba is of the greatest moment, but of necessity comment on this point is most guarded. The insurgent party is confident that the death of Canovas means the downfall of the conservative government, the recall of Weyler and the freedom of Cuba. Capt. Gen Weyler was summoned to Havana by Marquis Palmarola, his secretary, immediately after the receipt of the cable announcing the assassination of Canovas.

Sued by the Cramps.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The William Cramp & Sons' Ship and Engine Building company of Philadelphia brought suit against the United States government in the court of claims to recover damages alleged to have been incurred by the company in building the battle ships Massachusetts, Iowa and Indiana and the cruisers New York, Brooklyn and Columbia. The complainants cite delays and defaults of the United States in furnishing the armor plate and plans under the contracts as the basis of the proceedings. The amounts claimed in the several suits aggregate the sum of $1,736,149.

Well-Known Railroad Man Dead.

Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 9.—Oscar F. Price, general solicitor of the Illinois line of the C. B. & Q. road, died Friday night at Kenosha, Wis. He was a man of widest influence in this part of the state.

DEATH OF CANOVAS.

An Assassin's Bullet Ends Spanish Premier's Life.

Shot Down by His Wife's Side, He Dies Within Two Hours—Tragedy May Cause Grave Crisis—Its Probable Effect on Cuba.

Madrid, Aug. 9.—Senor Canovas del Castillo, prime minister of Spain, was assassinated Sunday at Santa Agueda, by an anarchist. The murderer fired three shots, two of which struck the premier in the forehead and another in the chest. The wounded man fell dying at the feet of his wife, who was with him, lingering in agony for two hours and then passed away at three o'clock Sunday afternoon with the cry of "Long live Spain," which were the last words upon his lips.

Santa Agueda is noted for its baths. The place is between San Sebastian, the summer residence of the Spanish court and Vittoria, the capital of the province of Alava, about 30 miles south of Bilbao. The premier went there last Thursday to take a three weeks' course of the baths, after which he expected to return to San Sebastian to meet United States Minister Woodford when that gentleman should be officially received by the queen regent.

The assassin was immediately arrested. He is a Neapolitan and gives the name of Rinaldi, but it is believed that this is an assumed name and that his real name is Michele Angino Golli.

At a special meeting of the cabinet Sunday under the presidency of Senor Cos-Gayon, minister of the interior, the latter announced that he had been intrusted by the queen regent with the premiership ad interim.

An Anarchist Conspiracy.

The murderer declares that he killed Senor Canovas "in accomplishment of a just vengeance," and that the deed is the outcome of a vast anarchist conspiracy. He is believed to have arrived at Santa Agueda the same day as the premier, and he was frequently seen lurking in the passages of the bathing establishment in a suspicious manner.

Europe Shaken by the News.

The terrible news swept over Spain and the people went into mourning for the victim of the awful crime. Europe was shaken by the story of the assassination, and words of sorrow and sympathy were flashed from every court. The revolutionists in Spain were silenced and the liberals, who had fought the monarchist leader, were horrified at the crime.

Killed for Revenge.

Golli has confessed that he killed Senor Canovas to avenge the Barcelona anarchists, and the insurgent leader, Don Jose Rizal, who was executed at Manila, Philippine islands, on December 30 last, as the instigator of the Philippine rebellion. Dr. Rizal denied that he was a rebel leader, but he admitted that he had drawn up the statutes of the Philippine league. In Golli's room the police found a large double-barreled pistol. It appears that when he left the house Sunday he carried a parcel, which is believed to have contained a bomb. The theory is that he hid this somewhere in the fields.

A dispatch from Barcelona says that Golli arrived there in December, 1895, coming from Marseilles. He was employed in the printing office of the Review Social Science, managed by the anarchist engineer Tarrida Marmel, formerly imprisoned in Montjuich fortress at Barcelona. Golli was implicated in the terrible crime of the celebration of Corpus Christi, although he left Barcelona a few days before it occurred. He was denounced to the police for complicity [illegible] but disappeared.

A special dispatch from San Sebastian says that Golli saluted Senor Canovas each morning with great politeness. His effusiveness aroused the suspicion of the premier, who mentioned the matter to the proprietor of the baths, only to be reassured by him. Golli confesses that he followed Senor Canovas to church and to other places, waiting for an opportunity when he could surely accomplish his purpose. He says he regrets that he has been unable to kill Gen. Polavieja, who was governor-general of the Philippine islands when Dr. Rizal was executed last December.

Cannot Be Tried as an Anarchist.

The prisoner cannot be tried under the laws providing for the trial and punishment of anarchists, as this law is so framed that a person prosecuted under its provisions must have used or attempted to use explosives in the commission or attempt to commit the crime charged against him. However, there is no doubt Golli will be summarily tried and senteneed. The public demands the adoption of stringent measures against anarchists and, also against those who are in sympathy with them.

Sagasta Talks.

In the course of an interview Monday afternoon Senor Sagasta, the liberal leader, said: "The country's politics must not depend upon an assassin. The conservatives ought to remain in power under the guidance of men like Marshal Campos, Senor Pidal and Senor Elduayen. Nevertheless, if the queen-regent appeals to the liberals, they are ready to respond."

Not a Political Crime.

London, Aug. 9.—The Spanish embassy in London has received two telegrams, the first briefly stating the fact of the assassination and the second coming direct from San Sebastian, stating that Senor Canovas had been the object of an infamous attack, but save

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CLINTON

Geo. Fisk, of Jackson, is visiting relatives here.

Jas. Hamilton was over from Detroit the first of the week.

Quite a number from here attended the circus at Adrian Saturday.

Frank L. Woodward, wife and daughter, of Hulson, are visiting here.

Albert Carneith has been suffering with quinsey during the past week.

H. Lancaster and grand-daughter Sibella were sick the first of the week.

Miss Eva M. Davis returned Friday from a visit of two weeks at Grass Lake.

Jas. Hogan and Wm. Dewey went to Chicago Monday after a car load of stock.

Herbert Roff, of Tacoma, Wash., has been visiting at his sister's, Mrs. Jas. Hause's.

Jas Hill, of Elmira, N. Y., visited his sister, Mrs. Roff, Wednesday and Thursday.

Lavern Davis has been visiting friends at Air Line Junction since last week Thursday.

Jas. W. Bratner, Jr., of Angola, Ind., who has been here several weeks, left for home Monday.

Miss Minnie French returned Friday from a visit of two weeks with her parents in Chicago.

Mesdames A. Disk and Will Patterson have been visiting friends at Flint for the past few days.

Miss Edith Amsroker, of Manchester, was a guest at her uncle's Jno. Amspoker's over Sunday.

Leon Green came over from Brooklyn Saturday for a short visit at the home of his uncle, Chas. Green.

Miss Minnie McAlam returned Saturday from Ypsilanti where she has been attending summer normal.

Miss Libbie Priest went to Toledo last Thursday for a few days' visit with her brother James and wife.

Miss Nellie Moseley returned to Ann Arbor Saturday, after visiting several weeks with Mrs. Will Matthews.

Rev. Eugene M. Moore, of Dixboro, Washtenaw county, will occupy the M. E. pulpit Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Jennie Hall returned Tuesday morning to Detroit after a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. E. M. English.

Mrs. C. H. Fisk and daughter Isabel returned Monday to their home at Detroit, after quite an extended visit with Clinton relatives.

Miss Lina Jones was able to return to her duties at the store Monday morning, after a few days' absence on account of sickness.

L. F. Johnson started Tuesday for his home at Davenport Ia., after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnson.

On account of illness Dr. E. H. Sherman has been obliged to indefinitely postpone his visit to Clinton which was advertised last week.

Mrs. Hoyt Borland, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Lewis, for several weeks past, left Friday for her home at Des Moines, Ia.

Mrs. S. M. Case and little daughter Florence, of Manchester, were guests of Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Rhodes started Monday for their home at Hinckley, Ill., after a two weeks' visit with cousins, the Misses Severance.

Lew Hendershott started Wednesday afternoon on his return trip to Philadelphia, after a four days' visit in Clinton with his mother and brothers.

C. W. Johnson came over from Detroit Saturday to see the ball game and visited his parents until Monday, when he returned home by way of the D. & L. N.

Word was received on Wednesday morning from Jackson, that J. E. Woodward had died there the night before. He has been in ill health for several months with creeping paralysis. Thinking a change would be beneficial, he went to Jackson about two weeks ago to visit a sister. He soon became worse and his son James was sent for, going to Jackson Tuesday night. The body was brought here on the afternoon train Wednesday, and taken at once to his late home, three miles west of this village. The funeral will be held at the residence on Friday afternoon at two o'clock, and will be conducted by the Masonic fraternity, he being a member of that body.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston, Bertie and Fred went to Wampler's lake last week Thursday, to spend a week with F. D. Lancaster and wife at their cottage.

Rha Conklin and wife, of Lansing, who have been visiting Clinton friends for the past few weeks, left Wednesday morning for Woodstock, to attend a family reunion at the home of Mr. Conklin's sister.

C. E. Corwin drove to Grass Lake Sunday, taking his daughter Bessie and Miss Mary White. The latter remained for a two weeks' visit while Mr. C. returned Sunday night, accompanied by his father, I. H. Corwin.

Mrs. Geo. W. Freese with her little daughter Laura, started on Thursday of last week for her old home at Paines Hollow, N. Y., where she will make quite an extended visit with her parents and other relatives.

FRANKLIN.

Blackberries are fairly abundant for the first time in several years.

A letter of recent date from Milford states that Mr. John Davis health very poor.

A fair sized rattle snake was killed in Mr. Wm. Bradley's corn field last week.

Mr. Ansel Witherell is said to be improving in health under Dr. Tuttle's treatment.

Dr. Tuttle was summoned to attend Mr. Charles Wells, last Friday, he is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Deming drove to Franklin Saturday, remaining until Monday.

At G. W. Allen's Saturday evening, a very pleasant evening was spent by a number of friends in the congenial company of abundant ice cream and cake.

Mr. Bert Billington and family, Mr. Fred Stoutz and family, with Misses Estell and Emily Wisner and Mr. Albright's people attended Ringling's show Saturday.

Miss Irene Allen returned from Hillsdale county Monday. She reports a week full of enjoyments, among them a visit to Coldwater, including the orphan asylum and county house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wisner drove to Sharon last week Thursday, visiting at Mr. Kirkwood's, their niece and sister-in-law Mrs. Rufus Wisner. Mrs Kirkwood's health improves very slowly, if at all.

The excursion train to Detroit Sunday, carried Mrs. Len Billington, Miss Alma Whelan, Estell and Emily Wisner, and Newell Wisner and Earl Allen. Mrs. Billington and Miss Alma remained over until Monday.

Mrs. Adelia Whelan has been visiting relatives here, also her mother at her brother's Mr. Dudley Witherell, of Manchester. Hoyt Whelan drove her to her home in Tecumseh Sunday, where she expected to see Howard Monday.

There is a Class of People

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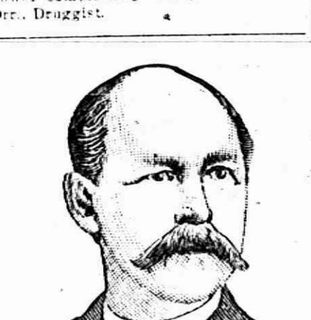

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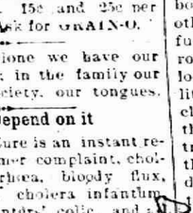


COLD IN HEAD

A TRUE HELPMATE.

Congressman's Wife's Scheme to Gain Popularity.

Great successes often depend upon small considerations, and the wife of a member of congress, a statesman to whom his constituents are wont to point as a man of the people whom flattery cannot divert from his old custom and associations, fully realizes this fact, says the Washington Star. A school friend who had not seen her since girlhood surprised and delighted her with a visit not long since.

"How industrious you are!" exclaimed the visitor.

"In what way?"

"I don't know. I suppose it is fancy work. I know that you used to have a great aversion to plain sewing. But you must be very diligent indeed to have your work basket in this room."

"Would you like to know what I am at work on?"

"Certainly."

"You shall see for yourself. Here it is." And she held up to view a half-knit sock of old-fashioned blue yarn.

"You—you don't mean to say that your husband wears things like that?"

"Oh, no. He wouldn't think of wearing them. I have a whole lot that I will give away to anybody who will use them."

"Do you do this for pleasure?"

"No. It isn't at all for pleasure. It's business, and I never occupy myself in that way except when it is absolutely necessary. But I always keep the work handy, and whenever one of the old-fashioned, rural voters of my husband's district comes to make him a call—and you have no idea how many honor us with that attention—I get it out and knit away for dear life. It is a good deal of bother, but it's worth it, for you really can't imagine how it pleases them!"

GETTING REVENGE.

A Little Girl's Resentment Toward an Aching Molar.

It is claimed that this story originated in Cleveland, a claim which may very well be true, because Cleveland—and especially the east end—has more precocious children to the acre than Boston could boast of in her palmiest days, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. This particular precocious infant lives on a pretty cross street in that favored locality. Not long ago she was troubled with an annoying and persistent toothache. Finally her mamma took her to a dentist and the dentist interviewed the troublesome tooth. After examining it he told her that the best thing to do under the circumstances was to have the tooth extracted, as it contained a very large cavity and this was the seat of the trouble. Bracing herself firmly in the chair she bade him go ahead and remove the acher. After the operation was over she carefully wrapped the tooth in paper and declared she would take it home.

Next day her mamma noticed that she was an unusually good girl, and, upon looking around, located her in a window seat industriously poking sugar into the cavity of the extracted tooth. Her mother demanded the cause of this strange proceeding.

"Why," she said, "I'm pokin' sugar in the old thing just to see it ache!"

FOLDING FURNITURE.

Furnishings of a Bedroom That May Be Packed in a Box.

The old saying about living in a bandbox may come to be a reality befort another decade, for now the complete furnishings of a sleeping or sitting-room may be packed in a box six feet long by two and one-half wide and a little more than two feet in depth. A clever Englishman is the creator of this folding furniture. With it persons traveling will not be obliged to lament the absence of their own beds and bedding, but may carry such things with them as personal baggage.

One of these boxes contains a washstand with tiled back and shelves underneath, a dressing bureau with a swinging mirror, a cane-seated chair and one rug upholstered chair, together with bed, bedding, draperies, a toilet set, and a wardrobe of comfortable size. This furniture is made of well-seasoned hard wood. Each part fits into its place and fastens without the aid of nails or screws. In the dressing bureau drawers, for example, the bottom is drawn out and the sides fold together. What a boon this furniture will be for frequent movers who are never satisfied with one place for any length of time, while the camper out may carry his home with him.

No Worse Than Nice.

The attacks upon the morality of Monte Carlo are made by its rivals for popular favor, if we may believe Henry Labouchere. The English radical says: "Every year the number of visitors to Monte Carlo increases and every year more desperate efforts are made by its rivals along the Riviera to prejudice the place with the British public. That Monte Carlo is a paradise in a moral sense I am not going to suggest. Every man of the world knows that, like other places entirely devoted to luxury and pleasure, society there is not exactly an assembly of saints. But that Monte Carlo is any worse than other pleasure resorts of a similar character I emphatically deny. As to the results of the gambling everyone who has been behind the scenes knows that infinitely more mischief is done in the gambling hells of Nice every season than at the tables of Monte Carlo, and I doubt whether even Nice, which is in many respects a sink of iniquity, is any worse than Ostend has been during the last few seasons."

Protection Against Loafers.

One woman residing in a Maine village has been so much annoyed by loafers leaning against her fence that she now keeps it freshly painted.

Financial Outlook Upon.

Washington, July 28.—In an interview Comptroller Eckels said he regarded the financial outlook as being of a most encouraging nature.

BLUE ASBESTOS.

Canada and Italy Have a Serious Competitor in Africa.

Canadian and Italian asbestos will find a serious competitor in the blue asbestos recently discovered in the Cape Colony, since the South African product is less than half as heavy and furnishes fibers considerably finer and longer than any other, says the Detroit Tribune. The South African fiber has been worked into webs, which are but little inferior to those made of vegetable fiber, and are absolutely fireproof. Twine, cord and rope made of this blue asbestos will not only resist fire, but also most of the known chemicals, corrosive vapors and atmospheric influences. These qualities will open a new field for the employment of asbestos fabrics in chemical laboratories, and for the caulking of chemical apparatus.

A novel application of this material is the working of blue asbestos fiber into mattresses for hospitals. They are cooler in summer and warmer in winter than those made either of animal hair or vegetable fiber, and no vermin can live in this mattress. Experiments are now being made of working this fiber into cloth for firemen's apparel. Of course the long fiber blue asbestos can also be employed for all the uses to which white asbestos has been put heretofore. While a trifle more expensive, its superior qualities make it well worth the difference.

CANNON BALL STORY.

Alfred Grissom Tells of a Narrow Escape in Alabama.

Alfred Grissom, the manager of the summer excursion boats, has a cannon ball story which he says is Gospel truth. People in the excursion business have a strict regard for veracity, and many of his friends believe every word of it, says the St. Louis Republic.

Several years ago, the story runs, Mr. Grissom was in St. James parish, La. He had occasion to visit a sawmill where the big cottonwood logs were being cut into lumber. His attention was attracted to a particularly large log, when suddenly there was a loud crash, like that of the teeth striking a nail.

Windows were broken, men shouted and the machinery was stopped. Mr. Grissom was not hurt as he had imagined. Something had happened and he stopped to see the cause. The big log was removed from the rack and split open. A large cannon ball was imbedded in the center. The saw had struck it and broke into a myriad of pieces which flew in all directions. Five pieces passed through his hat, one struck his watch and glanced off, another hit a silver dollar in his vest pocket and left a scratch along its surface. Luckily, none of the flying particles struck his body or did other injury than break a few panes of glass in the office compartment.

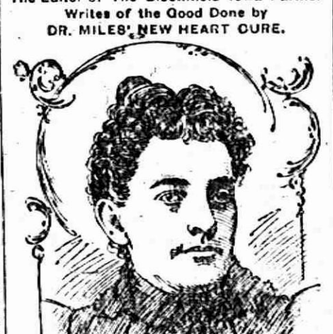
A STUCK-UP CAT.

Kansas City Kitten That Fooled with Fly Paper.

A small, gray kitten in Kansas City walked back and forth in a store window the other day; conscious of her graceful appearance she lifted her feet daintily and curled her tail up over her back. Suddenly a noise in the store startled her, and she lowered her head and dropped her tail, as she turned stealthily to investigate. This was a mistake. For the tail came in contact with a piece of sticky fly paper, and all the efforts she made to remove it but increased her discomfiture and humiliation. She shook her lithe body, and the tail was wagged vigorously, but the paper held her faster and tighter than it ever held a fly. She put her forepaw down; it stuck. Her little hind paw came to the rescue, and was held where it fell. Frantic and mewing piteously, she rolled over and over, till enwrapped in a drapery of flypaper, she tumbled off the window platform and was gone. No one knew where or how, with but two feet free and those on corners diagonally opposite, she had managed to get out of sight and hearing. But she did it, and the flypaper went with her.

To Benefit Others.

The Editor of The Bloomfield Iowa Farmer Writes of the Good Done by DR. MILES' NEW HEART CURE.



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ghborhood News.

BRITTON.

. I. Deyo visited Toledo Tues- Wednesday.

Conger, of Tecumseh, was in legal business Tuesday.

es at the Christian church Sun- ual both morning and even-

inn's are erecting a building hearse just south of the old hall.

Brown, of Clinton, visited Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh and uesday.

er Clark, of Elkhart, is visit- cousin George snd other rela- his vicinity.

eorge Rubadeau, of Tecumseh, her mother, Mrs. Gee while and is away at camp.

from the C. E. society of the church, attended the rally at on Sunday evening.

agland family reunion will be he home of Mrs. W. O. Ous- ext week Saturday Aug. 21st.

Mrs. John Britton and grand- Bertha, are taking an outing oe, they went Wednesday.

Will Underwood each sold of wheat to Wm. Swick Mon- y got 77 cents per. bushel.

Watherstone, who has been Frane Yates, left the last of for his home at Inlay city.

ho camped out at Wamplers eek, had a delightful time, regret being they could not r.

the storm Sunday afternoon, killed a span of horses for pton. They were in the field ce.

lement is enjoying a visit Mcintosh, of Colorado, who own upon him unawares a ince.

ow occurs the Exelby and families reunion at the r. and Mrs. Sam Underwood. mpany will be present.

any of young ladies ten in ent to Wamplers lake yes- ere they will occupy one of rald cottages for a week.

ght and Ed Gripton went on els to Kalamazoo Friday for sit and joined the boys at ake Tuesday as per agree-

Clark and cousin Brewster Earnest Du Bois, Jud Kniffen, Exelby, Ray VanNess, Ben and Ed Gripton, are rusticating 's Lake for a week.

ev. N. F. Nickerson has ac- invitation to deliver an ad- Good Conversation," at the nday school convention, ll be held at Adrian in

number from here attended at Adrian Saturday. It is o see how many grown people sary to look after one kid, , they report Ringling Bros.

ompson, of Centerville City, ota, visited at Rev. Nicker- days this week. He was me from a trip to Scotland d, where he attended the ilee.

ll J. Clark was at the sta- ulating a telegraph instru- y afternoon, when the air electricty he received a doubled him up like a jack- effects of which remained long time.

at the Reformed church, will preach in the morning Joy Unspeakable," and in on the topic "The Trouble rld." "Stumbling blocks" topic for the Y. P. S. C. E. 7 P. M. Wm. E. Nivison er.

derwood after a few days is people, returned to Tol- y evening. He came to at- mily reunion which he sup- to be held last Saturday. robability will not be here t being difficult for him to soon again.

rom Company C came down seh Tuesday morning after ey, a member of the com- thought to remain at home ttend the encampment at ake. They overtook him nty line on his way to work saw mill. He did not par- ut went like a man and a

game of Base Ball for the ritton, was Tuesday after- the players north of main those on the south side. as played on Cheever's land would say with little work, have fine grounds. The more exciting and later- the most sanquine hoped generally conceded that de had the advantage hav- e Lowe, Kelly and Biggs in shape, while the north re out of practice. To the every one when nine in- een played, it was a tie but the south side won the bably more games will fol-

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weather bowel complaints result from over eating or ng. Foley's Colic Cure af- protection from all bowel ts and is guaranteed. J. J. at.

RIDGEWAY.

Daniel Allen was in Toledo over Sunday.

Will Smith has rented the Read property.

Mrs. Will Remaly, of Eureka, is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gove went to Napoleon Monday.

Stephen Plews made a business trip to Toledo Monday.

D. W. Smith and Mrs. Sarah Rappleye were in Ypsilanti Monday.

Irene Thompson and Mary Nelson, of Hudson, are visiting May Jones.

E. W. Rappleye, of Ypsilanti, was in the village last week Thursday.

Several from here attended the E. L. convention at Tecumseh this week.

Nearly a dozen families rusticated at Wampler's lake Tuesday and Wednesday.

Arthur Hunt and bride, from near Dundee, visited at W. L. Jones,' Tuesday.

Mrs. A. R. Arner left Wednesday for a few days' visit with her parents at Allegan.

T. J. Toby and wife, of Adrian, drove out to see their brother-in-law, M. M. Florance, Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that E. L. Lowe does not recover from his sickness as rapidly as hoped for.

Mrs. Graves, Mabel and Olive are visiting friends at different points in the county this week.

Chas. O'Hare and wife, of Detroit, visited at his sister's, Mrs. A. Lake's, from Saturday until Wednesday.

Mrs. M. E. Squire, of Ann Arbor, arrived Tuesday for an indefinite stay with her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Montgomery.

Rev. H. Cansfield attended the M. E. camp-meeting near Romeo Sunday and Rev. James Wright took his place here.

On account of illness Dr. E. H. Sherman has been obliged to indefinitely postpone his visit to Ridgeway which was advertised last week.

We are informed that all D. & L. N. trains will stop on signal for passengers for Tecumseh and Britton and all points beyond said stations.

W. L. Jones and daughter May went to Ypsilanti Thursday on their tandem, returning Friday evening. They took in Ann Arbor and Saline also.

The last quarterly meeting of the present conference year will be held Sunday morning. Special meetings will be held during next week.

M. M. Florence, who met with the misfortune of loosing a foot last week, is doing finely with fair prospects of being able to be around on crutches before many weeks.

Prof. R. J. Miller and son Sidney, of Big Rapids, arrived on their wheels Friday. The professor left Saturday to attend a teachers' institute at Northville and Sidney is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. S. Houseman.

MACON.

Edward Carter is under the doctor's care.

Miss Bertha Allen is visiting Bedford friends.

Rev. Moore, of Dixborough, will occupy the M. E. pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Augustus, of Ypsilanti, are spending the week here.

Dr. Morden has given up riding a wheel and has sold his "Clipper" to Frank Thomas.

Macon was well represented at Ringling Bros.' circus in Adrian Saturday. They report a good show.

Dr. Breakey and wife, of Wisconsin, and Mr. Dell and wife, of Ann Arbor, visited at M. V. Sickley's last week.

John Jackson and Chas. Allen went fishing at Twin lakes last week Thursday and brought home a fine lot of fish.

Topic for E. L. meeting Sunday evening: "The Prayer at the Shipwreck," Acts 27:23-24. Leader, Rose Pennington.

Elwin Camburn and wife, Parker Allen and wife and John Jackson and wife attended the meeting of the Soldiers' Association at Blissfield Tuesday.

Following are the numbers of the Y. P. S. C. E. lecture course for this coming winter: Mr. Canary, Acme Quartette, Mr. Moss, Holland Glee Club, Washington Gardener.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, held at Mrs. Mary Skinner's Wednesday of last week, was largely attended. The next society will be held at the parsonage in Clinton.

The infant classes of the M. E. and D. R. Sunday-schools enjoyed a picnic at the home of Mrs. Milton Davenport last Friday. Ice cream and fancy cakes were served and to say the little ones enjoyed themselves doesn't half express it.

The children, grand-children and great-grand-children of Mrs. Julia Hendershot met at her home Saturday and helped to celebrate her 83rd birthday. They had a very enjoyable time and all hope she will live to see many more such gatherings.

The community was shocked last week to hear the sad news of the death of Mrs. Zoa Pennington Booth at her home in Missouri. Mrs. Booth was born and reared here and had a large circle of relatives and friends who deeply mourn her loss.

When you take your Vacation

the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. It is absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it.

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CONE.

Oliver Gerry, of Illinois, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Wm. Curry.

Quite a number attended Ringling Bros.' show at Adrian Saturday.

Mrs. Myron Ray and son James were Blissfield visitors last Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Caswell, last Friday, a son, weight 8 1-2 pounds.

Mrs. Horace Logan and two children visited Deerfield friends last week.

Miss Mary Bills, of Blissfield, visited her sister, Mrs. Libbie Ray, the first of the week.

A number went from here to the quarterly meeting at South Raisin church which was held Saturday and Sunday.

S. Gould's Bible-class met at his home last Thursday evening. Coffee, sandwiches, honey and biscuits were served and all report a pleasant time.

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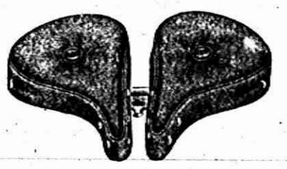

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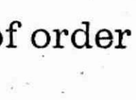
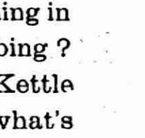


By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,



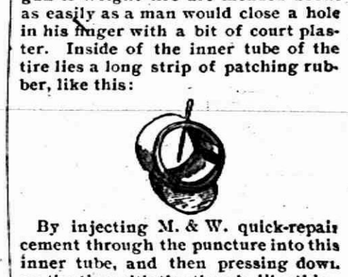
the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.



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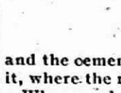

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FINANCIAL LETTER.

Chicago, Aug. 10, 1897.

Wheat has had a healthy range during the last week, the price of the September option, which is the one most traded in, fluctuating from 74 5-8 to 78 3-4. From this high point there was a falling off of not only being noted at Saturday's close, and before the opening was very strong at 76 to 76 3-4, showing that the slump of Saturday which ran the price down to 74 1-8, was the result of local short traders. But not of any changes in the conditions which fix the intrinsic value of the cereal. The most potent of these conditions according to advices by Schwartz, Dupee & Co., is the largest short crop of the European crops, and to the causes for the advance already mentioned in the correspondence must be added the possibility that on account of a poor yield by her own grain provinces Russia will prohibit the exportation of wheat. Should this occur, France and Germany, which take practically all the Russian export wheat, will be short about 100,000,000 bu., the amount exported from Russia in 1897, being 308,000,000 bu. The Russian crop this year, however, is from 25 to 50 per cent. short of last season's production, so that in any event the exports will not be nearly as large as usual.

France, which is always alert on questions affecting its food supply, has steadily led in the bidding for American wheat, and Paris cables this morning reported a slight advance. Liverpool was steady, and the English are exhibiting their usual procrastination about coming into the market on an advance. They have for the last four years been so accustomed to seeing wheat on the decline that they are loath to believe the present substantial rise a permanent one. Thus far the foreigners have made the American market since prices started up from the 65c mark, and this without much assistance from England, but should speculative buying on a large scale begin in this country present figures would look anything but high. The price conditions which have now been established a sufficient length of time to make it seem reasonable that they will be maintained until another crop is in sight assure the American farmer about $100,000,000 more for his farm products than was obtained in 1896, and there is nothing apparent which can materially reduce these figures, while much may occur to broaden and strengthen the present market.

The immense crop of corn in sight and the surplus left over from the crops of 1895-6 have acted as a deterrent to any marked advance in that cereal, and the range of prices has been small. Until wheat advances to a figure at which there will be substitution of corn for that cereal by European consumers, or crop damage of a serious nature occurs better prices are not looked for by traders.

In provisions the situation is considered to be statistically strong, although prices have for some time been at a low range. The facts seem to be that in ribs, where most of the attacks by the bears have been made, facts do not warrant their action. There are 20,000,000 less ribs here now than a year ago, and while hog receipts have been large it is claimed that hog cholera in several western states has so alarmed farmers that they are hurrying all their available hogs to market. This is especially true of Missouri, and if the calculations of those who believe in higher prices for hog products are correct the present big run of hogs will stop very suddenly when the end comes and cause a quick advance to figures much above the present ones.

The following table shows the range last week of the principal commodities dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade and closing prices today:

	Last week.	Tuesday.
Wheat	74 5-8—78 3-4	77
Corn	26—29	26 5-8
Oats	16 5-8—18 1-7	18 5-8
Mess pork	7.35—8 32 1-2	7.70
Lard	4.20—4.55	4.25
Ribs	4.52 1-2—5.00	4.70

FINANCIAL.

This has been a week of old-time activity and prosperity in the stock market, the extent of the transactions and general character of the appreciation of securities not having been approached in the last four years. Conspicuous among the leaders were the grain-carrying roads of the west, and today they sold at the highest point since the panic of 1893, Rock Island going to 85 1-8, Burlington to 96 1-4 and St. Paul to 94.

The industrial stocks have also done well, Chicago gas selling up to 103 and tobacco to 94. Sugar has hung around 144 all the week.

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A few drops of oil of lavender on book shelves will prevent the books from getting musty.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

The Adrian District Epworth League held their annual convention at Tecumseh this year on Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 10th and 11th. In honor of their arrival our home League was busily engaged for several days beforehand in providing suitable entertainment for the two hundred and fifty or three hundred visitors expected. As a result their efforts were crowned with success which even exceeded their expectations.

The audience room of the church was beautifully decorated with red and white bunting, the E. L. colors, while in the center of the room hung a large Maltese cross, the emblem of the League. The rostrum was a mass of green, some of the finest plants in the village having been loaned for the purpose. Down stairs was a toilet room, a check room for wraps and baggage, and a prettily decorated parlor.

There was no forenoon session Tuesday, the morning being occupied with the reception of the guests and provision for their entertainment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

The afternoon session opened promptly at 2 o'clock with a song service led by Fred Buck, of Adrian, and a prayer service led by Mr. Vandeventer, the well known evangelist, after which C. E. Wakefield, of Morenci, the district president gave a short address in which he expressed his appreciation of the responsibilities of his position and his efforts to fill the trust.

This was followed by fraternal greetings from the societies of the various churches of Tecumseh to the delegates here and a short address of welcome by the Rev. J. P. Varney. "We welcome you as guests representing a great religious movement. We welcome you for ourselves. The people of Tecumseh will welcome you into their homes and the young people have made much preparation to their name most heartily I bid you welcome." To which Rev. Cansdell, of Ridgeway, responded, thanking the people of the village for their most kind and hearty welcome, saying in conclusion, "We know that you welcome us; we are glad to be welcomed. We partake of your carnal goods, we give you of our spiritual goods; thus we may both be benefited. May God bless the Tecumseh societies here for their welcome to us."

After music the annual reports of the officers were given. Miss Mary Eaton, superintendent of the Junior League, reported 427 Junior members in the district, 22 new members having been added during the past year and 20 having united with the church. Owing to delays of the various Leagues in answering her inquiries, only a partial report could be given.

The recording secretary, Miss Sutton, of Clayton, gave a report of the proceedings of the convention of 1896. Amendments suggested and adopted.

The corresponding secretary, Miss Dewey, of Cambridge, reported 46 Leagues in good condition last year of whom 5 failed to report this year, 4 more apparently in a state of collapse, the remaining 37 in good condition.

District Treasurer Fitzgerald reported only 15 answers to request for due money. Received in total, $35 62. A motion was raised and carried that the report be left open until a later meeting.

Then followed a recess of five minutes after which 30 Leagues gave 2-minute reports of the work they were doing. This was followed by a song by Messrs. Tansley, Hurry, Conklin and Day. A motion was then made and carried that the appointment of committees and miscellaneous business be deferred till a later meeting.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The evening session opened with a song service and scripture reading. The committees on credentials and nominations were then appointed, after which three minute talks were given by Revs. Lewis and Hudson.

Then came the address of the evening by W. Scott Jones, of Detroit. His subject was, "What makes the Wheel go round."

What makes the Epworth wheel go round? Grace, gumption and grit, or in other words, grace, common sense and persistence. The essential element of the wheel is power. Power can be increased at will. The Sunday-shool is indispensable for this. Prayer-meetings and class meetings are a great help.

It takes common sense to make the wheel go. In the prayer meeting the common sense leader is always prepared for any emergency so that the meeting never drags. What we need is more love for old-fashioned methods. It is the old-fashioned girl who knows how to go ahead. We all love the old-fashioned young men in novels. We need common sense as applied to methods of work.

The third element is grit or persistence to hang on in spite of opposition and go straight ahead. Be not content to simply drift, but seize your opportunities. Keep your eyes open; going through the world with them half shut you are only half alive. Persistence requires self-denial but Self-denial is the twin brother of Prosperity. In conclusion "Are we stronger today than we were a year ago? Are we better trained for the work of life and more impressed with our responsibilities? If not, God help us to get down on our knees to ask for Divine Guidance.

The meeting closed with a selection by the quartette. After the meeting a reception was given to the delegates in the church parlors and ices served.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Wednesday morning session opened with a "sunrise" prayer meeting at six o'clock led by Mr. Vandeventer. The service was well attended.

Promptly at 9 o'clock the forenoon meeting opened with a consecration service. The forenoon was principally devoted to recollections of the Toronto convention. At 9:30 came the Junior Hour, devoted to Junior work and suggestions. Short papers were read on the following subjects: "The Junior League can help Temperance Work," "Bible Study for the Juniors," "Conversion of Children," "Junior Work as seen by a Boy." These were followed by a song by Mr. Vandeventer, after which came a five minute recess.

B. C. Day then gave an address, "Trips." He described his bicycle trip to Toronto. From this he likened a bicycle trip to the journey of life as applied to Epworth Leaguers and showed how through the journey of life they may help one another over the hard places.

Rev. H. B. Marsh, of Tiptop, then gave an address on "Echoes of the Toronto Convention." He aimed to present the principal thoughts presented by eminent people from all points of the continent and enlarged somewhat upon the methods of work in the spiritual department of the League.

After a musical selection came the committee reports at 11:30, which were adopted.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

The afternoon services began at 2:00 o'clock with devotional service after which came a paper by Miss Franc Baker, of Morenci, on "The Proper Relation the League should bear to the Cause of Missions." This was one of the most important papers of the convention.

Miss Baker, having formulated a few statements, proceeded to say that the relation of the Epworth League to missions is its relation to Christianity itself. She stated her belief that God, in controlling the stupendous movements of modern history, includes in his plan the arousing of the young people in a general interest in world-wide missions. With Dr. Barrows she too believes that "there is surely and swiftly coming a revival of enthusiasm in foreign missions." If the Epworth League and these other divisions of the grand army of young people, will, without wavering, march triumpantly into the twentieth century, with a strong purpose to take the world for Christ it can be done. She exhorted all to remember their vows on coming into the church, "to give of their substance according to their ability for the support of the Gospel." She quoted Bishop Ninde, the E. L. president, as saying: "A great compelling purpose must possess the E. L. or its enthusiasm will abate and its activities languish." The paper was brightened by many incidents and all felt there was need of serious undertaking in order to "lift up" fallen humanity Christward."

A discussion of the subject pro and con was started by Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell, of Clinton. The next subject on the program was an address, "How to make the League effectual in Revivals," by Rev. W. J. Balmer, of Morenci.

In early times their protracted efforts were supplemented by a lay element consisting of local preachers, exhorters and class leaders, of whom the first had special gifts for preaching, while the exhorters related experiences and exhorted to repentance while class leaders aided by prayer and songs. Methodism has changed perhaps for the better. The E. L. is growing up to take the place of the old time aid. They can help by being earnest Christians themselves, by prayer for the work and pastor, by prayer meetings in the houses, by work in the revivals.

A discussion of the subject was led by Milo Dole, of Adrian.

Then came the question box conducted by Clarence Noble, of Ann Arbor, after which an adjournment was voted upon till evening.

During this session the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—C. E. Wakefield, Morenci.
1st Vice Pres.—B. C. Day, Tecumseh.
2nd " —Flora Kemp.
3rd " —Nettie Storms.
4th " —Alice McMahon, Pinkney.
Rec. Sec.—Maggie Sutton, Clayton.
Cor. Sec.—Addie Camburn, Adrian.
Treas.—Chas. Snell, London.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

This session opened with a consecration meeting led by Mr. Buck, Adrian. Then came the report of the committee on resolutions, which report consisted of resolutions on the death of Dr. L. P. Davis, welcome to the new presiding elder, and also endorsed the resolutions of the international convention on temperance and abstaining from tobacco and questionable amusements. Signed by D. H. Ramsdell, S. Milo Dole and W. L. Balmer. Amended and adopted.

Following was the evening's address by J. H. Grant, of Manistee, state E. L. president. Subject: "Our Debt to the Average Man." The main idea he put forth was that the average man was at the bottom of all good works. Even the success of Methodism must be laid to the average man who for doing the hard work should receive the lion's share of honor. In conclusion he said, "Pastors, wegas Leaguers will help you to lift up fallen humanity."

After this excellent address a collection was taken which amounted to over $10 and was donated to the Tecumseh chapter.

To close the convention Presiding Elder Shier held an altar service which was indeed a holy time.

During this convention our home League provided entertainment for 300 delegates and were amply repaid for all hard work by the amount of good they received.

Teachers' Examination.

The regular teachers' examination for Lenawee county will be held in Whitney's opera house, Adrian, Thursday and Friday, Aug 19 and 20. All applicants should be provided with paper, pen and ink. The examination will begin promptly at nine o'clock.

M. W. HENSEL,
Commissioner.

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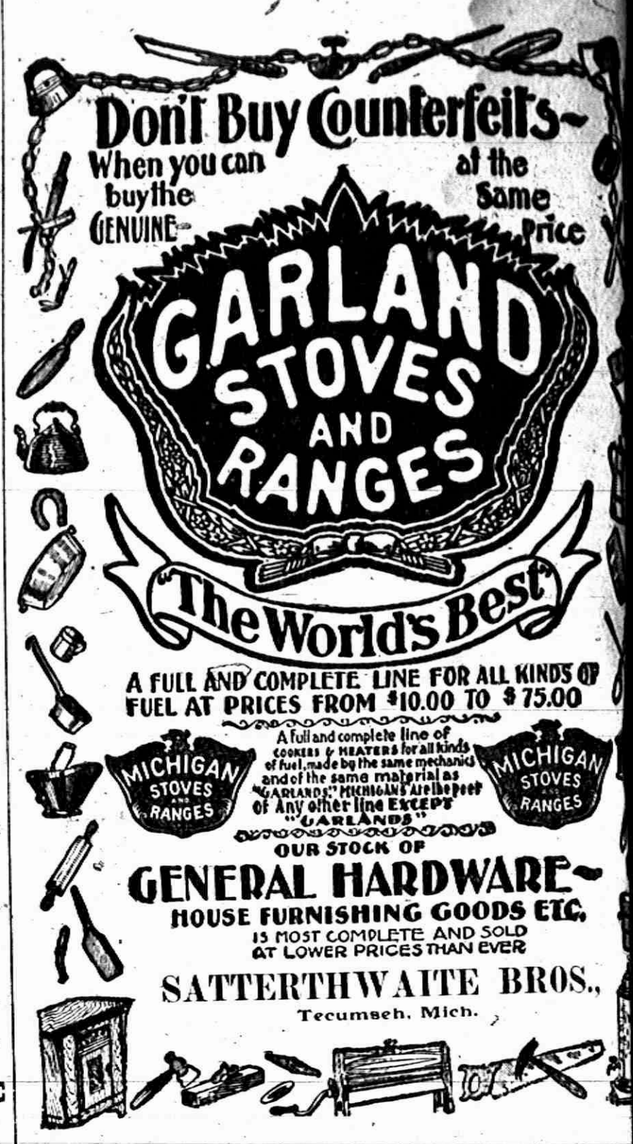

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It having become the "correct thing" for ladies of all classes to become proficient in the art of dressing becomingly, we come to you with one of the best systems of Tailoring for ladies now in use, known as "Works' Garment Cutter," of St. Louis Mo. This system is now used successfully in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and many other leading cities of this country and Europe. By it, any garment worn by ladies, children and men, may be safely produced. It will enable mothers, wives and daughters to save many times its cost each year. Any lady intending to follow dress making as a business, will find it practical, reliable and easy to learn.

It is throughly a "Tailors' System." We use no models, but make use of the square, tape and scales. The garment is cut by actual measurement and proven by balance measures. We believe we are justified in asking fathers and mothers if it is not reasonable to teach your daughters an art that will enable them to dress becomingly at a greatly reduced cost.

This art, thoroughly learned, will prove of great benefit during life and should adversity take from them their available means of living, this knowledge will prove a great boon. Any bright girl of 15 can learn the art and become as proficient as her elders, and the practice in construction will develop her as she becomes older thus rendering her independent. We invite all ladies of the city and vicinity to call at any time, and, except during school hours, our teachers will be pleased to explain the method in detail. We cordially invite all dress makers to call, trusting they will be the gainer and not the loser thereby.

The lessons will be of two hours duration at each session, begining at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. daily, and 7 p. m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Students from a distance may have free use of the school room for practice during their stay. The school will be graded and students graduated with a diploma. There will be a primary, intermediate and senior class, thus enabling students to commence at any time. The length of time required to complete the course will depend upon the aptitude of the student.

This school is located in the Tindall property on the corner of Ottawa and Pottawatamie streets, Tecumseh, Mich., under the management of Mrs. E. B Kinney, of Adrian, Mich.

Having had 28 years' experience in dress making, I am pleased to state to my friends and neighbors that I have examined the system being taught in the school at my home, and am willing to acknowledge that it far surpasses any system that I have ever examined. Chief among its many features are its measurements. These are simple, and the balance measures employed prove unerringly the correctness of the original measures. I believe the statements made in this letter can and will be fully carried out, and that any person availing themselves of this opportunity will have no cause to regret it.

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RENT.—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

T.—Between Clinton and Tecumseh, Aug. black and gray Persian shawl. Finder ase leave at this office.

NTED.—A girl for general housework. Apply at Mrs. A. L. Richmond's, Logan near Maiden Lane.

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TURDAY, AUGUST 21,

Program.

Trot. 2:40 Trot or Pace. Free for all Trot or Pace.

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ntrance fee charged. Races commence at 1 o'clock sharp. Admission 25c. Grand stand 10c.

T. R. KYLE, Sec'y.

s. Abbie Fisher is in Battle Creek.

s Julia Wood has been at Clark's

mont Bidwell visited Toledo this

e best 25c. coffee in town at R. S. e's.

ery day is special sale day at Har- Hiteshu's.

member Tansley's special china August 21st.

on Haight and sister visited Dun- friends this week.

Lotisa Schreder has been assisting Tansley's this week.

iss Florence Huey has visited in ian since Wednesday.

Chas. Perry, of Chicago, is visit- Newton Satterthwaite's.

ss Jessie Kimball, of Manchester, e guest of Miss Anna Wilson.

enty or tweny-five from here went he excursion to Detroit Sunday.

dies, you can buy an elegant sum- corset for 29c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

other large boiler has recently placed in Henry Smith's paper

s Gussie Whitnack spent a week agara Falls and had a delightful

s Wallin, of Ypsilanti, has been uest of Miss Helen Anderson this

ward Whelan and a lady friend, Detroit, visited his mother, this

. Fannie Waldron, who has been for the sick in Fairfield, is home

Sarah Shaw, of Adrian, was the of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser ay.

George Rubadeau is spending a with her mother, Mrs. Gee at on.

s Harriet Whittier has been the of Mrs. Finch in Adrian for sev- days.

s. Al C. Paxon, of Piqua Ohio, ar- Monday for a visit with Tecum- friends.

s. W. T. Hamilton, of Litchfield, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Boyd.

rry Spalding, of Toledo, came up ay and spent the day with his g friends.

s. Ezra Burlingame is visiting a hter at Port Clinton, Ohio. She Tuesday.

s. Thomas Kirk and Elwin, of on, were guests of Al Van Winkle's ly Monday.

n't fail to attend the racing mati- week from tomorrow. It will be vent of the season.

ss Ella Hall, of Brooklyn, who is ing her old home Ridgeway, was uest of Mrs. C. A. Wright two days week.

B. Hoag and wife are visiting ds at Hudson and vicinity this Lookout for fish stories when Hoag returns.

rry McKinley Crossman, infant son artin Crossman, died this morning 30 of cholera infantum. Funeral p. m. Sunday.

o. Frank and family are visiting ds at Detroit, Birmingham, and points. They left Sunday and ct to be away three weeks.

dies who can wear a 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 can buy a walking shoe for 98c, h $1.50 and $1.75, at

HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

orge Mc Gee and Gene Pattison, Monday for Toledo with John L. day and Castanet, who will be ed on the track there for the fall

Mike Eckert was in Detroit Sunday.

Ice cream Soda is all right at R. S. Moore's.

Ed Williamson was at West Unity Wednesday.

John Barkwell, of Ypsilanti, came over yesterday.

F. D. Hillman arrived home from California Tuesday.

Varnor Crane arrived from St. Louis Tuesday evening.

Every day is special sale day at Harris & Hiteshu's.

You can save dollars at Tansley's special sale August 21.

Frank M. Bryan is entertaining a friend from Philadelphia.

Festus Metcalf, of Adrian, was a Tecumseh visitor yesterday.

Miss Dodds, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Katherine Anderson.

1 pay 9 cents cash for eggs

L. D. DEWEY.

FOR RENT.—The Hayden cottage at Sand Lake. Inquire of S. P. Hosmer.

All summer goods at less than manufacturers' prices at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tate, of Clinton, are among the excursionists to Niagara Falls.

Vet & Dan are doing a rushing business these days. Shave and hair cut, 25 cents.

Miss Helen Anderson visited Miss Jessie Stewart in Adrian the fore part of the week.

The Commercial telephone has been extended to Holloway and Dr. Nixon is now connected.

There will be a meeting of the K. P. lodge for third degree work Thursday evening, Aug. 19.

Go to Will Gray to have locks and keys fitted and clothes wringers and bicycles repaired.

Clarence and Charles Lowe, of Britton, took the Lake Shore train here yesterday for the Falls excursion.

Gents, you can buy a pair of $3 50 tan or ox blood shoe for $3.00, a $3.00 tan pair for $2.00 at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Teeple makes the cheapest photos in the county, only 25c for six and you can sit six times and have a photo for each.

E. W. Howard's new wall paper and stationery store will be opened tomorrow. All are invited to call and see him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Trann, of Peoria, Ill., were here two days this week. They had been on an outing trip to Put-In-Bay.

Did you ever see young Jim Elliott put a bicycle in a carriage? If not, you ought to. He is thinking of having his system patented. Ask him about it.

John and Frank Nyland returned from their Kalamazoo visit the first of the week, accompanied by Peter Servass who will remain their guest until next week.

Mrs. Julia Burleson, of Macon, gave an afternoon party and tea for her children and some of their young friends Tuesday which was highly enjoyed by the entire company.

All summer goods will be sold at less than manufactures cost price. Bargains all over the house. Come see, and save money.

HARRIS & HITESHU.

Tom Owen and sister, Mrs. John Gibson, who lives on the prairie, left yesterday on the Lake Shore excursion to Niagara Falls. Tom will only be gone a few days while Mrs. G. expects to remain east for a month at least.

A. L. Zimmerman, of Delta, O., has rented the Arnold bakery and will open some time next week. He is a practical baker of 20 years experience and intends conducting a first class business in every way. The HERALD welcomes him to Tecumseh.

The coming racing matinee is arousing general interest all around. The 2-mile bicycle race as well as the tandem race will be fine. There will be several exhibition heats while the horse races, trotting, pacing and running will be better than usual.

Our kid nine went up to Clinton Wednesday and did up their kid nine to the tune of 10 to 4. We are informed that in both teams there were some lusty kids, however as they were about evenly divided, every thing was harmonious and the game was a good one.

Robert Moir and family, we are informed, now reside in South Brooklyn, N. Y., where Robert has a good position with a brick and tile company. Jamie also has employment with the same company. Their friends will be pleased to know they are so pleasantly situated and doing well. A cousin of Mrs. Moir's, Charles Whitehead, owns the plant.

Harris & Hiteshu's midsummer clearing sale will be, as every summer, a hustler. Bottom knocked out of every price. Read all about it.

The Grange Assembly and Farmers' Harvest Festival, to be held at Bawbeese Park Wednesday, Aug. 18th, will call together a large multitude. Washtenaw, Jackson, Branch, Hillsdale and Lenawee counties will all be well represented both from the Granges and the farmers. A fine literary and musical program has been prepared for the occasion and it will be a day of instruction as well as pleasure.

J. E. Woodward, who owned a fine farm west of Clinton, where he lived many years, has been in poor health for some time. A few weeks ago he went to a sister's in Jackson, thinking the change might be beneficial. His death occurred Tuesday. The remains were brought home and the funeral was held this afternoon under the auspices of the Masonic order. "Elish," as he was commonly called, was well known to many here as he often visited the Lodge and attended ball games and matinees. He until recently owned Mollie W., the fine pacing mare that frequently was on the track here.

Special sale of fine china at Tansley's Saturday, Aug. 21.

Truman McKinney was over from Detroit on a business trip Wednesday.

Every day is special sale day at

HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

James Gillespie, of Newburgh, N. Y., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Peter Young, and family.

Do not forget the date of Kyle's third matinee, Saturday, Aug. 21. Great fun for little money.

Mrs. Bessie Winans and son Howard, of Adrian, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Kennedy.

Nettie Keyser, of Clinton, has been spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Henriet Keyser.

Mrs. C. A. Stacy and sister Miss Clarinda Walker, are visiting their niece Mrs. Frank Coler at Norvell.

A complete line of ladies' shirt waists. The price to close will be less than manufacturer's cost. HARRIS & HITESHU.

Little Lena Allen, of Britton, visited her grand mother, Mrs. Ezra Burlingame from Friday until Tuesday.

Mrs. E. C. Jarvis, of London, Ontario, is visiting her aunts, Mesdames L. Barnes, E. Hause, and Miss Berger.

Harry Ely, of Ann Arbor, is filling George Frank's place at Snedicor's barber shop while he is away on his vacation.

Mrs. Ellisworth Cairns left Tuesday morning to join her husband at Schoolcraft where they will reside. The best wishes of all accompany them.

Wm. Easlick, of Lake Ridge, and Essie Edwards, of Milan, were married here yesterday afternoon at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. B. S. Hudson.

We have received a new lot of baby-carriages, and are going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Raynor Hughes and Bert O'Hara returned yesterday from a little trip they took on their own hook. They took in several towns, Ann Arbor among them.

John Heesen and Frank Bryan and their families arrived home from the lake Saturday where they much enjoyed a two weeks' outing. Bait is all John lacks to make him a great fisherman.

Ernest Farley and Jack Crowell after a pleasant visit here, left Tuesday noon for Johnson's Island, where the Ohio troops are in camp, the former being a member, and Jack going as his guest.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

S. W. Anderson in consideration of the Epworth League Convention this week had two of his store windows dressed in the colors of that society red and white. They were attractive and artistic.

Rev. C. H. Channer, rector of Christ's church Adrian, will conduct the services at St. Peters Episcopal church Sunday morning at 10:30, and celebrate the Holy Eucharist. He will also visit Clinton and preach in the evening.

Our ball team will not play at Clinton tomorrow, notwithstanding it has been reported that it would. Just when the next game between the clubs will take place cannot now be stated. The third game of the series has already been played.

There seems to be a query in the minds of our society young men how it is that when Ralph Bidwell and Harry Spalding are out on Sand Lake evenings in a sail boat, there is a dead calm. Ask the boys, perhaps they can tell you how it is done.

Detroit and Belle Isle excursion Picnic train will arrive at Detroit at 9 a. m. A large steam-boat will be in waiting at foot of 3rd. Street, all passengers will be given a 12 mile ride around Belle Isle before landing at the Island. The boat ride will be free to all purchasers of rail road tickets. Call for boat ticket when you get your R. R. ticket.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

James K. Webb, who for the past few months has been with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Ketcham, died Sunday evening. His funeral was held Tuesday, attended by Rev. J. P. Varner and interment at Raisin which with the exception of a few years had always been his home. Mr. Webb was well known to most of the older residents and by them highly esteemed. He leaves two children, a daughter and son. The latter ministered to him in his sickness which was most distressing, his disease being dropsy.

At the Tri-state Fair in Toledo Aug. 23 to 27, the largest field of horses ever brought together in the city are expected. There will be 19 races. To satisfy the public feeling, for this meeting the general admission has been cut to 25c, in belief that they will have the largest crowd in the history of the grounds. There will be 16 balloon ascensions by leading experts of this country and Europe, 4 to ascend each day at the firing of a gun. Great exhibit of tropical plants and flowers. Flying of the scientific government kites. Bench show, and the usual exhibit of horses, cattle, sheep, poultry and agricultural products. A great show is assured. Privileges now on sale at 124 The Nasby.

—Monuments, marble headstones cleaned, reset or new work put in by George Price, Adrian, Mich. Drop postal and he will call.

—Go to John J. Orr's for Lemon Cream, the finest preparation for the skin yet discovered.

—The "Crescent," most value for least money, at

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Union Sunday School Picnic Excursion to Detroit and Belle Isle.

Arrangements have been made for a union picnic by all the Sunday schools of Tecumseh to go to Detroit and Belle Isle on Tuesday Aug. 17th. A special train will leave Tecumseh at 7:30 A. M. over the Detroit and Lima Northern Ry. Returning will leave Detroit at 6:00 P. M. The fare for round trip, adults 75 cts, children, five to twelve years 35 cts. A steamer will be at the foot of Third street near Union depot, to carry passengers to Belle Isle, fare on steamers five cents each way. A general invitation is extended to all. Let every body turn out and give the children a day of pleasure at beautiful Belle Isle Park. Ten passenger coaches have been arranged for so there will be plenty of room for all. A baggage car will be provided for carrying bicycles and lunch baskets. In order to avoid a rush on Tuesday morning, tickets will be for sale by J. H. Smith at Tecumseh State Savings Bank on Monday Aug 16th.

MUSICALE.

The recital given by Miss Root's pupils at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Slayton on Pearl street last Friday evening was one of the most enjoyable ever given in Tecumseh. The house is well calculated for an entertainment of this character and on this occasion was taxed to its utmost. That the large company present enjoyed the program rendered, the liberal encore given each number fully attested. From the youngest to the more advanced pupils all reflected great credit, not alone to themselves, but to their able teacher as well. The program, consisting of twenty instrumental selections, was admirably arranged and was so varied as to make it very interesting. Most of the celebrated composers were represented in the selections. There were duets, trios and four pieces for eight hands. Mrs. L. W. Kimball, of Clinton delighted all with her vocal selections. She has a wonderfully sweet and musical voice, highly cultivated and her enunciation was so perfect that every syllable could be understood. She kindly responded to an encore with a pretty ballad.

The following of Miss Root's pupils contributed to the evening's enjoyment: Grace Norris, Raisin; Nina Allen, Adah Beebe and Ethel Hampton, Tipton; Raynor Heaussler, Alma Schmid and Cynthia Bailey, Manchester; Ora Gillespie, Mary Mills, Naomi North, Percy Slayton, Laila Knapp, Fred Frost, Florence Eccles, Louise Erskine, Grace Erskine, Wolcott Marsh, Julia Lowry, Ethel Slaytop, Lena Smith, Edyth Shull, Stella Zimmerman, Maud Beneway, Floy Freeman and Erma Kyle.

BALL GAME.

A large and expectant audience gathered to see what promised to be an interesting ball game between the Detroit Athletic Club team and the Tecumsehs, last Friday, and for the first three innings the most sanguine expectations were realized in spite of the fact that McLeod, the Detroit umpire, had done very poor work throughout. Not a run was made in the first two innings. In the third Dingwall, of the Detroits, made a hit, stole second and scored on a hit by Callahan. Two additional hits, which were scattered, comprised all the safe batting that was done off Harris, who was pitching elegant ball. He was, however, completely at the mercy of a very poor umpire which was discouraging to say the least. In the fourth the Detroits scored 4 runs by means of 2 hits and a disgusting combination of errors and rank decisions, after which only one more inning was played. At the end of the fifth an attempt was made in behalf of the Tecumseh team to have some change made which would improve the umpiring, but Mr. Guiney, the Detroit captain, absolutely refused to consider anything of the kind and at this point the home team was called from the field and the game discontinued.

The outcome is much to be regretted but it seems as if there was nothing left to do but stop the game. McLeod has gained a very bad reputation for himself throughout the state and it is strange that his poor work was tolerated in other places and more so that an organization such as the D. A. C. should be compelled to reach out for such as he even in the scarcity of good umpires. The score was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	R	H	E
D. A. C.	0	0	1	4	0	5	4	2
Tecumseh	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3

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AS THEY ARE.

Self-constituted sages draw strange fancies from afar,
And mock the man who sees and paints things earthly as they are;
They like to mount to airy heights on fancy's feathery wings,
But scoff at those who tell stern truths of earth-lifes' common things;
Perhaps they mount so high, that things so plain to people here,
From dizzy elevations in distorted shapes appear.

And yet we live in daily touch with haggard things and poor,
We see the lowly sphere in which men suffer and endure;
The touch of poverty and pain the overcrop of ills,
The dissipation and distress which curses ere it kills;
All these are near us every day, stern spectres of each hour,
What wonder that some paint it all in words of pitying power?

We cannot always soar aloft 'mid sunsets' golden bars,
Float with the eagles in ozone among the silvery stars,
Sail out on seas of crystal to the islands of the blest,
And bask in calms and tropic palms which glorify the west;
Some must do daily where the city's pulses beat,
And note the misery which lines full many a squalid street.

Here settle dregs left festering there by eddies of life's sea,
Where demons of most horrid mien feast long in ghoulish glee;
Where passions fired by alcohol make cesspools black with lust;
Where happiness is hollow and joys crumble into dust;
Where vice carouses, buzzard-like, on human carrion fed,
Where conscience wears a coat of mail and principle is dead.

Some painter with the pen must sketch these things with faithful touch,
Not palliating evil or condoning overmuch;
Not softening the glooms of hell or padding lurid truth
With silken words as cushions used to break the fall of youth;
Let human beings yet uncursed see these things as they are,
And knowing what has peopled hell sheer off, unscorched, afar.

We need the faithful art which shows the plain, unwelcome fact,
Which scorns disguise or vain deceit in purpose, word or act;
Which, not despising fancy, yet the truth unvarnished knows,
And does not care to paint the reptile posing as the rose.
We human beings may not yet soar bird-like in the air,
So near the sun that dazzled eyes see neither ill nor care,
But see, reveal and then relieve soul-sorrow everywhere.

I. EDGAR JONES.

DOCTOR RENA'S .... AMUSEMENT CRUSADE.

BY JEANNETTE S. BENTON.

THE pretty suburb of Hyde Park was in a riot of greenness and bloom under the hot June sun. The bay-windowed and balconied Merrill house looked terribly imposing to John Hathaway as he went slowly up the broad walk. A sound of merry girlish voices floated through the window, and he walked still slower. He was a diffident man, and would much rather have faced a battery than gone through with the errand he was bound on; but he must, and big, strong man as he was, his eyes grew wet as he thought of the reason. He rang the bell.

"I should like to see Miss Rena Merrill," he said to the servant.

She looked a little surprised, then directed him to a chair in the hall, and went into the parlors. A moment later a girl came out, a very pretty girl, airy and proud-looking.

"Did you wish to see me?" she asked, wonderingly.

He crushed his hat nervously in his hands.

"Yes, marm," he answered. "I suppose I came on a very queer errand, but I had to."

And his eyes filled with tears.

"Of course you don't know us. My name is John Hathaway. We live back here about three blocks. But we know all about you. Time and time again we have heard of your beautiful speaking, and my wife has wanted to hear you always. Since she has been sick she sort of seemed to have it on her mind all the time. Yesterday she heard the doctor telling me he was afraid she couldn't pull through, and she said: 'John, if I am going to die, there's just one thing I want. I want you to ask Miss Merrill to come and recite for me.' Sick people get fanciful sometimes, you know," he said, apologetically. "I hope you'll excuse the liberty."

"Wants me to come and recite something?" the girl repeated. "Why, how funny! I am sure I don't know," looking doubtfully at the unmistakable work-day aspect of the man before her. "Does she want me to come now?"

"The doctor didn't say how long it would be," he answered simply.

People who did not like Rena Merrill said she was spoiled. Possibly she was, but something in the pathetic hopelessness of the visitor's voice and the sadness of his homely, honest face suddenly touched her.

"Of course I'll go," she said impulsively, pinning on her wide, white hat; "now, too. I'll be back sometime," she remarked cavalierly to the wondering girls in the doorway; "just amuse yourselves until I come."

The man hurried ahead, and stood waiting in the doorway of a trig, box-like little house. Everything was clean and still; an air of solemn expectancy brooded over the place.

A woman came into the entry. Her face was portentous and important-looking.

"Have you got her?" she asked, in a loud whisper. "It's an awful queer notion for a dyin' person to take," she continued, turning to the girl. "She's growing weaker. It's slow fever, you know, miss; but I guess she can hear yet."

Rena followed her into a room rather bare, but painfully clean. On the spotless pillow was a white, wan face with closed eyes. Another woman sat by the bed fanning her. The dark eyes opened slowly, and a weak voice whispered:

"I knew she'd come. Now I'll hear her."

Rena stood at the foot of the bed, for the first time in her life painfully embarrassed.

"What shall I recite?" she asked appealingly of the women.

They sat with decorously folded hands.

"Something suitable to the occasion," one said, primly.

Rena thought a shade of protest flitted across the white face on the bed. "Little Boy Blue" flashed to her bewildered memory, and she eagerly caught at it. Even to herself her voice had never sounded so pathetic as she told the tender little story.

When she finished, the two stolid women were wiping their eyes, and heavy tears lay on the sick woman's white cheeks. Again she opened those weary eyes, and to the girl's thought there was beckoning in them. She followed her impulse, and bent over the bed.

"Now something—different," the woman gasped.

A sudden inspiration flashed to Rena's mind. She stood well out in the room and commenced the "Chariot Race" from "Ben Hur." Both nature and art had done a great deal for her in an elocutionary way. She had recited before critical friends, and envious ones, before exacting, cultivated audiences, but her wildest fancy had never placed her in so difficult a position as this. The homely room, with its chilling quiet, the death-like auditor on the bed, her solemn eyes following every movement, was oppressive and uncanny, but never had she recited as she did that day.

The great amphitheater with its brilliant, frenzied populace, the rush and trample of the horses, the breathless hush, the crash of the wild chariots, the triumph of the matchless Arabs and their wonderful driver, swayed and surged and beat through the room like a mighty wind.

The two women sat with open mouths and staring eyes.

The man had come inside the door and stood erect, clenching his hands in his excitement.

"That was a race as was a race," he said, in a loud, resonant voice, forgetful for an instant of everything but the story.

Then they looked toward the bed. The sick woman was sitting up.

"Oh!" she cried, with a note of long-drawn ecstasy, then fell back exhausted.

"She's dead!" cried Rena, in a quiver of fear.

There was a horror-stricken instant. Then she roused and spoke almost strongly, grasping convulsively the girl's warm, dimpled hand in her cold, wasted fingers.

"Maybe I'll live till to-morrow, if you'll promise to come again."

"I'll surely come," Rena said, softly, then slipped out.

She was full of her odd experience, but she told it at the dinner table that evening with a touch of hesitancy. Somehow she did not feel like having much said about it.

Dr. Randolph was there, too, and she wondered anxiously what he would think. Somehow, the recitation of a thing like that to a dying woman suddenly seemed rude and ill-timed. Her cheeks burned.

The doctor looked at her thoughtfully.

"Possibly you can cure her, Miss Rena," he said. "Sometimes in a low fever the patient gets apathetic and indifferent, and slips away from sheer lack of energy. Maybe you can reverse the idea somewhat, and, as a second Scheherazde, chain the poor woman to life by your eloquence."

He looked up and caught the deep flush on Rena's face.

"I beg your pardon, Miss Rena, I am not entirely joking. I do not know the case, but that result is not impossible. How about to-morrow, though? Had you forgotten the golf match? I believe the party is to start at seven and return by moon rise."

Rena caught her breath.

"I had forgotten," she answered.

She sat silent, hardly touching her dessert. The party going out next morning were just the people she liked. The exhilarating spin over the perfect roads in the lovely, fragrant June morning; the informal dinner at the charming clubhouse; the moonlight return—and Dr. Randolph. It was so seldom he spared time for an outing.

"It would be absurd to give up such a lovely day just for the mere possibility of benefit to the woman. Why, the doctor half made fun of it himself."

Then her promise flashed to her mind.

"I don't seem to be doing much of anything else lately but forget; that settles it, though," she thought, straightening up energetically; "of course I can't go."

People think rapidly, and Rena, looking up at the end of her cogitations, noticed they were all silent, as though waiting for her to go on.

"I really did forget about the Downs, and promised her to come back, so of course I can't go," she said, decidedly. "But I wish you wouldn't mention it to anyone, because I don't do it for goodness, you know, but simply because I promised."

The next morning she gathered a great handful of dewy pink and white roses before she went to the little white house, wondering as she did it, whether they might not be for the dead rather than the living.

John Hathaway met her at the door.

"She is waiting for you," he said.

The sick woman was alone; her eyes were open, and she was watching the door intently.

"She's come," she announced, triumphantly, as though she had come off victor in a doubtful case. "And see the beautiful roses!"

"Yes, and you shall have them where you can enjoy them," replied Rena, scattering the fragrant mass over the snowy bed and its occupant.

Mrs. Hathaway gave a little gasp. The roses were dreadfully dewy, but they did smell good. Still, it was not roses she wanted.

Rena answered the unspoken wistfulness of her face.

"Now, what do you want me to recite?" she asked.

"I wish you'd say something real funny. I haven't heard anything funny in so long," Mrs. Hathaway answered, imploringly.

"Whatever can I recite that's 'real funny?'" thought Rena, in dire perplexity. "Everything funny is so mixed up with the pathetic. I might tell them 'How Katie Entertained Her Sister's Beau.' It's pretty near as bad as 'Curfew Shall Not Ring,' but I believe they will like it." So she told the absurd little story of Katie's exploits.

John Hathaway roared with delight.

"The cute little rat!" he cried, admiringly, "didn't she just get it on that sister of hers?"

The roses over Mrs. Hathaway tumbled around as though they were experiencing a small earthquake,

"I didn't know anything could be so funny," she gasped, wiping her streaming eyes. "Can't you go on?"

"Aren't you afraid it will hurt you?" asked Rena, apprehensively.

"Hurt me! I haven't felt so stirred up and good for months."

It was nearly an hour later when Rena emerged breathless and rosy from the cottage, and met Dr. Randolph at the gate.

"Why, I thought you went to the Downs!" she said, astonished.

"No, I concluded not to go. How is your patient?"

"Oh, doctor, there was never anything like it!" she cried, ecstatically. "You were right. All she needed was 'rousing,' and I roused her. I'm sure she will get well. I recited everything, from 'Katie Entertaining Her Sister's Beau' to 'When Grandmamma Danced the Minuet,' and furnished my own orchestra. They did enjoy it so! It was just lovely!"

"Doctor," she said, rather hesitatingly, "do you know other people like those, you know, who might like something of this kind?"

"Yes, Miss Rena, I have a whole hospital full who would surely like 'something of this kind,' to whom it would be a joy and a delight, even if you did not cure them all."

"I think I will go to them, then," Rena replied, with decision. "It's more fun than anything I've tried yet."

Taking that view of the case, the "fun" was certainly shared in good measure in the convalescent and surgical wards of the hospital, and many dreary hours were shortened and made brighter by her efforts.

It was never reported that she saved the lives of any of the patients, so it was Mrs. Hathaway's proud boast that "as far as she had heard tell she was the only person who had ever been cured by elocution."

But the enjoyment and delight those poor mortals experienced, the pain and troubles they forgot, were legion. It was a new world to so many of them, a world full of such grand thoughts, such loving ones, such side-splitting, innocent mirth, that in many cases it was a more lasting tonic than the medicine they took. While "Doctor Rena," as her friends all dubbed her, declared she never had so lovely a time in all her life as she had had since she commenced her amusement crusade, and Dr. Randolph—but that is another story.—The Household.

THE MINISTER'S FEE.

It Was a Good One, But He Did Not Know It for Nearly a Year.

Many stories have been related of the odd form adopted by eccentric young people in presenting the marriage fee to the minister, but not one have I heard that quite equaled in unique method the story told by the minister of an Episcopal church in the northwest section of the city.

A young couple was to be married, and each party being a scion of a wealthy family the minister naturally looked forward to a generous reward for his offices.

The ceremony was performed, and the groom, at the proper time, handed the minister an envelope a little larger than the ordinary size, and the contents appeared to be of such soft thickness as to satisfy the clergyman that his hope had been realized.

In the privacy of his own apartments the seal was broken, when, alas! all pleasant anticipations faded away, for there was but—a pair of gloves—a very fine, very elegant pair, 'tis true, but still only gloves.

And so the man of God swallowed his disappointment and laid the souvenir away.

Nearly a year afterward, when a special occasion called for their use, the minister bethought him of the gloves and brought them to the light.

He found considerable difficulty in fitting them to his hands, and, upon examination, lo! in each finger, neatly folded, was a fresh, crisp five-dollar bill.

And now the reverend doctor makes careful search of any unusual object a marriage fee may take the form of, lest that which may appear frivolous at first may prove a blessing in disguise. —Baltimore Telegram.

Slow in Operation.

Dr. Elisha Kane, the arctic explorer, on being asked what he thought of a certain after-dinner speech, replied that it was like an arctic sunset. "What do you mean by that?" asked his friend. "It was bright and interesting," replied the doctor, "but provokingly long in operation."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Belgium's Forests.

Little Belgium has several first-class fortresses; Antwerp, and the fortified towns of Dendermonde and Diest, on the Meuse, Liege, Huy and Namur, and on the French frontier, Mons, Tournay and Ypres.

BONS CONFESSES.

Tells the Story of His Horrible Murder of Pearl Morrison.

Crystal Falls, Aug. 6. — Bons has confessed to having outraged and murdered Pearl Morrison. The confession was made to Detective Charlesworth, whom Bons supposes to be his friend. He said he saw Pearl leave the main highway and take the Blaney Creek road and followed her. He made an insulting proposal and was repulsed. He struck the girl three times in the face, knocking her down, and jumped on her stomach. He then outraged her twice. Just as he was about to leave his victim, who he supposed was dead, she groaned and opened her eyes. He then choked her until he was satisfied that life was extinct. He returned to the place the next morning to make sure that she was dead; if not, he intended to complete his fiendish work. Bons started his criminal career by burglarizing a store in his home in Norway, Mich., in 1892, when he was but 16 years old. Since then he has committed a number of burglaries and hold-ups all over the country.

Bons' confession was made a second time in the hearing of Attorney Henderson, of Norway, and M. B. McGee, a leading citizen. The fellow is undoubtedly insane or is acting the part to perfection. This is not the first crime of the nature he has committed. He has been identified by a young girl at Norway as the man who committed an assault upon her several months ago.

The appeals of leading citizens prevented a lynching Thursday night. The miners employed in the surrounding locations are now making threats, and a well defined report is current to the effect that they have formed an organization and will invade the village for the purpose of lynching Bons. In the meantime it is expected that Sheriff Waite will take the precaution to move the prisoner to another county.

TERMS OF PRAISE.

Applied to Naval Militia by Assistant Secretary Roosevelt.

Washington, Aug. 7. — Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, who has just returned from a tour of inspection of the naval militia of several states, speaks as follows of the organization in Michigan:

"In Michigan I was only able to see the first and third divisions, and from their commander to the most recently enlisted landsman I have nothing but praise for the workmanlike way in which their duties were performed. No battalion on the coast can make a better showing. The discipline is excellent. The commissioned officers, aside from the commander, who is a naval academy graduate, have all worked their way up through the ranks, and the seamen, ordinary seamen, and landsmen (who form the bulk of the battalion, for no landsman is made an ordinary seaman until he passes the rigid examination required to show his fitness), are for the most part business or professional men, who largely pay their own expenses, who are actuated simply by a sincere spirit of patriotism, and who show by their efficiency the effect of painstaking and faithful performance of duties which must often be irksome. I consider these divisions fit now to be put in charge of one of our smaller cruisers."

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED.

Manager of a Bicycle Company in Trouble.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 6.—Charles A. Thayer, vice president, treasurer and manager of the Hamilton-Kenwood Bicycle company, was arrested Wednesday on a capias for the alleged embezzlement of $4,000 of the funds of the company at the instance of James A. Droste, to whom as trustee the accounts of the concern were assigned when the plant was mortgaged to the J. Frederick Baars estate. It is claimed that before the mortgage was given he took all the money in sight and went to Colorado, only recently returning. Thayer came here from Hamilton, Ind., bringing his bicycle works here and consolidating them with the Slight works under the name of the Hamilton-Kenwood company, with $200,000 capital.

Mortgage for $750,000 Filed.

Detroit, Aug. 10.—If the mising of $750,000 is any evidence, the Michigan Telephone company has plans for much work in the near future. There was filed in the offices of the city clerk and of the register of deeds copies of a mortgage covering all the real estate and telephone plants of the company in this state. The mortgage is given to the Guaranty Trust company of New York, and is given to secure the issue of 750 bonds of the denomination of $1,000 each, with interest at five per cent., to be paid in gold at the office of the Guaranty Trust company, July 1, 1917. The bonds are dated July 1, of this year.

Thomas B. Raymond Dead.

Bay City, Aug. 10.—Thomas B. Raymond, aged 79, a first cousin of Abraham Lincoln, and one of the first settlers of this region, died Sunday morning. He was born in Cayuga county, New York, December 18, 1818. He came to Saginaw in 1862 as a ship carpenter, and moved to West Bay City, then Wenona, in 1864. Mr. Raymond invented a rafting pin used 20 years, which greatly facilitated moving logs. His mother was a sister of Lincoln's mother.

Lumber Plant Burned.

Frankfort, Aug. 10.—The Crane Lumber company's sawmill and lumberyards were burned Sunday at South Frankfort. The loss is $85,000, and insurance $61,000. The fire throws 150 men out of employment. The works will not be rebuilt, as the company owns heavy tracts of pine in the south and Manitoba.

Died of Her Burns.

Charlotte, Aug. 6.—Ethel Smith, the 13-year-old daughter of Henry Smith, a Diamondale farmer, fell into a bonfire and was so badly burned that she died. Smith lost his wife a few weeks ago and the tragic end of his daughter so discouraged him that he took a dose of morphine and will die.

Crushed to Death.

Decatur, July 23.—Otto Werner was crushed to death under a farmer's wagon at Jackson while trying to climb upon a wheel.

SEPARATED FORTY YEARS.

Strange History of William Davis and His Sister, Once Slaves.

Niles, Aug. 11.—Forty years ago William Davis and his sister Mary were slaves in the family of James Matlock, a rich Georgia planter. Just before the war Matlock died and William and Mary were sold to pay the debts of the estate. They were parted and for 40 years neither heard of the other. After the war William took the name of Davis and came north to Niles. He began the dray business, amassing a small fortune. Tuesday he learned that his sister was still alive and was in San Francisco. She sought her brother William that she might leave her fortune of $150,000 to him. When she was sold she was bought by a wealthy woman, who took her to California. When this woman died she had no relatives to leave her money to, and so made Mary her heir. Mary is now 83 years old.

OUTING OF STATE TROOPS.

Encampment of Michigan Militia at Island Lake.

Island Lake, Aug. 11.—Without any question the best encampment of state troops ever held in Michigan opened here Tuesday, and there are over 2,000 troops here. The feature of the camp is the fact that for the first time in the state's history the governor's staff is made up entirely of men from the service. Heretofore politics has governed these appointments, and soldiers have served for years only to see men put over them who did not know which side to hang their swords on. Gov. Pingree, however, appointed every member of his staff from the active service and established a precedent which makes the troops jubilant. Quartermaster General White turned the camp formally over to Brig. Gen. Lyon, who at once issued orders naming it "Camp Pingree."

DISH PROVES FATAL.

Noted Chef Eats Toadstools to Test Their Effects and Dies Soon After.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 9.—Francis Warlop is dead, and it was his curiosity to know how toadstools tasted that killed him. He was chef of the Lakeside club, a favorite place for dinners and summer banquets, and a lady brought him a basket of what she supposed were mushrooms and wanted them cooked for a dinner. Warlop said they were toadstools, and she left the basket at the club. Later in the day Warlop cooked a few and ate them to see how they tasted. He died Saturday morning in spite of all the doctors could do for him. He had been chef in New York, Chicago and other places and was considered an expert on mushrooms.

Klondike Party Broken Up.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 11.—Charles Anderson, D. Webber and Charles Frast came to the city on their way to the Klondike gold fields. They left Ionia, Mich., with $1,000, which was placed in a common purse, with Frast as treasurer. Tuesday Webber and Anderson called at the central station and reported that Frast had disappeared. They asked the police to aid in the search for him.

Saginaw Railway Troubles.

Saginaw, Aug. 7.—Messrs. Morley and Loring, receivers for the Union Street Railway company, have applied to Judge Snow for an order directing President Snow and Treasurer Woodruff to turn over to the former all the books and papers belonging to the company, including the lease of the bridge at Bristol street. The officers have been cited to appear Saturday morning and show cause why the order should not be issued.

Asleep for Two Weeks.

Niles, Aug. 11.—Miss Josie Hubert, a domestic in the employ of Joseph Morris, at Martin, is enjoying a most remarkable sleep. Two weeks ago she left her work in the forenoon on account of drowsiness and in a few moments was in a sound slumber. There have been no signs of awakening since and the physicians have been unable to arouse her. She seems to be enjoying good health.

Seeks Heavy Damages.

Detroit, Aug. 11.—William A. McLean, a collector of the Grand Trunk railway, has begun suit against Joseph M. Bresler, former chief consul of the Michigan L. A. W., for $50,000 for alleged alienation of Mrs. McLean's affections. The lawyer was arrested Tuesday on civil process and gave $10,000 bail for appearance.

Crime of a Negro.

Holland, Aug. 7.—Thursday night John Cullen, a negro porter at Hotel Ottawa, waylaid and assaulted Lydia Brown, a waiter girl 17 years old, whose home is in Chicago. Friday he was found under a bed in room 28 and arrested by the sheriff. Miss Brown died at eight o'clock Friday night.

Boatmen Fined.

Benton Harbor, Aug. 6.—A recent visit of the revenue cutter Calumet has filled the hearts of several boatmen with grief. As a result of the call fines aggregating $16,000 have been made against many boats for infringements of the rules of navigation and the treasury department.

Big Shipment of Stove Boards.

Belding, Aug. 6.—The Belding Hall Manufacturing company, of this city, has just made a shipment of 13 full carloads of "stove boards." This is believed to be the largest shipment of this class of goods ever made.

Arrested for Raising Bills.

Detroit, Aug. 6.—Gertrude Meddaugh, of Clifford; Lydia Underhill, of Flushing; Sherman Jones, of Jackson, and Will Whitmore, of the same city, have all been arrested for raising bills.

A Fatal Fall.

Decatur, July 28.—William Bumford, aged 75 years, a Mecosta county farmer, fell from a load of grain at Stanwood and broke his neck.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line.

Totake Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:18 a. m.
New York and Boston Limited	7:33 a. m.
Detroit Accommodation	4:08 p. m.
New York Express	9:20 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	12:17 a. m.
Ashley Accommodation	10:19 [illegible]
Chicago Limited	3:1
St. Louis Express	5::

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Jackson Branch, In Effect May 30, 1897

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 341 Accom
Jackson Lv	6 35 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
Napoleon	6 58 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Morrell	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 26 "
Manchester	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 55 "
Clinton	7 28 "	2 53 "	2 35 "
Tecumseh	7 38 "	3 05 "	3 05 "
Adrian ..... Ar	8 16 "	3 45 "	4 30 "
Morrelt	10 45 "	6 30 "	[illegible]
Toledo	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 25 "

Train No. 315 arrives in Chicago at 3:00 p. m

" No. 335 " " " 11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 316. Mail.	No. 318. Express.	No. 340 Accom.
Detroit	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Toledo	7 45 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
Tecumseh	9 09 "	9 29 "	7 38 "
Clinton	9 17 "	9 37 "	8 10 "
Manchester	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
Morrell	9 47 "	10 07 "	9 47 "
Napoleon	9 53 "	10 15 "	10 15 "
Jackson	10 15 "	10 35 "	11 00 "

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Time Table in effect July 4, 1897.

Trains pass Tecumseh as follows:

EAST BOUND.

21,	Passenger	11:59 a. m.
23,	Passenger	6:02 p. m.
25,	Local Freight	12:24 p. m.
31,	Passenger	6:46 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

22,	Passenger	8:42 a. m.
24,	Passenger	4:07 p. m.
26,	Local Freight	9:58 a. m.

Sunday train going west leaves Tecumseh at 8:42 a. m. returning at 6:46

No. 22 runs daily, No. 31 Sunday only, others daily except Sunday.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	49.	41.	43.	45.
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Detroit ..... Lv.	† 6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
Tecumseh	† 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
Adrian	7 53	6 45	10 48	5 00
Toledo	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
O. S. Ry.				
Toledo ..... Lv.			2 30	8 20
Morrelfield			4 50	10 30
Napoleon ..... Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Detroit ..... Ar.	† 11 30	† 4 26		† 12 40
Tecumseh	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
Adrian	9 32	2 28	8 47	10 48
Toledo ..... Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
O. S. Ry.				A.M.
Toledo ..... Ar.		11 30	5 15	
Morrelfield		9 25	3 00	
Napoleon ..... Lv.		5 10	10 30	
		A. M.	A. M.	

Sundays only. † Daily except Sunday.

Trains 43 and 43 are solid vestibule trains, with parlor cars and run through to Ohio Southern Junction without change.

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BUDDING FRUIT TREES.

Most Successfully Done in Moderately Dry Weather.

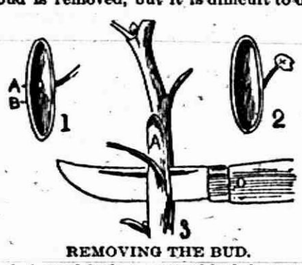
The usual season for budding is from the first of July until the latter part of September. The season varies, however, with the locality, the proper time being when the tree is in active growth and the bark parts readily from the wood. It is also necessary to delay the work until the buds are well matured, and it can be continued as long as the sap moves. It is not safe to begin too early, as the tree may heal over the incision made by the insertion of the bud, and therefore prevent growth. If left until quite late, imperfect union may be the result from drought or from early frost.

The buds are taken from matured lat-

PUTTING IN THE BUD.

1. Stock slit vertically and across. 2. The same with bark raised. 3. The same with bud inserted. 4. The same tied up.

erals of a thrifty young tree. The twigs from which they are cut should be about the size of a goose quill. In removing a bud from the branch, begin half an inch above it, cut down through the bark and take up a small bit of wood, having the knife come out one inch below the bud. Leave a small part of the leaf stem attached by which to handle it. Buds can be kept for a week or ten days after removal, provided they are packed in a box and surrounded with slightly moistened moss. It would be best not to cut off any wood when the bud is removed, but it is difficult to do



REMOVING THE BUD.

1. A good bud; a, root of bud; b, root of leaf. 2. Bud badly taken, with hollow in center. 3. Branch showing knife in position for removing bud.

this without injury to the root of the bud.

Trees are budded when from one to five years old, preferably at the earlier date. Choose a smooth portion between leaves, make a horizontal incision through the bark and at the upper end one at right angles to it, the two cuts forming a capital T. Raise the bark on each side of the horizontal cut slightly, grasp the bud by the leaf stem left on for that purpose and slip it into this incision. With a strip of bass bark or old muslin bind the bud in place, and the operation is completed. Be sure that the knife used in budding is perfectly sharp, for smooth cuts must always be secured. One of the chief difficulties is to remove the bud properly from the original stem, but this can be accomplished after a little practice.

The budding is most successful in moderately dry weather, as the sap is in the best condition to form a union. When rows of trees run north and south, put the buds on the west side, and when they run east and west put them on the north side. This will enable them to resist the north and west winds, as they are capable of much greater resistance when the pressure is toward the stem than away from it. In very young trees insert the bud about two inches above the ground. If much work is to be done, it is advisable to get a regular budding knife, which will not be expensive, and is almost essential to first-class work.—Orange Judd Farmer.

MENDING BROKEN TREES.

Peculiar Results of Half-Girdling with Wire Bands.

In going through an old orchard where the great gales of the fall of 1894 blew over many trees, cutting and splitting off half the tops of others, I was struck, says J. H. Hale, in the Connecticut Courant, with the amount of abuse a peach tree will stand and yet recover. In clearing up the wreckage some of the split trees were bolted together, others had wire bands put on, and still others had the broken half cut away entirely, the split trunks smoothed up with a drawing knife and the one-sided head shortened in to balance it a little better. Trees treated in the latter method, while having a scarred trunk, with bark only on one side, have full rounded-out heads, as good as though no harm had been done, while the wiring process has girdled many limbs and left pretty poor trees. The bolted trees look fairly well, but none are so good as those that were thoroughly pruned, with no attempt to save broken limbs. This experience covered about 1,000 trees, and in any future breaking or splitting down I shall cut everything away, confident that however lopsided a tree may be two years' new growth will put it in better shape than by any other method. A peculiar result of half-girdling some trees with wire bands, was that the fruit borne on them has been larger and of brighter color, ripening from ten days to two weeks earlier than the same varieties of trees without wire bands. This might be an advantage in some seasons with certain varieties, and if only a portion of a tree were girdled at one time, no serious harm would come of it.

ORCHARD CULTIVATION.

Fruit Must Receive as Good Care as All Other Crops.

Good tillage increases the available food supply of the soil; it also conserves its moisture.

Trees should be made to send their roots deep into the soil, in order to fortify themselves against drought. This is done by draining the soil and by plowing the orchard rather deep.

This deep plowing should begin the very year the trees are set, and it should be continued every spring until the habit of the tree is established.

Moisture is retained in the upper soil by very frequent but shallow tillage, by means of which the surface of the land becomes a mulch for the soil beneath.

Tillage should be begun just as soon as the ground is dry enough in spring.

This tillage should be repeated as often as once in ten days through growing season—from spring until July or August.

Tillage should not exist for the purpose of killing weeds.

Late cultivation may be injurious by inducing a late growth. At all events it can be of small utility when the tree begins to mature and rains become frequent. This season of respite gives the grower the opportunity of raising a green manure, and of adding fertility to his land at trifling expense and with no harm to his trees.

Fall plowing may be advisable for farm crops, but not for orchards.

Only cultivated crops should be allowed in orchards early in the season. Grain and hay should never be grown.

In general level culture is best. The modern cultivators and harrows make such cultivation easy.

Trees, especially apples, are often trained too high, because of difficulty of working close; but modern tools permit the heads to be made low.

Harnesses with no projecting hames nor metal turrets should be used in bearing orchards. Those requiring no whiffletrees are also useful.

Potash is the chief fertilizer for fruit trees, particularly after bearing.

Potash may be had in wood ashes and muriate of potash. An annual application of potash should be made upon bearing orchards. Of the muriate from 500 to 700 pounds to the acre.

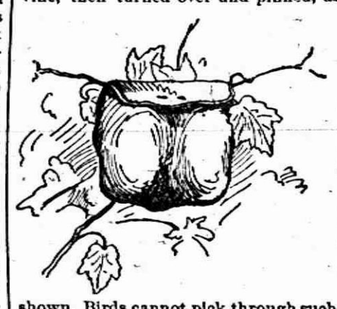
Barn manures can be used with good results, particularly on old orchards.

Cultivation may be stopped late in the season, and a crop then be sown upon the land. This crop may serve as a cover or protection to the soil, and as a green manure.—Prof. L. H. Bailey, in Stark Bros.' Orchard Bulletin.

BAGGING GRAPES.

New Method Devised by a North Carolina Grower.

Mr. R. H. Reeves, Buncombe county, N. C., has for several years practiced successfully a new method of bagging grapes, as shown in the accompanying sketch. The bag is made of the cheapest kind of white cotton cloth of two sizes to hold grapes having small or large clusters. Two clusters are put in each bag, which is pulled up over the vine, then turned over and pinned, as



shown. Birds cannot pick through such bags; water will not stand in them, nor can wind or driving rain beat them to pieces, as is the case with paper bags. A hundred cloth bags can be "run up" on a sewing machine in half an hour and they will then last for years. There are a few varieties of grapes that do not need bagging; and a few that will not bear this confinement, but most of the grapes now grown can only be raised in perfection by some protection of this sort.—American Agriculturist.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Young orchards often need additional fertility.

Be on the lookout for the leaf-eating caterpillar.

In pruning cut out all weak and crowded branches.

There is little danger of injuring an orchard by manuring.

All pruning cuts made at this time should be covered with oil or wax.

Keep a good lookout for tent caterpillars during the summer.

Weeds and suckers should be kept down between the rows of raspberries and blackberries.

You can crowd fruit trees and plants only at the risk of getting reduced crops of inferior fruit.

The secret of growing extra fine strawberries is to cut off the runners as fast as they appear.

Fruit trees that have been grafted need to be looked after to see that the stock does not make shoots.

With a young orchard at this time it will be a good plan to stop cultivation and mulch carefully, leaving the soil in good tilth.—St. Louis Republic.

No Rakings After Harvests.

Under old methods of harvesting the steel rake was a very important adjunct to secure scattered grain. Yet even in those days good farmers did not find those rakings very valuable, as they were always stained and often nearly ready to sprout by alternate wet and dry weather. The new harvesters leave no rakings, and as what would otherwise be wasted is thus saved for market, it makes a material addition to the crop. We know farmers who used to thresh the rakings separately and grind them for hog feed rather than mix the stained with the marketable grain.

ONE ON A.

Order That He Had Neglected to Obey.

"I had a queer experience with a man on a Mount Auburn cable car this morning," said a Fifth street cigar dealer to a Cincinnati Tribune man. "You know there is a sign in the car which reads: 'Don't put your feet on the seats,' or something to that effect. Probably they were afraid that you would scratch your shoes on the rough seats. Anyhow, the sign's there.

"On the car there was but one other passenger, evidently a friend of the gripman. He was sitting in the seat next to the official, and the two enjoyed a long and animated discussion concerning the system of transfers soon to go into operation over the new extension of the Oak street line. In a careless way I had placed my foot upon the seat, or rather my toe was against the edge, but in no danger of harming the woodwork. The gripman reached over and in an authoritative tone said:

"'You must take yer feet off the seats. See the sign? Them's our orders from headquarters, and we must obey them.'

"'Is that so?' said I. 'Do you obey all the orders that are given out?'

"'Sure,' said he.

"'What's that order up there?' said I.

"'Which?' said he.

"'That one that says: "Don't talk to the gripman." You have been talking to your friend for 15 minutes and never once told him to stop talking to you.'

"He looked dazed for half a minute, and then said:

"'That's one on me, partner. Let's saw wood, and say nothin'.'

"Then I rested my feet in peace."

LUBRICATING A WATCH.

No Other Piece of Machinery Will Run So Long After a Single Oiling.

Very few of the millions of people who carry watches realize to what a powerful extent lubrication is developed, and what an extraordinary number of turns the balance wheel makes with one oiling, says the Philadelphia Record. A Chestnut street watchmaker, whose knowledge of these wonderful pieces of mechanism is not exceeded by any man in this city, has made up an interesting table of comparison to show the perfection of lubrication in a watch.

A watch will run on one oiling from a year to a year and a half. Every minute the balance wheel turns on its axis 450 times, and 27,000 times in an hour. Accepting the year as the time the ordinary watch will run with one oiling, he finds that if the driver of a locomotive was as well oiled as a balance wheel of a watch, it ought to run 60 miles an hour day and night for 648 days, or well on to two years, with one oiling. In that time it would traverse a distance equal to nearly four times the circumference of the earth.

In view of the fact that in reality few locomotives will run one day without reoiling, he maintains that the watchmaker has developed his art to a far greater degree than the locomotive builder has yet been able to reach.

HUGE KITES TO AID SCIENTISTS.

A Princeton University Party to Explore the Famous Mosas Cliffs.

Prof. William Libby, of Princeton university, accompanied by several scientists of repute, has begun an exploration of the famous Mosas cliffs in the United States Indian reservation of New Mexico. It is expected that the task will require many weeks for its completion.

Prof. Libby, who is a geologist and an Arctic explorer, conceived the idea of attempting to investigate this district years ago, but no means offered itself until William J. Eddy, of New York, perfected his kite machines for aerial transportation. Mr. Eddy has built a contrivance formed of four huge kites arranged in a square, four feet apart. These kites can be sent up in the air to a height of 800 feet. The apparatus was sent by express to the scene of action and an expert in their use sent by Mr. Eddy to fly them, under Prof. Libby's directions.

GRANT'S LOG CABIN DECAYING.

Structure Removed from St. Louis to Philadelphia Needs Care.

The old log cabin once owned and occupied by Gen. Grant, which he had brought to Philadelphia from St. Louis 20 years ago and which is now in Fairmount park, is fast decaying. Many of the logs have been rotted by the elements and others have been carried away by relic hunters.

Gen. Grant presented the cabin, with the original furniture in it, to his friend, the late George H. Stuart. It is still the property of the Stuart estate, and neither the city nor the park commissioners can do anything with it.

George H. Stuart, Jr., applied four years ago for permission to remove it from the park, and permission was granted, provided the grounds would be restored to their original condition. Nothing has been done in the matter since. It is possible that the grand army men will take some action toward preserving the cabin.

A Queer Accident.

A curious instance of hairbreadth escapes was recorded with the explosion of a steamship in Monmouthshire dry docks. Two men who were standing on the quay at the time of the shock were lifted bodily off their feet, carried back some distance and hurled to the bottom of the adjacent graving dock, where they found themselves standing side by side uninjured.

Building Their Own Vessels.

Though it costs from 25 to 50 per cent. more to build merchant vessels in France than in England, according to Vicomte d'Avenel, France will build her own ships.

Work for London Milliners.

It is stated in a fashionable journal that 1,000,000 bonnets were sold in London during one week recently.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 24th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of ELI SABROWN deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Esther M. Brown, widow of said deceased, praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas H. Brown or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 23d day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 29th day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A.D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and interest of said Wm. Hayden at and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 96 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links (7.73) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links (9.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of S. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on said line to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 89 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 26-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 566 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 353 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence north along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 82-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line north 86¾ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48¾ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 3 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of nor heast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 18-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Mary Hoadley to Jerome Camp, all of the Township of Fairfield, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and bearing date, the 6th day of February, 1880, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Lenawee on the 18th day of February, 1880, in liber 122 of mortgages, on page 651, and which said mortgage was, on the 21st day of April, 1890, duly and legally assigned by the said Jerome Camp to William Anderson, and which said assignment was, on the 29th day of April, 1891, recorded in said Register's office in liber 125 of mortgages on page 258 and on which said mortgage there is now claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of eight hundred fifty-four dollars and fifty-six cents ($854.56), together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars ($25) provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding of law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amounts secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on **Monday, the 15th day of November, 1897,** at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the east front door of the court house in the City of Adrian, that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Lenawee is holden, I shall at public auction or vendue sell to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with six per cent. interest thereon and all legal costs together with said attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars covenanted for therein.

Said premises being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Fairfield, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: Being the east twenty (20) acres of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. nine, in town eight, south of range three east, containing twenty acres of land, be the same more or less.

Dated, Adrian, Michigan, August 7th, 1897.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, Assignee of said mortgage.

WATTS, BEAN & SMITH, Attys. for said Assignee.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 24th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of SAMUEL RAPPLEYE, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Erastus Rappleye, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Tuesday, the 7th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

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In these times when backs are lame, when almost every other one we meet has now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains—"a weak back," "a bad back," a back that makes their life a misery to bear—and still they go on day by day in pain and suffering. Now 'tis the easiest thing in the world to give this played out back "a blow" that will settle it, and put in its place a new one equal to any. It's just like this: hit at the cause; most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up fibres in operation; when this is done you can say good-bye to backache.

Here is a case from Battle Creek: Mr. Josiah M. Stoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. As a member of the force he served the city well, but the rough weather he was often subjected to laid the foundation of kidney disorder, which has troubled him very much. Here is what he says about it:

"About three years ago, while on the police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of trouble. The pain was right through my kidneys and across the small of my back; if sitting down and I wanted to stand up, I had to arise very slowly and gently to avoid increasing the pain; I had such tired-out feelings all the time, and I was steadily getting worse. About two months ago, hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box. Their action and effect was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now get around as quickly as anybody. Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly as represented."

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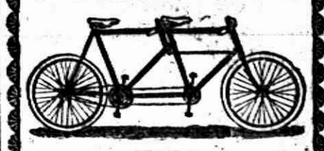

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RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations of the Railroads.

Again comes around the story of the Wellington Burt right of way and its purchase. Mr. Burt has long controlled a right of way between Toledo & Detorit. It lies to the eastward of the two existing lines; and now it is said that the reorganized Detroit, Lima & Northern has designs on that right of way, and proposes to have a slice of the trade along the Detroit river. This line would have some advantages. Those interested in the road are also owners of considerable holdings in coal mines along the road, and would be in position to cut into the coal traffic of the two present roads, which nets about $6 a car. With a coal supply and a fair chance for outgoing freight, the new road might have a very tidy business. It is said that surveyers in this interest are already at work. It is certain that engineers are running lines around Ecorse and are not telling for whom they are working, nor for what the survey is being made.—Detroit Journal.

The 6:25 D. & L. N. train carried a lot of people to the circus Saturday night. Among those who went were, Messers Geo. Marsden, T. Holderway, Gus. Cummins, Charles Spencer, Joe Smith, Arthur Harding, Charles Burridge, H. W. Stevens, A. W. Slayton, Earl Slayton, Carl Updike, Wm. Witherell, Fay Anderson, and Wes Bordine Messers and Mesdames Hyde, Hayden, Chase, Freeman. Misses Helen Anderson, Minnie Corey, Edith Corey, Florence Brewer, Abbie Matthews, Jennie Lawton and Floy Freeman. During the day 185 tickets were sold at the D. & L. N. station for Adrian and 40 by C. F. Patterson. The Lake Shore carried a good number and any number drove and wheeled over. You can bet on old Tecumseh when it comes to taking in a circus.

Since the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee has gained an entrance into Detroit the Ohio lines have been bringing a presure to bear upon it to break down the arbitary rate from Toledo to Detroit on coal. This arbitary rate was established over twenty years ago, and has been maintained almost without a break up to date. While the Ohio lines have been embroiled in all kinds of wars over coal rates, a minimum has been maintained by the Michigan lines from Toledo to Detroit and Michigan points. During the past few years the Michigan lines have weakened somewhat, but never become entirely demoralized. Now, if the Lima Northern can only be persuaded to cut the rate, the Ohio lines expect to force the Michigan lines to a prorating agreement.—Blade.

The Detroit & Lima Northern road, so we are told, is figuring on a big excursion, to take place at Davis's lake soon, on the occasion of a big excursion that is being arranged for. The officials are planning a collision, to take place with two freight trains. The trains with locomotives attached, will be started two miles apart, at full steam. Then the engineers will jump, leaving the trains to come together somewhere on the road near the excursion. It will be a novel sight, and wake the echoes of the hills around the lake with the exclamation.—Telegram.

And now comes the report from Detroit, the D. & L. N. are having a right-of-way between Toledo and that city, and that the road will have their terminal in Detroit and that it will be directly opposite the Union station. "Yarns" are frequent in railroad circles, but the peculiar thing is that so far the realities about the D. & L. N. have proven even better than the "yarns."

Last Sunday the regular train brought several car loads of excursionists from Lima, Ohio. The grade just south of Adrian was a little to steep for one engine to pull them on the return trip, so Superintendent Haskell came to the rescue with the "goat" engine from Tecumseh, pulling the throttle himself.

By reason of the disorganizing of the old C., J. & M., the forces in the Van Wert shops will be reduced, and some of the old C., J. & M. engines will be laid in at Van Wert. The work of the Michigan division will now be done in the Detroit, Toledo and Milwaukee shops.—Blade.

A corps of surveyors for the Detroit and Lima Northern railroad are at work running a line from Dundee to Detroit. The route is along the north side of the Dundee branch of the Lake Shore road.—Adrian Times.

The trouble between the Gas company and the Detroit & Lima Northern road, over a side track near the city roller mill, has been amicably settled out of court.—Messenger.

Anyone desireing to rent houses should leave word at the HERALD office. Houses are in great demand, in fact there seems to be almost none at all to be found.

Mr Buel, of Tipton, commenced moving the D. & L. N. freight house Wednesday, and the building is now very very near its destination.

Auditor Richmond expects another man in his department today. His offices are much to small for the work.

Five persons bought L. S. & M. S. tickets to Niagara Falls yesterday at this station.

Clinton sent 75 people to the circus at Adrian Saturday over the Lake Shore.

Ollie Hunt was over from Adrian Wednesday and again Thursday.

E. W. Hines A. G. P. A. of the D. & L. N. was here yesterday.

A negro who went swimming in Hillsboro river, near Tampa, Fla., in a mother hubbard gown, was drowned in five feet of water, because the dress entangled his feet.

The Queen's Meissonier.

In the Contemporary Review Mrs. Emily Crawford, writing her reminiscences of Queen Victoria, thus describes the purchase of one of the cleverest little canvases Meissonier ever painted. The occasion of the buying of the picture was a visit to the Palais de l'Industrie in Paris. "Prince Albert singled out as worthy of admiration a horrid little painting that had every quality manipulation could give—'Le Rixie,' or 'The Brawl.' Ruffians were shown engaged in a deadly tussle. The technique was marvelous. Meissonier up to that time a struggling artist, was the painter. The emperor bought the painting behind the queen's back for £1,000, and presented it next day to her husband as a birthday gift. The subject was inauspicious. It would have startled an old Roman in the prince's place." Certainly Prince Albert had good taste, and so had Louis Napoleon, as far as Meissonier is concerned.

Teetotalers Were No Good.

One of the best-known stories in connection with the late Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson's advocacy of temperance tells how he had been on a visit to one of the three or four small towns in England which have no public houses. Although there were 4,000 people there the doctor was nearly starving. One day a young medical man came to Sir Benjamin for advice as to taking the practice, and Sir Benjamin, placing his hands on the young doctor's shoulders, said: "Take my advice and don't. Those wretched teetotalers not only shrink accident, but when wounded heal so fast that there is neither pleasure nor profit after the first dressing."

Awful Result of Storms in Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 9.—The cloudbursts and inundations which have devastated the eastern parts of Germany were the worst which have occurred since 1870. According to local statistics 105 persons were killed in Silesia alone, and in Saxony the casualties will not fall short of 180. The financial losses foot up over 150,000 marks.

Detroit Jockey Club Meeting.

Some of the best stables of race horses in the country are engaged in the stake events of the Detroit Jockey Club and the others now in progress at the Grosse Pointe track. The races end Sep. 24th. Among the important racing events will be the race for the Campau Stake. The Wayne Hotel stake is for two year olds and in it are engaged some of the best youngsters in America. The Street Railway stake is at three quarters of a mile and is designed to give some of the high classed sprinters a chance to settle the question of superiority. The Hotel Cadillac stake is for three year olds and will bring out many of the colts and fillies that are engaged in the Derby and the Campau. The two year olds will have another battle royal in the Hotel Normandie stake which is a handicap and designed to bring the colts and fillies together at an adjustment of weights which will give each an equal chance. The Voight Brewing Co. offer a stake for three year olds and upwards which will bring out a strong field at a mile and a sixteenth. One of the fixed events that is aptly named is the Sensation Stake, a race at a longer distance than any race given except the annual Thornton stake in California. This race will be two and a half miles and will bring out an enthusiastic audience of old timers who may recall this class of racing and prefer it to the short races now so much in vogue.

There will be a large number of hurdle races and steeplechases, the closing event of the meeting being the Dominion steeplechase over the full course for a purse of $1000. There are over 100 different stables represented and the list comprises many of the most celebrated racing establishments in America.

G. A. R. Encampment—Buffalo.

On the occasion of the 31st National Encampment the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets, August 21, 22 and 23, to Buffalo at one cent per mile, good returning until September 20th. The arrangements are such as to cause this encampment to be the largest, grandest and most successful ever held. Every member of the G. A. R. organizations, their relatives and friends should not fail to attend. The rates are low and the service of the fast trains over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will enable you to make the trip cheaply, quickly and comfortably, both going and returning.

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Eggs	9	11
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	60 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		10
Old Potatoes, per bushel		40
New Potatoes		50
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	6	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 80
Dressed Hogs, per 10. lbs	4 00	4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton dressed, per lb	6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	75	82
Corn, shelled	27	35
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	15	18
Hay, timothy, per ton	6 00	7 50
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		85
Corn meal, per 100		70

HONEST, BUT CUTE YANKEE.

His Hencoop Straddles the Line Between Arizona and Mexico.

There is a funny case of international honesty down in Arizona, just on the line between that territory and Mexico, says the Washington Times. A Yankee farmer lives there, one Amasa Barrow by name, and it is his business to raise chickens. Chicken feed is cheap in Mexico and chickens bring fine prices in Arizona, but to raise fowls in Mexico and bring them across the boundary, or to buy the feed and bring it across, would involve the payment of a considerable duty, which would eat the profits about as fast as the hens could eat the corn. As for smuggling, that was not to be thought of.

Amasa is a Yankee, and he is so honest that his neighbors say he wouldn't take advantage of a man in a horse trade. But he is also full of Yankee ingenuity, and after deep cogitation he built a long, slim hencoop, one-half of it in Arizona and the other in Mexico. On the line there is a gate. Over the line there are barns containing feed. At feeding time the gate is opened, and the chicken fancier shoos his flock into Mexico, where they eat their meal. Then he shoos them back to the protection of the American flag, where they digest this Mexican grain, lay their eggs and carry on their family affairs. Mr. Barrow saves about 50 per cent on his grain, and makes about that much on his chickens, and if there is any smuggling done it is done by the innocent and irresponsible biddies.

HE HAD A GLASS EYE.

Blunder of a Physician That Caused Much Concern.

Several victims of an accident were taken to the hospital one day lately, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. Two of them were thought to be seriously hurt. A man, who may be called Smith, was badly cut and bruised, and internal injuries were feared. He had a bad heart, and had not regained consciousness when the ambulance reached the hospital. An interne felt his pulse, and, carefully pushing back the lid of one of the eyes, gazed earnestly at it.

"Poor fellow, there's no hope for him," he announced. "The pupil of his eye is greatly dilated, and that's a sure sign where there is heart trouble."

A little later one of Smith's friends called at the hospital and inquired about him. The young physician repeated what he had said before, explaining the method by which he arrived at his conclusion.

"Which eye was it you looked at?" queried the friend.

"The right eye."

"Well, there's a peculiarity about Smith's right eye."

"That so? What is it?" inquired the young doctor, with scientific interest.

"It's a glass eye," said Smith's friend, and the next day Smith was discharged from the hospital.

SPLENDORS OF A PALACE.

Russian Rulers Are Surrounded with More Than Oriental Magnificence.

No western imagination can easily conceive the idea of the splendor with which the Russian rulers are habitually surrounded, says the London Mail. Chairs and tables of solid silver, ivory thrones, ablaze with brilliants and sapphires, walls of amber and floors of mother-of-pearl—these things sound like an eastern fable, but the czar has them all. At Moscow, in the great palace within the sacred Kremlin walls, there are not only crowns and scepters covered with diamonds, but also saddles, stirrups and sets of harness covered with similar gems. There are hundreds of swords, daggers and scimitars, the sheaths of which are literally masses of pearls, rubies and turquoises. Rare tapestries, marvelous china from Sevres and Japan, flawless gems from Asia, priceless antique manuscripts and jeweled book covers—these are a few of the objects scattered about the czar's 12 palaces with a royal prodigality.

Galusha Grow's Eyesight.

Ex-Speaker of the House and Representative Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania, is 73 years old, but he writes without glasses as readily as a boy of 18. The other day he was writing in the secretary's office of the house some autograph passes to the reserved gallery and some one complimented him on his good sight. "It is because I began to wear glasses as soon as I needed them," said the veteran Yankee, for he is a native of Connecticut. "I have at home the ones I wore when I was much younger, and they still fit me. I use them sometimes for reading the newspapers."

Brigandage in Greece.

Brigandage is rampant at the present moment in Greece. This is accounted for by the disbandment of large bodies of volunteers, who, owing to the stagnation of trade and industry, have no employment or means of livelihood and have taken to highway robbery for the purpose of avoiding starvation. Most of them were permitted to retain their arms when dismissed from the service, and are now putting these weapons to private account.

A Short Term.

The shortest period that a member of parliament has represented a constituency is two hours. Lord George Hamilton was reelected as member of the Ealing division of Middlesex, on being appointed secretary of state for India, and the parliament to which he had been admitted was dissolved within two hours after his election.

Uncrowned Rulers.

There are many reigning sovereigns at the present time who have never taken the trouble to be crowned. Among them may be mentioned the German emperor, the king of Italy, the king of Spain, the queen of Holland, the king of Bavaria, the king of Saxony.

Austrian Cities.

Fifty years ago Austria had seven cities with more than 20,000 inhabitants; to-day there are 32.

OLD-TIME SWEETNESS GONE.

Molasses Is Now Made Into Rum, and Brown Sugar Can't Be Bought.

"The old-fashioned molasses is rapidly disappearing as an article of commerce," said a prominent grocer, reports the Eastport (Me.) Sentinel, "and in its place have come a number of sirups, which are more costly, and by no means as satisfactory, especially to the little ones, who delight, as we did when we were young, in having 'lasses on their bread. Most of the molasses goes into the distilleries, where it is made into rum, for which, notwithstanding the efforts of our temperance workers, the demand is constantly on the increase, especially in the New England states and for the export trade. The regular drinker of rum will take no other liquors in its place if he can help it. It seems to reach the spot more directly than any other dram. The darker brown sugars have also disappeared, and they are not likely to return, owing to the methods of boiling and the manufacture. Granulated sugar is of the same composition, as far as the saccharine qualities are concerned, as loaf cut, loaf cube and crushed, and differs only from them in that its crystals do not cohere. This is because it is constantly stirred during the process of crystallization. The lighter brown sugars taste sweeter than the white, for the reason that there is some molasses in them. Housekeepers have difficulty in these days in finding coarse, dark sugars, which are always preferred for use in putting up sweet pickles, making cakes, and similar uses. As they cannot get brown sugar any more, it may be well for them to remember that they can simulate brown sugar by adding a teaspoonful of molasses to each quarter of a pound of the white granulated sugar. This combination does as well in all household receipts that call for brown sugar as the article itself, and, besides, it saves them a great deal of hunting for brown sugar, which, as said before, has disappeared from the market."

INCIDENT OF TROLLEY TRAVEL.

A Front Seat Passenger Sees the Conductor Operate a Safety Switch.

A man who was enjoying the air and the scenery from the front seat of a trolley car in the state of New Jersey, says the New York Sun, saw against one of the rails of the track ahead, when the car had come to a dead stop at a railroad crossing, a tongue that looked something like a switch point. He did not at first realize what this tongue was for, but he saw that the point of it was toward the car, and that it was also clear of the rail, so that if it had been attempted to run the car ahead without first closing the point up against the rail the car would have been run off the track.

The conductor got down and went ahead to the railroad track and looked to the right and left to see that everything was clear and that it was safe to cross. The man sitting on the front seat of the trolley car expected the motorman would take this opportunity to get down and close that switch, or that he would bend over and close it with a car hook, or somehow from the car, but he didn't do anything of the sort; he just stood still. But the conductor bent over and put his hand into a ring, set between the tracks. Lifting this ring he drew up a rod that was connected with the tongue in the trolley track and by this means closed it so that the trolley car could pass over. And thus it was discovered by the traveler on the front seat that the tongue was a safety contrivance, which could be operated only by a man actually standing on the track to be crossed.

DOES HE LOVE YOU?

How to Find the State of a Young Man's Affections.

"It is the easiest thing in the world," said a young lady, according to the Chicago Journal, "to tell if a young man is in love with you. Yet scores of girls, just because they do not think enough of themselves, overlook the manifestations of sincere regard which must always precede a definite confession of love.

"Now, a young man in love, or partly in love, always listens to every word she utters. This is so invariably the rule that a girl, when in company with the young man and others, may address some remark of little interest to no one in particular, and address it in such a manner that it is impossible for it to be heard. If the young man is more than ordinarily fond of the girl he will evince special interest in that remark, and will not rest satisfied till he has discovered what it was.

"Then, again, a young man in love can, when in company with several, more readily converse with them than with the object of his affection. For this reason he often appears to be far more interested in some girl he cares little for than the girl he loves. Some young men also develop a habit of contradicting statements made by the girl they are fond of. This seems an absurd thing to do, but it is a fact that many love affairs take rise out of incessant playful quarrelings."

When the Moon Looked Blue.

"Once in a blue moon" is a saying which appears to be founded on fact. A Scandinavian captain named Salveson, in Chinese waters, was fortunate enough to see a blue moon several years ago, about the time the atmosphere was supposed to be impregnated with the dust of the Krakatoa eruption. The color was like that of a hedge sparrow's egg—a pale, rather greenish blue.

The Value of Electrical Plants.

Few persons realize the enormous amount of money which is invested in electric plants of various sorts. Over $100,000,000 are invested in electrical machinery used in mining. Electrical elevators employ about $15,000,000 more. Electric railways represent about $1,000,000,000. This does not include the money being used in the manufacture of electrical machinery.

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SENTENCED TO DIE.

The Murderer of Canovas Will Be Garroted in Prison.

The Court-Martial Decides He Must Be Garroted—Written Statement of the Prisoner Is Read to the Court.

Madrid, Aug. 17.—Michel Angiolli, the anarchist assassin of Premier Canovas del Castillo, who was tried by court-martial Sunday at Vergara, was found guilty and was sentenced to death. Upon hearing the sentence Angiolli turned deathly pale and had to be assisted from the courtroom. Angiolli will be garroted within the prison.

About 200 persons were present at the trial. The vicinity of the prison was almost deserted, the public being apparently indifferent in view of the certainty that the death penalty would follow the court-martial. Angiolli, heavily manacled, sat between two gendarmes and immediately in front of the judges. On a table near by lay his revolver and other materials evidence of the crime. The president of the court read the declarations of eyewitnesses, after which the written statement of the prisoner was read by the clerk of the court.

Angiolli, in the course of the statement, said that he left Foggia in October, 1885, and went to Marseilles and Barcelona, where he took the name of Jose Santos. At first he had no thought of becoming an anarchist, but while at Corininia he began to be interested in anarchist doctrines. He then returned to Marseilles and after his expulsion from that city, he went to Belgium and London, where he spent most of his time in the society of anarchists. When the execution took place at Barcelona on May 4, of five of the anarchists convicted of participation in the bomb outrage at the feast of Corpus Christi, he conceived the idea of assassinating Canovas. Without seeking an accomplice he proceeded to Spain and carried out the resolution. Angiolli went on to say that the passion for vengeance led him to commit the crime. As he was unacquainted with the manufacture of explosives he used the revolver.

Lieut. Gorria, whom the court had assigned as counsel to Angiolli, urged that the prisoner was demented at the time of the shooting, and made a strong appeal to the benevolence of the judges. While his counsel was presenting this plea Angiolli listened in silence. Then he asked permission to speak for himself, which was granted. He thanked Lieut. Gorria for all his efforts and denied that he had any accomplices, or that he was an accomplice of those who committed the bomb throwing outrage at Barcelona, or that he had participated in secret gatherings of anarchists.

When he began to discuss anarchist theories, the president of the court interrupted him and threatened to stop him if he pursued that line of remark or touched upon any matter not connected with the trial.

Angiolli began again, but the president declared the trial ended and ordered the courtroom cleared. After the prisoner had been conducted to his cell, the judges deliberated for an hour and then announced the sentence of the court.

A RACE RIOT.

Bloody Battle Between Whites and Negroes in Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 16. — The bloodiest race riot that has occurred in Arkansas in months took place at Palarm station, 30 miles from Little Rock, late Saturday evening. Three men are dead, another fatally wounded and two others badly injured. The dead are: Harrison Kerr, a negro, shot all to pieces; Charles Peters, colored, killed outright; Charles Avery, shot through the heart. The seriously injured are: J. T. Clark, Jr., a telegraph operator, shot through the shoulder, probably fatally; R. D. Owens, white, deputy sheriff of Perry county, shot through the groin, seriously wounded.

SNOW IN SOUTH DAKOTA.

Heating Stoves and Overcoats Found Necessary at Wilmot.

Wilmot, S. D., Aug. 18.—Much damage is being done by a snowstorm which started Saturday noon west of the town in the hills. A terrific wind accompanied it and by five p. m. fully two inches of snow stood on the level and all standing grain and garden stuff was more or less blown down. This is the earliest snowstorm here. The Indians say they have never seen snow in August before. The hills are six miles west of town, and as the wind was blowing from the west the temperature fell rapidly, and by sundown heating stoves were in full blast in Wilmot.

Gen. Miles Not Ready to Return.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Gen. Nelson A. Miles, who went to Europe to witness the Graeco-Turkish war, has notified the secretary of war that he will remain in Europe until fall to witness the autumn maneuvers of the German army. Gen. Miles is now in Russia. He has forwarded two preliminary reports of his observations of the Turkish forces to the war department.

Much Damage by a Storm.

Hicksville, O., Aug. 16. — A terrific storm swept over this city, doing $10,000 damage in this place in unroofing and otherwise injuring buildings. The loss to crops in the surrounding country is great.

CONDITION OF CROPS.

Cool Weather in Many States Causes Corn to Mature Slowly.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Michigan—Cool nights and cloudy days have matured corn slowly, but it has gained and continues generally promising. Late potatoes improved by rains, but indicate light yield because damaged by bugs. Oats harvest nearly completed and being well secured. Beans, buckwheat and pastures good. Soil in good shape for fall plowing which is well under way.

Indiana—Few local showers Saturday and Sunday in central and northern portions, but rain is much needed everywhere, especially for corn, which begins to suffer much just when earing. Tobacco advances slowly, threshing good crops of wheat and oats still continues, fall plowing interrupted as ground is too dry.

Illinois—Favorable week for work, but too dry for good growth and rain generally needed; corn mostly doing well, but few fields firing aided by chinch bugs; earliest fields ready to cut September 1 to 5. Broom corn cutting to begin this week in early fields, with fair to good yields; second crop and millet cutting begun with good yield clover seed; threshing being rapidly finished.

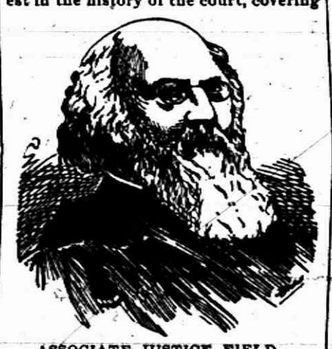
Iowa—Week cool and generally dry with sunshine above average. Corn progressing slowly and late fields need much more moisture and warmth to pull through. Some corn firing in southern district. Potatoes and pastures greatly need rain.

Wisconsin—Showers latter part of week benefited corn, potatoes and pastures. Nights cool, but corn made good progress and will mature in four to six weeks. Grain nearly all stacked in southern and middle sections. Some threshing done, yield generally good. Some tobacco injured by hail in Vernon county, elsewhere crop fine.

BREAKS THE RECORD.

Justice Field Serves Longest Term on the Supreme Bench.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Justice Stephen J. Field, of the United States supreme court, on Monday established the record for longest service on that bench. Until to-day the service of Chief Justice John Marshall had been the longest in the history of the court, covering



ASSOCIATE JUSTICE FIELD.

34 years. With to-day Justice Field's service exceeds that of Marshall. He was appointed in 1863 by President Lincoln, and is now in his eighty-first year. He has reached the age of retirement, but prefers to remain in active service on the bench, and at the supreme court rooms it is said there is no present indication that he will retire.

WILL START THE MINES.

Pennsylvania Operators Decide to Resume Business at Once.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 18.—The operators of the Pennsylvania coal mines held a conference in this city Tuesday, at which 24 firms were represented. It was determined that mines in the Pittsburgh district should be started and operated without further delay on the grounds that the miners have taken a high handed position; that nothing but an unreasonable price for mining will satisfy their demand and that they have been unwilling to treat with the operators on any fair grounds. Also that there is no course left open to the operators at this time. It was determined that all coal sold at the 54 cent basis of mining this year must be mined at that price. No change in the price of mining will be considered until the contracts made at the 54 cent basis of mining are filled and the uiformity agreement is completed. At least three-fourths of the tonnage of the Pittsburgh district was represented at the conference and all are unanimous and agreed to, if necessary, forcibly resume operations with the exception of M. A. Hanna & Co.

Congressman Wright Found Dead.

North Adams, Mass., Aug. 16.—Ashley B. Wright, congressman from the First Massachusetts district, was found dead in his home Saturday evening by his wife. He had been out for a drive and when he returned lay down on a couch. Mr Wright died of heart failure. He was born in Hinsdale, Mass., in 1841. In 1861 he came to this city and had since lived here. He had held many local offices and was serving his second term as congressman.

Illinois State Fair.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18.—The board of agriculture has decided upon the following days at the state fair: Monday, children's day; Tuesday, fraternity day; Wednesday, old soldiers' day; Thursday, governor's day; Friday, Springfield day; Saturday, "pay day."

Don't Want the G. A. R.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 18.—Gen Bradley T. Johnson is out in a letter opposing the movement to have the Grand Army of the Republic meet here in 1899.

AMERICAN BANKERS.

They Meet at Detroit to Discuss Important Topics.

The Country's Leading Financiers Listen to Interesting Addresses from Gov. Pingree and Ex-President Lowry.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 18.—The spacious opera house was filled to overflowing Tuesday morning at the opening of the twenty-third annual convention of the American Bankers' association. The retiring president, Robert J. Lowry, president of the Lowry Banking company of Atlanta, Ga., called the gathering to order promptly at ten o'clock. In its representative character the convention is even more influential than last year's gathering at St. Louis, every section of the country being largely represented by the presidents, cashiers or other officers of national and state banks. On the platform were seated many financiers of international reputation.

Prayer having been offered by Rev. Henry A. Shapman, of the Society of Jesuits, president of Detroit college, the roll of delegations was called and welcoming addresses were in order.

President Lowry's Address.

President Lowry combined his response with his annual address. After making eloquent response to the addresses of welcome, he said:

"One year ago this association in annual convention at St. Louis declared most emphatically that gold was the only safe standard of value and that this great country, ranking as one of the foremost commercial nations of the world, could not join with other nations of lower commercial rank in fixing on a baser metal as the basis on which a sound currency should rest. The recent discoveries of rich deposits of gold throughout the world and renewed energy given to the gold mining interest in Arizona, Colorado, Georgia and other states of the union indicates the approval of our action by Providence. It is a matter of congratulation that after a heated canvass and discussion of nearly a year the people of the country, through the ballot box, fully and completely indorsed your position. The results that were reasonably expected to follow this action of the people are being slowly but surely realized; confidence, the foundation of all commercial prosperity, is being restored.

"This assertion needs no argument to establish its truth; it can be seen and felt by all who are not blinded by prejudice and whose sensibilities are not calloused by ignorance. No one will deny that our country for the last several years has been passing through the deep waters of depression. This we all know and fully realize, yet, while we hope and feel that we are now where the bottom can be touched, and while we earnestly wish to reach the shore of prosperity, we want that prosperity to be based on the firm foundation of confidence. We want nothing sporadic, nothing sectional; no prosperity of a class, but general prosperity; prosperity not only for the banker, but for the merchant, the manufacturer, the farmer, the mechanic and the laborer; in a word, we want prosperity which will reach out and touch every section, industry and business in this great country. To this end, gentlemen, we are working, and this end we will most certainly reach by honest, united and continued effort.

Secretary's Report.

The annual report of the secretary, James R. Branch, of New York city, followed.

The paid up membership, August 10, 1897, was 2,513 against 2,196 in 1896. The annual membership dues paid for the year ending September 1, 1896, to August 10, 1897, were $39,287.90, an increase of $22,047.17.

The roll now embraces:

National banks	1,458
State banks	75
Savings banks	247
Trust companies	182
Private bankers	225
Total	2,513
With combined capital and surplus of	$597,697,758
And deposits of	3,176,832,140
Total	$4,173,439,898

This does not include the capital and deposits of 225 private bankers, who make no statements.

DANGERS IN STORE

Ex-Governor of Alaska Warns Treasure Seekers to Beware.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 16. — James Sheakley, for a decade a resident of Alaska, four years of which he was the chief executive of the territory, having resigned the governorship July 15 last, in order to make way for President McKinley's appointee, Gov. Brady, says it is simply suicidal for men to attempt to reach Dawson City this year by either the White or Chilkat passes, and that the chances are little or no better for them to arrive at their destination by way of the lower Yukon. "There is lots of gold on the Yukon," Gov. Sheakley continued, "but men should not lose their heads in their efforts to get it. I think a mistake is being made by so many rushing to the Klondike. Miller, Birch and the many other creeks around Circle City."

Silver Leaders Named.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 17.—Chairman Towne has announced the executive committee of the national silver republican party. The members are: Chairman, Fred T. Dubois, of Idaho; Judge J. J. Harper, of Washington Courthouse, O.; Ben S. Dean, of Jamestown, N. Y.; A. M. Stevenson, of Denver, Col.; Nathan Cole, Jr., of Los Angeles, Cal.; James H. Temer, of Chicago, and Charles S. Hartman, of Bozeman, Mont.

Died at the Age of 106.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18.—John Chambers died Monday at his home southwest of Franklin, Morgan county, aged 106 years and 7 months. He was spry and jolly and in excellent health up to a few months ago.

Lumber in Ashes.

Eagle River, Wis., Aug. 18.—Fire destroyed the Gerry Lumber company's yard, with 10,000,000 feet of lumber. Loss, $150,000; some insurance.

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CLINTON

E VanDeMark was in Detroit Tuesday.

F L Woodward and family returned to Hudson Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Honley has been quite ill for the past few days.

S. Tate went to Chicago Tuesday to buy a car load of sheep.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife spent Sunday with friends at Wolf Lake.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, of Britton, visited Clinton friends Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies and Miss Eva Shimman visited in Tecumseh last Friday.

The Baptist picnic will be held Saturday at Putman's landing, Sand Lake.

Miss Lizzie Roff visited friends at Jackson from Saturday until Tuesday.

Misses Imo and Cora Vest, have been visiting friends at Saline for the past week.

Miss Cora Witherell visited friends in Manchester the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Geo. Seagrave went to Hudson Wednesday for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. B. C. Ellis, of Tecumseh, was the guest of Mrs. L. W. Kimball last Thursday.

Jno T. Clark and family returned Tuesday from a two week's stay at Sand Lake.

Mrs. W. R. Amspoker, of Manchester, was the guest of Mrs. Jas. Hogan last Friday.

Miss May Cook, of Chicago, visited her mother, Mrs. M. J. Cook Thursday of last week.

Will Stansfield and wife, of Jackson, visited his parents here the latter part of last week.

Miss Abbie Chandler returned Monday after spending two months at her home in Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coller, of Tecumseh, were calling on Clinton friends Wednesday p. m.

Mrs. Frank Boodry, of Adrian, has been the guest of Mrs. Franc Ordiway for the past week.

Miss Era Shimman returned to Toledo Wednesday, after visiting here since last week Thursday.

Miss Sibella Lancaster went to Saline Sunday to visit a few days with her cousin, Marian Gray.

Mrs. Edgar Larzelere, of Detroit, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Corwin since Tuesday.

Rev. P. J. Ternes, of Marine City, was calling on some of his Clinton friends Thursday of last week.

Mrs. H. G. Moore, of Palmyra, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Willoughby Nase for the past week.

Misses Mabel and Gertrude Clement, of Tecumseh, have been guests at Dr. J. L. Tuttles during the past week.

Master Ned Whittelsey came home Friday from a visit of three weeks with relatives at Hillsdale and Battle Creek.

Col. E. D. Fenn and wife of Manchester, and Mrs. Paxon, of Piqua, Ohio, were guests at Mrs. J. S. Kies last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Rood returned last Thursday to her home at Detroit, after a visit of a few week's at her father's B. J. Woodward.

Mrs. W. C. Hopkins, of Jackson, was the guest of the Misses Grace and Nellie Martin Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Geo. Blachford, with her little daughter Freda, left Tuesday morning for a three week's visit with her sister near Chatham, Ont.

The death of Mrs. D. St. John occurred last Friday at 1 o'clock and the funeral was held at 3 p. m. Sunday at their home on Chicago street.

Mrs. A. Dick, and Mrs. Wm. Patterson with their children who had been spending the past two weeks with relatives at Flint, returned home Monday night.

E. F. Muir, and Mrs. C. W. Parker, with her little daughter Ruth, started Tuesday for Maiden Rock, Wis., where they will make quite an extended visit with relatives.

At St. Dominic's church Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock, Mrs. Mary Terry-Berry was united in marriage to Jas. Mellon formerly of Detroit. Their home will be in Clinton.

H. R. Hause and wife moved the latter part of last week from the Baptist parsonage into the Pomeroy house on Locust street, and Rev. A. J. Hutchins is now nicely settled in the parsonage.

Mrs. Hattie Johnson, who with her family has been living at the home of her father A. G. Burton for the past two years, moved this week into the west half of the Johnson house on Church street.

L. K. Davis has moved his stock of goods into the store just vacated by the Platte sisters, who have gone out of business, and his household goods into the western part of the Fisk house on East Chicago street.

The ball game on Thursday of last week between the business men of the north and south sides of main street, caused a great deal of sport and resulted in a victory for the north side, the score being 25 to 24 in their favor.

Next Tuesday evening Rev. Thos. B. Leith, of Saline, will give an address at the town hall on the subjects, "Columbus" and "Fraternal Insurance." He will be accompanied by the Lodge of the Columbian League of that place. Every one is invited to attend. No admission fee will be charged.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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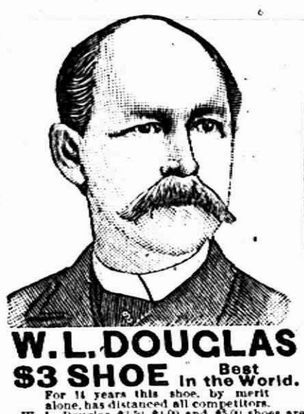

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OUR SMALLER COLLEGES.

In Many Respects They Are Doing Better Work Than the Larger.

There are a few striking facts about the small American college, writes Edward W. Bok in Ladies' Home Journal. One striking fact is that 60 per cent. of the brainiest Americans who have risen to prominence and success are graduates of colleges whose names are scarcely known outside of their own states. It is a fact, also, that during the past ten years the majority of the new and best methods of learning have emanated from the smaller colleges, and have been adopted later by the larger ones. Because a college happens to be unknown 200 miles from the place of its location does not always mean that the college is not worthy of wider repute. The fact cannot be disputed that the most direct teaching, and necessarily the teaching most productive of good results, is being done in the smaller American colleges. The names of these colleges may not be familiar to the majority of people, but that makes them none the less worthy places of learning. The larger colleges are unquestionably good. But there are smaller colleges just as good, and, in some respects, better. Some of the finest educators we have are attached to the faculties of the smaller institutions of learning. Young girls or young men who are being educated at one of the smaller colleges need never feel that the fact of the college being a small one places them at a disadvantage in comparison with the friend or companion who has been sent to a larger and better-known college. It is not the college; it is the student.

NEW YORK'S SKYSCRAPERS.

Sky Line of Gotham Rapidly and Continually Changing.

The sky-line of New York is changing so rapidly that the American traveler who goes abroad can recognize with more certainty the profiles of the foreign cities he approaches than that of his own metropolis as he sees it from the deck of the steamer on his return, says Scribner's. It may be his first visit to Europe; he may know London, Rome and Paris only from the views of them in old prints. But if he has an eye for such things his first glimpse of St. Paul's, St. Peter's, or Notre Dame will tell him to what place he is coming, for all the world knows these pinnacles, has known them for centuries. They are as conspicuous and characteristic in the silhouettes of their cities as they were when they were built.

One of the Dutch governors of New Amsterdam, seeking in spirit some familiar earthly habitation, might find old Amsterdam, for it cuts the same figure in the sky to-day that it did when he left it; but the last dead boss of New York, if by any chance he should get away from where he ought to be, would search the horizon in vain for the face of his city. The features his eye would seek for are there; Old Trinity still stands, its steeple, like the spires of the old cathedrals, uplifted high above the earth; but its solitary prominence is gone. The modern office building has risen higher than the head of the cross and the church has lost its distinction. The enterprise of business has surpassed the aspiration of religion.

A WARLIKE MISSIONARY.

He Didn't Believe in Cursing the Enemy.

That the warrior spirit is not confined to soldiers is clearly shown by a story of a missionary chaplain in Natal, Rev. George Smith. Mr. Smith had been temporarily attached to the army for the period of the campaign, and during the whole of the long and fierce Zulu attack right gallantly he played his part in tending the sick, giving aid to the wounded and comforting the dying.

No one had a greater share of danger than he, and no one, says a writer in Blackwood's Magazine, showed a more soldierly example of treating that danger with calm indifference. Not only did he perform the duties of his office, but as every man who could handle a rifle was sorely needed to defend the parapet, Mr. Smith did essential service by going round the various posts and distributing reserve cartridges.

A good story went round the army in South Africa bearing on the spirit of his professional conduct on one occasion.

One of the men, in the heat and excitement of battle, was cursing his enemies and using most profane language. The chaplain, coming behind, heard his words, and said:

"You should not speak like that, my friend. Don't curse them!" Then, shoving a packet of cartridges into his hand: "Shoot them! shoot them!"

Why He Said His Prayers.

Prayer was the topic in a certain Sunday school class in Syracuse on a recent Sunday. One little boy who had felt very smart during the class hour was asked if he prayed every morning. "I do in vacation time," he answered. "How is it you don't do it the rest of the time?" asked the teacher. "Oh, 'cause when there's school we pray in the school in the mornings." "Well," asked the teacher, again, "don't you think there's more need of praying in the morning than at night?" "No," was the reply, "'cause at night you have awful dreams."

Excellent Reply.

One day, shortly before Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee, one of her royal daughters remarked anxiously: "Mamma, it will tire you to bow for all those hours on jubilee day!" "I have bowed to my people for 60 years," was the reply, "and I shall not let that tire me on jubilee day."

Lady Detectives.

An official of the French detective department says that numbers of ladies well known in Parisian society do not hesitate to offer their services as detectives on condition that they are paid. Some of them, in fact, receive pay varying from $150 to 250 a month.

HEIR TO THE THRONE.

How Princess Victoria Was Told of Her Chance of Succession.

Many interesting stories of the "Girlhood Days of England's Queen" are told in an article in St. Nicholas, written by James Cassidy. Mr. Cassity quotes the following from a letter written to the queen by her former governess, Baroness Lehzen:

I ask your majesty leave to cite some remarkable words of your majesty when only 12 years old, while the regency bill was still in progress. I then said to the duchess of Kent that now for the first time your majesty ought to know your place in the succession. Her royal highness agreed with me, and I put the genealogical table into the historical book. When Dr. Darys (the instructor of the princess and afterwards bishop of Peterborough) was gone, the princess again opened the book, as usual, and, noticing the additional paper, said: "I never saw that before."

"It was not thought necessary you should, princess," I answered.

"I see I am nearer the throne than I thought."

"So it is, madam," I said.

After some moments, the princess resumed: "Now, many a child would boast, but they do not know the difficulty. There is much splendor, but much responsibility."

The princess having lifted up the forefinger of her little hand saying: "I will be good, dear Lehzen, I will be good," I then said: "But your Aunt Adelaide is still young, and may have children; and, of course, they will ascend the throne after their father William IV., and not you, princess."

The princess answered: "And, if that were so, I should never feel disappointed, for I know, by the love Aunt Adelaide bears for me, how fond she is of children."

ANCIENT SUICIDES.

A Heinous Crime, and Indignities Were Heaped Upon the Bodies.

Among the early Greeks suicide was uncommon until they became contaminated by Roman influence, says a writer in Lippincott's. Their religious teaching, unlike that of their Asiatic contemporaries, was strongly opposed to self-destruction. While a pure and manly nation, they regarded it as a heinous crime, and laws existed which heaped indignity upon the body of the suicide. By an Athenian law the corpse was not buried until after sunset, and the hand which had done the deed—presumably the right hand—was cut off and buried separately, as having been a traitor to its owner.

The only suicides ever spoken of with respect, or anything approaching commendation, by the early Greeks, were those of a purely patriotic character, like those of Themistocles and King Codrus, both of whom were considered patriots. The latter, when the Heraclidae invaded Attica, went down disguised among the enemy with the intention of getting slain, and, having picked a quarrel with some soldiers, succeeded in his object. The reason for this act was that the oracle had pronounced that the leader of the conquering army must fall; and the king sacrificed his life in order that his troops might be victorious and his country saved. Themistocles is said to have committed suicide rather than lead the Persians against his own people.

Dividends Declared.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The comptroller of the currency has declared dividends in favor of the creditors of insolvent national banks as follows: Ten per cent., Sioux national bank of Sioux City, Ia.; 20 per cent., First national bank of Ithaca, Mich.; 10 per cent., First national bank of East Saginaw, Mich.; 10 per cent., Columbia national bank of Minneapolis, Minn.

Invited to Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 11.—The board of aldermen has concurred in the resolution of the common council inviting the Grand Army of the Republic to hold their annual encampment in this city in 1899.

From Adirondacks.

J. W. Ball, Editor and Publisher of the Mountain Mirror, Restored to Health From La Grippe by the Use of DR MILES' RESTORATIVE NERVINE.

FOR over a year I suffered with complete nervous prostration as the result of La Grippe, writes Mr. Ball of Lake Placid, N. Y. Doctors did all they could but their efforts were without results, and I grew worse. My trouble affected my mind, but kind nature came to my relief by helping me to think, 'If I only had a helping hand to aid nature to build me up slowly and surely.' The result was I refused all other medicine and my wife procured a bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine which I took faithfully and am fully restored to health. I write this hoping it may help others, for Dr. Miles' Remedies surely cure.

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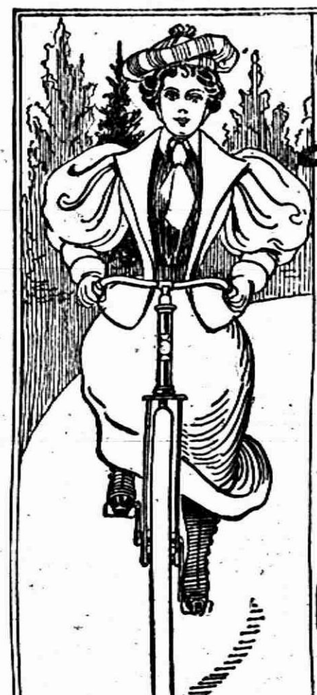

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Neighborhood News.

BRIT TON.

Dr. R. H. Nelson, of Hudson, was ere Tuesday.

Frank Brown is putting down a new ell at his residence.

C. A. Vosburg, of Battle Creek, was re on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Eliza Kniffen visited Tecumseh ends the first of the week.

Mrs. A. J. Wood visited Adrian ends the last of the week.

Mrs. Goodrich and children were in ndee while Charlie was away.

About 20 from here took in the Te-mseh excursion to Detroit Tuesday.

C. H. Goodrich returned from a visit h his father at Harvey, Ill. Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Osgood, of Toledo, nt Sunday with his brother Will and ily.

large representation from here took he Wabash excursion to Detroit last day.

alph E. Callahan, of Sturgis, is the bash night operator during George k's absence.

is reported that George Peters, in dion to his other afflictions, is hav-yphoid fever.

r. N. F. Nickerson, wife and hter took the Wabash excursion to oit last week.

e Reformed church has built their ion of the sidewalk along the south of LaPleasant turnpike.

s. Geo. Rubadeau, after a week's with her mother, Mrs. Gee, re-d to Tecumseh Tuesday.

s. John Chamberlain and two chil-of Adrian, visited at A. O. May-s from Saturday until Tuesday.

A. Babcock, Walter and Edgar by, with their families spent sever-s at Wampler's lake this week.

. Electa Lenardson, a former resi-here but now living at Sylvania, iting her son, O. B., and other n friends.

. Yates visited Toledo Tuesday. he took the train here his face pleasant expression and on his pel was a fine collection of sweet

ge Clark, Lavern Gripton, Jud n and Lyman Ousterhout left y morning on their wheels for ra Falls, expecting to be gone a

Ward, of Atlanta, Ga., arrived the the week for a visit with his who has been with her parents, nd Mrs. Maynard for nearly two

ll Nivison and family left Wednes-for a two weeks' visit in Branch illsdale counties. While gone he tend one or more Sunday-school ons.

. Doyo will preach on the ng topics at the Christian church : Morning, "The Greatest Thing World"; evening, "True Service ls Helpfulness to Many."

e who visited the market Tues-ught Lewis Wood looked young-handsomer than usual. When rned that a bright little daugh-t his house they did not wonder

Britton and sister, Mrs. Ed. , drove to Lotus Grove on Lake nday and returned Monday, his parents and his daughter, been outing there, home with

. N. F. Nickerson has pre-arge sized crayon sketch on "Old Money-bags," with will illustrate his sermon Sun-ng. The morning topic will ng in Christ."

tton and I. L. Pilbeam at-funeral of Sir Knight Wy-lorenci last Friday. James rted with them but on reach-was taken so ill that he re-ne on the first train.

s and Wes. Exelby wrestled lay with the drain tile from cellars which had become th mud. They contrived a achine composed of a long e and what they termed a de of rags tied to the wire wered the purpose quite well.

hoped to have given an ex-ort of the Underwood-Exelby ich was held last Saturday e of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel , but ofttimes the best laid fail as they did in this case. LD representative who ex-e present, to make things , went to the secretary and ything occurs that I cannot for me all the points of in-e said, "I will." The trip evidently engrossed his at-he exclusion of other mat-fore we can only say the largely attended and high-e to all present. An inter-am was rendered and the d have done credit to Del-s palmist days. Chas. Un-Ridgeway was chosen for nion and efficient officers ees appointed.

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t man should work if he

e best medicine for chil-s recommend it in place

RIDGEWAY.

J. R. Hialey, of Tecumseh, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Catharine Cox visited in Macon the first of the week.

E. L. Lowe has so far improved as to be able to ride to the village.

The first hail storm of the season Sunday. No damage to speak of.

Mrs. F. J. Temple is improving her residence with a fresh coat of paint.

Willie Dees, of Allegan, is enjoying country life with Clarence Montgomery.

Fred Temple returned Tuesday from a ten days' visit with Adrian relatives.

Samuel Helm is in very poor health this summer caused by a cancer on his face.

Elder James Wright lost a valuable horse Tuesday night with spasmodic colic.

W. D. Stearns and wife, of Toledo, were guests of A. J. Sutton and wife Sunday.

E. J. Gould and Glen Smith made the round trip to Milan on their wheels Saturday.

Horace Dibble went to Toledo Tuesday on his wheel to visit his uncle, W. E. Barrett.

Mrs. H. J. Williams and Miss Allen, of Adrian, spent Sunday with Dr. D. W. Loree and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perkins, of Hudson spent Sunday with Mrs. P's parents, J. W. Osborn and wife.

May Fletcher returned Wednesday from a visit of five weeks with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cook at Lansing.

Clarence Squire, of Ann Arbor, came Friday for a few weeks' visit at his uncle's, T. H. Montgomery's.

T. H. Temple and C. A. Graves came home Tuesday from their outing along the trout streams in Lake county.

Prof. H. C. Wilson arrived home Tuesday from a very pleasant trip to the White Mountains, Boston and Portland.

Mrs. G. W. Jackson, of Tecumseh, and daughter, Mrs. D. A. Hodges and Dale, of Jackson, visited here Wednesday and Thursday.

Bear in mind that the annual library membership fee will be due Sept. 1st. After Oct. 1st the library will be open afternoons and evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith drove to Farmington Saturday, visited Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Lyman Soul, and returned Tuesday evening.

May and Ralph Goodrich came over from Ypsilanti on their wheels Friday and visited their cousin, Mrs. W. L. Jones, and family until Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Putnam and son Harold, of Milan, and Grace Shillen, of Durand, rode up from Milan on their wheels last week Thursday and stayed over night at their aunt's, Mrs. John Arner's.

Ella Hall gave a bicycle party at the Villa Friday evening. Thirty wheels were in line as they took a run of a couple of miles on the Ridge north of the village. Light refreshments were served on their return and the evening spent in conversation and music.

Tomorrow afternoon the second game of ball between Ridgeway and Britton will be played at Britton. The old Britton ball team is barred out and only "bloods" allowed to participate. Come out if you wish to enjoy a scientific game. Admission 10c, proceeds to be used for the bicycle path.

Tuesday evening Roy Harrison and Charlie Miller were enjoying a drive with their best girls. As they came down through the village the old temptation to find out which owned the better horse was too strong to withstand and running horses was a mild term for the speed with which they came through town. John McClellan's rig was in the way. Result, he was hurt, rig smashed and Harrison and lady lightly dropped into Elder Wright's bean patch.

Estella M., eldest daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. H. F. Barnes, was united in marriage to Arthur S. Mapes, at the home of her parents. Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, Rev. Cansfield performing the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one, only the near relatives being present. The bride has been assistant postmistress for the past two years, filling the position with credit. She has a host of young friends who extend best wishes. The groom formerly lived at Geneva, Mich. Last spring he purchased the S. H. Linn farm north of the village. The young couple will spend a few weeks with relatives and be at home to their friends after October 5th.

MACON.

Lester Coller is failing.

Dr. W. S. Morden entertained a brother from Adrian Sunday.

Biddle Richart and son, of Tecumseh, Sundayed with Macon friends.

Milton Augustus and family returned to their home in Ypsilanti Sunday.

Quite a number Maconites took in the Sunday School excursion to Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Catharine Cox, of Ridgeway, visited Macon friends from Saturday till Thursday.

Geo. Merritt and family, of Minnisota, are visiting relatives and friends in this visinity.

Ellen and Rose Burleson visited their aunt, Mrs. Oscar Palmer in Tecumseh, a number of days this week.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Elwin Camburn Saturday afternoon, Aug. 28th. A good attendance is desired.

Topic for League meeting next Sunday evening is, "His Prayer for the Churches." Prov. 1:9. 1Thess. 3-10:13. Heb. 13-20:21. Leader Bessie Camburn.

It is said that colic produced by eating honey may be cured by eating a small piece of cheese.

HOLLOWAY.

Miss Ellen Atwell is in Detroit.

Miss Etta Carpenter is visiting in Manchester.

Thirty tickets for Detroit were sold here the 13th.

Miss Blanche Macham returned from Detroit Wednesday.

Several from here enjoyed themselves at Sand Lake last week.

The postoffice has been placed in the new building just erected.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane and Florence were in Fairfield last week.

Mrs. Anna Osborn, of Put-in-Bay, is visiting her brother, A. D. Macham.

Mrs. E. Islay and Bernice returned this week from their visit in Homer.

The Raisin and Palmyra S. S. convention will be held at Palmyra tomorrow.

Osgood Hive, No. 285, L. O. T. M., will hold it regular review tomorrow afternoon.

Lloyd Bartholomew has gone on his wheel to Leonidas, St. Joseph county, to visit relatives.

Miss E. H. Fish returned last Friday from a visit of three weeks at North Morenici and Kunkle, O.

Miss Carrie Wilcox, of Ashtabula, O., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Stead, left for home Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Adams, who has been spending the summer with her cousin, Conrad Atwell, has returned to Detroit.

Wm. Cox has purchased the residence of L. C. Winchip. The latter expects to build a fine dwelling on a part of the old lot soon.

CONE.

Fred Auten visited his parents at Toledo last week.

Bertha Jordan was a Detroit visitor last Friday and Saturday.

Walter Cone and family spent Sunday with friends at Milan.

Dr. Howell visited his parents at Lansing the first of the week.

Sarah Sherwood went to Devil's Lake on the excursion last Sunday.

John Dennison and family spent Sunday with L. A. Wilcox at Milan.

Quite a number of people attended the show at Toledo last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice, of Milan, called on friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Austin, of Tecumseh, visited friends here the first of the week.

The receipts of Aid Society held at Mrs J. C. Cones last Wednesday were $5.15.

Miss Edith Gray, of Tecumseh, is the guest of Mrs. Edward Allshouse this week.

Samuel Crist, of Toledo, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Florence Lewis, last week.

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"I have never had a day's sickness in my life," said a middle-aged man the other day. "What a confort it would be," signs some poor invalid, "to be in his place for a year or two." Yet half of the invalids we see might be just as healthy as he, if they would only take proper care of themselves, eat proper food and digest it. It's so strange that such simple things are overlooked by those who want health. Food makes health. It makes strength and strength wards off sickness. The man who had never been sick was strong because he always digested his food, and you could become the same by helping your stomach to work as well as his. Shaker Digestive Cordial will help your stomach and will make you strong and healthy by making the food you eat make you fat. Druggists sell it. Trial bottle 10 cents.

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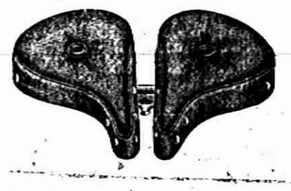

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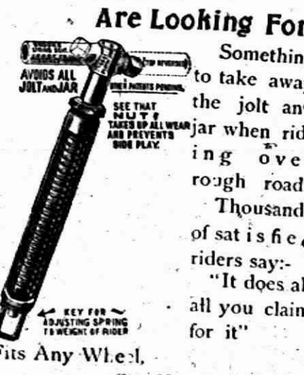

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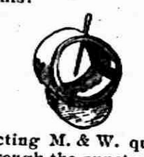

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

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TECUMSEH, MICH., AUGUST 20, 1897.

About four weeks since a subscription paper was circulated about Tecumseh and over $100 subscribed to build a bicycle path from Frank Davidson's corner to Tecumseh. Where has it gone? No work is being done and the thing will soon outlaw.

Years ago when Dan Rice was clown in his own circus, it was a favorite joke of his to grab the elephant by the tail and attempt to use the beast as a club with which to knock down the ring master. The attempts of the News Herald its voluminous editorials on national questions, to mould public opinion is certainly very like the attempt of the clown to swing the elephant by the tail and the effect on the public will be the same as that experienced by the ringmaster.

"Times" are improving in Tecumseh and directly from two causes: First, the coming and setting of the D. & L. N. R. R. second, eighty cent wheat. The laborer of our village is encouraged because he is able to get pay for six days' work each week. The landlord is encouraged because he can rent his property for a sum each month equal to a fair rate of interest. The farmer is encouraged because there is a good profit in wheat at 80 cents per bushel and fortunately he has a good crop to sell. The merchant is encouraged because all these people have a little money to spend and being able to get it they will certainly spend it. The work in the factories does not seem to improve. Of course it is the wrong season of the year to expect anything doing in boxes and the machines but furniture should sell and there should be demand for hollow ware if the Dingley Bill is doing its duty.

James K. Webb.

The subject of this sketch was born in Lockport, N. Y., Feb. 8, 1825, and died in Tecumseh, Mich., Aug. 8, 1897, in his seventy-third year. When he was three months old he came to Michigan with his parents who located in Oakland county. Seven years later his parents removed to Raisin, where he grew to manhood and remained the greater part of his life. He was one of ten children, three of whom still live, Ezekiel D. Webb, of Iowa, Edwin L. Webb, of Adrian, and Mrs. George Ketcham, of Tecumseh. In May, 1855, he was married to Mrs. Aurelia L. Boyden. To them were born four children, of whom are living, Mrs. Cross, of Iowa, and Ralph D. Webb, of Minneapolis. His wife died in December, 1879. In September, 1885, he married Miss Ann Vandergrift, of Adrian, who died eight years ago.

Fifty-five years ago he connected himself with the Methodist church and has since lived a consistent Christian life.

His last weeks were spent with his sister, Mrs. Ketcham, here in Tecumseh. During his illness he was attended by his son who with others did all that was possible to relieve his suffering, which was intense but borne without a murmur. His funeral was conducted by Rev. J. P. Varner and his remains buried at Raisin.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Tue Taylor family held a picnic at Sand Lake Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. VanDoren went to Detroit Tuesday on the D. & L. N. excursion.

Mrs. Mary Woods and two sons, Frank and Carl, of Hillsdale, visited her father, R. Taylor, the first of the week.

John and Wm. Dunn entertained their sister, Mrs. Featherly, of Duluth, Minn., and their uncle, Wm. Brainard, of Saline, last week.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations of the Railroads.

About 60 people from Adrian attended the 18th Mich. reunion at Devil's Lake yesterday and most of them returned last evening via the D., T. & M. and D. & L. N. R. Rs.

The D. & L. N. pulled over 1000 people out of Lima Wednesday evening after the Buffalo Bill show.

The D. & L. N. freightshouse is now located and work was commenced moving the station today.

Twenty-nine tickets were sold for the excursion to Lima yesterday at this station.

Art Lee took in the Buffalo Bill show at Lima Wednesday.

Conductor Pinard was sick and off one run this week.

Dr. North is now local surgeon for the D. & L. N.

J. B. Townsend, representing the Detroit & Lima Northern Railroad Co., says that, in addition to adding a new line to Toledo, the Detroit & Lima Northern, by its purchase of the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee road, has secured a new line to Milwaukee, and that car ferries and other boats are being arranged for, so that it will be possible with the new system to bring Milwaukee and the northwest to Detroit's very doors. "The strong support given this system by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway means a heavy increase of export tonnage to this city, to be here again redistributed," he says. "While the people of Detroit may well be delighted with this acquisition, they should not forget that our line will also provide the first all-rail coal route, under one management, terminating here. In addition to our securing a direct communication with the Jackson coal fields of Ohio, we get, through the Norfolk & Western, with which our road connects, the products of West Virginia and the south without the delays and expense met when coming via the Toledo and Columbus terminals."—Detroit Evening News.

Van Wert, O., Aug. 17.—Sunday afternoon many of the officials and employes of the old C. J. & M. railroad met at the office of Supt. Flanders in this city. The gathering, which was a pleasing one, consisted of agents along the line, dispatchers, clerks, conductors, baggagemen, brakemen and engineers, all, however united in the presentation of mementoes expressive of their love and esteem for Supt. W. I. Backus, so long in charge of the Ohio division of the system. Supt. Flanders, in behalf of Mr. Backus' well-wishers and admirers, addressed him in a happy manner. Before Supt. Flanders had completed his remarks Mr. Backus was informed that a handsome valise full of presents were from his co-workers and employes, as a material expression of their appreciation of his worth. It was a complete surprise to Supt. Backus and he was hardly able to make a reply. However, he managed to gather enough words together to thank his well-wishers.—Blade.

A lengthy dispatch from Chicago states that a new Chicago-Toledo line will be formed by the Grand Trunk and Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee railroads. The Grand Trunk is to be used from Chicago to Battle Creek and the D., T. & M. from Battle Creek to Toledo. When it is taken into consideration that this route will be from fifty to sixty miles longer than the Lake Shore it would appear that, so far as passenger business is concerned, it is impractical. Railroad officials here laugh at the suggestion. Freight was carried over this route when it was a part of the C., J. & M.—Toledo Blade. Suppose the distance is 50 miles greater than that of the Lake Shore. The Grand Trunk route from Chicago to Detroit is fully this much greater than that of the Michigan Central or the Wabash, yet it has been doing a good passenger business between these two cities for years. Men who know state that such a service is not an impossibility.

For completeness of arrangements, and successful execution, the union Sunday School excursion to Detroit and Belle Isle Tuesday, eclipsed anything of the kind in Tecumseh's history. Notwithstanding the number going, far exceeded the highest expectations, yet every thing that the Detroit & Lima Northern Company could do for their confort was done and to the perfect satisfaction of all. Over 900 persons were on board the train all of whom have only the highest praise for the railway officials and Joseph H. Smith who were unremitting in their attentions. All had a delightful time.

The new time table on the D., T. & M. road will go into effect next Sunday and it is thought to be arranged especially for the convenience of everybody. Trains will leave Tecumseh for Detroit at 9:58 a. m. and 2:43 p. m. For Toledo at 9:58 a.m., 2:43 and 7:00 p. m. Trains will arrive from Detroit at 10:30 a. m. and 6:22 p. m. From Toledo at 8:50 a. m., 2:43 and 6:22 p. m. It will be noticed that passengers from the west over the D., T. & M. and south over the D. & L. N. can go to either Toledo or Detroit without delay, and change in the same manner returning.

In response to the inquiry of last week a number of people who own places for rent have left descriptions of the property at the HERALD office. Any one desiring to rent a house or rooms can learn particulars by calling at this office.

The fast Lake Shore mail from the west, due in Adrian at 1:38 p. m., came over the branch via Hillsdale and Manchester yesterday, arriving in Tecumseh at 2:47. There was a freight wreck between Adrian and Hillsdale.

Lake Shore Gen. Manager Canniff and Gen Supt. Blodgett passed through Tecumseh in their private car to Jackson Wednesday night.

Lake Shore Agent Newberry Satterthwaite commences his vacation this noon. He will probably get more rest than "Jude."

Mr. Dunbar, of the accounting department, has rented a portion of Mrs. Cook's residence on Logan street.

Sneeze on Monday,
Sneeze for danger;
Sneeze on Tuesday,
Kiss a stranger;
Sneeze on Wednesday,
Receive a letter;
Sneeze on Thursday,
Something better;
Sneeze on Friday,
Expect sorrow;
Sneeze on Saturday,
Joy tomorrow.

A medical student uses a great deal more Latin than any old doctor.

A woman likes a horse and buggy, mostly to show other women a nice time.

A man is proud of his baby being like him, if it has only his temper.

Co. C at Camp Pingree.

Co. C, 1st Inf., M. N. G., left Tecumseh Tuesday, Aug. 10, via the L. S. & M. S., T. & A. A., and D. G. & W. Rys. and arrived safely at Island Lake about 1:30 p. m. After being mustered in they marched to their quarter and broke ranks. The baggage, which had been sent the day previous in charge of a squad of men under the command of Sergt. Gray, was distributed in the different tents, and the boys proceeded to make themselves at home for the week.

As usual Co. C made a good record for themselves, thanks to the efficiency of her officers. Only two men out of the fifty-two were sent to the hospital. Private Nichols was overcome one day while on battalion drill and Corporal Kennedy was hit by a ball Tuesday afternoon while playing on the Company street. His case proved most serious, he being confined to the hospital for two days. As soon as he was able to walk he returned to his company quarters. Though unable to do any camp duty he remained till they broke camp and returned home with his company, apparently improving.

The camp was so similar to previous ones in a general way that a detailed account of every day's doings perhaps would not be especially interesting to the majority of readers of this paper, so we will only mention a few little incidents to show how the boys amused themselves when released from the arduous duties of the field. Friday night while Co. C was doing guard duty some facetious individual tacked signs on all the tents, many of which were considered very appropriate.

When the boys were relieved from duty next morning they found on tent No. 1, which sheltered Sergts. Hastings and Hughes, the legend, "Health Office."

Tent No. 2, containing the "boy orator," Corp Geo Rubadeau, the sweet tenor, Edgar Coddington, Clarence, alias "Suse" Avery, the hypnotist, "Jock" Riley, and Corp. Kennedy, was labeled "The Helping Hand Society."

Tent No. 3 had the sign, "Park Theatre," on its door. The occupants were Sergt. "Lady" Gray with his little fan, Feeple, the artist, who supplied the mess with fish from the lake, Darius Green with his Klondyke air ship, Musician Jenkins, the female impersonator, G. V. Schneider, comedian, and J. Hoy, stage manager.

Tent No. 4, bearing the sign, "P. H. Club," sheltered P. H. Lowry and Q. M. Jno. Hazlett.

Tent No. 5, billed "Home for the Feeble Minded," had as inmates, Sergt. "Tunk" Heesen, Corporals Bond and Gillen and Privates Doolittle and Keusch.

Tent No. 6 was labeled "Art Palace" and the men who slept there were Corp. Andrus, Privates VanVleet, Pattison, McClure and Titus.

Tent No. 7 was marked "Farmers' Institute and covered Sergt. VanWinkle and Privates Pagel, Smith and Van Winkle.

Tent No. 8 bore the sign, "Woman's Relief Corps" and the men inside were Corporals Stevenson and Winsley and Privates Bachman and McClaughy.

Tent No. 9 had the sign, "Wonderland," swung out in front. Inside you could see as freaks, Blesing, Maynard, Chase and Carson.

Tent No. 10 was honored with the sign, "Y. M. C. A. Rooms." Within could be found Privates Montgomery, Hodges, Lowry and Musician Gray.

Tent No. 11 was marked "Livingston County Asylum" and the inmates were Corp. Hall, Privates Prichard, Nichols and Lowry.

Tent No. 12 had the sign, "House of Correction," and contained Privates Brazee, Winsley, Burleson and Awls.

The mess tent was marked "Del Monico Cafe. Meals at all hours."

BLANK CARTRIDGES.

Gen. F. B. Wood, W. C. Burrridge and Martin Zimmerman were guests of Capt. Hayden.

In tent No. 5 you were welcome to step in and play a friendly game of dominoes or tiddley-winks.

The boys in tent 2 and 3 were the best of neighbors and could often be seen playing in each other's yards and sliding down one another's cellar doors.

Sunday, "Visitors' Day," Co. C. entertained 120 at dinner and Quartermaster Hazlett and his assistants had their hands full.

The company was complimented by the officers of the regiment on being the first company to put up their shelter tents.

Rains were quite frequent during camp but not heavy enough to interfere with routine duty, and the absence of dust was the most pleasant feature of camp.

Monday noon Co. C arrived home, well pleased with Camp Pingree and their week's work.

"I have never had a day's sickness in my life," said a middle-aged man the other day. "What a confort it would be," sighs some poor invalid, "to be in his place for a year or two." Yet half of the invalids we see might be just as healthy as he, if they would only take proper care of themselves, eat proper food and digest it. It's so strange that such simple things are overlooked by those who want health. Food makes health. It makes strength and strength wards off sickness. The man who has never been sick was strong because he always digested his food, and you could become the same by helping your stomach to work as well as his. Shaker Digestive Cordial will help your stomach and will make you strong and healthy by making the food you eat make you fat. Druggists sell it. Trial bottle 10 cents.

Conspicuously manicured nails are not good form.

Hot Weather Rules.

In warm weather bowel complaints frequently result from over eating or over drinking. Foley's Colic Cure affords perfect protection from all bowel derangements and is guaranteed. J. J. ORR, Druggist.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

Armour's

Pork Loin,

Armour's Delicious Mild Cured Boiled Ham.

and everything best in the meat line at

A. S. Clark's
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A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.
(With U. S. express office.)

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Fred P. Kennedy's

Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done. My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

The Sherwin-Williams Co.

Carriage Paint,

is the best made.

Full line at new prices.

C. A. Wright.

Just Received

a fine line of

Latest Silver Novelties.

Call and see them.

E. J. Peters.

Repairing neatly done.

Don't Buy Counterfeits—
When you can buy the GENUINE
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GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES

The World's Best

A FULL AND COMPLETE LINE FOR ALL KINDS OF FUEL AT PRICES FROM $10.00 TO $75.00

MICHIGAN STOVES RANGES

A full and complete line of COOKERS & HEATERS for all kinds of fuel, made by the same mechanics and of the same material as "GARLANDS." MICHIGANS Are the Peer of Any other line EXCEPT "GARLANDS"

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OUR STOCK OF

GENERAL HARDWARE—
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS ETC.
IS MOST COMPLETE AND SOLD AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.,
Tecumseh, Mich.

FARMERS

We want your Butter and Eggs and we'll pay you the highest price, cash or trade.

Mobbs & Co.

- - - GREETING. - - -

To the Citizens of Tecumseh add Vicinity:

It having become the "correct thing" for ladies of all classes to be proficient in the art of dressing becomingly, we come to you with one of the best systems of Tailoring for ladies now in use, known as "Works' Garment Cutter," of St. Louis Mo. This system is now used successfully in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and many other leading cities of this country and Europe. By it, any garment worn by ladies, children and men, may be safely produced. It will enable mothers, wives and daughters to save many times its cost each year. Any lady intending to follow dressmaking as a business, will find it practical, reliable and easy to learn.

It is throughly a "Tailors' System." We use no models, but make by the square, tape and scales. The garment is cut by actual measurements and proven by balance measures. We believe we are justified in asking fathers and mothers if it is not reasonable to teach your daughters a trade that will enable them to dress becomingly at a greatly reduced cost.

This art, thoroughly learned, will prove of great benefit during life. If should adversity take from them their available means of living, this knowledge will prove a great boon. Any bright girl of 15 can learn the art and become as proficient as her elders, and the practice in construction will develop her as she becomes older thus rendering her independent. We invite all ladies of the city and vicinity to call at any time, and, except during school hours, our teachers will be pleased to explain the method in detail. We cordially invite all dress makers to call, trusting they will be the gainer and not the loser thereby.

The lessons will be of two hours duration at each session, beginning at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. daily, and 7 p. m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Students from a distance may have free use of the school room for practice during their stay. The school will be graded and students graduated with a diploma. There will be a primary, intermediate and senior class, thus enabling students to commence at any time. The length of time required to complete the course will depend upon the aptitude of the student.

This school is located in the Tindall property on the corner of Chicago and Pottawatamie streets, Tecumseh, Mich., under the management of Mrs. E. E. Kinney, of Adrian, Mich.

Having had 28 years' experience in dress making, I am pleased to say to my friends and neighbors that I have examined the system taught in the school at my home, and am willing to acknowledge that it far surpasses any system that I have ever examined. Chief among the many features are its measurements. These are simple, and the measures employed prove unerringly the correctness of the original measures. I believe the statements made in this letter can and will be fully carried out, and that any person availing themselves of this opportunity will have no cause to regret it.

MRS. JAMES HINNELRIGHT

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUGUST 20, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT.—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework. Apply at Mrs. A. L. Richmond's, Logan street near Malden Lane.

LOST.—A gold breast pin with garnet sets. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the postoffice. A. RICHARD.

Third Matinee!

Tecumseh, Mich.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21,

Program.

3:00 Trot. 2:40 Trot or Pace. Free for all Trot or Pace.

Running Race,

1-2 mile. Best 2 in 3. Good prize in each race.

Bicycle Races,

2 mile dash.

Tandem Race,

2 mile, dest 2 in 3. Purse $5.00.

No entrance fee charged. Races to commence at 1 o'clock sharp. Admission 25c. Grand stand 10c.

T. R. KYLE, Sec'y.

Attend the matinee tomorrow.

Mobbs & Co. pays cash for butter and eggs.

Miss Mame Osborn is visiting friends in Saginaw.

New carpets just opened at Anderson & Rosacrans'.

Tom McCann is expected home from Bunker Hill today.

Howard Whelan and friend returned to Detroit Monday.

Guy Davidson now rides a '97 Cleveland. It is a dandy.

Miss Elona Anderson has returned from her Adrian visit.

Miss Winifred DeWolf is down from the lake for this week.

May Gage visited friends at Jackson and Williamston last week.

Rev. C. M. Brown arrived home from Illinois Wednesday evening.

The matinee tomorrow will be fine, lots of horses and good ones.

Mrs. Horatio Keyser visited M. R. Keyser and family last week.

Mrs. David Macham is visiting relatives and friends at Deerfield.

You can get great bargains at Tansley's china sale tomorrow.

Ben Pulver spent Sunday with his mother and sister at Ypsilanti.

Master Guy Mead went to Coldwater Saturday for a three weeks' visit.

Have you seen the beautiful fall and winter shoes at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

FOR RENT.—The Hayden cottage at Sand Lake. Inquire of S. P. Hosmer.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Teeple's and every one a different position.

Mr. Lucius Lilley is attending the Bankers' Convention at Detroit this week.

Mrs. Mollie Vanderpool has returned from Onsted and is at the Central House.

Mrs. Wheeler Tate and Master Ralph, of Detroit, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Elsworth Russell, of Jackson, is visiting at the residence of her father, Albert Hyde.

Dr. F. R. Fletcher, of Cadillac, is the guest of Wm. A. Burlingame and family this week.

Some new games are in vogue that seem to afford great amusement to those who participate.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Mr. Marsh, wife and little daughter, of Mt. Pleasant, are guests of Geo. W. Knapp and family.

Will Rockwood, who has been near Blissfield since spring, visited his uncle, Adam Mull, Saturday.

Mrs. Chilson, Ella and Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Hudson have been rusticating at Sand Lake this week.

Miss Myrtle Gage, of Manchester, who has been visiting here for the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

A meeting of the Reseach Circle which was announced for next Wednesday has been indefinitely postponed.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

All persons interested in reading the C. L. S. C. for 1897-8 will please meet at Mrs. Wm. Orr's Aug. 30th at 7:30 p. m. —Sec.

Gus Weurthner, of Manchester, who went to camp with Co. C, remained a few days this week visiting among his friends.

John Mull and Sam Mobbs returned Monday from a week's wheeling and lake trip. They took in Toledo, Detroit, Port Huron and Canada.

Great spo at the matinee tomorrow.

John Will spent Tuesday at Adrian.

You can save dollars at Tansley's china sale tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sisson drove over to Adrian Wednesday.

Miss Florence Huey returned from her Adrian visit Wednesday.

Dr. Reed has sold his property on Logan stree to F. J. Temple.

Did you ever try any of Mobbs & Co's 25c coffee? It's fine.

Dr. B. F. Steinhoff returned last night from his little outing trip.

Mrs. Baker, of Detroit, is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. W. Whiting.

Next Thursday evening will be "Ladies Night" at the Tecumseh Club.

Mrs. Abbe Fisher has returned from her visit with Battle Creek friends.

Good bicycle races as well as horse races at the driving park tomorrow.

See those special values in table linens at ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.'

Mrs. Forsyth has returned to Chicago after several weeks stay in Tecumseh.

Jona Walcon and wife, started yesterday for Owosso for a week's vacation.

John Heany Jr., of Columbus, Ohio, is at home for a three week's vacation.

The Adrian people are building a bicycle path from the city to the Quaker meeting house.

Geo. W. Knapp and family with their guests, spent a couple of days at Sand Lake this week.

Miss Helen Conklin and Lavern Smith, of Seaton W. Anderson's, are

Look out for Guy [illegible] new Cleveland racer in the two mile bicycle race tomorrow.

Will Baker has accepted a position in L. T. Lochner's drug store, Adrian. He went over Monday.

Geo. Church and family have rented part of the Woodward house in Brownville and will soon move.

Paul Hayes, wife and child, of Blissfield, were guests of his uncle, Paul Mull, and family over Sunday.

Geo. W. Doran, of Philadelphia, has been visiting a few days at Frank Bryans. He returned home Sunday.

Everything in summer goods at less than cost to close at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Mrs. John Wyrill and son Glenn, visited at Lake Ridge and Petersburg from Wednesday until Sunday evening.

Will Mobb's and Miss Mae Aylesworth attended the Randall—Heaney wedding at Adrian, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bailey, of Boston, arrived in Tecumseh yesterday and will spend two week's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Frasier.

Merrell Estabrook, of Clinton, one of the pioneers of Franklin township settling there in 1838, was shaking hands with Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

M. F. King will occupy what is known as the Clark house on Pottawatamie street, recently purchased by Henry Wilson, as soon as vacated by Rev. C. M. Brown.

Messers Beaumont, of Detroit, Storey, of Chicago, and Stebbins and Berry, of Adrian, were entertained by Messers Fitzsimmons and Bidwell, at the club Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse and Miss Mead returned from Canada and Niagara Falls Monday. They report a delightful time and brought home a number of souvenirs of the trip.

We have received a new lot of babycarriages, and are going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice. WHEELER & SISSON.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fitzsimmons, of Lansing, arrived from Lansing Saturday. They drove over via Reading and Hillsdale and attended a reunion of the Fitzsimmons family at the former place.

And now comes Harris & Hiteshu with an announcement that their stock of fall goods is complete and that they can fit out the children from head to foot inclusive with styles and prices to suit the masses.

Mrs. E. G. Cook has a very large night blooming cerus which is a profuse bloomer. Last Friday night two buds opened up, Saturday night seven, Sunday night four and Monday night one. They were all very large and beautiful.

The fall session of the Fayette Normal University, Fayette, O., begins Aug. 31. The thorough training school for teachers. Rapid review work. High standard of excellence. Living expenses the lowest. Tenth year. Catalogue free.

For special reasons the day for the annual meeting of the W. H. M. S. of the Methodist church has been changed from Wednesday to Tuesday Aug. 31st, and will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W Jackson at 3 o'clock p. m. All members are urged to be present, as officers are to be elected.

Abner Wilson, arrived from California last Friday night and will remain at home for a few weeks. He is still employed by D. E. Smeltzer & Company, and on account of the low rates came a little earlier than he expected. Whether he will go to New York or Cincinnati next is not settled.

About thirty relatives and a few intimate friends assembled at the pleasant home of Mrs. Randall 41 Clinton street Adrian, Wednesday evening, Aug. 18th, to witness the marriage of her daughter, Warnie, to Mr. Robert Heaney, of Raisin. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Adams at 8 o'clock, and though short was very impressive. The young couple will reside in Raisin which has been the groom's home for years and whose friends will give his fair bride a most cordial welcome.

Miss Minnie Reeves is visiting her mother at Milan.

Be sure and attend Tansley's china sale tomorrow.

Remember the races tomorrow afternoon, begin at one o'clock.

Ladies, Harris & Hiteshu are closing out their 50c shirt waists for 25c.

Mrs. O. P. Bills was the guest of Mrs. David Whitney Jr., of Detroit, Tuesday.

Dr. Steinhoff arrived home last evening after a few days vacation in Detroit and other places.

Misses Franc Rosebourgh and Mary Hosmer, of Peoria, Ill., are visiting S. P. Hosmer and family.

Mrs. Lew Burt daughter and son, of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. Bills, enroute for Sand Lake.

Miss Ada Cullen and Miss Lida Burton will spend a week at Clark's lake. They went last Monday.

John Campbell came last night from Mount Gilead, Ohio, where he has been working for a month past.

Attend the matinee tomorrow if you wish to see the fastest half mile ever made in Tecumseh on a tandem.

The poles for the new telephone line have arrived, and work on the construction will commence at once.

Henry Crane, of St. Paul, came last evening to visit at the old home. Mrs. Crane has been here several weeks.

Again for good reasons the game of ball between Clinton and Tecumseh at Clinton will not be played tomorrow.

Teeple makes the cheapest photos in the county, only 25c for six and you can sit six times and have a photo for each.

We close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walk-Hiteshu's. [illegible] and $1.75, sizes

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clarkson and [illegible] and Mrs. Goodwin left yesterday for a visit at Canandagua, N. Y. via the L. S. & M. S.

Mrs. Dr. Green, of Adrian, came down from Cedar Point, Devils Lake, Sunday and met Tecumseh friends between trains.

Henry Marsh had the misfortune to run a rusty nail in his foot Monday and for a few days had a very sore foot but it is now improving.

Yesterday Wm. DeMott's horse broke out of its enclosure and before it was caught ran into a barbed wire fence and was quite seriously injured.

LOST—About two weeks ago, near the Mills Block, an umbrella having the name, "Edna Chase," inside. Finder will please leave it at this office.

Miss Kittie Plumb, of Grand Rapids, who is visiting friends at Clinton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook from Saturday until Wednesday.

Mrs. Bittman gives a luncheon at her Sand Lake cottage this afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. W. James. A number of Tecumseh people are in attendance.

Miss Gussie Whitenack has a night bloomer of the variety devoid of leaves which produced eleven very handsome flowers between Thursday night of last week and Wednesday of this.

Dont fail to see the 1-2 mile running race at tomorrow's matinee. With Bird M. of Brooklyn, Wisipi of Blissfield; Dot R. of Deerfield, Prairie Flower of Cambridge, and others, it will be the hottest race ever seenn Tecumseh.

Walter Burnett's who was stolen last Friday night probably the same chap who stole the saddle off the Adrian wheel. Saturday he reived a telegram that the wheel was at Hanover and received it by exiss Tuesday. The thief had skipped.

Active preparations are already been begun for the game ball to come off Labor Day between nine from Heesen's foundry and one from the cigar-makers. The last game between them was won by the cigar and since then the rollers of the [illegible] have been roasted unmercifully the workers in metals. Each team is determined to win, consequently theme will be a hot one.

Quite a company [illegible] here went to Lima, Ohio, Wednesday among them being Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. James Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smalledge, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Vo[illegible], Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spayde, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordan, Mrs. Jas. Ely and Iva, Mrs. Pinard, Lou Addis, Ingersol, J. W. Wightman, J. J. [illegible]man, James Eccles, Gus Cummins[illegible]n Smith, Ed Corley, Ben J. and [illegible] A. Garlinghouse.

In Brighton, on [illegible]. 18, at the home of Mrs. C. B. Wil[illegible]ecurred the marriage of her dau[illegible] Miss Mabel, to Mr. Albert Ho[illegible] of Tecumseh. Only relatives [illegible] intimate home friends were p[illegible]. It was a very pretty wedding [illegible]house was tastily decorated and [illegible]ride was very becomingly attir[illegible]h white organdie. Miss Wiley is [illegible]anger in Tecumseh, in fact, is almost well known as the groom, having [illegible] one of the efficient teachers here[illegible] several years. The HERALD, with [illegible]t of other friends, welcome her [illegible]ermanent resident.

Last week [illegible]ay a company of bicyclists from [illegible] six or seven in number, took a [illegible]wn to Britton. Being thirsty the [illegible]ted one of the merchants and [illegible] for soft drinks and got them. [illegible]oing to pay for the same to [illegible]smay, the entire company boy [illegible] girls could only raise twelve c[illegible] What to do they knew not, retur[illegible] drinks, they could not money t[illegible] not, strangers they were. T[illegible]chant after allowing them to [illegible] while, suggested that they sen[illegible]ance by mail. As if by magic [illegible]untenances changed, quickly [illegible] his kind proposal and on thei[illegible] the first thing they did was to [illegible]heir obligation. In the future [illegible]rsons at least when doning [illegible]e suits will not forget their [illegible]oks.

Dr. O. E. Tefft was called to Detroit last evening on professional business.

Don't fail to see those beautiful new dress goods at ANDERSON & ROSACRANS'.

Conductor Pinard will occupy the Fred Chiverall house and Henry Heesen the one he vacates, the Wright house.

Good Fortune to Good People.

Chicago, Special Telegram, Aug. 16th. Letters of administration were issued in the probate court today in the estate of Allen Gregory of Englewood. The estate is valued at $500,000, of which $3000,000 is personal property. Mr. Gregory left no will and no direct descendants, and the heirs are Mrs. Abbie Jane North, a sister, and the children and grandchildren of five other brothers and sisters, who are dead. Mrs. North is 73 years old and lives at Tecumseh, Mich.—Detroit Tribune.

Dr. North was seen by a HERALD representative and state that in the main this report is true. The amount is exagerated as is usual with all reports that come from Chicago. He also states that the property is in such shape that it may take a long time before any thing is realized. The Doctor did not seem to relish the publicity of the affair, but every one in Tecumseh rejoices in the good fortune of his mother, Mrs. North.

Sad Death.

Although it was quite generally known that Charles Kennedy was injured the third day at Camp Pingree while playing ball and that he was incapacitated from further camp duties, yet none realized that it would prove fatal. On his return home with the boys he complained of a queer feeling [illegible]day and being weak. Tuesday was about the street and mother went became known yesterday morning during the night his condition had become serious and death followed about 10 o'clock, the entire community was shocked.

He was 26 years of age and most of his life had been spent in this vicinity. Three years ago he was married to Miss Anna Hand. He was a member of the ball team and its reliable first baseman and one of the most faithful members of Company C, bearing the title of Corporal. His funeral proper will be held at the armory at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, although brief services will be held at the house at 2 o'clock.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of Aug. 16, 1897.

Present, the president, Trustees Wright, H. Heesen, Orr, Eldridge, J. Heesen and the clerk. Absent, Trustee Lowry.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Clerk reported that note for $1000 due Lilley State Bank together with interest had been paid in full.

Report of street commissioner accepted and placed on file.

The following bills were reported and referred to the finance committee: Dell Packard, hand labor, $11.38; E. Prichard, hand labor, $5.00; John Linton, hand labor, $6.75; John Bennett, hand labor, $5.13; O. Hodges, hand labor, $4.38; A. Titus, hand labor, $1.13; Chas. Bidwell, marshal, $25.00.

Finance committee made favorable report on all of above bills as read.

Moved and supported that president appoint village attorney.

The president appointed Gen. F. B. Wood village attorney for the ensuing year.

Moved and supported that a committee of two be appointed to confer with village attorney regarding collection of poll tax, the said committee to be composed of the president and one other member of council to be appointed by him. The president thereupon appointed Trustee Wright as the other member of said committee.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

G. A. R.—Attention.

For the National Encampment at Buffalo you can purchase tickets over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. August 21, 22 and 23 at one cent a mile, good returning until September 20th. No line affords such extensive train service or a more comfortable and interesting route to and from Buffalo.

Send to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O., for copy of finely illustrated and descriptive book about the route, trains, Buffalo and the encampment.

—See those "Crescent" wheels at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

—Ladies the finest thing for tan or eruptions of the face, is Lemon Cream sold only by John J. Orr.

—Monuments, marble headstones cleaned, reset or new work put in by George Price, Adrian, Mich. Drop postal and he will call.

—Go to John J. Orr's for Lemon Cream, the finest preparation for the skin yet discovered.

—The "Crescent," most value for least money, at SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

FOR SALE.—A new $55.00 buggy and $12.00 harness. The price quoted will astonish you. Also the most complete stock of everything in the line of buggies, surries and road wagons.

J. L. KISHPAUGH, Britton, Mich.

—Have you ever used Lemon Cream for the face? If not go to John J. Orr's and procure it at once.

OUR STORE

is chuck full of seasonable goods to tempt your appetite.

CRAWFORD PEACHES,
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Everything fresh and warranted to please you,

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We Have Them!

DERBYS,
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Pashas.

HATS . . .
Every Thing New,
and all at prices to please.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

OCTAGON SOAP

is one of the best laundry soaps on the market. On

Saturday, August 21st.

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11 Bars for 25c

Only one quarters worth to each family.

For one day only. Do not forget the place.

Avery &Co.,
GROCERS.

Ice Cream Soda
Finest in the Land.
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Two Superior Brands of Flour.

Raisin Mills Royal Patent Spring Wheat Blend, which consists of Best Patent Roller Flour mixed with Pillsbury's best flour, making an article equal to anything ever sold in this country.

Raisin Mills Fancy Family

Is a domestic flour equal to any straight flour on the market. If you desire even bakings of good bread, ask your grocers for either of these brands.

C. A. EVERETT.

GIRL IN THE CALICO GOWN.

When it's noon on the hills
And we're stretched in the shade;
Where the salt meadows yield
To the cool of the glade,
Where the spring bubbles sweet,
And the thrush whistles lithe,
And there's rest from the heat
And the whirr of the scythe,
She comes with the dinner-pail swinging,
A queen with a sunbonnet crown,
And the thrush takes his note from her singing—
The girl in the calico gown.

No,
Hardly that blows
And the half of her grace,
Is the bud of the rose
And the blue of her face,
Is the blue of her eye
Is the blue of the deep,
When the wind kisses the sky
And the waves are asleep.
Her foot is as light, on the grasses,
As a leaf that the breeze flutters down,
And the blossoms bow low as she passes—
The girl in the calico gown.

And she scarce throws a glance
At the spot where I stand,
For her "pa" looks askance
At the love of a "hand;"
But I know that to-night
She will come where I wait,
Twixt the dark and the light
At the old garden gate.
And there, with the lilacs above her
My sweet, with the tresses of brown,
Will ask me again if I love her—
The girl in the calico gown.

—Joe Lincoln, in L. A. W. Bulletin.

A HAZARDOUS MISSION.

BY CHAS. D. LESLIE.

WHEN Pepworth Tring, the well-known South African millionaire, sent for me, and after inquiring if I was at liberty for a few weeks, said that he was about to commission me to take a small map to his Johannesburg representative, I was rather surprised that he should go to the expense of a special messenger when the postal service was available.

"It seems a very simple affair at first glance. "In I said.

But the post is not to be trusted, an unscrupulous enemy will strain every nerve to defeat my intention."

My present employer, a well-known Kimberley man, who had lately turned his attention to the Witwatersraudt gold mines, was middle-aged, about 50, but looked more, owing to the hard and adventurous life he had led. His tanned, weather-beaten face appeared commonplace enough, but behind the small steady gray eyes lay a quick brain and unerring judgment. Few, indeed, could boast with any degree of truth of ever having got the better of Pepworth Tring. As a judge of diamonds also he had barely an equal. All this I knew from common hearsay.

"You anticipate there will be an attempt to rob me during the journey?"

"I am quite sure of it. The matter on the face of it is simple enough. This map," (he held up a small piece of parchment a few square inches in size—it appeared to represent the course of a river, some red crosses were marked on one portion, and some lines of writing ran along the bottom)—"has to be given to Mr. Howard, of Fox street, Johannesburg. There your mission ends. But whether you will be able to accomplish it is another matter. Gibson, my old partner, is determined to obtain possesion of this map by some means; he is rich, unscrupulous, and can command the services of men even more unscrupulous than himself. This is the reason I do not trust the post. The corruption prevalent among all Boer officials extends to the post office; my letters have been opened. He has creatures there in his employ. You must trust no one, and conceal the paper in such a manner that it cannot be found."

"But while on board ship it would surely be better to entrust it to the captain or purser?"

"That would be risky, and only postpone their attack on you. If you received the map back safely you would without doubt be robbed of it between Capetown and Johannesburg. No; when the boat reaches Capetown, they must be under the impression that you are not the bearer."

"When am I to leave London?"

"The 'Roman' leaves the docks tomorrow and Plymouth on Saturday. Your berth is booked; Gibson is also a passenger, and several of his following. But perhaps I had better explain why this map is so important.

"Gibson, like myself, is an old Kimberley man. We both did very well there, and lately, like me, he has been dealing in Transvaal mining property. We have often gone partners in various undertakings. In the autumn of '94, being then in Johannesburg—about six months ago—and feeling the want of a holiday, I determined to go on a shooting expedition through the Transvaal towards the sea. Accompanied by two Zulus, I carried out my intention, and after some weeks traveling we found ourselves in the low country bordering on Switzerland. Here quite by chance I made a remarkable discovery. In the dried-up channel of what had been a river I came upon traces of diamonds. The find to my eyes was most promising; but before I could pursue my investigations further, one of my Zulus, dispatched to get food from a neighboring kraal, came hot-foot with the news that the Swazis were up in arms. Irritated by some act of Boer oppression, they seemed inclined to wreak their vengeance on me, and so we fled forthwith for our very lives. Before leaving, I drew up a plan of the place, so that it could be found again.

"After various adventures I reached Durban, and took ship for England. Meeting Gibson in London, I acquainted him in general terms with my discovery, stating that in the course of my journeying I had found diamonds. I had intended to take him into partnership in this affair, but the knowledge which I gained immediately afterwards that he had swindled me in the matter of some gold mines changed my purpose, and I broke with him for good.

"Now the value of my find is problematical. Diamonds have not yet been found in paying quantity in the Transvaal. This place may be a second Kimberley, and shake the De Beers monopoly. It is quite possible. Therefore I want the ground pegged out in the usual way, and to register myself as the owner; but if Gibson could get hold of the map he would forestall me. It is not convenient for me to go myself just now, as I have some important business in hand; so not to delay obtaining the claims, I have ordered Howard to peg them out and register in my name, but he can do nothing until he has the particulars contained in this. Now, do you understand?"

"Yes; but how far is Gibson cognizant of your plans?"

"He has found out that I intend sending the map immediately to Johannesburg. This office is watched; you will be shadowed on leaving, and when they find that you are a passenger by the 'Roman,' they will conclude that you are my messenger. It will be your business to nullify that belief."

"I see."

"You had better pretend to be a new submanager sent out by me to represent my interests in Johannesburg. Now, can you, do you think, conceal the map in such a way that these thieves cannot get hold of it?"

I sat silent a few moments thinking over the situation, then my eyes strayed to some books lying on the table between us. I took up one. It was "Lock on Gold," a standard work.

"I will do my best," I said at length.

"Trust no one," concluded my employer, giving me money for my journey and the boat ticket. "Rely on yourself alone. Put the map in your breast-pocket for the present, but find a surer hiding place." I had reduced my baggage to as small a compass as possible. It consisted of two small portmanteaus which would go under my bunk, some wraps, and a few novels, with "Lock on Gold," the latter obtained from my employer to sustain my character as a mining manager, and with its covers encased in gray calico. I had joined the ship at the docks to avoid the crash at Waterloo, and to see the mouth of the Thames. There were two other men in my cabin, for the ship was full, every berth being taken, but they had not yet come on board, so I arranged my belongings at leisure, and then went on deck as we left the dock to smoke and view the river and the miles of wharves and shipping as we slowly and majestically steamed out to sea. The ship was nearly empty, and I passed a quiet 24 hours anticipating the coming duel which was to take place, and wondering if the simple scheme would be successful.

The mailbags and passengers came on board at Plymouth, and a scene of animation and confusion followed; but a rough sea and headwind claimed the exuberance of many of the company, and the dinner tables in the saloon that evening showed an abundance of empty seats. Both my cabin mates succumbed, and I left them white and groaning. Fortunately, I was a good sailor; and, having enjoyed my dinner, later in the evening found myself in the smoking-room simultaneously of Gibson's cigars, and engaged in chat with that worthy, who was most friendly and evinced some curiosity about myself.

I told my tale, which he accepted with perhaps suspicious readiness.

"Employed by Tring, are you? Peppery fellow; I know him well. We used to be friends; now he hates me like poison."

He introduced me to his friends, Spellman, Dunbarton and Vandermit, who severally expressed themselves delighted to make my acquaintance.

The first two or three days my adversaries only skirmished, trying to pump me, and dropped broad hints as to the advantages which would follow if I joined them—hints which I ignored.

As, however, they felt pretty sure that I was the bearer of the coveted map, my portmanteaus and my spare clothes were searched more than once when I was absent from my cabin. It was Spellman who was toled off for this portion of the quest; finding I was not very cordial towards him, he struck up a friendship with one of my cabin mates, which gave him an excuse for entering at all hours. I did not think it advisable to enlighten the latter, as my attitude was to blandly ignore my adversaries' behavior.

Spellman's researches proving of no avail, the great endeavor to discover if I had the paper took place about a week after Madeira was passed. I was playing a whist tournament, and noticed that Dunbarton and Vandermit were playing nap with the two men who shared my cabin. I guessed that Spellman was making a thorough search, and as soon as I was through I hurried there.

It had indeed been thorough. Every article had been taken out of the portmanteaus and examined, and the portmanteaus themselves cut and hacked in search of a secret hiding place. Everything had been scrutinized; even the gray calico cover pulled off "Lock" to make sure that nothing was between it and the binding. Nor was this all, for while I surveyed the wreck, I became conscious of an overpowering feeling of drowsiness, and knowledge came to me that I had been drugged. Too late I remembered having just accepted a drink from Gibson; but I had only sense enough left to tumble into my bunk before falling into a heavy sleep.

They no doubt searched me to the skin that night, for I slept as the dead; but though I woke next morning with a bad headache, I felt well pleased, for no result had awarded their toil. Of course I made a fuss as to the conduct of some mysterious thieves, who had not even spared the lining of my boots, and certain inquiries were instituted which came to nothing. I innocently complained to Gibson as to the bad quality of his whisky, and there apparently the matter ended, for I was molested no more.

I felt that I had won, as I saw by my enemies' manner that they had decided they were mistaken in imagining I had the map; but great cautiousness was still necessary till the journey's end. Never crow before you are out of the wood is an excellent piece of advice. Still, feeling that the worst was over, a sense of calm possessed me as I lounged in my Medeira chair, under the shade of the awning, for the tropical sun was very sultry, and made iced drinks a necessity instead of a luxury.

Gibson continued good friends with me, and often came and chatted as I languidly studied "Lock on Gold" in my deck chair. As a practical mineralogist, he pointed out the best parts to study, and I imbued much information valuable enough had I designed to turn miner. He was an amusing man, and his creed simple enough—"Get money, honestly if you can; but get money." A more efficient auctioneer for selling the numbers of the ship's run in the daily sweeps it would be impossible to find, and I enjoyed the privilege of acting auctioneer's clerk with "Lock" for a desk on my knee.

It was four o'clock on a Tuesday afternoon when we reached Capetown, and Gibson managed to get away by that evening's train, leaving two of his followers to bring his luggage on the next day.

The third morning after landing found me in Fox street, Johannesburg, seeking Howard's office. I had just seen the name on the window—"Gibson." I said, "where are you ascended the said, "where are you but to now?"

The time for caution was passed, victory was mine, and I could safely enjoy my triumph. I surveyed the baffled financier with a smile of infinite satisfaction, and replied:

"I am the bearer of a certain document from Mr. Tring to Mr. Howard."

From the expression on my face and the accent on my words, he read the truth, and knew that I had baffled him, and his face changed. Words failed him, for he was taken quite by surprise, and bewilderment rendered him speechless.

Enjoying his discomfiture a few seconds, I turned and went, leaving him on the pavement below, the most unhappy man in Johannesburg.

Having entered the outer office and given my name to the clerk, I was speedily shown into Mr. Howard's private room. He greeted me warmly, and in the same breath inquired if I had been successful.

I said I had.

"That's good news. I've just got my mail and heard of your coming. Look—you see the envelope has been tampered with! You are sure Gibson hasn't set eyes on the map?"

"Absolutely," I replied, then gave him a short account of the efforts made to secure it.

"Ay, ay, they wouldn't stick at much; you're fortunate to get here with a whole skin. But where is it after all?"

In answer I produced "Lock on Gold," and, taking my penknife, cut off the gray calico cover, which I had put on again after it had been pulled off. Then inserting the point into the cover itself I cut it open. There, snugly concealed, lay the precious map. I had, before leaving London, cut the cover open with a sharp knife, and, placing the map in between, glued up the edges with great care. Being unable to absolutely conceal the fact that the cover had been cut, I had put the calico cover over, and when it had been torn off by the eager searcher he had never noticed that the binding itself had been cut.

Thus, safely and securely, the map had traveled, unseen by any eye, untouched by any hand, and now, having placed it in the possession of Mr. Howard, my mission as a special envoy was over.

With the knowledge gained by the map, Howard took steps which very shortly made the land where Pepworth Tring found diamonds the property of that worthy, and I know no more, as nothing further has been heard of the discovery—no company has been publicly formed to work it. But I have a strong idea that the find turned up trumps, and that the reason of the silence is that it is too good a thing for the public to be admitted.—Paterson's Magazine.

Couldn't Dodge Courting.

About 20 years since the writer knew a young man who fell deeply in love with a red-cheeked lassie, who worked in the same mill. But though she was the subject of his nightly dreams and daily thoughts, he was so bashful he could not, or dared not, show his hand. At last, driven to desperation, he put up the banns of marriage at the village church.

On the following morning the unwooed bride-elect went to the young man and demanded an explanation. Thus cornered, he confessed the truth, adding: "If tha will not ha' me, I con gi' backword."

"Whod did tha pay?" asked the practical girl.

"Four an' sixpence."

"Well, tha corn'd get it back, and it's no use losin' four an' sixpence; bu' tha knows tha'll ha' to come a coartin' all't same."

And he did.—London Telegraph.

—A new penholder forcibly ejects the pen from the holder by pressing with the thumb on a corrugated cam pivoted in the under side of the holder to turn in as the pen is placed in position and clamp it fast, the action of pressing the thumb toward the opposite end forcing the pen out with the cam.

ROGERS STILL LIVES.

Farmer Breaks His Back Seven Weeks Ago, but Cheats Death.

Niles, Aug. 18.—Rutherford Rogers, a wealthy farmer residing near Vermontville, seven weeks ago had his back broken, and he still lives. The cause of the injury was a heavy timber falling upon his shoulders. Shortly after the accident Rogers was taken to Ann Arbor, where an operation was performed, which revealed the fact that the spinal cord was severed. It was then announced that there was no hope of recovery. Nevertheless he stood the journey to his home and after seven weeks he is still alive and full of courage and hope. He has no control of his limbs below his chest. His appetite is good and he eats heartily. Rogers' case is probably the only one of the kind that has come to the attention of physicians. When a man with a broken back has lived seven weeks doctors cannot account for it, and they think it wonderful that he lived an hour after receiving the injury.

SUES FOR MILLIONS.

Alexis M. Lay Plaintiff in a Contest for Fabulous Wealth.

Detroit, Aug. 18.—Alexis M. Lay is a plaintiff in the biggest suit of the century, involving some $30,000,000. The defendants are the Ibex Mining company and a number of mine owners. In 1878 the Uncle Sam mine was located near Leadville. It was sold to Lay and Ballou, who formed a combine. The Uncle Sam looked poor and in 1890 was leased for three years to the Ibex company. It is claimed that there is a pocket fabulously rich, $10,000,000 now being in sight, although several times that many millions [illegible] the mine two and said that over $6,000,000 had been taken out up to that time. Lay charges the Ibex company with fraud and is seeking to regain possession.

DESPERATE PLAN OF ESCAPE.

Bons of Crystal Falls Sets Fire to His Jail Bed—Is Rescued.

Crystal Falls, Aug. 16.—Peter Bons, the man who confessed to the murder of Pearl Morrison, and who is still in jail awaiting the next session of the circuit court, set fire to the mattress and bedclothing in his cell at the jail Sunday night and then shouted for assistance. His cries attracted attention. It was some time before the jail could be opened. The sheriff called on Bons as soon as he entered, but received no reply, and it was thought he was suffocated. A stream of water was turned on soon afterward, when Bons was found to be very much alive. His scheme evidently was to escape when the sheriff opened the steel cage. Bons will sleep henceforth on the steel floor of his cell.

WANTS MONEY BACK.

Her with His Thousands.

Pontiac, Aug. 13.—James Casey and wife, of Birmingham, were arraigned before Judge Safford on the charge of embezzling from John Arthur, of Farmington and released on $5,000 bail. Year ago Arthur proposed to Mrs. Casey a full cousin, but was rejected. Arthur never married. Influenced by Mrs. Casey, Arthur turned over to her custody at different times $13,000 and has drawn back $3,000. When he asked for more, he says, Mrs. Casey refused him, claiming that he had made her an absolute gift of the money.

Old Comrades to Meet.

Big Rapids, Aug. 16.—Big Rapids is preparing for a great time during the reunion of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Association of Northwestern Michigan, September 15 and 17. All the posts, relief corps and camps, S. of V., in this part of the state have been invited, and a city of tents will be erected. The executive committee, of which Maj. George W. Clifford is chairman, announce they have secured promises to be present at campfires from the department commander, G. A. R., A. T. Bliss, Gov. Pingree, Lieut. Gov. Dunstan, Senator J. C. Burrows, Congressman Meskick, Gen. L. Cutherford, ex-Congressman James Donnell and others.

Suit Brought for Taxes.

Lansing, Aug. [illegible]. Suit was begun by the state to recover unpaid specific taxes for 1894-95 from the West Branch Escanaba River Improvement company of Marquette. This is the commencement of a battle against all delinquents of this [illegible] the purpose being to make them pay for their charters.

Seeks Heavy Damages.

Owosso, Aug. 16. [illegible]arles F. Collier has commenced suit against the Owosso Manufacturing company for $5,000 damages for the loss of his son Floyd E. Collier, who was killed in the company's factory about a year ago by being struck on the [illegible] with a belt.

Work of Elysis.

Lansing, Aug. 12.—[illegible]olysis has attacked the water mains in the city. One in the vicinity of the depot gave way Sunday, and was found to have been honeycombed by [illegible]ectric current. The leak was [illegible]nt to the electric street railway [illegible].

Looking for Dollars.

Charlotte, Aug. 12.—[illegible]eek 5,000 bushels of new wheat have been marketed here for which $3,500 was paid farmers. Many are still holding back, believing that one dollar must come.

Killed Himself.

South Haven, Aug. 16. [illegible]ecker, a laborer, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. He was married, but had not lived with his wife for some months.

Bullion Value of Ounce.

New York, Aug. [illegible]. The New York price of silver, [illegible]'s dollar is worth 42¾ cents.

STATE GOSIP.

Short But Interesting Paragraphs from Many Points.

Munising has contracted for a waterworks plant to cost $27,500.

Michigan cedar shingles have risen in price, and are expected to go higher.

Rasmus Jergenson, of Greenville, broke his neck in a runaway Wednesday.

Mackinac island is to have a replica of Trentanove's statue of Father Marquette.

The Eleventh Michigan infantry will hold its annual reunion at Constantine on August 24.

It is claimed that the Six-Mile Hill copper mine, at Houghton, will rival the Calumet and Hecla.

The new consolidated Rail Joist company factory at Muskegon has started up with 150 employes.

The grounds of the Howard City Fair association have been sold to pay the indebtedness of the society.

The hickory nut crop throughout southern Michigan will be larger this season than for many years.

Eagles are reported quite plentiful around Laurel. A young one weighing eight pounds was recently caught there alive.

Gov. Pingree has written a letter to a Chicago paper condemning the injunction issued against the coal mine strikers.

The annual reunion of the veterans of the grand army for St. Clair, Macomb and Sanilac counties will be held at Yale September 1 and 2.

Representatives of a syndicate of eastern capitalists are in Benton Harbor at a cost of $40,000.

At Lansing recently Frank Spaniolo was bitten by a tarantula while handling bananas. His arm immediately swelled to twice its usual size, but ammonia and whisky saved him.

Labor Commissioner Cox has gone to Saginaw to look into the strike of the coal miners. While he has no authority to act in the matter, he wants to be informed as to the exact situation.

The Michigan Central railroad has put its first trains on the McGraw branch, Otsego county, built to make about 100,000,000 feet of standing timber available for transit to Bay City.

MINE WAS "SALTED."

Canadian Capitalists Narrowly Escape a Big Swindle.

Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 14.—For several days there has been great excitement here over the reported discovery of a placer gold mine on the Mississauga river, near Thessalon, Ont., which assayed $500 in gold to the ton. The bubble burst Friday, when a well-known Canadian miner returned with the news that it had been "salted." There is no positive proof against anyone, but men at Thessalon and Toronto make charges against each other.

Brick Block Collapses.

Kalamazoo, Aug. 13.—A two-story brick block, owned by Mrs. Patience Haight, collapsed into an adjacent cellar, causing $8,000 loss to building and S. F. Persel's stock of hardware. A woman saw and heard the wall giving out and warned Mrs. George Coats on the second floor, and she escaped, thinly clad. Her canary bird was the only thing left on the south wall which did not fall, and was rescued alive. No one injured. The loss will probably fall on the owner of the block, instead of the contractors who excavated for the new block.

Looking for the Chicora.

St. Joseph, Aug. 18. — Mrs. Sarah E. Bromwell, a medium of Chicago, arrived Tuesday and will at once begin a vigorous search for the Graham & Morton steamer Chicora, which foundered in January, 1895. She has engaged a steam yacht and will be assisted by a diver. She says she has had visions all winter telling her where the lost steamer lies, and expects to find it with little difficulty. The company's reward of $10,000 for the location of the boat has been renewed.

One Life Lost.

Marquette, Aug. 14.—Fire was discovered on the steamer George W. Roby, which was lying here, at two o'clock Friday morning. By heroic efforts the flames were kept in the forward part of the steamer, but it took two hours to extinguish them. The vessel was badly damaged. While assisting in putting out the fire, George Sherelle, an old-time ore-trimmer, fell off the dock and was drowned. The estimated loss on the Roby is $8,000.

High Diver Injured.

Albion, Aug. 18. — Prof. Harry Miner, acrobat and high diver, received very serious if not fatal injuries while making a 60-foot dive from the roof of the White mill into the race here Tuesday afternoon. He struck the water almost flatly on his stomach. His chances for life are about even. He says his real name is Bert Belden and his mother, Nellie Belden, lives at Salt Lake City.

Shoe Factory for Menominee.

Menominee, Aug. 14.—Representatives of a large boot and shoe manufactory, with a number of the leading capitalists of this city, have formed a stock company, capitalized at $80,000, and will erect a big factory here as soon as necessary arrangements can be made. It will give employment to 200 hands. The Menominee capitalists have subscribed and paid in $30,000.

A Host of Tramps.

Port Huron, Aug. 16.—The officials of both the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific roads state for a fact that there are no less than 15,000 tramps on the move between Montreal and the St. Clair tunnel. Numerous freight cars have been broken into and goods stolen.

Breadstuffs Imported.

Washington, Aug. — The imports of breadstuffs into the United States during the last fiscal year amounted in value to $2,774,763.

ATTORNEYS

J. W. WIGHTMAN, Attorney at [illegible]. Successor to F. B. Wood. Office over [illegible]son's dry goods store, Tecumseh, Mich.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BURNETT HOUSE—Toledo, Ohio. [illegible] house has lately been enlarged and refurnished with elevator and other modern improvements and is a favorite resort for the traveling public. Rates reasonable and graded according to [illegible] occupied.

VET ERSKINE.

Barber Shop

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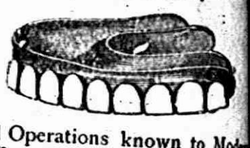

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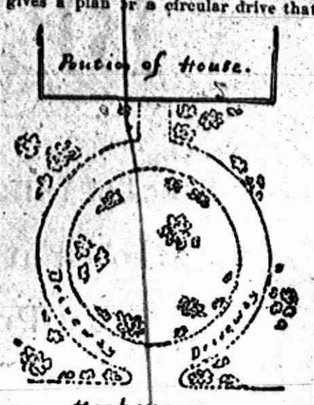
FARM AND GARDEN.

CIRCULAR DRIVEWAY.

The One Here Pictured Has a Number of Advantages.

It ought to be possible to drive into and out of a farm yard, or a village lot, without turning the wagon. This can only be done by having the driveway in the form of a circle or having a circle or oval in some part of it. The cut gives a plan for a circular drive that



PLAN FOR CIRCULAR DRIVE.

has a number of advantages. One can drive in from the highway and make an easy turn back to the street again. The circle within the road affords a fine opportunity for the effective grouping of shrubs and foliage plants. There are also excellent opportunities afforded on the outside of the driveway for effective planting of trees and shrubs. A side drive, curving about the house to the stable, can be added if needed.—Orange Judd Farmer.

THE HUNTING NUISANCE.

Farmers Should Make a United Effort to Stop It.

As soon as harvest is over the farms of the state, especially those near towns, will be overrun by hunters and their dogs, says Wallace's Farmer. These fellows are out for sport and have no hesitation in leaving gates open and shooting wherever the bird flies without reference to the farmer's cattle, horses or sheep, and if prairie chicken and quail are not plenty, have no hesitation in practicing on the birds that are the farmer's friends. They have no business on the farm, no right to set a foot on it without the farmer's permission, and may be prosecuted for trespass or damage to stock if the farmer so elects.

His election, however, does him no good. Many of them are judgment proof, and the expenses of a lawsuit would be more than any damage that could be secured. The right thing to do is to post notices: "Hunting not permitted on this farm," and then if they insisted on doing it, order them off and enforce the order if necessary at the point of a gun. One of the most provoking things on the farm is to have an invasion of hunters, involving as it does loss or damage to the live stock. The game they shoot are the friends of the farmer anyhow, and they are his by right if he wishes to do a little shooting himself.

When the country was a great grain field with little or no stock and game abundant, no damage was done by the hunters. It is different now. In other countries the farmer sells the right to shoot on his place. Real sportsmen in the eastern cities are already buying this right from farmers, or a neighborhood of farmers, going to the expense of importing game birds and stocking the farm for the benefit of enjoying the sport of shooting them in the fall. This is the honorable way of sport, and farmers should insist that it be followed in the west as well as in the east.

Cultivating After Rains.

Much the best time to cultivate is after a rainfall which has packed the surface soil, provided time enough has elapsed for the surface to dry. Heavy soils are rich in mineral plant food, and this as the water evaporates is left on the surface as a crust which effectually excludes light and air. When this crust is turned under it is dissolved by the moisture and makes a rich food for plants. Besides, the cultivation opens the soil to receive air, thus drying the soil and turning the air itself into moisture. This enormously increases available plant food in the soil. Besides, the loose soil on the surface which the cultivator leaves prevents too rapid evaporation, and thus makes the soil both warmer and moister than it would be if uncultivated.

Turnip Flavor in Milk.

When cows accidentally get into a turnip patch, or other vegetables that impart a bad flavor to the milk, it can be made as good as ever for cream and butter making if it is heated to a temperature of 140 degrees. This is best done by placing the vessel in water which is quickly brought to a slightly higher temperature. All the odor passes off at this temperature, as it is very volatile. In cooling, the cream will rise to the surface. It also makes the butter come more quickly than from milk not heated.

Level Culture of Potatoes.

Almost all practical growers now agree that the level culture of potatoes brings the largest crop. This is especially true if the season be dry, as of late years it almost always is. If the ground is cultivated often enough no weeds can appear above the surface. That will make it easy to keep the crop free of weeds without ever needing to cultivate more than an inch below the surface. This is the best way to subdue the perennial weeds, quack grass and Canada thistles, as well as the annual weeds.

GERMS IN THE SOIL.

They Preserve Their Vitality and Often Spread Disease.

A writer in the Journal of the Franklin institute calls attention again to the danger of disease germs in soils. He says:

It has been observed in France that, in localities where animals are interred which have died of charbon, the germs of this infectious malady persist in the soils for many years, and that, especially when cereal crops are cultivated upon such soils, there is great danger of contaminating healthy cattle with the same disease. In one case it was observed that many sheep which were pastured in a field in which, two years before, a single animal which had died of charbon was buried, were infected with the disease and died. In like manner, it is entirely probable that the germs of hog cholera may be preserved in the soil for many years, to finally again be brought into an activity which may prove most disastrous for the owners of swine. Every effort should be made by agronomists to avoid infecting the soil by carcasses which are dead from any zymotic disease. Cremation is the only safe method of disposing of such infected carcasses. The investigations of scientists have shown that there are many diseases of an infectious nature due to these germs, and that these germs may preserve their vitality in the soil. Among others may be mentioned yellow fever and tetanus, and the microbe producing the bubonic plague, which retains its vitality in the soil, and thus escapes entire eradication. For the reasons given above, the agronomist, who also has at heart the health and welfare of man and beast, can hardly look with favor upon any of the plans which have been proposed for the use of sewage from large cities for irrigation purposes. There is scarcely a time in any large city when some infectious disease, due to the activity of germs, does not exist, and the sewage is liable at all times to be contaminated therewith.

HINT FOR BUILDERS.

A Cheap, Light Foundation for Small Farm Buildings.

In constructing poultry and other farm buildings it is often desired to make a tight foundation, for the sake of warmth in winter, but not at the expense of a cemented stone or brick

A CHEAP FOUNDATION.

foundation. The cut shows an excellent plan. Cedar posts are set where needed, then boarded up inside and out with matched cedar boards. This gives an air space between the boarding that will keep out the wind very effectually. The building can then be set upon the posts, the whole expense for foundation being small. Other wood that does not readily decay can be used if desired instead of the cedar. A window ought to be put into the foundation on either side, to be kept open in summer, to air out the interior. In this way the inner boarding will be much less likely to decay.—N. Y. Tribune.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

When a horse refuses to eat let him rest.

Most crops exhaust the soil in proportion to their value.

One good advantage in summer plowing is in the destruction of weeds.

Small farms well tilled are what makes the country rich and prosperous.

With hogs, cattle and horses especially feed to maturity as far as possible.

Never sell young growing stock when there are older animals that can be spared.

For building up poor land sheep are a better class of stock to keep than any other.

Too close pasturing at this season of the year is simply robbing the soil of its fertility.

The self-rake reaper is a good implement to use in cutting clover to thresh for seed.

If the pigs are to be fattened early it will be best to commence feeding grain in good season.—Farmers' Union.

Killing Weeds with Mulch.

Small patches of Canada thistle and quack grass can be often best destroyed by, using a mulch of almost anything that will be so compact that the new shoots that come to the surface cannot work their way through it. Care should be taken to suppress quickly all shoots of the obnoxious growth that will appear outside the mulched area. So soon as the roots find they cannot grow through they will increase their growth on every side so as to avoid the mulch. If only a few or barely one or two sprouts reach the surface they will keep life in the underground roots, and the work must all be done over again next year.

Plowing by Electricity.

A system of electric plowing has been worked out on a commercial basis by A. Borsig, of Berlin. Overhead conductors do not extend into all the fields, but are tapped by temporary wires laid on the ground. It is possible with an electric conducto of 500 meters and a plowing rope of 300 meters working length, to plow 22 acres from one center of operation. Mr. Borsig states that with five plows and fixed engines of 250 horse-power 6,000 acres of medium heavy ground can be plowed to a depth of 14 inches at a cost of 95 cents per acre. The use of separate engines increases the cost by 14 cents per acre.

ENERGY SADLY WASTED.

A Calculating Barber's Astonishing Figures of a Bicycle Century Run.

Snyder, the calculating barber, was talking about cycling, and was holding forth upon the energy expended by women in making century runs, says the Philadelphia Record. "I have done a little figuring on the subject," he remarked, "and the result is most surprising.

"Take a woman who weighs 120 pounds and who rides a wheel weighing 20 pounds. In riding 100 miles I have calculated that a power of more than 3,600,000 pounds of energy, or about 100 horse-power, has been brought into play. And to think that all this has been expended in riding a bicycle.

"Had the woman directed this energy in running a sewing machine, where a force of two pounds will run a needle over a piece of cloth for a distance of a foot, she could have hemmed a piece of muslin about 1,500,000 feet, or nearly 300 miles long.

"The same amount of energy used to propel a baby carriage weighing 10 pounds, containing a baby weighing 12 pounds more, would send the youngster 500 miles. The same amount of energy expended in churning would produce 30 tons of butter, or would push a carpet sweeper over an area of 250,000 square feet.

"The woman also could have ironed, without any more fatigue, a strip of muslin one foot wide and 210 miles long. And if she had been shopping, just think of all the bargain counters she could have walked around. I tell you, it's astonishing. Bay rum or witch hazel, sir?"

GAMBLING IN CRIPPLE CREEK.

Layouts in Every Saloon, and Miners Who Have Stacks of Wealth.

Out in Cripple Creek the gambling houses are running in every saloon, says the Nebraska State Journal. They are huge, gilded affairs, where the hard-working miners, after coming from their eight-hour shifts, go to while away their time and money instead of thinking of home and mother and filling their socks with money to pay off the mortgages on the farms back home.

The men stand five and six deep behind the wheels watching the players as they risk their money, the less adventurous hardly having the courage to make the play, till, having seen some man get a winner, they, too, step up and bet on the black or the red. On the tables are stacked piles of silver coin and gold eagles, and the operators of the machines every little while take occasion to show that the game is backed by much more than the thousand or so that is in sight by displaying a stack of bills in a receptacle behind the table where the notes are thrown when paid in, with a kind of reckless abandon that is quite taking.

At other tables a policy wheel will be running, with so many drawings a day. In another corner of the room a crowd of men will be shooting craps, a large and intensely absorbed crowd witnessing the play at each place. Off at one side a stud poker game is running. The old miners seem to favor this game particularly, and their grizzled features show the intensity of their interest as the chips come and go.

CHALLENGED GOD.

A Seedling Forced Open the Walled Tomb of an Infidel Countess.

"In the town of Hanover, in Germany," Evangelist Moody writes in Ladies' Home Journal, "there is buried a German countess who denied the existence of God and ridiculed the idea of the resurrection. To further show her contempt for Christianity she ordered that on her death her grave should be built up of solid masonry and covered by large stones bound together by iron clamps. On this tomb was engraved her defiant challenge that through eternity this tomb should never be disturbed. But one day the seed from some tree, either blown by the wind or carried by a bird, became lodged in a small crevice of the tomb, where soon it sprouted and began to grow. And then, as if nature had seemed to mock the haughty infidel, she quietly extended the delicate root of that seedling under the massive blocks of stone, and slowly raised them from their place. And now, although scarce four generations are passed since that tomb was sealed that insignificant seedling has accomplished what God Himself was challenged to accomplish."

Penurious War Department.

Live heroes, when they serve in the ranks, can always count on shabby treatment from the British authorities. When the transport ship Warren Hastings, with 1,246 souls on board, went ashore on the rocks of the island of Reunion last January, in a pitch dark night, with a heavy sea running, all England rang with the praise of the bravery and discipline of the troops, who stood drawn up in companies on the deck till the women and children were saved and then went ashore as they were told off. Many of the officers were then mentioned in orders and some were promoted. The soldiers and their families lost all their baggage. After six months the war department allows each man six dollars to renew his kit and each family $2.50 as compensation for lost property.

A Wild Deer Blew in His Face.

A gentleman who was fishing on Seventh Lake, N. Y., a few days ago became tired and sleepy. So he anchored his boat near the shore in a shady spot and lay down in the bottom for a nap. After awhile he was awakened by something blowing upon his face, and when he opened his eyes he saw a big buck standing to his belly in the water beside the boat and with his nose close to the fisherman's face. The gentleman lay quite still, rather enjoying the situation. About that time another boat came around the corner into the little cove, and the buck with a bound disappeared in the woods.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 26th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of ELIAS BROWN deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Esther M. Brown, widow of said deceased, praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas H. Brown or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 23d day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 6th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of SAMUEL RAPPLEYE, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Erastus Rappleye, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Tuesday, the 7th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 23d day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:

Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 96 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links (7.70) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links (9.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on saidline to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 80 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 92-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St. 11 rods; thence east parallel with first course 3 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 566 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 553 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and parallel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence north along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south parallel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said north line of Logan St. 40 to place of beginning. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence south to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 83-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a point on south line north 86¼ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 3 chains and 72 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48½ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 38 degrees east 8 chains and 2 links to southwest corner of E. ½ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line between east and west halves of northeast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 38 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 13-100 acres of land.

SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.

Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Mary Hoadley to Jerome Camp, all of the Township of Fairfield, County of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, and bearing date, the 6th day of February, 1880, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Lenawee on the 18th day of February, 1880, in liber 122 of mortgages, on page 651, and which said mortgage was, on the 21st day of April, 1880, duly and legally assigned by the said Jerome Camp to William Anderson, and which said assignment was, on the 29th day of April, 1891, recorded in said Register's office in liber 125 of mortgages on page 238, and on which said mortgage there is now claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of eight hundred fifty-four dollars and fifty-six cents ($854.56), together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars ($25) provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amounts secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 15th day of November, 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the east front door of the court house in the City of Adrian that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Lenawee is holden, I shall at public auction or vendue sell to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with six per cent. interest thereon and all legal costs together with said attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars covenanted for therein.

Said premises being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Fairfield, County of Lenawee and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: Being the east twenty (20) acres of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. nine, in town eight, south of range three east, containing twenty acres of land, be the same more or less.

Dated, Adrian, Michigan, August 7th, 1897.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, Assignee of said mortgage.

WARNER, BEAN & SMITH, Attys. for said Assignee.

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(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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ANGRY FOR THIRTY YEARS.

Because His Wife Sewed the Wrong Button on His Vest.

Because Mrs. Marion W. Hatton threw a stool at him and sewed a pants button on his vest nearly 30 years ago, Theodore Hatton wants an absolute divorce, says the Syracuse (N. Y.) Herald. The action is brought in the state of Illinois, and evidence is being taken in this city, both for the plaintiff and the defendant. The parties are well advanced down the toboggan of time, the defendant being upward of 50 years old and the plaintiff at least as aged.

There are some interesting things about the case. Until about 1872 the Hattons lived near Amboy, supposedly happy, as all married people are to be considered until they reach the courts. One day the plaintiff, after a quarrel with his wife, which neither claim was regarded more than a trivial matter, left his home and went west. He was heard from at various times, but no contributions to the support of his wife and child were received.

A short time ago Mrs. Hatton heard that her husband had brought suit for divorce, and that judgment was about to be entered by default. The matter looked irregular, as Mrs. Hatton had never, she says, received a service of the papers or an intimation of the litigation until informed by an acquaintance. An answer was put in denying the charges made and alleging the facts as Mrs. Hatton and the people about Amboy remember them. It is said that Hatton, since living in Chicago, his present residence, has accumulated some property.

LINCOLN'S MOTHER'S GRAVE.

A Lonely Tomb on a Wooded Hill in Indiana.

The recent communication between President McKinley and Gov. Mount in which the former called the attention of the latter to the neglected grave of Nancy Hanks, mother of Abraham Lincoln, has attracted attention from all over the country to the grave. It is located on a hill of gradual ascent and is right in the middle of the woods, about a mile from Lincoln City, a little station on the Air Line road in Spencer county, Ind. It is inclosed by an iron fence, which separates it from a number of other graves around it, and has a neat headstone which gives the name, age, etc., of the occupant. An inscription also says: "Erected by a Friend of Her Martyred Son, 1879." It is comparatively isolated, and any improvement made in its surroundings would not prove of any great value.

In order to fittingly honor the dead the people of that vicinity suggest that the remains be taken up by the state and reinterred at Indianapolis, or that the United States reinter them in some national cemetery. A $1,000 shaft could be placed over it where it now stands and ten persons in a year would not see it unless they made a special trip there.

NEW WESTERN IDEA.

Girls Who Give Gold Models of Their Little Fingers.

"Do little girls here give gold models of their little fingers to their fiances?" asked the western girl of the Gothamite, reports the New York Sun.

"Heaven, no!" answered the Gothamite. "It seems to me that that is a rather grewsome souvenir."

"Not at all," answered the western girl. "It is decidedly dainty, and I'm a little surprised that New York is so far behind the times. The fad started in this way: When the daughter of one of our big western politicians was six months old he had a model of her little finger cast in gold. Around the little dimpled digit is a ring of turquoise, which is her birthstone, and it makes a lovely charm for her betrothed's watch-chain. He valued it so much that it set other men to thinking, and the result is that as soon as a girl wraps one of these chaps around her little finger sufficiently for a proposal to follow, he immediately insists upon a gold facsimile of the flesh and blood original. It is a pretty conceit, and is being followed by every westerner who is in subjection to somebody's little finger."

Concerning "Purfessors."

The misuse of the title "professor" as often vulgarly applied to musicians in general finds a laughable example in the following story credited to Bandmaster Sousa. It seems that some years ago, before the existence of the organization which bears his name, and before "The Washington Post," "Liberty Bell," "Cotton King" and "El Capitan" had made the American march king famous, he was leading a band in the government service, at some small country festival. The advent of the band had been awaited with intense interest by the local population, and, as a consequence, the bandsmen were soon surrounded by a surging crowd which hemmed them in so that it became well-nigh an impossibility for them to keep on playing. Sousa pointed out the fact to a local official, adding that unless the crowd fell back his band would have to stop. That personage shook his head warmly, and turning to the assembled multitude, bawled out: "Gentlemen, step back and give the purfessor's purfessors a chance to play!"

A Clever Ruse.

It was an ingenious ruse that a prisoner who escaped from a South Carolina prison recently hit upon to throw bloodhounds off his track. The convict was tracked by the dog to a farmhouse, where he had begged breakfast. He stole a pepperbox, and after leaving the house peppered his tracks. The dog almost died from the effects of the pepper and had to be called off.

New Wire Gun.

A projectile from the new wire gun in a recent trial completely penetrated an 18-inch steel-faced compound armor plate backed by a six-inch wrought iron plate, by eight feet of solid oak and three inches of iron and was found imbedded in a clay bank 35 yards behind the target.

IMPERIAL PAWNSHOP.

Austria Conducts the Pawnbroking Business for Her Poor.

Austria has an imperial pawn shop. It was established in Vienna in 1707, when there was great distress among the poor in the southern part of the empire. It was designed as a way to secure to the starving some means of immediate relief, and by putting the rate of interest as low as possible, and embodying in the system every advantage that could be given to those who sought to make loans, it was found to be so effective that it soon gained the imperial sanction, and it was not long until its managers were made public officials under the direction of the minister of the interior. This is substantially the status of the institution at this time. The rates are so low that the business done on the cheap goods and chattels of the poor could not possibly make the establishment self-sustaining; but people who have been suddenly reduced in circumstances or who are temporarily embarrassed, keep the margins on the right side and enable the institution to keep open without the aid of a subsidy. In the year 1893 a total of 866,015 articles were pledged, and of these 848,562 were redeemed, a remarkable redemption as compared with the proportions of the average pawnshop. The unredeemed pledges were sold by public auction and whenever they brought more than the face of the pledge the balance was set to the account of the pledger, to be refunded any time within three years.

COMFORT FOR MAN AND BEAST.

The Picture Presented on a Big Canal Boat Tied Up Over Sunday.

Tied alongside a bulkhead in the Harlem river was a big canal boat. In the stable at one end stood three horses munching hay out of their manger, says the New York Sun. The deck over the horses, forming the roof of their stable, was a foot or two, or maybe more than that, higher than the surrounding deck, and it was open all around, so that the breeze blew through freely. It was a hot day, but the horses were in the shade, in place where they could get the air if they could get it anywhere; then they had plenty to eat, and they were apparently as comfortable as horses could be.

Down at the other end of the boat another scene presented itself. There an awning had been stretched over the deck from side to side, aft of the cabin. It was a Sunday. Under this awning, in a comfortable rocking-chair, sat the canal boat's captain, reading a newspaper. Here, too, sat the captain's wife, reading a book. Under the awning, stretching from the cabin door, they sat as on a veranda in front of a house on shore, and quite as much at home. It would have been difficult to find a more comfortable spot, and, indeed, the boat was a picture of comfort for man and beast.

HE KNEW WHO WORE SOCKS.

Clever Trick Played on a German General by a Subaltern Officer.

Under orders existing some time ago, men in the German army wore at will either socks or fuszlappen (a species of bandage) on their feet. During an inspection, relates the San Francisco Argonaut, a certain general asked a subaltern officer what his men wore on their feet. He replied that some wore socks and some lappen—about 70 per cent. socks. The general further asked him if he knew what each individual wore. He was answered promptly in the affirmative. "What," said the general, pointing to a man in the ranks, "does this man wear?" "Socks" was the response; and on the man taking off a boot on the general's order, a sock was found to incase the foot. The same test applied in several cases produced the same result. The general was highly impressed with the intimate knowledge of detail displayed by the subaltern, but the lad disclosed subsequently to his brother officers the simple device which procured him such kudos. His men, by his order, had all a sock on one foot and a fuszlappen on the other. They were instructed to note carefully the answer given by their officer, and to remove the boot which would disclose a verification of his assertion.

Balloon Accidents.

"The cause of so many balloon accidents," says Aeronaut William Kendall, of Philadelphia, "lies in the fact that the beginner doesn't realize what a delicate piece of mechanism a balloon is, and after having been employed about a balloon outfit for one season he imagines he knows it all. These people manage to get a balloon, usually an old, weather-beaten affair, and then secure an engagement at some amusement park. Statistics show that nine out of every ten such aeronauts meet with accidents. In one week seven parachute leapers were injured, some fatally, and during the season of 1896 no less than 47 aeronauts were killed. And in nine cases out of ten it is all because they haven't mastered the intricacies of their profession."

A House Like a Woman's Head.

Of the many ideas put forward for the Paris exposition of 1900, none is more original than the proposal to build a house (to be devoted to the world of women) in the shape of a beautiful woman's head. The suggested entrance will be at the base of the neck, and the eyes are to be illumined by electric arc lights. The chance for some mechanical genius to invent mechanism to work the jaw up and down is obvious.

A Lucky Strike.

Houghton, Aug. 11.—The Atlantic Mining company found the Six-mile hill copper vein on its property Tuesday morning. If it proves rich it will be a big thing for the Atlantic, as it now works the poorest vein in this section.

Intoxicating Tree Saps.

Intoxicating liquors have been made from the sap of the birch, the willow, the poplar and the sycamore.

PARSONS EXPECTS A PARDON.

Man Who Stole Half a Million Makes Complete Restitution.

Saginaw, Aug. 18.—Newell B. Parsons, now serving a term in Jackson for the larceny of $463,000 worth of Cincinnati, Saginaw & Mackinaw railway bonds from the Wells-Stone company, will probably soon be a free man. Some time ago his Saginaw friends interested themselves with Gov. Pingree in his behalf for a pardon. Investigation showed that this would be impossible, because two charges were still pending in the circuit court against him—one for larceny of several thousand dollars' worth of valuable jewelry and one charging him with forgery of a $3,000 check. Recently Parsons made a complete restitution of the stolen property and Tuesday Prosecuting Attorney Eaton entered an order in the circuit court asking that the pending cases against Parsons be nolle prossed. The bill stated that the prisoner had returned all the stolen property except certain account books belonging to the Wells-Stone company. They had been destroyed. After reading the bill Judge Wilbur ordered the cases dismissed.

Parsons' friends at this place will now make a big effort to secure his pardon.

FLAMES IN ELK RAPIDS.

The Chemical Works Burn and Two Men Are Injured.

Traverse City, Aug. 18.—Elk Rapids suffered fire loss Tuesday afternoon to the amount of $15,000. The fire originated in the engine-room of the chemical works of the Elk Rapids Iron company, and that department was a total loss without insurance. The entire plant was consumed with the exception of the storehouse, containing 500 tons of acetate. It is not yet known whether the plant will be rebuilt. Alva Parks was riding to the fire when he was thrown out and a hosecart passed over him, producing internal injuries which will probably prove fatal. He is paralyzed from the neck down. John Herman was also seriously injured by jumping from the roof of the burning building.

FIRE AT BENTON HARBOR.

French House, Two Factories and Several Residences Burned.

Benton Harbor, Aug. 16.—Fire Sunday evening destroyed the French house, owned by A. Jerue, the residences of John Holmes and John Fonger, the Colby-Hinkley company's stave mill, Perry's cooper shop and two barns, entailing a loss of several thousand dollars. A hard wind was blowing toward the town and for a time it was thought the entire city was doomed. The St. Joseph fire department was called. The guests of the French house lost all their belongings and some escaped in their night robes. The fire was set by tramps in one of the barns.

Death of Judge Palmer.

Big Rapids, Aug. 14.—Judge John H. Palmer died at his home here Friday morning of Bright's disease after a short illness. Judge Palmer was judge of the Twenty-seventh judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Mecosta and Newaygo, and was one of the ablest judges on the Michigan bench. He was born in 1844, and the most of his life he has been a resident of this state. He has held many positions of trust. He was a soldier and was also a prominent Knight Templar.

Mines Resume.

Bessemer, Aug. 14.—The Brotherton mine at Wakefield resumed operations and will employ 200 men when all the places are filled. The mine has been closed for the past four months, there being a lack of ore rates. The Sunday Lake mine, which works in conjunction with the Brotherton, on account of the water communicating from one to the other, will probably resume in a few days with about the same force of men.

Belgium's Forests.

Little Belgium has several first-class fortresses; Antwerp, and the fortified towns of Dendermonde and Diest, on the Meuse, Liege, Huy and Namur, and on the French frontier, Mons, Tournay and Ypres.

A Woman's Feat.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—Mrs. Margaret Lelong arrived at her home in this city from Chicago on a bicycle, being the first woman to ride a wheel from Chicago to the Pacific ocean.

G. A. R. Encampment—Buffalo.

On the occasion of the 31st National Encampment the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets, August 21, 22 and 23, to Buffalo at one cent per mile, good returning until September 20th. The arrangements are such as to cause this encampment to be the largest, grandest and most successful ever held. Every member of the G. A. R. organizations, their relatives and friends should not fail to attend. The rates are low and the service of the fast trains over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will enable you to make the trip cheaply, quickly and comfortably, both going and returning.

A handsomely illustrated, descriptive book about Buffalo, the encampment, route, and containing map of the city, and program has been prepared and will be sent free to any member of the G. A. R. on application to A. J. Smith, G. P. & T. A., L. S. & M. S. Ry., Cleveland, O.

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New Potatoes		80

MEAT MARKET.

Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 00	4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 @6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25

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Wheat	75	87
Corn, shelled	27	85
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	15	18
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VETERANS IN CAMP.

Annual Meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The City of Buffalo Welcomes the Boys in Blue—President McKinley Arrives and Speaks at a Banquet.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Grand army week opened with fair weather. All indications point to a colossal encampment beyond the expectations of the most sanguine citizen. Train loads of veterans and their friends are constantly arriving and a person might think there was a great parade in progress as the posts march up the main street to their quarters.

Camp Jewett Formally Opened.

Camp Jewett, the picturesque tent city erected for the accommodation of visiting veterans, on a bluff overlooking Lake Erie and the mouth of the Niagara river, was officially opened by Commander in Chief Clarkson Monday afternoon.

Stepping to the front of the piazza, Mayor Jewett, on behalf of the citizens' committee, presented the camp

THADDEUS S. CLARKSON.

to the commander in chief, who accepted it in a graceful speech.

President McKinley Arrives.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Another beautiful day greeted the veterans of the G. A. R. yesterday. The features of the day were the arrival of President McKinley at three o'clock in the afternoon, the parade of naval veterans and ex-prisoners of war and the banquet tendered the president at five o'clock. When President McKinley entered the banquet hall it seemed for fully five minutes as though the roof would have to fall or the side-walls bulge with the roars of applause and greeting. Then the president said, very slowly and distinctly:

"Mr. Toastmaster and Comrades, and My Fellow Citizens: I wish I might frame fitting words to make suitable response to the more than gracious welcome which you have accorded me here to-night. I come with no set form of speech; I come with no studied phrases to present to you, but I come in the spirit of comradeship; to talk with you as we have often talked in the past, around the camp fires in war as well as at camp fires in peace. (Applause.) To me, I see by the programme, has been assigned the toast "The Country and Its Defenders." My fellow citizens, blessed is that country whose defenders are patriots. Blessed is that country whose soldiers fight for it and are willing to give the best they have, the best that any man has, their own lives, to preserve it because they love it. Such an army the United States has always commanded in every crisis of her history. (Applause).

"From the war of the revolution to the late civil war the men followed that flag because they loved that flag and believed in what it represented. (Applause.) That was the stuff of which the volunteer army of 1861 was made. Every one of them not only fought, but they thought. (Applause.) And many of them did their own thinking, and did not always agree with their commander. (Laughter and applause.) That young soldier who in the late war, upon the battle line, ahead with the color guard, bearing the stars and stripes, way in front of the line, but the enemy still in front of him, when the general called out to the color bearer: "Bring those colors back to the line," quicker than any bullet that young soldier answered back: 'Bring the line up to the colors.' (Prolonged applause.) It was the voice of command; there was a man behind it, and there was patriotism in his heart.

"'So nigh to grandeur is our dust;
So near to God is man. When duty whispers:
Lo, thou must! the youth replies,
'I can.'"

"And so more than 2,000,000 brave men responded and made up an army grander than any army that ever shook the earth with its tread. (Applause.) And engaged in holier cause than ever soldiers did before. What defenders, my countrymen, have we now? We have the remnant of this old, magnificent, matchless army of which I have been speaking, and then as allies in any future war, we have the brave men who fought against us on southern battle fields. (Great applause.) The army of Grant and the army of Lee are together. (Applause.) They are one now in faith, in hope, in fraternity, in purpose and in an invincible patriotism, and therefore the country is in no danger. (Applause.) In justice strong, in policy secure, and in devotion to the flag all one. (Great applause.) My fellow countrymen, I thank you and bid you good-night." (Prolonged applause.)

The Naval Veterans.

Rear Admiral Sears called the twelfth annual convention of the National Association of Naval Veterans to order Tuesday afternoon. About 300 delegates were in attendance. Daniel F. Kelly, of Philadelphia, was elected rear admiral for the ensuing year over Will H. Atkins by a vote of 94 to 13.

Ex-Prisoners of War.

The National Association of Ex-prisoners of War met in national convention with Commander Charles F. Sheriff, of Pittsburgh, in the chair. The attendance was the largest since the organization of the association. The report of the adjutant general showed 63 local associations with a membership of 1,932 and 702 individual members, a total membership of 2,204. There was a substantial cash balance in the treasury. Several speakers advocated the passage of the ex-prisoners' relief bill to be presented to congress. Commander Sheriff was reelected.

FRUITLESS CONFERENCE.

Miners and Operators Fail to Come Together on Terms.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 24.—The miners' officials and operators held a conference here yesterday but nothing was accomplished, and another attempt will be made to-day to come to terms pending an arbitration. During the conference President Ratchford, of the Miners' union, said that if the strike was not settled by the operators, the labor conference to be held in St. Louis on the 30th would cause a strike of all trades all over the country that would appall the world. Col. Rend, an extensive operator, in reply said:

"You are keeping up this strike for the benefit of certain operators. With thousands of women and children starving you talk of another strike of greater magnitude, which, if successful from your standpoint, would bring the business of this country to a standstill. Such a strike would be nothing more or less than an insurrection. It would lead to another civil war. Why, out in Chicago we hanged seven better anarchists than you. Any person that takes my property and tells me I shall not operate it, as you are doing, is worse than an anarchist. The people of this country put their foot down on anarchy, but have not stamped it out. They are ready with more ropes to hang any others, and I am ready to take hold of a rope and help them. You are a Judas to the cause of labor as well as being an anarchist."

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 25.—The final effort to arrange a plan for ending the big coal strike has proved a failure and the strike goes on. At noon the conference between a committee of coal miners and operators, national and district officials, closed and the conference adjourned without date. The miners' representatives did not recede from their original proposition to settle the strike by arbitration and start the mines at the 69 cent rate.

FLOODS IN NEW YORK.

Streets Inundated and Basements Filled to a Depth of Seven Feet.

New York, Aug. 25.—After 40 days, during which rain fell with provoking regularity, New York and vicinity was on Tuesday morning treated to a cloudburst. The city was flooded in many sections. Along the river front particularly the tremendous rainfall played great havoc. Streets were inundated and basements were filled with water to a depth of seven feet. City streets were transformed into rivers, swift currents carrying debris of all kinds down to the business sections, breaking down fences, sweeping away trees and filling cellars and first floors of dwelling houses and factories. Scores of families were held prisoners in their homes until the waters receded. Factories and business places were inundated, and the loss to business concerns will amount to more than $100,000.

The greater part of New Jersey, to a distance of many miles from the coast, was deluged. Large farms became swamps, with buildings here and there dotting the surface of the water like islands. As in the storm of three weeks ago, Elizabeth was the greatest sufferer. The damage there is estimated at from $30,000 to $50,000. The storm in Newark broke all previous records for a single hour's rainfall. Streets were transformed into rivers in many sections of the city and there was not a cellar in the southern and eastern parts of the city that was not flooded. The water in Pennsylvania avenue rose above the mail boxes on the lamp posts.

GOV. TANNER'S ADVICE.

Urges Laboring Men and Employers to Get Together.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 25.—Gov. Tanner has issued his labor day proclamation. It is the longest one ever issued by any governor of Illinois and the most unique in many respects. He urges upon labor and capital the necessity of devoting the day to patriotic discussion of their differences and the cultivation of closer social relations. He also chooses the opportunity to announce that he will not interfere with the marching miners so long as they do not resort to violence, and warns both sides that they are equally amenable to the laws of the state.

Unconstitutional.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 25.—The law enacted by the last legislature requiring the labeling of convict-made goods brought into Wisconsin from other states was on Tuesday declared unconstitutional by Judge Seaman, of the United States court, who held that it was void because it interfered with interstate commerce. The decision is the result of a test case brought by the arrest of Vint Connelly, agent for a firm manufacturing shoes in the Minnesota state prison at Stillwater. Connelly was arrested at Hudson a short time ago charged with violation of the law.

Five Children Drowned.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 23.—Five children were drowned in the harbor yesterday afternoon by the capsizing of a float. The dead are: Albert Driscoll, aged eight; Gertie Harvey, aged 11; Jack Bethel, aged ten, and two others, names unknown. The bodies of the three former were recovered.

—The tomb of Mohammed is covered with diamonds, sapphires and rubies valued at $10,000,000.

BACK FROM ALASKA.

Three Men Reach Seattle from the Klondike Gold Fields.

They Were Forced to Leave Because of Scarcity of Food—Many Will Starve—Gold on Peace River.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 23.—The first party of Klondikers to brave the dangers of a trip overland to civilization arrived in Seattle Saturday on the steamer Starr, with 90 pounds of gold taken from five claims. Four are on Bonanza and one on Eldorado creek. The lucky miners are Edward Thorpe, of Seattle, who was supposed to be dead, George Stewart, of Tacoma, and Joseph Winterholen, of Juneau. They carried their gold in two large black satchels, and owing to their citified appearance did not attract much attention when they hastened from the steamer to the car that took them to the home of Thorpe's father. They were not anxious to attract attention, and changed their dress at Juneau. They are not talkative, but what they do say is conservative and worthy of consideration. They say they came out because food was scarce.

They do not say much about the perilous journey they had after leaving the head of Pelly river, 175 miles from Dawson City. Their pack horse fell over a precipice, with nearly all of their provisions. They nearly starved before reaching salt water August 13.

Many Must Starve.

San Francisco, Aug. 23.—A special to the Bulletin from Dyea, Alaska, August 14, tells of the pitiful condition of many of the searchers for gold, who are now stopping at Dyea, unable to proceed farther on their journey, owing to lack of funds for provisions. Many of those now in Dyea are physically unable to make the trying trip and there are many who will suffer great hardships before the winter is over. Many of those who arrived on the steamer Williamette are absolutely without shelter, seemingly having gone to that cold region depending on the open-heartedness of others to keep them living. Many of the people who are unable to reach Dawson this winter have two tons of provisions and no possible means of transportation.

Grew Rich in a Year.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—One year ago Fred Phiscator was a poor man engaged in the lumber business at Barodo, Mich. Saturday night he arrived in Chicago on his way home from Alaska. In a big red pocketbook which he carried in the inside pocket of his vest there reposed a certificate of deposit for $120,000, beside which Mr. Phiscator remarked that he had refused $200,000 for the claim he left behind, and thought it was worth $1,000,000. It is his intention to spend the winter with his family and friends and in the spring he will lead a party of friends to the scene of his fortune making.

Gold on Peace River.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 23.—The next mining excitement will be on Peace river, in Northwest territory. Mining has been carried on there in a slow way for years, but discoveries made this summer leave no room to doubt that an immense amount of gold will be taken out of that river and its tributaries during the next two years. A. D. Kitchen, a prominent mining broker of this city, has just returned from British Columbia. At Vancouver he met a young man named Johnson, who had just come down from Peace river with his partner, bringing $18,000. The $18,000 brought out had been cleaned up by the three men in three months. They went to Peace river early in the spring, and Johnson started out in July. Johnson said that all the miners on Peace river were making a great deal of money with the crudest of appliances. Johnson told Mr. Kitchen that if he wanted gold all he had to do was to go to Peace river.

Star Pointer Wins.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—In three heats—time 2:02, 2:04¼, 2:04—Star Pointer on Saturday again and decisively lowered the colors of the great black beauty, Joe Patchen. Fully 16,000 persons witnessed the race. In the first heat of the big match Star Pointer and Joe Patchen crossed the finishing line so nearly on even terms that many of those who saw the race never will be able to satisfy themselves that a mistake might not have been made by the judges in passing out Star Pointer as a winner. Moreover, the time, 2:02 flat, was the fastest heat in harness ever paced.

Want War Renewed.

Athens, Aug. 23.—A meeting of over 3,000 people held here Sunday adopted an address to King George, urging him and the government to reject the proposed peace treaty between Greece and Turkey, and to resume the hostilities which were interrupted by the truce. The entire press, however, and a great majority of the public of Athens condemn the agitation for a resumption of the war.

Assisted Slaves to Escape.

Lamoille, Ill., Aug. 23.—A. G. Porter died here at the age of 83. He came to Illinois in 1837 and during slavery times was a conductor on the underground railway, working in unison with Owen Lovejoy. He was friendly with the Indian chief Shabona.

Wheat Takes a Tumble.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Wheat in this market fell from one dollar on Saturday to 91⅝ cents yesterday.

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CLINTON

Miss Kittie VanTuyle is sick.

Leon Clark returned from Chicago Friday.

Jas. Hamilton was in town the first of the week.

Mamie Mingus has been visiting at Adrian since Monday.

Miss Lizzie Roff returned to Washington last week Thursday.

Mrs. Maggie Rowland, of Chicago, is visiting at Frank McNally's.

Alfred Tuttle and El Blythe were down from Manchester Saturday.

Miss Libbie Priest returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Toledo.

Miss Lue A. Brown, of Saginaw, arrived last Thursday for a visit here.

Miss Lillian Keyes was the guest of Miss Laura Clark Friday and Saturday.

Miss Martha Hurd, of Ann Arbor, has visited at W. S. Kimball's the past week.

Miss Mabel Howland, of Grass Lake, visited Miss Grace Corwin Monday and Tuesday.

Wm. Millspaugh attended the reunion of his regiment at Devil's lake last Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Beckwith, of Norvell, has visited Mrs. Florence Bigham since Saturday.

Mrs. Almira Priest returned last Thursday from a visit at her son's at Manaciona.

Wallace Case, of Manchester, came Wednesday to visit his sister, Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh.

Mrs. W. H. Katner, and Mrs. E. C. Breece were Tecumseh visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. M. B. Haywood and son Waite, of Ann Arbor, are spending a few weeks at E. R. Smith's.

G. C. Lindsley and wife went to Grass Lake Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith, with their guests, spent Sunday at Tarry-a-while cottage, Wampler's lake.

Mrs. D. Monroe returned Wednesday night from a visit of three weeks with her daughter at Lacon, Ill.

Miss Helen Millspaugh returned last Thursday from Penn Yan, N. Y., where she has been visiting a few weeks.

Ed Sumner and mother, Mrs. Barker, of Ann Arbor, were guests at E. R. Smith's from Thursday until Tuesday.

Misses Mary White and Bessie Corwin returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with friends at Grass Lake.

Will Burton and Fred Koering returned Sunday from their trip to Buffalo, and report a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. P. Alexander returned Thursday night from a three week's visit with friends at Chelsea and Stockbridge.

Mrs. B. D. Niblack returned Thursday from Brooklyn and reports her sister, who has been very ill, as much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh drove up from Britton Sunday and her sister, Miss Lue A. Brown, returned with them for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Fred Valentine, of Manchester, and Mrs. Harriet Royal, of Tampa, Florida, were guests of Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh Wednesday.

Miss Kittie Plumb, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Mame Bradner, the past few weeks, left Tuesday en route for her home in Grand Rapids.

Roy Fisk, who has been a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. P. C. Smith, for the past few weeks, left Wednesday morning for his home at Newton, Iowa.

Rev. J. A. Barnes, of Union City, a former pastor of the Congregational church, occupied that pulpit Sunday morning and at the union service in the evening at the Baptist church.

Wednesday F. D. Lane ster and wife, Mrs. R. O. Randall, A. G. Burton and daughter Christine, Geo. Sherwood, David Monroe, Otis Gillen, M. F. Hunter and Childs Wells were in Tecumseh.

Geo. W. Freese who lived over to Tecumseh Tuesday afternoon and went into Detroit on the D. & L. N. From there he went to N. York, expecting to stop off at Buffalo and also at Paines Hollow, N. Y., where his wife is spending a few weeks at her old home.

Solomon Tate returned from Chicago Saturday night bringing 700 feeding sheep. He will dispose of a part of these to farmers and will feed the balance himself. He arrived at Lenawee Junction too late for the regular freight and was brought the rest of the way by a special engine.

Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh went over to Britton last Friday and visited Bert and family until Saturday afternoon when she went on to Dundee for a visit with friends. Saturday Ansel and Nellie went over on their wheels. Nellie returned home Tuesday but Ansel remained over and will return with his wife tonight or tomorrow.

Tuesday evening Rev. T. B. Leith lectured at the town hall in the interest of the Columbian League. He was accompanied by several members of the order and their ladies from Saline. They did not reach here until 8:30 and a great many had left the hall thinking they were not coming. However a fair audience remained and gave the closest attention. After the lecture all the Leaguers and visitors repaired to their lodge room where a fine lunch was served.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Mrs. A. T. Chase, of Adrian, is visiting Mrs. S. N. Munger.

Andrew Taylor, who has been working for Seth Simmons, is home for a couple of weeks, he being in ill health.

Miss Sadie Taylor went to Petoskey Wednesday. She is going to teach at Clarion, a few miles south of Petoskey.

Mrs. Geo. Knapp and daughter, Lalla, of Tecumseh, and Mrs. and Mrs. L. Marsh and daughter Mildred, of Mt. Pleasant, visited at S. N. Munger's Saturday. Miss Ella Munger returned with them to Tecumseh and remained until Sunday night.

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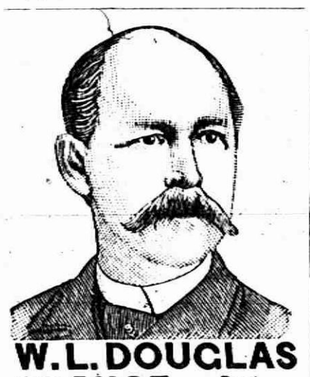

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INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Only $6,000 railroad taxes remain yet to be paid.

Oscoda county's jail has been empty for six months.

The Michigan Bell Telephone company has filed its $750,000 mortgage in Kalamazoo county.

Work on the northern extension of the Detroit & Mackinaw railroad is to begin at once.

Willie Leanes, aged eight years, of Saginaw, was drowned in the river near Carpenter's mill, Bay City.

The Huron County Agricultural society will hold its annual fair at Bad Axe on September 28, 29, 30 and October 1.

Frank Herrig has resigned as agent of the American Express company at Saginaw, after 22 years' continuous service.

The Ispeming and Negaunee mine managers have notified their employes that they will not recognize the union in any manner.

Prof. Ellis D. Walker, of Ann Arbor, has been elected superintendent of the Bluffton city schools, for which position there were 80 candidates.

The Bay City common council will see that all Canada thistles within the city limits are cut and assess the cost against property owners.

Artemus H. Beach and wife, of Battle Creek, celebrated their seventieth wedding anniversary last week. They are 92 and 89 years of age respectively.

A boom has been started for ex-State Senator Edward E. Edwards, of Newaygo, for judge of the Twenty-seventh circuit, to succeed the late Judge Palmer.

The population of Port Huron, as taken by the school census enumerators, shows a population of 18,201. The state census in 1894 placed the population at 18,141.

Grand Rapids military men are hustling hard to form a new company to take the place of company G, Ionia, which was disbanded just before the state encampment.

Commissioner Wesselius reports that 150.47 miles of railroad were constructed in Michigan last year, the most in four years. The total for the past five years was 484 miles.

The largest shingle deal ever made in Manistee was consummated recently. Jager & Son, of Chicago, bought 9,500,000 shingles from several firms, Louis Sands selling 5,000,000.

The St. Joe river is rapidly filling with wild rice sowed years ago by Colon sports to keep the ducks in that vicinity, and the river in Mendon is almost stagnated by the dense growth.

Oscoda county boasts of the largest school district in the state. It was created by the legislature at the last session, and comprises the townships of Mentor and Big Creek and is 12x24 miles.

A 20,000-barrel artesian well has been struck on the grounds of the Northern Michigan asylum at Traverse City. The water is pure and sweet and will be piped through the building and grounds. The flow was struck at 95 feet.

Tuscola county farmers are beginning to think there will be some money in potatoes this fall. The crop of tubers in that section will be about half that of the past two or three years, and already buyers are in the field trying to make contracts for the fall delivery.

Act of a Maniac.

Millington, Aug. 21.—Miss Mary Freeman, 40 years old, who was recently discharged from the insane asylum at Pontiac, went to her brother's barn, closed and locked the door, and set the place on fire. Her cries attracted the attention of a group of farm hands, who tried to save her life. The fire was put out by hard work, but the woman was found dead. The corpse was frightfully burned.

Railroads Pay Taxes.

Lansing, Aug. 20.—The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic paid taxes of $38,778, and the Manistee & Northwestern, $3,922 Thursday night. Out of a total of $668,983 for the current year there remains but $6,044, six small Michigan roads being the debtors. In addition to interest at seven per cent., which was added August 1, there will now be collected a penalty of two per cent. per month.

Freight Car Famine.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 23.—The railroads centering here have orders for 1,500 more freight cars than they have in sight, and the suddenly developed famine is likely to cause serious inconvenience in handling freight. The shortage is caused in part by the greater demand for fruit traffic and partly by heavy shipment of manufactured goods and merchandise.

Case Puzzles the Doctors.

Niles, Aug. 23.—The case of Patrick Kelley, whose neck was broken by a fall several weeks ago, is attracting much attention. At first he was paralyzed below the hips, and it was not supposed he could long survive, but he is now able to sit in a chair and move his legs. He is improving so fast the doctors think he will soon be out again as well as ever.

Was Determined to Die.

Saginaw, Aug. 23.—William Eisenberg, 72 years old, committed suicide in a dramatic manner. He secured a cord and fastened it to the bed post and, making a noose, put his head into it after taking his seat in a chair. He then sent a bullet into his head and dropped back, expiring. Ill-health is the only cause known.

Anti-Saloon League's Work.

Lansing, Aug. 25. — The Michigan anti-saloon league is conducting a vigorous summer campaign, by speaking through its state superintendent and field secretaries from the various Chautauqua platforms, as at Bay View, Ludington and Orion, as well as conducting anti-saloon Sundays.

VICTORIA'S ANCESTRY.

Generations That Connect Her with William the Conqueror.

Queen Victoria, who has been 60 years on the throne of Great Britain, is the niece of William IV., who was the brother of George IV., who was the son of George III., who was the grandson of George II., who was the son of George I., who was the cousin of Anne, who was the sister-in-law of William III., who was the son-in-law of James II., who was the brother of Charles II., who was the son of Charles I., who was the son of James I., who was the cousin of Elizabeth, who was the sister of Mary, who was the sister of Edward VI., who was the son of Henry VIII., who was the son of Henry VII., who was the cousin of Richard III., who was the uncle of Edward IV., who was the cousin of Henry VI., who was the son of Henry IV., who was the cousin of Richard II., who was the grandson of Edward III., who was the son of Edward II., who was the son of Edward I., who was the son of Henry III., who was the son of John, who was the brother of Richard I., who was the son of Henry II., who was the cousin of Stephen, who was the cousin of Henry I., who was the brother of William Rufus, who was the son of William the Conqueror, 800 years ago.

Liquid Air in Commerce.

New methods of liquifying air at a reduced cost have been invented in Germany, and Mr. de Kay, United States consul at Berlin, mentions in his official report some of the uses to which liquid air may be put. One of these is for illuminating purposes. An illuminant can be formed from liquid air by mixing it with ordinary air, in certain proportions, while it is passing back to its normal condition. Liquid air may also serve as an explosive agent for various purposes. As a portable liquid, rich in oxygen, it is suggested that it should serve many purposes in manufactures. The price in Germany has heretofore been $2.25 for five cubic meters (about 176½ cubic feet) of air reduced to the liquid condition, but Prof. Linde, of Munich, has invented a process whereby the cost has been brought down to about 2¼ cents per five cubic meters.

Awful Result of Storms in Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 9.—The cloudbursts and inundations which have devastated the eastern parts of Germany were the worst which have occurred since 1870. According to local statistics 105 persons were killed in Silesia alone, and in Saxony the casualties will not fall short of 180. The financial losses foot up over 150,000 marks.

Three Drowned.

Salem, O., .—Josie Phillips, aged 20; Mary Phillips, her sister, aged 16; of Salem, and Isaac Master, of Winona, were drowned at Shelton Grove, a pleasure resort.

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BRITTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ward visited Toledo friends the last of the week.

Miss Lou Brown, of Saginaw, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Kishpaugh.

Charlie Kishpaugh, of Raisin Center, was the guest of Ralph over Saturday.

Quite a number from here attended the tri-state fair at Toledo each day this week.

Miss Nickerson took advantage of the G. A. R. excursion rates to visit friends at Buffalo.

Wayne Johnson took his wife and child over to Petersburg Sunday for a stay of some weeks. He returned home the same day.

L. E. Hause and wife joined their daughter Emma and husband at Wampler's lake the last of the week, and spent a few days very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh, and Miss Nellie Kishpaugh, of Clinton, visited their brother Bert the last of the week. They were enroute for Dundee.

Clarence Hause and Vern Yates made the trip from Dundee Sunday in quick time on their wheels, covering the nine miles in a little over 29 minutes.

An ice cream social for the benefit of the Despelder Reformed Sunday school, was held at the residence of H. Miller Selig, in east Macon on Tuesday evening of this week.

Owing to increased business, the Wabash Ry. have added to their day force here. George Clark is now working days, and Ralph Callahan takes his place as night man.

Will Ousterhout, Wash Underwood, Frank Brown, Miles Ousterhout, and Burt Lee were at Toledo during the week assisting in manipulating a hay baler on exhibition there.

The Wabash has two events for the near future. Aug. 29th an excursion to Detroit, round trip fare 75c from Britton, and on Sept. 10th, an excursion to Niagara Falls $4.75 for the round trip. For particulars see bills or inquire of agent.

The four boys, who went to the Falls on their wheels, returned home Sunday. George Clark and Jud Kniffen in the morning, Lavern Gripton and Lyman Osterhout in the afternoon. They separated at the Falls, and took different routes home.

Last Saturday the Britton Citizen changed hands, C. H. Goodrich selling out to W. S. Kellogg, of Rea, who took possession Monday morning. Mr. Kellogg is a practical printer of many years' experience, and intends to conduct an up to date paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Smith, of St. John's, who came to attend the Hoagland reunion, are spending a week or two among old friends and relatives. They are advanced in years but well preserved, and in feelings and movements apparently as young as they used to be.

Mrs. James Haight was summoned to the sister, Mrs. Alfred Kelly, at Hollo- last Sunday. Mrs. Kelly has been ill a long time. The physicians thought it advisable to have an operation performed and she was taken to Detroit Monday for that purpose, Mrs. Haight accompanying her.

Next Sunday morning at the Reformed church the pastor will preach on "Our Faith tested by our Liberality." In the evening about "Putting on the Lord Jesus Christ." The Y. P. S. C. E. service at 7 p. m. will be in the form of a consecration service, and the president, Mrs. C. B. Exelby, will lead.

The Hoagland reunion at the residence of Mrs. W. Ousterhout last Saturday was largely attended, over one hundred being present. Every thing passed off smoothly. A choice program was rendered, and the dinner was all that could be desired. New officers were elected, and next year the meeting will be held at Edmund Smith's.

Rev. C. I. Deyo, pastor of the Christian church, may hold his last service next Sunday before his vacation. Mr. Deyo is a victim of hay fever, and for seven years has found a city of refuge at Petoskey and Bay View. Should services continue over another Sunday due notice will be given. His text for next Sunday are as follows: Morning, "God's Plumbline" evening, "Personal Identity."

Mrs. H. Goodrich, who established the Britton Citizen some thing over a year ago and has conducted it to the present time, has disposed of it, and Monday left for Hudson to take a position on the Gazette. His family will follow as soon as he gets settled. During their residence here, both he and the estimable wife have drawn around them many warm friends who regret to see their pleasant relations broken.

The ball game Saturday afternoon, for the benefit of the bicycle path fund between what was termed the Ridgeway Bloods, and the Britton Scrubs, was more like a jug handle, all on one side. The supper young men from our neighboring village were flayed alive by the Britton handed Scrubs to the tune of 24 to 4. Zibbie and Palmer composed the Ridgeway's battery. Stewart and Palmer were Britton's. The game furnished lots of amusement to the onlookers, and the fund realized about $8.00.

Stop drugging yourself with quack nostrums or "cures." Get a well known pharmaceutical remedy that will do the work. Catarrh and Cold in the head cannot cause suffering if Ely's Cream Balm is used. Druggists will supply the trial size or 50c. full size. We mail it, ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., New York City. Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls' Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for Catarrh if used as directed." Rev. JOHN W. POOLE, Pastor Central Presbyterian Church, Helena, Mont.

RIDGEWAY.

E. T. Smith was in Toledo Tuesday.

Geo. Graves has a felon on his right hand.

Dora Bocklington went to Perrysburg Saturday.

Stephen Plews was in Adrian on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Rappleye spent Sunday in Dundee.

Mrs. John Arner is visiting at Napoleon and Manchester.

B. F. DePuy and daughter Fern were in Jackson over Sunday.

J. J., Dwight and Frank Clarkson went to Detroit Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will McCrimman, the 21st, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houseman and George were in Adrian Friday.

Mrs. M. Gooding and daughters, of Tecumseh, spent Tuesday here.

T. A. Allison and wife went to Toledo Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank Clarkson went to Detroit Tuesday to spend the week there with relatives.

Ada Cole, of Dartford, Wis., visited at Lafayette Rappleye's the fore part of the week.

Frank Henry has moved his wagon shop back from the street preparatory to enlarging it.

Mrs. Frank Wintersteen and sons went to Toledo Wednesday, to take in the State Fair.

Gertrude Boyd and C. A. Graves attended the teachers' examination at Adrian last week.

Bertha Smith, Nellie and Edna Walker, of Adrian, are visiting the Graves sisters this week.

Addie Sherman left Monday for Clifton, N. Y., to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. E. B. Fellows.

A. R. Arner went to Toledo Sunday to take a position as brakeman on a passenger run on the D. T. & M.

Mrs. C. M. Gove left Sunday on the G. A. R. excursion for Buffalo. She will also visit at Washington, N. J.

Ray Henry, Glenn Smith and Arthur Palmer last week Thursday made the round trip to Adrian on their wheels in 2 1-2 hours.

Mrs. J. F. Temple, Charles Foote and family, T. H. Temple and family, attended the Hoagland reunion at Britton Saturday.

A. C. Arner, Floyd Smith and Carroll Culbertson wheeled to Saline and return by way of Macon in less than 2 1-2 hours Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Webster, of Hillsdale, visited their aunts, Mrs. W. H. Arner and Mrs. Catharine Cox, from Thursday until Tuesday.

Prof. L. M. Palmer and family, of Jackson, arrived at Dr. Loree's Saturday. The professor left for Howell Monday to attend a teacher's institute.

Charles East, while drilling a well for C. L. Lowe on his prairie farm, had the third finger of his right hand cut with the drill point. Dr. Loree dressed the wound, and he is doing nicely.

S. P. Smith, and M. J. Martin took in the G. A. R. excursion to Buffalo. Mr. Smith will visit his daughter Mrs. C. E. Staats at New York, before he returns, and Mr. Martin will visit relatives near Rochester.

Since the change of time of the D. T. & M. trains, the a. m. mail arrives at 8:40 from the east, and the p. m. at 7:07 from the west. All D. T. & M. trains stop at this station, and all D. & L. N. trains stop on signals for passengers to all points.

MACON.

School begins next Monday. Prof. Geo. Reudel teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. DeSpelder, of Tecumseh, visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Glympse, of Bridgewater, were here Sunday.

Miss Ida DeNike gave a tea party to a number of little folks Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Jane Thomas, who has been on the sick list, is reported better.

Remember the W. C. T. U. meeting at Mrs. Elwin Camburn's tomorrow afternoon.

Misses Hettie and Edna McClue returned to their school duties at Charlotte this week.

The M. E. Aid Society will hold their next meeting at the parsonage in Clinton next week.

Mr. F. Ferwerda will preach in the South Macon Reformed church next Sunday evening.

A social will be held at Mrs. George Kuder's Tuesday evening for the benefit of the M. E. Sunday-school. A good attendance is desired.

The officers of the S. S. Association of Ridgeway and Macon townships will meet at the home of Mr. Boyce Tuesday afternoon to make the necessary arrangements for a meeting to be held at Britton in the near future.

The C. E. society will hold an "Anagrammatical" social at the home of Miss Sue Langan Friday evening, Sept. 3rd. A prize will be given to the person translating the greatest number of anagrams. Supper 10c. Those desiring supper will be permitted to order nothing that they cannot translate from the following menu:

1. He bet a draw.
2. Me old cat.
3. A bad slab cage.
4. I pluck roses.
5. See, Ches., get a cot.
6. I wake the C.
7. Go-neck peas.
8. Fef E. Co.
9. Jet, at a pan.
10. See, we cram 't.
11. Ha! Write Gus.
12. 'Twer a clod.

CONE.

Mrs. Lyra Auten is on the sicklist this week.

Walter Caswell visited friends at Bannister last week.

Willie Rockwood visited friends in Tecumseh last week.

Floyd Palmer, of Eureka, called on friends here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rapps, of Raisinville, visited their son Fred last Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Caswell and daughter Iva, is visiting friends at Ypsilanti this week.

Mrs. John Pentecost, of Franklin, visited friends here the first of the week.

Mr. Vern Hopper, of Howell, is the guest of his cousin Ed Hopper this week.

Miss Marcia Handy, of Tecumseh, visited her aunt Mrs. Backwood the first of the week.

Mr. Ellis Vandeventur, of Ithica, who visited friends here for a few weeks, returned home last Friday.

Minnie Pearl, and Addie Kent, of west Toledo, are guests of their grandmother Mrs. Jane Auten this week.

Mrs. Emma Curry and three children, and B. W. Ellis, went on the excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls the first of the week.

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HOLLOWAY.

Miss Ellen Atwell has returned from Detroit.

Mrs. A. Carpenter and daughter Grace were in Clinton over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Rothfuss entertained Manchester friends Saturday evening.

Miss Bertha Macham and Mrs. Osborn visited at Brooklyn the first of the week.

Quite a number from here attended the S. S. convention at Palmyra Saturday.

Miss Ellen Atwell will have charge of Miss Fish's millinery store during the absence of the latter.

Millinery goods at greatly reduced prices at the rooms of E. H. Fish, to make room for fall and winter goods.

Messrs. J. L. Richard, Geo. Holloway, Horace Holdridge, Loren Pardee, Merritt Granger, Conrad Atwell, wife and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Philo have gone to Buffalo.

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Grand Rapids, Mich., April 13th, 1895.

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A. Laban.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 29th, 1895.

On May 23d our livery outfit was badly damaged by fire. On the 28th the loss was satisfactorily adjusted and paid through the office of the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Company, and we can recommend this office to all people who are desirous of prompt, honorable and courteous treatment.

H. A. Greenley.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 24th, 1895.

Yesterday my house at No. 174 Lyon street was badly damaged by the fire in the Second Reform Church. I reported the loss to the Grand Rapid Fire Insurance Co.'s office, and they immediately took up the adjustment, and this morning Secretary McBain handed me a check in full payment. I recommend all Grand Rapids citizens to insure their property in our Home Company, where you are sure to receive prompt, honorable and courteous treatment.

Calvin L. Ives.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 4th, 1895.

This morning at 4 o'clock a fire started in my dwelling, No. 144 Innis Avenue, from a gasoline stove. I reported the loss to the Home Office of the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. and before noon the loss was satisfactorily adjusted and paid. It is a pleasure to do business with this office.

Henry Joseph.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 4th, 1895.

At 10 o'clock last night a lamp exploded in my home and caused considerable damage to the furniture. I was fortunate enough to hold a policy in our Home Company, the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co., and before noon to-day the loss was satisfactorily adjusted and paid. I would recommend all Grand Rapids citizens to patronize the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co.

Wilbur S. Burn.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 29th, 1895.

We had a loss November 26th, in our printing office, which was insured with the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. Its prompt settlement makes us feel perfectly safe in recommending it to persons wishing insurance.

Hansen & Johnson.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 10th, 1896.

On January 9th I suffered a loss by fire. I immediately notified the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. with which I had the good luck to be insured, and its adjuster settled the loss by a very prompt and liberal payment. Persons wishing prompt and courteous treatment will always find it there.

Wm. Thurston.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 6th, 1896.

We had a fire loss in the upper story of our main factory building. The Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. hearing of it was the first one on the scene to settle and adjust, which it did in one day. This Company is noted for its promotness.

G. R. Stave Co.

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 6, 1897.

Yesterday my awning at 515 W. Leonard St. was destroyed by fire. It was insured in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Company. Today the adjuster settled the loss in a very satisfactory manner. I take pleasure in recommending this company to all Grand Rapids citizens for its promptness and reliability.

Wm. Brugman.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 6, 1896.

The house I occupied took fire from the gas heater in the bath room and burned, and as a result I suffered a heavy loss on my household furniture, which I am glad to say was insured in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. Its promptness in adjusting the loss was very pleasing to me and I can heartily recommend it to all desiring good insurance.

Dr. S. C. Graves.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 12th, 1896.

As the result from a burning chimney I had a loss on a building which was insured in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. Upon notifying it of my loss an early and satisfactory settlement was soon made, and I was in possession of a check for $922.45. I can heartily recommend it to any persons desiring insurance.

D. M. Amberg.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 4th, 1896.

As the result of a leak in a gasoline stove, I had a loss in a building insured in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. The adjustment and payment were both made in one day, showing the officers to be full of push and business. It is a very satisfactory Company to deal with.

Emil J. Klag.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 13th, 1896.

On March 10th I suffered a loss by fire in my refrigerator. I held a policy in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co., and it promptly took up the adjustment of the loss and Secretary McBain handed me a check for $225.00 in full payment. This Company's prompt settlement and courteous treatment made business a pleasure when dealing with it.

F. J. Dettenthaler.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 25th, 1896.

On the 23d inst. I had a loss on one of my buildings, which was promptly adjusted by the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co., which held the policy, and a check in full payment was handed me the following day. I can heartily recommend this office for prompt and courteous treatment.

N. W. Northrop.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 2d, 1897.

Sunday afternoon my home on Laurel Avenue was entirely destroyed by fire. I reported the loss to the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co.'s office, and they promptly took up the adjustment, and to-day Secretary McBain handed me check in full payment. I would recommend the citizens of Grand Rapids to insure their property in a Home Company, where you are sure to receive prompt, honorable and courteous treatment.

Hiram Whitcomb

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 26th, 1897.

On March 26th we had a small loss by fire, caused by the furnace. Upon notifying the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. the matter was immediately taken up and within a few hours I was handed a check in full for my loss.

Joseph Penny.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 21st, 1897.

On April 20th we suffered a loss by fire. We were fortunate enough to have insurance in the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. and upon notifying Secretary McBain he immediately took up the adjustment, and the same afternoon handed us a check for the full amount of loss. This Company's promptness is a matter that cannot be overlooked in these times.

Wegner Bros.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 11th, 1897.

I take pleasure in testifying to the promptness and fairness of the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Co. in the settlement of its losses. The loss on my furniture June 1st, 1897, was adjusted immediately after notice was given, in a fair and impartial manner.

H. Sprague.

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 22d, 1897.

Last evening we had a very narrow escape from total destruction by fire of our "Children's Home," but fortunately the promptness of the firemen saved the building, and the fire was soon subdued. And just as prompt was the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Company in adjusting the loss. To-day I was handed a check for the full payment which will enable us to repair damages with very little inconvenience to ourselves or the little ones.

Mrs. M. P. Bissell, Pres. Children's Home Society.

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 9th, 1897.

Wednesday evening last my house was damaged by fire. The Grand Rapids Insurance Company immediately took up the adjustment of the loss, and Thursday I was handed a check in full payment. This prompt settlement of a Home Company saved me several days of annoyance resulting from the confusion of a fire, and I cheerfully recommend it for its prompt and honorable dealing.

Franklin Barnhart.

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FINANCIAL LETTER.

Chicago, Aug. 24, 1897.

September wheat sold in this market for a dollar a bushel last Saturday. One week previous the closing price of September wheat was 84c so that the appreciation in price for the week was 16 cents.

This is indeed a remarkable showing, but it is not more than those who have followed closely the trend of events in the commercial world have looked for, although the realization came more quickly than many expected. And yet there seems absolutely nothing to prevent a still further notable increase of grain prices. The situation warrants such action. There is no longer any doubt about the European shortage. It is growing larger every day, and this morning the first Liverpool cables to Schwartz, Dupee & Co. reported a rise of over 5 centsper bushel since the close there Saturday, thus showing that our tremendous gain of seven cents Saturday was not unnatural. This also is the opinion of men who are interested in the wheat trade in every capacity, as millers, exporters, etc. They find that in the purchase of cash wheat they are in no case able to buy cheap at higher figures than for the next option quoted on the Pearl of Trade. Cash wheat, for example, sold at 97 1-2 on Chicago Saturday when the September option was at 99 1-2 cents.

It is this daily evidence that the market is in no sense a manipulated one, but that prices are based on actual supply and demand which makes the largest grain dealers in the world confident that prices have not by any means reached their limit. There will necessarily be reactions, but thus far in the great upward movement they have been few and far between. But after such reaction a still greater advance is looked for until the present demand from Europe shall have been satisfied. The deficiency there, which not long ago was estimated by Beerbohm at 224,000,000 bu., is now put by the same authority at 384,000,000 bu., or nearly twice the original figures. If this be fully true, and if the crop damage already apparent is followed by still further loss in that direction there is no reasen why American wheat may not sell for $1.25 per bushel. These figures may seem improbable to those who have been accustomed to wheat below a dollar for the last few years, but sensible, experienced men do not so regard them.

Just now the situation is accentuated by the fact that receipts at primary points are very light. This means that the farmers are holding their wheat, and thus far they have made money every day by so doing. At what point to sell is of course a matter to be determined only by individual judgment, but no grain raiser can justly complain if he fails to take advantage of the present market.

The fluctuations last week and closing prices today, of wheat as dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade were as follows:

	Range last week.	Today's close.
Sept.	83 1-2 a $1.00	96
Dec.	82 1-4 a 99 1-4	95 3-4

Michigan Game Law.

The sportsmen in and about Tecumseh may be interested in the following which is a condensed section of the present game laws:

Any six months' resident in Michigan can hunt for deer by paying a license of 75 cts.; residents from other states must pay a license of $25. No deer hunting in Michigan now without a license. Hunting season from Nov. 8 to Nov. 30, both dates inclusive. No hunter to kill more than five deer in any one year. No deer in red coat or spotted fawn to be killed. No dogs, traps or snares or artificial lights. Partridges or pheasants, quails and spruce hens to be killed only from Oct. 1 to Dec. 1. In the upper peninsula partridges can be killed from Sept. 15 to Nov. 15. Quails, woodcocks and partridges not to be sold in market. Wild ducks, geese, brant, and all other water fowl to be killed only from Sept. 1 to Jan. 31, and then only from one-half hour before sunrise to one and one-half hours after sunset. In upper peninsula can be killed only from Sept. 1 to Jan. 15. Snipe, woodcock and plover can be killed from Oct. 1 to Dec. 1. No song birds or insectivorous birds can be killed at any time, except the English sparrow, blackbird, blue jay and butcher bird. "No person or persons shall injure, kill or destroy, by any means whatever, any wild fox squirrel (American squirrel), black squirrel or gray squirrel save only from the first day of October to the thirty-first day of December, both inclusive, in each year. No person or persons shall make use of ferrets in pursuing, capturing or killing fox squirrel, black squirrel or gray squirrel at any time."

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations of the Railroads.

Detroit, Aug. 23.—C. W. Taylor, of this city, assistant to General Manager McGrue, says that within a few months the Detroit & Lima Northern will begin the construction of immense docks in Detroit for the purpose of handling iron and coal with the greatest facility and the least expense to vessel owners. Negotiations are now pending for the purchase of a site on the river front. As soon as the deal is closed, contract will be let for the construction of the docks and work will be begun as soon thereafter as possible. "No expense will be spared", said Mr. Taylor, "to make our docks in this city thoroughly modern in every respect. In their construction especial attention will be paid to the iron and coal trades, as we expect to do a large business with the lake vessels. To that end the docks will be equipped with the latest machinery for handling coal and iron ore. Southbound ships laden with iron ore will be unloaded as quickly and as cheaply here as they could be at Cleveland or any other port, and they will be given a return load of coal, or other freight with equal facility."—Blade.

Tuesday night as the freight drawn by engine 38 on the D. T. & M. was pulling out, the train ran into some cars at the edge of the trestle. These cars were in the yard with brakes set. Some one must have loosened them, and it being down grade, they moved down to the trestle. It being very dark the engineers did not see them in time to stop his train. He and the brakeman jumped, but the fireman did not for by that time the train was on the bridge and the danger was fully as great to do so. Had it not been there was a car for Tecumseh that night, the train would have gone through at full speed and a terrible wreck and loss of life might have happened. Although the engine and several cars were injured, the damage was small to what it might have been.

Injunction papers were issued from the circuit court late Saturday night, against Mr. Langdon, of the City Roller Mill, and the Detroit & Lima Northern road, restraining them for the time being from building a side track on what is alleged to be Lake Shore railroad land on the north side of the mill property, on Logan street. There is some dispute between Mr. Langdon and the Lake Shore company, as stated the other day, over the ownership of a strip of land, and the matter will have to be adjusted in the courts. It was feared by the railroad company that the road would be put in there Sunday, hence the injunction. Mr. Langdon states that he has not thought of building on the ground mentioned. The papers were served on him about 11:50 Saturday night.—Adrian Telegram.

The D. T. & M. carried 1357 passengers to Devil's lake yesterday, 1057 from this way and 300 from the west. It is the disposition of the management to furnish plenty of cars for patrons of the road under all circumstances, but at this particular time, on account of the G. A. R. encampment at Buffalo, it is impossible to beg, borrow or steal passenger coaches.

The Detroit and Lima Northern company has placed temporary flagmen at the Maumee street and "red mill" crossings. They will be kept there until electric gongs are introduced, which will be in a short time, it is promised. Gongs will be put in at several other crossings also.—Adrian Times.

It is reported that the D. T. & M. management has purchased the Birdsall hotel at Devil's lake, which will be the commencement of a great summer resort. The deal was to have been consumated yesterday.

The D. & L. N. station is slowly but surely going west to its new location. Meantime the old Mosher house is being used as a ticket and telegraph office.

About 180 people from Tecumseh took in the farmers' picnic at Devil's lake yesterday, judging from the number of railroad tickets sold.

Mrs. R. B. Tolan, and R. B.'s father, D. H. Tolan, of Delphos, Ohio, visited here last week.

Auditor and Mrs. A. L. Richmond are in Detroit today.

Train Despatcher Allen is ill.

A Bunch of Keys.

Hoyt's "Bunch of Keys" will be the opening attraction at the New Croswell, Adrian, Tuesday, Aug. 31st. This greatest of all farce comedies was written by Chas. Hoyt. It was his first effort and laid the foundation of the eminent Senator's fortune. Each year Mr. Hoyt turns out one or more of his admirable skits. All have been more or less successful but without doubt the "Bunch of Keys" is so far his master piece. Manager Bothner always presents it with a clever company and is continually brushing it up and introducing up-to-date features. Ada Bothner will play Teddy. We all know her and love her for her cleverness.

Special Excursion to Niagara Falls via Wabash Railroad.

The Wabash will run a special excursion train, leaving Adrian at 9:20 p. m. Sept. 10th, arriving at the Falls at 6:48 next morning. Tickets good on this train only and limited returning on any train within five days at a rate of $4.75. Tickets to Thousand Islands, will also be sold with a return limit of eight days, at a rate of 10.25.

The annual taxes of the world aggregate the enormous sum of $4,350,000,000.

In France the doctor's claim on the estate of a deceased patient has precedence.

Action is really the life of business

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Ed. J. Morden has won a signal honor in Chicago, having been awarded a partial scholarship under Bernard Listman for being the most proficient of thirty-one students of the violin who entered the contest at the Chicago college of music. He was the last of the number to undergo examination, and had played but a few moments when the president gave him the prize.—Adrian Times.

Two gentlemen who live on East Side are so lonesome that they sit up nights and mourn in their wretchedness. The trouble is that their wives are spending a few days at the lake, and before their departure failed to provide housekeepers to look after matters at home. The gentlemen are now looking for ladies to take those positions. None but handsome ones wanted. All applications addressed to A. H. Bump, Jr. or Chas. Eastman will receive prompt replies.—Hudson Post.

Geo. E. Gunn, of Charlotte, deputy factory inspector, says the improvement in business throughout his territory is remarkable, and that the number of idle men is decreasing rapidly. He states that the factories are increasing their forces, nearly all of them working on full time and many running over time. The furniture, implement, and wagon factories are rich with orders, and in many of the manufacturing institutions the wages of the employes have been increased.—Adrian Times.

The new state law requiring horseshoers to undergo an examination as to their fitness and capability as a prerequisite to continuing the business has gone into effect. The examinations are to be conducted by a state board of horseshoers, who will issue certificates to those passing the required tests. It will exercise a general control and regulation of horseshoers all over the state. All apprentices will hereafter be required to attend a special course of lectures on the anatomy of horses' feet before presenting themselves for examination.

Those of our citizens who are subject to hay fever are singularly free from the disease this year. Heretofore, at this time of the year, there are a number in this village and vicinity who would be coughing, sneezing and making laborious efforts to breathe comfortably, but in spite of all they could do, the epidemic made life a burden for several weeks. They have not been troubled so far this year and are shaking hands with themselves about it, but know not what to lay their good fortune to, unless it is the absence of rag weed, which usually infests the yards and highways. This year there is a scarcity of the weed, for some reason or other, and consequently no pollen to irritate the mucous membranes.—Manchester Enterprize.

L. A. Wilcox, of Dundee, has a telescope nearly completed and it is all his own work. It is a refracting telescope, objective lens three inches in diamater, 48 inch focus and four and a half feet long. He has been at work on the telescope nearly a year and a half but there is work yet to do as it is yet unfinished. Mr. Wilcox has a locomotive and tender on a railroad which is all together about four feet long, and every part of the locomotive is perfect and all made of wood except the boiler and that is sheet iron. The locomotive is the work of a jack knife and was made many years ago when he was a young boy 17 years old. Even the coal in the tender is whittled out of wood. The most remarkable thing about it is that the parts that should look like iron do look like iron, although it is all of wood, track and all, and the part that should looks like wood. Adrian Messenger.

With this issue of the Citizen, the present management transfirs the editorial reins to the hands of one who is, undoubtedly, more competent to hold them. Mr. W. S. Kellogg, of Rea, but formerly of Washington state, and a man of extensive newspaper experience, will hereafter have charge of the Citizen, and who will put forth every effort to fill its columns with sparkling reading matter of local interest. As for ourselves, we have enjoyed our labors in your midst, and wish to thank our readers for their past support, and the interest taken in the welfare of the Citizen—the pioneer paper of Britton, and ask that this same interest, many times compounded, be continued in the future. Encourage your local paper by sending in news items, your job work, your subscriptions—and paying for in advance. This done, the paper will flourish and be a respectable sheet to represent an enlightened, intelligent people. May success attend the Citizen.

In McClure's Magazine for September William Allen White, whose story of "The King of Boyville" has been read with delight the country over, will relate "An Episode of the Swimming-hole at Boyville," wherein "Piggy" Pennington and his devoted subjects further reveal themselves.

Notice.

All persons are warned against purchasing or using any fence machine, tool or supply, of any person or agent selling a fence machine, operated by hand, constructed with a revolving spool, containing wire to be operatd in any form or suitable frame similar to ours. All the fence goods manufactured or sold by us, have casted in raised letters upon machine "Patent Applied for" or "Patented. G. W. Mead, Tecumseh Mich." Upon all other pieces of our goods, the same is stenciled or a printed label attached there to, bearing same and this notice, all agents must have printed certificates of agency with this notice stamped upon same. Any person found manufacturing, using, selling, or caused to be, any goods upon which we hold patents pending, will be prosecuted at once. Will give reward for full information leading to same. To the farmers in this vicinity, we will exchange our goods and fence for farm product at once. G. W. MEAD & Co.,
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Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

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Full line at new prices.

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School opens in a few days. It is necessary to dress children warm to save doctor bills. Our full line of fall goods are in consisting of

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UNDERWEAR,
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School shoes of best make to fit all feet. Rubbers, Knit Goods, etc. We will save you money on your fall and winter purchases. We are closing out all summer goods at less than Manufacturer's cost. Come and see us and save money.

Yours Respectfully,
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Saturday, Aug. 28th.

10 Bars of Bogues Soap, 25c.
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Highest Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., AUGUST 27, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT.—An office in James block, In quire of Alfred James.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework. Apply at Mrs. A. L. Richmond's, Logan street near Maiden Lane.

LOST.—A gold breast pin with garnet sets. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the postoffice. A. RICHARD.

Summer Trotting Meeting!

of the

Swanton Driving Park,

to be held at

Swanton, Fulton Co. O.

Sept. 9 and 10, '97.

Program.

Thursday, Sept. 9th.

2:30 Pace (for horses owned in Fulton county) Purse $ 50
2:40 Trot - - - - - " 100
2:20 Pace - - - - - " 150
Run, 1-2 mile, 2 in 3 - - - " 50

Friday, Sept. 10th.

2:27 Trot - - - - - Purse $125
2:40 Pace - - - - - " 100
2:19 Trot - - - - - " 175
Run, Mile Dash, - - - - " 50

Entries to Trotting and Pacing close Sept. 3, '97.

Five entries to fill.

Records made after Aug. 23 no bar.

ENTRANCE FEE—5 per cent. with additional 5 per cent. from money winners.

H. S. BASSETT, Mng'r,
Wauseon, Ohio.

Roy Hughes is home from Detroit.

Pears, 50c per bushel. A. W. SLAYTON.

Roy Treat, of Adrian, was here Sunday.

Rev. C. M. Brown was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Mrs. George S. Wilson, of Mecosta, is visiting here.

Miss Dodds returned to her home in Detroit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Heesen were up from Toledo Sunday.

Mrs. S. E Parrish is at Buffalo during the G. A. R. encampment.

Robe Hosmer made his people a flying visit the last of the week.

David Mull and Morris Green wheeled over to Hudson Saturday.

Ladies, Harris & Hiteshu are closing out their 50c shirt waists for 25c.

B. L. Baxter is home from Battle Creek and will remain a few days.

Fred Herman, of Toledo, was shaking hands with friends here yesterday.

Will H. Spalding and wife were guests of Tecumseh friends Sunday.

Walter Burnett occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Think of it! Six photos for 25c at Apple's and every one a different position.

L. S. Strong and family are enjoying a visit from Miss Mary Strong, of Pemberville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Heesen were at the Tri-state Fair, Toledo, Wednesday and yesterday.

A. P. Coddington and wife entertained Rev. F. S. Lyon, of Cleveland, O., last week.

Miss Irene M. Oviath, of Cleveland, has been the guest of Mrs. Henry Crane several days.

R. V. Wilson is home from Cincinnati and will soon travel for a New York wallpaper house.

Heesen Bros. & Co. are constructing a new sidewalk in front of their North Pearl street property.

Dr. Tefft and Newberry Satterthwaite left yesterday morning for a few days' trip around the lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Tice, of Macon, will occupy one of P. C. Snell's houses on North Pearl street.

At the home of Mrs. Howard last evening, a reception was given Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howard.

Mrs. Geo. Bliven, of Blissfield, and Mrs. Watson, of Grand Ledge, are the guests of Mrs. Will Sisson.

Mrs. J. S. Gilman visited her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Gilmore at Lake Ridge yesterday and today.

Mrs. S. A. James returned from Chautauqua Wednesday and is now at the Wolf cottage, Sand lake.

Albert Lowry and Leon Rosacrans contemplate a trip to Chicago on their wheels the first of the week.

Mrs. James Henderson has returned from her visit at Wayland. Her mother, Mrs. Wm. Chase came with her.

The Tecumseh Telephone Co. are busy at work on their line. The central office will be over McCann Bros.' store.

At St. Peters Episcopal church Sunday morning in addition to the regular music, Mr. Will Elliott will sing a bass solo.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

House to rent. A. W. SLAYTON.

E. G. Coe visited Toledo yesterday.

Robt. Moore was in Adrian Wednesday.

Will Baker was over from Adrian Wednesday night.

B. C. Day offers to sell his $100 Cleveland racer for $39.

Miss Franc Snell visited Petersburg friends over Sunday.

Miss Winifred Richards was quite ill the first of the week.

L. C. Bidwell took in the races at the Toledo fair this week.

Mrs. O. B. DeWolf was down from the lake most of this week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Ide during the month of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brighton and son are spending the week in Toledo.

Robert Elliott and Wm. Witherell took in the races at Toledo this week.

John Osborn and family, with their guests, are spending the week at Sand lake.

Miss Ada Ames left Saturday for New York state to make quite an extended visit.

Mrs. James Pocklington and Mrs. E. Prichard attended the Toledo fair yesterday.

Master Kenneth Phillips, of Blissfield, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Will Sisson.

Miss Iva Hambrook, of Ogden, is visiting at her grandfather's, Daniel Hambrook's.

Neva Fowler, of Somerset, is visiting her cousin, Nina Austin, at Horace Westcott's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith, B. F. and C. H. Thompson, of Clinton, were in town yesterday.

Miss Polly Erlenbush and Earle Bartlett, of Clinton, visited at Elmer Halladay's yesterday.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Smeltzer have been visiting Toledo friends this week. They return tonight.

Rev. and Mrs. David Lewis left Monday to attend the Friends' yearly meeting at Mt. Pleasant, O.

Al Karner and Ralph Bidwell went to Toledo Tuesday on a tandem to see the sights at the Tri-state Fair.

Miss Ella Fowler returned Wednesday evening from Toledo where she had been visiting since Saturday.

John Carey, wife and son, of Hillsdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich the first of the week.

Master Paul Munn, of Toledo, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Heck, on Maiden Lane.

Mrs. Hamilton and niece, Miss Carrie Millspaugh, returned Monday from their visit with Monroe friends.

The elegant line of shoes, walking shoes and slippers, all leather goods go at 20 per cent. off at Harris & Hiteshu's.

T. R. Kyle has been engaged as starter for the races at Swanton, O., Sept. 9th and 10th. Tom fills that position completely.

Misses Nettie Boyd and Jennie Pawson, of Ypsilanti, were guests of Ada Boyd the first of the week. They rode their wheels over.

Mrs. Jas. Hagerman, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mead, in Raisin, returned to her home in Dundee Tuesday.

Guy J. Davidson and Levi C. Hayden went to Toledo Monday and from there will take an outing trip south. They took their wheels along.

The Misses Farnsworth, Morris and Bailey rode over from Adrian on their wheels Saturday afternoon and took tea with Miss Gertrude Hialey.

Students intending to enter the high school September 6 are requested to come to the Central building the Friday or Saturday before for classification.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Emerson, of Raisin, spent Saturday and Sunday at Sand lake with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ives at their cottage and had a splendid time.

A. W. Slayton and I. C. Wolcott have purchased the vacant lot between James Jones' and Oscar Palmer's residences. Now they want to sell it and put up a neat cottage on it.

Guy Davidson with his new Cleveland racer captured first prizes in the two-mile-lap and one mile county races and second prize in the one-half mile open at Hudson last Saturday.

The annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held at the church next Thursday at 2:30 p. m. The election of officers will take place and all yearly reports must be handed in.

A reception will be tendered Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown next Thursday evening in the parlors of the Presbyterian church. All members of the church and congregation are cordially invited to attend.

The September meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will be held next Wednesday. Tea will be served from 5:30 to 7:00 o'clock. The change is made so that our pastor and family may be present.—SEC.

The many friends here of Ed. J. Morden, of Adrian, rejoice in his good fortune in securing a scholarship in the Chicago College of Music, under the instruction of Prof. Listeman, over many contestants of marked ability.

The following from here attended the hop at Putman's, Sand lake, Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Loree, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Moore, Chas. Bidwell, W. C. Burridge, Roy Burlingame, Ben. Pulver, Clyde Heck, Fay Anderson, Raynor Brewer, Ed Corey, and the Misses Camilla Meade, Herrick, Merle Munn, Edith Corey, Viola Shull, Mabel Clements and Florence Brewer.

Mrs. Fred A. Deuel is visiting friends at Battle Creek.

Mrs. Adams who formerly kept a novelty store here, is visiting friends.

Lester Heesen and Harry Langton went to Toledo yesterday for a few days visit.

Miss Florence Burlingame was quite seriously ill for a few days the past week.

It is reported that we are to have another livery to be run by Clare Brazee and Frank Cannon.

Fred Shepard, whose eyes demand a rest, with his wife and child, are visiting relatives in Hillsdale county.

Everything in summer goods at less than cost to close at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Charles Skinner Jr. having completed his season's engagement, is here and will remain with his family for a time.

Teeple makes the cheapest photos in the county, only 25c for six and you can sit six times and have a photo for each.

Miss May Temple leaves for Chicago Saturday. She will enjoy a week's vacation before again assuming school duties.

Miss Ina Jackson returned from a visiting tour and this week has been entertaining the Turner sisters from Hudson.

Mrs. Lon Henry and children, of Toledo, arrived Sunday morning and will make her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tilden a visit.

It is estimated that over two thousand people attended the farmers, picnic at Devil's lake yesterday, and all report a good time.

Joseph H. Smith and Lavern are taking a boat trip this week to Buffalo on the freight boat Hopkins in which Mr. Smith is interested.

Bert Baker, of Toledo, came home yesterday. He is having a vacation and will spend about ten days among his relatives and friends.

Wm. Jorden and family, Mrs. Geo. Teachout, Mrs. Fred Aldrich and Wilson, attended the Teachout reunion at Wolf Creek last Saturday.

WANTED.—A boy to learn the printer's trade. A good opportunity for a boy who desires to learn something. Inquire at the HERALD office.

A. W. Mills and daughter Mary rode their wheels to Ann Arbor and back one day last week. For the trip his cyclometer registered 68 miles.

The sale of the Globe mill property has been adjourned from last week till tomorrow at one o'clock. The executor is in hopes to make a sale this time.

Mrs. Burridge, Mrs. Dr. Catlin, and Mrs. Kelly, of Raisin, are at St. Mary's hospital, Detroit. Dr. Catlin who came from there Wednesday, reports all convalescing rapidly.

The annual school meeting will be held at the Central school building Monday evening, September 6th. The terms of office of Joseph Smith and S. W. Anderson expire.

Mrs. Whitemore and son Ansel, of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Jess. H. Smith, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Beardsley, of Fremont, O., were guests of Mrs. Covell a part of the week.

N. B. Bradley, of Bay City, was in Tecumseh Tuesday looking over the Temple plaining mill property which he now owns. It is rumored that he now thinks strongly of starting the plant in motion.

J. W. McGee, of Adrian, is at work canvassing Tecumseh for the McIldowney county directory. This work is complete in every particular and is not only valuable to the merchants but farmers as well.

Dr. Walker, the specialist, will commence his regular monthly visits to Tecumseh again, the first date being Tuesday, September 7. The doctor has had good success here and all who have consulted him are well pleased.

Tuesday evening, as the man on the Bramble farm was returning home from town with his wife, the horse became frightened by a train and ran away throwing them both out. He escaped injury but his wife was badly bruised.

The following took the train here Monday for Buffalo N. Y. on the G. A. R. excursion: A. J. Bank, Tipton, Geo. Swartz, wife and son, Thos. Hanley and wife, Charles Berry, Miles Baldwin, S. M. Smith, Matthew Boyd, D. D. Cole, and Henry McLean, wife and mother, Raisin.

Sectretary H. H. Furgeson, of the Lenawee county, Agricultural Society, would inform the farmers of Tecumseh and vicinity and all others interested, that the premium lists for the coming county fair, Sept. 20 to 24 inclusive, can be obtained at Seaton W. Anderson's dry goods store.

Will Hazlett now wears the fisherman's belt and no doubt it will be some time before he will have to give it up. Tuesday he caught with hook and line a pickerel in the Red Mill pond, weighing 11 1-2 lbs. This undoubtedly is the one Jim Eccles has come so near landing at different times.

Avery & Co's. delivery team made things lively for a time Wednesday noon in front of the store. The tangs were standing quietly and all at once the nigh one lay back her ears and began kicking and backing, the wagon being lifted on to the walk. She would no doubt be kicking and backing yet, had it not been for the brick block, and she getting her legs fast. As it was little or no damage was done.

Rev. C. M. Brown has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Tecumseh Presbyterian church to the Presbytery, and will accept a call at Jacksonville, Ill. Mr. Brown has many friends here who much regret his going, yet rejoice with him as he goes to a larger field. Jacksonville is a place of eighteen hundred people and geographically located so that he will be near the homes of both Mr. and Mrs. Brown's parents.

The funeral of Corporal Charles Kennedy at the Armory Sunday afternoon was one of the largest held here. It was a military funeral and the entire services were very impressive. Rev. E. C. Andrus, a member of Company C, was the minister, officiating. The music was furnished by Miss Hayden and a male quartette. The floral offerings were fine and of great variety. The circumstances surrounding his death were of such a character as to make the occasion one of extreme sadness.

A company of young people from here are occupying the Hayden cottage at Sand lake this week with Mrs. D. A. Hodges as chaperon. The young ladies are Helen and Hattie Conklin, Margaret Haire, Mary Mills, Bessie Spayde and Anna Williamson. The gentlemen are of a migratory nature, coming and going. Among their guests have been Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Beardsley, of Fremont; Mr. and Mrs. Jess. H. Smith, of Detroit; Mr. Wedemeyer, of Grand Rapids; Bertha Smeltzer, Lillian Keyes and Agnes Stevens.

RACING MATINEE.

Saturday's matinee called out the largest crowd ever seen on the grounds at any similar event and the meeting was a grand success in all respects. Every one was satisfied. Secretary Kyle acted as starter with John Gibson, of Deerfield, and L. C. Bidwell timers.

The 3:00 trot, best 3 in 5, had seven starters and was won by Veto Jr. in straight heats.

Veto Jr. bg. J. Segur, Rome,	1	1	1
W. L. ch g, W. Latham, Onsted	2	4	4
Alice L. gm, B. Lafler, Azalia	5	2	6
Newman C. bg, C. Curtis, Clayton	7	6	2
Hamiltonian Girl gm E Simmons	3	3	3
Leopard Rose sp m, E. Prichard,	4	5	5
D. A., ches m, F. Bierman, Riga	6	7	7

Time, 1.18 3-4, 1.19 1-2, 1.15 1-4.

The 2:40 trot or pace was a hot race between Frank B. and Laura Keene which the gamey little side-wheeler finally won. Frank B. did not appear to possess his usual mettle or the result might have been different. Altaloid in the first heat broke a shoe and was drawn.

Laura Keene br m Earl Bros.	5	1	2	1 1
Frank B. gg J. Vescelius, Milan	1	2	1	2 2
Maud A. br m F. Aten, Clinton	2	4	4	4 4
Minnie Aragon bm W. Roberts	3	3	3	3 3
Malcolm ch s F. Bierman, Riga,	6	5	5	dr
Altaloid bm C. Fetcher, Dundee	4	dr.		

Time, 1.21, 1.13 1-5, 1.17 1-4, 1.15, 1.16.

The half mile running race, 2 in 3, had five starters and they were all good ones though Wasippi seemed to have the speed of the party. In the first heat Black Bess, after leaving the first turn, stumbled and would have gone to the ground but her rider caught her up in a manner that called out great applause. Billy H. in the second heat on entering the stretch lost his feet in a similar manner and was nicely taken up by his young rider, Jackson. It was Jackson's first race and he received many compliments for his riding.

Wasippi ch m T. Kidd Blissfield	1	1	
Blk. Bess blk m W. Rusling Palmyra	3	2	
Billy H. ch g C. Stowell, Dundee	2	3	
Bird M. blk m B. Miller, Brooklyn	5	4	
Prairie Flower bm R. Sherrard	4	5	

Time, 57, 54 3-4.

The free-for-all proved easy for Central Boy, Teachout's pacer, who though small is every inch a race horse.

Central Boy bg G. Teachout, Tec.	1	1	1
Fannie H. gm S. Kinney, Adrian	2	2	2
C. J. V. gg C. VanDoren "	3	3	3

Time, 1.15 1-2, 1.11 1-2, 1.12 1-2.

The 2-mile bicycle dash with limit of 5 minutes came next with three starters: J. B. Hulet, Detroit, H. J. Pattison and H. J. Richards, Tecumseh. Hulet was taken sick and dropped out after the first mile. Richards came in first, Pattison second. Time 5.40. Not coming within the limit and not repeating the trial, the race was delared off.

Leon Clark, of Clinton, and H. J. Richards gave an exhibition half mile on a tandem in 1.02 2-5, the lowest time ever made on the track even when fitted for bicycle riding. They also made a half paced by Stofflet in 1.02 1-5. Considering the condition of the track both exhibitions were fine for all participating.

While the free-for-all was in progress a foot race, 100 yard dash, was announced with five contestants which resulted as follows: Prichard 1, John Smith 2, Osborn 3, Kingery 4, DeSerma 5. Time 11 3-4 seconds.

Owing to the county fairs and fall races coming on, this in all probability, will be the last matinee of the season. Manager Kyle is entitled to great credit for furnishing this community with three afternoons of rare sport.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Aug. 27 1897:

D. O. Coley, Albert Ferkenheier, Dec. C. Haworth, John Kanaly, Miss Edna Shaw, Ben Snyder, Miss Helena Steward, O. E. Trout.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

T. R. KYLE, P. M.

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Britton, Mich.

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THE SONG OF THE HOE.

Hear ye the song of the hoe,
And hear ye without scorn;
The ring of my blade on the hill or the glade
Is music to the corn.
And the old heart of the hill,
It pulses with the thrill,
And sends its sap aflow;
And it flows into the corn,
And a gladder life is born
When it hears the song of the hoe.

Hear ye the song of the hoe.
And what is the song I sing?
'Tis a sweeter rune if your ear is a-tune
Than the harper's song to the king;
'Tis a song of joy, not of tears,
How the earth for a million years
Will bud and blossom and grow,
And still be glad and young
Whenever my song is sung,
When it hears the song of the hoe.

Hear ye the song of the hoe,
I sing of the things I hear;
The thoughts down deep in the old earth's keep
Are whispering in my ear.
And the corn can understand
And it tells the smiling land
(For doth the message go),
The thoughts that have their birth
From the old young heart of the earth,
That are sung in the song of the hoe.

Hear ye the song of the hoe.
'Tis an honest song and true,
And good for men again and again,
And good for you and you.
It sings of the deep-down things,
Of the world's first lore it sings,
The world heart's overflow;
And it tells your sallow brood
The heart of the world is good—
Then hear ye the song of the hoe.

Hear ye the song of the hoe
That floats with the smell of the soil,
That tells of the wealth of the old earth's health,
Of the meter and music of toil.
And this is the core of its song,
That the earth is made for the strong,
Nor yields up its wealth to the slow;
And that labor is love and delight
To those who are fain for the fight—
Then hear ye the song of the hoe.
—Sam W. Foss, in Orange Judd Farmer.

The Price of Fame.

ZENF was a German farmer, but did no farm work. He was so prosperous that he was able to sit out under the shade of the apple trees which grew close to the porch of his house and talk to Griest, his neighbor, who was a retired brewer, about Bismarck. This was over 15 years ago, and Bismarck was a most important personage to an Illinois farmer who was a German and who did not have to work very hard for his living.

Zenf's house was a quarter of a mile back from the road, which was the last-named street of the neighboring city. It was a city of some 15,000 souls, which made it small enough and compact enough for Zenf to be on neighborly terms with the post office and the national bank. The house was a quaint, old, low-ceiled, roomy edifice, half hidden beneath the climbing grapevines, and entirely concealed from view of passers-by on the street because of the intervening shrubbery. A noble orchard of great apple trees lay alongside the farm, and sometimes Zenf and Griest would go over under the apple trees and talk about Bismarck, for a change of location rather than a change of subject. Zenf loved the farm and the orchard, and of his family he made much, for the two girls were very pretty and very sweet, and Anton, the boy, was growing up to be a credit to him. He thought he would die in the house under the grapevines, and Mrs. Zenf thought so, too.

One day a man came to the city and talked very much. He opened an office, too, and hired other men from abroad to come and help him talk. Then they got out a lot of maps, and Zenf was amazed when he learned that Griest had bought the center of Hobbins' pond.

"What for?" inquired the easy farmer. "You will raise some ducks, nicht whar?"

Griest said no. That the center of Hobbins' pond was now lot 4, block 117, Angelica terrace. Some day it would be the site of very fine mansions, and street cars would run there.

"If they do," Zenf answered, "they will swim already."

Zenf was very slow in understanding the new order of things which the talking man and his talking assistants and their maps and plans and big red signs of "For Sale" had brought about. Sometimes he would go into the city in his carriage, and he would return amazed at the follies of the townspeople who could speak of nothing but real estate. There were agencies in feed stores and harness shops and bakeries and coal offices, and one man ran from an undertaker's headquarters, jostling an approaching company of pall-bearers as he did so, to offer Zenf an option on some excellent trackage property.

It was two months before Zenf fell. He learned to his surprise that Seligman, whose farm was two miles farther out than his own, had lately platted and sold it at an enormous profit, the old Seligman place now being "a manufacturing suburb." He also learned that the land which lay alongside his orchard was Catalpa View, where the swell residents were going to build, and that for a quarter of a mile his trees shook apple blossoms upon the new thoroughfare, Montmorency boulevard, which was all jimson weed and nettles, as a matter of fact. Zenf got to thinking, and when the talking man came to visit him one day he struck a sharp bargain. The farm had been bought by him years before—in the old days before Emsie was born—for $7,000. He sold for $46,000, and this included the little tract where the first baby was buried; but, then, as the agent said, he could easily remove the crumbled little coffin to the cemetery and be glad of heart that there were no more of his dead to transfer.

It was considerable of a shock to Mrs. Zenf, but Emsie and Anton and the little girl, Lucy, were so overjoyed at the comparison of $46,000 to $7,000 that really there was hardly any objection from any quarter.

One day the Zenfs moved down the winding lane under the trees, and that was the last time they ever saw the house under the grapevines, for the very next day the agent's men came and cleared it off and drove stakes where the surveyors had already marked the new streets and cut trees for the thoroughfare, and shortly after there was an auction sale of the beautiful lot in Spring Hill addition, and common report had it that the agent sold $121,000 worth of sightly lots before the setting of the sun.

Zenf had almost lost Griest, and even with his $46,000 wondered what he should do with himself. A man has not lived all his life when he is only 41 years old, and Zenf had no inclination for going farther away and buying another farm. One day an inspiration came to him. He would open a saloon.

Griest thought this was an excellent idea. Ten thousand dollars was therefore paid for a 50-foot lot in the city, which was now becoming a metropolis, and for a similar amount a fine brick building was constructed.

Zenf's saloon was prosperous from the start, but it was much less placid than had been the house under the grapevines. There were new friends and new business associates and many calls upon the ex-farmer for his time. He had two barkeepers, and prosperity seemed to be raining upon him. He went down to the city hall one night to appear with a committee of citizens who wanted something done or something undone, and his little speech made so favorable an impression that the leaders of the political party with which he voted called upon him to go forth and work in the vineyard, talking. Politics had never before tempted him because he had been so idly busy arguing with Griest about Bismarck, but somehow he showed a remarkable aptitude, and his family saw him less and less as he penetrated further and further into the jungle of statesmanship. In the end he was nominated for county treasurer as a compromise candidate, and when he went home to tell his family about the honor which had come to him his wife, in hysteria, interrupted him to say that Emsie had "run away" with one of the barkeepers. It was a bitter blow, for Emsie was the apple of his eye, and the barkeeper was a worthless sort of fellow. But times were too busy for grieving, and politics called for him. The greatest feeling of sorrow came to him when he was elected and Emsie was not there to be glad of it.

He had been raised to the farm. He knew all its taskmastering, and as a young man he had studied in its severe school. Of accounts, although a man of acceptable education, he was ignorant—or, at most, he was not an expert. So he yielded to the suggestion of the orator who had presented his name and chose that man's son as his deputy. It pleased him to go down to the office in the county building and to look about him and think that he, Otto Zenf, farmer, was the highest-salaried man on the pay roll.

Anton, however, took to drinking.

Griest came to him one day and told him that Anton had forged his name to a check for $2,000, and it would take that much to balance up the Griest account. Zenf paid it and whipped the boy, who broke from home that night.

Zenf was such a good fellow. All those who had helped him in the election told him so and asked him to lend them money. He lent his $26,000 in pieces to various people, and when he told the other good friends that he had no more they suggested that he might lend the county funds and not only accommodate them, but earn interest. He thought it was in some way wrong, but they said assuredly no, that all treasurers had done so. Persuaded then, he yielded, and piled his drawer with papers of promise. But he made enemies as well as friends, as every public officer must, and when the next election came around he was defeated in his aspiration for reelection. The night after the luckless election his deputy disappeared. There was a paralysis in the office until in the passage of time Zenf's successor took charge. Then it was found that in the drawers were many papers, but very little money. The jury declared some months afterward that the dazed Zenf had embezzled $200,000. He could not understand it, for he had squandered nothing and had lost his own funds. Nevertheless they sentenced him to 15 years' imprisonment, and some of the people wanted to lynch him.

Zenf sews shoes all day. Sometimes he thinks of a grapevine-covered house and the great apple trees under which he used to talk with Griest about Bismarck and he wishes he could get out to just see them once again. But it is very foolish in him. Even if he were to be released to-morrow his wish could not be gratified. A big stone schoolhouse spreads far out over the place where the first baby was buried and streets paved with vitrified brick run down where the orchard was, and children ride their bicycles where the jimson grew on Montmorency boulevard.—Chicago Record.

Camel as a Scapegoat.

A very curious use to which the camel is sometimes put among the desert tribes is related by a distinguished traveler. He tells us that he once saw one employed to appease a quarrel between two parties, much as the "scapegoat" was used in the religious rites of the Jewish people. The camel was brought out and accused by both parties to the controversy of all the injuries, real and imaginary, which they had suffered. All the mischief that had been done they laid upon the camel. They upbraided it with being the cause of the feud which had separated friends, reviled it with every opprobrious epithet and finally killed it, declaring themselves reconciled over its body.

Fatal Diseases in England.

The most fatal disease in England is bronchitis; then phthisis; then heart disease, pneumonia and scarlatina.

FIGHTS FOR LIFE.

Bay City Man, Caught in Machinery, Clings to a Post.

Bay City, Aug. 22.—A shocking scene was enacted at Handy Brothers' sawmill near here, Saturday, when Joseph Drowin had his right leg torn off by being caught in a sprocket chain. When he found himself caught Drowin caught hold of a post with both hands, and pulled frantically in an endeavor to release himself. The strain was fearful, but Drowin retained his hold and allowed the leg to be drawn further and further into the machinery until a large portion of it was torn off. The mutilated man was cared for and will probably live.

Activity in Michigan Lumber Camp.

Bessemer, Mich., Aug. 24.—The coming season in the lumber camps in this section will be a record breaker in activity. Cameron Bros. will put in three camps and employ about 125 men; Scott & Howe, three or four camps, about 150 men; Davis & Gurnett, one camp, 75 men; Desona & Co., of Wakefield, one camp, 50 men; the Payne Lumber company, two camps, 100 men. There will be three more camps at Gogebic, employing at least 150 men. Wages in the lumber woods will be from 20 to 30 per cent. higher than last season. Men are very scarce.

Fire at Elk Rapids.

Elk Rapids, Aug. 19. — The plant of the Elk Rapids Iron company was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $15,000. A storehouse containing 500 tons of acetate was saved. There was no insurance on the plant, which was owned by N. K. Fairbanks, of Chicago, and the Dexter estate. Alva Parks was run over by a hose cart and was probably fatally injured internally. John Herman jumped from the roof of the burning building and was seriously injured. It is not known whether the plant will be rebuilt.

Big Field of Corn.

Holly, Aug. 25.—What is probably the largest field of corn in Michigan is that of Henry Ward, near Pontiac. It contains 150 acres ranging in height from 12 to 15 feet, and will yield about 150 bushels to the acre. The ground was fertilized several inches deep by the 25,000 sheep that Mr. Ward wintered there last season. The corn is planted three feet apart, and is of the yellow dent variety. The field resembles a veritable forest.

Will Run Night and Day.

Muskegon, Aug. 22.—The Consolidated Rail Joint company, which recently began operations here, has closed a contract with a Chicago concern for 1,000 tons of bar iron to be shipped to them as fast as manufactured. These mills were idle for years until they resumed a few days ago. They are now turning out 75 tons of bar iron and soft steel a day and will run night and day.

Civic Congress at Battle Creek.

Battle Creek, Aug. 25.—The national civic and philanthropic congress which is to meet here in October promises to be a largely attended and very important event. Hundreds of prominent people throughout the United States will attend, Mayors' day especially promises to bring out a large gathering. This day is set apart for a conference of the mayors of western cities.

May Be Profitably Mined.

Lansing, Aug. 20.—In his annual report, just issued, Commissioner of Mineral Statistics Newett asserts that Michigan is destined to become a gold producer, provided competent men with funds will systematically explore it. To be sure, there have been no pockets filled with glittering nuggets, but there are many quartz veins containing the precious metal.

Choked to Death.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 25.—The body of Aaron C. Conn, the board of trade operator who disappeared last Thursday, was found at Belle Isle. Around his neck a handkerchief had been knotted and then twisted with a lead pencil until the victim strangled to death. Conn is said to have lost considerable money in speculation, and was partially deranged.

Farmers Are Joyful.

Sturgis, Aug. 23. — Farmers here were set wild by James Thornton, a local grain buyer, paying one dollar a bushel for three loads of wheat. The price paid Saturday was 93 cents a bushel in the morning and one dollar in the evening, and farmers are hauling their product at a lively rate for fear of a slump in the market.

Will Meet at Petoskey.

Petoskey, Aug. 24.—The annual G. A. R. encampment will be held here September 15, 16 and 17, and the soldiers and sailors from 11 northern counties will be present. The grounds will be located near the Arlington, where 125 tents, loaned for the purpose by the state, will be pitched for the convenience of the vets.

Could Not Endure Disgrace.

Shelby, Aug. 20.—Thomas H. Baker, of this place, state agent of the Walter Wood Harvester company of Minneapolis, committed suicide by taking arsenic. Baker is alleged to be $800 short in his accounts and was arrested by the sheriff Thursday morning.

Killed at a Funeral.

Niles, Aug. 20. — During a funeral procession at Burt, Van Buren township, Gardner Foster's team ran away, throwing out the corpse. Mrs. Joseph Watts was instantly killed and others were injured.

Foul Play Suspected.

Ann Arbor, Aug. 21.—George Beckwith, of Chelsea, was drowned in the river near Delhi. There were marks on his face, and foul play is suspected.

Woman Killed.

Niles, Aug. 23.—Mrs. J. C. McCabe, of Coloma, was killed instantly and Mrs. R. S. Bailey fatally injured in a runaway accident here.

Victim of a Runaway Team.

Niles, Aug. 20. — Peter Lasch, of Farmington, was killed in a runaway accident.

VICTIM OF ROBBERS.

Thieves Fatally Wound Cashier Struble of Farmers' Bank at Shepherd.

Shepherd, Aug. 23.—While defending the funds of the Farmers' bank Elmer E. Struble, its cashier and the president of this village, was shot and fatally wounded by robbers early Saturday morning. He died seven hours later, but recovered consciousness sufficiently to give the authorities the names of his assailants, three in number. There is considerable mystery concerning the murder. Mr. Struble was found in the banking office at six o'clock with two fatal wounds near the heart and life almost extinct. He had been shot two hours earlier, according to his ante-mortem statement. The office gave evidence of a desperate struggle.

Mr. Struble left his house at four o'clock and went to the bank for some papers to take to Mount Pleasant, intending to return before business hours. The bank is located in a hardware store in the north end of the building, and the living rooms overhead are occupied by E. A. Wisdom and F. M. Taylor and their families. At six o'clock Mr. Wisdom came down to open the store and found the front door open. He went to his desk at the south end of the store, and a moment later heard something drop. Investigation showed the door to the bank office was open and Mr. Struble was lying on the floor, alive but unconscious. The vault door and the steel money chest were both open, most of the books were taken, and all the money was missing, except ten dollars in silver, which was found under the counter.

It is supposed Mr. Struble was in the vault when he was approached from behind, and the robbers, seeing the money chest open, demanded the contents. Mr. Struble, it is believed, refused and started out to escape or shut the safe door. He was then shot in the wrist and side, and while trying to shut the vault door was shot in the back. This did not apparently render him easy prey, as he evidently turned to fight them, and then received the two fatal shots near the heart.

Mr. Struble died at 11 o'clock, but a few moments before death he rallied and made a statement that he recognized the robbers and he gave the names to the prosecuting attorney and the sheriff. He said he forced the shooting, as he refused to give up the money, and in the fight recognized his assailants, who killed him to save themselves from being known.

It was reported that the robbery was committed by several depositors, who, fearing the bank was about to fail, followed Struble to the bank, demanded their money, and, upon being refused shot the cashier and looted the bank.

Sheriff Mogg, deputy sheriff Estee, Prosecuting Attorney McNamara, with several other county officers, held a meeting Sunday at Mt. Pleasant to consult and make further plans for the capture of Cashier Struble's murderers. It was decided that everything is being done that will eventually lead to the arrest of the guilty men. It is thought that three prominent men in this vicinity are the murderers, but officers will not divulge names. They are watched every moment, day and night, and cannot escape. Arrests are likely to take place at any moment.

There is great excitement among the people here and at Mt. Pleasant and lynching is freely talked by many. It is thought officers would not dare to make arrests at this hour, as they could not protect murderers against the summary vengeance of the people. Prominent detectives are expected to assist. While the suspected men cannot escape, Sheriff Mogg hesitates, fearing mob violence. The prosecuting attorney claims that Cashier Struble, a few minutes before his death, gave him the names of three men whom he positively identified as among his assailants. They are all well-known residents of Isabella county, and are depositors at the Shepherd bank. Two of the three men accused in Struble's ante-mortem statement will be able to produce impregnable alibis. The fact that the cashier was under the influence of morphine seems to detract somewhat from the weight of his dying statement.

At first it was given out that the robbers succeeded in getting only $2,000. Now, however, the citizens of Shepherd say that at least $6,000 was secured and probably as much as $12,000. Some place the figure as high as $15,000.

Lansing, Aug. 25.—In speaking of the Shepherd tragedy Banking Commissioner Just expressed the opinion that the crime was committed by depositors of the defunct People's bank of Mount Pleasant, who shared the belief that President Ryan, of the Shepherd bank, had secured a large sum of money from the Mount Pleasant institution. These depositors, according to the commissioner's theory, argued that there was money in the Shepherd bank which belonged to them, and they sought to get it by force. He does not think the killing of Struble was premeditated, but was the outcome of the struggle for the possession of the cash.

Savings Bank Closed.

Mount Pleasant, Aug. 21.—The People's saving bank of this city closed its doors Friday morning and is now in the hands of the commissioner of banking. No statement has been given out. According to the last statement, made in January, the capital stock of the bank was $100,000, with $90,000 in deposits. George E. Newall is president and C. A. Carnahon cashier.

Oldest Convict Dies.

Jackson, Aug. 20.—Joseph De Quett, No. 7, the oldest convict at the prison, died at the prison hospital of old age. De Quett was aged 60 years and had been a convict 40 years, having been received in 1857 on a life sentence for murder from Cadillac.

Passed Away.

Kalamazoo, Aug. 14.—John McGoff, of this city, died in Montreal, Can., of heart disease Friday, aged 43. He was supreme president of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America.

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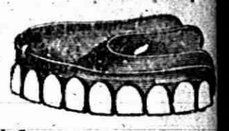
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GOOD LAND MEASURE.

barrel-hoops. The spokes are a cross of light wood an inch square, halved together with a piece of half-inch siding nailed on each side over the joints. These act as washers and make the wheel run more smoothly. To keep the spokes in place nails are driven into the ends through punched holes in the hoop. A quarter-inch hole in the center to receive the bolt completes the wheel.

The fork is also made of sticks like the spokes, with a short piece for a handle nailed between. This latter should be a little wider than the hoop and rounded off at the end.

As the revolutions of the wheel have to be counted, it is handy to have one of the spokes plainly marked. Paint or a string tied around it will do this. If smaller divisions than half rods are desired, the spokes indicate eighths of a rod.

MILLIONS IN PRUNES.

Magnitude of One of California's Newest Industries.

The magnitude of the prune industry of California, writes a Los Angeles correspondent of the Chicago Record, is little realized by the people of the eastern states. In a decade the growing of prunes has gone forward in California by leaps and bounds, and to-day $20,000,000 is invested in it—that is, in lands, trees, irrigation systems, agricultural tools and packing houses. Notwithstanding damaging frosts last spring throughout the lower part of the San Joaquin valley, and all over the horticultural valleys of Pomona, San Gabriel and Santa Ana, the total product of green prunes now on the trees in this state is estimated at 83,000 tons. Of this quantity about one-fifth will be shipped east as green fruit, for sale at fruit stands and for canning purposes; the remaining four-fifths will be dried for market, making about 24,000 tons of dried prunes.

Ten years ago the total area of bearing prune orchards in California was less than 7,000 acres. In 1888 there were 11,000 acres of bearing prune trees and about 6,000 acres more of young prune orchards. There was an import duty of 2½ cents a pound on dried prunes in those days, and the growers sold their crops on the trees for sums varying from $35 to $50 a ton. In 1890 the total area of bearing prune orchards was 13,000 acres, and there was an enormous planting of prune trees that year in all of the fruit growing valleys of California, because of the large profit in the industry. Twelve thousand acres of prune orchards were set out in the winter of 1890-91, and 24,000 acres more were planted in the next two years. These orchards have now come into bearing, and the state board of horticulture finds that there are 53,000 acres of bearing prune orchards in California to-day and about 8,000 acres more to come into bearing. Conservative estimates put the total crop of California prunes in a favorable year at not less than 90,000 tons. In a few years more a full yield of the fruit in California will be more than 110,000 tons of green fruit.

KEEPING CABBAGE.

The Old Plan of Burying in Trenches No Longer in Use.

The old plan of burying, or putting cabbage in trenches during winter, or for winter use, has become obsolete, and a more simple and easy plan has been adopted. Where cabbage is grown on a large scale for shipping purposes, the best plan is to lift the cabbage and stack them two tiers deep and as closely as they can be placed in an orchard, or wood if convenient, and cover with leaves to the depth of two or three inches, the leaves to be kept in place by a slight covering of earth. In this way the heads will keep perfectly sound all winter, and they can be easily taken up as wanted for shipping.

For family use cabbages can be kept in the same way, only it will not be necessary to make the second layer. It is quite important to keep them a little below the freezing point. It has been suggested to keep them in some convenient building, but this plan has always resulted in failure, as the dry atmosphere is fatal; cabbage must be kept moist and cool, the slightest wilting renders it unfit for the table.—American Gardening.

Trees for planting can never be bought cheaper than they can this fall.

POULTRY IN ORCHARDS.

Fowls Do Good Service in Two Very Distinct Ways.

Mr. Tegetmeier, the famous English authority on poultry, in commenting on a report of the Rhode Island experiment station regarding the value of fowls to orchards, says: For many years I have advocated the introduction of poultry into apple orchards, maintaining that they do good service, in two very distinct modes—first, by manuring the ground, and, secondly, by the destruction of insects and grubs that hibernate in the soil.

The apple maggot appears to be extending in America, attacking the favorite Baldwin, which is so well known as being imported largely into this country, and rendering it entirely unfit for use, but the spraying the trees with Bordeaux mixture and Paris green has appeared to prevent all serious attacks of this insect.

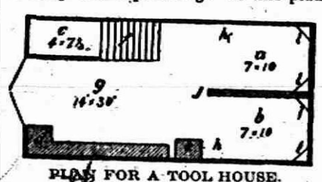
In the mature state this insect is a fly, which deposits its eggs in the pulp of the apple beneath the skin. The young maggots grow within the fruit, which they render worthless, and when mature emerge from the apple and go into the ground, lying in the pupa state beneath the surface soil among the grass roots. Samples of the earth, six inches square, were taken, and the number of maggots under the trees varied, according to the size, from 1,600 to more than 12,000 under each tree; the pupae somewhat resembling kernels of wheat. Now comes the point which was particularly interesting to me. The experiment was tried as to whether poultry, if confined to a small range and encouraged to scratch, would destroy these pupae. A large movable wire fence was placed about a tree, whose fruit had been destroyed by insects. One side of the fence was raised and 50 hens were called into the inclosure. The fence was let down and they were confined to the space around the tree. As soon as they had eaten the corn they naturally began to scratch for pupae, and in the course of three or four days it was found that the latter had disappeared. As these insects remain in the pupae state from the fall of the apple to the following spring, when they appear, it may be expected that next year the number of flies breeding from the apple maggot will be greatly diminished in the localities where this plan is followed.

From personal experience, extending over many years, I can speak positively of the advantages of allowing fowls and chickens a free range in apple orchards. They not only manure the soil and destroy all insects harboring in it, but they find, for some weeks, a considerable proportion of their own food—the windfalls, which they devour greedily, with any grubs they may contain.

FARM TOOL HOUSE.

Every Vegetable and Fruit Farmer Should Have One.

The plan of a farm tool house, as submitted herewith, is planned for 14 or 15 by 30 feet, but the proportions can be made to suit the convenience of any farm or yard. Sometimes 14 or even 16 foot timber can be secured easier than 15 foot and such will do equally as well. In many places such a building can be built on a side hill, and a second story added, the rear opening level with the ground. It may also be built on posts, but should have sills at the ends to keep from spreading. In this plan



PLAN FOR A TOOL HOUSE.

the length is nearly twice the width, 14 by 30 feet. Stalls for mowers, rakes, hoes, etc., are shown at a and b, each being about 7 by 10 feet. In another corner is a harness and oiling room c, 4 by 7½ feet. The work bench, d, has shelves above and at side of one end is a tool chest e. If the building is two story, stairs may be placed at f, or shelves and racks for tools and seeds. Room for a fanning mill is in the center, as at g. Partition between the stall, j, may be used as shelves as needed and i i i are corner cupboards or drawers. Storage for plows, cultivators and other tools is shown at h h. A second story would be handy as a lumber room, seed room, granary, wool room, etc. Four windows are shown.—H. E. Partridge, in Farm and Home.

Origin of Potato Bugs.

The Colorado potato beetle receives its common name from the fact that its native home was at the eastern base of the Rocky mountains, where it fed upon a species of wild potatoes quite common to this region, known as the Sandbur (Solanum rostratum). It was collected there and described by Thomas Say in 1824. It was first mentioned as an injurious insect in 1859 when some of the early settlers of western Nebraska reported it feeding in large numbers upon the Irish potato. We thus see that the species changed its food from a wild to a cultivated plant, as has been the case with many of our injurious insects.—Farmers' Review.

Money in Medicinal Plants.

Many medicinal plants can be grown with profit, as the demand for some kinds is increasing. Absinthe (wormwood) can be raised as far north as New England, and this country imports it from Europe. Saffron, which sells for eight dollars per pound, may be grown in nearly all sections. Peppermint and spearmint find ready sale, and sage, which is well known to every farmer, is imported, frequently selling at $150 per ton. Then there are hoarhound, boneset, mandrake, blood root, pennyroyal, etc., which are regarded as weeds in some localities, all of which are largely used and have a value in market.

Evergreens make good windbreaks, and they can be planted in the fall.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 25th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of CHARLES W[illegible], deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of S. Lyman Wells praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Amos Sayers, the executor named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that Monday, the 27th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.
And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said Wm. Hayden by the Hon. Richard B. Robbins, judge of probate in and for said county, on the 23 day of June A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Globe Mills in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title, and interest of said Wm. Hayden in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the village and township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, to wit:
Beginning at a point on north line of Chicago street, 8 chains and 95 links easterly from intersection of east line of Wyandotte St. with north line of Chicago St.; thence easterly along north line of Chicago St. to center of River Raisin; thence northly along said River Raisin to northerly bend of river near waste ware to a stake; thence north to Globe Mill reservoir; thence northwesterly along high water mark of said reservoir to outlet of mill race between ponds; thence along right bank of mill race to southwest corner of land owned by Dickinson Bros.; thence north three degrees west 7 chains and 70 links (7.75) to a stake on south line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt St. 9 chains and 93 links (9.93) to northeast corner of land owned by George Sisson on line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence south on saidline to high water mark of upper mill pond; thence to the right and along high water mark of said pond to head of Globe Mill race; thence along left bank of Globe Mill race to lower pond including on each side of mill race all land necessary to maintain said race; thence northerly, westerly and southerly along high water of lower pond to northeast corner of land owned by Mrs. Gordon; thence southerly along line between east and west halves of N. W. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh, to a place of beginning. Also a part of section 34, township of Tecumseh, situated as follows: Beginning at a point in south line of Chicago St., village of Tecumseh, at the northwest corner of land owned by J. S. Strong, formerly by T. T. Kneeland; thence 31 degrees east at right angles with south line of Chicago St. three chains to an iron stake; thence south 59 degrees west 4 chains and 30 links west to an iron stake near east bank of Globe Mill tail race; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains to south line of Chicago St. to an iron stake; thence easterly along line of Chicago St. 4 chains and 15 links to place of beginning, containing in all one and 26-100 acres of land more or less. Also, that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee, state of Michigan, described as follows: Beginning at point in north line of Chicago St. 50 rods and 7 links east of intersection of east line of Wyandott St. with said north line of Chicago St. in said village; thence west along said north line of Chicago St. 4 rods and 7 links; thence north parallel with Wyandott St 14 rods; thence east parallel with first course 5 rods and 12 links; thence southwesterly in a straight line about 14 rods to place of beginning. Also a parcel land in the township of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, a part of section 27, beginning at a point in west line of east half southeast ¼ of said section 33 feet south of northeast corner land owned by William Hayden in 1873 known as the Mill-yard; thence north on west line of east ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 27, 566 ft. to the south line of Hillman's land as it existed in 1873; thence east along said Hillman's south line 553 ft.; thence southwesterly on a curved line 40 ft. southeasterly from center line of Adrian and Detroit R. R. and paralel therewith to the place of beginning, reference being had for a more definite description of said southeasterly line to the maps of the route of said company on file in office of register of deeds for Lenawee county, containing three and 44-100 acres of land more or less. Also a certain parcel of land situated in the village of Tecumseh, county of Lenawee and state of Michigan, describe as follows: Beginning at southwest corner of land owned and occupied by Richard Caldwell in north line of Logan St., said village; thence nor h along west line of land owned by Richard Caldwell and Mary E. Bice to alley; thence west along south line of alley 45 feet; thence south paralel with first course to north line of Logan St.; thence east along said nor h line of Logan St. to place of beginning. Also a par of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of E. ½ of the N. E. ¼ of section 27, township of Tecumseh; thence north 1 degree west 3 chains and 24 links across old bed of River Raisin and across old saw mill race; thence along the bank of said race on north bank to old bed of River Raisin, thence sou h to land owned by Mary Shull; thence west along said land owned by Mary Shull to place of beginning, containing in all 83-100 acres of land. Also a part of section 27, township of Tecumseh, described as beginning at a poin on sou h line nor h 88¼ degrees west 11 chains 58 links from the intersection of said line with line between the east and west halves of the northeast quarter of section 27; thence south three degrees east 8 chains and 73 links to fence on north side of mill race; thence south 48¾ degrees along north bank of mill race 8 chains to land owned by Mary Shull; thence north 38 degrees east 8 chains and 27 links to southwest corner of E. ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 27; thence north 1 degree west on line be ween east and west halves of nor heast ¼ of section 27 6 chains and 86 links to the line of Burt St.; thence along south line of Burt 11 chains 58 links to place of beginning containing in all 11 and 18-100 acres of land.
SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Hayden, deceased.
Dated June 28th, A. D. 1897.
Notice is hereby given that the above sale is adjourned until Saturday, the 28th day of August A. D., 1897. SYLVESTER P. HOSMER, Administrator etc.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 6th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of SAMUEL RAPPLEYE, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Eras us Rappleye, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered that Tuesday, the 7th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the fore noon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
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Punctures in the well known Morgan & Wright tire are mended about as easily as a man would close a hole in his finger with a bit of court plaster. Inside of the inner tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber, like this:

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture. like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

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KISSING THE BOOK.

English People Just Learning the Scotch Form of Oath Is Admissible.

With reference to the question asked in parliament as to "kissing the book," a legal correspondent writes in the London Telegraph that of late it has been particularly noticeable that many witnesses prefer the Scotch form of taking the oath—by holding up the right hand and repeating after the judge or clerk the solemn words. It is only now that people are becoming cognizant of the fact that they need not "kiss the book." The clause in the oaths act of 1888, by which the Scotch form is admissible, was not inserted to meet a religious difficulty, but on medical grounds. Many persons have properly an objection to touching with their lips a volume which has been thumbed by scores of unknown persons and may contain the germs of disease. "Kissing the book" is really no essential part of the old-fashioned oath, and the Scottish method, if universally adopted, would defeat the cunning schemes of those who think their conscience is quit of perjury when they contrive to kiss their thumb instead of the book, which is generally a soiled and evil-smelling thing. A story is told of a Glasgow bailie on the occasion of a witness being sworn before him. "Hold up your right arm," commanded the lineal descendant of Bailie Nicol Jarvie. "I canna dae't," said the witness. "Why not?" "Got shot in that airm." "Then hold up your left." "Canna dae that either—got shot in the ither airm, too." "Then hold up your leg," responded the irate magistrate; "no man can be sworn in this court without holding up something."

TELL A WOMAN BY HER PURSE.

Things That Nearly Always Indicate Owner's Character and Condition.

It has been stated, perhaps by detectives, that the age and a great knowledge of the whole character of a woman can be gained from the contents of her pocketbook, says the Chicago Times-Herald.

The business woman always has a number of receipted bills and a quantity of cash in her pocketbook, while the mother of a family usually has many unreceipted bills, little cash, and the sides bursting with samples and bargain advertisements. The average young lady has a favorite poem stowed away in a corner and invariably a souvenir of something bordering on the superstitious. For instance, while the writer was in a State street jeweler's store the other morning a tortoise shell portmonnaie was found on the floor. It contained 85 cents, and, far back in a secret pocket, a poem entitled "Soul for Soul." It began:

Oh, eyes that pierce me through and through
And draw my very soul away,
Your sunshine may not fill my life
Nor turn my darkness into day.

Next to that piece of sentiment was a small card with the young lady's name and weight printed upon it. On the reverse side of the card was a date with the words: "If the sun shines three days after this, you will have good luck for nine days." About noontime, a beautiful little brunette, all anxiety and blushes, hurried in to claim the purse.

LONG HAIR A DISGRACE.

In Corea It Is Indicative of Social Ostracism or Mental Humility.

The wearing of long hair in Corea is indicative of social disgrace or mental humility, and marks either the penitent or the outcast. The custom of wearing the hair long by these classes has aroused the commercial spirit in certain speculative natives, and they have set about the labor of supplying the world with hair shaved from the heads of their fellow-countrymen.

When the Mongolian faker desires to punish himself for a sin—real or fancied, it makes no difference—he allows his hair and nails to grow. In the same countries the criminal is obliged to let his hair grow, because the true, oriental despises long hair, and the wearing of it is a certain sign of penitence or a punishment.

Now, of recent years the Coreans have learned to put these extraordinary growths of hair—that is, after they are cut off—to some commercial use. They have established factories for the manufacture of mats, horse blankets, saddle blankets, halters and even whole sets of harness, all from human hair.

A carpet factory, in which carpet is made from human hair, is also located at Seoul. In this connection it may be apropos to mention the famous "prayer rug" of the shah of Persia. It was made in Corea more than a century ago. It is three feet square and bordered with diamonds and pearls, and is considered of almost fabulous value.

Embarrasses No One.

For all her incomparable dignity of deportment there is something homely and gentle about the queen of England. "I don't know how it is," remarked one of her great officers not long ago, "I'm such a shy man, and really to chat with some princess embarrasses me. But as soon as I see the queen all shyness vanishes. Why, she's as easy to talk with as your own or anybody's mother! No one can feel shy of the queen, and, what is more, it would vex her if they did."

The Boaster Taken Down.

A silly youth was bragging of his great friends in a mixed company in which Douglas Jerrold was present, and said he had dined three times at Devonshire house and never saw any fish at table. "I can't account for it," he added. "I can," said Jerrold; "they ate it all upstairs."

What an Earthquake Is.

In the course of a sermon a negro preacher in Georgia, touching on the subject of earthquakes, said: "Oh, my sinful hearers, a yearthquake is nothin' mo' ner less den dis: Hell done got tired waitin' fer you, an gone ter sleep, an wake up yawnin'!"

HER SECRET.

Actions Speak for Themselves—He Was Willing to Read Her Mind.

For many years the young woman had called upon Ulysses. She had brought him numberless packages of choice cigarettes, as well as divers specimens of the most expensive genus cigar, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. She had repeatedly purchased tickets for various celebrated prize fights and after escorting him thither would see to it that he had plenty of lemon cream puffs to munch upon during the intervals of slugging. Many and many an evening had she assisted him in increasing the numerals upon his poor hard-working mamma's coal and gas bills, and she had seen four several sets of new springs added to the parlor sofa. But hitherto she had not stood up like a—er—woman and boldly declared her love for him and requested to be allowed to pay all his expenses in the future in consideration of his donning her last name.

But upon this special evening in question Ulysses had her dead to rights. It may have been the witching golf costume in old gold and baby blue that he wore or the shy grace with which he placed his tiny palm in hers. However, be this as it may, she could no longer restrain herself, but impulsively threw her arms about his frail, shrinking figure and drew him tenderly toward her.

As her lips rose from his she lovingly murmured: "This kiss tells you my secret."

And Ulysses, as he furtively removed some cut plug from his mouth, found an opportunity to observe: "Would you — you—mind—saying—it—over—again?"

HOLD A NET FOR A BEAR.

Brain Makes It Lively for a Couple of Up-to-Date Hunters.

The following is vouched for by a reliable citizen of the locality where the event occurred, near Disco, 12 miles from Black River Falls, Wis., says the Chicago Chronicle. The farmers had been annoyed by wolves and one of them found a den that he thought would hold a dozen or more. Four of them went there with a large fish net, a long tin tube and a double-barreled gun. They had heard of scaring animals from their den by putting a tube in the hole and then shouting through the tube. Two of them held the net over the mouth of the den and another stood ready with the gun, while the fourth one managed the tube. He gave a fearful screech into a funnel fixed in the end of the tube and after an effort or two there was a rush and growl and out came a black bear as though possessed of nine demons.

He plunged into the net and the two men and the bear had a merry time. The man with the gun didn't dare shoot, for he could not tell where there was the most bear and the least of the men. The net broke and let his bearship through and he made for tall timber at a marvelous rate, but the net men looked very discouraged and it will be a cold day when they try it over again.

The informant was very reticent about telling who the men were, but as he had a double limp, his face scratched and was in the city for a new suit of everyday clothes it looked as though he knew who helped hold the net.

PRIVATE STREET CARS.

One of the Recent Developments of the Trolley Idea.

One development of the trolley-car idea is likely to be shown ere long in the somewhat general fashion of owning private cars. At present a few, though an increasing number, of rich men own private railway cars. The expense is enormous, all things considered. But a moderate expenditure will suffice in the case of the trolley, says the Boston Advertiser.

Only, in a little while, street cars will no longer be propelled by means of trolley attachments, but their motive power will be applied from an inside third rail, or by means of a storage battery, or, possibly, there will be some method invented of which as yet the public has not even a hint.

Anyhow, the rapid extension of the electrically propelled street car system, not only throughout all cities and considerable villages, but into the suburbs and far away into the country, so that in a long time, where population is even moderately dense, there will be an electrical car line close to every man's front door, will supply the conditions necessary for a vast multiplication of the number of private cars.

Underground City.

In Gallicia, in Austrian Poland, there is a remarkable underground city which bears out this description, as it has a population of over 1,000 men, women and children, scores of whom have never seen the light of day. It is known as the City of the Salt Mines, and is situated several hundred feet below the earth's surface. It has its town hall, theater and asembly room, as well as a beautiful church, decorated with statues, all being fashioned from the pure crystallized salt rock. It has well-graded streets and spacious squares, lighted with electricity. There are numerous instances in this underground city where not a single individual in three or four successive generations has ever seen the sun, or has any idea of how people live in the light of day.

Rebuilding the Tuileries.

Another attempt to have the Tuileries palace rebuilt is being made in France. This time the movement is led by the Society for the Preservation of Public Monuments.

The Only Royal Balloonist.

Only one sovereign in the world has even been up in a balloon. This event occurred some five years ago, when Queen Regent Christina of Spain happened to drive near a field where some experiments in aerial navigation were being made and immediately stopped her carriage and asked to be permitted to make an ascent.

LITERARY NOTES.

In "Around London by Bicycle," the opening article of the September Harper's, Elizabeth Robins Pennell details a series of rides, radiating from the metropolis, which brings the traveller to a great variety of places of literary interest. The article is richly illustrated by Joseph Pennell.

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The September Chautauquan contains some interesting facts concerning the "Origin of the Republican Party," by Charles M. Harvey, with a portrait of Maj. Alvan E. Bovay, the acknowledged founder of the party, and pictures of church and schoolhouse in which the first and second Republican meetings were held.

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"The Meaning of Greater New York" is the title of an article in Demorest's Magazine for September which is its own explanation. It is intended to answer all those questions about the consolidation of New York and Brooklyn which people with intelligent curiosity are always asking their friends and which their friends are rarely able to answer.

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The fiction of the September Atlantic is exceptionally good.—After the Storm, by Ella W. Peattie; A Second Marriage, by Alice Brown, and the conclusion of Frances Courteray Baylor's two-part story, Butterfield & Co. A sketch by Guy H. Scull, entitled A Man and the Sea, and poems by Martha Gilbert Dickinson and Lucy S. Conant, add a distinctly literary flavor to this issue.

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A beautiful reproduction of the statue of Athena, which was recently remade from scattered parts and is now recognized as a copy of Pheidias' statue on the Acropolis at Athens, is a striking feature of the cover design of The Outlook's Educational Number (the Magazine Number for August). The curious story of the reconstruction of the statue is told in a brief article. ($3 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.)

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The September Scribner's has a number of outing articles suited to the dog days. William Henry Bishop describes picturesquely the famous watering-places in northern Spain, San Sebastian, selected several years ago as the summer home of the Queen Regent of Spain and the boy King. The fashion and gaiety of the place lead him to call it "The Spanish Newport". Marchetti, the famous artist, visited San Sebastian about the same time as the author and made the brilliant illustrations that have been wood-engraved by French engravers.

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Now that five or six of the railroads that bring folks to New York have established, or about to establish, systems of cheap cabs for the use of their patrons, it is conceivable that the infection of their altruistic spirit may be caught by other concerns in other lines of business. Frugal persons who cling to dollars don't hire a cab unless it is particularly inconvenient to go without one. It is inconvenient to go out to dinner in a street car when one's wife has on her best clothes. Private individuals who give dinner parties cannot be expected to throw in cheap cabs, but the great hotels and restaurants might do it and profit in it.—Harper's Weekly.

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"People living in cities are prone to believe that the increasing number of telephone, telegraph and trolley wires increase the danger from electric storms," writes Edward W. Bok in September Ladies' Home Journal.

"On the contrary, the maze of wires is a protection, and lessens the danger, since it is shown that where the wires attract the electricity they hold it, and discharge it only at the end of the wires in central station. The fact is that of the two hundred lightning accidents every year only an average of forty occur in the cities. The trees in the country are a far greater danger; they account for the proportion of four cases in the country to four in the city."

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—BY—

Dr. W. C. Walker

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with Asthma and Hay Fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vistage of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

Mrs. W. M.——, after being barren for ten years, says, "He cured me. We now have two little children. Suffice to say our home is a happy one.

Epilepsy (or fits) positively cured by a recent scientific discovery.

One of the most respected young men of Grand Rapids, Mr. C. H. Banks, has doctored with all the best physicians he could hear of and was finally given two weeks to live. Consulted Dr. Walker, took his treatment and is now a well man. He had chronic stomach trouble, weak lungs and constant cough, rheumatism and Bright's disease. He has gained 35 pounds and works every day. He advises all who are sick to see Dr. Walker.

Mrs. C. M. Stutzman cured of blood and skin disease of twelve years standing.

Mrs. L. E. Lambert cured of varicose ulcers on limb.

Miss Ella Crane cured of bronchial trouble and lung disease.

Miss B. H. cured of female weakness after being treated by many noted physicians.

Mrs. W. W. Bennett says also that she had lost her sense of smell and became partially deaf by catarrh in the head and could not sleep for constant coughing and pain through the lungs, also had female trouble. She says she will testify to anyone that Dr. Walker saved her life. She has gained thirty pounds and is well.

Miss Elizabeth Ball writes, after being a great sufferer for a number of years with neuralgia in the head and stomach: I am cured. I feel as though I have got into a new world. I cannot praise the doctor enough for his skill in my case.

Dr. Walker's specialties are diseases of Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs and all chronic, private and nervous diseases and deformities, as Granulated Lids, Cross Eyes, Deafness, Discharge of the Ears, Bronchitis, Chronic Cough, Goitre (big neck) Fever Sores and Ulcers, Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Heart, Stomach and Nervous Diseases; Chorea (St. Vitus Dance), Epilepsy (fits), General Debility, Scrofula, Skin Diseases and all diseases due to bad blood; also rectal diseases.

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Wheat		91
Corn, shelled	27	35
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SIX WERE KILLED.

And Many Others Were Injured in a Natural Gas Explosion.

Broad Ripple, Ind., the Scene of the Terrible Disaster—Boiler Explosion in Illinois Kills Two Girls.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 6.—Broad Ripple, a suburb of Indianapolis, ten miles from the city proper, was Saturday morning the scene of one of the most terrible disasters that has ever visited the state. Six persons were burned to death and many people are lying in the homes of neighbors burned, scarred and racked with pain from broken bones. Four buildings occupying a block of the town are in ruins. Of the six dead nothing but charred and blackened bones with hanging strips of foul-smelling flesh remain.

The Victims.

Following is a list of the dead and injured:

Killed.—Jacob Darling, painter, crushed by falling wall.
Henry Ernest, laborer.
Pius Gresh, grocer, aged 19, burned to death.
Albert Heyworth, huckster, Westfield.
John Porter, farmer.
Charles Yount, single, 35, crushed to death.

Injured.—Harry Bolton, Oakland, cut across knee.
Charles Culbertson, cut by flying glass, leg hurt.
Jacob Cruse, four ribs broken.
John Doaks, back broken, will probably die.
Amos Day, cut in face by glass.
Jesse Day, blown out of second-story window and badly hurt.
Frank Featherstone, arm cut.
Orville Heady, street car conductor, injured internally, will probably die.
F. W. Heaton, bruised.
Emuley Johnson.
Thomas Jones, cut about head.
Charles Jones, cut about face and arms.
James Mitchell, New Augusta, legs broken.
Ed Morris, shoulder dislocated, compound fracture right arm and burned.
— Norvill, Indianapolis, fingers torn off and head cut.
Will E. Privette, deep cut across face.
Charles Roberts, cut over eye.
Vinton Record, leg cut, injured about the head.
Frank E. Watts, burned and bruised.
Edgar Watts, burned and bruised.
J. B. Watts, burned.
Joseph Wambaugh, injured about the body.
Clare Whittaker, Oakland, ankle broken.
Oliver Wright, bruised and cut.

TWO GIRLS KILLED.

Awful Result of a Boiler Explosion at Morton, Ill.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 6.—Morton, Tazewell county, ten miles from Peoria, was the scene of a terrible explosion Sunday afternoon. Tillie and Emma Beyer were killed outright, and Albert Beyer, Frank Beyer, Cassie White and Mrs. Louis Moschel were badly injured. The Beyer boys will probably die. The boilers in a brick building used as a mill, electric light power house and pumping station exploded, demolishing the building and damaging the water tower, 150 feet distant. Houses for blocks were also damaged. Fireman George Grimm entered the bulling a few minutes before five o'clock, started the fires in the boiler and then went home for supper. He says there was 25 pounds of steam and cannot explain what caused the explosion. The Beyer children were playing in the yard next to the mill and were unable to get away. The boiler caught one of the little girls and carried her 150 feet, she landing on the top of a barn. She was crushed to pieces. Flying iron crushed the skull of her sister, killing her outright.

CROP SHORTAGE ABROAD.

France and Russia Will Need Much American Grain.

Washington, Sept. 8.—W. P. Atwell, commercial agent of the United States at Robaix, France, sends to the state department a report on the short wheat crop in France. He says the crop in France, and in fact in all Europe, has fallen much below the average, and that it is estimated that the United States and Canada will be called upon to export from 120,000,000 to 130,000,000 bushels more than they exported to Europe last year. France will require about 60,000,000 to meet the deficiency in that country.

Dives from a Bridge.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—George W. Clarke broke the world's high-dive record Monday afternoon by jumping off the railing of the Halsted street lift bridge when the structure was raised to an elevation of 165 feet. The diver was taken out of the river uninjured and placed under arrest by the policeman whom Clarke had evaded when preparing for his perilous leap.

Long Nap Ended by Death.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8.—Lawrence Ledwiett, a Philadelphia teamster, who was picked up intoxicated at Glöucester and who went to sleep in the Camden county jail last Thursday night, died in the Cooper hospital Tuesday. He had slept 108 hours continuously when life became extinct.

A Jealous Man's Deed.

Toledo, O., Sept. 7.—Monday afternoon, in a fit of jealous rage, S. R. Ashwell shot and killed his wife, then turned the weapon upon himself and inflicted injuries that will cause his death. He has been insanely jealous of her, and has repeatedly threatened her life.

Two Children Killed.

Toledo, O., Sept. 8.—Fenton Waite, aged seven, and Lily Boldan, aged three, were killed by street cars.

THE LUETGERT TRIAL.

Summary of Testimony Given by Witnesses for the Prosecution.

Chicago, Sept. 4. — Yesterday was the fifth day in the trial of Adolph Luetgert, the sausage maker, charged with murdering his wife and destroying her remains in a vat in his factory. Thus far witnesses for the prosecution have sworn that Luetgert hated his wife,

ADOLPH L. LUETGERT.

that his actions on the night of May 1 were suspicious, that stuff found in the vat contained flesh and bones, efforts of the police to find the missing woman have been futile, and rings found in the vat have been identified by a friend of Mrs. Luetgert as belonging to the supposed murdered woman.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—The strongest blow of the week was given the defense in the Luetgert trial Saturday. Mrs. Christine Feldt, in whom the state presents the motive for the alleged crime, took the stand for the prosecution and furnished the most sensational episode

MRS. LOUISE LUETGERT.

of the hearing. She related declarations made by the defendant which tended strongly to show that he purposed doing violence to his wife as soon as his business troubles were over and settled. She produced letters which he had written to her while in jail. They contained expressions of love, devotion and vows of fidelity. They informed the woman that if she would stand by Luetgert he would go away with her when the trouble was over and they would ever after be happy in each other's company.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—In the Luetgert trial yesterday Nicholas Faber, an ex-employe of Luetgert, testified to having seen Luetgert and his wife enter the factory on the night of May 1. Under cross-examination Faber was forced to admit that he did not know anything that happened on any other particular date near May 1. Fritz Figel, who worked for Luetgert May 4, told how he had emptied a barrel of ashes in the alley, and Officer James Smith testified as to having found particles of bones and two corset steels in a pile of debris where the ashes were emptied.

KILLED THREE.

Train Strikes a Wagon at a Grade Crossing.

Reading, Pa., Sept. 8.—A Philadelphia & Reading wrecking engine crashed into a wagon at a grade crossing at Frush Valley, a few miles above Reading, Tuesday night, and three lives were lost. The dead are: Evan Hiester, aged 45 years; Warren Faust, aged 10; Leon Faust, aged 7. All were instantly killed. The boys were the sons of Allen Faust, a miller of Berkley, this county, and Hiester, who was in his employ, was driving them in a covered wagon, with a load of flour. The presumption is that he did not hear the approach of the engine.

Fatal Railway Wreck.

Waterville, Me., Sept. 6.—An excursion train on the Maine Central railroad was wrecked Sunday morning two miles west of Etna station. One person was killed and 32 wounded. The train was carrying excursionists from Dover and Foxcraft to the Etna camp meeting. The breaking of a flange derailed and overturned a car containing 63 passengers.

Gave Up Their Offices.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The post office department is informed that Postmaster Stull, at Mount Pleasant, Ia., and Postmaster Hamilton, at Warren, Ind., who declined to surrender their offices when removed, on the ground that the recent civil service order covered the case, have both surrendered their offices to the inspectors.

Prohibition Candidate for Mayor.

New York, Sept. 7.—The prohibition city convention have nominated William T. Wardwell for mayor of Greater New York; Alfred H. Walker for comptroller, and Thomas Crawford for president of the council. Mr. Wardell is treasurer of the Standard Oil company.

YELLOW FEVER.

It Is Said to Be Epidemic at Ocean Springs, Miss.

Quarantine Measures Are Adopted at Several Points—One Death in New Orleans—Little Danger of the Plague Spreading.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 7.—Gov. McLaurin has just received the following telegram from two members of the state board of health, who went to Ocean Springs, Miss., Sunday to investigate the yellow fever scare:

"After a most thorough investigation in every conceivable light, it is the unanimous opinion of representatives of Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi state boards of health and the marine hospital service that the fever now prevailing in Ocean Springs is yellow fever.

(Signed) "H. H. HARRANSON,
"J. F. HUNTER."

Flee from the Fever.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 7.—Despite the quarantine proclamation against yellow fever sufferers at Ocean Springs and vicinity, about 100 persons from Scranton, Biloxi, etc., tried to get into Mobile on the midnight train, but the police surrounded the cars and but four passengers were let off, they being through from New Orleans and being subject to examination by the physicians here. The others were taken on to a point above Mobile, where they will be transferred to the west-bound train and taken back where they came from. It is said the excitement down the road is very great and that crowds went into New Orleans on the late trains. They did not wait for their baggage, and some did not even fully clothe themselves, such was their hurry to leave.

New Orleans Excited Over News.

New Orleans, Sept. 7.—President Olliphant, of the Louisiana board of health, sent a telegram to that board here at ten o'clock confirming the report that the physicians at Ocean Springs had declared the prevailing sickness undoubtedly yellow fever. The doctors of three states came to this conclusion after holding an autopsy on the body of a person who died Sunday.

The fever has been prevalent at Ocean Springs for some time. Two weeks ago, after a careful investigation, the Louisiana authorities declared the disease to be dengue, which it probably was at that time, the disease being mild and the death rate trifling. During the past week, however, the disease has become more virulent and has probably developed into yellow jack.

Decides Upon Quarantine.

The state board of health has decided to enforce a rigid quarantine against Biloxi and Ocean Springs. Quarantine will also be enforced against the other watering places on the gulf coast until President Olliphant returns and more light is obtained on the situation. Guards are to be put on the trains and at the stations, all baggage is to be fumigated and every precaution is to be taken to keep the disease out of the city. The Louisville & Nashville trains have been ordered not to stop at either Biloxi or Ocean Springs. The houses of all people who have returned to New Orleans in the past two days are to be thoroughly fumigated.

Uncle Sam Will Aid.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The general government will render all assistance in its power to check the spread of yellow fever. This will be done mainly through the agency of the Marine hospital service. Dr. Walter Wyman, the head of the bureau, returned to this city Tuesday afternoon and assumed active charge in directing the work in assisting the state officials of Mississippi in their efforts to confine the disease to the locality where it appears to have started. Dr. Wyman says that as yet he has no opinion to express whether the disease is really yellow fever, although he admits it looks very auspicious. The precautionary measures he has taken are based entirely on the declarations of the state board of health of Louisiana in the Gelpi case, which was that the disease from which the person died was yellow fever.

A Proclamation.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 8.—The state board of health has issued a proclamation excluding from the state all persons and baggage from the yellow fever infected points in Louisiana and Mississippi unless accompanied by a certificate that he has not been exposed to the disease within 15 days from the time of departure.

Accept Hawaii's Offer.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The full text of the formal acceptance by the Japanese government of the proposal to arbitrate its differences with Hawaii has been received in this city, and a copy was on Tuesday delivered to Secretary Sherman by the secretary of the Japanese legation, Mr. Mataui. It is from Count Okuma, minister of foreign affairs, to H. Shimamura, Japanese minister to Hawaii. Japan proposes the king of the Belgians as the sole arbitrator.

Tragedy in Colorado.

Victor, Col., Sept. 8.—Henry H. Tillotson shot and killed his sweetheart, Ella Taylor, putting three bullets into her body, and then killed himself with the same weapon. Jealousy was the cause.

Snow in Scotland.

Edinburgh, Sept. 6. — A snowstorm has swept over Scotland. The Grampian hills are completely covered with snow.

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CLINTON

Claud Rogers left for Hudson Saturday.

C. E. Judge spent Sunday at Manchester.

Fred Hall, of Manchester, was here Saturday.

School opened Monday with a large attendance.

Miss Jennie VanTuyle returned to Jackson Monday.

Jas. Hamilton was over from Detroit the first of the week.

Miss Libbie Priest has been quite ill for the past few days.

C. D. Smith, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday evening.

Miss Laura Haggart returned to Buchanan last Thursday.

Mrs. L. A. Sutfin left for Hanover, Ill., Thursday of last week.

Roy Wood was home from Detroit from Sunday until Tuesday.

Miss Anna G. Eagan began teaching school at Deerfield last Monday.

Jas. Priest, of Toledo, visited his mother and sister over Sunday.

Miss Christine Burton went to Detroit Wednesday for a two weeks' visit.

Geo. Freese and family returned from New York state last Friday night.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell will preach his farewell sermon here next Sunday evening.

H. Osborne and wife, of Tecumseh, were guests at D. Woodward's last Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Stevenson has been visiting her mother at Toledo the past few days.

Will Burton and H. G. Shekell made a bicycle trip to Ypsilanti and return Sunday.

Misses Lizzie Tate and Nettie Fisk returned Monday from a week's visit at Jackson.

Mrs. A. F. Kishpaugh spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in Sharon township.

Miss Pauline Schneirla went to Grand Rapids Monday, to visit her sister, Mrs. Olof Ostman.

Miss Olive B. Mills began her third term as teacher in the Dillingham district Monday.

Miss Grace Davis returned to Detroit Monday after spending two months at her old home.

Miss Lizzie Shurtz, of Toledo, has been a guest at Henry Lancaster's since last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rowland arrived from Albion Wednesday for a visit with Clinton relatives.

Mrs. Geo. Pulver and daughter Ruth returned Saturday to Dundee, after a ten days' visit here.

Mrs. E. M. English has been having a kitchen built on the west side of her Franklin street residence.

Mrs. Carrie McCollum and Mrs. Elsie Rowland, of Tecumseh, were guests of Mrs. C. W. Nase Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Root and Mrs. E. M. Conklin, of Manchester, were guests of Mrs. Hattie Johnston Monday afternoon.

The Baptist society held an ice cream social Tuesday evening at Geo. Walter's in Bridgewater. Receipts, about $10.

C. F. Coller and wife, of Tecumseh, and B. J. Coller and family, of Detroit, were callers at P. Kishpaugh's Friday.

B. F. Hall has moved his laundry from Jackson street to the building on Main street recently vacated by L. K. Davis.

Miss Frankie Lilley, of Bronson, Branch county, has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Jas. Woodward, for the past few days.

Mrs. J. H. Newman and daughter, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Lewis, left Tuesday morning for their home at Baraboo, Wis.

The ladies of St. John's church will hold their annual Harvest Festival at the town hall next Thursday, Sept. 16th. Supper 15 cts., served from 5 to 7 p. m. Everybody invited.

Jas. Eagan arrived last week Thursday and, accompanied by his sister Cecelia, left Monday for North Carolina where they will make their home if the climate proves beneficial. Their brother Will will join them soon.

Constipation is the cause of all sorts of serious disorders of the blood. Strong cathartics are worse than useless. Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's own remedy for troubles of this sort.

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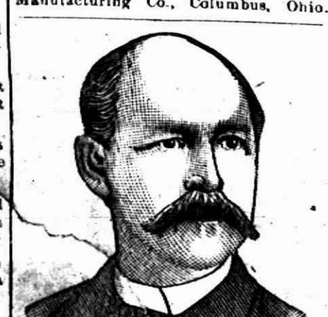

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Interesting Information from Many Localities.

A Colon man shipped a ton of turtles to Chicago recently.

Capitalists will build an electric road from Detroit to Romeo.

The Alger Guards, of Benton Harbor, will organize a naval company.

Farmers in the vicinity of Petoskey will start a cooperative creamery.

Enormous catches of fish have been made by fishermen in Saginaw bay.

Congressman Todd is busy at his farm harvesting 1,000 acres of mint.

The new State Telephone company will establish an exchange at Lapeer.

Four sets of officers' quarters, to cost $20,000, will be built at Fort Brady at the Soo.

Duncan McNaughton, of Port Huron, who was injured in a runaway accident a week ago, is dead.

William Atkins, of Arabella, Tuscola county, has discovered a fine vein of soft coal on his farm.

The freshmen class at the Michigan agricultural college this fall will contain about 150 members.

Lansing will sue bondsmen for the $15,000 city money deposited in the defunct People's savings bank.

A receiver has been asked for the Benton Harbor & Eastern Electric Railway company to wind up its affairs.

One of the new laws compels mine companies to fence in all open pits, some of which are 100 or more feet deep, and very dangerous.

George Demars, aged 23, who hails from New York state, was crushed to death in a hay press on the farm of John Manning, near Saginaw.

The fiftieth session of the grand lodge of odd fellows encampment of Michigan will meet in Kalamazoo, probably the second week in October.

Dr. Henry F. Thomas, of Allegan, has been nominated by the republicans of the First district of Allegan county for representative to the legislature.

Superintendent A. J. Murray, of the state public school, at Coldwater, has tendered his resignation. He has the offer of a better position elsewhere.

Farmers in Oceana county are receiving from 40 to 50 cents a bushel for their potatoes this year, as compared with six and six and one-half cents last year.

Rev. William Gates died at Benton Harbor Saturday, aged 87 years. He was a pioneer preacher in Michigan and a well-known contributor to sectarian journals.

George Humphrey, aged 11 years, while playing on the turntable in the Michigan Central yards at Oxford, was crushed by an engine and died shortly afterward.

Judge Maxwell, of Bay county, will call a grand jury on October 15 to investigate alleged irregularities in county and city affairs. It promises to be a great sensation.

The depositors of the defunct savings bank at White hall will begin suit against the directors of the bank to recover their deposits. So far they have received but 14 per cent. in dividends.

Mrs. W. Z. Hutchinson, of Flint, who chloroformed her little girl and shot another, declares that she intended to kill her husband and then herself, fearing that all were doomed to become insane.

The Knights of Khorassan of the entire Saginaw district, which covers Bay City, Flint, Owosso and many other towns and cities, will be entertained by Islam Temple, No. 57, of Saginaw, September 15.

Gov. Pingree is prepared to appoint an indefinite number of delegates to represent Michigan at the national prison congress to be held at Austin, Tex., October 16-20. The delegates will have to pay their own expenses.

The Grand Trunk has just made an important concession to its employes. The company will hereafter refund one-half the freight charges on coal, wood and building material intended for the personal use of the employes.

Partly Unconstitutional.

Lansing, Sept. 6.—Attorney-General Maynard has filed an opinion relative to the validity of the act of the last legislature relative to hawkers' and peddlers' licenses. He declares that while the act clearly applies to agents who take orders from house to house to be sent to another state and there filled, such a provision is clearly unconstitutional, being an attempt to regulate interstate commerce. The balance of the act is not, however, invalidated because of this unconstitutional provision.

Died at the Age of 107.

Niles, Sept. 2.—Michigan's oldest citizen, Barney McIlrow, is dead at his home in Wales, this state. He was born 107 years ago in Limerick, Ireland, but has been a resident of Michigan 87 years. He was a cripple, but had amassed an immense fortune. He never used tobacco or liquor in his life.

Uses His Coffin as an Ornament.

Niles, Sept. 2.—William Decker, a wealthy farmer of Shepard, has had his coffin made to order and placed in his front yard, where it stands upon a frame made for the purpose. Decker says the coffin will be left there until he dies. He is now 60 years old.

Mint Distilleries Busy.

Decatur, Sept. 6. — The odor of mint is in the air here. Thirty distilleries are now in operation, and thousands of pounds of oil are being turned out. The acreage runs up into thousands, and several hundred men are employed.

Rates Reduced.

Detroit, Sept. 5. — The Michigan (Bell) Telephone company announces that October 1 it will reduce the price of business phones to $3 per month. Prices have heretofore ranged from $6 to $12.75 for the same service.

—The tomb of Mohammed is covered with diamonds, sapphires and rubies valued at $10,000,000.

PURE GOLD FOUND.

Startling Reports Are Received from the Michipicoten Country.

Detroit, Sept. 7. — A dispatch was received here yesterday from Wawa City, the newly laid out town in the Michipicoten gold country on Lake Wawa, Ontario. The embryo town is located in the one narrow pass which leads to Lake Wawa from the landing place on the shore of Lake Superior, which is but six miles from the gold discoveries. The dispatch says:

"As to the gold discoveries developing anything like the indications, it can be said that quartz has been found that assays over $300 a ton. It is found not in one section, but in different places, extending over several thousand acres. Quartz has been found here containing free gold in chunks as big as kernels of wheat—gold in its pure form, which does not have to be subjected to a chemical process to free it from the rock. Prospectors every day are finding specimens that assay $50 a ton. Probably 100 prospectors are to-day working in the hills. Another party of 65 reached here yesterday afternoon. Several thousand acres have already been claimed, but there are all kinds of disputes about priority of claims and nobody can tell who will get a patent from the government. The country where the discoveries were made has never been opened for settlement. The only inhabitants about are Indians and Hudson bay traders, and they are few."

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Sept. 7.—The party of gold seekers on the yacht Mary Bell have returned from Michipicoten after having been in the new gold fields but three days. They say the newly discovered Eldorado is fully as rich as has been reported. There were 14 in the party, and all responsible business men of this city. Each of them secured claims upon which the gold quartz promised big returns. In all the party will make application for 4,000 acres which was prospected and staked out while they were there. Many samples of quartz in which free gold as large as a pin head can be seen were brought back by them. The specimens were secured from different places on their claims, which are scattered.

Reports on the Banks.

Lansing, Sept. 6.—The condition of the 176 state banks and three trust companies of the state at the close of business July 23 is given in a consolidated report issued by Banking Commissioner Just. The report shows increased deposits to the extent of $2,434,037.90 over the report of May 14, the increase in savings deposits alone amounting to $1,797,086.50. Commercial deposits increased $771,748.18 in two months, and the certificates of deposit fell off $105,148.75. The increase in loans and discounts amounts to $1,089,178.29, and in resources to $774,008.45.

Means Two-Cent Fare.

Saginaw, Sept. 5.—The Grand Trunk is issuing exchange tickets here to anyone who presents one of their $20 mileage books. Hitherto the original purchaser only could use the book. The new departure actually means a two-cent rate over the system within Central Passenger association territory, and war to the knife with the Michigan Central and other Michigan roads against the interchangeable mileage system, which the Grand Trunk has always fought.

Apple Crop Poor.

Watervliet, Sept. 4.—A good many apples are being shipped to Chicago, despite the fact that fruit growers unite in declaring the crop a failure. But many orchards are almost destitute of fruit, and coopers are not rushed with orders for barrels as they were last year. Peaches are quite scarce in this immediate vicinity, but a few miles nearer the lake they appear to be plentiful. Pear orchards and vineyards are loaded with fruit.

Wedded Fifty Years.

Jackson, Sept. 6.—C. L. Mitchell and wife, of Hillsdale, celebrated their golden wedding in an elaborate style Saturday evening. Guests were present from Adrian, Monroe and other cities. Mrs. Mitchell is a sister of Judge Wing, of Monroe. Mr. Mitchell is 80 years of age, has resided in Hillsdale since 1840, and is well known in southern Michigan.

To Prospect in Alaska.

Niles, Sept. 6. — Messrs. John Robinson, John Barnes, J. R. Eastman and Edgar Nichols, Niles capitalists, are organizing a company with a capital of $50,000 to prospect in the gold fields of Alaska. They will furnish money to send 20 reliable men to Klondike next spring to locate and manage their claims. They also expect to enter into the lumber business.

Expense of the Labor Bureau.

Lansing, Sept. 6. — Between January 1 and September 1, 1897, a total of $11,144.79 was expended on account of the state labor bureau. The expenditures on account of factory inspection amounted to $4,369.88; from the general fund for salaries, etc., $3,458.44; for the labor bureau proper, $3,316.47.

Good Crops.

Saginaw, Sept. 6. — The crops of everything but wheat around Saginaw are in splendid condition, but the latter will not average over half a crop. The corn crop is away ahead of expectations, and everything in the way of vegetables is in prime condition. The hay crop is luxuriant.

To Be Paid for Her Son's Death.

Calumet, Sept. 6. — Mrs. Margaret Heimes, of this place, will be paid $3,000 for the death of her son, Joseph, who was killed during the labor riots at Ishpeming two years ago. He was in the service of the state at the time.

Sheep for Montana.

Holly, Sept. 5. — E. L. and J. L. Davis, of Davisburg, recently shipped 20 Rambouillette sheep to Montana for which they received an even $500. Several of them weighed over 225 pounds.

Pioneer Dead.

New Baltimore, Sept. 3.—Joseph Trudo, an old pioneer and a resident of this place for more than 45 years, is dead at the advanced age of 85 years.

Wheat Takes a Tumble.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Wheat in this market fell from one dollar on Saturday to 91⅛ cents yesterday.

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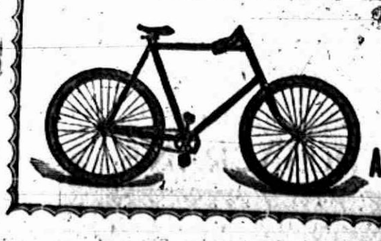

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Will Nivison spent Tuesday in Tecumseh.

Willis J Helm made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Fred Nobles and Tom Prest made Detroit a visit Sunday.

Ralph Kishpaugh went to Clinton Monday to enter school.

Mrs. Stewart Ballou and daughter visited Detroit friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rice, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Haight last week.

Del Ward has accepted a position with a Toledo printing office, therefore will not return South.

Mr. and Mrs. John Britton have been spending the week with their son Morris at North Star, Mich.

Quite a number from here attended the annual meeting of the Eastern Star at Tecumseh last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clement and Miss Gimbert, of Adrian, were guests of C. R Mabee and wife Sunday.

Elmer Exelby, who is preparing himself for the ministry, will preach at the Christian church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sauckman, with their daughter and husband, all of Toledo, were guests of the Underwood's last Sunday.

Ollie Hunt, of Adrian, freight solicitor for the Detroit and Lima Northern railroad, was in town Saturday looking after business for his road.

At the school meeting Monday evening, W. J. Clark, and C. C. Smith were elected trustees, the term of Charles Dubois, and Wm. Underwood having expired.

Mrs. E Sink was in Toledo Tuesday and Wednesday, making her fall purchases of millinery goods. She will have all the latest novelties as well as staple goods.

Alfred Kelly, Leon and Sena, went over to Detroit Sunday to see Mrs Kelly, who still remains in the hospital though convalescing nicely from her recent operation.

Hughes and Wood have a fine new hay press which they operated for the first time last Saturday, and made quite a record, baling 16 tons when 12 is considered a good days work.

If Chas. DuBois is not seen wearing a "biled shirt", he is not to blame some sneak thief lifted his from the line Monday night, leaving him perfectly destitute. "Never mind, Chas there are others."

Rev. C. I. Deyo, who started last week for the northern part of the state, got no farther than Detroit, being so ill when reaching there, he could go no further. Mrs. Deyo went to him Tuesday. What course they will pursue will be determined by his condition.

Most every community has its lazy man and Britton is no exception. She has one, that is fully entitled to wear the champion belt. He having a piece of ground to drag, rode horseback and drove the team hitched to the drag. He was no cripple either, but an able bodied man. Talk about taking the cake, he takes a whole bake shop.

The ladies of the Christian church are making great preparations for their coming fair to be held October 6th, 7th and 8th. They will be glad to receive donations of fancy and staple articles from anyone and all. If each one will contribute something, it will aid them greatly in making the fair a grand success and the money received from the sale of the articles can be used to advantage in carrying on church work.

Next Sunday morning at the Reformed church, the pastor will preach on the subject of "The three great strongholds of Christians." In the evening the subject will be "A man's a man for a' that." On the following Sunday morning, if pleasant, the pastor will preach a sermon especially addressed to farmers on "Sowing mixed seed." The Classes of Michigan, will hold the fall session in the Reformed church at Pennington commencing Tuesday September 21st, at 3:30 p. m. and continuing through Wednesday.

On Saturday afternoon a game of ball was played on our grounds between Britton's second nine and a picked nine from here. Our boys wresting victory from seeming defeat, at the end of the third inning, the score stood 10 to 1 in Clinton's favor, yet at at the end of the ninth, it was 18 to 16 in our favor. The game was characterized by heavy batting on both sides, and also in brilliant plays, mingled with many rotten errors. Cotton as umpire, did not give the best satisfaction, but then he deserved the treatment he received from a certain few spectators, who made themselves very obnoxious by their abusive language and childish behavior. It is hoped that in the future they will not make such an exhibition of themselves.

On Friday the last of the week, Dr. Shot went up to the farm in May-nard a cow, taking his wife with him to drive the horse, thinking if the cow got all right, he could ride. He got on ahead with the cow, Mrs. H. made some calls and finally took tea with a friend before starting homeward. They took Doc just as he reached home, nearly exhausted from the unaccustomed exercise, she having misunderstood him. He thought he had done a big thing and was the hero of the hour. But Jambast was jealous, and something must be done to wrest the crown from him, so Sunday instead of keeping his appointment, he hied himself away to Blissfield and at even, jogging in at a small pace, leaning back and in a faint, but sepulchral voice exclaimed, "I have beaten Doc

Mrs. Jno. Gibson returned from her eastern visit Monday, which has been beneficial to her.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. Al. Kelley is greatly improved.

Several of the L. O. T. M. visited Britton hive Friday evening.

Miss Beula Atwell, of Palmyra, visited Mrs. Chas. Pfund last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Knapp, of Sand Creek, visited at E. W. Isley's Sunday.

School opened Monday with Miss Blanche Coffin, of Deerfield, as teacher.

Mrs. August Greenwald and Miss Hattie Herringdean took a trip to Toledo on their wheels.

Master Charley Begal, of Jackson, has been visiting Cas. and Forrest Florence the past week.

Miss E. H. Fish will be in Detroit next week looking up new styles in fall and winter millinery.

CONE.

Elmer Dennison has a new bicycle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raymond were in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Simon Gould attended the M. P. conference at Lum last week.

Foster Ostrander, of Ypsilanti, is visiting his cousin, Frank Hanlon.

Miss Mary Myers, of Adrian, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Augusta Caswell.

Schuyler McFall, of Whittaker visited his daughter, Mrs. Ella Wilcox. this week.

Mrs. Minnie Craig, of Toledo, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gray.

John Curry and family, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday at his father's, Wm. Curry's.

Miss Lena Howe, of Burnside, and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Dundee, were here Wednesday.

Mrs. Pennell, of Romulus, is spending the week with her husband, the telegraph operator.

Misses Maud and Mary Smith, of Ashley, and Blanche Cone, of Milan, were in town Sunday.

Miss Lena Hoag, of Detroit, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William Landt, went home Wednesday.

Mrs. Mabel Laskey and two children, of Toledo, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Auten.

Dr. Munger and wife, of Oklahoma, Mrs. Frank Knowles and Mrs. Helen Galloway, of Azalia, visited Mrs. Munger's sister, Mrs. J. C. Cone, Saturday.

RIDGEWAY.

Willie Fletcher is sick.

Farmers are fitting ground for wheat.

Ace Smith returned from his eastern trip Sunday.

Mail Messenger Palmer, of Adrian, was here Saturday.

Dr. Beagle, of Jackson, visited at Wm. Barrett's Saturday.

C. A. Graves and Glenn Smith wheeled to Blissfield Friday.

C. A. Pocklington, two mile south of here, is building a new house.

Mrs. Lucy Clark and daughter Eva, of Milan, visited here last week.

Mrs. W. E. Barrett, of Toledo, visited relatives here the first of the week.

At the annual school meeting Monday night Chas. Foote was re-elected director.

Elmer Pocklington, Cyrus and Lura Palmer began school in Tecumseh Monday.

Gertrude Marvin returned Saturday from Azalia where she spent her vacation.

Mr Johnson and family, of London, Mich., spent Tuesday with Mrs. Elmer Linn

Prof. J. C. Howell, of the West Side schools, Blissfield, was in town Friday evening.

F. E. Pocklington and family attended a family reunion near Ann Arbor Saturday.

Bertha Wagner returned Sunday evening from a visit with her parents near Wellsville.

Ella Boyd is teaching in the Henry district, Macon, and Mabel Graves in the Sutton district, Raisin.

School began Monday with C. A. Graves as teacher in the advanced room and Gertrude Marvin in the intermediate room.

N. Heath, wife and daughter came up from Toledo the first of the week on their wheels and visited their cousin, Mrs. Sarah Rappleye.

Chas. Lowe and wife, Clarence Lowe and Miss Blanche Dunn drove to Jackson Thursday, made a tour of the lakes and arrived home Sunday.

By the announcement of the Dunham Medical College, of Chicago, for '97-'98 we learn the G. P. Waring, M. D., 1106 Stewart Bld'g, is among the faculty as lecturer on the nervous system.

The subject at the Methodist church Sunday morning will be "Divine Healing: The True and the False in it." Evening: "Christ, the Wisdom and Power of God." Everybody welcome.

The W. C. T. U. held their regular meeting at the church Friday evening. After this meeting the young people carried out an entertaining program and Dr. Beagle, of Jackson, made a few remarks.

Miss Gaunt, assistant superintendent of the Deaconess Home, Detroit, gave an address at the M. E. church Sunday evening, under the auspices of the W. H. M. S. Over $6 was raised for her in her work.

A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foley's Colic Cure, for all bowel complaints.

MACON.

Mrs. Robert Bard is on the sick list.

Miss Addie Crittenden returned to Detroit Monday.

Acel Smith, of Ridgeway, was in the village Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caius Triplet Sundared with friends in the village.

An eight pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Collins, Aug. 29th.

Chas. Slayton, of Tecumseh, was in the village on business Tuesday.

Rev. D. H. Ramsdell will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday afternoon.

Al Cavanaugh, of London, was the guest of Miss Carrie Camburn over Sunday.

William Brainard, of Saline, spent Sunday with Isaiah Hendershot and family.

Christian Coller and wife, of Tecumseh, visited Lester Coller and family Tuesday.

About eighty five attended the Aid Society at the M. E. parsonage in Clinton last week.

Ezra Day has gone to Chicago, where he has secured a good position in the Deering Binder factory.

Mrs. Sarah Hough, and Mrs. Chas. Avery, of Tecumseh, spent Tuesday at the home of J. B. Coller.

Mrs. Eliza Teatherly, of St. Louis, Minn., was the guest of Miss Rebecca Thomas Saturday and Sunday.

We are glad to report James Barney a little better at this writing, though he is not considered out of danger.

Sylvester Thomas and daughter, Mrs. G. D. Ellis, went to Grand Rapids Monday to spend a week visiting friends and attending the state fair.

Mrs. W. S. Morden and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Mills left Saturday for Petoskey where they will meet the doctor, who went about a week before, seeking relief from hay fever.

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Before promising a woman to love only her one should have seen them all or only her.

When you are suffering from Catarrh or Cold in the head you want relief right away. Only 10 cents is required to test it. Ask your druggist for the trial size of Ely's Cream Balm, or buy the 50c. size. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it. MARCUS GEO. SHAUTZ, Rahway, N. J.

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 10, 1897.

At the meeting of the village council last Monday evening three petitions were presented, two from the D., T. & M. and one from the property owners on Cummins street. The HERALD prints the communications in full.

The village of Tecumseh ordains that The Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and its successors and assigns be hereby granted the right to occupy with its passenger depot and platform for the accommodation of passengers and baggage, that portion of Cummins street described as follows, viz: A rectangle sixteen feet in width north and south by one hundred feet in length east and west, having for its north line the north line of said Cummins street and for its east line the west line of Evans street and that said company be hereby granted the right to maintain a sidewalk or platform not to exceed ten feet in width at present sidewalk grade along the west line of Evans street adjoining the east end of its passenger depot, provided said railway company shall provide and maintain in tile, pipe or other suitable method, ample means for the suitable drainage of said streets through and under said depot, platform or sidewalk.

The village of Tecumseh ordains, that The Detroit Toledo and Milwaukee Railway Company and its successors and assignes be hereby granted the right to build and maintain a side track across Cummins street in said village, leading from its present established main track northeasterly to its freight depot, the frog of said side track to be located about one hundred feet east from the east line of Pearl street and the center of said side track to intersect the center of the present traveled carriage way on Cummins street aforesaid at a point two hundred feet east from said east line Pearl street on the present grade of said Cummins street, said Railway Company, however, to continuously maintain a good and safe plank crossing at the intersection of said side track and said traveled way of said street.

Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 6, 1897.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh:

We, the undersigned property owners who own property on Cummins street in said village, most repectfully protest against the granting of a right to build a track across said street, to either the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee Railroad Company or to the Detroit & Lima Northern Railway Company, and also against any extension of the franchise now or heretofore held by said companies or by the former owners thereof and your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

GEO. T. MATHESON,	THOMAS WYKILL
C. C. TEFFT,	C. A. MCNEIL,
GEO. ZIMMERMAN.	E. A. HODGES.
MRS. FRED CHIVERALL,	WM. A. LOWRY.
MRS. WM. KEYSOR,	ROSE YOUNG.
J. T. MCKINNEY,	MRS. M. DIXON.
A. B. TILTON,	WM. KYLE.
JOHN LOWRY,	T. D. MARK,

GEO. B. MIZE.

The first ordinance relative to the depot platform was passed, the second together with the one from the property owners was laid over for two weeks that the members of the council might find out the wishes of the people of Tecumseh. The changing of location of the D. & L. N. and D., T. & M. station from the lower end of town to a more central location is of mutual advantage to the people of Tecumseh and to the railroad. Certainly the railroad company has gone to much expense to move their freight and passenger buildings from the old location where all was in good shape to do business and they had plenty of room to a nearer location where they must always be congested for room, simply that the people of Tecumseh who desired to ride on their roads might be able to reach the station easily. It would have made no difference in their passenger or freight business whether the station was located three or six blocks from the business center. Now the people of Tecumseh should be, and indeed are, willing to give all the concession possible to the railroad company. As a matter of fact the old town was all dried up and about ready to blow away when the D. & L. N. road came in line. Today there is hardly a house in town to be rented at all and rent has increased from 10 to 25 per cent. This very man Chiverall has been for months at work in Elkhart because there was no labor for him to do in Tecumseh. Such a state of affairs can only help the town in every way, new houses will be built and new factories will come. The very property on Cummins street owned by the signers of this petition is worth 25 per cent more today than before the railroad came, beside most of them were paid by the C., J. & M. company when the road was built years ago. Mr. Hodges received $100.00 and Mr. Chiverall $200.00. The people of Tecumseh join with the HERALD in advising the council not only to allow the side track to be put in on Cummins street, but to aid the railroad company in every way possible to make it pleasant and profitable for them to get their stations and tracks properly located. As before stated the benefit is mutual and so far the railroad company has done more than it agreed by Tecumseh in every instance.

FINANCIAL LETTER.

Chicago, Sept. 7, 1897.

The prediction for higher market for wheat made in the last letter of this correspondence has been more than verified by the events of the last two days. December wheat, which closed Saturday night at 93 5 8, opened today fully two cents higher, and there is nothing in the present outlook to indicate materially lower prices in the immediate future. On the contrary reports to Schwartz, Dupee & Co. from all parts of the wheat consuming world are that there is a marked scarcity, with indications that a worse condition of affairs is imminent. The Mark Lane Express, which is an authority in matters pertaining to food supply and demand in Europe, says that present wheat prices are nothing like as high as they will be when the outcome of the present shortage in all parts of the world is presented to the buyer. From Russia comes word that not only is the present crop a poor one, but the drouth is so severe that farmers experience great difficulty in preparing the ground for seeding. This phase of the situation will appeal to many American agriculturalists who find themselves in the same plight, and the continued lack of rain in our wheat states when it is imperatively needed for the planting of winter wheat is likely to become a serious factor in the situation here.

The English visible supply of wheat decreased 351,000 bu. in the last week and our own decrease was 656,000 bu. These figures should command attention from those who have learned to depend upon the United States for all the wheat the world may need, irrespective of the conditions elsewhere. The demands of Europe have evidently not been overestimated, and it was these demands, when there was promise of an abundant harvest in this country that put wheat to a dollar a short time ago. If the planting of winter wheat is to be seriously impeded by lack of rain, it does not take a prophet to foresee the future of that cereal. Primary receipts are averaging only about half what they were a year ago. The report this morning for two days was 2,400,000 bu. as against 2,443,000 bu. for one day a year ago. It is natural to suppose that with September wheat selling at 96 6 better in Chicago and December at 95 there is a good movement of the stocks at hand, and therefore the low primary receipts mean much to those who look below the surface.

Corn has held its own well, but its situation is radically different from that of wheat, because of a good crop this year and a heavy accumulation from the crops of 1895 and 1896. At present prices the American farmer must receive a vast amount of money for the corn in sight even though the weather conditions remain favorable. In the event of killing frosts prices would, of course, go much higher, and these are within the range of possibilities.

The following table shows the close Saturday night and today of wheat and corn as dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade.

	Close Sept. 4.	Close today.
Sept. wheat	94 1-2	96 1-4
Dec. wheat	93 5-8	96 1-9
Sept. corn	30 3-4	31 3-4
Dec. corn	32 5-8	33 1-2

Young Man and Woman.

Permit us to ask you a few direct questions: they are so pertinent that you may regard them as impertinent. We do not so intend them, but want to direct your attention to a subject of vital importance to you.

Are you satisfied with what you are doing? Have you acquired an occupation that will support you in independence and give you a chance to save money? Are you leading a useful life?

If you cannot answer these questions affirmatively, write to the Business University, 11-19 Wilcox avenue, Detroit, Mich., for a catalogue. That institution educates young men and women to maintain themselves in profitable independence.

E. J. Smith (Philander Perkins) returned to the city this morning. He was in Tecumseh yesterday where it is reported he tried to pass himself off as a bicycle expert but had on a hat with a railway conductor's check, which gave the whole snap away. It is also known that he returned home by train. The long distance bicycle riders are on to his racket, and don't want it to happen again.—Telegram.

The Petersburgh Sun and the Blissfield Advance have declared a war of words, or some other kind of a wrangle about the markets of their towns. That "shining light" of the Advance boast about his town paying more than any town in the county for wheat, etc., does that to fill up space as he is to tired to "hustle" for copy. We believe that they are both working under a halucination of some kind, as we have noticed the markets in their papers prior to this wrangle and believe that neither one corrected them once in a month.—Deerfield Times.

Chas. H. Metcalf, of Detroit, who has been in the Klondike since 1894, is back among his old friends in the City of the Straits. He has come back with some money, not made in gold mining, however, but in trading with the Indians. Mr. Metcalf advises all to stay away until next spring, when the season will be opened better. He confirms much that has been said about the wonderful gold finds in that regions, but says all the best claims are taken. As the country opens up, however, he predicts mammoth gold bearing discoveries. Men are in demand for work at Dawson City, at $15 per day and higher, with meals at $1 each when provisions are plenty (beans and pork principally) and much higher when scarce.—Adrian Telegram.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning the Railroads.

"A good claim agent" is the title under which an exchange tells how settlement was made with an old Swede farmer whose valuable colt jumped out of the pasture, ran upon the track of the Baltimore & Ohio and was killed by an express train:

"We are very sorry that this affair happened," said the claim agent, "and I hope it will not be necessary for us to go into court."

The old man looked at him suspiciously and shifted about uneasily, but said nothing.

"You must remember," continued the claim agent, "that your colt was a trespasser on our property when the accident occurred. We don't want any litigation, however, if we can help it, and we'd like to arrange a settlement with you on a friendly basis."

"Vell," slowly said the Swede, "Ay tal you. Ay bin sorry das fool colt runned on the railroad track, but ay been a poor man. Ay shall give you two dollar!"

Passenger train No. 44, on the D. & L. N., due here from the south at 8:47 p. m., ran into a peculiar obstruction near Hamler, fifty-three miles south of this city, about 6:50 last evening. A man was driving over a crossing with a load of stone when the team either became paralyzed with fear, or else was unequal to the feat of pulling the heavy load over the rails, and stood stock still on the track in front of the oncoming train. The driver jumped from his seat, unhooked the team, and got them off the track, just as the engine struck the wagon. The engineer had slackened speed, and fortunately nothing worse than a wrecked pilot resulted.—Adrian Times.

Judge Lane this morning dissolved the injunction obtained by the Lake Shore company, enjoining A. F. Langdon from disturbing the wire fence erected by the railway company, and preventing him from building a side track on the north side of the mill. Mr. Langdon states, however, that he will not touch the fence, nor build another at present. He has a Lima Northern sidetrack running to the north side of the elevator, which will answer all present purposes at least.—Adrian Times.

District Freight Agent W. O. Hunt states there was no foundation to the report that the Detroit & Lima Northern would locate its shops either at Tecumseh or Detroit. Mr. Hunt says he does not believe the company is ready to put up shops anywhere just at present, and that when it is different cities along the line will probably be given a chance to bid for the prize. He considers Adrian a feasible and convenient point for the location of shops.—Adrian Times.

There are now employed on the Wabash lines twenty-five collectors, and the conductor has only to look after his train. In this connection it is stated that there has been no perceptible increase in cash returns collected from passengers on these trains. The same result followed when General Manager Greene placed collectors on the Big Four trains, says the Free Press.

Lake Shore freight No. 92 met with an accident at Lenawee Junction which resulted in the injury of Conductor Anderson and Brakeman Reeper. The former will not be able to work for some time, and the latter was badly shaken up. The train was broken in two, and the conductor and brakeman were thrown off the train.

The D. & L. N. is hauling 80 cars of Virginia coal a day, making nearly 400 cars already this week. They could handle more so far as the desire of the shipper is concerned, but a rush of other freight, some of which is perishable, makes it impossible to do more with the present equipment.

Dundee Special: The Toledo and Milwaukee railroad, formerly the Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinaw, is extending its line through Dundee to Detroit. The work of surveying has already begun and the track will be laid as soon as the ground can be prepared.—Adrian Times.

That the D. & L. N. road is doing a rushing freight business can be fully appreciated from 2 to 6 a. m. every day, by those who live along the line of the road in the city.—Adrian Messenger.

A tramp, who was catching a ride on the D., T. & M. train yesterday near Tipton, fell under the wheels and had his leg cut off. Dr. Rice, of Tipton, attended him.

About fifty married people are going to Tecumseh Friday via the D. & L. N., to have a picnic dinner on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. George Tiffany.—Adrian Times.

A trunk belonging to Julia Dean Grant, a grand-daughter of U. S. Grant, was transferred at Tecumseh en route for Chicago Monday.

Auditor and Mrs. Richmond were in Lima, Ohio, over Sunday. Mr. Richmond's mother returned with them for a visit.

Newberry Satterthwaite, the L. S. & M. S. station agent, is on duty again today after a vacation of three weeks.

Superintendent G. R. Haskell has rented a house on North Maiden Lane, but is too busy to move.

Road-master Grant has rented Harry Lee's house recently occupied by Ed. Williamson.

Mr. Keller, travelling freight agent of the L. S. & M. S., was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. H. J. Dunbar is in Detroit this week visiting her daughter.

The coaling sheds will soon be moved from Addison to Tecumseh.

E. W. Hiner was in town Wednesday.

The two pleasantest days of a woman are her marriage day and the day of her funeral.

Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

Armour's

Pork Loin,

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A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.
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When . .

you have a watch, clock, pieces of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

Fred P. Kennedy's

Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

To make room for new goods I will sell 5c and 6c papers for 3c roll.

Wall Paper

6¼c AND 7c papers
=at=
4c per roll.

C. A. Wright.

Nearly 200 pieces of
New Silver Ware,
(Hollow Ware.)
Just received. Certainly the fleest display ever shown in Tecumseh and every piece guaranteed.

E. J. Peters,
Repairing neatly done.

Do you know you can buy at HARRIS & HITESHU'S?

The best 7c print at 5c.
The best 7c Amoskeg Gingham. 5c.
The best Shirting Print, 5c.
10 4 Sheet Blankets a pair 43c.

We are afraid you do not know so will tell you

Our store is full of all the late Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Ladies, Misses and Children's Capes, Coats and Jackets.

Do You Know We Are Selling,

Footwear, boots, shoes, rubbers, direct from manufacturer at prices lower than the lowest.

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Ice Cream, Soft Drinks & Lunches
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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 10, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

FOR SALE.—A few Shropshire ram lambs sired by "Willows." ELLIOT GRAY.

FOR SALE.—Family horse, buggy, harness, surrey, and 2 seated cutter, property all in fine condition. Call for price and particulars of MRS. WM. ARNOLD.

The Lenewee County And Southern Michigan District Fair.

At Adrian, Sept. 20 to 24 1897 Inclusive.

Half rates on all railroads.

See bills at all stations announcing time of trains.

Hitching space for thousands of teams.

Beautiful grounds. Special attractions. A great fair.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are the great exhibition days.

ADRIAN.

Horatio Keyser is quite ill.

Will Baker spent Sunday at home.

Dr. Waldron was at Rea on business Monday.

Ex-sheriff Ed Wilson, of Raisin, was in town Monday.

Tom Adamson made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy is visiting her people in Flint, Mich.

James Dunseath, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents.

Seed wheat cleaned "to the Queen's taste" at the Globe Mills.

Leon and Harry Rosacrans are both attending school in Chicago.

Attorney H. C. Smith, of Adrian, was greeting friends here Monday.

Levi Owen returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Marshall.

Ed and Edith Corey left Monday afternoon for Providence, R. I.

Harry Spalding came up and spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Ladies, Harris & Hiteshu are closing their 50c shirt waists for 25c.

C. B. Finch reached home Tuesday from a visit with Eastern friends.

Johnie Karner has been spending the week in Toledo and other Ohio towns.

Timothy Mills returned from his visit with friends at Bath, N. Y., Tuesday.

Miss Ida Hendersbott is assisting a portion of the time at Seaton W. Anderson's.

Albert Orr and wife, of Ashley, Ind., are his brothers a flying visit this week.

E. Snedicor, having returned from outing, resumed his labors Monday morning.

Mrs. T. C. Cummins will make her sister in Toledo a visit, starting for that city Tuesday.

Dr. L. G. North attended to professional business, west on the D. T. & M. Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lottie Rue, who has been visiting Mrs. Abbie Fisher, returns to Battle Creek tomorrow.

Miss Hebe Spalding, after a week's visit with friends, returned home to Tecumseh Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ellen Morris, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno. Cook, returned to Jonesville Tuesday.

Harry Holdway left Monday for a two weeks' vacation. Harry Ely will take his hair during his absence.

Albert Cook who is working at Bay City was here over Sunday. He is well pleased with the town.

Mrs. Robert Service left the first of the week for Illinois to visit her sister, Mrs. Shafer and Mrs. Lowry.

Harry Davidson and Levi Hayden returned from their Southern trip Tuesday and report a delightful time.

Mrs. Chilson and Mrs. G. B. Garlinghouse went to Detroit Tuesday to join the Captian for a trip around the Lakes.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Silvers, of Clinton and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McNeil of Labor day, at Toledo, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snell returned today to their home in Breedsville after a pleasant visit among their old friends.

Mrs. C. A. Kliborn, who came to attend her mother's funeral, was obliged to return to Waukegan, Ill., the same evening.

Ida Shull leaves for Painesville, O. today, where she will attend school. Her mother will go down and assist her in settling.

There will be a meeting of the Chautauqua Circle at Mrs. Wm. Orr's Monday evening, Sept. 18, for the purpose of organization.

House to rent. A. W. SLAYTON.

E. M. Cotter was in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Root is in Ohio visiting relatives.

N. M. Sutton came home from Detroit last evening.

Dr. L. G. North made a business trip to Detroit yesterday.

Mrs. Hall, of Ohio, is visiting her brother, Alva Spayde.

T. R. Kyle is at Swanton, O., acting as starter at the races.

W. F. Stimpson, of Milan, was in town a few days this week.

Mrs. Ed. Baird, of Dayton, is visiting her relatives in Tecumseh.

Garlinghouse Bros. shipped another car load of hogs Wednesday.

Alfred James and family returned to their home in Detroit, yesterday.

Earl Updike has been in the dry dock, so to speak, laid up for repairs.

Miss Adah Erskine left yesterday for Ypsilanti. She will attend the Normal.

Charley Bidwell left Wednesday for a business trip, his vacation being ended.

Handkerchiefs go cheap at Anderson & Rosacrans' Saturday and all times.

Miss Lucy Cameron, of Oscoda, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Hazlett.

Miss Margaret Clarkson will attend the Normal at Ypsilanti the coming year.

S. E. Parrish was in Detroit Wednesday, selecting goods for the holiday season.

Chas. Avery and Jas. Shurts have just bought new Birdsell clover hullers of C. A. Slayton.

M. L. Gillen is doing rushing business, selling a combination step and extension ladder.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Bidwell Bros.' horses were in Swanton, Ohio, this week, and will go to Dundee next week.

The inimitable Bert W. Amsden, of Manchester, was amusing his friends here Wednesday evening.

John Barkwell was over from Ypsilanti yesterday, and Mrs. Barkwell was here the first of the week.

Mrs. Emmett nee Elma Adams, and daughter, of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Shull.

Mrs. A. F. Freeman and mother, Mrs. Merrethew, of Manchester, were calling on Tecumseh friends Wednesday.

Harry Hanford arrived home Wednesday night and will remain a week or two. He has been gone since the holidays.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington left on Tuesday afternoon for Detroit and from there will take a lake trip to Mackinac and return.

Miss Maggie Boyd, who makes her home with her sister, Mrs. Chet. Haynes, of Adrian, spent Sunday with Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. Sarah Shaw, of Adrian, came over to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Mills Saturday and remained over Sunday at Horatio Keyser's.

Miss George, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse this week. They, accompanied by Miss Hartbeck, were lake visitors Sunday.

Fay Anderson left this morning for Jacksonville, Ill. where he will attend school. He will make his home with Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown.

Miss Hartbeck arrived from Dayton, Ohio, Saturday evening, and was met at the train by a party of ladies who were being entertained by Mrs. Garlinghouse.

A special business meeting of all sections of the Research Circle will be held in their club rooms, Friday Sept. 17th, at 3 p. m. A full attendance is requested.

General E. W. Bowen, of Detroit, was the guest of Capt. A. D. Lawrence last Friday. They were in the army together, and a strong friendship exists between them.

Mrs. R. B. House, of Springfield, Ohio, came Tuesday for a visit with her brothers. The doctor, who had been attending the Knights Templar commandery meeting at Toledo this week, joined her yesterday.

One day last week at Newburgh a foot race took place between Johnnie Smith and Herman Peeper, best two in three. First heat throwed to Peeper, next two were taken easily by Smith. Smith is now after the scalp of Prichard, of Tecumseh.

We can sell you a good bedroom suite for $14.00, a pollished oak stand $1.25, dining chairs $5.00 a set, rockers from 50c up, a large arm rocker $2.50, dining table $6.00, a good durable couch $5.00, a parlor suit for $20.00 and up. Everything in proportion. When you get ready to buy come and see us.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Miss Sena Hosmer entertained a few friends last Friday evening, in honor of Miss Waite, of Toledo. Among those present were Messrs. and Mesdames O. P Bills, L. P. Tribou, and Ben Garlinghouse, Misses Waite, Whittier, Corey, and Helen and Hattie Conklin, Mrs. Newbern, and Bert Garlinghouse. The guests were delightfully entertained.

The company, who occupied the Hayden cottage at the lake week before last, held a reunion at the home of Bertha Smeltzer, Tuesday evening, and feasted on melons and roasted corn. Those present were Helen and Hattie Conklin, Margaret Haire, Mary Mills, Anna Williamson, Bessie Spayde, Agnes Stevens, Harry and Sam McClure, Jim and Will Elliott, Ben Pulver, Rob. Parrish anh Ralph Bidwell.

Mrs. Libbie Everett, of Chicago, is in Tecumseh for a few days.

Dont miss that Shirt Sale at Anderson & Rosacraps Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoy rejoice in a son born to them last Friday.

Mrs. C. S. Fitzsimmons returned to her home in Lansing last Saturday.

Lon. O'Mealey, the attorney and apt story teller, was over from Adrian yesterday.

John Keyser returned home this morning from a three weeks' visit with friends at Buffalo, N. Y.

Everything in summer goods at less than cost to close at

HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Farmers, why blister your wives' hands when you can get your seed wheat cleaned so cheap at the Globe Mills?

Mrs. Burridge is home from St. Mary's hospital, Detroit, and will soon be entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Milburn Keyser has been suffering since Saturday with intense pain in his head, confining him to the bed most of the time.

Ed. Holdway and Miss Mertie Macham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Macham at Brooklyn Wednesday and yesterday.

Mrs. M. M. Fineham has purchased the Spaulding property on North Evans street and is making some marked improvements.

Charles D. Smith and Al Van Winkle, are up near Sand lake building a house for James Campbell. They do not get home very often.

The friends of Mrs. Horace Weller will be pained to hear that she has again had the misfortune to fracture an arm. It occurred Monday.

Jimmie Harris, who has been pitching for the D. A. C. S., of Detroit, is home to rest up, his arm having given out in last Saturday's game.

Mrs. O. P. Bills went to Ann Arbor yesterday. She has some thought of spending the winter there, and take up some special lines of study.

Mrs. Geo. H. Stacy, of East Buffalo, New York, has been visiting relatives in Jackson and Tecumseh for a few days. She returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John [illegible]den, of Ely, Minn., arrived last ev[illegible]ng and will make a visit with her [illegible]r and mother, Mr and Mrs. Geo. W. Frasier.

Jacob Cheever is building a house to rent on Pottawatamie street, or rather will rebuild the one moved from the Mosher lot where the D. & L. N. station now stands.

E. J. Smith, the witty man of the Adrian Press, was on our streets Monday trundling a bike with a railroad check in his hat. His friends gave him a hearty greeting.

L. D. Dewey pays more for poultry and eggs, hides and furs, and sells clover and timothy seed cheaper than any other man. Also the place to buy salt cheap. Call and see for yourself.

J. P. Varner and family bade adieu to Tecumseh and people this morning and started for their new home at Laramie, Wyoming. The best wishes of the entire community accompany them.

Charles Barney, of DesMoines, Iowa, arrived yesterday for a visit with Tecumseh relatives. Young Barney is widely known for his great strength, and is called the strong man of the West.

Will Hazlett caught another large pickerel Wednesday and the other fishermen are green with envy. Some claim it is simply "bull head" luck no science about it. Will hears it all and simply smiles.

Roy DeWolf is laid up at the cottage at Sand Lake. He fell down an elevator shaft in Detroit a distance of 16 feet but fortunately struck on his two feet. He was badly shaken up, but hopes to be out in a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Andrus returned from Grand Rapids today. There will be services at the Universalist church next Sunday. Subjects: Morning, "I care not"; evening, "Those Jewels of a Christian Character."

Oliver Sanford is in a critical condition with but little hopes for any permanent improvement. His case is a sad one, an old man, his family all dead, and no relatives near him. A nephew was expected here today to look after him.

It is high time the council made a move towards improving the road towards Clinton from the Bresie house to the corporation line. The condition of this stretch of road, compared with our other roads, is a disgrace to the town. It should be fixed at once.

The first open air concert of the season was given last evening by the newly reorganized band on Chicago street east of the railroad, and was enjoyed by a large crowd of people. The program was choice and finally rendered and under the instruction and leadership of Chas. Skinner the boys are making rapid improvement and these concerts to be given weekly (Thursday evenings) will be looked forward to with pleasure by our citizen and no doubt draw many from the surrounding country and towns.

At the annual meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter held at the Masonic Hall last night the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. M. E. Corey.
Worthy Patron—P. S. McKinnon.
Asso. Matron—Mrs. Ella Boyd.
Secy—Alice Anderson.
Treas.—Mrs. Ella Eldridge.
Conductress—Miss Bertha Smeltzer.
Asso. Conductress—Miss Anna Cutting.

The other officers in the order are filled by appointment of the Worthy Matron and as soon as they are announced they will be given in the HERALD. After the business was completed a neat banquet was served.

Note the prices in Harris & Hiteshu's ad." At their store one is always sure of bargains.

It is understood that "Beech" Garlinghouse and P. W. A. Fitzsimmons will spend at least three days at the Hudson street fair next week.

Our fall stock of furniture is arriving every day, and we will give the very lowest possible price on everything. We sell no shoddy goods. We guarantee every article. We sell you cheaper than you can buy the same elsewhere.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Mrs. Emma Vedder has closed out her confectionery business and disposed of her store fixtures. She will continue to manage the Bell telephone business, and arrangements are in progress for moving the office across the street to E. J. Peters' jewelry store. The change will probably be made between now and Monday.

Beautifully Decorated.

E. W. Howard, proprietor of the new wall paper store, has just completed the work of decorating the home recently purchased by Henry Wilson, on Pottawatamie street. The hall both down and up stairs, is papered in old gold and brown. The library a rich floral pattern of terracotta, sewing room a beautiful pattern, and bed rooms in green and chrisanthemum figures. The dining room is a beauty in empire red. Not the least part of this job is the excellent workmanship. Not a seam can be seen, and everything about the work is neat and tasty. Mr. Howard is an excellent workman, has come to Tecumseh with a fine stock and if doing the best work at lowest prices will win, purposes to stay.

Resolutions of Respect.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church of Tecumseh is called to mourn the loss of one of its members in the death of Mrs. Hulda M. Russell who passed away from a life of usefulness to that of eternal rest on the morning of June 5, 1897. As a society we miss her cheerful presence and ever ready help, and while we as a society feel and mourn our loss, we bow in submission to him who doeth all things well.

RESOLVED that the sympathies of the society be extended to the bereaved family and friends. Though dead she yet speaketh through the memory of her happy christian life, the memory of the just is blessed.

MRS. WM. IDE.
MISS ADA HENDERSON.

Drawn at the first meeting of the society September 1, 1897.

The Annual School Meeting

Was held at the Central school building last Monday evening and the reports made by the director and superintendent showed the schools in fine condition. The enrollment of pupils from outside the district is larger than at commencement of school for many years. The terms of office as members of the board of trustees of P. S. McKinnon and Dr. Howell expired and they were both elected to succeed themselves. The taxpayers seem much pleased with the manner in which the schools are conducted.

The following is the list of teachers for the coming school year:

Superintendent—L. M. Kellogg.

High School—L. M. Kellogg, Flora H. Hartbeck, Phebe J. Bullock, Jennie B. Gallatin.

Grammar department, Central Building—Alice S. Wimple, Nannie Kyle, Bertha Monagin.

East Branch—Lena M. Swick, Anna L. Gamble, Kittie M. Dryden, Lillian E. Avery.

West Branch—Maude M. Howell, Florence E. Secor.

North Branch—Ella A. Norris.

Teacher of Vocal Music—Florence G. Taylor.

Farewell.

Monday evening the members of the M. E. church and congregation met in the church parlors, the occasion being a reception given Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Varner in view of their approaching departure for their new home in Wyoming.

The two small parlors were furnished as dining rooms, one decorated in red and the waiters there were dressed in white and red, and the other decorated in green with the waiters costumed in white and green. Doughnuts and coffee were served. The lecture room was nicely decorated with palms, flowers and bunting.

The rooms were crowded with a company happy to be able to once more associate and enjoy the society of their beloved pastor and his good wife, still sorry to think that soon they would meet no more.

In the midst of all the laughter and hum of conversation Walter Burnett called the company to order and presented with a few apt remarks a beautiful silver tea set to Rev. and Mrs. Varner as a token of the regard felt for them by the church people. The recipients both expressed their thanks in a feeling manner and will ever remember the thoughtfulness and kindnesses of their Tecumseh friends. But the other members of the family were not forgotten, Carl and Orrien being the recipients of nice remembrances presented by Glen Lanning in behalf of the Junior League.

This closes a pastorate of five years for Mr. and Mrs. Varner which might be called successful. Both have endeared themselves to the church members and people of Tecumseh in a way so that they will never be forgotten. The good wishes and good will of all our people go with them to their new home in the west.

—Monuments, marble headstones cleaned, reset or new work put in by George Price, Adrian, Mich. Drop postal and he will call.

—Stoves put up and blackened quickly and in a workmanlike manner.

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Watermelons,

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PARTING MOMENTS.

Three minutes! Aye, the fateful clock,
With measured movement seems to mock
My hopes and prayers,
And what I hope I do not know;
I feel my spirits sinking low
With weight of fears.

Three minutes! Will no power restrain
The hand that counts them, and again
My peace restore?
I plead in vain; they will not stay;
They pass, alas! away, away,
Forevermore!

Three minutes, and the end will be!
I'll vainly look that face to see
I now behold.
Yet I these moments' memories will,
Deep in my heart, though cold or ill,
Fore'er enfold.

Good-by! What future time may bring
Of pain, or joy, or anything,
We cannot tell.
We know that truth, at last, shall reign,
And God shall make His purpose plain,
And all be well.

—Baltimore American.

A Clever Little Woman.

The rain was dashing against the hospital window one afternoon in March when I made my rounds. I left Marta to the last, as I felt that on a dreary day like this she would be more than ever glad of a chat.

I had not sat beside her for five minutes before I found that she was in a highly-strung condition, her eyes were so bright, her skin dry, and her pulses quivering with their rapid beats. After a few commonplaces, I said:

"What is it, Marta? What is the matter to-day? You have no new pain—no fresh trouble?"

"No monsieur," she answered, "it is that I cannot still my thoughts—to-day is the anniversary—" and she stopped.

Her beautiful gray eyes were full of tears, and she was trying hard to exercise self control.

"Tell me," I said, "all about the anniversary."

"It was 12 years ago to-day since I met my husband, Jean Louvain," she began eagerly, "and our meeting was a strange one indeed! I was in search of a clever forger—whom the police believed to be a woman—and I had to go to Riviera in search of her. I had been in the Hospital of St. Jacques to see a man whom I thought could give me information, and it occurred to me suddenly that the dress of a Sister of Mercy would be a good disguise. I left Paris in time to reach Marseilles [illegible] lovely morning [illegible] of a [illegible] scarcely [illegible] in the [illegible]. No [illegible] soon, and the [illegible] collar and [illegible] me quite a different appearance. I had brought a small [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] carry [illegible], and I had my [illegible] [illegible] more. I was [illegible] that [illegible] the [illegible] tired [illegible] [illegible] which [illegible] [illegible] pairs in [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] troubles I carried always a bottle of ether and a [illegible] pad of chloroform, both wrapped for safety in a square of jewelers' cotton."

"Ah, I see!" interrupted I. "Your forger found them, and used them to stupefy you!"

"Pardon, monsieur," she returned, "my tale is better than that! At Marseilles I got into a compartment whence several people descended, and a man, who was its sole occupant, tried to prevent my entrance, as if unconsciously; but I looked sharply at him and got in. He then placed his arms on the doorway and blocked the window until the train left the station; then he threw himself on the seat in the corner farthest from me on the opposite side, and flung off the large cloak he was wearing.

"To my surprise and horror, I saw he was partly dressed as a woman, and he took from beneath the seat a bag like those in which workmen carry their tools and quietly continued his toilet. Naturally I watched him. He was small and slight, and very fair, and when he took off his coat and waistcoat, collar and tie, I saw a great scar beneath the left ear going right under his chin.

"I knew him instantly; he was Durette, the man whom I believed safely in prison at Toulon, who was the most ingenious and cruel of a gang of thieves who had infested Paris for three years, and who had been cleverly captured three months before. The captor had received 5,000 francs, and now he was at large again, and here before me in this narrow compartment. He stopped his toilet, and said to me, in the quiet, clear voice which I knew to be one of his characteristics:

"My sister, I am running for my life. My life is dear to me, and nothing shall stand in the way of my freedom—do you understand? Nothing!"

"As he said this he took from his bag a large, sharp knife, such as shoemakers use, and laid it on the seat beside him. Judge, monsieur, how I felt. Thought is quick, and my brain had traveled far in the few minutes of the journey. Here was Durette; if only I could capture him—the reward would make my dear invalid mother rich for the rest of her life! I would try, I would think; I would not quail. But first I must act! I shrank into my corner at his words and trembled, and let the tears fill my eyes as I looked up appealingly at him.

"'Fear not, dear sister,' he said mockingly; 'if you do as I say, you have nothing to dread. I shall quit the train at Toulon, and you must talk to me as if I were coming home to my family, and you had made acquaintance with me at Lyons.'

"Of course I promised, and he went on arranging himself. His hair was short, and he put on a black woman's wig and earrings in his ears; he had a skirt twisted around at his waist, and this he let down, then he made me fasten a white chemisette, and he put on a bodice, which I laced. Judge how I was thinking, monsieur! My hands trembled with excitement, for the train was rushing on, and it is barely one hour between Marseilles and Toulon. He talked—I suppose he was glad to speak again after his solitary imprisonment—he reassured me kindly, and said he would not harm me if I obeyed him, and he made me vow on the cross I wore that I would say no word till he was out of sight.

"'And I shall watch your train away, my sister,' he added.

"After I had finished dressing him, I went back to my seat, and then I laughed. He looked furious, and asked me why I was such a fool. I said his face was a fair woman's, and his hair a dark one's, and he would be noticed directly. He scowled at me, and said 'Idiot!' but at the same time he brought from his bag a bottle of dye and a brush, and began to color his hands. The stuff would not run, and he shook the bottle violently, but it came in lumps. 'I want some spirit,' he said, viciously, and he swore—oh, monsieur, so awfully.

"I trembled really this time, for it was so fearful to be shut up with such a wretch! Then an inspiration came to me, and I said: 'See, I have no cognac, but I take a medicine sometimes which is a spirit,' and I poured some of the ether into his bottle and shook it. It ran beautifully, became a clear, brown liquid; he scarcely looked a 'thank you,' but rapidly painted his hands, using his left as cleverly as his right; then he tried his face — and then I laughed again, this time with joy, for I had regained my courage, and I felt I should capture him.

"'Why do you laugh now?' he said, fiercely.

"'Because you are making your cheeks too dark, your eyelids are white, and you have left a rim around your lips,' I said, in as steady a voice as I could command.

"'Good heavens!' he exclaimed, and then he said to me: 'Take this brush and paint me!'

"I took it, and pretended to tremble, as I touched his face.

"'Fool!' he shrieked, 'I will not hurt you—see how the train rushes—lose no time!'

"'Then, in return,' I replied, 'you must dress [illegible]' I caught up his [illegible] and [illegible] around him, as a barber puts his cloth, and, taking [illegible] I began to paint [illegible] most I [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

AILROAD TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line.

Tot.ke Effect Nov. 29, 1896.

Trains Leave ADRIAN as Follows

EAST BOUND.

tic Express	6:13 a. m.
York and Boston Limited	7:32 a. m.
t Accommodation	4:08 p. m.
York Express	9:20 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

e Express	10:47 a. m.
y Accommodation	10:19 a. m.
go Limited	3:44 p. m.
is Express	6:15 p. m.

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S. & M. S. RAILROAD.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

TIONS.	No. 315. Mail.	No. 335. Express.	No. 345 Accom
LV	6 35 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 30 P.M
	6 53 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
	7 00 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
	7 14 "	2 39 "	1 39 "
	7 22 "	2 53 "	1 55 "
	7 38 "	3 05 "	2 05 "
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	10 45 "	6 20 "	
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TRAINS GOING NORTH.

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	8 00 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
	7 45 "	7 50 "	
	8 42 "	8 50 "	6 00 A.M
	9 09 "	9 19 "	7 38 "
	9 17 "	9 27 "	8 10 "
	9 32 "	9 50 "	9 00 "
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T. & M. RAILROAD.

Table in effect Aug 22, 1897.

pass Tecumseh as follows:

WEST BOUND.

ssenger	8:50 a. m.
ssenger	2:43 p. m.
ssenger	6:22 p. m.
cal Freight	10:10 a. m.

EAST BOUND.

Passenger,	7:00 p. m.
Passenger	2:43 p. m.
Passenger	9:58 p. m.
Local Freight	3:15 p. m.

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nections made at Toledo and Cincin- all roads diverging and at Addison r Jackson and all points south.

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CAL TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	40.	42.	43.	45
	P. M.	P.	A.M.	A. M.
Lv.	‡6 00	† 4 50	† 8 50	
	7 30	6 22	10 25	4 30
	7 53	6 45	10 48	5 00
	10 30	9 25	2 10	8 10
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Lv.			2 30	8 20
			4 50	10 30
Ar.			9 30	3 40
			† P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Ar.	†11 30	† 4 25		‡ 12 40
	9 58	2 43	† 9 15	11 10
	9 32	2 23	8 47	10 48
Lv.	6 25	11 35	5 30	8 00
y.				A.M.
Ar.		11 30	5 15	
		9 25	3 00	
Lv.		5 10	10 30	
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43 are solid vestibule trains, with run through to Ohio Southern change.

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ANN ARBOR RAILROAD STEAMSHIP LINES.

Table in Effect May 23, 1897.

Stations.	South. 2	4	6
Ar.	P	P. M.	A. M.
Toledo		10 15	9 00
Dundee	12 15	9 28	8 15
Milan	11 58	9 10	7 58
Ann Arbor	11 25	8 40	7 30

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THE VINE HOPPER.

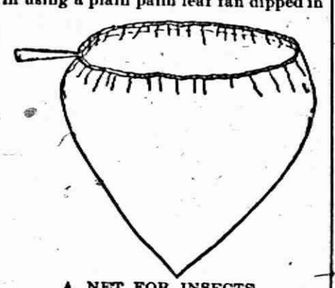
How This Destructive Pest Is Fought in California.

Bulletin No. 116 of the California station (Berkeley) describes the "California Vine Hopper," which is counted as one of the four things doing the greatest injury to the vineyards of California. The bulletin gives an interesting account of the life history of this injurious insect and goes on to suggest remedies, some of which may be of interest to our readers. It is stated that some growers believe that the hopper may be kept in subjection by "sheeping" the vineyard. Sheep are turned into the vineyards after the fruit is picked and permitted to eat down the

DEVICE FOR JARRING INSECTS.

leaves. This method is considered ineffective, as are also the methods of burying the leaves and spraying in winter.

Summer spraying is said to be an effectual process, but is costly and difficult. The insect is very active, and in order to kill it a very strong and penetrating wash like kerosene emulsion must be used. Jarring is considered one of the best remedies when tried in the spring and under certain conditions. Fig. 1 shows certain contrivances that are used in jarring. The scoop or shovel is held up against the vine to hold the hoppers which are driven down by striking with a stick. Another way to fight the pest consists in using a plain palm leaf fan dipped in



A NET FOR INSECTS.

a sticky mixture like thick molasses and water. The fan is held under the vine with one hand while with the other the operator strikes the leaves so as to knock the hoppers down upon the fan. An insect net shown at Fig. 2 is also used. With this the vine is jarred and as the insects fly a few skillful strokes with the net will catch most of them, and they may be crushed or emptied into kerosene.

Prof. Woodworth says that the net and the fan methods are the only ones which are at all practical for summer use. He observed that nearly 90 per cent. of the hoppers were killed by the net method while working with a gang large enough to cover about five acres a day. About half of the gang of men were green hands, part white and part Chinese, and at the rate of wages the cost per acre would be between 15 and 20 cents. This is an illustration of the value of scientific agricultural work. Such pests are sure to come. The average farmer cannot afford time and study needed to understand how to fight such insects or diseases. There must be scientific men somewhere with nothing to do but to study these matters and give their results freely to the world.—Rural New Yorker.

DIET OF THE TOAD.

Wasps, Beetles and Yellow Jackets Compose Its Menu.

Bulletin 46 of Hatch (Mass.) station says the toad lives ten to forty years, does not begin to produce young till the fourth year, but then lays over 1,000 eggs a year. It has lived two years without food, but cannot live long under water. It never takes dead or motionless food. It takes its food by means of its tongue alone, and it operates this so rapidly that the eye cannot follow its motions. It captures and devours bees, wasps, yellow jackets, ants, beetles, worms, spiders, snails, bugs, grasshoppers, crickets, weevils, caterpillars, moths, etc.

The station examined with a microscope the contents of the stomachs of seven toads in April, 30 in May, 66 in June, 26 in July, ten in August and seven in September—149 in all. On an average it was found that 80 per cent. of the toad's food consists of harmful insects, and 11 per cent. was of such beneficial insects as bees, spiders, lady bugs, etc.

The stomach that doesn't flinch at yellow jackets, wasps, blister beetles and click beetles or pinch-bugs would seem to be prepared for anything in the insect line, and it doubtless is.

The quantity of food that a toad's stomach can accommodate is remarkable. In one were found 77 myriapods, in another 55 army worms, in another 65 gypsy moth caterpillars, in another nine ants, six cut worms, five myriapods, six sow bugs, one weevil and one wire worm beetle.

In 24 hours the toad consumes enough food to fill its stomach four times. Feeding at the rate above mentioned a single toad will in three months devour over 10,000 insects. If every ten of these would have done one cent damage the toad has saved ten dollars.

Evidently the toad is a valuable friend to the farmer, gardener and fruit grower, and can be made especially useful in greenhouse, garden and berry patch.

COOPERATION PAYS.

Some Reasons Why Fruit Growers Should Work Together.

One of the difficulties in modern American farming is that spirit of independence which is so largely developed in all classes of American citizens. It is most common of all among farmers, whose policy too often reminds us of the celebrated ox team, in which each animal wanted to be on the "off side." This is often seen in farmers' organizations, especially where farmers are remote from each other, and only come together infrequently. Undoubtedly the cooperative and other features of the grange have done much to dispel this feeling. But it still exists to far too great an extent. Each farmer dislikes partnerships, and prefers to work what land he can buy or rent without aid from others except as he can hire and pay for it.

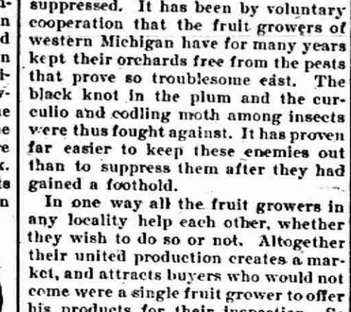
Yet in all other vocations the greatest successes are made by combinations of capital. Why should there not be, to a limited extent at least, such cooperation among farmers. There was when the country was new, and the scarcity of capital made it possible for one man to put up the houses and barns that each farm required. Cooperation in such work seemed to be a necessity. Yet just so soon as each farmer could, he set himself to work to become independent of all his neighbors. It is in fruit growing that this need for cooperation is greatest. Insects and fungous diseases of fruits and leaves require combined effort to be successful. It is of no use for one man in any locality to destroy these on his own farm, while the whole neighborhood is left for the enemy to increase in until it cannot be suppressed. It has been by voluntary cooperation that the fruit growers of western Michigan have for many years kept their orchards free from the pests that prove so troublesome east. The black knot in the plum and the curculio and codling moth among insects were thus fought against. It has proven far easier to keep these enemies out than to suppress them after they had gained a foothold.

In one way all the fruit growers in any locality help each other, whether they wish to do so or not. Altogether their united production creates a market, and attracts buyers who would not come were a single fruit grower to offer his products for their inspection. So far from being an injury to his business, the rivals that most fruit growers have are a help to them. Neither are fruit growers injured by the dissemination of the knowledge needed to secure greater perfection of fruit. If all fruit were brought to the highest degree of perfection, much more would be eaten and the price of all fruit would be higher. There is far too much poor fruit offered for sale. It is this which most keeps down the price of good fruit. The general spread of intelligence as to the means for growing the best fruit is therefore the interest of all fruit growers.—American Cultivator.

FOR TOBACCO GROWERS.

Description of a Horse That Is Easily Made at Home.

For the construction of a home-made tobacco horse, as illustrated herewith, for the sides (a) take two pieces one by three inches and three feet ten inches long. The two cross pieces (b) are one by three inches and four feet ten inches long, nailed securely to sides (a) with eight penny nails. For cross piece (c) take one piece one by two inches and



TOBACCO HORSE.

four feet four inches long and nail to sides (a). The feet (ee) are one by three inches and 12 inches long and nailed to sides (a) as a foot rest. Stick (d) is to hang tobacco on. Each hand takes two rows. After one strip is filled, one removes it and the other man moves the house and drops sticks, before beginning to cut, at every three hills in each third row if 12 plants are to be put on the stick. Put two rows together and if in danger of sunburn, put eight to twelve sticks in a heap and only the top stick will be in danger of sunburn. In hauling, have three hands, one on the wagon and one on each side to pass tobacco from the heap to the wagon. Regulate the tobacco on the stick when cut and after it wilts there will be no more to do.—T. A. Harpending, in American Agriculturist.

Extent of Truck Farming.

The agricultural department says that in truck farming, as distinct from market gardening at the time of the last census, there were 534,440 acres of land and more than 240,000 persons employed. The produots had a value of $76,517,155 after paying freights and commissions, and more than $100,000,000 were invested. Since that time the business has grown rapidly, and it now probably yields more money to the southern states than any other single industry.

Protection for Berries.

Currants, gooseberries and other berries can easily be kept free from weeds during the late summer and fall, when the rush of farm work calls for all the help in the fields, by covering the ground around the plants with a thick coat of straw. This will settle down by winter and protect the plants and furnish plant food for next season. Currant worms very rarely do much damage to bushes that have been cultivated. They have no chance to hide in the grass.

VICTIMS OF A MOB.

Masked Men Maltreat a Couple at West Harrisville.

Harrisville, Sept. 3.—This vicinity is excited over an outrage perpetrated by a masked mob upon Hiram McKinna and Mrs. Frank Haws. McKinna was recently shot and slightly injured by Mrs. Haws' husband on account of McKinna's alleged familiarity with Mrs. Haws. During Wednesday night two parties of masked men took the woman and McKinna from the latter's house, stripped them of most of their clothing and marched them to West Harrisville, three miles distant, flogging them both with whips en route. The hair was cut from Mrs. Haws' head, and finally the couple were left tied to a telegraph pole. Later McKinna cut the ropes which bound them with a penknife, which he had managed to conceal, and returned home with the woman, who was in a pitiable condition from the blows she received. There have been no arrests yet.

DYNAMITE IN THE STACKS.

Michigan Threshers Blown Up by Malicious Persons.

Niles, Sept. 6.—Farmers throughout southern Michigan are looking for persons who have secreted sticks of dynamite in sheaves of wheat. Near Galesburg, while Louis Lefevre was threshing, an explosion took place, which wrecked the separator, stacker and attachment, and the flames destroyed every bushel of wheat and the farm buildings. Several men at work on the thresher were blown many feet away and severely injured. Saturday afternoon while Harmon Delong was threshing wheat on George Townsend's farm, near Vandalia, a terrific explosion took place, blowing the separator to fragments. At least half a dozen of these explosions have occurred in different parts of the country, and the losses have been large. Farmers have hired detectives to investigate.

IN A BURNING BLANKET.

Demented Woman's Method of Ending Her Existence.

Owosso, Sept. 6.—Miss Millie Comstock preferred death to spending the rest of her life in an insane asylum. She adopted a sure method of ending her existence. Saturating a blanket with kerosene oil she wrapped herself in it. Then she placed a match to the blanket and drew her head into its folds, completely enveloping herself in flame. She died in great agony. Miss Comstock was a music teacher. She had been in poor health for some time and preparations were being made to remove her to the Pontiac asylum.

Pingree's Employes at Work.

Detroit, Sept. 3.—The strike of the 600 employes in Gov. Pingree's shoe factory was brought to an end and the machinery was started at one o'clock Thursday afternoon. By agreement every one is pledged to silence as to the terms, but it is rumored that although the firm made some minor concessions, yet there will be no increase in the scale until the present poor condition of the shoe business changes for the better. Employes in the finishing room are to get a minimum rate of $1.25 a day hereafter, it is said, and the firm will pay the full rate to men who succeed others on a new job, provided the new men are proficient.

Dying Man Confesses Crimes.

Bancroft, Sept. 8.—Harry F. Leadley, of Rochester, N. Y., died here Monday. Before his demise he stated that he had been guilty of killing a Miss Emerson in Rochester and of embezzlement from a Rochester fire insurance firm. Charles T. Leadley, father of the deceased, was interviewed in Rochester. He acknowledged the man was his son, but said nothing about the crimes mentioned.

McMillan Has Retired.

Detroit, Sept. 3.—The fact that Senator McMillan has practically retired from the Michigan Peninsular Car company is demonstrated by the resignations of James and James C. McGregor, general manager and superintendent respectively of the works here. For over 30 years James McGregor has been recognized as Senator McMillan's right-hand man.

Killed by a Train.

Petoskey, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Benjamin Hankins, aged 50, wife of a veteran of the civil war, was struck by a southbound train on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, near Pellston, and almost instantly killed. She was quite deaf and was walking on the track at the time. The uncle of her husband was killed the same way a year ago.

Bears Devour a Child.

Standish, Sept. 2.—The 12-year-old daughter of a Deep River farmer went berrying Monday and has not been seen since. Bears abound in the vicinity, and it is reported that particles of the child's clothing have been found in a patch. The inference is that the little one has been devoured by bears.

Lived to a Ripe Age.

St. Joseph, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Helen Ward Lewis, who was born in Delaware 107 years ago this month, is dead from extreme old age. She was a slave and was sold several times. She has always enjoyed good health. She joined the Roman Catholic church on her hundredth birthday.

Michigan Teachers.

Lansing, Sept. 5.—The executive committee of the State Teachers' association met here and decided to hold this year's meeting in this city beginning December 28. The principal address of the week will be delivered by either Bishop Vincent, Rabbi Hirsch or Nicholas Murray Butler, of New York.

Pastor Resigns.

Saginaw, Sept. 6.—Rev. William Knight, pastor of the First Congregational church, has resigned on account of ill health.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 7th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM H. YOUNG, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licenced to sell the real estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered that Monday, the 4th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 24th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of CHARLES WELLS, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of S. Wyman Wells praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Amos Sayers, the executor named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 27th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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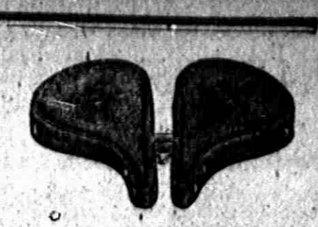

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A LIFE HISTORY.

BY JENNY WREN.

I CAN say without vanity, looking back over this long stretch of years, that I was not unjustly called the belle of our town. It was a quiet place during eight long months of the year and I found it dull enough, and wondered why it was appointed that I must drag out my life within its limits, but the remaining four months saw it emerge as the butterfly from its chrysalis, and waken into such fullness of action that it almost compensated. It was during those periods that I learned my beauty entitled me to a wider sphere, or so I thought in my narrowness of judgment; but when, at ball or reception, I saw men leave the richly attired women whom they met the year round to seek an introduction to me, simply dressed and the daughter of a retired officer, it was little wonder that a blush of conscious pride rose to my cheek, or my eye burned with a satisfied vanity.

I was but 18 when I met Vance Wilmour, He was double my age, and when he bent over me with the wonderful grace of manner he so fully possessed, or let his eyes dwell on mine with an impassioned glance, my heart would throb as a voice within would say: "This is love." It seemed as though an emperor had stooped from his throne to ask the peasant girl to share his high estate when he at last told me of his devotion and asked me to become his wife. My father shook his head when I, joyously exultant, asked him to receive my lover.

"He is not the man to make my bright, uncaged bird happy," he answered. "Take care, Madge. No matter how brightly gilded the bars may be, the mountain songster will beat out his life against them in the struggle to be free."

But to all that he might say my ears were deaf. He could bring forward no real obstacle, however, and so I won at last reluctant consent, and six months from the day I met Vance Wilmour I became his wife. At last I was to see and mingle with the world. It was of this I thought, rather than the solemn vows I had just uttered, as side by side we had bade farewell to the old home, and were journeying to the new. Still, all my heart was his, and had he cared to mold me he might have cast it in any form.

I was not long in finding the emptiness of that I had so desired. The home to which my husband had brought me was perfect in its every appointment. The suite of rooms he had had prepared for me to my unaccustomed eye presented a vista of fairyland, and for a time I was happy. But then, as my father had predicted, my wings began to beat themselves against the bars. I learned to recognize that underneath the velvet touch was the iron hold, that I must stand ever ready with a smile, faultlessly dressed, to receive him and those whom he summoned to admire his captive. No weariness, no fatigue gave excuse. I learned then why he had married me. Wealth, station, all were his, but his pride demanded more. My beauty he knew would reflect credit upon his taste. I was too young, too ignorant to interfere with his pleasures or assert my rights as a wife. So he reasoned, and his judgment served him well.

For a year there was little to mar the scene, then my health failed. Excitement and constant gayety did their work. Nature demanded rest, and even he was obliged to recognize the necessity. Then followed months in which I scarcely saw him, when he hardly found time to come to the couch on which I constantly lay to inquire if I were better or worse; and when in my impatience I would greet him with words of reproach or anger he would silence me by some cutting words of scorn, which would leave their sting for days behind. I was utterly unable to cope with him, and when in the spring three years from the date of our marriage he was induced to join a hunting excursion on the western plains I bade him good-by with scarce a feeling of regret.

Six weeks later I was one day summoned to the presence of a gentleman who told me with trembling voice and pallid lips that I was widowed. Their party while hunting had been attacked by a party of Indians and Vance had fallen in the field, while they, to save their own lives, had been unable even to rescue his body. The shock proved more than I could bear, and for months they thought I would not live; but as health and strength crept slowly back a wonderful softness had taken possession of my heart, and I mourned him with a tender pity, burying his faults in his far-off grave.

As soon as I was able to bear the journey I closed my house and turned my face to the old home with a great content nestling in my spirit, that the quiet I had once despised again was to be mine. My dear old father met me with open arms, and I felt when pressed to his breast as though I had gained a haven indeed after my long and stormy voyaging on the sea of life. Two peaceful years passed away and my father's hair grew white and his form bent. I began to think of the time when I should be left alone in the world—alone and desolate.

I had kissed him good night one evening as I passed out and wended my way to the little village church. Sad thoughts had brooded in my memory all day, and I thought thus to drive them away, and, entering the sacred spot whose altar I had stood before as a bride, I fell upon my knees and uttered a prayer for all that sinful, foolish past.

An earnest, musical voice roused me, and, glancing up, I saw that a stranger occupied the pulpit.

I shall never forget the impression Edward Fearing made on me that night. I had listened heretofore to sermons from a sense of duty, but of his every word fell straight upon my soul and planted there a seed. It was as though he were talking to me, and I listened spellbound. He was not in the strict sense a handsome man, but when carried away by his eloquence his eyes would light up with a wonderful brightness and his face almost grow radiant; he seemed possessed of a beauty scarcely earthlike.

The noise of the people rising from their seats as his voice died away recalled me to the present, but it was with an effort I roused myself. I reached home feeling that while such living words could reach my ear life could not be barren.

I entered my father's study, treading softly lest I should disturb the slumber into which he seemed to have fallen. Drawing near, I softly laid my hand on his. It was icy cold. I stooped to kiss his brow, but its marble whiteness revealed to me the awful truth. The desolation which had hovered o'er my spirit all day had been no idle precursor of ill. Death had entered my home and snatched from me the one being left me to love. An awful calm fell upon me. No tears came to relieve my burning lids—not even when I heard the dull thud which gave back to mother earth its own.

It was then that Edward Fearing came to comfort me. It was long ere even his words penetrated the outer crust of rebellious discontent; but he probed his way so skillfully, so tenderly, that ere I knew it the healing waters of comfort rushed in, and found their vent in outward tears.

I do not know when I learned to love my teacher. Does one ever measure the hour, the moment, when love enters their lives? I could see by this passion which awakened in me the meaning of true love and false. No worldly glitter, no fickle allurements were here. The life we must lead together would be one devoted to the Master's service, but I felt nothing could be sacrifice I shared with him. I had told him all my past one afternoon, when he had just left me, and the echo of his words still was ringing in my ear, when an impatient tread across the hall, a shadow darkened the door of the room in which I sat.

I looked up, wondering if Edward had returned, with some forgotten word of fondness on his lips, when, standing with pale face I saw what in that first agonized moment I believed my husband's ghost.

I started with a wild cry, and would have fallen but that his arms caught and held me, and then I knew that it was no spirit, but living flesh which bound me.

Oh, the agony of that awakening, the torture of the thought which slowly burned itself upon my brain, that my love for Edward now was sin, that I who had so lightly talked of sacrifice shared with him must meet a greater sacrifice than any he had pictured, and meet it alone!

All this I endured while I lay seemingly in outward calm, and listened to my husband's story, how he had been left, as his friends supposed, dead upon the field; but how the Indians, strangely moved to pity, bound up the wounds they themselves had caused, and held him for six months captive. Then, procuring his release, and learning I thought him dead, he determined to leave me in that belief, but how his life had grown purposeless, and he grew to feel a vain yearning for home and wife.

"Had I found you married, Madge," he ended, "I would have gone away and made no sign, but instead you still wear the outward badge of widowhood, and though I little dreamed, my darling, that you should have mourned my loss, may I not by that sign plead for pardon? Will you not give me the hope of casting some sunshine on the life I have so cruelly darkened?"

That night Edward and I parted forever. I sent for him and told him all, and watched his face blench while I sat outwardly calm and unmoved.

"God's ways are not our ways," he said at last. "He has shown us how purposeless were the sacrifices we had planned, and He had greater ends in view. May He give us strength to bear."

The months which followed passed as in a dream, but my hands found plenty to fill them. My husband had come home to me a broken man, and I saw day by day that his strength was failing. Oh, how glad I was in those long vigils by his bedside that I had not faltered. A love as of a mother for her child grew in my breast as I watched his remorseful care, his earnest solicitude in my behalf, as his life ebbed away. It was inner as well as outer mourning I now wore, and for a year I lived on alone in my home, with no particular event to note the fleeting time.

One day a letter was put in my hand. I opened it and out dropped two inclosures, one in a hand which even then caused my heart to beat, and one a few lines in a strange writing. Edward's—for it was from him—ran thus: "When I learned that you were free, Madge, the wild, sweet hope rose in my breast that when I could I should come to claim my wife, but it was not to be. I have been stricken with a contagious fever, and my life is rapidly ebbing away. The verdict has gone forth, and I must die. It is but for a little while. I wait you in a better world. God bless you forever and forever." The other was penned after his death, but told what he had withheld, that no life lost on the battlefield showed greater heroism or truer glory. It is little wonder that I recall that bright joyous girl who once bore my name, as another being, as with folded hands I sit and wait. Sometimes my watch grows heavy, but my courage fails not. I wait on with at least contentment to the end.—N. Y. Ledger.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

A "bum" Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe did big business at Hudson the other night, and this is the way the Gazette roasts its own people for patronizing the fake performance: Many were seen in the audience who would have considered it an insult if asked to patronize a legitimate, high-class entertainment, and would have fallen dead if asked to devote 25c to charity. But let a company of homely darkies, a brass band and a pack of cheap actors (pardon the expression) come to our city and everybody turns out en masse, and the gay manager leaves the town next morning with a veritable Klondyke in his pocket and a mighty poor opinion of the height of Hudsonians' taste for entertainment.—Hudson Observer.

The rag weed and hay fever patients are squaring off at each other in dead earnest. It is when this detestable weed is in full bloom and begins to fly that hay fever patients begin to sneeze. The more the weed flies the more they sneeze. Gil Seewald, who speaks from experience, says, "The more they sneeze the more gaily the weed dances around under their noses." However, the "hay fever brigade" has so far this year very good cause to rejoice. The weed is a month or six weeks behind time in going to seed and as a consequence very little of the influenza is so far reported. But in another week or so it will be on deck and the wailing and gnashing of teeth will begin. The siege will be comparatively short, however, as frosts are predicted by Sept. 15. —Hudson Gazette.

"Four or five fresh young dudes from Adrian have been coming down here Sundays of late and making themselves generally previous. Last Sunday, they were here as usual, and standing on the river bridge, proceeded to make insulting remarks to every young lady who came along. Marshal Wood heard of their actions and hastened to the scene. Hod has a way of taking the law into his own hands that is very commendable in a case like this, and after serving up his famous left upper cut on the physiognomy of one dude giving another a slap along side of the jaw that caused him to see stars in daylight, and administering an 180 lb. force kick on the anatomy of a third youth where it would do the most good, he told them to 'git.' And the way the dudes 'got' would have done your eyes good. It is more than probable they will not come down here again, at least right away." —Blissfield Advance.

Lenawee county can have its own little Klondike if it wants to, and a rush of prospectors may be expected to start immediately. Considerable excitement prevails at Manitou Beach, a pleasure resort on the shores of Devil's lake, north of Hudson. Coal in quantities was discovered on the land of Mr. Weston while excavating Friday and everybody is dreaming of wealth.—Adrian Telegram.

A company of Adrian amateurs made their debut at Fairfield last night in a temperance play entitled "A Social Glass." The combination is composed as follows: Will Champenois, manager and leading man, Jas. Carlton, Ernest and Rutherford Sands, Jno. Hunter, Will Boucher, Mrs. Malinda Carlton and Miss Love. "Andy" Jackson furnishes the music incidental to the performance, using a mandolin and gramophone for the purpose. The several members of the troupe have all assumed stage names. Their next date is at Hudson on the 9th and they will play various other towns in the county.—Adrian Times.

The last pensioner of 1812 in the Iowa-Nebraska district died recently.

An anti-cigarette league is being formed in New York.

Woman's tongue is her sword, which she never lets rust.

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Tecumseh Price Current.

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Eggs	13	15
Lard		8
Beans, per bushel	40 65	1 00
Salt, common, per bbl		80
Cheese, per lb		12
New Potatoes		75
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 50	5 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	5	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		91
Corn, shelled	31	35
Corn, in ear	16	20
Oats	18	20
Hay, timothy, per ton	6 00	7 50
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SAFE IN PORT.

Treasure-Laden Alaskan Steamer Arrives at Seattle.

Brings with Her Only $575,000 in Gold Dust and Nuggets—Her Passengers Tell Interesting Stories of the Gold Fields.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 30.—The steamer Portland arrived here at three o'clock Sunday morning. It was 14 hours after the Portland was sighted off Cape Flattery before she arrived here. The Portland carried 13 miners, each of whom brought only a small part of his stake. The total amount of dust on the vessel is perhaps $575,000. The Portland was delayed by the failure of the P. B. Weare to arrive at St. Michaels and by a storm on the North Pacific ocean.

What the Passengers Say.

There are two facts about the Klondike brought out clearly by interviews with passengers on the Portland. They are, first, that Alaska's fields are rich with gold; second, that awful perils threaten those who seek it. The Yukon miners who came back on the Portland without exception estimate that not less than $10,000,000 will be taken out of the Klondike district next winter. Many of them think the amount will reach fully $15,000,000. Following are extracts of interviews with some of the passengers:

"You can believe almost any statement about the richness of the Klondike diggings that you hear. They are rich beyond description."

"It's hardly fair to judge the Klondike by the returns of this year, sensational as they may seem. The work that has been done is little more than 'gophering.' It was impossible to do systematic and thorough prospecting of claims. Next winter they will get down to solid work. Then look out for results."

"These two creeks (Bonanza and Eldorado) are richer than anything that has ever been found in the world so far. Larger nuggets and richer pockets have been found in many places, but history has no record where the pay streak has been so wide and the gold so evenly divided as on these two creeks. They will be enormous producers for the next ten years at least."

"There are big chances for capital on the Yukon. There are many miles of good ground which will yield handsomely when worked on a large scale, which the average miner cannot afford to work. A year's outfit costs from $750 to $1,000, and a prospector must find it pretty good in order to make his board bill. Consequently he looks for the rich spots only, whereas capital could work ground that the miner has rejected and make it pay big."

"It is just as good and even better than the Canadian side," says a firm believer in the American part of the Yukon. "There is lots of rich gravel on our side. Outside of the Klondike strike nearly all the gold diggings have been found on American territory. There are good chances there for prospectors and for capital."

"Warn people to stay out of the Yukon this winter. Tell them it means starvation there. Telegraph to every paper in the country that miners will starve there if more people go in."

"In warning people to wait until spring I simply act for the miners, who speak in the name of humanity. There is gold in the Yukon country, plenty of it, but to seek it this season under these circumstances is sheer madness. It is even worse, it is criminal to those who already are in the country."

"It is almost impossible to take in enough supplies, and to go without supplies means starvation, as there is not near enough food in there now for the people already in the district."

"Buildings cannot possibly be put up to accommodate everybody, and wintering in tents is out of the question."

"Anyone who has a good situation would be foolish to throw it up and go into the Yukon until more is known about the country. So far only glowing accounts have come out. There are plenty of hard-luck stories which are yet to be told. No one will lose anything by not going to the Yukon this fall."

"The Yukon is the last place on earth for a man to look for a soft snap. The very best will be hard living there."

OHIO STRIKE SETTLED.

Practically Agreed to Resume at 64 Cents Pending Arbitration.

Columbus, O., Sept. 1.—The coal strike is considered settled here.

The plan is to resume at 64 cents and work, pending arbitration.

The direct parties in this conference of adjustment are President Ratchford, of the United Mine Workers, and the executive committee of the operators. A number of the latter were in the city Tuesday and the result is that a decision may be looked for almost at any moment. The direct effect of this decision will be the opening of the mines and the resumption of work by all the striking miners the beginning of the coming week.

Fatal Earthquake.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 30.—The Japan steamer Columbia, just in, brings news of severe earthquakes in Japan on August 5, followed by a tidal wave and great floods. A thousand houses were inundated and 200 persons were killed and injured. Sixty-five Chinese villages were inundated.

Farmers in Luck.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Assistant Secretary Brigham, of the agricultural department, says that the American farmers this year will receive in the aggregate from $400,000,000 to $500,000,000 in excess of the amount received last year for their farm products.

The Oldest Twins.

Deerfield, Ind., Sept. 1.—Richard McGriff and John McGriff celebrated their ninety-fourth birthday here, making them the oldest twins in the United States and probably in the world.

To Watch Anarchists.

Berlin, Aug. 30.—Germany and Spain are trying to induce America, Great Britain and Switzerland to join in the European measures for the surveillance of anarchists.

THE BOYS IN BLUE.

Proceedings of the Grand Army Encampment in Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Commander in Chief Thaddeus S. Clarkson proceeded to deliver his annual address. After the usual compliments and felicitations he proceeded to touch upon a variety of subjects. In relation to the story of the war as taught to children in the books of the public schools, and which has recently come in for a large share of public attention, he said:

"No subject in which the Grand Army is interested is more important than that the truth of history should be taught to our children. The committee of eminent comrades appointed by me to consider and report upon this subject have given much time and thoughtful consideration to it, and I do not hesitate to say you will be surprised at their findings, and I feel sure you will approve their report and recommendations. It is certainly not the object of the Grand Army of the Republic to keep open the wounds of the war, but of this we are determined—that one side of that great struggle was right and the other side was wrong—and we were not the wrong side, and we don't intend that our children shall be taught that we were. I hope the report of this committee will receive the careful consideration of this encampment, and this or a similar committee shall be kept at work until school histories in use in our public schools tell the truth."

Nominations for commander in chief were then declared in order, and Isaac F. Mack, of Sandusky, O.; J. P. S. Gobin, of Lebanon, Pa.; George H. Innis, of Boston, Mass., and John G. Linehan, of New Hampshire, were placed in nomi-

GEN. GOBIN, OF PENNSYLVANIA.
[New Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.]

nation, Mr. Gobin being chosen on the second ballot. Cincinnati was selected as the place of meeting in 1898. The report of Adjt. Gen. Burmeister showed a membership on June 30 last of 319,456, against 327,442 on December 31, 1896. The relief fund was $516,020.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 28.—The Grand Army encampment came to an end yesterday after the election of the following officers: Senior vice commander, Alfred Lyth, of Buffalo; junior vice commander, Francis B. Allen, of Hartford, Conn.; chaplain, Frank C. Bruner, of Chicago; surgeon general, Dr. David McKay, of Dallas, Tex. Mrs. S. J. Martin, of Missouri, was elected national president of the Woman's Relief corps.

Commander in Chief Shaw, of the department of New York, offered a resolution providing that the last Sunday in May be observed as Memorial day and spoke at length in support of it. The resolution was defeated. The new officers were installed and the encampment adjourned at 3:45 p. m. to meet at Cincinnati next year.

A DEADLY VOLLEY.

Moonshiners Fire on Deputy Marshals in Pope County, Ark.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 31.—Six men were probably massacred in the wilds of the mountains of Pope county Sunday afternoon. Two were killed outright, two were fatally wounded and left for dead and two have mysteriously disappeared, and are either dead or being held captive by the bloodthirsty bandits who committed the awful crime. The killed are: Capt. B. F. Taylor, of Searcy county, a deputy United States marshal; Joe Dodson, of Stone county, a deputy marshal. The fatally wounded are two brothers named Renfrew, of Searcy county. The names of the missing men are not known, but they are supposed to be deputy sheriffs from an adjoining county. The victims were all officers, deputy United States marshals and deputy sheriffs, and the men who did the awful work of carnage are moonshiners of the boldest and most desperate class.

HENDERSON LOSES A LEG.

Iowa Congressman Submits to an Operation at Dubuque.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 30.—Congressman D. B. Henderson's left leg was removed at the knee joint Saturday. The amputation was made to arrest the decay of the bone and was completely successful. The operation also proved that it had not been delayed too long, for the bone above the knee joint was perfectly sound. He was shot in the foot at the battle of Corinth. The foot was amputated the following February and the leg has troubled him at irregular intervals since.

Fell from a Scaffold.

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 28.—By the breaking of a scaffold on a building here W. H. Willis was killed and C. J. Schreiner, John Lowe and Joe Crudup were fatally injured.

More Troops to Be Sent.

Madrid, Aug. 31.—At a cabinet council held Monday it was decided to summon the next class of 80,000 reserves, 27,000 of whom will be sent to Cuba and 13,000 to the Philippine islands.

THE COURTS SCORED.

Labor Leaders Bitterly Denounce Government by Injunction.

Another Convention to Be Held in Chicago on the 27th Inst.—Platform Adopted at the Meeting in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 1.—The conference of labor leaders of the country, which has been in session here two days, finished its work Tuesday evening. The meeting was productive of several sensational speeches and many resolutions, yet no decisive action was taken in the principal matter for which the gathering was summoned—the abolishment of government by injunction. The convention, which had been announced as the last one of its kind to be held, while adjourning sine die, has merely postponed action on the matter before it for three weeks as a call for a similar conference to be held in Chicago, Monday, September 27, was issued.

The Platform.

The platform as presented is as follows:

"The fear of the more watchful fathers of the republic has been justified. The judiciary has become supreme. We witness a political phenomenon absolutely new in the history of the world; a republic prostrate at the feet of judges appointed to administer its laws.

Federal Judges Arraigned.

"Having drawn to themselves all the powers of the federal government, until congress and presidents may act only by judicial permission, the federal judges have begun the subjugation of sovereign states, so that, unless a check is soon put upon the progress of usurpation, in a short time no government but the absolute despotism of federal courts will exist anywhere over any portion of American soil. The pending strike of coal miners, starved to feebleness by their scant wages, by arduous and dangerous toil, the pending strike for the right to be fed enough to make labor possible, has been prolific of judicial usurpation, showing the willingness of judicial despots to resort to the most shameless defiance of decency, as well as of law and humanity, in order to enable heartless avarice to drive its hungry serfs back to the mines to faint and die at their drudgery, and there remains to-day not one guaranteed right of American citizens, the exercise of which an injunction has not somewhere made a crime, started by these subversions of constitutional liberty. We have met to counsel together, and have come to the following elusions that:

Liberty Which Is Not Freedom.

"Whereas, the present strike of the coal miners has again demonstrated the fact that our so-called liberty is not freedom, but is a stupendous sham, under which millions are degenerated, while hundreds of thousands of men, women and children are starving in hovels on the public highways.

"Whereas, our capitalistic class, as it again shows in the present strike, is armed, not only by policemen, marshals, sheriffs and deputies, but also by a regular army and militia, in order to enforce government by injunction, suppressing lawful assemblage, free speech, and the right to the public highway, while on the other hand, the laboring men of the country are unarmed and defenseless, contrary to the word and spirit of the constitution of the United States. Therefore, be it

The Plans Proposed.

"Resolved, No. 1.—That we hereby set apart Monday, the third day of September, 1897, as 'Good Friday,' for the cause of suffering labor in America, and contribute the earnings of that day to the support of our struggling brothers, the miners, and appeal to every union man and every friend of labor throughout the country to do likewise.

"Resolved, No. 2.—That if the strike of the miners is not settled by the 20th day of September, 1897, and announcement made to that effect by the president of the United Mine Workers, a general convention be held at Chicago, on Monday, September 27, by the representatives of all unions, sections, branches, lodges and kindred organizations of laboring men and friends of their cause, for the purpose of considering further measures in the interests of the striking miners and labor in general.

"Resolved, No. 3.—That we consider the use of the ballot as the best and safest means for the amelioration of the hardships under which the laboring class suffers.

"Resolved, No. 4.—That the public ownership of railroads and telegraphs is one of the most necessary reforms for our body politic.

"Resolved, No. 5.—That we most emphatically protest against government by injunction, which plays havoc with even such political liberties as workingmen have saved from the steady encroachments of capitalism, and be it finally

"Resolved, No. 6.—That no nation in which the people are totally disarmed can long remain a free nation, and therefore, we urge upon all liberty-loving citizens to remember and obey article two of the constitution of the United States, which reads as follows:

"'The right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.'"

TO MOVE THE CROPS.

Fully $5,000,000 Shipped from New York for That Purpose.

New York, Sept. 1.—A canvass of the leading banks in this city shows that large sums of money are being shipped south daily to help move the crops. One of the most prominent financial institutions here has sent about $700,000 since the middle of last week and orders still coming in. The subtreasury at this city has not had so many currency orders as usual, but this is ascribed to the lateness of the crops in the southwest. Altogether it is estimated that fully $5,000,000 of "crop money" has been shipped from this city the past fortnight. The southern credits are in better shape just now than they have been in several years and the general outlook in that section and the southwest as viewed from here is equally bright.

Awful Result of Storms in Germany.

Berlin, Aug. —The cloudbursts and inundations which have devastated the eastern parts of Germany were the worst which have occurred since 1870. According to local statistics 106 persons were killed in Silesia alone, and in Saxony the casualties will not fall short of 160. The financial losses foot up over 150,000 marks.

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CLINTON

Marvin Pardee spent Sunday with Jackson friends.

Mrs. Geo. M. Jacobs is visiting relatives at Newaygo.

Miss Mollie Corson returned from Hillsdale Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Lancaster was quite ill the first of the week.

Ray Lovell, of Morenci, visited Murt Ward the first of the week.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife visited in Jackson the first of the week.

Mrs. E. N. Cowell, of Cleveland, O., is the guest of Mrs. E. S. Tate.

Miss Eva Shipman returned Monday to Toledo after a week at home.

E. A. Klingensmith and wife left Wednesday for Indianapolis, Ind.

W. H. Katner made a bicycle trip to Battle Creek the first of the week.

Bret Eddy commenced clerking for the Freese-Whittelsey Co. Monday.

Jas. H. Sproull, of Jackson, visited Clinton relatives the last of the week.

Miss Alberta Johnston went to Manchester Wednesday for a few days' visit.

Miss Helen Millspaugh returned Tuesday to her school at Columbia City, Ind.

Edgar Halladay, of Napoleon, visited relatives here the latter part of the week.

Election of officers at the regular Eastern Star meeting next Wednesday evening.

Misses Lizzie Tate and Nettie Fisk have been visiting in Jackson since Saturday.

Mrs. S. W. Corwin, of Grass Lake, visited at C. E. Corwin's from Friday until Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Larzelere returned last Thursday to her home at Detroit, after a ten days' visit here.

Mrs. Orville Barnes and child, of Chicago, have been visiting at Albert Barnes' since Tuesday.

Mrs. C. C. Silvers has purchased the lot west of the one occupied by Sam Larzelere on Franklin street.

H. G. Shekell spent Sunday with friends at Battle Creek and took in the band reunion at Jackson Tuesday.

E. G. Hanford, of New York City, traveling salesman for the Woolen Mill Co., has been in town since Saturday.

Eugene Close and a lady friend, Miss Osborne, of Grass Lake, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Larzelere over Sunday.

Mrs. Horace Semark and Mrs. L. A. Ward returned last Tuesday night from a visit of two weeks at Oak Harbor, O.

W. W. Hess left Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn. He was accompanied by his wife who will remain about three weeks.

Will Noone, who has been working for some time at Queen's Landing, Me., returned home last Thursday on account of poor health.

Mrs. Wm. Theeke, with her daughter Nina, arrived Monday night from Mark Center, O., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Monroe,

Miss Eva VanTuyle attended the band reunion at Jackson Tuesday and her sister Jennie returned home with her Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. L. Woodward and Donna came over from Hudson Wednesday, on account of the severe illness of her sister, Miss Kittie VanTuyle.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Hutchins, J. O. Fitzgerald and wife and S. W. Demuth and family have been spending the past week at Kihndewood cottage, Wampler's lake.

Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh returned from Dundee Thursday night of last week, and was accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Pulver and daughter Ruth who are still here. Mr. Pulver wheeled up Saturday, returning Wednesday morning.

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FRANKLIN.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner has been worse this week.

Mrs. Sam Tripp and baby daughter are improving finely.

Miss Irene Allen will teach the fall term of the Center school.

The Tipton band played at the tournament at Jackson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Remington visited at Mr. E. H. Wisner's Sunday.

Art Joseph has been putting down a new well at the Center school house.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is having hay fever in a lighter form than usual so far this season.

The tented adventist is still thundering forth predictions of destruction and death at Tipton.

A number of Franklin people attended the farmers picnic at Devil's lake, some driving and some by train.

Mrs. Freel Davenport returned Saturday from an extended visit with her daughter Abbie, and other relatives.

Rev. Geo. McClure, of North Dakota, brother of Mrs. G. W. Allen, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church in Tecumseh Sunday, in Tipton the previous Sunday, and will preach in Onio next Sunday.

ONSTED.

O. L. Short is visiting in New York.

Wheat is yielding well but oats poorly.

Mrs. S. J. Fish is visiting her parent at Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsted, of East Rome, were here Sunday.

School will begin Monday with J. B. Stephenson teacher.

A few from here attended the Tri-state fair at Toledo.

Oscar Teachout, of Texas, was in town a few days ago.

A large amount of baled hay is being shipped from this station.

Mr. Ritter, our new furniture dealer, is meeting with good success.

The matinee last Saturday was a boomer and there was a good attendance.

Nearly every one from around here attended the farmers' picnic at Devil's lake last week.

M. O. Aldrich went to Ingham county the first of the week and purchased a thorough-bred Lincolnshire ram.

Today the Wolf Creek, Adrian, Tipton and Onsted Grangers will picnic at Sand lake among the hornets and bugs.

The Brooklyn Exponent advertises canned fruit for sale at its office. It can't be the same that was stolen from Mrs. Felt, of this place, can it?

E. A. Sorby, a well recommended physician, will locate here. Then there will be two physicians and two undertakers. Is Onsted going to be visited by a plague.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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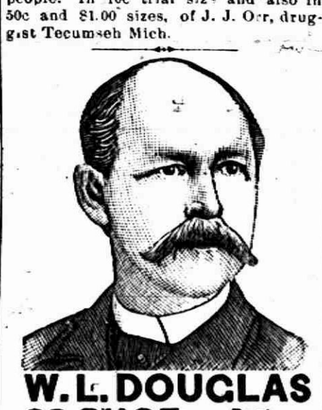

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SHORT BITS OF NEWS.

Information Gathered from Many Points in the State.

Bay county has more than 60 miles of macadamized roads.

Work was begun on West Bay City's new $20,000 lighting plant.

The resorts around Petoskey and Bay View are crowded with visitors.

The Twenty-third Michigan volunteer infantry will hold its thirty-second annual reunion at Vassar on September 14.

The Ann Arbor railroad has decided to build a large flour warehouse at Frankfort to accommodate its lake trade.

Ten prominent citizens of Battle Creek have purchased the island in Gull lake for $3,000 and will maintain it as a private summer resort.

The Ingham county Sunday schools held a rally at the Agricultural college, Lansing, 6,000 to 8,000 scholars and teachers participating.

The first annual reunion of the Soldiers' and Sailors' association of Jackson county will be held at Springfield on September 8, 9 and 10.

J. Moore, a Jackson laborer, was found dead in his room at the Occidental hotel. Heart disease was the probable cause of death.

Mayor Maybury has agreed to preside over the sessions of the civic and philanthropic congress at Battle Creek on mayor's day, October 14.

Grand Rapids bakers are anxious to advance the price of bread, but are unable to do so because two large firms refuse to enter a combine.

Congressman R. P. Bishop left Ludington for California, where he will inspect harbors and attend the launching of the government cruiser Wheeling.

B. A. Belding, alias Prof. Harry Miner, who was injured while jumping into the mill race from the roof of the White mill at Albion, is dead of his injuries.

Experts who have examined Roscommon county have no doubt as to the existence of coal oil, and a well will soon be drilled, about 1,000 acres having been leased.

The total number of soldiers in attendance upon the encampment at Island Lake was 2,446, the largest on record. The expenses of the camp will approximate $45,000.

Sidney Mason and James Snively, of Roscommon, have started for the Pacific coast on their bicycles. They intend to leave there next spring for the Klondike gold fields.

Charles J. Scholl, a Grand Rapids blacksmith, is going to the Klondike next spring. He expects to make a fortune sharpening picks for miners at one dollar per pick.

A three-year-old boy named Bentley, Grindstone City, ate of a preparation used in the finishing of shoes while in his father's shoe shop, and died from the effects of it shortly afterward.

Lansing bakers have been selling bread at three cents per loaf, but the recent rise in the price of flour has caused them to effect a combination and put the price to five cents.

Bay City fishermen say there are more fish in Saginaw bay this season than for the past ten years. The bay fairly teems with fish of all kinds, and the catch has been enormous.

Benny Swackhammer, aged 12 years, while out hunting with his uncle near Mancelona, was accidentally shot. Two shot from his uncle's gun penetrated his brain, causing fatal injuries.

Mrs. Ella Weaver has commenced suit for $5,000 damages against A. B. Bauer & Co., druggists of Lansing, for selling liquor to her husband, Ezra Weaver, who is in the habit of getting drunk.

The Cincinnati Northern railroad is said to be negotiating for the purchase of a large pleasure resort on Devil's lake. If the road acquires the property it will boom it as a summer resort.

Henry Jenison, of Antioch township, Wexford county, which many southern Mitchell people imagine a wilderness of pine stumps, has raised 330 bushels of wheat off 10 acres, and other farmers averaged from 20 to 25, all fine quality.

While threshing on the farm of Mark Hubbard, two miles east of St. Johns, fire caught from the engine, burning the barn and contents and many sheds, two oat stacks, the wheat from 60 acres and about 100 tons of hay; total loss, $5,000; partially insured.

The $3,000 damage suit against Father Bogacki by Joseph Bartkowiak, who was shot in the church riot at Bay City, has been thrown out of court by Judge Maxwell, on motion of the priest's attorneys, who showed that there were irregularities in the declaration.

Wells and numerous small lakes and ponds in Kalkaska county, rise and fall in periods of several years, regardless of whether the rainfall is much or little. The period of rising water is now on. No one seems able to give any explanation of the periodic fluctuations.

The people who are canvassing at Romeo and the vicinity for subscriptions for stock in the proposed electric railroad from Romeo to Detroit, are meeting with great success, and there seems to be little doubt that the construction of the road is a sure thing.

Fire at Ludington.

Ludington, Aug. 31.—Fire Monday afternoon destroyed the Ludington basket factory plant, consisting of kilns, warehouse and manufacturing departments. A large quantity of unmanufactured stock was also consumed. Loss is $30,000 and insurance $6,000.

Station Agent Robbed.

Minden City, Aug. 27.—G. B. Ross, the station agent, was seized and gagged by robbers, who took $225 and a gold watch, and left him lying under a car.

Sparrows Are Plentiful.

Flint, Aug. 30.—Since May last County Treasurer Ballantyne has paid out $1,227 in sparrow bounties.

KLONDIKE IN MICHIGAN.

Rich Discoveries of Gold on North Shore of Lake Superior.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 30.—Excitement is running high here over a recent gold discovery near Michipicoten, on the north shore of Lake Superior, which has just been made public. The find is a wonderfully rich one, assays showing from $100 to $1,000 per ton, the samples being taken at random from the surface. The quartz is free milling. The sale of a portion of the claim is now on the tapis, the owners having been offered $100,000 by Montreal capitalists for it.

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 1.—All that has been reported concerning the richness of the recent gold find at Michipicoten has been substantiated by later developments, and there is no end of excitement here in consequence. The tug Annie Clarke returned from the new gold fields with Mr. Mackie, one of the owners of the first location. Mr. Mackie brought down with him 30 ounces of gold, valued at about $700. This gold was extracted from surface quartz which was crushed in an iron mortar and the yellow metal washed out. The tug returned Tuesday loaded to the gunwales with prospectors. A party of 14 residents of the Soo departed Monday evening on a specially chartered boat. The territory characterized by gold indications is an extensive one, and it will take some time to prospect it thoroughly.

FOR CHICAGO POST OFFICE.

Piles for Foundation Will Come from Northern Michigan.

Menominee, Sept. 1.—George McKinney & Co., of this city, and the Kirby-Dennis company, of Marinette, have secured a contract to furnish McArthur Bros., the Chicago contractors and builders, 6,000 Norway pine piles, to be used in the construction of the new Chicago post office. The timber will be cut along the Ontonagon branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, near Sidnaw, and will be shipped over the same line. A logging camp has already been established, and the work of cutting and shipping will begin at once. It is estimated it will take 400 car loads to fill the order. This is the largest contract for piles ever let in the upper peninsula of Michigan.

PARSONS PAROLED.

Great Railroad Bond and Diamond Robbery Is Recalled.

Lansing, Aug. 30.—Gov. Pingree has released on parole Newell B. Parsons, who was sentenced to the state prison on December, 1895, for ten years for the theft of $463,000 in railroad bonds and a large quantity of diamonds and valuables from his employers, Wells, Stone & Co. The bonds were discovered in Grand Rapids and secured, and it is understood that the other valuable property has recently been returned.

Death of a Pioneer.

Jackson, Aug. 31.—Milton H. Hawley, a pioneer and old soldier, died suddenly at his home Sunday morning. He served through the late war in the First Michigan engineers and mechanics. He was a member of the G. A. R. post, secretary of the Association of County Superintendents of the Poor, and was noted for his work in charity organization.

Bank Report.

Lansing, Aug. 29.—Commissioner Just reports that between May 14 and July 23, the latter being the date of the last call for reports, the loans and discounts of the Michigan state banks increased $1,089,178. The increase in the reserve fund was $774,008, in total deposits $2,434,037, savings deposits $1,797,186 and commercial deposits $771,748.

Peculiar Accident.

Leslie, Aug. 30.—A son of Porter Whitney, who lives south of Leslie, died as a result of a wound received while cutting bands while threshing. A bundle of grain was thrown in such a way that the knife he was holding in his hand was thrust into his side, inflicting a fatal wound.

Five Finlanders Drowned.

Gladstone, Aug. 31.—Monday morning five Finlanders were drowned in the bay opposite the furnace by the capsizing of a sailboat. Their names are: Gus Erickson, John Fandt, Gust Anderson, John Henanson and Holp Erickson. Grappling parties have found the first three.

Relics of the War.

Bay City, Aug. 28. — Two old cannon have been received here from the war department to be placed in front of the city hall. They are a 20-pound Parrott and an 8-inch howitzer used in the late war. They are owned by the two grand army posts of the city, and will be loaned to the city.

Heavy Frost.

Detroit, Aug. 31.—A heavy frost is reported to have visited the northern part of the state Sunday night. At East Tawas a great deal of damage was done to vegetation, and the balance of the crop standing was ruined. The frost through that section of the country was general.

Fifteen Thousand Dollar Fire.

Charlotte, Aug. 29.—The barns and dwellings on the farm of E. T. Church burned. Loss, $15,000; insurance, nominal. All of this season's crops and valuable farming implements were destroyed. The live stock was saved. The fire caught from a feed cooker.

Took Morphine.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 26. — Willis H. Kelly, aged 40, committed suicide by taking morphine and was found dead in the street. He was despondent through being out of work. He leaves a widow and a child three years old.

Will Not Strike.

Ishpeming, Aug. 30.—As a result of a secret ballot during the past week the Miners' union voted overwhelmingly to remain at work, less than 1,200 votes for strike being secured out of 9,000 miners.

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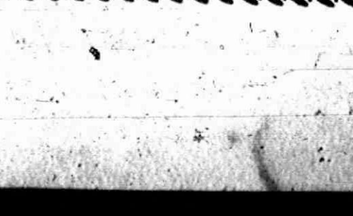

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Geo. Kies, of Clinton, was in town Monday.

Will H. Niblack, of Macon, was in town Saturday.

W. H. Barry and wife visited Clinton friends Monday.

The frame for Mrs. Wells' new house is up and enclosed.

Ezra Sink visited his brother at Port Huron over Sunday.

Will Larrabee made Palmyra a visit the first of the week.

Mrs. John Beasley and Ethel visited Adrian friends Monday.

Willis J. Helm visited at Rome from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Chas. R. Mabee visited in Adrian the first of the week.

Robert Houseman, of Ridgeway, was calling on friends Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Wood entertained friends from away this week.

Ralph Kishpaugh had business that called him to Dundee Sunday.

Mrs. James DuBois and Mrs. Chet Linn were in Clinton Tuesday.

John Leland, of Toledo, is making his friends here a two weeks visit.

Clifford Underwood returned home from Detroit the last of the week.

Miss Bertha Cone, who last week visited here, has returned to Milan.

Mrs. A. W. Curtiss and children returned from their Ypsilanti visit Monday.

Lawrence Brown and Clarence Lowe went to Butler, Ind., Monday on business.

Will Allen went up to Tecumseh Sunday, to see his brother Frank who has been ill.

Geo. Pulver, on his way to join his family at Clinton called on friends here Saturday.

Miss Susie Millspaugh, of Belleville, who has been visiting here, returned home Saturday.

Ernest DuBois and Gertie Kniffin attended the Tri-state Fair at Toledo the last of the week.

Rev. C. I. Deyo left Monday for the northern part of the state in search of relief for hay fever.

L. Bannister, wife and daughter Blanche were guests of Detroit friends from Friday until Tuesday.

A large number from here availed themselves of the Wabash excursion Sunday returning Monday.

Fred Wickware has accepted the position with O. B. Lenardson made vacant by Harry Drew's resignation.

Britton was well represented Saturday at Holloway, the attraction being the kid's bicycle races and ball game.

Wm. Nivison and family have returned from their visit with friends in Hillsdale county. They report a fine time.

Vera Yates was calling on Clinton friends Sunday. It must be a wonderful magnet that draws him there so regularly.

During Luke Bannister's absence Fred Nobles had charge of the barn and run matters in a most satisfactory manner to all interested.

Chas. Goodrich, of the Hudson Gazette, spent Sunday with his family here. He likes his position there, and will move his family soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, of Ithaca, and Mrs. H. Allen and daughter Jenole, of Ridgeway, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen Monday.

Mrs. Lida Pulver and daughter Ruth, of Dundee, and Mrs. Lizzie Kishpaugh, of Clinton, were guests of Mrs. Carrie Kishpaugh the last of the week.

Mrs. James Haight returned home from Detroit Sunday, leaving her sister, Mrs. Alf. Kelly, improving with every indication of permanent recovery.

Prof. Waterman and family, who have been spending the summer among their old home friends, returned Monday to prepare for opening school Monday next.

A very pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Eb Price at their home east of town last Friday evening by a large number of the members of the Maccabee orders.

At the Reformed church Sunday the services will be as follows: Morning, communion; evening, a chalk talk by the pastor and exercises by the children of the Sunday-school.

Saturday night during the thunder storm Gene Cheever's house was struck by lightning. The family were in bed and it was not discovered until morning. The house was slightly damaged.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, there will be no preaching at the Christian church Sunday. At the hour for morning service there will be exercises by the children, followed by Sunday school.

Harry Drew severed his connection with O. B. Lenardson to accept a position in the American Express office at Ypsilanti. Harry made many warm friends during his stay here who's best wishes follow him to his new home.

One evening the last of the week four young ladies appeared on the streets in quaint costumes. Their attire was grotesque and varied if not elegant. They, while furnishing sport for others, absorbed some for themselves. As masqueraders they are successful.

Will Swick's horse made things jingle for a few moments Friday which resulted in a broken carriage and harness. Will had him partly hitched up when an engine near by blew off steam which frightened the horse and he started. Will caught hold of and hung to him so that he did not get away, but he could not prevent wrecking the buggy and harness.

RIDGEWAY.

George Housman is under the doctor's care.

Chester Pilbeam and lady attended the Toledo fair last week.

Mrs. Wm. Barrett and son Irving went to Jackson Monday.

Tickets for all D. & L. N. points are for sale at the station now.

Rev. Canfield closed his series of special meeting Friday night.

Mrs. W. L. Jones left for New York City Wednesday to visit her sister.

Remember the annual school meeting at the school house Monday evening.

Ed Allen and wife, of Ithaca, are visiting at his brother's, Daniel Allen's.

Elmer Pocklington returned Monday from a visit with Rev. Yager at Napoleon.

Eva Allison, of Farmington, visited her aunt, Mrs. John Arner, the past week.

Burres Smith and wife, of St. John visited their niece, Mrs. J. F. Temple, Tuesday.

Mrs. El Palmer and daughter, left Wednesday for a visit with her parents at Chesaning.

Mrs. Fred Fagan and son Leon, of Tecumseh, visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Lowe, Wednesday.

A. Lake and T. H. Temple, spent a couple of days at Arnold's lake, the fore part of the week.

Mabel Church and Florence Rosacrans, of Tecumseh, visited the former's grandparents Friday.

E. A. Wilson left for Benton Harbor Wednesday, where he has been engaged for another year.

Lincoln Culbertson, of Aberdeen, S. D., visited his brother, C. W. Culbertson, the first of the week.

Mrs. C. A. Wright, of Tecumseh, and sister, Mrs. Bailey, of Boston, were guests of Ella Hall Saturday.

Sheriff Ferguson and Asst. Prosecuting Attorney Sampson, of Adrian, were here Monday on legal business.

Prof. L. M. Palmer's youngest son was very sick with cholera infantum at Dr. Lowe's the first of the week.

James Nelson and Clifford Fuller, of Hudson, were in the village Saturday, billing the town for the Hudson street fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson and Prof. H. C. Watson were called to Adrian Saturday by the death of their cousin, Jas. K. Jones.

School begins next Monday with C. A. Gleason as principle, and Gertrude Marvin primary teacher. Saturday will be dedication day.

Miss Grant of the Deaconess home, Detroit, will speak in the interest of their home under the auspices of the W. H. M. S. at the church Sunday evening. A collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Miss Dora Dudley, of the Beulah Home of Divine Healing at Grand Rapids, who was called here Sunday to treat Mrs. W. R. McClimmon, has been holding afternoon meetings at private homes and on Tuesday and Wednesday evening will give public addresses at the church.

MACON.

Vera Rapalje went to Leslie Monday, returning Tuesday.

Miss Marcia Mills took in the excursion to Detroit last week.

Misses Franc and Elva Richart left this week for Republic, Mich.

Mrs. John Sherman and sons spent Friday with friends in Tecumseh.

Miss Celia Brewster, of Clinton, was the guest of Miss Grace Sage last week.

Remember the D. R social at the home of Mrs. Sue Langan Friday evening.

Quite a number Masonites attended the ball tournament at Jackson Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Frost returned home from South Bend, Ind., the first of the week.

Dr. Morden left Monday for Mackanac Island seeking relief from hay-fever.

Miss Minnie Jackson returned Tuesday from a four week's visit with Leslie friends.

Miss Blanche Ganoung will attend school at Tecumseh, and Miss Florence Kudner at Clinton.

Bert Hoyt, of Tecumseh, will give his "Tom Corwin" address at the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

Misses Ella and Grace Norris, of Tecumseh, have been visiting their aunt Mrs. Mary Skinner, a few days.

Mrs. Adel Smith, of Ridgeway, has been visiting a number of days with old friends and friends in this place.

Capt. Tibbits and family, of Bangor, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howell, and daughter Gertie, of Tecumseh, visited Macon friends Thursday.

Five couple met at the home of Jesse Frost Saturday evening and gave him a little surprise in honor of his twenty-fourth birthday. Ice cream and cake were served and all spent a very enjoyable evening.

James Barney was found in an unconscious condition and a bad cut on the head Monday. He had gone to the back part of his farm to water his horses and not returning, his wife went in search and found him as above stated. At last reports he was still unconscious.

Carter's Cough Cure

Will cure a stubborn cough when ordinary remedies fail. Everyone has a good word for it, because everyone likes it. Why not try it for yourself? Price 25 cents. For sale by S. E. Parrish.

HOLLOWAY.

Mrs. Al Kelly is reported gaining slowly.

Miss Hattie Herringdean is on the sick list.

Messers Al Kelly, and A. D. Macham, spent Sunday in Detroit.

The ball game and bicycle races Saturday were well attended.

Miss Effie Knapp, of Sand Creek, is visiting Miss Bernice Isley.

Miss Bertha Macham will attend the Tecumseh High School the coming year.

Miss Lena Clark begins her school for the coming year at Adrian next Monday.

Dr. Nixon and wife are spending a few week's in Canada visiting at the Dr's old home.

Mr. Edgar Rogus and wife, and Mrs. May Rogus-Anthony and son, are visiting relatives at Port Huron.

Mrs. Etta Edwards and daughter Grace, of Wayne, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Coffin the past week.

Rev. Stead preached his farewell sermon at the Prabyterian, and Rev. Schemerhorn at the Free Methodist church last Sunday morning.

CONE.

Mrs. Susie Robinson returned to Detroit Monday.

Horace Logan was a Toledo visitor last Tuesday.

Mrs. McPherson was a Detroit visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. Myron Ray is visiting friends in Toledo this week.

Dr. Howell called on friends in Tecumseh the first of the week.

Ada and Eugene Dennison, wheeled to Milan last Tuesday.

J. C. Dennison visited friends at Britton the first of the week.

Mrs. Lavern Boice, of Macon, visited his sister, Mrs. Maggie Curry last week.

G. W. Auten, of Toledo, spent several days the first of the week with his son Fred.

Misses Ada Dennison, and Bertha Jourdan is visiting friends in Toledo this week.

Simeon Gould was in Monroe and Detroit last Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Misses Lizzie Haughton and Rose Vandeventer visited friends at Toledo last week.

Mr. Walter Cone, wife and daughter, and Mr. Wm. Landt went on the excursion to Detroit Sunday.

G. W. Packard and wife, of west Dundee, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Jane Auten last Sunday.

Miss Lottie Squires, of west Dundee, was the guest of Miss Almeda Auten last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Nettie Gregory and son Georgie and Miss May Hoagland, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. Raymond last Tuesday.

Roy Hulburt, of Toledo, and Miss Gertie Laskey, of Temperance, visited the former's mother, Mrs. Frank Buck, the first of the week.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

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NO CURE—NO PAY.

That is the way the druggists sel GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, for Chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating tonics. Price 50 cts. For sale by John J. Orr.

A farmer near Mt. Morris has discovered a bed of coal on his farm.

"Purgatorial Pills."

The druggist would hardly smile if you asked for "purgatorial pills;" there are many of them, but he would probably recommend a pill that did not sicken or gripe; a sugar coated pill, gentle in action, and sure in effect; they are Carter's Caseara Pills. Price 25 cents. For sale by S. E. Parrish.

Never hesitate in taking the last slice of bread on table when it is passed.

Catarrh Poisons.

Catarrh is capable of changing all the life-giving secretions of the body into scalding fluids, which destroy and inflame every part they come in contact with. Applications to the places affected by catarrh can do little good save to soothe or quiet disagreeable symtoms. Hence it is that gargles, sprays, atomizers and inhalants only serve as temporary relief. Any medicine to effect a cure must be taken into the system. So long as the irritating secretions of catarrh continue to be formed so long will the membranes continue to be inflamed, no matter what treatment is used. There is but one remedy that has this most desirable effect, and that remedy is Peruna. This remedy strikes at once to the root of the catarrh by restoring to the capillary vessels their healthy elasticity. Peruna is not temporary palliative, but a radical cure. Send for Dr Hartman's latest book, sent free for a short time. Address The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

When you are suffering from Catarrh or Cold in the head you want relief right away. Only 10 cents is required to test it. Ask your druggist for the trial size of Ely's Cream Balm, or buy the 50c. size. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it. MARCUS GEO SHAUTZ, Rahway, N. J.

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A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foley's Colic Cure, for all bowel complaints.

The secret of growing extra fine strawberries is to cut off the runners as fast as they grow.

If a small bottle of Shaker Digestive Cordial does you no good, don't buy a large one. "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." It's not good for every body, only for the thin, pale, sick, weak and weary. For those who are starving for want of digested food. For those who cannot get fat or strong, because their stomachs do not work as they ought to. These are the people, millions of them, whom Shaker Digestive Cordial will cure. Food makes strength, muscle, brain, blood, energy after it is digested. If not digested, it will do you no good at all. Shaker Digestive Cordial helps your stomach to digest your food and cures indigestion permanently. When you've tried a small bottle, you can tell. Sold by dauggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

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Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medica. Discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

In the space of one minute the polypus can change its form one hundred times.

Made a New Man of Him.

Bryan, Ohio, Jan. 13, 1897.

Gentlemen:—For years I had been suffering from indigestion. Had a poor appetite and could not eat anything containing grease and had constantly a worn out feeling. After using three 50c bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin I am now able to eat anything my appetite craves and can say it has made a new man of me. ELI BOWEN.

Sold by John J. Orr., druggist, Tecumseh, Mich.

A $1,200 farm in Tennessee has been paid for wholly in hen's eggs, the installments being remitted daily.

Found.

At Orr's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is Foley's Kidney Cure.

The statue of Liberty in New York harbor is going to have a thorough scrubbing with soap and water.

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The healing powers of Carter's Herbal Ointment have long been known. It may be used with absolutely no risk or danger in the treatment of the most delicate skin as well as a healing and soothing application in cuts, burns or scalds. It is the great pile remedy. Price 25 cents. For sale by S. E. Parrish.

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Thousands have tried Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for constipation, indigestion and sick headache and have found it true to the claim made for it, viz: that it is the best remedy now before the good people for the relief of stomach troubles. Trial sizes 10c, large sizes 50c and $1.00 of J. J. Orr., druggist.

Andrew Carnegie is a freeman of seven Scottish towns.

Bonfield, Ill., Aug. 14, 1895

"I am subject to Cramps and Colic, and have used many remedies, but find Foley's Colic Cure beats them all. W. L. Yeats."

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Is caused by Uric Acid and other impurities lingering in the blood, which have not been filtered out by the Kidneys through the urine. The seat of the trouble is not in the skin or muscles. It's sick Kidneys. Electricity, liniments or plasters will not reach the case. But the disease can be

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I have been laid up with rheumatism since April 20th, 1896. My limbs and wrists were swolen badly. Have been troubled with my kidneys so that I would have to get up two or three times in a night. After taking two boxes of your kidney pills have had no further trouble with my kidneys; the swelling in my wrists and limbs has nearly disappeared. Have paid hundreds of dollars for doctor bills, but your pills have done me more good than all of them. H. J. HALL, 1101-2 E. Mason St., Jackson, Mich.

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Business locals, five cents a line for each insertion.

Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.

Rates on general advertising on term contracts made known at the counting room.

Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michigan, as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 3, 1897.

There has been running in the Adrian Times for some time past an advertisement of what was called "A Business Men's Excursion to Detroit"; following the description of the plan are advertisements of a number of wholesale houses. It has been reported that this was intended to induce retail buyers to come to Detroit. This is not so but simply a "skeme" of the Detroit jobbers to induce retail dealers into the Detroit market. As the round trip has only been reduced to one and one-third fare it amounts to nothing anyway.

Under the new law enacted by the last Legislature for the immediate registration of deaths, township, village, and city clerks will act as local registrars after August 29, receiving certificates of death and issuing burial or removal permits. Cities having such registration at present, conducted by the local boards of health, retain the health officer as registrar in place of the city clerk. Thus Michigan has come into line with other progressive states of the Union in establishing a modern system of mortality registration. The old law obtained very imperfect results, it being estimated that nearly a third of all the deaths that occurred failed to be recorded. Prompt and accurate mortality data are of great sanitary value, besides which the individual records are often of personal interest and legal importance. The blanks for use under the new law are being sent out by the Secretary of State to the township, village, and city officers who act as registrars of deaths.

Years ago when Dan Rice was clown in his own circus, it was a favorite joke of his to grab the elephant by the tail and attempt to use the beast as a club with which to knock down the ringmaster. The attempts of the News with its voluminous editorials on national questions to mould public opinion is certainly very like the attempt of the clown to swing the elephant by the tail and the effect on the public will be the same as that experienced by the ringmaster.—Tecumseh Herald.

The News expects and invites criticism of anything it may publish. Such doggeral as the above is, merely a sample of ill-natured vindictiveness that we can well affor to pass by unnoticed. We reprint it to show how hare-brained the Herald edito may be.—Tecumseh News.

This is the sec n time within the past few months th Bro. Samsen has intimated that the editor of the HERALD is a fool, hence the conclusion that either the intimation is a fact or that this is the News editor's favorite method of argument. Such an argument on the part of the News is perfectly safe for the man who writes full well knows who he is calling fool, but should the HERALD call the News editor a fool the Lord only knows where the accusation would strike, he might have to fight a duel with half the local republican party and a dozen eastern newspapers. As self preservation is the first law of nature the writer will not say "fool" but simply allow the readers to read it all and come to their own conclusion.

FINANCIAL LETTER.

Chicago, Aug. 31, 1897.

The reaction in wheat during the last week was to be expected after the phenomenally rapid rise from 65c to a dollar. The market is now in a natural condition and henceforth may be expected to be governed by crop conditions and demand and supply as they exist and change from day to day. But, even should wheat not rise permanently above the 90c range where the December option now is, the farmers of this country are in a position to reap almost incalculable benefits from the great enhancement already secured. With corn at 30c or more per bushel the immense supplies of that cereal have a value not known for many a day, and the moving to market of so vast an amount means large increase of freight earnings both ways by the railroads, as much of the money obtained by the farmer for his wheat and corn crops will be again put out for manufactured products, necessities and luxuries, which must go to him by rail.

This prosperity of the grain belt railroads has already set in, every available car on such lines being now in use. Their securities have risen greatly in the last two months, in some cases as much as 50 per cent, and yet their top price is not thought to have been reached. It is the same with securities in all forms of incorporated business enterprise. Schwartz, Dupee & Co., whose business embraces stocks and bonds as well as grain, report that not only in this country but in Europe as well there is no doubt in the mind of financiers that the United States is entering upon an era of good times. There is no longer the feeling of uncertainty as to the financial policy of the government that obtained control last fall when the question of the presidency was unsettled, and this has worked wonders in the way of attracting foreign capital to this country. Money was never cheaper in Europe than now, and it is being attracted here by the good earnings and comparatively low prices of our western railroads. The reaction from an unnaturally low and torpid market has come, and our securities in which capitalists of other nations invest are again on a natural basis although not a high one.

The grain market was steady today. Official predictions of dry weather in the corn belt for the next 36 hours indicated that no immediate improvement in that grain was to be expected. All reports are that for the last week the drouth has seriously injured corn. There were practically no acceptances of bids sent out Saturday night by prominent corn houses. This indicates that the farmer has found his corn in a precarious condition, dependent upon immediate rains to make a good crop, and he doesn't care to sell at present prices, although they are well above those of a month ago. With such an outlook it seems certain that present prices will be maintained and very likely improved upon.

The following table shows the range of prices last week and the close today of wheat and corn as dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Range last week.	Today's close.
Sept. wheat	91 a 108 1-2	89
Dec. wheat	88 1-1 a 1.00	89 3-8
Sept. corn	28 1-4 a 33	29 7-8
Dec. corn	30 a 35 1-2	32 1-8

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations of the Railroads.

An F. & P. M. official, in speaking about the rumor to the effect that the officials of the company, backed by the Wabash people, are to engineer a scheme to block the Detroit & Lima Northern railroad out of Detroit by constructing a belt line around that city, said this morning that so far as the F. & P. M. is concerned there is no foundation whatever for the story. "The F. & P. M.," he continued, "has had nothing to do with any of the proposed belt line scheme. The fact that the D., L. & N. is already occupying and using the F. & P. M. passenger and freight terminals at Detroit is a sufficient answer to the report that the F. & P. M. is endeavoring to prevent the D. & L. N. from obtaining an entrance there.—Free Press. It would seem as if the D. & L. N. was determined to gain an entrance into Detroit. In spite of this report there is no doubt that Mr. Crapo has no relish for the D. & L. N. and, although the trains are now using the F. & P. M. terminal tracks, it is through the traffic arrangement of the Wabash that the privilege is granted. The D. & L. N. cannot be shut out of the union station if they can reach it.

The work of removing the Cincinnati Northern general offices from Toledo to Van Wert was completed to-day. The change removes from Toledo one of the finest body of railway officials in the country. None have been looked upon as more competent, or none more popular. Most of them are Toledo boys, and have been with the property ever since the headquarters were located in this city. The following are the list of officials who will leave Toledo on account of the change.

General Manager Drake, Purchasing Agent W. D. Stevens, and Dave Hanley, Auditor and Cashier Walter Booth and his assistants in the accounting departments, H. A. Kellar, W. R. Mozier, L. G. Thrall, D. J. Redding, Ross DeMuth and Rolla Simonton; Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent C. W. Cook and his assistants in the traffic department, J. G. Heck, F. E. Franks, C. W. Cook, jr. and Glenn Simonton.

This forenoon an incident occurred at the Lima Northern depot which is not usually on the program in railroading. An old engine came in wheezing on a freight and actually "died" on the track, from a ruptured bloodvessel (water from the flues putting out the fire). The critter was patched up, the fire rekindled and once more life seemed to return with renewed vigor. It started off like a steer through the corn and when last seen water and steam were flying in every direction. This will probably not occur again, as the Lima people are fast putting their equipment in first-class shape.—Adrian Telegram.

The excursion train over the Lima Northern to Jackson left Adrian an hour late this morning and consisted of 11 cars. About 425 people bought tickets from here. The First Regiment band went over on the same train and no doubt will come back with a good share of the honors. Twelve members of the Adrian City band will play with the Tipton band. The regular train over the Lake Shore, leaving at 8:47 a. m., carried 130 people from the city.—Adrian Telegram.

Columbus Grove, O., Aug. 30.—There is a lively rate war on between the C. H. & D. and D. & L. N. roads for the Toledo and Detroit passenger business. Between Lima and Leipsic the two roads parallel each other, and the D. & L. N. has been making 75 cents and $1 round trip rates between Lima and Detroit, good for two days. The C. H. & D. is out with a poster making a $1 rate for Sept. 2 good returning until the 30th. The public is hoping the fight will continue.—Toledo Blade.

The "setters" have had the D. & L. N. station located on every inch of ground this side the track from the bridge to the "y". It is to be hoped their minds are now easy since the thing is at last anchored.

The D. & L. N. work train has been called off for a couple of days, it being necessary to use the engine for freight work.

The D. & L. N. hauled 650 people to the band reunion Tuesday.

The great cry now is for cars. Not only is the passenger business congested for want of coaches but every road in the country is short of freight cars, Wabash short 600, Pennsylvania 400 and other roads in proportion at Toledo. G. C. Schiffer, car accountant of the D. & L. N., spends his time in praying for cars and cussing the printer for delay of blanks with which to call them in.

The D. T. & M. makes changes in the time of two of its Sunday trains, commencing next Sunday. Train for Toledo is changed from 6:39 to 7:30 p. m. Train from Toledo from 8:42 to 11:10 A. M. These changes are made to form connections with the D. & L. N. at Tecumseh.

With the last change of time two new passenger and two new freight trains were added to the D. T. & M. service. This requires four new crews and a number of supply men are given regular runs.

It is now thought that the coal strike will be over this week and the D. & L. N. people are preparing for a great coal business to commence Monday.

T. C. M. Schindler, G. P. A., and O. A. Wilson, cashier of the Cincinnati Northern, have resigned their positions and will seek other fields of labor.

The D. & L. N. passenger station is now in place and in use, having stood the journey nicely. They say it has no return ticket.

Train No. 41, D. & L. N., was held in Detroit last evening from 4:50 till 7:00 on account of a Sunday-school excursion from Lima, O.

Timothy Sullivan, fireman on the D. & L. N. steam shovel, will be married the 22nd of next month to Miss May Day, of Lima.

It is said that Station Agent Slater has the choice of windows in the old building temporarily used as the D. & L. N. station.

About 50 Tecumseh people took in the excursion to Lima Sunday and seven went to Detroit for the day.

J. E. Baldwin arrived this morning from Cleveland. He is the new general ticket accountant.

A gang of workmen is busy raising the L. S. & M. S. track from the target north to the station.

The D. T. & M. sold 35 round trip tickets to Jackson Tuesday on account of the band reunion.

Auditor Richmond is moving to Mrs. Wood's residence, corner Logan and Union streets.

The D. T. & M. now runs daily a special fast freight out of Toledo.

C. H. Roser, C. E., will return from a trip to New York next Tuesday.

Wednesday the D. & L. N. carried 80 car loads of freight into Detroit.

Roy Hughes is doing stenographer's work in the auditor's office.

It is reported that Art. Lee has been indulging in an ink bath.

Fred Bauer is a new man in the car accountant's department.

Excursion to Niagara Falls Sept. 10, via D. & L. N., $4 75.

Train Dispatcher Allen is at work again.

Return Luncheon.

Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse, assisted by Mesdames C. F. Patterson, L. P. Tribou, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, A. W. James and Hettie Brewer and Misses May De Wolf and Katherine Anderson, gave a return luncheon last evening to Mrs Bittman at the residence of the first named lady last evening. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. H. Bittman, Ben Garlinghouse, C. F. Patterson, L. P. Tribou, P. W. A. Fitzsimmons, A. W. James, Mrs. Brewer, Misses Kate Anderson and May De Wolf, Messrs. Newberry Satterthwaite, Chas. Bidwell and Bert Garlinghouse.

Farewell to Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown.

In view of the approaching departure of Rev. C. M. Brown for his new field of duty, the young people of the C. E. society conceived the happy plan of tendering to their late pastor and his estimable wife a farewell reception and with the cooperation of their many friends in the church and congregation, it was sucessfully executed last evening. The church parlors were crowded with a large company of friends to bid farewell to the retiring pastor and his wife and to wish them God speed. The parlors were handsomely decorated with plants and there was a program of vocal and instrumental music. But the most interesting feature of the evening was the presentation of a set of china, a complete surprise to the recipients. Mr. McKinnon, in making the presentation, made one of his characteristic speeches in which the witty and the grave were skilfully intermingled. Congratulating the reverend gentleman upon his past success and the prospects for still greater success to come and invoking the divine blessing upon him and his. For once in his life, at least, the usually self-possessed and ready clergyman found himself in a tight place. His emotions got the mastery of him for the time being and after a desperate attemp to express thanks, he rushed from the room.

The balance of the evening was passed in words of farewell and goodwill between the departing pastor and the people among whom and for whom he has ministered for the past few years.

The misery of years has been cured in a single night by the use of Doan's Ointment, a positive, never-failing remedy for Itching Piles and all similar diseases. Your dealer keeps it, or can get it for you.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Aug. 31 1897

George Burnham, D. O. Coley, James Curry, John Ransly, Geo. Seitz, Miss Helena Steward.

Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "Advertised."

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Tecumseh Steam Laundry

D. F. WESTGATE, PROP.

makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

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Pork Loin,

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A Stock of Furniture.

Call if you wish to save money.
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When . .

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Fred P. Kennedy's

Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised.

The Sherwin-Williams Co.

Carriage Paint,

is the best made.

Full line at new prices.

C. A. Wright.

Nearly 200 pieces of

New Silver Ware,

(Hollow Ware.)

Just received. Certainly the fleest display ever shown in Tecumseh and every piece guaranteed.

E. J. Peters,

Repairing neatly done.

Don't Buy Counterfeits When you can buy the GENUINE at the Same Price

GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES

The World's Best

A FULL AND COMPLETE LINE FOR ALL KINDS OF FUEL AT PRICES FROM $10.00 TO $75.00

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A full and complete line of STOVES & HEATERS for all kinds of fuel, made by the same mechanics and of the same material as "GARLANDS." MICHIGANS are the peer of any other line EXCEPT "GARLANDS."

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The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 3, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT.—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

FOR SALE.—A few Shropshire ram lambs sired by "Willows." ELLIOT GRAY.

FOR SALE.—Family horse, buggy, harness, surrey, and 2 seated cutter, property all in fine condition. Call for price and particulars of MRS. WM. ARNOLD.

FOR SALE.—A full blood Jersey bull calf, 3 months old. Inquire of Geo. N. Stacy at the HERALD office.

FOR SALE.—Coal stove in A1 condition or will exchange for hard wood. Also gentleman's wheel for sale very cheap. D. H. C. BOWEN.

LOST.—Two-strand gent's watch chain without bar, between Lima Northern general office and the Patterson. If found return to dispatcher's office and receive reward.

LOST.—On Chicago street, near the Baptist church, a horse's neck strap. Finder will please notify DR. O. Q. JONES.

LOST.—About the village last Monday, a light Jap robe. Finder please leave at the HERALD office.

The Lenewee County

And Southern Michigan

District Fair.

At Adrian, Sept. 20 to 24

1897 Inclusive.

Half rates on all railroads.

Free bills at all stations announcing time of trains.

Hitching spoce for thousands of teams.

Beautiful grounds. Special attractions. A great fair.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are the great exhibition days.

GO TO ADRIAN.

Harry Rosacrans is in Chicago.

Perry Hosmer was in Detroit Tuesday.

Special sale at Tansley's china store next Saturday.

Geo. Rosacrans left on his wheel for Chicago Monday.

Miss Julia Wood returned to Dayton, Ohio, Wednesday.

Dr. L. G. North made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Mrs. P. W. A. Fitzsimmons was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Miss Mary Waite, of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. O. P. Bills.

Dox. Richard will move back to his farm in Raisin next week.

Miss Della Kuder, of Macon, visited Tecumseh friends this week.

"Several people are remarking "What has become of our ball games?"

The ladies, Harris & Hiteshu are closing out their 50c shirt waists for 25c.

Mr. Will Matthews, of Clinton, was calling on friends here Tuesday.

If money is any object to you, trade with E. Parrish's new drug store.

Miss Alberta Herrick, of New York, is visiting Miss Lena Hardenburg.

Mr. Dickinson, of Waterloo, Ind., is visiting his sons Charles and Forrest.

Mrs. Baxter left Wednesday for one of her periodical visits to Battle Creek.

Miss Abbie Fisher is entertaining friend, Mrs. Lottie Rue, of Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob't Humphrey, of Adrian, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ide Sunday.

Mr. Cole and wife, of Onsted, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teachout Sunday.

Mrs. V. Schreder left Tuesday for Williamstown, Pa. to join a theatrical company there.

Mr. James H. Her and Goodyear, Jackson, have been visiting friends this week.

Mr. Est Spalding, who is working in Adrian, has been spending the week with his family.

Miss Edith Gamble returned from a two weeks' visit with Dr. Gamble at Manchester, Saturday.

A very nice dancing party was at the opera house last Friday evening. The Italian band furnished good music.

Mr. Joseph Nopper, of Adrian, was in Tecumseh Monday on business, connected with the Arnold estate.

Mr. Abbott and wife are now settled in the house west of Hisley's shop, recently occupied by Mrs. Franc Clough.

Mrs. A. Fitzsimmons left Saturday on business trip to Philadelphia and New York, returning yesterday.

Special meeting at the Central building Monday evening. Two members of the board are to be elected.

Everything in summer goods at less than cost to close at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Mr. Boyd, of Hancock, Mich, who is connected with the state line telephone, is in town and expects to remain some time.

Harry Tansley was in Toledo last Friday.

Garlinghouse Bros. shipped a car of hogs yesterday.

Will Caldwell, of Toledo, spent Sunday with his people.

Tom Owen left for Homer to-day. He will work for his uncle.

S. M. Smith returned Wednesday from a visit at Hastings.

Mrs. D. A. Hodges and young son returned to Jackson Monday.

Buy your lamp and glassware at Tansley's special sale Saturday.

Mrs. Crowell, of Cleveland, is visiting her Clinton and Tecumseh friends.

Miss Winnifred DeWolf has been the guest of Miss Viola Shull this week.

R. G. Goff entertained Mr. and Mrs. L. Doane, of Blissfield, over Sunday.

Perfumed toilet ammonia, a new thing. Come and see it at Parrish's.

Miss Irene Oviath, of Cleveland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Crane.

Mrs. Geo. Merritt, after a protracted visit east, reach home Tuesday morning.

Dr. W. A. Frost returned from his visit to his parents at Cheboygan Tuesday.

The ladies of the Universalist church have been cleaning the church this week.

Ed. and Edith Corey leave Monday for Providence, R. I., to resume their studies.

The Baptist pulpit was occupied Sunday morning by Rev. McClure of North Dakota.

Clarence Jackson returned to Jackson the first of the week where he will continue his studies.

Annual meeting and election of officers of the O. E. S. will be held Thursday evening, Sept. 9th.

Miss Lena Turner, who has been visiting Miss Ina Jackson returned to her home in Hudson yesterday.

Mrs. Jno. Garlinghouse left yesterday morning for an extended visit with friends in New York state.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merritt are enjoying a visit from their nieces, the Misses Alice and Frances Hunter, of Adrian.

Mrs. Dr. Bently, of Litchfield, and Mrs. Perry, of Hudson, were guests of Mesdames Crossman and Ide this week.

E. R. Gallup returned from the G. A. R. encampment Wednesday, bringing many interesting souvenirs with him.

Invitations are out for the nuptials of Mr. Wm. Mobbs and Miss May Aylesworth Wednesday, Sept. 15th, at 8 p. m.

Albert Brewer and nephew, Raynor, left yesterday afternoon for Worcester Mass., where the latter will attend school.

After a pleasant visit with her grandmother, Mrs. D. D. Marshall, Miss Ethel Ames returned to her home in Bay City Wednesday.

Matthew Boyd, who was called east by the serious illness of his father, returned Saturday as his condition seemed a little more favorable.

Harry McClure is making his parents and friends a two weeks' visit before returning to Crawfordsville, Ind., where he is attending college.

Mrs. Thos. Miller and son Tommie, after an extended visit with Tecumseh and Raisin friends, returned to Washington, D. C., Wednesday.

Rev. W. W. Faris D. D. of Pittsburg Pa., and son, Rev. John T. Faris, of Chicago, Ill., were guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown over Tuesday.

The outside woodwork of the Presbyterian church is being freshened by a coat of paint. F. A. McNeil and Fred Packard are doing the work.

Mrs. T. D. McKinney and son, of Detroit, are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Freeman and other friends. T. D. was here a day or two this week.

The Misses Ruby and Catharine Hines of Detroit, who have been rusticating at Devils' Lake, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parrish yesterday.

Will H. Spaulding and daughter Hebe came up from Toledo Sunday. He returned that night, leaving Hebe for a visit with her young lady friends.

If you have any second hand books to exchange, bring them in early as possible so as to get first choice.

S. E. PARRISH.

B. J. Coller and family, of Detroit, came Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coller. They all with Ernest spent several days this week at Sand lake.

The Grand Rapids Insurance Co., whose advertisement appeared in our issue of August 27 containing testimonial letters which have no doubt left their impression with our readers, is one of the best in the state.

A. C. Paxson came up from Piqua, O., Saturday and remained until Tuesday evening, making his friends flying calls here and at Clinton. The time was far too short for him to see them all. Mrs. P. will remain some weeks longer.

Marshal Bidwell was more fortunate than most of those who were relieved of their pocket books at Devil's Lake at the farmers' picnic for he has recovered his with all its contents undisturbed. It contained no money or the result might have been different.

Our fall stock of furniture is arriving every day, and we will give the very lowest possible price on everything. We sell no shoddy goods. We guarantee every article. We sell you cheaper than you can buy the same elsewhere.

WHEELER & SISSON.

A National Free Coinage camp meeting will be held at Springfield O. Sept. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, and reduced fares are given on all railroads. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, Jas. K. Jones, Jno. Clark Ridpath, Chas. S. Hartman, Henry M. Teller Timothy E. Tarsney and scores of others.

House to rent. A. W. SLAYTON.

Mr. Hayworth has a new trotter, "Alice L."

Get a ruler free on your way to school at Parrish's.

Lamps and glassware Saturday at Tansley's special sale.

Will F. Anderson, of Devil's Lake, is spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bittman will return to Saginaw tomorrow.

The young people will enjoy a dance at the armory this evening.

Miss Louise Clark, of Clinton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook.

Miss Camilla Mead is entertaining a party of relatives at her Sand lake cottage.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Misses Simms and Abrams, and Geo. Armstrong, of Adrian, were over from Adrian last evening.

Miss Helen Anderson will leave tomorrow for Mt. Pleasant, this state, to take up school work,

Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Loree, who have been spending the summer here, started last night for Lawton, Mich.

Miss Sena Hosmer will entertain a few lady friends this evening in honor of Miss Mary Waite, of Toledo,

Mrs. Dr. Catlin is home from Detroit and Mrs. Burridge is improving every day. She will be at home in about a week, it is hoped.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Brown leave today for Illinois. They will visit two weeks at his father's home in Hillsboro, before taking up his work in Jacksonville.

We can sell you a good bedroom suite dining chairs $3.00 a set, rockers from 50c up, a large arm rocker $2.50, dining table $6.00, a good durable couch $5.00, a parlor suit for $20.00 and up. Everything in proportion. When you get ready to buy come and see us.

WHEELER & SISSON.

George Snell and wife, of Breedsville, Berrien county, have been visiting his brothers, Charles and Zack, the past week.

Mrs. Eugene Gamble, of Wheatland, made an overland trip to Tecumseh Saturday, to visit her mother Mrs. Jas. Gregg.

Miss Lillian Keyes, after several weeks spent with Tecumseh friends, returned to her home in Grand Rapids today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crane, after visiting their old Tecumseh friends, left Monday for their home at Minneapolis, Minn.

To close out, 150 pairs of ladies' walking shoes, worth $1.50 and $1.75, sizes from 2 1-2 to 4, for 98c at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. C. Patterson, started Wednesday for a trip around the lakes. C. F. accompanied her as far as Detroit, returning Thursday.

Albert F. Undercatcher, of southern California, who is visiting his mother at Manchester, was calling on old acquaintences here yesterday.

The members of the Methodist church and congregation will give Rev. and Mrs. Varner a farewell reception at the church next Monday night.

Mrs. A. W. James and children are down from Sand lake, and have rooms at Mrs. Alva Waring's. All came yesterday and will take a week's vacation.

Miss Fannie Little, who has been visiting Clinton relatives, and her cousin H. D. Cutting here, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Hudson, New York.

There will be no services in the Universalist church next Sunday, but commencing the Sunday after, morning and evening services will be continued regularly.

John Heck received a telegram Monday, announcing the death of Mrs. Heck's brother, Hugh N. Best, at St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Heck has been there several days.

The Central House barn which has been enlarged and overhauled is now a model feed barn, one of the finest in the county. It will accommodate fully one hundred horses.

The Labesta band was represented at the reunion at Jackson, Tuesday, by Bert Gray and "Cad" Sweet, and the others going from here by rail were Truman Crossman, Frank Rising, Richard Mead, and Miss Lottie Aten.

John Whelan and Howard wheeled over from Detroit the last of the week to spend Sunday with their mother, Mrs. A. Whelan. The Judge left his family at home, but to his surprise found them here on his arrival, they having taken the first train after his departure.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 1.—Henry Hall, of Three Rivers, and B. L. Baxter, of Tecumseh, have been appointed delegates to the National Irrigation Congress at Lincoln, Neb., by Gov. Pingree. —Free Press. The people of this vicinity consider it a deserved compliment to the venerable Mr. Baxter and feel the governor could not have made a wiser selection as his work of reclaiming the large tract of land known as "The Big Prairie" certifies that he is eminently qualified for the position.

For some time past the best of feeling has not existed between Will Bennett and a Mr. Reed who has been buying logs in this vicinity and Will thought the only thing that would satisfy him was to give Reed a sound threshing and made threats to that effect. Matters culminated Tuesday afternoon when as Reed drove into Garlinghouse Bros.' barn, he found Bennett awaiting him. It did not take long for them to come together but the result was far different from Bennett's expections. Instead of threshing Reed, he himself was the one that got it. Jealously was at the bottom of the whole affair.

See Tansley's 5c. glassware next Saturday.

Al Karner and Sam McClure started early Tuesday morning on a tandem for Jackson, to attend the band tournament.

The Wm. Hayden Milling Co. will be the name of the new company which will operate the Globe Mills. The business will be managed by Messrs. Will and Levi Hayden and every person in Tecumseh honestly wish them all success. The wheels of the mill will again go 'round, highest price will be paid for wheat and the making of the old and well known brands of flour resumed.

Kaffeeklatch.

Mrs. O. P. Bills entertained a small company of ladies Thursday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Mary Waite, of Toledo, grand-daughter of the late Chief Justice Waite. Those present were Miss Mary Waite and Miss Kate Gloyd, of Toledo; Mesdames Corey, Freeman, Wright, Tiffany and Stacy, Misses Helen Anderson, Sena Hosmer, Harriet Whittier and Minnie Corey. The ladies were delightfully entertained, no small part of which entertainment was the feast of music by Mrs. Bills.

Administrator's Sale.

At the recent sale of the Wm. Hayden estate the following pieces of property were disposed of:

The slaughter house property north of the Standish pond in Brownville, Dickinson Bros., $383.70.

Lot on the bluff west of the Globe Mills, George Washington, $50.00.

House and 1 3-4 acre of land across the street south of the mill, J. S. Strong, $366.50.

Parcel of land containing a fraction over 3 acres from the Hayden farm north of Birch street and off of highway, Geo. E. Sisson, $36.15.

Lot on Logan street, occupied by old skating rink owned by V. P. Cash and subject to lease held by him, C. E. Williamson, $105.00.

Globe Mill property, subject to widow's dower, Sarah M. Hayden and Blanche Hayden, $5025.00.

Hayden lake cottage, Camilla Mead, $600.00.

Mrs. John H. Mills.

One of the old and well known residents of this community, who for the past seven years has been helpless from paralysis and whose sufferings have been most severe, passed away yesterday morning at 6:45 aged 69 years. Her maiden name was Amelia Blood. She was born at Bath, N. Y. April 4, 1828, and was married to Mr. Mills July 4, 1847. For many years she was one of the leading dress makers here. Her aged companion since her affliction has devoted his whole attention in caring for her and a most faithful nurse he has been through all these years. Besides him she leaves two daughters, Mrs. C. A. Kilburn, of Waukegan, Ill., and Mrs. D. J. Preston, of Tipton, Mich, and one grandson, J. H. M. Campbell, whom she brought up. The funeral will be held at the Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at four o,clock. In her case death was welcome and her release a happy one.

Ezekiel B. Van Vleet.

Ezekiel B. VanVleet was born in Yates, New York, April 17, 1819, departed this life at his late home in Banner county, Neb., August 20,1897, aged 78 years, 4 months, 3 days. He was a decendent of one of those old Dutch families who comprise the proudest aristocracy in New York State. His parents were Peter P. and Lois (Swartwout) VanVleet. His maternal great grandfather was born in Holland and his grandfather Swartwout was one of the first settlers in Seneca county, N. Y., he was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. His great grandfather Halsted was one of the prisoners on the Jersey Prison Ship during which his only food for some time was horseflesh. E. B. VanVleet was educated in the public schools of New York and Michigan. He was married March 31, 1841, to Miss Matilda Miller of New York. The funeral services were conducted from the M. E. Church at that place, Rev. Lawyer officiating assisted by Rev. Johnson, and the remains were interred in the Harrisburg cemetery. He leaves a wife, six children, five daughters and one son, twelve grand children, and three great grand children, and a host of friends to mourn his loss. He came to Michigan in 1832 and taught school a number of years, was a brother of Mrs. Minor Davidson and E. C Van Vleet, of Tecumseh.

Special Excursion to Niagara Falls via Wabash Railroad.

The Wabash will run a special excursion train, leaving Adrian at 9:20 p. m. Sept. 10th, arriving at the Falls at 6:48 next morning. Tickets good on this train only and limited returning on any train within five days at a rate of $4.75. Tickets to Thousand Islands will also be sold with a return limit of eight days, at a rate of 10.25.

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—I have the right of this county to handle and sell the noted World's Fair Lightning Vegetable Metal Paste. No superior article made. Endorsed by the people and press.

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Large,
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Every Thing New,
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Everything best and fresh in the Bakery line.

Lunches at all Hours

White Bread, Brown Bread, Rye Bread, Boston Brown Bread, Salt Rising Bread.

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HOME FROM THE FIELD.

The white clover spread as if wings of a storm
Had dropped down of snow on the field;
The cherries gleamed red at the edge of the farm—
A shower of red wine congealed;
As a fairy balloon sailed the light thistle-down,
And a mocking bird twittered anon—
As homeward we trudged up the lane growing brown,
When the time to cease working came on.

The whippoorwill dreamed in the thicket sedate,
And the cricket chirped out in the wheat;
The cattle stood lowing beside the farm gate,
And a milking song rose faint and sweet;
The summer breath told of the roses that grew
By the farmhouse whose gable loomed wan;
And mother would meet us in welcome, we knew,
When the time to cease working came on.

We are toiling on still, though on different ways
From the ones where we labored when young,
And not with the carelessness known in the days
When Hope her sweet melodies sung.
The hours are longer, it seemeth, than then—
But the tolling will some time be done;
Then peace will again smile upon us as when
The time to cease working came on.

—Will T. Hale, in Chicago Times-Herald.

ABEL, [illegible] AND THE RAM.

The S[illegible] Backwoods Landlord Help Telling.

"ONCE I was passing through the little town of Greenville, in the Pennsylvania hemlock belt," said John Gilbert, the traveling groceryman, "and stopped at the tavern there. The only man I saw at first was a jolly-looking, red-faced little old man, on whom care or sorrow seemed to have never laid a finger.

"'Fine day,' I said, getting off my buckboard.

"'P'tic'lar fine an' cheerful,' the little old man said. 'I hain't seen a cheerfuller day in 40 year an' better.'

"The [illegible] went down [illegible] ling. I was gazing after him [illegible] when some one said:

"'It's a leetle queer that Uncle Abel went away without waitin' to see whether you wa'n't goin' to buy sumpin' an' ast him in; but he's feelin' overpowerin' glib to-day, an' mebbe thought nothin' could make him feel any better.'

"This speaker, as I saw when I turned to look, was tall and slim and lanky, and was whittling a stick. He had come from the barn, and, as I found, was the landlord. I walked in.

"'Yes,' said the lanky man, 'Uncle Abel is feelin' overpowerin' glib to-day. You wouldn't take him to be a lone an' lorn widderer, which the partner of his bosom was only laid away yiste'day, now, would you?'

"I had to admit that the old gentleman was a trifle chipper and cheerful for one so recently bereaved.

"'Yes,' the landlord went on, 'Aunt Huldy's left Uncle Abel at last. It was sort of an accident like, though. I don't think she ever would a-thought o' doin' of it, 'cause Uncle Abel was four that Aunt Huldy had handled, an' she had wore black bombazine fer three on 'em, an' it was jest as good as ever, that black bombazine was, an' there ain't no kind o' doubt that she had a stiff idee o' wearin' it fer Uncle Abel, an' mebbe fer somebody that had the courage to be No. 5. You see, Uncle Abel is the harmlessest man that ever sot round, an' Aunt Huldy's disposition was sot sumpin' like a cross-cut saw, an' when she got to movin' she was a ripper. How would some fresh tansy scrunched in a glass and moistened with about three fingers o' J'maky rum strike you?'

"I was willing to risk it, and the lanky but garrulous landlord scrunched the tansy and moistened it per recipe.

"'Yes, sir,' he went on, having scrunched and moistened for himself also, and taken pay for both. 'Aunt Huldy was a ripper when she got to movin', and the trouble was she was movin' most o' the time. I've knowed Uncle Abel to roost in an apple tree on his clearin' all night, waitin' for Aunt Huldy to quiet down, an' I've heerd him say, more'n wunst, that it was a good thing he'd been kicked in the head by a mule wunst and got over it, or he'd be afeared o' the consekences if Aunt Huldy got to movin'.

"'Aunt Huldy she was tremendous sot ag'in Uncle Abel goin' fishin', an' Uncle Abel he'd ruther go fishin' than to the circus. Last week he couldn't hold out no longer, and he went over to Ben Runnels' pond to troll for pickerel. The fact is, though, that the pond ain't Ben Runnels, 'cause there ain't no setch person as Ben Runnels, nor hain't ben this 20 year an' better, an' when there was a Ben Runnels he didn't own the pond. The last day there ever was a Ben Runnels he went fishin' on that pond. If the fishin' hadn't ben so uncommon good that day Ben mowt be with us yit. Ben had half a pint o' fish worms with him in an old tomattus can, an' half a gallon o' worm o' the still in a jug. This was for exhilaratin' purposes. Ben alluz exhilarated arter katchin' a fish, but the fish bit so fast that day that they kep' Ben busier than usual exhilaratin', so that when folks went to see what was the reason Ben didn't git home that day, an' found the boat upsot an' Ben an' the jug floatin' in the pond, there was less than two little jiggers of exhilaration left in the jug, but there was more than five gallon o' water in Ben. It wasn't drowndin' that killed Ben, some folks thought. They said it was the sudden washin' of all the exhilaration outen him by so much water gittin' inter him that done it, Ben not bein' used to setch overpowerin' disapp'intment. An' that's the way Ben got the title to that pond, an' it's ben called Ben Runnels' pond ever sence.

"'Well, there's where Uncle Abel went fishin', spite o' Aunt Huldy's warnin's, an' when he got back I don't s'pose that Aunt Huldy ever moved so rippin' in her life. All that Uncle Abel has ever said about it is that she jest swatted him over, an' then sot on him till she peeled what Uncle Abel says must a ben more'n a bushel o' taters. Aunt Huldy weighed in the vicinity o' 200 pound, an' every time Uncle Abel wiggled she'd scrunch down on him. An' speakin' o' scrunchin', there's a lot more tanzy; shell I—'

"I interrupted the landlord to say that I didn't care for any more, and he seemed so much disappointed and remained silent so long that I began to think that I wasn't going to hear the end of his story, but by and by he started in again.

"'Yes, sir, she scrunched down on him hard, Aunt Hulda did. She scrunched down so fur arter awhile that Uncle Abel says he got his eyes on the shinin' shore, an' was hopin' that Aunt Huldy would give him another twist so's he could get his feet on it; but she wan't through with him yit, an' didn't let him pass over. There's where Aunt Huldy made her mistake. She ought to scrunched Uncle Abel all the way over, an' then she could a took out that black bombazine ag'in an' hooked it on fer her fourth, an' ben a-lookin' out fer her fifth now. But she didn't do it, an' there's where she made her mistake.'

"This here last lively motion of Aunt Huldy's must a kind o' sot Uncle Abel to thinkin'. Joe Bevan, up yonder apiece, had an ol' churnin' ram that somehow or other was dead sot agin women folks, an' goshe on 'em cared to go nigh him, 'cause he'd pitch at 'em, an' Joe kep' the ugly ol' chap tied up. But the ram was mild enough to men folks. T'other day Aunt Huldy says that it beat all how it was that she couldn't have a piece o' rope to make a pull-to for the gate, and that if she had a man with a pinch o' salt that she'd a had the rope long 'fore that. This was the fust that Uncle Abel knowed that Aunt Huldy wanted a piece o' rope, an' that very day he was goin' by Joe Bevan's place, an' he see a piece o' rope at the side o' the road. He picked it up and went home with it. Wrapped it round a post, he went in the house.

"'Huldy,' says he, 'I've brung home a piece o' rope.'

"'You have, hay?' Aunt Huldy snapped out. 'It's a good thing, an' it'll come in handy fer you to hang yourself with!'

"So Aunt Huldy goes to see the rope.

"'Ding your pictur!' she hollers back to Uncle Abel. 'An' you've got that rantankerous ram o' Joe Bevan's tied to the end of it, too!'

"'Why, so he is!' says Uncle Abel.

"Aunt Huldy grabbed the ax and moved on the ram. The ram seen Aunt Huldy comin', an' went to meet her. He met her so suddint that she curled up like a ship-knee, kicked a little, an' never got up from where she landed. Uncle Abel says that Aunt Huldy passed away a good deal peacefuller than he thought it was in her natur' to, an' he's a lone, lorn widderer, an' has the bombazine dress to sell. I wish he'd a staid here awhile. Then I'd a had some one to jine me in a scrunch. If you don't keer to jine, you mowt leave one for Uncle Abel.'

"I paid for a 'scrunch' for Uncle Abel to enjoy when he came in, and drove on my way, and who should I meet but Uncle Abel again.

"'Hullo!' he shouted, and I stopped.

"'He told ye 'bout me an' Aunt Huldy, an' the rantankerous ram, o' course?' said Uncle Abel, grinning.

"'Yes,' I said.

"'He's been licked like tarnation three times in less'n a year fer tellin' that,' said Uncle Abel, 'but seems like he can't help it. He didn't mean no harm by it. He'll tell it to you ag'in if you come along this way to-mórrow. I wa'n't never married in my life, an' there ain't no Aunt Huldy nor no ram, nor never was!'

"I couldn't help but grin with Uncle Abel, and said:

"'Well, I paid for a rum and tansy up there for you, anyhow.'

"'Course you did!' said Uncle Abel. 'That's part of it. I hain't took a drink in more'n 40 year! Think you'll go back an' lick him? He'll sort o' 'spect it.'

"But I said I'd let it go, and drove on, leaving Uncle Abel in the road grinning after me."—N. Y. Sun.

The Sin of Fretting.

There is one sin, which it seems to me is everywhere and by everybody underestimated, and quite too much overlooked in valuation of character. It is the sin of fretting. It is common as air, as speech, so common that unless it rises above its usual monotone, we do not even observe it. Watch any ordinary coming together of people, and see how many minutes it will take before somebody frets; that is, makes more or less complaining statement of something or other which probably everyone in the room, or in the car, or on the street, it may be, knew before, and probably nobody can help. Why say anything about it? It is cold, it is hot, it is wet, it is dry; somebody has broken an appointment, ill-cooked a meal; stupidity or bad faith somewhere has resulted in discomfort. There are plenty of things to fret about. It is simply astonishing how much annoyance can be found in the course of every day's living, even of the simplest, if one keeps a sharp eye out on that side of things. Even Holy Writ says we are prone to "trouble as sparks fly upward." But even to the sparks flying upward, in the blackest of smoke, there is a blue sky above; and the less time they waste on the road the sooner they will reach it. Fretting is all time wasted on the road.—Helen Hunt.

—The completed mileage of railways in India, according to recent returns, is 19,724, and there are 3,600 miles under construction.

BARBARA DARE AND THE FRIGATE.

A Story of the Revolution.

BY HENRY E. HAYDOCK.

BARBARA DARE sat alone on the beach, looking out at the ocean as it stretched away into the blue of the horizon.

She had stepped out of the old rambling farmhouse behind her for a few minutes' rest, leaving her young brother to watch by the bedside of her little sister, who was very ill. Everyone was away. Her father and elder brother were in the continental army. Her uncle, an old man, who had stayed at home since the war began, had gone to the mill that afternoon.

It was a dark hour for the American cause; battle after battle had been fought, and the troops, weary and for the time discouraged, were slowly retreating.

Barbara was thinking of this, and wished that she were a man, to go into the thickest of the fight, or even a boy, to take a drum and lead on the troops. She sighed as she glanced at her skirts, then, resting her chin upon her hand, again looked out to sea. To be sure her life had not been devoid of excitement, for even now there were munitions of war buried under the woodpile in the extension of the house, but they had never been touched since they had been placed there, together with the family valuables. It was, indeed, a good place to hide the muskets, for the house was in a retired situation, and it was very seldom anyone came near it.

As Barbara thought of this she turned her head, then started to her feet, for there in the offing was a frigate slowly working its way in shore. Her back having been partially turned in that direction, she had not noticed it until now, and was very much surprised to see how near it was. She rose at once and started toward the house to get the spyglass.

As she ran she remembered all the instances she had heard of English ships landing men who ransacked farmhouses, sometimes leaving them in flames when they returned to their boats.

She wouldn't worry, at any rate, for the frigate might only be passing along the coast, or it might be an American man-of-war. She was soon out on the beach again. The ship was much nearer. As she looked at it through the glass she saw flying from the masthead the English flag.

As she watched and listened she heard the shrill sound of the boatswain's whistle. The frigate came about, and she saw they were preparing to lower a boat.

Her worst fears were now realized. What should she do? The first thought was to take the children and run, leaving the house to its fate. Then she noticed how cold and chilly the air was as it swept in from the sea, and she realized that it would never do to take her sick sister from her room into the open air, for it would probably mean death to her.

She reentered the house hastily, went to the room and beckoned her brother. "You must run over to the village and tell the people the British are about to land. I will stay here until you can get uncle and return."

The boy's eyes grew black with excitement.

"You stay here alone and face them!" he said.

"Yes," she answered; "there is no other way."

Nor did she look afraid, as she stood there with an air of dauntless bravery about her.

"You're fine!" her brother exclaimed. Then he rushed through the door with a parting shout: "I won't be gone long."

Now that she was left entirely alone, Barbara's courage for the moment gave way, but only for a moment, and then she was thinking how to act. She was not so sure she could protect the place, because she was a girl, and if they found the buried muskets they would surely burn the house, and then her sister would have to be taken out into the chill sea air.

There was one way to prevent this—keep them from entering the extension. Her sister's room was in the extension, and underneath the room were the buried muskets. She must do this by strategy if possible. She descended the stairs as she thought, and went through the long passageway which connected the extension and the main portion of the house.

As she entered the main room her eyes fell upon a huge fireplace, in which there had not been a fire for some time. The fireplace was directly beside the door leading into the passage, the door that she must guard. How should she guard it? As she thought she noticed the brick oven in the fireplace, the door of which was ajar; then an expression of triumph came over her face.

She acted at once upon the thought, went to the back of the house, and returned with a small keg of powder. It was a very small keg, but it held enough for the purpose for which she wished to use it. It took her only a minute to open the oven door and put it inside. She closed the door almost tight, then stooped, and in the opposite corner of the fireplace arranged some fagots and kindling wood. Underneath this she fixed a huge pair of bellows. The bellows were blacksmith's bellows, her uncle having been a blacksmith. He had rigged them up by the fireplace, and laughingly said they reminded him of old times.

Lighting the fire would in no way endanger exploding the powder, the fireplace being too large and the fire too small; but should she pull down on the lever of the bellows, a line of fire would shoot up alongside the oven, and, entering the crack left by the partly-opened door, would ignite the powder.

"If the worst comes to the worst," she said, aloud, as if to give herself courage. "Men have shown what they could do in this war; I will show what a girl can do."

Already her quick ears caught the sound of the grating of a boat upon the beach. She ran to the window and looked out. Sailors and marines, headed by a coarse-looking man clad in the uniform of an officer, came trooping up the beach.

She stepped back hastily and lighted the fagots upon the hearth. As the small flame licked the wood and the fire started, there came a loud rap upon the door.

The fire, though small, was burning briskly. Placing herself with her back against the door leading to the extension, with one hand upon the handle of the bellows, she said: "Come in." But they had not waited for her to answer, and, treading close upon one another's heels, the officer and three men entered the room, the rest of the company remaining outside. The officer was a coarse-featured, cruel-looking man.

"Where's the old man?" he shouted. "We want to see him, and quickly, too."

"I am the only one at home," she answered.

"That's a pretty lie," he said, "but it won't do. We're going to search this house, anyway. If we find the man we think you've hidden, or rebel goods, we'll burn the house."

"I have a little sister who is very sick," she said; "you can search everywhere you wish, but in her room."

"Not search there! Why, that is the very place we'll search. That dodge has been played upon us too often. Hasn't it, my boys?" he said, turning to his men as if, even cruel as he was, he would have their support.

The flame on the fireplace was growing larger; the ashes of the burning wood fell with a white glow upon the bricks. Barbara saw that with this man entreaties would be of no avail.

"You can search everywhere but there," she said. "Give me your word that the room will not be entered, and you may go over the whole house, but I will not allow you to enter that room!"

"[illegible]!" The British officer repeated her words, as if he could not believe his ears. "Will not allow it! Well, that is the most preposterous thing I have ever heard. You know what that remark has cost you?—a kiss! I am going to give you a kiss—a remark that deserves a kiss."

Suddenly from back in the direction of the hills came the sharp crack of a rifle; a moment more and from another direction came the dull report of a musket.

The officer pricked up his ears. The people were rising. Those reports meant that they knew the British had landed, and that they were flocking together and would soon be hovering about him.

"Come on, men!" he said; "we will search the house quickly, but I will have my kiss first." And he stepped forward.

"Stand back!" Barbara said.

Without knowing why he did so, he obeyed her. Something about that lithe, graceful, resolute figure looked dangerous, even though it were only a girl. He hesitated but for a moment, and then took a rapid step forward. At the same moment he saw a line of fire suddenly spring from the embers on the hearth; then the huge chimney, as if it would itself protect its own hearthstone and the girl beside it, leaned over; there was the deafening crash of an explosion, and the chimney hurled itself forward.

The British officer and his men went down as if they had suddenly met the fire of a masked battery.

Barbara, protected in a great measure by the huge wall of the chimney, found to her surprise that she was still living, and had only been hurled against the doorway. Even in her dazed condition, she saw there was only one of the men who was crawling toward the doorway. The officer did not stir, as he lay before the demolished fireplace.

Just then the door was pushed open by the rest of the boat's crew, but they halted on the threshold. Through the blue haze of the explosion they saw their comrades lying upon the floor, wounded or unconscious. Barbara's straight, girlish figure was outlined through the smoke against the background of the door she guarded. Her face, pale and wan, yet firm with courage and resolve, confronted them through the haze. Even as they looked, a piece of the chimney, which had been loosened by the explosion, but which had not as yet given way, fell with a crash at their feet.

The peculiar character of the explosion, the condition of their comrades, the loss of their officer, and, last of all, the mysterious look of a girl alone facing them, caused a strange dread to creep over the superstitious sailors, and, as if to heighten it, there came the sharp crack of rifles now close at hand. A panic seized them, and their cry was "Back to the boats!" Lifting their fallen comrades, they rushed out of the door, and the house was again free from intrusion.

Barbara ran to the window and looked out. She saw them retreating hastily toward the boat, while, even now and then, from behind some bush or bowlder, came the report of a gun as the farmers, who had come to help her, fired.

She saw them at last reach the boat. She saw the boat return to the frigate. She saw the frigate weigh anchor.

Then, with a wild sob, she ran to her sister's room and fell fainting across the bed.

There her uncle found her, beside the sister she had protected.

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One of the handiest things for the corn grower is a convenient place for the storage of corn for curing, when it is not to be sold and hauled directly from the field. For several years the Massachusetts agricultural college at Amherst has used small corn cribs as illustrated herewith. They are set up in any part of the field or together in rows. If corn is rotated on various fields the cribs are carried on teams from the old to the new corn field

MOVABLE CORN CRIB.

when empty. The crib (a to b) is 12 feet long and (a to d) 7 2-3 feet high, 5½ feet wide (g to h) and 3½ feet at the bottom (e to f). From a to i it is 5½ feet, a to c 20 inches, c to d 6 feet and h to i 14 inches. The three floor frame lengthwise joists are of 4 by 4 inch material 12 feet long, while the front, center and rear end cross pieces are of 4 by 6 inch stuff. Each house stands on posts, is strongly made and well shingled. The door occupies the entire front end, being square; slats are placed across the door inside as the crib is filled and removed as corn is taken out. It is best to invert a pan on top of each post before building or setting the crib on the posts. Rats and small vermin will then be unable to get from the ground into the crib, provided snow in winter is kept clear.—Albert Rising, in Farm and Home.

HINTS FOR FARMERS.

Sell direct to the consumer every time you can.

The young man can never buy a farm cheaper than now.

The crop of winter apples will be much less than last year.

Corn stalks that grow unreasonably big are all stalk and no corn.

Sorghum should never be planted until the soil is perfectly warm.

Subsoiling means more rapid drainage and better storage for rain.

The farmer who plants more corn than he has teams to stir the soil is unwise.

The red kaffir corn combines a large yield of fodder with the largest yield of grain.

Heavy rains compact the soil and cultivation separates it so that it can absorb air.

We see it stated that wood ashes and common salt mixed with water make a good cement.

The most fertile soil on earth cannot grow crops without moisture to dissolve the food elements.

The only way to tell if plaster will do land good is to try it. Plaster is very uncertain in its action.

The tomato worm has resumed business. Cut him in two with a pair of sheep sheers or scissors.

If you have a soil that is so gravelly that you think it will grow nothing, try grapes on it. They will grow.

The meadows ought not to be too early pastured in the spring or too closely pastured in the fall.

If wheat and oats ground are harrowed immediately after harvest, the loss of moisture will be prevented until the ground can be plowed.

Five pails of water are absorbed by one stalk of corn, if the roots can find the water, and they will penetrate far and near to get it, if they can penetrate the soil.—Western Plowman.

Painstaking Work Wins.

Did you ever see a cabinetmaker finish a fine piece of furniture? When the material comes from the saw it is simply rough lumber. When planed it is reasonably smooth, but far from being finished; much sandpapering, rubbing and polishing must follow before the job is complete. The more work he puts on the better price he will receive for the article. So with the wheat field; the plow leaves the ground rough, and there must follow much planing, rubbing and polishing. The better finish we put on the more profit in the crop.—Agricultural Epitomist.

Preventing Egg Eating.

If an egg is broken the hens will eat it, and it is by eggs being broken that the hens learn the vice, as they never eat eggs unless they first find one broken. The only way to prevent the hens from eating eggs after they once begin is to make a nest with a top, compelling the hen to walk in to reach the nest, and have the box raised ten inches from the floor, so that the hen cannot stand near the box to eat the eggs. When she goes on the nest she cannot do any harm, as she must come off and stand up to eat the eggs.—Farm and Fireside.

Winter Grain After Potatoes.

Wherever the potato crop can be got off in time for seeding with fall grain it makes the very best seed bed. No plowing is needed if the weeds have been kept down. It is only necessary to pile the potato vines in heaps and burn them, starting the fire in a brush heap if the potato tops are too green to burn readily. A great deal of plant food is developed after growing a crop of potatoes. It is largely nitrogenous, as the potato crop is chiefly water and carbon, with some potash, which is mostly found in the potato tops.

STICK TO THE FARM.

Agriculture Pays Bigger Profit Than Country Storekeeping.

A friend of our owned a good farm a few years ago, about two miles from a thriving city. He and his sons lived on it and had a fine home and were prospering slowly. But they got it into their heads that they could live easier and do better by moving to town and going into some business. And they went, renting the farm. They borrowed money on it, and put that with what they had and started a grocery store. He is a man of more than average ability. They all worked early and late for success. Last year, however, was too much for them. They had to trust out too much, and the laboring people had so little money, and there was so much competition among the dealers to get that, that the weakest had to go down. The sheriff has sold the farm, and everything else is gone. They have nothing. As they are particular friends of ours, we feel doubly sorry for them.

Now, my good friends, don't you often think that farming is a poor business, and wish you were out of it and at something else? And you don't know that the usual result would be about as described above? You cannot sell your farm and put your money into any business to-day that is honorable and legitimate and safe that will pay you as well. Let us look this matter squarely in the face, then, and take courage and go ahead and make the best of our business. There is no chance to do any better, as a rule, nor as well, all things considered, with the capital invested. I was talking the other day with a shrewd old gentleman, who has considerable property. He remarked: "I keep enough money in farm land to support myself and family well if everything else went to the dogs. I risk the rest in business." There is nothing safer than a good farm land. We have got enough, too, to support us well, no matter what comes. People must eat, and farmers can always live, on the average. A family out of debt, owning a good farm, reasonably improved, are well-fixed in this world's goods.—T. B. Terry, in Practical Farmer.

FARM WATER SUPPLY.

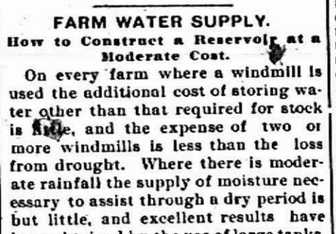
How to Construct a Reservoir at a Moderate Cost.

On every farm where a windmill is used the additional cost of storing water other than that required for stock is little, and the expense of two or more windmills is less than the loss from drought. Where there is moderate rainfall the supply of moisture necessary to assist through a dry period is but little, and excellent results have been obtained by the use of large tanks, but a small reservoir can be constructed at a moderate cost. A tank ten feet high and ten feet in diameter holds 5,875 gallons of water; but as a reservoir can be provided to hold ten times that much at but little more expense the storage supply could be made ample. This does not imply that one is practicing irrigation, for to do so large storage reservoirs are necessary, but at a small cost the farmer can protect himself to a certain extent against drought. On fields of corn that have been grown by listing the centers between the rows were opened with a one-horse plow and water conducted so as to flow down the drains. Before the ends of the rows are reached the ground becomes well saturated, and a small piece may be irrigated each day. It must not be overlooked that the capacity of the tank does not limit the supply, as the pumps can furnish more water than the farmer may wish to use, and as a tank or reservoir may be drawn off and filled several times during the season the amount of water used will be considerable. Attention is called to this matter, as the cost is but little, and farmers will find it an advantage to experiment in that direction where it can conveniently be done.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

LABOR-SAVING DEVICE.

It Lifts Large Rocks Out of the Ground with Perfect Ease.

Field bowlders are usually buried either wholly or in part in the surface of the ground. To pull such a bowlder out of the ground requires an enormous



HOW TO MOVE BOWLDERS.

amount of power, unless much hand digging is given beforehand. The sketch herewith shows a way to lift the stone as it is dragged out by a team of horses or oxen. The inclined stick can be placed as near to the bowlder as is practicable and as it rises to the perpendicular it of course lifts the stone. The height of the prop will depend upon the size and depth of the stone. The knack of "knowing how" to do such things often saves a vast amount of work.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Use of Liquid Manure.

It does not generally pay to use liquid manure on a large scale. It is a costly method of manuring, as the water adds greatly to the bulk, and nature in the course of the year usually supplies water enough to liquefy all the plant food the crops require. But there are special cases where liquid manuring will pay if used properly. The most common mistakes are, first, making the liquid manure too strong, in which case it will rot the roots instead of feeding them. The other is allowing any liquid manure, however weak, to get on the leaves of plants. They are benefited by being washed by rains, but by nothing stronger.

STRUBLE MISTAKEN.

New Accused of His Murder Prove Complete Alibi.

Shepherd, Aug. 29. — Ever since Cashier Elmer E. Struble was murdered at the Farmers' bank at this place, the chief topic of conversation has been the murdered man's mysterious ante-mortem statement, in which the names of the men who committed the crime were given. The officers kept these names a secret, hoping to gain some other clew, but, finding this impracticable, have made them public. As a result people of the county are bitterly disappointed: Two of the men named could not possibly have been guilty and the third has proven a fair alibi.

The men accused by Mr. Struble are Judge Elijah E. Wheaton, of Mount Pleasant, Dennis Ryan, father of John F. Ryan, and William N. Brown, of Ann Arbor, one of the principal stockholders in the defunct People's bank of Mount Pleasant. Judge Wheaton was in Manistee county fishing in company with William Doughty and George A. Lebatter, two well-known Mount Pleasant business men, the day the murder was committed and for several days before. Mr. Doughty slept with the judge every night and the party fished every day. There is consequently not the slightest suspicion attaching to the judge. His alibi is complete.

Dennis Ryan, the second man named, has secured affidavits from residents of his household proving that he was sawing wood at the family home in Mount Pleasant at 6:30 on Saturday morning. As the crime was committed some time between three and four, and it is less than an hour's drive between Shepherd and Mount Pleasant, Mr. Ryan's affidavit is not quite so ironclad as Judge Wheaton's.

The third of the trio, William N. Brown, of Ann Arbor, is sick in bed, and has been for a long time. Furthermore, he is hundreds of miles from here and has not been in Mount Pleasant for several months.

HELD BACK.

Fall Crops Retarded by Recent Cold Weather.

Lansing, Aug. 28.—The state crop report says:

"The cool weather which has prevailed during the entire week has greatly retarded the growth of all crops, and they have made very slow progress toward maturity. Several light frosts have occurred in nearly every county of the state, but the damage resulting was exceedingly light and confined to low ground. The reports regarding corn, beans and buckwheat are, however, very encouraging, and show that those crops remain in a promising condition. Corn is beginning to glaze, and although it has matured slowly the cool weather has helped toward a more perfect development of the ears, and will probably add to the weight of the crop. Beans and buckwheat are in good shape and buckwheat is filling well. The oats harvest is nearly finished in all sections of the state, but showery weather in the northern counties has delayed securing it. Fall plowing is being pushed in all sections of the lower peninsula, but farmers are beginning to complain that rain is needed to soften the soil. Reports regarding orchard fruits indicate poor yields of nearly all kinds, particularly apples which continue to drop very badly. Clover is seeding fairly well, but needs more rain, as also do pastures. Late potatoes that have been well tended are now looking fairly good, but this condition is not general; most reports say that potatoes promise very poorly."

Librarians to Meet.

Muskegon, Aug. 30.—The seventh annual conference of the Michigan Library association will be held in this city Wednesday and Thursday, September 8 and 9, commencing at three p. m. on Wednesday. The meetings will be held in the Hackley public library. All persons engaged in library work, and all interested in establishing or extending the usefulness of libraries, are invited to attend the conference.

Broke Jail.

Frankfort, Aug. 28. — William Jones and Michael Anderson, arrested for burglary at Thompsonville, two months ago, escaped from the county jail about ten o'clock Thursday night. A ten-inch square hole in the top of one of their cells, a bottle of muriatic acid on the floor and a handsaw tell how the work was done. Jones and Anderson claimed Detroit as their home.

Who Wants the Place?

Lansing, Aug. 30.—Gov. Pingree has been asked to appoint three delegates at large to the national irrigation congress to be held in Lincoln, Neb., September 29 and 30. Not many people in Michigan are interested in the subject of irrigation, and the governor would be glad to hear from any person who may desire to be appointed a delegate to the congress.

Deed of a Demented Woman.

Flint, Mich., Aug. 30.—Saturday afternoon while in a demented condition Mrs. William Z. Hutchin, of this city, chloroformed her five-year-old daughter and shot Iva May, her 15-year-old daughter. The younger died four hours later. The older girl, who was shot in the mouth, the breast and the hip, will probably recover.

Will Start December 1.

Houghton, Aug. 29.—The Centennial mine will probably start its mill about December 1, as the developments on Osceola lode assure a permanent mine. The local management still hopes to soon strike something of value on the Calumet conglomerate.

Fatally Burned.

Hartford, Aug. 26. — The little four-year-old daughter of Mr. McNiece, of Watervliet, was fatally burned while playing with kerosene and matches. She lived just four hours and was conscious to the last.

Ready for Distribution.

Lansing, Aug. 30.—Secretary of State Gardner has received the first installment of volumes of the public acts of the legislature from the state printer, and at once commenced shipping them.

Suicide of a Chicago Man.

Kalamazoo, Aug. 30.—John Pyle, of Chicago, committed suicide in his room in a hotel by taking morphine. He was a carpenter.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 24th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of CHARLES WELLS, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of S. Wyman Wells praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Amos Sayers, the executor named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 9th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

RICHARD B. ROBBINS,
Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 6th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of SAMUEL RAPPLEYE, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Erastus Rappleye, a son of said deceased, praying that administration de bonis non of said estate may be granted to Frederick B. Wood or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Tuesday, the 7th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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LOOKING BACKWARD.

Look after the Back: A Fall, a Strain, a Constant Sitting or Stooping Position Brings Backache—Do You Know This Means the Kidneys are Affected?

How few people realize when their back begins to ache that it is a warning provided by nature to tell you that the kidneys are not working properly. You have a severe fall, you strain yourself lifting or perhaps you are compelled to maintain a sitting or stooping position for long intervals at a time, your back begins to ache, then your head, you become listless, tired and weary, but do you understand the real cause? We think not, else you would not use plasters and liniment on the back, which only relieve but do not reach the cause. If you would rid yourself of the pain and cure the root of the trouble, at the same time save many years of suffering and perhaps life itself, you will take a kidney remedy that has been tried and proven that it will cure.

Mr. John Robsoin of 661 Russell Street, Detroit, says: "As a result of exposure during the war I have suffered ever since with rheumatism and kidney trouble. Pains would start in my hip and go around to my back. Highly colored urine denoted kidney disorder. The pain in my back was often so bad I had to give up work until the severity of the attack passed away. I have used many liniments and other things, but received very little relief. Some time ago I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and they have worked a wonderful change in me. My back is all right now and I owe it all to the almost magical influence of Doan's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Robsoin was a member of the Fifty-first Illinois Regiment, which served through the war with honor and distinction. Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, *Doan's*, and take no other.

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A SIMPLE TIRE REPAIR.

Punctures in the well known Morgan & Wright tire are mended about as easily as a man would close a hole in his finger with a bit of court plaster. Inside of the inner tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber, like this:

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a tire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

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'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

Mr. Robert S. Moreland leaves this afternoon for Denver, Col., Omaha, Neb., and other points in the west. Mr. Moreland, the past spring and summer, has been quite indisposed, and takes this trip in search of health. His large circle of friends joins with The Times in hoping that he will fully recover before he returns.—Adrian Times.

Willard Stearns met with a severe accident about 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He was adjusting a conductor pipe to an eavestrough, when the round of the ladder on which he was standing broke beneath his weight and he fell backward to the ground, a distance of some seven feet. He struck on his head, but his back, which was badly wrenched sustained the principal injury. He is resting fairly well today. It is expected he will be confined to his home for about a week.—Adrian Times.

Chas. Blackmer, of Milan, through whose home runs the Monroe and Washtenaw county line, and who votes in Washtenaw, because his washing is done on the Washtenaw side of the house, is outdone by Mr. Headly, of Fairfield, whose house is situated in two states, two counties and three townships. He eats in one town, says prayers in another, and in a third flings his shoes at disturbing nocturnal cats. The state line passes through his bedroom, Mrs. Headley sleeping in Ohio, while Headley, by a narrow margin, snores in Michigan.—Blissfield Advance

The funeral of the late J. K. Johnson, held Saturday afternoon, was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. C. L. Adams, of the M. E. church. The pall-bearers were J. W. Page, George D. Austin, Henry J. Williams, Walter Reeve, R. W. Boyd, O. R. Pierce, of Hudson. The remains were interred at Oakwood. Among those in attendance at the obsequies from out the city were Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Pierce, of Hudson; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Wilson and son Henry, of Ridgeway; Mrs. Tallman and sisters, of Tecumseh; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Carter, of Morenci.—Adrian Times.

If a stranger had happened through the eastern part of Pittsford township Friday night, he would have thought he had struck Pingree's camp, by the number of men that were out with rifles and shotguns to watch one lone tramp, who had expressed his determination to use forcible means to obtain something to eat and a place to sleep. Interpreting his words (that he was in want of food) he must have come from Hudson. If the people of that vicinity could only have seen that discarded man the next night, they would, no doubt, have heard, "I'll never go there any more," which would be good advice for all men of his class to follow.—Hillsdale Leader.

The editor of the Defiance Cresent says: "After leaving Michigan and coming down into Ohio one sees the vast difference in the material condition of the two states. The comparison is not at all favorable to Michigan. The farms do not look nearly as good, the buildings are small and cheaply constructed and lack paint. In upper Michigan the soil is principally sand."

Well, brother editor, we know not what part of Michigan you visited, but it certainly was not Lenawee county or the southern part of the state. If you will only come up and see us we will show you some of the finest farms and more handsome farm houses than you ever dreamed of in Ohio.—Adrian Times.

It is a comparatively easy matter to kill the burdock, and now is the time to do it, though it may be hard to exterminate it, as it seeds abundantly and the seeds will remain in the ground for years until they have a favorable chance to grow. As the burdock is biennial it dies out after it has seeded the second year, but that is only after it has provided thousands and tens of thousands of seeds to perpetuate its kind. All that is needed to kill the plant is to take a dull axe and chop off the roots below the surface and throw on a handful of salt. The burdock root being moist and soft dissolves the salt, which quickly rots it so that further sprouting of a new top is impossible. No amount of cutting without the salt will do the work.—Clinton Local.

If our people noticed any unusual demonstrations in the sky to the east of us to-day they can lay it to the reflections of Ira Waterman learning to ride a bicycle on the fair ground track. A. M. Keeney was lord high instructor, Ira was high, low, jack and the game. He is quietly practicing to come out and astonish E. J. Smith. He expects to come down town some day, borrow E. J.'s wheel, just for a spin, you know, tell E. J. he never got on a wheel before in his life, and then sail off down the street just as if it came perfectly natural, thereby shaming Mr. Smith unmercifully. We promised not to say anything about this, and if our readers will be kind enough not to mention it to Ira they will confer a great kindness and help Ira in the troubles that are to come in connection with wheels.—Adrian Messenger.

If Col. Fenn had just returned from Klondike with a pocket full of golden nuggets he could not have looked happier than he did when he drove into town yesterday morning. He rushed up to us, his face wreathed in smiles, and grasping the editoral didget exclaimed, "Congratulate me old boy, I'm grandpa," and we did that same the best we knew how. Tuesday evening the wife of Lieut. Harry Kies presented him with a bouncing baby boy, and they named him for the delighted Colonel. The lad is a captain and outranks his father, at least he has full command of the household. We expect that Col. and Mrs. Fenn are no less pleased than Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fellows, of Saline township, who are grandpa and grandma now. The ENTERPRISE congratulates all hands over the joyful event. —Manchester Enterprise.

HER SECRET.

Actions Speak for Themselves—He Was Willing to Read Her Mind.

For many years the young woman had called upon Ulysses. She had brought him numberless packages of choice cigarettes, as well as divers specimens of the most expensive genus cigar, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. She had repeatedly purchased tickets for various celebrated prize fights and after escorting him thither would see to it that he had plenty of lemon cream puffs to munch upon during the intervals of slugging. Many and many an evening had she assisted him in increasing the numerals upon his poor hard-working mamma's coal and gas bills, and she had seen four several sets of new springs added to the parlor sofa. But hitherto she had not stood up like a—er—woman and boldly declared her love for him and requested to be allowed to pay all his expenses in the future in consideration of his donning her last name.

But upon this special evening in question Ulysses had her dead to rights. It may have been the witching golf costume in old gold and baby blue that he wore or the shy grace with which he placed his tiny palm in hers. However, be this as it may, she could no longer restrain herself, but impulsively threw her arms about his frail, shrinking figure and drew him tenderly toward her.

As her lips rose from his she lovingly murmured: "This kiss tells you my secret."

And Ulysses, as he furtively removed some cut plug from his mouth, found an opportunity to observe: "Would you — you—mind—saying—it—over—again?"

HOLD A NET FOR A BEAR.

Bruin Makes It Lively for a Couple of Up-to-Date Hunters.

The following is vouched for by a reliable citizen of the locality where the event occurred, near Disco, 12 miles from Black River Falls, Wis., says the Chicago Chronicle. The farmers had been annoyed by wolves and one of them found a den that he thought would hold a dozen or more. Four of them went there with a large fish net, a long tin tube and a double-barreled gun. They had heard of scaring animals from their den by putting a tube in the hole and then shouting through the tube. Two of them held the net over the mouth of the den and another stood ready with the gun, while the fourth one managed the tube. He gave a fearful screech into a funnel fixed in the end of the tube and after an effort or two there was a rush and growl and out came a black bear as though possessed of nine demons.

He plunged into the net and the two men and the bear had a merry time. The man with the gun didn't dare shoot, for he could not tell where there was the most bear and the least of the men. The net broke and let his bearship through and he made for tall timber at a marvelous rate, but the net men looked very discouraged and it will be a cold day when they try it over again.

The informant was very reticent about telling who the men were, but as he had a double limp, his face scratched and was in the city for a new suit of everyday clothes it looked as though he knew who helped hold the net.

PRIVATE STREET CARS.

One of the Recent Developments of the Trolley Idea.

One development of the trolley-car idea is likely to be shown ere long in the somewhat general fashion of owning private cars. At present a few, though an increasing number, of rich men own private railway cars. The expense is enormous, all things considered. But a moderate expenditure will suffice in the case of the trolley, says the Boston Advertiser.

Only, in a little while, street cars will no longer be propelled by means of trolley attachments, but their motive power will be applied from an inside third rail, or by means of a storage battery, or, possibly, there will be some method invented of which as yet the public has not even a hint.

Anyhow, the rapid extension of the electrically propelled street car system, not only throughout all cities and considerable villages, but into the suburbs and far away into the country, so that in a long time, where population is even moderately dense, there will be an electrical car line close to every man's front door, will supply the conditions necessary for a vast multiplication of the number of private cars.

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LITERARY NOTES.

The American Journal of Photography for August is an unusually interesting number. "Optical Effects of Intensification," the leading article, is indeed a grand production.

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With the cooler weather come again thoughts of photography. The description of the new hand camera and how it is made in the September Photographic Times will make the average amateur crazy. Buy a copy and find out all about it.

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A most appalling state of affair is disclosed in Charles Frederick Holder's graphic article on "Chinese Slavery in America," in the September North American Review. Slavery has existed among the Chinese in California for years, and continues almost unrestricted. An examination of the records of the Chinese-American missions shows that slavery of the most horrible and debased nature is being carried on wherever the Chinese have a foothold.

Every true American citizen should read Dr. John Clark Ridpath's splendid paper, "The Cry of the Poor," and his "Open Letter" to President E. B. Andrews, which appear in the September number of The Arena. In them the Doctor has drawn a picture that appeals to every man and woman in our land who has God-given rights and privileges which, owing to the intervention of plutocratic influences, they are not allowed to enjoy.

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The complete novel in the September issue of Lippincott's is "Weeping Ferry," by Margaret L. Woods. It is a sincere, simple, and effective tale of English country life, recording her honorable but passing love of a squire's son for an ex-servant's daughter, and the sad result thereof. Mrs. Woods (who is better known at home than in America) wields a firm, graceful, and entirely competent pen; every line of her work is true to nature.

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The September number of the Forum is the first of a new volume—the twenty-fourth—and evidences the vitality of the magazine. Such articles as "Alaska and the New Gold-Field," "Hawaii and the Changing Front of the World," "Strikes and the Coal-Miners," "Is the Cuban Capable of Self-Government?" can hardly fail to satisfy all readers who wish to keep abreast of the times. The leading article, "A Plea for the Navy," by the Hon. H. A. Herbert, Ex-Secretary of the Navy," follows very appropriately the "Plea for the Army" in the August issue.

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"The natural American has a healthy pioneer enjoyment in the utter discomfiture of blatant folly, even when the punishment is beyond deserts." This is one of the many "good things" in a charming essay upon American Humor, by Margaret Sutton Briscoe, in Harper's Bazar for August 28th. Another excellent article in the same number is from the pen of Miss Clare Bunce. In a thoroughly practical way she treats of "Silver Articles in Daily Use"; the dainty utensils of the dressing-table, trinkets for the person, and silverware for the dining-table, giving many capital suggestions as to the difficult problem of graceful gift-giving.

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The American Monthly Review of Reviews for September has a good deal to say about the Andrews incident and Brown University—not so much, as the editor remarks, on account of the personal interests involved in the case as because of the far-reaching principles affecting academic life and liberty which have become matters at issue. A fair-minded and judicious estimate of President Andrews' services to Brown is given by a writer fully conversant with the facts, and the protest of the faculty is printed in full. The editorial comments on the awkwardness and needlessness of the situation are piquant and to the point.

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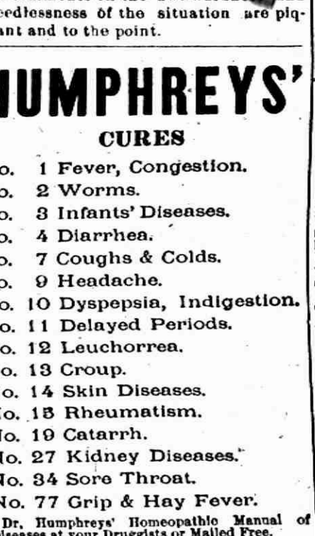

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READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

One of the most respected ladies in this vicinity, after being treated by all the best physicians, and, pronounced incurable, was advised by a former patient of Dr. Walker's to call and consult him. She says: For the past fifteen years I have been a great sufferer with heart trouble and nervous prostration. The least exertion would cause my heart to flutter and become very irregular and so weak, causing complete exhaustion. I felt as though each day would be my last, and were it not for leaving my little ones, death would have been a relief. After three months' treatment with the Doctor I feel as well as I ever did. My heart beats regular and strong, and that tired feeling has entirely left me. What joy and sunshine health restored.

MRS. E. J. B.

Miss Addie Smith says: "I was sick for many years. My case was known for miles around. Was helped to Dr. Walker's office, now I am able to walk there. I have been under the Doctor's treatment two months and have gained twenty pounds. I feel well. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the Doctor for what he has done for me. I had female trouble, weak lungs and nervous prostration."

REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.

Wm. Redman says also, that he has been afflicted for ten years with asthma and hay fever, the result of catarrh; has doctored with only temporary relief. He is now a well man, not a vestige of the dread disease remains. He feels grateful to Dr. Walker.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers cured of cancer of the breast She was a great sufferer.

Charles J. Preston cured of catarrh of the stomach and blood poisoning, says he would not be in his former condition again for $5,000.

Mrs. W. M.——, after being barren for ten years, says, "He cured me. We now have two little children. Suffice to say our home is a happy one.

Epilepsy (or fits) positively cured by a recent scientific discovery.

One of the most respected young men of Grand Rapids, Mr. C. H. Hanks, has doctored with a l the best physicians he could hear of and was finally given two weeks to live. Consulted Dr. Walker, took his treatment and is now a well man. He had chronic stomach trouble, weak lungs and constant cough, rheumatism and Bright's disease. He has gained 35 pounds and works every day. He advises all who are sick to see Dr. Walker.

Mrs. C. M. Stutzman cured of blood and skin disease of twelve years standing.

Mrs. L. E. Lambert cured of varicose ulcers on limb.

Miss Ella Crane cured of bronchial trouble and lung disease.

Miss B. H. cured of female weakness after being treated by many noted physicians.

Mrs. W. W. Bennett says also that she had lost her sense of smell and became partially deaf by catarrh in the head and could not sleep for constant coughing and pain through the lungs, also had female trouble. She says she will testify to anyone that Dr. Walker saved her life. She has gained thirty pounds and is well.

Miss Elizabeth Ball writes, after being a great sufferer for a number of years with neuralgia in the head and stomach: I am cured. I feel as though I have got into a new world. I cannot praise the doctor enough for his skill in my case.

Dr. Walker's specialties are diseases of Eye Ear, Throat, Lungs and all chronic, private and nervous diseases and deformities, as Granulated Lids, Cross Eyes, Deafness, Discharge of the Ears, Bronchitis, Chronic Cough, Goitre (big neck) Fever Sores and Ulcers, Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Heart, Stomach and Nervous Diseases; Chorea (St. Vitus Dance), Epilepsy (fits), General Debility, Scrofula, Skin Diseases and all diseases due to bad blood; also rectal diseases.

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Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	5	6
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Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 00	4 50
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat		92
Corn, shelled	27	35
Corn, in ear	15	20
Oats	15	18
Hay, timothy, per ton	6 00	7 50
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THE STRIKE ENDED.

The Miners' Convention at Columbus Takes Final Action.

The Vote on the Proposition to This Effect Is 495 to 317 — The Resolutions Adopted—Pittsburgh Operators Angry.

Columbus, O., Sept. 13.—The great miners' strike, which was declared on July 4, was brought to an end Saturday evening, so far at least as Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia are concerned, by the action of the interstate convention of miners, which has been in session here since Wednesday.

After a day of voting and wrangling the convention adopted a resolution accepting the proposition of the Pittsburgh operators. The vote was 495 for and 317 against accepting the terms of settlement, 11 votes not being cast. The delegates from Illinois, who had 250 votes, were unanimously against a settlement. Indiana and West Virginia voted solidly to accept the operators' proposition, but there were scattering votes among the Ohio and Pittsburgh delegates against it. The resolutions adopted are as follows:

The Resolutions.

"Resolved, That we, the miners of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, in convention assembled, do hereby agree to accept the proposition recommended by our national executive committee, viz., 65 cents in the Pittsburgh district, all places in above-named states where a relative price can be obtained, to resume work and contribute liberally to the miners who do not receive the advance, where the fight must be continued to a bitter finish.

"Resolved, That the national officers, executive board and district presidents act as an advisory board for the purpose of providing ways and means for the carrying on of the strike where necessary, provided, however, that no district resume work for ten days, for the purpose of giving miners in other districts time to confer with their operators and get the price if possible."

Given Ten Days.

While ten days is provided for the miners to resume work, it is probable many of the Ohio and Pittsburgh mines will be reopened at once. The convention adopted resolutions indorsing the action of the national executive board in recommending a settlement on the terms proposed.

A resolution was adopted denouncing the action of the deputies in firing into the crowd of striking miners at Hazleton, Pa.

Ratchford Is Pleased.

President Ratchford said that he was well pleased with the result of the convention and continued:

"It is as complete a national settlement of the miners' wage question as we have ever had. We will have to fight De Armit in Pennsylvania, of course, will have the northern operators to whip into line and we will have some fighting to do in West Virginia. The Indiana operators, however, have already offered to pay the scale. It has been several years since there was a well-defined wage scale for West Virginia. Since then the mining conditions have changed there so much that we will probably have to call a conference of miners and operators to fix a new scale.

"The best thing about it is that it is an agreement. Nobody has been whipped. There is to be a conference in December to fix the wages for 1898, and the present wages are to be paid the rest of the year.

"I don't recall when there was a better prospect for undisturbed wage conditions in the mining industry than now."

Pittsburgh Operators Angry.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 13.—The operators of the Pittsburgh district may repudiate their agreement with the miners' officials in regard to the 65-cent rate. When they agreed to pay it they did not figure on a ten days' delay, but supposed the miners would go to work at once. They claim treachery on the part of the miners' officials, and it is now a matter of surmise whether the mines will resume at the price agreed on.

LAST OF THE KIND.

Delegates from the Columbus Convention Tell Stories.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 14.—The national bituminous coal miners' strike of 1897 will probably be the last of the kind for the present generation and hereafter the difficulties arising through wage disputes will likely be settled by states and districts, and a revolution may be expected in differentials favoring other states, as the Pittsburgh miners have had their eyes opened.

M. D. Ratchford, national president, and Patrick Dolan, district president, both expressed themselves privately that they were thoroughly disgusted at the action of the delegates from Illinois and West Virginia and the cupidity of some Ohio delegates who wished to continue the strike for political reasons.

Received by the Queen.

San Sebastian, Sept. 14. — The retiring United States minister to Spain, Hannis O. Taylor, was received in audience by the queen regent Monday and presented his letters of recall. Soon afterwards the new United States minister to Spain, Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, was received by her majesty and presented his credentials.

Terms of Peace.

Constantinople, Sept. 15.—The ambassadors of the powers have arrived at an understanding in regard to the terms of peace between Turkey and Greece. An international commission is to control the Greek revenues in order to meet the indemnity and the Turkish troops are to evacuate Thessaly.

Seven Killed.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 13.—In a freight-train wreck at Vanburen, Ark., seven persons were killed.

A HOT WEEK.

Gives Corn a Big Boost to Maturity in Most States.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country, and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of the same, were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Michigan—Hot weather ripened corn, buckwheat and potatoes very fast. Corn cutting begun and much of the crop is now safe from frost. Buckwheat in fine shape and cutting begun. Potatoes improved. Dry soil has delayed rye and wheat seeding and rain is also needed to germinate grain already sown. Pastures generally poor.

Indiana—No rain; hot sunny days, cool nights during the week. Most corn is safe from frost. Much of the early planted is cut and in shock. Much tobacco is housed, some was fired. Clover hulling continued yielding good seed. Pasturage is dry and stock is being fed. Water is scarce.

Illinois—Hot dry week forced corn to maturity and materially shortened late crop; cutting general, with fair to good yield, lightest on high thin soils, with much light chaffy corn anticipated. Too dry for plowing and seeding only attempted with drills in corn fields, hence little done; broom corn cutting nearly completed in east central counties; pastures brown; gardens dead; potatoes a failure; stock water very scarce; ponds, wells and streams dry or failing.

Iowa—Continued high temperature and drought have swiftly ripened early corn with some deteriment to quality. Some favorably located fields of late corn still growing and will make fair yield with two weeks normal weather. Plowing and fall seeding retarded by drought.

Wisconsin—Corn much benefited by unusually hot weather, except in southeastern counties where moisture was insufficient. Early plantings being cut and bulk of crop will be matured in a week or ten days. Pastures very short. Cranberries being picked, crop good. Buckwheat being harvested; crop generally good. Rain needed for fall plowing.

FEVER SPREADING.

Six New Cases of Yellow Jack Reported in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 15.—The yellow fever here is spreading. Six new cases were announced Tuesday. They were scattered all over the city, so that now no section of New Orleans save that district known as Algiers can be said to be free from the scourge. Two unpleasant features are connected with the new cases Tuesday. In the first place, it has broken out in the slums. The work of cleaning and purifying the city is being pushed rapidly ahead. The streets and gutters are sprinkled with lime where it is thought that such course will be beneficial and the premises are being cleaned up.

The city is so tightly tied up now and so many hands are lifted against her that there is no longer any commotion created when this, that or other town institutes quarantine. Within a radius of 1,000 miles every town and hamlet has emphatically refused to have any intercourse with the city. Drummers who are on the road are tied up in small towns and no orders are coming in and the country people are at present paying no bills.

traced to Ocean Springs, as has been possible heretofore. In the second

RICH IN GOLD.

Sulphur Creek Promises to Eclipse Finds on the Klondike.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 14.—Sulphur creek, a branch of Dominion creek, which is a tributary of the Indian river, is the scene of the latest gold excitement in the Klondike. From accounts of the new district brought down on the schooner Southcoast it seems that the new diggings will rival even the famous Bonanza and Eldorado. Gold was found just below the surface running $34 to the pan. Two men took out $300 in a day by simply prospecting their claims. A stampede followed the reports of the new finds, which reached Dawson City August 15. In a week 500 men had crossed the mountains between Eldorado creek and Dominion creek. They traveled day and night, and in two weeks the whole stream was staked out.

SPAIN IN A BAD WAY.

Sagasta Says the Cuban Insurrection Is Spreading.

Madrid, Sept. 15.—Senor Sagasta, the liberal leader, in an interview on the subject of the Cuban insurrection, says that the uprising, instead of dying out, is spreading considerably. In addition, Senor Sagasta says, the situation in the Philippine islands is serious. He also asserts that the Carlist propaganda in Spain cannot be viewed with indifference, and expresses the belief that a reconciliation between the political parties in Spain is impossible so long as the conservatives are in power.

STAR POINTER AGAIN WINS.

Beats Joe Patchen in Two Heats by Narrow Margin.

Medford, Mass., Sept. 13. — In the great match race between Star Pointer and Joe Patchen, for a purse of $4,000, Star Pointer won the first heat in 2:03¾. The time by quarters was: First quarter, 30½; half, 1:01¼; third, 1:33¾. Star Pointer won second heat race by 2:04¼. By quarters: First, 30¼; half, 1.01¼; third, 1:33. Both heats were close and exciting, the first being won by only a nose and the second by a length.

A Long Swim.

New York Sept. 13.—James Hooper, champion long-distance swimmer of the west of England, completed his task of swimming from Troy to the Battery, having made the trip of 156 miles in 12 days.

DEATH AND RUIN.

A Terrible Calamity Visits Two Sister Cities in Texas.

Port Arthur and Sabine Pass Wrecked by a Tornado—Several Lives Are Lost and the Property Loss Is Enormous.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15.—A special to the Star from Port Arthur Tuesday says: Here six bodies have been recovered, the result of Sunday night's storm, while at Sabine Pass the recovered death list numbers ten and many are missing. Many were injured, but not seriously. Telegraph and train communication was cut off until Tuesday.

In all of the streets Tuesday wrecked buildings, fences, household goods and debris filled the sidewalks and roadways and on every side were other evidences of the havoc of the storm, while the houses left standing all showed signs of the action of the wind. Many of the Kansas City, Pittsburgh & Gulf railroad buildings were either totally wrecked or twisted from their foundations, and business houses suffered considerable damage. The loss of property will reach $50,000.

Dead at Port Arthur.

The dead at Port Arthur:

Frank Albright, Kansas City, employed by electric light company.
Fritz Michelet, carpenter.
George Martin, brick layer.
Mrs. Weeks.
Mary Unsworth.
Infant son of W. H. Johnson.
Injured: Roy Stafford, wife and daughter; will recover.

Ten Drowned at Sabine City.

The following was received over the Pittsburgh & Gulf wires at 11:30 Tuesday from Shreveport, La., from George M. Craig, general townsite agent of the road, who had just returned from Sabine City:

"At Sabine City about ten people, including Betts and Moore, tug and lighter owners, were drowned. Three tugs, one schooner and nearly all the small boats anchored at the town were either sunk or stranded. All of the substantial buildings in the old and new town escaped. The water in new town rose to six feet and that in old town to four. No names obtainable.

"It is difficult to get detailed losses. Three-fourths of the export pier, a temporary [illegible] pier was damaged to the extent of $100,000. $50 damage was wrought to the principal hotel and the Taylor bayou bridge, situated three miles from town, was demolished. Among the steamers which went down was Lindsley's steam pile driver."

The Victims Buried.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 15.—The funeral train bearing the bodies of the victims of the Port Arthur hurricane were taken to Beaumont, where they were interred. Every business house in that city was closed, and nearly the entire population turned out and joined the cavalcade to the cemetery. None of the injured have died, nor are likely to. The damage to shipping at Sabine Pass is greater than was at first thought. Two schooners laden with lumber are practically wrecks, and it will be nearly impossible to save the ship Ceres. Nothing has as yet been heard of the pile driver with six men aboard, which evidently careened out at sea.

Damage in the Country.

The damage in the country to buildings and crops is severe. The losses to the farmers in Jefferson county alone will approximate $150,000, which they would have had in hand within 30 days had the storm been delayed that long, but now the crops are completely ruined. The Texas & Sabine Pass Railway company is at work building their line to Sabine Pass and rebuilding and repairing is in progress at the new town of Sabine, and as soon as the people of Port Arthur recover from their fright rebuilding will be resumed there.

PARTY OF FOUR DROWNED.

Sad Ending of Pleasure Trip Near Waverly, Ia.

Waterloo, Ia., Sept. 14.—Rev. Scott Hyatt and wife, Royal McQueen and Miss Mae Tibbetts were drowned in the Cedar river near Waverly. Hyatt was an adventist. The party went on an excursion and not returning at night search was made. Their uneaten lunch, hammocks and wearing apparel were found on the river banks. Early in the morning the bodies of Hyatt, McQueen and Miss Tibbetts were found in a deep pool clasped together. About ten o'clock Mrs. Hyatt was found 300 yards below caught in a barb wire fence. The theory it that Miss Tibbetts and Mrs. Hyatt got beyond their depth, and when the men tried to save them they all drowned. The parties were highly connected in Waverly.

Will Change the Color.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The secretary of the treasury and the postmaster-general, after consultation with the president, have decided to change the color of the current two-cent postage stamp from carmine to green of the shade now used on government notes. The ten-cent postage stamp, which is now printed in green, will be changed to some other color, possibly carmine.

Highest Since the War.

St. Louis, Sept. 11.—December wheat Friday broke all former records, dating back to war times, by soaring up to $1.01⅛ a bushel during the call on the floor of the Merchants' exchange.

Burned by Molten Iron.

Sioux City, Ia., Sept. 13.—While pouring molten iron at the Pioneer stove works at Leeds, a Sioux City suburb, five men were frightfully burned.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

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Absolutely Pure

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CLINTON

Frank Wallinger, of Tecumseh, was here Tuesday.

A. F. Kishpaugh [illegible] spent Sunday at Britton.

C. S. Borroughs [illegible] from Friday until Monday.

Miss Rose Alvord returned Saturday from Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. S. L. Ramsdell was quite ill the fore part of the week.

Miss Mary Erlenbush, of Ann Arbor, visited here over Sunday.

Miss Frances E. Matthews returned to Milwaukee last Thursday.

F. L. Woodward, of Hudson, was in town the latter part of last week.

J. T. Wadsworth came over from Hudson and spent Sunday with his family.

A ten-pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Alexander Saturday morning.

J. E. Shipton, of Hanover, Ill., has been visiting at P. Alexander's since Friday.

W. S. Whittelsey and W. D. VanTuyle went to Hudson on their wheels Wednesday.

Henry Calhoun left for Kalamazoo, where he will attend college, last Thursday.

Fred Blosser and Charlie Youngbauer [illegible] Wednesday evening.

A. J. Kishpaugh and H. G. Shekell made a bicycle trip to Jackson and return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wolf were called to Morenci last week Thursday by the death of his father.

Miss Pauline Senneirla returned Saturday from a week's visit with her sister at Grand Rapids.

The ground for the race track was surveyed Tuesday by C. E. Foster assisted by H. G. Shekell.

Mrs. J. E. White and daughters attended service at St. Peter's church, Tecumseh, Sunday evening.

V. M. Halladay and wife visited friends and attended the state fair at Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs. M. N. Bull and daughter, of Solon, O., were guests at E. VanDeMark's from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rowland, started Monday morning for their home at Albion, after spending a few days here.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson returned Saturday from Grand Rapids where she had been visiting a brother for a few days.

Miss Kittie Van Tuyle's many friends will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly recovering from her severe illness.

Fourteen little friends of Laura Freese helped her to celebrate her fifth birthday at her home Monday afternoon.

Ed Breese returned Monday from Norwell where he has been in charge of the station for a few weeks during the absence of the agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conklin went to Onondaga Wednesday to visit relatives. They will also visit their son Earl and wife at Albion before returning.

Miss Alberta Johnston went to Albion Thursday morning, expecting to visit friends until tomorrow when she will go on to Chicago to take up the study of music for the coming year.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Belle House and John Koernig, to take place Tuesday evening, Sept. 21st, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Millspaugh.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. Stitt was held Wednesday at 10 a. m. at their home near Wampler's lake. She was in her usual health until Saturday when she was stricken with paralysis and only lived until Monday morning.

There will be a special meeting of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., next Wednesday evening for the installation of the following officers:

W. M.—Emma VanDeMark.
W. P.—W. H. Dorr.
A. M.—Mary Davis.
Sec.—Nellie Kishpaugh.
Treas.—Minerva White.
Cond.—Hattie Johnston.
A. Cond.—Emma Seagrave.
Adah—Chloe Conklin.
Ruth—Sarah Dorr.
Esther—Mabel Lightner.
Martha—Emma Sherwood.
Electa—Alice Race.
Warder—Lizzie Davis.
Sentinel—A. H. St. John.
Chap.—Sarah Rogers.
Organist—Ella Niblack.
Marshal—Mary Belding.

Monday evening a farewell reception to Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Ramsdell was given by the members in the church parlors. After cream and cake were served to all, an elegant china tea set was presented to the beloved pastor and wife. Rev Ramsdell left Tuesday for conference at Port Huron.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. E. C. Wisner is slowly getting better.

Mrs. Frank Bradley sprained her ankle last week.

Miss Nettie Snook visited at G. W. Allen's Thursday.

Some farmers have sown wheat; many are waiting for rain.

Geo. Snook plastered E. J. Whelan's new house last week.

Ceyton and Howard Norcross, are attending Adrian College.

Misses Lovisa Fisher and Alta Bradley, are at the Normal, Ypsilanti.

Art Joseph was drilling for water at the Bradley schoolhouse last week.

Channing Beebe and a son of Wm. Pentecost, are at the Agricultural College.

Misses Estell and Emily Wisner have returned from a trip to Clinton county. They report Mrs. John Stout in very poor health.

Horace Wilcox struck a good vein of water at the end of the second days' drilling at Mrs. A. B. Wisner's Tuesday He moved his machine to John Pentecost's where he will put down two wells.

Franklin is represented in Tecumseh high school by Misses Eva Camburn, Ada Beebe and sister, Ethel Hampton, Veda Pentecost, Nat Bailey, Guy Smith, Willard Hunt, Wilford Allen, Elgerton Wellwood.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

If you want eggs you must make your pullets exercise.

Made a New Man of Him.

Bryan, Ohio, Jan. 15, 1897.

Gentlemen:—For years I had been suffering from indigestion. Had a poor appetite and could not eat anything containing grease and had constantly a worn out feeling. After using three 50c bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin I am now able to eat anything my appetite craves and can say it has made a new man of me. ELI BOWEN.
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Wherever properly introduced Dr Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as a cure for constipation, has met with a phenomenal sale. Many druggists cannot say enough in praise of its merits, as well as its great popularity with the people. In 10c trial size and also in 50c and $1.00 sizes, of J. J. Orr, druggist Tecumseh Mich.

It may also be said that homeliness is only skin deep.

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Death lurks in impure water. It breeds diseases, often in epidemic form. The first symtoms is looseness of the bowels. These diseases are checked by taking Foley's Colic Cure.

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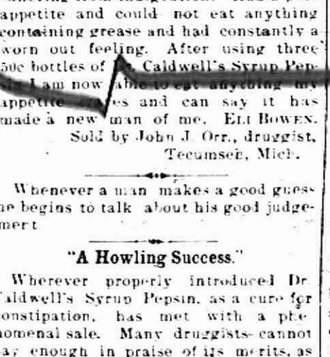

THERE ARE a great many unselfish men and women who wish others to know what has restored them to health and happiness. Mr. C. F. Davis, publisher of one of the best newspapers in Iowa, writes from Bloomfield, Ia., Aug 18 1896. "My desire to benefit others prompts me to write this. We have used Dr. Miles' Remedies in my family for nearly two years with most gratifying results. We would'nt now do without them. My wife had been weakly and down nearly every summer for the past fifteen years. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is exactly what its name implies; a sure cure for a weak, fluttering, palpitating heart, and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills are most excellent."

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PRETTY TABLE LAMP.

How to Obtain a Useful and Ornamental Piece of Art.

The illustration shows the design for a table lamp that can be made by most any woman who is handy with tools.

The materials which will be required to make it are seemingly the least worthy, and an old box, some burlaps or bagging such as furniture comes packed in, a few thin sheets of stovepipe iron and some nails and paint.

In the first place, obtain a box at a grocery store such as canned goods are packed in, carefully break it apart, taking care not to split any of the thin boards. Of these boards make a box eight inches square and twelve inches high; the wood used for the top and bottom should be thicker than that of which the sides are made, and in the top cut a round hole, large enough to admit a metal lamp fount. A rim around the top edge of the fount will, if the hole is made the right size, prevent it from falling into the box.

All over the top and sides of the box fasten ordinary burlaps with liquid glue, and when it is thoroughly dry give the bagging a few successive coats of light olive green paint. Sandpaper the burlaps before applying the last coat, so an even and smooth surface may be obtained.

Bind the edges of the box with strips of sheet iron, allowing about three-quarters of an inch of metal to show on a side. Fasten the iron on with large oval-headed brass upholsterers' tacks, driven at equal distances apart.

On a sheet of paper draw the pattern shown on one side of the box and cut pieces from the thin iron to work out the pattern on each side. Tack these pieces on with good-sized oval-headed iron carpet tacks and then give all the metal work a coat or two of ivory black paint, thinned with japan drefer.

At a hardware store purchase four clawfeet and screw one fast under each

HOMEMADE TABLE LAMP.

corner. They will probably be of brass, but when painted black will appear as of iron.

A good central-draft lamp fount and burner can be purchased at a lamp store, with them a canopy shade frame can be purchased, over which a pretty shade can be made of silk paper or other light material that will shed a pleasant light, and if arranged as shown in the illustration a satisfactory result will be obtained.

If a central-draft burner and fount is used it will be necessary to have a few holes through the bottom of the box to allow a vent for the air, otherwise it would cause the light to be dim or the wick to smoke.—C. Harry Adams, in Chicago Record.

HINTS ON CANNING.

Mrs. Rorer Gives Timely Directions for Putting Up Fruit.

In the Ladies' Home Journal Mrs. S. T. Rorer writes on "Canning and Preserving." At the outset of her lesson she emphasizes the value of securing perfectly sound and fresh fruits, and the necessity of getting the cans and canning appurtenances in readiness in advance. "To prevent breaking when filling the jars," Mrs. Rorer advises that they be slipped "sidewise into a kettle of hot water, rolling them so that every part may be quickly and uniformly heated. Fold a damp towel, place it in the bottom of a pudding pan, then near the preserving kettle; stand a jar on the towel, and if the fruit is small adjust the funnel; fill quickly to overflowing. Run a heated silver knife around the inside of the jar, to break any air bubbles that may have been caught with the fruit, and adjust the rubber, then lift the lid from the hot water and place it at once. If large fruit fill with a wooden spoon, arranging the fruit so that the weight of one piece will not destroy the shape of another. Fill to overflowing with the liquid, water or sirup, and fasten tightly. After sealing stand the jars out of a draft over night. The glass by that time will have contracted, and the lids will, in consequence, be loose. Wipe each jar carefully and give the top an extra turn. Put away in a cool, not cold, dark closet. At the end of a week examine each jar carefully, without shaking or disturbing more than necessary. If you find the lids slightly indented, the contents free from air bubbles or froth, and the liquid settled, you may rest assured 'they will keep.' If you do not find it so, open the jars to prevent bursting. Reheat the fruit, being careful to bring it to a boiling point, and re-can."

Polish for the Furniture.

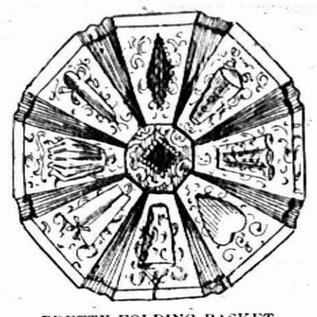
A little turpentine and oil applied to furniture with a flannel cloth, the furniture then thoroughly rubbed, will give it a bright, clean appearance. If your rosewood refuses to polish have your furniture man repolish it for you. He will rub it down with sandpaper, and varnish it, so it will last for six years.—Ladies' Home Journal.

NEAT FOLDING BASKET.

How to Put Together a Dainty Piece of Fancy Work.

No doubt some one will exclaim: "Why, that's old; my grandmother made them just like that!" Ah! did she? Was it not of fine leather, lined with silk, neatly bound with ribbon, infinitesimal stitches, showing hours and hours of painstaking labor, skill and neatness of execution? You who have the time and patience for such work may copy your grandmother's basket, but for those who, even in leisure hours, want to get the best results with least time and labor, as well as expense, may follow these directions and gain much in so doing.

Cut a stiff pasteboard octagon-shaped bottom about four inches in diameter;



PRETTY FOLDING BASKET.

then a thinner duplicate; also cut eight pieces of the shape indicated in the design, measuring about 1½ inches at the base, three inches at the top and four inches along the side; also duplicate these in the thinner pasteboard. Cover all the heavy pieces with any coarse material desired, such as cretonne, denim, velvet or linen, neatly turning over and pasting down the edges. In like manner cover the thin pieces with silk, silkolline or any suitable lining for the basket, making it figured in effect if the outer covering be plain, and vice versa, or of contrasting colors. On the outer pieces attach the hinges, which may be of narrow ribbon or strips of the same material, a trifle over one inch wide, pasted into position; then on each inner piece place some necessary convenience—a thimble case of covered cardboard sewed to the correct position, a tiny bag or two, with elastic run in the top, to hold spools of thread, a double case for papers of needles, a little sheath for buttonhole scissors, a neatly-finished needle book of two or three leaves of flannel, pinked or buttonholed on the edges, a small case with overlapping top for pearl buttons, some narrow cases for bodkins, darners, etc., and an emery bag completing the equipment of the one in the illustration. At each upper corner of the eight sides should be sewed a small brass ring, buttonholed in silk to match, while the bottom should be finished with a pincushion corresponding with the needle book.

The basket is now ready to put together. Each pair of outer and inner pieces being carefully glued or overhanded neatly into place, the whole is overhanded firmly to the octagon bottom and a narrow ribbon is run through the ring and tied, holding the sides upright. These are very convenient baskets for traveling, as opening flat renders it easy to pack them. They can be bought for less than one dollar, and to make one costs very much less; while by fitting it up with necessary implements and furnishings it may be quite an expensive gift, as well as one showing neatness and dexterity in its execution.—American Queen.

COFFEE DESSERTS.

They Are Not Only Delicious, But Very Easily Prepared.

Coffee is the most delicious flavoring for summer desserts. The essence of coffee, which is used, is easily prepared, but should always be fresh. The secret of flavoring with coffee lies in having this essence so fresh and pure that it has the delicious aroma of a cup of good coffee. Take a tablespoonful of the best coffee, freshly ground, and put it in a small saucepan with a cup of cold water. Let the fluid boil until it is reduced to about two tablespoonfuls. Strain it through a cloth, pressing it well; let it cool, and it is ready for use.

A "coffee mousse" is a most delicious iced dessert, and is prepared without the trouble in freezing which an ice-cream involves. This mousse is made as follows: Put two cupfuls of sweet, rich cream in a bowl. Fill a pan with chopped ice, place the bowl in the pan, and begin to beat the cream with a fine wire whip. Beat slowly at first, then faster, until it is a fine, firm froth. When it is all frothed, add two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar and three tablespoonfuls of coffee essence, and beat them together well. Put the mousse in a long, slender mold, and cover it tightly, sealing the edge of the cover with mutton tallow, and pack it away in a pail covered with cracked ice and rock salt. Three quarts of salt are sufficient for a pailful of ice. The mousse should be packed away for about six hours. If the mold is large in diameter, it may be opened once and the frozen parts removed from the sides with a knife. If the mold is slender, it should be left undisturbed. A coffee mousse makes a most attractive desert if served with a clear red cherry ice heaped around it.

For a coffee custard, boil a quart of milk and add two tablespoonfuls of coffee essence. Add five yolks of eggs and two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Stir the mixture well, and strain it; pour it into custard cups, and set them in a pan with boiling water to half the height of the cups. Place the pan over a slow fire, and let the water boil gently for 20 minutes. When the custards are set, remove them from the fire and set them in the water. Serve them in the cups.—N. Y. Tribune.

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SOOTHING SILENCE.

It Is Here Shown That Absolute Quiet Brings Healing Rest.

A doctor, writing on the subject of the suppression of useless noises in cities, which he claims will hasten toward convalescence many a patient whose nerves are now too racked by perpetual racket to give the system a chance of recuperating, says he remembers one delightful ward in his training school, wherein the "sister" used to insist on a "silent hour," from 2:30 to 3:30 daily. It was the only ward in the hospital which enforced this golden rule, alike beneficial to the nurses fortunate enough to be drafted there and the patients therein, who flourished and blossomed forth into amazing convalescence under the silence system and the good nursing which accompanied it. For the "sister" was a born nurse, and she had the real sympathy and womanliness which caused her to appreciate the balm and healing of that one quiet hour in the day, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

It was a male surgical ward, and the patients, on first admission, used to chafe somewhat at "sister's" dictum—against which there was no appeal—of "no conversation or newspaper reading during the hour." But gradually each patient came to appreciate the soothing lull in the busy hum of the ward, and "sister" and her staff used to watch with satisfaction how patient after patient fell gradually under the soporific quiet of the time, and went off into comfortable sleep, which frequently lasted long after the prescribed limit. The good humor of the ward was most exceptional.

The senior surgeon of the hospital was never tired of saying: "The patients here, sister, get on as if by magic. What spells of witchcraft do you weave to heal them so quickly?"

Exiles at St. Helena.

Mr. Chamberlain, in his capacity as British secretary of state for the colonies, has just caused it to be known that the English government has resolved to release the son and two brothers of the famous Zulu king, Cetewayo, from their captivity at St. Helena, and to restore them to their own country. Years ago they were exiled to that dismal island, where Napoleon died a prisoner, on the mere suspicion of being engaged in organizing a revolt against British rule in Zululand. They have always protested their innocence, and, inasmuch as their guilt has never been proved, and they have never been convicted by any court of law, their liberation is but a tardy act of justice.

A New Rabbit.

The new species of rabbit of a diminutive size, tailless and with short ears, has been found near the volcano Popocatapetl, in Mexico.

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GANG OF HORSE THIEVES.

They Are Said to Be Operating Through Southern Michigan.

La Porte, Ind., Sept. 14. — The authorities at South Bend claim to have evidence of the existence of an organized gang of horse thieves operating through southern Michigan and northern Indiana. A large number of horses have been stolen within the last few days, and the thieves have all been traced across the state line. A number of horses have been traced to Edwardsburg, where all trace seemingly was lost. Farmers in southern Michigan counties have also suffered from the depredations, and a determined effort will be made to apprehend the gang. Livérymen have suffered at the hands of the thief, who adopted the clever subterfuge that he was pursuing a horse thief, securing horses by this plan of operation, and then disappearing.

GOOD VEIN OF COAL.

The Contract Let for Its Mining to Cleveland Firm.

Bay City, Sept. 13.—A contract has been entered into by J. H. Somers & Co., of Cleveland, and the Isaac Marston estate by which the former acquires the right to mine coal on the the extensive Marston farm on the Kawkawlin road. A well was recently sunk for water and a vein of four feet four inches was passed through, which leads to the belief that coal can be successfully mined there, the same as in Monitor township. By the terms of the contract Somers & Co. are obliged to begin operations within six months. The firm has secured coal-mining rights from adjacent property, and it is reported will operate extensively. The Michigan Central runs through the property.

IN MICHIGAN WATERS.

The Government Ship Yantic Assigned to the Naval Reserves.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—The good ship Yantic, which has been given to the Michigan naval reserves, will not only serve the purpose of a floating armory, but will also act as a tolerably efficient cruiser for the navy department. It has been decided to leave the engines and boilers in the old vessel, and orders were given to start her for Detroit on October 1 under her own steam. This means that she will steam up to the mouth of the St. Lawrence river with her own engines, and will there be delivered over to the representatives of the state of Michigan, who will pontoon her through the lakes.

To Develop Mineral Springs.

Benton Harbor, Sept. 13.—A company has been formed to be known as the "Eastman Springs company," that will develop the valuable mineral springs near town where thousands have visited annually for several years. A sanitarium will be built and the Eastman Springs electric railway now under construction will reach there this fall. One hundred thousand dollars capital stock has been placed at the company's disposal.

Cooperative Foundry.

Jackson, Sept. 13.—A cooperative foundry has commenced operations in this city under the name of the Central City Cooperative Foundry company. The principal stockholders are A. C. Smith, who will be general manager; George J. Buchfink and George Schatt. Each workman employed will, however, have a personal interest in the business.

The Brave Girl Died.

Detroit, Sept. 14.—Maggie Mack, the 17-year-old girl who was terribly burned while trying to save her two young brothers from flames caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove, died of her injuries. She suffered the most excruciating pain until her death. The other two children were badly burned, but will recover.

Confession Was False.

Bancroft, Sept. 10.—The confession of a murder in Rochester, N. Y., by Harry F. Leadley, the bicyclist who died here, has been shown to be a pure fabrication. Leadley was a cigarette fiend, and his strange statements before his death were doubtless the ravings of a mind diseased by that habit.

Hog Cholera in Ionia.

Ionia, Sept. 11.—Hog cholera has broken out in Ionia township, this county. W. D. Place has lost 35 or 40 porkers, W. F. Scammell and A. J. Webber quite a number each and cases are scattered throughout the town. The officials will take every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease.

Loss Nearly $3,000.

Petoskey, Sept. 11.—Fire catching from burning stubble destroyed the house, barns and grain in stacks on the farm of Albert Auble, who came here from Grand Rapids three years ago and located four and a half miles west of this city. The loss is estimated at $2,000 to $3,000.

Lengthy School Term.

Metamora, Sept. 11.—This village is to have the longest school term in its history. Several scholars were prevented from graduating last year on account of illness and the school board has decided to hold a ten months' term in order to accommodate the unfortunate ones.

Found Dead in a Field.

Lexington, Sept. 11.—Francis Meyers, aged 74, was found dead in a field on the farm of his brother-in-law, Robert Wagner, this township. It is supposed that he was overcome by the heat. The thermometer has registered 100 in the shade for two days.

Pardons Eight Convicts.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 13.—Gov. Pingree broke the pardon record by releasing eight convicts, all of whom were serving long terms for serious offenses, and paroling two short-term convicts.

Fatally Scalded.

Battle Creek, Sept. 10. — The five-months-old child of Mrs. Frank Darling, a widow, was fatally scalded by upturning from a gasoline stove a kettle

SUSTAINS MURRAY.

An Opinion Handed Down by Attorney-General Maynard.

Lansing, Sept. 11.—Replying to an inquiry from Superintendent A. J. Murray, of the state public school, Attorney-General Maynard gave an opinion in which he holds that the attendant from the state public school has no legal authority to approve of homes for children sent out by the school, that duty being vested by law exclusively in the agent of the state public school and the county agent of the state board of corrections and charities. The board of control of the school, it is held, has no power to delegate the performance of this duty to any other person.

It is understood that Superintendent Murray has disagreed with the board upon the question and the opinion of the attorney-general sustains the views taken by the former.

AFTER MONTHS IN JAIL.

A Young Man Acquitted of Perjury Upon His Trial.

Lapeer, Sept. 11.—Charles Schnoor, of Almont, who was arrested last April upon the charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed at the trial of Edwin R. Gould for violation of the liquor law, has been acquitted. Schnoor has laid in jail since his arrest, being unable to procure bail.

William Kreiner, a young man residing at Burnside, who was arrested at the instigation of a detective named Green, hailing from St. Johns, upon the charge of violating the liquor law, was found not guilty, the information being fatally defective.

OIL OF GOOD QUALITY.

It Is Secured at the Well at the Sanborn Elevator.

Port Huron, Sept. 13.—The work of pumping the oil well at the Sanborn elevator has commenced under the supervision of Alex Morrison, of this city, a man of considerable experience in that kind of work. In one hour 1½ barrels of oil was obtained, after which it was found necessary to shut down to put in a larger pump. The oil secured was of excellent quality. Those who have interested themselves in this matter believe that this city has a future as an oil producer.

Surprise for Members.

Grand Rapids, Sept. 10.—An unpleasant surprise awaits the 3,000 members of the Michigan Masonic Life association, which went into the hands of a receiver at its own request last winter. Circuit Judge Grove will, in a few days, issue a decree assessing each member $60 to clear up the liabilities. It is admitted that the assessments cannot be collected from more than one-third of the members owing to their financial condition.

Charged with Murder.

Menominee, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Labounty is under arrest at Wilson, Spalding township, charged with the murder of her three-year-old daughter, whose dead body was found in a cradle Monday. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from violence and neglect. The child's body and head were found to be a mass of bruises and sores. The woman has been held for examination.

Heavy Criminal Docket.

Bay City, Sept. 14. — The criminal docket of the circuit court for the September term is the largest in history, containing 58 cases. Of these two are for murder, two for manslaughter and two for burglary. The jail is filled with prisoners, and Judge Maxwell says he will begin with the criminal cases on the 27th and keep on grinding until the jail is empty again.

Died Suddenly.

Jackson, Sept. 10.—John O. Gunnison, aged 70, one of the best-known citizens of Jackson county, where he had resided for many years, died suddenly in this city. He was a large property owner. He was at one time proprietor of the Hibbard house and had retired from business.

A Michipicoten Company.

Bay City, Sept. 11.—Twenty young men of this city have formed a company to send four of their number to the Michipicoten gold fields on a prospecting tour. They will leave at once and if their report is favorable, the company will begin mining.

Saved by the Doctors.

Owosso, Sept. 14. — Mrs. White, wife of Alderman V. M. White, took a dose of morphine large enough to kill ten people. When the doctor was called she was already in a comatose condition, but after several hours' work she was brought back to life.

Will Employ Extra Teachers.

Saginaw, Sept. 11.—At a special meeting of the school board of the east side it was decided to employ three extra teachers and also to purchase what is known as the Christian church building to provide for the overflow of pupils of several schools.

Joined the Methodists.

Highland Station, Sept. 14.— Rev. Wallace R. Struble has resigned as pastor of the Congregational church here after two months' services and has united with the Michigan conference of the Methodist church.

Little Boy Killed.

Rogers City, Sept. 13.—While raising a barn on the farm of Gus Lust, four miles north of Rogers City, a timber fell on the head of his four-year-old son, smashing his skull and killing him instantly.

No More Dances.

Mt. Morris, Sept. 14. — At a meeting of the common council a resolution was passed prohibiting any more dances in the village hall.

Blew Off His Head.

Niles, Sept. 11.—Jasper Kline, of Wakelee, while in a fit of despondency, blew his head off with a shotgun.

A Fatal Fall.

Niles, Sept. 10. — John Watson, a Colon contractor, fell from a scaffold and was killed.

LIQUID FUEL.

Oil Better Than Coal for Many Purposes.

Liquid fuel is coming into general use among engineers, and there can be little doubt that if road carriages are to be propelled by steam, the only fuel admissible will be some form of petroleum, says the National Recorder. At a late meeting of the Northeast Coast Institution in South Shields, Mr. R. R. Wallis read a paper giving the results of many experiments to ascertain the calorific and evaporative value of various oils as fuel for steam raising. In comparing coal and oil he shows that the value of each varies greatly with the quality and circumstances under which burned, oil doing from one and a half to two and a half times the work of an equal weight of coal. This is accounted for, first, by the complete combustion of oil without loss of heat in soot or smoke; second, because there are no fires to clean with the accompanying loss of heat and fall of steam pressure, the pressure and revolution of the engines being maintained; third, because the boiler tubes are always clean and in the best condition for the heat from gases passing through them to the boiler, and fourth, because the temperature of the escaping gases may be lower than is necessary to create the draught necessary for coal firing. There are no bars nor thick fire for the air to force its way through; the required amount of air can be drawn through the furnace by a lower uptake temperature, and the admission of air being under complete control and the fuel burned in fine particles in close contact with the oxygen of the air, only a very small excess of air is required. It occupies, moreover, only half the space needed for coal.

MET FIRST IN YOKOHAMA.

Though In New York They Had Lived for Years in the Same House.

"It is a familiar saying," said a New Yorker, as reported by the Sun, "that people may live next door to each other in New York and never know each other at all, and it's quite true; and the same is true also of people living in even closer proximity in flats. I have lived for years in a flat and have never known even by sight the people living above or below me. In the case of a flathouse, however, you are pretty sure to learn the names of the tenants. You hear them spoken in the elevator shaft by the grocer and the butcher, or you may see them yourself on the letter boxes in the vestibule of the building; but that in most cases would be as far as your acquaintance would proceed. I did once become acquainted with my neighbor in the floor below, but it was by chance, and in Yokohama.

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"'And yours to me,' said he; and when we came to compare notes we found that they had become so through the names on the letter boxes in the flathouse at eleven hundred and 'leventy-'leven West 'Leventy-'leventh street, New York, where we both lived.

"For years we had lived only 15 feet apart, but we became acquainted 10,000 miles away."

NATURE'S OWN PROTECTION.

Explanation of Why a Swelling Follows from a Blow.

The swelling which follows from a blow is nature's effort to protect the part from further injury and to keep it at rest while repair is going on, says the Philadelphia Times. What actually takes place at the seat of injury is not even now quite understood. The injury to the smaller blood vessels interferes with the flow of blood through them and the white corpuscles, with part of the serum, the watering part of the blood, escape into the surrounding tissues. At the same time the blood vessels in the neighborhood dilate and the increased flow of blood with the thoroughfare obstructed increases the swelling.

It is probable that the white corpuscles of the blood pass into the tissues to assist in the repair, as bees or ants assemble at an injury to their storehouse, but with this difference, that the substance of the corpuscles is probably converted into the tissue of repair. From one point of view the human body is only one gigantic colony of individuals, and the swelling that follows injury but the rush of these to repair the breach.

Once Had Earthquakes.

Southern Scotland and northern England are visited by multitudes of strangers each year, and many get as far as the Western Isles. Few of them, however, are reminded of volcanic phenomena, though columnar basalts, such as those of Fingal's cave, may sometimes suggest the thought of lava. Yet for long periods of time in the far past this region has been covered with volcanoes like Hecla, and lava sheets like those of the Snake river. Japan is not more plagued with earthquakes than England has been, and the quiet little island has had its Krakotoas. It may have them again, but there is no immediate danger.

Queen Victoria's Voice.

Queen Victoria's voice is exceedingly winning when she chooses to be gracious, although it can be sharp and imperious in reproof. It entirely lacks that species of harsh guttural tone and accent which is so remarkable in the voice of the prince of Wales and of his brothers and sisters.

Irish Guards.

It is quite possible that her majesty's jubilee year will be still further marked by the creation of a regiment of Irish guards, consisting of two battalions, one of them to be always on duty in London, with Dublin for its headquarters.

Filthy Alaskans.

The natives of Alaska seldom change their clothes unless worn out. They are considered the filthiest race of beings on the earth.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 7th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the real estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered that Monday, the 4th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 27th day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of CHARLES WELLS, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of S. Wyman Wells praying that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be duly proved and admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Amos P. Wells, the executor named in said instrument, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that Monday, the 4th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the THE TECUMSEH HERALD a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. Baragar, Probate Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of SARAH A. [illegible], deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Beebee Leighthall praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin Howell or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of ELIAS BROWN, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Raisin Township, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of October, 1897, and on the 3rd day of February, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 21st day of August A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

[illegible] McDONNELL, [illegible] ROBINSON, Commissioners.

Dated, September 11th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator, praying that his time for the payment of the debts of said deceased be extended until July 1st, 1898, for reasons therein stated.

It is ordered that Monday, the 4th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up, and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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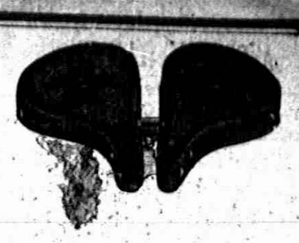

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A SIMPLE TIRE REPAIR.

Punctures in the well known Morgan & Wright tire are mended about as easily as a man would close a hole in his finger with a bit of court plaster. Inside of the inner tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber, like this:

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

When you have a puncture, get right off. Riding a fire flat, when it has a tack or nail in it, may damage it considerably.

A CROSBYVILLE FIRE.

BY GEORGE ADE.

ON THE evening of the alarm of fire at the florist's place, three doors from the Alfalfa European hotel, "Doc" Horne told of his singular experience at a fire in the town of Crosbyville.

"Let's see—I spent two or three years in Crosbyville, off and on," he began, "and this must have happened in the fall of '51 or in the spring of '52. I remember that I left Crosbyville just about the time of the presidential campaign, and that was—well, it must have been about June, '52. No matter; the date doesn't make any difference.

"In order that you may understand this story better I'll have to go back a little. The first time I ever visited in Crosbyville I was invited out to a shooting match. We didn't shoot at glass balls or live pigeons in those days. We usually put a white square of paper up against a tree and blazed away at it with rifles, and, although our fire-arms were of defective bore, I can assure you that some of the best shooting I ever saw was at those old-time matches out in the woods. However, that has nothing to do with the story.

"One of my friends invited me to go to the shooting match, and after I got out there I was asked to enter the contest. Well, I went in and I happened to get a rifle that sighted just right for me, and I won. A man who had been introduced to me as Capt. Jaynes made the next highest score. It seemed to me that the other contestants took their defeat good-naturedly, but on the way home my friend told me to look out for this Capt. Jaynes. He was a hot-headed Kentuckian, and it seems that this was the first time he had been defeated in a year or so, and it worried him a good deal. My friend told me that he had taken a dislike to me and would probably try to pick a quarrel with me at the first opportunity.

"Well, that same afternoon I invited all the men who had been at the shooting match to come over to the tavern. It was customary for the winner of the match to stand treat to the others. Capt. Jaynes came in rather late, while we were all sitting around and talking. I arose and asked him to join the party. He bowed very coldly, and said that he was not in the habit of drinking with strangers. Well, I was pretty hot-blooded in my younger days. I said: 'Very well, captain; I withdraw the invitation. I made the mistake of supposing that you would feel at home in a company of gentlemen.' I knew what to expect when I said that. He started to draw a knife, but before he could lift it I had hold of him. They pulled me apart and tried to quiet him, but he went away raving mad. They all said he would kill me the first time we met, but he must have cooled down when he had time to think it over. I saw him often after that—passed him on the street. He never made a move, but I knew that he hated me and would be glad of a chance to do me an injury.

"The captain's house was right on the bank of the Green river, and stood near his mill. It was an old-fashioned two-story house, very broad and well built, and thickly surrounded by trees. It was considered the best house in Crosbyville. The captain was the wealthiest and one of the most prominent citizens of the town. He was a widower and had two children—a boy of 14 or so, and a young lady named Elizabeth. She was a very beautiful girl—very charming. I had met her several times, but, of course, I had never become well acquainted with her on account of my standing feud with her father.

"Well, to make a long story short, the whole town was aroused by an alarm of fire one night, and when we turned out the Jaynes' mill was one mass of flames. It was an old-style structure, with a framework of heavy logs, and it made a fearful blaze. The wind was blowing the flames toward the house. Everyone saw that it was of no use to try to save the mill, so we turned in to save the house—got up on the roof and passed buckets, and put out wet blankets to catch the sparks, but it was no use. The men were driven off the roof, and the water dried as fast as it was thrown on. All at once one whole side of the house seemed to spring into a flame. There was a general shout, and everybody retreated to a safe distance. The members of the family and the neighbors had been removing the household goods. Just as the house caught fire and all the men were getting out of it as fast as they could I heard Elizabeth Jaynes cry out: 'The canary!' Then she ran back into the house, with everyone calling to her to stop. I didn't hesitate a moment, but ran after her. She ran through the terrific heat and dense smoke right up the stairway, and I followed. I caught her by the arm at the top of the stairs and told her to come back. She was hysterical and excited. She said she wouldn't leave until she got the bird. In spite of all I could do she pulled away from me and ran into the front room—her bedroom, I believe—and felt her way to where the bird cage was hanging. Gentlemen, it was never any hotter in any bake oven than it was in that room. As soon as she got the bird cage I dragged her back through the hall. The smoke was not so thick now because the fire had got a free draught through the house and was making a fearful roar and was spreading rapidly. When we reached the stairway the whole lower end of it was ablaze. I dragged the girl away to the front window, but by that time the whole veranda was on fire. The crowd outside saw us, and shouted something—I couldn't tell what. I saw that there was no escape over that burning veranda. When the people outside began to shout the girl fainted. I threw her across my shoulder and started for the rear of the house, because I knew that was my only salvation. The whole stairway was ablaze by that time, and flames were creeping up through the floor. I closed my lips tightly, and in about four leaps I reached the back window. Outside there was a big tree almost brushing the window. I kicked out the window sash and simply jumped into the tree. It was the only thing to be done. Luckily I got my arm over a limb, which sagged with us and dropped us to the ground. I clambered to my feet and ran, with the girl still hanging absolutely limp and helpless over my shoulder. I went straight for the river with the intention of jumping in. The heat was something deadly. It had driven away the men who had been filling their buckets at the river.

"Just as I staggered down the river bank I saw a skiff. Some one had probably rowed across the river to the fire, for the boat was not fastened. I dropped the girl into the boat and gave it a strong push out into the current, and in a few seconds we were floating down stream and were safe."

"She had the canary, I suppose," said the lightning dentist.

"Oh, yes. She was in a dead faint, but she hadn't let go of the cage. As soon as I recovered my breath and wet my clothes in two or three places where they were on fire I splashed water in the girl's face and she recovered consciousness, but she was so flustered and excited that she didn't know where she was or remember what had happened.

"We could look up the river and see the burning house. It made a huge blaze and threw a bright glare across the river. I remember the peculiar effect of this glare on the windows of the houses across the river. It caused them to glow as if the houses were filled with live flames. The girl was so frightened that she thought all the houses were afire.

"When I got ready to row back I discovered that I hadn't any oars. The current was swift and we were drifting rapidly, so I pulled out a seat board and used it as a rudder, and in a few minutes I made a landing near a house occupied by a Mr. Wesley. Miss Jaynes was still so weak and nervous that she could hardly walk, but I assisted her to this house and aroused the inmates. They would hardly believe my story at first, but they could see the burning house up the river, and they recognized Miss Jaynes as soon as the lights were brought.

"The woman of the house was very kind. She cared for the young lady tenderly for about two hours and had one of the boys drive us back to Crosbyville. Now, in the general excitement we had forgotten that the people in Crosbyville had no reason to believe that we had escaped from the burning house. Miss Jaynes said several times: 'I suppose father is wondering where I am,' but she had no idea that he and all the others were convinced that we had perished in the flames. However, you couldn't blame them for thinking so. The window from which I had leaped was well hidden by trees, and there was no one at the river bank when we leaped into the boat. We learned afterward that the men had pulled down the burning veranda and had planted a ladder at the front window where we had been seen. The blaze was so fierce that they had been driven back.

"Every one supposed, of course, that we were lost; so you can imagine what happened when we drove up in front of the ruins about seven o'clock in the morning. They were already searching for our bodies. Yes, sir; they thought we were ghosts. As soon as I explained to them how we got away you never heard such cheering in your life. They lifted Miss Jaynes out of the wagon and took her over to a neighboring house, to which the captain had been taken. He had been almost wild with grief. Those who went over to the house say it was one of the most affecting meetings that could be imagined. First he wept like a baby and then he jumped up and laughed like a boy and said he didn't care for the loss of his buildings so long as his daughter was safe. I suppose his daughter must have given him a very favorable account of my efforts in her behalf, for presently he came out of the house and walked up to where I was standing and said: 'Mr. Horne, you have done me the greatest service that one man can do another. All that I have is at your command now and forever. I once did you an injustice. You have repaid me. Will you take the hand of a man who honestly admits himself beaten and humiliated?' I said to him: 'Captain, you are a brave and gallant man, but you were mistaken for once. Let us say no more about the misunderstandings of the past.' We shook hands, and from that day forward we were friends. He was a man of passions and prejudices, but if he came to know you and like you he was the truest friend a man ever had."

"There's only one thing needed to make that a good story," suggested the dentist. "You ought to say that you married the captain's daughter."

"I am not going to sacrifice truth in order to make a fancy romance," replied "Doc."—Chicago Record.

Faith in Dreams.

An English general and his wife resident in Ireland were constantly pestered by a beggar woman to whom they had been very charitable. One morning at the usual hour when the lady was getting into her carriage the old woman appeared and began:

"Agh, my lady, success to yer ladyship, and success to your honor's honor this morning, of all the days of the year; for, sure, didn't I drame last night that yer ladyship gave me a pound of tay and yer honor gave me a pound of tobacco!"

"But, my good woman," said the general, "do you not know that dreams always go by the rule of contrary?"

"Do they so, plase yer honor?" rejoined the old woman. "Then it must be yer honor that will give me the tay and her ladyship that will give me the tobacco."—Tit-Bits.

MICHIGAN'S IRON PRODUCT.

Her Output Over a Third of That of All Other States.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 10. — Michigan stands at the top of the list of great iron ore producing states, according to the annual report of the United States geological survey, which has just been completed. The output of the state for the past year was equal to more than one-third of the entire product of the United States, exceeding 5,700,000 tons. "The entire product of Michigan, of Minnesota and of Wisconsin (except some of the ores mined in the eastern and central portions of the state)," says the report, "were obtained from what is generally considered the Lake Superior district, all the ores being marketed as Lake Superior ores, and designated by various characteristics, such as specular, magnetic, hematite, hard or soft, or by the names of specific mines, etc. At a number of mines several grades of ore are mined, to each of which a special trade name is given. The quantity of Lake Superior ores produced in 1896 reached a total of 10,566,359 long tons, valued at the mines at an average of $1.57 per long ton."

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

A Clarendon Man and His Two Sons Under Arrest.

Clarendon, Sept. 11.—Mr. Alvin Rarick, of Clarendon, and his two sons, Fred and Alvin, boys 16 to 18 years of age, were arrested for attempt to commit murder. The crime alleged is the shooting of Ray Haikes, of Clarendon, who, with three other boys, were raiding Rarick's melon patch. The shooting was done by Fred Rarick, instigated by his father and brother. Haikes' back was filled with 72 No. 4 shot, fired from a distance of about three rods. After being shot he dragged himself home, a distance of a mile and a half. He lies in a critical condition, but will likely recover. The Raricks are ignorant, but well disposed people, and the sympathy of the people is largely in their favor.

PANIC AT A THEATER.

Many Are Injured at Niles, Mich., and Lynching Is Threatened.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 13.—During a performance of the Manhattan Amusement syndicate here 1,500 people became panic-stricken, caused by actors fighting and the cry of fire. Women fainted, children screamed and the fire department turned out. Stanley Walls and Charles Wells are in charge of the police. Wells, it is said, was threatening to shoot Miss Vesta, and he struck her twice in the face. The company had received no money in four months. Hundreds wanted to lynch Wells, who is blamed for the panic. Many were slightly injured.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 11. — For the Michigan crop report for September correspondents secured from threshers the results of 3,757 jobs, aggregating more than 65,000 acres of wheat thrashed, the yield from which was 1,891,483 bushels, an average of 16.73 bushels to the acre. In the southern counties more than 52,000 acres threshed averaged 17.34 bushels an acre. In the central counties the average is 14.02 bushels and in the northern counties 15.3 bushels. The area in wheat in the state last May as compiled from the returns of supervisors was 1,513,942 acres. This is the probable acreage that was harvested this year. The crop this year is the largest produced since 1892, when the yield exceeded 25,000,000 bushels. Threshers' returns indicate that oats will yield about 25 bushels and barley about 19 bushels an acre. The figures for oats are five bushels below and for barley two bushels below the estimate one year ago.

Corn made slow growth in August, but it has not been damaged by frost and there is good reason to expect a good and well-matured crop. The dry weather has undoubtedly injured potatoes, but the extent of damage cannot now be estimated. Beans are estimated to yield 87 per cent. of an average crop. Apples and peaches are very light crops; neither will yield more than one-fifth to one-fourth of an average crop.

Jefferson Francis Dead.

Sturgis, Sept. 10.—Jefferson Francis, one of the most prominent citizens of Sturgis, died here after a year's illness, aged 75 years and 8 months. He came to Sturgis 23 years ago, and has been identified with the town's interests ever since. Forty-nine years ago he was married to Helen M. Fillmore, a niece of ex-President Fillmore, and the couple inherited considerable wealth from him.

Want a Flat Two-Cent Fare.

Grand Rapids, Sept. 10.—The traveling men of the state are taking a lively interest in the possible extra session of the legislature and are bringing influence to bear on Gov. Pingree to call it. They are greatly dissatisfied with the new interchangeable mileage book, and want Gov. Pingree to call a special session to make a flat two-cent a mile fare on all roads.

Old Comrades to Meet.

Lansing, Sept. 10.—There will be a grand reunion of the "Wilcox Division," Ninth army corps, at the state capitol here on September 21 and 22. Among the regiments comprising the division were the following from this state: First sharpshooters, Second infantry, Eighth infantry, Seventeenth infantry, Twentieth infantry and Twenty-seventh infantry.

Whole Block Burned.

Oscoda, Sept. 10. — Nearly a block of business buildings and several dwellings, the village hall, the jail, and the hose tower burned Thursday morning. The town's records are all destroyed. The total loss is estimated at $25,000; insurance small. The origin is believed to be incendiary.

Accidentally Killed a Companion.

LaSalle, Ill., Aug. —Henry Young, aged 17, accidentally shot and instantly killed John Schults while out hunting.

'ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condensations From our County Contemporaries.

The athletic club mentioned last week was formally organized Monday night by the election of these officers: President, M. E. Keyes, vice president, Chas Hause; secretary, Earl Baldwin; treasurer, Jno. Rorick; sergeant-at-arms, Winfield Scott. The room over Butler & Gates' store is used as a gymnasium, and considerable amusement is afforded by novices who put on "de gloves." The club has some 40 members.—Morenci Observer.

A sad accident occurred in the Michigan Central freight house Tuesday which cost the life of Jno. Schlicht, a brakeman who lives in Ypsilanti. As his train pulled in from the east Schlicht jumped off and, running into the freight house, began a friendly struggle with Jno. Feleh. Releasing his friend, Schlicht ran out to the engine, climbed into the tender, and asked for a chew of tobacco. His friends noticing that he could not put the tobacco into his mouth and that he had a wild stare in his eyes, went to him, just as he sank down helpless. Upon examination it was found that, during the scuffle his head had struck the sharp corner of a crate, making a serious wound. His right side is completely paralyzed, and he was taken to the university hospital unable to speak or give any signs of recognition to those around him. He died about three o'clock. He leaves a wife and child. The friend with whom he was playfully scuffling is heart broken.—Ann Arbor Register.

The friends of Mr. Walker who is a nephew of Mrs. C. A. Stacy and at one time attended school here will be interested in his prosperity. The Brooklyn Exponent has the following:

Prof. Ellis W. Walker, son of J. D. Walker, formally of this place has been elected superintendent of the public school at Bluffton, Ind. The Banner of that city speaks of him as follows;

"Mr. Walker was selected from about a hundred applicants many of them presenting the very highest and most satisfactory evidence of fitness and ability as school superintendents. The board made a most careful examination of the whole field, and not until they had sifted and examined the whole lot of applications, and weighed the strongest and most promising, did they decide upon Mr. Walker. The selection is certainly very complimentary to that gentleman as well as a matter of congratulation to the members of the board. Mr. Walker is 34 years of age, graduating from the Michigan State Normal at Ypsilanti in 1886, and from the State University at Ann Arbor in 1893. His wife is also a graduate of the Michigan State Normal and with her husband pursued a post-graduate work at the famous university. tion was compelled by circumstances to work his way through school. By alternate years of work as a student with work as a teacher he has acquired a rich experience in school matters. He has served a number of terms in the district schools of Michigan, and during his student life in Ann Arbor University he occupied the following positions: Teacher of mathematics in the Ann Arbor High School; teacher of political economy in the Decatur, Ill. High School; principal of the Birmingham, Michigan, schools and superintendent of the schools at Dexter, Mich. After graduation from Ann Arbor in 1893, he officiated as principal of the High School of Kankakee, Ill., and Dubuque, Iowa. The latter high school through his efforts was affiliated with Chicago University, an honor enjoyed in Iowa by only one other city, and that is Des Moines. The Kankakee high school was also a diploma school with Ann Arbor during Prof. Walker's connection with it. During this time Superintendent Walker was president of the county teache s association of Kankakee county, and did institute work during the summers. Last year he pursued post-graduate work in Ann Arbor in pedagogy, psychology, ethics and sociology.

Half Rates to Adrian.

Account of the Lenawee County Fair to be held at Adrian Sept. 20th to 24th inclusive, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Adrian and return at one fare for the round trip

If you want eggs, you must make your poultry exercise.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 14, 1897:

Miss Elizabeth Burt, Miss Franc Cumming, Wm. Deubel & Co., Mrs. Henrietta Dewey—2, Mrs. Harriet Ellis, N. M. Fitzpatrick, Allen Graham, Jr., Chas. Greenfield, William Headerman, Della Hughs, Geo. Saxton, A. Y. Whitney.

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Eggs	13	13
Lard		8
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Cheese, per lb		12
New Potatoes		72
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked Shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		3 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 80	5 00
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	5	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		5
Sheep Pelts	15	25
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Wheat	86	to 89
Corn, shelled	34	40
Corn, in ear	18	25
Oats	18	20
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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

Dr. Wood and family visited Adrian ends Sunday and Monday.

Charles Brown's family have been tertaining friends from away.

Mrs. Lamont C. Hoagland has been der the doctor's care this week.

Will Britton and Eb Price received e fine Shropshire rams recently.

Frank Brown has the foundation laid a 16 x 22 addition to his residence.

Wm. Ferguson traveling freight Agt., he Wabash, was in town Monday.

ur people, generally, attended the ndee fair one or more days this week.

surance Agent Gilkey, of Adrian, in town Tuesday on business mat-

arence Hause went to Ann Arbor Friday and entered the High School day.

ed Rupp is at Deerfield, making sive repairs on Jessie Exelby's lence.

e Misses Jennie and Della Mills, icon, spent Sunday with friends e village.

ss Bowerman received a fine bicy- Tuesday morning, and henceforth be strictly in it.

and Mrs. James Haight attended neral of Grandma Kelly, at way last Sunday.

seems natural to see Art Curtiss g us again and we understand he emain some time.

nk Brown was at the Dundee showing up his new clover seed rer, and A. W. Curtiss a platform

le Phonie Campbell, after a two visit with her grand-parents, Mr. rs. John Exelby, returned to her in Detroit Wednesday morning.

ladies of the Reformed church chick n pie supper at the par- Wednesday evening. It proved ess and was enjoyed by a large ny.

depot scene in the Pantograph ainment Monday night was so c. that Art Hughes was over- asking the conductor if he had y cars.

s Tripp, who was so seriously last week by being thrown wagon loaded with lumber and r, is recovering nicely. He had w escape.

Nivison shipped a cousin, at g some seed wheat from here of the week. The variety was s known as No. 6 and could not ained in that section.

V. Exelby, a student at Albion who occupied the pulpit last t the Christian church gave discourses. His many friends edict for him successful work hosen profession.

Saturday afternoon seven couple e Clark's friends took tea with s home, and a royal good time It was intended as a sur- in some way George got an it so was not wholly taken

Reformed church on Sunday m., if pleasant, the pastor h a special sermon for Agri- on "Sowing with Mixed n the evening at 7:00 o'clock ill be "The Betrayer." The E. service at 7:00 p. m.

tograph and graphophone ent at Exelby Hall, Mon- g, was fine. The moving re realistic and varied in The management carry dynamo and generate their city. The hall was nicely spectators were delighted.

ok is out a silver watch. as he went to work, he containing it, hanging in d when he returned it was ough there is no positive upposed that two fellows the house twice that day, light on the matter if so

mplete surprise that two young people gave their of friends last week. So ey keep their own coun- their immediate families ing of their intentions. Monday, Claude Lowe and , went to Detroit and on city a visit was made to clerk when a license was then they called on the Fort street Presbyterian performed the ceremony em man and wife. After tay in that pleasant city, d home the last of the the present time are stay- mother.

MACON.

ngton, of Clinton, was in

n and wife are visiting s this week.

burn and wife visited at few days last week.

y is able to be around t in his right mind all of

and wife and Granville returned from Petoskey

of the Reformed church holding a series of revival tober.

e no preaching service at hurch Sunday. Sunday- rene at the usual hour.

friends of Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur them a pleasant surprise ng.

RIDGEWAY.

Dispatcher Sam Gibbs, of Tecumseh, was here Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Williams, of Adrian, visited in the village last week.

The farmers are cutting corn. Wheat was sown last week and is up.

Kittie Clark fell from a bicycle Friday evening and sprained her ankle.

Ed. DePay, wife and son Jay, of Saline, visited here a part of last week.

Rats in some sections are destroying corn as it stands in the field. Poison does no good.

Mrs. James McIntyre, of Holloway, was a guest at her brother's, C. L. Lowe's, Sunday.

George Houseman went to Ypsilanti Monday to continue his course at Cleary's college.

Mrs. McCrimmon, of Luther, arrived last week Thursday for an indefinite stay at her son Will's.

The thermometer and price of wheat have kept up to about the same height during the past week.

There will be no service at the church Sunday as the pastor is attending conference at Port Huron.

Wm. Burnett and family, of Tecumseh, spent last week Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Andrews.

May Culbertson returned Monday from a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. F. J. Weed, and family at Ceresco.

Thos. Florance and wife returned Monday from Grand Rapids where they spent a week with Mrs. F.'s brother, Claud Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson and Mrs. Louise H. Arner attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Lydia Kelley, at Holloway Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Cansfield's discourse Sunday morning on "Divine Healing: the True and False in it" was one of the best he has given in his pastorate here and was listened to with marked attention.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman gave a bicycle party last Friday evening. About forty wheels and three tandems were in line. The spin was four miles north and return on the "Ridge" road, the company and moonlight making the occasion most delightful. After the trip all enjoyed a melon lunch.

CONE.

Dr. Howell entertained a cousin over Sunday.

John Schreder, of Tecumseh, was in town last Friday.

J. C. Dennison is visiting relatives at Flat Rock this week.

Orrie Den[illegible] ing his patents this week.

Fred Ross, of Fleming, was the guest of J[illegible] this week.

Mrs. Laura Auten, of Toledo, was visiting relatives here last week.

Quite a number of people attended the fair at Dundee on Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Welch, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends here for a few weeks.

Ray Gould preached here last Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor.

The receipts of the Aid Society held at Mrs. Eusebia Ellis' last Wednesday, were $5.50.

School commenced at the Caswell school Monday, with Miss Clara Spencer as teacher.

Mrs. J. C. Cone and Miss Sadie Sherwood, visited Mrs. Ed Lewis at Tecumseh last Saturday.

Mrs. Cassie Packard returned last Saturday from a five week's visit with her sister at Flint.

Miss Edith Dumphy is teaching her third year at the Cone school, commencing last Monday.

Mrs. Janie Kent, of Toledo, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jane Auten last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma Cone, Mrs. Stella Smith, and Mrs. Laura Auten, of Toledo, visited Mrs. Sarah Austin, at Tecumseh, last Friday.

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A Memphis girl has married a man named Iva Jagg. How she must have loved him!

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 17, 1897.

The HERALD of last week stated that Fred Chiverall received $200 from the old C., J. & M. company when the road was built here years ago. The informant was a reliable person and was no doubt sincere in making the statement, but the HERALD is pleased to hasten to correct the statement, also to note Mr. Chiverall's spirit in regard to the railroad as will be seen by the following letter:

Elkhart, Sept. 15, '97.

EDITOR OF TECUMSEH HERALD:

I notice in your issue of the 10th inst. an article which stated that I received $200 from the D., T. & M. R. R. for allowing them the privilege of laying the track by my place. Now, Mr. Editor, you are wrong. I never received but one dollar from the company, nor did I sign the petition against them. If I had been home I would have signed one in their favor. In your next issue of the TECUMSEH HERALD please rectify mistake and oblige.

Yours respectfully,
F. CHIVERALL.

No sir. I stand by the railroad company.

Financial Letter.

Chicago, Sept. 14, 1897.

There has been everything to encourage the grain raiser in the action of wheat during the last week. After a sensationally rapid advance from 65c to $1.00 a bushel, there came a natural reaction of about 12c, but since then the [illegible] has been buoyant, and since the 90c mark was passed on the upward turn last week there has been a rise to 99 1-2, the average price at which wheat could have been sold in this market last week for either the December or September options being fully 92 cents. Corn, in view of the immense stocks in sight, has been remarkably strong.

The decline which began last Friday was continued today, more on sentiment and absence of buying orders than by reason of any change in the intrinsic value of grain. The foreign demand has somewhat abated, but this was inevitable, since Europe does not buy her grain supplies for long periods in advance, and her purchases while wheat was going from 80c to $1.00 were on an enormous scale. But letters to Schwartz, Dupee & Co. from their correspondents abroad do not in any way indicate that the situation there is better than it was when prices here were advancing every day, and the statement is freely made by those who should be perfectly familiar with the facts that the best buying by Europe in this market is still to come. If this be the case it is evident that wheat values must advance, since the visible supply, according to today's report, is only 15,766,000 bushels, or about one-third what was in sight a year ago. The increase last week was 949,000 bushels, not a large amount when one considers that wheat is being pushed to market as fast as possible to take advantage of the high price.

It is possible that if Cuban complications and other matters which today sentimentally affected the New York stock market increase in importance the grain market may be sympathetically affected, but if this were the reason for any decline the effect would of course be only temporary. The yellow fever excitement in the South has of course been used by the pessimists to depress such stocks as would reflect in their earnings and serious spread of the disease, and provisions, of which the South is a heavy purchaser, have also been under a depression but are now firm.

The following table shows the high, low and closing prices of wheat as dealt in on the Chicago Board of trade:

	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	96 1-2	94 1-2	94 1-2
Dec.	95 3-4	93 1-2	94 1-4

Howell Family Reunion

A pleasant reunion of the Howell family and its descendants was held at the residence of Dr. Chas. Howell on Geddes ave., Ann Arbor, Wednesday, Sept. 1st. There were present Dr. Geo. Howell, of Tecumseh; Rev. David Howell, of Lansing, Edwin Howell, of Macon; Judge Andrew Howell, of Detroit; Dr. Chas. Howell, of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Frank Odell, Mrs. Wm. Richard, of Macon, together with their children and grandchildren to the number in all of 25 persons. It is a noticeable fact in relation to this reunion that of the five Howell brothers who were present four are professional men, two doctors, a lawyer and a minister. Dinner was served at 1 o'clock and was an exceedingly pleasant meal to all present. A history of the Howell family, tracing back to 1639, when the originator of the family in this country came from England, was read by Mrs. L. Mae Nichols, daughter of Dr. Chas. Howell. Each of the children of the Howell brothers and sisters were presented with a photograph of the old coat of arms of the English family as a souvenir of the occasion.—Ann Arbor Courier.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning the Railroads.

Mayor Maybury returned from New York yesterday forenoon. Although his object in going east was to make his customary quarterly visit to the main office of the Standard Life Insurance company, he made a social call upon the eastern representatives of the Detroit & Lima Northern railroad. He received assurances from C. N. Haskell, one of the prominent representatives of the road, that no serious opposition to the securing of terminal facilities for its operation in Detroit was expected and that no obstacles would be allowed to stand in the way. Mr. Haskell also intimated to the mayor that the name of the road might be changed to the Detroit, Toledo, Columbus & Milwaukee railroad, which will be indicative of the general route of the road. Both Mr. Haskell and Mr. Townsend, of the New York office, will be in Detroit this week to confer with the mayor and others on the subject of local terminals.—Detroit Free Press.

Since the advent of the D. & L. N. railroad, Raisin Valley is putting on metropolitan airs. Many passengers get on and off at this point, and it is now the intention of the company to put in a side track and establish a station there. A big effort is being made to establish a regular mail service, and the people of Raisin Valley are entitled to recognition. This prosperous and thickly settled farming district is going to have what is needed or know the reason why.—Adrian Messenger.

J. S. Brailey is responsible for the story that No. 42 was stopped five times yesterday coming from Lima on account of trees which were blown over the track in the small cyclone, and the most remarkable thing was the fact that one tree two feet in diameter when falling broke in two places just so that a piece could be rolled out and allow the train to pass through. It might be incidentally stated that this particular tree grew on right-of-way secured by Mr. Brailey.

The brick are on the ground for the general office building of the D. & L. N. and D., T. & N. roads. The building will be 80 x 60 feet in size and two stories high, constructed of stone, brick and wood, and fitted inside in a commodious and suitable manner to accommodate the various departments. Work is to be commenced at once.

Mr. Graham, of the D. & L. N. road, gives us the welcome intelligence today that ground will be broken inside of [illegible] days for the new depot house for the road in this city. It will be situated about 125 feet south of the present building. Of what material it will be built Mr. Graham was not prepared to state.—Adrian Telegram.

"The wave of prosperity" has struck the Lake Shore yard at Toledo with such force that three extra switch engines are now in use. This makes fourteen day crews and eleven night crews at work at this point.—Toledo Blade.

Car Accountant Geo. Shiffer is quite contented. Mrs. S. came up from Leipsec, O., Wednesday and will remain two or three weeks at the Lilley House. They expect to move here about Nov. 1st.

A new firm has been formed, Garlinghouse & Tolan, practical and fancy fishermen; but it is feared the firm will not last long as each member claims he catches all the fish.

Express Messenger Nupp and family are now occupying the pleasant home recently vacated by Alexander Richards.

The sheds and shutes for the coaling station have been moved from Addison Junction to Tecumseh.

Train Dispatcher Allen and family are enjoying a visit from his sister Jennie, of Ridgeway.

D. C. Richmond, of Lima, O., spent Sunday with his son, Auditor A. L. Richmond.

Ticket Accountant J. E. Baldwin and family spent Sunday in Detroit.

D. Woodward trimmed all the limbs off his peach trees last spring, and last Sunday we drove up to see the orchard. New tops have sprung up and we found many limbs (this years growth) that we were unable to reach around with the hand. It is a phenomenal growth and the foliage looks healthy and thrifty. He expects to pick peaches off these new trees next year. The experiment is being watched with considerable interest by other fruit growers.—Clinton Local.

From one of our exchanges we clip the following: The talented editor of the Texarkanian is said by an exchange to have attended church services a few days ago and when called upon to lead in prayer, responded in this fashion: Almighty and kind Father, who from thy throne looks down on the government of men and delinquent subscribers, most humbly do we beseech thee to draw near unto them and whisper a few things in their ears that the statutes forbid us to print. Thou knowest our wants but the subscribers knowest them not and seldom steps in to inquire. Let it be known to them that there are large patches on the homestead of our pants, and there is an aching void in the front of our backs, and that we hunger and thirst and he asketh us not to sup with him. Thou knoweth, Lord, that our print, paper and ink cost money but the subscriber knoweth it not and careth a darned sight less. Thou knowest that we are cold and the subscriber bringeth not the wood he promised, and we are shivering and shaking while he roasteth his shins before the red-hot stove of his mother-in-law. Tell him all these things, Lord, and if he then bringeth no succor, banish him to the lower regions to dwell among the popolite calamity howlers, and Thine shall be the praise through our newspaper career. Amen.

It may also be said that homeliness is only skin deep.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of Sept. 6, 1897.

Present, Trustees Wright, Lowry, J. Heesen, H. Heesen, Orr and the clerk. Absent, the president and Trustee Eldridge. Trustee Wright president pro tem.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for month of August presented showing 2 adult and 2 infant interments, 2 lots sold for $50, showing treasurer's receipts for same.

Street commissioner's report presented and placed on file.

The village treasurer reported $6583.59 village tax collected and remaining uncollected $1577.06 and asked extension of warrant.

Moved and supported that president and clerk be, and they hereby are, instructed to extend the warrant of the village treasurer for the year 1897 until Monday, October 18, 1897.

The Hon. J. D. Shull, village assessor, requested that his resignation as said officer be accepted.

Moved and supported that council accept the resignation of Hon. J. D. Shull as assessor. Carried.

Moved and supported that the following ordinance be adopted and passed:

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE DETROIT, TOLEDO & MILWAUKEE RAILWAY COMPANY CERTAIN DEPOT STREET PRIVILEGES."

The village of Tecumseh ordains that The Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee Railway Company and its successors and assigns be hereby granted the right to occupy with its passenger depot and platform for the accommodation of passengers and baggage, that portion of Cummins street described as follows, viz: A rectangle sixteen feet in width north and south by one hundred feet in length east and west, having for its north line the north line of said Cummins street and for its east line the west line of Evans street; and that said company be hereby granted the right to maintain a sidewalk or platform not to exceed ten feet in width at present sidewalk grade along the west line of Evans street adjoining the east end of its passenger depot, provided said railway company shall provide and maintain by tile, pipe or other suitable method, ample means for the suitable drainage of said streets through and under said depot, platform or sidewalk.

Trustee H. Heesen yea. J. Heesen yea, Lowry yea, Orr yea. Carried.

The following ordinance was read by the clerk:

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE DETROIT, TOLEDO & MILWAUKEE RAILWAY COMPANY CERTAIN SIDETRACK PRIVILEGES."

The village of Tecumseh ordains, that The Detroit Toledo and Milwaukee Railway Company and its successors and assignes be hereby granted the right to build and maintain a side track across Cummins street in said village, leading from its present established main track northeasterly to its freight depot, the frog of said side track to be located about one hundred feet east from the east line of Pearl street and the center of said side track to intersect the center of the present traveled carriage way on Cummins street aforesaid at a point two hundred feet east from said east line Pearl street on the present grade of said Cummins street, said Railway Company, however, to continuously maintain a good and safe plank crossing at the intersection of said side track and said traveled way of said street.

Moved and supported that the above ordinance be laid on table until next regular meeting. Carried.

Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 6, 1897.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the Village of Tecumseh:

We, the undersigned property owners who own property on Cummins street in said village, most repectfully protest against the granting of a right to build a track across said street, to either the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee Railroad Company or to the Detroit & Lima Northern Railway Company, and also against any extension of the franchise now or heretofore held by said companies or by the former owners thereof and your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

GEO. T. MATTESON,	THOMAS WYRILL
C. C. TEFFT.	C. A. MCNEIL,
GEO. ZIMMERMAN,	E. A. HODGES,
MRS. FRED CHIVERALL	WM. A. LOWRY.
MRS. WM. KEYSOR.	ROSE YOUNG.
J. T. MCKINNEY,	MRS. M. DIXON,
A. B. TILTON.	WM. KYLE,
JOHN LOWRY,	T. D. MARK,
	GEO. B. MIZE.

The petition of Thos. Wyrill et. al, asking that Common Council of village of Tecumseh grant the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee R. R. Co. nor the Detroit & Lima Northern R'y Co. no further franchise, was laid on table until next regular meeting.

The following bills were referred to finance commitee: Tecumseh Electric Co., $216 67; Thacher Coal & Coke Co., coal, $17.16; Dell Packard, hand labor, $21.00; J. W. Wightman, $2.25; Levi B. Thompson, $1.37, Mr. Haviland, labor, $2 00; J. H. Elliott, Clerk, postage, $3.98; Dr. Tefft, Health Physician, $18,00; C. E. Williamson, lanterns, $1.20.

Finance committee made favorable report in all of the above bills and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasure for the several amounts.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT,
Village Clerk.

Mrs. O. C. McClellan of Dennis St., has quite a cotton plantation at her home in this city, having raised the plants from seed sent her from Texas. The plants are in blossom, and nearly ready to be "ginned."—Adrian Press.

F. D. Lancaster has a pullet that was hatched in March. He has been killing off his poultry and supposed they had eaten the last one, but happened to find this one a few days ago sitting on a nest of eggs she had laid. Frank has concluded not to kill her at present.—Clinton Local.

Crop Report.

Lansing, Mich. Sept. 15, 1897.

For this report correspondents have secured from threshers the results of 3,757 jobs, aggregating more than 65,000 acres of wheat threshed in the State, the yield from which was 1,091,483 bushels, an average of 16.73 bushels per acre. In the southern counties more than 52,000 acres threshed average 17.34 bushels per acre. In the central counties the average is 14.02 bushels, and in the northern counties, 15.31 bushel.

The area in wheat in the State last May as compiled from the returns of supervisors was 1,513,919 acres. This is the probable acreage that was harvested this year. Multiplying the acres in each county by the average yield per acre in that county, as now shown by the result of threshings, gives a probable yield in the State of 24,831,987 bushels.

The final estimate for wheat will be made in October. If it shall substantiate the foregoing, the crop this year is the largest produced since 1892 when the crop exceeded 25,000,000 bushels.

The number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the August report was published is 1,187,750. Of this amount 400,177 bushels were marketed before Aug. 1, but not reported until late in Augnst, and 787,573 bushels in August. The amount of wheat reported marketed since the August report was published is 302,562 bushels more than reported for the same time in 1896, and the amount reported marketed in the twelve months ending with July, which is the wheat year for Michigan, is 10,531,033 bushels or 847,880 bushels more than marketed in the same months of the previous year.

The amount of wheat actually marketed in Aug. this year, 787,573 bushels, is 335,444 bushels more than marketed in August last year.

Threshers returns indicate that oats will yield in the State about 25 bushels, and barley about 19 bushels per acre. The figures for oats are five bushels below, and for barley two bushels below, the estimate one year ago.

Corn made slow growth in August, but it has not been damaged by frost and there is good reason to expect a good and well matured crop.

The dry weather has undoubtedly hurt potatoes, but the extent of damage cannot now be estimated. Beans are estimated to yield 87 per cent of an average crop.

Apples and peaches are very light crops, neither will yield more than one-fifth to one-fourth of an average crop.

August was a cool, dry month. The mean temperature of the State was 64.7 degrees; of the southern counties 66 9; of the central 64.9, and of the northern [illegible] degrees. There was a deficiency in the State and southern counties of 2 degrees, in the central counties of 2.1 degrees, and in the northern of 1.5 degrees. Light frosts occurred quite generally throughout the State just after the middle of the month but did no material damage.

The average precipitation in the State was 2.04 inches, a deficiency of 0.39 inches. There was deficiency in each section as follow: southern counties, 0.09 inches; central, 1.19 inches; northern, 0.56 inches, and upper peninsula, 0.96 inches.

The farm statistics of the State returned by the supervisors last spring furnished the following statistics of the wheat, corn and oat crop of 1896: Acres of wheat harvested, 1,431,203; bushels, 17,858,259; average per acre, 12.48 bushels. Acres of corn harvested, 1,198,009; bushels, 81,733,087. Acres of oats harvested, 923,228; bushels, 29,110,433.

The farm statistics also furnish the following statistics of land in farms in 1897: Acres of improved land in farms, 9,020,220; unimproved, 4,302,093; total area, 13,322,313; number of farms, 149,534; average size of farms, 89.01 acres.

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Tecumseh Herald.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

RENT—An office in James block. In re of Alfred James.

SALE.—A few Shropshire ram lambs d by "Willows." ELLIOT GRAY.

RENT.—Portion of house. Inquire of V. WOODARD.

paper at S. E. Parrish's.

Conklin spent Sunday in Toledo.

obbooks new and second hand at Parrish's.

S. Bryan has been entertaining from away.

Chase, of Ithaca, Mich., is visit- Beamish's.

Aldrich made a business trip to Wednesday.

Tribou, of Detroit, spent Sun- ith his parents.

wheat cleaned "to the Queen's at the Globe Mills.

Margaret Beamish is spend ing ek with friends at Dundee.

e and examine our white lead. S. E. PARRISH.

RENT.—A suit of rooms. Reason- rice. A. W. MILLS.

. Adams, of Battle Creek, visit- M. Ross and family over Sunday.

J. L. Pinard and daughter, spent day at Lima, attending the fair.

S. E. Parrish is entertaining a , Mrs. C. A. Price, of Ithaca, this

Owen will come down from Ho- ommorrow and spend Sunday at

y Lee started Tuesday night for ville, Kentucky, called there on ss.

and Mrs. John Boden, of Ely, , are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frasier.

on Will Gray for hand fence rs and everything in the line of e repairing.

J. E. White, Mary and Mabel, nton, attended Episcopal church Sunday evening.

s Nora Charles left Wednesday ing for Cleveland, Ohio. to resume kindergarten work.

derwear to fit all ages and sizes, a eful of it at Harris & Hiteshu's at s lower than the lowest.

y some of our frictionless axle oil, heapes and best in to E. PARRISH.

he remains of Mrs. Wm. Stitt who d at her home west of Clinton, were ght here Wednesday for interment.

F. King and family are now nice- ied in the Wilson house, lately pied by Rev. C. M. Brown and ly.

enial Sam McClure, of Adrian, who joying a little vacation, spent Fri- and Saturday among Tecumseh ds.

s Minnie Reeves arrived Tuesday ing for a two weeks' visit with Te- h friends before returning to anti.

n Adamson left Wednesday morn- r New York to purchase his fall of jewelry. He will have all the ties.

n Wyrill has the foundation walls or his new residence, to be erected lot recently purchased of Mrs. Shull.

dollar for round trip Sunday, 26, to Ottawa Beach, Mich., via an and C. & W. M. Special train T. & M.

and Mrs. Any Hardcastle, who popular summer resort on the shore of Wampler's lake, were in Monday.

and Mrs. I. Mapes, of Onsted, rs. Whiden and two children, of gan, Ill., visited their aunt, Mrs. Teachout over Sunday.

O'Mealy and Seth Bean, of Adri- re here yesterday on a civil case Squire Wightman, wherein n parties were concerned.

ich to the regret of her friends, Anna Platt who has been visiting sister, Mrs. James Aten, returned her home in Detroit Tuesday.

The entertainment at Sutton's Opera Monday evening by Chas. Bar- will be one of the finest exhibitions nable posing as well as marvelous of strength ever offered to this unity.

unty Game Warden Deuel wishes it d to the sportsmen that from now Dec. 15, it is lawful to spear any but black bass in the Raisin river only in this river.

s. F. S. Dewey, of Alpena, Mich. has just returned from a Californ trip, is visiting her mother, Mrs. ailey, of west Chicago street. She remain until Monday.

d. De Puy is visiting old friends, looking after his farm interests. n he returns to Detroit, his mother, . Maria De Puy, who has been visit relatives here, will accompany him.

D. Lawrence and James Wood, ted an old comrade, Andrew F. Ful- at North Adams this week. Gen. Bowen, of Detroit, was there also. ry year a few of the old members Company B 9th Mich. Calvalry, meet ome comrade's and renew old asso- ions.

e can sell you a good bedroom suite $14.00, a polished oak stand $1.25, ing chairs $5.00 a set, rockers from up, a large arm rocker $2.50, dining le $6.00, a good durable couch $5.00, arlor suit for $20.00 and up. Every- ing in proportion. When you get dy to buy come and see us. WHEELER & SISSON.

Jim Cole is here from Salt Lake City.

Chas. Everett was in Toledo Monday.

A nice line of fancy books at Parrish's.

Perry Hosmer went to Piqua, Ohio nday.

Burlingame is slightly indisposed this week.

Harry Moore spent Sunday with his people at Dundee.

Fred J. Boy spent Sunday with his wife in Ypsilanti.

Bert Day will occupy the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Hall of Petersburgh, visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garlinghouse returned from the lake Thursday.

Wanted: Boy to feed presses. Apply at once at the HERALD office.

Perfumed toilet ammonia. Something new. Come in and see. S. E. PARRISH.

Round trip to Detroit via Detroit & Lima Northern Sunday, Sept. 19, 75c.

Miss Grace Hillman is attending college at the state university, Nevada.

FOR RENT.—A suite of rooms. Reasonable price. A. W. MILLS.

The reunion of the old 11th Mich. Cavalry will be held at Quincy Oct. 13th.

Mrs. F. A. Deuel returned Wednesday from a four weeks' visit at Battle Creek.

Mrs. Betsy Bangs and daughter Clara are visiting at London, Monroe county.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. House returned to their home in Springfield, O., Wednesday.

Wellwood violet a true violet perfume. Come in try it at Parrish's new drug store.

Lee Burlingame and Ben Pulver spent Sunday at the Hayden cottage, Sand Lake.

Frank Woodard, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of Tecumseh friends the first of the week.

During conference time the people of the M. E. congregation are cleaning their church.

Mrs. Dwight Goodrich, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Schreder.

Joe Howell, of Macon, has accepted a position as teacher in an Indian school in Minnesota.

Geo. Graves was here Monday. His son Robbie will remain at J. F. Hicks' for a few weeks.

Miss Lillian Waring will be a trained nurse, having gone to Ann Arbor to learn that profession.

Mrs. Frank Allen and little daughter Edith, have been visiting Toledo friends yesterday and today.

Jas. McCann has purchased the J. S. Strong lot on east Pottawatamie street and will build a house there.

Ralph Bidwell left yesterday morning for Delafield, Wisconsin, to resume his studies at the military school.

Miss Minnie Russell is attending the Normal at Ypsilanti. Tecumseh is well represented there and at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Will J. Kies, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Freeman, returned to Elkhart, Ind., yesterday.

Mrs. Robt. Brewster and children, of Coldwater, are visiting Mrs. B's sisters, Mrs. G. W. Mead and Mrs. J. F. N. Bowen.

Al. C. Paxson came up from Piqua, O., Wednesday to assist the Wm. Hayden Co. a few days. He expects to return tomorrow.

Abner Wilson returned home Saturday night from a business trip to St. Louis, Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Columbus.

There will be a special meeting of the Blue Lodge at the Temple this evening. Work in the first degree followed by refreshments.

Mrs. Mary McMillan, of Deerfield, and Mrs. R. C. Gorton, of Mansfield O. have deen spending the week with Mrs. Huey and other relatives.

Ladies' heavy fleece lined underwear, the best garment you ever saw for 25c, as good as you have paid 50c for, at HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

Aleck Richards has rented his pleasant village home and with his wife and daughter, returned to his farm in Raisin. They moved the first of the week.

The ladies of the Universalist church give the first of their socials for the year next Friday evening they plan for a good time and ask you to enjoy it with them.

Abner Wilson and wife went to Ann Arbor this morning with a load of household goods. Mrs. Rundell is going over to keep house for Pauline and Christine, both of whom will attend the University.

Ever since it became known that Barney, the great athlete, had consented to give an exhibition at the Opera House next Monday evening it has been the talk of the town and all are anxious for the time to come.

Subjects in the Universalist church next Sunday morning is "The Good Samaritan;" evening, "Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread and your labor for that which satisfieth not?" Isaiah 55:2. Sunday School after morning service. Y. P. C. U. devotional meeting 6 30 p. m.

Mrs. and Miss Corey gave a delightful duplicate whist party to a number of their lady friends last evening. Those present were Mesdames Ware, Fitzsimmons, Garlinghouse, Tribou, Bills, Bidwell, Patterson and Newbern, Misses Hayden, Whittier, Hosmer, Anderson and Hartbeck.

L. H. Salsbury, of Adrian, had business in Toledo yesterday, so took the D. & L. N., expecting to change here to the D. T. & M. The train being a little late, he missed connections and so put in the time calling on friends till the afternoon train came. His friends though sympathising with him, enjoyed having him with them.

C. A. Kiel, of Toledo, was in town yesterday.

Horace Baker has sold the lot east of his home on Chicago street.

Frank Thompson and son Charles, of Clinton, visited Mrs. Rowland Sunday.

The best line of writing tablets in town at S. E. Parrish's new drug store.

Miss Ella Fulton, who formerly resided here, is visiting Mrs. Abbie Fisher and other relatives.

Farmers, why blister your wives' hands when you can get your seed wheat cleaned so cheap at the Globe Mills?

The Globe Flouring Mills started Thursday and the Hayden brothers say they have good flour now for their former friends.

Mrs. Susan Linn, Mrs. Lena Nichols and Mrs. Chas. Thackery, of Britton, were guests of Mrs. L. C. Covell the last of the week.

Mrs. J. D. Shull, who went down with Viola, and Mrs. J. Root, who has been caring for her sister, are expected home from Painesville, O. to-night.

THE HERALD is indebted to Mrs. Applegate and J. R. Bennett, of Adrian, for calls last Friday. They were over to attend the picnic party at Tiffany's.

We were surprised in looking through Harris & Hiteshu's cloak department not only at the beautiful capes and jackets but at the low prices. You can buy a beautiful garment for a little money.

Our fall stock of furniture is arriving every day, and we will give the very lowest possible price on everything. We sell no shoddy goods. We guarantee every article. We sell you cheaper than you can buy the same elsewhere. WHEELER & SISSON.

Prescriptions carefully compounded at Parrish's new drug store.

Yesterday morning while Chas. Barney, the Iowa strong boy, was taking his usual practice in Frank Wallinger's yard, a large crowd gathered on the street in front and were amazed at his great strength and the ease with which the various feats were executed by him.

Mrs. W. R. Blatchford arrived from Hamilton, Ontario, Wednesday night, and is stopping with Mrs. Phelps. She left Reginald and Beatrice with her people, only bringing the baby with her as she is having their household goods packed, preparatory to moving them to Clinton.

Since melons have been plentiful in market, it has been the practice of the young men from the rural districts especially, Saturday evenings to lay in a supply, repair to the Opera house steps and devour them, leaving seeds, rinds and refuse melons all over the steps and walk in front. Last Saturday evening they made a worse litter than usual, extending their work in front the Bidwell residence. The patience of Marshal Bidwell and constible Thompson having become exhausted, endeavored by moral suasion to have the party of 10 or 12 young fellows desist. In return they received jeers, but when one of the party fell into Thompson's clutches their manner changed from jeering, they fell to pleading, promising better things for the future and he was released. The officers while not wishing to be dictatorial or deny them any reasonable amusement or freedom, say this practice must stop, and now hereafter anyone found thus engaged will be complained of and made to suffer for the misdemeanor. In this the officers will be upheld by all good citizens.

Oliver Sanford.

The familiar face and form of Oliver Sanford which for over 30 years was dailey seen on our streets, is now at rest, he having passed away Monday morning at the ripe old age of 83 years. The older residents remember him as one of the most extensive produce dealers in southern Michigan and a bright and honorable business man. The death of a daughter and later his wife, seemed to change the man and late years he has led almost a hermits life. His funeral was held at his late residence Tuesday at 4 p. m., attended by Rev. David Lewis, undertaker Tansley having charge.

His brother Charles and wife, of Manchester, their daughter, Mrs. Drake, of Philadelphia, James Halladay, of Clinton, Mr. W. B. Rutmond and wife, of Macon, and Mrs. H. and Mr. R. a niece and nephew attended the funeral.

Mobbs-Aylesworth.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Aylesworth, Wednesday evening, when about seventy-five guests were assembled to witness the marriage of their daughter May to Mr. Wm. Mobbs, of this city.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with festoons of vines, cut flowers and palms; and at eight o'clock the bridal pair, accompanied by Miss Jennie E. Saley and Dr. G. A. Servis, of Manchester, took their place under the bridal arch. The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown of cream nunsveiling with garniture of cream lace and ribbon, and carried a bouquet of white roses, while her bridesmaid wore cream wool challie with green ribbon and lace, and carried a similar cluster of pink roses. They were followed by Lula, the little sister of the bride, bearing the tray upon which lay the token of their vows. Rev. B. S. Hudson, of the First Baptist church, of this city, officiated in the impressive ceremony which united the lives of two of Tecumseh's best loved young people. Friends and relatives from Detroit, Adrian, Brooklyn, Clinton, Evan's lake, Hanover, Manchester and Tecumseh were present, and after partaking of the bountiful supper with the guests, Mr. and Mrs. Mobbs left for Columbus, Ohio, and other points, carrying with them the best wishes of hosts of friends who gave evidence of their regard by many beautiful and costly gifts.

Burglary.

Charles Smith, who is building a house at Sand Lake and whose family have been visiting Mrs. Smith's parents near by, came down Saturday evening and on going to the house was surprised to find it in a state of great disorder. At once he knew the house had been burglarized. It must have been done by some one who knew they need be in no hurry and it is very evident they were not for every room was visited. Every drawer, trunk, box, or basket containing any thing, was emptied on the floor, every bed torn to pieces, and every closet rifled, while it is impossible to say just what was taken until the house is put to rights by Mrs. Smith. The following is known to be gone. A suit of Charlie's clothes nearly new, a hat, silver watch, some jewelry and the children's banks with contents. The supposition is that it was done by home talent and occurred last week Tuesday night. Entrance was made through a window and exit was made by a door.

A Day of Pleasure.

Last Friday the pleasant home and spacious grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tiffany presented a pretty picture, the occasion being a visit of a merry company from Adrian, old friends of the host and hostess in the role of picnicers. Every moment of the time was fully occupied. Dinner was served in the house and tea on the lawn. That every one had a delightful time was strongly emphasized when they unanimously voted to meet at the same time and place next year.

Those participating were Joe R. and Miss Bennett, Dr. and Mrs. Morden, Gen. and Mrs. Wm. Humphrey, Messrs. and Mesdames R. H. Baker, H. Chittenden, H. A. Angell, Channing Whitney, Wm. Weaver and son, S. E. Graves, J. H. Fee, Howard Taylor and E. J. Shepard and Mesdames Judge Howell, Dr. Jewett, F. R. Stebbins, A. L. Bliss, M. L. Colvin, A. W. Carey, E. E. Marble, Geo. Curtiss, Frank Dodge, C. E. Weaver, Major Howell, T. S. Applegate, W. Pynchon and Mrs. Townsend, of Chicago.

Star Course.

Tecumseh Star Course attractions for this season are equal if not superior to any former season. The committee have secured the best available attractions, consisting of concerts (vocal and instrumental), entertainers and lecturers. Tickets will be for sale by the committee and reserved seats for the season by J. H. Smith at Tecumseh State Saving Bank on and after Monday, Sept. 20th. Price of season tickets, $1.50; reserved seats for season, 30c and 50c. The following attractions have been secured:

Clara Schumam Ladies' Orchestra, comprising seventeen artists. The instrumental work of this company has been pronounced equal to that of Sousa, Gilmore and Thomas.

Hofman Grand Concert Co., consisting of four peerless artists, soprano, violinist, pianist and cello soloist.

Imperial Welch Quartette, appearing in native costume, assisted by Miss Ada Greenwood, humorous and dramatic reader.

Hoyt L. Conary, the king of impersonators, in his unique sketch, "Around the Stove."

Samuel Phelps Leland, eloquent and instructive lecturer. Subject: "World Making."

Dr. A. A. Willitts, the apostle of sunshine and prince of pulpit orators. Subject: "Sunshine or the Secret of a Happy Life."

Cheap Rate to Chicago via Wabash Railroad.

On Saturday, Sept. 18th, the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets at Adrian to Chicago, good going on any train, and return on Monday, Sept. 20th, at a fare of $2.50. DON'T MISS THIS. It really gives you two whole days in Chicago and no excursion train.

Low Rates to Florida September 15th and October 15th, 1897.

On the above named dates, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets from Louisville to Lake Helen, Fla., at one fare ($25.40) for the round trip. Tickets good returning sixty (60) days from date of sale.

The Southern Railway is the shortest route, has the best through car service and offers choice of routes, either via Chattanooga and Lookout Mountain or via Asheville, N. C., through "The Land of the Sky."

For information or copies of the Southern Field, address

WM. H. TAYLOE, A. G. P. A. Louisville, Ky.

J. C. BEAM, JR., N. W. P. A. 80 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Well Pleased.

There is now working on the farm of Mr. Ed. Smith on the school section a McCormick corn binder and it's wonderful work it does. Mr. Kotts has the following to say about it:

Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 15, '97.

Mr. W. F. Cowham, Jackson, Mich.

DEAR SIR:

I want to say to you I am more than pleased with the McCormick corn binder with bundle carrier bought of your agent, C. A. Slayton, and started today. It does the work complete and the bundle carrier will save labor of one man. I had just witnessed a new Deering working and if this had not done better work than it I would not have bought it. Yours truly, A. KOTTS.

It would be well worth your time to see this work.

—Monuments, marble headstones cleaned, reset or new work put in by George Price, Adrian, Mich. Drop postal and he will call.

Bliss Carmen, the poet, says he never reads the newspapers. This must be the Mr. Bliss who regards it as folly to be wise.

Virginia Sweet Potatoes are fine and cheap at 25c per peck.

Jersey Sweets are still better we have both.

New Cranberries 10 cents a quart.

ANDERSON BROS., Grocers.

We Have Them!

... NEW FALL HATS ...

DERBYS, CUBANS, TOURISTS, Pashas.

Every Thing New, and all at prices to please.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR,

We guarantee our vinegar to be

Made from Pure Apple Juice,

and to meet the requirements of the

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Avery & Co., GROCERS.

The Tubular Heater,

The latest production in an

Air Tight Heater,

It solves the problem of Ecomic Agreeable Hom Heating. It is the most economical heater in existence. It is sold under a full guarantee and your money will be cheerfully refunded if it does not give full satisfaction at

SATTERTHWAITE BROS.

Farm and Garden.

THE CAMPHOR TREE.

It Can Be Planted Successfully in Some Southern States.

Camphor trees may be grown either from seed or from cuttings. They are usually grown from seed, as the trees fruit abundantly, and seedlings can be grown more easily than cuttings. The seeds are collected at maturity in October and November, and after drying are packed in sharp white sand or some similar material to keep them fresh until the time of planting in spring. About the last of March they are sown in drills in the seed bed.

The soil of the seed bed should be a good sandy loam mixed with about one-third leaf mold. The seed bed should be kept moist, but not too wet, and should be shaded from the direct rays of the sun if the weather is warm. The best soil temperature for germinating camphor seeds is from 70 to 75 degrees Fahrenheit. The temperature of the atmosphere may be ten degrees higher. The seedlings will

CAMPHOR TREE.

A, young leafy shoot, half one-third; B, flower cluster, life size; C, fruit, life size.

grow well at higher temperature, but are likely to lack vigor and hardiness.

The seedlings may be grown in pots, which will facilitate transplanting at any time, or they may be transplanted in nursery rows early in April when one year old. Plants two years old are generally regarded as best for final planting. At this age they vary from 20 to 40 inches in height.

When set out for ornamental purposes, the camphor tree may be expected [illegible] about as rapidly as a Le Conte pear, and to require about as much room. In Japan, where the law requires that a new tree shall be set out for every one cut, they are not generally set in straight orchard rows, but cultivation there is performed almost exclusively by hand labor. There are no records showing results of regular orchard planting, hence the distances at which trees should be planted must be determined by the size and form of the trees and the method of cultivation and of procuring the gum. They may be set closely in rows about ten feet apart, and alternate rows cut and reset every five years, thus producing bush-like plants of ten years' growth. They may be planted in checks ten feet square, and alternate trees cut every ten or twelve years, or they may be planted in larger checks, and all of the trees be cut at the age of 15 or 20 years.

There are not sufficient data obtainable upon which to base definite statements as to the best methods of planting or the age at which the trees may be cut with greatest profit for the production of gum. A recent English consular report from Japan states that "although hitherto the youngest wood from which camphor was extracted was about 70 to 80 years old, it is expected that under the present scientific management the trees will give equally good results after 25 or 30 years." Camphor of good quality has been produced in Florida from the leaves and twigs of trees less than 20 years old, one pound of crude gum being obtained from 77 pounds of leaves and twigs.

The trees will endure severe pruning with little apparent injury. One-third of the leaves and young shoots may be removed at one time without materially checking the growth of the tree. The largest proportion of camphor is contained in the older, larger roots; the trunk, limbs, twigs and leaves containing successively a decreasing proportion. When the camphor tree is killed nearly to the ground by frost it sends up vigorous shoots from the base. It may be expected to do the same when cut, especially if cut late in the fall. Experiments are needed to determine whether this growth may be depended upon, or whether it will be more profitable to dig out the large roots and set out new seedlings.—Lyster H. Dewey, Assistant in Division of Botany, Department of Agriculture.

FACTS FOR FARMER.

Grain should be dry when it is stored.

Rape is said to make good hog pasture.

Bean or pea straw can be profitably baled.

Deep culture of potatoes after they are in bloom is bad business.

Good clean seed wheat is as important as clean seed of any kind.

The corn fodder shredder is a good thing and so is the shredded corn fodder.

A young man announces in a contemporary that he wants a good strong Christian wife to take care of the chickens and garden. There is a chance of a lifetime for some girl who has strength in her arms and grace in her heart.—Western Plowman.

LASTING PROSPERITY.

What Farmers Must Do to Enjoy Its Coveted Blessings.

The press of the country is full of talk about the prosperity of the farmer this year, and many figures are given to show what an increased harvest of dollars our farmers will reap. While there is much exaggeration in many of these statements, there is much truth also. Farming is a better business than it has been. Good crops and fair prices for them at the elevator or through the feed lot have put our farmers in better position than since 1891. Still there is room for improvement—not merely in the markets, but in the conditions that surround farming and farmers, and which directly affect their profits. There is room for improvement in production of many farms, looking to a less costly and better product. There is great need of improvement in live stock, both in numbers and quality. Such things as these come within the jurisdiction of every farmer. But other equally important essentials to greater prosperity lie beyond the farm and beyond the farmer as an individual. The greatest prosperity cannot prevail when many of the things the people must have are controlled by commercial monopolies or trusts. Some classes may receive incidental benefits from these organizations, but farmers do not. They must sell in the open market usually, and can ill afford to buy in a market that is not open. Allowing the other fellow to fix the price of so many things is not productive of the greatest prosperity. The same thing is, to a large extent, true of taxation. Too often farmers have allowed other classes to impose the burdens which call for high taxes on farms, while the other fellow reaped most of the benefits therefrom. There must be more caution about this, if farmers are to realize the greatest prosperity. And there are other matters that enter into this problem. Better education of producers, resulting in a better product and a broader market; opening of new foreign markets; uniformity of production by the individual, and, consequently, the mass of farmers—all these things are essential to true and lasting prosperity. They will not all be attempted, but in whatever degree they are approached so far is farming improved.—National Stockman.

EARLY FALL PLOWING.

Its Advantages Considered from a Scientific Viewpoint.

The advantages of fall plowing over the same operation in the spring are dwelt upon by Prof. H. Snyder, of the College of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota.

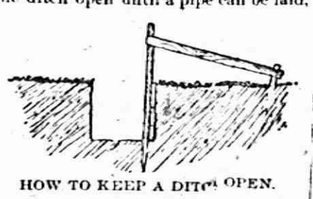
Fall plowing keeps the humus and nitrogen of the soil in better condition than late spring plowing. Nitrification goes on in the soil until quite late in the fall, and in the south the process goes on the entire year. The change is most rapid near the surface, where there is plenty of oxygen from the air. In early fall plowing the available nitrogen formed from the humus is near the surface, where it does the sprouting seeds and the young crops the most good. With late spring plowing, this available nitrogen is plowed under, and inert organic nitrogen is brought to the surface.

In old soils the process of nitrification does not go on rapidly enough to furnish available nitrogen to the crop. In a new soil the process of nitrification is liable to go on too rapidly. Deep plowing and thorough cultivation aid in nitrification. Hence, the longer the soil is cultivated, the deeper and more thorough must be its preparation. Plowing must be done at the right time, preferably in the fall so as not to interfere with the next year's water supply. The application of lime and wood ashes aids in the reduction of nitrogen of humus to available forms, and prevents the formation of sour mold. Good drainage is also necessary to nitrification in the soil. In water-logged soils the humus does not decompose normally, but peat is produced on account of the absence of oxygen. We thus see that nitrification, although sometimes a serious source of loss, may be largely controlled by careful management of the soil.

HANDY CONTRIVANCE.

How to Make Ditching in Insecure Soil Perfectly Safe.

It is occasionally necessary to cut a trench through soil that will not "stand up" in the wall of the ditch. Sandy soil is of this nature. To keep the ditch open until a pipe can be laid,



HOW TO KEEP A DITCH OPEN.

the plan shown in the accompanying diagram can be used to advantage. A stake is driven at one side of the proposed trench, and anchored from its upper end as is shown in the sketch. In the trench is deepened a board is tipped down behind the stake, another stake secured in the same way, holding the other end the board. As the trench is deepened the board is pressed down and another added above it, the stakes also being driven down and so on till the required depth is reached. The same plan will probably have to be used on bottles.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Hint Worth Remembering.

An excellent method estimating the number of bushels shelled corn and grain in the wagon box, bin or other receptacle is given, one who claims that it is as near correct as may be desired, which is the same space will hold one and one-fifths as much grain as it will ear corn, for instance, will hold 400 bushels of ear corn, [illegible]

"STRANGE FISH."

BY J. FREDERIC THORNE.

"Hello, Frank, you're just the fellow I want to see! Will you come for a sail?"

"Yes; certainly."

"All right. I will go down and get the Seagull ready."

Frank Haughton and his chum Walter Laurence were skillful sailors, and had spent many an hour in Walter's little sloop Seagull, sailing around the bay, even, at times, going as far as "the Hook." It was a bright, beautiful morning, in the summer of 1775, that these two boys of Elizabethport, N. J., started upon their sail.

Walter hoisted the jib and fastened the halyard just as Frank pulled the anchor inboard; then, as the head of the boat swung around into the wind, both boys grasped the mainsail halyards and soon had the sail spread to the wind.

The sails bellied out, and, with Walter at the helm and Frank tending the sheets, the Seagull heeled over under the strong breeze and went skimming along, speedily emerging from Raritan bay and rounding the upper end of Staten Island. The boys then came about and pointed for the Narrows.

"Let's run down to the Hook."

"All right; we've got plenty of time, and this is a splendid breeze; 'twon't take us more than about two hours going at this rate."

"We may see some British ships."

"We may; but I hardly think it is likely — none have been reported. George Trevers, whose father, you know, is one of the committee of safety, told me that his father said at dinner last night that nothing had been seen or heard of any British ships for some time."

"I'd like to see one, wouldn't you?"

"Oh, yes; unless they capture us!"

"Why should they do that?"

"They might try to find out something about the continentals from us."

"Well, they wouldn't learn anything from me. I'd let 'em cut off my head first."

"They would have a hard time making me tell anything."

The boys continued discussing what they would and would not do in the event of their being taken prisoners by the British. Meanwhile the Seagull, which the boys declared was the fastest boat in New York harbor, was making good use of her wings, and showing that she deserved their boast. They had passed through the Narrows, and were rapidly nearing Sandy Hook.

"I hear that George has got a new—Look there! A British ship!"

"Where?"

"Over there."

"Sure enough!"

"I wonder if she's a man-of-war?"

"I don't think so; she doesn't look like one to me."

"She's taking in sail."

"There goes her anchor."

"Let's run down close enough to see what she is."

"All right."

A turn of the tiller, and the nose of the Seagull was pointed in toward the Jersey shore, where a large, square-rigged ship, flying the easily recognizable "Union Jack" of England, was anchoring.

The boys ran up quite close, and soon saw that she was not a man-of-war. As they came near they were hailed by a sailor:

"Boat ahoy!"

"Ahoy!"

"Come up alongside."

"What do you think, Frank—shall we?"

"Yes, we might as well. I don't think they will touch us."

The boys accordingly sailed up near the ship, and dropped their mainsail.

This time an officer leaned over the side and asked:

"Where are you from?"

"Elizabethport, sir."

"Where is that?"

"In New Jersey."

"Near New York?"

"Yes, sir."

"Are those rebels whipped yet?"

"Not yet, sir."

"Gov. Sir Henry Clinton is in New York, is he not?"

"Yes, sir."

"Will you deliver a letter to him for me?"

There was a moment's hesitation upon the part of Walter, who was acting as spokesman, and then he answered:

"Yes, sir; I'll take it."

"Thank you, my boys. He will be very glad to get it, as he's fond of a good dinner. Here it is—catch it!"

The officer threw down a sealed letter, which Walter deftly caught.

"Now, don't lose it."

"We'll be very careful, sir."

The boys hoisted their sail again and put about, returning the officer's wave of the hand.

Neither spoke until they were quite some distance from the ship. Then Walter, taking the letter from his pocket, where he had placed it, turned it over and reread the superscription:

"To Gen. Sir Henry Clinton,
"Governor, etc., of New York
"In the American Colonies."

"Frank, I'll wager you anything that that is a provision ship for the British troops!"

"What makes you think so?"

"Didn't you hear that officer say that Gov. Clinton would be glad to get this, as he liked a good dinner?"

"Yes."

"Well, he wouldn't be likely to accept an invitation to dine on an ordinary ship, way down at the Hook, at that, would he?"

"No; I shouldn't think so."

"Of course not; and I tell you it is a provision ship."

"I shouldn't wonder but that you are right."

"Well, Gov. Clinton will have to wait some time before he eats anything from that ship! I'm going to give this letter to the committee of safety!"

"That's right! We're not tories, to be doing anything to help our country's enemies!"

"No, indeed, we're not!"

"Maybe the committee will send some men to capture the ship."

"My! but that would be great! They could do it. I didn't see any cannon, did you?"

"No."

"We want to get back home just as fast as we can and tell the committee!"

"Well, the Seagull can get there quicker than anything else I know of."

"Right you are! Pull in that mainsail-sheet; we can go several points closer to the wind."

Frank did as directed, and the little boat buried her scuppers in the water, and fairly flew along.

The boys were almost too excited to talk, and as soon as they dropped anchor again at their mooring place they hurried ashore and started on a run for the town to inform the committee of safety of their discovery and the letter.

Almost the first man they met was Mr. Trevers.

"Oh, Mr. Trevers! there's a British provision ship down at the Hook!"

"What's that?"

"A British ship down by the Hook, and we think she's loaded with provisions for the British. The officer gave us a letter for Gov. Clinton, and asked us to take it to him. We took it, and here it is!"

"Slowly, slowly, boys. I can't understand you when you talk at such a pace. Did you say you had a letter that is addressed to Gov. Clinton, of New York?"

"Yes, sir—here it is!"

"How did you come to get it?"

"Frank and I took a sail down the Hook this morning, and saw the ship; and the officer gave it to us—the letter, I mean; and we think it's a provision ship, because he said Gov. Clinton would be glad to get it, as he liked a good dinner."

"It's not a war ship, anyway."

Mr. Trevers finally managed to get the boys to give a lucid account of their adventure, which they wound up with:

"And then we came for home as fast as the Seagull could go!"

"That's right, my boys. You are bright lads, and have done just right. This may be of importance to us. Go up to the hall and wait for me; I will notify the rest of the committee. I want them to hear your story."

Within the hour the committee of safety had assembled. The boys repeated their story, and then the letter which had been given them by the officer was read. It ran as follows:

"On Board of His Majesty's Transport [illegible]
"Sandy Hook, July —, 1775.

"To Gen. Sir Henry Clinton, Commander of His Majesty's Troops in America, and Governor of New York:

"Sir—I have the honor to inform you that I have arrived in the harbor with a cargo of provisions for the troops under your command, and also some choice delicacies and wine for your own table.

"I am at anchor near Sandy Hook, and respectfully await your commands.

"I am, sir, most respectfully, your obedient and humble servant,

"GEOFFREY HENDERSON,
"Commander of the Deerhound."

The boys gained proudly at each other to see their suspicions verified.

"Did she carry any cannon?"

"Not that we could see."

"Were there many men on board?"

"We only saw the sailors who were furling the sails, and the man and the officer who spoke to us. We think, sir, if you will pardon our boldness, that she could easily be captured."

"The boy is right."

"We will do it."

The boys were questioned closely upon all they had seen, and then the committee held a long consultation as to the plan to be pursued to capture the ship, thus adding to their own stores and crippling the enemy.

The British had found it necessary to send provisions across the sea to their troops in America, as, not only were supplies scarce in the colonies, but the patriots destroyed whatever they could not use themselves that was likely to fall into the enemy's hands. At this time food was at a premium with both the Americans and the British, and the provisions aboard the Deerhound would be as grateful an addition to the patriots' store, as it would be a severe loss to the British. So these patriots of Elizabethport were more than willing to take the risk in order to capture the supplies. To fight, men must eat, and, as they ate that they might fight, so they often fought that they might eat.

That afternoon four large boats put out from Elizabethport, each manned by two rowers, who, apparently, were fishermen. But a search under the benches would have shown each boat to be loaded with men—patriots, who were all heavily armed with muskets, swords and pistols. Among them, in the leading boat, crouched Frank and Walter. They had been taken along upon their earnest solicitation, representing that they were needed to show where the British ship lay. But they determined earlier in the day to do more than act as pilots.

"I'm not going to be left out of the fighting if I can help it, are you?" said Walter.

"Not much; but I'm afraid they won't let us have any arms."

"We'll get some for ourselves, and not let them know it until we get there."

"Where can we get any?"

"I saw a lot of them when we were at the hall. They won't all be used. We can get some without their seeing us, I think."

"Come on."

The two boys were favored by chance, as no one was at the hall when they reached there, nearly everyone in the town being down at the beach watching the preparations for the expedition. They secured a cutlass and pistol apiece, with ammunition. Then came the question how to conceal the weapons.

AN AFRICAN POISON STORY.

Strange Phenomenon Witnessed in the Northeast of the Dark Continent.

Charles M. Stern, of Chicago, who lately returned from a journey through Northeast Africa, told of a curious obteorological phenomenon which Fallah, served in the district called and Ex- reports the New York Mail that region press. "The vegetation is," said "and the is very luxuriant," plant life must give large quantity of carbonic acid gas. At conclusion I reached least, that was the natives die and four after seeing the or five dogs. "The moment the animals put their noses close to the ground they would fall over and gasp. and die in about five minutes. The natives who died slept on the ground instead of in hammocks, as others did. My theory is that a stratum of the deadly gas covered the ground to a depth of three or four inches, and any living thing breathing in that area was asphyxiated.

"I could not understand, however, how the gas was not distributed in a thinner layer, and what kept it in one place for a whole day. Nothing like it had ever been known there before. The deaths of the men and the dogs all occurred within 24 hours. Then the gas, if it was really gas, seemed to be dissipated. It was a very strange occurrence and I might have been induced to make a more exhaustive investigation if my presence had not excited distrust. I got away as quickly as possible rather than be accused of being the cause of the sudden deaths. The natives are superstitious and attribute most of their misfortunes to witchcraft, so I thought it the part of wisdom to get away."

SUBSTITUTE FOR COAL.

A Smokeless Fuel That Seems to Be Gaining in Popularity.

In the future we may be exporting masut instead of exporting coal, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. Masut is a by-product in the distillation of raw petroleum. It is also manufactured from a cheap brown coal found in Saxony. There has been, until recently, great trouble in finding a furnace suitable for burning it. It is now blown by steam into a special furnace, on the principle of the Lucigen light, and used without difficulty. It is 40 or 50 per cent. cheaper than coal, and is 20 per cent. better as a heat raiser. Steam can be got up quicker and kept at a higher pressure, and more work can be done by the machinery. From a naval point of view these are vitally important facts. No sign of a ship under full steam will be shown in the sky, for masut is a smokeless fuel. Russia and Italy are using it in their navies, and Germany has lately made some valuable experiments. At Kiel, Wilhelmshaven and Danzig are tanks from which it can be pumped into ships. Its specific gravity being so much less than that of coal, a ship's buoyancy is greatly increased when the bunkers are filled with it. Heavier armor or cargoes can be carried. The heating capacity being greater, the ship can travel faster or farther. It is yet to be learned what improvements the Germans have introduced into their furnaces, and what are the disadvantages of masut.

OLD TIMES IN HAWAII.

Reverence for Royalty Was Once a Marked Characteristic.

One of the most marked characteristics of the ancient Hawaiian religion was the extreme reverence for royalty indicated, says the Philadelphia Press. It was a crime punishable with death to pass through the king's shadow or sit higher than his head. His person was sacred and protected by a strict system of "taboo." In the royal palace the "taboo" stick, with which the king announced his excommunications, is exhibited. It is a wand with a carved stone cap. If this stick was lowered on the approach of a courier he was compelled to withdraw immediately and was considered in deep disgrace.

The king's will was absolute; but the majority of the Hawaiian monarchs seem to have been of a kindly disposition and to have made no improper use of their extreme power. It was due to one of them that the taboo system was abolished. This bore with grievous weight upon the women. They were forbidden the use of some of the most common articles of diet, such as bananas and certain kinds of fish, on pain of death.

Smallest Electrical Battery.

The smallest electrical battery ever constructed was the work of an electrician in the employ of the Boston Telephone company. It consisted of an ordinary "glass head" through which two wires, one of copper and the other of iron, were looped and twisted so as to prevent their coming in contact. The wires acted as the electrodes, and all that was necessary to cause a current was to place a drop of acidulated water in the head. Certainly such a minute battery furnished but an infinitesimal current, but it could be easily used in a delicate telephone; in fact, it is said to have actually served in signaling a distance of nearly 200 miles.

Inured to Cold.

When asked if he was not afraid of a temperature of ten degrees below zero the late Tolman Willey, of Boston, said: "Where I was born, sir, my father one Sunday took me into a meeting house which sat on four stone posts with no other underpinning. I sat in the church and listened to a sermon on hell for 60 minutes, with the wind howling underneath the church and blowing 40 miles a minute, with no fire in the stove and the mercury 40 degrees below zero. Do you think I was born in a sugar box and nursed on heliotropes?"

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A VICTORY CLAIMED.

President Ratchford Talks of Success of the Strike.

While It Is Ended in Pennsylvania and Ohio, There Is Still Trouble in Other States—New Scale for Illinois Miners.

Washington, Sept. 22. — M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine Workers of America, who is here to attend a special meeting of the officers of the Federation of Labor, gave the following authorized statement Tuesday:

"To-day will see about 75,000 miners resume work in the bituminous coal fields of the central states. The strike generally ends Tuesday. This is the middle of the twelfth week of its duration. It was brought to a close at our convention, held at Columbus, O., September 8 to 11, the ten days' time being given to allow miners and operators to come togethern in Illinois and West Virginia to meet the prices fixed—65 cents a ton in Pennsylvania, 56 cents in Ohio and Indiana, the same to continue till the end of December. The mining situation is not likely to become disturbed again until the beginning of next year, at which time we hope to be able to settle wage differences amicably and without the necessity of a strike. It is well understood that the fight will continue from the present time in all fields and against all operators who refuse to meet the rates. The greatest trouble will be found in West Virginia and a portion of Illinois. I am still hopeful, however, that the producers in those fields will conform to the change and put their mines in operation. Failing to do this, we will fight them as we have done until the beginning of next year, at which time it is said their present contracts will expire.

Organized Labor's Victory.

"I am well satisfied with the agreement reached, and feel that it is the greatest victory gained by trades unions for years. Of course the victory is not altogether one of the miners. While they have done the striking, trades unions and organized bodies have supplied the necessaries, without which the miners could not possibly succeed. It is a victory for organized labor, and not for any particular trade, and we want our friends who have helped us to feel that it is their victory as well as ours. I feel very grateful for the assistance given us by the American Federation of Labor and the kindly disposition shown us at all times by Mr. Gompers and members of his executive committee."

"My advices from West Virginia are to the effect that our miners are standing firm, are well pleased with the agreement reached, and evince a determination to fight their battle to the end. Our purpose is to bring the miners and operators of that state together in a joint convention, that a uniform mining price may be fixed and paid for the same vein of coal and a fair relative price for other veins within the state. In short to fix a mining rate that will give to West Virginia fair competing opportunities and nothing more.

"The fixing of a mining rate that will give fair competing opportunities is the object of the miners' organization everywhere. We have been working to bring the operators of the several states together with this end in view. Though our efforts have been futile, we will continue to advocate that policy, believing there is but one sure way to keep down strikes and disputes, which are no advantage to either side, and that that is for the miners and operators interested from the various states to meet annually, mutually fix prices for each district that are fair and just, and each party to the agreement to observe it faithfully until a subsequent agreement takes its place. During the eight years that this system was in vogue strikes and disturbances of a general character were unknown, and the causes which gave rise to them can again be removed as soon as the operators interested will see their interests in this light."

More Men Return to Work.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 22.—Peace has been restored in the anthracite region and nearly every colliery therein worked Monday. Included in these were the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre company's Audenried mines, employing 2,500 men. The strike was practically inaugurated by them and their return to work Monday caused a stampede of the other strikers.

Operators Will Sign New Scale.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 22. — At the miners' convention the scale reported by the scale committee based on the Columbus price was adopted. The scale modifies prices in the principal fields in Illinois as follows:

Springfield, 37 7-10 cents; Streator and Clark City, 48; Wilmington, including Brushing, 69; Spring Hill, including Brushing, same; La Salle, 64½; Lincoln, 42½; Bloomington; third vein, 65; second vein, 55; Pontiac, 64½; Peoria and Canton sub-district, 45; Danville and Grape Creek, 37; Belleville, same; Duquoin, 33; Coal Valley, 51; Gilchrist, same; Assumption, 52½; all mines on C & A. south of Springfield, 32½; Sorento, 37; Litchfield, No. 2, 32½; No. 1 to be paid in proportion to No. 2. Day work—track layers, $2.25; timber men, $2.25; drivers, $2.00; cagers, $2.00; trappers, 95 cents; inside laborers on top not less than $1.55; dumpers, $2.00; car trimmers, $2.00; laborers, $2.00.

Americans Will Resist.

Antwerp, Sept. 22.—The Americans residing here and who are liable under the new law to be enrolled for military service in case of war held a meeting Monday, organized and determined to oppose this action upon the part of the Belgian government. Resolutions to this effect were adopted at the meeting and forwarded to Bellamy Storer, the United States minister at Brussels.

Three Girls Burned to Death.

Sturgeon Falls, Ont., Sept. 22.—Three daughters of Leander Gatiou, of this place, were burned to death in the family residence Monday night. The parents and five other of the Gatiou children had barely time to escape from the burning building. The children who perished were respectively eight, ten and 13 years of age.

Twelve Buildings Burned.

Nicholasville, Ky., Sept. 20.—With the exception of the store of Joplin & Co., the entire business portion of the flourishing town of Wilmore, six miles south of this place, on the Cincinnati Southern railroad, was destroyed by fire at one o'clock Sunday morning.

FOR ANNEXATION.

Hawaiian Senate Ratifies the Treaty Unanimously.

Honolulu, Sept. 14 (via San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 22.)—The steamer Pekin carries the news to the United States that the annexation treaty has been unanimously ratified by the proper legislative body. That it was done unanimously, it is thought, will have a big effect in the United States, and remove all hesitancy that may exist on the part of the government at Washington. The extraordinary session of the senate began September 9, and the next day, when the preliminary work of organization had been done, there was nothing but the work of ratification to be accomplished, and this was rushed through, not by agreement, but because there was no desire on the part of anyone to discuss the matter. There was but one opinion on the subject, and the result was that the vote on ratification was unanimous.

THE DEFENSE READY.

The Prosecution in the Luetgert Murder Trial Comes to an End.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—It required just 20 days for the presentation of the evidence of the prosecution in the Luetgert murder trial. Ex-Judge Vincent said yesterday the defense would present its side of the case in just half that time. "My address to the jury in opening will be short and directly to the point," he said. "We deny the murder—the corpus delicti has not been proved, as the law requires, and this fact cannot be assumed nor inferred from such testimony as has been presented here. We will explain away all evidence brought out by the police department after months of investigation and manipulation. I do not care to give out in full our defense until we get started, but I promise some startling developments before we are through."

THE YELLOW FEVER.

Progress of the Scourge Thus Far in Southern States.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Surgeon General Wyman has sent a telegraphic summary of the yellow fever situation to the secretaries of the boards of health at Raleigh, S. C.; Florence, S. C.; Bowling Green, Ky.; Montgomery, Ala.; Jackson, Miss.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Little Rock, Ark.; St. Louis, Mo.; Nashville, Tenn.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Springfield, Ill.; Columbus, O.; New Orleans, La.; Austin, Tex., and Atlanta, Ga. It shows a total of cases up to September 20 as follows: At New Orleans, 67; Mobile, 19; Cairo, 4; Burkley, Miss., 10; Biloxi, Miss., 22; Edwards, Miss., 18; Ocean Springs, Miss., 11; at other points, 19; total 160.

Michael's Great Bicycling Feat.

Boston, Sept. 20.—Jimmy Michael on Saturday won the greatest cycling event ever run on any New England track. It was the international 25-mile race on Charles River park, and was run in the fastest cycling time the world ever saw. Michael's competitors were Lucien Lesna, of France, and Eddie McDuffee, of Cambridge. It was a superb day and 14,000 people witnessed the race. Michael finished in 45:58 4-5. Every American and world's record from three to twenty-five miles inclusive is now credited to Michael.

Big Wheat Shipments.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 22.—As an illustration of the remarkable wheat shipments from Kansas, a dispatch from Russell county says the shipments from that county last week were 125 cars. The total number of bushels shipped from this one county up to the 19th inst. reaches the enormous sum of 700,000. This has brought to Russell county nearly $500,000 in cash, or about $60 for every man, woman and child in the county.

Damage by Frost.

Cincinnati, Sept. 22.—Reports from all parts of the Ohio valley indicate that the frost did much damage Monday night, especially to tobacco and to the late corn. The frost was general in southern Ohio and Indiana and northern Kentucky. The quarantine against yellow fever was raised here Tuesday on account of the frost.

Many Drowned.

London, Sept. 22.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Vienna says that the steamer Ika, with a crew of ten and carrying 50 Australian passengers, was entering the port at Fiume on the river Fiumara Tuesday evening, when she collided with the English steamer Tiria and sunk in two minutes. Most of the passengers perished.

Hotel Burned.

Appleton, Wis., Sept. 20.—The Waverly house, the oldest hotel in this city, and one of the best known in the state, was totally destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. It was a four-story brick structure. Loss about $25,000. insurance, $15,000. The hotel had been closed several months.

Died While Waltzing.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Mrs. Valiska Smith, 78 Wade street, danced herself to death Saturday night at 263 North Green street. She attended a ball given at the latter place and entered gayly into the pleasures of the evening. In the midst of a waltz she suddenly fell to the floor dead.

Victim of Hydrophobia.

Anna, Ill., Sept. 21.—Agnes Meier, the ten-year-old daughter of Joseph Meier, a farmer living south of Jonesboro, died of hydrophobia.

MEANT TO KILL.

President Diaz, of Mexico, Attacked by an Anarchist.

The Blow Fell Short and the Would-Be Murderer Was Arrested—A Mob Takes Him from Officers and Lynches Him.

City of Mexico, Sept. 17.—President Diaz was assaulted with deadly intent during the ceremonies attending the celebration of the declaration of independence. Ignacio Anulfoa, a violent anarchist, broke through the line of soldiers that marked the line of the procession to the Alameda and attempted to brain the president with a heavy cane as he was walking to the national palace. The blow, which he aimed at the president's head, fell short and the would-be murderer was immediately seized and handed over to the police.

Intense Excitement.

Intense excitement prevailed when it became known that an attempt had been made upon the life of President Diaz. In a thousand ways the deep hold he has upon the affections of the Mex-

PRESIDENT DIAZ, OF MEXICO.

ican people was manifested when the fact became known that he had escaped without injury. The city is ringing with cheers for the president, and prayers of thanksgiving are being offered in many of the churches.

President Shows Coolness.

President Diaz was the coolest man of all who witnessed the assault. He turned around as his assailant was seized, and looked at him somewhat curiously, and then resumed his march, bowing right and left to the people. The effect upon the crowd that saw the affair was instantaneous and awakened the greatest excitement.

Speculation as to Motive.

It is variously reported that Anulfoa will be tried by court-martial, and also that he will be handed over to the civil authorities. There is no doubt that if Anulfoa had fallen into the hands of the people he would have been torn to pieces, so intense was the rage. Some think the assailant merely made the assault for the sake of gaining notoriety, having read the accounts of the assassination of Canovas.

Lynched by a Mob.

Mexico City, Mex., Sept. 18.—A most sensational ending to the attempt on the life of President Diaz occurred Friday morning. Arnulfo Arroyo was lynched by a band of the common people who were determined to revenge this dastardly attempt on the life of the president. It was an act unprecedented in the history of this country. The sensational attempt on the life of the president of the republic had a more sensational ending than the quiet people of Mexico ever dreamed could be. At one o'clock in the morning a number of men belonging to the common people forced their way into the municipal palace, ascended the stairway, overcame the guards, made their way to the office of the inspector general of police and killed Arnulfo Arroyo, whom they found there. The killing was a wild and savage scene and wild and noisy was the retreat.

Lynchers Will Be Punished.

City of Mexico, Sept. 20.—Orders have been given to investigate the lynching of Arroyo. President Diaz has decided that the inquiry shall be most rigorous and that the guilty parties be severely punished, as he feels that the act was a reproach to the nation, which has taken pride in the fact that lynch law has been unknown there. Twenty-odd men arrested are still in custody and formal papers are being drawn up in their cases.

Damaged by Frost.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 21.—The cold weather Sunday night caught about 20 per cent. of the corn in Iowa, says John R Sage, director of the weather bureau. The other four-fifths was practically out of the way. Heavy frosts were reported from Davenport, Des Moines, Centerville, Clinton, Ogden and Osceola. Killing frosts were reported from Fairchild, Forest City, Hampton, Marshalltown, Waterloo and Charles City.

Cash for the Wheat Growers.

New York, Sept. 21.—Money continues to be ordered from the banks and the subtreasury to pay the wheat growers of the south and west. The subtreasury received orders Monday to ship $275,000 in currency to the south and the northwest. The money will be sent from Washington. The banks sent about ($[illegible],000.

Guerrillas Slain.

Havana, Sept. 20.—The 125 Spanish guerrillas who murdered the family of Lieut. Doras near Palacios were captured by insurgents and all were killed.

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CLINTON

Miss Grace Corwin was a Tecumseh visitor Tuesday.

Alonzo Clark returned from Chicago last Friday night.

Miss Winnie Waterhouse returned to Ypsilanti Saturday.

F. Mc Freeman, of Manchester, was in town last Friday.

Jas Hamilton was over from Detroit the fore part of the week.

Peter Alexander went to Detroit Monday for a few day's visit.

Mrs. Louise Clark has been sick with neuralgia for the past few days.

Mrs. Henry Davis and daughter Florence were in Tecumseh Wednesday.

Mrs. E. R. Smith has been visiting friends at Detroit since last Friday.

Will Clack and A. J. Kishpaugh went to Dundee Sunday on their wheels.

Louis Sturm wife and daughter, of Saline, spent Sunday at Chas. Sturm's.

Miss Minnie Humphrey came home from Toledo last Saturday for a week.s visit.

The Harvest festival last Thursday evening netted the Episcopal ladies $24 90.

Edgar Larzelere, of Detroit, has been visiting Clinton relatives for the past few days.

Mrs. Eliza Voorhees, of Detroit, has been the guest of Mrs. Will Wood since last Friday.

Mrs. Ann Belding, of Ann Arbor, has been a guest at George Belding's for the past few days.

[illegible] ing her goods this week from Tecumseh to the Clinton rectory.

Mrs. Jas L. Hudson and son, of Detroit have been visiting at Dr. Hunter's for the past few days.

Mrs. Robert Eldy arrived from Yountsville, Ind., last Thursday. She expects her husband to join her soon.

Mrs. H. R. Royall, of Lampa, Fla., and Miss Noble, of Ann Arbor, were calling on Clinton friends last Thursday.

E. G. Handford left last Thursday night for Chicago, expecting to spend a couple of days there before returning to New York.

Mrs. Helen Rhodes arrived here last week Thursday from Providence, R. I., and will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Davis.

Mrs. W. W. Hess returned Saturday from a three weeks' visit with her husband who is at Nashville, Tenn., in the interest of the Page Wire Fence Co.

Monday morning Mrs. A. C. Huntington was completely prostrated by a stroke of paralysis and has since been very low, but at last report (Wednesday night) there were signs of a little improvement in her condition and the doctor gave the family a little hope for her recovery. Her daughter, Miss Sadie, is also very seriously ill with congestion of the lungs.

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J. E. Gibbs will be our next postmaster.

A new girl at Chas. Reed's, north of here.

The Aldrich boys are threshing their beans.

Chas. Muck will soon move back to Brooklyn.

Mrs. Flora Slee is visiting at Huntington, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cooper will soon move to town.

The township board has set the peddlers' license at $10.

Frank Hallett and wife now occupy their new house in town.

Frank Perry was married recently to Miss Bailey, of Sand Creek.

The Onsted News editor visited Chicago recently and the "devil" had full sweep.

Several members of the Taylor family attended a family reunion Saturday at Clark's lake.

The O. E. S. extend their thanks to J. S. Kane for the three dozen spoons he presented them.

The sad intelligence has been received of the death by yellow fever of the wife and son of R. L. Glenn, formerly a merchant here but now in Mississippi.

The following are the officers of the O. E. S. for the next year: W. M., Charlotte Maxwell; W. P., J. Marsh; A. M., Cora Kane; sec., Sarah Taylor; treas., Mary Hines; cond., Carrie Hines; A. C., Hattie Seger; Adah, Estella Desermia; Ruth, Kate Brooks; Esther, Mary Short; Martha, May Hubbard; Electa, Addie Parkins; warder, Florence Shugars; sentinel, J. S. Kane; chaplain, Rose Corwin; marshal, Luella Billmeyer; organist, Nettie Desermia.

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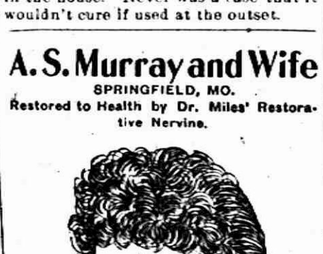

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MAKING CELLULOID.

The Chemical Constitution Is a Matter of Doubt.

Though the chemical constitution of celluloid is a matter of doubt, the art of manufacturing this peculiar modern product is explained in a few words—an article made by the combined action of pressure and heat, or with the aid of solvents, in that case in the cold, says the Trade Journals' Review. The camphor is dissolved in alcohol, as little as possible, and the solution sprayed through a rose on to the pyroxyline, the latter perfectly dry, a second layer of pyroxyline being then added, moistened again with camphor solution, and so on; the gelatinous lump is worked between iron rollers, to which it adheres, and the layer is slit longitudinally and rolled again.

The cakes, 0.4-inch thick, are cut into plates, about two feet by one foot, and pass for 24 hours into hydraulic presses, which are doubly steam jacketed. The mass is now sawed into plates, which are dried at about 95 degrees Fahrenheit for a week or two, and finally cut into smaller pieces, from which the articles are stamped. Further, according to a writer in the Gummi Zeitung, the method pursued is believed to consist in pouring 100 parts of ether on 50 of collodion wool and 25 of camphor, the covered mass being then stirred in earthenware vessels with rubber sticks until a homogeneous gelatinous mass is obtained, and then rolled. Apart from dyestuff and other additions, the average celluloid consists of two-thirds pyroxyline and one-third camphor.

BALLROOM VERACITY.

Unfortunately for His Vanity He Overheard a Bit of Conversation.

He was not the most graceful dancer in the world, and the first waltz around the room he stepped on her toes, caught her gown, and his general awkwardness was so marked that people began to look at them, says the Detroit Free Press. He blushed, bit his lip and stammered out:

"I—I'm so sorry, Miss Gracely, that I've spoiled your dance. Really, it's been so long since I danced that I've forgotten how. Please pardon—"

"Why, Mr. Scraper, I'm sure you're a graceful dancer. I've really nothing to pardon. I've enjoyed the waltz so much. If that awkward Mr. Paddle would keep out of folks' way dancing would be easy enough. He and Miss Waddle take up the whole floor. Mr. Scraper, you are one of the best dancers on the floor to-night."

At which Mr. Scraper felt much relieved and began to think he was overcautious in watching himself. But five minutes later he wanted to go home, when, in passing Miss Gracely, in a corner, with Mr. Paddle and Miss Waddle, he heard her saying:

"What a clown that Mr. Scraper is! Did you see him trying to dance with me? Such motions! Oh, dear! It did mortify me so. And my poor feet! They're black and blue. Just watch him now. People that can't dance ought at least to confine the practice to their own homes."

"THEM THINGS IS OURN."

Police Court Lawyers Brought to Task for Their Bad Grammar.

A very noted politician-lawyer was arguing a case once before Justice Prindiville. It was a replevin suit and the lawyer was making what he thought was an impassioned plea, says the Chicago Chronicle. He contended that the property in question belonged to his client. He waved his arms and sawed the air. As the peroration to his speech he shook his fist at the justice and bellowed in stentorian tones: "Them things is ourn."

Instantly the opposing counsel sprang to his feet, his voice trembling with indignation. "I object, your honor," he cried, "to the gentleman's language. I am surprised to hear such a statement in a court of justice. I ask that the gentleman be compelled to correct the statement which he has just made—a highly improper statement, as your honor well knows."

Justice Prindiville leaned forward, and the political attorney, greatly bewildered, said: "What's your objection?" The justice repeated the question, being himself a trifle mystified as to what the lawyer found objectionable in the language.

The objecting cousel drew himself up proudly and said: "He should have said: 'Those things are ours,' not 'Them things is ourn,' your honor." The counsel who had slaughtered Uncle Sam's English scowled, the justice smiled and the trial proceeded.

Magnetized by Lightning.

Among the curious effects ascribed to lightning is the magnetization of parts of rock struck by it, says the Detroit Tribune. The existence of such magnetized rocks has long been known, but the supposition that their condition was due in many cases to lightning has only recently been confirmed by a curious observation of Dr. Folgheraiter among the walls of ancient buildings on the Campagna near Rome. He found strongly magnetic points and zones in the walls, precisely like those occasionally encountered in rocks. The fact that the magnetization often included more than one block of stone in the wall was regarded as proving that the magnetic property had been acquired after the building was erected, and the agency of lightning was indicated by neighboring cracks in the walls.

Bullets of Wire.

Mashonaland natives, who are now fighting the British, seem to be provided with small-bore rifles. They are pulling down the African transcontinental telegraph wires and cutting them up into bullets.

Depositors in Switzerland.

In a total population of a little over 3,000,000 Switzerland now has over 1,000,000 depositors in savings banks, with an average for each family of $275

OBSTACLES TO REFORM.

Even in a Little Matter Like This There Is Difficulty.

A short time ago an order went into operation upon the Boston street railways requiring conductors to address feminine passengers as "Madame." The always cheerful chatterer of the Boston Herald tells us that, in pursuance of the order, the conductor is trying very hard to cure himself of his habit of calling his feminine passengers "lady" and "Mrs. Lady," but he has not as yet hit upon a uniform method of addressing them, and, in his indecision, has resort to "hi," say," "missis" and "ma'am;" but he will doubtless settle upon the right thing eventually. The other day, on a Huntington avenue car, a conductor, who had evidently given much attention to the subject, won special distinction for himself by the use of the word "madame" in this regard. But there is no rose without a thorn. Among his passegers was a colored girl, who carried a large bundle, doubtless the week's wash of some patron. She asked him to stop at a certain street, and when the car arrived there he said to the gentle Afro-American; "This is your street, madame." She at once gave him an angry look, and said with marked asperity: "Who's yer callin' madame? Watcher mean by insultin' me? I'd have you know I'm a lady, I am." With which she hustled indignantly to the street. The conductor looked perplexed and as he rang the bell with a vicious jerk he sententiously observed: "She ain't no lady, anyhow, even if she ain't a madame." It is hard to please everybody.

FISH WITH NO TAIL.

Queer Discovery in a Muddy Pool in Devonshire, England.

A few weeks ago one of the most extraordinary fish ever known came to light in Devonshire, says the London Rambler. It was a chub, found in a muddy pool, and certainly it was as hideous a thing as one could well imagine. It was imprisoned in a sort of cage formed of the roots of an elm tree that projected under the water, and it had evidently wormed its way into this prison when quite small. Being unable to find its way out, it had been forced to grow in the shape of its cage instead of the natural form that all chub should take. With no room to develop, the fish's tail had disappeared altogether, save for a little deformed stump that had wedged its way between the roots of the tree. The back fin had also vanished, for there was no room for it to grow in. The whole body of the luckless chub was distorted and had grown into the gnarled and twisted form of the root cage. The scales were incrusted with mud and arranged in layers, like roof slates.

It is a puzzle to imagine how the fish fed and lived during its growing years in that watery prison, and what it did when times were hard and no food came by. It seemed contented enough and was certainly healthy and strong, in spite of its distorted shape.

THE ATTRACTIVE WOMAN.

What One Observer Thinks and Says About Her.

That superabundant brain and surpassing beauty may but seldom be combined; yet it does not follow that all women of good sense and sharp intellect are necessarily plain, says an exchange.

That bright thoughts enliven the most ordinary face until the reflection of the mind shining out in all its radiance makes one forget that the features are not pure Grecian, and leads us to believe that such a woman is in reality a great beauty.

That the vivacious creature of varying moods and quaint fancies is the one to charm. A man forgets all the type of beauty she may or may not possess, so interested does he become in the pleasing study of a mind that renders her face ever winning, irresistible and pleasing, because, like the surface of a lake, there comes a change with every varying emotion.

That the attractive woman should cultivate the mind for a grace of soul and education of spirit counts for more than limpid eyes, a rosebud mouth and a dimpled chin.

That she should ever be teachable, for there is not one iota of lovableness in the man or woman who thinks he or she knows it all.

NEVER HEARD FROM.

Ships That Have Sailed from Port Not to Return.

It is some four years now since the last mysterious disappearance of a great ship, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch. This was the Naronic, a freight steamer of unusual size, which sailed the Atlantic and was lost in 1893. Pieces of wreckage from this vessel have been picked up, however, which has not happened in all such cases. Among the mysterious disappearances of the past were the steamships President, City of Glasgow, Pacific, Ocean Monarch and City of Boston, the ironclad Captain, and the Liberia and Barton.

Twenty-seven years have passed away since the City of Boston was placed on the missing list, but some are now living who had friends and relatives on board of her.

The City of Boston cleared at the port of New York on Tuesday, January 25, 1870. She sailed for Liverpool by the way of Halifax, with 12 cabin and 45 steerage passengers. Since she left Halifax no vestige of her has ever been seen except a plank upon which was scratched a message saying that the ship was sinking. Her exact fate will never be known.

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The older a man gets the more regularly he eats his meals.

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get ready by [illegible] there is no [illegible] what may happen. Child-birth is [illegible] of uncertainty.

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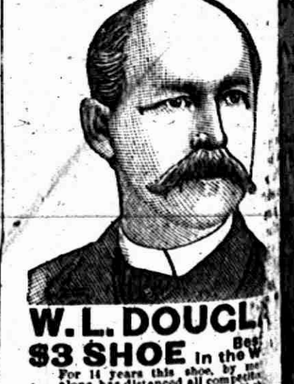

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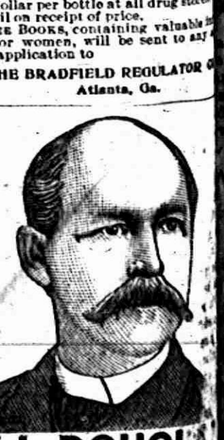

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

...R. Lenardson and family spent
...ay with Milan friends.
...veral from here took advantage of
...heap excursion to Toledo Sunday.
...s Jennie Allen is spending the
... with her brother Will and family.
...rn Allen and wife, of Toledo, were
...ts of W. E. Allen and family Sat-
...y.
...ll Rinn and family were guests of
...lanti friends from Friday until
...day.
...llie Lamkin came down from
...klin and spent Sunday with W. J.
...n's family.
... Lamb a lumber dealer, of Sag-
..., was transacting business here
...ast of the week.
...s. M. Hiscock, of Ridgeway, vis-
...her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Allen,
...atter part of the week.
...e Misses Mary and Ella Craig and
... Georgie Lee visited Detroit
...ds from Saturday until Monday.
...pton Bros. started up their cane
...Monday morning, and are now in
...ast. They are doing a rushing
...ess.
...n Britton and wife returned from
...visit with Morris, at North Star,
...day night. They had a delight-
...me.
... and Mrs. Wm. Ivison entertained
... Sunday-school classes at their
... Saturday and it was a most enjoy-
...eason.
...e Wabash will run an excursion
...troit next Sunday the 26th. Tick-
...r round trip 75c. Good to return,
... trains Monday.
...s Nickerson contemplates form-
... class in stenography and type-
...g, if a sufficient number of stu-
... will apply for instruction.
...xt Sunday morning at the Reform-
...urch, the pastor will discourse
... "Putting on the Lord Jesus."
...e evening about "Pleasing God."
...v. N. F. Nickerson and Wm. E.
...on attended Classes at Macon,
...day and Wednesday, as repres-
...tives from the Reformed church.
...ss Bertha Lamkin, who has been
...of the attendants at the Kalama-
... Asylum, is spending the week
...her sister, Mrs. Willis J. Helm.
...e school board met at the school
...e last Monday evening. The fol-
...g officers were chosen: Director,
... Exelby; moderator, Wm. Rinn;
...sor, W. J. Clark.
...d Rupp has secured a position
... the D. & L. N. R. R. as car re-
...r and already begun work. He
...be stationed at Tecumseh. Fred
... killful mechanic.
... Alf Kelley was brought from
...her sister, Mrs. James Haight,
...er, she will remain for a few days.
...e is recovering rapidly.
...Doctor A. C. Wood is again keeping
...helor quarters. Mrs. Wood and
...ldren went to Lyons, Ohio, Wed-
...day for a visit with her people and
...t to be gone two or three weeks.
... C. I. Deyo will preach on the
...ing subjects at the Christian
...h next Sunday: Morning—"God's
...Harvest Day"; evening, "The best
...d of Getting Aid of External
...."
...ut thirty Knights of the Macca-
...made the Hive an unexpected vis-
... Friday evening, taking with
... an abundance of refreshments,
...e result was one of the most en-
...e times in the history of the or-
... Britton.
... Sunday schools of Ridgeway and
...townships, will have an excurs-
... Detroit over the Detroit & Lima
...rn road next Wednesday, fare
... It will be a large excursion
...ge number of schools are inter-
... Those having charge of the af-
...ir making every effort to have
... convenient and no minor details
...e overlooked. Any person is at
...ty to go even though not connect-
...with any Sunday school.
... M. Lewis owns a shanty near the
...kins. A family or families con-
...plated moving into it Monday.
...day evening it was discovered to be
...fire and the flames were not quench-
...d, a mystery surrounds the
...ir as everything it contained had
...en removed to a safe distance. One
...t was heard to say he worked hard
...save the building and thought if he
... only had a pail of kerosene oil to
...e thrown on he might have succeed-
...d.
...rt Hughes was summoned to Dundee
...nday by the serious condition of his
...her John who, while working on
...ery grounds, received a blast
...m blow snake in the face. His
...d head began swelling fearfully
...n soon became unconscious. He
... most critical state and it is
... that if he recovers his sight will
... A short time since he had a
... experience only the blow struck
... the hand instead of the eyes
...n the effects of which he had
...ly recovered when this came
...n.
...B. Yates was the victim of a
...ccident Saturday morning that
... him up for some time. He
...wing baled hay from the hay
... the car for Hughes and Wood.
...e had a load partly off a
...ause in, frightening the team
...ey ran. In turning round, he
... down off and striking on his right
...ne bone in the fore arm was
...n. Dr. Hendershot reduced the
...ure and he is doing nicely. The
... made things lively for a few
...ents, baled hay flew in every di-
...on and though the wagon was de-
...alised, the damage was easily re-
...ed.

W. H. Barry and son are now nicely settled in their new quarters, the Daykin block, and are prepared to serve on short notice either cold or warm lunches. They carry a nice line of bakery goods and receive them fresh every morning. Their trade is rapidly increasing.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a fair October 6th, 7th and 8th. The plan of the booths represents a home, thus parlor, library, bedroom, nursery, dining-room and kitchen. The following are the committes for each booth: Parlor, Madames O. B. Leonardson, Fannie Exelby, Henry Bachman; library, Madames Ed Bachman, Walter Exelby, E. Smith, C. I. Deyo and Miss Minnie Morrel; bedroom, Madames John Zeluff, Ernest Hoagland, Norman Ackley, Eugene Cheever, Wm. Rinn; nursery, Madames Samuel Kniffin, Wm. Clark, L. S. Babcock, dining-room, Madames, Vern Ousterhout, Vern Smith, Frank Zeluff, Claud Lowe, Misses Lydia Price and Georgie Cheever; kitchen, Madames James Haight, Frank Brown, George Gripton, Edgar Exelby. The booths are to be filled up with their belongings and the articles will be for sale. During the fair a Greek tea will be served at all hours in the dining-room. In connection with the above, there will be grain, fruit, and vegetables for which prizes will be given for the best in each class. Prizes will be in money, the amounts to be announced later. Every one is invited to compete for these prizes and also to contribute some article or articles for the other departments. The committee to arrange grain, Mrs. A. Dubois, Mrs. Catherine Cheever, Mrs. Wilmina Ousterhout; fruits, Madames Stella Smith, Mary Millson, Lyman Hause; vegetables, Madames Charly Dubois, George Exelby. The committes cordially invite every one to be present. Remember the date October 6th, 7th and 8th.

RIDGEWAY.

Ray Gould, of Cone, was here Sunday.

The frost Monday night cut corn badly.

Quite a number took in the Dundee fair last week.

Claud Lowe had eight pigs killed by a Wabash train Friday.

Lavern Allen and wife, of Toledo, visited his parents part of last week.

There being no meeting here Sunday, quite a number attended church at Britton.

R. S. Houseman and Glenn Smith went to Ypsilanti and return on their wheels Sunday.

May Jones, Ollie Graves, Mrs. S. P. and Floyd Smith attended the Hudson street fair last week.

Rev. H. Cansfield, who has preached here the past four years, has been removed to Dundee and Rev. Yokom sent in his place.

Kittie Clark's fall from her bicycle proved serious. Dr. Nelson, of Hudson, at whose home she is, found the small bone of the ankle cracked.

John Usher, of Cleveland, visited his aunts, Mrs. Catharine Cox and Mrs. W. H. Arner, over Sunday. He left for Pittsford Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Cox who will visit her niece, Mrs. A. Webster, a few days.

TROUBLE BREWING IN RIDGEWAY.

It has been some months since Ridgeway has been out of court and now they have another opportunity to indulge in a legal contest, not the township this time however, but the Ridgeway school board. It seems that through the negligance of the teachers or otherwise to enforce the rules adopted by the board for the control of the pupils, they have so demolished the property of a taxpayer in the village that said tax-payer previous to the last annual meeting presented to the board a bill for damages with the supposition that it would be considered at that time and disposed of, but the board in its wisdom did not see fit to even entertain the proposition of the tax-payer nor did they let it come before the annual meeting.

B. F. DePUY.

LAKE RIDGE.

Joseph Hunter and family attended the Dundee fair.

Dr. Loree, of Ridgeway, is frequently seen at Lake Ridge.

Arthur Martin has resumed his duties in the Leslie high school.

Mrs. Thos. Murphey went to Ypsilanti Saturday, to visit her son.

Miss Lulu East has returned from a visit with her sister in Toledo.

Henry Smith and family, of Tecumseh, visited John Smith Sunday.

Carroll Culbertson, of Ridgeway, was the guest of Anna Murphy Sunday.

Missionary Day was observed in the German church Sunday, two services being held.

Miss Snedicor, of Tecumseh, is teaching the fall term of school in the Harrington district.

Quite a number from the east neighborhood attended Quarterly meeting at Milan Sunday.

Mrs. Libbie Johnson, after a four weeks visit with relatives, returned to her home in Kalamazoo.

Through the kindness of Rev. W. Stevenson, of Clinton, the Sunday school was treated to a fine lecture Sunday evening, Sept. 12th.

The Lake Ridge Union Sunday school held a box social Friday evening, at the home of Ella Baley which was enjoyed by all. Receipt ammounting to $3.40.

Carter's Cough Cure

Will cure a stubborn cough when ordinary specifics fail. Everyone has a good word for it, because everyone does it. Why not try it for yourself? Price 25 cents. For sale by S. E. Parrish.

MACON.

Wm. Randall is on the sick list.

Mark Mills was home from Adrian over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Gooding, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday here.

Fred Abel, who has been away since April, returned home last week.

Mrs. Alice Jennison, of Tecumseh, visited her sisters here this week.

Jim Lam and wife, of Holloway, Sundayed with friends in the village.

Alva Spayde and family, of Tecumseh, Sundayed at Elwin Camburn's.

John Jackson and wife visited at John Kellogg's in Mooreville Friday.

Misses Emma and Edith Cotton and Grace Sage were home from the Normal over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Exelby, of Britton, were guests of Miss Minta Jackson Sunday.

The S. S. Association of Macon and Ridgeway townships will meet at Britton October 13th.

Wm. Haughn and Miss Mary Denike were married in Tecumseh Saturday by Rev. David Lewis.

Mrs. Phebe Marshall, who has been visiting her son at South Bend, Ind., returned Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Burt Osborne's.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at Mrs. Milton Davenport's tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. McKinney, of Tecumseh, spent a portion of last week at her father's, Robert Bard's.

Topic for E. L. meeting next Sunday: "His Betrayal, Crucifixion and Resurrection." Leader, Nettie Miller.

The Classes of the Reformed church met here the first of the week. Rev. Jongeward was ordained and installed.

The people of Macon and vicinity will be pleased to know that Washington Gardner is to open the Macon lecture course on Thursday, Sept. 30. Admission 35c, children from 9 to 14 years 25c.

Young and old viewed the scenes of war, felt the impulse of its trials and triumphs and were moved by its heroic deeds. The lecture, in fact, was a good practical lesson in history, teaching the true spirit of patriotism.—Luther Enterprise.

CONE.

J. C. Cone was in Ann Arbor last week.

B. W. Ellis returned from his visit in New York Wednesday.

R. Rutledge, of Rea, preached his first sermon here Sunday.

Miss Adah Dennison visited at Britton the first of the week.

Ray Gould and Archie Allshouse were in Ridgeway Saturday and Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Geo. Caswell's Wednesday, Oct. 6

Mrs. Anna Rendel and son Lavern and Miss Lucinda Rendel are visiting at Kendalville, Ind.

Miss Bessie Rendel returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Bardine, near Milan.

Gideon Lewis has moved into Thos. Caswell's house near the schoolhouse and Mr. Pennell will move into the house lately occupied by Mr. Lewis.

HOLLOWAY.

A baby boy arrived at A. T. Carpenter's Saturday.

A large number from here attended the fair at Adrian.

Miss Fannie Kelly is visiting friends at Plymouth and Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane returned Tuesday from [illegible]

The district meeting of the Free Methodist church, will begin here Thursday evening Sept. 30th.

Miss Bernice Isley was the guest of her teacher, Miss Blanche Coffin, near Deerfield last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Atwell and daughter, Esther Fish, returned Saturday from a visit at Steuben county, N. Y.

A fine line of ladies' walking hats, sailors, children's hats and caps are to be found at the millinery rooms of E. H. Fisk.

Friends of Mrs. A. H. Kelley are glad to hear theat she is so much better that she has been removed to her sister's near Britton and is expected home next week.

DIABETES

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TECUMSEH, MICH., SEPT. 24, 1897.

The action of the council in granting street privileges to the D., T. & M. R. R. is commended by everyone.

The American people will not wait. History presents to us the fact that a street car line which runs cars once an hour is always a failure yet in many instances the same lines have paid good dividends when four cars an hour were run. The passenger business of the Michigan division of the old C., J. & M. was well nigh a fizzle but now that two more trains are put on and run to accommodate the people the business is first class. This rule proves true in all kinds of business. The state line service of the Bell Telephone Co. is rotten in every particular. The writer waited three and one-half hours to talk with a Toledo man not long since and the delay was caused by the local apparatus being negligently out of repair, want of proper line service and incompetent operatives. The Tecumseh office, fortunately, is run in fairly good shape, but it is owing to good luck not to any good judgment on the part of the management. Certainly something should be done to improve the service or else give it up entirely. If sufficient lines were used and people employed to give quick and efficient service there would be no doubt of good patronage.

Rev. W. B. Pope

Comes to Tecumseh, and the other appointments in the district are as follows:

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Dixboro—H. A. Field.
Dundee—Hartley Caulfield.
Fairfield—Henry A. Teeson.
Grass Lake—Franklin Bradley.
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Lambertville—Wm. F. Davis.
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Manchester and Sharon—D. R. Shier.
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Morenci—W. J. Balmer.
Munith—Chas. E. Marvin.
Napoleon—Eugene Yager.
Pinckney—W. F. Wallace.
Ridgeway—David Yokum.
Salem—F. E. Dodd.
Scofield—Harvey G. Pierce.
Stockbridge—John H. McIntosh.
Stony Creek—Benoni Gibson.
Tipton—H. J. P. Marsh.
Waterloo—W. J. Thistle.
Weston—Walter E. Burnett.
Whitmore Lake and Hamburg—F. E. Pearce.

High School Happenings.

All the books ordered have come and school routine has begun.

Miss Naomi North class of 97 has gone back to take up Chemistry.

Schools closed yesterday that those desiring, might attend the county fair.

Examinations have been done away with and in their place each teacher will give written reviews once or twice a month.

The per cent of foreign pupils is very large this year. On the first day forty-nine were enrolled. It certainly speaks well for our school.

The class in Geometry numbers twenty-one; in General History twenty-nine; and Miss Bullock's eight grade Latin class has twenty-seven members.

Miss Hartbeck's room is blessed with a new blackboard this year; genuine slate, too. It is only those who had to struggle with the old one who can properly appreciate it.

Miss Wimple's grade has been changed to the tenth grade room and more seats put in that room; and the overflow in the grammer grades has been transported to the East branch.

The schoolboard has had a bicycle shed built on the east side of the Union building. This is a great convenience as the pupils have carried their bicycles into the lower halls and seriously inconvenienced themselves as well as others.

Our dearly beloved professor, L. M. Kellogg, is particularly happy this term on accunt of the $125 appropriation for Laborotory work. The office will be fitted up with tables and the necessary apparatus so that the classes in Chemistry and Physics can do their own Laborotory work and each student in these classes will be required to spend a certain number of hours per week in this work.

If you want eggs, you must make your poultry exercise.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning the Railroads.

Again the D. & L. N. freight house is on the run. This time it will land on the southwest corner of the lot.

C. N. Haskell, of the Lima Northern, was here Saturday night, and instructed Engineer Roser to locate the Adrian depot just south of the group of trees beneath which passengers now wait. It is understood the station will be constructed of stone, and that work will be commenced this week.—Adrian Times.

A railway authority says the Wabash is the market for 25 of the most modern locomotives. The heavy business on the Wabash has made it necessary for the company to increase its motive power. Every locomotive which is able to turn a wheel is now in service, yet they are scarcely able to handle the traffic.—Adrian Times.

The location of the railroad office building has been changed and work on the construction commenced. The building will face east and be located just north of the passenger station. The HERALD is informed that in every instance possible the preference will be given to Tecumseh laborers; indeed this has been the policy from the beginning.

A correspondent says: "The new Detroit & Lima Northern railroad is proving a valuable acquisition for Tecumseh. Real estate here has taken a boom, and houses are in great demand. Many officers and employes of the road are taking up their residence here on account of the general officers of the company at this point. Ground has been broken for the erection of the building for the offices, and the coaling station, formerly at Addison, has also been removed here."—Adrian Times.

And this is the latest from Jim Brailey: He says some strange things happen on railroad trains. Last Thursday when No. 43 was about to turn from the D., T. & M. to the D. & L. N. track the engine ran over a gray squirrel, but the animal was running fast and the wheels split him in two lengthwise. This is not an unusual occurrence, but the peculiar thing was that the squirrel never stopped, one half started for Allegan and the other for Lima. Then when the newspaper man asked if he thought the squirrel was hurt much "Jim" got mad. A peculiar man this Brailey.

A Dundee dispatch to the Detroit Free Press says: The Detroit & Lima Northern railroad has commenced operations here for the construction of the new road from Dundee to Detroit. They have let the contract to the Fergerson Construction company, of New York, and the Russel Lynch Construction company, of Pittsburg, has received a contract for building 83 miles of the new road from the New York company, and to-day a gang of men and 83 teams and camping outfit arrived here from Pittsburg to commence work. Ground will be broken tomorrow and the work of construction will be rushed to completion. The new road will commence just [illegible] and runs south about a half mile until it strikes the Lake Shore, then alongside that road to Trenton. It is expected that 100 teams will be at work this week. The 83 miles in contract includes a strip yet to be built into Adrian where the Wabash is now used.

According to a dispatch from Dundee the Brice people have actually begun work on the line into Detroit. An engineer who was up over the ground recently said to The Blade to-day that the proposed line almost parallels the Wabash, the road which the D. & L. N. and D. T. & M. use into Detroit at present. It will shorten the D. T. & M.'s line from Toledo to Detroit, as well as give both roads an independent entrance into Detroit. At Detroit the Michigan Central terminal, freight and passenger depots will be used. The D. T. & M. people claim that, while they will be compelled to use some of the Michigan Central's terminals, the extension connects the Brice lines with some of the most important industries of Detroit. It is expected that the extension will be complete within four months. The contract has been let to the Fergersou Construction company, of New York, and the Russell-Lynch Co., of Pittsburg.—Toledo Blade.

Charles L. Barney.

The entertainment given by C. L. Barney at Sutton's Opera house Monday night was the most marvelous exhibition of physical strength and muscular development ever seen in this section. His muscle posing was chaste and artistic and demonstrated to what perfection this art can be attained by judicious and careful training. His feats of strength were varied in character and executed with such apparent ease and perfection as to call forth the most hearty applause from the audience. His powers of endurance are wonderful as he fully demonstrated, for his work was almost continuous, nothing sandwiched in between exhibitions by him and no long waits. He is a wonder for his age. Previous to Barney's work, Will Elliott rendered a fine bass solo and generously responded to the hearty encore by giving "Rocked in the Cradle of the deep."

Harper's Magazine for October will be particularly strong in fiction, containing the first installment of "Spanish John," a story of adventure by William McLellan, and continued instalments of "The Great Stone of Sardis," by Frank R. Stockton, and of "The Kentuckians," by John Fox, Jr., together with short stories by John Kendrick Bangs, George Hibbard, and Alice Brown. Among other interesting features there will be an article on "The Strategic Features of the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea," by Captain A. T. Mahan.

It is a mighty good boy who likes to have his school teacher meet his parents.

Mrs. Lydia Kelley

Died in Holloway, Mich., Sept. 10, '97, at the advanced age of 87 years. She has made her home with her son, Allen H. Kelly, until within a few weeks. Owing to the severe illness of Mrs. A. H. Kelly, she was moved to the home of her sister, Mrs. Jane Kelly, where she patiently awaited the final summons to meet friends and loved ones gone before. Aunt Lydia was the daughter of John and Phebe Hoxsie, born in the town of Galaway, Saratoga county, N. Y. Aug. 12, 1810. When eight years of age, she with her parents moved to Sempronius Cayuga, N. Y., where they resided until 1833, when they left relatives and became one of the pioneers in the wilderness of Michigan. Lydia Hoxsie was married to Leibum Kelly, May 6th, 1840, she being his second wife. To them three children were born, Edwin C. Allen H. and Betsey Ann Kelly. She was a consistent christian, having always been a member of the Friend's society. She was a noble mother, always full of interest for her family and surroundings and was held in great esteem and veneration by all with whom she came in contact. She knew for herself that her soul was alive unto God, born of water and of blood and truly an inhabitant of the spiritual kingdom of Divine grace.

Financial Letter.

Chicago, Sept. 21, 1897.

The bears have no success in their efforts to depreciate the value of wheat, the reactions thus far having been spasmodic with a sharp upturn in every instance.

The history of the past month is that whenever wheat has been beaten down to the vicinity of the 90c mark the resultant buying has been of such a character as to quickly take the market away from the selling element and force them to buy back at a good advance the wheat they sold. It was so last Saturday when wheat fell to 90 on non-support by its friends, which encouraged short sales. The rebound was to 92 1-2. Today there was a determined effort to break the price, and under these conditions it broke to 91 5-8. Then buying orders came into the market and they, together with reports of large acceptances by Europe, sent the quotations to 93 1-2 in no time.

This inherent strength of wheat should be most gratifying to the farmer. Heretofore he has been compelled to accept a price range of from 50 to 65 cents in this market, but now the minimum value seems to be 90 cents, with the average range for the last thirty days several cents above that price. The statements made in this correspondence in regard to the general situation as evidenced by reports from this country and abroad to Schwartz, Dupee & Co. have been more than fulfilled. Wheat having risen from 65c to $1.00 and holding firm above 90c since the top was reached.

In regard to the present situation in corn it may be said that the recent decline was due far more to liquidation by weak holders than any change in the statistical position of the grain. Best estimates are that the crop will not exceed 1,750,000 bu., while the government [illegible] be higher. The relative positions of wheat and corn are such that close observers figure corn too low just now.

Provisions recovered quickly from the yellow fever scare, and with the excellent cash demand now existing it is plain that a vast amount of money must be paid out in the west for its products of this sort as well as for wheat and corn. That the present excellent prices are not believed to be fictitious or temporary is shown in the continued advance in the securities of western roads. Northwestern, Burlington, St. Paul and Rock Island have gone steadily upward, more than meeting the expectations of their friends, and it is not often that Wall street is so thoroughly in accord with the west on a matter of such great importance. Undoubtedly the wheat acreage of the world will be increased during the next year, and with good crops this will lead to lower prices, but as to the present supply of breadstuffs the outlook is most hopeful.

The following table shows the high, low and closing prices today of wheat as dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	93 1-2	91 5-8	92 3-8
May	92 7-8	91 1-4	91 3-8

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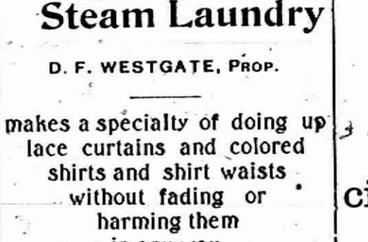

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eed wheat cleaned "to the Queen's te" at the Globe Mills.

emember the changes in prices on l paper at S E. Parrish's.

S. Boyd, of Detroit, attended the pigeon shoot here Wednesday.

rant Roberts returned from his east- visit last week. He had a fine trip.

arry Moore and Lawrence Samson, nded the Adrian fair Wednesday.

ichard Anderson, of Bowling Green, spent Sunday with home friends.

Harry Lee has been confined to house the past week with a lame

rs. Huey, our efficient librarian, been visiting Adrian friends this

s C. B Cummins, of Detroit, vis- Tecumseh relatives a few days the week.

s. George Church who has been ill the past few weeks, is now alescing.

s Mary Strong, after visiting her fends here, started for home Tues- fternoon.

s Etta Thorpe and her mother, an absence of three months, reach- me Tuesday.

s Florence Brewer returned to De- Tuesday. She is attending the tt school.

W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. on west Logan street, for the of October.

J. J. Freeman and little Mar- went to Detroit Tuesday for a isit with friends.

C. H. Raynor and daughter, of were guests of Mr. and Mrs. ffany Wednesday.

rwear to fit all ages and sizes, a l of it at Harris & Hiteshu's at ower than the lowest.

Anthony, R. J. W. Bowen and Orr, went over to Chicago Friday and reached home Sunday night.

hn Karner and Bert Cutting went to Adrian Wednesday noon on a em. They of course took in the

es Eccles has purchased the Gould ty just north of the Central house. ns street, which he will soon oc-

y Ely after six weeks spent here ed to Ann Arbor Sunday. He many pleasant acquaintances dur- stay.

dollar for round trip Sunday, 6, to Ottawa Beach, Mich., via n and C. & W. M. Special train T. & M.

r Freeman, of Garrettsville, O., ster Mrs. S. J. Freeman, of Hast- are visiting Dr. and Mrs. B. F. off this week.

E. M. Crowell, after a pleasant with Clinton and Tecumseh s, returned to her home in Cleve- Ohio, yesterday.

Misses Maggie Ebbitt and Allie of Clinton, and Minnie Hnm- of Toledo, were calling on Te- friends Monday.

ake room for new stock, I will t a large line of wall paper at ll(less than cost.) Come in and over. S. E. PARRISH.

Misses Lena Jones and Nellie augh, of Clinton, wheeled over linton Wednesday morning, took ma Northern for Adrian, took in lf, came back at night and before ing home, called on some of their s.

Ed Williamsonds in New York.

Lucius Lilley was in Detroit Monday.

Sunday papers of all kinds at Adamson Bros.

Mrs. O. P. Bills was an Adrian visitor Wednesday.

C. A. Slayton made a business trip to Toledo yesterday.

Why not try some of Mobb's 35c tea it cannot be beaten.

Mrs. Anna Newbern left for her home Wednesday afternoon.

C. Tennyson Marsh, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting Harry Hanford.

Miss Alice Saviers, of St. Louis, Mich, is visiting Mrs. Bills.

Miss May and Winifred DeWolf were down from the lake Wednesday.

Chas. T. Cummins, of Detroit, spent a few days this week here with friends.

A large line of cloth bound novels at 10 cents. S. E. PARRISH.

Thos. Boyd, of Peroia, Ill., is visiting his brother-in-law, Robert Owen, and family.

Andrew Peters, of Homer, Mich, spent Sunday last with his son E. G. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Whitenack are spending a few days with Detroit friends.

N. J. Ackley has been sojourning at Sand Lake. He visited town Wednesday.

Mrs. Howland and Mrs. Cook have many paintings on exhibition at the Adrian fair.

George Merritt is adding to the convenience of his pleasant house by putting in a furnace.

Miss Minnie Douglas will teach school at Blowing Rock, N. C. She leaves for that place tomorrow.

A good workman desires to exchange painting for a good bicycle. Inquire at the HERALD office.

Frank Darling, of Onsted, was in town Saturday, looking for a house. He desires to move his family here.

If your chickens or any of your stock are troubled with lice, you can get a sure killer for them at S. E. Parrish's.

Farmers, why blister your wives' hands when you can get your seed wheat cleaned so cheap at the Globe Mills?

Andrew Edwards and daughter Bertha, of Hillsdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Keyser yesterday and today.

Rev. W. B. Pope, from Detroit, the new pastor, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday morning and evening.

At Bill's driving park tomorrow afternoon, there will be a game of ball between Clinton and Tecumseh teams. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barney, of Des Moines, Iowa, who formerly resided here, arrived Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Henry Heesen is building a house, corner of Union and Shawnee streets. The main material to be used, will be a sort of brick tile made by himself.

Jimmie Harris, our promising twirler, pitched for the Detroit league team at Detroit, Wednesday. Ex-champion Corbett only made one hit off him with four times at bat.

Prof. and Mrs. Loree are now located at Ann Arbor, having moved there from Lawrence. The Prof. intends studying medicine and will live in Ann Arbor till his course is completed.

Marcus Pulaski, the politician, from Chicago, was in Tecumseh last Saturday looking over the town. Perhaps he is looking for a good place to hold the next National Republican Convention.

We were surprised in looking through Harris & Hiteshu's cloak department not only at the beauliful capes and jackets but at the low prices. You can buy a beautiful garmeut for a little money.

Wm. R. Biesie, of Decatur, Ill., visited among his Tecumseh friends a few days this week. He took his mother to Cleveland yesterday, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Crowell.

Charles L. Barney will leave in the morning for Chicago, where he begins an engagement the first of the week at the Masonic Temple roof garden. Mr. Barney has made many warm friends here, who hope he will come often.

Our fall stock of furniture is arriving every day, and we will give the very lowest possible price on everything. We sell no shoddy goods. We guarantee every article. We sell you cheaper than you can buy the same elsewhere.
WHEELER & SISSON.

County Game Warden Deuel is fulfilling his duties in a manner that must win for him the commendation of all law-abiding citizens. Heretofore he has not discovered anyone violating the game laws in this vicinity, but yesterday he caught Art Stretch, of Raisin township, shooting squirrels and soon after brought him before Squire Frasier who, upon his pleading guilty, fined him $20 and costs, being a total of $23.75. Stretch will be careful in the future not to be shooting out of season and others will do well to profit by his experience.

The installation of officers for the order of the Eastern Star, will take place at the Lodge room next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The worthy matron has made the following appointments:

Adah—Mrs. L. M. Gillogg.
Ruth—Mrs. Will Mo[illegible]
Esther—Mrs. B. J. Gardenhouse.
Martha—Mrs. Jared Vanfleet.
Electa—Mrs. R. M. Boyd.
Chaplin—W. A. Frost.
Organist—Miss. J. C. Root.
Marshall—Mrs. W. W. Whiting.
Warder—Mrs. Samuel Catlin.
Sentinel—W. C. Jordan.

Fine perfumes at Parrish's new drug store.

A. J. Whiting and family are now living at Ionia, Mich.

Al. C. Paxon returned to Piqua, Ohio, the last of the week.

Wanted: Boy to feed presses. Apply at once at the HERALD office.

Horatio Keyser has so far recovered from his illness as to be down town yesterday.

The Wilson girls go to Ann Arbor tomorrow. Their grandmother will go over Sunday.

Thos. Adamson is still in New York and Adamson Bros. are receiving new goods every day.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Lady Malcolm, T. R. Kyle's three-year-old, won 1st in coacher's class for that age at the Adrian fair.

Mrs. B. F. Steinhoff enjoyed a visit from her brother, G. W. Ingram, of Barry county over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor and family, of Adrian, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wood Sunday.

Harry Lee returned from Louisville, Ky., yesterday, but expects to go back Tuesday as Mrs. Lee is improving rapidly.

A fine stock of hair brushes at Parrish's new drug store.

Mrs. Black who has been visiting relatives and friends, returned to her home in Detroit last Friday much improved in health.

Harry Tansley was in South Bend, Ind., this week, selecting goods for the holiday trade. He went Tuesday noon and returned last night.

Ladies' heavy fleece lined underwear, the best garment you ever saw for 25c, as good as you have paid 50c for, at
HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

The ball game at Clinton Saturday afternoon was the fourth game between Clinton and Tecumseh and resulted in a victory for our boys by a score of 16 to 15.

W. H. M. S., of M. E. church, will meet at Mrs. G. W. Jackson's on Wednesday Sept. 29th at 2.30 p. m. It is hoped all the members will try to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mobbs returned from their bridal trip Monday night, and until their home is ready for them, will board with Mrs. Ed Rogers on Pottawatamie street.

Mrs. Elma Emmett and daughter Vena May, who has been visiting their aunt Mrs. Jacob Cheever and other friends and relatives, left for their Philadelphia home on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Grav and Mrs. C. E. Burns and children returned the last of the week from Dixon, Ill. Their stay was of longer duration than anticipated owing to Mrs. Burns having the whooping cough.

The Evening News of yesterday, not only has a cut of Frank James Harris, our pitcher, but a most complimentary notice headed "He is a Comer" which must be gratifying not only to him but to his host of friends.

It was reported on the street last evening that Alden Rundell, who was injured yesterday afternoon while driving on the Adrian track, was dead. He is not and while his injuries were quite severe they are not considered of a fatal nature and his recovery is expected to be rapid.

Castinet, Bidwell's mare, in the 2:32 trot and Teachout's Central Boy in the 2:32 pace at Adrian yesterday, evidently were in too fast company. Although the latter race was not finished, three horses each had a heat which leaves the boy out a place in the race, unless by unexpected good luck he won a heat today.

T. R. Kyle is in great demand these days. This week he has been at Adrian where he was starter in the races at the fair. Tom has few equals in this capacity, wherever he goes he gives perfect satisfaction to horsemen, drivers, and people. A difficult thing to do, no wonder they all want his services.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Heesen, of Toledo, have the deepest sympathy of Tecumseh friends in the great affliction which came to them by the death of their infant son last week. The following relatives from here attended the funeral, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heesen, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Heesen, Mrs. Thos. Adamson and son

We can sell you a good bedroom suite for $14.00, a pollished oak stand $1.25, dining chairs $5.00 a set, rockers from 50c up, a large arm rocker $2.50, dining table $6 00, a good durable couch $5.00, a parlor suit for $20.00 and up. Everything in proportion. When you get ready to buy come and see us.
WHEELER & SISSON.

John Loomis has just completed a conveyance that is certainly original in design and unique in construction, just what to call it he knows not. He is ready to accept and consider any suggestions his friends may offer to that end. It is well worth your while to examine this vehicle, it can be seen at his harness shop on north R. R. street. It must be seen to be appreciated, as no description can do it justice.

J. H. Robinson, State Organizer for the Home Forum Benefit Order, instituted a local lodge of the Forum here, last Tuesday evening with a good attendance and the following officers were elected:

President—James McKinney.
First Vice—Fannie Waring.
Second Vice—Eugena Powell.
Secretary—Harley Smith.
Historian—Almeda McKinney.
Porter—John Alexander.
Examiner—Dr. Frost.

The next meeting of the Forum will be held Monday evening Sept. 27th, when a goodly number of members are expected.

Mrs. L. L. Bidwell very pleasantly entertained a few lady friends at duplicate whist, Tuesday evening. Those present were Mesdames Tribou, Garlinghouse, Bills, Stacy, Newbern, Patterson, Tiffany and Hayden. Misses Whittier, Mead, Corey and Anderson.

Owing to yesterday's being the big day of the county fair, the band concert last evening did not draw as large a crowd as usual, yet the attendance was fair. The stand was stationed at the intersection of Chicago and Evans streets, the proper place for it and the boys gave by far the best concert thus far in the series.

The Tecumseh Gun Club gave a Blue Rock Shoot at the driving park Wednesday. They had two sessions, forenoon and afternoon which proved both interesting and satisfactory to all present. Many local sportsmen and a few from away participated, all of whom did well and honors were very evenly divided. Another shoot will be held later.

Gen. Fred B. Wood, of Tecumseh, was over here yesterday and borrowed Major Howell's bicycle to ride back with. The major states that the general made remarkably fast time going back, leaving here at 10 a. m. and getting home in time to send the wheel back on the 6 p. m. train never sweating his hat band.—Adrian Times.

This is a libel. The General was ready to ship at 4 o'clock p. m. but there was no train at that hour. This was a good record considering the wheel.

Beyond My Expectations.

DEERING HARVESTER CO.,
Jackson, Mich.:

I bought one of your ball bearing Deering corn harvesters of your agent, John A. Heck, of Tecumseh, Mich. My corn was very heavy drilled corn and I thought no machine could handle it. I started in last Saturday and that day I cut 11 acres without any bother. I recommend it above all others I have ever seen. It runs as light as my McCormick mower.

Yours truly,
B J. RECTOR.

Walker Whiteside.

Professional jealousy does not seem to trouble Walker Whiteside, tragedian. His manager, Mason Mitchell, has engaged for leading support no less a man than Frederick Paulding, who has had a distinguished career in the best companies that have ever played the legitimate drama in this country, and has been a star as well.

While Mr. Whiteside has nothing to fear from comparison with the best contemporaries, his step in engaging so bright a light is highly to be commended. It will redound to his own success, however, for his own art will be reinforced and heightened by the support of so finished an actor.

The leading lady of the company will be the beautiful and charming Lelia Wolston. Other excellent people have been engaged and the company will be much stronger than any Mr. Whiteside has taken out before.

A novelty is promised for the opening here an entirely new play based on Stanley Weyman's famous and thrill-

Mr. Whiteside essays a dual role, that of the old magician and that of young Chevalier de Renaux. The test is a severe one, but no one who remembers Mr. Whiteside's fervant young Hamlet and his crafty old Shylock can doubt his complete triumph.

He will be seen at the New Croswell, Adrian, next Tuesday night supported by a superb company. New and elaborate special scenery will be e.

Matches and a Small Boy Cause a Serious Conflagration.

The four year old son of Chas. Abersold, who lives south of town on what is known as the "Tim Strong" farm was anxious to have a bon-fire and had importuned his father on different occassions for permission to have one in the lane. Last Friday afternoon a neighbor boy about the same age was over and they, with a young child of Mr. Abersold were playing around and coming into the house, by his actions attracted the attention of an older sister, who questioned him closely and partially examined him to see if he had any matches. Not finding any and he declaring he had none, she was satisfied. Soon after Mr. Abersold on going towards the barn met the boy who said, "Papa, the stack is burning." Calling to his wife and daughter to bring water, he grabbed some bags and blankets hoping to smother the flames, for a moment he thought he had succeeded but only for a moment, as suddenly the whole stack seemed on fire. When the wife and daughter reached the scene nothing could be done. While considering what to do, the daughter found the little two year old at the foot of the stack where he had fallen asleep, rushing up, she rescued the child just in time for a moment later it would have been impossible. Fire was soon communicated to the barn which in a short time was a smoking mass of ruins. It is a serious loss to Mr. Abersold for while having some insurance it will not near cover the loss.

Gives Me Great Satisfaction.

DEERING HARVESTER CO.,
Jackson Mich.:

I bought one of your ball bearing Deering corn harvesters of your agent, John A. Heck, of Tecumseh, Mich. It gives me great satisfaction to say it is a perfect machine, does its work well and runs very light. I recommend it to be above any machine I ever saw.

Yours truly,
A. J. ALLEN.
Clinton, Mich.

—Boston baked beans every Saturday at M. E. Bice's.

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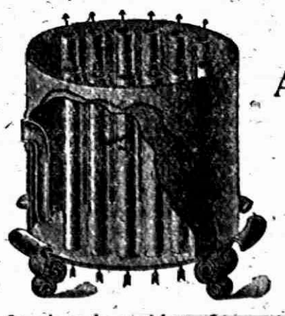

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CLOSES ITS DOORS.

The First National Bank of Benton Harbor Goes Under.

Benton Harbor, Sept. 20.—The First national bank, of this city, did not open for business Saturday, and National Bank Examiner George B. Caldwell, of Detroit, is in charge. About $90,000 is due depositors, and it is generally believed that 75 per cent. will be about as much as will be realized. The suspension is not wholly a surprise. Deposits have decreased about $50,000 the past three months. The bank's capital stock was $50,000, with a surplus of $40,000. James Bailey, cashier, makes no statement, excepting that in his opinion depositors will be paid in full. There was a crowd of anxious depositors about the door. They attribute the bank's embarrassment chiefly to bad loans. Bank Examiner Caldwell says the failure was due to the speculations of ex-Cashier James Bailey, "whose unwise investments and dangerous speculative tendencies led to his removal last June." The bank is also burdened with a large amount of real estate taken as security, which is not available for paying depositors. A thorough investigation will be made.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 20.—Mr. Coffin, the acting comptroller of the currency, has received information of the failure of the First national bank, of Benton Harbor. The bank at last report had a capital of $50,000; surplus, $6,000; deposits, $90,000. The failure is said to be due to bad management.

Benton Harbor, Sept. 22.—Gen. D. B. Ainger, of Lansing, ex-state bank commissioner, was on Tuesday appointed receiver of the defunct First national bank of this city, and will take charge of affairs in a few days. It was found impossible to reorganize the bank, as the stockholders would not consent to surrender their stock to new men, and they are unable to respond to a 100 per cent. assessment. The bank examiner still insists that the assets are more than enough to pay all creditors in full, but depositors generally do not believe they will realize more than 50 per cent. on their deposits.

Probably Drowned.

Bessemer, Mich., Sept. 22.—Andrew Drelson and Anton Hanson, two fishermen, accompanied a party of copper prospectors 20 miles east of here on the south shore of Lake Superior a few days ago. They started back alone in a sail boat during a storm and have not yet reached home. They had only two days' provisions on board and it is feared the boat is lost and both men drowned. The fishermen have families living at the mouth of Black river.

The Railing Broke.

Saginaw, Sept. 18.—Twenty people were thrown from the grand stand at Union park by the breaking of a section of the railing. They fell about 15 feet. Miss Grace Witherspoon, of Detroit, daughter of W. H. Witherspoon, of Detroit, was rendered temporarily unconscious by striking on her head. She also sustained a fractured wrist. A boy had his arm broken and several other people were more or less shaken up and bruised.

Makes a Rich Showing.

Houghton, Sept. 18.—President Pay, of the Central mine, and several capitalists are here and are pleased with the mine's prospects. The showing is even better than they had hoped for before leaving Boston. The rich chute in the bottom of No. 6 shaft continues, and Capt. Chynoweth and other mining men, conversant with conglomerate lodes, pronounce the rock fully five per cent. copper.

Heavy Sales of Lumber.

Saginaw, Sept. 20.—The Saginaw firm known as the Merrill-Ring Lumber company, who lumber at Duluth, have sold 6,500,000 feet of lumber during the past week. The price was one dollar per thousand better than the same quality of lumber would have sold for a year ago.

To Recover an Island.

Marquette, Sept. 20.—A United States jury has decided that a valuable island near the Sault Ste. Marie locks, known as Chief's island, must be returned to the Indians. The government paid $5,000 for the island, and it is worth more now. The government deed was forged.

Helped to Organize the State.

Vostoria, Sept. 18.—Hon. Enos Goodale died Thursday night, aged 84. He was one of the early pioneers and helped perfect the state organization. He served several terms in the legislature and was a member of the Michigan Pioneer society.

Died in a Barber Shop.

Lansing, Sept. 18.—James Collins, a veteran, 58 years old, dropped dead in a barber chair Wednesday afternoon. He drew his pension a few days ago, and had been drinking heavily since. He is said to have a son living in Owosso.

Sentence Commuted.

Marquette, Sept. 18.—Gov. Pingree has commuted the sentence of James Cosgrove, sent from Baraga county to prison here on January 8, 1894, for ten years, for manslaughter, to seven years.

Increased Lumber Shipments.

Bay City, Sept. 20.—Shipments of lumber by lake during the first half of September were 10,375,000 feet, which is more than 50 per cent. greater than the same period last year.

Old Comrades Meet.

Lansing, Sept. 22.—Survivors of the Ninth Michigan army corps held their annual reunion here. Maj. Gen. O. B. Wilcox was the guest of honor.

Drowned Himself.

Greenwood, Sept. 19.—John Barnhart, living near here, committed suicide by drowning. He was insanely jealous of his wife.

Reckless Driver Sentenced.

Ionia, Sept. 18.—Lawson Lamb was sentenced here to 90 days in the Detroit house of correction for reckless driving.

BABY INCUBATORS.

Model System of Treatment for Weak and Sickly Infants.

A model institution for treatment of weakly infants was opened for private inspection at the Victoria era exhibition. It is divided into three sections. One for the offices of the medical men and nurses in charge, one for a nursery, and in the central room are the nickel-plated and plate-glass incubators in which infants are laid on little white coverlets, placed upon wire hammocks. Before entering these, through a pipe four inches in diameter, air is moistened by passing through a sheet of antiseptic absorbent wool. It then passes through dry wool, which retains the soot and impurities of the atmosphere. The air then traverses another pipe to the center of the incubator. On this orifice is a disk for uniformly distributing the air; above all is a chimney with a revolving fan, which forces exhausted air to escape. Uniform heating is produced from an external boiler, circulation being effected by a copper pipe leading under the hammock. A thermostat on the wall is connected with a chain which suspends an aluminum cone lid over the lamp of the boiler, and its expansions and contractions automatically control the temperature to the degree to which the apparatus is set. A thermometer and hygrometer inside the glass door indicates respectively the temperature and moisture of the air within. The capacity of the handsome little incubators is less than a cubic yard.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

POSTAGE STAMP BED.

How a Kansas City Man Ornamented a Piece of Furniture.

Patience is a virtue which some people exemplify in remarkable ways. One of the most patient men in small things is W. S. Wear, janitor of the Karnes school, Kansas City. Last fall he read a story of a family with a whole bedroom set covered with postage stamps, pasted on until it looked like a

BED ORNAMENTED WITH STAMPS.

patchwork quilt. And straightway Wear determined to indulge in the same pastime. He got the school children to begin collecting stamps for him, and after they had collected about 100,000 he commenced work, putting 10,000 on one bed.

Over 400 foreign stamps are pasted on the crib, and Wear says a stamp collector told him many of them were very valuable. The children in their enthusiasm begged old stamps, many of which had been used to send the love letters of their grandmothers. There are American stamps in the collection that the present generation never even heard of.

Wear has two or three bushels of stamps left, and will spend his idle moments decorating the rest of his household furniture with them.

SPOILING CHILDREN.

There Are Many Ways in Which This Task Is Accomplished.

It isn't a difficult task to spoil a child. No great art is demanded in accomplishing this result. Make all the nurses wait on him and fly at his bidding, writes Dr. Talmage. Let him learn never to go for a drink, but always have it brought to him. At ten years of age have Bridget tie his shoe strings. Let him strike auntie because she will not get him a sugar plum. He will soon learn that the house is his realm, and he is to rule it. He will come up into manhood one of those precious spirits that demand obeisance and service, and with the theory that the world is his oyster which with his knife he will proceed to open. But if the child be insensible to all such efforts to spoil him, try the plan of never saying anything encouraging to him. If he do wrong, thrash him soundly; but if he do well keep on reading the newspaper, pretending not to see him. There are excellent people, who, through fear of producing childish vanity, are unresponsive to the very best endeavor. When a child earns parental applause he ought to have it. If he get up head at school, give him a book or an apple. If he saw a bully on the playground trampling on a sickly boy, and your son took the bully by the throat so tightly that he became a little variegated in color, praise your boy, and let him know that you love to have him the champion of the weak. Perhaps you would not do right a day if you had no more prospect of reward than that which you have given him. If on commencement day he make the best speech, or read the best essay, tell him of it. Truth is always harmless, and the more you use of it the better. If your daughter at the conservatory take the palm, give her a new piece of music, ring, a kiss, or a blessing. Never withhold due meed of praise.—Housewife.

Breadcrumb Fritters.

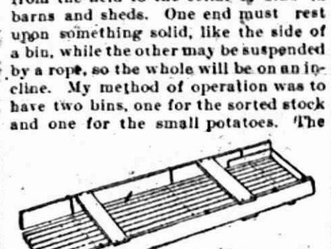
Soak two cupfuls of fine, brown breadcrumbs in one quart of boiling milk. Beat this to a smooth paste, add the yolks of three eggs, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, one saltspoonful of salt and the same quantity of soda. Lastly stir in the stiffly-beaten whites of the three eggs. Fry in boiling lard and sprinkle with fine sugar.—N. Y. Ledger.

Horticulture.

FOR SORTING POTATOES.

An Easily Constructed Device That Is Sure to Give Satisfaction.

I made and used last season a potato sorter, Fig. 1, which gave first-class satisfaction. It is cheap and serviceable and is used when hauling potatoes from the field to the cellar or bins in barns and sheds. One end must rest upon something solid, like the side of a bin, while the other may be suspended by a rope, so the whole will be on an incline. My method of operation was to have two bins, one for the sorted stock and one for the small potatoes. The

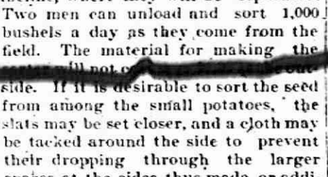


COMPLETE POTATO SORTER.

lower end of the sorter is suspended over the bin for large potatoes. The other end extends two or three feet outside the small potato bin. This gives the dirt a chance to settle through before reaching either bin.

Fig. 2 shows the inside slat frame which is made of hard pine slats 10½ feet long, two inches wide and three-fourths of an inch thick. They are set on edge and bolted with quarter-inch bolts to slotted sticks near each end. This arrangement admits of adjustment. I have the upper end of the slats three-fourths of an inch apart and the lower end 1¾ inches. This prevents wedging of potatoes between the slats. The upper ends being close together allow the dirt to drop through in advance of the small potatoes. This end also has a hopper four inches high and reaching 2¾ feet from the end. This whole frame is suspended to the outside frame by iron hangers. These are made of three-eighths-inch rod iron and are six inches long. Notches are cut to receive these on the upper edge of the outside frame and the lower edge of the outside slat of the inner frame. A piece of tin may be tacked over to prevent their getting out.

To operate, pour into the hopper a



INSIDE SLAT FRAME FOR SORTER.

box or basketful of potatoes, then give a vigorous shake or two by taking hold of the upper end of the hopper. This will send the potatoes rolling down the incline, where they will be separated. Two men can unload and sort 1,000 bushels a day as they come from the field. The material for making the [illegible] will not cost [illegible] side. If it is desirable to sort the seed from among the small potatoes, the slats may be set closer, and a cloth may be tacked around the side to prevent their dropping through the larger spaces at the sides thus made, or additional slats may be used.—American Agriculturist.

Chestnut Trees Profitable.

Those who have a chestnut grove and keep it free from depredators may find it a source of profit. We know one or two such groves which are only natural fruit, but which yield returns with no labor except for gathering the nuts better than could be got for usual farm crops. But to secure profitable returns the public must be excluded. Men and boys who club the trees while the nuts are green to bring them down will disfigure and injure the trees, so that after a few years the trees will yield little or nothing. Chestnut trees, if the fruit is of good quality, are valuable property, and their fruit should be protected. There are several improved varieties of chestnut, some of which will begin bearing when three years old. These should be chosen if new plantations of chestnuts are to be made, or scions of the new varieties should be grafted into native stock.—American Cultivator.

Satisfaction from Bulbs.

Horticultural writers make it a business to say that there is nothing else equal to bulbs for giving winter bloom. Yet, the fact remains that hundreds are disappointed just along this line. This is partly due to poor bulbs, partly to inability to follow directions, and largely to time of potting and choice of sorts. Late potting deliberately invites failure and dissatisfaction. A haphazard collection of sorts is likely to be more than half failure, and the more varied the collection the greater the failure. Only a few of the smaller bulbs and the novelties should be tried each season. The old reliables are not so interesting, perhaps, but in them lies the most of beauty and of satisfaction. Lilies, the better hyacinths, the narcissi, the alliums, and the freesias are best choice for the average grower.—American Gardening.

Sulphur Destroys Scab Germs.

The New Jersey experiment station has been unable to find any variety of potato which is exempt from scab. It is found that rolling the seed in powdered sulphur will destroy the germs of the scab. This treatment should be given just after the potatoes have been cut. Of course, if the germs of scab are in the soil the treatment of the seed alone will not prevent the development of scab on the potatoes raised. The use of about 300 pounds of sulphur per acre on land infested with scab promises to largely reduce the damage caused by it.

When potted plants do not thrive, it is well to report them, as the reason is apt to be the packing of the soil.

PLANTING AN ORCHARD.

An Improvement Upon the Method Now in Vogue Suggested.

It is a common observation that the outrows of trees in established orchards are finer and more productive than the trees in the interior plantation. This superiority is all the more conspicuous if the orchard is bordered by cultivated fields, and it is fair to presume the extra luxuriance is owing to the trees having a greater extent of unoccupied soil for the ramification of their roots. Something is also undoubtedly due to the greater space available for the expansion and spread of the branches; but it is in accordance with all experience in the cultivation of plants that a rotation of crops is absolutely essential toward securing the best results of the fertility of the soil. Keeping these facts in view, it is suggested that an improvement upon the present method of planting orchards would be gained by planting two rows of trees from 18 to 25 or more feet apart, depending upon the nature of the trees, and alternating the plants in the rows. Then allow a space, varying in extent from 300 feet to any greater distance, before planting another series of rows, and so increase the plantation as may be desired. The intervening spaces between these double rows of trees would be available for the cultivation of the ordinary crops of the farm. The roots of the trees would not only participate in the benefits of cultivation, but would have practically unlimited room for extension before meeting other roots of their kind. Immediately under the trees and for a distance on each side of the rows as far as the branches spread the surface could be kept in grass. If not sown down immediately after planting, which might not be desirable in all cases, it should be done after the trees attain a fruit bearing size, or from five to seven years after setting out. The shelter which will be afforded to other crops by these orchards will be found valuable as a protection from winds as well as in forwarding early crops. This method is particularly applicable to apple and pear trees.—Dakota Field and Farm.

GOOD USE FOR WEEDS.

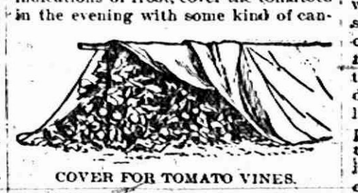
When Properly Cared For They Make a Good Fertilizer.

Summer heat, when it comes, starts a numerous and enterprising crop of weeds into active life. These may be easily controlled by the frequent use of the iron rake, which stifles them at birth. But if, through inattention, they get the start of the gardener and need to be reduced by the hoe, they should be attacked vigorously at the first chance and not allowed to perfect and drop their seed into the soil. Pull up and shake the larger ones when not so near as to endanger valuable plants thereby, and hoe up all others, not merely scraping the ground over, but raking it up and pulverizing it while rooting out the weeds. These may then, while still green and succulent, be raked together and put into the compost heap, where they will be obliged to return to the gardener all that they have purloined from his soil. This [illegible] may, by a little care, be made quite an important factor in the fertility of the garden. Not only all weeds, but, as crops mature, all the garden refuse not used for mulching other plants, may be put into it, wet thoroughly and covered with a little earth and thus rotted down and retained for use as so much home-made fertilizer. It should be established in some out-of-the-way corner; a hole dug a few feet deep to accommodate it will be found convenient and the contents drenched with hose from time to time to promote decomposition, after which a few shovelfuls of earth will delay evaporation and help retain the gases. When used the addition of wood ashes and bone dust, of course, makes it by so much the richer.—Boston Transcript.

COVER FOR TOMATOES.

Prolongs the Season for Several Weeks Beyond the Usual Time.

By exercising a little extra care, the season for ripe tomatoes may be prolonged for two or three weeks beyond the usual period. As soon as there are indications of frost, cover the tomatoes in the evening with some kind of can-



COVER FOR TOMATO VINES.

vas or old blanket. Between the rows of tomatoes drive sticks about four feet apart and nail strips of boards on the top at the height of the tomato vines. Place the covers over these, letting the edges extend to the ground, where they must be fastened so that the wind will not blow them off. Leave no opening or the frost will get in. I prefer a heavy cover made of blankets, as this will often protect the vines when light canvas will fail. If the work is carefully done the tomatoes will stand a great deal of cold weather. — Lewis O'Fallow, in American Agriculturist.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Don't set strawberries in weedy ground.

Don't waste the ashes. Apply them to the fruit trees.

Large, heavy peas will produce a better and earlier crop.

The autumn is a good time to apply potash fertilizers.

When the raspberry fails you might as well set out new plants.

Are your sweet peas dead? You did not give them enough water.

One orchardist says that he finds Mammoth clover the best to grow in an orchard after it begins to bear.

A correspondent writes that he has kept his garden mulched all summer. Result, splendid crops and few weeds.—Western Plowman.

HEALTH-GIVING BATHS.

Dips in Water Made Fragrant by Flowers and Herbs.

For hardening and strengthening the muscles of neck, shoulders, arms and limbs nothing is more efficacious than a bath of flowers or herbs. Any woman aspiring to resemble the heroine in "Daniel Deronda," who always emerged from her bath looking "like a freshly dipped swan," is becoming initiated in the mysteries of these refreshing and fragrant dips.

Rose leaves, crushed violets, hay flowers, oat straw, shave grass and pine sprig—these form the foundation of the flower or herb bath, and consequently excursions to the garden, the field or the hay rack will be in order in summer. The flower bath is taken warm, followed by a cold shower and a vigorous rubbing until arms and neck shine like glistening marble, are firm of texture and smooth as satin.

All these baths are prepared in the same manner. Boiling water should be poured upon bags of the different blossoms or herbs, each bag containing from one-half to one pound of material and the whole allowed to boil for ten minutes; the vessel is then taken from the fire and allowed to partly cool, when it is added to the prepared bath.

Hay flowers consist of the remains of stalks, leaves, blossoms and seeds, even the hay itself. An oat-straw bath is made by boiling the stalks and heads of oats for one-half hour in a kettle and then pouring the decoction into the tub. Shave grass is prepared in the same manner by boiling the stem, cone and spore. Equisetum arvesne is the botanical name of shave grass, which is a medicinal herb of great value. Taken internally in form of a tea it purifies the stomach; externally in the bath it washes away and dissolves all that is injurious. The uses of the herb are manifold. For instance, in cases of violent bleeding at the nose a decoction of shave grass drawn up into the nostrils gives immediate relief. A supply of shave grass should be kept in every home dispensary, that in time of need it may be quickly at hand.

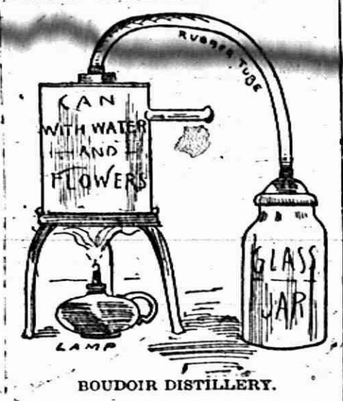
For the pine-sprig bath gather the sprigs, the fresher the better, small branches, even resinous pine cones, cut them in bits, put into a bag and boil for one-half hour. The chief effect of a pine-sprig bath is on the skin, which is brought into activity by it, and on the blood vessels, which it strengthens. Moreover, it is fragrant and delightful. For the mixed bath herbs and flowers of various kinds are used; this is in case the due quantity of any one cannot be procured.

A word apropos of the duration of such tubbings. A warm flower bath may last one-quarter hour, followed by a cold shower lasting possibly one minute, no longer. Flower and herb baths may be taken two or three times a week.—Eleanor Lexington, in American Queen.

A HOME DISTILLERY.

How to Produce Toilet Waters in One's Own Kitchen.

If any woman wishes to save the cost of buying toilet waters she may save it by manufacturing them at home. A very simple chemical apparatus is necessary. It consists of a spirit lamp, over which a covered tin vessel fits. Into the top of this a rubber tube fits, which is connected at the other end



BOUDOIR DISTILLERY.

with a jar. Put clear water in the vessel and put a thick layer of the flowers on top. Light the spirit lamp and hang the vessel over it, but take care that the heat is very slow and gentle or the delicate bouquet of the flowers will be lost. Tube, stoppers and all must fit perfectly tight. The vapor will pass through the tube and be condensed into liquid in the cold glass jar.—Chicago Tribune.

Cloth Dyed on Both Sides.

In England a new method is being employed for dyeing cloth a different color on each side, doing away with the necessity for a lining. At first it is dyed through in the usual manner. It is then taken to a printing machine provided with a roller engraved with deeply cut diagonal lines, running in one direction over its surface, and with diagonal lines cut less deeply running in an opposite direction. This roller is dipped in a bath of thickened color and carried up to the cloth. It is so adjusted that the second color is kept from penetrating the piece more than half way. After it is applied the cloth is finished in the ordinary way.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

The Art of Mending.

The complaint is made that the art of mending is not practiced to-day with that punctilio that our grandmothers considered necessary. It is advised that every growing girl should be taught to darn, with all the dainty niceties of the art; that there should be instilled in her a sense of the disgrace of wearing a stocking with even a broken thread, while a darn well put in has a honorable respectable look that in no way detracts from the value of a good stocking. Darning is a lady's occupation akin to embroidery in delicacy and gentleness of touch.

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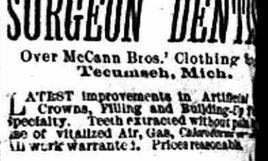

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INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Bits of Information from Many Points in Michigan.

Mrs. Helen M. Thomas, of Albion, fell downstairs. Paralysis and death followed.

The state supreme court has decided that trade secrets cannot be disclosed by an employe.

Seventeen miners from the Ohio coal fields have been put to work in the Monitor mines at Bay City.

Judge Coolidge, of St. Joseph, has been asked to appoint a receiver for the Benton Harbor electric railway.

A seven-year-old son of Dan McCartherine, living near Northville, fell under the wheels of a heavy wagon and will die.

The board of supervisors of Van Buren county decided to hold a special election the first Monday in November to vote on local option.

Jackson is trying to secure the big publishing house of W. B. Conkey, now in Chicago. It is said the company is looking around for a location.

The plum crop in the vicinity of Portland is so large this season that growers are having difficulty to secure enough baskets in which to ship the fruit.

This winter promises to be a very lively one in lumbering in the upper peninsula. More camps will be put in and more men employed than for several years past.

The pickle works at Bangor have taken an average of 1,500 bushels of cucumbers daily for the past two weeks. Some days 2,000 bushels were received at the works.

The rains have improved the potato crop in Oceana county. Owing to scarcity in other places, potatoes will command from 60 to 70 cents per bushel in the home market.

The Grand Rapids city hall was completed ten years ago. A tablet has just been placed in front of it, bearing a brass plate which has engraved on it a history of the building.

Corn is a failure in a large part of Van Buren county in consequence of the terrible wind and hail storms of August. Some of the mint fields suffered from the same cause.

Ontonagon's new county jail and courthouse, now being erected to replace the structure destroyed in the big fire some time since, will probably be ready for occupancy about December 1.

The blackberry and blueberry crops on Beaver island, in the Manitou group, have been the largest this year ever known. Many persons have been given employment picking the berries, which are shipped to Charlevoix.

Daniel Whipple, a pioneer of Leelanaw county, is 97 years old, but every year he spends a good part of the winter hunting and trapping in the woods of the upper peninsula. He has already started on his trip for this year.

Business men along the line between Marshall and Charlotte propose to build a line of railroad between the two cities. They are trying to intercept capitalists in the scheme and secure subscriptions sufficient to build the road.

Another result of the Klondike and Michipicoten gold crazes has turned up. The fish hatcheries are having difficulty in securing a sufficient number of men in the Lake Superior region to keep full the crews which are at work gathering whitefish eggs for the hatcheries.

A man who gives his name as Frank Haynes gave himself up to the authorities at Utica, N. Y., claiming he was wanted at Dowagiac, Mich., for stealing a horse and buggy. He said he sold the rig at Durand. It has been recovered and Haynes will be brought to Michigan for trial.

Has Lived 100 Years.

Monroe, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Nancy de Graff Toll, surrounded by her children, many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren, and other relatives, on Saturday celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth, she having been born at Schenectady, N. Y., September 18, 1797. Her father, Judge Isaac de Graff, served in the American army during the entire period of the war of the revolution. Mrs. Toll has always enjoyed good health, and still retains her mental faculties to a remarkable degree. Her husband, Philip R. Toll, died a generation ago.

Hon. Henry W. Sage Dead.

Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 20. — Hon. Henry W. Sage has died here, aged 83 years. Mr. Sage has been best known through his donations for educational purposes. In 1873 he gave to Cornell university a college hall for women, which is known as Sage hall. He succeeded Ezra Cornell as president of the board of trustees of Cornell university. He endowed the Lyman Beecher lectureship on preaching at Yale, and presented to West Bay City, Mich., a public library which cost $30,000.

Dropped Dead.

Emmet, Sept. 17.—Joseph Lafortune suddenly dropped dead while apparently in good health. He was section foreman on the Chicago & Grand Trunk railroad and worked with his men all day, ate supper as usual and was reading the paper when it was noticed he was sinking.

Jack Frost Appears.

Detroit, Sept. 22,—Reports from the state show that Michigan received its first serious frost Monday night. Reports to this effect are received from Fostoria, Portland, Croswell, Utica, Romeo, Saline, Coloma and Warren.

Two Killed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 18.—Section Foreman Charles Mose and an unknown man were killed in a wreck on the Soo line near Whitedale, caused by derailment of a construction train which ran into some cattle.

Sent to an Asylum.

Flint, Sept. 20.—Mrs. May Hutchinson, of this city, who murdered her five-year-old child a few weeks ago, has been adjudged insane and taken to the asylum at Pontiac.

A CHILD'S LONG JOURNEY.

Travels from Finland to Alaska Unable to Speak English.

Traveling from Finland to Alaska without speaking a word that anyone understood, without a single traveling companion, or without meeting a person who knew him from one end of the journey to the other, is no small undertaking, but it has just been completed by an eight-year-old boy, says the Seattle Times. Magnus Nessler left a pleasant home in far-away Finland on June 3 to join his father and mother, who are working at Douglas City. He made his long journey across the great pond in the steerage of one of the big ocean steamers. Here he was not so lonely, as there were other Finlanders on the boat who talked the language he could understand. At New York there was no delay, owing to a carefully-written shipping card which had been sewed securely on the back of his coat before he started on the long journey. This did away with the necessity of talking as far as his getting through without delay was concerned. His ticket had been purchased to cover the entire distance, and the card directed him to Circle City hotel, at Juneau. He reached Seattle in time to make good connections with the Alaska boat, and was forwarded to Douglas by friends. His father and mother have not seen him since he was a baby, over seven years ago, when they left Finland to come to the United States.

Magnus is a well-built boy, with hair and eyes characteristic of his race. He is exceptionably bright, and has already picked up some English. He made friends with everybody on the steamer with whom he came in contact, although he could only talk to them by signs.

"GIVE ME ANOTHER GOURDFUL."

Last Heard Words of a King Who Had Been Drunk Fifteen Years.

In other lands there are drinks far beyond ours in strength and strangeness, says the Chicago Times-Herald. There is the Russian vodki, for instance. A gill of it poured down a Carthagenian mummy will set that long dead person to fighting all his Punic battles o'er again. In the forceful language of the west: "Two drinks of it will make a man go home and steal his own pants." The West Indian gets from the cocoanut clear pure water, toddy and arrack, which is a rock-splitting brandy. Of their toddy Boyle says "it looks like skim milk and smells like 500 slaves in a pen." The Marquesans have a seductive drink called ahoo. A number of young boys sitting in a circle chew fresh cocoanut and when it is sufficiently masticated expectorate it into a bowl that is the common receptacle. Fresh water is poured upon this delectable mixture and it is allowed to ferment. The South Sea islanders prepare the ava root in the same way. Paul du Chaillu once found a wonderful drunkard in the person of the king of Olenga-Yombi. When he was an infant his father would take him to the top of a small tree and force him to drink palm wine, until he came to prefer it to his mother's milk. It was the ingenious parent's ambition to make him the champion boozer of equatorial Africa, and he succeeded. The king of Olenga-Yombi in Du Chaillu's time had been solidly drunk for 15 years, and when last heard from was calling loudly for another gourdful.

PENSION VOTED TO A HORSE.

Oregon Fire Commissioners Retired a Faithful Equine Servant.

The board of fire commissioners has decided that the big bay horse Jerry, which has faithfully served the city in the fire department for 17 years, and is now 23 years of age, shall be given his time for the remainder of his days and be a pensioner on the city, says the Portland Oregonian. This horse and his mate were purchased by the city in the days of the volunteer fire department, to draw ladder truck No. 1, and for several years they did this work, which is now considered a pretty heavy job for the three horses attached to the truck. When the paid department was organized Jerry became a member of it, and has discharged his duties faithfully ever since. He is now entitled to be considered "aged," having served longer than the usual span of life allotted to horses, and the commissioners do not feel inclined to sell him for a trifle to some one who will perhaps starve and abuse him, and render the remainder of his life uncomfortable, so they have decided that he is to have free hay and oats at the expense of the city as long as he lives.

The White House.

The steady growth of the nation has rendered necessary a great expansion of the capitol at Washington, but nothing has been done to increase the size of the white house, says the Washington Post. The latter remains as it was when first occupied by President John Adams, at the beginning of the present century. Its narrow quarters have caused a vast amount of embarrassment to its tenants from time to time. For example, when the prince of Wales was here the utmost difficulty was found in making room for him and a few persons of his immediate suite, even when a part of the office quarters was utilized for sleeping purposes. There is an urgent demand for more rooms for the entertainment of distinguished guests of the nation on such exceptional occasions.

Novel Sport in France.

The running of auto-mobiles, or horseless vehicles, has become a national sport in France, and clubs devoted to it have been formed in the larger cities. One of the sights along the French roads this summer will be the addition of many motor wagons to the great number of bicycles.

Solid Food for Infants.

In France it is a punishable offense for anyone to give infants under one year any form of solid foods unless such be ordered by written prescription signed by a legally qualified medical man.

ENGLISH ODDITIES.

A Township Which Has Only One Resident.

Undoubtedly the most extraordinary township in England is that of Skiddaw in Cumberland. It contains but one house, the occupier of which is unable to exercise the Briton's privilege of voting because there is no overseer to prepare a voters' list and no church or other place of worship or assembly on which to publish one, says Pearson's Weekly.

The most remote village in England is that of Farley-cum-Pitton. This truly rural spot is 30½ miles from the nearest railway station. As a contrast to this may be mentioned the hamlet of Ystrad, about ten miles from Cardiff. This tiny settlement posesesses two important main roads, two railways and two large rivers.

A very unique feature is exclusively claimed by Trimley, a small village in Suffolk. In the one churchyard of the parish two churches are to be seen. Service is conducted three times a week in each of these churches at the same hour.

The deepest well in England is found at Hamilton, in Hampshire. It stretches 350 feet below the surface of the earth. About half-way down this well shaft is a subway, three miles in length, which leads to the seacoast.

On the top of the parish church tower in Bicknoller, Somersetshire, is a yew tree, now five feet high and still growing in a hardy fashion. It is generally believed that the tree owes its origin to a seed dropped by a bird.

Perhaps the most splendily decorated church in the kingdom is that of Whitley Court, Worcestershire. It is entirely constructed of white marble, the pews are chastely carved and the pulpit is of genuine Carrara marble, richly paneled with precious stones.

On the village green at Meriden, in Warwickshire, there is a large stone cross, which is supposed to mark the central point of England.

NOT WELL POSTED.

Guides Who Led the King of Siam About London Had Trouble.

The king of Siam has proved himself to be familiar with English history. He has not passed a regular examination, but has shown himself acquainted with the occupants of the tombs in Westminster Abbey, which is about the same, says the New York Journal. The king was shown about England's Valhalla by Canon Wilberforce. He coldly passed by the statues of Pitt, Livingstone and Herschel in the nave, but paused before that of Darwin. "Darwin, great man, I know him," he remarked. The helmet worn by Henry V. at Agincourt was shown him. He looked at it carefully and inquired its weight. He seemed surprised when told that it weighed nine pounds, twelve ounces. When shown the flags of the knights of the bath, he asked for the duke of Wellington's. Queen Elizabeth's tomb impressed him greatly. All of a sudden he said: "Where is Mary?" No one knew exactly what he meant. Then he went on: "Mary—Mary, queen of Scots."

"She was beheaded," he added. This circumstance seemed to impress him, for in a moment he said: "Where is the other?" Soon it was understood that decapitation was the connecting link and that he wished to see the tomb of Charles the First. He was disappointed to learn that Charles was buried at Windsor. In the Poet's Corner Tennyson and Scott received most of his attention. At St. Paul's he was shown the memorial of Gen. Gordon, but shocked his guides by inquiring with great sincerity: "Who was Gen. Gordon?" "Oh, he was a man very well known in the east," was the only answer thought necessary. Altogether Chulalongkorn showed himself to be a pretty fair historian, but better posted in ancient than modern events.

CAT AND RHINOCEROS CHUMS.

Superintendent Smith's Snyder Becomes Smile's Devoted Friend.

Superintendent John B. Smith, of the Central park menagerie at New York the other day found in the rhinoceros cage his large black cat Snyder, which had been missing for a week. While going through the elephant house in which Smiles, the old rhinoceros, is kept, Superintendent Smith saw the missing cat curled up in the hay beside the big beast, and the rhinoceros was licking the cat's fur with its tongue. Superintendent Smith watched the pair for a time and tried to coax the cat out, but it would not leave Smiles. A keeper informed him that the two had struck up a strong friendship in the past week, and when the rhinoceros was asleep the cat would frequently perch itself on Smiles' back and keep watch.

"In its native state," explained Superintendent Smith, "a bird known to hunters as the rhinoceros bird keeps watch over the rhinoceros when sleeping, and pecks at its ears to arouse it at the approach of danger. Nature, perhaps, is working on the same lines in bringing Smiles and Snyder together; but it's a queer friendship, and I shall not disturb it."

Field Glass Range Finder.

An improved range finder for field glasses has a flat dial plate, subdivided to correspond with the focus of the glasses, rigidly attached to the rear end of the adjusting screw; a fixed pointer secured near the screw to the frame of the glasses, indicating the adjustment upon a dial. A small wheel upon the adjusting screw turns it so that it will readily focus the glasses for various distances, and enabling the user to also estimate correctly the speed of advancing or withdrawing objects.

Spider Builds on Water.

What is known as the raft spider is the largest of the British species. It receives its name from the fact that it constructs a raft of dried leaves and rubbish united by threads of silk and thus pursues its prey on the water.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 7th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator, praying that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to sell the real estate described in said petition, for reasons therein stated;
It is ordered that Monday, the 4th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.
In the matter of the estate of ELIAS BROWN, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of deceased in Raisin township Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 15th day of October, 1897, and on the 3rd day of February, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.
And that six months from the 31st day of August A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
L. McCONNELL,
HORACE HOLDRIDGE,
Commissioners.
Dated, September 10th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss.
Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 13th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAYDEN, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sylvester P. Hosmer, administrator, praying that his time for the payment of the debts of said deceased be extended until July 1st, 1898, for reasons therein stated.
It is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of October next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.
A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated September 19, 1895, executed by Samuel W. Temple to Alice B. Hardenburgh, administratrix of the estate of Addison Hardenburgh deceased and which mortgage has been subsequently assigned to Alice Hardenburgh, and such mortgage being on record in liber [illegible] of mortgages on page 429, etc., and the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the date hereof being the sum of two thousand three hundred thirty-one and 5-100 dollars, and no proceedings have been taken either at law or in equity for the collection thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, for the purpose of realizing the amount so due upon said mortgage, together with interest, costs and taxes, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said premises described therein at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Adrian in said county (that being the place where the circuit court for said county is held) on the 23d day of December, 1897, at two o'clock in the forenoon of that day which premises are described in said mortgage as follows:
Situated in the village of Tecumseh Lenawee county, state of Michigan, and described as beginning at the intersection of the north line of Shawnee street with the west line of the Jackson branch of the Lake Shore & Michigan So thern Railway company's land; thence north at right angles with said Shawnee street thirty-seven (37) feet; thence southerly on [illegible] railroad company's land to the northeast corner of a parcel of land formerly owned by Alpheas Stearns and more recently by said Samuel W. Temple; thence west on south line of said railroad company's depot grounds to land formerly owned by Emma Temple; thence on east line of said land formerly owned by Emma Temple as aforesaid, about ten rods to north line of Shawnee street aforesaid; thence east on north line of Shawnee street aforesaid thirteen rods, fourteen and one-half feet, to place of beginning including the dwelling house, office, coal house, shed, outbuildings and Howe scales thereon.
Dated September 21, 1897.
ALICE B. HARDENBURGH,
Assignee.
WALTER C. BURRIDGE,
Attorney for assignee

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A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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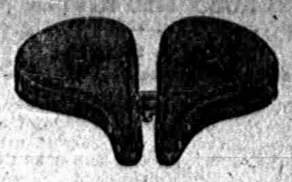

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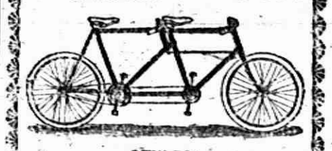

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ACROSS THE RIVER.

BY M. C. SKEEL.

IT WAS not a pleasant part of the city, the portion that lay west of the river. The streets were narrow, the pavements uneven, the houses small and dingy, for on that side of the river the settlement of the city first began, nearly a century before. The river itself was sluggish and turbid; when low, it smelled badly as well.

Across the river tall chimneys poured out constant volumes of thick, black smoke. Except on Sundays one rarely saw the blue of the sky. Snow was never purely white across the river nor the sunshine clear.

Little by little the city had crept over the stream and up the low eastern slope. There were the wide streets and avenues, the great business blocks, the handsome public buildings. One of the largest of these last, however, remained on the western side. The majesty of the others would have been darkened by it; no business man would build his store—certainly no householder his home—in its vicinity.

So between it and the city's glory the river rolled its narrow, muddy current; the smoke of the great chimneys hung above it like a pall or partly hid the gloomy walls. "Sent across the river" was said of the state's convicted criminals.

One day in early autumn two boys, one of them quite lame, crossed the bridge and made their way through the crooked streets toward the penitentiary.

"There she is, Denny," said the older one, indicating it. "Ain't she a whopper? Fifteen hundred folks in there. What you scared at? She ain't goin' to jump out and grab you 'less you've done somethin'."

The smaller boy—the lame one—had stopped short and was trembling from head to foot. "I know it," he answered; "but it looks so big—and so—awful."

He gathered up his courage with an effort, limped across the street and went close to the massive walls. "My daddy's in here," he whispered to himself, and, looking eagerly along the barrier, called, softly: "Daddy, daddy!"

"He can't hear you," said the older lad, watching him with some sympathy. "You can't remember him much; you weren't nothing but a baby."

"Yes, but I do remember him, though. Oh, he was good—good to me, daddy was. I wish I could see him. Daddy, daddy!"

"Well, we'd better be goin' back now. It won't do no good hangin' round here. You can come over again some time, if you wanter."

"I am coming—every Saturday. Oh, wait a minute, Joey, wait!"

They were near one of the prison gates. It opened and a man came out thrusting a handful of papers in his pocket as he came. Several of them slipped from his hand and fell to the sidewalk, and as he bent to pick them up he had an eager assistant in the lame boy.

"Thanky, bub—well, what is it?" said the man, seeing a question in the boyish face raised to his.

"Mister," whispered Denny; "mister, is it—your prison?"

"Mine and several million other folk's," said the man, smiling. "It's the state prison, sonny. I live there, if that's what you mean."

"My father's there," uttered Denny, breathlessly. "Could you—would you tell him that aunt has moved to town—and I come here this morning—and I'm comin' every Saturday—and give him my love—and—"

"Who is your father, and what's his name?"

"His name is Horace Menly," said Denny, dropping his head, for the man's eyes seemed to look him through and through.

"What are you coming every Saturday for? You can't see him unless there's some older person with you."

"There ain't nobody else," said Denny, dropping his head lower still; "but I'm comin' just the same."

Three years' constant association with criminals had not destroyed John Joseph's faith in humanity. He looked the lame boy keenly over once more. "I'll tell him," he said.

"Will you, mister—will you? Oh, thank you, thank you, lots."

As Guard Joseph returned from his errand outside, the boom of the prison bell struck suddenly against the walls and sunk moaning down. From the workshops across the court, on their way to supper, shuffled the long file of prisoners like some great, striped, slow-moving snake.

Number Sixty-nine was "off his feed" that night, which means that he left the prison fare untouched. Opposite his name on the prison record stood the word "dangerous." He was known to be a violent man, and was always more closely watched when the sullen mood was on him, as it had been for several days.

"There's no use talking," the guard in charge of his company had remarked an hour before to the deputy-warden, "if Sixty-nine keeps up this sort of thing to-morrow he's got to be settled with."

"All right; we'll settle him," the deputy responded.

When the silent meal was finished the snake-like line shuffled its way up the stairs and along the ranges, disappearing piecemeal into the narrow cells. There was a click of bolts falling into sockets; the voices of the guard echoed from range to range as each called aloud the number of men and the locality under his care.

"First, south, east, thirty-four."

"Second, north, west, thirty-one."

"Third, south, middle, twenty-seven."

Meaning the first, second or third range of cells, north or south side, east or west end or central portion.

Then they disappeared and the night guard came on duty—Guard Joseph it chanced to be—wearing shoes with thick, soft soles that he might make his rounds in utter silence. But something went gracefully by him that could step more softly even than he, though it had four feet to his two.

"Oho," said Guard Joseph to himself, "that puts me in mind of the kid that sent his love to Sixty-nine."

Up one flight of stairs after another went the great, tortoise-shell cat, the warden's own especial pet, clear out to that end of the fourth range known as the "murderers' wing," where he sat gravely down by a certain door. A hand stretched itself through the bars to pet and stroke the creature, that responded with a purr like a growl.

Two years before the inmate of that cell was placed there in solitary confinement for a murderous attack upon a fellow-prisoner. For two years the warden's cat had made him this nightly visit—the wretched convict's only friend.

"Sixty-nine's rather the best off," thought Guard Joseph, watching the cat in its upward journey. "He's got a boy, and a boy beats a cat, even if he is a lame one."

He walked along the corridor, and in a moment he was standing before the cell numbered 69. "What's up?" asked the convict, gruffly, as he saw the guard at the grated entrance.

"You've got a boy, haven't you, Menly?"

"Yes—one." The prisoner answered moodily. "What about him?"

"Anything the matter with him?"

"He was lame." And now there was a momentary, anxious quiver of the sullen face.

"Well, he was outside this morning—wanted me to tell you that his aunt had moved to town; that he was coming over to the prison every Saturday, and that he sent you his love."

Absolute astonishment expressed itself in the man's every feature.

"Denny! That kid! Why, the child wasn't much more than five years old, when—" He seemed to lose himself in painful reflection, and Guard Joseph went on.

He had made the round of the ranges a second time, when, passing the cell again, he saw Sixty-nine peering anxiously through the bars, and asked: "Well, what is it?"

The answer was whispered: "Is he very lame?"

"Who? Oh, the boy. Not so very. He gets about pretty brisk."

The prisoner's face worked strangely. "He'll never come again," he said, bitterly. "They won't let him."

"If he does, you'd like to see him, wouldn't you?" said the guard, preparing to move on.

"No, no," cried Menly, "not here. My God! not here." He sat down on the edge of his cot and hid his face in his hands.

The guard in the brush shop was agreeably surprised next day to find that there was no need of reporting Sixty-nine for punishment. The improvement in his manner and conduct continued until Saturday, when he was noticed to be restless and uneasy; his eyes constantly followed Guard Joseph—now on day duty—whenever that officer came within their range.

"Umph!" said Guard Joseph, suddenly recollecting the lame boy. "I guess I know what that means." And moved by the dumb entreaty in the prisoner's eyes, he went down to the guardhouse.

The moment the gate swung open, there was a shrill, joyous cry. Denny popped into view all a-tremble with delight.

"I hoped it was you, mister. I just hoped it was you. Tell daddy I've come."

When the message was carried back to Sixty-nine, he said almost humbly: "Thank you, sir. I thank you."

The guard heard him groaning in his sleep that night, and he woke himself calling on the names of wife and child.

The season rapidly advanced. Down from the frozen northern seas swept winter, with its storms of snow and sleet. The turbid river shivered under its icy sheet, or swollen by rain and thaw, carried it crashing against the bridge piers, and almost to its floor; but storm or calm, ice-bound or rushing river, little Dennis Menly toiled across it each recurring Saturday, and waited in the shadow of the prison walls for a chance to send his weekly message to his father.

Sometimes it was Guard Joseph, sometimes some of the other guards or workmen. Once or twice it was the warden himself that heard the cry: "Please, sir, tell daddy I've come," sounding huskily from the folds of a woolen comforter. Quite frequently there was a little gift with the message—an apple, a pop corn ball, some candy; once, a brief, ill-spelled poorly-written letter that the warden coughed over—for of course it was read before it was given to the convict—and that Sixty-nine hid away in the bosom of his striped jacket.

"Well, sir, it is actually making the old man right over," the warden said to the chaplain; and the chaplain responded that Sixty-nine was certainly a changed man in more respects than one.

"But it's a long, cold walk for you, my lad," the warden said to Denny on one of their meetings. "I wonder your mother lets you come."

"Oh, this ain't bad," cheerfully replied the husky voice, sinking to gravity as it added: "My mother's been dead a long time."

"Don't you want to see the little fellow, Menly?" the official asked his prisoner, and the convict shook his head.

"Not here—not while I am like this," looking down at his prison garb with shame and aversion.

He was a changed man. No one now more docile; no more faithful workman within the walls than he. His child's affection filled his solitude, softened him to repentance, nerved him to en-

FOR A BETTER STATE.

Civic-Philanthropic Conference to Be Held at Battle Creek.

Battle Creek, Sept. 20.—The programme prepared for the civic-philanthropic conference, to be held here October 12-17, contains the names of many of the best-known leaders in western philanthropy. A wide range of subjects will be discussed, and the papers read cannot fail to be of value to all interested in the betterment of civic conditions. Among those who will be present are Dr. S. G. Smith, professor of sociology in the University of Minnesota; Prof. Rustin O'Malley, of Notre Dame university; Dr. C. R. Henderson, of the University of Chicago, and Henry Wade Rogers, of Northwestern university. Gov. Pingree, Prof. C. H. Cooley, Michigan state university; Hon. S. M. Jones, mayor of Toledo; Mrs. J. M. Flower, Chicago; Mrs. T. J. Stanwood, Evanston, Ill.; Rev. W. L. Barth, Coldwater, Mich.; Rt. Rev. Bishop Gillespie, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Hon. Arthur L. Holmes, Detroit, and others have promised to be present and participate in the discussion.

SHAM ENTRIES.

Disclosed by Examination of a Dead Cashier's Books.

Shepherd, Mich., Sept. 22.—Some startling disclosures were brought out in the evidence Tuesday at the Struble inquest. It was shown from the bank records that the dead cashier had at different times made sham entries of deposits in his books amounting to nearly $24,000 and that but for these fictitious deposits the books would have shown a deficit in the bank. During most of the time when these figures were on the books Struble's funds at the bank were very low, seldom over $50 and sometimes nothing. Prosecuting Attorney McNamara testified that all of Struble's private papers were missing. The preponderance of evidence decidedly favors the suicide theory, although the attorneys for the dead man's relatives still promise some conclusive evidence in support of murder. The general opinion now seems to be that the jury will disagree.

Old Settlers Dead.

Jackson, Sept. 20.—Dr. A. H. Baird, who had practiced medicine in this city for 27 years, died Saturday night, aged 67 years. Mrs. Harriet Pulver, a resident for 60 years of Dundee, died Saturday night, aged 91. She was one of the oldest settlers of the state. Orson K. Van Amberg died Sunday at his home in Pleasant Valley, aged 96. He was one of the pioneers of Livingstone county. Clarke White, proprietor of the Southern Moss company and a member of the Jackson Sleigh company, died Sunday morning, aged 40 years.

Proved a Success.

Saginaw, Sept. 17.—The flax industry at this place has every indication of success. The crop planted in this county this spring has yielded far beyond the expectations of those who instigated the movement throughout the valley. Machinery for a flax fiber factory is in course of construction. There is also some talk of Minneapolis parties starting a thread factory at this place, if there is an assurance that flax will become a permanent product in the county.

Well-Known Physician Dead.

Sturgis, Sept. 20.—Dr. Nelson I. Packard, a prominent citizen of Sturgis, died at four o'clock Sunday afternoon after being sick for four months with typhoid fever. Dr. Packard was president of the Citizens' State bank and vice president of the National bank of Sturgis. He was a prominent mason and was a distinguished surgeon during the civil war.

Need Teachers.

Royal Oak, Sept. 18.—There seems to be a great scarcity of school teachers in this locality this year, which is something unusual. There have been only one or two applicants for schools in several cases, where good salaries are paid; and in some instances the officers have been unable to secure a teacher at all.

Alone and Paralyzed.

Manistee, Sept. 20.—H. N. Dustin, a prominent insurance man of this city, lay on the ground on the Old Free Soil road for 36 hours in the wind and cold Thursday afternoon. He started to drive home and was stricken with paralysis in the woods. A farmer found him and brought him to his home. He has been unconscious since.

To Remove to Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Sept. 20.—Negotiations are in progress looking to the removal of an eastern furniture manufacturing company's plant to Grand Rapids, and it is probable that before long the second city's list of industries will be increased by this one, which will afford employment for nearly 300 men.

Paroled.

Charlotte, Sept. 17.—It is learned here that Joseph Wasson has been paroled from Jackson prison by Gov. Pingree. Wasson was convicted of arson in 1892, and sentenced to Jackson by Judge Hooker for eight years. It is not learned on what grounds Wasson was released.

Died on the Trail.

Muskegon, Sept. 18.—Word has been received from Snohomish, Wash., announcing the death of Alva Van Buren, a Muskegon furniture dealer, who had started for the Klondike. He dropped dead on the trail, 40 miles from Skaguay, Alaska, about September 6.

Booming a New Railroad.

Albion, Sept. 20.—The proposed railroad between this city and Charlotte by way of Duck lake is being boomed. Brooklyn citizens will probably raise $5,000, and the same amount is expected in Albion. The road will be 24 miles long and cost $160,000.

Killed in a Runaway.

Niles, Sept. 21.—George Davey, aged 87, a pioneer of Michigan, was killed at Bangor in a runaway.

LITERARY NOTES.

During September Harper's Bazar will contain instalments of a serial story, entitled "Father Quinnaillion," by Octave Thanet; accounts of the performances of Wagner's Nibelungen Cyclus; a play for out-door acting "A Summer Idyl" by Alice Ruth Carter; notes of women's colleges for the autumn term; and a humorous story by Grace Livingston Furniss, entitled "Jenk's Jobometers."

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Very few lists of the ten best short stories by American writers have failed to contain Mr. T. B. Aldrich's "Marjorie Daw," and either Dr. E. E. Hale's "Man without a Country" or his "My Double, and how he undid me." All three of these stories appeared originally in the Atlantic Monthly, both of Dr. Hale's near the beginning of its career, and "Marjorie Daw" after the middle of its forty years.

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No illustrated article in the September Magazine Number of The Outlook will attract more general attention than that on "Modern Rome" by Professor Rodolfo Lanciani, who is the greatest living authority on this subject, and has the highest possible rank as an archaeologist and art critic. The illustrations are furnished by Professor Lanciani, and include some beautiful and typical Roman scenes.

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Harper's Weekly during September will contain many features of particular interest, among them illustrated articles on the "Comedie Francaise," by Katherine de Forrest; on Kansas as "A Great Grain and Cattle Market"; on "The University of California"; and on the two great new libraries in Chicago and at Columbia College, New York City. The Weekly of September 29 will be the "Sportsman's Number," and will contain 32 pages.

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It does not seem possible that the table for eight people can be provided for ten dollars a week. But Mrs. Rorer, the most famous cook in America, says it can be done. She has tried it and knows. She proves her case in The Ladies' Home Journal for October. She gives twenty-one menus covering a week's meals, gives full, practical directions by which any woman can make as attractive meals as Mrs. Rorer explains, for this small sum of ten dollars.

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The September issue of "TABLE TALK" contains among the many interesting subjects treated within its pages, "Some Unique Luncheons" by Mrs. Burton Kingsland; "Civilized Man Cannot Live without Cooks" by Katherine Read Lockwood; "Some Spanish-American Cookery" by Sharlot M. Hall; "Women of Colonial and Revolutionary Times" by Mary Loyd; recipes for the most seasonable canning and preserving, and also for the promiscuous dishes requested by housekeepers from all over the country. Its menus are freshly prepared each and every month, by Miss Cornelia C. Bedford, one of the leading authorities in the country, and "The New Bill of Fare" by Mrs. M. C. Myer is, as usual, one of the chief features of the issue. Any of our readers wishing to see a sample copy of "TABLE TALK" can secure it free of charge, by sending name and address to Table Talk Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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As the result of the development of our public school system and the cheapening of books, there has grown up a large class of men and women who seek broader education, or desire to extend their knowledge along special lines. Their duties in life, or lack of means, exclude them from the universities. The Cosmopolitan Magazine has undertaken the task of bringing liberal education, in its broadest sense, within the reach of those who have the aspiration, but are deprived of the opportunity. Dr. Andrews, late of Brown University, has undertaken the Presidency of the Cosmopolitan's educational movement. The work, thus begun, is not intended to take the place of regular university work, but to supply a gap in existing educational facilities. Those who are really in search of knowledge will find direction and aid. It can do nothing for those who have not the desire to study. An intending student sends to the Cosmopolitan, New York, his name, occupation, previous courses of study, studies desired to be pursued, objects and purpose for which course is designed, and the number of hours', daily or weekly, study which can be given. No charges will be made to students.

Advertised Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 14, 1897:

Miss Elizabeth Burt, Miss Franc Cumming, Wm. Deubel & Co., Mrs. Henrietta Dewey—2, Mrs. Harriet Ellis, N. M. Fitzpatrick, Allen Graham, Jr., Chas. Greenfield, William Headerman, Della Hughs, Ged. Saxton, A. V. Whitney.

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Bacon		10
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Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		4 00
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Wheat	86	90 89
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DEATH OF NEAL DOW.

Father of Prohibition Passes Away at His Home in Maine.

The Foremost Character in the Temperance Movement in the United States for the Past Sixty Years —Sketch of His Career.

Portland, Me., Oct. 4.—Gen. Neal Dow died at his residence in this city at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The end was peaceful, and he retained consciousness until an hour before he died, recognizing his children, who were gathered at his bedside. Gen. Dow's death was due to the infirmities of old age.

[Gen. Neal Dow was born in Portland, Me., March 20, 1804. In the campaign for temperance no single man has achieved greater results than he, and none has labored more faithfully in the face of opposition. Neal Dow was still in his teens when he won his first triumph in persuading a fire company to which he belonged to omit the wines at their annual banquet, and secured the abolition of the local custom of ringing the town hall bell at eleven and four o'clock as a signal for everyone to leave work and get a drink. It was at the age of 33 that he began his fight for prohibitive legislation, when a bill was framed by Gen. James Appleton but not submitted to the legislature.

Two years later, in 1838, an effort was made to secure prohibition in Portland. The matter was put to a popular vote and 144 affirmative votes polled. The fight was

GEN. NEAL DOW.

continued until 1843, when a majority of 440 decided the question in his favor. The same year the legislature was appealed to, and in 1846 the first state prohibitive law was passed. In 1849 a bill providing more stringent penalties was enacted, but the following year the law was repealed. In 1856 it was again put in force and has since remained on the statute books.

Gen. Dow was twice mayor of Portland and was offered the presidential nomination on the whig ticket in the '60s, but declined to accept. He also served two terms in the legislature. Like most prominent northerners, he was an abolitionist and made many stirring speeches on behalf of the negro, ranking with Garrison, Whittier, Pillsbury, Sumner and Hale.

In 1862 he went to the front with a Maine regiment as colonel, going first to New Orleans to the support of Gen. Butler. Afterward he was in command of Ship island and at Pensacola. He was twice wounded, and by his gallantry won the rank of brigadier general. He was captured while wounded by Logan's cavalry and sent to Libby prison. At his exchange, broken in health, he was forced to retire. In 1880 he was nominated for president by the prohibition party, but did not accept and voted against himself.]

Portland, Me., Oct. 6.—The funeral services of the late Neal Dow were held at the Second Parish church in this city yesterday. The attendance was very large.

FIERCE STORMS IN JAPAN.

Thousands of Houses Destroyed and Several Lives Lost.

Tacomah, Wash., Oct. 4.—Yokohama papers contain full accounts of a severe storm which passed over the country on September 9, and reports of great havoc are coming in from all quarters. At the latest date 376 houses were totally destroyed in Tokio, 7,728 partially damaged and 14,043 submerged. In Shidzuoka there were 1,060 houses demolished, 4,000 seriously damaged, 38 persons killed and 42 injured. At Toyama 750 houses were flooded, bridges washed away, the rice crop ruined, and other damage done. An American sailing vessel went ashore at Awagone and a number of lives were lost. At Yejiri the whole town is in ruins. In Koishikawa 1,506 houses were submerged, among them the Presbyterian mission and Baptist schools. Most of the legation buildings were badly damaged.

Postal Finances.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Henry A. Castle, auditor for the post office department, has closed the books of the postal service for the fiscal year ended June 30 last. The results, compared with the preceding year, show that the receipts increased $166,254 for the year, expenditures increased $3,470,745, while the deficit was increased by $3,304,490. For 1895 receipts were $82,665,462; expenditures $94,097,042, and the deficit was $11,431,579.

Vast Output of Wine.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—The vintage of California this year promises to reach 20,000,000 gallons, or 25 per cent. more than last season. About one-half of the grape crop has already been converted into wine. The growers are now receiving an advance of from five to ten dollars a ton for their grapes.

A Hotel Wrecked.

Charlevoix, Mich., Oct. 6.—The big hotel at Lindsay Park, which was to have been the largest summer hotel at the northern Michigan resorts, was blown down and Pierre Kendall and Guy Hamilton were killed and ten other persons were injured.

NEARING THE END.

The Famous Luetgert Murder Trial Drawing to a Close.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—Proceedings in the Luetgert trial yesterday were monotonous and painfully technical. Dr. Allport was on the stand all day, undergoing a severe cross-examination by Assistant State's Attorney McEwen, who sought to throw discredit on the witness' ability as an expert osteologist.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—In the Luetgert murder trial on Saturday Drs. L. A. Merrillat and Joseph Hughes, professors in two veterinary colleges of Chicago, both positively identified the bone which the state claims is a human femur as the lower part of the shaft of a hog's femur.

Chicago, Oct. 5. — For the time being counsel for the defense in the Luetgert case yesterday assumed that the bones offered by the state as evidence were human, and then showed that if the theory is correct the murdered or missing woman was but 40 inches in height. The defense then dropped its line of expert testimony, and put on witnesses to impeach the evidence of witnesses for the state.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The end of the famous Luetgert murder trial is nearer than was thought. The defense yesterday rested its case, and there is nothing now to come but the rebuttal evidence of the state and arguments of the attorneys—probably about two weeks in all.

The main witness for the defense yesterday was Mrs. Charles, wife of Luetgert's business partner. Mrs. Charles denied that one of the rings found in the vat looked like one Mrs. Luetgert used to wear.

FOR RIVERS AND HARBORS.

Western Waterways Convention Opened at Davenport.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 6.—In accordance with the call issued by E. D. Wood, chairman of the executive committee appointed by the last convention on western waterways, delegates appointed by the governors and mayors of various western states and cities and commercial, transportation and other organizations met here Tuesday. The general purpose of the congress is to prepare and submit to the president and congress of the United States a memorial and resolutions asking for continued and more liberal aid in securing improved and permanent navigation of rivers and harbors of the west and southwest. Since the last convention an object lesson has been afforded the promoters of this movement in the form of the destructive floods in the southwest last spring and a repetition of which can only be prevented through the erection of levees at government expense and the deepening of the channel at the Mississippi's mouth.

WOE IN CHINA.

Sixty Villages Destroyed by Floods and Thousands of Lives Lost.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 5.—The steamer Victoria brings news of the most distressing floods that have visited China for many years. Sixty villages near Tung Chou, containing over 80,000 inhabitants, have been destroyed by floods, and the people drowned or forced to flee. There is no means of finding how many thousands have been drowned, but the number is estimated by Chinese authorities at 15,000 to 20,000. The flooded district is within 12 miles of Peking, the capital of China. As a rule Chinese officials make very little stir when a calamity like this happens, but the proximity of the disaster has resulted in its being brought to the attention of the emperor, who has ordered that all possible relief be given.

Horses Burned at Winona.

Lacon, Ill., Oct. 5.—At two o'clock in the morning Burgess Brothers' barn at Winona was burned. Thirty valuable horses, which had just been shipped in from the state fair at Springfield, were roasted alive. Many of them wore the first and second premium colors awarded there. The loss is $50,000; insurance on barn alone. The fire is supposed to have been started by tramps in the hayloft.

Town Swept by Fire.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—Willow Springs, the prettiest hamlet on the Chicago & Alton road between this city and Joliet, is in ashes. But six buildings remain to mark the spot where Thursday stood a thriving village with bustling enterprises and tasteful residences. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

Goes to the Highest Bidder.

London, Oct. 6.—Consul-General Osborne, at the request of an Englishman, cabled to Attorney-General McKenna asking whether the Union Pacific could be purchased by Englishmen. The attorney-general replied that it would be sold to the highest bidder, irrespective of nationality.

Government Finances.

Washington, Oct. 2. — The monthly statement o the government receipts and expenditures during September show the receipts to have been $31,933,098 and the expenditures $35,368,815, an excess of expenditures over receipts of $3,435,717.

Aged Actor Dead.

Boston, Oct. 2.—Joseph Proctor, the veteran actor, died at 12:45 this morning at his home in Columbus avenue, after a long illness. Mr. Proctor was born in Marlboro, Mass., in 1816, and made his debut upon the stage in 1833 in "Damon and Pythias."

SAGASTA CHOSEN.

The Liberal Leader to Form a New Spanish Cabinet.

Capt. Gen. Weyler to Be Recalled from Command in Cuba—Belief That the New Regime Will Benefit the Insurgents.

Madrid, Oct. 4.—Sagasta has been commissioned by the queen regent to organize a ministry, and doubtless will send Marshal Blanco to replace Weyler as captain general of Cuba. The new cabinet will be sworn in to-day. The chief obstacle in the way of a liberal solution of the crisis was that the loyalist volunteer corps strongly supported the union constitutional party in opposing the removal of Gen. Weyler. But the general drift of the crisis was favorable to the liberals.

The liberal government will divide the command in Cuba, sending out a civilian viceroy—probably Canalejas—and as commander in chief of the military forces Marshal Blanco.

The finacial question is demanding the greatest attention, and the liberals at the outset of the coming session of parliament will expose frankly the position of the Spanish treasury.

Sagasta's Policy.

London, Oct. 4.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says: Sagasta in accepting the portfolio expressed his intention to give the largest possible measure of Cuban home rule, to reverse the conservative policy in Cuba and the Philippines, to recall Gen. Weyler, if he did not resign, to prepare for a dissolution of the cortes and to select able representatives to go to Washington and European capitals, as well as to the colonies of Spain, to prove to America and Europe that Spain is at last going to do spontaneously and sincerely what the United States has suggested could be accomplished more quickly and better by mediation or the interference which the Spanish people would certainly not brook, and to which no Spanish government could assent.

Weyler Is Out.

London, Oct. 4.—A special dispatch received here from Madrid says Capt. Gen. Weyler has been recalled from Cuba. His successor, it is added, has not yet been officially announced, but Marshal Blanco will in all probability be given the place.

The Feeling in Washington.

Washington, Oct. 4.—In the view of the administration, the United States and Cuba have all to gain and nothing to lose in the liberal accession to power in Spain. Even if the party is not willing to go as far as the extreme Cuban sympathizers in the United States wish, it is felt that there will certainly be a most liberal offering of concessions to secure peace in Cuba.

The New Cabinet.

Madrid, Oct. 5.—The new ministry is constituted as follows: Senor Sagasta, president of the council of ministers; Senor Gullon, minister for foreign affairs; Senor Groizard, minister of justice; Gen. Correa, minister of war; Admiral Bermejo, minister of marine; Senor Pulgcerver, minister of finance; Senor Capdepon, minister of the interior; Count Xiguena, minister of public works; Senor Moret, minister for the colonies.

Too Much for Spain.

New York, Oct. 6. — Tomas Estrada Palma, chief of the Cuban junta, has just received a letter from Gen. Gomez, commander in chief of the Cuban army.

"Weyler's successor in Cuba," writes the general, "in order to cope with the rebellion at its present standing, will be obliged to demand 200,000 troops and $100,000,000 and even then he will fail as ignominiously as Weyler has failed.

"Our men were never imbued with a more hopeful spirit than they are at present. The campaign in Las Villas has been an utter failure. The Spanish soldiers avoided us at every possible opportunity. This served to encourage our men. I am glad to say that we are all confident of ultimate success. If Weyler be recalled his successor here, whoever he may be, will be surprised to see the spirit of victory which animates the brave Cuban troops. We cannot be subdued and no one knows this better than Weyler."

Suel J. Spaulding Gets Free.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 6.—The supreme court has affirmed the decision of the lower court in not holding Suel J. Spaulding, who embezzled $13,000 from the secretary of state pharmacy commission. The court holds he is not a public officer, but merely the employe of the commission. Spaulding appropriated sums to speculate in grain.

Langtry Found Insane.

London, Oct. 5.—Edward Langtry, former husband of Mrs. Lily Langtry, the actress, who recently obtained a divorce from him in California, and who is said to have privately married Prince Paul Esterhazy, has been found wandering in a demented condition on the railway line near Chester and has been sent to a lunatic asylum.

No Starvation at Dawson.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 6. — J. C. McArthur, dominion government surveyor, who just returned from the north, says there will be no starvation at Dawson this winter. When he left there were 3,000 head of sheep and 400 head of cattle on the Dalton trail which would reach Dawson between September 15 and 20.

Cubans Starving.

Havana, Oct. 5.—The concentrados are arriving at Havana in large numbers, as they have nothing to eat and in the small towns are dying in the streets. Havana herself is in great want of food. A woman from Artemisa saw three children die of hunger in a train on the way to Havana.

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CLINTON.

M. D. Alexander, of Tipton, was here Monday.

Tom Marion has the frame up for his new house.

Tom McGuire was home from Toledo over Sunday.

Walter Burridge, of Tecumseh, was in town Friday.

Clarence Mills was home from Ridgeway over Sunday.

J. L. Kishpaugh and wife, of Britton, visited here Sunday.

Tate & Stoner shipped a car of hogs to Buffalo Wednesday.

Services will be held at St. Dominic's church Sunday evening.

Miss Minnie McAdam was at home from Manchester Saturday.

A. F. Kishpaugh and wife spent Sunday with Manchester friends.

Peter S. Knight visited a few days last week with his son at Charlotte.

C. C. Rowland, wife and son Will went to Albion Tuesday for a week's visit.

Jas. Clark and wife, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. House.

Frank L. Parker came home from Albion last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Huntington.

Rev. W. R. Blachford is expected home October 15 and will take up his church work at once.

The Freese-Whittelsey Co. give a free lunch in their carpet department Saturday, Oct. 9th, 11 to 2:30.

Miss Pauline Erlenbush returned Wednesday from a week's visit with her sister Mary at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Mary June, on account of poor health, has returned from Ypsilanti and is living in E. Stansfield's house.

Mrs. H. H. Corbett, of Tyrom, Neb., arrived in Clinton Wednesday and is visiting at Menzo Mitchell's, north of town.

Mrs. Chas. Sturm and daughter Emma returned Saturday morning from their Illinois visit. They spent Friday with friends in Adrian.

F. J. Kilby and family arrived Tuesday from California. They left Clinton fifteen years ago, but have decided that Michigan is good enough for them and are glad to get back.

O. A. Barnes has been appointed to a charge at Salem, Neb. His wife, who had been visiting his parents here for the past few weeks, left last Thursday to join him at Chicago.

Rev. W. C. Stevenson went to Detroit Monday to conduct a series of meetings for two weeks. Rev. S. F. Blomfield, of Detroit, will occupy the Congregational pulpit during his absence.

If you must buy a jacket or cape, it will pay you to attend the fall opening of the Freese-Whittelsey Co., Clinton, Saturday, Oct. 9. Free lunch.

John Tuttle, Eugene Malley and Jean Marsteller left Friday for Ann Arbor where John will resume the study of medicine, Eugene take up dentistry and Jean enter the law department.

C. E. Foster, A. F. Kishpaugh, C. L. Silvers and R. B. Mills went Monday to Wampler's lake on a hunting and fishing expedition, returning Tuesday night. They report a good catch of black bass.

Quite a little excitement was caused Sunday afternoon on Jackson and Tecumseh streets by F. D. Lancaster's team becoming frightened and taking a short run from near H. G. Woodard's. Mr. Lancaster is an adept in handling horses and succeeded in stopping them near John Clark's.

Mrs. Chas. Green and daughter, Florence, had a very unpleasant experience Monday evening on their return from Tecumseh. Near John T. Clark's they met an unknown drunken man who ran into them completely demolishing one wheel. The ladies were dragged a short distance before their horse broke loose. Neither of them was seriously hurt but both badly frightened.

Next Tuesday being the first anniversary of the Columbian League of Michigan, "Pinzon Lodge, No. 15," of this place, are making arrangements to observe it in an appropriate manner. A public meeting will be held in their lodge rooms on that evening and an interesting program is being arranged. All friends of the order and any one interested in fraternal insurance are invited to be present. No admission fee will be charged.

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ONSTED.

The O. E. S. meets tonight.

A little girl has arrived at Geo. Pawson's.

Leland Secor is now clerking for C. A. Deserma.

A quantity of porkers was shipped from here Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Hogan, of Marshall, visited her parents last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Rollin, and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Aldrich visited in Jackson recently.

Frank Darling and family have moved to Tecumseh and we wish them success in their new home.

Mrs. Dora Shultis, of Springville, visited at her sisters, southwest of town, last week Thursday.

The News office has been moved back so as to make room for a new and more commodious building.

The Cambridge Farmers' Club was held at Mrs. Julia Reed's Friday afternoon. There was a good crowd.

FRANKLIN.

The grangers at Tipton, will eat turkey next Friday night.

Mr. Hurry's people are again settled in Ann Arbor for the school year.

Hay balers are at work at Frank Pitcher's, baling for Baker & Co., of Ohio.

Mr. Davis' people, of Holloway, have moved into the house of the late James Allen.

Carl and S. N. Wisner drove to Ann Arbor Monday, Carl remaining at the University.

Misses Ella Munger and Blanche Hampton and sister are pursuing their studies at the Normal.

Mrs. Mary Deming, who was in a critical condition last week, was able to go to Manchester Saturday in a lumber wagon.

Among those to take advantage of the excursion Sunday to visit friends in Franklin were Miss Cora and Clarence Burtless, of Toledo.

Benj. Lamkin and family were agreeably surprised Sunday by a visit from Ira and Addie who have been employed at Kalamazoo for the past 18 or 19 months and also took advantage of an excursion to make a short visit home. They returned Monday morning.

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UNIVERSITY CHANGES.

New Teachers in Many of the Departments of the Big School.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 3. — There are a large number of changes this year in the faculties of the different departments of the university. There are additional teachers in some branches and there are other new members of the faculty who fill vacancies made last year. Except in the law department, where several new professors have been added, the changes are in the under members of the faculty. In the literary department Mr. Dennison and Mr. Richle succeed Mr. Jeffers and Mr. Stuart as instructors in Latin. In German Mr. Dickhoff and Mr. Hildner are absent this year and Dr. Florer has been added to the number of instructors. Mr. Tatlock has been added to the English department as an additional instructor. In history Mr. Smith takes the place of Mr. Dixon, who will this year have Prof. Adams' work in political economy. Mr. Johnson is succeeded by Mr. Burnham. In philosophy Dr. Pillsbury has received an appointment as an additional instructor. J. L. Larkley, assistant professor in mathematics, returns this year from his leave of absence, and Mr. Coar, who was instructor during his absence, will leave. In physics Mr. Jones will act as instructor in place of Dr. St. John. Mr. White succeeds Mr. Davoll as instructor in analytical and organic chemistry. In the law department Victor H. Lane, James H. Brewster and Aaron H. McAlvay have been appointed as additional professors and Albert J. Ferrals as instructor. Prof. Levi T. Griffin will not be on the faculty, having resigned his professorship last spring.

TO PROMOTE GOOD WILL.

National Fraternal Congress in Session at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 6.—The annual session of the National Fraternal congress opened Tuesday in Society hall. The congress is composed of nearly 200 delegates appointed by secret, benefit and assessment societies, such as the Royal Arcanum, National Union and Royal League, and represents about 40 such orders. Its purpose is to discuss questions of mutual interest to such organizations and to promote good will and harmony between them. It has no legislative functions, its decisions taking the form of recommendations, which are reported back by the delegates to the supreme councils of their various bodies. At the same time, it exercises a great influence for good among fraternal organizations.

The congress represents 40 fraternal organizations, which this year have a benefit membership of 1,732,230, and a social membership of 48,410, making a total of 1,780,440. The Ancient Order of United Workmen is the oldest and also has the most members. The Maccabees is second in point of membership, the Modern Woodmen of America, third; the Royal Arcanum fourth and the Independent Order of Foresters fifth.

Decision Reversed.

Lansing, Oct. 3.—William Whalen, a Michigan Central engineer, who was injured by jumping from his engine at the time of the world's fair slaughter at Jackson in October, 1893, secured a judgment for $10,500 in the circuit court. In a unanimous opinion Friday the supreme court ordered a new trial, declaring that the court below should have ordered a verdict for the company.

Busy After Twelve Years of Idleness.

Houghton, Oct. 5.—Work has just been resumed on the Areadian copper mine which was idle 1 years. Capitalists controlling the Areadian have options on adjoining mineral properties and propose working the mines on a large scale. The copper lode is the same as on Isle Royale Consolidated properties, which is considered very valuable.

Corner on Shingles.

Menominee, Oct. 6.—Frank Jager, of Jager & Son, of Chicago, has bought all the shingles in sight around here, about 30,000,000, paying ten cents per 1,000 more than anyone else offered. He says shingles have increased 75 cents per 1,000 and that they will go up to $40 a car load in the next month. He wants to corner the Chicago market.

Copper Mine Sold.

Houghton, Mich., Oct. 6.—Capt. W. A. Dunn has sold his Six-Mile Hill property to Cameron Currie & Co., of Detroit, brokers for New York capitalists, for $500,000. The property has the richest showing of copper of any mine opened since the discovery of the Calumet and Hecla, and mining men are unanimous in predicting a prosperous future.

Railway Earnings.

Lansing, Oct. 1. — The Michigan earnings of railroad companies for July as reported by the railroad commissioners were $2,423,412, a decrease of $168,891 from the same month last year. The aggregate earnings of $15,281,871 for the first seven months of this year were $1,339,970 or 8.06 per cent. less than for the same months of 1896.

Shoe Factory for Menominee.

Menominee, Oct. 6.—Menominee capitalists have closed a deal which gives them controlling interest in the Richardson-Norcross shoe factory at Janesville, Wis., and the plant will be removed to this city. Plans for erecting a large brick building will be submitted at the first meeting of the stockholders.

Charged with Counterfeiting.

Alma, Oct. 2. — Frank and Charles Knave were detected passing counterfeit silver dollars at Elwell. Under a secret trap door in their house were found tools and molds used in making money, together with a large piece of lead pipe.

His Second Silver Wedding.

Saginaw, Oct. 5.—James W. Twaits, Sr., has just celebrated his second silver wedding. He married his first wife March 23, 1843. She died in 1871. On October 2, 1872, Mr. Twaits married his second wife. The old gentleman is now 82 years old.

WRECKED BY A GALE.

Summer Hotel Near Charlevoix Blown Down—Two Men Killed.

Charlevoix, Mich., Oct. 6.—The big hotel at Lindsay park, which was to have been the largest summer hotel at the northern Michigan resorts, fell with a crash Tuesday afternoon, and is a total wreck. It was all enclosed and roofed, but the lower stories, it is asserted, were not properly braced, and the fierce gale striking on the 440 feet of side wall caused the most exposed end to waver, and gathering momentum as it fell, the huge mass rose like a wave and sank with a crash which was heard for a mile, burying 40 workmen in a mass of broken timber and splintered boards. In a few moments hundreds of willing hands were chopping and cutting away the wreckage, and in a short time the injured were being taken out and the wounded cared for. It was a terrible spectacle, and the cries of the imprisoned men caused the rescuers to work like demons. In an hour all were out. Pierce Kendall, of Charlevoix, and Guy Hamilton, of Grand Rapids, are dead. The badly injured are: Charles Heintzleman, James Gillett, Cy Cain, C. W. McNeill and Willis Silsby, from Grand Rapids and Traverse City, and William Phelps and William Wood, of Charlevoix. F. A. Smith and A. M. Hall, spectators, were quite badly injured, as was Charles Gabriel, the electric lighting contractor. The money loss will be well up in the thousands, but the building will undoubtedly be rebuilt. The accident is said to have been due to rushing heavy work in the upper stories before the lower partition walls were properly braced.

MOTHER AND CHILD BURNED.

Mystery Surrounding the Deaths of Mrs. J. H. Heythaler and Baby.

St. Clair, Sept. 30. — There is mystery surrounding the deaths of the wife and babe of Joseph Louis Heythaler, and to many the only solution of the mystery is the theory of murder and suicide. The three months' old baby was burned to a crisp here Wednesday and the mother suffered burns from which she died a few hours later. The origin of the fire is the mysterious part of the occurrence. The woman gave no alarm until there had been fire in the cottage some moments. Then when the first persons arrived on the scene they found fire in the corners of three of the four rooms downstairs, the woman's clothing ablaze and the baby burned to a crisp on a bed on which kerosene had been spilled or poured. The oil can was standing on the floor before the bed. The mother was reluctant to tell how it had happened. To Capt. H. S. Bale she said she had tried to light the fire with oil, and flames had set her clothes on fire, then she had run into the bedroom and from her the baby and the bed caught fire.

MUST NOT BE KILLED.

Lives of Deer Must Be Spared During the Close Season.

Lansing, Oct. 2. — In reply to a query from Conrad Carlson, clerk of Gogebic county, Attorney General Maynard in an opinion leaves no room for misunderstanding the provisions of the fish and game laws relative to the killing of deer. The question was asked whether the killing of deer for the hunter's own consumption during the close season would be tolerated under sections 22 and 23 of the laws of 1897. The attorney general says that the statute leaves no room for doubt that deer cannot be killed during the close season, and any person having the carcass of a deer in his possession must show affirmatively that the animal was killed during the open season. It is said that the intent of the legislature to prohibit the killing of deer for any purpose, except during the open season, is clear.

Died in Colorado.

Boulder, Col., Oct. 4.—Prof. Guy V. Thompson, formerly a member of the Yale faculty and a prominent educator, died here Saturday of consumption. He was born in Michigan in 1864. Prof. Thompson was a graduate of Colorado state university and also of Yale. In 1896 he went to Europe and was married to Ambassador Chi's daughter at Berlin in January, 1896. In June of this year his health failed, and he at once came to Colorado, accepting the position of assistant professor of Latin in the state university.

Gets a Government Contract.

Owasso, Oct. 1.—The Estey Manufacturing company has received notice that their bid for supplying the government Indian schools, numbering about 40, with furniture, was accepted. The order is for 490 pieces and will fill five car loads. The company at present is utilizing every available foot of space where they can place a man. At present the factory is running 12 hours a day.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Fennville, Oct. 2.—A disastrous fire occurred Thursday afternoon at the Central mint farm, near Pearle, which belongs to Judge Severens, of Kalamazoo, by which he suffers a loss of $12,000, with little insurance. The contents of the buildings, one item being 4,000 pounds of peppermint oil, hay and grain stacks, all went down in the fiery ruin and nothing was saved.

Offers a Big Price.

Benton Harbor, Oct. 6.—Charles H. Cox, who owns property on the Pottawatomie claim in Chicago, has offered Chief Pokagon $1,000,000 for the claim. It is likely the Indians will accept, as they would get about $1,000 each.

Fire at Charlotte.

Charlotte, Oct. 1.—Three large buildings that were formerly used by the Dobson carriage works, but now used as a finishing room and storage rooms, caught fire and were destroyed. Loss, $2,500.

Awarded $3,000.

Lansing, Oct. 1.—The claim of Mrs. Margaret Heims for $3,000, whose son was killed at Ironwood while in the service of the state, has been allowed by the state board of auditors.

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BATTLE BETWEEN SNAKES.

Anaconda and Boa Fight to a Finish and Nearly Kill a Woman.

A battle royal between two large snakes and an attempt on the part of the surviving reptile to count a woman among its victims were the cause of a great deal of excitement at New York the other afternoon, says the New York Journal.

The two snakes were a ten-foot anaconda and an 8½-foot cross between a python and a boa constrictor. They were put into a box together. Suddenly there was a commotion on the inside of the box that brought over Miss Madeline, to whom they belonged, in a hurry. She found the two snakes intertwined so that it was hard to tell which was which. The anaconda was making frantic efforts to get the boa's head into its wide-open jaws, and the boa, on the other hand, was contracting its muscles around the body of the enemy with strength born of despair.

Miss Madeline made a quick dive into the box through the glass lid, which had been broken in the melee, and seized the boa at the back of its head with one hand, while with the other she clutched the anaconda in the same spot. With all her might she began tugging away, but to no purpose. The snakes then wound themselves around her body. During the struggle one of the woman's hands slipped, and quick as a flash the boa turned and bit her hand, making a deep flesh wound.

Miss Madeline dropped the snakes then in a hurry. The anaconda twisted itself with renewed vigor around the boa's body, and with a spasmodic, sudden jerk finally succeeded in breaking its enemy's back. It was caught and put back into the box after much difficulty.

PASSING UP HIS ADVICE.

Queer Method of a Business Man Giving Charity to a Tramp.

Catching at the stranger's coat tail he murmured in a depreciating tone: "Could you give me a little assistance, sir?" The stranger turned and looked him over. His eyes were bloodshot, his clothes dirty, his whole appearance decidedly the worse for wear.

"What do you want?" was the reply to the tramp, reports the Chicago Chronicle.

"A job, after I get a square meal," said the tramp.

"What can you do?" asked the stranger.

"I can keep books, sell goods, drive a delivery wagon, compound prescriptions, set type and do farmwork."

The stranger scribbled a few words on a card, handed the tramp a dollar and said: "Take this card to this address and I think it will get you work. Take that dollar, get a bath, a shave, a hair cut, something to eat and a drink of whisky. That will brace you to meet my friend. So long."

"There's just one thing more," said the tramp. "How do you happen to give me just a dollar and all these directions with it?"

"Because I got a dollar from a man on this very corner about ten years ago," said the stranger, "just as you are getting it from me, and I'm passing up his advice and his money just

Underground City.

In Galicia, in Austrian Poland, there is a remarkable underground city which bears out this description, as it has a population of over 1,000 men, women and children, scores of whom have never seen the light of day. It is known as the City of the Salt Mines, and is situated several hundred feet below the earth's surface. It has its town hall, theater and assembly room, as well as a beautiful church, decorated with statues, all being fashioned from the pure crystallized salt rock. It has well-graded streets and spacious squares, lighted with electricity. There are numerous instances in this underground city where not a single individual in three or four successive generations has ever seen the sun, or has any idea of how people live in the light of day.

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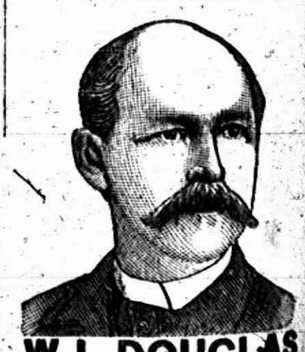

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Neighborhood News.

BRITTON.

W. J. Helm was in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Linn rejoice in a young son born to them recently.

Mrs. Winters of Dundee, has been a guest at Frank Brown's this week.

Will Taylor, of Detroit, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor.

Rev. James Wright attended the Michigan Christian conference this week.

Geo. Nivison and wife, of Coldwater, attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Kniffin.

Chas. R. Maybee was quite ill the last of the week but is now apparently all right.

Miss Nickerson has accepted a position with the Smith Premier Typewriter Co. at Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Tecumseh, were guests of Robert Taylor's family Tuesday.

Geo. Schaffer and wife, of Canada, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will R. Osgood. The ladies are sisters.

Mrs. Howard Hause came down from Clinton Wednesday to visit friends and attend the church fair.

Will Osgood has commenced making cider and jelly and with his feed grinding his time is fully occupied.

Will Underwood bought 70 head of cattle in Detroit to feed and drove them home. They were for different parties.

Rev. E. Mudge, of Maple Rapids, a former pastor of the Christian church, came to officiate at Mrs. Chas. Kniffin's funeral.

The fair closes tonight. The display has been fine, the attendance large and those having charge feel well paid for the labor expended.

Rev. C. I. Deyo is attending the Michigan Christian conference near Flint but will be home to supply his pulpit next Sunday as usual.

At the Reformed church Sunday Rev. J. A. DeSpelder will preach and Rev. N. F. Nickerson will preach in the Tecumseh Presbyterian church.

At the clay pigeon shoot Saturday afternoon Dundee, Macon, Tecumseh and Holloway were represented. Guernsey Kelly, of Holloway, bore off the honors easily.

Editor Kellogg has moved the printing office from the Daykin block to John Britton's building a few doors east. When he gets settled he will have pleasant quarters.

Mrs A. C. Wood and children returned home Monday night from their visit at Lyons, O., and they say she found the house in first class shape, Doc having proven a first class housekeeper.

Rev. Nickerson, Mrs. C. R. Maybee and Mrs. A. Underwood attended the county Sunday-school convention at Adrian Tuesday and Wednesday as delegates from the Reformed Sunday-school.

Mrs. Alfred Kelly, who has been with her sister, Mrs. James Haight, was removed to her home at Holloway Saturday. She stood the journey well. Her many friends rejoice that her permanent recovery is assured.

The district Sunday-school convention will be held at the Christian church in this village next Wednesday. The district comprises the townships of Macon and Ridgeway. The public generally are invited to attend.

O. B. Lenardson has received notice of his appointment as postmaster. No wonder he wore such a happy countenance last week, knowing as he did that Congressman Spalding had recommended him. If a change must come, the patrons could not be better satisfied.

Earl W. Lenardron, wife and daughter Nina, George Rothfus and Miss Lottie Josenhans drove over from Blissfield Sunday to call on O. B. Lenardson and wife. Not finding them at home, they left their cards and, after helping themselves to grapes, returned home.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church of Britton, Mich., October 1st, 1897:

WHEREAS, our sister, friend and companion, Mrs. Libbie Kniffin, has been removed from our society by the silent messenger we mortals call Death, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the members of this society do mourn the loss of one of our most valued members and ardent workers, a true friend beloved by all.

RESOLVED, that we extend to the bereaved family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy in this time of their great affliction.

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be read on the records of the society, also that a copy be presented to the family of the deceased and that they be published in our local paper.

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The highest duty of every man is to fear God and keep his commandments.

RIDGEWAY.

Mrs. R. S. Houseman is sick.

A good many are having cholera morbus.

Morrice Kelly and wife visited at Dundee Tuesday.

Mrs. Susan Clark entertained Hillsdale friends last week.

Mrs. John Arner is visiting in Petersburgh and Dundee this week.

Hattie Montgomery, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Master Ford Babcock, of Detroit, is at his grandfather's, Chas. Pocklington's.

Chas. Kelly, who has been in poor health for some time, is confined to the bed.

Fred Fagan, wife and son Leon, of Tecumseh, visited at E. L. Lowe's Sunday.

Bertha Richer, of Bowen Falls, came Wednesday for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Gould.

C. W. Culbertson has been appointed postmaster. The change will be made as soon as his commission comes.

A. R. Arner, who is braking on a passenger run on the D., T. & M., is home for a few days. His wife is here from Allegan.

Bessie Barrett returned from Jackson Friday. She went to Clinton the first of the week to accept a position in the woolen mill.

Over two hundred from here enjoyed the Sunday-school excursion to Detroit, Lake St. Clair and Belle Isle last week Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Loree were called to Detroit Sunday by the serious illness of their grandson, Willie Lucking, who has typhoid fever.

Remember the Township Sunday-school Association of Macon and Ridgeway will hold their third convention at the Christian church, Britton, next Wednesday during the day and evening.

Article VIII of the Hall Memorial Library was made more binding at the meeting of the board of directors last week. The annual dues are due Sept. 1. A member four months in arrears will be deprived the privilege of drawing books.

MACON.

Mrs. Wm. Haughn is on the sick list at this writing.

John C. Howell was home from Blissfield over Sunday.

Mr. Lazalere, of Clinton, attended services here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson spent Tuesday with friends at Tipton.

Acel Smith, of Ridgeway, was in the village last week Thursday, on business.

Tal Mansfield and wife, of Saline, visited Frank Thomas and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Slaght and Miss Carrie Camburn returned from Flint the first of the week.

A goodly number of Macon people took advantage of the cheap excursion to Detroit last week.

Dr. Arthur Oven, who has been spending a few days with relatives here, left Monday for his home in Petoskey.

Topic for E L meeting Sunday evening, Oct. 10, is "Its life and Fellowship." Eph. 2:4-6. Leader, Ella Camburn.

A reception will be given Rev. E. M. Moore and family Friday evening of this week, at the home of Henry Miller.

Elmer Hunter is moving his household goods into the back rooms of his store, which he has been repairing for that purpose.

Miss Edna Goheen, who has been visiting relatives and friends in the vicinity for a number of weeks, returned to her home in Mason Saturday. Earl Betser accompanied her.

Mrs. Isaiah Hendershot, Miss Minta Jackson and Mrs. Clara Pennington were delegates to the county Sunday school convention which was held in Adrian, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The next entertainment on the lecture Course will be given Wednesday evening, Oct. 20, by the Acme Quartette of Adrian, consisting of the quartette, a pianist, and an elocutionist. Season tickets for the remainder of the course 80 cents, single ticket 35 cents. Children from 9 to 14 years 20 cents.

CONE.

J. C. Dennison was a Detroit visitor last Wednesday.

J. M. Auten shipped several carloads of grain from this place last week.

Miss Kittie Chambers, of Palmyra, is visiting her friend, Miss Edith Ray.

Owen Curry, wife and son Lamont visited friends at Hudson and Devil's Lake last week.

Palmer Gould, of Eustis, Florida, is visiting his brother, Simon Gould, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auten and Miss Pearl Kent, are visiting friends in Toledo this week.

Miss Susie Reeves returned from Chesterfield last Thursday, where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. Libbie Hatten, of Ypsilanti, visited her sister, Mrs. Nellie Caswell, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. James Kinds and two children, of Britton, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Curry, this week.

Mr. James Ray had his arm cut quite badly on a saw in J. C. Cone's stave factory. Dr. Howell dressed the wound and the sufferer is doing as well as could be expected.

Physicians recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup because of its prompt, positive action in all cases of lung trouble. It is a positively reliable cure for coughs and colds.

LAKE RIDGE.

Delayed Letter.

Joseph Hunter is visiting his sister at Clayton.

Mr. East, of Cherry Grove, is visiting his uncle, Geo. East.

Quite a delegation from here took in the Detroit excursion.

Chas. Sanford, of Mooreville, is driving a well for J. Harrington.

Mis Emma Cox has gone to Macon to assist Mrs. Sage with her household duties.

Carroll Culbertson, of Ridgeway, and Miss Anna Murphy visited in East Tecumseh Sunday.

The pastor of the German church conducted his services in English Sunday to the satisfaction of all.

There was no preaching in the F. M. church Sunday on account of the quarterly meeting at Holloway.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

The latest returns on the growth of London shows that over 1,200 houses are erected monthly in the metropolis.

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Keep salt, ashes and copperas where the hogs can help themselves daily.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1896.

MESSRS. ELY BROS.:—I have used Ely's Cream Balm a number of years and find it works like a charm. It has cured me of the most obstinate case of cold in the head in less than 48 hours from the time I felt the cold coming on. I would not be without it.

Respectfully yours,
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Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size 50c. Trial size 10 cents. We mail it. ELY BROS, 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Keep a brick on the stove and set the food on it that is to be kept warm.

From An Old Soldier.

Knox, Ind., Jan. 14, 1897

Gents:—I have every confidence in recommending your Syrup of Pepsin. I am 72 years of age and am broken down, the trouble having been brought on by my experience in the war. Your medicine has done me more good than a hundred doctors and I am just about well of stomach troubles.

Yours truly, JEFFERSON WILHELM.

Some women give their pastors and church the attention they should give their husbands and homes.

In Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and America, the five great continents, Shaker medicines are being used by suffering humanity for the cure of sickness and disease. Never was there such a universal demand, never such wonderful results. Shaker Digestive Cordial, a cure for indigestion, is prepared from herbs and roots, and is a natural remedy, which cures by aiding nature and not fighting her. Shaker Digestive Cordial makes those fat, who have become thin by not digesting their food. It restores the spirits and the appetite of those who are dejected and fagged out from the wearing effects of indigestion. It relieves the symptoms of dyspepsia, and, after using for a reasonable time, finally cures the complaint. Sold by all druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

It takes about as long to tell about a trip as it does to make it.

Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases by neglect of a simple cold or cough. Foley's Honey and tar, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine, would have saved them. It is guaranteed.

John J. Orr, druggist,
Tecumseh, Mich.

There are very few people who are well behaved.

NO CURE—NO PAY.

That is the way the druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, for Chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating tonics. Price 50 cts. For sale by John J. Orr.

About five miles from Bessemer, Mich. what is believed to be a valuable deposit of white mica, has been discovered.

A Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

There are men who say the pretty bicycle girl should not be unrecognized as the daughter of the revolution.

It is Strange

that some people who say they never read patent medicine advertisements will be found lugging home every now and then a bottle of some favorite remedy of theirs. We don't bother you with much reading but just ask you to try a 10c trial bottle of Dr Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for constipation, indigestion and stomach troubles. 50c and $1.00 sizes.

At John J. Orr's, druggist,
Tecumseh, Mich.

Sure as Sunrise.

Where did you get that bad color, sick headache and tired feeling? You are bilious, your liver is sluggish. Take Carter's Cascara Pills. They are sure as sunrise to cure you, and you will feel like a new person. Price 25 cents. For sale by S. E. PARRISH.

"Aunty, what do they call the man who hunts up taxes?" Aunt Sarah—Taxidermist uv course, beca'se he skins everybody."

Shall it be 16 to 1?

Silver men say yes, gold men say no. But all who have used it whether gold or silver men concede that Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup is superior to all others as 16 is to one.

John J. Orr, druggist, Tecumseh, Mich.

For an example of pure and unalloyed contempt, take a barber's opinion of the young man who is growing a full beard.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Jagson says his neighbor's daughter, who is learning to play the piano, cannot be accused of fraudulent practice—It's all sound.

CASCARETS stimulate liver, kidney and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

Love is a luxury, and a very expensive one.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

"The hard times made very little difference to me," remarked a lime dealer, "my business is always slack."

Even catarrh, that dread breeder of consumption, succumbs to the healing influences of Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

Two shots per minute can be fired with the Krupp 130-ton-gun, and each discharge of the machine costs $1,500.

Catarrh and Malaria.

People who are or have been affected by catarrh are most subject to chronic malaria. The explanation is this: Malaria is a germ disease. Germs find their way into the blood through the mucous membranes. If the mucous membranes are healthy the germs can not enter the blood. This is why some people do not get malaria. But if the membranes are effected by catarrh even slightly, the malaria germs find easy access into the blood. Pe-ru-na is the remedy. It not only destroys malaria germs, but so restores the mucous membranes to health, that no more germs can find entrance. Pe-ru-na is the most reliable remedy for chronic malaria. It cures by eradicating the germs from the system. Send for Dr. Hartman's latest book. Sent free by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, O.

Prof. Masso, the Italian scientist, is authority for the statement that eel's blood is as poisonous as viper's venom.

For Pin Worms, Eczema, Hives, in fact, any of the various torturing, itchy diseases of the skin, Doan's Ointment is an instant and positive remedy. Get it from your dealer.

BED WETTING

is rarely the fault of children. They can't help it, because of the weakness that causes it, and they are too young to exercise the will-power of a grown person to arise out of sleep when troubled with irritable bladder or weak kidneys.

Parents can help and prevent it, so they tell us in their letters, because it can be

CURED

The Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills I got from you for kidney trouble, were given my son according to directions, and so well were we pleased with the result after a few days trial, that I purchased a full box of the Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills, and a box of Hobbs' Little Liver Pills. Before taking these pills, our boy had to get up at night, and very often wet the bed. At school he was forced to leave the room several times a day, on account of kidney and bladder weakness. Now he can remain throughout the session and is just about well. I certainly think Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills is the best medicine we ever used. We tried several other kinds without producing any good effect. W. H. Braner, 411 S. East St., Jacksonville, Ill.

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Sparagus Kidney Pills.

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Dr. Hobbs Pills For Sale in TECUMSEH, MICH. by C. A. WRIGHT, Druggist.

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1. Because it is absolutely pure.
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Be sure that you get the genuine article made by WALTER BAKER & CO. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass. Established 1780.

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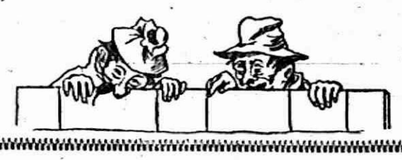

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BEYOND LENAWEE COUNTY.

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Business locals, five cents a line for each insertion.

Special notices, fifty cents an inch for each insertion.

Rates on general advertising on term contr-ct made known at the counting room.

Entered at the postoffice at Tecumseh, Michig-n as second class matter.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 8, 1897.

The citizens of Tecumseh will soon have an opportunity to secure the Lima Northern railroad shops and the HERALD has simply this to say: They will take advantage of the opportunity. Tecumseh can buy the shops cheaper than any other city and, when the time comes, will simply proceed to do so.

Senator William Jibb, of Monroe, was in Adrian the other day and stated to The Times that he would accept a renomination if it was tendered him. The News is informed that another candidate is in the field for the honor, against whom Mr Jibb will have no show.—Tecumseh News.

Now this is really almost too bad. "Old Bill Jibb" lauded to the skies last fall by the News as the only man in the district fit to be senator, he goes up to Lansing and really works hard, succeeds in making a good record and now must be turned down, but—let's see, does our friend Samsen run the politics in this county now or not? The HERALD has forgotten.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning the Railroads.

Running a railroad and running a newspaper are of course entirely different pursuits. But from the newspaper standpoint, it looks very much as if the decision just handed down, that a milage ticket in this state must be made out to any or all members of a man's family will be a blessing in disguise to the railroads that are making the fight against it. The facts are that a man will let the members of his family go far oftener when they can travel on his own mileage at two cents a mile than when they must pay a straight three cent rate. As a result of this decision many families will own mileage books who never thought of doing so before, and in the general round up of accounts that follows, we have no doubt the railroad companies will find their receipts larger than ever, without an increase in expenses. We believe the decision will prove to be an advantage to both the railroads and the public. The next thing to result in doubling the travel probably will be the adoption of a mileage book that anyone can ride on without any red tape, signing of names or any other obstructions. The easier the roads make it for the people to travel over their lines, the more people will want to go, and the more they go the greater will be the receipts of the railroad company. Putting restrictions on travel so that many people will only go when they are compelled to, is not a modern method of getting business.—Adrian Telegram.

A dispatch from Maybee, Monroe county, says: The Detroit & Lima Northern surveying party are having a hard time trying to get around this town without moving buildings. They now parallel the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern from Jones Hill [illegible] outskirts of this town, where they make an angle of [illegible] degrees north, running for 40 rods, then they again angle to the east. In their survey Saturday they did not get as near to the Michigan Stone & Supply company quarries as intended, which lies between here and Scofield, a quarter of a mile north of the L. S. & M. S. The road intends to put in a switch at the quarry. Chas. Bordine, a farmer living west of here, gave the survey party some trouble by forbidding them to cross his farm. His farm is now crossed by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, and he does not like the idea of being again crossed by a railroad. He has had a number of accidents caused by the running away of his horses, frightened by the Lake Shore trains. The right of way has been secured from a number of farmers between Dundee and here.

Dundee, Mich., Oct. 5.—Surveyors this week are running a new line east from Dundee for the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee railroad. The new line is north of the line surveyed a few weeks ago. It begins upon the land of Wm. Penfield, north of the A [illegible] A. depot, run to the farm of B. E. Bullock, and Bone Hill, and strikes the line beside the Lake Shore track, with few changes to Trenton. The new line is said to be considerably shorter than the one lately surveyed. The prospects for the location of the Lima Northern railroad shops in Dundee, are growing brighter every day, but Tecumseh is working hard to get them.

Peter June, of Britton, was found yesterday morning by Albert Koptke near what is known as the Lowe crossing of the Wabash road, west of that village. He was terribly bruised and cut and his collar bone broken. He evidently was struck by one of the night trains. When or how it was done no one knows. His condition is critical.

Miss Matie Galarneau, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Maude Pinard, returned to her home at Lima, O., the first of the week after a pleasant visit of several weeks.

A telegram to the Detroit Evening News last evening from Lansing contain this startling information: "Col. Atkinson's assertion that Henry C. Smith, of Adrian, carried the family mileage book case through the courts alone, and at his own expense, is emphatically denied here. He commenced the suit, but after it had slept in the Adrian circuit for many months, Railroad Commissioner Billings had Attorney General Maynard take hold of it for the purpose of having the question settled by the supreme court. Maynard conducted the case in both courts with Watts, Hean & Smith, the Adrian firm, of which Henry C. Smith is a partner, as local attorneys. The firm's bill for $346 for services in the case was paid by the state." We have yet to see where Mr. Smith has made any public claim to having carried this through at his own expense. The Detroit Evening News contained such a statement, but Mr. Smith never authorized it.—Adrian Telegram.

The supreme court of Michigan has sustained the validity of an act passed by the legislature of 1891, compelling railroads to issue a 1,000-mile ticket, good for any member of a family, for $20, and in express terms says that the legislature had the power to enact such a law. The issue went up on the refusal of the Lake Shore railway company to sell a family ticket in compliance with the act, and the decision will have wide influence in bringing commutation rates within reach of families throughout the the entire state. Speaking generally, this latest deliverance of the Michigan supreme court is in line with a multitude of other court decisions, and the sooner the railroad companies realize that as public carriers they are amendable to the state laws regulating rates on a reasonable basis, the better for all concerned.—Chicago Chronicle.

Adrian, Mich., Oct. 6.—Application has been made to the ticket agent of the Wabash for a family mileage ticket, in accordance with the edict of the Supreme Court in the case of Smith against the Lake Shore, announced last week at Lansing. The amusing feature of the situation lies in the fact that Smith, who figured as plaintiff in the Lake Shore case is the attorney for the Wabash road, and the agent declined to issue the books and refers the applicant to the road's attorney here. The Wabash has never issued such tickets, and it remains to be seen if the plaintiff who demands a family mileage of the Lake Shore will advise his own road not to issue a similar ticket to someone else.—Toledo Blade.

The plan of reorganization of the Cincinnati, Jackson, & Mackinaw has just been made public. The first bonds are to receive 36 per cent of par in certificates of interest in Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee, 30 per cent in new first mortgage 5 per cent bonds in the Cincinnati & Northern railroad company, and 34 per cent in preferred stock of the same road. Common stock will receive Cincinnati & Northern common stock at the rate of one share for five.—Toledo Blade.

Stakes were set and ground broken for the new Lima Northern passenger depot this morning. The building will be of stone and the dimensions are 22x42. It is located south of the freight depot and stands within twelve feet of the track. A long covered platform will fill the intermediate space between the track and the building, a very convenient protection for passengers in stormy weather.—Adrian Times.

Yesterday morning, while transferring freight here, Mr. H. A. Corcoran had the misfortune to have the fingers of his left hand badly crushed by a 500 lb. crate of sheet copper falling on them. After having them dressed, he took the train for Lima, Ohio, where he resides.

The Wabash showed a remarkable increase in the freight earnings for the month of September at this point alone. The company showed an increase of $7,000 on out-bound business and $15,000 on in-bound traffic over the same month for last year.—Blade.

The Wabash railroad has placed an order for 500 freight cars, divided equally between the St. Charles Car Company [illegible] Missouri Car and Foundry.

O. A. [illegible] C., J. & M., arrived yesterday and will be chief clerk in the auditor's office.

Adamson Bros. are putting two new clocks in the D. & L. N. station, one in each waiting room.

The roof is on the general office building and it will now be completed in short order.

See another column of this paper for particulars about the special train, Ohio People's excursion to Cleveland, Ohio, over the Lake Shore Ry. October 19.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned having rented his farm, will sell at public auction on the premises, 2 1-2 miles west and 1 1-2 miles north of Clinton, on Thursday, October 14, 1897, at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property:

Three work horses, one 2-year-old colt, 1 cow and calf, 50 good ewes, 39 grade Shropshire lambs, 1 brood sow with 8 pigs, 50 chickens, 2-horse cultivator, single plant cultivator, Deering binder, feed mill, fanning mill, lumber wagon, plows, drags, etc., 400 bushels old corn, 1,200 lb. scale, 1 market wagon 1 corn sheller, grain drill (new), Piano mower and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $5.00 or under, cash. Over $5.00, 12 months' time on approved notes at 6 per cent. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

GEORGE VANTUYLE.
Ben Reynolds, Auctioneer.

Cheap Excursion to Cleveland, Ohio.

October 19th the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. will run the annual Ohio People's Excursion to Cleveland. Special train through by daylight. Tickets at extremely low rates and good 30 days. Enquire of agents, see hand bills or another column of this paper.

To make room for new goods I will sell 5c and 6c papers for 3c roll.

Wall Paper

6¼c AND 7c papers

-at-

4c per roll.

C. A. Wright.

Millinery Opening!

MRS. M. A. FREEMAN

Invites the ladies of Tecumseh and vicinity to attend her fall and winter opening of Millinery and Pattern Hats on Thursday and Friday

OCTOBER 7 and 8.

All the Latest Styles and Novelties.

"Cannot Break at the Waist."

CRESCO

With this corset the perfection of shape of bust, waist and hips is attained, the disconnection at the waist causing the garment to naturally and gracefully adapt itself to the form and obviating all possibility of a break at the waist. Other corsets develop weakness at the hips, particularly if the waist is small and the hips large, and give out with uniform and vexing regularity. This corset defect, which has been the source of universal and constant complaint, the Cresco unfailingly corrects.

Sold only by

MRS. M. A. FREEMAN.

The Tecumseh Greenhouse,

on Shawnee St. is the place to buy

Plants for Winter Blooming,

Primrose Plants and Hyacinth Bulbs for sale.

Mrs. S. E. Austin, Florist.

Take warning now is the time to buy

FURNITURE

Don't sleep on a board when you can buy a

Mattress for **$1.50**

Every thing else in proportion.

Upholstering and Repairing done on short notice.

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DOMESTIC,
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Ice Cream, Soft Drinks & Lunches

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1000 Rolls of Wall Paper

Just received which will be

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for **20 Cents** a roll.

Just think, Paper and Work for such a price.

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Do not waste your money for a Belt around your waist.

Great reductions in belts for the next ten days at

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makes a specialty of doing up lace curtains and colored shirts and shirt waists without fading or harming them in any way.

All work called for and delivered.

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ou have a watch, clock, pieces of jewelry or pair of spectacles that need repairing take it to

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Jewelry store, in the U. S. Express Office, and get a first class job done My work is strictly first class, fully guaranteed and ready when promised

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We are able to show the

Largest and Most Complete Line

of Clothing, Underwear, Gloves, Mittens, Hats and Caps ever shown in Tecumseh. Notwithstanding the big advance in Woolen goods

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We are giving free with every $15.00 cash purchase a life size water color portrait. See sample of work in store window. Call at store for particulars and a purchase card.

We are hustling for your trade,

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Here They Are!

The **JEWEL** And **LENOX TOE,**

Or Modified Bull Dog,

This shoe is made on a last that fits, looks well, and best of all, it has a square tread. There are others, made in winter Russet, Box Calf, Vici Kid, Wax Calf and Fine Patent Leather Dress Sho[illegible] the Exclusive Shoe Store, where

Prices are always the Lowest,

On first-class Go[illegible]

KARNER BRO

Two Superior Brands of Flour.

Raisin Mills Royal Patent Spring Wheat Blend, which consists of Best Patent Roller Flour mixed with Pillsbury's best flour, making an article equal to anything ever sold in the country.

Raisin Mills Fancy Family

Is a domestic flour equal to any straight flour on the market. If you desire even bakings of good bread, ask your grocers for either of these brands.

C. A. EVERETT.

A Complete Line of Fall and Winter

Suitings, Trouserings and Overcoatings.

Just Recieved. Please Call and See them.

Merchant Tailors. **Jones & Hazlett.**

The Tecumseh Herald.

TECUMSEH, MICH., OCT. 8, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OR RENT.—An office in James block. Inquire of Alfred James.

OR RENT.—Portion of house. Inquire of V. WOODARD.

OR SALE.—Shropshire sheep, both sexes. C. H. IVES.

ET.—Between Frank Wallinger's and the postoffice a short feather boa. Finder will ly leave it at the HERALD office.

"Captain Impudence."

dwin Milton Royle's "Captain Im- ence" had its initial New York pre- tation at a down-town theatre the t season and went on record as one he first successes of 1897.—Dramatic ws.

large and enthusiastic audience put tamp of approval upon Mr. Royle's y.—Dramatic Mirror.

was refreshing to find a military ma departing from the old beaten und with comedy abundant in vol- e and wholesome in flavor.—Mail Express.

n the present production Mr. and . Royle will assume their original s and the play will be "mounted t artistically." Tecumseh people l have an opportunity to see this t of the Klaw & Erlanger Syndi- e's bookings at the New Croswell, rian, next Monday night, Oct. 11.

House for rent. A. W. SLAYTON.

Hobbs & Co. pay cash for butter and gs.

Mrs. S. H. Merritt arrived yesterday m Cadillac.

Miss Minnie Reeves returned to Ypsi- nti yesterday.

Marvin Hayden, of Grand Rapids, e in yesterday.

its in cloaks and prices Saturday at sson & Rosacrans'.

Anderson returned from New dnesday evening.

lot of butter milk cream 3c ce for 10c, at Parrish's.

S. Stafford, of Coldwater, was the t of Eldridge Hyde Wednesday.

s. Amy Hopkins, of Goshen, Ind. is ing her niece, Mrs. H. E. Stout.

and Mrs. B. J. Garlinghouse are ving a visit from her brother, Alex

e band concert last evening was The boys are improving every

Dickie, of Marshall, visited her Mrs. Satterthwaite, Sunday and ay.

E. R. Smith and Mrs. Fred Kil- re down from Clinton yesterday noon.

ry Tansley sold his showy black to Wm. Penman, of Detroit, sday.

d" about wall paper and work for s a roll.

Stevenson, who has been work- Hudson, returned home Wed- morning.

Phelps and daughter will spend nter in Chicago, going there some December.

D. Dewey was quite indisposed for days, but is now gaining and to business.

Parrish sold a large bill of paints is Wednesday to Peter Coller who s near Adrian.

Fred Burger left this week for ny, Kansas, to remain with her Carl and Fred.

vin Gray, who has been playing medicine company's band, ar- home yesterday.

M. Maynard, of Hudson, who vis- Tecumseh friends this week, re- d home yesterday.

ling & Waters are now running ntral meat market. Call on them e best cuts of meat.

C. A. Price and little daughter, ave been visiting Mrs. S. E. Par- eturn to Ithaca tomorrow.

C. Burridge and May DeWolf at- d the wedding of Miss May Sickles, rian, Wednesday evening.

can get wall paper for less than at S. E. Parrish's new drug store.

C. F. Morley went down to To- yesterday for a visit with her ere. She returns tomorrow even-

s. L. Barney left Wednesday even- for Harrison, Iowa, to buy an en- ment of a few days duration.

Mrs. Jarrett, who has been visiting cousin, Mrs. Ines M returned sterday to her home in alo, New rk.

Garlinghouse Bros. shipped hogs this week.

Why not try Mobbs' 35c tea. None better.

Mrs. Mana Coder, of Norvell, was here Wednesday.

C. F. Field has been in Detroit the past week or more.

Be sure and guess on the seeds in the pumpkin at Parrish's.

Frank Conger is just recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Albert Anderson is having his home freshened by a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith are entertaining friends from away.

Mrs. Mary J. Garlinghouse returned home from the east Monday night.

Miss Rena Stoffiet, of Ann Arbor, is visiting Miss Metta Owen this week.

Mrs. E. H. King is entertaining Mrs. Dodd, of Rochester, N. Y., this week.

Judge and Mrs. Howell, of Adrian, were here between trains Wednesday.

Just arrived. Cain seat dining chairs at $3.50 a set. WHEELER & SISSON.

Rev. N. F. Nickerson, of Britton, will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

John Osborn, the veteran shoe salesman, started out for a long trip Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Kies, of Clinton, visited her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Field, this week.

Section II of the Reseach Circle will meet at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the C. R. —SEC.

Mrs. Wilson, of Toledo, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Theodore Harris.

Mrs. Thos. Cummins returned Wednesday from a visit of several weeks in Toledo.

Mrs. James Ingersoll and sister, Mrs. Munger, visited Adrian friends Wednesday.

Lavern Bidwell and Bert Garlinghouse were in Detroit Wednesday and yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Snyder were guests of his brother and wife at Hillsdale over Sunday.

Will Mobbs and wife are now settled in their own home, corner Maumee and Kilbuck streets.

F. D. Lancaster, of Clinton, and Fred Kilby, late of California, were calling in town Wednesday.

Cloak sale and free lunch tomorrow at the double stores of The Freese-Whittelsey Co., Clinton.

Lavern Ide and nephew, of Detroit, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ide, a few days this week.

Mrs. David Boyd, of Hamilton, Ont., arrived Tuesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Hughes.

Underwear to fit all ages and sizes, a houseful of it at Harris & Hiteshu's at prices lower than the lowest.

Will Elliott left Tuesday for a few days visit with Tom Owen at Homer. He will also attend the Albion fair.

Cloak opening Saturday. See our ad. Come in the morning.

ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

Rid your coops and chickens of hen lice. Parrish can sell you the article and it wont cost much and will pay you.

The members of the Wit and Wisdom club were entertained very pleasantly by Miss Nannie Kyle Monday evening.

In addition to the regular business meeting of the Masonic Lodge this evening, the 2nd degree will be conferred.

Darling & Waters, the new meat market firm, are doing a rushing business. Good meat and low prices will win every time.

A church supper and social will be given in the Presbyterian church parlors next Thursday from 5:30 to 8:00 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. M. E. Bice and mother, returned from their visit with Detroit friends Monday [illegible] time and visited every point of interest.

Mrs. Ella Rose, who has been visiting H. D. Cutting's family, went to Detroit Tuesday. Her daughter Blanche will remain for a time before joining her.

The Monday Club ladies have issued invitations to the club ladies of Tecumseh for an afternoon at the home of Mrs. Geo. N. Stacy on Monday, Oct, 11, from 2 until 5.

Mrs. O. M. Palmer is having their home remodeled somewhat to accommodate two families. Train Dispatcher Gibbs and his wife will occupy half of the house.

Wilson and Russell shipped 400 ewes Saturday to a man east of Buffalo, also a car of hogs. They brought back 30 feeding cattle which they sold to Ben Reynolds.

Detroit has been visited with a serious fire Wednesday night. Fire broke out in the Detroit Opera House, which with several large business houses, was destroyed.

We were surprised in looking through Harris & Hiteshu's cloak department not only at the beautiful capes and jackets but at the low prices. You can buy a beautiful garment for a little money.

Our fall stock of furniture is arriving every day, and we will give the very lowest possible price on everything. We sell no shoddy goods. We guarantee every article. We sell you cheaper than you can buy the same elsewhere.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Alva Spayde's show window in the shoe department, has attracted the attention of every passer-by the past week. Besides containing a tasty display of the latest in foot wear, an African figure with eyes in motion, whose occupation and dress has from time to time been changed, has proven a great hit.

Mobbs sells San Marto coffee, 25c a lb.

Miss Carrie Osborn returned from Ann Arbor Saturday night.

Mrs. Geo. Teachout returned Monday from a week's visit with Onsted friends.

Now is the time to do your painting. Call on Parrish for prices before buying.

William Smith and wife visited Robert Taylor's family, at Britton, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Snell, of Washington, D. C., are visiting old Tecumseh friends.

Joseph Marsh, the Springville miller and supervisor of Cambridge, was in town Tuesday.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Mrs. Morris Green is making an extended visit with relatives and friends at her old home, Owosso.

Mrs. Put Cole and little grandson, of Onsted, spent Monday and Tuesday with Tecumseh relatives.

E. R. McDermid and wife, of London, Ontario, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Coddington.

Chas. H. Hopkins returned the last of the week from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Will Wooden, at Battle Creek.

George W. Jackson has purchased of A. L. Millis for $1150.00 the property on Logan street, which he now occupies.

J. W. Wightman, Will J. Ingersoll, D. P. Anthony, Elbridge Hyde and several others, visited the county seat Monday.

Jno. Loomis says anyone giving him a new pair of pants or a "V" may have the privilege of naming his new and novel go-cart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepard are receiving the hearty congratulations of friends on account of the fine boy born to them Sunday evening.

Fred Kolkleisch, wife and child left Sunday for a visit with his brother and family at St. Louis, Mo. They will be gone two weeks or more.

Although Rev. D. Lewis is engaged in evangelistic work in Toledo, he comes home to fill the pulpit in the Friend's church Sunday mornings.

Ladies' heavy fleece lined underwear, the best garment you ever saw for 25c, as good as you have paid 50c for, at

HARRIS & HITESHU'S.

The many friends will be pleased to learn that M. P. Brown, who has been so poorly for several months, is now improving and it is thought will recover.

W. W. Marsh went down to Bowling Green, O., last week Tuesday where his wife was visiting friends, attended the fair and they both returned home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parrish expect their son Harry, who has been traveling, tomorrow. Next Tuesday he goes to Chicago to complete his course in dentistry.

Mrs. Florence Smith and Mrs. David Lewis, from the Friend's church, and Rev. B. S. Hudson, of the Baptist church, attended the county Sunday school convention Tuesday and Wednesday.

A large line of nice cloth-bound books at 10c each at Parrish's.

Fall opening and cloak sale Saturday, Oct. 9. Free lunch to all and railroad fare refunded to cloak purchasers. Prices the lowest.

THE FREESE-WHITTELSEY CO.
Double stores. Clinton.

Askin & Green, having completed the new cement crosswalk went to Blissfield Tuesday where they are to put down 1,200 feet for the Methodist society. Their services are sought both far and near for their work is always well done.

The band were out Monday night serenading. They visited several places, gave fine selections and were hospitably entertained. We understand that they intend continuing these serenades until the whole field is visited.

for $14.00, a polished oak stand $1.25, dining chairs $5.00 a set, rockers from 50c up, a large arm rocker $2.50, dining table $6.00, a good durable couch $5.00, a parlor suit for $20.00 and up. Everything in proportion. When you get ready to buy come and see us.

WHEELER & SISSON.

The second district convention of the W. R. C. of Michigan will take place October 12th at Whitney's opera house, Adrian. An interesting camp fire will be given in the evening to which all comrades with their families are specially invited, also every patriotic man and woman bring the children and teach them lessons of patriotism.

The cosy home of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jones, on east Pottawatamie street, presented a beautiful picture Wednesday evening. Some forty of Wade's young friends, both lads and lassies, were present. One glance at their animated faces, demonstrated that they were having a delightful time. Mrs. Minnie Cairns assisted Mrs. Jones in doing the honors.

The election of officers of the Epworth League was held Tuesday evening. Officers elected are as follows:

Pres.—B. C. Day.
Sub. Pres.—Clare Brazee.
1st Vice Pres.—Ella Norris.
2nd " —Nettie Fowler.
3rd " —Mrs. W. B. Pope.
4th " —Mamie Haight.
Sec'y—Grace Simmons.
Treas.—Bert Abbott.

At the Kendallville, Ind., races last week Fred Teachout again made a clean sweep. With Cashier he not only won the free-for-all pace, but a purse for beating the track record, 2:17 1-2 by Billy H., and also an additional sum for lowering his own time. Time of heats, 2:15 1-2, 2:16, 2:15 3-4. Harold won in straight heats the 3:00 race, best time 2:20, and Judge Powers got 1st in the 2:25 trot.

Alf James was in Adrian today.

Harry Lee returned from Louisville, Ky. this morning.

Eighteen sheets of writing paper and 18 envelopes for 5c at Parrish's.

Wesley Williamson is here from Brooklyn, N. Y., visiting relatives.

Mrs. Cheever, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Mrs. E. B. Wood this week.

Remember the millinery opening Friday and Saturday of this week at J. A. Hough's.

Mrs. Wm. Myers and two children, of Adrian, visited Mrs. Nancy Gamble Wednesday.

The nicest line of willow rockers ever shown in Tecumseh. Prices low.

WHEELER & SISSON.

Rev. L. Dodds, connected with Adrian college, filled the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

Will Baker and wife are moving to Adrian this week. They will reside at 15 Cross street. Mr. Horace Baker will go with them.

Mr. Frank Woodward, of Grand Rapids, while on his way to Detroit stopped over here Wednesday and visited a young lady friend.

You get a free lunch at Clinton Saturday, Oct. 9. Cause—fall opening and special cloak sale at The Freese-Whittelsey Co's double stores. Lunch from 11 to 2:30.

It is stated that the wheat market is 1c. a bu. better for white wheat in Tecumseh than in Clinton. Our wheat buyers seem to be busy enough and the farmers are happy.

Subjects for Sunday next in the Universalist church: Morning; "Faith as a Reality;" evening; "Logic and the Doctrine of Election." The general public are welcome to all services.

Dr. A. C. Wood, of Britton, assisted by Dr. E. E. Hendershot, performed an operation on John Exelby for fistula, yesterday in that village. His friends here will be glad to know he is doing nicely.

Inferences from the answers read last Sunday night, or "Why does any one attend church", will be the subject at the Baptist church next Sunday night. In the morning: "The Light of the World."

Abner Wilson has harvested his home potato crop. His potato digger worked finely, in three days it brought to the surface between 1300 and 1400 bushels for this season. The crop is of fine quality.

Their increasing trade makes it necessary for Harris & Hiteshu to have more room and to this end they are making extensive improvements and alterations in their store. Truly their business is booming.

Bidwell Bros. received word that Castinet won the 3:00 trot at Ottawa, Ohio, yesterday afternoon in four heats, best time 2:29 3-4. She is a promising mare of great speed and all she requires is training. This is her first season.

The reception given at the M. E. church parlors Wednesday evening in honor of the new pastor Rev. W. B. Pope and family, though of an informal nature, was very pleasant. The rooms were tastifully decorated and fine music was rendered. The attendance was large and all were sociably inclined, consequently every one enjoyed it.

We, the undersigned, pledge ourselves to lock the doors of our respective business places at eight oclock sharp, local time, from Nov. 1, '97, to April 1, '98, with the exceptions of Saturday nights, the night preceding Thanksgiving and from Dec. 13, '97, to Dec. 27, '97.

ALVA SPAYDE, HARRIS & HITESHU,
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KARNER BROS., MCCANN BROS.,
SATTERTHWAITE BROS.
ANDERSON & ROSACHANS.

The following clipping is self-explaining. This company will occupy Sutton's opera house for one [illegible] October 11. Prices 15 and 25c; children 10c.

The Bryan Comedians which are filling a week's engagement at the opera house, is the best all around company that has ever visited us. From start to finish they are good, not one tedious acting the whole program. The singing is excellent, the dancing clever and the jokes fresh and up-to-date. Every night there is an entire change of program which is the secret of the crowded houses they draw, and if you want to shake off a fit of blues and laugh until your sides ache go and hear them.—Ludington News.

Olin's Ohio People's Excursion

Will be run over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern R'y October 19th to Cleveland, O. Passengers will leave Tecumseh on regular train at 3:05 p. m. and connect at Lenawee Junction with special train, arriving in Cleveland at 7:45 p. m. Tickets $3.10 for the round trip and good to return for 30 days on all regular trains except No. 19. East of Toledo, train will run via Norwalk division, stopping at all principal stations.

—Boston baked beans every Saturday at M. E. Bice's.

—I. D. Dewey gives 6 1-2 and 7 cents for chickens.

—The Freese-Whittelsey Co., Clinton, have a special sale of cloaks and fall opening tomorrow.

—Oysters fresh in quart pails, best the market affords, at M. E. Bice's.

—Monuments, marble headstones le aned, reset or new work put in by George Price, Adrian, Mich. Drop postal and he will call.

—Attend the special sale of cloaks at The Freese-Whittelsey Co's double stores, Clinton. The railroad fare will be refunded to purchasers of cloaks. October 9th.

Fancy Snow Apples

AND

Yellow Peaches,

ANDERSON BROS,
Grocers.

THE COLD CHILLY WINTER

is coming, and soon too.

We are prepared to sell you winter clothing of all sorts at

Prices That Are Right,

and have assortment sufficient to please everybody.

Yours for trade,

ALVA SPAYDE.

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Buy Your Potatoes,

of us. Our price is nearly as low as peddlers prices, and you know where to find us in case goods are unsatisfactory.

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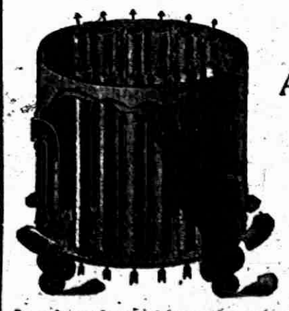

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Air Tight Heater

It solves the problem of economic Agreeable Home Heating. It is the most economical heater in existence. Is sold under a full guarantee and your money will be cheerfully refunded if it does not give full satisfaction.

Satterthwaite Bros.

NEW NECK TRIMMING.

Designed to Be Worn with the Hair Low in the Back.

There are ever so many neck trimmings for those who wear the hair high, but the young women who affect the down-hanging coiffure have trouble to accommodate the neck trimming to the hair. All are too high in the back.

The Yvette neck ruching, while very high at the sides and front, is very low

THE YVETTE RUFFLE.

in the back of the neck, and is just the thing for those who wear a braid.

It requires a yard and a half of ribbon and half a yard of silk to match. Cut from the silk four circular ruffles and sew upon the ribbon, beginning an inch and a half from the middle of the back. Cross the ends of the ribbon and bring around and tie in a knot in front.

If the hair is worn high a very pretty way to deal with the Yvette is to sew the circular ruffles upon the ribbon, leaving a plain space in front instead of the back. Carry the ribbon around the neck, cross and bring to the front and there knot. This is extremely becoming to all faces, and gives the chin a little more space than the other way.

TAN AND SUNBURN.

The Light Not the Heat of the Sun Responsible for Them.

While it was formerly believed that the sun's heat was responsible for tan and sunburn, it has now been proven that it is the light of the sun which colors the skin. Persons exposed to sunlight on mountain tops, at low temperature, are burned as if they had undergone heat as well. Painful burns often result from light reflected from snow and water. Persons exposed to severe heat in mines, firerooms of steamers and rolling mills do not become tanned in the same manner as those working in the sun. The present theory is that the actinic rays of sunlight produce tan or sunburn. These rays affect chemically certain substances upon which they fall. Blue or violet rays have much greater effect upon a sensitive plate than red rays, and this is also true of the human skin. Red glass allows red light rays to pass through it freely and rejects the complementary blue rays. Blue glass admits blue or violet rays and excludes red. A red fabric would be the most effective protection against sunburn. Blue is a most undesirable color for veils. A woman, a member of a party of tourists, wore a striped red and white [illegible] rays. She found herself burned in stripes, the white affording no protection, as all rays pass through it. The pigment or coloring matter of the skin is the portion which receives the chemical action of the sunlight. It is not definitely known why some people burn red, while others freckle or tan. The darkening of the skin is an effort of nature to protect the sensitive parts beneath. The darker the surface upon which sunlight falls, the more difficult it is for it to penetrate. Wind and heat by irritating the skin sometimes produce congestion which predisposes to the effect of the sun's rays.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Mrs. Rorer's Pop-Overs.

Beat two eggs without separating, until thoroughly mixed. Add one cup of milk. Put one cup of flour into another bowl; add to it gradually the eggs and milk; beat until smooth. Strain through an ordinary gravel strainer. Put at once into greased hot gem-pans, and bake in a moderately quick oven for 45 minutes. If these are properly made and properly baked they should swell six times their original bulk, and may be used for breakfast or luncheon, or served with a liquid pudding sauce as a dessert. Whole wheat flour, if sifted three times, may be substituted for white flour. Iron gem-pans insure better results than those made of lighter metals.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in Ladies' Home Journal.

For the Sachet Bag.

A recipe for sweetly perfumed sachets never comes amiss, and as the one given here is detested by moths just as infinitely as it is enjoyed by human beings, the mixture is well worth mixing. Take one ounce each of cloves, nutmeg, cinnamon, carraway seeds, mace and tonka beans, pound to powder, and mix them with six ounces of orris root, which must also be in powder. These ingredients may be obtained ready crushed at a good druggist's. The best bag in which they can be inclosed is one of not overfine muslin, and the miller's sack design, with the opening tied round with ribbon, is a good one.

NEW GAME OF WITS.

It Is Called Character Quotations and Is Entertaining.

The game of "character quotations" is a new-fashioned way of holding the mirror up to nature and of seeing ourselves as others see us. It also furnishes an excellent method of passing a pleasant evening, for when are people so interested as in talking about themselves?

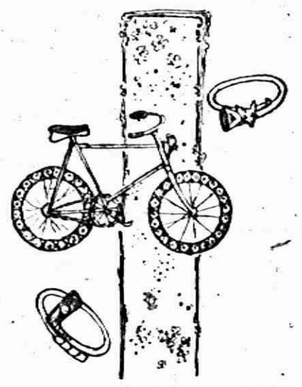
Long slips of paper are handed to each participant in the game, who obligingly affixes his signature to the bottom and passes it on to his neighbor on the right. Beginning at the top of the paper, the neighbor writes his impression of the character and personality of its owner in an appropriate verse of poetry selected at random from some remembered author. If the stanza is comic, so much the more fun; if it is fulsome or sentimental, so much the more confusion for the recipient when it is read to the jeering assembly.

When the first neighbor has written his impression he in turn sends it around the circle, after having folded down his own poetical estimate. If his memory fails him altogether, or no suitable rhyme comes to mind applicable to a special individual, he is forced by the laws of "character quotations" to compose a stanza himself. At the conclusion of the game, when the papers are covered with scribbling, the man on the right of the lady reads her praises aloud, after which she retaliates with his. Then the real object of the play is seen—to fit each estimate to the proper writer and to proportion future punishment to the nature of the crime.—Chicago Chronicle.

SPORTING JEWELRY.

Novelties for the Girls Who Cycle, or Hunt, or Golf.

So great is the love of outdoor sports that all sorts of pretty trinkets come in gold and silver for sporting jewelry. The girl who cycles is wearing a tiny silver bicycle brooch with the tires set in semi-precious gems and the handle



BICYCLE AND GOLF JEWELRY.

bars inscribed with her name and the name of her wheel. The pedals of the bicycle are of a very pretty open filigree work, and the saddle is a little enamel affair, as pretty as it is delicate.

The hunting horn ring has a fox's head curled down over a big open silver horn lined with scarlet enamel. The ring has a little attachment, so it can be made big enough to slip over the hunting glove.

A gold bracelet is a wonderful thing. It consists of a big silver golf stick that is curled to fit the wrist. The handle is a twist of silver. One end is flattened exactly like a golf stick, and a big pearl is set in it for the golf ball.

These little articles come in imitation jewelry, which is just as satisfactory, if the articles are desired for the novelty only. They are the fancy of the hour and the outdoor sporting girl likes to make herself attractive in them.

The Culture of Ferns.

It is [illegible] in with the [illegible] them; wash the inside of the pots clean, and give especially good drainage; use open, rich, fibrous soil, light rather than heavy, and instead of filling the pot with soil to the brim leave plenty of room to hold water. Ferns should never get quite dry at the root, yet it will not do to keep them soaking wet. Many of them, especially the maidenhair and gold and silver ferns, dislike being splashed overhead, and hot sunshine must never fall directly upon these delicate kinds. Ferns are sure to be killed by little dribblings of water every day. The same rule that applies to watering other plants is good with ferns: When the top of the soil looks dry fill the pot with water to the brim, so that the ball of soil may have a thorough soaking.—Vick's Magazine.

To Make Caramel Custard.

For six ordinary-sized custards melt six tablespoonfuls of sugar, stirring carefully to prevent burning. Pour into the bottom of the custard cups, give each a sort of whirl that the sugar may also line the sides. Beat three eggs without separating; add three tablespoonfuls of sugar, half a teaspoonful of vanilla, and a cup and a half of milk. Stir until the sugar is dissolved; pour the mixture into the cups on top of the caramel. Stand in a baking pan half filled with water, and cook in the oven 15 minutes. Turn while hot from the cups. Serve cold. —Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in Ladies' Home Journal.

Protecting Women's Feet.

Now a woman has invented a means of protecting the feet of her sex from the trampling of men as they go out and in between the acts at a theater. It consists of an iron case, lined with felt, to be clamped to the floor in front of the seats. The top of the case is rounded, so that nobody can be tripped up by it. When a man rises to leave the theater the women in his row have simply to slip their feet in these cases, and they are safe. The man can work his way back and forth without hurting them in the least.

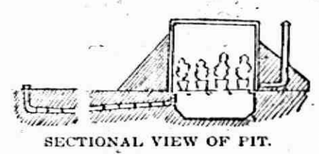
Horticulture.

IMPROVED PLANT PIT.

Its Distinctive Feature Is a Well-Planned Air Flue.

To safely keep fruits and vegetables during severe weather is a problem with many. An idea, simple in design, is a cold frame, warmed some degrees above the outside temperature by air without fire heat. Its distinctive feature is an air flue, leading from a point down the incline on which the pit is situated through the earth mainly below the frost line, in order to temper the fresh air that is admitted, somewhat. A chimney for creating an air shaft is also included, as portrayed in Fig. 2. In Fig. 1 is given a view of the pit in perspective, showing also the manner of banking up with earth and the door at the entrance. Fig. 2 gives a lengthwise sectional view and shows the peculiar interior arrangement. In its construction there is first a pit, some four feet deep and about seven feet wide, as long as desired, of the shape shown. Above this the framework is erected, resting on a foundation of stone. The sides of the house are banked up nearly to the

HANDY GARDEN PIT.



SECTIONAL VIEW OF PIT.

top; above the bank, glass is used on ends and roof.

Some 50 feet from the pit, a trench two feet deep is dug and extended to the side of the pit, and opening into it from beneath the foundation. Five-inch drain tile are laid in the bottom, beginning at the pit and running to the surface, the ditch being filled in again. At the rear end of the pit a ventilator pipe runs up from the pit, thus causing in all mild weather, when the pipe cutoffs are open, a constant current of air to pass under the stage on which the plants stand. The cold air in its underground passage becomes warm enough to keep plants, ordinarily, from being harmed by the cold.—Farm and Home.

GOOD GARDEN SOIL.

It Is One in Which the Atmosphere Can Circulate Freely.

What is or what is not good garden soil is often a great question. The customer often complains to the nurserymen that, though he planted his trees in the very best soil, yet he had little success. Very few people seem to understand that good soil is one in which the atmosphere can freely circulate. The earth must not allow the air to circulate to such an extent as to lose its moisture, but it must have an abundance of small spaces which will contain small quantities of air before plants will thrive. We sometimes speak of "air plants," but, in truth, all plants are [illegible] plants, no matter whether [illegible] growing on [illegible] the earth. Air is of far more consequence to the roots than to the leaves. When, therefore, we have a stiff clay earth to deal with, we make a good soil by applying sand, or vegetable matter which when it rots will leave small spaces in which air may be collected. It is for the same reason that we crush hard clods, for a hard clod has no air spaces. When broken to pieces—pulverizing is the technical term—we simply give the chance for atmospheric air to spread throughout the whole mass. For the same reason, what is known as a wet soil is a bad soil, because water drives out the air. There is no air in earth which is water-tight. It has been noted that the use of a hole in the bottom of a flower pot is not so much to allow the escape of water as it is to permit fresher air to flow in the spaces of earth when the water leaves it. In the language of gardening, a good soil is one which is perfectly "aerated."—Meehan's Monthly.

Save the Hardiest Kinds.

If peaches were as hardy as apples, there is no fruit that would pay the horticulturist as well as the peach. But from ten to fifteen per cent. below zero will surely kill the fruit buds. To improve the hardiness of the trees, seeds of the hardiest varieties of both seedlings as well as budded varieties should be selected and planted out; when these come into bearing, the choicest and hardiest kinds should be cared for and the poor and most tender be cut out.—Western Plowman.

Usefulness of the Ladybird.

It has been already demonstrated that the ladybird is the most useful of the various beetles imported to combat insect pests. In several instances it has eradicated the black scale in badly-infested orchards. When these insects are established in sufficient numbers it is better not to fumigate or spray the trees, as these processes are antagonistic to the multiplication of the beetle. During the last three years about 400,000 of one description of ladybird have been colonized in southern California.

HOW TO KEEP ONIONS.

They Must Be Handled Quite as Carefully as Apples.

Half the secret of keeping onions well is in housing them in a perfectly dry, sound condition. If to be sold before cold weather, keep in any dry place with plenty of air; a loose floor where air can pass up through them is best. For winter use, keep at a low temperature; if kept from actual freezing there is no danger of the temperature being too low. They must be kept dry, but if they become frozen they should not be handled, merely covered and kept in the dark until the frost gradually leaves them. It is not the freezing which does the mischief, but moving them when frozen, and repeated thawing and withdrawing of frost. Wherever the essential conditions prevail of uniformly low, dry temperature, absence of light and not too severe frost, they may be safely stored for winter. Moisture and heating in bulk should be guarded against. To avoid gathering moisture and heating, the bulbs should not be over two feet deep, better less. If too warm they grow and rot.

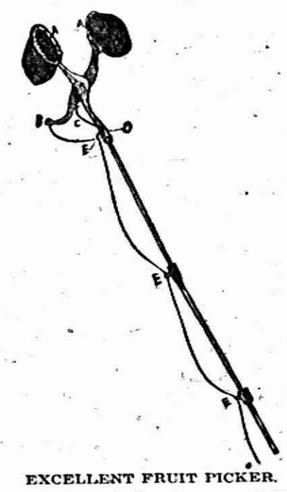
For winter storage, place them in a building with tight floors under which the frost cannot get. On such a floor place scantling, upon which lay narrow boards one-half inch apart. Upon this drying floor build up a false partition one foot within the outside walls. Thus arranged, they have a free circulation of air all around and under them. When the temperature sinks to 20 degrees it is well to fill in the space with straw to stop the circulation of the cold air. They can be put in bins of this structure, from two to three feet deep. Cover with hay or cornstalks sufficiently to protect them. Always handle them as carefully as apples, as even slight bruises cause them to mold or rot.—N. E. Farmer.

HANDY FRUIT PICKER.

It Lands Apples, Peaches and Pears Without Bruising.

The cut shows a device for gathering ripe apples, peaches and pears, without bruising. A A are two rings about four inches in diameter, on arms of scissor-like device, acting as spreaders for mouths of velvet pouches, for seizing and holding the fruit—one at a time, of course. C is a spring for keeping the device open. B is a lever to which one end of a string is attached; the other end, after passing through the guide loops, E E E, is in the hand of the operator.

Tightening the string, the device closes. Slacken the string and the device opens to let go the ripe fruit which it has seized. D is socket of device screwed on top of the three-foot



EXCELLENT FRUIT PICKER.

lengths of bamboo or some such light but strong material. The rod can be lengthened by adding these three-foot lengths. [illegible] the pieces reduces the device into small compass for transportation or for [illegible] during winter.—John Saunders, in Farmer.

HORTICULTURAL DOTS.

Too many varieties of any kind of fruit are usually not as profitable as fewer ones.

Try growing the sugar beet next season if you wish to, but build no castles in the air.

Plum trees are best planted when two years old, and the rows had better run north and south.

A squash vine that is badly infested with the squash vine borer should be pulled up and burned.

People around Chicago, even on high-priced land, make money by turning cabbage into sauerkraut.

Carrots make splendid stock feed; ought to be grown on every farm, unless the farm has ensilage.

A writer says that the use of paris green for cabbage worms is very dangerous, and we think so, too.

Mulch the rose bushes with barnyard manure after the first freezing. Do the same with the grape vine.

Burn up the leaves that fall in the door yard or throw them in the barnyard. Don't winter-protect insects.

Lay the grape vine on the ground at the beginning of winter, and if it is a tender variety furnish protection.

Unfermented grape juice is, we think, greatly overrated as a nourishing drink, but there is a steady market for it.—Western Plowman.

Cultivation in the Orchard.

It matters not how or in what way a tree has been propagated, whether by budding, whip-grafted, a piece-root or whole root used, or grown from a cutting, so it is a good, straight, thrifty, well-rooted tree, with an evenly balanced top; a good tree is a good one and a poor tree is a poor one. It all depends upon the planter, upon the care he gives it, whether it ever becomes a tree and bears fruit. Cultivation is the one thing needful; cultivation is the essential part above all others.

THE AMERICAN GIRL IN FICTION.

As a Heroine She Is Smart and Delights in Managing Men.

Sometimes the characteristic type of the American heroine of fiction is vulgar, sometimes cold-blooded, or unkind, or willful, or indiscreet, but she is never stupid, writes "Loch" in Ladies' Home Journal. That is the verdict of contemporary observers on the American girl. Whatever she may be or do she always has her wits about her; she is "smart." While her father delights in managing factories, stock operations, or railroads, she delights in managing men. And in every kind of fiction which she dominates the men seem to be uniformly glad to be managed by her. Often in fiction she has been lacking in certain graces—chiefly the supreme grace of tact. But there are signs that our novelists have discovered that the American girl possesses this grace also, and so it happens that to-day she trails through fiction not only with fine clothes, and a beautiful face, and generous deeds, and witty, if impertinent, remarks—but there is developing around her a gracious manner, an unconscious simplicity that shows itself in consideration for the weaknesses of others—in addition to that keen knowledge of their foibles which was always hers. What we have yet to hope for is that her wealth or her poverty may be made less obtrusive and less a significant part of her always attractive personality.

SHUNNED LIKE LEPERS.

A Colony of Degenerate Human Freaks Who Live Like Beasts.

A most revolting form of human degeneracy is to be seen on Snake creek, in the Indian nation, Indian territory, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. A small colony of human freaks, with dirty, whitish hair, and white, glassy eyes, eke out a miserable existence in the midst of the most filthy surroundings, being ostracized from the companionship of the other Creeks. These degenerates are the result of frequent intermarriage among a class of mongrel whites, negroes and Indians, and the degeneracy has kept dropping down the scale of human intelligence until it is said these people eat snakes, toads and other reptiles. They use a peculiar jargon, many expressions resembling the clucking of hens and the unpleasant noises made by belligerent geese. Their hair is somewhat kinky, but stands out nearly straight, giving them a very frightful appearance. They live out in the open air, except in very unpleasant weather, when they crawl into rude caves or dugouts, reeking with filth and vermin. Many of them are afflicted with sores, and are deformed or cross-eyed. They are too lazy to be mean, but the very sight of them is sickening, and they are shunned like lepers. A subagent has been asked for to look after their annuities and to secure for them something like human comforts. They have many children, and their offspring are most pitiful looking objects.

IMPROVEMENTS IN GILDING.

Modern Methods Insure Better and Less Dangerous Work.

In nothing has the superiority of modern over former methods been made more manifest than in the various processes employed for gilding, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Now the greater portion of gilded articles are gold-covered by means of the electrical bath. Formerly gilding was done by laborious and troublesome processes, in certain stages very detrimental to the health of the workmen. The old-time glider used an amalgam of gold and mercury, causing it to adhere to the bronze article by means of nitrate of mercury, the nitrous and mercurial fumes being poisonous, always endangering the health of the workman, and sometimes inducing incurable disease. Now the article to be gilded is placed in an electric bath, the current is turned on, and in a short time the piece is ready for the finisher. Gilding with leaf and gold powder is still practiced, the work being mostly done by hand, but its delicacy is such as to require long practice and great experience. An amateur gilder has no earthly chance of success—his work will always show the inexperience of the workman.

WILL NOT WAIT TEN DAYS.

Miners in Pittsburgh District in a Hurry to Get to Work.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 15.—Work has been resumed in a number of mines and it is expected that all will be running full on Thursday morning, notwithstanding the ten days' clause in the resolution accepting the operators' compromise proposition. The general sentiment along the Wheeling division is for an early resumption.

Ohio Miners at Work.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 15.—The coal miners in the Massillon district, held a delegate mass meeting and decided to accept the new rate for mining at the expiration of the ten days' limit. Four hundred men at the Goshen mines have returned to work, ignoring the ten days' clause, and 400 others will resume today at the Midvale mines. All the mines in the Silver Creek and Clinton district near Akron resumed operations Tuesday.

A Destructive Beetle.

Palmyra, Wis., Sept. 18.—Farmers in the northern part of the town report a hitherto unknown beetle destroying their corn crops. Corn and husks are destroyed with rapidity and by the acre, leaving an entirely cleaned corncob.

Peace Treaty Ratified.

Constantinople, Sept. 22.—The preliminary treaty of peace between Turkey and Greece which was signed on Saturday by the representatives of the sultan and of the powers has been ratified by the sultan.

—The completed mileage of railways in India, according to recent returns, is 19,724, and there are 3,600 miles under construction.

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W. WIGHTMAN, Attorney, Successor to F. B. Wood, [illegible]'s dry goods store, Tecumseh, [illegible]

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A SMOOTH MOUNTAINEER.

How He Worked a Chattanooga Merchant on Ginseng.

The Chinese may be very shrewd people and experts at doing up and bunco-ing the average "Melican man" when it comes to three-card monte or poker, but they are not in it with the East Tennessee mountaineer from up in the land of Houks and pensions," says the Chattanooga Times.

Several days ago Mr. H. Goodman, the hide and leather dealer, purchased a large quantity of ginseng from Oneida, Tenn., which place is in the mountains above Harriman. Mr. Goodman paid a good stiff price for the drug, which cures all the ills that Celestial flesh is heir to, and brought the same to his store in this city.

For dried ginseng Mr. Goodman thought this stuff was unusually heavy, but paid no more attention to it until he went to empty it from one box to another. As he did so he discovered quite a large amount of bird shot in the bottom of the box. He could not account for the presence of the shot, and began examining the ginseng, with the result that he found the greater number of roots stuffed with shot.

Ginseng is purchased from the "sang digger" by the pound, and the roots were cut into when green and stuffed full of shot. A further examination revealed the fact that there was a large number of bogus roots in the ginseng, which Mr. Goodman's employes spent some time in sorting out.

This is a new way of dosing Chinamen with American lead. The Celestials were filled with American lead during the California and Colorado riots and during the Japanese war, but this is the first case on record where an attempt was made to fill them with American lead through and in their favorite drug.

HAD NO EYES FOR THE BABY.

The Judge Was Devoted to Chess and Thought of Nothing Else.

The late Judge Sheldon, of Rockford, Ill., legal luminary and millionaire, was a noted chess player, devoting his entire evenings for many years to playing at the houses of his friends, where the ladies complained bitterly of his devotion to the game, to their almost total neglect. One of these, says the Chicago Times-Herald, was a charming young mother who had known the judge since her childhood. Her father was a favorite partner of the judge, and the two spent their evenings together in the home library playing chess in the silence which the game involves, and, as unsociable and taciturn as they were, the young woman intruded upon them, determined that the judge should see and admire her beautiful baby.

"Isn't he a darling?" she asked, holding him forward for her father's bachelor friend to admire.

Absolute silence.

"Now, dear Judge Sheldon, do just look at my sweet boy. Why, he is a perfect little angel."

The judge never lifted his head.

"I think the precious looks just like you, don't you?"

This appeal moved him. He lifted his eyes and looked at the baby with a blank stare. Then he turned again to the chess table and said in his usual commanding voice:

"Check!"

...OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

Characteristics Reflected in Different Military Regulations.

...ldier's bed differs notably in ...principal varieties being given below, ...armies, the ...and in them may perhaps be seen the ...reflection of national characteristics, ...says the London Mail. In England the ...bed is hard; the soldier lies on a thin ...mattress that rests on canvas stretched ...over a frame. In Spain the soldier has ...only a straw bed, but he is allowed ...besides this a pillow, two sheets, two ...and a covered quilt, sometimes ...over for his feet. ...In Germany, Austria ...bed, with one or ...ers, neither sheet nor mattress, ...th until recently the soldier ...th his clothes on, on a camp bed; ...w ordinary beds begin to be ...he result of contact with more ...d countries. After this it cannot ...be doubted that the French soldier's bed is the best of all, with its wooden or iron bedstead, a straw bed, a good mattress, sheets, a brown woolen coverlet and an extra quilt for cold weather. Thus the bed of the French soldier is the softest of all soldiers' beds, as that of the French peasant is acknowledged also to be the best of all European countries.

GOOD DIVING.

It Is the Chief Essential to Marriage at Himia Island.

At Himia and other of the Greek islands in the Mediterranean diving for sponges forms a considerable part of the occupation of the inhabitants. A visitor to that rather unfrequented region, writing of the island customs, says: "Himia, which is a little island directly opposite Rhodes, is worthy of notice on account of the singular method by which the Greek inhabitants get their living. On the bottom of the sea in this locality the common sponge is found in greater abundance than in any other part of the Mediterranean. The natives make it a trade to gather these, and derive a good income, their goods being always in great demand among the Turks, who use an incredible number of sponges in the ablutions prescribed by their religion. A girl in Himia is not permitted to marry until she has brought up a certain number of ... and given proof of her skill by ...ing from a certain depth. In ...ther islands this custom is ...the father of a marriage- ...estows her ...peasants.

DISEASE OF THE EASTER LILY.

Result of a Government Investigation of a Flower's Ailment.

A special bulletin has been issued by the agricultural department on disease of the Bermuda, or Easter lily, which is of much interest to the florists of the country. It points out that the forcing of the lily has become an important industry in the United States. The bulbs are grown almost exclusively in Bermuda, where they mature in July and are then shipped to this country to be forced in the following fall, winter and spring.

During the past five or six years the disease affecting the lily has seriously interfered with the profitable growth of the plant. The government began an investigation of the plant two or three years ago, and the preliminary report says the disease destroys in this country from 20 to 60 per cent. of the entire crop, exclusive of the bulbs which fail to grow or that make worthless plants, the loss from which ranges from 5 to 30 per cent.

The disease is characterized by spotting and distortion of the leaves and flowers, and usually the stunting of the plants. The principal causes assigned are worn-out soil, premature removal of flowers and flower stems, premature harvesting of bulbs, carelessness in selection of propagating stock, bad treatment during the forcing, and the depredation of insects. As remedies it is suggested that only strong and vigorous plants be used for propagation, crop rotation should be practiced, chemical fertilizers used and premature digging avoided.

ACEPHALOUS ROOSTERS.

Demonstrated That the Barnyard Monarch Can Live Without a Head.

It was once thought impossible that a human being could live and walk with a broken neck, and perhaps still more doubted that a rooster could live, stand and be fed after the hatchet had severed its head from the body. But such are the real hard facts, says Forest and Stream. The phenomenal rooster was exhibited some years ago in Huntington, W. Va. The exhibitors said they got the fowl from a farmer who had decapitated it, after which it got upon its feet. However this may be, the headless, living rooster was not a deception. It was fed through a tube inserted in its throat. It is obvious that the farmer's stroke was a little too high, and that a portion of the back brain still remained, and partially performed its functions. How long the fowl lived I did not hear. One thing is certain—he died "game."

A negro, seeing "millions in it," then experimented on the gallinaceous tribe, and succeeded in turning out a fair duplicate of the aforesaid acephalous curiosity (for whom I made a picture of the rooster with which to advertise), and he started on a tour of exhibition. He returned not long after and told me he was doing well, and could have made some money at decapitating roosters for other parties who wanted them for exhibition, but that he was prevented by the authorities, upon the accusation of cruelty.

THE ALASKAN DOG.

Cruel Treatment Is the Reward for Their Affection and Intelligence.

The Alaskan dog is almost human in intelligence. He weighs about 100 pounds. Heavily laden he will travel as many as 60 miles a day.

With 20 dogs in a team no two of them are in a straight line from the driver. When unhitched for the night they pile upon the first blanket that is thrown upon the snow, and there they stay. When you crawl into your sleeping bag and pull a robe over it the dog will get under the robe. Unless you are careful he will be inside of the bag in the morning. Their endurance is phenomenal, and they are capable of strong affection. They are great fighters.

A traveler who ... from Alaska says of the treatment accorded these faithful animals:

"The cruelest thing of ... used on them is the ... known to man. Thirty feet in length and two inches thick near the ... handle, it has a lash ten feet long that cuts like a knife. The Russian knout ... in it. When the dog is struck you hear a sharp yelp, and then your sleigh whirls past a bit of fur or possibly a piece of bloody skin lying on the snow."

NO BIBLE FOR BOSTONIAN.

He Visited Kansas in Early Days and Created a Bible Boom.

In the early days of Atchison a rich Boston man named Claflin came to town to assist in celebrating the opening of the Central branch, says the Atchison Globe. He was entertained by George W. Glick, and the morning after his arrival he came downstairs and asked Mr. Glick for a Bible before breakfast. Mr. Glick said he would get one, but found there was not a Bible in the house. He slipped over to Cottonwood Brown's, supposing he would have one, but he didn't, and then he went to Virgie Parker's. Parker didn't have one, either, and finally Mr. Glick was compelled to confess to his guest that there wasn't a Bible in the neighborhood. The late L. A. Anderson operated a Bible depository in Atchison at that time, and used to tell how Glick, Brown and Parker slipped into his store one morning, one after another, and bought a Bible each. It was the morning after the Boston man inquired for one.

An Eagle's Curiosity.

M. Cabalzar, a French aeronaut, reports that he met with a strange adventure in a recent ascent from Annecy, in Savoy. Feeling that the balloon was being pulled violently, he looked out, and was amazed to see a gigantic eagle climbing, with extended wings, down the ropes toward the car. There it remained, staring fixedly at M. Cabalzar, till the balloon neared the ... and an hour afterward, when it was ...ned away by the shouts of ... peasants.

SHORT BUT NEWSY.

Paragraphs Containing Much Interesting Information.

Hog cholera is said to be on the increase in Ionia county.

The president has appointed Thomas Scudden register of the land office at Marquette.

The crop of cloverseed in the vicinity of Davison is threshing out the largest in many years.

The potato crop in Otsego county is bountiful this fall in spite of the restricted acreage.

The Michigan grand lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its annual meeting at Lansing October 18 to 22.

William Livingstone, manager of the Detroit Journal, has declined to run for mayor of that city.

Adrian college reopened with the largest number of students in attendance that has been registered in the past 20 years.

It has been definitely decided to put the monument to ex-Gov. Blair will be placed in Capitol square, Lansing, ... til next spring.

Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, has sold the oak timber on 22,000 acres of land owned by him in Arkansas to a German syndicate.

A movement is on foot among Port Huron business men to provide free dockage to all boats that will lay up for the winter.

George W. Dumphey, of Quincy, has been appointed state veterinarian to succeed George Coester, of Detroit, who failed to qualify.

While boring an artesian well at Tawas City natural gas was struck and the people of the vicinity are consequently somewhat excited.

George Rebec, instructor in philosophy at the University of Michigan, has been offered the chair of philosophy at the University of Colorado.

The state board of dental examiners will meet in Lansing October 12 to examine candidates for licenses to practice the science of dentistry.

Prof. Conrad J. Swensburg, president of the Herald company, and largely interested in banking and manufacturing, died at Grand Rapids of heart disease, aged 62 years.

Forest fires are very bad all along the Mackinaw division of the Michigan Central, doing a large amount of damage to timber and crops, and burning houses in many instances.

The state board of auditors has held up several bills which bore the approval of Gov. Pingree in the shape of a rubber stamp signature. The bills held up aggregate $1,200 and members of the board say that the rubber stamp signature does not go.

It is rumored that the Detroit & Lima Northern people will purchase the Allegan branch of the Chicago & West Michigan road and make Holland its main port on the east side of Lake Michigan, running a car ferry between there and Milwaukee.

MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY OPENS.

All Records for Attendance Promise to Be Beaten This Year.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 1.—The university opened its doors for business Friday with a rush. From all indications the attendance will be larger than it has been for years. The registration has already reached the 2,000 mark, and the increase in the law department is phenomenal, over 150 more being already enrolled than at the same time last year. The university authorities are unanimous in the opinion that the attendance will not only reach the 3,000 mark, but go away beyond it. The freshman classes show an increase in all departments. The authorities are particularly gratified with the increase, especially noticeable from Chicago, Minneapolis and Missouri cities. The dental department comes in with an increased attendance.

Tried to Kill Herself.

Sturgis, Oct. 5.—Kate Henninger, of Fort Wayne, took arsenic on a Grand Rapids & Indiana train here, but was saved by the railway surgeons. Her parents opposed her in a love affair and she went to Kalamazoo to take a servant's place. Arriving there she found that she had been lured into evil surroundings, and in her chagrin she took the poison after starting for home. Her recovery is doubtful.

Tried to Kill His Brother.

Williamstown, Oct. 1. — Simon and ... Kent, brothers, about 55 years old, quarreled Thursday. Simon seized a double barreled gun and fired both barrels point blank at his brother. One charge entered Seth's eye and the other struck him in the side. Small hopes are entertained for his recovery. Simon was arrested.

Will Give Work to Many.

Bay City, Oct. —Hale & Booth, of Ottawa, Ont., have just closed contracts with Bay City firms to saw 11,000,000 feet of timber to be brought from Canada. These mills have been idle all the season, and in starting up will give employment to many men.

Sent to Prison.

Bay City, Oct. 1.—George ...per, the young man who was convicted of having burglars' tools in his possession, was brought before Judge Maxwell and sentenced to ten years at hard labor in the state prison at Jackson, the full penalty of the crime.

Rich Beds of Iron Ore Found.

Menominee, Mich., Oct. 4.—The St. M. Stephens Exploring company has made a rich find of iron ore near Vulcan. It is said to be worth millions and to be the richest in the upper peninsula.

Bit Off Her Father's Finger.

Owosso, Oct. 1.—John Bristow, of Bennington township, is mourning the loss of one joint of a finger which his daughter Mina bit off in a family fight. She received a pair of black eyes.

Death of Wife of a Teacher.

Sturgis, Oct. —Mrs. L. W. Leisenring, wife of the principal of the Sturgis schools, died recently, aged about 24 years.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of SARAH A. LIGHTHALL, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Beecher Lighthall praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edwin Howell or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of October next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the TECUMSEH HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Lenawee, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) RICHARD B. ROBBINS, Judge of Probate.

A. E. BARAGAR, Probate Register.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of ELIAS BROWN deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of the deceased in Raisin township Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 11th day of October, 1897, and on the 3rd day of February, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 31st day of August A. D. 1897, are allowed by said probate court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

L. McCONNELL, HORACE HOLDRIDGE, Commissioners.

Dated. September 10th, 1897.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee, ss. Probate Court for the County of Lenawee.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Lenawee, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Adrian, on the 13th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Richard B. Robbins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of WILLIAM HAWKEN, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sylvester P. Hooker, administrator, praying that his time for the payment of the debts of said deceased be extended until July 1st, 1898, for reasons therein stated.

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A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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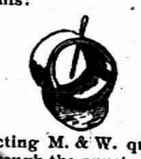

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this.

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture. like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two "buts," or he will fail:

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

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A SMOOTH MOUNTAINEER.

How He Worked a Chattanooga Merchant on Ginseng.

The Chinese may be very shrewd people and adepts at doing up and buncoing the average "Melican man" when it comes to three-card monte or poker, but they are not in it with the East Tennessee mountaineer from up in the land of "Houka and pensions," says the Chattanooga Times.

Several days ago Mr. H. Goodman, the hide and leather dealer, purchased a large quantity of ginseng from Oneida, Tenn., which place is in the mountains above Harriman. Mr. Goodman paid a good stiff price for the drug, which cures all the ills that Celestial flesh is heir to, and brought the same to his store in this city.

For dried ginseng Mr. Goodman thought this stuff was unusually heavy, but paid no more attention to it until he went to empty it from one box to another. As he did so he discovered quite a large amount of bird shot in the bottom of the box. He could not account for the presence of the shot, and began examining the ginseng, with the result that he found the greater number of roots stuffed with shot.

Ginseng is purchased from the "sang digger" by the pound, and the roots were cut into when green and stuffed full of shot. A further examination revealed the fact that there was a large number of bogus roots in the ginseng, which Mr. Goodman's employes spent some time in sorting out.

This is a new way of dosing Chinamen with American lead. The Celestials were filled with American lead during the California and Colorado riots and during the Japanese war, but this is the first case on record where an attempt was made to fill them with American lead through and in their favorite drug.

HAD NO EYES FOR THE BABY.

The Judge Was Devoted to Chess and Thought of Nothing Else.

The late Judge Sheldon, of Rockford, Ill., legal luminary and millionaire, was a noted chess player, devoting his entire evenings for many years to playing at the houses of his friends, where the ladies complained bitterly of his devotion to the game, to their almost total neglect. One of these, says the Chicago Times-Herald, was a charming young mother who had known the judge since her childhood. Her father was a favorite partner of the judge, and the two spent their evenings together in the home library playing chess in the silence which the game involves, and, as unsociable and taciturn as they were, the young woman intruded upon them, determined that the judge should see and admire her beautiful baby.

"Isn't he a darling?" she asked, holding him forward for her father's bachelor friend to admire.

Absolute silence.

"Now, dear Judge Sheldon, do just look at my sweet boy. Why, he is a perfect little angel."

The judge never lifted his head.

"I think the precious looks just like papa, don't you?"

This appeal moved him. He lifted his eyes and looked at the baby with a blank stare. Then he turned again to the chess table and said in his usual commanding voice:

"Check."

BEDS OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

National Characteristics Reflected in the Different Military Regulations.

The soldier's bed differs notably in the different European armies, the principal varieties being given below, and in them may perhaps be seen the reflection of national characteristics, says the London Mail. In England the bed is hard; the soldier lies on a thin mattress that rests on canvas stretched over a frame. In Spain the soldier has only a straw bed, but he is allowed besides this a pillow, two sheets, two blankets and a covered quilt, sometimes even a cover for his feet. It is almost sybaritic. In Germany and Austria he has a simple straw bed, with one or two covers, neither sheet nor mattress. In Russia until recently the soldier slept with his clothes on, on a camp bed; but now ordinary beds begin to be used—the result of contact with more civilized countries. After this it cannot be doubted that the French soldier's bed is the best of all, with its wooden or iron bedstead, a straw bed, a good mattress, sheets, a brown woolen coverlet and an extra quilt for cold weather. Thus the bed of the French soldier is the softest of all soldiers' beds, as that of the French peasant is acknowledged also to be the best of all European countries.

GOOD DIVING.

It Is the Chief Essential to Marriage at Himia Island.

At Himia and other of the Greek islands in the Mediterranean diving for sponges forms a considerable part of the occupation of the inhabitants. A visitor to that rather unfrequented region, writing of the island customs, says: "Himia, which is a little island directly opposite Rhodes, is worthy of notice on account of the singular method by which the Greek inhabitants get their living. On the bottom of the sea in this locality the common sponge is found in greater abundance than in any other part of the Mediterranean. The natives make it a trade to gather these, and derive a good income, their goods being always in great demand among the Turks, who use an incredible number of sponges in the ablutions prescribed by their religion. A girl in Himia is not permitted to marry until she has brought up a certain number of sponges and given proof of her skill by taking them from a certain depth. In some of the other islands this custom is reversed, and the father of a marriageable daughter bestows her on the best diver among her suitors. He who can stay longest in the water and bring up the biggest lot of sponges marries the world."

DISEASE OF THE EASTER LILY.

Result of a Government Investigation of a Flower's Ailment.

A special bulletin has been issued by the agricultural department on disease of the Bermuda, or Easter lily, which is of much interest to the florists of the country. It points out that the forcing of the lily has become an important industry in the United States. The bulbs are grown almost exclusively in Bermuda, where they mature in July and are then shipped to this country to be forced in the following fall, winter and spring.

During the past five or six years the disease affecting the lily has seriously interfered with the profitable growth of the plant. The government began an investigation of the plant two or three years ago, and the preliminary report says the disease destroys in this country from 20 to 60 per cent. of the entire crop, exclusive of the bulbs which fail to grow or that make worthless plants, the loss from which ranges from 5 to 30 per cent.

The disease is characterized by spotting and distortion of the leaves and flowers, and usually the stunting of the plants. The principal causes assigned are worn-out soil, premature removal of flowers and flower stems, premature harvesting of bulbs, carelessness in selection of propagating stock, bad treatment during the forcing, and the depredation of insects. As remedies it is suggested that only strong and vigorous plants be used for propagation, crop rotation should be practiced, chemical fertilizers used and premature digging avoided.

ACEPHALOUS ROOSTERS.

Demonstrated That the Barnyard Monarch Can Live Without a Head.

It was once thought impossible that a human being could live and walk with a broken neck, and perhaps still more doubted that a rooster could live, stand and be fed after the hatchet had severed its head from the body. But such are the real hard facts, says Forest and Stream. The phenomenal rooster was exhibited some years ago in Huntington, W. Va. The exhibitors said they got the fowl from a farmer who had decapitated it, after which it got upon its feet. However this may be, the headless, living rooster was not a deception. It was fed through a tube inserted in its throat. It is obvious that the farmer's stroke was a little too high, and that a portion of the back brain still remained, and partially performed its functions. How long the fowl lived I did not hear. One thing is certain—he died "game."

A negro, seeing "millions in it," then experimented on the gallinaceous tribe, and succeeded in turning out a fair duplicate of the aforesaid acephalous curiosity (for whom I made a picture of the rooster with which to advertise), and he started on a tour of exhibition. He returned not long after and told me he was doing well, and could have made some money at decapitating roosters for other parties who wanted them for exhibition, but that he was prevented by the authorities upon the accusation of cruelty.

THE ALASKAN DOG.

Cruel Treatment Is the Reward for Their Affection and Intelligence.

The Alaskan dog is almost human in intelligence. He weighs about 100 pounds. Heavily laden he will travel as many as 60 miles a day.

With 20 dogs in a team no two of them are in a straight line from the driver. When unhitched for the night they pile upon the first blanket that is thrown upon the snow, and there they stay. When you crawl into your sleeping bag and pull a robe over it the dog will get under the robe. Unless you are careful he will be inside of the bag in the morning. Their endurance is phenomenal, and they are capable of strong affection. They are great fighters.

A traveler who recently returned from Alaska says of the treatment accorded these faithful animals:

"The whip that is used on them is the cruelest thing of the kind known to man. Thirty feet in length and two inches thick near the short handle, it has a lash ten feet long that cuts like a knife. The Russian knout isn't in it. When the dog is struck you hear a sharp yelp, and then your sleigh whirls past a bit of fur or possibly a piece of bloody skin lying on the snow."

NO BIBLE FOR BOSTONIAN.

He Visited Kansas in Early Days and Created a Bible Boom.

In the early days of Atchison a rich Boston man named Claflin came to town to assist in celebrating the opening of the Central branch, says the Atchison Globe. He was entertained by George W. Glick, and the morning after his arrival he came downstairs and asked Mr. Glick for a Bible before breakfast. Mr. Glick said he would get one, but found there was not a Bible in the house. He slipped over to Cottonwood Brown's, supposing he would have one, but he didn't, and then he went to Virgie Parker's. Parker didn't have one, either, and finally Mr. Glick was compelled to confess to his guest that there wasn't a Bible in the neighborhood. The late L. A. Anderson operated a Bible depository in Atchison at that time, and used to tell how Glick, Brown and Parker slipped into his store one morning, one after another, and bought a Bible each. It was the morning after the Boston man inquired for one.

An Eagle's Curiosity.

M. Cabalzar, a French aeronaut, reports that he met with a strange adventure in a recent ascent from Annecy, in Savoy. Feeling that the balloon was being pulled violently, he looked out, and was amazed to see a gigantic eagle climbing, with extended wings, down the ropes toward the car. Here it remained, staring fixedly at M. Cabalzar, till the balloon neared the ground an hour afterward, when it was frightened away by the shouts of a crowd of peasants.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Paul Rowland while running on the walk at the East Branch school this forenoon, fell and cut one knee severely.

Yee Hawk is laying for the fellow who stole his ducks last night. He bought six nice ones for his own special use and during the night some one swiped them.

The alarm sounded Sunday, was an incipient fire in the rear of James Hunt's barn, where he thoughtlessly had thrown some ashes onto a manure heap. It might have proven serious had it not have been discovered when it was, but no damage was done.

"Doc." Smith has received his commission as postmaster of Adrian and will take posession in the near future. From the standpoint of service done the party, he is exactly the man who should have this plum. Aside from this "Doc" is one of the best fellows on earth and the HERALD would like to see him have it anyway.

Mr. Harry Davis, formerly boss weaver in the Clinton Woolen Mill, and Mr. Fell, of Rawsonville, were here yesterday looking the town over and consulting with some of the capitalists relative to operating a mill here. Both gentlemen have had practical experience in this business and our citizens would do well to lend them all the aid possible and, if sufficient encouragement is given, Tecumseh may soon have a woolen mill.

Monroe Kelly, who lives with a son-in-law near Round lake, met with a sad accident here yesterday. He went down to the coaling station to see an acquaintance and coming down the steps, fell and broke his leg. D. P. Anthony being there took him to Dr. Catlin's office who reduced the fracture. He was then taken to Arthur Gove's home where he now is. Mr. Kelly seems to be unfortunate, for a number of years ago while crossing the Lake Shore bridge below Sutton's, he fell through and broke his hip from which he has since been lame.

High School Happenings.

Miss Hunt, of Tipton, was a visitor in the Sixth grade room Thursday.

Ralph Samsen was absent Monday and Tuesday on account of illness.

The Seventh grade physiology class furnished a cat for dissection last Monday.

The high school class are intent on digestion and the digestive organs this week.

Miss Kyle has in her room a very fine specimen of a cocoon to illustrate her geography work.

The class in German II have nearly completed Qmmensee and will take up L'Anabbiata by Bernhardt, the first of next week.

There was a fire drill Thursday forenoon. Of course there were the usual number of new pupils who got frightened, thinking it was a real fire, but on the whole the affair was very orderly.

The class in physics are wrestling with the laws of forces this week. The school board has adopted a new book this year and the class are required to use Carhart and Chutes philosophy.

Low Rates, One Way and Round Trip to the South, via the Southern R'y.

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Teachers' Examination.

An examination for second and third grade certificates in Lenawee Co. will be held in Whitney's Opera House, Adrian, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 21 and 22. All applicants should be provided with paper, pen and ink. The examination will begin promptly at 9 o'clock.

M. W. HENGEL, Commissioner.

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On the above named dates, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets from Louisville to Lake Helen, Fla., at one fare ($25.40) for the round trip. Tickets good returning sixty (60) days from date of sale.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of Oct. 4, 1897.

Present, Trustees Wright, Lowry, Heesen, J. Heesen and Orr. Absent, President Williamson and Trustee Eldridge.

Trustee Wright president pro tem in chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Sexton's report for month of September presented, showing 3 adult interments and one lot sold for $20 cash, showing treasurer's receipt for same. Sexton's report accepted and placed on file.

Street commissioner's report presented, showing fire team labor 25 days and 1 hour, hand labor 25 days and 9 hours, 105 loads of gravel sold for $8.50, showing treasurer's receipt for the same.

The following petition was presented:

TO THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF TECUMSEH:

We, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the village of Tecumseh would respectfully petition your honorable body to cause to be located and maintained an electric arc lamp at the intersection of Cummins and Evans streets in said village, as the said arc lamp is a necessity to public convenience and safety at said point.

ALVA SPAYDE,	W. W. WHITING,
J. H. SMITH,	G. W. MARSDEN,
R. STRETCH,	H. E. STOUT,
E. B. HYDE,	SATTERTHWAITE BROS.
GEO. W. KNAPP,	GARLINGHOUSE BROS.
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F. D. AVERY,	FRED KOLKLOESCH,
H. W. CONKLING,	FRANK WALLINGER,
GEO. N. STACY,	HARRIS & HITESHU,
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I. P. KEYSER,	FRED B. WOOD,
A. HYDE,	L. A. BIDWELL,
CHAS. HECK,	L. LILLEY,
W. D. REED,	C. A. SLAYTON,
P. W. A. FITZSIMMONS,	

The above was referred to the lighting committee.

The following bills were reported: Tecumseh Electric Co., $216.67; W. B. Darling, hand labor, $1.50; Dell Packard, hand labor, $14.00

Finance committee made favorable report on all of above bills and clerk was instructed to draw his order upon the treasurer for the several amounts.

Council then adjourned.

J. H. ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Financial Letter.

Chicago, Oct. 5, 1897.

The expected slump in wheat came today. At the opening December was quoted at 89 1-2--3-4, but the last named figure was the high point, and a mass of selling orders sent the price down rapidly to 88 7-8. May going a quarter lower. A quick rebound above 88 followed, and for the next two hours there was not much fluctuation, the top once more and 88 the low. It was expected that the visible would show an increase of 2,000,000 bushels, and when the figures came 1,651,000 there was some buying which steadied the market. The closing continental cables showed Paris a trifle higher, while Antwerp was unchanged. The clearances were light, wheat and flour amounting to 291,000 bushels. Primary receipts were not larger than looked for, 1,909,000 bushels wheat against 1,633,000 bushels a year ago, while corn was 510,000 bushels as compared with 819,000 the corresponding day in 1896. Corn became more in demand [illegible] showing and the feeling is general that prices have seen their worst on this crop.

The same is true of provisions. There was a better demand today in all the options, purchases being made chiefly through commission houses, the pit traders selling. Friends of provisions say the yellow fever is the only thing in the way of higher prices now, and after the first frosts, which cannot be far in the future, there will be a sharp advance, especially in ribs, of which the south is a great consumer.

Half an hour before the close there was a strong buying movement, principally by shorts who ran on the reported export of 500,000 bushels. This carried the price above 89. The range was:

	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec. wheat	89 3-4	87 7-8	89 3-8
May wheat	89 3-8	87 1-8	89 3-8
Dec. corn	29 5-8	29 1-8	29 1-2-5-8
May corn	33 1-4	33 3-4	33 1-8

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Tecumseh Price Current.

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PROVISION MARKET.		
Butter	18	18
Eggs	13	15
Lard		9
Beans, per bushel	75 1 00	1 25
Salt, common, per bbl		90
Cheese, per lb		13
New Potatoes	40	45
MEAT MARKET.		
Bacon		10
Smoked Ham		12
Smoked shoulders		7½
Beef, by the side	6	7
Live Hogs, per 100 lbs		4 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 50	
Veal, dressed, per lb		7
Mutton, dressed, per lb	5 6	10 12
Chickens, per lb	6	7
Turkeys	9	10
Hides, Green		6
Sheep Pelts	15 80	
GRAIN, SEEDS AND HAY.		
Wheat	85 to	88
Corn, shelled	28	30
Corn, in ear	18	20
Oats	18	25
Hay, timothy, per ton	6 00	6 50
Hay, clover, per ton	5 00	6 00
Bran, per 100 lbs		80
Middlings, per 100 lbs		75
Corn meal per 100		90

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ROUND ABOUT US.

Clippings and Condenrations From our County Contemporaries.

It is reported at Clinton that the management of the Woolen mills of that place will banquet the employes in the near future.

The east and west side high school football teams played a great game on the flats Saturday. The score 0 to 0 shows that the boys were very evenly matched.—Blissfield Advance.

Miss Eva McRoss, of Monroe, who has been doing a large business here selling mill remnants of ladies' dress goods, left Monday for Tecumseh, to conduct the same business.—Dundee Reporter.

The registration at the University of Michigan, according to the Michigan Alumni News, is now 3,082, as follows: Literary, 1,297; engineering, 274; medical, 431; law, 723; dental, 230; pharmacy, 77; homœopathic, 60.

Young Bayles, who was one of Griffith's most willing subjects during his hyptnotic exhibitions here last spring, has gone into the business for himself and gave several seances in Carpenter's hall last week. He placed his brother in a hypnotic sleep for 24 hours.—Blissfield Advance.

Capt. C. B. Miller returned Sunday night from his town of Ocqueoc, in Presque Isle county. He reports that a hotel, general store and saloon have already opened up there, and that a lot has been reserved for a church. E. M. Lewis, late of Tecumseh, started a saw mill Monday, and T. J. Hamilton, of Ogden and Delta, O., intends to do likewise soon.—Adrian Times.

According to the Brooklyn Exponent that village is affected with a canine exterminator and says: We understand that someone has been poisoning dogs around town. "Trilby," the Brooklyn House pug, is no more, and several of Lash Osborne's valuable Detroit dogs, that he has in training, have been fed poisoned meat recently by some person fond of making trouble for other people.

Street railway property jumped about one notch Monday according to the Adrian Times:

At the sale of the street railway property, to-day, only one bid was made that of $800 by E. Graves. Commissioner Robertson is waiting to see the court about another adjournment for which eastern parties represented by Postmaster Smith are anxious.—Adrian Telegram.

A man with lots of time on his hands has been searching the dictionary for months and months to find all the words that may be spelled backwards and forwards. His list is: Hannah, Anna, bab, bib, bob, civic, dad, deed, dewed, did, ecce, eve, ewe, eye, gog, gig, gag, level, madam, noon, otto, pap, peep, pip, pop, pup, redder, re-paper, reviver, rotator, sees, shahs, tat, tit, toot, tot, tut.—Mcrencl Observer.

An experienced man who has just returned from Alaska tells the Fargo Argus how to cure the Klondike fever "Pick out a morning next winter," he says, "when the mercury is below zero, shoulder a pick and go into the woods before breakfast; dig a hole 16 feet deep; come back to the house at night and eat a small piece of stewed buffalo robe and sleep in the woodshed. Repeat the dose as often as necessary."

An esteemed contemporary says: The papers are making a great ado about a Sandusky (Ohio) man who has shrunk ten inches in the last thirty-five years. We do not think that is a wonderful thing. We remember when, about eighteen years ago, old Sam Hawley caught us kissing his daughter goodnight at the gate after escorting her home from singing school, we shrunk clear out of sight in less than ten seconds.

The people of Tecumseh are at work to secure a new industry in the shape of a woolen mill. The plan proposed is that a stock company be organized with a capital of $30,000, and the projectors will furnish $5,000 of this sum, the citizens to take the remainder. With that amount of capital it is said a three run mill can be operated employing 40 people. The enterprise has reached the public meeting stage and the outlook is somewhat favorable.—Adrian Telegram.

Miss Mary Irving, says a Hudson dispatch, entered the store of Garrett & Tripp through the back door to get a lamp chimney. She tripped and fell through a trap door into a big tank of kerosene, where she floated around yelling lustily. Both members of the firm rushed to her rescue, and after the poor woman fainted in Tripp's arms. She recovered. In falling, she almost turned the faucet of a molasses barrel, but a mixture of kerosene and molasses was fortunately avoided.—Adrian Telegram.

"I'm going to the firemen's ball, Dec 31, 1897. Are you?" is the way buttons read that Chief Bowen is selling for $1 apiece. The buttons will serve as a means of admission to the ball in place of the customary ticket, and every purchaser is expected to wear the button on his coat to create and sustain an interest in the event. The money derived from the ball goes into the fireman's relief fund. Buy a button whether you dance or not, and thus encourage the best fire department of its size in Michigan.—Adrian Times.

LABOR CHIEFS IN SESSION

Seventeenth Annual Session of the National Federation Opens in Nashville, Tenn.

DELEGATES FROM MANY STATES ATTEND.

President Gompers Reads His Address—He Says the Membership Has Largely Increased—Strikes During the Year—Larger Receipts—Good Balance in Treasury.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 14.—The National Federation of Labor began its annual convention session in this city Monday with an attendance of more than 100 delegates from different states and an equal number of visitors. The federation met in the hall of the house of representatives at the state capitol at one o'clock. President Gompers presiding. President Gompers read his annual address, which was in part as follows:

"With two exceptions all our affiliated national unions show a large increase of local unions and in membership. There is an increase of about 34,000 members in the organizations affiliated.

Strikes of the Year.

"There have been quite a number of strikes within the past year, but the change in the causes which have produced them is worthy of note.

"The strikes of this year with few exceptions have been for higher wages, shorter hours and the extension and recognition of union principles. Our organizations report, with gratifying unanimity, the very large number of successes achieved, advantages gained and the growth and extension of the power of organization enjoyed.

"The movement to reduce the hours of labor is always one which commands the first attention of organized labor.

"We hold that no condition is satisfactory nor any solution complete which fails to eliminate the curse of unemployment, and so long as the degrading influences of nonemployment with us our best efforts as this evil shall be directed to the reduction of the hours of labor of all until the desired end is attained.

Postal Savings Banks.

"The establishment of a postal savings bank system and also a postal telegraph system, long since demanded by organized labor, seems nearer accomplishment than at any previous time.

"It is submitted whether it would not be wise to modify our position in so far as to interpose no objection to the passage of a law providing for compulsory arbitration in disputes between the organized employes of the railroads and the railroad companies, and the giving of an award by such lawful arbitrators; but we should hesitate to give our indorsement to any legislation, state or national, empowering the compulsory enforcement of an award and the specific enforcement of a contract to labor.

Afternoon Session.

Vice President McGuire presided at the afternoon session, which was well attended. Secretary Morrison presented his report, showing an increase in receipts of $2,349 over the previous year. An extra amount had been expended in organization and 34,280 new members were enrolled. The greatest item of expense was $3,539 for organization, and of this $2,000 had been used in sending organizers among the miners during the great strike. Expenses for the year were $19,113. During the year, the report states, 376 strikes had been officially noticed, involving 165,407 workers. Of these 189 were won, 91 compromised and 33 lost.

Treasurer John B. Lennon then submitted his report showing the income of the federation from November 1, 1896, to November 1, 1897 to be $21,808 and the expenses $19,113, leaving a balance in the treasury of $2,694 which, added to $1,000 now in the hands of the secretary, gives a total balance of $3,694.

The Second Day.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 15.—At yesterday's session of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was adopted favoring postal savings banks and another opposed to the annexation of Hawaii. A resolution was also adopted providing for the organization of all stationary engineers preparatory for making the fight for an eight-hour day on May 1, 1898.

Work Resumed.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 15.—Operations were resumed in two window glass factories Tuesday at the manufacturers' terms, and others will start up, it is said, as soon as authorized to do so by the American Glass company. The factories resuming Tuesday are Hires, at Quinton, N. J., and S. Indell Bros., at Baltimore. The cutters and flatteners will receive an advance of 12 per cent. over last year's wages instead of 17 per cent. as demanded.

To Discuss Reform of Primaries.

New York, Dec. 13.—Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the Civic federation of Chicago, has issued the call for a national conference in this city January 14 and 15 of men interested in securing primary election reform legislation. The call is signed by representatives of reform organizations and civic officials in all parts of the country.

A Double Hanging.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 17.—At Abbeville, Ala., Jim Glover and Sam Fields, both colored, were hanged on the same gallows. Glover was convicted for killing his wife and Fields for killing his mistress.

Came in First.

New York, Dec. 13.—In the six-day bicycle race in this city C. N. Miller, of Chicago, was the winner, his score being 2,013 miles, beating all previous records.

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CLINTON.

T. R. Kyle, of Tecumseh, was in town Monday.

Bert Tato returned Saturday from a visit at Toledo.

Fred Tag Jr., of Adrian college, was home over Sunday.

R. G. Peters, of Manistee, spent Sunday at J. T. Clark's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kishpaugh spent Tuesday in Adrian.

Fred Freeman, of Manchester, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Dr. Libbie Newcomb, of Tewksbury, Mass., is visiting at J. T. Clark's.

Mrs. Elsie Rowland, of Tecumseh, was a visitor in town Wednesday.

Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker went to Cleveland Monday to spend the holidays.

Tate and Stoner shipped a nice car load of fat lambs from here Saturday

Jamie Hamilton of Detroit, was p[resent] town the first of the week on busi[ness]

Jn[o] ... went to Jackson Tu[esday] ...other, Mrs. Belinda ...

M... Clark ...tle and Miss ...ra ... visitors ... day.

Miss M... several week... ...etur... from ... Monday.

Mrs. Milton L... from a visit with fr... Saturday Jackson.

Ida Kirchgessner is clerkin... Freese-Whittelsey Co. during ... holiday season.

The long and short of it is, that wedding bells will ring along with the Christmas bells.

The Clinton male quartette will sing in Tecumseh at the Friends' church Sunday evening.

The suit of the Woolen mill vs Marshall Bidwell, of Tecumseh, has been adjourned to Dec 22

There will be a High school social at the home of Frank Hard tonight, which all are invited.

Mrs. Solomon Parker returned Monday from a three weeks' visit with her son Charles in Hillsdale.

Will St John, of Chicago, came home Saturday morning to attend the funeral of his father, D. St John.

In the law suit of Rentschler vs Halsey over the division of a straw stack, the jury brought in a verdict of no cause of action.

Mrs. Ed Smith started on an eastern trip Friday and will visit Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Ed left Monday and will meet her in Buffalo.

The University Extension met Monday evening at Mrs. Tuttle's. The next meeting will be held at the home of Fred VanDeMark one week from that night.

Trelegan's Scars finished a week's stand at the Town Hall Saturday night. They will return soon for a second engagement, having made a decided hit with our people.

Judge Grant of the Michigan Supreme court ... sured in the Congregational ch... Sunday morning on the train... Bridges to ... the ... In the ... ing be talked on "The En... force... of the Law."

... den Hen... and Ethel Hinton ... Co., joined hands Tuesday ... ning. Jno. Marsden buying a half interest in the latter firm. Will Muir retiring. Indications are that a new firm will occupy the Marsden stand and open another market there.

D. St John an old and highly esteemed resident of this place, was claimed by death at an early hour Friday morning, after a three days illness from pneumonia. Mr. St John was 82 years of age, and had been for many years one of our business men. The funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock p. m.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address F. J. CHENY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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An effort will be made to dig out the Silverton railroad in California. It is buried under snow.

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting Information from Many Michigan Towns.

Gottlieb Ninneman, ex-president of the Muskegon brewery, is dead.

An auditorium will be built at Saginaw which will cost $30,000.

There is talk of consolidating the street railway lines of Saginaw and Bay City.

One firm shipped out of Stanton in a week ten carloads of potatoes of 600 bushels each.

Delos A. Spalding was appointed postmaster at Canandaigua, Lenawee county, vice S. S. Chatfield, removed.

The five children of Patrick Hosey, a Sebewa farmer, are trying to break their father's will. Two of the children were disinherited.

The fifth annual exhibition of the Southwestern Michigan Poultry Fanciers' association will be held in Kalamazoo December 28 to 31, inclusive.

The Holland city council has ordered the poles of the Michigan Telephone company cut down. They have been up 14 years. The company will resist by injunction.

Gov. Pingree has granted the requisition of Gov. Black of New York for Louis Randall, of Ionia, who is wanted in Livingston county, N. Y., on a charge of larceny.

Gov. Pingree has appointed Henry Heim, of Saginaw, a member of the state board of pharmacy to succeed Stanley L. Parkhill, of Owosso, whose term has expired.

THE CROPS.

Condition of Wheat Not Up to the Average.

Lansing, Dec. 10. — The December crop report says the average condition of wheat in the state December 1 was 88 per cent. of condition in average years. The figures for southern counties are 84, central 91, and northern 101. The average condition in the state is three, in the southern counties five and in the central counties two per cent. lower than on December 1, 1896. These figures represent, as accurately as it is possible for figures to represent, the judgment of correspondents as to the condition of the growing wheat crop. From the statements of correspondents in southern counties, it is clear that fields in that section are unusually spotted. The plant has made small growth and does not cover the ground as in average years. Wheat sowed early on thoroughly well cultivated ground is in nearly full average condition. This is particularly true of level fields, or those moderately so. But a large percentage of Michigan wheat was sowed late on ground that it was impossible to properly fit owing to its extremely dry condition. The warm, wet weather that prevailed in the early part of November was exceptionally favorable and of marked benefit, but it was too late for wheat to make its usual fall growth. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the November report was published is 2,054,321, and in four months, August, September, October and November, 7,662,316. This is 2,966,642 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year. Fall pasture has been fairly good. Percentages for live stock are: Horses ... and sheep and swine, 95. Considerable hog cholera is reported in central and southern counties.

YANTIC REACHES DETROIT.

Ship Now in Possession of Michigan Naval Reserve.

Detroit, Dec. 9.—The United States steamship Yantic arrived at one o'clock Wednesday morning, after a long and vexatious voyage from Boston. The ship is now in possession of the Detroit naval reserve. She will be docked and overhauled. Her false forward woodwork, which was taken off in order to get the steamer through the St. Lawrence canals, will be replaced, as well as her spars, riggings, etc., which are now piled upon the decks. Crowds of people visited the new acquisition of the lake navy. The vessel is 33 years old, but sound and well-adapted for a training ship.

Demand an Increase.

Negaunee, Dec. 13.—Officials of the miners' union have served formal notice of the demand on local mining companies for an increase in wages, averaging 15 per cent., to take effect December 15, with implied threat of strike if the raise is not promptly given. The mine managers claim miners on contract are averaging better than the demands of the union. The Negaunee and Ishpeming mine operators will join in resisting the demands of the union.

Will Run All Year.

Menominee, Dec. 13.—The Ann Arbor Railroad company has just issued a circular to shippers, agents and connections, saying that instead of closing the Menominee-Frankfort car ferry route during the winter months from December 1 to March 31, it, and also the new Manistique route, would hereafter be kept open the entire year, and that present rates via or from these points would be continued in force until otherwise corrected or canceled.

Navigation Company Reorganized.

Detroit, Dec. 9.—Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation company, with a capital stock of $1,000,000, divided into 20,000 shares. This is simply a reorganization of the Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation company, whose existence terminated by statutory limitation.

To Build an Electric Road.

Lansing, Dec. 11.—The Lansing, St. Johns & St. Louis Railway company, organized for the purpose of building an electric railroad from this city to St. Louis, a distance of about 50 miles, held a meeting here Wednesday and elected officers.

Machine Works Sold.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 14.—The Ideal machine works plant here has been bought by the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway and will be converted into car shops.

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No. 285 L. O. T. M., gular review Saturday

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RIDGEWAY.

Fennor Palmer and wife visited friends at Rea Friday.

Vote Miller, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here this week.

Under sheriff Haviland, of Adrian, was in the village Friday.

Ed Harrison was called to Albion Saturday by the death of his brother Delos.

Will and Grace Spaulding, of Franklin, visited their niece, Fern DePuy, last week.

Miss Fannie Weir, of Manchester, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Yokom Saturday and Sunday.

There was a good number from Britton present at the turkey dinner, at the church last Friday evening.

The Gooding sisters, of Tecumseh, visited their aunt, Mrs. T. H. Temple, and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Graves and family were called to Palmyra Saturday, by the death of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCrimmon and daughter left for Grand Rapids Tuesday morning, where they will spend several days.

Philip Deacon who has been in the employ of B. F. DePuy for the past three years, left Monday for a few weeks' stay in Ocean county.

Mrs. Mary St John, of Jackson, and sister Mrs. Jehell Davidson, of Tecumseh, were guests of their brother B. F. DePuy and family Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Snell, Thomas Adamson, wife and son, Mrs. Jehell Davidson, of Tecumseh, were present at the turkey banquet Friday evening.

Notwithstanding the bad weather and muddy roads, there was a large attendance at the turkey banquet given at the church by the members of the L. C. S. on Friday evening. The lecture room was arranged as the dining room, five extension tables were handsomely arranged and attended by a number of young people who waited on the guests in a pleasing manner. After dinner was served, the friends gathered in the auditorum where a short programme was presented as follows:

Organ Voluntary—Kate May Clark, Ridgeway.
Singing—Ladies Quartette, Britton.
Prayer—Dr. D. W. Loree, Ridgeway.
Singing—Ladies Quartette, Britton.
Solo—G. B. Nickerson, Britton.
Address—Rev. W. B. Pope, Tecumseh.
Singing—Ladies Quartet, Britton.

The selections given by the Ladies Quartet were finely rendered and also the solo by G. B. Nickerson. The address by Rev. Pope was a humorous and witty sketch of turkey. The receipts amounted to $36.35. There being so much eatables left, the ladies served a 10c supper on Tuesday evening, the receipts amounting to $7.25. The society will have a very neat amount to add to the treasury.

CONE.

J. M. Auten was an Ashley visitor last week.

Miss Jessie Auten is quite sick. Dr. Dunlap is in attendance.

James Surridge, of Idaho, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Anna Zeluff, this week.

William Hendershot and wife, of Macon, visited friends here one day last week.

Miss Dexter, of Milan, was the guest of Miss Rosa Vandeventer several days last week.

Miss Sarah Sherwood is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Ida Miller in Macon.

Mrs. Libbie Ray and Mrs. Jane Auten visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Stephen Munson, near Dundee last Monday

The receipts of the oyster supper held at Alanson Auten's for the benefit of the pastor, Thursday evening, were $10.23.

There will be Christmas exercises at the church on Friday evening, Dec. 24. There will be an arch and ladder and literary program.

A few friends of Willard and Enola Hall gave them a pleasant surprise on Sunday, Dec. 5, it being the latter's birthday and the anniversary of their marriage also. They presented them with a set of dishes and a lamp.

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A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.

Related by a Keeper of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

(From the Jackson Citizen.)

Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond dispute. He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. I could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him. But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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BRIEFLY NARRATED.

Up to Date News from Michigan Towns Condensed.

The population of Owosso is placed at 10,800.

A Holly dealer shipped more than 8,000 pounds of dressed poultry the other day.

John Brandel, of Rochville, Saginaw county, has been convicted at Bay City on a charge of making counterfeit coin.

George Morehouse, of Ovid, who was a victim of sunstroke last summer, has been taken to the asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Protestant church are placing Bibles in every railroad depot in Oakland county for the use of the public.

There is a report that the Big Four will be extended from Warsaw, Ind., through Three Rivers and Kalamazoo to Grand Rapids.

Rev. F. B. Cutler, of Elwood, Pa., has accepted the call extended by the First Baptist church of Oxford. He will assume his pastorate December 15.

Thomas Manion, living three miles west of Marysville, was found in the road with both hands and feet frozen. The hands will have to be amputated.

After one year of darkness the village of Warren has purchased 20 gasoline street lamps at Romeo for the purpose of lighting the streets.

James D. Wells, chief of police at Seattle, who was murdered a few days ago, was a son of Joseph Wells, a prominent farmer living near Niles.

Dr. Mary E. Green, of Charlotte, wants the dairy and food commissioner to begin a crusade against the use of acids in the preparation of preserves.

Last year 320,000,000 feet of logs were taken out and this season the crop is estimated at 370,000,000. Cold weather is increasing the activity in the woods.

S. A. Ward, father of Montgomery Ward, a well-known Chicago merchant, fell downstairs at his residence at Niles and was probably fatally injured. He is 82 years old.

Rev. Addison S. Kriebel, of Grand Junction, was robbed of checks and currency amounting to $1,000 while leaving the steamer City of Louisville at Benton Harbor.

Taxpayers at Ithaca have defeated the proposition to bond that town for $15,000 for a sewerage system. Only 209 votes were cast 109 of them being against the proposition.

A judgment for $5,000 has been rendered at Manistee against R. G. Peters and Arthur Meigs in favor of the Big Rapids national bank for indorsements made by them in 1890.

Deputy Sheriff George Darling, of Wolverine, who has been missing since last Monday, when he started on a hunting trip, was found frozen to death in the woods near that village.

The compilation of the statutes of Michigan, upon which Lewis M. Miller, chief clerk of the house of representatives, has been engaged for several years, will be ready for the press about January 1.

A check for $642.88 from the state has been received by Paymaster Wood, of the Second division naval reserves, located at Saginaw, to liquidate the expenses of the Mackinaw cruise last summer. The men will get about $3 each.

Lewis M. Miller, chief clerk of the Michigan house of representatives for many years, has entered into a contract with the Central Lyceum bureau, and will give instruction in parliamentary law and procedure whenever he may be wanted.

Stockholders of the Manistee, Filer City & East Lake railroad will extend the road to Stronach next season. They will also build a line three miles north to a beautiful peninsula on Lake Michigan, where capitalists will establish a park and summer resort at a cost of not less than $50,000.

Pay Big Dividends.

Calumet, Dec. 5.—The announcement of the declaration of another ten-dollar dividend by the Calumet and Hecla has created a furor among mining men. In all the mine has paid $45 on every share this year, which means $3,600,000 on the total of 80,000 shares. The Tamarack has just come to the front with a dividend of three dollars a share, and the Osceola is to pay one dollar a share the first of the new year.

Land Cases Set.

Marquette, Dec. 7.—The register and receiver of the Marquette land office have set the dates in January for hearing the final proofs of the Michigan Land and Iron company to some 400,000 acres of land in the peninsula which is in controversy between the land company and the settlers.

Olivet College Gets an Endowment.

Lansing, Dec. 7.—An important and largely attended meeting of the Olivet college board was held here Monday. A wealthy citizen, whose name is withheld, has endowed the college with a gift of $25,000, conditioned upon the securing of $25,000 in addition from other sources.

Hanged Himself.

Manistee, Dec. 3. — Otto Nickel, a small grocer of this city, committed suicide Thursday afternoon by hanging himself in his barn. He had allowed his property to be sold for taxes, and it having been taken from him a week ago he became despondent and tired of life.

Frozen to Death.

Detroit, Dec. 5.—Joseph Ferguson, best known to many Detroiters as "Jo" Ferguson, son of a former superintendent of Belle Isle, William Ferguson, was found beside a straw-stack on the Savage place, at the Ste. Claire Flats, frozen stiff.

Under Marching Orders.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 7.—The militia of this state is under marching orders ready to protect the toll gates, Gov. Bradley being determined to stop their destruction.

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Sirloin Steak	12c
Round Steak	10c
Pure Lard	8c
Chicken	
Frankfort Sausage	10c
Bologna Sausage	8c
Breakfast Bacon	10c
Oysters in Bulk.	

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Arbuckle Coffee	11c
Lion Coffee	11c
XXXX Coffee	11c
2 crown Raisins	5c
Cream Cheese, best	14c
8 bars Lenox soap	25c
9 bars Jackson soap	25c
1 gallon best White Rose Syrup	
1 gallon N. O. Molasses	
Medium sour pickles	6c pe

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TECUMSEH, MICH., DEC. 17, 1897.

Financial Letter.

Chicago, Dec. 15, 1897.

There was not a great deal of action in the wheat market today, although December fluctuated a cent and a half. Big receipts here and elsewhere, and an increase in the world's visible were factors which gave the bears courage to sell more freely than they have for several days, but on the other hand talk about possible damage to the winter wheat should a severe cold wave strike it just now was a bull argument of which the most was made. It was also noted that stocks at Minneapolis and Duluth do not show as large as the bulls would like to have them. December sold as low as 90 3-8@1-2 but the recovery from that point was prompt and for the rest of the session the feeling was much better.

Corn holds its own well, and in provisions there was a steady advance which the bulls argue is but the beginning of a noticeable movement in their favor. The cash demand continues good, and some observers of the situation argue that the arrivals of hogs will decrease daily until after the holidays.

The price range of wheat today was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.
December	98 1-2	97	97 1-4
May	94 3-8	90 3-8@1-2	91 1-8

Mrs. D. E. Bowen.

Mrs. D. E. Bowen, of the township of Clinton, died Wednesday morning, December 8, aged 43 years, 4 months and 9 days.

Her maiden name was Mary L. Gillett. She was born in the town of Summerfield, Monroe county, Mich. Her mother dying when she was but ten years of age and her father two years later, she made her home with an uncle, Daniel Gillett, of Tecumseh. She was married Dec. 24, 1873, to Daniel E. Bowen, of Clinton, Mich.

The deceased was a great sufferer from cancer for many months and was faithfully cared for through all the weary weeks by a kind and devoted husband and loving children. Everything was done that human skill could devise to relieve suffering, but to no purpose. She retained her mental faculties to near the last and often conversed with her family and friends about her dissolution, giving good evidence that she was prepared to go. She was a faithful wife, a tender mother and beloved by all who knew her.

Arrangements for the funeral services were made in accordance with her wishes. The funeral was held at the house last Friday, conducted by Rev. R. S. Hudson, of Tecumseh. The remains were placed in the Tecumseh cemetery.

She leaves, beside her husband, a son, a daughter and three brothers.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kind assistance in our great bereavement in the loss of wife and mother; also to the choir and those that brought flowers.

D. E. BOWEN AND CHILDREN.

At the woolen mill meeting called by President Williamson for Monday night only about half a dozen of the faithful put in an appearance and the meeting seemed to stand adjourned sine die. We hope in the near future that some proposition may be made in this line which will bring about the desired result.

Congratulations are in order for our hustling young townsman, T. A. Lowry. The New York Life Insurance Co., of which he is special representative, offered a prize of a trip to their big convention in Chicago, all expenses paid, to the three agents in each state, who wrote the largest amount of business during the first thirteen days of December. Mr. Lowry was one of the winners in Michigan in this great contest and left last night to dine with the great insurance Moguls, of New York City and other great centers. Tom is making his as an insurance man.

Farmers' Rally.

The Hon. G. B. Horton and Prof. Thomas, of Fruit Ridge, and Mrs. Campbell, of Washtenaw county, will be at Gracon Grange hall, Tuesday, Dec. 21, upon [illegible] in the interest of farmers. Mr. [illegible] needs too well known in this county [illegible] foundation or introduction. Those who [illegible] the patient as Prof. Thomas sing will [illegible] constitution as him again. Mrs. Campbell [illegible] ing its work. She is a fine speaker and is much faith in its o[illegible]s to the interest of farmers they offer One Hundred [illegible] is cordially invited. [illegible] case that it fails to [illegible] eeting at 1:30 also 7:30 [illegible] of Testimonials. Address [illegible] & Co., Toledo, O. [illegible]

750. Hall's Family Pills for the Holidays.

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RAILROAD NEWS.

Notes and Condensations Concerning the Railroads.

Attorney General Maynard, who will assist in the trial of the case commenced by Gov. Pingree to compel the Michigan Central railroad company to sell family 1,000-mile tickets for $20, required by the law of 1891, believes he will be able to show on the hearing next week that the Michigan Central company has forfeited its rights under its special charter by consolidating with other companies. It is claimed that the reports to the railroad commissioner's office show that it owns all the stock, and manages and operates several lines with which it has officers and stockholders in common. It is also claimed that the Michigan Central company, instead of being the lessee of those lines, has in fact issued bonds in its own name to pay their indebtedness.—Adrian Times.

Yesterday the Ann Arbor railroad removed the balance of the Y. took down the target, and removed the crossing diamond, at the Lake Shore depot, and the locality now presents the appearance of desolation. The Lima Northern is running trains between the old depot and Trenton, daily, until their new section of road is ready for use, when trains will run to and from A. A. depot.—Dundee Reporter.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co., has given an order to the Pullman Car Co. for 400 freight cars to be equipped with automatic couplers and air brakes. Work will commence on the cars about Dec 1. John Walton, of Owosso, foreman of the car department will be stationed at Pullman as inspector of materials and work.—Dundee Reporter.

Grand Haven, Mich., Dec. 16.—Jerry Boynton, the veteran railroad magnate, of Michigan, reached town late yesterday afternoon, loaded down with maps, charts and profiles of his proposed railroad from Bowling Green, O., to this city, making Grand Haven the western terminal, and thence by car ferry to Milwaukee.—Toledo News.

In the matter of David Holmes vs the D. & L. N. railroad, the Circuit court Tuesday made an order that the bill of complaint be dismissed unless the bill be amended to comply with the rules before the 20th and a rule fee of $5 be paid.

Track laying upon the new section of the Lima Northern railroad east from Dundee, was completed Tuesday to a connection with the purchased section of the Dundee branch, a mile east of Raisinville station.—Dundee Reporter.

The yards about the D. & L. N. station offices and freight house, have been receiving a coat of cinders, which greatly inproves the looks and is justly appreciated by the teamsters who have to handle freight there.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co. expects to buy this winter 100,000 ties between Owosso and Toledo. Last year the road purchased 170,000 ties on its northern division.—Dundee Reporter.

By the too sudden stopping of a locomotive near the pit Tuesday night, a couple of freight cars were broken in two and some drawbars extracted from others.

The Lake Shore road having gone out of existence in Dundee, J. F. Slayton has removed his stock-buying and shipping yards to the A. A. depot.—Dundee Reporter.

J. A. Girard, conductor on the D. T. & M., while taking a brakeman's place in the yards here yesterday, got his hand between the bumpers and had two bones in it broken.

Conductor Willard Robb, late of the Dundee branch, has been transferred to his old run on the Jackson branch, since the discontinuance of the former line.

Penny in the slot machines have been placed in the waiting rooms at both stations, and those who have a cent, can chew gum while they wait.

F. E. Franks, Assistant Gen. Pass. Agt., of Detroit, was calling on the offices Wednesday and Thursday.

Supt. Haskell and W. H. Yeazell left here Wednesday to inspect the Grand Haven end of the D. T. M.

A. L. Richmond spent Sunday with Mrs. Richmond at Battle Creek and she returned with him.

F. Grant, roadmaster of Lima, moved his family here Wednesday.

Special Excursion Rates Via Southern Railway.

Home-seekers' and Settlers' Tickets on sale December 7 to 21, via Southern Railway to points south. A great system of railways through a great country. Also winter excursion tickets to Florida and other southern resorts, sold daily, via Louisville, Ky., or Cincinnati, O., in connection with the Southern Railway and Q. & C. Route. Write for information to C. A. Baird, Traveling Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky.; J. C. Beam, N. W. Passenger Agent, 80 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.; A. Whedon, Passenger and Ticket Agent, 216 Fourth Ave., Louisville, Ky.

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THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN . .

Ties, Mufflers, Gloves, Fancy Shirts, and Slippers . .

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Menu.

Turkey, Chicken, Goose, Duck, Oysters,

Cream Candy, Figs, Dates, Nuts, Raisins, Fancy Butter, Fresh Eggs.

Oranges, Tryphosa, Bananas, Grapes, Apples, Cranberries, Honey.

at

C. E. Williamson's.

Telephone 95.

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In looking around for . .

Christmas Presents

Be sure and visit Our Store, as people this year are looking for presents.

We Have the Best

Stock in southern Michigan to select from. What is more appropriate than an

Overcoat, Silk Umbrella, Kid Gloves, Mocha Silk Lined Gloves, Fancy colored bosom and Fancy Colored Shirts with Cuffs to match.

In ties the very latest and delicate novelties in Club Bows, Puffs, 1 and 4-in-hand. In fact everything a gentleman wears. We invite you to call and see us.

McCann Bros.

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What to Buy!

Just now everybody is waiting for someone to answer the holiday riddle of "what to buy." The useful gift is appreciated because it is a gift, and because of its value. Then why not get something in the line of Foot Wear? We can supply your wants in our line as we carry a large assortment of holiday slippers and foot-gear novelties.

Karner Bro

Economy Stove Heaters

in three sizes.

The Best Wood Heating Stove in the Land.

Call and See Them.

D. L. WHITENACK & CO.

Tecumseh Herald.

UMSEH, MICH., DEC. 17, 1897.

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TED. Local and traveling agents to ke orders for our well-known nursery liberal terms and steady work. Orders h strictly high-grade stock, grown by , and true to name. Immense stock of s, at low prices. Write for terms, giv-rences. ELLWANGER & BARRY, ed 1840. Rochester, N. Y.

ALE.—A well improved and very pro-tive farm of 80 acres, three miles east of r sale or trade. Will take Adrian city farm in Lenawee county or unimpro-Inquire of H. J. WILLIAMS, Winter St. Adrian, Mich.

—While hunting for John Temple's or "slashing," a gold watch. Finder will ded by E. L. TEEPLE.

TED.—Girls to learn to become expert achine operators on muslin underwear. ill be guaranteed for four weeks. For rs address STANDARD MFG. CO. Jackson, Mich.

SALE.—Ten full blood Poland China Inquire of W. A. BROWN, Patterson St.

TED.—A girl for general housework. pply at DR. HARDY'S.

OR STRAYED.—A white pig, from inclosure. Finder please leave word at ouse. GEO. KAY.

less than cost at TANSLEYS.

oysters all meat. AVERY & Co.

Kinney was in Adrian Monday.

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line of printed or engraved cards HERALD office.

line of nice lamps for the Holi-t JAMES LOWRY'S.

H. S. Smith, of Dundee, visited Geo. Mize Tuesday.

arlie Bly" photographs at $1.50 ozon at Teeple's studio.

est turkeys, geese and ducks for mas dinner at W. W. Marsh's.

ner Slayton entertained a number young friends Monday evening.

est engraving at Adamson Bros.' have a new workman in this line.

save money on your Christmas ase, go and see Harris & Hiteshu.

o Dole, of the Adrian Coal and o., was in town on business Mon-

son M. Pattison, of Geneva, spent y with his daughter, Mrs. Bert

guessing contest still continues ... This time it is a globe of ges.

ved cards are just the thing for y gift; order at once at the HER-ffice.

is preparing for a concert to be t the opera house on the evening mber 31

E. B. Wood started to day for a th her daughter, Mrs. Ed Baird on, O.

oods, hand made bonbons, mix-and every thing to tickle the t Little Klondike.

nd Mrs. Oscar McBride, of Sa-re the guests of his brother day and Saturday.

son Bros. have commenced to lot of nice steers. Step in the and see them hang up.

eeting of the Wit and Wisdom postponed until after Christmas. will be announced later.

wait until the assortment is but come in and look over our mas presents at PARRISH'S.

Helen Conklin, who has been ed with pneumonia for the past is again able to be at her Anderson's.

have a fine assortment of couches g in price from $6 to $20. We ntee the quality of every one to s best. WHEELER & SISSON.

n't forget the good record our Com-y made for itself at the last state ampment for military ability and erly deportment and attend the con-

N. Camburn, Chas. Morgan and Morgan, of Macon, took the Monday, enroute to Ingham here they are interested in the of some property.

Bice has the best oysters, con-y and baked goods.

Haines, Henry Pronett and Har-, of Adrian, were exhibiting kerel here Wednesday, which ured in Devil's Lake, the larg-hich weighed sixteen and three-pounds.

china plates at any price you TANSLEY'S.

Wyrill moved into his new house Chicago street Wednesday, and upies one of the neatest mod-dences in town. The Matthews cated by him, will be occupied Pulver, of Ypsilanti.

of our business firms had inter-ith a peculiar individual last ho flourished under the name t Bruno Thunig, of Von Der neburg, Germany. The gentle-ght buggies, harness, pianos, fact he was a noble buyer and life of trade, but as a payer he and as none of the goods have called for or delivered, every es and is happy.

lie Bly" photographs at $1.50 n at Teeple's studio.

A complete line diaries at Adamson's.

A large line of Cards at Parrish's for Xmas.

C. W. Rogers, of Adrian, was here Tuesday.

Get your photos for Xmas at Teeple's for a $1 a dozen.

Reduced rates on all newspapers at the HERALD office.

Cloak sale commences today at Anderson & Rosacran's.

Nicest line of china Christmas novelties at JAS. LOWRY'S.

H. U. Matthews, of Grand Rapids, was here Wednesday.

Jas. Lowry is again at the store after a few days indisposition.

That's the kind of meat I like. Try some at Dickinson Bros.

Look over the line of Holiday goods at Parrish's before buying.

Ira Mason and Henry Smith, of Adrian, were in town Tuesday.

Boy's sleds, coasters and express wagons at Satterthwaite Bros.'

Roy Hughes and Roy Burlingame were Blissfield visitors Sunday.

E. W. Howard wants your picture to frame. Fine line low prices.

Great bargains at the special cloak and cape sale at Harris & Hiteshu's.

It will pay to buy your baked goods at Carmichael's. Call and find out why.

Clyde Heck made another of those peculiarly frequent visits to Adrian Sunday.

Darling and Russell shipped two carloads of fat hogs from this station this week.

Don't wait any longer to buy a cloak as prices have gone all to pieces at Anderson & Rosacran's.

Four Christmas presents given away at Parrish's drug store; go in and guess on the sponges in the globe.

Nowhere in the country will you find as large an assortment of Christmas presents as at Wheeler & Sisson's.

The Alexander Quartet, of Clinton, will sing at the Friends' church next Sabbath evening in a revival service.

We make only the best candies, and our increasing trade proves that we please our customers. A. J. DEAN.

S. S. Walker has been making daily calls on Dr. Reed, between trains this week, must be getting his teeth sharpened.

Jos. H. Smith, receiver for the Tecumseh Table Co., has been given an order to sell the assets of the company at public auction.

When you think of those pies you are going to make for Christmas, go to W. W. Marsh's market for the finest mince meat made.

Chas. Bidwell has been appointed receiver for the Michigan Coal and Manufacturing Co., in place of Chas. Burridge deceased.

Frank Darling is kept busy attending to his constantly increasing trade in the meat line.

If you want roses or carnations for the holidays, please leave your order with Mrs. Austin at the greenhouse by Wednesday, the 22nd.

A company of young people took Miss Metta McKinney by surprise Wednesday evening and needless to say enjoyed themselves hugely.

L. D. Stevens, watch repairer at Adamson's, will move his family here and will occupy the Jones' house where Rev. Andrus has been living.

Purchase your coat, cape or jacket now while you can get your size. You can buy them at prices that will astonish you at Harris & Hiteshu's.

H. W. Conkling is enclosing the Table factory yard with a new wire fence. We hope he will be able to drop a good industry into the building soon.

We may not think to ask you to guess on the globe of sponges, and if we do not, please speak about it and oblige, S. E. PARRISH.

C. A. Detwiler, who has been working in Macham's barber shop, has returned to Toledo and F. Raypole, of the same place, is working in his stead.

Morning subject at the Presbyterian church, "Comfort for God's People." Evening subject, "The Unsearchable Riches of Christ." All are cordially invited to each service.

Every cloak in our stock gets a cut price today. ANDERSON & ROSACRANS.

A reception and donation will be held at the residence of Rev. David Lewis from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 21st. All his congregation and friends are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holdridge, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McIntyre, J. F. N. Bowen and Smith Munger attended the State Grange and State Association of Farmer's clubs at Lansing, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. P. B. Hardy, our new physician, has opened his office in the Mill's block. Dr. Hardy was located in Britton some years ago, where he had an extensive practice, and will be glad to see all his old patrons as well as new ones.

No matter what paper or periodical you desire to take for 1898 you can save money by calling at the HERALD office.

At the Armory Monday evening occured the farewell reception tendered to Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Andrus by the Universalist society and Co. C. The city band was in attendance and gave one of its best concerts. About two hundred guests were present and partook of refreshments, bountifully prepared by the ladies and gallantly served by the soldier boys. A very pleasant evening was spent by all and ended with a social dance. Mr. and Mrs. Andrus will be greatly missed among the large circle of friends which they have made here, whose hope will be that happiness and prosperity will follow them in their new home.

Lamps less than cost at TANSLEY'S

Fine Cape Cod cranberries at AVERY & Co's.

Buckwheat grinding at Heck's steam mills.

Order your turkey early at C. E. Williamson's.

Will Smalledge was a Manchester visitor Monday.

Satterthwaite Bros. make a specialty of high grade cutlery.

Fine line of holiday goods at Howard's wall paper store.

Miss Rose VanDeventer, of Cone, is visiting at Jas. Lowry's.

The finest line of perfumes in town at PARRISH'S drug store.

Photos from now till Xmas at Teeple's for only $1 per dozen.

Dr. L. G. North started on a business trip to Chicago Tuesday.

Best Baltimore oysters and salt water clams at JAMES LOWRY'S.

The balance of 1000 25c china cups and saucers for 15c at TANSLEY'S.

Try W. W. Marsh for your Christmas meats and he will please you.

Ray Rundell, of Manchester, is visiting at Henry Wilson's this week.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Some pine barn boards. SLAYTON LUMBER CO.

Best and freshest oysters, finest bonbons and sweetest taffy at M. E. BICE'S.

Mrs. Amelia Crane, of Adrian, spent a few days with relatives here last week.

A new lot of pictures expected today at Parrish's. They are nice for Christmas presents.

Jas. Updike caught his hand in a corn sheller Monday and his right thumb is now minus a nail.

Call on Will Gray for hand fence weavers and everything in the line of bicycle repairing.

Grant Manon, of Adrian, was in town two days this week, helping A. J. Dean in his candy store.

Frank Darling will be pleased to furnish you with the best of meats, bulk oysters and poultry.

A. D. Ellis, of Blissfield, attended the annual meeting of the stockholders of the State Savings bank Tuesday.

Something for the ladies, something for the men, something for the girls and boys, in Christmas goods at PARRISH'S.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Andrus left yesterday for Grand Rapids for a short visit, before going to their new home in California.

Finest Holiday bonbons and confectionery at Little Klondike in the Mill's block. Special rates for parties, socials and schools.

Finest hand made confectionery in the land at M. E. BICE'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Emery, of Adrian, were guests of Geo. VanTyne's and Henry McClure's families Sunday.

See the toys at Howard's wall paper store.

Order your engraved cards at the HERALD office.

See those blankets and robes at Satterthwaite Bros.

Will Baker and wife came over from Adrian Tuesday.

Attend the cloak and cape sale at Harris & Hiteshu's.

Mrs. N. M. Sutton is visiting her daughter in Detroit.

Buy seal brand coffee for your Christmas dinner, of AVERY & Co.

Rob. Hanford, of Chicago, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Dan Hanford.

Wood wanted at Teeple's gallery in exchange for photos and frames.

Subscriptions for all newspapers and periodicals received by Adamson Bros.

Ed Holdway made his first appearance up town Saturday, after a severe illness.

Fred Shepard paid a visit to Ann Arbor Tuesday for the purpose of having his eyes tested.

We do not expect to sell all, but we want all to come in and look over our Holiday goods at PARRISH'S.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning: "Privilege in Judgment," in the evening, "A Peculiar People."

Those wishing fine ice cream for Christmas, be sure and leave your order at the Mill's block by Wednesday morning.

The new telephone company put in a new line cable Tuesday, the old one not being large enough to handle the business.

W. W. Marsh tells us that he expects to do an immense Holiday trade as he can furnish anything in the meat or poultry line.

The musical program shows many interesting numbers and brings on many old favorites and several new musician's at the New Year's eve concert.

Our $2.50 leather seat rockers and our cane seat diners at $3.50 a set are the best values ever offered.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Frank Sneaicor has added another chair to his shop and engaged the services of a strictly first class barber in the person of Mr. Chas. C. Walton, of Toledo, O.

Christmas is coming and nothing makes a more acceptable present than a nice rocker. Come early and pick it out and we will hold it for you.
WHEELER & SISSON.

Invitations are out announcing the thirteenth annual Christmas party to be held at the Opera House on Saturday, Dec. 25, from 4 to 12 p. m. No pains will be spared to make this party a great success and from all past evidence it will be.

Feed grinding every day at Heck's steam mills.

People, who wondered at the path of gore on the sidewalk in front of the laundry one day last week, will no doubt be relieved to know that it was simply the outcome of an unequal dog fight and not the clashing of human differences.

The Mozart Symphony Club, of New York, presented an excellent program to a small audience at the Opera House Friday night. Their playing was magnificent and carried a reputation for them here which will surely draw a crowded house should they appear here again.

New York State buckwheat, best in the world at JAS. LOWRY'S.

While Richard Harkness who lives on Adrian street near the D. & L. N. tracks was hitching up his horse this morning, a train frightened it and, in attempting to control it, Mr. Harkness was thrown under the buggy wheels and severely hurt. N. M. Sutton who was passing helped to carry him into the house and summoned a physician, who found a broken leg as the result of the fall. Mr. Harkness, in spite of his advanced age is doing nicely.

A funny circumstance took place in the divorce proceedings, in which Lucinda Davy secured a decree from Wm. Davy, all of Tecumseh. In taking testimony John Welch, also of Tecumseh, figured as a witness, and before the judge had signed the decree he was down in the clerk's office after a license to marry the woman. The deputy clerk was innocently making out the license, he having given the woman's name, and if it had not been for his lawyer, Welch would have signed the affidavit there and then. He is 70, and the woman 52. A license was issued yesterday immediately after the decree was signed, and they are undoubtedly married.

500 35c and 40c china cups and saucers for 25c at TANSLEY'S

The annual meeting of Tecumseh State Savings Bank was held on Tuesday, Dec. 14th. No change was made in its directors or officers, they remaining the same:

Directors—C. A. Slayton, J. D. Shull, D. C. Larned, Joseph Russell, Geo. W. Knapp, H. W. Conklin, L. D. Dewey, C. R. Millet and A. D. Gilmore.
President—C. A. Slayton.
Vice Pres.—J. D. Shull,
Cashier—J. H. Smith.
Asst. Cashier—Geo. W. Knapp.

There was $500 ordered by board of directors to be placed on surplus fund and a dividend of 6 per cent. paid to on January 1st. Net earning for year, 9 per cent. Savings depositors are requested to bring their books to the bank to have the semi-annual interest due them entered in their books.

Taxes.

—I will be at home two doors south of council building all days in the week except Fridays to receive taxes, Fridays at T. S. S. bank. J. D. ROBBINS, Township Treas.

—Home made bread at the new lunch room, corner E. B. and Logan streets.

Almost Here
The Holiday Season

And we are prepared as never before to give you everything you want in the line of

Fruits, Nuts,
Fresh Vegetables,
and Fancy Groceries

Of the finest quality. Don't fail to see us.

ANDERSON BROS,
Grocers.

PHONE 91.

CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMAS!

and we will give you

Free!

with every pound of Royal Garden Japan Tea

1 Box of Toilet Soap,

Try San Marto Coffee 25c per pound.

PHONE 90 Mobbs & Co

Get Your Christmas Orders
Filled at Our Store

We have the best of everything
And our prices are right.

Try Chase & Sanborn's Coffee.

Avery &Co.,
GROCERS.

Phone 39.

HORSE BLANKETS
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We carry a very complete line of these goods, an inspection of our qualities and prices will repay you, also

FUR, PLUSH, WOOL, Robes

And Everything Pertaining to Horse Clothing.

Satterthwaite Bros.

THE CHRISTMAS TURKEY.

How to Carve It Neatly and Without Loss of Temper.

The master of the house invariably insists that a tender turkey and a sharp knife are all that he needs to make him a thorough master of the situation as host for a Christmas board. But even he will be glad of a few hints to lighten his labors.

This is the way they carve a turkey at banquets where special carvers are hired. They have the art of separating the joints of the bird down to such an exact science that in one minute they can cut the most gigantic turkey into pieces each a good size for a plate.

THE FIRST CUT.

Plant the fork into the turkey's breast, and cut off the left wing. This is done with a downward sweep that catches the joint. The fork meanwhile, with a prong on each side of the breastbone, is held stiff and firm in the left hand.

THE SECOND CUT.

Now press the blade of the knife downward, and remove the leg and second joint. As this falls upon the dish they must be lifted to a small platter to be out of the carver's way. There should always be a warm platter near the carver.

THE THIRD CUT.

The third move of the carver is to slice off the breast, removing it in layers parallel to the breast bone. This makes a slice of very good grain, better than if it were cut crosswise.

THE FOURTH CUT.

The fourth stroke is upward from the pope's nose so as to catch the "oyster bone" on the side. This reveals the stuffing, which can be sliced off.

THE FIFTH CUT.

The wish bone is next removed. This done by slipping the knife under the int of the bone, after the breast is ed off, and sweeping it downward ard the neck. A very nice portion of eat comes with it.

ordinary family use this is as need be served from the turthe rack now remains upon ready for any use to which the following day.

EFFECTIVE POULTICES.

Some Directions of Value to Inexperienced Housekeepers.

The making of poultices and plasters is a part of the duties of a professional nurse in which every housemother ought to excel. There are many emergencies in which the prompt use of mustard might break up a cold and prevent a serious illness, but often it is so carelessly made and applied that its efficacy is destroyed. The mustard leaves of the drug store are convenient, but no better than a homemade plaster, which can be prepared at a moment's notice if a stock of old cotton and linen always be kept on hand.

A mustard plaster means boiling water poured over powdered English mustard until a rather thick paste is formed. In many cases the mustard is mixed with one-third of its quantity of flour, and for an infant the proportions should be half and half. Spread the mustard paste thin and hot on a thick piece of cotton, and cover it over with a thin piece of old linen. Lay a piece of oiled silk or rubber cloth over the outside of the plaster, after applying it, to keep in the heat and prevent the dampness of it penetrating the clothing. The moment the irritation becomes sufficient, or when the time the doctor has ordered the application has elapsed, remove the plaster and cover the irritated skin with cotton wadding, to keep the cold air from striking it.

A flaxseed poultice, often ordered by physicians for various purposes, is made by pouring boiling water over powdered flaxseed and stewing the mixture until it is a thick paste. Spread it about half an inch thick on a heavy cotton cloth, and cover it with thin old linen, rubbing the surface of the linen with sweet oil to prevent the poultice sticking. Renew the poultice as often as it grows cold, as long as the patient remains awake. Do not disturb a sleeper to do this unless so ordered by a physician.

A bread-and-milk poultice, sometimes ordered, means stale bread crumbs stewed in milk until a soft, thick paste is formed. Apply it like the flaxseed poultice.

An Indian meal poultice means Indian meal stewed in boiling water for a few moments until it is a thick, soft mass.

When a slippery elm poultice is ordered, pour boiling water over powdered slippery elm until it can be stirred to a thick paste. Spread it as directed above. Add a little powdered charcoal, if needed.

Always remember that all poultices must be applied very hot and be frequently changed to be of any value. They lose power when they become cold. A fresh one should be made for each application.

These directions are given for the benefit of young, inexperienced housekeepers who are sometimes called upon to perform a nurse's duties, with no idea of the simple art of the poultice and plaster maker.—N. Y. Tribune.

She Fulfilled the Contract.

It is not generally known that one of the most expert wirers of buildings for electric light in the east is a woman. This person is the wife of a theatrical electrician, whose labor she shares, from wiring a theater to designing a switchboard. Some time ago, when it so happened that her husband had gone to Nebraska, she received word that a large Polish ball in Chicago, for which her husband had the wiring contract, must be lit on a certain night, on which an entertainment was to be given. The alternative was the forfeiture of a heavy amount. Taking with her two men to do the heavier work she set forth to work on the wiring with her apprentice and kept at it all that day and night and through the next day until eight o'clock in the evening. Then she fainted; but she had finished her job.

Candles Valuable in Bedrooms.

No one who ... s not used candles for the bedroom ca... appreciate their value. The light is s... and there is no unpleasant, unhe... hy odor, as there may be from gas or ... erosene; nor the staring whiteness ... the electric light. Lamps are pre... for the bedroom, but it is almost impossible to turn them out without leaving some odor in the room. But candles are for retiring only, when they furnish sufficient light. No room can be too light when a woman is dressing.

Clean Willow Furniture.

... a good a way as any to clean ... urniture is to make a good ... soapsuds of some nice white ... th plenty of borax in the wa... a clean scrub brush and rinse ... rater, then place in the bright ... y. It may yellow a little, but ... ot a bad fault.

UPHOLDS CHEAP FARES.

Governor Pingree Emphatically Declares There Is Profit in a Three-Cent Rate.

SAYS EXPERIMENT IS NOT A FAILURE.

On the Contrary, There Was a Profit of Six Per Cent. Cleared on Detroit Street Railway Stock During the Year Just Closing—Says Managers Hurt Their Own Business.

Detroit, Dec. 14.—Gov. Pingree on Monday gave out a signed statement for publication denying that three-cent street car fares have proved a failure. He says that "the railway managers damn their own business by saying three-cent fares do not pay, hoping to receive sympathy from the aldermen and mayor," and that the next move has been for the newspapers to take up the cry. The governor asserts that if the $1,800,000 bonds of the Detroit railway were sold the owners got back all they paid for constructing the road; if they were not sold they have received upon their bonds a greater profit than have most of the manufacturing concerns of the city for three years past. Gov. Pingree says that a subsequent issue of $1,000,000 bonds, which was made at the time of the consolidation agreement between the rival systems, was in reality a pure gift, made by the owners of the road to themselves, upon which they expect the people of Detroit to pay interest and eventually the principal. The governor asserts that for the last year, after paying interest upon all "honest bonds," there was a clear profit of more than six per cent. to the stock.

Detroit, Dec. 12.—The Evening News says: "A report comes to the News from a high source—in fact, from several sources—that the Detroit railway (3-cent fare street railway lines) was unable to meet the interest on the bonds when the latest payment became due. There also comes a reiteration of the report that Tom L. Johnson declines to keep a promise alleged to have been made at the time of the so-called consolidation of the citizens' and the Detroit companies, that if the Detroit didn't earn enough above operating expenses to pay its bonded interest, he would see that it was paid." The News quotes a business associate of Albert Pack, president of the Detroit railway, as saying that the experiment of three-cent fares in Detroit had been a failure.

RAILROAD CENSURED.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury in St. Clair Tunnel Accident.

Port Huron, Dec. 12.—The coroner's jury, in the inquest on the accident in the St. Clair tunnel November 28, in which two men were suffocated, rendered a verdict censuring the Grand Trunk Railroad company for pulling too heavily loaded trains through the tunnel and also for not taking prompt action in rescuing the bodies of Conductor Arthur Dunn and Brakeman John Dalton. The jury recommended that some system of signals be adopted for use inside of the tunnel.

PARDONED BY GOV. PINCREE.

Edward Rogers, Sentenced for Life, Freed from Prison.

Jackson, Dec. 14.—Edward Rogers, who was sent to the state prison from Saginaw in August, 1891, for life, has been pardoned by Gov. Pingree. Rogers' sister will take him to her home in California. He has a family in New York city, but left home during a drunken spree. At Saginaw he became infatuated with a woman whom he killed because she refused to marry

International Baseball League.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 15.—The International Baseball leage was formally organized here Tuesday with Hamilton, London and Guelph, Ont., and Bay City, Saginaw and Port Huron, Mich., as members. The schedule will comprise 120 games, the season to commence May 5 with the Canadian teams playing a series of nine games in the Michigan towns. David McArron, of Port Huron, was elected president of the league.

Will Meet in Detroit.

Ann Arbor, Dec. 13.—It is definitely decided that the Michigan League of College Republican Clubs will hold its annual convention at Detroit on February 21 next. Arnold L. Davis, president of the National association, will preside at the meeting, and he is endeavoring to secure some prominent men to address the delegates.

Copper Mining Company Formed.

Marquette, Dec. 15.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the register's office of this county Tuesday for a company with a capital stock of $3,500,000. The corporation is to be known as the Michigan Copper Mining company, limited. Its object is to develop and work the Ridge copper mine on the Ontonagon range.

Flames in a Drug Store.

Bay City, Dec. 11.—An overheated furnace in the basement of Frank C. Kellogg's drug store in the center of the city caused a fire that practically ruined the stock in the basement, involving a loss of $8,000, covered by insurance. The block is owned by the Shearer estate, and was slightly damaged.

Champion Sparrow Slayer.

Niles, Dec. 13.—Louis Goraline, of St. Louis, claims to be the champion sparrow hunter, his record of sparrows killed being a trifle over 175,000 in the last three years. Last month he killed 6,632 birds. From the bounty Goraline has purchased himself a home.

No Extra Session.

Lansing, Dec. 10.—It has been practically settled that no extra session of the state legislature will be called by Gov. Pingree.

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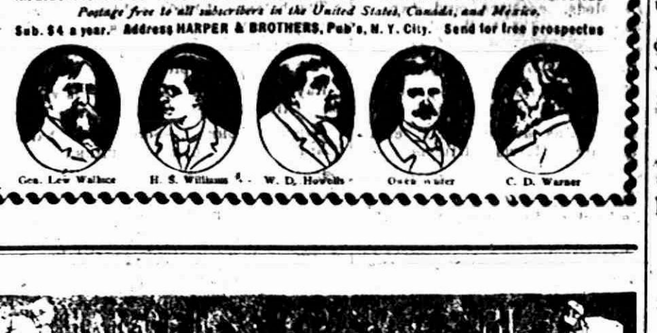

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Detroit Accommodation	4:10 p. m.
New York Express	9:05 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express	7:32 a. m.
Mail and Express	10:08 a. m.
Chicago Limited	3:45 p. m
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Jackson Lv	6 30 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	12 55 P M
Moon	6 48 "	2 18 "	1 10 "
Dewell	6 55 "	2 25 "	1 25 "
Manchester	7 00 "	2 30 "	1 35 "
Clinton	7 13 "	2 53 "	1 55 "
Tecumseh	7 23 "	3 05 "	2 05 "
Adrian .....Ar	8 10 "	3 50 "	3 [illegible]
Petersburg	10 48 "	6 30 "	
Toledo	9 00 "	4 40 "	10 [illegible]

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" No. 835 " " 11:35 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 816 Mail.	No. 818 Express.	No. 845 Accom
Toledo	7 45 A.M.	6 20 P.M.	
Petersburg	8 48 "	7 50 "	
Adrian	9 00 "	8 50 "	7 33 A.M
Tecumseh	9 17 "	9 29 "	7 33 "
Clinton	9 33 "	9 50 "	8 10 "
Manchester	9 47 "	10 07 "	8 40 "
Dewell	9 53 "	10 15 "	8 47 "
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WEST BOUND.

Mail and Express	2:50 a. m.
Thro' Express	3:59 p. m.
Passenger	8:04 p. m.

EAST BOUND.

Thro' Express	2:30 p. m.
Mail and Express	6:55 p. m.
Passenger	10:35 p. m.

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Trains run North, South, East and West.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Take Effect Nov. 14, 1897.

GOING SOUTH.

	49	41.	43	45
	P.M.	P. M.	A.M.	A. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	2 6 00	† 3 30	7 15	
Plymouth	7 40	5 30	9 00	4 30
Ypsilanti	8 00	5 50	9 20	4 50
Ann Arbor	11 40	9 25	1 10	8 15
Toledo & Ann Arbor Ry. Lv.		9 25	30	8 20
Toledo			45	10 35
Toledo.....Ar.				3 45
			P. M.	† P. M.

GOING NORTH.

	40.	42.	44.	48.
	P. M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Toledo.....Ar.	† 12 15	† 3 15		† 1 12
Toledo	10 35	3 25	† 2 30	11 30
Toledo & Ann Arbor Ry. Lv.	10 15	3 05	2 07	11 10
Ann Arbor	6 40	11 55	8 30	7 35
Detroit.....Ar.	A. M.			A.M.
Detroit.....Lv.		11 15	5 15	
Plymouth		9 05	3 00	
Ypsilanti			10 00	
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STEAMSHIP LINES.

Time Table in Effect May 23, 1897.

South.

Stations.	9	6
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Toledo	1 00	10 15	9 00
Ottawa Lake	12 15	9 25	8 15
Dundee	11 58	9 10	7 58
Ann Arbor	11 25	8 40	7.30

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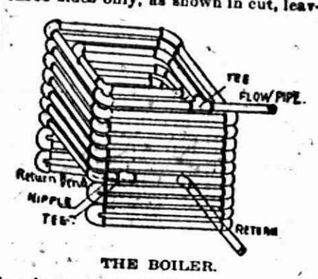
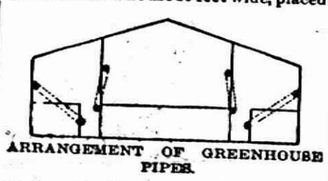
The bottom part of boiler has pipes on three sides only, as shown in cut, leaving front open. The inner coil forms a magazine for coal, for burning which the boiler should be set on a firm base, with grates so placed as to be removable.



THE BOILER.

Some good shaking grate, which can be procured of any heater manufacturer, is preferable. If wood is used, six inches of fire brick is placed under boiler at sides and back, to make fire box deeper. The whole boiler should be inclosed in brick work and must be placed below the level of greenhouse floors. Such a boiler will heat 3,000 feet of glass to 55 degrees. The capacity can be increased by adding coils. The houses should be piped with two-inch pipe, four flows and four returns being sufficient for a house 20 feet wide, placed



ARRANGEMENT OF GREENHOUSE PIPES.

as shown in Fig. 2. Let the supply pipe be three-inch and connect at boiler by a union, then rise at once to a point well above level of tops of any doors. Here place an automatic air valve and let all pipes have a gradual fall back to boiler. Place a three-inch return under door sills. Also connect to boiler by a union. Near where return connects with boiler put in a one-inch pipe leading to a tank well above the whole system (a barrel will answer if kept full), and the higher up the better, for the more pressure you have the swifter circulation you will get. Fill the system at tank, and if the job has been well done and draft is good you will have a heating apparatus that will work to perfection and very economically.—Orange Judd Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

The peach will thrive best grafted on plum stock.

Root pruning is one way of dwarfing fruit trees.

Few kinds of fruit are easier grown than the cherry.

Mulch the strawberries as soon as the ground freezes.

Black knot is a fungus growth. Cut off and burn all affected branches.

Orchard grass and clover are good for seeding down an orchard.

Paris green is the best remedy for the rose slug on rose bushes.

Having a good garden depends largely upon having a large manure pile.

Red raspberries are the sweetest. The plants increase by suckers or sprints.

While quantity is what the buyers prefer, appearance in fruit is a great factor.

Dipping or submerging is the best remedy for the red spider on house plants.

An orchard should never be plowed deep on account of the injury to the roots of the trees.

There is nothing that will tend to the development of roots as bone and ashes mixed with muck.

That a tree does not bear a good crop of fruit every year is not an indication that it is diseased.

To prevent sheep from gnawing trees apply a wash of whale oil, soap, sheep droppings and lime.

Thoroughly whitewashing the trunks of trees destroys lichens, insects and pests that live on the bark.

One advantage of rolling ground as a location for the orchard is that it gives a better circulation of air.

Set each tree with care, placing it in rich soil, and packing fine, mellow soil thoroughly in around the roots.

The quince is one of the best shipping fruits that can be grown. It is easily propagated by cutting. — St. Louis Republic.

Brain Work for Winter.

During the winter plans should be made for lawns, the setting of shrubs and trees for ornament, and, above all, the small fruits should be provided for which are so delicious and really essential to the health and prosperity of the family. Too many farmers neglect these necessaries, which are at the same time real luxuries. Nothing gives more substantial evidence of thrift on a farm than to see all these things in abundance about the homestead.—Farm and Home.

How Repairs Are Made.

A sample of wasteful and extravagant road work was lately noticed by the government road commissioners in a Canadian town. For 75 years broken stone and gravel had been placed on one street until there is a depth of from two to three feet of stone. The money spent on it was sufficient to pave all the streets in town with asphalt, brick or other good material.

DON'T KILL THE TOADS.

They Are Valuable Friends to the Gardener and Fruit Grower.

Bulletin 46 of the Hatch (Mass.) station says the toad lives ten to forty years, does not begin to raise young till the fourth year, but then lays over 1,000 eggs a year. It has lived two years without food, but cannot live long under water. It never takes dead or motionless food. It takes its food by means of its tongue alone, and it operates this so rapidly that the eye cannot follow its motions. It catches and devours bees, wasps, yellow jackets, ants, beetles, worms, spiders, snails, bugs, grasshoppers, crickets, weevils, caterpillars, moths, etc. The station examined with a microscope the contents of the stomachs of seven toads in April, 30 in May, 36 in in June, 26 in July, ten in August and seven in September—149 in all. On an average it was found that 80 per cent. of the toad's food consists of harmful insects, and 11 per cent. was of such beneficial insects as bees, spiders, lady bugs, etc. The stomach that doesn't clinch at yellow jackets, wasps, blister beetles and click beetles or pinch bugs, would seem to be prepared for anything in the bug line, and it doubtless is. The quantity of food that a toad's stomach can accommodate is remarkable. In one were found 77 myriapods, in another 55 army worms, in another 15 gypsy moth caterpillars, in another nine ants, six cut worms, five myriapods, six sow bugs, one weevil and one wire worm beetle. In 24 hours the toad consumes enough food to fill its stomach four times. Feeding at the rate above mentioned a single toad will in three months devour over 10,000 insects. If every ten of these would have done one cent damage, the toad would have saved ten dollars. Evidently the toad is a valuable friend of the farmer, gardener and fruit grower, and can be made especially useful in greenhouse, garden and berry patch.

PLANTING FRUIT TREES.

Be Sure to Cut Off All Injured or Defective Roots.

When planting a tree, cut off all injured or defective roots. If unevenly rooted, or roots all on one side, an incision in or through the bark will greatly accelerate root growth, by starting new roots. Avoid top mutilation when planting, and at all other times. The only occasion for cutting a tree is to prevent forks. Thinning the branches will prevent this. Foliage is essential to root development. Good tops are better than good roots. When transplanting I care little whether a tree has roots at all when planting. It must have a top. I will supply the roots. How? By giving it a good top. Nurserymen have long instructed their patrons to conform the top to match the roots. Bah! There never was a greater mistake. More than 20 years ago, in root-grafting apples, I experimented with scions of water sprouts four or five feet long on bits of roots not over an inch in length. They grew readily. The roots of a tree are only necessary to start growth and hold the tree in an upright position until roots are formed. The first apple orchard I planted the trees were the large, overgrown ones that were unsalable. They were four years old and so large that two men were necessary to handle. They were carried from the nursery and roots closely trimmed. Not a branch of the top was touched with saw or knife. This was in 1886. In 1890 these trees bore an immense crop, and being sold on the trees, were guessed by the purchasers at two barrels of marketable fruit per tree.—Western Fruit Grower.

PROTECTION FOR TREES.

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There are few farms where some such device as the one portrayed herewith may not be of great value. It is cheap, yet effective in its purpose; can be used for large trees and shrubs, as well as for smaller ones. Where a valuable tree or shrub is in danger from rabbits, this guard will protect it. In many localities it is almost indispensable in the winter, as it serves the tree from being

PROTECTION FOR TENDER SHRUBS.

broken by snow and ice and during the summer animals will not molest it. This is also an effective method for covering many half-hardy shrubs or young trees which cannot be bent down to the ground. By surrounding the tree with straw and keeping it in place by such a device, very good results will generally be obtained. No description or instructions as to its construction are necessary, as it speaks for itself. Care should be taken when used in the summer that the air and sun are not excluded.—Farm and Home.

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MICHIGAN FARMS.

Interesting Facts in Secretary Gardner's Report.

Lansing, Dec. 10.—Secretary Gardner's report on farms and farm products shows that the average value of crops was $192 per farm less in 1896 than in 1890; total decrease in the 149,434 farms of the state, $28,681,328. In 1890 the value per farm was $499; 1891, $477; 1892, $425; 1893, $403; 1894, $370; 1895, $279; 1896, $307.

The area of improved land in farms is 9,020,220 acres; of unimproved land, 4,302,093 acres, a total area in farms of 13,322,093 acres. The improved land as now returned is less than in 1896 by 2,141 acres, but is more than reported in any year previous to 1896. The average size of farms is 89.07 acres.

The average price of No. 1 white wheat in Detroit in September, 1891, was 95¾ cents per bushel. The area sown to wheat that fall and harvested in 1892 was 1,622,244 acres, the largest acreage ever reported except in 1880, 1881, 1882 and 1887. The price fell gradually to 54½ cents in 1894, and the acreage sown was 14,806 acres less than in the previous year. The average price of wheat in Detroit in September, 1895, was 62 cents.

The wheat crop in the state in 1896 amounted to 17,861,999 bushels. It was greater than the crop of 1895 by 961,016 bushels, but, excepting the crop of 1895, it was less than any crop grown since 1876.

The number of sheep sheared in 1896 was 1,333,127, a decrease as compared with the number sheared in 1895 of 419,287. After 1878 there was an increase each year to and including 1884. After 1884 there was a decrease each year to and including 1890, and after 1890 there was an increase each year to and including 1893. The number sheared in 1894 was 27,365 less than in 1893, the number sheared in 1895 was 288,284 less than in 1894, and now there is a further decrease of 419,257.

FATAL FIRE AT OWOSSO.

One Life Lost at Burning of a Large Casket Factory.

Owosso, Dec. 9.—The Owosso casket works were partially destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. The loss will exceed $50,000, and there is $34,000 insurance. Frank Wilcox, 27 years old and unmarried, who was night watchman, died endeavoring to extinguish the flames. The fire started in the varnish room, and Wilcox upon discovering it seized a Babcock extinguisher and fought the fire bravely. He inhaled flames, however, and was found dead later with the apparatus lying beside him. While the firemen were at work about the building a section of the wall fell and Linemen William Ross, William Robertson and Ed Wright were seriously though not fatally injured. Mayor Edwin A. Gould, while assisting to remove the men to a place of safety, was badly shocked by stepping on a live electric wire. The plant will be at once rebuilt.

PATTON FOR SENATOR.

Gov. Pingree's Reported Choice as Against Mr. Burrows.

Lansing, Dec. 12.—The appointment of ex-Senator John Patton, of Grand Rapids, as a member of the Blair monument commission by Gov. Pingree is accepted by politicians as being full of significance. It is taken as a strong indication that Mr. Patton has been selected as the Pingree candidate for United States senator as against Senator Burrows, and the alliance is believed to be a strong one for the governor. There is impending a very bitter fight for the senatorship in this state, and the selection of Mr. Patton as the Pingree candidate will render the situation very complicated and insure the most interesting political campaign Michigan has known for years.

Held for Trial.

Lansing, Dec. 15.—The first victory of the state's attorney in the prosecution of the People's saving bank wreckers was scored Tuesday when the magistrate held ex-Cashier Charles H. Osband to the circuit court for trial on a charge of making false entries upon the books of the bank. Bail was furnished pending the trial, which will take place in January. The examination of Directors Charles Broas and Christian Briesch was partially completed.

Receiver Appointed.

Detroit, Dec. 14.—State Insurance Commissioner Milo D. Campbell has ordered the appointment of a receiver for the Mutual Fire Insurance company, limited, which concern Mr. Campbell claims is not only insolvent, but has been violating the law under which it was organized. Half its risks, the commissioner says were not authorized by the law. All but four of the officers of the defunct company live in Detroit.

Death of Mrs. H. E. Butler.

Alma, Dec. 13.—Mrs. H. E. Butler, wife of Rev. Henry E. Butler, ex-president and ex-professor of mental and moral science in Alma college, died Sunday of apoplexy. She leaves a husband and two daughters, one living at home and one married in Chicago. The remains will be taker to Essex, Vt., for interment.

Celebrates 100th Birthday.

Niles, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Elizabeth Babcock, of Mendon, on Tuesday celebrated her 100th birthday. Mrs. Babcock is the relict of Maj. Stephen. Babcock, who served in the war of the revolution, and she is one of the few pensioners of the war of independence. She enjoys good health.

Benton Harbor Ambitious.

Benton Harbor, Dec. 14.—Citizens here want to secure Fort Sheridan if it is moved from the present location, the armor plate plant and a harbor appropriation. Correspondence has been started and a delegation chosen to go to Washington.

Against Trading Stamps.

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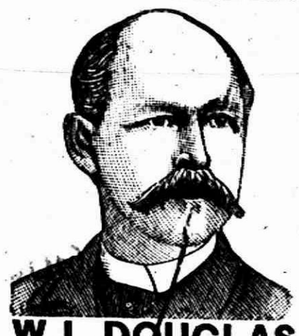

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Lenawee.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Wells, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of Charles Wells in Franklin township, Lenawee County, Michigan, on the 31st day of December, 1897, and on the 23rd day of May, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

And that six months from the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of William Hayden, deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet for that purpose at the late residence of said deceased in the village of Tecumseh in said county, on the 14th day of December, 1897, and on the 14th day of March, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Six months from the 14th day of December, 1897, are allowed by said Probate Court for the creditors of said estate to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated, December 14th, 1897.

ALBERT HAYDEN,
ALBERT H. WILLIAMS,
Commissioners

CHANCERY SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, IN CHANCERY

The Circuit Court for the County of Lenawee.

Sylvester P. Hosmer, as administrator of the estate of William Hayden, deceased, complainant, vs. Charles A. Slayton, Horace W. Conklin, George Knapp, Joseph H. Smith, Oscar B. Bills, Harry S. Lee and Tecumseh Table Company, limited, defendants.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, receiver of the above named Tecumseh Table company, limited, was by a decree of said court, December 14th, 1897, directed and authorized to sell the assets of said Table Company, consisting of notes, accounts, machinery, wares, etc., at public vendue, after giving public notice of such sale. And that he will sell the assets of said Table Company at the premises in the Village of Tecumseh said county, on January 24th, 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon; that the same will be sold at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder.

JOSEPH H. SMITH,
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Lenawee County Teachers' Association at Whitney's Opera House, Adrian, Mich., Dec. 18, 1897.

PROGRAM.

:30. Opening.

9:45. How should we regard the expression "Good moral character," as found in our certificates?—Supt. W. W. Armstrong.

10:05. Busy Work in District Schools. What to do and How to do it.—Miss Charlotte Brumm, Miss Anna E Barr.

10:30. Some methods of Interesting pupils in Good Literature.—Exam. C. A. Graves. Discussion: Miss Mabel Cannon, Miss Maud Richardson.

11:00. Intermission.

11:15 For the majority of teachers, which is the more profitable way to expend the Institute Funds—Inspiration Institutes or Summer Normals?—W. H. Howland. Discussion: Exam. C. A. Jewell, Jr., J. H. Pifer.

12:00. Noon intermission.

1:30. Opening.

1:45. Remarks by the Commissioner.

1:55. What action should we take on "Uniformity of Text Books?"—Supt. J. C. Howell. Discussion: J. R. TenBrook, Edmund Bennett.

2:30. Some Errors in School Management.—Supt. A. F. Probst. Discussion: Prof. O. L. Palmer, J. A. Snyder.

Every teacher in the county should make arrangements to attend this meeting of the county association, and to be present at the opening. Come to Adrian on Friday evening if you cannot get here on time Saturday. Let us close the year with such an enthusiastic meeting as will enable us to begin the new year's work with greater zeal and stronger determination to do our best for our schools. All papers will be open for discussion so far as time will permit, and every teacher should be prepared to take part in the discussion of one or more of these important questions. School officers and patrons are specially invited to be present, and to take part in any or all discussions, particularly in the one regarding "Uniformity of Text Books." Do not forget to bring your song books—the "Knapsack." H W. HENSEL, Commissioner.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Village of Tecumseh.

Regular session of Dec. 6, 1897.

Present, the president, Trustees H. Heesen, J. Heesen, Lowry, Eldridge, Wright and the clerk. Absent, Trustee Orr.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of sexton for month of November, showing one adult and one infant interment, was accepted and placed on file.

Street commissioner's report for month of November, showing fire team labor 13 days and gravel sold for $3.40 and treasurer's receipt for the same, was accepted and placed on file.

The following bills were reported and referred to the finance committee: Tecumseh Electric Co., $222 05; Temple, McClure & Co. $26 40; Wm. Kyle, moving safe, $5 00. Water works: Wm. Powell, hand labor, $2 45.

Finance committee made favorable report and orders were drawn for the several amounts.

Council then adjourned.

J. H ELLIOTT, Village Clerk.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned having rented his farm, will sell at public auction on the premises, three-quarters of a mile east and two miles south of Ridgeway, on Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, 1897, commencing at 12 o'clock sharp, the following property:

One new McCormick mower 5 feet, bay horse 8 years old, bay mare 9 years old, sorrel 10 years old, bay mare 3 yrs old, cow coming in in Feb., 4 new milch cows, 2 spring calves, 2 sows with pigs, 28 shoats, 1 surrey nearly new, 1 open buggy, land roller nearly new, hay rake, set bob sleighs, disk harrow, Buckeye grain drill, pair of Fairbank scales, fanning mill, 2 planet cultivators new, Gale plough, 1 2-legged cultivator, 2 set double harness, Blissfield scraper, steel plough, bbl. vinegar, Garland coal stove No 40, gasoline oil tank 60 gal., stone boat, 500 bu. corn, 1000 bundles corn stalks, 15 cwt mixed hay, set 3-horse whiffletrees, 3 corn planters, 8 bags barley, and other things too numerous to mention.

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Frank Davidson, Auctioneer.

The Hon. Frederic C. Penfield, late United States Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General in Egypt, furnishes in the December number of the North American Review a carefully prepared article on "England's Absorption of Egypt." It is in every respect a clear, comprehensive, authoritative view—from an American standpoint—of what England has done to lift the land of the Pharaohs from the slough of despond to the heights of prosperity.

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The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmers' Club.

The Tecumseh and Franklin Farmer's Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hoag, on Wednesday evening Dec. 23. The following programme will be presented:

Music—Thurman Wilson.
Rec.—Herbert Munger.
Rec.—Bertha VanValkenburg.
Song—Mr. VanValkenburg and Mrs. Welch.
Dia.—Lula Aylesworth and others.
Original Poem—Harry Abbott.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Poucher.
Reading—Lena VanValkenburg.
Rec.—Austin Swartz.
Rec.—Pearl VanValkenburg.
Song—Maud Abbott.
Essay—Winnifred Wilson.
Rec.—Eva Wilson.
Rec.—Fred Aylesworth.
Song—Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. Welch.
Rec.—Elsie Updike.
Dia.—Anna Wilson and others.
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Farmers' Social Club.

At the last meeting of the club the election of officers occurred. The result was as follows: Pres., R. B. Gillespie; vice pres., Frank Gillespie; sec'y and treas., Leva Gillespie.

The next meeting will be held at the home of H. B. Roberts. Members will please notice the date of meeting is Wednesday evening, December 29th, instead of the 28th. As the coming meeting is known as Children's Evening, the program will be furnished by them entirely as following:

Music—Edith Rector.
Recitation—Iva Waldron.
Dialogue, "Playing Hostess"—Ethel Hendershot, Blanche and Hazel Roberts.
Music—Ora and Jennie Gillespie.
Recitation—Mildred Boyce.
Recitation—Ethel Hendershot.
Song—Hazel Roberts.
Rec.—Erva Finch.
Dec.—Ralph Bowen.
Rec.—Ethel Keyser.
Dia.—Clare Gillespie and Earl Rector.
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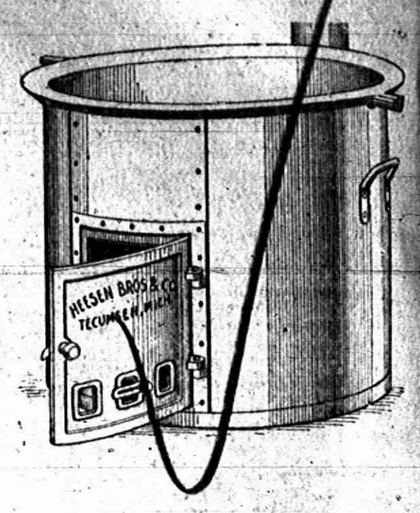

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THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.

Proceedings of Their National Convention in St Louis.

William J. Bryan Nominated for President and Thomas E. Watson for Vice President—The Platform Adopted.

St. Louis, July 25.—The national convention of the populist party which met in this city on Wednesday selected Senator Butler, of North Carolina, as temporary chairman and appointed the various committees. On Thursday Senator Allen, of Nebraska, was made permanent chairman and the day was passed in speech-making.

Yesterday the convention remained in session until midnight. At the conclusion of many speeches naming candidates for the vice-presidential nomination the roll was called, and Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, was nominated on the first ballot, the nomination being afterwards made unanimous. This was the result of a strong fight against the nomination of Arthur Sewall, of Maine, the democratic nominee for the same office. Contrary to all precedent, the report of the committee on rules, which was adopted, placed the nomination of vice-president before that of president.

The Platform.

The report of the committee on resolutions, which was adopted, is as follows:

"The people's party, assembled in national convention, reaffirms its allegiance to the principles declared by the founders of the republic and also to the fundamental principles of just government as enunciated in the platform of the party in 1892. We recognize that through the connivance of the present and preceding administrations the country has reached a crisis in its national life, as predicted in our declaration four years ago, and that prompt and patriotic action is the supreme duty of the hour. We realize that while we have political independence, our financial and industrial independence is yet to be attained by restoring to our country the constitutional control and exercise of functions necessary to a people's government, which functions have been basely surrendered by our public servants to corporate monopolies. The influence of European money-changers has been more potent in shaping legislation than the voice of the American people. Executive power and patronage have been used to corrupt our legislatures and defeat the will of the people, and plutocracy has thereby been enthroned upon the ruins of democracy. To restore the government intended by the fathers, and for the welfare and prosperity of this and future generations, we demand the establishment of an economic and financial system which shall make us masters of our own affairs and independent of European control, by the adoption of the following declaration of principles:

The Financial Planks

"1. We demand a national money, safe and sound, issued by the general government only, without the intervention of banks of issue, to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, a just, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people and through the lawful disbursements of the government.

"2. We demand the free and unrestricted coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of sixteen to one, without waiting for the consent of foreign nations.

"3. We demand the volume of circulating medium be speedily increased to an amount sufficient to meet the demands of the business and population and to restore the just level of prices of labor and production.

"4. We denounce the sale of bonds and the increase of the public interest-bearing debt made by the present administration as unnecessary and without authority of law and demand that no more bonds be issued except by specific act of congress.

"5. We demand such legislation as will prevent the demonetization of the lawful money of the United States by private contract.

"6. We demand that the government, in payment of its obligations shall use its option as to the kind of lawful money in which they are to be paid, and we denounce the present and preceding administrations for surrendering this option to the holders of government obligations.

"7. We demand a graduated income tax to the end that aggregated wealth shall bear its just proportion of taxation, and we regard the recent decision of the supreme court relative to the income tax law as a misinterpretation of the constitution and an invasion of the rightful powers of congress over the subject of taxation.

"8. We demand that postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the savings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

Transportation.

"9. Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people and on a nonpartisan basis; to the end that all may be accorded the same treatment in transportation, and that the tyranny and political power now exercised by the great railroad corporations which result in the impairment, if not the destruction, of the political rights and personal liberties of the citizen may be destroyed. Such ownership is to be accomplished gradually in a manner consistent with sound public policy.

"10. The interest of the United States in the public highways built with public moneys and the proceeds of extensive grants of land to the Pacific railroads, should never be alienated, mortgaged or sold, but guarded and protected for the general welfare as provided by the laws organizing such railroads. The foreclosure of existing liens of the United States on these roads should at once follow default in the payment thereof by the debtor companies, and at the foreclosure sales of said roads the government shall purchase the same if it becomes necessary to protect its interests therein, or if they can be purchased at a reasonable price; and the government shall operate said railroads as public highways for the benefit of the whole people and not in the interest of the few, under suitable provisions for protection of life and property, giving to all transportation interests equal privileges and equal rates for fares and freights.

"11. We denounce the present infamous schemes for refunding these debts and demand that the laws now applicable thereto be executed and administered according to their interest and spirit.

"12. The telegraph, like the post office system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

Land.

"13. True policy demands that the national and state legislation shall be such as will ultimately enable every prudent and industrious citizen to secure a home, and therefore the land should not be monopolized for speculative purposes. All lands now held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs should by lawful means be reclaimed by the government and held for natural settlers only, and private land monopoly, as well as alien ownership, should be prohibited.

"14. We condemn the frauds by which the land-grant Pacific railroad companies have, through the connivance of the interior department, robbed multitudes of actual, bona fide settlers of their homes and miners of their claims, and we demand legislation by congress which will enforce the exception of mineral land grants after as well as before patent.

"15. We demand that bona fide settlers on all public lands be granted free homes as provided in the national homestead law, and that no exception be made in the case of Indian reservations when opened for settlement, and that all lands not now patented come under this demand.

Direct Legislation.

"16. We favor a system of direct legislation through the initiative and referendum, under proper constitutional safeguards.

General Propositions.

"17. We demand the election of president, vice president and United States senators by a direct vote of the people.

"18. We tender to the patriotic people of Cuba our deepest sympathy in their heroic struggle for political freedom and independence, and we believe the time has come when the United States, the great republic of the world, should recognize that Cuba is and of right ought to be a free and independent state.

"19. We favor home rule in the territories and the District of Columbia, and the early admission of the territories as states.

"20. All public salaries should be made to correspond to the price of labor and its products.

"21. In times of great industrial depression idle labor should be employed on public works as far as practicable.

"22. The arbitrary course of the courts in assuming to imprison citizens for indirect contempt and ruling them by injunction should be prevented by proper legislation.

"23. We favor just pensions for our disabled union soldiers.

"24. Believing that the elective franchise and an untrammeled ballot are essential to government of, for and by the people, the people's party condemn the wholesale system of disfranchisement adopted in some of the states as unrepublican and undemocratic, and we declare it to be the duty of the several state legislatures to take such action as will secure a full, free and fair ballot and an honest count.

"25. While the foregoing propositions constitute the platform upon which our party stands, and for the vindication of which its organization will be maintained, we recognize that the great and pressing issue of the pending campaign upon which the present presidential election will turn is the financial question, and upon this great and specific issue between the parties we cordially invite the aid and co-operation of all organizations and citizens agreeing with us upon this vital question."

Nominate Bryan for President.

St. Louis, July 27.—The national convention of the people's party, after four days' session, completed its labors on Saturday by nominating William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, for president, on the first ballot, the vote being as follows:

Bryan, 1,047; Norton, of Illinois, 331. Ignatius Donnelly got one vote in Connecticut and two in Ohio. Eugene V. Debs got eight in Ohio. Coxey got one in Ohio.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of the Leading Clubs for the Week Ended July 28

The following table shows the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the leading base ball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Perct.
Cincinnati	61	28	.701
Baltimore	52	27	.658
Cleveland	53	30	.639
Chicago	51	38	.573
Boston	43	37	.538
Pittsburgh	44	38	.537
Philadelphia	37	44	.457
Brooklyn	37	45	.451
Washington	34	44	.436
New York	33	47	.413
St. Louis	26	57	.313
Louisville	21	59	.263
Western league:			
Indianapolis	50	28	.641
St. Paul	48	32	.600
Minneapolis	48	35	.578
Kansas City	44	36	.550
Detroit	40	39	.506
Milwaukee	40	46	.465
Grand Rapids	31	52	.373
Columbus	27	60	.310
Western association:			
Dubuque	5	1	.833
Rockford	4	3	.571
Cedar Rapids	3	3	.500
Burlington	3	3	.500
Peoria	2	2	.500
Des Moines	0	5	.000

INDIANA POPULISTS.

They Nominate a State Ticket and Declare Against Fusion.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 29.—The populists met in state convention yesterday and adopted a platform that follows closely the St. Louis declaration of principles and declares that the populist organization, national, state and local, "shall be maintained at all hazards." The following nominations were made:

Governor, Thomas A. Wadsworth, Daviess county; lieutenant governor, A. P. Hanna, Montgomery county; secretary of state, Silas M. Holcomb, Gibson county; auditor, N. M. Jennings, Johnson county; treasurer, F. J. S. Robinson, Clay county; attorney-general, D. H. Fernandez, Madison county; supreme court reporter, Thomas W. Force, Martin county; appellate judges, A. J. Padgett, Adam Stockinger, I. N. Pierce, J. N. Thornburg N. J. Bosard; statistician, J. S. McKeever, Washington county; superintendent of instruction, J. B. Freeman, Howard county.

TRADE CONDITIONS.

Dun and Bradstreet Show a General Depression Throughout the Country.

New York, July 25.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"The week began with extreme depression in stocks and speculative markets, owing to the heavy outgo of gold and the fall of the treasury reserve below the minimum. The populist and silver conventions caused some apprehension, and large withdrawals of gold for hoarding were rather feared than seen. Then came a sharp recovery, with the union of banks to turn $20,000,000 of gold into the treasury and of international bankers to control foreign exchange. The produce markets have been seriously depressed, lard making the lowest quotations on record, corn falling to 32 cents, wheat to 61¾ cents and cotton to 7.12 cents. Failures for the week have been 281 in the United States, against 202 last year, and 29 in Canada, against 27 last year."

Bradstreets says:

"The industrial situation is somewhat more depressed, particularly in iron and steel. Production is materially curtailed among manufacturers of woolens and cottons as heretofore and in locomotive hardware, silver, jewelry and lumber industries. The principal activity in the dry goods trade appears to consist of preparations to show fall goods."

Killed Each Other.

Gainesville, Fla., July 27.—In a duel here Saturday Dr. J. D. Cromwell and G. I. Kennard, prominent citizens, killed each other.

Valuable Horses Burned.

Whiting, Ind., July 27.—The barns of the Forsythe race track were destroyed by fire and five valuable horses were cremated.

FRIENDS OF SILVER.

They Assemble in National Convention in St. Louis.

William J. Bryan Nominated for President and Arthur Sewall for Vice President—Text of the Platform Adopted.

St. Louis, July 25.—The national silver party convention opened its session Wednesday and Francis Newlands, of Nevada, was made temporary chairman. William P. St. John, of New York, was chosen as permanent chairman and the usual committees were named. On Thursday the day was passed in listening to several addresses and to adopting the following platform:

The Platform.

"The national silver party of America, in convention assembled, hereby adopts the following declaration of principles:

"First—The paramount issue at this time in the United States is indisputably the money question. It is between the British gold standard, gold bonds and bank currency on the one side, and the bimetallic standard, no bonds, government currency (and an American policy) on the other.

"On this issue we declare ourselves to be in favor of a distinctively American financial system. We are unalterably opposed to the single gold standard, and demand the immediate return to the constitutional standard of gold and silver, by the restoration by this government, independently of any foreign power, of the unrestricted coinage of both gold and silver, into standard money at the ratio of sixteen to one, and upon terms of exact equality as they existed prior to 1873; the silver coin to be of full legal tender, equally with gold, for all debts and dues, public and private, and we demand such legislation as will prevent for the future the destruction of the legal tender quality of any kind of money by private contract.

"We hold that the power to control and regulate a paper currency is inseparable from the power to coin money; and, hence, that all currency intended to circulate as money should be issued and its volume controlled by the general government only, and should be a legal tender.

"We are unalterably opposed to the issue by the United States of interest-bearing bonds in time of peace, and we denounce as a blunder, worse than a crime, the present treasury policy concurred in by a republican house, of plunging the country into debt by hundreds of millions in the vain attempt to maintain the gold standard by borrowing gold; and we demand the payment of all coin obligations of the United States, as provided by existing laws, in either gold or silver coin, at the option of the government, and not at the option of the creditor.

"Over and above all other questions of policy, we are in favor of restoring to the people of the United States the time-honored money of the constitution—gold and silver, not one but both—the money of Washington and Hamilton, and Jefferson and Monroe, and Jackson and Lincoln, to the end that the American people may receive honest pay for an honest product; that the American debtor may pay his just obligations in an honest standard and not in a dishonest and unsound standard appreciated 100 per cent. in purchasing power, and no appreciation in debt-paying power, and to the end, further, that silver standard countries may be deprived of the unjust advantage they now enjoy, in the difference in exchange between gold and silver—an advantage which tariff legislation cannot overcome.

"We therefore confidently appeal to the people of the United States to hold in abeyance all other questions, however important and even momentous they may appear, to sunder. If need be, all former party ties and affiliations, and to unite in one supreme effort to free themselves and their children from the domination of money power—a power more destructive than any which has ever been fastened upon the civilized men of any race or in any age. And upon the consummation of our desires and efforts, we evoke the aid of all patriotic American citizens, and the gracious favor of Divine providence.

Yesterday the report of the joint conference committee which recommends uniting the silver forces and leaves the details to each political party—silver and populists—was adopted.

Candidates Chosen.

Mr. Pace, of Nebraska, moved that the convention proceed to the nomination of a candidate for president and vice president.

Mr. Pace's motion was adopted, and E. C. Little, of Abilene, Kan., was recognized to place William J. Bryan's name before the convention. He did so in a graceful, at times forceful, speech. Several seconds followed, and finally nominations were declared closed, and a motion to nominate Mr. Bryan by acclamation was adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Alexander Troupe, of Connecticut, placed Arthur Sewall's name before the convention for vice president and the nomination of Mr. Sewall was made by acclamation.

After the appointment of notification committees the convention adjourned sine die.

Lee Protests.

Havana, July 28.—Strenuous efforts are being made by Gen. Lee on behalf of the government against the order of Gen. Weyler prohibiting the export of fruit. This prohibition is causing an immense damage to American commerce and business. The principal reason for the prohibition of the export of fruit at certain seaport towns is that they are virtually under the control of the rebels.

Places Tariff Second.

New York, July 29.—Marcus A Hanna, the chairman of the republican national committee, does not consider a high protective tariff the overwhelming issue in this campaign. He considers the issue to be honest finances and a protective tariff. "That is the way I should define it," said Chairman Hanna to a New York Herald representative at the Waldorf hotel Tuesday night.

A Lover's Crime.

St. Paul, Minn., July 27.—Henry B. White, of Northfield, fatally shot Miss Tillie Strumpf in this city because she refused to marry him and then fatally shot himself.